

# APPENDIX 4D Half Yearly Report for the half year ended 31 December 2013

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### **DataDot Technology Limited**

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## Appendix 4D Half Yearly Financial Report

Reporting period Half year ending 31 December 2013
Previous reporting period Half year ending 31 December 2012

Results for announcement to the market	31 Dec 13	31 Dec 12	Change	Change
	\$	\$	\$	%
Revenue	3,558,717	3,393,955	164,762	4.85%
Loss from ordinary activities after tax attributable to members	(539,276)	(271,672)	(267,604)	-98.50%
Net loss attributable to members	(539,276)	(271,672)	(267,604)	-98.50%
Net tangible asset backing per ordinary share shown in cents	0.0072	0.0054	0.0018	33.47%

#### **Dividends**

No dividends were paid or made payable during the half year ended or since 31 December 2013.

#### Commentary

Please refer to the attached financial report for the half year ended 31 December 2013 and the ASX Market Update issued on 30 January 2014.

Other information 31 Dec 13 31 Dec 12

Control gained over entities having a material effect

DataDot Security Solutions Inc 100% 50%

Loss of control over entities having a material effect

N/A

Dividend or distribution reinvestment plans

N/A

Details of associates and joint venture entities

Please refer to the attached controlled entities and joint ventures note in the half yearly financial report for the half year ended 31 December 2013.

Audit status

This report is based on accounts that have been subject to review.

Attachments

Additional disclosure requirements can be found in the notes to the attached half yearly financial report.

Signed By

**Bruce Rathie - Executive Chairman** 

20-Feb-14



## Financial Report for the half year ended 31 December 2013

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#### **Directors' Report**

#### for the half year ended 31 December 2013

Your directors submit their report, together with the financial statements of the consolidated entity (referred to hereafter as "DataDot") consisting of DataDot Technology Limited and the entities it controlled at the end of or during the half year ended 31 December 2013.

#### **Directors**

The directors of the Company at any time during or since the end of the half-year are as follows:-

Mr B Rathie (Executive Chairman) Mr G Flowers Ms A Coutts

Directors were in office for this entire period.

#### **Principal activities**

The principal activities of DataDot during the year were:-

- (a) to manufacture and distribute asset identification solutions that include :-
  - (i) DataDotDNA® and CopDots® polymer and metallic microdots containing etched data that is unique to the assets to which the microdots are attached;
  - (ii) Asset Registers databases that record asset identification data and are accessible by law enforcement agencies and insurance investigators;
- (b) to manufacture and distribute high security DataTraceDNA® authentication solutions;
- (c) to develop and distribute customised solutions combining DataDotDNA, DataTraceDNA and asset registration.

There has been no significant change in the nature of these activities during the year.

#### **Review of operations**

The first six months of the financial year has recorded an increase in revenue and been a period of strong investment in business development initiatives.

Total revenues were \$3,558,717.

Gross profit was \$1,874,418.

Net loss after income tax was \$(539,276).

Operating cashflow was \$85,744; cash outflow from investing activities was \$287,528 and cash inflow from financing activities was \$2,303,475, including \$2,842,759 in net proceeds from share issues. As at 31 December 2013, cash balances held by the company amounted to \$2,948,912.

#### Australasia

Revenue from external sources in Australasia were \$1,366,549 (\$1,602,503 : 2012), the decrease mainly attributable to lower sales to automotive OEM customers. Net loss decreased to \$225,924 (\$254,000 : 2012) mainly as a result of intercompany recharges.

#### Americas

Revenue from external sources in the Americas was \$873,220 (\$508,772 : 2012), the increase of 72% due mainly to sales from DataDot Security Solutions Inc and improvement in trade in the automotive sector. Net loss was \$55,665 (profit \$110,923 : 2012).

DataDot Security Solutions Inc (DDSS) was a joint venture between DataDot Technology USA Inc and DataDot Dealer Services LLC (our distributor in the US). DDSS was fully acquired on 15 October 2013 giving DataDot control over US industrial markets via the National Metal Register and retail market through the CopDots Program.

#### <u>Europe</u>

Revenues from external sources in Europe was \$783,853 (\$846,731 : 2012), the decrease due mainly to reduction in sales in the insurance sector. Net loss was \$132,330 (profit \$23,460 : 2012).

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### **Directors' Report**

#### for the half year ended 31 December 2013

#### **DataTrace DNA Pty Limited**

DataTrace revenues were \$535,095 (\$435,949 : 2012) and net profit \$37,079 (loss \$66,280 : 2012).

