



Recordati, established in 1926, is an international pharmaceutical group, listed on the Italian Stock Exchange (Reuters RECI.MI, Bloomberg REC IM, ISIN IT 0003828271), dedicated to the research, development, manufacturing and marketing of pharmaceuticals and pharmaceutical chemicals, with headquarters in Milan, Italy and operations in the main European countries, in Central and Eastern Europe, in Turkey, in North Africa and in the United States of America.

MANAGEMENT REVIEW

HIGHLIGHTS

FIRST QUARTER 2015

REVENUE

€ (thousands)	First quarter 2015	%	First quarter 2014	%	Change 2015/2014	%
Total revenue	275,746	100.0	260,362	100.0	15,384	5.9
Italy	61,883	22.4	67,036	25.7	(5,153)	(7.7)
International	213,863	77.6	193,326	74.3	20,537	10.6

KEY CONSOLIDATED P&L DATA

€ (thousands)	First quarter 2015	%	First quarter 2014	%	Change 2015/2014	%
Revenue	275,746	100.0	260,362	100.0	15,384	5.9
EBITDA ⁽¹⁾	82,774	30.0	71,416	27.4	11,358	15.9
Operating income	73,471	26.6	62,187	23.9	11,284	18.1
Net income	51,968	18.8	42,766	16.4	9,202	21.5

⁽¹⁾ Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization.

KEY CONSOLIDATED B/S DATA

€ (thousands)	31 March 2015	31 December 2014	Change 2015/2014	%
Net financial position ⁽²⁾	(136,792)	(186,045)	49,253	(26.5)
Shareholders' equity	864,970	787,422	77,548	9.8

⁽²⁾ Short-term financial investments, cosh and cosh equivalents, less bank overdrafts and loans which include the measurement at fair value of hedging derivatives (fair value hedge).

The first quarter 2015 results show continued revenue growth and further margin improvement. Consolidated revenue is € 275.7 million, up by 5.9% compared to the same period of the preceding year. International sales grow by 10.6%. EBITDA, at 30.0% of sales, is € 82.8 million, an increase of 15.9% over the quarter of 2014. Operating income, at 26.6% of sales, is € 73.5 million, an

increase of 18.7% while net income, at 18.8% of sales, is € 52.0 million, an increase of 21.5% over the first quarter of 2014.

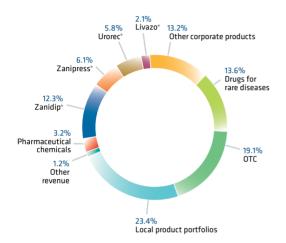
Net financial position at 31 March 2015 records a net debt of \le 136.8 million. Shareholders' equity increases to \le 865.0 million.

REVIEW OF OPERATIONS

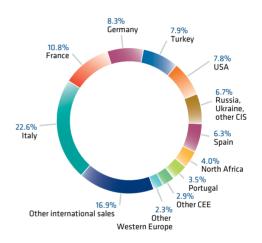
Net consolidated revenue in the first quarter of 2015 is \leqslant 275.7 million, up 5.9% over the same period of the preceding year, with an increase in international sales of 10.6% to \leqslant 213.9 million, which represent 77.6% of total

sales. Pharmaceutical sales are € 267.0 million, up by 6.1%. Pharmaceutical chemicals sales are € 8.7 million, down by 0.5%, and represent 3.2% of total revenues.

SALES BY BUSINESS



PHARMACEUTICAL SALES



The group's pharmaceutical business, which represents 96.8% of total revenue, is carried out in the main European markets, including Central and Eastern Europe, in Russia, in Turkey, in North Africa and in the United States of America through our own subsidiaries and in the rest of the world through licensing agreements with pharmaceutical companies of high standing. We have gradually extended our international presence through

the acquisition of existing marketing organizations with the aim to add our proprietary products, and those obtained under multi-territorial licenses, to the local portfolios.

The performance of products sold directly in more than one market (corporate products) during the first quarter of 2015 is shown in the table below.

€ (thousands)	First quarter 2015	First quarter 2014	Change 2015/2014	%
Zanidip® (lercanidipine)	33,807	31,278	2,529	8.1
Zanipress® (lercanidipine+enalapril)	16,865	15,719	1,146	7.3
Urorec® (silodosin)	16,037	14,478	1,559	10.8
Livazo® (pitavastatin)	5,884	6,399	(515)	(8.0)
Other corporate products*	50,971	47,580	3,391	7.1
Drugs for rare diseases	37,444	27,812	9,632	34.6

^{*} Include the OTC corporate products for an amount of € 14.5 million in 2015 and € 11.5 million in 2014.

Zanidip® is a specialty containing lercanidipine, Recordati's original calcium channel blocker for the treatment of hypertension. Our lercanidipine based products are sold directly to the market by our own marketing organizations in Europe, including Central

and Eastern Europe, in Russia, in Turkey and in North Africa. In the other markets they are sold by licensees, and in some of the above co-marketing agreements are in place.

€ (thousands)	First quarter 2015	First quarter 2014	Change 2015/2014	%
Direct sales	16,251	15,407	844	5.5
Sales to licensees	17,556	15,871	1,685	10.6
Total lercanidipine sales	33,807	31,278	2,529	8.1

The increase of lercanidipine direct sales is due mainly to higher volumes sold in Turkey and in Germany. Direct sales of lercanidipine are also growing in Italy. Sales to licensees, which represent 51.9% of total lercanidipine sales, are up by 10.6% and grow significantly in Australia, China, Mexico, South Korea and Taiwan.

Zanipress® is an original specialty also indicated for the treatment of hypertension developed by Recordati which consists of a fixed combination of lercanidipine with enalapril. To date this product is successfully marketed directly by Recordati and/or by its licensees in 25 countries.

€ (thousands)	First quarter 2015	First quarter 2014	Change 2015/2014	%
Direct sales	11,631	10,812	819	7.6
Sales to licensees	5,234	4,907	327	6.7
Total lercanidipine+enalapril sales	16,865	15,719	1,146	7.3

Direct sales of Zanipress® in the first quarter of 2015 are up by 7.6% mainly due to the performance of the product in Italy and in Turkey. Sales to licensees represent 31.0% of total Zanipress® sales and are up by 6.7%.

Urorec® (silodosin) is a specialty indicated for the treatment of symptoms associated with benign prostatic hyperplasia (BPH). Urorec® was initially launched in 2010. Currently the product has been successfully launched in 28 countries with sales of € 16.0 million in the first quarter of 2015, up 10.8% mainly due to the good performance of the product in Italy, Turkey, France, Spain and Russia.

Sales of Livazo® (pitavastatin), a novel statin indicated for the reduction of elevated total and LDL cholesterol, in Spain, in Portugal, in Ukraine, in Greece and through a licensee in Switzerland are € 5.9 million during the first quarter of 2015, down by 8.0% due to lower sales to comarketers in Spain and in Portugal.

In the first guarter of 2015 sales of other corporate products totaled € 51.0 million, up by 7.1% compared to the same period of the preceding year. These comprise both prescription and OTC products and are: Lomexin® (fenticonazole). Urispas® (flavoxate), Kentera® (oxybutynin transdermal patch), TransAct® LAT (flurbiprofen transdermal patch), Rupafin®/Wystamm® (rupatadine), Lopresor® (metoprolol), Procto-Glyvenol® (tribenoside), Tergynan® (fixed association of antiinfectives) as well as CitraFleet®, Casenlax® and Fosfosoda®, gastroenterological products, Polydexa®, Isofra® and Otofa®, ENT anti-infective products, the Hexa line of products indicated for seasonal disorders of the upper respiratory tract and Abufene®, a product for menopausal symptoms.

