# **Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd. and Subsidiaries**

Consolidated Financial Statements for the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 and Independent Auditors' Review Report

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REVIEW REPORT

The Board of Directors and Stockholders Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.

#### Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd. and its subsidiaries (the "Company") as of September 30, 2018 and 2017, the related consolidated statements of comprehensive income for the three months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 and for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017, the consolidated statements of changes in equity and cash flows for the nine months then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies (collectively referred to as the "consolidated financial statements"). Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers and International Accounting Standard 34 "Interim Financial Reporting" endorsed and issued into effect by the Financial Supervisory Commission of the Republic of China. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the consolidated financial statements based on our reviews.

#### **Scope of Review**

We conducted our reviews in accordance with Statement of Auditing Standards No. 65 "Review of Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity". A review of consolidated financial statements consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

#### **Conclusion**

Based on our reviews, nothing has come to our attention that caused us to believe that the accompanying consolidated financial statements do not present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Company as of September 30, 2018 and 2017, its consolidated financial performance for the three months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017, and its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 in accordance with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers, and International Accounting Standard 34 "Interim Financial Reporting" endorsed and issued into effect by the Financial Supervisory Commission of the Republic of China.

The engagement partners on the reviews resulting in this independent auditors' review report are Mr. Hung Peng Lin and Mr. Ching Pin Shih.

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November 6, 2018

#### Notice to Readers

The accompanying consolidated financial statements are intended only to present the consolidated financial position, financial performance and cash flows in accordance with accounting principles and practices generally accepted in the Republic of China and not those of any other jurisdictions. The standards, procedures and practices to review such consolidated financial statements are those generally applied in the Republic of China.

For the convenience of readers, the independent auditors' review report and the accompanying consolidated financial statements have been translated into English from the original Chinese version prepared and used in the Republic of China. If there is any conflict between the English version and the original Chinese version or any difference in the interpretation of the two versions, the Chinese-language independent auditors' review report and consolidated financial statements shall prevail.

# CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

	September 30, 2018 (Reviewed)		December 31, 2 (Audited)	017	September 30, 2 (Reviewed)	ewed)	
ASSETS	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	
CURRENT ASSETS							
Cash and cash equivalents (Note 6)	\$ 20,325,004	5	\$ 28,824,935	7	\$ 25,466,108	6	
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (Notes 3, 5 and 7)	195,682	-	-	-	1,878	-	
Hedging derivative financial assets (Notes 3, 5 and 21) Hedging financial assets (Notes 3, 5 and 21)	367	-	-	-	537	-	
Contract assets (Notes 3, 5 and 30)	5,078,820	1	-	-	-	-	
Trade notes and accounts receivable, net (Notes 3, 4, 5, 10 and 30)	29,221,409	6	31,941,094	7	29,833,115	7	
Receivables from related parties (Note 39) Inventories (Notes 5, 11 and 40)	31,067 14,012,185	3	49,367 8,839,615	2	41,012 9,041,373	2	
Prepayments (Notes 5, 12 and 39)	5,069,493	1	2,188,173	-	5,142,945	1	
Other current monetary assets (Note 13)	6,359,264	1	5,308,060	1	5,446,951	1	
Other current assets (Notes 5, 20 and 40)	3,055,785	1	2,182,758	<u>-</u>	2,744,782		
Total current assets	83,349,076	18	79,334,002	<u>17</u>	77,718,701	18	
NONCURRENT ASSETS Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income (Notes 3, 4, 5 and 8)	6,999,165	1	_	_	_	_	
Available-for-sale financial assets (Notes 3, 5 and 9)	-	-	3,125,086	1	3,036,199	1	
Financial assets carried at cost (Notes 3, 5 and 14)	<del>-</del>		2,625,785	1	2,237,376	-	
Investments accounted for using equity method (Note 16)	2,660,106 2,313,689	1 1	2,546,374	-	2,553,947	1	
Contract assets (Notes 3, 5 and 30) Property, plant and equipment (Notes 17, 39 and 40)	2,313,689 286,885,678	63	288,707,910	64	283,501,050	65	
Investment properties (Note 18)	8,037,836	2	8,047,793	2	8,094,492	2	
Intangible assets (Note 19)	51,753,224	11	54,883,268	12	44,792,194	10	
Deferred income tax assets (Note 3)	3,284,365	1	2,730,093	1	2,373,000	1	
Incremental costs of obtaining contracts (Notes 3, 5 and 30) Net defined benefit assets (Notes 3 and 28)	1,587,709 1,069,336	-	12,979	-	958,400	-	
Prepayments (Notes 12 and 39)	3,286,667	1	3,573,345	1	3,614,264	1	
Other noncurrent assets (Notes 20 and 40)	5,234,262	1	5,536,487	1	6,047,244	1	
Total noncurrent assets	373,112,037	82	371,789,120	83	357,208,166	82	
TOTAL	<u>\$ 456,461,113</u>	100	<u>\$ 451,123,122</u>	100	<u>\$ 434,926,867</u>	100	
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY							
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CURRENT LIABILITIES							
Short-term loans (Notes 22 and 40)	\$ 120,000 619	-	\$ 70,000 578	-	\$ 423,000	-	
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss (Notes 3, 5 and 7) Hedging derivative financial liabilities (Notes 3, 5 and 21)	-	-	850		-	-	
Contract liabilities (Notes 3, 5, 27 and 30)	10,392,850	2	-	-	-	-	
Trade notes and accounts payable (Note 24)	20,546,011	5	19,395,889	4	17,643,423	4	
Payables to related parties (Note 39) Current tax liabilities (Notes 3 and 5)	543,919 6,618,229	1	684,185 4,725,698	1	586,248 2,891,477	1	
Other payables (Note 25)	20,888,337	5	25,001,401	6	20,331,708	5	
Provisions (Notes 5 and 26)	104,880	-	188,744	-	146,151	-	
Advance receipts (Notes 3, 5 and 27)	-	-	8,841,858	2	9,171,362	2	
Current portion of long-term loans (Notes 23 and 40) Other current liabilities (Note 5)	1,321,764	-	1,081,156	-	1,600,000 1,213,486	-	
Other current habitudes (Note 3)	1,321,704		1,081,130		1,213,460		
Total current liabilities	60,536,609	13	59,990,359	13	54,006,855	12	
NONCURRENT LIABILITIES							
Contract liabilities (Notes 3, 5, 27 and 30)	2,559,789	1	-	-	-	-	
Long-term loans (Notes 23 and 40)	1,600,000 2,010,974	-	1,600,000 1,429,592	-	1,446,192	-	
Deferred income tax liabilities (Notes 3 and 5) Provisions (Note 26)	74,670		78,513	-	68,251	-	
Customers' deposits (Note 39)	4,664,558	1	4,671,441	1	4,548,472	1	
Net defined benefit liabilities (Notes 3 and 28)	2,086,269	1	2,703,569	1	1,566,566	-	
Deferred revenue (Notes 3 and 5) Other noncurrent liabilities (Note 5)	4 520 962	- 1	3,612,391	1	3,611,569	1	
( ')	4,538,863	1	3,457,677	1	3,547,716	1	
Total noncurrent liabilities	17,535,123	4	17,553,183	4	14,788,766	3	
Total liabilities	78,071,732	17	77,543,542	17	68,795,621	15	
EQUITY ATTRIBUTABLE TO STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PARENT (Notes 5, 15 and 29)  Common stocks	77,574,465	17	77,574,465	17	77,574,465	10	
Additional paid-in capital	171,138,234	<u>17</u> 37	169,466,883	<u>17</u> 38	169,446,456	<u>18</u> 39	
Retained earnings							
Legal reserve	77,574,465	17	77,574,465	17	77,574,465	18	
Special reserve Unappropriated earnings	2,675,419 39,695,528	1 9	2,680,823 37,202,683	1 8	2,680,823 30,192,271	1 7	
Unappropriated earnings Total retained earnings	39,695,528 119,945,412	27	37,202,683 117,457,971	26	110,447,559	26	
Other adjustments	(55,834)		382,666		350,310		
Total equity attributable to stockholders of the parent	368,602,277	81	364,881,985	81	357,818,790	83	
NONCONTROLLING INTERESTS (Notes 5, 15 and 29)	9,787,104	2	8,697,595	2	8,312,456	2	
Total equity	378,389,381	83	373,579,580	83	366,131,246	85	
TOTAL	<u>\$ 456,461,113</u>	<u>_100</u>	<u>\$ 451,123,122</u>	_100	<u>\$ 434,926,867</u>	_100	

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

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Except Earnings Per Share) (Reviewed, Not Audited)

	Three Months Ended September 30			Nine Months Ended September 30				
	2018 Amount	%	2017 Amount	%	2018 Amount	%	Amount	%
	Amount	70	Amount	70	Amount	70	Amount	70
REVENUES (Notes 3, 5, 30, 39 and 44)	\$ 52,704,885	100	\$ 56,424,903	100	\$ 159,995,602	100	\$ 166,629,444	100
OPERATING COSTS (Notes 3, 5, 11, 28, 31, 39 and 44)	34,431,469	65	35,655,368	63	102,074,274	64	105,354,095	63
GROSS PROFIT	18,273,416	<u>35</u>	20,769,535	37	57,921,328	36	61,275,349	37
OPERATING EXPENSES (Notes 3, 5, 28, 31, 39 and 44) Marketing General and administrative Research and development	5,652,316 1,088,377 951,424	11 2 2	6,269,260 1,121,105 945,763	11 2 2	17,260,741 3,447,813 2,786,269	11 2 1	18,704,753 3,442,742 2,825,042	11 2 2
Expected credit loss  Total operating expenses	155,816 7,847,933	15	8,336,128	15	923,781 24,418,604	<u>1</u>	24,972,537	15
rotal operating expenses	7,047,755		0,550,120		24,410,004			
OTHER INCOME AND EXPENSES (Notes 19 and 31)	(8,753)		(16,875)		(89,253)		(33,620)	
INCOME FROM OPERATIONS	10,416,730	20	12,416,532	22	33,413,471	21	36,269,192	22
NON-OPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSES	46 722		51 (02		144 279		150 (50	
Interest income Other income (Notes 8, 31 and	46,722	-	51,692	-	144,378	-	158,658	-
39) Other gains and losses (Notes 31)	267,542	1	130,052	-	625,170	-	634,303	-
and 39) Interest expenses Share of profits of associates and joint ventures accounted	(3,771) (4,508)	-	(84,962) (5,617)	-	(24,569) (13,212)	-	(84,984) (16,384)	-
for using equity method (Note 16)	<u>137,856</u>		74,687		329,528		294,307	<del>-</del>
Total non-operating income and expenses	443,841	1	165,852		1,061,295		985,900	
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAX	10,860,571	21	12,582,384	22	34,474,766	21	37,255,092	22
INCOME TAX EXPENSE (Notes 3, 5 and 32)	2,138,295	4	2,083,099	4	6,691,601	4	6,134,236	4
NET INCOME	8,722,276	<u>17</u>	10,499,285	18	27,783,165	17	31,120,856	18
TOTAL OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS) Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss: Unrealized gain or loss on investments in equity instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income (Note 3)	(137,447)	_	_	_	(824,632)	(1)	_	_
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#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Except Earnings Per Share) (Reviewed, Not Audited)

	Three Months Ended September 30			Nine M	Ionths End	led September 30		
	2018		2017		2018		2017	
	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
Gain or loss on hedging instruments subject to basis adjustment (Notes 3 and 21) Income tax benefit relating to	\$ 667	-	\$ -	-	\$ 1,217	-	\$ -	-
items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss								
(Note 32)			<u>=</u>		207,269			
	(136,780)		<u>-</u>		(616,146)	(1)	<del>_</del>	
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss: Exchange differences arising from the translation of the								
foreign operations Unrealized gain or loss on available-for-sale financial	(15,591)	-	9,810	-	50,761	-	(175,207)	-
assets (Note 31) Cash flow hedges (Notes 21	-	-	544,383	1	-	-	515,172	-
and 31) Share of exchange differences arising from the translation	-	-	(521)	-	-	-	1,124	-
of the foreign operations of associates and joint ventures (Note 16) Income tax benefit relating to items that may be	2,263	-	(132)	-	4,522	-	(3,175)	-
reclassified subsequently to			224				2.052	
profit or loss (Note 32)	(13,328)		<u>224</u> 553,764		55,283		2,053 339,967	
	(13,326)							
Total other comprehensive income (loss), net of income tax	(150,108)		553,764	1	(560,863)	(1)	339,967	
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME	<u>\$ 8,572,168</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>\$ 11,053,049</u>	<u>19</u>	\$ 27,222,302	<u>16</u>	\$ 31,460,823	<u>18</u>
NET INCOME ATTRIBUTABLE								
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Stockholders of the parent Noncontrolling interests	\$ 8,504,207 218,069	17 -	345,874	18	\$ 27,093,228 689,937	17	\$ 30,191,883 <u>928,973</u>	18
Trondoming interests	\$ 8,722,276	<u>17</u>	\$ 10,499,285	18	\$ 27,783,165	17	\$ 31,120,856	18
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COMPREHENSIVE INCOME ATTRIBUTABLE TO								
Stockholders of the parent Noncontrolling interests	\$ 8,368,866 203,302	17 	\$ 10,701,734 <u>351,315</u>	19 	\$ 26,535,177 687,125	16 	\$ 30,547,597 <u>913,226</u>	18 
	<u>\$ 8,572,168</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>\$ 11,053,049</u>	19	\$ 27,222,302	<u>16</u>	\$ 31,460,823	18
EARNINGS PER SHARE (Notes 5 and 33) Basic Diluted	\$ 1.10 \$ 1.10		\$ 1.31 \$ 1.31		\$ 3.49 \$ 3.49		\$ 3.89 \$ 3.89	

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

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars) (Reviewed, Not Audited)

	Equity Attributable to Stockholders of the Parent (Notes 15, 21 and 29)												
		Additional		Retained Earnings	Unappropriated	Exchange Differences Arising from the Translation of the Foreign	Unrealized Gain or Loss on Available-for-sale	Other Adjustments Unrealized Gain or Loss on Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Other Comprehensive	Cash Flow	Gain or Loss on Hedging		Noncontrolling Interests	
BALANCE, JANUARY 1, 2017	Common Stocks	Paid-in Capital	Legal Reserve	Special Reserve	Earnings \$ 38.342.317	Operations \$ 46,068	Financial Assets \$ (50.885)	Income	Hedges \$ (587)	Instruments	Total	(Notes 15 and 29)	Total Equity
BALANCE, JANUARY 1, 2017  Appropriation of 2016 earnings  Provision for special reserve  Cash dividends distributed by Chunghwa	\$ 77,574,465 - -	\$ 168,542,486	\$ 77,574,465 - -	\$ 2,675,419	\$ 38,342,317 (5,404) (38,336,525)	\$ 46,068	\$ (50,885)		\$ (587) - -	-	\$ 364,703,748 - (38,336,525)	\$ 6,495,922	\$ 371,199,670 - (38,336,525)
Cash dividends distributed by subsidiaries	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(942,482)	(942,482)
Change in additional paid-in capital from investments in associates and joint ventures accounted for using equity method	-	12,523	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	12,523	1,916	14,439
Partial disposal of interests in subsidiaries	-	76,714	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76,714	29,217	105,931
Change in additional paid-in capital for not participating in the capital increase of subsidiaries	-	803,342	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	803,342	1,753,711	2,557,053
Net income for the nine months ended September 30, 2017	-	-	-	-	30,191,883	-	-	-	-	-	30,191,883	928,973	31,120,856
Other comprehensive income (loss) for the nine months ended September 30, 2017			<del>-</del>	<del>-</del>		(163,736)	518,326	<del>-</del>	1,124		355,714	(15,747)	339,967
Total comprehensive income (loss) for the nine months ended September 30, 2017				=	30,191,883	(163,736)	518,326		1,124		30,547,597	913,226	31,460,823
Share-based payment transactions of subsidiaries	-	2,074	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,074	15,825	17,899
Net increase in noncontrolling interests		9,317						<del>_</del>			9,317	45,121	54,438
BALANCE, SEPTEMBER 30, 2017	<u>\$ 77,574,465</u>	<u>\$ 169,446,456</u>	<u>\$ 77,574,465</u>	\$ 2,680,823	\$ 30,192,271	<u>\$ (117,668)</u>	<u>\$ 467,441</u>	<u>s -</u>	<u>\$ 537</u>	<u>s -</u>	<u>\$ 357,818,790</u>	<u>\$ 8,312,456</u>	<u>\$ 366,131,246</u>
BALANCE, JANUARY 1, 2018	\$ 77,574,465	\$ 169,466,883	\$ 77,574,465	\$ 2,680,823	\$ 37,202,683	\$ (174,593)	\$ 558,109	-	\$ (850)	\$ -	\$ 364,881,985	\$ 8,697,595	\$ 373,579,580
Effect of retrospective application (Note 5)					12,393,167		(558,109)	883,420	850	(850)	12,718,478	(3,945)	12,714,533
BALANCE, JANUARY 1, 2018 AS ADJUSTED	77,574,465	169,466,883	77,574,465	2,680,823	49,595,850	(174,593)	-	883,420	-	(850)	377,600,463	8,693,650	386,294,113
Appropriation of 2017 earnings Reversal of special reserve Cash dividends distributed by Chunghwa	:		:	(5,404)	5,404 (37,204,714)	:	:	-	:	-	(37,204,714)	:	(37,204,714)
Cash dividends distributed by subsidiaries	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(958,446)	(958,446)
Unclaimed dividend	-	2,481	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,481	-	2,481
Change in additional paid-in capital from investments in associates and joint ventures accounted for using equity method	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	203	204
Partial disposal of interests in subsidiaries	-	826,047	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	826,047	348,353	1,174,400
Change in additional paid-in capital for not participating in the capital increase of subsidiaries	-	776,781	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	776,781	699,899	1,476,680
Net income for the nine months ended September 30, 2018	-	-	-	-	27,093,228	-	-	-	-	-	27,093,228	689,937	27,783,165
Other comprehensive income (loss) for the nine months ended September 30, 2018					205,760	61,411		(826,439)	<u>-</u>	1,217	(558,051)	(2,812)	(560,863)
Total comprehensive income (loss) for the nine months ended September 30, 2018					27,298,988	61,411		(826,439)		1,217	26,535,177	687,125	27,222,302
Share-based payment transactions of subsidiaries	-	12,119	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,119	38,120	50,239
Net increase in noncontrolling interests		53,922						<del>-</del>			53,922	278,200	332,122
BALANCE, SEPTEMBER 30, 2018	\$ 77,574,465	<u>\$ 171,138,234</u>	<u>\$ 77,574,465</u>	\$ 2,675,419	\$ 39,695,528	<u>\$ (113,182)</u>	<u>s -</u>	\$ 56,981	<u>s -</u>	<u>\$ 367</u>	\$ 368,602,277	\$ 9,787,104	\$ 378,389,381

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**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS** (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars) (Reviewed, Not Audited)

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Income before income tax Adjustments for:  2018  3017  31,255,092
Income before income tax \$ 34,474,766 \$ 37,255,092 Adjustments for:
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Adjustments for:
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Depreciation 20,613,767 21,224,411
Amortization 3,282,482 2,687,735
Amortization of incremental costs of obtaining contracts 1,519,228 -
Expected credit loss 923,781 -
Provision for doubtful accounts - 461,764
Interest expenses 13,212 16,384
Interest income (144,378) (158,658)
Dividend income (395,593) (327,861)
Compensation cost of share-based payment transactions 16,940 17,899
Share of profits of associates and joint ventures accounted for
using equity method (329,528) (294,307)
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment 38,503 33,620
Gain on disposal of financial instruments (5,763) (2,705)
Loss on disposal of investments accounted for using equity
method 125 -
Provision for inventory and obsolescence 122,884 23,351
Impairment loss on intangible assets 50,750 -
Valuation gain on financial assets and liabilities at fair value
through profit or loss, net (4,666) (3,234)
Loss (gain) on foreign exchange, net (3,700) 74,294
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:
Decrease (increase) in:
Financial assets held for trading - 217
Financial assets mandatorily measured at fair value through
profit or loss (132,790) -
Contract assets 2,570,131 -
Trade notes and accounts receivable 1,944,866 1,004,382
Receivables from related parties 18,300 (27,213)
Inventories (5,427,540) (1,641,950)
Prepayments (2,602,270) (2,537,687)
Other current monetary assets (238,682) (394,463)
Other current assets $(740,941)$ $(623,005)$
Incremental cost of obtaining contracts (632,794)
Increase (decrease) in:
Contract liabilities 2,322,465 -
Trade notes and accounts payable 1,149,538 (1,166,289)
Payables to related parties (140,266) (175,825)
Other payables $(3,540,858)$ $(3,420,268)$
Provisions (135) 29,588
Advance receipts - (309,884)
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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars) (Reviewed, Not Audited)

