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	Note	RMB millions
Cash flows from operating activities		
Cash received from sale of goods and rendering of services		259,558
Rentals received		180
Other cash received relating to operating activities		1,915
Sub-total of cash inflows		261,653
Cash paid for goods and services		(187,446)
Cash paid for operating leases		(1,918)
Cash paid to and on behalf of employees		(5,933)
Value added tax paid		(8,648)
Income tax paid		(1,736)
Taxes paid other than value added tax and income tax		(7,501)
Other cash paid relating to operating activities		(15,667)
Sub-total of cash outflows		(228,849)
Net cash inflow from operating activities	(a)	32,804
Cash flows from investing activities		
Net cash received from sales of fixed assets and intangible assets		417
Dividend received		5,317
Maturity of time deposits with financial institutions		207
Other cash received relating to investing activities		235
Sub-total of cash inflows		6,176
Cash paid for acquisition of fixed assets and intangible assets		(22,100)
Cash paid for purchases of investments		(1,737)
Increase in time deposits with financial institutions		(198)
Sub-total of cash outflows		(24,035)
Net cash outflow from investing activities		(17,859)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Proceeds from borrowings		108,662
Sub-total of cash inflows		108,662
Repayments of borrowings		(114,670)
Cash paid for dividends, distribution of profit or interest		(12,325)
Sub-total of cash outflows		(126,995)
Net cash outflow from financing activities		(18,333)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(b)	(3,388)

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	RMB millions
(a) Reconciliation of net profit to cash flows from operating activities	
Net profit	14,121
Add: Depreciation of fixed assets	11,012
Amortisation of intangible assets	378
Net loss on disposal of fixed assets and intangible assets	412
Financial expenses	2,736
Dry hole costs	951
Investment income	(11,317)
Deferred tax credits	253
Decrease in inventories	2,283
Decrease in operating receivables	619
Increase in operating payables	11,356
Net cash inflow from operating activities	32,804
	RMB millions
(b) Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	8,207
Less: Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	11,595
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(3,388)

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