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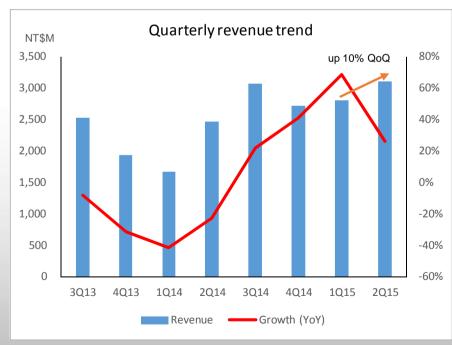


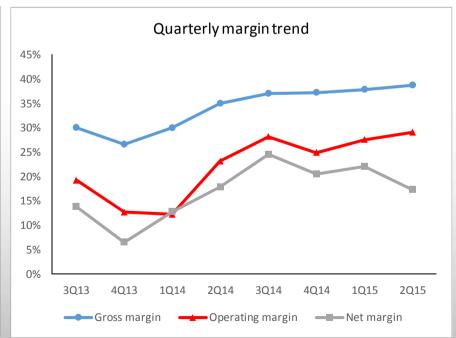
Financial Review and Outlook

Revenue & Margin Trend



- 2Q15 revenues up 10% QoQ and 26% YoY off a high first quarter base, mainly reflecting robust demand from customers.
- 2Q15 GM improved 0.9pp sequentially to a record high of 38.8%, driven by increasing utilization and the improvement in cost structure.
 OPM increased 1.5pp to 29.1%, which was also a record high.





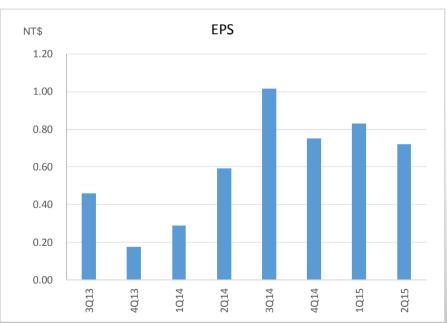
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Earnings Trend



- 2Q15 net profit decreased 13% QoQ to NT\$537mn, and increased 22% YoY. The QoQ decline in net profit was due to higher tax expenses.
- 2Q15 EPS came in at NT\$0.72, compared to NT\$0.83 in 1Q15.



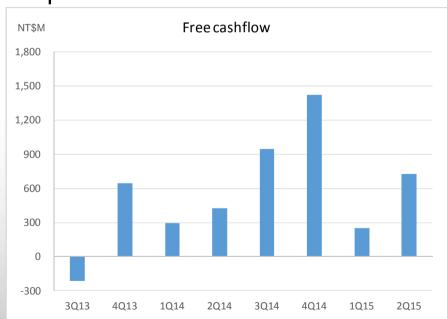


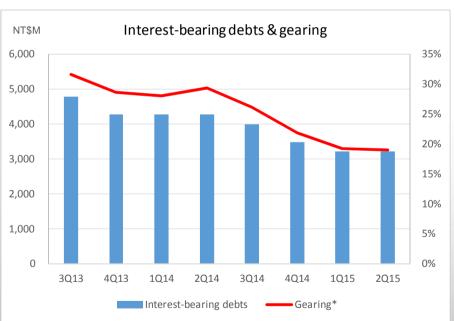
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FCF & Gearing Trend



- Free cash flow (FCF) continued to be positive for the past 7 quarters as a result of our rigid control on capex and improvements in efficiency.
- Interest-bearing debts fell to below NT\$3.3bn and gearings declined to a historical low since listing, reinforcing our solid balance sheet position.

