

2021 Annual Results

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Company Overview



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Western China focus - Shaanxi, Xinjiang and Guizhou



Africa focus – Mozambique



The largest cement producer in Shaanxi Province by NSP production capacity

Cement capacity: 29.0mt Shaanxi: 21.7mt Xinjiang: 3.5mt Guizhou: 1.8mt Mozambique: 2.0mt Market leader in Southern and Eastern Central Shaanxi

Aggregates capacity: 15.0mt Commercial concrete capacity: 10.0mcm

- 100% NSP capacity. Matching Clinker/Cement volumes at each plant
- Southern Shaanxi core markets: Dominant market position
- Eastern Central Shaanxi core market: Access to Xi'an metropolitan market
- Mozambique: Growth opportunities
- Well positioned to capitalize on West China development
- A key strategic cement asset in North West China



2021 Annual Results

2021 Annual Results Highlights



Operational

Cement:

- Period-end installed capacity of 29.0mt (31 Dec 2020: 33.2mt)
- Sales volume of 19.9mt (31 Dec 2020: 19.6mt). Including clinker sales 20.3mt (31 Dec 2020: 19.9mt)
- ASP of RMB339/t (31 Dec 2020: RMB301/t)

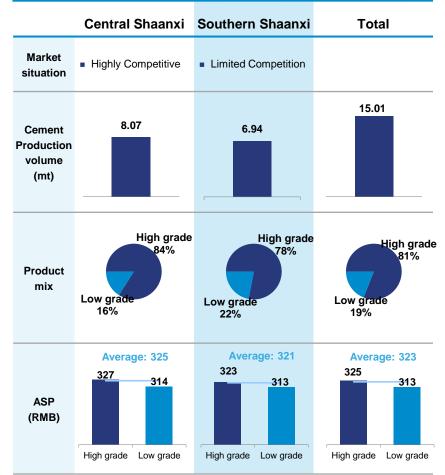
Aggregates:

- Period-end installed capacity of 15.0mt (31 Dec 2020: 15.0mt)
- Sales volume of 4.40mt (31 Dec 2020: 3.44mt)
- ASP of RMB35/t (31 Dec 2020: RMB37/t)

Commercial Concrete:

- Period-end installed capacity of 10.0mcm (31 Dec 2020: 9.8mcm)
- Sales volume of 1.34mcm (31 Dec 2020: 1.57mcm)
- ASP of RMB427/cm (31 Dec 2020: RMB455/cm)
- Financial
 - Gross Profit increase to RMB2,376.6m (31 Dec 2020: RMB2,342.5m)
 - EBITDA increase to RMB3,194.8m (31 Dec 2020: RMB2,996.8m)
 - Profit Attributable to Shareholders RMB1,585.1m (31 Dec 2020: RMB1,560.5m)
 - Net Gearing 42.3% (31 Dec 2020: 21.2%)
 - Cash & cash equivalents of RMB4,140.1m (31 Dec 2020: RMB1,375.3m)
- Further Developments
 - The Tongchuan Plant, Shaanxi was commissioned in June 2021.
 - The Group successfully issued a USD 600 million 5-year Senior note at 4.95% p.a. interest rate.
 - The Group fully repaid the syndicated loan of USD 150 million.

Regional operational metrics (Cement)



