

## Sun.King Power Electronics Group Limited 賽晶電力電子集團有限公司

(incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability) **Stock Code:580** 

## Annual Report 2015

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## **CORPORATE INFORMATION**

#### **Executive Directors**

Mr. Xiang Jie (*chairman of the Board*) Mr. Gong Renyuan (*chief executive officer*) Mr. Yue Zhoumin Mr. Jin Jiafeng

#### **Non-executive Directors**

Mr. Ye Weigang Greg Mr. Wong Kun Kau (resigned on 2 July 2015)

#### Independent non-executive Directors

Mr. Wang Yi Mr. Li Fengling Mr. Chen Shimin

#### **Authorised representatives**

Mr. Yue Zhoumin Mr. Lau Lap Kwan

#### Audit committee

Mr. Chen Shimin *(chairman of the audit committee)* Mr. Wang Yi Mr. Ye Weigang Greg

#### **Remuneration committee**

Mr. Wang Yi *(chairman of the remuneration committee)* Mr. Wong Kun Kau (resigned on 2 July 2015) Mr. Chen Shimin (appointed on 2 July 2015) Mr. Li Fengling

#### **Nomination committee**

Mr. Li Fengling *(chairman of the nomination committee)* Mr. Gong Renyuan Mr. Chen Shimin

#### **Investment committee**

Mr. Li Fengling *(chairman of the investment committee)* Mr. Xiang Jie Mr. Ye Weigang Greg Mr. Wong Kun Kau (resigned on 2 July 2015) Mr. Wang Yi (appointed on 2 July 2015) Mr. Chen Shimin

#### Secretary

Mr. Lau Lap Kwan

#### Legal advisers

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Auditors Ernst & Young

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#### Hong Kong branch share registrar and transfer office

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#### **Principal banks**

Bank of China Limited, Jiashan branch China Construction Bank Corporation, Jiashan branch China Construction Bank Corporation, Wuxi Xishan sub-branch

#### Listing exchange information

Place of listing: Main Board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "**Stock Exchange**") Stock code: 580

#### **Website**

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Dear shareholders,

I am pleased to present on behalf of the Board (the "**Board**") of directors (the "**Directors**") of Sun.King Power Electronics Group Limited (the "**Company**") the annual report of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively the "**Group**") for the year ended 31 December 2015.

In 2015, in order to achieve our vision of becoming a leading electric power system solution integrator, the Group continued strengthening our capability in independent research and development and product innovation, enhancing our operational efficiency and providing diversified and quality products. Due to the rapid expansion of investment in the power transmission sector in the PRC and the steady growth in the China rail transportation sector, the revenue and net profit of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2015 increased substantially as compared to those of the year ended 31 December 2014.

The revenue of the Group increased by approximately 51.2% from approximately RMB517.3 million for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB782.0 million for the year ended 31 December 2015. The Group recorded a net profit of approximately RMB61.2 million for the year ended 31 December 2015, as compared to a net loss of approximately RMB38.6 million for the year ended 31 December 2014.

During the year under review, the Group recorded favourable performance in all three business sectors. In respect of the power transmission sector, the Group benefited from the increase in the investment in the overall power transmission industry and it had successfully obtained various new orders for our anode saturation resistors and high-voltage power capacitors to be used in the ultra-high-voltage direct current (the "**HVDC**") projects. In addition, the Group also maintained a steady growth in the number of orders for our high-voltage power capacitors by winning contracts in the centralised bidding of the State Grid Corporation of China ("**State Grid**").

In respect of the rail transportation sector, the Group continued to maintain good business relationship with CRRC Corporation Limited and its subsidiaries (the "**CRRC Group**"), and expand areas of cooperation on electric multiple unit.

In respect of the industrial sector, harnessing our technology and product innovation related to our high power rectifiers and power quality management, the Group maintained its leading position in the market for high power rectifier products for the electrolytic aluminum industry.

Looking forward, as the PRC government and its branches and enterprises have laid down a larger scale of investment plan for both power transmission sector and rail transportation sector, and there's a rapid development in the industrial energy efficient sector, the Group expects it will continue to benefit from these policies and achieve favourable performance.

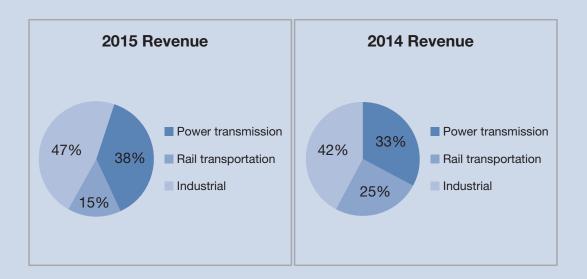
Nevertheless, the Group will continue to strengthen the research and development of its products and technologies and enhance its operational efficiency, product quality and product diversification. The management of the Group is committed to dedicating its efforts to lead the entire team to promote the Group's development in order to maximise the benefits for the shareholders of the Company (the "**Shareholders**"). On behalf of the Board, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the members of the Board and our dedicated staff for their hard work and contributions as well as our business partners for their support.

Xiang Jie Chairman Hong Kong, 22 March 2016

## **BUSINESS REVIEW**

The products offered by the Group are divided into, in terms of their applied industries, power transmission sector, rail transportation sector and industrial sector.

	20	2014			
		Gross profit		Gross profit	
	Revenue	margin	Revenue	margin	
Applied industries	RMB'000	%	RMB'000	%	
Power transmission	298.7	40	172.1	40	
Rail transportation	118.6	31	128.1	23	
Industrial	364.7	30	217.1	27	
Total	782.0	Average 34	517.3	Average 31	



#### **Power transmission sector**

The revenue generated by the power transmission sector increased by approximately 73.6% from approximately RMB172.1 million for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB298.7 million for the year ended 31 December 2015. The gross profit margin remained stable at approximately 40.0% for each of the two years ended 31 December 2015.

The number of orders and sales of the Group of anode saturation resistors and high-voltage power capacitors increased significantly. For the year ended 31 December 2015, the Group completed the delivery for the Lingzhou-Shaoxing ultra-high voltage direct current transmission project of State Grid. In addition, the Group entered into several sales contracts for the sales of the Group's anode saturation resistors and high-voltage power capacitors which were used in the ultra-high voltage transmission construction projects and the Group completed delivery of some of these sales. The Group also completed the delivery of the order for the Xiamen flexible direct current transmission project during the year ended 31 December 2015.

#### **Rail transportation sector**

The revenue generated by the rail transportation sector decreased by approximately 7.4% from approximately RMB128.1 million for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB118.6 million for the year ended 31 December 2015. The decrease of revenue in the rail transportation sector was primarily due to the cessation of railway vehicles repair business. The gross profit margin increased from approximately 23.0% for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately 31.0% for the year ended 31 December 2015.

The Group continued to supply products for high power locomotives, China standard electric multiple unit ("**CEMU**") (中國標準化動車組) and alpine electric multiple unit ("**AEMU**") (高寒動車組) including insulated gate bipolar transistors components and laminated busbars to the CRRC Group.

The Group successfully completed the power quality management projects for electrified rails for, among others, Lanzhou Railway Bureau (蘭州鐵路局) and Tianping Railway Company Limited (天平鐵路有限公司).

#### **Industrial sector**

The revenue generated by the industrial sector increased by approximately 68.0% from approximately RMB217.1 million for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB364.7 million for the year ended 31 December 2015. The gross profit margin also increased from approximately 27.0% for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately 30.0% for the year ended 31 December 2015.

The Group maintained its position as the market leader of high power rectifier products for the electrolytic aluminum industry in terms of market share. In addition, the Group benefited from the increasing demand of energy-saving electric equipment. As a result, the revenue for the industry sector increased substantially.

## FINANCIAL REVIEW

#### Revenue

The revenue increased by approximately 51.2% from approximately RMB517.3 million for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB782.0 million for the year ended 31 December 2015 primarily due to the substantial increase in orders and sales of the power transmission sector and the industrial sector for the year ended 31 December 2015.

#### **Cost of sales**

The cost of sales increased by approximately 43.8% from approximately RMB358.2 million for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB515.1 million for the year ended 31 December 2015 primarily due to the substantial increase in sales revenue for the year ended 31 December 2015.

#### Gross profit and gross profit margin

The gross profit increased by approximately 67.8% from approximately RMB159.1 million for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB266.9 million for the year ended 31 December 2015 primarily due to the substantial increase in revenue for the year ended 31 December 2015.

The gross profit margin increased from approximately 30.8% for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately 34.1% for the year ended 31 December 2015 primarily due to the decrease in production costs of each product as a result of economies of scale.

#### Selling and distribution expenses

The selling and distribution expenses decreased by approximately 7.6% from approximately RMB68.5 million for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB63.3 million for the year ended 31 December 2015 primarily due to the strict control of selling and distribution expenses.

## MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

#### Administrative expenses

The administrative expenses increased slightly by approximately 1.3% from approximately RMB74.4 million for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB75.4 million for the year ended 31 December 2015.

#### **Other expenses**

The other expenses increased by approximately 4.6% from approximately RMB51.7 million for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB54.1 million for the year ended 31 December 2015 primarily due to the increase in expenses related to impairment of trade and other receivables, foreign exchange differences, and research and development of new products.

#### Interest on bank loans wholly repayable within five years

The interest on bank loans wholly repayable within five years increased by approximately 10.0% from approximately RMB16.0 million for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB17.6 million for the year ended 31 December 2015.

#### **Profit before tax**

The loss before tax turned into the profit before tax from approximately RMB32.2 million for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB79.1 million for the year ended 31 December 2015 primarily due to the significant increase in sales revenue for the year ended 31 December 2015.

#### **Income tax expenses**

The income tax expenses increased by approximately 182.0% from approximately RMB6.4 million for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB17.9 million for the year ended 31 December 2015 primarily due to the significant increase in revenue for the year ended 31 December 2015.

## Profit and total comprehensive income for the year attributable to owners of the parent

The profit and total comprehensive income for the year attributable to owners of the parent increased significantly from approximately RMB32.1 million for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB62.3 million for the year ended 31 December 2015.

The Group's net gain margin, which is calculated as gain attributable to owners of the parent for the year divided by revenue, increased from a net loss margin of approximately 6.2% for the year ended 31 December 2014 to a net gain margin of approximately 8.0% for the year ended 31 December 2015.

#### Inventories

The inventories increased by approximately 30.7% from approximately RMB134.0 million as at 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB175.1 million as at 31 December 2015 primarily due to the significant increase in orders and sales.

The average inventory turnover days decreased from approximately 129 days for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately 119 days for the year ended 31 December 2015 primarily due to the enhancement in management of inventories.

#### **Trade receivables**

The trade receivables increased by approximately 27.6% from approximately RMB397.8 million as at 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB507.7 million as at 31 December 2015 primarily due to the increase in revenue for the year ended 31 December 2015.

The average trade receivables turnover days decreased from approximately 320 days for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately 228 days for the year ended 31 December 2015 primarily due to the strict measures taken to improve the management of trade receivables.

#### **Trade and other payables**

The trade and other payables increased by approximately 4.3% from approximately RMB237.3 million as at 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB247.5 million as at 31 December 2015.

The average trade and other payables turnover days decreased from approximately 227 days for the year ended 31 December 2014 to approximately 169 days for the year ended 31 December 2015 primarily due to the enhancement in the Group's procurement management.

#### Liquidity and financial resources

The Group's principal sources of working capital included cash flow generated from the sales of products and bank borrowings. The current ratio (current assets divided by current liabilities) decreased slightly from approximately 1.5 as at 31 December 2014 to approximately 1.4 as at 31 December 2015. The cash and cash equivalents increased from approximately RMB113.6 million as at 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB128.0 million as at 31 December 2015. The interest-bearing bank borrowings increased from RMB229.0 million as at 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB394.6 million as at 31 December 2015. The gearing ratio measured on the basis of total interest-bearing bank borrowings to total equity increased from approximately 27.5% as at 31 December 2014 to approximately 44.3% as at 31 December 2015.

As at 31 December 2015, the Group's bank loans were mainly denominated in Renminbi ("**RMB**"), and had contractual maturity within one year from the end of the reporting year. The effective interest rate on bank borrowings as at 31 December 2015, which were also equal to the weighted average contracted interest rate, amounted to approximately 5.0%. During the year under review, there was no material change to the Group's funding and treasury policy.

The Group continues to implement prudent financial management policies and monitor its capital structure based on the ratio of total assets to total liabilities.

#### **Foreign currency exposure**

As most of the principal subsidiaries of the Company operate in the PRC, their functional currency is RMB. The Group has transactional currency exposures. These exposures arise from purchases by operating units in currencies other than such units' functional currencies. In order to minimise the impact of foreign exchange exposures, the Group has entered into forward currency contracts with creditworthy banks to manage its exchange rate exposures.

The carrying amount of the outstanding foreign currency forward contracts decreased from approximately RMB6.9 million as at 31 December 2014 to approximately RMB1.6 million as at 31 December 2015.

#### **Contingent liabilities**

As at 31 December 2015, the Group had no significant contingent liabilities.

#### Charges on group assets

As at 31 December 2015, certain of the Group's bank loans are secured by (a) mortgages over the Group's property, plant and equipment and prepaid land lease payments with aggregate carrying amounts at the end of the reporting period of approximately RMB38.9 million (as at 31 December 2014: Nil) and RMB13.7 million (as at 31 December 2014: Nil), respectively; and (b) the pledge of certain of the Group's trade and bills receivables amounting to approximately RMB35.6 million (as at 31 December 2014: approximately RMB50.1 million). At 31 December 2015, certain of the Group's bills receivables of RMB24.0 million (as at 31 December 2014: approximately RMB29.3 million) were pledged to secure certain of the Group's bills payables.

## **EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS**

**Mr. Xiang Jie**, aged 42, is the founder, the chairman of the Board and an executive Director. Mr. Xiang is primarily responsible for the overall corporate strategy, planning and business development of the Group. After graduating from Shanghai Maritime University (上海海事大學) in the PRC in international shipping management in 1995, Mr. Xiang obtained a master's degree in business administration from Maastricht School of Management in the Netherlands in 1999. Mr. Xiang has over 10 years of experience in the trading and power electronic sectors.

**Mr. Gong Renyuan**, aged 45, is an executive Director, the president of the Group and the chief executive officer of the Company. Mr. Gong joined the Group in 2002, primarily responsible for overseeing the overall business of the Group, including devising and implementing business and development strategies and targets. Before joining the Group, Mr. Gong has accumulated over eight years of experience in business operations. In 1993, Mr. Gong completed the programme in business English (外貿英語專科) organised by the Beijing University of Technology (北京工業大學) in the PRC. Mr. Gong is the spouse of Ms. Ren Jie, a member of the senior management of the Company.

**Mr. Yue Zhoumin**, aged 45, is an executive Director and a vice president of the Group. Mr. Yue joined the Group in 2009. Mr. Yue is primarily responsible for the strategic planning and development of the Group. Mr. Yue graduated from the Shanghai Maritime University (上海海事大學) in the PRC with a bachelor's degree in economics in 1994. Mr. Yue has extensive experience in corporate project management and fund raising in the capital market. Mr. Yue is highly experienced in strategic management and has worked in the strategy division of China COSCO Holdings Company Limited, a company listed on the Stock Exchange (stock code: 1919).

**Mr. Jin Jiafeng**, aged 43, is an executive Director of the Company and the chief financial officer of the Group. Mr. Jin joined the Group in 2008 and was appointed as an executive Director on 5 December 2014. Mr. Jin is primarily responsible for overseeing the financial affairs of the Group. In 1994, Mr. Jin completed the programme in finance and accounting (財務會計專科) organised by the College of International Business and Management of Shanghai University (上海大學國際商業及管理學院) in the PRC. In 2013, Mr. Jin received an executive master's degree in business administration (高級管理人員工商管理碩士) from Fudan University (復旦大學) in the PRC. Before joining the Group, Mr. Jin worked at KPMG as a supervisor. Mr. Jin also worked at NewMargin Venture Capital as an investment adviser until December 2003. Mr. Jin was designated as a senior international finance manager by the International Financial Management Association in 2009 and has extensive experience in finance and mergers and acquisitions in a number of sectors.

### **NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS**

Mr. Ye Weigang Greg, aged 46, joined the Group as a non-executive Director in May 2010. Mr. Ye obtained a bachelor's degree in electronic engineering from the Shanghai Jiao Tong University (上海交通大學) in 1990, a master's degree in accountancy from the Northeast Missouri State University in the United States in 1993 and a master's degree in business administration from the Harvard Business School in the United States in 2001. Mr. Ye has worked for PricewaterhouseCoopers in the United States and was a product marketing group director of Cadence Design Systems, Inc., a leading electronic design automation technology and engineering service company. Mr. Ye was a managing partner of NewMargin Ventures. Mr. Ye was also a director of Daqo New Energy Corp., a company listed on the New York Stock Exchange. Mr. Ye is a founding partner of Delta Capital (達泰資本).

## **BIOGRAPHIES OF DIRECTORS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT**

#### **INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS**

**Mr. Wang Yi**, aged 73 joined the Group as an independent non-executive Director in July 2010. Mr. Wang graduated from the Beihang University (北京航空航天大學) in the PRC. Mr. Wang was the president of China Technology and Economy Investment Consulting Co., Ltd. (中技經投資顧問股份有限公司). Mr. Wang was the deputy director (副司長) of the Department of Foreign Economic Cooperation of the Office of the Economic and Trade of the State Council (國務院經濟貿易辦公室對外經濟合作司) and was also a director general (正司級巡視員) of the Department and Planning of the State Economic and Trade Commission of the PRC(國家經濟貿易委員會投資與規劃司). Mr. Wang was a general vice director (常務副主任委員) of the Enterprise Technology Improvement Working Committee of the China Enterprise Confederation (中國企業聯合會企業技術進步工作委員會). Mr. Wang has substantial working experience in the PRC government authorities including experience in policy planning and project approval.

Mr. Li Fengling, aged 67, joined the Group as an independent non-executive Director in July 2010. In 1975, Mr. Li completed the programme in power engineering (電力工程) organised by Tsinghua University (清華大學) in the PRC. Mr. Li subsequently obtained a master's degree in power system and automation (電力系統及自動化) from Tsinghua University in 1986. Mr. Li is currently the director (主任) of the management committee of the Xiushi Charity Foundation of the China Social Entrepreneur Foundation (中國友成企業家扶貧基金會修實公益基金管理委員 會), and an independent director of Beijing Kalends Science & Technology Company Limited (北京昆侖萬維科技股 份有限公司). Mr. Li has profound knowledge in the area of power engineering. Mr. Li was the chairman of Beijing Energy Investment (Holding) Co., Ltd. (北京能源投資(集團)有限公司), a company established by the Beijing People's Government and engages in the electricity and energy saving related business in Beijing. Mr. Li held a number of positions with various companies prior to joining the Company. Mr. Li was previously the president of Beijing International Power Development Investment Corporation (北京國際電力開發投資公司), the director of the management committee of the Beijing Economic and Technological Development Area (北京經濟技術開發區管理 委員會) and the general manager of Beijing Economic and Technological Investment & Development Corporation (北京經濟技術投資開發總公司). Mr. Li was also the deputy district mayor (副區長) of the Haidian District of Beijing, the district mayor (區長) of the Chaoyang District of Beijing and a member of the Standing Committee of the People's Political Consultative Conference of China in Beijing (北京市政協常委).

Mr. Chen Shimin, aged 57, joined the Group as an independent non-executive Director in August 2010. Mr. Chen is a certified management accountant registered in the United States, a member of the Institute of Management Accountants of the United States and the American Accounting Association of the United States. Mr. Chen graduated from the Shanghai University of Finance and Economics (上海財經大學) in the PRC with a bachelor's degree and a master's degree in economics in 1983 and 1985, respectively. Mr. Chen then obtained a doctoral degree in philosophy from the University of Georgia in the United States in 1992. Mr. Chen is a professor of accounting, a director (主任) of the master's degree programme of business administration and a deputy registrar (副教務長) at China Europe International Business School (中歐國際工商學院) in the PRC. Mr. Chen has extensive research experience in domestic and overseas financial and management accounting, and teaching experience in numerous well-known universities. Mr. Chen is an independent non-executive director of China High Speed Transmission Equipment Group Co., Ltd., (中國高速傳動設備集團有限公司), being a company listed on the Stock Exchange (stock code: 658), Shanghai Oriental Pearl (Group) Co., Ltd. (上海東方明珠(集團) 股份有限公司), being a company listed on the Shanghai Stock Exchange (stock code: 600832), Huafa Industrial Co., Ltd. Zhuhai (珠海華發實業股份有限公司), being a company listed on the Shanghai Stock Exchange (stock code: 600325), Zhejiang Wolwo Bio-Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. (浙江我武生物科技股份有限公司), being a company listed on the Shenzhen Stock Exchange (stock code: 300357), Hangzhou Shunwang Technology Co., Ltd. (杭州 順網科技股份有限公司), being a company listed on the Shenzhen Stock Exchange (stock code: 300113), and an external supervisor of Shanghai Pudong Development Bank Co., Ltd. (上海浦東發展銀行股份有限公司), being a company listed on the Shanghai Stock Exchange (stock code: 600000).

## SECRETARY

**Mr. Lau Lap Kwan**, aged 67, joined the Group as a joint company secretary to the Company in February 2011 and became the company secretary to the Company in February 2014. Mr. Lau graduated from Northeast Heavy Machinery Institute (東北重型機械學院) (now known as Yanshan University (燕山大學)) in the PRC, majoring in heavy machinery, in 1975. Mr. Lau has accumulated over 35 years of experience in corporate management, administration and corporate finance both in the PRC and Hong Kong.

#### SENIOR MANAGEMENT

**Ms. Ren Jie**, aged 39, joined the Group in 2002 as a sales manager of the Group's subsidiary, Beijing Sunking Electronic Technology Co., Ltd. (北京華瑞賽晶電子科技有限公司) and was promoted to its chief operating officer in 2004. Ms. Ren has been a vice president of the Group since 2008 and is responsible for human resources management. In 1998, Ms. Ren completed the programme in English language (英語專業大學專科) organised by Xi'an International Studies University (西安外國語學院) in the PRC. Ms. Ren Jie is the spouse of Mr. Gong Renyuan, an executive Director and the chief executive officer of the Company.

**Ms. Bai Xing**, aged 35, joined the Group in 2002. Ms. Bai is a vice president of the Group and is responsible for the Group's overall procurement process and daily operations of the procurement department. Ms. Bai graduated from University of International Business and Economics (對外經濟貿易大學) in the PRC with a bachelor's degree in international business and trade in 2007 and has over eight years of experience in procurement. Ms. Bai is a national registered certified purchasing professional recognised by the China Federation of Logistics and Purchasing (中國物流與採購聯合會).

**Mr. Li Jinyan**, aged 38, joined the Group after graduating from University of Science and Technology Beijing (北京科技大學) in the PRC with a bachelor's degree in automation in 2004. Mr. Li is a vice president of the Group and is responsible for sales and marketing of the Group's products.

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## **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES**

The Company is committed to maintaining a high standard of corporate governance. It is believed that a high standard of corporate governance provides a framework and solid foundation for the promotion of high standards of accountability, transparency and responsibility to the Shareholders.

The Company has adopted the Corporate Governance Code and Corporate Governance Report (the "**Corporate Governance Code**") as set out in Appendix 14 to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange (the "**Listing Rules**") as its own code to govern its corporate governance practices. The Board also reviews and monitors the practices of the Company from time to time with the aim of maintaining and improving the standard of corporate governance practices. Throughout the year of 2015, the Company complied with all principles and code provisions of the Corporate Governance Code.

### **MODEL CODE FOR SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS BY DIRECTORS**

The Company has adopted the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers (the "**Model Code**") as set out in Appendix 10 to the Listing Rules as the required standard against which the Directors must measure their conduct regarding transactions in securities of the Company. The Company confirms that, having made specific enquiry with all the Directors, the Directors have complied with the required standards as set out in the Model Code during the year ended 31 December 2015.

### **BOARD**

#### **Responsibilities**

The Board is responsible for leading and controlling the Company and overseeing the Group's businesses, strategic decisions and financial performances. The chairman of the Board is responsible for the overall corporate strategy, planning and business performance of the Group, and for the implementation of each resolution put forward at general meetings and Board meetings, while the chief executive officer is responsible for overseeing the overall business of the Group, including devising and implementing business and development strategies and targets. Major corporate matters which are specifically delegated by the Board to the senior management include preparation of interim and annual reports and announcements, execution of business strategies and initiatives adopted by the Board, implementation of adequate systems of internal controls and risk management procedures and compliance with relevant laws, rules and regulations.