	Nine Months End	led September 30 2017
	2018	2017
Other operating liabilities	\$ (37,764)	\$ (77,837)
Deferred revenue	-	65,377
Net defined benefit plans	(1,673,657)	(10,012)
Cash generated from operations	53,010,413	51,722,916
Interest paid	(13,212)	(16,375)
		(5,777,058)
Income tax paid	(6,790,207)	(3,777,038)
Net cash provided by operating activities	46,206,994	45,929,483
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchase of financial assets at fair value through other		
comprehensive income	(289,580)	-
Proceeds from capital reduction of financial assets at fair value	, , , ,	
through other comprehensive income	4,022	-
Acquisition of time deposits and negotiable certificates of deposit	•	
with maturities of more than three months	(6,020,219)	(5,635,498)
Proceeds from disposal of time deposits and negotiable certificates	(-)	(-))
of deposit with maturities of more than three months	5,262,202	5,333,570
Proceeds from disposal of held-to-maturity financial assets	-,,	2,140,000
Proceeds from disposal of financial assets carried at cost	_	7,292
Proceeds from capital reduction of financial assets carried at cost	_	500
Proceeds from disposal of investments accounted for using equity		200
method	3,379	_
Proceeds from capital reduction of investments accounted for using	3,377	
equity method	19,184	
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment	(19,346,884)	(16,591,455)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	32,661	148,771
Acquisition of intangible assets	(203,261)	(126,611)
Acquisition of investment properties	(5,627)	(120,011)
Decrease (increase) in other noncurrent assets	824	(1,257,256)
Interest received		,
	148,339	185,734
Cash dividends received	599,621	625,559
Net cash used in investing activities	(19,795,339)	(15,169,394)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from short-term loans	260,000	5,351,500
Repayment of short-term loans	(210,000)	(5,066,500)
Decrease in customers' deposits	(8,400)	(99,621)
Increase (decrease) in other noncurrent liabilities	216,958	(34,851)
Cash dividends	(37,204,714)	(38,336,525)
Partial disposal of interests in subsidiaries without losing control	1,174,400	105,931
Cash dividends distributed to noncontrolling interests	(958,446)	(942,482)
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# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

(Reviewed, Not Audited)

	Nine Months End	ed September 30
	2018	2017
Change in other noncontrolling interests Unclaimed dividend	\$ 1,842,101 2,481	\$ 2,611,491
Net cash used in financing activities	(34,885,620)	(36,411,057)
EFFECT OF EXCHANGE RATE CHANGES ON CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(25,966)	16,734
NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(8,499,931)	(5,634,234)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF PERIOD	28,824,935	31,100,342
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF PERIOD	\$ 20,325,004	\$ 25,466,108
The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated finance	eial statements.	(Concluded)

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2018 AND 2017 (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Unless Stated Otherwise) (Reviewed, Not Audited)

#### 1. GENERAL

Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd. ("Chunghwa") was incorporated on July 1, 1996 in the Republic of China ("ROC") pursuant to the Article 30 of the Telecommunications Act. Chunghwa is a company limited by shares and, prior to August 2000, was wholly owned by the Ministry of Transportation and Communications ("MOTC"). Prior to July 1, 1996, the current operations of Chunghwa were carried out under the Directorate General of Telecommunications ("DGT"). The DGT was established by the MOTC in June 1943 to take primary responsibility in the development of telecommunications infrastructure and to formulate policies related to telecommunications. On July 1, 1996, the telecom operations of the DGT were spun-off as Chunghwa which continues to carry out the business and the DGT continues to be the industry regulator.

As the dominant telecommunications service provider of domestic and international fixed-line, Global System for Mobile Communications ("GSM"), and Third Generation ("3G") in the ROC, Chunghwa is subject to additional regulations imposed by the ROC.

Effective August 12, 2005, the MOTC completed the process of privatizing Chunghwa by reducing the government ownership to below 50% in various stages. In July 2000, Chunghwa received approval from the Securities and Futures Commission (the "SFC") for a domestic initial public offering and its common stocks were listed and traded on the Taiwan Stock Exchange (the "TWSE") on October 27, 2000. Certain of Chunghwa's common stocks were sold, in connection with the foregoing privatization plan, in domestic public offerings at various dates from August 2000 to July 2003. Certain of Chunghwa's common stocks were also sold in an international offering of securities in the form of American Depository Shares ("ADS") on July 17, 2003 and were listed and traded on the New York Stock Exchange (the "NYSE"). The MOTC sold common stocks of Chunghwa by auction in the ROC on August 9, 2005 and completed the second international offering on August 10, 2005. Upon completion of the share transfers associated with these offerings on August 12, 2005, the MOTC owned less than 50% of the outstanding shares of Chunghwa and completed the privatization plan.

Chunghwa together with its subsidiaries are hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Company".

The consolidated financial statements are presented in Chunghwa's functional currency, New Taiwan dollars.

#### 2. APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The consolidated financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on November 6, 2018.

#### 3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Except for the following items, the accounting policies applied in these consolidated financial statements are consistent with those applied in the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2017. Please refer to the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2017 for the details.

#### **Statement of Compliance**

The accompanying consolidated financial statements have been prepared in conformity with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers and International Accounting Standard 34 "Interim Financial Reporting" endorsed and issued into effect by the Financial Supervisory Commission (the "FSC"). The consolidated financial statements do not present all the disclosures required for a complete set of annual consolidated financial statements as required by International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS), International Accounting Standards (IAS), International Financing Reporting Interpretations Committee (IFRIC) and SIC Interpretation (SIC) (collectively, the "IFRSs") endorsed and issued into effect by the FSC.

#### **Basis of Consolidation**

The detail information of the subsidiaries at the end of reporting period was as follows:

			Percentage of Ownership			
Name of Investor	Name of Investee	Main Businesses and Products	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017	Note
Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Senao International Co., Ltd. ("SENAO")	Handset and peripherals retailer; sales of CHT mobile phone plans as an agent	28	29	29	a.
	Light Era Development Co., Ltd. ("LED")	Planning and development of real estate and intelligent buildings, and property management	100	100	100	
	Donghwa Telecom Co., Ltd. ("DHT")	International private leased circuit, IP VPN service, and IP transit services	100	100	100	
	Chunghwa Telecom Singapore Pte., Ltd. ("CHTS")	International private leased circuit, IP VPN service, and IP transit services	100	100	100	
	Chunghwa System Integration Co., Ltd. ("CHSI")	Providing system integration services and telecommunications equipment	100	100	100	
	Chunghwa Investment Co., Ltd. ("CHI")	Investment	89	89	89	
	CHIEF Telecom Inc. ("CHIEF")	Network integration, internet data center ("IDC"), communications integration and cloud application services	57	67	67	b.
	CHYP Multimedia Marketing & Communications Co., Ltd. ("CHYP")	Digital information supply services and advertisement services	100	100	100	c.
	Prime Asia Investments Group Ltd. (B.V.I.) ("Prime Asia")	Investment	100	100	100	
	Spring House Entertainment Tech. Inc. ("SHE")	Software design services, internet contents production and play, and motion picture production and distribution	56	56	56	
	Chunghwa Telecom Global, Inc. ("CHTG")	International private leased circuit, internet services, and transit services	100	100	100	
	Chunghwa Telecom Vietnam Co., Ltd. ("CHTV")	Intelligent energy saving solutions, international circuit, and information and communication technology ("ICT") services.	100	100	100	
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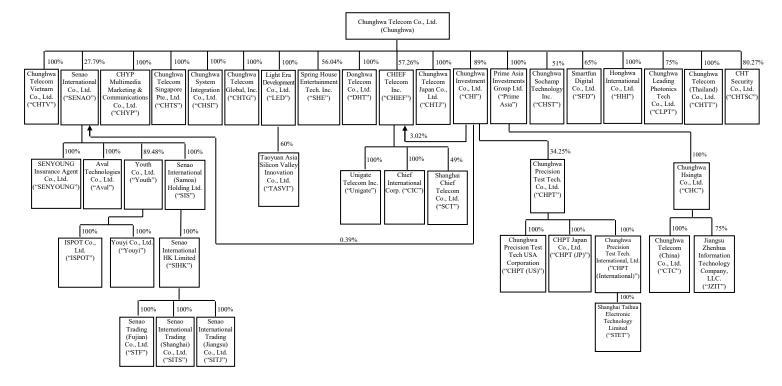
			Percentage of Ownership			
Name of Investor	Name of Investee	Main Businesses and Products	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017	Note
	Smartfun Digital Co., Ltd. ("SFD")	Providing diversified family education digital services	65	65	65	
	Chunghwa Telecom Japan Co., Ltd. ("CHTJ")	International private leased circuit, IP VPN service, and IP transit services	100	100	100	
	Chunghwa Sochamp Technology Inc. ("CHST")	Design, development and production of Automatic License Plate Recognition software and hardware	51	51	51	
	Honghwa International Co., Ltd. ("HHI")	Telecommunications engineering, sales agent of mobile phone plan application and other business services	100	100	100	
	Chunghwa Leading Photonics Tech Co., Ltd. ("CLPT")	Production and sale of electronic components and finished products	75	75	75	
	Chunghwa Telecom (Thailand) Co., Ltd. ("CHTT")	International private leased circuit, IP VPN service, ICT and cloud VAS services	100	100	100	d.
	CHT Security Co., Ltd. ("CHTSC")	Computing equipment installation, wholesale of computing and business machinery equipment and software, management consulting services, data processing services, digital information supply services and internet identify services	80	80	-	e.
	New Prospect Investments Holdings Ltd. (B.V.I.) ("New Prospect")	Investment	-	-	-	f.
Senao International Co., Ltd.	Senao International (Samoa) Holding Ltd. ("SIS")	International investment	100	100	100	
Co., Etd.	Youth Co., Ltd. ("Youth")	Sale of information and communication technologies products	89	89	89	
	Aval Technologies Co., Ltd. ("Aval")	Sale of information and communication technologies products	100	100	100	
	SENYOUNG Insurance Agent Co., Ltd. ("SENYOUNG")	Property and liability insurance agency	100	100	-	g.
Youth Co., Ltd.	ISPOT Co., Ltd. ("ISPOT")	Sale of information and communication technologies products	100	100	100	
	Youyi Co., Ltd. ("Youyi")	Maintenance of information and communication technologies products	100	100	100	
Light Era Development Co., Ltd.	Taoyuan Asia Silicon Valley Innovation Co., Ltd. ("TASVI")	Development of real estate	60	-	-	h.
CHIEF Telecom Inc.	Unigate Telecom Inc.	Telecommunications and	100	100	100	
	("Unigate") Chief International Corp.	internet service Telecommunications and	100	100	100	
	("CIC") Shanghai Chief Telecom Co., Ltd. ("SCT")	internet service Telecommunications and internet service	49	49	49	
Chunghwa System Integration Co., Ltd.	Concord Technology Co., Ltd. ("Concord")	Investment	-	100	100	i.
Chunghwa Investment Co., Ltd.	Chunghwa Precision Test Tech. Co., Ltd. ("CHPT")	Production and sale of semiconductor testing components and printed circuit board	34	38	38	j.
					(Conti	nued)

			Percentage of Ownership			
Name of Investor	Name of Investee	Main Businesses and Products	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017	Note
Concord Technology Co., Ltd.	Glory Network System Service (Shanghai) Co., Ltd. ("GNSS (Shanghai)")	Design, development and production of computer and internet software, installment, maintenance and consulting services of information system integration, and sales of self-production products	-	-	-	k.
Chunghwa Precision Test Tech. Co., Ltd.	Chunghwa Precision Test Tech. USA Corporation ("CHPT (US)")	Design and after-sale services of semiconductor testing components and printed circuit board	100	100	100	
	CHPT Japan Co., Ltd. ("CHPT (JP)")	Related services of electronic parts, machinery processed products and printed circuit board	100	100	100	
	Chunghwa Precision Test Tech. International, Ltd. ("CHPT (International)")	Wholesale and retail of electronic materials, and investment	100	100	100	
Senao International (Samoa) Holding Ltd.	Senao International HK Limited ("SIHK")	International investment	100	100	100	
Senao International HK Limited	Senao Trading (Fujian) Co., Ltd. ("STF")	Sale of information and communication technologies products	100	100	100	1.
	Senao International Trading (Shanghai) Co., Ltd. ("SITS")	Sale of information and communication technologies products	100	100	100	
	Senao International Trading (Shanghai) Co., Ltd.	Maintenance of information and communication	-	100	100	m.
	("SEITS") Senao International Trading (Jiangsu) Co., Ltd. ("SITJ")	technologies products Sale of information and communication technologies products	100	100	100	n.
Prime Asia Investments Group Ltd. (B.V.I.)	Chunghwa Hsingta Co., Ltd. ("CHC")	Investment	100	100	100	
Chunghwa Hsingta Co., Ltd. ("CHC")	Chunghwa Telecom (China) Co., Ltd. ("CTC")	Integrated information and communication solution services for enterprise clients, and intelligent energy network service	100	100	100	
	Jiangsu Zhenhua Information Technology Company, LLC. ("JZIT")	Providing intelligent energy saving solution and intelligent buildings services	75	75	75	0.
Chunghwa Precision Test Tech. International, Ltd.	Shanghai Taihua Electronic Technology Limited ("STET")	Design of printed circuit board and related consultation service	100	100	100	
					(Concl	uded)

a. SENAO transferred its treasury stock to employees in June 2018 and the Company's ownership interest in SENAO decreased to 28.18% as of September 30, 2018. Chunghwa had originally four out of seven seats of the Board of Directors of SENAO through the support of large beneficial stockholders. In order to comply with the local regulations, SENAO increased two seats of independent directors in June 2016; therefore, total seats of its Board of Directors increased to nine and Chunghwa continues to hold four out of nine seats of the Board of Directors. As Chunghwa remains the control over SENAO's relevant activities, the accounts of SENAO are included in the consolidated financial statements.

- b. Chunghwa and CHI disposed some shares of CHIEF in June 2017 before CHIEF traded its shares on the emerging stock market according to the local requirements. The Company's equity ownership of CHIEF decreased to 70.43% as of September 30 and December 31, 2017. CHIEF issued new shares in March 2018 as its employees exercised their options. In addition, Chunghwa and CHI disposed some shares of CHIEF in May 2018 before CHIEF traded its shares on the General Stock Market of the Taipei Exchange according to the local requirements. Furthermore, Chunghwa and CHI did not participate in the capital increase of CHIEF in June 2018. Therefore, the Company's equity ownership interest in CHIEF decreased to 60.28% as of September 30, 2018.
- c. Chunghwa International Yellow Pages Co., Ltd. changed its name to CHYP Multimedia Marketing & Communications Co., Ltd. starting from September 4, 2017.
- d. Chunghwa invested 100% equity shares of Chunghwa Telecom (Thailand) Co., Ltd. ("CHTT") in March 2017.
- e. Chunghwa invested 80.27% equity shares of CHT Security Co., Ltd. ("CHTSC") in December 2017.
- f. New Prospect was approved to dissolve its business in April 2017. The liquidation of New Prospect was completed in May 2017.
- g. SENAO invested 100% equity shares of SENYOUNG Insurance Agent Co., Ltd. ("SENYOUNG") in November 2017.
- h. LED invested 60% equity shares of Taoyuan Asia Silicon Valley Innovation Co., Ltd. ("TASVI") in March 2018.
- i. Concord was approved to end and dissolve its business in August 2017. The liquidation of Concord was completed in January 2018.
- j. CHI did not participate in the capital increase of CHPT in September 2017 and disposed some shares of CHPT from April to August 2018. Therefore, its ownership interest in CHPT decreased to 34.25% as of September 30, 2018. However, considering the absolute and relative size of ownership interest, and the dispersion of shares owned by the other stockholders, the management concluded that the Company has a sufficiently dominant voting interest to direct the relevant activities; hence, CHPT is deemed as a subsidiary of the Company.
- k. GNSS (Shanghai) completed its liquidation in August 2017 and Concord received the proceeds from the liquidation.
- 1. STF was approved to end and dissolve its business in September 2018. The liquidation of STF is still in process.
- m. SEITS completed its liquidation in March 2018.
- n. SITJ was approved to end and dissolve its business in April 2018. The liquidation of SITJ is still in process.
- o. JZIT was approved to end and dissolve its business in May 2016. The liquidation of JZIT is still in process.

The following diagram presents information regarding the relationship and ownership percentages between Chunghwa and its subsidiaries as of September 30, 2018:



#### **Other Significant Accounting Policies**

The Company initial applied IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments" and IFRS 15 "Revenue from Contracts with Customers" on January 1, 2018, and elected not to restate the figures in comparative periods. Different accounting policies for each accounting periods as a result of the application of new accounting standards are listed by year separately.

#### a. Retirement benefits

Pension cost for an interim period is calculated on a year-to-date basis by using the actuarially determined pension cost rate at the end of the prior financial year, adjusted for significant market fluctuations since that time and for other significant one-off events.

#### b. Taxation

Income tax expense represents the sum of the tax currently payable and deferred tax. Income taxes for interim period are assessed on an annual basis and calculated by applying to an interim period's pre-tax income the tax rate that would be applicable to expected total annual earnings. The effect of a change in tax rate resulting from a change in tax law is recognized in consistent with the accounting for the transaction itself for which the tax consequence arises from, and is recognized in profit or loss or other comprehensive income in full in the period in which the change in tax rate occurs.

The measurement of deferred tax assets and liabilities reflects the tax consequences that would follow from the manner in which the Company expects, at the end of the reporting period, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities.

#### c. Financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognized when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instruments.

Financial assets and financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition of financial assets and financial liabilities (other than financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss) are added to the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities, as appropriate, on initial recognition. Transaction costs directly attributable to the acquisition of financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are recognized immediately in profit or loss.

#### 1) Financial assets

All regular way purchases or sales of financial assets are recognized and derecognized on a trade date basis.

#### a) Measurement category

#### 2018

i. Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss (FVTPL)

Financial asset is classified as at FVTPL when the financial asset is mandatorily classified as at FVTPL. Financial assets mandatorily classified as at FVTPL include investments in equity instruments which are not designated as at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI).

Financial assets at FVTPL are stated at fair value, with any gains or losses arising on remeasurement recognized in profit or loss. The net gain or loss recognized in profit or loss does not incorporate any dividend earned on the financial asset. Fair value is determined in the manner described in Note 38.

#### ii. Financial assets at amortized cost

Financial assets that meet the following conditions are subsequently measured at amortized cost:

- a. The financial asset is held within a business model whose objective is to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows; and
- b. The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

Subsequent to initial recognition, financial assets at amortized cost are measured at amortized cost, which equals to gross carrying amount determined by the effective interest method less any impairment loss, except for short-term receivables as the effect of discounting is immaterial. Exchange differences are recognized in profit or loss.

#### iii. Investments in equity instruments at FVOCI

On initial recognition, the Company may make an irrevocable election to designate investments in equity instruments as at FVOCI. Designation at FVOCI is not permitted if the equity investment is held for trading or if it is contingent consideration recognized by an acquirer in a business combination.

Investments in equity instruments at FVOCI are subsequently measured at fair value with gains and losses arising from changes in fair value recognized in other comprehensive income and accumulated in other equity. The cumulative gain or loss will not be reclassified to profit or loss on disposal of the equity investments. Instead, it will be transferred to retained earnings.

Dividends on these investments in equity instruments are recognized in profit or loss when the Company's right to receive the dividends is established, unless the dividends clearly represent a recovery of part of the cost of the investment.

