

A summary of the published results and of the assets and liabilities of the Group for the five financial years ended 31st December, 2000, as extracted from the audited consolidated financial statements and reclassified as appropriate, is set out below.

	2000 <i>HK\$'000</i>	1999 <i>HK\$'000</i>	1998 <i>HK\$'000</i>	1997 <i>HK\$'000</i>	1996 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Net profit/(loss) attributable to shareholders	(636,323)	(299,058)	(1,286,772)	115,066	545,382
Total assets (<i>Note</i>)	10,386,758	10,911,286	11,093,820	14,655,249	9,672,974
Total liabilities	(1,586,796)	(2,014,564)	(2,844,261)	(3,076,077)	(1,573,013)
Net assets	8,799,962	8,896,722	8,249,559	11,579,172	8,099,961
Minority interests	(3,979,299)	(3,928,756)	(3,858,807)	(4,393,870)	(467,816)
Capital and reserves	4,820,663	4,967,966	4,390,752	7,185,302	7,632,145

Note: Total assets include assets less liabilities attributable to banking operations.