

## Interim Financial Statements as at 31 March 2010 (1 January - 31 March 2010)

### According to the International Financial Reporting Standards

THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS	A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS	THE GENERAL MANAGER	THE GROUP'S FINANCIAL SERVICES DIRECTOR
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### **Interim Financial Statements**

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#### **Statement of Financial Position**

Statement of Financial Position						
		GROUP		COMPANY		
(Amounts in euro)	note	31/3/2010	31/12/2009	31/3/2010 #	31/12/2009	
ASSETS						
Non-current assets						
Property, plant and equipment	7	327.138.498	330.276.516	137.733.868	142.983.596	
Intangible assets	8	828.184	965.485	254.730	277.741	
Investments properties		2.152.565	2.152.565	-	-	
Participations		6.028.241	5.992.845	112.046.148	112.046.148	
Financial assets available for sale		4.301.447	4.301.447	3.846.188	3.846.188	
Other receivables		1.478.911	1.504.606	878.287	892.571	
Deferred tax claims	_	5.916.046	5.523.929	-	-	
	_	347.843.891	350.717.393	254.759.221	260.046.243	
Current assets						
Inventories		210.238.305	184.408.321	86.070.856	75.037.948	
Trade and other receivables		198.813.368	147.511.723	127.260.450	82.064.246	
Derivatives		1.886.430	1.911.638	301.584	245.420	
Financial assets at fair value through the profit and loss statement		8.231	8.231	-	-	
Cash and cash equivalents		25.989.049	17.753.177	1.768.470	1.567.556	
		436.935.383	351.593.089	215.401.360	158.915.170	
Total assets	_	784.779.274	702.310.482	470.160.581	418.961.413	
EQUITY						
Equity attributable to Shareholders of the Company						
Share capital		38.486.258	38.486.258	38.486.258	38.486.258	
Share premium account		67.138.064	67.138.064	67.138.064	67.138.064	
Foreign Exchange differences from the consolidation of foreign subsidiaries		(4.904.318)	(5.855.150)	-	-	
Other reserves		70.797.163	71.375.174	66.187.489	66.818.012	
Profit carried forward		(12.889.554)	(10.780.117)	(8.022.205)	-9.915.155	
Total		158.627.614	160.364.229	163.789.606	162.527.180	
Minority interest		23.941.735	24.510.911	-	-	
Total equity	-	182.569.349	184.875.140	163.789.606	162.527.180	
LIABILITIES	-					
Long-term liabilities						
Loans	9	222.717.332	192.732.167	130.499.867	113.333.200	
Deferred income tax liabilities		12.356.457	13.822.309	8.737.581	10.210.091	
Personell retirement benefits payable		5.027.068	4.971.824	2.640.522	2.648.352	
Government Grants		2.375.424	2.445.634	2.016.545	2.077.625	
Provisions	10	382.077	852.079	-	500.000	
	-	243.611.481	215.135.081	144.515.856	129.026.877	
Short-term liabilities	_					
Suppliers and other liabilities		56.502.478	55.479.342	19.409.053	19.104.541	
Current tax liabilities		7.784.088	4.385.652	1.927.062	490.707	
Loans	9	281.317.359	226.670.628	130.180.363	96.698.348	
Derivatives		6.743.229	9.544.598	4.087.350	4.893.719	
Provisions	10	6.251.290	6.220.041	6.251.290	6.220.040	
	-	358.598.444	302.300.261	161.855.118	127.407.356	
Total liabilities	-	602.209.925	517.435.342	306.370.974	256.434.234	
Total equity and liabilities		784.779.274	702.310.482	470.160.581	418.961.413	
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#### **Income Statement**

		GRO	UP	COMP	ANY
(Amounts in euro)	note –	1/1 - 31/3/2010	1/1 - 31/3/2009	1/1 - 31/3/2010	1/1 - 31/3/2009
Sales		229.751.058	148.857.159	126.089.645	88.436.376
Cost of goods sold		(220.921.245)	(137.768.682)	(120.920.881)	(82.959.232)
Gross profit	-	8.829.813	11.088.477	5.168.764	5.477.144
Other operating Income		1.911.411	2.509.583	1.300.378	1.818.753
Selling expenses		(3.931.198)	(3.764.515)	(1.811.084)	(1.732.643)
Administrative expenses		(5.234.284)	(5.411.852)	(2.650.564)	(2.863.988)
Other operating Expenses		(2.042.352)	(1.699.560)	(698.655)	(668.824)
Operating results	-	(466.611)	2.722.133	1.308.839	2.030.442
Financial Income		646.108	229.712	15.147	82.845
Financial Expenses		(4.015.925)	(5.725.079)	(1.648.361)	(2.482.990)
Dividends		-	-	619.601	917.849
Net Financial Result		(3.369.817)	(5.495.366)	(1.013.613)	(1.482.296)
Profits from associated companies		(23.079)	(93.967)	-	-
Profit before income tax	_	(3.859.507)	(2.867.200)	295.226	548.146
Income tax expenses	13	1.709.629	377.260	1.597.724	543.631
Net profit for the period from continued operations	_	(2.149.879)	(2.489.940)	1.892.950	1.091.778
Attributable to:					
Shareholders of the Parent		(2.160.570)	(2.084.263)	1.892.950	1.091.778
Minority interest		10.691	(405.678)	-	-
		(2.149.879)	(2.489.940)	1.892.950	1.091.778
Earnings per share that attributed to the Shareholders of the Parent for the period (amounts in €per sha					
Basic Farnings per share		(0.0213)	(0.0206)	0.0187	0.0108