#### **Outlook**

You are referred to the announcement of 30 January 2014 wherein shareholders were updated on some of the major initiatives of the company including the additional material investments that have been incurred in those growth opportunities. The CopDot program and the National Metal Register initiatives in the US and the initiatives in Canada canvassed in that earlier announcement are advancing pleasingly which, together with increasing strength in the auto sector both in the US, Canada and possibly Italy (if current usage rates are sustained) should lead to stronger financial performance.

The company continues to move away from a commodity style of transacting business to a contracted enterprise solutions based model which will, in turn, improve the quality of earnings. Management continues to pursue increased efficiencies across the group as foreshadowed previously.

#### Auditor's independence declaration

The lead auditor's independence declaration in accordance with section 307C of the *Corporations Act 2001*, for the half year ended 31 December 2013 has been received and can be found on page 6 of the financial report.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors, pursuant to section 306(3)(a) of the Corporation Act 2001.

**B** Rathie

**Executive Chairman** 

Sydney

20 February 2014



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## DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE BY ARTHUR MILNER TO THE DIRECTORS OF DATADOT TECHNOLOGY LIMITED

As lead auditor for the review of DataDot Technology Limited for the half-year ended 31 December 2013, I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been:

- 1. No contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the review; and
- 2. No contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the review.

This declaration is in respect of DataDot Technology Limited and the entities it controlled during the period.

Arthur Milner Partner

**BDO East Coast Partnership** 

Sydney, 20 February 2014

## **Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss**

## for the half year ended 31 December 2013

	Notes	31 Dec 2013	31 Dec 2012
		\$	Restated \$
Revenue			
Sale of goods		3,250,163	2,992,836
Service and licence fees		61,725	138,750
Royalties		246,829	262,369
		3,558,717	3,393,955
Cost of sales		1,684,299	1,294,687
Gross Profit		1,874,418	2,099,268
Other income	2	67,644	5,331
Expenses			
Administrative expenses	3	2,007,809	1,950,598
Marketing expenses		298,814	47,025
Occupancy expenses		225,812	181,347
Travel expenses		193,776	137,662
Finance costs	3	11,129	33,249
		2,737,340	2,349,881
Other expenses :-			
Impairment losses		0	7,496
		0	7,496
Loss before income tax		(795,278)	(252,778)
Income tax (benefit)/expense	7	(256,002)	24,837
Loss for the year		(539,276)	(277,615)
Loss for the year attributable to :-			
Members of the parent entity		(539,276)	(271,672)
Non controlling interest		0	(5,943)
		(539,276)	(277,615)
Basic earnings / (loss) per share (cents per share)		(0.10)	(0.06)
Diluted earnings / (loss) per share (cents per share)		(0.10)	(0.06)

The above consolidated statement of profit or loss should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

## **Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income**

### for the half year ended 31 December 2013

	31 Dec 2013 \$	31 Dec 2012 \$
Loss for the year	(539,276)	(277,615)
Other comprehensive income :-		
Items that will not be classified subsequently to profit or loss:-		
Exchange difference on translation of foreign operations	(20,107)	29,803
Total comprehensive income for the year net of tax	(559,383)	(247,812)
Total comprehensive income attributable to :-		
Members of the parent entity	(559,383)	(241,869)
Non controlling interest	0	(5,943)
	(559,383)	(247,812)

The above consolidated statement of comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

## **Consolidated Statement of Financial Position**

#### as at 31 December 2013

	Notes	31 Dec 2013	30 Jun 2013
Current Assets		\$	\$
Cash and cash equivalents	6	2,988,358	897,398
Trade and other receivables	· ·	1,254,432	1,173,209
Inventories		1,197,103	1,136,582
Other receivable		177,600	308,000
Current tax assets		4,102	4,036
Total Current Assets		5,621,595	3,519,225
Non-Current Assets			
Plant and equipment		860,811	905,962
Intangible assets		3,665,412	3,294,967
Deferred tax assets		0	0
Total Non-Current Assets		4,526,223	4,200,929
Total Assets		10,147,818	7,720,154
Current Liabilities			
Trade and other payables		908,444	914,150
Borrowings		178,109	437,664
Income tax payable		18,194	11,494
Provisions		373,047	365,898
Other current liabilities		378,739	31,362
Total Current Liabilities		1,856,533	1,760,568
Non-Current Liabilities			
Borrowings		27,549	52,806
Provisions		1,099	2,536
Total Non-Current Liabilities		28,648	55,342
Total Liabilities		1,885,181	1,815,910
Net Assets		8,262,637	5,904,244
Equity Contributed equity	7	26 247 644	22 276 202
Contributed equity	7	36,347,641	33,376,382
Accumulated losses		(25,700,488)	(25,161,212)
Reserves		(2,384,516)	(2,310,926)
Total Equity		8,262,637	5,904,244

