1. BASIS OF INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENT AND CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENT PREPARATION

The accompanying interim financial statements and consolidated interim financial statements include the effects of the economic crisis to the extent they are known and can be estimated. The operations of the Company and subsidiary have been affected by the country's crisis. The accompanying interim financial statements and consolidated interim financial statements do not include any adjustments that might result from these uncertainties. Related effects will be reported in the financial statements as they become known and estimable.

The accompanying interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Accounting Standard No. 41 "Interim Financial Reporting" and Regulations of Stock Exchange of Thailand (SET) relating to the accounting.

The interim financial statements are prepared as additional information to financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2001 with the emphasis on the more current information about activities, events and situations, not a duplicate of information previously reported. These interim financial statements should therefore be read in conjunction with the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2001.

The consolidated interim financial statements include the account of Chiangmai Frozen Foods Public Company Limited and Subsidiary, C&W Interfoods Co., Ltd which holding 49% of share capital by its two directors who are the authorized persons to make decision for the subsidiary's operation.

During the period there is no related accounting transactions between the Company and subsidiary.

The consolidated financial statements for the year 2001 have been prepared in the third quarter of the year 2001.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accompanying interim financial statements and consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared using the significant accounting policies under the Accounting Standards issued by the Institute of Certified Accountants and Auditors of Thailand. Significant accounting policies and the methods of computation used to prepare the interim financial statements and the consolidated interim financial statements for the three-month and nine-month periods ended September 30, 2002 are consistent with those used to prepare the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2001. The additional accounting policies adopted during the three-month and nine-month periods ended September 30,2002 are as follows:

Finance Lease

Leases of property where the Company and subsidiary have substantially been transferred all the risks and rewards of ownership are classified as finance leases. Finance leases are recognized as assets and liabilities at the inception of the lease at the lower of the fair value of the leased property or the present value of the minimum lease payments. Each lease payment is allocated between the liability and finance charges so as to achieve a constant rate on the finance balance outstanding. The interest element of the finance cost is charged to the income statements over the lease period.

The lease payment amount net of finance charges is recorded as the reduction of the outstanding liability. The depreciable assets acquired under finance leases are depreciated over the useful life of the assets.

3. TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED COMPANIES

Companies are considered to be related if one company has the ability to control or exercise significant influence over the other company in making financial and operating decisions.

A summary of significant transactions with its subsidiary and related companies in the normal course of business and at market prices for the three-month periods ended September 30,2002 and 2001 are as follows:

| | IN BAHT | | | | |
|------------------------------|--------------|------------|------------------|------------|--|
| | CONSOLIDATED | | THE COMPANY ONLY | | |
| | 2002 2001 | | 2002 | 2001 | |
| Sales | | | | | |
| Itochu Corporation Co., Ltd. | 33,369,088 | 39,521,972 | 33,369,088 | 39,521,972 | |
| P.P Foods Supply Co., Ltd. | 2,411,354 | 3,007,428 | 2,411,354 | 3,007,428 | |
| Total | 35,780,442 | 42,529,400 | 35,780,442 | 42,529,400 | |

A summary of significant transactions for the nine - month periods ended September 30,2002 and 2001 are as follows:

| | IN BAHT | | | | | |
|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|--|--|
| | CONSOL | IDATED | THE COMPANY ONLY | | | |
| | 2002 2001 | | 2002 | 2001 | | |
| Sales | | | | | | |
| Itochu Corporation Co., Ltd. | 99,933,974 | 121,081,086 | 99,933,974 | 121,081,086 | | |
| P.P Foods Supply Co., Ltd. | 8,351,312 | 10,016,183 | 8,351,312 | 10,016,183 | | |
| Total | 108,285,286 | 131,097,269 | 108,285,286 | 131,097,269 | | |

Outstanding balances arising from sales.