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#### Statement of Comprehensive Income

	GRC	UP	COMPANY		
(Amounts in euro)	1/1 - 31/3/2010	1/1 - 31/3/2009	1/1 - 31/3/2010	1/1 - 31/3/2009	
Profit / (Loss) of the period from continuing operations	(2.149.879)	(2.489.940)	1.892.950	1.091.778	
Foreign currency translation differences	1.288.937	(2.335.748)	-	-	
Gain / (Loss) of changes in fair value of cash flow hedging	(775.283)	(15.442.036)	(840.698)	(10.491.252)	
Income tax on income and expense recognised directly in equity	193.821	3.860.509	210.174	2.622.813	
Other comprehensive income / (expense) after taxes	707.475	(13.917.275)	(630.523)	(7.868.439)	
Total comprehensive income / (expense) after tax for the period	(1.442.404)	(16.407.216)	1.262.427	(6.776.661)	
Attributable to:					
Equity holders of the parent company	(1.733.534)	(15.326.039)	1.262.427	(6.776.661)	
Minority interests	291.130	(1.081.177)	-	-	
Total comprehensive income / (expense) after tax for the period	(1.442.404)	(16.407.216)	1.262.427	(6.776.661)	

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#### Statement of Changes in Equity

(Amounts in euro)	Share capital	Share premium reserves	Fair value reserves	Other reserves	Results carried forward	Foreign exchange differences	Total	Minority interest	Total Equity
GROUP									
Balance as of January 1, 2009	38.486.258	67.138.064	4.235.357	74.083.901	8.118.415	(4.206.267)	187.855.729	25.657.120	213.512.849
Foreign exchange differences	-	-	-	-	(66.629)	(1.756.863)	(1.823.492)	(512.256)	(2.335.748)
Hedging result minus tax	-	-	(11.418.283)	-	-	-	(11.418.283)	(163.243)	(11.581.527)
Net profit for the period	-	-	-	-	(2.084.263)	-	(2.084.263)	(405.678)	(2.489.940)
Total recognised net profit for the period	-	-	(11.418.283)	-	(2.150.892)	(1.756.863)	(15.326.039)	(1.081.177)	(16.407.216)
Transfer of reserves	-	-	-	8.172	(13.689)	-	(5.517)	(1.068.857)	(1.074.374)
Dividends payment to minority interest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total amounts from shareholders' actions	-	-	-	8.172	(13.689)		(5.517)	(1.068.857)	(1.074.374)
Balance as of March 31, 2009	38.486.258	67.138.064	(7.182.926)	74.092.073	5.953.834	(5.963.130)	172.524.173	23.507.085	196.031.259
Balance as of January 1, 2010	38.486.258	67.138.064	(2.718.093)	74.093.267	(10.780.117)	(5.855.150)	160.364.229	24.510.911	184.875.140
Foreign exchange differences	-	-	-	-	57.667	950.832	1.008.498	280,438	1.288.937
Hedging result minus tax	-	-	(581.462)	-	-	-	(581,462)	-	(581.462)
Net loss for the period	-	-	-	-	(2.160.570)	-	(2.160.570)	10.691	(2.149.879)
Total recognised net profit for the period	-	-	(581.462)	-	(2.102.903)	950.832	(1.733.534)	291.130	(1.442.404)
Transfer of reserves	-	-	-	3.451	(6.533)	-	(3.082)	3.082	-
Dividends payment to minority interest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(863.387)	(863.387)
Total amounts from shareholders' actions	-	-	-	3.451	(6.533)	-	(3.082)	(860.305)	(863.387)
Balance as of March 31, 2010	38.486.258	67.138.064	(3.299.555)	74.096.719	(12.889.554)	(4.904.318)	158.627.614	23.941.735	182.569.349

(Amounts in euro)	Share capital	Share premium reserves	Fair value reserves	Other reserves	Results carried forward	Total Equity
<u>COMPANY</u>						
Balance as of January 1, 2009	38.486.258	67.138.064	3.420.203	69.265.032	1.272.705	179.582.262
Hedging result minus tax	-	-	(7.868.439)	-	-	(7.868.439)
Net profit for the period	-	-	-	-	1.091.778	1.091.778
Total recognised net profit for the period	-	-	(7.868.439)	-	1.091.778	(6.776.661)
Balance as of March 31, 2009	38.486.258	67.138.064	(4.448.236)	69.265.032	2.364.483	172.805.601
Balance as of January 1, 2010	38.486.258	67.138.064	(2.447.019)	69.265.032	(9.915.155)	162.527.180
Hedging result minus tax	-	-	(630.523)	-	-	(630.523)
Net loss for the period	-	-	-	-	1.892.950	1.892.950
Total recognised net loss for the period	-	-	(630.523)	-	1.892.950	1.262.427
Balance as of March 31, 2010	38.486.258	67.138.064	(3.077.543)	69.265.032	(8.022.205)	163.789.606

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#### **Cash Flow Statement**

