Thai Poly Acrylic Public Company Limited

Notes to interim financial statements

For the three-month period ended 31 March 2011

1. General information

1.1 Corporate information

Thai Poly Acrylic Public Company Limited ("the Company") is a public company incorporated and domiciled in Thailand. Its major shareholders are Lucite International UK Overseas Holdco1 Limited, incorporated in England and Asiatic Acrylic Company Limited, incorporated in Thailand, with shareholdings of 42.3 percent and 34.1 percent, respectively. Lucite International UK Overseas Holdco1 Limited is a subsidiary of Lucite International Group Limited, incorporated in England and the ultimate parent company of the Group is Mitsubishi Rayon Company Limited, incorporated in Japan. The Company is principally engaged in the manufacture and distribution of Acrylic, Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene and High Impact Polystyrene sheets. Each of these products is considered as part of the same line of business. The registered office of the Company is at 60-61 Moo 9, 4th Putthamonthon Road, Krathumlom, Sampran, Nakornpathom.

1.2 Basis for the preparation of interim financial statements

These interim financial statements are prepared in accordance with Accounting Standard No. 34 (revised 2009) "Interim Financial Reporting", with the Company choosing to present condensed interim financial statements. However, the Company has presented the statements of financial position, comprehensive income, changes in shareholders' equity, and cash flows in the same format as that used for the annual financial statements.

The interim financial statements are intended to provide information additional to that included in the latest annual financial statements. Accordingly, they focus on new activities, events and circumstances so as not to duplicate information previously reported. These interim financial statements should therefore be read in conjunction with the latest annual financial statements.

The interim financial statements in Thai language are the official statutory financial statements of the Company. The interim financial statements in English language have been translated from the Thai language financial statements.

1.3 Application of new accounting standards during the period

During the current quarter, the Company adopted a number of revised and new accounting standards, issued by the Federation of Accounting Professions, as listed below.

Accounting	standards:
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TAS 1 (revised 2009)	Presentation of Financial Statements
TAS 2 (revised 2009)	Inventories
TAS 7 (revised 2009)	Statement of Cash Flows
TAS 8 (revised 2009)	Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and
	Errors
TAS 10 (revised 2009)	Events after the Reporting Period
TAS 11 (revised 2009)	Construction Contracts
TAS 16 (revised 2009)	Property, Plant and Equipment
TAS 17 (revised 2009)	Leases
TAS 18 (revised 2009)	Revenue
TAS 19	Employee Benefits
TAS 23 (revised 2009)	Borrowing Costs
TAS 24 (revised 2009)	Related Party Disclosures
TAS 26	Accounting and Reporting by Retirement Benefit Plans
TAS 27 (revised 2009)	Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements
TAS 28 (revised 2009)	Investments in Associates
TAS 29	Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies
TAS 31 (revised 2009)	Interests in Joint Ventures
TAS 33 (revised 2009)	Earnings per Share
TAS 34 (revised 2009)	Interim Financial Reporting
TAS 36 (revised 2009)	Impairment of Assets
TAS 37 (revised 2009)	Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets
TAS 38 (revised 2009)	Intangible Assets
TAS 40 (revised 2009)	Investment Property

Financial reporting standards:

TFRS 2	Share-Based Payment
TFRS 3 (revised 2009)	Business Combinations
TFRS 5 (revised 2009)	Non-current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued
	Operations
TFRS 6	Exploration for and Evaluation of Mineral Resources

Financial Reporting Standard Interpretations:

TFRIC 15 Agreements for the Construction of Real Estate

Accounting Standard Interpretations:

SIC 31 Revenue-Barter Transactions Involving Advertising Services

These accounting standards do not have any significant impact on the financial statements for the current quarter, except for the following accounting standard.

TAS 19 Employee Benefits

This accounting standard requires employee benefits to be recognised as expense in the period in which the service is performed by the employee. In particular, an entity has to evaluate and make a provision for post-employment benefits and other long-term employee benefits using actuarial techniques. The Company previously accounted for such employee benefits when they were incurred.

The Company has changed this accounting policy in the current quarter and recognises the liability in the transition period through an adjustment to the beginning balance of retained earnings of the current quarter. The change has the effect of decreasing the profit of the Company for the three-month period ended 31 March 2011 by Baht 0.3 million, or 0.03 Baht per share. The cumulative effect of the change in the accounting policy has been separately presented in the statement of changes in shareholders' equity.

1.4 Significant accounting policies

The interim financial statements are prepared using the same accounting policies and methods of computation as were used for the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2010, except for the following changes in accounting estimation and accounting policy.

