#### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

## FORM 6-K

## REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13A-16 OR 15D-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of May, 2012 (Commission File No. 1-14862)

#### BRASKEM S.A.

(Exact Name as Specified in its Charter)

N/A (Translation of registrant's name into English)

Rua Eteno, 1561, Polo Petroquimico de Camacari Camacari, Bahia - CEP 42810-000 Brazil (Address of principal executive offices)

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Quarterly Information (ITR) at

March 31, 2012

and Report on the Review

of Quarterly Information

#### Report on the review of the quarterly information

To the Board of Directors and Shareholders

Braskem S.A.

## Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying parent company and consolidated interim accounting information of Braskem S.A., included in the Quarterly Information Form (ITR) for the quarter ended March 31, 2012, comprising the balance sheet as at that date and the statements of operations, comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the quarter then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Management is responsible for the preparation of the parent company interim accounting information in accordance with the accounting standard CPC 21 - Interim Financial Reporting, of the Brazilian Accounting Pronouncements Committee (CPC), and of the consolidated interim accounting information in accordance with CPC 21 and International Accounting Standard (IAS) 34 - Interim Financial Reporting issued by the International Accounting Standard (IAS), as well as the presentation of this information in accordance with the standards issued by the Brazilian Securities Commission (CVM), applicable to the preparation of the Quarterly Information (ITR). Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this interim accounting information based on our review.

#### Scope of review

We conducted our review in accordance with Brazilian and International Standards on Reviews of Interim Financial Information (NBC TR 2410 – Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity and ISRE 2410 – Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity, respectively). A review of interim information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with Brazilian and International Standards on Auditing and

consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

#### Conclusion on the parent

## company interim information

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying parent company interim accounting information included in the quarterly information referred to above has not been prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with CPC 21 applicable to the preparation of the Quarterly Information, and presented in accordance with the standards issued by the CVM.

## Conclusion on the consolidated

## interim information

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying consolidated interim accounting information included in the quarterly information referred to above has not been prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with CPC 21 and IAS 34 applicable to the preparation of the Quarterly Information, and presented in accordance with the standards issued by the CVM.

Report on the review of the quarterly information

**Other matters** 

Statements of value added

We have also reviewed the parent company and consolidated statements of value added for the quarter ended March 31, 2012. These statements are the responsibility of the Company's management, and are required to be presented in accordance with standards issued by the CVM applicable to the preparation of Quarterly Information (ITR) and are considered supplementary information under IFRS, which do not require the presentation of the statement of value added. These statements have been submitted to the same review procedures described above and, based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that they have not been prepared, in all material respects, in a manner consistent with the parent company and consolidated interim accounting information taken as a whole.

Salvador, May 9, 2012

PricewaterhouseCoopers

Auditores Independentes

CRC 2SP000160/O-5 "F" BA

Fábio Cajazeira Mendes

Contador CRC 1SP196825/O-0 "S" BA

## **Balance sheet**

at March 31, 2012

## All amounts in thousands of reais

		Paren	t Company	ny Consolidated			
Assets	Note			Mar/2012	Dec/2011		
Current assets							
Cash and cash equivalents	5	2,495,976	2,224,335	3,303,119	2,986,819		
Financial investments	6	286,359	168,979	289,078	170,297		
Trade accounts receivable	7	1,345,632	1,097,482	2,424,235	1,843,756		
Inventories	8	2,274,285	1,968,509	3,920,944	3,623,522		
Taxes recoverable	10	633,618	606,258	1,096,936	1,036,253		
Dividends and interest on capital		32,700	30,268				
Prepaid expenses		50,829	60,109	92,959	104,496		
Other receivables	13	188,243	162,173	646,958	406,634		
		7,307,642	6,318,113	11,774,229	10,171,777		
Non-current assets							
Financial investments	6	39,269	34,720	39,295	34,752		
Trade accounts receivable	7	47,199	49,858	48,336	51,056		
Taxes recoverable	10	1,139,089	1,062,974	1,581,659	1,506,247		
Deferred income tax and social contribution	20(b)	575,131	415,002	1,463,193	1,237,144		
Judicial deposits	11	156,380	151,592	178,964	174,220		
Related parties	9	1,658,080	1,624,513	59,327	58,169		
Insurance claims	12	235,536	246,357	243,291	252,670		
Other receivables	13	150,244	138,265	197,765	182,533		
Investments in subsidiaries and jointly-controlled subsidiaries	14	8,150,881	8,062,528				
Investment in associates	14	31,012	29,870	31,012	29,870		
Other investments		6,575	6,575	10,771	10,844		
Property, plant and equipment	15	11,948,206	11,665,942	20,997,916	20,628,187		
Intangible assets	16	2,241,286	2,248,675	2,985,428	3,016,692		
		26,378,888	25,736,871	27,836,957	27,182,384		
Total assets		33,686,530	32,054,984	39,611,186	37,354,161		

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

## **Balance sheet**

at March 31, 2012

# All amounts in thousands of reais

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		Parer	nt Company	mpany Consolidat		
Liabilities and equity	Note	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	
Current liabilities						
Trade payables		6,091,084	5,052,757	8,944,232	6,847,340	
Borrowings	17	949,827	961,519	1,243,609	1,391,779	
Hedge operations	18.2	111,825	82,912	111,980	83,392	
Payroll and related charges		201,563	155,248	303,241	242,102	
Taxes payable	19	219,736	215,924	434,941	329,987	
Dividends and interest on capital		1,615	1,617	4,825	4,838	
Advances from customers		16,982	13,935	27,292	19,119	
Sundry provisions	21	9,249	18,759	15,773	23,629	
Other payables	24	55,401	47,514	171,575	119,402	
Related parties	9	96,164	79,790			
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		7,753,446	0,029,975	11,257,468	9,061,588	
Non-current liabilities						
Borrowings	17	10,223,842	11,276,196	13,495,616	13,753,033	
Debentures				17,582	19,102	
Hedge operations	18.2	1,374	10,278	1,374	10,278	
Taxes payable	19	1,500,321	1,500,584	1,610,901	1,613,179	
Related parties	9	2,564,297	1,297,567	36,961	44,833	
Long-term incentives		15,213	15,213	15,213	15,213	
Deferred income tax and social contribution	20(b)	1,077,440	900,716	2,117,716	1,938,971	
Pension plans	22	134,506	134,506	149,921	149,575	
Provision for losses on subsidiaries		88,483	90,990			
Advances from customers	23	90,934	77,846	227,592	218,531	
Sundry provisions	21	94,913	94,913	301,390	298,094	
Other payables	24	247,724	241,412	294,035	280,546	
		16,039,047	15,640,221	18,268,301	18,341,355	

Equity	26				
Capital	8	8,043,222	8,043,222	8,043,222	8,043,222
Capital reserve		845,998	845,998	845,998	845,998
Revenue reserves		591,307	591,307	591,307	591,307
Other comprehensive income		264,238	315,586	264,238	315,586
Treasury shares		(11,325)	(11,325)	(60,217)	(60,217)
Retained earnings		160,597		160,597	
Total attributable to the shareholders of the Company	9,	,894,037	9,784,788	9,845,145	9,735,896
Non-controlling interest	2.4			240,272	215,322
	9	9,894,037	9,784,788	10,085,417	9,951,218
Total liabilities and equity	33	3,686,530	32,054,984	39,611,186	37,354,161

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

## Statement of operations for the period

at March 31, 2012

All amounts in thousands of reais, except earnings (loss) per share

	Note	Parc Mar/2012	ent Company Mar/2011	Mar/2012	Consolidated Mar/2011
Net sales revenue	28	4,574,694	4,077,822	8,232,429	7,388,088
Cost of products sold		(4,146,710)	(3,460,794)		(6,390,213)
Gross profit		427,984	617,028	632,861	997,875
Income (expenses)					
Selling		(49,384)	(37,745)	(98,722)	(82,831)
Distribution		(90,322)	(79,116)	(129,998)	(119,673)
General and administrative		(153,457)	(171,958)	(255,519)	(262,881)
Research and development		(18,160)	(12,653)	(24,446)	(19,627)
Results from equity investments	14(c)	137,230	73,665	(2,099)	5,465
Other operating income (expenses), net	30	(32,398)	4,376	192,734	(12,456)
Operating profit		221,493	393,597	314,811	505,872
Financial results	31				
Financial expenses		(69,577)	(90,773)	(193,979)	(135,254)
Financial income		12,930	112,587	89,836	78,297
		(56,647)	21,814	(104,143)	(56,957)
Profit before income tax and					
social contribution		164,846	415,411	210,668	448,915
Current income tax and social contribution	20(a)		(21,835)	(102,044)	(68,703)
Deferred income tax and social contribution	20(a)	(11,288)	(85,350)	43,573	(75,233)
		(11,288)	(107,185)	(58,471)	(143,936)
Profit for the period		153,558	308,226	152,197	304,979
Attributable to: Company's shareholders				153,558	308,226

Non-controlling interest	2.4	(1,361)	(3,247)
		152,197	304,979
Earnings per share attributable to the shareholders of the Company at the end of the period (R\$) Basic earnings per share - common Basic earnings per share - preferred Diluted earnings per share - preferred	27	0.4439 0.4443	0.2632 0.6040 0.2635 0.6042

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## Statement of comprehensive income

at March 31, 2012

## All amounts in thousands of reais

	Note		nt Company Mar/2011	Mar/2012	Consolidated Mar/2011
Profit for the period		153,558	308,226	152,197	304,979
Other comprehensive income or loss:					
Cash flow hedge	18.2.2	15,613	12,537	15,613	12,537
Foreign currency translation adjustment Income tax and social contribution related to	14(b)	(55,631)	(2,228)	(49,444)	(2,228)
components of comprehensive income	18.2.2	(5,309)	(1,551)	(5,309)	(1,551)
Total other comprehensive income or loss		(45,327)	8,758	(39,140)	8,758
Total comprehensive income or loss for the period		108,231	316,984	113,057	313,737
Attributable to:					
Company's shareholders				108,231	316,984
Non-controlling interest				4,826	(3,247)
				113,057	313,737

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## Statement of changes in equity

All amounts in thousands of reais

	Note	Capital	Capital reserve	0	Tax incentives	Unrealized			•	Retain earnin
At December 31, 2010		8,043,222	845,998	87,710	5,347	995,505	250,346	221,350	(10,379)	
Comprehensive income for the period: Profit for the										
period Fair value of cash										308,2
flow hedge, net of taxes Foreign currency								10,986		
translation adjustment								(2,228) 8,758		308,2
Equity valuation adjustments Deemed cost of jointly-controlled										
subsidiary Realization of additional property, plant								22,779		
and equipment price-level restatement, net										
of taxes								(6,809) 15,970		6,8 6,8

Contributions and distributions to shareholders: Repurchase of treasury shares								(946) (946)	
At March 31, 2011	8,043,222	2 845,998	87,710	5,347	995,505	250,346	246,078	(11,325)	315,0
At December 31, 2011	8,043,222	2 845,998	87,710	4,547	16,457	482,593	315,586	(11,325)	
Comprehensive income for the period: Profit for the period Fair value of cash flow hedge, net of taxes 18.2. Foreign currency translation adjustment 14(b							10,304 (55,631)		153,5
Equity valuation adjustments Realization of deemed cost of jointly-controlled	,						(45,327)		153,5
subsidiary, net of taxes Realization of additional property, plant and equipment price-level reatatament, pot							(230)		2
restatement, net of taxes Contributions and distributions to shareholders: Gain on interest in subsidiary 14(b	)						(6,809) (7,039) 1,018		6,8 7,0
At March 31, 2012	8,043,222	2 845,998	87,710	4,547	16,457	482,593	1,018 264,238	(11,325)	160,5

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## Statement of changes in equity

All amounts in thousands of reais

						Reven	ue reserves	Attributed to sh	areholder	s' intere
	Note	e Capital	Capital reserve	0	Tax incentives	-	dividends	comprehensive	•	Retain earnin
At December 31, 2010		8,043,222	845,998	87,710	5,347	995,505	250,346	221,350	(59,271)	
Comprehensive income for the period: Profit for the										
period Fair value of cash										308,2
flow hedge, net of taxes Foreign currency								10,986		
translation adjustment								(2,228) 8,758		308,2
Equity valuation adjustments Deemed cost of								6,756		506,2
jointly-controlled subsidiary, net Realization of additional								22,779		
property, plant and equipment price-level										
restatement, net of taxes								(6,809) 15,970		6,8 6,8

Contributions and distributions to shareholders: Repurchase of treasury shares	l								(946)	
At March 31,									(946)	
2011		8,043,222	845,998	87,710	5,347	995,505	250,346	246,078	(60,217)	315,0
At December 31, 2011		8,043,222	845,998	87,710	4,547	16,457	482,593	315,586	(60,217)	
Comprehensive income for the year: Profit for the period Fair value of cash flow hedge, net or										153,5
taxes Foreign currency translation adjustment	18.2.2 14(b)							10,304 (55,631) (45,327)		153,5
Equity valuation adjustments Realization of deemed cost of jointly-controlled										
subsidiary, net of taxes Realization of additional property, plant and equipment price-level restatement, net								(230)		2
of taxes								(6,809) (7,039)		6,8 7,0
Contributions and distributions to shareholders: Capital increase of non-controlling interest										
Gain on interest in subsidiary	14(b)							1,018 1,018		

At March 31,20128,043,222 845,998 87,710 4,54716,457482,593264,238(60,217)160,5

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

## Statement of cash flows

at March 31, 2012

## All amounts in thousands of reais

	Parei	nt Company			
	Mar/2012	Mar/2011	Mar/2012	Mar/2011	
Profit before income tax and social contribution Adjustments for reconciliation of profit	164,846	415,411	210,668	448,915	
Depreciation, amortization and depletion	270,906	261,808	444,443	418,658	
Results from equity investments	(137,230)	(73,665)	2,099	(5,465)	
Interest and monetary and exchange variations, net	(7,255)	11,758	41,220	67,839	
Other	17,124	(728)	19,674	14,162	
	308,391	614,584	718,104	944,109	
Changes in operating working capital					
Held-for-trading financial investments	(116,085)	(224,684)	(117,125)	(224,684)	
Trade accounts receivable	(245,491)	10,177	(578,257)	22,056	
Inventories	(291,146)	(195,433)	(288,674)	(256,852)	
Taxes recoverable	(94,792)	31,033	(127,873)	(8,801)	
Prepaid expenses	9,280	9,159	11,537	2,905	
Other receivables	(148,308)	12,030	(243,069)	(33,734)	
Trade payables	1,038,261	(53,221)	2,096,892	13,587	
Taxes payable	93,651	(35,928)	(8,407)	(73,346)	
Advances from customers	16,135	(1,222)	17,234	(1,489)	
Sundry provisions	8,799	(5,190)	(4,560)	2,093	
Other payables	90,866	(28,735)	109,408	(41,497)	
Cash from operations	669,561	132,570	1,585,210	344,347	
Interest paid	(114,935)	(119,616)	(139,914)	(173,127)	
Income tax and social contribution paid	(6,124)	(10,602)	(8,222)	(17,970)	
Net cash generated by operating activities	548,502	2,352	1,437,074	153,250	
Proceeds from the sale of fixed assets and investments		423	498	486	
Cash effect from incorporated subsidiary	394				
Acquisitions of investments in subsidiaries and associates	(35,204)				

