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# 2019

ANNUAL REPORT

# CORPORATE INFORMATION

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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*Chairman*  
Ching Heng Yang, *Vice Chairman*  
Tam Wai  
Ho Nee Kit  
Hew Lien Lee  
Tan Yew Beng  
Foo Say Tun

## EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

Ching Heng Yang  
Tam Wai  
Ho Nee Kit  
Hew Lien Lee

## NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

Dr John Chen Seow Phun  
Tan Yew Beng  
Foo Say Tun

## AUDIT COMMITTEE

Dr John Chen Seow Phun,  
*Chairman*  
Tan Yew Beng  
Foo Say Tun

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Tan Yew Beng

## REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

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## CORPORATE PROFILE

Fu Yu Corporation Limited (“Fu Yu”) provides vertically-integrated services for the manufacture of precision plastic components and the fabrication of precision moulds and dies.

Since its inception in 1978, the Group has grown to become one of the largest manufacturers of high precision plastic parts and moulds in Asia. Today, the Group has established a strong presence in the region with manufacturing facilities located in Singapore, Malaysia and China.

Leveraging on its extensive operating history, Fu Yu has built a broad and diversified customer base of blue chip companies in the printing and imaging, networking and communications, consumer, medical and automotive sectors.

To enhance its value add to customers and build mutually beneficial long term partnerships, the Group offers a One-Stop Solution to customers through its vertically integrated services.

Its comprehensive capabilities range from precision tool design and fabrication, precision injection moulding to secondary processes, such as silk screen printing, ultrasonic welding, heat staking and spray painting, as well as sub-assembly.

Fu Yu was listed on the Main Board of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (“SGX-ST”) on 14 June 1995.

## MISSION STATEMENT

Fu Yu aims to be the preferred global partner in engineering plastic products, from design to full assembly. We will deliver our vision through: embracing technology and creativity; providing satisfaction to our customers; continuous learning for our people; and maximising returns to our shareholders.

# CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

**In FY2019, the Group overcame the challenging business landscape to achieve commendable growth in profitability.**

Dr John Chen Seow Phun  
Chairman



## DEAR SHAREHOLDERS,

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I am pleased to present Fu Yu Corporation Limited's ("Fu Yu" or the "Group") annual report for the financial year ended 31 December 2019 ("FY2019").

FY2019 was an eventful year for Fu Yu as we continued with our initiatives to streamline, optimise and strengthen the Group's operations. We believe these efforts should lay a sturdier foundation for long term sustainability and growth of the Group.

In FY2019, the Group also overcame the challenging business landscape to achieve commendable growth in profitability, underpinned by our sales development and diversification strategy as well as ongoing efforts in lean management.

## FY2019 Financial Performance

The operating environment in FY2019 remained difficult due to intense competition, as well as economic uncertainties stemming from heightened global tensions and geopolitical concerns. Notwithstanding this, the Group delivered relatively stable revenue of S\$194.1 million in FY2019 compared to S\$197.7 million in FY2018, thanks to our diversified product portfolio. The Group recorded higher sales of consumer and medical products, as well as power tools in FY2019 which helped to counterbalance lower revenue from the printing & imaging segment.

On a geographical basis, the Group's Malaysia segment chalked up higher revenue while Singapore segment displayed a steady sales performance

in FY2019. Both of these segments helped to moderate the impact of lower sales from China segment which was affected by slower end-user demand for printing & imaging products.

As a result of our efforts to enhance sales mix, coupled with ongoing initiatives to achieve better cost and operational efficiencies, the Group attained a higher gross profit margin of 19.7% in FY2019 which lifted gross profit by 8.4% to S\$38.2 million in FY2019 even though revenue was fairly constant year-on-year.

This spurred growth in the Group's net profit attributable to owners of the Company ("PATMI") to S\$12.7 million, up 6.8% from S\$11.9 million last year, despite incurring one-time expenses in relation to the closure of our subsidiary in Shanghai ("Fu Yu Shanghai") ("one-time expenses") during FY2019.

Excluding the one-time expenses totalling S\$5.6 million, the Group would have realised an even higher gross profit margin of 21.9%, while PATMI would have soared 54.0% to S\$18.3 million in FY2019.

The higher Group PATMI was driven by our Malaysia operations which registered improved segment profit in FY2019. The acquisition of the remaining stake in our subsidiary in Malaysia during 2018 also had a positive effect on the Group's PATMI in FY2019. It is noteworthy that the segment profit of our China operations would have tripled in FY2019 if not for the one-time expenses which pared its bottom line.

We believe the financial performance achieved in FY2019 demonstrates that the Group's consistent efforts in business development and sales diversification, as well as actions taken to optimise our operations are yielding rewards.

## Optimising and Strengthening Operations

During FY2019, the Group rolled out several corporate initiatives in a bid to optimise our organisation structure and strengthen our operations for long term sustainability and profitability.

In July 2019, the Group commenced members' voluntary liquidation process of a 40%-owned loss-making joint venture, Berry Plastics Malaysia Sdn Bhd, in Malaysia.

Following this, the Group embarked on an exercise in August 2019 to consolidate our business activities in Shanghai and Suzhou, which is in line with our ongoing strategy to streamline and optimise the Group's operations in China.

Given the geographical proximity between Suzhou and Shanghai, we made a strategic decision to serve our customers in Shanghai from our factory in Suzhou which has a larger production capacity. As such, the majority of our production equipment were transferred to Suzhou factory from Fu Yu Shanghai which has ceased manufacturing operations at the end of November 2019. This exercise is expected to yield long term benefits as it will rationalise the cost structure of our China operations and enable the Group to benefit

from better utilisation of production resources and lower fixed overheads.

Over at our headquarters in Singapore, we have also commenced plans to redevelop the Group's premises at 9 Tuas Drive 1 ("Plot 9") ("redevelopment project") to expand and strengthen our manufacturing operations here. The original building at Plot 9 has been demolished and will be replaced by a new building with an estimated gross floor area that is over three times larger. The new building will house office space, warehouse and a factory with new and advanced manufacturing equipment to expand production capacity and enhance capabilities for the production of higher precision and better quality products. Coupled with an improved building layout, the Group expects to benefit from higher productivity and operational efficiencies. The estimated capital expenditure for this redevelopment project is expected to be around S\$15.4 million. This cost will be partly defrayed by the assignment of the Group's premises at 5 Tuas Drive 1 in Singapore.

### Looking Ahead

The operating landscape is envisaged to remain challenging due to heightened business and political uncertainties that could adversely affect the global economy. In addition, the COVID-19 outbreak could cause greater uncertainty to the economic outlook.

As stipulated in the directives by local Chinese authorities in response to the COVID-19 situation, our manufacturing operations in China had to remain closed after the Chinese New Year holidays. The Group's factories in China have subsequently resumed operations from mid-February 2020. In Malaysia, the government also implemented a movement control order nationwide from 18 March 2020 to 28 April 2020. During this period, the Group's factories in Johor and Penang were able to continue with limited manufacturing activities for certain customers that were exempted from the shutdown. On the other hand, we received approval from the authorities to continue our operations in Singapore during the circuit breaker period from 7 April 2020 to 1 June 2020.

The temporary closures for some of our factories are expected to affect

the Group's revenue in the first quarter of FY2020. In addition, while our factories in Asia are operationally ready, the travel restrictions and disruptions in supply chain may hinder customers' manufacturing operations which could have an impact on the Group's business orders.

Given the uncertainty surrounding the severity and timeframe of the virus outbreak, it is difficult to ascertain the full effect of COVID-19 on the global markets and the Group's financial performance in FY2020. Moreover, the Group's financial performance will continue to be influenced by other factors such as industry competition, pressure on selling prices and movements in the US Dollar.

Barring unforeseen events arising from the COVID-19 situation, we will be focusing our energies on the implementation of plans for our factories in Suzhou and Singapore. To extract benefits from the consolidation of our business in Eastern China, the Group will work on reorganising and improving our operations at our Suzhou factory to effectively manage our customers and projects in the Shanghai and Suzhou markets. We believe this consolidation will gradually raise capacity utilisation of our factory in Suzhou, and help to achieve our goal of streamlining and optimising our operations across China.

Our Singapore operations, which contributed around 24% to Group revenue in FY2019, remain as a strategic and important manufacturing base for the Group. The value proposition to our customers stems from our Singapore operations' advanced capabilities and know-how to produce higher precision and quality plastic and metal injection moulded products, as well as protection of intellectual property. Through the redevelopment project in Singapore, we intend to elevate our manufacturing competencies to deliver greater value to customers. While we originally target to finish the redevelopment project by the end of 2020, the completion date may be deferred as construction works have been halted temporarily in support of the circuit breaker measures.

On the business development front, the Group will continue to work

on expanding our market share with customers while pursuing new opportunities with prospective customers. To this end, the Group is encouraged by the progress it has achieved over the past year with certain customer accounts which has helped to cushion the Group against the weakness in product segments that faced slower end-user demand.

As part of our strategic initiatives to achieve our goal of sustainable and profitable growth over the long term, the Group intends to maintain our diversified exposure to various market segments for greater resilience. Our primary focus will be on products that have longer life cycles and exhibit higher growth potential such as medical, automotive, eco-friendly, smart home consumer products and 3D printers. We will also continue to work on improving the quality of our products, and drive automation and lean management initiatives to raise our production and cost efficiencies as well as shorten cycle time.

Backed by our established and strategically-located operations across Asia, and a sound financial position, we believe Fu Yu is well-positioned to withstand difficult business periods and capitalise on future opportunities. At the end of FY2019, the Group had cash holdings of S\$88.5 million and zero borrowings. We are pleased to propose the payment of interim and final dividends totalling 1.6 cents per share for FY2019 which is the same as the dividends for FY2018. Besides demonstrating our commitment to rewarding shareholders, we believe this also signals our confidence in the Group's future.

### Appreciation

On behalf of the Board, I would like to extend our deep appreciation to our management and staff for their hard work, dedicated service and commitment to Fu Yu. We also wish to thank our valued shareholders, customers, suppliers and business partners for their continued trust and support of the Group. Last but not least, I would like to express my appreciation to my fellow Directors for their counsel and contributions.

**DR JOHN CHEN SEOW PHUN**  
Chairman

# OPERATIONS REVIEW

## REVENUE

For the year ended 31 December 2019 ("FY2019"), the Group's revenue eased a marginal 1.8% to S\$194.1 million from S\$197.7 million in FY2018. This was attributed mainly to lower sales from the China segment which was partially buffered by higher revenue from the Malaysia segment.

## GROSS PROFIT AND GROSS PROFIT MARGIN

The Group's gross profit increased 8.4% to S\$38.2 million in FY2019 from S\$35.3 million in FY2018. This translated into a higher gross profit margin of 19.7% in FY2019, as compared to 17.8% in FY2018, despite the recognition of one-time expenses in relation to the closure of the Group's subsidiary in Shanghai ("Fu Yu Shanghai") which ceased manufacturing operations at the end of November 2019.

Excluding the one-time expenses of about S\$4.2 million that was recognised in the cost of sales, the Group would have registered higher gross profit of S\$42.4 million and gross profit margin of 21.9% in FY2019. This improvement reflected the Group's efforts to enhance its sales mix as well as its ongoing initiatives to achieve better cost and operational efficiencies.

## OTHER INCOME

The Group recorded lower other income of S\$7.1 million in FY2019 compared to S\$7.7 million in FY2018. This was attributed mainly to lower gain from sale of property, plant and equipment.

## SELLING AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

The Group's selling and administrative expenses increased marginally to S\$27.6 million in FY2019 from S\$27.4 million in FY2018 due mainly to the one-time expenses related to the closure of Fu Yu Shanghai. Excluding these one-time expenses totalling S\$1.4 million, the Group's selling and

administrative expenses declined to S\$26.2 million in FY2019, attributed to cost savings derived from its ongoing cost control measures and reduction in headcount.

## OTHER OPERATING (EXPENSES)/ INCOME

The Group registered other operating expenses of S\$0.9 million in FY2019 as compared to other operating income of S\$1.2 million in FY2018. This was due mainly to a foreign exchange loss in FY2019 versus a gain in FY2018, which resulted in a negative swing of S\$2.0 million. The other operating expenses in FY2019 were also attributed partly to an increase in property, plant and equipment written off when compared to FY2018.

The Group recognises foreign exchange gains or losses as a result of transactions denominated in foreign currencies, and the translation of receivables, cash and payables denominated in foreign currencies to the functional currencies of the respective companies in the Group as at each reporting date. As the Group is in net US Dollar assets position, the depreciation of the US Dollar against the Singapore Dollar and Malaysia Ringgit in FY2019 resulted in the foreign exchange loss.

## PROFITABILITY

The Group's profit before income tax rose 1.8% to S\$16.2 million in FY2019 from S\$15.9 million in FY2018. Profit before tax excluding foreign exchange impact and share of results of joint venture ("operating profit") in FY2019 improved 10.9% to S\$17.2 million from S\$15.5 million in FY2018.

Excluding the one-time expenses totalling S\$5.6 million (recognised in cost of sales, and selling and administrative expenses) in relation to the closure of Fu Yu Shanghai, the Group's profit before income tax would have increased 37.0% to S\$21.8

million, and its operating profit would have gained 47.2% to S\$22.8 million in FY2019 as compared to FY2018.

After deducting tax expenses, the Group's net profit attributable to owners of the Company increased by 6.8% to S\$12.7 million from S\$11.9 million in FY2018. Excluding the one-time expenses of S\$5.6 million, the Group would have recorded a 54.0% growth in net profit attributable to owners of the Company to S\$18.3 million in FY2019.

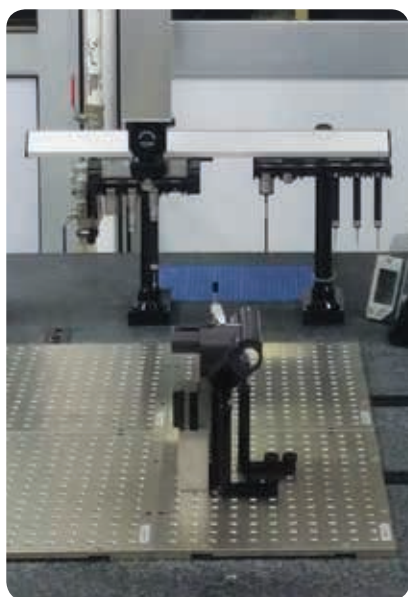
## FINANCIAL POSITION

The Group remained in a sound financial position as at 31 December 2019 with a cash balance of S\$88.5 million and zero borrowings. Shareholders' equity stood at S\$163.6 million, equivalent to net asset value of 21.73 cents per share (based on the total number of issued shares of approximately 753.0 million shares) which includes cash and cash equivalents of around 11.75 cents per share.

Total assets as at 31 December 2019 increased to S\$219.1 million from S\$211.6 million as at 31 December 2018. This was attributable mainly to higher cash and cash equivalents, and Right-Of-Use (ROU) assets of S\$10.1 million following the Group's adoption of SFRS(I) 16. In line with SFRS(I) 16, operating leases are recognised as ROU assets with the corresponding lease liabilities (computed based on present value) recorded on the balance sheet. These were offset partially by reductions in trade and other receivables as well as inventories.

Total liabilities increased to S\$55.4 million as at 31 December 2019 compared to S\$47.5 million as at 31 December 2018. This was due mainly to the lease liabilities as a result of the adoption of SFRS(I) 16, offset partially by a decrease in trade and other payables.





The Group generated net cash from operating activities of S\$27.3 million in FY2019. Net cash used in investing activities amounted to S\$1.7 million during FY2019 as capital expenditure of S\$7.3 million was offset partially by a withdrawal of short term investments and receipt of interest income. Net cash used in financing activities totalled S\$17.2 million. This was attributable mainly to payment of dividends of around S\$12.0 million to shareholders of the company during FY2019 and the repayment of lease liabilities following the adoption of SFRS(I) 16. The repayment of lease liabilities was previously classified under changes in working capital (trade and other payables).

As a result, the Group's cash and cash equivalents increased to S\$88.5 million (including cash deposits pledged of S\$3.4 million) at the end of FY2019, as compared to S\$80.3 million as at 31 December 2018.

## GEOGRAPHICAL SEGMENT REVIEW

### SINGAPORE

The Group's Singapore segment reported relatively steady revenue of S\$46.3 million in FY2019 compared

to S\$47.3 million in FY2018. This was attributed primarily to stable sales of medical and automotive products. Singapore segment accounted for 23.9% of Group revenue in FY2019, unchanged from FY2018.

Excluding the dividend income from Malaysia and China subsidiaries totalling S\$10.2 million, Singapore segment would have recorded a profit of S\$4.9 million in FY2019, a decrease of S\$2.5 million from S\$7.4 million in FY2018. This decline was due mainly to a foreign exchange loss in FY2019 as opposed to a foreign exchange gain in FY2018.

### CHINA

The China operations saw revenue decrease S\$6.7 million to S\$105.6 million in FY2019 from S\$112.3 million in FY2018. This was due primarily to lower sales derived from the printing & imaging segment. As a result, China operations accounted for a lower 54.4% of Group revenue in FY2019 as compared to 56.8% in FY2018.

China's segment profit decreased to S\$1.8 million in FY2019 from S\$2.4 million in FY2018 due mainly to the one-time expenses in relation to the

closure of Fu Yu Shanghai. Excluding the one-time expenses of S\$5.6 million, China segment would have recorded a higher profit of S\$7.4 million in FY2019 compared to S\$2.4 million in FY2018.

### MALAYSIA

Revenue from the Group's operations in Malaysia increased S\$4.1 million to S\$42.2 million in FY2019, from S\$38.1 million in FY2018. This was attributed primarily to higher sales of consumer products and power tools. Correspondingly, Malaysia segment's contribution to Group revenue expanded to 21.7% in FY2019 from 19.3% in FY2018.

Malaysia segment's profit increased S\$2.1 million to S\$8.7 million in FY2019 from S\$6.6 million in FY2018 attributed mainly to the improvement in sales.

# FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Financial year ended 31 December

## INCOME STATEMENT SUMMARY

(S\$ million)	FY2019	FY2018	Change
Revenue	194.1	197.7	(1.8%)
Gross Profit Margin	19.7%	17.8%	1.9 ppt
Profit Before Tax	16.2	15.9	1.8%
Operating Profit <sup>1</sup>	17.2	15.5	10.9%
Net Profit Attributable to Owners of the Company ("PATMI")	12.7	11.9	6.8%
PATMI excluding one-time expenses <sup>2</sup>	18.3	11.9	54.0%
Earnings Per Share (Cents)	1.69	1.58	6.8%

<sup>1</sup> Profit Before Tax excluding foreign exchange impact and share of results of joint venture

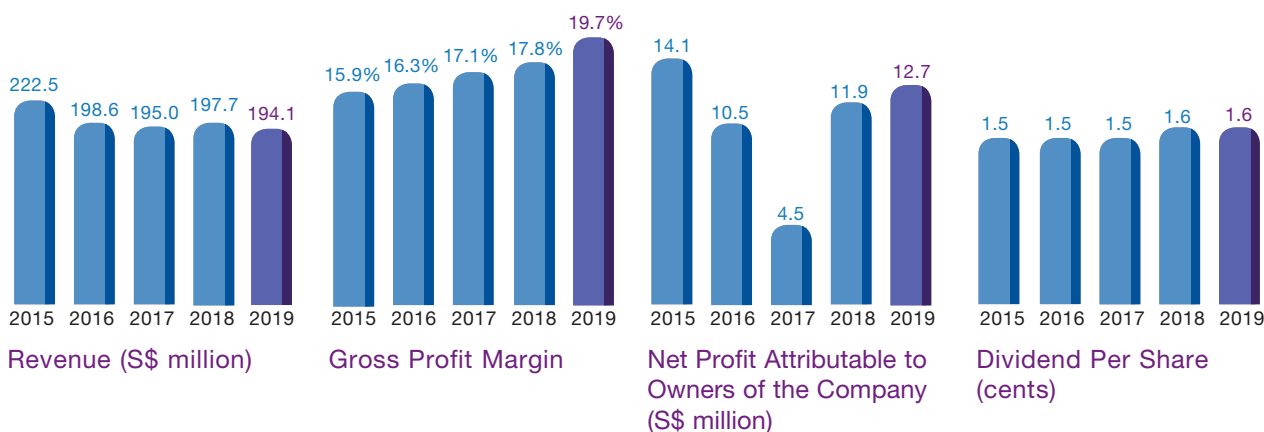
<sup>2</sup> Incurred one-time expenses totalling S\$5.6 million in FY2019 in relation to the closure of Fu Yu Shanghai

## BALANCE SHEET SUMMARY

(S\$ million)	As at 31 Dec 2019	As at 31 Dec 2018
Total Non-Current Assets	62.6	54.3
Total Current Assets	156.5	157.3
Total Non-Current Liabilities	8.8	1.0
Total Current Liabilities	46.7	46.5
Shareholders' Equity	163.6	164.1
Cash and cash equivalents	88.5	80.3
Net Asset Value per share (cents)	21.73	21.80

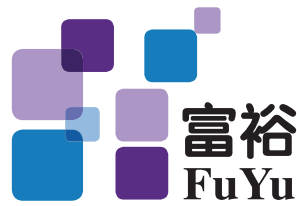
## KEY FINANCIAL RATIOS

	FY2019	FY2018
Gearing	Zero debt	Zero debt
Return on Equity (excluding cash)	16.9%	14.2%
Dividend Per Share	1.6 cents	1.6 cents
Dividend Payout	95%	101%

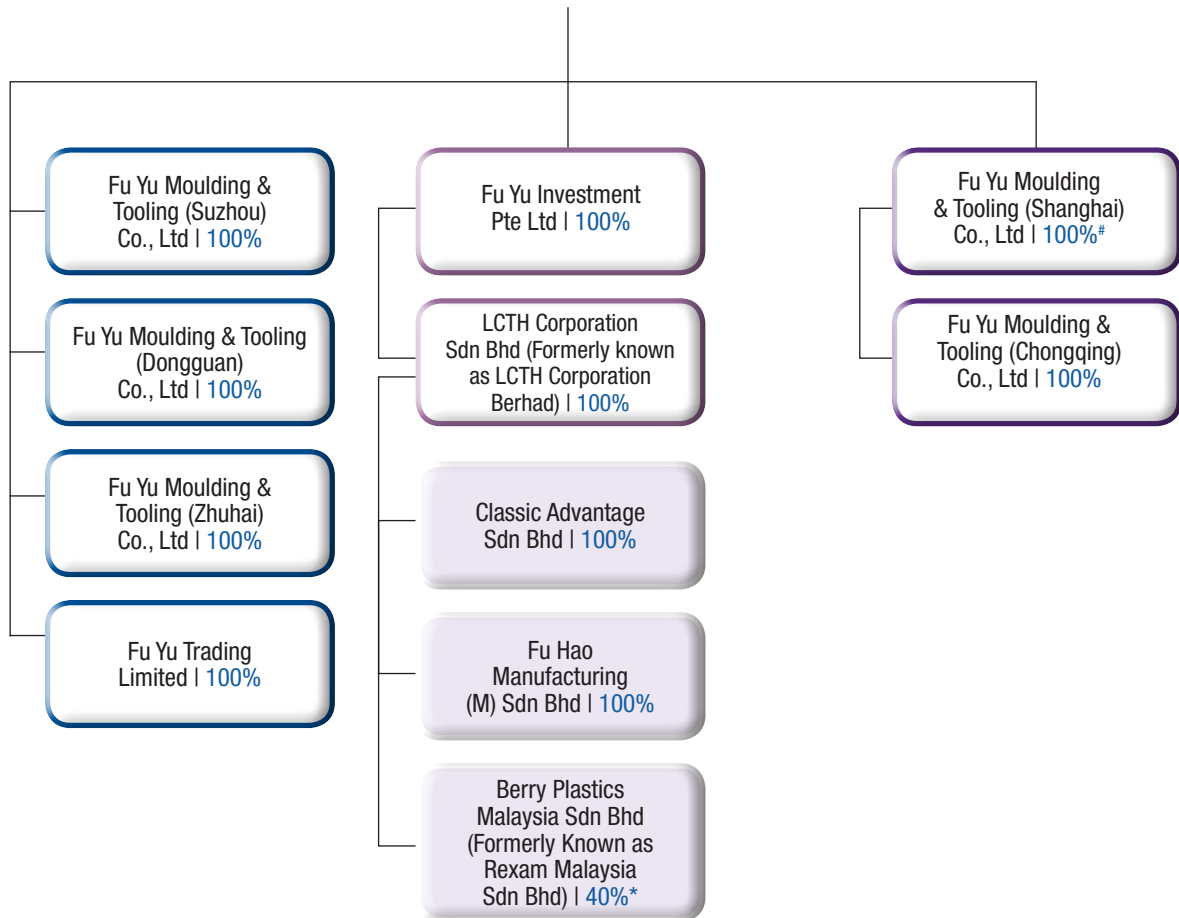




# GROUP STRUCTURE



FU YU CORPORATION LIMITED



\* Under members' voluntary liquidation

# Ceased manufacturing operations at the end of November 2019

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS



*Dr John Chen Seow Phun*



*Ching Heng Yang*



*Tam Wai*



*Ho Nee Kit*

### **DR JOHN CHEN SEOW PHUN**

*Non-Executive Chairman,  
Independent Director*

Dr John Chen Seow Phun, 66, was appointed as Non-Executive Chairman and Independent Director of the Company on 27 November 2007 and was last re-elected on 24 April 2019. Dr Chen is the Chairman of the Audit Committee and member of the Nominating and Remuneration Committees.

Dr Chen was a Member of Parliament from 1998 to 2006. He was the Assistant Secretary General of the NTUC from 1991 to 1997 and served as the Deputy Chairman and Managing Director of NTUC Healthcare Co-op from 1992 to 1997. From March 1997 to June 1999, he was the Minister of State, Ministry of Communications. From June 1999 to November 2001, he was the Minister of State, Ministry of Communications & Information Technology as well as Ministry of National Development. Prior to joining the Government in 1997, Dr Chen has served as a Board Member of the Economic Development Board, the Housing and Development Board, the Port of Singapore Authority and Singapore Power Ltd.

Dr Chen is presently the Executive Chairman of Pavillon Holdings Ltd (formerly known as Thai Village Holdings Ltd) and the Chairman of

SAC Capital Pte Ltd. He also sits on the board of a number of publicly listed companies.

Dr Chen holds a PhD in Electrical Engineering from the University of Waterloo, Canada. He taught at the National University of Singapore from 1983 to 1991.

As at 31 December 2019, Dr Chen holds 0.13% direct interest in the Company.

### **CHING HENG YANG**

*Vice Chairman, Executive Director*

Mr Ching, 69, one of the co-founders of Fu Yu, is the Vice Chairman and Executive Director of the Group. Mr Ching was appointed as the Executive Director on 10 December 1980 and was last re-elected on 24 April 2019.

Mr Ching oversees the plastic injection moulding, finishing and sub-assembly operations of the Group. He is also responsible for the investment in factory buildings and machinery of the Group. Mr Ching has over 45 years of experience in the mould fabrication and plastic injection moulding industry.

Mr Ching is a member of the Singapore Institute of Directors.

As at 31 December 2019, Mr Ching holds 11.81% direct interest in the Company.

### **TAM WAI**

*Executive Director*

Mr Tam, 69, one of the co-founders of Fu Yu, is the Executive Director of the Group. He was appointed as the Executive Director on 10 December 1980 and was last re-elected on 26 April 2018. He will stand for re-election as a Director in the forthcoming Annual General Meeting ("AGM").

Mr Tam oversees the mould design and fabrication operations of the Group. Prior to joining Fu Yu, he was involved in mould design and fabrication for ten years in Hong Kong specialising in high precision moulds for the electronics and electrical industries. Mr Tam has over 50 years of experience in the mould fabrication and plastic injection moulding industry.

Mr Tam is a member of the Singapore Institute of Directors.

As at 31 December 2019, Mr Tam holds 12.84% direct and 0.04% deemed interests in the Company.

### **HO NEE KIT**

*Executive Director*

Mr Ho, 66, one of the co-founders of Fu Yu, is the Executive Director of the Group. He was appointed as the Executive Director on 10 December 1980 and was last re-elected on 26 April 2018.



Hew Lien Lee



Tan Yew Beng



Foo Say Tun

Mr Ho jointly oversees the mould fabrication, plastic injection moulding, finishing and sub-assembly operations of the Group. Prior to joining Fu Yu, Mr Ho worked for a plastic injection company as a tool maker. Realising the potential of the precision mould making industry in the 1970s, together with three other partners who also shared the same vision of the industry, they founded Fu Yu in 1978.

Mr Ho is a member of the Singapore Institute of Directors.

As at 31 December 2019, Mr Ho holds 12.88% direct interest in the Company.

#### **HEW LIEN LEE**

*Executive Director, Chief Executive Officer and Chief Operating Officer*

Mr Hew, 63, was appointed as Executive Director of the Company on 22 March 2007. He was last re-elected on 26 April 2018 and will stand for re-election as a Director in the forthcoming AGM.

Mr Hew has over 40 years of experience in the plastic injection moulding industry and is in charge of the overall strategic direction and management of the Group. After joining Fu Yu in 1984, he was appointed as Managing Director of LCTH Corporation Berhad and played a key role in the successful expansion of its operations in Malaysia.

Mr Hew was appointed as the Group's Chief Operating Officer on 22 March 2007, and promoted to acting Chief Executive Officer on 21 May 2014. Since taking the reins as Chief Executive Officer on 26 February 2016, Mr Hew has been instrumental in the strategic development and growth of the Group's business. Mr Hew holds a Diploma in Electrical Engineering and is a member of the Singapore Institute of Directors.

As at 31 December 2019, Mr Hew holds 1.08% direct interest in the Company.

#### **TAN YEW BENG**

*Non-Executive Director, Independent Director*

Mr Tan, 63, was appointed as Director on 22 May 1995 and was last re-elected on 24 April 2019. Mr Tan is the Chairman of the Remuneration Committee and member of the Audit and Nominating Committees. He is also a director of several Singapore and Malaysia companies.

Mr Tan holds a Bachelor of Commerce Degree from Nanyang University, Graduate Diploma in Marketing Management from the Singapore Institute of Management and Diploma in Marketing from the Institute of Marketing, United Kingdom.

Mr Tan is serving actively in several social, education and community organisations. In recognition of his contribution to the community, Mr Tan

was awarded the Public Service Medal (Pingat Bakti Masyarakat – PBM) in 2008 and subsequently the Public Service Star (Bintang Bakti Masyarakat – BBM) in 2013. He is also a member of the Singapore Institute of Directors.

As at 31 December 2019, Mr Tan holds 0.34% direct interest in the Company.

#### **FOO SAY TUN**

*Non-Executive Director, Independent Director*

Mr Foo, 54, was appointed as Director on 27 November 2007 and was last re-elected on 28 April 2017. He will stand for re-election as a Director in the forthcoming AGM. Mr Foo is presently the Chairman of the Nominating Committee and a member of the Audit and Remuneration Committees.

Mr Foo was a lawyer practicing civil and commercial litigation, arbitration and corporate law. He was called to the Malaysia Bar in 1992 and the Singapore Bar in 1995. Mr Foo holds a Bachelor of Laws degree from the University of East Anglia (UK), and was admitted to Middle Temple (UK) as a Barrister-at-Law in 1991. He also serves as an independent director on another SGX-ST listed company, Moneymax Financial Services Ltd.

As at 31 December 2019, Mr Foo does not hold any direct or indirect interest in the Company.

## KEY EXECUTIVES

### HEE SIEW FONG

*Chief Financial Officer*

Ms Hee, 48, joined the Group as Chief Financial Officer on 9 June 2016. She has more than 25 years of experience in both public and private sectors of which more than half was corporate finance work covering diverse areas including corporate accounting and reporting, treasury, risk management and investor relations.

At Fu Yu, Ms Hee is responsible for overseeing the Group's financial and management accounting, treasury, taxation, risk management and investor relations of our Group. She has also played a key role in several corporate exercises for the Group. These include the amalgamation of the company with two of its wholly-owned subsidiaries, Nano Technology Manufacturing Pte Ltd ("NTM") and SolidMicron Technologies Pte Ltd ("SMT"); the privatisation of LCTH Corporation Bhd (a subsidiary that was previously listed on Bursa Malaysia); a consolidation exercise to streamline and optimise the China operations; and rationalisation of the Group's structure.

Prior to joining Fu Yu, Ms Hee was the Chief Financial Officer of MFS Technology Ltd, Group Chief Financial Officer of Auric Pacific Group Limited, Group Financial Controller of SATS Ltd and Asia Enterprises Holding Limited. She is a member of both The Institute of Singapore Chartered Accountants and The Certified Public Accountants Australia. She holds a Bachelor of Accountancy (Honours) degree from the Nanyang Technological University and a Master's degree in Business Administration from the National University of Singapore.

### TAN LAY KHENG

*Group Human Resource Director*

Madam Tan, 66, was the Group Human Resource Manager before she is promoted to Group Human Resource Director in October 2008. She joined Fu Yu on 5 August 1996 and oversees the management and development of human resources across the Group. She is also responsible for the administrative function of the Group. Prior to joining the Group, Madam Tan was with NTUC Research Unit from 1975 to 1996. She has over 40 years of experience in Industrial Relations Management and holds a Bachelor of Art Degree from Nanyang University of Singapore.