#### Composition

The composition of the Board reflects the necessary balance of skills and experience required for effective leadership and independence in the decision making of the Company. The Board currently comprises four executive Directors, namely Mr. Xiang Jie, Mr. Gong Renyuan, Mr. Yue Zhoumin and Mr. Jin Jiafeng; one non-executive Director, namely Mr. Ye Weigang Greg; and three independent non-executive Directors, namely Mr. Wang Yi, Mr. Li Fengling and Mr. Chen Shimin. The biographies of the Directors are set out under the section headed "Biographies of Directors and Senior Management" in this annual report.

During the year ended 31 December 2015, the Board at all times complied with the requirements relating to the respective retirement and re-election of one-third of the members of the board of listed companies. The Company appointed three independent non-executive Directors representing one-third of the Board members, including one independent non-executive Directors who possesses appropriate professional qualifications, accounting and related financial management expertise. Therefore, the requirements under the Listing Rules were fully complied with.

The Directors are required to declare their underlying interests regularly and assess other Directors' personal interests in the Company to ensure that the members of the Board have no financial, business, family or other material/relevant relationship with each other, and to ensure that the independence of the independent non-executive Directors have fully complied with the requirements regarding the independence of an independent non-executive director as set out in Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules.

On 2 July 2015, Mr. Wong Kun Kau resigned as the non-executive Director.

## CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

Save as disclosed above and under the section headed "Biographies of Directors and Senior Management" in this annual report, there are no financial, business, family or other material/relevant relationships between the members of the Board and between the chairman of the Board and the chief executive officer of the Company.

## **APPOINTMENT AND RE-ELECTION OF DIRECTORS**

All the Directors, including the independent non-executive Directors, are appointed for a term of three years and subject to retirement by rotation and eligible for re-election in accordance with the articles of association of the Company (the "Articles of Association") and the Listing Rules. At each annual general meeting, not less than one-third of the Directors then in office shall retire and every Director is subject to retirement by rotation at least once every three years.

## **CHAIRMAN AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

Chairman of the Board is mainly responsible for the overall corporate strategy, planning and business performance of the Group, and for the implementation of each resolution put forward at general meetings and Board meetings, while the chief executive officer of the Company is mainly responsible for overseeing the overall business of the Group, including devising and implementing business and development strategies and targets. Currently, Mr. Xiang Jie is the chairman of the Board, and Mr. Gong Renyuan is the chief executive officer of the Company. During the year of 2015, one meeting without the presence of the executive Directors was held between the chairman of the Board and the non-executive Directors (including the independent non-executive Directors).

## **NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS**

The non-executive Directors (including the independent non-executive Directors) bring a wide range of business and financial expertise, experience and independent judgement to the Board. Through active participation in Board meetings, taking lead in management issues involving potential conflict of interests and serving the committees of the Board as committee members, all non-executive Directors (including the independent non-executive Directors) make various contributions to the effective development direction of the Company. The term of appointments of the non-executive Directors is set out under the section "Directors' Service Contracts" in this annual report.

### **MEETINGS**

The Board holds meetings regularly to discuss the overall strategies, and operational and financial performance of the Group. The Directors can attend meetings in person or via electronic medium. During the year of 2015, a total of five meetings of Directors were held to review and approve the financial and operational results of the Group. The attendance record of the Directors at the Board meetings and Shareholders meetings during the year ended 31 December 2015 is set out below:

	Attended/Eligible to attend			
	Board Meeting	Shareholders Meeting		
Executive Directors		a /a		
Mr. Xiang Jie	5/5	1/1		
Mr. Gong Renyuan	5/5	1/1		
Mr. Yue Zhoumin	5/5	1/1		
Mr. Jin Jiafeng	5/5	1/1		
Non-executive Directors				
Mr. Ye Weigang Greg	5/5	1/1		
Mr. Wong Kun Kau (resigned on 2 July 2015)	4/4	1/1		
Independent non-executive Directors				
Mr. Wang Yi	5/5	1/1		
Mr. Li Fengling	5/5	1/1		
Mr. Chen Shimin	5/5	1/1		
	0/0	17.1		

In addition, five executive Directors meetings were held and one written resolutions was passed during the year ended 31 December 2015.

At least 14 days' notice of convening the regular Board meeting is given to all the Directors to invite them to participate in the course of discussion. All the Directors are provided with relevant information on the matters to be discussed at the meeting no less than three days before the holding of the meeting, so as to guarantee that there is sufficient time for the Directors to review the information. The Directors have independent access to meet the senior management and the company secretary to the Company at any time, and are entitled to seek independent professional advice at the Company's expenses. Material matters or matters which may lead to conflicts of interests will be dealt with during Board meetings instead of via circulation of written resolutions or by the Board committees.

## **BOARD COMMITTEES**

The Board has established four committees, namely the audit committee, the remuneration committee, the nomination committee and the investment committee, to supervise various matters of the Group. To establish effective communication channels between each of the committees and the management of the Group, the Company has established an internal coordination and support team to facilitate access to more independent and objective information for the Directors.

#### (a) Audit committee

The audit committee was established on 19 August 2010 with written terms of reference in compliance with the Listing Rules. The audit committee is responsible for making recommendation to the Board on the appointment, re-appointment and removal of the external auditors, and approving the remuneration and terms of engagement of the external auditors, and any issues regarding the resignation or dismissal of that auditors; monitoring the integrity of financial statements, annual reports and accounts, interim reports and, (if prepared for publication) quarterly reports, and reviewing material financial reporting judgments therein; and reviewing the systems of financial control, internal control and risk management. The written terms of reference of the committee is in line with the Corporate Government Code and is published on the websites of the Company and the Stock Exchange.

The audit committee comprises two independent non-executive Directors, being Mr. Chen Shimin and Mr. Wang Yi, and one non-executive Director, being Mr. Ye Weigang Greg. The audit committee is chaired by Mr. Chen Shimin, who possesses the appropriate professional qualifications and extensive experience in and knowledge of finance and accounting as required under Rule 3.10 of the Listing Rules. All members of the audit committee hold the relevant industry and financial experience necessary to advise the Board on strategies and other related matters. None of the members of the audit committee is a former partner of or connected with the Company's existing external auditors.

The audit committee held three meetings during the year of 2015. During such meetings, the audit committee confirmed the appointment of Ernst & Young and fixed its remuneration, and reviewed the procedures of internal control of the Group. The committee also reviewed the interim and annual results of the Group for the year of 2015 and the auditors' report prepared by the external auditors in relation to accounting matters and any material findings during the audit. The audit committee was of the opinion that such financial statements and report complied with the applicable accounting policy standards and requirements and that adequate disclosures have been made. Please refer to the table below for the attendance record of the meetings of the audit committee during the year of 2015:

#### Directors

Attended/Eligible to attend

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Mr. Chen Shimin (Chairman of the audit committee)
Mr. Wang Yi
Mr. Ye Weigang Greg

#### (b) Remuneration committee

The remuneration committee was established on 19 August 2010 with written terms of reference in accordance with the Listing Rules. The roles and functions of the remuneration committee are, among other things, to make recommendations on the remuneration package of the Directors and senior management, the execution of which is subject to the approval of the Board. In addition, the remuneration committee evaluates the performance of the senior management of the Company and determines the remuneration structure of the Company. The written terms of reference of the remuneration committee is in line with the Corporate Governance Code and is published on the websites of the Company and the Stock Exchange.

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During the year ended 31 December 2015, Mr. Wong Kun Kau resigned as a member of the remuneration committee. The remuneration committee comprises two independent non-executive Directors, being Mr. Wang Yi and Mr. Li Fengling, and one non-executive Director, being Mr. Wong Kun Kau. The remuneration committee is chaired by Mr. Wang Yi.

The remuneration committee held two meetings during the year of 2015. During such meetings, the remuneration committee determined the option incentive scheme, and made recommendation on the Directors' allowances, the remuneration of the senior management and assessment system, as well as the remuneration of the employees and employee reward scheme. Please refer to the table below for the attendance record of the meetings of the remuneration committee during the year of 2015:

Directors	Attended/Eligible to attend

Mr. Wang Yi (Chairman of the remuneration committee)	2/2
Mr. Wong Kun Kau (resigned on 2 July 2015)	2/2
Mr. Chen Shimin (appointed on 2 July 2015)	0/0
Mr. Mr. Li Feng Lin	2/2

Remuneration payable to senior management of the Company (excluding Directors) for the year of 2015 is within the following bands:

	Number of in	Number of individuals		
	2015	2014		
RMB200,000 – RMB300,000	0	0		
RMB300,001 – RMB400,000	1	1		
RMB400,001 – RMB500,000	3	3		

## (c) Nomination committee

The nomination committee was established on 19 August 2010. The roles and functions of the nomination committee are, among other things, to formulate the policies for the nomination of Directors for the Board's consideration and to implement the Director nomination policies approved by the Board, including the review of Board composition annually, identification of eligible persons for the position of Director, monitoring of the Directors' succession plans and assessment of the independence of the independent non-executive Directors. The written terms of reference of the nomination committee is in line with the Corporate Governance Code and is published on the websites of the Company and the Stock Exchange.

The nomination committee comprises two independent non-executive Directors, being Mr. Li Fengling and Mr. Chen Shimin and one executive Director, being Mr. Gong Renyuan. The nomination committee is chaired by Mr. Li Fengling.

The nomination committee held two meetings during 2015. During such meetings, the nomination committee proposed to the Board to re-elect retiring Directors and re-appointed Mr. Xiang Jie and Mr. Jin Jiafeng as executive Directors and Mr. Wang Yi as independent non-executive Director. The nomination committee reviewed the independence of the independent non-executive Directors, composition of the Board and Board diversity policy. Please refer to the table below for the attendance record of the meetings of the nomination committee during the year of 2015:

#### Directors

#### Attended/Eligible to attend

Mr. Li Fengling (Chairman of the nomination committee)
Mr. Chen Shimin
Mr. Gong Renvuan

#### (d) Investment committee

The investment committee was established on 28 June 2011 and is responsible for advising the Board on investment of fixed assets (both tangible and intangible), equity, debt, financial securities, restructuring and joint ventures.

During the year ended 31 December 2015, Mr. Wong Kun Kau resigned as a member of the investment committee. The investment committee comprises three independent non-executive Directors, being Mr. Li Fengling (Chairman), Mr. Chen Shimin and Mr. Wang Yi (appointed on 2 July 2015); one non-executive Director, being Mr. Ye Weigang Greg; and one executive Director, being Mr. Xiang Jie.

The investment committee held two meetings during the year of 2015. During such meetings, the investment committee discussed the progress of important projects and the development prospect of major acquisition and joint venture. Please refer to the table below for the attendance record of the investment committee during the year ended 31 December 2015:

#### Directors

#### Attended/Eligible to attend

Mr. Li Fengling (Chairman of the investment committee)	2/2
Mr. Chen Shimin	2/2
Mr. Ye Weigang Greg	2/2
Mr. Wong Kun Kau (resigned on 2 July 2015)	2/2
Mr. Wang Yi (appointed on 2 July 2015)	0/0
Mr. Xiang Jie	2/2

## **CHANGES TO INFORMATION IN RESPECT OF DIRECTORS**

On 2 July 2015, the Board accepted the resignation of Mr. Wong Kun Kau as the non-executive Director. Save as disclosed herein, for the year ended 31 December 2015 and up to the date of this annual report, there were no changes to information required to be disclosed regarding the Directors pursuant to Rule 13.51B(1) of the Listing Rules.

### **INTERNAL CONTROL**

The audit department of the Company conducted comprehensive audit on the internal control system of the Group and submitted the "2015 Annual Report on Internal Control" for the Board's review. The Board is responsible for reviewing the effectiveness of the internal control system, which covers all material controls including financial, operational and compliance controls and risk management functions, for the purpose of preventing unauthorised use or sale of assets and ensuring the proper filing of accounting records and provision of reliable financial information for internal use or for release, and ensuring that the applicable laws, rules and regulations are complied with. The procedure reasonably ensures the non-occurrence of significant error, loss or fraud. In the year of 2015, in addition to adhering to the existing stringent internal control, the Company made additional improvement as follows:

#### (a) Establishing a level-to-level management system regarding accounts receivable

Through cooperation and communication between the sales department, legal department and other department within the Group, information of accounts receivable can be efficiently shared and exchanged. The Company has minimised its loss by legal resorts such as sending demand letters and commencing litigations to and against customers with poor credit worthiness or who refuse to settle their accounts. Accordingly, the Group will maintain such internal control measure in a long run in light of its proven effectiveness.

#### (b) Establishing a centralised management system for raw materials procurement

Through the establishment of a centralised management system, the Group is able to monitor its procurement of raw materials, lowered the risk of corruption, and enhance the Group's bargaining power in the procurement process with the suppliers.

## CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

## **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE FUNCTIONS**

The Board is responsible for fulfilling corporate governance duties and responsibilities including:

- (a) to develop and review the Company's policies and practices on corporate governance;
- (b) to review and monitor the training and continuous professional development of the Directors and senior management of the Company;
- (c) to review and monitor the Company's policies and practices in compliance with legal and regulatory requirements; and
- (d) to review the Company's compliance with the code and disclosure in this corporate governance report.

In order to comply with the requirements of the code provision A.6.5 of the Corporate Governance Code, all the Directors have participated in training in relation to continuous professional development to develop and refresh their knowledge and skills to ensure that their contributions to the Board remains informed and relevant. To summarise, the Directors received trainings on the following areas to update and develop their skills and knowledge during the year of 2015:

Training	area
Companies Ordinance	Listing Rules
Executive Directors	
Mr. Xiang Jie √	
Mr. Gong Renyuan $$ Mr. Yue Zhoumin $$	
Mr. Jin Jiafeng $$	V V
v v	v
Non-executive Directors	
Mr. Ye Weigang Greg	
Mr. Wong Kun Kau (resigned on 2 July 2015) $$	$\checkmark$
Independent non-executive Directors	
Mr. Wang Yi √	
Mr. Chen Shimin	
Mr. Li Fengling $$	$\checkmark$

### **DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

The Directors acknowledge their responsibility for preparing the financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company as at 31 December 2015 and of the Group's profit and cash flows for the year then ended and ensuring that such statements are prepared in accordance with the statutory requirements and applicable accounting standards.

#### AUDITORS' REMUNERATION

Ernest & Young has been appointed as auditors of the Company since 2012. In 2015, the Company accepted the annual audit fee of RMB1.65 million proposed by Ernst & Young. The relevant selection, appointment and resignation procedures of accounting firms have been reviewed and approved by the audit committee and the Board.

The statement of the external auditors of the Company about their reporting responsibilities for the financial statements is set out in the "Independent Auditors' Report" on page 31 in this annual report. During the year ended 31 December 2015, other than the audit fee, RMB0.55 million was paid to Ernst & Young for its performance of interim review.

## SECRETARY

Mr. Lau Lap Kwan was appointed as a joint company secretary to the Company in February 2011 and redesignated as the company secretary to the Company in February 2014. Mr. Lau is an employee of the Company and reports to the chairman of the Board and is responsible for advising the Board on corporate governance matters. Mr. Lau has confirmed that he had taken not less than 15 hours on relevant professional training during the year of 2015.

## **CONSTITUTIONAL DOCUMENTS**

There were no changes in the Company's constitutional documents during the year of 2015.

## SHAREHOLDER'S RIGHTS

Pursuant to the Articles of Association, any Shareholder holding one-tenth or more of the paid up capital of the Company as at the date of putting forward requisition has rights to call for extraordinary general meeting to address any issues as set out in the relevant requisition by sending to the Board or the company secretary to the Company at the address of Building 9-A, KongGangRongHuiYuan, Yuhua Road, Tianzhu Airport Industrial Zone B, Shunyi District, Beijing, PRC a written requisition any time and the extraordinary general meeting shall be held within two months of the deposit of such requisition. If within 21 days of such deposit the Board fails to proceed to convene such meeting, the requisitionist(s) himself/herself/itself (themselves) may convene such meeting in the same manner, and all reasonable expenses incurred by the requisitionist(s) as a result of the failure of the Board to hold such meeting shall be reimbursed to the requisitionist(s) by the Company.

## MAKING ENQUIRIES TO THE BOARD

Shareholders who would like to make enquiries regarding the Company may send such enquiries by email to: ir@sunking-tech.com.

## CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

#### **INVESTOR RELATIONSHIP**

The Company encourages two-way communications with its institutional and private investors. Extensive information about the Group's business is provided in the annual report and the interim report sent to the Shareholders. The Company will meet with investors after the announcement of financial results to explain the business, performance and future plan of the Company in order to strengthen the public's understanding of the Company. The annual general meetings provide a platform for direct communication between the Board and the Shareholders. The Company communicates with the media regularly, discloses financial and other information of the Group and its operation to the public to promote effective communication.

#### **CORPORATE CULTURE AND SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY**

The Company is fully aware of the benefits of establishing a sound corporate culture which is the soul of development for any company. A sound corporate culture not only is conducive to the management, but also brings a sense of belonging to employees and shareholders. The Company holds group activities from time to time to promote team cohesion. The Company publishes Sun.King Bimonthly (賽晶雙月刊) passing the news of daily activities and the core value of the Company to all employees. Apart from increasing the employee satisfaction, the Company also vigorously organises various community activities to contribute to the society.

#### (a) Green energy

Challenged by increasingly acute environmental problems in the PRC in recent years, the Company actively responds to the call of the PRC government in relation to energy conservation and emission reduction and has been dedicated to the research and development and manufacturing of products which are more efficient in energy conservation and emission reduction. The construction of UHVDC transmission lines is a key strategy to achieve clean and efficient energy transmission and distribution and it also accelerates the application and development of clean energy. The high-power rail transportation is the most environmental friendly way of travelling around and greatly reduces the pollution caused by vehicle emissions. The Group's products such as static var compensator and static var generator significantly ease the problems in respect of harmonics, voltage fluctuations, flickers and negative sequences, therefore reducing the grid load of industrial power distribution system to improve the energy saving effect, security and reliability of power supply and life cycle of various equipment.

#### (b) Environmental protection

In respect of production and operations, the Group is dedicated to producing pollution-free products by improving design and technology. In respect of work style, the Group vigorously advocates a low carbon workplace with less consumption in paper, electricity and water. For instance, the Company's annual reports are printed on environmental friendly paper, and the adoption of a reasonable typesetting also reduces the total pages of annual reports.

#### (c) Workplace environment

The Group always upholds the people-oriented management philosophy, and hopes that the employees grow together with the Group. In the year of 2015, the Group made major improvement in the workplace environment, such as relocating the offices of the Group. Other benefits offered include comprehensive medical benefits, nutritious workplace lunches and organising training courses on business know-how. The Group endeavours to satisfy reasonable demands from the employees, create a comfortable workplace environment and foster employees' development.

#### (d) Donations

The Group has actively participated in various social activities and contributed to the community. In the year of 2015, the Group showed support to the development of a local socio-cultural drama at Wuxi City, Jiangsu Province, the PRC. In addition, the Group also donated RMB50,000 to subsidize the children of disadvantaged families in Jiashan County, Zhejiang Province to pursue education.

The Directors are pleased to present the annual report of the Company and the audited consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2015.

## **PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES**

The Company is an investment holding company. The principal activities of the Group are trading and manufacture of power electronic components.

Details of the principal activities of the Company's principal subsidiaries are set out in note 1 to the consolidated financial statements.

## FAIR REVIEW OF BUSINESS

A fair review of the business of the Group as well as discussion and analysis of the Group's performance during the year ended 31 December 2015 and the material factors underlying its financial performance are set out in the Chairman Statement on page 3 of this annual report and the section headed "Management Discussion and Analysis" on pages 4 to 7 of this annual report.

### **PRINCIPAL RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES**

#### Interest rate risk

The Group's exposure to the risk of changes in market interest rates relates primarily to the Group's short term interest-bearing bank borrowings with floating interest rates. For the year ended 31 December 2015, the effective interest rates for secured bank loans is 4.57% to 5.62% while that for unsecured bank loans is 2.80% to 5.89%.

#### **Foreign currency risk**

The Group has transactional currency exposures. These exposures arise from purchases by operating units in currencies other than the units' functional currencies. In order to minimise the impact of foreign exchange exposure, the Group has entered into forward currency contracts with creditworthy banks to manage its exchange rate exposure.

#### **Credit risk**

The Group trades only with recognised and creditworthy third parties. It is the Group's policy that all customers who wish to trade on credit terms are subject to credit verification procedures. In addition, receivable balances are monitored on an ongoing basis.

The credit risk of the Group's other financial assets, which comprise cash and cash equivalents, pledged deposits and other receivables, arises from default of the counterparty, with a maximum exposure equal to the carrying amounts of these instruments.

Since the Group trades only with recognised and creditworthy third parties, there is no requirement for collateral. Concentrations of credit risk are managed by customer/counterparty and by geographical region. Concentration of credit risk is managed by customer/counterparty, by geographical region and by industry sector.

#### Liquidity risk

The Group monitors its risk to a shortage of funds using a recurring liquidity planning tool. This tool considers the maturity of both its financial instruments and financial assets (e.g., trade receivables) and projected cash flows from operations.

The Group's objective is to maintain a balance between continuity of funding and flexibility through the use of interest-bearing bank borrowings. In addition, banking facilities have been put in place for continuing purpose.

For further details of the principal risks and uncertainties, please refer to note 40 to the consolidated financial statements.

## **RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS**

The Group's profit for the year ended 31 December 2015 and its financial position as at that date are set out in the consolidated financial statements from pages 32 to 97 in this annual report.

The Board proposed to recommend the payment of a final dividend of HK1 cent per Share for the year ended 31 December 2015 (corresponding period in 2014: nil).

## **USE OF PROCEEDS FROM LISTING**

Net proceeds of approximately HK\$593.0 million were raised from the listing of the Company's shares on the Stock Exchange in October 2010 (the "**Listing**").

As at 31 December 2015, the total net proceeds from the Listing had been fully utilised for repayment of bank borrowings, land acquisition and construction of buildings for expansion of production capacity, building construction for research and development, and working capital and general corporate expenses.

#### **FINANCIAL SUMMARY**

A summary of the published results and assets, liabilities and non-controlling interests of the Group for the last five financial years is set out on page 98 in this annual report. This summary does not form part of the audited consolidated financial statements.

## **PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT**

Details of the movements in the property, plant and equipment of the Group during the year of 2015 are set out in note 13 to the consolidated financial statements.

## SHARE CAPITAL AND SHARE OPTION SCHEME

Details of the movements in the Company's issued share capital during the year of 2015 are set out in note 29 to the consolidated financial statements.

Prior to the Listing, the Company conditionally adopted a share option scheme (the "**Share Option Scheme**") on 23 September 2010 which became effective and unconditional upon the Listing. The purpose of the Share Option Scheme is to enable the Group to grant options to the Eligible Participants (as defined in the section headed "Share Option Scheme" in the prospectus of the Company dated 30 September 2010) as rewards or incentives for their contributions to the Group.

The Board may, at its absolute discretion, offer an option to Eligible Participants to subscribe for the shares of the Company at an exercise price and subject to the terms of the Share Option Scheme. The total number of shares of the Company which may be issued upon exercise of all options to be granted under the Share Option Scheme and any other schemes of the Company shall not in aggregate exceed 136,604,000 shares of the Company, being 10% of the total number of shares in issue at the time of the Listing.

The total number of shares of the Company issued and to be issued upon exercise of the options granted to or to be granted to each Eligible Participant under the Share Option Scheme and any other schemes of the Company or any of its subsidiaries (including exercised, cancelled and outstanding options) in any 12-month period shall not exceed 1% of the shares in issue. The Share Option Scheme will remain in force for a period of 10 years. Under the Share Option Scheme, each option has a 10-year exercise period unless otherwise determined by the Board.