Financial Analysis and KPIs



RMB Million (unless otherwise specified)	Ended 31 Dec 2021	Ended 31 Dec 2020	% Change		Ended 31 Dec 2021	Ended 31 Dec 2020
Sale Volume:				Cement:		
Cement (mt)	19.9	19.6	1.5%	ASP/t (RMB)	339	301
Aggregates (mt)	4.40	3.44	27.9%	GP/t (RMB)	105	100
Commercial Concrete (mcm)	1.34	1.57	(14.6%)			
Revenue	8,002.8	7,131.1	12.2%	Aggregates:		
Gross Profit	2,376.6	2,342.5	1.5%	ASP/t (RMB)	35	37
EBITDA ⁽¹⁾	3,194.8	2,996.8	6.6%	GP/t (RMB)	20	17
Profit/(Loss) Attributable to Shareholders	1,585.1	1,560.5	1.6%	Commercial Concrete:		
Basic EPS (cents)	29.1	28.7	1.4%	ASP/cm (RMB)	427	455
Dividend (cents)	8.7	8.6	1.2%	GP/cm (RMB)	80	91
Special Dividend (cents)	N/A	3.4	N/A			
Gross Profit Margin	29.7%	32.9%	(3.2ppt)	Trade receivable	00	50
EBITDA Margin	39.9%	42.0%	(2.1ppt)	Turnover Days ⁽⁵⁾	68	50
	As at 31 Dec 2021	As at 31 Dec 2020		Inventory Turnover Days ⁽⁶⁾	60	53
Total Assets	26,648.4	18,906.2	41.0%	Trade payable	124	118
Net Debt ⁽²⁾	4,990.4	2,237.0	123.1%	Turnover Days ⁽⁷⁾		
Net Gearing ⁽³⁾	42.3%	21.2%	21.1ppt			
Net Debt / EBITDA	1.6	0.7	128.6%			
EBITDA / Fixed Charge ⁽⁴⁾	8.4	15.1	(44.4%)			
Net Assets Per Share(cents)	217	194	11.9%			

1.EBITDA is defined as profit before tax minus net foreign exchange (losses) gains, interest income and gain on disposal of an associate, plus finance costs, impairment losses as well as total depreciation and amortization expenses.

2.Net debt equal to bank borrowings, medium-term notes and senior notes, less bank balances and cash as well as restricted / pledged bank deposits

3.Net Gearing is measured as net debt to equity

4. Fixed charge means gross interest expenses.

5.365 day / (Turnover / Average trade and bill receivables)

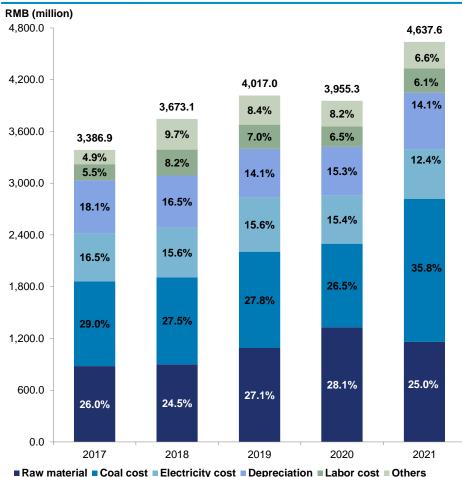
6.365 day / (Production cost / Average inventory)

7.365 day / (Production cost / Average trade and bill payables)

Production Cost Analysis



Production Cost (Cement)

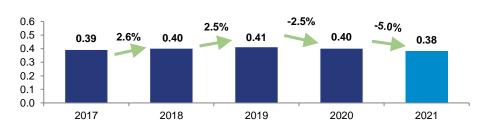


Average Coal Cost



Average Electricity Cost

(RMB per kwh)



