

EMGS third quarter 2013

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Highlights in the third quarter 2013

Operational highlights

- Successful completion of contract in Brunei
- Start-up of PEMEX contract and subsequently adding a second vessel
- New contract with Maersk Oil Angola and Nippon in Malaysia, LOI for north west Australia
- First results from sub-salt imaging project in US Gulf of Mexico shows that using EM provides significant improvement compared to seismic alone

Financial highlights

- Revenues of USD 23.6 million
- EBITDA of USD -3.5 million

Outlook and guidance

- Good contract coverage for Q413 and Q114
- Wisting discovery important for future multi-client sales in the Barents Sea
- Full year 2013 guiding remains dependent on closing of multi-client late sales Q4
- Long-term outlook intact

Key financial figures

USD million (except per share data)	Q3 2013	Q3 2012	Year to date 2013	Year to date 2012	2012	Q2 2013
Contract sales	21.5	39.0	71.2	141.6	176.1	29.6
Multi-client sales	2.1	4.2	28.5	14.3	24.7	14.8
Total revenues	23.6	43.2	99.7	155.8	200.8	44.4
Operating profit/ (loss)	(9.4)	1.1	(13.4)	27.6	29.2	2.0
Income/ (loss) before income taxes	(11.8)	(2.9)	(14.6)	19.1	17.9	(1.6)
Net income/ (loss)	(12.2)	(5.8)	(16.4)	12.6	11.9	(1.6)
Earnings/ (loss) per share	(0.06)	(0.03)	(0.08)	0.06	0.06	(0.01)
Average number of shares outstanding (in thousands)	199 110	198 500	199 082	197 971	198 161	198 936
EBITDA	(3.5)	7.3	11.0	45.8	55.9	13.2
Multi-client investment	10.2	3.2	30.5	13.0	21.4	11.9
Adjusted EBITDA	(13.7)	4.1	(19.5)	32.8	34.5	1.3

Financial review

Revenues and operating expenses

EMGS recorded revenues of USD 23.6 million in the third quarter of 2013, down from USD 43.2 million in the third quarter of 2012. Contract sales totalled USD 21.5 million while multi-client sales came in at USD 2.1 million in the third quarter of 2013, compared to contract sales of USD 39.0 million and multi-client sales of USD 4.2 million in the corresponding period last year. The multi-client sales in 2013 do not include the contribution from TGS to the joint project, as this is booked as a reduction of the carrying value of the multi-client library. The reduction in revenues is mainly explained by the steaming of the BOA Galatea to Mexico and the EM Leader steaming towards Angola in September, as well as the higher level of time spent on multi-client work this quarter compared to the corresponding quarter last year.

The Company recorded 9.9 vessel months in the third quarter of 2013 as opposed to 9.6 in the third quarter of 2012. EMGS's vessels were allocated 35% to contract and 42% to multi-client programmes in the third quarter of 2013, compared to 53% to contract and 16% to multi-client programmes the corresponding period last year.

Charter hire, fuel and crew expenses totalled USD 8.9 million in the third quarter of 2013, down from USD 17.9 million in the corresponding quarter in 2012. The reduction is related to capitalisation of multi-client costs of USD 10.2 million in the third quarter of 2013, compared with USD 3.2 million in the corresponding period last year.

Employee expenses increased from USD 12.9 million in the third quarter of 2012 to USD 13.1 million in the third quarter 2013 owing to higher operational activity throughout 2012 and a corresponding increase in the work force during 2012.

Other operating expenses were stable USD 5.1 million in the third quarter 2013 and 2012.

Depreciation and amortisation

Depreciation and ordinary amortisation totalled USD 4.5 million in the third quarter 2013, up from USD 3.6 million in the same quarter in 2012. The increase is due to investment in equipment.

Multi-client amortisation totalled USD 1.4 million in the third quarter of 2013, down from USD 2.7 million in the third quarter last year.

