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Corporate Information

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Executive Directors:

Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou, *SBS, JP (Chairman and Managing Director)*
 Mrs. Nancy Ting Wang Wan-sun
 Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li

Non-executive Director:

Mr. Bernie Ting Wai-cheung

Independent Non-executive Directors:

Mr. Floyd Chan Tsoi-yin
 Mr. Andrew Yao Cho-fai, *JP*
 Mr. Desmond Chum Kwan-yue
 Ms. Sabrina Chao Sih-ming

COMPANY SECRETARY

Mr. Lao Wai-keung

AUDIT COMMITTEE

Mr. Desmond Chum Kwan-yue (*Chairman*)
 Mr. Floyd Chan Tsoi-yin
 Mr. Andrew Yao Cho-fai, *JP*

REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

Mr. Andrew Yao Cho-fai, *JP (Chairman)*
 Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou, *SBS, JP*
 Mr. Floyd Chan Tsoi-yin

NOMINATION COMMITTEE

Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou, *SBS, JP (Chairman)*
 Mr. Floyd Chan Tsoi-yin
 Mr. Desmond Chum Kwan-yue

AUTHORISED REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou, *SBS, JP*
 Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

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Chairman's Statement

On behalf of the Board of Directors (the "Board") of Kader Holdings Company Limited (the "Company"), I am pleased to present to our shareholders the annual report of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively the "Group") for the year ended 31 December 2019.

The Group's revenue for the financial year ended 31 December 2019 amounted to approximately HK\$444.15 million, representing a decrease of approximately 33.08% over that reported last year and the loss from operations for 2019 amounted to approximately HK\$23.85 million as compared to last year's profit from operations of approximately HK\$55.11 million. The Group's loss attributable to shareholders for the financial year ended 31 December 2019 was approximately HK\$14.36 million, which included surplus on revaluation of investment properties amounting to approximately HK\$51.53 million, as compared to last year's profit attributable to shareholders of approximately HK\$181.75 million which included surplus on revaluation of investment properties of approximately HK\$142.89 million.

The Directors do not recommend the payment of a final dividend for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018: HK1.0 cent per ordinary share).

The United States-China trade war, Brexit and political unrest in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (the "HKSAR") have negative impact on the performance of the Group for 2019. Faced with the challenging economy, the Group will diversify its businesses in addition to the enhancement of its existing businesses. In relation to cost control, the Group will continue to streamline the operational procedures to enhance the efficiency and implement various measures to minimize the costs. With the above measures and the experienced and dedicated management team, the Group is optimistic to deliver attractive returns to the shareholders in the future.

The Group has obtained the approval from the Government of the HKSAR for revitalization of Kader Building where our head office currently situates. The Group is taking the necessary measures to fulfil the requirements for revitalization and the whole processes are expected to be completed within 3 years. The revitalization will increase the value of Kader Building and the rental income in the future.

On behalf of the Board, I would like to take this opportunity to express my appreciation to the Board members, our experienced management team and our dedicated team of employees who devoted themselves to the Group during the past year. Their contributions are unfailing and most instrumental to the continued viability of the Group. In addition, I take this opportunity to extend our gratitude to our customers, suppliers, business partners and shareholders for their unwavering support and confidence in the Group.

Kenneth Ting Woo-shou

Chairman

Hong Kong, 27 March 2020

Management Discussion and Analysis

RESULTS

The Board announces that the Group's revenue for the financial year ended 31 December 2019 amounted to approximately HK\$444.15 million, representing a decrease of approximately 33.08% over that reported last year and the loss from operations for 2019 amounted to approximately HK\$23.85 million as compared to last year's profit from operations of approximately HK\$55.11 million. The Group's loss attributable to equity shareholders for the financial year ended 31 December 2019 was approximately HK\$14.36 million, which included surplus on revaluation of investment properties amounting to approximately HK\$51.53 million, as compared to last year's profit attributable to equity shareholders of approximately HK\$181.75 million which included surplus on revaluation of investment properties of approximately HK\$142.89 million.

BUSINESS REVIEW

The keen competition, United States-China trade war and Brexit have negative impact on the results of the Group for 2019. The outbreak of the new coronavirus disease has notable effects on the economic activities. The Group believes that it will take some time to recover to normal and will adversely affect the Group's result for 2020. To cope with the unfavourable conditions, the Group will diversify its businesses, implement various measures to increase efficiency and strengthen the cost control measures.

Toys and Model Trains

For the financial year ended 31 December 2019, the revenue was approximately HK\$403.81 million, representing a decrease of approximately 34.05% as compared to last year.

The Group will continue to explore new sales opportunities and manufacture high quality products with competitive prices to sustain its business.

Property Investment

For the financial year ended 31 December 2019, the Group's rental income amounted to approximately HK\$40.34 million, representing a decrease of approximately 21.53% over the previous year. In addition, the Group recorded valuation gains of approximately HK\$51.53 million on its investment properties for the year, as compared to last year's valuation gains of approximately HK\$142.89 million.

During the year under review, the occupancy rate of its investment properties is approximately 73% (2018: approximately 82%).

Management Discussion and Analysis *(Continued)*

RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Group's financial position and results of operations may be affected by a number of risks and uncertainties pertaining to the Group's businesses. The following are the key risks and uncertainties identified by the Group:

Business Risk

Performance of the Group's core business will be affected by various factors, including but not limited to economic conditions which would not be completely mitigated even with strict operational procedures.

Interest Rate Risk

The Group's interest rate risk arises primarily from bank borrowings. The Group analyses its interest rate exposure on a dynamic basis and manages this risk in a cost-effective manner.

Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the potential that the Group will be unable to meet its obligations when they fall due because of an inability to obtain adequate funding. In managing the liquidity risk, the Group monitors the cash flows and will negotiate with banks to increase the banking facilities, if necessary.

Customer risk

The sales to one of the Group's customers represented approximately 32% of the Group's sales in 2019. The Group has endeavoured to diversify its customer base and provided quality products and services to the customers to maintain good relationship with them so as to mitigate the customer risk.

Foreign Exchange Rate Risk

Major assets, liabilities and transactions of the Group are denominated in Hong Kong dollars, United States dollars, Sterling Pounds ("GBP"), Renminbi Yuan ("RMB"), Japanese Yen ("JPY") and Euro ("EUR"). As such, the Group faces a certain degree of exchange rate risk mainly arising from GBP, RMB, JPY and EUR denominated transactions for which the exchange rate volatility is relatively high.

Management Discussion and Analysis *(Continued)*

ENVIRONMENTAL POLICIES AND PERFORMANCE

The Group has established the Environmental, Health and Safety Management System and Group Environmental Policy effectively address and manage environmental issues during the operation. Our Environmental, Health and Safety Committee monitors the Group's overall performance in relation to environmental protection at all of our production facilities by regular inspections. We strive to minimise our impacts on the environment by building a green corporate culture, exercising clean production, improving corporate environment, and utilizing resources sustainably and efficiently. Practical initiatives include waste separation, in-house air emission treatment facility, in-house wastewater treatment facility, energy efficiency enhancement and green office practices.

Looking ahead, we will continually raise our environmental performance by reviewing the effectiveness of existing policies and the key performance indicators. For more details, please refer to the "Environmental, Social and Governance Report" section in this annual report.

COMPLIANCE WITH RELEVANT LAWS AND REGULATIONS

During the period from 1 January 2019 to 31 December 2019, the Group was not aware of any material non-compliance with the applicable environmental laws and regulations that have a significant impact on the Group.

KEY RELATIONSHIPS WITH ITS EMPLOYEES, CUSTOMERS AND SUPPLIERS

The Group has been maintaining long-term trusting relationships with its employees, customers and suppliers:

Employees:

The Group recognises employees as the most important asset to drive our business performance. To build and maintain a committed and innovative workforce, we put emphasis on safeguarding their health and safety, offering competitive remuneration, providing development opportunities and maintaining a pleasant workplace. All employees are treated in a fair and equal manner, with no discrimination on any forms of differences that are unrelated to job requirements. We also promote work-life balance through arranging various recreational activities to let our people relax from work and to build a sense of belonging.

Customers:

The Group is devoted in providing top quality products and delivering excellent customer experience. Guided by the Group Quality Policy, we strive to achieve the highest customer satisfaction through continuous improvement, as well as to produce quality products and deliver them on time to our customers. Quality inspections are conducted throughout the entire production cycle, from raw material to final product. Regarding privacy matters, the Group attaches great importance to the protection of confidential data of our customers such that only authorized personnel are permitted to access those data. We also welcome our customers to provide feedbacks on our products or services through the customer service channels.

Management Discussion and Analysis *(Continued)*

Suppliers:

We understand that it is essential for our supply chain to align with our corporate social responsibility commitments and thus we select our suppliers carefully. All potential suppliers are required to provide relevant compliance certificates in order to be qualified on the approved vendor list. In addition to quality considerations, we also consider other factors such as their performances on anti-corruption, occupational health and safety, product safety, labor standards and environmental protection.

For more details, please refer to the “Environmental, Social and Governance Report” section in this annual report.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Liquidity and Financial Resources

As at 31 December 2019, the Group’s net asset value per share was approximately HK\$2.44 (2018: approximately HK\$2.41). The Group had net current assets of approximately HK\$46.17 million (2018: approximately HK\$107.68 million). Total bank borrowings were approximately HK\$323.73 million (2018: approximately HK\$267.94 million) while the secured total banking facilities were approximately HK\$741.65 million (2018: approximately HK\$801.05 million). Included in total bank borrowings were revolving loans of approximately HK\$310.06 million (2018: approximately HK\$195.00 million) which are intended to be rolled over upon maturity. The Group’s financial gearing, based on the total bank borrowings compared to the total equity, was approximately 13.98% (2018: approximately 11.67%). The majority of borrowings are on floating interest rate terms. The Group will negotiate with banks to increase the banking facilities for working capital needs, if necessary.

Capital Structure

During the year, there were no changes in the Company’s share capital.

Charges on Group Assets

As at 31 December 2019, investment properties and certain leasehold land and buildings of the Group with a net book value of approximately HK\$1,909.35 million (2018: approximately HK\$1,856.48 million) were mortgaged to various banks to secure the banking facilities granted to the Group.

Management Discussion and Analysis *(Continued)*

Material Acquisitions and Disposals

There were no material acquisitions and disposals during the year ended 31 December 2019.

Contingent Liabilities

As at 31 December 2019, the Group did not have any significant contingent liabilities.

EMPLOYEES AND REMUNERATION POLICIES

As at 31 December 2019, the Group employed 1,303 (2018: 1,678) full time management, administrative and production staff in the HKSAR, Mainland China, the United States and Europe. The Group has seasonal fluctuations in the number of workers employed in its production plants while the number of management and administrative staff remains stable. The staff costs for the year ended 31 December 2019 amounted to approximately HK\$187.90 million (2018: approximately HK\$220.36 million). The Group remunerates its employees based on their performance, experience and prevailing industry practices. In the area of staff training, the Group encourages staff to participate in courses on technical skills improvement and personal development.

PROSPECTS

The economic environment in 2020 will continue to be challenged by major domestic and international events including trade frictions between China and the United States, and the new coronavirus epidemic which in turn adversely affects the general business environment. The Group will diversify its businesses, explore sales opportunities, raise production efficiency and strengthen the cost control measures in order to sustain its businesses. In addition, the Group has obtained the approval from the Government of the HKSAR for revitalization of Kader Building. The whole processes are expected to be completed within 3 years. The revitalization of Kader Building will enhance the Group's source of revenue and profitability.

By order of the Board
Kenneth Ting Woo-shou
Managing Director

Hong Kong, 27 March 2020

Corporate Governance Report

The Board of Directors is pleased to present this Corporate Governance Report for the year ended 31 December 2019.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES

The Company is committed to maintaining a high standard of corporate governance to enhance corporate performance and accountability. The Board regularly reviews and adopts corporate governance guidelines and developments. The Board believes that good corporate governance will in the long term serve to enhance shareholders' value.

The Board sets its corporate governance procedure and duties pursuant to the Corporate Governance Code ("CG Code") as set out in Appendix 14 to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities (the "Listing Rules") on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Stock Exchange"), and it accordingly reviews and monitors the training and continuous development in profession of directors and senior management and its policies and practices in compliance with relevant laws and regulatory requirements. The Company has adopted and applied a corporate governance policy. During the reporting year, the Group has complied with all code provisions set out in the CG Code, except for the deviation from CG Code A.2.1 as described below:

Under CG Code A.2.1, the roles of chairman and chief executive should be separate and should not be performed by the same individual. Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou has the combined role of Chairman and Managing Director. The Board considers that this structure will not impair the balance of power and authority between the Board and the management of the Group as non-executive director and independent non-executive directors ("INEDs") form the majority of the Board, with five out of eight of the directors of the Company being non-executive director and INEDs. The Board believes the appointment of Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou to the posts of Chairman and Managing Director is beneficial to the Group as he has considerable industry experience.

DIRECTORS' SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS

The Company has adopted the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers (the "Model Code") set out in Appendix 10 to the Listing Rules as its model code for securities transactions by the Company's directors and relevant employees who are or may be in possession of unpublished inside information. Based on specific enquiries made, all directors have confirmed that they have complied with the Model Code throughout the year.

Corporate Governance Report *(Continued)*

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board currently comprises three Executive Directors (one of whom is the Chairman and Managing Director of the Company), namely Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou, Mrs. Nancy Ting Wang Wan-sun and Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li; one Non-executive Director, namely Mr. Bernie Ting Wai-cheung; and four INEDs, namely Mr. Floyd Chan Tsoi-yin, Mr. Andrew Yao Cho-fai, Mr. Desmond Chum Kwan-yue and Ms. Sabrina Chao Sih-ming. The biographical details of all directors of the Company, including the relationship amongst them, are set out on pages 25 to 28 of this annual report.

Chairman and Managing Director

Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou currently holds the offices of Chairman and Managing Director of the Company. The Board believes that vesting the roles of both Chairman and Managing Director in the same person provides the Company with strong and consistent leadership and allows for effective and efficient planning and implementation of business decisions and strategies.

Non-executive Director and Independent Non-executive Directors

Non-executive Director and INEDs are selected with the necessary skills and experience to provide a strong independent element on the Board and to exercise independent judgement. Ms. Sabrina Chao Sih-ming has been appointed as an INED since 1 July 2019 and her term of service is from 1 July 2019 to 30 April 2021 renewable for two years upon expiry. All other Non-executive Director and INEDs are engaged on a term of service of two years renewable for another two years upon expiry. The Board believes the Non-executive Director and INEDs are well qualified and competent in advising the Group on business strategies, finance and management issues. The INEDs are explicitly identified in all corporate communications, and one of them has significant accounting and financial expertise as provided under Rule 3.10 of the Listing Rules. The Board has received from each INED a written annual confirmation of independence. All the INEDs meet the independence criteria set out in Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules.

Appointment and Re-election of Directors

All directors are subject to re-election by shareholders at the annual general meeting following their appointment and at least every three years on a rotational basis. Where vacancies exist on the Board, candidates are proposed and put forward to the Board for consideration and approval. In accordance with the Company's Bye-laws, all newly appointed directors shall hold office until the next following annual general meeting of the Company after their appointment and shall then be eligible for re-election.

Corporate Governance Report *(Continued)*

Continuous Professional Development of Directors

Upon their appointment, the new directors receive a package of orientation materials and attend extensive presentations given by senior executives to review the Group's businesses and to understand the statutory and regulatory obligations of a director of a listed company. Development and training of directors is an ongoing process so that they can perform their duties appropriately. The Group continuously updates directors on the latest changes in the commercial environment and the current development of the Listing Rules and other applicable regulatory requirements, to ensure compliance and to enhance their awareness of good corporate governance practices. All directors are encouraged to attend relevant training courses at the Company's expense.

The directors have provided to the Company their training records in the year. All of them have participated in appropriate continuous professional development by attending trainings or reading materials relevant to the Company's business or the directors' duties and responsibilities. All directors, namely Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou, Mrs. Nancy Ting Wang Wan-sun, Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li, Mr. Bernie Ting Wai-cheung, Mr. Floyd Chan Tsoi-yin, Mr. Andrew Yao Cho-fai, Mr. Desmond Chum Kwan-yue, Ms. Sabrina Chao Sih-ming (appointed on 1 July 2019), Dr. Moses Cheng Mo-chi (retired on 1 May 2019) and Mr. Ronald Montalto (retired on 1 May 2019) complied with Code Provision A.6.5 of the CG code during the reporting year.

During the year, the Company has renewed the directors' and officers' liability insurance which provides appropriate cover for the directors and senior management.

Role of the Board

The Board is responsible for setting the strategic direction and policies of the Group and supervising management. The functions normally reserved for the Board are the monitoring and approving material transactions; steering the Group on strategic direction; setting up a Board committee for issues the Board deems appropriate; reviewing and approving the interim and final results; overseeing the effectiveness of the risk management and internal control system; evaluating major corporate, strategic and operational issues that have a significant impact on the Group; and evaluating major investment opportunities which management has not already identified and/or, if the investment is so material, requires the Board to make a decision.

Board Meetings

The Board meets regularly and at least four times a year. Additional board meetings will be held when required. The board papers and related materials are dispatched to the directors within a reasonable time before the board meetings. In addition, directors have full access to information of the Group and can obtain independent professional advice whenever deemed necessary. The Company Secretary is responsible for communications with Board members.

Corporate Governance Report *(Continued)*

Attendance Records of Directors

The attendance records of individual members of the Board and other Board Committees during the financial year are set out as below:

Name of Directors	Number of meetings attended/held				
	Board Meeting	Audit Committee Meeting	Remuneration Committee Meeting	Nomination Committee Meeting	Annual General Meeting
Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou	4/4	–	1/1	1/1	1/1
Mrs. Nancy Ting Wang Wan-sun	4/4	–	–	–	0/1
Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li	4/4	–	–	–	1/1
Mr. Bernie Ting Wai-cheung	3/4	–	–	–	1/1
Mr. Floyd Chan Tsoi-yin	4/4	2/2	1/1	1/1	0/1
Mr. Andrew Yao Cho-fai	4/4	2/2	1/1	–	0/1
Mr. Desmond Chum Kwan-yue	4/4	2/2	–	1/1	1/1
Ms. Sabrina Chao Sih-ming <i>(Note 1)</i>	2/2	–	–	–	0/0
Dr. Moses Cheng Mo-chi <i>(Note 2)</i>	1/1	0/1	–	–	0/0
Mr. Ronald Montalto <i>(Note 2)</i>	1/1	–	–	–	0/0

Notes:

- Ms. Sabrina Chao Sih-ming was appointed as an INED of the Company on 1 July 2019.
- Dr. Moses Cheng Mo-chi (“Dr. Cheng”) and Mr. Ronald Montalto, a Non-executive Director and an INED of the Company respectively, retired from the positions of the Company on 1 May 2019. Dr. Cheng also ceased to be a member of the Audit Committee of the Company on 1 May 2019.

During the year, the Chairman held a meeting with the INEDs without the presence of other Directors.

Corporate Governance Report *(Continued)*

BOARD COMMITTEES

Pursuant to the CG Code, the Board established three committees, namely, Remuneration Committee, Audit Committee and Nomination Committee to oversee particular aspects of the Group's affairs.

The Company also established the Executive Committee in July 2006 with delegated authority to deal with the various miscellaneous banking matters of the Company. This committee comprises all the Executive Directors of the Company.

The Board is responsible for performing the corporate governance functions which included:–

- (a) developing and reviewing the Company's policies and practices on corporate governance;
- (b) reviewing and monitoring the Company's policies and practices on compliance with legal and regulatory requirements;
- (c) reviewing and monitoring the training and continuous professional development of the directors and senior management;
- (d) developing, reviewing and monitoring the code of conduct applicable to employees and directors of the Company; and
- (e) reviewing the Company's compliance with the CG code and disclosure in the Corporate Governance Report.

Remuneration Committee

The Remuneration Committee was established in 2005 with written Terms of Reference posted on the Company's website. The Remuneration Committee comprises two INEDs and one Executive Director. Currently, the Remuneration Committee is chaired by Mr. Andrew Yao Cho-fai. Other members of the Committee are Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou and Mr. Floyd Chan Tsoi-yin.

During the year, Remuneration Committee held one meeting to perform their functions as specified in the Terms of Reference. The role and function of the Committee is to make recommendations to the Board on the policy and structure for the remuneration of all directors and senior management and on the establishment of a formal and transparent procedure for developing remuneration policy. The Committee determines the remuneration packages of individual executive directors and senior management and makes recommendations to the Board on the remuneration of non-executive directors, based on the profitability of the Group, the relevant market data, the performance and contribution of the individual directors. The primary objective is to retain and motivate the directors by linking their remuneration with performance and measuring it against corporate goals. However, no director can approve his or her own remuneration.

The emoluments of each of the directors of the Company for 2019 are set out in note 7 to the financial statements.

Corporate Governance Report *(Continued)*

Audit Committee

The Audit Committee was established in 1999 with written Terms of Reference posted on the Company's website. The Audit Committee comprises three INEDs. All committee members have appropriate industry and/or financial experience to perform their role in the business of the Audit Committee. Currently, the Committee is chaired by Mr. Desmond Chum Kwan-yue and the other members of the Committee are Mr. Floyd Chan Tsoi-yin and Mr. Andrew Yao Cho-fai.

The Audit Committee held two meetings during the year to perform their functions as specified in the Terms of Reference. During the year under review, the Audit Committee has met with management to review the interim and annual financial statements and to consider key accounting policies, and discussed with management the Group's risk management and internal controls and auditing and financial reporting matters.

Under its Terms of Reference, the duties of the Audit Committee, amongst other things, shall be to oversee the relationship with the external auditors, to be primarily responsible for making recommendations to the Board on the appointment, re-appointment and removal of the external auditors, to approve the remuneration and terms of engagement of the external auditors, to consider any questions of resignation or dismissal of that auditor, and to review with senior management and external auditors the accounting principles and practices adopted, the Listing Rules and statutory compliance, internal control, related party transactions, risk management and financial reporting matters, including interim and annual financial statements and to provide recommendations to the Board.

The Audit Committee members have monitored the integrity of the Group's financial statements, annual and interim reports and accounts. They have also reviewed the significant financial reporting judgements contained in them. The review of the financial statements in the annual and interim reports, before submission to the Board, focused on:

1. Any changes in accounting policies and practices;
2. Major judgemental areas;
3. Significant adjustments resulting from audit;
4. The going concern assumptions and any qualifications;
5. Compliance with accounting standards;
6. Compliance with the Listing Rules and other legal requirements in relation to financial reporting; and
7. Any significant or unusual items that are, or may need to be, reflected in such reports and accounts and give due consideration to any matters that have been raised by senior management.

Corporate Governance Report *(Continued)*

The Audit Committee also discussed issues and reservations arising from the audit work performed, and any matters the auditors might wish to discuss (in the absence of management where necessary).

The Audit Committee has performed an annual review of the control systems which included:

1. Reviewing the financial controls, risk management and internal control systems;
2. Discussing with management the system of risk management and internal control to ensure that management has performed its duty to have an effective risk management and internal control system including the adequacy of resources, qualifications and experience of staff, training programmes and budget of the Company's accounting and financial reporting function;
3. Considering any findings of major investigations on risk management and internal control matters as delegated by the Board or on its own initiative and management's response;
4. Ensuring co-ordination between the internal and external auditors, and ensuring that the internal audit function is adequately resourced and has appropriate standing within the Group, and reviewing and monitoring the effectiveness of the internal audit function;
5. Reviewing arrangements employees of the Company can use, in confidence, to raise concerns about possible improprieties in financial reporting, internal control or other matters and ensuring that proper arrangements are in place for fair and independent investigation of these matters and for appropriate follow-up action;
6. Reviewing the external auditor's management letter, any material queries raised by the auditor to management in respect of the accounting records, financial accounts or systems of control and management's response;
7. Ensuring that the Board provided a timely response to the issues raised in the external auditor's management letter; and
8. Reporting to the Board on these matters as deemed appropriate.

Corporate Governance Report *(Continued)*

Nomination Committee

The Company established the Nomination Committee in 2012 with written Terms of Reference posted on the Company's website. The Nomination Committee comprises two INEDs and one Executive Director. Currently, the Nomination Committee is chaired by Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou. Other members of the Committee are Mr. Floyd Chan Tsoi-yin and Mr. Desmond Chum Kwan-yue.

The Nomination Committee held one meeting during the year. The duties of the Committee are to (i) review the structure, size and composition (including the skills, knowledge and experience) of the Board at least annually and make recommendations on any proposed changes to the Board to complement corporate strategy; (ii) identify individuals suitably qualified to become board members and select or make recommendations to the Board on the selection of individuals nominated for directorship; (iii) assess the independence of INEDs; (iv) make recommendations to the Board on the appointment or re-appointment of directors and succession planning for directors, in particular the Chairman and the chief executive; (v) review the Board Diversity Policy; and (vi) review the Nomination Policy.

Board Diversity Policy

The Company has formulated the Board Diversity Policy in August 2013 aiming at setting out the approach on diversity of the Board of the Company. Selection of candidates will be based on a range of diversity perspectives, including but not limited to gender, age, cultural and educational background, professional experience, skills, knowledge and length of service. The ultimate decision will be based on merit and contribution that the selected candidates will bring to the Board.

Nomination Policy

The Company has formulated the Nomination Policy in December 2018 aiming at setting out the principles which guide the Nomination Committee to identify and evaluate a candidate for nomination to (i) the Board of the Company for appointment or (ii) shareholders of the Company for election, as a director of the Company.

Corporate Governance Report *(Continued)*

1. Nomination Criteria

The Nomination Committee shall consider a number of factors in making nominations, including but not limited to the following:

- 1.1 **Skills, Experience and Professional Expertise:** The candidate should possess the skills, knowledge, experience and professional expertise which are relevant to the operations of the Company and its subsidiaries.
- 1.2 **Diversity:** Candidates should be considered on merit and against objective criteria, with due regard to the diversity perspectives set out in the Board Diversity Policy of the Company.
- 1.3 **Commitment:** The candidate should be able to devote sufficient time to attend the board meetings and participate in other board associated activities.
- 1.4 **Standing:** The candidate should have the character, experience and integrity, and is able to demonstrate a standard of competence commensurate with the relevant position as a director of the Company.
- 1.5 **Independence:** The candidate to be nominated as an independent non-executive director must satisfy the independence criteria set out in the Listing Rules.

2. Nomination Procedures

- 2.1 If the Nomination Committee determines that an additional or replacement director is required, the Committee may take such measures that it considers appropriate in connection with its identification and evaluation of a candidate.
- 2.2 On making recommendation, the Nomination Committee may submit the candidate's personal profile and a proposal to the Board for consideration.
- 2.3 The Board shall observe the Board Diversity Policy and shall, subject to merit and suitability, continue in its endeavours to introduce more diversity into the Board, taking into account professional experience and qualifications, gender, age, cultural and educational background, and any other factors that the Board might consider relevant and applicable from time to time towards achieving board diversity.

Corporate Governance Report *(Continued)*

AUDITOR'S REMUNERATION

Each year, the auditors are appointed at the Annual General Meeting ("AGM") and at the AGM held on 31 May 2019, directors were authorised to fix the auditors' remuneration for auditing services rendered.

The fees for audit and audit related services provided by the Group's auditors, KPMG, for the year ended 31 December 2019 are as follows:

Service rendered	Fees paid/payable HK\$
Audit services	4,375,000
Tax services	<u>262,000</u>
	<u><u>4,637,000</u></u>

In addition, audit services and tax services were provided by other auditors to certain subsidiaries for the year ended 31 December 2019 and the related fees amounted to HK\$98,000 and HK\$218,000 respectively.

Save as disclosed above, the auditors have not so far provided any significant non-auditing services. Should any non-auditing services be considered to be conducted by our auditors, the Audit Committee would consider these proposals based on the policy developed by them in this regard, and would then make recommendations to the Board.

RESPONSIBILITIES FOR FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities to prepare financial statements for each financial year, which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Group. The directors are responsible for ensuring that the Group maintains accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy the financial position of the Group and which enable the preparation of financial statements in accordance with the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance, all applicable Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards, Hong Kong Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants, and all applicable disclosure provisions of the Listing Rules. The directors are responsible for taking all reasonable and necessary steps to safeguard the assets of the Group and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

The directors, having made appropriate enquiries, consider that the Group has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future and that, for this reason, it is appropriate to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements.

The responsibility of the auditors with respect to the financial statements is set out in the Independent Auditor's Report of this annual report.

Corporate Governance Report *(Continued)*

RISK MANAGEMENT AND INTERNAL CONTROLS

The Group is committed to set up and maintain an effective risk management and internal control systems which are devised to provide reasonable, but not absolute, assurance against material misstatement or loss, and to manage and minimize rather than eliminate the risks of failure in the Group's operational systems.

The Board is responsible for maintaining a sound and effective risk management and internal control systems particularly in respect of the controls on financial, operational, compliance and risk management, to achieve the Group's business strategies and business operations and safeguard the Company's assets.

During the 2019, the outsourced internal auditor responsible for the review and appraisal on the effectiveness of financial, operational and compliance controls and risk management of the Group, provided reports to the Audit Committee and the management highlighting observations and recommendations to improve the risk management and internal control systems. The management agreed on the findings and adopted the recommendations accordingly.

The Audit Committee considered that there was no material defect in the Company's internal control review report.

The Board, through the Audit Committee, reviewed the overall effectiveness of the Group's risk management and internal control systems during the year, including financial, operational, compliance and risk management. The Board is of the view that the existing risk management and internal control systems are effective and adequate to the Group.

For the handling and dissemination of inside information, the Group has set up the following procedures and internal controls:

- (1) The non-disclosure of confidential information is codified in the staff handbook;
- (2) The inside information will only be disseminated to specified persons on a need-to-know basis; and
- (3) The notifications regarding blackout period and securities dealing restrictions are sent to the relevant directors and employees.

The Group will review the effectiveness of the current procedures from time to time to ensure the compliance of the regulatory requirements.

Corporate Governance Report *(Continued)*

DIVIDEND POLICY

Dividends may be distributed by way of cash and by other means that the Board considers appropriate. A decision to declare and pay dividends will require the approval of the Board and will be at its discretion. Such discretion is subject to the applicable laws and regulations, the Company's Bye-Laws and the approval of the shareholders, if applicable.

In determining the dividend payment ratio in respect of a financial year, the Board will take into account a desire to maintain and increase the dividend levels within the overall objective of maximizing shareholders' value over the long term. The dividend will generally be paid in the form of an interim and a final dividend.

In considering the level of dividend and means of payments, the Board will take into account the following factors:

1. results of operations and retained earnings;
2. cash flows;
3. financial conditions;
4. shareholders' interest;
5. capital requirements and investment plans;
6. general business conditions and strategies;
7. dividend yield of similar-sized companies listed in Hong Kong;
8. other relevant factors.

SHAREHOLDERS' RIGHTS

Shareholders are encouraged to attend the annual general meeting for which at least 21 days' notice is given. This provides opportunities for shareholders and investors to raise their queries and share their views with our directors and/or senior management. Shareholders may call for special general meetings and put forward agenda items for consideration by shareholders by sending to the Company Secretary at the principal place of business a written request for such general meetings together with the proposed agenda items. At any general meeting a resolution put to the vote of the meeting must be taken by poll.

Corporate Governance Report *(Continued)*

INVESTOR RELATIONS

The Group endeavours to continue maintaining a high level of transparency in communicating with shareholders and investors. The Group is committed to maintain two-way communications with shareholders and investors and to update shareholders and investors on relevant information in its business in a timely manner subject to the relevant regulatory requirements.

Enquiries may be put to the Board through the Company Secretary by post at the principal place of business of the Company.

The Group maintains a corporate website at www.kaderholdings.com which enables shareholders and investors to track the Group's latest developments. This acts as an effective medium for information disclosure, and provides comprehensive and update information on the Group's operations, announcements, circulars, notices, as well as interim and annual reports. During the year, there is no substantial change in the Memorandum of Association and Bye-laws of the Company.

As at 31 December 2019, the Company had 950,587,991 shares in issue, with a par value of HK\$0.10 each. Interests of the directors and chief executives in the shares of the Company are disclosed in the Directors' Report set out on pages 29 to 31 of this annual report.

