5. Sub-Organizations

The Company has two sub-organizations, namely Tanker Company and Cargo Company. Tanker Company has set up a sub-unit in Guangzhou, namely Tanker Company Guangzhou Branch.

6. Notes to financial statements (Expressed in RMB)

6.1 Cash and cash equivalents

項目	Item	2003.12.31	2002.12.31
現金	Cash in hand	1,214,439.96	2,764,905.26
銀行存款	Cash in bank	1,135,868,336.30	625,863,711.58
其他貨幣資金	Cash equivalent	1,366,780.60	86,375,646.50
合 計	Total	1,138,449,556.86	715,004,263.34
其中:美元		86,727,275.32	折合匯率8.2767
港幣		219,141.49	折合匯率 1.0657
歐元		41,970.75	折合匯率 10.3383
日元		164,581.00	折合匯率 0.0773

6.2 Notes Receivable

票據種類	Category of notes	2003.12.31	2002.12.31
銀行承兑匯票	Bank draft	17,407,779.65	16,723,216.00
商業承兑匯票	Trade acceptance	5,890,462.40	28,060,292.81
合計	Total	23,298,242.05	44,783,508.81

No material pledged and impawned notes receivable that required to be disclosed in the financial statement up to the report dates.

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6.3 Accounts Receivable

		占%	壞帳准備		占%	壞帳准備
Aging	2003.12.31		Provision for	2002.12.31		Provision for
			bad debts			bad debts
< 1 year	207,441,120.42	85.97	6,223,233.62	208,461,979.99	83.96	6,253,859.40
1-2 years	275,399.11	0.11	27,539.91	7,721,638.74	3.11	772,163.87
2-3 years	-	-	-	3,246,938.01	1.31	811,734.50
>3 years	33,581,071.91	13.92	28,004,039.74	28,851,740.11	11.62	21,448,122.69
Total	241,297,591.44	100.00	34,254,813.27	248,282,296.85	100.00	29,285,880.46

There are no receivables due from the shareholders who have the ownership over 5%.

The top five of accounts receivable:

Customer name	期末余額 Amount	欠款内容 Description	欠款時間 Aging
Ning'bo Oil Shipping Co., Ltd.	18,916,000.00	運費 Freight	一年以内 <1 year
Sinopec Corp. Shanghai	15,595,000.00	運費 Freight	一年以内 <1 year
GLASFORD	13,350,200.00	運費 Freight	一年以内 <1 year
Shanghai Beihai Shipping Co,Ltd	11,450,800.00	運費 Freight	一年以内 <1 year
Shanghai Electrical Power Co., Ltd.	9,937,826.70	運費 Freight	一年以内 <1 year

6.4 Other Receivables

		占%	壞帳准備		占%	壞帳准備
Aging	2003.12.31		Provision for	2002.12.31		Provision for
			bad debts			bad debts
< 1 year	32,262,133.52	87.65	322,621.34	129,389,126.13	79.85	1,293,891.26
1-2 years	1,342,169.26	3.65	13,421.69	25,514,000.46	15.75	255,140.01
2-3 years	1,378,490.29	3.75	13,784.90	1,517,407.89	0.94	15,174.08
>3 years	1,822,756.29	4.95	18,227.56	5,610,357.30	3.46	56,103.57
Total	36,805,549.36	100.00	368,055.49	162,030,891.78	100.00	1,620,308.92

There are no receivables due from the shareholders who have the ownership over 5%.

The ending balance of other receivables decreases by 77% compared with the relevant amount on 31st Dec 2002, which is caused by improving the recoverability and the reclassification between receivables and payables.

The top five of other receivables:

Customer name	期末余額	欠款内容	欠款時間
	Amount	Description	Aging
China Shipping (Hong'kong) Co., Ltd.	8,313,497.42	松林灣輪各項墊 付費用	一年以内 <1 year
		Advance payment for	-
		fees of "Songlinwan"	
Guangzhou Shipping (Group)	1,018,785.21	大厦押金等	一年以内
Company		Deposit fee for	<1 year
		office lease	
China Shipping Container	804,182.68	船舶租金	三年以上
Lines Co., Ltd.		Vessel chartering	>3 year
		income	

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6.5 Advance to suppliers

Aging	2003.12.31	占%	2002.12.31	占%
< 1 year	227,953,669.46	95.60	179,493.657.28	92.61
1-2 years	970,743.00	0.40	2,420,926.15	1.25
2-3 years	1,277,392.11	0.54	11,887,810.00	6.13
>3 years	8,243,791.30	3.46	5,481.30	0.01
Total	238,445,595.87	100.00	193,807,874.73	100.00

There are no receivables due from the shareholders who have the ownership over 5%.

