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Business Overview



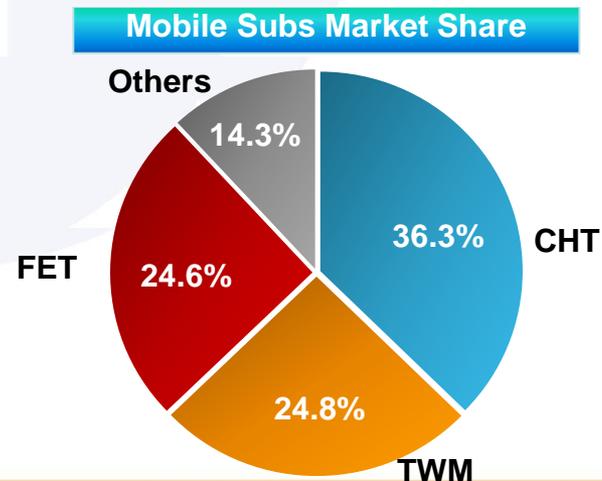
Chunghwa Telecom Overview

Strong Market Position ^(a)

- Domestic Fixed
 - #1 Local
 - 93.0% share by subs (10.45mn subs)
 - 83.9% share by minutes
 - #1 DLD
 - 82.9% share by minutes
 - #1 Broadband access
 - 71.4% share by subs ^{(b)(c)} (4.52 mn subs)
- Mobile
 - #1 Mobile subscribers
 - 36.3% market share ^(d) (10.58mn subs)
 - #1 Mobile revenue
 - 37.8% market share ^{(d)(e)}
- Internet
 - #1 ISP
 - 67.1% share by subs (4.10mn subs)
- International Fixed
 - #1 ILD
 - 70.2% share by minutes

Operational Strategies

- Streamline services and strengthen profitability
- Capitalize and remain at the forefront of digital convergence trends
- Leverage governments' new southbound development policy
- Broaden corporate governance initiatives
- Continue to invest in talent and R&D



Source: Company data, MOTC, and NCC statistics

- a) Market share as of November 2018
- b) CHT access circuits were not included
- c) Excluding PWLAN subscriber numbers
- d) Includes 3G and 4G
- e) Revenues are based on T-IFRSs .

Number One Mobile Services Provider

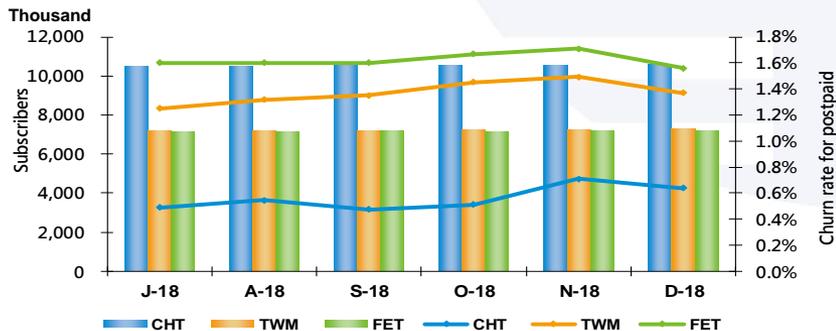
Mobile Service Revenue



Strategy

- Expand IoT services over NB-IoT and Cat-M1 network
- Offer diversified rate plans and product portfolio to satisfy customer demands
- Strengthen subscriber acquisition and retention initiatives
- Promote VAS and new applications
- Grow enterprise customers revenues

