

Huazhong In-Vehicle Holdings Company Limited 華眾車載控股有限公司

(incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

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CORPORATE INFORMATION

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Mr. Li Xuejun (*Chief Executive Officer*)
Mr. Chang Jingzhou

Non-executive Directors

Ms. Lai Cairong
Mr. Wang Yuming
Mr. Guan Xin
Mr. Liu Genyu

Independent non-executive Directors

Mr. Wong Luen Cheung Andrew (*Vice-chairman*)
Mr. Yu Shuli
Mr. Tian Yushi
Mr. Xu Jiali
Mr. Wu Bichao

AUDIT COMMITTEE

Mr. Yu Shuli (*Chairman*)
Mr. Tian Yushi
Mr. Xu Jiali

REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

Mr. Yu Shuli (*Chairman*)
Mr. Zhou Minfeng
Mr. Tian Yushi

NOMINATION COMMITTEE

Mr. Zhou Minfeng (*Chairman*)
Mr. Yu Shuli
Mr. Tian Yushi

JOINT COMPANY SECRETARIES

Mr. Cheung Wah Lung Warren (*AICPA, ACS*)
Ms. Ho Wing Yan (*ACIS, ACS(PE)*)

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STOCK CODE

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BUSINESS AND MARKET REVIEW

Huazhong In-Vehicle Holdings Company Limited (the “**Company**”) and its subsidiaries (collectively, the “**Group**”) are principally engaged in the manufacture and sale of automotive internal and external structural and decorative parts, moulds and tooling, casings and liquid tanks of air conditioners or heaters and other non-automotive products.

In the first half of 2018, the automobile industry has recorded another year of stable growth. According to the statistics from China Association of Automobile Manufacturers, over 14.06 million vehicles were manufactured and over 14.07 million vehicles were sold in the first half of 2018, representing a growth of 4.2% and 5.6%, respectively.

The sales volume of the top ten automobile manufacturers reached approximately 12.52 million units during the first half of 2018, accounting for 89.0% of the overall vehicle sales in China. Out of the top ten automobile manufacturers of which six of them have established business relationships with the Group. The solid partnership with industry leaders has provided a strong foothold for the Group to capture the growth of the automobile industry.

For the six months ended 30 June 2018, the Group’s revenue was approximately RMB975,675,000, representing an increase of approximately 17.5% as compared to approximately RMB830,695,000 for the six months ended 30 June 2017. Profit attributable to the owners of the parent for the six months ended 30 June 2018 was approximately RMB67,465,000, representing an increase of approximately 27.2% as compared to RMB53,058,000 for the six months ended 30 June 2017.

The new manufacturing facilities in Tianjin has commenced production in this year.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Revenue

The revenue of the Group was primarily derived from five categories of products:

- (i) automotive interior and exterior structural and decorative parts;
- (ii) moulds and tooling;
- (iii) casings and liquid tanks of air conditioners and heaters;
- (iv) non-automotive products; and
- (v) sale of raw materials.

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

	For the six months ended 30 June			
	2018		2017	
	Revenue (Unaudited) RMB'000	Gross profit margin %	Revenue (Unaudited) RMB'000	Gross profit margin %
Automotive interior and exterior structural and decorative parts	738,055	30.9	629,464	31.9
Moulds and tooling	104,005	11.0	44,620	17.5
Casings and liquid tanks of air conditioners and heaters	58,627	13.0	97,281	18.7
Non-automotive products	23,882	38.9	31,524	21.0
Sale of raw materials	51,106	5.2	27,806	3.4
Total	975,675	26.5	830,695	28.2

For the six months ended 30 June 2018, the total revenue generated from automotive interior and exterior structural and decorative parts was RMB738,055,000 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: RMB629,464,000), accounting for 75.6% of the Group's total revenue for the six months ended 30 June 2018 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: 75.8%). Gross profit margin decreased slightly from 31.9% for the six months ended 30 June 2017 to 30.9% for the six months ended 30 June 2018.

For the six months ended 30 June 2018, revenue from moulds and tooling was RMB104,005,000 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: RMB44,620,000), accounting for 10.7% of the Group's total revenue for the six months ended 30 June 2018 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: 5.4%). Gross profit margin decreased from 17.5% for the six months ended 30 June 2017 to 11.0% for the six months ended 30 June 2018. During the period, the company attracted new renowned customers in overseas market with competitive pricing, as a result, the revenue increased while the gross margin decreased as compared with the same period last year.

For the six months ended 30 June 2018, revenue from casings and liquid tanks of air conditioners and heaters was RMB58,627,000 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: RMB97,281,000), accounting for 6.0% of the Group's total revenue for the six months ended 30 June 2018 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: 11.7%). Gross profit margin decreased from 18.7% for the six months ended 30 June 2017 to 13.0% for the six months ended 30 June 2018. The decrease in gross profit margin was mainly due to the decrease in demand of certain product with higher gross margin.

For the six months ended 30 June 2018, revenue from non-automotive products was RMB23,882,000 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: RMB31,524,000), accounting for 2.4% of the Group's total revenue for the six months ended 30 June 2018 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: 3.8%). Gross profit margin increased from 21.0% for the six months ended 30 June 2017 to 38.9% for the six months ended 30 June 2018.

For the six months ended 30 June 2018, revenue from sale of raw materials was RMB51,106,000 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: RMB27,806,000), accounting for 5.2% of the Group's total revenue for the six months ended 30 June 2018 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: 3.3%). The gross profit margin was 5.2% for the six months ended 30 June 2018, which recorded an increase as compared to the six months ended 30 June 2017.

For the six months ended 30 June 2018, the overall gross profit margin decreased to 26.5% (the six months ended 30 June 2017: 28.2%).

Other Income and Gains

Other income and gains of the Group for the six months ended 30 June 2018 amounted to RMB8,526,000 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: RMB16,127,000), representing a decrease of approximately 47.1% as compared to the six months ended 30 June 2017.

Selling and Distribution Costs

The Group's selling and distribution costs for the six months ended 30 June 2018 amounted to approximately RMB66,508,000, representing an increase of approximately 12.1% as compared to RMB59,351,000 in the six months ended 30 June 2017. The increase was mainly due to the increase in packing expenses as a result of the increase in sales volume.

Administrative Expenses

The Group's administrative expenses for the six months ended 30 June 2018 amounted to approximately RMB108,827,000, representing an increase of approximately 7.7% as compared to RMB101,017,000 in the six months ended 30 June 2017. This was mainly attributable to the increase of salary and welfare, R&D expense and office expense during the period.

Share of Profits of Joint Ventures

During the six months ended 30 June 2018, the Group recorded RMB13,211,000 of the share of profits of joint ventures, while a share of profits of joint ventures of RMB5,093,000 was recorded for the six months ended 30 June 2017. The change was primarily due to implementation of cost control during the period.

Finance Income

The Group's finance income decreased by approximately 35.8% from approximately RMB3,729,000 for the six months ended 30 June 2017 to approximately RMB2,394,000 for the six months ended 30 June 2018. The decrease in finance income was mainly attributable to the decrease in average cash and bank balance.

Finance Costs

The Group's finance costs decreased from approximately RMB21,787,000 for the six months ended 30 June 2017 to approximately RMB18,864,000 for the six months ended 30 June 2018, representing a decrease of approximately 13.4%. The decrease in finance costs was mainly due to the decrease in average bank borrowings during the six months ended 30 June 2018.

Taxes

The Group's tax expenses decreased by approximately 5.0% from approximately RMB19,789,000 for the six months ended 30 June 2017 to approximately RMB18,807,000 for the six months ended 30 June 2018. The decrease was mainly due to the increase in taxable profits of lower tax rate entities in the six months ended 30 June 2018 as compared to the six months ended 30 June 2017.

Liquidity and Financial Resources

For the six months ended 30 June 2018, the net cash generated from operating activities amounted to approximately RMB96,932,000 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: net cash generated from operating activities RMB120,228,000). The cash generated from operating activities mainly resulted from an increase in prepayments and other receivables, and a decrease in amounts due from related parties.

The net cash used in investing activities amounted to approximately RMB118,435,000 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: net cash used in investing activities of approximately RMB98,396,000) and the net cash flow generated from financing activities amounted to approximately RMB47,400,000 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: net cash flow generated from financing activities of approximately RMB13,191,000). The cash used in investing activities was mainly attributable to the payment for purchase of property, plant and machinery and land use right. The net cash generated from financing activities was mainly attributable to bank loans.

