# SIFY TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(In thousands of Rupees, except share, per share data and as stated otherwise)

#### 1. Reporting entity

Sify Technologies Limited, ('Sify' or 'the Company') formerly known as Sify Limited, is a leading internet services provider headquartered in Chennai, India. These Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements as at and for the three months and six months ended September 30, 2012 comprise the Company and its subsidiaries (Sify Software Limited, Sify International Inc, Sify Technologies (Singapore) Pte Limited, Hermit Projects Private Limited and Pace Infocom Park Private Limited) (together referred to as the 'Group' and individually as 'Group entities'). The Group is primarily involved in providing services, such as Network and IT Services Software Services, Online Portal and Content offerings and in selling hardware and software related to such services. Sify is listed on the NASDAQ Global Select market in the United States.

## 2. Basis of preparation

# a. Statement of compliance

The Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements of the Group have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standard (IFRS), *IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting*. They do not include all of the information required for full annual financial statements, and should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements of the Group as at and for the year ended March 31, 2012.

These Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements have been approved for issue by the Board of Directors on December 15, 2012.

## b. Functional and presentation currency

Items included in the financial statements of each Group entity are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates ("the functional currency"). Indian rupee is the functional currency of Sify, its domestic subsidiaries and affiliates. US dollar is the functional currency of Sify's foreign subsidiary located in the US and Singapore.

The Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements are presented in Indian Rupees which is the Group's presentation currency. All financial information presented in Indian Rupees has been rounded up to the nearest thousand except where otherwise indicated.

Convenience translation: Solely for the convenience of the reader, the financial statements as of and for the three months and six months ended September 30, 2012 have been translated into United States dollars (neither the presentation currency nor the functional currency) based on the reference rate in the City of Mumbai on September 30, 2012, for cable transfers in Indian rupees as published by the Reserve Bank of India which was Rs.52.70 per \$1.00. No representation is made that the Indian rupee amounts have been, could have been or could be converted into United States dollar at such a rate or at any other rate on September 30, 2012 or at any other date.

#### c. Use of estimates and judgements

The preparation of these Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses during the period. Accounting estimates could change from period to period. Actual results may differ from these estimates. Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period of change and future periods, if the change affects both and, if material, their effects are disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.

In preparing the Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements, the significant judgements made by management in applying the Group's accounting policies and key sources of estimating uncertainties were the same as that were applied to the consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended March 31, 2012.

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## 3. Significant accounting policies

The accounting policies applied by the Group in these Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements are the same as those applied by the Group in its consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended March 31 2012.

## 4. Recent accounting pronouncements

A number of new standards, amendments to standards and interpretations are not yet effective for the period ended September 30, 2012, and have not been applied in preparing these consolidated financial statements:

- IFRS 9 Financial Instruments: In November 2009, the International Accounting Standards Board issued IFRS 9, Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement, to reduce the complexity of the current rules on financial instruments as mandated in IAS 39. The effective date for IFRS 9 is annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013 with early adoption permitted. IFRS 9 has fewer classification and measurement categories as compared to IAS 39 and has eliminated the categories of held to maturity, available for sale and loans and receivables. Further it eliminates the rule-based requirement of segregating embedded derivatives and tainting rules pertaining to held to maturity investments. For an investment in an equity instrument which is not held for trading, IFRS 9 permits an irrevocable election, on initial recognition, on an individual share-by-share basis, to present all fair value changes from the investment in other comprehensive income. No amount recognized in other comprehensive income would ever be reclassified to profit or loss. IFRS 9, was further amended in October 2010, and such amendment introduced requirements on accounting for financial liabilities. This amendment addresses the issue of volatility in the profit or loss due to changes in the fair value of an entity's own debt. It requires the entity, which chooses to measure a liability at fair value, to present the portion of the fair value change attributable to the entity's own credit risk in the other comprehensive income. The Company is required to adopt IFRS 9 by accounting year commencing April 1, 2013. The Company is currently evaluating the requirements of IFRS 9, and has not yet determined the impact on the consolidated financial statements.
- IFRS 10, Consolidated Financial Statements, IFRS 11, Joint Arrangements and IFRS 12, Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities:

In May 2011, the International Accounting Standards Board issued IFRS 10, IFRS 11 and IFRS 12. The effective date for IFRS 10, IFRS 11 and IFRS 12 is annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013 with early adoption permitted.

IFRS 10 Consolidated Financial Statements builds on existing principles by identifying the concept of control as the determining factor in whether an entity should be included within the consolidated financial statements of the parent Company. IFRS 10 replaces the consolidation requirements in SIC-12 Consolidation of Special Purpose Entities and IAS 27 Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements. The standard provides additional guidance for determining of control in cases of ambiguity for instance in case of franchisor franchisee relationship, de facto agent, silos and potential voting rights.

IFRS 11 Joint Arrangements determines the nature of an arrangement by focusing on the rights and obligations of the arrangement, rather than its legal form. IFRS 11 replaces IAS 31 Interests in Joint Ventures and SIC-13 Jointly-controlled Entities-Non-monetary Contributions by Venturers. IFRS 11 addresses only forms of joint arrangements (joint operations and joint ventures) where there is joint control whereas IAS 31 had identified three forms of joint ventures, namely jointly controlled operations, jointly controlled assets and jointly controlled entities. The standard addresses inconsistencies in the reporting of joint arrangements by requiring a single method to account for interests in jointly controlled entities, which is the equity method.

IFRS 12 Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities is a new and comprehensive standard on disclosure requirements for all forms of interests in other entities, including joint arrangements, associates, special purpose vehicles and other off balance sheet vehicles. One major requirement of IFRS 12 is that an entity needs to disclose the significant judgments and assumptions it has made in determining:

- whether it has control, joint control or significant influence over another entity; and
- the type of joint arrangement when the joint arrangement is structured through a separate vehicle.

IFRS 12 also expands the disclosure requirements for subsidiaries with non-controlling interest, joint arrangements and associates that are individually material. IFRS 12 introduces the term "structured entity" by replacing Special Purpose entities and requires enhanced disclosures by way of nature and extent of, and changes in, the risks associated with its interests in both its consolidated and unconsolidated structured entities.

