## **FINANCIAL** HIGHLIGHTS

Financial Performance			
	2002	2001	Growth
	(HK\$ mil)	(HK\$ mil)	
Turnover	12,188	9,610	+27%
Gross profit	2,190	1.719	+27%
Gross profit margin (%)	18%	18%	
Net profit	570	292	+95%
Net profit margin (%)	4.7%	3.0%	+1.7%
Basic EPS (HK cents)	22.3	11.7	+91%
Dividend per share (HK cents)	7.0	3.0	+133%
Operation Indicators			
		2002	2001

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Return on equity	16%	10%
Current ratio	1.5	1.6
Debt/Equity ratio	21%	1%
Interest cover (times)	45	17
A/R turnover (days)	31	36
Inventory turnover (days)	94	94

Financial Position		
	<b>2002</b> (HK\$ mil)	<b>2001</b> (HK\$ mil)
Fixed assets Net current assets Cash and time deposits Total liabilities Interest bearing debts Net assets	734 1,770 1,183 4,164 757 3,558	853 1,566 1,084 2,805 30 2,934