## **REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS**

Details of movements in the share options under the Share Option Scheme for the year ended 31 December 2015 and share options outstanding as at the beginning and the end of the year are set out below:

Number of share options Cancelled/ Share price											
Name of grantees	Date of grant	As at 1 January 2015	Granted during the year	Exercised during the year	Lapsed during the year	Forfeited during the year	As at 31 December 2015	Exercise price per share (HK\$)	immediately before the grant date	Fair value of share options (HK\$ per share)	Exercisable period
Mr. Xiang Jie (Chairman of the Board, executive Director and substantial shareholder	26 April 2012 d	12,000,000	-	-	-	-	12,000,000	0.55	0.47	0.23	26 April 2013 to 25 April 2018
of the Company)	28 May 2013	1,350,000	-	-	-	-	1,350,000	0.68	0.64	0.27	28 May 2014 to 27 May 2019
	28 August 2014	20,000,000	-	-	-	-	20,000,000	0.69	0.61	0.88	28 August 2015 to 27 August 2020
Mr. Gong Renyuan (Chief executive officer and executive Director)	27 April 2011	1,350,000	-	-	-	-	1,350,000	1.83	1.79	0.83	27 April 2012 to 26 April 2017
	26 April 2012	6,000,000	-	(4,500,000)	-	-	1,500,000	0.55	0.47	0.23	26 April 2013 to 25 April 2018
	28 May 2013	1,000,000	-	(250,000)	-	-	750,000	0.68	0.64	0.27	28 May 2014 to 27 May 2019
	28 August 2014	10,000,000	-	-	-	-	10,000,000	0.69	0.61	0.33	28 August 2015 to 27 August 2020
Mr. Yue Zhoumin (Executive Director)	27 April 2011	420,000	-	-	-	-	420,000	1.83	1.79	0.83	27 April 2012 to 26 April 2017
	26 April 2012	1,000,000	-	-	-	-	1,000,000	0.55	0.47	0.23	26 April 2013 to 25 April 2018
	28 May 2013	600,000	-	-	-	-	600,000	0.68	0.64	0.27	28 May 2014 to 27 May 2019
	28 August 2014	2,000,000	-	-	-	-	2,000,000	0.69	0.61	0.33	28 August 2015 to 27 August 2020
Mr. Jin Jiafeng	27 April 2011	700,000	-	-	-	-	700,000	1.83	1.79	0.83	27 April 2012 to 26 April 2017
	26 April 2012	1,000,000	-	750,000	-	-	250,000	0.55	0.47	0.23	26 April 2013 to 25 April 2018
	28 May 2013	600,000	-	300,000	-	-	300,000	0.68	0.64	0.27	28 May 2014 to 27 May 2019
	28 August 2014	1,200,000	-	-	-	-	1,200,000	0.69	0.61	0.33	28 August 2015 to 27 August 2020
Ms. Ren Jie (senior management and the spouse of	27 April 2011	420,000	-	-	-	-	420,000	1.83	1.79	0.81	27 April 2012 to 26 April 2017
Mr. Gong Renyuan)	26 April 2012	1,000,000	-	(750,000)	-	-	250,000	0.55	0.47	0.23	26 April 2013 to 25 April 2018
	28 May 2013	600,000	-	(150,000)	-	-	450,000	0.68	0.64	0.27	28 May 2014 to 27 May 2019
	28 August 2014	1,200,000	-	-	-	-	1,200,000	0.69	0.61	0.33	28 August 2015 to 27 August 2020

## **REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS**

				Number of sha	are options	Concelled/			Chave price		
Name of grantees	Date of grant	As at 1 January 2015	Granted during the year	Exercised during the year	Lapsed during the year	Cancelled/ Forfeited during the year	As at 31 December 2015	Exercise price per share (HK\$)	Share price immediately before the grant date (HK\$ per share)	Fair value of share options (HK\$ per share)	Exercisable period
		62,440,000	-	-	-	-	55,740,000				
Employees in aggregates	27 April 2011	5,360,000	-	-	-	-	5,360,000	1.83	1.79	0.79	27 April 2012 to 26 April 2017
	26 April 2012	14,864,000	-	8,558,000	-	1,150,000	5,156,000	0.55	0.47	0.20	26 April 2013 to 25 April 2018
	28 May 2013	11,950,000	-	3,870,000	-	1,450,000	6,630,000	0.68	0.64	0.26	28 May 2014 to 27 May 2019
	28 August 2014	20,710,000	-	1,163,000	-	450,000	19,097,000	0.69	0.64	0.31	28 August 2015 to 27 August 2020
Other grantees	27 April 2011	4,000,000	-	-	-	-	4,000,000	1.83	1.79	0.83	27 April 2012 to 26 April 2017
Total		119,324,000	-	20,291,000	-	3,050,000	95,983,000				

Further details of the Share Option Scheme are disclosed in note 30 to the consolidated financial statements.

## RESERVES

Details of the movements in the reserves of the Group during the year are set out in the consolidated statement of changes in equity on page 34 in this annual report.

## **DISTRIBUTABLE RESERVES**

As at 31 December 2015, the Company's reserves available for distribution, calculated in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Law of the Cayman Islands (the "**Companies Law**"), amounted to approximately RMB411.7 million (2014: RMB401.0 million), of which final dividend has been proposed for the year ended 31 December 2015. In addition, under the Companies Law, the share premium account of the Company of approximately RMB411.7 million as at 31 December 2015 (2014: RMB400.2 million) was distributable to the Shareholders (subject to the Articles of Association), provided that the Company will be able to pay its debts as they fall due in the ordinary course of business immediately following the date on which the dividend, if any, is proposed to be paid. The Company's share premium account may be distributed in the form of fully paid bonus shares.

## DIRECTORS

The Directors during the year of 2015 and up to the date of this annual report were:

**Executive Directors** 

Mr. Xiang Jie Mr. Gong Renyuan Mr. Yue Zhoumin Mr. Jin Jiafeng

Non-executive Directors

Mr. Ye Weigang Greg Mr. Wong Kun Kau (resigned on 2 July 2015)

Independent Non-executive Directors

Mr. Wang Yi Mr. Li Fengling Mr. Chen Shimin

In accordance with Articles 83(3) and 84(1) of the Articles of Association, Mr. Gong Renyuan and Mr. Li Fengling will retire by rotation and be eligible to offer themselves for re-election at the forthcoming annual general meeting.

The Company has received from each independent non-executive Director an annual confirmation of his independence from the Group, and as at the date of this annual report, the Company still considers them to be independent pursuant to Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules.

### **BIOGRAPHIES OF DIRECTORS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT**

Biographical details of the Directors and the senior management of the Company are set out under the section headed "Biographies of Directors and Senior Management" in this annual report.

### **DIRECTORS' SERVICE CONTRACTS**

Each of the executive Directors has first been appointed for a term of three years commencing on the date of the Listing. Subsequently, Mr. Xiang Jie entered into supplemental service agreements commencing on 1 June 2012 and 1 June 2015 under which his term of office would be three years from the date of the respective supplemental agreement. On 1 June 2013, Mr. Gong Renyuan entered into a supplemental service agreement for a term of three from the date of the said supplemental agreement. On 28 May 2014, Mr. Yue Zhoumin entered into a supplemental service agreement for a term of three years from the date of the said supplemental agreement. Mr. Jin Jiafeng entered into a service agreement on 5 December 2014 for a term of three years from the date of the said supplemental agreement.

Each of the non-executive Directors has been appointed for a term of three years commencing on the date of the Listing. Subsequently, Mr. Ye Weigang Greg entered into a supplemental letter of appointment for a term of three years commencing on 1 June 2013. On 2 July 2015, Mr. Wong Kun Kau resigned as the non-executive Director and therefore the respective appointment letter lapsed on the same date.

The independent non-executive Directors, namely Mr. Wang Yi, Mr. Li Fengling and Mr. Chen Shimin, have first been appointed for a term of three years commencing on 1 July 2010, 1 July 2010 and 19 August 2010, respectively. Subsequently, Mr. Wang Yi entered into supplemental letters of appointment for a term of three years commencing on 1 June 2012 and on 1 June 2015. On 28 May 2013, Mr. Li Fengling entered into a supplemental letter of appointment for a term of three years commencing on 1 June 2013. On 28 May 2014, Mr. Chen Shimin entered into a supplemental letter of appointment letter of appointment for a term of three years commencing on 28 May 2014.

No Director proposed for re-election at the forthcoming annual general meeting has a service contract with the Company which is not determinable by the Company within one year without payment of compensation, other than statutory compensation.

### **DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION**

The Board has the general power of determining the Directors' remuneration, subject to authorisation of the Shareholders at the annual general meeting each year. The remuneration of the executive Directors is subject to review by the remuneration committee, and their remuneration is determined with reference to the Directors' qualifications, experience, duties, responsibilities and performance and results of the Group. As for the non-executive Directors and the independent non-executive Directors, their remuneration is determined by the Board upon recommendation from the remuneration committee. Details of the emoluments of the Directors are set out in note 8 and the five highest paid individuals are set out in note 9 to the consolidated financial statements.

# DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN TRANSACTIONS, ARRANGEMENT AND CONTRACTS

During the year of 2015, no Director had material beneficial interest, either directly or indirectly, in any transaction, arrangement and contract of significance to the business of the Group to which any member of the Group was a party.

### **PERMITTED INDEMNITY**

Pursuant to the Articles of Association, subject to the applicable laws and regulations, every Director shall be indemnified and secured harmless out of the assets and profits of the Company against all actions, costs, charges, losses, damages and expenses which they or any of them may incur or sustain in or about the execution of their duty in their offices. Such permitted indemnity provision has been in force for the year ended 31 December 2015. The Company has arranged appropriate liability insurance coverage for the Directors.

#### DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS IN SHARES, UNDERLYING SHARES AND DEBENTURES

As at 31 December 2015, the interests and short positions of the Directors and chief executives of the Company in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company or its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Cap. 571 of the Laws of Hong Kong) (the "**SFO**"), as recorded in the register kept by the Company pursuant to section 352 of the SFO, or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code, were as follows:

# (a) Long positions in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company

Name of Director	Nature of interest	Number of ordinary shares	Number of underlying shares held under equity derivatives (Note 5)	Total	Approximate percentage of interests in the Company <sup>(Note 6)</sup>
Mr. Xiang Jie	Beneficial owner and interest in controlled corporation	446,182,347 (Note 1)	33,350,000	479,532,347	34.66%
Mr. Gong Renyuan	Beneficial owner and the interest of spouse	25,210,000 <sup>(Note 3)</sup>	15,920,000 <sup>(Note 4)</sup>	41,130,000	2.97%
Mr. Yue Zhoumin	Beneficial owner	4,000,000	4,020,000	8,020,000	0.58%
Mr. Wong Kun Kau (resigned on 2 July 2015)	Interest in controlled corporation	89,570,000 (Note 2)	-	89,570,000	6.47%
Mr. Jin Jiafeng	Beneficial owner	5,050,000	2,450,000	7,500,000	0.54%

Notes:

1. As at 31 December 2015, among the 446,182,347 shares, 4,854,000 shares were directly held by Mr. Xiang Jie and the remaining 441,328,347 shares were directly held by Max Vision Holdings Limited. As at 31 December 2015, Max Vision Holdings Limited was wholly owned by Jiekun Limited, which was wholly owned by BNP Paribas Corporate Services Pte Ltd. As at 31 December 2015, BNP Paribas Corporate Services Pte Ltd. was wholly owned by BNP Paribas Singapore Trust Corporation Limited, which was the trustee of a private trust of which Mr. Xiang Jie was the settlor and his family members were the beneficiaries. Ms. Meng Fankun, being the spouse of Mr. Xiang Jie, is deemed under the SFO to be interested in the 479,532,347 shares in which Mr. Xiang Jie was interested.

- 2. All of the 89,570,000 shares were directly held by Common Goal Holdings Limited ("Common Goal"). As at 30 June 2015, Common Goal was wholly owned by Peregrine Greater China Capital Appreciation Fund, L.P. ("Peregrine Greater China"). Moreover, as at 30 June 2015, Bull Capital Partners GP Limited ("Bull Capital Partners GP"), which was the general partner of Peregrine Greater China and held 6.49% of its equity interest, was wholly owned by Bull Capital Partners Limited ("Bull Capital"). Further, as at 31 December 2015, 78.49% equity interest of Peace World Investments Limited ("Peace World Investments"), which held 58.59% equity interest in Bull Capital, was held by Mr. Wong Kun Kau. As such, Mr. Wong Kun Kau is deemed under the SFO to be interested in the 89,570,000 shares held by Common Goal.
- 3. As at 31 December 2015, among the 25,210,000 shares, 22,810,000 shares were held by Mr. Gong Renyuan and the remaining 2,400,000 shares were held by Ms. Ren Jie, the spouse of Mr. Gong Renyuan. Mr. Gong Renyuan was deemed under the SFO to be interested in the 2,400,000 shares held by Ms. Ren Jie.
- 4. Among the 15,920,000 shares which may be issued upon the exercise of the share options, 13,600,000 shares represented the shares which may be issued upon the exercise of the share options granted to Mr. Gong Renyuan and the remaining 2,320,000 shares represented the shares which may be issued upon the exercise of the share options granted to Ms. Ren Jie, being the spouse of Mr. Gong Renyuan. Mr. Gong Renyuan was deemed under the SFO to be interested in the 2,320,000 shares which may be issued upon the exercise of the share options granted to Ms. Ren Jie.
- 5. Such interests represented the interests in underlying shares in respect of share options granted by the Company to the relevant Directors as beneficial owners, the details of which are set out in the paragraph headed "Share Capital and Share Option Scheme" above.
- 6. There were 1,383,369,000 shares in issue as at 31 December 2015.

# (b) Short position in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company

None of the Directors or the chief executives of the Company had short positions in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company or its associated corporations as at 31 December 2015.

## **DIRECTORS' RIGHTS TO ACQUIRE SHARES OR DEBENTURES**

Save as disclosed in this annual report, at no time during the year of 2015 and up to the date of this annual report were rights to acquire benefits by means of acquisition of shares in or debentures of the Company granted to any Director or their respective spouse or minor children, or were any such rights exercised by them, or was any member of the Group a party to any arrangement to enable the Directors to acquire such rights in any other body corporate.

# SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS' INTERESTS AND SHORT POSITIONS IN SHARES AND UNDERLYING SHARES

As at 31 December 2015, to the best knowledge of the Directors, the records of interests (being 5% or more of the issued share capital of the Company, other than the Directors or the chief executive of the Company) as registered in the register kept by the Company under section 336 of the SFO were as follows:

#### (a) Long positions in the shares and underlying shares of the Company

Name of substantial Shareholder	Nature of interest	Total number of shares held	Approximate percentage of interests in the Company (Note 5)	
Max Vision Holdings Limited	Beneficial owner	441,328,347 (Note 1)	31.90%	
Jiekun Limited	Interest in controlled corporation	441,328,347 <sup>(Note 1)</sup>	31.90%	
BNP Paribas Corporate Service Pte Ltd.	Interest in controlled corporation	441,328,347 <sup>(Note 1)</sup>	31.90%	
BNP Paribas Singapore Trust Corporation Limited	Interest in controlled corporation	441,328,347 (Note 1)	31.90%	
Meng Fankun	Interest of spouse	479,532,347 (Notes 1 and 2	34.66%	

## **REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS**

Name of substantial Shareholder	Nature of interest	Total number of shares held	Approximate percentage of interests in the Company <sup>(Note 5)</sup>
Artmia Limited	Beneficial owner	172,000,000	12.43%
Jin Hyenmi	Interest in controlled corporation	172,000,000 <sup>(Note 3)</sup>	12.43%
Common Goal	Beneficial owner	89,570,000	6.47%
Peregrine Greater China	Interest in controlled corporation	89,570,000 <sup>(Note 4)</sup>	6.47%
Bull Capital Partners GP	Interest in controlled corporation	89,570,000 <sup>(Note 5)</sup>	6.47%
Bull Capital	Interest in controlled corporation	89,570,000 <sup>(Note 6)</sup>	6.47%
Peace World Investments	Interest in controlled corporation	89,570,000 <sup>(Note 7)</sup>	6.47%

Notes:

- 1. As at 31 December 2015, Max Vision Holdings Limited was wholly owned by Jiekun Limited, which was wholly owned by BNP Paribas Corporate Services Pte Ltd. As at 31 December 2015, BNP Paribas Corporate Services Pte Ltd. was wholly owned by BNP Paribas Singapore Trust Corporation Limited, which was the trustee of a private trust of which Mr. Xiang Jie was the settlor and his family members were the beneficiaries. As such, Jiekun Limited, BNP Paribas Corporate Service Pte Ltd. and BNP Paribas Singapore Trust Corporation Limited were deemed under the SFO to be interested in the 441,328,347 shares held by Max Vision Holdings Limited.
- 2. Ms. Meng Fankun, being the spouse of Mr. Xiang Jie, was deemed under the SFO to be interested in the 479,532,347 shares in which Mr. Xiang Jie was interested.
- 3. As at 31 December 2015, Jin Hyenmi wholly owned Artmia Limited. As such, Jin Hyenmi was deemed under the SFO to be interested in the 172,000,000 shares in which Artmia Limited was interested.
- 4. As at 31 December 2015, Peregrine Greater China held 100% equity interest in Common Goal Holdings Limited. As such, it was deemed under the SFO to be interested in the 89,570,000 shares held by Common Goal Holdings Limited.
- 5. As at 31 December 2015, Bull Capital Partners GP was the general partner of Peregrine Greater China Capital Appreciation Fund, L.P. and held approximately 6.49% of its equity interests. As such, Bull Capital Partners GP Limited was deemed under the SFO to be interested in the 89,570,000 shares held indirectly by Peregrine Greater China Capital Appreciation Fund, L.P. in Common Goal Holdings Limited.
- 6. As at 31 December 2015, Bull Capital held 100% equity interest in Bull Capital Partners GP. As such, Bull Capital Partners GP Limited was deemed under the SFO to be interested in the 89,570,000 shares held indirectly by Peregrine Greater China Capital Appreciation Fund, L.P. in Common Goal Holdings Limited.
- 7. As at 31 December 2015, Peace World Investments held 100% equity interest in Bull Capital. As such, Peace World Investments was deemed under the SFC to be interested in was deemed under the SFO to be interested in the 89,570,000 shares held indirectly by Bull Capital, Bull Capital Partners GP Limited and Peregrine Greater China Capital Appreciation Fund, L.P. in Common Goal Holdings Limited.
- 8. There were 1,383,369,000 Shares in issue as at 31 December 2015.

#### (b) Short position in the shares and underlying shares of the Company:

Save as disclosed above, as at 31 December 2015, the Company had not been notified of any interest or short position in the shares or underlying shares of the Company which were required to be recorded in the register kept by the Company under section 336 of the SFO.

## **CONNECTED TRANSACTION**

On 26 June 2015, Jiashan Sunking Power Equipment Technology Co. Ltd. (嘉善華瑞賽晶電氣設備科技有限公司) ("Jiashan Sunking"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, entered into an equity transfer agreement with Jiujiang Mei Chuang Technology Co. Ltd. (九江美創科技有限公司) (the "Vendor"), pursuant to which Jiashan Sunking acquired 10% of the equity interest in Jiujiang Sun.king Technology Co., Ltd. (九江賽晶科技股份有限公司) (formerly known as Jiujiang Jiuzheng Rectifier Co. Ltd. (九江九整整流器有限公司)) ("Jiujiang Sunking") for a consideration of RMB12.0 million. Jiujiang Sunking is principally engaged in manufacturing and trading of rectifiers in the PRC. Upon completion of the said acquisition, Jiashan Sunking owned 83% of the equity interest in Jiujiang Sunking.

As the Vendor, being a substantial shareholder of Jiujiang Sunking at the time of the said acquisition, was a connected person of the Company at the subsidiary level under the Listing Rules, the said acquisition constituted a connected transaction under Chapter 14A of the Listing Rules. Details of the said acquisition are set out in the announcement of the Company dated 11 August 2015. Details of other related party transactions which did not constitute non-exempted connected transactions under the Listing Rules are disclosed in note 37 to the consolidated financial statements.

## **NON-COMPETITION UNDERTAKING BY CONTROLLING SHAREHOLDERS**

The Company has received annual confirmations from the controlling Shareholders, being Mr. Xiang and Max Vision Holdings Limited, in respect of their compliance with the non-competition undertaking. The independent non-executive Directors have reviewed the aforesaid undertaking and are of the view that Mr. Xiang and Max Vision Holdings Limited had complied with the non-competition undertaking during the year of 2015.

## PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF LISTED SECURITIES

There were 1,383,369,000 shares of the Company in issue as at 31 December 2015.

Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries had purchased, sold or redeemed any of the Company's listed securities during the year of 2015.

### **PRE-EMPTIVE RIGHTS**

Unless otherwise required by the Stock Exchange, there were no provisions under the articles of association of the Company or the laws of the Cayman Islands (being the jurisdiction in which the Company is incorporated) which would oblige the Company to offer any pre-emptive right of new shares on a pro-rata basis to the Shareholders.

### **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

Details of the related party transactions of the Company are set out in note 37 to the consolidated financial statements.

### **HUMAN RESOURCES**

As at 31 December 2015, the Group employed 592 employees. Key components of the Group's remuneration packages included basic salary, medical insurance, discretionary cash bonus and retirement benefit scheme. The Group conducts periodic reviews on the performance of our employees and their salaries and bonuses are performance-based. The Group maintained stable relationship with its employees and did not experience any significant problem with our employees or disruption to our operations due to labour disputes, nor did the Group experience any difficulty in the recruitment and retention of experienced employees. The Group continues to maintain a good relationship with our employees.

## **REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS**

## FOREIGN CURRENCY EXPOSURE

Details of the foreign currency exposure for the year ended 31 December 2015 are set out on page 7 of this annual report.

## SUFFICIENCY OF PUBLIC FLOAT

According to information publicly available to the Company and to the knowledge of the Directors, as at the date of this annual report, at least 25% of the Company's total issued share capital was held by the public.

## SHARE CAPITAL

Details of the movements in the share capital of the Company for the year of 2015 are set out in note 29 to the consolidated financial statements.

### DONATIONS

For the year ended 31 December 2015, the Group had made charitable donation amounted to RMB 52,500 (31 December 2014: Nil).

## **MAJOR SUPPLIERS AND CUSTOMERS**

The Group has maintained stable relationship with its major suppliers and customers. In the year of 2015, the Group's largest supplier accounted for approximately 50.8% (2014: 36.9%) of the Group's total purchases. The Group's five largest suppliers accounted for approximately 63.2% (2014: 46.5%) of the Group's total purchases.

In the year under review, the Group's sales to its five largest customers accounted for approximately 39.3% (2014: 43.2%) of the Group's total sales. The Group's largest customer accounted for approximately 12.5% (2014: 25.4%) of the Group's total sales.

None of the Directors or any of their close associates (as defined under the Listing Rules) or any Shareholders (who, to the best knowledge of the Directors, owns more than 5% of the Company's issued share capital) has any beneficial interest in the Group's five largest customers or five largest suppliers.

#### AUDIT COMMITTEE AND REVIEW OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The audit committee was established on 19 August 2010 with written terms of reference in compliance with the Listing Rules. The audit committee is responsible for making recommendation to the Board on the appointment, re-appointment and removal of the external auditors, and approving the remuneration and terms of engagement of the external auditors, and any issues regarding the resignation or dismissal of that auditors; monitoring the integrity of financial statements, annual reports and accounts, interim reports and, (if prepared for publication) quarterly reports, and reviewing material financial reporting judgments therein; and reviewing the systems of financial control, internal control and risk management.

The audit committee has reviewed with the management of the Group the accounting principles and practices adopted by the Group and discussed the auditing, internal control and financial reporting matters, including review of the audited consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2015. The consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2015 have been audited by the Company's external auditors, Ernst & Young.

### **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

The Company has published its corporate governance report, which is set out from pages 11 to 18 in this annual report.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL POLICIES AND PERFORMANCE**

The Group commits to fulfil social responsibility, promote employee benefits and development, protect the environment and achieve sustainable growth. Discussion on the Group's environmental policies are contained in the section headed "Corporate Governance Report" on page 18 of this annual report.

## COMPLIANCE WITH THE RELEVANT LAWS AND REGULATIONS

During the year ended 31 December 2015, the Company had complied with the relevant laws and regulations that have a significant impact on it.

## **IMPORTANT EVENT AFTER REPORTING DATE**

No important events affecting the Company have occurred since the end of the financial year.

### PROSPECTS

Looking forward into 2016, the Group will continue to adhere to the target of being the industry leading electric power system solution integrator. The Group will also continue to strengthen its independent research and development in technology and product innovation, improve product quality, reinforce personnel training and talent introduction, develop diversified products and improve operational efficiency, in order to realise the sustainable and rapid development of the Group.

The PRC government is dedicated to build HVDC and flexible direct current transmission lines to form part of the global power network. State Grid announced that the grid construction investment for 2016 is approximately RMB439.0 billion, and such investment amount increased by 4.5% over the year. State Grid will accelerate the construction of five alternating current and eight direct current ( $\Xi \heartsuit \land \square$ ) HVDC transmission lines and will also strive to obtain approval for the construction of seven HVDC transmission lines. In addition, flexible direct current transmission is a key technology in the construction of global power network in achieving clean and efficient energy transmission and distribution. As a result, the Group is confident in its business development within the abovementioned areas.

In line with our development strategy, the Group will continue to reinforce its product diversification in the rail transportation sector. In 2016, we will continue to maintain long term cooperation with the CRRC Group and will also actively participate the development of CEMU and AEMU. At the same time, the Group will develop the market of products for electrified rail substation power quality management. Furthermore, the Group will continue to devote effort to the research and development of new products to achieve product diversification and increase business scale in the rail transportation sector.

