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2017 Annual Results

Corporate Presentation

Exploring Opportunities • Creating Value

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Agenda





Financial Highlights

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Financial Results



	For the	For the six months ended		
HK\$'000	2017	2016	Change	30 Jun 2017
Revenue	5,563,725	5,954,328	(6.6%)	2,721,948
Gross profit	1,437,028	1,728,391	(16.9%)	769,832
Gross profit margin	25.8%	29.0%	(3.2%)	28.3%
Operating profit	101,095	301,628	(66.5%)	175,851
Тах	29,185	99,726	(70.7%)	57,191
Profit attributable to shareholders	27,373	152,257	(82.0%)	94,205
Net profit margin	0.5%	2.6%	(2.1%)	3.5%
Basic earnings per share (HK cents)	1.12	6.23	(82.0%)	3.85

Exceptional Items



	НК\$'000		For the year ended 31 December				For the six months ended
	Items	Details	2017	Margin Impact	2016	Margin Impact	30 Jun 2017
1	Cost of sales	Inventories written-off	(86,040)	GPM ▼ 1.5%	(83,587)	GPM ▼ 1.4%	(30,309)
2	Impairment of trade receivables	Certain trade receivables written-off	(26,053)	OPM ▼ 0.5%	(46,568)	OPM ▼ 0.8 %	
3	Exchange gain(loss)	Mostly from BRL			69,458	OPM ▲ 1.2%	(3,471)
4	Exchange loss	Mostly from RMB denominated loans	(22,694)	OPM ▼ 0.4%			
5	Fair Value change of a derivative instrument	Hedge against BRL fluctuation			(59,559)	OPM ▼ 1.0%	
	TOTAL		(134,787)	NPM ▼ 2.4%	(120,256)	NPM ▼ 2.0%	(33,780)



Financial Position

	As at 31 December			As at	
HK\$'000	2017 2016		Change	30 June 2017	
Net cash / (debt)	(72,261)	260,800	(127.7%)	(304,806)	
Total assets	10,891,728	8,954,959	21.6%	9,353,408	
Total liabilities	6,560,238	5,461,810	20.1%	5,645,969	
Net assets	3,766,311	3,437,687	9.6%	3,650,536	
NAV per share (HK\$)	1.53	1.40	9.3%	1.48	
Liabilities to assets ratio	60.2%	61.0%	(0.8%)	60.4%	





	For the y	For the six months ended		
	2017	2016	Change	30 June 2017
Inventory turnover days	120	133	▼13 Days	127
A/R turnover days	274	239	▲35 Days	279
A/P turnover days	291	266	▲25 Days	284
Gross gearing ratio	14.5%	15.3%	▼0.8%	15.0%
Return on average equity	0.8%	4.3%	▼3.5%	5.3%

