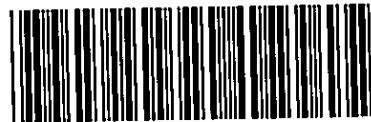


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**Report of the Directors and
Financial Statements For The Year Ended 31 December 2011
for
BLACK & VEATCH LIMITED**

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BLACK & VEATCH LIMITED

**Company Information
For The Year Ended 31 December 2011**

DIRECTORS:

M R Nott
C W T Scott
B A Ainsworth
G W Townsend
C G Hill
H Brouwer de Koning
S D Canney
T P Reorda
C L Wallis-Lage

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C A Daly
T W Triplett

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REGISTERED NUMBER:

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BLACK & VEATCH LIMITED (REGISTERED NUMBER: 03163649)

Report of the Directors For The Year Ended 31 December 2011

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 December 2011

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The Company is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Black & Veatch Holding Company, a corporation whose principal place of business is at 8400 Ward Parkway, Kansas City, Missouri 64114, United States of America

The principal activities of the company in the year under review was that of the design, manufacture, construction and installation of water production, filtration, effluent, sewage treatment plants and electricity generation plants for municipal and industrial applications in the United Kingdom and throughout the world

REVIEW OF BUSINESS

For the year ended 31 December 2011, revenue (turnover) increased by £23 million or 10% from the previous year

A detailed review of a large construction project carried out during the year resulted in increased costs and an adverse impact to the profit and loss account of £15.5m

The Company concluded the year with a net loss of £9.3 million. Details of the Profit and Loss performance can be found on page 8

To continue its support for the future activities of the company, on 31st July 2012, Black & Veatch International Company invested a further £12.5m through the issue by the company of 12.5 million ordinary £1 shares for cash at par

Black & Veatch has long been a leader in delivering essential and reliable technology to clients. The holding company invests heavily in research and development activities appropriate to the nature and size of its operations with the aim of supporting the future development of the company, in the medium to long-term future. Strategic planning activities have identified a number of best-of-class technologies that resulted in a number of updates to existing services

The company's directors believe that key performance indicators for the company are not necessary or appropriate for an understanding of the development, performance or position of the business

DIVIDENDS

No dividends will be distributed for the year ended 31 December 2011 (2010: nil)

DIRECTORS

The directors shown below have held office during the whole of the period from 1 January 2011 to the date of this report

M R Nott
C W T Scott
B A Ainsworth
G W Townsend
C G Hill
H Brouwer de Koning

Other changes in directors holding office are as follows

D W McCarthy - resigned 8 December 2011
S D Canney - appointed 24 January 2011
T P Reorda - appointed 8 December 2011

C L Wallis-Lage was appointed as a director after 31 December 2011 but prior to the date of this report

E K Wrighton ceased to be a director after 31 December 2011 but prior to the date of this report

DIRECTORS INDEMNITYS

All directors benefited from qualifying third party indemnity provisions in place during the financial year and at 31 December 2011

**Report of the Directors
For The Year Ended 31 December 2011**

POLITICAL AND CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS

The company made £1,382 charitable donations during the year (2010 £2,335) The company made no political donations in the current year (2010 nil)

PRINCIPAL RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

Competitive pressure is a continuing risk for the company, which could result in it losing sales to its key competitors To manage this risk, the company strives to provide enhancing service to its clients, driving higher levels of project execution and addressing issues promptly, and through the maintenance of strong relationships with customers

Nearly 7.3% of the company's turnover is derived from overseas trade (2010 2%) and it is therefore exposed to currency movements on such sales Where appropriate, the company manages this risk with forward foreign exchange contracts in line with its treasury policies

The company's businesses may be affected by fluctuations in the price and supply of key raw materials, although purchasing policies and practices seek to mitigate, where practicable, such risks

The company operates a hybrid pension scheme comprising a defined contribution section and a defined benefit section The defined benefit section is closed to new members and is currently in deficit The funding level of this pension plan is subject to adverse change resulting from movements in the actuarial assumptions underlying the calculation of plan liabilities, including decreasing discount rates and increasing longevity of plan members, as well as declines in the market value of plan investments Significant adverse changes in the actuarial assumptions underlying the UK plan valuation and the company's share of any deficit-reduction contributions made into the plan could materially impact the company's financial position

**Report of the Directors
For The Year Ended 31 December 2011**

ENVIRONMENT

When carrying out its business, Black & Veatch aims to have a total respect and care for the requirements of the environment and of society. Black & Veatch is committed to improving its environmental performance in all areas of work, including the activities of its sub-contractors and suppliers by preventing pollution, reducing consumption of energy and materials, minimising waste, recycling where possible and working with our clients to provide sustainable solutions.