Net financial items

Interest expenses increased from USD 1.3 million in the third

quarter of 2012 to USD 1.5 million this quarter. The Company recorded a loss on net foreign currency of USD 1.1 million this quarter, while a loss of USD 2.8 million was recorded in the corresponding quarter last year. Net financial items ended at negative USD 2.5 million, compared with a loss of USD 4.0 million in the third quarter 2012.

Income/(loss) before income taxes

Loss before income taxes came in at USD 11.8 million in the third quarter 2013, compared with a loss before income taxes of USD 2.9 million in the corresponding quarter in 2012.

Income tax expenses

Income tax expenses of USD 0.4 million were recorded in the third quarter of 2013, compared with an income tax expense of USD 2.8 million in the third quarter of 2012. These taxes relate to results in foreign jurisdictions.

Net income for the period

Loss for the third quarter of 2013 ended at USD 12.2 million, down from a loss of USD 5.8 million in the same period last year.

Cash flow and balance sheet

In the third quarter of 2013, net cash flow from operating activities was USD 30.8 million, compared with USD 19.8 million the same period last year. The positive cash flow in 2013 is mainly caused by a strong working capital reduction. Trade receivables decreased from USD 48.6 million at the end of the second quarter of 2013 to USD 27.4 million at the end of the third quarter. Trade payables increased from USD 13.2 million to USD 15.6 million during the third quarter. In addition, other receivables decreased from USD 30.0 million to USD 20.1 million the same period.

For the first nine months of 2013, cash flow from operating activities was USD 39.1 million, compared with USD 23.9 million for the comparable period in 2012.

EMGS applied USD 13.8 million in investing activities in the third quarter of 2013. The investments consist of USD 10.2 million in multi-client library and USD 3.6 million in property, plant and equipment. The ending multi-client library balance on 30 September 2013 was USD 31.0 million, up from USD 22.8 million at 30 June 2013. The carrying value of the multi-client library balance was in the third quarter reduced by USD 0.7 million through the contribution from TGS to the joint project in the Barents Sea.

In the same period in 2012, cash applied in investing activities amounted to USD 8.5 million.

Cash applied in investing activities in the first nine months this year amounted to USD 43.3 million, of which USD 30.5 million in multi-client data and USD 12.8 million in property, plant and equipment, compared with a total of USD 27.6 million in the same period in 2012.

Cash flow from financial activities was negative USD 16.1 million in the third quarter of 2013, compared with USD 2.1 million in the same period of 2012. In the third quarter of 2013, USD 14.9 million was used to repay the remaining part of the NOK 250 million bond which matured in May 2014. Total borrowings were USD 58.6 million at 30 September 2013, compared with USD 73.0 million at 30 June 2013.

Cash flow from financial activities was USD 10.9 million in the first nine months of 2013, compared with a negative USD 2.7 million in the same period in 2012.

Cash increased by USD 0.9 million and USD 6.6 million in the third quarter and the first nine months 2013 respectively. At 30 September 2013 cash and cash equivalents totalled USD 46.9 million, including USD 1.0 million restricted cash.

Operational review

Vessel utilisation

	Q3 2013	Q2 2013	Q1 2013	Q4 2012	Q3 2012
Contract	35%	32%	29%	44%	53%
Multi-client	42%	46%	34%	40%	16%
Total utilisation	77%	78%	63%	84%	69%

Vessel utilisation and fleet allocation

EMGS defines “vessel utilisation” as the percentage of the vessel charter period spent on contracted or multi-client data acquisition.

Vessel utilisation for the third quarter of 2013 came in at 77% compared with 69% in the third quarter of 2012.

In the third quarter of 2013, the Company’s vessels were allocated 35% to contract and 42% to multi-client programmes, whereas the allocation was 53% and 16% respectively in the corresponding quarter last year. EMGS recorded 9.9 vessel months in the third quarter, compared with 9.6 in the third quarter of 2012.