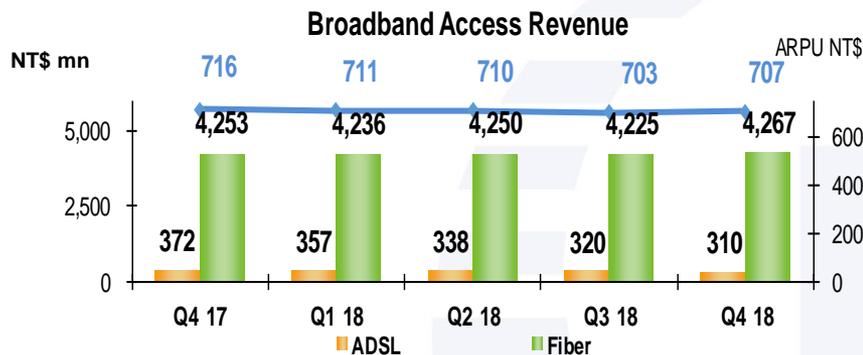
Highest Subs & Lowest Churn



Note : Churn rate for postpaid subscribers

Fixed Broadband and Internet Services

Performance

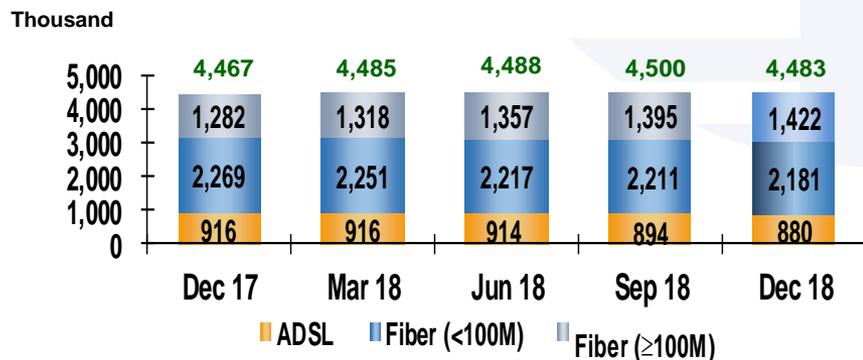


Note1 : Broadband ARPU is calculated as access plus ISP

Note2 : Revenue is calculated based on T-IFRSs

Note3 : Revenue starting from 2018 are calculated in accordance with IFRS 15

Fixed Broadband Subs



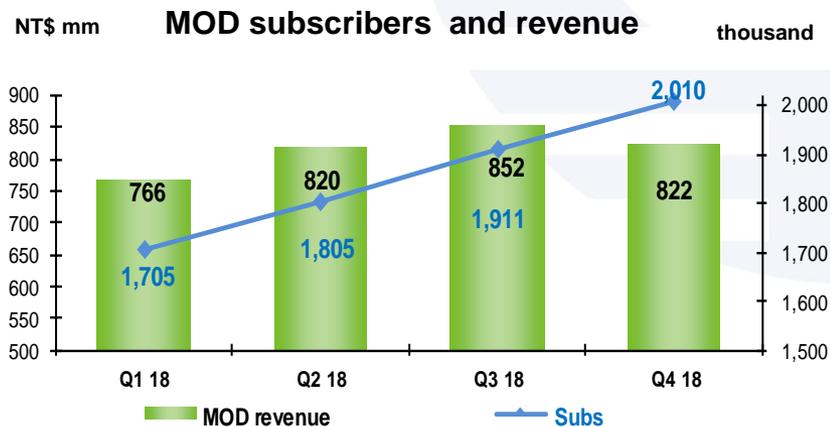
Strategy

- Leverage network capability to offer high-speed upload service
- Leverage Big Data capability for precision marketing and precision network construction
- Leverage mobile, broadband and Wi-Fi capabilities to offer seamless internet services
- Expedite CDN construction and OTT promotion to enhance digital convergence product competitiveness
- Continue to execute the strategy of encouraging FTTx migration to 300Mbps or higher

MOD/ IPTV Service

Performance

- Accumulated subscription for 2018 grew 25.5% YoY
- Accumulated revenue for 2018 grew 27.7% YoY
- Accumulated revenue from advertisement for 2018 grew 76% YoY
- Subscriber market share (CATV+IPTV) grew to 27.2% in Q3 2018



Note : Revenue starting from 2018 are calculated in accordance with IFRS 15

Strategy

- Continue to enrich content, including movies, drama, TV series and cartoons for SVOD
- Leverage the existing broadband and 4G mobile subscriber base to grow MOD subscribers
- Carry OTT and 4K service on the platform to make MOD the smart home hub
- Differentiate products by acquiring sports contents including eSports



SVOD : Subscription Video on Demand

Enterprise ICT Initiatives

Performance

- IDC revenue for 4Q18 grew 16.7% YoY
- Accumulated IDC revenue for 2018 grew 22.4% YoY
- Continue acquiring Fintech projects with FIDO, information security, cloud computing and big data analysis services as well as Fintech patents

Note: FIDO refers to “Fast ID Online”

Strategy

- Leverage our advantage on network infrastructure, IDC, CDN, ect. to expand ICT business
- Deploy nationwide NB-IoT/Cat M1 dual network to provide high-efficiency and quality IoT service via our IoT Platform
- Launch highest-rated cloud IDC to further explore business opportunities in finance, ISP and ICP/OTT industries
- Offer ICT total solutions by integrating our capabilities on cloud, information security, big data analysis, IoT, AI, block chain and customization
- Cooperate with partners to develop an ecosystem to provide IoT services across various industries



