

Interim Report

2012

#### **CORPORATE INFORMATION**

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#### **INTERIM RESULTS**

The board of directors (the "Directors") of Same Time Holdings Limited (the "Company") presents the unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial information ("Interim Financial Information") of the Company and its subsidiaries (together, the "Group") for the six months ended 30 September 2012.

# UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2012

Six months ended 30 September 2012 2011 Note HK\$ HK\$ Continuing operations Revenue 6 744,199,513 847,331,069 Cost of sales (719,964,898)(789,046,178)Gross profit 24.234.615 58.284.891 Other operating income 7 52,420,581 24,172,326 Change in fair value of an investment property 890.000 Realised loss on embedded derivatives upon conversion of convertible redeemable bond 18 (19,346,000)Change in fair value of embedded 18 (145,696,960)(1,651,000)derivatives Distribution and marketing costs (9,177,007)(12,435,900)Administrative expenses (36,958,544)(53,132,141)Other operating expenses (3,072,323)(1,227,076)Operating (loss)/profit 8 (137,595,638)14,901,100 Finance income 101.830 79.826 Finance costs (18,672,113)(19,458,585)Loss before income tax (156,952,393)(3.691.187)9 17,252,494 Income tax credit/(expense) (13,966,438)(17,657,625)Loss from continuing operations (139,699,899)Discontinued operation Loss from discontinued operation 10 (134,737)Loss attributable to owners of the Company (139,699,899) (17,792,362)Basic and diluted loss per share attributable to the owners of the Company 12 - from continuing operations (183.8 cents) (26.3 cents) - from discontinued operation (0.2 cent) (183.8 cents) (26.5 cents)

# UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2012

# Six months ended 30 September

	2012 HK\$	2011 HK\$
Loss for the period	(139,699,899)	(17,792,362)
Other comprehensive income:		
Currency translation differences  Revaluation surplus on leasehold land	(1,476,502)	16,569,624
and buildings, net of deferred tax	20,870,470	6,263,682
Other comprehensive income for		
the period, net of tax	19,393,968	22,833,306
Total comprehensive (expenses)/income attributable to owners of the Company		
for the period	(120,305,931)	5,040,944

# UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF **FINANCIAL POSITION** AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2012

		30 September	31 March
		2012	2012
	Note	HK\$	HK\$
ASSETS			
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	13	959,925,125	968,237,517
Land use rights	13	20,944,544	21,309,965
Non-current deposits		6,789,919	6,887,029
Other non-current asset		350,000	350,000
		988,009,588	996,784,511
Current assets			
Inventories	14	185,917,974	203,197,893
Trade and other receivables	15	364,322,901	316,735,282
Pledged bank deposits		9,390,249	2,646,121
Cash at banks and in hand		47,368,252	29,637,112
		606,999,376	552,216,408
Total assets		1,595,008,964	1,549,000,919
EQUITY			
Capital and reserves			
Share capital	20	8,594,852	6,829,852
Reserves		443,858,678	498,596,803
Total equity		452,453,530	505,426,655

	Note	30 September 2012 HK\$	31 March 2012 <i>HK</i> \$
LIABILITIES			
Non-current liabilities	. 7	150 470 005	1.40.004.507
Borrowings	17	158,478,925	169,094,507
Convertible redeemable bond	18	208,374,570	66,881,610
Deferred income tax liabilities	1.0	10,260,670	12,381,700
Deferred income	19	20,846,161	21,203,782
		397,960,326	269,561,599
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	16	440,229,352	438,180,276
Borrowings	17	254,777,230	274,488,210
Current income tax liabilities		49,588,526	61,344,179
		744,595,108	774,012,665
Total liabilities		1,142,555,434	1,043,574,264
Total equity and liabilities		1,595,008,964	1,549,000,919
Net current liabilities		(137,595,732)	(221,796,257)
Total assets less current liabilities	es	850,413,856	774,988,254

# UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2012

	Share capital	Share premium	Contributed surplus	Revaluation reserve	Legal reserve	Exchange reserve	Retained profits	Total
	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$
At I April 2012	6,829,852	187,068,933	14,802,582	32,929,536	10,408,538	98,766,385	154,620,829	505,426,655
Issuance of shares	1,365,000	40,294,806	-	-	-	-	-	41,659,806
Shares converted from convertible redeemable								
bond	400,000	25,273,000	-	-	-	-	-	25,673,000
Transfer to legal reserve	-	-	-	-	1,613,846	-	(1,613,846)	-
Total comprehensive								
expenses for the period				20,870,470		(1,476,502)	(139,699,899)	(120,305,931)
At 30 September 2012	8,594,852	252,636,739	14,802,582	53,800,006	12,022,384	97,289,883	13,307,084	452,453,530
At I April 2011	5,691,852	151,921,671	14,802,582	64,933,538	48,544	77,250,540	166,689,692	481,338,419
Issuance of shares	1,138,000	35,147,262	-	-	-	-	-	36,285,262
Total comprehensive income								
for the period				6,263,682		16,569,624	(17,792,362)	5,040,944
At 30 September 2011	6,829,852	187,068,933	14,802,582	71,197,220	48,544	93,820,164	148,897,330	522,664,625

# UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2012

Six months ended 30 September

		ended 30 September		
	Note	2012 HK\$	2011 HK\$	
Continuing operations				
Net cash generated from/(used in) operating activities		40,440,435	(10,368,035)	
Net cash used in investing activities		(38,015,921)	(28,973,542)	
Net cash generated from financing activities		13,634,105		
Increase in cash and cash equivalents		16,058,619	72,603,094	
Discontinued operation				
Increase in cash and cash equivalents from discontinued operation	10(b)	-	290,092	
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period		29,637,112	31,461,333	
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes		1,672,521	4,273,231	
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period		47,368,252	108,627,750	
Analysis of cash and cash equivalents:				
Cash at banks and in hand Cash at banks and in hand classified		47,368,252	97,815,025	
as held for sale			10,812,725	
		47,368,252	108,627,750	

# NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL INFORMATION

#### I General information

The Company is a limited liability company incorporated in Bermuda and listed on the Main Board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited. The address of its registered office is Canon's Court, 22 Victoria Street, Hamilton HM 12, Bermuda. The address of its principal office is 17th Floor, Phase I, Kingsford Industrial Building, 26-32 Kwai Hei Street, Kwai Chung, New Territories, Hong Kong.