Vessel activity

BOA Thalassa

The BOA Thalassa spent the entire third quarter of 2013 acquiring 3D electromagnetic (EM) data under a USD 35 million contract in Brunei, which was extended by USD 15 million in June. The survey was completed mid-October, after which the vessel went to a scheduled yard stay in Singapore for about two weeks.

On 24 September, the Company announced that it had received a Letter of Intent for approximately one month of EM acquisition in Malaysia. The vessel started operating on this contract for Nippon in Malaysia mid-November, following the yard stay.

The vessel’s utilisation for the third quarter was 91%.

BOA Galatea

The BOA Galatea spent the first half of the third quarter acquiring 3D EM data under multi-client programme in the Foz do Amazonas area in the equatorial margin of Brazil. On 15 August, the vessel started mobilising to Mexico and was prepared for the USD 99.8 million contract with PEMEX, which the vessel started operating on from 14 September.

The vessel’s utilisation came in at 71% for the third quarter.

Atlantic Guardian

The Atlantic Guardian acquired 3D EM data under a multi-client programme in the Barents Sea in the entire third quarter.

As previously communicated, the EMGS and TGS signed an agreement in June 2013 to jointly invest in a 3D electromagnetic (EM) multi-client survey programme covering 11 blocks, or approximately 3300 km², in the Hoop area of the Barents Sea. The majority of these blocks were acquired by the Atlantic Guardian in the second quarter, while the remaining part of the survey was completed in the third quarter.

After the joint survey was completed, the vessel continued to expand EMGS’ multi-client library in the Barents Sea, which now includes more than 30 000 km² of multi-client 3D EM data.

The Atlantic Guardian’s utilisation for the third quarter was 95%.

EM Leader

The EM Leader’s firm charter period expired on 15 June. On 3 September, EMGS chartered the vessel for a period of 3 months and the vessel started mobilising towards Angola to work on a contract with Maersk Oil Angola worth a minimum of USD 8 million. The vessel started operating on the contract on 21 October.

The EM Leader recorded 0.9 vessel months in this quarter and had a utilization of 0%.

	Utilisation Q3	Status Q3	Firm charter period	Optional charter period
BOA Thalassa	91%	In operation	18 December 2014	2 x 12 months
BOA Galatea	71%	In operation	17 July 2015	2 x 12 months
Atlantic Guardian	95%	In operation	1 March 2016	3 x 12 months
EM Leader	0%	Standby until expiration of charter on 15 June, new charter hire from 3 September	3 December 2013	Optional 1-, 3-, 6- or 12-month charters until 9 March 2015
EM Express	Not applicable	Standby at no cost in Bergen	Not applicable	Optional 3-, 6- or 12-month charters until 9 May 2014. Note that vessel owner has the option to terminate the agreement with 45 days' notice.

Other events in the quarter

Wisting discovery

On 6 September 2013, the Norwegian Petroleum Directorate announced that the operator had found oil in the first, wildcat well drilled in production license 537 in the Hoop area in the Barents Sea. The exploration well, also known as the Wisting Central, is the northernmost oil discovery on the Norwegian continental shelf.

Tullow Oil plc, which has a 20% interest in the licence, said the discovery demonstrates the effectiveness of exploration techniques that combine shallow seismic and electromagnetic survey data.

To EMGS, the discovery was important as it once again proved how EM data can be used in the exploration workflow. Every drilling result that matches the conclusions from the predictions based on EM data contributes to strengthen the market's awareness, adoption and integration of the EMGS services.

Joint Schlumberger-EMGS sub-salt project in US GoM

At the SEG conference in Houston, Schlumberger and EMGS presented the first results from their joint sub-salt project in the US Gulf of Mexico. The results show that using EM provides significant improvement in prestack depth migrated images compared to seismic alone under complex salt structures. This is the first time EM data has been used to improve seismic images below complex salt structures.

