Subsidiaries

Details of the Company's major subsidiaries at 31 December 2004, all of which are unlisted entities, are as follows:

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				Percentage of equity held			
		Place of		directly by the	by	Type of	Principal
		incorporation					
Name	of company	and operation	capital (in thousand)	Company	subsidiary	legal entity	activity
(a)	Foshan Chemical Fibre ("FCF") Group of companies						
	Foshan Chemical Fibre United Company Limited *	PRC	Rmb 32,933	90%	10%	Limited company	Management and administration
	Yizheng Chemical Fibre Foshan Polyester Company Limited *	PRC	US\$ 85,427	59%	41%	Limited company	Manufacturing chemical products, chemical fibre, and textile products, and sales of its own manufactured products and provision of after-sales services

Subsidiaries

			Percentage of equity held		=		
Name	of company	Place of incorporation and operation	Registered capital (in thousand)	directly by the Company	by subsidiary	Type of legal entity	Principal activity
(b)	Yihua Kangqi Group of companies						
	Yihua Kangqi Chemical Fibre Company Limited **	PRC	Rmb 60,000	95%	5%	Limited company	Investment holding
	Ningbo Yizheng Chemical Fibre Kangqi Company Limited ***	PRC	Rmb 12,000	-	80%	Limited company	Trading
	Xian Yihua Kangqi Chemical Fibre Company Limited ***	PRC	Rmb 5,000	-	65%	Limited company	Trading
	Yizheng Chemical Fibre Anhui Kangqi Company Limited ***	PRC	Rmb 5,000	-	95%	Limited company	Trading
	Yizheng Chemical Fibre Dalian Kangqi Company Limited ***	PRC	Rmb 5,000	-	65%	Limited company	Trading
	Yizheng Chemical Fibre Guangzhou Kangqi Company Limited ***	PRC	Rmb 5,000	-	80%	Limited company	Trading
	Yizheng Chemical Fibre Qingdao Kangqi Company Limited ***	PRC	Rmb 5,000	-	80%	Limited company	Trading
	Shanghai Yihua Kangqi Trading Company Limited ***	PRC	Rmb 5,000	-	80%	Limited company	Trading
	Yizheng Chemical Fibre Sunan Kangqi Company Limited ***	PRC	Rmb 10,000	-	73%	Limited company	Trading



Subsidiaries

				Percentage of equity held		Type of legal entity	Principal activity
Name of company		Place of incorporation and operation	Registered capital (in thousand)	directly by the Company	by subsidiary		
(b)	Yihua Kangqi Group of companies (Continued)						
	Yizheng Chemical Fibre Wuhan Kangqi Technical Trading Company Limited ***	PRC	Rmb 10,000	-	70%	Limited company	Trading
	Yizheng Chemical Fibre Xiamen Kangqi Company Limited ***	PRC	Rmb 5,000	-	95%	Limited company	Trading
	Yizheng Chemical Fibre Yangzhong Subei Kangqi Company Limited ***	PRC	Rmb 10,000	-	70%	Limited company	Trading
	Yizheng Chemical Fibre Zhengzhou Kangqi Company Limited ***	PRC	Rmb 5,000	-	65%	Limited company	Trading
	Shaoxing Yihua Kangqi Chemical Fibre Company Limited ***	PRC	Rmb 5,000	-	70%	Limited company	Trading
(c)	Forerunner International Trading (Europe) GmbH	Germany	DM 320	100%	-	Limited company	Investment holding
(d)	Forerunner International Trading (H.K.) Company Limited	Hong Kong	HK\$ 0.1	100%	-	Limited company	Investment holding



^{**} The subsidiary, which holds the equity, is Foshan Chemical Fibre United Company Limited.

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