Acquisitions to property, plant and equipment Acquisitions of intangible assets	(554,230) (68)	(217,988) (1)	(832,884) (115)	(312,963) (607)
Held-to-maturity financial investments	1,814	(546)	(1,124)	(8,502)
Net cash used in investing activities	(587,294)	(218,112)	(833,625)	(321,586)
Short-term and long-term debt				
Obtained borrowings	434,998	839,709	1,175,038	872,824
Payment of borrowings	(1,347,859)	(859,191)	(1,477,926)	(939,409)
Related parties				
Obtained loans	1,081,388	74,348		
Payment of loans	(135,967)	(142,907)		
Current accounts, net	277,875	39,837		
Dividends paid	(2)	(1)	(2)	(1)
Non-controlling interests in subsidiaries			21,142	
Repurchase of shares		(946)		(946)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	310,433	(49,151)	(281,748)	(67,532)
Exchange variation on cash of foreign subsidiaries			(5,401)	891
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	271,641	(264,911)	316,300	(234,977)
Represented by				
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	2,224,335	2,339,060	2,986,819	2,624,270
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	2,495,976	2,074,149	3,303,119	2,389,293
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	271,641	(264,911)	316,300	(234,977)

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

## Statement of value added

At March 31, 2012

## All amounts in thousands of reais

	Parent Company Mar/2012 Mar/2011		Mar/2012	Consolidated Mar/2011	
Revenue	5,514,450	5,061,519	9,924,606	8,937,208	
Sale of goods, products and services	5,556,391	5,058,494	9,739,174	8,955,012	
Other income (expenses), net	(32,134)	4,343	199,278	(11,701)	
Allowance for doubtful accounts - reversal (recognition)	(9,807)	(1,318)	(13,846)	(6,103)	
Inputs acquired from third parties	(4,146,170)	(4,135,154)	(7,872,060)	(7,405,213)	
Cost of products, goods and services sold	(3,957,658)		(7,566,147)	(7,139,446)	
Material, energy, outsourced services and other	(188,199)	(162,263)	(300,362)	(265,747)	
Impairment / recovery of assets	(313)	(20)	(5,551)	(20)	
Gross value added	1,368,280	926,365	2,052,546	1,531,995	
Depreciation, amortization and depletion	(270,906)	(261,808)	(444,443)	(418,658)	
Net value added produced by the entity	1,097,374	664,557	1,608,103	1,113,337	
Value added received in transfer	150,209	186,305	87,803	83,815	
Equity in the results of investees	137,230	73,665	(2,099)	5,465	
Financial income	12,930	112,587	89,836	78,297	
Other	49	53	66	53	
Total value added to distribute	1,247,583	850,862	1,695,906	1,197,152	
Personnel	115,035	118,504	200,163	184,574	
Direct compensation	79,126	92,104	146,776	143,307	
Benefits	26,538	18,830	40,738	30,730	
FGTS (Government Severance Pay Fund)	9,371	7,570	12,649	10,537	
Taxes, fees and contributions	882,455	295,167	1,117,374	520,740	
Federal	610,796	219,038	817,860	327,535	
State	268,553	73,488	290,205	187,682	
Municipal	3,106	2,641	9,309	5,523	

Remuneration on third parties' capital Financial expenses (including exchange variation) Rentals	<b>96,535</b> 62,597 33,938	<b>128,965</b> 87,797 41,168	<b>226,172</b> 186,389 39,783	<b>186,859</b> 131,692 55,167
<b>Remuneration on own capital</b> Profit retained in the period Non-controlling interests in profits retained or losses	<b>153,558</b> 153,558	<b>308,226</b> 308,226	<b>152,197</b> 153,558 (1,361)	<b>304,979</b> 308,226 (3,247)
Value added distributed	1,247,583	850,862	1,695,906	1,197,152

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

#### Notes to the financial statements

at March 31, 2012

All amounts in thousands of reais unless otherwise stated

1. Operations

Braskem S.A. ("Parent Company") is a public corporation headquartered in Camaçari, State of Bahia, which, together with its subsidiaries and jointly-controlled subsidiaries ("Braskem" or "Company") operates 35 industrial units. Braskem S.A. is controlled by Odebrecht S.A. ("Odebrecht"), which directly and indirectly holds interests of 50.11% and 38.11% in its voting and total capital, respectively.

#### (a) Relevant operating event

In December 2011, Sunoco Chemicals, Inc. ("Sunoco") announced the definitive shutdown of its refinery responsible for supplying feedstocks to one of the five polypropylene ("PP") plants of the subsidiary Braskem America in the United States.

In 2012, Sunoco formally informed Braskem America's Management of its alternative plan for feedstock supply, as required under the supply agreement entered into between the parties in 2010.

Pursuant to the plan and notices communicated by Sunoco, the latter confirmed the definitive termination of the supply agreement as of June 9, 2012 and the payment of the damages provided for therein, to be made on the same date.

The amount of damages, as per the agreement, totals R\$235,962 (US\$129.5 million). The amount was recorded by Braskem in the first quarter of 2012 in "other accounts receivable" (Note 13) under current assets, and "other operating revenues (expenses)" (Note 30). Current income tax on this revenue, at the effective rate in the United States, was R\$82,587 (Note 20).

Despite the termination of the supply agreement, the Management of Braskem America has been working to develop alternative supply and logistics solutions in order to continue operations at the unit and has already identified other sources to supply the feedstock required.

Furthermore, Management decided to test for impairment the Cash Generating Unit ("CGU") formed by the PP plants in the United States and that comprise the International Business segment, as described in Note 15. No losses were identified in this test.

## (b) Corporate events

(b.1) On January 27, 2012, the controlling shareholder of Braskem, BRK Investimentos Petroquímicos S.A. ("BRK") was proportionally spun-off. As a result of this spin-off, part of the shares issued by Braskem that were held by BRK was delivered to Petróleo Brasileiro S.A. – Petrobras ("Petrobras"). BRK became a wholly-owned subsidiary of Odebrecht Serviços e Participações ("OSP") and maintained ownership of shares corresponding to 50.11% and 28.23% of the voting and total capital of Braskem, respectively. On the same date, the merger of Petrobras Química S.A. – Petroquisa ("Petroquisa") into Petrobras was approved and Petrobras became the holder of 47.03% and 35.95% of the voting and total capital of Braskem, respectively.

(b.2) On February 27, 2012, the company Braskem International GmbH ("Braskem Áustria") was incorporated with the purpose of holding equity interests in other companies, in addition to performing financial and commercial operations. The capital stock was fully paid up by Braskem, a single partner, in the amount of R\$81 (EUR 35 thousand) (Note 14(b)).

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(b.3) On February 28, 2012, the Extraordinary Shareholders' Meeting of Braskem approved the merger of the subsidiary Ideom Tecnologia Ltda., based on its net book value as of December 31, 2011, in the amount of R\$20,762, pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth in the protocol and justification dated February 6, 2012.

## (c) Net working capital

On March 31, 2012, the Parent Company's net working capital was negative by R\$445,804. On the other hand, consolidated net working capital was positive by R\$516,761. Because the consolidated figures are used in the management of working capital, since the Company uses mechanisms to transfer funds between the companies efficiently without jeopardizing the fulfillment of the commitments of each of the entities forming the consolidated statements, any analysis of the parent company's working capital will not reflect the actual liquidity position of the consolidated group.

The Company also has two revolving credit lines that may be used at any time (Note 3.3).

## (d) Effect of foreign exchange variation

The Company has balances and transactions recorded in U.S. dollars, such as financial investments, trade accounts receivable, trade payables and borrowings. The balances of assets and liabilities are translated based on the exchange rate at the end of each period, while transactions are based on the effective exchange rate on the date they occur, which are informed by the Central Bank of Brazil.

The following table shows the U.S. dollar period-end and average exchange rates for the periods in this report:

U.S. dollar, period-end rate	
March 30, 2012	1.8221
December 30, 2011	1.8758
Depreciation of the U.S. dollar in relation to the Brazilian real	2.86%
Average U.S. dollar rate	
Three-month period ended March 31, 2012	1.7701
Three-month period ended March 31, 2011	1.6673
Appreciation of the U.S. dollar in relation to the Brazilian real	6.17%

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2. Summary of significant accounting policies

## 2.1. Basis of preparation

This Quarterly Information should be read together with the financial statements of Braskem S.A. as of December 31, 2011 and for the year then ended, which were prepared and presented in accordance with accounting practices adopted in Brazil, including the pronouncements issued by the Brazilian Accounting Pronouncements Committee (CPC), and in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB).

The preparation of the quarterly information requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires the Management of the Company to exercise its judgment in the process of applying its accounting policies. There were no changes in the assumptions and judgments made by the Company's management in the use of estimates for the preparation of the Quarterly Information in relation to those used in the December 31, 2011 financial statements.

## (a) Consolidated quarterly information

The consolidated Quarterly Information was prepared and is being presented in accordance with the pronouncements CPC 21 and IAS 34 - Interim Financial Reporting, which establish the minimum content for interim financial statements.

## (b) Parent company quarterly information

The parent company Quarterly Information was prepared and is being presented in accordance with pronouncement CPC 21.

## 2.2. Summary of significant accounting policies

There were no changes in the accounting practices used for the Quarterly Information in relation to those presented in the December 31, 2011 financial statements.

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## 2.3. Consolidated quarterly information

The consolidated quarterly information includes those of the Company, its subsidiaries, jointly-controlled subsidiaries and special purpose entity in which it, directly and indirectly, maintains a controlling equity interest or controls the activities, as presented below:

			Tota	al interest - %
	Headquarters (Country)	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	Mar/2011
Direct and Indirect				
subsidiaries				
Braskem America, Inc.	USA	100.00	100.00	100.00
("Braskem America")				
Braskem America Finance	USA	100.00	100.00	
Company ("Braskem America				
Finance")				
Braskem Argentina S.A.	Argentina	100.00	100.00	100.00
("Braskem Argentina")				
Braskem International GmbH (i)	Austria	100.00		
("Braskem Austria")				
Braskem Chile Ltda.	Chile	100.00	100.00	100.00
("Braskem Chile")	<b>D</b>	100.00	100.00	100.00
Braskem Distribuidora	Brazil	100.00	100.00	100.00
Ltda.("Braskem Distribuidora")	NT (1 1 1	100.00	100.00	100.00
Braskem Netherlands B.V	Netherlands	100.00	100.00	100.00
("Braskem Holanda")	Commony	100.00	100.00	
Braskem Europe GmbH ("Braskem Alemanha")	Germany	100.00	100.00	
Braskem Finance Limited	Cayman Islands	100.00	100.00	100.00
("Braskem Finance")	Cayman Islands	100.00	100.00	100.00
( Draskeni i manee )	Mexico	65.00	65.00	65.00
	Mexico	03.00	03.00	05.00

Braskem Idesa S.A.P.I					
("Braskem Idesa") Braskem Idesa Servicios S.A.		Mexico	65.00	65.00	65.00
de CV ("Braskem Idesa		WICKICO	05.00	05.00	05.00
Serviços")					
Braskem Importação e		Brazil	100.00	100.00	100.00
Exportação Ltda. ("Braskem					
Importação")					
Braskem Incorporated		Cayman Islands	100.00	100.00	100.00
Limited ("Braskem Inc")					
Braskem México, S de RL de		Mexico	100.00	100.00	100.00
CV ("Braskem México")					
Braskem Participações S.A.		Brazil	100.00	100.00	100.00
("Braskem Participações")					
Braskem Petroquímica S.A.		Brazil	100.00	100.00	100.00
("Braskem Petroquímica")			100.00	100.00	100.00
Braskem Petroquímica Chile		Chile	100.00	100.00	100.00
Ltda. ("Petroquímica Chile")		D 11	100.00	100.00	100.00
Braskem Qpar S.A. ("Braskem		Brazil	100.00	100.00	100.00
Qpar'')	(;;)	Brazil	54.00	54.09	
Cetrel S.A. ("Cetrel") Common Industries Ltd.	(ii)	British Virgin	100.00	100.00	100.00
("Common")		Islands	100.00	100.00	100.00
Ideom Tecnologia Ltda.	(iii)	Brazil		100.00	100.00
("Ideom")	(111)	DIazii		100.00	100.00
IQ Soluções & Química		Brazil	100.00	100.00	100.00
S.A.("Quantiq")		Diuzii	100.00	100.00	100.00
IQAG Armazéns Gerais Ltda.		Brazil	100.00	100.00	100.00
("IQAG")					
ISATEC-Pesquisa,	(iv)	Brazil			100.00
desenvolvimento e análises					
químicas ("Isatec")					
Lantana Trading Co. Inc.		Bahamas	100.00	100.00	100.00
("Lantana")					
Norfolk Trading S.A.		Uruguay	100.00	100.00	100.00
("Norfolk")					
Politeno Empreendimentos		Brazil	100.00	100.00	100.00
Ltda. ("Politeno					
Empreendimentos")		וי ת	100.00	100.00	100.00
Rio Polímeros S.A. ("Riopol")		Brazil	100.00	100.00	100.00
Jointly-controlled					
subsidiaries					
Refinaria de Petróleo		Brazil	33.20	33.20	33.20
Riograndense S.A. ("RPR")		Diuzii	55.20	33.20	55.20
Polietilenos de America		Venezuela	49.00	49.00	49.99
S.A.("Polimerica")			-	-	
Polipropileno Del Sur		Venezuela	49.00	49.00	49.99
S.A.("Propilsur")					

Specific Purpose Entity				
("SPE")				
Fundo de Investimento	Brazil	100.00	100.00	100.00
Multimercado Crédito				
Privado Sol ("FIM Sol")				

- (i) Company created in February 2012 (Note 1 (b.2)).
- (ii) Cetrel started to be fully consolidated by Braskem as from the quarterly information for the period ended June 30, 2011 based on a new interpretation of that subsidiary's bylaws, which, according to the opinion of the Company's external legal advisors, establishes control by the Company. The consolidated quarterly in information for the prior periods was not restated due to the immateriality of Cetrel to the Company's financial information as a whole.
- (iii) Merged into Braskem in February 2012 (Note 1 (b.3)).
- (iv) Company sold in May 2011.

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2.4. Non-controlling interests in the equity and results of operations of the Company's subsidiaries

		Equity	<b>Profit</b> (loss) for the period	
	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	Mar/2012	Mar/2011
Braskem Idesa	113,915	93,578	(4,464)	(3,247)
Cetrel	126,357	121,744	3,103	
Total	240,272	215,322	(1,361)	(3,247)

2.5. Reconciliation of equity and profit (loss) for the period between parent company and consolidated

	Equity		Profit for the perio	
	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	Mar/2012	Mar/2011
Parent company	9,894,037	9,784,788	153,558	308,226
Braskem's shares owned by subsidiary Braskem Petroquímica	(48,892)	(48,892)		
Non-controlling interest	240,272	215,322	(1,361)	(3,247)
Consolidated	10,085,417	9,951,218	152,197	304,979

## 3. Risk management

Braskem is exposed to (i) market risks arising from variations in commodity prices, foreign exchange rates and interest rates; (ii) the credit risks of its counterparties in cash equivalents, financial investments and trade accounts receivable; and (iii) liquidity risks to meet its obligations related to financial liabilities.

Braskem adopts procedures for managing market, credit and liquidity risks that are in conformity with the financial policy approved by the Board of Directors on August 9, 2010. The purpose of risk management is to protect the cash flows of Braskem and reduce the threats to the financing of its operating working capital and investment programs.

