

ASE Inc. Q2 2008 Earnings Release

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#### Consolidated Income Statement



#### Sequential Comparison

(NT\$ Million except EPS)	Q2/2008	%	Q1 / 2008	%	Change
Net Revenues:					
IC Packaging	20,033	78.2%	19,227	77.9%	4%
Testing	5,102	19.9%	4,895	19.8%	4%
Others	475	1.9%	573	2.2%	-17%
<b>Total Net Revenues</b>	25,610	100.0%	24,695	100.0%	4%
<b>Gross Profit</b>	6,512	25.4%	6,188	25.1%	5%
Operating Profit	3,584	14.0%	3,352	13.6%	7%
Pretax Income(Loss)	3,562	13.9%	3,283	13.3%	8%
Income Tax	(779)	-3.0%	(411)	-1.7%	
Minority Interest	(371)	-1.4%	(535)	-2.2%	
Net Income(Loss)	2,412	9.4%	2,337	9.5%	3%
EPS <sup>1</sup>	0.44		0.43		2%
EBITDA	8,052	31.4%	7,694	31.2%	5%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All EPS figures are based on fully diluted number of shares

## **Consolidated Income Statement**

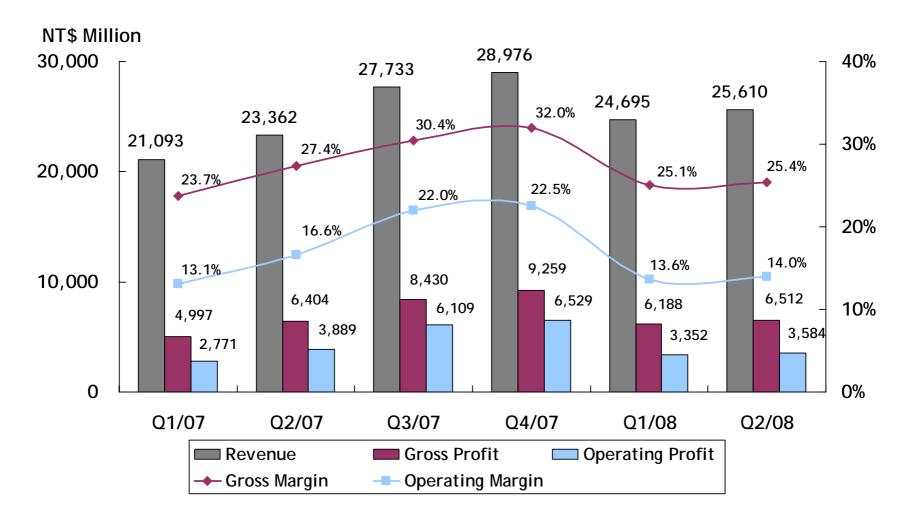


#### YoY Comparison

(NT\$ Million except EPS)	Q2/2008	%	Q2/2007	%	Change
Net Revenues:					
IC Packaging	20,033	78.2%	18,029	77.2%	11%
Testing	5,102	19.9%	4,724	20.2%	8%
Others	475	1.9%	609	2.6%	-22%
<b>Total Net Revenues</b>	25,610	100.0%	23,362	100.0%	10%
<b>Gross Profit</b>	6,512	25.4%	6,404	27.4%	2%
Operating Profit	3,584	14.0%	3,889	16.6%	-8%
Pretax Income(Loss)	3,562	13.9%	3,597	15.4%	-1%
Income Tax	(779)	-3.0%	(866)	-3.7%	
Minority Interest	(371)	-1.4%	(156)	-0.7%	
Net Income(Loss)	2,412	9.4%	2,575	11.0%	<b>-6</b> %
EPS <sup>1</sup>	0.44		0.48		-8%
EBITDA	8,052	31.4%	8,090	34.6%	0%

