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for the period ended June 30, 2001

BP p.l.c.  
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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### BP p.l.c. AND SUBSIDIARIES MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

GROUP RESULTS JANUARY - JUNE 2001

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months ended June 30 (Unaudited)	
	2001	2000	2001	2000
Total replacement cost operating profit - \$m	4,972	4,337	10,471	8,337
Replacement cost profit before exceptional items - \$m	3,032	2,791	6,469	5,791
Replacement cost profit for the period - \$m	3,131	2,811	6,673	5,982
Historical cost profit for the period - \$m	3,171	3,024	6,475	6,475
Profit per Ordinary Share - cents	14.12	13.59	28.82	29.12
Dividends per Ordinary Share - cents	5.50	5.00	10.75	10.75

(a) For further information on replacement cost profit see Note 5 of Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

The following discussion should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements provided elsewhere in this Form 6-K and with the consolidated financial statements and related notes for the year ended December 31, 2000 included in BP p.l.c.'s Annual Report on Form 20-F for the year ended December 31, 2000. Comparative figures for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2000 have been restated to reflect the transfer of BP's North American NGL business from Refining and Marketing to Gas and Power.

The changes in turnover for the second quarter and half year of 2001 reflect significant increases in Gas and Power and in Refining and Marketing. In Gas and Power the increases are mainly due to higher marketing sales and increased trading activity. In Refining and Marketing the increases mainly reflect the inclusion of ARCO for the whole of the six months in 2001, compared to around three months (from April 14) in 2000, the acquisition of Burmah Castrol from July 7, 2000 and the consolidation of the European fuels business with effect from August 1, 2000. Changes in turnover also reflect movements in price and other volume changes.

Replacement cost profit before exceptional items (which excludes inventory holding gains and losses) was \$3,032 million for the three months ended June 30, 2001, compared with \$2,791 million for the equivalent period of 2000. The increase in profit reflects the generally favourable trading environment, performance improvements and the inclusion of ARCO and Burmah Castrol. These results are after charging special items of \$159 million (\$114 million after tax) for the three months ended June 30, 2001, and \$600 million (\$442 million after tax) for the equivalent period of 2000. The results for the three months ended June 30, 2001 and 2000 are also after charging acquisition amortization of \$653 million and \$377 million respectively. Acquisition amortization refers to depreciation relating to the fixed asset revaluation adjustment and amortization of goodwill consequent upon the ARCO and Burmah Castrol acquisitions. The special charges for the three months ended June 30, 2001 comprised in Refining

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and Marketing, Burmah Castrol integration costs of \$35 million, rationalization costs in the European commercial business of \$74 million and a bond redemption charge of \$50 million. Those for the corresponding period of 2000 related to ARCO integration and rationalization costs and an asset writedown.

For the six months ended June 30, 2001, the replacement cost profit before exceptional items was \$6,469 million, up from \$5,468 million in 2000. The results for 2001 are after charging special items of \$222 million (\$159 million after tax) and acquisition amortization of \$1,297 million. The results for 2000 include special charges of \$640 million (\$472 million after tax), and acquisition amortization of \$377 million.

The historical cost profit for the three months ended June 30, 2001 was \$3,171 million and included inventory holding gains of \$40 million and net exceptional gains of \$171 million (\$99 million after tax) in respect of net profits on the sale of fixed assets and businesses and termination of operations. For the equivalent period of 2000 there was a profit of \$3,024 million including inventory holding gains of \$213 million, and net exceptional gains of \$161 million (\$20 million after tax) in respect of net profits on the sale of fixed assets and businesses and termination of operations.

For the six months ended June 30, 2001, the historical cost profit was \$6,475 million, after inventory holding losses of \$198 million and including net exceptional gains of \$389 million (\$204 million after tax) in respect of net profits on sale of fixed assets and businesses and terminations of operations. For the six months ended June 30, 2000, the historical cost profit was \$6,109 million, after inventory holding gains of \$745 million and including net exceptional gains of \$4 million (\$104 million losses after tax) in respect of net profits on sale of fixed assets and businesses and terminations of operations.

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Net taxation, other than production taxes, charged for the three months ended June 30, 2001 was \$1,550 million compared with \$1,289 million in the equivalent period last year. This included a tax charge of \$72 million in respect of exceptional items compared with a tax charge of \$141 million for the second quarter of 2000. The effective tax rate on replacement cost profit before exceptional items was 32% for the three months ended June 30, 2001, and 32% for the half year, compared with 28% and 27% for the equivalent periods of 2000. The increase in the tax rate is due to the non-deductability for tax purposes of the acquisition amortization and the non-availability of prior year tax credits in 2001.

Interest expense for the three months ended June 30, 2001 was \$441 million (including \$50 million relating to bond redemption charges) compared with \$403 million in the equivalent period of 2000 reflecting lower interest rates. For the first half of 2001 interest expense was \$887 million (including \$60 million relating to bond redemption charges) compared to \$699 million a year ago, also reflecting the full inclusion of ARCO in the first half of 2001 and for only around three months in the first half of 2000 partly offset by lower interest rates.

Net cash outflow for the three months ended June 30, 2001 was \$2,136 million, compared with an inflow of \$8,536 million for the equivalent period of 2000. For the first half of 2001, net cash inflow was \$1,080 million compared with a net

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cash inflow of \$7,770 million in the same period in 2000. The decreased cash flow in both periods in 2001 is primarily driven by higher tax payments and capital expenditure and significantly lower divestment proceeds (the second quarter and first half of 2000 included the proceeds from the sale of the ARCO Alaska assets).

Capital expenditure in the second quarter of 2001 was \$3.8 billion (\$3.3 billion excluding acquisitions), up 25% (38% excluding acquisitions) on a year ago. Capital expenditure for the first half of 2001 was \$6.3 billion (\$5.8 billion excluding acquisitions), an increase of 14% (41% excluding acquisitions) on the first six months of the previous year. Capital expenditure in the second quarter and first half of 2001 included the acquisition of Bayer's 50% interest in Erdolchemie. BP expects total capital expenditure for 2001 to be approximately \$13 billion excluding acquisitions.

Net debt at June 30, 2001 was \$18.8 billion. The ratio of net debt to net debt plus equity was 20% compared with 18% at March 31, 2001 and 21% at December 31, 2000. After adjusting for the fixed asset revaluation adjustment and goodwill consequent upon the ARCO and Burmah Castrol acquisitions, the ratio of net debt to net debt plus equity was 25% at June 30, 2001 compared with 19% at June 30, 2000 and 27% at December 31, 2000.

BP believes that, taking into account the substantial amounts of undrawn borrowing facilities available, the Group has sufficient working capital for foreseeable requirements.

The return on average capital employed for the three months ended June 30, 2001 was 15% compared with 14% for the equivalent period of 2000. For the six months ended June 30, 2001, the return on average capital employed was 15%. For further information on the return on average capital employed calculation see Note 11 of Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

BP purchased for cancellation approximately 32 million of its own shares during the second quarter of 2001 at a cost of \$283 million. Total share purchases over the six months to June 30, 2001 amounted to approximately 92 million at a cost of \$783 million.

BP announced a second quarterly dividend for 2001 of 5.50 cents per ordinary share. Holders of ordinary shares will receive 3.911 pence per share and holders of American Depositary Receipts (ADRs) \$0.33 per ADS. The dividend for the half year was 10.75 cents per share, up 7.5%, which is equivalent to 7.576 pence per share, up 15% over last year. The dividend is payable on September 10, 2001 to shareholders on the register on August 17, 2001. Participants in the Dividend Reinvestment Plan or the dividend reinvestment facility in the US Direct Access Plan will receive the dividend in the form of shares on September 10, 2001.

BP intends to continue to pay dividends in the future of around 50% of its replacement cost profit before exceptional items after adjusting for special items and acquisition amortization, adjusted to mid-cycle business conditions. Mid-cycle conditions are our best estimate of likely average prices and margins over the long term.

BP announced a deal with E.ON in July 2001 which will involve BP taking a majority stake in Veba Oil which owns Aral, Germany's biggest fuels retailer. Subject to regulatory approvals, the deal - in the form of a joint venture between BP and Veba Oil's owner E.ON - involves BP taking 51 per cent and operational control of Veba Oil and offers the prospect of full ownership as early as the second quarter of next year. In return, E.ON will receive 51 per cent of Gelsenberg - which holds BP's 25.5 per cent stake in Ruhrgas, Germany's leading gas distributor - plus a balancing cash payment from BP of \$1.63 billion, subject to adjustments, and an assumption by BP of \$950 million of debt. Terms have also been agreed which could result in BP transferring the

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remaining Gelsenberg holding and paying a further \$340 million for the remainder of Veba Oil.

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Owing to the significant acquisitions that took place in 2000, in addition to its reported results, BP is presenting pro forma results adjusted for special items in order to enable shareholders to assess current performance in the context of BP's past performance and against that of its competitors. The pro forma result, adjusted for special items, has been derived from BP's UK GAAP accounting information but is not in itself a recognized UK or US GAAP measure.

