

CR Gas

2021 Interim Results Presentation











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Results Highlights

Rapid Growth in Key Results



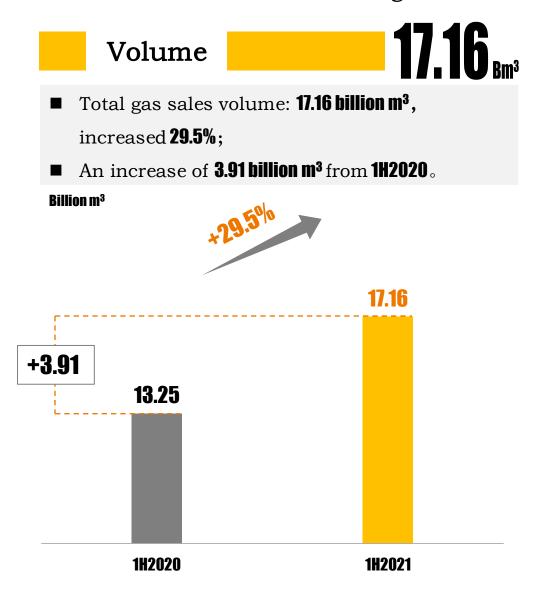
1H 2021, benefited by the economic recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic. CR Gas recorded a rapid growth in all key results, operation cash flow continued to grow, earnings and return increased sustainably.

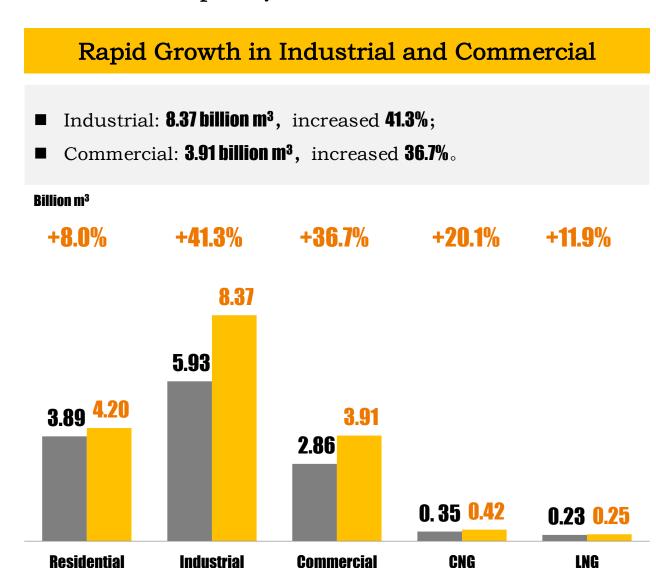
Key Results	30 Jun 2020	30 Jun 2021	Growth
Gas sales volume (billion m³)	13.25	17.16	29.5%
Number of customers (million)	38.70	43.19	11.6%
Turnover (HK\$ billion)	22.57	34.42	52.5%
Profit for the year (HK\$ billion)	3.06	4.24	38.5%
Profit attributable to shareholders (HK\$ billion)	2.40	3.25	35.6%
Net cash from operating activities (HK\$ billion)	3.65	4.67	28.1%
Interim dividend per share (HK\$ cents)	15	15	

Strong Growth in Gas Sales Volume



1H 2021, CR Gas continued to expand the C&I market by focusing on development of the key industries, gas sales volume was 17.16 billion m³, an increase of 29.5%. Industrial and commercial gas sales volume increased 41.3% and 36.7% respectively.





1H2020

1H2021

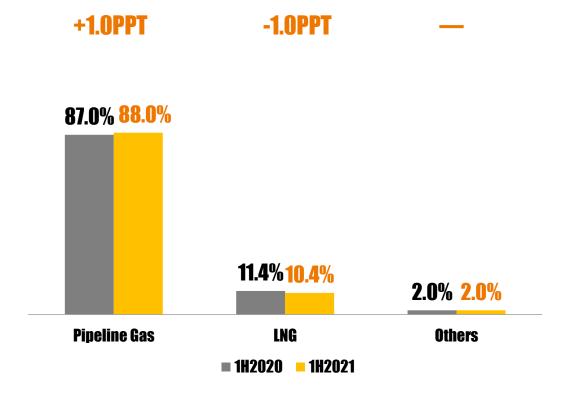
Steadily Gross Gas Sales Margin



1H 2021, the cost increase from piped gas and LNG were offset by the growth of C&I gas sales volume, proportion of C&I gas sales volume further increased to 71.6%. As a results, the unit gross gas sales margin maintain stable.

1H 2021 Gas Sources Distribution

- Piped gas: **88.0%**, increased **1.0PPT**;
- LNG: 10.4%, decreased 1.0PPT.



