# **China Steel Chemical Corporation and Subsidiaries**

Consolidated Financial Statements for the Six Months Ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 and Independent Auditors' Review Report

### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REVIEW REPORT

The Board of Directors and Shareholders China Steel Chemical Corporation

### Introduction

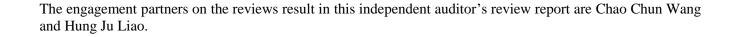
We have reviewed the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of China Steel Chemical Corporation (the Corporation) and its subsidiaries as of June 30, 2025 and 2024, the consolidated statements of comprehensive income for the three months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 and for the six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024, and the consolidated statements of changes in equity and cash flows for the six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies (collectively referred to as the consolidated financial statements). Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers and International Accounting Standard 34 "Interim Financial Reporting" endorsed and issued into effect by the Financial Supervisory Commission (FSC) of the Republic of China. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the consolidated financial statements based on our reviews.

### **Scope of Review**

We conducted our reviews in accordance with the Standards on Review Engagements of the Republic of China 2410 "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity". A review of consolidated financial statements consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

### Conclusion

Based on our reviews, nothing has come to our attention that caused us to believe that the accompanying consolidated financial statements do not present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Corporation and its subsidiaries as of June 30, 2025 and 2024, and of its consolidated financial performance for the three months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 and six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024, and its consolidated cash flows for the six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 in accordance with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers and International Accounting Standard NO.34 "Interim Financial Reporting" endorsed and issued into effect by the FSC.



Deloitte & Touche Taipei, Taiwan Republic of China

July 29, 2025

### Notice to Readers

The accompanying consolidated financial statements are intended only to present the consolidated financial position, financial performance and cash flows in accordance with accounting principles and practices generally accepted in the Republic of China and not those of any other jurisdictions. The standards, procedures and practices to review such consolidated financial statements are those generally applied in the Republic of China.

The English version of independent auditors' review report and consolidated financial statements are not reviewed nor audited by independent auditors.

For the convenience of readers, the independent auditors' review report and the accompanying consolidated financial statements have been translated into English from the original Chinese version prepared and used in the Republic of China. If there is any conflict between the English version and the original Chinese version or any difference in the interpretation of the two versions, the Chinese-language independent auditors' review report and consolidated financial statements shall prevail.

# CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

	June 30, 2025 (Reviewed)		December 31, 2024	(Audited)	June 30, 2024 (Reviewed)		
ASSETS	Amount	%	Amount	(Audited) %	Amount	%	
CURRENT ASSETS	ф. 746.500	7	¢ 1.151.20 <i>c</i>	10	¢ (45.460		
Cash and cash equivalents (Note 6) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - current (Note 7)	\$ 746,599 316,469	7 3	\$ 1,151,306 378,329	10 3	\$ 645,469 280,369	6 3	
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - current (Note 8)	247,524	2	247,711	2	280,385	3	
Financial assets for hedging- current (Note 10)	4,851	-	33,374	-	200,303	-	
Notes receivable (Note 11)	46,020	-	44,903	_	132,288	1	
Accounts receivable, net (Note 11)	274,762	3	431,260	4	424,916	3	
Accounts receivable - related parties (Notes 11 and 28)	74,134	1	92,465	1	88,270	1	
Other receivables (Note 28)	206,894	2	16,930	-	82,538	1	
Current tax assets	-	-	879	-	-	-	
Inventories (Note 12)	1,354,564	12	1,333,369	12	1,321,252	12	
Other current assets	36,291		41,324		70,175		
Total current assets	3,308,108	30	3,771,850	32	3,325,662	30	
NONCURRENT ASSETS							
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - non-current (Note 7)	80,666	1	80,867	1	81,503	1	
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - non-current (Note 8)	129,540	1	128,238	1	150,624	1	
Financial assets at amortized cost - non-current (Note 9)	20,000	-	20,000	_	20,000	_	
Investments accounted for using equity method (Note 14)	1,686,640	16	1,792,062	16	1,814,637	17	
Property, plant and equipment (Notes 15 and 28)	4,489,112	41	4,441,619	39	4,324,056	39	
Right-of-use assets (Notes 16 and 28)	590,565	5	601,907	5	615,345	6	
Investment properties (Note 17)	533,013	5	533,013	5	533,013	5	
Deferred tax assets	59,106	1	59,263	1	64,688	1	
Prepaid equipment	2,537	-	1,350	-	8,777	-	
Refundable deposits Other non-current assets	4,811	-	4,451	-	4,451	-	
Other non-current assets	<u>29,155</u>	<del>-</del>	30,840	<del></del>	24,475	<del></del>	
Total non-current assets	7,625,145	<u>70</u>	7,693,610	<u>68</u>	7,641,569	70	
TOTAL	<u>\$ 10,933,253</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>\$ 11,465,460</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>\$ 10,967,231</u>	<u>100</u>	
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY							
CURRENT LIABILITIES							
Short-term borrowings (Note 18)	\$ 221,593	2	\$ 301,009	3	\$ 40,716	_	
Short-term bills payable (Note 18)	-	_	100,000	1	-	_	
Contract liabilities - current (Note 22)	71,387	1	98,399	1	40,451	-	
Accounts payable	27,733	-	30,180	-	112,872	1	
Accounts payable - related parties (Note 28)	185,515	2	240,524	2	250,313	3	
Other payables (Notes 19 and 28)	1,282,415	12	341,917	3	1,276,122	12	
Current tax liabilities	77,132	1	106,867	1	130,848	1	
Lease liabilities - current (Notes 16 and 28)	33,845	-	36,050	-	34,869	-	
Other current liabilities	15,358		10,196		14,622		
Total current liabilities	1,914,978	18	1,265,142	11	1,900,813	<u>17</u>	
NONCURRENT LIABILITIES							
Long-term borrowings (Note 18)	900,000	8	1,300,000	11	600,000	6	
Deferred tax liabilities	3,489	-	3,489	_	1,643	-	
Lease liabilities - non-current (Notes 16 and 28)	568,867	5	577,686	5	586,909	5	
Net defined benefit liabilities (Note 4)	96,188	1	98,587	1	108,892	1	
Guarantee deposit received	3,965		3,960		3,910		
Total non-current liabilities	1,572,509	14	1,983,722	<u>17</u>	1,301,354	12	
Total liabilities	3,487,487	32	3,248,864	28	3,202,167		
EQUITY ATTRIBUTABLE TO OWNERS OF THE CORPORATION (Note 21)							
Ordinary shares capital	2,369,044	<u>22</u>	<u>2,369,044</u>	<u>21</u>	2,369,044	<u>22</u>	
Capital surplus	967,954	9	971,984	8	952,419	9	
Retained earnings	2 002 576	28	3,090,378	27	2 000 270	28	
Legal reserve Special reserve	3,092,576 317,861	28	3,090,378 193,150	27	3,090,378 193,150	28	
Unappropriated earnings	1,213,436	11	2,027,539	<u> 18</u>	1,438,601	13	
Total retained earnings	4,623,873	42	5,311,067	47	4,722,129		
Other equity	(397,467)	$\frac{42}{4}$	(317,861)	(3)	(160,890)	<u>43</u> (2)	
Treasury shares	(117,638)	<u>(1</u> )	(117,638)	<u>(1</u> )	(117,638)	<u>(1)</u>	
Total equity	7,445,766	68	8,216,596	72	7,765,064	71	
TOTAL	<u>\$ 10,933,253</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>\$ 11,465,460</u>	<u> 100</u>	<u>\$ 10,967,231</u>	<u>100</u>	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Except Earnings Per Share)

	For the T	hree Mon	ths Ended June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 30			ne 30		
	2025		2024		2025		2024			
	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%		
OPERATING REVENUES (Notes 22 and 28)	\$ 1,431,291	100	\$ 2,029,330	100	\$ 3,123,081	100	\$ 3,758,571	100		
OPERATING COSTS (Notes 22 and 28)	1,175,403	82	1,523,115	<u>75</u>	2,492,240	80	2,841,879	<u>76</u>		
GROSS PROFIT	255,888	18	506,215	<u>25</u>	630,841	20	916,692	24		
OPERATING EXPENSES (Notes 23 and 28) Selling and marketing										
expenses General and administrative	33,125	2	43,342	2	77,960	3	85,735	2		
expenses Research and development	26,406	2	37,870	2	64,313	2	74,741	2		
expenses	67,189	5	68,623	3	134,697	4	122,342	3		
Total operating expenses	126,720	9	149,835	7	276,970	9	282,818	7		
PROFIT FROM OPERATIONS	129,168	9	356,380	18	353,871	11	633,874	<u>17</u>		
NON-OPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSES (Notes 23 and 28)										
Interest income	3,561	-	6,120	-	5,606	-	8,423	-		
Other income	31,651	2	25,318	1	45,776	1	39,536	1		
Other gains and losses Share of the profit of	(29,168)	(2)	10,670	1	(19,362)	-	27,602	1		
associates	27,221	2	8,744	-	46,094	2	30,653	1		
Interest expense	(3,908)		(1,634)		(7,139)		(6,282)			
Total non-operating income and expenses	29,357	2	49,218	2		3	99,932	3		
PROFIT BEFORE INCOME TAX	158,525	11	405,598	20	424,846	14	733,806	20		
INCOME TAX (Notes 4 and 24)	2,334		60,296	3	50,408	2	110,907	3		
NET PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD	156,191	11	345,302	17	374,438	12	622,899	<u>17</u>		
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (Note 21) Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss Unrealized gain/(loss) on financial assets in equity instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income	(27,893)	(2)	(5,188)		(5,555)		(33,497)	(1)		
income	(21,093)	(2)	(3,100)	-	(3,333)	-		tinued)		

### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Except Earnings Per Share)

		For the T	hree Mon	ths E	nded June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 3				ded June 30	
		2025			2024			2025			2024	
	A	Mount	%	I	Amount	%	A	Amount	%	I	Amount	%
Gain/(loss) on hedging instruments Shares of the other comprehensive income (loss) of associates	\$	(460)	-	\$	-	-	\$	783	-	\$	-	-
accounted for using the equity method Income tax related to items that will not be		(107,972)	(8)		(12,381)	(1)		(30,516)	(1)		(99,834)	(3)
reclassified subsequently Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss		92	-		-	-		(156)	-		-	-
Exchange differences on translation of the financial statement of foreign operations Unrealized gain/(loss) on financial assets in debt instruments at fair		(20,687)	(1)		1,638	-		(16,550)	(1)		5,211	-
value through other comprehensive income Shares of the other comprehensive income		(11,641)	(1)		659	-		(9,700)	-		3,126	-
(loss) of associates accounted for using the equity method		(14,755)	(1)		(9,306)			(12,561)			(8,271)	
Other comprehensive income (loss) for the period, net of income tax		(183,316)	<u>(13</u> )		(24,578)	(1)		(74,255)	<u>(2)</u>		(133,265)	<u>(4</u> )
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS) FOR THE PERIOD	<u>\$</u>	(27,125)	<u>(2</u> )	\$	320,724	<u> 16</u>	<u>\$</u>	300,183	<u>10</u>	<u>\$</u>	489,634	<u>13</u>
NET PROFIT ATTRIBUTABLE TO: Owners of the Corporation	\$	156,191	11	<u>\$</u>	345,302	<u>17</u>	<u>\$</u>	374,438	<u>12</u>	\$	622,899	<u>17</u>
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS) ATTRIBUTABLE TO: Owners of the Corporation	<u>\$</u>	(27,125)	<u>(2</u> )	<u>\$</u>	320,724	<u>16</u>	<u>\$</u>	300,183	10	<u>\$</u>	6,489,634	13
EARNINGS PER SHARE (Note 25) Basic Diluted	<u>\$</u>	0.67 0.67		<u>\$</u>	1.49 1.49		<u>\$</u>	1.61 1.61		<u>\$</u>	2.68 2.68	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

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# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