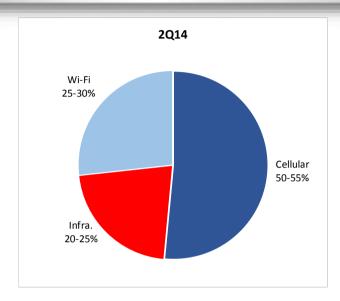


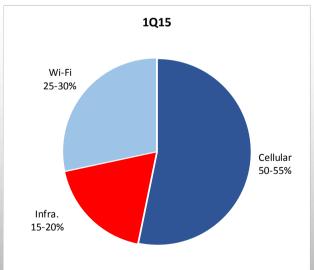


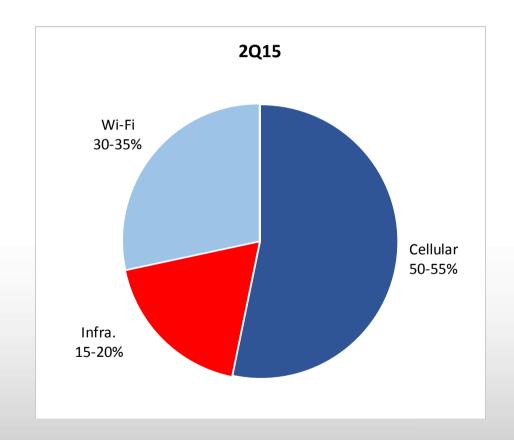
^{*} Gearing = interest-bearing debts / equity Source: company.

Product Mix









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3Q15 Guidance



- We expect 3Q15 revenues to decline by high single digit QoQ.
- We expect 3Q15 gross margin to be maintained at the 1H15 level.

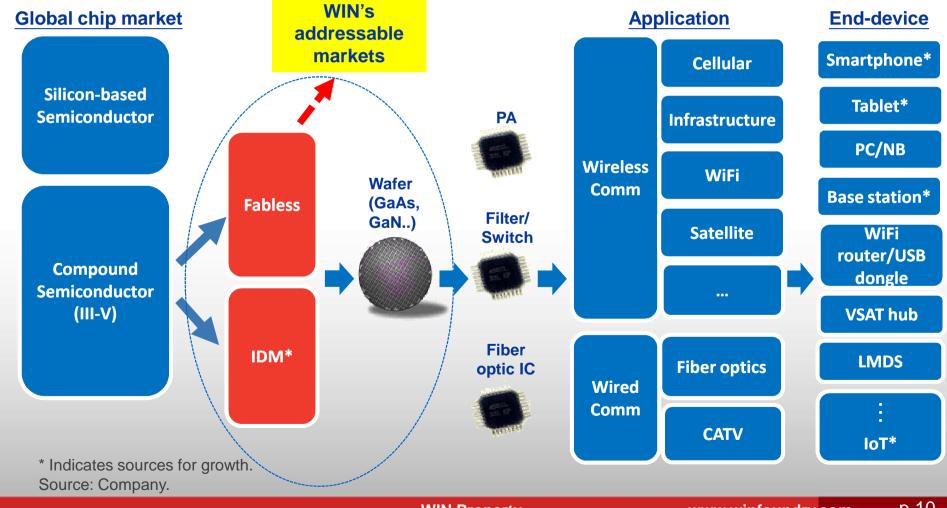


Market Outlook

WIN's Market Positioning



WIN positions itself as a dedicated compound semiconductor wafer foundry offering foundry works to fabless and IDM customers who target in communication applications.



Summary of Growth Momentum (2015)









4G Smartphones

IoT Gateway

5G Network

Long Term:

Pre-5G launch (e.g. through broadband

IoT deployment

satellite, dense cells, ...)

5G launch with massive



Mid-Term:

- mid/low-end smartphones and routers
- Wi-Fi & 3G/4G for IoT
- Strong infrastructure growth



- Wi-Fi 11ac MIMO for
- 3G is the basic
- 802.11ac dual bands

4G (TD) LTE rapidly adopted

Short Term:

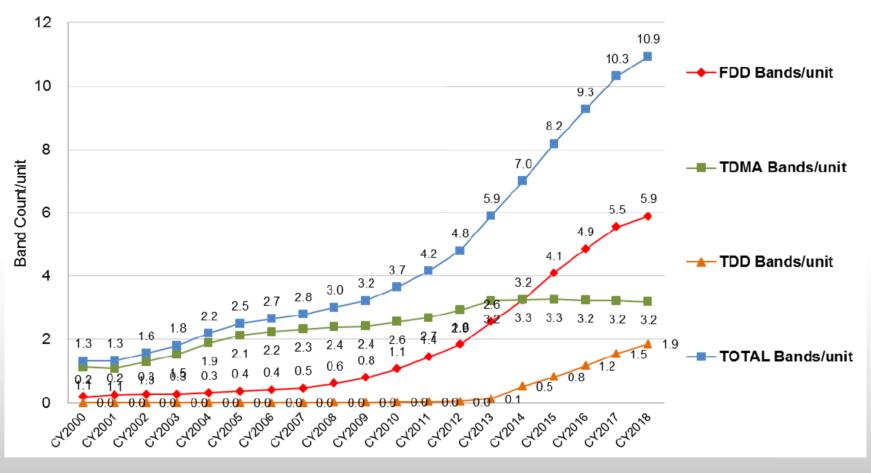
Near Term Momentum (2015)



- More LTE and/or TD-LTE bands will continue to be adopted.
- Demand on flagship smartphones continues to be strong.
- Mode and frequency multiplicity is the direction of new smartphone development in China.
 - China Mobile demanding "five modes and 10 frequencies" is an example.
- Launch of new flagship smartphones.

