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Man Fund Management UK Limited Annual Report and Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2022

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Strategic Report

For the year ended 31 December 2022

The directors of Man Fund Management UK Limited (the "Company") present their Strategic Report and the audited financial statements of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2022.

Principal activities

During the year there were no significant changes to the principal activities of the Company which consisted of the provision of investment management services for Man Group plc and its subsidiaries (the "Group").

The results for the year ended 31 December 2022 are set out in the Profit and Loss Account on page 11.

Key performance indicators

The Company's profit before tax, and the net assets as at the Balance Sheet date demonstrate the Company's performance and position.

As the Company is regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority ("FCA"), the directors monitor compliance with all relevant regulatory capital and liquidity requirements on an ongoing basis.

Going concern

After making reasonable enquiries the directors have concluded that there is a reasonable expectation that the Company has and will have adequate resources to continue in operational existence for a period of at least twelve months from the date of approval of the financial statements. Accordingly, the financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis.

Principal risks and uncertainties

The Company operates within a robust risk management framework and the Company's risk profile has not changed materially in the year. Business risks continue to represent the biggest risk to the Company. The investment underperformance of the assets under management of the Group is the single biggest risk that may have a material impact on the performance of the Company.

The directors have not identified any market, operational, liquidity and/or climate change risks that are likely to materially impact the performance of the Company in the next year.

The directors will continue to monitor any changes in the operating environment of the Company.

Section 172(1) statement

Under the Companies (Miscellaneous Reporting) Regulations 2018, the Company is required to disclose how its directors have had regard to their duties under section 172(1) (a) to (f) of the Companies Act 2006 ("s.172") during the year.

The directors confirm that during the year ended 31 December 2022, they have acted in a way that they consider, in good faith, to be most likely to promote the success of the Company for the benefit of its members as a whole, and in doing so have had regard (amongst other matters) to the matters set out under s.172 including the Company's applicable stakeholders.

The directors are mindful of the Company's purpose and function of its role within the Group; its role is to act as an Authorised Corporate Director ("ACD") and regulated investment manager to the Group's UK authorised investment funds (the "Funds"). The Company seeks to further the Group's overall long-term strategy, while also adhering to the policies and procedures comprising the Group's governance framework, and the directors consider that its stakeholders are largely consistent with those identified at the Group level which are discussed in detail within the Stakeholder engagement section of the Group's 2022 Annual Report.

Strategic Report (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2022

Section 172(1) statement (continued)

The following key stakeholders have been identified by the directors:

- clients;
- regulators;
- shareholders;
- the environment;
- Man Group plc and its shareholders;
- other Group subsidiaries; and
- business partners and suppliers.

The Group's s.172 statement is integrated across the Governance report of the Group's 2022 Annual Report. The s.172 statement is also available on the Man Group website at www.man.com/regulatory-disclosures.

The directors would like to disclose and highlight separately how the Company's own key stakeholders (referenced above) have been considered for specific principal decisions taken at the Company level and to show how it has engaged with each group, either directly or indirectly, and taken into consideration the need to maintain a reputation for high standards of business conduct, the long-term consequences of its decisions and the need to foster good business relationships.

Assessment of Value review

The directors are kept apprised of regulatory developments and during the year spent considerable time discussing published guidance by the FCA concerning the suitability of current Assessment of Value ("AoV") arrangements across the asset management industry and in particular, the impact of this on investors in the Funds. In light of the FCA's updated guidance and requirements, and in recognition of each director's duty to ensure investors were obtaining value, the directors agreed that a thorough review of the Company's current AoV arrangements was appropriate. The review was undertaken by an appointed third party (the "Provider") and the results were shared with the directors via ad hoc meetings which were scheduled in addition to the usual quarterly board meetings. Following consideration of the output of the review undertaken by the Provider, the directors agreed that an AoV Working Group be established to construct an improved methodology for assessing value across the Funds in line with the FCA's requirements. The directors received regular reporting from the AoV Working Group and were presented with several drafts of the proposed methodology, which the directors challenged and scrutinised, consulting members of the AoV Working Group and members of the Man GLG management team where appropriate. Although direct consultation did not take place with investors, several agreed actions aimed at improving value for share class holders were envisaged to involve direct engagement at a later stage. Following the decision by the directors to approve the proposed methodology, an external report, providing a conclusion as to whether each of the Funds delivered value to investors in light of performance, quality of service and cost was produced and was made publicly available. An AoV of the Funds will take place each year and a report will be made publicaly available.