The Group is principally engaged in the manufacturing and selling of printed circuit boards.

This Interim Financial Information is presented in Hong Kong dollars, unless otherwise stated. This Interim Financial Information has been approved for issue by the Board of Directors on 28 November 2012.

This Interim Financial Information has not been audited.

#### 2 Basis of preparation

This Interim Financial Information for the six months ended 30 September 2012 has been prepared in accordance with Hong Kong Accounting Standard ("HKAS") 34, "Interim Financial Reporting" issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA").

This Interim Financial Information should be read in conjunction with the annual financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2012, which have been prepared in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("HKFRS").

As at 30 September 2012, (i) the Group's current liabilities exceeded its current assets by approximately HK\$138 million; (ii) the total borrowings of the Group excluding the fair value of the embedded derivatives of the convertible redeemable bond (which will not be settled in cash upon its conversion) amounted to HK\$467 million, of which HK\$255 million will be due for repayment in the coming twelve months. In addition, the Group breached the covenant requirement of a banking facility (note 17). The facility from the bank was approximately HK\$98 million of which approximately HK\$62 million had been utilised as at 30 September 2012. In November 2012, the bank granted a waiver from strict compliance with the covenant requirement of the banking facility.

The Group meets its day to day working capital requirements, capital expenditure and other financing obligations through cash inflow from operating activities, facilities obtained from banks and other fund raising activities in the capital market.

#### 2 Basis of preparation (Continued)

During the period, the Group completed a placing of new shares with net proceeds of approximately HK\$42 million raised. In addition, the Group obtained additional bank loans in November 2012 from its principal banks with an aggregate amount of approximately HK\$37 million. Management maintains continuous communication with the Group's principal banks on the renewal of existing banking facilities and grant of additional banking facilities. The Directors have reviewed the Group's bank loans and banking facilities available to the Group and are of the opinion that the bank loans and banking facilities will be renewed when their current terms expire. The Directors have evaluated all the relevant facts available to them and are of the opinion that there are good track records or relationship with the relevant banks which enhance the Group's ability to renew the current bank loans upon expiry.

Up to the date of approval of these financial statements, the Directors are not aware of any intention of the Group's principal banks to withdraw their banking facilities granted or request early repayment of the utilised facilities within the next twelve months from the date of balance sheet.

Based on the Group's cash flow projection and taking into account the reasonably possible changes in trading performance, the ongoing support from the Group's principal banks and the recent capital market related financing measures, the Directors believe that the Group will be able to generate sufficient cash flows to meet its financial obligations as and when they fall due within the next twelve months from the date of balance sheet. Accordingly, the directors are of the opinion that it is appropriate to prepare the financial information on a going concern basis.

#### 3 Accounting policies

Except as described below, the accounting policies adopted are consistent with those adopted and as described in the annual financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2012.

Exceptional items are disclosed and described separately in this Interim Financial Information where it is necessary to provide further understanding of the financial performance of the Group. They are material items of income or expense that have been shown separately due to the significance of their nature or amount.

Taxes on income in the interim periods are accrued using the tax rates that will be applicable to the expected total annual earnings.

In the current period, the Group has adopted, for the first time, the following new or revised standards, amendments and interpretations ("new and revised HKFRSs") which are mandatory for the accounting periods beginning on or after 1 April 2012:

HKAS 12 (Amendment)
HKFRS 7 (Amendment)

Deferred tax: recovery of underlying assets

Financial instruments: Disclosures – transfer of financial assets

#### 3 Accounting policies (Continued)

The adoption of the above new and revised HKFRSs does not have any significant impacts on the financial statements of the Group for the current or prior accounting periods.

The Group has not early adopted the following new or revised standards, amendments or interpretations that have been issued but are not yet effective for the accounting period beginning on or after I April 2012:

HKAS I (Amendment)	Presentation of items of other comprehensive income (effective from 1 July 2012)
HKAS 19 (2011)	Employee benefits (effective on or after I January 2013)
HKAS 27 (2011)	Separate financial statements
	(effective on or after 1 January 2013)
HKAS 28 (2011)	Investments in associates and joint ventures
	(effective on or after I January 2013)
HKAS 32 (Amendment)	Financial instruments: Presentation –
	offsetting financial assets and financial liabilities
	(effective on or after I January 2014)
HKFRS 7 (Amendment)	Financial instruments: Disclosures –
	offsetting financial assets and financial liabilities
	(effective on or after I January 2013)
HKFRS 9	Financial instruments (effective on or after 1 January 2013)
HKFRS 10	Consolidated financial statements
	(effective on or after 1 January 2013)
HKFRS I I	Joint arrangements (effective on or after 1 January 2013)
HKFRS 12	Disclosure of interests in other entities
	(effective on or after 1 January 2013)
HKFRS 13	Fair value measurement
	(effective on or after 1 January 2013)
HK (IFRIC) - Int 20	Stripping costs in the production phase of a surface mine
	(effective on or after 1 January 2013)

The Directors are in the process of reviewing the impact on the Group's financial statements in respect of the adoption of these new or revised HKFRS.