Average Limestone Cost



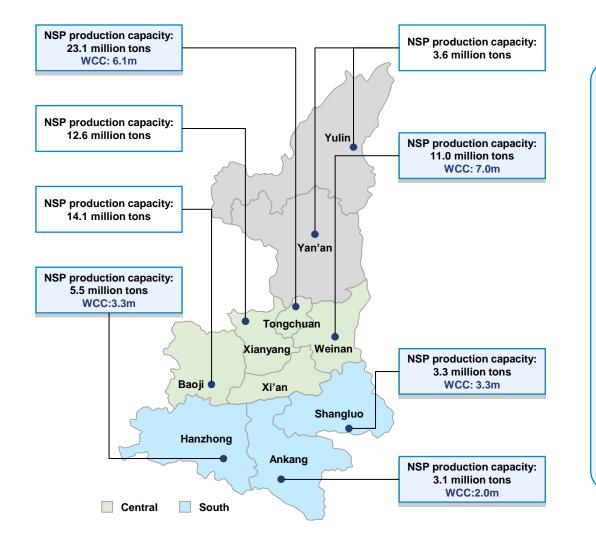


Operations & Markets



WCC Position in Shaanxi

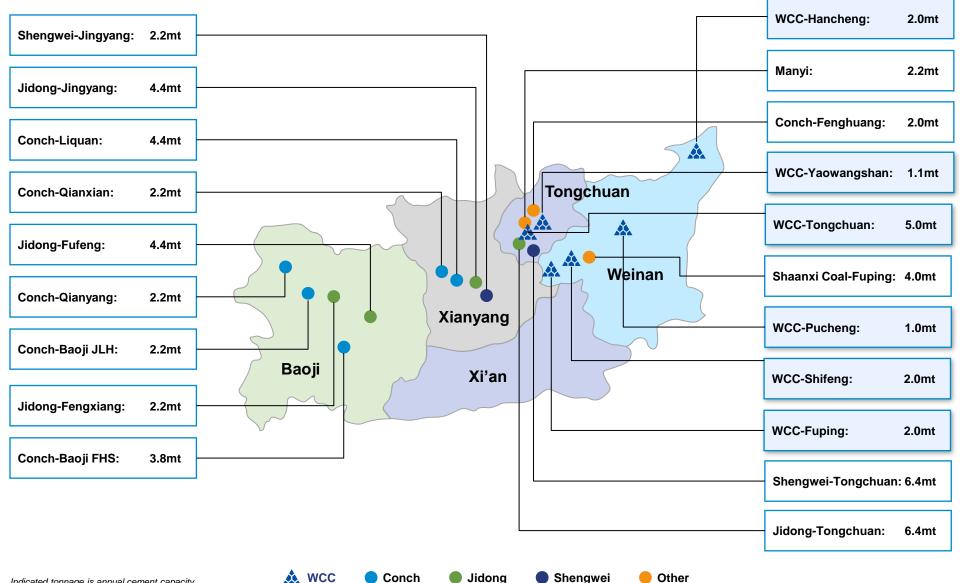




- Southern Shaanxi Shangluo, Ankang & Hanzhong
- ☑ An area dominated by the Qingling Mountains
- ☑ Market shares of 60%-100% in each region
- Limited limestone deposits have resulted in relatively little new cement capacity over the past few years
- ☑ Long transportation distances from other markets
- Results in a disciplined supply side with good pricing power
- Central Shaanxi Weinan, Xi'an, Tongchuan, Xianyang & Baoji
- ☑ Dominated by the Xi'an market which is 30-40% of provincial demand
- ☑ Plentiful limestone, new capacity, more competition
- Positioned to benefit from Xi-Xian New Area development plans

