## GCS HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND REPORT OF INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS DECEMBER 31, 2015 AND 2014

#### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS

PWCR15000244

To the Board of Directors and Stockholders of GCS Holdings, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of GCS Holdings, Inc. and its subsidiaries (the "Group") as of December 31, 2015 and 2014, and the related consolidated statements of income, of changes in equity and of cash flows for the years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014, expressed in thousands of New Taiwan dollars. These consolidated financial statements are the responsibility of the Group's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the "Regulations Governing Auditing and Attestation of Financial Statements by Certified Public Accountants" and generally accepted auditing principles in the Republic of China. Those rules and standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of GCS Holdings, Inc. and its subsidiaries as of December 31, 2015 and 2014, and the results of their financial performance and their cash flows for the years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014 in conformity with the "Rules Governing the Preparation of Financial Statements by Securities Issuers" and the International Financial Reporting Standards, International Accounting Standards, IFRIC Interpretations, and SIC Interpretations as endorsed by the Financial Supervisory Commission of the Republic of China.

March 2, 2016

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The accompanying consolidated financial statements are not intended to present the financial position and results of operations and cash flows in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in countries and jurisdictions other than the Republic of China. The standards, procedures and practices in the Republic of China governing the review of such financial statements may differ from those generally accepted in countries and jurisdictions other than the Republic of China. Accordingly, the accompanying consolidated financial statements and report of independent accountants are not intended for use by those who are not informed about the accounting principles or review standards generally accepted in the Republic of China, and their applications in practice.

## $\underline{\mathsf{GCS}}\ \mathsf{HOLDINGS}\ \mathsf{INC}.\ \mathsf{AND}\ \mathsf{SUBSIDIARIES}$

### CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

### (EXPRESSED IN THOUSANDS OF NEW TAIWAN DOLLARS)

ASSETS	Notes_	December 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	6(1)	\$ 1,237,513	\$ 527,385
Accounts receivable - net	6(3)	205,006	190,655
Other receivables		15,271	7,611
Current income tax assets		_	2,163
Inventories	6(4)	331,800	271,490
Prepayments		5,111	3,611
Other current assets		4,924	1,616
Total current assets		1,799,625	1,004,531
Non-current assets	^{		
Available-for-sale financial assets	6(2)	52,479	-
Property, plant and equipment - net	6(5) and 8	473,634	179,670
Intangible assets	20/0>	20,496	27,159
Deferred income tax assets	6(22)	203,951	196,651
Other non-current assets	8	103,182	35,229
Total non-current assets		<u>853,742</u>	438,709
Total assets		\$ 2,653,367	<u>\$ 1,443,240</u>

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# GCS HOLDINGS INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (EXPRESSED IN THOUSANDS OF NEW TAIWAN DOLLARS)

		December 31,	December 31,
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	Notes	2015	2014
Current liabilities			
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit and loss	6(6)	\$ 120,164	\$ -
Accounts payable		41,390	26,851
Other payables	6(9)	133,075	97,745
Current income tax liabilities		5,671	1,477
Long-term borrowings - current protion	6(8)	19,616	-
Other current liabilities	6(10)	15,946	12,012
Total current liabilities		335,862	138,085
Non-current liabilities		4( // ^	
Bonds payable	6(7)	457,386	-
Long-term borrowings	6(8)	)) 127,142	-
Deferred income tax liabilities	6(22)	62,303	54,230
Other non-current liabilities	6(10)	27,111	37,076
Total non-current liabilities		673,942	91,306
Total liabilities		1,009,804	229,391
Equity attributable to owners of parent			
Share capital	6(13)		
Common stock		577,999	453,042
Capital surplus	6(14)	468,688	371,002
Retained earnings	6(15)		
Special reserve		6,821	6,821
Unappropriated retained earnings		473,560	310,565
Other equity items	6(16)	116,495	72,419
Equity attributable to owners of the parent		1,643,563	1,213,849
Total equity		1,643,563	1,213,849
Significant contingent liabilities and unrecognised contract commitments	9		
Significant events after the balance sheet date	11		
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		\$ 2,653,367	<u>\$ 1,443,240</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

#### GCS HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

#### $({\sf EXPRESSED}\ {\sf IN}\ {\sf THOUSANDS}\ {\sf OF}\ {\sf NEW}\ {\sf TAIWAN}\ {\sf DOLLARS}, {\sf EXCEPT}\ {\sf FOR}\ {\sf EARNINGS}\ {\sf PER}\ {\sf SHARE})$

				2015			2014		
	Items	Note		Amount	%		Amount		%
4000	Sales	6(17) and 7	\$	1,659,943	100	\$	1,352,899		100
5000	Cost of goods sold	6(4)(20)	(	955,764)	(58)	(	810,561)	(	60)
5900	Net operating margin			704,179	42		542,338		40
	Operating expenses	6(20)(21)		_					
6100	Sales and marketing expenses		(	28,311)	( 2)	(	21,650)	(	2)
6200	General and administrative expenses		(	227,299)	( 13)	(	179,022)	(	13)
6300	Research and development expenses		(	145,832)	( 9)	(	163,977)	(	12)
6000	<b>Total Operating Expenses</b>		(	401,442)	( 24)	(	364,649)	(	27)
6900	Operating profit			302,737	18		177,689		13
	Non-operating income and expenses		-						
7010	Other income			2,062			169		-
7020	Other expenses and losses	6(18)		10,701	1		123		-
7050	Finance cost	6(19)	(	23,408)		(	1,141)		-
7000	Total non-operating income and expenses			10,645)	>	(	849)		-
7900	Profit before income tax		17	292,092	18		176,840		13
7950	Income tax expense	6(22)		) 15,837)	(1)	(	9,986)	(	1)
8200	Profit for the year		\$	276,255	17	\$	166,854		12
	Other comprehensive income								
	Other components of other comprehensive income that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	};(	>						
8361	Exchange differences arising on translation of foreign operations	6(16)	\$	54,886	3	\$	65,553		5
	Components of other comprehensive income that will be reclassified to profit or loss								
8362	Unrealized gain (loss) on valuation of	6(16)							
0200	available-for-sale financial assets	6(16)		1,133	-		-		-
8399	Income tax related to components of other comprehensive income that will be reclassified to	6(16)							
	profit or loss		(	451)	-		-		-
	Total other comprehensive income, net		\$	55,568	3	\$	65,553		5
8500	Total comprehensive income for the year		\$	331,823	20	\$	232,407		17
	Profit attributable to:								
8610	Owners of the parent		\$	276,255	17	\$	166,854		12
	Total comprehensive income attributable to:								
8710	Owners of the parent		\$	331,823	20	\$	232,407		17
9750	Basic earnings per share (In dollars)	6(23)	\$		4.95	\$			3.32
9850	Diluted earnings per share (In dollars)	6(23)				_			
70JU	F	0(23)	\$		4.47	\$			3.20

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

# GCS HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (EXPRESSED IN THOUSANDS OF NEW TAIWAN DOLLARS)

					Equity attributable to	owners of the parer	nt			
				Retai	ned Earnings	Ot	her Equity			
<u>2014</u>	Note	Common Stock	Capital Surplus	Special Reserve	Unappropriated Retained Earnings	Exchange Differences Arising on Translation of Foreign Operations	Unrealised Gains on Available for-Sale Financial Assets	Other Equity - Others		Total
Balance at January 1, 2014		\$ 369,736	\$ 209,042	\$ 6,821	\$ 180,684	\$ 8,443	\$ -	(\$ 7,577)	\$	767,149
Appropriations of 2013 earnings					$\sim$	· <				
Cash dividends	6(15)	-	-	(-	( 3,697)	-	-	-	(	3,697)
Stock dividends	6(15)	33,276	-	( ( -	( 33,276)	-	-	-		-
Compensation cost of share-based payment	6(12) (14)(16)	-	7,111			-	-	6,000		13,111
Consolidated net income for 2014	6(15)	-	~ (-> (-)	-	166,854	-	-	-		166,854
Issuance of stock from exercise of employee stock options	6(13)(14)	200	499	<b>*</b>	-	-	-	-		699
Other comprehensive income	6(16)	-		-	-	65,553	-	-		65,553
Issuance of common stock for cash	6(13)	49,830	154,350	>						204,180
Balance at December 31, 2014		\$ 453,042	\$ 371,002	\$ 6,821	\$ 310,565	\$ 73,996	\$	(\$_1,577)	<u>\$</u>	1,213,849
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# GCS HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (EXPRESSED IN THOUSANDS OF NEW TAIWAN DOLLARS)

					Equity attributable to o	owners of the paren	t		
				Retained	l Earnings	Otl	ner Equity		
	Note	Common Stock	Capital Surplus	Special Reserve	Unappropriated Retained Earnings	Exchange Differences Arising on Translation of Foreign Operations	Unrealised Gains on Available for-Sale Financial Assets	Other Equity - Others	Total
<u>2015</u>						2)			
Balance at January 1, 2015		\$ 453,042	\$ 371,002	\$ 6,821	\$ 310,565	\$ 73,996	\$ -	(\$ 1,577)	\$ 1,213,849
Appropriations of 2014 earnings									
Cash dividends	6(15)	-	-	( ( - (	11,326)	-	-	-	( 11,326 )
Stock dividends	6(15)	101,934	-	//	101,934)	-	-	-	-
Compensation cost of share-based payment	6(12) (14)(16)	-	12,503	-	<u>-</u>	-	-	7,346	19,849
Consolidated net income for 2015	6(15)	-	>,	\\\ <u>\</u> \\	276,355	-	-	-	276,255
Issuance of restricted stocks to employees	6(13) (14)(16)	3,193	15,796	-	-	-	-	( 19,010 )	( 21 )
Retirement of restricted stocks to employees	6(13)(14)	( 30)	(142)	_	-	-	-	172	-
Issuance of stock from exercise of employee stock options	6(13)(14)	10,366	13,023	-	-	-	-	-	23,389
Conversion of convertible bonds	6(13)(14)	9,494	56,506	-	-	-	-	-	66,000
Other comprehensive income	6(16)		//			54,886	682	<del>_</del>	55,568
Balance at December 31, 2015		\$ 577,999	\$ 468,688	<u>\$ 6,821</u>	<u>\$ 473,560</u>	\$ 128,882	<u>\$ 682</u>	(\$ 13,069)	\$ 1,643,563

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# GCS HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (EXPERSSED IN THOUSANDS OF NEW TAIWAN DOLLARS)

Income before income tax to net cash provided by operating activities   September   Sept		Note		2015		2014
Adjustments to reconcile income before income tax to net cash provided by operating activities  Income and expenses having no effect on cash flows  Write-off of accounts receivable booked as bad debts expense  Depreciation 6(20) 46,262 36,696  Amortization 6(20) 8,484 7,890  Interest expense 6(19) 23,408 1,141  Interest income (19) 23,408 1,141  Interest income (19) 3,3408 1,141  Net loss on financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss  Changes in assets/liabilities relating to operating activities  Net changes in assets/liabilities relating to operating activities  Accounts receivable - related parties (1,338) 124  Net changes in liabilities relating to operating activities  Accounts receivable - related parties (1,338) 124  Net changes in liabilities relating to operating activities  Accounts payable (1,338) 124  Net changes in liabilities relating to operating activities  Accounts payable (1,338) 124  Net changes in liabilities relating to operating activities  Accounts payable (1,338) 124  Net changes in liabilities relating to operating activities  Accounts payable (1,3094 (1,3173)) 155  Interest received (1,993) 165  Interest received (1,993) 165  Interest paid (1,096) (1,141)  Income tax paid (1,096) (1,141)  Income tax paid (1,096) (1,3824)  Net cash provided by operating activities (1,096) (1,096) (1,096)  Acquisition of available-for-sale financial assets (1,096) (1,096) (1,096)  Acquisition of intangible assets (1,096) (1,096) (1,096)  Increase in refundable deposits (1,096) (1,096)  Increase in refundable deposits (1,096) (1,096)	CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES					
Income and expenses having no effect on cash flows   383   3696	Income before income tax		\$	292,092	\$	176,840
Write-off of accounts receivable booked as bad debts expense	Adjustments to reconcile income before income tax to net cash provided by operating activities					
Expense   Depreciation   6(20)   46,262   36,696     Amortization   6(20)   8,484   7,890     Interest expense   6(19)   23,408   1,141     Interest income   ( 1,993) ( 165)     Compensation cost of share-based payment   6(13)   19,849   13,111     Net loss on financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss   6(18)   30,311   -	Income and expenses having no effect on cash flows					
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Interest expense	Depreciation	6(20)		46,262		36,696
Interest income	Amortization	6(20)		8,484		7,890
Compensation cost of share-based payment   Net loss on financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss   Society	Interest expense	6(19)		23,408		1,141
Net loss on financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	Interest income		(	(1,993)	(	165)
Changes in assets/liabilities relating to operating activities	Compensation cost of share-based payment	6(13)	^	19,849		13,111
Net changes in assets relating to operating activities   Accounts receivable   7,415   ( 68,071 )		6(18)		30,311		-
Accounts receivable — related parties ————————————————————————————————————	Changes in assets/liabilities relating to operating activities	^(				
Accounts receivable – related parties  Other receivables  Inventories  Inventories  (	Net changes in assets relating to operating activities	~~		> *		
Other receivables         (         7,134)         7,789           Inventories         (         48,568)         (         125,723)           Prepayments         (         1,338)         124           Net changes in liabilities relating to operating activities         (         13,094         (         3,173)           Other payables         20,053         5,123           Other current liabilities         2,914         (         4,989)           Cash provided by operations         390,402         66,356           Interest received         1,993         165           Interest paid         (         4,086)         (         1,141)           Income tax paid         (         3,805)         (         3,824)           Net cash provided by operating activities         384,504         61,556           CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES         384,504         61,556           CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES         (         49,647)         -           Acquisition of available-for-sale financial assets         (         49,647)         -           Acquisition of property, plant and equipment         6(25)         (         327,708)         (         50,233)           Acquisition of intangible assets<	Accounts receivable			7,415)	(	68,071)
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# GCS HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (EXPERSSED IN THOUSANDS OF NEW TAIWAN DOLLARS)

