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UMS Holdings Berhad (Company No. 74125-V) (Incorporated in Malaysia) and its subsidiaries

Condensed Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income for the 9 month period ended 30 June 2017 (unaudited)

		3 mo	nth period ended 30 Ju	ine	9 month period	ended 30 June
		2017	2017	2016	2017	2016
	Note	RM'000	RM*000 Previous	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
		Current	Quarter ended	Current	9 months	9 months
		quarter	31.3.2017	quarter	cumulative to date	cumulative to date
Revenue		22,224	19,889	30,316	63,504	73,295
Cost of sales		(13,672)	(12,664)	(20,399)	(40,344)	(47,109)
Gross profit	_	8,552	7,225	9,917	23,160	26,186
Operating expenses		(5,748)	(6,464)	(6,098)	(18,978)	(19,407)
Other operating income		296	296	312	1,405	1,881
Operating profit	_	3,100	1,057	4,131	5,587	8,660
Financing costs		(13)	(4)	*	(26)	(1)
Interest income		31	63	28	136	150
Share of profit of associates		106	247	167	395	268
Profit before taxation	_	3,224	1,363	4,326	6,092	9,077
Tax expense	B5	(838)	(421)	(1,231)	(1,755)	(2,909)
Profit for the period	_	2,386	942	3,095	4,337	6,168
Other comprehensive income net of tax		(761)	(120)	(394)	(378)	(1,142)
Total comprehensive income for the year		1,625	822	2,701	3,959	5,026
Profit attributable to:						
Onwers of the Parent		2,366	923	3,086	4,288	6,126
Non-controlling interest		20	19	9	49	42
		2,386	942	3,095	4,337	6,168
Total comprehensive income attributable t	0:					
Onwers of the Parent		1,605	803	2,692	3,910	4,984
Non-controlling interest		20	19	9	49	42
·	_	1,625	822	2,701	3,959	5,026
Basic earnings per ordinary share (sen)	B13	5.81	2.27	7.58	10.54	15.06
Diluted earnings per ordinary share (sen)		5.81	2.27	7.58	10.54	15.06

The condensed consolidated income statement should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2016 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements.

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Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position as at 30 June 2017 (unaudited)

		As at 30 June 2017	As at 30 September 2016
		RM'000	RM'000
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment		31,457	29,226
Prepaid lease payments		5,046	5,087
Investment Property		25,765	25,765
Investments in associates		12,424	12,462
Other investments		12,459	12,182
Goodwill on consolidation		1,046	1,046
		88,197	85,768
Current assets			
Inventories		35,333	32,915
Trade and other receivables	B13	23,730	21,898
Tax recoverable		**	*:
Fixed deposits with licensed bank		1,260	548
Cash & cash equivalents		18,922	26,165
		79,245	81,526
Total assets		167,442	167,294
Equity			
Share capital		40,690	40,690
Reserves		118,155	118,314
Total equity attributable to the shareholds	ers of the Company	158,845	159,004
Minority interest		839	790
Total equity		159,684	159,794
Non-current liabilities	Do		
Borrowings Deferred tax liabilities	B9	1,621	1 660
Deferred (ax nabilities			1,669
Current liabilities		1,621	1,009
Trade and other payables		8,289	6,772
Dividend payable		5.65	7.50
Borrowings	В9	-	8
Taxation		(2,152)	(949)
		6,137	5,831
Total equity and liabilities		167,442	167,294
Net assets per share (RM)		3.90	3.91

The condensed consolidated balance sheet should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2016 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements.