As a result of the cumulative effect described above, the Group recorded a net cash inflow of RMB25,897,000 for the six months ended 30 June 2018 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: net cash inflow of RMB35,023,000).

As at 30 June 2018, the Group's cash and cash equivalents (including cash and bank deposits) amounted to approximately RMB138,300,000 (31 December 2017: approximately RMB96,799,000).

As at 30 June 2018, the Group's interest-bearing bank borrowings of the Group were approximately RMB791,062,000 (31 December 2017: approximately RMB722,791,000), among of which, RMB718,442,000 would be due within one year (31 December 2017: RMB604,321,000). The borrowings of the Group were subject to interests payable at rates ranging from 2.85% to 6.72% per annum. The board (the "Board") of the directors (the "Directors") of the Company expects that the bank borrowings will either be repaid by internally generated funds or rolled over upon maturity and will continue to provide funding to the Group's operations.

Capital Commitments

As at 30 June 2018, the Group had capital commitments amounting to approximately RMB176,711,000 (31 December 2017: RMB183,330,000) for the acquisition of property, plant and equipment.

Foreign Exchange Exposure

The sales and purchases of the Group are mainly denominated in Renminbi ("RMB") and Euro. The cash and cash equivalents of the Group are mainly denominated in RMB, Hong Kong dollars and Euro. The borrowings are denominated in RMB, United States dollars and Euro. Since the Group's exposure to fluctuations in foreign exchange rates was immaterial, the Group has not implemented any foreign currency hedging policy at the moment. However, the management will closely monitor the foreign exchange exposure of the Group and will consider hedging against any foreign exchange risk if such becomes significant to the Group.

Capital Structure

The total number of issued and fully paid ordinary shares of the Company as at 30 June 2018 was 1,769,193,800.

Contingent Liabilities

As at 30 June 2018, the Group had no significant contingent liabilities (31 December 2017: Nil).

Pledge of Assets

As at 30 June 2018, the Group's assets of approximately RMB193,943,000 (31 December 2017: approximately RMB193,859,000) were pledged to secure some of the Group's interest-bearing bank borrowings. The book values of the pledged assets are set out below:

	30 June 2018 (Unaudited) RMB'000	31 December 2017 (Audited) RMB'000
Property, plant and equipment	9,456	10,225
Investment Properties	2,258	2,383
Prepaid land lease payments	43,512	44,021
Pledged deposits	138,717	137,230
Total	193,943	193,859

As at 30 June 2018, pledged deposits with a total book value of approximately RMB58,440,000 (31 December 2017: approximately RMB52,634,000) were used as security to provide guarantee for the issue of notes payable.

Gearing Ratio

As at 30 June 2018, the Group's gearing ratio was approximately 65.1% (31 December 2017: 65.3%). The gearing ratio is derived by dividing net liabilities (including interest-bearing bank borrowings, trade and notes payables, other payables and accruals, and payables to related parties and the ultimate controlling shareholder less cash and cash equivalents) by total capital (including equity attributable to owners of the parent company) plus net liabilities at the end of the period under review.

Significant Investments Held, Material Acquisitions and Disposals of Subsidiaries, Associates and Joint Ventures and Future Plans for Material Investments or Capital Assets

During the six months ended 30 June 2018, the Group did not have any significant investments or material acquisition or disposal of subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures. There was no plan authorised by the Board for any material investments or additions of capital assets as at the date of this interim report.

Employees and Remuneration Policies

As at 30 June 2018, the Group had 3,286 employees (30 June 2017: 2,611). Total staff costs of the Group (excluding Directors' and chief executive's remuneration) for six months ended 30 June 2018 was approximately RMB113,540,000 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: approximately RMB97,818,000). The Group's remuneration policies were in line with relevant legislation, market conditions and the performance of our employees.

Events After the Reporting Period

There were no significant events after 30 June 2018 and up to the date of this report.

PROSPECT

During the first half of year 2018, the development of China's economy continued to be improved with a slight slowdown in certain segments. Meanwhile, the automotive industry has experienced uncertain times as the specter of changing geopolitical circumstances and faltering trade regimes with the latest escalation in a trade war between China and the United States.

Furthermore, automotive industry in China is expected to be transit to a maturity phase of development, where growth tends to be steady and qualitative, from its high-growth phase in the past years. Yet, despite a slower pace of growth in the coming years, China, in the long run, will still hold its leading position in the automotive industry in terms of its production scale and Chinese consumers will still be the biggest buyers of global automotive market.

The growth of vehicle fleet has placed enormous pressure on China's energy consumption level and environment, and hence caused burden on China's economic development. Therefore, automobile manufacturers are paying more and more efforts to produce lightweight vehicles that reduce energy-consumption and pollutant emission.

Plastics, being the most important automotive lightweight material, have thus seen strong growth potential. With the continuous technology advancement to improve its strengths, tensile properties and hardness, plastic applications in automobile manufacturing has moved from decorative parts to functional structures, such as bumpers, bonnet components and automobile skeleton.

Along with the supportive regulations and promotion of automobile lightweight development in China, the Group will continue to implement its development strategy of "committing to product research and development and engineering and implementing strategic investments", and become a leading automobile body parts manufacturer in China in terms of reputation and market share.

Last but not the least, we wish to re-affirm that maximization of shareholder value, whilst adhering to the highest standards of corporate governance, will always remain our top priority.

Forward Looking Statements

This management discussion and analysis contains certain forward looking statements with respect to the financial condition, results of operations and business of the Group. These forward looking statements represent the Company's expectations or beliefs concerning future events and involve known and unknown risks and uncertainty that could cause actual results, performance or events to differ materially from those expressed or implied in such statements.

Forward looking statements involve inherent risks and uncertainties. Readers including shareholders and investors should be cautioned that a number of factors could cause actual results to differ, in some instances materially, from those anticipated or implied in any forward looking statement.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND OTHER INFORMATION

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE CODE

The Company has adopted the code provisions prescribed in the Corporate Governance Code (the “**CG Code**”) as set out in Appendix 14 of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities (the “**Listing Rules**”) on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the “**Stock Exchange**”) as the code of the Company.

The Board is of the view that the Company has complied with all applicable code provisions set out in the CG Code throughout the six months ended 30 June 2018, except for the following deviations:

Code Provisions A.6.7 and E.1.2

Code provision A.6.7 stipulates that independent non-executive directors and other non-executive directors should attend general meetings and develop a balanced understanding of the views of shareholders; while code provision E.1.2 stipulates that the chairman of the board should attend the annual general meeting.

Mr. Zhou Minfeng (the chairman of the Board), four non-executive Directors and four independent non-executive Directors were unable to attend the Company’s annual general meeting held on 7 June 2018 due to their other business engagement.

MODEL CODE FOR SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS BY DIRECTORS OF LISTED ISSUERS

The Company has adopted the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers as set out in Appendix 10 of the Listing Rules (the “**Model Code**”) as the code of conduct governing dealings by all the Directors in the securities of the Company. Specific enquiries have been made with all Directors, who have confirmed that, during the six months ended 30 June 2018, they were in compliance with the required provisions set out in the Model Code.

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

As at 30 June 2018, the Directors and the chief executive of the Company had the following interests or short positions in the shares (the “**Shares**”), underlying Shares and debentures of the Company and its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (the “**SFO**”) which have been notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to Division 7 and 8 of Part XV of the SFO, including interests and short positions which the Directors and the chief executive of the Company are taken and deemed to have under such provisions of the SFO, or which are required to be and are recorded in the register required to be kept under Section 352 of the SFO or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code:

Long positions in the Company

Name of Director	Capacity/ Nature of interest	Number of Shares	Approximate percentage of the issued Shares
Mr. Zhou Minfeng	Interests of controlled corporation ⁽¹⁾	1,318,350,000	74.52%
	Spouse's interest	1,100,000 ⁽²⁾	0.06%
Mr. Chang Jingzhou	Beneficial owner	840,400	0.05%
Mr. Wong Luen Cheung Andrew	Beneficial owner	2,000,000	0.11%

Notes:

- (1) Mr. Zhou Minfeng is deemed to be interested in Shares held by Huayou Holdings Company Limited (“**Huayou Holdings**”) by virtue of Huayou Holdings being wholly-owned by Mr. Zhou Minfeng.
- (2) Ms. Chen Chun'er, the spouse of Mr. Zhou Minfeng, has interest in 1,100,000 Shares. Therefore, Mr. Zhou Minfeng is deemed to be interested in Ms. Chen Chun'er's Shares.