	Note		2015	20	014
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES					
Proceeds from long-term borrowings	6(8)		153,457		-
Repayment of long-term borrowings		(	6,477)		-
Proceeds from issuance of convertible bonds	6(7)		600,000		-
Payment of cash dividends		(	11,326)	(	3,697)
Proceeds from issuance of common stock			-		204,180
Proceeds from exercise of employee stock options			23,388		699
Net cash provided by financing activities			759,042		201,182
Effect of changes in exchange rates			10,588		27,064
Increase in cash and cash equivalents			710,128		235,471
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	6(1)		527,385		291,914
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	6(1)	<u>\$</u> <	1,237,513	\$	527,385

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

# GCS HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2015 AND 2014

(EXPRESSED IN THOUSANDS OF NEW TAIWAN DOLLARS, EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE INDICATED)

#### 1. HISTORY AND ORGANIZATION

GCS Holdings Inc. (the "Company") was incorporated in Cayman Islands on November 30, 2010, as a holding company for the purpose of registering its shares with the Taipei Exchange (formerly GreTai Securities Market). The Company issued new shares in exchange for 100% of Global Communication Semiconductors, Inc.'s outstanding shares at the exchange ratio of 1:5 on December 28, 2010. After the reorganization, the Company became the parent company of Global Communication Semiconductors, LLC (GCS LLC). The name of Global Communication Semiconductors, Inc. was changed to Global Communication Semiconductors, LLC. in January 2011. The Company was approved by the Financial Supervisory Commission to be listed on the Taipei Exchange. The Company's common shares have been traded on the Taipei Exchange since September 15, 2014.

The Company and its subsidiary (collectively referred herein as the "Group") engage in the manufacturing of GaAs wafer and provide GaAs foundry related services.

# 2. THE DATE OF AUTHORIZATION FOR ISSUANCE OF THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR AUTHORIZATION

These consolidated financial statements were authorised for issuance by the Board of Directors on March 2, 2016.

### 3. APPLICATION OF NEW STANDARDS, AMENDMENTS AND INTERPRETATIONS

# (1) Effect of the adoption of new issuances of or amendments to International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs) as endorsed by the Financial Supervisory Commission ("FSC")

According to Financial Supervisory-Securities-Auditing No. 1030010325 issued by FSC on April 3, 2014, commencing 2015, companies with shares listed on the TWSE or traded on the Taipei Exchange or Emerging Stock Market shall adopt the 2013 version of IFRS (not including IFRS 9, 'Financial instruments') as endorsed by the FSC and Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers effective January 1, 2015 (collectively referred herein as the "2013 version of IFRS") in preparing the consolidated financial statements. The impact of adopting the 2013 version of IFRS is listed below:

#### A. IAS 1, 'Presentation of financial statements'

The amendment requires entities to separate items presented in OCI classified by nature into two groups on the basis of whether they are potentially reclassifiable to profit or loss subsequently when specific conditions are met. If the items are presented before tax then the tax related to each of the two groups of OCI items (those that might be reclassified and those that will not be reclassified) must be shown separately. Accordingly, the Group has adjusted its presentation of the statement of comprehensive income.

#### B. IFRS 13, 'Fair value measurement'

The standard defines fair value as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The standard sets out a framework for measuring fair value from market participants' perspective, and requires disclosures about fair value measurements. For non-financial assets only, fair value is determined based on the highest and best use of the asset. Based on the Group's assessment, the adoption of the standard has no significant impact on its consolidated financial statements, and the Group has disclosed additional information about fair value measurements accordingly.

## (2) Effect of new issuances of or amendments to IFRSs as endorsed by the FSC but not yet adopted by the Group

None.

#### (3) IFRSs issued by IASB but not yet endorsed by the FSC

New standards, interpretations and amendments issued by IASB but not yet included in the 2013 version of IFRSs as endorsed by the FSC:

New Standards, Interpretations and Amendments	Effective Date by
	International Accounting
	Standards Board
IFRS 9, 'Financial instruments'	January 1, 2018
Sale or contribution of assets between an investor and its	To be determined by
associate or joint venture (amendments to IFRS 10 and IAS 28)	International Accounting
	Standards Board
Investment entities: applying the consolidation exception	January 1, 2016
(amendments to IFRS 10, IFRS 12 and IAS 28)	1 2016
Accounting for acquisition of interests in joint operations (amendments to IFRS 11)	January 1, 2016
IFRS 14, 'Regulatory deferral accounts'	January 1, 2016
IFRS 15, 'Revenue from contracts with customers'	January 1, 2018
IFRS 16, 'Leases'	January 1, 2019
Disclosure initiative (amendments to IAS 1)	January 1, 2016
Disclosure initiative (amendments to IAS 7)	January 1, 2017
Recognition of deferred tax assets for unrealised losses	January 1, 2017
(amendments to IAS 12)	
Clarification of acceptable methods of depreciation and	January 1, 2016
amortisation (amendments to IAS 16 and IAS 38)	
Agriculture: bearer plants (amendments to IAS 16 and IAS 41)	January 1, 2016
Defined benefit plans: employee contributions	July 1, 2014
(amendments to IAS 19R)	
Equity method in separate financial statements (amendments to	January 1, 2016
IAS 27)	
Recoverable amount disclosures for non-financial assets	January 1, 2014
(amendments to IAS 36)	
Novation of derivatives and continuation of hedge accounting	January 1, 2014
(amendments to IAS 39)	
IFRIC 21, 'Levies'	January 1, 2014
Improvements to IFRSs 2010-2012	July 1, 2014

New Standards, Interpretations and Amendments	Effective Date by
	International Accounting
	Standards Board
Improvements to IFRSs 2011-2013	July 1, 2014
Improvements to IFRSs 2012-2014	January 1, 2016

The Group is assessing the potential impact of the new standards, interpretations and amendments above. The impact will be disclosed when the assessment is complete.

#### 4. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these consolidated financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the periods presented, unless otherwise stated.

#### (1) Compliance statement

The consolidated financial statements of the Group have been prepared in accordance with the "Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Statements by Securities Issuers" and the International Financial Reporting Standards, International Accounting Standards, IFRIC Interpretations and SIC Interpretations as endorsed by the FSC (collectively referred herein as the "IFRSs").

#### (2) Basis of preparation

- A. Except for the available-for-sale financial assets measured at fair value, the consolidated financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.
- B. The preparation of financial statements in conformity with International Financial Reporting Standards, International Accounting Standards, IFRIC Interpretations, and SIC Interpretations as endorsed by the FSC (collectively referred herein as the "IFRSs") requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgment in the process of applying the Group's accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgment or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the consolidated financial statements are disclosed in Note 5.

#### (3) Basis of consolidation

- A. Basis for preparation of consolidated financial statements:
  - (a) All subsidiaries are included in the Group's consolidated financial statements. Subsidiaries are all entities (including structured entities) controlled by the Group. The Group controls an entity when the Group is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity. Consolidation of subsidiaries begins from the date the Group obtains control of the subsidiaries and ceases when the Group loses control of the subsidiaries.
  - (b) Inter-company transactions, balances and unrealised gains or losses on transactions between companies within the Group are eliminated. Accounting policies of subsidiary have been adjusted where necessary to ensure consistency with the policies adopted by the Group.
- B. Subsidiaries included in the consolidated financial statements:

Name of investor	Name of subsidiary	Main business activities	Ownersh	ip (%)
Name of mivestor	Traine of subsidiary	iviain business activities	December 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
The Company	Global Communication Semiconductors, LLC	GaAs wafer and foundry services	100%	100%

Name of investor	N	Main business activities	Ownership (%)			
Name of investor	Name of subsidiary	iviani business activities	December 31, 2015	December 31, 2014		
The Company	Technologies, Co., Ltd.	Product design and research development services	100% (Note)	-		

Note: Global Device Technologies, Co., Ltd. was established on April 23, 2015.

- C. Subsidiaries not included in the consolidated financial statements: None.
- D. Adjustments for subsidiaries with different balance sheet dates: None.
- E. Significant restrictions: None.
- F. Subsidiaries that have non-controlling interests that are material to the Group: None.

#### (4) Foreign currency translation

Items included in the financial statements of each of the Group's entities are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates (the "functional currency"). The Company's functional currency is United States dollars; however, the consolidated financial statements are presented in New Taiwan dollars in accordance with the regulations of the country where the consolidated financial statements are reported to the regulatory authorities.

#### A. Foreign currency transactions and balances

- (a) Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions or valuation where items are remeasured. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which they arise.
- (b) Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at the period end are re-translated at the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date. Exchange differences arising upon re-translation at the balance sheet date are recognised in profit or loss.
- (c) Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies held at fair value through profit or loss are re-translated at the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date; their translation differences are recognised in profit or loss. Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies held at fair value through other comprehensive income are re-translated at the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date; their translation differences are recognised in other comprehensive income. However, non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are not measured at fair value are translated using the historical exchange rates at the dates of the initial transactions.
- (d) All foreign exchange gains and losses are presented in the statement of comprehensive income within 'other gains and losses'.

#### B. Translation of foreign operations

The operating results and financial position of all the group entities that have a functional currency different from the presentation currency are translated into the presentation currency as follows:

- (a) Assets and liabilities for each balance sheet presented are translated at the closing exchange rate at the date of that balance sheet;
- (b) Income and expenses for each statement of comprehensive income are translated at average

exchange rates of that period; and

(c) All resulting exchange differences are recognised in other comprehensive income.

#### (5) Classification of current and non-current items

- A. Assets that meet one of the following criteria are classified as current assets; otherwise they are classified as non-current assets:
  - (a) Assets arising from operating activities that are expected to be realised, or are intended to be sold or consumed within the normal operating cycle;
  - (b) Assets held mainly for trading purposes;
  - (c) Assets that are expected to be realised within twelve months from the balance sheet date;
  - (d) Cash and cash equivalents, excluding restricted cash and cash equivalents and those that are to be exchanged or used to pay off liabilities more than twelve months after the balance sheet date.
- B. Liabilities that meet one of the following criteria are classified as current liabilities; otherwise they are classified as non-current liabilities:
  - (a) Liabilities that are expected to be paid off within the normal operating cycle;
  - (b) Liabilities arising mainly from trading activities;
  - (c) Liabilities that are to be paid off within twelve months from the balance sheet date;
  - (d) Liabilities for which the repayment date cannot be extended unconditionally to more than twelve months after the balance sheet date. Terms of a liability that could, at the option of the counterparty, result in its settlement by the issue of equity instruments do not affect its classification.

#### (6) Cash equivalents

Cash equivalents refer to short-term, highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

#### (7) Available-for-sale financial assets

- A. Available-for-sale financial assets are non-derivatives that are either designated in this category or not classified in any of the other categories.
- B. On a regular way purchase or sale basis, available-for-sale financial assets are recognised and derecognised using trade date accounting.
- C. Available-for-sale financial assets are initially recognised at fair value plus transaction costs. These financial assets are subsequently remeasured and stated at fair value, and any changes in the fair value of these financial assets are recognised in other comprehensive income. Investments in equity instruments that do not have a quoted market price in an active market and whose fair value cannot be reliably measured or derivatives that are linked to and must be settled by delivery of such unquoted equity instruments are presented in 'financial assets measured at cost'.

#### (8) Accounts receivable

Accounts receivable are loans and receivables originated by the entity. They are created by the entity by selling goods or providing services to customers in the ordinary course of business. Accounts receivable are initially recognised at fair value and subsequently measured at amortized

cost using the effective interest method, less provision for impairment. However, since the short-term accounts receivable bear no interest, considering the discounting effects would not be significant, the Group subsequently measures those receivables at the invoice amount.

#### (9) <u>Impairment of financial assets</u>

- A. The Group assesses at each balance sheet date whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset or a group of financial assets is impaired as a result of one or more events that occurred after the initial recognition of the asset (a 'loss event') and that loss event (or events) has an impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset or group of financial assets that can be reliably estimated.
- B. The criteria that the Group uses to determine whether there is objective evidence of an impairment loss is as follows:
  - (a) Significant financial difficulty of the issuer or debtor; and
  - (b) It becomes probable that the borrower will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganization.
- C. When the Group assesses that there has been objective evidence of impairment and an impairment loss has occurred, accounting for impairment is made as follows according to the category of financial assets:
  - (a) Financial assets measured at amortised cost

The amount of the impairment loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate, and is recognised in profit or loss. If, in a subsequent period, the amount of the impairment loss decreases and the decrease can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognised, the previously recognised impairment loss is reversed through profit or loss to the extent that the carrying amount of the asset does not exceed its amortised cost that would have been at the date of reversal had the impairment loss not been recognised previously. Impairment loss is recognised and reversed by adjusting the carrying amount of the asset through the use of an impairment allowance account.