## 3.1. Market risk

Braskem prepares a sensitivity analysis for the main types of market risk to which it is exposed, which is presented in Note 18.4.

## (a) Exposure to commodity risks

Braskem is exposed to fluctuations in the prices of many petrochemical commodities, in particular its main raw material, naphtha. Braskem seeks to pass through the fluctuations in the prices of these commodities caused by fluctuations in international prices and also enters into derivatives contracts to protect against exposure to commodity risks. On March 31, 2012, the Company held swap operations for naphtha and ethanol (Note 18.2.1). Additionally, an immaterial part of sales is performed based on fixed-price contracts or contracts with a maximum and/or minimum fluctuation range. These contracts can be commercial agreements or derivative contracts associated with future sales.

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(b) Exposure to foreign exchange risk

Braskem has commercial operations denominated or indexed in foreign currencies. Braskem's inputs and products have prices denominated in or strongly influenced by international prices of commodities, which are usually denominated in U.S. dollar. Additionally, Braskem has long-term loans in foreign currencies that expose it to variations in the foreign exchange rate between the real and the foreign currency, in particular the U.S. dollar. Braskem manages its exposure to foreign exchange risk through a combination of debts in foreign currencies, investments in foreign currencies and derivatives. Braskem's financial policy to manage foreign exchange risks provides for the maximum and minimum coverage limits that should be followed and which are continuously monitored by its Management.

On March 31, 2012, Braskem prepared a sensitivity analysis for the exposure to U.S. dollar risk (Note 18.4(c)).

## (c) Exposure to interest rate risk

Braskem is exposed to the risk that a variation in floating interest rates causes an increase in its financial expense due to payments of future interest. Debt denominated in foreign currency subject to floating rates is mainly subject to fluctuations in LIBOR. Debt denominated in local currency is mainly subject to the variation in the Long-Term Interest Rate ("TJLP"), in fixed rates in Brazilian real and in the Interbank Certificate of Deposit ("daily CDI") rate. Braskem has swap contracts designated as hedge accounting with asset positions subject to floating LIBOR and liability positions subject to fixed rates.

On March 31, 2012, Braskem prepared a sensitivity analysis for exposure to the risk of floating interest rates based on LIBOR (Note 18.4(d)).

## **3.2.** Exposure to credit risk

The transactions that subject Braskem to the concentration of credit risks are mainly in current accounts with banks, financial investments and trade accounts receivable in which Braskem is exposed to the risk of the financial institution or customer involved. In order to manage this risk, Braskem maintains bank current accounts and financial investments with large financial institutions, weighting concentrations in accordance with the credit rating and the daily prices observed in the Credit Default Swap market for the institutions, as well as netting contracts that minimize the total credit risk arising from the many financial transactions entered into by the parties.

On March 31, 2012, Braskem held netting contracts with Banco Citibank S.A. HSBC Bank Brasil S.A. – Banco Múltiplo, Banco Itaú BBA S.A. Banco Safra S.A. Banco Santander (Brasil) S.A. Banco Votorantim S.A. Banco West LB do Brasil S.A. Banco Caixa Geral – Brasil S.A. and Banco Bradesco S.A., which seek to mitigate credit and liquidity risks in the event of the insolvency of the parties involved. Approximately 41% of the amounts held in cash and cash equivalents (Note 5) and financial investments (Note 6) are contemplated by these agreements, whose related liabilities are recorded under "borrowings" (Note 17).

With respect to the credit risk of customers, Braskem protects itself by performing a rigorous analysis before granting credit and obtaining secured and unsecured guarantees when considered necessary.

The maximum exposure to credit risk of non-derivative financial instruments on the reporting date is their carrying amounts less any impairment losses. On March 31, 2012, the balance of trade accounts receivable was net of allowance for doubtful accounts of R\$267,267 (R\$253,607 on December 31, 2011).

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### 3.3. Liquidity risk and capital management

Braskem has a calculation methodology to determine operating cash and minimum cash for the purpose of, respectively: (i) ensuring the liquidity of short-term obligations, calculated based on the expectation of operating disbursements for the following month; and (ii) ensuring that the Company maintains liquidity in possible moments of crisis, calculated based on the expectation of operating cash generation, less short-term debts, working capital needs, among other items.

In some borrowing agreements, Braskem has financial covenants that link net debt and the payment of interest to its consolidated EBITDA (Earnings before interests, taxes, depreciation and amortization) (Note 17). The Company's Management monitors these indicators on quarterly basis in U.S. dollar, as established in the borrowing agreements.

Additionally, Braskem has two revolving credit lines amounting to: (i) US\$350 million, which may be used without restriction for a period of three years as from September 2010; and (ii) US\$250 million, which may be used without restriction for a period of five years as from August 2011. These credit facilities allow for reducing the cash held by Braskem. On March 31, 2012, Braskem had not drawn any credit from these lines.

#### 4. Business combination

On September 30, 2011, Braskem, through its subsidiaries Braskem America and Braskem Alemanha, acquired the PP business from Dow Chemical for R\$607.6 million (US\$323 million). On the same date, the amount of R\$312.3 million (US\$166 million) was paid, which corresponds to the portion of trade payables that were assumed in the transaction.

The agreement also provided for adjustments to the amount paid based on the variation in trade accounts receivable and inventory, for which the final amount was a receivable of approximately R\$23.7 million (US\$12.3 million) by the acquirers.

On February 8, 2012, the transaction was approved by the Brazilian antitrust agency *Conselho Administrativo de Defesa Econômica* ("CADE").

Independent appraisers were contracted to determine the assets acquired and liabilities assumed at fair value. This work is expected to be completed by the end of the first half of 2012, when any adjustments will be recognized.

The information related to business combinations formed by the Company was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 5.

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## 5. Cash and cash equivalents

	Parent company			Consolidated		
	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	Mar/2012	Dec/2011		
Cash and banks Cash equivalents:	34,458	69,306	241,143	349,916		
Domestic market	2,415,285	1,748,027	2,567,754	1,899,825		
Foreign market	46,233	407,002	494,222	737,078		
Total	2,495,976	2,224,335	3,303,119	2,986,819		

This table was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 6.

#### 6. Financial investments

	Pare	nt company	Consolidated		
	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	
Held-for-trading					
Investments in FIM Sol	35,177	36,410	35,177	36,410	
Investments in foreign currency	9,111	10,716	9,111	10,716	
Shares	3,023	3,023	3,023	3,023	
Loans and receivables					
Investments in FIM Sol	238,039	116,007	238,039	116,007	
Held-to-maturity					
Quotas of investment funds in credit rights	39,269	34,720	39,269	34,720	
Restricted deposits	1,009	2,823	3,754	4,173	
Investments in foreign currency			273,331		
Compensation of investments in foreign currency (i)			(273,331)		
Total	325,628	203,699	328,373	205,049	

In current assets	286,359	168,979	289,078	170,297
In non-current assets	39,269	34,720	39,295	34,752
Total	325,628	203,699	328,373	205,049

(i) On March 31, 2012, Braskem Holanda had financial investments held to maturity that were offset by an export prepayment agreement of the Parent Company, in the amount of US\$150 million, as provided for in the credit assignment agreement entered into between these two companies and Banco Bradesco (Note 17(b)).

This table was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 7.

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## 7. Trade accounts receivable

	Parent company			Consolidated		
	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	Mar/2012	Dec/2011		
Consumers:						
Domestic market	791,131	660,289	1,097,760	866,168		
Foreign market	800,577	676,122	1,642,078	1,282,251		
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(198,877)	(189,071)	(267,267)	(253,607)		
Total	1,392,831	1,147,340	2,472,571	1,894,812		
In current assets	1,345,632	1,097,482	2,424,235	1,843,756		
In non-current assets	47,199	49,858	48,336	51,056		
Total	1,392,831	1,147,340	2,472,571	1,894,812		

This table was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 8.

### 8. Inventories

	Mar/2012	Parent company Dec/2011	Mar/2012	Consolidated Dec/2011
	1 402 252	1 102 0 40	2 775 256	0 444 547
Finished goods	1,493,353	1,192,940	2,775,256	2,444,547
Raw materials, production inputs and packaging	567,957	620,877	781,813	866,206
Maintenance materials	97,140	95,980	188,559	183,779
Advances to suppliers	8,653	16,522	38,155	58,200
Imports in transit and other	107,182	42,190	137,161	70,790
Total	2,274,285	1,968,509	3,920,944	3,623,522

This table was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 9.

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9. Related parties

The Company carries out transactions with related parties in the ordinary course of its operations and activities. The Company believes that all the conditions set forth in the contracts with related parties serve the Company's interests. A permanent objective of Braskem's management is to ensure that these contracts present terms and conditions that are as favorable to the Company as those it would enter into with any other third party.

(a) Parent company

arch 31, Liabi	ances at Ma	Bala		Assets			
Non-cui	]	Current		ASSUS			
C acco	Related parties	Other accounts	Related parties	Non-current	Current		
			•			Subsidiaries	Subsi
					12,646(i)	Braskem America	Brask
					38,672(ii)	Braskem Argentina	Brask
					1,288(ii)	Braskem Chile	Brask
xiv)	5,687(xi					Braskem Distribuidora	Brask
xv)	2,124,569(x)				87,684(ii)	Braskem Holanda	Brask
xiv)	119(xi					Braskem Importação	Brask
xvi) 2,893	6,996(x)	i) 2,730,298(xiii)	96,164(xii	6,522(viii)	11,698(ii)	Braskem Inc	Brask
					581(iii)	Braskem México	Brask
				1,507(ix)	96(iii)	Braskem Participações	Brask
		7,019(xiii)		799,886(x)	36,070(iv)	Braskem Petroquímica	Brask
xiv)	165,090(xi	979(xiii)			825(ii)	Braskem Qpar	Brask
		608(xiii)			24(ii)	Cetrel	Cetre
xiv)	448(xi					IQAG	IQAC
-				53(ix)		Lantana	-
xiv)	25(xi					Politeno Empreendimentos	Polite
,	165,090(x 448(x	979(xiii)		799,886(x)	96(iii) 36,070(iv) 825(ii)	Braskem Participações Braskem Petroquímica Braskem Qpar Cetrel IQAG Lantana	Brask Brask Brask Cetrel IQAC Lanta

Quantiq	22,005(iv)	51,986(ix)		288(xiii	) 75,486(xiv	)
Riopol	9,510(ii)	738,799(x)		2,013(xiii	) 185,877(xiv	)
	221,099	1,598,753	96,164	2,741,205	2,564,297	2,893
Jointly-controlled subsidiaries						
RPR	2,432(v)					
Propilsur	5,196(iii)					
Polimerica	3,497(iii)					
	11,125					
Associated companies						
Borealis Brasil S.A. ("Borealis")	1,288(i)					
Sansuy Administração, Participação,						
Representação e Serviços Ltda ("Sansuy")	15,279(ii)			220(xiii	)	
	16,567			220		
Related companies	·					
Petrobras	81,037(vi)	59,327(xi)		1,489,220(xiii	)	
Refinaria Alberto Pasqualini ("Refap")				30,392(xiii	)	
Other	259(vi)			<i>,</i> , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	,	
	81,296	59,327		1,519,612		
Specific Purpose Entity	,	·				
FIM Sol	2,446,171(vii)					
	2,446,171					
	, -,					

 Total
 2,776,258
 1,658,080
 96,164
 4,261,037
 2,564,297
 2,893

 (i)
 Amounts under "trade accounts receivable": R\$13,231 and under "other accounts receivable": R\$703.
 2,893

(ii) Amounts under "trade accounts receivable":

(iii) Amounts under "other accounts receivable".

(iv) Amounts under "trade accounts receivable": R\$27,807 and under "interest on equity receivable". R\$30,268.

(v) Amount under "interest on equity receivable".

(vi) Amounts under "trade accounts receivable": R\$36,996 and under "other accounts receivable": R\$44,300.

(vii) Amounts under "cash and cash equivalents": R\$2,172,955 and under "financial investments": R\$273,216.

(viii) Amount under "related parties" related to loan agreements subject to exchange variation + interest of 5.81% per annum.

(ix) Amounts under "related parties" related to current accounts.

(x) Amounts under "related parties" related to current accounts: R\$150,247 and under "advance for future capital increase (AFAC)": R\$1,388,438.

(xi) Amount under "related parties" related to loan agreements subject to TJLP + interest of 2% per annum.

(xii) Amount under "related parties" related to borrowings subject to exchange variation + interest of between 7.0% and 11.0 % per annum.

(xiii) Amounts under "trade payables".

(xiv) Amounts under "related parties" related to current accounts.

(xv) Amount under "related parties" related to advances for exports, subject to exchange variation + interest from 1.4% to 7.88% per annum.

(xvi) Amount under "related parties" related to notes payable, subject to exchange variation.

(xvii) Amounts under "borrowings", subject to exchange variation + interest of between 7.00% and 11.0% per annum.

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## Income statement transactions from January to March 31, 2012

		Purchases of		Cost of
		raw materials,	Financial	production/general
	Sales	services and	income	and administrative
a	of products	utilities	(expenses)	expenses
Subsidiaries			(1.10)	
Braskem America	3,774		(142)	
Braskem Argentina	29,989		(2,419)	
Braskem Chile	18,672		(56)	
Braskem Holanda	101,425		(39,733)	
Braskem Inc	10,929	471,473	183,929	
Braskem Petroquimica	73,488	38,387		
Braskem Qpar	1,545	21,601		
Ideom	2	5,500		
Lantana			(2)	
Quantiq	32,585	3,277		
Riopol	29,411	18,355		
	301,820	558,593	141,577	
Jointly-controlled subsidiary				
RPR	1,940			
	1,940			
Associated companies				
Borealis	35,694			
Sansuy	6,489	220		
	42,183	220		
Related companies				
CNO - Construtora Norberto Odebrecht				
("CNO")		105,359		
OSP		87,538		
Petrobras	213,555	2,531,291	1,158	
Refap	,	82,459		
1	213,555	2,806,647	1,158	
Post-employament benefit plan	, -	, ,	,	
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Odebrecht Previdência Privada ("Odeprev")				3,247 <b>3,247</b> <b>3,247</b>
Total	559,498	3,365,460	142,735	3,247
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Assets

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Balances at December 31, 2011 Liabilities

				Current		on-current
	Current	Non-current	Related parties	Other accounts	Related parties	Other accounts
Subsidiaries	Current	Non-current	parties	accounts	parties	accounts
Braskem America	8,164(i)					
Braskem Argentina	37,149(i)					
Braskem Chile	506(i)					
Braskem Distribuidora					5,500(xiii	)
Braskem Holanda	171,590(i)		7,157(ix)		1,155,493(ix)	/
Braskem Importação					119(xiii	)
Braskem Inc	30,641(i)	6,633(vi)	72,633(x)	2,363,513(xi)	· · · ·	) 3,448,165(xi)
Braskem Mexico	581(i)	, , , ,	, , , ,	, , , , ,		, , , , , , , ,
Braskem Petroquimica	91,328(xiv)	649,639(viii)		25,523(xii)	) 17,726(xiii	)
Braskem Participações	96(i)	1,497(v)		, , ,		, ,
Braskem Qpar	3,137(i)	155,712(v)		1,100(xii)	)	
Cetrel				58(xii)	)	
Ideom	189(i)	8,987(v)		18,899(xii)	)	
IQAG					115(xiii	)
Lantana		54(v)				
Politeno Empreendimentos		1(v)				
Quantiq	23,783(ii)	5,022(v)		246(xii)	) 14,275(xiii	)
Riopol	12,977(i)	738,799(viii)		10,476(xii)	97,136(xiii	)
	380,141	1,566,344	79,790	2,419,815	1,297,567	3,448,165
Jointly-controlled subsidiaries						
Propilsur	5,196(i)					
Polimerica	3,497(i)					
	8,693					
Associated company						
Borealis	3,123(i)					
	3,123					
<b>Related companies</b>						

CNO			4,128
Petrobras	21,319(iii)	58,169(vii)	1,360,267(xii)
Refap	19,492(i)		9,930(xii)
Other	564(iii)		
	41,375	58,169	1,374,325
Specific Purpose Entity			
FIM Sol	1,665,817(iv)		
	1,665,817		

Total		2,099,149	1,624,513	79,790	3,794,140	1,297,567	3,448,165
(i)	Amounts under "t	rade accounts receivable	": R\$286,771 a	nd under "ot	her accounts r	eceivable": R\$9	9,567.