### ONG KANG LYE

*General Manager, Fu Yu Corporation Limited (Singapore operations)*

Mr Ong, 52, joined the sales team of the Company in April 1994. In 2002, he was seconded to Classic Advantage Sdn Bhd to reform the system of Sales, Purchasing and Logistics departments for one year due to the relocation of manufacturing site by a major customer. From 2003 to 2014, Mr Ong held several positions in Fu Yu Singapore including Program Manager, Sales Manager, Account Director and Assistant General Manager. He was promoted to General Manager overseeing the entire operations and management of Fu Yu Singapore in November 2014.

Prior to joining Fu Yu, Mr Ong was a Sales Supervisor in Tooling and Plastics Injection Moulding at SLK Manufacturing Pte Ltd for five years. With over 30 years of experience in plastics injection moulding industry, he played an instrumental role in the successful amalgamation of NTM and SMT into Fu Yu Corporation Limited in March 2017. Mr Ong holds a Diploma in Sales and Marketing from Marketing Institute of Singapore.

### ANG TONG LAM

*General Manager, Fu Yu Suzhou*

Mr Ang, 52, joined the Group in November 2017 and is responsible for the operations of Fu Yu Suzhou. Mr Ang started his career with Meiban Singapore in 1996 as a shift supervisor and was subsequently promoted to process engineer and then principal engineer. In 2003, he was posted to Meiban Shanghai as an Operations Manager and was promoted to General Manager in 2004. In 2013, he was promoted to Operations Director of Meiban China, overseeing the entire operations and management of Meiban Shanghai and Meiban Zhongshan. Mr Ang has more than 25 years of experience in plastic injection moulding industry and holds a Diploma in Mechanical Engineering from Ngee Ann Polytechnic. He has also completed the Master Molder I course conducted by RJG Inc.

### TEH TUAN HOCK

*General Manager, Fu Hao Penang*

Mr Teh, 60, joined the Group in May 2003 as the Assistant General Manager of Fu Hao Penang overseeing the entire operations of the subsidiary. He was promoted to General Manager in July 2007. Mr Teh has been actively involved in developing new customers and diversifying product lines for Fu Hao Penang. He has also improved the factory operations through Lean implementation since 2008.

Prior to joining Fu Hao Penang, Mr Teh was the General Manager of Unipipes Malaysia Sdn Bhd, a plastic injection moulding factory in the northern region of Malaysia for 12 years. He graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Economics (major in Industry & Trade) from London School of Economics, United Kingdom. Mr Teh also received training from AOTS Japan on Company Wide Problem Solving.

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# CORPORATE MILESTONES

## 2017 – 2018

- Completed the privatisation of LCTH through a Selective Capital Repayment exercise
- Amalgamation with Nanotechnology Manufacturing Pte. Ltd. and Solidmicron Technologies Pte. Ltd., in Singapore

## 2011 – 2015

- Completed capital reduction and cash distribution to shareholders
- Set up new plant in Chongqing, China
- Set up new plant in Senawang\*, Malaysia by Classic Advantage Sdn Bhd

## 2005

- LCTH Corporation Bhd (Malaysia) entered into a Memorandum of Understanding with Knobs Sdn Bhd (Malaysia) to form a strategic alliance
- Implemented SAP ERP System at Fu Yu Moulding & Tooling (Dongguan) Co., Ltd, China
- Incorporated Fu Yu Electronics (Dongguan) Co., Ltd, China\*

## 2001 – 2003

- Set up new plant in Zhuhai, China
- Implemented SAP ERP System in Singapore
- Built additional factory for plant in Suzhou, China
- Implemented SAP Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) System for plants in Johor, Malaysia
- Built additional warehouse for plant in Tianjin\*, China

## 1990 – 1995

- Listed on the Main Board of the SGX-ST
- Set up new plant in Dongguan, China
- Set up new plants in Kluang\*, Malaysia and Tianjin\*, China
- Commenced overseas expansion by setting up new plant in Penang, Malaysia

## 2019

- Completed a consolidation exercise to optimise the Group's China operations by shifting the business activities of our Shanghai factory to our Suzhou factory
- Commenced redevelopment of our factory in Singapore

## 2016

- Adopted dividend policy to distribute at least 50% of profit attributable to the owners of the Company
- Acquired remaining 20% equity interest in NanoTechnology Manufacturing Pte. Ltd. from EDB Ventures Pte Ltd

## 2006 – 2010

- Set up new plant in Shenzhen\*, China
- Completed Capital Repayment and Shares Consolidation of LCTH Corporation Berhad
- Implemented SAP ERP System at Fu Yu Moulding & Tooling (Suzhou) Co., Ltd, China
- Set up new plant in Wuxi\*, China
- Incorporated SolidMicron Technologies Pte. Ltd., Singapore

## 2004

- Changed the Company's name from Fu Yu Manufacturing Limited to Fu Yu Corporation Limited
- Listing of the Group's Malaysian operations under LCTH Corporation Berhad ("LCTH") on the Main Board of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad
- Expanded manufacturing capacity in Johor, Malaysia
- Joint venture with EDB Ventures Pte. Ltd. to incorporate NanoTechnology Manufacturing Pte. Ltd. in Singapore
- Set up new plants in Wujiang\* and Qingdao\*, China
- Set up additional plant in Shanghai, China

## 1996 – 2000

- Set up new plants in Suzhou, China and Guadalajara\*, Mexico
- Started precision tooling activity in Singapore
- Set up plant in Senai (Johor), Malaysia
- Established R&D division for product design, 3D, IMold and CAD/CAM
- Set up new plant in Shanghai, China

## 1978

- Established and commenced operations in Singapore

\* Ceased operations



# SUSTAINABILITY REPORT

## BOARD STATEMENT – SUSTAINABILITY AT FU YU

The Board of Directors at Fu Yu Corporation Limited (the “Company”) and its subsidiaries (the “Group”) are pleased to present the Sustainability Report for the financial year ended 31 December 2019.

As a leading provider of vertically-integrated services for the manufacture of precision plastic components and the fabrication of precision moulds and dies, we recognise that environmental, social and governance (ESG) issues have been propelled to the centre of public attention both locally and globally. The growing importance of sustainable business practices and greater stakeholder interest mean that an increased focus on sustainability can generate long-term competitive financial returns with positive societal impacts. Therefore, the Board is committed to sustainable business practices, and believes that these practices are in line with the Group’s strategy to deliver satisfaction to our customers, provide continuous learning for our people, and maximise returns to our shareholders.

The Board has specifically considered sustainability issues as part of our strategic formulation, and overseen the management of sustainability related risk, opportunities, practices and the development of the sustainability report.

This report describes the ESG factors material to the Group, the related policies, practices and performance, as well as the targets for the forthcoming year.

## OUR REPORT

The Company’s sustainability report is prepared in compliance with the requirements of SGX-ST Listing Rules 711A and 711B, and references the Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) Standards (2016).

This report describes our commitments, goals, programmes, performances and challenges across a broad range of global sustainability issues. The scope covers all entities under the Group as of 31 December 2019. This includes the headquarters in Singapore and moulding & tooling companies in Singapore, China and Malaysia for the financial year from 1 January to 31 December 2019.

We welcome all feedback to help us improve our sustainability practices. Please send your comments or feedback to [sustainability@fuyucorp.com](mailto:sustainability@fuyucorp.com).



# SUSTAINABILITY REPORT

## WHO WE ARE

Established in 1978, the Group is a leading supplier with expertise in the provision of vertically-integrated services for the manufacture of precision plastic components and the fabrication of precision moulds and dies in Asia.

We were listed on the Main Board of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (SGX) in 1995.

## STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT

As the ultimate aim of a Sustainability Report is to minimise negative and maximise positive ESG impacts, stakeholder engagement is key to achieving successful and effective outcomes. The Group recognises that efficient collaboration with stakeholders can positively influence the Company's success. Therefore, we actively engage in regular and fair communication with our stakeholders, encourage greater stakeholder participations, and maintain a website at [www.fuyucorp.com](http://www.fuyucorp.com) where the public can access both business and financial information of the Company. The Group's approach towards stakeholder engagement is summarised as follow:

Key Stakeholders	Engagement Methods	Frequency	Key Topics of Interest
Investors	Timely updates of financial results and announcements, business developments, press releases, and other relevant disclosures via SGXNet and website	Throughout the year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sustain profitability and enhance shareholder returns</li> <li>• Transparent reporting</li> <li>• Sound corporate governance practices</li> <li>• Active portfolio management</li> </ul>
	Regular results briefing	At least twice a year	
	Annual General Meeting	Annually	
	Extraordinary General Meeting	Where it is necessary	
Customers	Customer satisfaction surveys	Throughout the year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deliver affordable, quality products and services</li> <li>• Responsiveness to customers' requests and feedback</li> </ul>
Employees	Induction programme for new employees	Throughout the year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Equitable remuneration</li> <li>• Fair and competitive employment practices and policies</li> <li>• Safe and healthy work environment</li> <li>• Focus on employee development and well-being</li> </ul>
	Training and development programmes	Throughout the year	
	Career development performance appraisals	Throughout the year	
	Recreational and wellness activities	Throughout the year	
	Regular e-mailers and meetings	Throughout the year	
Communities	Corporate volunteering	Throughout the year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Contributions to communities of operations</li> <li>• Responsible and ethical business practices</li> </ul>
	Open feedback channels	Throughout the year	
Government and Regulators	Meetings and dialogue sessions	Throughout the year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Compliance with, and keep abreast to, ever-changing laws and regulations</li> </ul>
	Membership in industry associations: <i>Singapore:</i> Singapore Institute of Directors; Singapore Chinese Chamber of Commerce & Industry; Singapore National Employers Federation; Singapore Business Federation <i>Malaysia:</i> Federation of Malaysian Manufacturers Malaysian Employers Federation	Throughout the year	
Suppliers	Regular dialogue sessions with key suppliers and service providers	Throughout the year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Equitable treatment of suppliers</li> <li>• Regular and punctual payments upon enlistment of service</li> </ul>
	Establish channels of communication	Throughout the year	

## MATERIAL FACTORS

During the year, the Group has performed a material assessment to review, prioritise and validate the ESG issues that are significant to business operations and of interest to key stakeholders. Taking reference from the GRI Standards (2016) Materiality Principle, the Group considered the following:

- Global and local emerging sustainability trends;
- Main topics and future challenges, as identified by peers;
- Observation gained from regular day-to-day interactions with external stakeholders; and
- Key organisational strategies and risks identified in our existing Risk Management framework.

As a result of the review, the following 12 factors which were validated by the Board remain relevant in FY2019 and they are as follow:

		<b>Material Factors</b>
	<p><b>Protecting the Environment</b> <i>Reducing our environmental footprint</i></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Energy</li> <li>2. Water</li> <li>3. Effluents and Waste</li> </ol>
	<p><b>Developing Our Workforce</b> <i>Talent management strategies and practices</i></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. Employment and Talent Retention</li> <li>5. Diversity &amp; Equal Opportunity</li> <li>6. Training and Education</li> <li>7. Occupational Health &amp; Safety</li> <li>8. Forced or Compulsory Labour</li> <li>9. Child Labour</li> </ol>
	<p><b>Practicing Good Governance</b> <i>Compliance with applicable laws and regulations including ethics and integrity, and anti-corruption</i></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>10. Anti-corruption</li> <li>11. Environmental Compliance</li> <li>12. Customer Privacy</li> </ol>

# SUSTAINABILITY REPORT



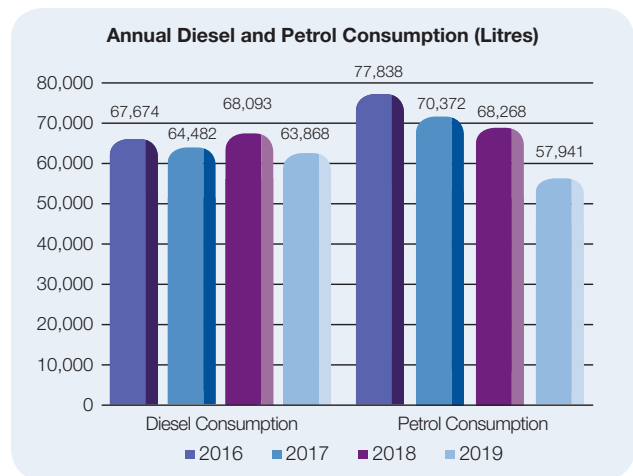
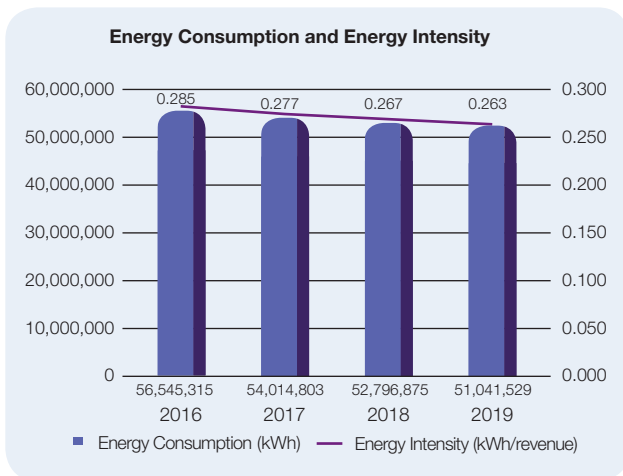
## PROTECTING THE ENVIRONMENT *Reducing our environmental footprint*

### ENERGY

Climate change has become a significant threat to the environment due to the continuous increase in energy use and the production of associated greenhouse gas emissions. As a leading manufacturer, the use of energy is indispensable to our daily business operations. Despite the challenge of reducing the energy consumption with business expansion, the Group seeks every opportunity to minimise the environmental impact of our business operations by focusing on energy efficiency and management.

The Group has implemented, and continues to explore, various initiatives to reduce operational energy consumption. Some of these initiatives include:

- Replace existing light fittings with LED lights which are more durable and consume less energy.
- Ensure regular maintenance is carried out for plant and machinery to improve productivity, prolong their useful life spans and minimise energy consumption.
- Optimise production planning to reduce the machinery idling time.
- Replace older machinery which consume more energy with newer energy-efficient machinery.



The electricity consumption is from purchased grid electricity. In 2019, electrical energy consumption amounted to 51,041,529 kilowatt hours (kWh), representing a 3.3% year-on-year decrease from 52,796,875 kWh in 2018 due mainly to the abovementioned initiatives that were carried out throughout the year. The overall energy intensity for the Group also decreased from 0.267 kWh per dollar of revenue in 2018 to 0.263 kWh per dollar of revenue in 2019.

As shown in the bar diagram above, a total of 63,868 litres diesel were consumed in 2019 representing a 6.2% year-on-year decrease from 68,093 litres in 2018. Diesel is mainly used for forklift machines, truck deliveries and staff canteen operations. The decrease in diesel consumption in 2019 was mainly attributed to the decreased business activities. Similarly, the petrol consumption caused by company cars and vehicles reduced from 68,268 litres to 57,941 litres. This is a decrease of 15.1% from 2018.

Moving forward, the Group targets to maintain current average electricity consumption per dollar of revenue.

## WATER

Water is essential for life and it is used in huge quantities in the manufacturing industry. At the Group, we require water for the following reasons:

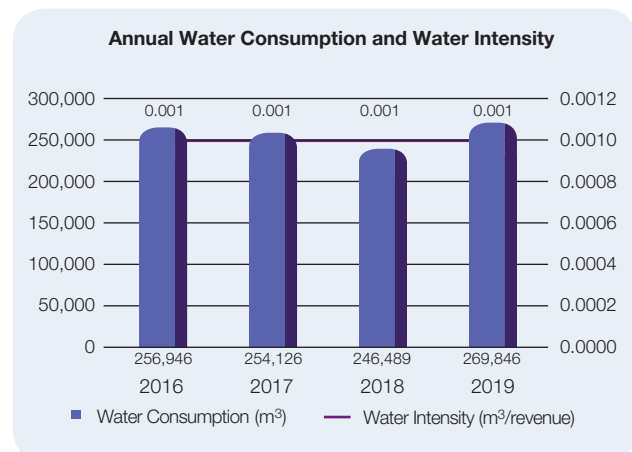
- Cooling tower usage
- Cooling purpose for injection moulding machines during manufacturing process
- Cleaning purposes

We endeavour to minimise our water usage through a number of efficiency initiatives. The Group has implemented, and continued with the following initiatives to promote water management and conserve our depleting water resources:

- Record/monitor meter readings and cross-check with water consumption bills on a monthly basis.
- Regular maintenance of water fittings and drainage systems to minimise the risk of leakage.
- Influence human behaviour by providing education on the importance of water saving.
- Encourage employees to report to Human Resources Department if any leakage is observed in the factory.

In 2019, the water consumption amounted to 269,846 cubic metres (m<sup>3</sup>), representing a 9.5% year-on-year increase from 246,489 m<sup>3</sup> in 2018 due mainly to increased floor area arising from a newly built warehouse in Malaysia, thorough cleaning of Fu Yu Shanghai factory prior to end of lease and a leakage of an underground firefighting water pipe in one manufacturing plant. The overall water intensity for the Group stayed the same at approximately 0.001 m<sup>3</sup> per dollar of revenue.

Moving forward, the Group targets to maintain current average water consumption per dollar of revenue.



## EFFLUENTS AND WASTE

The generation, treatment and disposal of waste can pose harm to human health and the environment. Spills of chemicals, oils, and fuels, among other substances, can potentially affect biodiversity and human health.

We believe that proper management of waste, effective use of resources and carrying out of our day-to-day work in an environmentally responsible manner will eventually result in improved environmental performance and lower operating cost. As part of our enhanced waste management approach, reducing waste is the first priority, followed by waste reuse on-site and material recycling.



# SUSTAINABILITY REPORT

Following are some of the initiatives we have implemented in the past years:



## REDUCE

We put effective and efficient management into practice to reduce raw material wastage.



## REUSE

During the manufacturing process, resins are reused to clean the machines.

Our product packaging is reused as we help manage our customers' waste by requesting the return of the package.



## RECYCLE

We initiate a waste bin management programme to sort paper, food and electronic waste accordingly and collect them for recycling.

As we are in the manufacturing industry, it is important for the Group to monitor the substances in the materials we procure and we work closely with our vendors to replace any toxic substances with environmentally friendly substitutes. Under our ISO 14001 policy, we carry out a vendor evaluation assessment on a yearly basis to assess our new vendors as well as measure/monitor our existing vendors' performance for the purpose of reducing costs, mitigating risks and driving continued improvement towards sustainability. Upon customers' requests, we will purchase environmentally friendly materials with accredited green labels. We also engage licensed toxic waste collection companies to ensure that toxic waste is properly disposed to minimise the negative impact to the environment. In the unlikely event of a chemical spillage, we have an in-house Chemical Spillage Control Team who can be activated immediately and thus reduce the impact of such chemical pollution to the environment. We conduct yearly refresher training courses to ensure that our team is always ready to remedy any chemical spillage if the situation arises. In 2019, there was no incident of significant chemical spillage in production facilities.

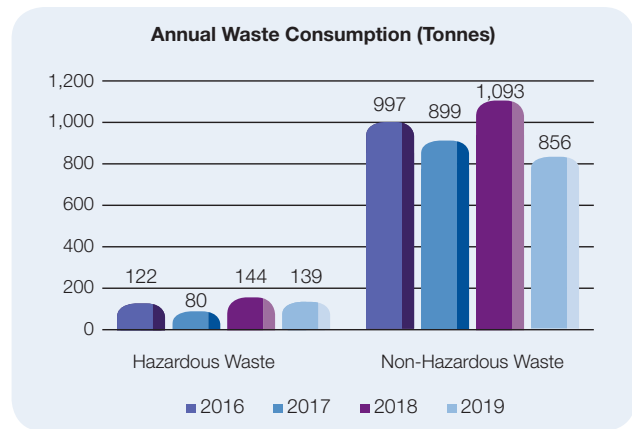


Training on chemical spillage control



The amount of hazardous waste reduced 3.5% from 144 tonnes in 2018 to 139 tonnes in 2019. In the same period, our general, non-hazardous waste reduced 21.7%, from 1,093 tonnes in 2018 to 856 tonnes in 2019. This was due mainly to better management of waste and effective use of resources as well as clearing of excess waste that had built up due to a shortage of appropriate disposal avenues in 2018.

Moving forward, the Group aims to have zero significant chemical spillage in production facilities in the forthcoming year.



**DEVELOPING OUR WORKFORCE**  
Talent management strategy and practices

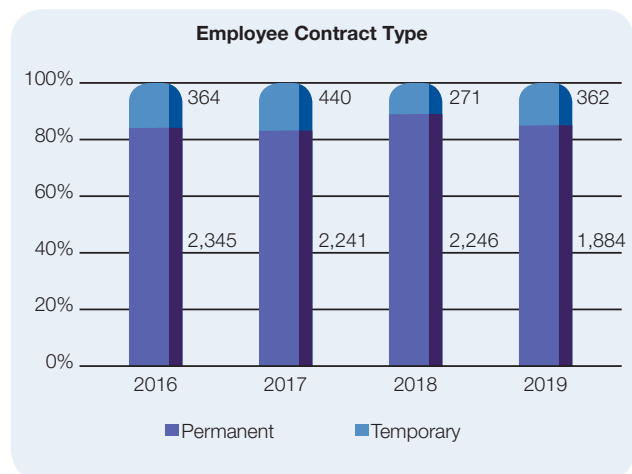
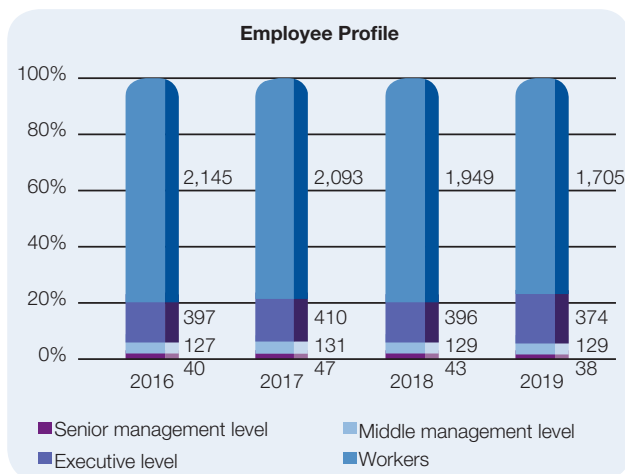
**EMPLOYMENT AND TALENT RETENTION**

At the Group, we recognise that employees are our most valuable asset. A high rate of employee turnover could indicate levels of uncertainty and dissatisfaction among employees. High turnover results in changes to the human and intellectual capital and can impact productivity with direct cost implications.

In line with our commitment towards creating a positive work environment, we have adopted a strategic reward system based on our employees’ abilities, performance, contributions and experiences to make a positive contribution to the values and business objectives of the Group. In the Group, we treat our employees with respect and dignity. Disrespectful, hostile, intimidating or threatening behaviours are not tolerated in our workplace. Sexual advances, actions or comments of racial or religious slurs are also unacceptable.

We encourage a work-life balance concept in the Group as we believe it affects the well-being of individuals, families and communities and it strengthens an employee’s commitment to the organisation. We employ human resource strategies and policies which are supportive of organising recreational activities, such as food fairs, company trips, festive celebrations, team building, annual dinner and dance for our employees on a regular basis.

As of 31 December 2019, we had a total of 2,246 employees across Fu Yu Corporation and its subsidiaries. The decrease of 271 employees was due mainly to the closure of our manufacturing plant in Shanghai. Most of our employees are permanent and full-time. Temporary workers fluctuate with the manufacturing activities. Our new hires increased from 31.5% in 2018 to 43.4% in 2019 and our turnover also increased accordingly from 37.9% in 2018 to 59.0% in 2019. Excluding the redundancy exercise in Fu Yu Shanghai, the turnover would be 44.8% in 2019.



Moving forward, the Group targets to maintain current employee turnover rate within 10% of the 2016, the base year level. The turnover rate in 2016 was 41.6%.

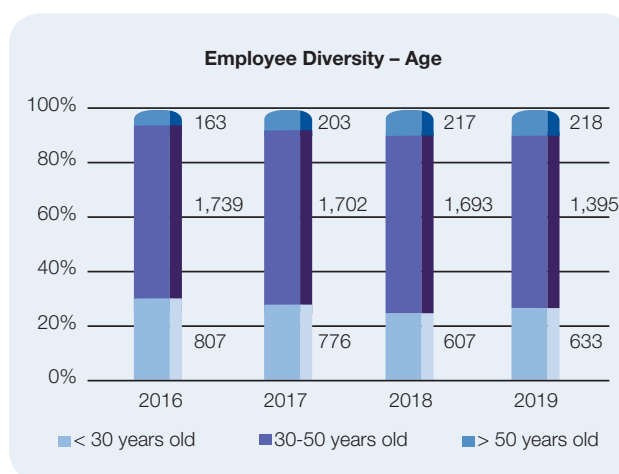
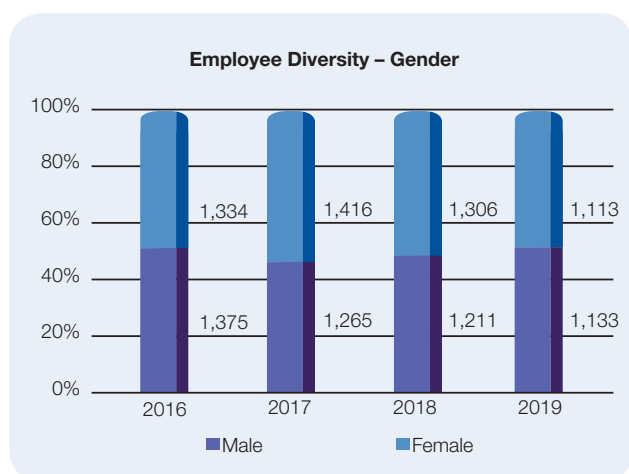
# SUSTAINABILITY REPORT

## DIVERSITY AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

Equal opportunity to the Group is about treating people fairly without bias and encouraging conditions in the workplace that value diversity and promote dignity.

We have developed policies to stipulate fair and equal opportunities to all employees and job applicants. Our selection and recruitment criteria is based on an applicant’s skills, experience and/or ability to perform the job, regardless of age, gender, race, religion and family status or disability.

Our male/female split remained fairly even with a slight decrease in percentage of females in 2019. Most of our employees are in the 30-50-year age group, which is quite common in the industry we operate.



Moving forward, the Group targets to continue to employ fair recruitment practices.

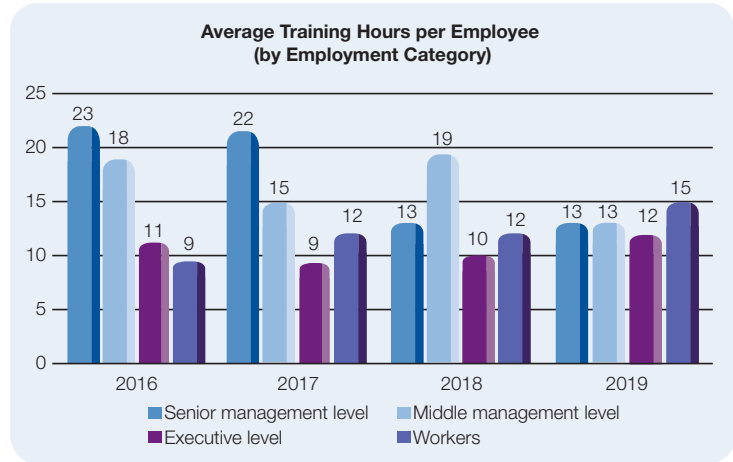
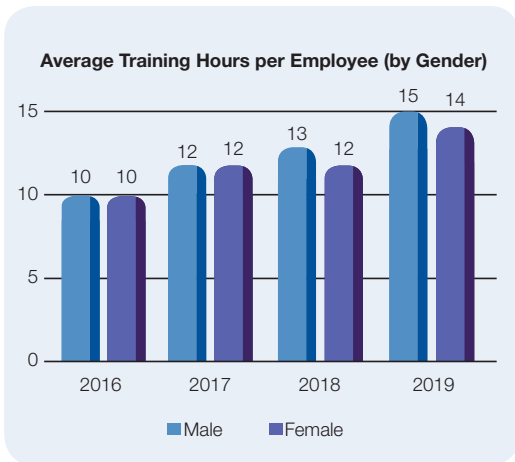
## TRAINING AND EDUCATION

As we navigate through an increasingly challenging global environment, we are a strong advocate of developing employee potential to contribute towards the progress of the Group. Employee training and development always remain our key priorities. We trust that ongoing career development will enhance the organisation’s human capital and contribute to employee satisfaction. This will lead to improved performance and company success.

To help our employees achieve their full potential, we encourage them to upgrade their knowledge and skillset by providing a variety of training and personal development opportunities for them to consider based on their strengths and needs. These needs are assessed during the annual performance review that all our eligible employees receive. Supervisors will recommend certain training and development initiatives and employees can request specific training they feel they will benefit from.

Moving forward, the Group targets to ensure that 100% of employees receive an annual performance review.

Average Training Hours Per Employee	2016	2017	2018	2019
Fu Yu Corporation (including Fu Yu Corporation Limited and its subsidiaries)	10	12	12	14



**OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY**

At the Group, we endeavour to create an organisational culture where health and safety in the workplace is second nature. This is particularly important for our manufacturing facilities. We have therefore put considerable effort into creating a conducive and safe working environment.

A Workplace Safety and Health Committee was established to review and monitor the overall performance in health and safety practices on a regular basis. It also initiates various programmes and activities to raise occupational health and safety (OHS) awareness. During the Induction Training Day, a safety briefing is a compulsory session for all new employees. In our day-to-day operation, employees are required to ensure that the necessary safety measures are implemented prior to carrying out work. As part of the assurance process, we also conduct ongoing practices to reinforce the OHS requirements, in-house safety rules and job specific safety requirements.



Fire drill exercise

Additionally, regular inspections are implemented to ensure our company’s infrastructure and production facilities are well maintained and work processes and instructions are being followed. We are continually seeking to improve workplace conditions by proactively identifying potential hazards and risks, establishing better measurement methods to monitor the working environment and obtaining the necessary legal permits/licences.

In 2019, the Group regrets to record the death of an employee at one of its factories in China. The employee, who was a materials handler, passed away at his worktable next to an injection moulding machine. Although there were no visible signs of physical injury, the Chinese authorities deemed the case as a work-related death.

Similar to 2018, four subsidiaries maintained zero injuries record in their manufacturing facilities. We will continue to strengthen our safety management practices to minimise injuries in the workplace.

Lost-Time Injury Rate	2016	2017	2018	2019
Fu Yu Corporation (including Fu Yu Corporation Limited and its subsidiaries)	7.51	7.48	4.93	4.64

Moving forward, the Group targets to achieve zero workplace incident resulting in employee permanent disability or fatality.

# SUSTAINABILITY REPORT

## FORCED OR COMPULSORY LABOUR

The Group does not condone forced and compulsory labour. We recognise even though banned globally, it still exists in different forms, from traditional and modern slavery to debt bondage and human trafficking.

We endeavour to prevent and combat all forms of forced or compulsory labour within our activities by providing all necessary measures:

- We have a clear policy, which strictly forbids the use of forced, bonded or indentured labour, including debt bondage, involuntary prison labour and slavery or trafficking of person in the company.
- A factory audit is carried out for each manufacturing facility of the Group in Singapore, Malaysia and China when requested by customers by following the guidance of Responsible Business Alliance, which is a set of standards on social, environmental and ethical issues in the electronics industry supply chain. The standards set out in the Code of Conduct reference international norms and standards including the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, ILO International Labour Standards, OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises, ISO and SA standards, and many more.
- We write employment contracts in languages easily understood by workers, indicating the scope of and procedures for leaving the job.

In 2019, there were no incidents of non-compliance with forced or compulsory labour at our factories. Moving forward, the Group targets to achieve zero incidents of non-compliance with forced or compulsory Labour Laws continuously. Also, we aim to achieve a rating of “satisfactory” or above on all Responsible Business Alliance factory audits, if any.

## CHILD LABOUR

At the Group, we recognise that work and labour levelled upon small children interferes with their childhood and the ability to acquire an education. This in turn may hamper their physical, emotional and psychological growth.

We are therefore committed to strictly prohibiting the use of child labour. We encourage customers to request an audit of our factories to assess the risk of child labour under the Responsible Business Alliance Guidelines, as they can for forced and compulsory labour, whenever they believe appropriate.

In 2019, there were no incidents of non-compliance with child labour at our factories. Moving forward, the Group targets to achieve zero incidents of non-compliance with Child Labour Laws continuously. Also, we aim to achieve a rating of “satisfactory” or above on all Responsible Business Alliance factory audits, if any.



