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The Permanent Mission of China to the United Nations (Vienna) presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and, in accordance with article IV of the Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space (General Assembly resolution 3235 (XXIX), annex), has the honour to transmit registration data on space objects launched by China for the period from April 2004 to October 2005 (see annex).

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Annex

Registration data on space objects launched by China for the period from April 2004 to October 2005^{*}

No.	Designation	Name of space object	Date of launch	Basic orbital characteristics					
				Nodal period (minutes)	Inclination (degrees)	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space object	Remarks
69	2006/49	Shiyan 1 (Experiment satellite 1)	18 April 2004	97	97	600	590	Scientific experiment	
70	2006/50	Tan Ce 2 (Exploration 2)	25 July 2004	750	90.1	38 278	681	Geospace probing	
71	2006/51	Recoverable satellite (19)	29 August 2004	91	63	507	169	Space scientific research	Recovered
72	2006/52	SJ-6A	9 September 2004	96.66	97.7	6 971	6 971	Probing of the space electromagnetic environment	
73	2006/53	SJ-6B	9 September 2004	96.66	97.7	6 971	6 971	Probing of the space electromagnetic environment	
74	2006/54	Recoverable satellite (20)	27 September 2004	90	63	300	200	Scientific experiment	Recovered
75	2006/55	Feng Yun 2 (04 satellite) (FY-2C)	19 October 2004	1 440	0	35 800	35 800	Meteorological satellite	
76	2006/56	Resources 2 (03 satellite) (ZY-2/03)	6 November 2004	94	97	488	477	Remote sensing of the Earth	
77	2006/57	Shiyan 2 (Experiment satellite 2)	18 November 2004	98.74	98.16	705	697	Scientific experiment	
78	2006/58	SJ-7 satellite	6 July 2005	96	97	560	560	Space scientific exploration	
79	2006/59	Recoverable satellite (21)	2 August 2005	91	63	507	169	Space scientific research	Recovered
80	2006/60	Recoverable satellite (22)	29 August 2005	90	63	310	210	Scientific research	Recovered
81	2006/61	Shenzhou-6 and its orbit module	12 October 2005	90	42	350	350	Manned spaceraft/space scientific experiment	Orbit module remains in orbit
82	2006/62	Beijing-1	27 October 2005	98.63	98.18	705	682	Remote sensing	

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