(ii) Amounts under "trade accounts receivable": R\$7,788 and under "dividends and interest on equity receivable": R\$15,995.

(iii) Amounts under "trade accounts receivable": R\$5,790 and under "other accounts receivable": R\$16,093.

(iv) Amounts under "cash and cash equivalents": R\$1,513,400 and under "financial investments": R\$152,417.

(v) Amounts under "related parties" related to current accounts.

(vi) Amounts under "related parties" related to loan agreements subject to exchange variation + interest of 5.81% per annum.

(vii) Amounts under "related parties" related to loan agreements subject to TJLP + interest of 2% per annum.

(viii) Amounts under "related parties" related to AFAC.

(ix) Amounts under "related parties" related to advances for export, subject to exchange variation + quarterly LIBOR + interest of 1.4% per annum.

(x) Amounts under "related parties" related to notes payable, subject to exchange variation + quarterly LIBOR + interest of 1.6% per annum.

(xi) Amounts under "borrowings", subject to exchange variation + interest of between 7% and 11% per annum.

(xii) Amounts under "trade payables".

(xiii) Amounts under "related parties" related to current accounts: R\$134,871 and notes payable: R\$7,203.

(xiv) Amounts under "trade accounts receivable": R\$77,055 and under "dividends and interest on equity receivable": R\$14,273.

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## Income statement transactions from January to March 31, 2011

		Purchases		Cost of
		of raw		
		materials,	Financial	production/general
	Sales	services and	income	and administrative
0	f products	utilities	(expenses)	expenses
Subsidiaries				
Braskem America	4,545		(105)	
Braskem Argentina	13,808		(830)	
Braskem Chile	1,452		(106)	
Braskem Distribuidora			(80)	
Braskem Holanda	111,076		733	
Braskem Idesa			(1)	
Braskem Importação			(3)	
Braskem Inc		570,178	79,220	
Braskem Participações			1	
Braskem Petroquimica	585	2,375	47	
Braskem Qpar	2,608	20,085	24,532	
Ideom	10		281	
IQAG			(7)	
ISATEC			55	
Lantana			(1)	
Politeno Empreendimentos			1	
Quantiq			635	
Riopol	8,525	99,478	1,827	
	142,609	692,116	106,199	
Jointly-controlled subsidiary				
RPR	10,800			
	10,800			
Associated companies				
Borealis	54,777			
Cetrel	37	8,824		
	54,814	8,824		
Related companies	,	,		

BRK CNO OSP		15,231 60,164	(11)	
Petrobras	200,215	1,643,671	1,060	
Refap	,	303,172	,	
*	200,215	2,022,238	1,049	
Post-employament benefit plan				
Odeprev				2,577
				2,577
Total	408,438	2,723,178	107,248	2,577
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(b) Consolidated

		Assets		Balances at March 31, 2012 Liabilities
	Current	Non-current	Current	Non-current
Jointly-controlled subsidiaries				
RPR			1,247(v)	
Propilsur	2,598(i)			20,822(vi)
Polimerica	1,748(i)			16,139(vi)
	4,346		1,247	36,961
Associated companies			·	
Borealis	1,119(ii)			
Sansuy	15,279(ii)		220(v)	
	16,398		220	
Related companies				
Petrobras	145,922(iii)	59,327(iv)	2,355,384(v)	
Refap			30,468(v)	
Other	262(iii)			
	146,184	59,327	2,385,852	
Total	166,928	59,327	2,387,319	36,961

(i) Amounts under "other accounts receivable".

(ii) Amounts under "trade accounts receivable".

(iii) Amounts under "trade accounts receivable": R\$40,012 and under "other accounts receivable": R\$106,172.

(iv) Amount under "related parties" related to loan agreements subject to TJLP + interest of 2% per annum.

(v) Amounts under "trade payables".

(vi) Amounts under "related parties" related to AFAC made by other shareholders.

	Incor	ne statement transa Purchases of	ections from Janu	ary to March 31, 2012 Cost of
		raw materials,	Financial	production/general
	Sales of products	services and utilities	income (expenses)	and administrative expenses
Jointly-controlled subsidiary	I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I			<b>I I I I I I I I I I</b>
RPR	2,247 <b>2,247</b>	5,013 <b>5,013</b>		
Associated companies	_,	-,		
Borealis	41,539			
Sansuy	6,489	220		
	48,028	220		
Related companies				
CNO		105,359		
OSP		87,538		
Petrobras	365,896	4,022,266	1,158	
Refap		83,084		
	365,896	4,298,247	1,158	
Post-employment benefit plan				
Odeprev				4,128
				4,128
Total	416,171	4,303,480	1,158	4,128

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		Assets		Balances at December 31, 2011 Liabilities
	Current	Non-current	Current	Non-current
Jointly-controlled subsidiaries				
Propilsur	2,598(i)			24,855(v)
Polimerica	1,748(i)			19,978(v)
	4,346			44,833
Associated company	-			
Borealis	3,123(i)			
	3,123			
<b>Related companies</b>	,			
CNO			4,128(iv)	
Petrobras	88,842(ii)	58,169(iii)	1,777,503(iv)	
Refap	19,492(i)	, , ,	10,003(iv)	
Other	565(i)		· 、 、 /	
	108,899	58,169	1,791,634	

Total	116,368	58,169	1,791,634	44,833
(i)	Amounts under "trade accounts receivable":	: R\$22,890 a	nd under "other acc	ounts receivable": R\$4,636.

(ii) Amounts under "trade accounts receivable": R\$6,887 and under "other accounts receivable": R\$81,955.

(iii) Amounts under "related parties" related to loan agreements subject to TJLP + interest of 2% per annum.

(iv) Amounts under "trade payables".

(v) Amounts under "related parties" related to AFAC made by other shareholders.

		Purchases		
		of		
		raw materials,	Financial	production/general
	Sales	services and	income	and administrative
	of products	utilities	(expenses)	expenses
Jointly-controlled subsidiary				
RPR	10,829	7,263	(56)	
	10,829	7,263	(56)	
Associated companies				
Borealis	54,777			
Cetrel	37	9,269		
	54,814	9,269		
Related companies				
BRK			(11)	
CNO		15,231		
OSP		60,164		
Petrobras	345,824	3,129,625	1,059	
Refap		304,600		
	345,824	3,509,620	1,048	
Post-employment benefit plan				
Odeprev				3,504
				3,504
Total	411,467	3,526,152	992	3,504
		23		

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## (c) Key management personnel

Non-current liabilities	Mar/2012	Dec/2011
Long-term incentives	4,121	4,121
Total	4,121	4,121

Income statement transactions	I	Parent company		Consolidated
	Mar/2012	Mar/2011	Mar/2012	Mar/2011
Remuneration				
Short-term benefits to employees and				
managers	3,753	2,956	3,753	3,653
Post-employment benefit	58	48	58	63
Long-term incentives		725		725
Total	3,811	3,729	3,811	4,441

The information related to related parties was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 10.

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**10.** Taxes recoverable

		Parent	t company	Co	nsoli
	Note	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	Mar/2012	De
Parent Company and subsidiaries in Brazil					ľ
Excise tax (IPI)		36,277	30,625	40,131	1
Value-added tax on sales and services (ICMS)		632,348	649,546	1,025,306	1,05
Social integration program (PIS) and social contribution on revenue (COFINS)		343,686	280,480	519,721	47
PIS and COFINS - Law No. 9,718/98		152,627	151,457	158,903	1.
PIS - Decree-Law 2,445 and 2,449/88		180,868	180,234	200,606	19
Income tax and social contribution (IR and CSL)		254,272	242,615	392,624	. 31
Tax on net income (ILL)		15,112	14,912	15,112	1
REINTEGRA program	(a)	53,101	13,804	66,096	1
Additional state income tax (AIRE)	• •	56,001	-	-	
Other		48,415	-		
Foreign subsidiaries					
Value-added tax				105,593	¢
Income tax				16,988	1
Total		1,772,707	1,669,232	2,678,595	2,54
In current assets		633,618	606,258	1,096,936	1,03
In non-current assets		1,139,089	1,062,974	1,581,659	1,50
Total				2,678,595	

#### (a) **REINTEGRA Program**

On December 14, 2011, Federal Law 12,546 was approved, which created the program called "REINTEGRA". The program aims to refund to exporters the federal taxes levied on the production chain for goods sold abroad. On March 31, 2012, the Company recorded credits amounting to R\$48,172 (Note 29).

The information related to taxes recoverable was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 11.

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## 11. Judicial deposits

	Parent company Consoli			Consolidated
	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	Mar/2012	Dec/2011
Judicial deposits				
Tax contingencies	95,531	96,081	105,096	105,611
Labor and social security	55,934	50,595	67,137	60,187
contingencies				
Other	4,915	4,916	6,731	8,422
Total	156,380	151,592	178,964	174,220

This table was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 12.

#### 12. Insurance claims

On March 31, 2012, the main amounts under this item were as follows:

(i) damages receivable for losses that occurred in December 2010 and February 2011 in the furnaces and electric system in the Olefins plants of the Basic Petrochemicals unit of the Northeast Complex in the amounts of R\$141,578 and R\$61,649, respectively; and

(ii) damages receivable for losses at the Chlor-Alkali plant in the state of Alagoas in the amount of R\$13,892.

The information related to insurance claims was presented in the 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 13.

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13. Other accounts receivable - consolidated

(a) Current

The main balances forming this account in current assets are:

(i) R\$235,962 in damages recognized in the first quarter of 2012, in accordance with the feedstock supply agreement entered into between Sunoco and Braskem America (Note 1(a));

(ii) R\$114,575 in advances to services suppliers (R\$96,213 on December 31, 2011);

(iii) R\$106,172 in accounts receivable from related companies (R\$81,955 on December 31, 2011), Note 9(b).

(b) Non-current

On March 31, 2012, the main balance under this item refers to interest receivable and monetary restatement on the mandatory Eletrobras loan in the periods from 1977 to 1986 and 1987 to 1994, in the amount of R\$80 million.

The information related to other accounts receivable was presented in the 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 14.

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14. Investments

## (a) Information on investments

			Adjusted n	Parent company Adjusted		
		Interest in total capital (%)		for the period		equity
(a.1) Investments of the parent						-
company		Mar/2012	Mar/2012	Mar/2011	Mar/2012	Dec/2011
Subsidiaries						
Braskem Alemanha		5.66	(11,236)		196,143	208,192
Braskem America		100.00	162,902	15,096	634,956	480,405
Braskem Argentina		96.77	788	1,007	5,253	4,465
Braskem Austria	(i)	100.00			81	
Braskem Chile		99.02	37	955	1,587	1,543
Braskem Distribuidor	a	100.00	(2,469)	(2,566)	92,021	94,490
Braskem Holanda		100.00	53,741	5,145	484,787	489,925
Braskem Finance		100.00	2,507	(2,603)	(88,483)	(90,990)
Braskem Idesa		65.00	(12,754)	(9,277)	325,471	267,367
Braskem Importação		0.04	(2,527)		85,745	205
Braskem Inc.		100.00	(3,664)	16,150	184,326	187,990
Braskem Participaçõe	S	100.00	567	603	1,504	781
Braskem Petroquímic	a	100.00	3,019	10,734	916,234	913,193
Braskem Qpar		96.96	(42,206)	4,660	2,679,850	2,722,056
Cetrel	(ii)	52.76	6,469		299,444	290,192
Ideom	(iii)	100.00		(3,236)		20,762
IQAG		0.12	260	138	2,453	1,690
ISATEC	(iv)			(801)		

Petroquímica Chile Politeno Empreendimentos Quantiq Riopol	97.96 99.98 99.90 100.00	(13) (1) 3,328 (19,827)	(111) (2) 7,685 42,858	6,758 30 232,227 1,747,747	6,708 31 228,899 1,767,574
Jointly-controlled subsidiary	33.20	4,099	8,571	116,511	120,655
Associates Borealis Companhia de	20.00	5,703		155,060	149,349
Desenvolvimento Rio Verde ("Codeverde") Cetrel	35.97	(199)	(100) 10,584	46,738	66,606
Sansuy	20.00	(16)		1,954	1,954

(i) Company incorporated in February 2012 (Note 1(b.2)).

(ii) Change from associate to subsidiary due to a new interpretation of the Bylaws (Note 2.3 (ii)).

(iii) Company merged into Braskem in February 2012 (Note 1(b.3)).

(iv) Company divested in May 2011.

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		Adjusted ne	t profit (loss)	Parent compan Adjuste		
	Interest in total capital (%)		or the period		equity	
	Mar/2012	Mar/2012	Mar/2011	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	
(a.2) Investments of subsidiaries						
Braskem America					-	
Braskem America Finance	100.00	(328)		(3,235)	(3,506)	
Braskem Chile						
Braskem Argentina	3.17	788	1,007	5,253	4,465	
Petroquímica Chile	2.03	(13)	(111)	6,758	6,708	
Braskem Distribuidora						
Braskem Importação	99.96	(2,527)	4	85,745	205	
Braskem Argentina	0.06	788	1,007	5,253	4,465	
Lantana	96.34	(2,527)	(1,765)	85,745	88,272	
Braskem Holanda						
Braskem Alemanha	94.34	(11,236)		196,143	208,192	
Propilsur	49.00	(168)		90,870	103,419	
Polimerica	49.00	1		62,155	71,377	
Braskem Idesa						
Braskem Idesa Serviços	100.00	81		2,170	1,982	
Braskem Importação						
Braskem México	0.03	587	621	2,979	2,237	
Braskem Inc.						
Braskem Chile	0.98	37	(111)	1,587	1,543	
Lantana	3.66	(2,527)	(1,765)	85,745	88,272	
Petroquímica Chile	0.01	(13)	(111)	6,758	6,708	
Braskem Participações						
Ideom			(3,236)	-	20,762	
Braskem México	99.97	587	621	2,979	2,237	

	Politeno	0.02	(1)	(2)	30	31
	Empreendimentos					
	Quantiq	0.10	3,328	7,685	232,227	228,899
Braskem P	etroquímica					
	Braskem Qpar	3.04	(42,206)	4,660	2,679,850	2,722,056
	Cetrel	1.24	6,469	10,584	299,444	290,192
Common						
	Norfolk	100.00	(171)	(691)	60,794	61,995
Quantiq						
_	IQAG	99.88	260	138	2,453	1,690
Braskem Q	par					
-	Common	100.00	(1,201)	(110)	6,736	6,906

			Consolidated Adjusted		
	Interest in total capital (%)		for the period		equity
	Mar/2012	Mar/2012	Mar/2011	Mar/2012	Dec/2011
Associates					
Borealis	20.00	5,703		155,060	149,349
Cetrel	(i)		10,584		
Codeverde	35.97	(199)	(100)	46,738	66,606
Sansuy	20.00	(16)		1,954	1,954

(i) Change from associate to subsidiary due to a new interpretation of the Bylaws (Note 2.3 (ii)).