## PRACTISING GOOD GOVERNANCE

*Compliance with applicable laws and regulations including ethics and integrity, and anti-corruption*

The Group is committed to ensuring and maintaining a high standard of corporate governance and business conduct in order to uphold market integrity, comply with international norms and safeguard the interests of our stakeholders. The Group is committed to adopting and upholding responsible and ethical business policies and practices in compliance with applicable laws and regulations, respect for human rights, environmental conservation and health and safety for mutual benefits. As part of our training approach, we also endeavour to strengthen the ethical environment and promote professional conduct within the Group. We have a Corporate Business Ethics and Code of Conduct Policy that is communicated to all employees. It provides detailed guidelines to ensure that employees' business conduct is consistent with ethical standards. The Policy also requires all employees to declare any direct or indirect interest in, or relationship with other businesses and organisations where potential conflicts of interest may arise.



Training session on policies

### ANTI-CORRUPTION

To eliminate undesirable behaviour among employees and prevent reputational damage as well as sustain stakeholder trust, we have zero tolerance towards any unethical and corrupt practices.

Our management takes a leadership position in fostering a strong corporate governance culture and implementing policies that promote ethical behaviour. The Group places emphasis on effective prevention and detection of fraudulent activities and misconduct. We have adopted a Fraud Risk Management Policy which guides all employees on anti-fraud measures to mitigate the risks of fraud. Our Whistle Blowing Policy provides a transparent channel for employees to raise concerns about possible fraud, improprieties in financial reporting and other matters, while giving reassurance that they will be protected from reprisals or victimisation for whistle blowing in good faith. A refresher training session on the anti-corruption and whistle blowing policy is included in our practice and conducted annually at the respective operating sites for all employees.

There were no confirmed incidents of corruption during the year. Moving forward, the Group targets to maintain zero confirmed incidents of corruption continuously.

### ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE

We recognise a breach of any law or regulation could have significant impact on production and result in irreversible reputational damage. In some circumstances, non-compliance can lead to clean-up obligations or other costly environmental liabilities. We adhere to the highest standards of corporate governance practices which ensure compliance to all applicable environmental laws and regulations.

All of our operating sites are ISO 14001 certified and there were no incidents of non-compliance with environmental laws and regulations resulting in significant fines or sanctions in 2019. Moving forward, the Group targets to maintain zero incidents of non-compliance with environmental laws and regulations resulting in significant fines or sanctions.

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## CUSTOMER PRIVACY

The Group is mindful of the impact that security breach can have on our reputation. Therefore, the privacy of our customers is of paramount importance at all times. Maintaining customer trust is an ongoing commitment and we strive to inform customers of the privacy and data security policies, practices and technologies we have put in place. We have developed responsible measures to ensure the security of personal data that we collect, store, process and disseminate. We have also created a confidential relationship with our customer by signing a legally enforceable contract, Non-Disclosure Agreement, to protect customer's competitive data, proprietary information and other intellectual property.

There were no identified leaks, thefts or losses of customer confidential information in 2019. Moving forward, the Group targets to maintain zero incidents in the forthcoming year.

## RESTATEMENTS OF INFORMATION

The information on the diesel and petrol consumption was restated due to omission error by some subsidiaries in the Group. The effect of the restatements of information given in the previous Sustainability Reports are presented as follow:

	Previously Reported			Restated		
	2016	2017	2018	2016	2017	2018
Diesel Consumption (Litres)	51,204	50,212	54,200	67,674	64,482	68,093
Petrol Consumption (Litres)	57,847	55,111	53,637	77,838	70,372	68,268



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102-54	Claims of reporting in accordance with GRI Standards	With reference to GRI Standards (2016)
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Company	Awards
Fu Yu Corporation Limited	Singapore 1000 Company 2019

## CORPORATE ISO AND QS CERTIFICATION FOR FU YU GROUP AS AT END OF YEAR 2019

Company	ISO 9001:2015	ISO 13485:2016	ISO 14001:2015	TS 16949:2016
Fu Yu Corporation Limited	^	^	^	^
Classic Advantage Sdn Bhd	^		^*	^
Fu Hao Manufacturing (M) Sdn Bhd	^	^	^	
Fu Yu Moulding & Tooling (Dongguan) Co., Ltd	^		^	^
Fu Yu Moulding & Tooling (Suzhou) Co., Ltd	^	^	^	^
Fu Yu Moulding & Tooling (Zhuhai) Co., Ltd	^		^	^
Fu Yu Moulding & Tooling (Chongqing) Co., Ltd	^		^	^

\* Obtained in March 2020

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# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

## INTRODUCTION

The Board of Directors (the “Board”) and Management of Fu Yu Corporation Limited (the “Company” or “Fu Yu”) recognise the importance of having in place a set of well-defined and good corporate governance processes to engender investor confidence and achieve long-term sustainable business performance.

This report describes Fu Yu’s corporate governance policies and practices in accordance with the Principles and Provisions set out in the Singapore Code of Corporate Governance 2018 (the “Code”), with references to the accompanying Practice Guidance.

The Company is required under Rule 710 of the Listing Manual of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (“SGX-ST”) to describe in this Annual Report its corporate governance practices with reference to both the Principles and Provisions of the Code and how the Company’s practices conform to the Principles of the Code. Compliance with, and observation of, the Principles is mandatory and variations from Provisions are explained appropriately in this Annual Report.

## BOARD MATTERS

### Principle 1: The Board’s Conduct of Affairs

*The company is headed by an effective Board which is collectively responsible and works with Management for the long-term success of the company.*

The principal function of the Board is to protect and enhance long-term value and returns for its shareholders. Besides carrying out its statutory responsibilities, the Board’s roles are to:

1. oversee the business affairs of the Group, monitor and review management performance;
2. approve corporate and strategic direction and policies with considerations for sustainability issues;
3. approve annual budgets, financial reporting, major funding and investment proposals;
4. ensure the Company’s compliance with prescribed legislations and regulations that are relevant to the business;
5. establish a framework of prudent and effective controls which enables risks to be assessed and managed, including safeguarding of shareholders’ interest and Company’s assets;
6. set the company’s values and standards (including ethical standards), and ensure obligations to shareholders and other stakeholders are understood and met;
7. identify the key stakeholder groups and recognise that their perceptions affect the Company’s reputation; and
8. assume responsibility for corporate governance.

All the Directors exercise due diligence, independent judgment and consider the interests of the Group at all times in making decisions for the Group’s affairs. Directors facing any conflicts of interest with the Group will recuse themselves from participating in any discussions and decisions on the transaction or proposed transaction involving the issues of conflict.



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All Directors are expected to objectively discharge their duties and responsibilities at all times as fiduciaries in the interests of the Company. The Board has a code of conduct and ethics for Directors which assists Directors in the discharge of their duties, requiring them to adhere to the highest standards of integrity and accountability. This code covers key areas such as conflicts of interest, duty of confidentiality, directors' declaration of interest under the Companies Act, external appointments and dealings in shares.

The Board is supported by three (3) Board Committees to assist the Board in discharging its responsibilities and to enhance the Group's corporate governance framework. The Board Committees include the Audit Committee ("AC"), Remuneration Committee ("RC") and Nominating Committee ("NC"). Each Board Committee is chaired by a Non-Executive and Independent Director. Each Board Committee has its own defined terms of reference which sets out the respective Board Committee's composition, duties, authority, responsibilities, required quorum, conduct of meetings and the accountability of each Board Committee. The key deliberations, recommendations and decisions of each Board Committee are reported to the Board by the Chair of the Board Committee.

The composition and terms of reference of each Committee and summary of its activities are detailed later in this report.

The Board meets regularly on a quarterly basis and ad-hoc Board meetings are convened when circumstances require. The dates of the Board Committee meetings and annual general meeting ("AGM") are scheduled in advance in consultation with all the Directors. To facilitate the Board's decision-making process, the Company's Constitution allows Directors to participate in Board meetings by means of telephone, electronic or other communication facilities that permit all persons participating in the meeting to communicate with one another simultaneously and instantaneously, and participation in such meeting shall constitute presence in person at such meeting. In between Board meetings, important matters concerning the Group are also put to the Board for its decision by way of Directors' resolutions in writing for the Directors' approval.

Details of the Directors' attendance at Board and Committee meetings as well as at the AGM during the year under review are as follows:

Name of Director	Board		Audit Committee		Remuneration Committee		Nominating Committee		AGM	
	No. of Meetings Held	No. of Meetings Attended	No. of Meetings Held	No. of Meetings Attended	No. of Meetings Held	No. of Meetings Attended	No. of Meetings Held	No. of Meetings Attended	No. of Meetings Held	No. of Meetings Attended
Dr John Chen Seow Phun	4	4	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1
Ching Heng Yang	4	4	4*	4*	1*	1*	1*	1*	1	1
Tam Wai	4	4	4*	4*	1*	1*	1*	1*	1	1
Ho Nee Kit	4	4	4*	4*	1*	1*	1*	1*	1	1
Hew Lien Lee	4	4	4*	4*	1*	1*	1*	1*	1	1
Tan Yew Beng	4	4	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1
Foo Say Tun	4	4	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1

(\*) By invitation

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The Company has established internal guidelines for matters and types of material transactions that require Board's approval. These include:

1. allotment and issue of new shares and additional listing applications;
2. banking matters such as opening of bank accounts and acceptance of bank facilities;
3. material acquisition and disposal of subsidiaries and other assets;
4. announcements for public release, quarterly (if applicable), half year and full year results announcements;
5. any major agreements to be entered into whether in the ordinary or outside of the ordinary course of business of the Group;
6. dividend recommendations and payments; and
7. appointments and resignations of Directors.

There was no new Director appointed in the financial year ended 31 December 2019 ("FY2019"). The Board recognises the importance of appropriate training for its Directors. Newly appointed Directors would be briefed by Management on the business operations of the Group and, where necessary, plant visits would be organised. First-time Directors are also provided training opportunities in areas such as accounting, legal and industry-specific knowledge as appropriate, as well as compliance, regulatory and corporate governance matters. New incoming Directors will receive a formal letter explaining their statutory duties and responsibilities as a director. Going forward, in accordance with the SGX-ST Listing Rules, unless the NC is of the view that training is not required because a director has other relevant experience, any new director appointed by the Board, who has no prior experience as a director of an issuer listed on the SGX-ST, must undergo mandatory training in his roles and responsibilities as prescribed by the SGX-ST.

Routine updates on developments and changes in operating environment, including revisions to accounting standards, laws and regulations affecting the Company and/or the Group are regularly brought to the attention of the Board. During the year, the Board had been briefed and updated on changes or amendments to accounting standards, Listing Rules and the Code of Corporate Governance. Updates on relevant legal, regulatory and technical developments and good corporate governance may be in writing or disseminated by way of briefings, presentations and/or handouts. The Company also encourages Directors to undergo continual professional development each financial year and is prepared to undertake funding for such continuing education.

## ***Access to Information***

Directors receive the agendas and complete and adequate meeting materials such as budgets, forecasts and monthly/quarterly internal financial statements, background or explanatory information in a timely manner in advance of Board and Board Committees meetings to facilitate the effective discharge of their duties. The annual budgets are submitted to the Board for review and approval and actual performance is compared against budgets periodically to monitor the Group's performance.

The Directors have separate and independent access to the Executive Directors, Management, company secretaries, internal and external auditors at all times, (where necessary) at the expense of the Company, and vice versa. Directors are entitled to request for information from the Management and are provided with such additional information as needed to make informed decisions in a timely manner. The Board is informed of all material events and transactions as and when they occur.

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The Management also provides all members of the Board with periodic updates that give a balanced summary of the Group's performance and financial position such as monthly financial statements and other management reports. Apart from the regular Board meetings, discussions are conducted via electronic means or ad hoc meetings, as and when required.

The Company Secretary or its nominee attends to the corporate secretarial administration matters, attends all meetings of the Board and Board Committees and assists the Board in ensuring that the Board procedures are followed and that applicable rules and regulations are complied with.

The appointment and the removal of the Company Secretary is a matter for the Board as a whole.

The Board also has access to independent professional advice, where necessary, at the Company's expense to enable them to discharge their duties. The Chief Financial Officer ("CFO") also assists the Board in obtaining such advice.

## **Principle 2: Board Composition and Guidance**

*The Board has an appropriate level of independence and diversity of thought and background in its composition to enable it to make decisions in the best interests of the company.*

The Board comprises seven (7) Directors of whom four (4) are executive and three (3) are independent and non-executive. The independent and non-executive Directors make up at least one-third of the Board.

The Board considers an "Independent Director" as one who is independent in conduct, character and judgement, and has no relationship with the Company, its related corporations, its substantial shareholders or its officers that could interfere, or be reasonably perceived to interfere, with the exercise of the Director's independent business judgement in the best interests of the Company.

The independence of each Director is reviewed annually by the NC in accordance with the Code's definition of independence. Each Director is required to complete a 'Confirmation of Director's Independence' form to confirm his independence. The said form, which was drawn up based on the definitions and guidelines set forth in Provision 2.1 in the Code and the Practice Guidance to the Code, requires each Director to assess whether he considers himself independent despite not having any of the relationships identified in the Code.

There are no Directors who are deemed independent by the Board, notwithstanding the existence of a relationship as stated in the Code that would otherwise deem him/her not to be independent. None of the independent Directors is or has been employed by the Company or any of its related corporations for the current or any past three (3) financial years or has an immediate family member who is employed or has been employed by the Company or any of its related corporations for the current or any of the past three (3) financial years, and whose remuneration is or was determined by the RC.

In line with Guideline 2.4 of the Code of Corporate Governance 2012, the independence of Dr John Chen Seow Phun, Mr Tan Yew Beng and Mr Foo Say Tun, who have served on the Board beyond nine (9) years from the dates of their first appointment, were subject to particularly rigorous review on their independence by members of the Board. The relevant factors that were taken into consideration in assessing the independence of Dr John Chen Seow Phun, Mr Tan Yew Beng and Mr Foo Say Tun are set out under Principle 4. The NC, with the concurrence of the Board, is satisfied that Dr John Chen Seow Phun, Mr Tan Yew Beng and Mr Foo Say Tun, having served on the Board for more than nine (9) years, continued to be considered independent. Dr John Chen Seow Phun, Mr Tan Yew Beng and Mr Foo Say Tun have abstained from the review pertaining to their independence.

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The NC is responsible for examining the size and composition of the Board and Board Committees. The Board has no specific policy on gender, age and ethnicity for candidates to be appointed to the Board. The evaluation of the suitability of candidates is based on the candidates' competency, character, time commitment, integrity and experience in meeting the needs of the Company. The NC will, however, continue to take steps to ensure that gender, age and ethnicity of the candidates will be taken into consideration as part of its recruitment exercise.

The Board has taken the following steps to maintain or enhance its balance and diversity:

1. Annual review by the NC to assess if the existing attributes and core competencies of the Directors are complementary to one another and will enhance the efficacy of the Board; and
2. Annual evaluation by the Directors of the skill sets the other Directors possess, with a view to understanding the range of expertise which the Board is lacking.

Taking into account the scope and nature of the operations of the Group, the Board, in concurrence with the NC, is satisfied that the present size of seven (7) Directors, aged between 54 to 69, is appropriate in facilitating effective decision-making. Board members comprise professionals with financial, accounting, legal and industry backgrounds who are able to contribute their area of expertise in leading the Group. While the Board does not comprise any female director at the moment, its current composition with appropriate mix of expertise and experience enables the Management to benefit from a diverse and objective perspective on any issues raised before the Board. No individual or group dominates the Board's decision-making process.

Four (4) out of the seven (7) Directors of the Board are non-independent. They are Mr Ching Heng Yang, Mr Tam Wai, Mr Ho Nee Kit and Mr Hew Lien Lee. To ensure greater accountability to shareholders, the Group has established the AC, RC and NC. Membership in each of the Board Committees comprises only the Independent Directors.

The Non-Executive and Independent Directors contribute accounting and finance knowledge, legal expertise and business management experience to the Group, and provide the Executive Directors and the Management with diverse and objective perspectives on issues considered by the Board. They also aid in reviewing the performance of the Management in meeting agreed goals and objectives, and monitoring the reporting of performance and operations by the Company as an appropriate check and balance.

Throughout the years, the Non-Executive and Independent Directors constructively challenge and assist to develop proposals on the Group's short-term and long-term strategies and review the performance of Management in meeting agreed goals and objectives and monitor the reporting of performance. Management provides the Independent Directors with accurate, complete and timely information. Further, the Independent Directors have unrestricted access to Management to query and request for further information on proposed significant transactions and the development of business strategies. The Non-Executive and Independent Directors meet without the presence of the Executive Directors and Management where necessary, and at least once a year, to facilitate a more effective check on Management. Whilst the Non-Executive Directors do not make up a majority of the Board as required under Provision 2.3 of the Code, the Board believes that there is a strong independent element on the Board as no individual or small group of individuals dominates the Board's decision-making process. Further, the Board has an independent Chairman. The Board is also satisfied that the current board composition reflects an appropriate balance of skills and experience, which the Group may tap for assistance in furthering its business objectives and shaping its business strategies.

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## Principle 3: Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

*There is a clear division of responsibilities between the leadership of the Board and Management, no one individual has unfettered powers of decision-making.*

The Board recognises the importance of the roles of Chairman and Chief Executive Officer (“CEO”) being held by separate persons, hence the roles of Chairman of the Board and CEO are separate to ensure a clear division of responsibilities, increased accountability and greater capacity of the Board for independent decision-making. No one individual has unfettered powers of decision-making.

Dr John Chen Seow Phun is the Non-Executive Chairman of the Company and Mr Hew Lien Lee is the CEO of the Company. The Chairman is an independent director and he is not part of the management team. The Chairman and the CEO are also not immediate family members.

The division of responsibilities between the Chairman and the CEO has been demarcated with the concurrence of the Board.

The roles of the Non-Executive Chairman include:

1. leading the Board to ensure its effectiveness in all aspects of its role and setting the meeting agenda;
2. ensuring that Directors receive complete, accurate and timely information on matters relating to the Group;
3. promoting a culture of openness and debate at the Board;
4. encouraging constructive relations within the Board and between the Board and the Management;
5. ensuring effective communication with shareholders; and
6. promoting high standards of corporate governance and compliance with the Listing Rules.

The CEO is responsible for the Group’s day-to-day operations and leads the Management in setting strategies, objectives and missions, as well as executing the Board’s decisions and plans and driving the Group’s growth and development.

Taking into account the relatively small size of the Board, that the roles of the Chairman and CEO are separate and that the Company has three Independent Non-Executive Directors, the Board is of the view that there is currently no need to appoint one of them as the Lead Independent Director per Provision 3.3 of the Code. Shareholders can channel any concerns they may have to any of the Independent Non-Executive Directors.

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## **Principle 4: Board Membership**

*The Board has a formal and transparent process for the appointment and re-appointment of directors, taking into account the need for progressive renewal of the Board.*

The NC currently comprises Mr Foo Say Tun, Mr Tan Yew Beng and Dr John Chen Seow Phun. The NC is chaired by Mr Foo Say Tun who is an Independent Director. All members of the NC are Independent Directors.

The NC meets at least once a year. The NC has written Terms of Reference that describe the operating procedures and responsibilities of its members. The duties of the NC are as follows:

1. reviews the structure, size and composition of the Board and makes recommendations to the Board with regard to any adjustments in the structure, size and composition of the Board that are deemed necessary;
2. reviews the succession plans for the Directors and Management;
3. reviews all nominations for the appointments and re-appointment of Directors for the purpose of proposing such nominations to the Board for approval;
4. conducts a review to determine the independence of each Director;
5. reviews the training and professional development programmes for the Directors;
6. decides whether or not a Director is able to and has been adequately carrying out his duties as a Director of the Group, particularly when he has multiple board representations;
7. decides how the Board's and the Board Committees' performance may be evaluated and proposes objective performance criteria;
8. conducts a formal assessment of the effectiveness of the Board as a whole and the contribution by each Director to the effectiveness of the Board; and
9. recommends to the Board the maximum number of listed company representations which any Director may hold.

In reviewing the independence of an Independent Director who has served on the Board for more than nine (9) years from the date of his first appointment, the Board has taken into consideration the following factors:

1. the Independent Director is able to act independently and provides overall guidance to the Management at all times;
2. the considerable amount of experience, required expertise in the relevant industry and wealth of knowledge that the Independent Director brings to the Company;
3. the qualification and expertise of the Independent Director to provide reasonable checks and balances for the Management to act as a safeguard for the protection of the Company's assets and shareholders' interest;
4. the attendance and participation of the Independent Director in the proceedings and decision-making process of the Board and Board Committees meetings; and
5. whether the Independent Director has provided adequate attention and sufficient time has been devoted to the proceedings and business of the Company.



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In its annual review, the NC was of the view that Dr John Chen Seow Phun, Mr Tan Yew Beng and Mr Foo Say Tun are objective and independent in expressing their views and in participating in deliberations and decision-making of the Board and Board Committees. None of these Directors fall under the circumstances described in Rule 210(5)(d) of the SGX Listing Rules. The NC, having considered the provisions set out in the Code, the Practice Guidance and any other salient factors as mentioned above, confirmed all of them are independent. Despite some of the Directors having other board representations, the NC is satisfied that these Directors are able to devote sufficient time and attention to attend to the affairs of the Company and adequately carry out their duties as Directors of the Company.

Based on the current and past working experience with the Board members of the Company of whom some are sitting and have been sitting on multiple boards, the NC is of the view that the appropriate maximum number of the listed company board representations which an Executive Director may hold is three (3) and for Independent Non-Executive Director is nine (9). The NC will continue to assess whether these numbers need to be revised to ensure the Directors devote sufficient time and attention to the affairs of the Company.

In accordance with the Company's Constitution, at least one-third of the Directors are required to retire from office by rotation every year and each Director shall retire from office at least once every three (3) years. In addition, a Director appointed by the Board to fill a casual vacancy, or appointed as an additional Director, may only hold office until the next AGM, at which time he will be eligible for re-election by shareholders but shall not be taken into account in determining the number of Directors who are to retire by rotation at such meeting. All Directors to be appointed or re-elected have to be assessed and recommended by the NC before submission to the Board for approval.

In recommending a candidate for appointment or re-appointment to the Board, the NC considers his contributions to the Board and his independence, skills and experience. The NC has recommended the re-election of Mr Foo Say Tun, Mr Tam Wai and Mr Hew Lien Lee as Directors of the Company at the forthcoming AGM. In making its recommendation, the NC evaluates such Directors' contribution and performance, such as their attendance at the meetings of the Board and Board Committees, where applicable, participation, candour and any special contribution. Save for Mr Tam Wai, who is also a substantial shareholder holding 12.88% of the Company's share capital, there are no relationships (including immediate family relationships) between these Directors submitted for re-election and the other Directors (except for Mr Ching Heng Yang, Mr Tam Wai and Mr Ho Nee Kit, who are concert parties), the Company, its related corporations or its substantial shareholders. The Board accepted the NC's recommendation and accordingly, the three (3) Directors will stand for re-election at the forthcoming AGM.

The NC takes the lead in identifying, evaluating and selecting candidates for new directorships. In its search and selection process, the NC considers factors such as commitment and ability of prospective candidates to contribute to discussion, deliberations and activities of the Board and Board Committees. The NC also takes into account the existing mix of expertise, skills and attributes of the Directors so as to identify the needed and/or desired competencies to supplement the Board's existing attributes. The NC conducts interviews with potential candidates and recommends short-listed candidates to the Board for consideration. The NC also ensures that new directors are aware of their duties and obligations. There is currently no Alternate Director on the Board.

Each member of the NC is also required to abstain from voting on resolutions, making recommendations and/or participating in matters in which he is interested.

Please refer to the 'Board of Directors' section in the Annual Report for key information on the Directors.

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**Table for Appointment and Re-election**

Name of Directors	Date of first appointment	Date of last re-election	Nature of Appointment	Membership of Board Committee	Directorship/ Chairmanship both present and those held over the preceding three years in other listed companies	Other Principal Commitments
Dr John Chen Seow Phun	27/11/2007	24/04/2019	Non-executive Chairman, Independent Director	1. Chairman of AC 2. Member of NC and RC	Present: 1. Pavillon Holdings Ltd 2. OKP Holdings Limited 3. Hiap Seng Engineering Ltd 4. Hanwell Holdings Ltd 5. Matex International Limited 6. Tat Seng Packaging Group Ltd 7. Hong Lai Huat Group Limited  Preceding three years: NIL	Director in: 1. JCL Business Development Pte Ltd 2. SAC Capital Private Limited 3. DataESP Pte Ltd 4. SAC Advisors Pte Ltd 5. JLM Foundation Ltd 6. Unigold Asia Limited 7. Pavillon Financial Leasing Co. Ltd 8. Pavillon Business Development (Shanghai) Co. Ltd 9. Fengchi IOT Management Co., Ltd 10. Exeterstar Holdings Pte Ltd 11. MHC Asia Holdings Pte Ltd
Mr Ching Heng Yang	10/12/1980	24/04/2019	Vice Chairman, Executive Director	–	Preceding three years: 1. LCTH Corporation Berhad	–
Mr Tam Wai	10/12/1980	26/04/2018	Executive Director	–	Preceding three years: 1. LCTH Corporation Berhad	–
Mr Ho Nee Kit	10/12/1980	26/04/2018	Executive Director	–	Preceding three years: 1. LCTH Corporation Berhad	1. President in Singapore Loh Kang Ho Clan Association 2. Vice President in Cha Yang Ho Clan Association Singapore 3. Director in Nanyang Khok Community Guild 4. Management Council Member in Char Yong (Dabu) Association, Singapore
Mr Hew Lien Lee	22/03/2007	26/04/2018	CEO and Executive Director	–	Preceding three years: 1. LCTH Corporation Berhad	–

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**Table for Appointment and Re-election (cont'd)**

Name of Directors	Date of first appointment	Date of last re-election	Nature of Appointment	Membership of Board Committee	Directorship/ Chairmanship both present and those held over the preceding three years in other listed companies	Other Principal Commitments
Mr Tan Yew Beng	22/05/1995	24/04/2019	Independent Non-Executive Director	1. Chairman of RC 2. Member of AC and NC	–	Director in: 1. Accord Corporation Pte Ltd 2. Locker & Lock Pte Ltd 3. Accord Corporation (2006) Sdn Bhd 4. Locker & Lock Sdn Bhd 5. Locker & Lock Solutions Sdn Bhd 6. Locker & Lock Solutions Pte Ltd 7. Locker & Lock Placement Pte Ltd 8. Locker & Lock Placement Sdn Bhd
Mr Foo Say Tun	27/11/2007	28/04/2017	Independent Non-Executive Director	1. Chairman of NC 2. Member of AC and RC	Present: 1. Moneymax Financial Services Limited  Preceding three years: 1. Jubilee Industries Holdings Limited 2. Qingmei Group Holdings Limited 3. Sino Techfibre Limited	Director in: 1. Aquapro Solutions Pte Ltd 2. DynaGen Power Systems Pte Ltd 3. Ioni Water Pte Ltd 4. M Grade Services Pte Ltd 5. Business Foundation Pte Ltd 6. ZWEEC Analytics Pte Ltd

## Principle 5: Board Performance

*The Board undertakes a formal annual assessment of its effectiveness as a whole, and that of each of its board committees and individual directors.*

The NC has implemented a process to assess the performance and effectiveness of the Board as a whole, and of each Board Committee separately, as well as the contribution by the Chairman and each individual Director to the effectiveness of the Board. The evaluation is carried out on an annual basis without the engagement of an external facilitator.

For assessing the effectiveness of the Board as a whole, and of each Board Committee separately, each Director is required to complete a questionnaire which will be submitted to the NC. The NC reviews and assesses the Board's performance based on both quantitative and qualitative criteria. Such criteria include profitability and net assets per share and the achievement of strategic objectives. The completed assessment is compiled into a consolidated report on a no-names basis and reviewed by the NC. The NC also views that the Board's performance will be better reflected and evidenced through proper guidance to the Management, able leadership of the Board and the support that it lends to Management in steering the Group in the appropriate direction.

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For evaluating the performance of each Director, a peer and self-assessment of Directors is conducted annually in areas including Director's duties, knowledge of finance, business, industry and the Company, interaction with internal and external parties, attendance and participation at Board and Board Committees meetings, the time and effort dedicated to the Group's business and affairs including management's access to the Directors for guidance or exchange of views as and when necessary. The compiled results of the assessment are reviewed by the NC. The performance of each individual Director is taken into account in recommending their re-election to shareholders for approval.

The NC was of the view that the performance of the Board as a whole and of the Board Committees was satisfactory and that each Director was contributing to the overall effectiveness of the Board for the year under review.

## REMUNERATION MATTERS

### Principle 6: Procedures for Developing Remuneration Policies

*The Board has a formal and transparent procedure for developing policies on director and executive remuneration, and for fixing the remuneration packages of individual directors and key management personnel. No director is involved in deciding his or her own remuneration.*

The RC currently comprises Mr Tan Yew Beng, Dr John Chen Seow Phun and Mr Foo Say Tun who are Non-Executive Independent Directors. The RC is chaired by Mr Tan Yew Beng, an Independent Director. All members of the RC are Independent Non-Executive Directors.

The RC meets at least once a year. The RC has written Terms of Reference that describe the responsibilities of its members. The primary functions of the RC are as follows:

1. reviews and recommends a general framework of remuneration for the Board and key management personnel (CEO and other persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Company and who are not also Directors and the CEO of the Company);
2. reviews and recommends specific remuneration packages and terms of employment for each Executive Director and key management personnel;
3. reviews all aspects of remuneration, including termination terms, to ensure they are fair;
4. recommends any long-term incentive schemes which are generally encouraged for Executive Directors and key management personnel;
5. ensures that a formal and transparent procedure is in place for fixing the remuneration packages of the Executive Directors as well as key management personnel of the Group; and
6. reviews the Company's obligations arising in the event of termination of the Executive Directors and key management personnel's contracts of service.

The RC's recommendations are submitted for endorsement by the entire Board.

The RC has unrestricted access to expert advice within and/or outside of the Company, when required. No remuneration consultants were engaged for the year in review.

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## Principle 7: Level and Mix of Remuneration

*The level and structure of remuneration of the Board and key management personnel are appropriate and proportionate to the sustained performance and value creation of the company, taking into account the strategic objectives of the company.*

In setting the remuneration package for the Executive Directors and key management personnel, the RC takes into consideration the pay and employment conditions within the industry and comparable companies, the individual's performance and that of the Company and subsidiary companies. The remuneration package is designed to allow the Company to better align the interests of the Executive Directors and key management personnel with those of shareholders and link rewards to corporate and individual performance. As part of its review, the RC ensures that the performance-related elements of remuneration would form a certain proportion of the total remuneration package of Executive Directors and key management personnel. The remuneration for the Executive Directors comprises a base fee, a base salary, an allowance, an annual wage supplement and a profit-sharing bonus. The remuneration for the key management personnel comprises a basic salary, allowances and variable components which are the annual bonus and profit-sharing bonus based on the performance of the Company and subsidiary companies as well as individual contribution and performance which are assessed through performance appraisal that sets out various assessment criteria such as level of achievement of targets and responsibilities, leadership ability, initiative, etc.

For the remuneration of the Non-Executive Directors, the RC has adopted a framework which consists of a base fee as well as fees for chairing Board Committees. The remuneration of Non-Executive and Independent Directors will be appropriate to the level of contribution, taking into consideration the effort and time spent and responsibilities, the prevailing market conditions and referencing Directors' fees against comparable benchmarks, such that Independent Directors are not over-compensated to the extent that their independence may be compromised.

The RC ensures that the remuneration of the Board is appropriate to attract, retain and motivate the Directors to provide good stewardship of the Company and key management personnel to successfully manage the Company for the long term.

The RC's recommendations are submitted to the Board. No Director is involved in deciding his own remuneration, except in providing information and documents if required by the RC to assist in its deliberations. Directors' fees are recommended by the Board for approval at the Company's AGM.

There are currently no contractual provisions to allow the Company to reclaim the incentive component of remuneration from the Executive Directors and key management personnel in exceptional circumstances of misstatement of financial results, or of misconduct resulting in financial loss to the Company. However, the Company believes that it should be able to seek remedies against the Executive Directors and key management officers via other means if such exceptional circumstances occur.

There is currently no long-term incentive scheme for the Directors of the Group and there is currently no unexpired share options.

Save for the contributions to defined contribution plans as disclosed in Note 28 of the Audited Financial Statements for FY2019, the Company does not provide any other termination, retirement and post-employment benefits to the Directors, the CEO and key management personnel.

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During FY2019, the RC had reviewed the remuneration framework and remuneration packages of Executive Directors and the key management personnel to ensure their competitiveness, as well as the Directors' fees for Non-Executive and Non-Independent Directors to ensure that it is appropriate to the level of contribution by the Directors, taking into account factors such as effort and time spent and responsibilities.

## Principle 8: Disclosure on Remuneration

*The company is transparent on its remuneration policies, level and mix of remuneration, the procedure for setting remuneration, and the relationships between remuneration, performance and value creation.*

A breakdown showing the level and mix of remuneration paid to or accrued for each Director and the top five key management personnel in bands of \$250,000 for the year under review is tabulated as follows:

Name of Director	Fees %	Salary %	Bonus %	Allowances and Benefits %	Total %
Executive Directors					
<u>S\$750,000 to S\$999,999</u>					
Ching Heng Yang	2.9	63.6	25.7	7.8	100.0
Tam Wai	2.9	63.9	25.8	7.4	100.0
Ho Nee Kit	2.9	64.1	25.9	7.1	100.0
Hew Lien Lee	3.7	58.4	27.2	10.7	100.0
Non-Executive Directors					
<u>Below S\$250,000</u>					
Dr John Chen Seow Phun	100.0	–	–	–	100.0
Tan Yew Beng	100.0	–	–	–	100.0
Foo Say Tun	100.0	–	–	–	100.0

The Company supports and is aware of the need for transparency. However, taking into consideration the competitive business environment in which it operates and the sensitivity and confidentiality nature of such disclosure, the Board is of the opinion that full disclosure of the Directors' remuneration may have a negative impact on the Company. The aggregate remuneration paid or payable to the Company's Directors is S\$3,943,000 for FY2019.