#### 4 Estimates

The preparation of Interim Financial Information requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expense. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

In preparing this Interim Financial Information, the significant judgements made by management in applying the Group's accounting policies and the key sources of estimation uncertainty were the same as those that applied to the consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2012.

# 5 Financial risk management

#### Financial risk factors

The Group's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including foreign exchange risk, cash flow and fair value interest rate risk), credit risk and liquidity risk.

This Interim Financial Information does not include all financial risk management information and disclosures required in the annual financial statements, and should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 March 2012.

There have been no changes in the risk management policies of the Group since the year ended 31 March 2012.

#### (i) Liquidity risk

The table below analyses the Group's financial liabilities into relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period at the end of the reporting period to the contractual maturity dates. The amounts disclosed in the table are the contractual undiscounted cash flows:

	Less than	Between	Between
	l year	I and 2 years	2 and 5 years
	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$
At 30 September 2012			
Trade and other payables	440,229,352	_	_
Bank loans	237,488,584	128,518,208	39,204,420
Obligations under finance leases	22,368,511	12,987,997	_
Convertible redeemable bond	587,000	59,287,000	
Total	700,673,447	200,793,205	39,204,420
At 31 March 2012			
Trade and other payables	438,180,276	_	_
Bank loans	269,780,272	76,306,017	81,725,763
Obligations under finance leases	27,365,332	19,196,396	4,951,997
Convertible redeemable bond	657,000	657,000	66,357,000
Total	735,982,880	96,159,413	153,034,760

#### Financial risk management (Continued)

#### Financial risk factors

Fair value estimation

The table below analyses financial instruments carried at fair value, by valuation method. The different levels have been defined as follows:

- Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level I).
- Inputs other than quoted prices included within level I that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (that is, as prices) or indirectly (that is, derived from prices) (level 2).
- Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (that is, unobservable inputs) (level 3).

The following table presents the Group's assets and liabilities that are measured at fair value at 30 September 2012 and 31 March 2012.

	Level I	Level 2	Level 3	Total
	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$
At 30 September 2012				
Liability				
Conversion rights			154,987,000	154,987,000
At 31 March 2012				
Liability				
Conversion rights			9,290,040	9,290,040

During the six months ended 30 September 2012, there were no significant transfers between levels of the fair value hierarchy used in measuring the fair value of financial instruments, no reclassifications of financial assets and no significant changes in the business or economic circumstances that affect the fair values of the Group's financial assets and financial liabilities

#### 6 Revenue and segment information

Operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to the chief operating decision-maker. The chief operating decision-maker, who is responsible for allocating resources and assessing performance of the operating segments, has been identified as the executive directors that makes strategic decision.

As almost all of the Group's business operations relate to the manufacturing and selling of printed circuit boards, the chief operating decision-maker makes decisions about resources allocation and performance assessment based on the entity-wide financial information. Therefore, there is only one reportable segment for the Group in this period.

In the past, the Group's reportable segments were identical to the business segments namely:

Electronic products – manufacturing and selling of consumer electronic products (discontinued operation)

Printed circuit boards – manufacturing and selling of printed circuit boards

During the six months ended 30 September 2012, the electronic products segment did not qualify as a reportable segment and was presented as discontinued operation. For the results of the discontinued operation, please refer to note 10.

No financial information of the electronic products segment for the last corresponding period is presented as the chief operating decision-maker considers the segment data of the electronic products segment for the last corresponding period is insignificant to the Group.

The Group's operations are principally located in Hong Kong, Macao and Mainland China. The revenue from external customers in Hong Kong, Macao and Mainland China for the six months ended 30 September 2012 is HK\$479,859,310 (2011: HK\$558,466,624), and the revenue from external customers in other countries is HK\$264,340,203 (2011: HK\$288,864,445).

At 30 September 2012 and 31 March 2012, all of the non-current assets are located in Hong Kong, Macao and Mainland China.

For the six months ended 30 September 2012, revenues of HK\$93,430,117 (2011: HK\$82,296,446) were derived from a single external customer. These revenues were attributable to the printed circuit boards.

#### 7 Other operating income

# Six months ended 30 September

	2012 HK\$	2011 HK\$
Amortisation of deferred income on government		
grants	227,171	222,290
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	381,468	150,000
Government subsidies (Note)	10,824,608	2,558,598
Rental income	_	80,000
Sales of manufacturing by-products	40,783,389	20,777,327
Sundries	203,945	17,902
Unrealised gain on derivatives		366,209
	52,420,581	24,172,326

Note: Government subsidies represent cash received from the local municipal government in the PRC during the six months ended 30 September 2012 and 2011 as incentives to encourage export sales and capital investment in the PRC, the conditions attached thereto had been fully complied with.

#### 8 Operating (loss)/profit

# Six months ended 30 September

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	2012	2011
Operating (loss)/profit is stated after charging	НК\$	HK\$
the following:		
Amortisation of land use rights	238,409	248,591
Bad debts written off	769,185	206,165
Cost of inventories sold	452,043,339	533,495,552
Depreciation:		
<ul> <li>Owned property, plant and equipment</li> </ul>	55,707,375	52,003,182
<ul> <li>Leased property, plant and equipment</li> </ul>	6,669,647	8,819,410
Realised loss on embedded derivatives upon conversion of convertible redeemable bond		
(Note 18)	19,346,000	_
Change in fair value of embedded derivatives		
(Note 18)	145,696,960	1,651,000

#### 9 Income tax (credit)/expense

Hong Kong profits tax has been provided at the rate of 16.5% (2011: 16.5%) on the estimated assessable profit for the period. Taxation on overseas profits has been calculated on the estimated assessable profit for the period at the rates of taxation prevailing in the countries in which the Group operates.