4G/LTE Lifting Band Count per Device win

• Frequency bands per mobile handset device are rising rapidly due to 4G/LTE.

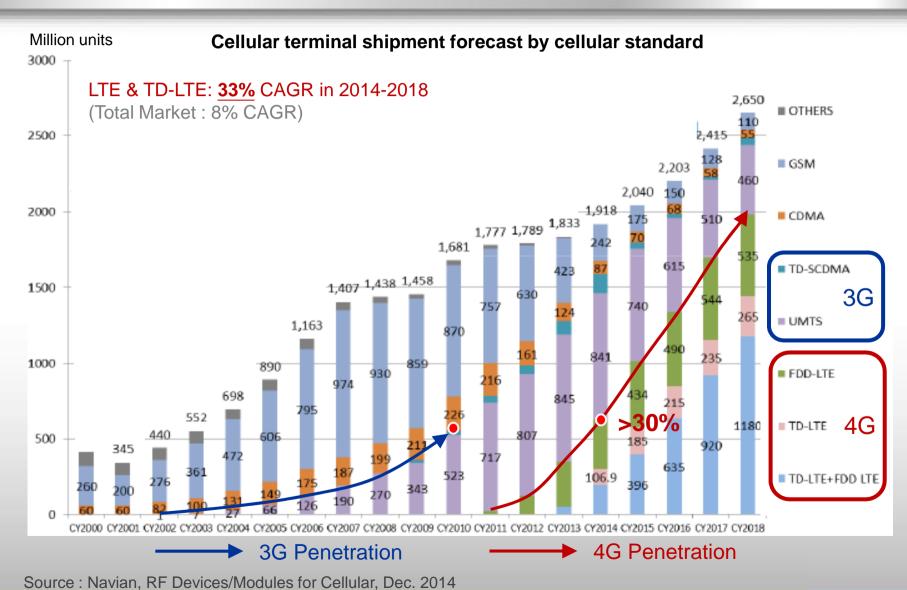


Note: TDD and FDD are two competing LTE data transmission standards

Source: Navian, RF Devices/Modules for Cellular, Dec. 2014

LTE Penetration on Track to Rise

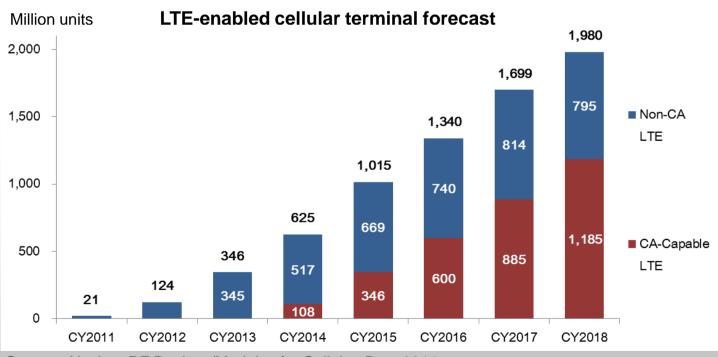




CA Supporting Demand for GaAs



- Carrier aggregation (CA) driven by LTE-A should support the demand for GaAs PAs rather than any silicon-based solutions, since GaAs PAs have unparalleled advantages on linearity and efficiency.
- Devices that support CA are expected to grow to 1,185M units in 2018 from 108M in 2014, representing the key driver to the overall LTE device growth.



