

Notes to the consolidated annual financial statements – continued

for the year ended 31 March 2017

9 Taxation	Group		Company	
	2017 Rm	2016 Rm	2017 Rm	2016 Rm
South African normal company taxation	691	538	65	359
Current taxation	713	574	65	359
Overprovision for prior year	903	586	256	371
Deferred taxation (refer to note 17)	(190)	(12)	(191)	(12)
Capital allowances	(50)	(15)	–	–
Provision other allowances	241	77	261	88
Tax losses	(307)	(92)	(261)	(88)
Acquisition of BCX	35	–	–	–
Withholding tax	(19)	–	–	–
Common control transaction	4	1	–	–
	24	(22)	–	–
The higher group taxation is mainly due to the prior financial year being lower as a result of reduced assessments issued to Telkom company, the reversal of provisions and the higher taxable profits.				
Reconciliation of taxation rate	%		%	
Effective rate	15.20	18.8	1.4	12.2
South African normal rate of taxation	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0
Adjusted for:	(12.8)	(9.2)	(26.6)	(15.8)
Exempt income	(3.1)	(4.4)	(14.0)	(9.9)
Dividends received	–	–	(0.9)	(6.0)
Profit on sale of disposal	(0.8)	–	(10.7)	–
Other exempt income*	(2.3)	(4.4)	(2.4)	(3.9)
Disallowable expenditure	6.3	6.5	3.8	4.5
Capital expenditure	2.6	–	0.8	2.0
Other disallowed expenditure**	3.7	6.5	3.0	2.5
Foreign tax	0.1	–	–	–
Deferred tax asset limitation***	(14.0)	(10.2)	(14.0)	(10.1)
Recoupment	0.3	–	–	–
Common control transaction (refer to note 11)	0.1	(0.8)	–	–
Net overprovision for prior year	(2.5)	(0.3)	(2.4)	(0.3)

* Other exempt income mainly consists of capital profit on sale of assets.

** Other disallowable expenditure mainly includes professional fees and legal fees which are not tax deductible.

*** Deferred tax recognised as a result of the reassessment of the deferred tax asset.

The current year lower effective tax rate is mainly due to the effect of the deferred tax asset limitation and the overprovision for tax relating to prior years.