# Six months ended 30 September

	2012 HK\$	2011 HK\$
Current income tax		
Hong Kong profits tax (reversed)/charged (Note)	(13,678,668)	69,442
Overseas taxation charged	5,544,991	13,466,952
	(8,133,677)	13,536,394
Deferred income tax		
Hong Kong profits tax (reversed)/charged	(6,794,729)	13,275
Overseas taxation (reversed)/charged	(2,324,088)	416,769
	(9,118,817)	430,044
	(17,252,494)	13,966,438

The Hong Kong Inland Revenue Department (the "IRD") has questioned the basis of tax reporting for certain transactions adopted by certain subsidiaries of the Group in prior years. Current income tax of approximately HK\$20.5 million has been recorded in the Group's consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2008. During the six months ended 30 September 2012, the case has been resolved with the IRD, a reversal of current income tax of approximately HK\$13.6 million and writes back of deferred tax liabilities of approximately HK\$6.8 million have been booked in the Group's consolidated income statement for the six months ended 30 September 2012.

# Discontinued operation

Electronic products segment ceased operation and was classified as the discontinued operation during the six months ended 30 September 2011.

Results of the electronic products segment have been included in the unaudited condensed consolidated income statement as follows:

Six months
ended 30 September

	0		
	2012	2011	
	HK\$	HK\$	
Revenue	_	_	
Cost of sales			
Gross profit	-	-	
Other operating income	_	1,151,591	
Distribution and marketing costs	_	(14,789)	
Administrative expenses	_	(1,226,314)	
Other operating expenses		(45,656)	
Operating loss	_	(135,168)	
Finance income	_	431	
Finance costs			
Loss before income tax	_	(134,737)	
Income tax expense			
Loss attributable to owners		(134,737)	

(b) An analysis of the cash flows of the discontinued operation is as follows:

# Six months ended 30 September

	2012 HK\$	2011 HK\$
Net cash generated from operating activities		290,092
Increase in cash and cash equivalents		290,092

#### II Dividend

The Directors do not recommend the payment of an interim dividend in respect of the six months ended 30 September 2012 (2011: Nil).

#### 12 Loss per share

The calculation of basic loss per share is based on the loss attributable to owners of the Company and on the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the period.

#### Basic

	2012	2011
Number of shares Weighted average number of ordinary share in issue	76,001,799	67,116,990
	<del></del>	HK\$
Loss from continuing operations attributable to owners of the Company	(139,699,899)	(17,657,625)
Basic loss per share from continuing operations attributable to owners of the Company	(183.8 cents)	(26.3 cents)
Loss from discontinued operation attributable to owners of the Company	_	(134,737)
Basic loss per share from discontinued operation attributable to owners of the Company		(0.2 cent)

#### Diluted

For both the six months ended 30 September 2012 and 2011, the diluted loss per share was the same as the basic loss per share, as the convertible redeemable bond had an anti-dilutive effect on the loss per share.

# 13 Capital expenditure

	Property, plant and	Land use	Investment	
	equipment	rights	property	Total
	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$
Six months ended 30 September 201	2			
Net book amount at 1 April 2012	968,237,517	21,309,965	_	989,547,482
Exchange differences	(5,474,726)	(127,012)	-	(5,601,738
Additions	32,639,973	-	-	32,639,973
Disposals	(986,710)	-	-	(986,710
Revaluation surplus	27,886,093	-	-	27,886,093
Amortisation/depreciation	(62,377,022)	(238,409)		(62,615,431
Net book amount at				
30 September 2012	959,925,125	20,944,544		980,869,669
Six months ended 30 September 2011				
Net book amount at   April 2011	1,003,909,641	21,008,304	5,570,000	1,030,487,945
Exchange differences	25,691,418	584,542	_	26,275,960
Additions	61,607,941	_	_	61,607,941
Change in fair value	_	_	890,000	890,000
Revaluation surplus	5,726,343	-	_	5,726,343
Assets classified as held for sale	(48,971,301)	_	(6,460,000)	(55,431,301
Amortisation/depreciation	(61,272,347)	(248,591)		(61,520,938
Net book amount at				
30 September 2011	986,691,695	21,344,255	-	1,008,035,950

<sup>(</sup>a) At 30 September 2012, the net book amount of property, plant and equipment and land use rights pledged as securities for the bank loans of the Group amounted to HK\$709,973,806 (31 March 2012: HK\$687,457,255).

<sup>(</sup>b) At 30 September 2012, the net book amount of property, plant and equipment held by the Group under finance leases amounted to HK\$79,152,024 (31 March 2012: HK\$86,953,901).

#### 14 Inventories

tember	31 March
2012	2012
НК\$	HK\$
<b>748,032</b> 9	3,194,957
<b>722,292</b> 5	1,822,138
<b>447,650</b> 5	8,180,798
917,974 20	3,197,893
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The cost of inventories recognised as expense and included in "cost of sales" amounted to HK\$452,043,339 (2011: HK\$533,495,552).

#### 15 Trade and other receivables

Included in trade and other receivables are trade receivables of HK\$293,082,412 (31 March 2012: HK\$233,193,163). The ageing analysis of trade receivables is as follows:

	30 September 2012 HK\$	31 March 2012 <i>HK</i> \$
0 – 60 days	234,333,597	174,499,369
61 – 120 days	47,725,908	52,486,730
121 – 180 days	7,441,791	3,964,079
181 – 240 days	2,484,536	1,124,214
Over 240 days	1,096,580	1,118,771
	293,082,412	233,193,163

Sales are made to customers with credit terms of 30 to 120 days.