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(b) Movements in investments in subsidiaries, jointly-controlled subsidiary and associate

Subsidiaries and jointly-controlled subsidiary	Balance at Dec/2011	Merger	Shares acquisition	-	Dividends and interest on capital	inv	in results of vestees Adjustment of profit in inventories	Goodwill amortization	Other	Inter
Domestic										
subsidiaries										
Braskem										
Distribuidora	94,490					(2,469)				
Braskem	94,490					(2,409)				
	781					567				
Participações Braskem	/01					307				
	773,644					3,019	649	(859)		
Petroquímica Braskem Qpar	3,632,228					(40,922)	(1,023)	(20,920)		
Cetrel	147,638		254			3,560	(1,023)	(478)		
Ideom (i	,	(23,387)	234			2,625		(478)		
Politeno	1) 20,702	(23,307)				2,025				
Empreendimentos	31					(1)				
Quantiq	234,169					3,328	(2,520)		9	
Riopol	1,765,777					(19,827)	(2,520)		,	
RPR	40,063				(2,432)	1,056	(311)			
	6,709,583	(23,387)	254			(49,064)	(3,405)	(22,257)	9	1,

Foreign									
subsidiaries									
Braskem									
Alemanha	11,784				(636)				
Braskem America	478,380				162,902	2,025			
Braskem									
Argentina	3,127				788	1,338			
Braskem Austria			81						
Braskem Chile	1,543				44				
Braskem Holanda	489,925				53,741				
Braskem Idesa	173,488		34,869		(8,290)				
Braskem Inc.	187,990				(3,664)				
Petroquímica									
Chile	6,708				50				
	1,352,945		34,950		204,935	3,363			
Total subsidiaries	8,062,528 (23,387)	254	34,950	(2,432)	155,871	(42)	(22,257)	9	1,
Associate									
Borealis	29,870				1,142				
Total associate	29,870				1,142				

(i) Company merged into Braskem in February 2012 (Note 1(b.2)).

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(c) Breakdown of equity accounting results

		Parent		Consolidated	
	Mar/2012	company Mar/2011	Mar/2012	Mar/2011	
Equity in results of subsidiaries and jointly-controlled subsidiary	155,829	96,513	(1,845)	1,228	
Equity in results of associate	1,142	5,472	1,083	5,601	
Amortization of fair value adjustment	(22,257)(i)	(24,281)	(1,337)(i)	(1,364)	
(Provision) reversal for losses on investments/other	2,516	(4,039)			
	137,230	73,665	(2,099)	5,465	

(i) Amortization of fair value adjustments comprises the following:

• R\$20,920 related to the amortization of fair value adjustments on the assets and liabilities from the acquisition of Quattor . This amount is distributed in the following items of the consolidated statement of operations: "net sales revenue", in the amount of R\$4,072; "cost of sales", in the amount of R\$23,073; "general and administrative expenses" in the amount of R\$23, and "financial results", in the amount of R\$4,528. The effect of deferred income tax and social contribution was R\$10,776.

• R\$1,337 related to the amortization of goodwill from fair value adjustments on property, plant and equipment of the subsidiaries Braskem Petroquímica and Cetrel.

The information related to investments was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 15.

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## 15. Property, plant and equipment

	Cost	Accumulated depreciation/ depletion	Mar/2012 Net	Cost	Accumulated depreciation/ depletion	Parent company Dec/2011 Net
		_			-	
Land	84,112		84,112	84,112		84,112
Buildings and						
improvements	1,429,561	(644,184)	785,377	1,429,520	(632,144)	797,376
Machinery, equipment and						
installations	15,286,491	(6,914,098)	8,372,393	14,900,873	(6,767,658)	8,133,215
Projects in progress	2,667,526		2,667,526	2,618,316		2,618,316
Other	502,262	(303,473)	198,789	499,450	(306,491)	192,959
Impairment	(159,991)		(159,991)	(160,036)		(160,036)
Total	19,809,961	(7,861,755)	11,948,206	19,372,235	(7,706,293)	11,665,942

						Consolidated
			Mar/2012			Dec/2011
		Accumulated depreciation/			Accumulated depreciation/	
	Cost	depletion	Net	Cost	depletion	Net
Land Buildings and	417,201		417,201	418,426		418,426
improvements	1,864,608 23,188,273	(694,520) (8,218,932)	1,170,088 14,969,341	1,859,991 22,755,930	(678,524) (7,923,353)	1,181,467 14,832,577

Machinery, equipment and						
installations						
Projects in progress	4,038,260		4,038,260	3,763,255		3,763,255
Other	938,871	(375,854)	563,017	941,649	(349,151)	592,498
Impairment	(159,991)		(159,991)	(160,036)		(160,036)
Total	30,287,222	(9,289,306)	20,997,916	29,579,215	(8,951,028)	20,628,187

This table was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 16.

The projects in progress mainly relate to operating improvements to increase the economic useful life of machinery and equipment and to the expansion projects, particularly the expansion of the PVC plant in the state of Alagoas and the construction of a new butadiene plant in the state of Rio Grande do Sul. In addition, the balance includes the Company's investment (project finance) in Mexico called Ethylene XXI, for the construction of an ethylene and polyethylene plant through the subsidiary Braskem Idesa.

#### Impairment test for property, plant and equipment

With the announcement of the shutdown of the refinery of Sunoco scheduled for June 9, 2012 (Note 1(a)), the Company's Management decided to conduct impairment testing for the CGU composed of the PP plants in the United States, which is part of the International Business operating segment, in accordance with the guidelines in CPC 1. The test indicated that there is no need to provision for impairment loss of this CGU.

The assumptions used to determine the discounted cash flow include: cash flows for five years based on the Business Plan, discount rates based on the Weighted Average Cost of Capital (WACC) of 8.1% a year and growth rates to determine the perpetuity based on annual inflation rate according to the CPI (Consumer Price Index – rate available in the USA) of 2.3% per year.

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Considering the impact of the "discount rate" and "growth rate for perpetuity" on the potential cash flows, it was performed a sensitivity analysis with changes in these variables which also indicated that there is no need to record a provision. This sensitivity analysis considered two scenarios, of which (i) +0.5% in the discount rate, and (ii) - 0.5% growth rate in perpetuity.

There were no significant events or circumstances in the period ended March 31, 2012 that indicate the need for impairment testing on property, plant and equipment of other CGUs and/or operating segments of the Company.

#### 16. Intangible assets

		A	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	A	Consolidated	Parent company Mar/2012
	Cost	Accumulated amortization	Net	Cost	Accumulated amortization	Net	Net
Goodwill based on future profitability	3,194,545	(1,130,794)	2,063,751	3,194,545	(1,130,794)	2,063,751	2,058,874
Trademarks and patents	182,876	(64,272)	118,604	189,745	(62,217)	127,528	48,525
Software and use rights	414,374	(175,599)	238,775	410,231	(162,444)	247,787	133,887
Contracts with customers and suppliers	671,190	(106,892)	564,298	671,190	(93,564)	577,626	
Total	4,462,985	(1,477,557)	2,985,428	4,465,711	(1,449,019)	3,016,692	2,241,286

This table was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 17.

Impairment testing of intangible assets with indefinite useful life

In December 2011, the Company tested intangible assets for impairment and did not identify any losses. The projection of cash flows used was 5 years as from December 2011. The assumptions used to determine the amount using the discounted cash flow method include: projections of cash flows based on estimates of business for future cash flows, discounted rates based on the Weighted Average Cost of Capital (WACC) and growth rates to determine perpetuity based on annual inflation measured by the IPCA consumer price index (*Índice Nacional de Preços ao Consumidor Amplo*).

There were no significant events or circumstances in the period ended March 31, 2012 that indicate the need for impairment testing of the intangible assets with indefinite useful life.

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17. Borrowings

		Annual financial charges Monetary restatement	Average interest (unless otherwise	Mar/2012	Consolidated Dec/2011
Foreign currei	201	restatement	stated)		Dec/2011
<u>roreign currei</u>	Bonds and MTN (i)	Note 17 (a) US dollar	Note 17 (a)	6,939,714	6,147,427
	Advances on exchange	exchange			
	contracts (ii)	variation	2.03%		131,668
	Export prepayments	Note 17 (b)	Note 17 (b)	1,249,583	1,781,346
	BNDES	Note 17 (c) US dollar exchange	Note 17 (c)	416,422	413,722
	Raw material	variation	3.02%	6,187	6,322
	Export credit notes	Note 17 (d) Yen exchange	Note 17 (d) 0.95% above	703,867	723,153
	Project financing (NEXI)	variation US dollar	Libor	13,371	26,318
		exchange	1.93% above		
	Other	variation	Libor	503,264	469,764
	Transactions costs, net			(82,854)	(84,525)
Local currency					
	Export credit notes	Note 17 (d)	Note 17 (d)	1,862,762	2,281,814
	BNDES BNB/ FINAME/ FINEP/	Note 17 (c)	Note 17 (c)	2,550,687	2,556,521
	FUNDES		6.81%	533,047	504,476

	BNB/ FINAME/ FINEP/				
	FUNDES	TJLP	0.20%	32,567	40,372
		Post-fixed			
		monetary			
	Other	2		11.000	140 150
	Other	correction	106% of CDI	11,008	148,158
	Transactions costs, net			(400)	(1,724)
Total				14,739,225	15,144,812
Current liabiliti	es			1,243,609	1,391,779
Non-current lia	bilities			13,495,616	13,753,033
Total				14,739,225	15,144,812

(i) Medium Term Notes (MTNs)

(ii) In February 2012, the Company paid this borrowing in advance.

			Parent company
		Mar/2012	Dec/2011
<u>Foreign currency</u>			
	Current liabilities	319,193	409,580
	Non-current liabilities	6,704,989	7,586,674
		7,024,182	7,996,254
Local currency			
·	Current liabilities	630,634	551,939
	Non-current liabilities	3,518,853	3,689,522
		4,149,487	4,241,461
Current liabilities		949,827	961,519
Non-current liabilities		10,223,842	11,276,196
Total		11,173,669	12,237,715

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(a) Bonds and MTN

Issue date		Issue amount (US\$ in thousands)	Maturity	Interest (% per year)	Mar/2012	Consolidated Dec/2011
July 1997		250.000	June 2015	9.38	122,633	123,379
January 2004		250.000	January 2014	11.75	157,109	166,392
September 2006		275.000	January 2017	8.00	241,534	253,563
June 2008		500.000	June 2018	7.25	932,150	942,622
May 2010		400.000	May 2020	7.00	744,259	752,951
May 2010		350.000	May 2020	7.00	655,468	663,296
October 2010		450.000	no maturity	7.38	834,391	858,981
			date			
April 2011		750.000	April 2021	5.75	1,397,779	1,419,013
July 2011		500.000	July 2041	7.13	923,311	967,230
February 2012	(i)	250.000	April 2021	5.75	467,530	
February 2012	(ii)	250.000	no maturity	7.38	463,550	
			date			
Total		4,225,000			6,939,714	6,147,427

(i) On February 2, 2012, the Company concluded the bond issue in the amount of US\$250 million that represented an additional issue to the operation that Braskem Finance carried out in April 2011, in the amount of US\$750 million.

(ii) On February 14, 2012, the Company concluded the bond issue in the amount of US\$250 million that represented an additional issue to the perpetual bond issue carried out by Braskem Finance in October 2010 in the amount of US\$450 million.

(b) Export prepayments ("EPP")

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	Initial				
	amount				
	of the			Consolidated	
	transaction				
Issue date	(US\$	Maturity	Charges (% per year)	Mar/2012	Dec/2011
	thousand)				
December	55.000	December	US dollar exchange variation	18,790	25,803
2005		2012	+ semiannual Libor + 1.60		
July 2006 (i)	95.000	June 2013	US dollar exchange variation	27,051	33,416
			+ 3.17		
July 2006 (i)	75.000	July 2014	US dollar exchange variation	63,781	72,696
			+ 2.73		
March 2007 (i)	35.000	March 2014	US dollar exchange variation	36,444	47,147
			+ 4.10		
April 2007 (ii)	150.000	April 2014	US dollar exchange variation		282,206
		-	+ 3.40		
March 2010 (iii)	100.000	March 2015	US dollar exchange variation		190,808
			+ 4.67		
May 2010	150.000	May 2015	US dollar exchange variation	277,600	282,093
			+ semiannual Libor + 2.40		
June 2010	150.000	June 2016	US dollar exchange variation	276,122	281,869
			+ semiannual Libor + 2.60		
December	100.000	December	US dollar exchange variation	184,505	187,783
2010		2017	+ semiannual Libor + 2.47		
March 2011 (iv)	200.000	February	US dollar exchange variation	365,290	377,525
		2021	+ semiannual Libor + 1.20		
Total	1,110,000			1,249,583	1,781,346

(i) Braskem contracted hedge transactions for certain export prepayment contracts in order to offset the variation in LIBOR (Note 18.2.1(b.i)). On March 31, 2012, the breakdown of the charges on these contracts already shows the nominal rate applied taking into consideration these transactions.

(ii) On March 31, 2012, the balance of financial investments of Braskem Holanda was irrevocably offset in the consolidated financial statements using the balance of EPP of the Parent Company, in accordance with the credit assignment contract entered into between those companies and Banco Bradesco (Note 6). Such offsetting is allowed under CPC 39 when there is intent to realize a financial asset and to settle a financial liability simultaneously.

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(iii) On March 29, 2012, this borrowing was completely settled in advance.

(iv) The operation establishes formal financial covenants between the Company and the financial institution (Note 17(i)).