Directors' Report

The Directors of the Company have pleasure in submitting their annual report together with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The Company is incorporated in Bermuda under the Bermuda Companies Act 1981 with limited liability. The principal activity of the Company is investment holding.

The principal activities of its subsidiaries are the manufacture and trading of plastic, electronic and stuffed toys and model trains, property investment, and investment holding.

The analysis of the principal activities and geographical locations of the operations of the Group during the financial year are set out in note 10 to the financial statements.

SUBSIDIARIES

Particulars of the Company's major subsidiaries at 31 December 2019 are set out in note 13 to the financial statements.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The loss of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2019 and the state of the Company's and the Group's affairs at that date are set out in the financial statements on pages 69 to 184.

BUSINESS REVIEW

A business review of the Group is provided in the Management Discussion and Analysis on pages 4 to 8. An analysis of the Group's performance using financial key performance indicators is provided in the Five-Year Summary on pages 186 to 188. No important events affecting the Group have occurred since the end of the financial year under review.

FIVE-YEAR FINANCIAL SUMMARY

A summary of the results and of the assets and liabilities of the Group for the last five financial years is set out on pages 186 to 188 of the annual report.

SHARE CAPITAL

Details of the share capital of the Company are set out in note 28 (c) to the financial statements. There was no change in the authorized and issued share capital during the year.

Directors' Report *(Continued)*

TRANSFER TO RESERVES

Loss attributable to equity shareholders, before dividends, of approximately HK\$14,364,000 (2018: profit of approximately HK\$181,750,000) have been transferred to reserves. Other movements in reserves during the year are set out in the consolidated statement of changes in equity.

DIVIDEND

The Directors do not recommend the payment of a final dividend for the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018: HK1.0 cent per ordinary share).

DONATIONS

Donations made by the Group during the year for charitable and other purposes amounted to approximately HK\$198,000 (2018: HK\$1,405,000).

EQUITY-LINKED AGREEMENTS

No equity-linked agreement was entered into by the Group during the year or subsisted at the end of the financial year.

PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Movements in property, plant and equipment during the year are set out in note 11 to the financial statements.

BANK LOANS

Particulars of bank loans of the Group as at 31 December 2019 are set out in note 22 to the financial statements.

RETIREMENT SCHEMES

Details of the retirement schemes of the Group are set out in note 31 to the financial statements.

PROPERTY

Particulars of the property of the Group are shown on page 185 of the annual report.

Directors' Report *(Continued)*

MAJOR SUPPLIERS AND CUSTOMERS

The percentages of purchases and sales attributable to the Group's largest suppliers and customers are as follows:

	2019 %	2018 %
Purchases		
– the largest supplier	12	22
– five largest suppliers combined	29	50
Sales		
– the largest customer	32	55
– five largest customers combined	49	64

None of the directors, their associates or any shareholders (which to the knowledge of the directors owns more than 5% of the Company's share capital) had an interest at any time during the year in the above customers or suppliers.

RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Details of the significant related party transactions entered into by the Group during the year ended 31 December 2019 are set out in note 32 to the financial statements.

DIRECTORS

The Board during the financial year and up to the date of this report was:

Executive Directors:

Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou (*Chairman and Managing Director*)

Mrs. Nancy Ting Wang Wan-sun

Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li

Non-executive Directors:

Mr. Bernie Ting Wai-cheung

Dr. Moses Cheng Mo-chi (*Retired on 1 May 2019*)

Independent Non-executive Directors:

Mr. Floyd Chan Tsoi-yin

Mr. Andrew Yao Cho-fai

Mr. Desmond Chum Kwan-yue

Ms. Sabrina Chao Sih-ming (*Appointed on 1 July 2019*)

Mr. Ronald Montalto (*Retired on 1 May 2019*)

Directors' Report *(Continued)*

The Company has received from each of its INEDs an annual confirmation of his/her independence pursuant to Rule 3.13 of the Listing Rules. The Company considers its INEDs to be independent. Members of the Board clearly understand their responsibility and obligations.

Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou, Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li and Mr. Bernie Ting Wai-cheung shall retire by rotation in accordance with the Company's Bye-laws 109(A) and 189(ix), and Ms. Sabrina Chao Sih-ming shall retire in accordance with the Company's Bye-laws 100 and 189(v), and being eligible, offer themselves for re-election at the forthcoming annual general meeting.

PROFILES OF DIRECTORS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT

Chairman and Managing Director

Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou, SBS, JP, aged 77, was reappointed as the Managing Director of the Company in July 2012. He was appointed as the Chairman of the Company and resigned as the Managing Director of the Company in July 2010. He has been the Managing Director of the Company since its incorporation in 1989. He has been a director of Kader Industrial Company Limited, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, since 1971 and was appointed as the Chairman in 1993. He was appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of Cheuk Nang (Holdings) Limited in November 2012. He is also an Independent Non-executive Director of Wheelock and Company Limited.

Mr. Ting currently serves as the Honorary President of HK Wuxi Trade Association Limited, The Federation of HK Jiangsu Community Organisation, Federation of Hong Kong Industries, The Chinese Manufacturers' Association of Hong Kong and The Toys Manufacturers' Association of Hong Kong Limited, and the Honorary Life President of the Hong Kong Plastics Manufacturers' Association Limited.

He also serves as a member of a number of other trade organisations and public committees such as The Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce. He is Life Honorary Court Member of The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology.

Mr. Ting is a director of H.C. Ting's Holdings Limited (a substantial shareholder of the Company), which is owned as to 80% by Border Shipping Limited, a company in which Mr. Ting and Forest Crimson Limited (a substantial shareholder of the Company) have controlling interests. He is the father of Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li, Executive Director of the Company, husband of Mrs. Nancy Ting Wang Wan-sun, Executive Director of the Company, and uncle of Mr. Bernie Ting Wai-cheung, Non-executive Director of the Company.

Directors' Report *(Continued)*

Executive Directors

Mrs. Nancy Ting Wang Wan-sun, aged 72, was appointed as a Non-executive Director of the Company in January 2008, and re-designated as an Executive Director of the Company in February 2009. She has been an Executive Director of Kader Industrial Company Limited, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, since 2001. Mrs. Ting has not held any directorship in other listed public companies in the last three years. She is the wife of Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou, Chairman and Managing Director of the Company, the mother of Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li, Executive Director of the Company, and the auntie of Mr. Bernie Ting Wai-cheung, Non-executive Director of the Company.

Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li, aged 44, was appointed as an Executive Director of the Company in April 2006. He was appointed as the Managing Director of the Company in July 2010, and stepped down from that position when he was re-designated as a Non-executive Director of the Company in July 2012. He was re-designated as an Executive Director of the Company in April 2018. Mr. Ting holds a Bachelor's Degree in International Politics and Economics. He is one of the authorized representatives of the Company. He has been an Executive Director of Kader Industrial Company Limited, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, since 1998. Apart from this, he also serves as director of certain other subsidiaries of the Company. Mr. Ting was appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of Harbour Center Development Limited in December 2018. Mr. Ting currently serves as the Chairman of Hong Kong Toys Council and a General Committee Member of the Hong Kong Exporters' Association. He is the son of Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou, Chairman and Managing Director of the Company and Mrs. Nancy Ting Wang Wan-sun, Executive Director of the Company, and the cousin of Mr. Bernie Ting Wai-cheung, Non-executive Director of the Company.

Non-executive Director

Mr. Bernie Ting Wai-cheung, aged 54, was appointed as a Non-executive Director of the Company in July 2010. He was appointed as a director of Kader Industrial Company Limited since July 2010. He is the Director and General Manager of Qualidux Industrial Company Limited. He studied Mechanical Engineering at the University of Toronto, Canada. He obtained his MBA at Worcester Polytechnic Institute in the USA. He briefly worked in a manufacturing company in Canada. He is now working at Qualidux Industrial Company Limited as the Director and General Manager. Mr. Ting has not held any directorship in other listed public companies in the last three years.

Directors' Report *(Continued)*

Mr. Ting is the Honorary President of Hong Kong Toys Council under the auspices of the Federations of Hong Kong Industries. He became the Vice President of International Council of Toys Industries (ICTI) in 2009 to 2015 and became the President of Asian Committee of Toy Industries in May 2018. He is Honorary Adviser of The Toys Manufacturers' Association of Hong Kong. As part of his public duties in Hong Kong, he is the Chairman of Hong Kong Q-Mark Council and the Vice Chairman of The Hong Kong Standards and Testing Centre Limited. He is the Director of Hong Kong Certification Centre Limited. He is the Vice Chairperson of "CreateSmart Initiative" Vetting Committee. Mr. Ting is the Vice President of The Hong Kong Plastics Manufacturers Association Limited. He has been appointed by the Financial Secretary of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region as member of Standing Committee on Company Law Reform for two years from 1 February 2019 to 31 January 2021. He contributes his spare time to community service through Rotary Club of Hong Kong South.

He is the nephew of Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou, Chairman and Managing Director of the Company and Mrs. Nancy Ting Wang Wan-sun, Executive Director of the Company, and the cousin of Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li, Executive Director of the Company. Mr. Ting is a substantial shareholder of Forest Crimson Limited which is a substantial shareholder of the Company.

Independent Non-executive Directors

Mr. Floyd Chan Tsoi-yin, aged 76, was appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company in September 2004. Mr. Chan is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and a fellow member of the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. He had been a partner of BDO Seidman in the United States for many years. He was the Asia Pacific Regional Coordinator of BDO International and a member of BDO McCabe Lo Limited's executive committee in Hong Kong. He has significant experience in assisting clients in exploring business opportunities in the Asia Pacific region, particularly the Southeast Asian developing countries and The People's Republic of China. He is also closely involved with assisting clients in developing business in North America and Europe. Mr. Chan has not held any directorship in other listed public companies in the last three years.

Mr. Andrew Yao Cho-fai, JP, aged 54, was appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company in September 2004. Mr. Yao, graduated from the University of California, Berkeley and Harvard Graduate School of Business, is the Chairman of Hong Kong Shanghai Alliance Holdings Limited (formerly Van Shung Chong Holdings Limited) (a company listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange). Mr. Yao is also an Independent Non-executive Director of Shanghai Dazhong Public Utilities (Group) Co., Ltd. (a company listed on the Main Board of the Stock Exchange).

Mr. Yao is the Hong Kong Deputy of the 12th and 13th National People's Congress of People's Republic of China, Vice Chairman of Shanghai Chinese Overseas Friendship Association, Chairman of Hongkong-Shanghai Economic Development Association, Chairman of the Council of Lingnan University, Vice Chairman of Shanghai Federation of Industry & Commerce, Board Member of Fudan University in Shanghai.

Directors' Report *(Continued)*

Mr. Desmond Chum Kwan-yue, aged 47, was appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company in March 2009. Mr. Chum was a portfolio manager at Claren Road Asset Management from 2008 to 2017, a company that provides financial services, and was responsible for building and managing a portfolio of regional corporate and sovereign bonds. Prior to working at Claren Road Asset Management, Mr. Chum was a Managing Director of Citigroup where he spent 12 years and helped to build its fixed income franchise in Asia. He oversaw a team of investment professionals and ran the Global Special Situations Group's investment activities in the Greater China Region. He has extensive experience in sourcing, evaluating and executing private lending, private equity and real estate investments in the Greater China Region. He resigned as an Independent Non-executive Director of Classified Group (Holdings) Limited in June 2018. Mr. Chum graduated from Oxford University.

Ms. Sabrina Chao Sih-ming, aged 45, was appointed as an Independent Non-executive Director of the Company in July 2019. Ms. Chao is the Executive Chairman of Wah Kwong Maritime Transport Holdings Limited. She graduated from the Imperial College London in 1996 with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Mathematics with Management. She began her career in finance working for Jardine Fleming during 1997 to 1999, and for PricewaterhouseCoopers during 1999 to 2001. Ms. Chao has been the Director and Managing Director of Wah Kwong Shipping Holdings Limited since July 2002 and the Executive Director and Chairman of Wah Kwong Maritime Transport Holdings Limited since September 2007.

Ms. Chao was the past Chairman of Asian Shipowners' Association during 2016 to 2017 and the Hong Kong Shipowners Association during 2015 to 2017. She has also served as a member of the Hong Kong Maritime and Port Board under the Transport and Housing Bureau of the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region during 2016 to 2017. In May 2019, Ms Chao was elected as President Designate of the Baltic and International Maritime Council (BIMCO). She is presently the Chairman of External Advisory Group of the Department of Logistics and Maritime Studies in Hong Kong Polytechnic University and the Chairman of Maritime Services Training Board under Vocational Training Council. She was named as Honorary President by the Women's International Shipping & Trading Association since 2009 and Commodore by the Connecticut Maritime Association in 2018.

Ms. Chao has been appointed as the member of the Council of Lingnan University since 2018. In addition to above, she is Honorary Consul of Norwegian Honorary Consulate in Hong Kong; a member of the Standing Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference (CPPCC) in Jiangsu Province of the People's Republic of China; Young Global Leaders awarded by the World Economic Forum; a member of Young Presidents' Organization; Executive Vice Chairman of Federation of Jiangsu Community Organization; and Executive Vice Chairman of Wuxi Chamber of Commerce and Advisor of Wusih Residents (H.K.) Association.

Directors' Report (Continued)

DIRECTORS' SERVICE CONTRACTS

No directors proposed for re-election at the forthcoming annual general meeting have an unexpired service contract which is not determinable by the Company or any of its subsidiaries within one year without payment of compensation, other than normal statutory compensation.

Ms. Sabrina Chao Sih-ming has been appointed as an INED since 1 July 2019 and her term of service is from 1 July 2019 to 30 April 2021 renewable for two years upon expiry. All other Non-executive Director and INEDs are engaged on a term of service of two years, renewable for another two years upon expiry. The renewal is subject to re-election upon retirement by rotation at the forthcoming annual general meeting under the Company's Bye-laws 109(A) and 189(ix).

DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

Directors' Interests and Short Positions in the Shares and Underlying Shares of the Company and the Associated Corporations

As at 31 December 2019, the interests and short positions of the directors and chief executives of the Company in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company or any associated corporation (within the meaning of Part XV of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (the "SFO")) as recorded in the register required to be kept by the Company under section 352 of the SFO or as otherwise notified to the Company and the Stock Exchange pursuant to the Model Code were as follows:

(1) Interests in the Company

Name of directors	Number of ordinary shares of HK\$0.10 each				% of total issued share capital
	Personal interests	Family interests	Corporate interests	Total interests	
Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou	288,729,941	2,075,183 ⁽ⁱ⁾	258,963,571 ⁽ⁱⁱ⁾	549,768,695	57.83%
Mrs. Nancy Ting Wang Wan-sun	2,075,183	–	–	2,075,183	0.22%
Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li	21,530,432	–	–	21,530,432	2.26%
Mr. Bernie Ting Wai-cheung	–	–	–	–	–
Mr. Floyd Chan Tsoi-yin	–	–	–	–	–
Mr. Andrew Yao Cho-fai	–	–	–	–	–
Mr. Desmond Chum Kwan-yue	–	–	–	–	–
Ms. Sabrina Chao Sih-ming	–	–	–	–	–

Notes:

- (i) The spouse of Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou is the beneficial shareholder.
- (ii) Included in the "Corporate Interests" above were 209,671,000 shares of the Company held by the Company's substantial shareholder, H.C. Ting's Holdings Limited, in which Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou has a controlling interest through Border Shipping Limited; and 49,292,571 shares of the Company held by Glory Town Limited, in which Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou has a controlling interest through Tyrol Investments Limited.

Directors' Report (Continued)

(2) Interests in Associated Corporations

Name of associated corporations	Beneficial interests	Class of shares	Number of shares held			% of interests in associated corporations
			Personal interests	Family interests	Corporate interests	
Allman Holdings Limited ("Allman")	Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li	Ordinary shares of US\$1.00 each	920 ⁽ⁱ⁾	-	-	63.89%
Pacific Squaw Creek, Inc. ("PSC")	Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li	Ordinary shares of US\$1.00 each	-	-	1,000 ⁽ⁱⁱ⁾	100.00%
Squaw Creek Associates, LLC ("SCA")	Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li	Not applicable ⁽ⁱⁱⁱ⁾	-	-	-	62.00% ^(iv)
SCA	Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou	Not applicable ⁽ⁱⁱⁱ⁾	-	-	-	13.00% ^(iv)
Snow King Properties, LLC ("SKP")	Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li	Not applicable ^(iv)	-	-	-	62.00% ^(v)
SKP	Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou	Not applicable ^(iv)	-	-	-	13.00% ^(v)

Notes:

- (i) These interests are held by Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li.
- (ii) These interests are held by Allman. Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li's beneficial interests in Allman are disclosed in note (i) above.
- (iii) SCA does not have issued share capital, the percentage of interest in SCA represents the interest in capital account balance.
- (iv) SKP does not have issued share capital, the percentage of interest in SKP represents the interest in capital account balance.
- (v) These interests are held by PSC. Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li's beneficial interests in PSC are disclosed in note (ii) above.
- (vi) These interests are held by Ting Corporation which is wholly owned by Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou.

Directors' Report (Continued)

All the interests stated above represent long positions. As at 31 December 2019, no short positions were recorded in the register required to be kept under section 352 of the SFO.

Save as disclosed above, as at 31 December 2019, none of the directors and chief executives of the Company nor their spouses or children under 18 years of age has interests or short positions in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company or any of its associated corporations, as 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.

SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS' AND OTHER PERSON'S INTERESTS

As at 31 December 2019, substantial shareholders and other persons (other than directors or chief executives of the Company) who had interests or short positions in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company which were recorded in the register kept by the Company under section 336 of the SFO were as follows:

Substantial shareholders and other persons	Number of ordinary shares of HK\$0.10 each				% of total issued share capital
	Personal interests	Family interests	Corporate interests	Total interests	
Forest Crimson Limited	–	–	209,671,000 ⁽ⁱ⁾	209,671,000	22.06%
Mr. Ting Hok-shou	13,800,238	571,429 ⁽ⁱⁱ⁾	39,098,281 ⁽ⁱⁱⁱ⁾	53,469,948	5.62%
Ms. Emily Tsang Wing-hin	571,429	13,800,238 ^(iv)	39,098,281 ⁽ⁱⁱⁱ⁾	53,469,948	5.62%

Notes:

- (i) The 209,671,000 shares of the Company were held by the Company's substantial shareholder, H.C. Ting's Holdings Limited, in which Forest Crimson Limited has a controlling interest through Border Shipping Limited.
- (ii) The spouse of Mr. Ting Hok-shou, Ms. Emily Tsang Wing-hin, is the beneficial shareholder.
- (iii) Included in the "Corporate Interests" above were 3,913,997 shares of the Company held by Golden Tree Investment Company Limited, in which Mr. Ting Hok-shou and Ms. Emily Tsang Wing-hin together have controlling interest; and 35,184,284 shares of the Company held by Kimpont Limited, in which Mr. Ting Hok-shou and Ms. Emily Tsang Wing-hin together have controlling interest through Golden Tree Investment Company Limited and Yale Investment Corporation.
- (iv) The spouse of Ms. Emily Tsang Wing-hin is the beneficial shareholder.

Save as disclosed above, as at 31 December 2019, the Company was not notified by any persons (other than directors or chief executives of the Company) who had interests or short positions in the shares, underlying shares and debentures of the Company which were recorded in the register kept by the Company under section 336 of the SFO.

Directors' Report *(Continued)*

DIRECTORS' RIGHTS TO ACQUIRE SHARES OR DEBENTURES

At no time during the year was the Company or any of its subsidiaries a party to any arrangement to enable the directors of the Company to acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of shares in, or debentures of, the Company or any other body corporate.

EMOLUMENT POLICY

The emoluments of the directors and senior management are determined with reference to the prevailing market practice, the profitability of the Group, the directors' performance and responsibilities within the Group and contributions to the Group. The Group may also provide discretionary bonuses to its employees as an incentive for their contribution to the Group subject to the Group's profitability and the individual's performance.

PURCHASE, SALE OR REDEMPTION OF LISTED SECURITIES

Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries has purchased, sold or redeemed any of the Company's listed securities during the year.

PRE-EMPTIVE RIGHTS

There is no provision for pre-emptive rights under the Company's Bye-Laws or the laws in Bermuda.

DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN TRANSACTIONS, ARRANGEMENTS OR CONTRACTS

No transaction, arrangements or contracts of significance in relation to the Group's business to which the Company or its subsidiaries was a party and in which a director of the Company had a material interest, whether directly or indirectly, subsisted at the end of the year or at any time during the year.

DIRECTORS' INTERESTS IN COMPETING BUSINESS

During the year and up to the date of this report, Mr. Kenneth Ting Woo-shou and Mr. Bernie Ting Wai-cheung, directors of the Company, are considered to have interests in Qualidux Industrial Company Limited ("Qualidux"), a company engaging in toy manufacturing long before the listing of the Company on the Stock Exchange, which competes or is likely to compete with the business of the Group pursuant to the Listing Rules. Qualidux employed a total workforce of around 500 employees as at 31 December 2019.

As the Board of the Company is independent from the board of the abovementioned company and none of the above directors can control the Board of the Company, the Group is capable of carrying on its business independently of, and at arm's length from, the business of such company.

Directors' Report *(Continued)*

CHANGES IN INFORMATION IN RESPECT OF DIRECTORS

The changes in the information of directors of the Company, which are required to be disclosed pursuant to Rule 13.51(B)(1) of the Listing Rules, are as follows:

Mr. Ivan Ting Tien-li currently serves as the Chairman of Hong Kong Toys Council.

Mr. Andrew Yao Cho-fai was appointed as Chairman of the Council of Lingnan University for a term of three years with effect from 1 January 2020. He ceased to act as Deputy Chairman of the Council of Hong Kong Baptist University.

PREMITTED INDEMNITY PROVISION

Pursuant to the Bye-laws of the Company, the Directors and officers of the Company are entitled to be indemnified and secured harmless out of the assets of the Company from and against all actions, costs, charges, losses, damages and expenses, which they or any of them, their or any of their executors or administrators, shall or may incur or sustain by reason of any act done, concurred in or omitted in or about the execution of their duty or supposed duty in their respective offices or otherwise in relation thereto, to the extent as permitted by law. The Company has arranged appropriate directors' and officers' liability insurance coverage for the Directors and officers of the Group.

SUFFICIENCY OF PUBLIC FLOAT

Based on the information that is publicly available to the Company and within the knowledge of the directors of the Company as at the date of this annual report, the Company has maintained the public float of more than 25% of the Company's issued share capital as required under the Listing Rules.

AUDITORS

The financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 have been audited by KPMG, who will retire and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-appointment. A resolution for their re-appointment as the auditors of the Company will be proposed at the forthcoming annual general meeting.

By order of the Board
Kenneth Ting Woo-shou
Chairman

Hong Kong, 27 March 2020

Environmental, Social & Governance Report

OUR SUSTAINABILITY APPROACH

As a leader in toys and model trains manufacturing industry, we strive to integrate corporate social responsibility (“CSR”) into our daily operations in order to create long-term value to our employees, our customers, our supply chain, the community and the environment. The Group has established group-wide policies and management systems to align its business with sustainable development, with the supervision of the dedicated committee.



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Management Tools	Details
Environment, Health and Safety (“EHS”) Management System	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An EHS committee is set up, chaired by the factory manager and consisting of employee representatives and personnel from various departments such as production, quality control, administration, human resources etc. • Internal inspections and committee meetings are conducted regularly
Responsible Business Alliance (“RBA”) CSR System	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Formulated according to the RBA Code of Conduct
Group Environmental Policy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sets out the Group’s commitments on environmental issues at factories and offices
Group Quality Policy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sets out the Group’s commitments on providing high-quality products and services
Code of Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides guidance to all staff on how to conduct business ethically
ISO9001:2015	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Controls the quality of our production processes in a systematic and integrated manner

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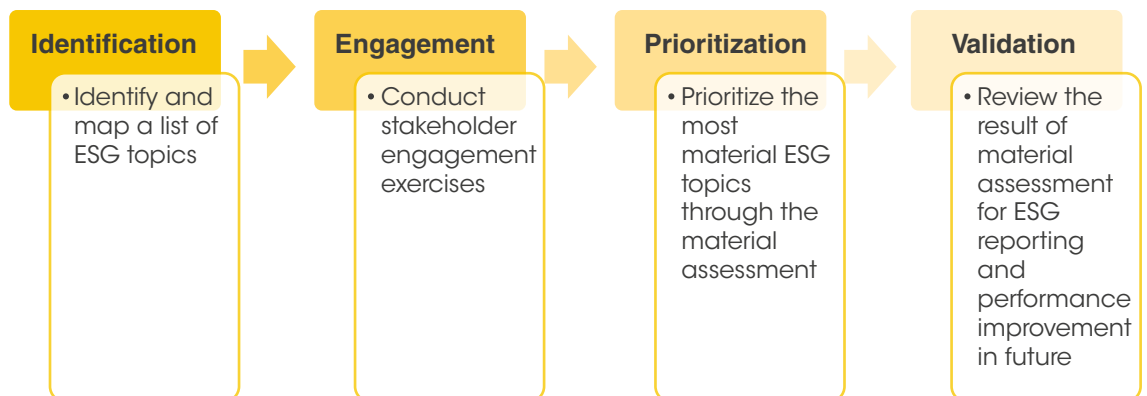
STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT & MATERIALITY ASSESSMENT



The Group has been maintaining close contact with our stakeholders as we believe they play a crucial role in our sustainability journey. We have identified key stakeholders of our business and material ESG topics. Through ongoing communication, we collect their views and opinions, which help us identify ESG-related risks and formulate our sustainability strategies to address those risks. The following list summarizes our diverse communication channels with different stakeholder groups:

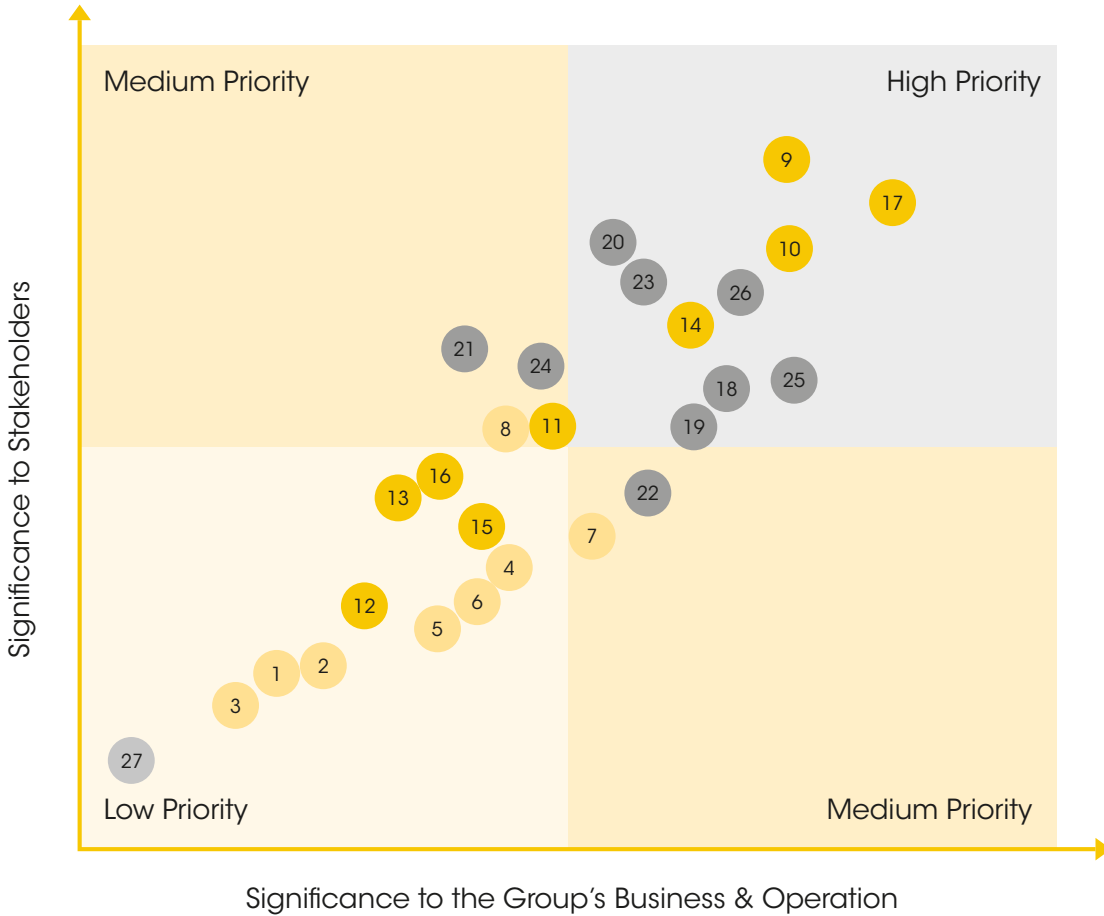
Stakeholder groups	Engagement methods
Shareholders and investors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Company website • Annual and Interim Reports • Regular meetings
Customers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Company website • Annual and Interim Reports • Customer service channels
Employees	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training and orientation • Intranet • Performance review • Company activities • Opinion box • Staff satisfaction survey
Suppliers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Selection Assessment • Procurement process

To identify material ESG issues that are important to the Group and stakeholders, we have conducted a materiality assessment by means of an online questionnaire, consisting of twenty seven rating questions, covering areas on environmental protection, community investment, operational practices and employment. The following outlines the procedures of the assessment:



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Based on the materiality of each of the ESG issues expressed by our stakeholders, the ESG issues are prioritized and shown in the materiality matrix below:



● Environment

- 1 Air emission
- 2 Greenhouse gas emission
- 3 Climate change
- 4 Energy efficiency
- 5 Water & effluents
- 6 Use of materials
- 7 Waste management
- 8 Environmental compliance

● Employment

- 9 Labour rights
- 10 Labour-management relations
- 11 Employee retention
- 12 Diversity and equal opportunity
- 13 Non-discrimination
- 14 Occupational health and safety
- 15 Employee training
- 16 Employee development
- 17 Prevention of child labour & forced labour

● Community

- 27 Community support

● Operation

- 18 Customer satisfaction
- 19 Customer service quality & complaints handling
- 20 Customer health and safety
- 21 Marketing and product and service labelling compliance
- 22 Intellectual property
- 23 Customer privacy and data protection
- 24 Responsible supply chain management
- 25 Business ethics
- 26 Socio-economic compliance

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We prioritized those ESG topics into 3 categories: high, medium and low, for better strategic planning and resource allocation. The issues which fell in the upper right corner of the matrix were defined as the topics that matter most on the Group's business operation and concerned by our stakeholders. Acknowledging expectations of our stakeholders, we are committed to improving our ESG performance, governance and policies.

A RESPONSIBLE PRODUCER

The Group firmly believes doing business ethically and creating sustainable values for our business partners and the community are the keys to guide us through the evolving business world. Complying with all applicable laws and regulations in our production, we endeavour to build long-term relationships with our customers, supply chain and the community.



Business Conduct

With integrity being a core part of the Group's business ethics, any form of fraud, bribery, extortion, and money laundering is strictly prohibited, as clearly stated in the Employee Handbook. All employees are required to sign the Code of Integrity before commencement of employment to ensure their clear understanding of the Group's policy. All employees are expected not to solicit or receive any gifts, rewards or advantages from external parties. Breaching the code will lead to disciplinary actions. In case of any suspicious cases, employees are welcomed to report to the management. We promise to handle the issue timely and fairly. All reports and enquiries are handled with strict confidentiality under all circumstances to preserve anonymity. Additionally, the same standards are also applied to our suppliers.

In FY2019, the Group was not aware of any material non-compliance with laws and regulations relating to bribery, extortion, fraud and money laundering in Hong Kong and Mainland China. There was no legal case regarding corrupt practices brought against the Group or our employees.

Product Responsibility

The Group is devoted to providing top quality products and delivering excellent customer experience. Guided by the Group Quality Policy, we strive to achieve the highest customer satisfaction through continuous improvement, as well as producing quality products and deliver them on time to our customers.

Our Gao Bu factory has developed a Quality Management System ("QMS") which has been accredited with ISO 9001:2015 certification, demonstrating our commitment to quality management. We have implemented the QMS to ensure that the quality of our products are up to standards throughout the entire manufacturing process systematically. It clearly outlines steps and procedures which ensure our products meet our quality standards and clients' requirements. We conduct stringent quality control inspections along the whole production cycle, from incoming raw materials to final products.

