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• The Group implemented the strategies of product innovation, capacity expansion and market development in 1H 2014, and achieved double-digit growth in both revenue and net profit. Gross profit margin of the Group remained at 28.2%.

For the six months ended 30 Jun (RMB millions)	1H 2013	1H 2014	Change (%)
Revenue	7,021	7,948	+13.2
Gross profit	1,969	2,244	+14.0
Profit before taxation	1,420	1,527	+7.6
Effective tax rate	24.5%	16.8%	-7.7 ppt
Profit attributable to equity shareholders	1,072	1,271	+18.6
Basic earnings per share <sup>1</sup> (RMB)	0.20	0.19	-5.0
Interim dividend per share (RMB)	N.A.	0.06	N.A.

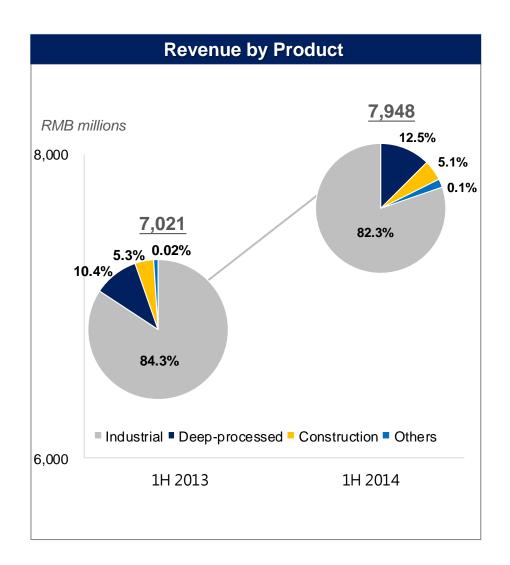
%	1H 2013	1H 2014	Change (%pt)
Gross profit margin	28.0	28.2	+0.2
Net profit margin	15.3	16.0	+0.7
EBITDA margin	27.2	26.0	-1.2

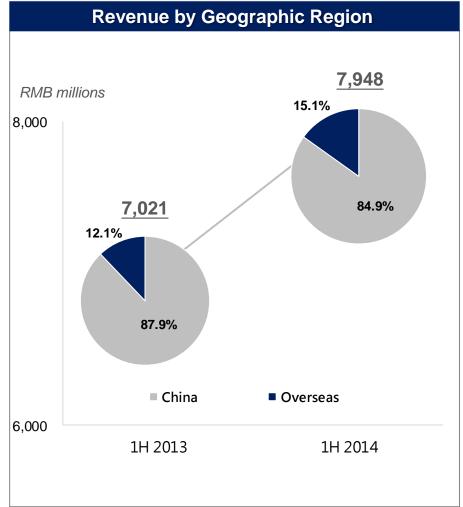
#### Note:

<sup>1.</sup> Total number of shares increased in 1H 2014 as a result of the open offer completed early this year, comprising issue of approximately 2.7 million ordinary shares and 1.62 billion convertible preference shares.