					Equity Attribut	table to Owners of t	the Corporation					
					-				Equity			
				Retained	Earnings		Exchange Differences on Translating	Unrealized Gain/(Loss) on Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Other	Gain/(Loss) on			
	Ordinary Shares Capital	Capital Surplus	Legal Reserve	Special Reserve	Unappropriated Earnings	Total Retained Earnings	Foreign Operations	Comprehensive Income	Hedging Instruments	Total Other Equity	Treasury stock	Total Equity
BALANCE AT JANUARY 1, 2025 Appropriation of 2024 earnings (Note 21)	\$ 2,369,044	\$ 971,984	\$ 3,090,378	\$ 193,150	\$ 2,027,539	\$ 5,311,067	<u>\$ (26,644)</u>	\$ (290,338)	<u>\$ (879)</u>	\$ (317,861)	<u>\$ (117,638)</u>	\$ 8,216,596
Legal reserve	-	-	120,650	<del>-</del>	(120,650)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Special reserve	-	-	-	124,711	(124,711)	- (0.45 - 4.0)	-	-	-	-	-	- (0.45 - 440)
Cash dividends	-	-	(110.452)	-	(947,618)	(947,618)	-	-	-	-	-	(947,618)
Cash dividends distributed by legal reserve		<del>-</del>	(118,452)		<del>-</del>	(118,452)			<del>-</del>			(118,452)
Net profit for the six months ended June 30, 2025 Other comprehensive income (loss) for the six months ended June 30,	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	2,198	<u>124,711</u>	(1,192,979) 374,438	(1,066,070) 374,438		<u> </u>		<del>-</del>	<del></del>	(1,066,070) 374,438
2025, net of income tax	<del>_</del>	<del>_</del>		<del>_</del>	10	10	(29,111)	(45,777)	623	(74,265)		(74,255)
Total comprehensive income (loss) for the six months ended June 30, 2025 Disposals of investments in equity instruments designated as at fair			<del>_</del>		374,448	374,448	(29,111)	(45,777)	623	(74,265)		300,183
value through other comprehensive income		<u>-</u>	<u> </u>		5,341	5,341		(5,341)	<u>-</u>	(5,341)	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Changes in capital surplus from investments in associates accounted for using the equity method	<del>_</del>	(4,030)		<del>_</del>	(913)	(913)	<del>_</del>	<del>_</del>			<del>_</del>	(4,943)
BALANCE AT JUNE 30, 2025	\$ 2,369,044	<u>\$ 967,954</u>	\$ 3,092,576	<u>\$ 317,861</u>	<u>\$ 1,213,436</u>	<u>\$ 4,623,873</u>	<u>\$ (55,755)</u>	<u>\$ (341,456)</u>	<u>\$ (256)</u>	<u>\$ (397,467)</u>	<u>\$ (117,638)</u>	<u>\$ 7,445,766</u>
BALANCE AT JANUARY 1, 2024 Appropriation of 2023 earnings (Note 21)	\$ 2,369,044	\$ 928,925	\$ 2,948,165	\$ 193,150	\$ 1,910,865	\$ 5,052,180	\$ (26,929)	\$ 8,873	<u>\$ 15</u>	\$ (18,041)	\$ (117,638)	\$ 8,214,470
Legal reserve Cash dividends	- 	- 	142,213	- 	(142,213) (947,618)	- (947,618)	<u> </u>					(947,618)
	_	_	142,213	_	(1,089,831)	(947,618)	_	_	_	_	_	(947,618)
Net profit for the six months ended June 30, 2024	<del></del>			<del></del>	622,899	622,899			<del></del>	<del></del>	<del></del>	622,899
Other comprehensive income (loss) for the six months ended June 30, 2024, net of income tax	<del>_</del>	<del>_</del>	<del>_</del>	<del>_</del>	(1)	(1)	(3,059)	(130,204)	(1)	(133,264)	<del>_</del>	(133,265)
Total comprehensive income (loss) for the six months ended June 30, 2024 Disposals of investments in equity instruments designated as at fair			<del></del>		622,898	622,898	(3,059)	(130,204)	(1)	(133,264)		489,634
value through other comprehensive income			<u> </u>		9,585	9,585		(9,585)	<u> </u>	(9,585)		
Changes in capital surplus from investments in associates accounted for using the equity method		23,494			(14,916)	(14,916)		<del>-</del>	<u>-</u>	<del>-</del>	<del>-</del>	8,578
BALANCE AT JUNE 30, 2024	\$ 2,369,044	\$ 952,419	\$ 3,090,378	<u>\$ 193,150</u>	<u>\$ 1,438,601</u>	\$ 4,722,129	\$ (29,988)	<u>\$ (130,916)</u>	<u>\$ 14</u>	<u>\$ (160,890)</u>	<u>\$ (117,638)</u>	<u>\$ 7,765,064</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

		For the Six Months Ended June 30			
-		2025		2024	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES					
Profit before income tax	\$	424,846	\$	733,806	
Adjustments for:	Ψ	12 1,0 10	Ψ	733,000	
Depreciation expense		212,645		224,841	
Amortization expense		2,088		2,795	
Net gain on fair value change of financial assets at fair value through		2,000		2,773	
profit or loss		7,944		(18,450)	
Interest expense		7,139		6,282	
Interest income		(5,606)		(8,423)	
Dividend income		(3,751)		(80)	
Share of the profit of associates		(41,032)		(18,374)	
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment		451		19	
Gain on disposal of subsidiary		(25,586)		-	
Reversal of impairment loss on non-financial assets		(4,166)		(570)	
Changes in operating assets and liabilities		(1,100)		(370)	
Financial instruments mandatorily classified as at fair value through					
profit or loss		36,352		146,304	
Notes receivable		(1,117)		40,824	
Accounts receivable		156,498		157,585	
Accounts receivable - related parties		18,331		10,628	
Other receivables		(86,371)		1,270	
Inventories		(16,615)		(193,360)	
Other current assets		5,033		69,323	
Contract liabilities		(27,012)		(4,515)	
Accounts payable		(2,447)		71,787	
Accounts payable - related parties		(55,009)		(4,873)	
Other payables		(150,708)		(105,184)	
Other current liabilities		5,162		5,579	
Net defined benefit liabilities		(2,399)		(2,304)	
Cash generated from operations		454,670		1,114,910	
Income taxes paid		(79,294)		(268,427)	
income taxes para		(12,221)		(200; 127)	
Net cash generated from operating activities		375,376		846,483	
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CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES					
Acquisition of financial assets at fair value through other		(16.270)		(22 597)	
comprehensive income		(16,370) (430,000)		(23,587) (430,000)	
Acquisition of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss		(430,000)		(430,000)	
Proceeds from disposal of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss		420 242		204 629	
		439,342		394,628	
Proceeds from the capital reduction on investments accounted for using		22.022			
equity method		32,922		- (5/1/1960)	
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment		(184,560)		(544,869)	
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment		(260)		-	
Increase in refundable deposits		(360)		(Continued)	
				(Continued)	

### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

		ix Months June 30
	2025	2024
Decrease in refundable deposits Increase in other non-current assets	\$ - (527)	\$ 70 (659)
Interest received	5,233	6,091
Dividends received from associates Dividends received from others	<u> </u>	6,589 <u>80</u>
Net cash used in investing activities	(154,264)	(591,657)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from short-term borrowings	2,344,957	2,222,660
Repayments of short-term borrowings	(2,424,373)	(2,629,530)
Decrease in short-term bills payable	(100,000)	-
Proceeds from long-term borrowings	500,000	200,000
Repayments of long-term bank borrowings	(900,000)	(550,000)
Increase in guarantee deposit received	5	-
Repayment of principal of lease liabilities	(21,651)	(19,849)
Interest paid	(10,482)	(12,164)
Net cash used in financing activities	(611,544)	(788,883)
EFFECT OF EXCHANGE RATE CHANGES ON THE BALANCE OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS HELD IN FOREIGN		
CURRENCIES	(14,275)	4,849
NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(404,707)	(529,208)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE BEGINNING OF THE PERIOD	1,151,306	1,174,677
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF THE PERIOD	<u>\$ 746,599</u>	<u>\$ 645,469</u>
The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial s	tatements	(Concluded)
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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2025 AND 2024 (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Unless Stated Otherwise)

### 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

China Steel Chemical Corporation (the Corporation) was incorporated by China Steel Corporation (CSC) and other shareholders in February 1989. The Corporation started operations in May 1993, and CSC is the parent company that has substantive control over the Corporation. As of June 30, 2024 and 2023, CSC owned 29.04% of the Corporation's voting shares. The Corporation mainly engages in the production, processing and sales of coal tar distillation products, Naphtha products, coke products and refined carbon materials; in addition, it also trades related upstream and downstream products.

The shares of the Corporation have been listed and traded on the Taiwan Stock Exchange (TWSE) since November 1998.

The consolidated financial statements are presented in the Corporation's function currency, the New Taiwan dollars.

### 2. APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The consolidated financial statements were approved by the Corporation's board of directors and authorized for issue on July 29, 2025.

# 3. APPLICATION OF NEW, AND AMENDED AND REVISED STANDARDS AND INTERPRETATIONS

- a. Initial application of the amendments to the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS), International Accounting Standards (IAS), Interpretations of IFRS (IFRIC), and SIC Interpretations (SIC) (collectively, the "IFRS Accounting Standards") endorsed and issued into effect by the Financial Supervisory Commission (FSC)
- b. The IFRS Accounting Standards endorsed by the FSC for application starting from 2026

# New, Amended and Revised Standards and Interpretations Amendments to IFRS 9 and IFRS 7 "Amendments to the Classification and Measurement of Financial Instruments" - the amendments to the application guidance of classification of financial assets Effective Date Announced by IASB January 1, 2026 (Note )

Note: An entity shall apply those amendments for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2026. It is permitted to apply these amendments for an earlier period beginning on January 1, 2025.

As of the date the consolidated financial statements were authorized for issue, the Corporation and its subsidiaries are continuously assessing the possible impact of the application of the amendments on the Corporation and its subsidiaries' financial position and financial performance.

c. The IFRS Accounting Standards in issue but not yet endorsed and issued into effect by the FSC

New, Amended and Revised Standards and Interpretations	Effective Date Announced by IASB (Note 1)
Annual Improvements to IEDS Accounting Standards Volume 11	January 1, 2026
Annual Improvements to IFRS Accounting Standards - Volume 11 Amendments to IFRS 9 and IFRS 7 "Amendments to the	January 1, 2026 January 1, 2026
Classification and Measurement of Financial Instruments"	, ,
Amendments to IFRS 10 and IAS 28 "Sale or Contribution of Assets	To be determined by IASB
between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture"	
IFRS 17 "Insurance Contracts"	January 1, 2023
Amendments to IFRS 17	January 1, 2023
Amendments to IFRS 17 "Initial Application of IFRS 17 and IFRS 9 -	January 1, 2023
Comparative Information"	
IFRS 18 "Presentation and Disclosure in Financial Statements"	January 1, 2027
IFRS 19 "Subsidiaries without Public Accountability: Disclosures"	January 1, 2027

Note: Unless stated otherwise, the above IFRS Accounting Standards are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after their respective effective dates.

### IFRS 18 "Presentation and Disclosures in Financial Statements"

IFRS 18 will supersede IAS 1" Presentation of Financial Statements". The main changes comprise:

- Items of income and expenses included in the statement of profit or loss shall be classified into the operating, investing, financing, income taxes and discounted operations categories.
- The statement of profit or loss shall present totals and subtotals for operating profit or loss, profit or loss before financing and income taxes and profit or loss.
- Provides guidance to enhance the requirements of aggregation and disaggregation: The Group shall identify the assets, liabilities, equity, income, expenses and cash flows that arise from individual transactions or other events and shall classify and aggregate them into groups based on shared characteristics, so as to result in the presentation in the primary financial statements of line items that have at least one similar characteristic. The Group shall disaggregate items with dissimilar characteristics in the primary financial statements and in the notes. The Group labels items as "other" only if it cannot find a more informative label.
- Disclosures on Management-defined Performance Measures (MPMs): When in public
  communications outside financial statements and communicating to users of financial statements
  management's view of an aspect of the financial performance of the Group as a whole, the Group
  shall disclose related information about its MPMs in a single note to the financial statements,
  including the description of such measures, calculations, reconciliations to the subtotal or total
  specified by IFRS Accounting Standards and the income tax and non-controlling interests effects of
  related reconciliation items.

Except for the above impact, as of the date the consolidated financial statements were authorized for issue, the Corporation and its subsidiaries is continuously assessing the possible impact of the application of other standards and interpretations on the Corporation's financial position and financial performance and will disclose the relevant impact when the assessment is completed.

### 4. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### a. Statement of compliance

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers, and IAS 34 "Interim Financial Reporting" as endorsed and issued into effect by the FSC. The consolidated financial statements do not present full disclosures required for a complete set of IFRSs annual financial statements.

### b. Basis of preparation

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis except for financial instruments which are measured at fair value and net defined benefit liabilities which are measured at the present value of the defined benefit obligation less the fair value of plan assets.

The fair value measurements, which are grouped into Levels 1 to 3 based on the degree to which the fair value measurement inputs are observable and based on the significance of the inputs to the fair value measurement in its entirety, are described as follows:

- 1) Level 1 inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;
- 2) Level 2 inputs are inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for an asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices); and
- 3) Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs for an asset or liability.

### c. Basis of consolidation

Refer to Note 13, Table 5 and Table 6 for the detail information of subsidiaries (including the percentage of ownership and main business).

### d. Other significant accounting policies

Except for the following, refer to the summary of significant accounting policy and basis of preparation in the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2024.

### 1) Retirement benefits

Pension cost for an interim period is calculated on a year-to-date basis by using the actuarially determined pension cost rate at the end of the prior financial year, adjusted for significant market fluctuations since that time and for significant plan amendments, settlements, or other significant one-off events.

### 2) Income tax expense

Income tax expense represents the sum of the tax currently payable and deferred tax. Interim period income taxes are assessed on an annual basis and calculated by applying to an interim period's pre-tax income the tax rate that would be applicable to expected total annual earnings.

# 5. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY

The same critical accounting judgments and key sources of estimation uncertainty of consolidated financial statements have been followed in these consolidated financial statements as those applied in the preparation of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2024.

### 6. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	June 30, 2025			mber 31, 2024	June 30, 2024	
Cash on hand Checking accounts and demand deposits Cash equivalents (investment with original	\$	500 710,507	\$ 1,	500 150,806	\$	500 644,969
maturities less than three months) Time deposits	_	35,592		<u>-</u>		<u> </u>
	\$	746,599	<u>\$ 1,</u>	<u>151,306</u>	\$	645,469

### 7. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

Financial assets at FVTPL - current

	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Financial assets mandatorily classified as at FVTPL			
Non-derivative financial assets Mutual funds Domestic listed shares Financial bonds	\$ 274,966 32,219 9,284	\$ 321,610 40,114 16,605	\$ 214,299 49,657 16,413
	<u>\$ 316,469</u>	<u>\$ 378,329</u>	<u>\$ 280,369</u>
Financial assets at FVTPL - non-current			
	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Financial assets mandatorily classified as at FVTPL			
Non-derivative financial assets Emerging market shares Domestic unlisted shares	\$ 24,428 56,238	\$ 24,001 56,866	\$ 24,070 57,433
	<u>\$ 80,666</u>	\$ 80,867	<u>\$ 81,503</u>

### 8. FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

### Current

	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Foreign investments in debt instrument Financial bonds Domestic investments in equity instrument - Listed shares	\$ 88,365	\$ 81,695	\$ 86,232
Ordinary shares Preference shares	149,896 9,263	156,673 9,343	184,180 9,973
	\$ 247,524	<u>\$ 247,711</u>	<u>\$ 280,385</u>
Non-Current			
	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Domestic equity investments-listed shares Domestic listed shares Emerging market shares	\$ 106,100 -	\$ 102,010 -	\$ 90,000 36,112
Foreign equity investments Unlisted shares	23,440	26,228	24,512
	<u>\$ 129,540</u>	<u>\$ 128,238</u>	<u>\$ 150,624</u>

These investments in equity instruments are held by the Corporation and its subsidiaries' strategy and are not for the purposes of trading and for short-term profit. Accordingly, management elected to designate these investments in equity instruments as at FVTOCI.