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If our products are discovered to have any safety or health issues, we will recall the products and immediately stop the related production, according to our Product Recall Procedure. We will also engage specialists to carry out a comprehensive investigation in order to find out the root causes and impacts of the problems. Furthermore, we will promptly implement improvement plans to avoid similar occurrence in the future. The clear Product Labeling Policy is also in place to guide our customers on proper and safe use of our products. In FY2019, there was no record of product recall due to safety and health reasons.

We welcome our customers to provide feedback on our products or services through the customer service channels. The Customer Complaint Handling Procedure has been established for ensuring a thorough investigation is conducted with timely implementation of appropriate remedial actions. All complaint cases and details are documented to reduce the possibility of re-occurrence in the future. In FY2019, there was no record of complaint received regarding our products and services.

In FY2019, the Group was not aware of any material non-compliance with laws and regulations relating to health and safety, advertising and labeling matters of products and services in Hong Kong and Mainland China.

Customer Privacy & Intellectual Property Rights

The Group attaches great importance to the protection of confidential data of our customers. Adhering to our customer-oriented approach, we shall keep customers' data confidential and shall not disclose any information directly or indirectly. Customer information is collected only when it is necessary. Unauthorized access and use of customers' data are prohibited, complying with data privacy laws and regulations. We will continuously conduct regular reviews on our data management and provide training to our employees.

At the same time, we highly value creativity and respect intellectual property ("IP") rights. In order to protect the interest of the Group and its customers, we have set up the Intellectual Property Handbook and defined clear roles and responsibilities of the parties involved. Our IP Manager is responsible for overseeing the performance of each department and arranging training. Our employees are prohibited from disclosing or exploiting any patents and trademarks. Disciplinary actions or even dismissal will be resulted for breaching the policy.

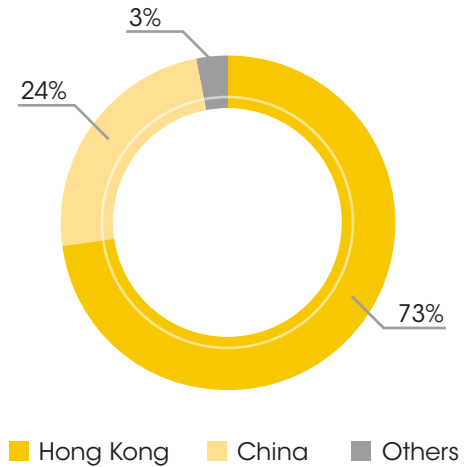
In FY2019, the Group was not aware of any material non-compliance with laws and regulations relating to privacy matters of products and services and IP rights in Hong Kong and Mainland China.

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Supply Chain Management

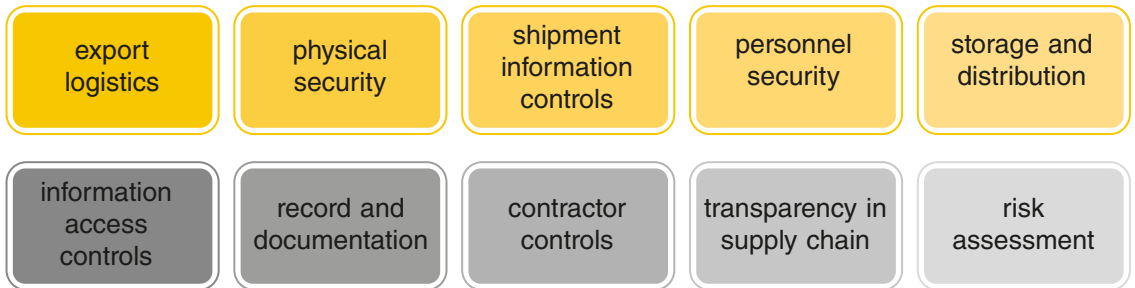
In FY2019, the Group worked with 147 suppliers, 73% from Hong Kong, 24% from China and 3% from other countries. We understand that it is essential for our supply chain to align with our CSR commitments and thus we select our suppliers carefully. Under our Vendor Qualification and Vendor Control Procedure, all potential suppliers are requested to fill in the quality survey, provide compliance proof and submit testing reports or reference sample for evaluating purposes. Where necessary, we will arrange onsite inspections to verify their actual performance. Apart from product quality, we have imposed requirements on our suppliers in various ESG-related areas, including anti-corruption, occupational health and safety, product safety, labour standards and environmental protection. Only those who meet our requirements will be qualified on our approved supplier list. Supplier performance appraisal is also conducted regularly to assess their performance. If any non-conformity is found, corrective action will be requested. Failure to improve will lead to disqualification from the approved supplier list.

Suppliers by Geographical Region



In addition to our adherence to RBA Code of Conduct, we require our suppliers to do the same as well in order to make sure our values are aligned. Suppliers are required to declare that they acknowledge and are committed to complying with the requirements of RBA Code of Conduct.

Our Gao Bu factory has participated in the Intertek's Global Security Verification program, which aims to identify, mitigate and eliminate potential security risks along our supply chain. This verification focuses on the following areas of supply chain security:



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Community Involvement

Fulfilling CSR is one of key elements of our corporate culture and thus we are devoted to serving our community where we locate and operate. We encourage our employees to participate actively in different charitable and voluntary activities as well. Looking ahead, the Group will continue to look for opportunities where we can leverage our expertise in the society.

A RESPONSIBLE EMPLOYER

The Group recognizes employees as the most important asset to drive our business performance. To build and maintain a committed and innovative workforce, we put emphasis on safeguarding their health and safety, offering competitive remuneration, providing development opportunities and maintaining a pleasant workplace.



Occupational Health & Safety

Safety is the cornerstone of the sustainable development of the Group. For better management on occupational health and safety issues, we have established the EHS Management System to maintain a workplace free from occupational hazards. The EHS committee is responsible for monitoring the actual implementation and effectiveness. A comprehensive set of EHS polices is also developed to address various types of potential risks, such as the procedures for fire safety, hazardous waste management, use of chemicals and personal protective equipment (“PPE”) management.

Occupational risk assessments are carried out to identify potential hazards in our workplace. To safeguard our employees, various preventative practices are implemented:

- All employees are required to attend and pass safety-related courses before employment commences
- Employees are provided with and always reminded to properly wear PPE when performing certain duties
- First-aid facilities are available in our workplaces
- Training on machinery operation, fire safety, industrial safety, anti-terrorism and PPE usage is conducted annually with examinations
- Prior investigation is conducted for all new processes and substances before they are introduced
- Regular internal inspection is carried out in the entire site to prevent violations of EHS procedures

To raise staff’s safety awareness, we provide regular training and organize the “Occupational Diseases Prevention Week” annually. Through various forms of promotions, we aim to familiarize their knowledge on safety issues and instill the idea of safe production into every employees’ daily operation.

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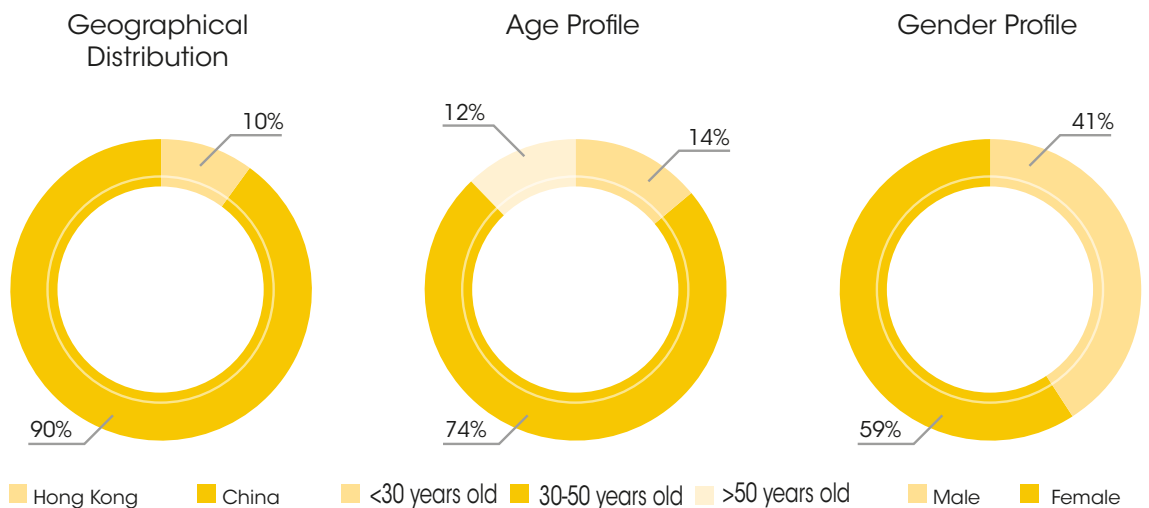
We have also formulated emergency procedures on events such as chemical leakage and fire accidents and held fire drills to let our staff be familiar with emergency situations. In addition, the EHS committee will meet regularly to review and formulate corrective actions, in order to prevent future occurrence of accidents.

For our office staff, we have also formulated the office condition guideline to ensure a safe and healthy workplace. The temperature and lighting are set at an optimized level so that employees can work in a comfortable environment. Reminders on avoiding occupational diseases are provided so that staff can pay attention to their working postures and settings.

In FY2019, there were no work-related fatalities and 86 lost days due to work injuries. The Group was not aware of any material non-compliance with laws and regulations relating to providing a safe working environment and protecting employees from occupational hazards in Hong Kong and Mainland China.

Employment Standards

As at the end of FY2019, the total number of full-time employees is 1,005, who are distributed in Hong Kong and China, accounting for 10% and 90% of the total workforce, respectively. Employees aged between 30 and 50 account for 74% of our total workforce while employees aged below 30 and above 50 represent 14% and 12% respectively. The ratio of male to female employees is 5:7.



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We have established the Employment Policy and Employee Handbook to govern the entire processes in human resources management, which cover recruitment and selection, working hours, rest period, attendance, performance appraisal and promotion, termination, workplace discipline and other employee benefits and welfare. Our employees are offered with competitive remuneration packages, which are regularly reviewed to ensure compliance with latest national and local labour laws and regulations. We also fulfil our responsibility as an employer to purchase mandatory provident fund and mandatory social welfare scheme for all employees in Hong Kong and China, respectively. Our benefits include medical benefits, personal accident insurance, business trip subsidies and lunch/supper subsidies. In addition to annual leaves and statutory holidays, all employees are entitled to sick leave, bereavement leave, marriage leave, maternity leave, paternity leave and jury duty leave.

Advocating the principle of equal employment opportunities and diversity within the Group, we do not tolerate any forms discrimination. All employees and job applicants are treated equally, regardless of race, sex, marital status, pregnancy, disability status or other forms of difference that is unrelated to the job requirements. All decisions on recruitment, promotion, performance evaluation and salary adjustment are made solely based on qualifications, experiences and capabilities. At our offices, we have installed facilities at our offices to make it more user-friendly for disabled employees.

In FY2019, the Group was not aware of any material non-compliance with laws and regulations relating to compensation and dismissal, recruitment and promotion, working hours, rest periods, equal opportunity, diversity, anti-discrimination, other benefits and welfare in Hong Kong and Mainland China.

Child & Forced Labour

The employment of child and forced labour is strictly prohibited within the Group. Guided by the Child & Juvenile Worker Protection Procedure, all of our employees must have reached the statutory age and possess identification documents before the commencement of work. Regular investigations are conducted to ensure no underaged persons are hired. If any child labour is found, remedy procedures will be carried out by sending the children back home, followed by providing sufficient educational supports until they are 16 years old. We aim to offer as much assistance as possible and alleviate potential negative impacts on them. For juvenile workers who are under the age of 18, they are not allowed to engage in certain positions with potential safety and health hazards. In addition, we also ensure all of our staff work consensually and are free from any form of forced labour.

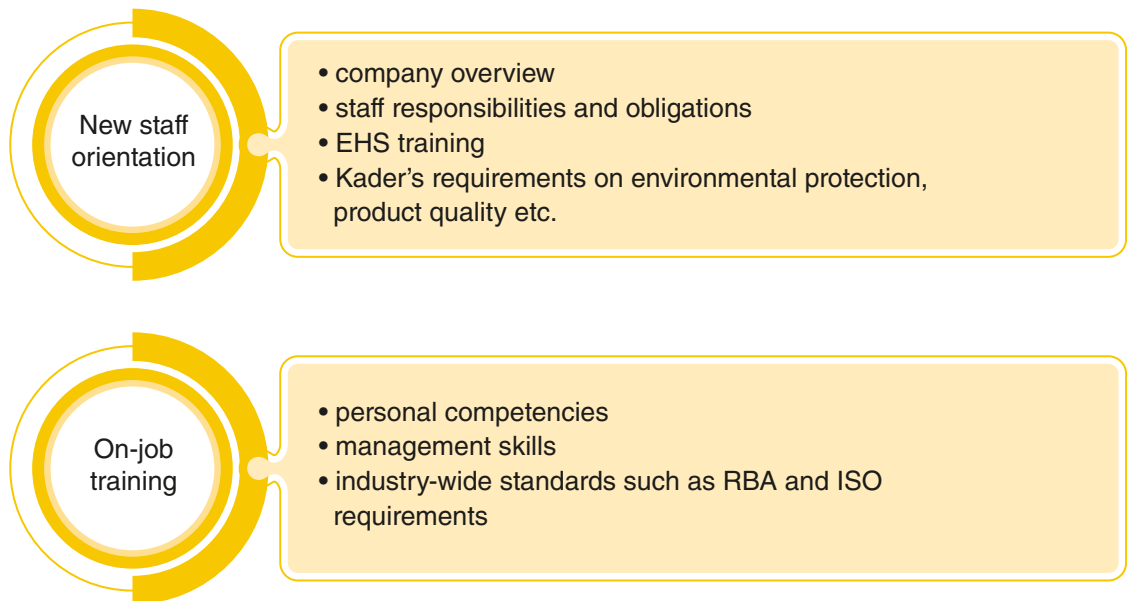
The same practice is also extended to our supply chain. In FY2019, the Group was not aware of any material non-compliance with laws and regulations relating to child and forced labour in Hong Kong and Mainland China.

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Staff Development

Through ongoing evaluations and annual performance reviews, employees' performances are assessed in an objective and fair manner. It is also an opportunity for staff to communicate with their supervisors on goal setting, training demands, difficulties encountered etc.

To nurture a professional workplace alongside with the aim of fulfilling our employees' personal development, we provide learning supports for our employees. We actively encourage our staff to further develop their strengths and potentials by offering various training programs, such that they can continue to grow with us. All new hires are required to go through our orientation and induction program to help them swiftly adapt to the new working environment. Key topics covered include the Group's core business operations, policies and corporate culture. Employees who are appointed to specific technical positions are further provided with specialist training in acquiring necessary skills and knowledge to perform their duty.



To manage our training programs systematically, annual training plans are formulated according to the Group's strategy, departmental needs, job requirements and employees' needs. Apart from internal training opportunities, we encourage employees to enhance their work-related skills and knowledge by sponsoring tuition fee for external training programs.

In FY2019, we have arranged a series of training activities, covering topics such as RBA requirements, computer competencies, data security, personal development, machine operation, safety training and management skills in order to enhance our service and product quality, as well as maximizing staff's potentials. A total of 2,096.8 hours of training was held and the training hour per employee was 0.8 hours in Mainland China.

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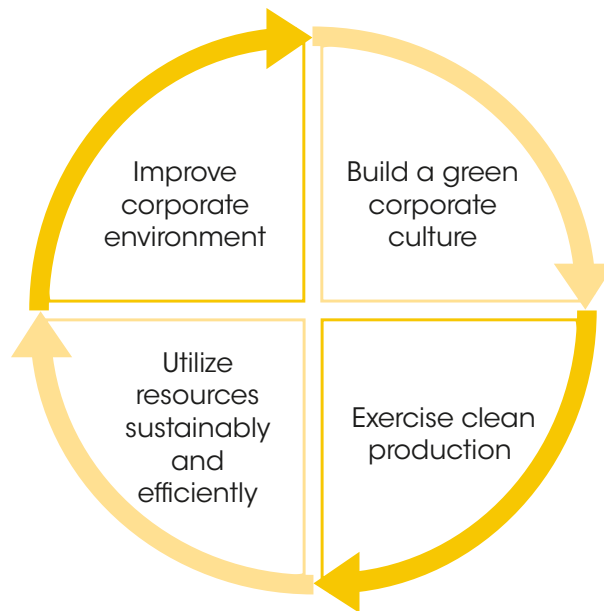
Harmonious Workplace

It is our responsibility to nurture an inclusive and harmonious working environment and thus we establish a two-way communication to understand their needs and opinions. As we believe that the employee satisfaction is the key to productivity, we devote continuous efforts to boost their morale at the workplace by collecting staff's complaints or suggestions through multiple communication channels including opinion box, staff satisfaction survey, performance review, meetings and company activities.

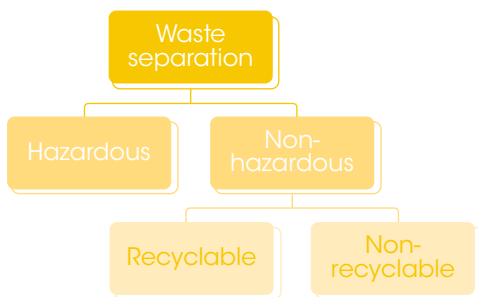
We value the relationship with our people by promoting work-life balance and building a sense of belonging towards the Group. To let our people relax from work, we have arranged various recreational activities such as Chinese New Year and Christmas celebration parties and donating free concert tickets in FY2019.

RESPONSIBLE TO THE ENVIRONMENT

We have the EHS Management System and Group Environmental Policy in place to effectively address and manage environmental issues during our operation. We strive to minimize our impacts on the environment by building a green corporate culture, exercising clean production, improving corporate environment, and utilizing resources sustainably and efficiently. A comprehensive set of policies and procedures is devised to ensure full compliance with industry standards, corporate requirements, as well as relevant environmental laws and regulations. All emissions and discharges are only carried out with valid permits and licenses.



In FY2019, we were not aware of any material non-compliance with laws and regulations relating to air and greenhouse gas emissions, discharges into water and land, generation of waste and use of resources in Hong Kong and Mainland China.



Waste Management

Waste generation from our operational activities is closely monitored through implementing the Waste Management Procedure. We exercise waste separation in our operation, which is the key approach in our waste management as it helps facilitate proper waste handling and divert useful materials from landfills.

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All waste is separated into two main types, hazardous waste and non-hazardous waste, as they require different strategies on collection, storage, transferal and disposal. They are separated into dedicated bins with clear labels. This is a vital step to isolate hazardous waste which requires different approaches to handle, and to scavenge the valuable waste for recycling.

Hazardous waste, such as organic solvents, thinner, waste paint and ink, is disposed of in strict compliance with relevant laws and regulations. These hazardous wastes are consigned to licensed hazardous waste collectors for further handling and treatment. In FY2019, the Group generated 500 liters of waste thinner and 56 tonnes of chemical waste, with the intensities of 1.42 liters/million HKD sales and 0.16 tonnes/million HKD sales respectively.

For non-hazardous wastes, they are further segregated into recyclable or non-recyclable materials. All the materials are reused as much as possible before recycling or final disposal. The collected recyclable waste is then recycled by licensed waste recyclers. For instance, waste paper is sent to paper mills for recycling. In FY2019, the Group generated a total of 104 tonnes of non-hazardous waste, with the intensity of 0.3 tonnes/million HKD sales.

Energy Efficiency

We are committed to utilizing energy efficiently and thus reducing corresponding greenhouse gas emissions by monitoring our energy usage. To understand our consumption pattern, we have measured and recorded our energy consumption systematically. Apart from monitoring, we always look for feasible opportunities to lower our energy usage. Our resource-savings practices are summarized as below:



Green initiatives

- Purchase machineries and electrical appliances with high energy efficiency
- Maintain an average indoor temperature at 25°C
- Replace traditional light bulbs with high-efficient LEDs
- Make use of natural light as much as possible
- Adjust production processes to enhance energy efficiency



Regular maintenance and inspection

- Conduct regular vehicle maintenance to ensure they are operating in good condition to increase vehicle fuel efficiency
- Monitor electricity usage closely

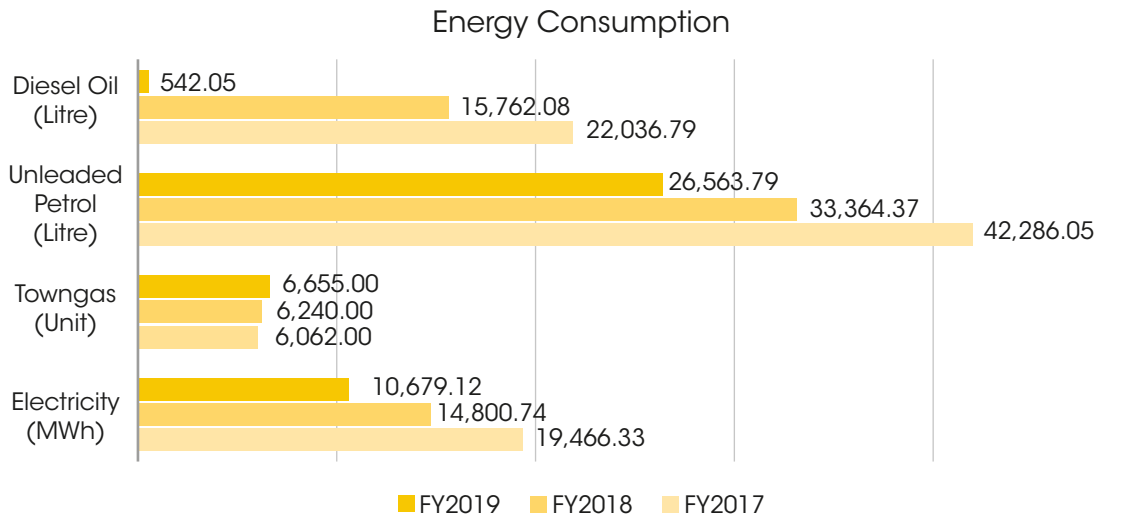


Employee awareness

- Promote energy saving behaviors
- Remind staff to switch off electrical equipment when not in use
- Provide training on best green practices

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The main sources of our energy consumption are electricity, towngas and vehicle fuels such as unleaded petrol and diesel oil. The total annual energy consumption in FY2019 is as below:



Type of Energy	Unit	Consumption
Electricity	MWh	10,679.12
Intensity	MWh/million HKD sales	30.43
Towngas	units	6,655.00
Intensity	units/million HKD sales	18.96
Unleaded petrol	liters	26,563.79
Intensity	liters/million HKD sales	75.69
Diesel oil	liters	542.05
Intensity	liters/million HKD sales	1.54

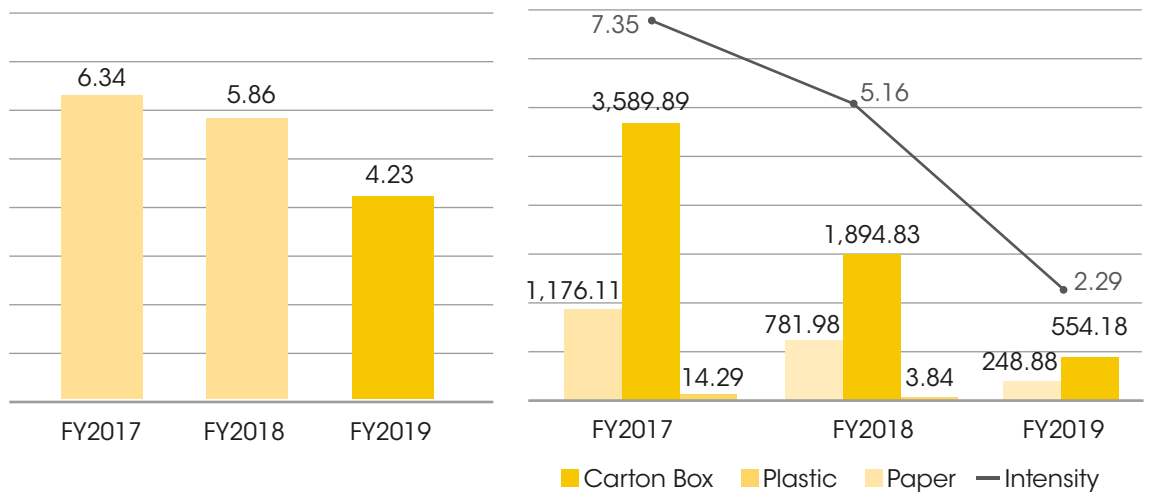
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Use of Materials

We have been promoting the idea of green office and strengthening the environmental awareness of our employees. For the waste minimization purpose, the Group strives in reducing the usage of common office consumables. Employees are also greatly encouraged to make full use of e-communication channels such as the intranet to use paper as least as possible. In FY2019, we consumed a total of 4.23 tonnes of paper at our office and factories, with an intensity of 0.012 tonnes/million HKD sales.

In addition, our production involves the use of packaging materials including carton box, paper and plastic. By optimizing our way of packaging, we strive to minimize the amount of packaging material usage. In FY2019, a total of 803.06 tonnes of packaging materials was consumed, with an intensity of 2.29 tonnes/million HKD sales.

Office Paper Consumption (tonne) Packaging Material Consumption (tonnes)



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Water Conservation

To reduce our water consumption, we have implemented an effective water management through efficient water use and water recycling. Measures carried out include monitoring our water use, inspecting water pipes regularly to prevent water leakage, and promoting water-saving behaviour to all staff. In case of water leakage, maintenance will be conducted timely to avoid wastage. For domestic water use, “water saving” signs are placed near water taps to remind our staff to treasure water resources.

During our production, the plastic moulding process relies on the use of water for cooling. Similarly, the operation of air treatment facility in paint spraying and staff kitchen also requires the use of water. In order to reduce water usage, the residual hot water or wastewater generated after the cooling process is recycled and reused in the production processes after treatment. In FY2019, there was no issue in sourcing water and the total water consumption was 127,638 m³ with an intensity of 363.7 m³/million HKD sales.

Industrial wastewater is prohibited from discharging into the domestic sewer. It must be stored in special containers and treated by licensed wastewater collectors. Domestic wastewater generated from the staff kitchen is treated to reach an acceptable level by an oil and grease trap and in-house treatment facility before discharge. To ensure the discharge of all effluents complies with relevant laws and regulations, as well as the requirements of local environmental protection authorities, we pose strict controls on our discharge activities through regular inspections by a third party. In FY2019, the total wastewater discharged was 5,030.12 m³, with an intensity of 14.33 m³/million HKD sales.

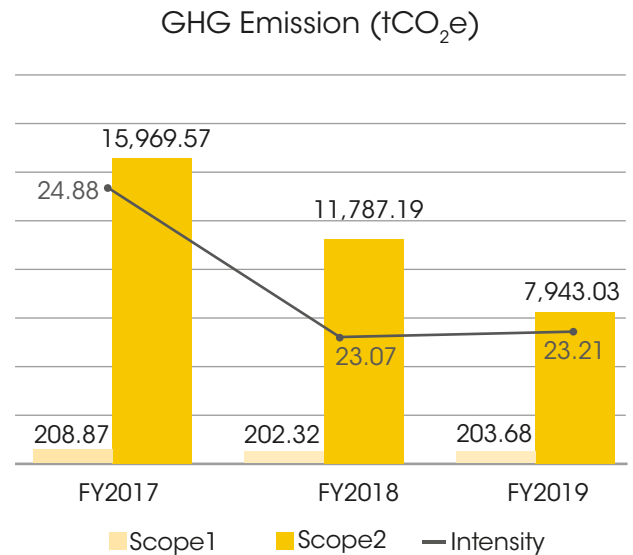
Air & Greenhouse Gas Emissions

Air emissions are generated from our production processes such as plastic moulding, paint spraying and welding. In addition, oil fume from the staff kitchen and exhausts from company vehicles are the other sources of the Group's air emission. To make sure the level of air pollutants in the emitted air is well below the legal requirements, relevant emission permits are obtained at our manufacturing sites and regular inspections on the quality of the emitted air are conducted internally and externally. In FY2019, the Group emitted 20.22 kg of NO_x, 0.41 kg of SO_x and 1.48 kg of particulate matter (“PM”), generated by the use of towngas and vehicle fuels.

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We are dedicated to lowering our emissions of air pollutants through the following mitigation and reduction initiatives:

- Use water-based and environmentally friendly paints with low volatile organic compound (“VOC”) content
- Collect and treat exhaust gases containing VOCs centrally by our in-house air treatment facility, which is equipped with activated carbon absorber
- Install oil mist separators to minimize impacts in relation to oil fume emissions
- Upgrade the vehicle fleet with more electric cars in service



In view of global warming and climate change, our main approach to greenhouse gas (“GHG”) emission reduction is efficient energy usage, which is detailed in the section “Energy Efficiency” in this report. In FY2019, the Group emitted a total of 8,146.71 tCO₂e of GHG, with an intensity of 23.21 tCO₂e/million HKD sales, contributed by the use of electricity, town gas, vehicle fuels and refrigerant.

Noise Control

Noise is inevitably generated from vehicles and machineries at our manufacturing facilities. In order to reduce the noise level and nuisance to the surrounding, we have adopted noise mitigation measures and conducted regular maintenance to ensure the equipment is in good condition. We also strictly adhere to the noise level standards according to the relevant laws and regulations by carrying out monthly noise level inspection.

Minimizing Environmental Impacts

The Group is committed to mitigating negative environmental impacts linked with our business activities, and strives to drive towards a common vision of managing environmental issues across the Group. We have emergency procedures in place to deal with any incidents, such as chemical leakage and fire accidents, that will potentially bring adverse impacts to the environment. In addition, the EHS committee will hold EHS meeting regularly to review the Group’s environmental performance and discuss any matters related to environmental protection.

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APPENDIX: PERFORMANCE DATA SUMMARY

	Unit	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019
Total number of employees	–	1,576	1,241	1,005
By gender				
Male	–	682	562	415
Female	–	894	679	590
By employment type				
Permanent	–	1,576	1,241	1,005
Temporary	–	0	0	0
By age				
<30 years old	–	295	235	143
30 – 50 years old	–	1,163	897	747
>50 years old	–	118	109	115
By geographical region				
Hong Kong	–	111	105	100
Mainland China	–	1,465	1,136	905
Occupational health and safety performance				
Number of work-related fatalities	–	0	0	0
Rate of work-related fatalities	–	0	0	0
Lost days due to work-related injury	–	116	111.5	86
Training and development¹				
Number of employees trained by gender				
Male	–	2,165	1,751	1,386
Female	–	2,091	1,665	1,235

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	Unit	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019
Number of employees trained by employee category				
Management	–	30	31	26
General staff	–	4,226	3,385	2,595
Average training hours by gender				
Male	hours	0.67	1.20	0.80
Female	hours	0.67	1.20	0.80
Average training hours by employee category				
Management	hours	0.67	1.20	0.80
General staff	hours	0.67	1.20	0.80
Total number of suppliers	–	154	139	147
By geographical region				
Hong Kong	–	118	107	108
Mainland China	–	32	29	35
Others	–	4	3	4
Energy consumption²				
Electricity	MWh	19,466.33	14,800.74	10,679.12
Intensity	MWh/million HKD sales	29.94	28.48	30.43
Towngas	units	6,062.00	6,240.00	6,655.00
Intensity	units/million HKD sales	9.32	12.01	18.96

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	Unit	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019
Unleaded petrol	liters	42,286.05	33,364.37	26,563.79
Intensity	liters/million HKD sales	65.04	64.21	75.69
Diesel oil	liters	22,036.79	15,762.08	542.05
Intensity	liters/million HKD sales	33.89	30.33	1.54
Paper consumption				
Office paper	tonnes	6.34	5.86	4.23
Intensity	tonnes/million HKD sales	0.010	0.011	0.012
Packaging materials				
Carton box	tonnes	3,589.89	1,894.83	554.18
Plastic	tonnes	14.29	3.84	–
Paper	tonnes	1,176.11	781.98	248.88
Total	tonnes	4,780.29	2,680.65	803.06
Intensity	tonnes/million HKD sales	7.35	5.16	2.29
Waste generation				
Hazardous waste				
Waste thinner	liters ³	7,400.00	2,400.00	500.00
Intensity	liters/million HKD sales	11.38	4.62	1.42
Chemical waste	tonnes	–	18.00	56.00
Intensity	tonnes/million HKD sales	–	0.03	0.16

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	Unit	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019
Non-hazardous waste				
Waste paper	tonnes	197.43	208.93	104.00
Food waste	tonnes	0.28	0.24	–
Total	tonnes	197.71	209.17	104.00
Intensity	tonnes/million HKD sales	0.30	0.40	0.30
Water resources				
Freshwater consumption	m ³	501,300.00	386,909.00	127,638.00 ⁴
Intensity	m ³ /million HKD sales	771.05	744.62	363.70
Wastewater discharge	m ³	6,061.53	7,004.48	5,030.12 ⁴
Intensity	m ³ /million HKD sales	9.32	13.48	14.33
Greenhouse gas emissions⁵				
Scope 1 ⁶	tCO ₂ e	208.87	202.32	203.68
Scope 2 ⁷	tCO ₂ e	15,969.57	11,787.19	7,943.03
Total	tCO ₂ e	16,178.44	11,989.51	8,146.71
Intensity	tCO ₂ e/million HKD sales	24.88	23.07	23.21
Air emissions⁸				
NO _x	kg	–	93.70	20.22
SO _x	kg	–	0.75	0.41
PM	kg	–	11.86	1.48

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- ¹ Data on training and development only cover the manufacturing facilities at Gao Bu. FY2017's and FY2018's data are restated due to the change of calculation method.
- ² Our energy consumption is fixed operation usage for office and manufacturing facilities. The increase in energy intensity is mainly due to the decrease in our sales.
- ³ For waste thinner, the measurement unit is liters. No information on weight is available. Figure of FY2018 waste thinner is restated to reflect the actual situation due to the change of measurement methodology while the figure of FY2017 remains unchanged as no adjustment is available. We will continue to strengthen the monitoring of waste treatment.
- ⁴ Figures on freshwater consumption and wastewater discharge are based on available information and estimation.
- ⁵ The GHG emission is calculated based on the "How to prepare an ESG Report? Appendix 2: Reporting Guidance on Environmental KPIs" published by HKEx and international standards such as ISO 14064 and GHG Protocol.
- ⁶ Scope 1 represents direct GHG emissions generated by the use of town gas, unleaded petrol, diesel oil and refrigerant.
- ⁷ Scope 2 represents energy indirect GHG emissions generated by the use of town gas and electricity.
- ⁸ There was no available information in FY2017.

