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## abc Multiactive Limited

(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)

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## **CHARACTERISTICS OF THE GROWTH ENTERPRISE MARKET (“GEM”) OF THE STOCK EXCHANGE OF HONG KONG LIMITED (THE “STOCK EXCHANGE”)**

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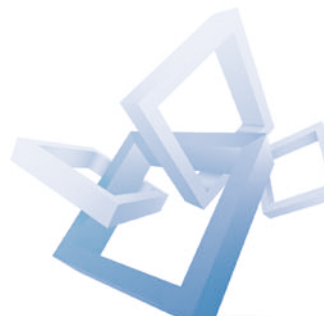
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## RESULTS

The board of directors (the "Board") of abc Multiactive Limited (the "Company") presents the unaudited consolidated results of the Company and its subsidiaries (the "Group") for the three months and nine months ended 31 August 2013, together with the comparative figures.

	Notes	(Unaudited) Three months ended 31 August		(Unaudited) Nine months ended 31 August	
		2013 HK\$'000	2012 HK\$'000	2013 HK\$'000	2012 HK\$'000
Turnover	3	2,646	3,427	8,695	10,970
Cost of sales		(452)	(415)	(1,516)	(1,324)
Gross profit		2,194	3,012	7,179	9,646
Other revenue	3	-	-	-	-
Software research and development expenses		(1,198)	(1,276)	(3,538)	(4,390)
Selling and marketing expenses		(240)	(221)	(594)	(696)
Administrative expenses		(1,740)	(1,565)	(5,273)	(4,868)
Unrealised exchange gain/(loss)		227	(331)	705	(450)
Loss from operating activities	4	(757)	(381)	(1,521)	(758)
Finance costs	5	(607)	(554)	(1,800)	(1,632)
Loss before taxation		(1,364)	(935)	(3,321)	(2,390)
Taxation	6	-	-	-	-
Loss for the period		(1,364)	(935)	(3,321)	(2,390)



	(Unaudited) Three months ended 31 August		(Unaudited) Nine months ended 31 August	
Notes	2013 HK\$'000	2012 HK\$'000	2013 HK\$'000	2012 HK\$'000
Other comprehensive income, net of tax				
Exchange differences on translating foreign operations	<b>98</b>	(205)	<b>197</b>	(101)
Other comprehensive profit/(loss) for the period, net of tax	<b>98</b>	(205)	<b>197</b>	(101)
<b>Total comprehensive loss for the period</b>	<b>(1,266)</b>	(1,140)	<b>(3,124)</b>	(2,491)
Loss for the period attributable to owners of the Company	<b>(1,364)</b>	(935)	<b>(3,321)</b>	(2,390)
Total comprehensive loss for the period attributable to owners of the Company	<b>(1,266)</b>	(1,140)	<b>(3,124)</b>	(2,491)
	<b>HK cents</b>	HK cents	<b>HK cents</b>	HK cents
<b>Loss per share</b>				
– Basic and diluted	<b>(0.85)</b>	(0.58)	<b>(2.07)</b>	(1.49)



## NOTES:

**1. BASIS OF PREPARATION**

The unaudited accounts have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in Hong Kong and complied with accounting standards issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA"). They are prepared under the historical cost convention.

The unaudited consolidated results for the nine months ended 31 August 2013 have not been audited by the Company's auditors, but have been reviewed by the Company's audit committee.

The accounting policies and basis of preparation used in the preparation of the unaudited consolidated results are consistent with those used in the Company's annual financial statements for the year ended 30 November 2012, except for the adoption of certain new and revised Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("HKFRS") and Hong Kong Accounting Standards ("HKAS") as disclosed in note 2 below.

**2. IMPACT OF NEW HKFRSs AND HKASs**

The Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA") has issued a number of new and revised HKFRSs and HKASs which are effective for accounting periods commencing on or after 1 January 2012. The Group has adopted, for the first time for the current year's financial statements. Except for in certain cases, giving rise to new and revised accounting policies and additional disclosures, the adoption of these new and revised standards and interpretation has had no material effect on these financial statements.

