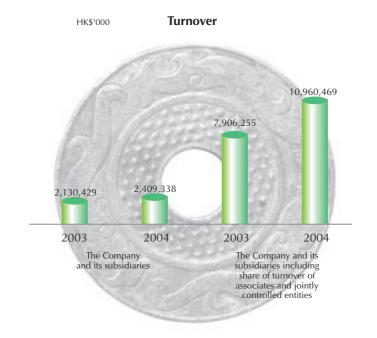
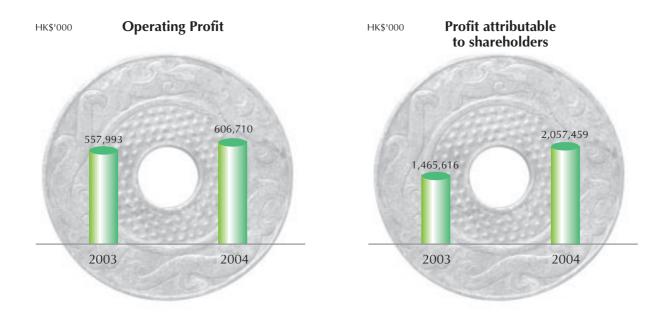


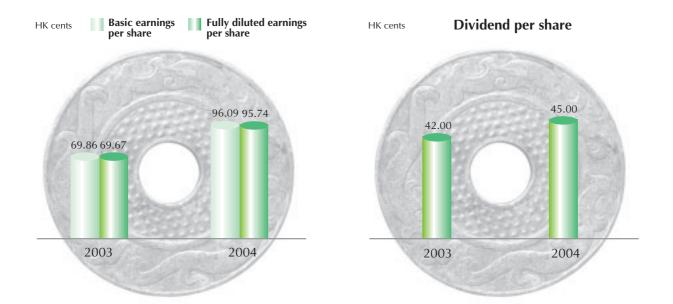
	2004 HK\$′000	2003 HK\$′000	Increase
Turnover			
The Company and its subsidiaries	2,409,338	2,130,429	13.1%
Share of associates	7,879,111	5,447,618	44.6%
Share of jointly controlled entities	672,020	328,208	104.8%
	10,960,469	7,906,255	38.6%
Operating profit	606,710	557,993	8.7%
Profit after taxation	2,120,788	1,544,038	37.4%
Profit attributable to shareholders	2,057,459	1,465,616	40.4%
Earnings per share (HK cents)			
Basic	96.09	69.86	37.5%
Fully diluted	95.74	69.67	37.4%
Dividend per share (HK cents)	45.0	42.00	7.1%
Net asset value per share (HK\$)		5.98	8.9%
Total assets	18,189,019	14,529,646	25.2%
Net asset value	13,944,396	12,808,354	8.9%



**Financial Highlights** 

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