

CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

For the year ended 30th September, 2002

	<i>Notes</i>	2002 <i>US\$'000</i>	2001 <i>US\$'000</i>
Turnover		1,938,615	1,779,656
Cost of sales		(1,426,193)	(1,312,939)
Gross profit		512,422	466,717
Other operating income		64,749	68,910
Selling and distribution expenses		(69,252)	(64,346)
Administrative expenses		(170,104)	(166,919)
Other operating expenses		(95,081)	(69,612)
Profit from operations	5	242,734	234,750
Finance costs	6	(13,126)	(24,591)
Loss on disposal of an associate		(3,956)	–
Share of results of associates		(1,658)	(454)
Share of results of jointly controlled entities		5,736	3,317
Profit before taxation		229,730	213,022
Income tax expense	8	(1,098)	(756)
Profit before minority interests		228,632	212,266
Minority interests		(60)	537
Net profit for the year		228,572	212,803
Dividends	9	90,662	85,857
Earnings per share	10		
– Basic		32.3 cents	30.2 cents
– Diluted		31.7 cents	29.6 cents