

Company Registration No. SC020350 (Scotland)

A. DE CECCO, LIMITED
UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED
31 MARCH 2022
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BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31 MARCH 2022

	Notes	2022		2021	
		£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	4		220,441		249,387
Current assets					
Stocks		35,229		36,809	
Debtors	5	1,178,665		844,101	
Cash at bank and in hand		306		63,977	
		<u>1,214,200</u>		<u>944,887</u>	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	6	<u>(503,934)</u>		<u>(269,807)</u>	
Net current assets			<u>710,266</u>		<u>675,080</u>
Total assets less current liabilities			<u>930,707</u>		<u>924,467</u>
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	7		(32,500)		(53,750)
Provisions for liabilities			-		(1,232)
Net assets			<u>898,207</u>		<u>869,485</u>
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	10		14,860		14,860
Revaluation reserve			94,133		94,133
Profit and loss reserves			<u>789,214</u>		<u>760,492</u>
Total equity			<u>898,207</u>		<u>869,485</u>

The director of the company has elected not to include a copy of the profit and loss account within the financial statements.

For the financial year ended 31 March 2022 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

The director acknowledges his responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476.

These financial statements have been prepared and delivered in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

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BALANCE SHEET (CONTINUED)

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The financial statements were approved and signed by the director and authorised for issue on 19 December 2022

Mr A. Paton
Director

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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1 Accounting policies

Company information

A. De Cecco, Limited is a private company limited by shares incorporated in Scotland. The registered office is 33 Weardale Lane, Queenslie Industrial Estate, Glasgow, G33 4JJ.

1.1 Accounting convention

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" ("FRS 102") and the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 as applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime. The disclosure requirements of section 1A of FRS 102 have been applied other than where additional disclosure is required to show a true and fair view.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the company. Monetary amounts in these financial statements are rounded to the nearest £.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, modified to include the revaluation of freehold properties and to include investment properties and certain financial instruments at fair value. The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

1.2 Turnover

Turnover is recognised at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable for goods and services provided in the normal course of business, and is shown net of VAT and other sales related taxes. The fair value of consideration takes into account trade discounts, settlement discounts and volume rebates.

Revenue from contracts for the provision of professional services is recognised by reference to the stage of completion when the stage of completion, costs incurred and costs to complete can be estimated reliably. The stage of completion is calculated by comparing costs incurred, mainly in relation to contractual hourly staff rates and materials, as a proportion of total costs. Where the outcome cannot be estimated reliably, revenue is recognised only to the extent of the expenses recognised that it is probable will be recovered.

1.3 Tangible fixed assets

Tangible fixed assets are initially measured at cost and subsequently measured at cost or valuation, net of depreciation and any impairment losses.

Depreciation is recognised so as to write off the cost or valuation of assets less their residual values over their useful lives on the following bases:

Land and buildings Freehold	2% straight line
Plant and machinery	20% reducing balance
Fixtures, fittings & equipment	10% reducing balance
Computer equipment	20% straight line
Motor vehicles	25% reducing balance

The gain or loss arising on the disposal of an asset is determined as the difference between the sale proceeds and the carrying value of the asset, and is credited or charged to profit or loss.

1.4 Impairment of fixed assets

At each reporting period end date, the company reviews the carrying amounts of its tangible assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss (if any). Where it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, the company estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

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Recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less costs to sell and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset for which the estimates of future cash flows have not been adjusted.

If the recoverable amount of an asset (or cash-generating unit) is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset (or cash-generating unit) is reduced to its recoverable amount. An impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss, unless the relevant asset is carried at a revalued amount, in which case the impairment loss is treated as a revaluation decrease.

Recognised impairment losses are reversed if, and only if, the reasons for the impairment loss have ceased to apply. Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset (or cash-generating unit) is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but so that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset (or cash-generating unit) in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss, unless the relevant asset is carried at a revalued amount, in which case the reversal of the impairment loss is treated as a revaluation increase.

1.5 Stocks

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost and estimated selling price less costs to complete and sell. Cost comprises direct materials and, where applicable, direct labour costs and those overheads that have been incurred in bringing the stocks to their present location and condition.

Stocks held for distribution at no or nominal consideration are measured at the lower of cost and replacement cost, adjusted where applicable for any loss of service potential.

At each reporting date, an assessment is made for impairment. Any excess of the carrying amount of stocks over its estimated selling price less costs to complete and sell is recognised as an impairment loss in profit or loss. Reversals of impairment losses are also recognised in profit or loss.

