

The United Laboratories International Holdings Limited

Annual Results 2009

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Section 1 Major Accomplishments in 2009

Results Overview



- Sales volume, turnover and profit reached record high in 2009
 - Intermediate products: +41.9% to 9,480 tones, profit +41.2% to HK\$190M
 - ➤ Bulk medicine : +29.2% to 7,880 tones, profit +22.9% to HK\$310M
 - Finished products: +21.9% to 145 mil packs, profit +17.8% to HK\$420M
- Revenue: +23.6% yoy to HK\$4.64Bn
- Gross profit: +26.9% yoy to HK\$1.81Bn
- ♦ EBITDA: +24.1% yoy to HK\$1.12Bn
- Profit attributable to equity holders: HK\$540Mn
- Net Profit in 2H 2009: HK\$410Mn, which is 3 times of that in 1H 2009. This contributes to the record high profit and becomes a good indicator for future earnings.
 - Edge in cost and large scale in production of immediate products and bulk medicine
 - Growth in sales of finished products due to better market development by well-trained sales force
- Sales of finished products in rural areas +50% after expanding sales force
- ◆ TUL Zhuhai and its Zhongshan branch each received accreditation as a High-tech Enterprise and were entitled to a preferential enterprise income tax rate of 15% for the three financial years commenced from 1 January 2008.
- Obtained official production approval for 5 new finished products including one influenza virus type A medicine and human insulin products
- Planned to invest RMB300M to enhance production capacity and sales network of human insulin products
- ♦ TUL Zhuhai plant regconized by FDA and awarded ISO9000 and ISO14000
- ♦ 12 finished products are listed in Essential Drugs List (EDL), which contribute to 38% of sales of finished products



Section 2 Financial Highlights

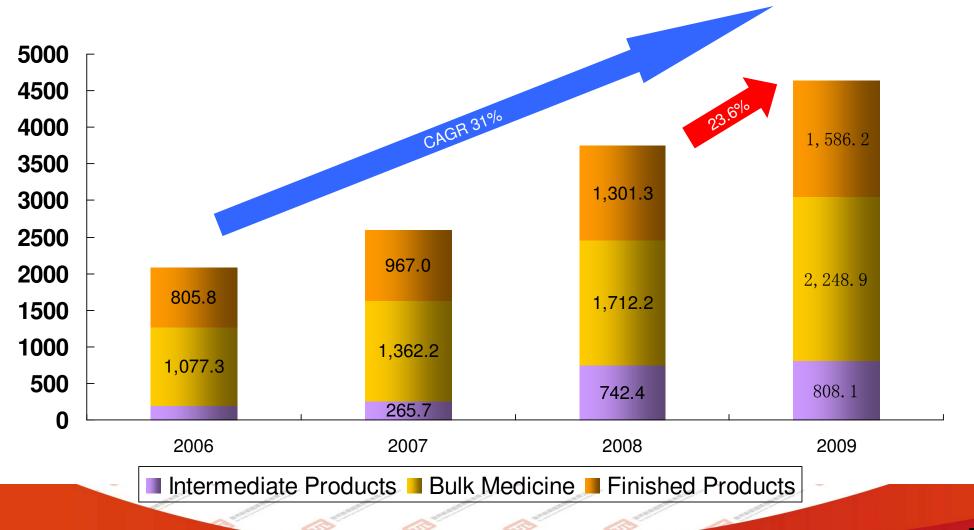
Financial Overview



HK\$m	1H2009	2H2009	2009	2008	yoy growth
Revenue	2,076.2	2,567	4,643.2	3,755.9	+23.6%
Gross Profit	742.1	1,071.9	1,814.0	1,429.6	+26.9%
EBITDA	419.7	700.7	1,120.4	902.9	+24.1%
Profit Attributable to Equity Holders	134.4	407	541.4	430.2	+25.8%
EPS (HK cents)	11.2	33.9	45.1	35.8	+26.0%
Dividend (HK cents)	-		19.0	15.0	+26.7%