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Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes In Equity for the 9 month ended 30 June 2017

	◆		Attributable to ow	ners of the Paren	t —				
	Share capital	Share premiun-non distributable	Revaluation reserve-non distributable RM'000	Exchange translation reserve-non distributable RM'000	Fair value adjustment reserve-non distributable RM'000	Retained profits-distributable	Total	Non-controlling interest	Total
	TUNIOUU	1000	1411 000	TON OOO	KWOOO	NWVVV	KWOOO	KWIOOU	KIVI DOU
At 1 October 2015	40.680	1.964	690	1.508	793	108,419	154,264	790	155,054
Frofit for the period		-	-		-	7,858	7,858	50	7,908
Other comprehensive income Fair value change in available -for-sale financial assets	3.83	5	5	Ħ	147	253	147	-	147
Exchange translation differences	4	53	53	(358)		5.65	(358)	-	(368)
Surplus on revaluation	-	-	1,162	-		-	1,162		1,162
Total other comprehensive income			1,162	(358)	147	-	951	}	951
Total comprehensive income	-	-	1,162	(358)	147	7,858	8,809	50	8,859
Transactions with owners Dividend for year ended									
30 September 2015	_		-	-	-	(4,069)	(4,069)	(50)	(4,119)
Total transactions with owners	-	-	-	-	-	(4,069)	(4,069)	(50)	(4,119)
At 30 September 2016	40,690	1,964	2,052	1,150	940	112,208	159,004	790	159,794
At 1 October 2016	40,690	1,964	2,052	1,150	940	112,208	159,004	790	159,794
Profit for the period	-	-		-	-	4,288	4,288	49	4,337
Other comprehensive income Fair value change in available -for-sale financial assets	24	1741	143	52	(207)	Ħ	(207)	12	(207)
Exchange translation differences		920	100	(171)	\$10	2	(171)	72	(171)
Total other comprehensive income	-	-		(171)	(207)	-	(378)	-	(378)
Total comprehensive income				-171	(207)	4,288	3,910	49	3,959
Transactions with owners Dividend for year ended									[]
30 September 2016	_	_	-	_	_	(4.069)	(4,069)	_	(4,069)
Total transactions with owners	-	-	-	-	-	(4,069)	(4,069)		(4,069)
At 30 June 2017	40,690	1,964	2,052	979	733	112,427	158,845	839	159,684

The condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2016 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements.

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Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cashflows for the 9 month period ended 30 June 2017 (unaudited)

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	,069)
Net cash flow used in financing activities(4,077)	100
	,092)
	,903)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period 26,713	,342
Effects of changes in exchange rate(475)	320
Cash and cash equivalents at 30 June 20,182	,759_
Cash and cash equivalents comprise the following balance sheet amounts:	
Cash and bank balances 18,922 1	,215
Bank overdraft	
Fixed deposit 1,260	544
20,182	

The condensed consolidated cash flow statement should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2016 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements.

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A Notes to Interim Financial Report on Consolidated Results For the Period Ended 30 June 2017

A1 Basis of preparation

This interim financial report has been prepared in accordance with the applicable disclosure provisions of the Listing Requirements of the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad, including compliance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standard (MFRS) 134, Interim Financial Reporting and with IAS 34, Interim Financial Reporting and should be read in conjunction with the Group's audited financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2016.

The Group adopted the following new Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards ("MFRSs"), and Amendments to published standards mandatory for annual financial periods beginning on or after 1 October 2016:

Standards/Amendments

Annual Improvements to MFRS 2012 - 2014 Cycle as follows:

Amendments to MFRS 7
 Financial Instruments : Disclosures

Amendments to MFRS 119
 Employee Benefits

Amendments to MFRS 134 Interim Financial Reporting

Amendments to MFRS 101 - Disclosure Initiative

Amendments to MFRS 116 and MFRS 138 – Clarification of Acceptable methods of Depreciation and Amortisation

Amendments to MFRS 127 – Equity Method in Separate Financial Statements

A2 Auditors' report on preceding annual financial statements

The auditors' report on the financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2016 was not subject to any qualifications.

A3 Seasonal or cyclical factors

The principal activities of the company is that of an investment holding company with its subsidiaries mainly dealing with the distribution of mechanical power transmission and material handling products and systems and industrial spare parts. As such the trading nature or operations of these companies does not linked directly to seasonality or cyclicality.

A4 Unusual nature and amount of items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income and cash flows

There were no unusual nature and amount of items, which affected the assets, liabilities, equity, net income and cash flows of the Group during the quarter under review.