Name of Top Five Key Management Personnel	Salary %	Bonus %	Allowances and Benefits %	Total %
<u>S\$250,000 to S\$499,999</u>				
Hee Siew Fong	67.9	28.3	3.8	100.0
Ong Kang Lye	51.2	43.0	5.8	100.0
<u>Below S\$250,000</u>				
Ang Tong Lam	79.9	11.3	8.8	100.0
Tan Lay Kheng	76.3	18.5	5.2	100.0
Teh Tuan Hock	61.8	27.2	11.0	100.0



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Due to the competitive nature of the industry that the Group operates in, the Board believes it is unwise to disclose the breakdown of the remuneration of the top five key management personnel. The aggregate remuneration paid to the named key management personnel of the Company is S\$1,450,000 for FY2019.

None of the Directors and the key management personnel of the Company has received any termination, retirement and post-employment benefits for FY2019.

No employee of the Group was an immediate family member (as defined in the Listing Manual of SGX-ST) of a Director, the CEO or a substantial shareholder of the Company and whose remuneration exceeded S\$100,000 during FY2019.

## ACCOUNTABILITY AND AUDIT

### Principle 9: Risk Management and Internal Controls

*The Board is responsible for the governance of risk and ensures that management maintains a sound system of risk management and internal controls, to safeguard the interests of the company and its shareholders.*

The Board acknowledges that it is responsible for the overall internal control framework and has implemented a system of internal controls designed to provide reasonable assurance that assets are safeguarded, proper accounting records are maintained, operational controls are adequate and business risks are suitably managed. The Board determines the nature and extent of the significant risks which the Company is willing to take in achieving its strategic objectives and value creation. The Board oversees the Management in the design, implementation and monitoring of the risk management and internal control systems.

The Management maintains a sound system of internal controls to safeguard the shareholders' investment and the Company's assets. The adequacy of these controls and systems is subject to review by the AC.

The internal auditor conducts an annual review of the effectiveness of the Group's key internal controls, including financial, operational, compliance and information technology controls. On a yearly basis, the internal auditor prepares an internal audit plan which is approved by the AC. The internal auditor updates the AC on the progress of the approved internal audit plan every quarter. The Group's external auditor, KPMG LLP, contributes an independent perspective on certain aspects of the internal controls over financial reporting through its audit and reports the findings to the AC.

Any material findings from both the internal and external auditors together with the improvement recommendations are reported to the AC and made known to the respective subsidiaries for corrective actions to be taken. The internal auditor will monitor if the required corrective measures are properly implemented by the Management.

The AC is assigned to oversee the risk management framework and policies of the Group. In 2012, KPMG Services Pte Ltd was appointed to conduct a review to further enhance the Group's risk management framework over financial, operational and compliance risks. KPMG Services Pte Ltd had also been engaged to assist the Company in formulating and formalising its fraud risk management framework to further enhance its existing framework to prevent improprieties. The Management has continued to adopt the established risk management framework and reviewed its adequacy and effectiveness on an annual basis.

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Based on the framework of risk management controls and internal controls established and maintained by the Group, reports and reviews done by the internal and external auditors, including the reviews by the Management and the non-existence of any critical internal control deficiencies, the Board has received assurance from the CEO and CFO that the financial records have been properly maintained and the financial statements give a true and fair view of the Company's operations and finances, as well as assurance from the CEO and other key management personnel who are responsible, that the Company's risk management and internal control systems are adequate and effective. Accordingly, the Board with the concurrence of the AC is of the opinion that there are adequate internal controls in place within the Group addressing financial, operational, compliance and information technology risks and that the internal controls and risk management systems are effective as at 31 December 2019. During FY2019, there were no material weaknesses identified in the Company's internal controls or risk management systems.

The Board notes, however, that the system of internal controls and risk management established provides reasonable but not absolute assurance against unforeseeable and foreseeable risks to the Company, as all internal control systems contain inherent limitations and no system of internal controls could provide absolute assurance against the occurrence of material errors, poor judgment in decision-making, human errors, losses, fraud or other irregularities. The review of the Company's internal control systems is a concerted and continuing process.

## **Principle 10: Audit Committee**

*The Board has an AC which discharges its duties objectively.*

The AC comprises Dr John Chen Seow Phun, Mr Tan Yew Beng and Mr Foo Say Tun, all of whom are Independent Non-Executive Directors. The Chairman of the AC is Dr John Chen Seow Phun.

All AC members have extensive experience holding senior positions in the financial, legal and commercial sectors, and have sufficient accounting and financial management knowledge. The Board considers that the AC members are appropriately qualified to discharge their responsibilities competently. None of the AC members were previous partners or directors of the Company's external audit firm within the last two (2) years and none of the AC members holds any financial interest in the Company's external audit firm.

Please refer to the 'Board of Directors' section in the Annual Report for the qualifications of the AC members.

The AC meets at least four (4) times a year. The AC carries out its functions in accordance with the Companies Act and its written Terms of Reference. In performing those functions, the AC:

1. reviews the audit plans and the findings of the internal and external auditors of the Company and ensures the adequacy of the Company's system of internal controls and the co-operation given by the Company's Management to the external and internal auditors;
2. reviews the quarterly and annual financial statements and the auditors' report of the Company before their submission to the Board;
3. reviews the significant financial reporting issues and judgements so as to ensure the integrity of the financial statements of the Company and any announcements relating to the Company's financial performance;
4. reviews the assurance from the CEO and CFO on the financial records and financial statements;
5. reviews with the Management on the adequacy and effectiveness of the Company's internal controls, including financial, operational, compliance and information technology;

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6. reviews legal and regulatory matters that may have a material impact on the financial statements, related compliance policies and programmes and any reports received from regulators;
7. reviews the policy and arrangements by which employees of the Group may in confidence, raise concerns about possible improprieties in matters of financial reporting or other matters and ensures that arrangements are in place for the independent investigation of such matters and for appropriate follow-up actions;
8. reviews the cost effectiveness, independence and objectivity of the external auditor;
9. reviews the nature and extent of non-audit services provided by the external auditor;
10. reviews the assistance given by the Company's officers to the internal and external auditors;
11. nominates the external auditor;
12. makes recommendations to the Board on (i) the proposals to the shareholders on the appointment and removal of external auditors; and (ii) the remuneration and terms of engagement of the external auditors;
13. approves the hiring, removal, evaluation and compensation of the internal audit function, or the professional firm to which the internal audit function is outsourced; and
14. reviews interested person transactions and improper activities of the Company, if any.

In the financial year under review, all AC meetings were conducted without the presence of Executive Directors and Management unless invited by the AC to attend. For the year under review, the Executive Directors and Management were invited by the AC to attend the AC meetings. The Independent Directors have full autonomy in the conduct of all AC meetings.

The AC has the power to conduct or authorise investigations into any matters within the AC's scope of responsibility. It has full access to, and co-operation of, the Management and full discretion to invite any Director or members of Management to attend its meetings. The AC has been given reasonable resources for it to discharge its functions properly.

The AC meets with the internal and external auditors without the presence of Management at least once annually, to obtain feedback on the competency and adequacy of the finance function, to review the assistance given by Management to internal and external auditors and to ascertain if there are any material weaknesses or control deficiencies in the Group's financial reporting and operational system.

To keep abreast of the changes in accounting standards and issues which have a direct impact on the Group's business and financial statements, the AC is updated by the external auditor and company secretary of changes to accounting standards, the Listing Manual of the SGX-ST and other regulations when they attend the AC meetings.

The Company's external auditor, KPMG LLP, as part of the annual statutory audit, carries out tests of operating effectiveness over certain internal controls relating to financial reporting processes based on the scope of audit as laid out in its audit plan. Internal control weaknesses noted during the audit and the auditor's recommendations to address such non-compliance and weaknesses, if any, are discussed with Management and reported to the AC.

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During the year, the AC conducted a review of the scope and results of audit by KPMG LLP, their cost effectiveness, as well as their independence and objectivity. The AC has also undertaken a review of all non-audit services provided by KPMG. The non-audit services rendered during FY2019 are not substantial. The AC is satisfied that neither their independence nor their objectivity was put at risk, and that they were able to meet the audit requirements and statutory obligations of the Company. KPMG LLP has also provided a confirmation of their independence to the AC. Accordingly, the AC is satisfied that Rule 712 of the SGX-ST Listing Manual is complied with and has recommended to the Board, the nomination of the external auditor, KPMG LLP, for re-appointment at the forthcoming AGM.

The audit fees paid/payable to the KPMG LLP, overseas affiliates of KPMG LLP and other auditors for FY2019 amounted to S\$138,000, S\$164,000 and S\$72,000 respectively. Non-audit fee paid/payable to other auditors amounted to S\$59,000 in FY2019.

Other member firms of KPMG International are auditors of significant foreign-incorporated subsidiaries for consolidation purposes except for LCTH Corporation Sdn. Bhd. (formerly known as LCTH Corporation Berhad) and its subsidiaries, which are audited by Ernst & Young, Malaysia. The Board and AC are satisfied that the appointment would not compromise the standard and effectiveness of the audit of the Group. The Company confirms that it is in compliance with Rule 715 of the SGX Listing Manual.

## ***Internal Audit Function***

From financial year 2019, the Company has appointed PricewaterhouseCoopers Risk Services Pte Ltd (“PwC”) as its internal auditor. The internal auditor reports directly to the AC and would also report administratively to the CEO. In addition, the internal auditor has unfettered access to all the Company’s documents, records, properties and personnel, including access to the AC.

To ensure the adequacy of the internal audit function, the AC reviews and approves the yearly internal audit plan before the commencement of an internal audit. PwC carries out the internal audit of all the subsidiaries in the Group. The AC will assess and ensure that the internal auditor meets or exceeds the standards set by recognised professional bodies including the Standards for the Professional Practice of Internal Auditing set by the Institute of Internal Auditors. The internal auditor provides adequate staff with relevant experience to conduct the internal audits.

The objective of internal audit review is to assist Management in evaluating and testing the effectiveness of internal controls that are in place. The internal audit review is conducted with a view to identifying control gaps in the current business processes, ensuring that operations are conducted within the policies and procedures laid down and identifying areas for improvements where controls can be strengthened. Internal audit reports are prepared to update the AC on the progress of all audits carried out, the recommendations accepted by Management, and to track the status of outstanding matters and remedial actions taken to date.

The AC, on an annual basis, will address the adequacy and the effectiveness of the internal audit function by examining the internal auditor’s scope of work and its independence, as well as the internal auditor’s reports.

## ***Whistle-blowing Framework***

The Company has in place a whistle-blowing framework which provides well-defined and accessible channels in the Group through which employees of the Group may raise concerns, in confidence, on improper conduct or other matters to Management and/or the AC Chairman, where applicable. Details of this policy have been disseminated and contact details of the AC Chairman are made available to all employees of the Group. The AC oversees the administration of the policy and ensures that all concerns or complaints raised are independently investigated and appropriate follow-up actions are carried out.

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## Key Audit Matters

In its review of the financial statements of the Group for FY2019, the AC considered a number of significant matters and discussed with Management the accounting principles that were applied and their judgement of items that might affect the financial statements and also considered the clarity of key disclosures in the financial statements. The AC also met with the external auditors to discuss the audit findings as well as their audit.

During the audit of the financial statements for FY2019, one key audit matter (“KAM”) was reported by the external auditors and is set out on page 60 of this Annual Report. The AC’s commentaries on the reported KAM are set out below.

KAM	Audit Committee’s Comments
Valuation of investment in subsidiaries, receivables from subsidiaries, and property, plant and equipment (“PPE”)	<p>The AC reviewed Management’s impairment assessment which used the higher of (i) value in use (“VIU”) considering appropriate revenue growth rate, gross profit margin, terminal value (for investment in subsidiaries and receivables from subsidiaries) and discount rate or (ii) fair value less cost to sell (“FVLCTS”), determined by independent external valuers.</p> <p>The AC also considered the findings of the external auditors, including their assessment of the independence and competency of valuers, reasonableness of key assumptions used and appropriateness of the valuation methods under the FVLCTS approach as well as the appropriateness of the methodology, key assumptions, discount rate and growth rates used in the VIU calculations.</p> <p>The AC was satisfied with Management’s conclusion that no impairment is required for the Group’s investment in subsidiaries and PPE. As certain subsidiaries continued to face challenges in their operations and/or have not performed up to expectations, the AC concurred with management’s decision to provide additional impairment for receivables from subsidiaries.</p>

## SHAREHOLDER RIGHTS AND ENGAGEMENT

### Principle 11: Shareholders Rights and Conduct of General Meetings

*The company treats all shareholders fairly and equitably in order to enable them to exercise shareholders’ rights and have the opportunity to communicate their views on matters affecting the company. The company gives shareholders a balanced and understandable assessment of its performance, position and prospects.*

The Company supports the Code’s principle to encourage communication with and participation by shareholders. Shareholders are informed of general meetings through notices published in the newspapers, annual reports, circulars sent to them or via SGXNET. The Company’s general meetings are attended by all the Directors.

The Company encourages shareholders’ participation at general meetings and welcomes shareholders to give their constructive views on various matters concerning the Group. When opportunities arise, the Directors will solicit and try to understand the views of shareholders before and/or after general meetings of the Company.

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Each item of special business included in the notice of the meeting is accompanied by an explanation of the effects of the proposed resolution. Separate resolutions are proposed for substantially separate issues at the meeting and shareholders are given the opportunity to raise questions and clarify any issues they may have relating to the resolutions to be passed. The Chairmen of the AC, NC and RC are available at the meeting to answer those questions relating to the work of these committees. All Directors attend the general meetings of shareholders and the Company's external auditor is also present to address queries about the conduct of audit and the preparation and content of the auditors' report. The attendance of Directors for the AGM held on 24 April 2019 is disclosed on page 31.

The Company will prepare detailed AGM minutes, which include relevant comments and the questions received from shareholders relating to the agenda of the meetings, and responses from the Board and Management, if any. Once approved by the Board, these minutes are made available to shareholders upon their written request. The Company does not publish minutes of general meetings of shareholders on its corporate website as contemplated by Provision 11.5 of the Code. There are potential adverse implications for the Company if the minutes of general meetings are published to the public at large (outside the confines of a shareholders' meeting), including the risk of disclosure of sensitive information to the Group's competitors. The Company is of the view that its position is consistent with the intent of Principle 11 as shareholders have a right to attend general meetings either in person or by proxy, where they may exercise their right to speak and vote and have the opportunity to communicate their views on various matters affecting the Company. Further, as mentioned above, these minutes are made available to shareholders upon their written request, in accordance with the Companies Act. The Company is therefore of the view that, consistent with the intent of Principle 11, as between themselves, shareholders are treated fairly and equitably by the Company.

The Company commenced the voting of all its resolutions by poll at the Extraordinary General Meeting ("EGM") held on 16 October 2014 and has since conducted the voting of all its resolutions by poll in all its subsequent AGMs and EGMs. Rules are explained to shareholders, including the poll voting procedures in general meetings. The voting results of all votes cast for, or against, each resolution will be announced at the meeting and also on SGXNET after the meeting. Electronic polling may be considered in the near future.

The Company's Constitution allows (i) each shareholder who is not a relevant intermediary (as defined in the Companies Act) the right to appoint up to two (2) proxies and (ii) each shareholder who is a relevant intermediary to appoint more than two (2) proxies to attend and vote on their behalf in shareholders' meetings. An investor who holds shares under the Central Provident Fund Investment Scheme ("CPF Investor") and/or the Supplementary Retirement Scheme ("SRS Investors") (as may be applicable) may attend and cast his vote(s) at the general meetings in person. CPF and SRS Investors who are unable to attend the general meetings but would like to vote, may inform their CPF and/or SRS Approved Nominees to appoint the Chairman of the general meetings to act as their proxy, in which case, the CPF and SRS Investors shall be precluded from attending the general meetings. Proxies need not be a shareholder of the Company. The Company does not permit voting in absentia by mail, facsimile or e-mail due to the difficulty in verifying and ensuring authenticity of the vote.

The Company will review its Constitution from time to time and make such amendments to the Constitution to be in line with the applicable requirements or rules and regulations governing the continuing listing obligations in the Listing Manual of SGX-ST.

The Company has in place a dividend policy of declaring and proposing at least 50% of its profit after income tax attributable to the owners of the Company as dividends, unless:

- (i) any reinvestment of the profit for capital expenditure, expansion or diversification purposes is more than 50% of the profit;
- (ii) there is insufficient profit at the Company level; or



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- (iii) there are insufficient funds at the Company level to pay for the dividends, under which conditions, any proposed dividends will be decided by the Board taking into account the above conditions.

Two (2) interim dividends have been declared and paid during the year. The Company has proposed a final dividend of 1.0 cent per ordinary share for FY2019, subject to the shareholders' approval at the forthcoming AGM.

## **Principle 12: Engagement with Shareholders**

*The company communicates regularly with its shareholders and facilitates the participation of shareholders during general meetings and other dialogues to allow shareholders to communicate their views on various matters affecting the company.*

The Company engages in regular, effective and fair communication with shareholders through announcements released to SGX-ST via SGXNET, annual reports and circulars prepared and made available on the Company's corporate website and advertisements of notice of shareholders' meetings published in the local newspapers. Announcements released on the SGXNET include the quarterly, half yearly and full year results, material transactions and other developments relating to the Group which require disclosure under the corporate disclosure policy of SGX-ST. On 7 February 2020, the SGX-ST's rule on risk-based quarterly reporting came into effect, whereby listed companies may, unless otherwise required by the SGX-ST, report their results semi-annually. Following this, the Company will, unless otherwise required by the SGX-ST, report its results semi-annually. The Company also maintains a website at [www.fuyucorp.com](http://www.fuyucorp.com) where the public can access both business and financial information of the Group. All shareholders of the Company will receive the notice of AGM, proxy form and request form to request for hard copies of the Annual Report and/or the Letter to Shareholders.

The CEO oversees and leads the Company's Investor Relations ("IR") activities. He is supported by the CFO and external IR consultants engaged by the Company to reinforce its communications and interactions with shareholders and investors. The IR contact information (email address and telephone number) is provided in the annual reports, announcements and company website. Shareholders and investors can send their enquiries to the Company's IR consultants who can be reached by email or telephone.

To better understand the views of shareholders and investors, the Company holds regular briefings for the investment community in conjunction with the release of the Group's financial results to discuss the Group's performance and developments and promote better appreciation of the Group's business. The Company also participates in investor roadshows organised by third parties, such as stockbroking companies, from time to time.

## **MANAGING STAKEHOLDERS RELATIONSHIPS**

### **Principle 13: Engagement with Stakeholders**

*The Board adopts an inclusive approach by considering and balancing the needs and interests of material stakeholders, as part of its overall responsibility to ensure that the best interests of the company are served.*

The Board recognises that to ensure that business is sustainable, the Group has to strike a balance between its business needs and the needs of the society and the environment in which the Group operates. The Board believes that to grow sustainably as a forward-looking corporate entity, the Group has to regularly reach out to all stakeholders, from its employees to the community, and to be responsible stewards of its natural environment. The Company has prepared and issued its sustainability report in compliance with Rules 711A and 711B of SGX-ST Listing Manual. For more information on the Company's stakeholder engagement, please refer to the Company's sustainability report.

The Company's current corporate website, [www.fuyucorp.com](http://www.fuyucorp.com), also serves as an avenue through which the Company may communicate and engage with stakeholders.

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## DEALINGS IN SECURITIES

The Company has complied with Rule 1207(19) of the SGX-ST Listing Manual in relation to the best practices on dealings in the securities:

- (a) the Company had devised and adopted its own internal compliance code governing securities transactions by the Company, Directors, officers and employees of the Group;
- (b) Directors, officers and employees of the Company not to deal in the Company's securities on short-term considerations; and
- (c) the Company, Directors, officers and employees of the Group must not deal in the Company's securities (i) during the periods commencing two weeks before the announcement of the Company's financial results for each of the first three quarters of its financial year, and one month before the announcement of the Company's full year financial statements, or one month before the announcement of the Company's half year and full year financial statements, as the case may be, and ending on the date of the announcement of the relevant results, and (ii) if they are in possession of unpublished price-sensitive information of the Group.

The Company issues quarterly reminders to its Directors, officers and employees on such restrictions on dealings in listed securities of the Group. They are also reminded to observe insider trading laws at all times even when dealing in securities within permitted trading period.

## INTERESTED PERSON TRANSACTIONS

The SGX-ST requires listed companies to comply with Chapter 9 of the Listing Manual of SGX-ST on interested person transactions. The Company monitors all its interested person transactions closely and all interested person transactions, if any, are subject to review by the AC.

There were no interested person transactions for the year ended 31 December 2019.

## MATERIAL CONTRACTS

There were no material contracts entered into by the Company and/or its subsidiaries with the Directors, CEO or controlling shareholders of the Company which were still subsisting at the end of the financial year under review, or if not subsisting, entered into since the end of the previous financial year.

# RISK MANAGEMENT REPORT

## INTRODUCTION

The Board of Directors (the “Board”) and Management of Fu Yu Corporation Limited (the “Company” or “Fu Yu”) recognise the importance of an integrated enterprise-wide perspective of risk management practices. In Fu Yu, the Audit Committee (“AC”) was delegated the role of assisting the Board in its risk management function.

## RISK MANAGEMENT PROCESS

The AC with the assistance of management, internal and external auditors, reviews and reports to the Board annually on the adequacy and effectiveness of the Group’s internal controls, including financial, operational, compliance and information technology controls, established by the Management. In addition, the Board with the assistance of the AC reviews and oversees the design, implementation and monitoring of the risk management and internal control systems.

To facilitate the reporting and monitoring of risk, the AC has endorsed the use of a dashboard risk assessment template, a common platform which enables operating divisions within the Group to report risk and risk status in a consistent and cohesive manner. The AC shall then be provided relevant reports disclosing the risk status of the Group.

The dashboard risk assessment template captures risks and the gross risk ratings based on likelihood of occurrence and magnitude of impact parameters, mitigating measures and/or internal controls with the resulting residual risk ratings, as well as the risk owners and their assessment of the mitigating measures. These dashboard risk assessment templates are then consolidated and reviewed at the senior management level before they are presented to the AC for review.

## KEY RISKS IDENTIFIED BY THE MANAGEMENT

### ECONOMIC RISK

The global and regional economic uncertainties, rising trend in trade protectionism, coupled with increases in commodity prices and employment wages, have resulted in a more challenging operating environment.

Through ongoing expansion and diversification of its customer base, Management aims to minimise the impact of economic downturns and the concentration of the Group’s business on any particular geographical region. The Group also invests continuously in automation to reduce reliance on labour.

### COMPETITION RISK

New market entrants, growth of existing players and price competition are constant threats faced by the Group.

With over 40 years of operating history, Fu Yu has established a reputation as a quality preferred supplier. The Group also offers one-stop solution to its customers from design, tooling, moulding, manufacturing, secondary processes to sub-assembly. This has shortened time-to-market and improved cost efficiency for customers. Furthermore, the Group has a network of strategically-located operating sites in Asia.

# RISK MANAGEMENT REPORT

## **PORTFOLIO RISK**

The Group is recognised for its capability in printing and imaging products. While it maintains keen interest in this segment, it is also part of the Group's strategic intent to minimise revenue concentration and diversify its revenue base by targeting sectors with greater stability and longer product life cycles.

Leveraging on its technology capabilities and competencies, the Group has increased its footprint in consumer, medical and automotive segments, thereby reducing the revenue concentration in printing and imaging segment from 50% in FY2011 to 26% in FY2019.

The Management continues its effort to balance the portfolio with higher profit margin products and broaden revenue sources as well as positions the Group in market segments with higher growth potential such as medical, automotive, eco-friendly, smart home consumer products and 3D printers. By keeping abreast of customers' developments and market trends, the Group continues to expand its business with existing customers, and secure new customers in target market segments.

## **CUSTOMERS' CREDIT RISK**

Fu Yu offers unsecured credit terms to its customers during the ordinary course of business. There are uncertainties over the timeliness of customers' payments and their ability to pay. Long outstanding debts will affect the Group's cash flow while a material increase in bad and doubtful debts will adversely affect its financial performance.

The Group has a credit management policy to manage the exposure from the approval of credit terms and limits to the ongoing reviews of all outstanding receivables. Furthermore, the majority of the Group's customers are multinational companies with good credit standings.

## **FINANCIAL RISK – FLUCTUATIONS IN FOREIGN CURRENCY EXCHANGE RATES**

The Group has key business operations in Singapore, Malaysia and China with Singapore Dollars ("SGD") as its reporting currency. The Group is exposed to foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations on its revenue, purchases and cash and cash equivalents that are denominated in currencies other than the respective functional currencies of the Group entities. The currency that poses this risk is primarily the US Dollar ("USD") as it constitutes a significant portion of the trade transactions in the Group.

The foreign currency exchange rate risk is partially managed through a natural hedge between the revenue and the purchases in the same currency, the USD. The remaining unhedged portion is usually surplus funds which will be converted to the required currencies when the need arises. The Group keeps close watch on the USD exchange rate movements and actively reviews its cash flow forecast and requirement.

## **FINANCIAL RISK – LIQUIDITY AND CASH FLOW**

Insufficient liquidity and cash flow is detrimental to a company as the inability to meet short term financial demands will affect the business as a going concern.

The Group manages its working capital through preparation of cash flow forecast, assessment of customers' creditworthiness, prompt follow ups on overdue and slow paying customers, reviews of inventory holding, maintain cordial relationships with suppliers, as well as obtaining short term credit facilities from the banks. A certain level of cash and cash equivalents deemed adequate by Management is maintained to finance the Group's operations and to mitigate the effects of fluctuations in cash flows.

# RISK MANAGEMENT REPORT

## INFRASTRUCTURE RISK

Infrastructure risk refers to the political stability and the level of infrastructural support (for example, reliable supply of utility, transportation network, etc.) at the various sites the Group operates.

The Management continuously monitors the political situations in Singapore, Malaysia and China where it has manufacturing plants. Before setting up any new plant, the Group will perform thorough due diligence on the local conditions of the prospective site.

A consistent supply of high-quality power is crucial for our machine operations. The Group has established business continuity plans to handle unwarranted situations like power outage. Through strong relationships with both the power suppliers and customers, important information obtained from the power suppliers is shared with the customers and the Group works closely together with customers on the next available course of actions as well as provides updates regularly.

## INVESTMENT RISK

To compete with its peers in the industry, the Group must equip itself with the relevant skills, technologies, machinery and equipment. Having inappropriate assets will not only lead to excess capacity, but also impairment of investment or fixed assets.

The Group has established a Capital Expenditure (“CAPEX”) policy whereby revenue and cash flow forecasts are prepared and reviewed prior to CAPEX commitment. Management also invests in more versatile machinery which can be deployed to other locations when necessary. In addition, there is continuous effort within the Group to maximise the utilisation of fixed assets rendered redundant from other projects/plants, if any.

## MANUFACTURING DOWNTIME RISK

Manufacturing downtimes can occur in the unlikely events of a fire, workers on strikes, machinery breakdowns, etc., resulting in production and delivery delays as well as reputational damages to the Group.

Other than adequate fire insurance coverage on the Group’s assets, preventive measures are also implemented to mitigate the risk. The Fire Prevention procedures have been established to prevent fire occurrence. Coupled with proper working instructions for hot works and regular fire drills to train employees for emergency situations, the Group aims to minimise any fire hazards and the impact on business operations.

The Group has also maintained a good tripartite relationship with the unions and workers.

To mitigate the risks of machine breakdowns, all operating sites have their respective in-house maintenance teams to perform scheduled maintenance works and ad-hoc repairs. Monthly, quarterly and annual maintenance programs are in place to keep the machinery at optimal level of performance.

# RISK MANAGEMENT REPORT

## **ENVIRONMENTAL, COMPLIANCE AND REGULATORY RISK**

The Group operates in three countries across eight locations with different legislations and regulations in the aspects of permits and licences, health and safety, waste disposal and treatment, etc. Violations of rules may result in penalties and fines as well as manufacturing downtimes.

The respective management team monitors its local legislative and regulatory requirements closely on an ongoing basis. Potential changes with moderate to high impact on the business are brought to the attention of the senior management at the Group's headquarters in Singapore. Necessary certifications and licenses are obtained and renewed on a timely basis to ensure compliance.

With the increased awareness of how business activities impact on the environment, the Group not only has to comply to regulatory requirements, but also the stringent requests imposed by its customers' sustainability policy. The Group's operating sites are ISO14001:2015.

## **HUMAN CAPITAL RISK**

The Group recognises that employees are its most valuable asset. The key human capital risks include the attraction and retention of talents, availability of manpower to meet its operational needs and succession planning.

To mitigate talent and skills shortage, the Group conducts periodic review of its remuneration packages and rewards employees fairly based on their abilities, work performance, contributions and experience. The Group is supportive of work-life balance and also provides training and personal development opportunities to employees based on their strengths and needs.

In addition, critical knowledge of the existing workflows and processes are recorded and transferred to the incoming job holders to reduce dependency on key persons. Succession planning is also put in place to recruit and develop our employees to fill key business leadership positions in the Group.

## **TECHNOLOGY RISK**

Technology risk is any potential for technology failures that could disrupt the business such as information security incidents or service outages (for example, operational problems like hardware and software failure, human error, spam, viruses and malicious attacks, as well as natural disasters such as fires or floods, etc.) at the various sites the Group operates. A security incident may result in theft of customer data resulting in legal liability, reputational damage and compliance issues.

We have an in-house IT team based in Singapore to oversee the IT needs of the Group and each site is also supported by local IT personnel or external suppliers. Together, they monitor the health of our IT infrastructure on an ongoing basis. Our IT software and hardware are updated regularly for optimal management of potential cyber risks and to ensure our systems remain reliable, effective and secured. In addition, we back up our data and conduct routine checks to ensure our IT systems can be recovered swiftly when the need arises. Staff are constantly reminded to practise proper cyber discipline and behavior to ensure online security.



# DIRECTORS' STATEMENT

We are pleased to submit this annual statement to the members together with the audited financial statements of Fu Yu Corporation Limited (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (collectively, the "Group") for the financial year ended 31 December 2019.

In our opinion:

- (a) the financial statements set out on pages 63 to 132 are drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of the consolidated financial position of the Group and the financial position of the Company as at 31 December 2019 and the consolidated financial performance, consolidated changes in equity and consolidated cash flows of the Group for the year ended on that date in accordance with the provisions of the Singapore Companies Act, Chapter 50 (the "Act") and Singapore Financial Reporting Standards (International); and
- (b) at the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

The Board of Directors has, on the date of this statement, authorised these financial statements for issue.

## DIRECTORS

The directors in office at the date of this statement are as follows:

Ching Heng Yang  
 Tam Wai  
 Ho Nee Kit  
 Hew Lien Lee  
 John Chen Seow Phun  
 Tan Yew Beng  
 Foo Say Tun

## DIRECTORS' INTERESTS

According to the Register of Director's Shareholdings kept by the Company pursuant to Section 164 of the Act, particulars of interests of directors who held office at the end of the financial year (including those held by their spouses and infant children) in shares, debentures, warrants and share options in the Company and in related corporations (other than wholly-owned subsidiaries) are as follows:

<b>Name of director and corporation in which interests are held</b>	<b>Holdings at beginning of the year</b>	<b>Holdings at end of the year</b>
<b>Ching Heng Yang</b>		
Fu Yu Corporation Limited		
– ordinary shares		
– interest held	88,965,475	88,965,475
 LCTH Corporation Sdn. Bhd.		
– ordinary shares of RM0.20 each		
– deemed interests	254,295,643	254,295,643

## DIRECTORS' STATEMENT

Name of director and corporation in which interests are held	Holdings at beginning of the year	Holdings at end of the year
<b>Tam Wai</b>		
Fu Yu Corporation Limited		
– ordinary shares		
– interest held	96,715,475	96,715,475
– deemed interests	300,000	300,000
LCTH Corporation Sdn. Bhd.		
– ordinary shares of RM0.20 each		
– deemed interests	254,295,643	254,295,643
<b>Ho Nee Kit</b>		
Fu Yu Corporation Limited		
– ordinary shares		
– interest held	96,999,225	96,999,225
LCTH Corporation Sdn. Bhd.		
– ordinary shares of RM0.20 each		
– deemed interests	254,295,643	254,295,643
<b>Tan Yew Beng</b>		
Fu Yu Corporation Limited		
– ordinary shares		
– interest held	2,562,500	2,562,500
<b>Hew Lien Lee</b>		
Fu Yu Corporation Limited		
– ordinary shares		
– interest held	8,100,000	8,100,000
<b>John Chen Seow Phun</b>		
Fu Yu Corporation Limited		
– ordinary shares		
– interest held	1,000,000	1,000,000

By virtue of Section 7 of the Act, Ching Heng Yang, Tam Wai and Ho Nee Kit are deemed to have interests in shares of the subsidiaries of the Company, at the beginning and at the end of the financial year.