The implementation of this commitment is the responsibility of all Black & Veatch employees. Support is provided by a team of specialist environmental advisors and appointed environmental representatives on sites and in offices.

All parts of Black & Veatch Limited continue to be certified as compliant with ISO 14001:2004, the international standard for environmental management. Lloyd's Register Quality Assurance Limited undertakes third party assessments.

During 2011 Black & Veatch set itself five key environmental objectives arising from a review of their environmental performance over the previous years. Four of these five objectives were achieved, the fifth, sustainability reporting, has been deferred until 2012. The objectives that were achieved were:

- no Category 1 or 2 environmental incidents and an Environmental Incident Frequency Rate (EIFR) of less than 0.11,
- improved environmental near-miss reporting,
- improved communication on environmental innovation and best practice,
- the continued reduction in greenhouse gas emissions.

Black & Veatch is proud of its environmental record and this is evident from the number of awards that have been won over the years. In 2011, BVL continued to receive recognition under the Considerate Constructors Scheme, winning a Gold Award for Glencorse WTW (for the second year), a Silver Award for Campbeltown WWQP and Bronze Awards for both Cwellyn WTW and Mogden STW. Black & Veatch also won the Chartered Institution of Water and Environmental Management (CIWEM) 'World of Difference' Award for Glencorse WTW and a CEEQUAL (Civil Engineering Environmental Quality Assessment and Award Scheme) for the Bristol Resilience Scheme.

EMPLOYEES

Details of the number of employees and related costs can be found in note 3 to the financial statements.

It is the policy of the company to give full and fair consideration to applications for employment made by disabled persons having regard to their particular aptitudes and abilities, to continue wherever possible the employment of and to arrange appropriate training for those who become disabled and to provide equal opportunities for the training and career development of disabled employees.

It is also the policy of the company to maintain and develop the involvement of all employees in the affairs of the company by which each is employed. Local managers provide, on a regular basis, information of concern to employees using a variety of methods such as business review meetings, briefing discussions and training sessions. The views of employees are also sought on matters affecting them.

Black & Veatch (BVL) has set a target of achieving ZERO incidents and injuries across all of its business operations. BVL Leadership and Senior Management are totally committed to this policy, and ensure that all necessary steps are taken to maintain the health, safety and welfare of our employees and others who may be affected by our operations.

The management of health and safety in BVL is a line management responsibility supported by dedicated health and safety professionals. BVL has established procedures to cover elements of the work undertaken by BVL in the UK and maintain certification to OHSAS18001:2007 by UKAS registered LRQA.

**Report of the Directors
For The Year Ended 31 December 2011**

BVL has a Safety, Health and Environmental Management Committee, made up of senior directors, the Safety Manager and the Quality & Environmental Systems Manager. It promotes and monitors health and safety performance and is responsible for driving continuous improvement and learning throughout the business. The Committee sets objectives annually, based on an assessment of previous performance, results from audits and feedback received from the workforce. Objectives and initiatives achieved in 2011 include extending the implementation of BOSS (the UK behavioural based safety initiative) and the appointment of a new BOSS Champion, introduction of the Well-being project to address the management of stress in the workplace through the application of the HSE Management Standards, introduction of Safety Stand-down interactive events in offices, improvements to safety management system and full implementation of revised Drugs and Alcohol Policy including programmed random testing on construction sites under BVL control.

BVL is proud of its company safety record and continues to achieve lower statistical accident results than the national industry average. Further, our projects have been recognised for health and safety excellence by government agencies and clients across the globe. In the UK we have won over 50 RoSPA (Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents) Gold Awards. In 2011 we were awarded 2 RoSPA Gold Medals and 8 Gold Awards.

STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

The directors are responsible for preparing the Report of the Directors and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). Under company law the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements,
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

STATEMENT AS TO DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

So far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information (as defined by Section 418 of the Companies Act 2006) of which the company's auditors are unaware, and each director has taken all the steps that he or she ought to have taken as a director in order to make himself or herself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information.

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**Report of the Directors
For The Year Ended 31 December 2011**

AUDITORS

The auditors, KPMG LLP, will be proposed for re-appointment at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'MR Nott', with a stylized flourish at the end.

M R Nott - Director

Date 26 September 2012

Report of the Independent Auditors to the Members of BLACK & VEATCH LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of BLACK & VEATCH LIMITED for the year ended 31 December 2011 on pages eight to twenty three. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in a Report of the Auditors 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 and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities set out on page five, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. Our responsibility is to audit and express an opinion on the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's (APB's) Ethical Standards for Auditors.

Scope of the audit of the financial statements

A description of the scope of an audit of financial statements is provided on the APB's website at www.frc.org.uk/apb/scope/private.cfm.

Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2011 and of its loss for the year then ended,
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

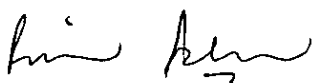
Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Report of the Directors for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us, or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns, or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made, or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.



Richard Ackland (Senior Statutory Auditor)
for and on behalf of KPMG LLP
Chartered Accountants
15 Canada Square
London
E14 5GL

Date 26 September 2012

BLACK & VEATCH LIMITED (REGISTERED NUMBER: 03163649)**Profit and Loss Account
For The Year Ended 31 December 2011**

	Notes	31 12 11 £'000	£'000	31 12 10 £'000	£'000
TURNOVER	2		255,218		232,960
Cost of sales			<u>247,442</u>		<u>229,932</u>
GROSS PROFIT			7,776		3,028
Administrative expenses			<u>17,230</u>		<u>16,362</u>
OPERATING LOSS	4		(9,454)		(13,334)
Interest receivable and similar income	5		<u>330</u>		<u>840</u>
			(9,124)		(12,494)
Interest payable and similar charges	6	91		20	
Other finance costs	18	<u>133</u>		<u>276</u>	
			<u>224</u>		<u>296</u>
LOSS ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION			(9,348)		(12,790)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	7		<u>-</u>		<u>160</u>
LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR			<u>(9,348)</u>		<u>(12,950)</u>

CONTINUING OPERATIONS

All of the company's activities relate to continuing operations

The notes form part of these financial statements

BLACK & VEATCH LIMITED (REGISTERED NUMBER: 03163649)

**Statement of Total Recognised Gains and Losses
For The Year Ended 31 December 2011**

	31 12 11 £'000	31 12 10 £'000
LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR	(9,348)	(12,950)
Pension funds actuarial gains/(losses)	<u>(3,147)</u>	<u>1</u>
TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES RELATING TO THE YEAR	<u><u>(12,495)</u></u>	<u><u>(12,949)</u></u>

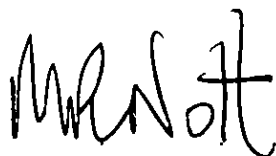
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BLACK & VEATCH LIMITED (REGISTERED NUMBER· 03163649)

Balance Sheet
31 December 2011

	Notes	31 12 11 £'000	£'000	31 12 10 £'000	£'000
FIXED ASSETS					
Intangible assets	8		23,339		26,224
Tangible assets	9		1,309		1,175
Investments	10		201		201
			<u>24,849</u>		<u>27,600</u>
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	11	67,425		62,375	
Prepayments and accrued income		3,024		2,760	
Cash at bank	12	26,282		25,753	
		<u>96,731</u>		<u>90,888</u>	
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due within one year	13	84,814		70,976	
		<u></u>		<u></u>	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			<u>11,917</u>		<u>19,912</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			<u>36,766</u>		<u>47,512</u>
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due after more than one year	14		(367)		(195)
PENSION LIABILITY	18		(8,030)		(6,453)
			<u></u>		<u></u>
NET ASSETS			<u>28,369</u>		<u>40,864</u>
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	16		25,000		25,000
Profit and loss account	17		3,369		15,864
			<u></u>		<u></u>
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	22		<u>28,369</u>		<u>40,864</u>

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on ^{26th} September 2012 and were signed on its behalf by



M R Nott - Director

The notes form part of these financial statements

**Notes to the Financial Statements
For The Year Ended 31 December 2011**

1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting policies

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material to the financial statements

Basis of preparing the financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards, and under the historical cost accounting rules

Going concern

The company's business activities, together with the factors likely to affect its future development, performance and position are set out in the Review of Business on page 2. The financial position of the company, its cash flows, liquidity position and borrowing facilities are described in the Report of the Directors on pages 2 to 6. In addition, notes 1-22 to the financial statements include the company's objectives, policies and processes for managing its capital, its financial risk management objectives, details of its financial instruments and hedging activities, and its exposures to credit risk and liquidity risk.