#### 2017

#### i. Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss (FVTPL)

Financial assets are classified as at FVTPL when the financial asset is held for trading.

Financial assets at FVTPL are stated at fair value, with any gains or losses arising on remeasurement recognized in profit or loss. The net gain or loss recognized in profit or loss does not incorporate any dividend or interest earned on the financial asset.

#### ii. Held-to-maturity financial assets

The Company invests in bank debentures and corporate bonds with specific credit ratings and the Company has positive intent and ability to hold to maturity, are classified as held-to-maturity investments.

Subsequent to initial recognition, held-to-maturity financial assets are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method less any impairment loss.

#### iii. Available-for-sale financial assets (AFS financial assets)

AFS financial assets are non-derivatives that are either designated as AFS or are not classified as loans and receivables, held-to-maturity financial assets or financial assets at fair value through profit or loss.

The Company invests in listed stocks, emerging market stocks and non-listed stocks. Among these investments, those that have a quoted market price in an active market are classified as AFS and measured at fair value at the end of each reporting period; the others that do not have a quoted market price in an active market and whose fair value cannot be reliably measured are measured at cost less any identified impairment losses at the end of each reporting period by presenting in a separate line item as financial assets carried at cost. If, in a subsequent period, the fair value of the financial assets can be reliably measured, the financial assets are remeasured at fair value. The difference between the carrying amount and the fair value is recognized in other comprehensive income. Any impairment losses are recognized in profit or loss.

Changes in the carrying amount of AFS monetary financial assets relating to changes in foreign currency exchange rates, interest income calculated using the effective interest method and dividends on AFS equity investments are recognized in profit or loss. Other changes in the carrying amount of AFS financial assets are recognized in other comprehensive income and will be reclassified to profit or loss when the investment is disposed of or is determined to be impaired.

Dividends on AFS equity instruments are recognized in profit or loss when the Company's right to receive the dividends is established.

#### iv. Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables (including cash and cash equivalents, trade notes and accounts receivable, receivables from related parties, other financial assets and refundable deposits) are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method, less any impairment loss, except for short-term receivables as the effect of discounting is immaterial.

#### b) Impairment of financial assets

#### 2018

The Company recognizes a loss allowance for expected credit losses on financial assets at amortized cost (including accounts receivable) and contract assets.

The Company recognizes lifetime Expected Credit Loss (ECL) for accounts receivable and contract assets. For all other financial instruments, the Company recognizes lifetime ECL when there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition. If, on the other hand, the credit risk on the financial instrument has not increased significantly since initial recognition, the Company measures the loss allowance for that financial instrument at an amount equal to 12-month ECL.

Expected credit losses reflect the weighted average of credit losses with the respective risks of a default occurring as the weights. Lifetime ECL represents the expected credit losses that will result from all possible default events over the expected life of a financial instrument. In contrast, 12-month ECL represents the portion of ECL that is expected to result from default events on a financial instrument that are possible within 12 months after the reporting date.

The Company recognizes an impairment loss for all financial instruments with a corresponding adjustment to their carrying amount through a loss allowance account.

#### 2017

Financial assets, other than those at FVTPL, are assessed to determine whether there is objective evidence that an impairment loss has occurred at the end of each reporting period. Financial assets are considered to be impaired when there is objective evidence that, as a result of one or more events that occurred after the initial recognition of the financial asset, the estimated future cash flows of the investment have been affected.

For financial assets carried at amortized cost, such as held-to-maturity financial assets and trade notes and accounts receivable, assets that are individually assessed and not impaired are, in addition, assessed for impairment on a collective basis.

For financial assets carried at amortized cost, the amount of the impairment loss recognized is mainly based on 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. However, since the discounted effect of short-term receivables is immaterial, the impairment loss is recognized on the difference between carrying amount and estimated future cash flow.

For financial assets measured at amortized cost, 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 was recognized, the previously recognized impairment loss is reversed through profit or loss to the extent that the carrying amount of the investment at the date the impairment is reversed does not exceed what the amortized cost would have been had the impairment not been recognized.

For AFS equity investments, a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of the security below its cost is considered to be objective evidence of impairment.

When an AFS financial asset is considered to be impaired, cumulative gains or losses previously recognized in other comprehensive income are reclassified to profit or loss in the period.

In respect of AFS equity securities, impairment losses previously recognized in profit or loss are not reversed through profit or loss. Any increase in fair value subsequent to an impairment loss is recognized in other comprehensive income.

For financial assets that are carried at cost, the amount of the impairment loss is mainly measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of the estimated future cash flows discounted at the current market rate of return for a similar financial asset. Such impairment loss is not reversed in subsequent periods.

The carrying amount of the financial asset is reduced by the impairment loss directly for all financial assets with the exception of trade notes and accounts receivable and other receivables, where the carrying amount is reduced through the use of an allowance account. When trade notes and accounts receivable and other receivables are considered uncollectible, it is written off against the allowance account. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited against the allowance account. Changes in the carrying amount of the allowance account are recognized in profit or loss except for uncollectible trade notes and accounts receivable and other receivables that are written off against the allowance account.

#### c) Derecognition of financial assets

The Company derecognizes a financial asset only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire, or when it transfers the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset to another entity.

#### 2018

On derecognition of a financial asset measured at amortized cost in its entirely, the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the sum of the consideration received and receivable is recognized in profit or loss.

On derecognition of investments in equity instruments at FVOCI in its entirely, the cumulative gain or loss is directly transferred to retained earnings, and it is not reclassified to profit or loss.

#### 2017

On derecognition of a financial asset in its entirety, the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the sum of the consideration received and receivable and the cumulative gain or loss that had been recognized in other comprehensive income is recognized in profit or loss.

#### 2) Financial liabilities

#### a) Subsequent measurement

Except for financial liabilities at FVTPL, all the financial liabilities are subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method.

#### b) Derecognition of financial liabilities

The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability derecognized and the consideration paid and payable, including any non-cash assets transferred or liabilities assumed, is recognized in profit or loss.

#### 3) Derivative financial instruments

The Company enters into a variety of derivative financial instruments to manage its exposure to foreign exchange rate risks, including forward exchange contracts.

Derivatives are initially measured at fair value at the date the derivative contracts are entered into and are subsequently remeasured to their fair value at the end of each reporting period. The resulting gain or loss is recognized in profit or loss immediately unless the derivative is designated and effective as a hedging instrument, in which event the timing of the recognition in profit or loss depends on the nature of the hedge relationship. When the fair value of derivative financial instruments is positive, the derivative is recognized as a financial asset; when the fair value of derivative financial instruments is negative, the derivative is recognized as a financial liability.

For derivatives embedded in non-derivative host contracts that are financial assets within the scope of IFRS 9, the whole hybrid contracts shall be measured as one and the classification is determined by the entire hybrid contract. For derivatives embedded in non-derivative host contracts that are not financial assets within the scope of IFRS 9 (e.g. financial liabilities), the embedded derivatives are separated from the host contract when (1) a separate instrument with the same terms as the embedded derivative would meet the definition of a derivative; (2) the risks and economic characteristics of the embedded derivatives are not closely related to those of the host contracts; and (3) the hybrid contracts are not measured at FVTPL.

#### 4) Hedge Accounting

The Company designates some derivatives instruments as cash flow hedges. Hedges of foreign exchange risk on firm commitments are accounted for as cash flow hedges.

The effective portion of changes in the fair value of derivatives that are designated and qualify as cash flow hedges is recognized in other comprehensive income. The gain or loss relating to the ineffective portion is recognized immediately in profit or loss.

The associated gains or losses that were recognized in other comprehensive income are reclassified from equity to profit or loss as a reclassification adjustment in the line item relating to the hedged item in the same period when the hedged item affects profit or loss. If a hedge of a forecast transaction subsequently results in the recognition of a non-financial asset or a non-financial liability, the associated gains and losses that were recognized in other comprehensive income are removed from equity and are included in the initial cost of the non-financial asset or non-financial liability.

Before 2018, hedge accounting was discontinued prospectively when the Company revoked the designated hedging relationship; when the hedging instrument expired or was sold, terminated, or exercised; or when the hedging instrument no longer met the criteria for hedge accounting.

Starting from 2018, the Company discontinues hedge accounting only when the hedging relationship ceases to meet the qualifying criteria; for instance, when the hedging instrument expires or is sold, terminated or exercised. The cumulative gain or loss on the hedging instrument that has been previously recognized in other comprehensive income from the period when the hedge was effective remains separately in equity until the forecast transaction occurs. When a forecast transaction is no longer expected to occur, the gain or loss accumulated in equity is recognized immediately in profit or loss.

#### d. Revenue recognition of the contract with the customer

#### 2018

The Company identifies the performance obligations in the contract with the customers, allocates transaction price to each performance obligation and recognizes revenue when performance obligations are satisfied.

Sales of products are recognized as revenue when the Company delivers products and the customer accepts and controls the product. Except for the consumer electronic products such as mobile devices sold in channel stores which are usually in cash sale, the Company recognizes revenues for sale of other electronic devices and corresponding trade notes and accounts receivable.

Usage revenues from fixed-line services (including local, domestic long distance and international long distance telephone services), cellular services, Internet and data services, and interconnection and call transfer fees from other telecommunications companies and carriers are billed in arrears and are recognized based upon seconds or minutes of traffic processed when the services are provided in accordance with contract terms. The usage revenues and corresponding trade notes and accounts receivable are recognized monthly.

Other revenues are recognized as follows: (a) one-time subscriber connection fees (on fixed-line services) are first recognized as contract liabilities and revenues are recognized subsequently over the average expected customer service periods, (b) monthly fees (on fixed-line services, mobile, Internet and data services) and related receivables are accrued monthly, and (c) prepaid services (fixed-line, mobile, Internet and data services) are recognized as contract liabilities upon collection considerations from customers and are recognized as revenues subsequently based upon actual usage by customers.

Where the Company enters into transactions which involve both the provision of telecommunications service bundled with products such as handsets, total consideration received from products and telecommunications service in these arrangements are allocated based on their relative stand-alone selling price. The amount of sales revenue recognized for products is not limited to the amount paid by the customer for the products. When the amount of sales revenue recognized for products exceeded the amount paid by the customer for the products, the difference is recognized as contract assets. Contract assets are derecognized and accounts receivable is recognized when the amount become collectible from customers subsequently. When the amount of sales revenue recognized for products was less than the amount paid by the customer for the products, the difference is recognized as contract liabilities and revenues are recognized subsequently when the telecommunications service are provided.

For project business contracts, if a substantial part of the Company's promise to customers is to manage and coordinate the various tasks and assume the risks of those tasks to ensure the individual goods or services are incorporated into the combined output, they are treated as a single performance obligation since the Company provides a significant integration service. The Company recognizes revenues and corresponding accounts receivable when the project business contract is completed and accepted by customers.

For service contracts such as maintenance and warranties, customers simultaneously receive and consume the benefits provided by the Company; thus revenues and corresponding accounts receivable of service contracts are recognized over the related service period.

When another party is involved in providing goods or services to a customer, the Company is acting as a principal if it controls the specified good or service before that good or service is transferred to a customer; otherwise, the Company is acting as an agent. When the Company is acting as a principal, gross inflow of economic benefits arising from transactions is recognized as revenue. When the Company is acting as an agent, revenue is recognized in the amount of commission.

#### 2017

Revenue from the sale of goods is recognized when all the following conditions are satisfied:

- 1) The Company has transferred to the buyer the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods;
- 2) The Company retains neither continuing managerial involvement to the degree usually associated with ownership nor effective control over the goods sold;
- 3) The amount of revenue can be measured reliably;
- 4) It is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the Company; and
- 5) The costs incurred or to be incurred in respect of the transaction can be measured reliably.

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable and represents amounts for goods sold in the normal course of business, net of sales discounts and volume rebates. For trade notes and accounts receivable due within one year from the balance sheet date, as the nominal value of the consideration to be received approximates its fair value and transactions are frequent, fair value of the consideration is not determined by discounting all future receipts using an imputed rate of interest.

Usage revenues from fixed-line services (including local, domestic long distance and international long distance telephone services), cellular services, Internet and data services, and interconnection and call transfer fees from other telecommunications companies and carriers are billed in arrears and are recognized based upon seconds or minutes of traffic processed when the services are provided in accordance with contract terms.

Other revenues are recognized as follows: (a) one-time subscriber connection fees (on fixed-line services) are deferred and recognized over the average expected customer service periods, (b) monthly fees (on fixed-line services, mobile, Internet and data services) are accrued every month, and (c) prepaid services (fixed-line, mobile, Internet and data services) are recognized as income based upon actual usage by customers.

Where the Company enters into transactions which involve both the provision of telecommunications service bundled with products such as handsets, total consideration received from products and telecommunications service in these arrangements are allocated and measured using units of accounting within the arrangement based on their relative fair values limited to the amount paid by the customer for the products.

Revenue from a contract to provide services is recognized by reference to the stage of completion of the contract.

When another party is involved in providing goods or services to a customer, the Company is acting as a principal when it has exposure to the significant risks and rewards associated with the sale of goods or the rendering of services; otherwise, the Company is acting as an agent. When the Company is acting as a principal, gross inflow of economic benefits arising from transactions is recognized as revenue. When the Company is acting as an agent, revenue is recognized in the amount of commission.

#### e. Incremental costs of obtaining contracts

Commissions and equipment subsidy related to telecommunications service as a result of obtaining contracts are recognized as an asset under the incremental costs of obtaining contracts to the extent the costs are expected to be recovered, and are amortized over the contract period. However, the Company elects not to capitalize the incremental costs of obtaining contracts if the amortization period of the assets that the Company otherwise would have recognized is expected to be one year or less.

# 4. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION, UNCERTAINTY AND ASSUMPTION

In the application of the Company's accounting policies, the management is required to make judgments, estimates and assumptions which are based on historical experience and other factors that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed by the management on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognized in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

Except for the following items, for the critical accounting judgments and key sources of estimation, uncertainty and assumption applied in these consolidated financial statements, please refer to the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2017.

#### a. Impairment of trade notes and accounts receivable

#### 2018

The provision for impairment of trade notes and accounts receivable is based on assumptions about risk of default and expected loss rates. The Company uses judgment in making these assumptions and in selecting the inputs to the impairment calculation, based on the Company's past experience, current market conditions as well as forward looking information at the end of each reporting period. For details of the key assumptions and inputs used, see Note 10. Where the actual future cash flows are less than expected, a material impairment loss may arise.

#### <u>2017</u>

When an indication of impairment is assessed with objective evidence, the Company considers whether the recoverable amount of an asset is less than its carrying amount and recognizes the impairment loss based on difference between the recoverable amount and its carrying amount. The estimate of recoverable amount would impact on the timing and the amount of impairment loss recognition.

b. Judgment of business model of the financial assets classification

#### <u>2018</u>

The Company determines the business model at a level that reflects how groups of financial assets are managed together to achieve a particular business objective. This assessment includes judgments reflecting all relevant evidence including how the performance of the assets is evaluated and their performance measured, the risks that affect the performance of the assets. The Company monitors financial assets measured at amortized cost that are derecognized prior to their maturity to understand the reason for their disposal and whether the reasons are consistent with the objective of the business model for which the assets was held. If business model is changed, a prospective change to the classification of those financial assets is applied.

#### 5. APPLICATION OF NEW AND REVISED STANDARDS AND INTERPRETATIONS

a. Initial application of the amendments to the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers and the IFRSs endorsed and issued into effect by the FSC

Except for the following, whenever applied, the initial application of the amendments to the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers and the IFRSs issued by the International Accounting Standards Board and endorsed and issued into effect by the FSC (collectively, the "Taiwan-IFRSs") does not have material impacts on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

1) IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments" and related amendment

IFRS 9 supersedes IAS 39 "Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement", with consequential amendments to IFRS 7 "Financial Instruments: Disclosures" and other standards. IFRS 9 sets out the requirements for classification, measurement and impairment of financial assets and hedge accounting. Refer to Note 3 for information relating to the relevant accounting policies.

The requirements for classification, measurement and impairment of financial assets have been applied retrospectively on January 1, 2018, and the requirements for hedge accounting have been applied prospectively. IFRS 9 is not applicable to items that have already been derecognized on or before December 31, 2017.

#### Classification, measurement and impairment of financial assets and liabilities

On the basis of the facts and circumstances that existed on January 1, 2018, the Company performed an assessment of the classifications of financial assets and liabilities and elected not to restate the comparative figures.

The following table shows the original measurement categories and carrying amounts under IAS 39 and the new measurement categories and carrying amounts under IFRS 9 for each class of the Company's financial assets and financial liabilities as of January 1, 2018.

		Measu	Measurement category			Carrying amount			
		IAS 39	<u> </u>	IFRS 9	IAS	39	IFRS 9	Note	
Financial Assets									
Cash and cash equivalen Equity securities	Availa	Loans and receivables Available-for-sale Available-for-sale		Amortized cost FVTPL FVOCI- equity		\$ 28,824,935 53,888 5,696,983		a) b) b)	
Trade notes and accounts receivable, receivables from related parties, other current monetary assets and refundable deposits		and receivables	investments  bles Amortized cost		40,1	58,885	40,158,885	a)	
Financial Liabilities									
Short-term loans, trade n and accounts payable, payables to related par partial other payables, customers' deposit and loan-term loans	ties,	ized cost	Amortiz	zed cost	39,7	25,662	39,725,662		
Derivatives	Hedgi	For-trading ng derivative ncial liabilities	FVTPL Hedginį liabili	g financial		578 850	578 850	c)	
	IAS 39 Carrying Amount January 1, 2018	Reclassifi- cations	Remea- surements	IFRS 9 Carrying Amount January 1, 2018	Retained Earnings effect on January 1, 2018	Other adjustment effect on January 1, 2018	Noncontrolling interests effect on January 1, 2018	Note	
Financial assets measured at FVTPL Add: reclassification from available for sale (IAS 39) - mandatory reclassification	s -	53,888	s - 	53,888	\$ - <u>6,149</u>	(6.149)	\$ - 	b)	
Financial liabilities measured		53,888		53,888	6,149	(6,149)	<del></del>		
at FVTPL	(578)	<del></del>		(578)					
Financial assets measured at FVOCI- equity investments Add: reclassification from available for sale (IAS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
39) - designated at January 1, 2018		5,696,983 5,696,983	1,841,865 1,841,865	7,538,848 7,538,848	1,515,525 1,515,525	327,177 327,177	(837) (837)	b)	
Financial assets measured at Amortized cost Add: reclassification from loans and receivables	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
(IAS 39)	====	68,983,820 68,983,820		68,983,820 68,983,820			=======================================	a)	
Financial liabilities measured at amortized cost Add: reclassification from	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
amortized cost (IAS 39)		(39,725,662) (39,725,662)		(39,725,662) (39,725,662)	<u> </u>		<u> </u>		
Hedging financial liabilities Add: reclassification from Hedging derivative	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
instrument (IAS 39)		(850) (850)		(850) (850)	<u> </u>			c)	
Total	<u>\$ (578</u> )	\$ 35,008,179	<u>\$ 1,841,865</u>	<u>\$ 36,849,466</u>	<u>\$ 1,521,674</u>	<u>\$ 321,028</u>	<u>\$ (837</u> )		

a) Cash and cash equivalents, trade notes and accounts receivable, receivables from related parties, other current monetary assets and refundable deposit that were classified as loans and receivables under IAS 39 are now classified as financial assets measured at amortized cost with assessment of expected credit loss. b) The Company elected to reclassify equity securities originally classified as available-for-sale under IAS 39 to FVTPL and designated at FVOCI in accordance with IFRS 9. As a result, the related other equity - unrealized gain or loss on available-for-sale financial assets was reclassified \$6,149 thousand to retained earnings and \$556,243 thousand to other equity - unrealized gain or loss on financial assets at FVOCI.

Equity investments in non-listed stocks previously carried at cost under IAS 39 are designated as FVOCI and remeasured at fair values. As a result, financial assets at FVOCI and other equity - unrealized gain or loss on financial assets at FVOCI were increased by \$1,841,865 thousand and \$1,842,702 thousand, respectively, and noncontrolling interests was decreased by \$837 thousand.