Except as disclosed in this statement, no director who held office at the end of the financial year had interests in shares, debentures, warrants or share options of the Company, or of related corporations, either at the beginning or at the end of the financial year.

There were no changes in any of the above-mentioned directors' interests in the Company between the end of the financial year and 21 January 2020.

Neither at the end of, nor at any time during the financial year, was the Company a party to any arrangement whose objects are, or one of whose objects is, 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.

# DIRECTORS' STATEMENT

## SHARE OPTIONS

During the financial year, there were:

- (i) no options granted by the Company to any person to take up unissued shares in the Company; and
- (ii) no shares issued by virtue of any exercise of option to take up unissued shares of the Company.

As at the end of the financial year, there were no unissued shares of the Company under option.

## AUDIT COMMITTEE

The members of the Audit Committee during the year and at the date of this statement are:

John Chen Seow Phun (Chairman), Independent Non-Executive Director  
 Tan Yew Beng, Independent Non-Executive Director  
 Foo Say Tun, Independent Non-Executive Director

The Audit Committee performs the functions specified in Section 201B(5) of the Act, the SGX Listing Manual and the Code of Corporate Governance.

The Audit Committee has held four (4) meetings during the financial year. In performing its functions, the Audit Committee met with the Company's external and internal auditors to discuss the scope of their work, the results of their examination and evaluation of the Company's internal accounting control system.

The Audit Committee also reviewed the following:

- assistance provided by the Company's officers to the external and internal auditors;
- quarterly financial information and annual financial statements of the Group and the Company prior to their submission to the directors of the Company for adoption;
- interested person transactions (as defined in Chapter 9 of the SGX Listing Manual); and
- the audit plan of the Group's external auditor and its findings arising from the statutory audit.

The Audit Committee has full access to management and is given the resources required for it to discharge its functions. It has full authority and the discretion to invite any director or executive officer to attend its meetings. The Audit Committee also recommends the appointment of the external auditors and reviews the level of audit and non-audit fees.

The Audit Committee is satisfied with the independence and objectivity of the external auditors and has recommended to the Board of Directors that the auditors, KPMG LLP, be nominated for re-appointment as auditors at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting of the Company.

In appointing our auditors for the Company, subsidiaries and a joint venture, we have complied with Rules 712 and 715 of the SGX Listing Manual.

Further details of the Audit Committee are disclosed in the Corporate Governance Report.

# DIRECTORS' STATEMENT

## AUDITORS

The auditors, KPMG LLP, have indicated their willingness to accept re-appointment.

On behalf of the Board of Directors

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**Tam Wai**  
*Director*

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**Ho Nee Kit**  
*Director*

27 March 2020

# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

**Members of the Company**  
**Fu Yu Corporation Limited**

## REPORT ON THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Fu Yu Corporation Limited (the Company) and its subsidiaries (the Group), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position of the Group and the statement of financial position of the Company as at 31 December 2019, and the consolidated income statement, consolidated statement of comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated statement of cash flows of the Group for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, as set out on pages 63 to 132.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements of the Group and the statement of financial position of the Company are properly drawn up in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, Chapter 50 (the Act) and Singapore Financial Reporting Standards (International) (SFRS(I)s) so as to give a true and fair view of the consolidated financial position of the Group and the financial position of the Company as at 31 December 2019 and of the consolidated financial performance, consolidated changes in equity and consolidated cash flows of the Group for the year ended on that date.

### Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Singapore Standards on Auditing (SSAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the '*Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements*' section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the Accounting and Corporate Regulatory Authority *Code of Professional Conduct and Ethics for Public Accountants and Accounting Entities* (ACRA Code) together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Singapore, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the ACRA 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 financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

<b>Valuation of investment in subsidiaries, receivables from subsidiaries and property, plant and equipment</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Property, plant and equipment (refer to Note 4 to the financial statements)</b></li> <li>• <b>Investment in and receivables from subsidiaries (refer to Note 6 to the financial statements)</b></li> </ul>	
<i>The key audit matter</i>	<i>How the matter was addressed in our audit</i>
<p>During the financial year, certain operations of the Group in China continued to incur operating losses whereas some other parts of the Group's business saw improvement in financial performance. Accordingly, there is a need for the Group to reassess whether there are impairment indicators and where applicable, to assess the recoverable amount of the non-financial assets (including property, plant and equipment, investment in subsidiaries and receivables from subsidiaries) and determine if any impairment loss should be recognised or reversed.</p> <p>The impairment assessment exercise and the estimation of the recoverable amount is highly subjective and involves significant management's judgement.</p> <p>For each cash generating unit (CGU) where management had assessed that there are impairment indicators as at 31 December 2019, management has estimated the recoverable amount of each CGU based on the higher of (i) value in use (VIU) considering appropriate revenue growth rate, gross profit margin, terminal value (for investment in subsidiaries and receivables from subsidiaries) and discount rate or (ii) fair value less cost to sell, determined by independent external valuers.</p>	<p>We reviewed management's assessment of impairment indicators and the appropriateness of management's determination of CGU.</p> <p>For recoverable amounts measured based on VIU, our audit procedures included obtaining an understanding of the Group's budgeting process upon which the forecasts are based, and assessment of management's key assumptions used, including the projected revenue growth rate, projected gross profit margin, terminal value and discount rates. We compared the key assumptions used to external market data, where available, and historical performance achieved by the CGUs. We also performed stress testing on key assumptions to evaluate the sensitivity of the outcomes, taking into account the downside scenarios against reasonably plausible changes to the key assumptions.</p> <p>For recoverable amounts measured based on fair value less cost to sell, we evaluated the appropriateness of the valuation methods used by comparing to general market practices. We also assessed the valuers' estimate of fair value less cost to sell by independently corroborating to externally derived data of recent transacted asset sales.</p>
<p><i>Findings</i></p> <p>The estimates used by management to determine recoverable amounts measured based on VIU were balanced.</p> <p>The valuation methodologies used by independent external valuers to determine fair value less cost to sell were in line with generally accepted market practices and the key assumptions used were within the range of market data.</p>	

## Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information contained in the annual report. Other information is defined as all information in the annual report other than the financial statements and our auditors' report thereon.

We have obtained all other information prior to the date of this auditors' report.

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

# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, 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 management and directors for the financial statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with the provisions of the Act and SFRS(I)s, and for devising and maintaining a system of internal accounting controls sufficient to provide a reasonable assurance that assets are safeguarded against loss from unauthorised use or disposition; and transactions are properly authorised and that they are recorded as necessary to permit the preparation of true and fair financial statements and to maintain accountability of assets.

In preparing the financial statements, management is 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 management either intends to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The directors' responsibilities include overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

## **Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SSAs 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 financial statements.

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

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the 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 controls.
- Obtain an understanding of internal controls 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 controls.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's 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 auditors' report to the related disclosures in the 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 auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.



# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the 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 directors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal controls that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the directors 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 directors, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditors' report unless the law or regulations preclude 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.

## REPORT ON OTHER LEGAL AND REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

In our opinion, the accounting and other records required by the Act to be kept by the Company and by those subsidiary corporations incorporated in Singapore of which we are the auditors have been properly kept in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditors' report is Kum Chew Foong.

### **KPMG LLP**

*Public Accountants and  
Chartered Accountants*

### **Singapore**

27 March 2020

# STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 31 December 2019

	Note	Group		Company	
		2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
<b>Non-current assets</b>					
Property, plant and equipment	4	54,040	44,810	18,995	12,019
Investment property	5	7,855	8,043	–	–
Subsidiaries	6	–	–	20,408	20,631
Other receivables	10	–	–	27,111	27,724
Joint venture	7	497	705	–	–
Deferred tax assets	8	178	772	–	–
		62,570	54,330	66,514	60,374
<b>Current assets</b>					
Inventories	9	16,373	16,946	3,410	2,703
Contract assets	18	1,722	2,353	572	923
Trade and other receivables	10	49,954	54,026	11,478	16,286
Tax recoverable		3	24	–	–
Short term investments	12	–	3,596	–	–
Cash and cash equivalents	13	88,455	80,310	50,566	44,400
		156,507	157,255	66,026	64,312
<b>Total assets</b>		219,077	211,585	132,540	124,686
<b>Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company</b>					
Share capital	14	102,158	102,158	102,158	102,158
Reserves	15	61,476	61,963	14,417	12,612
<b>Total equity</b>		163,634	164,121	116,575	114,770
<b>Non-current liabilities</b>					
Lease liabilities	17	7,254	–	5,628	–
Deferred tax liabilities	8	1,538	953	624	859
		8,792	953	6,252	859
<b>Current liabilities</b>					
Trade and other payables	16	40,918	43,029	8,513	8,181
Contract liabilities	18	717	581	131	191
Lease liabilities	17	2,142	–	162	–
Tax payable		2,874	2,901	907	685
		46,651	46,511	9,713	9,057
<b>Total liabilities</b>		55,443	47,464	15,965	9,916
<b>Total equity and liabilities</b>		219,077	211,585	132,540	124,686

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

# CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

Year ended 31 December 2019

	<b>Note</b>	<b>2019</b> <b>\$'000</b>	<b>2018</b> <b>\$'000</b>
Revenue	18	194,128	197,687
Cost of sales		(155,901)	(162,409)
<b>Gross profit</b>		38,227	35,278
Other income	19	7,142	7,720
Selling and administrative expenses		(27,571)	(27,433)
Other operating (expenses)/income, net	20	(926)	1,231
Impairment loss of trade receivables and contract assets		(10)	(75)
Results from operating activities		16,862	16,721
Finance costs	21	(450)	–
Share of loss of joint venture (net of tax)	7	(207)	(798)
<b>Profit before income tax</b>	22	16,205	15,923
Tax expense	23	(3,515)	(3,726)
<b>Profit for the year</b>		12,690	12,197
<b>Profit for the year attributable to:</b>			
Owners of the Company		12,690	11,885
Non-controlling interests		–	312
<b>Profit for the year</b>		12,690	12,197
<b>Earnings per share</b>			
Basic and diluted earnings per share	24	1.69 cents	1.58 cents

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

Year ended 31 December 2019

	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
	<b>\$'000</b>	<b>\$'000</b>
Profit for the year	12,690	12,197
Other comprehensive income		
<i>Items that are or may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:</i>		
Foreign currency translation differences for foreign operations	(1,185)	(251)
Exchange differences realised on liquidation of subsidiary reclassified to profit or loss	56	–
<b>Other comprehensive income for the year (net of tax)</b>	<b>(1,129)</b>	<b>(251)</b>
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>	<b>11,561</b>	<b>11,946</b>
<b>Total comprehensive income attributable to:</b>		
Owners of the Company	11,561	11,088
Non-controlling interests	–	858
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>	<b>11,561</b>	<b>11,946</b>

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

Year ended 31 December 2019

Note	Share capital \$'000	Capital reserve \$'000	Statutory reserve \$'000	Revaluation reserve \$'000	Foreign currency translation reserve \$'000	Retained earnings \$'000	Total attributable to equity holders of the Company \$'000		Non-controlling interests \$'000	Total equity \$'000
							Company \$'000	Non-controlling interests \$'000		
At 1 January 2018	102,158	140	7,997	789	(14,672)	68,896	165,308	20,186	185,494	
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>										
Profit for the year	-	-	-	-	-	11,885	11,885	312	12,197	
<b>Other comprehensive income</b>										
Foreign currency translation differences	-	-	-	-	(797)	-	(797)	546	(251)	
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	-	-	(797)	11,885	11,088	858	11,946	
<b>Transaction with owners, recognised directly in equity</b>										
<b>Contributions by and distributions to owners</b>										
Dividends paid to owners of the Company	-	-	-	-	-	(12,048)	(12,048)	-	(12,048)	
Selective capital reduction	-	-	-	-	-	(20,716)	(20,716)	-	(20,716)	
Payment of transaction cost related to selective capital reduction	-	(555)	-	-	-	-	(555)	-	(555)	
Acquisition of subsidiary with non-controlling interests	-	-	-	-	(6,420)	27,464	21,044	(21,044)	-	
Total transactions with owners	-	(555)	-	-	(6,420)	(5,300)	(12,275)	(21,044)	(33,319)	
<b>Transfers between reserves</b>										
Transfers to statutory reserve	-	-	483	-	-	(483)	-	-	-	
At 31 December 2018	102,158	(415)	8,480	789	(21,889)	74,998	164,121	-	164,121	

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# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

Year ended 31 December 2019

Note	Share capital \$'000	Capital reserve \$'000	Statutory reserve \$'000	Revaluation reserve \$'000	Foreign currency translation reserve \$'000	Retained earnings \$'000	Total equity \$'000
At 1 January 2019	102,158	(415)	8,480	789	(21,889)	74,998	164,121
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>							
Profit for the year	-	-	-	-	-	12,690	12,690
<b>Other comprehensive income</b>							
Foreign currency translation differences	-	-	-	-	(1,129)	-	(1,129)
Exchange differences realised on liquidation of subsidiary reclassified to profit or loss	-	-	-	-	(1,185)	-	(1,185)
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	-	-	56	-	56
	-	-	-	-	(1,129)	12,690	11,561
<b>Transaction with owners, recognised directly in equity</b>							
<b>Contributions by and distributions to owners</b>							
Dividends paid to owners of the Company	-	-	-	-	-	(12,048)	(12,048)
Total transactions with owners	-	-	-	-	-	(12,048)	(12,048)
<b>Transfers between reserves</b>							
Transfers to statutory reserve	-	-	10	-	-	(10)	-
At 31 December 2019	102,158	(415)	8,490	789	(23,018)	75,630	163,634

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# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

Year ended 31 December 2019

	Note	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>			
Profit before income tax		16,205	15,923
Adjustments for:			
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment and investment property	4, 5	11,651	6,987
Reversal of impairment loss on property, plant and equipment	4	(186)	–
Loss on liquidation of a subsidiary	20	60	–
Finance costs	21	450	–
Interest income	19	(1,698)	(1,604)
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	19	(277)	(899)
Property, plant and equipment written off	20	307	22
Share of loss of joint venture (net of tax)	7	207	798
Unrealised foreign exchange loss		257	1,066
		26,976	22,293
Changes in working capital:			
Inventories		317	387
Trade and other receivables		3,111	3,836
Contract assets		602	1,035
Trade and other payables		(1,537)	(1,438)
Contract liabilities		151	(727)
Cash generated from operating activities		29,620	25,386
Tax paid		(2,300)	(2,099)
<b>Net cash from operating activities</b>		27,320	23,287
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>			
Interest income received		1,698	1,604
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment		301	1,038
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(7,283)	(7,229)
Withdrawal/(Placement) of short term investments		3,592	(276)
<b>Net cash used in investing activities</b>		(1,692)	(4,863)
<b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>			
Repayment of lease liabilities		(5,008)	–
Dividends paid to owners of the Company	29	(12,048)	(12,048)
Consideration paid for selective capital reduction	30	–	(20,716)
Payment of transaction cost related to selective capital reduction	30	–	(555)
Deposits pledged		(100)	(102)
<b>Net cash used in financing activities</b>		(17,156)	(33,421)
<b>Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents</b>		8,472	(14,997)
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January		77,018	92,252
Effect of exchange rate fluctuations on cash held		(422)	(237)
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December</b>	13	85,068	77,018

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.



# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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These notes form an integral part of the financial statements.

The financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 27 March 2020.

## 1 DOMICILE AND ACTIVITIES

Fu Yu Corporation Limited (the Company) is incorporated in the Republic of Singapore and has its registered office at 8 Tuas Drive 1, Singapore 638675. The Company is listed on the Singapore Exchange.

The principal activities of the Company are those of manufacturing and sub-assembly of precision plastic parts and components, fabrication of precision moulds and dies and investment holding. The principal activities of the Company's subsidiaries consist of manufacturing and sub-assembly of precision plastic parts and components, fabrication of precision moulds and dies, trading, provision of management services and investment holding.

The consolidated financial statements relate to the Company and its subsidiaries and the Group's interests in a joint venture.

## 2 BASIS OF PREPARATION

### 2.1 Statement of compliance

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Singapore Financial Reporting Standards (International) (SFRS(I)).

This is the first set of the Group's annual financial statements in which SFRS(I) 16 *Leases* has been applied. The related changes to significant accounting policies are described in Note 2.5.

### 2.2 Basis of measurement

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis except for certain financial assets and liabilities which are measured at fair value or amortised cost.

### 2.3 Functional and presentation currency

These financial statements are presented in Singapore dollars, which is the Company's functional currency. All financial information presented in Singapore dollars has been rounded to the nearest thousand, unless otherwise stated.

### 2.4 Use of estimates and judgements

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with SFRS(I) requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

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## 2 BASIS OF PREPARATION (CONT'D)

### 2.4 Use of estimates and judgements (cont'd)

Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimates are revised and in any future periods affected.

Information about significant areas of estimation uncertainties that have a significant risk of resulting in a material adjustment within the next financial year are included in the following notes:

- Note 4 – measurement of recoverable amounts of property, plant and equipment
- Notes 6 and 11 – recoverability of investments in and amounts due from subsidiaries
- Notes 10 and 26 – measurement of expected credit losses (ECL) allowance for trade and other receivables, and contract assets

Information about critical judgements in applying accounting policies that have the most significant effect on the amount recognised in the financial statements is included in the following notes:

- Note 5 – classification of investment property
- Note 18 – revenue recognition: whether revenue from tooling contracts is recognised over time or at a point in time

#### Measurement of fair values

A number of the Group's accounting policies and disclosures require the measurement of fair values, for both financial and non-financial assets and liabilities.

When measuring the fair value of an asset or a liability, the Group uses observable market data as far as possible. Fair values are categorised into different levels in a fair value hierarchy based on the inputs used in the valuation techniques as follows:

- Level 1: quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2: inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices).
- Level 3: inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

If the inputs used to measure the fair value of an asset or a liability fall into different levels of the fair value hierarchy, then the fair value measurement is categorised in its entirety in the same level of the fair value hierarchy as the lowest level input that is significant to the entire measurement (with Level 3 being the lowest).

Further information about the assumptions made in measuring fair values is included in the following notes:

- Note 4 – property, plant and equipment
- Note 5 – investment property
- Note 26 – financial risk management

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## 2 BASIS OF PREPARATION (CONT'D)

### 2.5 Changes in significant accounting policies

#### New standards and amendments

The Group has applied the following SFRS(I)s, amendments to and interpretations of SFRS(I) for the first time for the annual period beginning on 1 January 2019:

- SFRS(I) 16 *Leases*
- SFRS(I) INT 23 *Uncertainty over Income Tax Treatments*
- *Long-term Interests in Associates and Joint Ventures* (Amendments to SFRS(I) 1-28)
- *Borrowing Costs Eligible for Capitalisation* (Amendments to SFRS(I) 1-23)

Other than SFRS(I) 16, the application of these amendments to standards and interpretations does not have a material effect on the financial statements.

#### SFRS(I) 16 *Leases*

The Group applied SFRS(I) 16 using the modified retrospective approach, under which the cumulative effect of initial application is recognised in retained earnings at 1 January 2019. Accordingly, the comparative information presented for 2018 is not restated – i.e. it is presented, as previously reported, under SFRS(I) 1-17 and related interpretations. The details of the changes in accounting policies are disclosed below. Additionally, the disclosure requirements in SFRS(I) 16 have not generally been applied to comparative information.

#### Definition of a lease

Previously, the Group determined at contract inception whether an arrangement was or contained a lease under SFRS(I) INT 4 *Determining whether an Arrangement contains a Lease*. The Group now assesses whether a contract is or contains a lease based on the definition of a lease, as explained in SFRS(I) 16.

On transition to SFRS(I) 16, the Group elected to apply the practical expedient to grandfather the assessment of which transactions are leases. The Group applied SFRS(I) 16 only to contracts that were previously identified as leases. Contracts that were not identified as leases under SFRS(I) 1-17 and SFRS(I) INT 4 were not reassessed for whether there is a lease under SFRS(I) 16. Therefore, the definition of a lease under SFRS(I) 16 was applied only to contracts entered into or changed on or after 1 January 2019.

#### As a lessee

As a lessee, the Group leases many assets including properties and IT equipment. The Group previously classified leases as operating or finance leases based on its assessment of whether the lease transferred significantly all of the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of the underlying asset to the Group. Under SFRS(I) 16, the Group recognises right-of-use assets and lease liabilities for most of these leases – i.e. these leases are on-balance sheet.

At commencement or on modification of a contract that contains a lease component, the Group allocates the consideration in the contract to each lease component on the basis of its relative stand-alone price. However, for leases of property the Group has elected not to separate non-lease components and account for the lease and associated non-lease components as a single lease component.

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## 2 BASIS OF PREPARATION (CONT'D)

### 2.5 Changes in significant accounting policies (cont'd)

#### ***Leases classified as operating leases under SFRS(I) 1-17***

Previously, the Group classified property leases as operating leases under SFRS(I) 1-17. On transition, for these leases, lease liabilities were measured at the present value of the remaining lease payments, discounted at the respective lessee entities' incremental borrowing rates applicable to the leases as at 1 January 2019. Right-of-use assets are measured at an amount equal to the lease liability, adjusted by the amount of any prepaid or accrued lease payments.

The Group has tested its right-of-use assets for impairment on the date of transition and has concluded that there is no indication that the right-of-use assets are impaired.

The Group used a number of practical expedients when applying SFRS(I) 16 to leases previously classified as operating leases under SFRS(I) 1-17. In particular, the Group:

- did not recognise right-of-use assets and liabilities for leases for which the lease term ends within 12 months of the date of initial application;
- did not recognise right-of-use assets and liabilities for leases of low value assets;
- excluded initial direct costs from the measurement of the right-of-use asset at the date of initial application; and
- used hindsight when determining the lease term.

#### **As a lessor**

The Group leases out its investment property and right-of-use asset. The Group has classified these leases as operating leases.

The Group is not required to make any adjustments on transition to SFRS(I) 16 for leases in which it acts as a lessor.

The Group sub-leases some of its properties. Under SFRS(I) 1-17, the head lease and sub-lease contracts were classified as operating leases. On transition to SFRS(I) 16, the right-of-use assets recognised from the head leases are presented in property, plant and equipment under leasehold properties, and measured at fair value at that date. The Group assessed the classification of the sub-lease contracts with reference to the right-of-use asset rather than the underlying asset, and concluded that they are operating leases under SFRS(I) 16.

#### **Impact on financial statements**

##### ***Impact on transition\****

On transition to SFRS(I) 16, the Group recognised additional right-of-use assets and additional lease liabilities of S\$11,054,000 at 1 January 2019.

\* For the impact of SFRS(I) 16 on profit or loss for the period, see Note 31. For the impact of SFRS(I) 16 on segment information, see Note 25. For the details of accounting policies under SFRS(I) 16 and SFRS(I) 1-17, see Note 3.6.

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## 2 BASIS OF PREPARATION (CONT'D)

### 2.5 Changes in significant accounting policies (cont'd)

#### Impact on financial statements (cont'd)

#### *Impact on transition (cont'd)*

When measuring lease liabilities for leases that were classified as operating leases, the Group discounted lease payments using its incremental borrowing rate at 1 January 2019. The weighted-average rates applied range from 3.37% to 6.95% per annum.

	<b>1 January 2019 \$'000</b>
Operating lease commitments disclosed as at 31 December 2018 as disclosed under SFRS(I) 1-17 in the Group's consolidated financial statements	14,136
Discounted using the incremental borrowing rate as at 1 January 2019	11,674
Less: Recognition exemption for leases with less than 12 months of lease term at transition	(10)
Less: Committed non-cancellable leases with lease terms commencing after 1 January 2019	(14)
Less: Committed non-cancellable services agreement*	(683)
Add: Extension options which are reasonably certain to be exercised	87
Lease liabilities recognised as at 1 January 2019	11,054

\* The Group has services agreement for IT equipment with contract terms of three to five years. These leases are services in nature, which do not meet the definition of leases under SFRS(I) 16. Accordingly, the Group do not recognise right-of-use assets and lease liabilities for these leases.

## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies set out below have been applied consistently to all periods presented in these financial statements, except as explained in note 2.5, which addresses changes in accounting policies.

The accounting policies have been applied consistently by Group entities.

### 3.1 Foreign currency

#### (i) Foreign currency transactions

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated to the respective functional currencies of Group entities at the exchange rates at the dates of the transactions. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at the reporting date are translated to the functional currency at the exchange rate at that date. The foreign currency gain or loss on monetary items is the difference between amortised cost in the functional currency at the beginning of the year, adjusted for effective interest and payments during the year, and the amortised cost in foreign currency translated at the exchange rate at the end of the year.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.1 Foreign currency (cont'd)

#### (i) Foreign currency transactions (cont'd)

Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are measured at fair value are translated to the functional currency at the exchange rate at the date that the fair value was determined. Non-monetary items in a foreign currency that are measured in terms of historical cost are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction. Foreign currency differences arising on translation are recognised in profit or loss.

#### (ii) Foreign operations

The assets and liabilities of foreign operations, excluding goodwill and fair value adjustments arising on acquisition, are translated to Singapore dollars at exchange rates at the reporting date. The income and expenses of foreign operations are translated to Singapore dollars at the exchange rates at the dates of the transactions.

Foreign currency differences are recognised in other comprehensive income (OCI). However, if the foreign operation is a non-wholly-owned subsidiary, then the relevant proportionate share of the translation difference is allocated to the non-controlling interests (NCI). When a foreign operation is disposed of such that control, significant influence or joint control is lost, the cumulative amount in the translation reserve related to that foreign operation is reclassified to profit or loss as part of the gain or loss on disposal. When the Group disposes of only part of its interest in a subsidiary that includes a foreign operation while retaining control, the relevant proportion of the cumulative amount is reattributed to NCI. When the Group disposes of only part of its investment in an associate or joint venture that includes a foreign operation while retaining significant influence or joint control, the relevant proportion of the cumulative amount is reclassified to profit or loss.

When the settlement of a monetary item receivable from or payable to a foreign operation is neither planned nor likely in the foreseeable future, foreign exchange gains and losses arising from such a monetary item that are considered to form part of a net investment in a foreign operation are recognised in OCI, and are presented in the translation reserve in equity.

### 3.2 Basis of consolidation

#### (i) Business combinations

The Group accounts for business combinations using the acquisition method when control is transferred to the Group.

The Group measures goodwill at the date of acquisition as:

- the fair value of the consideration transferred; plus
- the recognised amount of any NCI in the acquiree; plus
- if the business combination is achieved in stages, the fair value of the pre-existing equity interest in the acquiree,

over the net recognised amount (generally fair value) of the identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed. Any goodwill that arises is tested annually for impairment.

When the excess is negative, a bargain purchase gain is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.2 Basis of consolidation (cont'd)

#### (i) Business combinations (cont'd)

The consideration transferred does not include amounts related to the settlement of pre-existing relationships. Such amounts are generally recognised in profit or loss.

Any contingent consideration payable is recognised at fair value at the date of acquisition and included in the consideration transferred. If the contingent consideration that meets the definition of a financial instrument is classified as equity, it is not remeasured and settlement is accounted for within equity. Otherwise, other contingent consideration is remeasured at fair value at each reporting date and subsequent changes to the fair value of the contingent consideration are recognised in profit or loss.

When share-based payment awards (replacement awards) are exchanged for awards held by the acquiree's employees (acquiree's awards) and relate to past services, then all or a portion of the amount of the acquirer's replacement awards is included in measuring the consideration transferred in the business combination. This determination is based on the market-based value of the replacement awards compared with the market-based value of the acquiree's awards and the extent to which the replacement awards relate to past and/or future service.

NCI that are present ownership interests and entitle their holders to a proportionate share of the acquiree's net assets in the event of liquidation are measured either at fair value or at the NCI's proportionate share of the recognised amounts of the acquiree's identifiable net assets, at the date of acquisition. The measurement basis taken is elected on a transaction-by-transaction basis. All other NCI are measured at acquisition-date fair value, unless another measurement basis is required by SFRS(I)s.

Costs related to the acquisition, other than those associated with the issue of debt or equity investments, that the Group incurs in connection with a business combination are expensed as incurred.

Changes in the Group's interest in a subsidiary that do not result in a loss of control are accounted for as transactions with owners in their capacity as owners and therefore no adjustments are made to goodwill and no gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss. Adjustments to NCI arising from transactions that do not involve the loss of control are based on a proportionate amount of the net assets of the subsidiary.

#### (ii) Subsidiaries

Subsidiaries are entities controlled by the Group. The Group controls an entity when it is exposed to, 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. The financial statements of subsidiaries are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date that control commences until the date that control ceases.

The accounting policies of subsidiaries have been changed when necessary to align them with the policies adopted by the Group. Losses applicable to the NCI in a subsidiary are allocated to the NCI even if doing so causes the NCI to have a deficit balance.



# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.2 Basis of consolidation (cont'd)

(iii) Loss of control

When the Group loses control over a subsidiary, it derecognises the assets and liabilities of the subsidiary, and any related NCI and other components of equity. Any resulting gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss. Any interest retained in the former subsidiary is measured at fair value when control is lost.

(iv) Investment in joint ventures

A joint venture is an arrangement in which the Group has joint control, whereby the Group has rights to the net assets of the arrangement, rather than rights to its assets and obligations for its liabilities.

Investments in joint ventures is accounted for using the equity method. They are recognised initially at cost, which includes transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, the consolidated financial statements include the Group's share of the profit or loss and OCI of joint venture, after adjustments to align the accounting policies with those of the Group, from the date that joint control commences until the date that joint control ceases.

When the Group's share of losses exceeds its interest in joint venture, the carrying amount of the investment, together with any long-term interests that form part thereof, is reduced to zero, and the recognition of further losses is discontinued except to the extent that the Group has an obligation to fund the investee's operations or has made payments on behalf of the investee.

(v) Transactions eliminated on consolidation

Intra-group balances and transactions, and any unrealised income and expenses arising from intra-group transactions, are eliminated in preparing the consolidated financial statements. Unrealised gains arising from transactions with a joint venture are eliminated against the investment to the extent of the Group's interest in the joint venture. Unrealised losses are eliminated in the same way as unrealised gains, but only to the extent that there is no evidence of impairment.

(vi) Subsidiaries and joint ventures in the separate financial statements

Investments in subsidiaries and joint ventures are stated in the Company's statement of financial position at cost less accumulated impairment losses.

### 3.3 Property, plant and equipment

(i) Recognition and measurement

Items of property, plant and equipment are measured at cost, which includes capitalised borrowing costs, less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses except that certain items of leasehold property were subject to one-off revaluation conducted in 1994. On ultimate disposal of the revalued leasehold property, the revaluation surplus is retained in the revaluation reserve.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.3 Property, plant and equipment (cont'd)

#### (i) Recognition and measurement (cont'd)

Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the asset. The cost of self-constructed assets includes:

- the cost of materials and direct labour;
- any other costs directly attributable to bringing the assets to a working condition for their intended use;
- when the Group has an obligation to remove the asset or restore the site, an estimate of the costs of dismantling and removing the items and restoring the site on which they are located; and
- capitalised borrowing costs.

When parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, they are accounted for as separate items (major components) of property, plant and equipment.

The gain or loss on disposal of an item of property, plant and equipment is recognised in profit or loss.

#### (ii) Subsequent costs

The cost of replacing a component of an item of property, plant and equipment is recognised in the carrying amount of the item if it is probable that the future economic benefits embodied within the component will flow to the Group, and its cost can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of the replaced component is derecognised. The costs of the day-to-day servicing of property, plant and equipment are recognised in profit or loss as incurred.

#### (iii) Depreciation

Depreciation is based on the cost of an asset less its residual value. Significant components of individual assets are assessed and if a component has a useful life that is different from the remainder of that asset, that component is depreciated separately.

Depreciation is recognised as an expense in profit or loss on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of each component of an item of property, plant and equipment, unless it is included in the carrying amount of another asset. Leased assets are depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and their useful lives unless it is reasonably certain that the Group will obtain ownership by the end of the lease term.

Depreciation is recognised from the date that the property, plant and equipment are installed and are ready for use.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.3 Property, plant and equipment (cont'd)

#### (iii) Depreciation (cont'd)

The estimated useful lives for the current and comparative periods are as follows:

Leasehold properties	Over the term of the respective leases ranging from 20 to 60 years
Factory equipment, plant and machinery	3 to 10 years
Motor vehicles	5 years
Office equipment and furniture and fittings	3 to 5 years
Other assets	2 to 10 years

No depreciation is recognised on construction-in-progress. Other assets comprise electrical installations, erectable stores, renovations and leasehold improvements.

Depreciation methods, useful lives and residual values are reviewed at the end of each reporting period and adjusted if appropriate.

### 3.4 Investment property

Investment property is property held either to earn rental income or capital appreciation or for both, but not for sale in the ordinary course of business, used in the production or supply of goods or services or for administrative purposes. Investment property is measured at cost on initial recognition and subsequently carried at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses.

Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the investment property.