Central Shaanxi – Competitive Landscape



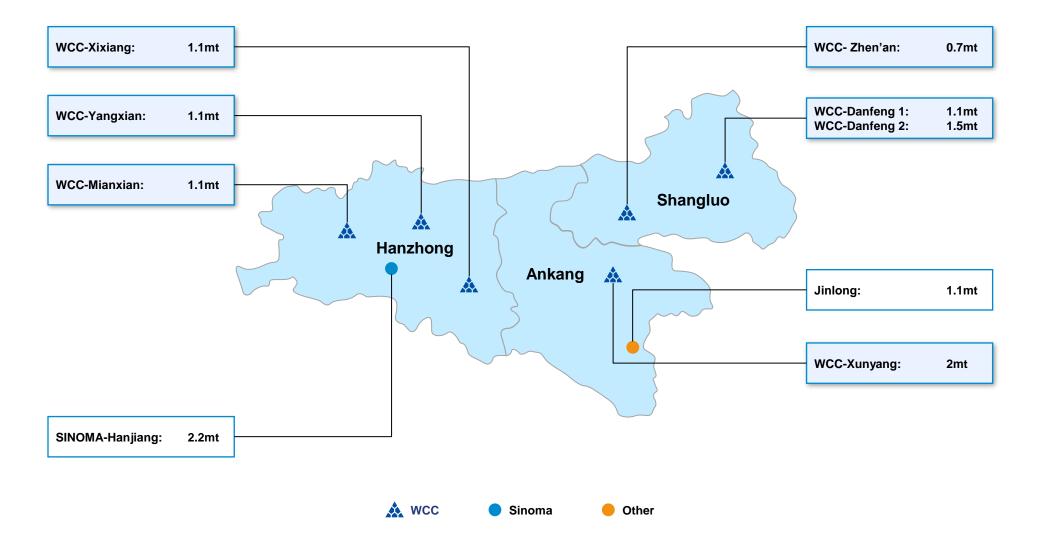


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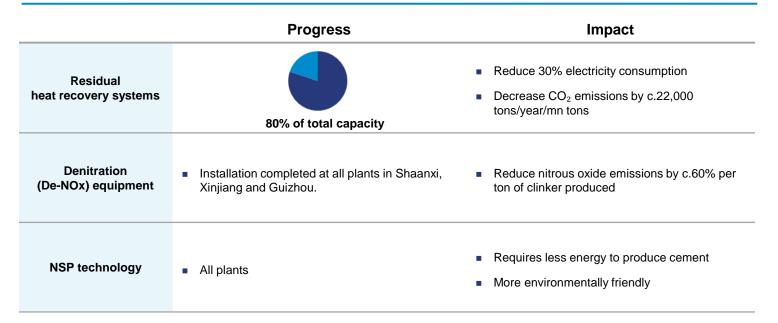
Southern Shaanxi – Competitive Landscape

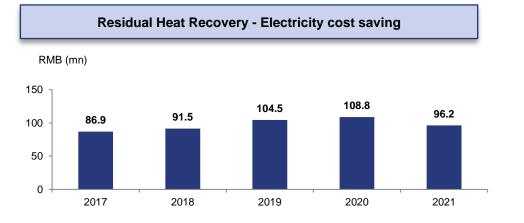






New environmental standards – upgrades and cost savings







Key infrastructure projects

Xi'an-Yan'an High-Speed Railway

- The Xi'an-Yan'an Railway is a component of the Baohai High-speed Railway Passage and Shaanxi's "米"shaped high-speed railway network. It starts from north end of Xi'an East Railway Station, passes through the Trade & Logistics Park of Gaoling, Yanliang, Fuping, Yaozhou, Wangyi, Yintai, Yijun, Huangling, Luochuan, Fuxian, Ganquan, and then extends northward to Yan'an New District Station after being introduced into Yan'an Railway Station. Total distance of the Expressway is approx. 300 km with a total investment of 60 billion, and a speed of 350 kilometers per hour.
- Construction commenced in 2020 with total construction of approx. 1.5 million tons. As of 2021, WCC supplied approx. 100,000 tons and expects to supply approx. 410,000 tons in 2022.

Ankang to Langao (Shanyujie) Expressway

- The project connects the northern bank of Yue River in Hanbinqu in Ankang with Shiyan-Tianshui Expressway and ends at the intersection of two provinces inside Dabashan Tunnel in Shanyujie, which connects with the Kaixian-Chengkuo Expressway that is under construction in Chongqing, with a total distance of 88.583km.
- Construction commenced at the end of 2017 with total consumption of approx. 1.5 million tons. As of 2021, WCC supplied approx. 60,000 tons and expects to supply approx. 120,000 tons in 2022.

