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2003

January

Signed Memorandum of Understanding with Mitsui Group on a Sorbitol Joint Venture

Component Stock at the launch of Hang Seng Freefloat Mainland 25 Index

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December

Selected by Euromoney Magazine as one of the Best Companies in Hong Kong

August

Annual Corn Processing Capacity increased to 1.2 million metric tonnes from 600,000 metric tonnes

July

Joint Venture High Fructose Corn Syrup Refinery with Cargill, with 100,000 metric tonnes of annual capacity, commenced production

March

Annual Lysine Production Capacity increased to 40,000 metric tonnes from 15,000 metric tonnes

February

Appointment of Patrick Bowe, President of Cargill Sweeteners North America, as Non-executive Director and Steven Wellington as his Alternate

January

Became a Component Stock of CLSA's China World Index