## (c) BNDES borrowings

Braskem has borrowings contracted with the Brazilian Development Bank (BNDES), with a breakdown by project presented below:

				(	Consolidated
Projects	Issue date	Maturity	Charges (% per year)	Mar/2012	Dec/2011
Other	2005/2006	September 20	)16TJLP + 0.52 to 3.50	150,587	166,862
Other	2005/2006	October 2016	US dollar exchange variation + 6.44 to 6.64	10,799	11,764
Other	2005/2006	October 2016	Monetary variation (UMBNDES) + 5.54 to 6.34	2,876	3,683
Plant PP - Paulinia	2006	December 2014	TJLP + 2.40 to 3.40	224,596	245,014
Plant PP - Paulinia	2006	January 2015	US dollar exchange variation + 6.54	22,803	25,546
Limit of credit UNIB-South	2006	May 2014	TJLP + 2.02 to 3.00	79,959	92,131
	2006	July 2014		15,413	17,866

Limit of credit			US dollar exchange		
UNIB-South Braskem Qpar	2006/2007/2008	February	variation + 5.46 to 6.14 TJLP + 1.00 to 3.50	426,515	460,270
expansion		2016		,	,
Braskem Qpar	2006/2007/2008	April 2016	US dollar exchange	39,737	44,047
expansion			variation + 6.14 to 6.64		
Braskem Qpar	2006/2007/2008	January	Monetary variation	2,549	2,862
expansion		2015	(UMBNDES) + 6.29		
Limit of credit	2007	April 2015	TJLP + 1.81 to 2.32	239,034	260,851
I	2007			<b>5</b> 1 (01	57.010
Limit of credit	2007	April 2015	US dollar exchange	51,601	57,813
I Crosse DE	2000/2000	Laura 2017	variation $+$ 4.96 to 5.85	404 600	500 002
Green PE	2008/2009	June 2017	TJLP + $0.00$ to $4.78$	484,688	508,083
Green PE	2009	July 2017	US dollar exchange	46,127	49,463
I insid of our did	2009	To man own	variation $+ 6.22$	212 540	227 002
Limit of credit II	2009	January 2017	TJLP + 2.58 to 3.58	312,549	327,902
II Limit of credit	2009	January	US dollar exchange	81,523	87,694
II	2009	2017	variation $+ 6.22$	61,525	07,094
Limit of credit	2009	January	4.50	16,874	17,582
II	2007	2017	н.30	10,074	17,302
Plant expansion PVC	2010	December	TJLP + 0.00 to 3.58	261,403	261,403
Alagoas	2010	2019	1921 1 0.00 to 5.50	201,105	201,405
Plant expansion PVC	2010	January	US dollar exchange	66,672	68,630
Alagoas	2010	2020	variation + 6.22	00,072	00,020
Plant expansion PVC	2010	January	5.50	30,169	30,129
Alagoas		2020		,	,
Limit of credit	2011	January	TJLP + 2.05 to 3.45	244,354	122,234
III		2018			·
Limit of credit	2011	January	US dollar exchange	56,123	28,169
III		2018	variation + 6.09		
Butadiene	2011	December	TJLP + 2.45 to 3.45	80,252	64,060
		2020			
Butadiene	2011	January	US dollar exchange	19,906	16,185
		2021	variation + 6.09		
Total				2,967,109	2,970,243

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(d) Export credit notes ("NCE")

		Initial				Consolidated
Issue date		amount of the transaction	Maturity	Charges (% per year)	Mar/2012	Dec/2011
December 2005	(i)	100,000	March 2014	106% of CDI		105,345
January 2006		11,500	January 2014	108% of CDI	4,699	7,731
November 2006		167,014	May 2018	Us dollar exchange variation + 8.10	146,665	147,991
April 2007		101,605	March 2018	Us dollar exchange variation + 7.87	94,610	95,533
May 2007		146,010	May 2019	Us dollar exchange variation + 7.85	140,293	141,636
January 2008		266,430	February 2020	Us dollar exchange variation + 7.30	276,585	290,043
March 2008		41,750	March 2016	Us dollar exchange variation + 7.50	45,714	47,950
April 2010		50,000	March 2014	12.16	62,628	60,861
June 2010		200,000	June 2014	12.13	244,471	237,590
September 2010	(ii)	71,000	September 2012	100.7% of CDI	84,145	81,818
February 2011	l	250,000	February 2014	99% of CDI	281,286	274,613
April 2011	(iii)	450,000	April 2019	112.5% of CDI	459,904	461,209
June 2011		80,000	June 2014	98.5% of CDI	86,617	84,572
August 2011	(iii)	400,000	August 2019	112.5% of CDI	403,639	404,267
October 2011	(i)	250,000	April 2012	108.3% of CDI		158,568
November 2011	(i)	400,000	November 2019	112.5% of CDI		405,240
January 2012		200,000		103% of CDI	205,059	

		December 2013			
February 2012	30,000	December 2012	8.50	30,314	
Total	3,215,309	2012		2,566,629	3,004,967

(i) In March 2012, the Company settled these borrowings in advance.

(ii) The Company entered into a swap operation for this borrowing, which was designated as hedge accounting (Note 18.2.1(b.ii)).

(iii) The Company entered into hedge transactions for certain NCE contracts in order to offset the variation in the Interbank Certificate of Deposit (CDI) rate (Note 18.2.1(a.ii)).

(e) **Project finance - NEXI** 

In March and September 2005, the Company obtained loans in Japanese currency from Nippon Export and Investment Insurance ("NEXI"), in the amount of YEN 5,256,500 thousand (R\$136,496) and YEN 6,628,200 thousand (R\$141,529), respectively. The principal is repayable in 11 installments as from March 2007, with final maturity in June 2012. The Company entered into swap agreements for the entire amount of these debts (Note 18.2.1 (a.i)).

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(f) Payment schedule

The long-term amounts mature as follows:

	Mar/2012	Consolidated Dec/2011
2013	853,684	1,252,464
2014	1,601,037	1,781,917
2015	1,083,775	1,123,509
2016	1,195,148	1,204,472
2017	586,188	565,456
2018	1,301,215	1,331,131
2019	1,132,590	1,536,264
2020	1,711,622	1,754,200
2021	1,849,171	1,430,065
2022 and thereafter	2,181,186	1,773,555
Total	13,495,616	13,753,033

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(g) Capitalized financial charges

The Company and its subsidiaries capitalized financial charges in the period ended March 31, 2012 in the amount of R\$32,953 (R\$5,056 on March 31, 2011), including monetary and exchange variation. The average rate of these charges in the period was 7.46% per year (7.28% per year on March 31, 2011).

(h) Guarantees

Braskem gave collateral for part of its borrowings as follows:

Loans	Maturity	Total guaranteed	Total debt Mar/2012	Guarantees
BNB	December 2022	234,922	234,922	Mortgage of plants, pledge of machinery and equipment
BNDES	January 2020	2,965,637	2,952,124	Mortgage of plants, land and property, pledge of machinery and equipment
FUNDES	May 2020	204,342	204,342	Mortgage of plants, land and property, pledge of machinery and equipment
NEXI	June 2012	13,371	13,371	Insurance policy
EPP	March 2014	36,444	36,444	Mortgage guarantees of 2° grade and land
FINEP	January 2019	120,143	64,942	Bank surety
FINAME	July 2015	5,777	5,777	Pledge of equipment
Total		3,580,636	3,511,922	

## (i) Financial covenants

Some of the borrowing agreements of the Company (Note 17 (b.iv) and 17e)) establish limits for certain indicators related to the capacity to contract debt and pay interest.

The first indicator establishes a limit for the indebtedness of the Company based on its EBITDA generating capacity.

The second indicator stipulated in the agreements of the Company is the division of consolidated EBITDA by net interest, which corresponds to the difference between interest paid and interest received.

On March 31, 2012, the Company was in compliance with all commitments undertaken.

The information related to borrowings was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 19.

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**18.** Financial instruments

## **18.1.** Non-derivative financial instruments

	Classifies tion by	Fair value			Book value		Fair value
	Classification by category	hierarchy	Note	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	Mar/2012	Dec/2011
Cash and cash equivalents	Loans and		5				
Cash and banks Financial investments in	receivables			241,143	349,916	241,143	349,916
Brazil Financial investments in	Held-for-trading	Level 2		394,799	435,580	394,799	435,580
Brazil Financial	receivables			2,172,955	1,464,245	2,172,955	1,464,245
investments abroad	Held-for-trading	Level 2		494,222 <b>3,303,119</b>	737,078 <b>2,986,819</b>	494,222 <b>3,303,119</b>	737,078 <b>2,986,819</b>
<b>Financial investments</b> FIM Sol			6				
investments Investiments in	Held-for-trading	Level 2		35,177	36,410	35,177	36,410
foreign currency Shares	Held-for-trading Held-for-trading	Level 2 Level 1		9,111 3,023 238,039	10,716 3,023 116,007	9,111 3,023 238,039	10,716 3,023 116,007

FIM Sol investments Quotas of receivables	Loans and receivables					
investment fund	Held-to-maturity		39,269	34,720	39,269	34,720
Restricted deposits	Held-to-maturity		3,754 <b>328,373</b>	4,173 <b>205,049</b>	3,754 <b>328,373</b>	4,173 <b>205,049</b>
Trade accounts receivable	Loans and receivables	7	2,472,571	1,894,812	2,472,571	1,894,812
<b>Related parties</b>	Loans and	9 (b)				
Assets	receivables		59,327	58,169	59,327	58,169
Trade payables	Other financial liabilities		8,944,232	6,847,340	8,944,232	6,847,340
Borrowings		17				
Foreign currency	Other financial liabilities Other financial		9,749,554	9,699,720	10,191,892	9,956,792
Local currency	liabilities		4,989,671	5,531,341	4,990,364	5,531,765
			14,739,225	15,231,061	15,182,256	15,488,557
	Other financial					
Debentures	liabilities		17,582	19,102	17,582	19,102

#### Fair value hierarchy

Level 1 – fair value obtained through prices quoted (without adjustments) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities, such as the stock exchange.

Level 2 - Fair value obtained from discounted cash flow models, when the instrument is a forward purchase or sale or a swap contract, or valuation models of option contracts, such as the Black-Scholes model, when the derivative has the characteristics of an option; and

Level 3 - techniques that use data that have a significant effect on fair value and that are not based on observable market data, that is, unobservable inputs. The Company did not apply this technique on its financial instruments.

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# **18.2.** Derivative financial instruments

			Characteristics of the operation			Change in fair			
Identification			Asset part	Liability part	Dec/2011	value (Note 18.2.2)	Financial settlement	Mar/2012	
<u>Non-hedge accoutin</u> <u>transactions</u>	g	Note							
Foreign exchange swap		18.2.1 (a.i) Note	Iene	CDI	649	2,560	(2,605)	604	
Foreign exchange swap		18.2.1 (a.ii) Note	CDI	Dolar	70,969	17,075	8,608	96,652	
Repurchase of shares swap Commodity swap -	(i)	18.2.1 (a.iii)	Share value	CDI Variable	2,263	(1,781)		482	
naphtha Commodity swap -	(ii)		Fixed price	price Fixed	480	(24)	(456)		
ethanol	(ii)	Note	Variable price	price	(202)	(51)	253		
Commodity swap - naphtha	(ii)	18.2.1 (a.iv) Note	Brent (iii)	Naphtha		155		155	
Commodity swap - ethanol	(ii)	18.2.1 (a.v)	Reais	Dolar	74,159	1,369 <b>19,303</b>	5,800	1,369 <b>99,262</b>	
Hedge accounting					. 1,107	1,000	2,000		

Hedge accounting transactions

	Note						
	18.2.1		Fixed				
Interest rate swaps	(b.i)	Libor	rate	19,309	621	(5,838)	14,092
	Note						
	18.2.1	Pre-contractual					
Interest rate swaps	(b.ii)	rate	CDI	(833)	(262)		(1,095)
				18,476	359	(5,838)	12,997
Current assets (other							
receivables)				(1,035)			(1,095)
Current liability (hedge							
operations)				83,392			111,980
Non-current liabilities (her	dge						
operations)				10,278			1,374
				92,635			112,259

(i) The Braskem's shares that were repurchased by a financial institution involved swap transactions (Note 26(c)).

(ii) In January 2012, the Company settled its commodity swap operations for naphtha and ethanol, which sought to hedge the fixed price and the fluctuation in the variable prices of these commodities, respectively, and entered into new operations to hedge the price of naphtha based on the price of Brent oil (used to produce naphtha), and, in the case of the ethanol swap agreement, swap the price in Brazilian real for U.S. dollar.

(iii) Brent – reference oil price.

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18.2.1. Operations outstanding at March 31, 2012

## (a) Non-hedge accounting transactions

The regular changes in the fair value of swaps are recorded as financial income or expenses in the same period in which they occur. Braskem recognized a financial expense of R\$19,303 related to the change in the fair value of these swaps for the period ended March 31, 2012.

## (a.i) Swaps related to project finance (NEXI)

Identification	Nominal	Interest	Maturity	Mar/2012	Fair value Dec/2011
	value	rate			
Swap NEXI I	28,987	104.29%	June 2012	156	(129)
		CDI			
Swap NEXI II	136,495	101.85%	March		1,468
		CDI	2012		
Swap NEXI III	86,110	103.98%	June 2012	408	(503)
		CDI			
Swap NEXI IV	27,903	103.98%	June 2012	40	(187)
-		CDI			
Total	279,495			604	649
In current liabilities (hedge operations)				604	649
Total				604	649

The purpose of these swap operations is to offset the interest rate risk arising the borrowings mentioned in Note 17(e.i).

# (a.ii) Swaps related to export credit notes (NCE)

					Fair value
Identification	Nominal	Interest	Maturity	Mar/2012	Dec/2011
	value	rate			
Swap NCE I	200,000	5.44%	August	36,269	32,023
			2019		
Swap NCE II	100,000	5.40%	August	16,060	13,952
-			2019		
Swap NCE III	100,000	5.37%	August	14,610	12,512
-			2019		
Swap NCE IV	100,000	5.50%	April 2019	7,630	6,267
Swap NCE V	100,000	5.50%	April 2019	7,464	6,215
Swap NCE VI	150,000	5.43%	April 2019	6,755	
Swap NCE VII	100,000	4.93%	April 2019	7,864	
Total	850,000		-	96,652	70,969
In current liabilities (hedge operations)				96,652	70,969
Total				96,652	70,969

The purpose of these swap operations is to offset the interest rate risk arising from the borrowings mentioned in Note 17(d).

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(a.iii) Swaps related to share repurchases (Note 26(c))

<b>Identification</b> Repurchase TRS <b>Total</b>	Nominal value 19,830 <b>19,830</b>	Interest rate 108% CDI	<b>Maturity</b> August 2012	Mar/2012 482 482	Fair value Dec/2011 2,263 2,263
In current liabilities (hedge				482	2,263
operations) <b>Total</b>				482	2,263

## (a.iv) Naphtha swaps

	Amount of barrel				Fair value
		Floating spread			D (2011
Identification	BBL (i)	US\$	Maturity	Mar/2012	Dec/2011
		Brent -			
Swap of commodity - naphtha	44,500	US\$ 5.9	April 2012	121	
		Brent -			
Swap of commodity - naphtha	44,500	US\$ 5.8	April 2012	117	
		Brent -			
Swap of commodity - naphtha	44,500	US\$ 5.4	April 2012	81	
1 5 1	,	Brent -	1		
Swap of commodity - naphtha	44,500	US\$ 5.3	April 2012	70	
Swup of commonly maphuna	1,500	Brent -	71pm 2012	70	
Swap of commodity populate	44 500	US\$ 4.7	Amril 2012	24	
Swap of commodity - naphtha	44,500		April 2012	24	
		Brent -			
Swap of commodity - naphtha	44,500	US\$ 3.6	April 2012	(65)	

		Brent -		
Swap of commodity - naphtha	44,500	US\$ 5.8	April 2012	(113)
		Brent -		
Swap of commodity - naphtha	44,500	US\$ 5.8	April 2012	(113)
		Brent -		
Swap of commodity - naphtha	44,500	US\$ 4.0	April 2012	33
Total	400,500		_	155
In current liabilities (hedge				
operations)				155
Total				155

(i) BBL – oil barrel

# (a.v) Ethanol swaps (NDF)

# Fair value

	Nominal				
Identification	value	Rate	Maturity	Mar/2012	Dec/2011
Swap of commodity - ethanol			August		
(NDF)	5,496	1.87%	2012	(6)	
Swap of commodity - ethanol			September		
(NDF)	5,517	1.88%	2012	(3)	
Swap of commodity - ethanol			October		
(NDF)	5,537	1.89%	2012	1	
Swap of commodity - ethanol			November		
(NDF)	5,558	1.90%	2012	2	
Swap of commodity - ethanol			December		
(NDF)	5,568	1.91%	2012	1	
Swap of commodity - ethanol			January		
(NDF)	5,690	1.92%	2013	(2)	
Swap of commodity - ethanol					
(NDF)	7,057	1.75%	July 2012	425	
Swap of commodity - ethanol			August		
(NDF)	2,137	1.76%	2012	130	
Swap of commodity - ethanol			September		
(NDF)	2,161	1.78%	2012	131	
Swap of commodity - ethanol			October		
(NDF)	2,186	1.78%	2012	134	
Swap of commodity - ethanol			November		
(NDF)	2,948	1.79%	2012	183	
Swap of commodity - ethanol			December		
(NDF)	2,981	1.80%	2012	186	
Swap of commodity - ethanol			January		
(NDF)	3,014	1.81%	2013	187	
Total	55,850			1,369	

1,369

In current liabilities (hedge operations) **Total** 

1,369

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(b) Hedge accounting transactions

## (b.i) Interest rate swaps related to export prepayments (EPP)

Identification	Nominal value (US\$ thousand)	Interest rate	Maturity	Mar/2012	Fair value Dec/2011
Swap EPP X	35,000	2.50%	March 2014	1,209	1,216
Swap EPP XI	75,000	1.95%	July 2014	937	1,079
Swap EPP XIV	50,000	2.64%	April 2014	3,522	3,452
Swap EPP XV	100,000	2.62%	April 2014	6,989	6,848
Swap EPP XVI	47,500	1.67%	June 2013	141	184
Swap EPP XVII	75,000	2.20%	March 2015		4,923
Swap EPP XIX	25,000	2.17%	March 2015	1,294	1,608
Total	407,500			14,092	19,309
In current liabilities (hedge operations)				12,718	9,031
In non-current liabilities (hedge operations) Total				1,374 <b>14,092</b>	10,278 <b>19,309</b>

The purpose of these swap operations is to offset the interest rate risk arising from the borrowings mentioned in Note 17(b).