In 2016, under the favourable condition for energy saving-related modifications and power efficiency enhancement of industrial catalogues in the PRC, the Group will continue to promote its power-related electrical components and equipment with high effectiveness and efficiency, and leverage the research and development of new technologies such as the isolated operation project, in order to assist its industrial customers to realise safe and efficient power usage.

The Group will seize opportunities for growth in terms of market share and revenue through various channels such as strategic alliance with strategic partners, mergers and acquisitions and formation of long term business collaboration with large customers and will gradually explore both regional and overseas markets.

## **REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS**

## **CLOSURE OF REGISTER**

In order to establish the identity of the Shareholders who are entitled to attend and vote at the annual general meeting, all duly completed transfer forms accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's Hong Kong branch share registrar, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at Level 22, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong, no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, 13 May 2016. The register of members of the Company will be closed from Monday, 16 May 2016 to Wednesday, 18 May 2016, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares will be registered.

In order to establish the identity of the Shareholders who are entitled to the proposed final dividend, all duly completed transfer forms accompanied by the relevant share certificates must be lodged with the Company's Hong Kong branch share registrar, Tricor Investor Services Limited, at Level 22, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong, no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, 27 May 2016. The register of members of the Company will be closed from Monday, 30 May 2016 to Tuesday, 31 May 2016, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares will be registered. Subject to the approval by the Shareholders of the proposed final dividend at the annual general meeting to be held on Wednesday, 18 May 2016, the final dividend will be paid on or around Wednesday, 15 June 2016 to the Shareholders whose names appear on the register of members of the Company at the close of business on Tuesday, 31 May 2016.

### **AUDITORS**

Ernst & Young retire and a resolution for their re-appointment as auditors of the Company will be proposed at the forthcoming annual general meeting.

On behalf of the Board

Xiang Jie Chairman

Hong Kong, 22 March 2016



**To the shareholders of Sun.King Power Electronics Group Limited** (Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Sun.King Power Electronics Group Limited (the "**Company**") and its subsidiaries set out on pages 32 to 97, which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2015, and the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of changes in equity and the consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

# DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of consolidated financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards promulgated by the International Accounting Standards Board and the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

## **AUDITORS' RESPONSIBILITY**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audit. Our report is made solely to you, as a body, and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility towards or accept liability to any other person for the contents of this report.

We conducted our audit in accordance with Hong Kong Standards on Auditing issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditors consider internal control relevant to the entity's preparation of consolidated financial statements that give a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

## **OPINION**

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company and its subsidiaries as at 31 December 2015, and of their financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and have been properly prepared in compliance with the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

Ernst & Young Certified Public Accountants 22/F, CITIC Tower 1 Tim Mei Avenue Central, Hong Kong 22 March 2016

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

Year ended 31 December 2015

	Notes	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
REVENUE	5	781,993	517,301
Cost of sales		(515,064)	(358,209)
Gross profit		266,929	159,092
Other income and gains Selling and distribution expenses Administrative expenses	5	29,513 (63,318) (75,389)	23,797 (68,450) (74,394)
Other expenses and losses Finance costs Share of losses of:	7	(13,303) (54,136) (17,612)	(51,663) (15,995)
Joint ventures An associate		(599) (6,241)	(1,398) (3,232)
PROFIT/(LOSS) BEFORE TAX	6	79,147	(32,243)
Income tax expense	10	(17,928)	(6,357)
PROFIT/(LOSS) AND TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME/(LOSS) FOR THE YEAR		61,219	(38,600)
Attributable to: Owners of the parent Non-controlling interests		62,272 (1,053)	(32,138) (6,462)
		61,219	(38,600)
EARNINGS/(LOSS) PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT	12		
Basic		RMB4.53 cents	RMB(2.36) cents
Diluted		RMB4.45 cents	RMB(2.36) cents

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

31 December 2015

	Notes	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment	13	360,279	374,715
Prepaid land lease payments	14	57,932	59,333
Deposits for purchase of items of property, plant and equipment		52	156
Goodwill	15	34,159	34,159
Other intangible assets	16	23,006	24,053
Club memberships		2,534	2,534
Investments in joint ventures	17	15,650	16,507
Investments in an associate	18	13,062	20,958
Available-for-sale investments	19	16,999	16,800
Trade receivables	21	89,553	82,467
Deferred tax assets	28	10,290	10,838
Total non-current assets		623,516	642,520
CURRENT ASSETS			
Inventories	20	175,053	134,009
Trade and bills receivables	21	589,807	420,395
Prepayments, deposits and other receivables	22	46,502	48,694
Prepaid land lease payments	14	1,401	1,401
Derivative financial instruments	26	488	_
Available-for-sale investments	19	10,000	-
Pledged deposits	23	13,464	1,597
Cash and cash equivalents	23	128,004	113,558
Total current assets		964,719	719,654
CURRENT LIABILITIES	24	196 600	161 /7/
Trade and bills payables	24 25	186,629	161,474
Other payables and accruals Derivative financial instruments	25	60,893	75,848
Interest-bearing bank borrowings	20 27	1,628 394,574	6,922 229,000
Tax payable	27	24,079	22,829
		24,015	
Total current liabilities		667,803	496,073
NET CURRENT ASSETS		296,916	223,581
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		920,432	866,101

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

31 December 2015

	Notes	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		920,432	866,101
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Deferred income		17,393	21,746
Deferred tax liabilities	28	12,068	12,351
Total non-current liabilities		29,461	34,097
Net assets		890,971	832,004
EQUITY			
Equity attributable to owners of the parent Issued capital	29	118,775	117,168
Reserves	31	755,957	677,376
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		874,732	794,544
Non-controlling interests		16,239	37,460
Total equity		890,971	832,004

Xiang Jie Director Yue Zhoumin Director

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## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

Year ended 31 December 2015

	Attributable to owners of the parent										
	Notes	Share capital RMB'000	Share premium account RMB'000	Employee share-based compensation reserve RMB'000 (note a)	Capital redemption reserve RMB'000	Deemed contribution reserve RMB'000 (note b)	Other reserve RMB'000 (note c)	Retained profits/ (accumulated losses) RMB'000	<b>Total</b> RMB'000	Non- controlling interests RMB'000	Total equity RMB'000
At 1 January 2014 Loss and total comprehensive		117,156	400,119	13,084	288	14,765	248,697	38,466**	832,575	46,152	878,727
loss for the year Acquisition of		-	-	-	-	-	-	(32,138)	(32,138)	(6,462)	(38,600)
non-controlling interests		-	-	-	-	-	2,079	-	2,079	(2,230)	(151)
Exercise of share options	30	12	77	(24)	-	-	-	-	65	-	65
Share-based payments	30	-	-	2,783	-	-	-	-	2,783	-	2,783
Final 2013 dividend paid		-	-	-	-	-	-	(10,820)	(10,820)	-	(10,820)
At 31 December 2014 and											
at 1 January 2015		117,168	400,196*	15,843*	288*	14,765*	250,776*	(4,492)*	794,544	37,460	832,004
Profit and total comprehensive											
income for the year Acquisition of		-	-	-	-	-	-	62,272	62,272	(1,053)	61,219
non-controlling interests		-	-	-	-	-	(5,798)	-	(5,798)	(20,052)	(25,850)
Disposal of a subsidiary	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(116)	(116)
Exercise of share options	30	1,607	11,499	(3,667)	-	-	-	-	9,439	-	9,439
Share-based payments	30	-	-	14,275	-	-	-	-	14,275	-	14,275
At 31 December 2015		118,775	411,695*	26,451*	288*	14,765*	244,978*	57,780*	874,732	16,239	890,971

Notes:

(a) The employee share-based compensation reserve represents the fair value of share options granted which are yet to be exercised, as further explained in the accounting policy for share-based payment transactions in note 2.4 to the financial statements. The amount will be transferred to the share premium account when the related options are exercised.

(b) Deemed contribution reserve represents share-based payment expense incurred and recognised by the Group as settled by issue of shares of Sun.King Group Limited (賽晶集團有限公司) ("Sunking BVI"), a former shareholder of the Company.

(c) Other reserve mainly arose from certain waivers of loans and/or advances by Sunking BVI to the Group in prior years and from acquisitions of non-controlling interests.

\* These reserve accounts comprise the consolidated reserves of RMB755,957,000 (2014: RMB677,376,000) in the consolidated statement of financial position.

\*\* Retained profits have been adjusted for the proposed final 2013 dividend in accordance with the current year's presentation, which is described in note 2.4 to the financial statements.

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

Year ended 31 December 2015

	Notes	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Profit/(loss) before tax		79,147	(32,243)
Adjustments for:			
Finance costs	7	17,612	15,995
Share of losses of joint ventures and an associate		6,840	4,630
Interest income	5	(1,148)	(2,182)
Loss/(gain) on disposal of items of property,			
plant and equipment	5,6	178	(11,865)
Gain on disposal of a subsidiary	5	(6,081)	-
Depreciation	6	23,136	19,134
Amortisation of other intangible assets	6	1,071	1,184
Impairment of trade and other receivables	6	17,985	16,644
Fair value losses/(gains) on foreign currency			
forward contracts, net	5,6	(2,890)	11,983
Fair value gains on derivative financial instruments	5	(52)	-
Amortisation of prepaid land lease payments	6	1,401	1,401
Impairment of goodwill	6	-	3,000
Amortisation of deferred income		(16,438)	(6,090)
Write-down/(reversal of write-down) of			
inventories to net realisable value	6	(3,887)	3,802
Share-based payment expense	6	14,275	2,783
		131,149	28,176
Increase in inventories		(37,157)	(45,891)
Decrease/(increase) in trade and bills receivables		(191,546)	99,361
Increase in prepayments, deposits and other receivables		(1,094)	(12,391)
Increase in trade and bills payables		25,428	18,997
Increase/(decrease) in other payables and accruals		(14,934)	4,273
Increase in derivative financial instruments		(2,840)	(4,318)
Cash generated from/(used in) operations		(90,994)	88,207
Interest paid		(17,612)	(15,995)
Income taxes paid		(16,413)	(6,575)
Net cash flows from/(used in) operating activities		(125,019)	65,637

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

Year ended 31 December 2015

	Notes	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Net cash flows from/(used in) operating activities		(125,019)	65,637
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Interest received		2,803	2,182
Purchases of items of property, plant and equipment	13	(12,360)	(80,280)
Proceeds from disposal of items of property,			()
plant and equipment		2,104	40,576
Decrease in deposits for purchase of items of			
property, plant and equipment		104	1,159
Additions to other intangible assets	16	(110)	(287)
Disposal of a subsidiary	33	7,543	-
Decrease/(increase) in pledged deposits		(11,867)	15,778
Investment in a joint venture		-	(15,700)
Purchases of available-for-sale investments		(10,000)	-
Receipt of government grants		12,085	11,539
Net cash flows used in investing activities		(9,698)	(25,033)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Proceeds from exercise of share options	30	9,439	65
New bank loans		563,578	490,800
Repayment of bank loans		(398,004)	(560,800)
Acquisition of non-controlling interests		(25,850)	(151)
Dividends paid			(10,820)
Net cash flows from/(used in) financing activities		149,163	(80,906)
NET DECREASE/(INCREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		14,446	(40,302)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		113,558	153,860
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR		128,004	113,558
ANALYSIS OF BALANCES OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS			
Cash and bank balances	24	128,004	113,558

### **1. CORPORATE AND GROUP INFORMATION**

Sun.King Power Electronics Group Limited (the "**Company**") was incorporated as an exempted company with limited liability in the Cayman Islands on 19 March 2010. The ordinary shares of the Company have been listed on the Main Board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "**Stock Exchange**") with effect from 13 October 2010. The registered address of the Company is Cricket Square, Hutchins Drive, P.O. Box 2681, Grand Cayman KY1-1111, Cayman Islands.

During the year, the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the "**Group**") were principally engaged in the trading and manufacturing of power electronic components.

In the opinion of the directors of the Company, the Company's immediate holding company is Max Vision Holdings Limited, which is ultimately controlled by Mr. Xiang Jie, the founder and a director of the Company.

#### Information about subsidiaries

Particulars of the Company's principal subsidiaries are as follows:

Name	Place of incorporation/ registration and business	Issued and paid-up capital	Percentage of equity attributable to the Company	Principal activities
Sunking Pacific Limited 賽晶亞太有限公司	Hong Kong	HK\$1	100%	Investment holding
Beijing Sunking Electronic Technology Co., Ltd.* 北京華瑞賽晶電子 科技有限公司	The PRC/ Mainland China	RMB1,000,000	100%	Trading agent for various products and technologies
Jiashan Sunking Power Equipment Technology Co., Ltd.* 嘉善華瑞賽晶電氣設備 科技有限公司	The PRC/ Mainland China	US\$76,500,000	100%	Sale, research and development, after sales service and production of electrical/ electronic components and installation, including integrated gate bipolar transistors
Tianjin Sunking Xinglu Water Technology Co., Ltd.* 天津市華瑞賽晶興路 水科技有限公司	The PRC/ Mainland China	RMB5,000,000	100%	Environmental machinery, electronic facilities, new type of purification and water facilities, technology advisory, technology transfer, technology service, sale and distribution of environmental machinery
Wuxi Sunking Power Capacitor Co., Ltd.* 無錫賽晶電力電容器 有限公司	The PRC/ Mainland China	US\$28,000,000	100%	Production of electrical capacitors and complete device, amorphous alloy transformers, DC current anode saturable dry-type reactors, and FM voltage AC traction devices; trading agent of various products and technologies

## 1. CORPORATE AND GROUP INFORMATION (continued)

## Information about subsidiaries (continued)

Particulars of the Company's principal subsidiaries are as follows: (continued)

Name	Place of incorporation/ registration and business	Issued and paid-up capital	Percentage of equity attributable to the Company	Principal activities
Wuxi Zhuofeng Information Technology Co., Ltd.** 無錫卓峰信息科技 有限公司	The PRC/ Mainland China	RMB5,000,000	100%	Manufacture and sale of computer software and hardware, research and development of network technology, technology advisory, technology transfer, technology service, computer system service, sale of electronic products, computer auxiliary equipment and office supplies, technology research and service of electronic products, enterprise management advisory, business advisory
Sudian Power Electronic Technology Co., Ltd.* 蘇電電力電子技術(無錫) 有限公司	The PRC/ Mainland China	US\$6,000,500	100%	Technology research, technology transfer, technology advisory and technology detection service of power electronic equipment, computer software and hardware, high voltage electrical capacitors, high voltage power networks reactive-load compensation equipment
Wuhan Langde Electrics Co., Ltd.* 武漢朗德電氣有限公司	The PRC/ Mainland China	RMB5,000,000	61%	On-line smart grid monitoring system
Jiujiang Sun.king Technology Co., Ltd.** 九江賽晶科技股份有限公司	The PRC/ Mainland China	RMB75,000,000	83%	Manufacture and sale of rectifiers
Zhejiang Saiying Power Technology Co., Ltd.** 浙江賽英電力科技有限公司	The PRC/ Mainland China	RMB30,000,000	97.5%	Research, development, production and sale of power electronics components power transmission and distribution equipment
Zhejiang Jiashan Keneng Power Equipment Co., Ltd.** 浙江嘉善科能電力設備 有限公司	The PRC/ Mainland China	RMB37,500,000	72%	Production and sale, development research and of power equipment reactive power compensation devices

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## **1. CORPORATE AND GROUP INFORMATION** (continued)

#### **Information about subsidiaries** (continued)

Particulars of the Company's principal subsidiaries are as follows: (continued)

Name	Place of incorporation/ registration and business	Issued and paid-up capital	Percentage of equity attributable to the Company	Principal activities
Beijing Sunking Power Electronic Technology Co., Ltd.* 北京賽晶電力電子科技 有限公司	The PRC/ Mainland China	RMB5,000,000	100%	Technology research for electronic power device railway equipment, sale and distribution of power electronic components, import and export of goods and technologies
Wuhan Angnai Information Co., Ltd.** 武漢昂耐信息有限公司	The PRC/ Mainland China	RMB2,000,000	61%	Manufacture and sale of computer software and hardware, webpage design, graphic design, sale of high and low voltage electrical equipment

\* Registered as a wholly-foreign-owned enterprise under PRC law.

\*\* Registered as a limited liability company under PRC law.

All the above investments in subsidiaries are indirectly held by the Company.

Except for Sunking Pacific Limited, the English names of all the above companies are direct translations of their Chinese registered names.

The statutory financial statements of the above subsidiaries are not audited by Ernst & Young, Hong Kong or another member firm of the Ernst & Young global network.

The above table lists the subsidiaries of the Company which, in the opinion of the directors, principally affected the results for the year or formed a substantial portion of the net assets of the Group. To give details of other subsidiaries would, in the opinion of the directors, result in particulars of excessive length.

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#### 2.1 BASIS OF PREPARATION

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs") (which include all International Financial Reporting Standards, International Accounting Standards ("IASs") and Interpretations) promulgated by the International Accounting Standards Board (the "IASB") and the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance. They have been prepared under the historical cost convention, except for derivative financial instruments, which have been measured at fair value. These financial statements are presented in Renminbi ("RMB") and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand except when otherwise indicated.

#### **Basis of consolidation**

The consolidated financial statements include the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries for the year ended 31 December 2015. A subsidiary is an entity (including a structured entity), directly or indirectly, controlled by the Company. Control is achieved when the Group is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee and has ability to affect those returns through its power over the investee (i.e., existing rights that give the Group the current ability to direct the relevant activities of the investee).

When the Company has, directly or indirectly, less than a majority of the voting or similar rights of an investee, the Group considers all relevant facts and circumstances in assessing whether it has power over an investee, including:

- (a) the contractual arrangement with the other vote holders of the investee;
- (b) rights arising from other contractual arrangements; and
- (c) the Group's voting rights and potential voting right.

The financial statements of the subsidiaries are prepared for the same reporting period as the Company, using consistent accounting policies. The results of subsidiaries are consolidated from the date on which the Group obtains control, and continue to be consolidated until the date that such control ceases.

Profit or loss and each component of other comprehensive income are attributed to the owners of the parent of the Group and to the non-controlling interests, even if this results in the non-controlling interests having a deficit balance. All intra-group assets and liabilities, equity, income, expenses and cash flows relating to transactions between members of the Group are eliminated in full on consolidation.

The Group reassesses whether or not it controls an investee if facts and circumstances indicate that there are changes to one or more of the three elements of control described above. A change in the ownership interest of a subsidiary, without a loss of control, is accounted for as an equity transaction.

If the Group loses control over a subsidiary, it derecognises (i) the assets (including goodwill) and liabilities of the subsidiary, (ii) the carrying amount of any non-controlling interest and (iii) the cumulative translation differences recorded in equity; and recognises (i) the fair value of the consideration received, (ii) the fair value of any investment retained and (iii) any resulting surplus or deficit in profit or loss. The Group's share of components previously recognised in other comprehensive income is reclassified to profit or loss or retained profits, as appropriate, on the same basis as would be required if the Group had directly disposed of the related assets or liabilities.

### 2.2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES

The Group has adopted the following revised standards for the first time for the current year's financial statements.

Amendments to IAS 19 Defined Benefit Plans: Employee Contributions Annual Improvements to IFRSs 2010-2012 Cycle Annual Improvements to IFRSs 2011-2013 Cycle

The nature and the impact of each amendment is described below:

- (a) Amendments to IAS 19 apply to contributions from employees or third parties to defined benefit plans. The amendments simplify the accounting for contributions that are independent of the number of years of employee service, for example, employee contributions that are calculated according to a fixed percentage of salary. If the amount of the contributions is independent of the number of years of service, an entity is permitted to recognise such contributions as a reduction of service cost in the period in which the related service is rendered. The amendments have had no impact on the Group as the Group does not have defined benefit plans.
- (b) The *Annual Improvements to IFRSs 2010-2012 Cycle* issued in December 2013 sets out amendments to a number of IFRSs. Details of the amendments that are effective for the current year are as follows:
  - IFRS 8 Operating Segments: Clarifies that an entity must disclose the judgments made by management in applying the aggregation criteria in IFRS 8, including a brief description of operating segments that have been aggregated and the economic characteristics used to assess whether the segments are similar. The amendments also clarify that a reconciliation of segment assets to total assets is only required to the disclosed if the reconciliation is reported to the chief operating decision maker. The amendments have had no impact on the Group.
  - IAS 16 *Property, Plant and Equipment* and IAS 38 *Intangible Assets*: Clarifies the treatment of gross carrying amount and accumulated depreciation or amortisation of revalued items of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets. The amendments have had no impact on the Group as the Group does not apply the revaluation model for the measurement of these assets.
  - IAS 24 *Related Party Disclosures*: Clarifies that a management entity (i.e., an entity that provides key management personnel services) is a related party subject to related party disclosure requirements. In addition, an entity that uses a management entity is required to disclose the expenses incurred for management services. The amendment has had no impact on the Group as the Group does not receive any management services from other entities.
- (c) The Annual Improvements to IFRSs 2011-2013 Cycle issued in December 2013 sets out amendments to a number of IFRSs. Details of the amendments that are effective for the current year are as follows:
  - IFRS 3 *Business Combination:* Clarifies that joint arrangements but not joint ventures are outside the scope of IFRS 3 and the scope exception applies only to the accounting in the financial statements of the joint arrangement itself. The amendment is applied prospectively. The amendment has had no impact on the Group as the Company is not a joint arrangement and the Group did not form any joint arrangement during the year.
  - IFRS 13 *Fair Value Measurement:* Clarifies that the portfolio exception in IFRS 13 can be applied not only to financial assets and financial liabilities, but also to other contracts within the scope of IFRS 9 or IAS 39 as applicable. The amendment is applied prospectively from the beginning of the annual period in which IFRS 13 was initially applied. The amendment has had no impact on the Group as the Group does not apply the portfolio exception in IFRS 13.
  - IAS 40 *Investment Property:* Clarifies that IFRS 3, instead of the description of ancillary services in IAS 40 which differentiates between investment property and owner-occupied property, is used to determine if the transaction is a purchase of an asset or a business combination. The amendment is applied prospectively for acquisitions of investment properties. The amendment has had no impact on the Group as the Group did not acquire any investment property during the year.

#### 2.2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES (continued)

In addition, the Company has adopted the amendments to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Listing Rules") issued by the Hong Kong Stock Exchange relating to the disclosure of financial information with reference to the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622) during the current financial year. The main impact to the financial statements is on the presentation and disclosure of certain information in the financial statements.

# 2.3 ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS

The Group has not applied the following new and revised IFRSs that have been issued but are not yet effective, in these financial statements.

IFRS 9	Financial Instruments <sup>3</sup>
Amendments to IFRS 10 and IAS 28	Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture <sup>6</sup>
Amendments to IFRS 10, IFRS 12 and IAS 28	Investment Entities: Applying the Consolidation Exception <sup>1</sup>
Amendments to IFRS 11	Accounting for Acquisitions of Interests in Joint Operations <sup>1</sup>
IFRS 14	Regulatory Deferral Accounts <sup>5</sup>
IFRS 15	Revenue from Contracts with Customers <sup>3</sup>
IFRS 16	Leases <sup>4</sup>
Amendments to IAS 1	Disclosure Initiative <sup>1</sup>
Amendments to IAS 7	Disclosure Initiative <sup>2</sup>
Amendments to IAS 12	Recognition of Deferred Tax Assets for Unrealised Losses <sup>2</sup>
Amendments to IAS 16 and IAS 38	Clarification of Acceptable Methods of Depreciation and Amortisation <sup>1</sup>
Amendments to IAS 16 and IAS 41	Agriculture: Bearer Plants <sup>1</sup>
Amendments to IAS 27	Equity Method in Separate Financial Statements <sup>1</sup>
Annual Improvements 2012-2014 Cycle	Amendments to a number of IFRSs1

<sup>1</sup> Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2016

<sup>2</sup> Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2017

- <sup>3</sup> Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018
- <sup>4</sup> Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019
- <sup>5</sup> Effective for an entity that first adopts IFRSs for its annual financial statements beginning on or after 1 January 2016 and therefore is not applicable to the Group
- <sup>6</sup> No mandatory effective date yet determined but is available for adoption

Further information about those IFRSs that are expected to be applicable to the Group is as follows:

In July 2014, the IASB issued the final version of IFRS 9, bringing together all phases of the financial instruments project to replace IAS 39 and all previous versions of IFRS 9. The standard introduces new requirements for classification and measurement, impairment and hedge accounting. The Group expects to adopt IFRS 9 from 1 January 2018. The Group is currently assessing the impact of the standard upon adoption and expects that the adoption of IFRS 9 will have an impact on the classification and measurement of the Group's financial assets.