	GRC	GROUP		COMPANY		
(Amounts in euro)	1/1 - 31/3/2010	1/1 - 31/3/2009	1/1 - 31/3/2010	1/1 - 31/3/2009		
Cash flows from operating activities						
Profit / (loss) before taxes	(3.859.507)	(2.867.200)	295.226	548.146		
Adjustments for:						
Depreciation of tangible assets	7.161.679	6.588.028	3.054.633	2.878.601		
Depreciation of grants	(70.210)	(174.472)	(61.081)	(142.928)		
Provisions	(1.648.025)	5.347.430	(1.972.179)	(3.538.023)		
Investing activities result (income, expenses, profits and losses)	(623.029)	(135.746)	(15.147)	(1.000.694)		
Interest charges & related expenses	4.015.925	5.725.079	1.648.361	2.482.990		
(Profit) / loss from sale of tangible assets	(860)	(540.426)	(107.694)	(381.594)		
(Profit) / loss from the fair value of derivatives	(2.360.706)	(179.943)	(1.285.506)	(179.943)		
Loss from the destruction / Impairment of fixed assets	38.641	307	-	-		
Decrease / (increase) in inventories	(24.405.554)	3.930.706	(9.552.722)	6.627.643		
Decrease / (increase) in receivables	(51.494.663)	45.354.351	(45.189.928)	10.073.038		
(Decrease) / Increase in liabilities (minus banks)	3.396.282	(13.624.676)	1.126.638	(15.320.465)		
Interest charges & related expenses payed	(3.096.087)	(6.296.967)	(728.522)	(2.937.580)		
Payed taxes	-	(45.336)	-			
Net Cash flows from operating activities	(72.946.114)	43.081.136	(52.787.921)	(890.808)		
Cash flows from investing activities						
Purchase of tangible assets	(3.216.985)	(9.299.481)	(814.210)	(2.755.502)		
Purchase of intangible assets	(21.044)	(96.054)	(14.898)	(79.449)		
Sales of tangible assets	860	1.884.279	3.154.908	1.725.446		
Dividends received	-	-	-	917.849		
Interest received	646.108	229.712	15.147	82.845		
Increase of participation in affiliated	-	(27.600)	-	-		
Net Cash flows from investing activities	(2.591.061)	(7.309.144)	2.340.947	(108.811)		
Cash flows from financing activities						
Dividends paid to shareholders of the parent	(794)	(6.020)	(794)	(6.020)		
Loans received	84.778.456	-	50.648.681	-		
Loans settlement	(146.559)	(27.338.766)	-	(574.731)		
Changes in financial leases	-	(364)	-	-		
Dividends paid to minority interest	(858.055)	(1.103.719)	-	-		
Grand proceeds	-	1.348.900	-	1.348.900		
Net cash flows from financing activities	83.773.048	(27.099.969)	50.647.888	768.149		
Net (decrease)/ increase in cash and cash equivalents	8.235.873	8.672.023	200.914	(231.471)		
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of period	17.753.177	58.971.221	1.567.556	40.767.188		
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of period	25.989.049	67.643.244	1.768.470	40.535.717		

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## Notes to the Financial Statements as at 31 March 2010

### 1. Incorporation and Group Activities

HALCOR S.A. – METAL PROCESSING (former VECTOR S.A.-Metal processing) ("HALCOR" or the "Company") was established in Athens in 1977.

The Interim Summary Consolidated Financial Statements (the "Financial Statements") of the Company for the period ended on 31 March 2010 consist of the Company and its subsidiaries (the "Group").

The Group is operating in Greece, Bulgaria, Romania, Cyprus, United Kingdom, France, Germany and Serbia.

The individual and consolidated financial statements of the Company for the year ended on 31 December 2009 and on the interim periods are available at the Company's website <u>www.halcor.gr</u>.

The financial statements of the Group are included in the consolidated financial statements of VIOHALCO S.A.

#### 2. Statement of compliance

The Financial Statements have been compiled in accordance with the IFRS as adopted by the European Union with respect to interim financial reporting (IAS 34).

The Financial Statements do not include all the information required for thorough annual financial statements. To this effect, they should be read in conjunction with the annual Financial Statements of the year ended on 31 December 2009.

The financial statements were approved by the Company's Board of Directors on 17 May 2010.

The amounts indicated in the Financial Statements are denominated in Euro and are rounded up/down to the nearest unit.

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#### 3. Main accounting principles

The accounting policies applied to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements are consistent with the accounting policies used in the preparation of the annual financial statements of the Group and the Company for the year ended on 31 December 2009, except for the following amended Standards that became effective on 2010 and expected to have an impact in Group's and Company's financial statements:

• *IFRS 3 (Revised) "Business Combinations" and IAS 27 (Amended) "Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements".* The changes introduced by these standards will affect future acquisitions and transactions with minority interests.

#### 4. Estimates

Preparation of interim financial statements requires sound judgement when the Management uses assumptions and estimates which affect the application of the accounting policies and the stated sums of asset and liability items, revenues and expenses. The actual results may finally differ from such assumptions and estimates.

Estimates and related assumptions are continuously revised. These revisions are recognized in the period they were made and any subsequent ones.

The important estimates and assumptions made by the Management when applying the Group's accounting policies and the sources of information used in the calculation and determination of any uncertainty and in the preparation of financial statements are the same with those applied to the preparation of the annual individual and consolidated financial statements as at 31 December 2009.

#### 5. Financial risk

As a result of the economic crisis, there was a re-examination of the credit limits per customer and no significant changes were accrued according to their insurance limits.

As for the rest, the Group's policy as regards issues related to hedging policy and, generally, risk management remains the same with that described in the annual financial statements.

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#### 6. Operating segments

Operating segments refer to the business and geographical segments of the Group. The primary type of reference (operating segments) is based on the structure of Group Management and internal reporting system.

