



# FINANCIAL SUMMARY

	Year ended 31 March				
	1997 HK\$'000	1998 HK\$'000	1999 HK\$'000	2000 HK\$'000	2001 HK\$'000
<b>RESULTS</b>					
Turnover	<u>1,315,562</u>	<u>1,200,854</u>	<u>1,250,763</u>	<u>1,527,847</u>	<u>1,598,968</u>
Profit before taxation	53,845	31,844	36,355	120,531	115,954
Share of losses of associates	<u>(298)</u>	<u>(140)</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
Taxation	<u>53,547</u> <u>(9,449)</u>	<u>31,704</u> <u>(5,733)</u>	<u>36,355</u> <u>(7,530)</u>	<u>120,531</u> <u>(21,674)</u>	<u>115,954</u> <u>(19,347)</u>
Profit before minority interests	44,098	25,971	28,825	98,857	96,607
Minority interests	<u>(3,527)</u>	<u>(2,436)</u>	<u>3,070</u>	<u>6,008</u>	<u>720</u>
Profit for the year attributable to shareholders	<u>40,571</u>	<u>23,535</u>	<u>31,895</u>	<u>104,865</u>	<u>97,327</u>
<b>As at 31 March</b>					
	1997 HK\$'000	1998 HK\$'000	1999 HK\$'000	2000 HK\$'000	2001 HK\$'000
<b>ASSETS AND LIABILITIES</b>					
Total assets	474,771	508,044	448,299	510,683	558,595
Total liabilities	(215,407)	(193,584)	(115,636)	(100,768)	(75,756)
Minority interests	<u>(3,527)</u>	<u>(5,963)</u>	<u>(2,893)</u>	<u>3,115</u>	<u>3,835</u>
Shareholders' funds	<u>255,837</u>	<u>308,497</u>	<u>329,770</u>	<u>413,030</u>	<u>486,674</u>