The Company recognized impairment loss on certain investments in equity securities previously classified as available-for-sale and measured at cost and the loss was accumulated in retained earnings under IAS 39. Since those investments were designated as financial assets measured at FVOCI under IFRS 9 and no impairment assessment is required, an adjustment was made that resulted in a decrease of \$1,515,525 thousand in other equity - unrealized gain or loss on financial assets at FVOCI and an increase of the \$1,515,525 thousand in retained earnings on January 1, 2018.

c) Due to the amendments to the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers, all derivative and non-derivative financial assets and financial liabilities which were designated as hedging instruments are presented as hedging financial assets and hedging financial liabilities for starting from January 1, 2018.

As the Company expects there is no tax obligation upon the disposal of the available-for-sale financial assets, the deferred income tax liabilities was decreased by \$1,175 thousand, unrealized gain or loss on available-for-sale financial assets was increased by \$4,283 thousand and noncontrolling interests was decreased by of \$3,108 thousand, respectively.

2) IFRS 15 "Revenue from Contracts with Customers" and related amendment

IFRS 15 establishes principles for recognizing revenue that apply to all contracts with customers, and supersedes IAS 18 "Revenue", IAS 11 "Construction Contracts" and a number of revenue-related interpretations. Please refer to Note 3 for related accounting policies.

When applying IFRS 15 and related amendments, the Company allocates the transaction price to each performance obligation identified in the contract on a relative stand-alone selling price basis.

Where the Company enters into transactions which involve both the provision of telecommunications service bundled with products such as handsets, total consideration received from products and telecommunications service in these arrangements is allocated based on each performance obligation's relative stand-alone selling price. The amount of sales revenue recognized for products is no longer limited to the amount paid by the customer for the products. This will not change the total revenue recognized, but will change the timing of revenue recognition. The Company may recognize more revenue at the beginning of the contract period (i.e., at the time of sale of products), and revenue recognized for telecommunications service in the subsequent contract periods will decrease.

Incremental costs of obtaining contracts will be recognized as an asset to the extent the Company expects to recover those costs. Such asset will be amortized on a basis that is consistent with the transfer to the customer of the goods or services to which the asset relates. Before the application of IFRS 15, the relevant expenditures were recognized as expenses.

IFRS 15 and its related amendments require that when another party is involved in providing goods or services to a customer, the Company is a principal if it controls the specified good or service before that good or service is transferred to a customer. Before the application of IFRS 15, the Company determines whether it is a principal or an agent based on its exposure to the significant risks and rewards associated with the sale of goods or the rendering of services.

Under IFRS 15, the net effect of revenue recognizes, consideration received and receivable is recognized as a contract asset or a contract liability. Before the application of IFRS 15, receivable is recognized or advance receipts and deferred revenue was reduced when revenue was recognized for the contract under IAS 18.

Under IFRS 15, the Company recognized a trade-in liability (other current liabilities) and a right to recover a product (other current assets) when recognizing revenue for the sale with a trade-in right. Before the application of IFRS 15, trade-in right provisions and inventories were recognized when recognizing revenue.

The Company elected to retrospectively apply IFRS 15 to contracts that were not completed on January 1, 2018 and recognized the cumulative effect of the change in the retained earnings on January 1, 2018.

#### Impact on items of assets, liabilities and equity

	Carrying Amounts Before Retrospective Adjustments as of January 1, 2018	Adjustments Arising from Initial Application	Carrying Amounts After Retrospective Adjustments as of January 1, 2018
Contract assets - current Trade notes and accounts receivable, net Inventories Prepayments- current Other current assets Contract assets - noncurrent	\$\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	\$ 6,065,126 (117,911) (132,086) (7,628) 132,086 3,916,924	\$ 6,065,126 \$ 31,823,183 \$ 8,707,529 \$ 2,180,545 \$ 2,314,844 \$ 3,916,924
Incremental costs of obtaining contracts  Total effect on assets	<u>\$</u>	2,474,143 \$ 12,330,654	<u>\$ 2,474,143</u>
Contract liabilities - current Current tax liabilities Provisions - current Advance receipts Other current liabilities Contract liabilities - noncurrent Deferred revenue Other noncurrent liabilities	\$ 4,725,698 \$ 188,744 \$ 8,841,858 \$ 1,081,156 \$ - \$ 3,612,391 \$ 3,457,677	\$ 8,003,855 2,226,691 (87,572) (8,841,858) 71,690 2,626,319 (3,612,391) 1,072,427	\$ 8,003,855 \$ 6,952,389 \$ 101,172 \$ - \$ 1,152,846 \$ 2,626,319 \$ - \$ 4,530,104
Total effect on liabilities		<u>\$ 1,459,161</u>	
Total effect on equity (unappropriated earnings)	<u>\$ 37,202,683</u>	<u>\$ 10,871,493</u>	<u>\$ 48,074,176</u>

The following table shows the increase (decrease) in assets, liabilities and equity resulting from the application of IFRS 15 on the balance sheet date.

	September 30, 2018
Contract assets - current	\$ 5,078,820
Trade notes and accounts receivable, net	(110,153)
Inventories	(81,985)
Prepayments - current	(10,989)
Other current assets	81,985
Contract assets - noncurrent	2,313,689
Incremental costs of obtaining contracts	1,587,709
Assets	<u>\$ 8,859,076</u>
Contract liabilities - current	\$ 10,392,850
Current tax liabilities	1,481,885
Provisions - current	(53,952)
Advance receipts	(10,925,228)
Other current liabilities	247,721
Contract liabilities - noncurrent	2,559,789
Deferred revenue	(3,613,463)
Other noncurrent liabilities	1,083,548
Liabilities	<u>\$ 1,173,150</u>
Equity (unappropriated earnings)	<u>\$ 7,685,926</u>

### Impact on items of statement of comprehensive income for current period

The following table shows the increase (decrease) in net income resulting from the application of IFRS 15.

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2018	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2018
Revenues Operating costs Operating expenses Income from operations Income tax expense	\$ (514,343) 407,754 (133,708) (788,389) (151,286)	\$ (3,021,169) 1,313,557 (404,353) (3,930,373) (744,806)
Net income	\$ (637,103)	\$ (3,185,567)
Decrease in net income attributable to: Stockholders of the parent Noncontrolling interests	\$ (637,103) 	\$ (3,185,567) 
Impact on earnings per share(NT\$): Basic earnings per share Diluted earnings per share	\$ (0.08) \$ (0.08)	\$ (0.41) \$ (0.41)

b. Amendments to the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers for application starting from 2019 and the IFRSs endorsed by the FSC

New, Revised or Amen	ded Standards and Interpretations	Announced by IASB (Note 1)
Amendments to IFRSs	Annual Improvements to IFRSs 2015-2017 Cycle	January 1, 2019
Amendments to IFRS 9	Prepayment Features with Negative Compensation	January 1, 2019 (Note 2)
IFRS 16	Leases	January 1, 2019
Amendments to IAS 19	Plan Amendment, Curtailment or Settlement	January 1, 2019 (Note 3)
Amendments to IAS 28	Long-term Interests in Associates and Joint Ventures	January 1, 2019
IFRIC 23	Uncertainty over Income Tax Treatments	January 1, 2019

- Note 1: Unless stated otherwise, the above new, amended or revised standards and interpretations are effective for annual periods beginning on or after their respective effective dates.
- Note 2: The FSC permits the election for early adoption of the amendments starting from 2018.
- Note 3: The Company shall apply these amendments to pension plan amendments, curtailments or settlements occurring on or after January 1, 2019.

Except for the following items, the application of the above new, revised or amended standards and interpretations will not have material impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

#### IFRS 16 "Leases"

IFRS 16 sets out the accounting standards for leases that will supersede IAS 17 and a number of related interpretations.

Upon the initial application of IFRS 16, the Company anticipates reassessing whether a contract is, or contains, a lease in accordance with the definition of a lease under IFRS 16. Contracts that are reassessed as leases or containing a lease will be accounted for in accordance with the transitional provisions under IFRS 16.

Upon the initial application of IFRS 16, if the Company is a lessee, it shall recognize right-of-use assets and lease liabilities for all leases on the consolidated balance sheets except for those whose payments under low-value and short-term leases will be recognized as expenses on a straight-line basis. On the consolidated statements of comprehensive income, the Company will present the depreciation expense charged on the right-of-use asset separately from the interest expense accrued on lease liability using the effective interest method. On the consolidated statements of cash flows, cash payments for the principal portion of lease liability will be classified within financing activities; cash payments for interest portion will be classified within operating activities.

The Company will not make any adjustments for leases in which the Company is a lessor and will account for those leases with the application of IFRS 16 starting from January 1, 2019.

The Company anticipates applying IFRS 16 retrospectively with the cumulative effect of the initial application of IFRS 16 recognized in retained earnings on January 1, 2019. Comparative financial information will not be restated.

Except for the abovementioned impact, as of the date the consolidated financial statements were authorized for issue, the Company is continuously assessing the possible impact that the application of other standards and interpretations will have on the Company's financial position and operating result, and will disclose the relevant impact when the assessment is completed.

c. IFRSs issued by the IASB but not yet endorsed and issued into effect by the FSC

New, Revised or Amended S	Standards and Interpretations	Announced by IASB (Note 1)
Amendments to IFRS 3	Definition of a Business	January 1, 2020 (Note 2)
Amendments to IFRS 10 and IAS	Sale or Contribution of Assets	To be determined by
28	between An Investor and Its	IASB
	Associate or Joint Venture	
Amendments to IAS 1 and IAS 8	Definition of Material	January 1, 2020 (Note 3)

- Note 1: Unless stated otherwise, the above New IFRSs are effective for annual periods beginning on or after their respective effective dates.
- Note 2: The Company shall apply these amendments to business combinations for which the acquisition date is on or after the beginning of the first annual reporting period beginning on or after January 1, 2020 and to asset acquisitions that occur on or after the beginning of that period.
- Note 3: The Company shall apply these amendments prospectively in annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2020.

#### 6. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Cash			
Cash on hand	\$ 475,146	\$ 382,694	\$ 216,248
Bank deposits	10,806,065	7,877,605	8,245,793
-	11,281,211	8,260,299	8,462,041
Cash equivalents (investments with maturities of less than three months)			
Commercial paper	6,706,418	10,178,512	11,686,899
Negotiable certificate of deposit	-	7,950,000	4,150,000
Time deposits	2,337,375	2,436,124	1,167,168
-	9,043,793	20,564,636	17,004,067
	\$ 20,325,004	\$ 28,824,935	\$ 25,466,108

The annual yield rates of bank deposits, commercial paper, negotiable certificate of deposit and time deposits as of balance sheet dates were as follows:

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Bank deposits	0.00%-0.43%	0.00%-0.70%	0.00%-0.65%
Commercial paper	0.36%-0.46%	0.32%-0.40%	0.32%-0.38%
Negotiable certificate of deposit	-	0.40%-0.50%	0.40%-0.50%
Time deposits	0.40%-4.40%	0.52%-4.40%	0.13%-4.10%

### 7. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS - CURRENT

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Financial assets			
Held for trading Derivatives (not designated for hedge) Forward exchange contracts	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 1,878</u>
Mandatorily measured at FVTPL Hybrid financial assets Financial commodities	<u>\$195,682</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u>
Financial liabilities			
Held for trading Derivatives (not designated for hedge) Forward exchange contracts	<u>\$ 619</u>	<u>\$ 578</u>	<u>\$</u>

Outstanding forward exchange contracts not designated for hedge as of balance sheet dates were as follows:

	Currency	Maturity Period	Contract Amount (Thousands)
<u>September 30, 2018</u>			
Forward exchange contracts - buy Forward exchange contracts - buy	EUR/NT\$ US\$/NT\$	2018.12-2019.03 2018.10	EUR10,857/NT\$386,578 US\$1,715/NT\$52,765
<u>December 31, 2017</u>			
Forward exchange contracts - buy Forward exchange contracts - buy	EUR/NT\$ US\$/NT\$	2018.03-06 2018.01	EUR1,942/NT\$69,061 US\$4,190/NT\$125,481
<u>September 30, 2017</u>			
Forward exchange contracts - buy Forward exchange contracts - buy	EUR/NT\$ US\$/NT\$	2017.12 2017.10	EUR3,521/NT\$124,570 US\$2,982/NT\$89,845

The Company entered into the above forward exchange contracts to manage its exposure to foreign currency risk due to fluctuations in exchange rates. However, the aforementioned derivatives did not meet the criteria for hedge accounting.

SENAO entered into financial commodities with a bank. As the contractual terms to cash flows that are not solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding, the financial commodities are assessed and classified as mandatorily measured at FVTPL according to IFRS 9.

Outstanding financial commodities as of balance sheet dates were as follows:

	Currency	Maturity Period	Contract Amount (In Thousands)
<u>September 30, 2018</u>			
Financial commodities	RMB	2018.10	RMB43,600

# 8. FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME - NONCURRENT - 2018

	September 30, 2018
Domestic investments	
Listed stocks	\$ 2,438,505
Non-listed stocks	4,158,471
Foreign investments	
Non-listed stocks	402,189
	<u>\$ 6,999,165</u>

The Company holds the above foreign and domestic stocks for medium to long-term strategic purposes and expects to profit from long-term investment. Accordingly, the management elected to designate these investments in equity instruments at FVOCI as they believe that recognizing short-term fair value fluctuations of these investments in profit or loss is not consistent with the Company's strategy of holding these investments for long-term purposes. These investments in equity instruments were classified as available-for-sale financial assets under IAS 39. Refer to Notes 5, 9 and 14 for information relating to their reclassification and comparative information for 2017.

The Company recognized dividends of \$164,154 thousand and \$395,593 thousand from those investments held on September 30, 2018 for the three months and nine months ended September 30, 2018, respectively.

#### 9. AVAILABLE-FOR-SALE FINANCIAL ASSETS - NONCURRENT - 2017

	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Equity securities Listed stocks	\$ 3,125,086	\$ 3,036,199

The Company evaluated and concluded that there was no indication that available-for-sale financial assets were impaired; therefore, no impairment loss was recognized for the nine months ended September 30, 2017.

#### 10. TRADE NOTES AND ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE, NET

	September 30,	December 31,	September 30,
	2018	2017	2017
Trade notes and accounts receivable Less: Allowance doubtful account	\$ 31,901,780	\$ 34,058,443	\$ 31,841,295
	(2,680,371)	(2,117,349)	(2,008,180)
	\$ 29,221,409	\$ 31,941,094	\$ 29,833,115

#### Nine months ended September 30, 2018

The average credit terms range from 30 to 90 days.

The Company serves a large consumer base for telecommunications business; therefore, the concentration of credit risk is limited. When having transactions with customers, the Company considers the record of arrears in the past. In addition, the Company may also collect some telecommunication charges in advance to reduce the payment arrears in subsequent periods.

The Company adopted a policy of dealing with counterparties with certain credit ratings for project business and to obtain collateral where necessary to mitigate the risk of loss arising from default. Credit rating information is provided by independent rating agencies where available and, if such credit rating information is not available, the Company uses other publicly available financial information and its own historical transaction experience to rate its major customers. The Company continues to monitor the credit exposure and credit ratings of its counterparties and spread the credit risk amongst qualified counterparties.

In order to mitigate credit risk, the management of the Company has delegated a team responsible for determining credit limits, credit approvals and other monitoring procedures to ensure the recoverability of receivables. In addition, the Company reviews the recoverable amount of receivables at balance sheet dates to ensure that adequate allowance is provided for possible irrecoverable amounts. In this regard, the management believes the Company's credit risk could be reasonably reduced.

The Company applies the simplified approach to providing for expected credit losses prescribed by IFRS 9, which permits the use of lifetime expected loss provision for receivables. The expected credit losses on receivables are estimated using a provision matrix by reference to past default experience of the customers and an analysis of the customers' current financial positions, as well as the forward-looking indicators such as macroeconomic business indicator.

When there are evidences indicating that the counterparty is in evasion, bankruptcy, deregistration of its company or the accounts receivable are over two years past due and the recoverable amount cannot be reasonable estimated, the Company writes off the trade notes and accounts receivable. For accounts receivable that have been written off, the Company continues to engage in enforcement activity to attempt to recover the receivables due. Where recoveries are made, these are recognized in profit or loss.

Except for receivables arising from telecommunications business and project business, the Company's remaining accounts receivable are limited. Therefore, only Chunghwa's provision matrix arising from telecommunications business and project business is disclosed below.

#### September 30, 2018

	Not past due	Past due Less than 30 days	Pass due 31 to 60 days	Pass due 61 to 90 days	Pass due 91 to 120 days	Pass due 121 to 180 days	Pass due Over 181 days	Total
Telecommunications business								
Expected credit loss rate (Note a) Gross carrying amount Loss allowance (Lifetime ECL)	0%-3% \$ 24,156,803 (63,567)	3%-31% \$ 332,131 (29,624)	7%-69% \$ 90,556 (28,488)	20%-82% \$ 63,478 (26,986)	34%-89% \$ 42,188 (25,471)	63%-95% \$ 31,319 (22,972)	100% \$ 408,482 (408,482)	\$ 25,124,957 (605,590)
Amortized cost	\$ 24,093,236	\$ 302,507	\$ 62,068	\$ 36,492	\$ 16,717	\$ 8,347	<u>s -</u>	\$ 24,519,367
Project business								
Expected credit loss rate (Note b) Gross carrying amount Loss allowance (Lifetime ECL)	0%-5% \$ 3,018,692 (173,801)	5% \$ 238,556 (74,098)	10% \$ 168,881 (52,456)	30% \$ 67,167 (20,863)	50% \$ 44,985 (13,973)	80% \$ 96,923 (30,105)	100% \$ 1,653,639 (1,653,639)	\$ 5,288,843 (2,018,935)
Amortized cost	\$ 2,844,891	<u>\$ 164,458</u>	<u>\$ 116,425</u>	\$ 46,304	<u>\$ 31,012</u>	\$ 66,818	<u>s -</u>	\$ 3,269,908

Note a: Please refer to Note 44 for the information of disaggregation of telecommunications service revenue. The expected credit loss rate applicable to different business revenue varies so as to reflect the risk level indicating by factors like historical experience.

Note b: The project business has different loss types according to the customer types. The expected credit loss rate listed above is for general customers. When customer is the government or its affiliates, it is expected that no credit loss will occur. For those who had bounced or exchanged checks as well as those accounts receivable were overdue more than six months that are classified as high risk customers, the expected credit loss of high risk customers is at least 50%, and the rate is increased when the overdue days increases.

Movements of the allowance for doubtful accounts were as follows:

	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2018
Balance at January 1, 2018	\$ 2,117,349
Add: Provision of impairment loss	839,302
Less: Amounts written off	(276,280)
Balance at September 30, 2018	\$ 2,680,371

#### Nine months ended September 30, 2017

The average credit terms range from 30 to 90 days. In determining the recoverability of trade notes and accounts receivable, the Company considers significant change in the credit quality of the trade notes and accounts receivable from the date credit was initially granted up to the end of the reporting period. In general, with few exceptional cases, it is unlikely for the notes and accounts receivable due longer than 180 days to be collected, therefore the Company recognized 100% allowance of notes and accounts receivable overdue longer than 180 days. For the notes and accounts receivable less than 180 days, the allowance for doubtful accounts was estimated based on the Company's historical recovery experience.

The Company serves a large consumer base; therefore, the concentration of credit risk is limited.

The aging analysis for trade notes and accounts receivable as of balance sheet dates was as follows:

	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Non-overdue	\$ 30,031,885	\$ 28,202,575
Less than 30 days	1,280,443	1,070,457
31-60 days	484,795	392,168
61-90 days	278,242	205,870
91-120 days	253,318	220,896
121-180 days	122,086	194,252
More than 181 days	1,607,674	1,555,077
	<u>\$ 34,058,443</u>	<u>\$ 31,841,295</u>

The above aging analysis was based on days overdue.

At the balance sheet dates, the receivables that were past due but not impaired were considered recoverable by the management of the Company. The aging of these receivables as of balance sheet dates was as follows:

	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017	
Less than 30 days	\$ 328,438	\$ 197,209	
31-60 days	36,253	32,691	
61-90 days	7,279	19,541	
91-120 days	69,486	88,741	
121-180 days	549	1,420	
More than 181 days	6,572	9,846	
	<u>\$ 448,577</u>	\$ 349,448	

The above aging analysis was based on days overdue.