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HKEx ESG REPORTING GUIDE INDEX

HKEx ESG Reporting Guide General Disclosures & KPIs		Explanation/ Reference Section
Aspect A Environmental		
A1 Emission	Information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – the policies; and – compliance with relevant laws and regulations that have a significant impact on the issuer relating to air and greenhouse gas emissions, discharges into water and land, and generation of hazardous and non-hazardous wastes. 	Responsible to The Environment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Waste Management, Air & Greenhouse Gas Emissions
KPI A1.1	The types of emissions and respective emissions data.	Responsible to The Environment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Air & Greenhouse Gas Emissions
KPI A1.2	Greenhouse gas emissions in total (in tonnes) and, where appropriate, intensity (e.g. per unit of production volume, per facility).	Responsible to The Environment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Air & Greenhouse Gas Emissions
KPI A1.3	Total hazardous waste produced (in tonnes) and, where appropriate, intensity (e.g. per unit of production volume, per facility).	Responsible to The Environment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Waste Management
KPI A1.4	Total non-hazardous waste produced (in tonnes) and where appropriate, intensity (e.g. per unit of production volume, per facility).	Responsible to The Environment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Waste Management
KPI A1.5	Description of measures to mitigate emissions and results achieved.	Responsible to The Environment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Air & Greenhouse Gas Emissions

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HKEx ESG Reporting Guide General Disclosures & KPIs		Explanation/ Reference Section
KPI A1.6	Description of how hazardous and non-hazardous wastes are handled, reduction initiatives and results achieved.	Responsible to The Environment – Waste Management
A2 Use of Resource	Policies on efficient use of resources including energy, water and other raw materials.	Responsible to The Environment – Energy Efficiency, Use of Materials, Water Conservation
KPI A2.1	Direct and/or indirect energy consumption by type (e.g. electricity, gas or oil) in total (kWh in '000s) and intensity (e.g. per unit of production volume, per facility).	Responsible to The Environment – Energy Efficiency
KPI A2.2	Water consumption in total and intensity (e.g. per unit of production volume, per facility).	Responsible to The Environment – Water Conservation
KPI A2.3	Description of energy use efficiency initiatives and results achieved.	Responsible to The Environment – Energy Efficiency
KPI A2.4	Description of whether there is any issue in sourcing water that is fit for purpose, water efficiency initiatives and results achieved.	Responsible to The Environment – Water Conservation
KPI A2.5	Total packaging material used for finished products (in tonnes), and, if applicable, with reference to per unit produced.	Responsible to The Environment – Use of Materials

Environmental, Social & Governance Report *(Continued)*

HKEx ESG Reporting Guide General Disclosures & KPIs		Explanation/ Reference Section
A3 The Environment and Natural Resources	Policies on minimising the issuer's significant impact on the environment and natural resources.	Responsible to The Environment – Noise Control, Minimizing Environmental Impacts
KPI A3.1	Description of the significant impacts of activities on the environment and natural resources and the actions taken to manage them.	Responsible to The Environment – Noise Control, Minimizing Environmental Impacts
Aspect B Social		
B1 Employment	Information on: – the policies; and – compliance with relevant laws and regulations that have a significant impact on the issuer relating to compensation and dismissal, recruitment and promotion, working hours, rest periods, equal opportunity, diversity, anti-discrimination, and other benefits and welfare.	A Responsible Employer – Employment Standards
KPI B1.1	Total workforce by gender, employment type, age group and geographical region.	A Responsible Employer – Employment Standards
KPI B1.2	Employee turnover rate by gender, age group and geographical region.	Not applicable

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HKEx ESG Reporting Guide General Disclosures & KPIs		Explanation/ Reference Section
B2 Health and Safety	Information on: – the policies; and – compliance with relevant laws and regulations that have a significant impacts on the issuer relating to providing a safe working environment and protecting employees from occupational hazards.	A Responsible Employer – Occupational Health & Safety
KPI B2.1	Number and rate of work-related fatalities.	A Responsible Employer – Occupational Health & Safety
KPI B2.2	Lost days due to work injury.	A Responsible Employer – Occupational Health & Safety
KPI B2.3	Description of occupational health and safety measures adopted, how they are implemented and monitored.	A Responsible Employer – Occupational Health & Safety
B3 Development and Training	Policies on improving employees' knowledge and skills for discharging duties at work. Description of training activities.	A Responsible Employer – Staff Development
KPI B3.1	The percentage of employees trained by gender and employee category (e.g. senior management, middle management).	A Responsible Employer – Staff Development
KPI B3.2	The average training hours completed per employee by gender and employee category	A Responsible Employer – Staff Development

Environmental, Social & Governance Report *(Continued)*

HKEx ESG Reporting Guide General Disclosures & KPIs		Explanation/ Reference Section
B4 Labour Standard	Information on: – the policies; and – compliance with relevant laws and regulations that have a significant impact on the issuer relating to preventing child and forced labour.	A Responsible Employer – Child & Forced Labour
KPI B4.1	Description of measures to review employment practices to avoid child and forced labour.	A Responsible Employer – Child & Forced Labour
KPI B4.2	Description of steps taken to eliminate such practices when discovered.	A Responsible Employer – Child & Forced Labour
B5 Supply Chain Management	Policies on managing environmental and social risks of supply chain.	A Responsible Producer – Supply Chain Management
KPI B5.1	Number of suppliers by geographical region.	A Responsible Producer – Supply Chain Management
KPI B5.2	Description of practices relating to engaging suppliers, number of suppliers where the practices are being implemented, how they are implemented and monitored.	Not applicable
B6 Product Responsibility	Information on: – the policies; and – compliance with relevant laws and regulations that have a significant impact on the issuer relating to health and safety, advertising, labelling and privacy matters relating to products and services provided and methods of redress.	A Responsible Producer – Product Responsibility, Customer Privacy & Intellectual Property Rights

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HKEx ESG Reporting Guide General Disclosures & KPIs		Explanation/ Reference Section
KPI B6.1	Percentage of total products sold or shipped subject to recalls for safety and health reasons.	A Responsible Producer – Product Responsibility
KPI B6.2	Number of products and service related complaints received and how they are dealt with.	A Responsible Producer – Product Responsibility
KPI B6.3	Description of practices relating to observing and protecting intellectual property rights.	A Responsible Producer – Customer Privacy & Intellectual Property Rights
KPI B6.4	Description of quality assurance process and recall procedures.	A Responsible Producer – Product Responsibility
KPI B6.5	Description of consumer data protection and privacy policies, how they are implemented and monitored.	A Responsible Producer – Customer Privacy & Intellectual Property Rights

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HKEx ESG Reporting Guide General Disclosures & KPIs		Explanation/ Reference Section
B7 Anti-corruption	Information on: – the policies; and – compliance with relevant laws and regulations that have a significant impact on the issuer relating to bribery, extortion, fraud and money laundering.	A Responsible Producer – Business Conduct
KPI B7.1	Number of concluded legal cases regarding corrupt practices brought against the issuer or its employees during the reporting period and the outcomes of the cases.	A Responsible Producer – Business Conduct
KPI B7.2	Description of preventive measures and whistle-blowing procedures, how they are implemented and monitored.	A Responsible Producer – Business Conduct
B8 Community Investment	Policies on community engagement to understand the needs of the communities where the issuer operates and to ensure its activities take into consideration the communities' interests.	A Responsible Producer – Community Involvement
KPI B8.1	Focus areas of contribution (e.g. education, environmental concerns, labour needs, health, culture, sport).	Not applicable
KPI B8.2	Resources contributed (e.g. money or time) to the focus area.	Not applicable

Independent Auditor's Report



to the shareholders of Kader Holdings Company Limited
(Incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability)

OPINION

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Kader Holdings Company Limited (“the Company”) and its subsidiaries (“the Group”) set out on pages 69 to 184, which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2019, the consolidated statement of profit or loss, the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of changes in equity and the consolidated cash flow statement for the year then ended and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements give a true and fair view of the consolidated financial position of the Group as at 31 December 2019 and of its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards (“HKFRSs”) issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants (“HKICPA”) and have been properly prepared in compliance with the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

BASIS FOR OPINION

We conducted our audit in accordance with Hong Kong Standards on Auditing (“HKSA”) issued by the HKICPA. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor’s responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the HKICPA’s *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* (“the Code”) together with any ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements in Bermuda, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

KEY AUDIT MATTERS

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

Independent Auditor's Report *(Continued)*

KEY AUDIT MATTERS *(Continued)*

Valuation of investment properties

Refer to note 11 to the consolidated financial statements and the accounting policies on page 82.

The Key Audit Matter

At 31 December 2019 the Group held investment properties, which comprised an industrial building located in Hong Kong, with a fair value of HK\$2,008 million and which accounted for 70% of the Group's total assets at that date.

The fair value of the investment properties at 31 December 2019 was assessed by the directors primarily based on an independent valuation report prepared by a firm of qualified external property valuers.

The net change in fair value of investment properties recorded in the consolidated statement of profit or loss was HK\$52 million for the year ended 31 December 2019.

We identified the valuation of investment properties as a key audit matter because of the significance of investment properties to the Group's total assets and the significance of the change in the fair value of investment properties to the Group's loss for the year and because the valuation of investment properties can be inherently subjective and requires significant judgements and estimates, particularly in selecting the appropriate valuation methodology, capitalisation rates and market rents.

How the matter was addressed in our audit

Our audit procedures to assess the valuation of investment properties included the following:

- obtaining and inspecting the valuation report prepared by the external property valuers engaged by management and on which the directors' assessment of the fair value of investment properties was based;
- assessing the external property valuers' qualifications, experience and expertise in the location and type of property subject to valuation and considering their objectivity and independence;
- with the assistance of our internal property valuation specialists, discussing with the external property valuers, without the presence of management, their valuation methodology with reference to the requirements of the prevailing accounting standards and challenging the key estimates and assumptions adopted in the valuation by comparing capitalisation rates, prevailing market rents and comparable market transactions with the available market data and by utilising the industry knowledge and experience of our internal property valuation specialists; and
- comparing tenancy information, including committed rents and occupancy rates, provided by the Group to the external property valuers with underlying contracts and related documentation, on a sample basis.

Independent Auditor's Report *(Continued)*

KEY AUDIT MATTERS *(Continued)*

Potential impairment of property, plant and equipment in the toys and model trains segment

Refer to note 11 to the consolidated financial statements and the accounting policies on pages 83 and 84.

The Key Audit Matter

The carrying value of the Group's other property, plant and equipment amounted to HK\$226 million at 31 December 2019. The Group's other property, plant and equipment principally comprised land and buildings together with plant and equipment used in the toys and model trains segment of the Group.

Given the increasing pressure on sales prices and market competition in the toys and model trains sector, management considered that there is a risk that the carrying value of these assets may not be fully recoverable through future cash flows to be generated from operations or from their disposal and determined that an impairment assessment of these assets was required.

The recoverable amount of property, plant and equipment relating to the toys and model trains segment is determined by management based on the value in use of these assets. Management prepared a discounted cash flow forecast, taking into consideration subjective factors such as the discount rate, future revenue, future margins and future cost growth rates. The net present value of the cash flow forecast was compared with the carrying value of the cash generating unit ("CGU") to which the relevant property, plant and equipment was allocated to determine whether any impairment loss should be recognised.

We identified the potential impairment of property, plant and equipment in the toys and model trains segment of the Group as a key audit matter because determining the level of impairment, if any, involves a significant degree of management judgement, particularly in forecasting future cash flows and in determining the discount rate applied in the impairment assessment, both of which are inherently uncertain and could be subject to management bias.

How the matter was addressed in our audit

Our audit procedures to assess potential impairment of property, plant and equipment in the toys and model trains segment included the following:

- evaluating management's identification of the CGU which comprised the toys and model trains segment and the allocation of assets to that CGU;
- with the assistance of our internal valuation specialists, assessing the methodology adopted in the preparation of the discounted cash flow forecast by management, with reference to the requirements of the prevailing accounting standards, and whether the discount rate adopted in the discounted cash flow forecast was within the normal range of those of comparable entities;
- comparing the most significant inputs used in the discounted cash flow forecast, including future revenue, future margins and future cost growth rates to the historical performance of the CGU and publicly available industry reports, taking into account recent developments in the toys and model trains sector, the Group's future business plans and the financial budget which was approved by the directors;
- comparing the relevant revenue and operating costs included in the discounted cash flow forecast prepared by management in the prior year with the current year's actual performance to assess the accuracy of the prior year's forecast and making enquiries of management as to the reasons for any significant variations identified; and
- obtaining from management sensitivity analyses of both revenue and the discount rate and assessing the impact of changes in these key assumptions on the conclusions reached in the impairment assessment and whether there were any indicators of management bias.

Independent Auditor's Report *(Continued)*

INFORMATION OTHER THAN THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND AUDITOR'S REPORT THEREON

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises all the information included in the annual report, other than the consolidated financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed on the other information that we obtained prior to the date of this auditor's report, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The directors are responsible for the preparation of the consolidated financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with HKFRSs issued by the HKICPA and the disclosure requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, the directors are responsible for assessing the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The directors are assisted by the Audit Committee in discharging their responsibilities for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

Independent Auditor's Report *(Continued)*

AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE AUDIT OF THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. This report is made solely to you, as a body, in accordance with Section 90 of the Bermuda Companies Act 1981, and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility towards or accept liability to any other person for the contents of this report.

Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with HKSA's will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with HKSA's, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Group's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.

Independent Auditor's Report *(Continued)*

AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE AUDIT OF THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS *(Continued)*

- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the Group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with the Audit Committee regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the Audit Committee with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence and communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence and, where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with the Audit Committee, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Sylvene Fong.

KPMG

Certified Public Accountants

8th Floor, Prince's Building
10 Chater Road
Central, Hong Kong
27 March 2020

Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss

For the year ended 31 December 2019

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

	Note	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000 (Note)
Revenue	3, 10	444,147	663,688
Other (net loss)/income	4	(23,613)	2,169
Changes in inventories of finished goods and work in progress		(16,544)	(10,941)
Cost of purchase of finished goods		(8,462)	(17,595)
Raw materials and consumables used		(80,500)	(184,566)
Staff costs	5(b)	(187,898)	(220,355)
Depreciation	11	(35,446)	(24,474)
Other operating expenses	5(c)	(115,533)	(152,821)
(Loss)/profit from operations		(23,849)	55,105
Finance costs	5(a)	(12,387)	(7,781)
Share of profits less losses of associates	14	(25,331)	25,593
Impairment loss of loans to an associate		(3,025)	–
Surplus on revaluation of investment properties	11	51,532	142,888
(Loss)/profit before taxation	5	(13,060)	215,805
Income tax expense	6	(981)	(34,401)
(Loss)/profit for the year		<u>(14,041)</u>	<u>181,404</u>
Attributable to:			
Equity shareholders of the Company		(14,364)	181,750
Non-controlling interests		323	(346)
(Loss)/profit for the year		<u>(14,041)</u>	<u>181,404</u>
(Loss)/earnings per share	9		
Basic		(1.51)¢	19.12¢
Diluted		(1.51)¢	19.12¢

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 at 1 January 2019 using the modified retrospective approach. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

The notes on pages 76 to 184 form part of these financial statements. Details of dividends payable to equity shareholders of the Company are set out in note 28(b).

Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income

For the year ended 31 December 2019

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

	Note	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000 (Note)
(Loss)/profit for the year		(14,041)	181,404
Other comprehensive income for the year (after tax and reclassification adjustments)			
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:			
Exchange differences on translation of financial statements of subsidiaries outside Hong Kong, net of HK\$Nil tax		3,841	2,407
Release of exchange reserve upon deregistration of subsidiaries	4	<u>40,673</u>	<u>—</u>
Total comprehensive income for the year		<u>30,473</u>	<u>183,811</u>
Attributable to:			
Equity shareholders of the Company		30,209	184,286
Non-controlling interests		<u>264</u>	<u>(475)</u>
Total comprehensive income for the year		<u>30,473</u>	<u>183,811</u>

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 at 1 January 2019 using the modified retrospective approach. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

The notes on pages 76 to 184 form part of these financial statements.

Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

At 31 December 2019

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

	Note	At 31 December 2019 HK\$'000	At 31 December 2018 HK\$'000 (Note)
Non-current assets			
Investment properties	11	2,007,898	1,945,733
Other property, plant and equipment	11	225,532	145,327
		<u>2,233,430</u>	<u>2,091,060</u>
Intangible assets	12	366	399
Interest in associates	14	82,855	89,248
Other financial assets	16	24,955	13,941
Deposits and prepayments	15	2,028	14,708
Deferred tax assets	24(b)	9,709	6,494
		<u>2,353,343</u>	<u>2,215,850</u>
Current assets			
Other financial assets	16	5,000	5,000
Trading securities	17	7,892	10,804
Inventories	18(a)	239,679	260,447
Current tax recoverable	24(a)	7,088	1,021
Loans to an associate	14	23,709	18,177
Trade and other receivables	19	129,210	127,169
Cash and cash equivalents	20(a)	107,978	95,886
		<u>520,556</u>	<u>518,504</u>
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables and contract liabilities	21	119,662	116,194
Bank loans	22	323,733	267,937
Lease liabilities	23	10,194	–
Current tax payable	24(a)	20,799	26,695
		<u>474,388</u>	<u>410,826</u>
Net current assets		<u>46,168</u>	<u>107,678</u>

Consolidated Statement of Financial Position *(Continued)*

At 31 December 2019

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

		At 31 December 2019	At 31 December 2018
	Note	HK\$'000	HK\$'000 (Note)
Total assets less current liabilities		2,399,511	2,323,528
Non-current liabilities			
Lease liabilities	23	55,412	–
Deferred rental expenses	25	–	3,706
Rental deposits	26	3,615	1,025
Deferred tax liabilities	24(b)	24,377	23,603
Accrued employee benefits	27	38	92
		<u>83,442</u>	<u>28,426</u>
NET ASSETS		<u>2,316,069</u>	<u>2,295,102</u>
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Share capital	28(c)	95,059	95,059
Reserves		<u>2,218,284</u>	<u>2,197,581</u>
Total equity attributable to equity shareholders of the Company		2,313,343	2,292,640
Non-controlling interests		<u>2,726</u>	<u>2,462</u>
TOTAL EQUITY		<u>2,316,069</u>	<u>2,295,102</u>

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 at 1 January 2019 using the modified retrospective approach. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

Approved and authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 27 March 2020

Kenneth Ting Woo-shou
Director

Nancy Ting Wang Wan-sun
Director

The notes on pages 76 to 184 form part of these financial statements.

Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

For the year ended 31 December 2019

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

	Attributable to equity shareholders of the Company										
	Share capital	Share premium	Capital reserve	Contributed surplus	Exchange reserve	Land and buildings revaluation reserve	Fair value reserve	Retained profits	Total	Non-controlling interest	Total equity
Note	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Balance at 31 December 2017	95,059	185,138	10,815	173,397	(68,609)	62,667	5,102	1,663,797	2,127,366	2,937	2,130,303
Impact on initial application of HKFRS 9	-	-	-	-	-	-	(5,102)	5,102	-	-	-
Adjusted balances at 1 January 2018	95,059	185,138	10,815	173,397	(68,609)	62,667	-	1,668,899	2,127,366	2,937	2,130,303
Changes in equity for 2018:											
Profit for the year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	181,750	181,750	(346)	181,404
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	2,536	-	-	-	2,536	(129)	2,407
Total comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	2,536	-	-	181,750	184,286	(475)	183,811
Dividends approved in respect of the previous year	28(b)(ii)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(19,012)	(19,012)	-	(19,012)
Balance at 31 December 2018 and 1 January 2019	95,059	185,138	10,815	173,397	(66,073)	62,667	-	1,831,637	2,292,640	2,462	2,295,102
Changes in equity for 2019:											
Loss for the year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(14,364)	(14,364)	323	(14,041)
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	44,573	-	-	-	44,573	(59)	44,514
Total comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	44,573	-	-	(14,364)	30,209	264	30,473
Dividends approved in respect of the previous year	28(b)(ii)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(9,506)	(9,506)	-	(9,506)
Balance at 31 December 2019	95,059	185,138	10,815	173,397	(21,500)	62,667	-	1,807,767	2,313,343	2,726	2,316,069

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 at 1 January 2019 using the modified retrospective approach. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

The notes on pages 76 to 184 form part of these financial statements.

Consolidated Cash Flow Statement

For the year ended 31 December 2019

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

	Note	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000 (Note)
Operating activities			
Cash generated from operations	20(b)	55,024	131,212
Tax paid:			
Hong Kong Profits Tax paid		(6,067)	(23,201)
Tax outside Hong Kong paid		(8,918)	(17,031)
		<u>40,039</u>	<u>90,980</u>
Net cash generated from operating activities			
Investing activities			
Payment for the purchase of other property, plant and equipment		(54,615)	(52,251)
Proceeds from sale of other property, plant and equipment		1,848	3,189
Decrease in non-current deposits and prepayments		12,680	1,443
Payment for purchase of other financial assets		(12,872)	(1,950)
Proceeds from sale of other financial assets		2,949	–
Payment for purchase of trading securities		(12,656)	(3,191)
Proceeds from sale of trading securities		17,610	4,619
Payment for purchase of other financial assets at amortised costs		–	(5,000)
Interest received		2,191	1,841
(Increase)/decrease in amounts due from associates		(13)	397
Loans advanced to an associate		(14,492)	(860)
Loans repaid from an associate		5,935	8,557
		<u>(51,435)</u>	<u>(43,206)</u>
Net cash used in investing activities			

Consolidated Cash Flow Statement (Continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2019

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars)

	Note	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000 (Note)
Financing activities			
Capital element of lease rentals paid	20(c)	(9,995)	–
Interest element of lease rentals paid	20(c)	(2,981)	–
Proceeds from new bank loans	20(c)	484,620	338,440
Repayment of bank loans	20(c)	(429,264)	(353,416)
Other borrowing costs paid	20(c)	(9,406)	(7,781)
Dividend paid to equity shareholders of the Company	28	(9,506)	(19,012)
Net cash generated from/(used in) financing activities		23,468	(41,769)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		12,072	6,005
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January		95,886	91,591
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes		20	(1,710)
Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December	20(a)	107,978	95,886

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 at 1 January 2019 using the modified retrospective approach. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

The notes on pages 76 to 184 form part of these financial statements.

Notes to the Financial Statements

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with all applicable Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards (“HKFRSs”), which collective term includes all applicable individual Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards, Hong Kong Accounting Standards (“HKASs”) and Interpretations issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants (“HKICPA”) and accounting principles generally accepted in Hong Kong and the requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance. These financial statements also comply with the applicable disclosure provisions of the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (“Listing Rules”). Significant accounting policies adopted by the Group are disclosed below.

The HKICPA has issued certain new and revised HKFRSs that are first effective or available for early adoption for the current accounting period of the Group. Note 2 provides information on any changes in accounting policies resulting from initial application of these developments to the extent that they are relevant to the Group for the current and prior accounting periods reflected in these financial statements.

(b) Basis of preparation of the financial statements

The consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 comprise the Company and its subsidiaries (together referred to as the “Group”) and the Group’s interest in associates.

The measurement basis used in the preparation of the financial statements is the historical cost basis except that the following assets and liabilities are stated at their fair value as explained in the accounting policies set out below:

- investment properties, including interests in leasehold land and buildings held as investment property where the Group is the registered owner of the property interest (see note 1(g)); and
- debt and equity investments (see note 1(f)).

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(b) Basis of preparation of the financial statements *(continued)*

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with HKFRSs requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis of making the judgements about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

Judgements made by management in the application of HKFRSs that have a significant effect on the financial statements and major sources of estimation uncertainty are discussed in note 34.

(c) Subsidiaries and non-controlling interests

Subsidiaries are entities controlled by the Group. The Group controls an entity when it is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity. When assessing whether the Group has power, only substantive rights (held by the Group and other parties) are considered.

An investment in a subsidiary is consolidated into the consolidated financial statements from the date that control commences until the date that control ceases. Intra-group balances, transactions and cash flows and any unrealised profits arising from intra-group transactions are eliminated in full in preparing the consolidated financial statements. Unrealised losses resulting from intra-group transactions are eliminated in the same way as unrealised gains but only to the extent that there is no evidence of impairment.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(c) Subsidiaries and non-controlling interests *(continued)*

Non-controlling interests represent the equity in a subsidiary not attributable directly or indirectly to the Company, and in respect of which the Group has not agreed any additional terms with the holders of those interests which would result in the Group as a whole having a contractual obligation in respect of those interests that meets the definition of a financial liability. For each business combination, the Group can elect to measure any non-controlling interests either at fair value or at the non-controlling interests' proportionate share of the subsidiary's net identifiable assets.

Non-controlling interests are presented in the consolidated statement of financial position within equity, separately from equity attributable to the equity shareholders of the Company. Non-controlling interests in the results of the Group are presented on the face of the consolidated statement of profit or loss and the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income as an allocation of the total profit or loss and total comprehensive income for the year between non-controlling interests and the equity shareholders of the Company.

Changes in the Group's interests in a subsidiary that do not result in a loss of control are accounted for as equity transactions, whereby adjustments are made to the amounts of controlling and non-controlling interests within consolidated equity to reflect the change in relative interests, but no adjustments are made to goodwill and no gain or loss is recognised.

When the Group loses control of a subsidiary, it is accounted for as a disposal of the entire interest in that subsidiary, with a resulting gain or loss being recognised in profit or loss. Any interest retained in that former subsidiary at the date when control is lost is recognised at fair value and this amount is regarded as the fair value on initial recognition of a financial asset (see note 1(f)) or, when appropriate, the cost on initial recognition of an investment in an associate (see note 1(d)).

In the Company's statement of financial position, an interest in a subsidiary is stated at cost less any impairment losses (see note 1(k)(ii)).

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(d) Associates

An associate is an entity in which the Group has significant influence, but not control or joint control, over its management, including participation in the financial and operating policy decisions.

An investment in an associate is accounted for in the consolidated financial statements under the equity method. Under the equity method, the investment is initially recorded at cost, adjusted for any excess of the Group's share of the acquisition-date fair value of the investee's identifiable net assets over the cost of the investment (if any). The cost of the investment includes purchase price, other costs directly attributable to the acquisition of the investment, and any direct investment into the associate that forms part of the Group's equity investment. Thereafter, the investment is adjusted for the post acquisition change in the Group's share of the investee's net assets and any impairment loss relating to the investment (see note 1(k)(ii)). Any acquisition-date excess over cost, the Group's share of the post-acquisition, post-tax results of the investees and any impairment losses for the year are recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss, whereas the Group's share of the post-acquisition, post-tax items of the investees' other comprehensive income is recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

When the Group's share of losses exceeds its interest in the associate, the Group's interest is reduced to nil and recognition of further losses is discontinued except to the extent that the Group has incurred legal or constructive obligations or made payments on behalf of the investee. For this purpose, the Group's interest is the carrying amount of the investment under the equity method together with any other long-term interests that in substance form part of the Group's net investment in the associate (after applying the ECL model to such other long-term interests where applicable (see note 1(k)(i))).

Unrealised profits and losses resulting from transactions between the Group and its associates are eliminated to the extent of the Group's interest in the investee, except where unrealised losses provide evidence of an impairment of the asset transferred, in which case they are recognised immediately in profit or loss.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(d) Associates *(continued)*

If an investment in an associate becomes an investment in a joint venture, the retained interest is not remeasured. Instead, the investment continues to be accounted for under the equity method.

In all other cases, when the Group ceases to have significant influence over an associate, it is accounted for as a disposal of the entire interest in that investee, with a resulting gain or loss being recognised in profit or loss. Any interest retained in that former investee at the date when significant influence is lost is recognised at fair value and this amount is regarded as the fair value on initial recognition of a financial asset (see note 1(f)).

In the Company's statement of financial position, investments in associates are stated at cost less impairment losses (see note 1(k)(ii)).

(e) Goodwill

Goodwill represents the excess of

- (i) the aggregate of the fair value of the consideration transferred, the amount of any non-controlling interest in the acquiree and the fair value of the Group's previously held equity interest in the acquiree; over
- (ii) the net fair value of the acquiree's identifiable assets and liabilities measured as at the acquisition date.

When (ii) is greater than (i), then this excess is recognised immediately in profit or loss as a gain on a bargain purchase.

Goodwill is stated at cost less accumulated impairment losses. Goodwill arising on a business combination is allocated to each cash-generating unit, or groups of cash-generating units, that is expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination and is tested annually for impairment (see note 1(k)(ii)).

On disposal of a cash generating unit during the year, any attributable amount of purchased goodwill is included in the calculation of the profit or loss on disposal.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(f) Other investments in debt and equity securities

The Group's policies for investments in debt and equity securities, other than investments in subsidiaries and associates are set out below.

Investments in debt and equity securities are recognised/derecognised on the date the Group commits to purchase/sell the investment. The investments are initially stated at fair value plus directly attributable transaction costs, except for those investments measured at fair value through profit or loss ("FVPL") for which transaction costs are recognised directly in profit or loss. For an explanation of how the Group determines fair value of financial instruments, see note 29(f). These investments are subsequently accounted for as follows, depending on their classification.

