

## Financial highlights

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	For the year ended 31 December			
	2002	2003	2004	2005
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
Continuing operations:				
Turnover	840,348	975,128	1,136,923	<b>1,300,586</b>
Gross profit	387,489	430,569	508,665	<b>555,673</b>
Operating profit	278,746	251,295	387,676	<b>436,369</b>
Profit before income tax	258,073	218,098	365,237	<b>415,202</b>
Profit from continuing operations	196,233	167,712	293,511	<b>343,793</b>
Profit attributable to equity holders	157,205	144,100	232,712	<b>243,554</b>
Basic earnings per share for profit from continuing operations (RMB cents)	8.86	8.23	12.89	<b>13.33</b>

	As at 31 December			
	2002	2003	2004	2005
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
Total assets	3,881,915	4,947,384	4,500,540	<b>5,655,773</b>
Shareholders' equity	1,797,488	2,820,112	1,577,087	<b>2,855,795</b>
Total liabilities	1,841,697	1,873,166	2,268,825	<b>2,075,702</b>
Cash and cash equivalents	700,533	709,159	482,847	<b>1,099,589</b>

	For the year ended 31 December			
	2002	2003	2004	2005
Current ratio (times)	1.22	1.39	1.31	<b>1.77</b>
Net debt to equity (%)	11.47	7.65	35.06	<b>(4.6)</b>
Inventory turnover days	59	63	40	<b>37</b>
Account receivable turnover days	97	102	110	<b>99</b>

## Turnover from Continuing Operations

For the year ended 31 December

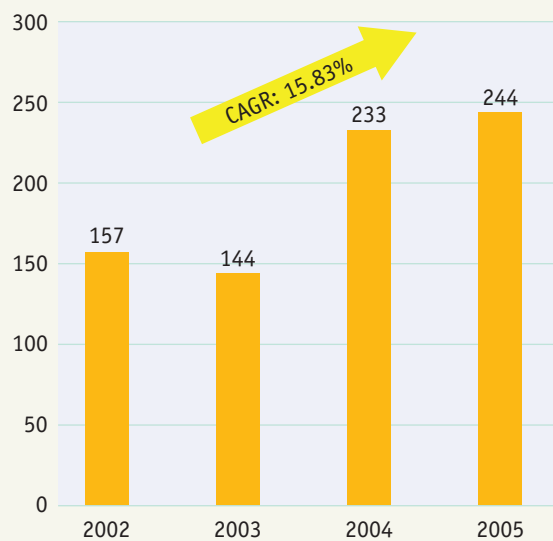
RMB million



## Profit Attributable to Equity Holders

For the year ended 31 December

RMB million



## Total Assets

As at 31 December

RMB million



## Shareholders' Equity

As at 31 December

RMB million