The Group includes the following main business segments:

Copper products

Cable products

Other Services

Results per sector for the period ended on March 31, 2009

March 31, 2009 (Amounts in euro)	Copper products	Cable products	Other Services	Total
Total gross sales by sector	117.175.872	46.269.391	17.149.105	180.594.368
Intercompany sales from consolidated entities	(28.343.306)	(1.920.406)	(1.473.497)	(31.737.209)
Net sales	88.832.566	44.348.986	15.675.608	148.857.159
Operating profits	2.588.183	157.987	(24.038)	2.722.133
Financial income	87.969	132.389	9.354	229.712
Financial expenses	(3.781.587)	(1.802.520)	(140.972)	(5.725.079)
Share at results of affiliated companies	-	-	(93.967)	(93.967)
Profit before income tax	(1.105.435)	(1.512.144)	(249.622)	(2.867.200)
Income tax	707.907	119.386	(450.033)	377.260
Net profit of the period	(397.528)	(1.392.757)	(699.655)	(2.489.940)

March 31, 2009	Copper products	Cable products	Other Services	Total
Asset	534.359.998	197.131.884	29.762.648	761.254.530
Total liabilities	404.723.438	133.025.692	27.474.141	565.223.271
Investments in tangible, intangible assets and investments in real estate	3.673.471	5.627.316	94.749	9.395.536

Other figures per sector that consists the Financial Results for the period ended on March 31, 2009

March 31, 2009 (Amounts in euro)	Copper products	Cable products	Other Services	Total
Depreciation of tangible assets	4.578.500	1.794.853	50.804	6.424.157
Amortization of intangible assets	45.394	118.203	275	163.872
Total depreciation	4.623.893	1.913.056	51.079	6.588.028
Impairment of claims	-	212.415	-	212.415

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Results per sector for the period ended on March 31, 2010

March 31, 2010 (Amounts in euro)	Copper products	Cable products	Other Services	Total
Total gross sales by sector	177.182.391	75.206.225	26.382.612	278.771.227
Intercompany sales from consolidated entities	(33.933.805)	(13.547.109)	(1.539.256)	(49.020.170)
Net sales	143.248.586	61.659.116	24.843.356	229.751.058
Operating profits	(1.254.804)	424.286	363.907	(466.611)
Financial income	20.650	610.482	14.976	646.108
Financial expenses	(2.701.236)	(1.161.262)	(153.428)	(4.015.925)
Share at results of affiliated companies	-	38.810	(61.889)	(23.079)
Profit before income tax	(3.935.390)	(87.683)	163.566	(3.859.507)
Income tax	1.989.207	(99.887)	(179.692)	1.709.629
Net profit of the period	(1.946.182)	(187.570)	(16.126)	(2.149.879)

March 31, 2010	Copper products	Cable products	Other Services	Total
Asset	546.905.232	217.509.910	20.364.131	784.779.274
Total liabilities	433.314.345	149.304.009	19.591.571	602.209.925
Investments in tangible, intangible assets and investments in real estate	2.077.197	1.152.266	8.566	3.238.030

Other figures per sector that consists the Financial Results for the period ended on March 31, 2010

March 31, 2010 (Amounts in euro)	Copper products	Cable products	Other Services	Total
Depreciation of tangible assets	4.996.176	1.956.891	44.810	6.997.877
Amortization of intangible assets	39.626	123.658	518	163.802
Total depreciation	5.035.803	2.080.548	45.328	7.161.679
Impairment of claims	-	215.158	-	215.158

Sales and non-current assets of the Group based on their geographical allocation are briefly presented as follows:

(Amounts in euro)	GROU	Р	COMPANY		
Sales	31/3/2010	31/3/2009	31/3/2010	31/3/2009	
Greece	58.425.977	40.484.055	30.754.445	22.324.909	
European Union	147.867.328	93.003.542	84.508.755	58.955.187	
Other European countries	11.450.129	6.766.456	4.974.505	3.455.011	
Asia	5.928.958	4.774.921	1.716.054	2.096.803	
America	761.472	1.388.308	54.794	341.363	
Africa	5.217.565	2.335.132	4.081.093	1.263.103	
Oceania	99.630	104.745,56	-	-	
Total	229.751.058	148.857.159	126.089.645	88.436.376	

	GROU	P	COMPANY		
Total assets	31/3/2010	31/12/2009	31/3/2010	31/12/2009	
Greece	628.853.245	558.037.889	470.160.581	418.961.413	
Foreign	155.926.029	144.272.593	-	-	
Total	784.779.274	702.310.482	470.160.581	418.961.413	
Investments in tangible, intangible fixed assets & real estate	31/3/2010	31/12/2009	31/3/2010	31/12/2009	
Greece	1.732.570	21.068.933	829.108	10.002.593	
Foreign	1.505.460	7.776.110	-	-	
Total	3.238.030	28.845.043	829.108	10.002.593	

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#### 7. Land, buildings and equipment

During the current period, additions in terms of land, buildings and equipment at Group level stood at  $\notin$  3,216,985 (A' quarter of 2009:  $\notin$  9,299,481) while sales came to  $\notin$  860 (A' quarter of 2009:  $\notin$  1,582,241) and the respective earnings from sales came to  $\notin$  860 (A' quarter of 2009:  $\notin$  540,426). The profit from the sale of fixed assets is presented in the account "Other income" in the Income Statement.

At company level, additions stood at  $\in$ 814,210 (A' quarter of 2009:  $\notin$ 2,777,699) while sales came to  $\notin$ 3,159,515 (A' quarter of 2009:  $\notin$ 1,350,919) and the respective earnings from sales came to  $\notin$ 107,694 (A' quarter of 2009:  $\notin$ 381,594). The profit from the sale of fixed assets is presented in the account "Other income" in the Income Statement.

#### 8. Intangible assets

During the current period, additions of intangible assets at Group level stood at €21,044 (A' quarter of 2009: €96,054) while no sales were made.