#### (b) Available-for -sale financial assets

The amount of the impairment loss is measured as the difference between the asset's acquisition cost (less any principal repayment and amortisation) and current fair value, less any impairment loss on that financial asset previously recognised in profit or loss, and is reclassified from 'other comprehensive income' to 'profit or loss'. If, in a subsequent period, the fair value of an investment in a debt instrument increases, and the increase can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognised, then such impairment loss is reversed through profit or loss. Impairment loss of an investment in an equity instrument recognised in profit or loss shall not be reversed through profit or loss. Impairment loss is recognised and reversed by adjusting the carrying amount of the asset through the use of an impairment allowance account.

#### (10) Derecognition of financial assets

The Group derecognises a financial asset when the contractual rights to receive the cash flows from the financial asset expire.

#### (11) <u>Inventories</u>

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realizable value. Cost is determined using the

first-in, first-out (FIFO) method. The cost of finished goods and work in process comprises raw materials, direct labor, other direct costs and related production overheads (allocated based on normal operating capacity). It excludes borrowing costs. The item by item approach is used in applying the lower of cost and net realizable value. Net realizable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less the estimated cost of completion and applicable variable selling expenses.

#### (12) Property, plant and equipment

- A. Property, plant and equipment are initially recorded at cost. Borrowing costs incurred during the construction period are capitalized.
- B. Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Group and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognised. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to profit or loss during the financial period in which they are incurred.
- C. Property, plant and equipment apply cost model. Land is not depreciated and other property, plant and equipment are depreciated using the straight-line method to allocate their cost over their estimated useful lives. Each significant part of an item of property, plant and equipment is required to be depreciated separately.
- D. The assets' residual values, useful lives and depreciation methods are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each balance sheet date. If expectations for the assets' residual values and useful lives differ from previous estimates or the patterns of consumption of the assets' future economic benefits embodied in the assets have changed significantly, any change is accounted for as a change in estimate under IAS 8, 'Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors', from the date of the change.

The estimated useful lives of property, plant and equipment are as follows:

Buildings	35 years
Machinery and equipment	7 years
Computer and communication equipment	5 years
Research equipment	7 years
Office equipment	7 ~10 years
Leased assets	7 years
Leasehold improvements	6 years

#### (13) Leased assets/leases (lessee)

- A. Based on the terms of a lease contract, a lease is classified as a finance lease if the Group assumes substantially all the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of the leased asset.
  - (a) A finance lease is recognised as an asset and a liability at the lease's commencement at the lower of the fair value of the leased asset or the present value of the minimum lease payments.
  - (b) The minimum lease payments are apportioned between the finance charges and the reduction of the outstanding liability. The finance charges are allocated to each period over the lease term so as to produce a constant periodic rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability.
  - (c) Property, plant and equipment held under finance leases are depreciated over their estimated

useful lives. If there is no reasonable certainty that the Group will obtain ownership at the end of the lease, the asset shall be depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and its useful life.

B. An operating lease is a lease other than a finance lease. Payments made under an operating lease are recognised in profit or loss on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

#### (14) Intangible assets

Computer software is stated at cost and amortized on a straight-line basis over its estimated useful life of 1 to 5 years.

#### (15) Impairment of non-financial assets

The Group assesses at each balance sheet date the recoverable amounts of those assets where there is an indication that they are impaired. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs to sell or value in use. When the circumstances or reasons for recognizing impairment loss for an asset in prior years no longer exist, the impairment loss shall be reversed to the extent of the loss previously recognised in profit or loss.

#### (16) Notes and accounts payable

Notes and accounts payable are obligations to pay for goods or services that have been acquired in the ordinary course of business from suppliers. They are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. However, since the short-term accounts payable bear no interest, considering the discounting effects would not be significant, the Group subsequently measures those payables at the invoice amount.

### (17) Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

- A. Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are financial liabilities held for trading or financial liabilities designated as at fair value through profit or loss on initial recognition. Financial liabilities are classified in this category of held for trading if acquired principally for the purpose of repurchasing in the short-term. Derivatives are also categorized as financial liabilities held for trading unless they are designated as hedges. Financial liabilities that meet one of the following criteria are designated as at fair value through profit or loss on initial recognition:
  - (a) Hybrid (combined) contracts; or
  - (b) They eliminate or significantly reduce a measurement or recognition inconsistency; or
  - (c) They are managed and their performance is evaluated on a fair value basis, in accordance with a documented risk management policy.
- B. Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are initially recognised at fair value. Related transaction costs are expensed in profit or loss. These financial liabilities are subsequently remeasured and stated at fair value, and any changes in the fair value of these financial liabilities are recognised in profit or loss.

#### (18) Derecognition of financial liabilities

A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability specified in the contract is discharged or cancelled or expires.

#### (19) Offsetting financial instruments

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and reported in the net amount in the balance sheet when

there is a legally enforceable right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

#### (20) Financial liabilities

#### Bonds payable

Convertible corporate bonds issued by the Group contain conversion options (that is, the bondholders have the right to convert the bonds into the Group's common shares by exchanging a fixed amount of cash for a fixed number of common shares), call options and put options. The Group classifies the bonds payable and derivative features embedded in convertible corporate bonds on initial recognition as a financial asset, a financial liability or an equity instrument ('capital surplus-stock warrants') in accordance with the substance of the contractual arrangement and the definitions of a financial asset, a financial liability and an equity instrument. Convertible corporate bonds are accounted for as follows:

- (a) Call options and put options embedded in convertible corporate bonds are recognised initially at net fair value as 'financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss'. They are subsequently remeasured and stated at fair value on each balance sheet date; the gain or loss is recognised as 'gain or loss on valuation of financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss'.
- (b) Bonds payable of convertible corporate bonds is initially recognised at fair value and subsequently stated at amortised cost. Any difference between the proceeds and the redemption value is accounted for as the premium or discount on bonds payable and presented as an addition to or deduction from bonds payable, which is amortised in profit or loss as an adjustment to the 'finance costs' over the period of bond circulation using the effective interest method.
- (c) Any transaction costs directly attributable to the issuance of convertible corporate bonds are allocated to the liability and equity components in proportion to the allocation of proceeds.
- (d) When bondholders exercise conversion options, the liability component of the bonds (including 'bonds payable and 'financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss') shall be remeasured on the conversion date. The book value of common shares issued due to the conversion shall be based on the adjusted book value of the above-mentioned liability component.

#### (21) Employee benefits

#### A. Short-term employee benefits

Short-term employee benefits are measured at the undiscounted amount of the benefits expected to be paid in respect of service rendered by employees in a period and should be recognised as expenses in that period when the employees render service.

#### B. Pensions

#### Defined contribution plans

For defined contribution plans, the contributions are recognised as pension expenses when they are due on an accrual basis. Prepaid contributions are recognised as an asset to the extent of a cash refund or a reduction in the future payments.

#### C. Termination benefits

Termination benefits are employee benefits provided in exchange for the termination of employment as a result from either the Group's decision to terminate an employee's employment

before the normal retirement date, or an employee's decision to accept an offer of redundancy benefits in exchange for the termination of employment. The Group recognises termination benefits when it is demonstrably committed to a termination, when it has a detailed formal plan to terminate the employment of current employees and when it can no longer withdraw the plan.

#### D. Employees' and directors' remuneration

Employees' and directors' remuneration are recognised as expenses and liabilities, provided that such recognition is required under legal or constructive obligation and those amounts can be reliably estimated. Any difference between the resolved amounts and the subsequently actual distributed amounts is accounted for as changes in estimates. If employee compensation is distributed by shares, the Group calculates the number of shares based on the closing price at the previous day of the board meeting resolution.

#### (22) Employee share-based payment

A. For the equity-settled share-based payment arrangements, the employee services received are measured at the fair value of the equity instruments granted at the grant date, and are recognised as compensation cost over the vesting period, with a corresponding adjustment to equity. The fair value of the equity instruments granted shall reflect the impact of market vesting conditions and non-market vesting conditions. Compensation cost is subject to adjustment based on the service conditions that are expected to be satisfied and the estimates of the number of equity instruments that are expected to vest under the non-market vesting conditions at each balance sheet date. Ultimately, the amount of compensation cost recognised is based on the number of equity instruments that eventually vest.

#### B. Restricted stocks

- (a) Restricted stocks issued to employees are measured at the fair value of the equity instruments granted at the grant date, and are recognised as compensation cost over the vesting period.
- (b) For restricted stocks where those stocks do not restrict distribution of dividends to employees and employees are not required to return the dividends received if they resign during the vesting period, the Group recognises the fair value of the dividends received by the employees who are expected to resign during the vesting period as compensation cost at the date of dividends declaration.

#### (23) Income tax

- A. The tax expense for the period comprises current and deferred tax. Tax is recognised in profit or loss, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income or items recognised directly in equity, in which cases the tax is recognised in other comprehensive income or equity.
- B. The current income tax expense is calculated on the basis of the tax laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date in the countries where the Company and its subsidiary operate and generate taxable income. Management periodically evaluates positions taken in tax returns with respect to situations in accordance with applicable tax regulations. It establishes provisions where appropriate based on the amounts expected to be paid to the tax authorities.
- C. Deferred tax is recognised, using the balance sheet liability method, on temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the consolidated balance sheet. Deferred tax is provided on temporary differences arising on investments in subsidiaries, except where the timing of the reversal of the temporary difference

is controlled by the Group and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future. Deferred tax is determined using tax rates (and laws) that have been enacted or substantially enacted by the balance sheet date and are expected to apply when the related deferred tax asset is realised or the deferred tax liability is settled.

- D. Deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilized. At each balance sheet date, unrecognised and recognised deferred tax assets are reassessed.
- E. Current income tax assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the balance sheet when there is a legally enforceable right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset on the balance sheet when the entity has the legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets against current tax liabilities and they are levied by the same taxation authority on either the same entity or different entities that intend to settle on a net basis or realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

#### (24) Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares or stock options are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds.

#### (25) Dividends

Dividends are recorded in the Company's financial statements in the period in which they are approved by the Company's shareholders. Cash dividends are recorded as liabilities; stock dividends are recorded as stock dividends to be distributed and are reclassified to ordinary shares on the effective date of new shares issuance.

#### (26) Revenue recognition

#### A. Sales of goods

The Group engages in manufacturing of GaAs wafer and providing GaAs foundry related services. Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable taking into account value-added tax, returns, rebates and discounts for the sale of goods to external customers in the ordinary course of the Group's activities. Revenue arising from the sales of goods should be recognised when the Group has delivered the goods to the customer, the amount of sales revenue can be measured reliably and it is probable that the future economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the entity. The delivery of goods is completed when the significant risks and rewards of ownership have been transferred to the customer, the Group retains neither continuing managerial involvement to the degree usually associated with ownership nor effective control over the goods sold, and the customer has accepted the goods based on the sales contract or there is objective evidence showing that all acceptance provisions have been satisfied.

#### B. Service revenue and royalty income

Service revenue and royalty income are recognised when it is probable that future economic benefits will flow to the entity and these benefits can be measured reliably. The revenue is accounted for under the accrual basis.

#### (27) Operating segments

Operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to the chief operating decision-maker. The Group's chief operating decision-maker, who is responsible for

allocating resources and assessing performance of the operating segments, has been identified as the Board of Directors that makes strategic decisions.

## 5. <u>CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGMENTS</u>, <u>ESTIMATES AND KEY SOURCES OF ASSUMPTION</u> UNCERTAINTY

The preparation of these consolidated financial statements requires management to make critical judgments in applying the Group's accounting policies and make critical assumptions and estimates concerning future events. Assumptions and estimates may differ from the actual results and are continually evaluated and adjusted based on historical experience and other factors. Such assumptions and estimates have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year; and the related information is addressed below:

#### (1) Critical judgments in applying the Group's accounting policies

None.

#### (2) Critical accounting estimates and assumptions

The Group makes estimates and assumptions based on the expectation of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances at the end of the reporting period. The resulting accounting estimates might be different from the related actual results. The estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are addressed below:

#### A. Realizability of deferred tax assets

Deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences can be utilized. Assessment of the realizability of deferred tax assets involves critical accounting judgments and estimates of the management, including the assumptions of expected future sales revenue growth rate and profit rate, tax exempt duration, available tax credits, tax planning, etc. Any variations in global economic environment, industrial environment, and laws and regulations might cause material adjustments to deferred tax assets.

As of December 31, 2015, the Group recognised deferred tax assets amounting to \$203,951.

#### B. Evaluation of inventories

As inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realizable value, the Group must determine the net realizable value of inventories on balance sheet date using judgments and estimates. Due to the rapid technology innovation, the Group evaluates the amounts of normal inventory consumption, obsolete inventories or inventories without market selling value on balance sheet date, and writes down the cost of inventories to the net realizable value. Such an evaluation of inventories is principally based on the selling prices. Therefore, there might be material changes to the evaluation.

As of December 31, 2015, the carrying amount of inventories was \$331,800.