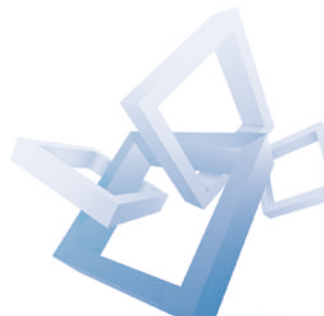
**Changes in accounting policies**

HKFRSs and HKASs that are effective for the nine months ended 31 August 2013:

HKAS 1 (Amendments)	Presentation of Items of Other Comprehensive Income <sup>2</sup>
HKAS 12 (Amendments)	Deferred Tax: Recovery of Underlying Assets <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2012

<sup>2</sup> Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2012



**3. TURNOVER AND OTHER REVENUE**

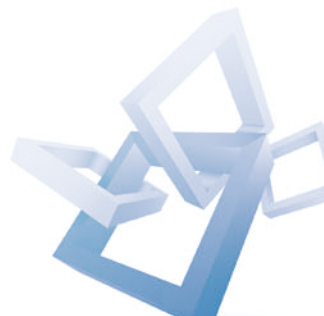
The Group is principally engaged in the designing and sale of computer software and the provision of professional and maintenance services for such products. All significant intra-group transactions have been eliminated on consolidation. An analysis of the Group's turnover and other revenue for the three months and nine months ended 31 August 2013 is as follows:

	(Unaudited) Three months ended 31 August		(Unaudited) Nine months ended 31 August	
	2013 HK\$'000	2012 HK\$'000	2013 HK\$'000	2012 HK\$'000
<b>Turnover</b>				
Sales of computer software licences, software rental and provision of related services	950	1,742	3,218	5,674
Provision of maintenance services	1,696	1,678	5,352	5,173
Sales of computer hardware	–	7	125	123
	<u>2,646</u>	<u>3,427</u>	<u>8,695</u>	<u>10,970</u>
<b>Other revenue</b>				
Interest income on bank deposits	–	–	–	–



## 4. LOSS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

	(Unaudited) Three months ended 31 August		(Unaudited) Nine months ended 31 August	
	2013 HK\$'000	2012 HK\$'000	2013 HK\$'000	2012 HK\$'000
<b>Loss from operating activities is stated at after charging:</b>				
Depreciation on owned property, plant and equipment	29	40	108	133
Operating leases payments in respect of				
– land and buildings	529	480	1,760	1,285
– plant and equipment	8	8	24	24
Staff costs (excluding directors' remuneration)				
– salaries and allowances	2,245	2,353	6,664	7,770
– retirement benefit costs	86	84	248	266
Cost of computer hardware sold	–	5	90	85
Unrealised exchange loss	–	381	–	906
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	90	–	90	–
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<b>and after crediting:</b>				
Unrealised exchange gain	227	50	705	456
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	–	–	–	19
Reversal of impairment loss of trade receivables	–	54	23	107
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**5. FINANCE COSTS**

	<b>(Unaudited)</b> <b>Three months ended</b> <b>31 August</b>		<b>(Unaudited)</b> <b>Nine months ended</b> <b>31 August</b>	
	<b>2013</b> <b>HK\$'000</b>	2012 HK\$'000	<b>2013</b> <b>HK\$'000</b>	2012 HK\$'000
Interest on promissory notes – wholly repayable within five years	<b>568</b>	490	<b>1,676</b>	1,447
Interest on amount due to a shareholder/a related party/ a related company – wholly repayable within five years	<b>39</b>	64	<b>124</b>	185
	<b>607</b>	554	<b>1,800</b>	1,632

**6. TAXATION**

No provision for Hong Kong profits tax has been made as the Group had either no estimated assessable profits or had tax losses brought forward to set off the estimated assessable profits for the period (2012: Nil).

No provision for the PRC income taxes has been made during the period as the subsidiaries operated in the PRC had no assessable profits for the period (2012: Nil).

No Australian income tax has been provided by the Australian subsidiaries of the Group as they had no assessable profits for the period (2012: Nil).

The potential unaudited deferred tax asset of approximately HK\$18,486,000 (As at 31 August 2012: approximately HK\$16,256,000) relating to tax losses available for carry forward and other timing differences as at 31 August 2013 has not been recognized due to the unpredictability of the future profit streams.

**7. LOSS PER SHARE**

The calculation of basic loss per share attributable to the owners of the Company for the three months and nine months ended 31 August 2013 is based on the unaudited net loss for the period of approximately HK\$1,364,000 and HK\$3,321,000 respectively (For the three months and nine months ended 31 August 2012 unaudited net loss: HK\$935,000 and HK\$2,390,000 respectively), and the weighted average of 160,590,967 (2012: 160,590,967) ordinary shares of HK\$0.10 each in issue during the period.