Hanzhong-Bazhong-Nanchong High-Speed Railway

- The Nanchong to Bazhong section of Hanzhong-Bazhong-Nanchong Railway is located in Nanchong City and Bazhong City, Sichuan Province. It starts from the Nanchong North Station of Lanzhou-Chongqing Railway, passes through Nanchong City, Shunqing District, Pengan Country, Southern County, Yilong County, Enyang District of Bazhong City, Bazhou District, Jingkai District, and connected to Bazhong East Station to the Hanzhong Station. Currently, the 5th bid and 6th bid have signed the supply contracts.
- Construction commenced in 2020 with total construction of approx. 300,000 tons. As of 2021, WCC supplied approx. 90,000 tons and expects to supply approx. 170,000 tons in 2021.

Wuxi-Zhengping Expressway

- Wuxi-Zhengping Expressway starts at WuXi, and passes through Dahe, LiangHeKou and ZhongBa, and exits at the Chongqing-Shaanxi cross-boarder tunnel. It is connected to AnKang-ZhengPing Expressway. The total distance of the expressway is 50 km with a cruising speed of 80km per hour. It is a 2-way 4-lane carriageway with an approx. investment of 9.91billions.
- Construction commenced in 2020 with total consumption of approx. 1 million tons. As of 2021, WCC supplied approx. 60,000 tons and expects to supply approx. 80,000 tons in 2022.

Xi'an-Ankang High-Speed Railway

- Xi'an-Ankang Railway starts from Xi'an East Station to Ankang West Station via Zhashui, Zhen'an and Xunyang. Total distance of the Railway is approx. 170.2 km, with a total investment of RMB 32.92 billion. The planned construction period is 5 years.
- Construction commenced in 2021 with total construction of approx. 1.5 million tons. As of 2021, WCC supplied approx. 10,000 tons and expects to supply approx. 220,000 tons in 2021.

Shiyan-Wuxi Expressway

- Shiyan-Wuxi Expressway starts at Yunxi, passes through Zhushan, Zhuxi, connected to the Pinli to Zhengping section of Anlai Express near the Maozi temple in Zhenping County, Shaanxi Province and Anlai high-speed Pingli to Zhenping section, taking Ankang- Laifeng Expressway to Wuxi. The total planned distance of the Expressway is approx. 180 km, of which about 173 km in Hubei Province, while 7 km in Zhenping County, Shaanxi Province.
- Construction commenced in 2021 with total construction of approx. 1 million tons. As of 2021, WCC supplied approx. 10,000 tons and expects to supply approx. 10,000 tons in 2021.

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Other infrastructure projects

Project Name	Planned Construction Period	Project Name	Planned Construction Period
Railway			
Huaneng Power-Coal Transportation Railway (Central Region)	2021-2024		
Expressway			
Chengcheng-Weizhuang Expressway (Central Region)	2020-2022	Ningshan-Shiquan Expressway (Shannan Region)	2018-2022
Lushi-Luanchuan Expressway (Shannan Region)	2019-2022	Lushi Ecological Corridor (Shannan Region)	2020-2022
Xixia-Xichuan Expressway (Shannan Region)	2020-2022	Lushi-Luonan Expressway (Shannan Region)	2021-2023
Beijing-Kunming Expressway (Central Region)	2021-2023	Weizhuang-Luofu Expresseay (Central Region)	2021-2022
Xixian Expressway-Southern Section (Central Region)	2018-2022	Kangxian-Lueyang Expressway (Shannan Region)	2021-2025
Cangxi-Bazhong Expressway (Shannan Region)	2020-2024	Yan'an East Ring Expressway (Central Region)	2021-2023
Chengkou-Kaizhou Expressway (Shannan Region)	2021-2024	Hancheng-Huanglong Expressway (Central Region)	2019-2022
Micangshan Avenue (Shannan Region)	2021-2025	Danfeng-Ningshan Expressway (Shannan Region)	2021-2022
Hydraulic Engineering			
Dongzhuang Reservoir (Central Region)	2013-2022	Xunyang Hydropower Station (Shannan Region)	2017-2022
Han River-Wei River Phase II (Central Region)	2021-2024	Han River-Wei River (Huangjinxia) (Shannan Region)	2018-2022
Yuehe Hydropower Station (Shannan Region)	2017-2023	Tuxikou Reservoir (Shannan Region)	2020-2024
Others			
Xi'an Metro/ Municipal Projects (Central Region)	2014-long term	Xianyang Airport (Central Region)	2020-2024

