

MAJOR UNITED KINGDOM AIRLINES - APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT

SUMMARY 1996-1999

(£ million)

	1996			1997			1998	
	Total	British Airways (a)	Other UK Airlines	Total	British Airways (a)	Other UK Airlines (b)(c)(d)	Total	British Airways (a)
1 Profit or loss before Taxation	813.5	640.6	172.9	802.5	580.6	222.0	371.3	63.8
2 Taxation	136.9	90.5	46.4	199.8	133.1	66.7	44.5	(12.8)
3 Profit or loss after Taxation	676.6	550.1	126.5	602.8	447.5	155.3	326.8	76.6
4 Exceptional items and prior year adjustments	(2.6)	-	(2.6)	(3.1)	-	(3.1)	0.1	-
5 Transfers from reserves	3.9	3.1	0.8	13.4	13.5	(0.1)	0.5	-
6 Available for appropriation	677.8	553.2	124.6	613.1	461.0	152.1	327.3	76.6
7 Dividends	188.1	154.5	33.6	325.8	176.2	149.6	316.1	190.9
8 Transfers to reserves	489.7	398.7	91.0	287.3	284.7	2.5	11.2	(114.3)

(a) British Airways Plc

(b) KLM uk's (formerly Air UK) financial report covers a 15 month period

(c) Caledonian Airways' financial report covers a 15 month period

(d) Air UK Leisure and Leisure International Airways operated as a single company after October 1997. To enable comparisons with the financial data, traffic statistics for the two companies have been merged.

(e) Airline Management Ltd, ceased operations November 1998

(f) British Midland Airways includes Britis

(g) JMC Airlines financial report covers a