Unit Gas Margin

0.58 RMB

RMB per m³

Customer (excluding tax)	1H2O2O	1H2O21
Residential	2.35	2.36
C&I	2.67	2.83
Gas Station	3.01	3.27
Average Tariff	2.63	2.77
Average Cost	2.03	2.19
Gross Margin	0.60	0.58

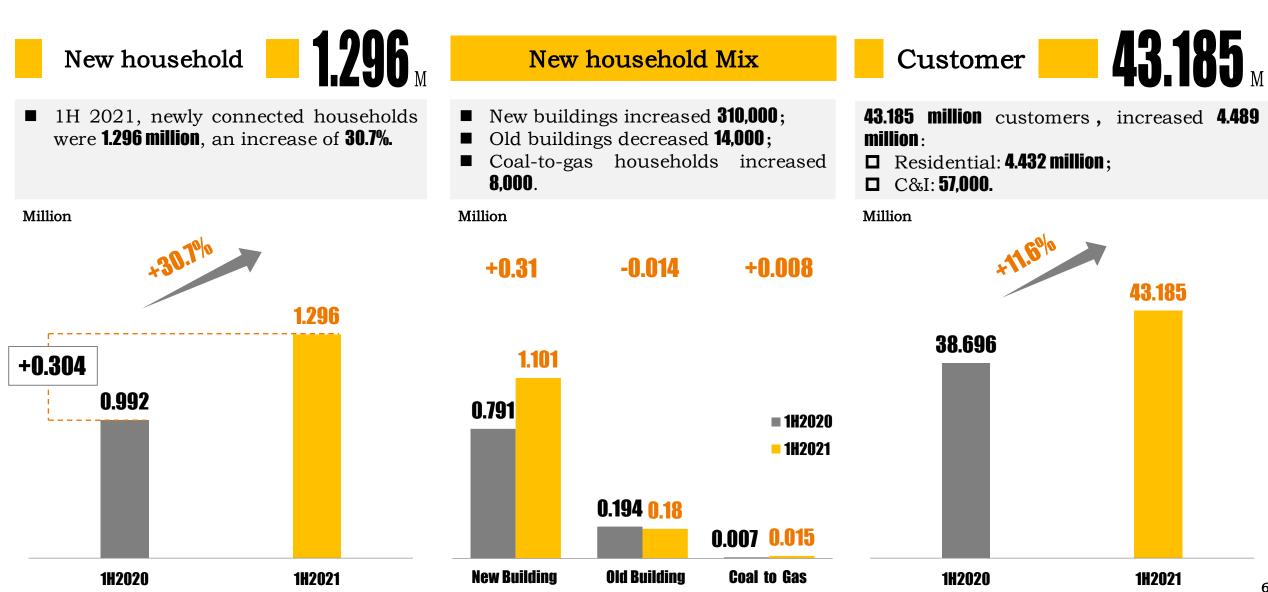
- ◆ Rapid growth in C&I, contributing **71.6%** of the total gas sales volume;
- ◆ 160 million m³ of LNG was sourced in 1H 2021 to average out the increasing cost.

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Continuous Growth in Connected Customers



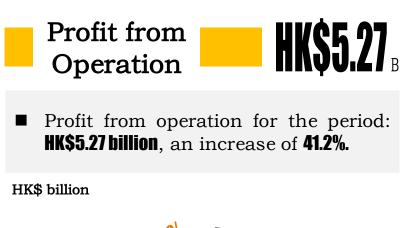
Continuous expansion in connection business, newly connected households were 1.296 million, an increase of 304,000 households, cumulative connected customers reached 43.185 million, an increase of 11.6% in 1H 2021.



Rapid Earning Growth



1H 2021, earnings grow rapidly, net profit for the period reached HK\$4.24 billion, an increase of 38.5%. Profit attributable to shareholders was HK\$3.25 billion, an increase of 35.6%.









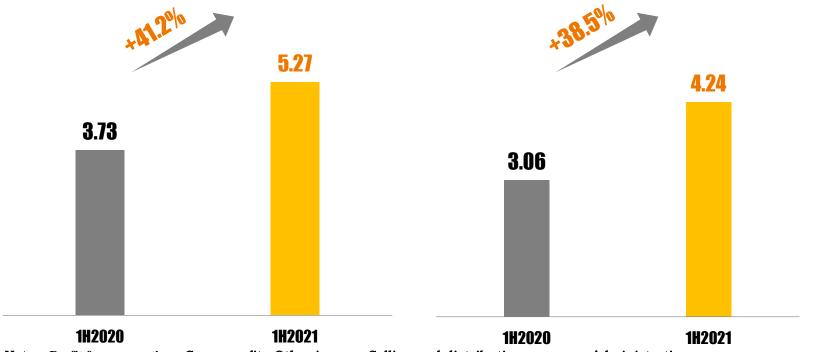
Attributable Profit **HK\$3**.

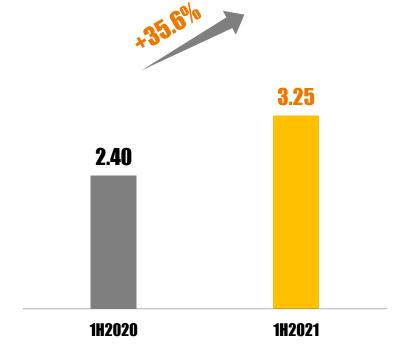
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■ Profit attributable to shareholders: **HK\$3.25 billion**, an increase of **35.6%.**









Strong Cash Management



1H 2021, operating cash flow reached HK\$4.67 billion, an increase of 28.1%. HK\$2.74 billion was spent on CAPEX. Bank balance and cash amounted to HK\$15.69 billion, maintained at high level.