The amendments to IFRS 10 and IAS 28 address an inconsistency between the requirements in IFRS 10 and in IAS 28 in dealing with the sale or contribution of assets between an investor and its associate or joint venture. The amendments require a full recognition of a gain or loss when the sale or contribution of assets between an investor and its associate or joint venture constitutes a business. For a transaction involving assets that do not constitute a business, a gain or loss resulting from the transaction is recognised in the investor's profit or loss only to the extent of the unrelated investor's interest in that associate or joint venture. The amendments are to be applied prospectively.

# 2.3 ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS (continued)

The amendments to IFRS 11 require that an acquirer of an interest in a joint operation in which the activity of the joint operation constitutes a business must apply the relevant principles for business combinations in IFRS 3. The amendments also clarify that a previously held interest in a joint operation is not remeasured on the acquisition of an additional interest in the same joint operation while joint control is retained. In addition, a scope exclusion has been added to IFRS 11 to specify that the amendments do not apply when the parties sharing joint control, including the reporting entity, are under common control of the same ultimate controlling party. The amendments apply to both the acquisition of the initial interest in a joint operation and the acquisition of any additional interests in the same joint operation. The amendments are not expected to have any impact on the financial position or performance of the Group upon adoption on 1 January 2016.

IFRS 15 establishes a new five-step model to account for revenue arising from contracts with customers. Under IFRS 15, revenue is recognised at an amount that reflects the consideration to which an entity expects to be entitled in exchange for transferring goods or services to a customer. The principles in IFRS 15 provide a more structured approach for measuring and recognising revenue. The standard also introduces extensive qualitative and quantitative disclosure requirements, including disaggregation of total revenue, information about performance obligations, changes in contract asset and liability account balances between periods and key judgements and estimates. The standard will supersede all current revenue recognition requirements under IFRSs. In July 2015, the IASB issued an amendment to IFRS 15 regarding a one-year deferral of the mandatory effective date of IFRS 15 to 1 January 2018. The Group expects to adopt IFRS 15 on 1 January 2018 and is currently assessing the impact of IFRS 15 upon adoption.

In January 2016, the IASB issued IFRS 16 which requires lessees to recognise assets and liabilities for most leases. Under the new standard, a lease is a contract, or part of a contract, that conveys the right to use an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration. A contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset if, throughout the period of use, the customer has the right to obtain substantially all of the economic benefits from the use of the identified asset and direct the use of the identified asset. Lessees are required to initially recognise a lease liability for the obligation to make lease payments and a right-of-use asset for the right to use the identified asset for the lease term. Subsequently, lessees accrete the lease liability to reflect interest and reduce the liability to reflect lease payments made. The related right-of-use asset is depreciated in accordance with the depreciation requirements of IAS 16 Property, Plant and Equipment. For lessors, there is little change to the existing accounting in IAS 17 Leases. The Group expects to adopt IFRS 16 on 1 January 2019 and is currently assessing the impact of IFRS 16 upon adoption.

Amendments to IAS 1 include narrow-focus improvements in respect of the presentation and disclosure in financial statements. The amendments clarify:

- (i) the materiality requirements in IAS 1;
- (ii) that specific line items in the statement of profit or loss and the statement of financial position may be disaggregated;
- (iii) that entities have flexibility as to the order in which they present the notes to financial statements; and
- (iv) that the share of other comprehensive income of associates and joint ventures accounted for using the equity method must be presented in aggregate as a single line item, and classified between those items that will or will not be subsequently reclassified to profit or loss.

Furthermore, the amendments clarify the requirements that apply when additional subtotals are presented in the statement of financial position and the statement of profit or loss. The Group expects to adopt the amendments from 1 January 2016. The amendments are not expected to have any significant impact on the Group's financial statements.

In January 2016 the IASB published Amendments to IAS 7. The amendments require an entity to provide disclosures that enable users of financial statements to evaluate changes in liabilities arising from financing activities, including both changes arising from cash flows and non-cash changes. The amendments are not expected to have any significant impact on the financial statements or performance of the Group upon adoption on 1 January 2017.

# 2.3 ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS (continued)

In January 2016, the IASB issued amendments to IAS 12. The amendments clarify how to account for deferred tax assets related to debt instruments measured at fair value. They also address the diversity in practice regarding the recognition of deferred tax assets for unrealised losses. The amendments apply for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2017, but earlier application is permitted.

Amendments to IAS 16 and IAS 38 clarify the principle in IAS 16 and IAS 38 that revenue reflects a pattern of economic benefits that are generated from operating business (of which the asset is part) rather than the economic benefits that are consumed through the use of the asset. As a result, a revenue-based method cannot be used to depreciate property, plant and equipment and may only be used in very limited circumstances to amortise intangible assets. The amendments are to be applied prospectively. The amendments are not expected to have any impact on the financial position or performance of the Group upon adoption on 1 January 2016 as the Group has not used a revenue-based method for the calculation of depreciation of its non-current assets.

## 2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Investments in an associate and joint ventures

An associate is an entity in which the Group has a long term interest of generally not less than 20% of the equity voting rights and over which it is in a position to exercise significant influence. Significant influence is the power to participate in the financial and operating policy decisions of the investee, but is not control or joint control over those policies.

A joint venture is a type of joint arrangement whereby the parties that have joint control of the arrangement have rights to the net assets of the joint venture. Joint control is the contractually agreed sharing of control of an arrangement, which exists only when decisions about the relevant activities require the unanimous consent of the parties sharing control.

The Group's investments in an associate and joint ventures are stated in the consolidated statement of financial position at the Group's share of net assets under the equity method of accounting, less any impairment losses.

The Group's share of the post-acquisition results and other comprehensive income of the associate and joint ventures is included in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income. In addition, when there has been a change recognised directly in the equity of the associate or joint venture, the Group recognises its share of any changes, when applicable, in the consolidated statement of changes in equity. Unrealised gains and losses resulting from transactions between the Group and its associates or joint ventures are eliminated to the extent of the Group's investments in the associate or joint ventures, except where unrealised losses provide evidence of an impairment of the Group's investments in the associate or joint ventures.

If an investment in an associate becomes an investment in a joint venture or vice versa, the retained interest is not remeasured. Instead, the investment continues to be accounted for under the equity method. In all other cases, upon loss of significant influence over the associate or joint control over the joint venture, the Group measures and recognises any retained investment at its fair value. Any difference between the carrying amount of the associate or joint control and the fair value of the retained investment and proceeds from disposal is recognised in profit or loss.

#### **Business combinations and goodwill**

Business combinations are accounted for using the acquisition method. The consideration transferred is measured at the acquisition date fair value which is the sum of the acquisition date fair values of assets transferred by the Group, liabilities assumed by the Group to the former owners of the acquiree and the equity interests issued by the Group in exchange for control of the acquiree. For each business combination, the Group elects whether to measure the non-controlling interests in the acquiree that are present ownership interests and entitle their holders to a proportionate share of net assets in the event of liquidation at fair value or at the proportionate share of the acquiree's identifiable net assets. All other components of non-controlling interests are measured at fair value. Acquisition-related costs are expensed as incurred.

#### **Business combinations and goodwill** (continued)

When the Group acquires a business, it assesses the financial assets and liabilities assumed for appropriate classification and designation in accordance with the contractual terms, economic circumstances and pertinent conditions as at the acquisition date. This includes the separation of embedded derivatives in host contracts of the acquiree.

If the business combination is achieved in stages, the previously held equity interest is remeasured at its acquisition date fair value and any resulting gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss.

Any contingent consideration to be transferred by the acquirer is recognised at fair value at the acquisition date. Contingent consideration classified as an asset or liability is measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss. Contingent consideration that is classified as equity is not remeasured and subsequent settlement is accounted for within equity.

Goodwill is initially measured at cost, being the excess of the aggregate of the consideration transferred, the amount recognised for non-controlling interests and any fair value of the Group's previously held equity interests in the acquiree over the identifiable net assets acquired and liabilities assumed. If the sum of this consideration and other items is lower than the fair value of the net assets acquired, the difference is, after reassessment, recognised in profit or loss as a gain on bargain purchase.

After initial recognition, goodwill is measured at cost less any accumulated impairment losses. Goodwill is tested for impairment annually or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired. The Group performs its annual impairment test of goodwill as at 31 December. For the purpose of impairment testing, goodwill acquired in a business combination is, from the acquisition date, allocated to each of the Group's cash-generating units, or groups of cash-generating units, that are expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination, irrespective of whether other assets or liabilities of the Group are assigned to those units or groups of units.

Impairment is determined by assessing the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit (or group of cash-generating units) to which the goodwill relates. Where the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit (or group of cash-generating units) is less than the carrying amount, an impairment loss is recognised. An impairment loss recognised for goodwill is not reversed in a subsequent period.

Where goodwill has been allocated to a cash-generating unit (or group of cash-generating units) and part of the operation within that unit is disposed of, the goodwill associated with the operation disposed of is included in the carrying amount of the operation when determining the gain or loss on the disposal of the operation. Goodwill disposed of in this circumstance is measured based on the relative values of the operation disposal of and the portion of the cash-generating unit retained.

#### Fair value measurement

The Group measures its derivative financial instruments at fair value at the end of each reporting period. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either in the principal market for the asset or liability. The principal or the most advantageous market must be accessible by the Group. The fair value of an asset or a liability is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming that market participants act in their economic best interest.

A fair value measurement of a non-financial asset takes into account a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use or by selling it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use.

The Group uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.

#### Fair value measurement (continued)

All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the financial statements are categorised within the fair value hierarchy, described as follows, based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole:

- Level 1 based on quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities
- Level 2 based on valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is observable, either directly or indirectly
- Level 3 based on valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable

For assets and liabilities that are recognised in the financial statements on a recurring basis, the Group determines whether transfers have occurred between levels in the hierarchy by reassessing categorisation (based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole) at the end of each reporting period.

#### Impairment of non-financial assets

Where an indication of impairment exists, or when annual impairment testing for an asset is required (other than inventories, deferred tax assets and financial assets), the asset's recoverable amount is estimated. An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of the asset's or cash-generating unit's value in use and its fair value less costs of disposal, and is determined for an individual asset, unless the asset does not generate cash inflows that are largely independent of those from other assets or groups of assets, in which case the recoverable amount is determined for the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

An impairment loss is recognised only if the carrying amount of an asset exceeds its recoverable amount. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. An impairment loss is charged to profit or loss in the period in which it arises in those expense categories consistent with the function of the impaired asset.

An assessment is made at the end of each reporting period as to whether there is an indication that previously recognised impairment losses may no longer exist or may have decreased. If such an indication exists, the recoverable amount is estimated. A previously recognised impairment loss of an asset other than goodwill is reversed only if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount of that asset, but not to an amount higher than the carrying amount that would have been determined (net of any depreciation/ amortisation) had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in prior years. A reversal of such an impairment loss is credited to profit or loss in the period in which it arises.

#### **Related parties**

A party is considered to be related to the Group if:

- (a) the party is a person or a close member of that person's family and that person
  - (i) has control or joint control over the Group;
  - (ii) has significant influence over the Group; or
  - (iii) is a member of the key management personnel of the Group or of a parent of the Group;

or

#### **2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** (continued)

#### **Related parties** (continued)

- (b) the party is an entity where any of the following conditions applies:
  - (i) the entity and the Group are members of the same group;
  - (ii) one entity is an associate or joint venture of the other entity (or of a parent, subsidiary or fellow subsidiary of the other entity);
  - (iii) the entity and the Group are joint ventures of the same third party;
  - (iv) one entity is a joint venture of a third entity and the other entity is an associate of the third entity;
  - the entity is a post-employment benefit plan for the benefit of employees of either the Group or an entity related to the Group;
  - (vi) the entity is controlled or jointly controlled by a person identified in (a);
  - (vii) a person identified in (a)(i) has significant influence over the entity or is a member of the key management personnel of the entity (or of a parent of the entity); and
  - (viii) the entity, or any member of a group of which it is a part, provides key management personnel services to the Group or the parent of the Group.

#### Property, plant and equipment and depreciation

Property, plant and equipment, other than construction in progress, are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and any impairment losses. The cost of an item of property, plant and equipment comprises its purchase price and any directly attributable costs of bringing the asset to its working condition and location for its intended use.

Expenditure incurred after items of property, plant and equipment have been put into operation, such as repairs and maintenance, is normally charged to profit or loss in the period in which it is incurred. In situations where the recognition criteria are satisfied, the expenditure for a major inspection is capitalised in the carrying amount of the asset as a replacement. Where significant parts of property, plant and equipment are required to be replaced at intervals, the Group recognises such parts as individual assets with specific useful lives and depreciates them accordingly.

Depreciation is calculated on the straight-line basis to write off the cost of each item of property, plant and equipment to its residual value over its estimated useful life. The principal annual rates used for this purpose are as follows:

Buildings Leasehold improvements Plant and machinery Furniture and fixtures Motor vehicles 1.9% to 19.0% Over the shorter of the lease term and 20% 4.8% to 31.7% 9% to 64.7% 10.0% to 24.0%

Where parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, the cost of that item is allocated on a reasonable basis among the parts and each part is depreciated separately. Residual values, useful lives and the depreciation method are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at least at each financial year end.

An item of property, plant and equipment and any significant part initially recognised is derecognised upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss on disposal or retirement recognised in profit or loss in the year the asset is derecognised is the difference between the net sales proceeds and the carrying amount of the relevant asset.

Construction in progress is stated at cost less any impairment losses, and is not depreciated. Construction in progress is reclassified to the appropriate category of property, plant and equipment when completed and ready for use.

#### Intangible assets (other than goodwill)

Intangible assets acquired separately are measured on initial recognition at cost. The cost of intangible assets acquired in a business combination is the fair value at the date of acquisition. The useful lives of intangible assets are assessed to be either finite or indefinite. Intangible assets with finite lives are subsequently amortised over the useful economic life and assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible asset may be impaired. The amortisation period and the amortisation method for an intangible asset with a finite useful life are reviewed at least at each financial year end.

#### Trademark

Trademarks with indefinite useful lives are tested for impairment annually either individually or at the cashgenerating unit level. These intangible assets are not amortised. The useful life of a trademark with an indefinite life is reviewed annually to determine whether the indefinite life assessment continues to be supportable. If not, the change in the useful life assessment from indefinite to finite is accounted for on a prospective basis.

#### Patents and computer software

Patents and computer software are stated at cost less any impairment losses and are amortised on the straightline basis over their estimated useful lives of not exceeding ten years.

#### Research and development costs

All research costs are charged to profit or loss as incurred.

Expenditure incurred on projects to develop new products is capitalised and deferred only when the Group can demonstrate the technical feasibility of completing the intangible asset so that it will be available for use or sale, its intention to complete and its ability to use or sell the asset, how the asset will generate future economic benefits, the availability of resources to complete the project and the ability to measure reliably the expenditure during the development. Product development expenditure which does not meet these criteria is expensed when incurred.

Deferred development costs are stated at cost less any impairment losses and are amortised using the straightline basis over the commercial lives of the underlying products, commencing from the date when the products are put into commercial production.

#### **Operating leases**

Leases where substantially all the rewards and risks of ownership of assets remain with the lessor are accounted for as operating leases. Where the Group is the lessor, assets leased by the Group under operating leases are included in non-current assets, and rentals receivable under the operating leases are credited to profit or loss on the straight-line basis over the lease terms. Where the Group is the lessee, rentals payable under the operating leases net of any incentives received from the lessor are charged to profit or loss on the straight-line basis over the lease terms.

Prepaid land lease payments under operating leases are initially stated at cost and subsequently recognised on the straight-line basis over the lease terms.

#### Investments and other financial assets

#### Initial recognition and measurement

Financial assets are classified, at initial recognition, as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, loans and receivables, or available-for-sale financial investments, as appropriate. When financial assets are recognised initially, they are measured at fair value plus transaction costs plus transaction costs that are attributable to the acquisition of the financial assets, except in the case of financial assets recorded at fair value through profit or loss.

#### **Investments and other financial assets** (continued)

#### Initial recognition and measurement (continued)

All regular way purchases and sales of financial assets are recognised on the trade date, that is, the date that the Group commits to purchase or sell the asset. Regular way purchases or sales are purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within the period generally established by regulation or convention in the marketplace

#### Subsequent measurement

The subsequent measurement of financial assets depends on their classification as follows:

#### Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss include financial assets held for trading and financial assets designated upon initial recognition as at fair value through profit or loss. Financial assets are classified as held for trading if they are acquired for the purpose of sale in the near term. Derivatives, including separated embedded derivatives, are also classified as held for trading unless they are designated as effective hedging instruments as defined by IAS 39.

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are carried in the statement of financial position at fair value with positive net changes in fair value presented as other income and gains and negative net changes in fair value presented as other expenses and losses in profit or loss. These net fair value changes do not include any dividends or interest earned on these financial assets, which are recognised in accordance with the policies set out for "Revenue recognition" below.

Financial assets designated upon initial recognition as at fair value through profit or loss are designated at the date of initial recognition and only if the criteria in IAS 39 are satisfied.

Derivatives embedded in host contracts are accounted for as separate derivatives and recorded at fair value if their economic characteristics and risks are not closely related to those of the host contracts and the host contracts are not held for trading or designated as at fair value through profit or loss. These embedded derivatives are measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss. Reassessment only occurs if there is either a change in the terms of the contract that significantly modifies the cash flows that would otherwise be required or a reclassification of a financial asset out of the fair value through profit or loss category.

#### Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. After initial measurement, such assets are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method less any allowance for impairment. Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and includes fees or costs that are an integral part of the effective interest rate. The effective interest rate amortisation is included in profit or loss. The loss arising from impairment is recognised in other expenses.

#### Available-for-sale financial investments

Available-for-sale financial investments are non-derivative financial assets in listed or unlisted equity investments and debt securities. Equity investments classified as available for sale are those which are neither classified as held for trading nor designated as at fair value through profit or loss. Debt securities in this category are those which are intended to be held for an indefinite period of time and which may be sold in response to needs for liquidity or in response to changes in market conditions.

## **2.4 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** (continued)

#### **Investments and other financial assets** (continued)

#### Available-for-sale financial investments (continued)

After initial recognition, available-for-sale financial investments are subsequently measured at fair value, with unrealised gains or losses recognised as other comprehensive income in the available-for-sale investment revaluation reserve until the investment is derecognised, at which time the cumulative gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss, or until the investment is determined to be impaired, when the cumulative gain or loss is reclassified from the available-for-sale investment revaluation reserve to profit or loss in other gains or losses. Interest and dividends earned whilst holding the available-for-sale financial investments are reported as interest income and dividend income, respectively and are recognised in profit or loss as other income in accordance with the policies set out for "Revenue recognition" below.

When the fair value of unlisted equity investments cannot be reliably measured because (a) the variability in the range of reasonable fair value estimates is significant for that investment or (b) the probabilities of the various estimates within the range cannot be reasonably assessed and used in estimating fair value, such investments are stated at cost less any impairment losses.

The Group evaluates whether the ability and intention to sell its available-for-sale financial assets in the near term are still appropriate. When, in rare circumstances, the Group is unable to trade these financial assets due to inactive markets, the Group may elect to reclassify these financial assets if management has the ability and intention to hold the assets for the foreseeable future or until maturity.

For a financial asset reclassified from the available-for-sale category, the fair value carrying amount at the date of reclassification becomes its new amortised cost and any previous gain or loss on that asset that has been recognised in equity is amortised to profit or loss over the remaining life of the investment using the effective interest rate. Any difference between the new amortised cost and the maturity amount is also amortised over the remaining life of the asset using the effective interest rate. If the asset is subsequently determined to be impaired, then the amount recorded in equity is reclassified to profit or loss.

#### **Derecognition of financial assets**

A financial asset (or, where applicable, a part of a financial asset or part of a group of similar financial assets) is derecognised (i.e., removed from the Group's consolidated statement of financial position) when:

- the rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired; or
- the Group has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from the asset or has assumed an obligation to pay the received cash flows in full without material delay to a third party under a "pass-through" arrangement; and either (a) the Group has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, or (b) the Group has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, but has transferred control of the asset.

When the Group has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from an asset or has entered into a pass-through arrangement, it evaluates if and to what extent it has retained the risk and rewards of ownership of the asset. When it has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset nor transferred control of the asset, the Group continues to recognise the transferred asset to the extent of the Group's continuing involvement. In that case, the Group also recognises an associated liability. The transferred asset and the associated liability are measured on a basis that reflects the rights and obligations that the Group has retained. Continuing involvement that takes the form of a guarantee over the transferred asset is measured at the lower of the original carrying amount of the asset and the maximum amount of consideration that the Group could be required to repay.

#### Impairment of financial assets

The Group assesses at the end of each reporting period whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset or a group of financial assets is impaired. An impairment exists if one or more events that occurred after the initial recognition of the asset have an impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset or the group of financial assets that can be reliably estimated. Evidence of impairment may include indications that a debtor or a group of debtors is experiencing significant financial difficulty, default or delinquency in interest or principal payments, the probability that they will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganisation and observable data indicating that there is a measurable decrease in the estimated future cash flows, such as changes in arrears or economic conditions that correlate with defaults.

#### Financial assets carried at amortised cost

For financial assets carried at amortised cost, the Group first assesses whether impairment exists individually for financial assets that are individually significant, or collectively for financial assets that are not individually significant. If the Group determines that no objective evidence of impairment exists for an individually assessed financial asset, whether significant or not, it includes the asset in a group of financial assets with similar credit risk characteristics and collectively assesses them for impairment. Assets that are individually assessed for impairment and for which an impairment loss is, or continues to be, recognised are not included in a collective assessment of impairment.

The amount of any impairment loss identified is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows (excluding future credit losses that have not yet been incurred). The present value of the estimated future cash flows is discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate (i.e., the effective interest rate computed at initial recognition).

The carrying amount of the asset is reduced through the use of an allowance account and the amount of the loss is recognised in profit or loss. Interest income continues to be accrued on the reduced carrying amount using the rate of interest used to discount the future cash flows for the purpose of measuring the impairment loss. Loans and receivables together with any associated allowance are written off when there is no realistic prospect of future recovery and all collateral has been realised or has been transferred to the Group.

If, in a subsequent period, the amount of the estimated impairment loss increases or decreases because of an event occurring after the impairment was recognised, the previously recognised impairment loss is increased or reduced by adjusting the allowance account. If a future write-off is later recovered, the recovery is credited to other expenses in profit or loss.

#### Available-for-sale financial investments

#### Assets carried at cost

If there is objective evidence that an impairment loss has been incurred on an unquoted equity instrument that is not carried at fair value because its fair value cannot be reliably measured, or on a derivative asset that is linked to and must be settled by delivery of such an unquoted equity instrument, the amount of the loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows discounted at the current market rate of return for a similar financial asset. Impairment losses on these assets are not reversed. For available-for-sale financial investments, the Group assesses at the end of each reporting period whether there is objective evidence that an investment or a group of investments is impaired.

If an available-for-sale asset is impaired, an amount comprising the difference between its cost (net of any principal payment and amortisation) and its current fair value, less any impairment loss previously recognised in profit or loss, is removed from other comprehensive income and recognised in profit or loss.

## Impairment of financial assets (continued)

#### Available-for-sale financial investments (continued)

#### Assets carried at cost (continued)

In the case of equity investments classified as available for sale, objective evidence would include a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of an investment below its cost. "Significant" is evaluated against the original cost of the investment and "prolonged" against the period in which the fair value has been below its original cost. Where there is evidence of impairment, the cumulative loss – measured as the difference between the acquisition cost and the current fair value, less any impairment loss on that investment previously recognised in profit or loss – is removed from other comprehensive income and recognised in profit or loss. Impairment losses on equity instruments classified as available for sale are not reversed through profit or loss. Increases in their fair value after impairment are recognised directly in other comprehensive income.

The determination of what is "significant" or "prolonged" requires judgement. In making this judgement, the Group evaluates, among other factors, the duration or extent to which the fair value of an investment is less than its cost.

In the case of debt instruments classified as available for sale, impairment is assessed based on the same criteria as financial assets carried at amortised cost. However, the amount recorded for impairment is the cumulative loss measured as the difference between the amortised cost and the current fair value, less any impairment loss on that investment previously recognised in profit or loss. Future interest income continues to be accrued based on the reduced carrying amount of the asset using the rate of interest used to discount the future cash flows for the purpose of measuring the impairment loss. The interest income is recorded as part of finance income. Impairment losses on debt instruments are reversed through profit or loss if the subsequent increase in fair value of the instruments can be objectively related to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognised in profit or loss.

#### **Financial liabilities**

#### Initial recognition and measurement

Financial liabilities are classified, at initial recognition, as financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, or loans and borrowings, as appropriate.

All financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value plus, in the case of loans and borrowings, net of directly attributable transaction costs.

