

IFRSs, IFRICs AND AMENDMENTS AVAILABLE FOR EARLY ADOPTION FOR 31 DECEMBER 2013 YEAR ENDS INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL REPORTING BULLETIN 2013/31



IFRSs, IFRICs and amendments available for early adoption for 31 December 2013 year ends

In order to comply with paragraph 30 in IAS 8 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors entities need to disclose new IFRS that have been issued but are not yet effective where they have decided not apply the new IFRSs at their reporting date. Disclosures also need to include 'known or reasonably estimable information relevant to assessing the possible impact that application of the new IFRS will have on the entity's financial statement in the period of initial application'.

To comply with the requirements set out above an entity considers disclosing:

- (a) The title of the new IFRS
- (b) The nature of the impending change or changes in accounting policy
- (c) The date by which application of the IFRS is required
- (d) The date as at which it plans to apply the IFRS initially
- (e) Either:
 - (i) A discussion of the impact that initial application of the IFRS is expected to have on the entity's financial statements
 - (ii) Or if that impact is not known or reasonably estimable, a statement to that effect.

Where applicable, the relevant BDO *IFR Bulletins* have been referenced to each IFRS and IFRIC below. These can be found on the BDO International website from the following link:

BDO IFR Bulletins (IFRS Alerts)

http://www.bdointernational.com/Services/Audit/IFRS/IFR-Bulletins-2011/Pages/default.aspx

STATUS

Final

EFFECTIVE DATE

Various

ACCOUNTING IMPACT

May be significant.

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The list below shows the IFRSs (and amendments to IFRSs) that have been issued but are not mandatory effective as at 31 December 2013

- 1. IFRS 1 First-time Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards (Amendments 2011 2013 Cycle)
- 2. IFRS 2 Share-based Payment (Amendments 2010 2012 Cycle)
- 3. IFRS 3 Business Combinations (Amendments 2010 2012 Cycle)
- 4. IFRS 3 Business Combinations (Amendments 2011 2013 Cycle)
- 5. IFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures (Amendments Transition Disclosures)
- 6. IFRS 8 Operating Segments (Amendments 2010 2012 Cycle)
- 7. IFRS 9 Financial Instruments
- 8. IFRS 9 Financial Instruments (Amendments)
- 9. IFRS 9 Financial Instruments (Amendments Mandatory Effective Date)
- 10. IFRS 9 Financial Instruments (Amendments Hedging)
- 11. IFRS 10 Consolidated Financial Statements (Amendments Investment Entities)
- 12. IFRS 13 Fair Value Measurement (Amendments 2010 2012 Cycle)
- 13. IFRS 13 Fair Value Measurement (Amendments 2011 2013 Cycle)
- 14. IAS 16 Property, Plant and Equipment (Amendments 2010 2012 Cycle)
- 15. IAS 19 Employee Benefits (Amendments Defined Benefit Plans: Employee Contributions)
- 16. IAS 24 Related Party Disclosures (Amendments 2010 2012 Cycle)
- 17. IAS 32 Financial Instruments: Presentation (Amendments Offsetting Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities)
- 18. IAS 36 Impairment of Assets (Amendments Recoverable Amount Disclosures for Non-financial Assets)
- 19. IAS 38 Intangible Assets (Amendments 2010 2012 Cycle)
- 20. IAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement (Amendments Novation of Derivatives and Continuation of Hedge Accounting))
- 21. IAS 40 Investment Property (Amendments 2011 2013 Cycle)
- 22. IFRIC 21 Levies.