Recent events

On 12 November, EMGS announced that the vessel Atlantic Guardian was added to the contract worth USD 99.8 million with PEMEX and that the vessel would commence operations in Mexico mid-November. The vessel is expected to work on the PEMEX campaign throughout first quarter of 2014.

Also, the company announced an additional Letter of Intent in

north west Australia for the vessel BOA Thalassa to award a contract of one month minimum 3D EM data acquisition in the region.

The new fleet allocation adds important operational and financial visibility for EMGS over the next winter months.

Share information

EMGS was listed at the Oslo Stock Exchange in March 2007. During the third quarter 2013, the EMGS share was traded between NOK 10.01 and NOK 7.03 per share.

The last closing price before 30 September 2013 was NOK 7.54. The Company had a total of 199 340 055 shares outstanding at 30 September 2013.

Risks factors

EMGS is subject to a number of risk factors, of which the most important is the demand for EM services. EM technology is still a technology in its adoption phase, and considerable effort has to be undertaken in order to strengthen the market's awareness, adoption and integration of the services offered. EMGS intends to maintain a proper cost level and funding to match the future demand for its products and services.

The demand from the oil and gas companies is also dependent upon a number of factors that affect offshore exploration and production expenditures in general. In addition, there are risks associated with EM marine operations which might affect the profitability of projects. Examples include: Change in governmental regulations affecting EMGS's markets, technical downtime, adverse weather conditions, licenses and permitting, as well as delays in closing revenue-generating contracts. For a further description of other relevant risk factors, please refer to the Annual Report for 2012.

Outlook

During the third quarter, EMGS mobilised the two vessels BOA Galatea and EM Leader to regions with better prospects. Also, the Company made important investments in multi-client programmes in Brazil and the Barents Sea in Norway. Although this affected the Company's third quarter results, it also gives the Company a positive outlook for the next quarters.

Adding the Atlantic Guardian to the PEMEX contract further improves visibility, giving the Company good contract coverage for all four operating vessels for the fourth quarter 2013 and the first quarter of 2014.

The Company's full year 2013 revenue guidance remains dependant on closing of multi-client late sales in the fourth quarter. The Company expects to have approximately USD 50 million in contract revenues for the fourth quarter, in addition to multi-client late sales closed in the quarter. The Company experiences increased uncertainty related to the timing of the multi-client sales.

Going into the 2014, the Company is in a better position than at the same time last year. The contract coverage is improved, the price level remains attractive and the product portfolio is expanded. Also, customer's exploration achievements, in particular in Mexico and the Barents Sea, further confirm the technology's value proposition and contribute to increased market awareness.

EMGS's long-term outlook is positive and the Company reiterates its strategy to achieve industry-wide integration of EM into the exploration workflow.