#### 6. DETAILS OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTS

#### (1) Cash and cash equivalents

	<u>Decen</u>	nber 31, 2015	<u>December 31, 2014</u>		
Cash on hand and petty cash	\$	116	\$	63	
Checking accounts and demand deposits		1,024,784		133,525	
Cash equivalents – money market fund		212,613		393,797	
	<u>\$</u>	1,237,513	\$	527,385	

- A. The Group transacts with a variety of financial institutions all with high credit quality to disperse credit risk and expects that the probability of counterparty default is remote. The Group's maximum exposure to credit risk at balance sheet date is the carrying amount of all cash and cash equivalents.
- B. The Group has no cash and cash equivalents pledged to others.

#### (2) Available-for-sale financial assets

There were no available-for-sale financial assets as of December 31, 2014.

	Decem	ber 31, 2015
Non-current items:		
Listed stocks	\$	8,206
Emerging stocks		43,140
Subtotal		51,346
Valuation adjustment		1,133
	\$	52,479

The Group recognised \$1,133 in other comprehensive income for fair value change for the year ended December 31, 2015.

#### (3) Accounts receivable, net

	<u>Decem</u>	ber 31, 2015	Dece	ember 31, 2014
Accounts receivable - third parties	\$	207,645	\$	194,406
Less: Allowance for sales returns and discounts	()	2,639)	(	3,751)
	\$	205,006	\$	190,655

A. The credit quality of accounts receivable that were neither past due nor impaired was in the following categories based on the Group's Credit Quality Control Policy:

	Decemb	er 31, 2015	<u>December 31, 2014</u>		
Group 1	\$	78,121	\$	68,638	
Group 2		85,715		91,391	
Group 3		7,153		4,353	
	<u>\$</u>	170,989	\$	164,382	

Group 1: Annual sales transactions exceed US\$ 2.5 million.

Group 2: Annual sales transactions exceed US\$ 100 thousand, but less than US\$ 2.5 million.

Group 3: Annual sales transactions below US\$ 100 thousand.

B. The aging analysis of accounts receivable that were past due but not impaired is as follows:

	<u>Decemb</u>	per 31, 2015	Decem	ber 31, 2014
Up to 30 days	\$	31,530	\$	21,105
31 to 60 days		1,109		4,009
61 to 90 days		<u>-</u>		1,159
	\$	32,639	\$	26,273

- C. Analysis of movement of impaired accounts receivable:
  - (a) As of December 31, 2015 and 2014, the Group's accounts receivable that were impaired all amounted to \$0.
  - (b) Movements on the Group's provision for impairment of accounts receivable are as follows:

	2015		2014
At January 1	\$ -	\$	48,635
Provision for impairment	\\407		-
Write-offs during the period	( 383)	(	49,452)
Unwinding of discount and premium	( 1,024)	)	-
Exchange effects	4		817
At December 31	3 -	\$	<u> </u>

D. The Group does not hold any collateral as security.

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(4)	Invent	tories
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	Cos	st		Allowance	Book Value		
Raw materials	\$(())>	158,274	(\$	28,020)	\$	130,254	
Work in process		201,389	(	57,225)		144,164	
Finished goods		62,701	(	5,319)		57,382	
	<u>\$</u>	422,364	( <u>\$</u>	90,564)	\$	331,800	
			De	ecember 31, 2014			
	Cos	st		Allowance	B	Book Value	
Raw materials	\$	104,122	(\$	12,751)	\$	91,371	
Work in process		174,600	(	12,947)		161,653	
Finished goods		20,523	(	2,057)		18,466	
	\$	299,245	( <u>\$</u>	27,755)	\$	271,490	

Expense and cost incurred on inventories for the years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014 were as follows:

	For the years ended December 31,						
		2015	2014				
Cost of inventories sold	\$	939,134 \$	855,942				
Loss on (recovery of ) market price decline		59,736 (	1,270)				
Revenue from sale of scraps	(	43,106) (	44,090)				
Gain on physical inventory count		<u>-</u> (	<u>21</u> )				
	\$	955,764 \$	810,561				

The Group reversed a previous inventory write-down and accounted for as reduction of cost of goods sold for the year ended December 31, 2014 because part of the inventories were sold.



### (5) Property, plant and equipment

		Land		Buildings		Machinery and equipment		Computer and ommunication equipment		Research quipment		Office uipment	]	Leased assets		Leasehold provements		Total_
At January 1, 2015																		
Cost	\$	-	\$	-	\$	652,560	\$	7,813	\$	26,250	\$	4,976	\$	32,817	\$	211,715	\$	936,131
Accumulated depreciation and impairment		<u>-</u>			(	556,000)	(	4,753)	(	24,602)	(	2,512)	(	5,818)	(	162,776)	(	756,461)
	\$		\$		\$	96,560	\$	3,060	\$	1,648	\$	2,464	\$	26,999	\$	48,939	<u>\$</u>	179,670
<u>2015</u>										1/1/1								
Opening net book amount	\$	-	\$	-	\$	96,560	\$	3,060	\$	1,648	<b>)</b>	2,464	\$	26,999	\$	48,939	\$	179,670
Additions		146,158		97,439		48,123		2,098	1	16,099	~	323		11,698		2,277		324,215
Disposals		-		-		-	(	105)	(/)	90)		-		-		-	(	195)
Depreciation charge		-	(	1,160)	(	22,676)	(	(\ 1,352)	)	525)	(	465)	(	6,233)	(	13,851)	(	46,262)
Net exchange differences		5,001		3,294		4,437	\ <del>_</del>	216	/ <u> </u>	<u>585</u>		77		1,189		1,407		16,206
Closing net book amount	\$	151,159	\$	99,573	\$	126,444	<u>\$</u>	3,917	\$	17,717	\$	2,399	\$	33,653	\$	38,772	\$	473,634
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At December 31, 2015								>										
Cost	\$	151,159	\$	100,773	\$	726,535	\$	10,134	\$	43,678	\$	5,484	\$	46,133	\$	221,910	\$	1,305,806
Accumulated depreciation and impairment		_	(	1,200)		600,091)	(	6,217)	(	25,961)	(	3,085)	(	12,480)	(	183,138)	(	832,172)
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	<u> </u>	151,159	<u>3</u>	99,573	7	126,444	<u>\$</u>	3,917	<u>p</u>	17,717	<u> </u>	2,399	<u> 5</u>	33,653	<u> </u>	38,772	<u> </u>	473,634

		achinery and uipment	comn	nputer and nunication nipment		esearch quipment		Office uipment	]	Leased assets	_	easehold provements	_	Total
At January 1, 2014														
Cost	\$	572,384	\$	7,113	\$	24,720	\$	5,838	\$	30,904	\$	199,023	\$	839,982
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	(	506,622)	(	4,102)	(	22,797)	(	4,970)	(	1,059)	(	140,475)	(	680,025)
	\$	65,762	\$	3,011	\$	1,923	\$	868	\$	29,845	\$	58,548	\$	159,957
<u>2014</u>														
Opening net book amount	\$	65,762	\$	3,011	\$	1,923	\$	868	\$	29,845	\$	58,548	\$	159,957
Additions		42,968		936		-		1,829		-		356		46,089
Disposals	(	125)	(	688)		<	1	3,000)		-		-	(	3,813)
Depreciation charge	(	17,376)	(	1,068)	(	378)		351)	(	4,490)	(	13,033)	(	36,696)
Net exchange differences		5,331		869		103	)	3,118		1,644		3,068		14,133
Closing net book amount	<u>\$</u>	96,560	\$	3,060	\$	1,648	<u>\$</u>	2,464	\$	26,999	\$	48,939	\$	179,670
At December 31, 2014						$\Rightarrow$								
Cost	\$	652,560	\$	7,813	\$	26,250	\$	4,976	\$	32,817	\$	211,715	\$	936,131
Accumulated depreciation and				2010	) /~									
impairment	(	556,000)		4,753)	(	24,602)	(	2,512)	(	5,818)	(	162,776)	(	756,461)
	<u>\$</u>	96,560	<u>\$</u>	3,060	<u>\$</u>	1,648	\$	2,464	\$	26,999	\$	48,939	\$	179,670
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#### (6) Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

There were no financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss as of December 31, 2014.

Item	<u>December</u>	31, 2015
Current items:		
Financial liabilities held for trading		
Call options, put options and conversion options embedded in convertible bonds	\$	81,320
Valuation adjustment		38,844
Total	\$	120,164

The Group recognised net loss of \$30,311 on financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss for the year ended December 31, 2015.

#### (7) Bonds payable

There were no convertible bonds outstanding as of December 31, 2014. As of December 31, 2015, the details of convertible bonds are as follows:

Item		December 31, 2015
Convertible bonds		
First secured convertible bonds	\$	300,000
Second unsecured convertible bonds	_	300,000
		600,000
Less: conversion of convertible bonds	(	66,900)
Less: discount on bonds payable	(_	75,714)
	<u>\$</u>	457,386

- A. On May 13, 2015, the Company issued the first secured domestic convertible bonds. Key terms and conditions of bonds are as follows:
  - (a) Issue amount: \$300,000
  - (b) Issue price: Issued at 100% of par value; \$100
  - (c) Issue period: Three years; from May 13, 2015 to May 13, 2018
  - (d) Coupon rate: 0% per annum
  - (e) Repayment date and method: The bonds will be redeemed at par at maturity if the bonds are not converted into common stocks at maturity, or redeemed early by the Company, or resold early to the Company by the bondholders, or redeemed and cancelled by the Company's underwriter.
  - (f) Conversion period: The conversion right can be exercised at any time from June 14, 2015 through May 13, 2018 except that the bonds are in the lock-up period, or redeemed early by the Company in accordance with the terms of the bonds and relevant regulations.
  - (g) Conversion price and price reset: The conversion price was set at NT\$79.3 (in dollars) per

share on the issue date. The conversion price is subject to adjustments on the ex-right date of new shares issuance based on the formula specified in the terms of the bonds, due to changes in the number of the Company's common shares. The conversion price was subsequently adjusted to NT\$65.1 (in dollars) per share due to the distribution of stock dividends.

- (h) The converted shares have the same rights as common shares.
- (i) Call options of the Company: The bonds may be called, in whole or in part, at the option of the Company after one month from the issue date (June 14, 2015) to forty days before the maturity date (April 3, 2018) at 100% of their principal amount, provided the closing price of the Company's common shares on the Taipei Exchange exceeds 130% (inclusive) of the then-current conversion price of the bonds over 30 (inclusive) trading days during 30 consecutive trading days, when over 90% (inclusive) of the bonds have been redeemed, converted, called and retired, the Company may call outstanding bonds at 100% of their principal amount.
- (j) Put options of the holders: The bondholders may request the Company to redeem the bonds, in whole or in part, with an added interest rate on the carrying amount as the premium, which is equivalent to 102.516% of their principal amount, after two years from the issue date. The non-equity conversion options, call options, put options embedded in bonds payable were separated from their host contracts and were recognized in "financial assets or liabilities at fair value through profit or loss" in net amount in accordance with IAS 39 because the economic characteristics and risks of the embedded derivatives were not closely related to those of the host contracts. The effective interest rate of the bonds payable after such separation was 7.2%.
- (k) As of December 31, 2015, convertible bonds amounting to \$14,700 was converted to ordinary shares of 225,805 shares.
- (l) Please refer to Note 8 for the information of the Group's assets pledged to secured domestic convertible bonds.
- B. On May 14, 2015, the Company issued the second unsecured domestic convertible bonds. Key terms and conditions of bonds are as follows:
  - (a) Issue amount: \$300,000
  - (b) Issue price: Issued at 100% of par value; \$100
  - (c) Issue period: Three years; from May 14, 2015 to May 14, 2018
  - (d) Coupon rate: 0% per annum
  - (e) Repayment date and method: The bonds will be redeemed at par at maturity if the bonds are not converted into common stocks at maturity, or redeemed early by the Company, or resold early to the Company by the bondholders, or redeemed and cancelled by the Company's underwriter.

- (f) Conversion period: The conversion right can be exercised at any time from June 15, 2015 through May 14, 2018 except that the bonds are in the lock-up period, or redeemed early by the Company in accordance with the terms of the bonds and relevant regulations.
- (g) Conversion price and price reset: The conversion price was set at NT\$81.2 (in dollars) per share on the issue date. The conversion price is subject to adjustments on the ex-right date of new shares issuance based on the formula specified in the terms of the bonds, due to changes in the number of the Company's common shares. The conversion price was subsequently adjusted to NT\$66.7 (in dollars) per share due to the distribution of stock dividends.
- (h) The converted shares have the same rights as common shares.
- (i) Call options of the Company: The bonds may be called, in whole or in part, at the option of the Company after one month from the issue date (June 15, 2015) to forty days before the maturity date (April 4, 2018) at 100% of their principal amount, provided the closing price of the Company's common shares on the Taiwan Exchange exceeds 130% (inclusive) of the then-current conversion price of the bonds over 30 (inclusive) trading days during 30 consecutive trading days, when over 90% (inclusive) of the bonds have been redeemed, converted, called and retired, the Company may call outstanding bonds at 100% of their principal amount.
- (j) Put options of the holders: The bondholders may request the Company to redeem the bonds, in whole or in part, with an added interest rate on the carrying amount as the premium, which is equivalent to 103.023% of their principal amount, after two years from the issue date. The non-equity conversion options, call options, put options embedded in bonds payable were separated from their host contracts and were recognized in "financial assets or liabilities at fair value through profit or loss" in net amount in accordance with IAS 39 because the economic characteristics and risks of the embedded derivatives were not closely related to those of the host contracts. The effective interest rate of the bonds payable after such separation was 5.66%.
- (k) As of December 31, 2015, convertible bonds amounting to \$52,200 was converted to ordinary shares of 723,709 shares.