| | IN BAHT | | | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------|---------------|---------------------|--------------|--|
| | CONSOLI | DATED | THE COMPA | NY ONLY | |
| | September 30, | December 31, | September 30, | December 31, | |
| | 2002 "UNAUDITED" | 2001 | 2002 "UNAUDITED" | 2001 | |
| | "REVIEWED" | "AUDITED" | "REVIEWED" | "AUDITED" | |
| Accounts receivable | | | | | |
| Itochu Corporation Co., Ltd. | 3,600,396 | 4,114,093 | 3,600,396 | 4,114,093 | |
| P.P Foods Supply Co., Ltd. | 1,586,054 | 1,596,800 | 1,586,054 | 1,596,800 | |
| Ing shiang Co., Ltd. | 993,570 | 506,961 | 993,570 | 506,961 | |
| Total | 6,180,020 | 6,217,854 | 6,180,020 | 6,217,854 | |
| Outstanding balances short - | term loan from rela | ited parties. | | | |
| Wonder Interfoods Co.,Ltd. | 7,500,000 | | | | |

4. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE - TRADE

The aging of outstanding balances as at September 30, 2002 and December 31, 2001 are as follows:

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|----------------------------|---|---|---|
| CONSOLI | DATED | THE COMPA | NY ONLY |
| September 30, December 31, | | September 30, | December 31, |
| 2002 "UNAUDITED" | 2001 | 2002 "UNAUDITED" | 2001 |
| "REVIEWED" | "AUDITED" | "REVIEWED" | "AUDITED" |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| 6,180,020 | 6,217,854 | 6,180,020 | 6,217,854 |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| 58,308,285 | 50,594,353 | 51,594,627 | 50,594,353 |
| | | | |
| 64,488,305 | 56,812,207 | 57,774,647 | 56,812,207 |
| | September 30, 2002 "UNAUDITED" "REVIEWED" 6,180,020 58,308,285 | 2002 2001 "UNAUDITED" "AUDITED" 6,180,020 6,217,854 58,308,285 50,594,353 | September 30, December 31, September 30, 2002 2001 2002 "UNAUDITED" "AUDITED" "REVIEWED" 6,180,020 6,217,854 6,180,020 58,308,285 50,594,353 51,594,627 |

5. RECEIVABLES FROM SALES OF INVESTMENTS

On April 12, 2000, the Company entered into an agreement to sell all of its investments in LAIYANG CHONGTAI FROZEN FOODS CO., LTD and C.T LAIYANG FROZEN FOODS CO.,LTD. to the existing shareholders of Baht 15.3 million reflecting gain on sales of investments of Baht 3.0 million, which included in income from operations for the year 2000.

The sale price was payable in installments through to year 2005 are as follows:

| | CONSOLI | DATED | THE COMPA | NY ONLY |
|----------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| | September 30, | December 31, | September 30, | December 31, |
| | 2002 | 2001 | 2002 | 2001 |
| | "UNAUDITED" | | "UNAUDITED" | |
| | "REVIEWED" | "AUDITED" | "REVIEWED" | "AUDITED" |
| Year 2002 | 1,810,082 | 3,725,453 | 1,810,082 | 3,725,453 |
| Year 2003 | 3,528,643 | 3,600,926 | 3,528,643 | 3,600,926 |
| Year 2004 | 3,406,618 | 3,476,398 | 3,406,618 | 3,476,398 |
| Year 2005 | 1,657,546 | 1,691,501 | 1,657,546 | 1,691,501 |
| Total | 10,402,889 | 12,494,278 | 10,402,889 | 12,494,278 |
| Less current portion | (5,338,726) | (3,725,453) | (5,338,726) | (3,725,453) |
| Net | 5,064,163 | 8,768,825 | 5,064,163 | 8,768,825 |

6. INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARY

AS AT SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

| | | Paid up | % | In Ba | aht | |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|---------------|------------|---------------|-----------|
| Name | Activities | Capital | Holdings | At Cost | At Equity | Dividends |
| | | (In Baht) | | | | |
| C & W Interfoods Co., Ltd. | Frozen Dough, | | | | | |
| C & W Interioods Co., Etd. | Bakery Products | 130,000,000 | 49.0 | 63,700,000 | 55,698,341 | _ |
| | - | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| AS AT DECE | MBER 31, 200 | 1 | | | | |
| AS AT DECE | MBER 31, 200 | Paid up | % | In Ba | aht | |
| AS AT DECE | MBER 31, 200 Activities | | % Holdings | In Ba | aht At Equity | Dividends |
| | , | Paid up | | | | Dividends |
| | , | Paid up Capital | | | | Dividends |

In 2001, the Company invested in C&W Interfoods Co.,Ltd. which jointly between Chaingmai Frozen Foods Public Company Limited and Wonder Interfoods Co., Ltd., in percentage of holding 49:51. These companies are related through directorship. The such subsidiary was incorporated as a limited company with Ministry of Commerces on August 17,2001 and started commercial operations on May 21,2002.

7. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT – NET

| | IN BAHT | |
|--|----------------|----------------|
| | Consolidated | The Company |
| | | Only |
| | Property,plant | Property,plant |
| | and | and |
| | equipment | equipment |
| For the nine-month period ended September 30, 2002 | | |
| Net book value, Beginning of period | 492,834,319 | 426,977,368 |
| Acquisition | 129,290,962 | 13,365,044 |
| Disposals | (197,753) | - |
| Depreciation | (44,543,819) | (38,222,121) |
| Net book value, End of period | 577,383,709 | 402,120,291 |

8. OVERDRAFTS AND LOANS FROM FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

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| | III DAITI | | | | |
|-----------------|----------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--------------|--|
| | CONSOLI | DATED | THE COMPANY ONLY | | |
| | September 30, | September 30, December 31, | | December 31, | |
| | 2002 "UNAUDITED" | 2001 | 2002 "UNAUDITED" | 2001 | |
| | "REVIEWED" "AUDITED" | | "REVIEWED" | "AUDITED" | |
| Bank overdrafts | 3,275,166 | - | - | - | |
| Import loans | 6,523,833 | - | - | - | |
| Short-term loan | 5,000,000 | | | | |
| Total | 14,798,999 | | | | |

A subsidiary has the overdrafts and loan from a local bank amounted to Baht 45 million. Import loan bears interest at the rates of 6.25 % per annum and short-term loan bears interest at the rate

of MLR-1 per annum. Such loans are guaranteed by the mortgage of land structures and machinery of subsidiary.

9. LIABILITIES UNDER FINANCE LEASE CONTRACTS - NET

IN BAHT

| | CONSOLIDATED | | THE COMPANY ONLY | | |
|--|---------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|--|
| | September 30, | December 31, | September 30, | December 31, | |
| | 2002 "UNAUDITED" | 2001 | 2002 "UNAUDITED" | 2001 | |
| | "REVIEWED" | "AUDITED" | "REVIEWED" | "AUDITED" | |
| Liabilities under finance | | | | | |
| lease contracts | 890,503 | - | - | - | |
| <u>Less</u> Deferred interest charges Current portion of liabilities under | (77,794) | - | - | - | |
| finance lease contracts (Net of Deferred interest charges amounted to Baht 47,261) | (297,449) | - | - | - | |
| Net | 515,260 | _ | | | |

In May 2002, A subsidiary bought its assets under financial lease contracts with a leasing company for a period of three years, which will due within April 2005. Value of its assets under such lease contracts amounted to approximately Baht 1.0 million. A subsidiary has a purchase option based on the prices indicated in the contracts when the period of leases are expired.

10. LIABILITIES UNDER HIRE - PURCHASE CONTRACTS - NET

IN BAHT

| | CONSOLI | DATED | THE COMPANY ONLY | | | |
|---|---------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|--|--|
| | September 30, | December 31, | September 30, | December 31, | | |
| | 2002 "UNAUDITED" | 2001 | 2002 "UNAUDITED" | 2001 | | |
| | "REVIEWED" | "AUDITED" | "REVIEWED" | "AUDITED" | | |
| Liabilities under hire purchase | | | | | | |
| contracts | 897,372 | - | - | - | | |
| <u>Less</u> Deferred interest charges Current portion of | (56,355) | - | - | - | | |
| Liabilities under hire purchase contracts (Net of Deferred interest | | | | | | |
| charges amounted to Baht 43,279) | (469,505) | | - | | | |
| Net | 371,512 | | | | | |

In July 2002, A subsidiary bought its assets under hire-purchase contracts with a leasing company for a period of two years, which will due within July 2004. Value of its assets under such hire purchase contracts amounted to approximately Baht 1.3 million.