The above consolidated statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

## **Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity**

## for the half year ended 31 December 2013

	Attributable to equity holders of the parent						
	Contributed equity \$	Accumulated losses \$	Foreign currency translation reserve \$	Employee equity benefit reserve \$	Other reserve \$	Non controlling interests \$	Total equity \$
Balance at 1 July 2012	33,102,482	(25,068,191)	(1,900,943)	415,268	(309,424)	(46,149)	6,193,043
Loss after income tax expense for the year Other comprehensive income for	0	(271,672)	0	0	0	(5,943)	(277,615)
the year, net of tax	0	0	29,803	0	0	0	29,803
Total comprehensive income for the year Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners:-	0	(271,672)	29,803	0	0	(5,943)	(247,812)
Share based payments	0	0	0	51,966	0	0	51,966
Share rights exercised	273,900	0	0	(273,900)	0	0	0
Acquisition of non-controlling interest in AgTechnix Pty Limited	0	0	0	0	(369,199)	52,092	(317,107)
Balance at 31 December 2012	33,376,382	(25,339,863)	(1,871,140)	193,334	(678,623)	0	5,680,090
Balance at 1 July 2013 Loss after income tax expense for the year Other comprehensive income for		(25,161,212) (539,276)	(1,878,453)	246,150	(678,623) 0	0	5,904,244 (539,276)
the year, net of tax  Total comprehensive income for	0	0	(20,107)	0	0	0	(20,107)
the year Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners:-		(539,276)	(20,107)	0	0	0	(559,383)
Share Issues Share Issue Costs	3,000,000 (157,241)	0	0	0	0	0	3,000,000 (157,241)
Share based payments	(137,241)	0	0	75,017	0	0	75,017
Share rights exercised	128,500	0	0	(128,500)	0	0	0
Balance at 31 December 2013	36,347,641	(25,700,488)	(1,898,560)	192,667	(678,623)	0	8,262,637

The above consolidated statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

### **Consolidated Statement Cash Flows**

## for the half year ended 31 December 2013

	Notes	31 Dec 2013	31 Dec 2012
		\$	restated \$
Cash from operating activities			
Receipts from customers (inclusive of GST)		3,917,715	3,051,955
Payments to suppliers and employees (inclusive of GST)		(4,213,878)	(3,169,643)
Interest paid		(11,129)	(10,579)
Income tax paid		(15,514)	(15,581)
Receipt of income tax rebate		408,550	464,180
Net cash flows from operating activities		85,744	320,332
Cash flows from investing activities			
Interest received		5,730	5,320
Purchase of plant and equipment		(35,383)	(5,872)
Payments for development and other intangible assets		(257,876)	(206,191)
Net cash flows used in investing activities		(287,529)	(206,743)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Payment for acquisition of minority interest in subsidiary		0	(225,530)
Net proceeds from capital raising		2,842,759	0
Repayment of borrowings		(514,446)	(188,522)
Repayment of finance lease liabilities		(24,838)	(36,336)
Net cash flows from / (used in) financing activities		2,303,475	(450,388)
Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		2,101,690	(336,799)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		864,523	1,409,368
Effect of exchange rate on cash holdings in foreign currencies		(17,301)	741
Effect of exchange rate on cash holdings in foreign currencies		(17,301)	,41
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	6	2,948,912	1,073,310

 $The\ above\ consolidated\ statement\ of\ cash\ flows\ should\ be\ read\ in\ conjunction\ with\ the\ accompanying\ notes.$ 

#### for the half year ended 31 December 2013

#### 1 Summary of significant accounting policies

These general purpose financial statements for the interim half-year reporting period ended 31 December 2013 have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134 'Interim Financial Reporting' and the Corporations Act 2001, as appropriate for for-profit oriented entities. Compliance with AASB 134 ensures compliance with International Financial Reporting Standard IAS 34 'Interim Financial Reporting'.