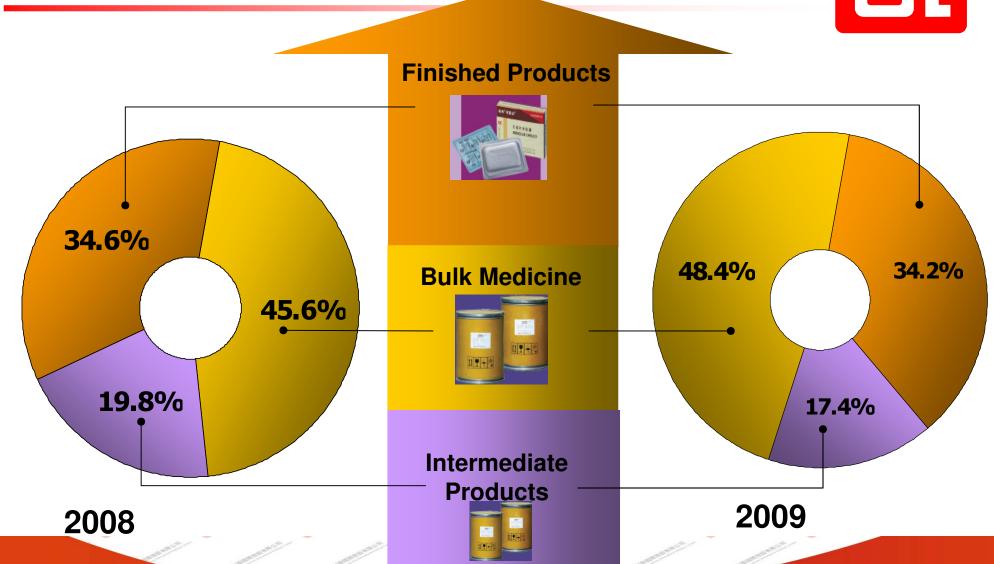
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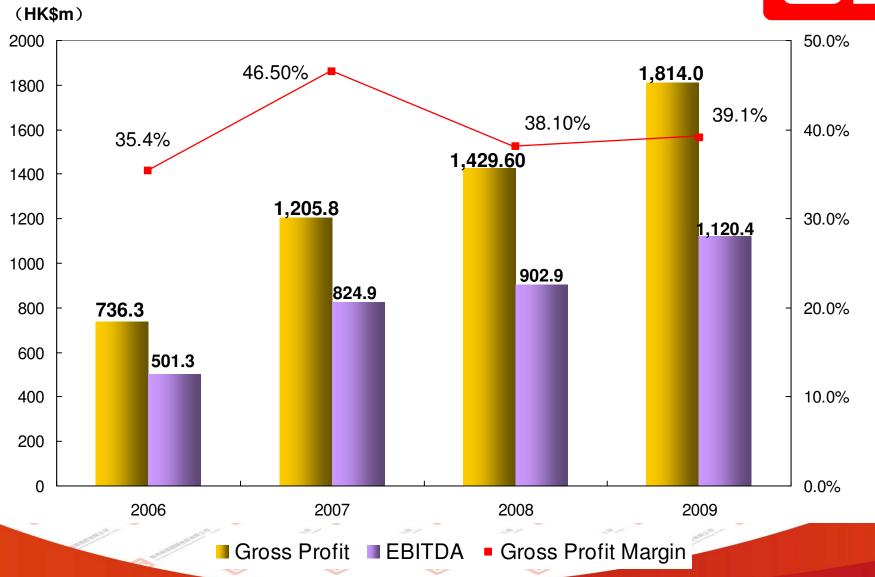
Revenue Breakdown by Products





Gross Profit, EBITDA & Gross Profit Margin



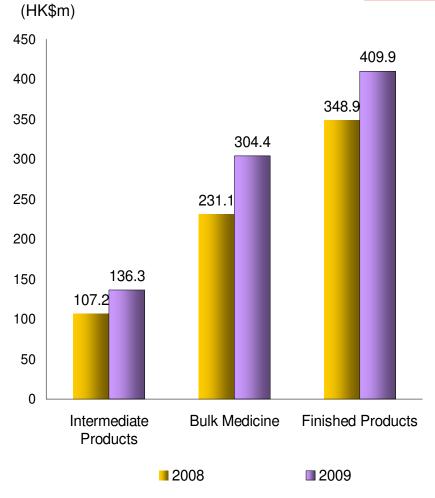


Business Segment Results & Margins

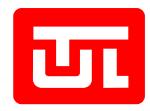


	Segment	Margins
	2009	2008
Intermediate Products	6.8%	7.5%
Bulk Medicine	12.5%	12.2%
Finished Products	25.8%	26.8%

	Segment Profit %			
	2009	2008		
Intermediate Products	16.0%	15.6%		
Bulk Medicine	35.8%	33.6%		
Finished Products	48.2%	50.8%		