Movements of the allowance for doubtful accounts were as follows:

	Individually Assessed for Impairment	Collectively Assessed for Impairment	Total
Balance on January 1, 2017 Add: Provision for (reversal of) doubtful	\$ 805,145	\$ 967,880	\$ 1,773,025
accounts  Deduct: Amounts written off	433,975 (5,544)	(17,958) (175,318)	416,017 (180,862)
Balance on September 30, 2017	\$ 1,233,576	<u>\$ 774,604</u>	\$ 2,008,180

#### 11. INVENTORIES

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Merchandise	\$ 5,270,664	\$ 5,133,528	\$ 4,763,257
Project in process	6,445,139	1,390,212	2,005,945
Work in process	107,311	151,804	105,670
Raw materials	113,726	88,726	91,156
	11,936,840	6,764,270	6,966,028
Land held under development	1,998,733	1,998,733	1,998,733
Construction in progress	76,612	76,612	76,612
	\$14,012,185	<u>\$ 8,839,615</u>	\$ 9,041,373

The operating costs related to inventories were \$11,036,550 thousand (including the valuation loss on inventories of \$86,723 thousand) and \$33,648,752 thousand (including the valuation loss on inventories of \$122,884 thousand) for the three months and nine months ended September 30, 2018, respectively. The operating costs related to inventories were \$13,077,279 thousand (including the valuation loss on inventories of \$5,072 thousand) and \$38,010,811 thousand (including the valuation loss on inventories of \$23,351 thousand) for the three months and nine months ended September 30, 2017, respectively.

As of September 30, 2018, December 31, 2017 and September 30, 2017, inventories of \$2,075,345 thousand were expected to be recovered after more than twelve months. The aforementioned amount of inventories is related to property development owned by LED.

Land held under development and construction in progress on September 30, 2018, December 31, 2017 and September 30, 2017 was for Qingshan Sec., Dayuan Dist., Taoyuan City project developed by LED.

#### 12. PREPAYMENTS

	September 30,	December 31,	September 30,
	2018	2017	2017
Prepaid salary and bonus	\$ 2,668,146	\$ -	\$ 2,651,586
Prepaid rents	2,616,183	2,687,513	2,854,783
Others	3,071,831	3,074,005	3,250,840
	<u>\$ 8,356,160</u>	<u>\$ 5,761,518</u>	<u>\$ 8,757,209</u>
Current Prepaid salary and bonus Prepaid rents Others	\$ 2,668,146	\$ -	\$ 2,651,586
	926,884	812,148	994,121
	1,474,463	1,376,025	1,497,238
	\$ 5,069,493	\$ 2,188,173	\$ 5,142,945
Noncurrent Prepaid rents Others	\$ 1,689,299	\$ 1,875,365	\$ 1,860,662
	\$ 3,286,667	\$ 3,573,345	\$ 3,614,264

### 13. OTHER CURRENT MONETARY ASSETS

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Time deposits and negotiable certificates of deposit with maturities of more than three months	\$ 4,851,358	\$ 4,053,637	\$ 3,801,729
Others	1,507,906	1,254,423	1,645,222
	\$ 6,359,264	\$ 5,308,060	\$ 5,446,951

The annual yield rates of time deposits and negotiable certificates of deposit with maturities of more than three months were as follows:

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Time deposits and negotiable certificates of deposit with maturities of more than three			
months	0.07%-2.83%	0.06%-4.15%	0.06%-1.95%

#### 14. FINANCIAL ASSETS CARRIED AT COST - 2017

	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Non-listed stocks Domestic Foreign	\$ 2,331,798 	\$ 1,943,465 293,911
	<u>\$ 2,625,785</u>	\$ 2,237,376

Since the fair values of the above non-listed stocks investments cannot be reliably measured due to the range of reasonable fair value estimates was so significant, the above non-listed stocks investments owned by the Company were measured at costs less any impairment losses at the balance sheet dates.

The Company disposed financial assets carried at cost with carrying amount of \$4,587 thousand and recognized the disposal gain of \$2,705 thousand for the nine months ended September 30, 2017.

The Company evaluated and concluded that there was no indication that financial assets carried at cost were impaired; therefore, no impairment loss was recognized for the nine months ended September 30, 2017.

## 15. SUBSIDIARIES

a. Information on significant noncontrolling interest subsidiary

	Principal	Proportion of Ownership Interests and Voting Rights Held by Noncontrolling Interests						
	Place of	September 30,	,	September 30,				
Subsidiaries	Business	2018	2017	2017				
SENAO	Taiwan	72%	71%	71%				
CHPT	Taiwan	66%	62%	62%				
	Pr	ofit Allocated to N	oncontrolling Into	erests				
	Three M	Ionths Ended	Nine Months Ended					
		ember 30		nber 30				
	2018	2017	2018	2017				
SENAO CHPT	\$ 43,720 \$ 116,218	\$ 163,229 \$ 137,477	\$ 188,947 \$ 348,393	\$ 444,634 \$ 369,575				
		Accumulate	d Noncontrolling	Interests				
	_	September 30,	December 31,	September 30,				
		2018	2017	2017				
SENAO		\$ 4,142,443	\$ 4,257,408	\$ 4,032,892				
CHPT		3,935,766	3,555,563	3,489,542				
Individually immaterial subsid noncontrolling interests	iaries with	1,708,895	884,624	790,022				
		\$ 9,787,104	\$ 8,697,595	<u>\$ 8,312,456</u>				

Summarized financial information in respect of SENAO and its subsidiaries that has material noncontrolling interests is set out below. The summarized financial information below represents amounts before intercompany eliminations.

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Current assets Noncurrent assets Current liabilities Noncurrent liabilities	\$ 7,186,828 2,652,429 (3,994,879) (152,905)	\$ 7,584,225 2,686,696 (4,203,944) (160,366)	\$ 7,807,971 2,631,217 (4,678,326) (151,139)
Equity	\$ 5,691,473	\$ 5,906,611	\$ 5,609,723
Equity attributable to the parent Equity attributable to noncontrolling interests	\$ 1,549,030	\$ 1,649,203	\$ 1,576,831
	4,142,443	4,257,408	4,032,892
	\$ 5,691,473	\$ 5,906,611	\$ 5,609,723

	Three Mon Septem		Nine Mon Septem	
	2018	2017	2018	2017
Revenues and income Costs and expenses	\$ 7,383,641 <u>7,322,687</u>	\$ 9,100,307 <u>8,870,603</u>	\$23,564,819 23,297,577	\$26,785,736 26,157,510
Profit for the period	\$ 60,954	<u>\$ 229,704</u>	\$ 267,242	<u>\$ 628,226</u>
Profit attributable to the parent Profit attributable to noncontrolling interests	\$ 17,234 <u>43,720</u>	\$ 66,475 163,229	\$ 78,295 	\$ 183,592 444,634
Profit for the period	\$ 60,954	\$ 229,704	\$ 267,242	\$ 628,226
-	Ψ 00,221	<u>\$\psi 227,701</u>	<u>Ψ 207,212</u>	Ψ 020,220
Other comprehensive income (loss) attributable to the parent Other comprehensive income (loss) attributable to noncontrolling interests	\$ (3,802)	\$ 1,911	\$ 303	\$ (4,608)
	(9,453)	4,727	(5,318)	(11,404)
	<u>\$ (13,255)</u>	\$ 6,638	<u>\$ (5,015)</u>	<u>\$ (16,012)</u>
Total comprehensive income attributable to the parent Total comprehensive	\$ 13,432	\$ 68,386	\$ 78,598	\$ 178,984
income attributable to noncontrolling interests	34,267	167,956	183,629	433,230
	<u>\$ 47,699</u>	\$ 236,342	\$ 262,227	\$ 612,214
		<u>N</u>	Nine Months Ende	ed September 30
			2018	2017
Net cash flow from operating a Net cash flow from investing a Net cash flow from financing a Effect of exchange rate change	h equivalents	\$ 610,363 (15,067) (470,555) 299	\$ 258,896 74,396 (653,550) (2,337)	
Net cash inflow (outflow)			<u>\$ 125,040</u>	<u>\$ (322,595)</u>
Dividends paid to noncontrolli		<u>\$ 587,264</u> <u>\$ 703,207</u>		

Summarized financial information in respect of CHPT and its subsidiaries that has material noncontrolling interests is set out below. The summarized financial information below represents amounts before intercompany eliminations.

		September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017		
Current assets Noncurrent assets Current liabilities Noncurrent liabilities		\$ 4,525,604 2,613,526 (1,152,002) (1,173)	\$ 4,495,601 2,167,138 (899,079) (997)	\$ 4,293,195 2,055,523 (691,749) (1,305)		
Equity		\$ 5,985,955	\$ 5,762,663	\$ 5,655,664		
Equity attributable to CHI Equity attributable to noncontrolling interests		\$ 2,050,189 3,935,766	\$ 2,207,100 3,555,563	\$ 2,166,122 3,489,542		
		\$ 5,985,955	\$ 5,762,663	\$ 5,655,664		
		lonths Ended ember 30	Nine Months Ended September 30			
	2018	2017	2018	2017		
Revenues and income Costs and expenses	\$ 930,947 752,047		\$ 2,569,646 2,018,193	\$ 2,572,949 1,949,299		
Profit for the period	\$ 178,900	<u>\$ 231,659</u>	<u>\$ 551,453</u>	<u>\$ 623,650</u>		
Profit attributable to CHI Profit attributable to noncontrolling interests	\$ 62,682 116,218		\$ 203,060 348,393	\$ 254,075 <u>369,575</u>		
Profit for the period	\$ 178,900		\$ 551,453	\$ 623,650		
Other comprehensive income (loss) attributable to CHI	\$ (445	) \$ 273	\$ 35	\$ (1,003)		
Other comprehensive income (loss) attributable to noncontrolling interests	(959	) 230	(306)	(1,623)		
	\$ (1,404	\$ 503	<u>\$ (271)</u>	<u>\$ (2,626)</u>		
Total comprehensive income attributable to CHI Total comprehensive income attributable to	\$ 62,237	\$ 94,455	\$ 203,095	\$ 253,072		
noncontrolling interests	115,259	137,707	348,087	367,952		
	<u>\$ 177,496</u>	\$ 232,162	\$ 551,182	<u>\$ 621,024</u>		

	Nine Months End	led September 30
	2018	2017
Net cash flow from operating activities	\$ 646,686	\$ 801,716
Net cash flow from investing activities	(510,256)	(615,459)
Net cash flow from financing activities	(327,890)	2,310,741
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	195	(2,652)
Net cash inflow (outflow)	<u>\$ (191,265)</u>	<u>\$2,494,346</u>
Dividends paid to noncontrolling interests	<u>\$ 209,711</u>	<u>\$ 145,849</u>

#### b. Equity transactions with noncontrolling interests

SENAO transferred its treasury stock to employees in June 2017 and June 2018 and the Company's ownership interest in SENAO decreased to 29.18% and 28.18% as of September 30, 2017 and 2018, respectively. See Note 34(b) for details.

CHI did not participate in the capital increase of CHPT in September 2017 and disposed some shares of CHPT from April to August 2018. Therefore, the Company's ownership interest in CHPT decreased to 34.25% as of September 30, 2018. See Note 34(e) for details.

CHIEF issued new shares in March 2018 as its employees exercised their options. In addition, Chunghwa and CHI disposed some shares of CHIEF in May 2018 before CHIEF traded its shares on the General Stock Market of the Taipei Exchange according to the local requirements. Furthermore, Chunghwa and CHI did not participate in the capital increase of CHIEF in June 2018. Therefore, the Company's equity ownership interest in CHIEF decreased to 60.28% as of September 30, 2018. See Note 34(c)(d) for details.

Chunghwa and CHI disposed some shares of CHIEF in June 2017 before CHIEF traded its shares on the emerging stock market according to the local requirements. The Company's ownership interest in CHIEF decreased to 70.43% as of September 30, 2017.

The above transactions were accounted for as equity transactions since the Company did not cease to have control over these subsidiaries.

Information of the Company's equity transactions with noncontrolling interests for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 were as follows:

	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2018									
	Tra	SENAO nsferred its asury Stock		H Disposed ne Shares of CHPT	Cl Pa tl	unghwa and HI Did Not rticipate in the Capital norease of CHIEF	CH Som	nghwa and I Disposed e Shares of CHIEF	Pa	re-Based yment of CHIEF
Cash consideration received from noncontrolling interests The proportionate share of the carrying amount of the net assets of the subsidiary	\$	327,122	\$	1,041,689	\$	1,476,680	\$	132,711	\$	33,299
transferred to noncontrolling interests		(273,200)		(330,100)		(699,899)		(18,253)		(21,180)
Differences arising from equity transactions	<u>\$</u>	53,922	<u>\$</u>	711,589	<u>\$</u>	776,781	\$	114,458	<u>\$</u> (Co	12,119 ontinued)

	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2018								
	SENAO Transferred its Treasury Stock	Chunghwa and CHI Did Not Participate in Chunghw CHI Disposed the Capital CHI Disposed tits Some Shares of Increase of Some Sha		Chunghwa an CHI Disposed Some Shares o CHIEF	d Sha of Pa	are-Based yment of CHIEF			
Line items for equity transaction adjustments									
Additional paid-in capital-difference between consideration received or paid and the carrying amount of the subsidiaries' net assets upon actual disposal or acquisition	<u>s -</u>	<u>\$ 711,58</u> °	<u>)</u> <u>\$</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>\$ 114,458</u>	<u>\$</u>			
Additional paid-in capital - arising from changes in equities of subsidiaries	<u>\$ 53,922</u>	\$	<u>\$ 7</u> 2	<u>76,781</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u> (Co	12,119 oncluded)		
		]	Nine Mont	hs End	led Septembe	er 30, 2	017		
		Parti the Inci	Did Not cipate in Capital ease of HPT	CHI Some	nghwa and Disposed e Shares of CHIEF	Trans	NAO sfered its ury Stock		
Cash consideration receing noncontrolling interest. The proportionate share amount of the net asset.	s of the carrying		557,053	\$	105,931	\$	54,438		
transferred to noncontr		•	753,711)		(29,217)		<u>(45,121</u> )		
Differences arising from transactions	equity	<u>\$</u>	803,342	<u>\$</u>	76,714	<u>\$</u>	9,317		
Line items for equity tran	<u>nsaction</u>								
Additional paid-in capital between consideration and the carrying amous subsidiaries' net assets disposal or acquisition Additional paid-in capital	received or paid nt of the upon actual	<u>\$</u>		<u>\$</u>	<u> 76,714</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>-</u>		
changes in equities of			803,342	<u>\$</u>	<u>-</u>	\$	9,317		

# 16. INVESTMENTS ACCOUNTED FOR USING EQUITY METHOD

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Investments in associates Investments in joint ventures	\$ 2,660,106	\$ 2,546,374	\$ 2,552,050 1,897
	<u>\$ 2,660,106</u>	\$ 2,546,374	\$ 2,553,947

## a. Investments in associates

Investments in associates were as follows:

		Carrying Amount	
	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Listed			
Senao Networks, Inc. ("SNI")	\$ 887,402	\$ 862,116	\$ 805,633
Non-listed			
ST-2 Satellite Ventures Pte., Ltd. ("STS")	558,770	472,505	556,344
International Integrated System, Inc.	215 155	206222	200.202
("IISI")	315,475	296,333	288,283
Viettel-CHT Co., Ltd. ("Viettel-CHT")	268,313	256,323	244,356
Taiwan International Standard Electronics			
Co., Ltd. ("TISE")	149,674	136,885	121,013
Skysoft Co., Ltd. ("SKYSOFT")	133,553	139,741	145,329
KingwayTek Technology Co., Ltd.			
("KWT")	129,449	128,269	117,464
So-net Entertainment Taiwan Limited			
("So-net")	105,820	104,171	109,526
Taiwan International Ports Logistics			
Corporation ("TIPL")	47,958	49,631	50,462
Click Force Co., Ltd. ("CF")	37,297	38,175	37,863
Dian Zuan Integrating Marketing Co., Ltd.			
("DZIM")	17,177	25,006	25,140
Alliance Digital Tech Co., Ltd. ("ADT")	9,218	14,488	27,593
HopeTech Technologies Limited			
("HopeTech")	_	22,731	23,044
MeWorks LIMITED (HK) ("MeWorks")	<del>-</del>		
	<u>\$ 2,660,106</u>	\$ 2,546,374	<u>\$ 2,552,050</u>

The percentages of ownership and voting rights in associates held by the Company as of balance sheet dates were as follows:

	% of Ownership and Voting Rights					
	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017			
Senao Networks, Inc. ("SNI")	34	34	34			
ST-2 Satellite Ventures Pte., Ltd. ("STS")	38	38	38			
International Integrated System, Inc.						
("IISI")	32	32	32			
Viettel-CHT Co., Ltd. ("Viettel-CHT")	30	30	30			
Taiwan International Standard Electronics						
Co., Ltd. ("TISE")	40	40	40			
Skysoft Co., Ltd. ("SKYSOFT")	30	30	30			
KingwayTek Technology Co., Ltd.						
("KWT")	26	26	26			
So-net Entertainment Taiwan Limited						
("So-net")	30	30	30			
Taiwan International Ports Logistics						
Corporation ("TIPL")	27	27	27			
Click Force Co., Ltd. ("CF")	49	49	49			
Dian Zuan Integrating Marketing Co., Ltd.						
("DZIM")	22	22	22			
Alliance Digital Tech Co., Ltd. ("ADT")	14	14	14			
HopeTech Technologies Limited						
("HopeTech")	-	45	45			
MeWorks LIMITED (HK) ("MeWorks")	20	20	20			

None of the above associates is considered individually material to the Company. Summarized financial information of associates that are not individually material was as follows:

		nths Ended nber 30	Nine Months Ended September 30		
	2018	2017	2018	2017	
The Company's share of profits The Company's share of other comprehensive	\$ 137,856	\$ 74,687	\$ 329,528	\$ 295,086	
income (loss)	2,263	(132)	4,522	(3,175)	
The Company's share of total comprehensive income	<u>\$ 140,119</u>	<u>\$ 74,555</u>	<u>\$ 334,050</u>	<u>\$ 291,911</u>	

The Level 1 fair values based on the closing market prices of SNI as of the balance sheet dates were as follows:

	September 30,	December 31,	September 30,
	2018	2017	2017
SNI	<u>\$ 1,856,852</u>	\$ 2,130,406	\$ 2,155,274

HopeTech returned the proceeds of \$19,184 thousand as a result of capital reduction in January 2018. The Company received \$3,379 thousand by disposing all shares of HopeTech in June 2018 and recognized disposal loss of \$125 thousand. HopeTech engages mainly in sale of information and communication technologies products.

The Company did not participate in the capital increase of DZIM in April 2017 and the ownership interest of DZIM decreased from 26% to 22%. DZIM engages mainly in information technology service and general advertisement service.

The Company owns 14% equity shares of ADT. As the Company remains the seat in the Board of Directors of ADT and considers the relative size of ownership interest and the dispersion of shares owned by the other stockholders, the Company remains significant influence over ADT. In June 2018, the stockholders of ADT approved to dissolve. ADT engages mainly in the development of mobile payments and information processing service.

The Company's share of profit and other comprehensive income (loss) of associates was recognized based on the reviewed financial statements.

#### b. Investments in joint ventures

Investments in joint ventures were as follows:

		Carrying	Amoun	t	% of Ow	nership and Voti	ng Rights	
	ber 30, 18	Decem 20	ber 31, 17		ember 30, 2017	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Non-listed								
Chunghwa Benefit One Co., Ltd. ("CBO") Huada Digital Corporation	\$ -	\$	-	\$	1,897	-	-	50
("HDD")	 		<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>	-	-	-
	\$ 	\$		\$	1,897			

In December 2016, the stockholders of CBO approved that CBO should start its dissolution from December 31, 2016. CBO completed its liquidation in December 2017.

In March 2016, the stockholders of HDD approved that HDD should start its dissolution from March 31, 2016. HDD completed its liquidation in March 2017.