These general purpose financial statements do not include all the notes of the type normally included in annual financial statements. Accordingly, these financial statements are to be read in conjunction with the annual report for the year ended 30 June 2013 and any public announcements made by the Company during the interim reporting period in accordance with the continuous disclosure requirements of the Corporations Act 2001.

The principal accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year and corresponding interim reporting period, unless otherwise stated.

#### New, revised or amending Accounting Standards and Interpretations adopted

The consolidated entity has adopted all of the new, revised or amending Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ('AASB') that are mandatory for the current reporting period.

Any new, revised or amending Accounting Standards or Interpretations that are not yet mandatory have not been early adopted

Any significant impact on the accounting policies of the consolidated entity from the adoption of these Accounting Standards and Interpretations are disclosed below. The adoption of these Accounting Standards and Interpretations did not have any significant impact on the financial performance or position of the consolidated entity.

The following Accounting Standards and Interpretations are most relevant to the consolidated entity:-

#### AASB 10 Consolidated Financial Statements

The consolidated entity has applied AASB 10 from 1 July 2013, which has a new definition of 'control'. Control exists when the reporting entity is exposed, or has the rights, to variable returns (e.g. dividends, remuneration, returns that are not available to other interest holders including losses) from its involvement with another entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its 'power' over that other entity. A reporting entity has power when it has rights (e.g. voting rights, potential voting rights, rights to appoint key management, decision making rights, kick out rights) that give it the current ability to direct the activities that significantly affect the investee's returns (e.g. operating policies, capital decisions, appointment of key management). The consolidated entity not only has to consider its holdings and rights but also the holdings and rights of other shareholders in order to determine whether it has the necessary power for consolidation purposes.

#### AASB 12 Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities

The consolidated entity has applied AASB 12 from 1 July 2013. The standard contains the entire disclosure requirement associated with other entities, being subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures. The disclosure requirements have been significantly enhanced when compared to the disclosures previously located in AASB 127 'Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements', AASB 128 'Investments in Associates', AASB 131 'Interests in Joint Ventures' and Interpretation 112 'Consolidation - Special Purpose Entities'.

AASB 13 Fair Value Measurement and AASB 2011-8 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 13

The consolidated entity has applied AASB 13 and its consequential amendments from 1 July 2013. The standard does not prescribe when to use fair value. Instead it provides a single robust measurement framework, with clear measurement objectives, for measuring fair value using the 'exit price' and it provides guidance on measuring fair value when a market becomes less active. The 'highest and best use' approach would be used to measure assets whereas liabilities would be based on transfer value.

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31 Dec 2013 31 Dec 2012

#### 1 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

AASB 119 Employee Benefits (September 2011) and AASB 2011-10 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 119 (September 2011)

The consolidated entity has applied AASB 119 and its consequential amendments from 1 July 2013. The standard eliminates the corridor approach for the deferral of gains and losses; streamlines the presentation of changes in assets and liabilities arising from defined benefit plans, including requiring remeasurements to be presented in other comprehensive income; and enhances the disclosure requirements for defined benefit plans. The standard also changed the definition of short-term employee benefits, from 'due to' to 'expected to' be settled within 12 months. Annual leave that is not expected to be wholly settled within 12 months is now discounted allowing for expected salary levels in the future period when the leave is expected to be taken.

AASB 2012-5 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from Annual Improvements 2009-2011 Cycle
The consolidated entity has applied AASB 2012-5 from 1 July 2013. The amendments affect five Australian Accounting Standards as
follows: Confirmation that repeat application of AASB 1 (IFRS 1) 'First-time Adoption of Australian Accounting Standards' is
permitted; Clarification of borrowing cost exemption in AASB 1; Clarification of the comparative information requirements when an
entity provides an optional third column or is required to present a third statement of financial position in accordance with AASB
101 'Presentation of Financial Statements'; Clarification that servicing of equipment is covered by AASB 116 'Property, Plant and
Equipment', if such equipment is used for more than one period; clarification that the tax effect of distributions to holders of equity
instruments and equity transaction costs in AASB 132 'Financial Instruments: Presentation' should be accounted for in accordance
with AASB 112 'Income Taxes'; and clarification of the financial reporting requirements in AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting' and
the disclosure requirements of segment assets and liabilities.

