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# ***Forward Pharma A/S***

Østergade 24 A, 1., DK-1100 København K

## **Annual Report for 1 January - 31 December 2019**

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CVR No 28 86 58 80

The Annual Report was  
presented and adopted at  
the Annual General  
Meeting of the Company on  
/ 2020

Frederik B. Hasling  
Chairman of the General  
Meeting

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# Management's Statement

The Executive Board and Board of Directors have today considered and adopted the Annual Report of Forward Pharma A/S for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2019.

The Annual Report is prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion the Financial Statements give a true and fair view of the financial position at 31 December 2019 of the Company and of the results of the Company operations for 2019.

We recommend that the Annual Report be adopted at the Annual General Meeting.

Copenhagen,

## Executive Board

Claus Bo Søndergaard Svendsen  
Executive Officer

## Board of Directors

Florian Schönharting  
Chairman

Torsten Goesch

Jakob Mosegaard Larsen

Grant Hellier Lawrence

Duncan Moore

# **Independent Auditor's Report**

To the Shareholders of Forward Pharma A/S

## **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of Forward Pharma A/S for the financial year 1 January – 31 December 2019, which comprise income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity and notes, including accounting policies. The financial statements are prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company at 31 December 2019 and of the results of the Company's operations for the financial year 1 January – 31 December 2019 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

## **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) and additional requirements applicable in Denmark. Our responsibilities under those standards and requirements are further described in the "Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements" section of our report. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

## **Independence**

We are independent of the Company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) and additional requirements applicable in Denmark, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these rules and requirements.

## **Management's responsibilities for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act and for such internal control as Management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, Management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements unless Management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

## **Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance as to whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and additional requirements applicable in Denmark will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

# Independent Auditor's Report

As part of an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and additional requirements applicable in Denmark, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by Management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of Management's use of the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and contents of the financial statements, including the note disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that gives a true and fair view.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

## Statement on Management's Review

Management is responsible for the Management's review.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the Management's review, and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the Management's review and, in doing so, consider whether the Management's review is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained during the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

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Moreover, it is our responsibility to consider whether the Management's review provides the information required under the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Based on the work we have performed, we conclude that the Management's review is in accordance with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Danish Financial Statements Act. We did not identify any material misstatement of the Management's review.

Copenhagen,

**ERNST & YOUNG**

Godkendt Revisionspartnerselskab

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## **Company Information**

### **The Company**

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CVR No: 28 86 58 80

Financial period: 1 January - 31 December

Municipality of reg. office: København

### **Board of Directors**

Florian Schönharting, Chairman  
Torsten Goesch  
Jakob Mosegaard Larsen  
Grant Hellier Lawrence  
Duncan Moore

### **Executive Board**

Claus Bo Søndergaard Svendsen

### **Auditors**

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## Management's Review

Forward Pharma A/S (the "Company") is a limited liability company incorporated and domiciled in Denmark. The registered office is located in Copenhagen, Denmark. The Company has two wholly owned subsidiaries, Forward Pharma USA, LLC ("LLC"), incorporated in the state of Delaware, United States, and Forward Pharma Operations ApS ("Operations"), incorporated in Denmark. Operations has two wholly owned subsidiaries, Forward Pharma FA ApS, incorporated in Denmark, and Forward Pharma GmbH ("FP GmbH"), incorporated in Germany. A liquidation of GmbH was initiated on January 29, 2020. The Company and its direct and indirect subsidiaries are collectively referred to as the "Group".

The accompanying financial statements are those of the Company only. The Company's directly owned subsidiaries (LLC and Operations) are reflected in the accompanying financial statements as "Investments in subsidiaries."

In February 2017, the Company entered into a Settlement and License Agreement (the "License Agreement") with two wholly owned subsidiaries of Biogen Inc. (collectively "Biogen"). Prior to entering into the License Agreement, the Company was actively developing FP187®, a proprietary formulation of dimethyl fumarate ("DMF"), for the treatment of multiple sclerosis ("MS") patients. In accordance with the License Agreement, Biogen paid the Company a non-refundable fee of \$1.25 billion (DKK 8.7 billion) ("Non-refundable Fee") in February 2017. The License Agreement also provided for contingently payable royalties due to the Group, as defined in the License Agreement, based on the outcome of certain matters discussed further below.