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A5 Material changes in estimates of amounts reported in prior periods in current financial year or prior financial years which have material effect in the current interim period

There were no material changes in estimates during the quarter under review.

A6 Debts and equity securities

There were no new debts and equity securities issued during the quarter.

A7 Dividends

There were no dividends paid during the quarter under review other than those disclosed in note B12.

A8 Segmental reporting

The segmental analysis for the Group for the financial period ended June 30, 2017 are as follows:

		WEST MALAYSIA Northern RM'000	Southern RM'000	Eastern RM'000	Central RM'000	EAST MALAYSIA Sarawak RM'000	SINGAPORE RM'000	TOTAL RM'000
	egment evenue	2,849	5,152	3,703	52,119	5,980	5,420	75,223
El	imination							(11,719)
	onsolidated evenue							63,504
Ta M	rofit/(Loss) bef exation and inority		201	00	4.070	C12	269	
	terest limination	(279)	391	92	4,972	643	368	6,187 (490)
Sh Ot	nare of profit f associated ompanies							395
	-							6,092
Total assets	s	3,367	8,159	7,407	168,646	8,648	12,654	208,881
Elimination	n							(41,439)
								167,442
Total Liabi Elimination		1,590	407	525	33,575	277	529	36,903 (29,145)
								7,758

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A9 Material events subsequent to the end of the interim period

On 5 January 2017, the Board of Directors announced that the Company intends to seek the approval of its shareholders to undertake the proposed purchase and/or hold its own shares of up to 10% of its issued and paid-up share capital of the Company in accordance with Section 67A of the Companies Act, 1965. This proposal was approved by its shareholders in its General Meeting held on 28 February 2017.

A10 Changes in the composition of the Group

There were no changes in the composition of the Group during the current quarter concerned including business combination, acquisition or disposal of subsidiaries and long term investments, restructuring and discontinuing operations.

B1. Financial review for current quarter and financial year to date

The financial review of the group for current quarter and financial year to date is tabled below:-

	Individual Period (3 nd quarter)(RM'000)		Changes (Amount(RM,000)/%)	Cu Perio	Changes (RM'000/%)	
	Current Year Quarter	Preceding Corresponding Quarter		Current Year To- date	Preceding Year Corresponding Period	
	30/6/2017	30/6/2016	(- ()	30/6/2017	30/6/2016	(0.70.1) ((4.0.00)
Revenue	22,224	30,316	(8,092)/(26.69)	63,504	73,295	(9,791)/(13.36)
Operating Profit	3,100	4,131	(1,031)/(24.96)	5,587	8,660	(3,073)/(35.48)
Profit Before Interest and Tax	3,206	4,298	(1,092)/(25.41)	5,982	8,928	(2,946)/(33.00)
Profit Before Tax	3,224	4,326	(1,102)/(25.47)	6,092	9,077	(2,985)/(32.89)
Profit After Tax	2,386	3,095	(709)/(22.91)	4,337	6,168	(1,831)/(29.69)
Profit/(Loss) Attributable to Ordinary Equity Holders of the Parent	2,366	3,086	(720)/(23.33)	4,288	6,126	(1,838)/(30.00)

a)The group's performance for the period-to-date against the corresponding period-to-date is as follows:

The revenue for the group has decrease by RM9,791,000 or 13.36% to RM63,504,000 from RM73,295,000 mainly due to a special project undertaken by the company amounting to RM18,558,198 of which RM14,492,998 was accounted for in the period ended 30.6.2016.

The profit before tax has decrease by RM2,985,000 or 32.89% to RM6,092,000 from RM9,077,000 mainly due to decrease in revenue as mentioned above.