Depreciation is recognised in profit or loss on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of the investment property. The estimated useful life is 60 years. The depreciation method, the useful life and the residual value of investment property are reassessed at the end of each reporting period.

When the use of a property changes such that it is reclassified as property, plant and equipment, its cost, accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses at the date of reclassification will be transferred to property, plant and equipment for subsequent accounting.

### 3.5 Financial instruments

#### (i) Recognition and initial measurement

##### ***Non-derivative financial assets and financial liabilities***

Trade receivables issued are initially recognised when they are originated. All other financial assets and financial liabilities are initially recognised when the Group becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

A financial asset (unless it is a trade receivable without a significant financing component) or financial liability is initially measured at fair value plus, for an item not at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL), transaction costs that are directly attributable to its acquisition or issue. A trade receivable without a significant financing component is initially measured at the transaction price.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.5 Financial instruments (cont'd)

#### (ii) Classification and subsequent measurement

##### ***Non-derivative financial assets***

On initial recognition, a financial asset is classified as measured at: amortised cost; fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI) – debt investment; FVOCI – equity investment; or FVTPL.

Financial assets are not reclassified subsequent to their initial recognition unless the Group changes its business model for managing financial assets, in which case all affected financial assets are reclassified on the first day of the first reporting period following the change in the business model.

##### *Financial assets at amortised cost*

A financial asset is measured at amortised cost if it meets both of the following conditions and is not designated as at FVTPL:

- it is held within a business model whose objective is to hold assets to collect contractual cash flows; and
- its contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

##### *Financial assets at FVTPL*

All financial assets not classified as measured at amortised cost or FVOCI are measured at FVTPL. On initial recognition, the Group may irrevocably designate a financial asset that otherwise meets the requirements to be measured at amortised cost or at FVOCI as at FVTPL if doing so eliminates or significantly reduces an accounting mismatch that would otherwise arise.

##### ***Financial assets: Business model assessment***

The Group makes an assessment of the objective of the business model in which a financial asset is held at a portfolio level because this best reflects the way the business is managed and information is provided to management. The information considered includes:

- the stated policies and objectives for the portfolio and the operation of those policies in practice. These include whether management's strategy focuses on earning contractual interest income, maintaining a particular interest rate profile, matching the duration of the financial assets to the duration of any related liabilities or expected cash outflows or realising cash flows through the sale of the assets;
- how the performance of the portfolio is evaluated and reported to the Group's management;
- the risks that affect the performance of the business model (and the financial assets held within that business model) and how those risks are managed;
- how managers of the business are compensated – e.g. whether compensation is based on the fair value of the assets managed or the contractual cash flows collected; and
- the frequency, volume and timing of sales of financial assets in prior periods, the reasons for such sales and expectations about future sales activity.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.5 Financial instruments (cont'd)

#### (ii) Classification and subsequent measurement (cont'd)

##### ***Financial assets: Business model assessment (cont'd)***

Transfers of financial assets to third parties in transactions that do not qualify for derecognition are not considered sales for this purpose, consistent with the Group's continuing recognition of the assets.

Financial assets that are held-for-trading or are managed and whose performance is evaluated on a fair value basis are measured at FVTPL.

##### ***Non-derivative financial assets: Assessment whether contractual cash flows are solely payments of principal and interest***

For the purposes of this assessment, 'principal' is defined as the fair value of the financial asset on initial recognition. 'Interest' is defined as consideration for the time value of money and for the credit risk associated with the principal amount outstanding during a particular period of time and for other basic lending risks and costs (e.g. liquidity risk and administrative costs), as well as a profit margin.

In assessing whether the contractual cash flows are solely payments of principal and interest, the Group considers the contractual terms of the instrument. This includes assessing whether the financial asset contains a contractual term that could change the timing or amount of contractual cash flows such that it would not meet this condition. In making this assessment, the Group considers:

- contingent events that would change the amount or timing of cash flows;
- terms that may adjust the contractual coupon rate, including variable rate features;
- prepayment and extension features; and
- terms that limit the Group's claim to cash flows from specified assets (e.g. non-recourse features).

A prepayment feature is consistent with the solely payments of principal and interest criterion if the prepayment amount substantially represents unpaid amounts of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding, which may include reasonable additional compensation for early termination of the contract. Additionally, for a financial asset acquired at a significant discount or premium to its contractual par amount, a feature that permits or requires prepayment at an amount that substantially represents the contractual par amount plus accrued (but unpaid) contractual interest (which may also include reasonable additional compensation for early termination) is treated as consistent with this criterion if the fair value of the prepayment feature is insignificant at initial recognition.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.5 Financial instruments (cont'd)

#### (ii) Classification and subsequent measurement (cont'd)

##### ***Non-derivative financial assets: Subsequent measurement and gains and losses***

###### *Financial assets at FVTPL*

These assets are subsequently measured at fair value. Net gains and losses, including any interest or dividend income, are recognised in profit or loss.

###### *Financial assets at amortised cost*

These assets are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. The amortised cost is reduced by impairment losses. Interest income, foreign exchange gains and losses and impairment are recognised in profit or loss. Any gain or loss on derecognition is recognised in profit or loss.

##### ***Non-derivative financial liabilities: Classification, subsequent measurement and gains and losses***

Financial liabilities are classified as measured at amortised cost or FVTPL. A financial liability is classified as at FVTPL if it is classified as held-for-trading or it is designated as such on initial recognition. Financial liabilities at FVTPL are measured at fair value and net gains and losses, including any interest expense, are recognised in profit or loss. Directly attributable transaction costs are recognised in profit or loss as incurred.

Other financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value less directly attributable transaction costs. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Interest expense and foreign exchange gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss. These financial liabilities comprised trade and other payables.

#### (iii) Derecognition

##### ***Financial assets***

The Group derecognises a financial asset when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the financial asset expire, or it transfers the rights to receive the contractual cash flows in a transaction in which substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset are transferred or in which the Group neither transfers nor retains substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership and it does not retain control of the financial asset.

The Group enters into transactions whereby it transfers assets recognised in its statement of financial position, but retains either all or substantially all of the risks and rewards of the transferred assets. In these cases, the transferred assets are not derecognised.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.5 Financial instruments (cont'd)

#### (iii) Derecognition (cont'd)

##### *Financial liabilities*

The Group derecognises a financial liability when its contractual obligations are discharged or cancelled, or expire. The Group also derecognises a financial liability when its terms are modified and the cash flows of the modified liability are substantially different, in which case a new financial liability based on the modified terms is recognised at fair value.

On derecognition of a financial liability, the difference between the carrying amount extinguished and the consideration paid (including any non-cash assets transferred or liabilities assumed) is recognised in profit or loss.

#### (iv) Offsetting

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount presented in the statement of financial position when, and only when, the Group currently has a legally enforceable right to set off the amounts and it intends either to settle them on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

#### (v) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash balances and bank deposits with maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition that are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in their fair value. For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, pledged deposits are excluded whilst bank overdrafts that are repayable on demand and that form an integral part of the Group's cash management are included in cash and cash equivalents.

#### (vi) Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of ordinary shares are recognised as a deduction from equity, net of any tax effects.



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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.6 Leases

#### Policy applicable from 1 January 2019

At inception of a contract, the Group assesses whether a 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. To assess whether a contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset, the Group uses the definition of a lease in SFRS(I) 16.

This policy is applied to contracts entered into, on or after 1 January 2019.

#### (i) *As a lessee*

At commencement or on modification of a contract that contains a lease component, the Group allocates the consideration in the contract to each lease component on the basis of its relative stand-alone prices. However, for the leases of property the Group has elected not to separate non-lease components and account for the lease and non-lease components as a single lease component.

The Group recognises a right-of-use asset and a lease liability at the lease commencement date. The right-of-use asset is initially measured at cost, which comprises the initial amount of the lease liability adjusted for any lease payments made at or before the commencement date, plus any initial direct costs incurred and 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, less any lease incentives received.

The right-of-use asset is subsequently depreciated using the straight-line method from the commencement date to the end of the lease term, unless the lease transfers ownership of the underlying asset to the Group by the end of the lease term or the cost of the right-of-use asset reflects that the Group will exercise a purchase option. In that case the right-of-use asset will be depreciated over the useful life of the underlying asset, which is determined on the same basis as those of property and equipment. In addition, the right-of-use asset is periodically reduced by impairment losses, if any, and adjusted for certain remeasurements of the lease liability.

The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the lease payments that are not paid at the commencement date, discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease or, if that rate cannot be readily determined, the Group's incremental borrowing rate. Generally, the Group uses its incremental borrowing rate as the discount rate.

The Group determines its incremental borrowing rate by obtaining interest rates from various external financing sources and makes certain adjustments to reflect the terms of the lease and type of the asset leased.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.6 Leases (cont'd)

#### Policy applicable from 1 January 2019 (cont'd)

##### (i) *As a lessee (cont'd)*

Lease payments included in the measurement of the lease liability comprise the following:

- fixed payments, including in-substance fixed payments;
- variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate, initially measured using the index or rate as at the commencement date;
- amounts expected to be payable under a residual value guarantee; and
- the exercise price under a purchase option that the Group is reasonably certain to exercise, lease payments in an optional renewal period if the Group is reasonably certain to exercise an extension option, and penalties for early termination of a lease unless the Group is reasonably certain not to terminate early.

The lease liability is measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. It is remeasured when there is a change in future lease payments arising from a change in an index or rate, if there is a change in the Group's estimate of the amount expected to be payable under a residual value guarantee, if the Group changes its assessment of whether it will exercise a purchase, extension or termination option or if there is a revised in-substance fixed lease payment.

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 'property, plant and equipment' and 'lease liabilities' in the statement of financial position.

#### *Short-term leases and leases of low-value assets*

The Group has elected not to recognise right-of-use assets and lease liabilities for leases of low-value assets and short-term leases, including IT equipment. The Group recognises the lease payments associated with these leases as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.6 Leases (cont'd)

#### Policy applicable from 1 January 2019 (cont'd)

##### (ii) *As a lessor*

At inception or on modification of a contract that contains a lease component, the Group allocates the consideration in the contract to each lease component on the basis of their relative stand-alone prices.

When the Group acts as a lessor, it determines at lease inception whether each lease is a finance lease or an operating lease.

To classify each lease, the Group makes an overall assessment of whether the lease transfers substantially all of the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of the underlying asset. If this is the case, then the lease is a finance lease; if not, then it is an operating lease. As part of this assessment, the Group considers certain indicators such as whether the lease is for the major part of the economic life of the asset.

When the Group is an intermediate lessor, it accounts for its interests in the head lease and the sub-lease separately. It assesses the lease classification of a sub-lease with reference to the right-of-use asset arising from the head lease, not with reference to the underlying asset. If a head lease is a short-term lease to which the Group applies the exemption described above, then it classifies the sub-lease as an operating lease.

If an arrangement contains lease and non-lease components, then the Group applies SFRS(I) 15 to allocate the consideration in the contract.

The Group recognises lease payments received from investment property and sub-leased property under operating leases as income on a straight-line basis over the lease term as part of 'other income'.

Generally, the accounting policies applicable to the Group as a lessor in the comparative period were not different from SFRS(I) 16 except for the classification of the sub-lease entered into during current reporting period that resulted in a finance lease classification.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.6 Leases (cont'd)

#### Leases – Policy applicable before 1 January 2019

For contracts entered into before 1 January 2019, the Group determined whether the arrangement was or contained a lease based on the assessment of whether:

- fulfilment of the arrangement was dependent on the use of a specific asset or assets; and
- the arrangement had conveyed a right to use the asset. An arrangement conveyed the right to use the asset if one of the following was met:
  - the purchaser had the ability or right to operate the asset while obtaining or controlling more than an insignificant amount of the output;
  - the purchaser had the ability or right to control physical access to the asset while obtaining or controlling more than an insignificant amount of the output; or
  - facts and circumstances indicated that it was remote that other parties would take more than an insignificant amount of the output, and the price per unit was neither fixed per unit of output nor equal to the current market price per unit of output.

#### (i) *As a lessee*

In the comparative period, as a lessee the Group classified leases that transferred substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership as finance leases. When this was the case, the leased assets were measured initially at an amount equal to the lower of their fair value and the present value of the minimum lease payments. Minimum lease payments were the payments over the lease term that the lessee was required to make, excluding any contingent rent. Subsequent to initial recognition, the assets were accounted for in accordance with the accounting policy applicable to that asset.

Assets held under other leases were classified as operating leases and were not recognised in the Group's statement of financial position. Payments made under operating leases were recognised in profit or loss on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease. Lease incentives received were recognised as an integral part of the total lease expense, over the term of the lease.

#### (ii) *As a lessor*

When the Group acted as a lessor, it determined at lease inception whether each lease was a finance lease or an operating lease.

To classify each lease, the Group made an overall assessment of whether the lease transferred substantially all of the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of the underlying asset. If this was the case, then the lease was a finance lease; if not, then it was an operating lease. As part of this assessment, the Group considered certain indicators such as whether the lease was for the major part of the economic life of the asset.

Rental income from investment property and sub-leased property were recognised as "other income" on a straight-line basis over.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.7 Impairment

#### (i) *Non-derivative financial assets and contract assets*

The Group recognises loss allowances for ECLs on:

- financial assets measured at amortised costs; and
- contract assets (as defined in SFRS(I) 15).

Loss allowances of the Group are measured on either of the following bases:

- 12-month ECLs: these are ECLs that result from default events that are possible within the 12 months after the reporting date (or for a shorter period if the expected life of the instrument is less than 12 months); or
- Lifetime ECLs: these are ECLs that result from all possible default events over the expected life of a financial instrument or contract asset.

#### *Simplified approach*

The Group applies the simplified approach to provide for ECLs for all trade receivables and contract assets. The simplified approach requires the loss allowance to be measured at an amount equal to lifetime ECLs.

#### *General approach*

The Group applies the general approach to provide for ECLs on all other financial instruments. Under the general approach, the loss allowance is measured at an amount equal to 12-month ECLs at initial recognition.

At each reporting date, the Group assesses whether the credit risk of a financial instrument has increased significantly since initial recognition. When credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition, loss allowance is measured at an amount equal to lifetime ECLs.

When determining whether the credit risk of a financial asset has increased significantly since initial recognition and when estimating ECLs, the Group considers reasonable and supportable information that is relevant and available without undue cost or effort. This includes both quantitative and qualitative information and analysis, based on the Group's historical experience and informed credit assessment and includes forward-looking information.

If credit risk has not increased significantly since initial recognition or if the credit quality of the financial instruments improves such that there is no longer a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, loss allowance is measured at an amount equal to 12-month ECLs.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.7 Impairment (cont'd)

#### (i) *Non-derivative financial assets and contract assets (cont'd)*

##### *General approach (cont'd)*

The Group considers a financial asset to be in default when:

- 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
- the financial asset remains outstanding for more than a reasonable range of past due days, taking into account consideration historical payment track record, current macroeconomics situation as well as general industry trend.

The Group considers a contract asset to be in default when the customer is unlikely to pay its contractual obligations to the Group in full, without recourse by the Group to actions such as realising security (if any is held).

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

##### *Measurement of ECLs*

ECLs are probability-weighted estimates of credit losses. Credit losses are measured at the present value of all cash shortfalls (i.e. the difference between the cash flows due to the entity in accordance with the contract and the cash flows that the Group expects to receive). ECLs are discounted at the effective interest rate of the financial asset.

##### *Credit-impaired financial assets*

At each reporting date, the Group assesses whether financial assets carried at amortised cost are 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 data:

- significant financial difficulty of the borrower or issuer;
- a breach of contract such as a default;
- the restructuring of a loan or advance by the Group on terms that the Group would not consider otherwise;
- it is probable that the borrower will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganisation; or
- the disappearance of an active market for a security because of financial difficulties.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.7 Impairment (cont'd)

#### (i) **Non-derivative financial assets and contract assets (cont'd)**

*Presentation of allowance for ECLs in the statement of financial position*

Loss allowances for financial assets measured at amortised cost and contract assets are deducted from the gross carrying amount of these assets.

#### **Write-off**

The gross carrying amount of a financial 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. However, financial assets that are written off could still be subject to enforcement activities in order to comply with the Group's procedures for recovery of amounts due.

#### (ii) **Joint venture**

An impairment loss in respect of a joint venture is measured by comparing the recoverable amount of the investment with its carrying amount in accordance with the requirements for non-financial assets. An impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss. An impairment loss is reversed if there has been a favourable change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount.

#### (iii) **Non-financial assets**

The carrying amounts of the Group's non-financial assets, other than inventories, contract assets and deferred tax assets, are reviewed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If any such indication exists, then the asset's recoverable amount is estimated. An impairment loss is recognised if the carrying amount of an asset or its related cash-generating unit (CGU) exceeds its estimated recoverable amount.

The recoverable amount of an asset or CGU is the greater of its value-in-use and its fair value less costs to sell. 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 or CGU. For the purpose of impairment testing, assets that cannot be tested individually are grouped together into the smallest group of assets that generates cash inflows from continuing use that are largely independent of the cash inflows of other assets or CGU.

The Group's corporate assets do not generate separate cash inflows and are utilised by more than one CGU. If there is an indication that a corporate asset may be impaired, then the recoverable amount is determined for the CGU to which the corporate asset belongs.

Impairment losses are recognised in profit or loss. Impairment losses recognised in respect of CGUs are allocated first to reduce the carrying amounts of the assets in the CGU (group of CGUs) on a pro rata basis.



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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.7 Impairment (cont'd)

#### (iii) *Non-financial assets (cont'd)*

Impairment losses recognised in prior periods are assessed at each reporting date for any indications that the loss has decreased or no longer exists. An impairment loss is reversed if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount. An impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortisation, if no impairment loss had been recognised.

### 3.8 Inventories

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value. The cost of inventories is based on the weighted average cost formula and includes expenditure incurred in acquiring the inventories, production or conversion costs and other costs incurred in bringing them to their existing location and condition. In the case of manufactured inventories and work-in-progress, cost includes an appropriate share of production overheads based on normal operating capacity.

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

### 3.9 Employee benefits

#### *Defined contribution plans*

A defined contribution plan is a post-employment benefit plan under which an entity pays fixed contributions into a separate entity and will have no legal or constructive obligation to pay further amounts. Obligations for contributions to defined contribution pension plans are recognised as an expense in profit or loss in the periods during which related services are rendered by employees.

#### *Short-term benefits*

Short-term employee benefit obligations are measured on an undiscounted basis and are expensed as the related service is provided. A liability is recognised for the amount expected to be paid under short-term cash bonus or profit-sharing plans if the Group has a present legal or constructive obligation to pay this amount as a result of past service provided by the employee, and the obligation can be estimated reliably.

### 3.10 Provisions

A provision is recognised if, as a result of a past event, the Group has a present legal or constructive obligation that can be estimated reliably, and it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation. Provisions are determined by discounting the expected future cash flows at a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the liability. The unwinding of the discount is recognised as finance cost.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.11 Revenue recognition

#### *Sale of goods*

Revenue from sale of goods in the ordinary course of business is recognised when the Group satisfies a performance obligation (PO) by transferring control of a promised good to the customer. The amount of revenue recognised is the transaction price for the satisfied PO.

Revenue is recognised at a point in time following the timing of satisfaction of the PO.

#### *Revenue from tooling contracts*

The Group produces tools customised to customer's order which the Group does not have an alternative use.

- (i) Contracts with an enforceable right to payment for performance completed to date

The Group has determined that for contracts where the Group has an enforceable right to payment for performance completed to date, the customer controls all of the work in progress. This is because under those contracts, the assets are at the customer's specification and the Group is entitled to payment for performance completed to date.

Revenue is recognised over time following the satisfaction of the PO over time. Revenue is recognised based on the percentage of completion reflecting the progress towards complete satisfaction of that PO.

- (ii) Contracts without enforceable right to payment for performance completed to date

For contracts where the Group does not have enforceable right to payment for performance completed to date, revenue is recognised at a point in time when the assets are completed and have been accepted by the customers.

### 3.12 Finance income and finance costs

The Group's finance income and finance costs include interest income and interest expense.

Interest income or expense is recognised using the effective interest method.

The 'effective interest rate' is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash payments or receipts through the expected life of the financial instrument to:

- the gross carrying amount of the financial asset; or
- the amortised cost of the financial liability.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.12 Finance income and finance costs (cont'd)

In calculating interest income and expense, the effective interest rate is applied to the gross carrying amount of the asset (when the asset is not credit-impaired) or to the amortised cost of the liability. However, for financial assets that have become credit-impaired subsequent to initial recognition, interest income is calculated by applying the effective interest rate to the amortised cost of the financial asset. If the asset is no longer credit-impaired, then the calculation of interest income reverts to the gross basis.

Borrowing costs that are not directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset are recognised in profit or loss using the effective interest method.

### 3.13 Foreign currency gains and losses

Foreign currency gains and losses on financial assets and financial liabilities are reported on a net basis as either other operating income or other operating expense depending on whether foreign currency movements are in a net gain or net loss position.

### 3.14 Government grants

Government grants are recognised initially as deferred income at fair value when there is reasonable assurance that they will be received and the Group will comply with the conditions associated with the grant. These grants are then recognised in profit or loss as 'other income' on a systematic basis over the useful life of the asset. Grants that compensate the Group for expenses incurred are recognised in profit or loss as 'other income' on a systematic basis in the same periods in which the expenses are recognised.

### 3.15 Tax

Tax expense comprises current and deferred tax. Current and deferred tax is recognised in profit or loss except to the extent that it relates to a business combination, or items recognised directly in equity or in OCI.

The Group has determined that interest and penalties related to income taxes, including uncertain tax treatments, do not meet the definition of income taxes, and therefore accounted for them under SFRS(I) 1-37 *Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets*.

Current tax is the expected tax payable or recoverable on the taxable income or loss for the year, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years. The amount of current tax payable or receivable is the best estimate of the tax amount expected to be paid or received that reflects uncertainty related to income taxes, if any. Current tax also includes any tax arising from dividends.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.15 Tax (cont'd)

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes. Deferred tax is not recognised for:

- temporary differences on the initial recognition of assets or liabilities in a transaction that is not a business combination and that affects neither accounting nor taxable profit or loss;
- temporary differences related to investments in subsidiaries and joint ventures to the extent that the Group is able to control the timing of the reversal of the temporary difference and it is probable that they will not reverse in the foreseeable future; and
- taxable temporary differences arising on the initial recognition of goodwill.

The measurement of deferred taxes reflects the tax consequences that would follow the manner in which the Group expects, at the reporting date, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities. Deferred tax is measured at the tax rates that are expected to be applied to temporary differences when they reverse, based on the laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset if there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax liabilities and assets, and they relate to income taxes levied by the same tax authority on the same taxable entity, or on different tax entities, but they intend to settle current tax liabilities and assets on a net basis or their tax assets and liabilities will be realised simultaneously.

A deferred tax asset is recognised for unused tax losses, unused tax credits and deductible temporary differences, to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which they can be used. Future taxable profits are determined based on the reversal of relevant taxable temporary differences. If the amount of taxable temporary differences is insufficient to recognise a deferred tax asset in full, then future taxable profits, adjusted for reversals of existing temporary differences, are considered, based on the business plans for individual subsidiaries in the Group. Deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date and are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that the related tax benefit will be realised; such reductions are reversed when the probability of future taxable profits improves.

Unrecognised deferred tax assets are reassessed at each reporting date and recognised to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profits will be available against which they can be used.

In determining the amount of current and deferred tax, the Group takes into account the impact of uncertain tax positions and whether additional taxes and interest may be due. The Group believes that its accruals for tax liabilities are adequate for all open tax years based on its assessment of many factors, including interpretations of tax law and prior experience. This assessment relies on estimates and assumptions and may involve a series of judgements about future events. New information may become available that causes the Group to change its judgement regarding the adequacy of existing tax liabilities; such changes to tax liabilities will impact tax expense in the period that such a determination is made.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

### 3.16 Earnings per share

The Group presents basic and diluted earnings per share (EPS) data for its ordinary shares. Basic EPS is calculated by dividing the profit or loss attributable to ordinary shareholders of the Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the year, adjusted for own shares held. Diluted EPS is determined by adjusting the profit or loss attributable to ordinary shareholders of the Company and the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding, adjusted for own shares held, for the effects of all dilutive potential ordinary shares.

### 3.17 Segment reporting

An operating segment is a component of the Group that engages in business activities from which it may earn revenue and incur expenses, including revenue and expenses that relate to transactions with any of the Group's other components. All operating segment's operating results are reviewed regularly by the Board of Directors to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segment and to assess its performance, and for which discrete financial information is available.

Segment results that are reported to the Board of Directors include items directly attributable to a segment as well as those that can be allocated on a reasonable basis. Unallocated items comprise mainly tax assets and liabilities.

Segment capital expenditure is the total cost incurred during the year to acquire property, plant and equipment.

### 3.18 New standards and interpretations not yet adopted

A number of new standards, interpretations and amendments to standards are effective for annual periods beginning after 1 January 2019 and earlier application is permitted; however, the Group has not early adopted the new or amended standards and interpretations in preparing these financial statements.

The following new SFRS(I)s, interpretations and amendments to SFRS(I)s are not expected to have a significant impact on the Group's consolidated financial statements and the Company's statement of financial position.

- *Amendments to References to Conceptual Framework in SFRS(I) Standards*
- *Definition of a Business* (Amendments to SFRS(I) 3)
- *Definition of Material* (Amendments to SFRS(I) 101 and SFRS(I) 1-8)
- *SFRS(I) 17 Insurance Contracts*

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## 4 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Group	Leasehold properties \$'000	Factory equipment, plant and machinery \$'000	Motor vehicles \$'000	Office equipment and furniture and fittings \$'000	Other assets \$'000	Construction- in-progress \$'000	Total \$'000
<b>Cost</b>							
At 1 January 2018	67,402	229,725	3,182	11,048	10,499	725	322,581
Currency realignment	(1,049)	(2,637)	(28)	(167)	(143)	(42)	(4,066)
Additions	117	3,225	245	227	243	2,356	6,413
Reclassification	–	87	–	7	–	(94)	–
Disposals/Write-off	–	(13,389)	(56)	(675)	(543)	–	(14,663)
At 31 December 2018	66,470	217,011	3,343	10,440	10,056	2,945	310,265
At 1 January 2019	66,470	217,011	3,343	10,440	10,056	2,945	310,265
Recognition of right-of-use asset on initial application of SFRS(I) 16	11,033	–	–	21	–	–	11,054
Adjusted balance at 1 January 2019	77,503	217,011	3,343	10,461	10,056	2,945	321,319
Currency realignment	(1,028)	(2,060)	(23)	(134)	(130)	(8)	(3,383)
Additions*	4,942	3,816	97	315	714	1,533	11,417
Reclassification	3,332	170	–	–	–	(3,502)	–
Disposals/Write-off	(4,614)	(6,270)	(183)	(486)	(147)	–	(11,700)
At 31 December 2019	80,135	212,667	3,234	10,156	10,493	968	317,653
<b>Accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses</b>							
At 1 January 2018	39,267	217,782	1,820	9,262	8,496	–	276,627
Currency realignment	(762)	(2,414)	(22)	(148)	(133)	–	(3,479)
Depreciation for the year	2,085	3,135	408	680	501	–	6,809
Disposals/Write-off	–	(13,233)	(56)	(674)	(539)	–	(14,502)
At 31 December 2018	40,590	205,270	2,150	9,120	8,325	–	265,455
At 1 January 2019	40,590	205,270	2,150	9,120	8,325	–	265,455
Currency realignment	(703)	(1,864)	(20)	(123)	(118)	–	(2,828)
Depreciation for the year	6,698	3,265	405	576	531	–	11,475
Disposals/Write-off	(3,315)	(6,224)	(183)	(479)	(102)	–	(10,303)
Reversal of impairment	–	(186)	–	–	–	–	(186)
At 31 December 2019	43,270	200,261	2,352	9,094	8,636	–	263,613
<b>Carrying amounts</b>							
At 1 January 2018	28,135	11,943	1,362	1,786	2,003	725	45,954
At 31 December 2018	25,880	11,741	1,193	1,320	1,731	2,945	44,810
At 31 December 2019	36,865	12,406	882	1,062	1,857	968	54,040

\* Additions for the year ended 31 December 2019 included right-of-use assets of \$4,042,000.

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	Leasehold properties \$'000	Factory equipment, plant and machinery \$'000	Motor vehicles \$'000	Office equipment and furniture and fittings \$'000	Other assets \$'000	Construction- in-progress \$'000	Total \$'000
<b>Company</b>							
<b>Cost</b>							
At 1 January 2018	22,693	34,016	1,758	2,760	3,391	–	64,618
Additions	–	1,097	–	44	75	–	1,216
Disposals/Write-off	–	(5,230)	–	(551)	(378)	–	(6,159)
At 31 December 2018	22,693	29,883	1,758	2,253	3,088	–	59,675
At 1 January 2019	22,693	29,883	1,758	2,253	3,088	–	59,675
Recognition of right-of-use asset on initial application of SFRS(I) 16	3,919	–	–	–	–	–	3,919
Adjusted balance at 1 January 2019	26,612	29,883	1,758	2,253	3,088	–	63,594
Additions	1,982	2,107	96	99	227	942	5,453
Disposals/Write-off	(3,465)	(350)	(153)	(176)	(45)	–	(4,189)
At 31 December 2019	25,129	31,640	1,701	2,176	3,270	942	64,858
<b>Accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses</b>							
At 1 January 2018	14,998	31,093	529	2,149	3,256	–	52,025
Depreciation for the year	495	621	324	264	79	–	1,783
Disposals/Write-off	–	(5,223)	–	(551)	(378)	–	(6,152)
At 31 December 2018	15,493	26,491	853	1,862	2,957	–	47,656
At 1 January 2019	15,493	26,491	853	1,862	2,957	–	47,656
Depreciation for the year	719	831	310	234	144	–	2,238
Disposals/Write-off	(3,310)	(347)	(153)	(176)	(45)	–	(4,031)
At 31 December 2019	12,902	26,975	1,010	1,920	3,056	–	45,863
<b>Carrying amounts</b>							
At 1 January 2018	7,695	2,923	1,229	611	135	–	12,593
At 31 December 2018	7,200	3,392	905	391	131	–	12,019
At 31 December 2019	12,227	4,665	691	256	214	942	18,995

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## 4 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONT'D)

### *Impairment loss*

Certain CGUs in China continued to incur operating losses whereas other CGUs, whose financial performance had improved, had shown indication that impairment losses which were recognised in prior periods may no longer exist. This resulted in the Group reassessing the recoverable amount of the property, plant and equipment.

The recoverable amounts of the CGUs were estimated based on the higher of fair value less cost to sell and their value-in-use. As the operations of the CGUs located within the same country are similar in nature, therefore the assumptions used in projecting the value-in-use are disclosed below by such geographical locations.

### 2019

The approach to determine the recoverable amounts of the CGUs is categorised as follows:

- CGUs that are loss-making but are expected to be able to generate economic benefits through liquidation of its leasehold properties and plant and machineries: The recoverable amounts of the CGUs have been determined based on the fair value less cost to sell of the assets. The fair value less cost to sell is based on market valuation performed by independent valuers with experience in the location and category of the properties and machineries being valued.
- CGUs that are loss-making and are expected to generate economic benefits in the period of forecast: The recoverable amount has been determined based on the calculation of their value-in-use derived from management's cash flows projections for these CGUs.

Key assumptions used in the calculation of the value-in-use are as follows:

	<b>China CGU 31 December 2019<sup>#</sup></b>
<u>Value-in-use assumptions:</u>	
Average revenue growth rate	1%
Number of years projected in the discounted cash flows	5 years
Gross profit margin	19%
Terminal value of property, plant and equipment (as a % of cost)	4%
Pre-tax discount rate	18%

<sup>#</sup> Fair value less cost to sell approach was used in 2018.

The growth rate in the China CGUs can be explained by forecasted fluctuations in market demand from end customers. If any of the CGUs is not able to meet the forecasted results, the Group may be required to record additional impairment loss.



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## 4 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONT'D)

### *Impairment loss (cont'd)*

#### 2018

As at 31 December 2018, the recoverable amounts of the Group's property, plant and equipment attributed to the CGUs were determined based on fair value less costs to sell, estimated based on the fair value of the leasehold properties and plant and machineries on liquidation. The fair value of the property, plant and equipment was determined by independent valuers with experience in the location and category of the properties and machineries being valued.

The fair value of certain leasehold properties as at 31 December 2019 amounts to approximately \$73,379,000 (2018: \$65,729,000) with the carrying amounts of \$14,334,000 (2018: \$15,602,000).

The fair value measurement is categorised as level 3 under the fair value hierarchy. Details of valuation techniques and key inputs used are as follows:

<b>Type</b>	<b>Valuation technique</b>	<b>Significant unobservable inputs</b>
Long term leasehold land	Comparison method	Comparing the property with comparable properties which have been sold or are being offered for sale and making adjustments for factors which affect value such as location and accessibility, market conditions, size, shape and terrain of land.
Buildings	Depreciated replacement cost method	Aggregated amount of gross replacement cost of the buildings and other site works from which appropriate deductions may then be made for the age, condition, economic or functional obsolescence and environmental factors.
Plant and machinery	Depreciated replacement cost method	Aggregated amount of gross replacement cost of the plant and machinery, from which appropriate deductions may then be made for the age, condition, functional and technological obsolescence factors.