The ending balance of advance to suppliers rises by 23% compared with the relevant amount on 31st Dec 2002, due to the the reclassification between receivables and payables.

The top five of prepayments:

Customer name

	Amount	Description	Aging
SUPER DRAGON LTD.	126,358,296.10	Deposit	<1 year
JADE QUEEN NAVIGATION INC.	61,429,200.03	Deposit	<1 year
Shanghai Shipping (Group) Company	14,857,853.00	Advance payment for fees of sailors	<1 year
China Shipping Services Co., Ltd.	5,409,249.05 3,050,000.00	Deposit Long term Deposit	<1 year >3 year
Guangzhou Shipping (Group) Company	4,903,600.00	Advance payment for fees of sailors	<1 year

6.6 Inventories

 Item	2003.12.31	2002.12.31
Bunker oil Others	115,820,335.89	115,819,073.84 <u>54,716.20</u>
Total	115,820,335.89	115,873,790.04

6.7 Prepayments

Item

	2003.01.01	Additions	Disposal	2003.12.31
Vehicle insurance	20,160.96	153,128.83	49,061.05	124,228.74
Road toll	_	115,000.00	_	115,000.00
Others	265,319.25	44,443.30	265,319.25	44,443.30
Total	285,480.21	312,572.13	314,380.30	283,672.04

6.8 Long-term investments

Item

	2003.01.01	Additions	Disposals	20	03.12.31
	Amount Impair	rment Amount	Amount	Amount	Impairment
Long-term	49,982,768.75	-18,937,389.12	-	68, 920, 157. 87	_
equity investments					
Long-term debt					
investments	65,813.64	<u> </u>	65,813.64		
Total	50,048,582.39	-1 <u>8,937,389.12</u>	65,813.64	68, 920, 157. 87	

(1) Stock investment

Investee

	Nature of stock	Stock Quantity	% of investee's paid-in capital	Amount of investment
Shanghai Yuan'shui				
Company	Non-public	101,200	<5%	364,200.00

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(2) Other long-term equity investment

		母公司持						
Investee	投資期限	股比例	投資成本	期初數	增加投資額	本期損益調整	累計損益調整	期末余額
	Termof	Ownership	Costof	Beginning	Additionof	Profit/lossof	Accumulated	Ending
	investment	%	investment	balance	investment	currentperiod	profit/loss	balance
Shanghai Bao'jiang	長期	10%	4,000,000.00	4,000,000.00	-	-	-	4,000,000.00
Shipping Co., Ltd.	Long-term							
Zhu'hai New Century	長期	50%	45,000,000.00	30,492,612.12	15,000,000	1,131,802.96	2,256,429.86	46,624,415.08
Shipping Co., Ltd.	Long-term							
Shanghai Friendship	長期	50%	10,000,000.00	16,160,641.63	-	2,690,621.16	8,851,262.79	18,851,262.79
Shipping Co., Ltd.	Long-term							
Total			59,000,000.00	50,653,253.75	15,000,000	3,822,424.12	11,107,692.65	69,475,677.87

(3) Equity investment difference

Name of company

	Beginning balance	Addition	Ending balance
Hai'nan hai'xiang Shipping			
Industry Co., ltd.	-1,034,685.00	114,965	-919,720.00

On 31 December 2001, the Company purchased 95% equity of Hai'nan Hai'xiang Shipping Industry Co., Ltd. from Shanghai Shipping (Group) Company paying RMB 49,368,700.00. At the end of 31 December 2001, the equity of Hai'nan Hai'xiang Shipping Industry Co., Ltd. was RMB 53,177,210.53; so the short-fall of the equity investment difference was RMB 1,149,650.00 and the amortization period was 10 years.