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Near/Mid-Term Momentum (2015~2018)

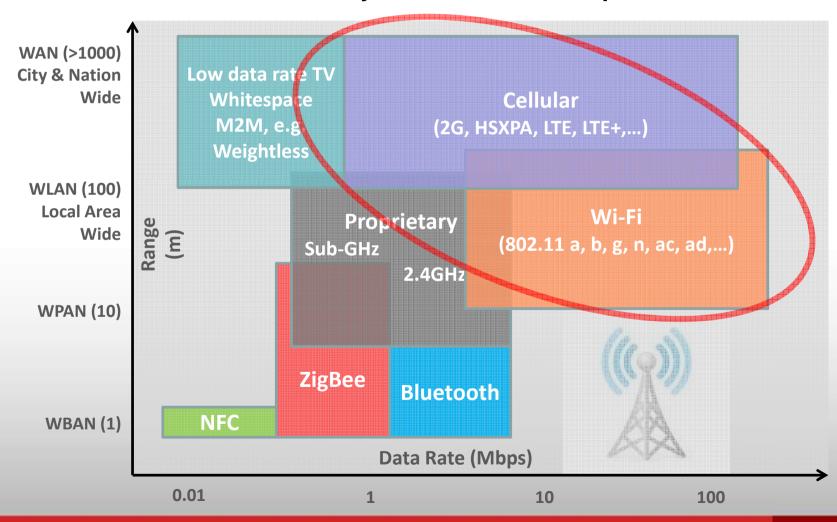


- Wi-Fi PA and FEM will generate a significantly higher growth rate than cellular PA.
- More and more smartphones will adopt external FEM/PA for 5GHz 802.11ac solution.
- 802.11ac routers quickly move toward MIMO.
- IoT wireless connectivity adopts Wi-Fi and 3G/4G as the gateway router.
- Strong growth in broadband wireless infrastructure demand driven by demand on global mobile data traffic largely increased.

GaAs Opportunities in IoT Wireless Connectivity



Today's Wireless Landscape

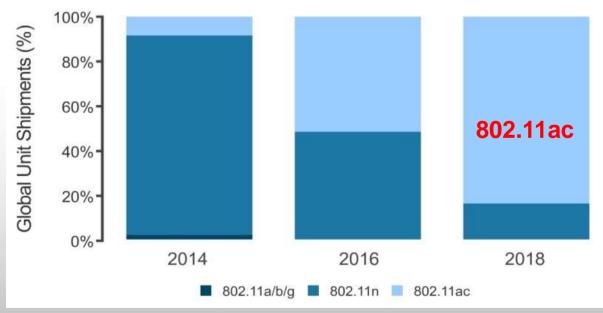


802.11ac Router Growth Trend (2014-18)



- Higher performance requirement in 802.11ac is a great opportunity for GaAs devices.
- Dual band (2GHz&5GHz) and MIMO requirements represent volume opportunity for GaAs components.
- Same trend is happening in high-end smartphones.
- Low/mid-end smartphones will be the next to adopt 11ac dual bands and MIMO.

802.11ac access points expected to dominate the global WLAN market by 2018

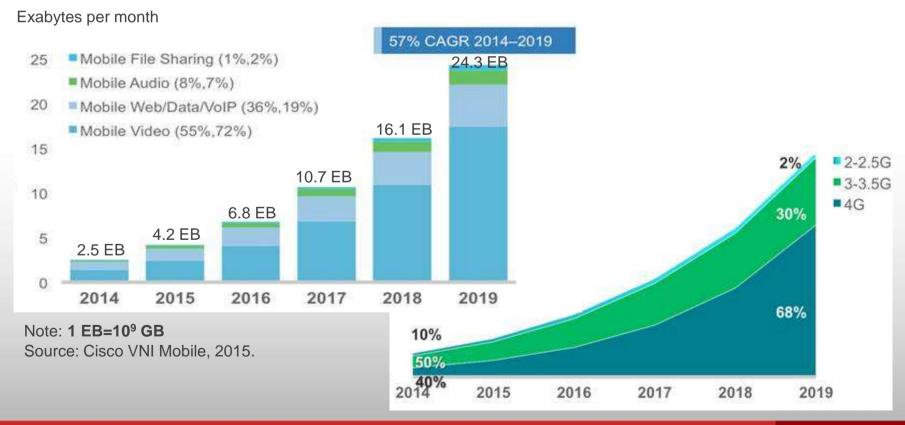


Source: Infonetics Research, Wireless LAN Equipment and WiFi Phones, Quarterly Market Share, Size, and Forecasts, May 2014

Rising Demand for Mobile Data



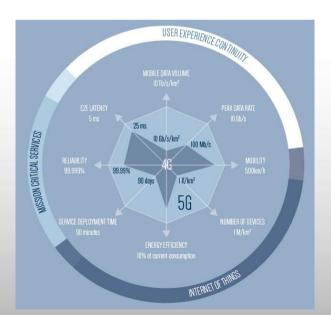
- Thanks to the constant bandwidth upgrades driven by mobile devices and 4G/LTE, demand for mobile data is rising rapidly where mobile video consumes the most bandwidth and grows the fastest for mobile data (the Big Data trend).
- Cisco forecasts 24.3 Exabytes per month of mobile data traffic by 2019.