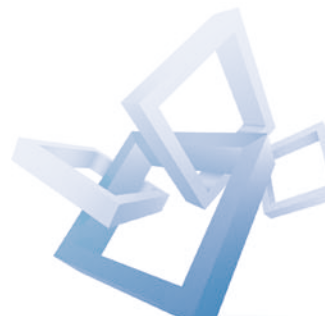
**Diluted loss per share**

Diluted loss per share for the three months and nine months ended 31 August 2013 and 2012 were the same as the basic loss per share. As at 31 August 2013, the Company has not granted any share options. All options granted were expired and no outstanding option was noted as at 31 August 2013.



## 8. MOVEMENTS OF RESERVES

	Attributable to owners of the Company				
	(Unaudited) Share premium HK\$'000	(Unaudited) Contributed surplus HK\$'000	(Unaudited) Exchange reserve HK\$'000	(Unaudited) Accumulated losses HK\$'000	(Unaudited) Total HK\$'000
At 1 December 2011	106,118	37,600	(14,264)	(198,397)	(68,943)
Loss for the period	-	-	-	(2,390)	(2,390)
Other comprehensive loss for the period	-	-	(101)	-	(101)
As at 31 August 2012	<u>106,118</u>	<u>37,600</u>	<u>(14,365)</u>	<u>(200,787)</u>	<u>(71,434)</u>
At 1 December 2012	106,118	37,600	(14,416)	(201,642)	(72,340)
Loss for the period	-	-	-	(3,321)	(3,321)
Other comprehensive gain for the period	-	-	197	-	197
<b>As at 31 August 2013</b>	<b><u>106,118</u></b>	<b><u>37,600</u></b>	<b><u>(14,219)</u></b>	<b><u>(204,963)</u></b>	<b><u>(75,464)</u></b>



## **INTERIM DIVIDEND**

The Board does not recommend the payment of an interim dividend for the nine months ended 31 August 2013 (2012: Nil).

## **MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS**

### **Financial Review**

The Group recorded an unaudited turnover of approximately HK\$2,646,000 for the three months ended 31 August 2013, a 23% decrease from approximately HK\$3,427,000 for the corresponding period of the previous year. Of the total unaudited turnover amount, approximately HK\$950,000 or 36% was generated from software license sales and professional service income and approximately HK\$1,696,000 or 64% was generated from maintenance services. As at 31 August 2013, the Group had approximately HK\$1.5 million worth of contracts that were in progress. The unaudited net loss attributable to shareholders for the three months ended 31 August 2013 was approximately HK\$1,364,000 whereas the Group recorded an unaudited net loss of approximately HK\$935,000 for the same period of the previous year.

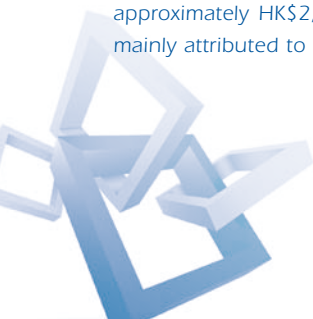
The unaudited operating expenditures amounted to approximately HK\$3,178,000 for the three months ended 31 August 2013, a 4% increase from approximately HK\$3,062,000 for the corresponding period of the previous year. The increase was mainly attributed to increment in Hong Kong office rental fee in the third quarter of 2012.

As a result of the most of the property, plant and equipment in the Group was fully depreciated, unaudited depreciation expenses decreased from approximately HK\$40,000 for the three months ended 31 August 2012 to approximately HK\$29,000 in the current period.

During the current period, the Group invested approximately HK\$1,198,000 in developing new modules for its OCTO Straight Through Processing ("STP") system.

For the three months ended 31 August 2013, the Group has no provision for impairment of trade receivables.

Total unaudited staff costs (excluding directors' remuneration) are approximately HK\$2,331,000 for the three months ended 31 August 2013, a 4% decrease from approximately HK\$2,437,000 for the same period in the previous year. The decrease was mainly attributed to headcount reductions in China in the early 2013.



### **Operation Review**

For the three months ended 31 August 2013, Financial Solution's unaudited turnover is approximately HK\$2,595,000, a decrease of 20% when compared to approximately HK\$3,234,000 for the corresponding period of the previous year. The reason of the turnover decrease was mainly attributed to the slowdown in the new sales contract signed in the first half of 2013. To facilitate our brokerage firm customers to implement the new Orion Central Gateway ("OCG") trading platform in the first half of 2014 by HKEX's tentative timeline, we centralize our resources in development and integration work of OCG during the period. And we are confident that we are well equipped for end-to-end test and market rehearsals to be scheduled in 2014.