The group's revenue by segment is as follows:-

	For the cumulative 9 months	For the cumulative		
	ended	9 months ended		
	30.6.2017	30.6.2016	Increase/(Decre	ase)
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	%
Revenue by segme West Malaysia-Reg				
Northern	2,845	3,086	(241)	(7.81)
Southern	5,150	5,103	47	0.92
Eastern	3,702	4,372	(670)	(15.32)
Central East Malaysia	40,408	51,163	(10,755)	(21.02)
Sarawak	5,979	5,378	601	11.18

Singapore	5,420	4,193	1,227	29.26	
	63,504	73,295	(9,791)	(13.36)	

The main decrease in revenue by segment is from the central mainly due to the special project undertaken as mentioned above.

b)The group's performance for the quarter under review against the corresponding quarter of the preceding year is as follows:-

The revenue for the group has decrease by RM8,092,000 or 26.69% to RM22,224,000 from RM30,316,000 mainly due to a special project undertaken by the company amounting to RM18,558,198 of which RM11,964,600 was accounted for in the guarter ended 30.6.2016.

The period before tax has decrease by RM1,102,000 or 25.47% to RM3,224,000 from RM4,326,000 mainly due to decrease in revenue as mentioned above.

The group's revenue by segment is as follows:-

	For the	For the		
	quarter ended	quarter ended		
	30.6.2017	30.6.2016	Increase/(Decrea	
	RM'000	RM'000	RM '000	%
Revenue by segme West Malaysia-Rec				
Northern	1,037	1,122	(85)	(7.58)
TTOTAL	1,007	1,122	(00)	(1.00)
Southern	1,813	1,659	154	9.28
Eastern	1,146	1,535	(389)	(25.34)
Central East Malaysia	15,263	22,891	(7,628)	(33.32)
Sarawak	1,750	1,664	86	5.17
Singapore	1,215	1,445	(230)	(15.92)
	22,224	30,316	(8,092)	(26.69)

The main decrease in revenue by segment is from the central region, mainly due to the special project undertaken as mentioned above.

B2. Financial review for current quarter compared with immediate preceding quarter

The financial review for the current quarter compared with immediate preceding quarter is tabled as below:-

	Current Quarter 30/6/2017	Immediate Preceding Quarter 31/3/2017	Changes (RM'000 / %)
Revenue	22,224	19,889	2,335/11.74
Operating Profit	3,100	1,057	2,043/193.28
Profit Before Interest and Tax	3,206	1,304	1,902/145.86
Profit Before Tax	3,224	1,363	1,861/136.54

Profit After Tax	2,386	942	1,444/153.29
Profit/(Loss) Attributable to Ordinary Equity Holders of the Parent holders of the parent	2,366	923	1,443/156.34

c)The group's performance for the quarter under review against the preceding quarter of the year is as follows:-

The revenue for the group has increase by RM2,335,000 or 11.74% to RM22,224,000 from RM19,889,000 mainly due to a project undertaken by the company amounting to RM8,451,245 of which RM2,281,836 was accounted for in the quarter ended 30.6.2017.

The period before tax has increase by RM1,906,000 or 139.83% to RM3,269,000 from RM1,363,000 mainly due to increase in revenue as mentioned above.

The group's revenue by segment is as follows:-

	3 months ended 30.6.2017	3 months ended 31.3.2017	Increase/([Decrease)
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	%
Revenue by segmen	t			
West Malaysia-Region				
Northern	1,037	871	166	19.06
Southern	1,813	1,433	380	26.52
Eastern	1,146	1,240	(94)	(7.58)
Central	15,263	12,004	3,259	27.15
East Malaysia				
Sarawak	1,750	2,058	(308)	(14.97)
Oversea				
Singapore	1,215	2,283	(1,068)	(46.78)
	22,224	19,889	2,335	11.74

The main increase in revenue by segment is from the central region, mainly due to a project undertaken as mentioned above

B3. Current financial year's prospects

The global economy for the 2nd quarter of 2017 continued on a firmer growth trajectory, thus contributed to a stable 1st half 2017. Global demand spanning across different geographical destinations as well as a broad spectrum of product categories led to a firmer, stronger and more diverse global trade. Industrial production in the advanced and emerging economies of USA, Eurozone, Japan, China, South Korea and India is also on the uptrend.

