

# Financial Highlights

For the six months period ended 30th June

	2003		2002		Changes
	HK\$ m		HK\$ m		%
<b>Results</b>					
Turnover	4,815		3,959		+21.6
Profit for the period	211		170		+24.1
Earnings per share, basic (HK cents)	32.55		28.39		+14.7
Dividend per share (HK cents)	7.25		6.00		+20.8
<b>Financial Position</b>					
Total assets	7,856		6,423*		+22.3
Total liabilities	5,785		4,576*		+26.4
Shareholders' fund	2,039		1,828*		+11.5
Book value per share (HK\$)	3.12		2.83*		+10.2
Gearing ratio	53.1%		Net Cash*		N/A
<b>Turnover by Principal Activity</b>					
Power tools and outdoor power equipment	3,693	77%	3,264	82%	+13.1
Floor care appliances	1,122	23%	695	18%	+61.4
<b>Turnover by Geographical Market Location</b>					
North America	3,784	79%	3,308	84%	+14.4
Europe	767	16%	506	13%	+51.5
Other countries	264	5%	145	3%	+82.0

\* as at 31st December 2002