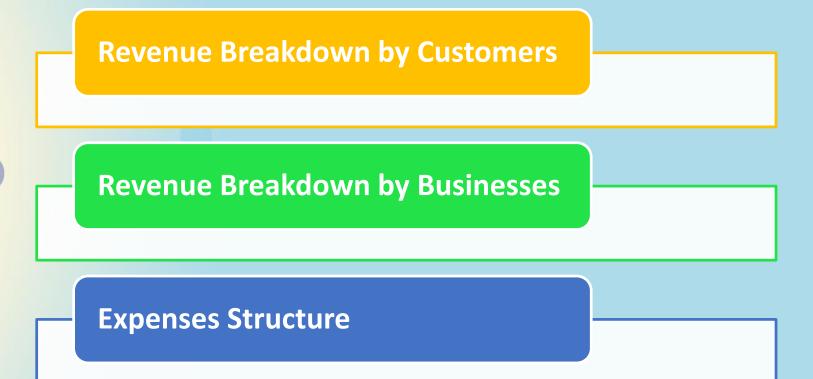


Gross Gearing Ratio Analysis



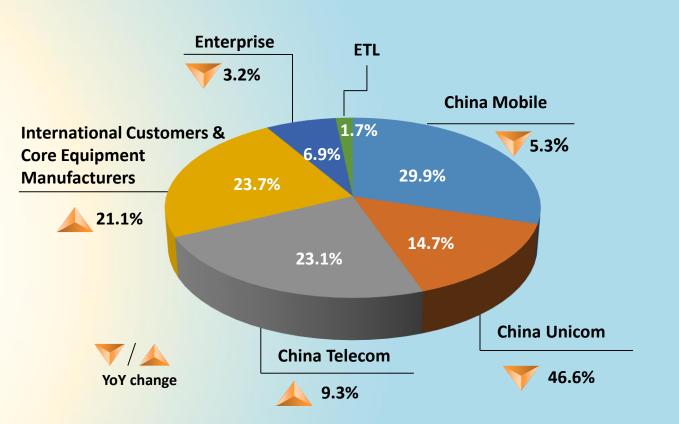


Financial Review



Revenue Breakdown by Customers Combo

For the year ended 31 December 2017



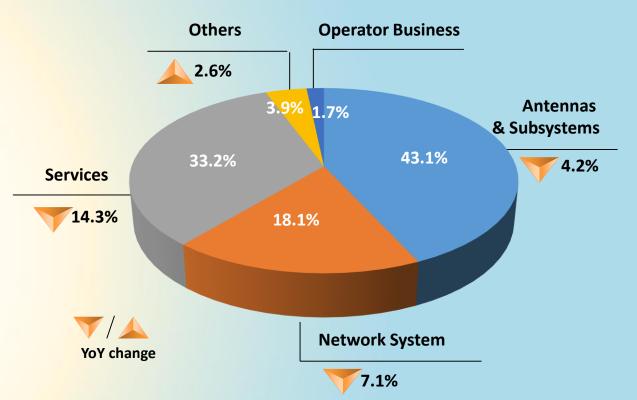
- ◆ China Tower accounted for approx. 52% in "Enterprise";
- **♦ETL** was consolidated since July 31, 2017.

Revenue (HK\$ Mn)



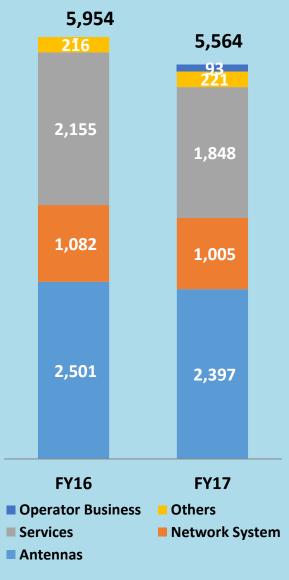
Revenue Breakdown by Businesses Comba

For the year ended 31 December 2017



- ♦ **Network System Business** (Wireless Access & Wireless Enhancement)
 - --Among which, wireless access and wireless enhancement account for 5.2% and 12.8% respectively.
- ◆ Other Business (Wireless Transmission & Specialized Enterprise Network)
- ◆ The Operator Business was consolidated since July 31, 2017.

Revenue (HK \$ Mn)

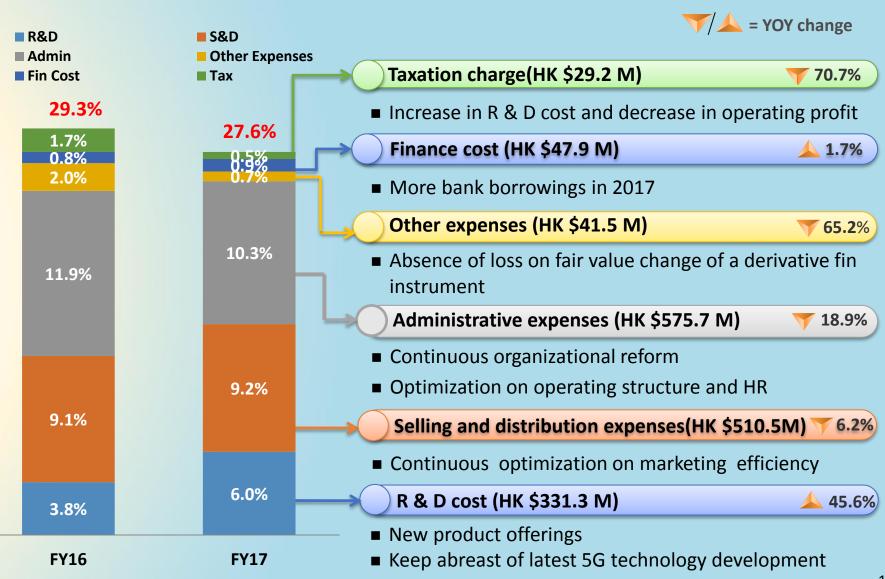


Expenses Structure



For the year ended 31 December

As % of Total Revenue





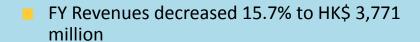
Customer Review



China Carriers



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2H revenue stabilizing: H/H sequential growth bottoming out from 1H

Review:

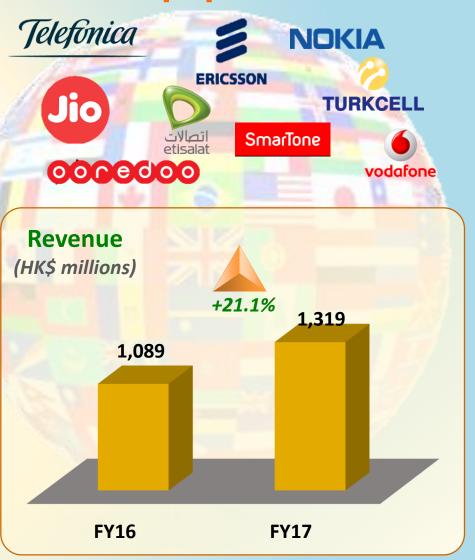
 Slowdown in wireless capex in 2017 Expected to ease in 2018

- 2018 pockets of growth: NB-IoT and 4G spectrum refarming project tenders
- Ready for post 2018: Working with operators on development of 4.5G/5G next generation equipment
- Customer focus: New high capacity small cell + MEC solutions. Multi-band solution. NB-IoT tenders.



International Business & Core Equipment Manufacturers





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- FY Revenues increased 21.1% to HK\$ 1,319 million
 - Strong 2H revenues at 40% y-o-y

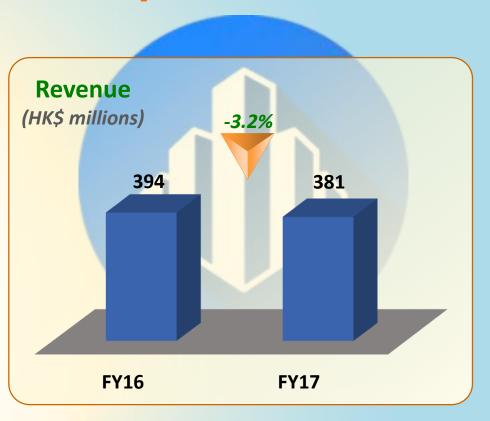
Review:

- Outperformed market against flat wireless CAPEX
- Global economic recovery in 2017 and 2018

- Major wins and multi-year, cross-region agreements with international MNC operators/vendors
- Wireless enhancement phase in network evolution
- Strong brand recognition and increased marketing presence help drive new opportunities

Enterprise Business

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Enterprise Business

- FY Revenues decreased 3.2% to HK\$ 381 million (China Tower accounted for approx. 52% of revenue)
- Strategy of diversifying customer base beyond carriers

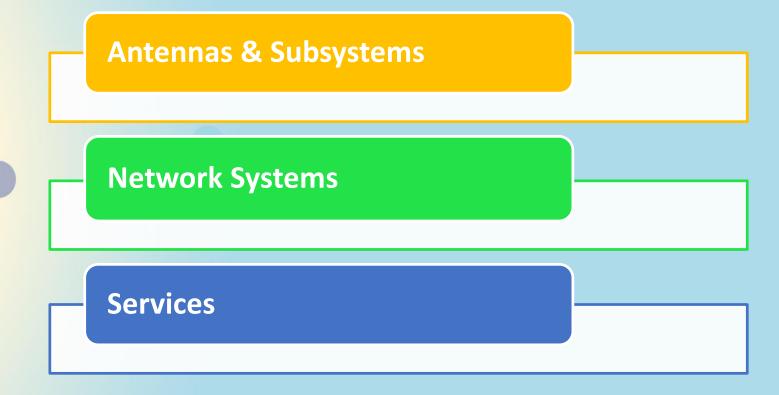
Review:

Softening of towerco business in China reflecting the capex trends

- Smart city and IoT trends accelerating enterprise/vertical adoption of wireless tech
- Development of wireless location, computer vision, big data solutions to address specific industry verticals



Business Review



Antennas/Subsystems





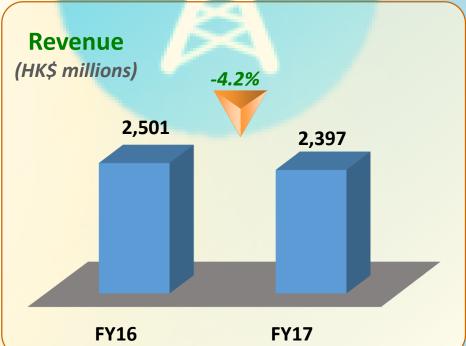


- FY Revenues decreased 4.2% to HK\$ 2,397 million
 - Improved 2H revenues increased 15% y-o-y

Review:

General global softness in antenna market demand

- Solid growth and outlook for global OEM agreements with core equipment vendors
- Data capacity demands will drive upgrade/expansion of network
 - → Multi-system antennas to maximize cellsite investments and reduce OPEX
 - → High-port equipment with higher ASP
- China NB-IoT: Introduction of 4+4 port and small footprint antennas
- 4.5G and 5G: Already introduced massive MIMO antennas and continued development



Network System







Network Systems

(includes Wireless Enhancement & Small Cells/WLAN)

FY Revenues decreased 7.1% to HK\$ 1,005 million

Revenue (HK\$ millions) -7.1% 1,082 1,005

FY16

FY17

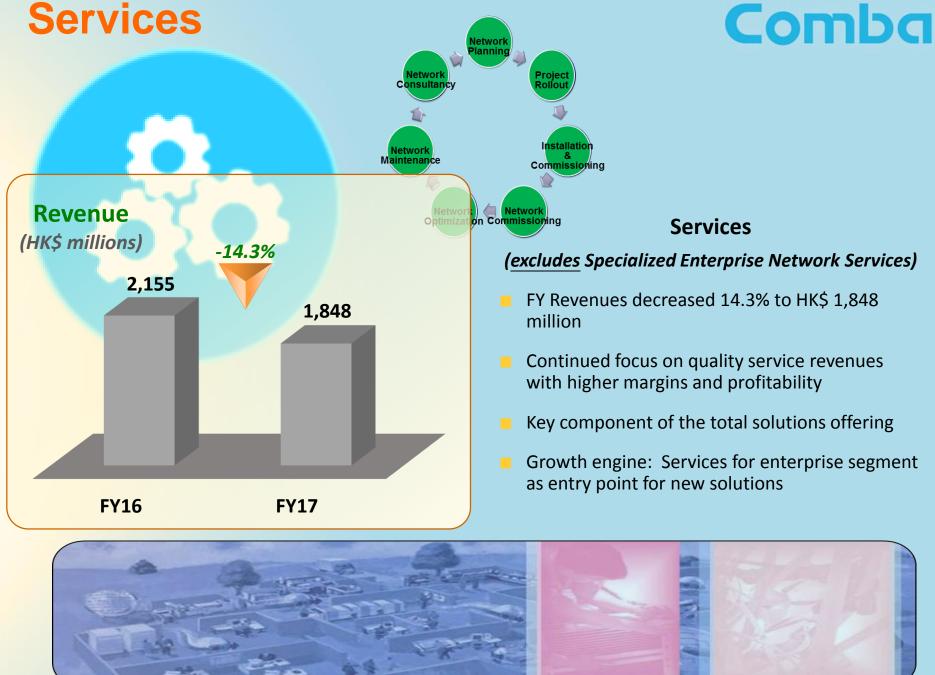




Review:

- Slowdown in DAS market in APAC and China
- Strong deployments of 4G indoor small cell systems in China and international in 2H

- Network densification & enhancement projects globally
- Proliferation of network driven by SDN/NFV
- Specialized wireless enhancement offerings for enterprises
- New end-to-end solutions development for 4.5G and 5G



Finally...

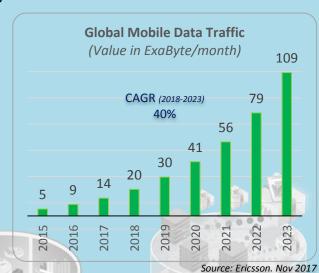
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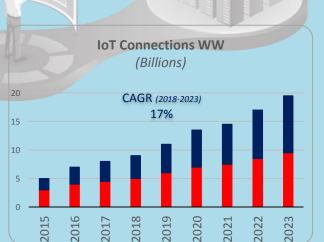
Stability in core business:

- Overall business shows signs of turning around (H/H% growth @4%)
 - International & OEM an engine of future growth
 - Improved performance of antennas: growth in 2H
 - Data capacity demands driving wireless enhancement for operators in international and china

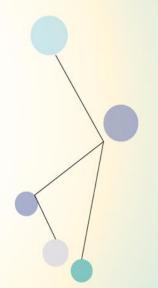
Where's the Growth?

- Increasing data demands mobile traffic expected to hit 109 EB by 2023. (Source: Ericsson 11/17)
 - Drive macro network infrastructure improvements
- Development of smart city solutions and ecosystems approx. 20B IoT devices by 2023 (Source: GSMA 02/18)
 - Further drive data
 - Continued development of smart solutions
- Huge growth potential in smart city and enterprise
- Longer term: 5G investments expected to accelerate post 2018
 - Well positioned with solid R&D program for product/solution already in development





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