

For the six months ended 30th June, 2002

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	Notes	2002 Unaudited HK\$'000	2001 Unaudited HK\$'000
TURNOVER	3	3,324,301	2,870,524
Cost of sales		(2,346,992)	(2,042,346)
Gross profit		977,309	828,178
Interest income		31,208	72,525
Other revenue and gains, net	4	70,973	96,877
Selling and distribution costs		(264,420)	(179,965)
Administrative expenses		(364,720)	(357,035)
Other operating expenses, net		(26,396)	(29,410)
PROFIT FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	5	423,954	431,170
Finance costs	6	(112,757)	(110,861)
Share of profits and losses of:			
Jointly-controlled entities		7,663	7,092
Associates		38,117	108,660
PROFIT BEFORE TAX		356,977	436,061
Tax	7	(83,442)	(71,551)
PROFIT BEFORE MINORITY INTERESTS		273,535	364,510
Minority interests		(57,419)	(76,529)
NET PROFIT FROM ORDINARY ACTIVITIES			
ATTRIBUTABLE TO SHAREHOLDERS		216,116	287,981
Interim dividend	8	62,250	62,250
EARNINGS PER SHARE — Basic	9	HK\$0.35	HK\$0.46