6.9 Fixed Assets and Accumulated depreciation (1) Costs

	2003.01.01	Additions	Disposal	2003.12.31
Buildings	6,422,298.95	3,800,000.00	_	10,222,298.95
Vessels	12,405,759,762.90	931,586,075.69	56,701,127.12	13,280,644,711.47
Vehicles	9,652,299.69	2,601,970.13	385,950.00	11,868,319.82
Others	36,914,203.87	6,666,047.21	1,470,261.07	42,109,990.01
Total	12,458,748,565.41	944,654,093.03	58,557,338.19	13,344,845,320.25

(2) Accumulated depreciation

	2003.01.01	Additions	Disposal	2003.12.31
Buildings	388,281.27	230,503.16	_	618,784.43
Vessels	5,619,907,481.83	783,675,224.92	44,196,881.85	6,359,385,824.90
Vehicles	4,194,289.05	1,226,751.96	351,239.00	5,069,802.01
Others	22,724,744.03	5,219,209.11	1,136,649.13	26,807,304.01
Total	5,647,214,796.18	790,351,689.15	45,684,769.98	6,391,881,715.35

(3) Impairment of fixed assets

	2003.01.01	Additions	Disposal	2003.12.31
	-	936,268.00	-	936,268.00
Net value	6,811,533,769.23		6,95	52,027,336.90

There were 33 vessels mortgaged and the net value of these vessels was RMB 1,982.83million.

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6.10 Construction in progress

Name of	期初數	本期增加	本期轉人固定資産	本期轉人長期持機費用	本期轉入其他應收款	期末數	完工進度	資金來源
construction	2003.01.01	Additions	Transferred	Transferred to long	Transferred to	2003.12.31	Completion	Source of
			to fixed assets	term deferred assets	other receivable		percentage	funds
Vessels	683,482,867.64	987,314,644.25	870,448,251.05	26,661,600.00	4,089,139.14	769,598,521.70	10%-90%	自籌/貸款
purchase								Self-financing
								/loans
Improvement	1,240,235.12	9,039,486.72	10,279,721.84	-	-	-	10%-60%	自籌
of vessels								Self-financing
Other purchase	1,412,335.21	4,953,565.20	1,814,671.42	-	-	4,551,228.99	50%	自籌
								Self-financing
Total	686,135,437.97	1,001,307,696.17	882,542,644.31	26,661,600.00	4,089,139.14	774,149,750.69		

The capitalization of borrowing costs was RMB 15,347,568.00.

6.11 Intangible Assets

Item

				Amortization	Accumulated		
	Costs	2003.01.01	Additions	this year	amortization	2003.12.31	Period left
House use right	2,302,464.00	1,650,181.22	_	230,246.36	882,529.14	1,419,934.86	6.5 years
Land use right	4,145,716.00	3,786,420.53	_	82,914.38	442,209.85	3,703,506.15	44 years
Software	372,915.00	84,700.02	284,915.00	39,590.12	42,890.10	330,024.90	4 years
Total	6,821,095.00	5,521,301.77	284,915.00	352,750.86	1,367,629.09	5,453,465.91	

6.12 Long-term Deferred Assets

Item

				Amortization	Accumulated		
	Costs	2003.01.01	Additions	this year	amortization	2003.12.31	Period left
Special Painting	26,661,600.00	- 26	,661,600.00	2,443,980.00	2,443,980.00	24,217,620.00	9 years

Pursuant to the agreement "Song Ling Wan Vessel Time Charter Party Contract" in Dec 2002, the relevant Special Painting cost is amortized in 10 years.

6.13 Short-term Loans

Bank

	2003.01.01	2003.12.31	Maturity	Rate	Currency	Notes
China Construction Bank	(RMB) 20,000,000.00	(RMB)	2003.11	4.779%	RMB	Credit
Shanghai Bank	5,000,000,.00	-	2003.5	4.535%	RMB	Credit
Guangdong Development Bank	2,500,000.00	-	2003.11	4.536%	RMB	Credit
China Minsheng Banking Shanghai Branch	-	3,000,000.00	2004.6	4.536%	RMB	Credit
Total	27,500,000.00	3,000,000.00				
6.14 Accounts Payable						
			2003.12.3	31	200	2.12.31
Fuel and port charges			152,157,503.	69	193,1	60,948.52

There are no payables due to the shareholders who have the ownership over 5%.