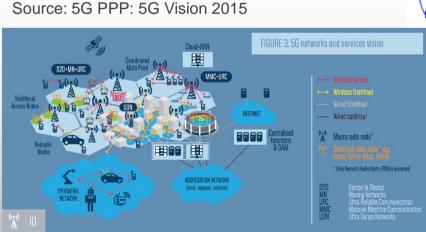


Long Term Momentum (2018~)



- Pre-5G launch: Broadband internet service through satellite communication (>10GHz) as an example.
- 5G launch using significant higher frequency bands.
- 6GHz ~ 80GHz, small cells, massive MIMO, phase array, ... etc.





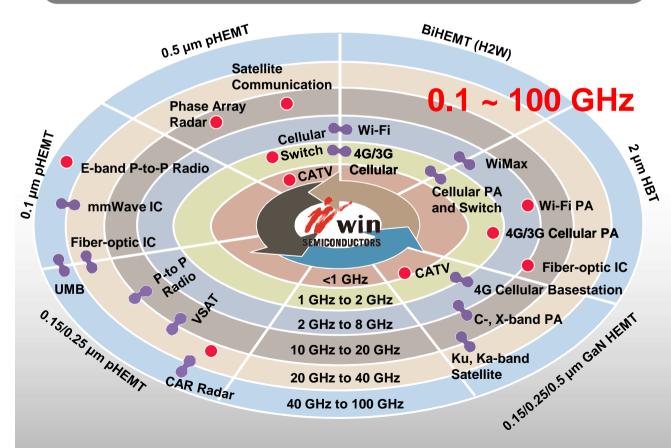
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Technology

Broad Portfolio of Advanced Technologies win

The most comprehensive technology portfolio in industry enables customers to develop optimized products for a wide range of applications



- ✓ Dominant market share for high-performance HBT used in LTE PAs
- ✓ Leading BiHEMT technology for advanced integrated FEM
- First and only foundry worldwide to commercially develop 0.1µm pHEMT on 6" GaAs wafer
- ✓ Industry leading 0.15–0.25µm pHEMT technology
- ✓ Supports broad range of products such as PAs (from 50MHz–100GHz), switches, and fiber optic IC
- Developing GaN for high power devices (4G base station)

WIN's Technology Advantage



Unlike Si semiconductor technology in the digital world focuses on gate/line dimension shrinkage, the RF technology roadmap focuses on the following perspectives:

Better Performance

GaAs vs CMOS

✓ Higher power efficiency

→ Longer battery power



✓ Better linearity
→ Faster speed



✓ Lower noise → Better quality of signal



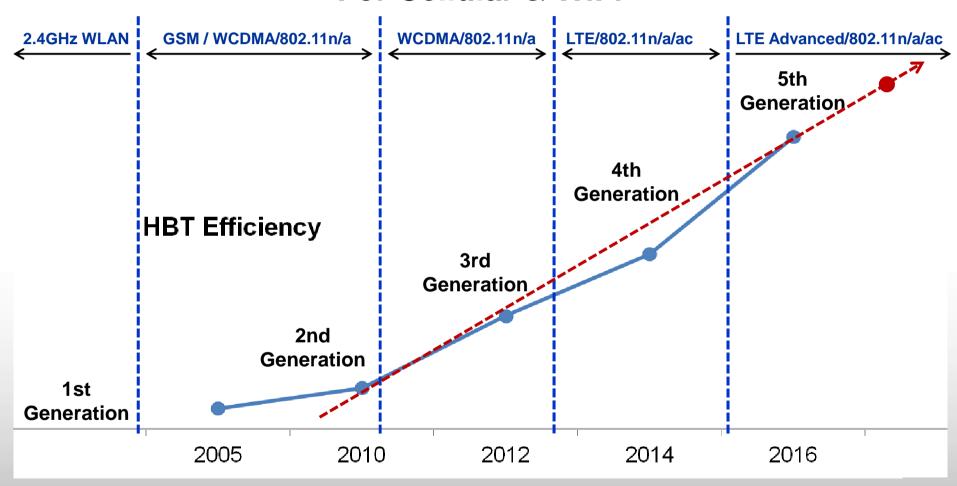
Higher Functionality Integration

WIN provides all of the GaAs solution for the above!