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The Company is required to adopt IFRS 10, IFRS 11 and IFRS 12 effective April 1, 2013. The Company is currently evaluating the requirements of IFRS 10, IFRS 11 and IFRS 12, and has not yet determined the impact on the consolidated financial statements.

- IFRS 13 Fair Value Measurement: In May 2011, the International Accounting Standards Board issued IFRS 13, Fair Value Measurement to provide specific guidance on fair value measurement and requires enhanced disclosures for all assets and liabilities measured at fair value, and not restricted to financial assets and liabilities. The standard introduces a precise definition of fair value and a consistent measure for fair valuation across assets and liabilities, with a few specified exceptions. The effective date for IFRS 13 is annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013 with early adoption permitted. The Company is required to adopt IFRS 13 by accounting year commencing April1, 2013 and is currently evaluating the requirements of IFRS 13, and has not yet determined the impact on the consolidated financial statements.
- IAS 1 (Amended) Presentation of Financial Statements: In June 2011, the International Accounting Standard Board published amendments to IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements. The amendments to IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements require companies preparing financial statements in accordance with IFRS to Group items within other comprehensive income that may be reclassified to the profit or loss separately from those items which would not be recyclable in the profit or loss section of the income statement. It also requires the tax associated with items presented before tax to be shown separately for each of the two groups of other comprehensive income items (without changing the option to present items of other comprehensive income either before tax or net of tax).

The amendments also reaffirm existing requirements that items in other comprehensive income and profit or loss should be presented as either a single statement or two consecutive statements. This amendment is applicable to annual periods beginning on or after July 1, 2012, with early adoption permitted. The Company is required to adopt IAS 1 (Amended) by accounting year commencing April 1, 2013. The Company has evaluated the requirements of IAS 1 (Amended) and the Company does not believe that the adoption of IAS 1 (Amended) will have a material effect on its consolidated financial statements.

• IAS 19 (Amended) Employee Benefits: In June 2011, International Accounting Standards Board issued IAS 19 (Amended), Employee Benefits. The effective date for adoption of IAS 19(Amended) is annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013, though early adoption is permitted.

IAS 19 (Amended) has eliminated an option to defer the recognition of gains and losses through re-measurements and requires such gain or loss to be recognized through other comprehensive income in the year of occurrence to reduce volatility. The amended standard requires immediate recognition of effects of any plan amendments. Further it also requires assets in profit or loss to be restricted to government bond yields or corporate bond yields, considered for valuation of Projected Benefit Obligation, irrespective of actual portfolio allocations. The actual return from the portfolio in excess of or less than such yields is recognized through other comprehensive income.

These amendments enhance the disclosure requirements for defined benefit plans by requiring information about the characteristics of defined benefit plans and risks that entities are exposed to through participation in those plans.

The amendments need to be adopted retrospectively. The Company is required to adopt IAS 19 (Amended) by accounting year commencing April 1, 2013. The Company is currently evaluating the requirements of IAS 19 (Amended) and has not yet determined the impact on the consolidated financial statements.

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## 5. Property, plant and equipment

The following table presents the changes in property, plant and equipment during the six months ended September 30, 2012

		Co	st			Accumulated d	lepreciation		Carrying amount as
Particulars	As at April 1, 2012	Additions	Disposals	As at September 30, 2012	As at April 1, 2012	Depreciation for the period	Deletions	As at September 30, 2012	at September 30, 2012
Building	777,419			777,419	232,667	13,920		246,587	530,832
Plant and machinery	5,731,924	233,980	10,805	5,955,099	3,788,648	298,007	10,736	4,075,919	1,879,180
Computer equipment	629,605	39,205	_	668,810	510,001	22,612	_	532,613	136,197
Office equipment	237,347	1,215	195	238,367	150,983	10,299	190	161,092	77,275
Furniture and fittings	739,994	5,038	145	744,887	563,931	29,941	127	593,745	151,142
Vehicles	4,747	_	_	4,747	2,647	484	_	3,131	1,616
Total	8,121,036	279,438	11,145	8,389,329	5,248,877	375,263	11,053	5,613,087	2,776,242
Add: Construction -in- Progress									2,054,682
Total	8,121,036	279,438	11,145	8,389,329	5,248,877	375,263	11,053	5,613,087	4,830,924

The following table presents the changes in property, plant and equipment during the year ended March 31, 2012

		Co	st			Accumulated d	epreciation		Carrying amount as
Particulars	As at April 01, 2011	Additions	Disposals	As at March 31, 2012	As at April 1, 2011	Depreciation for the year	Deletions	As at March 31, 2012	at March 31, 2012
Building	777,419			777,419	204,826	27,841		232,667	544,752
Plant and machinery	5,433,359	350,204	51,639	5,731,924	3,335,610	504,532	51,494	3,788,648	1,943,276
Computer equipments	563,776	66,303	474	629,605	478,705	31,711	415	510,001	119,604
Office equipment	234,125	3,304	82	237,347	129,932	21,133	82	150,983	86,364
Furniture and fittings	713,359	27,985	1,350	739,994	503,102	62,034	1,205	563,931	176,063
Vehicles	2,929	2,907	1,089	4,747	2,929	807	1,089	2,647	2,100
Total	7,724,967	450,703	54,634	8,121,036	4,655,104	648,058	54,285	5,248,877	2,872,159
Add: Construction – in – Progress									988,128
Total	7,724,967	450,703	54,634	8,121,036	4,655,104	648,058	54,285	5,248,877	3,860,287

## Leased assets

The Group's leased assets include certain buildings and plant and machinery acquired under finance leases. As at September 30, 2012 the net carrying amount of buildings, vehicles and plant and machinery acquired under finance leases is Rs.229,451 (March 31, 2012: Rs.234,608), Rs.1,616 (March 31, 2012: Rs.2,100) and Rs.258,080 (March 31, 2012: Rs.226,594) respectively. During the six months ended September 30, 2012, the Group acquired leased assets of Rs.59,684 (March 31, 2012: Rs.60,149)

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# **Construction-in-progress**

Amounts paid towards acquisition of property, plant and equipment outstanding at each balance sheet date and the cost of property, plant and equipment that are not ready for use are disclosed under construction-in-progress. As of September 30, 2012, Construction work in progress includes Rs.758,477 (March 31, 2012: 685,027) paid towards acquisition of leasehold land together with the building being constructed thereon belonging to Pace Info Com Park Private Limited by way of acquisition of the entire shareholding of its holding Company M/s Hermit Projects Private Limited.

