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A- Financial Statements

(A free translation from the original in Portuguese, accounting practices adopted in Brazil)

1- Balance Sheet

Years ended December, 31				In million	s of Reais
		Consoli	idated	Parent C	omnany
	Notes	2009	2008	2009	2008
Assets					
Current assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	6.4	13,221	24,639	1,250	6,713
Short term investments	6.5	6,525	5,394		
Accounts receivable from customers	6.6	5,643	7,933	3,360	9,827
Related parties	6.7	144	28	4,360	2,232
Inventories	6.8	5,913	9,686	1,881	2,913
Deferred income tax and social contribution	6.10	1,492	1,305	1,219	1,220
Taxes to recover or offset	6.9	2,685	4,886	1,881	3,312
Derivatives at fair value	6.26	183			
Advances for suppliers		872	946	751	813
Others		1,580	1,242	155	186
		38,258	56,059	14,857	27,216
Non-current assets					
Related parties	6.7	64		1,842	3,398
Loans and financing		286	180	136	128
Prepaid expenses		295	632		
Judicial deposits		2,478	1,794	1,370	1,299
Advances to energy suppliers		889	953		
Deferred income tax and social contribution	6.10			747	640
Taxes to recover or offset	6.9	1,540	1,067	158	189
Derivatives at fair value	6.26	1,506	85	1,098	5
Others		546	414	358	245
		7,604	5,125	5,709	5,904
Investments	6.11	4,590	2,442	87,711	91,543
Intangibles	6.12	10,127	10,727	7,852	8,386
Property, plant and equipment	6.14	115,160	110,494	43,628	38,711
		129,877	123,663	139,191	138,640
		175,739	184,847	159,757	171,760
Liabilities, and stockholders equity Current liabilities					
Payable to suppliers and contractors		3,849	5,248	2,383	2,145
Payroll and related charges		3,849 1,556	1,428	1,010	2,143 881
Current portion of long-term debt	6 15	•			711
Current portion of long-term debt	6.15	5,305	1,583	2,053	/11

Short-term debt	6.15	646	1,088		
Related parties	6.7	33	162	7,343	9,578
Taxes, contributions and royalties		256	188	97	56
Provision for income tax		366	1,423		
Pension Plan		243	239	111	86
Ferrovia Norte Sul subconcession		496	934		
Derivatives at fair value	6.26	264			
Provision for asset retirement obligations	6.17	157	113	122	44
Dividends and interest on stockholders equity	6.24	2,907	4,834	2,907	4,834
Others		1,338	1,399	466	400
		17,416	18,639	16,492	18,735
Non-current liabilities					
Pension Plan		3,334	3,563	440	523
Long-term debt	6.15	36,126	42,694	12,072	11,602
Related parties	6.7	103	125	28,111	38,011
Provisions for contingencies	6.16	3,571	2,989	1,667	1,730
Deferred income tax and social contribution	6.10	7,673	7,105	1,320	
Derivatives at fair value	6.26	40	1,345		1,084
Provision for asset retirement obligations	6.17	1,844	1,997	724	848
Debêntures		1,308	886	1,308	886
Others		2,779	3,148	1,886	2,066
		56,778	63,852	47,528	56,750
Minority interest		5,808	6,081		
Stockholders equity					
Paid-up capital	6.20	47,434	47,434	47,434	47,434
Cost with capital increase		(161)	(161)	(161)	(161)
Resources linked to the future mandatory conversion		. ,		. ,	, ,
in shares	6.21	4,587	3,064	4,587	3,064
Equity adjustments		(21)	8	(21)	8
Cumulative translation Adjustments		(2,904)	5,982	(2,904)	5,982
Revenue reserves		46,802	39,948	46,802	39,948
		95,737	96,275	95,737	96,275
		175,739	184,847	159,757	171,760

The notes and annex I are an integral part of the financial statements

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2- Statement Of Income

Period ended in

In millions of Reais (except as otherwise stated)