The License Agreement did not resolve the U.S. interference proceeding (the "Interference Proceeding") between the Company and Biogen or the pending opposition proceeding against the Company's European patent EP2801355 (the "Opposition Proceeding"). The License Agreement contemplated the United States Patent Trial and Appeal Board ("PTAB") and the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit (the "Federal Circuit"), as applicable, and the Opposition Division, the Technical Board of Appeal and the Enlarged Board of Appeal of the European Patent Office (the "EPO"), as applicable, to make final determinations in the proceedings before them. The final determinations in the proceedings would determine whether future royalties are due to the Company in accordance with the License Agreement.

In March 2017, the PTAB issued a decision in the Interference Proceeding in favor of Biogen. The PTAB ruled that the claims of the Company's United States Patent Application No. 11/567,871 were not patentable due to a lack of adequate written description. In May 2017, the Company filed a notice of appeal with the Federal Circuit seeking to have the PTAB's decision overturned and the Interference Proceeding reinstated. In October 2018, the Federal Circuit affirmed the PTAB's decision. In November 2018, the Company filed a petition for rehearing of the Federal Circuit's decision. The rehearing request was denied on January 2, 2019 and the Federal Circuit's decision became final on January 9, 2019. The Federal Circuit's final decision ended the Interference Proceeding in favor of Biogen. As the result of the unsuccessful outcome in the Interference Proceeding, the Group will not be entitled to future royalties on Biogen's net sales in the United States as defined in the License Agreement.

If the Company is successful in the Opposition Proceeding (i.e., the Company obtains, as a result of the Opposition Proceeding, and any appeals therefrom, a patent with a claim covering oral treatment of MS with 480 mg/day of DMF), the Group would be eligible beginning on January 1, 2021 to collect a 10% royalty (increasing to 20% from January 1, 2029) until the earlier of the expiration or invalidation of the



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patents defined in the License Agreement, on a country-by-country basis on Biogen's net sales outside the United States of DMF-containing products indicated for treating MS that, but for the license granted under the License Agreement, would infringe a Company patent, provided that other conditions of the License Agreement are satisfied. Among the conditions that need to be satisfied for any royalty to be payable by Biogen to the Group is the absence of generic entry in a particular geography having a particular impact as defined in the License Agreement. If the Company is unsuccessful in the Opposition Proceeding and any appeals therefrom, the Group would not be entitled to future royalties on Biogen's net sales outside the United States. On January 29, 2018, the Opposition Division of the EPO concluded the oral proceeding concerning patent EP2801355 and issued an initial decision in the Opposition Proceeding. The Opposition Division revoked patent EP2801355 after considering third-party oppositions from several opponents. In March 2018, the Opposition Division issued its written decision with detailed reasons for the decision. In May 2018, the Company submitted its notice of appeal, and in August 2018, the Company submitted the detailed grounds for the appeal. On July 8, 2019, the Company received notice from the EPO that the appeal will be heard by the TBA of the EPO on June 18, 2020, (the "2020 Hearing"). However, the hearing may be delayed as a result of the ongoing novel coronavirus 2019 ("COVID-19") pandemic and, if the 2020 Hearing is delayed, a new hearing date is currently unknown. Management expects the TBA to issue a ruling on the same day as the 2020 Hearing with a fully-argued decision to follow approximately two months after the 2020 Hearing. If the Company receives a favorable ruling following the 2020 Hearing, it is expected that the TBA will remit the case to the Opposition Division, in order for the Opposition Division to resolve the remaining elements of the original opposition. Management estimates that the Opposition Division would take approximately two to three years to resolve the remaining elements of the original opposition in the event of a remittal. However, delays can occur that would extend the time needed for the Opposition Division to reach a conclusion on the remaining elements of the original opposition and thereby the conclusion of the ongoing appeal process. The Group is not entitled to any royalty payments from the License Agreement until and unless all remaining elements of the original opposition are resolved in our favor. As such, the earliest time we may expect to receive any revenues from the License Agreement, if at all, is 2023.

On March 25, 2019, the Company received notice from Biogen of their exercise of the option to purchase the intellectual property in the United States associated with the Company pursuant to the License Agreement. The assignment of the United States intellectual property to Biogen has been completed and accordingly Biogen has assumed ownership and responsibility for the assigned United States intellectual property.

As a result of entering into the License Agreement, combined with the unsuccessful outcome in the Interference Proceeding as well as Biogen's purchase of the intellectual property in the United States associated with the Company, the Company has permanently discontinued the development of DMF formulations, including FP187®.