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# 16 Trade and other payables

Included in trade and other payables are trade payables of HK\$341,346,013 (31 March 2012: HK\$325,870,022). The ageing analysis of trade payables is as follows:

	30 September	31 March
	2012	2012
	нк\$	HK\$
0 – 60 days	151,700,104	151,738,843
61 – 120 days	124,237,767	91,596,790
121 - 180 days	53,116,355	56,877,691
181 – 240 days	8,511,424	18,760,371
Over 240 days	3,780,363	6,896,327
	341,346,013	325,870,022
Borrowings		
Borrowings	30 September	31 March
Borrowings	30 September 2012	31 March 2012
	30 September	31 March
Non-current	30 September 2012 HK\$	31 March 2012 <i>HK</i> \$
Non-current Bank loans	30 September 2012 HK\$	31 March 2012 <i>HK</i> \$ 147,690,490
Non-current	30 September 2012 HK\$	31 March 2012 <i>HK</i> \$
Non-current Bank loans	30 September 2012 HK\$	31 March 2012 <i>HK\$</i> 147,690,490 21,404,017
Non-current Bank loans	30 September 2012 HK\$ 146,774,627 11,704,298	31 March 2012 <i>HK</i> \$ 147,690,490 21,404,017

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26,371,202

274,488,210

443.582.717

Total

Obligations under finance leases

#### 17 Borrowings (Continued)

Movements in borrowings are analysed as follows:

Six months		
ended 30 September		

	2012	2011
	НК\$	HK\$
At the beginning of the period	443,582,717	471,802,590
Exchange differences	(2,300,861)	12,548,510
New bank loans	119,206,083	54,388,616
Inception of finance leases	_	38,154,399
Repayments of borrowings	(147,231,784)	(74,399,207)
At the end of the period	413,256,155	502,494,908

One of the banking facilities granted to the Group has stipulated that the assets should not be pledged without the lending bank's permission. At 30 September 2012, the Group breached such covenant. The facility from the bank was approximately HK\$98 million of which approximately HK\$62 million had been utilised as at 30 September 2012. Accordingly, the noncurrent portion of bank loan amounting to approximately HK\$12 million was reclassified as a current liability in the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 September 2012. In November 2012, the bank granted a waiver from strict compliance with the covenant requirement of the banking facility.

#### 18 Convertible redeemable bond

	30 September 2012	31 March 2012
Liability components Fair value of the embedded derivatives	HK\$ 53,387,570 154,987,000	57,591,570 9,290,040
	208,374,570	66,881,610

On 16 June 2011, the Company issued a three-year 1.0% convertible redeemable bond at a total nominal value of HK\$90 million due 16 June 2014.

The bond matures three years from the date of issuance at their nominal value of HK\$90 million or can be converted into ordinary shares of the Company at conversion price of HK\$1.75 per share, subject to adjustments, after six months from the date of issuance.

#### 18 Convertible redeemable bond (Continued)

The conversion price will be subject to adjustments for, amongst others, consolidation, subdivision or reclassification of shares, rights issues of shares or options over shares, issues at a certain discount to current market price, change of control and other usual adjustment events. The conversion price may not be reduced so that the conversion shares may fall to be issued at a discount to their par value. The conversion feature fails the fixed-for-fixed requirement for equity classification as one of the conversion ratio adjustments does not preserve the relative interest between bondholder and ordinary shareholders. The option is therefore regarded as derivatives with changes in fair value through profit or loss in accordance with HKAS 39, "Financial instruments: recognition and measurement".

The major terms and conditions of the convertible redeemable bond are the same as those described in the annual financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2012. According to the relevant accounting standards and the terms of the convertible redeemable bond, the liability components and the embedded derivatives of the convertible redeemable bond should be separately accounted for. The embedded derivatives concerned referred to conversion right and redemption rights of the convertible redeemable bond exercisable by the bond holders and the Company respectively.

On 17 January 2012, the Company redeemed HK\$24.3 million of the principal amount of the convertible redeemable bond at 105% of the relevant principal amount.

On 13 September 2012, convertible redeemable bond with a principal amount of HK\$7 million was converted into 4,000,000 ordinary shares of the Company at the price of HK\$1.75 per share. As a result, the Group recognised a loss on embedded derivatives amounting to HK\$19,346,000 upon such conversion.

During the six months ended 30 September 2012, the Group recognised a further fair value loss on embedded derivatives of the convertible redeemable bond amounting to HK\$145,696,960, which is primarily a result of the changes of certain parameters during the period used to determine the fair value of the embedded derivatives including but not limited to the Company's share price and its volatility, interest rates and the likelihood of the exercise of the conversion right and redemption rights of the convertible redeemable bond by the bond holders and the Company respectively.

#### 19 Deferred income

The deferred income represents government grants received for the construction of a plant in Jiangxi in Mainland China, which is amortised over the expected useful live of the plant upon the commencement of the operation.

#### 20 Share capital

	Number of shares	<b>Amount</b> HK\$
Authorised:		
Ordinary shares of HK\$0.10 each		
At I April 2011, 31 March 2012 and		
30 September 2012	700,000,000	70,000,000
Issued and fully paid:		
Ordinary shares of HK\$0.10 each		
At I April 2011	56,918,520	5,691,852
Issuance of shares (Note a)	11,380,000	1,138,000
At 31 March 2012	68,298,520	6,829,852
Issuance of shares (Note b)	13,650,000	1,365,000
Shares converted from convertible redeemable		
bond (Note c)	4,000,000	400,000
At 30 September 2012	85,948,520	8,594,852

#### Note:

- (a) On 14 March 2011, the Company entered into a placing agreement with third parties for a private placement of a total of 11,380,000 new shares of the Company at a placing price of HK\$3.27 per share. The private placement was completed on 20 April 2011. The private placement raised a total of HK\$36,285,262 net of expenses for the Company.
- (b) On 23 April 2012, the Company entered into a placing agreement with Fortune (HK) Securities Limited (the "Placing Agent"), pursuant to which the Placing Agent agreed to procure, on a best effort basis, independent placees to subscribe up to a maximum of 13,650,000 new shares of HK\$0.1 each of the Company at a price of HK\$3.13 per share. 13,650,000 shares of the Company were finally subscribed for and the placing was completed on 25 June 2012. The placement raised a total of approximately HK\$41,700,000 net of expenses for the Company.
- (c) On 13 September 2012, convertible redeemable bond with a principal amount of HK\$7,000,000 has been converted into ordinary shares of the Company at the price of HK\$1.75 per share. Accordingly, 4,000,000 ordinary shares of the Company converted.