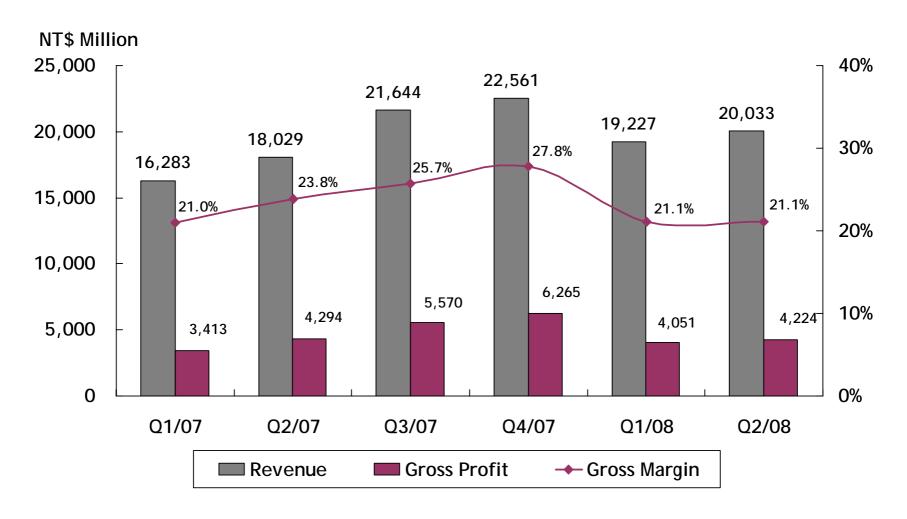
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## Consolidated Revenue & Margin Trend