Save as disclosed above, as at 30 June 2018, none of the Directors or the chief executive of the Company had or was deemed to have any interests or short positions in the Shares, underlying Shares or debentures of the Company and its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO), which had been recorded in the register maintained by the Company pursuant to Section 352 of the SFO or which had been notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code.

At no time was the Company, its holding company, or any of its subsidiaries a party to any arrangements to enable the Directors and the chief executive of the Company (including their spouse and children under 18 years of age) to hold any interest or short positions in the Shares, underlying Shares or debentures of the Company or its associated corporations (within the meaning of Part XV of the SFO).

SHARE OPTION SCHEME

Share Option Scheme

The Company adopted a share option scheme (the “**Share Option Scheme**”) on 15 December 2011 for the purpose of giving certain eligible persons an opportunity to have a personal stake in the Company and motivating them to optimize their future performance and efficiency to the Group and/or rewarding them for their past contributions, and attracting and retaining, or otherwise maintaining on-going relationships with, such eligible persons who are significant to and/or whose contributions are or will be beneficial to the performance, growth or success of the Group.

There were no outstanding options, and there were no options granted, exercised, lapsed or cancelled pursuant to the Share Option Scheme during the six months ended 30 June 2018 and as at the date of this report.

ARRANGEMENT FOR DIRECTORS TO PURCHASE SHARES OR DEBENTURES

Save as disclosed in "Share Option Schemes" above, at no time during the six months ended 30 June 2018 were rights to acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of Shares or debentures of the Company granted to any Director or their respective spouses or minor children, or were such rights exercised by them, or was the Company, its holding company or any of its subsidiaries a party to any arrangements which enable the Directors of the Company to acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of Shares in, or debt securities (including debentures) of the Company or any other body corporate.

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

So far as is known to any Director or the chief executive of the Company, as at 30 June 2018, the persons or corporations (other than Director or the chief executive of the Company) who had interests or short positions in the Shares and underlying Shares which were required to be disclosed to the Company under the provisions of Division 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO, or which were recorded in the register required to be kept under Section 336 of the SFO were as follows:

Long positions in the Company

Name	Capacity/Nature of Interest	Number of Shares	Approximate percentage of the issued Shares
Huayou Holdings ⁽¹⁾	Beneficial owner	1,318,350,000	74.52%
Chen Chun'er ⁽²⁾	Beneficial owner	1,100,000	0.06%
	Spouse's interest	1,318,350,000 ⁽³⁾	74.52%

Notes:

(1) Huayou Holdings is wholly-owned by Mr. Zhou Minfeng.

(2) Spouse of Mr. Zhou Minfeng.

(3) Shares held by Huayou Holdings, in which Mr. Zhou Minfeng is deemed to be interested by virtue of Huayou Holdings being wholly-owned by Mr. Zhou Minfeng.

Save as disclosed above, as at 30 June 2018, the Directors and the chief executive of the Company are not aware of any other person or corporation having an interest or short position in the Shares and underlying Shares which would require disclosure to the Company under the provisions of Division 2 and 3 of Part XV of the SFO, or which were recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company pursuant to Section 336 of the SFO.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND OTHER INFORMATION

Direct or indirect interests in 10% or more of the nominal value of any class of share capital carrying rights to vote in all circumstances at general meetings of any member of our Group:

Name	Shareholder	Approximate percentage of shareholding
Shanghai Huaxin	Shanghai Automobile Air Conditioner Factory* (上海汽車空調器廠)	30%
Shanghai Huaxin	Shanghai Beicai Industrial Co., Ltd. (上海北蔡工業有限公司)	19%
Changxing Huaxin Automobile Latex and Plastic Co., Ltd (“ Changxing Huaxin ”) ⁽¹⁾	Shanghai Automobile Air Conditioner Factory* (上海汽車空調器廠)	30%
Changxing Huaxin ⁽¹⁾	Shanghai Beicai Industrial Co., Ltd. (上海北蔡工業有限公司)	19%

Note:

- (1) Shanghai Automobile Air Conditioner Factory* (上海汽車空調器廠) and Shanghai Beicai Industrial Co., Ltd. (上海北蔡工業有限公司) directly hold 30% and 19% interests in Shanghai Huaxin, respectively. Changxing Huaxin is wholly-owned by Shanghai Huaxin and as a result, Shanghai Automobile Air Conditioner Factory* (上海汽車空調器廠) and Shanghai Beicai Industrial Co., Ltd. (上海北蔡工業有限公司) also indirectly hold 30% and 19% interests in Changxing Huaxin, respectively.

Save as disclosed above, as at 30 June 2018, the Directors and the chief executive of the Company are not aware of any other person or corporation who is, directly or indirectly, interested in 10% or more of the nominal value of any class of share capital carrying rights to vote in all circumstances at general meetings of any member of the Group.

TERM LOAN FACILITY AND SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE OBLIGATION

In accordance with the continuing obligation set out in Rule 13.21 of the Listing Rules, the following are the details of the loan agreement with covenants relating to specific performance on the controlling shareholders of the Company as at the date of this report pursuant to Rule 13.18 of the Listing Rules thereof.

First Term Loan Facility: USD17,000,000 Term Loan Facility

On 22 August 2016, the Company's wholly-owned subsidiary, Huayou Investment (Hong Kong) Limited, as a borrower (the “**Borrower**”) entered into a facility agreement (the “**First Facility Agreement**”) relating to a USD17,000,000 term loan facility with a licensed bank in Hong Kong. The final maturity date of the USD17,000,000 term loan facility shall be the date falling 3 years from 22 August 2016.

Pursuant to the Facility Agreement, the USD17,000,000 term loan facility will be cancelled and all outstanding under the USD17,000,000 term loan facility should be payable immediately upon Mr. Zhou Minfeng (“**Mr. Zhou**”) ceases to maintain in aggregate at least 51% direct or indirect equity interest in the Borrower.

Second Term Loan Facility: HKD136,500,000 Term Loan Facilities

On 16 August 2018, the Company, as a borrower entered into a facility agreement (the “**Second Facility Agreement**”) relating to term loan facilities of HKD26,000,000 (the “**Loan 1**”), HKD99,500,000 (the “**Loan 2**”) and HKD11,000,000 (the “**Loan 3**”), with a total amount of HKD136,500,000 in total with a licensed bank in Hong Kong (the “**Bank**”). The final maturity date of the Loan 1 shall be the date falling 2 years from draw down date. The final maturity date of the Loan 2 shall be the date falling 3 years from the draw down date. The final maturity date of the Loan 3 shall be the date falling 1 year from the draw down date.

Pursuant to the Second Facility Agreement, Mr. Zhou (a) will remain as a Director and the chairman of the Company and maintain control over the management and business of the Company and its subsidiaries at any time; (b) shall (directly or indirectly) (i) hold no less than 50% equity interests in the Company and (ii) remain the single largest shareholder of the Company at any time; and (c) shall remain as a member of the Board.

As at the date of this report, Mr. Zhou indirectly owned approximately 74.52% of the issued share capital of the Company.

AUDIT COMMITTEE

The audit committee of the Company (the “**Audit Committee**”) consists of three members, namely Mr. Yu Shuli (chairman), Mr. Tian Yushi and Mr. Xu Jiali, all of them were the independent non-executive Directors. The primary duties of the Audit Committee are to review and supervise the financial reporting process, risk management and internal control systems of the Group.

Disclosure of financial information in this report complies with Appendix 16 of the Listing Rules. The Audit Committee has provided supervision over the Group’s financial reporting process. The Audit Committee has reviewed the accounting standards and practices adopted by the Group and discussed the auditing and financial reporting matters, including the review of the interim results of the Group for the six months ended 30 June 2018. The Audit Committee has reviewed the interim results of the Group for the six months ended 30 June 2018 and is of the view that the interim report for the six months ended 30 June 2018 is prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards, rules and regulations and appropriate disclosures have been duly made.

PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF THE COMPANY’S LISTED SECURITIES

Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries had purchased, sold or redeemed any of the Company’s listed securities during the six months ended 30 June 2018.

INTERIM DIVIDENDS

The Board has resolved to declare an interim dividend of HK0.4367 cent (equivalent to approximately RMB0.3810 cent at exchange rate 1:0.8725) per ordinary share of the Company for the six months ended 30 June 2018 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: HK0.3536 cent (approximately RMB0.2999 cent)). The interim dividend will be payable to the shareholders of the Company whose names appear on the register of members of the Company on 20 September 2018 and such payment is expected to be made on or around 26 October 2018.



CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND OTHER INFORMATION

APPRECIATION

The chairman of the Board would like to take this opportunity to thank his fellow Directors for their invaluable advices and guidance, and to each and everyone of the staff of the Group for their hard work and loyalty to the Group.

On behalf of the Board

Zhou Minfeng

Chairman

Zhejiang, the PRC, 29 August 2018

** For identification purposes only*

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS

For the six months ended 30 June 2018

	Notes	For the six months ended 30 June	
		2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
REVENUE FROM CONTRACTS WITH CUSTOMERS	3	975,675	830,695
Cost of sales		(716,752)	(596,206)
Gross profit		258,923	234,489
Other income and gains	4	8,526	16,127
Selling and distribution costs		(66,508)	(59,351)
Administrative expenses		(108,827)	(101,017)
Other expenses		(2,661)	(1,777)
Operating profit		89,453	88,471
Share of profits of joint ventures		13,211	5,093
Finance income	5	2,394	3,729
Finance costs	6	(18,864)	(21,787)
PROFIT BEFORE INCOME TAX EXPENSE	7	86,194	75,506
Income tax expense	8	(18,807)	(19,789)
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD		67,387	55,717
Attributable to:			
Owners of the parent		67,465	53,058
Non-controlling interests		(78)	2,659
		67,387	55,717
EARNINGS PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT	10		
Basic			
— For profit for the period		RMB 0.0381	RMB 0.0299
Diluted			
— For profit for the period		RMB 0.0381	RMB 0.0299

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the six months ended 30 June 2018

	For the six months ended 30 June	
	2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD	67,387	55,717
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME		
<i>Other comprehensive income to be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods, net of tax:</i>		
Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	(293)	730
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD, NET OF TAX	(293)	730
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD	67,094	56,447
Attributable to:		
Owners of the parent	67,172	53,788
Non-controlling interests	(78)	2,659
	67,094	56,447

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 30 June 2018

	Notes	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment	11	679,184	623,692
Investment properties	12	30,115	31,369
Prepaid land lease payments	11	217,841	192,914
Intangible assets		7,790	6,650
Investment in an associate		—	18,533
Investments in joint ventures	13	156,453	142,605
Prepayments for acquiring property, plant and equipment		33,709	72,878
Available-for-sale investments	14	—	15,000
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	14	32,820	—
Deferred tax assets		15,481	16,490
Total non-current assets		1,173,393	1,120,131
CURRENT ASSETS			
Inventories	15	392,324	372,575
Trade and notes receivables	16	602,918	612,857
Prepayments and other receivables	17	202,903	133,885
Due from related parties	22(c)	96,655	70,920
Pledged deposits		197,157	189,864
Cash and cash equivalents		138,300	96,799
Total current assets		1,630,257	1,476,900
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Interest-bearing bank borrowings	18	718,442	604,321
Trade and notes payables	19	705,727	621,519
Other payables, advances from customers and accruals	20	159,932	213,261
Contract liabilities		53,678	—
Due to the ultimate controlling shareholder	22(c)	1,110	2,150
Due to related parties	22(c)	73,726	74,531
Income tax payable		48,129	57,005
Total current liabilities		1,760,744	1,572,787
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES		(130,487)	(95,887)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		1,042,906	1,024,244

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 30 June 2018

	Notes	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Interest-bearing bank borrowings	18	72,620	118,470
Government grants		8,163	8,570
Deferred tax liabilities		40,455	42,630
Total non-current liabilities		121,238	169,670
Net assets		921,668	854,574
EQUITY			
Equity attributable to owners of the parent			
Issued capital		142,956	142,956
Reserves		741,876	674,704
		884,832	817,660
Non-controlling interests		36,836	36,914
Total equity		921,668	854,574

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the six months ended 30 June 2018

	Attributable to owners of the parent										Non-controlling interests	Total equity
	Share capital	Share premium	Capital reserve	Statutory reserve funds	Merger reserve	Share option reserve	Exchange fluctuation reserve	Retained earnings	Total			
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000		
As at 1 January 2018	142,956	8,157*	14,268*	58,804*	88,278*	—	(1,350)*	506,547*	817,660	36,914	854,574	
Total comprehensive income for the period:												
Profit for the period	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	67,465	67,465	(78)	67,387	
Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations, net of tax	—	—	—	—	—	—	(293)	—	(293)	—	(293)	
Transfer to statutory reserve funds	—	—	—	3,315	—	—	—	(3,315)	—	—	—	
As at 30 June 2018 (Unaudited)	142,956	8,157*	14,268*	62,119*	88,278*	—	(1,643)*	570,697*	884,832	36,836	921,668	
As at 1 January 2017	128,587	20,030	5,580	44,441	88,278	9,504	(2,635)	388,065	681,850	33,796	715,646	
Total comprehensive income for the period:												
Profit for the period	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	53,058	53,058	2,659	55,717	
Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations, net of tax	—	—	—	—	—	—	730	—	730	—	730	
Exercise of share option	300	2,196	—	—	—	(816)	—	—	1,680	—	1,680	
Bonus issue	14,069	(14,069)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Dividends paid to non-controlling shareholders	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(2,003)	(2,003)	
Transfer to statutory reserve funds	—	—	—	4,516	—	—	—	(4,516)	—	—	—	
Transfer to discretionary surplus reserve	—	—	—	6,349	—	—	—	(6,349)	—	—	—	
As at 30 June 2017 (Unaudited)	142,956	8,157	5,580	55,306	88,278	8,688	(1,905)	430,258	737,318	34,452	771,770	

* These reserve accounts comprise the consolidated reserves of RMB741,876,000 (31 December 2017: RMB674,704,000) in the consolidated statement of financial position.

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the six months ended 30 June 2018

	Notes	For the six months ended 30 June	
		2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Cash flows from operating activities:			
Profit before tax		86,194	75,506
Adjustments for:			
Finance costs	6	18,864	21,787
Share of profits and losses of joint ventures and an associate		(13,211)	(5,105)
Interest income	5	(2,394)	(3,729)
Gain on disposal of an associate	4	(547)	(3,185)
Gain on disposal of items of property, plant and equipment	4	(519)	(34)
Release of government grants		(407)	(365)
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	7	38,019	34,927
Depreciation of investment properties	7	1,254	1,253
Amortisation of prepaid land lease payments	7	2,488	2,170
Amortisation of intangible assets	7	479	605
Write-down/ (reversal of write-down) of inventories to net realisable value	7	161	(7,579)
(Reversal of impairment)/impairment of trade receivables	7	(1,500)	1,251
		128,881	117,502
Increase in inventories		(20,547)	(32,876)
Decrease in trade and notes receivables		11,439	33,666
Increase in prepayments and other receivables		(68,693)	(886)
(Increase)/ decrease in amounts due from related parties		(25,735)	61,342
Increase/ (decrease) in trade and notes payables		84,208	(7,463)
(Decrease)/ increase in other payables, advances from customers and accruals		(29,859)	5,876
Increase in contract liabilities		53,678	—
Decrease in amounts due to related parties		(805)	(25,646)
Increase in pledged deposits		(5,806)	(5,491)
Decrease in amounts due to the ultimate shareholder		(1,040)	(160)
Cash generated from operations		125,721	145,864
Income tax paid		(28,789)	(25,636)
Net cash flows generated from operating activities		96,932	120,228

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the six months ended 30 June 2018