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# 21 Capital Commitments

	30 September	31 March
	2012	2012
	НК\$	HK\$
Contracted but not provided for		
Plant, machinery and leasehold improvements	12,843,269	3,740,784

# 22 Related party transactions

# Key management compensation

The remuneration of directors and other members of key management during the period are as follows:

# Six months ended 30 September

	2012 HK\$	2011 HK\$
Salaries and other short-term employee benefits Pension costs	4,496,803	3,693,683 42,460
	4,561,263	3,736,143

#### MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

#### Overview

For the six months ended 30 September 2012, the revenue of the Group amounting to HK\$744,199,513 (2011: HK\$847,331,069) representing a decrease of 12% compared with last corresponding period whereas the loss attributable to owners amounted to HK\$139,699,899 (2011: loss attributable to owners amounted to HK\$17,792,362). The realised loss on embedded derivatives upon conversion of convertible redeemable bond during the period under review amounting to HK\$19,346,000 and change in fair value of embedded derivatives of the convertible redeemable bond outstanding as at 30 September 2012 amounting to HK\$145,696,960 significantly impacted the bottom line of the Group. Excluding this loss, the Group made an after tax profit of HK\$25,343,061.

#### Financial review

The Group is principally engaged in the manufacturing and selling of printed circuit boards. For the six months ended 30 September 2011, electronic products segment ceased operation and was classified as the discontinued operation.

#### Revenue

The revenue for the six months ended 30 September 2012 and 2011 are as follows:

Six months ended

Printed circuit boards

In the current period, the revenue from customers in Hong Kong, Macao and Mainland China represented 64% (2011: 66%) of the Group's total revenue.

### Cost of sales

Cost of sales in the current period decreased to HK\$719,964,898 (2011: HK\$789,046,178) representing a decrease of 9% comparing to last corresponding period.

The decline in gross profit margin from 6.9% to 3.3% was mainly due to the increase in labor costs and other production costs.

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# Other operating income

Other operating income included sales of manufacturing by-products amounting to HK\$40,783,389 (2011: HK\$20,777,327) and government subsidies of Jiangxi factory amounting to HK\$10,824,608 (2011: HK\$2,558,598). Government subsidies represent cash received from the local municipal government in the PRC as incentives to encourage export sales and capital investment in the PRC, the conditions attached thereto had been fully complied with.

# Distribution and marketing expenses

Distribution and marketing expenses decreased to HK\$9,177,007 (2011: HK\$12,435,900) representing a decrease of 26% compared with last corresponding period. The decline was mainly due to decrease in sales commission, freights and delivery expenses during the period.

#### Administrative expenses

Administrative expenses decreased to HK\$36,958,544 (2011: HK\$53,132,141) representing a decrease of 30% compared with last corresponding period. Net exchange gain amounting to HK\$1,655,602 (2011: net exchange loss amounting to HK\$14,763,257) due to the depreciation of Renminbi was included.

# Other operating expenses

Other operating expenses mainly included bad debt written off amounting to HK\$769,185 (2011: HK\$206,165) which represented around 0.1% (2011: lower than 0.1%) of total revenue and compound penalty on additional tax amounting to HK\$ 1,600,000 (2011: Nil).

#### Finance costs

Finance costs amounting to HK\$19,458,585 (2011: HK\$18,672,113) represented an increase of 4% compared with last period.

#### Income tax

The Hong Kong Inland Revenue Department (the "IRD") has questioned the basis of tax reporting for certain transactions adopted by certain subsidiaries of the Group in prior years. Current income tax of approximately HK\$20,500,000 has been recorded in the Group's consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2008. During the six months ended 30 September 2012, the matter has been resolved with the IRD, a reversal of current income tax of approximately HK\$13,600,000 and writes back of deferred tax liabilities of approximately HK\$6,800,000 have been booked in the Group's consolidated income statement for the six months ended 30 September 2012.

# Loss relating to the convertible redeemable bond

According to the relevant accounting standards and the terms of the convertible redeemable bond, the liability components and the embedded derivatives of the convertible redeemable bond should be separately accounted for. The embedded derivatives concerned referred to conversion right and redemption rights of the convertible redeemable bond exercisable by the bond holders and the Company respectively.

During the period under review, the Group recognised a loss on embedded derivatives amounting to HK\$19,346,000 upon conversion of convertible redeemable bond with a principal amount of HK\$7 million into 4,000,000 ordinary shares of the Company at the price of HK\$1.75 per share on 13 September 2012. In addition, the Group recognised a further fair value loss on embedded derivatives of the convertible redeemable bond amounting to HK\$145,696,960, which is primarily a result of the changes of certain parameters during the period used to determine the fair value of the embedded derivatives including but not limited to the Company's share price and its volatility, interest rates and the likelihood of the exercise of the conversion right and redemption rights of the convertible redeemable bond by the bond holders and the Company respectively.