(i) Investment other than equity investments

Non-equity investments held by the Group are classified into one of the following measurement categories:

- amortised cost, if the investment is held for the collection of contractual cash flows which represent solely payments of principal and interest. Interest income from the investment is calculated using the effective interest method (see note 1(u)(iii)).
- fair value through other comprehensive income ("FVOCI") – recycling, if the contractual cash flows of the investment comprise solely payments of principal and interest and the investment is held within a business model whose objective is achieved by both the collection of contractual cash flows and sale. Changes in fair value are recognised in other comprehensive income, except for the recognition in profit or loss of expected credit losses, interest income (calculated using the effective interest method) and foreign exchange gains and losses. When the investment is derecognised, the amount accumulated in other comprehensive income is recycled from equity to profit or loss.
- fair value at profit or loss ("FVPL") if the investment does not meet the criteria for being measured at amortised cost or FVOCI (recycling). Changes in the fair value of the investment (including interest) are recognised in profit or loss.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(f) Other investments in debt and equity securities *(continued)*

(ii) Equity investments

An investment in equity securities is classified as FVPL unless the equity investment is not held for trading purposes and on initial recognition of the investment the Group makes an election to designate the investment at FVOCI (non-recycling) such that subsequent changes in fair value are recognised in other comprehensive income. Such elections are made on an instrument-by-instrument basis, but may only be made if the investment meets the definition of equity from the issuer's perspective. Where such an election is made, the amount accumulated in other comprehensive income remains in the fair value reserve (non-recycling) until the investment is disposed of. At the time of disposal, the amount accumulated in the fair value reserve (non-recycling) is transferred to retained earnings. It is not recycled through profit or loss. Dividends from an investment in equity securities, irrespective of whether classified as at FVPL or FVOCI, are recognised in profit or loss as other income.

(g) Investment properties

Investment properties are land and/or buildings which are owned or held under a leasehold interest (see note 1(j)) to earn rental income and/or for capital appreciation. These include land held for a currently undetermined future use and property that is being constructed or developed for future use as investment property.

Investment properties are stated at fair value unless they are still in the course of construction or development at the end of the reporting period and their fair value cannot be reliably determined at that time. Any gain or loss arising from a change in fair value or from the retirement or disposal of an investment property is recognised in profit or loss. Rental income from investment properties is accounted for as described in note 1(u)(ii).

In the comparative period, when the Group held a property interest under an operating lease and used the property to earn rental income and/or for capital appreciation, the Group could elect on a property-by-property basis to classify and account for such interest as an investment property. Any such property interest which had been classified as an investment property was accounted for as if it were held under a finance lease (see note 1(j)), and the same accounting policies were applied to that interest as were applied to other investment properties leased under finance leases. Lease payments were accounted for as described in note 1(j).

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(h) Other property, plant and equipment

The following items of property, plant and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses (see note 1(k)(ii)):

- ownership interests in land and buildings held for own use;
- other properties leased for own use (see note 1(j)); and
- other items of plant and equipment, including right-of-use assets arising from leases of underlying equipment (see note 1(j))

If ownership interests in land and buildings held for own use becomes an investment property because its use has changed as evidenced by end of owner-occupation, any difference between the carrying amount and the fair value of that item at that date of transfer is recognised in profit or loss and other comprehensive income and accumulated in land and buildings revaluation reserve. On subsequent sale or retirement of the asset, the relevant revaluation reserve will be transferred directly to retained profits.

Gains or losses arising from the retirement or disposal of an item of property, plant and equipment are determined as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the item and are recognised in profit or loss on the date of retirement or disposal. Any related revaluation surplus is transferred from the revaluation reserve to retained profits and is not reclassified to profit or loss.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(h) Other property, plant and equipment *(continued)*

Depreciation is calculated to write-off the cost or valuation of items of property, plant and equipment, less their estimated residual value, if any, using the straight-line method over their estimated useful lives as follows:

- (i) Ownership interests in land and buildings held for own use and other properties leased for own use are depreciated over the unexpired term of lease.
- (ii) Freehold land is not depreciated.
- (iii) Buildings situated on freehold land are depreciated over their estimated useful life, being no more than 50 years after date of completion.
- (iv) Other items of plant and equipment, including right-of-use assets arising from leases of underlying equipment, are at the following rates:

Plant and machinery	20% to 25% per annum
Furniture and fixtures	20% to 25% per annum
Moulds and tools	10% to 30% per annum
Motor vehicles and pleasure craft	10% to 30% per annum

Where parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, the cost or valuation of the item is allocated on a reasonable basis between the parts and each part is depreciated separately. Both the useful life of an asset and its residual value, if any, are reviewed annually.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(i) Intangible assets (other than goodwill)

Intangible assets that are acquired by the Group are stated in the statement of financial position at cost less accumulated amortisation (where the estimated useful life is finite) and impairment losses (see note 1(k)(ii)). Amortisation of intangible assets with finite useful lives is charged to profit or loss on a straight-line basis over the assets' estimated useful lives.

The following intangible assets with finite useful lives are amortised from the date they are available for use and their estimated useful lives are as follows:

– Club memberships	20 years
– Licensing rights	3 to 5 years

Both the period and method of amortisation are reviewed annually.

(j) Leased assets

At inception of a contract, the Group assesses whether the contract is, or contains, a lease. A contract is, or contains, a lease if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration. Control is conveyed where the customer has both the right to direct the use of the identified asset and to obtain substantially all of the economic benefits from that use.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(j) Leased assets *(continued)*

(i) As a lessee

(A) Policy applicable from 1 January 2019

Where the contract contains lease component(s) and non-lease component(s), the Group has elected not to separate non-lease components and accounts for each lease component and any associated non-lease components as a single lease component for all leases.

At the lease commencement date, the Group recognises a right-of-use asset and a lease liability, except for short-term leases that have a lease term of 12 months or less and leases of low-value assets. When the Group enters into a lease in respect of a low-value asset, the Group decides whether to capitalise the lease on a lease-by-lease basis. The lease payments associated with those leases which are not capitalised are recognised as an expense on a systematic basis over the lease term.

Where the lease is capitalised, the lease liability is initially recognised at the present value of the lease payments payable over the lease term, discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease or, if that rate cannot be readily determined, using a relevant incremental borrowing rate. After initial recognition, the lease liability is measured at amortised cost and interest expense is calculated using the effective interest method. Variable lease payments that do not depend on an index or rate are not included in the measurement of the lease liability and hence are charged to profit or loss in the accounting period in which they are incurred.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(j) Leased assets *(continued)*

(i) As a lessee (continued)

(A) Policy applicable from 1 January 2019 *(continued)*

The right-of-use asset recognised when a lease is capitalised is initially measured at cost, which comprises the initial amount of the lease liability plus any lease payments made at or before the commencement date, and any initial direct costs incurred. Where applicable, the cost of the right-of-use assets also includes an estimate of costs to dismantle and remove the underlying asset or to restore the underlying asset or the site on which it is located, discounted to their present value, less any lease incentives received. The right-of-use asset is subsequently stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses (see notes 1(h) and 1(k)(ii)), except for the right-of-use assets that meet the definition of investment property are carried at fair value in accordance with note 1(g).

The lease liability is remeasured when there is a change in future lease payments arising from a change in an index or rate, or there is a change in the Group's estimate of the amount expected to be payable under a residual value guarantee, or there is a change arising from the reassessment of whether the Group will be reasonably certain to exercise a purchase, extension or termination option. When the lease liability is remeasured in this way, a corresponding adjustment is made to the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset, or is recorded in profit or loss if the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset has been reduced to zero.

The Group presents right-of-use assets that do not meet the definition of investment property in 'other property, plant and equipment' and presents lease liabilities separately in the consolidated statement of financial position.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(j) **Leased assets** *(continued)*

(i) *As a lessee (continued)*

(B) Policy applicable prior to 1 January 2019

In the comparative period, as a lessee the Group classified leases as finance leases if the leases transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the Group. Leases which did not transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the Group were classified as operating leases, with the following exceptions:

- property held under operating leases that would otherwise meet the definition of an investment property was classified as investment property on a property-by-property basis and, if classified as investment property, was accounted for as if held under a finance lease (see note 1(g)); and
- land held for own use under an operating lease, the fair value of which could not be measured separately from the fair value of a building situated thereon at the inception of the lease, was accounted for as being held under a finance lease, unless the building was also clearly held under an operating lease. For these purposes, the inception of the lease was the time that the lease was first entered into by the Group, or taken over from the previous lessee.

Where the Group acquired the use of assets under finance leases, the amounts representing the fair value of the leased asset, or, if lower, the present value of the minimum lease payments, of such assets were recognised as property, plant and equipment and the corresponding liabilities, net of finance charges, were recorded as obligations under finance leases. Depreciation was provided at rates which wrote off the cost or valuation of the assets over the term of the relevant lease or, where it was likely the Group would obtain ownership of the asset, the life of the asset, as set out in note 1(h). Impairment losses were accounted for in accordance with the accounting policy as set out in note 1(k)(ii). Finance charges implicit in the lease payments were charged to profit or loss over the period of the leases so as to produce an approximately constant periodic rate of charge on the remaining balance of the obligations for each accounting period. Contingent rentals were charged to profit or loss in the accounting period in which they were incurred.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(j) Leased assets *(continued)*

(i) As a lessee (continued)

(B) Policy applicable prior to 1 January 2019 *(continued)*

Where the Group had the use of assets held under operating leases, payments made under the leases were charged to profit or loss in equal instalments over the accounting periods covered by the lease term, except where an alternative basis was more representative of the pattern of benefits to be derived from the leased asset. Lease incentives received were recognised in profit or loss as an integral part of the aggregate net lease payments made. Contingent rentals were charged to profit or loss in the accounting period in which they were incurred.

(ii) As a lessor

When the Group acts as a lessor, it determines at lease inception whether each lease is a finance lease or an operating lease. A lease is classified as a finance lease if it transfers substantially all the risks and rewards incidental to the ownership of an underlying assets to the lessee. If this is not the case, the lease is classified as an operating lease.

When a contract contains lease and non-lease components, the Group allocates the consideration in the contract to each component on a relative stand-alone selling price basis. The rental income from operating leases is recognised in accordance with note 1(u)(ii).

When the Group is an intermediate lessor, the sub-leases are classified as a finance lease or as an operating lease with reference to the right-of-use asset arising from the head lease. If the head lease is a short-term lease to which the Group applies the exemption described in note 1(j)(i), then the Group classifies the sub-lease as an operating lease.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(k) Credit losses and impairment of assets

(i) Credit losses from financial instruments

The Group recognises a loss allowance for expected credit losses (“ECLs”) on financial assets measured at amortised cost (including cash and cash equivalents, trade and other receivables and loans to an associate).

Financial assets measured at fair value are not subject to the ECL assessment.

Measurement of ECLs

ECLs are a probability-weighted estimate of credit losses. Credit losses are measured as the present value of all expected cash shortfalls (i.e. the difference between the cash flows due to the Group in accordance with the contract and the cash flows that the Group expects to receive).

For undrawn loan commitments, expected cash shortfalls are measured as the difference between (i) the contractual cash flows that would be due to the Group if the holder of the loan commitment draws down on the loan and (ii) the cash flows that the Group expects to receive if the loan is drawn down.

The expected cash shortfalls are discounted using the following discount rates where the effect of discounting is material:

- fixed-rate financial assets, trade and other receivables and contract assets: effective interest rate determined at initial recognition or an approximation thereof;
- variable-rate financial assets: current effective interest rate.

The maximum period considered when estimating ECLs is the maximum contractual period over which the Group is exposed to credit risk.

In measuring ECLs, the Group takes into account reasonable and supportable information that is available without undue cost or effort. This includes information about past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(k) Credit losses and impairment of assets *(continued)*

(i) Credit losses from financial instruments (continued)

Measurement of ECLs *(continued)*

ECLs are measured on either of the following bases:

- 12-month ECLs: these are losses that are expected to result from possible default events within the 12 months after the reporting date; and
- lifetime ECLs: these are losses that are expected to result from all possible default events over the expected lives of the items to which the ECL model applies.

Loss allowances for trade receivables, lease receivables and contract assets are always measured at an amount equal to lifetime ECLs. ECLs on these financial assets are estimated using a provision matrix based on the Group's historical credit loss experience, adjusted for factors that are specific to the debtors and an assessment of both the current and forecast general economic conditions at the reporting date.

For all other financial instruments, the Group recognises a loss allowance equal to 12-month ECLs unless there has been a significant increase in credit risk of the financial instrument since initial recognition, in which case the loss allowance is measured at an amount equal to lifetime ECLs.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(k) Credit losses and impairment of assets *(continued)*

(i) Credit losses from financial instruments (continued)

Significant increases in credit risk

In assessing whether the credit risk of a financial instrument has increased significantly since initial recognition, the Group compares the risk of default occurring on the financial instrument assessed at the reporting date with that assessed at the date of initial recognition. In making this reassessment, the Group considers that a default event occurs when (i) the borrower is unlikely to pay its credit obligations to the Group in full, without recourse by the Group to actions such as realising security (if any is held); or (ii) the financial asset is 90 days past due. The Group considers both quantitative and qualitative information that is reasonable and supportable, including historical experience and forward-looking information that is available without undue cost or effort.

Depending on the nature of the financial instruments, the assessment of a significant increase in credit risk is performed on either an individual basis or a collective basis. When the assessment is performed on a collective basis, the financial instruments are grouped based on shared credit risk characteristics, such as past due status and credit risk ratings.

ECLs are remeasured at each reporting date to reflect changes in the financial instrument's credit risk since initial recognition. Any change in the ECL amount is recognised as an impairment gain or loss in profit or loss. The Group recognises an impairment gain or loss for all financial instruments with a corresponding adjustment to their carrying amount through a loss allowance account, except for investments in debt securities that are measured at FVOCI (recycling) for which the loss allowance is recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in the fair value reserve (recycling).

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(k) Credit losses and impairment of assets *(continued)*

(i) Credit losses from financial instruments (continued)

Basis of calculation of interest income

Interest income recognised in accordance with note 1(u)(iii) is calculated based on the gross carrying amount of the financial asset unless the financial asset is credit-impaired, in which case interest income is calculated based on the amortised cost (i.e. the gross carrying amount less loss allowance) of the financial asset.

At each reporting date, the Group assesses whether a financial asset is credit-impaired. A financial asset is credit-impaired when one or more events that have a detrimental impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset have occurred.

Evidence that a financial asset is credit-impaired includes the following observable events:

- significant financial difficulties of the debtor;
- a breach of contract, such as a default or past due event;
- it becoming probable that the borrower will enter into bankruptcy or other financial reorganisation;
- significant changes in the technological, market, economic or legal environment that have an adverse effect on the debtor; or
- the disappearance of an active market for a security because of financial difficulties of the issuer.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(k) Credit losses and impairment of assets *(continued)*

(i) Credit losses from financial instruments (continued)

Write-off policy

The gross carrying amount of a financial asset, lease receivable or contract asset is written off (either partially or in full) to the extent that there is no realistic prospect of recovery. This is generally the case when the Group determines that the debtor does not have assets or sources of income that could generate sufficient cash flows to repay the amounts subject to the write-off.

Subsequent recoveries of an asset that was previously written off are recognised as a reversal of impairment in profit or loss in the period in which the recovery occurs.

(ii) Impairment of other assets

Internal and external sources of information are reviewed at the end of each reporting period to identify indications that the following assets may be impaired or, except in the case of goodwill, an impairment loss previously recognised no longer exists or may have decreased:

- property, plant and equipment, including right-of-use assets (other than investment property carried at revalued amounts);
- intangible assets;
- goodwill;
- interest in associates; and
- interest in subsidiaries in the Company's statement of financial position.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(k) Credit losses and impairment of assets *(continued)*

(ii) Impairment of other assets (continued)

If any such indication exists, the asset's recoverable amount is estimated. In addition, for goodwill, intangible assets that are not yet available for use and intangible assets that have indefinite useful lives, the recoverable amount is estimated annually whether or not there is any indication of impairment.

– Calculation of recoverable amount

The recoverable amount of an asset is the greater of its fair value less costs of disposal and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. Where an asset does not generate cash inflows largely independent of those from other assets, the recoverable amount is determined for the smallest group of assets that generates cash inflows independently (i.e. a cash-generating unit).

– Recognition of impairment losses

An impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss if the carrying amount of an asset, or the cash-generating unit to which it belongs, exceeds its recoverable amount. Impairment losses recognised in respect of cash-generating units are allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to the cash-generating unit (or group of units) and then, to reduce the carrying amount of the other assets in the unit (or group of units) on a pro rata basis, except that the carrying value of an asset will not be reduced below its individual fair value less costs of disposal (if measurable) or value in use (if determinable).

– Reversals of impairment losses

An impairment loss is reversed if there has been a favourable change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount. A reversal of an impairment loss is limited to the asset's carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised in prior years. Reversals of impairment losses are credited to profit or loss in the year in which the reversals are recognised.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(k) Credit losses and impairment of assets *(continued)*

(iii) Interim financial reporting and impairment

Under the Listing Rules, the Group is required to prepare an interim financial report in compliance with HKAS 34, *Interim financial reporting*, in respect of the first six months of the financial year. At the end of the interim period, the Group applies the same impairment testing, recognition, and reversal criteria as it would at the end of the financial year (see notes 1(k)(i) and (ii)).

Impairment losses recognised in an interim period in respect of goodwill are not reversed in a subsequent period. This is the case even if no loss, or a smaller loss, would have been recognised had the impairment been assessed only at the end of the financial year to which the interim period relates.

(l) Inventories

Inventories are assets which are held for sale in the ordinary course of business, in the process of production for such sale or in the form of materials or supplies to be consumed in the production process or in the rendering of services.

Inventories are carried at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Cost is calculated using the first-in first-out method and comprises all costs of purchase, costs of conversion and other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition.

Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

When inventories are sold, the carrying amount of those inventories is recognised as an expense in the period in which the related revenue is recognised. The amount of any write-down of inventories to net realisable value and all losses of inventories are recognised as an expense in the period the write-down or loss occurs. The amount of any reversal of any write-down of inventories is recognised as a reduction in the amount of inventories recognised as an expense in the period in which the reversal occurs.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(m) Trade and other receivables

A receivable is recognised when the Group has an unconditional right to receive consideration. A right to receive consideration is unconditional if only the passage of time is required before payment of that consideration is due.

Receivables are stated at amortised cost using the effective interest method less allowance for credit losses (see note 1(k)(i)).

(n) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash at bank and on hand, demand deposits with banks and other financial institutions, and short-term, highly liquid investments that are readily convertible into known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value, having been within three months of maturity at acquisition. Bank overdrafts that are repayable on demand and form an integral part of the Group's cash management are also included as a component of cash and cash equivalents for the purpose of the consolidated cash flow statement. Cash and cash equivalents are assessed for ECL in accordance with the policy set out in note 1(k)(i).

(o) Interest-bearing borrowings

Interest-bearing borrowings are measured initially at fair value less transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, interest-bearing borrowings are stated at amortised cost, using the effective interest method.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(p) Trade and other payables

Trade and other payables are initially recognised at fair value and subsequently stated at amortised cost unless the effect of discounting would be immaterial, in which case they are stated at cost.

(q) Contract liabilities

A contract liability is recognised when the customer pays consideration before the Group recognises the related revenue (see note 1(u)(i)). A contract liability would also be recognised if the Group has an unconditional right to receive consideration before the Group recognises the related revenue. In such cases, a corresponding receivable would also be recognised (see note 1(m)).

(r) Employee benefits

(i) Short-term employee benefits and contributions to defined contribution retirement plans

Salaries, annual bonuses, paid annual leave, contributions to defined contribution retirement plans and the cost of non-monetary benefits are accrued in the year in which the associated services are rendered by employees. Where payment or settlement is deferred and the effect would be material, these amounts are stated at their present values.

(ii) Termination benefits

Termination benefits are recognised at the earlier of when the Group can no longer withdraw the offer of those benefits and when it recognises restructuring costs involving the payment of termination benefits.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(s) Income tax

Income tax for the year comprises current tax and movements in deferred tax assets and liabilities. Current tax and movements in deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognised in profit or loss except to the extent that they relate to items recognised in profit or loss and other comprehensive income or directly in equity, in which case the relevant amounts of tax are recognised in profit or loss and other comprehensive income or directly in equity, respectively.

Current tax is the expected tax payable on the taxable income for the year, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the end of the reporting period, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities arise from deductible and taxable temporary differences respectively, being the differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and their tax bases. Deferred tax assets also arise from unused tax losses.

Apart from certain limited exceptions, all deferred tax liabilities and all deferred tax assets, to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which the asset can be utilised, are recognised. Future taxable profits that may support the recognition of deferred tax assets arising from deductible temporary differences include those that will arise from the reversal of existing taxable temporary differences, provided those differences relate to the same taxation authority and the same taxable entity, and are expected to reverse either in the same period as the expected reversal of the deductible temporary difference or in periods into which a tax loss arising from the deferred tax asset can be carried forward. The same criteria are adopted when determining whether existing taxable temporary differences support the recognition of deferred tax assets arising from unused tax losses, that is, those differences are taken into account if they relate to the same taxation authority and the same taxable entity, and are expected to reverse in a period, or periods, in which the tax loss can be utilised.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(s) Income tax *(continued)*

The limited exceptions to recognition of deferred tax assets and liabilities are those temporary differences arising from goodwill not deductible for tax purposes, the initial recognition of assets or liabilities that affect neither accounting nor taxable profit (provided they are not part of a business combination), and temporary differences relating to interest in subsidiaries to the extent that, in the case of taxable differences, the Group controls the timing of the reversal and it is probable that the differences will not reverse in the foreseeable future, or in the case of deductible differences, unless it is probable that they will reverse in the future.

Where investment properties are carried at their fair value in accordance with the accounting policy set out in note 1(g), the amount of deferred tax recognised is measured using the tax rates that would apply on sale of those assets at their carrying value at the reporting date unless the property is depreciable and is held within a business model whose objective is to consume substantially all of the economic benefits embodied in the property over time, rather than through sale. In all other cases, the amount of deferred tax recognised is measured based on the expected manner of realisation or settlement of the carrying amount of the assets and liabilities, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the end of the reporting period. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are not discounted.

The carrying amount of a deferred tax asset is reviewed at end of each reporting period and is reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow the related tax benefit to be utilised. Any such reduction is reversed to the extent that it becomes probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available.

Additional income taxes that arise from the distribution of dividends are recognised when the liability to pay the related dividends is recognised.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(s) Income tax *(continued)*

Current tax balances and deferred tax balances, and movements therein, are presented separately from each other and are not offset. Current tax assets are offset against current tax liabilities, and deferred tax assets against deferred tax liabilities, if the Company or the Group has the legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and the following additional conditions are met:

- in the case of current tax assets and liabilities, the Company or the Group intends either to settle on a net basis, or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously; or
- in the case of deferred tax assets and liabilities, if they relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority on either:
 - the same taxable entity; or
 - different taxable entities, which, in each future period in which significant amounts of deferred tax liabilities or assets are expected to be settled or recovered, intend to realise the current tax assets and settle the current tax liabilities on a net basis or realise and settle simultaneously.

(t) Provisions and contingent liabilities

Provisions are recognised when the Group has a legal or constructive obligation arising as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made. Where the time value of money is material, provisions are stated at the present value of the expenditure expected to settle the obligation.

Where it is not probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required, or the amount cannot be estimated reliably, the obligation is disclosed as a contingent liability, unless the probability of outflow of economic benefits is remote. Possible obligations, whose existence will only be confirmed by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more future events are also disclosed as contingent liabilities unless the probability of outflow of economic benefits is remote.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(u) Revenue and other income

Income is classified by the Group as revenue when it arises from the sale of goods or the use by others of the Group's assets under leases in the ordinary course of the Group's business.

Revenue is recognised when control over a product or service is transferred to the customer, or the lessee has the right to use the asset, at the amount of promised consideration to which the Group is expected to be entitled, excluding those amounts collected on behalf of third parties. Revenue excludes value added tax or other sales taxes and is after deduction of any trade discounts.

Further details of the Group's revenue and other income recognition policies are as follows:

(i) Sale of goods

Revenue is recognised when the customer takes possession of and accepts the products. Revenue excludes value added tax or other sales taxes and is after deduction of any trade discounts.

In the comparative period, revenue from sales of goods was recognised when the goods were delivered to the customers' premises, which was taken to be the point in time when the customer had accepted the goods and the related risks and rewards of ownership.

(ii) Rental income from operating leases

Rental income receivable under operating leases is recognised in profit or loss in equal instalments over the periods covered by the lease term, except where an alternative basis is more representative of the pattern of benefits to be derived from the use of the leased asset. Lease incentives granted are recognised in profit or loss as an integral part of the aggregate net lease payments receivable. Variable lease payments that do not depend on an index or a rate are recognised as income in the accounting period in which they are earned.

(iii) Interest income

Interest income is recognised as it accrues using the effective interest method. For financial assets measured at amortised cost that are not credit-impaired, the effective interest rate is applied to the gross carrying amount of the asset. For credit-impaired financial assets, the effective interest rate is applied to the amortised cost (i.e. gross carrying amount net of loss allowance) of the asset (see note 1(k)(i)).

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(u) Revenue and other income *(continued)*

(iv) Air-conditioning, management and maintenance service charges from tenants

Air-conditioning, management and maintenance service charges from tenants are recognised when the related services are rendered.

(v) Material charges

Material charges are recognised when the right to receive payment is established.

(v) Translation of foreign currencies

Foreign currency transactions during the year are translated at the foreign exchange rates ruling at the transaction dates. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the foreign exchange rates ruling at the end of the reporting period. Exchange gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss.

Non-monetary assets and liabilities that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the foreign exchange rates ruling at the transaction dates. The transaction date is the date on which the Company initially recognises such non-monetary assets or liabilities. Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are stated at fair value are translated using the foreign exchange rates ruling at the dates the fair value was measured.

The results of operations outside Hong Kong are translated into Hong Kong dollars at the exchange rates approximating the foreign exchange rates ruling at the dates of the transactions. Statements of financial position items, including goodwill arising on consolidation of foreign operations, are translated into Hong Kong dollars at the closing foreign exchange rates at the end of the reporting period. The resulting exchange differences are recognised in profit or loss and other comprehensive income and accumulated separately in equity in the exchange reserve.

On disposal of a foreign operation, the cumulative amount of the exchange differences relating to that foreign operation is reclassified from equity to profit or loss when the profit or loss on disposal is recognised.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(w) Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of an asset which necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use or sale are capitalised as part of the cost of that asset. Other borrowing costs are expensed in the period in which they are incurred.

The capitalisation of borrowing costs as part of the cost of a qualifying asset commences when expenditure for the asset is being incurred, borrowing costs are being incurred and activities that are necessary to prepare the asset for its intended use or sale are in progress. Capitalisation of borrowing costs is suspended or ceases when substantially all the activities necessary to prepare the qualifying asset for its intended use or sale are interrupted or complete.

(x) Related parties

- (1) A person, or a close member of that person's family, is related to the Group if that person:
 - (i) has control or joint control over the Group;
 - (ii) has significant influence over the Group; or
 - (iii) is a member of the key management personnel of the Group or the Group's parent.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(x) Related parties *(continued)*

(2) An entity is related to the Group if any of the following conditions applies:

- (i) The entity and the Group are members of the same group (which means that each parent, subsidiary and fellow subsidiary is related to the others.)
- (ii) One entity is an associate or joint venture of the other entity (or an associate or joint venture of a member of a group of which the other entity is a member).
- (iii) Both entities are joint ventures of the same third party.
- (iv) One entity is a joint venture of a third entity and the other entity is an associate of the third entity.
- (v) The entity is a post-employment benefit plan for the benefit of employees of either the Group or an entity related to the Group.
- (vi) The entity is controlled or jointly controlled by a person identified in (1).
- (vii) A person identified in (1)(i) has significant influence over the entity or is a member of the key management personnel of the entity (or of a parent of the entity).
- (viii) The entity, or any member of a group of which it is a part, provides key management personnel services to the Group or to the Group's parent.

Close members of the family of a person are those family members who may be expected to influence, or be influenced by, that person in their dealings with the entity.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

(y) Segment reporting

Operating segments, and the amounts of each segment item reported in the financial statements, are identified from the financial information provided regularly to the Group's most senior executive management for the purposes of allocating resources to, and assessing the performance of, the Group's various lines of business and geographical locations.

Individually material operating segments are not aggregated for financial reporting purposes unless the segments have similar economic characteristics and are similar in respect of the nature of products and services, the nature of production processes, the type or class of customers, the methods used to distribute the products or provide the services, and the nature of the regulatory environment. Operating segments which are not individually material may be aggregated if they share a majority of these criteria.

2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The HKICPA has issued a new HKFRS, HKFRS 16, *Leases*, and a number of amendments to HKFRSs that are first effective for the current accounting period of the Group.

Except for HKFRS 16, *Leases*, none of the developments have had a material effect on how the Group's results and financial position for the current or prior periods have been prepared or presented. The Group has not applied any new standard or interpretation that is not yet effective for the current accounting period.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

HKFRS 16, Leases

HKFRS 16 replaces HKAS 17, *Leases*, and the related interpretations, HK(IFRIC) 4, *Determining whether an arrangement contains a lease*, HK(SIC) 15, *Operating leases – incentives*, and HK(SIC) 27, *Evaluating the substance of transactions involving the legal form of a lease*. It introduces a single accounting model for lessees, which requires a lessee to recognise a right-of-use asset and a lease liability for all leases, except for leases that have a lease term of 12 months or less (“short-term leases”) and leases of low-value assets. The lessor accounting requirements are brought forward from HKAS 17 substantially unchanged.

HKFRS 16 also introduces additional qualitative and quantitative disclosure requirements which aim to enable users of the financial statements to assess the effect that leases have on the financial position, financial performance and cash flows of an entity.

The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 as from 1 January 2019. The Group has elected to use the modified retrospective approach and there are no adjustments to the opening balance of equity at 1 January 2019. Comparative information has not been restated and continues to be reported under HKAS 17.

Further details of the nature and effect of the changes to previous accounting policies and the transition options applied are set out below:

(i) New definition of a lease

The change in the definition of a lease mainly relates to the concept of control. HKFRS 16 defines a lease on the basis of whether a customer controls the use of an identified asset for a period of time, which may be determined by a defined amount of use. Control is conveyed where the customer has both the right to direct the use of the identified asset and to obtain substantially all of the economic benefits from that use.

The Group applies the new definition of a lease in HKFRS 16 only to contracts that were entered into or changed on or after 1 January 2019. For contracts entered into before 1 January 2019, the Group has used the transitional practical expedient to grandfather the previous assessment of which existing arrangements are or contain leases. Accordingly, contracts that were previously assessed as leases under HKAS 17 continue to be accounted for as leases under HKFRS 16 and contracts previously assessed as non-lease service arrangements continue to be accounted for as executory contracts.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

HKFRS 16, Leases *(continued)*

(ii) Lessee accounting and transitional impact

HKFRS 16 eliminates the requirement for a lessee to classify leases as either operating leases or finance leases, as was previously required by HKAS 17. Instead, the Group is required to capitalise all leases when it is the lessee, including leases previously classified as operating leases under HKAS 17, other than those short-term leases and leases of low-value assets which are exempt. As far as the Group is concerned, these newly capitalised leases are primarily in relation to property, plant and equipment as disclosed in note 30(b). For an explanation of how the Group applies lessee accounting, see note 1(j)(i).

At the date of transition to HKFRS 16 (i.e. 1 January 2019), the Group determined the length of the remaining lease terms and measured the lease liabilities for the leases previously classified as operating leases at the present value of the remaining lease payments, discounted using the relevant incremental borrowing rates at 1 January 2019. The weighted average of the incremental borrowing rates used for determination of the present value of the remaining lease payments was 4.0%.

To ease the transition to HKFRS 16, the Group applied the following recognition exemption and practical expedients at the date of initial application of HKFRS 16:

- (i) the Group elected not to apply the requirements of HKFRS 16 in respect of the recognition of lease liabilities and right-of-use assets to leases for which the remaining lease term ends within 12 months from the date of initial application of HKFRS 16, i.e. where the lease term ends on or before 31 December 2019; and
- (ii) when measuring the lease liabilities at the date of initial application of HKFRS 16, the Group applied a single discount rate to a portfolio of leases with reasonably similar characteristics (such as leases with a similar remaining lease term for a similar class of underlying asset in a similar economic environment).

