CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET At 31 March 2005

	Notes	2005 HK\$'000	2004 HK\$′000	
Non-current assets				
Investment properties	11	25,257	_	
Property, plant and equipment	12	83,902	80,496	
Negative goodwill	13	(3,222)	(3,424)	
Interest in an associate		_	4,000	
Investments in securities	15	29,194	12,602	
		135,131	93,674	
Current assets				
Inventories		542,929	428,595	
Trade and other receivables	16	67,087	32,062	
Taxation recoverable		4,265	6,712	
Pledged bank deposits		3,150	3,150	
Bank balances and cash		147,027	202,301	
		764,458	672,820	
Current liabilities				
Trade and other payables	17	93,527	83,237	
Obligations under a finance lease		_	46	
Taxation payable		5,560	3,698	
Current portion of secured long-term bank loans	18	980	· _	
Short-term bank loans	19	68,868	21,698	
Bank overdrafts		2,532	565	
		171,467	109,244	
Net current assets		592,991	563,576	
Total assets less current liabilities		728,122	657,250	
Non-current liabilities				
Secured long-term bank loans	18	13,393	_	
Deferred taxation	20	141	141	
		13,534	141	
Net assets		714,588	657,109	
Capital and reserves				
Share capital	21	27,525	27,525	
Reserves	21	687,063	629,584	
Shareholders' funds		714,588	657,109	

The financial statements on pages 17 to 49 were approved and authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 20 July 2005 and are signed on its behalf by:

> Yeung Ming Biu Chairman

Yeung Him Kit, Dennis Managing Director