IFRS	Early IFRSs adoptions for 2013 – Standards and Amendments	Effective Date				
IFRS 1 First-time Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards						
1. Annual Improvements (2011 – 2013 Cycle) Issued: December 2013	Meaning of effective IFRSs The amendment to the Basis for Conclusions clarifies that an entity has an option to use either: The IFRSs that are mandatory at the reporting date, or One or more IFRSs that are not yet mandatory, if those IFRSs permit early application. For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2013/29.	Mandatory adoption for periods beginning on or after 1 July 2014 Early adoption permitted EU endorsement status: Endorsement expected in the 3 rd quarter of 2014				
IFRS 2 Share-based Payment						
2. Annual Improvements (2010 – 2012 Cycle) Issued: December 2013	Definition of vesting condition The amendment clarifies vesting conditions by separately defining a performance condition and a service condition, both of which were previously incorporated within the definition of a vesting condition. For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2013/28.	Mandatory adoption for periods beginning on or after 1 July 2014 and interim periods within those annual periods EU endorsement status: Endorsement expected in the 3 rd quarter of 2014				
IFRS 3 Business Combinations						
3. Annual Improvements (2010 – 2012 Cycle) Issued: December 2013	Accounting for contingent consideration in a business combination The amendment clarifies that contingent consideration is assessed as either being a liability or an equity instrument on the basis of IAS 32 Financial Instruments: Presentation, and also requires contingent consideration that is not classified as equity to be remeasured to fair value at each reporting date, with changes in fair value being reported in profit or loss.	Mandatory adoption for periods beginning on or after 1 July 2014 Early adoption permitted EU endorsement status: Endorsement expected in the 3 rd quarter of 2014				
	For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2013/28.					
4. Annual Improvements (2011 – 2013 Cycle) Issued: December 2013	 Scope exceptions for joint ventures The amendments to IFRS 3 clarify that: The formation of all types of joint arrangements as defined in IFRS 11 (i.e. joint ventures and joint operations) are excluded from the scope of IFRS 3 The scope exception only applies to the accounting by the joint arrangement in its own financial statements and not to the accounting by the parties to the joint arrangement for their interests in the joint arrangement. 	Mandatory adoption for periods beginning on or after 1 July 2014 Early adoption permitted EU endorsement status: Endorsement expected in the 3 rd quarter of 2014				

For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2013/29.

IFRS 7 Financia

Early IFRSs adoptions for 2013 – Standards and Amendments

Effective Date

IFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures

5. Amendments to IFRS 7
Issued:

December 2011

IFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures – Transition Disclosures

The amendments to IFRS 9 Financial Instruments (see point 9.) mean that entities applying IFRS 9 for the first time do not need to restate prior periods but are instead required to provide modified disclosures, some of which are set out in IFRS 7. The new disclosures in IFRS 7 include:

Changes in the classifications of financial assets and financial liabilities, showing separately:

- The changes in the carrying amounts on the basis of their measurement categories in accordance with IAS 39 (i.e. not resulting from a change in measurement attribute on transition to IFRS 9)
- The changes in the carrying amounts arising from a change in measurement attribute, such as from amortised cost to fair value, on transition to IFRS 9.

The following for financial assets and financial liabilities that have been reclassified so that they are measured at amortised cost as a result of the transition to IFRS 9:

- The fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities at the end of the reporting period
- The fair value gain or loss that would have been recognised in profit or loss or other comprehensive income during the reporting period if the financial assets or financial liabilities had not been reclassified
- The effective interest rate determined on the date of reclassification.

The interest income or expense recognised.

Mandatory adoption to be confirmed (see 10. below)
Early adoption permitted
EU endorsement status:
Endorsement postponed.
Unlikely to be confirmed before all the components of IFRS 9 are issued in their final form (except macro hedging)

IFRS 8 Operating Segments

6. Annual Improvements (2010 – 2012 Cycle) Issued:

December 2013

Aggregation of operating segments

The amendments require additional disclosures regarding managements judgements when operating segments have been aggregated in determining reportable segments, including:

- A description of the operating segments that have been aggregated
- The economic indicators considered in determining that the aggregated operating segments share similar economic characteristics.

Reconciliation of the total of a reportable segment's assets to the entity's assets

The amendment clarifies that a reconciliation of the total of reportable segments assets to the entity's assets is only required if a measure of segment assets is regularly provided to the chief operating decision maker.

For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2013/28.