The company has considerable financial resources together with long-term contracts with a number of customers and suppliers across different geographic areas and industries. As a consequence, the directors believe that the company is well placed to manage its business risks successfully despite the current uncertain economic outlook.

The directors have a reasonable expectation that the company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Thus they continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the annual financial statements.

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and are in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

Preparation of consolidated financial statements

The financial statements contain information about BLACK & VEATCH LIMITED as an individual company and do not contain consolidated financial information as the parent of a group. The company is exempt under Section 401 of the Companies Act 2006 from the requirements to prepare consolidated financial statements as it and its subsidiary undertaking are included by full consolidation in the consolidated financial statements of its parent, Black and Veatch Holding Company, a company registered in the U S A.

Turnover

Turnover is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the company and the revenue can be reliably measured. The following specific recognition criteria must also be met before revenue is recognised:

Sale of goods

Turnover is recognised when the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods have passed to the buyer and can be reliably measured.

Rendering of services

Turnover from services rendered is recognised by reference to the stage of completion of the transaction. Turnover from services provided on a short-term or one-off basis is recognised when the service is complete. The provision of services over a long-term period are treated as construction contracts, and the turnover recognised as set out below.

Construction contracts

Turnover and profit attributable from construction contracts, including long-term service provision contracts, is recognised by reference to the stage of completion of the contract. An expected loss on a contract is recognised immediately in the income statement.

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
For The Year Ended 31 December 2011

Forecast contract revenues

Forecast contract revenue is recognised on additional work undertaken which is requested by the customer to represent a variation to the original base contract. No revenue is included within the forecast unless it is contractually due or virtually certain of being received.

Cost to complete

The forecast costs to complete on long term contracts are subject to a range of possible outcomes dependent on factors such as

- The cost, quantity required and usage of raw materials,
- The number and cost of man-hours,
- The likelihood of contractual risks being incurred and if incurred, being successfully mitigated

Overall contract review process

The directors participate and challenge management on their cost assessments as part of monthly contract reviews. The estimated costs to complete at a point in time represent the directors' best estimate of the likely contract outcome given the facts and circumstances that are known at the time the estimate is undertaken.

Use of estimates and judgments

The preparation of financial statements requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on a regular basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimates are revised and in any future periods affected.

In particular, information about significant areas of estimation uncertainty and critical judgments in applying accounting policies that have the most significant effects on the amounts recognised in the financial statements are set out below.

Contract outcome estimation

Contract outturns are based on actual costs incurred to date and forecast costs to complete. These costs are based on the Black & Veatch Limited's directors' best estimate of the results of these contracts.

There remains a range of possible outcomes of the eventual contract outturn. The final contract outcomes may be materially different and are dependent on future events which include but are not limited to the ability of the Company to mitigate known and potential future risk, learning efficiencies achieved and the outcome of any future commercial negotiation in relation to the scope of work provided to the customers concerned as part of a contract variation.

However, based on current plans and available information the directors of the Company believe that the contract outturns booked in these financial statements represent an appropriate best estimate of the likely outturn (including any losses).

Goodwill

Purchased goodwill arising on business combinations is capitalised. Goodwill is amortised to nil by equal annual instalments over its estimated useful life which is currently 13.5 years.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided by the company to write off the cost less the estimated residual value of tangible fixed assets on a straight line basis over the estimated useful economic lives of individual assets.