#### (8) Long-term borrowings

There were no long-term borrowings as of December 31, 2014. As of December 31, 2015, the details of long-term borrowings are as follows:

Type of borrowings	Borrowing period and repayment term	Interest rate	Collateral	Decem	ber 31, 2015
Long-term bank borrowings Secured borrowings (Note 1)	Borrowing period is from August 6, 2015 to August 6, 2022; interest and principal are repayable monthly	4%	Land and buildings (Note 2)	\$	146,758
Less: current portion				(	19,616)
				\$	127,142

Note 1: According to the secured loan contract, the Group was required to comply with certain financial covenants by maintaining certain financial ratios on an annual basis. As of December 31, 2015, the Group did not break the required financial covenants.

Note 2: Please refer to Note 8 for the information of the Group's assets pledged to secured borrowings.

#### (9) Other payables

	December 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
Accrued salaries and bonuses	\$ 33,280	\$ 36,756
Accrued employees' and directors' remuneration	21,983	8,356
Accrued unused compensated absences	15,788	12,625
Accrued payable for equipment	11,008	-
Accrued service fee	9,433	7,199
Accrued miscellaneous expenses	5,248	2,810
Accrued utilities	2,109	2,015
Accrued rental expenses	54	6,775
Other accrued expenses	34,172	21,209
~	<u>\$ 133,075</u>	<u>\$ 97,745</u>

#### (10) Finance lease liabilities

The Group leases machinery and equipment assets under finance lease. Based on the terms of the lease contracts, the Group has the option to purchase the leased machinery and equipment at a price which is expected to be sufficiently lower than fair value at the date the option becomes exercisable when the leases expire. Future minimum lease payments are as follows:

	December 31, 2015			
	Total finance lease liabilities	Future finance charges	Present value of finance lease liabilities	
Current				
No later than one year (shown as 'other current liabilities')	\$ 12,679	(\$ 1,337)	<u>\$ 11,342</u>	
Non-current				
Later than one year but not later than five years (shown as 'other non-current				
liabilities')	28,485	( 1,374)	27,111	
	\$ 41,164	(\$ 2,711)	\$ 38,453	
		December 31, 201	14	
	Total finance lease liabilities	Future finance charges	Present value of finance lease liabilities	
Current				
No later than one year (shown as 'other current liabilities') Non-current Later than one year but not	\$ 12,224	<u>(</u> \$ 1,722)	<u>\$ 10,502</u>	
later than five years				
(shown as 'other non-current	20 605	( 2.600)	27 076	
liabilities')	39,685 \$ 51,909		37,076 \$ 47,578	
		(\$ 4,331)		

#### (11) Pension plan

A. The Company's US subsidiary has established a 401(K) pension plan (the "Plan") covering substantially all employees. The Plan provides voluntary salary reduction contributions by eligible participants in accordance with Section 401(K) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC), as well as discretionary matching contributions below 15% of employees' salary determined annually by its Board of Directors from the Company's subsidiary to its employees' individual pension accounts. The Company's subsidiary started to adopt the Plan in accordance with IRC 401K from August 2010.

- B. Effectively July 1, 2005, the Company's Taiwan subsidiary has established a defined contribution pension plan (the "New Plan") under the Labor Pension Act (the "Act"), covering all regular employees with R.O.C. nationality. Under the New Plan, the Company's Taiwan subsidiary contributes monthly an amount based on 6% of the employees' monthly salaries and wages to the employees' individual pension accounts at the Bureau of Labor Insurance. The benefits accrued are paid monthly or in lump sum upon termination of employment.
- C. The pension costs under the above pension plans of the Group for the years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014 were \$12,841 and \$10,471, respectively.

#### (12) Share-based payment-employee compensation plan

A. As of December 31, 2015 and 2014, the Company's share-based payment transactions are set forth below:

			Contract	Vesting
Type of arrangement	Grant date	Quantity granted	Period	Condition
Employee stock options	January to October 2011	2,463,498 shares	10 years	(Note 1)
Employee stock options	April 2013	1,538,000 shares	10 years	(Note 2)
Employee stock options	August 2013	7,830 shares	10 years	(Note 2)
Employee stock options	October 2013	538,000 shares	10 years	(Note 2)
Employee stock options	February 2014	60,000 shares	10 years	(Note 2)
Employee stock options	November 2014	75,000 shares	10 years	(Note 2)
Employee stock options	January 2015	30,000 shares	10 years	(Note 2)
Employee stock options	February 2015	652,200 shares	10 years	(Note 2)
Employee stock options	July 2015	40,000 shares	10 years	(Note 2)
Restricted stocks to employees (Note 4)	August 2013	377,000 shares	2 years	(Note 3)
Restricted stocks to employees (Note 4)	October 2013	106,000 shares	2 years	(Note 3)
Restricted stocks to employees (Note 4)	July 2015	297,300 shares	2 years	(Note 3)
Restricted stocks to employees (Note 4)	November 2015	22,000 shares	2 years	(Note 3)

Note 1: Some employee stock options shall be vested and become exercisable as to 50% of the shares immediately, and the remaining 50% of such shares to be vested in the following year. Some options shall be vested and become exercisable as to 25% of the shares covered on the first anniversary of the vesting commencement date, and the remaining 75% of such shares ratably in equal installments as of the last day of each of the succeeding 36 months.

- Note 2: Some employee stock options shall be vested and become exercisable as to 50% of the shares after fulfilling two years of service, and in accordance with the agreement, the remaining 50% of such options will be vested ratably in equal installments as of the last day of each of the succeeding 24 months.
- Note 3: Some restricted stocks to employees shall be vested and become exercisable as to 50% of the shares after one year of service, and the remaining 50% of such shares to be vested after fulfilling two years of service.
- Note 4: The restricted stocks to employees are restricted from transferring within vesting period, but are allowed for voting rights and rights to receive dividends. The Company will recover limited new employee stock options at no consideration and cancel registration if employees resign or die not due to occupational hazards. However, employees do not need to return dividends already received.

#### B. Details of the employee stock options are set forth below:

		For the year ended December 31, 2015				
		•	^ ^ \		nted average	
	No.	of options	Currency	exe	ercise price	
		.((			(in dollars)	
Options outstanding at beginning of the period		2,453,800	NTD	\$	22.58	
Options granted		(722,200)	NTD		60.76	
Options exercised	(	1,036,473	NTD		22.93	
Options forfeited		49,625	NTD		31.82	
Options outstanding at end of the	<u> </u>	2,089,902	NTD		29.47	
period						
Options exercisable at end of the period	<u>)</u> >	799,354	NTD		17.33	
		For the y	ear ended Decem	ber 31, 2014		
				Weigl	nted average	
~	No.	of options	Currency	exe	ercise price	
					(in dollars)	
Options outstanding at beginning of						
the period		2,436,800	NTD	\$	23.16	
Options granted		135,000	NTD		39.41	
Options exercised	(	20,000)	USD		1.17	
Options forfeited	(	98,000	NTD		26.71	
Options outstanding at end of the period		2,453,800	NTD		22.58	
Options exercisable at end of the period		350,970	USD		1.17	

# C. As of December 31, 2015 and 2014, the range of exercise prices of stock options outstanding are as follows:

		December 31, 2015			
Grant date	Expiration	No. of Shares	Currency		ek options cise price
					(in dollars)
From January 2011 to October 2011	From January 2021 to October 2021	27,675	USD	\$	1.17
April 2013	April 2023	703,197	NTD		13.78
August 2013	August 2023	7,830	NTD		21.09
October 2013	October 2023	504,000	NTD		21.40
February 2014	February 2024	60,000	NTD		23.31
November 2014	November 2024	75,000	NTD		39.64
January 2015	January 2025	30,000	(\NTD		51.10
February 2015	February 2025	642,200	NTD		50.03
July 2015	July 2025	40,000	NTD		47.15
		2,089,902	$\rangle\rangle$ $\rangle\rangle$		
			$\rightarrow$		
			December 31, 2	014	
		No. of		Stoc	k options
Grant date	Expiration	Shares	Currency	exer	cise price
		$\searrow$			(in dollars)
From January 2011 to October 2011	From January 2021 to October 2021	350,970	USD	\$	1.17
April 2013	April 2023	1,442,000	NTD		16.77
August 2013	August 2023	7,830	NTD		25.67
October 2013	October 2023	518,000	NTD		26.05
February 2014	February 2024	60,000	NTD		28.37
November 2014	November 2024	75,000	NTD		48.25
		2,453,800			

### D. Details of the restricted stock options to employees are set forth below:

		For the years ended I	December 31,
Employee restricted stock options		2015	2014
	_	No. of Shares	No. of Shares
Options outstanding at beginning of the period		241,500	483,000
Options granted (Note)		319,300	-
Options vested	(	241,500) (	241,500)
Options cancelled	(	3,000)	<u>-</u>
Options outstanding at end of the period		316,300	241,500

Note: For the restricted stocks granted with the compensation cost accounted for using the fair value method, the fair values on the grant date are calculated based on the closing price on the grant date.

E. For the stock options and restricted stocks granted with the compensation cost accounted for using the fair value method, their fair value on the grant date is estimated using the Black-Scholes option-pricing model and discounted cash flow valuation. The parameters used in the estimation of the fair value are as follows:

						Expected			
T			ъ.	F	Expected	option	Expected		E.i.
Type of	Count data	C	Fair	Exercise	price	period	dividend	interest	Fair
arrangement	Grant date	Currency	value	price	volatility	(Years)	yield rate	rate	value
		****	•	) (in dollars)					(in dollars)
Employee stock options	January 2011	USD	\$1.31	\$ 1.17	76.33%	1.48~ 6.05	-	4.83%	\$ 0.52~ 0.90
Employee stock options	January 2011	USD	1.31	1.17	76.33%	5.75~ 6\25	-	4.83%	0.89~ 0.92
Employee stock options	May 2011	USD	1.22	1.17	63.00%	6.08	-	2.51%	0.74
Employee stock options	July 2011	USD	1.22	1.17	63.00%	6.08	-	1.94%	0.73
Employee stock options	October 2011	USD	1.22	1.17	64.00%	6.08	-	1.16%	0.72
Employee stock options	April 2013	NTD	18.28	((18.10	51.47%	6.26	1.16%	1.07%	8.18
Employee stock options	August 2013	NTD	27.40	27.71	51.47%	6.26	1.16%	1.47%	12.29
Employee stock options	October 2013	NTD	27.94	28.11	51.47%	6.26	1.16%	1.44%	12.55
Employee stock options	February 2014	NTD	35.97	30.62	51.47%	6.26	1.16%	1.20%	17.48
Employee stock options	November 2014	NTD	50.22	48.25	47.00%	6.3	1.10%	1.75%	28.00
Employee stock options	January 2015	DTN	> 55.20	62.20	44.96%	6.3	1.10%	1.67%	28.31
Employee stock options	February 2015	NTD	60.62	60.90	40.89%	6.3	1.00%	1.67%	31.54
Employee stock options	July 2015	NTD	82.15	57.40	50.88%	6.3	1.00%	1.27%	54.67
Restricted stocks to employees	August 2013	NTD	27.55	-	43.40%	1.00	1.16%	0.82%	22.82
Restricted stocks to	August 2013	NTD	27.55	-	47.49%	2.00	1.16%	0.99%	20.41
employees Restricted stocks to	October 2013	NTD	28.10	-	43.40%	1.00	1.16%	0.78%	23.27
employees Restricted stocks to employees	October 2013	NTD	28.10	-	47.49%	2.00	1.16%	0.95%	20.81

F. Expenses incurred on share-based payment transactions are shown below:

	F	For the years ended December 31,		
	20	15	2	2014
Equity-settled	\$	19,849	\$	13,111

#### (13) Common stock

A. As of December 31, 2015, the Company's paid-in capital was \$577,999, consisting of 57,799,943 shares with a par value of NT\$10 (in dollars) per share.

Movements in the number of the Company's ordinary shares outstanding are as follows:

	τ	Unit: Numbers of shares
	2015	2014
At January 1	45,304,209	36,973,587
Stock dividends	10,193,447	3,327,622
Exercise of employee stock options	(1,036,473	20,000
Conversion of convertible bonds	949,514	-
Issuance of restricted stocks to employees	391,300	-
Retirement of restricted stocks to		
employees	((( )) 3,000)	-
Issuance of common stock	_	4,983,000
At December 31	57,799,943	45,304,209

- B. On June 18, 2014, the Board of Directors adopted a resolution to issue 4,983,000 ordinary shares with par value of \$10 (in dollars) per share at an issuance price of \$42 (in dollars) per share, with the effective date on September 11, 2014. The total value of shares issued was \$209,286. The capital increase has been completed.
- C. On June 5, 2014, the stockholders adopted a resolution to appropriate \$33,276 of Year 2013 retained earnings as stock dividends by issuing 3,327,622 shares. Pursuant to the resolution adopted at the Board of Directors' meeting on September 15, 2014, the record date for stock dividend distribution was set on October 19, 2014. The capital increase has been completed.
- D. On May 15, 2015, the stockholders adopted a resolution to appropriate \$101,934 of Year 2014 retained earnings as stock dividends by issuing 10,193,447 shares. Pursuant to the resolution adopted at the Board of Directors' meeting on July 27, 2015, the record date for stock dividend distribution was set on September 5, 2015. The capital increase has been completed.
- E. On May 15, 2015, the stockholders adopted a resolution to issue 600,000 employee restricted ordinary shares with par value of \$10 (in dollars) per share, with the effective date set on July 13, 2015. The subscription price is \$0 (in dollar) per share. The employee restricted ordinary shares issued are subject to certain transfer restrictions before their vesting conditions are met. Other than these restrictions, the rights and obligations of these shares issued are the same as other issued ordinary shares. On July 27, 2015 and November 5, 2015, the Board of Directors adopted a resolution to grant 297,300 and 22,000 employee restricted ordinary shares, respectively. As of December 31, 2015, the Company retrieved 3,000 employee restricted ordinary shares due to the employee's resignation and the retrieved shares have been retired.

