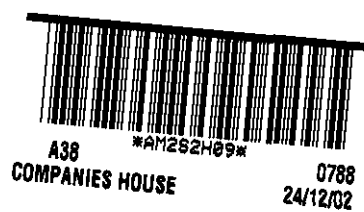


OMNIA-CHEM LIMITED

ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

**FOR THE YEAR ENDED
31 MARCH 2002**

COMPANY NUMBER:2764376



OMNIA-CHEM LIMITED

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO OMNIA-CHEM LIMITED
Under section 247B of the Companies Act 1985

We have examined the abbreviated accounts of Omnia-Chem Limited for the year ended 31 March 2002 set out on pages 2 to 5, together with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 March 2002 prepared under section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITORS

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 and whether the accounts to be delivered are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and to report our opinion to you.

BASIS OF AUDIT OPINION

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. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report did not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the financial statements.

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 on pages 2 to 5 are properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.



Bentley Jennison

Chartered Accountants
Registered Auditors

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18 December 2002

OMNIA-CHEM LIMITED

ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET
As at 31 March 2002

	Note	2002 £	2001 £
FIXED ASSETS			
Tangible fixed assets	2	72,716	87,517
CURRENT ASSETS			
Stocks		48,776	81,209
Debtors	3	789,900	645,050
Cash at bank and in hand		110,869	127,827
		<u>949,545</u>	<u>854,086</u>
CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year	4	<u>(804,493)</u>	<u>(824,661)</u>
NET CURRENT ASSETS		<u>145,052</u>	<u>29,425</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		<u>217,768</u>	<u>116,942</u>
CREDITORS: amounts falling due after more than one year		-	(70,000)
NET ASSETS		<u><u>217,768</u></u>	<u><u>46,942</u></u>
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called up share capital	5	758	758
Capital redemption reserve		240	240
Profit and loss account		216,770	45,944
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS		<u><u>217,768</u></u>	<u><u>46,942</u></u>

The abbreviated accounts, which have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 applicable to small companies, were approved by the board on 17.12.2002 and signed on its behalf.


S F Finch
Director

The notes on pages 3 to 5 form part of these financial statements.

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NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS
For the year ended 31 March 2002

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The full financial statements, from which these abbreviated accounts have been extracted, have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002).

1.2 Cash flow

The financial statements do not include a cash flow statement because the company, as a small reporting entity, is exempt from the requirement to prepare such a statement under the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002).

1.3 Turnover

Turnover comprises the invoiced value of goods and services supplied by the company, exclusive of Value Added Tax and trade discounts.

1.4 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost of fixed assets, less their estimated residual value, over their expected useful lives on the following bases:

Plant and equipment	-	25% reducing balance
Fixtures and fittings	-	25% reducing balance
Office equipment	-	25% reducing balance
Computer equipment	-	50% straight line
Processing equipment	-	Written down to recoverable value

1.5 Leasing and hire purchase

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts and finance leases are capitalised as tangible fixed assets. Assets acquired by finance lease are depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and their useful lives. Assets acquired by hire purchase are depreciated over their useful lives. Finance leases are those where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership are assumed by the company. Obligations under such agreements are included in creditors net of the finance charge allocated to future periods. The finance element of the rental payment is charged to the profit and loss account so as to produce a constant periodic rate of charge on the net obligation outstanding in each period.

1.6 Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value after making due allowance for obsolete and slow-moving stocks. Cost includes all direct costs and an appropriate proportion of fixed and variable overheads.

1.7 Deferred taxation

Provision is made in full for all taxation deferred in respect of timing differences that have originated but not reversed by the balance sheet date, except for gains on disposal of fixed assets which will be rolled over into replacement assets. No provision is made for taxation on permanent differences.

Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is more likely than not that they will be recovered.

1.8 Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme in respect of the director. The company also contributes to a group personal pension scheme in respect of its employees. The pension charge represents the amounts payable by the company to the fund in respect of the year.

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1.9 Employee benefit trust

Contributions to the Omnia-Chem Limited employee benefit trust are charged to the profit and loss account as paid.

2. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	£
Cost	
At 1 April 2001	178,350
Additions	37,709
Disposals	(41,500)
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At 31 March 2002	174,559
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Depreciation	
At 1 April 2001	90,833
Charge for the year	33,010
On disposals	(22,000)
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At 31 March 2002	101,843
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Net book value	
At 31 March 2002	72,716
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At 31 March 2001	87,517
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3. DEBTORS

All amounts included in debtors are due within one year.

4. CREDITORS

Creditors include £nil (2001 - £200,000) in respect of secured liabilities.

5. SHARE CAPITAL

	2002 £	2001 £
Authorised		
1,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	1,000	1,000
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Allotted, called up and fully paid		
758 Ordinary shares of £1 each	758	758
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6. TRANSACTIONS WITH DIRECTORS

The following loans to / (from) directors were outstanding during the year:

	Maximum overdrawn	2002	2001
	£	£	£
S Finch - current account	26,157	3,150	(21,554)
W R Ney (deceased 6/9/01) - current account	2,659	-	(72,816)
W R Ney (deceased 6/9/01) - loan account after more than one year	-	-	(70,000)
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