

Annual Results Announcement 2013

Healthy Lifestyle Starts from

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2013 Key Achievements

Steady Growth	 Revenue recorded HK\$6.8 billion, up 12.8% yoy Sales volume reached 481,929 tons, up 13.6% yoy
Market Share* Gain	 11.9%* of total market share, up 0.9 p.pts yoy Ranked No.1 in cored-paper roll market segment
Product Mix Enhancement	Softpack sales +35.0%Wet wipes sales +81.0%
Business Diversification	 Diversified into feminine napkin business with positive soft-launch response
SCA as Major Shareholder	 Expected to achieve synergy in all respects

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Financial Highlights

	For the 12 months ended 31 December		
(HK\$ million)	2013	2012	Change
Revenue	6,798.0	6,024.0	+12.8%
Gross profit	1,971.7	1,854.9	+6.3%
Operating profit	712.5	775.1	-8.1%
EBITDA	959.2	959.4	
Share of associate loss	27.0	15.9	+69.8%
Profit attributable to equity holders of the Company	542.9	536.6	+1.2%
Basic earnings per share (HK cents)	54.3	54.6	-0.6%
Dividend per share (HK cents)	15.6	15.6	
- Interim dividend per share (HK cents)	4.8	4.3	
- Proposed final dividend per share (HK cents)	10.8	11.3	
Gross margin Operating	Operating Margin Net Marg		in
30.8% 29.0% 28.9% 29.1%	11.6% 9.4% 8.	9% 8.0% 8.6	5% 7.4%
2012 2013 1H2013 2H2013 2012 2013 1	H2013 2H2013 20	12 2013 1H2	2013 2H2013

Average Selling Price Overview



- ASP per ton for 2013 was approximately HK\$14,106, sustained from last year
- ASP in 2013 2H was higher than that in 1H due to refined product mix & brand power

Revenue by Product Category

	For the 12 months ended 31 December					
(HK\$ million)	2013	2012	Change			
Toilet roll	3,968.9	3,670.7	+8.1%			
Softpack	1,311.1	971.0	+35.0%			
Box tissue	253.1	266.4	-5.0%			
Hanky (including Wet wipes *)	767.4	633.5	+21.1%			
Paper napkin	194.4	194.9	-0.3%			
Others	303.2	287.5	+5.5%			
* Wet wipes	92.0	50.8	+81.0%			
Product Mix % of Sales						
 Toilet roll 						
19.2% 60.9	0%	16.2% ∎ Sof	tpack			
3.7%		4.4% • Box	tissue			
11.3%		► Har 10.5%	ndkerchiefTissue			
4.5% 2.9%	4.8% 3.2%	Par	pernapkin			
2013	2012	Oth	ers 8			

Revenue by Distribution Channels



Operating Expenditure

Operating Expenditure as % of Sales



Effective Tax Rate



- Administrative expenses ratio decrease due to the reduced share options cost
- Selling and marketing expenses as a % of sales increased mainly due to:
 - Increase in sales promotion level & number of storepromoters
 - > Increase in brand building efforts for long-term investment

- Effective tax rate decreased by 6 p.pt., because:
 - > Tax planning took effect
 - One subsidiary granted hightech preferential rate
 - Less share option cost

Key Financial Indicators

	2013	2012
Receivable Turnover Days	48	49
Payable Turnover Days	70	64
Finished Goods Turnover Days	37	34
(HK\$ million)	2013 As at 31 Dec	2013 As at 30 June
Cash and cash equivalents	689.7	774.9

 Net gearing ratio* (%)
 44.0%
 45.9%

 Interest coverage** (times)
 7.4
 8.9

• Solid financial resources for capital expansion and sustained business growth:

> As at 31 Dec 2013, unutilized credit facilities amounted to approximately HK\$5.01 billion

*Calculation of net gearing ratio: Total borrowings less bank balances and cash and restricted deposits / total shareholders' equity. ** Interest coverage: EBIT/interest (times), excluding exchange rate factor. I. 2013 Key Achievements

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Outlook of Operating Environment

Challenges

Opportunities

Slowdown in economic growth	China Macro-economic Environment	 Urbanization Relaxation of "One-child policy" Aging population
 Intensifying competition due to additional production capacities Fluctuation of pulp price 	Industry Environment	 Tightening environment regulations speed up market consolidation Rise of e-commerce
Goring frugal trend in consumer market	Market Demand	 Increasing concern over product quality & health issues

Sales & Marketing Strategy

Marketing Strategy

- Adopt scientific marketing approach
- Promote high-margin products such as Ultra Strong softpack, "FEEL" hanky, kitchen wipes

Channel Building

- Broaden online sales channel
- Expand presence in Shandong province
- Penetrate into lower-tier provinces and counties



Production Capacity Expansion



- Annual designed production capacity:
 - As of 31 Dec 2013: 760,000 tons.
 - > 130,000 tons to be added in 2H 2014 and expected to reach 890,000 tons by end of 2014.
- To evaluate the viability of implementing a two-pronged development strategy, which fuses both the investment-driven growth model and asset-light model together, starting from 2015.

Synergy Opportunities with SCA



To Become Consumer's First Choice

To become a disposable hygiene product provider Diversification into 4 brands covering 4 different care-segments



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