None of the above joint ventures is considered individually material to the Company. Summarized financial information of joint ventures that was not material to the Company was as follows:

	Th		nths Endo nber 30	ed	Nine Months Ended September 30			
	20	18	20	17	20	18	2	2017
The Company's share of loss The Company's share of other comprehensive income	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	(779)
The Company's share of total comprehensive loss	\$	<u>-</u>	\$	<u>-</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>(779</u> )

The Company's share of loss of joint ventures was recorded based on the reviewed financial statements.

## 17. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	Land	Land Improvements	Buildings	Computer Equipment	Telecommuni- cations Equipment	Transportation Equipment	Miscellaneous Equipment	Construction in Progress and equipment to be accepted	Total
Cost									
Balance on January 1, 2017 Additions Disposal	\$ 103,872,069 - (147,324)	\$ 1,580,893 - (4,701)	\$ 67,737,813 14,853 (2,207)	\$ 14,294,817 50,271 (685,784)	\$ 715,692,476 156,305 (8,329,177)	\$ 3,866,401 1,053 (39,813)	\$ 8,942,936 165,663 (223,944)	\$ 20,140,722 13,453,504	\$ 936,128,127 13,841,649 (9,432,950)
Effect of foreign exchange differences Others	312,565	3,107	4,030,646	(399) 246,848	(139,209) 12,845,112	(74) 22,974	(3,083) 480,800	(46) (18,068,451)	(142,811) (126,399)
Balance on September 30, 2017	<u>\$ 104,037,310</u>	<u>\$ 1,579,299</u>	<u>\$ 71,781,105</u>	<u>\$ 13,905,753</u>	<u>\$ 720,225,507</u>	\$ 3,850,541	<u>\$ 9,362,372</u>	<u>\$ 15,525,729</u>	<u>\$ 940,267,616</u>
Accumulated depreciation and impairment									
Balance on January 1, 2017 Depreciation expenses Disposal	\$ - - -	\$ (1,248,614) (37,507) 4,688	\$ (25,591,288) (1,061,637) 2,207	\$ (11,581,679) (905,422) 680,581	\$ (596,497,180) (18,425,082) 8,307,862	\$ (3,237,064) (268,719) 39,783	\$ (6,802,542) (510,407) 215,438	\$ - - -	\$ (644,958,367) (21,208,774) 9,250,559
Effect of foreign exchange differences Others		1,082	139,329	180 11,865	35,436 79,217	(7,026)	1,387 (111,518)		37,067 112,949
Balance on September 30, 2017	<u>s -</u>	<u>\$ (1,280,351</u> )	<u>\$ (26,511,389</u> )	<u>\$ (11,794,475</u> )	<u>\$ (606,499,747</u> )	<u>\$ (3,472,962)</u>	<u>\$ (7,207,642</u> )	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ (656,766,566</u> )
Balance on January 1, 2017, net Balance on September 30,	\$ 103,872,069	<u>\$ 332,279</u>	<u>\$ 42,146,525</u>	\$ 2,713,138	<u>\$ 119,195,296</u>	<u>\$ 629,337</u>	\$ 2,140,394	\$ 20,140,722	\$ 291,169,760
2017, net	\$ 104,037,310	\$ 298,948	<u>\$ 45,269,716</u>	\$ 2,111,278	<u>\$ 113,725,760</u>	\$ 377,579	\$ 2,154,730	\$ 15,525,729	\$ 283,501,050
Cost									
Balance on January 1, 2018 Additions Disposal	\$ 104,079,190 - (28,379)	\$ 1,594,899 - (337)	\$ 72,694,050 14,325 (23)	\$ 14,161,797 33,610 (455,245)	\$ 722,054,435 59,196 (25,165,235)	\$ 3,834,372 270 (21,047)	\$ 9,514,875 196,611 (492,999)	\$ 18,526,814 18,497,861	\$ 946,460,432 18,801,873 (26,163,265)
Effect of foreign exchange differences Others	10,488	3,607	114,883	(169) 218,095	48,787 16,366,803	37 26,787	(809) 415,193	99 (17,151,377)	47,945 4,479
Balance on September 30, 2018	<u>\$ 104,061,299</u>	<u>\$ 1,598,169</u>	<u>\$ 72,823,235</u>	<u>\$ 13,958,088</u>	<u>\$ 713,363,986</u>	\$ 3,840,419	<u>\$ 9,632,871</u>	<u>\$ 19,873,397</u>	<u>\$ 939,151,464</u>
Accumulated depreciation and impairment									
Balance on January 1, 2018 Depreciation expenses Disposal Effect of foreign exchange	\$ - - -	\$ (1,292,527) (34,760) 337	\$ (26,798,694) (1,016,433) 23	\$ (11,787,847) (756,705) 444,637	\$ (607,154,914) (18,152,985) 25,139,451	\$ (3,513,529) (130,657) 21,013	\$ (7,205,011) (506,643) 486,640	\$ - - -	\$ (657,752,522) (20,598,183) 26,092,101
differences Others	<u> </u>	(18)	11,398	97 (4,976)	(16,907) 24,402	(23) (4,087)	504 (17,572)		(16,329) 9,147
Balance on September 30, 2018	<u>s -</u>	<u>\$ (1,326,968</u> )	<u>\$ (27,803,706</u> )	<u>\$ (12,104,794</u> )	<u>\$ (600,160,953</u> )	<u>\$ (3,627,283</u> )	<u>\$ (7,242,082</u> )	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ (652,265,786</u> )
Balance on January 1, 2018, net Balance on September 30,	<u>\$ 104,079,190</u>	\$ 302,372	<u>\$ 45,895,356</u>	<u>\$ 2,373,950</u>	<u>\$ 114,899,521</u>	\$ 320,843	\$ 2,309,864	<u>\$ 18,526,814</u>	<u>\$ 288,707,910</u>
2018, net	\$ 104,061,299	<u>\$ 271,201</u>	\$ 45,019,529	<u>\$ 1,853,294</u>	<u>\$ 113,203,033</u>	\$ 213,136	\$ 2,390,789	\$ 19,873,397	\$ 286,885,678

There was no indication that property, plant and equipment was impaired so the Company did not recognize any impairment loss for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017.

Depreciation expense is computed using the straight-line method over the following estimated service lives:

Land improvements	8-30 years
Buildings	
Main buildings	35-60 years
Other building facilities	3-20 years
Computer equipment	2-8 years
Telecommunications equipment	
Telecommunication circuits	2-30 years
Telecommunication machinery and antennas equipment	2-30 years
Transportation equipment	3-10 years
Miscellaneous equipment	
Leasehold improvements	1-6 years
Mechanical and air conditioner equipment	3-16 years
Others	1-10 years

#### 18. INVESTMENT PROPERTIES

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Balance on January 1, 2017 Reclassification	\$ 9,194,652 (7,351)
Balance on September 30, 2017	<u>\$ 9,187,301</u>
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	
Balance on January 1, 2017 Depreciation expense Reclassification	\$ (1,080,119) (15,637) 2,947
Balance on September 30, 2017	<u>\$ (1,092,809</u> )
Balance on January 1, 2017, net Balance on September 30, 2017, net	\$ 8,114,533 \$ 8,094,492
Cost	
Balance on January 1, 2018 Additions	\$ 9,134,817 5,627
Balance on September 30, 2018	<u>\$ 9,140,444</u>
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	
Balance on January 1, 2018 Depreciation expense	\$ (1,087,024) (15,584)
Balance on September 30, 2018	<u>\$ (1,102,608)</u>
Balance on January 1, 2018, net Balance on September 30, 2018, net	\$ 8,047,793 \$ 8,037,836

Depreciation expense is computed using the straight-line method over the following estimated service lives:

Land improvements	8-30 years
Buildings	
Main buildings	35-60 years
Other building facilities	4-10 years

The fair values of the Company's investment properties as of December 31, 2017 and 2016 were determined by Level 3 fair value measurements inputs based on the appraisal reports conducted by independent appraisers. The Company used the aforementioned appraisal reports as the basis to determine the fair values as of September 30, 2018 and 2017 because there was no material change in the economic environment and the market transaction price. Those appraisal reports are based on the comparison approach, income approach or cost approach. Key assumptions and the fair values were as follows:

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Fair value	\$ 17,728,012	\$ 17,728,012	\$ 17,778,228
Overall capital interest rate	1.46%-2.20%	1.46%-2.20%	1.46%-2.20%
Profit margin ratio	12%-20%	12%-20%	10%-20%
Discount rate	1.04%	1.04%	1.04%
Capitalization rate	0.47%-1.69%	0.47%-1.69%	0.43%-1.78%

All of the Company's investment properties are held under freehold interest.

## 19. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

	3G and 4G Concession	Computer Software	Goodwill	Others	Total
Cost					
Balance on January 1, 2017 Additions-acquired separately Disposal Effect of foreign exchange difference	\$ 59,209,000	\$ 3,408,092 124,981 (315,686) (209)	\$ 236,200	\$ 414,231 1,630 (18)	\$ 63,267,523 126,611 (315,704)
Balance on September 30, 2017	\$ 59,209,000	\$ 3,217,178	\$ 236,200	\$ 415,778	\$ 63,078,156
Accumulated amortization and impairment					
Balance on January 1, 2017 Amortization expenses Disposal Effect of foreign exchange	\$(13,412,712) (2,303,889)	\$ (2,413,337) (366,218) 315,686	\$ (18,055) - -	\$ (69,995) (17,628) 18	\$(15,914,099) (2,687,735) 315,704
difference	<del>_</del>	169	<del>-</del>	(1)	168
Balance on September 30, 2017	<u>\$(15,716,601</u> )	<u>\$ (2,463,700)</u>	<u>\$ (18,055)</u>	<u>\$ (87,606)</u>	<u>\$(18,285,962)</u>
Balance on January 1, 2017, net	<u>\$ 45,796,288</u>	<u>\$ 994,755</u>	<u>\$ 218,145</u>	<u>\$ 344,236</u>	<u>\$ 47,353,424</u>
Balance on September 30, 2017, net	<u>\$ 43,492,399</u>	<u>\$ 753,478</u>	<u>\$ 218,145</u>	\$ 328,172	<u>\$ 44,792,194</u>
Cost					
Balance on January 1, 2018 Additions-acquired separately Disposal Effect of foreign exchange difference	\$ 70,144,000 - -	\$ 3,311,610 199,149 (321,356)	\$ 236,200	\$ 418,150 4,112 (58,009) (95)	\$ 74,109,960 203,261 (379,365) (54)
Balance on September 30, 2018	\$ 70,144,000	\$ 3,189,444	\$ 236,200	\$ 364,158	\$ 73,933,802
Accumulated amortization and impairment	<u>\$ 70,144,000</u>	<u>v 5,107,<del>1111</del></u>	<u>9 250,200</u>	<u>v 304,130</u>	<u>v 13,733,002</u>
Balance on January 1, 2018 Amortization expenses Disposal Impairment losses Effect of foreign exchange difference	\$(16,674,565) (2,955,280)	\$ (2,431,797) (309,998) 321,356	\$ (26,677) - - -	\$ (93,653) (17,204) 58,009 (50,750)	\$(19,226,692) (3,282,482) 379,365 (50,750)
	¢(10,(20,945)		e (0/ /77)		
Balance on September 30, 2018	<u>\$(19,629,845)</u>	<u>\$ (2,420,479)</u>	<u>\$ (26,677)</u>	<u>\$ (103,577)</u>	<u>\$(22,180,578)</u> (Continued)

	3G and 4G Concession	Computer Software	Goodwill	Others	Total
Balance on January 1, 2018, net Balance on September 30, 2018,	\$ 53,469,435	<u>\$ 879,813</u>	\$ 209,523	<u>\$ 324,497</u>	\$ 54,883,268
net	<u>\$ 50,514,155</u>	<u>\$ 768,965</u>	<u>\$ 209,523</u>	<u>\$ 260,581</u>	\$ 51,753,224 (Concluded)

For long-term business development, Chunghwa deposited \$1,000,000 thousand as bid bond in August 2017. Chunghwa submitted an application to NCC for 4G mobile broadband license in 1.8 and 2.1 GHz frequency bands and obtained certain spectrums. Chunghwa paid the 4G concession fee amounting to \$10,935,000 thousand in November 2017.

The concessions are granted and issued by the NCC. The concession fees are amortized using the straight-line method from the date operations commence through the date the license expires. The carrying amount of 3G concession fee will be fully amortized by December 2018, and 4G concession fees will be fully amortized by December 2030 and December 2033.

The computer software is amortized using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of 1 to 10 years. Other intangible assets are amortized using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of 3 to 20 years. Goodwill is not amortized.

SENAO evaluated and determined that the recoverable amount of certain licensed contract was nil and recognized the impairment loss of \$50,750 thousand for the nine months ended September 30, 2018. The recoverable amount was based on the value in use. The aforementioned impairment loss was included in other income and expenses of statement of comprehensive income.

#### 20. OTHER ASSETS

	September 30,	December 31,	September 30,
	2018	2017	2017
Spare parts Refundable deposits Other financial assets Telecom license bid bond (Note 19) Others	\$ 2,788,548	\$ 2,058,769	\$ 2,584,509
	1,824,679	1,860,364	1,664,858
	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
	-	-	1,000,000
	2,676,820	2,800,112	2,542,659
	\$ 8,290,047	\$ 7,719,245	\$ 8,792,026
Current Spare parts Others	\$ 2,788,548	\$ 2,058,769	\$ 2,584,509
	<u>267,237</u>	123,989	160,273
	\$ 3,055,785	\$ 2,182,758	\$ 2,744,782
Noncurrent Refundable deposits Other financial assets Telecom license bid bond Others	\$ 1,824,679 1,000,000 - - - 2,409,583 \$ 5,234,262	\$ 1,860,364 1,000,000 - - - 2,676,123 \$ 5,536,487	\$ 1,664,858 1,000,000 1,000,000 2,382,386 \$ 6,047,244

Other financial assets - noncurrent was Piping Fund. As part of the government's effort to upgrade the existing telecommunications infrastructure, Chunghwa and other public utility companies were required by the ROC government to contribute to a Piping Fund administered by the Taipei City Government. This fund was used to finance various telecommunications infrastructure projects. Net assets of this fund will be returned proportionately after the project is completed.

#### 21. HEDGING DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

### 2018

Chunghwa's hedge strategy is to enter forward exchange contracts - buy to avoid its foreign currency exposure to certain foreign currency denominated equipment payments in the following six months. In addition, Chunghwa's management considers the market condition to determine the hedge ratio and enters into forward exchange contracts with the banks to avoid the foreign currency risk.

Chunghwa signed equipment purchase contracts with suppliers and entered into forward exchange contracts to avoid foreign currency risk exposure to Euro-denominated purchase commitments. Those forward exchange contracts were designated as cash flow hedges. When forecast purchases actually take place, basis adjustments are made to the initial carrying amounts of hedged items.

For the hedges of highly probable forecast sales and purchases, as the critical terms (i.e. the notional amount, life and underlying) of the forward foreign exchange contracts and their corresponding hedged items are the same, the Company performs a qualitative assessment of effectiveness and it is expected that the value of the forward contracts and the value of the corresponding hedged items will systematically change in opposite direction in response to movements in the underlying exchange rates.

The main source of hedge ineffectiveness in these hedging relationships is the effect of credit risks of the Company and the counterparty on the fair value of the forward exchange contracts. Such credit risks does not impact the fair value of the hedged item attributable to changes in foreign exchange rates. No other sources of ineffectiveness emerged from these hedging relationships.

The following tables summarize the information relating to the hedges for foreign currency risk.

#### September 30, 2018

		Notional Amount			rward	Line item in	_		Carrying	_		values of instrum for cal	ge in fair of hedging ents used culating edge
Hedging instruments	Currency	(In Thousands)	Maturity		Rate	balance sheet	t	A	sset	Liab	ility	ineffec	tiveness
Cash flow hedge Forecast purchases - forward exchange contracts	EUR/NT\$	EUR2,500/ NT\$88,583	2018.12	\$	35.43	Hedging financia assets (liabilitie		\$	367	\$	-	\$	1,217
			Change in value of hedged item used for		Accumulated gain on hedging instru in other equit			ument	ıments				
Hedged items		calculating hedge ineffectiveness			- C			Hedg countinger ap	ng no				
Cash flow hedg Forecast equi		rchases			\$ (	1,217)	\$		367			\$	-

		Comprehensive income									
Hedge transaction							eclassificati rofit or loss line				
	gair rec	edging n or loss ognized n OCI	Amount of hedge ineffectiveness recognized in profit or loss		Line item in which hedge ineffectiveness is included	recl P/I	assified to and the usted line item	futu flows exp	to hedged ire cash no longer ected to occur		
Cash flow hedge Forecast equipment purchases	\$	1,217	\$	-	-	pro equ	(3,529) ruction in gress and ipment to accepted	\$ Other g losse	(297) gains and es		

### 2017

The hedging policy of 2017 for foreign currency risk is the same as that in 2018. The hedging instrument was showed as follows:

	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017		
Hedging derivative financial Assets				
Cash flow hedge - forward exchange contracts	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 537</u>		
Hedging derivative financial Liabilities				
Cash flow hedge - forward exchange contracts	<u>\$ 850</u>	<u>\$ -</u>		

For the three months and nine months ended September 30, 2017, changes in fair value of the hedged items recognized in other comprehensive income was loss of \$521 thousand and gain of \$1,124 thousand, respectively. Upon the completion of the purchase transaction, the amount deferred and recognized in equity initially will be reclassified into equipment as its carrying value.

No reclassification was made from equity to profit or loss for the nine months ended September 30, 2017.

The outstanding forward exchange contracts at the balance sheet dates were as follows:

	Currency	Maturity Period	Contract Amount (Thousands)
<u>December 31, 2017</u>			
Forward exchange contracts - buy	EUR/NT\$	2018.03-06	EUR3,963/NT\$141,605
<u>September 30, 2017</u>			
Forward exchange contracts - buy	EUR/NT\$	2017.12-2018.03	EUR6,741/NT\$240,803

Gain (losses) arising from the hedging derivative financial instruments that have been reclassified from equity to initial cost of the property, plant and equipment were as follows:

			Three Months Ended September 30, 2017	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2017
	Construction in progress and equipment to be accepted		\$ 8,000	<u>\$ 3,584</u>
22.	SHORT-TERM LOANS			
		September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
	Secured loans (Note 40) Unsecured loans	\$ - 120,000	\$ - - 70,000	\$ 33,000 <u>390,000</u>
		<u>\$ 120,000</u>	\$ 70,000	<u>\$ 423,000</u>
	The annual interest rates of loans were as follow	s:		
		September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017

### 23. LONG-TERM LOANS (INCLUDING LONG-TERM LOANS - CURRENT PORTION)

Secured loans

Unsecured loans

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	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Secured loans (Note 40) Less: Current portion of long-term loans	\$ 1,600,000 <del></del>	\$ 1,600,000 \(\frac{1}{5}\) 1,600,000	\$ 1,600,000 \(\frac{(1,600,000)}{\sigma}\)
The annual interest rates of loans were as follows	ws:		
	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Secured loans	0.92%	0.91%	0.91%

1.35%-2.35%

2.15%-2.19%

1.98%-2.28%

0.80%-2.19%

LED obtained a secured loan from Chang Hwa Bank in September 2010. Interest is paid monthly. \$300,000 thousand and \$1,350,000 thousand were originally due in December 2014 and September 2015, respectively. In October 2014, the bank borrowing mentioned above was extended to September 2018 for one time repayment. LED made an early repayment of \$50,000 thousand in April 2015. LED entered into a contract with Chang Hwa Bank to renew the contract upon the maturity of the aforementioned contract in December 2017 and the due date of the renew contract is September 2021.

## 24. TRADE NOTES AND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

	September 30,	December 31,	September 30,
	2018	2017	2017
Trade notes and accounts payable	\$ 20,546,011	\$ 19,395,889	\$ 17,643,423

Trade notes and accounts payable were attributable to operating activities and the trading conditions were agreed separately.