## (14) Capital surplus

Capital surplus can be used to cover accumulated deficit or distributed as dividend as proposed by the Board of Directors and resolved by the stockholders.

						2015				
	<u></u> [	Share oremium		iployee k options	res	nployee stricted shares		Others		Total
At January 1	\$	298,663	\$	39,695	\$	5,655	\$	26,989	\$	371,002
Issuance of restricted stocks to employees		-		-		15,796		-		15,796
Retirement of restricted stocks to employees		-		-	(	142)		-	(	142)
Compensation cost of share-based payment		-		12,503		-		-		12,503
Exercise of employee stock										
options		13,745	(	722)		€\	\	-		13,023
Conversion of convertible bonds		56,506		-	<		1	-		56,506
Cancellation of employee stock options			(	821)	4		<u>)</u>	821		<u>-</u>
At December 31	\$	368,914	\$	50,655	<u>\\$</u>	21,309	\$	27,810	\$	468,688
			Λ.		))	2014				
					Er	nployee				
		Share		płoyee		stricted				
		remium	stoc	k options		shares		Others		Total
At January 1	\$	143,814	\$	34,652	\$	5,655	\$	24,921	\$	209,042
Issuance of common stock	$\langle$	154(350)		-		-		-		154,350
Compensation cost of share-based payment	//	-		7,111		-		-		7,111
Exercise of employee stock option	)/	499		-		-		-		499
Cancellation of employee										
stock options			(	2,068)				2,068		
At December 31	\$	298,663	\$	39,695	\$	5,655	\$	26,989	\$	371,002

#### (15) Retained earnings

A. Under the Company's Articles of Incorporation, the current year's earnings, if any, shall first be used to pay all taxes and offset losses incurred in previous years and then a special surplus reserve as required by the applicable securities authority under the applicable public company rules in Taiwan. After combining accumulated undistributed earnings in the previous years and setting aside a certain amount of remaining profits of such financial year as a reserve or reserves for development purposes as the Board of Directors may from time to time think fit, subject to the compliance with the Law, the Company shall distribute no less than 10% of the remaining profit as dividends to the stockholders.

- B. The Company's dividends policy is as follows: As the Company operates in the stable growth stage, the residual dividend policy is adopted taking into consideration the Company's operation scale, cash flow demand and future expansion plans, and cash dividends shall account for at least 10% of the total dividends distributed. Dividends are distributed by stock and by cash. The individuals who are entitled to employee stock dividends may include the employees of the Company's affiliates who meet certain criteria.
- C. The appropriations of 2015 earnings had been resolved by the Board of Directors on March 2, 2016 and the appropriations of 2014 earnings had been resolved by the shareholders at the annual shareholders' meeting on May 15, 2015. Details are summarized below:

		31,						
	 2015			2014				
		Dividends				Divid	dends per	
	 Amount	Share (in do	<u>llars)</u>		Amo	ount	Share (	in dollars)
Cash dividends	\$ 14,450	\$	0.25	\$	$\wedge$	11,326	\$	0.25
Stock dividends	 130,050		2.25	\ <del>\</del>		01,934		2.25
	\$ 144,500	\$	2.50	\$	// <u>/</u> /	13,260	\$	2.50

D. For the information relating to employees' remuneration (bonus) and directors' remuneration, please refer to Note 6(21).

## (16) Other equity items

At December 31

				2015	i		
	Available-	for-sale		earned ployee	Currer translat	•	
	~	inancial assets		compensation		ices_	Total
At January 1	\$	-	(\$	1,577)	\$ 73,9	996	\$ 72,419
Currency translation differences		-		-	54,8	386	54,886
Compensation cost of share-based payment	)) $$	-	(	11,492)		- (	11,492)
Revaluation - gross		1,133		-		-	1,133
Revaluation - tax	(	<u>451</u> )				<u>-</u> (	<u>451</u> )
At December 31	\$	682	( <u>\$</u>	13,069)	\$ 128,8	<u> 882</u>	<u>\$ 116,495</u>
				201	4		
		arned emp	•	Curre transl differ	ation		Total
At January 1	(\$		7,577)	\$	8,443	\$	866
Currency translation differen	ices		-		65,553		65,553
Compensation cost of share-payment	based		6,000				6,000
						_	

72,419

# (17) Operating revenue

	For the years ended December 31,					
		2015	_	2014		
Sales revenue	\$	1,617,635	\$	1,304,582		
Service revenue		22,217		21,214		
Royalty revenue		20,091		27,103		
	\$	1,659,943	\$	1,352,899		
(18) Other gains and losses						
		For the years end	ded Dece	ember 31,		
		2015		2014		
Net losses on financial liabilities at fair value						
through profit or loss	(\$	30,311)	\$	-		
Net currency exchange gains		41,012		123		
	\$	10,701	\$	123		
(19) Finance costs						
		For the years e	nded De	cember 31,		
	((	2015		2014		
Interest expense:						
Convertible bonds	\$	19,322	\$	-		
Other interest expense	ン 	4,086		1,141		
Finance costs	\$	23,408	\$	1,141		
(20) Expenses by nature						
		For the years e	nded De	cember 31,		
		2015		2014		
Employee benefit expense	\$	566,768	\$	445,978		
Depreciation charges on property, plant and		46 262		26 606		
equipment		46,262		36,696		
Amortisation charges on intangible assets (recognised as cost of goods sold and operatin	g					
expenses)	<i></i>	8,484		7,890		
	\$	621,514	<u>\$</u>	490,564		

## (21) Employee benefit expense

	For the years ended December 31,							
		2015		2014				
Wages and salaries	\$	485,429	\$	379,669				
Compensation cost of share-based payment		19,849		13,111				
Insurance expense		47,052		42,519				
Pension costs		12,841		10,471				
Other personnel expenses		1,597		208				
	\$	566,768	\$	445,978				

- A. According to the Articles of Incorporation of the Company, when distributing earnings, the Company shall distribute no more than 15% and no less than 5% as employees' bonus, and no more than 2% as directors' remuneration.
- B. However, in accordance with the Taiwan Company Act amended on May 20, 2015, a company shall distribute employee remuneration, based on the current year's profit condition, in a fixed amount or a proportion of profit. If a company has accumulated deficit, earnings should be channeled to cover losses. Aforementioned employee remuneration could be paid by cash or stocks. Specifics of the compensation are to be determined in a board meeting that registers two-thirds of directors in attendance, and the resolution must receive support from half of participating members. The resolution should be reported to the shareholders' meeting. Qualification requirements of employees, including the employees of subsidiaries of the Company meeting certain specific requirements, entitled to receive aforementioned stock or cash may be specified in the Articles of Incorporation. The board of directors of the Company has approved the amended Articles of Incorporation of the Company on November 5, 2015. According to the amended articles, a ratio of profit of the current year distributable, after covering accumulated losses, shall be distributed as employees' compensation and directors' remuneration. The ratio shall be no more than 15% and no less than 5% as employees' compensation, and no more than 2% as directors' remuneration. The amended articles will be resolved in the shareholders' meeting in 2016.
- C. For the years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014, employees' compensation (bonus) was accrued at \$15,702 and \$6,077, respectively; directors' remuneration was accrued at \$6,281 and \$2,279, respectively. The aforementioned amounts were recognized in cost of goods sold and salary expenses, respectively. The employees' compensation and directors' remuneration were estimated and accrued based on 5% and 2% of profit of current year distributable for the year ended December 31, 2015. The expenses recognised for the year of 2014 were accrued based on the net income of 2014 and the percentage 5% and 2% for employees and directors, respectively, taking into account other factors such as legal reserve. Where the accrued amounts for employees' bonus and directors' remuneration are different from the actual distributed amounts as resolved by the stockholders at their stockholders' meeting subsequently, the differences are

accounted for as changes in estimates. Employees' bonus and directors' remuneration of 2014 as resolved by the shareholders' meeting were in agreement with those amounts recognised in the profit or loss of 2014.

D. Information about employees' compensation and directors' remuneration of the Company as proposed by the Board of Directors and resolved by the shareholders will be posted in the "Market Observation Post System" at the website of the Taiwan Stock Exchange.

## (22) Income tax

## A. Income tax expense

Income tax expense calculated at the statutory rate (the federal tax rate is 34%; the state tax rate is 8.84%) and income tax (refundable) payable is reconciled as follows:

	For the years ended December 31,					
		2015		2014		
Current tax:		^ \				
Current tax on profits for the year	\$	4,649	\$	13,738		
Effect from alternative minimum tax		11,154		5,040		
Adjustments in respect of prior years		739)	(	5,698)		
Total current tax		15,064		13,080		
Deferred tax:		))				
Origination and reversal of temporary						
differences	<u> </u>	773	(	3,094)		
Total deferred tax		773	(	3,094)		
Income tax expense	<u>\$</u>	15,837	\$	9,986		

B. Reconciliation between income tax expense and accounting profit

		For the years ended December 31,				
		2015		2014		
Tax calculated based on profit before tax						
and statutory tax rate	\$	120,213	\$	79,322		
Expenses disallowed by tax regulation		38		6		
Temporary difference not recognised as deferred tax assets	(	107,529)	(	57,220)		
Tax effect of loss carryforward	(	7,300)	(	11,464)		
Prior year income tax overestimate	(	739)	(	5,698)		
Effect from alternative minimum tax		11,154		5,040		
Income tax expense	\$	15,837	<u>\$</u>	9,986		

C. Amounts of deferred tax assets or liabilities as a result of temporary difference and loss carryforward are as follows:

		For the year ended December 31, 2015						
				R	ecognised in other			
	Lanuary	. 1 :	Recognised		nprehensive		Dagamhan 21	
Temporary differences:	<u>January</u>	<u> </u>	n profit or los	<u>s</u>	income	<u>_L</u>	December 31,	
-Deferred tax assets:								
Loss carryforwards - federal tax	\$ 19	<u>6,651</u> S	5,30	<u>0   \$                                 </u>		<u> </u>	203,951	
- Deferred tax liabilities:								
Depreciation - federal tax	(\$ 4	6,287) (5	6,50	6) \$	-	(\$	52,793)	
Depreciation - state tax	(	7,943)(	1,11	6)	-	(	9,059)	
Fair value gain / loss on available-for-sale financial assets		- (		- (	451	) (	451)	
Subtotal	(\$ 54	4,230)	7,62	2)(\$		) (\$	62,303)	
Total		2,421 (\$		2)(\$	451		141,648	
			For the year	ar endec	l December	31, 20	)14	
					ognised			
T 1100	4( (		January 1,	in pro	ofit or loss	Dec	cember 31,	
Temporary differences: -Deferred tax assets:								
	odomol tow	\$	185,187	\$	11 161	\$	106 651	
Loss carryforwards - fe - Deferred tax liabilities:	euerar tax	<u> Þ</u>	103,107	Φ	11,464	<u> </u>	196,651	
Depreciation - federal	tax	(\$	39,143)	<b>(</b> \$	7,144)	(\$	46,287)	
Depreciation - state tax		(ψ	6,717)	,	1,226)	•	7,943)	
Subtotal	-	(\$	45,860)	\	8,370)	,	54,230)	
Total		\$	139,327	\$	3,094	\$	142,421	

# D. Expiration dates of unused net operating loss carryfoward and amounts of unrecognised deferred tax assets are as follows:

# (a) Federal tax:

December 31, 2015									
Year incurred (fiscal year end of tax returns)		Amount filed		Unused amount		nrecognised leferred tax assets	Usable until year (fiscal year end of tax returns)		
2001.6.30	\$	57,179	\$	57,179	\$	-	2020.12.31		
2002.6.30		359,453		359,453		-	2021.12.31		
2003.6.30		289,991		289,991		106,767	2022.12.31		
2004.6.30		187,230		187,230		187,230	2023.12.31		
2005.6.30		178,321		178,321		178,321	2024.12.31		
2006.6.30		165,030		165,030		165,030	2025.12.31		
2007.6.30		120,572		120,572	^	\\ 120,572	2026.12.31		
2008.6.30		71,623		71,623		71,623	2027.12.31		
2011.12.31		6,460		6,460		6,460	2031.12.31		
2012.12.31		57,904		57,904	<u> </u>	57,904	2032.12.31		
	<u>\$</u>	1,493,763	\$ (	1,493,763	\$	893,907			

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Year incurred			Unrecognised	Usable until year
(fiscal year end	Amount	Unused	deferred tax	(fiscal year end
of tax returns)	filed	amount	assets	of tax returns)
2001.6.30	\$ 248,132	\$ 248,132	\$ -	2020.12.31
2002.6.30	346,585	346,585	16,331	2021.12.31
2003.6.30	279,611	279,611	279,611	2022.12.31
2004.6.30	180,528	180,528	180,528	2023.12.31
2005.6.30	171,938	171,938	171,938	2024.12.31
2006.6.30	159,123	159,123	159,123	2025.12.31
2007.6.30	116,256	116,256	116,256	2026.12.31
2008.6.30	69,060	69,060	69,060	2027.12.31
2011.12.31	6,228	6,228	6,228	2031.12.31
2012.12.31	55,832	55,832	55,832	2032.12.31
	<u>\$ 1,633,293</u>	\$ 1,633,293	<u>\$ 1,054,907</u>	

#### (b) State tax

December 31, 2014

Year incurred (fiscal year end of tax returns)	Amount filed	Unused amount	nrecognised leferred tax assets	Usable until year (fiscal year end of tax returns)
2005.6.30	\$ 171,904	\$ 171,904	\$ 171,904	2014.12.31
2006.6.30	159,098	159,098	159,098	2015.12.31
2007.6.30	116,230	116,230	116,230	2016.12.31
2008.6.30	68,883	68,883	68,883	2017.12.31
2013.6.30	 14,074	 14,074	 14,074	2022.12.31
	\$ 530,189	\$ 530,189	\$ 530,189	

As of December 31, 2015, the unused amount for net operating loss carryforward for state tax was nil.