At company level, additions stood at  $\in$  14,898 (A' quarter of 2009:  $\in$  79,449) while no sales were made.

#### 9. Loans - Financial Leases

	GROU	JP	COMPANY		
(Amounts in euro)	31/3/2010	31/12/2009	31/3/2010	31/12/2009	
Long-term lending					
Bank borrowings	37.145.831	37.994.000	-	-	
Bond loans	185.571.502	154.738.167	130.499.867	113.333.200	
Total long-term loans	222.717.332	192.732.167	130.499.867	113.333.200	
Short-term loans					
Bank borrowings	281.317.359	226.670.628	130.180.363	96.698.348	
Total short-term loans	281.317.359	226.670.628	130.180.363	96.698.348	
Total loans	504.034.692	419.402.795	260.680.229	210.031.548	
The maturity dates of long-term loans are:					
(Amounts in euro)					
Between 1 and 2 years	126.354.167	122.187.500	67.333.333	69.500.000	
Between 2 and 5 years	96.363.165	70.544.667	63.166.534	43.833.200	
	222.717.332	192.732.167	130.499.867	113.333.200	

During the current period, the Company drew funds  $\in$  50,648,681 while at Group level, during the current period the loans taken out amounted to  $\in$  84,778,456.

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#### **10. Provisions**

During the current period, the Company raised additional provisions totalling  $\in$  31,250 as supplementary provision of proportionate interest for the fine imposed by the European Competition Commission (see note 12).

#### **11. Commitments**

The Group rents lifting, fork-lift trucks and passenger cars. The duration of such leases varies but none of them exceeds five years as of the leasing agreement. During the period ended on 31 March 2010, expenses amounting to € 107,298 were posted to Company Results (31 December 2009: € 487,855) while the sum of €323,970 was posted to Group results (31 December 2009: 1,115,106).

#### **12.** Contingent liabilities/ assets

In a research study that the European Competition Commission conducted regarding the European copper pipe manufacturers, it established that certain companies violated the rules of competition in the copper sanitary tubes market. The European Commission imposed fines on seven companies, one of which was HALCOR S.A.. HALCOR's fine amounted to  $\notin$ 9.16 million for which the Company has issued a letter of guarantee of a corresponding value. Given that the Company deems that the abovementioned fine is unjustified and unfair and that the amount of the fine imposed was exorbitantly high, it has filed an appeal before the Court of the European Communities against the Commission's decision. The Company's management, based on the opinion of its legal department as to the validity of its appeal, deems that the final amount of the abovementioned fine (if the validity of the fine is judicially justified and confirmed) will not exceed  $\notin$ 5 million, for which a provision has been raised and has burdened the 2004 operating results. On 31 December 2009 the cumulative provision for the proportionate interest came to  $\notin$ 1,112,590 while an additional provision was raised for this year that stands at  $\notin$ 31,250.

SOFIA MED S.A., the subsidiary, has issued bank letters of guarantee in favour of third parties amounting to  $\notin$  561,000. Moreover, mortgages totalling  $\notin$  3.9 million have also been registered on its properties.

A provision has been raised for the financial years that have not been audited in tax terms: Group:  $\in$  125,000 and Company:  $\in$ 0.

There is also a balance of other provisions referring to provisions for overheads: Group:  $\notin$  365,000 and Company:  $\notin$ 107,000.

There are no other cases than those cited above that are pending against the Group.

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#### 13. Taxation

The current and deferred tax is broken down as follows:

	GRO	DUP	COMPANY		
(Amounts in euro)	1/1 - 31/3/2010	1/1 - 31/3/2009	1/1 - 31/3/2010	1/1 - 31/3/2009	
Income tax for the period	5.035	(478.628)	281.397	-	
Deferred tax for the period	1.704.594	855.888	1.316.326	543.631	

Income tax was calculated based on the best estimate of the Group' Management about the average annual tax rate that is expected to apply by the end of the year.

Till the financial year of 2009 the income tax rate was 25%. Based on a new tax law, this rate will be gradually reduced over five years by one per cent, starting as of the financial year 2010. As of the year 2014 and thereafter, the tax rate will be equal to 20%.

The Group companies may be liable for income taxes due to financial years that have not been audited by tax authorities. The provisions for such open financial years are set out in note 12. These unaudited years are broken down as follows:

COMPANY NAME	COUNTRY	HOLDING %	CONSOLIDATION METHOD	TAX UNAUDITED FINANCIAL YEARS
HALCOR SA	GREECE	Parent Company	-	2009
HELLENIC CABLES SA	GREECE	78,71%	Full Consolidation	2009
STEELMET SA	GREECE	52,83%	Full Consolidation	2006-2009
AKRO SA	GREECE	95,74%	Full Consolidation	2007-2009
SOFIA MED S.A.	BOULGARIA	100,00%	Full Consolidation	2009
METAL AGENCIES L.T.D.	UK	92,98%	Full Consolidation	-
BELANTEL HOLDINGS L.T.D.	CYPRUS	100,00%	Full Consolidation	1999-2009
METAL GLOBE D.O.O.	SERBIA	53,61%	Full Consolidation	-
COPPERPROM LTD	GREECE	71,49%	Full Consolidation	2003-2009
SYLLAN SA	GREECE	100,00%	Full Consolidation	2005-2009
HAMBAKIS LTD LISENCE & DISTRIBUTION	GREECE	100,00%	Full Consolidation	2007-2009
DIAPEM TRADING SA	GREECE	33,33%	Equity Method	2007-2009
ELKEME SA	GREECE	30,90%	Equity Method	2007-2009
ENERGY SOLUTIONS S.A.	BOULGARIA	38,60%	Equity Method	2005-2009
VIEXAL LTD	GREECE	26,67%	Equity Method	2003-2009
S.C. STEELMET ROMANIA S.A	ROMANIA	40,00%	Equity Method	2002-2009
TEPRO METALL AG	GERMANY	43,53%	Equity Method	2007-2009