Consumer Duty

During the year, the directors carefully considered the implementation of the FCA's Consumer Duty which requires firms to act to deliver good outcomes for retail customers through the provision of higher standards of consumer care and protection. The directors discussed the Company's requirements under the Consumer Duty in depth and reviewed, challenged and agreed an implementation plan setting out the Company's approach.

Closure of the Man GLG European Alpha Income Fund

Board meetings of the Company are structured to focus on the performance of the funds (including risk and liquidity management), monitoring the service levels of its business partners and suppliers and regulatory, compliance and governance issues – all of which the directors consider fundamental to the long-term success of the Company and of the Group. It also seeks to promote high standards of business conduct to maintain the reputation of the Group.

Strategic Report (Continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2022

Section 172(1) statement (continued)

The directors keep abreast of market developments and discusses long-term consequences of decisions and any impacts of changes in client appetite and trends through the regular updates it receives from both the sales team and individual portfolio managers. Following a recommendation by the Group's Product Management Group (the "PMG"), the directors agreed that it was in the best interests of both Man Group ple's shareholders and the fund's investors, to terminate the Man GLG European Alpha Income Fund (the "EAI Fund") given its performance over an extended period. As part of its decision-making process, the directors considered the previous engagement with the portfolio manager of the EAI Fund, the Sales team (in order to obtain client feedback) and Man GLG management at the quarterly board meetings. The directors concluded, based on these interactions, that the EAI Fund was not contributing to the long-term success of the Company or the Company's ultimate shareholder or the investors of the EAI Fund. The directors were therefore supportive of the PMG's recommendation to terminate the EAI Fund.

High standards of business conduct

It is vital that the Company ensures that high standards of business conduct are adhered to. Further information on how this is monitored by the Group can be found within the Stakeholder engagement section of 2022 Annual Report. The directors delegate direct engagement with the Company's service providers and supply chain to ensure standards are communicated and, during the year, Bank of New York (Mellon) were invited to present in person to the directors with respect to the services provided to the Company. The directors receive regular updates through board reporting on service providers and the arrangements in place for the safeguarding of client assets.

The directors adopted the Shareholder Rights Directive II Engagement Policy in line with the requirements of the Shareholder Rights Directive II, which details the approach to engagement with investee companies and the integration of such engagement into investment strategies of the Funds.

Modern Slavery Statement

During the year, the directors approved the Modern Slavery and Transparency Statement (the "Statement") on behalf of the Company pursuant to its commitment to preventing modern slavery within the business and its supply chains. The Statement reflects the policies and controls in place at Group level, which are implemented by the Company. The Statement is reviewed annually by the Board of Man Group plc, following which it is also adopted by the Company.

This report was approved by the Board and signed on its behalf.

Antoine Forterre (Apr 21, 2023 23:50 GMT+1)

A H J M Forterre Director

Date: 21 April 2023

Directors' Report

For the year ended 31 December 2022

The directors present their report, together with the audited financial statements of the Company, for the year ended 31 December 2022.

Dividends

During the year, the Company did not declare or pay any dividends (2021: £NIL). The directors do not recommend the payment of a final dividend in respect of the year ended 31 December 2022 (2021: £NIL).

Directors

The individuals listed within the Company Information section served as directors of the Company for the duration of the year and up to the date of approval of this report, unless otherwise stated.

Qualifying third party indemnity provisions

During the year, the existing and former directors of the Company benefited from a qualifying third-party indemnity provision, and this remains in force at the date of this report. The indemnity is provided by another company within the Group and covers, to the extent permitted by law, any third-party liabilities which directors may incur as a result of their service on the Board.