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## 5 INVESTMENT PROPERTY

	<b>Group \$'000</b>
<b>Cost</b>	
At 1 January 2018	10,172
Currency realignment	18
At 31 December 2018	<u>10,190</u>
At 1 January 2019	10,190
Currency realignment	(15)
At 31 December 2019	<u>10,175</u>
<b>Accumulated depreciation</b>	
At 1 January 2018	1,968
Depreciation for the year	178
Currency realignment	1
At 31 December 2018	<u>2,147</u>
At 1 January 2019	2,147
Depreciation for the year	176
Currency realignment	(3)
At 31 December 2019	<u>2,320</u>
<b>Carrying amounts</b>	
At 1 January 2018	<u>8,204</u>
At 31 December 2018	<u>8,043</u>
At 31 December 2019	<u>7,855</u>

The buildings are leased to Berry Plastics Malaysia Sdn Bhd (a joint venture of the Group) and a third party.

The fair value of the investment property (fair value hierarchy of level 3) as at 31 December 2019 amounts to approximately \$9,860,000 (2018: \$9,670,000) and has been determined based on valuations performed by accredited independent valuers with recent experience in the location and category of investment properties being valued. The valuations are based on comparison method and the depreciated replacement cost method. The depreciated replacement cost method makes reference to the cost of replacing the buildings as new and allowing for depreciation. Key unobservable inputs correspond to replacement costs having regard to asset life, physical deterioration, functional and economic obsolescence. The comparison method involves comparing and adopting recent transactions as a yardstick and sale evidences involving other similar properties in the vicinity. The Group has assessed that the best use of its properties does not differ from their current use.

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## 5 INVESTMENT PROPERTY (CONT'D)

The Group has certain leasehold land held to earn rental income and also for own production or supply of goods and administrative purposes. If a portion of the property cannot be sold or leased out separately under a finance lease, the entire property is classified as investment property only if the portion of the property held for own use is insignificant. Judgement is involved in determining the allocation of investment property and property, plant and equipment.

The details of the investment property held by the Group as at 31 December 2019 is as follow.

Location	Land area/ build-up area	Percentage of interest	Tenure and unexpired lease term
21, Jalan Teknologi 4 Taman Teknologi Johor 81400 Senai Johor Darul Takzim Malaysia.	Leasehold land: 34,000 sqm Build-up area: 15,589 sqm	100%	Leasehold 60 years expiring on 31 March 2066

## 6 SUBSIDIARIES

	Company	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Equity investments, at cost	88,855	89,078
Forgiveness of amounts due from subsidiaries	10,072	9,331
	98,927	98,409
Impairment losses	(78,519)	(77,778)
	20,408	20,631

### **Impairment loss**

Certain subsidiaries in China continued to incur operating losses whereas other subsidiaries, whose financial performance had improved, had shown indication that impairment losses which were recognised in prior periods may no longer exist. Accordingly, the Company performed an assessment of the recoverable amount of its investments in subsidiaries. The recoverable amounts of investments in subsidiaries was estimated based on the higher of fair value less cost to sell and value-in-use.

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## 6 SUBSIDIARIES (CONT'D)

### 2019

The approach to determine the recoverable amounts of investments in subsidiaries is categorised as follows:

- For subsidiaries that are loss-making but expected to generate economic benefits through liquidation of its leasehold properties and plant and machineries, the recoverable amounts have been determined based on the fair value less cost to sell of these assets. Details on fair value measurement for property, plant and equipment is disclosed in note 4.
- For subsidiaries that are loss-making and are expected to generate economic benefits in the period of forecast, the recoverable amount of investments for the remaining subsidiaries have been determined based on the calculation of their value-in-use derived from management's cash flows projections.

Based on management's assessment, an additional net impairment loss of \$741,000 (2018: Nil) was recognised in profit or loss for the year. If any of the subsidiaries is not able to achieve the forecasted results and realise the fair values of the assets and liabilities, the Company would be required to record additional impairment loss.

### 2018

Management determined the recoverable amounts of investments in subsidiaries based on fair value less costs to sell method. The fair value is estimated based on the fair value of the leasehold properties and plant and machinery on liquidation of the subsidiaries. Details of the fair value measurement for property, plant and equipment is disclosed in note 4.

The movements in the allowance for impairment in respect of investments in subsidiaries during the year are as follows:

	<b>Company</b>	
	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
	<b>\$'000</b>	<b>\$'000</b>
At 1 January	77,778	77,778
Impairment loss	741	–
At 31 December	<u>78,519</u>	<u>77,778</u>

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## 6 SUBSIDIARIES (CONT'D)

Details of the subsidiaries are as follows:

Name of company	Country of incorporation/Place of business	Effective equity interest held by the Group	
		2019 %	2018 %
<b><i>Held by the Company:</i></b>			
Fu Yu Investment Pte Ltd <sup>1</sup>	Singapore	100	100
Fu Yu Moulding & Tooling (Dongguan) Co., Ltd. <sup>2</sup>	People's Republic of China	100	100
Fu Yu Moulding & Tooling (Suzhou) Co., Ltd. <sup>3</sup>	People's Republic of China	100	100
Fu Yu Moulding & Tooling (Zhuhai) Co., Ltd. <sup>4</sup>	People's Republic of China	100	100
Fu Yu Moulding & Tooling (Shanghai) Co., Ltd. <sup>5</sup>	People's Republic of China	100	100
Fu Yu International Enterprise Limited *	Hong Kong	–	100
Fu Yu Trading Limited <sup>6</sup>	Hong Kong	100	100
<b><i>Held through Fu Yu Moulding &amp; Tooling (Shanghai) Co., Ltd.:</i></b>			
Fu Yu Moulding & Tooling (Chongqing) Co., Ltd. <sup>7</sup>	People's Republic of China	100	100
<b><i>Held through Fu Yu Investment Pte Ltd:</i></b>			
LCTH Corporation Sdn. Bhd <sup>8</sup>	Malaysia	100	100
<b><i>Held through LCTH Corporation Sdn. Bhd.:</i></b>			
Fu Hao Manufacturing (M) Sdn. Bhd. <sup>8</sup>	Malaysia	100	100
Classic Advantage Sdn. Bhd. <sup>8</sup>	Malaysia	100	100

\* Fu Yu International Enterprise Limited was liquidated in 2019

<sup>1</sup> Audited by KPMG Singapore

<sup>2</sup> Audited by GuangDong CCAT Certified Public Accountants Co., Ltd

<sup>3</sup> Audited by Suzhou Sucheng C.P.A Co., Ltd

<sup>4</sup> Audited by Zhuhai Great Xinda Certified Public Accountants

<sup>5</sup> Audited by Shanghai Xinhua Certified Public Accountants Co., Ltd

<sup>6</sup> Audited by Alliot, Tsoi CPA Limited

<sup>7</sup> Audited by Wongga Partners Certified Public Accounts (SZ) General Partner

<sup>8</sup> Audited by Ernst & Young, Malaysia

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## 6 SUBSIDIARIES (CONT'D)

KPMG Singapore is the auditor of Singapore-incorporated subsidiaries. Other member firms of KPMG International are auditors of significant foreign-incorporated subsidiaries for consolidation purposes, except for LCTH Corporation Sdn. Bhd. (formerly known as LCTH Corporation Berhad) and its subsidiaries, which are audited by Ernst & Young, Malaysia.

For this purpose, a subsidiary is considered significant as defined under the Singapore Exchange Limited Listing Manual if its net tangible assets represent 20% or more of the Group's consolidated net tangible assets, or if its pre-tax profits account for 20% or more of the Group's consolidated pre-tax profits.

The following summarises the financial information of the Group's subsidiaries with material NCI, based on their consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with SFRS(I), modified for fair value adjustments on acquisition and differences in the Group's accounting policies.

### LCTH Corporation Berhad and its subsidiaries

	<b>At date of SCR* \$'000</b>
Revenue	15,381
Profit for the year	1,062
Other comprehensive income	–
<b>Total comprehensive income</b>	<b>1,062</b>
Attributable to NCI:	
– Profit for the year	312
– Other comprehensive income	–
<b>Total comprehensive income attributable to NCI</b>	<b>312</b>

\* Completion of SCR on 8 June 2018, as described in Note 30.

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## 7 JOINT VENTURE

The joint venture company Berry Plastics Malaysia Sdn Bhd's principal activities are those of manufacturing and assembly of precision plastic moulded products for electrical, electronics, healthcare, food and petroleum industries. Details of the joint venture are as follows:

Name of company	Country of incorporation/Place of business	Effective equity interest held by the Group	
		2019 %	2018 %
Berry Plastics Malaysia Sdn Bhd **	Malaysia	40	40

\* Audited by PricewaterhouseCoopers, Malaysia.

# Under member's voluntary liquidation.

The joint venture is held through its subsidiary, LCTH Corporation Sdn. Bhd., which has a 40% equity ownership interests in the entity.

The following table summarises the financial information of the joint venture, based on its financial statements prepared in accordance with SFRS(I), modified for fair value adjustments on acquisition and differences in the Group's accounting policies:

	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Revenue	–	159
Loss after income tax #	(519)	(1,996)
<b>Total comprehensive income</b>	<b>(519)</b>	<b>(1,996)</b>
<b>Assets and liabilities</b>		
Current assets ^	1,243	1,863
Current liabilities	(1)	(99)
<b>Net assets</b>	<b>1,242</b>	<b>1,764</b>
<b>Group's interest in net assets of investee at beginning of the year</b>	<b>705</b>	<b>1,490</b>
Share of total comprehensive income	(207)	(798)
Currency realignment	(1)	13
<b>Carrying amount of interest in investee at end of the year</b>	<b>497</b>	<b>705</b>

# Includes:

– depreciation of \$Nil (2018: \$105,000)

– impairment on property, plant and equipment of \$Nil (2018: \$522,000)

– interest income of \$1,000 (2018: \$22,000)

– income tax expenses of \$Nil (2018: income tax credit of \$12,000)

^ Includes cash and cash equivalents of \$1,224,000 (2018: \$500,000)

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## 8 DEFERRED TAX ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

Movements in deferred tax assets and liabilities of the Group (prior to offsetting of balances) during the year are as follows:

	Recognised			At 31 December 2018 \$'000	Recognised			At 31 December 2019 \$'000
	At 1 January 2018 \$'000	in profit or loss (Note 23) \$'000	Exchange differences \$'000		At 1 January 2019 \$'000	in profit or loss (Note 23) \$'000	Exchange differences \$'000	
<b>Group</b>								
<b>Deferred tax assets</b>								
Employee benefits	35	5	–	40	40	(1)	–	39
Others	450	(81)	(12)	357	357	(118)	(6)	233
Tax loss carry-forward	2,271	(637)	16	1,650	1,650	(813)	(2)	835
	2,756	(713)	4	2,047	2,047	(932)	(8)	1,107
<b>Deferred tax liabilities</b>								
Property, plant and equipment	(1,645)	(582)	(1)	(2,228)	(2,228)	(241)	2	(2,467)

### Company

#### Deferred tax assets

	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Employee benefits	39	40
Tax loss carry-forward	835	441
	874	481

#### Deferred tax liabilities

	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Property, plant and equipment	(1,477)	(1,340)
Others	(21)	–
	(1,498)	(1,340)

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and when the deferred taxes relate to the same tax authority. The amounts determined after appropriate offsetting are included in the statement of financial position as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Deferred tax assets	178	772	–	–
Deferred tax liabilities	1,538	953	624	859

Based on the cash flows forecast prepared by management, deferred tax assets were recognised by certain subsidiaries to the extent that management considered it probable that future taxable profits would be available against which the unutilised tax losses carried forward can be utilised by the Group.



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## 8 DEFERRED TAX ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONT'D)

Deferred tax assets have not been recognised in respect of the following items because it is not probable that future taxable profits would be available against which the Group can utilise the benefits there from:

	Group	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Unutilised tax losses	19,935	23,054
Unutilised investment allowances	2,586	2,978
	22,521	26,032

Other than tax losses arising from China subsidiaries of \$19,935,000 (2018: \$19,485,000) which will expire between 2020 and 2024 (2018: 2019 and 2023), the remaining tax losses, capital allowances, investment allowances and temporary differences do not expire under current tax legislation. Unutilised tax losses of \$1.9 million (2018: \$6.1 million) expired during the financial year.

### *Unrecognised temporary differences relating to investments in subsidiaries*

At the reporting date, a deferred tax liability of \$222,000 (2018: \$223,000) for temporary differences of \$4,440,000 (2018: \$4,460,000) related to undistributed earnings of certain subsidiaries of the Group were not recognised as the Group has determined that the undistributed profits of its overseas subsidiaries will not be remitted to Singapore in the next 12 months, but be retained for working capital purposes.

## 9 INVENTORIES

	Group		Company	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Raw materials	8,582	8,501	1,375	1,551
Work-in-progress	1,140	869	57	97
Finished goods	6,651	7,576	1,978	1,055
	16,373	16,946	3,410	2,703

Movements in the allowance for stock obsolescence are as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
At 1 January	1,269	1,134	115	113
Allowance made	656	437	72	33
Allowance reversed	(750)	(177)	–	–
Allowance utilised	(132)	(101)	(39)	(31)
Currency realignment	(18)	(24)	–	–
At 31 December	1,025	1,269	148	115

In 2019, the amount of inventories of \$155,901,000 (2018: \$162,409,000) were recognised as an expense during the year and included in “cost of sales” for the Group.

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## 10 TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	Note	Group		Company	
		2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Trade receivables		46,520	50,995	8,856	10,526
Allowance for impairment of doubtful receivables		(92)	(424)	–	(1)
Net trade receivables		46,428	50,571	8,856	10,525
Other receivables		814	781	107	302
Amounts due from subsidiaries	11	–	–	29,139	32,264
Deposits		402	464	8	7
		47,644	51,816	38,110	43,098
Prepayments		1,040	702	91	90
Advances to suppliers		1,270	1,508	388	822
		49,954	54,026	38,589	44,010
Non-current		–	–	27,111	27,724
Current		49,954	54,026	11,478	16,286
		49,954	54,026	38,589	44,010

The Group's and the Company's exposure to credit and currency risks, and impairment losses related to trade and other receivables is disclosed in note 26.

## 11 AMOUNTS DUE FROM SUBSIDIARIES

	Note	Company	
		2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Amounts due from subsidiaries			
Current			
– trade		71	75
– non-trade		1,957	4,465
Non-current			
– non-trade		36,227	36,840
		38,255	41,380
Impairment losses – non-current		(9,116)	(9,116)
	10	29,139	32,264

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## 11 AMOUNTS DUE FROM SUBSIDIARIES (CONT'D)

The movements in the allowance for impairment in respect of amounts due from subsidiaries during the year are as follows:

	<b>Company</b>	
	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
	<b>\$'000</b>	<b>\$'000</b>
At 1 January	9,116	8,213
Impairment loss recognised	–	903
At 31 December	<u>9,116</u>	<u>9,116</u>

The non-trade amounts due from subsidiaries are unsecured, non-interest bearing and repayable on demand. Management assess recoverability of amounts due from individual subsidiaries together with investments in those subsidiaries based on fair value less cost to sell and value-in-use approach, as described in Note 6. Based on management's assessment, additional net impairment loss of \$Nil (2018: \$903,000) was recognised in profit or loss.

There is no allowance for doubtful debts arising from amounts due from subsidiaries (current). The Company's exposure to credit risk is disclosed in note 26.

## 12 SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS

The short term investments refer to funds deposited with quoted trust fund and money market funds. Fair values of these investments are determined by reference to published quotations in an active market. The investments are designated at FVTPL and is categorised as level 1 under the fair value hierarchy.

## 13 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	<b>Group</b>		<b>Company</b>	
	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
	<b>\$'000</b>	<b>\$'000</b>	<b>\$'000</b>	<b>\$'000</b>
Cash at bank and in hand	24,794	26,545	6,109	3,967
Deposits with banks	63,661	53,765	44,457	40,433
Cash and cash equivalents	88,455	80,310	<u>50,566</u>	<u>44,400</u>
Deposits pledged	(3,387)	(3,292)		
Cash and cash equivalents in the consolidated statement of cash flows	<u>85,068</u>	<u>77,018</u>		

The deposit pledged represents bank balance pledged for bank guarantee purposes in the normal course of business.

Deposits with financial institutions mature on varying periods within 3 months (2018: 3 months) from the financial year end. Effective interest rates range from 1.10% to 4.05% (2018: 1.08% to 3.95%) per annum.

Cash and bank balances totalling the equivalent of \$13,345,000 (2018: \$17,274,000) are held in a country which operates foreign exchange controls.

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## 14 SHARE CAPITAL

	<b>Group and Company</b>	
	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
	<b>No. of shares</b>	
<b>Fully paid ordinary shares, with no par value:</b>		
On issue at 1 January and 31 December	752,994,775	752,994,775

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 shares rank equally with regard to the Company's residual assets.

### **Capital management**

The Group's policy is to maintain adequate capital base to maintain investor, creditor and market confidence and to sustain future development of the business. Capital consists of share capital and reserves of the Group.

Management monitors capital and externally imposed capital requirements based on the following bases (for the Group and the Company) and will report to the Board on any exceptions noted:

- Total equity attributable to equity holders of the Company, excluding revaluation reserve and foreign currency translation reserve ("net equity"); and
- Gearing ratio.

Net equity is calculated as the sum of share capital, capital reserve, statutory reserve and retained earnings. Gearing ratio is calculated as total liabilities divided by net equity.

	<b>Group</b>		<b>Company</b>	
	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
	<b>\$'000</b>	<b>\$'000</b>	<b>\$'000</b>	<b>\$'000</b>
Net equity	185,863	185,221	117,211	115,406
Gearing ratio*	29.8%	25.6%	13.6%	8.6%

\* Following the adoption of SFRS(I) 16 *Leases*, the Group's gearing ratio has increased from 25.6% to 29.8% (Company: 8.6% to 13.6%). This is due to the recognition of right-of-use assets and lease liabilities on 1 January 2019. The comparative information has not been restated. See Note 2.5.

The Group and the Company have complied with the externally imposed capital requirements for the financial years ended 31 December 2019 and 2018.

In addition, as disclosed in note 15, subsidiaries in People's Republic of China (PRC) are required by the laws and regulations of the PRC to contribute to and to maintain a non-distributable statutory reserve fund whose utilisation is subject to approval by relevant PRC authorities. This externally imposed capital requirement has been complied with by the PRC subsidiaries for the financial years ended 31 December 2019 and 2018.

The Board of Directors monitors the level of dividends to ordinary shareholders. There were no changes in the Group's approach to capital management during the year.

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## 15 RESERVES

	Group		Company	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Capital reserve	(415)	(415)	–	–
Statutory reserve	8,490	8,480	–	–
Revaluation reserve	789	789	789	789
Merger reserve	–	–	(1,425)	(1,425)
Foreign currency translation reserve	(23,018)	(21,889)	–	–
Retained earnings	75,630	74,998	15,053	13,248
	61,476	61,963	14,417	12,612

### Capital reserve

The capital reserve comprises negative goodwill arising from acquisition of remaining interest in a subsidiary from NCI written off against shareholder's equity and transaction cost related to selective capital reduction exercise completed on 8 June 2018.

### Statutory reserve

In accordance with the Foreign Enterprise Law applicable to the subsidiaries in the PRC, wholly-owned subsidiaries are required to make appropriation to statutory reserve fund (SRF). At least 10% of the statutory after tax profits as determined in accordance with the applicable PRC accounting standards and regulations must be allocated to the SRF until the cumulative total of the SRF reaches 50% of the subsidiaries' registered capital. Subject to approval from the relevant PRC authorities, the SRF may be used to offset any accumulated losses or increase the registered capital of the subsidiaries. The SRF is not available for dividend distribution to shareholders.

### Revaluation reserve

The revaluation reserve represents increase in the fair value of certain properties that were subject to one-off revaluation exercise conducted in 1994. Any revaluation surplus will remain in revaluation reserve upon the ultimate disposal of the properties.

### Merger reserve

The merger reserve relates to the amalgamation of two subsidiaries (the "amalgamated subsidiaries") into the Company using the "as-if-pooling" method. It represents (1) retained earnings of the amalgamated subsidiaries, (2) the difference between the Company's cost of investment (net of impairment made in prior years) and share capital of the amalgamated subsidiaries, and reversal of impairment on receivables of the amalgamated subsidiaries made in prior years.

### Foreign currency translation reserve

The foreign currency translation reserve comprises foreign exchange differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of foreign operations whose functional currencies are different from the Group's presentation currency.

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## 16 TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	Group		Company	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Trade payables	18,896	20,794	2,747	3,001
Accrued expenses	12,741	11,666	4,667	3,833
Amounts payable for purchase of property, plant and equipment	495	405	447	23
Other payables	6,902	8,402	403	911
Amounts due to subsidiaries:				
– trade	–	–	20	64
– non-trade	–	–	3	22
Deposits	1,663	1,440	5	5
	40,697	42,707	8,292	7,859
Advance billings	221	322	221	322
	40,918	43,029	8,513	8,181

The non-trade amounts due to subsidiaries of the Company are unsecured, interest-free and repayable on demand.

Included in other payables are payables arising from non-inventorised purchases.

## 17 LEASE LIABILITIES

	Group 2019 \$'000	Company 2019 \$'000
<b>Non-current liabilities</b>		
Lease liabilities	7,254	5,628
<b>Current liabilities</b>		
Lease liabilities	2,142	162

### Market and liquidity risks

Information about the Group's and the Company's exposure to interest rate, foreign currency and liquidity risks is included in note 26.

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## 17 LEASE LIABILITIES (CONT'D)

### Terms and debt repayment schedule

Terms and conditions of outstanding lease liabilities are as follows:

	Currency	Nominal interest rate	Year of maturity	2019	
				Face value \$'000	Carrying amount \$'000
<b>Group</b>					
Lease liabilities	SGD	3.44%-3.91%	2041-2044	8,653	5,790
Lease liabilities	MYR	6.90%-6.95%	2020-2024	1,107	1,084
Lease liabilities	RMB	4.75%	2020-2024	2,759	2,522
				<u>12,519</u>	<u>9,396</u>
<b>Company</b>					
Lease liabilities	SGD	3.44%-3.91%	2041-2044	<u>8,653</u>	<u>5,790</u>

### Reconciliation of movements of liabilities to cash flows arising from financing activities:

	Lease liabilities S\$'000
<b>Group</b>	
Balance at 1 January 2019	–
Recognition of lease liabilities on initial application of SFRS(l) 16	11,054
Adjusted balance at 1 January 2019	<u>11,054</u>
<b>Changes in financing cash flows</b>	
Payment of lease liabilities	<u>(5,008)</u>
<b>Total changes from financing cash flows</b>	<u>(5,008)</u>
<b>Other changes</b>	
<b>Liability-related</b>	
New lease	4,042
Remeasurement of lease liabilities*	(1,070)
Interest expense	450
Currency realignment	<u>(72)</u>
<b>Total liability-related other changes</b>	<u>3,350</u>
Balance at 31 December 2019	<u>9,396</u>

\* Remeasurement of lease liabilities during 2019 as a result of early termination of leases during 2019.

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## 18 REVENUE

	<b>Group</b>	
	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
	<b>\$'000</b>	<b>\$'000</b>
Contracts with customers		
– Sale of goods	177,303	180,897
– Revenue from tooling contracts	16,825	16,790
	194,128	197,687

The following table provides information about the nature and timing of the satisfaction of performance obligations in contracts with customers, including significant payment terms, and the related revenue recognition policies.

### Sale of goods

<b>Nature of goods or services</b>	Manufacture and sub-assembly of precision plastic parts and components.
<b>When revenue is recognised</b>	Revenue is recognised at a point in time upon delivery and transfer of control of goods to the customer.
<b>Significant payment terms</b>	Payment is due when control of goods is transferred to the customer, upon delivery and acceptance by the customer. Invoices for sale of goods are payable between 22 to 120 days.
<b>Obligations for returns and refunds, if any</b>	Customer has the right to return the goods to the Group only if the goods are defective.
<b>Obligations for warranties</b>	Standard warranty terms are provided for defective products. These warranties form part of the contract and the customer does not need to purchase the warranty separately (i.e., standard warranty).



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## 18 REVENUE (CONT'D)

### Tooling contracts

<b>Nature of goods or services</b>	Fabrication of precision moulds and dies.
<b>When revenue is recognised</b>	Tooling contracts for which (i) the assets created or generated by the Group's performance have no alternative use to the Group and (ii) the Group has an enforceable right to payment for performance completed to date, are recognised over time. The stage of completion is measured by reference to the stages and progress of work performed, based on records maintained by the Group. An expected loss on the tooling contract is recognised as an expense immediately when it is probable that total tooling cost will exceed total tooling revenue. For contracts that do not meet criteria (i) or (ii) above, revenue is recognised at a point in time when control is transferred to the customer upon completion of the performance obligation.
<b>Significant payment terms</b>	<p>Progress billings to the customer are based on a payment schedule in the contract that is dependent on the achievement of contract milestones. If the value of the tooling services rendered exceeds payments received from the customer, a contract asset is recognised.</p> <p>Invoices for tooling contracts are payable between 0 to 120 days.</p>
<b>Obligations for returns and refunds, if any</b>	Customer has the right to return the goods to the Group only if the goods are defective.
<b>Obligations for warranties</b>	Under the terms of the tooling contracts, the Group is obligated to make good, by repair or replacement, manufacturing defects that become apparent during the warranty period. Standard warranty terms are provided for the tools to supply an agreed number of products. These warranties form part of the contract and the customer does not need to purchase the warranty separately (i.e., standard warranty).

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## 18 REVENUE (CONT'D)

### *Disaggregation of revenue from contracts with customers*

In the following table, revenue from contracts with customers is disaggregated by primary geographical markets, major products and service lines and timing of revenue recognition. The table also includes a reconciliation of the disaggregated revenue with the Group's reportable segments (see note 25).

	← Reportable segments →							
	Singapore		China		Malaysia		Total	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
<b>Group</b>								
<b>Major products/ service line</b>								
Sales of goods	39,560	40,054	98,354	105,156	39,389	35,687	177,303	180,897
Revenue from tooling contracts	6,756	7,211	7,205	7,112	2,864	2,467	16,825	16,790
	<u>46,316</u>	<u>47,265</u>	<u>105,559</u>	<u>112,268</u>	<u>42,253</u>	<u>38,154</u>	<u>194,128</u>	<u>197,687</u>
<b>Timing of revenue recognition</b>								
Products transferred at a point in time	39,560	40,054	98,354	105,156	39,389	35,687	177,303	180,897
Services transferred over time	6,756	7,211	7,205	7,112	2,864	2,467	16,825	16,790
	<u>46,316</u>	<u>47,265</u>	<u>105,559</u>	<u>112,268</u>	<u>42,253</u>	<u>38,154</u>	<u>194,128</u>	<u>197,687</u>

### *Contract balances*

The following table provides information about receivables, contract assets and contract liabilities from contracts with customers.

	Note	Group	
		2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Trade receivables	10	46,428	50,571
Contract assets		1,722	2,353
Contract liabilities		(717)	(581)

The contract assets primarily relate to the Group's rights to consideration for work completed but not billed at the reporting date on tooling contracts. The contract assets are transferred to trade receivables when the rights become unconditional. This usually occurs when the Group invoices the customers.

The contract liabilities primarily relate to advance consideration received from customers for tooling contracts.

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## 18 REVENUE (CONT'D)

### *Contract balances (cont'd)*

Significant changes in the contract assets and the contract liabilities balances during the year are as follows.

	Contract assets		Contract liabilities	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Revenue recognised from prior year balance	–	–	194	1,023
Cash received in advance and not recognised as revenue	–	–	(345)	(296)
Changes in measurement of progress	1,257	1,219	–	–
Contract asset reclassified to trade receivables	(1,858)	(2,254)	–	–

Significant judgements are used to estimate these total contract costs to complete. In making these estimates, management has relied on the expertise of project teams to determine the progress of the tooling contracts and also on past experience of completed projects. The estimated total contract costs is reviewed every reporting period and adjusted where necessary, with the corresponding effect of change being recognised prospectively from the date of change.

The Group applies the practical expedient in paragraph 121 of SFRS(I) 15 and does not disclose information about its remaining performance obligations if the performance obligation is part of a contract that has an original expected duration of one year or less.

## 19 OTHER INCOME

	Group	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Interest income	1,698	1,604
Rental income:		
– Investment property	635	841
– Sub-lease of leasehold property	2,874	2,919
– Others	35	43
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	277	899
Sale of scrap and raw materials	727	707
Government grants	191	173
Others	705	534
	<u>7,142</u>	<u>7,720</u>

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## 20 OTHER OPERATING (EXPENSES)/INCOME, NET

	Group	
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Foreign exchange (loss)/gain, net	(745)	1,253
Reversal of impairment loss on property, plant and equipment	186	–
Property, plant and equipment written off	(307)	(22)
Loss on liquidation of a subsidiary	(60)	–
<b>Other operating (expenses)/income, net</b>	<b>(926)</b>	<b>1,231</b>

## 21 FINANCE COSTS

	Group	
	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000
Interest expense		
– lease liabilities	450	–

## 22 PROFIT BEFORE INCOME TAX

The following items have been included in arriving at profit before income tax:

		Group	
	Note	2019	2018
		\$'000	\$'000
Directors of the Company			
– fees		354	360
– salaries, bonuses and other costs		3,776	3,445
– contributions to defined contribution plans		51	49
Directors of subsidiaries			
– fees		3	86
– salaries, bonuses and other costs		–	18
Audit fees paid or payable to			
– auditors of the Company		138	133
– overseas affiliates of the auditors of the Company		164	184
– other auditors		72	83
Non-audit fees paid or payable to			
– auditors of the Company		–	8
– overseas affiliates of the auditors of the Company		–	15
– other auditors		59	35
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment and investment property	4, 5	11,651	6,987
Staff costs, excluding directors of the Company and subsidiaries			
– salaries, bonuses and other costs		44,202	46,031
– contributions to defined contribution plans		5,733	5,960
Closure cost for Shanghai factory		5,615	–
Operating expenses incurred in relation to investment property		198	201

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## 23 TAX EXPENSE

	Group	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
<b>Current tax expense</b>		
Current year	2,061	2,201
Withholding taxes	310	228
(Over)/Under provision in prior years	(29)	2
	2,342	2,431
<b>Deferred tax expense</b>		
Movements in temporary differences	1,696	1,285
Recognition of tax effect of previously unrecognised tax losses	(394)	(190)
(Over)/Under provision in prior years	(129)	200
	1,173	1,295
<b>Tax expense</b>	3,515	3,726
<b>Reconciliation of effective tax rate</b>		
Profit before income tax	16,205	15,923
Tax calculated using Singapore tax rate of 17% (2018: 17%)	2,755	2,707
Effect of different tax rates in foreign jurisdictions	741	443
Tax exempt income	(880)	(1,003)
Non-deductible expenses	279	674
Tax incentives	(17)	(253)
Recognition of tax effect of previously unrecognised tax losses	(394)	(190)
Utilisation of investment allowances and tax losses previously not recognised	(727)	(236)
Write down of deferred tax assets previously recognised	355	–
(Over)/Under provision in prior years	(158)	202
Current year tax losses and capital allowances for which no deferred tax asset was recognised	1,195	1,139
Withholding taxes	310	228
Others	56	15
	3,515	3,726

The Group has exposure to income taxes in numerous jurisdictions. Significant judgement is involved in determining the group-wide provision for income taxes. There are certain transactions and computations for which the ultimate tax determination is uncertain during the ordinary course of business. The Group recognises liabilities for expected tax issues based on estimates of whether additional taxes will be due. Where the final tax outcome of these matters is different from the amounts that were initially recognised, such differences will impact the income tax and deferred tax provisions in the period in which such determination is made.

Income tax for the subsidiaries in Malaysia is calculated at the statutory rate of 24% (2018: 24%) during the year.

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## 23 TAX EXPENSE (CONT'D)

Income tax for the subsidiaries in China is calculated at the statutory rate of 25% (2018: 25%) during the year except for one of the subsidiaries in China operates in western China of which the industry it operates in enjoys preferential tax rate of 15% (2018: 15%).

In 2018, one of the subsidiaries in China was accredited as a “High and New Technology Enterprise” in 2018 and was entitled to a preferential tax rate of 15% for a period of three years from 2016 to 2018 which is subject to the subsidiary’s compliance with the conditions imposed by the tax authority.

## 24 EARNINGS PER SHARE

	Group	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Basic and diluted earnings per share is based on profit attributable to ordinary shareholders	12,690	11,885
	Number of shares 2019	Number of shares 2018
Weighted average number of ordinary shares (basic and diluted)	752,994,775	752,994,775
Basic and diluted earnings per share (cents)	1.69	1.58

Diluted earnings per share is the same as basic earnings per share as there are no dilutive instruments.

## 25 OPERATING SEGMENTS

The Group has three reportable segments which are geographical segments and are based on the location of assets, namely Singapore, Malaysia and China. These geographical segments are managed separately because they require different marketing strategies and bear different financial and business risks. The location of the Group’s customers is not significantly different from the location of the Group’s assets. In presenting information on the basis of geographical segments, segment revenue and segment assets are based on the geographical location of the assets.