#### (b.ii) Swaps related to export credit notes (NCE)

	Nominal value				Fair value
Identification	(US\$ thousand)	Interest rate	Maturity	Mar/2012	Dec/2011
Swap NCA I	42,612	100.70% CDI	September 2012	(1,095)	(833)
Total	42,612			(1,095)	(833)
In current assets (other receivables) Total				(1,095) ( <b>1,095</b> )	(833) ( <b>833</b> )

The purpose of these swap operations is to offset the interest rate risk arising from the borrowings mentioned in Note 17(d).

## (c) Effectiveness test of transactions designated for hedge accounting

The effectiveness test at March 31, 2012, showed that the derivatives were effective in offsetting the changes in the hedged item from the time the derivatives were contracted until the end of the reporting period, and that all other conditions for qualifying these instruments for hedge accounting were met. Consequently, the effective portion of the changes in the fair value of the derivatives, amounting to R\$359 (Note 18.2.2), was recorded as "other comprehensive income".

#### (d) Estimated maximum loss

The amount at risk of the derivatives held by Braskem on March 31, 2012, which is defined as the highest loss that could result in one month and in 95% of the cases under normal market conditions, was estimated by the Company at US\$47,940 for the EPP swaps, US\$75,700 for NCE swap and R\$26,950 for the NEXI swaps.

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#### 18.2.2. Hedge operations presented under "other comprehensive income"

#### in shareholders' equity

The derivatives indicated in item 18.2.1 (b) were designated as cash flow hedge, resulting in closing balances under "other comprehensive income". The appropriations of interest are allocated to interest expenses in the financial expenses group. The summary of changes in the account is as follows:

	Α	Appropriation of			
	Dec/2011	interest	fair value	Mar/2012	
Swaps EPP	(17,071)	15,972	(621)	(1,720)	
Swap NCE	833		262	1,095	
_	(16,238)	15,972	(359)	(625)	

On March 31, 2012, the appropriation of accrued interest and change in the fair value of derivatives designated as "cash flow hedge" was R\$15,613, which, with the effect of income tax and social contribution of R\$5,309, amounts to R\$10,304 and is presented in "other comprehensive income" under shareholders' equity.

#### **18.3.** Credit quality of financial assets

#### (a) Trade accounts receivable

Only a few of the Company's customers have risk ratings assigned by credit rating agencies. For this reason, the Company developed its own credit rating system for all accounts receivable from domestic customers and part of the accounts receivable from foreign customers. The Company does not apply this rating to all of its foreign customers because most accounts receivable from them are covered by an insurance policy or letters of credit issued by banks. As of March 31, 2012, the credit ratings were as follows:

			Percentage
1	Minimum risk		21.05
2	Low risk		30.19
3	Moderate risk		35.48
4	High risk		4.60
5	Very high risk	(i)	8.69

(i) Most customers in this group are inactive and the respective accounts are in the process of collection actions in the courts. Customers in this group that are still active purchase from Braskem and pay in advance.

Delinquency indicators:

- Mar/2012: 0.36%
- Dec/2011: 0.18%
- Dec/2010: 0.13%

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(b) Other financial assets

In order to determine the credit ratings of counterparties in financial assets classified as cash and cash equivalents, held-for-trading, held-to-maturity and loans and receivables, the Company uses the following credit rating agencies: Standard & Poor's, Moody's and Fitch Ratings.

	Mar/2012	Dec/2011
Financial assets with risk assessment		
AAA	3,300,415	2,868,992
AA	8	206
AA-	78,009	72,029
A+	95,677	96,464
A	24	28
A-	22,748	71,367
BB+	14,922	19,028
B+	2,594	3,590
	3,514,397	3,131,704
Financial assets without risk assessment		
Quotas of investment funds in credit rights (i)	74,444	34,720
Sundry funds (i)	9,220	10,723
Restricted deposits (ii)	3,754	4,173
Other financial assets with no risk assessment	29,677	10,548
	117,095	60,164
Total	3,631,492	3,191,868

(i) Financial assets with no internal or external ratings.

(ii) Risk-free financial assets

Braskem's financial policy determines "A-" as the minimum rating for financial investments. On March 31, 2012, Braskem has balances rated at "B+" and "BB+" related to the jointly controlled companies Propilsur and Polimerica, in the amount of R\$2,594 (R\$3,590 on December 31, 2011) and Time Deposits with Special Guarantee (DPGE) in the amount of R\$14,922 (R\$19,028 on December 31, 2011), respectively. The DPGEs are guaranteed by the Credit Guarantee Fund – FGC, which makes these investments appropriate to Braskem's policy.

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**18.4.** Sensitivity analysis

The financial instruments, including derivatives, may be subject to changes in their fair value as a result of the variation in commodity prices, foreign exchange rates, interest rates, shares and share indexes, price indexes and other variables. The sensitivity of the derivative and non-derivative financial instruments to these variables are presented below:

(a) Selection of risks

On March 31, 2012, the two main risks that can affect the value of the Company's financial instruments are:

- Brazilian real-U.S. dollar exchange rate;
- LIBOR floating interest rate.

For the purposes of the risk sensitivity analysis, the Company presents the exposures to currencies as if they were independent, that is, without reflecting in the exposure to a foreign exchange rate the risks of the variation in other foreign exchange rates that could be directly influenced by it.

## (b) Selection of scenarios

In accordance with CVM Instruction No. 475/08, the Company included three scenarios in the sensitivity analysis, with one that is probable and two that may represent adverse effects to the Company. In the preparation of the adverse

scenarios, only the impact of the variables on the financial instruments, including derivatives, and on the items covered by hedge transactions, was considered. The overall impacts on the Company's operations, such as those arising from the revaluation of inventories and revenue and future costs, were not considered. Since the Company manages its exposure to foreign exchange rate risk on a net basis, adverse effects from depreciation in the Brazilian real in relation to the U.S. dollar can be offset by opposing effects on Braskem's operating results.

The Market Readout published by the Central Bank of Brazil on March 30, 2012 was used to create the probable scenario for the reference date December 31, 2012. The Market Readout presents a consensus of market expectations based on a survey of the forecasts made by various financial and non-financial institutions.

For the interest rate variables not considered in the Market Readout, the probable scenario considered was the percentage variation in the Interbank Certificate of Deposit (CDI) rate. For the exchange rate variables not included in the Market Readout survey, the probable scenario considered was the percentage variation in the U.S. dollar-Brazilian real exchange rate.

For the Brazilian real-U.S. dollar exchange rate, an increase of 25% was considered for the possible adverse scenario and of 50% for the extreme scenario based on the exchange rate on March 31, 2012.

For the LIBOR interest rate, a decrease of 25% was considered for the possible adverse scenario and of 50% for the extreme scenario based on the LIBOR rate on March 31, 2012.

The sensitivity amounts in the table below are the changes in the value of the financial instruments in each scenario, except for table (e), which shows the changes in future cash flows.

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#### (c) Sensitivity to the Brazilian real-U.S. dollar exchange rate

The sensitivity of each financial instrument, including derivatives and items covered by them, to the variation in the Brazilian real-US dollar exchange rate is presented in the table below:

		Possible adverse	Extreme adverse
Instrument	Probable	(25%)	(50%)
Advances on exchange contracts	11,899	(104,032)	(208,065)
BNDES	34,516	(301,783)	(603,565)
Bonds	180,683	(1,579,764)	(3,159,527)
Working capital / structured operations	177	(1,547)	(3,094)
Raw material financing	4,492	(39,277)	(78,554)
Medium-Term Notes	13,254	(115,888)	(231,775)
EPP	(14,499)	126,772	253,544
Financial investments abroad	(1,770)	(280,016)	(560,031)
EPP debt, plus hedge, of which:			
EPP debt	3,703	(32,380)	(64,760)
Swap EPP	403	(3,523)	(7,046)
Other swaps	26,641	(232,933)	(465,867)

#### (d) Sensitivity of future cash flows to the LIBOR floating interest rate

The sensitivity of future interest income and expenses of each financial instrument, including derivatives and items covered by them, is presented in the table below. The figures represent the impact on financial income (expenses), taking into consideration the average term of the respective instrument.

		Possible adverse	Extreme adverse
Instrument	Probable	(25%)	(50%)
Raw material financing	5	(46)	(91)
EPP	961	(8,329)	(16,534)
EPP debt, plus hedge, of which:			
EPP debt	111	(963)	(1,912)
Swap EPP	(111)	963	1,912

The information related to financial instruments was presented in the 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 21.

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## **19.** Taxes payable

	Note	Mar/2012	Parent company Dec/2011	Mar/2012	Consolidated Dec/2011
IPI		34,656	24,259	52,197	38,654
PIS and COFINS				5,947	7,172
IR	(a)	12,775	13,792	124,369	27,712
ICMS		20,926	29,861	125,569	135,131
Tax debt refinancing program - Law		1,603,072	1,600,556	1,672,610	1,669,976
No.11,941/09					
Other		48,628	48,040	65,150	64,521
Total		1,720,057	1,716,508	2,045,842	1,943,166
Current liabilities		219,736	215,924	434,941	329,987
Non-current liabilities		1,500,321	1,500,584	1,610,901	1,613,179
Total		1,720,057	1,716,508	2,045,842	1,943,166

## (a) Income tax

Braskem recognized current income tax when recording the damages received from the agreement between Sunoco and Braskem America in the amount of R\$82,587 (Note 1(a)).

The information related to taxes payable was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 22.

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20. Income tax and social contribution

#### (a) Reconciliation of the effects of income tax and social contribution on profit or loss

		Parent company	Consolidated		
	Mar/2012	Mar/2011	Mar/2012	Mar/2011	
Profit before IR and CSL and participation of non-controlling interest	164,846	415,411	210,668	448,915	
IR and CSL at the rate of 34%	(56,048)	(141,240)	(71,627)	(152,631)	
Permanent adjustments to the IR and CSL calculation basis					
IR and CSL on equity in results of investees	45,805	26,883	(714)	(5,639)	
Tax incentives (Sudene and PAT)	,	7,038	-	7,370	
Other permanent differences	(1,045)	134	13,870	6,964	
Effect of IR and CSL on results of operations	(11,288)	(107,185)	(58,471)	(143,936)	
Breakdown of IR and CSL:					
Current IR and CSL		(28,873)	(102,044)	(76,073)	
Tax incentives (Sudene and PAT)		7,038	-	7,370	
Current IR and CSL		(21,835)	(102,044)	(68,703)	
Deferred IR and CSL	(11,288)	(85,350)	43,573	(75,233)	
Deferred IR and CSL	(11,288)	(85,350)	43,573	(75,233)	
Total IR and CSL	(11,288)	(107,185)	(58,471)	(143,936)	

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(b) Deferred income tax and social contribution

		Parent company		Consolidated
<u>Breakdown of deferred IR</u> and CSL	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	Mar/2012	Dec/2011
Non-current assets				
Tax losses and negative base	184,209	29,199	755,063	545,147
Goodwill amortized	46,857	60,082	50,487	63,821
Temporary differences	198,779	173,627	294,742	255,785
Business combination - Quattor	89,770	89,770	239,855	238,314
Pension plan	45,604	45,604	45,604	45,604
Deferred charges - write-off	9,699	11,199	77,229	82,952
Other (i)	213	5,521	213	5,521
Total	575,131	415,002	1,463,193	1,237,144
Non-current liabilities				
Amortization of goodwill based				
on future profitability (i)	448,266	420,537	508,239	474,985
Tax depreciation (i)	159,900	129,137	264,157	213,684
Exchange variations	165,137	54,276	165,137	54,275
Other temporary differences	5,393	5,779	306,400	321,033
Business combination	70,346	87,947	640,207	667,040
Write-off negative goodwill of				
incorporated subsidiarie	2,226	2,375	2,226	2,375
Additional indexation PP&E	181,764	168,219	181,764	168,220
Other (i)	44,408	32,446	49,586	37,359
Total	1,077,440	900,716	2,117,716	1,938,971

(i) Adequacy Law Nos. 11,638/07 and 11,941/09

# (c) Realization of deferred income tax and social contribution

In December 2011, the Company assessed the realization of deferred income tax and social contribution by analyzing the grounds for accruing and realizing the amounts that comprise its calculation base.

There were no material events or circumstances in the quarter ended March 31, 2012 that indicate any compromising of the realization of these taxes.

The information related to income tax and social contribution was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 23.

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# 21. Sundry provisions

	Mar/2012	Parent company Dec/2011	Mar/2012	Consolidated Dec/2011
Provision for costumers bonus Provision for recovery of	5,714	10,053	10,303	13,577
environmental damages Judicial and administrative	25,281	30,451	31,526	36,777
provisions Other	73,167	73,168	270,412 4,922	266,302 5,067
Total	104,162	113,672	317,163	321,723
In current liabilities In non-current liabilities	9,249 94,913	18,759 94,913	15,773 301,390	23,629 298,094
Total	104,162	113,672	317,163	321,723

The composition of judicial provisions is as follows:

	Mar/2012	Parent company Dec/2011	Mar/2012	Consolidated Dec/2011
Labor claims	27,986	27,986	36,299	36,718
Tax claims Income tax and social contribution PIS and COFINS			28,404 31,107	27,753 30,354

ICMS - interstate purchases ICMS - other Other	38,197	38,197	75,279 53,820 38,197	73,457 52,518 38,197
Societary claims and other	6,984	6,985	7,306	7,305
	<b>73,167</b>	<b>73,168</b>	<b>270,412</b>	<b>266,302</b>

This table was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 24.

# 22. Private pension plans

The amounts recognized for defined benefit pension plans are as follows:

	Parent company			Consolidated
	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	Mar/2012	Dec/2011
Novamont Braskem America			797	821
Petros Copesul plan	134,506	134,506	134,506	134,506
Braskem Alemanha			14,618	14,248
	134,506	134,506	149,921	149,575

The information related to private pension plans was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 26.