### 9. FINANCIAL ASSETS AT AMORTIZED COST - NON-CURRENT

	June 30,	December 31,	June 30,
	2025	2024	2024
Domestic investments in financial bonds	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000
Foreign investment in corporate bonds	3,682	4,030	4,001
Less: Allowance for impairment loss	(3,682)	(4,030)	(4,001)
	<u>\$ 20,000</u>	<u>\$ 20,000</u>	\$ 20,000

Impairment loss has been recognized fully since the Corporation and its subsidiaries are unable to reliably measure the recoverable amount of the corporate bonds.

### 10. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS FOR HEDGING

	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Financial assets for hedging - current			
Cash flow hedges Foreign currency time deposits	<u>\$ 4,851</u>	<u>\$ 33,374</u>	<u>\$</u>

The Corporation and its subsidiaries plan to pay for production equipment in foreign currency. For the purpose of managing cash flow risk arising from exchange rate fluctuations, the Corporation and its subsidiaries designated foreign currency time deposits are used. The Corporation and its subsidiaries performed an assessment of effectiveness and it is expected that the value of the foreign currency time deposits and the value of the corresponding hedged items will systematically change in opposite directions in response to movements in the underlying exchange rates.

Refer to Note 27 for information relating to gain (loss) arising from changes in the fair value of financial instruments for hedging.

### 11. NOTES AND ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE (INCLUDING RELATED PARTIES)

	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Notes receivable (Operating) At amortized cost Gross carrying amount	<u>\$ 46,020</u>	<u>\$ 44,903</u>	<u>\$ 132,288</u>
Accounts receivable (including related parties) At amortized cost Gross carrying amount	<u>\$ 348,896</u>	<u>\$ 523,725</u>	<u>\$ 513,186</u>

The average credit period of sales of goods was 30-90 days. No interest was charged on accounts receivables. The Corporation and its subsidiaries adopted a policy of only dealing with entities that are rated the equivalent of investment grade or higher and obtaining sufficient collateral, where appropriate, as a means of mitigating the risk of financial loss from defaults. In order to minimize credit risk, management of the Corporation and its subsidiaries has delegated a team responsible for determining credit limits, credit approvals and other monitoring procedures to ensure that follow-up action is taken to recover overdue debts. In addition, the Corporation and its subsidiaries reviews the recoverable amount of each individual trade debt at the end of the balance sheet date to ensure that adequate allowance is made for possible irrecoverable amounts. In this regard, the management believes that the Corporation and its subsidiaries' credit risk was significantly reduced.

The expected credit losses on notes and accounts receivable are estimated using a provision matrix prepared by reference to past default experience of the customer and an analysis of the customer's current financial position, adjusted for general economic conditions of the industry in which the customers operates, as well as an assessment of industry outlook at the reporting date. As the Corporation and its subsidiaries' historical credit loss experience does not show significantly different loss patterns for different customer segments, the provision for loss allowance based on past due status is not further distinguished according to the Corporation and its subsidiaries' different customer base. As of June 30, 2025, December 31, 2024 and June 30, 2024, the Corporation and its subsidiaries' have no allowance for impairment.

The following table details the loss allowance of notes and accounts receivables based on the Corporation and its subsidiaries' provision matrix.

### June 30, 2025

	Not Past Due	1 to 30 Days	31 to 60 Days	61 to 180 Days	181 to 365 Days	Over 365 Days	Total
Expected credit loss rate (%)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gross carrying amount Loss allowance (Lifetime ECL)	\$ 394,908	\$ 8	\$ - -	\$ - -	\$ - -	\$ - -	\$ 394,916
Amortized cost	<u>\$ 394,908</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>s -</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>s -</u>	<u>\$ 394,916</u>
<u>December 31, 2024</u>							
	Not Past Due	1 to 30 Days	31 to 60 Days	61 to 180 Days	181 to 365 Days	Over 365 Days	Total
Expected credit loss rate (%)	-	-	-	=	=	-	
Gross carrying amount Loss allowance (Lifetime ECL)	\$ 558,628	\$ 9,327 -	\$ 673 	\$ - -	\$ - -	\$ - -	\$ 568,628
Amortized cost	\$ 558,628	\$ 9,327	<u>\$ 673</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 568,628</u>
<u>June 30, 2024</u>							
	Not Past Due	1 to 30 Days	31 to 60 Days	61 to 180 Days	181 to 365 Days	Over 365 Days	Total
Expected credit loss rate (%)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gross carrying amount Loss allowance (Lifetime ECL)	\$ 620,563	\$ 24,911	\$ - -	\$ - -	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ - -	\$ 645,474 -
Amortized cost	\$ 620,563	\$ 24,911	<u>s -</u>	<u>s -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>s -</u>	<u>\$ 645,474</u>

The were no movements of the loss allowance of notes and accounts receivable for the six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024.

### 12. INVENTORIES

	June 30,	December 31,	June 30,	
	2025	2024	2024	
Finished goods Work in progress Raw materials Supplies	\$ 759,440	\$ 709,400	\$ 728,838	
	310,894	341,110	249,102	
	95,112	109,094	174,658	
	<u>\$ 1,354,564</u>	\$ 1,333,369	<u>\$ 1,321,252</u>	

The cost of inventories recognized as cost of goods sold for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 was NT\$1,160,264 thousand, NT\$1,508,917 thousand, NT2,460,190 thousand and NT\$2,814,380 thousand, respectively. The cost of goods sold included inventory write-downs and reversal of gain NT\$9,323 thousand, gain NT\$348 thousand, gain NT\$4,166 thousand and gain NT\$570 thousand, respectively.

The reversal of inventory write-downs was mainly caused by the disappearance of the factors that previously caused the net realizable value of inventories to fall below cost for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024.

### 13. SUBSIDIARIES

The consolidated entities were as follows:

			Percentage of Ownership (%)		
Investor	Investee	Main Businesses	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
China Steel Chemical Corporation (CSCC)	Ever Wealthy International Corporation (EWI)	General investment	100	100	100
Ever Wealthy International Corporation	Changzhou China Steel New Materials Technology Co., Ltd.	Processing and trading of asphalt mesocarbon microbeads product sorting	100	100	100

### 14. INVESTMENTS ACCOUNTED FOR USING EQUITY METHOD

The Corporation and its subsidiaries' investments accounted for using equity method were as follows:

	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024	
Material associates				
CHC Resources Corporation (CHC)	\$ 361,278	\$ 387,402	\$ 353,732	
Transglory Investment Corporation (TIC)	514,457	544,803	626,144	
CSC Solar Corporation (CSCSC)	302,454	306,795	298,550	
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	1,178,189	1,239,000	1,278,426	
Associates that are not individually material	508,451	553,062	536,211	
	<u>\$ 1,686,640</u>	<u>\$ 1,792,062</u>	<u>\$ 1,814,637</u>	

### a. Material associates

		Proportion of Ownership and Voting Right						
	Name of Associate	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024				
CHC		6	6	6				
TIC		9	9	9				
CSCSC		15	15	15				

Refer to Table 5 "Information on Investees" for the nature of activities, principal places of business and countries of incorporation of the above associates.

Fair values (Level 1) of investments in associates with available published price quotation are summarized as follows:

	June 30,	December 31,	June 30,	
	2025	2024	2024	
СНС	<u>\$ 1,129,454</u>	<u>\$ 1,007,798</u>	\$ 988,273	

The summarized financial information below represents amounts shown in the associates' financial statements prepared in accordance with IFRSs adjusted by the Corporation and its subsidiaries for equity accounting purposes.

# <u>CHC</u>

		June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024	
Current assets Non-current assets Current liabilities Non-current liabilities Equity Non-controlling interests		\$ 2,984,104 8,501,009 (3,304,291) (1,984,716) 6,196,106 (214,674) \$ 5,981,432	\$ 2,846,985 8,956,289 (2,358,328) (2,790,903) 6,654,043 (240,103) \$ 6,413,940	\$ 3,020,025 9,128,450 (3,148,793) (2,916,321) 6,083,361 (226,877) \$ 5,856,484	
Proportion of the Corporation and subsidiaries' ownership (%)	its	6	6	6	
Equity attributable to the Corporat subsidiaries	tion and its	<u>\$ 361,278</u>	\$ 387,402	\$ 353,732	
Carrying amount		\$ 361,278	<u>\$ 387,402</u>	\$ 353,732	
		Three Months d June 30	For the Six Months Ended June 30		
•	2025	2024	2025	2024	
Operating revenue	\$ 3,682,318	<u>\$3,381,0954</u>	<u>\$ 7,143,969</u>	<u>\$ 6,319,631</u>	
Net profit for the period Other comprehensive income	\$ 346,417	\$ 300,264	\$ 681,660	\$ 597,012	
(loss)	(171,223)	(14,728)	(125,898)	(40,657)	
Total comprehensive income	<u>\$ 175,194</u>	<u>\$ 285,536</u>	<u>\$ 555,762</u>	<u>\$ 556,355</u>	
TIC					
		June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024	
Current assets Non-current assets Current liabilities		\$ 388,009 5,463,766 (71,360)	\$ 517,995 5,603,440 (55)	\$ 429,399 6,605,929	
Equity		\$ 5,780,415	<u>\$ 6,121,380</u>	<u>\$ 7,035,328</u>	
Proportion of the Corporation and subsidiaries' ownership (%)	its	9	9	9	
Equity attributable to the Corporat subsidiaries	tion and its	<u>\$ 514,457</u>	<u>\$ 544,803</u>	\$ 626,144	
Carrying amount		<u>\$ 514,457</u>	<u>\$ 544,803</u>	<u>\$ 626,144</u>	

	For the Three Months Ended June 30				For the Six Months Ended June 30			
	2025 2024		2025			2024		
Operating Revenue	\$	2,516	<u>\$</u>	2,972	\$	5,738	\$	6,046
Net profit for the period Other comprehensive income	\$	249	\$	756	\$	1,214	\$	1,619
(loss)	(1	<u>,074,751</u> )		(237,932)		(263,402)	(1	,116,712)
Total comprehensive income (loss)	<u>\$ (1</u>	<u>,074,502</u> )	<u>\$</u>	(237,176)	<u>\$</u>	(262,188)	<u>\$ (1</u>	,115,093)
<u>CSCSC</u>								
				ne 30, 025		mber 31, 2024		ne 30, 2024
Current assets Non-current assets Current liabilities Non-current liabilities			3,8	231,320 889,875 855,900) 248,938)	(1.	151,655 ,005,941 ,121,796) (990,499)	4, (1,	256,444 119,580 375,424) 010,266)
Equity			\$ 2,0	016,357	\$ 2.	,045,301	<u>\$ 1,</u>	990,334
Proportion of the Corporation and subsidiaries' ownership (%)	l its			15		15		15
Equity attributable to the Corpora subsidiaries	tion aı	nd its	<u>\$ 3</u>	302,454	<u>\$</u>	306,795	<u>\$</u>	<u>298,550</u>
Carrying amount			\$ 3	<u>802,454</u>	\$	306,795	\$	<u>298,550</u>
	]	For the T			For the Six Month Ended June 30			
		2025		2024		2025		2024
Operating Revenue	\$	180,108	<u>\$</u>	156,105	<u>\$</u>	304,353	\$	<u> 291,481</u>
Net profit for the period Other comprehensive income	\$	51,080	\$	52,167	\$	65,155	\$	77,659
(loss)		<u>(485</u> )		717		(1,668)		2,852
Total comprehensive income	<u>\$</u>	50,595	<u>\$</u>	52,884	<u>\$</u>	63,487	<u>\$</u>	80,511

### b. Aggregate information of associates that are not individually material

	For the The Ended .		For the Si Ended .			
	2025 2024		2025 2024		2024 2025 2024	
The Corporation and its subsidiaries' share of Net profit (loss) for the						
period	\$ (3,745)	\$ (28,936)	\$ (9,380)	\$ (28,761)		
Other comprehensive income (loss)	(17,728)	214	(12,779)	<u>(6,636</u> )		
Total comprehensive income (loss)	<u>\$ (21,473)</u>	<u>\$ (28,722)</u>	<u>\$ (22,159)</u>	<u>\$ (35,397</u> )		

Except for the investments in some companies, investments accounted for using the equity method as of June 30, 2025 and 2024, and the share of profit or loss and other comprehensive income of associates for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 were calculated based on the reviewed financial statements. The Corporations and its subsidiaries' management considered the use of unreviewed financial statements as acceptable and will not have material impact on both the investments and income accounted for using the equity method.

The Corporation and its subsidiaries held more than 20% of the shares with its parent company CSC and fellow subsidiaries and accounted for using the equity method.