Reconciliation of reported profit (loss) to pro forma result adjusted for special items	Reported -----	Acquisition amortization (a) -----	Special items (b) -----	Pro forma result adjusted for special items -----
		(\$ million)		
Three months ended June 30, 2001				
Exploration and Production	3,441	477	-	3,918
Gas and Power	173	-	-	173
Refining and Marketing	1,477	176	109	1,762
Chemicals	9	-	-	9
Other businesses and corporate	(128)	-	-	(128)
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Replacement cost operating profit	4,972	653	109	5,734
Interest expense	(441)	-	50	(391)
Taxation	(1,478)	-	(45)	(1,523)
Minority shareholders' interest	(21)	-	-	(21)
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Replacement cost profit before exceptional items	3,032	653	114	3,799
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per ordinary share (cents)	13.51			16.92
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Three months ended June 30, 2000				
Exploration and Production	3,019	349	259	3,627
Gas and Power	114	-	-	114
Refining and Marketing	1,183	70	141	1,394
Chemicals	320	-	50	370
Other businesses and corporate	(299)	-	150	(149)
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Replacement cost operating profit	4,337	419	600	5,356
Interest expense	(403)	-	-	(403)
Taxation	(1,148)	-	(158)	(1,306)
Minority shareholders' interest	5	(42)	-	(37)
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Replacement cost profit before exceptional items	2,791	377	442	3,610
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per ordinary share (cents)	12.60			16.54
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Reconciliation of reported profit (loss) to pro forma result adjusted for special items	Reported	Acquisition amortization (a)	Special items (b)	Pro forma result adjusted for special items
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		(\$ million)		
Six months ended June 30, 2001				
Exploration and Production	8,121	933	-	9,054
Gas and Power	285	-	-	285
Refining and Marketing	2,230	364	162	2,756
Chemicals	90	-	-	90
Other businesses and corporate	(255)	-	-	(255)
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Replacement cost operating profit	10,471	1,297	162	11,930
Interest expense	(887)	-	60	(827)
Taxation	(3,083)	-	(63)	(3,146)
Minority shareholders' interest	(32)	-	-	(32)
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Replacement cost profit before exceptional items	6,469	1,297	159	7,925
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per ordinary share (cents)	28.80			35.28
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Six months ended June 30, 2000				
Exploration and Production	6,222	349	283	6,854
Gas and Power	256	-	-	256
Refining and Marketing	1,767	70	141	1,978
Chemicals	579	-	50	629
Other businesses and corporate	(526)	-	166	(360)
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Replacement cost operating profit	8,298	419	640	9,357
Interest expense	(699)	-	-	(699)
Taxation	(2,068)	-	(168)	(2,236)
Minority shareholders' interest	(63)	(42)	-	(105)
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Replacement cost profit before exceptional items	5,468	377	472	6,317
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per ordinary share (cents)	26.38			30.47
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OPERATING INFORMATION

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months ended June 30 (Unaudited)	
	2001	2000	2001	2000
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Crude oil and natural gas liquids production (thousand barrels per day), (net of royalties)				
UK	471	519	491	
Rest of Europe	92	88	95	
USA	742	705	732	
Rest of World	580	585	593	
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Total crude oil and liquids production	1,885	1,897	1,911	1,885
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Natural gas production (million cubic feet per day) (net of royalties)				
UK	1,690	1,630	1,920	1,690
Rest of Europe	121	99	144	
USA	3,550	3,188	3,509	2,920
Rest of World	3,193	2,777	3,150	2,920
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Total natural gas production	8,554	7,694	8,723	7,450
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Total production (a) (thousand barrels of oil equivalent per day), (net of royalties)				
UK	762	800	822	
Rest of Europe	113	105	120	
USA	1,354	1,255	1,337	1,354
Rest of World	1,131	1,064	1,136	1,131
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Total production	3,360	3,224	3,415	3,360
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Natural gas sales volumes (million cubic feet per day)				
UK	2,481	2,424	2,938	2,481
Rest of Europe	201	148	226	
USA	8,516	6,239	8,259	5,920

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Rest of World	6,839	5,006	7,121	4,
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Total natural gas sales volumes (b)	18,037	13,817	18,544	12,
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NGL sales volumes (thousand barrels per day)				
UK	-	-	-	-
Rest of Europe	-	-	-	-
USA	206	129	214	
Rest of World	171	138	189	
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Total NGL sales volumes	377	267	403	
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(a) Expressed in thousand barrels of oil equivalent per day (mboe/d). Natural gas is converted to oil equivalent at 5.8 billion cubic feet: 1 million barrels.

(b) Encompasses sales by Exploration and Production and Gas and Power, including marketing, trading and supply sales.

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OPERATING INFORMATION

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months ended June 30 (Unaudited)	
	2001	2000	2001	2000
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Oil sales volumes (thousand barrels per day)				
Refined products				
UK	270	227	265	
Rest of Europe	1,031	781	1,057	
USA	1,954	1,898	1,914	1,
Rest of World	601	459	590	
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Total marketing sales	3,856	3,365	3,826	3,
Trading/supply sales	2,022	2,071	2,090	1,
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Total refined product sales	5,878	5,436	5,916	4,
Crude oil	4,131	6,271	4,307	6,
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Total oil sales	10,009	11,707	10,223	11,
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Refinery throughputs (thousand barrels per day)				
UK	315	265	313	
Rest of Europe	623	535	658	
USA	1,642	1,853	1,582	1,
Rest of World	375	368	380	



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Total throughput	2,955	3,021	2,933	2,
Chemicals production (thousand tonnes)				
UK	799	658	1,529	1,
Rest of Europe	1,796	1,692	3,484	3,
USA	2,108	2,562	4,365	5,
Rest of World	618	577	1,320	1,
Total production	5,321	5,489	10,698	11,

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DETAILED REVIEW OF BUSINESSES (EXCLUDING EXCEPTIONAL ITEMS)

EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION

		Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months ended June 30 (Unaudited)	
		2001	2000	2001	2000
Turnover	- \$m	7,441	7,278	16,558	13,
Total replacement cost operating profit	- \$m	3,441	3,019	8,121	6,
Results included:					
Exploration expense	- \$m	81	168	250	
Key Statistics:					
Average prices :Crude oil (a)	- \$/bbl	24.74	24.98	24.77	25
realized by BP :Natural gas	- \$/mcf	3.43	2.51	4.21	2
Brent oil price	- \$/bbl	27.39	26.88	26.57	26
West Texas intermediate oil price	- \$/bbl	27.88	28.96	28.30	28
Henry Hub gas price (b)	- \$/mmBtu	4.66	3.44	5.86	2

- (a) Crude oil and natural gas liquids  
(b) Henry Hub First of the Month Index

Replacement cost operating profit for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2001 were \$3,441 million and \$8,121 million respectively. This compares with \$3,019 million and \$6,222 million for the corresponding periods in 2000. The result in 2001 and from April 14, 2000, includes a contribution from ARCO and is after charging depreciation and amortization arising from the fixed asset revaluation adjustment and goodwill consequent upon the ARCO acquisition of \$477 million for the three months and \$933 million for the six months ended June 30,

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2001. For the equivalent periods in 2000, the amounts were \$349 million in each period. The anticipated ARCO cost savings have been fully achieved.

Total hydrocarbon production for the quarter was up 4% on the second quarter of 2000, with natural gas volumes up by 11% and oil production stable. Even on a consistent current portfolio basis, the increase was 2%. This continues the recent quarterly achievement of a continuously improving growth rate. For the first six months of 2001, the total production was up 9% and on a consistent current portfolio basis the increase was 1%. During the second quarter of 2001, production started up at the Nile and Mica fields in the Gulf of Mexico. In July the Tambar field in Norway started production.

Capital expenditure during the quarter was \$2.4 billion, up 57% on the same quarter in 2000 and \$4.3 billion for the half year, up 78% on a year ago. The Kizomba development in Angola was approved by BP along with developments for an NGL plant in Egypt and the Milne Point extension project in Alaska. In July, the Valhall flank development offshore Norway, the Azeri Chirag Gunashli phase one development in Azerbaijan and the Atlas Methanol Plant in Trinidad were approved by BP.

During the quarter, there was a natural gas discovery at Cashima (BP 100% and operator) offshore Trinidad. Cashima 1 is the first of four exploratory wells planned for 2001 offshore Trinidad. There were also discoveries in Egypt and in the Gulf of Mexico. In the quarter, BP (67% and operator) successfully bid for one block in the UK Continental Shelf 19th round, adjacent to the block won in the Faeroes in 2000. In addition, BP signed an agreement to take a 25% interest in Saudi Arabia's largest gas development, the Core Venture 1 project.

In June, BP announced the sale of its 9.5% stake in the Kashagan discovery offshore Kazakhstan. Shortly after the quarter end, BP acquired a further 9.7% stake in the Tangguh LNG project in Indonesia. This increases BP's share of the project to around 50%.

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GAS AND POWER

		Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months end June 30 (Unaudited)	
		2001	2000	2001	2000
Turnover	- \$m	10,435	3,724	22,515	6,000
Total replacement cost operating profit	- \$m	173	114	285	114

On January 1, 2001, the natural gas liquids (NGL) business located in North America was moved to Gas and Power from Refining and Marketing. Comparative information has been restated.

The increase in turnover for the second quarter and half year of 2001 is mainly due to higher marketing sales and increased trading activity. The replacement cost operating profit for the second quarter of 2001 was \$173 million compared with \$114 million a year ago. The result reflects improved marketing and trading performance partly offset by pressure on NGL margins. Profit for the first six

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months of 2001 was \$285 million, up \$29 million on the same period in 2000, reflecting the above factors and, in addition, growth in natural gas sales in the first quarter contributed to the result.

During the quarter, Heads of Agreement were signed for the development of China's first liquefied natural gas (LNG) import terminal at Guangdong. BP also submitted an initial investment proposal on behalf of a consortium to develop a 4,200 kilometre west-east pipeline.

Agreement has been reached with Statoil to purchase 1.6 billion cubic metres of gas per annum for 15 years with effect from October 1, 2001. This is the first significant contract for gas supplies to the UK from the Norwegian continental shelf since the Frigg contract in 1977. In North America BP announced an agreement in principle for a strategic alliance with the Energy East Corporation, enabling the two parties to pool their combined expertise in natural gas acquisition and supply management.

In the USA, BP increased its stake in Green Mountain Energy Company, a leading marketer of cleaner and renewable energy, from 18.5% to 22.9%. The original equity stake was acquired during 2000.

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REFINING AND MARKETING

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		
	2001	2000	2001	2000	
Turnover	- \$m	34,257	24,168	62,780	43,168
Total replacement cost operating profit	- \$m	1,477	1,183	2,230	1,767
Global Indicator Refining Margin (a)	- \$/bbl	5.78	4.69	5.02	4.69

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(a) The Global Indicator Refining Margin (GIM) is the average of seven regional indicator margins weighted for BP's crude refining capacity in each region. Each regional indicator margin is based on a single representative crude with product yields characteristic of the typical level of upgrading complexity.

