Notes	2005 HK\$ million	2004 HK\$ million
Turnover		
The Company and its subsidiaries	2,232.4	3,590.9
Share of jointly controlled entities	856.0	725.1
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	3,088.4	4,316.0
Group turnover 4	2,232.4	3,590.9
Other operating income 5	32.0	25.4
Changes in inventories of finished goods,		
work in progress, contract work in progress,		
properties held for sale and property under		
development	(133.7)	(31.4)
Raw materials and consumables used	(460.3)	(563.7)
Staff costs	(297.6)	(360.4)
Depreciation and amortisation expenses	(34.7)	(42.0)
Subcontracting, external labour costs and		
other operating expenses	(1,430.7)	(2,501.0)
Revaluation increase on investment property	_	17.0
Revaluation increase on land and buildings	3.0	0.5
Net realised gain on disposal of other investments	_	37.9
Loss on disposal of investment property	(6.5)	_
Net unrealised holding (loss) gain on other investments	(0.8)	2.9
(Loss) profit from operations 6	(96.9)	176.1
Finance costs 7	(16.4)	(10.3)
Gain on disposal of subsidiaries	371.6	(10.5)
Share of results of jointly controlled entities	166.2	34.2
Share of results of associates	97.0	J+.2
	77.0	
Profit before taxation	521.5	200.0
Taxation 11	(35.7)	(49.4)
Profit before minority interests	485.8	150.6
Minority interests	(2.9)	(2.9)
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Profit attributable to shareholders	482.9	147.7
Dividends 12		
Paid	154.5	
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Proposed	80.8	73.7
Earnings per share 13		
Basic	HK\$1.80	HK\$0.55
Diluted	HK\$1.62	HK\$0.54