Other Key Financial Indicators



	As at 31 Dec 2009	As at 31 Dec 2008
Trade and bills receivable turnover (days)	131.2	114.0
Trade and bills payable turnover (days)	183.1	163.3
Stock turnover (days)	114.1	121.4
Current ratio	0.96	0.84
Net Gearing ratio ⁽¹⁾	54%	47%
Cash and cash equivalents (HK\$ '000)	192,489	165,474
Total assets (HK\$ '000)	7,459,996	6,170,258

⁽¹⁾ Calculated as total borrowings less cash and bank balances and pledged bank deposits to total equity)



Section 3 Business review

Plant Locations



Plant Location	Products
TUL Hong Kong	Finished products
TUL Zhongshan	Finished products
TUL Zhuhai	Bulk medicine
TUL Chengdu	Intermediate products
TUL Inner Mongolia	Intermediate products
TUL Kaiping	Empty capsule casings



Production Capacity



2009	Designed Capacity	Utilization Rate	External Sales %
Intermediate products (tones)			
• 6-APA	11,500	78%	38%
• 7-ACA	550	96%	45%
Bulk medicine (tones)			
Semi-synthetic penicillin type	10,000	84%	
Cephalosporins type	800	90%	90%
• β - lactamase inhibitor antibiotics type	150	96%	
Finished products (mil)			
Amoxicillin & Ampicillin capsules	1,039	99.6%	
Amoxicillin granules	108	44.2%	100%
• β - lactamase inhibitor antibiotics (bottle)	12.9	98%	

Sales Volume of Group's Products Break Record High



Types	Products	Sales volume i 2009	n Sales volume in 2008	yoy growth
Intermediate products (tonnes)	6-APA	3,666.7	2,424.5	+51.2%
products (tollies,	7-ACA	252	165	+52.7%
	Semi-synthetic penicillin type	6,975.8	3,637.5	+91.7%
Bulk medicine (tonnes)	Cephalosporins type	682.4	580.5	+17.5%
	β- lactamase inhibitor type	148.8	110.3	+34.9%
	Ticarcillin Sodium and Clavulanate Potassium Tazobactam sodium and	1.4	-	-
	piperacillin sodium for injection (2.25g/4.5g) (packs)	5.9	4.7	+25.5%
	Amoxicillin capsules (250/500mg)*	35.4	29.8	+18.7%
Finished	Ampicillin capsules (250/500mg)	20.1	19.4	+3.6%
products ('000 packs)	Cefuroxime Axetil Tablet*	5.4	2.8	+92.8%
	Eye drops*	3.5	2.6	+34.6%
	Adefovir capsules	0.8	0.4	+100%
	Cephalosporins for Injection*	32.6	27.8	+17.2%

^{*}Listed in Essential Drugs List. Eyes drops and Cephalosporins for injection products partially listed.

Average External Selling Price



Average External Selling Price	2009	2008	yoy growth
Intermediate products (RMB/kg)			
• 6-APA	153.4	232.4	-34%
• 7-ACA	594.1	669.5	-11.3%
Bulk medicine (RMB/kg)			
Semi-synthetic penicillin type	181.1	249.2	-27.3%
Cephalosporins type	821	864.5	-5%
• β - lactamase inhibitor type	1,025.6	949.8	+8%

^{*}Selling price not including VAT

Individual Pricing approved by the National Development and Reform Commission (NDRC)	Individual Pricing	Government ceiling price	Price Premium
Finished products			
Amoxicillin Granules 125mg x 12 packs	10.2	8.0	+27%
Amoxicillin Capsules 250mg x 24 tablets	15.7	9.0	+74%
Amoxicillin Capsules 500mg x 24 tablets	27.4	15.8	+73%
• Ampicillin Capsules 250mg x 24 tablets	15.6	9.0	+73%
Ampicillin Capsules 500mg x 24 tablets	26.5		-

Further Vertical Integration



	Int	termediate products (中间体)		Total: 100%
	• 6-APA (>60%)	* • 7-ACA	 T-octylammonium clavulanate 	
% of sales (2009)	• 13.8%	• 3.6%	• Nil	17.4%
		Bulk medicine (原料药)		
	Semi-synthetic penicillin type (>60%) *	 Cephalosporins type 	 β- lactamase inhibitor type 	
% of sales (2009)	• 30.9%	• 13.6%	• 3.9%	48.4%
	F	inished products (制剂产品)		
04 - 5	 Semi-synthetic penicillin antibiotics 	• Cephalosporins in	lactamase hibitor htibiotics capsule casings)	34.1%
% of sales (2009)	• 14.3%	• 4.8% • 8.	- 6.8%	

^{*:} Chinese market share.