# Liquidity and financial resources

At 30 September 2012, the total borrowings of the Group, including obligations under finance leases and convertible redeemable bond, amounted to HK\$621,630,725 (31 March 2012: HK\$510,464,327) which were payable in Hong Kong dollars and Renminbi. The Group's total borrowings were repayable as follows:

	30 September 2012 HK\$		31 March 2012 <i>HK</i> \$	
Within one year In the second year In the third to fifth years	254,777,229 330,159,839 36,693,657	41% 53% 6%	274,488,210 84,901,613 151,074,504	54% 17% 29%
	621,630,725	100%	510,464,327	100%

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At 30 September 2012, the liability component and the fair value of the embedded derivatives of convertible redeemable bond amounted to HK\$53,387,570 (31 March 2012: HK\$57,591,570) and HK\$154,987,000 (31 March 2012: HK\$9,290,040) respectively.

On the basis that the convertible redeemable bond will be settled on cash basis, the Group's gearing ratio at 30 September 2012, which was calculated as the ratio of total borrowings, excluding the fair value of the embedded derivatives of the convertible redeemable bond (which will not be settled in cash upon its conversion) less cash at banks and in hand to total equity, was 93% (31 March 2012: 93%).

At 30 September 2012, the Group's banking facilities were summarised as follows:

	30 September 2012 HK\$	31 March 2012 <i>HK</i> \$
Total banking facilities granted Facilities utilised	452,233,665 (380,028,572)	455,185,290 (395,807,498)
Available facilities	72,205,093	59,377,792

Among the total facilities, banking facilities amounted to HK\$232,393,160 (31 March 2012: HK\$337,841,996) were secured by a legal charge on the Group's assets with a net book value of HK\$709,973,806 (31 March 2012: HK\$690,103,376).

One of the banking facilities granted to the Group has stipulated that the assets should not be pledged without the lending bank's permission. At 30 September 2012, the Group breached such covenant. The facility from the bank was approximately HK\$98 million of which approximately HK\$62 million had been utilised as at 30 September 2012. Accordingly, the non-current portion of bank loan amounting to approximately HK\$12 million was reclassified as a current liability in the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 September 2012. In November 2012, the bank granted a waiver from strict compliance with the covenant requirement of the banking facility. Please refer to note 2 "Basis of preparation" for further details of changes subsequent to 30 September 2012.

At 30 September 2012, obligations under finance leases of the Group amounted to HK\$33,227,583 (31 March 2012: HK\$47,775,219) were secured by a legal charge on the Group's property, plant and equipment with a net book amount of HK\$79,152,024 (31 March 2012: HK\$86,953,901).

# Employees and remuneration policies

At 30 September 2012, approximately 4,108 (30 September 2011: 4,451) staff members and workers were employed in our Chang An factory, Feng Gang factory and Jiangxi factory in Mainland China and 45 (30 September 2011: 39) staff members were employed in the Group's Hong Kong and Macao offices. Staff costs, excluding directors' remuneration, amounted to HK\$102,032,954 for the six months ended 30 September 2012 (2011: HK\$100,311,010). Remuneration packages are generally structured with reference to the prevailing market practice and individual qualifications. The remuneration policies of the Group are reviewed on a periodic basis.

# Exposure to fluctuation in exchange rates and related hedges

The Group's borrowings are primarily denominated in Hong Kong dollars and Renminbi. The Group had not used financial instruments extensively to hedge against such risk during the period but will closely monitor the change and use financial instruments when necessary.

### **Prospect**

The forthcoming business environment is still difficult and challenging due to the global economic instability and uncertainties in Europe. Moreover, possible increase in raw material prices, labor costs and appreciation of Renminbi are the potential cost burden to the Group. In order to ease the negative impact caused by these factors, the Group would not only adopt more cost control measures to lower the costs, but also put more effort to develop advanced products with higher gross profit margin and expand the local sales in the China market.

# Share option scheme

On 23 February 2005, the Company adopted a share option scheme under which the directors may grant options to eligible persons, including employees and directors of the Group, to subscribe for shares of the Company.

The Company has not granted any option under the share option scheme since its adoption.

### Interests of directors and chief executive in equity or debt securities

As at 30 September 2012, the interests of the directors and chief executive in the share capital of the Company as recorded in the register required to be kept under section 352 of the Securities and Futures Ordinance ("SFO") or as otherwise notified to the Company and The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") pursuant to the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers (the "Model Code") set out in Appendix 10 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange (the "Listing Rules") were as follows:

Name	Number of shares	Nature of interest	Percentage of shareholding
Yip Sum Yin	35,293,973 (Note 1)	Settlor and beneficiary of trust	41.06%
Yip How Yin, Maurice	35,293,973 (Note 1)	Settlor and beneficiary of trust	41.06%
Yu Hung Min	31,695,475 (Note 1)	Beneficiary of a trust	36.88%
Yip Wing Fung	31,695,475 (Note 1)	Beneficiary of a trust	36.88%
Chung Chi Shing	37,918,857	(Note 2)	44.12%

#### Note:

- 1. 31,695,475 shares of HK\$0.10 each of the Company ("Shares") were beneficially owned by Sum Tai Holdings Limited ("Sum Tai"), which is wholly owned by Aberdare Assets Limited ("Aberdare"). Aberdare is wholly owned by Mr Yip How Yin, Maurice as trustee of a discretionary trust established for the benefit of Mr Yip Sum Yin, Madam Yu Hung Min and their family. 3,598,498 Shares were beneficially owned by Maroc Ventures Inc. ("Maroc"), which is wholly owned by Mr Yip Sum Yin as trustee of a discretionary trust established for the benefit of Mr Yip How Yin, Maurice and his family.
- 2. 876,000 Shares were owned by Mr. Chung Chi Shing personally. The balance of 37,042,857 Shares were corporate interest which 3,500,000 shares and the maximum number of 33,542,857 Shares issuable under a HK\$58.70 million convertible redeemable bond (the "Bond") held by the Union Gold Group Limited ("United Gold"), in which Mr. Chung Chi Shing has 50% interest.