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### 14. Transactions with affiliated parties

The transactions with affiliated parties are analyzed below:

•	GRO	GROUP		
(Amounts in euro)	31/3/2010	31/12/2009	31/3/2010	31/12/2009
Sale of goods				
Subsidiary companies	-	-	34.744.781	23.300.743
Associates	17.566.718	51.228.501	10.621.856	6.323.723
Other related parties	6.412.331	26.032.345	610.028	112.074
	23.979.049	77.260.846	45.976.666	29.736.541
Sale of services				
Subsidiary companies	-	-	650.004	1.129.216
Associates	40.019	734.611	3.001	1.977
Other related parties	974.234	4.725.916	93.264	82.234
	1.014.252	5.460.527	746.269	1.213.427
Sale of fixed assets				
Subsidiary companies	<u>-</u>	_	3.154.908	-
Other related parties	<u>-</u>	354.086	-	354.086
F	-	354.086	3.154.908	354.086
Purchase of goods				
Subsidiary companies	<u>_</u>	_	7.017.488	4.690.539
Associates	121.457	354.637	462	31.557
Other related parties	20.354.898	67.155.205	6.004.923	1.263.120
	20.476.356	67.509.842	13.022.873	5.985.216
Purchase of services				
Subsidiary companies	<u>_</u>	_	756.528	720.458
Associates	345.326	1.515.272	283.133	280.510
Other related parties	902.342	3.882.389	722.543	615.557
	1.247.667	5.397.661	1.762.203	1.616.524
Purchase of fixed assets				
Subsidiary companies			576	11.946
Associates	-	91.163	570	11.946
Other related parties	312.768	2.232.767	- 74.911	184.130
Outor related parties	312.768	2.232.707	74.911	213.463
	312.708	2.525.750	13.40/	215.405

Services to and from affiliated parties as well as sales and purchases of goods, are effectuated in accordance with the prices which apply for non-affiliates.

	GRO	JP	COMPANY		
(Amounts in euro)	31/3/2010	31/3/2009	31/3/2010	31/3/2009	
Fees - benefits to the members of the Board of Directors and					
Executives	749.992	673.690	442.698	374.170	
Provision of Executives' fees & benefits	-	-	-	-	
Benefits due to the interruption of a collaboration	-	149.859	-	149.859	
	749.992	823.549	442.698	524.029	
Receivables from the members of the Board of Directors and Executives	0	24.269	0	24.269	
Executives	U	24.209	U	24.209	

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Balances at period end that arise from the sale-purchase of goods, services, fixed assets, etc.

	GRO	GROUP		
(Amounts in euro)	31/3/2010	31/12/2009	31/3/2010	31/12/2009
Receivables from related parties:				
Subsidiary companies	-	-	64.576.294	40.307.883
Associates	19.109.896	16.892.005	12.472.494	10.409.423
Other related parties	13.157.982	15.003.181	4.897.533	4.981.789
	32.267.878	31.895.186	81.946.321	55.699.095
Payables from related parties:				
Subsidiary companies	-	-	3.014.489	797.797
Associates	607.613	412.326	504.057	301.622
Other related parties	6.488.270	10.719.181	1.081.859	2.813.124
	7.095.883	11.131.507	4.600.404	3.912.543

#### 15. Significant events

The Boards of Directors of HALCOR SA. and its subsidiary by 100% SYLL.AN. SA, on 30.3.2010, decided to shred the industry brass rods and tubes of HALCOR SA and its transfer to SYLL.AN. SA

The transfer and absorption of the industry will be in accordance with the provisions of Articles 1-5 of L.2166/93 and CL 2190/1920 dated 31/03/2010 of the balance sheet. The secession of industry is for the internal reorganization of HALCOR.

The industry operates in the warm and cold extrusion of brass alloys with main products of tubes and rods. As a raw material in the production process is mainly used scrap brass. The sales of the industry in 2009 accounted for 9.5% in turnover of HALCOR. Since the SYLLAN is a 100% subsidiary and consolidated under the full consolidation method, the consolidated figures will not be affected.

In the Parent Company's Financial Statements for the period have included the size of the industry. HALCOR estimated that the difference between cash flows and the contributed assets acquired is marginal and insignificant in the fair value of assets exchanged, and therefore in accordance with IFRS 5, the industry's financial item is not held for sale in the corporate financial statements.