For the three months ended 31 August 2013, CRM Solutions unaudited turnover is HK\$51,000, 74% decrease compared to HK\$193,000 for the same period of the previous year. The decrease was mainly due to the Group changed its role to a business agent with MSI with providing professional services in place of sale of the CRM software for its customers in the Asian Pacific region since August 2012.

### **Prospects**

To maintain our competitiveness in the market, the Group will more focus on our core business and technology development to improve product functionality and expand service dimensions to our customers. To channel our resources to business development in the high growth solutions area will continue to be top priorities of the Group for 2013. The directors believed that the Group has a well diversified product range that is fitted to the market needs and it is well equipped to face challenges from the market.

## **DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVES' INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS IN THE SHARES, UNDERLYING SHARES AND DEBENTURES**

At 31 August 2013, the interests and short positions of the directors and chief executives in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company and its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (the "SFO")) as recorded in the register required to be kept under Section 352 of SFO or as otherwise notified to the Company and The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") pursuant to Rule 5.46 to 5.68 of the GEM Listing Rules were as follows:

### **Long positions in shares**

No long positions of directors and chief executives in the shares of the Company and its associated corporations were recorded in the register or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Rule 5.46 of the GEM Listing Rules.

### **Long positions in underlying shares**

*a) The Company:*

All options of the Company granted were expired on 27 May 2011. The Company did not adopt any new share option scheme.

No long positions of directors and chief executives in the underlying shares of the Company were recorded in the register or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to rule 5.46 of the GEM Listing Rules.

No further options can be granted under the Company's share option scheme adopted on 22 January 2001 until the new requirements of Chapter 23 of the GEM Listing Rules are complied with.

*b) Associated Corporation:*

No long position of directors and chief executives in the underlying shares of the Associated Corporation were recorded in the register or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to rule 5.46 of the GEM Listing Rules.

### **Long positions in debentures**

No long positions of directors and chief executives in the debentures of the Company and its associated corporations were recorded in the register or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Rule 5.46 of the GEM Listing Rules.

### **Short positions in shares**

No short positions of directors and chief executives in the shares of the Company and its associated corporations were recorded in the register or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Rule 5.46 of the GEM Listing Rules.

### **Short positions in underlying shares**

No short positions of directors and chief executives in the underlying shares of the equity derivatives of the Company and its associated corporations were recorded in the register or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Rule 5.46 of the GEM Listing Rules.

### **Short positions in debentures**

No short positions of directors and chief executives in the debentures of the Company and its associated corporations were recorded in the register.



Save as disclosed above, as at 31 August 2013, none of the directors nor the chief executive of the Company had any interests or short positions in any shares, underlying shares or debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporation (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO) which were required to be notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Divisions 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO (including interests or short positions which they were taken or deemed to have under such provisions of the SFO), or which were required to be recorded in the register kept by the Company under Section 352 of the SFO, or otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Rules 5.46 of the GEM Listing Rules.

## INTERESTS DISCLOSEABLE UNDER THE SFO AND SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDER

At 31 August 2013, the following persons (other than the directors and chief executive of the Company) had interests and short positions in the shares and underlying shares of the Company as recorded in the register required to be kept under Section 336 of the SFO.

### Long positions in shares

Name	Capacity	Nature of interest	Number of ordinary shares	Percentage of issued share capital
Maximizer International Limited	Beneficial owner	Corporate	90,534,400	56.38%
Pacific East Limited	Beneficial owner	Corporate	8,666,710	5.40%
Royal Bank of Canada Financial Corporation (Note)	Trustee	Corporate	99,201,110	61.78%

Note:

Royal Bank of Canada Financial Corporation is the trustee of The City Place Trust which owns Maximizer International Limited, which holds 56.38% interest in the Company and wholly owns Pacific East Limited, which holds 5.4% interest in the company. The City Place Trust is a discretionary trust and its beneficiaries include direct family members of Mr. Kau Mo Hui. Mr. Kau Mo Hui is the father of Mr. Joseph Chi Ho Hui, the executive director of the Company, Mr. Terence Chi Yan Hui, the non-executive director of the Company and Mr. Samson Chi Yang Hui, the chief executive officer of the Company. Mr. Kau Mo Hui is also the father-in-law of Ms. Clara Hiu Ling Lam, the executive director of the Company.



**Long positions in underlying shares**

No long positions of other persons and substantial shareholders in the underlying shares of equity derivatives of the Company were recorded in the register.

**Short positions in shares**

No short positions of other persons and substantial shareholders in the shares of the Company were recorded in the register.

