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# 2017 Interim Results Corporate Presentation

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## **Agenda**

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**II. Financial Review** 

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## Financial Highlights (



**Financial Results Dividends & Bonus Shares Exceptional Items Financial Position Key Financial Indicators** 

## **Financial Results**



	For the	For the year ended 31		
HK\$'000	2017	2016	Change	December 2016
Revenue	2,721,948	3,098,952	(12.2%)	5,954,328
Gross profit	769,832	934,013	(17.6%)	1,728,391
Gross profit margin	28.3%	30.1%	(1.8pp)	29.0%
Operating profit	175,851	198,183	(11.3%)	301,628
Тах	57,191	57,944	(1.3%)	99,726
Profit attributable to shareholders	94,205	112,508	(16.3%)	152,257
Net profit margin	3.5%	3.6%	(0.1pp)	2.6%
Basic earnings per share (HK cents)	3.85	4.60 (restated)	(16.3%)	6.23

### **Dividends & Bonus Shares**



	For the six mo	For the year ended 31 Dec		
	2017	2016	2016	
Proposed interim/final dividends per share (HK Cents)	 (interim)	1.5 (interim)	0.8 (final)	
Proposed bonus of shares	 (interim)	1 for 10 (interim)	 (final)	
Dividend payout ratio		29.6%	36.9%	

## **Exceptional Items**



	HK\$'000		For the six months ended 30 June				For the year
	Items	Details	2017	Margin Impact	2016	Margin Impact	ended 31 Dec 2016
1	Cost of sales	Inventories written-off	(30,309)	GPM <b>▼</b> 1.1pp	(92,655)	GPM <b>▼</b> 3.0 pp	(83,587)
2	Impairment of account receivables	Certain overseas receivables written-off			(41,276)	OPM <b>▼</b> 1.3pp	(46,568)
3	Exchange gain (loss)	Mostly from BRL	(3,471)	OPM▼0.1pp	63,028	OPM <b>▲</b> 2.0pp	69,458
4	Fair Value change of a derivative instrument	Hedge against BRL fluctuation			(48,026)	OPM▼1.5pp	(59,559)
		TOTAL	(33,780)	NPM▼1.2pp	(118,929)	NPM▼3.8pp	(120,256)

## **Financial Position**



	As at 30	0 June		As at
HK\$'000	2017	2016	Change	31 Dec 2016
Net cash / (debt)	(304,806)	179,791		260,800
Total assets	9,353,408	9,071,475	3.1%	8,954,959
Total liabilities	5,645,969	5,396,359	4.6%	5,461,810
Net assets	3,650,536	3,616,666	0.9%	3,437,687
NAV per share (HK\$)	1.48	1.47 (restated)	0.7%	1.40

## **Key Financial Indicators**



	For the s	For the year ended			
	2017	2016	Change	31 Dec 2016	
Inventory turnover days	127	136	<b>▼</b> 9 Days	133	
A/R turnover days	279	247	▲32 Days	239	
A/P turnover days	284	269	▲15 Days	266	
Gross gearing ratio	15.0%	12.1%	<b>▲</b> 2.9pp	15.3%	
Return on average equity	5.3%	6.2%	<b>▼</b> 0.9pp	4.3%	

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## **Gross Gearing Ratio Analysis**