# 6. Intangible assets

Intangible assets comprise the following:

	As at	As at
	September 30, 2012	March 31, 2012
Goodwill	14,595	14,595
Other Intangibles	623,302	91,132
Total	637,897	105,727

The following table presents the changes in goodwill during the six months ended September 30, 2012 and the year ended March 31, 2012:

## (i) Goodwill

	As at	As at
Particulars	<b>September 30, 2012</b>	March 31, 2012
Balance at the beginning of the period / year	14,595	14,595
Less: Impairment loss		
Net carrying amount of goodwill	14,595	14,595

The amount of goodwill as at September 30, 2012 and March 31, 2012 has been allocated to Software Services Segment.

## (ii) Other Intangibles

The following table presents the changes in other intangible assets for the six months ended September 30, 2012 and year ended March 31, 2012.

	Technical know-how	Customer related intangibles	Software	License fees	Undersea Cable rights	Total
(A) Cost						
Balance as at April 1, 2012	82,753	200,570	438,683	50,000	_	772,006
Other acquisitions			11,493	_	561,883	573,376
Deletions	82,753	200,570	_	_	_	283,323
Balance as at September 30, 2012			450,176	50,000	561,883	1,062,059
(B) Amortization						
Balance as at April 1, 2012	82,753	200,570	384,145	13,406	_	680,874
Amortization for the period	_	_	16,544	1,250	23,412	41,206
Deletions	82,753	200,570	_	_	_	283,323
Balance as at September 30, 2012			400,689	14,656	23,412	438,757
(C) Carrying amount as at September 30, 2012			49,487	35,344	538,471	623,302
(A) Cost						
Balance as at April 1, 2011	82,753	200,570	394,080	50,000	_	727,403
Other acquisitions	_	_	44,603	_	_	44,603
Deletions	_	_	_	_	_	_
Balance as at March 31, 2012	82,753	200,570	438,683	50,000		772,006
(B) Amortization						
Balance as at April 1, 2011	82,753	200,570	343,143	10,906	_	589,077
Amortization for the period	_	_	41,002	2,500	_	46,438
Impairment loss on intangibles		_			_	1,857
Deletions						
Balance as at March 31, 2012	82,753	200,570	384,145	13,406		637,372

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(C) Carrying amount as at March 31, 2012

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#### 7. Investments in associates

In March 2006, MF Global Overseas Limited (MFG), a Group incorporated in United Kingdom acquired 70.15% of equity share capital of MF Global Sify Securities India Private Limited, formerly Man Financial-Sify Securities India Private Limited ('MF Global) from Refco Group Inc., USA ('Refco'). As at March 31, 2012, 29.85% of MF Global equity shares were held by the Company. The remaining 70.15% was owned by MFG, an unrelated third party. MFG is a subsidiary of MF Global Holdings Limited, Bermuda. During the Six months ended September 30, 2012, the Company had disposed off its entire shareholding and rigts therein in MF Global.

A summary of key unaudited financial information of MF Global and its subsidiaries which is not adjusted for the percentage ownership held by the Group is presented below:

## **Balance sheet**

	As at
	March 31, 2012
Total assets	3,506,913
Total liabilities	1,052,325
Shareholders' equity	2,454,588
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	3,506,913

## **Statement of Operations**

	Three months ended	Half year ended
	<b>September 30, 2011</b>	September 30, 2011
Revenues	402,264	777,093
Net Profit	62,548	114,717

On October 31, 2011, MF Global Holding Limited, USA, sought bankruptcy protection through a chapter 11 filing in the U.S. Bankruptcy Court in New York. Consequent to this, MFG also filed for bankruptcy proceedings in the United Kingdom and 3 individual administrators were appointed as Joint administrators (the "Joint administrators") for MFG which holds the shares in the Joint Venture Company.

The Company was informed by the Joint Administrators that they were in the process of seeking bids for the stakes held by MFG in the Joint Venture Company. The Company believes that the auction process is in violation of the share holders' agreement entered between MFG and the Company.

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Hence, the Company filed a petition under section 9 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act 1996 in Bombay High Court, seeking interim relief by restraining the Joint Administrators and MFG from proceeding with the proposed auction in respect of the sale of shares held by MFG in the Joint Venture Company in violation of share holders agreement dated November 25, 2005. A hearing on the petition was held on December 16, 2011. The Hon'ble High Court granted an ad-interim injunction restraining MFG Overseas Limited through its Joint Administrators from disposing off its shares in MF Global in violation of the Shareholder Agreement. The petition was adjourned for further proceedings. In parallel, the Company without prejudice to its legal rights under the petition was in discussion with the Joint Administrators of MFG for an early amicable settlement in this regard.

On March 23, 2012, the Board of Directors of the Company, approved to realize the value of the investment by sale to prospective buyers.

On March 27, 2012, the Company entered into an agreement relating to sale and purchase of shares in MF Global Sify Securities India Private Limited by and among Sify, MF Global Sify Securities Pvt Ltd., MF Global Overseas Limited, the joint administrators of MF Global Overseas and entities affiliated with the Phillip Capital Group, whereby the Company agreed to sell its entire 29.85% interest in MF Global to Phillip Capital Group.

The consummation of the transaction was subject to certain closing conditions, including regulatory and statutory approvals from the Government of India and the stock exchanges in India.