AASB 2012-9 Amendment to AASB 1048 arising from the Withdrawal of Australian Interpretation 1039
The consolidated entity has applied AASB 2011-9 amendments from 1 July 2013. The amendments remove reference in AASB 1048 following the withdrawal of Interpretation 1039 'Substantive Enactment of Major Tax Bills in Australia'.

2 Other Income	\$	\$
. Other income		
Interest income	5,730	5,331
Gain on revaluation of acquisition	60,718	0
Sundry income	1,196	0
	67,644	5,331
B Expenses		
The consolidated statement of profit or loss includes the following specific expenses :-		
Cost of sales		
Provision for stock obsolescence	78,334	0
Administrative expenses		
Net loss/(gain) on foreign currency	(3,123)	71,500
Employee benefits	957,616	1,001,762
Depreciation	80,535	86,761
Amortisation	146,668	140,724
	1,181,696	1,300,747
Occupancy expenses		
Minimum lease payments	147,976	181,347
Finance costs		
Bank loans and overdrafts	9	29,824
Other borrowings	6,408	0
Finance charges payable under finance leases and hire purchase contracts	4,712	3,425
	11,129	33,249

#### for the half year ended 31 December 2013

		31 Dec 2013	31 Dec 2012
		\$	\$
4	Dividends		
	Dividends declared or paid during the year	0	0
	Franking account balance	0	0

#### 5 Fair values of financial instruments

Unless otherwise stated, carrying amounts of financial instruments reflect their fair value. The carrying amounts of trade receivables and trade payables assume to approximate their fair values due to their short term nature. The fair value of financial liabilities is estimated by discounting the remaining contractual maturities at the current market interest rate that is available for similar financial instruments.

#### 6 Cash and cash equivalents

Reconciliation of cash

Cash at the end of the financial year shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows is reconciled as follows:-

Cash at bank and on hand Bank overdraft Balance as per statement of cash flows 
 2,988,358
 1,073,310

 (39,446)
 0

 2,948,912
 1,073,310

 31 Dec 2013
 30 Jun 2013

 \$
 \$

 Cash at bank and on hand
 2,988,358
 897,398

**31 Dec 2013** 31 Dec 2012

7 Income Tax \$

Major components of tax expense / (benefit)

 Current income tax expense / (benefit)\*
 (274,214)
 9,688

 Withholding Tax
 18,212
 15,149

 Income tax expense / (benefit)
 (256,002)
 24,837

\* Includes and income tax rebate in relation to research and development of \$278,150 (\$Nil: 2012)

#### for the half year ended 31 December 2013

Shares

**31 Dec 2013** 31 Dec 2012

\$

**31 Dec 2013** 31 Dec 2012

Shares

#### **Equity - Contributed equity** 8

Ordinary shares	634,675,800	480,800,800	36,347,641	33,376,382
	Date	No of Shares	Issue Price	\$
Balance	1/07/2013	480,800,800		33,376,382
Issue of Shares - Share Rights	1/07/2013	3,875,000	0.033	128,500
Issue of Shares - Share Placement	7/10/2013	72,000,000	0.020	1,440,000
Share Issue transactions costs	7/10/2013			(83,454)
Issue of Shares - Share Placement	25/10/2013	28,950,000	0.020	579,000
Share Issue transactions costs	25/10/2013			(14,783)
Issue of Shares - Share Placement	27/11/2013	28,000,000	0.020	560,000
Share Issue transactions costs	27/11/2013			(34,947)
Issue of Shares - Share Placement	19/12/2013	21,050,000	0.020	421,000
Share Issue transactions costs	19/12/2013			(24,057)
Balance	31/12/2013	634,675,800		36,347,641

#### 9 **Segment Information**

#### Segment descriptions

DataDot has identified its operating segments based on the internal reports that are reviewed and used by the executive management team (the chief operating decision makers) in assessing performance and in determining the allocation of resources.

Three of the operating segments are identified by management based on the location of the selling segment. One of the operating segments are identified by management based on the product offerings. Discrete financial information about each of these operating businesses is reported to the executive management team on at least a monthly basis.

#### Products and services by segment

The three geographical regions of Asia Pacific, Americas and Europe each manufacture and distribute an asset identification system that includes :-

DataDotDNA® - polymer and metallic microdots containing etched data that is unique to the assets to which the microdots are attached;

DataBaseDNA - a global database that records asset identification data and is accessible by law enforcement agencies and insurance investigators.