Changing in accounting estimation

Useful lives of machinery and equipment

In the current quarter, the Company has reviewed and changed the useful lives of some machinery and equipment from 5 and 10 years to 15-20 years. The change became effective immediately from 1 January 2011 onwards. The change has the effect of increasing the profit of the Company for the three-month period ended 31 March 2011 by Baht 1.9 million, or 0.16 Baht per share.

Changing in accounting policy

Employee benefits

Post-employment benefits (Defined contribution plans)

The Company and its employees have jointly established a provident fund. The fund is monthly contributed by employees and by the Company. The fund's assets are held in a

separate trust fund and the Company's contributions are recognised as expenses when incurred.

Post-employment benefits (Defined benefit plans) and other long-term employee benefits.

The Company has obligations in respect of the severance payments it must make to employees upon retirement under labor law. The Company treats these severance payment obligations as a defined benefit plan. In addition, the Company provides other long-term employee benefit plan, namely long service awards.

The obligations under the defined benefit plan and other long-term employee benefit plan are determined by a professionally qualified independent actuary based on actuarial techniques, using the projected unit credit method. Such determination is made based on various assumptions, including discount rate, future salary increase rate, staff turnover rate, and mortality rate.

For the first-time adoption of TAS 19 Employee Benefits, the Company elected to recognise the transitional liability, which exceeds the liability that would have been recognised at the same date under the previous accounting policy, through an adjustment to the beginning balance of retained earnings of the current quarter.

2. New accounting standards issued during the period not yet effective

During the current quarter, the Federation of Accounting Professions issued the below listed new accounting standards that are effective for fiscal years beginning on or after 1 January 2013.

Accounting Standard Interpretations:

SIC 10	Government Assistance - No Specific Relation to Operating Activities
SIC 21	Income Taxes - Recovery of Revalued Non-Depreciable Assets
SIC 25	Income Taxes - Changes in the Tax Status of an Entity or its Shareholders

3. Related party transactions

During the periods, the Company had significant business transactions with related parties. Such transactions, which are summarised below, arose in the ordinary course of business and were concluded on commercial terms and bases agreed upon between the Company and those related parties.

(Unit: Million Baht)

	For the three-n	nonth periods	
	ended 31 March		Pricing policies
	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	
Transactions with related parties			
Sales of goods	2.8	1.0	With reference to market price
Purchases of raw materials	184.2	159.0	As agreed with reference to

(Unit: Million Baht)

	For the three-r	month periods	3
	ended 3	1 March	Pricing policies
	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	
			market price
Service expenses	0.8	2.2	Contract price and as agreed

The balances of the accounts between the Company and those related parties as at 31 March 2011 and 31 December 2010 are as follows:

		(Unit: Baht)
	31 March 2011	31 December 2010
		(Audited)
Trade accounts receivable - related parties		
Fellow subsidiaries	2,746,090	1,086,156
Trade accounts payable - related parties		
Fellow subsidiaries	6,522,558	6,813,259
Subsidiaries of ultimate parent		
Thai MMA Company Limited	220,450,687	207,313,197
Others	15,540,145	16,536,301
Total trade accounts payable - related parties	242,513,390	230,662,757
Amount due to related parties		
Fellow subsidiaries	1,252,564	4,233,657
Subsidiaries of ultimate parent	188,234	348,621
Total amount due to related parties	1,440,798	4,582,278

<u>Directors and management's remunerations</u>

During the three-month period ended 31 March 2011, the Company had employee benefits of their directors and management recognised as expenses totaling Baht 4.6 million.

4. Trade accounts receivable

The balances of trade accounts receivable as at 31 March 2011 and 31 December 2010, aged on the basis of due dates, are summarised below.

		(Unit: Baht)
	31 March 2011	31 December 2010
		(Audited)
Age of receivables		
Receivables from related companies		
Not yet due	2,746,090	1,086,156
Total	2,746,090	1,086,156
Receivables from unrelated companies		
Not yet due	386,811,598	350,426,102
Past due		
Up to 3 months	27,732,673	33,054,092
3 - 6 months	-	3,081,969
6 - 12 months	-	81,919
Longer than 12 months	708,430	708,430
Total	415,252,701	387,352,512
Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts	(708,430)	(708,430)
Net	414,544,271	386,644,082
Trade accounts receivable - net	417,290,361	387,730,238

5. Allowance for diminution in value of inventories

Movements of the allowance for diminution in value of inventories account during the three-month period ended 31 March 2011 are summarised below.

	(Unit: Baht)
Balance as at 1 January 2011	4,227,219
Add: Allowance for diminution in value of inventories recorded	
during the period	94,952
Balance as at 31 March 2011	4,322,171

6. Property, plant and equipment

Movements of the property, plant and equipment account during the three-month period ended 31 March 2011 are summarised below.