Our specialties indicated for the treatment of rare and orphan diseases, marketed directly throughout Europe, in the Middle East and in the U.S.A., and through partners in other parts of the world, generated sales

of \leqslant 37.4 million in the first quarter of 2015, up by 34.6% mainly due to the good performance of the U.S. business as well as to the positive foreign exchange effect following the revaluation of the U.S. dollar.

The pharmaceutical sales of the Recordati subsidiaries, which include the abovementioned product sales, are shown in the following table.

€ (thousands)	First quarter 2015	First quarter 2014	Change 2015/2014	%
Italy	60,276	65,087	(4,811)	(7.4)
France	28,710	27,843	867	3.1
Germany	22,176	19,603	2,573	13.1
Turkey	21,122	16,440	4,682	28.5
U.S.A.	20,669	11,417	9,252	81.0
Russia, other C.I.S. countries and Ukraine	17,982	19,603	(1,621)	(8.3)
Spain	16,884	17,460	(576)	(3.3)
North Africa	10,756	10,190	566	5.6
Portugal	9,261	8,953	308	3.4
Other C.E.E. countries	7,846	6,490	1,356	20.9
Other Western European countries	6,256	5,687	569	10.0
Other international sales	45,062	42,802	2,260	5.3
Total pharmaceutical revenue	267,000	251,575	15,425	6.1

Both years include sales as well as other income.

Sales in countries affected by strong currency exchange oscillations in 2014 and in 2015 are shown hereunder in their relative local currencies.

Local currency (thousands)	First quarter 2015	First quarter 2014	Change 2015/2014	%
Russia (RUB)	1,104,675	752,433	352,242	46.8
Turkey (TRY)	55,346	46,770	8,576	18.3
U.S.A. (USD)	23,275	15,639	7,636	48.8

Net revenues in Russia and in Turkey exclude sales of products for rare diseases.

Sales of pharmaceuticals in Italy are down by 7.4% compared to those of the same period of the preceding year due to the termination of the license for Entact® (escitalopram), an antidepressant, as from the month of June 2014. Urorec®, Zanipril®/Lercaprel®, Cardicor® (bisoprolol), Peptazol® (pantoprazole) and TransAct® LAT as well as the other OTC products are performing well.

Pharmaceutical sales in France are up by 3.1% mainly due to the good performance of Urorec® and methadone as well as to the introduction of CitraFleet®.

In Germany sales are up by 13.1% mainly thanks to the significant sales growth of Ortoton® (methocarbamol).

Sales in Turkey are up by 28.5% and include a positive currency exchange effect following the revaluation of the Turkish lira. In local currency sales of our Turkish subsidiary grow by 18.3% thanks mainly to the good performance of the corporate products Lercadip®, Urorec® and Zanipress® and of the local products Mictonorm® (propiverine), Kreval® (butamirate) and Cabral® (phenyramidol).

The group's pharmaceutical business in the U.S.A. is dedicated mainly to the marketing of products for the treatment of rare diseases. Sales in the first quarter of 2015 are € 20.7 million, up by 81.0%, and include an estimated positive currency exchange effect of € 5.1 million. The main products are Panhematin® (haemin for injection) for the amelioration of recurrent attacks of acute intermittent porphyria, Cosmegen® (dactinomycin for injection) used mainly in the treatment of three rare cancers and Carbaglu® (carglumic acid), indicated for the treatment of acute hyperammonaemia associated with NAGS deficiency.

Revenue generated in Russia, Ukraine and in the countries within the Commonwealth of Independent States (C.I.S.) is \leqslant 18.0 million, down by 8.3% compared to the same period of the preceding year mainly due to a negative currency exchange effect of \leqslant 8.2 million. Sales in Russia, in local currency, are RUB 1,104.7 million, up by 46.8% over the same period of the preceding year thanks to the growth of all products including the

corporate products Procto-Glyvenol® and Urorec® and taking into account the low level of sales generated in the first quarter of 2014 following the reorganization of the distribution channel. Sales generated in Ukraine and in the C.I.S. countries, mainly Belarus, are € 1.9 million.

In Spain sales are € 16.9 million, down by 3.3% mainly due to the competition from generic versions of Cidine® (cinitapride) and Zanipress®. Sales of treatments for rare diseases are growing significantly.

Sales in North Africa are € 10.8 million, up by 5.6%, and comprise both the export sales generated by Bouchara Recordati in these territories, in particular in Algeria, and sales generated by Opalia Pharma, the Tunisian pharmaceutical company acquired during the fourth quarter of 2013. Opalia Pharma sales in the first quarter of 2015 are € 5.8 million and include sales of products previously handled by Bouchara Recordati through local distribution agreements in Tunisia.

Sales in Portugal are up by 3.4% thanks to the good performance of corporate products Livazo®, Urorec® and TransAct® LAT.

Sales in other Central and Eastern European countries include the sales of Recordati subsidiaries in Poland, the Czech Republic, Slovakia and Romania, in addition to sales generated by Orphan Europe in this area. In the first quarter of 2015 they are up by 20.9% mainly due to the good performance of our Polish subsidiary.

Sales in other countries in Western Europe, up by 10.0%, comprise sales of products for the treatment of rare diseases in a number of countries and sales generated by Recordati Pharmaceuticals (U.K.), Recordati Ireland and Recordati Hellas Pharmaceuticals in their respective local markets. The increase in sales is to be attributed mainly to the good performance of the segment dedicated to treatments for rare diseases.

Other international sales grow by 5.3% and comprise the sales to, and other revenues from, our licensees for our corporate products, Bouchara Recordati's and Casen Recordati's export sales and Orphan Europe's exports worldwide excluding the U.S.A..

FINANCIAL REVIEW

INCOME STATEMENT

The following table shows the profit and loss accounts, including their expression as a percent of sales and change versus the first quarter of 2014:

€ (thousands)	First quarter 2015	% of revenue	First quarter 2014	% of revenue	Change 2015/2014	%
Revenue	275,746	100.0	260,362	100.0	15,384	5.9
Cost of sales	(88,293)	(32.0)	(86,995)	(33.4)	(1,298)	1.5
Gross profit	187,453	68.0	173,367	66.6	14,086	8.1
Selling expenses	(77,978)	(28.3)	(75,509)	(29.0)	(2,469)	3.3
R&D expenses	(19,892)	(7.2)	(20,786)	(8.0)	894	(4.3)
G&A expenses	(15,351)	(5.6)	(14,462)	(5.6)	(889)	6.1
Other income (expense), net	(761)	(0.3)	(423)	(0.2)	(338)	79.9
Operating income	73,471	26.6	62,187	23.9	11,284	18.1
Financial income (expense), net	(3,728)	(1.4)	(4,087)	(1.6)	359	(8.8)
Pretax income	69,743	25.3	58,100	22.3	11,643	20.0
Provision for income taxes	(17,775)	(6.4)	(15,334)	(5.9)	(2,441)	15.9
Net income	51,968	18.8	42,766	16.4	9,202	21.5
Attributable to:						
Equity holders of the parent	51,964	18.8	42,764	16.4	9,200	21.5
Minority interests	4	0.0	2	0.0	2	100.0

Revenue for the period is € 275.7 million, an increase of € 15.4 million compared to the first quarter of 2014. For a detailed analysis please refer to the preceding "Review of Operations".