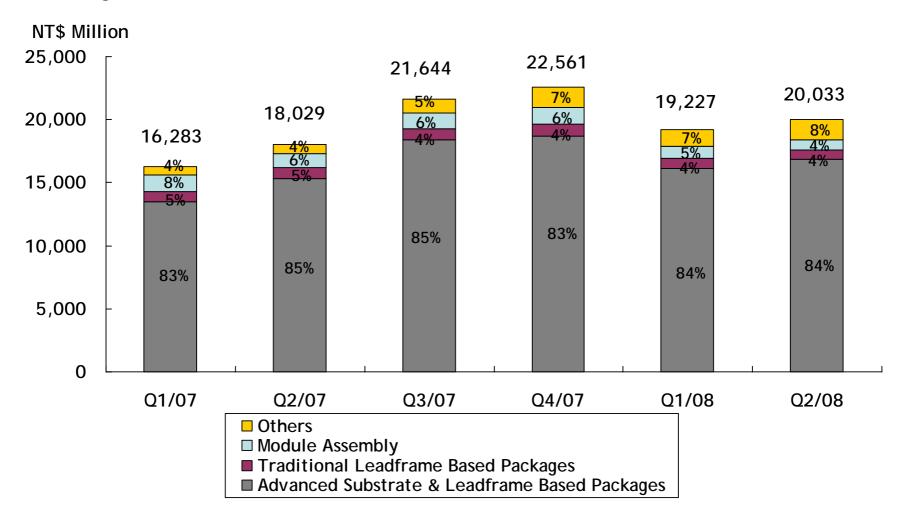




## IC Packaging Operations

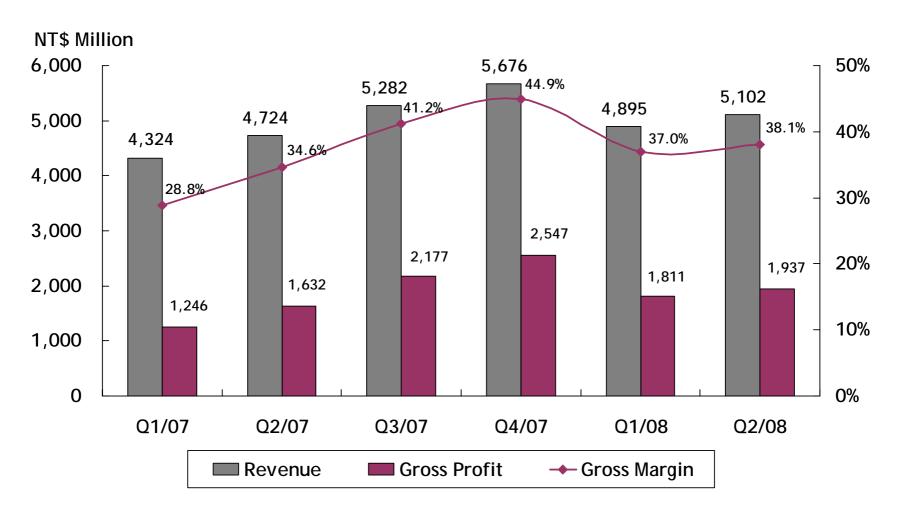


Package Revenue Breakdown





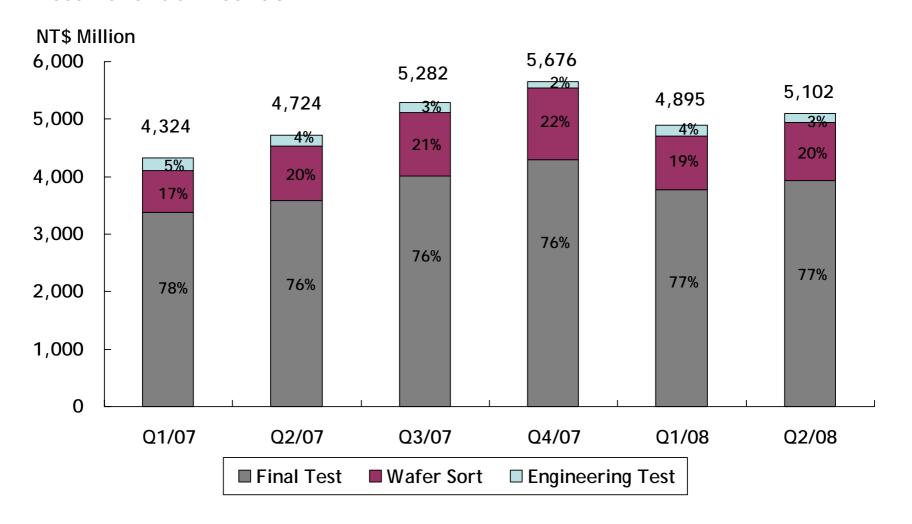




## IC Testing Operations

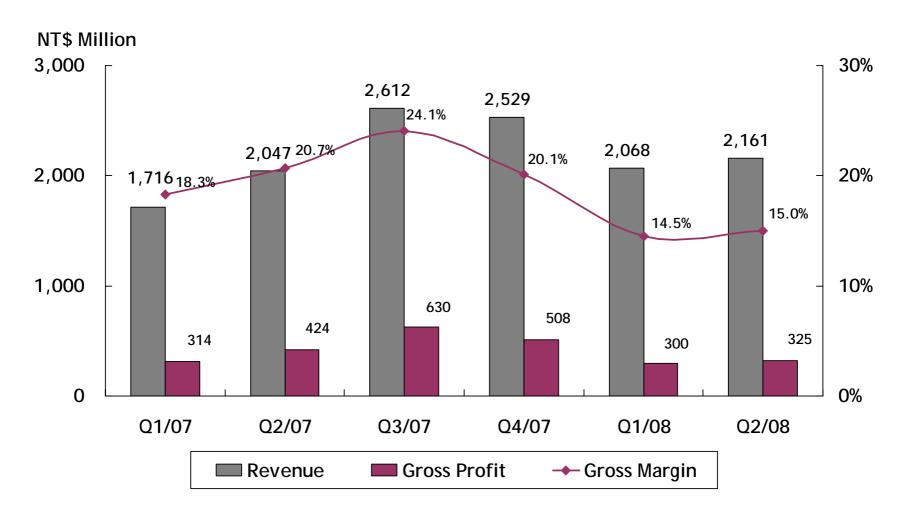


Test Revenue Breakdown







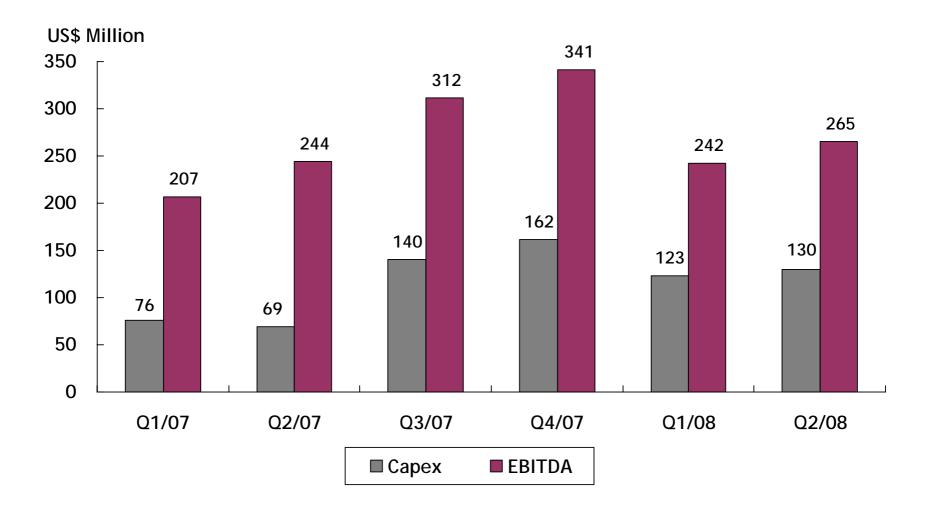


# Selective Balance Sheet Information ASE GROUP

(NT\$ Million)	Jun. 30, 2008	Mar. 31, 2008	Change
Cash and Cash Equivalent	23,305	16,589	40.5%
Financial Assets - current	9,343	12,538	-25.5%
Financial Assets - non current	4,568	4,818	-5.2%
Total Assets	164,320	151,105	8.7%
ST Bank Debt - Revolving Credit	12,456	10,573	17.8%
- Current Portion of LT Debt	6,162	6,060	1.7%
Bonds Payable within 1 year	1,375	1,375	0.0%