Depreciation is charged from the approximate date of the asset coming into use. The following rates of depreciation (per annum) have been used for each class of assets:

Motor vehicles -	25%
Plant and machinery/furniture and fittings -	10%
Office machinery -	20%
Computer and data processing equipment -	3 to 5 years

**Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
For The Year Ended 31 December 2011**

1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date

A deferred tax asset is regarded as recoverable and therefore recognised only when, on the basis of all available evidence, it can be regarded as more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits against which to recover the assets

Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded using the rate of exchange ruling at the date of the transaction or, if hedged forward, at the rate of exchange under the related forward currency contract Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the contractual rate or rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date and the gains or losses on translation are included in the profit and loss account

Pension costs and other post-retirement benefits

The company participates in a group wide pension scheme which is hybrid, comprising a defined benefit section and a defined contribution section

The defined benefit section is accounted for in accordance with FRS 17 "Retirement Benefits"

The assets for the defined contribution section are held in a separately administered fund and the annual charge to the profit and loss account for this section comprises contributions payable in the accounting period

The company has a separate obligation, through a defined benefit arrangement, to fund the pensions of a number of retired partners This obligation is accounted for in accordance with FRS 17 "Retirement Benefits"

Interest

Interest payable is written off to the profit and loss account as it is incurred

Long term contracts

Long-term contracts are included in the profit and loss account by recording turnover and related costs as contract activity progresses Profit attributable to turnover to date is included where the outcome of the contract can be foreseen with reasonable certainty Full provision is made for losses on unprofitable contracts

The amount by which turnover is in excess of payments on account is separately disclosed within debtors as amounts recoverable on contracts Progress payments received in excess of costs less foreseeable losses are disclosed in creditors

Operating Leases

Operating lease rentals are charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis over the period of the lease

Finance Leases

Assets held under finance leases are capitalised and included in tangible fixed assets at the lower of the present value of the minimum lease payments or the fair value of the leased asset as determined at the inception of the lease The obligations relating to finance leases, net of finance charges in respect of future periods, are included within the amount payable within 12 months included within short term creditors The interest element of the rental obligation is allocated to accounting periods during the lease term to reflect the constant rate of interest on the remaining balance of the obligation for each accounting period Rentals under operating leases are charged to the income statement on a straight-line basis

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
For The Year Ended 31 December 2011

2 TURNOVER

The turnover and loss before taxation are attributable to the principal activities of the company

An analysis of turnover by class of business is given below

	31 12 11	31 12 10
	£'000	£'000
Water sector	254,190	225,889
Energy sector	1,028	7,071
	<u>255,218</u>	<u>232,960</u>

An analysis of turnover by geographical market is given below

	31 12 11	31 12 10
	£'000	£'000
United Kingdom	236,626	229,666
Rest of the world	18,592	3,294
	<u>255,218</u>	<u>232,960</u>

The directors believe that additional disclosure on profit will be prejudicial to the company. The principal activities are the design, manufacture and installation of water production, filtration, effluent and sewage treatment plants and electricity generation plants for municipal and industrial applications in the United Kingdom and throughout the world.

3 STAFF COSTS

	31 12 11	31 12 10
	£'000	£'000
Wages and salaries	48,408	49,779
Social security costs	4,830	4,838
Other pension costs	2,418	2,433
	<u>55,656</u>	<u>57,050</u>

The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows

	31 12 11	31 12 10
Total	<u>1,093</u>	<u>1,172</u>

4 OPERATING LOSS

The operating loss is stated after charging

	31 12 11	31 12 10
	£'000	£'000
Depreciation - owned assets	618	653
Goodwill amortisation	2,885	2,885
Auditors' remuneration - Audit	237	243
Operating leases - land and buildings	1,791	1,888
Operating leases - Motor vehicles & equipments	250	434
	<u></u>	<u></u>

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
For The Year Ended 31 December 2011

4 OPERATING LOSS - continued

	31 12 11	31 12 10
	£	£
Directors' remuneration	<u>2,358,142</u>	<u>2,327,766</u>

Black & Veatch Ltd pays the audit fee on behalf of the UK subsidiaries of Black & Veatch. The fee in 2010 includes such amounts.