# **Revenue Analysis**

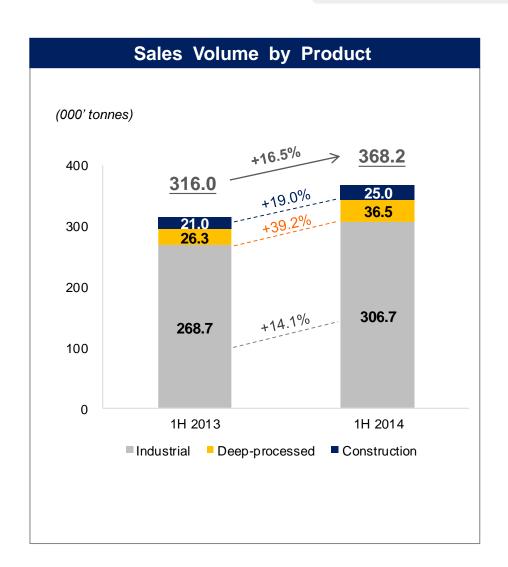


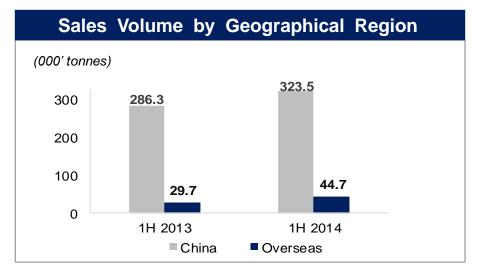


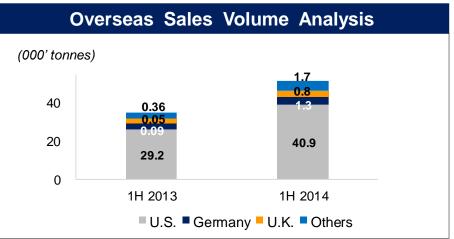


# **Aluminium Extrusion Product Sales Volume Analysis**



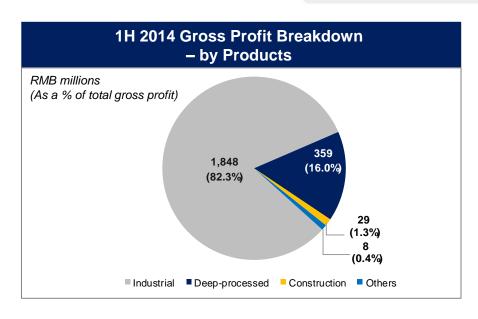


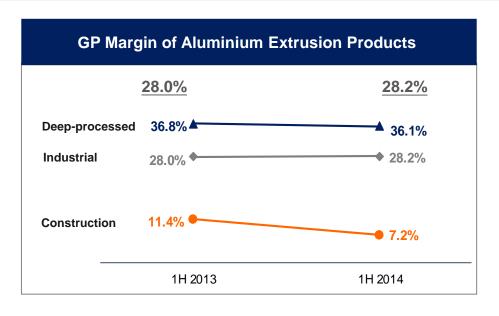


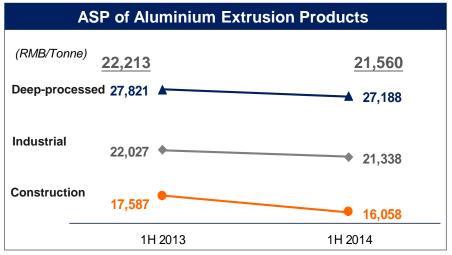


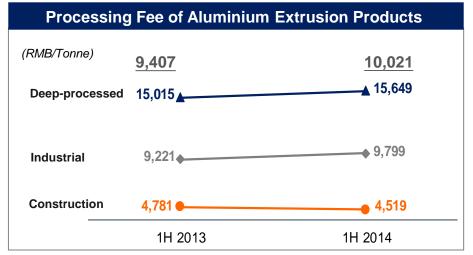
# **Effective Cost Control, Stable Gross Profit Margin**











# **Solid Financial Position and Sound Management**



Turnover Days (Days)	1H 2013	1H 2014
Accounts receivable turnover days <sup>1</sup>	25	16
Accounts payable turnover days <sup>2</sup>	138	164
Inventory turnover days <sup>3</sup>	136	111

Balance Sheet Summary (RMB millions)	As at 31 December 2013	As at 30 June 2014
Total assets	40,353	48,797
Bank balances and cash⁴	10,886	16,177
Net assets	19,639	23,582
Gearing ratio (%) <sup>5</sup>	51.3%	51.7%

#### Note:

- 1. Accounts receivable turnover in days = (365\*/2) ((accounts and bill receivables balance at the beginning of the year + accounts and bill receivables balance at the end of the year) / 2) / sales for the year
- 2. Accounts payable turnover in days = (365\*/2) ((accounts and bills payable balance at the beginning of the year + accounts and bills payable balance at the end of the year) / 2) / cost of sales for the year
- 3. Inventory turnover in days = (365\*/2) ((inventory balance at the beginning of the year + inventory balance at the end of the year) / 2) / cost of sales for the year
- 4. Bank balances and cash = cash and cash equivalents + pledged bank deposits + short-term deposits
- 5. Gearing ratio = total liabilities / total assets\*100%

