

Press Release-Ad hoc announcement pursuant to article 53 LR

cobalt products approximately 20,500 tons (including entrusted processing and internal supply), with a increase of 10.96%; the shipment of nickel products reached approximately 53,700 tons (including entrusted processing and internal supply), with an increase of 236.58%.

Items	Reporting Period (January to June)	The same period last year	Increase/decrease compared with the same period last year (%)
Operating income	33,345,537,519.76	31,018,304,267.06	7.50
Net profit attributable to shareholders of the listed company	2,085,104,942.66	2,255,513,730.90	-7.56
Net profit attributable to shareholders of the listed company after deducting non- recurring profits and losses	1,839,200,954.15	2,192,290,161.57	-16.11
Net cash flow from operating activities	1,794,476,677.55	-	

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