The aging of ending balances:

Aging	2003.12.31	2002.12.31
< 1 year	141,445,796.80	165,012,609.69
1-2 years	46,103.89	13,783,734.86
2-3 years	5,188,424.00	7,108,238.00
>3 years	5,477,179.00	7,256,365.97
Total	152,157,503.69	193,160,948.52

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6.15 Advance from customers

Aging	2003.12.31	2002.12.31
< 1 year	15,876,957.96	11,262,603.37
1-2 years	1,424,874.61	5,856,000.00
2-3 years	-	-
>3 years	3,832,949.81	6,287,807.59
Total	21,134,782.38	23,406,410.96

There are no payables due to the shareholders who have the ownership over 5%.

6.16 Taxes payable

	2003.12.31	2002.12.31
Income Tax	19,599,528.79	9,994,793.88
Sales Tax	11,050,577.92	11,150,871.47
Tax of city construction	773,540.49	784,068.12
Value Added Tax	-	50,101.62
Individual Income Tax	2,968.53	3,070.25
Vehicle & Vessel Tax		1,914,000.00
Total	32,586,615.73	23,896,905.34
6.17 Other tax payable		
	2003.12.31	2002.12.31
Education affixation	331,517.30	336,029.18
Maintenance for riverway	110,505.76	112,009.74
Stamp tax	9,868.95	12,045.17
Vehicle & Vessel tax affixation	122,577.62	98,855.08
Freight affixation	8,676.67	8,676.67
	583,146.30	567,615.84

6.18 Other payables

	2002.12.31						
143	3,459,559.66			152,37	1,182.37		
The main items of ending balance i	s listed as following	:					
Description			2003.	12.31 2	002.12.31		
Staff benefit etc			49,851,9	55.15 51,3	09,304.50		
The remaining payables related to	construction		42,975,40	63.98	_		
Foreign currency loans of ship			12,652,344.91 12,44		40,321.68		
Accident Loss for Suspended litigate		9,013,938.00 2,142		42,706.91			
Guangzhou Shipping (Group) Com	1,977,567.43 8,455,		55,251.59				
Zhu'hai New Century Shipping Co.	, Ltd			- 3,6	50,000.00		
6.19 Accrued expenses			2003.	12.31 2	002.12.31		
Loan interest			4,959,39	91.83 5,1	66,368.75		
Others			10,68	57.00	_		
Rents				- 1,2	00,000.00		
Total			4,970,04	48.83 6,3	66,368.75		
6.20 Long-term liabilities due within 1 year							
Loan sort	2003.12.31	2002.12.31	Aging	Interest rate	Notes		
Bank loans	228,075,000.00	94,985,000.00	< 1 year	5.184% ~ 5.76%	Vessels		
					pledge		
Non-bank institution loans	40,071,250.80	75,013,039.39	< 1 year	3.25%	Vessels pledge		
Total	268,146,250.80	169,998,039.39					

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6.21 Long-term loans

Bank	2003.01.01 (RMB)	2003.12.31 (RMB)	Maturity	Interest rate	Currency	Notes
ICBC	1,678,517,300.00		2005–2013	5.76%	RMB	Vessels pledge
Bank of CHINA	-	139,220,000.00	2005–2006	5.184%	RMB	Vessels pledge
Total	1,678,517,300.00	1,571,902,300.00				
The aging of long-term lo	pans:					
歸還期限			Aging		RM	IB loans
1~2年			1-2 years		266,97	75,000.00
2~3年			2-3 years			95,000.00
3~5年			3-5 years		484,24	17,300.00
5 年以上			> 5 years		516,58	35,000.00
合計			Total		1,571,90)2,300.00

The details of ending balance:

Financial lease payables

6.22 Long-term payables

Enterprise	2003.01.01	2003.12.31	Interest rate	Beginning	Ending
	(Equivalent RMB) (1	Equivalent RMB)		balance	balance
China Import &	1995.5.23-	41,694,300	3.25%	EUR6,782,982.16	EUR4,844,982.17
Export Bank	2007.5.23	(DEM)			
China Import &	1995.10.5-	41,694,300	3.25%	EUR7,751,980.49	EUR5,813,980.05
Export Bank	2007.10.5	(DEM)			
Total				EUR14,534,962.65	EUR10,658,962.22
			折	RMB125,523,937.37	折RMB110,195,553.56

2003.12.31

125,523,937.37

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241,827,148.67