WIN's HBT PA Generation



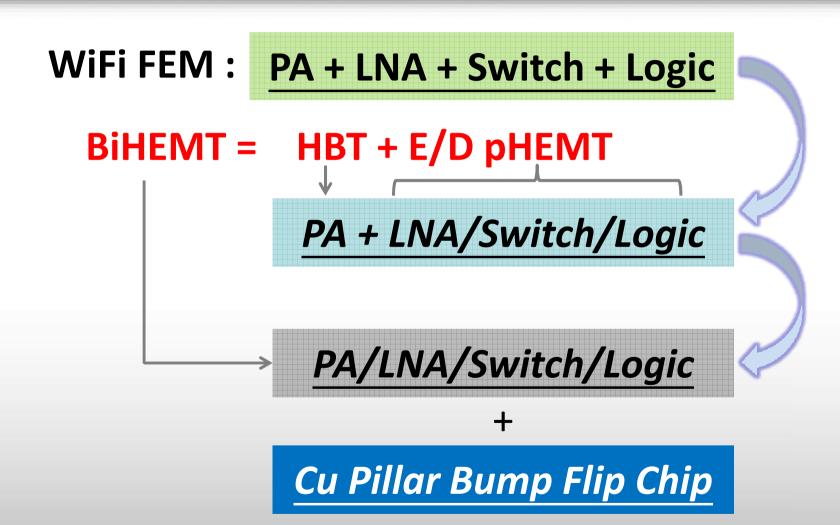
For Cellular & WiFi



WIN's HBT efficiency shows significant improved every generation.

Integrated FEM Solution



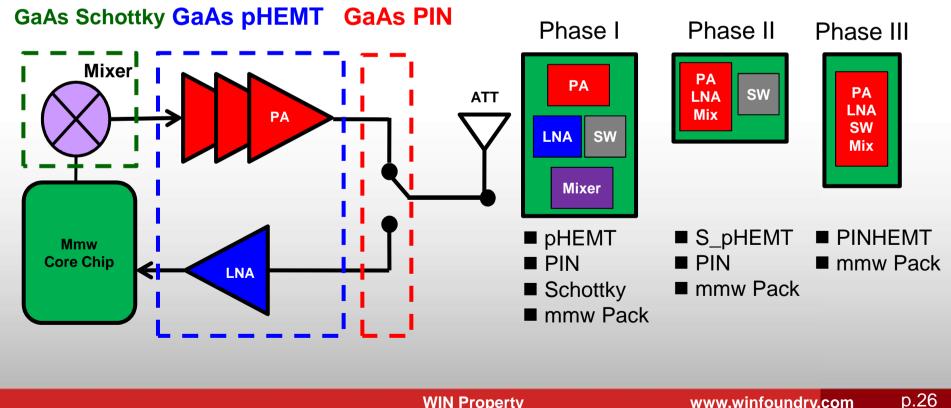


Integrated GaAs in mmw



For High Frequency Products

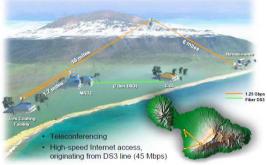
GaAs Key Components vs. Solution of Integrated GaAs Chips.



WIN 0.25/0.15/0.10μm pHEMT Inside!





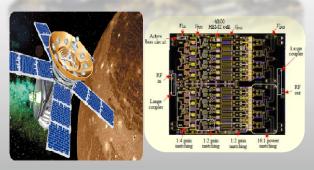


Ultra high frequency semiconductor technology provider!





Satellite Communications, Fiber optic Communication, Wireless infrastructure ...