11. LONG -TERM LOANS - NET

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|-----|---|---|-----|---|---|
| IIN | к | А | н | ı | |

| | 11 (21 11 1 | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|--|--|--|
| | CONSOLI | DATED | THE COMPANY ONLY | | | | |
| | September 30, | December 31, | September 30, | December 31, | | | |
| | 2002 | 2001 | 2002 | 2001 | | | |
| | "UNAUDITED" | | "UNAUDITED" | | | | |
| | "REVIEWED" | "AUDITED" | "REVIEWED" | "AUDITED" | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| Loans denominated in Thai Baht | 37,637,622 | - | - | - | | | |
| <u>Less</u> Current portion | (1,800,000) | | | | | | |
| Net | 35,837,622 | | | _ | | | |
| <u>Less</u> Current portion | (1,800,000) | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> | | | |

Loans denominated in Thai Baht are from local financial institutions consist of :-

The first loan of Baht 23.9 million , payable in installments through April, 2008 with interest payable monthly which bear interest at the rates of MLR-1 to MLR per annum.

The second loan of Baht 13.7 million, payable in installments through February, 2007 with interest payable monthly which bear interest at the rates of MLR-1 to MLR per annum.

The such loans were collateralized by land and structures and machinery of subsidiary.

12. MINORITY INTEREST

| | <u>IN BA</u> CONSOLI | | |
|---|-------------------------|--------------|--|
| | September 30, December | | |
| | 2002 "UNAUDITED" | 2001 | |
| | "REVIEWED" | "AUDITED" | |
| Beginning of period | 9,401,380 | - | |
| Increase during the period | 56,300,000 | 36,000,000 | |
| <u>Less</u> Share subscription receivable | - | (26,000,000) | |
| Equity in net loss of subsidiary for the period | (7,729,638) | (598,620) | |
| Ending of period | 57,971,742 | 9,401,380 | |

13. DIVIDENDS

At the Ordinary Shareholders' Meeting for the year 2002, held on April 30, 2002, the shareholders were unanimously approved the payment of Dividends from net income under the Board of Investment Promotional Certificate No.1397/2537 to the shareholders for 21 million shares, at Baht 4 per share totalling Baht 84 million. Such dividends paid on May 30, 2002.

At the Ordinary Shareholders' Meeting for the year 2001, held on April 30, 2001, the shareholders were unanimously approved the payment of Dividends from net income under the Board of Investment Promotional Certificate No.1397/2537 to the shareholders for 21 million shares, at Baht 4 per share totalling Baht 84 million. Such dividends paid on May 30, 2001.

14. OPERATING INCOME

The following expenditures, classified by nature, have been charged in arriving at operating income .

| | IN BAHT | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|---|------------|------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| | FOR THE THE | FOR THE THREE - MONTH PERIODS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, | | | | | | | |
| | CONSOL | CONSOLIDATED THE COMPANY ONLY | | | | | | | |
| | 2002 | 2001 | 2002 | 2001 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| Depreciation on plant and equipment | 12,226,843 | 8,598,579 | 8,544,466 | 8,598,579 | | | | | |
| Staff costs | 42,703,557 | 31,620,778 | 37,844,981 | 31,620,778 | | | | | |
| Number of employees (persons) | 1,363 | 1,121 | 1,175 | 1,121 | | | | | |

| | IN BAHT | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| | FOR THE NIN | NE - MONTH PERI | ODS ENDED SEP | TEMBER 30, | | | | |
| | CONSOL | CONSOLIDATED THE COMPANY ONLY | | | | | | |
| | 2002 | 2001 | 2002 | 2001 | | | | |
| Depreciation on plant and equipment Staff costs | 44,543,819 113,347,659 | 33,745,832 101,072,450 | 38,222,121 106,210,306 | 33,745,832 101,072,450 | | | | |
| Number of employees (persons) | 1,363 | 1,121 | 1,175 | 1,121 | | | | |

15. PROMOTIONAL PRIVILEGES

By virtue of the provisions of Industrial Investment Promotion Act.B.E.2520, the Company was granted certain privileges.

- 15.1 Under the Board of Investment Promotional Certificate No.1727/1988, exception from payment of income tax for seven years starting from the commencement date of the promoted business. (February 1,1990 February 1,1997)
- 15.2 Under the Board of Investment Promotional Certificate No.1063/1993, exception from payment of income tax for six years starting from the commencement date of the promoted business. (November 1,1994 November 1,2000)
- 15.3 Under the Board of Investment Promotional Certificate No.1397/1994, exception from payment of income tax for eight years starting from the commencement date of the promoted business. (March 3, 1996 March 3, 2004)
- 15.4 Under the Board of Investment Promotional Certificate No.1465/1999, exception from payment of income tax for eight years starting from the commencement date of the promoted business. (November 1,2001- November 1,2009)

As a promoted industry, the Company must comply with certain conditions and restrictions provided for in the promotional certificate.