Mandatory adoption for periods beginning on or after 1 July 2014 Early adoption permitted EU endorsement status: Endorsement expected in the 3rd quarter of 2014

IFRS Early IFRSs adoptions for 2013 – Standards and Amendments

Effective Date

IFRS 9 Financial Instruments

7. IFRS 9
Issued:
November 2009

IFRS 9 applies to all assets within the scope of IAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement. IFRS 9 will eventually replace IAS 39 in its entirety. However, the process has been divided into three main components: classification and measurement, impairment, and hedge accounting. As each phase is completed, the IASB is deleting the relevant portions of IAS 39 and creating new chapters in IFRS 9.

IFRS 9 requires that on initial recognition, all financial assets are measured at fair value (plus an adjustment for certain transaction costs if they are not measured as at fair value through profit or loss) and are classified into one of two subsequent measurement categories:

- Amortised cost
- Fair Value.

IFRS 9 eliminates the Held to Maturity (HTM), Available for Sale (AFS) and Loans and Receivables categories. In addition, the exception under which equity instruments and related derivatives are measured at cost rather than fair value, where the fair value cannot be reliably determined, has been eliminated with fair value measurement being required for all of these instruments.

A financial asset is measured after initial recognition at amortised cost only if it meets the following two conditions:

- 1. The objective of an entity's business model is to hold the financial asset in order to collect contractual cash flows
- The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

All other instruments are required to be measured after initial recognition at fair value. IFRS 9 retains the current requirement for financial instruments that are held for trading to be recognised and measured at fair value through profit or loss, including all derivatives that are not designated in a hedging relationship.

Hybrid contracts with a host that is within the scope of IFRS 9 (i.e. a financial host) must be classified in their entirety in accordance with the classification approach summarised above. This eliminates the existing IAS 39 requirement to account separately for a host contract and certain embedded derivatives. The embedded derivative requirements under IAS 39 continue to apply where the host contract is a non-financial asset and for financial liabilities.

IFRS 9 includes an option which permits investments in equity instruments to be measured at fair value through other comprehensive income. This is an irrevocable election to be made, on an instrument by instrument basis, at the date of initial recognition. Where the election is made, no amounts are subsequently recycled from other comprehensive income to profit or loss. Where this option is not taken, all equity instruments with the scope of IFRS 9 are classified as at fair value through profit or loss. Irrespective of the approach adopted for the equity instrument itself, dividends received on an equity instrument are always recognised in profit or loss (unless they represent a return of the cost of investment).

Subsequent reclassification of financial assets between the amortised cost and fair value categories is prohibited, unless an entity changes its business model for managing its financial assets in which case reclassification is required. However, the guidance is restrictive and such changes are expected to be very infrequent. IFRS 9 states explicitly that the following are not changes in business model:

- 1. A change in intention relating to particular financial assets (even in circumstances of significant changes in market conditions)
- 2. A temporary disappearance of a particular market for financial assets
- 3. A transfer of financial assets between parts of the entity with different business models.

Accounting impact: Significant changes to the classification and measurement of financial assets.

For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2010/02.

Mandatory adoption to be confirmed (see 10. below)
Early adoption permitted
EU endorsement status:
Endorsement postponed.
Unlikely to be confirmed before all the components of IFRS 9 are issued in their final form (except macro hedging)

IFRS

Early IFRSs adoptions for 2013 – Standards and Amendments

8. Amendments to IFRS 9

Issued: October 2011 Amendments to IFRS 9 Financial Instruments

As noted above, IFRS 9 was published in November 2009 and contained requirements for the classification and measurement of financial assets. Equivalent requirements for financial liabilities were added in October 2010, with most of them being carried forward unchanged from IAS 39. In consequence:

- A financial liability is measured as at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL) if it is held for trading, or is designated as at FVTPL using the fair value option
- Other liabilities are measured at amortised cost.

In contrast to the requirements for financial assets, the bifurcation requirements for embedded derivatives have been retained; similarly, equity conversion features will continue to be accounted for separately by the issuer.