### 15. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

### For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2025

	Land	Buildings	Machinery and Equipment	Transportatio n Equipment	Other Equipment	Construction in Progress	Total		
Cost	_								
Balance at January 1, 2025 Additions Disposals Effect of foreign currency exchange differences	\$ 1,145,237 - - -	\$ 1,612,156 - -	\$ 6,094,503 50,678 (35,010) (3,238)	\$ 168,475 1,817 (1,475) (371)	\$ 203,162 1,875 (751) (2,057)	\$ 1,174,556 186,788	\$ 10,398,089 241,158 (37,236) (5,666)		
Balance at June 30, 2025	\$ 1,145,237	<u>\$ 1,612,156</u>	\$ 6,106,933	\$ 168,446	\$ 202,229	<u>\$ 1,361,344</u>	\$ 10,596,345		
Accumulated depreciation	_								
Balance at January 1, 2025 Depreciation expense Disposals Effect of foreign currency exchange differences Balance at June 30, 2025 Carrying amount at December 31, 2024	\$ - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	\$ 747,918 39,603 	\$ 4,881,725 146,150 (34,692) (1,832) \$ 4,991,351	\$ 156,539 1,775 (1,345) (315) \$ 156,654	\$ 170,288 4,044 (746) (1,879) \$ 171,707	\$ - - - \$ -	\$ 5,956,470 191,572 (36,783) (4,026) \$ 6,107,233		
Carrying amount at June 30, 2025	\$ 1,145,237 \$ 1,145,237	\$ 864,238 \$ 824,635	\$ 1,212,778 \$ 1,115,582	\$ 11,936 \$ 11,792	\$ 32,874 \$ 30,552	\$ 1,174,556 \$ 1,361,344	\$ 4,441,619 \$ 4,489,112		
For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2024  Land Buildings Machinery and Equipment in Equipment in Progress Total									
Cost	_								
Balance at January 1, 2024 Additions Disposals Effect of foreign currency exchange differences	\$ 1,145,237 - - -	\$ 1,595,918 10,102	\$ 5,954,138 111,460 (215) 977	\$ 167,520 876 - 113	\$ 198,495 5,689 (351) 615	\$ 441,459 503,091 - 13	\$ 9,502,767 631,218 (566) 1,718		
Balance at June 30, 2024	\$ 1,145,237	\$ 1,606,020	\$ 6,066,360	\$ 168,509	\$ 204,448	\$ 944,563	\$ 10,135,137		

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	Land	Buildings	Machinery and Equipment	Transportatio n Equipment	Other Equipment	Construction in Progress	Total
Accumulated depreciation							
Balance at January 1, 2024 Depreciation expense Disposals Effect of foreign currency exchange differences	\$ - - - -	\$ 671,525 38,248	\$ 4,620,751 155,434 (207) 483	\$ 149,183 5,621 - 89	\$ 164,874 4,863 (340) 557	\$ - - - -	\$ 5,606,333 204,166 (547) 1,129
Balance at June 30, 2024	<u>\$</u>	\$ 709,773	<u>\$ 4,776,461</u>	\$ 154,893	\$ 169,954	<u>s -</u>	<u>\$ 5,811,081</u>
Carrying amount at December 31, 2023	\$ 1,145,237	\$ 924,393	\$ 1,333,387	\$ 18,337	\$ 33,621	<u>\$ 441,459</u>	\$ 3,896,434
Carrying amount at June 30, 2024	<u>\$ 1,145,237</u>	\$ 896,247	<u>\$ 1,289,899</u>	<u>\$ 13,616</u>	<u>\$ 34,494</u>	\$ 944,563 ( <b>(</b>	<u>\$ 4,324,056</u> Concluded)

The above items of property, plant and equipment are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the following useful lives:

Buildings	
Main structure	2-50 years
Facility	5-25 years
Machinery and equipment	
Power equipment	3-20 years
Examination equipment	3-10 years
Computer equipment	3-10 years
Transportation equipment	
Transportation equipment	3-10 years
Telecommunication equipment	3-10 years
Other equipment	
Extinguishment equipment	5-10 years
Air condition and utilities equipment	3-10 years
Monitoring, office and other equipment	3-10 years

# 16. LEASE AGREEMENT

# a. Right-of-use assets

	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Carrying amounts			
Land	\$ 306,731	\$ 305,667	\$ 313,730
Machinery	217,775	218,392	224,164
Buildings	66,059	<u>77,848</u>	77,451
	<u>\$ 590,565</u>	<u>\$ 601,907</u>	<u>\$ 615,345</u>

	For the Three Months Ended June 30			Six Months I June 30
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Additions to right-of-use assets			<u>\$</u>	\$ 2,807
Depreciation charge for right-of-use assets				
Land	\$ 4,145	\$ 4,031	\$ 8,290	\$ 8,062
Machinery	2,955	2,886	5,887	5,736
Buildings	3,427	3,446	<u>6,896</u>	6,877
	<u>\$ 10,527</u>	<u>\$ 10,363</u>	<u>\$ 21,073</u>	\$ 20,675
b. Lease liabilities				
		June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Carrying amounts				
Current		\$ 33,845	\$ 36,050	\$ 34,869
Non-current		\$ 568,867	\$ 577,686	\$ 586,909
Ranges of discount rate (%) for le	ease liabilities v	vere as follows:		
		June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Land		1.4703	1.4703	1.4703
Machinery		1.4703	1.4703	1.4703
Buildings		0.6253-3.0000	0.6253-3.0000	0.6253-3.0000

### c. Material lease activities and terms

The Corporation and its subsidiaries lease machineries for the use of product manufacturing with lease terms of 23 to 25 years. These arrangements do not contain renewal or purchase options. Some lease arrangements for equipment that lease payment will be adjusted every year on the basis of changes in Consumer Price Index.

The Corporation and its subsidiaries' also leases land and building use of factories with lease terms of 3 to 40 years. The rents were calculated according to 3% of the announced total present value. The Corporation and its subsidiaries do not have renewal or purchase option to the right-of-use assets. The Corporation and its subsidiaries will not transfer or sublet all or parts of the lease premises without lessors' approval.

### d. Other lease information

	For the Three Months Ended June 30			ix Months June 30
-	2025	2024	2025	2024
Expenses relating to short-term leases	\$ 990	<u>\$ 547</u>	<u>\$ 2,138</u>	<u>\$ 955</u> (Continued)

	For the Three Months Ended June 30			ix Months June 30
_	2025	2024	2025	2024
Total cash outflow for all lease agreements (including short-term lease agreements)			<u>\$ (28,524)</u>	\$ (25,765) (Concluded)

Refer to Note 17 for the Corporation and its subsidiaries leasing their own investment properties in operating leases.

### 17. INVESTMENT PROPERTIES

For the six months ended June 30, 2024

	Land	Buildings	Total
Cost			
Balance at January 1 and June 30, 2025 and 2024	\$ 533,013	\$ 29,199	<u>\$ 562,212</u>
Accumulated depreciation and impairment			
Balance at January 1 and June 30, 2025 and 2024	<u>\$ -</u>	\$ 29,199	\$ 29,199
Carrying amount at December 31, 2024	\$ 533,013	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 533,013</u>
Carrying amount at June 30, 2025 and 2024	<u>\$ 533,013</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 533,013</u>

The lease term of investment properties is 3 years. The rent was calculated according to 3% of the announced total present value. The leases do not have renewal or purchase option at the end of the lease period.

The total lease payment receivable in the future from leasing of investment properties in operating lease is as follow:

	June 30,	December 31,	June 30,
	2025	2024	2024
Lease commitments of investment properties	\$ 10,924	\$ 19,127	\$ 27,329

The Corporation's investment properties of buildings are depreciated in 50 years by straight-line depreciation method.

As of June 30, 2025, December 31, 2024 and June 30, 2024, the fair value of investment properties was NT\$995,769 thousand, NT\$995,769 thousand and NT\$940,078 thousand. The fair value was based on the Corporation's management have adopted the evaluation model used by market participants using Level 3 inputs and with reference to comparison of the similar transaction price in the market. The significant and unobservable inputs included the rate of capitalization of return and related fee rates.

All of the Corporation's investment properties are held under freehold interests.

Refer to Note 28 for the lease transactions conducted with related party.

### 18. BORROWINGS

### a. Short-term borrowings

	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Secured bank loans (Note 27) Letters of credit borrowings	\$ 200,000 21,593	\$ 250,000 51,009	\$ - 40,716
	<u>\$ 221,593</u>	<u>\$ 301,009</u>	\$ 40,716
Range of interest rate of secured bank le (%)	oans 1.93	1.78	-
Range of interest rate of letters of credit borrowings (%)	t 1.80-1.98	5.48	1.78-1.98
b. Short-term bills payable			
	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Commercial paper Less: Unamortized discounts on bills	\$ -	\$ 100,000	\$ -
payable			
	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 100,000</u>	<u>\$</u>
Rate of interest rate (%)	-	2.14	-

The above commercial papers were secured by China Bills Finance Corporation.

### c. Long-term bank borrowings

	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Secured bank loans Due on various dates through March, 2028	\$ 900,000	<u>\$ 1,300,000</u>	\$ 600,000
Range of interest rate (%)	1.79-1.80	1.78-2.10	1.65-1.77

The Corporation entered into a credit facility agreement with Tapiei Fubon Bank and KGI Bank for a NT\$500,000 thousand credit line used for long-term borrowings and the agreement are valid until October 2027 and December 2027, respectively. Under the agreement, the agreed financial ratio and amount of the Corporation's audited or reviewed consolidated financial statements should conform to a certain ratio and amount; The Corporation did not have violate the provision.

### 19. OTHER PAYABLES

	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Dividend payable	\$ 1,072,893	\$ 6,823	\$ 954,441
Salaries and incentive bonus	62,375	132,173	103,119
Purchase of equipment	60,583	35,859	47,552
Employees' compensation and remuneration of			
directors	20,076	64,654	45,395
Outsourced repair and construction	6,790	20,750	22,942
Soil remediation expense	3,595	20,253	44,072
Others (none of the balances exceed 5% of the			
total balance of other payables)	56,103	61,405	<u>58,601</u>
	\$ 1,282,41 <u>5</u>	\$ 341,917	\$ 1,276,122

### 20. RETIREMENT BENEFIT PLANS

For the three months and six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024, the pension expenses of defined benefit plans were NT\$881 thousand, NT\$963 thousand, NT\$1,761 thousand and NT\$1,926 thousand, respectively, and these were calculated based on the pension cost rate determined by the actuarial calculation on December 31, 2024 and 2023, respectively.

### 21. EQUITY

### a. Ordinary share capital

	June 30,	December 31,	June 30,
	2025	2024	2024
Number of shares authorized (in thousands)	300,000	300,000	300,000
Shares authorized	\$ 3,000,000	\$ 3,000,000	\$ 3,000,000
Number of shares issued and fully paid (in thousands) Shares issued	236,904	236,904	236,904
	\$ 2,369,044	\$ 2,369,044	\$ 2,369,044

Fully paid ordinary shares, which have a par value of NT\$10, carry one vote per share and the right to dividends.

### b. Capital surplus

	June 30,	December 31,	June 30,
	2025	2024	2024
May be used to offset deficits, distribute cash or transfer to share capital (see note below)			
Additional paid-in capital	\$ 218	\$ 218	\$ 218
Treasury share transactions	943,230	943,230	924,216
			(Continued)

	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
May be used to offset deficits only	_		
Share of change in equity of associates	\$ 24,506	\$ 28,536	<u>\$ 27,985</u>
	\$ 967,954	\$ 971,984	\$ 952,419 (Concluded)

Note: Such capital surplus may be used to offset a deficit; in addition, when the Corporation has no deficit, such capital surplus may be distributed as cash dividends or transferred to share capital.

### c. Retained earnings and dividend policy

Under the dividend policy, where the Corporation made profit in a fiscal year, the profit shall be first utilized for paying taxes, offsetting losses of previous years, setting aside as legal reserve 10% of the remaining profit, setting aside or reversing special reserve in accordance with the laws and regulations, and then any remaining profit together with any undistributed retained earnings shall be used by the Corporation's board of directors as the basis for proposing a distribution plan, which should be resolved in the shareholders' meeting for distribution of dividends and bonus to shareholders.

The Corporation is currently in a growing industry environment and the Corporation intends to take advantage of the economic environment to seek for a sustainable operation. The Corporation's dividend policy is to focus on dividend stability and growth by referring to future operating conditions; Except where funding requirements necessitate otherwise, the Corporation should distribute not less than 50% of distributable earnings, and cash dividend may not be less than 50% of the amount distributed.

Appropriation of earnings to legal reserve shall be made until the legal reserve equals the Corporation's paid-in capital. Legal reserve may be used to offset deficit. If the Corporation has no deficit and the legal reserve has exceeded 25% of the Corporation's paid-in capital, the excess may be transferred to capital or distributed in cash.

The appropriation of earnings and dividends per share for 2024 and 2023 had been approved in the shareholder's meeting in June 2025 and 2024, respectively. The appropriations and dividends per share were as follows:

	A	ppropriatio	on of 1	Earnings	Div		Per Sl T\$)	are
		For the Y Decen					ear Er iber 3	
		2024		2023	20	24	20	23
Legal reserve Special reserve Cash dividends	\$	120,650 124,711 947,618	\$	142,213 - 947,618	\$	4	\$	4

In addition, the Corporation's board of directors resolved to distribute cash from legal reserve of NT\$118,452 thousand, NT\$0.5 per share, total NT\$4.5 per share.

# d. Other equity items

# 1) Exchange differences on translating foreign operations

		For the Six Months Ended June 30		
		2025	2024	
	Balance, beginning of period Recognized during the period	\$ (26,644)	\$ (26,929)	
	Exchange differences arising on translating foreign operations  Share of exchange difference of associates accounted for	(16,550)	5,211	
	using the equity method	(12,561)	(8,270)	
	Balance, end of period	<u>\$ (55,755</u> )	<u>\$ (29,988)</u>	
2)	Unrealized gains and losses on financial assets at FVTOCI			
		For the Six M June		
		2025	2024	
	Balance, beginning of period Recognized during the period Unrealized gains and losses	\$ (290,338)	\$ 8,873	
	Debt instruments	(9,700)	3,126	
	Equity instruments  Share from associates accounted for using the equity	(5,555)	(33,497)	
	method	(30,522)	(99,833)	
	Other comprehensive income (loss) recognized in the period Cumulative unrealized gains and losses equity instruments	<u>(45,777)</u>	_(130,204)	
	transferred to retained earnings due to disposal	(5,341)	(9,585)	
	Balance, end of period	<u>\$ (341,456)</u>	<u>\$ (130,916</u> )	
3)	Gains and losses on hedging instruments (cash flow hedges)			
		For the Six M June	e 30	
		2025	2024	
	Balance, beginning of period Recognized during the period	\$ (879)	\$ 15	
	Fair value changes of hedging instruments	783		
	Tax effect	(156)		
	Share of fair value changes of hedging instruments of associates accounted for using the equity method	<u>(4</u> )	(1)	
	Balance, end of period	<u>\$ (256</u> )	<u>\$ 14</u>	

### e. Treasury shares

The Corporation's shares acquired and held by subsidiary - EWI for the purpose of investment accounted for as treasury shares were as follows (in thousands of shares):

### For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2025

Beginning	of period	Decrea	ase during the	period		End of period	
Number of Shares Held	Carrying Amount	Number of Shares Held	Carrying Amount	Selling Price	Number of Shares Held	Carrying Amount	Market Price
4,754	\$ 117,638	_	\$ -	\$ -	4,754	\$ 117,638	\$ 437,325

### For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2024

Beginning	of period	Decrea	ase during the	period		End of period	
Number of Shares Held	Carrying Amount	Number of Shares Held	Carrying Amount	Selling Price	Number of Shares Held	Carrying Amount	Market Price
4,754	<u>\$ 117,638</u>	-	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u>	4,754	<u>\$ 117,638</u>	<u>\$ 515,759</u>

The Corporation's shares held by the subsidiaries are accounted for as treasury shares with all shareholders' rights, except the rights to participate in the Corporation's capital increase in cash and right to vote.