	Notes	For the six months ended 30 June	
		2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Cash flows from investing activities:			
Interest received	5	2,394	7,883
Purchases of items of property, plant and equipment		(79,964)	(61,567)
Purchases of items of prepaid land lease payments		(26,897)	(1,746)
Purchases of items of intangible assets		(628)	—
Proceeds from disposal of items of property, plant and equipment		1,004	4,894
Purchases of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income		(17,820)	—
Additional investment in a joint venture		—	(30,000)
Investment in an associate		—	(16,800)
Disposal of an associate		19,080	—
Increase in non-pledged time deposits with original maturity of three months or more when acquired		(15,604)	(1,060)
Net cash flows used in investing activities		(118,435)	(98,396)
Cash flows from financing activities:			
New bank loans		265,633	455,405
Repayment of bank loans		(197,882)	(373,324)
Dividends paid to non-controlling shareholders		—	(2,003)
Interest paid		(18,864)	(21,787)
Increase in pledged deposits		(1,487)	(45,100)
Net cash flows generated from financing activities		47,400	13,191
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		25,897	35,023
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		27,764	65,472
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year		53,661	100,495
Analysis of balances of cash and cash equivalents			
Cash and cash equivalents as stated in the consolidated statement of cash flows		53,661	100,495
Cash and bank balances		53,661	100,495
Non-pledged time deposits with original maturity of three months or more when acquired		84,639	123,575
Cash and cash equivalents as stated in the consolidated statement of financial position		138,300	224,070

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1. CORPORATE INFORMATION

Huazhong In-Vehicle Holdings Company Limited (the "Company") is a limited liability company incorporated in the Cayman Islands on 3 December 2010. The registered office address of the Company is Cricket Square, Hutchins Drive, PO BOX 2681, Grand Cayman, KY1-1111, Cayman Islands. The shares of the Company were listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange") on 12 January 2012 (the "Listing Date").

The Company is an investment holding company. During the six months ended 30 June 2018, the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the "Group") were engaged in the manufacture and sale of automotive internal and external structural and decorative parts, moulds and tooling, casing and liquid tanks of air conditioning or heater units and other non-automotive products.

2.1 BASIS OF PREPARATION

The interim condensed consolidated financial statements for the six months ended 30 June 2018 have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard ("IAS") 34 "Interim Financial Reporting".

The interim condensed consolidated financial statements do not include all the information and disclosures required in the annual consolidated financial statements, and should be read in conjunction with the Group's annual consolidated financial statements as at 31 December 2017.

Going concern basis

Notwithstanding that the Group had consolidated net current liabilities of RMB130,487,000 as at 30 June 2018, the consolidated financial statements have been prepared by the directors of the Company on a going concern basis.

In order to improve the Group's financial position, the directors of the Company have the following measures:

- (i) As at 30 June 2018, the Group had unutilised credit facilities from banks of approximately RMB605,200,000; and
- (ii) The directors continue to take action to tighten cost controls over various operating expenses, and are actively seeking new investment and business opportunities with an aim to attaining profitable and positive cash flow operations;

In the opinion of the directors of the Company, in light of the measures taken to date, together with the expected results of other measures in progress, it is appropriate to prepare the consolidated financial statements on a going concern basis, notwithstanding the Group's financial and liquidity positions at 30 June 2018.?

2.2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES

The accounting policies and basis of preparation adopted in the preparation of the interim condensed consolidated financial statements are consistent with those used in the preparation of the Group's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2017, except for the adoption of new standards effective as of 1 January 2018. The Group has not early adopted any other standard, interpretation or amendment that has been issued but is not yet effective.

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2.2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES *(Continued)*

The Group has adopted the following revised IFRSs for the first time in this interim condensed consolidated financial information.

Amendments to IFRS 2	<i>Classification and Measurement of Share-based Payment Transactions</i>
Amendments to IFRS 4	<i>Applying IFRS 9 Financial Instruments with IFRS 4 Insurance Contracts</i>
IFRS 9	<i>Financial Instruments</i>
IFRS 15	<i>Revenue from Contracts with Customers</i>
Amendments to IFRS 15	<i>Clarifications to IFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers</i>
Amendments to IAS 40	<i>Transfers of Investment Property</i>
IFRIC-22	<i>Foreign Currency Transactions and Advance Consideration</i>
IFRIC-23	<i>Uncertainty over Income Tax Treatments</i>
Annual Improvements 2014-2016 Cycle	<i>Amendments to IFRS 1 and IAS 28</i>

The Group applies, for the first time, IFRS 15 *Revenue from Contracts with Customers* and IFRS 9 *Financial Instruments*. As required by IAS 34, the nature and effect of these changes are disclosed below.

Several other amendments and interpretations apply for the first time in 2018, but do not have an impact on the interim condensed consolidated financial statements of the Group.

IFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers

IFRS 15 supersedes IAS 11 *Construction Contracts*, IAS 18 *Revenue* and related Interpretations and it applies to all revenue arising from contracts with customers, unless those contracts are in the scope of other standards. The new standard establishes a 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 standard requires entities to exercise judgement, taking into consideration all of the relevant facts and circumstances when applying each step of the model to contracts with their customers. The standard also specifies the accounting for the incremental costs of obtaining a contract and the costs directly related to fulfilling a contract.

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2.2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES *(Continued)*

IFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers *(Continued)*

The Group adopted IFRS 15 using the modified retrospective method of adoption. The effect of adopting IFRS 15 is, as follows:

- The comparative information for each of the primary financial statements would be presented based on the requirements of IAS 11, IAS 18 and related Interpretations;
- The cumulative catch-up adjustment to the opening balance of retained earnings (or other components of equity) as at 1 January 2018, either for all contracts or only for contracts that are not completed at the date of initial application, would not be significant and retrospectively in the condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity for the six months ended 30 June 2018;
- As required for the interim condensed consolidated financial information, the Group disaggregated revenue recognised from contracts with customers into categories that depict how the nature, amount, timing and uncertainty of revenue and cash flows are affected by economic factors. Refer to note 3 for the disclosure on disaggregated revenue. Disclosures for the comparative period in the notes to the financial statements would also follow the requirements of IAS 11, IAS 18 and related Interpretations. As a result, the disclosure of disaggregated revenue in note 3 would not include comparative information under IFRS 15; and
- The outstanding balance of advances from customers of approximately RMB72,603,000 as of 1 January 2018 arising from contracts with customers in the scope of IFRS 15 were reclassified from other payables, advanced from customers and accruals to contract liabilities.

IFRS 9 Financial Instruments

IFRS 9 *Financial Instruments* replaces IAS 39 *Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement* for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018, bringing together all three aspects of the accounting for financial instruments: classification and measurement; impairment; and hedge accounting.

The Group has not restated comparative information for financial instruments in the scope of IFRS 9. Therefore, the comparative information is reported under IAS 39 and is not comparable to the information presented for the six months ended 30 June 2018. Differences arising from the adoption of IFRS 9 have been recognised directly in retained profits and accumulated other comprehensive income as of 1 January 2018.

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2.2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES *(Continued)*

IFRS 9 Financial Instruments *(Continued)*

Changes to classification and measurement

Except for certain trade receivables, under IFRS 9, the Group initially measures a financial asset at its fair value plus, in the case of a financial asset not at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs.

Under IFRS 9, debt financial instruments are subsequently measured at fair value through profit or loss (FVPL), amortised cost, or fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI). The classification is based on two criteria: the Group's business model for managing the assets; and whether the instruments' contractual cash flows represent 'solely payments of principal and interest' on the principal amount outstanding (the 'SPPI criterion').

The new classification and measurement of the Group's debt financial assets are, as follows:

All the Group's debt financial assets are debt instruments at amortised cost for financial assets that are held within a business model with the objective to hold the financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows that meet the SPPI criterion. This category includes the Group's cash and cash equivalents, restricted cash, trade and notes receivables, financial assets included in prepayments and other receivables, and due from related parties.

Other financial assets are classified and subsequently measured, as follows:

All the Group's equity financial assets are equity instruments at FVOCI, with no recycling of gains or losses to profit or loss on derecognition. This category only includes equity instruments, which the Group intends to hold for the foreseeable future and which the Group has irrevocably elected to so classify upon initial recognition or transition. The Group classified its unquoted equity instruments as equity instruments at FVOCI. Equity instruments at FVOCI are not subject to an impairment assessment under IFRS 9. Under IAS 39, the Group's unquoted equity instruments were classified as available-for-sale financial assets.