Future developments

The directors do not expect any development in the Company's business in the current year to be significantly different from its present activities.

Employees

The Company has no employees as all staff servicing the Company are employed by another Group subsidiary.

Energy and Carbon Reporting

For periods commencing on or after 1 April 2019, large unquoted companies are required by the Companies (Directors' Report) and Limited Liability Partnerships (Energy and Carbon Report) Regulations 2018 (SI 2018/1155) to report on carbon emissions and energy use.

The Company is exempt as it is included within the Group's Annual Report for a financial year that ends at the same time, and the Group gives disclosures that comply with the regulations. Accordingly this disclosure is not presented.

Financial instruments

The Company has exposure to market, foreign exchange, liquidity, credit, and interest rate risk. Given the absence of external borrowings for the Company, liquidity risk and interest rate risk are not considered material.

The Company's principal financial assets are trade debtors and amounts due from group undertakings, and as such, the credit risk is mainly attributable to these balances. The credit risk is monitored on an ongoing basis, and there is currently no exposure to significant credit risk.

Auditor

Deloitte LLP was reappointed as auditor of the Company and the Group for the year ended 31 December 2022. Under section 487(2) of the Companies Act 2006, Deloitte LLP will be deemed to have been reappointed as auditor 28 days after these financial statements were sent to members or 28 days after the latest date prescribed for filing the accounts with the registrar, whichever is earlier.

Directors' Report (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2022

Disclosure of information to auditor

Each of the persons who are directors at the time when this Directors' Report is approved has confirmed that:

- so far as that director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditor is unaware, and;
- that director has taken all the steps that ought to have been taken as a director in order to be aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditor is aware of that information.

This confirmation is given and should be interpreted in accordance with the provisions of s418 of the Companies Act 2006.

This report was approved by the Board and signed on its behalf.

Antoine Forterre (Apr 21, 2023 23:50 GMT+1)

A H J M Forterre Director

Date: 21 April 2023

Directors' Responsibilities Statement For the year ended 31 December 2022

The directors are responsible for preparing the Strategic Report, Directors' Report and 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), including Financial Reporting Standard 101 "Reduced Disclosure Framework".

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 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; and
- 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. The directors have general responsibility for taking reasonable steps to safeguard the assets of the Company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of Man Fund Management UK Limited

Report on the audit of financial statements

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements of Man Fund Management UK Limited (the 'Company'):

- give a true and fair view of the state of the Company's affairs as at 31 December 2022 and of its profit for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, including Financial Reporting Standard 101 "Reduced Disclosure Framework"; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

We have audited the financial statements which comprise:

- the Profit and Loss Account;
- the Balance Sheet;
- the Statement of Changes in Equity;
- the related notes 1 to 17.

The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 101 "Reduced Disclosure Framework" (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report.

We are independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the Financial Reporting Council's (the 'FRC's') Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Conclusions relating to going concern

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the directors with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The directors are responsible for the other information contained within the Annual Report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

Our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the course of the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required

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to determine whether this gives rise to a material misstatement in the financial statements themselves. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of directors

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the directors determine 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, the directors are 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 unless the directors either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about 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 (UK) 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 these financial statements.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the FRC's website at: www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

Extent to which the audit was considered capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. The extent to which our procedures are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud is detailed below.

We considered the nature of the Company's industry and its control environment, and reviewed the Company's documentation of their policies and procedures relating to fraud and compliance with laws and regulations. We also enquired of management and the directors about their own identification and assessment of the risks of irregularities, including those that are specific to the Company's business sector.

We obtained an understanding of the legal and regulatory frameworks that the Company operates in, and identified the key laws and regulations that:

- o had a direct effect on the determination of material amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. These included UK Companies Act 2006 and tax legislation; and
- o do not have a direct effect on the financial statements but compliance with which may be fundamental to the Company's ability to operate or to avoid a material penalty. These included compliance with FCA requirements and regulatory capital requirements.

We discussed among the audit engagement team regarding the opportunities and incentives that may exist within the organisation for fraud and how and where fraud might occur in the financial statements.

Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of Man Fund Management UK Limited (continued)

As a result of performing the above, we identified the greatest potential for fraud in the following area, and our procedures performed to address it are described below:

O Performance fees are manually calculated due to complex calculations performed less frequently than management fee calculations with accrued estimates calculated based on an estimated fee base which is prior to the reconciliation of actuals with fund administrators, increasing the relative risk of misstatement. We developed an understanding of the performance fee processes, assessing the design and operating effectiveness of the key controls and tested a sample of transactions to ensure that the correct inputs were used in the calculation. For all estimates subsequently finalised and invoiced after the year-end, we assessed the recalculated amount and the amounts invoiced against the accrued estimate.

In common with all audits under ISAs (UK), we are also required to perform specific procedures to respond to the risk of management override. In addressing the risk of fraud through management override of controls, we tested the appropriateness of journal entries and other adjustments; assessed whether the judgements made in making accounting estimates are indicative of a potential bias; and evaluated the business rationale of any significant transactions that are unusual or outside the normal course of business.

In addition to the above, our procedures to respond to the risks identified included the following:

- o reviewing financial statement disclosures by testing to supporting documentation to assess compliance with provisions of relevant laws and regulations described as having a direct effect on the financial statements;
- o performing analytical procedures to identify any unusual or unexpected relationships that may indicate risks of material misstatement due to fraud;
- o enquiring of management and legal counsel concerning actual and potential litigation and claims, and instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations; and
- o reading minutes of meetings of those charged with governance and reviewing correspondence with the FCA.

Report on other legal and regulatory requirements

Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- the information given in the Strategic Report and the Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the Strategic Report and the Directors' Report have been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the Company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified any material misstatements in the Strategic Report or the Directors' Report.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report in respect of the following matters 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.

We have nothing to report in respect of these matters.

Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of Man Fund Management UK Limited (continued)

Use of our report

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 an auditor's report 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.

Peter van Daesdonk (Senior Statutory Auditor)

For and on behalf of Deloitte LLP London, United Kingdom

Date: 21 April 2023

Profit and Loss Account

For the year ended 31 December 2022

	Note	2022 £000	2021 £000
Turnover	4	51,936	67,677
Cost of sales		(50,784)	(66,426)
Gross profit	-	1,152	1,251
Administrative expenses		(898)	(1,097)
Other operating expense	5	(3)	(8)
Operating profit	-	251	146
Interest receivable and similar income	6	73	48
Interest payable and similar expenses	7	(34)	(4)
Profit before tax	-	290	190
Tax on profit	11	(55)	(36)
Profit for the financial year attributable to owners of the Company		235	154

All amounts relate to continuing operations.

There were no recognised gains and losses for the current and prior year other than those included in the Profit and Loss Account and hence a Statement of Comprehensive Income has not been prepared.

The notes on pages 14 to 22 form part of these financial statements.

Balance Sheet

As at 31 December 2022

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	Note		2022 £000		2021 £000
Current assets					
Cash at bank and in hand		-		101	
Debtors	12	28,565		36,241	
		28,565	_	36,342	
Current liabilities					
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	13	(22,584)		(30,596)	
		(22,584)	_	(30,596)	
Net current assets			5,981		5,746
Total assets less current liabilities		_	5,981		5,746
Net assets			5,981	<u>-</u>	5,746
Capital and reserves					
Called-up share capital	14		1,000		1,000
Profit and loss account			4,981		4,746
		<u> </u>	5,981		5,746
			2,501		2,710

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the Board and were signed on its behalf by:

Antoine Forterre (Apr 21, 2023 23:50 GMT+1)

A H J M Forterre Director

Date: 21 April 2023

The notes on pages 14 to 22 form part of these financial statements.

Statement of Changes in Equity

For the year ended 31 December 2022

	Called-up share capital	Profit and loss account	Total equity
	(Note 14) £000	£000	£000
At 1 January 2021	1,000	4,592	5,592
Profit for the financial year	-	154	154
Total comprehensive income for the year	_	154	154
At 31 December 2021	1,000	4,746	5,746
At 1 January 2022	1,000	4,746	5,746
Profit for the financial year	_	235	235
Total comprehensive income for the year	_	235	235
At 31 December 2022	1,000	4,981	5,981

The notes on pages 14 to 22 form part of these financial statements.