- Operating cash flow
- HK\$4.67
- Operating cash flow: **HK\$4.67 billion**, an increase of **28.1%**;
- An Increase of **3.91 billion m³** from **1H2O2O**.

HK\$ billion

Capital **HK\$2.7** Expenditure

■ CAPEX: HK\$2.74 billion, an increase of 72.0%.

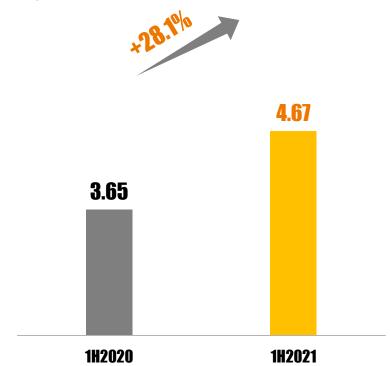
HK\$ billion

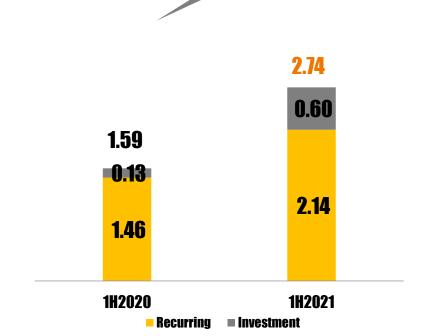


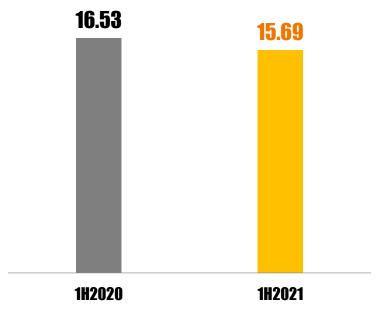


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HK\$ billion







Sufficient Financial Resources



1H 2021, 3 international rating agencies continued to maintain the highest credit rating of CR Gas, financing cost was further reduced to 2.8%. Improving financial flexibility and sufficient financial resources support CR Gas future development and expansion.

Highest Credit Rating

☐ International credit rating agencies **S&P Global**、**Moody's** and **Fitch** re-affirmed CR Gas the highest credit rating granted to the Chinese city gas operators.

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Financing Cost



1H 2021, HK\$14.0 billion banking facilities was undrawn, average interest rate further reduced to **2.8%**.

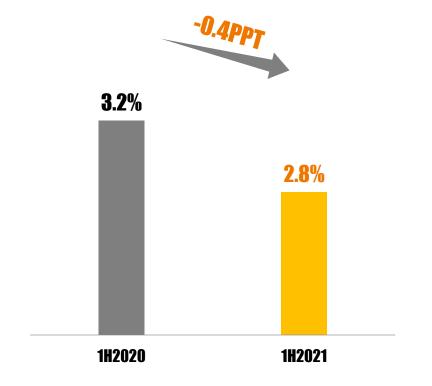


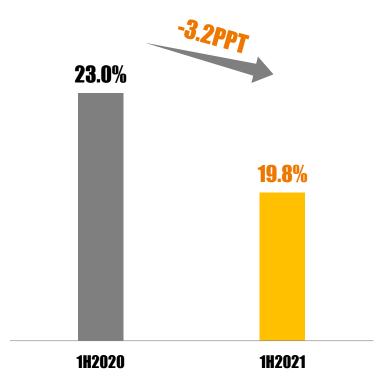
Debt Ratio



□ Interest bearing debt ratio was 19.8% in 1H 2021, an decrease of 3.2PPT, financial flexibility continues to improve.











2. Company Development

Improved ESG Management



ESG continued to improve. 1H 2021, CR Gas became the key SOE in corporate management benchmarking and the founding member of the China Oil and Gas Methane Alliance. After the 6.13 Shiyan accident, CR Gas actively reinforced the measures to strengthen the safety management.



Rating

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47 Companies



Key SOE in Corporate Mgt. Benchmarking

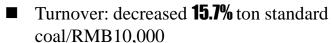


Key SOE Corp. Mgt. Benchmarking Campaign Corporate Project Model List

1. Benchmarking Corporation

China Resources Gas

Greenhouse Gas Emission:



■ Value added: decreased **9.7%** ton standard coal/RMB10,000

Safety Operation Capacity:

- Customer safety inspection: **20,537** times
- Staff safety training: **366,000** hours

Measures after 6.13 Shiyan Accident

- Special meetings held to review any potential risk;
- Safety meetings held to implement measures by SASAC;
- Project companies to execute measures on site.

Methane Emissions Alliance Member

May 18, China Oil and Gas Methane Alliance was inaugurated, CR Gas participated and became one of the founding members.



Safety Recognition

1H 2021, companies in Chifeng, Wuxi, Kunshan, Zhenjiang etc. awarded the "Advanced Unit for Safety Operation" honorary.

OHS Certificate

1H 2021, companies in Nanjing, Taizhou, Dafeng, Datong etc. awarded "Occupational Health and Safety Management System Certificate" honorary.

