# ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

FOR THE PERIOD ENDED
27 OCTOBER 2007

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# **ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS**

# YEAR ENDED 27 OCTOBER 2007

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO HARDY UK LIMITED UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages 2 to 7, together with the financial statements of Hardy UK Limited for the year ended 27 October 2007 prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985

This report is made solely to the company, in accordance with Section 247B of the Companies Act 1985. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company those matters we are required to state to it in a special auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

#### RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE DIRECTORS AND THE AUDITOR

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the Registrar of Companies and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and to report our opinion to you

#### BASIS OF OPINION

We conducted our work in accordance with Bulletin 2006/3 "The special auditor's report on abbreviated accounts in the United Kingdom" issued by the Auditing Practices Board. In accordance with that Bulletin we have carried out the procedures we consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared.

#### OPINION

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Companies Act 1985, and the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with those provisions

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22 February 2008

# **ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET**

## 27 OCTOBER 2007

	2007			2006	2006	
	Note	£	£	£	£	
FIXED ASSETS	2					
Tangible assets			105,612		121,915	
CURRENT ASSETS						
Stocks		304,804		151,404		
Debtors		611,397		729,667		
Cash at bank and in hand		70,066		36,885		
		986,267		917,956		
CREDITORS · Amounts falling due						
within one year	3	412,887		305,442		
NET CURRENT ASSETS			573,380		612,514	
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT	LIABIL	ITIES	678,992		734,429	
CREDITORS. Amounts failing due						
after more than one year	4		-		9,512	
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES	AND CH	ARGES	19,041		19,721	
			659,951		705,196	
			039,931		703,130	
CAPITAL AND RESERVES						
Called-up equity share capital	6		2		2	
Profit and loss account			659,949		705,194	
SHAREHOLDER'S FUNDS			659,951		705,196	
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These abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985

These abbreviated accounts were approved by the directors on 22 February 2008 and are signed on their behalf by

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#### NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

#### YEAR ENDED 27 OCTOBER 2007

#### 1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2005)

#### Turnover

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents amounts invoiced during the year, exclusive of Value Added Tax

In respect of long-term contracts and contracts for on-going services, turnover represents the value of work done in the year, including estimates of amounts not invoiced. Turnover in respect of long-term contracts and contracts for on-going services is recognised by reference to the stage of completion.

#### Fixed assets

All fixed assets are initially recorded at cost

#### Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost of an asset, less its estimated residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows

Buildings expense

10% straight line

Plant & Machines

10% to 25% straight line

Computer Systems

- 33% straight line

#### Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow moving items

#### Work in progress

Work in progress is valued on the basis of direct costs plus attributable overheads based on normal level of activity. Provision is made for any foreseeable losses where appropriate. No element of profit is included in the valuation of work in progress.

#### Hire purchase agreements

Assets held under hire purchase agreements are capitalised and disclosed under tangible fixed assets at their fair value. The capital element of the future payments is treated as a liability and the interest is charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis.

#### Operating lease agreements

Rentals applicable to operating leases where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged against profits on a straight line basis over the period of the lease

#### NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

#### YEAR ENDED 27 OCTOBER 2007

#### 1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### **Deferred taxation**

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where transactions or events have occurred at that date that will result in an obligation to pay more, or a right to pay less or to receive more tax, with the following exceptions

Provision is made for tax on gains arising from the revaluation (and similar fair value adjustments) of fixed assets, and gains on disposal of fixed assets that have been folled over into replacement assets, only to the extent that, at the balance sheet date, there is a binding agreement to dispose of the assets concerned. However, no provision is made where, on the basis of all available evidence at the balance sheet date, it is more likely than not that the taxable gain will be rolled over into replacement assets and charged to tax only where the replacement assets are sold.

Deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that the directors consider that it is more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the underlying timing differences can be deducted

Deferred tax is measured on an undiscounted basis at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which timing differences reverse, based on tax rates and laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date

# Foreign currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of the transaction. Exchange differences are taken into account in arriving at the operating profit.

#### Financial instruments

Financial instruments are classified and accounted for, according to the substance of the contractual arrangement, as either financial assets, financial liabilities or equity instruments. An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the company after deducting all of its liabilities.

#### 2. FIXED ASSETS

	Tangible Assets £
COST	
At 28 October 2006 and 27 October 2007	629,036
DEPRECIATION	
At 28 October 2006	507,121
Charge for year	16,303
At 27 October 2007	523,424

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# YEAR ENDED 27 OCTOBER 2007

## 2. FIXED ASSETS (continued)

NET BOOK VALUE	
At 27 October 2007	105,612
At 28 October 2006	121,915

# 3 CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year

The following liabilities disclosed under creditors falling due within one year are secured by the company

tompany	2007	2006
	£	£
Other creditors including taxation and social security	9,512	11,344
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# 4 CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year

The following liabilities disclosed under creditors falling due after more than one year are secured by the company

secured by the company	2007	2006
	£	£
Other creditors including taxation and social security	-	9,512
Other creditors including taxation and social security		9,5

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# 5 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

During the year the company had the following transactions with related parties

	2007	2006
Purchases from L Hardy Company	£ 21,130	£ 30,003
Amounts owed to L Hardy Company on trade creditors at 27 October 2007	£ 4,988	£ 11,308
Sales to L Hardy Company	£ 54,827	£ 57,642
Amounts owed by L Hardy Company on trade debtors at 27 October 2007	£219,802	£224,211
Amounts due by (to) L Hardy Company on loans and other advances at 27 October 2007	£(146,396)	£ 93,323
Amounts owed by Hardy Polska on loans and other advances at 27 October 2007	£ Nıl	£ 2,469
Sales to Hardy Polska	£ 54,827	£ 66,079
Amounts owed by Hardy Polska on trade debtors at 27 October 2007	£ 78,853	£101,766
Sales to D&S Manufacturing Co, Inc	£ 451	£ Nıl
Amounts owed by D&S Manufacturing Co, Inc on trade debtors at 27 October 2007	£ 451	£ Nil
Rent paid to NL Monks Esq, a Director of the Company and its parent undertaking	£ 30,247	£ 42,467
SHARE CAPITAL		
Authorised share capital:		
1,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	2007 £ 1,000	
Allotted, called up and fully paid:		
	2007 80 £ 2 2	2006 No 2

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#### 7 ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY

The company's ultimate parent undertaking is L Hardy Company, Inc , incorporated in the United States of America, whose offices are at Worcester, Massachusetts

The ultimate controlling party is N L Monks Esq, who holds 90% of the issued capital in L Hardy Company, Inc