



# **1Q 2018 Operating Results**

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# Committed to Improving Shareholder Value

### **Cash Return**



- Board of directors resolved to distribute NT\$37.2 billion to shareholders
  - > NT\$4.796 per share
  - payout ratio 95.7%

- 1. 1 ADR = 10 common shares
- 2. The regular dividend has been calculated based on total share number 7,757,446,545.



# **Business Overview**

## Chunghwa Telecom Overview

### Strong Market Position (a)

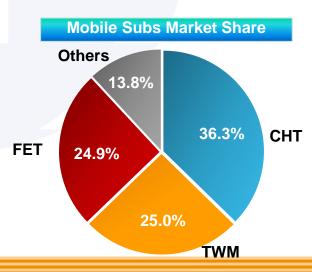
- Domestic Fixed
  - #1 Local
    - 93.3% share by subs (10.63mn subs)
    - 84.2% share by minutes
  - #1 DLD
    - 83.3% share by minutes
  - #1 Broadband access
    - 72.3% share by subs (b)(c) (4.48mn subs)
- Mobile
  - #1 Mobile subscribers
    - 36.3% market share (d) (10.39mn subs)
  - #1 Mobile revenue
    - 37.6% market share (d)(e)
- Internet
  - #1 ISP
    - 67.5% share by subs (4.13mn subs)
- International Fixed
  - #1 ILD
    - 64.6% share by minutes

Source: Company data, MOTC, and NCC statistics

- a) Market share as of March 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.

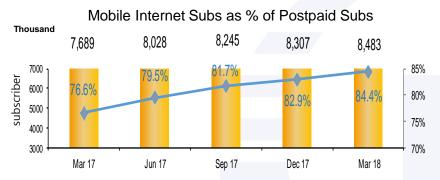
### **Operational Strategies**

- 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



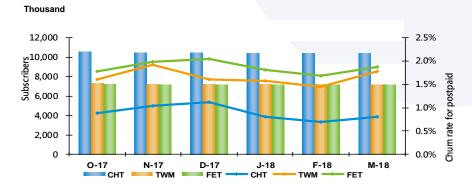
## Number One Mobile Services Provider

### **Mobile Internet Adoption**



Note: Subscribers with mobile internet plan subscription.

## **Highest Subs & Lowest Churn**

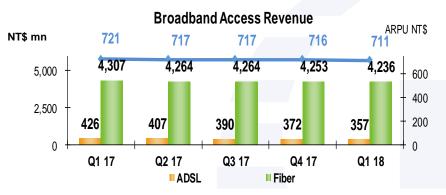


Note: Churn rate for postpaid subscribers

- Continue raising threshold for unlimited data usage to move towards tier-pricing and fair usage policies
- Re-allocate marketing resource to shepherd subscription toward highend bundled plans
- Strengthen subscriber acquisition and retention initiatives
- Promote VAS and new applications
- Grow enterprise customers revenues

## Fixed Broadband and Internet Services

### **Performance**



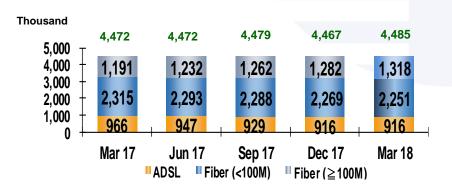
Note1: Broadband ARPU is calculated as access plus ISP

Note2: Revenue is calculated based on T-IFRSs

Note3 : Revenue starting from 2018 are calculated in accordance

with IFRS 15

### **Fixed Broadband Subs**



- 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

## MOD/ IPTV Service

### **Performance**

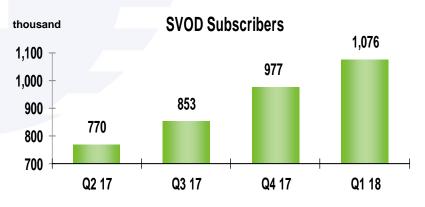
- Accumulated subscription for Q1 2018 grew 27.4% YoY
- Accumulated revenue for Q1 2018 grew 25.2% YoY
- Subscriber market share (CATV+IPTV) grew to 23.5% in Q4 2017

#### MOD subscribers and revenue



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

- 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**

- Completed second phase rack installation of IDC in Banqiao with a 70% occupancy rate so far
- Accumulated more than 500 thousand IoT connected devices

- Leverage our advantage on network infrastructure, IDC, CDN, etc. to expand ICT business
- 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, blockchain and customization
- Cooperate with partners to develop an ecosystem to provide IoT services across various industries



# **Financials Overview**

# Financials: Income Statement Highlights

	Consolidated						
(NT\$bn)	Q1 2018 (Upon the adoption of IFRS 15)	Q1 2017 (Before the adoption of IFRS 15)	Growth %	2017 (Before the adoption of IFRS 15)	2016 (Before the adoption of IFRS 15)	Growth %	
Revenues	53.63	54.53	(1.7)	227.51	229.99	(1.1)	
Operating Costs and Expenses	42.62	42.99	(0.9)	180.71	181.39	(0.4)	
Income from Operations	10.94	11.53	(5.1)	46.70	48.11	(2.9)	
Net Income <sup>2</sup>	8.73	9.59	(9.0)	38.87	40.07	(3.0)	
Net Income Margin <sup>3</sup> (%)	16.78	18.05	-	17.60	17.93	-	
EPS	1.13	1.24	(9.0)	5.01	5.16	(3.0)	
EBITDA	18.91	19.61	(3.6)	78.60	80.58	(2.5)	
EBITDA Margin (%)	35.26	35.96	-	34.55	35.04	-	

- 1. Financials are prepared in accordance with T-IFRSs. Figures for Q1 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\$mn.

