Consolidated Cash Flow Statement For the year ended 31 December 2019

		Year ended 31 December 2019	Year ended 31 December 2018
	Note	£m	£m
Cash generated from operations Income taxes paid	31	29.0 (2.6)	21.7 (4.0)
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Net cash generated from operating activities		26.4	17.7
Investing activities			
Acquisition of subsidiaries (net of cash acquired) and payment of deferred consideration	30	(1.1)	(7.2)
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(15.1)	(8.4)
Sale of property, plant and equipment		_	0.1
Purchase of intangible assets		(0.1)	(0.4)
Net cash used in investing activities		(16.3)	(15.9)
Financing activities			
Proceeds from bank borrowings		10.0	30.0
Repayment of bank and other borrowings		(0.1)	(27.1)
Principal elements of lease payments		(9.8)	_
Finance elements of lease payments		(0.9)	_
Finance expense paid		(0.9)	(1.1)
Dividends paid to equity Shareholders	13	(9.4)	(9.1)
Net cash used in financing activities		(11.1)	(7.3)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(1.0)	(5.5)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	32	5.9	11.4
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	32	4.9	5.9