**Short positions in underlying shares**

No short positions of other persons and substantial shareholders in the underlying shares of equity derivatives of the Company were recorded in the register.

Apart from the foregoing, no other interests required to be recorded in the register kept under Section 336 of the SFO have been notified to the Company.

**DIRECTORS' INTEREST IN COMPETING BUSINESS**

Set out below is information disclosed pursuant to Rule 11.04 of the GEM Listing Rules:

Mr. Terence Chi Yan Hui, the non-executive director of the Company, is also the chairman of MSI, a related company of the Company. MSI is held as to 58.2% by the City Place Trust, which is a discretionary trust and its beneficiaries include the direct family members of Mr. Kau Mo Hui, who is the father of Mr. Terence Chi Yan Hui, whereas the remaining 41.8% is indirectly held by Mr. Kau Mo Hui. MSI is engaged in the business of the design and development of CRM Solutions, and has operations in North America, Europe, Pacific Region and South America. MSI and the Group share the same product lines including, Maximizer, Maximizer Enterprise, Maximizer CRM, Maximizer CRM Live, ecBuilder and their respective product lines. The directors believe that the business of MSI and possible future businesses conducted by MSI may compete with the business of the Group.

In addition, Mr. Terence Chi Yan Hui is involved in a range of business and investment activities that include companies involved in technology investments and incubation. The directors believe that these businesses may, in some respects, compete with the business of the Group.

Save as disclosed above, none of the directors or the initial management shareholders is interested in any business that competes with or is likely to compete with the business of the Group.



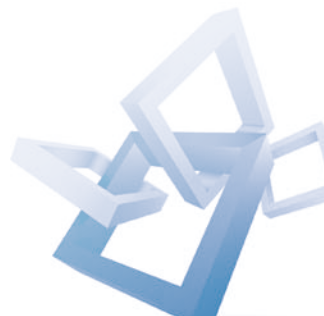
## **AUDIT COMMITTEE**

Pursuant to the GEM Listing Rules, an audit committee was established on 22 January 2001, comprising three independent non-executive directors, namely Messrs. Kwong Sang Liu, Edwin Kim Ho Wong and William Keith Jacobsen. On 28 September 2004, Mr. Kwong Sang Liu was appointed as independent non-executive director and member of audit committee of the Company. On 29 August 2008, Mr. Edwin Kim Ho Wong was appointed as independent non-executive director and member of audit committee of the Company. Mr. William Keith Jacobsen was appointed as independent non-executive director and member of audit committee of the Company on 10 July 2009. Mr. William Keith Jacobsen is the chairman of the audit committee for the year.

The written terms of reference which describe the authorities and duties of the audit committee were prepared and adopted with reference to "A Guide for the Formation of an Audit Committee" published by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The terms of reference of the audit committee should also require it to review arrangement employees of the Company can use to raise concerns about possible improprieties in financial reporting, internal control or other matters. The audit committee should ensure that proper arrangements are in place for fair and independent investigation of these matters and for appropriate follow-up action and to act as the key representative body for overseeing the Company's relations with the external auditors. The audit committee provides an important link between the board of directors and the Company's auditors in matters coming within the scope of the Group audit. It also reviews the financial reporting process and the adequacy and effectiveness of the Group's internal control system.

During the nine months ended 31 August 2013, the audit committee held three meetings for the purpose of reviewing the Company's reports and accounts, and providing advice and recommendations to the Board of Directors. The minutes of the audit committee meeting are kept by the company secretary.

The Group's unaudited consolidated results for the three months ended 31 August 2013 have been reviewed by the audit committee, which was of the opinion that the preparation of such results is complied with the applicable accounting standard.



**PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF LISTED SECURITIES**

During the nine months ended 31 August 2013, the Company has not redeemed any of its listed securities. Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries has purchased or sold any of the Company's listed securities during the period.

By order of the Board

**Joseph Chi Ho HUI**

*Chairman*

As at the date of this report, the Board comprises the following directors:

Mr. Joseph Chi Ho HUI	<i>(Executive Director and Chairman)</i>
Ms. Clara Hiu Ling LAM	<i>(Executive Director)</i>
Mr. Terence Chi Yan HUI	<i>(Non-executive Director)</i>
Mr. Kwong Sang LIU	<i>(Independent Non-executive Director)</i>
Mr. Edwin Kim Ho WONG	<i>(Independent Non-executive Director)</i>
Mr. William Keith JACOBSEN	<i>(Independent Non-executive Director)</i>

Hong Kong, 30 September 2013