# Financials: Business Segment Revenues

(NT\$bn)	Q1 2018	Q1 2017	Growth %	2017	2016	Growth %
Domestic Fixed	15.80	16.78	(5.8)	71.14	72.51	(1.9)
Local	6.94	7.39	(6.1)	29.60	31.65	(6.5)
DLD	0.61	0.65	(6.6)	2.65	2.88	(8.0)
Broadband Access	4.59	4.73	(3.0)	18.68	19.03	(1.8)
MOD	0.77	0.61	25.2	2.55	2.36	8.3
Mobile	26.78	26.66	0.5	109.38	110.80	(1.3)
Mobile Voice	6.38	8.49	(24.9)	32.60	37.29	(12.6)
Mobile VAS	9.66	10.60	(8.8)	43.22	41.50	4.2
Sales of Mobile Handsets, and Data Cards	10.45	7.29	43.3	32.20	30.85	4.4
Internet	6.99	6.90	1.2	28.92	27.92	3.6
Data Communications	5.27	5.31	(0.9)	21.37	20.73	3.1
Application VAS	1.19	1.04	14.5	5.20	5.14	1.2
International Fixed	2.97	3.15	(5.7)	13.55	14.88	(8.9)
ILD	1.40	1.71	(18.4)	7.38	8.83	(16.4)
Leased line	0.51	0.49	4.9	1.95	1.80	8.0
Others	1.10	1.05	4.8	4.53	3.87	17.0
Total	53.63	54.53	(1.7)	227.51	229.99	(1.1)

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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

	Consolidated						
(NT\$bn)	Q1 2018 (Upon the adoption of IFRS 15)	Q1 2017 (Before the adoption of IFRS 15)	Growth %	2017 (Before the adoption of IFRS 15)	2016 (Before the adoption of IFRS 15)	Growth %	
Operating Costs	34.60	34.62	(0.0)	146.84	147.55	(0.5)	
Operating Expenses	8.02	8.37	(4.2)	33.87	33.84	0.1	
Marketing	5.89	6.28	(6.2)	25.36	25.52	(0.6)	
General and Administrative	1.20	1.17	2.8	4.63	4.54	2.0	
R&D Expense	0.93	0.92	0.5	3.88	3.78	2.7	
Total	42.62	42.99	(0.9)	180.71	181.39	(0.4)	

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## Financials: Cash Flow

	Consolidated						
(NT\$bn)	Q1 2018 (Upon the adoption of IFRS 15)	Q1 2017 (Before the adoption of IFRS 15)	Growth %	2017 (Before the adoption of IFRS 15)	2016 (Before the adoption of IFRS 15)	Growth %	
Net Cash Flow from Operating Activities	7.39	10.65	(30.6)	70.93	64.95	9.2	
CapEx	4.39	4.61	(4.8)	26.87	23.52	14.3	
Free Cash Flow	3.00	6.04	(50.3)	44.06	41.43	6.3	
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the end of period	31.59	38.01	(16.9)	28.83	31.10	(7.3)	

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

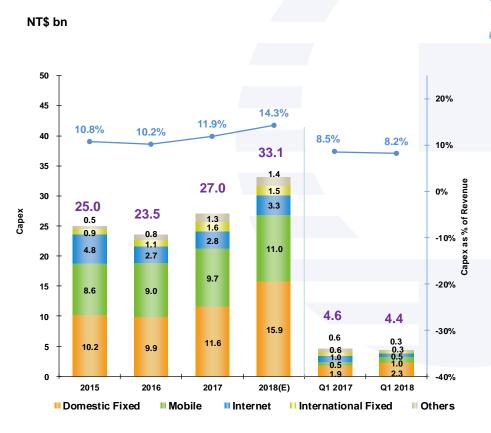
# Operating Results vs. Forecast

	Consolidated							
(NT\$bn)	Q1 2018 (A)	Q1 2018 (E)	Achieving %	2018 (E)	Achieving %			
Revenues	53.63	53.94 ~ 54.16	99.0 ~ 99.4	231.47 ~ 232.97	23.0 ~ 23.2			
Operating Costs and Expenses	42.62	42.11 ~ 42.72	99.8 ~ 101.2	182.07 ~ 184.24	23.1 ~ 23.4			
Income from Operations	10.94	11.22 ~ 12.04	90.9 ~ 97.6	47.17 ~ 50.84	21.5 ~ 23.2			
Net Income <sup>2</sup>	8.73	8.84 ~ 9.52	91.7 ~ 98.8	37.25 ~ 40.31	21.7 ~ 23.4			
EPS	1.13	1.14 ~ 1.23	91.7 ~ 98.8	4.80 ~ 5.20	21.7 ~ 23.4			
EBITDA	18.91	19.26 ~ 20.09	94.1 ~ 98.2	79.11 ~ 82.79	22.8 ~ 23.9			
EBITDA Margin (%)	35.26	35.71 ~ 37.09	-	34.18 ~ 35.51	-			

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# Effective and Efficient Capital Expenditure

### **Capital Expenditure**



- Budgeted capex for 2018: NT\$33.1bn
- Continue to focus on core businesses for future investments
  - FTTx
  - 4G
  - IDC/ Cloud
  - Service Platforms





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