16. BUSINESS SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Company segment information for the three - month period ended September 30, 2002 are as follows:

| | IN BAHT | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|--|
| | Exported Sales | Domestic Sales | Total | Subsidiary | Elemination | Net | |
| Net sales Cost of sales | 284,569,393 | 4,396,995 | 288,966,388 | 14,458,447 | - | 303,424,835 | |
| Gross profit (loss) | 174,714,056 109,855,337 | 2,606,667 1,790,328 | 177,320,723 | (1,202,750) | | 192,981,920 | |
| Selling expenses | 25,282,388 | 390,611 | 25,672,999 | 3,165,092 | - | 28,838,091 | |
| Income (loss) from operating | 84,572,949 | 1,399,717 | 85,972,666 | (4,367,842) | - | 81,604,824 | |
| Interest and other income | | | 2,526,304 | 222,403 | - | 2,748,707 | |
| Central expenses | | | (21,042,133) | (3,702,896) | 4,224,062 | (20,520,967) | |
| Interest expenses | | | (24) | (772,200) | - | (772,224) | |
| Income tax | | | (216,269) | - | - | (216,269) | |
| Minority interest in net income | | | - | - | 4,396,473 | 4,396,473 | |
| Net income(loss) | | | 67,240,544 | (8,620,535) | 8,620,535 | 67,240,544 | |
| Net property, plant and equipment | | | | | | | |
| as at September 30,2002 | | | 402,120,291 | 175,263,418 | - | 577,383,709 | |
| Other assets | | | 706,255,253 | 23,174,869 | (55,698,341) | 673,731,781 | |
| Total assets | | | 1,108,375,544 | 198,438,287 | (55,698,341) | 1,251,115,490 | |

The Company segment information for the nine-month period ended September 30,2002 are as follows:

| | IN BAHT | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--|
| | Exported Sales | Domestic Sales | Total | Subsidiary | Elemination | Net | |
| Net sales | 677,077,487 | 14,803,921 | 691,881,408 | 20,350,391 | - | 712,231,799 | |
| Cost of sales | 435,680,715 | 9,525,915 | 445,206,630 | 22,601,462 | - | 467,808,092 | |
| Gross profit (loss) | 241,396,772 | 5,278,006 | 246,674,778 | (2,251,071) | _ | 244,423,707 | |
| Selling expenses | 60,162,497 | 1,315,419 | 61,477,916 | 4,134,129 | - | 65,612,045 | |
| Income (loss) from operating | 181,234,275 | 3,962,587 | 185,196,862 | (6,385,200) | - | 178,811,662 | |
| Interest and other income | | | 5,855,830 | 327,266 | - | 6,183,096 | |
| Central expenses | | | (65,355,213) | (8,313,555) | 7,426,514 | (66,242,254) | |
| Interest expenses | | | (2,546) | (784,663) | - | (787,209) | |
| Income tax | | | (925,319) | - | - | (925,319) | |
| Minority interest in net income | | | | | 7,729,638 | 7,729,638 | |
| Net income(loss) | | | 124,769,614 | (15,156,152) | 15,156,152 | 124,769,614 | |
| Net property, plant and equipment | | | | | | | |
| as at September 30,2002 | | | 402,120,291 | 175,263,418 | - | 577,383,709 | |
| Other assets | | | 706,255,253 | 23,174,869 | (55,698,341) | 673,731,781 | |
| Total assets | | | 1,108,375,544 | 198,438,287 | (55,698,341) | 1,251,115,490 | |