1.6 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents are basic financial assets and include cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities.

1.7 Financial instruments

The company has elected to apply the provisions of Section 11 'Basic Financial Instruments' and Section 12 'Other Financial Instruments Issues' of FRS 102 to all of its financial instruments.

Financial instruments are recognised in the company's balance sheet when the company becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset, with the net amounts presented in the financial statements, when there is a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Basic financial assets

Basic financial assets, which include debtors and cash and bank balances, are initially measured at transaction price including transaction costs and are subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the transaction is measured at the present value of the future receipts discounted at a market rate of interest. Financial assets classified as receivable within one year are not amortised.

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Classification of financial liabilities

Financial liabilities and equity instruments are classified according to the substance of the contractual arrangements entered into. An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the company after deducting all of its liabilities.

Basic financial liabilities

Basic financial liabilities, including creditors, bank loans, loans from fellow group companies and preference shares that are classified as debt, are initially recognised at transaction price unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the debt instrument is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest. Financial liabilities classified as payable within one year are not amortised.

Debt instruments are subsequently carried at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method.

Trade creditors are obligations to pay for goods or services that have been acquired in the ordinary course of business from suppliers. Amounts payable are classified as current liabilities if payment is due within one year or less. If not, they are presented as non-current liabilities. Trade creditors are recognised initially at transaction price and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

1.8 Equity instruments

Equity instruments issued by the company are recorded at the proceeds received, net of transaction costs. Dividends payable on equity instruments are recognised as liabilities once they are no longer at the discretion of the company.

1.9 Taxation

The tax expense represents the sum of the tax currently payable and deferred tax.

Current tax

The tax currently payable is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit differs from net profit as reported in the profit and loss account because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other years and it further excludes items that are never taxable or deductible. The company's liability for current tax is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting end date.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised for all timing differences and deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable profits. Such assets and liabilities are not recognised if the timing difference arises from goodwill or from the initial recognition of other assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the tax profit nor the accounting profit.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each reporting end date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered. Deferred tax is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the liability is settled or the asset is realised. Deferred tax is charged or credited in the profit and loss account, except when it relates to items charged or credited directly to equity, in which case the deferred tax is also dealt with in equity. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when the company has a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets and liabilities and the deferred tax assets and liabilities relate to taxes levied by the same tax authority.

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1 Accounting policies (Continued)

1.10 Employee benefits

The costs of short-term employee benefits are recognised as a liability and an expense, unless those costs are required to be recognised as part of the cost of stock or fixed assets.

The cost of any unused holiday entitlement is recognised in the period in which the employee's services are received.

Termination benefits are recognised immediately as an expense when the company is demonstrably committed to terminate the employment of an employee or to provide termination benefits.

1.11 Retirement benefits

Payments to defined contribution retirement benefit schemes are charged as an expense as they fall due.

1.12 Leases

Leases are classified as finance leases whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the lessees. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

Assets held under finance leases are recognised as assets at the lower of the assets fair value at the date of inception and the present value of the minimum lease payments. The related liability is included in the balance sheet as a finance lease obligation. Lease payments are treated as consisting of capital and interest elements. The interest is charged to profit or loss so as to produce a constant periodic rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability.

Rentals payable under operating leases, including any lease incentives received, are charged to profit or loss on a straight line basis over the term of the relevant lease except where another more systematic basis is more representative of the time pattern in which economic benefits from the leases asset are consumed.

1.13 Government grants

Government grants are recognised at the fair value of the asset received or receivable when there is reasonable assurance that the grant conditions will be met and the grants will be received.

A grant that specifies performance conditions is recognised in income when the performance conditions are met. Where a grant does not specify performance conditions it is recognised in income when the proceeds are received or receivable. A grant received before the recognition criteria are satisfied is recognised as a liability.

1.14 Foreign exchange

Transactions in currencies other than pounds sterling are recorded at the rates of exchange prevailing at the dates of the transactions. At each reporting end date, monetary assets and liabilities that are denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rates prevailing on the reporting end date. Gains and losses arising on translation in the period are included in profit or loss.

2 Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

In the application of the company's accounting policies, the director is required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amount of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised where the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods where the revision affects both current and future periods.