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# 23. Advances from customers – non-current liabilities

On March 31, 2012, the balance of this line includes advances of R\$140 million (US\$75 million) from customers overseas for the acquisition of butadiene to be supplied between February 2013 and December 2016.

The information related to advances from customers was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 27.

# 24. Other accounts payable

The main balance of this item refers to notes payable to BNDESPAR Participações S.A. in the amount of R\$240,948 (R\$235,968 on December 31, 2011), which on August 9, 2010 exercised its option to sell shares in Riopol to Braskem, as part of the business combination of Braskem Qpar (current name of Quattor).

This table was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 18.

25. Contingencies

The Company has contingent liabilities related to lawsuits and administrative proceedings arising in the normal course of its business. These contingencies are of a labor and social security, tax, civil and corporate nature and involve risks of losses that are classified by the Company's management as possible. Lawsuits for which the risk of loss is classified as probable is recognized and is presented in Note 21 of this Quarterly Information.

Based on the opinion of the internal legal advisors, there were no significant additions of lawsuits that involve the risk of losses classified as possible or significant changes in the progress of the existing lawsuits.

The description of the main contingent liabilities of the Company was presented in the 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 28.

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26. Shareholders' equity

(a) Capital

On March 31, 2012, the Company's subscribed and paid up capital stock amounted to R\$8,043,222 and comprised 801,665,617 shares with no par value and divided into 451,669,063 common shares, 349,402,736 class A preferred shares, and 593,818 class B preferred shares.

(b) Treasury shares

The breakdown of treasury shares is as follows:

		Parent company				
	Mar/2012	Dec/2011	Mar/2012	Dec/2011		
Quantity						
Common shares	411	411	411	411		
Preferred shares class "A"	1,542,258	1,542,258	2,697,016	2,697,016		
	1,542,669	1,542,669	2,697,427	2,697,427		
Amount (R\$ thousand)	11,325	11,325	60,217	60,217		

# (c) Ongoing share repurchase program

On August 26, 2011, Braskem's Board of Directors approved a program for the repurchase of shares effective for the period between August 29, 2011 and August 28, 2012, through which the Company may acquire up to 12,162,504 class A preferred shares at market price.

As from March 31, 2012, 1,405,400 shares had been repurchased by financial institutions for R\$19,830, at a weighted average cost of R\$14.11 (minimum of R\$13.26 and maximum of R\$15.15). On March 30, 2012, the market price of these shares was R\$20,308.

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(d) Other comprehensive income

	Additional Note indexation of PP&E price-level	Deemed cost of jointly-controlled subsidiary		Foreign currency translation adjustment	Gain on interest in subsidiary	Parent company and consolidated Total
As of December 31, 2010	353,777		(53,292)	(79,135)		221,350
Additional indexation Realization by depreciation or writte-off assets Income tax and social contribution on realization	(10,317) 3,508					(10,317) 3,508
Deemed cost Deemed cost of jointly-controlled subsidiary		22,779				22,779
Cash flow hedges Change in fair value Transfer to result			2,325 10,212			2,325 10,212 119

	Lugarin			-1		
Tax on fair value gains			(1,551)			(1,551)
Foreign currency translation adjustment				(2,228)		(2,228)
As of March 31, 2011	346,968	22,779	(42,306)	(81,363)		246,078
As of December 31, 2011	326,541	21,159	(10,716)	(24,504)	3,106	315,586
Additional indexation Realization by depreciation or writte-off assets	(10,317)					(10,317)
Income tax and social contribution on realization	3,508					3,508
Deemed cost Realization by depreciation or		(348)				(348)
writte-off assets Income tax and social contribution on realization		118				118
Cash flow hedges Change in fair	19.2.2		(359)			(359)
value Transfer to result Tax on fair value gains			15,972 (5,309)			15,972 (5,309)
Gain on interest in subsidiary	14 (b)				1,018	1,018
Foreign currency translation adjustment				(55,631)		(55,631)
As of March 31, 2012	319,732	20,929	(412)	(80,135)	4,124	264,238

The information related to the Company's shareholders' equity was presented in its 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 29.

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# 27. Earnings per share

The table below shows the reconciliation of profit or loss for the period adjusted for the amounts used to calculate basic and diluted earnings per share.

	Basic	Mar/2012 Diluted	Basic	Mar/2011 Diluted
Profit for the period attributed to Company's shareholders	153,558	153,558	308,226	308,226
Dividends attributable to priority Preferred share class "A" Preferred share class "A" potentially convertible (the ratio of 2 shares class "B" for each share class "A")	153,294	153,426 132	209,417	209,495 179
Preferred share class "B"	264		359	
	153,558	153,558	209,776	209,674
Distribution of 6% of the unit value of common shares			98,450	98,552
Reconciliation of income available for distribution, by class (numerator):				
Common shares			98,450	98,552
Preferred shares class "A" Preferred share class "A" potentially convertible (the ratio of 2 shares class "B" for each share class "A")	153,294	153,426 132	209,417	209,495 179
(	153,294	153,558	307,867	308,226
Weighted average number of shares, by class (denominator):				
Common shares (i)			374,037,569	374,037,569
Preferred shares class "A" (ii) Preferred share class "A" potentially convertible	345,300,320	345,300,320	346,724,221	346,724,221
(the ratio of 2 shares class "B" for each share class "A")		296,909		296,909

	345,300,320	345,597,229	720,761,790	721,058,699
Earnings per share (in R\$) Common shares Preferred shares class "A"	0.4439	0.4443	0.2632 0.6040	0.2635 0.6042

(i) On March 31, 2012, the net income for the period of R\$153,558 was insufficient for the distribution of dividends to the common shares, for which reason this class of shares was removed from the weighted average used to calculate earnings per share.

(ii) In the calculation of the weighted average, the Company's shares repurchased by a financial institution that are not yet recorded as "treasury shares" were excluded from the base (Note 26 (c)).

The information related to the Company's earnings per share was presented in its 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 30.

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#### 28. Net sales revenues

	P	Consolidated		
	Mar/2012	Mar/2011	Mar/2012	Mar/2011
Sales revenue				
Domestic market	4,298,027	4,063,277	6,207,556	6,134,075
Foreign market	1,323,734	1,031,478	3,612,742	2,899,078
	5,621,761	5,094,755	9,820,298	9,033,153
Sales deductions				
Taxes	(981,697)	(980,672)	(1,506,745)	(1,566,924)
Sales returns and other	(65,370)	(36,261)	(81,124)	(78,141)
	(1,047,067)	(1,016,933)	(1,587,869)	(1,645,065)
Net sales revenue	4,574,694	4,077,822	8,232,429	7,388,088

This table was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 31.

#### 29. Tax incentives

Braskem receives certain tax incentives granted during the determination of federal and state taxes. On March 31, 2012, the Company recognized credits related to the PRODESIN – ICMS and REINTEGRA tax incentives amounting to R\$6,531 and R\$48,172, respectively, in its statement of operations. In the first quarter of 2012, the Company did not record credits from the SUDENE – IR tax incentive as a result of the tax loss recorded in the period.

The information related to tax incentives was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 32.

#### **30.** Other net operating income (expenses) - consolidated

In the period ended March 31, 2012, the main amounts under this item were as follows:

(i) residual value of written-off property, plant and equipment in the amount of R\$25,739;

(ii) recording of damages provided for under the supply agreement between Sunoco and Braskem America in the amount of R\$235,962 (Note 1(a)).

The information related to the Company's other net operating income (expenses) was presented in the 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 33.

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# 31. Financial results

		Parent company		Consolidated
	Mar/2012	Mar/2011	Mar/2012	Mar/2011
Financial income				
Interest income	47,435	62,345	64,440	64,786
Monetary variations	10,315	47,846	12,080	20,080
Exchange rate variations	(44,989)	191	11,422	(10,148)
Other	169	2,205	1,894	3,579
	12,930	112,587	89,836	78,297
Financial expenses				
Interest expenses	(219,306)	(203,071)	(248,006)	(208,889)
Monetary variations	(67,165)	(54,128)	(79,311)	(72,274)
Exchange rate variations	286,268	219,752	251,370	225,218
Update of tax and labor	(39,720)	(35,822)	(47,589)	(36,879)
debts	( ( 0 0 0 ) )	(2.07())	(7, 501)	(2, 5(2))
Tax expenses on finacial operations	(6,980)	(2,976)	(7,591)	(3,562)
Discounts granted	(5,517)	(4,746)	(10,880)	(9,863)
Loans transaction costs - amortization	(983)	(504)	(4,136)	(3,825)
Adjustment to present value - appropriation	(2,488)	(372)	(9,352)	(4,738)
Other	(13,686)	(8,906)	(38,484)	(20,442)
	(69,577)	(90,773)	(193,979)	(135,254)
Total	(56,647)	21,814	(104,143)	(56,957)

Parent	
company	

Consolidated

	Mar/2012	Mar/2011	Mar/2012	Mar/2011
Interest income				
Held-for-trading	1,151	38,399	13,509	39,367
Loans and receivables	38,890	18,024	39,713	18,869
Held-to-maturity	4,549	3,310	4,549	3,310
	44,590	59,733	57,771	61,546
Other assets not classifiable	2,845	2,612	6,669	3,240
Total	47,435	62,345	64,440	64,786

This table was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 34.

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# **32.** Expenses by nature

	Mar/2012	Parent company Mar/2011	Mar/2012	Consolidated Mar/2011
Classification by nature:				
Raw materials other				
inputs	(3,456,705)	(2,865,966)	(6,416,733)	(5,400,625)
Personnel expenses	(238,995)	(226,203)	(429,173)	(386,095)
Outsourced services	(50,297)	(129,754)	(240,332)	(214,128)
Tax expenses	(7,125)	(7,336)	(14,008)	(14,581)
Depreciation, amortization and				
depletion	(270,906)	(252,673)	(440,286)	(411,704)
Variable selling expenses	(85,358)	(73,788)	(142,692)	(129,752)
Freights	(204,748)	(157,303)	(294,758)	(225,060)
Other expenses	(143,899)	(49,243)	(130,271)	(93,280)
Total	(4,458,033)	(3,762,266)	(8,108,253)	(6,875,225)
Classification by function:				
Cost of products sold	(4,146,710)	(3,460,794)	(7,599,568)	(6,390,213)
Selling	(49,384)	(37,745)	(98,722)	(82,831)
Distribution	(90,322)	(79,116)	(129,998)	(119,673)
General and				
administrative	(153,457)	(171,958)	(255,519)	(262,881)
Research and				
development	(18,160)	(12,653)	(24,446)	(19,627)
Total	(4,458,033)	(3,762,266)	(8,108,253)	(6,875,225)

This table was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 35.

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**33.** Segment information

On April 10, 2012, the Business Leader of Braskem (chief executive officer) announced the Company's new corporate structure (Note 35(a)). The change regarding the structure for the presentation of segment information, presented in Note 36 of the Company's 2011 financial statements, consists of the transfer of the green polyethylene business from the International Business segment to the Polyolefins segment. The information below already includes these changes, since the Company's chief decision maker has already assessed the quarterly information considering the new corporate structure. The Company does not disclose assets by segment since this information is not presented to its chief decision maker.

				Report	ing segments				
	Basic		Vinyls	International	Chemical	Total	Other	Corporate	Bı
	petrochemicals	Polyolefins		business	distribution	reportable	segments	unit	consc
						segments			adjus
Net sales revenue Cost of	5,651,669	3,267,496	449,717	1,301,498	193,088	10,863,468	53,785		10,9
products sold Gross profit	(5,288,362) 363,307	(3,113,907) 153,589	(444,660) 5,057	(1,212,391) 89,107	(160,427) 32,661	(10,219,747) 643,721	(38,766) 15,019		(10,2; 6
Operating expenses Selling, general and distribution expenses	(109,213)	(222,680)	(30,195)	(48,748)	(26,399)	(437,235)	(20,292)	(26,712)	(48

Results from equity investments Other operating income								(2,099)	
(expenses), net	(3,447) (112,660)	25 (222,655)	(256) (30,451)	(126) (48,874)	(26,399)	(3,804) (441,039)	1,261 (19,031)	170,831 142,020	1 (3
Operating profit (loss)	250,647	(69,066)	(25,394)	40,233	6,262	202,682	(4,012)	142,020	3

**Reporting segments** 

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	Basic			International	Chemical	reportable	Other	Corporate	conse
	petrochemicals	Polyolefins	Vinyls	business	distribution	segments	segments	unit	adju
Net sales revenue Cost of products	5,087,138	3,074,449	396,641	652,779	174,203	9,385,210	201,009		9,5
sold Gross profit	(4,539,836) 547,302	(2,633,734) 440,715	(384,580) 12,061	(578,774) 74,005	(138,877) 35,326	(8,275,801) 1,109,409	(175,468) 25,541		(8,4 1,1
Operating expenses Selling, general and distribution expenses Results from equity investments Other operating income	(137,173)	(198,950)	(33,166)	(29,735)	(23,621)	(422,645)	(19,057)	(43,310) 5,465	(4
(expenses)	(5,696) (142,869)	(3,936) (202,886)	(5,826) (38,992)	(7,395) (37,130)	(1,455) (25,076)	(24,308) (446,953)	2,553 (16,504)	9,299 (28,546)	(1 (49
Operating profit (loss)	404,433	237,829	(26,931)	36,875	10,250	662,456	9,037	(28,546)	6

The information related to the presentation of information by segment was presented in the 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 36.

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34. Insurance coverage

In the period ended March 31, 2012, there were no significant changes in the insurance coverage of Braskem and its subsidiaries.

The information related to insurance coverage was presented in the Company's 2011 annual financial statements, in Note 37.

#### **35.** Subsequent events

(a) On April 10, 2012, the Business Leader of Braskem announced the Company's new corporate structure, effective as of March 2012, which is distributed as follows:

• Basic Petrochemicals Unit: formed by the Basic Petrochemical Units UNIB Bahia, UNIB Sul, UNIB São Paulo and UNIB Rio de Janeiro. The unit is represented by the Basic Petrochemicals operating segment and was not changed by the new corporate structure.

• Polyolefins and Renewables Unit: consists of the polyethylene, polypropylene and green polyethylene businesses and is represented by the Polyolefins operational segment.

• Vinyls Unit: formed by the PVC and Chlor-Alkali businesses. The unit is represented by the Vinyls operating segment and was not changed by the new corporate structure.

• Latin America Unit: this new unit is formed by Braskem's businesses and projects in Latin America, particularly Mexico and Venezuela. As of March 31, 2012, the unit is not a reportable segment and is presented under Other Segments.

• United States and Europe Unit: formed by Braskem's operations in the United States and Europe. This unit is represented by the International Business operating segment.

(b) On April 27, 2012, the Annual Shareholders' Meeting approved the payment of dividends proposed by the Management in 2011 in the amount of R\$482,593, to be paid as from November 20, 2012.

(c) On May 2, 2012, the subsidiary Braskem Finance concluded the US\$500 million bond issue with an interest coupon of 5.375% per annum and an effective yield for investors of 5.4% per year. The bonds mature in May 2022 and have semiannual interest payments on May 2 and November 2 of each year.

# SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: May 17, 2012

# BRASKEM S.A.

By:

/s/ Marcela Aparecida Drehmer Andrade

Name: Title: Marcela Aparecida Drehmer Andrade Chief Financial Officer

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