Gross profit is \leqslant 187.5 million with a margin of 68.0% on sales, a significant increase over that of the same period of the preceding year due to the higher proportion of higher margin product sales to total product sales and the termination of Entact® in Italy, a relatively low margin product.

Selling expenses increase less than sales and are therefore down as a percent of revenue compared to the same period of the preceding year thanks to the increased efficiency of the group's commercial organizations. R&D expenses are € 19.9 million, down by 4.3% compared to those recorded in the first quarter of

2014 due to the interruption of expenses related to the phase III clinical trial ERNEST involving the product NX-1207 for benign prostatic hyperplasia under license from Nymox. G&A expenses are up by 6.1% remaining stable as percent of sales.

Net financial charges are € 3.7 million, a decrease of € 0.4 million compared to the same period of the preceding year due mainly to the reduction of interest charges related to medium/long-term loans.

The effective tax rate during the period is 25.5%, an improvement compared to that of the same period of the preceding year.

Net income at 18.8% of sales is \leqslant 52.0 million, an increase of 21.5% over the same period of the preceding year.

NET FINANCIAL POSITION

The net financial position is set out in the following table:

€ (thousands)	31 March 2015	31 December 2014	Change 2015/2014	%
Cash and short-term financial investments	187,056	136,990	50,066	36.5
Bank overdrafts and short-term loans	(7,959)	(8,552)	593	(6.9)
Loans - due within one year	(28,326)	(28,281)	(45)	0.2
Net liquid assets	150,771	100,157	50,614	50.5
Loans – due after one year	(287,563)	(286,202)	(1,361)	0.5
Net financial position	(136,792)	(186,045)	49,253	(26.5)

At 31 March 2015 the net financial position shows a net debt of € 136.8 million compared to net debt of € 186.0 million at 31 December 2014.

RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Tax liabilities shown in the consolidated balance sheet at 31 March 2015 include those payable to the controlling company Fimei S.p.A. for an amount of € 3.8 million. This amount refers to tax liabilities computed by the parent Recordati S.p.A. based on estimated taxable income and transferred to the controlling company

consequent to the participation in a tax consolidation grouping under tax laws in Italy.

Except for the above, to our knowledge, no transactions or contracts have been entered into with related parties that can be considered significant, in value or conditions, or which could in any way materially affect the accounts.

SUBSEQUENT EVENTS AND BUSINESS OUTLOOK

The group's business performance was in line with expectations during April. For the full year 2015 targets are to achieve sales of over € 1,000 million, operating income of around € 250 million and net income of around € 175 million.

Milan, 5 May 2015

Giovanni Recordati Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT 31 MARCH 2015

The consolidated financial statements are presented in accordance with the International Accounting Standards (IAS) and the International Financial reporting Standards (IFRS) issued or revised by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) and adopted by the European Union, and were prepared in accordance with the IAS 34 requirements for interim reporting.

RECORDATI S.P.A. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2015

INCOME STATEMENT

€ (thousands)	First quarter 2015	First quarter 2014
Revenue	275,746	260,362
Cost of sales	(88,293)	(86,995)
Gross profit	187,453	173,367
Selling expenses	(77,978)	(75,509)
R&D expenses	(19,892)	(20,786)
G&A expenses	(15,351)	(14,462)
Other income (expense), net	(761)	(423)
Operating income	73,471	62,187
Financial income (expense), net	(3,728)	(4,087)
Pretax income	69,743	58,100
Provision for income taxes	(17,775)	(15,334)
Net income	51,968	42,766
Attributable to:		
Equity holders of the parent	51,964	42,764
Minority interests	4	2
Earnings per share		
Basic	€ 0.254	€ 0.211
Diluted	€ 0.248	€ 0.202

Earnings per share (EPS) are based on average shares outstanding during each year, 204,537,493 in 2015 and 202,722,546 in 2014, net of average treasury stock which amounted to 4,587,663 shares in 2015 and to 6,402,610 shares in 2014.
Diluted earnings per share is calculated taking into account stock options granted to employees.

RECORDATI S.P.A. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET AT 31 MARCH 2015

ASSETS

(thousands)	31 March 2015	31 December 20°
on-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	94,602	92,27
Intangible assets	273,037	266,0
Goodwill	468,999	463,43
Other investments	16,700	17,0
Other non-current assets	4,021	4,74
Deferred tax assets	33,357	33,0
Total non-current assets	890,716	876,60
rrent assets Inventories	142,492	141,2
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Inventories	, -	179,0
Inventories Trade receivables	208,434	179,0 32,3
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Inventories Trade receivables Other receivables Other current assets	208,434 25,978 8,416	179,0. 32,3 4,9 4,1
Trade receivables Other receivables Other current assets Fair value of hedging derivatives (cash flow hedge)	208,434 25,978 8,416 12,117	141,2: 179,0: 32,3 4,9 4,1: 136,9: 498,6

RECORDATI S.P.A. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET AT 31 MARCH 2015

EQUITY AND LIABILITIES

€ (thousands)	31 March 2015	31 December 2014
Shareholders' equity		
Share capital	26,141	26,14
Additional paid-in capital	83,719	83,719
Treasury stock	(28,767)	(30,727)
Hedging reserve (cash flow hedge)	4,863	(683
Translation reserve	(38,460)	(56,314
Other reserves	30,087	29,865
Retained earnings	788,425	627,240
Net income for the year	51,964	161,183
Interim dividend	(53,080)	(53,080
Group shareholders' equity	864,892	787,348
Minority interest	78	74
Shareholders' equity	864,970	787,42
Non-current liabilities		
Loans – due after one year	287,563	286,20
Staff leaving indemnities	18,144	18,388
Deferred tax liabilities	24,212	21,55
Other non-current liabilities	3,129	3,10
Total non-current liabilities	333,048	329,24
Current liabilities		
Trade payables	120,769	112,53
Other payables	71,426	64,88
Tax liabilities	18,424	12,54
Other current liabilities	770	90.
Provisions	24,108	25,784
Fair value of hedging derivatives (cash flow hedge)	5,409	5,07
Loans – due within one year	28,326	28,28
Bank overdrafts and short-term loans	7,959	8,55
Total current liabilities	277,191	258,55

RECORDATI S.P.A. AND SUBSIDIARIES STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2015

€ (thousands)	First quarter 2015	First quarter 2014
Net income for the period	51,968	42,766
Gains/(losses) on cash flow hedges	5,546	(1,321)
Gains/(losses) on translation of foreign financial statements	17,854	(3,695)
Other gains/(losses)	(249)	1,019
Income and expense for the period recognized directly in equity	23,151	(3,997)
Comprehensive income for the period	75,119	38,769
Attributable to:		
Equity holders of the parent	75,115	38,767
Minority interests	4	2

RECORDATI S.P.A. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

€ (thousands)	Share '	Additional paid-in capital	Treasury stock	Hedging reserve	Translation reserve		Retained earnings	Net income for the period	Interim dividend	Minority Interest	Total
Balance at 31.12.2013	26,141	83,719	(37,791)	(2,270)	(42,853)	25,776	559,878	133,678	(44,526)	68	701,820
Allocation of 2013 net income:											
- Retained earnings							133,678	(133,678)			
Change in the reserve for share based payments						142	145				287
Disposal of own shares			1,364				(55)				1,309
Other changes							(5)				(5)
Comprehensive income for the year				(1,321)	(3,695)	1,019		42,764		2	38,769
Balance at 31.3.2014	26,141	83,719	(36,427)	(3,591)	(46,548)	26,937	693,641	42,764	(44,526)	70	742,180
Balance at 31.12.2014	26,141	83,719	(30,727)	(683)	(56,314)	29,865	627,240	161,187	(53,080)	74	787,422
Allocation of 2014 net income:											
- Retained earnings							161,187	(161,187)			
Change in the reserve for share based payments						471	211				682
Purchase of own shares			(406)								(406)
Disposal of own shares			2,366				(205)				2,161
Other changes							(8)				(8)
Comprehensive income for the year				5,546	17,854	(249)		51,964		4	75,119
Balance at 31.3.2015	26,141	83,719	(28,767)	4,863	(38,460)	30,087	788,425	51,964	(53,080)	78	864,970