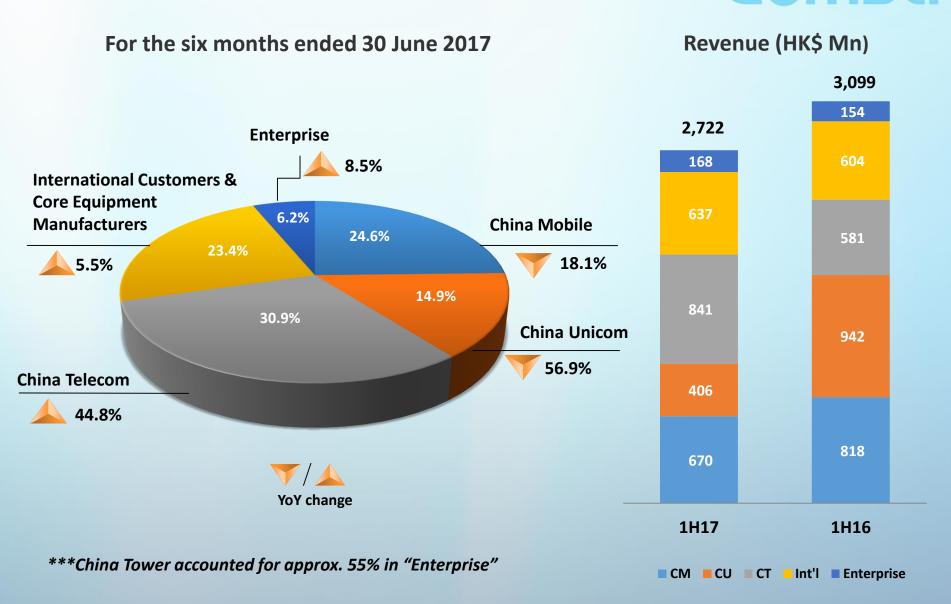


**Revenue Breakdown by Customers** 

**Revenue Breakdown by Businesses** 

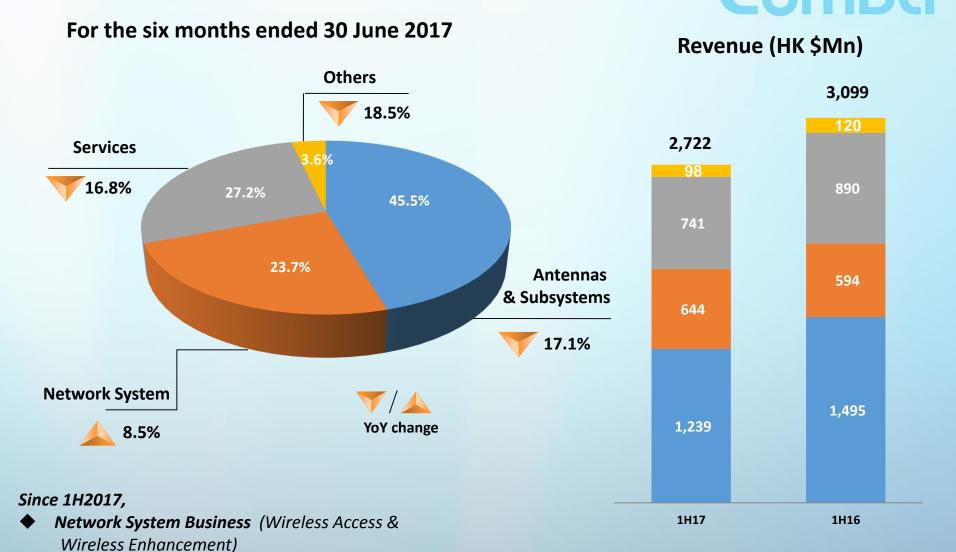
**Expenses Structure** 

# Revenue Breakdown by Customers Comba



## Revenue Breakdown by Businesses

Other business (Wireless Transmission & Specialized Enterprise Network)



■ Network System

Others

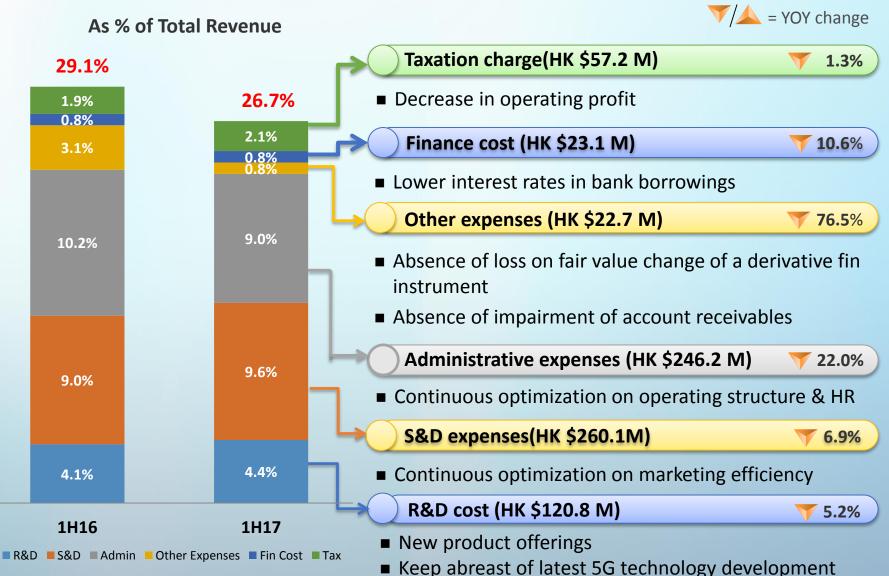
Antennas

Services

## **Expenses Structure**

For the six months ended 30 June









**China Carriers** 

**International Business &** 

**Core Equipment Manufacturers** 

**Enterprise Business** 

### **China Carriers**

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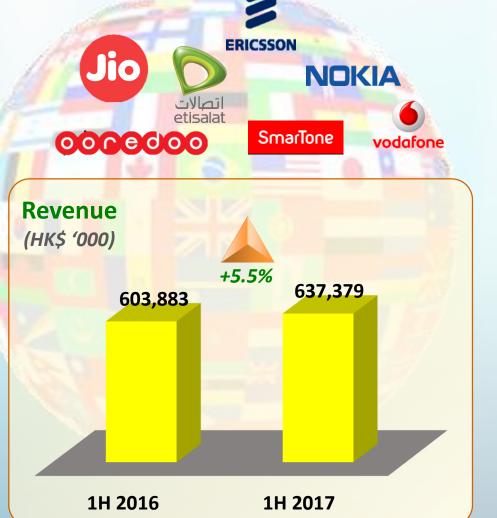


