

Consolidated income statement

For the year ended 31 December

	Notes	2009 £m	2008 £m
Continuing operations:			
Revenue	1	2,530.8	2,409.9
Operating expenses	2	(2,411.5)	(2,327.8)
Operating profit		119.3	82.1
Analysed as:			
Operating profit before amortisation and impairment of intangible assets ¹		180.6	147.6
Amortisation and impairment of intangible assets ¹		(61.3)	(65.5)
Operating profit		119.3	82.1
Interest payable and similar charges	5	(125.0)	(153.5)
Interest receivable	6	67.4	91.6
Share of profit from associates, net of tax of £2.6 million (2008: £2.0 million)	13	3.3	2.6
Profit before income tax		65.0	22.8
Income tax expense ²	7	(16.1)	(6.4)
Profit for the year from continuing operations		48.9	16.4
Discontinued operations:			
Profit for the year from discontinued operations	8	–	5.0
Profit for the year (including discontinued operations)		48.9	21.4
Attributable to:			
Minority interest		1.3	2.6
Equity holders of the company		47.6	18.8
		48.9	21.4
Basic earnings per share			
• Continuing operations	9	2.63p	0.76p
• Discontinued operations	9	–	0.28p
• Continuing and discontinued operations	9	2.63p	1.04p
Diluted earnings per share			
• Continuing operations	9	2.63p	0.76p
• Discontinued operations	9	–	0.28p
• Continuing and discontinued operations	9	2.63p	1.04p

¹ Other than computer software.

² Taxation includes £14.8 million (2008: £19.0 million) in respect of overseas taxation.