Oslo, 13 November 2013
Board of Directors and CEO

Consolidated income statement

Quarter ended 30 September

Amounts in USD 1 000	Q3 2013 Unaudited	Q3 2012 Unaudited	YTD 2013 Unaudited	YTD 2012 Unaudited	2012 Audited
Operating revenues					
Contract sales	21 526	38 959	71 190	141 554	176 118
Multi-client pre-funding	2 046	3 329	2 846	8 225	15 960
Multi-client late sales	38	904	25 671	6 056	8 753
Total operating revenues	23 610	43 192	99 707	155 835	200 831
Operating expenses					
Charter hire, fuel and crew expenses	8 947	17 894	30 910	56 107	68 822
Employee expenses	13 065	12 899	41 424	38 897	55 076
Depreciation and ordinary amortisation	4 504	3 557	13 177	9 799	13 920
Multi-client amortisation	1 370	2 665	11 237	8 421	12 709
Other operating expenses	5 080	5 071	16 366	15 049	21 080
Total operating expenses	32 966	42 086	113 114	128 273	171 607
Operating profit/(loss)	-9 356	1 106	-13 407	27 562	29 224
Financial income and expenses					
Interest income	150	69	261	162	220
Interest expenses	-1 526	-1 276	-6 115	-4 101	-5 377
Net foreign currency income/(loss)	-1 106	-2 826	4 628	-4 478	-6 125
Net financial items	-2 482	-4 033	-1 226	-8 417	-11 282
Income/(loss) before income taxes	-11 838	-2 927	-14 633	19 145	17 942
Income tax expense	376	2 845	1 759	6 545	6 047
Income/(loss) for the period	-12 214	-5 772	-16 392	12 600	11 895
Consolidated statement of comprehensive income					
Income/(loss) for the period	-12 214	-5 772	-16 392	12 600	11 895
Other comprehensive income					
<i>Other comprehensive income to be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods:</i>					
Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	-289	4 374	-15	4 382	4 619
<i>Items not to be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods:</i>					
Actuarial gains/(losses) on defined benefit plans	-	-	-	-	3 075
Other comprehensive income	-289	4 374	-15	4 382	7 694
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period net of tax	-12 503	-1 398	-16 407	16 982	19 589

Consolidated statement of financial position

Quarter ended 30 September

Amounts in USD 1 000	Nine months ended 30 September 2013 Unaudited	Half year ended 30 June 2013 Unaudited	Year ended 31 December 2012 Audited
ASSETS			
Non-current assets			
Goodwill	14 422	14 422	14 422
Multi-client library	30 977	22 775	14 126
Other intangible assets	3 812	4 614	4 877
Property, plant and equipment	25 934	27 364	32 233
Assets under construction	18 344	17 112	10 893
Total non-current assets	93 489	86 287	76 551
Current assets			
Spare parts, fuel, anchors and batteries	13 980	11 907	12 874
Trade receivables	27 357	48 563	47 000
Other receivables	20 073	29 976	14 960
Cash and cash equivalents	45 852	44 927	39 259
Restricted cash	1 002	1 308	8 543
Total current assets	108 265	136 682	122 637
Total assets	201 754	222 969	199 189
EQUITY			
Capital and reserves attributable to equity holders			
Share capital, share premium and other paid-in equity	284 351	283 392	268 709
Other reserves	-1 476	-1 187	-383
Actuarial gains/(losses)	3 563	3 563	3 563
Retained earnings	-185 122	-172 908	-157 939
Total equity	101 317	112 861	113 951
LIABILITIES			
Non-current liabilities			
Employee benefit obligations	2 268	2 150	2 285
Non-current tax liability	88	193	351
Provisions	5 513	4 260	3 811
Borrowings	57 922	57 186	45 608
Total non-current liabilities	65 791	63 789	52 055
Current liabilities			
Trade payables	15 569	13 206	9 616
Current tax liabilities	1 962	1 391	2 383
Other short term liabilities	16 463	15 939	19 843
Borrowings	650	15 781	1 340
Total current liabilities	34 645	46 318	33 183
Total liabilities	100 436	110 107	85 238
Total equity and liabilities	201 754	222 969	199 189