The turnover increases in the second quarter and half year mainly reflect the inclusion of ARCO for the whole of the six months in 2001, compared to around three months in 2000, the acquisition of Burmah Castrol on July 7, 2000 and the consolidation of the European fuels business with effect from August 1, 2000. The replacement cost operating profit for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2001 was \$1,477 million and \$2,230 million respectively. This compares with \$1,183 million and \$1,767 million for the same periods in 2000. The results include acquisition amortization of \$176 million for the three months and \$364 million for the six months ended June 30, 2001 and \$70 million for both the three months and half year ended June 30, 2000. Special items for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2001 were \$109 million and \$162 million

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respectively. For the second quarter this comprised \$35 million of costs arising from Burmah Castrol integration activities and \$74 million relating to rationalization costs in the European commercial business. For the six months ended June 30, 2001, special items include \$76 million relating to Burmah Castrol integration and \$86 million relating to the European commercial business. The main drivers of the improvement in both periods were higher refining margins, the impact of consolidation of the fuels business in Europe, the Burmah Castrol acquisition and unit cost reductions. The anticipated ARCO cost savings have been fully achieved and cost savings expected as a result of the Burmah Castrol acquisition are on track. US refining margins were particularly strong for some of the second quarter of 2001 due to tight supply in the Midwest and on the West Coast.

Marketing sales in the second quarter increased by 15% versus a year ago reflecting consolidation of the European fuels business (the six months ended June 30, 2001 showed a 25% increase over the same period in 2000); this factor, together with the roll-out of BP Connect stores, led to an increase in store sales of 17%, the increase in marketing sales was offset in part by reduced commercial volumes resulting from the end of the heating season in the northern hemisphere. The roll-out of BP Connect continued during the quarter with over 155 BP Connect stores now open in the UK, USA, Australia and New Zealand. BP's leadership position in clean fuels continues to grow with BP now providing clean fuels to 72 cities.

In July BP announced that, subject to regulatory approval, it is to acquire a majority stake in Veba Oil which owns Aral, Germany's biggest fuels retailer.

Also in July BP announced that it had reached an agreement with Tesoro Petroleum Corporation to sell the Mandan, North Dakota and Salt Lake City, Utah refineries in the USA, with associated storage, pipeline, distribution and gasoline marketing operations, for \$677 million, excluding working capital. The agreement is subject to regulatory approval.

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 MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND  
 RESULTS OF OPERATIONS - continued

CHEMICALS

		Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months end June 30 (Unaudited)	
		2001	2000	2001	2000
		-----		-----	
Turnover	- \$m	3,073	2,914	5,762	5,762
Total replacement cost operating profit	- \$m	9	320	90	90
Chemicals Indicator Margin (a)	- \$/te	103(b)	132	104(b)	104(b)

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(a) The Chemicals Indicator Margin (CIM) is a weighted average of externally-based product margins. It is based on market data collected by Chem Systems in their quarterly market analyses, then weighted based on BP's product portfolio. While it does not cover BP's entire portfolio, it includes a broader range of products than BP's previous indicator. Among the products and businesses covered in the CIM are olefins and derivatives,

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aromatics and derivatives, linear alpha olefins, acetic acid, vinyl acetate monomer and nitriles. Not included are fabrics and fibres, plastic fabrications, poly alpha olefins, anhydrides, engineering polymers and carbon fibres, speciality intermediates, and the remaining parts of the solvents and acetyls businesses.

(b) Provisional. The data for the quarter and half year is based on two and five months' actual data respectively and one month of provisional data.

Chemicals' replacement cost operating profit for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2001 was \$9 million and \$90 million respectively. For the corresponding periods in 2000 the replacement cost operating profit was \$320 million and \$579 million, with special charges of \$50 million in each period. The second quarter and first half 2001 results were sharply down on a year ago, reflecting the severe deterioration in the trading environment. The results for the second quarter and half year 2001 include \$19 million and \$40 million respectively for restructuring costs.

The first six months of 2001 saw polymer margins and costs under pressure from high feedstock and energy prices in a period of demand weakness. This was exacerbated by operational problems at three crackers which have since been resolved.

Production in the second quarter benefited from full ownership of Erdolchemie from May 1, 2001, but was adversely impacted by the cracker problems at Grangemouth in Scotland, Lavera in France and Chocolate Bayou in Texas, USA. In aggregate, second quarter production of 5,321 ktes was similar to the previous quarter and 3% below the same quarter in 2000. First half 2001 volumes were 4% down on the first half of 2000.

In response to the trading environment, actions are underway to improve returns by focusing the portfolio, reducing capital expenditure and implementing additional cost reductions.

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND  
RESULTS OF OPERATIONS - continued

OTHER BUSINESSES AND CORPORATE

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months ended June 30 (Unaudited)	
	2001	2000	2001	2000
Turnover	- \$m	194	51	363
Replacement cost operating profit	- \$m	(128)	(299)	(255)

Other Businesses and Corporate comprises Finance, BP Solar, the Group's coal asset and aluminium asset, its investments in PetroChina and Sinopec, interest income and costs relating to corporate activities.

Replacement cost operating loss for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2001 was \$128 million and \$255 million respectively. This compares with \$299 million and \$526 million for the corresponding periods in 2000. There were special items of \$150 million for the three months and \$166 million for the six months ended June 30, 2000 in respect of ARCO integration costs and

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rationalization costs post the BP Amoco merger. There were no special items for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2001.

BP Solar production for the half year was 26% higher than a year ago. A total of 25 megawatts of solar panel generating capacity was sold in the first half of 2001.

### EXCEPTIONAL ITEMS

		Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months ended June 30 (Unaudited)	
		2001	2000	2001	2000
Profit (loss) on sale of fixed assets and businesses and termination of operations	- \$m	171	161	389	
Taxation credit (charge)	- \$m	(72)	(141)	(185)	
Exceptional items after taxation	- \$m	99	20	204	

Exceptional items for the second quarter of 2001 include the profit on sale of the Kashagan discovery in Kazakhstan and loss on the sale of the Carbon Fibers business in the USA. In addition, exceptional items for the half year include the profit on sale of the Alliance Refinery pipeline system.

### OUTLOOK

BP believes the oil market remains essentially balanced. Oil prices have fallen from their peaks, but OPEC production cuts earlier in the year have prevented oversupply. Oil consumption is expected to recover seasonally in the coming months. OPEC's actions in regard to supply may support prices within its current target price range. US natural gas prices have fallen sharply in the face of seasonally lower demand and increasing supply, with rapid stock building. Prices have returned to levels close to parity with fuel oil. Refining margins have experienced volatility as product inventories have recovered and margins are likely to settle at levels somewhat lower than recent historic highs. Retail margins have recently risen but are likely to soften owing to competitive pressure. Chemicals margins remain depressed as a result of weak demand and excess capacity.

BP's focus is now on delivering profitable organic growth, while taking advantage of any structural opportunities that the market presents. We will continue our particular focus on cost and investment discipline to enable these plans to be realized within our financial framework. In the chemicals business, we are responding to the current trading environment by reducing capital investment in petrochemicals and implementing additional cost reductions.

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND  
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FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

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In order to utilize the 'Safe Harbor' provisions of the United States Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, BP is providing the following cautionary statement. The foregoing discussion, in particular the statements under 'Outlook', with regard to trends in the trading environment, oil and gas prices, refining, marketing, NGL and chemicals margins, inventory and product stock levels, supply capacity, profitability, results of operation, liquidity or financial position and statements regarding our targets are all forward-looking in nature. By their nature, forward-looking statements involve risk and uncertainty because they relate to events and depend on circumstances that will occur in the future and are outside the control of BP. Actual results may differ materially from those expressed in such statements, depending on a variety of factors, including the specific factors identified in the discussions accompanying such forward-looking statements; future levels of industry product supply, demand and pricing; political stability and economic growth in relevant areas of the world; development and use of new technology and successful partnering; the actions of competitors; natural disasters and other changes to business conditions; and other factors discussed elsewhere in this report. In addition to factors set forth elsewhere in this report, the factors set forth above are important factors, although not exhaustive, that may cause actual results and developments to differ materially from those expressed or implied by these forward-looking statements. Additional information, including information on factors which may affect BP's business, is contained in BP's Annual Report and Accounts for 2000 and in the Annual Report on Form 20-F for 2000 filed with the US Securities and Exchange Commission.

### 2001 DIVIDENDS

On August 7, 2001, BP p.l.c. announced a second quarterly dividend for 2001 of 5.5 cents per ordinary share of 25 cents (ordinary shares), representing \$0.33 per American Depositary Share (ADS) amounting to \$1,236 million in total. The record date for qualifying US resident holders of American Depositary Shares as well as holders of ordinary shares was August 17, 2001, with payment to be made on September 10, 2001.

The dividend payable on September 10, 2001 entitles qualifying US ADS shareholders to a refund of the 1/9th UK tax credit (approximately \$0.037) attaching to the dividend less a UK withholding tax limited to the amount of the tax credit. The effect of these arrangements for ADS holders is currently a cash payment of \$0.330, a gross dividend for tax purposes of \$0.367 and a potential tax credit of \$0.037 per ADS.

There is a Dividend Reinvestment Plan whereby holders of ordinary shares can elect to reinvest the net cash dividend in shares purchased on the London Stock Exchange. This plan is not available to any person resident in the USA or Canada, or in any jurisdiction outside the UK where such an offer requires compliance by the Company with any governmental or regulatory procedures or any similar formalities. A dividend reinvestment facility is, however, available for holders of ADSs through the Direct Access Plan of Morgan Guaranty Trust Company of New York. Participants in the Dividend Reinvestment Plan or the dividend reinvestment facility included in the US Direct Access Plan will receive the dividend in the form of shares on September 10, 2001.

