

2019 Second Quarter Earnings Conference

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Statements of Comprehensive Income

Selected Items from Statements of Comprehensive Income

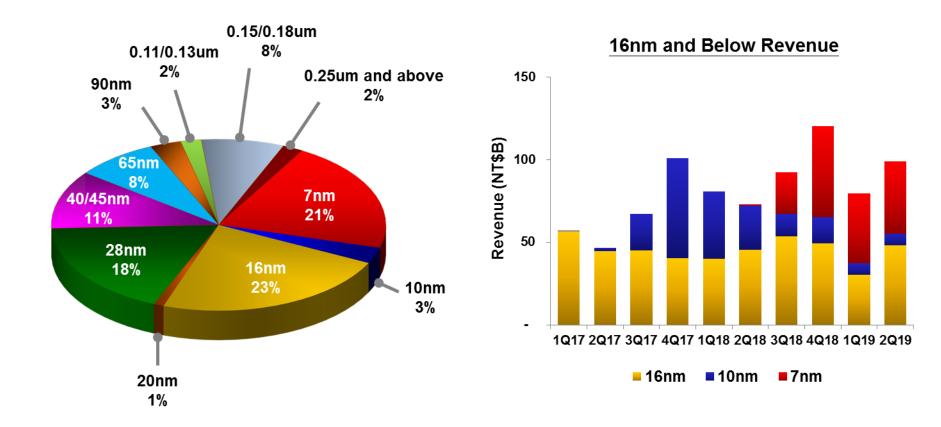
(In NT\$ billions unless otherwise noted)	2Q19	2Q19 Guidance	1Q19	2Q18	2Q19 over 1Q19	2Q19 over 2Q18
Net Revenue (US\$ billions)	7.75	7.55-7.65	7.10	7.85	+9.2%	-1.4%
Net Revenue	241.00		218.70	233.28	+10.2%	+3.3%
Gross Margin	43.0%	43.0% - 45.0%	41.3%	47.8%	+1.7 ppts	-4.8 ppts
Operating Expenses	(27.17)		(26.02)	(26.44)	+4.4%	+2.7%
Operating Margin	31.7%	31.0% - 33.0%	29.4%	36.2%	+2.3 ppts	-4.5 ppts
Non-Operating Items	4.25		3.91	3.16	+8.3%	+34.3%
Net Income to Shareholders of the Parent Company	66.77		61.39	72.29	+8.7%	-7.6%
Net Profit Margin	27.7%		28.1%	31.0%	-0.4 ppt	-3.3 ppts
EPS (NT Dollar)	2.57		2.37	2.79	+8.7%	-7.6%
ROE	16.2%		14.4%	18.7%	+1.8 ppts	-2.5 ppts
Shipment (Kpcs, 12"-equiv. Wafer)	2,308		2,205	2,674	+4.7%	-13.7%
Average Exchange RateUSD/NTD	31.11	30.85	30.82	29.71	+0.9%	+4.7%

* Diluted weighted average outstanding shares were 25,930mn units in 2Q19.

** ROE figures are annualized based on average equity attributable to shareholders of the parent company.

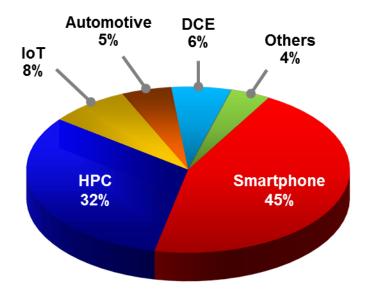


2Q19 Revenue by Technology

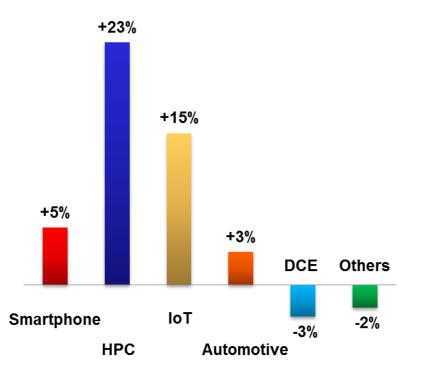




2Q19 Revenue by Platform



Growth rate by Platform (QoQ)





Balance Sheets & Key Indices

Selected Items from Balance Sheets (In NT\$ billions)	2Q19		1Q19		2Q18	
	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
Cash & Marketable Securities	764.62	34.1%	760.25	34.7%	748.92	36.5%
Accounts Receivable	116.13	5.2%	106.74	4.9%	88.20	4.3%
Inventories	108.23	4.8%	108.68	5.0%	99.03	4.8%
Long-term Investments	29.31	1.3%	30.04	1.4%	28.83	1.4%
Net PP&E	1,142.87	51.0%	1,107.65	50.6%	1,034.27	50.4%
Total Assets	2,239.34	100.0%	2,187.44	100.0%	2,053.41	100.0%
Current Liabilities	622.26	27.8%	378.27	17.3%	463.00	22.5%
Long-term Interest-bearing Debts	35.30	1.6%	35.30	1.6%	83.40	4.1%
Total Liabilities	684.92	30.6%	443.92	20.3%	562.78	27.4%
Total Shareholders' Equity	1,554.42	69.4%	1,743.52	79.7%	1,490.63	72.6%
Key Indices						
A/R Turnover Days	42		49		38	
Inventory Turnover Days	76		79		74	
Current Ratio (x)	1.6		2.6	i	2.1	
Asset Productivity (x)	0.9		0.8		0.9	

* Total outstanding shares were 25,930mn units at 6/30/19.

** Asset productivity = Annualized net revenue / Average net PP&E

Cash Flows



(In NT\$ billions)	2Q19	<u> 1Q19 </u>	2Q18
Beginning Balance	645.67	577.81	577.78
Cash from operating activities	117.76	152.67	129.77
Capital expenditures	(116.35)	(75.94)	(59.68)
Short-term loans	1.06	(12.26)	(27.97)
Investments and others	1.56	3.39	12.33
Ending Balance	649.70	645.67	632.23
Free Cash Flow (1)	1.41	76.73	70.09

(1) Free cash flow = Cash from operating activities - Capital expenditures

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3Q19 Guidance

Based on our current business outlook, management expects:

Revenue to be between US\$ 9.1 billion and US\$ 9.2 billion

And, based on the exchange rate assumption of 1 US dollar to 31.0 NT dollars, management expects:

- Gross profit margin to be between 46% and 48%
- Operating profit margin to be between 35% and 37%



Recap of Recent Major Events

- TSMC Sets September 19 as Ex-Dividend Date, September 25 as the record date and October 17 as the distribution date for First Quarter 2019 Cash Dividend (2019/07/09)
- Ambiq Micro Achieves World-Leading Power Consumption Performance with TSMC 40ULP Technology (2019/07/02)
- TSMC Research Highlighted at 2019 Symposia on VLSI Technology & Circuits (2019/06/06)
- TSMC Shareholders Approve 2018 Cash Dividend of NT\$8 and By-Elect Mr. Moshe N. Gavrielov as an Independent Director; Board of Directors Approve NT\$2 Cash Dividend for 2019 Q1 (2019/06/05)
- TSMC Strengthens OIP Cloud Alliance with New Partner and New Solution Enablement (2019/04/26)
- TSMC Celebrates 25th Anniversary of the North American Technology Symposium (2019/04/23)
- Please visit TSMC's website (http://www.tsmc.com) and Market Observation Post System (http://mops.twse.com.tw) for details and other announcements

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