#### Subsequent measurement

The subsequent measurement of financial liabilities depends on their classification as follows:

#### Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss include financial liabilities held for trading and financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition as at fair value through profit or loss.

Financial liabilities are classified as held for trading if they are acquired for the purpose of repurchasing in the near term. This category includes derivative financial instruments entered into by the Group that are not designated as hedging instruments in hedge relationships as defined by IAS 39. Separated embedded derivatives are also classified as held for trading unless they are designated as effective hedging instruments. Gains or losses on liabilities held for trading are recognised in profit or loss. The net fair value gain or loss recognised in profit or loss does not include any interest charged on these financial liabilities.

Financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition as at fair value through profit or loss are designated at the date of initial recognition and only if the criteria of IAS 39 are satisfied.

## **Financial liabilities** (continued)

#### Loans and borrowings

After initial recognition, interest-bearing loans and borrowings are subsequently measured at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method unless the effect of discounting would be immaterial, in which case they are stated at cost. Gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss when the liabilities are derecognised as well as through the effective interest rate amortisation process.

Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and fees or costs that are an integral part of the effective interest rate. The effective interest rate amortisation is included in finance costs in profit or loss.

#### **Derecognition of financial liabilities**

A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled, or expires.

When an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as a derecognition of the original liability and a recognition of a new liability, and the difference between the respective carrying amounts is recognised in profit or loss.

#### Offsetting of financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the statement of financial position if, and only if, there is currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, or to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

#### **Derivative financial instruments**

#### Initial recognition and subsequent measurement

The Group uses derivative financial instruments, such as foreign currency forward contracts, to hedge its foreign currency risk. These derivative financial instruments are initially recognised at fair value on the date on which a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently remeasured at fair value. Derivatives are carried as assets when the fair value is positive and as liabilities when the fair value is negative.

Any gains or losses arising from changes in fair value of derivatives are taken directly to profit or loss, except for the effective portion of cash flow hedges, which is recognised in other comprehensive income and later reclassified to profit or loss when the hedged item affects profit or loss.

The fair value of foreign currency forward contracts is determined using the rates quoted by the Group's bankers to terminate the contracts at the end of the reporting period.

#### Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost is determined on the weighted average basis and, in the case of work in progress and finished goods, comprises direct materials, direct labour and an appropriate proportion of overheads. Net realisable value is based on estimated selling prices less any estimated costs to be incurred to completion and disposal.

#### Cash and cash equivalents

For the purpose of the consolidated statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and demand deposits, and short term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible into known amounts of cash, are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value, and have a short maturity of generally within three months when acquired, less bank overdrafts which are repayable on demand and form an integral part of the Group's cash management.

For the purpose of the consolidated statement of financial position, cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and at banks, including term deposits, which are not restricted as to use.

#### **Provisions**

A provision is recognised when a present obligation (legal or constructive) has arisen as a result of a past event and it is probable that a future outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation, provided that a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

When the effect of discounting is material, the amount recognised for a provision is the present value at the end of the reporting period of the future expenditures expected to be required to settle the obligation. The increase in the discounted present value amount arising from the passage of time is included in finance costs in profit or loss.

#### **Income tax**

Income tax comprises current and deferred tax. Income tax relating to items recognised outside profit or loss is recognised outside profit or loss, either in other comprehensive income or directly in equity.

Current tax assets and liabilities are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authorities, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period, taking into consideration interpretations and practices prevailing in the countries in which the Group operates.

Deferred tax is provided, using the liability method, on all temporary differences at the end of the reporting period between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognised for all taxable temporary differences, except:

- when the deferred tax liability arises from the initial recognition of goodwill or an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; and
- in respect of taxable temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures, when the timing of the reversal of the temporary differences can be controlled and it is probable that the temporary differences will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for all deductible temporary differences, the carryforward of unused tax credits and any unused tax losses. Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences, the carryforward of unused tax credits and unused tax losses can be utilised, except:

- when the deferred tax asset relating to the deductible temporary differences arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; and
- in respect of deductible temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures, deferred tax assets are only recognised to the extent that it is probable that the temporary differences will reverse in the foreseeable future and taxable profit will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilised.

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#### **Income tax** (continued)

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at the end of each reporting period and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred tax asset to be utilised. Unrecognised deferred tax assets are reassessed at the end of each reporting period and are recognised to the extent that it has become probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred and are recognised to the extent that it has become probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred tax asset to be recovered.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the period when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period.

Deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities are offset if a legally enforceable right exists to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and the deferred taxes relate to the same taxable entity and the same taxation authority.

#### **Government grants**

Government grants are recognised at their fair value where there is reasonable assurance that the grant will be received and all attaching conditions will be complied with. When the grant relates to an expense item, it is recognised as income on a systematic basis over the periods that the costs, which it is intended to compensate, are expensed.

Where the grant relates to an asset, the fair value is credited to a deferred income account and is released to profit or loss over the expected useful life of the relevant asset by equal annual instalments or deducted from the carrying amount of the asset and released to profit or loss by way of a reduced depreciation charge.

#### **Revenue recognition**

Revenue is recognised when it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Group and when the revenue can be measured reliably, on the following bases:

- (a) from the sale of goods, when the significant risks and rewards of ownership have been transferred to the buyer, provided that the Group maintains neither managerial involvement to the degree usually associated with ownership, nor effective control over the goods sold;
- (b) from the rendering of services, in the period in which the services are recorded;
- (c) interest income, on an accrual basis using the effective interest rate method by applying the rate that exactly discounts the estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial instrument or a shorter period, when appropriate, to the net carrying amount of the financial asset; and
- (d) dividend income, when the shareholders' right to receive payment has been established.

#### **Share-based payments**

The Company operates a share award scheme and a share option scheme for the purpose of providing incentives and rewards to eligible participants who contribute to the success of the Group's operations. Employees (including directors) of the Group receive remuneration in the form of share-based payments, whereby employees render services as consideration for equity instruments ("equity-settled transactions").

The cost of equity-settled transactions with employees for grants is measured by reference to the fair value at the date at which they are granted. The fair value is determined by an external valuer using a binomial model, further details of which are given in note 30 to the financial statements.

## Share-based payments (continued)

The cost of equity-settled transactions is recognised in employee benefit expense, together with a corresponding increase in equity, over the period in which the performance and/or service conditions are fulfilled. The cumulative expense recognised for equity-settled transactions at the end of each reporting period until the vesting date reflects the extent to which the vesting period has expired and the Group's best estimate of the number of equity instruments that will ultimately vest. The charge or credit to profit or loss for a period represents the movement in the cumulative expense recognised as at the beginning and end of that period.

Service and non-market performance conditions are not taken into account when determining the grant date fair value of awards, but the likelihood of the conditions being met is assessed as part of the Group's best estimate of the number of equity instruments that will ultimately vest. Market performance conditions are reflected within the grant date fair value. Any other conditions attached to an award, but without an associated service requirement, are considered to be non-vesting conditions. Non-vesting conditions are reflected in the fair value of an award and lead to an immediate expensing of an award unless there are also service and/or performance conditions.

For awards that do not ultimately vest because non-market performance and/or service conditions have not been met, no expense is recognised. Where awards include a market or non-vesting condition, the transactions are treated as vesting irrespective of whether the market or non-vesting condition is satisfied, provided that all other performance and/or service conditions are satisfied.

Where the terms of an equity-settled award are modified, as a minimum an expense is recognised as if the terms had not been modified, if the original terms of the award are met. In addition, an expense is recognised for any modification that increases the total fair value of the share-based payment transactions, or is otherwise beneficial to the employee as measured at the date of modification.

Where an equity-settled award is cancelled, it is treated as if it had vested on the date of cancellation, and any expense not yet recognised for the award is recognised immediately. This includes any award where nonvesting conditions within the control of either the Group or the employee are not met. However, if a new award is substituted for the cancelled award, and is designated as a replacement award on the date that it is granted, the cancelled and new awards are treated as if they were a modification of the original award, as described in the previous paragraph.

The dilutive effect of outstanding options is reflected as additional share dilution in the computation of earnings per share.

## Other employee benefits

#### **Pension schemes**

The Group operates a defined contribution Mandatory Provident Fund retirement benefit scheme (the "**MPF Scheme**") under the Mandatory Provident Fund Schemes Ordinance for those employees who are eligible to participate in the MPF Scheme. Contributions are made based on a percentage of the employees' basic salaries and are charged to profit or loss as they become payable in accordance with the rules of the MPF Scheme. The assets of the MPF Scheme are held separately from those of the Group in an independently administrated fund. The Group's employer contributions vest fully with the employees when contributed into the MPF Scheme.

The employees of the Group's subsidiaries which operate in Mainland China are required to participate in central pension schemes operated by the local municipal governments. These subsidiaries are required to contribute a certain percentage of their payroll costs to the central pension schemes. The contributions are charged to profit or loss as they become payable in accordance with the rules of the central pension schemes.

#### **Borrowing costs**

Borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of qualifying assets, i.e., assets that necessarily take a substantial period of time to get ready for their intended use or sale, are capitalised as part of the cost of those assets. The capitalisation of such borrowing costs ceases when the assets are substantially ready for their intended use or sale. Investment income earned on the temporary investment of specific borrowing costs are expenditure on qualifying assets is deducted from the borrowing costs capitalised. All other borrowing costs are expensed in the period in which they are incurred. Borrowing costs consist of interest and other costs that an entity incurs in connection with the borrowing of funds.

#### **Dividends**

Final dividends are recognised as a liability when they are approved by the shareholders in a general meeting. In prior year, final dividends proposed by the directors were classified as a separate allocation of retained profits within the equity section of the statement of financial position, until they have been approved by the shareholders in a general meeting. Following the implementation of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622), proposed final dividends are disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.

#### **Foreign currencies**

These financial statements are presented in RMB, which is also the functional currency of the Company and its subsidiaries. Each entity in the Group determines its own functional currency and items included in the financial statements of each entity are measured using that functional currency. Foreign currency transactions recorded by the entities in the Group are initially recorded using their respective functional currency rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the functional currency rates of exchange ruling at the end of the reporting period. Differences arising on settlement or translation of monetary items are recognised in profit or loss.

Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the dates of the initial transactions. Non-monetary items measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when the fair value was measured. The gain or loss arising on retranslation of a non-monetary item is treated in line with the recognition of the gain or loss on change in fair value of the item (i.e., translation difference on the item whose fair value gain or loss is recognised in other comprehensive income or profit or loss is also recognised in other comprehensive income or profit or loss, respectively).

For the purpose of the consolidated statement of cash flows, the cash flows of overseas subsidiaries are translated into RMB at the exchange rates ruling at the dates of the cash flows. Frequently recurring cash flows of overseas subsidiaries which arise throughout the year are translated into RMB at the weighted average exchange rates for the year.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND ESTIMATES

The preparation of the Group's financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities, and their accompanying disclosures, and the disclosure of contingent liabilities. However, uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that could require a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of the assets or liabilities affected in the future.

#### Judgement

In the process of applying the Group's accounting policies, management has made the following judgement, apart from those involving estimations, which has the most significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements:

#### Withholding tax arising from the distribution of dividends

The Group's determination, as to whether to accrue withholding taxes arising from the distributions of dividends by certain subsidiaries according to the relevant tax rules enacted in the jurisdictions, is subject to judgement on the distribution plan of dividends.

#### **Estimation uncertainty**

The key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the end of the reporting period, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year, are described below.

#### Impairment of goodwill

The Group determines whether goodwill is impaired at least on an annual basis. This requires an estimation of the value in use of the cash-generating units to which the goodwill is allocated. Estimating the value in use requires the Group to make an estimate of the expected future cash flows from the cash-generating units and also to choose a suitable discount rate in order to calculate the present value of those cash flows. The carrying amount of goodwill at 31 December 2015 was RMB34,159,000 (2014: RMB34,159,000). Further details are given in note 15.

#### Impairment of non-financial assets (other than goodwill)

The Group assesses whether there are any indicators of impairment for all non-financial assets at the end of each reporting period. Indefinite life intangible assets are tested for impairment annually and at other times when such an indicator exists. Other non-financial assets are tested for impairment when there are indicators that the carrying amounts may not be recoverable. An impairment exists when the carrying value of an asset or a cash-generating unit exceeds its recoverable amount, which is the higher of its fair value less costs to sell and its value in use. The calculation of the fair value less costs to sell is based on available data from binding sales transactions in an arm's length transaction of similar assets or observable market prices less incremental costs for disposing of the asset. When value in use calculations are undertaken, management must estimate the expected future cash flows from the asset or cash-generating unit and choose a suitable discount rate in order to calculate the present value of those cash flows.

#### **Deferred** tax assets

Deferred tax assets are recognised for all deductible temporary differences, carryforward of unused tax credits and unused tax losses, to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences, and the carryforward of unused tax credits and unused tax losses can be utilised. Significant management judgement is required to determine the amount of deferred tax assets that can be recognised, based upon the likely timing and level of future taxable profits together with future tax planning strategies. No deferred tax assets (2014: Nil) relating to tax losses was recognised at 31 December 2015. The amount of unrecognised tax losses at 31 December 2015 was RMB144,069,000 (2014: RMB140,115,000). Further details are contained in note 28 to the financial statements.

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## 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND ESTIMATES

#### **Estimation uncertainty** (continued)

#### Impairment of available-for-sale financial assets

The Group classifies certain assets as available for sale and recognises movements of their fair values in equity. When the fair value declines, management makes assumptions about the decline in value to determine whether there is an impairment that should be recognised in profit or loss. At 31 December 2015, there was no impairment loss recognised for available-for-sale assets (2014: Nil). The carrying amount of available-for-sale investments was RMB26,999,000 (2014: RMB16,800,000).

#### Impairment of receivables

Impairment of receivables is made based on an assessment of the recoverability of trade and other receivables and the timing of their recovery. The identification of impairment of receivables requires management judgement and estimation. Where the actual outcome or expectation in future is different from the original estimates, the differences will impact on the carrying value of trade and other receivables and the amount of impairment/writeback of impairment in the periods in which the estimates have been changed. At 31 December 2015, the carrying amounts of trade and bills receivables and other receivables were RMB679,360,000 (2014: RMB502,862,000) and RMB41,422,000 (2014: RMB39,777,000), respectively.

#### Write-down of inventories to net realisable value

Write-down of inventories to net realisable value is made based on the ageing and estimated net realisable value of inventories. The assessment of the write-down amount involves management's judgements and estimates. Where the actual outcome or expectation in future is different from the original estimate, the differences will impact the carrying value of the inventories and the write-down charge/reversal in the period in which the estimate has been changed. At 31 December 2015, the carrying amount of inventories was RMB175,053,000 (2014: RMB134,009,000).

## 4. OPERATING SEGMENT INFORMATION

For management purposes, the Group has one reportable operating segment which is the manufacturing and trading of power electronic components.

#### **Geographical information**

As the Group's major operations, customers and non-current assets are located in the People's Republic of China (the "**PRC**"), no further geographical segment information is provided.

#### Information about major customers

Revenue from major customers that individually accounted for 10% or more of the Group's revenue is as follows:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Customer A *	_	115,799
Customer B **	97,932	-
Customer C **	85,203	
Total	183,135	115,799

\* The sales to customer A were less than 10% of the Group's revenue for the year ended 31 December 2015.

\*\* The respective sales to customer B and customer C were less than 10% of the Group's revenue for the year ended 31 December 2014.

## 5. REVENUE, OTHER INCOME AND GAINS

Revenue represents the net invoiced value of goods sold after allowances for returns and trade discounts during the year.

An analysis of revenue, other income and gains is as follows:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Revenue		
Sale of goods	781,993	517,301
Other income		
Government grants*	16,438	6,090
Interest income	1,148	2,182
Sale of scrap materials	2,007	1,643
Others	897	2,017
	20,490	11,932
Gains		
Gain on disposal of items of property, plant and equipment, net	-	11,865
Fair value gains on foreign currency forward contracts, net	2,890	-
Fair value gains on derivative financial instruments, net	52	-
Gain on disposal of a subsidiary	6,081	
	9,023	11,865
	29,513	23,797

Various government grants have been received for investments in certain provinces in Mainland China in which the Company's subsidiaries operate. Government grants received for which related expenditure has not yet been undertaken are included in deferred income in the consolidated statement of financial position. There are no unfulfilled conditions or contingencies relating to these government grants.

## 6. PROFIT/(LOSS) BEFORE TAX

The Group's profit/(loss) before tax is arrived at after charging/(crediting):

	Notes	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Cost of inventories sold		518,951	354,407
Write-down/(reversal of write-down) of			
inventories to net realisable value		(3,887)	3,802
Cost of sales		515,064	358,209
Auditors' remuneration		1,650	1,650
Depreciation	13	23,136	19,134
Amortisation of other intangible assets	16	1,071	1,184
Amortisation of land lease payments	14	1,401	1,401
Impairment of goodwill*	15	-	3,000
Minimum lease payments under operating leases		1,825	2,945
Impairment of trade and other receivables*	21,22	17,985	16,644
Fair value losses on foreign currency forward contracts, net*		-	11,983
Loss on disposal of items of property,			
plant and equipment, net*		178	-
Foreign exchange differences, net*		4,515	539
Research and development costs*		31,458	19,497
Employee benefit expense (including directors'			
and chief executive's remuneration (note 8)):		04.000	00 705
Wages and salaries		21,698	23,785
Share-based payment expense Pension scheme contributions**		14,275	2,783
		6,336	6,206
		42,309	32,774

\* The impairment of goodwill, impairment of trade and other receivables, net fair value losses on foreign currency forward contracts, net loss on disposal of items of property, plant and equipment, net foreign exchange losses and research and development costs are included in "Other expenses and losses" in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

\*\* At 31 December 2015, the Group had no forfeited contributions available to reduce its contributions to the pension scheme in future years (2014: Nil).

## 7. FINANCE COSTS

An analysis of finance costs is as follows:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Interest on bank loans	17,612	15,995

## 8. DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S REMUNERATION

Directors' and chief executive's remuneration for the year, disclosed pursuant to the Listing Rules, section 383(1) (a), (b), (c) and (f) of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance and Part 2 of the Companies (Disclosure of Information about Benefits of Directors) Regulation, is as follows:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Fees	836	851
Other emoluments:		
Salaries, allowances and benefits in kind	2,159	2,152
Share-based payment expense	7,834	1,706
Pension scheme contributions	152	141
	10,145	3,999
	10,981	4,850

In the prior years, certain directors were granted share options, in respect of their services to the Group, under the share option scheme of the Company, further details of which are set out in note 30 to the financial statements. The fair value of these options, which has been recognised in profit or loss over the vesting period, was determined as at the date of grant and the amount included in the financial statements for the current year is included in the above directors' and chief executive's remuneration disclosures.

#### (a) Independent non-executive directors

The fees paid to independent non-executive directors during the year were as follows:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Mr. Wang Yi	130	126
Mr. Li Fengling	130	126
Mr. Chen Shimin	130	126
	390	378

There were no other emoluments payable to the independent non-executive directors during the year (2014: Nil).

## 8. DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S REMUNERATION (continued)

## (b) Executive directors, non-executive directors and the chief executive

	Fees RMB'000	Salaries, allowances and benefits in kind RMB'000	Share-based payment expense RMB'000	Pension scheme contributions RMB'000	Total remuneration RMB'000
2015					
Executive directors:					
Mr. Xiang Jie	81	764	4,671	38	5,554
Mr. Gong Renyuan*	81	560	2,352	38	3,031
Mr. Yue Zhoumin	81	380	488	37	986
Mr. Jin Jiafeng	81	455	323	39	898
	324	2,159	7,834	152	10,469
Non-executive directors:					
Mr. Ye Weigang Greg	81	-	-	-	81
Mr. Wong Kun Kau**	41	-	-	-	41
	122		-	-	122
	446	2,159	7,834	152	10,591

\* Mr. Gong Renyuan is also the chief executive of the Company.

Mr. Wong Kun Kau resigned as a non-executive director of the Company on 2 July 2015.

	Fees RMB'000	Salaries, allowances and benefits in kind RMB'000	Share-based payment expense RMB'000	Pension scheme contributions RMB'000	Total remuneration RMB'000
2014					
Executive directors:					
Mr. Xiang Jie	79	736	936	37	1,788
Mr. Gong Renyuan*	79	600	535	37	1,251
Mr. Yue Zhoumin	79	420	126	29	654
Mr. Huang Xiangqian**	79	396	108	38	621
Mr. Jin Jiafeng***	_	420	108	39	567
	316	2,572	1,813	180	4,881
Non-executive directors:					
Mr. Ye Weigang Greg	79	-	-	-	79
Mr. Wong Kun Kau	79	-	-	-	79
	158	-	-	-	158
	474	2,572	1,813	180	5,039

\* Mr. Gong Renyuan is also the chief executive of the Company.

\*\* Mr. Huang Xiangqian resigned as an executive director of the Company on 5 December 2014.

\*\*\* Mr. Jin Jiafeng was appointed as an executive director of the Company on 5 December 2014.

## 8. DIRECTORS' AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S REMUNERATION (continued)

There was no arrangement under which a director or the chief executive waived or agreed to waive any remuneration during the year (2014: Nil).

## 9. FIVE HIGHEST PAID EMPLOYEES

The five highest paid employees during the year included four directors which included the chief executive (2014: four directors which included the chief executive), details of whose remuneration are set out in note 8 above. Details of the remuneration of the remaining one (2014: one) highest paid employee who is neither a director nor chief executive of the Company are as follows:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Salaries, allowances and benefits in kind	460	500
Share-based payment expense	521	152
Pension scheme contributions	37	37
	1,018	689

The number of non-director and non-chief executive highest paid employees whose remuneration fell within the following band is as follows:

	Number of e	Number of employees		
	2015	2014		
Nil to HK\$1,000,000	_	1		
HK\$1,000,001 to HK\$1,500,000	1	_		
	1	1		

In the prior years, share options were granted to the non-director and non-chief executive highest paid employee in respect of his services to the Group, further details of which are included in the disclosures in note 30 to the financial statements. The fair value of these options, which has been recognised in profit or loss over the vesting period, was determined as at the date of grant and the amount included in the financial statements for the current year is included in the above non-director and non-chief executive highest paid employee's remuneration disclosures.

#### **10. INCOME TAX**

Hong Kong profits tax has been provided at the rate of 16.5% (2014: 16.5%) on the estimated assessable profits arising in Hong Kong during the year.

Taxes on profits assessable elsewhere have been calculated at the rates of tax prevailing in the jurisdictions in which the Group operates. Under the PRC income tax laws, enterprises are subject to corporate income tax ("CIT") at a rate of 25%.

Wuxi Zhuofeng Information Technology Co., Ltd., a subsidiary of the Company, was exempted from CIT for two years commencing from the first profit making year in 2012, followed by a 50% tax rate reduction for CIT for the subsequent three years.

Jiashan Sunking Power Equipment Technology Co., Ltd., a subsidiary of the Company, was registered as a new and high technology enterprise, and was subject to CIT at a rate of 15% for the three years ended 31 December 2015.

Jiujiang Sun.king Technology Co., Ltd. ("**Jiujiang Sunking**") and Wuhan Langde Electrics Co., Ltd., subsidiaries of the Company, were registered as new and high technology enterprises, and are subject to CIT at a rate of 15% for the three years ending 31 December 2016.

	2015	2014
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Current – Hong Kong		
Charge for the year	300	861
Current – Mainland China		
Charge for the year	16,506	10,963
Underprovision/(overprovision) in prior years	857	(511)
Deferred (note 28)	265	(4,956)
Total tax charge for the year	17,928	6,357

## **10. INCOME TAX** (continued)

A reconciliation of the tax expense applicable to profit/(loss) before tax at the statutory rates for the jurisdictions in which the Company and the majority of its subsidiaries are domiciled to the tax expense at the effective tax rates, and a reconciliation of the applicable rates (i.e., the statutory tax rates) to the effective tax rates, are as follows:

2015

	Hong	Kong	Main Chi		Total		
	RMB'000	%	RMB'000	%	RMB'000	%	
Profit/(loss) before tax	(11,917)		91,064		79,147		
Tax at the statutory tax rate Lower tax rates for specific provinces	(1,966)	16.5	22,766	25.0	20,800	26.3	
or enacted by local authority	-	-	(9,857)	(10.8)	(9,857)	(12.5)	
Losses attributable to joint ventures	-	-	150	0.2	150	0.2	
Losses attributable to an associate	-	-	1,560	1.7	1,560	2.0	
Expenses not deductible for tax	-	-	2,571	2.8	2,571	3.2	
Tax losses utilised from previous periods	-	-	(2,022)	(2.2)	(2,022)	(2.6)	
Tax losses not recognised	2,288	(19.2)	1,581	1.7	3,869	4.9	
Adjustments in respect of current tax							
of previous periods	-	-	857	0.9	857	1.1	
Tax charge at the Group's effective rate	322	(2.7)	17,606	19.3	17,928	22.6	

2014

	Mainland					
	Hong Kong		China		Total	
	RMB'000	%	RMB'000	%	RMB'000	%
Loss before tax	(6,333)		(25,910)		(32,243)	
Tax at the statutory tax rate	(1,045)	16.5	(6,477)	25.0	(7,522)	23.3
Lower tax rates for specific provinces or enacted by local authority	-	_	(22)	0.1	(22)	0.1
Losses attributable to joint ventures	-	-	349	(1.3)	349	(1.1)
Loss attributable to an associate	-	-	808	(3.1)	808	(2.5)
Expenses not deductible for tax	-	-	5,902	(22.8)	5,902	(18.3)
Tax losses not recognised Adjustments in respect of current tax	1,150	(18.2)	6,203	(24.0)	7,353	(22.8)
of previous periods	-	-	(511)	2.0	(511)	1.6
Tax charge at the Group's effective rate	105	(1.7)	6,252	(24.1)	6,357	(19.7)

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## **11. DIVIDENDS**

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Proposed final – HK1 cent (2014: Nil) per ordinary share	11,590	-

The proposed final dividend for the year is subject to the approval of the Company's shareholders at the forthcoming annual general meeting.