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BP p.l.c. AND SUBSIDIARIES  
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF INCOME

Three months ended  
June 30

Six months  
June 30

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	(Unaudited)		(Unaudite
	2001	2000	2001
	----- (\$ million, except per share amou		
Turnover - Note 2	48,689	39,027	94,389
Less: joint ventures	280	5,869	568
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Group turnover	48,409	33,158	93,821
Replacement cost of sales	40,490	27,158	77,450
Production taxes - Note 3	433	488	1,016
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Gross profit	7,486	5,512	15,355
Distribution and administration expenses	2,827	1,815	5,554
Exploration expense - Note 4	81	168	250
	-----	-----	-----
Other income	4,578	3,529	9,551
	112	354	307
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Group replacement cost operating profit	4,690	3,883	9,858
Share of profits of joint ventures	125	286	227
Share of profits of associated undertakings	157	168	386
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Total replacement cost operating profit - Notes 5 & 6	4,972	4,337	10,471
Profit (loss) on sale of fixed assets and businesses and termination of operations - Note 7	171	161	389
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Replacement cost profit before interest and tax - Note 5	5,143	4,498	10,860
Inventory holding gains (losses) - Note 8	40	213	(198)
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Historical cost profit before interest and tax	5,183	4,711	10,662
Interest expense - Note 9	441	403	887
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Profit before taxation	4,742	4,308	9,775
Taxation - Note 10	1,550	1,289	3,268
	-----	-----	-----
Profit after taxation	3,192	3,019	6,507
Minority shareholders' interest	21	(5)	32
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Profit for the period	3,171	3,024	6,475
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Earnings per ordinary share - cents (a)			
Basic	14.12	13.59	28.82
Diluted	14.04	13.49	28.65
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Earnings per American depositary share - cents (a)			
Basic	84.72	81.54	172.92
Diluted	84.24	80.94	171.90
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Average number of outstanding ordinary shares (millions)	22,448	22,030	22,461
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(a) A summary of the material adjustments to profit for the period which would be required if generally accepted accounting principles in the United States had been applied instead of those generally accepted in the United Kingdom is given in Note 15.



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BP p.l.c. AND SUBSIDIARIES  
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

	June 30, 2001 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2000
	(\$ million)	
Fixed assets		
Intangible assets	15,844	16,893
Tangible assets	75,704	75,173
Investments	11,144	11,753
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	102,692	103,819
Current assets		
Business held for resale	666	636
Inventories	9,066	9,234
Receivables	29,983	28,418
Investments	563	661
Cash at bank and in hand	1,103	1,170
	-----	-----
	41,381	40,119
	-----	-----
Current liabilities - falling due within one year		
Finance debt	6,303	6,418
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	30,932	30,729
	-----	-----
	37,235	37,147
	-----	-----
Net current assets	4,146	2,972
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Total assets less current liabilities	106,838	106,791
Noncurrent liabilities		
Finance debt	14,195	14,772
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	4,316	5,223
Provisions for liabilities and charges	12,597	12,795
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	31,108	32,790
	-----	-----
Net assets	75,730	74,001
Minority shareholders' interest	630	585
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BP shareholders' interest (a) - Note 14	75,100	73,416
	=====	=====
Represented by:		
Capital shares		
Preference	21	21
Ordinary	5,620	5,632
Paid-in surplus	3,934	3,770
Merger reserve	26,996	26,869
Retained earnings	38,319	36,668
Other reserves	210	456
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	75,100	73,416
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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months June 30 (Unaudited)
	2001	2000	2001
	-----		
	(\$ million)		
Net cash inflow from operating activities	5,076	5,269	11,816
Dividends from joint ventures	54	332	66
Dividends from associated undertakings	159	143	269
Servicing of finance and returns on investments			
Interest received	59	114	150
Interest paid	(384)	(344)	(745)
Dividends received	30	2	38
Dividends paid to minority shareholders	(5)	(6)	(5)
Net cash outflow from servicing of finance and returns on investments	(300)	(234)	(562)
Taxation			
UK corporation tax	(169)	(64)	(373)
Overseas tax	(2,213)	(889)	(2,148)
Tax paid	(2,382)	(953)	(2,521)
Capital expenditure			
Payments for fixed assets	(3,016)	(2,765)	(5,593)
Proceeds from the sale of fixed assets	232	182	926
Net cash outflow for capital expenditure	(2,784)	(2,583)	(4,667)
Acquisitions and disposals			
Investments in associated undertakings	(148)	(244)	(268)
Acquisitions	(560)	1,260	(560)
Net investment in joint ventures	(72)	(121)	(133)
Proceeds from the sale of businesses	-	6,800	-
Net cash outflow for acquisitions and disposals	(780)	7,695	(961)
Equity dividends paid	(1,179)	(1,133)	(2,360)
Net cash inflow (outflow)	(2,136)	8,536	1,080
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Financing	(1,669)	3,327	1,197
Management of liquid resources	(404)	2,345	(102)
Increase (decrease) in cash	(63)	2,864	(15)
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	(2,136)	8,536	1,080
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(a) This cash flow statement has been prepared in accordance with UK GAAP. A cash flow statement prepared on the basis of US GAAP is included in Note 15.

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BP p.l.c. AND SUBSIDIARIES  
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS - continued

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months June 30 (Unaudited)
	2001	2000	2001
	-----		
	(\$ million)		
Reconciliation of historical cost profit before interest and tax to net cash inflow from operating activities			
Historical cost profit before interest and tax	5,183	4,711	10,662
Depreciation and amounts provided	2,103	1,933	4,243
Exploration expenditure written off	22	74	130
Share of profits of joint ventures and associated undertakings	(282)	(557)	(613)
Interest and other income	(127)	(113)	(230)
(Profit) loss on sale of fixed assets and businesses	(171)	(153)	(389)
Charge for provisions	541	282	706
Utilization of provisions	(329)	(129)	(635)
Decrease (increase) in stocks	(371)	(611)	(13)
Increase in debtors	(399)	(2,446)	(1,468)
Increase (decrease) in creditors	(1,094)	2,278	(577)
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Net cash inflow from operating activities	5,076	5,269	11,816
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Financing			
Long-term borrowing	(505)	(1,140)	(1,022)
Repayments of long-term borrowing	1,034	418	1,180
Short-term borrowing	(2,589)	(80)	(2,750)
Repayments of short-term borrowing	172	3,113	3,127
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	(1,888)	2,311	535
Issue of ordinary share capital	(64)	(108)	(120)
Repurchase of share capital	283	829	782
Stamp duty reserve tax	-	295	-
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Net cash outflow from financing	(1,669)	3,327	1,197
	=====	=====	=====

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CAPITAL EXPENDITURE AND ACQUISITIONS

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months June 30 (Unaudited)
	2001	2000	2001
	----- (\$ million) -----		
By business			
Exploration and Production			
UK	289	277	457
Rest of Europe	86	36	151
USA	1,243	819	2,170
Rest of World	805	410	1,511
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	2,423	1,542	4,289
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Gas and Power			
UK (a)	6	28	14
Rest of Europe	12	1	21
USA (a)	29	30	37
Rest of World	4	12	4
	-----	-----	-----
	51	71	76
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Refining and Marketing			
UK (b)	67	29	178
Rest of Europe	114	65	161
USA	227	334	407
Rest of World	79	76	111
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	487	504	857
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Chemicals			
UK	63	136	129
Rest of Europe (c)	538	34	554
USA	96	52	174
Rest of World	69	58	125
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	766	280	982
	-----	-----	-----
Other businesses and corporate (d)	69	647	129
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	3,796	3,044	6,333
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By geographical area			
UK	448	499	842
Rest of Europe	758	138	897
USA	1,628	1,273	2,838
Rest of World	962	1,134	1,756
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	3,796	3,044	6,333
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- (a) 2Q and first half 2001 and 2000 included investment in Green Mountain Energy Company. 2Q and first half 2000 included investment in Great Yarmouth Power Station.
- (b) First half 2000 included \$869 million for the purchase of some 19.5% of Burmah Castrol's issued share capital.
- (c) 2Q and first half 2001 included the acquisition of Bayer's 50% interest in Erdolchemie.
- (d) 2Q and first half 2000 included \$578 million for the acquisition of a 2.2% interest in PetroChina.

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ENVIRONMENTAL INDICATORS

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months June 30 (Unaudited)
	2001	2000	2001
	-----		
	(\$ million)		
Average oil realizations (a) - \$/bbl			
UK	26.58	26.24	25.78
USA	23.58	23.77	24.18
Rest of World	23.93	24.64	23.72
BP average	24.74	24.98	24.77
Brent oil price	27.39	26.88	26.57
West Texas Intermediate oil price	27.88	28.96	28.30
Average natural gas realizations - \$/mcf			
UK	2.85	1.99	3.23
USA	4.35	3.01	5.73
Rest of World	2.58	2.20	2.97
BP average	3.43	2.51	4.21
Henry Hub gas price (b) (\$/mcf)	4.66	3.44	5.86
Global Indicator Refining Margins (c) - \$/bbl			
Northwest Europe	3.35	4.26	2.85
US Gulf Coast	7.71	5.22	7.21
US West Coast	9.11	6.00	10.02
Singapore	0.96	0.63	0.83
BP average	5.78	4.69	5.02
Chemicals Indicator Margin (d) - \$/te	103(e)	132	104(e)

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- (a) Crude oil and natural gas liquids.
- (b) Henry Hub First of Month Index.
- (c) The Global Indicator Refining Margin (GIM) is the average of seven regional indicator margins weighted for BP's crude refining capacity in each region. Each regional indicator margin is based on a single representative crude with product yields characteristic of the typical level of upgrading complexity.
- (d) The Chemicals Indicator Margin (CIM) is a weighted average of externally-based product margins. It is based on market data collected by Chem Systems in their quarterly market analyses, then weighted based on BP's product portfolio. While it does not cover our entire portfolio, it includes a broader range of products than our previous indicator. Among the products and businesses covered in the CIM are olefins and derivatives, aromatics and derivatives, linear alpha olefins, acetic acid, vinyl acetate monomer and nitriles. Not included are fabrics and fibres, plastic fabrications, poly alpha olefins, anhydrides, engineering polymers and carbon fibres, speciality intermediates, and the remaining parts of the solvents and acetyls businesses.
- (e) Provisional. The data for the second quarter is based on two months' actual and one month of provisional data.

