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Repor	t for the Calendar Year c	r Quarter Ended:	June 30, 2	2005					
Check	Check here if Amendment []; Amendment Number:								
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Insti	Institutional Investment Manager Filing this Report:								
Name: ASA (Bermuda) Limited Address: 11 Summer Street, 4th Floor, Buffalo, NY 14209-2256									
Form 13F File Number: 28-11034									
The institutional investment manager filing this report and the person by whom it is signed hereby represent that the person signing the report is authorized to submit it, that all information contained herein is true, correct and complete, and that it is understood that all required items, statements, schedules, lists, and tables, are considered integral parts of this form.									
Person Signing this Report on Behalf of Reporting Manager									
Name: Robert J.A. Irwin Title: Chairman, President & Treasurer Phone: 716-883-2428									
Signature, Place, and Date of Signing:									
/s/ R	obert J.A. Irwin	Buffalo, NY 14209-22	56	-	, 2005				
	[Signature]	[City, State]		[Date	;]				
Report Type (Check only one):									
[X]	13F HOLDINGS REPORT. (Check here if all holdings of this reporting manager are reported in this report.)								
[_]	13F NOTICE. (Check here if no holdings reported in this report, and all holdings are reported by other reporting manager(s).)								
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Form 13F SUMMARY PAGE

Report Summary:

Number of Other Included Managers: 0

Form 13F Information Table Entry Total: 5

Form 13F Information Table Value Total: \$94,201 (thousands)

List of Other Included Managers:

Provide a numbered list of the name(s) and Form 13f file number(s) of all institutional investment managers with respect to which this report is filed, other than the manager filing this report.

NONE

FORM 13F INFORMATION TABLE

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2	COLUMN 3	COLUMN 4	COLUMN 5	COLUMN 6	
NAME OF ISSUER	TITLE OF CLASS	CUSIP	VALUE (x\$1000)	SHARES OR SH/ PUT/ PRN AMT PRN CALL	INVESTMENT DISCRETION	1
Barrick Gold Corporation	Common Stock	067901108	18 , 272	730,000 SH	Sole	
Compania de Minas Buenaventura	Sponsored ADR	204448104	20,691	900,000 SH	Sole	
Harmony Gold Mining Limited	Sponsored ADR	413216300	18,544	2,166,400 SH	Sole	
Newmont Mining Corporation	Common	651639106	20,310	520,368 SH	Sole	
Placer Dome, Inc.	Common	725906101	16,384	1,065,312 SH	Sole	