E. The amounts of deductible temporary difference that are not recognised as deferred tax assets are as follows:

Deductible temporary differences

December 31, 2015	Decen	nber 31, 2014
\$ 210,351	\$	90,046

F. The income tax charged / (credited) relating to components of other comprehensive income is as follows:

	For the years	he years ended December 31,				
	2015	2014				
(\$	451	) \$ -				

Unrealised valuation gain / loss of available-for-sale financial assets

## (23) Earnings per share

A. Earnings per share (EPS)

The basic EPS is determined by the net income divided by the weighted average numbers of outstanding stocks. The diluted EPS is under the assumption that all potential ordinary stocks have been converted into ordinary stocks at the beginning of the period. The revenue and expense generated from the conversion shall be included in the computation.

	For the year ended December 31, 2015				
		Amount after tax	Weighted average outstanding common shares		rnings per share n dollars)
Basic earnings per share					
Profit attributable to ordinary shareholders of the parent	<u>\$</u>	276,255	55,810	<u>\$</u>	4.95
Diluted earnings per share					
Profit attributable to ordinary shareholders of the parent	\$	276,255	55,810		
Assumed conversion of all dilutive potential ordinary shares					
Convertible bonds		1,939	5,137		
Employees' bonus		-	213		
Employee stock options		-	951		
Employee restricted shares		<del>-</del> .(/	58		
Profit attributable to ordinary shareholders of the parent plus assumed conversion of all dilutive potential ordinary shares	<u>\$</u>	278,194	62,169	<u>\$</u>	4.47
	>>	<b>?</b>			
<u> </u>	\ <u>\</u>	For the ye	ar ended December	31, 2	014
		Amount after tax	Weighted average outstanding common shares		rnings per share n dollars)
Basic earnings per share					
Profit attributable to ordinary shareholders of the parent	<u>\$</u>	166,854	50,281	\$	3.32
Diluted earnings per share					
Profit attributable to ordinary shareholders of the parent	\$	166,854	50,281		
Assumed conversion of all dilutive potential ordinary shares					
Employees' bonus		-	60		
Employee stock options		-	1,382		
Employee restricted shares			473		
Profit attributable to ordinary shareholders of the parent plus assumed conversion of all dilutive potential ordinary shares	<u>\$</u>	166,854	52,196	<u>\$</u>	3.20

## (24) Operating lease commitments

The Company's subsidiary, GCS LLC, entered into operating lease contracts with Hamazawa Investment Company and JMI Management, LLC for its office and plant located in Los Angeles, California, USA. The lease periods were from January 1, 2013 to April 2022 and from April 1, 2015 to May 31, 2020, respectively. The Group purchased the above-mentioned office and plant from Hamazawa Investment Company (Note) on August 12, 2015 and the operating lease contract was terminated.

The Company's subsidiary, Global Device Technologies, Co., Ltd., entered into an operating lease contract for its office located in New Taipei City. The lease period is from March 16, 2015 to March 15, 2017.

As of each balance sheet date, the future minimum rental payments based on the above lease agreements are as follows:

	Decer	mber 31, 2015	Decei	mber 31, 2014
Not later than one year	\$	(\2,113	\$	12,977
Later than one year but not later than five years	<	4,077		51,908
Later than five years		<u> </u>		30,280
	\$<(	6,190	\$	95,165

Note: Hamazawa Investment Company was deregistered and engaged in management by The Hattori Foundation.

#### (25) Non-cash transaction

Investing activities with partial cash payments

	For the years ended December 31,			
		2015		2014
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	\$	324,215	\$	46,089
Add: Ending balance of prepayments for equipment		33,017		27,641
Less: Beginning balance of prepayments for equipment	(	27,641)	(	5,345)
Less: Ending balance of accrued lease liability	(	38,453)	(	47,578)
Add: Beginning balance of accrued lease liability		47,578		29,423
Less: Ending balance of payables for equipment	(	11,008)		-
Exchange effects				3
Cash paid during the period	\$	327,708	\$	50,233

#### 7. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

(1) Parent and ultimate controlling party

None.

(2) Significant transactions and balances with related party

Sales of goods and services:

	For t	For the years ended December 31,				
	2015	5	2014			
Sales of goods:						
Other related party	<u>\$</u>	<u> </u>	3 130,987			

There are no significant differences in sale prices between related party and third parties. The collection term was within 45 days from the monthly closing for sales to related party and 30 to 60 days for sales to third parties.

## (3) Key management compensation

	For	For the years ended December 31,			
	201	5	2014		
Salaries and other short-term employee		> ·			
benefits	\$( ))	74,161 \$	64,136		
Post-employment benefits		2,602	2,331		
Share-based payments	×	8,704	6,889		
	\$	85,467 \$	73,356		

## 8. PLEDGED ASSETS

As of December 31, 2015 and 2014, the Group's assets pledged as collateral were as follows:

Assets	<u>December 31, 2015</u>	December 31, 2014	Purpose
Land	\$ )) 151,159	\$ -	Long-term borrowings
Buildings	99,573	-	Long-term borrowings
Time deposits (recognize as other non-current	ed		
assets)	65,650	-	Secured convertible bonds
Other financial assets, non-current	8,993	7,588	Deposits for office rental and waste water treatment

# 9. <u>SIGNIFICANT CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND UNRECOGNISED CONTRACT</u> COMMITMENTS

(1) Please refer to Note 6(24) for the operating lease commitments.

(2) Capital commitments

	December	<u>31, 2015</u>	<u>December</u>	<u> 31, 2014</u>
Property, plant and equipment	\$	14,761	\$	16,036

## 10. SIGNIFICANT DISASTER LOSS

None.

## 11. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS AFTER THE BALANCE SHEET DATE

The appropriations of 2015 earnings had been resolved by the Board of Directors on March 2, 2016. Please refer to Note 6(15).

#### 12. OTHERS

## (1) Capital risk management

In order to safeguard the Group's ability to adapt to the changes in the industry and to accelerate the new product development, the Group's objectives when managing capital are to maintain the sufficient financial resources to support the operating capital, capital expenditures, research and development activities and dividend paid to shareholders, etc.

#### (2) Financial instruments

A. (a) The carrying amounts measured at amortized cost approximate to the fair values of the Group's financial instruments, including cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, other receivables, other current assets, accounts payable, other payables and accrued rent expense (accounted for under 'Other current liabilities' and 'Other non-current liabilities'). The fair value information of financial instruments measured at fair value is provided in Note 12(3).

	Fair value	
	Book value Level 1 Level 2 Level 3	
Bonds payable	\$ 457,386\\\$\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	-

No convertible bonds were issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2014.

(b) The methods and assumptions of fair value measurement are as follows:

Convertible debentures payable: Regarding the convertible bonds issued by the Group, the fair value is estimated using Binominal Model.

# B. Financial risk management policies

- a) The Group's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including interest risk and price risk), credit risk and liquidity risk. The Group's overall risk management program focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimize potential adverse effects on the Group's financial position and financial performance.
- b) Risk management is carried out by a central treasury department (Group treasury) under policies approved by the Board of Directors. Group treasury identifies, evaluates and hedges financial risks in close cooperation with the Group's operating units.

#### C. Significant financial risks and degrees of financial risks

#### a) Market risk

#### Foreign exchange risk

• The Group's businesses are mainly conducted in its functional currency. Therefore, the foreign exchange risk is deemed minimal.

## Price risk

- i. The Group is exposed to equity securities price risk because of investments held by the Group and classified on the consolidated balance sheet as available-for-sale financial assets. The Group is not exposed to commodity price risk.
- ii. The Group's investments in equity securities comprise domestic emerging stocks and foreign listed stocks. The prices of equity securities would change due to the change of the future value of investee companies. If the prices of these equity securities had increased/decreased by 10% with all other variables held constant, post-tax profit would have increased/decreased by \$5,248.

#### Interest rate risk

• The Group is not exposed to interest rate risk since it has no borrowings issued at variable rates.

#### b) Credit risk

- i. Credit risk refers to the risk of financial loss to the Group arising from default by the clients or counterparties of financial instruments on the contract obligations. According to the Group's credit policy, each local entity in the Group is responsible for managing and analyzing the credit risk for each of their new clients before standard payment and delivery terms and conditions are offered. Internal risk control assesses the credit quality of the customers, taking into account their financial position, past experience and other factors. Individual risk limits are set based on internal or external ratings in accordance with limits set by the Board of Directors. The utilization of credit limits is regularly monitored. Credit risk arises from cash and cash equivalents, and deposits with banks and financial institutions, as well as credit exposures to customers, including outstanding receivables and committed transactions.
- ii. As of December 31, 2015 and 2014, the Group's maximum credit risk exposure is mainly from the carrying amount of financial assets recognised in the consolidated balance sheet.
- iii. The financial assets that are neither past due nor impaired are accounts receivable. Please refer to Note 6(3).
- iv. The financial assets that were past due but not impaired are accounts receivable. Please refer to Note 6(3).
- v. The financial assets with impairment are accounts receivable. Please refer to Note 6(3).

#### c) Liquidity risk

- i. Cash flow forecasting is performed by the operating entities of the Group and aggregated by Group treasury. Group treasury monitors rolling forecasts of the Group's liquidity requirements to ensure the Group has sufficient cash to meet operational needs. Such forecasting takes into consideration the Group's debt financing plans, compliance with internal balance sheet ratio targets and, if applicable external regulatory or legal requirements.
- ii. Surplus cash held by the operating entities over and above balance required for working capital management are transferred to the Group treasury. Group treasury chooses instruments with appropriate maturities or sufficient liquidity to provide sufficient headroom as determined by the above mentioned forecasts.

iii. The table below analyses the Group's non-derivative financial liabilities and net-settled or gross-settled derivative financial liabilities into relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period at the balance sheet date to the contractual maturity date for non-derivative financial liabilities and to the expected maturity date for derivative financial liabilities. The amounts disclosed in the table are the contractual undiscounted cash flows.

		Less than 1 year	 Over 1 year
Non-derivative financial liabilities:			
December 31, 2015			
Accounts payable	\$	41,390	\$ -
Other payables		133,075	-
Other current liabilities		11,342	-
Other non-current liabilities		-	28,485
Long-term borrowings (including current portion)		19,616	127,142
		Less than 1 year	Over 1 year
December 31, 2014		V 1	 
Accounts payable	\$	26,851	\$ -
Other payables	((	97,745	-
Other current liabilities		10,502	-
Other non-current liabilities		<u>-</u>	39,685

# (3) Fair value information

- A. Details of the fair value of the Group's financial assets and financial liabilities not measured at fair value are provided in Note 12(2)A.
- B. The different levels that the inputs to valuation techniques are used to measure fair value of financial and non-financial instruments have been defined as follows:
  - Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date.) A market is regarded as active where a market in which transactions for the asset or liability take place with sufficient frequency and volume to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis.
  - Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.
  - Level 3: Unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

C. The related information of financial and non-financial instruments measured at fair value by level on the basis of the nature, characteristics and risks of the assets and liabilities at December 31, 2015, is as follows:

December 31, 2015	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Assets				
Recurring fair value				
<u>measurements</u>				
Available-for-sale financial assets				
Equity securities	<u>\$ 52,479</u>	\$ -	\$ -	<u>\$ 52,479</u>
Liabilities				
Recurring fair value				
<u>measurements</u>				
Financial liabilities at fair value				
through profit or loss	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 120,164</u>	<u>\$ 120,164</u>

There were no recurring financial assets and financial liabilities measured at fair value at December 31, 2014.