Notes to the Financial Statements (Continued)

2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

HKFRS 16, Leases (continued)

(ii) Lessee accounting and transitional impact (continued)

The following table reconciles the operating lease commitments as disclosed in note 30(b) as at 31 December 2018 to the opening balance for lease liabilities recognised as at 1 January 2019:

	1 January 2019 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Operating lease commitments at 31 December 2018	9,359
Less: short-term leases and other leases with remaining lease term ending on or before 31 December 2019	(118)
Add: lease payments for the additional periods where the Group considers it reasonably certain that it will exercise the extension options	<u>83,081</u>
	92,322
Less: total future interest expenses	<u>(12,647)</u>
Total lease liabilities recognised at 1 January 2019	<u><u>79,675</u></u>

The right-of-use assets in relation to leases previously classified as operating leases have been recognised at an amount equal to the amount recognised for the remaining lease liabilities, adjusted by the amount of any prepaid or accrued lease payments relating to that lease recognised in the consolidated statement of financial position at 31 December 2018.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

HKFRS 16, Leases *(continued)*

(ii) Lessee accounting and transitional impact (continued)

The following table summarises the impacts of the adoption of HKFRS 16 on the Group's consolidated statement of financial position:

	Carrying amount at 31 December 2018 <i>HK\$'000</i>	Capitalisation of operating lease contracts <i>HK\$'000</i>	Carrying amount at 1 January 2019 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Line items in the consolidated statement of financial position impacted by the adoption of HKFRS 16:			
Other property, plant and equipment	145,327	75,969	221,296
Total non-current assets	2,215,850	75,969	2,291,819
Lease liabilities (current)	–	9,893	9,893
Current liabilities	410,826	9,893	420,719
Net current assets	107,678	(9,893)	97,785
Total assets less current liabilities	2,323,528	66,076	2,389,604
Lease liabilities (non-current)	–	69,782	69,782
Deferred rental expenses	3,706	(3,706)	–
Total non-current liabilities	28,426	66,076	94,502
Net assets	2,295,102	–	2,295,102

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

HKFRS 16, Leases *(continued)*

(iii) Impact on the financial result, segment results and cash flows of the Group

After the initial recognition of right-of-use assets and lease liabilities as at 1 January 2019, the Group as a lessee is required to recognise interest expense accrued on the outstanding balance of the lease liability, and the depreciation of the right-of-use asset, instead of the previous policy of recognising rental expenses incurred under operating leases on a straight-line basis over the lease term. This results in a positive impact on the reported loss from operations in the Group's consolidated statement of profit or loss, as compared to the results if HKAS 17 had been applied during the year.

In the consolidated cash flow statement, the Group as a lessee is required to split rentals paid under capitalised leases into their capital element and interest element (see note 20(c)). These elements are classified as financing cash outflows, similar to how leases previously classified as finance leases under HKAS 17 were treated, rather than as operating cash outflows, as was the case for operating leases under HKAS 17. Although total cash flows are unaffected, the adoption of HKFRS 16 therefore results in a significant change in presentation of cash flows within the consolidated cash flow statement (see note 20(d)).

Notes to the Financial Statements (Continued)

2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

HKFRS 16, Leases (continued)

(iii) Impact on the financial result, segment results and cash flows of the Group (continued)

The following table gives an indication of the estimated impact of adoption of HKFRS 16 on the Group's financial result for the year ended 31 December 2019, by adjusting the amounts reported under HKFRS 16 in the consolidated statement of profit or loss to compute estimates of the hypothetical amounts that would have been recognised under HKAS 17 if this superseded standard had continued to apply to 2019 instead of HKFRS 16, and by comparing these hypothetical amounts for 2019 with the actual 2018 corresponding amounts which were prepared under HKAS 17.

	2019			2018	
	Amounts reported under HKFRS 16 HK\$'000	Add back: HKFRS 16 depreciation and interest expense HK\$'000	Deduct: Estimated amounts related to operating leases as if under HKAS 17 (Note) HK\$'000	Hypothetical amounts for 2019 as if under HKAS 17 HK\$'000	Compared to amounts reported for 2018 under HKAS 17 HK\$'000
Financial result for year ended 31 December 2019 reported by the adoption of HKFRS 16:					
(Loss)/profit from operations	(23,849)	11,323	(12,976)	(25,502)	55,105
Finance costs	(12,387)	2,981	–	(9,406)	(7,781)
(Loss)/profit before taxation	(13,060)	14,304	(12,976)	(11,732)	215,805
(Loss)/profit for the year	(14,041)	14,304	(12,976)	(12,713)	181,404

Note: The "estimated amounts related to operating leases" is an estimate of the amounts of the cash flows in 2019 that relate to leases which would have been classified as operating leases, if HKAS 17 had still applied in 2019. This estimate assumes that there were no differences between rentals and cash flows and that all of the new leases entered into in 2019 would have been classified as operating leases under HKAS 17, if HKAS 17 had still applied in 2019. Any potential net tax effect is ignored.

(iv) Leasehold investment property

Under HKFRS 16, the Group is required to account for all leasehold properties as investment properties when these properties are held to earn rental income and/or for capital appreciation ("leasehold investment properties"). The adoption of HKFRS 16 does not have a significant impact on the Group's financial statements as the Group previously elected to apply HKAS 40, *Investment properties*, to account for all of its leasehold properties that were held for investment purposes as at 31 December 2018. Consequentially, these leasehold investment properties continue to be carried at fair value.

Notes to the Financial Statements (Continued)

3 REVENUE

The principal activities of the Group are the manufacture and sale of plastic, electronic and stuffed toys and model trains, property investment and investment holding.

Disaggregation of revenue from contracts with customers by significant category of revenue is as follows:

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000
Revenue from contracts with customers within the scope of HKFRS 15		
– Sales of goods	403,809	612,282
Revenue from other sources		
– Gross rentals from investment properties that the lease payments are fixed	<u>40,338</u>	<u>51,406</u>
	<u>444,147</u>	<u>663,688</u>

Disaggregation of revenue from contracts with customers by geographic market is disclosed in note 10(c).

The Group's customer base is diversified and includes one (2018: one) customer with whom transactions have exceeded 10% of the Group's revenue. In 2019, revenue from sales of toys and model trains to this customer (2018: one), including sales to entities which are known to the Group to be under common control of this customer, amounted to approximately HK\$128,555,000 (2018: HK\$336,077,000) and arose in the North America (2018: North America) geographical region in which the toys and model trains division is active. Details of concentrations of credit risk arising from this customer are set out in note 29(a).

Further details regarding the Group's principal activities are disclosed in note 10 to these financial statements.

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4 OTHER (NET LOSS)/INCOME

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i> <i>(Note)</i>
Interest income from loans to an associate	1,593	1,393
Other interest income	608	448
	2,201	1,841
Air conditioning, management and maintenance service charges from tenants	4,780	6,705
Gain on lease modifications	102	–
Material charges	478	320
Written back of trade and other payables	3,455	–
Net gain on disposal of other property, plant and equipment	678	479
Net exchange loss	(1,222)	(8,173)
Net realised and unrealised gain/(loss) on trading securities	1,223	(1,832)
Net realised and unrealised gain/(loss) on other financial assets	1,899	(2,972)
Loss on deregistration of subsidiaries*	(40,673)	–
Others	3,466	5,801
	<u>(23,613)</u>	<u>2,169</u>

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 at 1 January 2019 using the modified retrospective approach. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

* Upon the deregistration of Sanda Kan Industrial (Dongguan) Company Limited and Sanda Kan Technology (Shenzhen) Company Limited, subsidiaries of the Group, which had no business activities conducted and did not have any assets and liabilities at the time of deregistration, the corresponding exchange reserve in relation to these subsidiaries of HK\$40,673,000 was released and recognised in profit or loss for the year. There was no tax effect on this item.

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5 (LOSS)/PROFIT BEFORE TAXATION

(Loss)/profit before taxation is arrived at after charging/(crediting):

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000 <i>(Note)</i>
(a) Finance costs		
Interest on bank loans and other borrowings <i>(note 20(c))</i>	9,406	7,781
Interest on lease liabilities <i>(note 20(c))</i>	<u>2,981</u>	<u>–</u>
	<u>12,387</u>	<u>7,781</u>
(b) Staff costs		
Salaries, wages and other benefits	169,693	199,378
Employer's contributions to defined contribution retirement plans, net of forfeited contributions of HK\$9,000 (2018: HK\$ Nil)	<u>18,205</u>	<u>20,977</u>
	<u>187,898</u>	<u>220,355</u>
(c) Other operating expenses		
Other operating expenses for the year included:		
Amortisation of intangible assets <i>(note 12)</i>	33	643
Addition/(reversal) of impairment losses of		
– other property, plant and equipment <i>(note 11)</i>	27	317
– trade receivables <i>(note 29(a))</i>	(198)	(882)
– other receivables	(1,057)	–
Auditors' remuneration		
– audit services	4,473	4,483
– tax services	262	66
– other services	–	502
Advertising and promotion	9,663	14,193
Fuel, electricity and water	12,154	17,917
Tools and consumables	4,275	5,374
Repair and maintenance	5,170	7,208
Subcontracting fee	26,703	25,927
Transportation and travelling	<u>11,151</u>	<u>13,251</u>

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 using the modified retrospective approach. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

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5 (LOSS)/PROFIT BEFORE TAXATION *(continued)*

	2019 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i>
(d) Other items		
Depreciation <i>(note 11)</i>		
– owned assets*	22,172	24,474
– right-of-use asset*	13,274	–
Expense relating to short-term leases and other leases with remaining lease term ending on or before 31 December 2019	544	–
Total minimum lease payments for leases previously classified as operating leases under HKAS 17 (included in staff cost and other operating expenses)*		
– rental of land and buildings	–	23,256
– other rentals	–	119
Cost of inventories <i>(note 18(b))</i>	272,303	417,153
Rental receivable from investment properties less direct outgoings of HK\$5,880,000 (2018: HK\$4,551,000)	<u>(34,458)</u>	<u>(46,855)</u>

* The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 at 1 January 2019 using the modified retrospective approach. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

Cost of inventories includes HK\$105,151,000 (2018: HK\$131,492,000) relating to staff costs, depreciation charges, impairment loss in respect of other property, plant and equipment and lease expenses, which amount is also included in the respective total amounts disclosed separately above and in the consolidated statement of profit or loss for each of these types of expenses.

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6 INCOME TAX IN THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS

(a) Taxation in the consolidated statement of profit or loss represents:

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000
Current tax – Hong Kong Profits Tax		
Provision for the year	208	17,346
Over-provision in respect of prior years	(20)	(1,288)
	<u>188</u>	<u>16,058</u>
Current tax – Outside Hong Kong		
Provision for the year	2,300	9,074
Under-provision in respect of prior years	975	432
	<u>3,275</u>	<u>9,506</u>
Deferred tax (note 24(b))		
Origination and reversal of temporary differences	(2,482)	8,837
	<u>981</u>	<u>34,401</u>

The provision for Hong Kong Profits Tax for 2019 is calculated at 16.5% (2018: 16.5%) of the estimated assessable profits for the year.

The Corporate Income Tax (“CIT”) rate applicable to subsidiaries registered in the People’s Republic of China (“PRC”) is 25% (2018: 25%).

Taxation for other subsidiaries outside Hong Kong is charged at the appropriate current rates of taxation ruling in the relevant jurisdictions.

The Corporation tax rates applicable to the Group’s operations in the United Kingdom (the “UK”) and the United States (the “US”) are 19% (2018: 19%) and 21% (2018: 21%) respectively.

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6 INCOME TAX IN THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS *(continued)*

(b) Reconciliation between tax expense and accounting (loss)/profit at applicable tax rates:

	2019 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i>
(Loss)/profit before taxation	<u>(13,060)</u>	<u>215,805</u>
Notional tax on profit before taxation, calculated at the rates applicable to profits in the jurisdictions concerned	10,309	27,774
Tax effect of non-deductible expenses	14,289	29,913
Tax effect of non-taxable income	(29,727)	(26,160)
Tax effect of previously unrecognised tax losses utilised	(25)	(271)
Tax effect of unused tax losses not recognised	4,789	4,001
Tax effect of other temporary difference not recognised	138	–
Under-provision/(over-provision) in prior years	955	(856)
Others	<u>253</u>	<u>–</u>
Actual tax expense	<u>981</u>	<u>34,401</u>

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7 DIRECTORS' EMOLUMENTS

Directors' emoluments disclosed pursuant to section 383(1) of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance and Part 2 of the Companies (Disclosure of Information about Benefits of Directors) Regulation are as follows:

	2019				Total HK\$'000
	Directors' fees HK\$'000	Salaries, allowances and benefits in kind HK\$'000	Discretionary bonuses HK\$'000	Retirement scheme contributions HK\$'000	
Executive directors:					
Kenneth Ting Woo-shou	100	1,080	–	108	1,288
Nancy Ting Wang Wan-sun	80	–	500	–	580
Ivan Ting Tien-li	70	1,485	120	149	1,824
Non-executive directors:					
Moses Cheng Mo-chi	23	–	–	–	23
Bernie Ting Wai-cheung	80	–	–	–	80
Independent non-executive directors:					
Floyd Chan Tsoi-yin	120	–	–	–	120
Andrew Yao Cho-fai	120	–	–	–	120
Desmond Chum Kwan-yue	120	–	–	–	120
Ronald Montalto	30	–	–	–	30
Sabrina Chao Sih-ming	45	–	–	–	45
	788	2,565	620	257	4,230

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7 DIRECTORS' EMOLUMENTS (continued)

	2018				Total HK\$'000
	Directors' fees HK\$'000	Salaries, allowances and benefits in kind HK\$'000	Discretionary bonuses HK\$'000	Retirement scheme contributions HK\$'000	
Executive directors:					
Kenneth Ting Woo-shou	100	2,040	–	204	2,344
Nancy Ting Wang Wan-sun	80	–	1,000	–	1,080
Ivan Ting Tien-li	70	1,080	–	108	1,258
Non-executive directors:					
Moses Cheng Mo-chi	70	–	–	–	70
Bernie Ting Wai-cheung	80	–	–	–	80
Independent non-executive directors:					
Floyd Chan Tsoi-yin	120	–	–	–	120
Andrew Yao Cho-fai	120	–	–	–	120
Desmond Chum Kwan-yue	120	–	–	–	120
Ronald Montalto	90	–	–	–	90
	<u>850</u>	<u>3,120</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>312</u>	<u>5,282</u>

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8 INDIVIDUALS WITH HIGHEST EMOLUMENTS

Of the five individuals with the highest emoluments, one (2018: two) is director whose emolument is set out in note 7. The aggregate of the emoluments in respect of the other four (2018: three) individuals are as follows:

	2019 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Salaries and other emoluments	7,614	6,836
Retirement scheme contributions	166	161
	<u>7,780</u>	<u>6,997</u>

The emoluments of the four (2018: three) individuals with the highest emoluments are within the following bands:

	2019 Number of individuals	2018 Number of individuals
HK\$1,500,001 to HK\$2,000,000	2	1
HK\$2,000,001 to HK\$2,500,000	1	1
HK\$2,500,001 to HK\$3,000,000	1	–
HK\$3,000,001 to HK\$3,500,000	–	1

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9 (LOSS)/EARNINGS PER SHARE

(a) Basic (loss)/earnings per share

The calculation of basic (loss)/earnings per share is based on the loss attributable to ordinary equity shareholders of the Company of HK\$14,364,000 (2018: profit of HK\$181,750,000) and the weighted average of 950,588,000 ordinary shares (2018: 950,588,000 ordinary shares) in issue during the year.

(b) Diluted (loss)/earnings per share

The Company did not have dilutive potential ordinary shares outstanding during both 2019 and 2018. Accordingly, the diluted (loss)/earnings per share is the same as the basic (loss)/earnings per share for both 2019 and 2018.

10 SEGMENT REPORTING

The Group manages its businesses by divisions, which are organised by business lines. In a manner consistent with the way in which information is reported internally to the Group's most senior executive management for the purposes of resource allocation and performance assessment, the Group has presented the following three reportable segments. No operating segments have been aggregated to form the following reportable segments.

Toys and model trains: The manufacture and sale of plastic, electronic and stuffed toys and model trains. These products are manufactured in the Group's manufacturing facilities located in Mainland China.

Property investment: The leasing of office premises and industrial building to generate rental income and to gain from the appreciation in the properties' value in the long term.

Investment holding: The investment in securities.

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10 SEGMENT REPORTING *(continued)*

(a) Segment results, assets and liabilities

For the purposes of assessing segment performance and allocating resources between segments, the Group's senior executive management monitors the results, assets and liabilities attributable to each reportable segment on the following bases:

Segment assets include all tangible assets and current assets with the exception of intangible assets, interest in associates, other financial assets, trading securities, deferred tax assets, current tax recoverable, cash and cash equivalents, loans to an associate and other corporate assets. Segment liabilities include all liabilities with the exception of current tax payable, deferred tax liabilities and other corporate liabilities.

Revenue and expenses are allocated to the reportable segments with reference to sales generated by those segments and the expenses incurred by those segments or which otherwise arise from the depreciation or amortisation of assets attributable to those segments.

The measure used for reporting segment profit is "adjusted EBITDA" i.e. "adjusted earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortisation", where "interest" is regarded as including investment income. To arrive at adjusted EBITDA the Group's earnings are further adjusted for items not specifically attributed to individual segments, such as share of profits less losses of associates and other head office or corporate administration costs.

In addition to receiving segment information concerning adjusted EBITDA, management is provided with segment information concerning revenue (including inter-segment sales), interest income and expense from cash balances and borrowings managed directly by the segments, depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses and additions to non-current segment assets used by the segments in their operations. Inter-segment sales are priced with reference to prices charged to external parties for similar orders.

Notes to the Financial Statements (Continued)

10 SEGMENT REPORTING (continued)

(a) Segment results, assets and liabilities (continued)

Information regarding the Group's reportable segments as provided to the Group's most senior executive management for the purposes of resource allocation and assessment of segment performance for the years ended 31 December 2019 and 2018 is set out below:

	Toys and model trains		Property investment		Investment holding		Total	
	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000 (Note)	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000 (Note)	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000 (Note)	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000 (Note)
Revenue from external customers	403,809	612,282	40,338	51,406	-	-	444,147	663,688
Inter-segment revenue	-	-	1,858	1,195	-	-	1,858	1,195
Reportable segment revenue	403,809	612,282	42,196	52,601	-	-	446,005	664,883
Reportable segment profit/(loss) (adjusted EBITDA)	10,288	37,872	28,779	40,566	(3,824)	(385)	35,243	78,053
Interest income	145	76	-	26	2,056	1,739	2,201	1,841
Interest expenses	(12,387)	(7,781)	-	-	-	-	(12,387)	(7,781)
Depreciation and amortisation for the year	(35,371)	(25,064)	(9)	(53)	(99)	-	(35,479)	(25,117)
Impairment of other property, plant and equipment	-	-	(27)	(317)	-	-	(27)	(317)
Reportable segment assets	584,877	544,628	2,030,291	1,960,760	328,691	351,417	2,943,859	2,856,805
Additions to non-current segment assets during the year	32,977	52,251	22,020	-	661	-	55,658	52,251
Reportable segment liabilities	783,943	711,044	43,187	34,385	25,036	6,946	852,166	752,375

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 using the modified retrospective approach. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

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10 SEGMENT REPORTING *(continued)*

(b) Reconciliations of reportable segment revenues, profit or loss, assets and liabilities

	2019 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i> <i>(Note)</i>
Revenue		
Reportable segment revenue	446,005	664,883
Elimination of inter-segment revenue	<u>(1,858)</u>	<u>(1,195)</u>
Consolidated revenue <i>(note 3)</i>	<u>444,147</u>	<u>663,688</u>
Profit		
Reportable segment profit	35,243	78,053
Elimination of inter-segment profit	<u>–</u>	<u>–</u>
Reportable segment profit derived from the Group's external customers	35,243	78,053
Other (net loss)/income	(23,613)	2,169
Depreciation and amortisation	(35,479)	(25,117)
Finance costs	(12,387)	(7,781)
Share of profits less losses of associates	(25,331)	25,593
Impairment loss of loans to an associate	(3,025)	–
Surplus on revaluation of investment properties	<u>51,532</u>	<u>142,888</u>
Consolidated (loss)/profit before taxation	<u>(13,060)</u>	<u>215,805</u>

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10 SEGMENT REPORTING *(continued)*

(b) Reconciliations of reportable segment revenues, profit or loss, assets and liabilities *(continued)*

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000 <i>(Note)</i>
Assets		
Reportable segment assets	2,943,859	2,856,805
Elimination of inter-segment receivables	<u>(339,512)</u>	<u>(363,421)</u>
	2,604,347	2,493,384
Intangible assets	366	399
Interest in associates	82,855	89,248
Loans to an associate	23,709	18,177
Other financial assets	29,955	18,941
Trading securities	7,892	10,804
Current tax recoverable	7,088	1,021
Deferred tax assets	9,709	6,494
Cash and cash equivalents	<u>107,978</u>	<u>95,886</u>
Consolidated total assets	<u>2,873,899</u>	<u>2,734,354</u>
Liabilities		
Reportable segment liabilities	852,166	752,375
Elimination of inter-segment payables	<u>(339,512)</u>	<u>(363,421)</u>
	512,654	388,954
Current tax payable	20,799	26,695
Deferred tax liabilities	<u>24,377</u>	<u>23,603</u>
Consolidated total liabilities	<u>557,830</u>	<u>439,252</u>

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 using the modified retrospective approach. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

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10 SEGMENT REPORTING (continued)

(c) Geographic information

The following table sets out information about the geographical location of (i) the Group's revenue from external customers and (ii) the Group's property, plant and equipment, intangible assets, non-current deposits and prepayments and interest in associates ("specified non-current assets"). The geographical location of customers is based on the location at which the services were provided or the goods delivered. The geographical location of the specified non-current assets is based on the physical location of the asset, in the case of property, plant and equipment, the location of the operation to which they are allocated, in the case of intangible assets and the location of operations, in the case of interest in associates.

	Revenue from external customers		Specified non-current assets	
	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000 (Note)	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000 (Note)
Hong Kong (place of domicile)	41,104	52,145	2,078,445	2,048,111
Mainland China	2,232	1,608	84,046	36,288
North America	262,866	463,485	111,758	95,169
Europe	137,179	142,295	33,044	10,443
Others	766	4,155	11,386	5,404
	403,043	611,543	240,234	147,304
	444,147	663,688	2,318,679	2,195,415

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 using the modified retrospective approach. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

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11 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	Ownership interests in land and buildings held for own use carried at cost		Other properties leased for own use carried at cost	Other items of plant and equipment	Sub-total	Investment properties	Total
	In Hong Kong	Outside Hong Kong				In Hong Kong	
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Cost or valuation:							
At 1 January 2018	71,146	37,063	–	763,479	871,688	1,802,845	2,674,533
Exchange adjustments	–	(922)	–	(5,948)	(6,870)	–	(6,870)
Additions	–	346	–	51,905	52,251	–	52,251
Disposals	–	–	–	(105,115)	(105,115)	–	(105,115)
Surplus on revaluation	–	–	–	–	–	142,888	142,888
At 31 December 2018	71,146	36,487	–	704,321	811,954	1,945,733	2,757,687
Representing							
Cost	71,146	36,487	–	704,321	811,954	–	811,954
Valuation – 2018	–	–	–	–	–	1,945,733	1,945,733
	<u>71,146</u>	<u>36,487</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>704,321</u>	<u>811,954</u>	<u>1,945,733</u>	<u>2,757,687</u>
At 31 December 2018	71,146	36,487	–	704,321	811,954	1,945,733	2,757,687
Impact on initial application of HKFRS 16 (Note)	–	–	75,100	869	75,969	–	75,969
At 1 January 2019	71,146	36,487	75,100	705,190	887,923	1,945,733	2,833,656
Exchange adjustments	–	376	(1,093)	389	(328)	–	(328)
Additions	–	12,017	761	32,247	45,025	10,633	55,658
Disposals	–	–	(4,486)	(22,943)	(27,429)	–	(27,429)
Surplus on revaluation	–	–	–	–	–	51,532	51,532
At 31 December 2019	71,146	48,880	70,282	714,883	905,191	2,007,898	2,913,089
Representing							
Cost	71,146	48,880	70,282	714,883	905,191	–	905,191
Valuation – 2019	–	–	–	–	–	2,007,898	2,007,898
	<u>71,146</u>	<u>48,880</u>	<u>70,282</u>	<u>714,883</u>	<u>905,191</u>	<u>2,007,898</u>	<u>2,913,089</u>

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11 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (continued)

	Ownership interests in land and buildings held for own use carried at cost		Other properties leased for own use carried at cost	Other items of plant and equipment	Sub-total	Investment properties	Total
	In Hong Kong HK\$'000	Outside Hong Kong HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000		In Hong Kong HK\$'000	
Accumulated depreciation and impairment:							
At 1 January 2018	14,272	20,776	–	713,248	748,296	–	748,296
Exchange adjustments	–	(484)	–	(3,571)	(4,055)	–	(4,055)
Charge for the year (note 5(d))	1,951	720	–	21,803	24,474	–	24,474
Impairment loss (note 5(c))	–	–	–	317	317	–	317
Written back on disposals	–	–	–	(102,405)	(102,405)	–	(102,405)
At 31 December 2018	<u>16,223</u>	<u>21,012</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>629,392</u>	<u>666,627</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>666,627</u>
At 1 January 2019	16,223	21,012	–	629,392	666,627	–	666,627
Exchange adjustments	–	200	(210)	(114)	(124)	–	(124)
Charge for the year (note 5(d))	1,951	712	10,999	21,784	35,446	–	35,446
Impairment loss (note 5(c))	–	–	–	27	27	–	27
Written back on disposals	–	–	(544)	(21,773)	(22,317)	–	(22,317)
At 31 December 2019	<u>18,174</u>	<u>21,924</u>	<u>10,245</u>	<u>629,316</u>	<u>679,659</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>679,659</u>
Net book value:							
At 31 December 2019	<u>52,972</u>	<u>26,956</u>	<u>60,037</u>	<u>85,567</u>	<u>225,532</u>	<u>2,007,898</u>	<u>2,233,430</u>
At 31 December 2018	<u>54,923</u>	<u>15,475</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>74,929</u>	<u>145,327</u>	<u>1,945,733</u>	<u>2,091,060</u>

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 using the modified retrospective method and adjusted the opening balances at 1 January 2019 to recognise right-of-use assets relating to leases which were previously classified as operating leases under HKAS 17. See note 2.

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11 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT *(continued)*

(a) Impairment loss of other property, plant and equipment

During the year ended 31 December 2019, the Group assessed the recoverable amount of the Group's certain property, plant and equipment and as a result, an impairment loss of HK\$27,000 (2018: HK\$317,000) was recognised to write-down the carrying amount to their recoverable amount. The estimates of recoverable amount were based on the property, plant and equipment's value in use, determined by reference to anticipated future use.

(b) Fair value measurement of investment properties

	2019 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Medium term leases at valuation:		
– In Hong Kong	<u>2,007,898</u>	<u>1,945,733</u>

(i) Fair value hierarchy

The following table presents the fair value of the Group's properties measured at the end of the reporting period on a recurring basis, categorised into the three-level fair value hierarchy as defined in HKFRS 13, *Fair value measurement*. The level into which a fair value measurement is classified is determined with reference to the observability and significance of the inputs used in the valuation technique as follows:

- Level 1 valuations: Fair value measured using only Level 1 inputs i.e. unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities at the measurement date
- Level 2 valuations: Fair value measured using Level 2 inputs i.e. observable inputs which fail to meet Level 1, and not using significant unobservable inputs. Unobservable inputs are inputs for which market data are not available
- Level 3 valuations: Fair value measured using significant unobservable inputs

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11 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (continued)

(b) Fair value measurement of investment properties (continued)

(i) Fair value hierarchy (continued)

	Fair value as at 31 December 2019 HK\$'000	Fair value measurements as at 31 December 2019 categorised into		
		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
		HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Recurring fair value measurements				
Investment properties:				
– Industrial – Hong Kong	2,007,898	–	–	2,007,898

	Fair value as at 31 December 2018 HK\$'000	Fair value measurements as at 31 December 2018 categorised into		
		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
		HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Recurring fair value measurements				
Investment properties:				
– Industrial – Hong Kong	1,945,733	–	–	1,945,733

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11 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT *(continued)*

(b) Fair value measurement of investment properties *(continued)*

(i) Fair value hierarchy *(continued)*

During the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018: HK\$Nil), there were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2, or transfers into or out of Level 3 (2018: HK\$Nil). The Group's policy is to recognise transfers between levels of fair value hierarchy as at the end of the reporting period in which they occur.

All of the Group's investment properties were revalued as at 31 December 2019. The valuations were carried out by an independent firm of surveyors, Cushman & Wakefield Limited, who have among their staff Fellows of the Hong Kong Institute of Surveyors with recent experience in the location and category of property being valued. The management have discussion with the surveyors on the valuation assumptions and valuation results when the valuation is performed at each annual reporting date.

(ii) Information about Level 3 fair value measurements

	Valuation techniques	Unobservable inputs	Range	Weighted average
Investment properties – Industrial – Hong Kong	Income capitalisation approach	Market rental value	HK\$14.8 to 16.5/sq. foot/month (2018: HK\$13.3 to 14.5/sq. foot/month)	HK\$14.3/sq. foot/month (2018: HK\$12.7/sq. foot/month)
		Capitalisation rate	N/A (2018: N/A)	3.55% (2018: 3.30%)
Investment properties – Industrial – Hong Kong	Direct comparison approach	Premium (discount) on quality of the buildings	(5%) to 5% (2018: (5%) to 5%)	0% (2018: 0%)

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11 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (continued)

(b) Fair value measurement of investment properties (continued)

(ii) Information about Level 3 fair value measurements (continued)

The fair value of investment properties located in Hong Kong is determined on an open market value basis, by either making reference to the comparable sales evidence in the relevant locality, or otherwise, by capitalising the current rent derived from the existing tenancies with the provision for any reversionary income potential.

The capitalisation rate used in income capitalisation approach has been adjusted for the expected market rental growth, occupancy rate and quality and location of the buildings. The fair value measurement is positively correlated to the market rental value and negatively correlated to the risk-adjusted capitalisation rate.

The premium or discount used in direct comparison approach is specific to the building compared to the recent sales. High premium for higher quality buildings will result in a high fair value measurement.

The movements in the balance of these Level 3 fair value measurements during the year are as follows:

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000
Investment properties – Industrial – Hong Kong:		
At 1 January	1,945,733	1,802,845
Additions	10,633	–
Fair value adjustment	<u>51,532</u>	<u>142,888</u>
At 31 December	<u><u>2,007,898</u></u>	<u><u>1,945,733</u></u>

Fair value adjustment of investment properties is recognised in the line item “surplus on revaluation of investment properties” in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

All the gains recognised in profit and loss for the year arose from the properties held at the end of the reporting period.

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11 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT *(continued)*

(c) Right-of-use assets

The analysis of the net book value of right-of-use assets by class of underlying asset is as follows:

	<i>Note</i>	31 December 2019 HK\$'000	1 January 2019 HK\$'000
Ownership interests in leasehold land and buildings held for own use, carried at depreciated cost in Hong Kong, with remaining lease term between 10 and 50 years	<i>(i)</i>	52,972	54,923
Other properties leased for own use, carried at depreciated cost	<i>(ii)</i>	60,037	75,100
Other items of plant and equipment, carried at depreciated cost	<i>(iii)</i>	856	869
		113,865	130,892
Ownership interests in leasehold investment property, carried at fair value, with remaining lease term of between 10 and 50 years		2,007,898	1,945,733
		2,121,763	2,076,625

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11 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (continued)

(c) Right-of-use assets (continued)

The analysis of expense items in relation to leases recognised in profit or loss is as follows:

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000 (Note)
Depreciation charge of right-of-use assets by class of underlying asset:		
Ownership interests in leasehold land and buildings	1,951	–
Other properties leased for own use	10,999	–
Plant and equipment	324	–
	<u>13,274</u>	<u>–</u>
Interest on lease liabilities (note 5(a))	2,981	–
Expense relating to short-term leases and other leases with remaining lease term ending on or before 31 December 2019	544	–
Total minimum lease payments for leases previously classified as operating leases under HKAS 17	–	23,375

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 using the modified retrospective approach and adjusted the opening balances at 1 January 2019 to recognise right-of-use assets relating to leases which were previously classified as operating leases under HKAS 17. After initial recognition of right-of-use assets at 1 January 2019, the Group as a lessee is required to recognise the depreciation of right-of-use assets, instead of the previous policy of recognising rental expenses incurred under operating leases on a straight-line basis over the lease term. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

During the year, additions to right-of-use assets were HK\$11,676,000. This amount included the additions of a leasehold property of HK\$10,633,000, and the remainder of HK\$1,043,000 related to the capitalised lease payments payable under new lease agreements of other items of plant and equipment.