Segment results and assets include items directly attributable to a segment as well as those that can be allocated on a reasonable basis.

Performance is measured based on profit before income tax, depreciation of property, plant and equipment and investment property, finance cost and net foreign exchange gain/(loss) as included in internal management reports that are reviewed by the Group’s chief operating decision maker. Such information is the most relevant in evaluating the results of certain segments relative to other entities that operate within the Group’s industry. Inter-segment pricing is based on terms agreed by the counterparties.

### **Concentration of revenue**

Revenue of approximately \$24,791,000 (2018: \$44,890,000) relates to one (2018: two) external customers with revenue in excess of 10% of Group’s revenue. This revenue relates to Singapore, Malaysia and China segments.

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## 25 OPERATING SEGMENTS (CONT'D)

### Geographical segments

	Singapore		China		Malaysia		Total operations before adjustment		Group adjustment and eliminations		Total operations	
	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
<b>Revenue and expenses</b>												
Total external revenue	46,316	47,265	105,559	112,268	42,253	38,154	194,128	197,687	-	-	194,128	197,687
Inter-segment revenue	72	160	62	125	351	440	485	725	(485)	(725)	-	-
Segment profit before income tax*	18,866	16,158	6,901	6,144	13,860	8,533	39,627	30,835	(10,369)	(8,380)	29,258	22,455
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment and investment property	(2,238)	(1,783)	(4,632)	(3,362)	(4,926)	(2,004)	(11,796)	(7,149)	145	162	(11,651)	(6,987)
Finance cost	(176)	-	(92)	-	(182)	-	(450)	-	-	-	(450)	-
Foreign exchange (loss)/gain (net)	(1,324)	1,026	(350)	(336)	(84)	78	(1,758)	768	1,013	485	(745)	1,253
Share of loss of joint venture (net of tax)	15,128	15,401	1,827	2,446	8,668	6,607	25,623	24,454	(9,211)	(7,733)	16,412	16,721
Profit before income tax	-	-	-	-	(207)	(798)	(207)	(798)	-	-	(207)	(798)
Tax expense	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Net profit for the year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16,205	15,923
											(3,515)	(3,726)
											12,690	12,197

\* After excluding share of results of joint venture, finance cost, foreign exchange (loss)/gain (net) and depreciation.

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## 25 OPERATING SEGMENTS (CONT'D)

### Geographical segments (cont'd)

	Singapore		China		Malaysia		Total operations before adjustment		Group adjustment and eliminations		Total operations	
	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
<b>Other segment information</b>												
Non-current assets ***	65,291	60,052	16,946	15,829	26,702	25,982	108,939	101,863	(46,547)	(48,305)	62,392	53,558
Unallocated assets											178	772
Total non-current assets											62,570	54,330
Capital expenditure**	3,472	1,216	1,865	1,554	2,038	3,643	7,375	6,413	-	-	7,375	6,413
Interest income	977	672	107	127	614	805	1,698	1,604	-	-	1,698	1,604
Segment reporting assets ***	131,356	128,705	74,650	81,386	61,486	57,836	267,492	267,927	(48,596)	(57,138)	218,896	210,789
Unallocated assets											181	796
Total assets											219,077	211,585
Segment reporting liabilities	14,446	8,408	32,423	34,907	9,290	8,522	56,159	51,837	(5,128)	(8,227)	51,031	43,610
Unallocated liabilities											4,412	3,854
Total liabilities											55,443	47,464

\*\* Excluding addition on right-of-use assets.

\*\*\* The Group initially applied the SFRS(I) 16 at 1 January 2019, which requires the recognition of right-of-use assets and lease liabilities for lease contracts that were previously classified as operating leases (see note 2.5). As at 31 December 2019, right-of-use assets and liabilities from those lease contracts amounted to \$10,101,000 and \$9,396,000 respectively. The assets and liabilities are included in Singapore, China and Malaysia segments as at 31 December 2019. The Group has applied SFRS(I) 16 using the modified retrospective approach, under which comparative information is not restated (see note 2.5).



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## 26 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The Group has a system of controls in place to create an acceptable balance between the cost of risks occurring and the cost of managing the risks. Management continually monitors the Group's risk management process to ensure that an appropriate balance between risk and control is achieved.

### **Credit risk**

The carrying amounts of financial assets and contract assets represent the Group and the Company's maximum exposures to credit risk, before taking into account any collateral held. The Group and the Company do not require any collateral in respect of their financial assets.

The Group has a credit policy in place which establishes credit limits for customers and monitors their balances on an ongoing basis. Cash and fixed deposits are placed with banks and financial institutions which are regulated.

The maximum exposure to credit risk from trade and other receivables<sup>+</sup>, and contract assets at the reporting date by geographical areas is as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Singapore	8,782	8,412	6,039	7,537
China	26,492	29,931	738	792
Malaysia	6,023	5,595	371	277
United States	3,475	2,918	1,021	688
Hong Kong	4	438	–	–
Others	4,590	6,875	1,445	2,538
	49,366	54,169	9,614	11,832

+ Excludes prepayments and advances to suppliers.

At the reporting date, there is a concentration of credit risk relating to one at group and two at company (2018: two for both Group and Company) major customers with outstanding receivable balance of approximately \$7,977,000 (2018: \$12,483,000) and \$4,040,000 (2018: \$5,064,000) at the Group and the Company respectively.

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## 26 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (CONT'D)

### *Credit risk (cont'd)*

#### **Expected credit loss assessment**

The Group uses an allowance matrix to measure the ECLs of trade receivables and other receivables<sup>+</sup>, and contract assets which comprise a large number of small balances.

Loss rates are estimated based on actual credit loss experience over the past five years. 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.

The following table provides information about the exposure to credit risks and ECL of trade receivables and other receivables<sup>+</sup>, and contract assets as at 31 December.

	2019		2018	
	Gross carrying amount \$'000	Impairment loss allowance \$'000	Gross carrying amount \$'000	Impairment loss allowance \$'000
<b>Group</b>				
No credit terms	2,124	–	2,817	–
Not past due	39,504	–	43,127	–
Past due 1 to 30 days	5,752	–	6,044	–
Past due 31 to 90 days	1,474	–	1,489	30
Past due more than 90 days	604	92	1,116	394
	49,458	92	54,593	424
<b>Company</b>				
No credit terms	580	–	929	–
Not past due	5,917	–	7,069	–
Past due 1 to 30 days	2,395	–	2,844	–
Past due 31 to 90 days	310	–	539	–
Past due more than 90 days	412	–	452	1
	9,614	–	11,833	1

+ Excludes prepayments and advances to suppliers.

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## 26 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (CONT'D)

### *Credit risk (cont'd)*

#### *Expected credit loss assessment (cont'd)*

Movements in the allowance for impairment loss in respect of trade and other receivables, and contract assets during the year are as follows:

	<b>Group \$'000</b>	<b>Company \$'000</b>
At 1 January 2018	4,637	1
Impairment loss recognised	140	29
Allowance utilised	(4,248)	–
Impairment loss reversed	(65)	(29)
Currency realignment	(40)	–
At 31 December 2018	<u>424</u>	<u>1</u>
At 1 January 2019	424	1
Impairment loss recognised	10	–
Allowance utilised	(338)	(1)
Currency realignment	(4)	–
At 31 December 2019	<u>92</u>	<u>–</u>

### *Cash and cash equivalents*

The Group and the Company held cash and cash equivalents of \$88,455,000 and \$50,566,000, respectively at 31 December 2019 (2018: \$80,310,000 and \$44,400,000). The cash and cash equivalents are held with bank and financial institution counterparties with high credit ratings.

Impairment on cash and cash equivalents has been measured on the 12-month expected loss basis and reflects the short maturities of the exposures. The Group considers that its cash and cash equivalents have low credit risk based on the external credit ratings of the counterparties. The amount of the allowance on cash and cash equivalents is negligible.

### *Non-trade amounts due from related companies and subsidiaries*

The Company held non-trade receivables from its related companies and subsidiaries of \$38,184,000 (2018: \$41,305,000). These balances are amounts lent to related companies and subsidiaries to satisfy funding requirements. Based on an assessment of qualitative and quantitative factors that are indicative of the risk of default (including but not limited to audited financial statements, management accounts and cash flow projections, and available press information, if available), these exposures are considered to have low credit risk. Therefore impairment on these balances has been measured on the 12-month expected credit loss basis and additional net impairment loss of \$Nil (2018: \$903,000) was recognised in profit or loss.

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## 26 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (CONT'D)

### Liquidity risk

The Group monitors its liquidity risk and maintains a level of cash and cash equivalents deemed adequate by management to finance the Group's operations and to mitigate the effects of fluctuations in cash flows.

The following are the remaining contractual maturities of financial liabilities. The amounts are gross and undiscounted, and include contractual interest payments and exclude the impact of netting agreements.

	Carrying amount \$'000	Contractual cash flows \$'000	Less than 1 year \$'000	Between 1 and 5 years \$'000	More than 5 years \$'000
<b>Non-derivative financial liabilities</b>					
<b>Group</b>					
<b>2019</b>					
Trade and other payables <sup>#</sup>	40,697	40,697	40,697	–	–
Lease liabilities	9,396	12,519	2,468	3,273	6,778
<b>2018</b>					
Trade and other payables <sup>#</sup>	42,707	42,707	42,707	–	–
<b>Non-derivative financial liabilities</b>					
<b>Company</b>					
<b>2019</b>					
Trade and other payables <sup>#</sup>	8,292	8,292	8,292	–	–
Lease liabilities	5,790	8,653	375	1,500	6,778
<b>2018</b>					
Trade and other payables <sup>#</sup>	7,859	7,859	7,859	–	–

<sup>#</sup> Excludes advance billings

It is not expected that the cash flows included in the maturity analysis would occur significantly earlier, or at significantly different amounts.

### Market risk

Market risk is the risk that changes in market prices, such as interest rates and foreign exchange rates will affect the Group's income or the value of financial instruments. The objective of market risk management is to manage and control market risk exposures within acceptable parameters, while optimising the return on risk.

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## 26 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (CONT'D)

### *Interest rate risk*

At the reporting date, the interest rate profiles of the Group's interest-bearing financial instruments were as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
<b>Fixed rate instruments</b>				
Financial assets	63,661	53,765	44,457	40,433

The Group's interest-bearing financial assets comprise fixed deposits placed with banks. The deposits were rolled over during the financial year at market interest rates upon maturity.

### *Sensitivity analysis*

The Group does not account for any fixed rate financial assets at FVTPL. Therefore, in respect of fixed rate instruments, a change in interest rates at the reporting date would not affect profit and loss.

### *Foreign currency risk*

The Group is exposed to foreign currency risk on sales, purchases and cash and cash equivalents that are denominated in currencies other than the respective functional currencies of the Group entities. The currency giving rise to this risk is primarily the United States (US) dollar.

The Group's and Company's exposures to foreign currency risk (before elimination of inter-company balances) are as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2019 US dollar \$'000	2018 US dollar \$'000	2019 US dollar \$'000	2018 US dollar \$'000
Trade and other receivables	95,271	98,638	42,081	44,613
Cash and cash equivalents	56,337	44,677	46,666	32,588
Trade and other payables	(67,831)	(70,587)	(1,846)	(1,832)
	83,777	72,728	86,901	75,369

### *Sensitivity analysis*

A one percentage point strengthening of the Singapore dollar against the US dollar at the reporting date would decrease the Group's profit before income tax by approximately \$837,000 (2018: \$727,000) and decrease the Company's profit before income tax by approximately \$869,000 (2018: \$754,000). This analysis assumes that all other variables in particular interest rates, remain constant.

A one percentage point weakening of the Singapore dollar against the US dollar at the reporting date would have had the equal but opposite effect on the amounts shown above, on the basis that all other variables remain constant. The analysis is performed on the same basis for 2018.

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## 26 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (CONT'D)

### *Accounting classification and fair values*

The carrying amounts of financial assets and liabilities (including trade and other receivables, cash and cash equivalents and trade and other payables) are assumed to approximate their fair values because of the short period to maturity or re-pricing. Further, for the current year the fair value disclosure of lease liabilities is also not required.

	<b>Designated at FVTPL \$'000</b>	<b>Amortised costs \$'000</b>	<b>Other financial liabilities \$'000</b>	<b>Total carrying amount \$'000</b>
<b>Group</b>				
<b>31 December 2019</b>				
Trade and other receivables <sup>+</sup>	–	47,644	–	47,644
Cash and cash equivalents	–	88,455	–	88,455
Trade and other payables <sup>#</sup>	–	–	(40,697)	(40,697)
	–	136,099	(40,697)	95,402
<b>31 December 2018</b>				
Trade and other receivables <sup>+</sup>	–	51,816	–	51,816
Cash and cash equivalents	–	80,310	–	80,310
Short term investments	3,596	–	–	3,596
Trade and other payables <sup>#</sup>	–	–	(42,707)	(42,707)
	3,596	132,126	(42,707)	93,015
	<b>Amortised costs \$'000</b>	<b>Other financial liabilities \$'000</b>	<b>Total carrying amount \$'000</b>	
<b>Company</b>				
<b>31 December 2019</b>				
Trade and other receivables <sup>+</sup>	38,110	–	–	38,110
Cash and cash equivalents	50,566	–	–	50,566
Trade and other payables <sup>#</sup>	–	(8,292)	–	(8,292)
	88,676	(8,292)	–	80,384
<b>31 December 2018</b>				
Trade and other receivables <sup>+</sup>	43,098	–	–	43,098
Cash and cash equivalents	44,400	–	–	44,400
Trade and other payables <sup>#</sup>	–	(7,859)	–	(7,859)
	87,498	(7,859)	–	79,639

+ Excludes prepayments and advances to suppliers

# Excludes advance billings

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## 27 COMMITMENTS

### *Capital expenditure commitments*

	Group		Company	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Capital expenditure contracted for as at the reporting date but not recognised in the financial statements	10,514	2,764	8,436	454

## 28 RELATED PARTIES

### *Key management personnel compensation*

Key management personnel of the Group are those persons having the authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the entity. The directors and key executives are considered as key management personnel of the Group and Company.

Key management personnel compensation comprises:

	Group	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Directors' fees	354	360
Short term employee benefits	5,154	5,002
Contributions to defined contribution plans	125	129
	<u>5,633</u>	<u>5,491</u>
Comprise amounts paid/payable to:		
– directors of the Company	4,181	3,854
– key executives	1,452	1,637
	<u>5,633</u>	<u>5,491</u>

### *Other related party transactions*

Other than disclosed elsewhere in the financial statements, transactions with related parties are as follows:

	Group	
	2019 \$'000	2018 \$'000
Rental income from a joint venture	237	436

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## 29 DIVIDENDS

The following exempt (one-tier) dividends were declared and paid by the Group and Company:

	<b>Group and Company</b>	
	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
	<b>\$'000</b>	<b>\$'000</b>
<b>Paid by the Company to owners of the Company</b>		
An interim dividend of 0.35 cents (2018: 0.3 cents) per qualifying ordinary share	2,635	2,259
Second interim dividend of 0.25 cents (2018: 0.3 cents) per qualifying ordinary share	1,883	2,259
Final dividend of 1.0 cents (2018: 1.0 cents) per qualifying ordinary share	7,530	7,530
	12,048	12,048

After the reporting date, the following exempt (one-tier) dividends were proposed by the directors. These exempt (one-tier) dividends have not been provided for.

	<b>Group and Company</b>	
	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
	<b>\$'000</b>	<b>\$'000</b>
<b>Proposed by the Company to owners of the Company</b>		
A final dividend of 1.0 cents (2018: 1.0 cents) per qualifying ordinary share	7,530	7,530

## 30 ACQUISITION OF NON-CONTROLLING INTERESTS

In June 2018, the Group acquired an additional 29.36% interest in LCTH, increasing its ownership interests from 70.64% to 100%. The carrying amount of LCTH's net assets in the Group's consolidation financial statements on the date of the acquisition was \$71,675,000. The Group recognised a decrease in NCI and translation reserve of \$21,044,000 and \$6,420,000 respectively, offset by an increase in retained earnings of \$27,464,000 resulting in a net decrease in equity attributable to owners of the Group of \$227,000.

	<b>Group</b>
	<b>2018</b>
	<b>\$'000</b>
Carrying amount of NCI	21,044
Consideration of SCR	(20,716)
Payment of transaction cost related to SCR	(555)
Decrease in equity attributable to owners of the Company	(227)

The decrease in equity attributable to owners of the Company comprised:

- An increase in retained earnings of \$6,748,000;
- A decrease in the translation reserve of \$6,420,000; and
- A decrease in capital reserve of \$555,000.



# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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## 31 LEASES

### Leases as lessee (SFRS(I) 16)

The Group and the Company lease certain properties and IT equipment under lease arrangements that are non-cancellable within one year. Other leases, which include the renewal options, expire at various dates till 2044 and contain provisions for rental adjustments and restrictions to further sub-lease certain properties.

The leases were entered into many years ago as combined leases of land and buildings. Previously, these leases were classified as operating leases under SFRS(I) 1-17.

The Group leases IT equipment with contract terms of less than one year. These leases are short-term leases. The Group has elected not to recognise right-of-use assets and lease liabilities for these leases.

### Right-of-use assets

Right-of-use assets related to leased properties that do not meet the definition of investment property are presented as property, plant and equipment (see note 4).

	<b>Land and buildings 2019 \$'000</b>	<b>Production equipment 2019 \$'000</b>	<b>Total 2019 \$'000</b>
<b>Cost</b>			
At 1 January before application of SFRS (I) 16	–	–	–
Recognition of right-of-use assets on initial application of SFRS (I) 16	11,033	21	11,054
Prepaid leasehold properties previously included in property, plant and equipment	1,169	–	1,169
At 1 January on initial application of SFRS(I) 16	12,202	21	12,223
Additions to right-of-use assets	4,032	10	4,042
Derecognition of right-of-use assets*	(1,066)	(4)	(1,070)
Currency realignment	(115)	(1)	(116)
At 31 December	15,053	26	15,079
<b>Accumulated depreciation</b>			
At 1 January before application of SFRS (I) 16	–	–	–
Depreciation relating to prepaid leasehold properties previously included in property, plant and equipment	350	–	350
At 1 January on initial application of SFRS(I) 16	350	–	350
Depreciation for the year	4,653	18	4,671
Write off	(5)	–	(5)
Currency realignment	(37)	(1)	(38)
At 31 December	4,961	17	4,978
<b>Carrying amount at 31 December</b>	10,092	9	10,101

\* Derecognition of right-of-use assets as a result of early termination of leases during the 2019.

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## 31 LEASES (CONT'D)

Information about leases for which the Group is a lessee is presented below.

### Amounts recognised in profit or loss

	<u>\$'000</u>
<b>2019 – Leases under SFRS(I) 16</b>	
Interest on lease liabilities	450
Income from sub-leasing right-of-use assets presented in 'other income'	(2,874)
Expenses relating to short-term leases	38
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<b>2018 – Operating leases under SFRS(I) 1-17</b>	
Lease expense	5,091
Sub-lease income presented in 'other income'	(2,919)
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### Amounts recognised in statement of cash flows

	<b>2019</b>
	<u>\$'000</u>
<b>Total cash outflow for leases</b>	<hr/> 5,008 <hr/>

### Extension options

Some property leases contain extension options exercisable by the Group up to one year before the end of the non-cancellable contract period. Where practicable, the Group seeks to include extension options in new leases to provide operational flexibility. The extension options held are exercisable only by the Group and not by the lessors. The Group assesses at lease commencement date whether it is reasonably certain to exercise the extension options. The Group reassesses whether it is reasonably certain to exercise the options if there is a significant event or significant changes in circumstances within its control.

The Group has no potential exercisable option as at 31 December 2019.

### Leases as lessor

The Group leases out its investment property consisting of its investment property (see note 5). All leases are classified as operating leases from a lessor perspective.

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## 31 LEASES (CONT'D)

### Operating lease

The Group leases out its investment property (see note 5) and sub-lease a leasehold property to a joint venture of the Group and a third party. The Group has classified these leases as operating leases, because they do not transfer substantially all of the risk and rewards incidental to the ownership of the assets.

Rental income from investment property and property sublease recognised by the Group during 2019 was \$3,509,000 (2018: \$3,760,000).

The following table sets out a maturity analysis of lease payments, showing the undiscounted lease payments to be received after the reporting date.

	<u>\$'000</u>
<b>2019 – Operating leases under SFRS(I) 16</b>	
Less than one year	<u>1,376</u>
<b>Total</b>	<u>1,376</u>
<b>2018 – Operating leases under SFRS(I) 1-17</b>	
Less than one year	<u>3,542</u>
Between one and two years	<u>1,378</u>
<b>Total</b>	<u>4,920</u>

# STATISTICS OF SHAREHOLDINGS

As At 16 April 2020

## RULE 1207(9)

Number of Issued and Paid-up Share Capital	:	S\$102,157,996.20
Number of Issued and Paid-up Shares	:	752,994,775
Class of Shares	:	Ordinary Shares
Voting Rights	:	One Vote per Ordinary Share
Number and Percentage of Treasury Shares	:	Nil
Number and Percentage of Subsidiary Holdings Held	:	Nil

## DISTRIBUTION OF SHAREHOLDINGS

SIZE OF SHAREHOLDINGS	NO. OF SHAREHOLDERS		NO. OF SHARES	
		%		%
1 – 99	71	1.04	2,889	0.00
100 – 1,000	345	5.03	172,522	0.02
1,001 – 10,000	3,053	44.54	15,440,162	2.05
10,001 – 1,000,000	3,344	48.78	228,025,749	30.28
1,000,001 AND ABOVE	42	0.61	509,353,453	67.65
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6,855</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>752,994,775</b>	<b>100.00</b>

## SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS AS AT 16 APRIL 2020

(As recorded in the Register of Substantial Shareholders)

	Direct Interest	%	Deemed Interest	%
Ho Nee Kit	96,999,225	12.88	–	–
Tam Wai	96,715,475	12.84	300,000 <sup>1</sup>	0.04
Ching Heng Yang	88,965,475	11.81	–	–

### Note:

1. Mr Tam Wai is deemed to be interested in the 300,000 shares held by his spouse.

# STATISTICS OF SHAREHOLDINGS

As At 16 April 2020

## TWENTY LARGEST SHAREHOLDERS

NO.	NAME	NO. OF SHARES	%
1	HO NEE KIT	96,999,225	12.88
2	TAM WAI	96,715,475	12.84
3	CHING HENG YANG	88,965,475	11.81
4	DBS NOMINEES (PRIVATE) LIMITED	57,272,500	7.61
5	RAFFLES NOMINEES (PTE.) LIMITED	24,755,550	3.29
6	CITIBANK NOMINEES SINGAPORE PTE LTD	24,602,000	3.27
7	UNITED OVERSEAS BANK NOMINEES (PRIVATE) LIMITED	17,895,881	2.38
8	HEW LIEN LEE	8,100,000	1.08
9	MAYBANK KIM ENG SECURITIES PTE. LTD.	7,915,955	1.05
10	PHILLIP SECURITIES PTE LTD	7,026,925	0.93
11	HENG SIEW ENG	5,716,000	0.76
12	OCBC NOMINEES SINGAPORE PRIVATE LIMITED	5,074,010	0.67
13	LOH TEE YANG	5,000,800	0.66
14	UOB KAY HIAN PRIVATE LIMITED	4,718,500	0.63
15	IFAST FINANCIAL PTE. LTD.	4,135,100	0.55
16	ABN AMRO CLEARING BANK N.V.	3,923,950	0.52
17	LIM & TAN SECURITIES PTE LTD	3,451,600	0.46
18	OCBC SECURITIES PRIVATE LIMITED	3,333,789	0.44
19	BNP PARIBAS NOMINEES SINGAPORE PTE. LTD.	2,923,000	0.39
20	LIEW CHOON FONG	2,900,000	0.39
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>471,425,735</b>	<b>62.61</b>

As at 16 April 2020, 60.87% of the issued and paid-up shares of the Company were held in the hands of the public (based on the information available to the Company). Accordingly, the Company has complied with Rule 723 of the Listing Manual of Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON DIRECTORS SEEKING RE-ELECTION

Mr Foo Say Tun, Mr Tam Wai and Mr Hew Lien Lee are the Directors seeking re-election at the forthcoming annual general meeting of the Company (“**AGM**”) (collectively, the “**Retiring Directors**” and each a “Retiring Director”).

Pursuant to Rule 720(6) of the Listing Manual of the SGX-ST, the information relating to the Retiring Directors as set out in the Appendix 7.4.1 to the Listing Manual of the SGX-ST is set out below:–

	<b>MR FOO SAY TUN</b>	<b>MR TAM WAI</b>	<b>MR HEW LIEN LEE</b>
Date of Appointment	27 November 2007	10 December 1980	22 March 2007
Date of last re-appointment	28 April 2017	26 April 2018	26 April 2018
Age	54	69	63
Country of principal residence	Singapore	Singapore	Singapore
The Board’s comments on this re-appointment	The Nominating Committee (“ <b>NC</b> ”), having reviewed and considered the qualification, independence, expertise, past experience and overall contribution of Mr Foo Say Tun (“ <b>Mr Foo</b> ”), recommended to the Board that Mr Foo be nominated for re-election at the forthcoming AGM. The Board accepted the NC’s recommendation and recommends shareholders to approve the re-election of Mr Foo as Director of the Company.	The NC, having reviewed and considered the qualification, expertise, past experience and overall contribution of Mr Tam Wai (“ <b>Mr Tam</b> ”), recommended to the Board that Mr Tam be nominated for re-election at the forthcoming AGM. The Board accepted the NC’s recommendation and recommends shareholders to approve the re-election of Mr Tam as Director of the Company.	The NC, having reviewed and considered the qualification, expertise, past experience and overall contribution of Mr Hew Lien Lee (“ <b>Mr Hew</b> ”), recommended to the Board that Mr Hew be nominated for re-election at the forthcoming AGM. The Board accepted the NC’s recommendation and recommends shareholders to approve the re-election of Mr Hew as Director of the Company.
Whether appointment is executive, and if so, the area of responsibility	Non-Executive	Executive, Mr Tam oversees the mould design and fabrication operations of the Group.	Executive, Mr Hew is responsible for the overall strategic direction and management of the Group.
Job Title (e.g. Lead ID, AC Chairman, AC Member etc.)	Chairman of NC and member of Audit and Remuneration Committees.	Executive Director	Executive Director, Chief Executive Officer and Chief Operating Officer.
Professional Qualifications	Bachelor of Laws Degree from the University of East Anglia (UK), and was admitted to Middle Temple (UK) as a Barrister-at-Law.	Member of the Singapore Institute of Directors.	Diploma in Electrical Engineering and Member of the Singapore Institute of Directors.
Any relationship (including immediate family relationships) with any existing director, existing executive officer, the issuer and/or substantial shareholder of the listed issuer or of any of its principal subsidiaries	No	Mr Tam, Mr Ching Heng Yang and Mr Ho Nee Kit are concert parties.	No
Conflict of interests (including any competing business)	No	No	No

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON DIRECTORS SEEKING RE-ELECTION

	MR FOO SAY TUN	MR TAM WAI	MR HEW LIEN LEE
Working experience and occupation(s) during the past 10 years	<p>Mr Foo was a lawyer practicing civil and commercial litigation, arbitration and corporate law. He was called to the Malaysia Bar in 1992 and the Singapore Bar in 1995.</p> <p>Mr Foo is currently the Chief Executive Officer of ZWEEC Analytics Pte Ltd, a post which he assumed on 2 January 2020. He also serves as an independent director of Money max Financial Services Limited.</p>	<p>Mr Tam is one of the co-founders of Fu Yu Corporation Limited and was appointed as the Executive Director of the Company since 1980. Mr Tam has over 50 years of experience in the mould fabrication and plastic injection moulding industry.</p>	<p>Mr Hew joined Fu Yu in 1984 and was appointed as Executive Director and Chief Operating Officer of the Company on 22 March 2007. He was appointed acting Chief Executive Officer on 21 May 2014 and was promoted to Chief Executive Officer of the Group on 26 February 2016. With 40 years of experience in the plastic injection moulding industry, he has played an instrumental role in the successful listing of LCTH Corporation Berhad.</p>
Undertaking has been submitted to the listed issuer in the form of Appendix 7.7 under Rule 720(1)	Yes	Yes	Yes
Shareholding interest in the listed issuer and its subsidiaries	None	<p>Direct: 96,715,475 ordinary shares (representing 12.84% interest) in Fu Yu Corporation Limited</p> <p>Deemed: 300,000 ordinary shares (representing 0.04% interest) in Fu Yu Corporation Limited.</p>	8,100,000 ordinary shares (representing 1.08% interest) in Fu Yu Corporation Limited.
Other Principal Commitments Including Directorships:			
Past (for the last 5 years)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Jubilee Industries Holdings Limited</li> <li>2) Qingmei Group Holdings Limited</li> <li>3) Sino Techfibre Limited</li> </ol>	Nil	Nil
Present	<p><u>Directorships:</u> Moneymax Financial Services Limited</p> <p><u>Other Principal Commitments:</u>  <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Aquapro Solutions Pte. Ltd.</li> <li>2) DynaGen Power Systems Pte. Ltd.</li> <li>3) Ioni Water Pte. Ltd.</li> <li>4) M Grade Services Pte Ltd</li> <li>5) Business Foundation Pte Ltd</li> <li>6) ZWEEC Analytics Pte. Ltd.</li> </ol> </p>	<p><u>Directorships:</u> LCTH Corporation Sdn. Bhd.</p> <p><u>Other Principal Commitments:</u> Nil</p>	<p><u>Directorships:</u> LCTH Corporation Sdn. Bhd.</p> <p><u>Other Principal Commitments:</u> Nil</p>

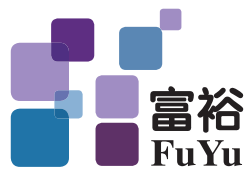
## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON DIRECTORS SEEKING RE-ELECTION

**Disclose the following matters concerning an appointment of director, chief executive officer, chief financial officer, chief operating officer, general manager or other officer of equivalent rank. If the answer to any question is “yes”, full details must be given.**

Mr Foo Say Tun, Mr Tam Wai and Mr Hew Lien Lee have answered “No” to all of the following questions.

- (a) Whether at any time during the last 10 years, an application or a petition under any bankruptcy law of any jurisdiction was filed against him or against a partnership of which he was a partner at the time when he was a partner or at any time within 2 years from the date he ceased to be a partner?
- (b) Whether at any time during the last 10 years, an application or a petition under any law of any jurisdiction was filed against an entity (not being a partnership) of which he was a director or an equivalent person or a key executive, at the time when he was a director or an equivalent person or a key executive of that entity or at any time within 2 years from the date he ceased to be a director or an equivalent person or a key executive of that entity, for the winding up or dissolution of that entity or, where that entity is the trustee of a business trust, that business trust, on the ground of insolvency?
- (c) Whether there is any unsatisfied judgment against him?
- (d) Whether he has ever been convicted of any offence, in Singapore or elsewhere, involving fraud or dishonesty which is punishable with imprisonment, or has been the subject of any criminal proceedings (including any pending criminal proceedings of which he is aware) for such purpose?
- (e) Whether he has ever been convicted of any offence, in Singapore or elsewhere, involving a breach of any law or regulatory requirement that relates to the securities or futures industry in Singapore or elsewhere, or has been the subject of any criminal proceedings (including any pending criminal proceedings of which he is aware) for such breach?
- (f) Whether at any time during the last 10 years, judgment has been entered against him in any civil proceedings in Singapore or elsewhere involving a breach of any law or regulatory requirement that relates to the securities or futures industry in Singapore or elsewhere, or a finding of fraud, misrepresentation or dishonesty on his part, or he has been the subject of any civil proceedings (including any pending civil proceedings of which he is aware) involving an allegation of fraud, misrepresentation or dishonesty on his part?
- (g) Whether he has ever been convicted in Singapore or elsewhere of any offence in connection with the formation or management of any entity or business trust?
- (h) Whether he has ever been disqualified from acting as a director or an equivalent person of any entity (including the trustee of a business trust), or from taking part directly or indirectly in the management of any entity or business trust?
- (i) Whether he has ever been the subject of any order, judgment or ruling of any court, tribunal or governmental body, permanently or temporarily enjoining him from engaging in any type of business practice or activity?
- (j) Whether he has ever, to his knowledge, been concerned with the management or conduct, in Singapore or elsewhere, of the affairs of:—
  - (i) any corporation which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement governing corporations in Singapore or elsewhere; or
  - (ii) any entity (not being a corporation) which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement governing such entities in Singapore or elsewhere; or
  - (iii) any business trust which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement governing business trusts in Singapore or elsewhere; or
  - (iv) any entity or business trust which has been investigated for a breach of any law or regulatory requirement that relates to the securities or futures industry in Singapore or elsewhere, in connection with any matter occurring or arising during that period when he was so concerned with the entity or business trust?
- (k) Whether he has been the subject of any current or past investigation or disciplinary proceedings, or has been reprimanded or issued any warning, by the Monetary Authority of Singapore or any other regulatory authority, exchange, professional body or government agency, whether in Singapore or elsewhere?





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