Well-established Brands of Finished Products



As at 31 Dec 2009, a total of 173 bulk medicine and finished products obtained Drug Registration Approvals & Certificate of Drug/Production Registration in the PRC/HK. 76 were in production, and 34 were listed in Insurance Catalogue. 12 finished products are in the list of National Basic Drugs Catalogue.

Branded Finished Products

Amoxicillin Capsules



- Market share in 2009: 64%, ranked 1st for 6 consecutive years
- Performed bioequivalence test in USA with patent drug, got the same effectiveness
- Obtained individual pricing approval from NDRC, listed in Insurance catalogue & National Basic Drugs Catalogue
- Named as 2008 Beijing Olympic official medication product
- Listed in EDL

Ampicillin Capsules



- Market share in 2009: >90%, ranked 1st for 6 consecutive years
- The first brand in the market
- Obtained individual pricing approval from NDRC

Piperacillin sodium/ Tazabactam sodium for injection



Amoxicillin sodium/ clavulanate potassium for injection



- Market share of 23-25% in 2009, top 2 in the market according to Chinese Pharmaceutical Association data
- Kept high growth of sales since launched
- Listed in Insurance catalogue

Qualifications & Awards

- Amoxicillin powder and compacted both obtained COS by EDQM
- Ampicillin approved by Japanese GMP and recognized by US FDA
- The group awarded "2009 The Chinese Outstanding Environment Protection Enterprise

Extensive Sales and Distribution Network



Success in the development of sales in PRC and the overseas markets

Sales inside the PRC

- Around 2,700 sales staff in 28 sales offices of finished products as at 31 December 2009
- Over 1,000 distributors, 80 of them are top class distributors

Overseas Markets

- Accounted for 21.9% of the Group total sales in 2009, 21.6% growth compared with 2008.
- Sales of intermediate products and bulk medicine to India, Europe, US, Japan and other countries



Diversified Customer Base Attributable to Quality Products



Domestic Customers















International Customers













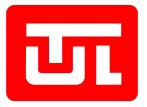








Long-term Contract Proportion					
	2007	2008	2009	2010	
Finished Products	70-80%	72-82%	75-85%	75-85%	
Intermediates and Bulk Medicines	10-20%	20-30%	30-40%	35-45%	



Section 4 Strategies & Outlook

Growth Momentum



New Products

Product	Classification	Main curative effects	Expected time for launching
Recombinant Human Insulin Injection (重组人胰島素注射液)	Bio product	For treatment of type I & II diabeties	2H 2010
Premixed Protamine Recombinant Human Insulin Injection (30/70) (精蛋白人胰島素注射液 (30/70))	Bio product	For treatment of type I & II diabeties	2H 2010
Premixed Protamine Recombinant Human Insulin Injection (50/50) (精蛋白人胰島素注射液(50/50))	Bio product	For treatment of type I & II diabeties	2H 2010

Expected time to commence operation	New production workshop	
2010	Solid Finished Products (固体制剂)	
	Penicillins Lyophilized Powder for Injection (青霉素冻干粉针车间	
	Amoxicillin Side Chain Workshop (阿莫西林侧链车间)	
	Insulin Products (胰岛素车间)	

27 finished products under development at various stages 5 patents got approval and other 8 patents in applying process

Forecast and Strategies in 2010



Forecast and Strategies for Intermediate Products & Bulk Medicine

- Country made policies to push medical reform through investment and promulgated The Essential Drugs List (EDL)
- Market demand expected to be boosted by country policies
- Average selling price bottom up and gross profit margin improves
- Reduction in production cost after the operation of phase II of Inner Mongolia plants and expanded Zhuhai plants
- Market share expected to grow after industry integration and the process of survival of the fittest

Forecast and Strategies for Finished Products

- Harvest period for finished products contributed by well-trained sales force
- Country-wide TVC for OTC products supported by marketing campaigns in stores
- Edge in community and rural market strengthened
- RMB 300M investment for human insulin production capacity and sales network
- R&D investment to develop products of high margin and great demand



Section 5 Q & A Session