| | Year ended 31st March | | | | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| | 2003 HK\$'000 | 2002 HK\$'000 | 2001 HK\$'000 | 2000 HK\$'000 | 1999 HK\$'000 |
| RESULTS | | | | | |
| Turnover | 1,214,263 | 866,888 | 748,937 | 1,420,351 | 1,074,492 |
| Gross profit | 256,523 | 221,801 | 212,213 | 290,211 | 424,700 |
| Administrative expenses | (142,750) | (147,564) | (145,598) | (158,694) | (160,936) |
| Provisions and other charges | (269,772) | (178,211) | (445,513) | (463,174) | (110,001) |
| Operating (loss) / profit | (155,999) | (103,974) | (378,898) | (331,657) | 153,763 |
| Finance costs | (139,139) | (117,336) | (151,136) | (176,892) | (199,914) |
| Share of profits less losses of jointly controlled entities and | | | | | |
| associated companies | (210,043) | (167,803) | (113,103) | (67,722) | (16,317) |
| Loss before taxation | (505,181) | (389,113) | (643,137) | (576,271) | (62,468) |
| Taxation (charge) / credit | (3,023) | (2,948) | 5,956 | (17,319) | 2,895 |
| Loss after taxation | (508,204) | (392,061) | (637,181) | (593,590) | (59,573) |
| Minority interests | 132,849 | 238,011 | 168,978 | 132,377 | 15,979 |
| Loss attributable to shareholders | (375,355) | (154,050) | (468,203) | (461,213) | (43,594) |
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| ASSETS AND LIABILITIES | | | | | |
| Total assets | 7,866,933 | 9,179,092 | 9,699,119 | 9,573,730 | 9,951,529 |
| Total liabilities | (3,453,738) | (3,829,042) | (3,687,111) | (3,722,670) | (5,076,797) |
| Minority interests | (2,183,256) | (2,580,499) | (3,116,841) | (2,724,687) | (1,795,778) |
| Shareholders' funds | 2,229,939 | 2,769,551 | 2,895,167 | 3,126,373 | 3,078,954 |