## 25. OTHER PAYABLES

		September 30, 2018		December 31, 2017		otember 30, 2017
Accrued salary and compensation	\$	6,872,977	\$	9,748,433	\$	7,671,521
Payables to equipment suppliers		1,818,405		1,689,685		839,758
Accrued compensation to employees and						
remuneration to directors and supervisors		1,405,065		1,948,821		1,525,561
Payables to contractors		1,384,653		2,057,651		912,217
Amounts collected for others		1,173,806		1,202,933		1,217,281
Accrued maintenance costs		1,020,974		1,081,473		995,299
Accrued franchise fees		871,167		1,248,010		944,173
Others		6,341,290		6,024,395	_	6,225,898
	<u>\$</u>	20,888,337	\$	25,001,401	\$	20,331,708

## **26. PROVISIONS**

		September 30 2018	December 2017	31, Se	ptember 30, 2017
Warranties Employee benefits Trade-in right Others		\$ 129,056 46,047 - 4,447	\$ 131,7 43,4 87,5 4,4	29 72	\$ 135,226 40,995 33,764 4,417
Current Noncurrent		\$\frac{179,550}{104,880}\$ \tag{74,670}	\$ 267,2 \$ 188,7 78,5	44 5	\$ 214,402 \$ 146,151 68,251
rvoncurrent		<u>\$ 179,550</u>	<u>\$ 267,2</u>	<del></del> -	\$ 214,402
	Warranties	Employee Benefits	Trade-in right	Others	Total
Balance on January 1, 2017 Additional provisions recognized Used / forfeited during the period	\$110,975 67,140 (42,889)	\$ 38,014 4,619 (1,638)	\$ 31,378 10,462 (8,076)	\$ 4,447 (30)	\$184,814 82,221 (52,633)
Balance on September 30, 2017	<u>\$135,226</u>	\$ 40,995	\$ 33,764	\$ 4,417	<u>\$214,402</u> (Continued)

	Warranties	Employee Benefits	Trade-in right	Others	Total
Balance on January 1, 2018 Effect of retrospective application	\$131,789	\$ 43,429	\$ 87,572	\$ 4,467	\$267,257
of IFRS 15 Balance on January 1, 2018 as		<del>-</del>	(87,572)		(87,572)
adjusted	131,789	43,429	-	4,467	179,685
Additional provisions recognized	135,558	3,834	-	80	139,472
Used / forfeited during the period	(138,291)	(1,216)		(100)	(139,607)
Balance on September 30, 2018	<u>\$129,056</u>	<u>\$ 46,047</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 4,447</u>	<u>\$179,550</u> (Concluded)

- a. The provision for warranties claims represents the present value of the management's best estimate of the future outflow of economic benefits that will be required under the Company's obligation for warranties in sales agreements. The estimate has been made based on the historical warranty experience.
- b. The provision for employee benefits represents vested long-term service compensation accrued.
- c. The provision for trade-in right in 2017 was based on the management's judgments to estimate the trade-in right of products exercised by customers in the future. The provision was recognized as a reduction of revenue in the period in which the goods are sold.

#### 27. ADVANCE RECEIPTS

Advance receipts are mainly from advance telecommunication charges. For those obliged to transfer good and service in order to collect consideration from customer, they were retrospectively reclassified as contract liabilities starting from 2018. In accordance with NCC's regulation named "Mandatory and Prohibitory Provisions To Be Included In Standard Contracts for Telecommunication Goods (Services) Coupons", the Company entered into a contract with Bank of Taiwan to provide a performance guarantee for advance receipts from selling prepaid cards amounting to \$624,373 thousand as of September 30, 2018.

#### 28. RETIREMENT BENEFIT PLANS

According to the Article 56 of the Labor Standards Law revised in February 2015, entities are required to contribute the difference in one appropriation to their pension funds before the end of next March when the balance of the Funds is insufficient to pay the eligible employees who meet the retirement criteria in the following year. Chunghwa contributed \$2,118,583 thousand and \$337,686 thousand to its pension fund as of March 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

Relevant pension costs for defined benefit plans which were determined by the pension cost rates of actuarial valuation as of December 31, 2017 and 2016 were as follows:

		Three Months Ended September 30			Nine Months Ended September 30		
		2018		2017	2018	2017	
Operating costs Marketing expenses General and administrative expenses	\$	448,462 221,238 41,375	\$	433,592 211,716 38,968	\$ 1,346,614 665,283 122,639	\$ 1,300,940 635,101 116,623	
Research and development expenses	<u> </u>	27,064 738,139	<u> </u>	24,191 708,467	80,466 \$ 2,215,002	72,766 \$ 2,125,430	

### 29. EQUITY

### a. Share capital

#### 1) Common stocks

	September 30,	December 31,	September 30,
	2018	2017	2017
Number of authorized shares (thousand) Authorized shares	12,000,000	12,000,000	12,000,000
	\$ 120,000,000	\$ 120,000,000	\$ 120,000,000
Number of issued and paid shares (thousand) Issued shares	7,757,447	7,757,447	7,757,447
	\$ 77,574,465	\$ 77,574,465	\$77,574,465

The issued common stocks of a par value at \$10 per share entitled the right to vote and receive dividends.

#### 2) Global depositary receipts

The MOTC and some stockholders sold some common stocks of Chunghwa in an international offering of securities in the form of American Depositary Shares ("ADS") (one ADS represents 10 common stocks) in July 2003, August 2005, and September 2006. The ADSs were traded on the New York Stock Exchange since July 17, 2003. As of September 30, 2018, the outstanding ADSs were 234,085 thousand common stocks, which equaled 23,408 thousand units and represented 3.01% of Chunghwa's total outstanding common stocks.

The ADS holders generally have the same rights and obligations as other common stockholders, subject to the provision of relevant laws. The exercise of such rights and obligations shall comply with the related regulations and deposit agreement, which stipulate, among other things, that ADS holders are entitled to, through deposit agents:

- a) Exercise their voting rights,
- b) Sell their ADSs, and
- c) Receive dividends declared and subscribe to the issuance of new shares.

### b. Additional paid-in capital

The adjustments of additional paid-in capital for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 were as follows:

	Share Premium	Ad Paid- for A ar V Acco	rements of Iditional -in Capital Associates and Joint centures ounted for ang Equity Method	A Paid Ar C E	vements of dditional 1-in Capital ising from hanges in quities of ibsidiaries	b Con Rec C Amo Subsi Ass	fference etween sideration eived and arrying ount of the diaries' Net sets upon visposal	Dona	ted Capital	C	ockholders' ontribution Due to rivatization	Total
Balance on January 1, 2017 Change in additional paid-in capital from investments in associates and joint ventures accounted for using equity	\$ 147,329,386	\$	76,972	\$	390,030	\$	84,850	\$	13,170	\$	20,648,078	\$ 168,542,486
method	-		12,523		-		-		-		-	12,523
Partial disposal of interests in subsidiaries	_		_		_		76,714		_		_	76,714
Treasury stock transfer of					0.217		, .					
subsidiaries Change in additional paid-in capital for not participating in the capital increase of	-		-		9,317		-		-		-	9,317
subsidiaries	-		-		803,342		-		-		-	803,342
Share-based payment transactions of subsidiaries	<del>-</del>				2,074				<u>-</u>	_	<u>-</u>	2,074
Balance on September 30, 2017	<u>\$ 147,329,386</u>	<u>s</u>	89,495	\$	1,204,763	\$	161,564	\$	13,170	\$	20,648,078	<u>\$ 169,446,456</u>
Balance on January 1, 2018 Unclaimed dividend Change in additional paid-in capital from investments in associates and joint ventures accounted for using equity	\$ 147,329,386 -	\$	90,937	\$	1,221,046	\$	161,243	\$	16,193 2,481	\$	20,648,078	\$ 169,466,883 2,481
method	-		1		-		-		-		-	1
Partial disposal of interests in subsidiaries	_		_		_		826,047		_		_	826,047
Change in additional paid-in capital for not participating in the capital increase of							020,017					020,017
subsidiaries	-		-		776,781		-		-		-	776,781
Share-based payment transactions of subsidiaries	-		-		12,119		-		-		-	12,119
Treasury stock transfer of subsidiaries			<u>-</u>		53,922		<u>-</u>					53,922
Balance on September 30, 2018	\$ 147,329,386	<u>s</u>	90,938	<u>s</u>	2,063,868	\$	987,290	\$	18,674	\$	20,648,078	<u>\$ 171,138,234</u>

Additional paid-in capital from share premium, donated capital and the difference between consideration received and the carrying amount of the subsidiaries' net assets upon disposal may be utilized to offset deficits. Furthermore, when Chunghwa has no deficit, it may be distributed in cash or capitalized, which however is limited to a certain percentage of Chunghwa's paid-in capital except the additional paid-in capital arising from claimed dividend can only be utilized to offset deficits.

The additional paid-in capital from movements of paid-in capital arising from changes in equities of subsidiaries may only be utilized to offset deficits.

Among additional paid-in capital from movements of investments in associates and joint ventures accounted for using equity method, the portion arising from the difference between consideration received and the carrying amount of the subsidiaries net assets upon disposal may be utilized to offset deficits; furthermore, when the Company has no deficit, it may be distributed in cash or capitalized. However, other additional paid-in capital recognized in proportion of share ownership may only be utilized to offset deficits.

#### c. Retained earnings and dividends policy

In accordance with the Chunghwa's Articles of Incorporation, Chunghwa must pay all outstanding taxes, offset deficits in prior years and set aside a legal reserve equal to 10% of its net income before distributing a dividend or making any other distribution to stockholders, except when the accumulated amount of such legal reserve equals to Chunghwa's total issued capital, and depending on its business needs or requirements, may also set aside or reverse special reserves. No less than 50% of the remaining earnings comprising remaining balance of net income, if any, plus cumulative undistributed earnings shall be distributed as stockholders' dividends, of which cash dividends to be distributed shall not be less than 50% of the total amount of dividends to be distributed. If cash dividend to be distributed is less than \$0.10 per share, such cash dividend shall be distributed in the form of common stocks.

Chunghwa should appropriate or reverse a special reserve in accordance with Rule No. 1010012865 and Rule No. 1010047490 issued by the FSC and the directive entitled "Questions and Answers on Special Reserves Appropriated Following the Adoption of Taiwan-IFRSs". Distributions can be made out of any subsequent reversal of the debit to other equity items.

The appropriation for legal reserve shall be made until the accumulated reserve equals the aggregate par value of the outstanding capital stock of Chunghwa. This reserve can only be used to offset a deficit, or, when the legal reserve has exceeded 25% of Chunghwa's paid-in capital, the excess may be transferred to capital or distributed in cash.

The appropriations of the 2017 and 2016 earnings of Chunghwa approved by the stockholders in their meetings on June 15, 2018 and June 23, 2017 were as follows:

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	Appropriation	(NT\$)		
	For Fiscal Year 2017	For Fiscal Year 2016	For Fiscal Year 2017	For Fiscal Year 2016
Provision for (reversal of) special reserve Cash dividends	\$ (5,404) 37,204,714	\$ 5,404 38,336,525	\$ 4.796	\$ 4.9419

Information of the appropriation of Chunghwa's earnings proposed by the Board of Directors and approved by the stockholders is available on the Market Observation Post System website.

#### d. Other adjustments

## 1) Exchange differences arising from the translation of the foreign operations

The exchange differences arising from the translation of the foreign operations from their functional currency to New Taiwan dollars were recognized as exchange differences arising from the translation of the foreign operations in other comprehensive income.

#### 2) Unrealized gain or loss on available-for-sale financial assets

Balance on January 1,2017	\$ (50,885)
Unrealized gain or loss on available-for-sale financial	516 400
assets Income tax relating to unrealized gain or loss on	516,499
available- for-sale financial assets	1,827
Balance on September 30, 2017	\$ 467,441
1	(Continued)

Balance on January 1, 2018 under IAS 39	\$ 558,109
Effect of retrospective application of IFRS 9	(558,109)
Balance on January 1, 2018 under IFRS 9	\$ - (Concluded)

## 3) Unrealized gain or loss on financial assets at FVOCI

	Nine Months Ended September 30 2018
Balance on January 1, 2018 under IAS 39	\$ -
Effect of retrospective application of IFRS 9	883,420
Balance on January 1, 2018 under IFRS 9	883,420
Unrealized gain or loss for the period	
Equity instruments	(826,439)
Balance on September 30, 2018	<u>\$ 56,981</u>

## e. Noncontrolling interests

	Nine Months Ended September		
	2018	2017	
Beginning balance	\$ 8,697,595	\$ 6,495,922	
Effect of retrospective application	(3,945)	<del></del> _	
Beginning balance as adjusted	8,693,650	6,495,922	
Shares attributed to noncontrolling interests			
Net incomme for the period	689,937	928,973	
Exchange differences arising from the translation of the			
foreign operations	(6,683)	(12,951)	
Unrealized gain or loss on financial assets at FVOCI	1,807	· -	
Unrealized gain (loss) on available-for-sale financial assets	-	(1,327)	
Income tax relating to unrealized gain or loss on available-		, ,	
for-sale financial assets	-	226	
Income tax relating to remeasurments of defined benefit			
pension plans	1,509	-	
Share of other comprehensive income (loss) of associates			
accounted for using equity method	555	(1,695)	
Cash dividends distributed by subsidiaries	(958,446)	(942,482)	
Changes in additional paid-in capital from investments in			
associates and joint ventures accounted for using equity			
method	203	1,916	
Partial disposal of interests in subsidiaries	348,353	29,217	
Change in additional paid-in capital for not participating in			
the capital increase of subsidiaries	699,899	1,753,711	
Share-based payment transactions of subsidiaries	38,120	15,825	
Increase in noncontrolling interests	278,200	45,121	
Ending balance	\$ 9,787,104	\$ 8,312,456	

## **30. REVENUES**

	Three Months Ended September 30		1 (1110 1/1011	ths Ended iber 30
	2018	2017	2018	2017
Revenue from contracts with				
customers	\$ 52,410,781	\$ 56,151,787	\$159,309,639	\$165,864,651
Other revenues				
Rental income	171,658	177,100	486,927	489,203
Other	122,446	96,016	199,036	275,590
	294,104	273,116	685,963	764,793
	\$ 52,704,885	\$ 56,424,903	<u>\$159,995,602</u>	\$166,629,444

The information of performance obligations in customer contracts, please refer to Note 3 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies for details.

## a. Disaggregation of revenue

The main source of revenue of the Company includes various telecommunications services in different streams, the information of disaggregation of revenue please refer to Note 44.

### b. Contract balances

	September 30, 2018
Trade notes and accounts receivable (Note 10)	<u>\$29,221,409</u>
Contract assets Sale of products Other	\$ 7,282,941 109,568
	<u>\$ 7,392,509</u>
Current Non-current	\$ 5,078,820 2,313,689
	<u>\$ 7,392,509</u>
Contract liabilities Telecommunications business Project business Other	\$ 8,614,160 3,832,921 505,558
	<u>\$12,952,639</u>
Current Non-current	\$ 10,392,850 2,559,789
	<u>\$12,952,639</u>

The changes in the contract asset and the contract liability balances primarily result from the timing difference between the fulfillment of performance obligations and the payments collected from customers.

Revenue recognized for the period that was included in the contract liability at the beginning of the period was as follows:

	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2018
Telecommunications business Project business Other	\$ 3,614,478 396,236 445,148
	<u>\$ 4,455,862</u>
Incremental costs of obtaining contracts	
	September 30, 2018
Noncurrent	

The Company considered the past experience and the default clauses in the telecommunications service contract and believes the commissions and equipment subsidy paid for obtaining contracts are expected to be recoverable; therefore, incremental costs of obtaining contracts are recognized as an asset. Amortization recognized in the three months and nine months ended September 30, 2018 are \$420,817 thousand and \$1,519,228 thousand, respectively.

\$ 1,587,709

## 31. NET INCOME AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS)

Incremental costs of obtaining contracts

### a. Net income

c.

## 1) Other income and expenses

	Three Mon Septem		Nine Months Ended September 30			
	2018	2017	2018	2017		
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment Impairment loss on intangible assets	\$ (8,753) 	\$ (16,875) 	\$ (38,503) (50,750)	\$ (33,620) 		
	<u>\$ (8,753)</u>	<u>\$ (16,875)</u>	<u>\$ (89,253)</u>	<u>\$ (33,620)</u>		

## 2) Other income

	Three Months Ended September 30		Nine Months Ended September 30		
	2018	2017	2018	2017	
Dividend income Rental income Others	\$ 164,154 14,610 <u>88,778</u>	\$ 16,124 14,502 <u>99,426</u>	\$ 395,593 49,218 180,359	\$ 327,861 40,067 266,375	
	\$ 267,542	<u>\$ 130,052</u>	\$ 625,170	<u>\$ 634,303</u>	
3) Other gains and losses					
	Three Months Ended September 30		Nine Months Ended September 30		
	2018	2017	2018	2017	
Net foreign currency exchange gains (losses)	\$ 2,191	\$ (67,541)	\$ 6,011	\$ (58,933)	
Gains on disposal of financial instruments Valuation gains (losses) on financial assets and	-	-	5,763	2,705	
liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, net  Losses on disposal of	4,428	(4,946)	4,666	3,234	
investments accounted for using equity method Others	(10,390)	(12,475)	(125) (40,884)	(31,990)	

## 4) Impairment loss

		nths Ended nber 30	Nine Mon Septen	ths Ended iber 30
	2018	2017	2018	2017
Contract assets	<u>\$ 19,410</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 19,410</u>	<u>\$</u>
Trade notes and				
accounts receivable	<u>\$ 106,266</u>	<u>\$ 37,643</u>	<u>\$ 839,302</u>	<u>\$ 416,017</u>
Other receivables	<u>\$ 30,140</u>	<u>\$ 33,173</u>	<u>\$ 65,069</u>	<u>\$ 45,747</u>
Inventories	<u>\$ 86,723</u>	\$ 5,072	<u>\$ 122,884</u>	<u>\$ 23,351</u>
Intangible assets	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 50,750	\$ -

<u>\$ (84,962)</u>

<u>\$ (24,569)</u>

\$ (84,984)

<u>\$ (3,771)</u>

## 5) Depreciation and amortization expenses

		nths Ended nber 30	Nine Months Ended September 30		
	2018	2017	2018	2017	
Property, plant and equipment Investment properties Intangible assets Incremental costs of obtaining contracts	\$ 6,849,673 5,194 1,107,595 420,817	\$ 6,914,720 5,194 887,721	\$ 20,598,183 15,584 3,282,482 	\$ 21,208,774 15,637 2,687,735	
Total depreciation and amortization expenses	\$ 8,383,279	<u>\$ 7,807,635</u>	<u>\$ 25,415,477</u>	\$ 23,912,146	
Depreciation expenses summarized by functions Operating costs Operating expenses	\$ 6,493,284 361,583 \$ 6,854,867	\$ 6,497,607 422,307 \$ 6,919,914	\$ 19,474,658 1,139,109 \$ 20,613,767	\$ 19,872,319 1,352,092 \$ 21,224,411	
Amortization expenses summarized by functions Operating costs Marketing expenses General and administrative expenses Research and development expenses	\$ 1,470,665 24,601 23,551 9,595	\$ 817,938 36,512 24,763 8,508	\$ 4,612,851 89,916 71,730 27,213	\$ 2,464,137 116,931 79,852 26,815	
	\$ 1,528,412	<u>\$ 887,721</u>	\$ 4,801,710	<u>\$ 2,687,735</u>	

## 6) Employee benefit expenses

	Three Months Ended September 30				Nine Mon Septen		
	2018		2017		2018		2017
Post-employment benefit Defined contribution							
plans	\$ 162,010	\$	150,291	\$	473,853	\$	441,865
Defined benefit plans	 738,139		708,467		2,215,002	_	2,125,430
	 900,149		858,758		2,688,855	_	2,567,295
Share-based payment Equity-settled share -							
based payment	 483		7,072		16,940	_	17,899 (Continued)

		nths Ended nber 30	Nine Months Ended September 30			
	2018	2017	2018	2017		
Other employee benefit						
Salaries	\$ 6,577,415	\$ 6,544,408	\$ 19,771,591	\$ 19,583,911		
Insurance	679,151	685,703	2,056,703	2,067,629		
Others	3,320,037	3,748,387	10,629,343	11,349,909		
	10,576,603	10,978,498	32,457,637	33,001,449		
Total employee benefit	\$ 11,477,235	\$ 11,844,328	\$ 35,163,432	\$ 35,586,643		
expenses	<u>\$ 11,477,233</u>	<u>\$ 11,644,326</u>	<u>\$ 33,103,432</u>	<u>\$ 33,360,043</u>		
Summary by functions						
Operating costs	\$ 5,908,401	\$ 6,182,186	\$ 18,212,803	\$ 18,602,057		
Operating expenses	5,568,834	5,662,142	16,950,629	16,984,586		
	<u>\$ 11,477,235</u>	<u>\$ 11,844,328</u>	\$ 35,163,432	\$ 35,586,643 (Concluded)		

Chunghwa distributes employees' compensation at the rates from 1.7% to 4.3% and remuneration to directors not higher than 0.17%, respectively, of pre-tax income.