### 22. OPERATING REVENUE

		ree Months June 30		ix Months June 30
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Revenue from contracts with customers				
Revenue from chemical product production and sale Revenue from trading Revenue from the rendering of services	\$ 1,384,025 20,391 17,236 1,421,652	\$ 1,963,812 57,150 12,470 2,033,432	\$ 3,034,489 40,597 30,685 3,105,771	\$ 3,630,878 98,607 24,176 3,753,661
Revenue from investment Gain on disposal of investments accounted for using the equity method Gain (loss) on fair value change	16,194	-	25,586	-
of financial assets at FVTPL Share of the profit of associates Dividend income	(7,584) (2,690) 3,719 9,639	7,944 (12,126) 80 (4,102)	(6,965) (5,062) 3,751 17,310	17,109 (12,279) 80 4,910
	<u>\$ 1,431,291</u>	\$ 2,029,330	<u>\$ 3,123,081</u>	\$ 3,758,571

### a. Contract balances

b.

	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2025	January 1, 2024
Notes and accounts receivables (including related parties)	<u>\$ 394,916</u>	<u>\$ 568,628</u>	\$ 645,474	<u>\$ 854,511</u>
Contract liabilities Sale of goods	<u>\$ 71,387</u>	<u>\$ 98,399</u>	<u>\$ 40,451</u>	<u>\$ 44,966</u>

The changes in the contract liability balances primarily result from the timing difference between the Corporation and its subsidiaries' satisfaction performance of obligation and the respective customer's payment.

Revenue in the current year that was recognized from the balance at the beginning of the year contract liability was summarized as follows:

			For the Six Months Ended June 30		
			2025	2024	
From contract liabilities as the Sale of goods	beginning of the yea	ır	<u>\$ 96,015</u>	<u>\$ 44,742</u>	
Disaggregation of revenue					
For the six months ended June	30, 2025				
	Chemicals Product - Production and Sales	Chemicals Product - Trading	Investment Product	Total	
Type of goods or services Sale of goods Rendering of services Others	\$ 3,034,489 30,685	\$ 40,597 - -	\$ - - 17,310	\$ 3,075,086 30,685 17,310	

### For the six months ended June 30, 2024

	Chemicals Product - Production and Sales	Pı	nemicals coduct - crading	 estment oduct	Total
Type of goods or services					
Sale of goods	\$ 3,630,878	\$	98,607	\$ _	\$ 3,729,485
Rendering of services	24,176		-	-	24,176
Others	<del>-</del>		<u>-</u>	 4,910	4,910
	\$ 3,655,054	\$	98,607	\$ <u>4,910</u>	\$ 3,758,571

\$ 3,065,174

\$ 40,597

<u>\$ 17,310</u>

\$ 3,123,081

# 23. PROFIT BEFORE INCOME TAX

Profit before income tax consisted of following items:

### a. Interest income

		ree Months June 30		ix Months June 30
- -	2025	2024	2025	2024
Bank deposits Investment in debt instruments	\$ 2,128	\$ 2,522	\$ 2,545	\$ 3,308
at FVOCI	1,126	2,792	2,469	4,072
Others	<u>307</u>	<u>806</u>	592	1,043
	<u>\$ 3,561</u>	<u>\$ 6,120</u>	<u>\$ 5,606</u>	<u>\$ 8,423</u>

# b. Other income

	For the Three Months Ended June 30			ix Months June 30
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Subsidy income	\$ 16,388	\$ 7,128	\$ 18,742	\$ 7,128
Income from sale of prototype				
product trials	7,700	11,271	9,917	20,081
Rental income (Note 28)	4,175	4,151	8,325	8,301
Income from sale of scrap and				
wastes	1,791	1,188	5,040	1,598
Others	1,597	1,580	3,752	2,428
	<u>\$ 31,651</u>	<u>\$ 25,318</u>	<u>\$ 45,776</u>	<u>\$ 39,536</u>

# c. Other gains and losses

	For the Three Months Ended June 30		For the Si Ended		
	2025 2024		2025	2024	
Net foreign exchange gain					
(loss)	\$ (26,694)	\$ 10,998	\$ (17,273)	\$ 27,075	
Gain on fair value change of					
financial assets mandatorily					
at FVTPL	(1,803)	459	(979)	1,341	
Loss on disposal of property,					
plant and equipment	(121)	(11)	(451)	(19)	
Others	(550)	<u>(776</u> )	(659)	(795)	
	\$ (29.168)	\$ 10.670	\$ (19,362)	\$ 27.602	

The components of net foreign exchange gains (losses) were as follows:

		For the Three Months Ended June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 30	
	_	2025	2024	2025	2024
	Foreign exchange gains Foreign exchange losses	\$ (344) (26,350)	\$ 13,921 (2,923)	\$ 10,351 _(27,624)	\$ 30,165 (3,090)
	Net foreign exchange gains (losses)	<u>\$ (26,694</u> )	<u>\$ 10,998</u>	<u>\$ (17,273</u> )	<u>\$ 27,075</u>
d.	Interest expenses				
		For the Three Months Ended June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 30	
		2025	2024	2025	2024
	Interest on bank loans Interest on lease liabilities  Less: Amounts included in	\$ 5,390 2,273 7,663	\$ 2,950 2,478 5,428	\$ 10,917 <u>4,735</u> 15,652	\$ 6,918 4,961 11,879
	the cost of qualifying assets	3,755	3,794	8,513	5,597
		<u>\$ 3,908</u>	<u>\$ 1,634</u>	<u>\$ 7,139</u>	<u>\$ 6,282</u>
	Information relating to the capitalization	zed interest is as	follows:		
		For the Three Months Ended June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 30	
		2025	2024	2025	2024
	Capitalized interest amount	<u>\$ 3,755</u>	<u>\$ 3,794</u>	\$ 8,513	<u>\$ 5,597</u>
	Capitalization rate (%)	1.79-1.80	1.63-1.69	1.79-1.91	1.59-1.69
e.	Depreciation and amortization				

### e.

	For the Three Months Ended June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 30	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Property, plant and equipment Right-of-use assets Other non-current assets	\$ 94,005 10,527 1,055	\$ 101,709 10,363 1,387	\$ 191,572 21,073 2,088	\$ 204,166 20,675 2,795
	<u>\$ 105,587</u>	<u>\$ 113,459</u>	<u>\$ 214,733</u>	<u>\$ 227,636</u>

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	For the Three Months Ended June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 30	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
An analysis of depreciation by function				
Operating costs	\$ 83,622	\$ 91,625	\$ 171,065	\$ 184,166
Operating expenses	20,910	20,447	41,580	40,675
	<u>\$ 104,532</u>	<u>\$ 112,072</u>	\$ 212,645	<u>\$ 224,841</u>
An analysis of amortization by function				
Operating costs	<u>\$ 1,055</u>	<u>\$ 1,387</u>	\$ 2,088	\$ 2,795 (Concluded)

### f. Employee benefits expense

	For the Three Months Ended June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 30	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Short-term employee benefits				
Salaries	\$ 102,762	\$ 137,134	\$ 236,351	\$ 271,873
Labor and health insurance	9,536	7,914	18,798	16,412
Others	4,756	8,738	12,184	17,321
	117,054	153,786	267,333	305,606
Post-employment benefits				
Defined contribution plans	4,235	3,033	7,509	5,751
Defined benefit plans (Note 20)	881	963	1,761	1,926
20)	5,116	3,996	9,270	7,677
	<u>\$ 122,170</u>	<u>\$ 157,782</u>	<u>\$ 276,603</u>	<u>\$ 313,283</u>
An analysis by function				
Operating costs	\$ 83,910	\$ 101,321	\$ 177,924	\$ 200,257
Operating expenses	<u>38,260</u>	56,461	98,679	113,026
	<u>\$ 122,170</u>	<u>\$ 157,782</u>	<u>\$ 276,603</u>	<u>\$ 313,283</u>

### g. Employees' compensation and remuneration of directors

The Articles of the Corporation stipulated the Corporation to distribute employees' compensation and remuneration of directors at the rates no less than 0.1% and no higher than 1%, respectively, of net profit before income tax, employees' compensation, and remuneration of directors. In accordance with the amendments to the Securities and Exchange Act in August 2024, the shareholders of the Company resolved the amendments to the Company's Articles at the shareholders' meeting in June 2025. The amendments explicitly stipulate that no less than 30% of the employee compensation shall be distributed to non-executive employees.

The employees' compensation and remuneration of directors for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 were as follows:

		ree Months June 30	For the Six Months Ended June 30	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Compensation of employees	\$ 6,920	\$ 9,712	\$ 16,730	\$ 27,049
Remuneration of directors	1,384	3,075	3,346	5,410

If there is a change in the proposed amounts after the annual consolidated financial statements were authorized for issue, the differences are recorded as a change in the accounting estimate and recognized in the next year.

The appropriations of employees' compensation and remuneration of directors (all paid in cash) for 2024 and 2023 which have been approved by the Corporation's board of directors in February 2025 and 2024, respectively, were as follows:

	For the Year Ended December 31, 2024		For the Year Ended December 31, 2023	
	Compensation of Employees	Remuneration of Directors	Compensation of Employees	Remuneration of Directors
Amounts approved in the board of directors' meeting	<u>\$ 53,965</u>	<u>\$ 10,793</u>	<u>\$ 64,680</u>	<u>\$ 12,936</u>
Amounts recognized in the annual consolidated financial statements	<u>\$ 53,878</u>	<u>\$ 10,776</u>	<u>\$ 65,304</u>	<u>\$ 13,061</u>

The difference amounts above were recognized in profit and loss for the six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024.

Information on employees' compensation and remuneration of directors resolved by the Corporation's board of directors is available on the Market Observation Post System website of the Taiwan Stock Exchange.

### 24. INCOME TAX

a. Income tax recognized in profit or loss

The major components of income tax expense were as follows:

	For the The Ended .	ree Months June 30	For the Six Months Ended June 30	
-	2025	2024	2025	2024
Current tax				
In respect of the current				
period	\$ 28,075	\$ 72,460	\$ 75,885	\$ 131,498
Adjustments for prior year	(26,977)	(12,216)	(26,977)	(12,216)
Income basic tax	1,236	-	1,500	-
Tax refund adjustments for				
overseas funds repatriation	-	-	-	(8,427)
•				(Continued)

		For the Three Months Ended June 30		x Months June 30
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Income tax on unappropriated earnings	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ 52	<u>\$</u> _	<u>\$ 52</u>
	<u>\$ 2,334</u>	<u>\$ 60,296</u>	\$ 50,408	\$ 110,907 (Concluded)

b. Income tax expense (benefit) recognized in other comprehensive income (loss)

		ree Months June 30	For the Six Months Ended June 30	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Cash flow hedges	<u>\$ (92)</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 123</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

### c. Income tax assessments

The Corporation income tax returns through 2023 and the subsidiary EWI's income tax returns through 2022 have been assessed by the tax authorities.

### 25. EARNINGS PER SHARE

The net profit and weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding used in the computation of earnings per share were as follows:

### Net profit for the period

	For the Three Months Ended June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 30	
•	2025	2024	2025	2024
Net profit attributable to owners of the Corporation	<u>\$ 156,191</u>	<u>\$ 345,302</u>	<u>\$ 374,438</u>	<u>\$ 622,899</u>

The weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding (in thousand of shares)

	For the Three Months Ended June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 30	
-	2025	2024	2025	2024
Weighted average number of				
ordinary shares outstanding	236,904	236,904	236,904	236,904
Less: Number of treasury shares				
acquired by subsidiaries	4,754	4,754	<u>4,754</u>	4,754
Weighted average number of ordinary shares used in the computation of basic earnings				
per share	232,150	232,150	232,150	232,150 (Continued)

	For the Three Months Ended June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 30	
-	2025	2024	2025	2024
Plus: Effect of dilutive potential ordinary shares - employees' compensation	182	249	350	423
Weighted average number of ordinary shares used in the computation of diluted earnings per share	232,332	232,399	232,500	<u>232,573</u>
				(Concluded)

The Corporation may settle compensation paid to employees by cash or shares; therefore, the Corporation assumes that the entire amount of the compensation will be settled in shares and the resulting potential shares will be included in the weighted average number of shares outstanding used in the computation of diluted earnings per share, as the shares have a dilutive effect. Such dilutive effect of the potential shares is included in the computation of diluted earnings per share until the shareholders resolve the number of shares to be distributed to employees at their meeting in the following year.

### 26. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The capital management of the Corporation and its subsidiaries is aimed at ensuring effective use of capital and ensuring a smooth operation and ensuring optimized debt and equity balance. The overall strategies of the Corporation and its subsidiaries have not significantly changed for the six months ended June 30, 2025. The capital structure of the Corporation and its subsidiaries consist of net liabilities and equity. Except for the description of Note 18, without any need for complying with other external capital requirements. The Corporation and its subsidiaries review capital structure on a quarterly basis, including the consideration of capital costs and related risks. Currently, the equity in the capital structure is greater than liabilities and it will be used to pay for dividends or debts; also, the Corporation and its subsidiaries have invested in financial instruments as part of capital and fund management.