The assessment of the Group's business models was made as of the date of initial application, 1 January 2018, and then applied retrospectively to those financial assets that were not derecognised before 1 January 2018. The assessment of whether contractual cash flows on debt instruments are solely comprised of principal and interest was made based on the facts and circumstances as at the initial recognition of the assets.

As of 1 January 2018, the category of loans and receivables under IAS 39, including cash and cash equivalents, restricted cash, trade and notes receivables, financial assets included in prepayments and other receivables, and due from related parties, were transferred to debt instruments at amortised cost under IFRS 9. Meanwhile, available-for-sale investments under IAS 39 were transferred to financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income under IFRS 9.

The opening balance of retained earnings and accumulated comprehensive income as at 1 January 2018 would not be restated as the new measurement requirement under IFRS 9 is not of significant financial impact.

The accounting for financial liabilities remains largely the same as it was under IAS 39.

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2.2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES *(Continued)*

IFRS 9 *Financial Instruments* *(Continued)*

Changes to the impairment calculation

The adoption of IFRS 9 has fundamentally changed the Group's accounting for impairment losses for financial assets by replacing IAS 39's incurred loss approach with a forward-looking expected credit loss (ECL) approach.

IFRS 9 requires the Group to record an allowance for ECLs for all the debt financial assets not held at FVPL.

ECLs are based on the difference between the contractual cash flows due in accordance with the contract and all the cash flows that the Group expects to receive. The shortfall is then discounted at an approximation to the asset's original effective interest rate.

For trade receivables, the Group has applied the standard's simplified approach and has calculated ECLs based on lifetime expected credit losses. The Group has established a provision matrix that is based on the Group's historical credit loss experience, adjusted for forward-looking factors specific to the debtors and the economic environment.

For other debt financial assets (i.e., financial assets included in prepayments and other receivables and due from related parties), the ECL is based on the 12-month ECL. The 12-month ECL is the portion of lifetime ECLs that results from default events on a financial instrument that are possible within 12 months after the reporting date. However, when there has been a significant increase in credit risk since origination, the allowance will be based on the lifetime ECL.

The Group considers a financial asset in default when contractual payment are 90 days past due. However, in certain cases, the Group may also consider a financial asset to be in default when internal or external information indicates that the Group is unlikely to receive the outstanding contractual amounts in full before taking into account any credit enhancements held by the Group.

The impact of adopting expected credit loss model under IFRS 9 was not significant and, therefore, the Group made no adjustment to retained profits and accumulated other comprehensive income as of 1 January 2018.

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3. OPERATING SEGMENT AND REVENUE FROM CONTRACTS WITH CUSTOMERS

For management purposes, the Group is organised into one single business unit that includes primarily the manufacture and sale of automotive internal and external decorative and structural parts, moulds and tooling, casing and liquid tanks of air conditioning or heater units and other non-automobile products. Management reviews the consolidated results when making decisions about allocating resources and assessing the performance of the Group. Accordingly, no segment analysis is presented.

(a) Revenue from external customers

With the adoption of IFRS 15 from 1 January 2018, the disaggregation of the Group's revenue from contracts with customers, for the six months ended 30 June 2018 and 2017 is as follows:

	For the six months ended 30 June	
	2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Type of goods or service		
Sales of plastic parts and automotive parts	871,670	786,075
Sales of moulds and tooling	104,005	44,620
Total	975,675	830,695

An analysis of the Group's geographical information on revenue:

Mainland China	861,047	767,067
Overseas	114,628	63,628
Total	975,675	830,695

All the revenues are recognized at a point in time upon goods transfer.

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3. OPERATING SEGMENT AND REVENUE FROM CONTRACTS WITH CUSTOMERS *(Continued)*

(b) Non-current assets

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Mainland China	1,125,579	1,069,327
Overseas	32,333	34,314
Total	1,157,912	1,103,641

The non-current asset information above is based on the locations of assets and excludes financial instruments and deferred tax assets.

(c) Information about major customers

Revenues from sales to customers that individually amounted to 7 percent or more of the Group's revenue for the six months ended 30 June 2018 are set out in the following table:

	For the six months ended 30 June	
	2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Customer A	266,339	224,406
Customer B	65,667	89,624

The above sales to major customers include sales to a group of entities which are known to be under common control with those customers.

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4. OTHER INCOME AND GAINS

An analysis of other income and gains is as follows:

	For the six months ended 30 June	
	2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Rental income	3,417	5,439
Foreign exchange gain, net	—	3,313
Reversal of impairment of trade receivables	1,500	—
Gain on disposal of an associate	547	3,185
Compensation income	—	1,666
Government grants	1,457	1,500
Sales of scrap materials	846	411
Gain on disposal of items of property, plant and equipment	519	34
Others	240	579
	8,526	16,127

5. FINANCE INCOME

	For the six months ended 30 June	
	2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Interest income on bank deposits	2,394	3,729

6. FINANCE COSTS

	For the six months ended 30 June	
	2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Interest expense on bank borrowings	18,864	21,787

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7. PROFIT BEFORE INCOME TAX EXPENSE

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

	For the six months ended 30 June	
	2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Cost of inventories recognised	716,752	596,206
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	38,019	34,927
Depreciation of investment properties	1,254	1,253
Amortisation of prepaid land lease payments	2,488	2,170
Amortisation of intangible assets	479	605
Research and development costs	32,675	28,830
Lease payments under operating leases in respect of properties	4,550	7,089
Auditor's remuneration	1,632	1,300
Employee benefit expense (excluding directors' and chief executive's remuneration):		
Wages, salaries and other benefits	103,910	88,562
Pension scheme contributions	9,630	9,256
	113,540	97,818
Gross rental income	(4,999)	(8,996)
Less: Direct expenses that generated rental income	1,582	3,557
Rental income, net	(3,417)	(5,439)
Foreign exchange difference, net	1,194	(3,313)
(Reversal of impairment)/impairment of trade receivables	(1,500)	1,251
Gain on disposal of investment in an associate	(547)	(3,185)
Write-down/ (reversal of write-down) of inventories to net realisable value	161	(7,579)
Gain on disposal of items of property, plant and equipment	(519)	(34)
Government grants	(1,457)	(1,500)
Interest income	(2,394)	(3,729)

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8. INCOME TAX EXPENSE

Major components of the Group's income tax expense for the period are as follows:

	For the six months ended 30 June	
	2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Current income tax		
— Charge for the period	19,913	19,219
Deferred income tax	(1,106)	570
Total tax charge for the period	18,807	19,789

9. DIVIDENDS PROPOSED

The board has resolved to declare an interim dividend of HK0.4367 cent (equivalent to approximately RMB0.3810 cent at exchange rate 1:0.8725) per share, amounting to a total of approximately RMB6,746,000 based on the 1,769,193,800 ordinary shares as at the date of this interim report for the six months ended 30 June 2018 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: HK0.3536 cent (approximately RMB0.2999 cent)).

10. EARNINGS PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT

The calculation of basic earnings per share for the period is based on the consolidated net profit attributable to owners of the parent and the weighted average number of ordinary shares of 1,769,193,800 in issue during the six months ended 30 June 2018 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: 1,768,990,000).

The calculations of basic and diluted earnings per share are based on:

	For the six months ended 30 June	
	2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Earnings		
Profit attributable to owners of the parent used in the basic and diluted earnings per share calculation	67,465	53,058

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10. EARNINGS PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT *(Continued)*

	For the six months ended 30 June	
	Number of shares	
	2018 (Unaudited)	2017 (Unaudited)
Shares		
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the period used in the basic earnings per share calculation	1,769,193,800	1,768,990,000

11. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT AND PREPAID LAND LEASE PAYMENTS

During the six months ended 30 June 2018, the Group acquired property, plant and equipment with a total cost of RMB 95,663,000 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: RMB 61,567,000).

Included in the property, plant and equipment as at 30 June 2018 were certain buildings with a net carrying value of RMB 151,689,000 (31 December 2017: RMB120,899,000), of which the property ownership certificates have not been obtained. The directors are of the view that the Group is entitled to lawfully and validly occupy and use the above mentioned buildings. The directors are also of the opinion that the aforesaid matter will not have any significant impact on the Group's financial position as at 30 June 2018.

Certain of the Group's buildings and machineries with a net carrying value of RMB 9,456,000 as at 30 June 2018 (31 December 2017: RMB10,225,000) were pledged to secure bank loans granted to the Group (Note 18).

