CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2004

		Six months ended 30 June	
		2004	2003
	Note	US\$'000	US\$'000
		(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Turnover	3	270,369	296,788
Cost of sales		(209,132)	(222,356)
Gross profit		61,237	74,432
Other revenues	3	892	767
Selling and distribution expenses		(10,746)	(10,530)
General and administrative expenses		(36,103)	(47,713)
Other income, net		2,601	2,565
Operating profit	5	17,881	19,521
Finance costs	6	(428)	(733)
Share of profits less losses of			
associated companies		343	377
Share of (losses)/profits of jointly			
controlled entities		(271)	86
Profit before taxation		17,525	19,251
Taxation	7	(4,398)	(5,548)
Profit after taxation		13,127	13,703
Minority interests		(7)	(37)
Profit attributable to shareholders		13,120	13,666
Earnings per share – basic	9	US1.94 cents	US2.02 cents