Details of total cash outflow for leases and the maturity analysis of lease liabilities are set out in notes 20(d) and 23, respectively.

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11 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT *(continued)*

(c) Right-of-use assets *(continued)*

(i) Ownership interests in leasehold land and buildings held for own use

The Group holds an industrial building for its toys business. The Group is the registered owner of the property interest, including the share in the underlying land. Lump sum payments were made upfront to acquire the right to use the property, and there are no ongoing payments to be made under the terms of the land lease, other than payments based on rateable values set by the relevant government authorities. These payments vary from time to time and are payable to the relevant government authorities.

(ii) Other properties leased for own use

The Group has obtained the right to use other properties as its offices, warehouses, staff quarters and factories through tenancy agreements. The leases typically run for an initial period of 2 to 15 years.

(iii) Other items of plant and equipment

The Group leases equipment under leases expiring from 2 to 6 years. Some leases include an option to renew the lease when all terms are renegotiated. None of the leases includes variable lease payments.

(d) Investment properties

The Group leases out investment properties under operating leases. The leases typically run for an initial period of two to three years. None of the leases includes variable lease payments.

Undiscounted lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases in place at the reporting date will be receivable by the Group in future periods as follows:

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000
Within 1 year	<u>21,188</u>	<u>24,863</u>

(e) Secured assets

Investment properties and land and buildings of the Group with total carrying values of HK\$1,848,398,000 (2018: HK\$1,793,533,000) and HK\$60,949,000 (2018: HK\$62,943,000) respectively, were pledged to various banks to secure banking facilities granted to the Group (see note 22).

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12 INTANGIBLE ASSETS

	Licensing <i>HK\$'000</i>	Club membership <i>HK\$'000</i>	Total <i>HK\$'000</i>
Cost:			
At 1 January 2018	6,112	868	6,980
Exchange adjustments	(316)	–	(316)
	<u>5,796</u>	<u>868</u>	<u>6,664</u>
At 31 December 2018	5,796	868	6,664
At 1 January 2019	5,796	868	6,664
Exchange adjustments	129	–	129
	<u>5,925</u>	<u>868</u>	<u>6,793</u>
At 31 December 2019	5,925	868	6,793
Accumulated amortisation:			
At 1 January 2018	5,504	435	5,939
Exchange adjustments	(317)	–	(317)
Charge for the year	609	34	643
	<u>5,796</u>	<u>469</u>	<u>6,265</u>
At 31 December 2018	5,796	469	6,265
At 1 January 2019	5,796	469	6,265
Exchange adjustments	129	–	129
Charge for the year	–	33	33
	<u>5,925</u>	<u>502</u>	<u>6,427</u>
At 31 December 2019	5,925	502	6,427
Net book value:			
At 31 December 2019	<u>–</u>	<u>366</u>	<u>366</u>
At 31 December 2018	<u>–</u>	<u>399</u>	<u>399</u>

The amortisation charge for the year is included in “other operating expenses” in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

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13 INTEREST IN SUBSIDIARIES

The following list contains only the particulars of subsidiaries which principally affected the results, assets or liabilities of the Group. The class of shares held is ordinary unless otherwise stated.

Name of company	Place of operation	Place of incorporation/ establishment	Particulars of issued and paid up capital (all being ordinary shares except where otherwise stated)	Proportion of ownership interest held by		Principal activities
				The Company	A subsidiary	
Bachmann Asia Limited	Hong Kong	Hong Kong	2 shares	–	100%	Agent for sale of toys
Bachmann (China) Limited	PRC	Hong Kong	10,000 shares	–	100%	Trading of toys
Bachmann Trading (Shanghai) Limited	PRC	PRC	Registered capital RMB500,000	–	100%	Trading of toys
Bachmann Europe Plc	UK	UK	2,050,000 shares of £1 each	100%	–	Trading of toys
Bachmann Industries, Inc.	United States of America ("USA")	USA	4,010,100 shares of US\$1 each	–	100%	Trading of toys
Deltahill Company Limited	Hong Kong	Hong Kong	100 shares and 1,001,000 non-voting deferred shares	–	100%	Provision of management services
Dongguan Feng Da Electronics Company Limited (Note 1)	PRC	PRC	Registered capital HK\$8,000,000	–	100%	Manufacture of toys
Globe Fame Group Limited	British Virgin Islands ("BVI")	BVI	1 share of US\$1	100%	–	Investment holding
Faith World Development Limited	Hong Kong	Hong Kong	1 share of HK\$1	100%	–	Property development and investment

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13 INTEREST IN SUBSIDIARIES (continued)

Name of company	Place of operation	Place of incorporation/ establishment	Particulars of issued and paid up capital (all being ordinary shares except where otherwise stated)	Proportion of ownership interest held by		Principal activities
				The Company	A subsidiary	
Great Hope Investment Limited	BVI	BVI	1 share of US\$1	100%	–	Investment holding
Kader Industrial Company Limited	Hong Kong	Hong Kong	412,532,000 shares	100%	–	Manufacture and trading of toys, and property investment
K Cellars (Hong Kong) Limited	Hong Kong	Hong Kong	1,000 shares	–	100%	Sub-letting of wine cellar
Dongguan Hop Pong Precise Moulds Company Limited (Note 2)	PRC	PRC	Registered capital RMB\$4,800,000	–	52%	Manufacture and sale of moulds
Sanda Kan (Cayman III) Holdings Company Limited	Cayman Island	Cayman Island	1,000,000 shares of US\$0.01 each	100%	–	Investment holding
Sanda Kan (Mauritius) Holdings Company Limited	The Republic of Mauritius	The Republic of Mauritius	100 shares of US\$0.01 each	–	100%	Investment holding
Technic International Development Limited	Hong Kong	Hong Kong	1 share	–	100%	Investment holding
Wise Huge Investment Limited	Hong Kong	Hong Kong	1 share	100%	–	Investment holding

Notes:

- 1 The company is a wholly-owned foreign enterprise registered in the PRC.
- 2 The company is a co-operative joint venture registered in PRC.

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14 INTEREST IN ASSOCIATES AND LOANS TO AN ASSOCIATE

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Non-current assets		
Share of net assets	42,702	49,108
Amounts due from associates	40,153	40,140
	<u>82,855</u>	<u>89,248</u>
Current assets		
Loans to an associate	27,893	19,336
Less: impairment loss	(4,184)	(1,159)
	<u>23,709</u>	<u>18,177</u>

Amounts due from associates are unsecured, interest-free and repayable on demand. The Group does not intend to seek repayment thereof within 12 months of the end of the reporting period.

At 31 December 2019, loans to an associate amounting to HK\$23,657,000 (2018: HK\$12,090,000) are unsecured, interest-bearing at 5% to 15% per annum (2018: 5% to 10% per annum) and are repayable within one year. Interest receivable amounted to HK\$4,236,000 (2018: HK\$7,246,000) as at 31 December 2019.

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14 INTEREST IN ASSOCIATES AND LOANS TO AN ASSOCIATE *(continued)*

The following list contains the particulars of associates, all of which are unlisted corporate entities whose quoted market price is not available.

Name of associate	Form of business structure	Place of incorporation and business	Particulars of issued and paid up capital	Proportion of ownership interest			Principal activities
				Group's effective interest	Held by a subsidiary	Held by an associate	
Allman Holdings Limited	Incorporated	BVI	1,440 shares of US\$1 each	36.1%	36.1%	–	Investment holding
Pacific Squaw Creek Inc.	Incorporated	USA	1,000 shares of US\$1 each	36.1%	–	100.0%	Investment holding
RedwoodVentures Limited	Incorporated	Hong Kong	3,101,000 shares	45.5%	45.5%	–	Trading of toys
Squaw Creek Associates, LLC ("SCA")	Limited liability company	USA	Note	37.4%	15.0%	62.0%	Resort operation, and the sale and management of condominium apartments
Snow King Properties, LLC ("SKP")	Limited liability company	USA	Note	37.4%	15.0%	62.0%	Properties development, sale and investment

Note:

SCA and SKP does not have issued share capital, the interests in SCA and SKP represent the interests in capital account balance.

All of the above associates are accounted for using the equity method in the consolidated financial statements and considered not to be individually material.

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14 INTEREST IN ASSOCIATES AND LOANS TO AN ASSOCIATE (continued)

Summary financial information on associates

	Assets HK\$'000	Liabilities HK\$'000	Equity HK\$'000	Revenue HK\$'000	(Loss)/profit HK\$'000
2019					
Group's effective interest	<u>323,091</u>	<u>(218,005)</u>	<u>105,086</u>	<u>150,523</u>	<u>(25,331)</u>
2018					
Group's effective interest	<u>339,183</u>	<u>(212,251)</u>	<u>126,932</u>	<u>307,308</u>	<u>25,593</u>

15 DEPOSITS AND PREPAYMENTS

At 31 December 2019, deposits and prepayments for property, plant and equipment are expected to be recognised as property, plant and equipment in the future and classified as non-current assets.

16 OTHER FINANCIAL ASSETS

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000
Non-current assets		
Other financial assets (note 29(f)(i)):		
– Listed equity securities at FVPL in Hong Kong	3,147	–
– Listed equity securities at FVPL outside Hong Kong	2,735	3,036
– Unlisted equity securities at FVPL outside Hong Kong	12,053	7,999
– Listed debt securities at FVPL in Hong Kong	–	794
– Listed debt securities at FVPL outside Hong Kong	–	2,112
– Unlisted debt securities at FVPL outside Hong Kong	<u>7,020</u>	<u>–</u>
	<u>24,955</u>	<u>13,941</u>

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16 OTHER FINANCIAL ASSETS (continued)

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000
Current assets		
Other financial assets		
– Financial asset measured at amortised cost	<u>5,000</u>	<u>5,000</u>

17 TRADING SECURITIES

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000
Listed equity securities at FVPL (note 29(f)(i))		
– in Hong Kong	–	8,016
– outside Hong Kong	4,759	2,788
Listed debt securities at FVPL in Hong Kong	784	–
Unlisted debt securities at FVPL outside Hong Kong	<u>2,349</u>	<u>–</u>
	<u>7,892</u>	<u>10,804</u>

18 INVENTORIES

(a) Inventories in the consolidated statement of financial position comprise:

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000
Raw materials	20,184	26,225
Work in progress	14,356	22,401
Finished goods	<u>205,139</u>	<u>211,821</u>
	<u>239,679</u>	<u>260,447</u>

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18 INVENTORIES *(continued)*

(b) The analysis of the amount of inventories recognised as an expense and included in profit or loss is as follows *(note 5(d))*:

	2019 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Carrying amount of inventories sold	281,552	426,347
Write-down of inventories	–	2,708
Reversal of write-down of inventories	<u>(9,249)</u>	<u>(11,902)</u>
	<u>272,303</u>	<u>417,153</u>

The reversal of write-down of inventories made in the prior year arose upon subsequent sale of inventories.

19 TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	2019 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Trade debtors, net of loss allowance	96,317	95,234
Amounts due from related companies	2,084	2,051
Deposits and prepayments	<u>30,809</u>	<u>29,884</u>
	<u>129,210</u>	<u>127,169</u>

All of the trade and other receivables are expected to be recovered or recognised as expense within one year.

Amounts due from related companies are unsecured, interest-free and repayable on demand. The related companies have a common director and shareholder with the Company.

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19 TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES (continued)

Ageing analysis

As at the end of the reporting period, the ageing analysis of trade debtors (which are included in trade and other receivables), based on the invoice date and net of loss allowance, is as follows:

	2019	2018
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Within 1 month	44,732	37,460
1 to 3 months	32,899	48,832
3 to 12 months	18,335	7,717
Over 12 months	351	1,225
	96,317	95,234

Trade debtors are due within 90 days from the date of billing. Further details on the Group's credit policy are set out in note 29(a).

20 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AND OTHER CASH FLOW INFORMATION

(a) Cash and cash equivalents comprise:

	2019	2018
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Deposits with banks and other financial institutions	477	226
Cash at bank and on hand	107,501	95,660
Cash and cash equivalents in the consolidated cash flow statements	107,978	95,886

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20 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AND OTHER CASH FLOW INFORMATION *(continued)*

(b) Reconciliation of (loss)/profit before taxation to cash generated from operations:

	<i>Note</i>	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000 <i>(Note)</i>
(Loss)/profit before taxation		(13,060)	215,805
Adjustments for:			
Surplus on revaluation of investment properties	11	(51,532)	(142,888)
Depreciation	11	35,446	24,474
Amortisation of intangible assets	12	33	643
Impairment of other property, plant and equipment	11	27	317
Finance costs	5(a)	12,387	7,781
Interest income	4	(2,201)	(1,841)
Share of profits less losses of associates	14	25,331	(25,593)
Impairment loss of loans to an associate		3,025	–
Reversal of impairment loss on trade and other receivables	5(c)	(1,255)	–
Written back of trade and other payables	4	(3,455)	–
Gain on lease modifications	4	(102)	–
Loss on deregistration of subsidiaries	4	40,673	–
Net gain on disposal of other property, plant and equipment	4	(678)	(479)
Net realised and unrealised (gain)/loss on trading securities	4	(1,223)	1,832
Net realised and unrealised (gain)/loss on other financial assets	4	(1,899)	2,972
Foreign exchange loss		2,981	5,412
Changes in working capital:			
Decrease in inventories		20,768	14,248
(Increase)/decrease in trade and other receivables		(776)	46,583
Decrease in trade and other payables and contract liabilities (excluding rental deposits)		(10,171)	(20,261)
Decrease in deferred rental expenses		–	(61)
Increase in rental deposits received		759	2,198
(Decrease)/increase in accrued employee benefits		(54)	70
Cash generated from operations		55,024	131,212

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20 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AND OTHER CASH FLOW INFORMATION *(continued)*

(b) Reconciliation of (loss)/profit before taxation to cash generated from operations: *(continued)*

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 using the modified retrospective approach and adjusted the opening balances at 1 January 2019 to recognise right-of-use assets and lease liabilities relating to leases which were previously classified as operating leases under HKAS 17. Previously, cash payments under operating leases made by the Group as a lessee of HK\$23,375,000 were classified as operating activities in the consolidated cash flow statement. Under HKFRS 16, except for short-term lease payments, payments for leases of low value assets and variable lease payments not included in the measurement of lease liabilities, all other rentals paid on leases are now split into capital element and interest element (see note 20(c)) and classified as financing cash outflows. Under the modified retrospective approach, the comparative information is not restated. Further details on the impact of the transition to HKFRS 16 are set out in note 2.

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20 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AND OTHER CASH FLOW INFORMATION *(continued)*

(c) Reconciliation of liabilities arising from financing activities:

The table below details changes in the Group's liabilities from financing activities, including both cash and non-cash changes. Liabilities arising from financing activities are liabilities for which cash flows were, or future cash flows will be, classified in the Group's consolidated cash flow statement as cash flows from financing activities.

	Bank loans <i>HK\$'000</i> <i>(Note 22)</i>	Lease liabilities <i>HK\$'000</i> <i>(Note 23)</i>	Total <i>HK\$'000</i>
As at 1 January 2018	282,913	–	282,913
Changes from financing cash flows:			
Proceeds from new bank loans	338,440	–	338,440
Repayment of bank loans	(353,416)	–	(353,416)
Other borrowing costs paid	(7,781)	–	(7,781)
Total changes from financing cash flows	(22,757)	–	(22,757)
Other change:			
Interest on bank loans and other borrowings <i>(note 5(a))</i>	7,781	–	7,781
As at 31 December 2018	267,937	–	267,937
Impact on initial application of HKFRS 16 <i>(note 2)</i>	–	79,675	79,675
As at 1 January 2019	267,937	79,675	347,612

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20 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AND OTHER CASH FLOW INFORMATION (continued)

(c) Reconciliation of liabilities arising from financing activities: (continued)

	Bank loans <i>HK\$'000</i> <i>(Note 22)</i>	Lease liabilities <i>HK\$'000</i> <i>(Note 23)</i>	Total <i>HK\$'000</i>
Changes from financing cash flows:			
Proceeds from new bank loans	484,620	–	484,620
Repayment of bank loans	(429,264)	–	(429,264)
Capital element of lease rentals paid	–	(9,995)	(9,995)
Interest element of lease rentals paid	–	(2,981)	(2,981)
Other borrowing costs paid	(9,406)	–	(9,406)
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Total changes from financing cash flows	45,950	(12,976)	32,974
	-----	-----	-----
Exchange adjustments	440	(1,073)	(633)
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Other change:			
Interest on bank loans and other borrowings <i>(note 5(a))</i>	9,406	–	9,406
Interest on lease liabilities <i>(note 5(a))</i>	–	2,981	2,981
Increase in lease liabilities from entering into new leases during the period	–	1,043	1,043
Decrease in lease liabilities from terminating leases during the period	–	(4,044)	(4,044)
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	9,406	(20)	9,386
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As at 31 December 2019	323,733	65,606	389,339
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Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 using the modified retrospective method and adjusted the opening balances at 1 January 2019 to recognise lease liabilities relating to leases which were previously classified as operating leases under HKAS 17. See notes 2 and 20(b).

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20 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AND OTHER CASH FLOW INFORMATION *(continued)*

(d) Total cash outflow for leases

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000 (Note)
Within operating cash flows	544	23,375
Within investing cash flows	10,633	–
Within financing cash flows	12,976	–
	<u>24,153</u>	<u>23,375</u>

Note: As explained in the note to note 20(b), the adoption of HKFRS 16 introduces a change in classification of cash flows of certain rentals paid on leases. The comparative amounts have not been restated.

These amounts relate to the following:

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000
Lease rentals paid	13,520	23,375
Additions in leasehold properties	10,633	–
	<u>24,153</u>	<u>23,375</u>

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21 TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES AND CONTRACT LIABILITIES

	2019 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Trade and other payable		
Creditors and accrued charges	80,674	102,503
Rental deposits	9,628	11,459
Amount due to a related company	869	928
Amount due to an associate	18,925	—
	<u>110,096</u>	<u>114,890</u>
Contract liabilities		
Forward sales deposits	<u>9,566</u>	<u>1,304</u>
	<u><u>119,662</u></u>	<u><u>116,194</u></u>

(a) Trade and other payables

All of the trade and other payables, except for the amounts due to a related company and an associate, are expected to be settled or recognised as income within one year or are repayable on demand.

Amounts due to a related company and an associate are unsecured, interest-free and repayable on demand. The related company has a common director and shareholder with the Company.

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21 TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES AND CONTRACT LIABILITIES *(continued)*

(a) Trade and other payables *(continued)*

As of the end of the reporting period, the ageing analysis of trade creditors and bills payable (which are included in trade and other payables), based on the invoice date, is as follows:

	2019 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Within 1 month	8,264	13,573
Over 1 month but within 3 months	6,315	14,517
Over 3 months but within 6 months	1,833	4,192
Over 6 months	598	904
	<u>17,010</u>	<u>33,186</u>

(b) Contract liabilities

Typical payment terms which impact on the amounts of contract liabilities recognised are as follows:

The Group receives advances from certain customers for sale of goods when they sign sale and purchase agreement. These advances are recognised as contract liabilities until the customers take possession of and accepts the products.

Movements in contract liabilities

	2019 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Balance at 1 January	1,304	6,625
Decrease in contract liabilities as a result of recognising revenue during the year that was included in the contract liabilities at the beginning of the period	(441)	(6,567)
Increase in contract liabilities as a result of receiving forward sales deposits during the year	8,696	1,296
Exchange adjustments	7	(50)
Balance at 31 December	<u>9,566</u>	<u>1,304</u>

The amount of forward sales deposits received are expected to be recognised as income within one year.

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22 BANK LOANS

At 31 December 2019, the bank loans were repayable as follows:

	2019	2018
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Within 1 year or on demand	<u>323,733</u>	<u>267,937</u>

At 31 December 2019 and 2018, all bank loans were secured.

At 31 December 2019, investment properties and leasehold land and buildings of the Group with aggregate net carrying value of HK\$1,909,347,000 (2018: HK\$1,856,476,000) were pledged to various banks to secure the bank loans and overdrafts granted to the Group. Details of the secured assets are as follows:

	2019	2018
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Investment properties (<i>note 11(e)</i>)	1,848,398	1,793,533
Ownership interest in land and buildings (<i>note 11(e)</i>)	<u>60,949</u>	<u>62,943</u>
	<u>1,909,347</u>	<u>1,856,476</u>

Certain of the Group's banking facilities are subject to the fulfilment of covenants relating to certain of the Group's or relevant subsidiaries' financial ratios, as are commonly found in lending arrangements with financial institutions. If the Group were to breach the covenants, the drawn down facilities would become payable on demand.

At 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, none of the covenants relating to drawn down facilities has been breached.

Further details of the Group's management of liquidity risk are set out in note 29(b).

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23 LEASE LIABILITIES

The following table shows the remaining contractual maturities of the Group's lease liabilities at the end of the current and previous reporting periods and at the date of transition to HKFRS 16:

	<u>At 31 December 2019</u>		<u>At 1 January 2019 (Note)</u>	
	Present value of the minimum lease payments HK\$'000	Total minimum lease payments HK\$'000	Present value of the minimum lease payments HK\$'000	Total minimum lease payments HK\$'000
Within 1 year	<u>10,194</u>	<u>12,592</u>	<u>9,893</u>	<u>12,900</u>
After 1 year but within 2 years	10,688	12,668	10,320	12,924
After 2 years but within 5 years	27,379	30,899	32,140	37,337
After 5 years	<u>17,345</u>	<u>18,096</u>	<u>27,322</u>	<u>29,161</u>
	<u>55,412</u>	<u>61,663</u>	<u>69,782</u>	<u>79,422</u>
	<u>65,606</u>	<u>74,255</u>	<u>79,675</u>	92,322
Less: total future interest expenses		<u>(8,649)</u>		<u>(12,647)</u>
Present value of lease liabilities		<u>65,606</u>		<u>79,675</u>

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 at 1 January 2019 using the modified retrospective approach. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

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24 INCOME TAX IN THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

(a) Current taxation in the consolidated statement of financial position represents:

	2019	2018
	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Provision for Hong Kong Profits Tax for the year	208	17,346
Provisional Profits Tax paid	(6,087)	(18,202)
Balance of Profits Tax recoverable relating to prior years	(856)	–
	(6,735)	(856)
Provision for tax outside Hong Kong	20,446	26,530
	13,711	25,674
Representing:		
Current tax recoverable	7,088	1,021
Current tax payable	(20,799)	(26,695)
	(13,711)	(25,674)

In October 2016, a PRC municipal office of State Administration of Taxation (“tax authority”) raised enquiries in relation to Corporate Income Tax of a subsidiary of the Group in relation to the years from 2008 to 2015. Whilst the subsidiary submitted certain required information to the tax authority, the case was still on-going and no conclusion was reached as at the end of the reporting period. After the end of the reporting period, the tax authority has made a conclusion on the case.

Determining income tax provisions involves judgement on the future tax treatment of certain transactions and interpretation of tax rules. The Group carefully evaluates the tax implications of the transactions conducted, and tax provisions are set up accordingly. The tax treatment of such transactions is reconsidered periodically to take into account changes in tax legislation, and interpretation thereof. Where the final outcome is different from the current assessment, the income tax provisions recognised could be affected.

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24 INCOME TAX IN THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION *(continued)*

(b) Deferred tax assets and liabilities recognised:

(i) Movement of each component of deferred tax assets and liabilities

The components of deferred tax (assets)/liabilities recognised in the consolidated statement of financial position and the movements during the year are as follows:

	Depreciation allowances in excess of the related depreciation <i>HK\$'000</i>	Depreciation charge of right-of-use assets <i>HK\$'000</i>	Revaluation of land and buildings <i>HK\$'000</i>	Provisions and allowances <i>HK\$'000</i>	Tax losses <i>HK\$'000</i>	Total <i>HK\$'000</i>
Deferred tax arising from:						
At 1 January 2018	9,318	–	10,587	(11,633)	–	8,272
Charged to profit or loss <i>(note 6(a))</i>	4,066	–	–	4,771	–	8,837
At 31 December 2018	<u>13,384</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>10,587</u>	<u>(6,862)</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>17,109</u>
At 1 January 2019	13,384	–	10,587	(6,862)	–	17,109
Charged/(credited) to profit or loss <i>(note 6(a))</i>	1,723	(1,179)	–	(738)	(2,288)	(2,482)
Exchange adjustments	35	25	–	(19)	–	41
At 31 December 2019	<u>15,142</u>	<u>(1,154)</u>	<u>10,587</u>	<u>(7,619)</u>	<u>(2,288)</u>	<u>14,668</u>

(ii) Reconciliation to the consolidated statement of financial position

	2019 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Net deferred tax assets recognised in the consolidated statement of financial position	9,709	6,494
Net deferred tax liabilities recognised in the consolidated statement of financial position	<u>(24,377)</u>	<u>(23,603)</u>
	<u>(14,668)</u>	<u>(17,109)</u>

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24 INCOME TAX IN THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION (continued)

(c) Deferred tax assets not recognised

In accordance with the accounting policy set out in note 1(s), the Group has not recognised deferred tax assets in respect of cumulative tax losses of HK\$262,745,000 (2018: HK\$311,915,000), as it is not probable that future taxable profits against which the losses can be utilised will be available in the relevant tax jurisdictions and entities. The tax losses of the Group amounting to HK\$37,800,000 (2018: HK\$36,279,000) does not expire under current tax legislation, while the remaining tax losses amounting to HK\$224,945,000 (2018: HK\$275,636,000) will expire at various dates up to and including 2039 as follows:

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000
Expiring in year:		
2019	–	7,138
2020	178	29,720
2021	190	35,417
2022	93	630
2023	119	455
2024	118	–
2028	17,040	17,040
2029	31,233	31,233
2030	29,250	29,250
2031	31,900	31,900
2032	16,265	16,265
2033	642	642
2034	397	397
2035	19,830	19,830
2036	29,081	29,081
2037	9,478	9,478
2038	17,160	17,160
2039	21,971	–
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	224,945	275,636
No expiry date	37,800	36,279
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	262,745	311,915

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25 DEFERRED RENTAL EXPENSES

Deferred rental expenses represented lease incentives received by the Group in respect of operating leases. It was credited to profit or loss in equal instalments over the accounting periods covered by the lease terms.

On the date of transition to HKFRS 16, deferred rental expenses were adjusted to right-of-use assets recognised at 1 January 2019. See note 2.

26 RENTAL DEPOSITS

Rental deposits represent amount of rental deposits received which are expected to be settled after more than one year.

27 ACCRUED EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

	2019 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i>
At 1 January	92	22
Additional provision made	–	70
Provision utilised	(54)	–
	38	92

Accrued employee benefits represent provision for long service payments in respect of the Group's employees on termination of employment in accordance with the Hong Kong Employment Ordinance.

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28 CAPITAL, RESERVES AND DIVIDENDS

(a) Movements in components of equity

The reconciliation between the opening and closing balances of each component of the Group's consolidated equity is set out in the consolidated statement of changes in equity. Details of the changes in the Company's individual components of equity between the beginning and the end of the year are set out below:

		Share capital	Share premium	Capital reserve	Contributed surplus	Retained profits	Total
	Note	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Balance at 1 January 2018		95,059	185,138	9,347	175,594	395,560	860,698
Changes in equity for 2018:							
Profit and total comprehensive income for the year		-	-	-	-	104,960	104,960
Dividend approved in respect of the previous year	28(b)(ii)	-	-	-	-	(19,012)	(19,012)
Balance at 31 December 2018 and 1 January 2019		95,059	185,138	9,347	175,594	481,508	946,646
Changes in equity for 2019:							
Profit and total comprehensive income for the year		-	-	-	-	171	171
Dividend approved in respect of the previous year	28(b)(ii)	-	-	-	-	(9,506)	(9,506)
Balance at 31 December 2019		95,059	185,138	9,347	175,594	472,173	937,311

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28 CAPITAL, RESERVES AND DIVIDENDS (continued)

(b) Dividends

(i) Dividends payable to equity shareholders of the Company attributable to the year

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000
Final dividend proposed after the end of the reporting period of HK Nil cents per ordinary share (2018: HK1.0 cent per ordinary share)	<u>–</u>	<u>9,506</u>

(ii) Dividends payable to equity shareholders of the Company attributable to the previous financial year, approved and paid during the year

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000
Final dividend in respect of the previous financial year, approved and paid during the year, of HK1.0 cent per share (2018: HK2.0 cents per share)	<u>9,506</u>	<u>19,012</u>

(c) Issued share capital

	2019		2018	
	Number of shares '000	HK\$'000	Number of shares '000	HK\$'000
Authorised:				
Ordinary shares of HK\$0.10 each	<u>1,000,000</u>	<u>100,000</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>	<u>100,000</u>
Ordinary shares, issued and fully paid:				
At the beginning and the end of the year	<u>950,588</u>	<u>95,059</u>	<u>950,588</u>	<u>95,059</u>

The holders of ordinary shares are entitled to receive dividends as declared from time to time and are entitled to one vote per share at meetings of the Company. All ordinary shares rank equally with regard to the Company's residual assets.

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28 CAPITAL, RESERVES AND DIVIDENDS *(continued)*

(d) Nature and purpose of reserves

(i) Share premium

The application of the share premium account is governed by section 40 of the Companies Act 1981 of Bermuda.

(ii) Capital reserve

The capital reserve arose from acquisitions of subsidiaries and associates prior to 1 January 2001, where the excess of the Group's share of the fair value of the identifiable assets and liabilities acquired over the cost of the acquisition was credited to the capital reserve.

(iii) Contributed surplus

The contributed surplus may be utilised in accordance with the Bye-laws and other relevant laws of Bermuda, being the place of incorporation of the Company.

(iv) Exchange reserve

The exchange reserve comprises all foreign exchange differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of operations outside Hong Kong. The reserve is dealt with in accordance with the accounting policies set out in note 1(v).

(v) Revaluation reserve

The revaluation reserve has been set up and is dealt with in accordance with the accounting policies adopted for land and buildings set out in note 1(h).

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28 CAPITAL, RESERVES AND DIVIDENDS *(continued)*

(e) Distributability of reserves

At 31 December 2019, the aggregate amount of reserves available for distribution to equity shareholders of the Company was HK\$647,767,000 (2018: HK\$657,102,000).

(f) Capital management

The Group's primary objectives when managing capital are to safeguard the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, so that it can continue to provide returns for shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders, by pricing products and services commensurately with the level of risk and by securing access to finance at a reasonable cost.

The Group actively and regularly reviews and manages its capital structure to maintain a balance between the higher shareholder returns that might be possible with higher levels of borrowings and the advantages and security afforded by a sound capital position, and makes adjustments to the capital structure in light of changes in economic conditions.

The Group monitors its capital structure on the basis of an adjusted net debt-to-capital ratio. For this purpose the Group defines net debt as total debt (which includes interest-bearing loans and borrowings, trade and other payables and contract liabilities, lease liabilities and rental deposits) plus unaccrued proposed dividends, less cash and cash equivalents. Adjusted capital comprises all components of equity, less unaccrued proposed dividends.

The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 using the modified retrospective approach. Under this approach, the Group recognises right-of-use assets and corresponding lease liabilities for almost all leases previously accounted for as operating leases as from 1 January 2019. This caused an increase in the Group's total debt and hence the Group's adjusted net debt-to-capital ratio rose from 13.1% to 16.6% on 1 January 2019 when compared to its position as at 31 December 2018.

The Group's strategy was to maintain the adjusted net debt-to-capital ratio under 100%. In order to maintain or adjust the ratio, the Group may adjust the amount of dividends paid to shareholders, issue new shares, return capital to shareholders, raise new debt financing or sell assets to reduce debt.