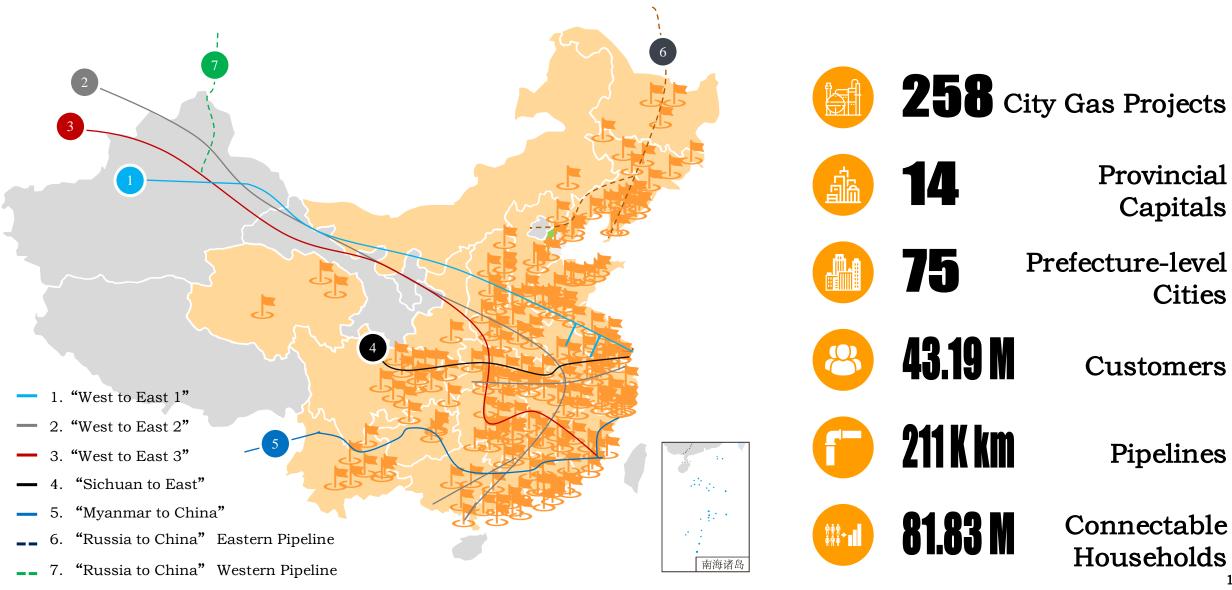
Environmental Protection System

Prepare CR Gas 14-5 carbon emission control and target and water, power, oil usage standard policies, set annual reduction target and become a KPI.

Superior Project Portfolio



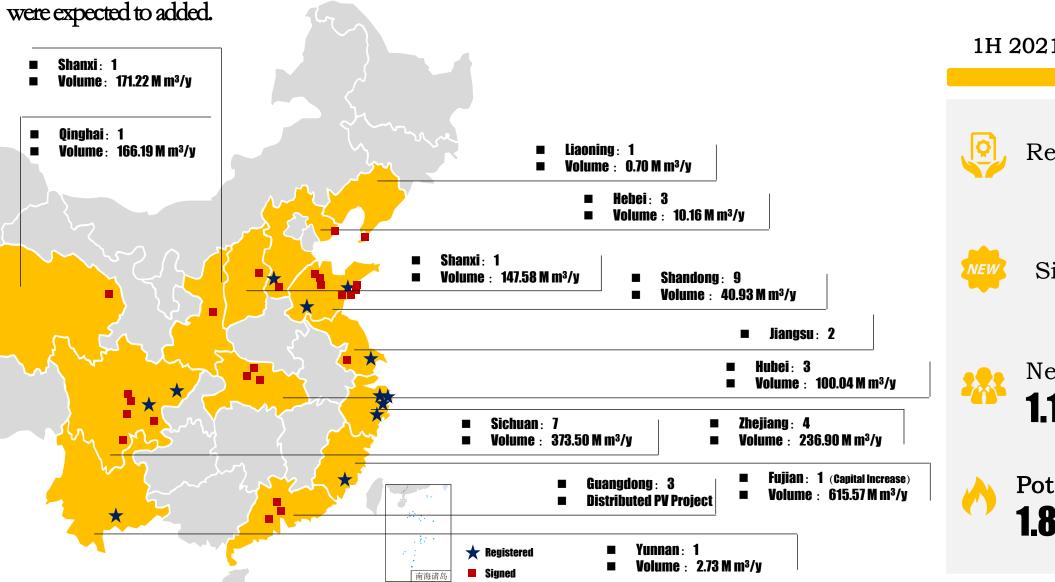
Pan-China strategy of project locations help diversifying the systematic risk regionally; projects can easily secure gas sources as most of them are located closely to the main gas supply pipelines.



New Investment in 1H 2021



1H 2021, 12 projects were registered and 25 projects were signed at group and project level, including city gas projects; distributed energy projects, storage and pipeline facilities. 10,000 km² new concession areas, 6.529 million population, 1.15 million new households and 1.87 billion m³ per year



1H 2021 New Investment

Registered: 12

Signed: 25

New Household:

1.15_M

Potential Volume:

1.87_{B m³/year}

Regional Development & Expansion



By way of project M&A and consolidation to expand the regional footprint and establish a regional operation model.