The income statement of the Company for the year ended December 31, 2019 shows a loss of DKK 26.6 million. As of December 31, 2019, the Company held cash and cash equivalents of DKK 284.4 million and the Company's equity totaled DKK 517.8 million. The Company currently estimates that there will be adequate liquidity to continue as a going concern beyond the next twelve months. There is a high level of uncertainty in estimating the costs we will incur to continue the Opposition Proceeding and to defend and protect the intellectual property associated with the Company. There are other uncertainties that

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could negatively affect our estimated cash spend in 2020 including, but not limited to, an unforeseen negative outcome of the joint tax audit in process in Denmark and Germany. Accordingly, our estimated use of cash for the year ending December 31, 2020 could change near-term and the change could be material. We have no long-term financial commitments, such as lines of credit or guarantees, which are expected to affect our liquidity, other than an office rental lease, which we consider immaterial.

We currently expect that our operating results will remain at current levels in the future or exhibit a slightly lower deficit.

## Income Statement

	Note	2019 DKK	2018 DKK
Other operating income		5,090,034	11,815,058
Other external expenses		-11,059,189	-19,423,985
<b>Gross loss</b>		<b>-5,969,155</b>	<b>-7,608,927</b>
Staff expenses	2	-16,079,837	-39,070,620
Impairment of investments in subsidiaries		-9,405,279	-18,986,161
<b>Loss before financial income and expenses</b>		<b>-31,454,271</b>	<b>-65,665,708</b>
Financial income	3	3,326,470	15,465,970
Financial expenses	4	-337,457	-6,027,974
<b>Loss before tax</b>		<b>-28,465,258</b>	<b>-56,227,712</b>
Tax on profit/loss for the year	5	0	1,932,836
<b>Net loss for the year</b>		<b>-28,465,258</b>	<b>-54,294,876</b>

## Distribution of profit

### Proposed distribution of profit

Retained earnings		-28,465,258	-54,294,876
		<b>-28,465,258</b>	<b>-54,294,876</b>

## Balance Sheet 31 December

### Assets

	<u>Note</u>	<u>2019</u> DKK	<u>2018</u> DKK
Investments in subsidiaries		325,067,872	333,549,076
<b>Fixed asset investments</b>		<b><u>325,067,872</u></b>	<b><u>333,549,076</u></b>
<b>Fixed assets</b>		<b><u>325,067,872</u></b>	<b><u>333,549,076</u></b>
Receivables from group enterprises		474,080	9,984,414
Other receivables		62,477	0
Corporation tax		1,189,109	1,189,109
Prepayments		1,939,678	2,056,789
<b>Receivables</b>		<b><u>3,665,344</u></b>	<b><u>13,230,312</u></b>
<b>Cash at bank and in hand</b>		<b><u>284,413,049</u></b>	<b><u>193,080,007</u></b>
<b>Current assets</b>		<b><u>288,078,393</u></b>	<b><u>206,310,319</u></b>
<b>Assets</b>		<b><u>613,146,265</u></b>	<b><u>539,859,395</u></b>

# Balance Sheet 31 December

## Liabilities and equity

	<u>Note</u>	<u>2019</u> DKK	<u>2018</u> DKK
Share capital		950,739	950,739
Other reserves		43,801,655	33,985,125
Retained earnings		<u>471,174,460</u>	<u>499,639,718</u>
<b>Equity</b>	<b>6</b>	<b><u>515,926,854</u></b>	<b><u>534,575,582</u></b>
Trade payables		395,711	1,786,744
Payables to group enterprises		94,392,665	609,000
Other payables		341,192	764,323
Accrued liabilities		<u>2,089,843</u>	<u>2,123,746</u>
<b>Short-term debt</b>		<b><u>97,219,411</u></b>	<b><u>5,283,813</u></b>
<b>Debt</b>		<b><u>97,219,411</u></b>	<b><u>5,283,813</u></b>
<b>Liabilities and equity</b>		<b><u>613,146,265</u></b>	<b><u>539,859,395</u></b>
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# Notes to the Financial Statements

## 1 Subsequent events

Subsequent to December 31, 2019, there are no events that are required to be reported except the outbreak of COVID-19. The Group's business and operations could be disrupted and adversely affected by the outbreak of COVID-19. The Company is currently unable to estimate whether, or to what extent, COVID-19 will disrupt or impact the Group's business or operations, including any effect on the joint tax audit, discussed in note 7, and/or the Opposition Proceeding. Any disruption of the Group's business or operations caused by COVID-19 could have a material adverse impact on the Company's operating results and financial condition.