RECORDATI S.P.A. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2015

€ (thousands)	First quarter 2015	First quarte 2014
Operating activities		
Cash flow		
Net Income	51,968	42,766
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	3,031	2,91
Amortization of intangible assets	6,272	6,318
Write-downs	0	61:
Total cash flow	61,271	52,612
(Increase)/decrease in deferred tax assets	(336)	(1,381
Increase/(decrease) in staff leaving indemnities	(244)	(7
Increase/(decrease) in other non-current liabilities	2,686	(700
	63,377	50,52
Changes in working capital		
Trade receivables	(29,405)	(23,428
Inventories	(1,269)	5,34
Other receivables and other current assets	2,849	70
Trade payables	8,233	3,61
Tax liabilities	5,883	4,66
Other payables and other current liabilities	6,408	(1,864
Provisions	(1,676)	(3,659
Changes in working capital	(8,977)	(14,620
Net cash from operating activities	54,400	35,90
Investing activities		
Net (investments)/disposals in property, plant and equipment	(5,360)	(2,925
Net (investments)/disposals in intangible assets	(13,291)	60
Net (increase)/decrease in other equity investments	0	(1,552
Net (increase)/decrease in other non-current receivables	722	(148
Net cash used in investing activities	(17,929)	(4,017
Financing activities		
Medium/long term loans granted	0	29,82
Re-payment of loans	(6,213)	(48
Increase in treasury stock	(406)	
Decrease in treasury stock	2,161	1,30
Effect on shareholders' equity of application of IAS/IFRS	(1,032)	1,30
Other changes in shareholders' equity	(8)	(5
Change in translation reserve	19,686	(2,47
Net cash from/(used in) financing activities	14,188	29,91
Changes in short-term financial position	50,659	61,79
Short-term financial position at beginning of year *	128,438	18,24
Short-term financial position at end of period *	179,097	80,04
* Includes cash and cash equivalents net of bank overdrafts and short-term loans.		

^{*} Includes cash and cash equivalents net of bank overdrafts and short-term loans.

NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2015

1. GENERAL

The consolidated financial statements at 31 March 2015 comprise Recordati S.p.A. (the Company) and subsidiaries controlled by the Company. The companies included in the consolidated accounts, the consolidation method applied, their percentage of ownership and a description of their activity are set out in attachment 1.

During the period ended 31 March 2015 the consolidation perimeter remained unchanged.

These financial statements are presented in euro (€) and all amounts are rounded to the nearest thousand euro unless otherwise stated.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The first quarter consolidated financial statements were prepared in accordance with the IAS 34 requirements for interim reporting. The statements do not include the full information required for the annual financial statements and must therefore be read together with the annual report for the full year ended 31 December 2014, prepared in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS), issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) and adopted by the European Union.

The preparation of the interim financial statements requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets, liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the interim financial statements. If in the future

such estimates and assumptions, which are based on management's best judgment at the date of the interim financial statements, deviate from the actual circumstances, the original estimates and assumptions will be modified as appropriate in the period in which the circumstances change. Valuation exercises, in particular complex calculations such as those required to identify impairment loss, are carried out in depth only for the preparation of the yearend consolidated financial statements, except when there is an indication that an asset has suffered an impairment loss which would require an immediate estimate of the loss.

Disclosure of the net financial position and of events subsequent to the end of the period are included under the preceding management review.

3. REVENUE

Net revenue for the first quarter 2015 is € 275.7 million (€ 260.4 million in the same period of the preceding year) and can be broken down as follows:

€ (thousands)	First quarter 2015	First quarter 2014	Change 2015/2014
Net sales	271,958	257,937	14,021
Royalties	1,361	751	610
Up-front payments	1,490	300	1,190
Other revenue	937	1,374	(437)
Total revenue	275,746	260,362	15,384

4. OPERATING EXPENSES

Overall operating expenses in the first quarter 2015 are $\[\]$ 202.3 million, an increase as compared to the $\[\]$ 198.2 million in the same period of the preceding year and are analyzed by function. Personnel costs are $\[\]$ 59.9 million and include a cost for stock options of $\[\]$ 0.7 million. Total depreciation and amortization charges are $\[\]$ 9.3

million, slightly higher than those of the first quarter of 2014.

The following table summarizes the main components of other income (expense) which comprises non-recurring events, operations and matters which are not often repeated in the ordinary course of business.

€ (thousands)	First quarter 2015	First quarter 2014	Change 2015/2014
Amounts due to the Italian public healthcare scheme	(232)	(167)	(65)
Others	(529)	(256)	(273)
Total other income (expense), net	(761)	(423)	(338)

The amount due to the Italian public healthcare scheme refers to the pay back due to the Italian medicines agency (AIFA) in substitution for the 5% price reduction on selected products. This mechanism

which was already applied during previous years, was extended to 2015. The amount due is based on the sales of the selected products during 2014 and is spread equally over the year.

5. FINANCIAL INCOME AND EXPENSE

In the first quarter 2015 and in the same period of 2014 financial items record a net expense of € 3.7 million and € 4.1 million respectively and are comprised as follows:

€ (thousands)	First quarter 2015	First quarter 2014	Change 2015/2014
Currency exchange gains (losses)	(214)	(409)	195
Interest expense on loans	(2,428)	(2,759)	331
Net interest income (expense) on short-term financial position	(1,017)	(813)	(204)
Interest cost in respect of defined benefit plans	(69)	(106)	37
Total financial income (expense), net	(3,728)	(4,087)	359

6. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

The composition and variation of property, plant and equipment are shown in the following table:

€ (thousands)	Land & buildings	Plant & machinery	Other equipment	Advances/ construction in progress	Total
Cost					
Balance at 31 December 2014	58,021	197,023	58,944	27,075	341,063
Additions	11	358	181	3,915	4,465
Disposals	0	(18)	(27)	0	(45)
Other changes	434	6,134	574	(5,514)	1,628
Balance at 31 March 2015	58,466	203,497	59,672	25,476	347,111
Accumulated depreciation					
Balance at 31 December 2014	35,068	168,150	45,572	0	248,790
Depreciation for the period	505	1,641	885	0	3,031
Disposals	0	(17)	(26)	0	(43)
Other changes	187	364	180	0	731
Balance at 31 March 2015	35,760	170,138	46,611	0	252,509
Carrying amount at					
31 March 2015	22,706	33,359	13,061	25,476	94,602
31 December 2014	22,953	28,873	13,372	27,075	92,273

The additions during the period refer mainly to investments in the Italian plants and in the headquarters building (\in 1.3 million) and in the Turkish subsidiary due to the advancement of the construction of a new production plant (\in 2.9 million).

7. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

The composition and variation of intangible assets are shown in the following table:

€ (thousands)	Patent rights and marketing authorizations	Distribution, license, trademark and similar rights	Other	Advance payments	Total
Cost					
Balance at 31 December 2014	316,833	147,285	16,952	6,333	487,403
Additions	0	0	28	477	505
Disposals	(1)	0	(1)	(183)	(185)
Other changes	14,906	552	41	(9)	15,490
Balance at 31 March 2015	331,738	147,837	17,020	6,618	503,213
Accumulated amortization					
Balance at 31 December 2014	110,053	95,446	15,886	0	221,385
Amortization for the period	3,797	2,390	85	0	6,272
Disposals	(1)	0	0	0	(1)
Other changes	1,974	520	26	0	2,520
Balance at 31 March 2015	115,823	98,356	15,997	0	230,176
Carrying amount at					
31 March 2015	215,915	49,481	1,023	6,618	273,037
31 December 2014	206,780	51,839	1,066	6,333	266,018

The net increase of the overall carrying value of \in 7.0 million, as compared to that at 31 December 2014, is mainly due to the higher equivalent value of the intangible assets held in the U.S.A. and in Russia following the revaluation of the local currencies against the Euro (\in 12.8 million), net of the amortization for the period (\in 6.3 million).

8. GOODWILL

Net goodwill at 31 March 2015, amounting to € 469.0 million, relates to the operational areas, which represent the same number of cash generating units:

France: € 45.8 million;
Russia: € 29.6 million;
Germany: € 48.8 million;
Portugal: € 32.8 million;

Treatments for rare diseases business: € 110.6 million;

Turkey: € 88.4 million;

• Czech Republic: € 12.9 million;

Romania: € 0.2 million;
Poland: € 16.1 million;
Spain: € 58.1 million;
Tunisia: € 25.7 million.

Goodwill related to acquisitions made in countries outside the European Monetary Union is calculated in local currency and converted into Euro at the period-end exchange rate. Conversion at 31 March 2015 resulted in an overall increase of \in 5.5 million, compared to that at 31 December 2014, which is associated with the acquisitions in Russia (\in 2.4 million), Tunisia (\in 1.7 million), Poland (\in 0.7 million), Turkey (\in 0.6 million) and the Czech Republic (\in 0.1 million).

In compliance with IFRS 3 goodwill is no longer amortized. Instead, it shall be tested for impairment on an annual basis or more frequently if specific events or circumstances indicate a possible loss of value. During the period no events or circumstances arose to indicate possible value loss related to any of the abovementioned items.

9. OTHER INVESTMENTS

At 31 March 2015 other investments amount to € 16.7 million and comprise mainly an investment made during 2012 in Erytech Pharma S.A., a late development stage French biopharmaceutical company focused on orphan oncology and rare diseases. The original investment of € 5.0 million consisting of a non interest bearing loan was converted into 431,034 shares of the company in May 2013. As compared to 31 December 2014 the value

of the investment was reduced by \in 0.4 million to bring it in line with its fair value. This amount, net of its tax effect, is booked to equity and shown on the statement of comprehensive income.

Also included is the € 5.2 million holding in PureTech Ventures LLC (U.S.A.), an investment company specialized in start-up companies dedicated to new therapies, medical devices and new research technologies.

10. DEFERRED TAX ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

At 31 March 2015 deferred tax assets are € 33.4 million, an increase of € 0.3 million compared to those at 31 December 2014. Deferred tax liabilities are € 24.2 million, an increase of € 2.7 million compared to those at 31 December 2014.

11. SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

Shareholders' Equity at 31 March 2015 is € 865.0 million, an increase of € 77.5 million compared to that at 31 December 2014 for the following reasons:

- net income for the period (increase of € 52.0 million);
- cost of stock option plans set-off directly in equity (increase of € 0.7 million);
- disposal of 362,500 own shares in treasury stock to service the stock option plans (increase of € 2.2 million);
- purchase of 24,362 own shares (decrease of € 0.4 million):
- change in the fair value of hedging derivatives qualifying as a cash flow hedge, net of the relative tax effect (increase of € 5.5 million);
- application of IAS/IFRS (decrease of € 0.3 million), almost entirely due to the increase in fair value of the holding in Erytech Pharma, net of the tax effect;

translation adjustments (increase of € 17.8 million).

The Italian subsidiary of Orphan Europe is 99% owned giving rise to a minority interest of € 78.0 thousand.

As at 31 March 2015 the Company has two stock option plans in favor of certain group employees in place, the 2010-2013 plan, under which options were granted on 9 February 2011, on 8 May 2012, on 17 April 2013 and on 30 October 2013 and the 2014-2018 plan under which options were granted on 29 July 2014. The strike price of the options is the average of the parent company's listed share price during the 30 days prior to the grant date. Stock options are vested over a period of five years and those not exercised within the eighth year of the date of grant expire. Options cannot be exercised if the employee leaves the company before they are vested.

Stock options outstanding at 31 March 2015 are analyzed in the following table.

	Strike price (€)	Options outstanding at 1.1.2015	Options granted during 2015	Options exercised during 2015	Options cancelled or expired	Options outstanding at 31.3.2015
Date of grant						
27 October 2009*	4.8700	35,000	-	(35,000)	-	-
9 February 2011	6.7505	2,192,500	-	(175,000)	(60,000)	1,957,500
8 May 2012	5.3070	3,412,500	-	(152,500)	(100,000)	3,160,000
17 April 2013	7.1600	190,000	-	-	-	190,000
30 October 2013	8.9300	360,000	-	-	-	360,000
29 July 2014	12.2900	6,075,000	-	-	(40,000)	6,035,000
Total		12,265,000	-	(362,500)	(200,000)	11,702,500

^{*} Options exercised within the mandatory period at 31 December 2014 but shares not yet formally transferred.

At 31 March 2015, 4,369,532 own shares are held as treasury stock, a decrease of 338,138 shares as compared to those at 31 December 2014. The change is to be attributed to the sale of 362,500 shares for an overall value of \le 2.2 million to service the exercise

of stock options issued under the stock option plans and to the purchase of 24,362 shares for an amount of \in 0.4 million. The overall purchase cost of the shares held in treasury stock is \in 28.8 million with an average unit price of \in 6.58.

12. LOANS

At 31 March 2015 medium and long-term loans are \in 315.9 million, an increase of \in 1.4 million compared to those at 31 December 2014. This change is determined by reimbursements during the period for an amount of \in 6.2 million and by an increase of \in 7.6 million arising from the conversion of loans in foreign currency, consisting almost entirely of the notes privately placed by Recordati Rare Diseases in June 2013 for an amount of 70 million U.S. dollars, following the revaluation of the foreign currencies against the Euro.

The main long-term loans outstanding are:

- a) A loan agreement with IFC-World Bank undersigned by the subsidiary Recordati IIaç on 16 October 2014 for an amount of 71.6 million Turkish Iira to finance the construction of a new production plant. Main terms are: variable interest rate equivalent to the three months' trlibor plus a spread of 162 basis points, 8 year duration and reimbursement of principal at the end of every three months starting November 2016 through August 2022. The loan agreement includes covenants which, if not met, could lead to a request for immediate repayment of the loan. The financial covenants are:
 - the ratio of consolidated net debt to consolidated shareholders' equity must be less than 0.75;
 - the ratio of consolidated net debt to consolidated EBITDA (for a period of twelve consecutive months) must be less than 3.00 to 1.00:
 - the ratio of consolidated operating income to consolidated net interest expense (for a period of twelve consecutive months) must exceed 3.00 to 1.00.

