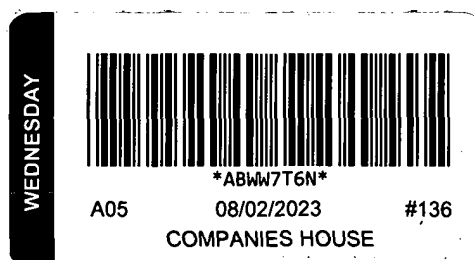


NEXT PLC

Company Interim Accounts

For the period to 20 January 2023

Registered No: 4412362



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Company Profit and Loss Account

for the period ended 20 January 2023

	£m
Dividend received from subsidiary	400.0
Profit before taxation	<u>400.0</u>
Tax on profit	-
Profit for the financial period	<u><u>400.0</u></u>

All amounts relate to continuing operations.

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Company Balance Sheet

at 20 January 2023

	£m
Fixed assets	
Investment in subsidiary	2,475.7
	<u>2,475.7</u>
Current assets	
Debtors: Amounts falling due within one year	513.5
Cash at bank and in hand	12.9
	<u>526.4</u>
Current liabilities	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	(1,152.4)
	<u>(626.0)</u>
Net current liabilities	
	(626.0)
Total assets less current liabilities	1,849.7
	<u>1,849.7</u>
Net assets	
	<u>1,849.7</u>
Capital and reserves	
Called up share capital	12.9
Share premium account	0.9
Capital redemption reserve	17.0
ESOT reserve	(401.2)
Other reserves	985.2
Profit and loss account	1,234.9
	<u>1,849.7</u>
Total equity	<u>1,849.7</u>

Approved by the Board



Amanda James
Director

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Notes to the Financial Statements

for the period ended 20 January 2023

1. Basis of preparation

These interim accounts have been prepared for the purposes of section 836 and 838 of the Companies Act 2006 and contain information about NEXT plc as an individual company and do not contain consolidated financial information for the Group. These accounts are abridged and unaudited but are otherwise prepared on a consistent basis and following the same accounting policies as the annual accounts for the period to 29 January 2022. These interim accounts do not constitute statutory accounts within the meaning of sections 434(3) of the Companies Act 2006. Statutory accounts for the year to 29 January 2022 were published in NEXT plc's Annual Report and Accounts and delivered to the Registrar of Companies in England and Wales. The auditor's report on those accounts was unqualified, did not include a reference to any matters to which the auditor drew attention by way of emphasis without qualifying the report, and did not contain any statement under sections 498(2) or (3) of the Companies Act 2006. No statutory accounts have been delivered to the Registrar in respect of the period covered by these interim accounts.

2. ESOT and other reserves

The ESOT reserve represents the consideration paid for NEXT plc ordinary shares held by the Next 2003 Employee Share Ownership Trust (ESOT) at the balance sheet date.

Other reserves in the Company balance sheet of £985.2m represent the difference between the market price and the nominal value of the shares issued as part of the capital reconstruction in 2002 on acquisition of Next Holdings Limited which was subject to section 131 Companies Act 1985 merger relief.