During the six months ended 30 June 2018, the Group has acquired prepaid land lease payments of RMB 26,897,000 (the six months ended 30 June 2017: RMB1,746,000).

Included in the prepaid land lease payments as at 30 June 2018 were certain parcels of land with a net book value of nil (31 December 2017: RMB25,399,000) of which the land use right certificates have not been obtained. The directors are of the view that the Group is entitled to lawfully and validly occupy and use the above mentioned land. The directors are also of the opinion that the aforesaid matter will not have any significant impact on the Group's financial position as at 30 June 2018.

Certain of the Group's prepaid land lease payments with a carrying value of RMB 43,512,000 as at 30 June 2018 (31 December 2017: RMB44,021,000) were pledged to secure bank loans granted to the Group (Note 18).

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12. INVESTMENT PROPERTIES

The Group's investment properties are situated in Mainland China and on the land that are held under medium term leases.

Included in the investment properties as at 30 June 2018 were certain buildings with a net carrying value of RMB 10,120,000 (31 December 2017: RMB10,534,000) of which the property ownership certificates have not been obtained. The directors are of the view that the Group is entitled to lawfully and validly occupy and use the above mentioned buildings. The directors are also of the opinion that the aforesaid matter will not have any significant impact on the Group's financial position as at 30 June 2018.

The Group's investment properties with a net carrying value of RMB 2,258,000 as at 30 June 2018 (31 December 2017: RMB2,383,000) were pledged to secure bank loans granted to the Group (Note 18).

13. INVESTMENTS IN JOINT VENTURES

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Share of net assets	156,453	142,605

Particulars of the joint ventures are as follows:

Name	Place and date of registration	Percentage of			Principal activities
		Ownership interest	Voting power	Profit sharing	
Ningbo Roekona-Zoeppritex-Tex-Line Co., Ltd. ("Ningbo Hualete")	Mainland China 17 March 2004	50%	50%	50%	Manufacture and sale of auto parts, designing and manufacture of high-grade textiles
Changchun Huazhong Yanfeng Plastic Omnium Automotive Exteriors Co.,Ltd. ("Changchun Huazhong Yanfeng")	Mainland China 3 June 2011	50%	50%	50%	Manufacture and sale of auto parts, provision of after-sale services, and technical consultations

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13. INVESTMENTS IN JOINT VENTURES *(Continued)*

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

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Cash and cash equivalents	3,070	2,665
Other current assets	213,591	211,159
Current assets	216,661	213,824
Non-current assets	54,219	48,320
Financial liabilities, excluding trade and other payables	(59,900)	(59,900)
Other current liabilities	(38,244)	(34,721)
Net assets	172,736	167,523
Net assets, excluding goodwill	172,736	167,523
Reconciliation to the Group's interest in the joint venture:		
Proportion of the Group's ownership	50%	50%
Group's share of net assets of the joint venture, excluding goodwill	86,368	83,762
Carrying amount of the investment	86,368	83,762
	For the six months ended 30 June	
	2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Revenues	92,935	73,856
Interest income	5	5
Depreciation and amortisation	(210)	(224)
Interest expenses	(2,100)	(1,472)
Profit and total comprehensive income for the period	3,938	14,204
Group's share of comprehensive income for the period	1,969	7,102

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13. INVESTMENTS IN JOINT VENTURES *(Continued)*

The following table illustrates the summarised financial information of Changchun Huazhong Yanfeng (formerly known as “Changchun Huaxiang Faurecia”) adjusted for any differences in accounting policies, and reconciled to the carrying amount in the consolidated financial statements:

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Cash and cash equivalents	155,821	92,692
Other current assets	166,310	158,704
Current assets	322,131	251,396
Non-current assets	102,058	107,207
Other current liabilities	(284,019)	(240,917)
Net Assets	140,170	117,686
Net assets, excluding goodwill	140,170	117,686
Reconciliation to the Group's interest in the joint venture:		
Proportion of the Group's ownership	50%	50%
Group's share of net assets of the joint venture, excluding goodwill, including additional loss	70,085	58,843
Carrying amount of the investment	70,085	58,843
	For the six months ended 30 June	
	2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Revenues	301,724	268,760
Interest income	565	89
Depreciation and amortisation	(9,615)	(20,570)
Interest expenses	—	(47)
Profit / (loss) and total comprehensive profit / (loss) for the period	22,484	(4,018)
Group's share of comprehensive profit / (loss) for the period	11,242	(2,009)

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14. FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Available-for-sale investments:		
Equity investments, at cost	—	15,000
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income:		
Equity investments, at fair value	32,820	—

As of 1 January 2018, available-for-sale investments under IAS 39 were transferred to financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income under IFRS 9 (note 2.2).

The Group made a new equity investment in June 2018 amounting to RMB17,820,000, representing 2.84% shareholding of the investee.

15. INVENTORIES

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Raw materials	48,953	42,933
Work in progress	88,304	109,117
Finished goods	255,067	220,525
	392,324	372,575

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16. TRADE AND NOTES RECEIVABLES

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Trade receivables	504,846	519,970
Notes receivable	102,663	98,978
	607,509	618,948
Impairment of trade receivables	(4,591)	(6,091)
	602,918	612,857

The Group's trading terms with its customers are mainly on credit. The credit period is from one to three months. 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. The Group does not hold any collateral or other credit enhancements over its trade receivable balances. Trade receivables are non-interest-bearing.

The Group's notes receivable all age within six months and are neither past due nor impaired.

An aged analysis of the trade receivables of the Group, based on the invoice date and net of impairment loss, is as follows:

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Within 3 months	432,205	475,893
3 to 6 months	57,581	30,003
6 months to 1 year	5,284	4,267
Over 1 year	5,185	3,716
	500,255	513,879

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17. PREPAYMENTS AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

		30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
	Note		
Prepayments		156,123	90,340
Other receivables	(i)	41,907	38,154
Current portion of prepaid land lease payments		4,873	5,391
		202,903	133,885

- (i) Other receivables are advances made to unrelated parties, which are unsecured, interest-free and have no fixed terms of repayment.

18. INTEREST-BEARING BANK BORROWINGS

		30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
	Notes		
Current			
Bank loans-secured	(i)	155,075	126,817
Bank loans-unsecured		494,617	369,878
Current portion of long term bank loans-unsecured		68,750	107,626
	(ii)	718,442	604,321
Non-current			
Bank loans-unsecured		72,620	118,470

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18. INTEREST-BEARING BANK BORROWINGS *(Continued)*

- (i) As at 30 June 2018, the Group's bank facilities of RMB269,300,000 (31 December 2017: RMB255,000,000) were secured by pledges of the Group's assets with carrying values as follows:

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Property, plant and equipment (note 11)	9,456	10,225
Investment properties (note 12)	2,258	2,383
Prepaid land lease payments (note 11)	43,512	44,021
Pledged deposits	138,717	137,230
	193,943	193,859

- (ii) The bank loans bear interest at rates ranging from 2.85% to 6.72% per annum (31 December 2017: 2.72% to 6.72% per annum).

19. TRADE AND NOTES PAYABLES

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Trade payables	396,788	372,870
Notes payable	308,939	248,649
	705,727	621,519

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19. TRADE AND NOTES PAYABLES *(Continued)*

An aged analysis of the trade and notes payables of the Group as at 30 June 2018 and 31 December 2017, based on the invoice date, is as follows:

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Within 3 months	501,204	450,177
3 to 12 months	200,240	167,645
1 to 2 years	2,555	1,996
2 to 3 years	53	1,047
Over 3 years	1,675	654
	705,727	621,519

The trade payables due to third parties are non-interest-bearing and normally settled on terms of 30 to 90 days. Notes payable are generally with a maturity period of six months.

Notes payable were secured by certain of the Group's pledged deposits of RMB58,440,000 as at 30 June 2018 (31 December 2017: RMB52,634,000).

20. OTHER PAYABLES, ADVANCED FROM CUSTOMERS AND ACCRUALS

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Other payables	152,251	134,748
Accruals	6,862	5,088
Government grants — current portion	815	815
Dividends payables	4	7
Advances from customers	—	72,603
	159,932	213,261

Other payables are non-interest-bearing and repayable on demand.