LT Bank Debt	40,663	16,602	144.9%
LT Bonds Payable	4,031	4,184	-3.7%
Total Net Worth			
(Including minority interest)	68,994	91,815	-24.9%
Quarterly EBITDA	8,052	7,694	4.7%
Current Ratio	1.24	1.57	
Leverage Ratio	0.57	0.11	







## **Top 10 Customers**

Q2 / 2008



**ASE Group** 

**BROADCOM** 

**CAMBRIDGE** 

**FREESCALE** 

**MEDIATEK** 

**NEC** 

**NVIDIA** 

**POWERCHIP** 

**QUALCOMM** 

STM

**ZORAN** 

Top 5

Top 10

28% of Total Sales

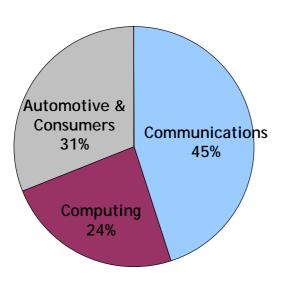
46% of Total Sales

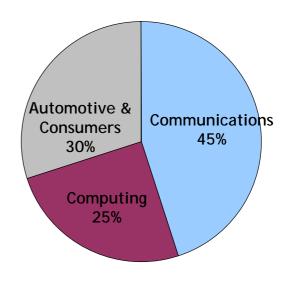




Q2 / 2008

Q1 / 2008





## Guidance for Q3 / 2008



- Revenue: up low single digit % sequentially
- Gross Margin: flat from Q2
- Full year 2008 Capex: US\$350 million



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