

Consolidated Profit and Loss Account

For the year ended 31 March 2005

	<i>Note</i>	2005 HK\$'000	2004 HK\$'000
Turnover	2	774,710	743,918
Cost of sales		(566,594)	(527,303)
Gross profit		208,116	216,615
Other revenue	2	1,052	1,284
Selling and distribution expenses		(31,124)	(32,930)
General and administrative expenses		(142,136)	(125,536)
Operating profit	3	35,908	59,433
Finance costs	4	(11,456)	(13,927)
Profit before taxation		24,452	45,506
Taxation	5	(4,172)	(8,649)
Profit attributable to shareholders	6	20,280	36,857
Dividends	7	4,838	7,256
Earnings per share	8		
Basic		4.2 cents	8.3 cents