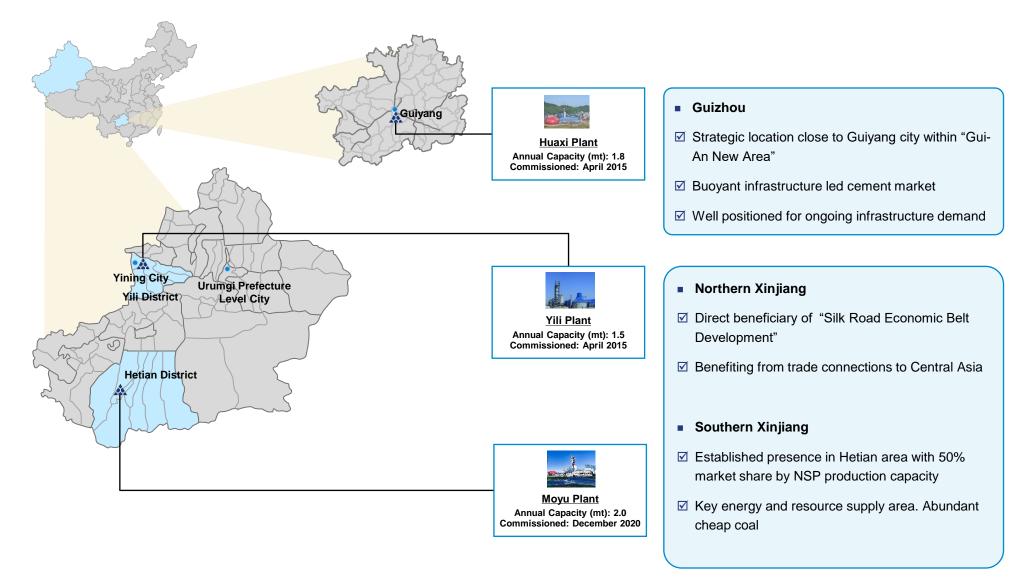


Other infrastructure projects scheduled to commence construction

Project Name	Planned Construction Perio	d Project Name	Planned Construction Period
Railway			
Xi'an-Hancheng Intercity Railway (Central Region)	TBC	Yanliang-Xianyang International Airport Intercity Railway (Central Region)	TBC
Xi'an-FamenTemple Intercity Railway (Central Region)	TBC	Lanzhou-Hanzhong-Shiyan Railway (Shannan Region)	2023-2026
Xi'an-Wuhan Railway (Shannan Region)	2022-2027		
Expressway			
Yangxian-Xixiang Expressway (Shannan Region)	2022-2025		
Hydraulic Engineering			
Hengkou Reservoir (Shannan Region)	TBC	Guxian Reservoir (Central Region)	TBC