Information regarding the highest paid director is as follows

	31 12 11	31 12 10
	£	£
Emoluments etc	<u>556,440</u>	<u>599,858</u>

5 INTEREST RECEIVABLE AND SIMILAR INCOME

	31 12 11	31 12 10
	£'000	£'000
Deposit account interest	60	59
Exchange gains	270	781
	<u>330</u>	<u>840</u>

6 INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES

	31 12 11	31 12 10
	£'000	£'000
Bank interest	4	20
Interest payable to Parent Company	87	-
	<u>91</u>	<u>20</u>

7 TAXATION

Analysis of the tax charge

The tax charge on the loss on ordinary activities for the year was as follows

	31 12 11	31 12 10
	£'000	£'000
Current tax	-	160
Foreign Tax	-	160
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	<u>-</u>	<u>160</u>

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
For The Year Ended 31 December 2011

7 TAXATION - continued

Factors affecting the tax charge

The tax assessed for the year is higher than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK. The difference is explained below

	31 12 11 £'000	31 12 10 £'000
Loss on ordinary activities before tax	(9,348)	(12,790)
Loss on ordinary activities multiplied by the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 26% (2010 - 28%)	(2,430)	(3,581)
Effects of (Decrease)/Increase in deferred tax for losses carried forward	2,430	3,581
Foreign tax	-	160
Current tax charge	-	160

Factors that may affect future tax charges

Deferred Tax

	31 12 11 £'000	31 12 10 £'000
Tax effect of timing differences due to		
Depreciation in excess of capital allowances	2,700	3,100
Tax losses carried forward	75,100	65,800
	77,800	68,900

The value of company trading losses as at 31st December 2011 is £75,100,000 (2010 £65,800,000). Of these, £9,000,000 are expected to be utilised in the foreseeable future for which a deferred tax asset of £2,300,000 has been recognised. The remaining balance is not recognised as it is not currently expected to be utilised in the foreseeable future.

8 INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Goodwill £'000
COST	
At 1 January 2011	
and 31 December 2011	38,951
AMORTISATION	
At 1 January 2011	12,727
Amortisation for year	2,885
At 31 December 2011	15,612
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31 December 2011	23,339
At 31 December 2010	26,224

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9 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Plant and machinery £'000	Fixtures and fittings £'000	Motor vehicles £'000	Computer equipment £'000	Totals £'000
COST					
At 1 January 2011	247	2,374	180	3,916	6,717
Additions	-	-	-	763	763
Disposals	-	-	(91)	-	(91)
	<u>247</u>	<u>2,374</u>	<u>89</u>	<u>4,679</u>	<u>7,389</u>
At 31 December 2011	247	2,374	89	4,679	7,389
DEPRECIATION					
At 1 January 2011	247	1,649	106	3,540	5,542
Charge for year	-	176	43	399	618
Eliminated on disposal	-	-	(80)	-	(80)
	<u>247</u>	<u>1,825</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>3,939</u>	<u>6,080</u>
At 31 December 2011	247	1,825	69	3,939	6,080
NET BOOK VALUE					
At 31 December 2011	<u>-</u>	<u>549</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>740</u>	<u>1,309</u>
At 31 December 2010	<u>-</u>	<u>725</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>376</u>	<u>1,175</u>

Tangible fixed assets includes amount held on the finance leases with a net book value of £719,399 (2010 £336,855) The depreciation charge for the year on these assets was £380,587 (2010 £335,117)

10 FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

	Shares in group undertakings £'000
COST	
At 1 January 2011 and 31 December 2011	<u>201</u>
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31 December 2011	<u>201</u>
At 31 December 2010	<u>201</u>

The company's investments at the balance sheet date in the share capital of companies include the following

Black & Veatch Refurbishments Limited

Country of incorporation UK

Nature of business Water and effluent and sewage treatment plants

Class of shares	%
Ordinary	holding 100 00

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11 DEBTORS

	31 12 11 £'000	31 12 10 £'000
Amounts falling due within one year		
Trade debtors	27,525	19,182
Amounts owed by group undertakings	1,979	3,890
Amounts recoverable on contracts	29,365	32,571
Insurance claims receivable	-	259
Deferred tax asset	2,300	2,300
	<u>61,169</u>	<u>58,202</u>
Amounts falling due after more than one year		
Retentions	<u>6,256</u>	<u>4,173</u>
Aggregate amounts	<u>67,425</u>	<u>62,375</u>

12 CASH AT BANK

	31 12 11 £'000	31 12 10 £'000
Cash at bank	23,069	19,648
Cash in restricted accounts	3,213	6,105
	<u>26,282</u>	<u>25,753</u>