US dollar/sterling exchange rates

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months June 30 (Unaudited)
	2001	2000	2001
	-----		
	(\$ million)		
Average rates for the period	1.42	1.53	1.44
Period-end rates	1.41	1.52	1.41
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SPECIAL ITEMS AND ACQUISITION AMORTIZATION BY SEGMENT (PRE-TAX)

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months June 30 (Unaudited)
	2001	2000	2001
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	(\$ million)		
Special items			

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Exploration and Production			
UK	-	70	-
Rest of Europe	-	-	-
USA	-	152	-
Rest of World	-	37	-
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	-	259	-
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Gas and Power			
UK	-	-	-
Rest of Europe	-	-	-
USA	-	-	-
Rest of World	-	-	-
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	-	-	-
	-----	-----	-----
Refining and Marketing			
UK	28	-	43
Rest of Europe	64	29	90
USA	4	112	8
Rest of World	13	-	21
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	109	141	162
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Chemicals			
UK	-	3	-
Rest of Europe	-	1	-
USA	-	46	-
Rest of World	-	-	-
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	-	50	-
	-----	-----	-----
Other businesses and corporate			
UK	-	19	-
Rest of Europe	-	-	-
USA	-	131	-
Rest of World	-	-	-
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	-	150	-
	-----	-----	-----
Total special items before interest	109	600	162
Interest - bond redemption charges	50	-	60
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Total	159	600	222
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Acquisition amortization			
Exploration and Production			
UK	39	26	68
USA	406	313	798
Rest of World	32	10	67
	-----	-----	-----
	477	349	933
	-----	-----	-----
Refining and Marketing			
UK	98	-	202
USA	78	70	162
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	176	70	364
	=====	=====	=====
Total	653	419	1,297

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. The results for the interim periods are unaudited and in the opinion of management include all adjustments necessary for a fair presentation of the results for the periods presented. The interim financial statements and notes included in this Report should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and related notes for the year ended December 31, 2000 included in BP's Annual Report on Form 20-F filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months June 30 (Unaudited)
	2001	2000	2001
	(\$ million)		
2. Turnover			
By business			
Exploration and Production	7,441	7,278	16,558
Gas and Power	10,435	3,724	22,515
Refining and Marketing	34,257	24,168	62,780
Chemicals	3,073	2,914	5,762
Other businesses and corporate	194	51	363
	55,400	38,135	107,978
Less: sales between businesses	6,991	4,977	14,157
	48,409	33,158	93,821
Group excluding joint ventures	48,409	33,158	93,821
Sales of joint ventures	280	5,869	568
	48,689	39,027	94,389
By geographical area			
UK	11,974	11,112	23,914
Rest of Europe	10,043	1,859	19,018
USA	24,791	17,575	47,282
Rest of World	8,929	6,977	18,620
	55,737	37,523	108,834
Less: Sales between areas	7,328	4,365	15,013
	48,409	33,158	93,821
Group excluding joint ventures	48,409	33,158	93,821
Sales of joint ventures			
UK	-	1,414	-
Rest of Europe	-	5,358	-
USA	100	159	187
Rest of World	180	128	381
	280	7,059	568
Less: sales between areas	-	1,190	-



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	280	5,869	568
	=====	=====	=====
3. Production taxes			
UK petroleum revenue tax	135	184	373
Overseas production taxes	298	304	643
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	433	488	1,016
	=====	=====	=====
4. Exploration expense			
Exploration and Production			
UK	-	15	4
Rest of Europe	3	8	5
USA	40	90	133
Rest of World	38	55	108
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	81	168	250
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5. Replacement cost profit

Replacement cost profits reflect the current cost of supplies. The replacement cost profit for the period is arrived at by excluding from the historical cost profit inventory holding gains and losses. These are the difference between the amount that is charged to cost of sales on a first-in, first-out (FIFO) basis of inventory valuation and the amount charged to cost of sales based on the average cost of supplies incurred during the period. The former basis is used in arriving at the historical cost result whereas the latter basis is used in arriving at the replacement cost result. For further discussion of replacement cost operating profit see Item 3 of BP's Annual Report on Form 20-F for the year ended December 31, 2000.

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months June 30 (Unaudited)
	2001	2000	2001
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	(\$ million)		
6. Total replacement cost operating profit			
By business			
Exploration and Production			
UK	970	876	2,124
Rest of Europe	190	185	416
USA	1,214	998	3,339
Rest of World	1,067	960	2,242
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	3,441	3,019	8,121
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Gas and Power			
UK	39	4	51
Rest of Europe	34	11	96

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USA	96	47	131
Rest of World	4	52	7
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	173	114	285
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Refining and Marketing			
UK	(116)	148	(227)
Rest of Europe	177	130	313
USA	1,275	814	1,882
Rest of World	141	91	262
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	1,477	1,183	2,230
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Chemicals			
UK	(33)	(33)	(83)
Rest of Europe	19	118	99
USA	(1)	196	12
Rest of World	24	39	62
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	9	320	90
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Other businesses and corporate	(128)	(299)	(255)
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	4,972	4,337	10,471
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By geographical area			
UK	814	966	1,741
Rest of Europe	429	461	914
USA	2,512	1,762	5,224
Rest of World	1,217	1,148	2,592
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	4,972	4,337	10,471
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	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months June 30 (Unaudited)
	2001	2000	2001
	-----	-----	-----
	(\$ million)		
7. Analysis of exceptional items			
Profit (loss) on sale of fixed assets and businesses and termination of operations			
Exploration and Production	319	168	277
Gas and Power	-	-	(1)
Refining and Marketing	(59)	5	206
Chemicals	(80)	-	(86)
Other businesses and corporate	(9)	(12)	(7)
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Exceptional items before taxation	171	161	389
Taxation charge	(72)	(141)	(185)
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Exceptional items after taxation	99	20	204

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8. Inventory holding gains (losses)			
Exploration and Production	(9)	1	-
Gas and Power	(33)	17	(44)
Refining and Marketing	99	153	(144)
Chemicals	(17)	42	(10)
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	40	213	(198)
	=====	=====	=====
9. Interest expense			
Group interest payable (a)	363	341	730
Capitalized	(21)	(36)	(55)
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	342	305	675
Joint ventures	13	21	33
Associated undertakings	36	32	76
Unwinding of discount on provisions	50	45	103
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	441	403	887
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(a) Interest expense includes charges of \$10 million and \$50 million for the first and second quarters of 2001 respectively and \$60 million for the six months ended June 30, 2001 relating to the early redemption of debt.

10. Charge for taxation			
United Kingdom	250	287	522
Overseas	1,300	1,002	2,746
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	1,550	1,289	3,268
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	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)	Six months June 30 (Unaudited)
	2001	2001
	-----	-----
	(\$ million)	
11. Return on average capital employed (ROACE)		
Replacement cost basis		
RC profit before exceptional items	3,032	6,469
Interest	441	887

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Minority shareholders' interest	21	(5)	32
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	3,494	3,189	7,388
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Average Capital Employed	94,862	94,599	95,710
ROACE	14.7%	13.5%	15.4%
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Acquisitions and special items adjustments			
Acquisition amortization	653	419	1,297
Special items (post tax)	78	442	115
Average Capital Employed	20,305	18,028	20,627
ROACE - Pro forma basis	22.7%	21.2%	23.4%
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Historical cost basis			
Historical cost profit after exceptional items	3,171	3,024	6,475
Interest	441	403	887
Minority shareholders' interest	21	(5)	32
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	3,633	3,422	7,394
	=====	=====	=====
ROACE	15.3%	14.5%	15.5%
	=====	=====	=====
12. Analysis of changes in net debt			
Opening balance			
Finance debt	18,788	14,357	21,190
Less: Cash	1,188	462	1,170
Current asset investments	959	274	661
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Opening net debt	16,641	13,621	19,359
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Closing balance			
Finance debt	20,498	19,187	20,498
Less: Cash	1,103	3,313	1,103
Current asset investments	563	2,616	563
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Closing net debt	18,832	13,258	18,832
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Decrease (increase) in net debt	(2,191)	363	527
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Movement in cash/bank overdrafts	(63)	2,864	(15)
(Decrease) increase in current asset investments	(404)	2,345	(102)
Net cash (inflow) outflow from financing (excluding share capital)	(1,888)	2,311	535
Other movements	51	(49)	82
Debt acquired	(47)	(7,123)	(47)
	-----	-----	-----
Movements in net debt before exchange effects	(2,351)	348	453
Exchange adjustments	160	15	74
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Decrease (increase) in net debt	(2,191)	363	527
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	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months June 30 (Unaudited)
	2001	2000	2001
	-----		
	(\$ million)		
13. Net debt ratio - net debt: net debt + equity			
Gross debt	20,498	19,187	20,498
Cash and current asset investments	1,666	5,929	1,666
	-----	-----	-----
Net debt	18,832	13,258	18,832
Equity	75,730	74,128	75,730
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Net debt ratio	20%	15%	20%
Acquisition adjustment (a)	19,978	17,920	19,978
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Net debt ratio - pro forma basis (b)	25%	19%	25%
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(a) Acquisition adjustment refers to the fixed asset revaluation adjustment and goodwill consequent upon the ARCO and Burmah Castrol acquisitions.

(b) Based on equity excluding the fixed asset revaluation adjustment and goodwill resulting from the ARCO and Burmah Castrol acquisitions.

14. Movement in BP shareholders' interest	\$ million (Unaudited)
Balance at December 31, 2000	73,416
Profit for the period	6,475
Distribution to shareholders	(2,414)
Currency translation differences	(1,599)
Employee share schemes	120
Share buyback	(782)
Redemption of ARCO preference shares	(116)
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Balance at June 30, 2001	75,100
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15. US generally accepted accounting principles

The following is a summary of the adjustments to profit for the period and to BP shareholders' interest which would be required if generally accepted

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accounting principles in the United States (US GAAP) had been applied instead of those generally accepted in the United Kingdom.