#### **Continued to Enhance the Capital Structure**



#### Jan 2013

Method: Syndicated loan
Amount: US\$200 million
Period: Three years
Interest Rate: LIBOR+275 bps

#### Jun 2014

Method: Syndicated loan
Amount: US\$500 million
Period: Three years
Interest Rate: LIBOR+275 bps

#### Jan 2014

Method: Open offer at 3 new ordinary shares

for every 10 existing ordinary shares

No. of New Shares issued: Over 1.62 billion

Subscription Price: HK\$2.61 per Share

Proceeds: HK\$4.23 billion

The outstanding business performance over the past years has given financial institutions and shareholders confidence on the Group's development and growth potential





# **Three Synergistic Core Businesses**



Products in the Pipeline



FRP project development is on track.

Construction of infrastructure and installation of equipment are rolling out as planned.



- Technically advance products command higher selling price and gross profit, becoming an increasingly important driver of profit growth for the Group.
- A stable and reliable source of revenue and cash flow, industrial aluminium extrusion products provide strong backing for expansion industrial deepprocessing business and FRP business.

#### **Industrial Aluminium Extrusion Products**



1H 2014 Performance at a Glance			
No. of extrusion lines	93		
No. of large-tonnage extrusion presses of 75MN and above	21		
Total production capacity	Over 1 million tonnes		
Revenue (RMB)	6.54 billion		
Sales volume	306,696 tonnes		
ASP (RMB)	21,338 / tonne		
Processing fee (RMB)	9,799 / tonne		
Gross profit margin	28.2%		

- The 8 large-tonnage aluminium extrusion presses that completed installation last year have all commenced operations, and have enhanced the Group's annual production capacity to meet production requirements.
- Two 225MN horizontal single-action aluminium extrusion presses will commence production in 2015. These additional production facilities will enhance the quality and production efficiency in industrial aluminium extrusion products and sharpen our competitive edges from economies of scale.



# **Deep-Processed Products**



1H 2014 Performance			
Revenue (RMB)	990 million		
Sales volume	36,547 tonnes (95.2% for export)		
ASP (RMB)	27,188 / tonne		
Processing fee (RMB)	15,649 / tonne		
Gross profit margin	36.1%		

- Deep-processed products sold in 1H 2014 were mainly aluminium pallets.
- Delivered orders for large components of five aluminium carriages for Fuzhou subway.
- Export volume of deep-processed products increased by 33.8% to approximately 34,775 tonnes.
- More technically advanced products command higher selling prices and gross profit margin than industrial aluminium extrusion products, enhancing the Group's overall profitability.

# Showcase of All Aluminium Made DeepProcessed Products Pallet Fire Truck City Rail and High-Speed Rail Carriage Bin Trailer



#### **High-End Aluminium Flat Rolled Products**



Project Overview			
	Phase I	Phase II	Overall
Location	Tianjin Wuqing A	Auto Parts Industr	ial Park
Commencement time	2H 2015	2018	2018
Area (km²)	6	4	10
Designed capacity (mn tonnes)	1.8	1.2	3
Type of production lines	Medium-to-high thickness aluminium plates and aluminium sheets		
Product categories	High performance, broad-width section aluminium flat rolled products with high strength and tenacity applied in automobiles, vessels, rail cargo wagon aviation and aerospace, chemical containers and cans		gth and tenacity ail cargo wagons,

- Plant Infrastructure construction for the first medium-to-high thickness production line has been completed.
- The first production line with a designed capacity of 0.9 million tonnes will be installed by early next year for pilot production and equipment testing.
- Nearly 200 core technical staff have been sent to Germany for training.
- CAPEX for phase 1 is over RMB30 billion, the project will be the world's largest top-notch FRP base upon completion.
   The project is expected to change the current situation of the nation's reliance on import for high-end products.



# Recognized R&D Capabilities



#### **Research Team**

- R&D investment in 1H 2014 amounted to RMB240 million, equivalent to 3% of total revenue.
- A team of 795 R&D and quality control experts as of 30 June 2014, representing 9.7% of the Group's total employees.