Additionally, in connection with the execution of the Agreement, on March 27, 2012, the Company, MF Global Sify Securities Private Limited, MF Global Overseas Limited and the Joint Administrators entered into a settlement and release agreement pursuant to which the Company and MF Global Overseas Limited agreed to settle, effective upon the closing of the transactions contemplated by the Agreement, their pending dispute in the Bombay High Court, India regarding certain matters, including the termination of shareholders agreement governing their respective interests in MF Global.

Hence, effective March 23, 2012, the above investment was classified as held for sale and measured accordingly as per IFRS 5. The above investment does not form part of any of the operating segments of the Company.

On August 2, 2012, in pursuance of the Agreement dated March 27, 2012 and after obtaining all the statutory and regulatory approvals, the Company completed the sale of its entire stake and the rights therein in MF Global for a cash consideration of Rs.1,390,200 (USD 25 million) to Phillip Capital Group, Singapore and MF Global Management Employees Trust, India. Consequently, with effect from such date, MF Global ceased to be an associate of the Company. Further, as per the settlement and release agreement, the Company has withdrawn the arbitration proceedings filed against MFG and others in the Bombay High court, India and any other existing disputes also stands resolved. Consequently, no financial adjustments would arise in the Consolidated financial statements of the Company on account of disputes relating to cross charges.

## 8. Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents as at September 30, 2012 amounted to Rs.849,522 (Rs.742,235 as at March 31, 2012). This excludes cash-restricted of Rs.57,537 as at September 30, 2012 (Rs.150,533 as at March 31, 2012) representing deposits held under lien against working capital facilities availed and bank guarantees given by the Group towards future performance obligations.

	As at September 30, 2012	As at March 31, 2012	As at September 30, 2011	As at March 31, 2011
(a) Restricted cash				
Non-current				
Against future performance obligation	_	_	_	_
Current				
Bank deposits held under lien against borrowings from				
banks	57,537	150,533	89,448	84,538
Total restricted cash	57,537	150,533	89,448	84,538
(b) Non restricted cash				
Current				
Cash and bank balances	849,522	742,235	458,437	458,559
Total cash (a+b)	907,059	892,768	547,886	543,097
Bank overdraft used for cash management purposes	(469,789)	(798,180)	(220,738)	(678,901)
Cash and cash equivalents for the statement of cash				
flows	437,270	94,588	(327,147)	(135,804)

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# 9. Lease prepayments

	As at	As at
	<b>September 30, 2012</b>	March 31, 2012
Towards land and buildings*	359,192	364,190
	359,192	364,190

<sup>\*</sup> Includes Rs.303,739 (March 31, 2012: Rs.306,199) paid for acquiring leasehold rights of land for construction of Data Center in Noida, India. The prepayments towards land is amortised over the period of the lease on a straight line basis. In respect of buildings under operating lease, prepayments are amortised over the lease term on a straight line basis.

## 10. Trade and other receivables

Trade and other receivables comprise:

	As at September 30, 2012	As at March 31, 2012
(i) Trade receivables, net	2,938,474	2,411,946
(ii) Other receivables including deposits	858,144	851,335
(iii) Construction Contract in Progress	166,633	71,942
	3,963,251	3,335,223

Trade receivable as at September 30, 2012 and March 31, 2012 are stated net of allowance for doubtful receivables. The Group maintains an allowance for doubtful receivables based on its age and collectability. Trade receivables are not collateralised except to the extent of refundable deposits received from cybercafé franchisees and from cable television operators. Trade receivables consist of:

Trade receivables from related parties	As at September 30, 2012	As at March 31, 2012
Due from customers	3,140,378	2,605,188
	3,140,378	2,605,188
Less: Allowance for doubtful receivables	(201,904)	(193,242)
Balance at the end of the period	2,938,474	2,411,946
	Half year ended September 30, 2012	For the year ended March 31, 2012
The activity in the allowance for doubtful accounts receivable is given below:		
Balance at the beginning of the period	193,242	216,008
Add: Additional provision	35,646	95,405
Less: Bad debts written off	(26,984)	(118,171)
Balance at the end of the period	201,904	193,242

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# 11. Employee benefits

	As at	As at
	<b>September 30, 2012</b>	March 31, 2012
Gratuity payable	27,466	19,515
Compensated absences	33,048	30,551
	60,514	50,066

# **Gratuity cost**

The components of gratuity cost recognized in the income statement for the three months and six months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011 consists of the following:

	Three months ended September 30, 2012	Three months ended September 30, 2011	Half year ended September 30, 2012	Half year ended September 30, 2011
Service cost	3,975	3,973	7,950	7,946
Interest cost	1,266	1,141	2,593	2,319
Expected returns on plan assets	(787)	(758)	(1,632)	(1,553)
Net gratuity costs recognized in statement of income	4,454	4,356	<u>8,911</u>	<u>8,712</u>

Details of employee benefit obligations and plan assets are as follows:

	<b>September 30, 2012</b>	March 31, 2012
Present value of projected benefit obligation at the end of the		
period / year	67,598	62,610
Funded status of the plans	(40,131)	(43,095)
Liability recognized in the statement of financial position	27,467	19,515

The following table set out the status of the gratuity plan:

	<b>September 30, 2012</b>	March 31, 2012
Change in projected benefit obligation		
Projected benefit obligation at the beginning of the period		
/ year	62,610	59,571
Service cost	7,950	15,892
Interest cost	2,593	4,449
Actuarial (gain)/ loss	(4,596)	(9,372)
Benefits paid	(959)	(7,930)
Projected benefit obligation at the end of the period /		
year	67,598	62,610
	September 30, 2012	March 31, 2012
Change in plan assets		
Fair value of plan assets at the beginning of the period /		
year	43,095	40,455
Expected return on plan assets	1,632	3,214
Employer contributions	_	7,356
Benefits paid	(4,596)	(7,930)
Fair value of plan assets at the end of the period / year	40,131	43,095

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#### Actuarial Assumptions at reporting date:

	As at	As at	
	September 30, 2012	March 31, 2012	
Discount rate	8.20%	8.60% p.a	
Long-term rate of compensation increase	8.00%	8.00% p.a	
Rate of return on plan assets	8.00%	8.00% p.a	

The Group assesses these assumptions with the projected long-term plans of growth and prevalent industry standards.