In the US, the economy, post- election, is gathering momentum aided by a strong labour market and increasing manufacturing capacity utilization. Unemployment numbers are diminishing, providing a strong platform for increasing consumer demand. However the obstacle to this trend will be the failure of President Trump's promise of implementation of his fiscal stimulus and business friendly measures due to obstruction by the Congress.

The Eurozone during this period experienced an improvement in business sentiments as a result of an improvement in the political climate arising out of election of new governments in France and Holland. Subscribing to the belief of a united Europe the election of these pro united Europe governments eliminated the fear of a breakup of Eurozone as a result of BREXIT. Industrial output in manufacturing and improve demand for services will provide impetus for a regional Eurozone economic recovery.

In Asia, China, Japan and other regional emerging economies benefitted from this global recovery as well as revitalization of their domestic demand.

China's growth improved over its previous quarters and its GDP growth is expected to achieve 6.5 % for 2017. This was achieved mainly on the back of infrastructural, housing and property expansion. However the longer term sustainability of China's economic performance is dependent on the success of the rebalancing of its economy from an export driven to a domestic consumption model. Concerns on the high level of its corporate debt and how China is addressing this issue will definitely have an impact on its near term growth and prospects.

For Japan, its economy is recovering moderately during this quarter propelled by increase of domestic consumption and external demand for its manufactured goods.

For the ASEAN countries as a group, the economic growth remains stable underpinned by active intra- ASEAN trade as well as exports of their respective resource based commodities and manufactured products to the global markets of USA, Eurozone, China, Japan, India and the Middle East countries.

Products such as electrical and electronic products and components, commodities such as oil and gas, coal, iron and steel, palm oil, rubber, timber and wood products are major exports by the ASEAN countries (Indonesia, Thailand, Malaysia, Vietnam, Singapore and Philippines) to the advanced and emerging economies throughout the world.

During the second quarter of 2017, riding on the back of the positive global and regional upturn, the Malaysian economy grew by 5.8% as compared to 5.6% for 1Q2017. This growth was mainly propelled by private domestic spending as well as a strong expansion of export of a broad spectrum of our resourced based commodities and manufactured goods to the recovering economies of USA, Eurozone, PR China and Japan. As a result the real export of goods and services was 9.6% for 2Q2017 as compared to 9.85 for 1Q2017.

Domestic demand also grew by 5.7% for this quarter underpinned by expansion of private sector expenditure and public sector spending. During this period consumer sentiments continued to improve paving the way for increasing household spending in food and beverages, while the sale of automobiles remain stable.

During this period, all major sectors of the Malaysian economy continued to expand.

The manufacturing output increased by 6.2% mainly driven by export oriented industries.

The services sector such as transportation, finance and insurance sub sectors grew by 7%.

The growth of the agriculture sector remained firm chalking a growth of 12.3% with palm oil output and yields recovering from the negative impact of El Nino.

Construction sub sector growth was 11.2% mainly driven by work in progress of major infrastructural projects in the transportation, and power plant segments. The housing industry remain stable with banks maintaining a prudent policy in providing loans to house buyers.

The mining sector underwent moderate growth due to lower crude oil production and output.

Collectively all the above activities translated to growth in the exports of electrical and electronic products and components, textiles and apparel, wood based products like furniture, rubber and latex products (for example gloves), and other chemical and plastic products.

Going forward, according to Bank Negara Malaysia, the current first quarter growth will follow through into the second half of

However the Board have identified the following risks factors that may affect the performance of the Malaysian economy and the Group.

- 1. The geopolitical tension in North East Asia between North Korea and USA which could potentially erupt into a regional and global war.
- 2. The dispute between China and ASEAN nations on the sovereign claims of the South China Sea.
- 3. The border dispute in the Himalayan region between China and India.
- 4. The continuing unrest in the Middle East countries of Syria, Saudi Arabia, the Gulf states, Iran ,Yemen and Somalia and terrorist activities on a global scale by ISIS especially in Syria and Europe.
- 5. Climatic changes due to global warming affecting crop production of rice, wheat, soya bean, palm oil and rubber as well as other major agricultural commodities.