	<u>2019</u> DKK	<u>2018</u> DKK
<b>2 Staff expenses</b>		
Wages and salaries	2,904,148	3,520,381
Other social security expenses	19,083	65,244
Warrants & share-based payments	<u>13,156,606</u>	<u>35,484,995</u>
	<b><u>16,079,837</u></b>	<b><u>39,070,620</u></b>
<b>Average number of employees</b>	<b><u>3</u></b>	<b><u>3</u></b>

## 3 Financial income

Other financial income	1,518,064	1,680,301
Exchange adjustments	1,808,295	2,002,461
Exchange gains	<u>111</u>	<u>11,783,208</u>
	<b><u>3,326,470</u></b>	<b><u>15,465,970</u></b>

## 4 Financial expenses

Interest paid to group enterprises	72,886	0
Other financial expenses	63,531	74,120
Exchange adjustments, expenses	0	5,687,472
Exchange loss	<u>201,040</u>	<u>266,382</u>
	<b><u>337,457</u></b>	<b><u>6,027,974</u></b>

## Notes to the Financial Statements

	2019	2018
	DKK	DKK
<b>5 Tax on profit/loss for the year</b>		
Current tax for the year	0	-1,682,836
Deferred tax for the year	0	-250,000
	<b>0</b>	<b>-1,932,836</b>

## 6 Equity

	Share capital	Other reserves	Retained earnings	Total
	DKK	DKK	DKK	DKK
<b>2019</b>				
Equity at 1 January	950,739	33,985,125	499,639,718	534,575,582
Share-based compensation	0	14,252,435	0	14,252,435
Equity award payments	0	-4,435,905	0	-4,435,905
Net profit/loss for the year	0	0	-28,465,258	-28,465,258
<b>Equity at 31 December</b>	<b>950,739</b>	<b>43,801,655</b>	<b>471,174,460</b>	<b>515,926,854</b>
	Share capital	Other reserves	Retained earnings	Total
	DKK	DKK	DKK	DKK
<b>2018</b>				
Equity 1. January	943,680	0	553,934,594	554,878,274
Share issuance	7,059	0	0	7,059
Share-based compensation	0	38,825,562	0	38,825,562
Equity award payments	0	-4,840,437	0	-4,840,437
Net profit/loss for the year	0	0	-54,294,876	-54,294,876
<b>Equity at 31 December</b>	<b>950,739</b>	<b>33,985,125</b>	<b>499,639,718</b>	<b>534,575,582</b>

# Notes to the Financial Statements

## 7 Contingent assets, liabilities and other financial obligations

### Contingent liabilities

The Company has been part of two Danish joint tax groups since January 19, 2013 that have included members who are not part of the Group. Under Danish tax rules, the Company is jointly and severally liable, with other members of the Danish joint tax group, for tax obligations of the Danish tax group. Any subsequent adjustments of either Danish joint tax group's taxable income may increase the Company's liability.

The Danish and German tax authorities are currently conducting a joint tax audit on the tax return for Forward Pharma A/S and Forward Pharma GmbH through the years ended 31 December 2017. Management believes that appropriate tax filing provisions have been taken by the Company; however, there is always a risk that the tax authorities could disagree with the tax filing positions taken resulting in additional taxes, interest and penalty becoming due and such amount could be material.



# Notes to the Financial Statements

## 8 Accounting Policies

The Annual Report of the Company for 2019 has been prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act applying to enterprises of reporting class B as well as selected rules applying to reporting class C.

The Financial Statements are presented in Danish kroner (DKK).

### Recognition and measurement

Revenues are recognised in the income statement as earned in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standard No.15 *Revenues from Contracts with Customers*. Furthermore, financial assets and liabilities are measured at fair value or amortized. Expenses incurred to achieve the earnings for the year are recognised in the income statement, including depreciation, amortisation, impairment losses and provisions as well as adjustments related to changes in accounting estimates of amounts that have previously been recognised in the income statement.

Assets are recognized in the balance sheet when it is probable that the asset will provide future economic benefit that will flow to the Company and the value of the asset can be measured reliably.

Liabilities are recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable that future economic benefits will flow out of the Company, and the value of the liability can be measured reliably.

Assets and liabilities are initially measured at cost. Subsequently, assets and liabilities are measured as described for each item below under the caption "Balance Sheet."

### Translation policies

Transactions are measured in DKK.