The Company segment information for the three-month period ended September 30,2001 are as follows:

| | In Baht | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|---------------|------------|--------------|---------------|--|
| | Exported | Domestic | | | | | |
| | Sales | Sales | Total | Subsidiary | Elemination | Net | |
| Net sales | 234,390,183 | 3,757,428 | 238,147,611 | _ | - | 238,147,611 | |
| Cost of sales | 141,991,554 | 2,276,218 | 144,267,772 | - | - | 144,267,772 | |
| Gross profit | 92,398,629 | 1,481,210 | 93,879,839 | _ | - | 93,879,839 | |
| Selling expenses | 21,917,996 | 351,864 | 22,269,860 | - | - | 22,269,860 | |
| Income from operating | 70,480,633 | 1,129,346 | 71,609,979 | _ | - | 71,609,979 | |
| Interest and other income | | | 2,232,278 | - | - | 2,232,278 | |
| Central expenses | | | (18,249,469) | (318,729) | 156,177 | (18,412,021) | |
| Interest expenses | | | (1,398) | - | - | (1,398) | |
| Income tax | | | (468,934) | - | - | (468,934) | |
| Minority interest | | | - | - | 162,552 | 162,552 | |
| Net income (loss) | | | 55,122,456 | (318,729) | 318,729 | 55,122,456 | |
| Net property, plant and equipment as | | | | | | | |
| at September 30, 2001 | | | 401,930,150 | 26,326,402 | - | 428,256,552 | |
| Other assets | | | 650,066,995 | 23,455,877 | (24,343,823) | 649,179,049 | |
| Total assets | | | 1,051,997,145 | 49,782,279 | (24,343,823) | 1,077,435,601 | |

The Company segment information for the nine-month period ended September 30,2001 are as follows:

| | | | In | Baht | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|------------|---------------|------------|--------------|---------------|
| | Exported | Domestic | | | | _ |
| | Sales | Sales | Total | Subsidiary | Elemination | Net |
| Net sales | 721,993,844 | 13,911,463 | 735,905,307 | _ | - | 735,905,307 |
| Cost of sales | 436,627,433 | 8,412,989 | 445,040,422 | | | 445,040,422 |
| Gross profit | 285,366,411 | 5,498,474 | 290,864,885 | - | - | 290,864,885 |
| Selling expenses | 65,481,367 | 1,261,439 | 66,742,806 | | | 66,742,806 |
| Income from operating | 219,885,044 | 4,237,035 | 224,122,079 | - | - | 224,122,079 |
| Interest and other income | | | 6,783,707 | - | - | 6,783,707 |
| Central expenses | | | (55,493,989) | (318,729) | 156,177 | (55,656,541) |
| Interest expenses | | | (1,667) | - | - | (1,667) |
| Income tax | | | (745,039) | - | - | (745,039) |
| Minority interest | | | | | 162,552 | 162,552 |
| Net income (loss) | | | 174,665,091 | (318,729) | 318,729 | 174,665,091 |
| Net property, plant and equipment | | | | · <u> </u> | | |
| as at September 30, 2001 | | | 401,930,150 | 26,326,402 | - | 428,256,552 |
| Other assets | | | 650,066,995 | 23,455,877 | (24,343,823) | 649,179,049 |
| Total assets | | | 1,051,997,145 | 49,782,279 | (24,343,823) | 1,077,435,601 |

17. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Financial assets and financial liabilities carried on the balance sheets include cash on hand and in bank, short - term investments in fixed deposits, trade and other accounts receivable and payable and loans. The recognition and measurement of these items are disclosed and presented in fair value.

As at September 30,2002 and December 31,2001, the carrying values of the Company's financial instruments are not significantly different from their fair value.

17.1 Currency risk

The Company's exposure to foreign currency risk almost relates to selling in U.S. Dollars. The Company primarily utilizes forward exchange contracts to hedge exchange rate risk occasionally if its necessary.

17.2 Credit risk

The risk arises from the counterparties defaulting which results in a financial loss to the Company .To manage this risk, the Company generally requests its customers to open letters of credit. The Company do not expect any counterparties to fail to meet their obligations.

17.3 Interest rate risk

The interest rate risk is the risk that future movements in market interest rates will affect the results of the subsidiary's operations and its cash flows. The subsidiary's exposure to interest rate risk relates primarily to loan from financial institutions and long-term loans (the details in Notes 8 and 11)

18. CONTINGENT LIABILITY

As at September 30, 2002, the Company and subsidiary have contingent liable for banks guarantee amounting to approximately Baht 7.7 million.

19. RECLASSIFICATION OF ACCOUNTS

Certain accounts in 2001 interim financial statements have been reclassified to conform with the 2002 interim financial statement presentation.