Consolidated statement of cash flows

Quarter ended 30 September

Amounts in USD 1 000	Q3 2013 Unaudited	Q3 2012 Unaudited	Nine months ended 30 Sep 2013 Unaudited	Nine months ended 30 Sep 2012 Unaudited	Year ended 31 December 2012 Audited
Net cash flow from operating activities:					
Income/-loss before income tax	-11 838	-2 927	-14 633	19 145	17 942
Adjustments for:					
Withholding tax expenses	439	7 574	1 723	9 869	10 847
Total taxes paid	-242	-7 146	-3 901	-19 994	-21 594
Depreciation and ordinary amortisation	4 504	3 557	13 177	9 799	13 920
Multi-client amortisation	1 371	2 665	11 237	8 421	12 709
Non-cash portion of pension expense	118	846	-17	1 461	-1 769
Cost of share-based payment	645	539	4 650	1 619	2 305
Change in trade receivables	21 206	15 520	19 643	-11 089	-19 239
Change in inventories	-2 073	-193	-1 106	-1 901	-3 142
Change in trade payables	2 363	954	5 953	1 079	-4 660
Change in other working capital	12 331	-3 967	-2 533	1 813	16 071
Amortisation of interest	1 975	2 333	4 858	3 726	5 347
Net cash flow from operating activities	30 799	19 755	39 051	23 948	28 737
Investing activities:					
Purchases of property, plant and equipment	-3 580	-5 119	-12 767	-14 514	-21 171
Purchases of intangible assets	-	-	-	-	-263
Investment in multi-client library	-10 202	-3 377	-30 562	-13 076	-21 362
Cash used in investing activities	-13 782	-8 496	-43 329	-27 590	-42 796
Financial activities:					
Financial lease payments - principal	-300	-214	-1 097	-856	-1 159
Proceeds from issuance of ordinary shares	314	352	418	1 374	1 377
Proceeds of bond offering	-	-	56 550	-	-
Repayment of bond	-14 945	-	-41 873	-	-
Payment of interest on bonds	-1 161	-2 236	-3 127	-3 264	-4 696
Cash provided by financial activities	-16 092	-2 098	10 871	-2 746	-4 478
Net increase in cash	925	9 161	6 593	-6 388	-18 537
Cash balance beginning of period	44 927	42 247	39 259	57 796	57 796
Cash balance end of period	45 852	51 408	45 852	51 408	39 259
Increase in cash	925	9 161	6 593	-6 388	-18 537

Consolidated statement of changes in equity

Attributable to equity holders of the Company

Amounts in USD 1 000	Share capital share premium and other paid-in equity	Foreign currency translation reserves	Actuarial gains/(losses)	Retained earnings	Total equity
Balance at 31 December 2011	265 027	-4 428	-	-169 836	90 765
Implementation of IAS 19	-	-	488	-	488
Balance at 1 January 2012	265 027	-4 428	488	-169 836	91 252
Total comprehensive income	-	2 379	-	6 972	9 351
Cost of share-based payment	504	-	-	-	504
Proceeds from shares issued - private placement and options exercised	915	-	-	-	915
Balance at 31 March 2012 (Unaudited)	266 446	-2 049	488	-162 864	102 022
Total comprehensive income	-	-2 371	-	11 401	9 030
Cost of share-based payment	576	-	-	-	576
Proceeds from shares issued - private placement and options exercised	107	-	-	-	107
Balance at 30 June 2012 (Unaudited)	267 129	-4 420	488	-151 463	111 735
Total comprehensive income	-	4 373	-	-5 771	-1 398
Cost of share-based payment	539	-	-	-	539
Proceeds from shares issued - private placement and options exercised - shares not registered	352	-	-	-	352
Balance at 30 September 2012 (Unaudited)	268 020	-47	488	-157 234	111 228
Total comprehensive income	-	-336	3 075	-705	2 034
Cost of share-based payment	686	-	-	-	686
Proceeds from shares issued - private placement and options exercised - shares not registered	3	-	-	-	3
Balance at 31 December 2012	268 709	-383	3 563	-157 939	113 951
Change in functional currency	10 574	-1 078	-	-10 791	-1 295
Balance at 1 January 2013	279 283	-1 461	3 563	-168 730	112 655
Total comprehensive income	-	237	-	-2 536	-2 299
Cost of share-based payment	1 718	-	-	-	1 718
Balance at 31 March 2013 (Unaudited)	281 001	-1 224	3 563	-171 266	112 075
Total comprehensive income	-	37	-	-1 642	-1 605
Cost of share-based payment	2 287	-	-	-	2 287
Proceeds from shares issued - private placement and options exercised - shares not registered	104	-	-	-	104
Balance at 30 June 2013 (Unaudited)	283 392	-1 187	3 563	-172 908	112 861
Total comprehensive income	-	-289	-	-12 214	-12 503
Cost of share-based payment	645	-	-	-	645
Proceeds from shares issued - private placement and options exercised - shares not registered	314	-	-	-	314
Balance at 30 September 2013 (Unaudited)	284 351	-1 476	3 563	-185 122	101 317

Notes to the financial statements

Accounting principles

The Group has applied the same accounting standards and policies as in the Group's financial statements at 31 December 2012, and has implied standards, interpretations and amendments which were effective from 1 January 2013.