The only operating segment that is identified by product offerings managed on a global basis is :-

DataTraceDNA® – a high speed, high security, machine readable system for authenticating materials, products, and assets and IntelliSeed™ by AgTechnix is a frontier patent pending technology, supporting global agriculture and protecting investments in intellectual property across a diverse spectrum of agricultural activities, including seed and plant genetics.

#### Accounting policies and inter-segment transactions

The accounting policies used by DataDot in reporting segments internally is the same as those contained in the prior period. Inter segment pricing is determined on an arm's length basis.

The following tables present the revenue, profit/(loss) before tax, assets and liabilities information regarding operating segments for half years ended 31 December 2013 and 31 December 2012.

## for the half year ended 31 December 2013

## 9 Segment Information (continued)

Segment performance Year ended 31 December 2013	Australasia \$	Americas \$	Europe \$	DataTraceDNA \$	Eliminations \$	Total \$
Barrage from automal contains	4 266 540	072 220	702.052	F2F 00F	•	2 550 747
Revenue from external customers	1,366,549	873,220	783,853	535,095	0	3,558,717
Intersegment revenue	735,079	123,683	1,000	14,038	(873,800)	0
Total revenue	2,101,628	996,903	784,853	549,133	(873,800)	3,558,717
Depreciation, amortisation, disposals and						
Impairment	(118,170)	(9,004)	(2,592)	(97,437)	0	(227,203)
Finance revenue	5,335	(5,004)	13	371	0	5,730
Finance costs	(1,282)	(3,439)	(6,408)	0	0	(11,129)
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Net profit / (loss) after income tax	(225,924)	(55,665)	(132,330)	37,079	(162,436)	(539,276)
Segment assets	16,724,696	1,148,395	780,119	2,155,822	(10,661,214)	10,147,818
Segment liabilities	8,337,552	6,021,597	849,588	1,575,792	(14,899,348)	1,885,181
	Australasia	Americas	Europe	DataTraceDNA	Eliminations	Total
Year ended 31 December 2012	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
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Revenue from external customers	1,602,503	508,772	846,731	435,949	0	3,393,955
Intersegment revenue	502,160	96,127	1,080	68,638	(668,005)	0
Total revenue	2,104,663	604,899	847,811	504,587	(668,005)	3,393,955
Depreciation, amortisation, disposals and						
Impairment	(137,666)	(30,628)	0	(66,687)	0	(234,981)
Finance revenue	5,037	(30,028)	11	283	0	5,331
Finance costs	(6,935)	(3,644)	(22,670)	0	0	(33,249)
- manee costs	(0,333)	(3,044)	(22,070)			(33,243)
Net profit / (loss) after income tax	(254,000)	110,923	23,460	(66,280)	(91,718)	(277,615)
Segment assets	7,257,162	748,992	748,839	2,622,103	(3,646,959)	7,730,137
Segment liabilities	752,534	5,411,996	686,006	2,500,431	(7,377,961)	1,973,006

#### 10 Controlled Entities and Joint Ventures

	Country of	% Equity		Investment	Investment
	Incorporation	2013	2012	2013 \$	2012 \$
Ultimate parent entity					
DataDot Technology Limited	Australia				
Controlled entities					
DataDot Technology (Australia) Pty Limited	Australia	100	100	100	100
DataDot Technology USA Inc.	USA	100	100	181,818	181,818
DataDot Security Solution Inc	USA	100	50	1	0
DataDot Technology (UK) Limited	UK	100	100	1,177	1,177
DataDot Technology (Europe) Limited	UK	100	100	167	167
AgTechnix Pty Limited	Australia	100	100	200	200
DataTrace DNA Pty Limited	Australia	100	100	2,395,010	2,395,010
DataDot N.Z. Pty Limited	New Zealand	100	100	404	404
Joint venture entities					
DataDot Technology (Asia) Pte. Limited	Taiwan	0	50	0	0

#### 11 Acquisitions & Disposals

#### **Acquisition of DataDot Security Solutions Inc**

On 15 October 2013, DataDot Technology USA (DDTUSA) Inc acquired the remaining 50% of DataDot Security Solutions Inc (DDTSS) from DataDot Dealer Services Inc (DDTDS), a non-related product distributor is the USA, becoming the sole shareholder of DDTSS, and making it a wholly-owned subsidiary of DataDot. The acquisition was undertaken to better utilise and control the emerging products of CopDots and the National Metals Register in the USA and to rationalise operating costs. The shares were transferred for a nominal consideration of USD \$1. DDTSS was consolidated into the accounts as a subsidiary of DataDot from 15 October 2013 and have contributed revenues of USD\$140,491 and a loss of USD\$230,724 to 31 December 2013. It is impractical to provide contributions for the entire half year to 31 December 2013 as the business objectives post acquisition have been restructured and as such a pre acquisition contribution is not comparable to current operations.