- Recognised as the "Post-Doctoral Innovation Practice Base".
- Signed strategic cooperation framework agreement with Dalian University of Technology on developing high-end products.
- In talks with AVIC SAC Commercial Aircraft Company and Shenyang Aerospace University on R&D and production of aerospace aluminium extrusion products.

**R&D Partners** 

#### **Research Achievements**

- Granted 11 patents in 1H 2014, among which 4 are invention patents and 7 are utility model patents.
- Liaoning Zhongwang, recognized as high and new technology enterprise, enjoys a preferential corporate income tax rate of 15% during 2013 to 2015.

Passed the supervisory audit in relation to AS9100C which facilitates application of the Group's aluminium extrusion products in civil aviation.

 Obtained approval for expansion in aluminium alloy extrusions certified by CCS<sup>1</sup>, that broadens application of the Group's products in shipment, offshore facilities and related industrial areas.

#### **Industry Accreditation**

Note:

<sup>1.</sup> CCS refers to China Classification Society, issuer of technical standards for vessels and marine facilities.





# China's Favorable Policies to Boost Demand for High-end Products



# Industrial Aluminium Extrusion and Deep-processed Products

### Strong demand from transportation industries:

- Automotive
- High-speed rail and city railway
- Shipping

# Sustained development in machinery and equipment industries:

- Increase in automation and large-scale equipment sets
- The Government issued policies such as "12th five-year plan for high-end equipment manufacturing industry" and "Industrial transformation & upgrade plan"
- Western China exploration plan

New energy and ultra-high voltage grid construction.

#### **Aluminium Flat Rolled Products**

Transportation, containers and power electronics are the main growth drivers.

Automotive, subway and aviation industries will continue to see rapid developments.

# Consumption level is increasing with rising demand from the following products:

- Chemical containers
- Containers
- Canned products

Demand for Highend Products Increases

**Demand** 

from

**Terminal** 

**Industries** 

**Increases** 

The proportion of sales revenue from highend products to the overall aluminium extrusion products will increase drastically.

#### Large demand gap for high-end products in China:

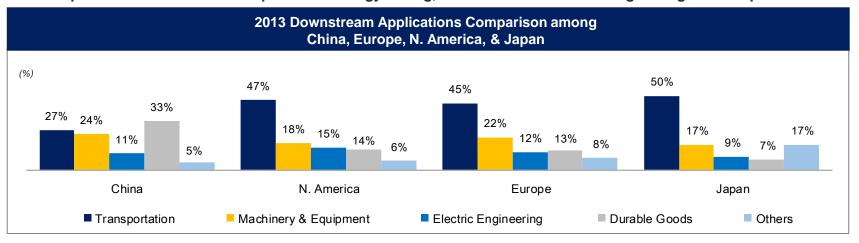
- High-end products are mainly imported, however the market always faces export restrictions from developed countries
- Automobile aluminium plate, ship plate, aluminium rail wagons, aviation and other fields are yet to develop
- Consumption of canned products is below global average

Source: BCG Analysis Report

# Industrial Aluminium Extrusion Market – Continual Stable Growth

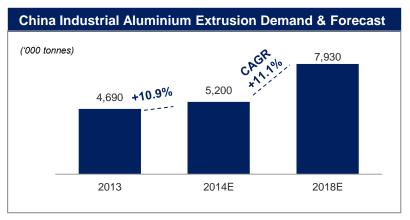


 China offers ample room for growth in usage of high value-added aluminium products, particularly in the transportation sector with an emphasis on energy saving, emissions reduction and light-weight development.



• China is driving the global aluminium extrusion industry growth. China's industrial aluminium extrusion demand is expected to grow at a CAGR of 11.1% from 2014 to 2018.