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The figures illustrated below aim to give general information about the financial position a	nd results of HALCOR, S.A. an	(In ac d the Group HALCO	Address: Athens T CIAL DATA AND INF cordance with the L R. The reader, wishing to b	Ower, Building CORMATION for Decision 4/507/2 the familiar with the con	he Reg. of SA: 2836/06/86/48 B, 2-4, Messoghion Avenue, 11527, Athens the period from January 1, 2010 to March 31, 2010 8.4.2009 of the Hellenic Capital Market Commission) gany's financia position and results, should have access to the Company's Financial Statem company's web aik, whet the infinitional and data in question are servent.	ients, as provided by the Internationa	al Financial Reporting Stanc	dards, as well as to the audit re	port of the auditor
Website of the Company. www.halcor.gr Date of approval of the financial statements. May 17, 2010 Outfield Audiot. Hers, Strough Reg. No. 2020. 19071) Hudt firm : KPMG Kyrkiexo. Certified Auditors, S.A. Review type: Not required									
DATA FROM STATEMENT OF	FINANCIAL POSITION (amou GROU		COMPA	NY	DATA FROM STATEME	NT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME GROUP	(Amounts in €)	COMPAN	Y
ASSETS	31-Mar-10	31-Dec-09	31-Mar-10	31-Dec-09	Total turnover	1 Jan - 31 Mar 2010 1 229.751.058	Jan - 31 Mar 2009 148.857.159	1 Jan - 31 Mar 2010 1 126.089.645	Jan - 31 Mar 20 88.436
ASSETS Dwn use Fixed assets	327.138.498	330.276.516	137.733.868	142.983.596	Gross Profit / (loss)	8.829.813	148.657.159	5.168.764	5.47
Investments in real estate Intangible Assets	2.152.565 828.184	2.152.565 965.485	- 254.730	- 277.741	Profit / (loss) before taxes, financing and investing results Profit / (loss) before taxes	(466.611) (3.859.507)	2.722.133 (2.867.200)	1.308.839 295.226	2.03
Other non current assets	17.724.645	17.322.827	116.770.623	116.784.907	Less: Taxes	1.709.629	377.260	1.597.724	543
Inventories Trade receivables	210.238.305 178.524.916	184.408.321 129.450.574	86.070.856 122.868.824	75.037.948 74.922.194	Profit / (loss) after taxes (A)	(2.149.879)	(2.489.940)	1.892.950	1.09
Diher current assets	22.183.113	19.981.018	4.693.210	7.387.472	Distributed to :				
Cash and cash equivalents	25.989.049 784.779.274	17.753.177	1.768.470	1.567.556	Company's shareholders Minerity characteristics	(2.160.570) 10.691	(2.084.263) (405.678)	1.892.950	1.09
TOTAL ASSETS EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	/84.7/9.2/4	/02.310.482	470.160.581	418.961.413	Minority shareholders	10.691	(405.678)		
Share capital (101,279,627 of € 0.38)	38.486.258	38.486.258	38.486.258	38.486.258					
Other Company's shareholders equity Company's shareholders equity (a)	120.141.356 158.627.614	121.877.971 160.364.229	125.303.348 163.789.606	124.040.922	Other comprehensive income / (expenses) after taxes (B) Total comprehensive income / (expenses) after taxes (A) + (B)	(1.442.404)	(13.917.275) (16.407.216)	(630.523)	(7.868
Minority interests (b)	23.941.735	24.510.911				(1.112.104)	(		(0.776
Total equity (c) = (a) + (b) Long term borrowings liabilities	182.569.349 223.470.454	184.875.140 193.043.236	163.789.606	162.527.180	Distributed to : Company's shareholders	(1.733.534)	(15.326.039)	1.262.427	(6.77)
Provisions / Other long term liabilities	20.141.027	22.091.845	13.394.648	15.436.068	Minority shareholders	(1.733.534) 291.130	(1.081.177)		(0.77)
Short term borrowings liabilities	281.317.359 77.281.085	226.670.628 75.629.633	130.180.363 31.674.756	96.698.348 30.709.009	Brafit was alwaye after taxes havin (in C	10 0010)	10 0000	0.0187	-
Other short term liabilities Total liabilities (d)	77.281.085 602.209.925	75.629.633 517.435.342	31.674.756 306.370.974	30.709.009 256.434.234	Profit per share after taxes - basic (in 6) Earnings after tax per share - diluted (in 6)	(0,0213) (0,0213)	(0,0206) (0,0206)	0,0187 0,0187	0, 0,
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES (c) + (d)	784.779.274	702.310.482	470.160.581	418.961.413					
					Profit / (loss) before taxes, financing and investing results & depreciation	6.624.858	9.135.689	4.302.391	4.76
DATA FROM STATEMENT OF									
	GROU 31-Mar-10	9 31-Mar-10	COMPA 31-Mar-10	31-Mar-10	Additional data and information : 1. The Group's companies and their locations, the percentage participation of their share of	capital that the Group owns as well a	s the consolidation method		
Net equity at the beginning of the Period (1/1/2010 and 1/1/2009 respectively)	184.875.140	213.512.849	162.527.180	179.582.262	used to incorporate them in the consolidated financial statements of the 31/3/2010, are	analytically presented in Note No. 13	of the financial statements		
Total comprehensive income after taxes	(1.442.404) 183.432.736	(16.407.216) 197.105.633	1.262.427	(6.776.661) 172.805.601	<ol><li>There is a pending appeal regarding the fine imposed to the Company by the European on competition in the market of copper tubes for water supply.</li></ol>	Competition Commission for transg	ession of the rules		
Increase / (decrease) of share capital	-	-	-	-	<ol> <li>The financial statements of the Company are included in the consolidated financial state</li> </ol>				
Dividends distributed Increase / (decrease) of participation in subsidiaries	(863.387)	(1.074.374)	-		Company VIOHALCO S.A.	Country of the Reg.Office GREECE	Percentage holding 59,89%	Consolidation method Full consolidation	
Purchases / (sales) of own shares					<ol> <li>There are no pending court decisions or claims under arbitration, which may have a sig</li> </ol>				