Financials Overview



Financials: Income Statement Highlights

(NT\$bn)	Consolidated					
	Q4 2018 (Upon the adoption of IFRS 15)	Q4 2017 (Before the adoption of IFRS 15)	Growth %	2018 (Upon the adoption of IFRS 15)	2017 (Before the adoption of IFRS 15)	Growth %
Revenues	55.46	60.88	(8.9)	215.46	227.51	(5.3)
Operating Costs and Expenses	45.45	50.38	(9.8)	171.94	180.71	(4.9)
Income from Operations	10.21	10.43	(2.1)	43.62	46.70	(6.6)
Net Income²	8.42	8.68	(3.0)	35.52	38.87	(8.6)
Net Income Margin³ (%)	15.67	14.65	-	16.93	17.60	-
EPS	1.09	1.12	(3.0)	4.58	5.01	(8.6)
EBITDA	18.19	18.42	(1.3)	75.49	78.60	(4.0)
EBITDA Margin (%)	32.79	30.26	-	35.04	34.55	-

Note:

1. Financials are prepared in accordance with T-IFRSs. Figures for 2018 are unaudited.
2. Net income attributable to owners of the parent.
3. Net income margin is based on consolidated net income (including net income attributable to NCI).
4. EBITDA = operating income + Depreciation & Amortization.
5. The calculation of growth rates is based on NT\$m.

Financials: Business Segment Revenues

(NT\$bn)	Q4 2018	Q4 2017	Growth %	2018	2017	Growth %
Domestic Fixed	18.02	19.60	(8.1)	66.75	71.14	(6.2)
Local	6.73	7.21	(6.6)	27.57	29.60	(6.9)
DLD	0.59	0.65	(9.9)	2.43	2.65	(8.4)
Broadband Access	4.58	4.63	(1.0)	18.30	18.68	(2.0)
MOD	0.82	0.70	17.4	3.26	2.55	27.7
Mobile	25.03	28.97	(13.6)	100.94	109.38	(7.7)
Mobile Service Revenue	15.04	18.56	(19.0)	63.91	75.82	(15.7)
Sales of Mobile Handsets, and Data Cards	9.61	9.97	(3.5)	35.70	32.20	10.9
Internet	8.50	7.73	9.9	29.81	28.92	3.1
Data Communications	5.32	5.35	(0.6)	21.14	21.37	(1.1)
Application VAS	2.27	1.73	31.3	6.04	5.20	16.3
International Fixed	3.00	3.55	(15.4)	13.41	13.55	(1.0)
ILD	1.09	1.80	(39.5)	6.56	7.38	(11.2)
Leased line	0.58	0.53	10.2	2.16	1.95	10.9
Others	0.91	1.03	(11.8)	4.55	4.53	0.3
Total	55.46	60.88	(8.9)	215.46	227.51	(5.3)

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2. The calculation of growth rates is based on NT\$ mn.
3. Businesses shown under each segment are highlighted; therefore, sum of the highlighted revenues is not equal to the total.

Financials: Costs & Expenses

(NT\$bn)	Consolidated					
	Q4 2018 (Upon the adoption of IFRS 15)	Q4 2017 (Before the adoption of IFRS 15)	Growth %	2018 (Upon the adoption of IFRS 15)	2017 (Before the adoption of IFRS 15)	Growth %
Operating Costs	37.46	41.48	(9.7)	139.53	146.84	(5.0)
Operating Expenses	7.99	8.90	(10.2)	32.41	33.87	(4.3)
Marketing	5.90	6.65	(11.2)	24.08	25.36	(5.1)
General and Administrative	1.15	1.19	(3.2)	4.61	4.63	(0.5)
R&D Expense	0.94	1.06	(11.5)	3.72	3.88	(4.1)
Total	45.45	50.38	(9.8)	171.94	180.71	(4.9)

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Financials: Cash Flow

(NT\$bn)	Consolidated					
	Q4 2018 (Upon the adoption of IFRS 15)	Q4 2017 (Before the adoption of IFRS 15)	Growth %	2018 (Upon the adoption of IFRS 15)	2017 (Before the adoption of IFRS 15)	Growth %
Net Cash Flow from Operating Activities	20.11	25.00	(19.6)	66.32	70.93	(6.5)
CapEx	9.21	10.28	(10.5)	28.55	26.88	6.2
Free Cash Flow	10.90	14.72	(25.9)	37.77	44.05	(14.3)
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the end of period	27.66	28.83	(4.1)	27.66	28.83	(4.1)

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3. Free cash flow is calculated by subtracting CapEx from Net Cash Flows from Operating Activities.