13 CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	31 12 11 £'000	31 12 10 £'000
Payments on account	21,060	20,298
Trade creditors	11,321	11,543
Social security and other taxes	3,371	3,512
Accruals and deferred income	49,062	35,623
	<u>84,814</u>	<u>70,976</u>

14 CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR

	31 12 11 £'000	31 12 10 £'000
Trade creditors	<u>367</u>	<u>195</u>

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15 OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS

Annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases are as follows

	Land and buildings		Other operating leases	
	31 12 11 £'000	31 12 10 £'000	31 12 11 £'000	31 12 10 £'000
Expiring				
Within one year	138	51	193	143
Between one and five years	1,531	407	142	523
In more than five years	-	1,250	-	-
	<u>1,669</u>	<u>1,708</u>	<u>335</u>	<u>666</u>

16 CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

Authorised Number	Class	Nominal Value	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
115,000,000 (2010 - 115,000,000)	Ordinary shares	£1	<u>115,000</u>	<u>115,000</u>
Allotted, issued and fully paid Number	Class	Nominal Value	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
25,000,000 (2010 - 25,000,000)	Ordinary shares	£1	<u>25,000</u>	<u>25,000</u>

To continue its support for the future activities of the company, on 31st July 2012, Black & Veatch International Company invested a further £12.5m through the issue by the company of 12.5 million ordinary £1 shares for cash at par

17 RESERVES

	Profit and loss account £'000
At 1 January 2011	15,864
Deficit for the year	(9,348)
Actuarial Valuation of Pension Funds	(3,147)
At 31 December 2011	<u>3,369</u>
Profit and loss account excluding pension liability	11,399
Pension deficit	(8,030)
Profit and loss account	<u>3,369</u>

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18 EMPLOYEE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS

The company operates a hybrid pension scheme comprising a defined contribution section and a section that provides benefits based on final pensionable pay. The defined benefit section is closed to new members.

These pension arrangements for the company's employees are currently provided through the Black and Veatch UK Pension Scheme, the assets of which are held separately from those of the company in an independently administered fund.

The company also has an obligation to fund the pensions of a number of retired partners as set out in the Binnie & Partners pension deed, this is an unfunded scheme. This obligation was acquired from Black & Veatch Consulting Limited, a fellow group company, on 31 December 2004.

A full actuarial valuation of the final salary section was carried out at 31 March 2009 and projected forward to provide disclosures at 31 December 2011.

The pension charge for the period was £2,418,000 (2010: £2,433,000). The company contribution is 6.1% of the pensionable pay and the employee contribution varies between members.

The mortality assumption used by the actuary for the year was SAPS S1 Light tables allowing for medium cohort mortality improvements and a 1% underpin with 1 year subtracted from actual age for pensioner members.

The amounts recognised in the balance sheet are as follows:

	Defined benefit pension plans	
	31 12 11	31 12 10
	£'000	£'000
Present value of funded obligations	(38,371)	(35,265)
Fair value of plan assets	32,881	31,297
	<u>(5,490)</u>	<u>(3,968)</u>
Present value of unfunded obligations	(2,540)	(2,485)
Deficit	<u>(8,030)</u>	<u>(6,453)</u>
Net liability	<u>(8,030)</u>	<u>(6,453)</u>

The amounts recognised in profit or loss are as follows:

	Defined benefit pension plans	
	31 12 11	31 12 10
	£'000	£'000
Current service cost	-	-
Interest cost	2,009	2,070
Expected return	(1,876)	(1,794)
Past service cost	-	-
	<u>133</u>	<u>276</u>
Actual return on plan assets	<u>1,593</u>	<u>2,789</u>

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18 EMPLOYEE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS - continued

Changes in the present value of the defined benefit obligation are as follows

	Defined benefit pension plans	
	31 12 11	31 12 10
	£'000	£'000
Opening defined benefit obligation	37,750	36,853
Contributions by employer	(264)	(270)
Interest cost	2,009	2,070
Actuarial losses/(gains)	2,864	994
Benefits paid	(1,448)	(1,897)
	<u>40,911</u>	<u>37,750</u>