- 6. The price of crude oil of USD45 being factored in the formulation of the Malaysian budget being disrupted adversely by change of policy by OPEC and increase of output by shale oil producers.
- 7. The strength and stability of the Ringgit against the USD as well as currencies of our major trading partners.
- 8. Increasing negative sentiments domestically as a result of shortage and crackdown of foreign labour, increasing inflation and diminishing spending power arising from implementation of GST.

However the Board believed with cautious and prudent measures to manage and mitigate any untoward risks, the outcome for the second half will be within expectation.

B4. Variance of actual profit from profit forecast

Taxation consists of the following:

Deferred taxation

This note is not applicable as there is no profit forecast made.

B5. Taxation

Accumulated quarter Individual quarter 2016 2016 2017 2017 RM'000 RM'000 RM'000 RM'000 Current Malaysian Tax (854)(1,216)(1,803)(2,826)(Under)/overprovision in prior years 0 0 0 0 (854)(1,216)(1,803)(2,826)

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(838)

The effective tax rates for the current period ended 30 June 2017 and 2016 were 23.14% and 24.24% as compared to the applicable statutory tax rate. This is due to certain expenses which are not deductible for tax purposes.

(15)

(1,231)

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(1,755)

(45)

(2,909)

B6. Notes to the Statement of Comprehensive Income

Profit for the period is arrived at after charging/(crediting):

	3 months ended		Cumulative mor	nths ended
	30.6.2017	30.6.2016	30.6.2017	30.6.2016
	(RM'000)	(RM'000)	(RM'000)	(RM'000)
Interest income	(31)	(28)	(136)	(150)
Other income including investment				
Income	(295)	(338)	(1,384)	(1,605)
Gain on disposal of property, plant				
and equipment	(1)	26	(21)	(276)
Interest expense	13	0	26	1
Depreciation and amortization	535	220	1536	1,301

Foreign exchange (gain)/loss (237) 587 289 244

Other than the above, there were no provision for and write off of receivables and inventories, no gain or loss on disposal of quoted or unquoted investments and derivatives, impairment of assets and exceptional items included in the results for the current guarter ended 30 June 2017.

B7. Purchase and sale of quoted securities

There were no purchase or sale of quoted securities for the financial period concerned.

Details of other investments to date are as follows:

	30.6.2017 RM'000	30.9.2016 RM'000
Available-for-sale financial assets:		
Unquoted shares at cost	50	50
Wholesale Funds	12,409	12,132
	12,459	12,182
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B8. Status of corporate proposals

To date, there are no corporate proposals announcement.

B9. Group borrowings and debt securities

The Group's borrowings as at 30 June 2017 are as follows:

	30.6.2 Secured RM'000	2017 Unsecured RM'000		.2016 Unsecured RM'000
Long term loan	0	0	0	0
Hire purchase creditors	0	0	0	0
	n			
	======	======	=====	======
Short term loan:-				
Term loan	0	0	0	0
Trust receipt	0	0	0	0
Banker acceptance	0	0	0	0
Letter of credit	0	0	0	0
Bills payable	0	0	0	0
Hire purchase payables	0	0	8	0
Bank overdraft	0	0	0	0
			8	
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There is no material changes to the Group's borrowings as at the current year-to-date at 30.6.2017 as compared with the corresponding period in the immediate preceding year as at 30 June 2016 as tabled below:-

			As at 3 rd quarter			
	Long	term	ended 2017 Short	Term	Total	borrowings
	S\$'000 denomination	RM'000 denomination	S\$'000 denomination	RM'000 denomination	S\$'000 denomination	RM'000 denomination
Secured	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unsecured	0	0	0	О	0	0
			As at 3 nd quarter ended 2016			
	Long	term	Short	Term	Total	borrowings
	S\$'000 denomination	RM'000 denomination	S\$'000 denomination	RM'000 denomination	S\$'000 denomination	RM'000 denomination
Secured	0	0	0	Ö	0	0
Unsecured- Hire Purchase Payables	0	0	3	10	3	10

B10. Financial instruments with off balance sheet risks

There were no financial instruments with off balance sheet risks during the current quarter.

