

## Financial Highlights

	<b>1st January, 2003 to 31st December, 2003 (12 months) HK\$'000</b>	1st April, 2002 to 31st December, 2002 (9 months) HK\$'000
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### RESULTS HIGHLIGHTS

Turnover	<b>1,209,613</b>	801,393
Profit from operations	<b>214,485</b>	137,510
Profit attributable to shareholders	<b>157,255</b>	93,360
Shareholders' funds	<b>853,983</b>	750,034

### PER SHARE DATA

Basic earnings per share (HK cents)	<b>32.18</b>	19.22
Cash dividends per share (HK cents)	<b>17</b>	10
Net assets per share (HK dollars)	<b>1.74</b>	1.54

### KEY FINANCIAL RATIOS

Return on average shareholders' funds (%)	<b>19.61%</b>	17.16% (Note)
Profit attributable to shareholders/Turnover (%)	<b>13.00%</b>	11.65%

Note:

Base on 12 months pro-rata of profit attributable to shareholders to calculate the return on average shareholders' funds.