Notes to the Financial Statements

For the year ended 31 December 2022

1. General information

The Company is a private company limited by shares incorporated in the United Kingdom under the Companies Act 2006 and registered in England and Wales. The Company was first incorporated on 13 August 1997. The Company's registered office address is stated within the Company Information section.

The nature of the Company's operations and its principal activities are set out in the Strategic Report on page 1.

2. Significant accounting policies

The principal accounting policies are summarised below. They have all been applied consistently throughout the year and the preceding year.

2.1 Basis of preparation

The Company meets the definition of a qualifying entity under FRS 100 'Application of Financial Reporting Requirements' issued by the FRC. Accordingly, these financial statements were prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 101 'Reduced Disclosure Framework'.

As permitted by FRS 101, the Company has taken advantage of the disclosure exemptions available under that standard in relation to financial instruments, capital management, presentation of a cash-flow statement, standards not yet effective, related party transactions, revenue from contracts with customers and fair value measurement. Where required, equivalent disclosures are given in the group accounts of Man Group plc.

The Company's ultimate parent undertaking, Man Group plc includes the Company in its consolidated financial statements. The consolidated financial statements of Man Group plc are prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the United Kingdom and are publicly available and may be obtained from the address given in note 17.

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis except for the revaluation of certain financial instruments that are measured at fair values at the end of each reporting period as explained in the accounting policies below. Historical cost is generally based on the fair value of the consideration given in exchange for the goods and services.

2.2 Impact of new international reporting standards, amendments and interpretations

There were no new or amendments to existing accounting standards issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") that have had a significant impact on these financial statements.

No standards or interpretations issued and not yet effective are expected to have a material impact on the Company's financial statements.

2.3 Going concern

The directors have a reasonable expectation that the Company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for a period of at least twelve months from the date of approval of the financial statements. Thus they continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

2.4 Foreign currency

The financial statements are presented in British Pounds Sterling (GBP), which is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Company operates (its functional currency).

Transactions in currencies other than the functional currency are recorded at the rate of exchange at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at the Balance Sheet date are reported at the rates of exchange prevailing at that date. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are not retranslated.

Exchange differences are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which they arise.

2.5 Turnover

Fee income is the Company's primary source of revenue, which is derived from the investment management agreements in place with the fund entities. Management and other fees (net of rebates), which include all non-performance related fees, are recognised in the year in which contractual investment management services are provided and do not include any other performance obligations. Fees are generally based on an agreed percentage of the valuation of assets under management and are typically charged in arrears and receivable within one month.

Performance fees (net of rebates) relate to the performance of the funds managed during the year and are recognised when the performance obligation has been met, whereby the fee has crystallised and can be reliably estimated. This is generally at the end of the performance period or upon early redemption by a fund investor. Until the performance period ends, market movements could significantly move the net asset value ("NAV") of the fund products. The Company will typically only earn performance fees on any positive investment returns in excess of the high-water mark, meaning it will not be able to earn performance fees with respect to positive investment performance in any year following negative performance until that loss is recouped, at which point a fund investor's investment surpasses the high-water mark. Once crystallised, performance fees typically cannot be clawed back. There are no other performance obligations or services provided which suggest these have been earned either before or after crystallisation date.

Rebates, which relate to repayments of management and performance fees charged, typically to institutional investors, are recognised in the period in which the associated fees for services are provided. Rebates are presented net within turnover.

2.6 Cost of sales

Cost of sales comprises third party administration fees and amounts recharged by other group undertakings in respect of delegated investment management services, which are recognised as incurred.

2.7 Interest income/(expense)

Interest income/(expense) is recognised using the effective interest rate method. In calculating interest income/(expense), the effective interest rate is applied to the gross carrying amount of the asset, when the asset is not impaired or to the amortised cost of the liability for interest expense. For financial assets that have been impaired after initial recognition, interest income is calculated by applying the effective interest rate to the amortised cost of the financial asset. If the asset is no longer impaired the interest income calculation reverts to the gross carrying amount.