Xinjiang and Guizhou - Diversified Revenue Source







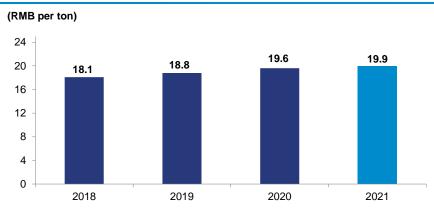
Financial Performance



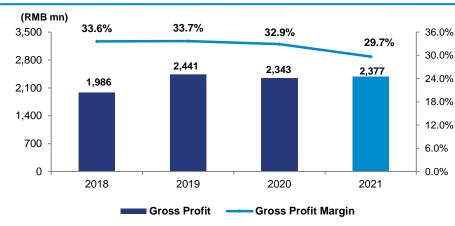
Operational Performance



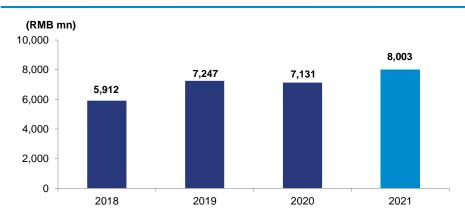
Sales volume of cement



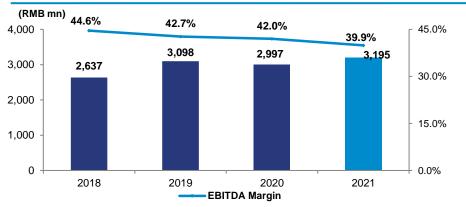
Gross profit and gross profit margin



Revenue

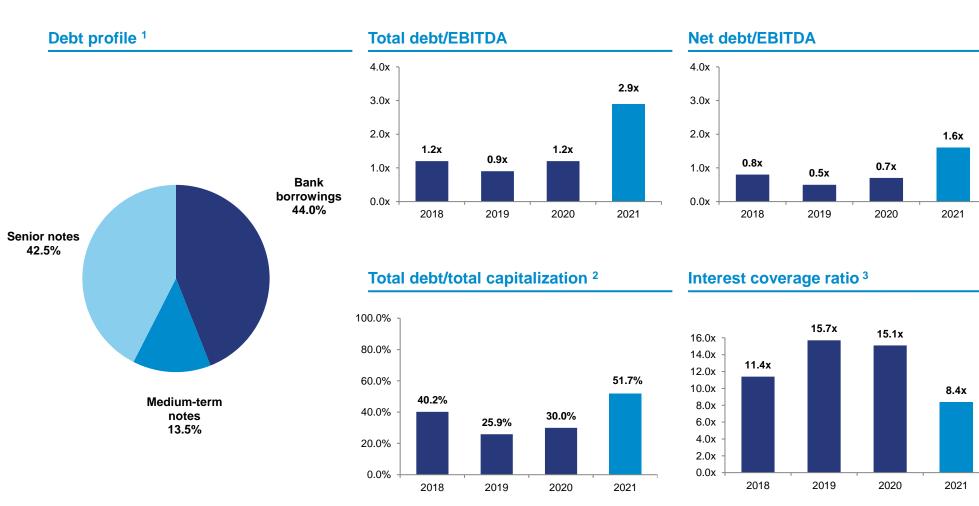


EBITDA and EBITDA margin



Debt Profile & Key Credit Ratios





Source: Company information

- 1. As of December 31, 2021
- 2. Total capitalization equals non-current borrowings plus total equity.
- 3. EBITDA/Gross interest expense.





Appendices





	For the year ended 31 December				
RMB '000	2018	2019	2020	2021	
Revenue	5,911,744	7,247,389	7,131,052	8,002,791	
Cost of Sales	(3,925,988)	(4,806,905)	(4,788,586)	(5,626,224)	
Gross Profit	1,985,756	2,440,484	2,342,466	2,376,567	
Selling and marketing expenses	(54,136)	(57,406)	(63,413)	(74,499)	
Administrative expenses	(336,745)	(360,319)	(405,389)	(554,316)	
Other expenses	-	(25,729)	(77,819)	(24,326)	
Other income	343,986	287,753	285,476	252,958	
Other gains / (losses) – net	(233,828)	(68,008)	(152,663)	386,608	
Impairment losses, under expected credit loss model, net of reversal	(8,387)	(36,517)	(128,408)	(189,450)	
Share of result of an associates	23,683	22,388	16,628	1,904	
Share of result of a joint venture	-	-	-	(190)	
Interest income	140,578	228,231	195,762	169,416	
Finance cost	(228,796)	(187,076)	(165,184)	(261,081)	
Profit/(Loss) before income tax	1,632,111	2,243,801	1,847,456	2,083,591	
Income tax expense	(451,648)	(394,272)	(264,494)	(300,639)	
Profit/(Loss) for the year	1,180,463	1,849,529	1,582,962	1,782,952	