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28 CAPITAL, RESERVES AND DIVIDENDS (continued)

The Group's adjusted net debt-to-capital ratios at 31 December 2019 and 2018 and at the date of transition to HKFRS 16 were as follows:

	31 December 2019 HK\$'000	1 January 2019 HK\$'000 (Note)	31 December 2018 HK\$'000 (Note)
Current liabilities:			
Trade and other payables and contract liabilities	119,662	116,194	116,194
Bank loans	323,733	267,937	267,937
Lease liabilities	10,194	9,893	–
	<u>453,589</u>	<u>394,024</u>	<u>384,131</u>
Non-current liabilities:			
Lease liabilities	55,412	69,782	–
Rental deposits	3,615	1,025	1,025
	<u>59,027</u>	<u>70,807</u>	<u>1,025</u>
Total debt	512,616	464,831	385,156
Add: proposed dividends	–	9,506	9,506
Less: cash and cash equivalents	<u>(107,978)</u>	<u>(95,886)</u>	<u>(95,886)</u>
Adjusted net debt	<u>404,638</u>	<u>378,451</u>	<u>298,776</u>
Total equity	2,316,069	2,295,102	2,295,102
Less: proposed dividends	–	(9,506)	(9,506)
Adjusted capital	<u>2,316,069</u>	<u>2,285,596</u>	<u>2,285,596</u>
Adjusted net debt-to-capital ratio	<u>17.5%</u>	<u>16.6%</u>	<u>13.1%</u>

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 using the modified retrospective approach and adjusted the opening balances at 1 January 2019 to recognise lease liabilities relating to leases which were previously classified as operating leases under HKAS 17. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

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28 CAPITAL, RESERVES AND DIVIDENDS *(continued)*

The Group is subject to the fulfilment of certain covenants which include maintaining its adjusted net debt-to-capital ratio below 100%. Except for the above, neither the Company nor any of its other subsidiaries are subject to externally imposed capital requirements.

29 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES

Exposure to credit, liquidity, interest rate and currency risks arises in the normal course of the Group's business. The Group is also exposed to equity price risk arising from its equity investments in other entities and movements in its own equity share price. The Group's exposure to these risks and the financial risk management policies and practices used by the Group to manage these risks are described below.

(a) Credit risk

Credit risk refers to the risk that a counterparty will default on its contractual obligations resulting in a financial loss to the Group. The Group's credit risk is primarily attributable to trade and other receivables, other financial assets, trading securities, cash and cash equivalents and loans to an associate. Management has a credit policy in place and the exposures to these credit risks are monitored on an ongoing basis.

In respect of trade and other receivables, credit evaluations are performed on all customers requiring credit over a certain amount. These evaluations focus on the customer's past history of making payments when due and current ability to pay, and take into account information specific to the customer as well as pertaining to the economic environment in which the customer operates. Trade receivables are due within 90 days from the date of billing. Normally, the Group does not obtain collateral from customers in its toys and model trains business. In respect of the Group's property investment business, deposits of two to three months' rent are normally required from lessees.

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29 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES (continued)

(a) Credit risk (continued)

The Group's exposure to credit risk is influenced mainly by the individual characteristics of each customer rather than the industry or country in which the customers operate and therefore significant concentration of credit risk primarily arises when the Group has significant exposure to individual customers. At the end of the reporting period, 11.98% (2018: 42.84%) and 43.07% (2018: 62.64%) of the total trade and other receivables were due from the Group's largest customer and the five largest customers respectively.

Investments in other financial assets and trading securities are normally only in liquid securities quoted on a recognised stock exchange, except where entered into for long-term strategic purposes. Cash and cash equivalents are normally placed with counterparties that have sound credit ratings.

The Group monitors the loans to an associate on an on-going basis. During the year ended 31 December 2019, loss allowance of HK\$3,025,000 (2018: HK\$ Nil) in respect of loans to an associate was recognised in profit or loss. The loss allowance is measured as the present value of all expected cash shortfalls.

The Group measures loss allowances for trade receivables at an amount equal to lifetime ECLs, which is calculated using a provision matrix. As the Group's historical credit loss experience does not indicate significantly different loss patterns for different customer segments, the loss allowance based on past due status is not further distinguished between the Group's different customer bases.

The following table provides information about the Group's exposure to credit risk and ECLs for trade receivables:

	2019		
	Expected loss %	Gross carrying amount HK\$'000	Loss allowance HK\$'000
Neither past due nor impaired	0.2%	64,662	142
Less than 1 month past due	0.2%	26,692	56
1 to 3 months past due	5.1%	4,784	245
More than 3 months but less than 12 months past due	32.8%	482	158
More than 12 months past due	83.4%	1,800	1,502
		<u>98,420</u>	<u>2,103</u>

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29 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES *(continued)*

(a) Credit risk *(continued)*

	Expected loss %	2018	
		Gross carrying amount <i>HK\$'000</i>	Loss allowance <i>HK\$'000</i>
Neither past due nor impaired	2.0%	74,899	1,529
Less than 1 month past due	5.0%	19,053	949
1 to 3 months past due	6.5%	1,899	124
More than 3 months but less than 12 months past due	8.8%	990	87
More than 12 months past due	68.7%	3,455	2,373
		<u>100,296</u>	<u>5,062</u>

Expected loss rates are based on actual loss experience. These rates are adjusted to reflect differences between economic conditions during the period over which the historic data has been collected, current conditions and the Group's view of economic conditions over the expected lives of the receivables.

Movement in the loss allowance account in respect of trade receivables during the year is as follows:

	2019 <i>HK\$'000</i>	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i>
At the beginning of the year	5,062	6,434
Exchange adjustments	1	(6)
Amounts written off during the year	(2,762)	(484)
Reversal of impairment losses during the year	(198)	(882)
At the end of the year	<u>2,103</u>	<u>5,062</u>

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29 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES *(continued)*

(b) Liquidity risk

Individual operating entities within the Group are responsible for their own cash management including the short term investment of cash surpluses. The Group's policy is to regularly monitor its liquidity requirements and its compliance with lending covenants, to ensure that it maintains sufficient reserves of cash and readily realisable marketable securities and adequate committed lines of funding from financial institutions to meet its liquidity requirements in the short and longer term.

The following tables show the remaining contractual maturities at the end of the reporting period of the Group's financial liabilities, which are based on contractual undiscounted cash flows (including interest payments computed using contractual rates, or if floating, based on rates current at the end of the reporting period) and the earliest date the Group can be required to pay:

For the term loans subject to repayment on demand clauses which can be exercised at the lender's sole discretion, the analysis shows the cash outflow based on the contractual repayment schedule and, separately, the impact to the timing of the cash outflows if the lenders were to invoke to unconditional rights to call the loans with immediate effect.

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29 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES (continued)

	2019							2018						
	Total contractual undiscounted cash outflow							Total contractual undiscounted cash outflow						
	On demand	Within 1 year	More than 1 year but less than 2 years	More than 2 year but less than 5 years	More than 5 years	Total	Carrying amount	On demand	Within 1 year	More than 1 year but less than 2 years	More than 2 year but less than 5 years	More than 5 years	Total	Carrying amount
HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
Creditors and accrued charges	-	80,674	-	-	-	80,674	80,674	-	102,503	-	-	-	102,503	102,503
Amount due to a related company	-	869	-	-	-	869	869	-	928	-	-	-	928	928
Amount due to an associate	-	18,925	-	-	-	18,925	18,925	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rental deposits	-	9,628	3,615	-	-	13,243	13,243	-	11,459	1,025	-	-	12,484	12,484
Bank loans	-	333,791	2,640	-	-	336,431	323,733	-	262,268	11,392	2,637	-	276,297	267,937
Lease liabilities (note)	-	12,592	12,668	30,899	18,096	74,255	65,606	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	456,479	18,923	30,899	18,096	524,397	503,050	-	377,158	12,417	2,637	-	392,212	383,852
Adjustments to present cash flows on bank loans based on lender's right to demand repayment	323,733	(333,791)	(2,640)	-	-	(12,698)		267,937	(262,268)	(11,392)	(2,637)	-	(8,360)	
Adjustments to future interest expenses	-	(2,398)	(1,980)	(3,520)	(751)	(8,649)		-	-	-	-	-	-	
	<u>323,733</u>	<u>120,290</u>	<u>14,303</u>	<u>27,379</u>	<u>17,345</u>	<u>503,050</u>		<u>267,937</u>	<u>114,890</u>	<u>1,025</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>383,852</u>	

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 using the modified retrospective approach and adjusted the opening balances at 1 January 2019 to recognise lease liabilities relating to leases which were previously classified as operating leases under HKAS 17. Lease liabilities include amounts recognised at the date of transition to HKFRS 16 in respect of leases previously classified as operating leases under HKAS 17 and amounts relating to new leases entered into during the year. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

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29 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES (continued)

As shown in the above analysis, bank loans of the Group amounting to HK\$333,791,000 are due to be repaid during 2020. The short-term liquidity risk inherent in this contractual maturity date was addressed at the time the loans were drawn. The Group will in due course commence refinancing of its bank loans which are due for maturity in December 2019. Based on the Group's past ability to financing and good relationship with a number of financial institutions, the Group expects to have adequate source of funding to finance and manage its liquidity position.

(c) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Group's interest rate risk arises primarily from bank borrowings. Bank borrowings issued at variable rates expose the Group to cash flow interest rate risk. The Group monitors the level of its variable rate borrowings and manages the contractual terms of the interest-bearing financial assets and liabilities. For this purpose the Group defines "net borrowings" as being interest-bearing financial liabilities less interest-bearing investments (excluding cash held for short-term working capital purposes). The Group's interest rate profile as monitored by management is set out in (i) below.

(i) Interest rate profile

The following table details the interest rate profile of the Group's net borrowings (as defined above) at the end of the reporting period.

	Note	2019		2018	
		Effective interest rate %	Amount HK\$'000	Effective interest rate %	Amount HK\$'000
Fixed rate borrowings:					
Lease liabilities (note)	23	4.00	65,606	–	–
Variable rate borrowings:					
Bank loans	22	<u>3.98</u>	<u>323,733</u>	<u>3.41</u>	<u>267,937</u>

Note: The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 using the modified retrospective approach and adjusted the opening balances at 1 January 2019 to recognise lease liabilities relating to leases which were previously classified as operating leases under HKAS 17. Under this approach, the comparative information is not restated. See note 2.

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29 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES *(continued)*

(c) Interest rate risk *(continued)*

(ii) Sensitivity analysis

At 31 December 2019, it is estimated that a general increase/decrease of 100 basis points in interest rates, with all other variables held constant, would have increased/decreased the Group's profit/loss after taxation and retained profits by approximately HK\$2,703,000 (2018: HK\$2,237,000). Other components of consolidated equity would not be affected in response to a general increase/decrease in interest rates.

The sensitivity analysis above indicates the annualised impact on Group's interest expense that would arise assuming that the change in interest rates had occurred at the end of the reporting period and had been applied to floating rate instruments which expose the Group to cash flow interest rate risk at the end of the reporting period. The analysis does not take into account exposure to fair value interest rate risk arising from fixed rate instruments as the Group does not hold any fixed rate instruments which are measured at fair value in the consolidated financial statements. The analysis has been performed on the same basis for 2018.

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29 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES *(continued)*

(d) Currency risk

The Group is exposed to foreign currency risk primarily through sales and purchases which give rise to receivables, payables and cash balances that are denominated in a foreign currency, i.e. a currency other than the functional currency of the operations to which the transactions relate. The currencies giving rise to this risk are primarily United States Dollars (“USD”), Renminbi Yuan (“RMB”) Sterling Pounds (“GBP”), Japanese Yen (“JPY”) and Euro (“EUR”).

The Group’s operations outside Hong Kong do not undertake significant transactions in a currency other than their respective functional currencies. Funds are retained by the operations outside Hong Kong for use within the respective operations.

(i) Exposure to currency risk

The following table details the Group’s exposure at the end of the reporting period to currency risk arising from recognised assets and liabilities denominated in a currency other than the functional currency of the entity to which they relate.

	2019				
	USD '000	RMB '000	GBP '000	JPY '000	EUR '000
Other financial assets	2,654	–	–	–	128
Trading securities	402	–	–	66,933	–
Trade and other receivables	232	267	–	–	354
Cash and cash equivalents	252	534	1,161	107	1,405
Trade and other payables	(90)	(1,329)	–	–	(78)
Bank loans	–	–	(500)	–	–
Net exposure arising from recognised assets and liabilities	<u>3,450</u>	<u>(528)</u>	<u>661</u>	<u>67,040</u>	<u>1,809</u>
HK\$ equivalent	<u>26,908</u>	<u>(587)</u>	<u>6,680</u>	<u>4,767</u>	<u>15,588</u>

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29 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES *(continued)*

(d) Currency risk *(continued)*

(i) Exposure to currency risk *(continued)*

	2018				
	USD '000	RMB '000	GBP '000	JPY '000	EUR '000
Other financial assets	762	–	–	39,564	–
Trade and other receivables	290	397	–	–	105
Cash and cash equivalents	559	184	515	39,624	631
Trade and other payables	(35)	(1,335)	–	–	–
Net exposure arising from recognised assets and liabilities	<u>1,576</u>	<u>(754)</u>	<u>515</u>	<u>79,188</u>	<u>736</u>
HK\$ equivalent	<u>12,297</u>	<u>(857)</u>	<u>5,094</u>	<u>5,580</u>	<u>6,548</u>

(ii) Sensitivity analysis

The following table indicates the instantaneous change in the Group's profit after taxation (and retained profits) and other components of consolidated equity that would have arisen if foreign exchange rates to which the Group has significant exposure at the end of the reporting period had changed at that date, assuming all other risk variables remained constant. In this respect, it is assumed that the pegged rate between HKD and USD would be materially unaffected by any changes in movement in value of USD against other currencies.

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29 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES *(continued)*

(d) Currency risk *(continued)*

(ii) Sensitivity analysis *(continued)*

	2019		2018	
	Increase/ (decrease) in foreign exchange rates	(Increase)/ decrease in loss after taxation and (decrease)/ increase in retained profits HK\$'000	Increase/ (decrease) in foreign exchange rates	(Decrease)/ increase in profit after taxation and retained profits HK\$'000
RMB	5% (5%)	(25) 25	5% (5%)	(36) 36
GBP	5% (5%)	279 (279)	5% (5%)	213 (213)
JPY	5% (5%)	199 (199)	5% (5%)	233 (233)
EUR	5% (5%)	643 (643)	5% (5%)	265 (265)

Results of the analysis as presented in the above table represent an aggregation of the instantaneous effects on each of the Group entities' profit/loss after taxation and equity measured in the respective functional currencies, translated into HKD at the exchange rate ruling at the end of the reporting period for presentation purposes.

The sensitivity analysis assumes that the change in foreign exchange rates had been applied to remeasure those financial instruments held by the Group which expose the Group to foreign currency risk at the end of the reporting period, including inter-company payables and receivables within the Group which are denominated in a currency other than the functional currencies of the lender or the borrower. The analysis excludes differences that would result from the translation of the financial statements of operations outside Hong Kong into the Group's presentation currency. The analysis has been performed on the same basis for 2018.

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29 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES *(continued)*

(e) Equity price risk

The Group is exposed to equity price changes arising from equity investments held for trading and non-trading purposes (see notes 16 and 17). Other than the unquoted securities held for strategic purposes, all of these investments are listed.

The Group's listed investments are listed both in and outside Hong Kong. Listed investments that are not held for trading purposes have been chosen based on their longer term growth potential and are monitored regularly for performance against expectations.

At 31 December 2019, it is estimated that changes in the relevant stock market indices (for listed investments) with all other variables held constant, would have increased/decreased the Group's profit/loss after taxation and retained profits as follows:

	2019	
	Increase/ (decrease) in the relevant risk variable	Decrease/ (increase) in loss after taxation and increase/ (decrease) in retained profits <i>HK\$'000</i>
Stock market index in respect of listed investments:		
Nikkei 225	18% (18%)	715 (715)
S&P Global Natural Resources Index	13% (13%)	171 (171)
SSE Composite Index	22% (22%)	578 (578)
	(22%)	(578)

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29 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES *(continued)*

(e) Equity price risk *(continued)*

	2018	
	Increase/ (decrease) in the relevant risk variable	Increase/ (decrease) in profit after taxation and retained profits <i>HK\$'000</i>
Stock market index in respect of listed investments:		
Hang Seng Index	14% (14%)	937 (937)
Nikkei 225	12% (12%)	279 (279)
S&P Global Natural Resources Index	16% (16%)	406 (406)
	(16%)	(406)

The sensitivity analysis indicates the instantaneous change in the Group's profit/loss after taxation and retained profits that would have arisen assuming that the changes in the stock market indices had occurred at the end of the reporting period and had been applied to remeasure those financial instruments held by the Group which expose the Group to equity price risk at the end of the reporting period. It is also assumed that the fair values of the Group's equity investments would change in accordance with the historical movement with the relevant stock market indices, and that all other variables remain constant. The analysis has been performed on the same basis for 2018.

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29 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES *(continued)*

(f) Fair value measurement

(i) Financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value

Fair value hierarchy

The following table presents the fair value of the Group's financial instruments measured at the end of the reporting period on a recurring basis, categorised into the three-level fair value hierarchy as defined in HKFRS 13, *Fair value measurement*. The level into which a fair value measurement is classified is determined with reference to the observability and significance of the inputs used in the valuation technique as follows:

- Level 1 valuations: Fair value measured using only Level 1 inputs i.e. unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities at the measurement date
- Level 2 valuations: Fair value measured using Level 2 inputs i.e. observable inputs which fail to meet Level 1, and not using significant unobservable inputs. Unobservable inputs are inputs for which market data are not available.
- Level 3 valuations: Fair value measured using significant unobservable inputs

	Fair value as at 31 December 2019 HK\$'000	Fair value measurements as at 31 December 2019 categorised into		
		Level 1 HK\$'000	Level 2 HK\$'000	Level 3 HK\$'000
Recurring fair value measurements				
Other financial assets				
– Listed equity securities	5,882	5,882	–	–
– Unlisted equity securities	12,053	–	10,493	1,560
– Unlisted debt securities	7,020	–	–	7,020
	<u>24,955</u>	<u>5,882</u>	<u>10,493</u>	<u>8,580</u>
Trading securities				
– Listed equity securities	4,759	4,759	–	–
– Listed debt securities	784	784	–	–
– Unlisted debt securities	2,349	–	2,349	–
	<u>7,892</u>	<u>5,543</u>	<u>2,349</u>	<u>–</u>
	<u>32,847</u>	<u>11,425</u>	<u>12,842</u>	<u>8,580</u>

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29 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES (continued)

(f) Fair value measurement (continued)

(i) Financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value (continued)

Fair value hierarchy (continued)

	Fair value as at 31 December 2018 HK\$'000	Fair value measurements as at 31 December 2018 categorised into		
		Level 1 HK\$'000	Level 2 HK\$'000	Level 3 HK\$'000
Recurring fair value measurements				
Other financial assets				
– Listed equity securities	3,036	3,036	–	–
– Listed debt securities	2,906	2,906	–	–
– Unlisted equity securities	7,999	–	7,999	–
	13,941	5,942	7,999	–
Trading securities				
– Listed equity securities	10,804	10,804	–	–
	<u>24,745</u>	<u>16,746</u>	<u>7,999</u>	<u>–</u>

During the years ended 31 December 2019 and 2018, there were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2, or transfer into or out of Level 3. The Group's policy is to recognise transfers between levels of fair value hierarchy as at the end of the reporting period in which they occur.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

29 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES *(continued)*

(f) Fair value measurement *(continued)*

(i) Financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value *(continued)*

Information about Level 2 fair value measurements

The fair value is based on price quoted by financial institutions.

Information about Level 3 fair value measurements

The Group's Level 3 financial instruments represent unlisted equity and debt securities which their fair values are based on unobservable inputs. The directors perform the valuation on Level 3 financial instruments for financial reporting purposes. Their fair values have been determined with reference to the pricing of the recent transactions.

The movement during the year in the balance of these Level 3 fair value measurements is as follows:

	Unlisted equity securities <i>HK\$'000</i>	Unlisted debt securities <i>HK\$'000</i>
Balance as at 31 December 2018 and 1 January 2019	–	–
Payment for purchases	<u>1,560</u>	<u>7,020</u>
	<u><u>1,560</u></u>	<u><u>7,020</u></u>

(ii) Fair values of financial instruments carried at other than fair value

The carrying amount of the Group's financial instruments carried at cost or amortised cost are not materially different from their fair values as at 31 December 2019 and 2018.

Notes to the Financial Statements (Continued)

30 COMMITMENTS

- (a) Capital commitments outstanding at 31 December 2019 not provided for in the financial statements were as follows:

	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000
Contracted for the purchase of property, plant and equipment	<u>7,020</u>	<u>8,665</u>

- (b) At 31 December 2018, the total future minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases were payable as follows:

	Land and buildings HK\$'000	Others HK\$'000
Within 1 year	6,165	244
After 1 year but within 5 years	2,016	222
Over 5 years	<u>712</u>	<u>–</u>
	<u>8,893</u>	<u>466</u>

The Group is the lessee in respect of a number of properties and items of equipment held under leases which were previously classified as operating leases under HKAS 17. The Group has initially applied HKFRS 16 using the modified retrospective approach. Under this approach, the Group adjusted the opening balances at 1 January 2019 to recognise lease liabilities relating to these leases (see note 2). From 1 January 2019 onwards, future lease payments are recognised as lease liabilities in the consolidated statement of financial position in accordance with the policies set out in note 1(j), and the details regarding the Group's future lease payments are disclosed in note 23.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

31 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT BENEFITS

In Hong Kong, the Group operates a defined contribution pension scheme (“ORSO scheme”) for all qualifying employees. Effective from 1 December 2000, all Hong Kong based employees were also covered under a Mandatory Provident Fund (“MPF”) scheme, and the existing ORSO scheme was modified to provide extra benefits for existing and new employees. The amounts of employer’s and employees’ contributions to the ORSO scheme are reduced by the amount required to be paid to the MPF scheme. The contributions to the ORSO scheme are supplementary contributions, over and above the minimum MPF requirements. The assets of the ORSO scheme are held separately under a provident fund managed by an independent trustee. Pursuant to the rules of the ORSO scheme, the employees are required to make contributions to the ORSO scheme calculated at 5% of their basic salaries on a monthly basis whilst the employer’s contributions vary with the number of years of service of the employees from 5% to 10% of the basic monthly salary. The employees are entitled to 100% of the employer’s contributions to the ORSO scheme and the accrued interest after 10 complete years’ service, or at an increasing scale of between 50% and 90% after completion of 5 to 9 years’ service.

Where there are employees who leave the ORSO scheme prior to vesting fully in the contributions, in accordance with the rules of the ORSO scheme, the forfeited employer’s contributions shall be used to reduce the future contributions of the employer.

Under the Hong Kong Employment Ordinance, the Group is obliged to make lump sum payments on cessation of employment in certain circumstances to employees who have completed at least five years of service with the Group. The amount payable is dependent on the employees’ final salary and years of service, and is reduced by entitlements accrued under the retirement schemes of the Group that are attributable to contributions made by the Group.

Subsidiaries incorporated in the PRC participate in the defined contribution retirement schemes operated by the local authorities for employees in the PRC. Contributions to these schemes are charged to profit or loss when incurred.

Under the PRC Labour Contract Law, the Group is obliged to make lump sum payments on cessation of employment in certain circumstances to employees. The amount payable is dependent on the employees’ final salary and years of service.

Employees in the United States of America are covered by a profit sharing plan under section 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code covering all eligible employees. The plan provides for contributions from both the employer and eligible employees. Employer’s contributions are voluntary and are determined each year at the discretion of management.

As regards employees in Europe, contributions are made by the employer to a money purchase defined contribution pension scheme for certain of its employees. The assets of the scheme are held separately by an independent administered fund.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

32 MATERIAL RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

In addition to the transactions and balances disclosed elsewhere in these financial statements, the Group entered into the following material related party transactions:

- (a) Remuneration for key management personnel of the Group are disclosed in notes 7 and 8 to the financial statements.
- (b) As at 31 December 2019, the Group advanced funds totalling HK\$40,153,000 (2018: HK\$40,140,000) to certain associates in which certain directors of the Company have beneficial interests. Further details of the associates are given in note 14 to the financial statements.
- (c) During the year ended 31 December 2019, the Group acquired sanitary wares amounted to HK\$637,000 from a related party in which a director of the Company has beneficial interests (2018: HK\$177,000).

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33 COMPANY-LEVEL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

	<i>Note</i>	2019 HK\$'000	2018 <i>HK\$'000</i>
Non-current assets			
Interest in subsidiaries		<u>938,803</u>	<u>948,516</u>
Current assets			
Trade and other receivables		360	348
Cash and cash equivalents		<u>311</u>	<u>753</u>
		<u>671</u>	<u>1,101</u>
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables		<u>2,163</u>	<u>2,971</u>
Net current liabilities		<u>(1,492)</u>	<u>(1,870)</u>
NET ASSETS		<u>937,311</u>	<u>946,646</u>
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
	<i>28(a)</i>		
Share capital		95,059	95,059
Reserves		<u>842,252</u>	<u>851,587</u>
TOTAL EQUITY		<u>937,311</u>	<u>946,646</u>

Notes to the Financial Statements (Continued)

34 ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS

The Group believes the following critical accounting policies involves the most significant judgements and estimates used in the preparation of the financial statements.

(a) Valuation of investment properties

The fair valuation of the Group's investment properties is conducted by an independent firm of surveyors by either making reference to comparable sales evidence in the relevant locality, or otherwise, by capitalising the current rent derived from the existing tenancies with provision for any reversionary income potential. The valuation model used by the property valuer makes use of market inputs. Should changes be made to these market inputs, the corresponding investment property valuation would change.

(b) Impairment of other property, plant and equipment

If circumstances indicate that the carrying amounts of other property, plant and equipment may not be recoverable, the assets may be considered "impaired" and are tested for impairment in accordance with HKAS 36, *Impairment of assets*. An impairment loss is recognised when the asset's recoverable amount has declined below its carrying amount. The recoverable amount is the greater of the fair value less costs of disposal and value in use. The asset's recoverable amount will also be estimated if circumstances indicate that an impairment loss previously recognised no longer exists or may have decreased. An impairment loss is reversed if there has been a favourable change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount. In determining the recoverable amount, significant judgements are required and the Group uses all readily available information, including estimates based on reasonable and supportable assumptions, projections of sale volume and operating costs or other market data, to arrive at an amount that is a reasonable approximation of recoverable amount. Any adverse changes in the assumptions used in determining the recoverable amount would cause the carrying amount of the asset to be significantly different from the recoverable amount.

(c) Write-down of inventories

The Group performs regular reviews of the carrying amounts of inventories with reference to aged inventories analyses and projections of expected future salability of goods based on management experience and judgement. Based on this review, a write-down of inventories will be made when the estimated net realisable value of inventories decline below their carrying amounts. Due to changes in customers' preferences, actual salability of goods may be different from estimations and profit or loss in future accounting periods could be affected by differences in these estimations.

Notes to the Financial Statements *(Continued)*

35 POSSIBLE IMPACT OF AMENDMENTS, NEW STANDARDS AND INTERPRETATIONS ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

Up to the date of issue of these financial statements, the HKICPA has issued a number of amendments and a new standard, HKFRS 17, *Insurance contracts*, which are not yet effective for the year ended 31 December 2019 and which have not been adopted in these financial statements. These developments include the following which may be relevant to the Group.

	Effective for accounting periods beginning on or after
Amendments to HKFRS 3, <i>Definition of a business</i>	1 January 2020
Amendments to HKAS 1 and HKAS 8, <i>Definition of material</i>	1 January 2020

The Group is in the process of making an assessment of what the impact of these developments is expected to be in the period of initial application. So far it has concluded that the adoption of them is unlikely to have a significant impact on the consolidated financial statements.

36 NON-ADJUSTING EVENT AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

Due to the outbreak of Novel Coronavirus, manufacturing activities of the Group's production plant in the PRC have been suspended from late January 2020 to late February 2020. Management anticipated that this would adversely affect the Group's financial performance in 2020.

Group Properties

Details of the major property of the Group are as follows:

Location	Existing use	Term of lease
Major property held for investment		
A portion of Ground Floor, whole of First, Second, Third, Fourth Floors, a portion rental of Fifth Floor, the whole of Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth Floors, a portion of Eleventh Floor, Kader Building, 22 Kai Cheung Road Kowloon Bay, Kowloon HONG KONG	Industrial and office	Medium-term

Five-Year Summary

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS

	Note	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000	2015 HK\$'000
Revenue		444,147	663,688	823,451	753,545	893,447
(Loss)/profit from operations	1,2	(23,849)	55,105	165,220	102,367	115,443
Finance costs		(12,387)	(7,781)	(7,152)	(9,557)	(14,444)
Share of profits less losses of associates		(25,331)	25,593	10,323	12,376	4,205
(Impairment loss)/reversal of impairment loss of loans to an associate		(3,025)	–	–	(711)	1,566
Surplus on revaluation of investment properties		51,532	142,888	186,372	57,724	48,885
(Loss)/profit before taxation		(13,060)	215,805	354,763	162,199	155,655
Income tax expense	1	(981)	(34,401)	(26,956)	(38,651)	(29,132)
(Loss)/profit for the year		<u>(14,041)</u>	<u>181,404</u>	<u>327,807</u>	<u>123,548</u>	<u>126,523</u>
Attributable to:						
Equity shareholders of the Company		(14,364)	181,750	321,748	122,905	124,339
Non-controlling interests		323	(346)	6,059	643	2,184
(Loss)/profit for the year		<u>(14,041)</u>	<u>181,404</u>	<u>327,807</u>	<u>123,548</u>	<u>126,523</u>
(Loss)/earnings per share						
Basic		(1.51)¢	19.12¢	33.85¢	12.93¢	13.08¢
Diluted		(1.51)¢	19.12¢	33.85¢	12.93¢	13.08¢

Five-Year Summary (Continued)

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

	Note	2019 HK\$'000	2018 HK\$'000	2017 HK\$'000	2016 HK\$'000	2015 HK\$'000
Assets and liabilities						
Property, plant and equipment	1	2,233,430	2,091,060	1,926,237	1,747,032	1,706,476
Intangible assets		366	399	1,041	1,679	1,548
Interest in associates		82,855	89,248	64,052	53,845	40,643
Other financial assets		24,955	13,941	28,828	8,608	4,036
Deposits and prepayments		2,028	14,708	16,151	–	–
Deferred tax assets	1	9,709	6,494	11,633	9,985	8,836
Non-current assets		2,353,343	2,215,850	2,047,942	1,821,149	1,761,539
Net current assets	1	46,168	107,678	114,846	9,670	28,860
Total assets less current liabilities		2,399,511	2,323,528	2,162,788	1,830,819	1,790,399
Non-current liabilities	1	(83,442)	(28,426)	(32,485)	(28,586)	(72,941)
NET ASSETS		2,316,069	2,295,102	2,130,303	1,802,233	1,717,458
CAPITAL AND RESERVES						
Share capital		95,059	95,059	95,059	95,059	95,059
Reserves		2,218,284	2,197,581	2,032,307	1,710,477	1,621,954
Total equity attributable to equity shareholders of the Company		2,313,343	2,292,640	2,127,366	1,805,536	1,717,013
Non-controlling interests		2,726	2,462	2,937	(3,303)	445
TOTAL EQUITY		2,316,069	2,295,102	2,130,303	1,802,233	1,717,458

Five-Year Summary *(Continued)*

Notes to the Five-Year Summary

- 1 As a result of the adoption of HKFRS 16, *Leases*, with effect from 1 January 2019, the Group has changed its accounting policies in respect of the lessee accounting model. In accordance with the transitional provisions of the standard, the changes in accounting policies were adopted by way of opening balance adjustments to recognise right-of-use assets and lease liabilities as at 1 January 2019. After initial recognition of these assets and liabilities, the Group as a lessee is required to recognise interest expense accrued on the outstanding balance of the lease liability, and the depreciation of the right-of-use asset, instead of the previous policy of recognising rental expenses incurred under operating leases on a straight-line basis over the lease term. Figures in years earlier than 2019 are stated in accordance with the policies applicable in those years.
- 2 The Group adopted HKFRS 9, *Financial instruments*, including the amendments to HKFRS 9, *Prepayment features with negative compensation*, from 1 January 2018. As a result, the Group changed its accounting policies in relation to financial instruments. As allowed by HKFRS 9, the Group did not restate information relating to prior years. Differences in the carrying amounts of the financial assets resulting from the adoption of HKFRS 9 were recognised in retained earnings and reserves at 1 January 2018. There was no difference in the carrying amounts of the financial liabilities. Figures in years earlier than 2018 are stated in accordance with the policies applicable in those years.