## Actuarial gains and losses recognised in other comprehensive income

The amount of actuarial gains and losses recognized directly in other comprehensive income for the six months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011 are as follows:

	Half year ended	Half year ended
	September 30, 2012	September 30, 2011
Actuarial gain / (loss)	959	8,045
	959	8,045

## 12. Borrowings

	<b>September 30, 2012</b>	March 31, 2012
Current		
Term loans from banks (Refer note 1 below)	15,833	110,000
Other working capital facilities from banks (Refer note 2		
below)	223,962	265,906
Loan from other financial institutions (Refer note 3 below)	279,757	167,125
	519,552	543,031
Non current		
Term loans from banks (Refer note 1 below)	364,167	_
Loan from other financial institutions (Refer note 3 below)	140,677	186,312
	504,844	186,312

## **Notes:**

- 1. Term bank loans bear interest ranging from 15.50% to 16.50% p.a. The term loans are secured by way of pari-passu first charge over the unencumbered movable fixed assets acquired out of such term loans availed by the Company. Further these loans are collaterally secured by way of equitable mortgage over the office premises and also by way of pari passu second charge on the entire current assets of the Company.
- 2. Working capital facilities include Letter of credit discounted, buyer's credit and foreign currency demand loan. These are secured by pari-passu charge on current assets of the Company and moveable assets of the Company, both present and future. Further, these facilities are additionally secured by equitable mortgage over the land and building owned by M/s Pace Info Com Park Private Limited, subsidiary Company and also by guaranteed by M/s Pace Info Com Park Private Limited. Foreign currency demand loan bear an interest of Libor +650 bps. Other working capital borrowings bear interest ranging from 13.50% to 16.50% p.a. Such facilities are renewable every year.
- 3. Borrowings from others are secured against relevant assets and software. These loans carry an interest rate ranging from 12% p.a to 15% p.a.

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#### 13. Revenue

	Quarte	r ended	Half year ended		
	September 30,	September 30,	September 30,	September 30,	
	2012	2011	2012	2011	
Rendering of services					
Service revenue	1,754,372	1,419,432	3,451,378	2,784,926	
Initial franchisee fees	682	1,644	1,458	4,326	
Installation service revenue	215,802	310,151	409,580	591,050	
	1,970,856	1,731,227	3,862,416	3,380,302	
Sale of products	88,143	84,203	169,325	435,329	
Total	2,058,999	1,815,430	4,031,741	4,074,471	

## 14. Cost of goods sold and services rendered

Cost of goods sold and services rendered information is presented before any depreciation or amortization that is direct and attributable to revenue sources. The Group's asset base deployed in the business is not easily split into a component that is directly attributable to a business and a component that is common / indirect to all the businesses. Since a gross profit number without depreciation and amortization does not necessarily meet the objective of such a disclosure, the Group has not disclosed gross profit numbers but disclosed all expenses, direct and indirect, in a homogenous Group leading directly from revenue to operating margin.

# 15. Personnel expenses

	Quarter ended		Half year ended	
	September 30, 2012	September 30, 2011	September 30, 2012	September 30, 2011
Salaries and wages	361,851	334,928	708,195	648,886
Contribution to provident fund and other funds	13,593	14,789	39,604	28,940
Staff welfare expenses	10,560	3,415	14,572	7,885
Employee Stock compensation expense	439	1,484	1,692	2,703
	386,443	354,616	764,063	688,414
Attributable to Cost of goods sold and services				
rendered	223,286	227,888	451,174	451,174
Attributable to selling, general and administrative expenses	163,157	126,728	312,889	237,240

## 16. Net finance income and expense

	Quarter ended		Half year ended	
	September 30, 2012	September 30, 2011	September 30, 2012	September 30, 2011
Interest income on bank deposits	10,321	4,100	14,577	5,795
Others	26,709	888	28,399	1,732
Finance income	37,030	4,988	42,976	7,527
Interest expense on financial liabilities leases	8,062	6,828	12,534	12,455
Bank charges	14,292	37,047	22,894	73,506
Other interest	31,993	33,486	81,757	59,865
Finance expense	54,347	77,361	117,185	145,826
Net finance income / (expense) recognised in profit or loss	(17,317)	(72,373)	(74,209)	(138,299)

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## 17. Earnings per share

The calculation of basic earnings per share for the quarter and half year ended September 30, 2012 and 2011 is based on the profit / (loss) attributable to ordinary shareholders.

	Quarter ended		Half year ended	
	September 30,	September 30,	September 30,	September 30,
	2012	2011	2012	2011
Net profit / (loss) – as reported	600,584	(88,410)	524,339	(198,636)
Weighted average number of shares – Basic	131,638,589	95,906,307	133,638,589	90,302,450
Basic earnings /(loss) per share	4.56	(0.92)	3.93	(2.20)
Weighted average number of shares – Diluted	131,651,387	95,906,307	133,651,387	90,302,450
Diluted earnings /(loss) per share	4.56	(0.92)	3.93	(2.20)

Note 1:During the year ended March 31, 2011, 125,000,000 ordinary shares were issued to the existing promoter group on a private placement basis. As of September 30, 2012, these shares were partly paid up to the extent of Rs.6.25 per share.

## 18. Segment reporting

There has been change in the composition of reportable segments for the six months ended September 30, 2012 as compared to the year ended March 31, 2012.

Effective April 1, 2012, the primary operating segments of the Group are as below:

Enterprise Service: This segment includes Network Services and IT services. Connectivity, Broadband-to-home services, SOHO-SMB and cybercafés and voice services will be offered as Network Services, while Data Center Hosting and Managed Services, along with System Integration, will comprise IT services. This segment would service both domestic and International clients from large corporate and mid-market customers.

*Software Service:* The online portals, application services and e-learning form Software services. This business line will offer applications through the Cloud, primarily targeted at enterprise and international customers.