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Regional Market Consolidation



- **Consolidation**: Yangquan CR Gas merges with local SOE Yangquan Gas to form Shanxi Jindong CR Gas;
- **New Area: 456 km²**;
- Potential Volume: 320 million m³/yr

Panzhima Cras Panzhima Coal Gas

- **Consolidation**: Panzhihua CR Gas merges with Panzhihua Gas Group;
- New Area: 167 km²;
- Potential Volume: 140 million m³/yr



Regional Coverage Expansion



- **Expansion:** Xi' an CR Gas merges with Weibei Production Park;
- New Area: 915 km²;
- Potential Volume: 370 million m³/yr

Vibin Project

- **Expansion**: Yibin CR Gas merges with Nanxi project;
- New Area: 1192 km²;
- Potential Volume : 250 million m³/yr



Regional Alliance Establishment



- Alliance: Acquired Pingan project, alliance with Huangzhong and Haidong CR Gas;
- New Area: 1512 km²;
- Potential Volume : 170 million m³/yr

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C&I Market Development & Expansion



1H 2021, expansion in C&I market continued, 961 key industrial customers were connected, 1 billion m³ gas sales volume were added. 15,700 commercial customers, mainly small & micro businesses, were connected, 0.5 billion m³ gas sales volume were added. Exploring potential commercial customers through "Gas + Heat" supply model.



Key

Key Industry Focus to Increase Industrial Gas Scale

Focus

Customer: over 1 million m³ per year.



Industry: 13 such as Auto, F&B, Glass,

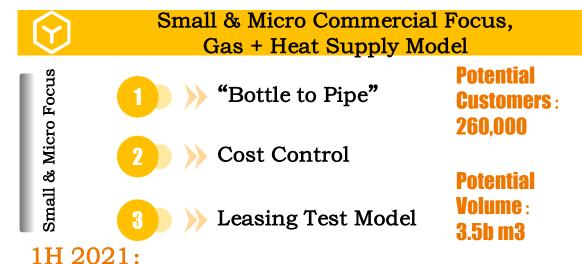
Pharm., Ceramic.



Existing Customer: production expansion.



- New key industry customer: 961
- Volume added: 1 billion m³.
- □ During 14th 5 year plan period, focus on 300 key industry major projects (over **5** million m³/year), organic growth in industrial gas to more than 10 billion m³.



- New small & micro commercial customer: 15,700
- Volume added: 0.5 billion m³.
- Gas + Heat Supply Model











During 14th 5 year plan period, focus on northern and eastern regions to increase 2 billion m³ of volume.

Integrated Services Business



Continued to enrich and improve the "PERCEN" and insurance products, established online channels and expanded the physical outlets, RMB430 million turnover was generated from 2 sales events in 1H 2012.



Product Enrichment, Quality Improvement



■ PERCEN Product Line





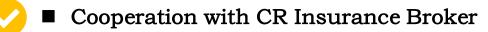












➤ Work with CR insurance broker to provide health, accident, property insurance products, extend the target customers from residential to C&I.

"On+Off" channel, Integrated Services Provider



■ Annual Live Broadcast Sales Event

➤ Via online live broadcast channel to organize CR Gas annual sales event.





■ Expanding Physical Outlets



- Onsite Promotion
- Community Sales Promotion
- > Sales through Real Estate Co.:
- Detector PERCEN appliance

Alteration • Corrugated Metal Hose





Event Sales: Event Sales:







Rapid Growth in Integrated Service Business



1H 2021, turnover from Integrated Service Business (ISB) reached HK\$910 million, an increase of 53.6%. Of which, turnover from gas appliances increased the most, to 217.2%.

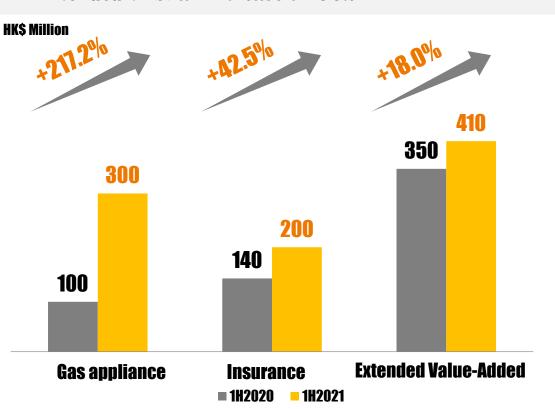
Rapid Growth in Integrated Services

■ Turnover from ISB reached **HK\$910 million**, an increase of **53.6%**.

910 590 1H2020 1H2021

High Growth Rate in all Segments

- Gas appliance: an increase of **217.2%**;
- Gas insurance: an increase of **42.5**%;
- Extended VAS: an increase of **18.0%**.