#### **China Carriers**

- Revenues decreased 18.1% to HK\$ 1,917 million
- Sales cycle typically 2H intensive (per historical analysis)
  - Uptick expected in H/H% growth
- 4G network enhancement stage in full swing
- Working with operators on development of 4.5G/5G next generation equipment
- Customer focus: New high capacity small cell + MEC solutions
- Specialized IoT solution for next generation services

# International Business & Core Equipment Manufacturers

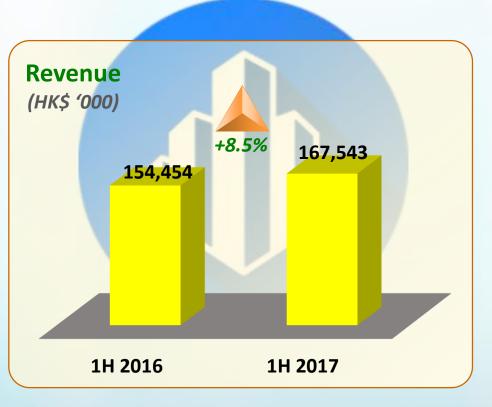




## International Business & Core Equipment Manufacturers

- Revenues increased 5.5% to HK\$ 637 million
- International and OEM growth against a slow global infrastructure market
- Major wins and agreements for international MNC operator
- Substantial OEM success in all international markets across all product segments
- Diversified strategy into different verticals and solutions

## **Enterprise Business**



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#### **Enterprise Business**

- Revenues increased 8.5% to HK\$ 168 million
- Strategy of diversifying customer base beyond carriers
- Deepening penetration into transportation, hospitality and public sectors

- Development of products and solutions targeted to enterprise sector.
  - Multi-system solutions for neutral hosts and towercos

## **Business Review**



**Network System Antennas & Subsystems Services New Growth Areas Laos NMO: ETL Company Limited** 

## **Network System**

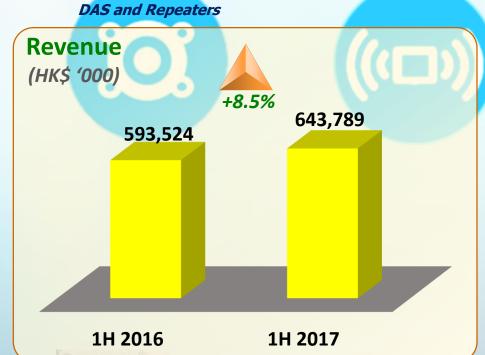




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#### **Network Systems**

(includes Wireless Enhancement & Small Cells/WLAN)



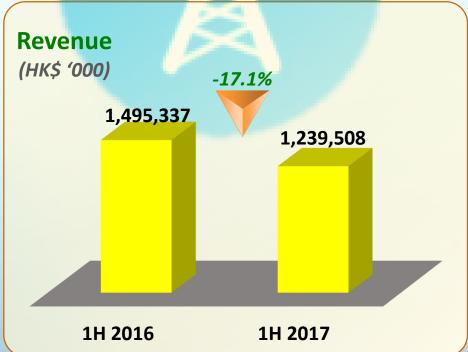
- Revenues increased 8.5% to HK\$ 644 million
- Reflects hetnet offerings to customers
  - DAS tightly integrated with Small Cell
- Strong deployments of 4G indoor small cell systems in China and international
- Network densification & enhancement projects globally
- Specialized offerings for industry verticals