#### Enterprise Services

Enterprise services revenue primarily includes Network services and IT services. Network Services include revenues from connectivity services such as recurring revenues, installation of the connectivity link, and, to a lesser extent, revenue from sale of hardware and software purchased from third party vendors and Voice services viz., NLD (National Long Distance) and ILD (International Long Distance) services carrying voice traffic for carriers. Connectivity services include IP VPN services, Internet connectivity, and last mile connectivity (predominantly through wireless).

Internet access service revenues are generated from providing internet connectivity to our retail customers through public access and home access services which are primarily provided through broadband connectivity in arrangement with Cable Television Operators (CTOs). Our public access services with host of value added services are provided through franchised and Company-owned cybercafés, or "e-ports". Additionally, we generate revenue by providing Internet Telephony services, allowing customers to make international telephone calls over the Internet. We also offer the premium broadband connection, branded Platinum to the SOHO market segment including domain names, e mail Ids, static IP.

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IT Services includes web hosting revenues, primarily generated from co-location services and Managed services including infrastructure management services offered in overseas markets and System Integration services, security and consulting services. Sify, part of international offering, offers Network management services, Data center services, Security and information assurance services. Sify remotely manages the Information Technology infrastructure of global enterprises from India.

## Software services

Our software services offer Application management services and e Learning services. As part of Application management services we offer online assessment, Document management services, web development and mailing solutions. e-learning services consists of structuring of contents, developing modules, delivery and training users in the modules developed. As these activities represents development of customised services, revenue is recognised based on percentage of completion method.

Online portal services and content offerings revenues include advertising revenues from the various channels of our Internet portal, www.sify.com. We enter into contracts with customers to serve advertisements in the portal, and we are paid on the basis of impressions, click-through or leads.

## Quarter ended September 30, 2012

	Enterprise Services	Software Services	Total
Segment revenue	1,881,352	177,647	2,058,999
Allocated segment expenses	(1,524,844)	(193,850)	(1,718,694)
Segment operating income / (loss)	356,508	(16,203)	340,305
Unallocated expenses			
Selling, general and administrative expenses			(188,945)
Depreciation and amortization			(207,928)
Other income / (expense), net			16,891
Finance income			37,030
Finance expenses			(54,347)
Profit from sale of shares in Associate and rights therein			657,578
Profit or (Loss) before Tax			600,584
Income tax(expense)/benefit			
Profit/(loss) for the quarter			600,584

## Quarter ended September 30, 2011 (As adjusted)

Segment revenue Allocated segment expenses	Enterprise Services 1,612,894 (1,356,506)	Software Services 202,536 (187,572)	Total 1,815,430 (1,544,078)
Segment operating income / (loss)	256,388	14,964	271,352
Unallocated expenses Selling, general and administrative expenses Depreciation and amortization Other income / (expense), net Finance income Finance expenses Share of profit of equity accounted investee			(134,331) (171,945) 216 4,988 (77,361) 18,671
Profit or (Loss) before Tax			(88,410)
Income tax(expense)/benefit			
Profit/(loss) for the quarter			(88,410)

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# Six months ended September 30, 2012

	Enterprise Services	Software Services	Total
Segment revenue	3,696,402	335,339	4,031,741
Allocated segment expenses	(3,010,264)	(371,681)	(3,381,945)
Segment operating income / (loss)	686,138	(36,342)	649,796
Unallocated expenses			
Selling, general and administrative expenses			(313,279)
Depreciation and amortization			(416,469)
Other income / (expense), net			20,922
Finance income			42,976
Finance expenses			(117,185)
Profit from sale of shares in Associate and rights therein			657,578
Profit or (Loss) before Tax			524,339
Income tax(expense)/benefit			
Profit/(loss) for the quarter			524,339

# Six months ended September 30, 2011 (As adjusted)

	Enterprise Services	Software Services	Total
Segment revenue	3,688,150	386,321	4,074,471
Allocated segment expenses	(3,208,455)	(366,847)	(3,575,302)
Segment operating income / (loss)	479,695	19,474	499,169
Unallocated expenses		·	
Selling, general and administrative expenses			(252,935)
Depreciation and amortization			(342,454)
Other income / (expense), net			1,640
Finance income			7,527
Finance expenses			(145,826)
Share of profit of equity accounted investee			34,243
Profit or (Loss) before Tax			(198,636)
Income tax(expense)/benefit			
Profit/(loss) for the six months period			(198,636)

As the revenue with a single external customer during the six months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011 did not exceed 10% of the Company's revenue for the respective periods, the disclosure regarding the revenue from major customers and identity and segment generating such revenue is not provided.

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The reclassification of operating segments as disclosed above did not have any effect on the reported consolidated operating income, profit before income taxes, net income or per share amounts. The following table provides the amounts reclassified for all prior periods.

## **Revenue reclassifications**

# For the quarter ended September 30, 2011

		Commercial and		
Previous operating segments	Enterprise Services	Consumer Services	Software Services	Total
As previously reported	1,544,353	95,246	175,831	1,815,430
Revenue from retail services	68,541	(68,541)	_	_
Revenue from online portals	<del>-</del>	(26,705)	26,705	_
Revised operating segments	1,612,894	_	202,536	1,815,430
	Enterprise services		Software services	

# For the six months ended September 30, 2011

		Commercial and		
Previous operating segments	<b>Enterprise Services</b>	Consumer Services	Software Services	Total
As previously reported	3,547,337	195,465	331,669	4,074,471
Revenue from retail services	140,813	(140,813)	_	_
Revenue from online portals		(54,652)	54,652	_
Revised Revenue	3,688,150	_	386,321	4,074,471
Revised operating segments	<b>Enterprise services</b>		Software services	

## Operating and unallocated cost reclassifications:

# For the quarter ended September 30, 2011

		Commercial		Unallocated
	Enterprise	and Consumer	Software	expense and
Previous operating segments	Services	Services	Services	income
As previously reported	1,232,057	57,338	153,192	461,253
Operating costs of Retail Services	31,716	(31,716)	_	_
Operating costs of online portals	_	(25,622)	25,622	_
Operating expenses of Technology	92,733	_	8,758	(101,491)
Revised operating segments	1,356,506	_	187,572	359,762
	Enterprise		Software	
	services		services	