The above conditions were amply fulfilled.

b) Privately placed guaranteed senior notes privately placed by the Parent company on 30 September 2014 for an amount of \$ 75 million in two tranches: \$ 50 million at a fixed interest rate of 4,28% to be reimbursed bi-annually as from 30 March 2022 through 30 September 2026, and \$ 25 million at a fixed interest rate of 4.51% to be reimbursed bi-annually as from 30 March 2023 through 30 September 2029. The loan was simultaneously covered with two currency rate swaps transforming the overall debt to € 56.0 million, of which € 37.3 million at a fixed interest rate of 2.895% on the 12 year tranche and

€ 18.7 million at a fixed interest rate of 3.15% on the 15 year tranche. At 31 March 2015 the measurement at fair value of the hedging instruments generated an overall positive amount of € 12.1 million recognized directly to equity and stated as an increase of the 'Fair value of hedging derivatives (cash flow hedge)' under current assets (see Note 17).

The note purchase agreement covering the senior guaranteed notes issued by Recordati S.p.A. includes covenants which, if not met, could lead to a request for immediate repayment of the loan. The financial covenants are the following:

- the ratio of consolidated net debt to consolidated EBITDA (for a period of twelve consecutive months) must be less than 3.00 to 1.00:
- the ratio of consolidated operating income to consolidated net interest expense (for a period of twelve consecutive months) must exceed 3.00 to 1.00.

The above conditions were amply fulfilled during the period.

c) A loan agreement with ING Bank undersigned by the Parent company on 8 January 2014 for an amount of € 30.0 million, cashed-in net of expenses and commissions of € 0.2 million. Main terms are: variable interest rate equivalent to the six months' euribor plus a spread of 190 basis points, 6 year duration and reimbursement of principal at the end of every six months starting July 2016 through January 2020. The loan was simultaneously covered with an interest rate swap qualifying as a cash flow hedge transforming the interest payable on the entire debt to a fixed interest rate of 2.963%. The fair value measurement of the swap at 31 March 2015 generated a liability of € 0.9 million which is recognized directly as a decrease in equity and stated as an increase of the 'Fair value of hedging derivatives (cash flow hedge)' under current liabilities (see Note 17).

The ING Bank loan agreement contains covenants which, if not met, could lead to a request for immediate repayment of the loan. The financial covenants are the following:

 the ratio of consolidated net debt to consolidated EBITDA (for a period of twelve consecutive months) must be less than 3.00 to 1.00; the ratio of consolidated operating income to consolidated net interest expense (for a period of twelve consecutive months) must exceed 3.00 to 1.00

The above conditions are amply fulfilled.

- d) A loan agreement with UniCredit undersigned by the Parent Company on 26 November 2013 for € 50.0 million, received net of expenses and commission amounting to € 0.6 million. The main terms and conditions provide for variable interest rate fixed at the six months Euribor plus a spread of 190 basis points and a duration of 6 years with semi-annual repayments of capital from May 2014 through November 2019. The loan was simultaneously covered with an interest rate swap, qualifying as a cash flow hedge, effectively converting the interest charges on the debt from variable to a fixed rate of 2.834%. The measurement at fair value of the swap at 31 March 2015 generated a liability of € 0.9 million which is recognized directly as a decrease in equity and stated as an increase of the 'Fair value of hedging derivatives (cash flow hedge)' under current liabilities (see Note 17). The loan agreement includes covenants which, if not met, could lead to a request for immediate repayment of the loan. The financial covenants are:
 - the ratio of consolidated net debt to EBITDA (for a period of twelve consecutive months) must be less than 3.00 to 1.00;
 - the ratio of consolidated operating income to consolidated net interest expense (for a period of twelve consecutive months) must exceed 3.00 to 1.00.

The above conditions were amply fulfilled.

e) A loan agreement with Banca Nazionale del Lavoro undersigned by the Parent Company on 30 September 2013 for an amount of € 50 million, cashed-in net of expenses and commissions of € 0.6 million. Main terms are: variable interest rate equivalent to the six months' euribor plus a spread of 200 basis points, 5 year duration and reimbursement of principal in 8 installments due at the end of every six months starting March 2015 through September 2018. The loan was simultaneously covered with an interest rate swap qualifying as a cash flow hedge transforming the interest payable on the entire debt to a fixed interest rate of 2.9925%. The measurement at fair value of the swap at 31 March 2015 generated a liability of € 0.8 million recognized directly in equity and under current liabilities as 'Fair value of hedging derivatives (cash flow hedge)' (see Note 17). The loan

- agreement contains covenants which, if not met, could lead to a request for immediate repayment of the loan. The financial covenants are the following:
- the ratio of consolidated net debt to consolidated EBITDA (for a period of twelve consecutive months) must be less than 3.00 to 1.00;
- the ratio of consolidated operating income to consolidated net interest expense (for a period of twelve consecutive months) must exceed 3.00 to 1.00

The above conditions are amply fulfilled.

- f) Senior guaranteed notes issued by Recordati Rare Diseases Inc. privately placed with U.S. investors on 13 June 2013 to fund the acquisition of a portfolio of products for the treatment of rare and other diseases sold mainly in the United States of America. The loan comprises two series of notes for a total of \$ 70 million, of which \$ 40 million ten year bullet and 4.55% coupon and \$ 30 million twelve year bullet and 4.70% coupon. The note purchase agreement covering the senior guaranteed notes issued by Recordati Rare Diseases Inc. includes covenants which, if not met, could lead to a request for immediate repayment of the loan. The financial covenants are the following:
 - the ratio of consolidated net debt to consolidated EBITDA (for a period of twelve consecutive months) must be less than 3.00 to 1.00;
 - the ratio of consolidated operating income to consolidated net interest expense (for a period of twelve consecutive months) must exceed 3.00 to 1.00.

The above conditions were amply fulfilled during the period.

g) A loan agreement with Centrobanca undersigned by the Parent company on 30 November 2010 to fund a three year research and investment program. The loan, for which Centrobanca received funding from the European Investment Bank, amounts to € 75.0 million of which € 30.0 million were cashed in during 2010 and € 45.0 million in the first guarter of 2011, net of the € 0.3 million expenses. The main terms and conditions provide for a variable interest rate and a duration of 12 years with semi-annual repayments of capital from June 2012 through December 2022. During the month of June 2012 interest on the whole loan was covered with an interest rate swap qualifying as a cash flow hedge. The current interest rate on the loan is 2.775%. The measurement at fair value of the hedging instrument at 31 March 2015 generated a liability of € 2.8 million which is recognized directly as a decrease in equity and stated as an increase of the 'Fair value of hedging derivatives (cash flow hedge)' under current liabilities (see Note 17). The loan agreement includes covenants which, if not met, could lead to a request for immediate repayment of the loan. The financial covenants are the following:

- the ratio of consolidated net debt to consolidated net equity must be less than 0.75;
- the ratio of consolidated net debt to consolidated EBITDA (for a period of twelve consecutive months) must be less than 3.00 to 1.00:
- the ratio of consolidated EBITDA to consolidated net interest expense (for a period of twelve consecutive months) must exceed 3.00 to 1.00.

The above conditions were amply fulfilled during the period.

13. STAFF LEAVING INDEMNITIES

The staff leaving indemnity fund at 31 March 2015 is of € 18.1 million, substantially unchanged as compared to that at 31 December 2014, and is measured as prescribed by IAS 19.

14. OTHER NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES

Other non-current liabilities at 31 March 2015 are € 3.1 million and refer to:

- the residual amount due, determined according to the purchase agreement, for the acquisition of the Polish company Farma-Projekt (€ 0.6 million) payable in 2016:
- the € 2.5 million debt for the acquisition of a further 10% of the share capital of Opalia Pharma which, in line with the put and call options in the purchase agreement, is expected to be settled not before the next 12 months

15. CURRENT ASSETS

Inventories are € 142.5 million, an increase of € 1.3 million compared to those stated at 31 December 2014.