Notes to the Financial Statements

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

2.8 Costs

Costs such as administrative expenses incurred in the operations of the business are recognised as incurred.

2.9 Taxation

The tax expense for the period comprises current tax. Tax is recognised in the Profit and Loss Account, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity. In this case, the tax is also recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity, respectively.

Current tax is provided at amounts expected to be paid (or recovered) using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the Balance Sheet date. Current tax is based on taxable profit for the year.

2.10 Financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised in the Company's Balance Sheet when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets and liabilities

All financial assets and liabilities are recognised and derecognised on a trade date, being the date on which the Company commits to purchase or sell the asset or liability. Financial assets are derecognised only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset have expired or have been transferred and the Company has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to another entity. The Company derecognises financial liabilities when, and only when, the Company's obligations are discharged, cancelled or they expire. Any gain or loss arising on derecognition of a financial asset or liability is recognised directly in profit or loss.

Financial assets and liabilities are initially measured at fair value, plus transaction costs, except for those financial assets and liabilities classified as at fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL"), which are initially measured at fair value. Transaction costs of financial assets and liabilities carried at FVTPL are expensed in profit or loss.

The Company's financial assets and liabilities are measured subsequently at amortised cost or at FVTPL depending on the classification of the financial assets and liabilities, with classification determined at the time of initial recognition.

Financial assets and liabilities at amortised cost

Trade and other receivables and trade and other payables are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Interest income and expense is recognised by applying the effective interest rate. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash flows through the expected life of the instrument or, where appropriate, a shorter period, to the net carrying amount on initial recognition.

Financial assets and liabilities at FVTPL

Financial assets and liabilities at FVTPL are measured at fair value, with gains or losses arising on remeasurement recognised in profit or loss and presented within other operating income in the Profit and Loss Account.

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2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

2.10 Financial instruments (continued)

Valuation techniques and assumptions applied for the purposes of measuring fair value

The fair values of financial assets and liabilities are determined as follows.

- The fair values of financial assets and liabilities with standard terms and conditions and traded on active liquid markets are determined with reference to quoted market prices.
- The fair values of other financial assets and liabilities (excluding derivative instruments) are determined in accordance with generally accepted pricing models based on discounted cash flow analysis using prices from observable current market transactions and dealer quotes for similar instruments.
- The fair values of derivative instruments are calculated using observable prices.

Impairment of financial assets

The Company recognises a loss allowance for expected credit losses ("ECL") on its financial assets measured at amortised cost by applying the simplified approach under IFRS 9. The assessment of the probability of default and loss is based on historical data adjusted by observable data on events that may have a detrimental impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset.

Financial assets are written off when there is information indicating that the counterparty is in severe financial difficulty and there is no realistic prospect of recovery. Any subsequent recoveries are recognised in profit or loss.

2.11 Derivative financial instruments

At times, the Company may enter into derivative financial instruments, including foreign exchange forward contracts, to manage its exposure to foreign exchange rate risk and to fair value movements in its current asset investments.

Derivatives are initially recognised at fair value at the date a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently remeasured to their fair value at each Balance Sheet date. The resulting gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss immediately.

A derivative with a positive fair value is recognised as a financial asset whereas a derivative with a negative fair value is recognised as a financial liability.

3. Judgements in applying accounting policies and key sources of estimation uncertainty

In the application of the Company's accounting policies, the directors are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions, which are reviewed on an ongoing basis, are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

The directors have determined that there are no significant areas of judgement or key sources of estimation uncertainty that have a material impact on the Company's financial statements.