However, some changes have been made, in particular to address the issue of where changes in the fair value of an entity's financial liabilities designated as at FVTPL using the fair value option, which arise from changes in the entity's own credit risk, should be recorded. This amendment is a result of consistent feedback received by the IASB from its constituents that changes in an entity's own credit risk should not affect profit or loss unless the financial liability is held for trading.

IFRS 9 requires that changes in the fair value of financial liabilities designated as at FVTPL which relate to changes in an entity's own credit risk should be recognised directly in other comprehensive income (OCI). However, as an exception, where this would create an accounting mismatch (which would be where there is a matching asset position that is also measured as at FVTPL), an irrevocable decision can be taken to recognise the entire change in fair value of the financial liability in profit or loss.

The other changes made to the accounting requirements for financial liabilities are:

- Guidance has been added to assist in differentiating between credit risk and asset specific performance risk
- Consistent with the elimination of the potential, in very limited circumstances, for investments in unquoted equity instruments to be measured at cost, the exemption from fair value measurement for derivative liabilities that are linked to, and must be settled by delivery of, an unquoted equity instrument where the fair value of that equity instrument is not reliably measurable has been deleted.

A number of related disclosure requirements have been added to IFRS 7 *Financial Instruments: Disclosures*.

Accounting impact: Changes in the fair value of liabilities designated as at fair value through profit or loss, that relate to changes in an entity's own credit risk, are now required to be recorded in Other Comprehensive Income. The exemption from fair value measurement for derivatives linked to unquoted equity instruments that cannot be reliably measured has been removed.

For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2011/02.

Effective Date

Mandatory adoption to be confirmed (see 10, below) Early adoption permitted EU endorsement status: Endorsed on 11 December 2012

IFRS Early IFRSs adoptions for 2013 – Standards and Amendments **Effective Date** 9. Amendments to Amendments to IFRS 9 Financial Instruments - Mandatory Effective Date Mandatory adoption to be IFRS 9 confirmed (see 10. below) The amendment changes the effective date of IFRS 9 (2009) and IFRS 9 (2010) Issued: so that IFRS 9 is required to be applied for annual periods beginning on or after Early adoption permitted December 2011 1 January 2015, however this has now been superseded by the release of IFRS 9 EU endorsement status: Financial Instruments (Hedge Accounting and amendments to IFRS 9, IFRS 7 and Endorsement postponed. IAS 39) – see 10. below. Early application is permitted. The amendment also Unlikely to be confirmed before modifies the relief from restating prior periods. all the components of IFRS 9 are issued in their final form Entities that initially apply IFRS 9 in periods: (except macro hedging) - Beginning before 1 January 2012 need not restate prior periods and are not required to provide modified disclosures Beginning on or after 1 January 2012 and before 1 January 2013 must elect either to provide the modified disclosures or to restate prior periods Beginning on or after 1 January 2013 are required to provide modified disclosures. The entity need not restate prior periods. The modified disclosures are discussed under point 1. 10. Amendments to IFRS 9 Financial Instruments (Hedge Accounting and amendments to IFRS 9, IFRS 7 Mandatory adoption to be IFRS 9 and IAS 39) confirmed Issued: These make three significant changes/additions to IFRS 9: Early adoption permitted November 2013 Add the new hedge accounting requirements (see below) EU endorsement status: Endorsement postponed. Withdraw the previous effective date of 1 January 2015 and leave it open other Unlikely to be confirmed before outstanding phases of IFRS 9 have been finalised all the components of IFRS 9 Make the presentation of changes in 'own credit' in other comprehensive are issued in their final form income (OCI) for financial liabilities under the fair value option available for (except macro hedging) early adoption without early application of the other requirements of IFRS 9. The new hedge accounting requirements are more principles-based, less complex, and provide a better link to risk management and treasury operations than the requirements in IAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement. The new model allows entities to apply hedge accounting more broadly to manage profit or loss mismatches, and as a result reduce 'artificial' hedge ineffectiveness that can arise under IAS 39. Key changes introduced by the new model include: Simplified effectiveness testing, including removal of the 80-125% highly effective threshold More items will now qualify for hedge accounting, e.g. pricing components within a non-financial item, and net foreign exchange cash positions Entities can hedge account more effectively the exposures that give rise to two risk positions (e.g. interest rate risk and foreign exchange risk, or commodity risk and foreign exchange risk) that are managed by separate derivatives over different periods Less profit or loss volatility when using options, forwards, and foreign currency

New alternatives available for economic hedges of credit risk and 'own use'

contracts which will reduce profit or loss volatility.