Trade receivables at 31 March 2015 are € 208.4 million, an increase of € 29.4 million compared to that at 31 December 2014 due to the substantial growth in sales. Trade receivables are stated net of a € 12.8 million provision for doubtful accounts which reflects the collection risk connected with certain customers and geographic areas.

Days sales outstanding are 60, an improvement over the 63 days at 31 December 2014.

Other receivables, at \le 26.0 million, decrease by \le 6.3 million compared to those at 31 December 2014 mainly due to a decrease in tax receivable of \le 7.4 million and an increase in other current receivables of \le 1.1 million.

Other current assets are \in 8.4 million and refer mainly to prepaid expenses.

16. CURRENT LIABILITIES

Trade payables, which include the accrual for invoices to be received. are € 120.8 million.

Other payables are \leqslant 71.4 million, an increase of \leqslant 6.5 million compared to those at 31 December 2014, and relate mainly to amounts owed to personnel and social security institutions. This account includes:

- an amount of € 9.9 million due to U.S. health insurance by Recordati Rare Diseases;
- € 2.0 million payable to the "Krankenkassen" (German health insurance) by Recordati Pharma GmbH;
- €1.4 million payable to the Italian Regional authorities by Recordati S.p.A. and Innova Pharma S.p.A. resulting from the 1.83% claw-back applicable on

the price to the public before VAT of pharmaceutical products reimbursed by the National Health Service:

- the current portion of the residual amount due for the acquisition of Farma-Projekt (€ 0.6 million);
- the € 1.4 million payment deferred to 2015 for the acquisition of 90% of the share capital of Opalia Pharma;
- an accrual of € 0.2 million for the current portion of the pay back due to AIFA (see Note 4).

Tax payables are € 18.4 million, an increase of € 5.9 million compared to those at 31 December 2014.

Provisions are \in 24.1 million, a decrease of \in 1.7 million compared to those at 31 December 2014.

17. FAIR VALUE OF HEDGING DERIVATIVES (CASH FLOW HEDGE)

The currency rate swaps covering the cash flows related to the notes issued and privately placed on 30 September 2014, for an amount of \$75 million, measured at fair value at 31 March 2015 give rise to a \leq 12.1 million asset recognized under current assets as 'Fair value of hedging derivatives (cash flow hedge)'. This amounts represents the potential benefit of a lower value in euros of the future dollar denominated capital and interest flows, in view of the revaluation of the foreign currency subsequent to the moment in which the loan and hedging instrument were negotiated. In particular, the change in fair value of the hedging instrument covering the \$50 million tranche of the loan, provided by Mediobanca, was positive for an amount of \leq 8.2 million, and that covering the \$25 million tranche of

the loan, provided by UniCredit, yielded a € 3.9 million positive value change.

The measurement at fair value of the interest rate swaps covering the cash flows related to medium and long-term loans gave rise to a net \in 5.4 million liability at 31 March 2015 recognized under current liabilities as 'Fair value of hedging derivatives (cash flow hedge)'. This amount represents the unrealized opportunity of paying the current expected future rates instead of the rates agreed. The amount refers to the interest rate swaps to cover the interest rate risk associated with the loans granted by Centrobanca (\in 2.8 million), Banca Nazionale del Lavoro (\in 0.8 million), ING Bank (\in 0.9 million) and by UniCredit (\in 0.9 million).

18. SHORT-TERM FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS, CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Short term financial investments, cash and cash equivalents at 31 March 2015 are € 187.1 million, an increase of € 50.1 million compared to those at 31

December 2014. They are mostly denominated in Euro, U.S. Dollars and Pounds Sterling and comprise mainly current accounts and short-term deposits.

19. BANK OVERDRAFTS AND SHORT-TERM LOANS

Bank overdrafts and short-term loans are € 8.0 million at 31 March 2015 and are comprised mainly of temporary use of lines of credit, current account overdrafts and interest accrued on existing loans.

20. OPERATING SEGMENTS

The financial information reported by line of business and by geographical area, in compliance with IFRS 8 – *Operating segments*, is prepared using the same accounting principles and reporting standards used for the preparation and disclosure of the Group consolidated financial statements. Following the acquisition of

Orphan Europe two main business segments can be identified, the pharmaceutical segment and the orphan drugs segment.

The following table shows financial information for these two business segments as at 31 March 2015 and includes comparative data.

€ (thousands)	Pharmaceutical segment*	Orphan drugs segment	Non-allocated	Consolidated accounts
First quarter 2015				
Revenues	238,304	37,442	-	275,746
Expenses	(180,553)	(21,722)	-	(202,275)
Operating income	57,751	15,720	-	73,471
First quarter 2014				
Revenues	232,534	27,828	-	260,362
Expenses	(181,240)	(16,935)	-	(198,175)
Operating income	51,294	10,893	-	62,187

^{*} Includes the pharmaceutical chemicals operations

€ (thousands)	Pharmaceutical segment*	Orphan drugs segment	Non-allocated **	Consolidated accounts
31 March 2015				
Non-current assets	663,900	210,116	16,700	890,716
Inventories	125,525	16,967	-	142,492
Trade receivables	175,909	32,525	-	208,434
Other current assets	26,854	7,540	12,117	46,511
Short-term investments, cash and cash equivalents	-	-	187,056	187,056
Total assets	992,188	267,148	215,873	1,475,209
Non-current liabilities	42,417	899	289,732	333,048
Current liabilities	199,661	35,836	41,694	277,191
Total liabilities	242,078	36,735	331,426	610,239
Net capital employed	750,110	230,413		
31 December 2014				
Non-current assets (1)	669,910	189,619	17,079	876,608
Inventories	126,284	14,939	-	141,223
Trade receivables	155,924	23,105	-	179,029
Other current assets	28,364	8,879	4,132	41,375
Short-term investments, cash and cash equivalents	-	-	136,990	136,990
Total assets	980,482	236,542	158,201	1,375,225
Non-current liabilities	39,906	840	288,499	329,245
Current liabilities	184,837	31,813	41,908	258,558
Total liabilities	224,743	32,653	330,407	587,803
Net capital employed	755.739	203,889		

^{*} Includes the pharmaceutical chemicals operations.

The pharmaceutical chemicals operations are considered part of the pharmaceutical segment as they are prevalently dedicated to the production of active ingredients for this business, both from a strategic and organizational point of view.

^{**} Non-allocated amounts include: other equity investments, short-term investments, cash and cash equivalents, loans, hedging instruments, bank overdrafts and short-term loans.

21. LITIGATION AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The parent company and some subsidiaries are party to certain legal actions, the outcomes of which are not expected to result in any significant liability.

