

IFRS Translations Update

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Welcome to the IFRS Translations Update

This update is a regular publication aimed at reaching the IFRS translation community with pertinent news and information.

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Translation Alerts

If you want to be kept informed about translation news and receive future editions of the IFRS Translations Update, you can subscribe to the IFRS Translations email alerts [here](#).

The IFRS Translation Team

September saw a new arrival to the translation team, James Langridge, who deals mainly with Central Asian and Eastern European languages. November also saw a temporary departure from the team, as Leilani Macdonald is now on maternity leave for six months. As a result the languages that each team member deals with have changed and are listed below. If you have any queries or need information about languages not listed below, please contact **Ken Creighton**.

Lorida Tieri	French, Italian, Arabic, Portuguese, Brazilian Portuguese, Serbian, Albanian, Korean, Macedonian and Turkish
Clare McGuinness	Spanish, Chinese (Simplified), Chinese (Traditional), Polish, Finnish, Slovak, Hungarian, Czech, Norwegian, Icelandic, Vietnamese, Hindi and Indonesian
James Langridge	German, Japanese, Russian, Kazakh, Kyrgyz, Tajik, Turkmen, Belarus, Uzbek, Romanian, Azeri, Armenian, Ukrainian, Hebrew, Bulgarian, Latvian and Swedish
Isabella Nordio	Georgian, Lithuanian, Croatian and Cambodian

Recently Published Translations

Since our last edition, the IFRS Foundation has released the **Spanish translation** of the 2010 Red Book, as well as the **French** translation of the requirements of the standards. The **French** translation of IFRS for SMEs is now complete and is available electronically on our website. The **Korean** 2010 XBRL taxonomy is also now available on our **website**.

The **Japanese** 2010 Red Book will be published and available to purchase from 10 November 2010. The **Arabic** 2010 XBRL taxonomy will be available shortly. The **Arabic** translation of the 2010 Red Book is also currently in progress and we expect it to be available to purchase by the end of this year.

The **German** 2010 Red Book is currently being finalised and it will be available on our **web shop** in the first quarter of 2011. The **Polish** translation of the 2010 Red Book is in progress and we expect it to be available by the second quarter of 2011. The **Traditional Chinese** 2010 Red Book is also in progress

and being published on the Taiwanese Financial Supervisory Commission's website as the standards become available. Other projects in progress include the **Brazilian Portuguese** 2010 Red Book and IFRS for SMEs, and the **Serbian** IFRS for SMEs.

For further information on each of these titles, please visit our [website](#).

Russian Translation Update

The Russian translation is managed by the Eurasian Council of Certified Accountants and Auditors (ECCAA), our Russian-language translation partner. The process followed is the IFRS Foundation official process, that is, the same process of translation and expert review. The Review Co-ordinator who is organising and leading the expert review committee is Dmitriy Shyutts, Executive Director of the ECCAA.

The requirements of the standards that have been issued since the 2009 Red Book, IFRS for SMEs, and the Training Modules for IFRS for SMEs have all been translated into Russian and are awaiting review by the expert review committee which is currently being finalised.

Throughout 2011 the Russian translation will continue to be updated in support of IFRS adoption in Russian-speaking countries.

IFRS Terminology

Did you know there is an IFRS terminology lookup tool available on eIFRS? Using this service, one can access over 1,500 IFRS defined terms in 30 languages.

Please go to [eIFRS](#) for access and further information.

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