Profit for the period	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months June 30 (Unaudited)
	2001	2000	2001
	(\$ million)		
Profit as reported in the consolidated statement of income	3,171	3,024	6,475
Adjustments:			
Depreciation charge	(315)	(101)	(579)
Decommissioning and environmental expense	(79)	(98)	(184)
Onerous property leases	(27)	(5)	(34)
Derivative financial instruments	(47)	-	(199)
Interest expense	50	45	103
Deferred taxation	(15)	(199)	(53)
Other	5	16	10
	(428)	(342)	(936)
Profit for the period before cumulative effect of accounting change as adjusted to accord with US GAAP	2,743	2,682	5,539
Cumulative effect of accounting change:			
Derivative financial instruments	-	-	(18)
	-	-	(18)
Profit for the period as adjusted to accord with US GAAP	2,743	2,682	5,521
	2,743	2,682	5,521
Profit for the period as adjusted:			
Per ordinary share - cents			
Basic - before cumulative effect of accounting change	12.22	12.17	24.66
Cumulative effect of accounting change	-	-	(0.08)
	12.22	12.17	24.58
	12.22	12.17	24.58
Diluted - before cumulative effect of accounting change	12.15	12.08	24.51
Cumulative effect of accounting change	-	-	(0.08)
	12.15	12.08	24.43
	12.15	12.08	24.43
Per American Depositary Share - cents (a)			
Basic - before cumulative effect of accounting change	73.32	73.02	147.96
Cumulative effect of accounting change	-	-	(0.48)
	73.32	73.02	147.48
	73.32	73.02	147.48

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Diluted - before cumulative effect of accounting change	72.90	72.48	147.06
Cumulative effect of accounting change	-	-	(0.48)
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	72.90	72.48	146.58
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BP shareholders' interest	June 30, 2001 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2000
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	(\$ million)	
BP shareholders' interest as reported in the consolidated balance sheet	75,100	73,416
Adjustments:		
Fixed assets	8,218	8,777
Ordinary shares held for future awards to employees	(312)	(360)
Sale and leaseback of Chicago office building	(413)	(413)
Decommissioning and environmental provisions	(1,132)	(921)
Onerous property leases	74	105
Derivative financial instruments	(203)	-
Deferred taxation	(15,880)	(15,843)
Quarterly dividend	1,236	1,178
Pension liability adjustment	(145)	(145)
Other	(111)	(128)
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	(8,668)	(7,750)
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BP shareholders' interest as adjusted to accord with US GAAP	66,432	65,666
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- (a) One American Depositary Share is equivalent to six ordinary shares.
- (b) As reported in Note 43 of Notes to Financial Statements included in BP's Annual Report on Form 20-F for the year ended December 31, 2000.

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15. US generally accepted accounting principles - continued

The consolidated statement of cash flows presented in accordance with SFAS 95 is as follows:

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months June 30 (Unaudited)
	2001	2000	2001
	----- (\$ million) -----		
Operating activities			
Profit after taxation	3,192	3,019	6,507
Adjustments to reconcile profits after tax to net cash provided by operating activities			
Depreciation and amounts provided	2,103	1,933	4,243
Exploration expense	22	74	130
Share of profits of joint ventures and associates less dividends received	38	19	(25)
(Profit) loss on sale of businesses and fixed assets	(171)	(153)	(389)
Working capital movement (see analysis below)	(2,683)	(583)	(1,329)
Other	132	284	(9)
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Net cash provided by operating activities	2,633	4,593	9,128
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Investing activities			
Capital expenditures	(3,037)	(2,795)	(5,648)
Acquisitions, net of cash acquired	(560)	1,260	(560)
Investment in associated undertakings	(148)	(244)	(268)
Net investment in joint ventures	(72)	(121)	(133)
Proceeds from disposal of assets	232	6,982	926
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Net cash used in investing activities	(3,585)	5,082	(5,683)
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Financing activities			
Net proceeds from shares (repurchased) issued	(219)	(1,016)	(662)
Proceeds from long-term financing	505	1,140	1,022
Repayments of long-term financing	(1,034)	(418)	(1,180)
Net decrease in short-term debt	2,417	(3,033)	(377)
Dividends paid - BP	(1,179)	(1,133)	(2,360)
- Minority shareholders	(5)	(6)	(5)
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Net cash used in financing activities	485	(4,466)	(3,562)
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Currency translation differences relating to cash and cash equivalents	(14)	(16)	(48)
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(Decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents	(481)	5,193	(165)
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Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	2,147	736	1,831
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Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	1,666	5,929	1,666
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Analysis of working capital movement			
Increase in inventories	(371)	(611)	(13)



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Increase in receivables	(502)	(2,443)	(1,546)	
(Decrease) increase in current liabilities (excluding finance debt)	(1,810)	2,471	230	
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Total working capital movement	(2,683)	(583)	(1,329)	
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15. US generally accepted accounting principles - continued

Earnings per share

Basic earnings per share excludes the dilutive effects of options, warrants and convertible securities. Diluted earnings per share reflects the potential dilution that could occur if options, warrants or convertible securities were exercised or converted into ordinary shares that shared in the earnings of the Group. The dilutive effect of outstanding share options is as follows:

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months June 30 (Unaudited)
	2001	2000	2001
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	(shares million)		
Weighted average number of ordinary shares	22,448	22,030	22,461
Ordinary shares issuable under employee share schemes	135	168	140
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	22,583	22,198	22,601
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Comprehensive income

The components of comprehensive income, net of related tax are as follows:

	Three months ended June 30 (Unaudited)		Six months June 30 (Unaudited)
	2001	2000	2001
	-----		-----
	(\$ million)		
Profit for the period as adjusted to accord with US GAAP	2,743	2,682	5,521
Currency translation differences	(605)	(721)	(1,599)
Derivative financial instruments	(8)	-	15
Pension liability	-	-	-
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Comprehensive income	2,130	1,961	3,937

Accumulated other comprehensive income at June 30, 2001 and December 31, 2000 comprised losses of \$5,611 million and \$4,027 million, respectively.

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15. US generally accepted accounting principles - continued

Accounting for associated undertakings and joint ventures

Under the provisions of UK Financial Reporting Standard No.9 'Associates and Joint Ventures', the Company includes its share of the results of associated undertakings and joint ventures (JVs) within various captions in the consolidated statement of income. Under US GAAP, the Company's share of the after tax profit or loss of associated undertakings and joint ventures would be recognized as a single amount. The following summarizes the reclassifications necessary to accord with US GAAP.

Three months ended June 30, 2001 (Unaudited)			
	As Reported	Reclassification	US GAAP Presentation
----- (\$ million) -----			
Consolidated statement of income			
Other income	112	175	287
Share of profits of JVs and associated undertakings	282	(282)	-
Exceptional items before taxation	171	1	172
Inventory holding gains (losses)	40	(1)	39
Interest expense	441	(49)	392
Taxation	1,550	(58)	1,492
Profit for the period	3,171	-	3,171

Six months ended June 30, 2001 (Unaudited)			
	As Reported	Reclassification	US GAAP Presentation
----- (\$ million) -----			
Consolidated statement of income			
Other income	307	360	667
Share of profits of JVs and associated undertakings	613	(613)	-
Exceptional items before taxation	389	1	390
Inventory holding gains (losses)	(198)	(1)	(199)
Interest expense	887	(109)	778
Taxation	3,268	(144)	3,124
Profit for the period	6,475	-	6,475

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Three months ended June 30, 2000 (Unaudited)			
	As Reported	Reclassification	US GAAP Presentation
(\$ million)			
Consolidated statement of income			
Other income	354	478	832
Share of profits of JVs and associated undertakings	454	(454)	-
Exceptional items before taxation	161	(8)	153
Inventory holding gains (losses)	213	(95)	118
Interest expense	403	(53)	350
Taxation	1,289	(26)	1,263
Profit for the period	3,024	-	3,024

Six months ended June 30, 2000 (Unaudited)			
	As Reported	Reclassification	US GAAP Presentation
(\$ million)			
Consolidated statement of income			
Other income	438	835	1,273
Share of profits of JVs and associated undertakings	794	(794)	-
Exceptional items before taxation	4	(22)	(18)
Inventory holding gains (losses)	745	(194)	551
Interest expense	699	(97)	602
Taxation	2,176	(78)	2,098
Profit for the period	6,109	-	6,109

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Derivative instruments and hedging activities

On January 1, 2001 the Group adopted Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 133 'Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities' (SFAS 133) as amended by Statement Nos. 137 and 138, for US GAAP reporting.

SFAS 133, as amended, requires that all derivative instruments be recorded on the balance sheet at their fair value. Changes in the fair value of derivatives are recorded each period in current earnings or other comprehensive income, depending on whether a derivative is designated as part of a hedge transaction and, if it is, the type of hedge transaction. To the extent certain criteria are met, SFAS 133 permits, but does not require, hedge accounting.

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The Group's accounting policies under UK GAAP do not satisfy the criteria for hedge accounting under SFAS 133. The Group does not intend to modify its practice under UK GAAP.

In the normal course of business the group is a party to derivative financial instruments with off-balance sheet risk, primarily to manage its exposure to fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates and interest rates, including management of the balance between floating rate and fixed rate debt. The Group also manages certain of its exposures to movements in oil and natural gas prices. In addition, we trade derivatives in conjunction with these risk management activities.

All oil price derivatives and all derivatives held for trading are currently carried on the Group's balance sheet at fair value with changes in that value recognized in earnings of the period. For those derivative instruments, there is no impact of adopting SFAS 133 on the Group's results of operations and financial position, as adjusted to accord with US GAAP. Certain financial derivatives used to manage foreign currency and interest rate risk that qualify for hedge accounting under UK GAAP are marked to market under SFAS 133. The cumulative effect of adopting SFAS 133 resulted in a pre tax charge to income, as adjusted to accord with US GAAP, of \$27 million (\$18 million after tax) and a pre tax credit to other comprehensive income of \$57 million (\$37 million after tax). The net gain included in other comprehensive income as of January 1, 2001 is expected to be reclassified into earnings during 2001. During the first half of 2001 a pre-tax credit of \$34 million (\$22 million after tax) included in other comprehensive income was reclassified into earnings. Under US GAAP the fair values of derivative financial instruments would be shown as current assets and liabilities as appropriate.

Because the Company does not intend to modify its accounting practice to satisfy the criteria for hedge accounting under SFAS 133, the Group's results of operations, as adjusted to accord with US GAAP, will not necessarily be representative of the results it would report if US GAAP were used to prepare the consolidated financial statements of the Group and the Group sought to meet the hedge criteria of SFAS 133.

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##### Recently issued accounting standards

In June 2001 the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No.141 'Business Combinations' (SFAS 141) and No. 142 'Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets' (SFAS 142). Under SFAS 141, the pooling of interest method of accounting is no longer permitted; the purchase method must be used for all business combinations initiated after June 30, 2001. SFAS 142, which is effective for accounting periods beginning after December 15, 2001, eliminates the requirement to amortize goodwill and indefinite lived intangible assets. Rather, such assets are subject to periodic impairment testing. Intangible assets that are not deemed to have an indefinite life will continue to be amortized over their estimated useful lives.

Based on acquisitions completed at June 30, 2001, it is estimated that

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application of these new standards would increase the Group's results of operations, as adjusted to accord with US GAAP, by approximately \$1,300 million for the year ended December 31, 2002, assuming no impairment of goodwill.