On 29 September 2006 the Company received a notice of tax assessment from the Internal Revenue Service stating certain additional taxes for the fiscal year 2003 in the amount of: corporate tax of \in 2.3 million, IRAP of \in 0.2 million and VAT of \in 0.1 million and additional tax liabilities of \in 2.6 million. The Company believed no amount was due as it considered the assessment flawed both from a legitimacy as well as a substantive point of view, and was supported in its position by professional opinion. An appeal was therefore filed with the Provincial Tax Commission of Milan. The first degree judgement before the Provincial Tax Commission was concluded partially in the Company's favour with

decision n. 539/33/07 dated 11 October 2007, filed on 16 October 2007. An appeal was filed against that judgment with the Regional Tax Commission of Milan firstly by the Milan office of the Tax Authorities with notice served on 8 November 2008 and secondly by the Company with notice served on 7 January 2009. With a decision dated June 10, 2009 n. 139/32/09, filed on November 27, 2009 the Regional Tax Commission of Milan rejected the interlocutory appeal presented by the Company and accepted the principal appeal of the Agenzia delle Entrate di Milano (Inland Revenue of Milan). On the basis of that decision, the claims included in the above mentioned tax assessment for the year 2003 have been essentially fully confirmed and the Company has paid all amounts due. On 26 May 2010 the Company appealed that decision before the Corte Suprema di Cassazione (Supreme Court of Cassation).

RECORDATI S.P.A. AND SUBSIDIARIES SUBSIDIARIES INCLUDED IN THE CONSOLIDATED ACCOUNTS AT 31 MARCH 2015

ATTACHMENT 1.

Consolidated Companies	Head Office	Share Capital	Currency	Consolidation Method	
RECORDATI S.p.A. Development, production, marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals and pharmaceutical chemicals	Italy	26,140,644.50	Euro	Line-by-line	
RECOFARMA S.r.I. Dormant, holds pharmaceutical marketing rights	Italy	1,258,400.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
INNOVA PHARMA S.p.A. Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Italy	1,920,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
CASEN RECORDATI S.L. Development, production, marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Spain	238,966,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI S.A. Chemical and Pharmaceutical Company Holding company	Luxembourg	82,500,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
BOUCHARA RECORDATI S.A.S. Development, production, marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	France	4,600,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI PORTUGUESA LDA Dormant	Portugal	24,940.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI RARE DISEASES COMERCIO DE MEDICAMENTOS LTDA Dormant, holds pharmaceutical marketing rights in Brazil	Brazil	166.00	BRL	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI RARE DISEASES Inc. Development, production, marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	U.S.A.	11,979,138.00	USD	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI IRELAND LTD Development, production, marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Ireland	200,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI S.A. Provision of services, holds pharmaceutical marketing rights	Switzerland	2,000,000.00	CHF	Line-by-line	
LABORATOIRES BOUCHARA RECORDATI S.A.S. Development, production, marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	France	14,000,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI PHARMA GmbH Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Germany	600,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI PHARMACEUTICALS LTD Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	United Kingdom	15,000,000.00	GBP	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI HELLAS PHARMACEUTICALS S.A. Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Greece	13,900,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
JABA RECORDATI S.A. Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Portugal	2,000,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
JABAFARMA PRODUTOS FARMACÊUTICOS S.A. Marketing of pharmaceuticals	Portugal	50,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
BONAFARMA PRODUTOS FARMACÊUTICOS S.A. Marketing of pharmaceuticals	Portugal	50,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI ORPHAN DRUGS S.A.S. Holding company	France	57,000,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
ORPHAN EUROPE SWITZERLAND GmbH Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Switzerland	20,000.00	CHF	Line-by-line	
ORPHAN EUROPE MIDDLE EAST FZ LLC Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	United Arab Emirates	100,000.00	AED	Line-by-line	

	PERCENTAGE OF OWNERSHIP										
Recordati S.p.A. (Parent)	Recordati S.A. (Lux)	Recordati Pharma GmbH	Bouchara Recordati S.A.S.	Casen Recordati S.L.	Recordati Orphan Drugs S.A.S.	Orphan Europe S.A.R.L.	Herbacos Recordati s.r.o.	Recordati IIaç A.Ş.	SGAM AI Kantara Co II S.A.R.L.	Opalia Pharma S.A.	Total
100.00											100.00
100.00											100.00
68.447	31.553										100.00
100.00											100.00
99.94	0.06										100.00
98.00	2.00										100.00
	99.398					0.602					100.00
	100.00										100.00
	100.00										100.00
	100.00										100.00
			100.00								100.00
	55.00			45.00							100.00
3.33	96.67										100.00
0.68	99.32										100.00
				100.00							100.00
				100.00							100.00
				100.00							100.00
	90.00	10.00									100.00
					100.00						100.00
					100.00						100.00

Consolidated Companies	Head Office	Share Capital	Currency	Consolidation Method	
ORPHAN EUROPE NORDIC A.B. Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Sweden	100,000.00	SEK	Line-by-line	
ORPHAN EUROPE PORTUGAL LDA Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Portugal	5,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
ORPHAN EUROPE S.A.R.L. Development, production, marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	France	320,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
DRPHAN EUROPE UNITED KINGDOM LTD Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	United Kingdom	50,000.00	GBP	Line-by-line	
ORPHAN EUROPE GERMANY GmbH Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Germany	25,600.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
ORPHAN EUROPE SPAIN S.L. Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Spain	1,775,065.49	Euro	Line-by-line	
ORPHAN EUROPE ITALY S.R.L. Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Italy	40,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
ORPHAN EUROPE BENELUX BVBA Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Belgium	18,600.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
FIC MEDICAL S.A.R.L. Marketing of pharmaceuticals	France	173,700.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
HERBACOS RECORDATI s.r.o. Development, production, marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Czech Republic	25,600,000.00	CZK	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI SK s.r.o Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Slovakia	33,193.92	Euro	Line-by-line	
RUSFIC LLC Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Russian Federation	3,560,000.00	RUB	Line-by-line	
RECOFARMA ILAÇ Ve Hammaddeleri Sanayi Ve Ticaret L.S. Marketing of pharmaceuticals	Turkey	10,000.00	TRY	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI ROMÂNIA S.R.L. Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Romania	5,000,000.00	RON	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI ILAÇ Sanayi Ve Ticaret A.Ş. Development, production, marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Turkey	120,875,367.00	TRY	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI SERVICES Sp. z o.o. IN LIQUIDATION Marketing of pharmaceuticals	Poland	440,000.00	PLN	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI POLSKA Sp. z o.o. Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Poland	4,500,000.00	PLN	Line-by-line	
ACCENT LLC Holds pharmaceutical marketing rights	Russian Federation	20,000.00	RUB	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI UKRAINE LLC Marketing of pharmaceuticals	Ukraine	1,031,896.30	UAH	Line-by-line	
CASEN RECORDATI PORTUGAL Unipessoal Lda Marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Portugal	100,000.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
SGAM AI KANTARA CO II SARL Holding company	Luxembourg	12,500.00	Euro	Line-by-line	
OPALIA PHARMA S.A. Development, production, marketing and sales of pharmaceuticals	Tunisia	7,990,000.00	TND	Line-by-line	
OPALIA RECORDATI S.A.R.L. ^(t) Marketing of pharmaceuticals	Tunisia	20,000.00	TND	Line-by-line	
RECORDATI RARE DISEASES S.A. DE C.V. ⁽¹⁾ Marketing of pharmaceuticals	Mexico	50,000.00	MXN	Line-by-line	

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					99.46	0.54					100.00
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0.08	99.92										100.00
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	100.00										100.00
	56.00								34.00		90.00
			1.00							99.00	100.00
	99.998					0.002					100.00

DECLARATION BY THE MANAGER RESPONSIBLE FOR PREPARING THE COMPANY'S FINANCIAL REPORTS

The manager responsible for preparing the company's financial reports Fritz Squindo declares, pursuant to paragraph 2 of Article 154-bis of the Consolidated Law on Finance, that the accounting information contained in this report corresponds to the document results, books and accounting records.

Milan, 5 May 2015

Signed by Fritz Squindo Manager responsible for preparing the Company's financial reports



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