	(Unit: Baht)
Net book value as at 1 January 2011	287,376,880
Acquisitions during the period - at cost	1,705,515
Depreciation for the period	(6,417,916)
Net book value as at 31 March 2011	282,664,479

7. Computer software

Movements of the computer software account during the three-month period ended 31 March 2011 are summarised below.

	(Unit: Baht)
Net book value as at 1 January 2011	2,050,000
Amortisation for the period	(34,821)
Net book value as at 31 March 2011	2,015,179

8. Prepaid rental expenses

Movements of the prepaid rental expenses account during the three-month period ended 31 March 2011 are summarised below.

Net book value as at 31 March 2011	2,023,169
Amortisation for the period	(252,896)
Net book value as at 1 January 2011	2,276,065
	(Unit: Baht)

9. Credit facilities

The credit facilities of the Company granted by financial institutions amounting to Baht 266 million (31 December 2010: Baht 266 million) are secured by the following:

- a) The pledges/mortgages by land, buildings, machinery and equipment of the Company, with cost totaling Baht 183 million (31 December 2010: Baht 183 million)
- b) The pledges/mortgages by twelve-month fixed deposit (for bank overdraft facilities)

10. Statutory reserve

According to the Public Limited Companies Act B.E.2535, the Company is required to set aside a statutory reserve at least five percent of its net profit for the year, after deducting accumulated deficit brought forward (if any), until such reserve reaches ten percent of the registered share capital. The statutory reserve could not be used for dividend payment. At present, the Company's statutory reserve reaches ten percent of the registered share capital.

11. Corporate income tax

Corporate income tax for the period has been calculated by multiplying income before income tax for the period by the estimated effective tax rate for the year.

12. Earnings per share

Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing profit for the period attributable to equity holders of the Company (excluding other comprehensive income) by the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the year.

	For the three-month	
	periods ended 31 March	
	2011	2010
Profit for the period (Baht)	24,337,360	22,311,338
Weighted average number of ordinary shares (shares)	12,150,000	12,150,000
Earnings per share (Baht/share)	2.00	1.84

13. Segment information

The Company engages principally in the business of manufacturing and selling of Acrylic, Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene and High Impact Polystyrene sheets. Each of these products is considered part of the same line of business which is regarded as one business segment.

Sales of the Company comprised mainly domestic sales and export sales to neighbouring countries. In addition, the Company also had export sales to countries in Middle East, Oceania and the Untied States of America.

Sales and service income by geographic markets of the Company for the three-month periods ended 31 March 2011 and 2010 are as follows:

		(Unit: Million Baht)
	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
Thailand and neighbouring countries	369.0	307.8
Countries in Middle East	29.2	28.7
Countries in Oceania	34.3	28.8
The United States of America	3.6	1.6
Total	436.1	366.9

Due to the fact that these geographical segments are sharing the same revenue-generated assets and liabilities, the Company did not allocate cost of sales and services and assets and liabilities among these geographical segments.

14. Commitments and contingent liabilities

14.1 Capital commitments

As a 31 March 2011, the Company had capital commitments of Baht 5.5 million, relating to the acquisitions of machinery and equipment.

14.2 Operating lease commitments

The Company has entered into several lease agreements in respect of the lease of land and building. The terms of the agreements are generally between 1 to 10 years.

As at 31 March 2011, future minimum lease payments required under these non-cancellable operating lease contracts were as follows:

	(Unit: Million Baht)
Payable within:	
Less than 1 year	1.8
1 to 5 years	1.3
Total	3.1

14.3 Service agreement commitments

As at 31 March 2011, the Company had commitments of Baht 3.5 million, relating to service agreements which are payable within one year.

14.4 Bank guarantees

As at 31 March 2011, there were outstanding bank guarantee of approximately Baht 6.7 million issued by a bank on behalf of the Company respect of electricity usage and others.

15. Foreign currency risk

The balances of financial assets and liabilities of the Company denominated in foreign currencies as at 31 March 2011 are summarised below.

			Average exchange rate	
Foreign currency	Financial assets	Financial liabilities	as at 31 March 2011	
	(Million)	(Million)	(Baht per 1 foreign currency unit)	
USD	3.0	0.5	30.2967	
AUD	0.6	-	31.3024	
JPY	-	5.4	0.3658	

Foreign exchange contracts of the Company outstanding at 31 March 2011 are summarised below.

Foreign currency	Amount	Contractual exchange rate
	(Million)	(Baht per 1 foreign currency unit)
Contracts to sell foreign currencies	es	
USD	1.8	29.62 - 30.62
AUD	0.6	29.40

16. Subsequent event

On 27 April 2011, the Annual General Meeting of the Company's shareholders passed a resolution to pay a dividend of Baht 4.00 per share for the year 2010, a total of Baht 48.6 million.

17. Approval of interim financial statements

These interim financial statements were authorised for issue by the Company's Board of Directors on 16 May 2011.