THE CHINA FUND

PERFORMANCE RECORD (unaudited)

1. Comparison of the performance of The China Fund and Benchmark Index.

	Performance of	Performance of
Period	The China Fund	Benchmark Index*
3rd Qtr ended 31st December 2001	8.44%	12.20%
4th Qtr ended 31st March 2002	9.51%	4.98%
1st Qtr ended 30th June 2002	6.98%	1.62%
2nd Qtr ended 30th September 2002	-14.31%	-14.66%
Since inception:		
(15th April 1992 - 30th September 2002)	81.43%	-50.83%

Benchmark Index:

From 16th June 1999 to date From 1st August 1993 to 15th June 1999 CLSA China World Index A composite Index comprised of the Hang Seng China Affiliated Corporations Index, the

Seng China Affiliated Corporations Index, the Hang Seng China Enterprises Index and the CLSA China "B" Index weighted by market

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From inception to 31st July 1993

Credit Lyonnais China 'B' Share Index

2. Comparative table of Net Asset Value and Net Asset Value per share

		Net Asset Value
Half-year ended	Net Asset Value	per share
	US\$	US\$
30th September 2000	24,146,192	19.84
30th September 2001	19,471,770	16.59
30th September 2002	21,880,779	17.79

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3. Highest issue price and lowest redemption price in US\$ terms since the Company was converted into an open-ended structure.

		Lowest
Half-year ended	Highest issue price	redemption price
30th September 1995	8.55	7.21
30th September 1996	9.51	7.84
30th September 1997	35.53	15.15
30th September 1998	19.89	10.00
30th September 1999	17.53	13.46
30th September 2000	21.98	17.00
30th September 2001	18.76	14.95
30th September 2002	20.10	18.34