Also in June 2001 the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 143 'Accounting for Asset Retirement Obligations' (SFAS 143). SFAS 143 requires companies to record liabilities equal to the fair value of their asset retirement obligations when they are incurred (typically when the asset is installed at the production location). When the liability is initially recorded, companies capitalize an equivalent amount as part of the cost of the asset. Over time the liability is accreted for the change in its present value each period, and the initial capitalized cost is depreciated over the useful life of the related asset. SFAS 143 is effective for accounting periods beginning after June 15, 2002.

The provisions of SFAS 143 are similar to the accounting policy used by the Group in preparing its financial statements under UK GAAP. The Company has not yet determined the effect of adopting SFAS 143 on its results of operations or shareholders' interest as adjusted to accord with US GAAP.

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16. Restatement of 2000 segment information

On January 1, 2001 the natural gas liquids (NGL) operations located in the USA and Canada, were moved to the Gas and Power business from Refining and Marketing. Comparative information for 2000 has been restated as shown below.

	First Quarter	Second Quarter	Third Quarter	Fourth Quarter
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	(\$ million)			
Replacement cost operating profit				
Previously reported Refining and Marketing total	674	1,271	1,048	915
Previously reported Gas and Power total	52	26	48	60
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Restated as:				
Refining and Marketing				
UK	33	148	63	(71)
Rest of Europe	36	130	233	354
USA	409	814	600	388
Rest of World	106	91	68	121
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	584	1,183	964	792
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Gas and Power

UK	(5)	4	14	1
Rest of Europe	55	11	28	54
USA	14	47	14	29
Rest of World	78	52	76	99
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	142	114	132	183
	=====	=====	=====	=====

Turnover

Previously reported Refining and Marketing total	20,778	25,120	32,555	34,362
Previously reported Gas and Power total	2,173	2,772	4,237	6,899
	=====	=====	=====	=====

Restated as:

Refining and Marketing	19,696	24,168	31,311	32,708
Gas and Power	3,255	3,724	5,481	8,553
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16. Restatement of 2000 segment information - concluded

	First Quarter	Second Quarter	Third Quarter	Fourth Quarter
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	(\$ million)			
Exceptional items				
Previously reported Refining and Marketing total	19	5	160	(85)
Previously reported Gas and Power total	-	-	-	-
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Restated as:				
Refining and Marketing	19	5	161	(87)
Gas and Power	-	-	(1)	2
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Capital expenditure and acquisitions				
Previously reported Refining and Marketing total	1,102	518	5,504	1,626
Previously reported Gas and Power total	7	57	114	101
	=====	=====	=====	=====

Restated as:

Refining and Marketing



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Group replacement cost operating profit	13	217	291	4,497
Share of profits of joint ventures	-	-	-	125
Share of profits of associated undertakings	-	-	-	157
Equity accounted income of subsidiaries	4,061	114	4,988	-
Total replacement cost operating profit	4,074	331	5,279	4,779
Profit (loss) on sale of fixed assets and businesses and termination of operations	(68)	-	171	171
Replacement cost profit before interest and tax	4,006	331	5,450	4,950
Inventory holding gains (losses)	(64)	1	40	40
Historical cost profit before interest and tax	3,942	332	5,490	4,990
Interest expense	474	17	769	768
Profit before taxation	3,468	315	4,721	4,222
Taxation	1,178	89	1,550	1,494
Profit after taxation	2,290	226	3,171	2,728
Minority shareholders' interest	-	-	-	21
Profit for the period	2,290	226	3,171	2,707

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17. Condensed consolidating information - continued

Income statement (continued)

The following is a summary of the adjustments to profit for the period which would be required if generally accepted accounting principles in the United States (US GAAP) had been applied instead of those generally accepted in the United Kingdom.

Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor	
BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries



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	(\$ million)			
Three months ended June 30, 2001				
Profit as reported	2,290	226	3,171	2,707
Adjustments:				
Depreciation charge	(308)	(9)	(315)	(306)
Decommissioning and environmental expense	(14)	(3)	(79)	(76)
Onerous property leases	(9)	-	(27)	(27)
Derivative financial instruments	(93)	-	(47)	(49)
Interest expense	35	2	50	48
Sale and leaseback of fixed assets	1	-	-	-
Deferred taxation	(66)	(34)	(15)	17
Other	-	-	5	5
Profit for the period as adjusted to accord with US GAAP	1,836	182	2,743	2,319

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17. Condensed consolidating information - continued

	Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor	
	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
(\$ million)				
Three months ended June 30, 2000				
Turnover	-	500	-	39,027
Less: Joint ventures	-	-	-	5,869
Group turnover	-	500	-	33,158
Replacement cost of sales	-	221	-	27,443
Production taxes	-	38	-	450
Gross profit	-	241	-	5,265
Distribution and administration expenses	-	-	28	1,787

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Exploration expense	-	8	-	160
	-	233	(28)	3,318
Other income	(2)	(13)	124	369
Group replacement cost operating profit	(2)	220	96	3,687
Share of profits of joint ventures	-	-	-	286
Share of profits of associated undertakings	-	-	-	168
Equity accounted income of subsidiaries	3,557	45	4,364	-
Total replacement cost operating profit	3,555	265	4,460	4,141
Profit (loss) on sale of fixed assets and businesses and termination of operations	292	-	161	170
Replacement cost profit before interest and tax	3,847	265	4,621	4,311
Inventory holding gains (losses)	62	29	213	213
Historical cost profit before interest and tax	3,909	294	4,834	4,524
Interest expense	365	11	521	523
Profit before taxation	3,544	283	4,313	4,001
Taxation	1,002	114	1,289	1,182
Profit after taxation	2,542	169	3,024	2,819
Minority shareholders' interest	-	-	-	(5)
Profit for the period	2,542	169	3,024	2,824

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17. Condensed consolidating information - continued

Income statement (continued)

The following is a summary of the adjustments to profit for the period which would be required if generally accepted accounting principles in the United States (US GAAP) had been applied instead of those generally accepted in the United Kingdom.

Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor
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	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
(\$ million)				
Three months ended June 30, 2000				
Profit as reported	2,542	169	3,024	2,824
Adjustments:				
Depreciation charge	(100)	(15)	(101)	(86)
Decommissioning and environmental expense	(12)	(3)	(98)	(95)
Onerous property leases	(5)	-	(5)	(5)
Interest expense	32	2	45	46
Sale and leaseback of fixed assets	1	-	-	-
Deferred taxation	(384)	91	(199)	(246)
Other	-	-	16	16
Profit for the period as adjusted to accord with US GAAP	2,074	244	2,682	2,454

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17. Condensed consolidating information - continued

	Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor	
(\$ million)				
Income statement (continued)	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
Six months ended June 30, 2001				
Turnover	329	1,128	-	94,060
Less: Joint ventures	-	-	-	568
Group turnover	329	1,128	-	93,492
Replacement cost of sales	329	522	-	77,742
Production taxes	-	109	-	907
Gross profit	-	497	-	14,843
Distribution and administration expenses	-	-	117	5,437

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Exploration expense	-	12	-	238
	-	485	(117)	9,168
Other income	13	-	701	294
Group replacement cost operating profit	13	485	584	9,462
Share of profits of joint ventures	-	-	-	227
Share of profits of associated undertakings	-	-	-	386
Equity accounted income of subsidiaries	8,487	275	10,541	-
Total replacement cost operating profit	8,500	760	11,125	10,075
Profit (loss) on sale of fixed assets and businesses and termination of operations	158	1	389	388
Replacement cost profit before interest and tax	8,658	761	11,514	10,463
Inventory holding gains (losses)	(209)	(6)	(198)	(198)
Historical cost profit before interest and tax	8,449	755	11,316	10,265
Interest expense	884	19	1,573	1,575
Profit before taxation	7,565	736	9,743	8,690
Taxation	2,599	207	3,268	3,144
Profit after taxation	4,966	529	6,475	5,546
Minority shareholders' interest	-	-	-	32
Profit for the period	4,966	529	6,475	5,514

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17. Condensed consolidating information - continued

Income statement (continued)

The following is a summary of the adjustments to profit for the period which would be required if generally accepted accounting principles in the United States (US GAAP) had been applied instead of those generally accepted in the United Kingdom.

Issuer Issuer Guarantor

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	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
(\$ million)				
Six months ended June 30, 2001				
Profit as reported	4,966	529	6,475	5,514
Adjustments:				
Depreciation charge	(568)	(19)	(579)	(560)
Decommissioning and environmental expense	(61)	(5)	(184)	(179)
Onerous property leases	(16)	-	(34)	(34)
Derivative financial instruments	(138)	-	(199)	(195)
Interest expense	69	4	103	99
Sale and leaseback of fixed assets	2	-	-	-
Deferred taxation	77	(71)	(53)	13
Other	-	-	10	10
Profit for the period before cumulative effect of accounting change as adjusted to accord with US GAAP	4,331	438	5,539	4,668
Cumulative effect of accounting change: Derivative financial instruments	(13)	-	(18)	(5)
Profit for the period as adjusted to accord with US GAAP	4,318	438	5,521	4,663

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	Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor	
Income statement (continued)	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
(\$ million)				
Six months ended June 30, 2000				

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Turnover	-	1,313	-	72,118
Less: Joint ventures	-	-	-	11,249
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Group turnover	-	1,313	-	60,869
Replacement cost of sales	-	549	-	50,102
Production taxes	-	134	-	852
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Gross profit	-	630	-	9,915
Distribution and administration expenses	-	-	86	3,108
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Exploration expense	-	22	-	277
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	-	608	(86)	6,530
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Other income	1	(27)	276	463
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Group replacement cost operating profit	1	581	190	6,993
Share of profits of joint ventures	-	-	-	455
Share of profits of associated undertakings	-	-	-	339
Equity accounted income of subsidiaries	6,177	59	8,306	-
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Total replacement cost operating profit	6,178	640	8,496	7,787
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Profit (loss) on sale of fixed assets and businesses and termination of operations	117	-	4	22
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Replacement cost profit before interest and tax	6,295	640	8,500	7,809
Inventory holding gains (losses)	406	63	745	745
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Historical cost profit before interest and tax	6,701	703	9,245	8,554
Interest expense	577	22	960	958
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Profit before taxation	6,124	681	8,285	7,596
Taxation	1,539	238	2,176	2,011
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Profit after taxation	4,585	443	6,109	5,585
Minority shareholders' interest	-	-	-	63
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Profit for the period	4,585	443	6,109	5,522
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Income statement (concluded)

The following is a summary of the adjustments to profit for the period which would be required if generally accepted accounting principles in the United States (US GAAP) had been applied instead of those generally accepted in the United Kingdom.

	Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor	
	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
	(\$ million)			
Six months ended June 30, 2000				
Profit as reported	4,585	443	6,109	5,522
Adjustments:				
Depreciation charge	(112)	(28)	(120)	(92)
Decommissioning and environmental expense	(73)	(26)	(166)	(140)
Onerous property leases	(12)	-	(12)	(12)
Interest expense	47	5	81	76
Sale and leaseback of fixed assets	2	-	-	-
Deferred taxation	(521)	98	(713)	(769)
Other	-	-	31	31
Profit for the period as adjusted to accord with US GAAP	3,916	492	5,210	4,616

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	Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor	
	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
Balance sheet				

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(\$ million)

At June 30, 2001

Fixed assets

Intangible assets	-	591	-	15,253
Tangible assets	7	6,127	-	69,570
Investments				
Subsidiaries - equity accounted basis	69,114	771	82,120	-
Other	-	-	315	10,829
	69,114	771	82,435	10,829
Total fixed assets	69,121	7,489	82,435	95,652

Current assets

Business held for resale	-	-	-	666
Inventories	6	61	-	8,999
Receivables	8,137	10,130	19,745	44,249
Investments	-	-	-	563
Cash at bank and in hand	(1)	(33)	-	1,137
	8,142	10,158	19,745	55,614

Current liabilities -falling due within one year

Finance debt	7,575	179	-	6,303
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	322	405	1,522	34,580
Net current assets (liabilities)	245	9,574	18,223	14,731
Total assets less current liabilities	69,366	17,063	100,658	110,383

Noncurrent liabilities

Finance debt	-	1,150	-	14,195
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	1,274	4,626	156	35,737
Provisions for liabilities and charges	51	271	189	12,086

Net assets 68,041 11,016 100,313 48,365

Minority shareholders' interest - - - 630

BP shareholders' interest 68,041 11,016 100,313 47,735

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Balance sheet (continued)	BP			
	BP America Inc.	Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
	(\$ million)			
At June 30, 2001				
Capital and reserves				
Capital shares	8	-	5,641	-
Paid in surplus	30,865	3,145	3,526	-
Merger reserve	-	-	26,299	697
Other reserves	-	-	618	-
Retained earnings	37,168	7,871	64,229	47,038
	68,041	11,016	100,313	47,735

The following is a summary of the adjustments to BP shareholders' interest which would be required if generally accepted accounting principles in the United States (US GAAP) had been applied instead of those generally accepted in the United Kingdom.

	Issuer				Guarantor
	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries	
	(\$ million)				
Shareholders' interest as reported	68,041	11,016	100,313	47,735	
Adjustments:					
Fixed assets	8,184	525	8,218	7,699	
Ordinary shares held for future awards to employees	-	-	(312)	-	
Sale and leaseback of Chicago office building	(413)	-	(413)	(413)	
Decommissioning and environmental provisions	(771)	(314)	(1,132)	(802)	
Onerous property leases	92	-	74	74	
Derivative financial instruments	(156)	-	(203)	(180)	
Deferred taxation	(14,696)	(1,851)	(15,880)	(14,145)	

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Quarterly dividend	-	-	1,236	-
Pension liability adjustment	(38)	-	(145)	(145)
Other	(36)	-	(111)	(111)
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Shareholders' interest as adjusted to accord with US GAAP	60,207	9,376	91,645	39,711
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17. Condensed consolidating information - continued

	Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor	
	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
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	(\$ million)			
Balance sheet (continued)				
At December 31, 2000				
Fixed assets				
Intangible assets	-	512	-	16,389
Tangible assets	7	5,942	-	69,221
Investments				
Subsidiaries - equity accounted basis	63,718	619	77,826	
Other	-	-	363	11,399
	63,718	619	78,189	11,399
Total fixed assets	63,725	7,073	78,189	96,999
Current assets				
Business held for resale	-	-	-	63
Inventories	-	75	-	9,151
Receivables	7,007	10,033	23,395	28,866
Investments	-	-	-	66
Cash at bank and in hand	(2)	(32)	2	1,200
	7,005	10,076	23,397	40,526
Current liabilities -falling due within one year				
Finance debt	6,848	-	-	6,411
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	85	973	2,582	35,551
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Net current assets (liabilities)	72	9,103	20,815	(1,44
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Total assets less current liabilities	63,797	16,176	99,004	95,54
Noncurrent liabilities				
Finance debt	-	1,150	-	14,77
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	1,099	4,275	178	24,09
Provisions for liabilities and charges	49	264	197	12,28
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Net assets	62,649	10,487	98,629	44,39
Minority shareholders' interest	-	-	-	58
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BP shareholders' interest	62,649	10,487	98,629	43,81
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17. Condensed consolidating information - continued

	Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor	
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Balance sheet (concluded)	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
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	(\$ million)			
At December 31, 2000				
Capital and reserves				
Capital shares	8	-	5,653	-
Paid in surplus	30,440	3,145	3,770	-
Merger reserve	-	-	26,172	697
Other reserves	-	-	456	-
Retained earnings	32,201	7,342	62,578	43,117
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	62,649	10,487	98,629	43,814
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The following is a summary of the adjustments to BP shareholders' interest which would be required if generally accepted accounting principles in the United States (US GAAP) had been applied instead of those generally accepted in the United Kingdom.

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	Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor	
	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
	(\$ million)			
Shareholders' interest as reported	62,649	10,487	98,629	43,814
Adjustments:				
Fixed assets	8,757	566	8,777	8,215
Ordinary shares held for future awards to employees	-	-	(360)	-
Sale and leaseback of Chicago office building	(413)	-	(413)	(413)
Decommissioning and environmental provisions	(927)	(317)	(921)	(586)
Onerous property leases	105	-	105	105
Deferred taxation	(14,805)	(1,784)	(15,843)	(14,168)
Quarterly dividend	-	-	1,178	-
Pension liability adjustment	(38)	-	(145)	(145)
Other	(34)	-	(128)	(128)
Shareholders' interest as adjusted to accord with US GAAP	55,294	8,952	90,879	36,694

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17. Condensed consolidating information - continued

	Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor	
	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
	(\$ million)			
Cash flow statement				
Three months ended June 30, 2001				
Net cash inflow (outflow) from				

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operating activities	368	220	1,159	3,329
Dividends from joint ventures	-	-	-	54
Dividends from associated undertakings	-	-	-	159
Dividends from subsidiaries	138	-	16	-
Net cash inflow (outflow) from servicing of finance and returns on investments	1	-	328	(629)
Tax (paid) refund	(1,691)	(56)	-	(635)
Net cash inflow (outflow) for capital expenditure and financial investment	-	(208)	(104)	(2,472)
Net cash inflow (outflow) for acquisitions and disposals	-	(1)	-	(779)
Equity dividends paid	-	-	(1,179)	(154)
Net cash inflow (outflow)	(1,184)	(45)	220	(1,127)
Financing	(1,184)	(30)	220	(675)
Management of liquid resources	-	-	-	(404)
Increase (decrease) in cash	-	(15)	-	(48)
	(1,184)	(45)	220	(1,127)

The consolidated statement of cash flows presented in accordance with SFAS 95 is as follows:

	Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor	
	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
	(\$ million)			
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	(1,184)	163	1,502	2,278
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	-	(208)	(104)	(3,251)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	1,184	30	(1,398)	521
Currency translation differences relating to cash and cash equivalents	-	-	-	(14)
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash				

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equivalents	-	(15)	-	(466)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	(1)	(19)	-	2,167
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	(1)	(34)	-	1,701

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17. Condensed consolidating information - continued

	Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor	
	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
(\$ million)				
Three months ended June 30, 2000				
Net cash inflow (outflow) from operating activities	(18)	410	2,795	2,863
Dividends from joint ventures	-	-	-	332
Dividends from associated undertakings	-	-	-	143
Dividends from subsidiaries	-	-	2	-
Net cash inflow (outflow) from servicing of finance and returns on investments	2	-	116	(379)
Tax (paid) refund	177	(357)	3	(776)
Net cash inflow (outflow) for capital expenditure and financial investment	-	(146)	(9)	(2,428)
Net cash inflow (outflow) for acquisitions and disposals	7	22	(754)	7,666
Equity dividends paid	-	-	(1,133)	(2)
Net cash inflow (outflow)	168	(71)	1,020	7,419
Financing	167	(73)	1,016	2,217
Management of liquid resources	-	-	-	2,345
Increase (decrease) in cash	1	2	4	2,857
	168	(71)	1,020	7,419

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The consolidated statement of cash flows presented in accordance with SFAS 95 is as follows:

	Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor	
	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
	(\$ million)			
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	161	53	2,916	2,183
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	7	(124)	(763)	5,238
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(167)	73	(2,149)	(2,219)
Currency translation differences relating to cash and cash equivalents	-	-	-	(16)
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	1	2	4	5,186
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	(2)	(22)	-	760
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	(1)	(20)	4	5,946

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17. Condensed consolidating information - continued

	Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor	
	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
	(\$ million)			
Cash flow statement (continued)				
Six months ended June 30, 2001				
Net cash inflow (outflow) from operating activities	325	551	2,460	8,496







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The consolidated statement of cash flows presented in accordance with SFAS 95 is as follows:

	Issuer	Issuer	Guarantor	
	BP America Inc.	BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.	BP p.l.c.	Other subsidiaries
	(\$ million)			
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	(62)	253	4,746	3,620
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	13	(238)	(1,656)	3,312
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	51	(17)	(3,089)	(2,471)
Currency translation differences relating to cash and cash equivalents	-	-	-	12
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	2	(2)	1	4,473
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	(3)	(18)	3	1,473
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	(1)	(20)	4	5,946

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

BP p.l.c.  
(Registrant)

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Dated: August 17, 2001

/s/ RICHARD BRADLEY  
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G. R. BRADLEY  
Assistant Secretary

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