Changes in the fair value of scheme assets are as follows

	Defined benefit pension plans	
	31 12 11	31 12 10
	£'000	£'000
Opening fair value of scheme assets	31,297	28,748
Contributions by employer	1,439	1,657
Expected return	1,876	1,794
Actuarial gains/(losses)	(283)	995
Benefits paid	(1,448)	(1,897)
	<u>32,881</u>	<u>31,297</u>

The amounts recognised in the statement of recognised gains and losses are as follows

	Defined benefit pension plans	
	31 12 11	31 12 10
	£'000	£'000
Actuarial gains/(losses)	(3,147)	1
	<u>(3,147)</u>	<u>1</u>
Cumulative amount of actuarial losses	<u>(19,196)</u>	<u>(16,049)</u>

The major categories of scheme assets as a percentage of total scheme assets are as follows

	Defined benefit pension plans	
	31 12 11	31 12 10
Equities	36 50%	44 00%
Bonds	39 00%	56 00%
Gilts	20 90%	-
Other	3 60%	-
	<u>100 00%</u>	<u>100 00%</u>

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18 EMPLOYEE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS - continued

The scheme assets do not include any financial instruments of Black & Veatch Limited, nor any property occupied by, or other assets used by, the company

Principal actuarial assumptions at the balance sheet date (expressed as weighted averages)

	31 12 11	31 12 10
Discount rate	4.70%	5.40%
Rate of increase of pension in payment	2.80%	3.20%
Rate of increase pensions in deferment	2.80%	3.20%
Inflation (RPI)	2.90%	3.20%
Expected long term return	5.10%	6.34%
Revaluation rate (CPI)	2.30%	-

To develop the expected long-term rate of return on assets assumptions, the company considered the current level of expected returns on risk free investments (primarily government bonds), the historical level of the risk premium associated with the other asset classes in which the portfolio is invested and the expectations for future returns of each asset class. The expected return for each asset class was then weighted based on the target asset allocation to develop the expected long-term rate of return on assets assumption for the portfolio. This resulted in the selection of the 5.10% assumption.

The above principal actuarial assumptions are expressed as weighted averages for the main scheme. Including the retired partners scheme assumptions as a weighted average would not lead to a material difference.

Amounts for the current and previous four periods are as follows

	31 12 11 £'000	31 12 10 £'000	31 12 09 £'000	31 12 08 £'000	31 12 07 £'000
Defined benefit pension plans					
Defined benefit obligation	(40,911)	(37,750)	(36,853)	(32,322)	(34,311)
Fair value of scheme assets	32,881	31,297	28,748	25,447	30,654
Deficit	(8,030)	(6,453)	(8,105)	(6,875)	(3,657)
Experience adjustments on scheme liabilities	(132)	(651)	(384)	148	(112)
Experience adjustments on scheme assets	(283)	995	2,516	(7,593)	(884)

Future contributions:

The company expects to contribute a total of £1,438,800 to its pension plan in the year 2012

Defined contribution scheme

The pension cost charge for the period represents contributions payable by the company to the scheme and amounted to £2,417,885 (2010 £2,433,316). There were no outstanding or prepaid contributions at the end of the financial year.

19 ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY

The largest and smallest group in which the results of the company are consolidated is that headed by Black & Veatch Holding Company, a corporation whose principal place of business is at 8400 Ward Parkway, Kansas City, Missouri 64114, United States of America. The consolidated accounts of Black & Veatch Holding Company may be requested from the corporation's place of business.

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20 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

Letters of Credit and Bonds

The company has contingent liabilities in respect of guarantees and performance bonds as to plants installed or under construction and other engagements in the ordinary course of business amounting to £29 million (2010 £30 million)

Other Project Matters

There are claims arising in the normal course of trading which are in the process of negotiation and which, in some cases, are likely to be protracted over several years. Provision has been made for all amounts which the directors consider will become payable on account of claims.

21 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

The company has taken advantage of the exemption provided by Financial Reporting Standard 8 not to disclose transactions with group undertakings.

22 RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

	31 12 11 £'000	31 12 10 £'000
Loss for the financial year	(9,348)	(12,950)
Other recognised gains and losses relating to the year (net)	(3,147)	1
Issue of ordinary shares	—	—
Net reduction of shareholders' funds	(12,495)	(12,949)
Opening shareholders' funds	40,864	53,813
Closing shareholders' funds	28,369	40,864