The directors have also considered the possible impact of climate change on the estimates and assumptions used in the preparation of the Company's financial statements and have concluded there are no key assumptions concerning the future or other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the reporting date that may have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

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4.	Turnover

An analysis of the Company's turnover is as follows:

	2022	2021
	£000	£000
Management and other fees	51,738	62,141
Performance fees	198	5,536
	51,936	67,677

Analysis of the Company's turnover by geographical location is set out below, which is based on the registered domicile of the relevant fund entity:

	2022	2021
	£000£	£000
United Kingdom	51,936	67,677
	51,936	67,677

5. Other operating expense

	2022	2021
	€000	£000
Net foreign exchange losses	3	8
	3	8

6. Interest receivable and similar income

	2022	2021
	£000	£000
Interest receivable from group companies	73	48
	73	48

7. Interest payable and similar expenses

	£000	£000
Bank loans and overdrafts	19	1
Interest payable to group companies	15	3
	34	4

2022

2021

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8. Auditor's remuneration

The Company paid the following amounts to its auditor in respect of the audit of the financial statements and for other services provided to the Company:

	2022	2021
	€000	£000
Fees for the audit of the Company	42	46
Non-audit services	57	47
	99	93

9. Employees

The Company had no employees at 31 December 2022 (2021: None).

10. Directors' remuneration

	2022	2021
	£000	£000
Directors' remuneration	69	55
	69	55

Remuneration comprises fees payable to the Company's independent directors.

Other directors of the Company were all remunerated by another Group entity for their services to the Group as a whole. It is not practicable to allocate their remuneration between their services as directors of the Company and the remuneration received from employment. The directors receive no incremental emoluments for their services to the Company.

11. Taxation

	2022 £000	2021 £000
Corporation tax Current tax on profits for the year	55	36
	55	36
Total current tax	55	36

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11. Taxation (continued)

Factors affecting tax charge for the year

The tax assessed for the year is the same as (2021: the same as) the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 19% (2021: 19%) as set out below:

	2022 £000	2021 £000
Profit before tax	290	190
Profit multiplied by standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 19% (2021: 19%)	55	36
Total tax expense	55	36

Factors that may affect future tax charges

As enacted on 10 June 2021, the headline corporation tax rate will increase from 19% to 25% from 1 April 2023.

12. Debtors

Amounts falling due within one year

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Amounts owed by group undertakings	7,582	8,427
Other debtors	16,753	18,280
Prepayments and accrued income	4,230	9,534
	28,565	36,241

No balances are overdue and, under the expected credit loss model of IFRS 9, no impairment loss has been recognised at 31 December 2022 (2021: £NIL)

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13. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2022 £000	2021 £000
Bank loans and overdrafts	1,455	=
Amounts owed to group undertakings	3,996	9,532
Corporation tax liability	55	36
Other creditors	15,151	18,169
Accruals and deferred income	1,927	2,859
	22,584	30,596

Included within amounts owed to group undertakings are derivatives held with other group undertakings of £NIL (2021: £2,000). Refer to Note 15 for further details.

14. Share capital

	2022	2021
	£000	£000
Allotted, called-up and fully-paid		
1,000,002 (2021: 1,000,002) ordinary shares of £1.00 each	1,000	1,000

The Company has one class of ordinary shares which carries no right to fixed income.

15. Financial instruments

Categories of financial instruments at fair value

	2022 £000	2021 £000
Financial assets at fair value		
Fair value through profit and loss – derivative instruments	-	2
		2
Changes in value of financial instruments at fair value for the year		
Credit to the Profit and Loss Account	2	3
	2	3

16. Related party transactions

The Company has taken advantage of the exemption under the provisions of FRS 101 from disclosing transactions with other wholly owned Group entities since the Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Man Group plc, the consolidated financial statements of which are publicly available.

During the year and the preceding year there have been no transactions with related parties other than wholly owned Group entities.

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17. Controlling party

In the opinion of the directors, the Company's ultimate parent company and ultimate controlling party is Man Group plc, a company registered in Jersey. The immediate parent undertaking and controlling party is FA Sub 3 Limited, a company registered in the British Virgin Islands.

The smallest and largest group of undertakings that prepares consolidated accounts of which the Company is a member is Man Group plc. The financial statements of the Company are available from the Company's registered office address.

The group financial statements of Man Group plc are available from 22 Grenville Street, St Helier, Jersey, JE4 8PX.