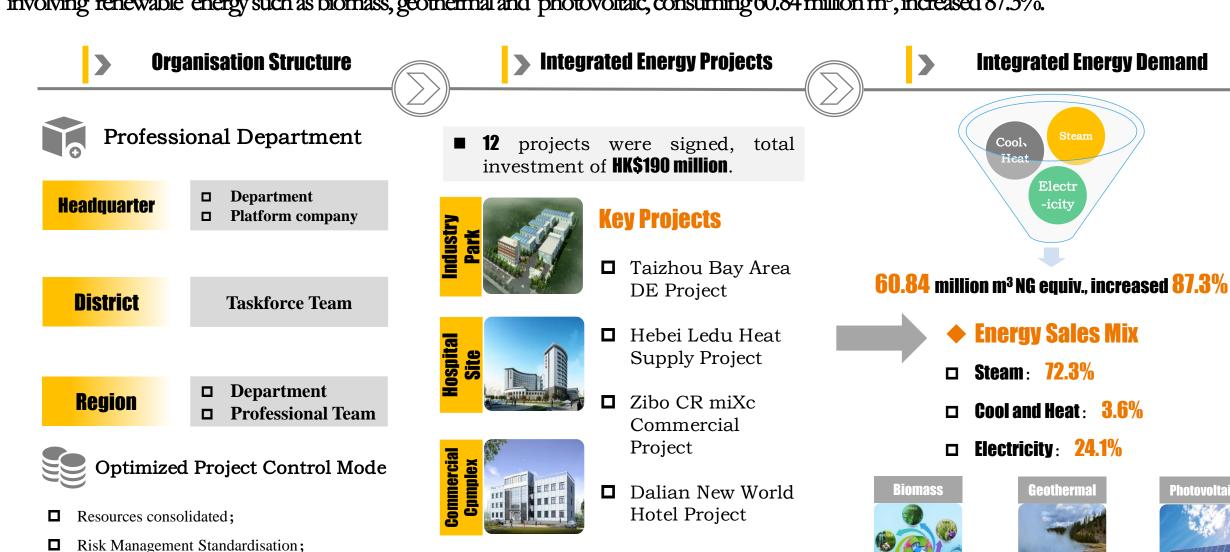
Innovation Motivation.

Integrated Energy Projects



1H 2021, Integrated Energy Department was established, 12 projects were signed, total investment of HK\$190 million, total projects up to 71, involving renewable energy such as biomass, geothermal and photovoltaic, consuming 60.84 million m³, increased 87.3%.

projects invested, 37 in operations



Integrated Energy Services



Exploring C&I distributed energy PV market, 5 projects have been signed, carbon emission from customers will decrease a lot. RMB93.28 million investment for Chenzhou CR Sanjiu Pharmaceutical cooperation. RMB250 million for CGN Environmental Protection Xiangyang proejects.

C&I Distributed Energy PV Projects



■ 4 new DE PV projects signed, total of 5 have been signed in Guangdong, Fujian and Hubei province.



- Xiamen Yuan Chu Food Processing Project
- Guangdong Rui Xing New Energy Project
- Heshan Sheng Da Metal Project
- Yingde Jiang Xin New Material Project
- Hubei Zhui Ri Electrical Project



- □ Term: 30 years
- ☐ Est. Amount: RMB7.06 million
- □ Capacity: 2000KW
- □ IRR: **11%**



Expect to reduce 1559 tons carbon per year.

Chenzhou CR Sanjiu & Xiangyang CGN Projects

Chenzhou CR Sanjiu Pharmaceutical IE Project

- ☐ Investment: Installed NG electricity, cool and heat supply system; biomass and NG boiler system;
- ☐ Facility Area: 28.5 mu;
- ☐ Est. Amount: RMB93.28 million;
- ☐ Est. Commencement: March 2022.



Xiangyang CGN Environmental Protection IE Project



- **Investment:** Acquired the electricity generation, heat and electricity supply business;
- ☐ Est. Amount: RMB250 million;
- **Ext.** Volume: 100 million m^3 ;
- Est. Commencement: 2023.

New Transportation Energy Market

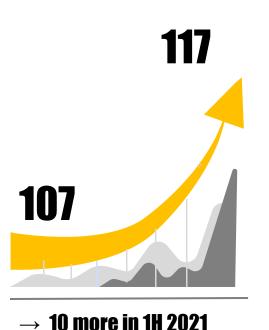


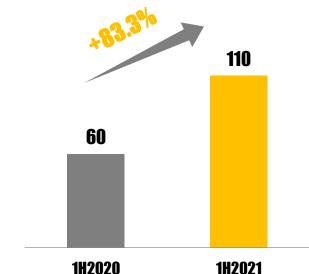
1H 2021, CR Gas continued to expand the new transportation energy market, 10 electricity charging stations commenced operations, a total of 117 stations in operations, electricity sales reached 110 million kwh and HK\$80 million turnover. 2 hydrogen refueling stations were added, a total of 4 in operations and 5 under construction.



117 Electricity Charging Stations

- Project companies in Nanjing, Hangzhou, Wuxi, Zhenjiang, Jiangyin and Suzhou were established to develop the electricity charging market;
- 1H 2021, turnover reached HK\$80 million, Operating profit was HK\$30 million.





Rapid Growth in 1H 2021

H₂O

4 Hydrogen Refueling Stations

- **1H 2021**, **2** stations in Wuxi and Xiangyang were in operations, a total of **4** in operation;
- **9** stations approved in Weifang, Wuxi, Xiangyang, Wuhan, Baicheng and Taizhou.