B11. Material litigation

Neither UMS nor its subsidiary companies are engaged in any material litigation either as plaintiff or defendant and the Directors of UMS are not aware of any proceedings pending or threatened against UMS or its subsidiary companies or any facts likely to give rise to any proceedings which might materially affect the position and business of the UMS Group.

B12. Dividend

	30.6.2017 RM'000	30.9.2016 RM'000
Proposed: Single tier Final dividend of 6% & Single tier Special dividend of 4%	0	4,069

A single tier final dividend of 6% amounting to RM2,441,400 and a single tier special dividend of 4% amounting to RM1,627,600 for the financial year ended 30.9.2016 was paid on 28.3.2017.

B13 Trade and other receivables

	30.6.2017	30.9.2016
Trade receivables Other receivables, deposit & prepayment	RM'000 23,584 146	RM'000 20,737 1,161
	23,730	21,898

Trade receivables are non-interest bearing and generally are on 30 to 120 days for current period and previous year.

Trade	receivables
G	roup

Neither past due nor impaired 1 to 30 days past due not impaired 31 to 60 days past due not impaired 61 to 90 days past due not impaired More than 90 days past due not impaired	30.6.2017 RM'000 15,990 3,994 1,535 437 1,628	30.9.2016 RM'000 11,552 4,203 1,805 1,102 2,075
Impaired	23,584 258 <u>23,842</u>	20,737 213 20,950

Included in the above trade receivables are the following ageing analysis for related parties:

	30.6.2017 RM'000	30.9.2016 RM'000
Neither past due nor impaired	246	359
1 to 30 days past due not impaired	0	0
31 to 60 days past due not impaired	0	0
61 to 90 days past due not impaired	0	0
More than 90 days past due not impaired	0	0
Impaired	246 0	359 0
	246	359

Trade receivables that are neither past due nor impaired are creditworthy debtors with good payment records with the group and losses have occurred infrequently.

The Group's trade receivables that are impaired at the reporting date and the movement of allowance account used to record the impairment is as follows:

	Group		
	30.6.2017 RM'000	30.9.2016 RM'000	
Trade receivables – nominal amounts Allowance for impairment	258 (258)	213 (213)	
Allowance for impairment	(238)	(213)	
	====	287	
	·	0	
Movement in allowance for impairment:			
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	30.6.2017	30.9.2016	
	RM'000	RM'000	
At 1 October	213	322	
Charge for the period/year	45	61	
Reversal of impairment	:	(170)	
	258	213	

Trade receivables that are individually impaired at the reporting date relates to those that are in significant financial difficulties and have defaulted on payments.

B14. Basic earnings per ordinary share

The calculation of basic earnings per ordinary share for the quarter and for the cumulative quarter is based on the following:

	3 months ended		Cumulative mon	Cumulative months ended	
	30.6.2017	30.6.2016	30.6.2017	30.6.2016	
	(RM'000)	(RM'000)	(RM'000)	(RM'000)	
Net profit attributable to					
Ordinary shareholders	2,366	3,086	4,288	6,126	
Weighted average					
Number of shares					
In issued.	40,690	40,690	40,690	40,690	
Basic earnings per					
Ordinary share(sen)	5.81	7.58	10.54	15.06	
Diluted earnings per share (sen)	5.81	7.58	10.54	15.06	

B15. Realised and unrealised profits

	As at 30/6/2017 (RM '000)	As at 30/9/2016 (RM '000)
Total retained profits of the Group:		(/
Realised	97,616	97,537
Unrealised	15,375	15,090
	112,991	112,627
Total share of retained profits from associated companies:		,-
Realised	11,575	11,613
Unrealised	6	6
	11,581	11,619
	124,572	124,246
Add: Consolidation adjustments	(12,145)	(12,038)
Total Group retained profits	112,427	112,208
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