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21. COMMITMENTS

The Group had the following capital commitments:

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Contracted, but not provided for in respect of acquisition of: Property, plant and equipment	176,711	183,330

22. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES

(a) Name and relationship

Name of related party	Relationship with the Group
Mr. Zhou	Ultimate controlling shareholder
Mr. Zhou Cimei	Father of Mr. Zhou
Ms. Lai Cairong	Mother of Mr. Zhou
Ms. Lai Danfen	Cousin of Mr. Zhou
Mr. Zhou Xiaofeng	Brother of Mr. Zhou
Huaxiang Group	Collectively controlled by Mr. Zhou Cimei and Ms. Lai Cairong
Huayou Holdings Company Ltd. ("Huayou Holdings")	Controlling shareholder of the Company
寧波華翔汽車飾件有限公司 ("Huaxiang Trim")	Controlled by Ningbo Huaxiang Electronics
寧波華英模具科技發展有限公司 ("Huaying Moulding")	Controlled by Ningbo Huayou Properties

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22. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES *(Continued)*

(a) Name and relationship *(Continued)*

Name of related party	Relationship with the Group
寧波華翔汽車銷售服務有限公司 ("Huaxiang Sales Co.")	Controlled by Huaxiang Group
南昌江鈴華翔汽車零部件有限公司 ("Nanchang Jiangling")	Joint venture of Ningbo Huaxiang Electronics
Ningbo Hualete	Joint venture of the Group
象山華翔國際酒店有限公司 ("Huaxiang Resort")	Collectively controlled by Mr. Zhou Cimei and Ms. Lai Cairong
Changchun Huayou Properties Co., Ltd. ("Changchun Huayou")	An associate of the Group prior to disposal on 31 March 2011 and controlled by Mr. Zhou
Guangzhou Chengli Industrial Co., Ltd. ("Guangzhou Chengli")	Controlled by Mr. Zhou
Changchun Huazhong Yanfeng (formerly known as "Changchun Huaxiang Faurecia")	Joint venture of the Group
寧波華翔進出口有限公司 ("Huaxiang Export")	Significantly influenced by Huaxiang Group
瀋陽華翔汽車零部件有限公司 ("Shenyang Huaxiang")	Controlled by Huaxiang Electronics
公主嶺華翔汽車頂棚系統有限公司 ("Gongzhuling Huaxiang")	Joint venture of Ningbo Huaxiang Electronics

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22. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES *(Continued)*

(b) Related party transactions

In addition to the transactions and balances disclosed elsewhere in this report, the Group had the following material transactions with related parties during the period:

	Notes	For the six months ended 30 June	
		2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Sales of raw materials and goods to related parties:	(i)		
Changchun Huazhong Yanfeng		56,869	7,549
Ningbo Hualuote		662	—
Ningbo Hualete		304	—
		57,835	7,549
Purchases of raw materials, goods and services from related parties:	(ii)		
Ningbo Hualete		34,822	36,982
Changchun Huazhong Yanfeng		13,359	4,204
Shenyang Huaxiang		3,481	4,682
Nanchang Jiangling		831	1,349
Gongzhuling Huaxiang		56	—
Huaxiang Resort		48	305
Huaxiang Trim		—	74
		52,597	47,596
Gross rental income from related parties:	(iii)		
Changchun Huazhong Yanfeng		4,369	8,467
Ningbo Hualete		504	529
		4,873	8,996
Gross rental income to related parties:	(iii)		
Huaying Moulding		532	532
Guangzhou Chengli		—	389
		532	921

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22. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES *(Continued)*

(b) Related party transactions *(Continued)*

Note (i): The sales of goods and raw materials to the related parties were made according to the prices and terms agreed between the related parties.

Note (ii): The purchases of raw materials, goods and services from the related parties were made according to the prices and terms offered by the related parties.

Note (iii): The gross rental income from and rental expenses charged by related parties were in accordance with the terms and conditions agreed between the related parties through lease agreements.

(c) Outstanding balances with related parties

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Amounts due from related parties		
Changchun Huazhong Yanfeng	93,491	68,716
Ningbo Hualuote	2,036	1,117
Ningbo Hualete	863	581
Huaxiang Export	259	506
Guangzhou Chengli	6	—
	96,655	70,920
Amount due to the ultimate controlling shareholder		
Mr. Zhou	1,110	2,150
Amounts due to related parties		
Ningbo Hualete	69,873	67,594
Shenyang Huaxiang	2,395	3,299
Huaying Moulding	622	100
Nanchang Jiangling	555	830
Huayou Holdings	158	158
Huaxiang Resort	114	179
Huaxiang Sales Co.	9	4
Changchun Huazhong Yanfeng	—	1,980
Guangzhou Chengli	—	387
	73,726	74,531

Other than above disclosed, all amounts due from/to the ultimate controlling shareholder and related parties are unsecured, interest-free and repayable on demand as at 30 June 2018.

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22. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES *(Continued)*

(d) Compensation of key management personnel of the Group

	For the six months ended 30 June	
	2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Wages, salaries and other benefits	1,697	3,016
Pension scheme contributions	28	28
Total compensation paid to key management personnel	1,725	3,044

23. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS BY CATEGORY

Set out below is an overview of financial instruments held by the Group as at 30 June 2018 and 31 December 2017:

Financial assets — debt instruments at amortised cost

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Cash and cash equivalents	138,300
Pledged deposits	197,157
Trade and notes receivables	602,918
Financial assets included in prepayments and other receivables	41,907
Due from related parties	96,655
	1,076,937

Financial assets — financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Unquoted equity investments	32,820

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23. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS BY CATEGORY *(Continued)*

Financial assets — loans and receivables

	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Cash and cash equivalents	96,799
Pledged deposits	189,864
Trade and notes receivables	612,857
Financial assets included in prepayments and other receivables	38,154
Due from related parties	70,920
	1,008,594

Financial assets — available-for-sale investments

	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Unaudited)
Unquoted equity investments	15,000

Financial liabilities — at amortised cost

	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Financial liabilities included in other payables, advances from customers and accruals	152,251	134,748
Trade and notes payables	705,727	621,519
Interest-bearing bank borrowings	791,062	722,791
Due to the ultimate controlling shareholder	1,110	2,150
Due to related parties	73,726	74,531
	1,723,876	1,555,739

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24. FAIR VALUE AND FAIR VALUE HIERARCHY OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Fair values

The carrying amounts and fair values of the Group's financial instruments, other than those with carrying amounts that reasonably approximate to fair values, are as follows:

	Carrying amounts		Fair values	
	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)	30 June 2018 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	31 December 2017 RMB'000 (Audited)
Interest-bearing bank borrowings, non-current portion	72,620	118,470	72,620	118,470

Management has assessed that the fair values of cash and cash equivalents, pledged deposits, trade and notes receivables, trade and notes payables, financial assets included in prepayments and other receivables, financial liabilities included in other payables, advances from customers and accruals, amounts due from/to related parties, an amount due to the ultimate controlling shareholder and the current portion of interest-bearing bank borrowings approximate to their carrying amounts largely due to the short term maturities of these instruments.

The Group's finance department headed by the finance manager is responsible for determining the policies and procedures for the fair value measurement of financial instruments. The finance department reports directly to the chief financial officer. At each reporting date, the finance department analyses the movements in the values of financial instruments and determines the major inputs applied in the valuation. The valuation is reviewed and approved by the chief financial officer.

The fair value of the non-current portion of interest-bearing bank borrowings has been calculated by discounting the expected future cash flows using rates currently available for instruments within similar terms, credit risk and remaining maturities. The non-current portion of non-current portion of interest-bearing bank borrowings of the Group approximate to their fair values due to their carrying amounts are present value and internal rates of return are close to rates currently available for instruments with similar terms, credit risk and remaining maturities.

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24. FAIR VALUE AND FAIR VALUE HIERARCHY OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

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Fair value hierarchy

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

Financial assets measured at fair value

30 June 2018

	Fair value measurement categorised into			Total RMB'000 (Unaudited)
	Level 1 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	Level 2 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	Level 3 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	—	32,820	—	32,820

There are no financial assets measured at fair value as at 31 December 2017.

During the period, there were no transfers of fair value measurements between Level 1 and Level 2 and no transfers into or out of Level 3

25. APPROVAL OF THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 29 August 2018.