# 12. EARNINGS/(LOSS) PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT

The calculation of the basic earnings per share (2014: loss per share) amount is based on the profit for the year attributable to ordinary equity holders of the parent of RMB62,272,000 (2014: loss of RMB32,138,000), and the weighted average number of ordinary shares of 1,374,971,595 (2014: 1,362,940,740) in issue during the year.

The calculation of the diluted earnings/loss per share amount is based on the profit/loss for the year attributable to ordinary equity holders of the parent. The weighted average number of ordinary shares used in the calculation is the number of ordinary shares in issue during the year, as used in the basic earnings/loss per share calculation, and the weighted average number of ordinary shares assumed to have been issued at no consideration on the deemed exercise of all dilutive potential ordinary shares into ordinary shares.

No adjustment has been made to the basic loss per share amount presented for the year ended 31 December 2014 in respect of a dilution as the impact of the options outstanding had an anti-dilutive effect on the basic loss per share amount presented.

The calculations of basic and diluted earnings/(loss) per share are based on:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Earnings/(loss)		
Profit/(loss) attributable to ordinary equity holders of the parent, used in the basic earnings/(loss) per share calculation	62,272	(32,138)
	Number of shares	
	2015	2014
Shares Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the	4 074 074 505	4 000 040 740
year used in the basic earnings/(loss) per share calculation	1,374,971,595	1,362,940,740
Effect of dilution – weighted average number of ordinary shares: Share options	24,816,167	5,483,492
	1,399,787,762	1,368,424,232

## 13. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	Buildings RMB'000	Leasehold improve- ments RMB'000	Plant and machinery RMB'000	Furniture and fixtures RMB'000	Motor vehicles RMB'000	Construction in progress RMB'000	Total RMB'000
31 December 2015							
At 31 December 2014 and							
at 1 January 2015:							
Cost	253,380	1,023	78,713	19,855	12,227	68,767	433,965
Accumulated depreciation	(47.000)	(500)	(00.004)	(40.005)	(5.440)		(50.050)
and impairment	(17,203)	(506)	(22,894)	(13,205)	(5,442)	-	(59,250)
Net carrying amount	236,177	517	55,819	6,650	6,785	68,767	374,715
At 1 January 2015, net of accumulated depreciation and impairment Additions Disposals Disposal of a subsidiary (note 33) Depreciation provided during the year Transfers	236,177 192 - (9,800) 63,793	517 180 - (374) 81	55,819 2,133 (500) (693) (7,337) 2,475	6,650 2,929 (1,527) (10) (3,106) 1,089	6,785 679 (255) – (2,519) –	(675)	374,715 12,360 (2,282) (1,378) (23,136) 
At 31 December 2015, net of							
accumulated depreciation							
and impairment	290,362	404	51,897	6,025	4,690	6,901	360,279
At 31 December 2015: Cost Accumulated depreciation	317,365	793	82,055	21,810	12,237	6,901	441,161
and impairment	(27,003)	(389)	(30,158)	(15,785)	(7,547)	-	(80,882)
Net carrying amount	290,362	404	51,897	6,025	4,690	6,901	360,279

## 13. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (continued)

	Buildings RMB'000	Leasehold improve- ments RMB'000	Plant and machinery RMB'000	Furniture and fixtures RMB'000	Motor vehicles RMB'000	Construction in progress RMB'000	Total RMB'000
31 December 2014							
At 31 December 2013 and at 1 January 2014:							
Cost Accumulated depreciation	158,676	1,440	68,879	17,913	14,642	129,499	391,049
and impairment	(13,644)	(623)	(17,021)	(10,153)	(7,328)	-	(48,769)
Net carrying amount	145,032	817	51,858	7,760	7,314	129,499	342,280
At 1 January 2014, net of accumulated depreciation and impairment Additions	145,032 25,138	817 739	51,858 2,991	7,760 3,029	7,314 3,389	129,499 44,994	342,280 80,280
Disposals	(24,928)	(537)	(720)	(1,256)	(1,270)	-	(28,711)
Depreciation provided during the year Transfers	(6,105) 97,040	(502)	(6,585) 8,275	(3,294) 411	(2,648)	_ (105,726)	(19,134)
At 31 December 2014, net of accumulated depreciation	000 (77		55.040	0.050	0.705	00 707	074745
and impairment	236,177	517	55,819	6,650	6,785	68,767	374,715
At 31 December 2014: Cost	253,380	1,023	78,713	19,855	12,227	68,767	433,965
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	(17,203)	(506)	(22,894)	(13,205)	(5,442)	-	(59,250)
Net carrying amount	236,177	517	55,819	6,650	6,785	68,767	374,715

At 31 December 2015, the Group's property, plant and equipment with an aggregate carrying amount of approximately RMB38,890,000 (2014: Nil) were pledged to banks to secure certain bank loans granted to the Group (note 27).

At 31 December 2015, certificates of ownership in respect of certain buildings of the Group in Mainland China with an aggregate net carrying amount of RMB131,847,000 (2014: RMB76,398,000) had not been issued by the relevant PRC authorities.

## 14. PREPAID LAND LEASE PAYMENTS

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Carrying amount at 1 January	60,734	62,135
Recognised during the year	(1,401)	(1,401)
Carrying amount at 31 December	59,333	60,734
Current portion	(1,401)	(1,401)
Non-current portion	57,932	59,333

At 31 December 2015, the Group's prepaid land lease payments with an aggregate carrying amount of RMB13,720,000 (2014: Nil) were pledged to banks to secure certain bank loans granted to the Group (note 27).

## 15. GOODWILL

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
At 1 January:		
Cost	40,357	40,357
Accumulated impairment	(6,198)	(3,198)
Net carrying amount	34,159	37,159
Cost at 1 January, net of accumulated impairment	34,159	37,159
Impairment during the year	-	(3,000)
Cost at 31 December, net of accumulated impairment	34,159	34,159
At 31 December:		
Cost	40,357	40,357
Accumulated impairment	(6,198)	(6,198)
Net carrying amount	34,159	34,159

#### Impairment testing of goodwill

Goodwill acquired through business combinations is allocated to Jiujiang Sunking, which is a subsidiary principally engaged in the manufacture and sale of rectifiers and a cash-generating unit, for impairment testing. Its recoverable amount has been determined based on a value in use calculation using cash flow projections based on financial budgets covering a five-year period approved by senior management. The discount rate applied to the cash flow projections is 15% (2014: 15%). The growth rate used to extrapolate the cash flows of Jiujiang Sunking cash-generating unit beyond the five-year period is 3% (2014: 3%).

Assumptions were used in the value in use calculation of Jiujiang Sunking cash-generating unit for 31 December 2015 and 31 December 2014. The following describes each key assumption on which management has based its cash flow projections to undertake impairment testing of goodwill:

Budgeted gross margins – The basis used to determine the value assigned to the budgeted gross margins is the average gross margins achieved in the years immediately before the budget year, increased for expected market development.

Discount rate – The discount rate used is before tax and reflects specific risks relating to the relevant unit.

## **16. OTHER INTANGIBLE ASSETS**

	Patents RMB'000	Trademark RMB'000	Computer software RMB'000	Total RMB'000
31 December 2015				
At 31 December 2014 and at 1 January 2015: Cost Accumulated amortisation	6,353 (3,035)	19,185 -	3,492 (1,942)	29,030 (4,977)
Net carrying amount	3,318	19,185	1,550	24,053
Cost at 1 January 2015, net of accumulated amortisation Additions Amortisation provided during the year Disposal of a subsidiary (note 33)	3,318 	19,185 - - -	1,550 110 (224) (86)	24,053 110 (1,071) (86)
Cost at 31 December 2015, net of accumulated amortisation	2,471	19,185	1,350	23,006
At 31 December 2015: Cost Accumulated amortisation	6,353 (3,882)	19,185 –	3,500 (2,150)	29,038 (6,032)
Net carrying amount	2,471	19,185	1,350	23,006
	Patents RMB'000	Trademark RMB'000	Computer software RMB'000	Total RMB'000
31 December 2014				
At 31 December 2013 and at 1 January 2014: Cost Accumulated amortisation	6,353 (2,188)	19,185 _	3,205 (1,605)	28,743 (3,793)
Net carrying amount	4,165	19,185	1,600	24,950
Cost at 1 January 2014, net of accumulated amortisation Additions Amortisation provided during the year	4,165 - (847)	19,185 _ _	1,600 287 (337)	24,950 287 (1,184)
Cost at 31 December 2014, net of accumulated amortisation	3,318	19,185	1,550	24,053
At 31 December 2014: Cost Accumulated amortisation	6,353 (3,035)	19,185 -	3,492 (1,942)	29,030 (4,977)
Net carrying amount	3,318	19,185	1,550	24,053

#### **17. INVESTMENTS IN JOINT VENTURES**

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Share of net assets	14,950	15,807
Loans to joint ventures	700	700
	15,650	16,507

The loans to the joint ventures are unsecured, interest-free and have no fixed terms of repayment. In the opinion of the directors, these loans are considered as part of the Group's investments in the joint ventures.

The Group's other receivables balances due from joint ventures are disclosed in note 22 to the financial statements.

The following table illustrates the aggregate financial information of the Group's joint ventures that are not individually material:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Share of the joint ventures' loss and other comprehensive loss for the year	599	1,398
Aggregate carrying amount of the Group's investments in joint ventures	15,650	16,507

#### **18. INVESTMENT IN AN ASSOCIATE**

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Share of net assets	13,062	20,958

The Group's other receivables due from the associate are disclosed in note 22 to the financial statements.

Particulars of the associate are as follows:

Name	Particulars of capital invested	Place of registration and business	Percentage of ownership interest attributable to the Group	Principal activity
Jiashan Henghua Real Estate Co., Ltd. <sup>#*</sup> (" <b>JS Henghua</b> ") 嘉善恒華房地產 開發有限公司	Paid-up capital of RMB24,500,000	The PRC/ Mainland China	49	Property development

#### \* Not audited by Ernst & Young, Hong Kong or another member firm of the Ernst & Young global network

The Group's shareholding in JS Henghua is held through a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company.

JS Henghua, which is considered a material associate of the Group, is a strategic partner of the Group engaged in the property development and is accounted for using the equity method.

#### \* For identification purposes only

The following table illustrates the summarised financial information in respect of JS Henghua adjusted for any differences in accounting policies and reconciled to the carrying amount in the consolidated financial statements:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Current assets	269.012	130,994
Non-current assets	924	942
Current liabilities	(195,001)	(64,164)
Non-current liabilities	(44,900)	(25,000)
Net assets	30,035	42,772
Reconciliation to the Group's interest in the associate:		
Proportion of the Group's ownership	49%	49%
Unrealised interest income of the Group	1,655	-
Group's share of net assets of the associate and	1,000	
carrying amount of the investment	13,062	20,958
Revenue	-	-
Loss and total comprehensive loss for the year	(12,737)	(6,595)

#### **19. AVAILABLE-FOR-SALE INVESTMENTS**

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Non-current	16 000	16 800
Unlisted equity investments, at cost	16,999	16,800
Current		
Financial products, at cost	10,000	_

As at 31 December 2015, the Group's available-for-sale investments were stated at cost less impairment because the range of reasonable fair value estimates is so significant that the directors are of the opinion that their fair value cannot be measured reliably. The Group does not intend to dispose of the non-current available-for-sale investments in the near future.

The financial products were issued by certain banks in Mainland China and had no fixed maturity date.

## **20. INVENTORIES**

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Raw materials	116.007	60,626
Work in progress	19,058	39,983
Finished goods	39,988	33,400
	175,053	134,009

## 21. TRADE AND BILLS RECEIVABLES

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Trade receivables	557,537	433,223
Impairment	(49,865)	(35,377)
	507,672	397,846
Bills receivable	171,688	105,016
Less: Amount shown as non-current	(89,553)	(82,467)
	589,807	420,395

The Group's trading terms with its customers are mainly on credit. The credit period is generally three months, extending up to six months for major customers. Each customer has a maximum credit limit. The Group seeks to maintain strict control over its outstanding receivables and has a credit control department to minimise credit risk. Overdue balances are reviewed regularly by senior management. Concentration of credit risk is managed by customer/counterparty, by geographical region and by industry sector. The Group does not hold any collateral or other credit enhancements over its trade receivable balances. Trade receivables are non-interest-bearing.

For certain customers, the Group allows a percentage, ranging from 2% to 10%, of the contracted amount (the retention money) to be settled within six months to twenty-four months, as agreed between the Group and the respective customers on a case by case basis, subsequent to the fulfilment of certain conditions including delivery of goods or completion of installation as stipulated in the respective sales contracts.

#### 21. TRADE AND BILLS RECEIVABLES (continued)

An ageing analysis of the Group's trade receivables as at the end of the reporting period, based on the invoice date and net of provisions, is as follows:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Within 3 months	228,470	185,928
3 to 6 months	107,086	86,773
6 to 12 months	81,812	49,159
Over 1 year	90,304	75,986
	507,672	397,846

At 31 December 2015, the Group's bills receivable would mature within nine (2014: twelve) months.

The movements in provision for impairment of trade receivables are as follows:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
At 1 January	35,377	19,044
Impairment losses recognised (note 6)	14,699	16,350
Amount written off as uncollectible	(211)	(17)
At 31 December	49,865	35,377

Included in the above provision for impairment of trade receivables is a provision for individually impaired trade receivables of RMB49,865,000 (2014: RMB35,377,000) with a carrying amount before provision of RMB165,821,000 (2014: RMB102,152,000).

The individually impaired trade receivables relate to customers that were in default in principal payments and only a portion of the receivables is expected to be recovered.

The ageing analysis of the trade and bills receivables that are not individually nor collectively considered to be impaired is as follows:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Neither past due nor impaired	368,083	294,783
Less than 6 months past due	107,155	94,203
6 to 12 months past due	32,921	40,726
1 to 2 years past due	55,245	6,375
	563,404	436,087

Receivables that were neither past due nor impaired relate to a large number of diversified customers for whom there was no recent history of default.

Receivables that were past due but not impaired relate to a number of independent customers that have a good track record with the Group. Based on past experience, the directors of the Company are of the opinion that no provision for impairment is necessary in respect of these balances as there has not been a significant change in credit quality and the balances are still considered fully recoverable.

#### 21. TRADE AND BILLS RECEIVABLES (continued)

At 31 December 2015, certain trade and bills receivables of the Group with an aggregate carrying amount of RMB35,550,000 (2014: RMB50,143,000) were pledged to banks to secure certain bank loans granted to the Group (note 27).

At 31 December 2015, certain bills receivable of the Group with an aggregate carrying amount of RMB24,000,000 (2014: RMB29,332,000) were pledged to secure certain of the Group's bills payable (note 24).

At 31 December 2015, the Group endorsed certain bills receivable accepted by banks in Mainland China (the "**Endorsed Bills**") with a carrying amount of RMB29,413,000 (2014: RMB6,979,000) to certain of its suppliers in order to settle the trade payables due to these suppliers. In the opinion of the directors of the Company, the Group has retained the substantial risks and rewards, which include default risks relating to the Endorsed Bills, and accordingly, it continued to recognise the full carrying amounts of the Endorsed Bills and the associated trade payables settled.

At 31 December 2015, the Group endorsed certain bills receivable accepted by banks in Mainland China (the "**Derecognised Bills**") to certain of its suppliers in order to settle the trade payables due to such suppliers with a carrying amount in aggregate of RMB86,837,000 (2014: RMB47,343,000). The Derecognised Bills had a maturity of one to six months at the end of the reporting period. In accordance with the Law of Negotiable Instruments in the PRC, the holders of the Derecognised Bills have a right of recourse against the Group if the PRC banks default (the "**Continuing Involvement**"). In opinion of the directors, the Group has transferred substantially all risks and rewards relating to the Derecognised Bills. Accordingly, it has derecognised the full carrying amounts of the Derecognised Bills and the associated trade payables. The maximum exposure to loss from the Group's Continuing Involvement in the Derecognised Bills and the undiscounted cash flows to repurchase these Derecognised Bills is equal to their carrying amounts. In the opinion of the directors, the fair values of the Group's Continuing Involvement in the Derecognised Bills are not significant.

During the year, the Group has not recognised any gain or loss on the date of transfer of the Derecognised Bills. No gains or losses were recognised from the Continuing Involvement, both during the year or cumulatively. The endorsement has been made evenly throughout the year.

#### 22. PREPAYMENTS, DEPOSITS AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	Note	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Prepayments		5,374	9,211
Due from an associate	37(c)	11,694	10,247
Due from joint ventures	37(c)	· -	1,725
Deposits and other receivables	. ,	33,414	30,277
		50,482	51,460
Impairment		(3,980)	(2,766)
		46,502	48,694

## 22. PREPAYMENTS, DEPOSITS AND OTHER RECEIVABLES (continued)

The movements in the provision for impairment of prepayments, deposits and other receivables are as follows:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
At 1 January	2,766	2,472
Impairment losses recognised (note 6)	3,286	294
Amount written off as uncollectible	(2,072)	
At 31 December	3,980	2,766

Except for prepayment, deposits and other receivables amounting to RMB3,980,000 (2014: RMB2,766,000) included in the above balances, the above assets is neither past due nor impaired. Other than the aforementioned impaired receivables, the financial assets include in the above balances related to receivables for which there was no recent history of default.

## 23. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AND PLEDGED DEPOSITS

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Cash and bank balances	141,468	115,155
Less: Pledged deposits for letters of credit	(13,464)	(1,597)
Cash and cash equivalents	128,004	113,558

At the end of the reporting period, the cash and bank balances of the Group denominated in RMB amounted to RMB135,138,000 (2014: RMB110,627,000). The RMB is not freely convertible into other currencies, however, under Mainland China's Foreign Exchange Control Regulations and Administration of Settlement, Sale and Payment of Foreign Exchange Regulations, the Group is permitted to exchange RMB for other currencies through banks authorised to conduct foreign exchange business.

Cash at banks earns interest at floating rates based on daily bank deposit rates. The bank balances and pledged deposits are deposited with creditworthy banks with no recent history of default.

#### 24. TRADE AND BILLS PAYABLES

An ageing analysis of the trade and bills payables as at the end of the reporting period, based on the invoice date, is as follows:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Within six months Over six months	154,561 35,068	126,257 35,217
	189,629	161,474

The trade payables are non-interest-bearing and are normally settled on terms ranging from 30 days to 180 days.

At 31 December 2015, certain of the Group's bills payable amounting to RMB17,545,000 (2014: RMB20,517,000) were secured by the pledge of the Group's bills receivable amounting to RMB24,000,000 (2014: RMB29,332,000) (note 21).

#### 25. OTHER PAYABLES AND ACCRUALS

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Advances from customers	27,800	46,330
Other payables and accruals	33,093	29,518
	60,893	75,848

Other payables are non-interest-bearing and have an average term of three months.

#### **26. DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Foreign currency forward contracts		
– assets	488	-
- liabilities	1,628	6,922

The Group has entered into various forward foreign currency contracts to manage its exchange rate exposures. These forward foreign currency contracts are not designated for hedging purpose and are measured at fair value through profit or loss. Net fair value gains of these derivatives amounting to RMB2,890,000 (2014: losses of RMB11,983,000) were charged to other income and gains (2014: other expenses and losses) during the year.

#### 27. INTEREST-BEARING BANK BORROWINGS

	Effective interest	2015		Effective interest	2014	
	rate (%)	Maturity	RMB'000	rate (%)	Maturity	RMB'000
Current						
Bank loans – secured	4.57-5.62	2016	47,700	5.60-6.16	2015	45,000
Bank loans - unsecured	2.80-5.89	2016	346,874	5.88-6.30	2015	184,000
			394,574			229,000
Analysed into:						
Bank loans repayable within one year or on demand			394,574			229,000

Notes:

- (a) Certain of the Group's bank loans are secured by:
  - mortgages over the Group's property, plant and equipment and prepaid land lease payments with aggregate carrying amounts at the end of the reporting period of approximately RMB38,890,000 (2014: Nil) and RMB13,720,000 (2014: Nil), respectively; and
  - (ii) the pledge of certain of the Group's trade and bills receivables amounting to RMB35,550,000 (2014: RMB50,143,000).
- (b) Except for bank loans of RMB34,774,000 (2014: Nil) and RMB78,184,000 (2014: Nil) which are denominated in United States dollars and Swiss franc, all borrowings are denominated in RMB.

#### 28. DEFERRED TAX

The movements in deferred tax assets/(liabilities) during the year are as follows:

	Government	Withholding	;	Fair value adjustments arising from acquisitions of		
	<b>grants</b> RMB'000	taxes RMB'000	Provisions RMB'000	subsidiaries RMB'000	Others RMB'000	Total RMB'000
At 1 January 2014	2,087	(6,708)	3,435	(6,793)	1,510	(6,469)
Deferred tax credited to profit or						
loss during the year (note 10)	874	775	2,284	321	702	4,956
Deferred tax assets/(liabilities) at 31 December 2014						
and 1 January 2015	2,961	(5,933)	5,719	(6,472)	2,212	(1,513)
Deferred tax credited/(charged) to profit						
or loss during the year (note 10)	(596)	-	285	305	(259)	(265)
Deferred tax assets/(liabilities)						
at 31 December 2015	2,365	(5,933)	6,004	(6,167)	1,953	(1,778)

For presentation purposes, certain deferred tax assets and liabilities have been offset in the statement of financial position. The following is an analysis of the deferred tax balances of the Group for financial reporting purposes:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Net deferred tax assets recognised in the consolidated		
statement of financial position	10,290	10,838
Net deferred tax liabilities recognised in the consolidated		
statement of financial position	(12,068)	(12,351)
	(1,778)	(1,513)

The Group has tax losses arising in Mainland China of RMB96,904,000 (2014: RMB104,997,000) that are available for offsetting against future taxable profits to a maximum period of five years of the companies in which the losses arose. The Group also has tax losses arising in Hong Kong of RMB47,165,000 (2014: RMB35,118,000) that are available indefinitely for offsetting against future taxable profits of the companies in which the losses arose. Deferred tax assets have not been recognised in respect of these losses as they have arisen in subsidiaries that have been loss-making for some time and it is not considered probable that taxable profits will be available against which the tax losses can be utilised.

Pursuant to the PRC Corporate Income Tax Law, a 10% withholding tax is levied on dividends declared to foreign investors from the foreign investment enterprises established in Mainland China. The requirement is effective from 1 January 2008 and applies to earnings after 31 December 2007. A lower withholding tax rate may be applied if there is a tax treaty between Mainland China and the jurisdiction of the foreign investors. For the Group, the applicable rate is 10%. The Group is therefore liable for withholding taxes on dividends distributed by those subsidiaries established in Mainland China in respect of earnings generated from 1 January 2008.

There are no income tax consequences attaching to the payment of dividends by the Company to its shareholders.