### 27. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

a. Fair value of financial instruments that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis

### 1) Fair value hierarchy

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
June 30, 2025				
Financial assets at FVTPL				
Mutual funds	\$ 274,966	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 274,966
Domestic listed shares	32,219	-	-	32,219
Emerging market shares	-	-	24,428	24,428
Domestic unlisted shares	-	-	56,238	56,238
Financial bonds	9,284			9,284
	<u>\$ 316,469</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 80,666</u>	<u>\$ 397,135</u>

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	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Financial assets at FVTOCI Domestic listed shares Unlisted shares Financial bonds	\$ 265,259 <u>88,365</u> <u>\$ 353,624</u>	\$ - - - \$ -	\$ - 23,440 	\$ 265,259 23,440 88,365 \$ 377,064
December 31, 2024				
Financial assets at FVTPL Mutual funds Domestic listed shares Emerging market shares Domestic unlisted shares Financial bonds	\$ 321,610 40,114 - 16,605	\$ - - - -	\$ - 24,001 56,866	\$ 321,610 40,114 24,001 56,866 16,605
Financial assets at FVTOCI Domestic listed shares Unlisted shares Financial bonds	\$ 378,329 \$ 268,026	\$ - \$ - - - \$ -	\$ 80,867 \$ - 26,228 - \$ 26,228	\$ 459,196 \$ 268,026 26,228 81,695 \$ 375,949
June 30, 2024	<u>\$\psi  \forall  \</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>Ψ 20,220</u>	<u> </u>
Financial assets at FVTPL Mutual funds Domestic listed shares Emerging market shares Domestic unlisted shares Financial bonds	\$ 214,299 49,657 - 16,413 \$ 280,369	\$ - - - - - - - - -	\$ - 24,070 57,433 - \$ 81,503	\$ 214,299 49,657 24,070 57,433 16,413 \$ 361,872
Financial assets at FVTOCI Domestic listed shares Emerging market shares Domestic unlisted shares Financial bonds	\$ 284,153 - 86,232 \$ 370,385	\$ - - - - \$ -	\$ - 36,112 24,512 	\$ 284,153 36,112 24,512 86,232 \$ 431,009 (Concluded)

There were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 for the six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024.

#### 2) Reconciliation of Level 3 fair value measurements of financial assets

#### For the six months ended June 30, 2025

	Equity Instrument			
	Financial Assets at FVTPL	Financial Assets at FVTOCI	Total	
Balance, beginning of period Recognized in profit or loss Recognized in other comprehensive	\$ 80,867 (201)	\$ 26,228	\$ 107,095 (201)	
income	<del>-</del>	(2,788)	(2,788)	
Balance, end of the period	\$ 80,666	<u>\$ 23,440</u>	<u>\$ 104,106</u>	

### For the six months ended June 30, 2024

	Equity Instrument			
	Financial Assets at FVTPL	Financial Assets at FVTOCI	Total	
Balance, beginning of period Purchase Recognized in profit or loss Recognized in other comprehensive	\$ 81,543 - (40)	\$ 41,680 24,512	\$ 123,223 24,512 (40)	
income		(5,568)	(5,568)	
Balance, end of the period	<u>\$ 81,503</u>	<u>\$ 60,624</u>	<u>\$ 142,127</u>	

- 3) Valuation techniques and inputs applied for the purpose of measuring Level 3 fair value measurement
  - a) The fair value of emerging market shares was based on the closing price adjusted for liquidity risk premium.
  - b) The fair value of unlisted shares was based on the current net value or trading price.

#### b. Categories of financial instruments

		ne 30, December 31, 025 2024		June 30, 2024		
Financial assets						
Financial assets at FVTPL  Mandatorily classified as at FVTPL  (including non-current)  Financial assets for hedging  Financial assets at FVTOCI (including non-current)	\$ 39	97,135 4,851	\$	459,196 33,374	\$	361,872
Investments in equity instruments Investments in debt instruments Financial assets at amortized cost 1)	8	88,699 88,365 73,220		294,254 81,695 1,761,315		344,777 86,232 1,397,932 (Continued)

	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Financial liabilities	_		
Financial liabilities at amortized cost 2)	\$ 1,548,328	\$ 2,310,767	\$ 1,329,492 (Concluded)

- 1) The balances included financial assets measured at amortized cost, which comprise cash and cash equivalents, notes and accounts receivable (including related parties), other receivables, financial assets at amortized cost non-current and refundable deposits.
- 2) The balances included financial liabilities measured at amortized cost, which comprise short-term borrowings, short-term borrowings, accounts payable (including related parties), other payables (excluding dividends payable), long-term borrowings and guarantee deposit received.

#### c. Financial risk management objectives and policies

The Corporation and its subsidiaries' major financial instruments include equity and debt investments, accounts receivable, accounts payable, short-term and long-term borrowings. The Corporation and its subsidiaries' treasury function provides services to the business, coordinates access to domestic and international financial markets, monitors and manages the financial risks relating to the operations of the Corporation and its subsidiaries through internal risk reports which analyze exposures by degree and magnitude of risks. These risks include market risk (including currency risk, interest rate risk and other price risk), credit risk and liquidity risk.

The Corporation and its subsidiaries sought to minimize the effects of these risks by using derivative financial instruments to hedge risk exposures. The use of financial derivatives was governed by the Corporation and its subsidiaries' policies approved by the board of directors, which provided written principles on foreign exchange risk, interest rate risk, credit risk, the use of financial derivatives and non-derivative financial instruments, and the investment of excess liquidity. Compliance with policies and exposure limits was reviewed by the internal auditors on a continuous basis. The Corporation and its subsidiaries did not enter into or trade financial instruments, including derivative financial instruments, for speculative purposes.

#### 1) Market risk

The Corporation and its subsidiaries' activities exposed them primarily to the financial risks of changes in foreign currency exchange rates and interest rates. There had been no change to the Corporation and its subsidiaries' exposure to market risks or the manner in which these risks were managed and measured.

#### a) Foreign currency risk

The Corporation and its subsidiaries had sales in foreign currencies, which were exposed to foreign currency risk. Exchange rate exposures were managed within approved policy parameters utilizing forward foreign exchange contracts or were mitigated by future receivables and payables denominated in the same foreign currency.

The carrying amounts of the Corporation and its subsidiaries foreign currency denominated monetary assets and monetary liabilities at the balance sheet date are set out in Note 30.

#### Sensitivity analysis

The Corporation and its subsidiaries were mainly exposed to the currencies USD and RMB. The following table details the Corporation and its subsidiaries' sensitivity to a 3% increase and decrease in the functional currency against the relevant foreign currencies. The sensitivity rate of 3% represents management's assessment of the reasonably possible change in foreign exchange rates.

The sensitivity analysis includes only the outstanding foreign monetary items at each balance sheet date. Scenario 1 in the following table indicates the profit and loss of the Corporation and its subsidiaries when the functional currency against the USD or RMB appreciated by 3%. Scenario 2 in the following table indicates the profit and loss of the Corporation and its subsidiaries when the functional currency against the USD or RMB depreciated by 3%.

	For the Six M	USD (Note) For the Six Months Ended June 30		(Note) Ionths Ended e 30
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Profit or loss in Scenario 1 Profit or loss in	\$ (3,384)	\$ (7,103)	\$ (2,368)	\$ (6,151)
Scenario 2	3,384	7,103	2,368	6,151

Note: It was mainly derived from the cash and cash equivalents, receivables, other receivables, accounts payables, and other payables denominated in foreign currency without cash flow hedging arranged at each balance sheet date by the Corporation and its subsidiaries.

Changes in the exchange rate sensitivity of the Corporation and its subsidiaries for the six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 were mainly due to the variation of USD and RMB assets. The management believes that the sensitivity analysis is not representative of the inherent risk of exchange rate since the foreign currency risk exposure at balance sheet date does not reflect the interim risk exposure; also, the sales denominated in USD and RMB will be affected by customer orders and shipping schedule.

#### Hedge accounting

The Corporation and its subsidiaries mitigate the exchange rate risk arising from capital expenditures on foreign procurement projects by purchasing foreign currently deposits. These deposits are designated as hedges for the foreign currency positions of the specified procurement projects and are designate as cash flow hedges.

The following tables summarize the information relating to the hedges of foreign currency risk:

#### June 30, 2025

<b>Hedging Instrument</b>		Carrying Amount
/Hedged Item	Line Item in Balance Sheet	Asset
Cash flow hedge Foreign currency time deposits/Forecast purchases	Financial assets for hedging - current	<u>\$ 4,851</u>

Hedging Instrument / Hedged Item	Change in Fair Value of Hedging Instruments Used for Calculating Hedge Ineffectiveness	Change in Fair Value of Hedged Items Used for Calculating Hedge Ineffectiveness	Balance in Other Equity Continuing Hedges
Cash flow hedge Foreign currency time deposits/Forecast purchases	<u>\$ 783</u>	<u>\$ (783)</u>	<u>\$ (321)</u>
<u>December 31, 2024</u>			
Hedging Instrument /Hedged Item	Line Item in Ba	Carrying Amount Asset	
Cash flow hedge Foreign currency time deposits/Forecast purchases	Financial assets for he	<u>\$ 33,374</u>	
Hedging Instrument /Hedged Item	Change in Fair Value of Hedging Instruments Used for Calculating Hedge Ineffectiveness	Change in Fair Value of Hedged Items Used for Calculating Hedge Ineffectiveness	Balance in Other Equity Continuing Hedges
Cash flow hedge Foreign currency time deposits/Forecast purchases	<u>\$ (1,104</u> )	<u>\$ 1,104</u>	<u>\$ (1,104</u> )

#### b) Interest rate risk

The carrying amounts of the Corporation and its subsidiaries financial assets and financial liabilities with exposure to interest rates at the balance sheet date were as follows:

	J			,		une 30, 2024
Fair value interest rate risk Financial liabilities	\$	602,712	\$	613,736	\$	621,778
Cash flow interest rate risk Financial assets Financial liabilities		705,199 900,000		1,120,378 1,300,000		615,018 600,000

Because of held financial liabilities, if interest rates had been 1% higher/lower and all other variables were constant, the Corporation and its subsidiaries' per-tax profit for the six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 would have decreased/increased by NT\$4,500 thousand and NT\$3,000 thousand, respectively.

#### c) Other price risk

The Corporation and its subsidiaries are exposed to equity price risk through their investments in listed shares and mutual funds; the risk is managed by maintaining a portfolio of investments with different risks. The equity price risk of the Corporation and its subsidiaries was primarily concentrated on the share and fund market in Taiwan and it was evaluated by the closing price of the equity securities and net value of the mutual funds on a monthly basis.

#### Sensitivity analysis

The sensitivity analysis measures the exposure to equity price risk at the balance sheet date. Considering the market price fluctuation of the Corporation and its subsidiaries' main investment targets, the fluctuation of 6% was used for the sensitivity analysis of equity securities.

If equity prices had been 6% higher/lower for the six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024, respectively, the pre-tax profit for the six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 would have been higher/lower by NT\$18,431 thousand and NT\$15,837 thousand, respectively, as a result of the fair value changes of financial assets at FVTPL, and the pre-tax other comprehensive income for the six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 would have been higher/lower by NT\$15,916 thousand and NT\$17,049 thousand, respectively, as a result of the changes in fair value of FVTOCI, respectively.

#### 2) Credit risk

Credit risk refers to the risk that counterparty will default resulting in financial loss to the Corporation and its subsidiaries. The Corporation and its subsidiaries' maximum exposure to credit risk is the carrying amount of accounts receivables from customers could not be recovered. The main customers of the Corporation and its subsidiaries were creditworthy and continuously to evaluate the customers' financial condition. If necessary, the customers will be requested to provide collaterals or to pay cash for each transaction. The business department also understands the credit status of customers through industry reports. The credit risk was immaterial to the Corporation and its subsidiaries.

The Corporation and its subsidiaries' concentrations of credit risk in total of notes and accounts receivable were as follows:

	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024	
Customer A Customer B Customer C	\$ 67,749 43,566 31,010	\$ 84,361 51,009 23,742	\$ 78,116 - - - - - -	
	<u>\$ 142,325</u>	<u>\$ 159,112</u>	<u>\$ 186,866</u>	

#### 3) Liquidity risk

The Corporation and its subsidiaries have supported business operation through management and by maintaining sufficient cash and cash equivalents or easily realizable financial instruments. In addition, the Corporation and its subsidiaries signed line of credit contracts with financial institutions for a ready source of funds to support the business operation of the Corporation and its subsidiaries.

The Corporation and its subsidiaries rely on bank borrowings as a significant source of liquidity. As of June 30, 2025, December 31, 2024 and June 30, 2024, the Corporation and its subsidiaries had available unutilized short-term and long-term bank loan facilities in the amounts to NT\$6.2 billion, NT\$6.2 billion and NT\$7.3 billion, respectively.

#### Liquidity and interest risk rate tables for non-derivative financial liabilities

The following table details the Corporation and its subsidiaries remaining contractual maturity for its non-derivative financial liabilities with agreed upon repayment periods. The table has been drawn up based on the undiscounted cash flows of financial liabilities from the earliest date on which the Corporation and its subsidiaries can be required to pay. The table included both interest and principal cash flows. The maturity dates for other non-derivative financial liabilities were based on the agreed repayment dates.