Transactions in foreign currencies are initially recorded by the Company using the spot rate at the date the transaction first qualifies for recognition. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated to DKK based on currency spot rates at each reporting date. Differences arising on settlement or translation of monetary items denominated in foreign currency are recognized in the income statement. The Company does not hedge foreign exchange transactions.

Receivables, payables and other monetary items in foreign currencies that have not been settled at the balance sheet date are translated at the exchange rates at the balance sheet date. Any differences between the exchange rates at the balance sheet date and the rates at the time when the receivable or the debt arose are recognized in financial income and expenses in the income statement.

Fixed assets acquired in foreign currencies are measured at the transaction date rates.

# Notes to the Financial Statements

## 8 Accounting Policies (continued)

### Income Statement

#### Revenue

The Company had no revenue in 2019 or 2018.

#### Other operating income

Other operating income is comprised of Management fee charged to other Group entities. Management fee is recognized along with provision of related services.

#### Other external expenses

Other operating expenses include Management fee charged from other Group entities as well as service of a secondary nature to the main activities of the Company.

#### Staff expenses

Staff expenses comprise wages and salaries as well as payroll expenses and the fair value of share-based payment.

#### Share-based payment

Employees, board members and consultants (who provide services similar to employees) of the Company receive remuneration in the form of equity settled awards whereby services are rendered as consideration for equity awards (warrants, deferred shares or share options). The fair value of these equity settled awards is determined at the date of grant resulting in a fixed fair value at grant date that is not adjusted for future changes in the fair value of the equity awards that may occur over the service period. Fair value of warrants and options is determined using the Black-Scholes model while fair value of deferred shares is determined as the fair value of the underlying shares less the present value of expected dividends.

Non-employee consultants (who perform services not similar to employees) of the Company have received equity settled awards in the form of warrants or share options as remuneration for services. The fair value of these equity settled awards is measured at the time services are rendered using the Black-Scholes model. Under this method, the fair value is determined each quarter over the service period until the award vests.

The cost of share-based payments is recognized as an expense together with a corresponding increase in equity over the period in which the performance and/or service conditions are fulfilled.

#### Financial income and expenses

Finance income (expense) primarily include interest income on USD cash holdings offset by bank charges (negative interest) related to DKK and EUR cash holdings.

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## 8 Accounting Policies (continued)

### Tax on profit/loss for the year

Tax for the year consists of current tax for the year and changes in deferred tax for the year. The tax attributable to the result for the year is recognized in the income statement.

The Company is part of a Danish joint taxation group with NB FP Investment General Partner ApS, Forward Pharma Operations ApS and Forward Pharma FA ApS. The tax effect of the joint taxation is allocated to enterprises in proportion to their taxable income.

Management periodically evaluates positions taken in the tax returns with respect to situations in which applicable tax regulations are subject to interpretation or “uncertainty”. An income tax position taken in a tax filing is reflected in determination of income taxes if it considered probable that the position can be sustained.

At 31 December 2019 and 2018, the Company's ability to generate taxable profits in the future are not assured; therefore, the Company's deferred tax assets at 31 December 2019 and 2018 do not meet the criteria for financial statement recognition

## Balance Sheet

### Investments in subsidiaries

Investments in subsidiaries are measured at cost less impairment losses.

Investment in subsidiaries is reviewed annually for indicators of impairment and written down to the higher of value in use and fair value less costs to sell if lower than the carrying amount.

### Receivables

Receivables are measured in the balance sheet at the lower of amortised cost and net realisable value, which corresponds to nominal value less provisions for bad debts.

### Prepayments

Prepayments include primarily prepaid insurance premiums.

# Notes to the Financial Statements

## 8 Accounting Policies (continued)

### Deferred tax assets and liabilities

Deferred tax is provided based on temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes at the reporting date. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the year when the asset is realized, or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date. Deferred tax assets are recognized to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available in the future against which the deductible temporary differences, unused tax credits and unused tax losses can be utilized. Deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities of the same tax jurisdiction are offset if a legally enforceable right exists to set off.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each reporting date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred tax asset to be utilized. Unrecognized deferred tax assets are re assessed at each reporting date and are recognized to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profits will allow the deferred tax asset to be recovered.

Deferred tax relating to items recognized outside the profit or loss are recognized in correlation to the underlying transaction either in other comprehensive income or directly in equity.

### Current tax receivables and liabilities

Current tax liabilities and receivables are recognised in the balance sheet as the expected taxable income for the year adjusted for tax on taxable incomes for prior years and tax paid on account.

### Financial debts

Debts are measured at amortised cost, substantially corresponding to nominal value.