Save as disclosed above and the non-beneficial interest in certain subsidiaries of the Company of a director in his capacity of a nominee of the Group, as at 30 September 2012, none of the directors or chief executive of the Company had an interest or short position in any shares, underlying shares or debentures of the Company or any associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO) as recorded in the register required to be kept under section 352 of the SFO or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code.

Save for the Company's share option scheme, at no time during the period was the Company or its subsidiaries a party to any arrangement to enable the directors or chief executive of the Company to acquire benefits by means of acquisition of shares in, or debentures of, the Company or any other body corporate.

#### Substantial shareholders

As at 30 September 2012, so far as is known to the Directors, the following persons (other than a Director or Chief executive of the Company) had interest in the share capital of the Company as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company under section 336 of the SFO:

Name	Number of shares	Nature of interest	Percentage of shareholding
Sum Tai	31,695,475 (Note1)	Beneficial owner	36.88%
Aberdare	31,695,475 (Note1)	Corporate interest	36.88%
Maroc (Note 2)	3,598,498	Beneficial owner	4.19%
Union Gold	37,042,857 (Note 3)	Beneficial owner	43.10%
Chen Geng	37,042,857 (Note 3)	Corporate interest	43.10%
Global Hill Limited	37,042,857 (Note 3)	Corporate interest	43.10%
Standard Smart Limited	37,042,857 (Note 3)	Corporate interest	43.10%

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#### Notes:

- These Shares were beneficially owned by Sum Tai. Please refer to the note to the section headed "Interests of directors and chief executive in equity or debt securities" above.
- 2. Maroc is wholly owned by Mr Yip Sum Yin as trustee of a discretionary trust established for the benefit of Mr Yip How Yin, Maurice and his family.
- 3. Union Gold held 3,500,000 Shares and the Bond which a maximum of 33,542,857 Shares are issuable upon conversion. Each of Global Hill Limited and Standard Smart Limited holds 50% interest in Union Gold. Global Hill Limited is wholly owned by Mr. Chen Geng. Standard Smart Limited is wholly owned by Mr. Chung Chi Shing.

Save as disclosed above, as at 30 September 2012, according to the register of interests required to be kept by the Company under section 336 of the SFO, there was no person who had any interest or short position in the shares or underlying shares of the Company which would fall to be disclosed to the Company under the provisions of Divisions 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO.

#### Purchase, sale or redemption of Company's listed securities

Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries had purchased, sold or redeemed any of the shares of the Company during the six months ended 30 September 2012 period.

# Corporate governance

The Company has adopted the code provisions of the Code on Corporate Governance Practices (effective until 31 March 2012) and the Corporate Governance Code and Corporate Governance Report (the "New CG Code") (effective from 1 April 2012) as set out in Appendix 14 to the Listing Rules.

During the six months ended 30 September 2012, the Company was in compliance with the code provisions set out in the New CG Code except for the deviation from the code provisions A.5.1, A.6.7 and D.1.4, which are explained below.

Code provision A.5.I of the New CG Code requires that issuers should establish a nomination committee. The Company had not set up a Nomination Committee. Pursuant to the Company's Bye-laws, any director appointed by the Board either to fill a casual vacancy or as an addition to the Board shall retire and be eligible for re-election at the next following general meeting after appointment. Executive directors identify potential new directors and recommend to the Board for decision. In considering the nomination of a new director, the Board will take into account the qualification, ability, working experience, leadership and professional ethics of the candidates. In determining the independence of independent non-executive directors, the Board follows the requirements set out in the Listing Rules.

Code provision A.6.7 of the New CG Code requires that independent non-executive directors and other non-executive directors shall attend general meetings and develop a balanced understanding of the views of shareholders. Two independent non-executive directors, Mr LAI Wing Leung, Peter and Madam LEE Mei Ling, did not attend the annual general meeting of the Company held on 10 August 2012 by the reason of their another business engagement.

Code provision D.1.4 of the New CG Code requires that issuers should have formal letters of appointment for directors setting out the key terms and conditions of their appointment. The Company had formal letters of appointment for Directors except two executive directors, Mr YIP Sum Yin and Madam YU Hung Min. However, the Directors shall be subject to retirement in accordance with the Articles. In addition, the Directors are required to refer to the guidelines set out in "A Guide on Directors' Duties" issued by the Companies Registry and "Guidelines for Directors" published by the Hong Kong Institute of Directors in performing their duties and responsibilities as Directors of the Company. Besides, the Directors are required to comply with the requirements under statute and common law, the Listing Rules, legal and other regulatory requirements and the Company's business and governance policies.

Save as the aforesaid, none of the directors of the Company is aware of any information which would reasonably indicate that the Company is not, or was not in compliance with the code provisions of the New CG Code at any time during the six months ended 30 September 2012.

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#### Model Code

The Company has adopted the Model Code as its code of conduct regarding the directors' securities transactions. The Company had made specific enquiry with all directors of the Company, who have confirmed compliance with the required standard set out in the Model Code during the six months ended 30 September 2012.

#### **Audit committee**

The Audit Committee has reviewed, with the management of the Group, the accounting principles and practices adopted by the Group, its internal controls and financial reporting matters including the review of the interim report for the six months ended 30 September 2012.

#### **Auditor**

The Group's external auditor, PricewaterhouseCoopers, has conducted a review of the Interim Financial Information of the Group for the six months ended 30 September 2012 in accordance with Hong Kong Standard on Review Engagements 2410 "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity" issued by the HKICPA.

# **Appreciation**

On behalf of the Board, I would like to express our thanks to our shareholders, customers, banks, and suppliers for their continuous support to the Group. I would also extend my appreciation to all our management and staffs for their contribution during the period.

On behalf of the Board

YIP Sum Yin

Chairman

Hong Kong, 28 November 2012