VALUE AND PROPORTION OF TRADE INVOLVING OUTWARD PROCESSING IN THE MAINLAND OF CHINA

				Percentage				
		Percentage		change over				
	2 nd qtr.	change over	Jan-Jun	Jan-Jun				
_	2008	2 nd qtr. 2007	2008	2007				
	(HKD	(%)	(HKD Mn.)	(%)				
	Mn.)							
Total value of trade with the mainland of China *:								
Total exports to the mainland of China	345,508	+7.7	657,895	+9.3				
Domestic exports	9,331	-14.0	17,662	-7.6				
Re-exports	336,177	+8.5	640,233	+9.9				
Imports from the mainland of China	348,727	+5.3	659,832	+7.5				
Re-exports of the mainland of China origin to other places	275,764	+6.2	528,245	+6.9				

The value excludes commodities and transactions not classified according to kind.

Value of trade involving outward processing in the mainland of China:

origin to other places

Total exports to the mainland of China	130,820	+8.1	232,348	+3.5
Domestic exports	3,734	-31.4	7,096	-22.1
Re-exports	127,087	+9.9	225,252	+4.6
Imports from the mainland of China	204,163	-1.3	388,245	+0.2
Re-exports of the mainland of China	184,547	- 9.6	388,052	+0.8
origin to other places				

	2 nd qtr.	2 nd qtr.	Jan-Jun	Jan-Jun			
	2008	2007	2008	2007			
_	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)			
<u>Proportion of trade involving outward processing in the mainland of China</u> :							
Total exports to the mainland of China	37.9	37.7	35.3	37.3			
Domestic exports	40.0	50.2	40.2	47.7			
Re-exports	37.8	37.3	35.2	36.9			
Imports from the mainland of China	58.5	62.5	58.8	63.1			
Re-exports of the mainland of China	66.9	78.6	73.5	77.9			