## **Antennas/Subsystems**

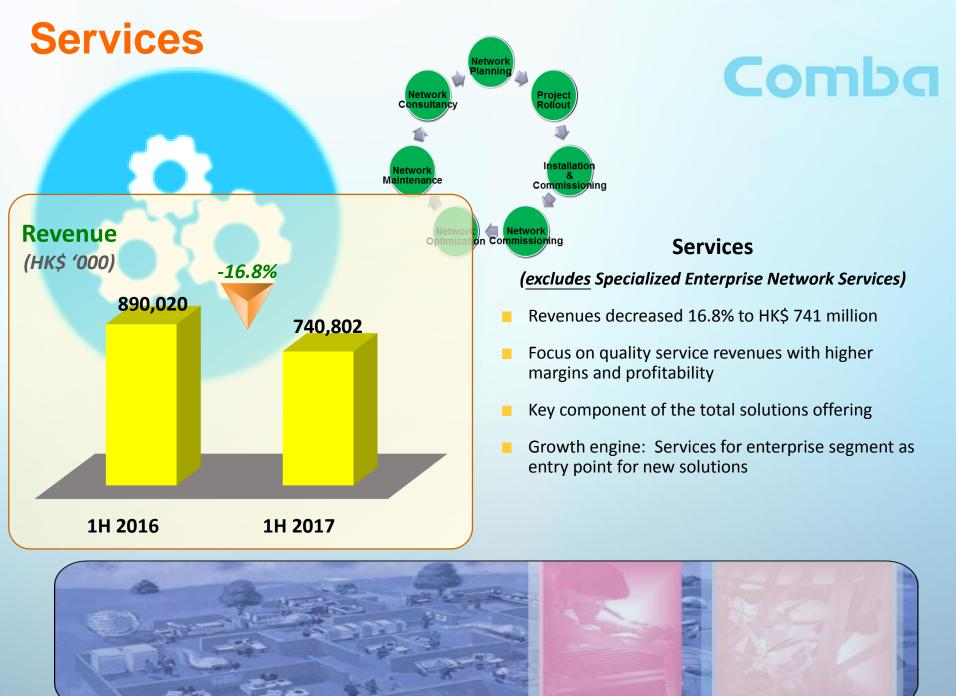




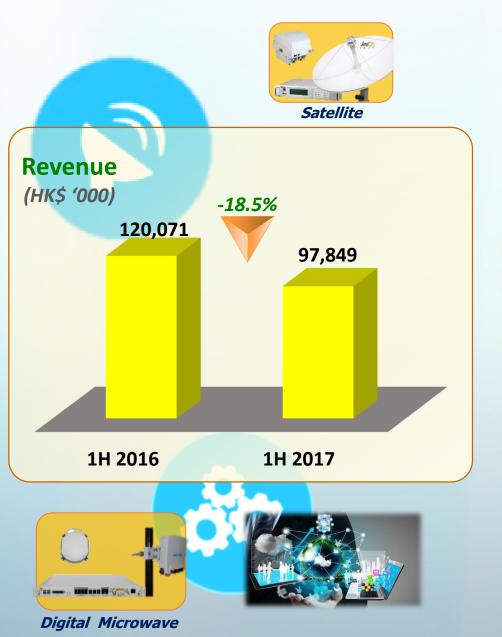
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#### **Antennas & Subsystems**

- Revenues decreased 17.1% to HK\$ 1,240 million
- Uptick expected in 2H with diversified customer mix for antennas
- Solid growth and outlook for global OEM agreements with core equipment vendors
- Long term basestation antenna agreement with 3 global operators
- Network densification trends driving new demand
- Technology development of massive MIMO antennas



### **New Growth Areas**



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#### **Growth Business**

(includes Wireless Transmission & Specialized Enterprise Networks

- Revenues decreased 18.5% to HK\$ 98 million
- Traditional digital microwave market in downward cycle but mitigated by new growth areas
- Smart solutions as growth drivers. Complements existing solutions for new diversified segments.
  - IoT, cloud computing, and big data.
  - Maritime internet-of-vessels and satellite VSAT solutions
  - Railway communications business in China and international
  - Intelligent manufacturing solutions for enterprises

## **Laos NMO: ETL Company Limited**











#### **About ETL Company Limited**

- 51% majority control via subsidiary Jiafu
- Top 3 telecoms operator in Laos
- Triple play operator: fixed line / mobile / ISP
- Full license with 1,200 BTS, 1 million of subs (incl. 350,000 mobile subscribers)

#### **Opportunities**

- Business opportunity as telecoms operator
  - Enhance and improve existing network capabilities and services
  - Huge growth potential with few competitors (4 players)
- Strategically positioned for One Belt One Road
- Cross-selling of integrated network solutions
- First hand understanding of operator challenges and requirements

## **Summary**

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#### 1. Long term stability & growth in core business:

- Cyclical slowing of growth in traditional macrocell RAN spending, but key growth areas:
  - Network densification
  - Small cells, RRH, C-RAN, DAS, WLAN (Source: SnS Telecom Research)
- 4.5G and 5G



#### Diversification for new opportunities

- Development of smart city solutions and ecosystems
- Network virtualization
- Huge growth potential in enterprise segments



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