			(Unaudited)	Consolidated	Accumul	atad	Parent Company Accumulated			
	Notes	4Q/09	3Q/09	3Q/08	2009	2008	2009	2008		
Operating	110165	407	30107	20100	2007	2000	2007	2000		
revenues										
Ore and metals		9,633	11,217	14,193	40,478	59,892	24,979	31,645		
Aluminum-related	d									
products		1,108	1,027	1,824	4,217	5,843	483	390		
Transport services	S	726	791	914	2,843	3,666	1,267	2,027		
Steel products		133	136	304	546	1,348				
Other products										
and services		448	412	711	1,728	2,017	556	383		
A 11 187 1		12,048	13,583	17,946	49,812	72,766	27,285	34,445		
Added Value taxes		(367)	(374)	(563)	(1,316)	(2,225)	(855)	(1,545)		
		(0.0.7)	(= 1 1)	(2 2 2)	(-,)	(=,===)	(***)	(-,)		
Net operating revenues		11,681	13,209	17,383	48,496	70,541	26,430	32,900		
Cost of products										
and services										
Ores and metals		(4,952)	(4,950)	(5,890)	(19,498)	(23,804)	(11,877)	(14,006)		
Aluminum-related	d									
products		(1,030)	(1,018)	(1,099)	(4,203)	(3,873)	(559)	(399)		
Transport services	S	(543)	(506)	(568)	(2,040)	(2,215)	(816)	(955)		
Steel products		(129)	(123)	(278)	(510)	(1,177)				
Other products			(= 5.5)	(== 5)		// 00=\	(207)			
and services		(545)	(366)	(276)	(1,469)	(1,087)	(397)	(143)		
		(7,199)	(6,963)	(8,111)	(27,720)	(32,156)	(13,649)	(15,503)		
Gross profit		4,482	6,246	9,272	20,776	38,385	12,781	17,397		
Gross margin		38.4%	47.3%	53.3%	42.8%	54.4%	48.4%	52.9%		
Operating expenses Selling and										
Administrative Research and	6.27	(704)	(577)	(1,716)	(2,369)	(3,618)	(1,244)	(1,412)		
development Impairment	6.13	(522)	(438)	(718) (2,447)	(1,964)	(2,071) (2,447)	(1,314)	(1,233)		
	6.27	(996)	(647)	(1,626)	(3,262)	(2,849)	(927)	(832)		

Other	ope	rating
expens	ses.	net

r		(2.222)	(4.650)	(C =0=)	(7. 70.7)	(40.00 =)	(2.405)	(2.4==)
		(2,222)	(1,662)	(6,507)	(7,595)	(10,985)	(3,485)	(3,477)
Operating profit before financial results and								
equity results		2,260	4,584	2,765	13,181	27,400	9,296	13,920
Equity results Amortization of	6.11	22	30	(59)	116	104	(3,744)	19,036
goodwill	6.12			(351)		(1,429)		(1,429)
		22	30	(410)	116	(1,325)	(3,744)	17,607
Financial results, net Gain (loss) on	6.25	(460)	199	(2,343)	1,952	(3,838)	9,960	(11,706)
disposal of assets	6.27	(330)	128		93	139	284	
Income before income tax and social contribution		1,492	4,941	12	15,342	22,376	15,796	19,821
Income tax and social	6.10	·	,		ŕ	·	ŕ	·
contribution	6.10	1,206	(1,840)	2,465	(4,925)	(665)	(5,547)	1,458
Current Deferred Minority interest		849 357 (69)	(1,397) (443) (98)	2,028 437 (36)	(4,991) 66 (168)	(2,057) 1,392 (432)	(4,813) (734)	12 1,446
Net income for the period		2,629	3,003	2,441	10,249	21,279	10,249	21,279
Number of shares outstanding at the end of the period (in thousands) (a)		5,212,724	5,212,724	5,213,512	5,212,724	5,213,512	5,212,724	5,213,512
Net income per share outstanding at the end of the								
period (R\$)		0.50	0.58	0.47	1.97	4.08	1.97	4.08

⁽a) Includes 77,580,256 and 74,997,899 preferred and common shares, respectively, linked to issue of convertible notes, (see note 6.21).

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3- STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS EQUITY

Periods ended In millions of Reais

Resources linked

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		Paid-upE	xpansion	Profit i Treasultyn			Fiscata		to andator mwersid in	-	umulative anslation		
December 31, 2007	Notes	capitaIn 28,000	vestment 24,284	s stock ir (790)	icome 61	Legal 2,320	ocentivo 91	e C ost		ustn A ed	b ju stment	s arnings	Total 57,030
Net income for the year Treasury stock Cumulative				(1,658)								21,279	21,279 (1,658)
translation Adjustments Unrealized gain on available for sale	e										5,982		5,982
securities Capital increase	6.20	19,434						(161)		8			8 19,273
Additional distribution 2007 Appropriation of net income Interest on			(580)										(580)
stockholders equity paid Stockholder s remuneration	′											(225)	(225)
proposed Apropriation to												(4,834)	(4,834)
profit reserves			15,179		(23)	1,064						(16,220)	
December 31, 2008		47,434	38,883	(2,448)	38	3,384	91	(161)	3,064	8	5,982		96,275
Net income for the year Treasury stock Resources linked to				(22)								10,249	10,249 (22)
mandatory conversion in shares Cumulative translation									1,523				1,523
Adjustments										(29)	(8,886)		(8,886) (29)