# For the six months ended September 30, 2011

	Commercial			Unallocated
	Enterprise	and Consumer	Software	expense and
Previous operating segments	Services	Services	Services	income
As previously reported	2,956,093	120,812	296,185	900,017
Operating costs of Retail Services	64,808	(64,808)	_	_
Operating costs of online portals	<del></del>	(56,004)	56,004	_
Operating expenses of Technology	187,554	_	14,658	(202,212)
Revised operating segments	3,208,455		366,847	697,805

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## 19. Capital Commitments

Contracts pending to be executed on capital account as at September 30, 2012 and not provided for amounted to Rs.337,766 (net of advances Rs.2,073,024), [March 31, 2012 Rs.717,266 (net of advances Rs.493,774).

*Operating leases:* The Group leases office buildings and other equipments under operating lease arrangements that are renewable on a periodic basis at the option of both the lessor and the lessee. The schedule of future minimum rental payments in respect of operating leases is set out below:

		Less than		More than
Non-cancellable operating lease obligations	Total	1 year	1-5 years	5 years
As at September 30, 2012	1,724,332	110,384	489,865	1,124,083
As at March 31, 2012	1,778,901	109,762	479,262	1,189,877

## 20. Legal proceedings

(a) The Group and certain of its officers and directors are named as defendants in a securities class action lawsuit filed in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York. This action, which is captioned In re Satyam Infoway Ltd. Initial Public Offering Securities Litigation, also names several of the underwriters involved in Sify's initial public offering of American Depositary Shares as defendants. This class action is brought on behalf of a purported class of purchasers of Sify's ADSs from the time of Sify's Initial Public Offering ("IPO") in October 1999 through December 2000. The central allegation in this action is that the underwriters in Sify's IPO solicited and received undisclosed commissions from, and entered into undisclosed arrangements with, certain investors who purchased Sify's ADSs in the IPO and the aftermarket. The complaint also alleges that Sify violated the United States Federal Securities laws by failing to disclose in the IPO prospectus that the underwriters had engaged in these allegedly undisclosed arrangements. More than 300 issuers have been named in similar lawsuits.

On April 2, 2009, the parties lodged with the Court a motion for preliminary approval of a proposed settlement between all parties, including the Company and its former officers and directors. The proposed settlement provides the plaintiffs with \$586 million in recoveries from all defendants. Under the proposed settlement, the Issuer Defendants collectively would be responsible for \$100 million, which would be paid by the Issuers' insurers, on behalf of the Issuer Defendants and their officers and directors.

Accordingly, any direct financial impact of the proposed settlement is expected to be borne by the Sify's insurers. On June 12, 2009, the Federal District Court granted preliminary approval of the proposed settlement. On October 6, 2009, the District Court issued an order granting final approval of the settlement. Subsequent to the final approval of Settlement agreement by the District court, there were several notices of appeal filed. Most were filed by the same parties that objected to the settlement in front of the District Court. These appeals were consolidated into a single appeal and briefing schedule was held. On January 9, 2012 the class counsel and objectors counsel entered into a settlement agreement, which agreement includes an agreement to dismiss the above appeal. Thus the above Appeal has been dismissed with prejudice confirming the Settlement agreement entered before the District Court.

The Company believes, the maximum exposure under this settlement is approximately USD 338,983, an amount which its insurer will pay as per the Settlement agreement on behalf of the Company.

- (b) Proceedings before Department of Telecommunications
  - (i) License fees
    - On October 12, 2009 (as later clarified by the DoT), the Department of Telecommunications ('DOT') raised a demand on Sify Technologies for INR 14 million after correcting the arithmetical error in the Assessment letter.
    - On February 26, 2010 DOT raised a demand on Sify Communications (erstwhile subsidiary merged with Sify Technologies Limited) for INR 26 million.

The above demands were made by the DoT on the premise that all amounts of income (whether direct or indirect) including certain items like other income, interest on deposits, gain on foreign exchange fluctuation, profit on sale of assets & provision written back, that have got anything to do with telecom operations of the Company or arise in connection with the Telecom business of the Company, are to be considered as income for the purpose of calculation of the license fee. The Company has replied suitably on the above demand notice.

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Various service providers approached Telecom Disputes Settlement & Appellate Tribunal ('TDSAT') to clarify what items of income should be included in the calculation of license fee and what items of income should not be included in such calculation. TDSAT by its order clarified on the above. The TDSAT order was challenged by DoT in Surpreme Court of India and the Supreme Court has set aside the TDSAT order. The service providers through their associations have filed a review petition in Supreme Court of India against the order. Sify believes that the above demands are not tenable under law nor fit into the definition of Adjusted Gross Revenue as defined by DoT. The Company believes it has adequate defenses for these demands and are awaiting the outcome of the review petition.

(ii) In November 2009, the Company received a demand notice pertaining to the allocation of spectrum in the 3.3-3.4 GHz frequency, from DoT, demanding INR 345 million (US \$ 7.05 million) towards spectrum charges payable from the date of issue of allocation letter for 170 Base Stations. As per the notice, in case no payment is received within 15 days from the date of issue of the notice, then it would be presumed that the Company is no longer interested for the frequency assignments in 3.3-3.4 GHz band.

