6	Finance costs	財務費用		
			2000 二零零零年 HK\$'000 港幣千元	1999 一九九九年 HK\$'000 港幣千元
	Interest on bank borrowings wholly repayable within five years	須於五年內全部償還的銀行貸款 之利息	3,132	15,698
	Finance lease charges	財務租約費用	-	4
			3,132	15,702
7	Taxation	税項		
			2000 二零零零年 HK\$'000 港幣千元	1999 一九九九年 HK\$'000 港幣千元
	The charge comprises:	税項包括:		
	Hong Kong:	香港:		
	Profits Tax calculated at 16% of the estimated as sessable profit for the year	按本年度估計應課稅溢利以稅率 16%計算之利得稅	80,324	14,296
	Overprovision in prior years	往年備撥過多	(118)	(171)
	Profits Tax refunded	退回利得税	-	(1,931)
			80,206	12,194
	Taxation in other jurisdictions	其他司法權區稅項	7,931	2,603
			88,137	14,797
	Deferred taxation charge (note 20)	遞延税項支出(附註20)	6,895	4,198
			95,032	18,995

Taxation in other jurisdictions is calculated at the rates prevailing in the respective jurisdictions, including other parts of the People's Republic of China (the "PRC") excluding Hong Kong and overseas.

The Group's profit arising from the manufacture of semiconductor equipment and materials in Singapore is non-taxable under a tax incentive scheme granted by the Singapore tax authority. The tax exemption applies to profits arising for a period of 10 years from 1 January 1992. The Group is in the process of applying to the Singapore authorities for an extension of the tax incentive.

其他司法權區之税項乃根據有關司法權區包括中華人民共和國 (「中國」)除香港外之其他地區及 海外之現行税率計算。

根據新加坡稅務當局授與之稅務 獎勵計劃,本集團在新加坡生產 半導體設備及物料所產生之溢利 毋須課稅。該項稅務豁免適用於 由一九九二年一月一日起計十年 期間所產生之溢利。本集團現正 向新加坡當局申請延長該項稅務 豁免。

7 Taxation (continued)

Deferred taxation is provided on timing differences that, in the opinion of the Directors, are expected to crystallise in the foreseeable future, after taking into consideration the medium term financial plans and projections. Details of deferred taxation are set out in note 20.

The amount of provided and unprovided deferred taxation charge (credit) for the year is as follows:

税項(續)

遞延税項就董事會於考慮中期財務 計劃及預測後,認為在可預見將來 會出現之時間差距而進行備撥。 遞延税項詳情載於附註20。

本年度已備撥及未備撥之遞延税項 支出(抵免)款額如下:

		Provided 已備撥		Unprovided 未備撥	
	2000	1999	2000	1999	
	二零零零年	一九九九年	二零零零年	一九九九年	
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
	港幣千元	港幣千元	港幣千元	港幣千元	
時間差距之稅務影響來自:					
税項折舊與計入財務報表之					
折舊費用差距之數額	19,820	4,198	(31,610)	(10,662)	
税項虧損	(7,671)	-	13,694	1,232	
其他時間差距	(5,254)	-	280	(258)	
	6,895	4,198	(17,636)	(9,688)	
	税項折舊與計入財務報表之 折舊費用差距之數額 税項虧損	2000 二零零零年 HK\$'000 港幣千元 時間差距之税務影響來自: 税項折舊與計入財務報表之 折舊費用差距之數額 税項虧損 其他時間差距 (7,671) 其他時間差距 (5,254)	日備接 2000 1999	日備機 79 2000 1999 2000 2零零年 一九九九年 二零零零年 一九九九年 二零零零年 HK\$'000 HK\$'000 HK\$'000 港幣千元 港幣千元 港幣千元 港幣千元 港幣千元 港幣千元 港幣千元 港幣千元 現場 (31,610) 税項虧損 (7,671) 13,694 14時間差距 (5,254) 280 19,820 19,820 13,694 19,820	

8 Net profit for the year

The net profit for the year dealt with in the financial statements of the Company amounted to HK\$491,333,000 (1999: HK\$234,714,000).

本年度淨溢利

已計入本公司財務報表之本年度 淨溢利為港幣491,333,000元 (一九九九年:港幣234,714,000元)。

9 Dividends

股息

		2000 二零零零年 HKS'000 港幣千元	1999 一九九九年 HK\$'000 港幣千元
Interim dividend paid of 30.0 cents (1999: 7.0 cents) per share on 378,000,000 (1999: 375,161,000) shares	中期股息每股30.0仙(一九九九年: 7.0仙)派發予378,000,000股(一九九九年: 375,161,000股)	113,400	26,261
Proposed final dividend of 85.0 cents (1999: 28.0 cents) per share on 379,785,000 (1999: 376,957,000) shares	建議末期股息每股85.0仙(一九九九年: 28.0仙)派發予379,785,000股 (一九九九年: 376,957,000股)	322,817	105,548
Underprovision of final dividend for prior year	往年末期股息備撥不足	292	_
		436,509	131,809