For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2013/24.

substantial business activity or a separate substantial source of income to the investment entity.

If it provides management services, strategic advice and financial support
to an investee, directly or through a subsidiary, but only if these activities
are undertaken to maximise the investment return (capital appreciation
or investment income) from its investees and do not represent a separate

The amendment also provides detailed application guidance.

For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2012/15.

IFR:	S	Early IFRSs adoptions for 2013 – Standards and Amendments	Effective Date		
IFRS	5 13 Fair Value Measu	rement			
13.	Annual Improvements (2010 – 2012 Cycle) Issued: December 2013 Annual Improvements (2011 – 2013 Cycle) Issued: December 2013	The amendment clarifies that short-term receivables and payables with no stated interest rate can still be measured at the invoice amount without discounting, if the effect of discounting is immaterial. For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2013/28. Scope of paragraph 52 (portfolio exemption) IFRS 13.52 defines the scope of the exception that permits an entity to measure the fair value of a group of financial assets and financial liabilities on a net basis. This is referred to as the portfolio exception. The amendment clarifies that the portfolio exception applies to all contracts within the scope of IAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement (or IFRS 9 Financial Instruments if this has been adopted early), regardless of whether they meet the definition of financial assets or financial liabilities in IAS 32 Financial Instruments: Presentation. For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2013/29.	Mandatory adoption for periods beginning on or after 1 July 2014 Early adoption permitted EU endorsement status: Endorsement expected in the 3 rd quarter of 2014 Mandatory adoption for periods beginning on or after 1 July 2014 Early adoption permitted EU endorsement status: Endorsement expected in the 3 rd quarter of 2014		
IAS 16 Property, Plant & Equipment					
	Annual Improvements (2010 – 2012 Cycle) Issued: December 2013	Revaluation method – proportionate restatement of accumulated depreciation The amendment clarifies the computation of accumulated depreciation when items of property, plant and equipment are subsequently measured using the revaluation model. The net carrying amount of the asset is adjusted to the revalued amount, and either: (i) The gross carrying amount is adjusted in a manner consistent with the	Mandatory adoption for periods beginning on or after 1 July 2014 Early adoption permitted EU endorsement status: Endorsement expected in the 3 rd quarter of 2014		

IAS 19 Employee Benefits

15. Amendments to **IAS 19**

Issued:

November 2013

Defined Benefit Plans: Employee Contributions

For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2013/28.

net carrying amounts

The amendment introduces a narrow scope amendments that:

Provides a practical expedient to certain contributions from employees or third parties to a defined benefit plan, but only those contributions that are independent of the number of years of service

net carrying amount (e.g. proportionately to the change in the [net] carrying value, or with reference to observable market data). Accumulated depreciation is then adjusted to equal the difference between the gross and

(ii) Accumulated depreciation is eliminated against the gross carrying amount.

Clarify the treatment of contributions from employees or third parties to a defined benefit plan that are not subject to the practical expedient. These are accounted for in the same way that the gross benefit is attributed in accordance with IAS 19.70).

Contributions that are independent of the number of years of service include:

- Contributions that are based on a fixed percentage of salary
- Contributions of a fixed amount throughout the service period
- Contributions that are dependent on the employee's age.

For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2013/25.

the 3rd quarter of 2014

Mandatory adoption for periods beginning on or after 1 July 2014 Early adoption permitted EU endorsement status: Endorsement expected in

the 3rd quarter of 2014

and Financial Liabilities (Amendments to IFRS 7) which is mandatory for periods

beginning on or after 1 January 2013.

For more information see BDO IFRS Alert 2012/03.