Source: A Report on Global & Domestic Aluminium Extrusion Market, Prepared by Beijing Antaike Information Development Co., Ltd., 2014.03

### **Promising Future for Flat Rolled Products in China**



#### **Industry's Favourable Factors / Advantages**

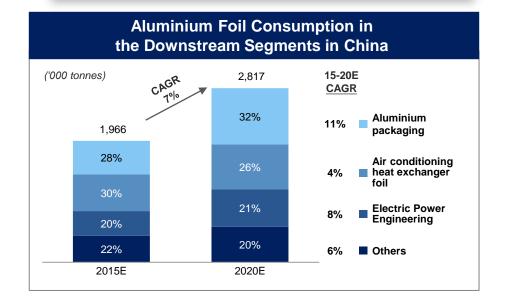
#### Rising Demand in Downstream Industries

- The major growth drivers of the China market are transportation, packaging, and electric power engineering.
- Industries like automobiles, railway and aviation will maintain high growth trajectory resulting in a strong demand for aluminium plate.
- With rising consumption levels, high-end packaging supplies like cans, chemical containers and containers will be the key drivers for future development of aluminium FRP.

#### **Aluminium Plate and Sheet Consumption** in the Downstream Segments in China 15-20E ('000 tonnes) 13.172 **CAGR** 16% Transportation Packaging 8,886 21% 13% **Electric Power** 14% Engineering 11% 17% Machinery & 8% Equipment 12% 10% Metal Mold 9% 11% 10% Durables 11% Construction 7% 4% 6% 3% **Aluminium Foil Raw Materials** 2015E 2020E Others

Large Demand–Supply Gap for High-end Products

- High-end aluminium FRP market is still in the early stage, relying on imports to meet market demand.
- Automobile aluminium plates, aluminium rail wagons, aviation and other sectors are still under-developed.



Source: BCG Analysis Report

# **Energy Saving Policies in Different Countries to Promote Aluminium Application in Automotive Industry**







- U.S. Department of Energy states that for every 10% of car body weight reduction, fuel efficiency will be enhanced by 6%-8%.
- From 2017 to 2025, the CAFE<sup>1</sup>
   of new car models
   manufactured in the U.S.
   should reach 4.3L/100km,
   which will double the current
   requirement.
- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and National Highway Traffic Safety Administration suggests car body weight reduction by 20% by 2025, provided that neither car safety nor car size are affected.





#### China

- Ministry of Industry and Information Technology suggests to lower the average fuel consumption of mainland's sedan car manufactured in 2015 to 6.9L/100km.
- The Government targets to bolster strategic emerging industries to account for 8% and 15% of total GDP in 2015 and 2020 respectively.





#### EU

- By 2020, the average CO<sub>2</sub> emissions of sedan in EU zone must be reduced from 130g/km to **95g/km**. Extra emissions will be charged at 95 Euro/g.
- Environment Committee of European Commission hopes the CO<sub>2</sub> emissions of EU new sedan could be reduced to 68-78g/km by 2025.



# Aluminium applications in automotive

- Ford's model F-150
  manufactured in 2015 adopted
  97% of aluminium, which is
  lighter than steel car
  bodies by 320kg with 30%
  increased in fuel efficiency.
- Tesla Model S adopted full aluminium car body, majority of the front and back rear use aluminium to address car weight reduction and battery life span.
- Next generation of Chrysler's Wrangler will adopt aluminium products. On Land Rover Range Rover SUV, Audi A8, Mercedes-Benz CLA, and Chevrolet Corvette sports model, parts or full body are made of aluminium.

Note:

1. CAFE refers to Corporate Average Fuel Economy

### **Future Strategies**



Sharpen Core Competitive Edge by Strengthening R&D



Reinforce R&D partnership with leading research and academic institutions

Step Up Market
Development Efforts



Respond to market demands, focus mainly on the domestic market and develop overseas market on a complementary basis, cement relationship with existing customers and step up efforts to cultivate new customers

Continue to Develop

Deep-processing Business



Introduce new products for different markets and increase the share of deepprocessed products in total sales

**Optimize Production Capacity** 



Strengthen the Group's foothold in the production of high precision, large cross-section industrial aluminium extrusion products; increase investment in aluminium tilt smelting and casting facility and equipment