The WIN Strategy



Invest in capacity to capture demand growth and improve margins through product remix

Scale & Technology
Leadership

Cost & Customer
Diversification

Invest in technologies to maintain competitive edge and sustain leadership

Leverage on technology and manufacture expertise to lift efficiency and drive cost down Grow and acquire new customers in existing and new markets to diversify customer base

Q & A

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Appendix - Financial Summary

Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income - Quarterly



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Unit: NTD Million	2Q'14	1Q'15	2Q'15	QoQ	YoY		
			(unaudited)				
Net revenue	2,461	2,807	3,099	+10%	+26%		
Gross profit	862	1,063	1,201	+13%	+39%		
Gross margin (%)	35.0%	37.9%	38.8%				
Operating expenses	(293)	(288)	(300)	+4%	+2%		
Operating expenses rate (%)	-12%	-10%	-10%				
Operating income	569	774	902	+16%	+58%		
Operating margin (%)	23.1%	27.6%	29.1%				
Non-operating incomes and expenses	6	(32)	(59)				
Income before income tax	575	742	843	+14%	+47%		
Income tax expense	(135)	(124)	(306)				
Net income	440	618	537	-13%	+22%		
Net margin (%)	17.9%	22.0%	17.3%				
EPS (NT\$)	0.59	0.83	0.72	-13%	+22%		
Other comprehensive income, net	(4)	78	(112)				
Comprehensive income	436	697	425	-39%	-2%		
Annualized ROE(%)	12%	15%	13%				
Approx. Utilization (%)	70%	80%	90%				
Depreciation	462	468	470				
CAPEX	131	499	380				

Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income - YTD



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Unit: NTD Million	1H'14	1H'15	YoY	
		(unaudited)		
Net revenue	4,128	5,906	+43%	
Gross profit	1,362	2,264	+66%	
Gross margin (%)	33.0%	38.3%		
Operating expenses	(589)	(588)	-0%	
Operating expenses rate (%)	-14%	-10%		
Operating income	773	1,676	+117%	
Operating margin (%)	18.7%	28.4%		
Non-operating incomes and expenses	53	(91)		
Income before income tax	825	1,585	+92%	
Income tax expense	(172)	(430)		
Net income	653	1,155	+77%	
Net margin (%)	15.8%	19.6%		
EPS (NT\$)	0.88	1.55	+76%	
Other comprehensive income, net	116	(33)		
Comprehensive income	770	1,122	+46%	
Annualized ROE(%)	9%	14%		
Approx. Utilization (%)	60%	85%		
Depreciation	921	938		
CAPEX	363	879		
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Non-operating Items



Total	6	(59)	53	(91)	
Others	(7)	(5)	(27)	(6)	
Share of loss of associates and joint ventures accounted for using equity	4	(19)	(2)	(33)	
Gains on financial assets (liabilities) at fair value through profit or loss, net	12	(4)	133	(2)	
Gains (losses) on disposals of investments	1	0	(53)	2	
Gains (losses) on disposals of property, plant and equipment	(0)	-	(0)	-	
Foreign exchange gains (losses)	(4)	(30)	1	(52)	
Unit: NTD Million	2Q'14	2Q'15 (unaudited)	1H'14	1H'15 (unaudited)	
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Consolidated Balance Sheets



(Unit: NTD Million) Major Ite		2014/6/30		2015/3/31		2015/6/30	
	Major Item					(unaudited)	
		\$	%	\$	%	\$	%
Cash and cash equivalents		1,842	8%	2,897	13%	3,157	13%
Current financial assets at fair value through profit or loss		2,142	10%	903	4%	1,328	6%
Current available-for-sale financial assets		704	3%	698	3%	592	3%
Notes and accounts receivable, ne	et	856	4%	936	4%	994	4%
Inventories		1,563	7%	1,915	8%	2,085	9%
Long-term investments		1,179	5%	1,896	8%	1,913	8%
Net property, plant and equipmer	nt	13,462	60%	12,939	57%	12,932	55%
Total Assets		22,287	100%	22,689	100%	23,424	100%
Current liabilities		3,796		3,172		3,699	
Long-term borrowings		3,724		2,666		2,568	
Total Liabilities		7,705	35%	6,026	26%	6,461	28%
Common stock		7,406		7,434		7,441	
Total Equity		14,581	65%	16,663	74%	16,964	72%
Book value per share (NT\$)		19.69		22.41		22.80	
Key Indices							
Current ratio (Current assets / C	Current liabilities)	197%		242%		227%	
Debt ratio (Total liabilities / Total	al assets)	35%		26%		28%	نمن