IFRS Early IFRSs adoptions for 2013 – Standards and Amendments **Effective Date** IAS 36 Impairment of assets 18. Amendments to Recoverable Amount Disclosures for Non-financial Assets Mandatory adoption for periods **IAS 36** beginning on or after 1 January 2014 The amendments align the disclosures required for the recoverable amount of Early adoption permitted unless Issued: May 2013 an asset (or CGU) when this has been determined on the basis of fair value less costs of disposal with those required where the recoverable amount has been IFRS 13 Fair Value Measurement determined on the basis of value in use, and require an entity to: has not been adopted Disclose the recoverable amount of an asset (or CGU) only in periods in which EU endorsement status: impairment has been recorded or reversed in respect of that asset (or CGU) Endorsement expected in the 4th quarter of 2013 2. Disclose the discount rate when an asset (or CGU) has been impaired (or impairment reversed) where the recoverable amount has been determined based on fair value less costs of disposal using a present value technique 3. To expand and clarify the disclosure requirements when an assets (CGUs) recoverable amount has been determined on the basis of fair value less disposal, including: The level of the fair value hierarchy¹ within which the fair value measurement of the asset (cash-generating unit) is categorised in its entirety (without taking into account whether the 'costs of disposal' are observable) For fair value measurements categorised within Level 2¹ and Level 3¹ of the fair value hierarchy, a description of the valuation technique(s) used to measure fair value less costs of disposal. If there has been a change in valuation technique, the entity is required to disclose that change and the reason(s) for making it For fair value measurements categorised within Level 21 and Level 31 of the fair value hierarchy, each key assumption on which management has based its determination of fair value less costs of disposal. Key assumptions are those to which the asset's (CGU's) recoverable amount is most sensitive The discount rate(s) used in the current measurement and previous measurement if fair value less costs of disposal is measured using a present value technique.

For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2012/14.

measurement categories.

Refer to IFRS 13 Fair Value Measurement for information about the fair value hierarchy including descriptions of the Level 2 and Level 3 fair value

IAS 40 Investment Property

21. Annual
Improvements
(2011 – 2013 Cycle)
Issued:
December 2013

Clarifying the interrelationship of IFRS 3 and IAS 40 when classifying the acquisition of investment property or owner-occupied property

The amendment notes that determining whether the acquisition of an investment property is a business combination requires judgement of the specific requirements of IFRS 3, independently from the requirements of IAS 40, requires judgement in relation to:

- Whether the acquisition of investment property is the acquisition of an asset, a group of assets, or a business combination (by applying the requirements of IFRS 3 only)
- Distinguishing between investment property and owner-occupied property (by applying the requirements of IAS 40 only).

For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2013/29.

Mandatory adoption for periods beginning on or after 1 July 2014 Early adoption permitted EU endorsement status: Endorsement expected in the 3rd quarter of 2014

IFRS	Early IFRSs adoptions for 2013 – Standards and Amendments	Effective Date
IFRIC 21 Levies		
22. New interpretation Issued: May 2013	IFRIC 21 clarifies that the obligating event that gives rise to a liability to pay a levy is the activity that triggers the payment of the levy, as identified by the legislation.	Mandatory adoption for periods beginning on or after 1 January 2014 Early adoption permitted
	A levy is defined as an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits that is imposed by governments on entities in accordance with legislation (i.e. laws and/or regulations), except for:	EU endorsement status: Endorsement expected in the 2 nd quarter of 2014
	a) Outflows of resources within the scope of other IFRSs (e.g. income taxes under IAS 12 <i>Income Taxes</i>)	
	b) Fines or other penalties relating to breaches of the legislation.	
	 The following factors do not create or imply the existence of an obligating event: Preparation of the financial statements under the going concern principle Economic compulsion of the entity. 	
	The recognition of a levy liability occurs progressively so long as the obligating event itself occurs over a period of time.	
	If the levy is subject to a minimum threshold, recognition of a levy liability occurs only at the point the minimum threshold is breached, and not before.	
	For more information see BDO IFR Bulletin 2013/13.	

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