- D. The methods and assumptions the Group used to measure fair value are as follows:
  - (a) The instruments the Group used market quoted prices as their fair values (that is, Level 1) are listed below by characteristics:

Market quoted price

Listed shares

Emerging stock shares

Average trading price

- (b) When assessing non-standard and low-complexity financial instruments, the Group adopts valuation technique that is widely used by market participants. The inputs used in the valuation method to measure these financial instruments are normally observable in the market.
- E. For the year ended December 31, 2015, there was no transfer between Level 1 and Level 2 financial instruments
- F. The following chart is the movement of Level 3 financial instruments for the year ended December 31, 2015:

	at fair v	al liabilities alue through it or loss
At January 1, 2015	\$	-
Issued in the period		99,354
Converted in the period	(	9,703)
Exchange effect		202
Losses recognised in profit or loss		30,311
At December 31, 2015	<u>\$</u>	120,164

G. The following is the qualitative information of significant unobservable inputs and sensitivity analysis of changes in significant unobservable inputs to valuation model used in Level 3 fair value measurement:

	Fa	ir value at		Significant	Range	Relationship
	Dec	2015	Valuation technique	unobservable input	(weighted average)	of inputs to fair value
Conversion option, redemption option and put option of convertible bonds	\$	120,164	Binominal model	Expected volatility	56.36%	The higher the volatility, the higher the fair value

H. The Group has carefully assessed the valuation models and assumptions used to measure fair value; therefore, the fair value measurement is reasonable. However, use of different valuation models or assumptions may result in different measurement. A sensitivity analysis shows that a 7% increase in the value of stock price would lead to a decrease in net income by \$13,848. On the other hand, a 7% decrease in the value of stock price would increase net income by \$15,455. A 10% increase in the value of stock price would lead to a decrease in net income by \$23,171. However, a 10% decrease in the value of stock price would increase net income by \$19,906.

#### 13. SUPPLEMENTARY DISCLOSURES

- (1)Significant transactions information
  - (a) Loans to others: None.
  - (b) Provision of endorsements and guarantees to others: Please refer to table 2.
  - (c) Holding of marketable securities at the end of the period (not including subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures): Please refer to table 3.
  - (d) Acquisition or sale of the same security with the accumulated cost exceeding \$300 million or 20% of the Company's paid-in capital: None.
  - (e) Acquisition of real estate reaching \$300 million or 20% of paid-in capital or more: Please refer to table 5.
  - (f) Disposal of real estate reaching \$300 million or 20% of paid-in capital or more: None.
  - (g) Purchases or sales of goods from or to related parties reaching \$100 million or 20% of paid-in capital or more: None.
  - (h) Receivables from related parties reaching \$100 million or 20% of paid-in capital or more: None.
  - (i) Derivative financial instruments undertaken during the year ended December 31, 2015: Please refer to Note 6 (6) and 6 (7).
  - (j) Significant inter-company transactions during the year ended December 31, 2015: Please refer to table 9.
- (2)<u>Information on investees</u>

Names, locations and other information of investee companies (not including investees in Mainland China): Please refer to table 10.

(3)Information on investments in Mainland China

None.

#### 14. SEGMENT INFORMATION

#### (1) General information

The Group operates business only in a single industry. The chief operating decision-maker, who allocates resources and assesses performance of the Group as a whole, has identified that the Group has only one reportable operating segment.

#### (2) Segment information

The segment information provided to the chief operating decision-maker for the reportable segments is as follows:

		For the y	ear ended Dece	ember 31, 2015	
	Cayman Islands	America	<u>Taiwan</u>	Adjustments and elimination	Consolidated amount
Revenue from external customers	\$ -	\$ 1,659,943	\$ 14,818	(\$ 14,818)	\$ 1,659,943
Inter-segment revenue		<u>=</u>			<del>_</del>
Total segment revenue	\$ -	<u>\$ 1,659,943</u>	\$ 14,818	(\$ 14,818)	<u>\$ 1,659,943</u>
Segment profit (loss) (Note)	<u>\$ 285,077</u>	<u>\$ 322,906</u>	\$ 3,238	(\$ 319,129)	\$ 292,092
Total assets	\$ 2,237,209	<u>\$ 1,942,584</u>	\$ 21,846	(\$ 1,548,272)	\$ 2,653,367
		For the y	rear ended Dece	ember 31, 2014	
	Cayman Islands	America	<u>Taiwan</u>	Adjustments and elimination	Consolidated amount
Revenue from external customers	\$ (-	\$ 1,352,899	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,352,899
Inter-segment revenue		<u> </u>			<del>_</del>
Total segment revenue	\$///-	\$ 1,352,899	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u>	\$ 1,352,899
Segment profit (loss) (Note)	<u>\$ 160,840</u>	<u>\$ 204,917</u>	<u>\$</u>	(\$ 188,917)	<u>\$ 176,840</u>
Total assets	\$ 1,217,249	<u>\$ 1,147,762</u>	<u>\$</u>	(\$ 921,771)	<u>\$ 1,443,240</u>

Note: Exclusive of income tax expenditures.

#### (3) Reconciliation for segment income (loss)

The Company and its subsidiaries engage in a single industry. The chief operating decision-maker assesses performance and allocates resources of the whole group. The Company is regarded as a single operating segment. Therefore, there is no inter-segment revenue. The revenue from external parties reported to the chief operating decision-maker is measured in a manner consistent with that in the statement of comprehensive income. The amount provided to the chief operating decision-maker with respect to total assets is measured in a manner consistent with that in the balance sheet.

#### (4) Information on product and service

Please refer to Note 6(17) for the related information.

# (5) Geographical information

Geographical information for the years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014 is as follows:

	 For the years ended December 31,												
	 2	015			2014								
Area	 Revenue	Non-o	current asstes		Revenue	Non-current assets							
United States	\$ 716,995	\$	520,404	\$	918,585	\$	234,470						
China	607,179		-		229,245		-						
Taiwan	312,793		11,258		182,390		-						
Others	 22,976		65,650		22,679								
Total	\$ 1,659,943	\$	597,312	\$	1,352,899	\$	234,470						

# (6) Major customer information

Major customer information of the Group for the years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014 is as follows:

		For the years end	ed December 31,	
	 201	15	20	014
	 Amount	% of sales	Amount	% of sales
A	\$ 217,033	(( 13%)	\$ 427,762	31%
F	135,553	8%	3,540	-
В	127,469	8%	132,957	10%
D	 120,405	7%	81,803	6%
	\$ 600,460	36%	\$ 646,062	62%

#### Provision of endorsements and guarantees to others

For the year ended December 31, 2015

Table 2

Expressed in thousands of NTD (Except as otherwise indicated)

									Ratio of					
		Party be	.:						accumulated					
		•	C		Maximum				endorsement/					
		endorsed/gu	aranteed	Limit on	outstanding	Outstanding			guarantee	Ceiling on	Provision of	Provision of	Provision of	
			Relationship	endorsements/	endorsement/	endorsement/		Amount of	amount to net	total amount of	endorsements/	endorsements/	endorsements/	
			with the	guarantees	guarantee	guarantee		endorsements/	asset value of	endorsements/	guarantees by	guarantees by	guarantees to	
			endorser/	provided for a	amount as of	amount at	Actual	guarantees	the endorser/	guarantees	parent	subsidiary to	the party in	
Number	Endorser/		guarantor	single party	December 31,	December 31,	amount drawn	secured with	guarantor	provided	company to	parent	Mainland	
(Note 1)	guarantor	Company name	(Note 2)	(Note 3)	2015	2015	down	collateral	company	(Note 3)	subsidiary	company	China	Footnote
1	Global	GCS Holdings,	4	\$ 164,356	\$ 196,950	\$ 196,950	\$ -	\$	11 98	\$ 410,891	N	Y	N	-
	Communication	Inc.						$\mathcal{A}(\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ $	$\langle \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \$					

Note 1: The numbers filled in for the endorsements/guarantees provided by the Company or subsidiaries are as follows:

(1) The Company is '0'.

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- (2) The subsidiaries are numbered in order starting from '1'.
- Note 2: Relationship between the endorser/guarantor and the party being endorsed/guaranteed is classified into the following six categories; fill in the number of category each case belongs to:
  - (1) Having business relationship.

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- (2)The endorser/guarantor parent company owns directly more than 50% voting shares of the endorsed/guaranteed subsidiary.
- (3)The endorser/guarantor parent company and its subsidiaries jointly own more than 50% voting shares of the endorsed/guaranteed company.
- (4) The endorsed/guaranteed parent company directly or indirectly owns more than 50% voting shares of the endorser/guarantor subsidiary.
- (5) Mutual guarantee of the trade as required by the construction contract.
- (6)Due to joint venture, each shareholder provides endorsements/guarantees to the endorsed/guaranteed company in proportion to its ownership.
- Note 3: According to the Company's "Procedures for Endorsement and Guarantee", the total amount of endoresment/guarantee provided by the Company is limited to twenty-five percent of the Company's net worth, and the total amount of the guarantee provided by the Company to any individual entity is limited to ten percent of the Company's net worth. However, subsidiaries whose voting shares are 100% owned, directy or indirectly, by the Company are not subject to the above restrictions.

#### Holding of marketable securities at the end of the year

#### December 31, 2015

Table 3

Expressed in thousands of NTD

(Except as otherwise indicated)

				As of September 30, 2015								
	Marketable securities	Relationship with the	General			Footnote						
Securities held by	( Note 1 )	securities issuer (Note 2)	ledger account	Number of shares	(Note 3)	Ownership (%)		Fair value	(Note 4)			
GCS Holdings, Inc.	Akoustis Technologies, Inc.	None.	Available-for-sale financial	166,667	\$ 9,403	1.31	\$	9,403	-			
			assets									
GCS Holdings, Inc.	Arima Laser Corporation	None.	Available-for-sale financial	890,000	43,076	1.73		43,076	-			
			assets	\\								

Note 1: Marketable securities in the table refer to stocks, bonds, beneficiary certificates and other related derivative securities.

Note 2: Leave the column blank if the issuer of marketable securities is non-related party.

Note 3: Fill in the amount after adjusted at fair value and deducted by accumulated impairment for the marketable securities measured at fair value; fill in the acquisition cost or amortised cost deducted by accumulated impairment for the marketable securities not measured at fair value.

Note 4: The number of shares of securities and their amounts pledged as security or pledged for loans and their restrictions on use under some agreements should be stated in the footnote if the securities presented herein have such conditions.

#### Acquisition of real estate reaching NT\$300 million or 20% of paid-in capital or more

For the year ended December 31, 2015

Expressed in thousands of NTD Table 5

(Except as otherwise indicated)

It the counterparty is a related party, informa	ation as to the last transaction of the
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									real estate is discl			Reason for		
									Relationship			Basis or	acquisition of	
							Relationship	Original owner who	between the original			reference used	real estate and	
Real estate	Real estate	Date of the	T	ransaction	Status	:	with the	sold the real estate to	owner and the	Date of the		in setting the	status of the real	Other
acquired by	acquired	event		amount	paymei	Counterparty	counterparty	the counterparty	acquirer	Original transaction	Amount	price	estate	commitments
Global	23155	August 12,	\$	243,597	\$ 243,5	7 The Hattori	None	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Based on market	Operation	None
Communication	Kashiwa	2015		(Note)		Foundation				1		value and the	purpose	
Semiconductors	Court,									<u> </u>		appraisal report		
LLC	Torrance, CA									))		issued by the		
	90505								W( \\ \	$\rangle$		appraiser		

Note: The total amount consisted of \$146,158 for land and \$97,439 for buildings.

#### Significant inter-company transactions during the reporting periods

For the year ended December 31, 2015

General ledger account

Service revenue

Amount

\$

Relationship

(Note 2)

3

Table 9

Number

(Note 1)

Expressed in thousands of NTD (Except as otherwise indicated)

	Transaction	
		Percentage of consolidated total operating
	Transaction terms	revenues or total assets (Note 3)
14,848	Conducted in the ordinary	0.89%

course of business with terms similar to those with third parties

Note 1: The numbers filled in for the transaction company in respect of inter-company transactions are as follows:

Counterparty

Global Communication

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(1)Parent company is '0'.

(2) The subsidiaries are numbered in order starting from '1'.

Company name

Global Device Technologies, Co., Ltd.

Note 2: Relationship between transaction company and counterparty is classified into the following three categories; fill in the number of category each case belongs to (If transactions between parent company and subsidiaries or between subsidiaries refer to the same transaction, it is not required to disclose twice. For example, if the parent company has already disclosed its transaction with a subsidiary, then the subsidiary is not required to disclose the transaction; for transactions between two subsidiaries, if one of the subsidiaries has disclosed the transaction, then the other is not required to disclose the transaction.):

(1)Parent company to subsidiary.

(2)Subsidiary to parent company.

(3)Subsidiary to subsidiary.

Note 3: Regarding percentage of transaction amount to consolidated total operating revenues or total assets, it is computed based on period-end balance of transaction to consolidated total assets for balance sheet accounts and based on accumulated transaction amount for the period to consolidated total operating revenues for income statement accounts.

# Information on investees (not including investees in Mainland China):

For the year ended December 31, 2015

Table 10

Expressed in thousands of NTD (Except as otherwise indicated)

					Initial invest	mer	nt amount Balance	Shares he	ld as at December 31,	2015	Net pr	ofit (loss)		ment income(los		
			Main business	as a	t December 31,	as	s at December 31,					tee for the year	_	the year ended		
Investor	Investee	Location	activities		2015		2014	Number of shares	Ownership (%)	Book value		mber 31, 2015		ember 31, 2015		Footnote
GCS Holdings, Inc.	Global Communication Semiconductors LLC	Los Angeles, USA	GaAs wafer and foundry service	\$	403,975	\$	403,975	-	100 \$	1,443,437	\$	307,070	\$	307,0	70	-
GCS Holdings, Inc.	Global Device Technologies, Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	Product design and research development services		12,000			1,200,000	100	15,238		3,238		3,2	38	-