#### **29. SHARE CAPITAL**

#### **Shares**

			2015 HK\$'000	2014 HK\$'000
Authorised:				
200,000,000 (2014: 200,000,000) ordinary shares of HK\$0.10 each			200,000	200,000
		2015	2	014
	HK\$'000	RMB'000 equivalent	HK\$'000	RMB'000 equivalent
Issued and fully paid: 1,383,369,000 (2014: 1,363,078,000)				
ordinary shares of HK\$0.10 each	138,337	118,775	136,308	117,168

A summary of movements in the Company's issued share capital is as follows:

	Number of shares in issue	<b>Issued</b> capital RMB'000	Share premium account RMB'000	<b>Total</b> RMB'000
At 1 January 2014	1,362,928,000	117,156	400,119	517,275
Share options exercised	150,000	12	77	89
At 31 December 2014 and				
1 January 2015	1,363,078,000	117,168	400,196	517,364
Share options exercised (Note)	20,291,000	1,607	11,499	13,106
At 31 December 2015	1,383,369,000	118,775	411,695	530,470

*Note:* The subscription rights attaching to 14,558,000, 4,570,000 and 1,163,000 share options were exercised at the subscription prices of HK\$0.55, HK\$0.68 and HK\$0.69 per share (note 30), respectively, resulting in the issue of 20,291,000 shares of HK\$0.10 each for a total cash consideration, before expenses, of HK\$11,917,000 (equivalent to approximately RMB9,439,000). An amount of RMB3,667,000 was transferred from the employee share-based compensation reserve to the share premium account upon the exercise of the share options.

#### **Share options**

Details of the Company's share option scheme and the share options issued under the scheme are included in note 30 to the financial statements.

#### **30. SHARE OPTION SCHEME**

The Company operates a share option scheme (the "**Share Option Scheme**") for the purpose of providing incentives and rewards to directors, eligible employees of the Group and consultants of the Group. The Share Option Scheme became effective on 23 September 2010 and, unless otherwise cancelled or amended, will remain in force for 10 years from that date.

The maximum number of unexercised share options currently permitted to be granted under the Share Option Scheme is an amount equivalent, upon their exercise, to 10% of the shares of the Company in issue at any time. The maximum number of shares issuable under share options to each eligible participant in the Share Option Scheme within any 12-month period is limited to 1% of the shares of the Company in issue at any time. Any further grant of share options in excess of this limit is subject to shareholders' approval in a general meeting.

Share options granted to a director, chief executive or substantial shareholder of the Company, or to any of their associates, are subject to approval in advance by the independent non-executive directors. In addition, any share options granted to a substantial shareholder or an independent non-executive director of the Company, in excess of 0.1% of the Company's share capital or with a value in excess of HK\$5 million, based on the closing price of the Company's shares at the date of offer, must be approved in advance by the Company's shareholders.

The offer of a grant of share options may be accepted within 21 days from the date of offer, upon payment of a nominal consideration of HK\$1 in total by the grantee. The exercise period of the share options granted is determinable by the directors and commences after a vesting period and ends on the date on which the options lapse or the date on which the Share Option Scheme expires, if earlier.

The exercise price of share options is determinable by the directors, but may not be less than the higher of (i) the Stock Exchange closing price of the Company's shares on the date of offer of the share options; (ii) the average Stock Exchange closing price of the Company's shares for the five trading days immediately preceding the date of offer; and (iii) the nominal value of the Company's shares.

Share options do not confer rights on the holders to dividends or to vote at shareholders' meetings.

The following share options were outstanding under the Share Option Scheme during the year:

	2015		2014		
	Weighted		Weighted		
	average	Number	average	Number	
	exercise price	of options	exercise price	of options	
	HK\$	'000	HK\$	'000	
	per share		per share		
At 1 January	0.76	119,324	0.82	68,126	
Granted during the year	-	-	0.69	55,910	
Forfeited during the year	0.63	(3,050)	0.70	(4,562)	
Exercised during the year	0.59	(20,291)	0.55	(150)	
At 31 December	0.81	95,983	0.76	119,324	

The weighted average share price at the date of exercise for share options exercised during the year was RMB1.19 per share (2014: RMB0.81).

#### **30. SHARE OPTION SCHEME** (continued)

The exercise prices and exercise periods of the share options outstanding as at the end of the reporting period are as follows:

2015

Number of options	Exercise price*	Exercise period
'000	HK\$ per share	(dd-mm-yyyy)
53,497	0.69	28-08-2015 to 27-08-2020
10,080	0.68	28-05-2014 to 27-05-2019
20,156	0.55	26-04-2013 to 25-04-2018
12,250	1.83	27-04-2012 to 26-04-2017
95,983		
2014		
Number of options	Exercise price*	Exercise period
'000	HK\$ per share	(dd-mm-yyyy)
55,110	0.69	28-08-2015 to 27-08-2020
16,100	0.68	28-05-2014 to 27-05-2019
35,864	0.55	26-04-2013 to 25-04-2018
12,250	1.83	27-04-2012 to 26-04-2017
119,324		

\* The exercise price of the share options is subject to adjustment in the case of rights or bonus issues, or other similar changes in the Company's share capital.

The fair values of the share options granted during the year ended 31 December 2014 were HK\$0.88 for Mr. Xiang Jie, HK\$0.33 for executives and HK\$0.31 for non-executives, of which the Group recognised a share option expense of RMB11,441,000 for the year ended 31 December 2015 (2014: RMB2,035,000).

The fair values of the share options granted during the year ended 31 December 2013 were HK\$0.27 for executives and HK\$0.26 for non-executives, of which the Group recognised a share option expense of RMB1,178,000 for the year ended 31 December 2015 (2014: RMB709,000).

The fair values of the share options granted during the year ended 31 December 2012 were HK\$0.23 for Mr. Xiang Jie and executives and HK\$0.20 for non-executives, of which the Group recognised a share option expense of RMB1,709,000 for the year ended 31 December 2015 (2014: RMB522,000).

The fair values of the share options granted during the year ended 31 December 2011 were HK\$0.79 for nonexecutives, HK\$0.81 for executives and HK\$0.83 for directors, shareholders and consultants, of which the Group reversed a share option expense of RMB53,000 for the year ended 31 December 2015 (2014: RMB483,000).

#### **30. SHARE OPTION SCHEME** (continued)

The fair value of equity-settled share options was estimated as at the date of grant, using a binomial model, taking into account the terms and conditions upon which the options were granted. The following table lists the inputs to the model used:

	2014	2013	2012	2011
Dividend violat (0/)	0	0	0	0
Dividend yield (%) Expected volatility (%)	0 53	0 55	59	53
Historical volatility (%)	50	58	59	59
Risk-free interest rate (%)	1.48	0.75	0.57-0.7	2.01
Expected life of options (year)	6	6	6	6

The expected life of the options is determined with reference to the vesting term and original contractual term of the Share Option Scheme and is not necessarily indicative of the exercise patterns that may occur. The expected volatility reflects the assumption that the historical volatility is indicative of future trends, which may also not necessarily be the actual outcome.

No other feature of the options granted was incorporated into the measurement of fair value.

The 20,291,000 share options exercised during the year resulted in the issue of 20,291,000 ordinary shares of the Company and new share capital of HK\$2,029,000 (equivalent to RMB1,607,000) and share premium of HK\$14,517,000 (equivalent to RMB11,499,000) (before issue expenses), as further detailed in note 29 to the financial statements.

At the end of the reporting period, the Company had 95,983,000 share options outstanding under the Share Option Scheme. The exercise in full of the outstanding share options would, under the present capital structure of the Company, result in the issue of 95,983,000 additional ordinary shares of the Company and additional share capital of HK\$9,598,000 (equivalent to RMB8,041,000) and share premium of HK\$67,672,000 (equivalent to RMB56,695,000) (before issue expenses).

#### **31. RESERVES**

The amounts of the Group's reserves and the movements therein for the current and prior years are presented in the consolidated statement of changes in equity on page 6 of the financial statements.

# 32. PARTLY-OWNED SUBSIDIARIES WITH MATERIAL NON-CONTROLLING INTERESTS

Details of Jiujiang Sunking, a subsidiary of the Group, which has material non-controlling interests are set out below:

	2015	2014
Percentage of equity interest held by non-controlling interests	17%	39%
	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Profit/(loss) for the year allocated to non-controlling interests	3,885	(25)
Accumulated balances of non-controlling interests at the reporting dates	15,278	28,957

The following tables illustrate the summarised financial information of Jiujiang Sunking. The amounts disclosed are before any inter-company eliminations:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Revenue	176,442	98,081
Total expenses	(164,004)	(98,146)
Profit/(loss) and total comprehensive income/(loss) for the year	12,438	(65)
Current assets	173,453	159,777
Non-current assets	103,744	107,339
Current liabilities	(174,747)	(177,852)
Non-current liabilities	(12,582)	(15,015)
Net cash flows from/(used in) operating activities	(1,042)	14,433
Net cash flows used in investing activities	(3,842)	(2,494)
Net cash flows from financing activities	–	–
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(4,884)	11,939

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## **33. DISPOSAL OF A SUBSIDIARY**

	Notes	2015 RMB'000
Net assets disposed of:		
Property, plant and equipment	13	1,378
Other intangible assets	16	
Investments in joint ventures		258
Trade and bills receivables		349
Cash and bank balances		216
Trade and bills payables		(273
Other payables and accruals		(21
Non-controlling interests		(116
		1,877
Gain on disposal of a subsidiary	5	6,081
		7,958
		2015
		RMB'000
Satisfied by		
Cash		7,759
Available-for-sale investments		199
		7,958

An analysis of the net inflow of cash and cash equivalents in respect of the disposal of a subsidiary is as follows:

	2015 RMB'000
Cash consideration	7,759
Cash and bank balances disposed of	(216)
Net inflow of cash and cash equivalents	
in respect of the disposal of a subsidiary	7,543

## **34. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES**

At the end of the reporting period, neither the Group nor the Company had any significant contingent liabilities.

#### **35. OPERATING LEASE ARRANGEMENTS AS LESSEE**

The Group leases certain of its office properties under operating lease arrangements. Leases for properties are negotiated for terms ranging from one to five years.

At the end of the reporting period, the Group had total future minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases falling due as follows:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Within one year	1,468	1,762
In the second to fifth years, inclusive	2,667	4,637
	4,135	6,399

#### **36. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS**

#### **Capital Commitments**

In addition to the operating lease commitments detailed in note 35 above, the Group had the following capital commitments at the end of the reporting period:

	2015	2014
	RMB'000	RMB'000
Contracted, but not provided for:		
Property, plant and equipment	1,021	9,970

#### **Other Commitments**

Commitments under foreign currency forward contracts and commodity futures contracts:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Purchase of Swiss franc Purchase of copper	151,111 1,761	63,584
	152,872	63,584

## **37. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

(a) In addition to the transactions detailed elsewhere in these financial statements, the Group had the following transactions with related parties during the year:

	Notes	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
An associate: Interest income	<i>(i)</i>	738	1,447
A joint venture: Service income	(ii)	49	1,000

Notes:

- (i) The interest income arose from a loan to an associate which was interest-bearing at a rate of 15% per annum.
- (ii) The service income arose from a consulting service provided to a joint venture. The consulting service fee was determined according to mutually agreed terms.

#### (b) A transaction with a related party

Pursuant to an equity transfer agreement entered into between the Group and Jiujiang Mei Chuang Technology Co. Ltd., a non-controlling shareholder of Jiujiang Sunking, the Group acquired 10% equity interests in Jiujiang Sunking from Jiujiang Mei Chuang Technology Co. Ltd. for a cash consideration of RMB12,000,000 (the "Acquisition"), which has been fully settled in July 2015. Upon completion of the Acquisition, the Group's equity interests in Jiujiang Sunking have increased from 73% to 83%.

#### (c) Outstanding balances with related parties

	Notes	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Prepayments, deposits and other receivables			
Due from an associate	<i>(i)</i>	11,694	10,247
Due from joint ventures	(ii)	-	1,725

(i) Included in the amount due from an associate is a loan to the associate and interest receivable from the associate of RMB9,517,000 (2014: RMB9,517,000) and RMB2,177,000 (2014: RMB730,000), respectively. The loan to the associate is unsecured, interest-bearing at 15% per annum and repayable within one year.

(ii) The balance was unsecured, interest-free and was repayable on demand.

#### (d) Compensation on key management personnel of the Group:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Short term employee benefits	7,231	8,482
Post-employment benefits	565	662
Equity-settled share option expense	10,992	2,797
Total compensation paid to key management personnel	18,788	11,941

Further details of directors' and the chief executive's emoluments are included in note 8 to the financial statements.

## **38. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS BY CATEGORY**

The carrying amounts of each of the categories of financial instruments as at the end of the reporting period are as follows:

#### 2015 Financial assets

	Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss RMB'000	Loans and receivables RMB'000	Available- for-sale financial assets RMB'000	Total RMB'000
Available-for-sale investments	-	_	26,999	26,999
Trade and bills receivables	_	679,360	-	679,360
Financial assets included in prepayments, deposits		·		
and other receivables	-	26,308	-	26,308
Derivative financial instruments	488	-	-	488
Pledged deposits	-	13,464	-	13,464
Cash and cash equivalents	-	128,004	-	128,004
	488	847,136	26,999	874,623

**Financial liabilities** 

	Financial liabilities at fair value through	Financial liabilities at amortised	
	profit or loss RMB'000	cost RMB'000	Total RMB'000
Trade and bills payables Financial liabilities included in	-	189,629	189,629
other payables and accruals	-	18,948	18,948
Derivative financial instruments	1,628	-	1,628
Interest-bearing bank borrowings	-	394,574	394,574
	1,628	603,151	604,779

# 38. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS BY CATEGORY (continued)

2014 Financial assets

	Loans and receivables RMB'000	Available- for-sale financial assets RMB'000	Total RMB'000
Available-for-sale investments	-	16,800	16,800
Trade and bills receivables	502,862	-	502,862
Financial assets included in prepayments, deposits			
and other receivables	23,084	-	23,084
Pledged deposits	1,597	-	1,597
Cash and cash equivalents	113,558	-	113,558
	641,101	16,800	657,901

Financial liabilities

	Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss RMB'000	Financial liabilities at amortised cost RMB'000	Total RMB'000
Trade and bills payables	-	161,474	161,474
Financial liabilities included in other payables and accruals	-	12,851	12,851
Derivative financial instruments	6,922	-	6,922
Interest-bearing bank borrowings	-	229,000	229,000
	6,922	403,325	410,247

#### **39. FAIR VALUE AND FAIR VALUE HIERARCHY OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

At the end of the reporting period, other than the available-for-sale investments which are stated at cost, management has assessed that the fair values of the Group's financial instruments approximate to their carrying amounts largely due to the short term maturities of these instruments.

The fair values of the financial assets and liabilities are included at the amount at which the instrument could be exchanged in a current transaction between willing parties, other than in a forced or liquidation sale.

The Group enters into derivative financial instruments with various counterparties. Derivative financial instruments, mainly including forward currency contracts, are measured using quoted prices in active markets. The carrying amounts of forward currency contracts are the same as their fair values.

The following tables illustrate the fair value measurement hierarchy of the Group's financial instruments:

#### Assets measured at fair value:

	Quoted prices in active markets (Level 1) RMB'000	Fair value mo Significant observable inputs (Level 2) RMB'000	easurement using Significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) RMB'000	<b>Total</b> RMB'000
As at 31 December 2015 Derivative financial instruments	488	_	-	488
As at 31 December 2014 Derivative financial instruments	_	_	_	_

#### Liabilities measured at fair value:

	Quoted prices in active markets (Level 1)	Fair value me Significant observable inputs (Level 2)	easurement using Significant unobservable inputs (Level 3)	Total
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
As at 31 December 2015				
Derivative financial instruments	1,628	-	_	1,628
As at 31 December 2014				
Derivative financial instruments	6,922	-	-	6,922

During the year, there were no transfers of fair value measurements between Level 1 and Level 2 and no transfers into or out of Level 3 for both financial assets and financial liabilities (2014: Nil).

#### 40. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES

The Group's principal financial instruments, other than derivatives, comprise interest-bearing bank borrowings, and cash and bank balances and pledged deposits. The main purpose of these financial instruments is to raise finance for the Group's operations. The Group has various other financial assets and liabilities such as trade and bills receivables and trade and bills payables, which arise directly from its operations.

The Group also enters into derivative transactions, including forward currency contracts. The purpose is to manage the currency risk arising from the Group's operations and its sources of finance.

It is, and has been throughout the year under review, the Group's policy that no trading in financial instruments shall be undertaken.

The main risks arising from the Group's financial instruments are interest rate risk, foreign currency risk, credit risk and liquidity risk. The Group's overall risk management programme focuses on minimising potential adverse effects of these risks, with material impact, on the Group's financial performance. The board of directors reviews and agrees policies for managing each of these risks and they are summarised below. The Group's accounting policies in relation to derivatives are set out in note 2.4 to the financial statements.

#### Interest rate risk

The Group's exposure to the risk of changes in market interest rates relates primarily to the Group's short term interest-bearing bank borrowings with floating interest rates. The effective interest rates and terms of repayment of the short term interest-bearing bank borrowings of the Group are disclosed in note 27 to the financial statements.

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity to a reasonably possible change in interest rates, with all other variables held constant, of the Group's profit/(loss) before tax (through the impact on floating rate borrowings).

	Increase/ (decrease) in basis points	Increase/ (decrease) in profit before tax RMB'000
2015		
RMB	100	(1,416)
RMB	(100)	1,416
	Increase/ (decrease) in basis points	Increase/ (decrease) in loss before tax RMB'000
2014		
RMB	100	797
RMB	(100)	(797)

## 40. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (continued)

#### **Foreign currency risk**

The Group has transactional currency exposures. These exposures arise from purchases by operating units in currencies other than the units' functional currencies. In order to minimise the impact of foreign exchange exposure, the Group has entered into forward currency contracts with creditworthy banks to manage its exchange rate exposure.

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity at the end of the reporting period to a reasonably possible change in the USD exchange rate, CHF exchange rate, EUR exchange rate and HKD exchange rate with all other variables held constant, of the Group's profit/(loss) before tax (due to changes in the fair value of monetary assets and liabilities).

	Increase/ (decrease) in foreign exchange rate %	Increase/ (decrease) in profit before tax RMB'000
2015		
If RMB weakens against USD If RMB strengthens USD If RMB weakens against CHF If RMB strengthens against CHF If RMB weakens against EUR If RMB strengthens against EUR If RMB weakens against HKD If RMB strengthens against HKD	5 (5) 5 (5) 5 (5) 5 (5)	(266) 266 (700) 700 91 (91) 6 (6)
	Increase/ (decrease) in foreign exchange rate %	Increase/ (decrease) in loss before tax RMB'000
2014		
If RMB weakens against USD If RMB strengthens USD If RMB weakens against CHF If RMB strengthens against CHF If RMB weakens against EUR If RMB strengthens against EUR If RMB strengthens against HKD If RMB strengthens against HKD	5 (5) 5 (5) 5 (5) 5 (5)	(1) 1 62 (62) (81) 81 (55) 55

#### 40. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (continued)

#### Credit risk

The Group trades only with recognised and creditworthy third parties. It is the Group's policy that all customers who wish to trade on credit terms are subject to credit verification procedures. In addition, receivable balances are monitored on an ongoing basis.

The credit risk of the Group's other financial assets, which comprise cash and cash equivalents, pledged deposits and other receivables, arises from default of the counterparty, with a maximum exposure equal to the carrying amounts of these instruments.

Since the Group trades only with recognised and creditworthy third parties, there is no requirement for collateral. Concentrations of credit risk are managed by customer/counterparty and by geographical region. Concentration of credit risk is managed by customer/counterparty, by geographical region and by industry sector.

Further quantitative data in respect of the Group's exposure to credit risk arising from trade receivables are disclosed in note 21 to the financial statements.

#### Liquidity risk

The Group monitors its risk to a shortage of funds using a recurring liquidity planning tool. This tool considers the maturity of both its financial instruments and financial assets (e.g., trade receivables) and projected cash flows from operations.

The Group's objective is to maintain a balance between continuity of funding and flexibility through the use of interest-bearing bank borrowings. In addition, banking facilities have been put in place for continuing purpose.

The maturity profile of the Group's financial liabilities as at the end of the reporting period, based on the contractual undiscounted payments, is as follows:

		2015	
	On demand or less than 3 months RMB'000	3 to less than 12 months RMB'000	Total RMB'000
Interest-bearing bank borrowings	162,349	244,121	406,470
Trade and bills payables	183,468	6,161	189,629
Other payables	18,948	-	18,948
Derivative financial instruments	-	1,628	1,628
	364,765	251,910	616,675

#### 40. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (continued)

#### Liquidity risk (continued)

		2014	
	On demand or less than 3 months RMB'000	3 to less than 12 months RMB'000	Total RMB'000
Interest-bearing bank borrowings	81,768	152,093	233,861
Trade and bills payables	150,642	10,832	161,474
Other payables	12,851	-	12,851
Derivative financial instruments	-	6,922	6,922
	245,261	169,847	415,108

#### **Capital management**

The primary objectives of the Group's capital management are to safeguard the Group's ability to continue as a going concern and to maintain healthy capital ratios in order to support its business and maximise shareholders' value.

The Group manages its capital structure and makes adjustments to it in light of changes in economic conditions. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Group may adjust the dividend payment to shareholders, return capital to shareholders or issue new shares. The Group is not subject to any externally imposed capital requirements. No changes were made in the objectives, policies or processes for managing capital during the years ended 31 December 2015 and 31 December 2014.

The Group monitors capital using a gearing ratio, which is interest-bearing bank borrowings divided by total equity. The Group's policy is to maintain the gearing ratio as low as possible. The gearing ratios as at the end of the reporting periods were as follows:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
Interest-bearing bank borrowings	394,574	229,000
Total equity	890,971	832,004
Gearing ratio	44.3%	27.5%

## 41. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE COMPANY

Information about the statement of financial position of the Company at the end of the reporting period is as follows:

	2015 RMB'000	2014 RMB'000
NON-CURRENT ASSETS		
Investments in subsidiaries	515,364	515,632
Total non-current assets	515,364	515,632
CURRENT ASSETS		
Deposits and other receivables	40	42
Due from a subsidiary	66,797	66,797
Cash and cash equivalents	8,277	772
Total current assets	75,114	67,611
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Other payables and accruals	32	29
Total current liabilities	32	29
NET CURRENT ASSETS	75,082	67,582
Net assets	590,446	583,214
EQUITY	140 775	117 100
Issued capital Reserves	118,775 471 671	117,168
	471,671	466,046
Total equity	590,446	583,214

# 41. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE COMPANY (continued)

#### Note:

A summary of the Company's reserves is as follows:

	Share premium account RMB'000	Employee share-based compensation reserve RMB'000	Capital redemption reserve RMB'000	Deemed contribution reserve RMB'000	Other reserve RMB'000	Retained profits/ (accumulated losses) RMB'000	Total RMB'000
Balance at 1 January 2014	400,119	13,084	288	6,294	42,519	3,054	465,358
Loss and total comprehensive							
loss for the year	-	-	-	-	-	(3,044)	(3,044)
Share-based payments	-	2,783	-	-	-	-	2,783
Exercise of share options	77	(24)	-	-	-	-	53
Final 2013 dividend paid	-	-	-	-	-	896	896
At 31 December 2014 and							
at 1 January 2015	400,196	15,843	288	6,294	42,519	906	466,046
Loss and total comprehensive							
loss for the year	-	-	-	-	-	(16,482)	(16,482)
Share-based payments	-	14,275	-	-	-	-	14,275
Exercise of share options	11,499	(3,667)	-	-	-	-	7,832
At 31 December 2015	411,695	26,451	288	6,294	42,519	(15,576)	471,671

#### 42. APPROVAL OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board of directors on 22 March 2016.

# FIVE YEAR FINANCIAL SUMMARY

A summary of the results and of the assets, liabilities and non-controlling interests of the Group for the last five financial years, as extracted from the published audited financial statements, is set out below:

		Year ended 31 December					
	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011		
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000		
REVENUE	781,993	517,301	739,865	573,517	610,311		
PROFIT/(LOSS) BEFORE TAX	79,147	(32,243)	56,816	11,366	(50,489)		
Income tax expense	(17,928)	(6,357)	(14,913)	(12,269)	(2,793)		
	(17,520)	(0,007)	(14,313)	(12,200)	(2,730)		
PROFIT/(LOSS) FOR THE YEAR	61,219	(38,600)	41,903	(903)	(53,282)		
Attributable to:							
Owners of the parent	62,272	(32,138)	42,917	443	(59,360)		
Non-controlling interests	(1,053)	(6,462)	(1,014)	(1,346)	6,078		
	61 010	(29,600)	41 002	(903)	(52,000)		
	61,219	(38,600)	41,903	(903)	(53,282)		

# **ASSETS, LIABILITIES AND NON-CONTROLLING INTERESTS**

	As at 31 December				
	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
TOTAL ASSETS	1,588,235	1,362,174	1,439,596	1,366,749	1,280,827
TOTAL LIABILITIES	(697,264)	(530,170)	(560,869)	(534,227)	(453,746)
	((0.000)		(40,450)		
NON-CONTROLLING INTERESTS	(16,239)	(37,460)	(46,152)	(47,166)	(45,797)
	874,732	794,544	832,575	785,356	781,284