Wuxi Shuofang



- ☐ Area: 4202 m²
- □ Scale: **1000 kg/day**
- ☐ Investment: RMB12 million
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Dongfeng Automobile (Mobile)



- ☐ Area: 1333 m²
- ☐ Scale: **200 kg/day**
- ☐ Investment: RMB10 million
- □ Capacity: 12 vehicles

station Million kwh





3. Financial & Operational Highlights



Financial Indicators	30 Jun 2020 (HK\$'000)	30 Jun 2021 (HK\$'000)	Increase/(Decrease)
Turnover	22,571,764	34,415,830	52.5 %
Gross profit	6,083,142	8,785,042	44.4%
Profit from operation (1)	3,734,846	5,273,275	41.2%
Profit for the year	3,063,178	4,242,366	38.5%
Profit attributable to the equity holders	2,396,479	3,250,312	35.6%
Net cash from operating activities	3,645,498	4,668,795	28.1%
Basic EPS (2) (HK\$)	1.09	1.43	31.2%
Interim dividend proposed/paid per share (HK\$ cents)	15	15	_

Note: (1) Before finance costs and share of JVs and associates results;

(2) Basic EPS is calculated based on weighted average number of issued shares, excluding incentive award scheme.



Financial Indicators	31 Dec 2020 (HK\$'000)	30 Jun 2021 (HK\$'000)	Increase/(Decrease)
Total assets	93,870,809	99,447,290	5.9%
Bank balance and cash	13,442,206	15,688,104	16.7%
Total bank, note and other borrowings (1)	10,893,434	12,242,851	12.4%
Net borrowings (Net cash)	(2,548,772)	(3,445,253)	_
Equity attributable to the equity holders	36,274,287	38,225,662	5.4%
Non-controlling interests	10,594,072	11,912,073	12.4%
Total equity	46,868,359	50,137,735	7.0%

Note: (1) The amount due to an intermediate holding company (1H2021: HK\$3,803,878,000, 2020: HK\$2,510,837,000) is included in bank, note and other borrowing.

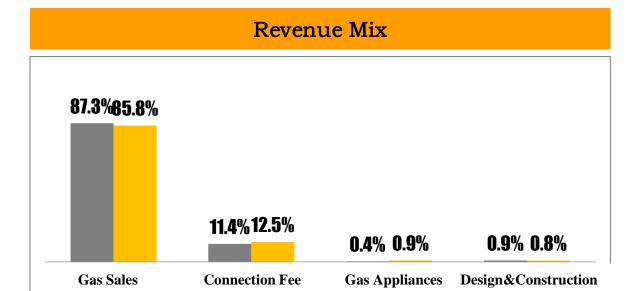


Financial Indicators	30 Jun 2020	30 Jun 2021	Increase/(Decrease)
Gross profit margin	27.0%	25.5%	(1.5PPT)
Net profit margin	13.6%	12.3%	(1.3PPT)
Net profit margin attributable to owner of the Company	10.6%	9.4%	(1.2PPT)
Debt to capitalization rate (2)	18.9% ⁽¹⁾	19.6%	+0.7PPT
Debt to asset ratio (3)	11.6% ⁽¹⁾	12.3%	+0.7PPT
Return to equity (annualized)	15.6%	17.0%	+1.4PPT

Notes: (1) Debt ratio as at 31 Dec 2020

- (2) Debt/capitalization gearing ratio is the ratio of total bank, note and other borrowings to total bank, note and other borrowings and total equity
- (3) Debt/asset gearing ratio is the ratio of total bank and note borrowings to total assets

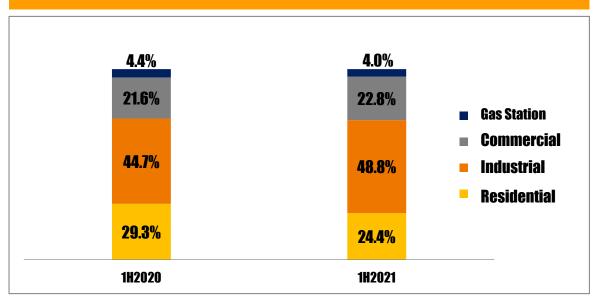




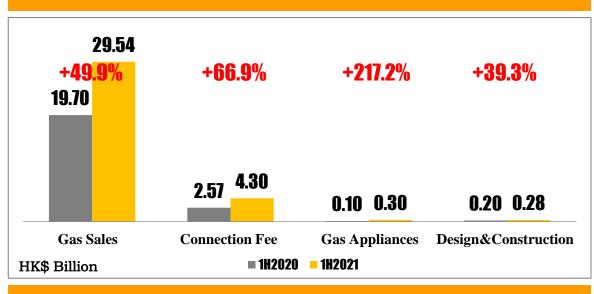


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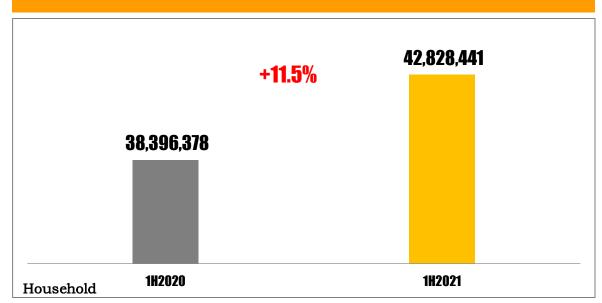
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Revenue Growth Rate

