# **2013 Interim Results**

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## **Top-line revenue growth**

Terminal profit margin under pressure

| P&L  | 1H2013<br>US\$ million | YoY     | 1H2012<br>US\$ million |
|--|------------------------|---------|------------------------|
| Turnover   | 395.20                 | +7.6%   | 367.36                 |
| Gross profit   | 172.98                 | +4.5%   | 165.47                 |
| Operating profit   | 136.97                 | +8.8%   | 125.88                 |
| Operating profit after finance income & costs                    | 96.07                  | +3.7%   | 92.64                  |
| Share of profits less losses of                                  |                        |         |                        |
| - Jointly controlled entities                                    | 38.89                  | -21.2%  | 49.35                  |
| - Associates   | 32.82                  | +16.8%  | 28.10                  |
| Income tax expenses  | (15.59)                | +20.5%  | (12.94)                |
| Profit attributable to equity holders from continuing operations | 143.82                 | -3.6%   | 149.18                 |
| Profit from discontinued operation                               |                        |         |                        |
| - Share of profit from CIMC                                      | 23.06                  | -22.5%  | 29.75                  |
| - Net gain on disposal of CIMC                                   | 393.41                 | n/c     | -                      |
| Profit attributable to equity holders                            | 560.29                 | +213.1% | 178.93                 |

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## Moderate decline in recurring core profit

| Net profit by segments                 | 1H2013<br>US\$ million | YoY     | % of total | 1H2012<br>US\$ million | % of total |
|--|------------------------|---------|------------|------------------------|------------|
| Terminals                              | 92.83                  | -5.1%   | 54.9%      | 97.84                  | 57.3%      |
| Container leasing, management and sale | 76.29                  | +4.8%   | 45.1%      | 72.77                  | 42.7%      |
| Recurring core profit                  | 169.12                 | -0.9%   | 100.0%     | 170.61                 | 100.0%     |
| Share of profit from CIMC Note         | 23.06                  | -22.5%  |            | 29.75                  |            |
| Net gain on the disposal of CIMC       | 393.41                 | n/c     |            | -                      |            |
| Net corporate expense & finance costs  | (25.30)                | +18.0%  |            | (21.43)                |            |
| Profit attributable to equity holders  | 560.29                 | +213.1% |            | 178.93                 |            |

Note: Share of profit from CIMC in 1H2013 included the profit for the period from Jan to May 2013 only

#### **Stable dividend payout ratio**

|  | 1H2013                        | YoY     | 1H2012                        |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|-------------------------------|
| Basic earnings per share from continuing operations Note | US5.16 cents                  | -6.2%   | US5.50 cents                  |
| Basic earnings per share Note                            | US20.11 cents                 | +204.7% | US6.60 cents                  |
| Interim dividend per share                               | HK18.6 cents<br>US2.396 cents | -9.3%   | HK20.5 cents<br>US2.640 cents |
| Special interim dividend per share                       | HK43.8 cents<br>US5.648 cents | n/a     |                               |
| Payout ratio   | 40%                           | -       | 40%                           |
|  |                               |         |                               |

Note: 1H2013 basic EPS is calculated based on the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the period amounted to 2,786,211,582 shares (1H2012: 2,711,783,573 shares), an increase of 74,428,009 shares mainly resulting from scrip dividend alternative offer for 2012 interim dividend and 2011 final dividend

#### **Terminals: stable revenue growth**

Weaker profit performance due to higher costs

| Terminal division                           | 1H2013     | ϒ៰ϒ    | 1H2012     |
|---|------------|--------|------------|
| Divisional revenue (US\$ m) <sup>note</sup> | 217.07     | +9.7%  | 197.81     |
| % of total revenue                          | 54.9%      | +1.1pp | 53.8%      |
| Divisional profit (US\$ m)                  | 92.83      | -5.1%  | 97.84      |
| % of total recurring core profit            | 54.9%      | -2.4pp | 57.3%      |
| Total throughput (TEU)                      | 29,494,353 | +9.7%  | 26,876,860 |
| Equity throughput (TEU)                     | 8,201,200  | +8.2%  | 7,581,363  |
| Annual handling capacity (TEU)              | 62,200,000 | +9.1%  | 57,000,000 |
| No. of operating container berths           | 102        | +7     | 95         |

Note: Terminal revenue was mainly generated from PCT, Nansha, Quan Zhou, Yangzhou, Zhangjiagang, Jinjiang and Xiamen terminals.

#### Leasing: stable revenue and profit growth Increased in on-hire containers

| Container leasing division            | 1H2013    | YoY    | 1H2012    |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|--------|-----------|
| Divisional revenue (US\$ m)           | 180.23    | +5.7%  | 170.57    |
| - Container Leasing revenue           | 147.10    | +6.8%  | 137.69    |
| - Disposal of returned containers     | 26.10     | -2.8%  | 26.84     |
| - Management income                   | 3.82      | +5.2%  | 3.63      |
| - Others                              | 3.21      | +33.5% | 2.41      |
| % of total revenue                    | 45.1%     | -1.1pp | 46.2%     |
| Divisional profit (US\$ m)            | 76.29     | +4.8%  | 72.77     |
| % of total recurring core profit      | 45.1%     | +2.4pp | 42.7%     |
| Average utilisation rate              | 94.5%     | -0.7pp | 95.2%     |
| Fleet capacity (TEU)                  | 1,874,826 | +4.3%  | 1,797,377 |
| New containers purchased (TEU)        | 65,000    | +36.4% | 47,642    |
| Disposed returned containers (TEU)    | 20,198    | +3.5%  | 19,522    |
| Returned containers from COSCON (TEU) | 11,678    | -9.2%  | 12,859    |

#### Awards

- "Corporate Governance Asia Recognition Award" for the seventh consecutive year by Corporate Governance Asia magazine
- "Outstanding China Enterprise Award" for the second consecutive year by Capital magazine





## **2013 business outlook**

- Implement long-term strategy which focuses on the development of the terminal business, and actively explore and assess investment opportunities in terminal projects in China, Southeast Asia, North America and Europe.
- Expand container leasing fleet, optimise the lease mix and provide comprehensive container leasing services to customers.

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