#### June 30, 2025

	1 Year	1-5 Years	5+ Years	Total
Non-interest bearing liabilities Lease liabilities Variable interest rate	\$ 1,494,111 42,973	\$ 3,965 146,584	\$ - 510,435	\$ 1,498,076 699,992
liabilities	239,551	927,372	<del>_</del>	1,166,923
	<u>\$ 1,776,635</u>	<u>\$ 1,077,921</u>	<u>\$ 510,435</u>	\$ 3,364,991
<u>December 31, 2024</u>				
	Less than 1 Year	1-5 Years	5+ Years	Total
Non-interest bearing liabilities Lease liabilities Variable interest rate	\$ 611,481 45,891	\$ 3,960 147,398	\$ - 522,274	\$ 615,441 715,563
liabilities Fixed interest rate liabilities	326,825 100,059	1,319,573	<u> </u>	1,646,398 100,059
	<u>\$ 1,084,256</u>	<u>\$ 1,470,931</u>	\$ 522,274	\$ 3,077,461
June 30, 2024				
	1 Year	1-5 Years	5+ Years	Total
Non-interest bearing liabilities Lease liabilities Variable interest rate	\$ 1,638,784 43,760	\$ 3,910 146,089	\$ - 540,422	\$ 1,642,694 730,271
liabilities	51,399	606,901	<del></del>	658,300
	\$ 1,733,943	<u>\$ 756,900</u>	\$ 540,422	\$ 3,031,265

#### 28. TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES

Related Party Name	Relationship with the Corporation
China Steel Corporation	The parent entity of the Corporation
International CSRC Investment Holding Co., Ltd.	The Corporation as key management personnel of other related parties
Linyuan Advanced Materials Technology Co., Ltd. (Linyuan Advanced)	The Corporation as key management personnel of other related parties
China Steel Structure Corporation (CSSC)	Fellow subsidiary
Dragon Steel Corporation (DSC)	Fellow subsidiary
Chung Hung Steel Corporation (CHS)	Fellow subsidiary
China Ecotek Corporation (CEC)	Fellow subsidiary
China Steel Machinery Corporation (CSMC)	Fellow subsidiary
China Steel Precision Materials Corporation (CSPM)	Fellow subsidiary
Infochamp systems Corporation (ICSC)	Fellow subsidiary
CHC Resources Corporation	Fellow subsidiary
Himag Magnetic Corporation	Fellow subsidiary
China Steel Global Trading Corporation	Fellow subsidiary
Steel Castle Technology Corporation	Fellow subsidiary
China Steel Security Corporation	Fellow subsidiary
Thintech Materials Technology Co., Ltd.	Fellow subsidiary
Betacera Inc.	Fellow subsidiary
CSC Solar Corporation	Fellow subsidiary
Pro-Ascentek Investment Corporation	Fellow subsidiary
Eminent Venture Capital Corporation	Fellow subsidiary
Eminent III Venture Capital Corporation	Associate

Details of transactions between the Corporation and its subsidiaries and related parties were as follows:

#### a. Operating revenues

	Related Party	For the The Ended .		For the Six Months Ended June 30		
Account Items	Category/Name	2025	2024	2025	2024	
Revenue from sales of goods	The Corporation as key management personnel of subsidiaries Linyuan Advanced Parent entity Fellow subsidiaries	\$ 187,725 4,211 3,243	\$ 242,026 5,284 2,747	\$ 435,379 10,388 7,068	\$ 498,569 8,100 	
		<u>\$ 195,179</u>	\$ 250,057	<u>\$ 452,835</u>	<u>\$ 512,665</u>	
Revenue from the rendering of services	Parent entity Fellow subsidiaries	\$ 15,590 1,555	\$ 10,636 1,835	\$ 26,184 4,355	\$ 20,195 3,909	
		<u>\$ 17,145</u>	<u>\$ 12,471</u>	\$ 30,539	\$ 24,104	

Part of sales to the parent entity and fellow subsidiaries were charged at the cost plus additional percentage; sales to others were charged in accordance with the agreed pricing formula. Sales referred to above except for revenue from rendering of services from the parent entity and fellow subsidiaries, did not have similar transactions for comparison; but not significantly different from regular trading.

#### b. Purchase of goods

	For the Three Months Ended June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 30		
Related Party Category/Name	2025	2024	2025	2024	
Parent entity	\$ 496,587	\$ 689,730	\$ 1,084,281	\$ 1,261,766	
Fellow subsidiaries DSC Others	214,573 256 214,829	281,105 384 281,489	459,184 512 459,696	576,417 	
	<u>\$ 711,416</u>	\$ 971,219	\$ 1,543,977	\$ 1,838,951	

The Corporation entered into agreements for purchase of light oil products and coal tar with the parent entity in March 2013 and July 2010, respectively. Besides, the Corporation entered into agreements for purchase of light oil products and coal tar with DSC in May 2008. The terms of agreements were 5 years and the agreements would be extended automatically for 5 years each time upon maturity if there was no objection raised by either party. Prices were negotiated between both sides and paid with letters of credit at sight. If any price adjustments occurred due to market volatilities, it shall be settled separately.

In addition, the Corporation entered into agreement for fine coke processing with the parent company for 5 years in January 2008; the agreement would be extended automatically for 5 years each time upon maturity if there was no objection raised by either party.

#### c. Receivables from related parties

Account Items	Related Party category/Name	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Accounts receivable - related parties	Parent entity Fellow subsidiaries The Corporation as key management personnel of subsidiaries	\$ 5,796 589	\$ 7,337 767	\$ 9,385 769
	Linyuan Advanced	67,749	84,361	<u>78,116</u>
		<u>\$ 74,134</u>	\$ 92,465	<u>\$ 88,270</u>
Other receivables	Parent entity Fellow subsidiaries	\$ 75,554 1,548	\$ 11,980 1,437	\$ 829 1,298
		<u>\$ 77,102</u>	<u>\$ 13,417</u>	<u>\$ 2,127</u>

No guarantee had been received for receivables from related parties. For the six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024, no impairment loss was recognized on receivables from related parties.

#### d. Payables to related parties

Account Items	Related Party category/Name	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024
Accounts payable - related parties	Parent entity Fellow subsidiaries	\$ 185,515 	\$ 240,346 <u>178</u>	\$ 249,838 475
		<u>\$ 185,515</u>	<u>\$ 240,524</u>	<u>\$ 250,313</u>
				(C .: 1)

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Account Items	Related Party category/Name		ine 30, 2025	Dec	ember 31, 2024	J	une 30, 2024
Other payables	Parent entity Fellow subsidiaries The Corporation as key management personnel of	\$	2,548 2,242	\$	12,605 2,937	\$	12,230 645 6,115
	other related parties		1,115	_	3,592	_	
		<u>\$</u>	5,905	<u>\$</u>	19,134	<u>\$</u> (Co	18,990 oncluded)

The outstanding accounts payable to related parties were unsecured.

#### e. Acquisitions of property, plant and equipment

	Purchase Price					
Related Party Category/Name		For the Six Months				
		Ended a	June 3	0		
	2	2025		2024		
Fellow subsidiaries						
CSMC	\$ 2	24,480	\$	18,360		
ICSC		13,905		555		
CSSC		-		83,721		
CEC		<u>-</u>		36,000		
	\$	38,385	\$	138,636		

The price of property, plant and equipment acquired by the Corporation from related parties are determined and negotiated between two parties and paid in accordance with the terms of the contract.

#### f. Lease agreement

Account Items	Related Par Category/N		June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024	June 30, 2024	
Lease liabilities	Parent entity		\$ 549,901	\$ 551,827	\$ 565,780	
	Fellow subsidiaries CSPM CHS		43,756 4,581	49,406 5,702	48,286	
			48,337 \$ 598,238	<u>55,108</u> <u>\$ 606,935</u>	48,286 \$ 614,066	
Related Parties	For the Three Months Ended June 30			s For the Six Months Ended June 30		
Category/Name	2025	2024		2025	2024	
Interest expense						
Parent entity	\$ 2,025	\$ 2,077	<u>\$</u>	4,065	\$ 4,163	
Fellow subsidiaries						
CSPM	213	379	)	597	750	
CHS	22 235	380	<u>l</u>	46 643	<u>3</u> 753	
	<u>\$ 2,260</u>	\$ 2,457	<u> </u>	4,708	<u>\$ 4,916</u>	

#### Leases of land and plants

The Corporation leased land and plants from its parent entity with total of 3 arrangements. The lease term of the contracts was all 5 years, which ended in December, 2025 and 2026, respectively. The rental was paid every half year.

The Corporation also leased the coke plant from its parent entity. The lease term of the contract was 5 years, which was ended December, 2026. The rental was paid every half year.

The Corporation and its subsidiaries leased land and plants from its fellow subsidiary. The lease term will end in December, 2058. The rental was paid annually or quarterly according to the contract.

Leases from related parties were without similar transactions with other non-related parties.

#### Leased of office buildings

The Corporation leased office buildings from its parent entity. The lease term of the contract will end in December, 2025. The rental was paid quarterly. Prices were negotiated between both sides and rental was paid according to the contract. Prices were same as local rental and there was no material difference in the term of contract between related parties and non-related parties.

#### g. Lease agreements

As described in Note 17, the Corporation leased out land, which was located in the Xiaogang District, Kaohsiung City to its parent entity. The rental was calculated by an annual rate of 3% based on the current land value. The rental was paid every half year. The lease term of the contract will end in December, 2025. As of June 30, 2025, December 31, 2024 and June 30, 2024, the gross lease payments to be received were NT\$6,456 thousand, NT\$12,913 thousand and NT\$19,370 thousand, respectively. The amounts of lease income recognized for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 were both NT\$3,228 thousand and NT\$6,456 thousand, respectively.

#### h. Other related party transactions

#### 1) Public fluid

The Corporation's factory was located inside the parent entity's plant; the primary energy needed for production was supplied by the parent entity. The Corporation paid on a monthly basis for expense on public fluid, including electricity, wastewater treatment, waste gas treatment, consumption of steam, and coke ovens, based on market price or cost plus percentage. The expenses mentioned above amounted to NT\$87,562 thousand, NT\$102,320 thousand, NT\$181,562 thousand and NT\$201,635 thousand for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024, respectively. The Corporation and other non-related parties had no similar transactions available for comparison.

#### 2) Technical service fees

The Corporation commissioned the parent entity to provide technical services, including activated carbon like Isotropic graphite block material analysis and the applied technological development in graphitizing mass production. The fees for technical services amounted to NT\$5,130 thousand, NT\$5,110 thousand for the six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024, respectively.

#### 3) Compensation of key management personnel

	For the Three Months Ended June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 30		
	2025	2024	2025	2024	
Short-term employee benefits Post-employment benefits	\$ 6,528 219	\$ 8,392 160	\$ 14,334 438	\$ 16,733 369	
	<u>\$ 6,747</u>	<u>\$ 8,552</u>	<u>\$ 14,772</u>	<u>\$ 17,102</u>	

The compensation of the directors and the other management was determined by the Remuneration Committee in accordance with the personal performance evaluation and market trends.

## 29. SIGNIFICANT CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND UNRECOGNIZED CONTRACTUAL COMMITMENTS

Significant commitments and contingencies of the Corporation and its subsidiaries' as of June 30, 2025 were as follow:

- a. Guarantee notes provided to sellers for purchase of goods and agreements amounted to NT\$123,026 thousand.
- b. Unused letter of credit issued by the Corporation for the purchase of raw materials and goods in the amount of NT\$1,033,722 thousand.
- c. Property, plant and equipment construction contract signed for total amount of NT\$405,594 thousand, in which about NT\$230,117 thousand has not yet completed.

## 30. SIGNIFICANT FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES DENOMINATED IN FOREIGN CURRENCIES

The following information was aggregated by the foreign currencies other than functional currencies of the Corporation and its subsidiaries and the exchange rates between foreign currencies and respective functional currencies were disclosed. The significant financials assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies were as follows:

	Foreign Currencies (In Thousands)	Exch	ange Rate	Carrying Amount (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)
June 30, 2025				
Financial assets				
Monetary items				
USD	\$ 4,303	29.3	(USD:NTD)	\$ 126,074
RMB	23,221	4.091	(RMB:NTD)	94,996
JPY	108,870	0.2034	(JPY:NTD)	22,144
				(Continued)

	Foreign Currencies (In Thousands)	Exchange Rate		Carrying Amount (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)
Non-monetary items				
Financial assets mandatorily				
designated as FVTPL USD	\$ 317	29.3	(USD:NTD)	\$ 9,284
Financial assets mandatorily	Ψ 317	27.3	(CSD.T(TD)	Ψ 2,201
designated as FVTOCI				
USD	3,816	29.3	(USD:NTD)	111,805
Financial liabilities				
Monetary items				
USD	454	29.3	(USD:NTD)	13,290
RMB	3,926	4.091	(RMB:NTD)	16,061
JPY	180,600	0.2034	(JPY:NTD)	36,734
December 31, 2024	<u> </u>			
Financial assets				
Monetary items				
USD	8,471	32.785	(USD:NTD)	277,734
USD	136	7.321	(USD:RMB)	4,459
RMB	23,590	4.478	(RMB:NTD)	105,634
JPY	308,073	0.2099	(JPY:NTD)	64,665
Non-monetary items Financial assets mandatorily designated as FVTPL				
USD	1,097	32.785	(USD:NTD)	35,967
Financial assets mandatorily designated as FVTOCI				
USD	3,292	32.785	(USD:NTD)	107,923
Financial liabilities				
Monetary items				
USD	1,805	32.785	(USD:NTD)	59,175
RMB	4,248	4.478	(RMB:NTD)	19,020
June 30, 2024	<u> </u>			
Financial assets				
Monetary items				
USD	9,447	32.45	(USD:NTD)	306,566
RMB	46,128	4.445	(RMB:NTD)	205,039
JPY	90,387	0.2017	(JPY:NTD)	18,231
Non-monetary items Financial assets mandatorily designated as FVTPL				
USD	1,074	32.45	(USD:NTD)	34,849
Financial assets mandatorily designated as FVTOCI				
USD	2,657	32.45	(USD:NTD)	86,232 (Continued)

	Foreign Currencies (In Thousands)	Excha	nge Rate	Carrying Amount (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)
Financial liabilities Monetary items USD JPY	\$ 2,151 76,880	32.45 0.2017	(USD:NTD) (JPY:NTD)	\$ 69,804 15,507
				(Concluded)

For the three months and six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024, realized and unrealized net foreign exchange gains and losses were losses of NT\$26,694 thousand, gains of NT\$10,998 thousand, losses of NT\$17,273 thousand and gains of NT\$27,075 thousand, respectively. It is impractical to disclose net foreign exchange gains or losses by each significant foreign currency due to the variety of the foreign currency transaction and functional currencies of the Corporation and its subsidiaries.