Operating Results vs. Forecast

(NT\$bn)	Consolidated					
	Q4 2018 (A)	Q4 2018 (E)	Achieving %	2018 (A)	2018 (E)	Achieving %
Revenues	55.46	63.61 ~ 64.33	86.2 ~ 87.2	215.46	231.47 ~ 232.97	92.5 ~ 93.1
Operating Costs and Expenses	45.45	51.31 ~ 51.73	87.9 ~ 88.6	171.94	182.07 ~ 184.24	93.3 ~ 94.4
Income from Operations	10.21	11.86 ~ 13.00	78.6 ~ 86.1	43.62	47.17 ~ 50.84	85.8 ~ 92.5
Net Income ²	8.42	9.31 ~ 10.24	82.3 ~ 90.5	35.52	37.25 ~ 40.31	88.1 ~ 95.3
EPS	1.09	1.20 ~ 1.32	82.3 ~ 90.5	4.58	4.80 ~ 5.20	88.1 ~ 95.3
EBITDA	18.19	19.85 ~ 20.99	86.6 ~ 91.6	75.49	79.11 ~ 82.79	91.2 ~ 95.4
EBITDA Margin (%)	32.79	31.21 ~ 32.63	-	35.04	34.18 ~ 35.51	-

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2019 Forecast

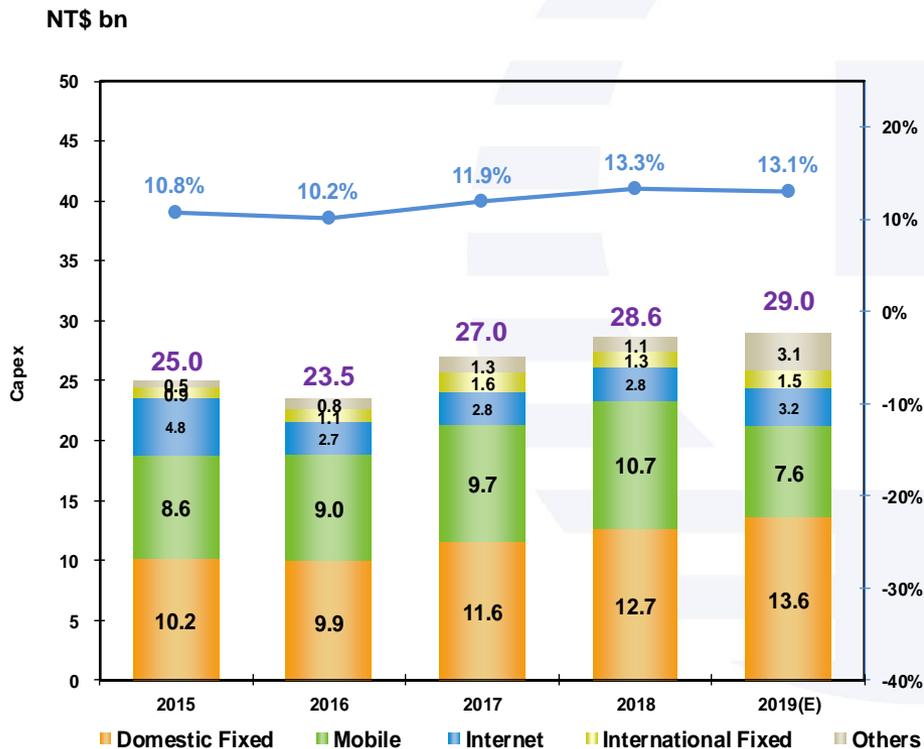
(NT\$bn)	Consolidated		
	2019 (E)	2018	Growth %
Revenues	220.56 ~ 222.91	215.46	2.4 ~ 3.5
Operating Costs and Expenses	177.84 ~ 178.25	171.94	3.4 ~ 3.7
Income from Operations	42.69 ~ 44.63	43.62	(2.1) ~ 2.3
Net Income ²	34.11 ~ 35.68	35.52	(4.0) ~ 0.5
EPS	4.40 ~ 4.60	4.58	(4.0) ~ 0.5
EBITDA	78.03 ~ 79.95	75.49	3.4 ~ 5.9
EBITDA Margin (%)	35.38 ~ 35.87	35.04	-

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3. The information therein is predictive and will not necessarily be fully realized in the future, and that reference to the company's significant accounting policy and summary of basic assumptions shall be made for further details.

Effective and Efficient Capital Expenditure

Capital Expenditure



- Budgeted capex for 2019: NT\$29.0 bn
- Continue to focus on core businesses for future investments
 - FTTx
 - Mobile broadband
 - IDC/ Cloud
 - Service Platforms



Q&A