Details of the acquisition are as follows :-

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	Fair Value
	USD \$
Cash at bank	4,705
Trade debtors	171,513
Inventories	578
Plant & equipment	902
Trade and other payables	(107,660)
Borrowings	(255,000)
Net assets acquired	(184,962)
Goodwill	241,402
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Acquisition date fair value	56,440
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Represented by :-	
Cash paid	1
Investment in DDTSS	1
Gain on revaluation of initial investment	56,438
	56,440

#### 12 Restatement of Comparatives

DataDot revised the format of the face of the financial statements to more appropriately reflect the nature of expenses.

The extracts for those items affected are below :-

	2012 Reclassification		2012
Consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income - extract	Reported \$	\$	Restated \$
Revenue			
Sale of goods	3,131,586	(138,750)	2,992,836
Service and licence fees	0	138,750	138,750
Cost of sales	1,347,359	(52,672)	1,294,687
Expenses			
Employee benefits expenses	1,061,741	(1,061,741)	0
Administrative expenses	537,200	1,413,398	1,950,598
Depreciation, amortisation and disposal expenses	227,485	(227,485)	0
Gain/Loss on foreign currency	71,500	(71,500)	0

#### 13 Subsequent Events

DataDot has now agreed in principle with its distributor in Taiwan (DataDot Taiwan) to licence manufacturing for the Taiwanese market to DataDot Taiwan with from 1 January 2014. DataDot will receive a royalty based on gross sales from DataDot Taiwan for use of its patent in Taiwan based on volume manufactured there. DataDot Taiwan will take over the factory and all existing staff and costs currently operated by DataDot Technology (Australia) Pty Limited (Taiwan Branch).

#### **Directors' Declaration**

In the directors' opinion:

- (a) the attached financial statements and notes thereto comply with the Corporations Act 2001, Australia Accounting Standard AASB 134 "Interim Financial Reporting", the Corporations Regulations 2001 and other mandatory professional reporting requirements;
- (b) the attached financial statements and notes thereto give a true and fair view of the consolidated entity's financial position as at 31 December 2013 and of its performance for the financial half-year ended on that date; and
- (c) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the directors made pursuant to section 303(5) of the Corporations Act 2001.

On behalf of the Board

**B** Rathie

**Executive Chairman** 

20 February 2014



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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT

To the members of DataDot Technology Limited

#### Report on the Half-Year Financial Report

We have reviewed the accompanying half-year financial report of DataDot Technology Limited, which comprises the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2013, the consolidated statement of profit or loss, the consolidated statement of comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of changes in equity and the consolidated statement of cash flows for the half-year ended on that date, notes comprising a statement of accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the directors' declaration of the consolidated entity comprising the company and the entities it controlled at the half-year's end or from time to time during the half-year.

#### Directors' Responsibility for the Half-Year Financial Report

The directors of the company are responsible for the preparation of the half-year financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the half-year financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the half-year financial report based on our review. We conducted our review in accordance with Auditing Standard on Review Engagements ASRE 2410 *Review of a Financial Report Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity*, in order to state whether, on the basis of the procedures described, we have become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the half-year financial report is not in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* including: giving a true and fair view of the consolidated entity's financial position as at 31 December 2013 and its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*. As the auditor of DataDot Technology Limited, ASRE 2410 requires that we comply with the ethical requirements relevant to the audit of the annual financial report.

A review of a half-year financial report consists of making enquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

#### Independence

In conducting our review, we have complied with the independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001*. We confirm that the independence declaration required by the *Corporations Act 2001*, which has been given to the directors of DataDot Technology Limited, would be in the same terms if given to the directors as at the time of this auditor's review report.



#### Conclusion

Based on our review, which is not an audit, we have not become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the half-year financial report of DataDot Technology Limited is not in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* including:

- (a) giving a true and fair view of the consolidated entity's financial position as at 31 December 2013 and of its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and
- (b) complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and Corporations Regulations 2001

**BDO East Coast Partnership** 

Arthur Milner Partner

Sydney, 20 February 2014