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3 Employees

The average monthly number of persons (including directors) employed by the company during the year was:

	2022 Number	2021 Number
Total	36	32

4 Tangible fixed assets

	Land and buildings Freehold £	Plant and machinery £	Fixtures, fittings & equipment £	Computer equipment £	Motor vehicles £	Total £
Cost or valuation						
At 1 April 2021	145,000	72,565	39,572	130,362	196,666	584,165
Additions	-	-	-	916	-	916
At 31 March 2022	145,000	72,565	39,572	131,278	196,666	585,081
Depreciation and impairment						
At 1 April 2021	5,800	65,799	34,727	117,060	111,392	334,778
Depreciation charged in the year	2,900	1,353	484	6,000	19,125	29,862
At 31 March 2022	8,700	67,152	35,211	123,060	130,517	364,640
Carrying amount						
At 31 March 2022	136,300	5,413	4,361	8,218	66,149	220,441
At 31 March 2021	139,200	6,766	4,845	13,302	85,274	249,387

A standard security over the company's building has been granted to Bank of Scotland as security for the overdraft balance.

Land and buildings with a carrying amount of £123,060 were revalued at £145,000 by Shepherd Chartered Surveyors in June 2019, independent valuers not connected with the company, on the basis of an open market valuation. This valuation was recorded in the financial statements for the year ended 31st March 2019. A revaluation gain of £21,940 was transferred to the revaluation reserve. The director believes the current fair value of the property is not materially different to the current carrying value.

If revalued assets were stated on a historical cost basis rather than a fair value basis, the total amounts included would have been as follows:

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4 Tangible fixed assets		(Continued)	
	2022	2021	
	£	£	
Cost	87,313	87,313	
Accumulated depreciation	(36,466)	(34,726)	
Carrying value	<u>50,847</u>	<u>52,587</u>	
5 Debtors			
	2022	2021	
	£	£	
Amounts falling due within one year:			
Trade debtors	894,466	628,828	
Other debtors	284,199	215,273	
	<u>1,178,665</u>	<u>844,101</u>	
6 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year			
	2022	2021	
	£	£	
Bank loans and overdrafts	226,205	7,500	
Trade creditors	145,630	155,174	
Taxation and social security	61,646	49,023	
Other creditors	70,453	58,110	
	<u>503,934</u>	<u>269,807</u>	
Hire purchase and finance lease debts are secured over the assets financed.			
7 Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year			
	2022	2021	
	£	£	
	Notes		
Bank loans and overdrafts	8	32,500	42,500
Obligations under hire purchase and finance leases		-	11,250
		<u>32,500</u>	<u>53,750</u>
Hire purchase and finance lease debts are secured over the assets financed.			
Amounts included above which fall due after five years are as follows:			
Payable by instalments		-	2,500
		<u>-</u>	<u>2,500</u>

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7 Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year (Continued)

8 Loans and overdrafts

	2022	2021
	£	£
Bank loans	42,500	50,000
Bank overdrafts	216,205	-
	<u>258,705</u>	<u>50,000</u>
Payable within one year	226,205	7,500
Payable after one year	<u>32,500</u>	<u>42,500</u>

A bond and floating charge over the company's assets along with a standard security over the company's property have been granted to Bank of Scotland as security for the overdraft.

The bank loan is supported by the Government Bounce Back Loan scheme, with a 100% guarantee provided by the UK Government.

9 Deferred taxation

The following are the major deferred tax liabilities and assets recognised by the company and movements thereon:

	Liabilities 2022	Liabilities 2021
	£	£
Balances:		
Accelerated capital allowances	-	1,232
	<u>-</u>	<u>1,232</u>
Movements in the year:		2022
		£
Liability at 1 April 2021		1,232
Credit to profit or loss		(1,232)
		<u>-</u>
Liability at 31 March 2022		<u>-</u>

There is no expiry date for any of the timing differences.

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10 Called up share capital

	2022	2021	2022	2021
Ordinary share capital Issued and fully paid	Number	Number	£	£
Ordinary shares of £1 each	14,660	14,660	14,660	14,660
Ordinary class A shares of £1 each	200	200	200	200
	<u>14,860</u>	<u>14,860</u>	<u>14,860</u>	<u>14,860</u>

11 Related party transactions

Transactions with related parties

During the year the company entered into the following transactions with related parties:

	Loans	
	2022	2021
	£	£
Other related parties	-	(69,063)
	<u>-</u>	<u>(69,063)</u>

The following amounts were outstanding at the reporting end date:

	2022
Amounts owed by related parties	Balance
	£
Other related parties	105,686
	<u>105,686</u>
Amounts owed in previous period	Balance
	£
Other related parties	105,686
	<u>105,686</u>

The above amounts are: unsecured, interest free and there are no fixed repayment terms.

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