Whilst the Company received allotment letter for Spectrum in 3.3 GHz band (3303.5/3353.5 MHz) (Total 12 MHz) the Company had neither started any operations in this frequency band nor had applied for any Operating License from DOT/ Wireless Planning Commission (WPC). Sify believes that the obligation to make payment will arise only after obtaining the operating license from DOT/WPC. Sify also believes that it has adequate legal defences for these demands, as the Company has not yet obtained any operative license, hence such demand is not tenable Nevertheless, the Company has as a commitment to hold and use the spectrum in the above band has paid INR 11.56 million towards 40 Base Stations and has surrendered the remaining 130 Base Stations. The Company believes that the ultimate outcome of these actions will not have a material adverse effect.

c) The Group is party to additional legal actions arising in the ordinary course of business. Based on the available information, as at September 30, 2012, Group believes that it has adequate legal defences for these actions and that the ultimate outcome of these actions will not have a material adverse effect. However in the event of adverse judgement in all these cases, the maximum financial exposure would be Rs.10,629 (March 31, 2012: Rs 12,904)

# 21. Related party transactions

The following is a summary of significant transactions with related parties during the six months ended September 30, 2012 and September 30, 2011:

	Six months ended	Six months ended
Transactions	<b>September 30, 2012</b>	<b>September 30, 2011</b>
Consultancy services received	120	120
Share capital and share premium money received from		
promoter group	_	100,000
Lease deposit paid[(Refer note (1) below]	_	2,558
Lease rentals paid (Refer notes below)	2,166	1,536
Amount of outstanding balances		
Advance lease rentals and refundable deposits made		
(Refer note below)	2,558	2,558

## **Notes:**

- 1. The Company has entered has into a lease agreement with Ms Radhika Vegesna, Daughter of Mr Ananda Raju Vegesna, Executive Director of the Company, to lease the premises owned by her for a period of three years effective June 1, 2010 on a rent of Rs.256 per month and payment of refundable security deposit of Rs.2,558. This arrangement will be automatically renewed for a further period of two blocks of three years with all the terms remaining unchanged.
- 2. The Company had entered into a lease agreement with M/s Raju Vegesna Infotech and Industries Private Limited, the holding Company, to lease the premises owned by it for a period of three years effective February 1, 2012 on a rent of Rs.75 per month.
- 3. The Company had entered into a lease agreement with M/s Raju Vegesna Developers Private Limited, a Company in which Mr.Ananda Raju Vegesna, Executive Director of the Company and Mr Raju Vegesna, Chairman of the Company exercise significant influence, to lease the premises owned by it for a period of three years effective February 1, 2012 on a rent of Rs.30 per month.

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#### 22. Financial risk management

The Group's financial risk management objectives and policies are consistent with that disclosed in the consolidated financial statements as of and for the year ended March 31, 2012.

**Credit risk**: Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Group if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations and arises principally from the Group's trade receivables, treasury operations and other activities that are in the nature of leases

#### Trade and other receivables

The Group's exposure to credit risk is influenced mainly by the individual characteristics of each customer. Management considers that the demographics of the Group's customer base, including the default risk of the industry and country in which customers operate, has less of an influence on credit risk. The Group is not exposed to concentration of credit risk to any one single customer since the services are provided to and products are sold to customers who are spread over a vast spectrum. Credit risk is managed through credit approvals, establishing credit limits and continuously monitoring the credit worthiness of the customers to which the Company grants credit terms in the normal course of the business.

## Cash and cash equivalents and other investments

In the area of treasury operations, the Group is presently exposed to counter-party risks relating to short term and medium term deposits placed with public-sector banks, and also to investments made in mutual funds.

#### Guarantees

The Group's policy is to provide financial guarantees only to subsidiaries and Companies within the Group.

The Chief Financial Officer is responsible for monitoring the counterparty credit risk, and has been vested with the authority to seek Board's approval to hedge such risks in case of need.

Liquidity risk: Liquidity risk is the risk that the Group will encounter difficulty in meeting the obligations associated with its financial liabilities that are settled by delivering cash or another financial asset. The Group's approach to managing liquidity is to ensure, as far as possible, that it will always have sufficient liquidity to meet its liabilities when due, under normal and stressed conditions, without incurring unacceptable losses or risking damage to the Group's reputation. Typically the Group ensures that it has sufficient cash on demand to meet expected operational expenses, servicing of financial obligations. In addition, the Group has concluded arrangements with well reputed Banks, and has unused lines of credit that could be drawn upon should there be a need. The Company is also in the process of infusing further capital from its promoter group for funding its requirements.

Market risk: Market risk is the risk of loss of future earnings or fair values or future cash flows that may result from a change in the price of a financial instrument. The value of a financial instrument may change as a result of changes in the interest rates, foreign exchange rates and other market changes that affect market risk sensitive instruments. Market risk is attributable to all market risk sensitive financial instruments including foreign currency receivables and payables. The Group is exposed to market risk primarily related to foreign exchange rate risk (currency risk), interest rate risk and the market value of its investments. Thus the Group's exposure to market risk is a function of investing and borrowing activities and revenue generating and operating activities in foreign currencies.

*Currency risk*: The Group's exposure in USD, Euro and other foreign currency denominated transactions gives rise to Exchange Rate fluctuation risk. Group's policy in this regard incorporates:

- · Forecasting inflows and outflows denominated in US\$ for a twelve-month period
- Estimating the net-exposure in foreign currency, in terms of timing and amount
- Determining the extent to which exposure should be protected through one or more risk-mitigating instruments to maintain the
  permissible limits of uncovered exposures.
- Carrying out a variance analysis between estimate and actual on an ongoing basis, and taking stop-loss action when the adverse
  movements breaches the 5% barrier of deviation, subject to review by Audit Committee.

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# 23. Group entities

The following are the entities that comprise the Group as of September 30, 2012 and March 31, 2012:

Particulars	Country	% of Ownersh	ip interest
Significant subsidiaries	of incorporation	September 30, 2012	March 31, 2012
Sify International Inc [Note (a) below]	US	_	100
Sify Software Limited (formerly known as Sify			
Networks Private Limited)	India	100	100
Sify Technologies Singapore Pte. Ltd	Singapore	100	100
Hermit Projects Private Limited	India	100	100
Pace Info Com Park Private Limited	India	100	100
Associates			
MF Global-Sify Securities India Private Limited			
(Refer Note 7 to Unaudited Condensed			
Consolidated Interim Financial Statements)	India	_	29.85

Note 1: Sify International Inc filed a Certificate of Dissolution with Secretary of the State, State of California, USA for winding up and was wound up during the six months ended September 30, 2012.

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