IAS 19 Employee Benefits (Revised 2011) (IAS 19R)

IAS 19R includes a number of amendments to the accounting for defined benefit plans, including actuarial gains and losses that are now recognised in other comprehensive income (OCI) and permanently excluded from profit and loss. Expected returns on plan assets that are no longer recognised in profit or loss, instead, there is a requirement to recognise interest on the net defined benefit liability (asset) in profit or loss, calculated using the discount rate used to measure the defined benefit obligation, and; unvested past service costs are now recognised in profit or loss at the earlier of when the amendment occurs or when the related restructuring or termination costs are recognised.

The Group has applied IAS19R retrospectively from 1 January 2012 and comparative figures have been changed. The Group has previously used the corridor mechanism, which allowed the Group to not recognise changes resulting actuarial gains or losses as long as these were within a pre-defined bandwidth when accounting for actuarial gains and losses. The removal of the corridor mechanism implies that actuarial gains and losses shall be recognised in OCI in the current period. The gain within the corridor stood at USD 0.5 million as of 1 January 2012, and it has been dissolved, and the pension obligation decreased by the same amount, whereas equity increased by USD 0.5 million.

The amended standard will impact the net benefit expense as the expected return on plan assets will be calculated using the same interest rate as applied for the purpose of

discounting the benefit obligation. The difference between actual return of assets and the estimated return will be accounted for in OCI. The pension expense under previous standard was USD 2.3 million in 2012. No changes are made in the 2012 pension expense, as the changes are immaterial. Under the new standard, changes in actuarial assumptions recognised under OCI is USD 3.1 million. The pension obligation as of 31 Desember 2012 decreased from USD 5.8 million to USD 2.3 million. Since the Group has unrecognised deferred tax assets, no tax obligation has been recognised as a result of the implementation which these will be deducted from the asset.

Functional currency

EMGS ASA, the parent company, changed its functional currency from NOK to USD from 1 January 2013. The Group conducts operations in several countries around the world. Previously, contracts were entered into by wholly owned subsidiaries of EMGS ASA. From late 2012, nearly all of the Group's business has been transacted through EMGS ASA. The Company sees this trend continuing in 2013. As a consequence of these changes, management has assessed the functional currency of the parent company to be USD. The change in functional currency has no cash impact.

EMGS ASA will no longer have currency exchange effects, deriving from USD denominated monetary assets and liabilities, related to the "Net financial items". Conversely, monetary assets and liabilities, denominated in other currencies than USD, may now generate such currency effects.

Segment reporting

EMGS reports its sales revenue as one reportable segment. The sales revenues and related costs are incurred worldwide.

The amounts below show sales revenues reported by geographic region.

Amounts in USD 1 000	Q3 2013 Unaudited	Q3 2012 Unaudited	YTD 2013 Unaudited	YTD 2012 Unaudited	2012 Audited
Americas	3.2	36.3	6.5	128.3	143.5
Asia/Pacific	18.3	0.6	67.7	10.9	30.1
EAME	2.1	6.3	25.5	16.6	27.2
Total	23.6	43.2	99.7	155.8	200.8

Statement of compliance

These condensed consolidated interim accounts have been prepared in accordance with IAS 34 and should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements for the Group for the year ending 31 December 2012. The Group's financial statements are available upon request from the company's registered office in Trondheim or at www.emgs.com.

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