#### 31. SEPARATELY DISCLOSED ITEMS

- a. Information about significant transactions and b. investees:
  - 1) Financing provided to others (Table 1)
  - 2) Endorsements/guarantees provided (None)
  - 3) Marketable securities held (excluding investments in subsidiaries and associates) (Table 2)
  - 4) Total purchases from or sales to related parties amounting to at least NT\$100 million or 20% of the paid-in capital (Table 3)
  - 5) Receivables from related parties amounting to at least NT\$100 million or 20% of the paid-in capital (None)
  - 6) Trading in derivative instruments (None)
  - 7) Intercompany relationships and significant intercompany transactions (Table 4)
  - 8) Information on investees (Table 5)
- c. Information on investments in mainland China
  - 1) Information on any investee company in mainland China, showing the name, principal business activities, paid-in capital, method of investment, inward and outward remittance of funds, ownership percentage, net income (loss) of investees, investment gain (loss), carrying amount of the investment at the end of the period, repatriations of investment income, and limit on the amount of investment in the mainland China area (Table 6)
  - 2) Any of the following significant transactions with investee companies in mainland China, either directly or indirectly through a third party, and their prices and payment terms:
    - a) The amount and percentage of purchases and the balance and percentage of the related payables at the end of the period (None)

- b) The amount and percentage of sales and the balance and percentage of the related receivables at the end of the period (None)
- c) The amount of property transactions and the amount of the resultant gains or losses (None)
- d) The balance of negotiable instrument endorsements or guarantees or pledges of collateral at the end of the period and the purposes (None)
- e) The highest balance, the end of period balance and the interest rate range with respect to financing of funds (Table 1)
- f) Other transactions that have a material effect on the profit or loss for the year or on the financial position, such as the rendering or receipt of services (None)

#### 32. SEGMENT INFORMATION

Information reported to the chief operating decision maker for the purposes of resource allocation and assessment of segment performance focuses on the types of goods or services delivered or provided. Reported segments of the Corporation and its subsidiaries were as follows:

- a. CSCC/CCSNM Production and marketing of chemical products.
- b. EWI Investments.
- c. The Corporation and its subsidiaries have the reporting segments analyzed as follows:

	CSCC/ CCSNM	EWI	Adjustment and write-off	Consolidated
For the six months ended June 30, 2025				
Revenue from external customers Inter segment revenue	\$ 3,105,771 16,967	\$ 17,310 (7,767)	\$ - (9,200)	\$ 3,123,081
Segment revenue	\$ 3,122,738	\$ 9,543	\$ (9,200)	\$ 3,123,081
Segment income Interest income Share of profits of subsidiaries	\$ 326,743 4,958	\$ 9,015 1,579	\$ 18,113 (931)	\$ 353,871 5,606
and associates Other income	45,565 55,998	- 124	529 (10,346)	46,094 45,776
Interest expense	(8,070)	-	931	(7,139)
Other gains and losses Profit before income tax	(10,905) 414,289	(8,457) 2,261	8,296	(19,362) 424,846
Income tax expense  Net profit (loss) for the period	47,618 \$ 366,671	<u>2,790</u> \$ (529)	\$ 8,296	\$ 374,438
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	CSCC/ CCSNM	EWI	Adjustment and write-off	Consolidated
For the six months ended June 30, 2024				
Revenue from external customers Inter segment revenue	\$ 3,753,661 116,869	\$ 4,910 2,556	\$ - (119,425)	\$ 3,758,571
Segment revenue	\$ 3,870,530	<u>\$ 7,466</u>	\$ (119,425)	<u>\$ 3,758,571</u>
Segment income Interest income Share of profits of subsidiaries and associates Other income Interest expense Other gains and losses Profit before income tax Income tax expense	\$ 626,304 7,385 41,511 42,381 (7,208) 25,095 735,468 110,013	\$ 7,008 1,964 273 - 2,507 11,752 894	\$ 562 (926) (10,858) (3,118) 926 (13,414)	\$ 633,874 8,423 30,653 39,536 (6,282) 27,602 733,806 110,907
Net profit for the period	\$ 625,455	\$ 10,858	\$ (13,414)	\$ 622,899 (Concluded)

Department interests refers to the profits earned by each department, excluding the administrative cost of the headquarters to be amortized and remuneration of directors, rent income, interest income, gain (loss) from disposal of property, plant, and equipment, net foreign currency exchange gains and losses, financial instruments valuation gains and losses, interest expense, income tax expense, etc. These measurements and amount are provided to the chief operating decision-maker for allocating resources to each segment and for assessing their performance.

#### e. Segment total assets and liabilities

	June 30,	December 31,	June 30,
	2025	2024	2024
Segment assets			
Chemicals segment Production and sales Investment segment Adjustment and write-off	\$ 11,199,207	\$ 11,766,317	\$ 11,360,934
	1,600,124	1,681,919	1,742,169
	(1,866,078)	(1,982,776)	(2,135,872)
	\$ 10,933,253	\$ 11,465,460	\$ 10,967,231
Segment liabilities		<del> </del>	<del> </del>
Chemicals segment Production and sales Investment segment Adjustment and write-off	\$ 3,580,170	\$ 3,352,133	\$ 3,397,744
	2,799	804	835
	(95,482)	(104,073)	(196,412)
	<u>\$ 3,487,487</u>	\$ 3,248,864	\$ 3,202,167

#### FINANCING PROVIDED TO OTHERS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 2025

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Unless Stated Otherwise)

- Note 1: The need for short-term financing.
- Note 2: According to "The Process of Financing Others" established by Ever Wealthy International Corporation, the total available amount for lending to others and the total amount for lending to a company shall not exceed 30% and 20% of the net worth of Ever Wealthy International Corporation, respectively; the financing limit amount for parent company shall not exceed 30% of the net worth of the company.
- Note 3: The transaction had been eliminated when preparing consolidated financial statements.

### MARKETABLE SECURITIES HELD

**JUNE 30, 2025** 

(Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Unless Stated Otherwise)

					JUNE 30, 2025				
Held Company Name	Type and Na	me of Marketable Securities	Relationship with The Company	Financial Statement Account	Shares/Units	Carrying Value	Percentage of Ownership (%)	Fair Value	Note
China Steel Chemical Corporation	Common stock	China Steel Corporation	Parent company	Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income-current	3,746,915	<u>\$ 70,442</u>		<u>\$ 70,442</u>	
China Steel Chemical Corporation	Preferred stock	China Steel Corporation	Parent company	Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income-current	229,000	\$ 9,263		\$ 9,263	
Ever Wealthy International Corporation	Common stock	China Steel Chemical Corporation	Parent company	Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income-current	4,753,537	\$ 437,325		\$ 437,325	Note
Ever Wealthy International Corporation	Common stock	China Steel Corporation	The ultimate parent company	Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income-current	4,226,265	79,454		79,454	
						\$ 516,779		\$ 516,779	

Note: Listed as treasury shares when preparing consolidated financial statement.

# TOTAL PURCHASES FROM OR SALES TO RELATED PARTIES AMOUNTING TO AT LEAST NT\$100 MILLION OR 20% OF THE PAID-IN CAPITAL FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 2025

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Unless Stated Otherwise)

Duran	Related Party	Dalationshin		Relationship			Abnorma	Transaction	Notes/Accounts Receiva	Note	
Buyer	Related Party	Relationship	Purchase/Sale	Amount	% of Total	Payment Terms	Unit Price	Payment Terms	Ending Balance	% of Total	Note
China Steel Chemical Corporation	Linyuan Advanced Materials Technology Co., Ltd.	Subsidiary of director of the board	Sales	\$ (435,379)	(14)	Receivables are collected as the end of every month of when invoice is issued	Note	Note	\$ 67,749	19	
China Steel Chemical Corporation China Steel Chemical Corporation	China Steel Corporation Dragon Steel Corporation	Parent company Fellow subsidiary	Purchases Purchases	1,084,281 459,184	67 28	Letter of credit at sight Letter of credit at sight	Note Note	Note Note	(185,515 )	(87 )	

Note: Refer to Note 28.

# INTERCOMPANY RELATIONSHIPS AND SIGNIFICANT INTERCOMPANY TRANSACTIONS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 2025

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Unless Stated Otherwise)

				Transaction Details				
No.	Investee Company	Counterparty	Relationship	Financial Statement Accounts	Amount	Payment Terms	% of Total Operating Revenues or Assets	
1	Ever Wealthy International Corporation	Changzhou China Steel New Materials Technology Co., Ltd.	Subsidiaries to subsidiaries	Accounts	\$ 87,267	According to the contract and the resolution approved in the board of director.	Revenues	

#### INFORMATION ON INVESTEES FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 2025

(Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Unless Stated Otherwise)

				Original Inve		As of JUNE	30, 2025	Net Income (Loss) of the	a	NT - 4 -	
Investor Company	Investee Company	Location	Main Businesses and Products	JUNE 30, 2025   DECEMBER 31, 2024		Number of Shares	%	<b>Carrying Amount</b>	Investee	Share of Profit (Loss)	Note
				JUNE 30, 2023	DECEMBER 31, 2024	Shares					
China Steel Chemical Corporation	CHC Resources Corporation	Republic of China	Manufacture and sale of Ground-Granulated Blast-Furnace Slag and Blast-Furnace Slag Cement, Air-cooled Blast Furnace Slag and Basic Oxygen Furnace Slag, reutilization of resources	\$ 91,338	\$ 91,338	15,019,341	6	\$ 361,278	\$ 671,000	\$ 40,528	
China Steel Chemical Corporation	China Steel Structure Co., Ltd.	Republic of China	Manufacture and sale of products of steel structure	13,675	13,675	600,069	-	15,792	273,302	820	
China Steel Chemical Corporation	Ever Wealthy International Corporation	Republic of China	General investment	300,083	300,083	107,712,232	100	1,277,638	(529)	(529)	Subsidiary (Note)
China Steel Chemical Corporation	Transglory Investment Corporation	Republic of China	General investment	450,000	450,000	75,911,726	9	514,457	1,214	111	(-1333)
China Steel Chemical Corporation	CSC Solar Corporation	Republic of China	Solar energy generation	261,600	261,600	26,160,000	15	302,454	65,155	9,773	
China Steel Chemical Corporation	Eminent III Venture Capital Corporation	Republic of China	General investment	160,000	160,000	16,000,000	9	98,323	(65,032)	(5,744)	
China Steel Chemical Corporation	Pro-Ascentek Investment Corporation	Republic of China	General investment	60,000	60,000	6,000,000	5	63,872	11,177	559	
China Steel Chemical Corporation	HIMAG Magnetic Corporation	Republic of China	Production and sale of industrial magnetic, chemical, and iron oxides	47,950	47,950	3,133,744	8	40,669	7,052	552	
China Steel Chemical Corporation	Gau Ruei Investment Corporation	Republic of China	General investment	15,070	15,070	1,196,000	40	24,156	(121)	(48)	
China Steel Chemical Corporation	Li-Ching-Long Investment Corporation	Republic of China	General investment	7,000	7,000	700,000	35	10,706	(3)	(1)	
China Steel Chemical Corporation	TaiAn Technologies Corporation	Republic of China	Bio-Tech consultants and management	2,295	2,295	499,998	5	6,400	2,364	118	
China Steel Chemical Corporation	Eminent Venture Capital Corporation	Republic of China	General Investment	3,375	3,375	337,500	5	3,483	(11,483)	(574)	
Ever Wealthy International Corporation	China Steel Structure Co., Ltd.	Republic of China	Manufacture and sale of products of steel structure	29,281	29,281	532,000	-	14,213	273,302	737	
Ever Wealthy International Corporation	ThinTech Materials Technology Co., Ltd.	Republic of China	Sputtering target manufacturing and sales	38,203	42,396	5,083,748	5	79,581	(2,372)	73	
Ever Wealthy International Corporation	Honley Auto. Parts Co., Ltd.	Republic of China	Manufacture of automotive components	100,985	100,985	8,034,528	7	79,404	(92,142)	(6,988)	
Ever Wealthy International Corporation	HIMAG Magnetic Corporation	Republic of China	Production and sale of industrial magnetic, chemical, and iron oxides	33,015	33,015	2,297,860	6	29,813	7,052	405	
Ever Wealthy International Corporation	Hung-Chuan Investment Corporation	Republic of China	General investment	9,000	9,000	900,000	45	13,765	(3)	(2)	
Ever Wealthy International Corporation	Sheng Lih Dar Investment Corporation	China	General investment	8,400	8,400	840,000	35	14,566	1,402	491	
Ever Wealthy International Corporation	Ding Da Investment Corporation	Republic of China	General investment	10,495	10,495	897,000	30	13,708	740	222	

Note: The transaction had been eliminated when preparing consolidated financial statement.

# INFORMATION ON INVESTMENTS IN MAINLAND CHINA FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 2025

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Unless Stated Otherwise)

				Accumulated	Remittance o	f Funds (Note 1)	Accumulated		%				
Investee Company	Main Businesses and Products	Paid-in Capital (Note 1)	Method of Investment	Outward Remittal for Investment fro Taiwan as of December 31, 200 (Note 1)	m Outward	Inward	Outward Remittance for Investment from Taiwan as of JUNE 30, 2025 (Note 1)	Net Income (Loss) of the Investee	Ownership of Direct or Indirect Investment	Investment Gain (Loss) (Note 2)	Carrying Amount as of JUNE 30, 2025	Accumulated Repatriation of Investment Income as of JUNE 30, 2025	Note
Changzhou China Steel New Materials Technology Co., Ltd.	Mesophase sales and trading	\$ 163,435	Direct investment	\$ 190,620	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 190,626	\$ (7,767)	100	\$ (7,767)	\$ 173,270	\$ -	Note 4

Investee Company	Accumulated Outward Remittance for	Investment Amount Authorized by	Upper Limit on the Amount of
	Investment in Mainland China as of	Investment Commission, MOEA	Investment Stipulated by Investment
	JUNE 30, 2025 (Note 1)	(Note 1)	Commission, MOEA (Note 3)
China Steel Chemical Corporation	\$ 190,626	\$ 190,626	\$ 4,467,459

- Note 1: The amounts were calculated based on the foreign exchange rate as of June 30, 2025.
- Note 2: The basis for recognition of investment income is bases on the financial statements reviewed and attested by R.O.C. parent company's CPA.
- Note 3: The limit on investment in Mainland China pursuant to "Principle of investment or Technical Cooperation in Mainland China" is applicable; investments shall not exceed 60% of their net worth.
- Note 4: The transaction had been eliminated when preparing consolidated financial statement.