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4- Statement of Cash Flows

Period ended						In millions	s of Reais
		C	1.4.1	Parent Company Accumulated			
	4Q/09	(Unaudited) 3Q/09	3Q/08	Accumu 2009	11atea 2008	Accum ²	ulated 2008
Cash flows from operating	40/0/	30107	<i>5</i> Q/00	2007	2000	2007	2000
activities:							
Net income for the period	2,629	3,003	2,441	10,249	21,279	10,249	21,279
Adjustments to reconcile net income							
for the period with cash provided by							
operating activities:							
Results of equity investments	(22)	(30)	410	(116)	1,325	3,744	(17,607)
Disposal of assets	330	(128)		(93)	(139)	(284)	
Depreciation, amortization and	1 440	1 440	1 222	5 4 4 7	5 110	1 021	1 (1 1
depletion Deferred income tax and social	1,449	1,448	1,322	5,447	5,112	1,931	1,641
contribution	(357)	443	(437)	(66)	(1,392)	734	(1,446)
Inflation and exchange rate	(337)	443	(437)	(00)	(1,392)	734	(1,440)
variations on assets and liabilities,							
net	(1,808)	(1,157)	4,050	(6,604)	3,184	(9,980)	11,793
Impairment	(-,)	(-,,)	2,447	(0,001)	2,447	(2,200)	,
Disposal of property, plant and			, .		,		
equipment	177	173	28	653	740	343	579
Net unrealized losses (gains) on							
derivatives	(366)	(611)	1,470	(2,649)	1,832	(2,140)	1,475
Minority interest	69	98	36	168	432		
Dividends/interest on stockholders							
equity received			25	21	63	734	1,121
Others	4	137	57	(47)	233	(113)	76
	2,105	3,376	11,849	6,963	35,116	5,218	18,911
D ('):							
Decrease (increase) in assets: Accounts receivable	565	(529)	3,434	2,287	(449)	6,378	(7,448)
Inventories	(186)	1,216	(1,112)	2,766	(2,413)	1,091	(638)
Taxes to recover or offset	(820)	(2,743)	(1,112)	(1,151)	(2,713)	733	(030)
Others	81	4	(780)	(559)	(886)	395	(2,344)
	01	•	(,,,,	(00)	(000)	0,0	(=,0)
	(360)	(2,052)	1,542	3,343	(3,748)	8,597	(10,430)
Increase (decrease) in liabilities:							
Suppliers and contractors	1,375	(243)	836	(51)	1,586	238	136
Payroll and related charges	179	192	75	112	125	129	95
Taxes and contributions	(292)	1,139	208	736	380	693	(16)

Others	(320)	239	(480)	435	(1,272)	468	413
	942	1,327	639	1,232	819	1,528	628
Net cash provided by operating activities	2,687	2,651	14,030	11,538	32,187	15,343	9,109
Cash flows from investing							
activities:	1.505	(2.255)	(4.100)	(1.101)	(5.20.4)		
Short term investments	1,585	(2,255)	(4,180)	(1,131)	(5,394)	(101)	(1.660)
Loans and advances receivable	(73)	(337)	20	(1,067)	(4)	(101)	(1,660)
Guarantees and deposits	12	(53)	(166)	(153)	(295)	(142)	(248)
Additions to investments	(2,032)	(601)	(148)	(3,422)	(327)	(9,037)	(7,685)
Additions to property, plant and	(4.905)	(2.264)	(0.024)	(16 100)	(10.716)	(7.491)	(7.250)
equipment Proceeds from disposal of property	(4,895)	(3,364)	(9,024)	(16,108)	(18,716)	(7,481)	(7,259)
Proceeds from disposal of property,	293	305		1 200	371	692	
plant and equipment/investments Net cash used in acquisitions and	293	303		1,200	3/1	092	
increase of funds to subsidiaries, net							
of the cash of subsidiary		(1,452)		(4,246)			
of the cash of subsidiary		(1,432)		(4,240)			
Net cash used in investing							
activities	(5,110)	(7,757)	(13,498)	(24,927)	(24,365)	(16,069)	(16,852)
	(0,110)	(1,101)	(10,100)	(= 1,5 = 1)	(21,000)	(10,00)	(10,002)
Cash flows from (used in) financing activities:							
Short-term debt additions	761	2,127	120	3,940	2,660	1,785	4,393
Short-term debt repayments	(756)	(1,363)	(313)	(3,624)	(2,669)	(5,888)	(5,042)
Long-term debt	2,874	2,069	935	6,286	4,053	5,254	4,242
Issue of convertible notes, in	•	•		,	,	•	,
common share s		577		577			
Issue of convertible notes, in							
preferred share s		1,281		1,281			
Repayments:							
Related parties						(129)	
Financial institutions	(118)	(264)	(181)	(808)	(1,725)	(438)	(1,366)
Dividends and interest on							
stockholders equity paid to			(-)		/= a==\	(# - 00)	/= ==o\
stockholders	(2,647)		(3,579)	(5,381)	(5,827)	(5,299)	(5,558)
Capital increase			(1.650)	(22)	19,273	(22)	19,273
Treasury stock		1	(1,658)	(22)	(1,658)	(22)	(1,658)
Not each amovided by (weed in)							
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	114	4,428	(4,676)	2,249	14,107	(4,737)	14,284
imancing activities	114	7,740	(4,070)	4,447	14,10/	(4,131)	17,404
Increase (decrease) in cash and							
cash equivalents	(2,309)	(678)	(4,144)	(11,140)	21,929	(5,463)	6,541
	15,560	16,333	28,385	24,639	2,128	6,713	120
	•	•	•	•	•	•	

Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period Foreign exchange effects on cash and cash equivalents Initial cash in new consolidated subsidiary

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