Financial Information Summary of Consolidated Balance Sheet



Assets	As at 31 December			
	2018	2019	2020	2021
Non-current assets				
Property, plant and equipment ("PPE")	7,180,198	7,793,345	11,161,110	13,884,979
Right-of-use assets	459,275	469,021	643,185	823,707
Mining rights	326,926	542,352	539,903	1,117,095
Other intangible assets	199,561	199,235	208,186	232,195
Interest in an associate	80,661	80,269	77,643	-
Interest in a joint venture	-	-	-	9,810
Equity investment at FVTPL	-	-	-	162,181
Loans receivables	837,203	724,182	524,091	323
Deferred income tax assets	39,110	36,557	42,673	92,463
Amount due from non-controlling shareholder of a subsidiary	15,218	-	-	-
Prepayment for right-of-use assets	-	100,278	100,278	58,506
Prepayment for mining rights	-	-	49,170	9,500
Deposit paid for acquisition of PPE	101,002	518,276	199,497	317,301
Deposit paid for acquisition of subsidiaries	-	-	85,200	404,200
Deposits paid for acquisition of an associate	-	-	-	164,257
Other deposits	-	31,241	23,123	2,884
Amount due from a joint venture	-	-	-	534,064
Investment in entrusted product	-	181,855	81,855	-
	9,239,154	10,645,370	13,735,914	17,813,465
Current assets				
Inventories	491,116	665,526	731,434	1,111,169
Trade and other receivables and prepayments	731,256	989,766	1,748,635	2,497,218
Loans receivable	855,453	1,055,444	1,214,955	1,004,581
Structure deposits	-	90,000	100,000	-
Investment in entrusted product	-	-	-	81,855
Restricted pledged bank deposits	189,032	354,148	723,831	632,348
Bank balances and cash	886,046	779,559	651,463	3,507,715
	3,152,903	3,934,443	5,170,318	8,834,886
Total assets	12,392,057	14,579,813	18,906,232	26,648,351

Liabilities and Equity	As at 31 December				
RMB '000	2018	2019	2020	2021	
Non-current liabilities					
Borrowings	-	1,189,589	600,548	1,291,448	
Senior Notes	-	-	-	3,876,911	
MT Notes	-	521,098	1,232,842	712,284	
Asset retirement obligation	45,935	336,398	347,413	337,043	
Deferred income tax liabilities	80,279	63,721	78,701	83,783	
Deferred income	45,542	34,205	35,301	27,771	
Amount due to a non- controlling shareholder of a subsidiary	-	-	1,138,506	-	
Other long-term payables	-	-	-	792,826	
	171,756	2,145,011	3,433,311	7,122,106	
Current liabilities					
Trade and other payables	1,383,034	1,962,133	3,003,112	4,375,905	
Current income tax liabilities	186,738	121,005	63,698	108,877	
MT Notes	-	-	-	524,132	
Borrowings	863,571	1,126,000	1,878,894	2,725,704	
Senior Notes	2,188,003	-	-	-	
	4,621,346	3,209,138	4,945,704	7,734,618	
Total liabilities	4,793,102	5,354,149	8,379,015	14,856,724	
Equity					

Equity				
Total Equity attributable to shareholders	7,525,265	9,052,939	10,330,802	11,313,548
Minority interest	73,690	172,725	196,415	478,079
Total equity	7,598,955	9,225,664	10,527,217	11,791,627
Total equity and liabilities	12,392,057	14,579,813	18,906,232	26,648,351



	For the year ended 31 December				
RMB '000	2018	2019	2020	2021	
Net cash generated from operating activities	2,497,959	2,613,006	2,702,612	1,959,650	
Net cash used in investing activities	(1,681,324)	(2,014,041)	(3,122,968)	(3,516,628)	
Net cash generated from / (used in) financing activities	(1,307,073)	(706,004)	322,040	4,453,422	
Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(490,438)	(107,039)	(98,316)	2,896,444	
Cash and cash equivalent at period end	886,046	779,559	651,463	3,507,715	

Board of Directors



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