Net equity at the end of the period (30/9/2009 and 30/9/2008 respectively)	182.569.349	196.031.259	163.789.606	172.805.601	5. The number of the personnel at the end of the current period was: Company 658 (31/3/				
					<ol> <li>There are mortgages, amounting in total to Euro 3,9 mil on the real estate property of the There are no encumbrances of fixed assets of the parent Company.</li> </ol>	e subsidiary SOFIA MED S.A. in Bu	igana.		
					7. There has been provision accounted for tax unaudited fiscal years of the Group: € 125				
DATA FROM CASH FLO	W STATEMENT (Amounts in	9			amount for the Group € 385 thous. and for the Company € 107 thous. Regarding the fit the Company has accounted for provision amounting € 6.1 mil. (see note 12 of the Final		uropean Competition Com	mission,	
	GROU		COMPA		<ol> <li>The cumulative amounts of sales and purchases at the beginning of the financial year a of the current period, resulting from its transactions with related parties following the IA</li> </ol>	and the balances of receivables and c	bligations of the company a	at the end	
Operating activities	01.01 - 31.03.2010 0	1.01 - 31.03.2009	01.01 - 31.03.2010 0	11.01 - 31.03.2009	or the current period, resoluting from its transactions with related parties following the p	GROUP	COMPANY		
Profits / (Losses) before taxes Plus / less adjustments for:	(3.859.507)	(2.867.200)	295.226	548.146	i) Sales ii) Purchases	24.993.301 22.036.791	49.877.843		
Depreciation of assets	7.161.679	6.588.028	3.054.633	2.878.601	ii) Purchases iii) Receivables	32.267.878	81.946.321		
Grants Amortization	(70.210)	(174.472)	(61.081)	(142.928)	iv) Obligations	7.095.883	4.600.404		
Provisions Foreign exchange differences	(1.648.025)	5.347.430	(1.972.179)	(3.538.023)	<ul> <li>v) Transactions &amp; fees of higher executives and managers</li> <li>vi) Receivables from higher executives and managers</li> </ul>	749.992	442.698		
Results (income, expenses, profits, losses) from investing activities	(623.029)	(135.746)	(15.147)	(1.000.694)	vii) Liabilities to higher executives and managers				
Interest payable and related expenses (Profit)lioss from the sale of fixed assets	4.015.925 (860)	5.725.079 (540.428)	1.648.361 (107.694)	2.482.990 (381.594)	<ol> <li>The income tax in the income statement is analysed as follows (amounts in €):</li> </ol>	GROUP		COMPANY	Y
(Profit)/loss from the sale of Investments	(2.360.706)	(179.943)	(1.285.506)	(179.943)		1 Jan - 31 Mar 2010	1 Jan - 31 Mar 2009	1 Jan - 31 Mar 2010	1 Jan - 31 Mar
Loss from destruction/impairment of assets Plus / Less adjustments for changes in working capital accounts	38.641	307	:	-	Income tax for the period Deferred tax for the period	5.035 1.704.594	(478.628) 855.888	281.397 1.316.326	543
or related to operating activities:	-			-					
Decrease / (increase) of inventories Decrease / (increase) of receivables	(24.405.554) (51.494.663)	3.930.706 45.354.351	(9.552.722) (45.189.928)	6.627.643 10.073.038	<ol> <li>The unaudited tax years of the Company and the companies of the Group are analytic 11. The "Other Comprehensive Income / Expenses" that was accounted directly at the Sh</li> </ol>			cernes foreign exchange	
(Decrease) / Increase) or receivables (Decrease) / Increase of obligations (except banks)	(51.494.003) 3.396.282	40.354.351 (13.624.676)	(45.189.928) 1.126.638	(15.320.465)	<ol> <li>The Other Comprehensive income / Expenses' that was accounted anectly at the Sn differences from consolidation of foreign subsidiaries (Group: € 1.289 thou.) and deriv</li> </ol>				
Less: Interest payable and related expenses paid	- (3.096.087)	. (6.296.967)	- (728.522)	(2.937.580)					
Interest payable and related expenses paid Taxes paid	(3.096.087)	(6.296.967) (45.336)	(/28.522)	(2.937.580)	12. On March 31, 2009, the parent company HALCOR SA and its 100% subsidiary SYLL	AN SA decided the secession of the	Ms Bars & Tubes sector fr	om HALCOR SA	
Total cash (used in) generated from operating activities (a)	(72.946.114)	43.081.136	(52.787.921)	(890.808)	and its transfer to SYLLAN SA (see note 15 of the Financial Statements).				
Investing activities Acquisition-sale of subsidiaries, affiliated com., consortiums and other investments		(27.600)			13. At the end of the current period, there are no shares of the parent Company owned eit	ner by the same or any of the subsid	arres and attiliated compar	ies.	
Purchase of tangible and intangible fixed assets	(3.238.030)	(9.395.536)	(829.108)	(2.834.952)					
Receivables from sale of tangible and intangible fixed assets Interest received	860 646.108	1.884.279 229.712	3.154.908 15.147	1.725.446 82.845					
Dividends received			<u> </u>	917.849					
Fotal cash (used in) generated from investing activities (b) Financing activities	(2.591.061)	(7.309.144)	2.340.947	(108.811)					
Issue of common shares Receivables from issued / assumed loans	- 84.778.456		50.648.681	-					
Loans paid up	(146.559)	(27.338.766)	-	(574.731)					
Repayments of financial leasing liabilities (capital installments) Receivables from grants	-	(364) 1.348.900		1.348.900					
Receivables from grants Dividends paid	(858.849)	(1.109.739)	. (794)	(6.020)					
Total cash (used in) generated from financing activities (c )	83.773.048	(27.099.969)	50.647.888	768.149					
Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents for the year (a)+(b)+( c) Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	8.235.873 17.753.177	8.672.023 58.971.221	200.914 1.567.556	(231.471) 40.767.188					
Lash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	25.989.049	67.643.244	1.768.470	40.535.717					
				Athens, May					