Further Develop High Value-added Aluminium Flat Rolled Project



Provide a new impetus for the Group's long-term development





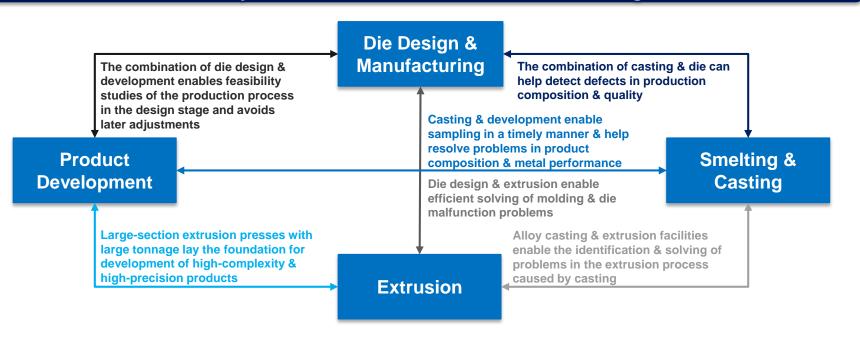




### **Unique Four-in-one Business Model**



# Leading Die and Alloy Smelting & Casting Capabilities – Two Major Industrial Aluminium Extrusion Technologies



- Product development, die design & manufacturing, alloy smelting & casting, as well as extrusion altogether form a "four-in-one" capabilities business model with comprehensive advantages which showcases the Group's unrivaled and core competencies
- The Group has the largest smelting and quenching equipment in China, as well as unique equipment and technology for degassing

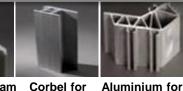
Product development, die design & manufacturing, smelting & casting, and extrusion work closely together to form integrated competitive strengths

### **Major Products**





# Chassis for Traction Beam



Train Body



**CRH Body** 

**Transportation** 



**Bus for Train** 



Side-wall of **EMU Body** 

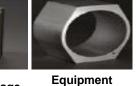
**Existing Products** 

Industrial Aluminium Extrusion

**Machinery & Equipment** 

**Robot Carriage** 

**EMU** 



Cylinder

Base for Train



Snowplow





Construction Aluminium Extrusion









**Future Products** 











Aluminium Flat Rolled **Products-Aluminium Plate** 

Aluminium Flat Rolled Products - Aluminium Sheet

Aluminium Flat Rolled Products - Foil

**Deep-processed Train Compartment** 

### **Properties of Aluminium**



# 1St in terms of Production amongst Non-ferrous Metals

- Aluminium production exceeds that of copper, lead, tin and other non-ferrous metals combined
- Annual production of non-ferrous metals in 2007

Aluminium 38.108.700 tonnes	Copper 17,974,300 tonnes	Lead 8,084,900 tonnes	349,000 tonnes
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Source: London Metal Exchange

# 2nd Most Widely Used Metal after Steel

- Extensive applications due to lightweight, corrosion-resistant, and good electrical and thermal conductivity qualities
- · Weighs less than half of steel and copper
- Electricity conductivity is twice as good as copper given the same weight

aluminium	Steel	Copper
2.7g/cm <sup>3</sup>	7.6g/cm <sup>3</sup>	8.5g/cm <sup>3</sup>

# **3rd** Most Abundant Material in the Earth's Crust

Accounts for 7.3% of the Earth's crust, 3<sup>rd</sup> most abundant material in the Earth's crust

#### **Aluminium is Energy-saving & Environmental Friendly**

#### **Production**

#### The energy saved is 6-12 times of the power required to produce the primary aluminium if replacing other metals with aluminium

Source: International Aluminium Institute

#### **Usage**

- Every 10% reduction in weight results in fuel savings of up to 8%
- Replace other metals with aluminium in vehicles or light trucks, each kilogram of aluminium used translates to 20kg less CO<sub>2</sub> over the lifetime of the vehicle.
   Improve the emissions reduction benefits of heavy vehicles, shipments and aviation.

#### Recycling

- 100% recyclable
- 3/4 of all aluminium ever produced remains in use today
- Recycling aluminium takes up to 95% less energy than producing new aluminium



# Committed to Light-Weight Development For a Greener World

#### Light-weight material, aluminium alloy enables:

- Vehicles to run faster
- Planes to fly high and far
- Our environment to be more eco-friendly
- Energy to be used more efficiently
- A better tomorrow