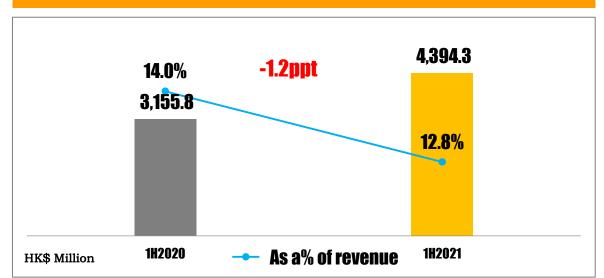


Residential Customer

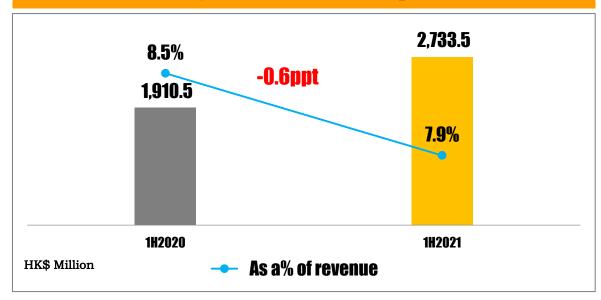




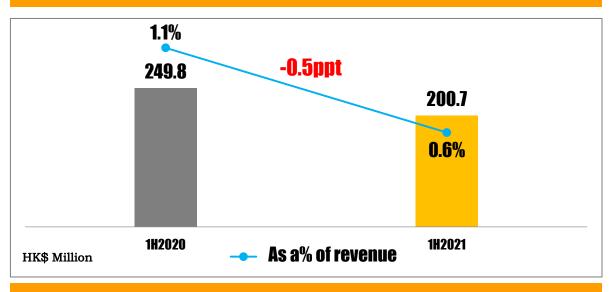




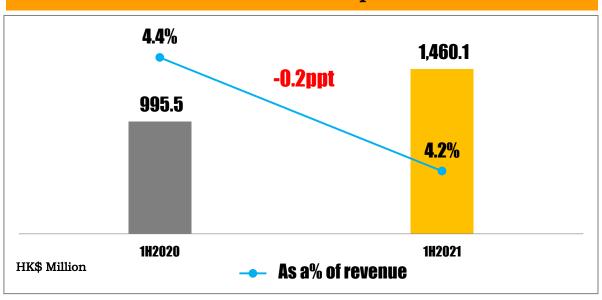
Selling & Distribution Expenses



Finance Costs



Administrative Expenses



Capital Structure



Equity & Debt

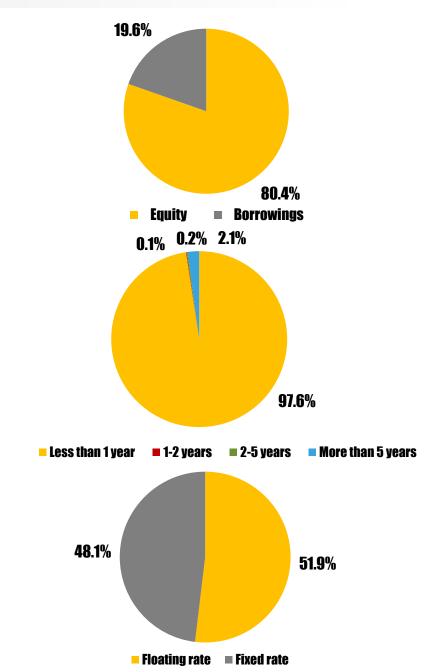
	HK\$'000	%
Total Equity	50,137,735	80.4%
Total bank, note & other borrowings	12,242,851	19.6%
Total capital	62,380,586	100%

Long & Short Term Borrowings

	HK\$'000	%
Less than 1 year	11,951,290	97.6%
1-2 years	8,938	0.1%
2-5 years	26,815	0.2%
More than 5 years	255,808	2.1%
Total	12,242,851	100.0%

Fixed & Floating Borrowings

	HK\$'000	%
Floating rate	6,353,588	51.9 %
Fixed rate	5,889,263	48.1%
Total	12,242,851	100.0%



Key Operational Information



	30 Jun 2020	30 Jun 2021	Change
Number of projects	252	258	6
Connectable householders (million)	73.01	81.83	12.1%
Connectable population (million)	227.06	270.04	18.9%
Penetration rate of residential household	53.8 %	52.6 %	(1.2PPT)
Gross gas sales volume (million m ³)	13,253	17,159	29.5%
Residential	3,885	4,195	8.0%
Industrial	5,926	8,374	41.3%
Commercial	2,863	3,913	36.7%
CNG Station	352	423	20.1%
LNG Station	227	254	11.9%
Average gas tariff / cost / gross margin (RMB per m ³)	2.63/2.03/0.60	2.77/2.19/0.58	0.14/0.16/(0.02)

Key Operational Information



	30 Jun 2020	30 Jun 2021	Change
Total length of pipeline (km)	186,399	211,164	24,765
Connected customers	38,695,971	43,184,929	4,488,958
Residential	38,396,378	42,828,441	4,432,063
Industrial	21,398	26,999	5,601
Commercial	278,195	329,489	51,294
Average residential connection fee (RMB)	2,700	2680	(20)
New C&I with paid connection fee	12,424	15,809	3,385
New residential with paid connection fee	_	_	_
Gross basis	991,561	1,296,332	304,771
Consolidated basis	617,248	984,390	367,142
Gas stations (CNG/LNG/L-CNG)	355(223/84/48)	350(218/83/49)	(5)/((5)/(1)/1)



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