If there is a change in the proposed amounts after the annual financial statements are authorized for issue, the differences are recorded as a change in accounting estimate.

The compensation to the employees and remuneration to the directors of 2017 and 2016 approved by the Board of Directors on March 13, 2018 and March 7, 2017, respectively, were as follows.

	Cash		
	2017	2016	
Compensation distributed to the employees	\$ 1,596,012	\$ 1,702,164	
Remuneration paid to the directors	40,750	42,087	

There was no difference between the initial accrual amounts and the amounts proposed in the Board of Directors in 2018 and 2017 of the aforementioned compensation to employees and the remuneration to directors.

Information of the appropriation of Chunghwa's employees compensation and remuneration to directors and those approved by the Board of Directors is available on the Market Observation Post System website.

## b. Reclassification adjustments of other comprehensive income (loss)

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2017	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2017
Unrealized gain on available-for-sale financial assets Arising during the period	<u>\$ 544,383</u>	<u>\$ 515,172</u>
Cash flow hedges Loss arising during the period Reclassification adjustments included in profit or loss Adjusted against the carrying amount of hedged items	\$ (6,642) (1,879) 8,000	\$ (581) (1,879) 3,584
	<u>\$ (521)</u>	\$ 1,124

### **32. INCOME TAX**

## a. Income tax recognized in profit or loss

The major components of income tax expense were as follows:

	Three Mor Septem		Nine Months Ended September 30		
	2018	2017	2018	2017	
Current tax					
Current tax expenses recognized for the					
period	\$ 2,152,686	\$ 2,109,146	\$ 6,378,976	\$ 6,139,770	
Income tax on unappropriated					
earnings	-	29	47,528	48,170	
Income tax adjustments					
on prior years	24,476	4,287	22,828	(1,991)	
Others	5,532	8,038	6,610	13,168	
	2,182,694	2,121,500	6,455,942	6,199,117	
Deferred tax					
Deferred tax expenses recognized for the					
period	(44,399)	(38,401)	253,761	(64,881)	
Income tax adjustments on prior years	_	_	19,550	_	
Change in tax rate	_	_	(37,652)	_	
Change in tax rate	(44,399)	(38,401)	235,659	(64,881)	
Income tax recognized in	Φ 2 120 205	Φ 2 002 000	Φ ( (01 (01	Φ (124.22)	
profit or loss	<u>\$ 2,138,295</u>	<u>\$ 2,083,099</u>	<u>\$ 6,691,601</u>	<u>\$ 6,134,236</u>	

In February 2018, the Income Tax Act in the ROC was amended, the corporate income tax rate is adjusted from 17% to 20%. Deferred income tax resulting from the change in tax rate that shall recognize in profit or loss is recognized in full in the period in which the change in tax rate occurs. In addition, the rate of the corporate surtax applicable to 2018 unappropriated earnings will be reduced from 10% to 5%.

### b. Income tax benefit recognized in other comprehensive income

	Three Months Ended September 30		Nine Months Ended September 30				
-	20	18	20	17	2018	2017	
Deferred tax benefit Change in tax rate Unrealized gain or loss on available-for-sale	\$	-	\$	-	\$(207,269)	\$ -	
financial assets		<u>-</u>		(224)	<del>_</del>	(2,053)	
	<u>\$</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>\$</u>	(224)	<u>\$(207,269)</u>	<u>\$ (2,053)</u>	

#### c. Income tax examinations

Income tax returns of Chunghwa have been examined by the tax authorities through 2014. Income tax returns of CHPT have been examined by the tax authorities through 2015. Income tax returns of SENAO, CHSI, CHI, HHI, SFD, SHE, CHYP, LED, CHIEF, Unigate, CLPT, ISPOT, Youth, Youyi, Aval and CHST have been examined by the tax authorities through 2016.

## 33. EARNINGS PER SHARE ("EPS")

Net income and weighted average number of common stocks used in the calculation of earnings per share were as follows:

#### **Net Income**

	Three Months Ended September 30			Nine Months Ended September 30		
		2018	2017	2018	2017	
Net income used to compute the basic earnings per share Net income attributable to the parent Assumed conversion of all dilutive potential common stocks Employee stock options and	\$	8,504,207	\$ 10,153,411	\$ 27,093,228	\$ 30,191,883	
employee compensation of subsidiaries		(1,330)	(86)	(6,430)	(395)	
Net income used to compute the diluted earnings per share	<u>\$</u>	8,502,877	<u>\$ 10,153,325</u>	<u>\$ 27,086,798</u>	<u>\$ 30,191,488</u>	

### Weighted Average Number of Common Stocks

(Thousand Shares)

	Three Months Ended September 30		Nine Months Ended September 30	
	2018	2017	2018	2017
Weighted average number of common stocks used to compute the basic earnings per share Assumed conversion of all dilutive potential common	7,757,447	7,757,447	7,757,447	7,757,447
stocks Employee compensation	1,379	1,907	9,011	9,936
Weighted average number of common stocks used to compute the diluted earnings per share	<u>7,758,826</u>	<u>7,759,354</u>	<u>7,766,458</u>	<u>7,767,383</u>

Because Chunghwa may settle the employee compensation in shares or cash, Chunghwa shall presume that it will be settled in shares and takes those shares into consideration when calculating the weighted average number of outstanding shares used in the calculation of diluted EPS if the shares have a dilutive effect. The dilutive effect of the shares needs to be considered until the approval of the number of shares to be distributed to employees as compensation in the following year.

#### 34. SHARE-BASED PAYMENT ARRANGEMENT

a. SENAO share-based compensation plan ("SENAO Plan") described as follows:

Effective Date for Plan Registration	Resolution Date by SENAO's Board of Directors	Stock Options Units (Thousand)	Exercise Price (NT\$)
2012.05.28	2013.04.29	10,000	\$66.20
			(Original price \$93.00)

Each option is eligible to subscribe for one common share when exercisable. Under the terms of the SENAO Plan, the options are granted at an exercise price equal to the closing price of the SENAO's common stocks listed on the TSE on the higher of closing price or par value. The SENAO Plan have exercise price adjustment formula upon the changes in common stocks equity (including cash capital increase, new share issue through capitalization of earnings and additional paid-in capital, merger, spin off and new share issue for Global Depositary Shares, and so on) or distribution of cash dividends. The options of SENAO Plan are valid for six years and the graded vesting schedule for which 50% of option granted will vest two years after the grant date and another two tranches of 25%, each will vest three and four years after the grant date respectively.

The recognized compensation cost of stook options granted on May 7, 2013 was \$4,059 thousand for the nine months ended September 30, 2017. No compensation cost was recognized for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and three months ended September 30, 2017.

SENAO modified the plan terms of the outstanding stock options in July 2018 and the exercise price changed from \$70.70 to \$66.20 per share. The modification did not cause any incremental fair value granted.

SENAO modified the plan terms of the outstanding stock options in July 2017 and the exercise price changed from \$76.10 to \$70.70 per share. The modification did not cause any incremental fair value granted.

Information about SENAO's outstanding stock options for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 was as follows:

	Nine Months Ended September 30				
	2018	8	2017		
	Granted on M	Tay 7, 2013	Granted on M	Iay 7, 2013	
		Weighted Average		Weighted Average	
	Number of Options (Thousand)	Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options (Thousand)	Exercise Price (NT\$)	
Employee stock options					
Options outstanding at beginning of the period Options forfeited	5,926 (585)	\$ 70.70 -	6,587 (506)	\$ 76.10 -	
Options outstanding at end of the period	5,341	66.20	6,081	70.70	
Options exercisable at end of the period	<u>5,341</u>	66.20	<u>6,081</u>	70.70	

As of September 30, 2018, information about employee stock options outstanding was as follows:

	Options Outstanding				exercisable
Range of Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options (Thousand)	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual Life (Years)	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options (Thousand)	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)
\$ 66.20	5,341	0.60	\$ 66.20	5,341	\$ 66.20

As of December 31, 2017, information about employee stock options outstanding was as follows:

Options Outstanding			<b>Options Exercisable</b>		
Range of Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options (Thousand)	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual Life (Years)	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options (Thousand)	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)
\$ 70.70	5,926	1.35	\$ 70.70	5,926	\$ 70.70

As of September 30, 2017, information about employee stock options outstanding was as follows:

	Options O	utstanding		Options E	Exercisable
Range of Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options (Thousand)	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual Life (Years)	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options (Thousand)	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)
\$ 70.70	6,081	1.60	\$ 70.70	6,081	\$ 70.70

SENAO used the fair value method to evaluate the options using the Black-Scholes model and the related assumptions and the fair value of the options were as follows:

	Stock Options Granted on May 7, 2013
Grant-date share price (NT\$)	\$93.00
Exercise price (NT\$)	\$93.00
Dividends yield	-
Risk-free interest rate	0.91%
Expected life	4.375 years
Expected volatility	36.22%
Weighted average fair value of grants (NT\$)	\$28.72

Expected volatility was based on the historical share price volatility of SENAO over the period equal to the expected life of SENAO Plan.

### b. SENAO transferred the treasury stock

The Board of Directors of SENAO resolved to transfer treasury stock 6,658 thousand shares to specific employees in April 2018. The aforementioned treasury stock transferred to employees were measured at the fair value on the grant date. The compensation cost of \$15,564 thousand was recognized for the nine months ended September 30, 2018.

The Board of Directors of SENAO resolved to transfer treasury stock 1,108 thousand shares to specific employees in May 2017. The aforementioned treasury stock transferred to employees were measured at the fair value of the grant date. The compensation cost of \$4,793 thousand was recognized for the nine months ended September 30, 2017.

SENAO used the fair value method to evaluate share-based payment transaction using the Black-Scholes model and the related assumptions and the fair value of the option were as follows:

	Stock Options Granted on May 7, 2018	Stock Options Granted on May 23, 2017
Grant-date share price (NT\$)	\$51.60	\$53.60
Exercise price (NT\$)	\$49.28	\$49.28
Dividends yield	-	-
Risk-free interest rate	0.59%	0.59%
Expected life	18 days	9 days
Expected volatility	8.78%	12.35%
Weighted average fair value of grants (NT\$)	\$2.34	\$4.33

Expected volatility was based on the historical share price volatility of SENAO over three months before the grant date.

c. CHIEF share-based compensation plan ("CHIEF Plan") described as follows:

Effective Date for Plan Registration	Resolution Date by CHIEF's Board of Directors	<b>Stock Options Units</b>	Exercise Price (NT\$)
2017.12.18	2017.12.19	950	\$140.60
			(Original price \$147.00)
2015.11.17	2015.10.22	2,000	\$ 34.40
			(Original price \$ 43.00)

Each option is eligible to subscribe for one thousand common stocks when exercisable. The options are granted to specific employees that meet the vesting conditions. The CHIEF Plan has exercise price adjustment formula upon the changes in common stocks or distribution of cash dividends. The options of CHIEF Plan are valid for five years and the graded vesting schedule will vest two years after the grant date.

The compensation costs of stock options granted on December 19, 2017 were \$168 thousand and \$430 thousand for the three months and nine months ended September 30, 2018, respectively.

The compensation costs of stock options granted on October 22, 2015 were \$315 thousand and \$946 thousand for the three months and nine months ended September 30, 2018, respectively. The compensation costs were \$987 thousand and \$2,962 thousand for the three months and nine months ended September 30, 2017, respectively.

CHIEF modified the plan terms of stock options granted on December 19, 2017 in June and August 2018 and the exercise price changed from \$147.00 to \$144.10 and \$144.10 to \$140.60 per share, respectively. The modification did not cause any incremental fair value granted.

Information about CHIEF's outstanding stock options for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017 was as follows:

	Nine Months Ended September 30					
		20	18		20	17
	Grant December		Granted o		Granted o	
	Number of Options	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)
Employee stock options						
Options outstanding at beginning of the period Options exercised Options forfeited	950.0 - (16.0)	\$ 147.00 - -	1,936.0 (968.0) (16.5)	\$ 34.40 34.40	1,948.0 - (12.0)	\$ 34.40 - -
Options outstanding at end of the period	934.0	140.60	<u>951.5</u>	34.40	<u>1,936.0</u>	34.40
Option exercisable at end of the period		-		-		-

As of September 30, 2018, information about employee stock options outstanding was as follows:

Granted	on Dece	ember	19	2017	7

	Options O	utstanding		Options E	Exercisable
Range of Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual Life (Years)	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)
\$140.60	934.0	4.22	\$140.60	-	\$ -
			ctober 22, 2015		
	Options O	utstanding		Options E	Exercisable
Range of Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual Life (Years)	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)

As of December 31, 2017, information about employee stock options outstanding was as follows:

Granted on December 19, 2017

Options Outstanding			Options Exercisable			
Range of Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual Life (Years)	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)	
\$147.00	950.0	4.96	\$147.00	-	\$ -	
	0 11 0		ctober 22, 2015	O 41 F		
	Options O	utstanding		Options Exercisable		
Range of Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual Life (Years)	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)	
\$ 34.40	1,936.0	2.81	\$ 34.40	968.0	\$ 34.40	

As of September 30, 2017, information about employee stock options outstanding was as follows:

Granted on October 22, 2015

Granted on October 22, 2015								
Options Outstanding			Options Exercisable					
Range of Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual Life (Years)	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)	Number of Options	Weighted Average Exercise Price (NT\$)			
\$ 34.40	1,936.0	3.06	\$ 34.40	-	\$ -			

CHIEF used the fair value method to evaluate the options using the Black-Scholes model and binomial option pricing model and the related assumptions and the fair value of the options were as follows:

	Stock Options Granted on December 19, 2017	Stock Options Granted on October 22, 2015
Grant-date share price (NT\$)	\$95.92	\$39.55
Exercise price (NT\$)	\$147.00	\$43.00
Dividends yield	-	-
Risk-free interest rate	0.62%	0.86%
Expected life	5 years	5 years
Expected volatility	17.35%	21.02%
Weighted average fair value of grants (NT\$)	\$2,318	\$4,863

Expected volatility was based on the average annualized historical share price volatility of CHIEF's comparable companies before the grant date.

### d. New shares reserved for subscription by employees under cash injection of CHIEF

In March 2018, the Board of Directors of CHIEF approved the cash injection to issue 7,842 thousand shares and simultaneously reserved 1,176 thousand shares for subscription by employees according to the Company Act of the ROC. Furthermore, when the employees subscribed some shares or discarded their rights to subscribe shares, the Board of Directors of CHIEF authorized the chairman of the Board of Directors to contact specific people or group to subscribe.

The aforementioned options granted to employees are accounted for and measured at fair value of the grant date. No compensation cost was recognized for the nine months ended September 30, 2018.

CHIEF used the fair value method to evaluate the options granted to employees on May 22, 2018 using the Black-Scholes model and the related assumptions and the fair value of the options were as follows:

Stock Options Granted on May 22, 2018
Wiay 22, 2016
\$156.41
\$170.00
-
0.34%
7 days
14.33%
\$ -

Expected volatility was based on the average annualized historical share price volatility of CHIEF's comparable companies before the grant date.

## e. New shares reserved for subscription by employees under cash injection of CHPT

On February 8, 2017, the Board of Directors of CHPT approved the cash injection to issue 2,000 thousand shares and simultaneously reserved 300 thousand shares for subscription by employees according to the Company Act of the ROC. Furthermore, when the employees subscribed some shares or discarded their rights to subscribe shares, the Board of Directors of CHPT authorized the chairman of the Board of Directors to contact specific people or group to subscribe.

The aforementioned options granted to employees are accounted for and measured at fair value. The recognized compensation cost was \$5,821 thousand for the year ended December 31, 2017.

CHPT used the fair value method to evaluate the options granted to employees on September 18, 2017 using the Black-Scholes model and the related assumptions and the fair value of the options were as follows:

	Stock Options Granted on September 18, 2017
Grant-date share price (NT\$)	\$1,295.00
Exercise price (NT\$)	\$1,267.33
Dividends yield	-
Risk-free interest rate	0.35%
Expected life	4 days
Expected volatility	28.30%
Weighted average fair value of grants (NT\$)	\$31.60

Expected volatility was based on the historical share price volatility of CHPT over the period equal to the expected life.

#### 35. NON-CASH TRANSACTIONS

For the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017, the Company entered into the following non-cash investing activities:

	Nine Months Ended September 30		
	2018	2017	
Increase in property, plant and equipment Changes in other payables	\$ 18,801,873 545,011	\$ 13,841,649 <u>2,749,806</u>	
	<u>\$ 19,346,884</u>	<u>\$ 16,591,455</u>	

#### 36. OPERATING LEASE ARRANGEMENTS

#### a. The Company as lessee

Except for the ST-2 satellite referred in Note 39 to the consolidated financial statements, the Company entered into several lease agreements for base stations located all over in Taiwan. The future aggregate minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases are as follows:

	September 30,	December 31,	September 30,
	2018	2017	2017
Within one year	\$ 3,422,216	\$ 2,918,651	\$ 3,256,037
Longer than one year but within five years	6,983,034	5,796,026	6,754,736
Longer than five years	932,348	778,808	885,271
	<u>\$ 11,337,598</u>	\$ 9,493,485	\$ 10,896,044

## b. The Company as lessor

The Company leases out some land and buildings. The future aggregate minimum lease collection under non-cancellable operating leases are as follows:

	Sep	tember 30, 2018	Dec	cember 31, 2017	Sep	tember 30, 2017
Within one year Longer than one year but within five years Longer than five years	\$	325,756 620,089 195,371	\$	353,023 658,768 242,799	\$	373,502 563,901 302,892
	\$	1,141,216	\$	1,254,590	\$	1,240,295

#### 37. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The Company manages its capital to ensure that entities in the Company will be able to continue as going concerns while maximizing the return to stakeholders through the optimization of the debt and equity balance.

The capital structure of the Company consists of debt of the Company and the equity attributable to the parent.

Some consolidated entities are required to maintain minimum paid-in capital amount as prescribed by the applicable laws.

The management reviews the capital structure of the Company as needed. As part of this review, the management considers the cost of capital and the risks associated with each class of capital.

According to the management's suggestion, the Company maintains a balanced capital structure through paying cash dividends, increasing its share capital, purchasing outstanding shares, and proceeds from new debt or repayment of debt.

#### 38. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

#### **Fair Value Information**

The fair value measurement guidance establishes a framework for measuring fair value and expands disclosure about fair value measurements. The standard describes a fair value hierarchy based on three levels of inputs that may be used to measure fair value. These levels are:

Level 1 fair value measurements: These measurements are those derived from quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

Level 2 fair value measurements: These measurements are those derived from inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices).

Level 3 fair value measurements: These measurements are those derived from valuation techniques that include inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

a. Financial instruments that are not measured at fair value but for which fair value is disclosed

The Company considers that the carrying amounts of financial assets and liabilities not measured at fair value approximate their fair values or the fair values cannot be reliable estimated, no financial instruments need to be disclosed on balance sheet date.

b. Financial instruments that are measured at fair values on a recurring basis

#### September 30, 2018

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Financial assets at FVTPL Hybrid financial assets	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 195,682</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 195,682</u>
Hedging financial assets	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 367</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 367</u>
Financial assets at FVOCI Equity investment	\$ 2,438,505	<u>\$</u>	\$ 4,560,660	\$ 6,999,165
Financial liabilities at FVTPL Derivatives	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 619</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 619</u>
<u>December 31, 2017</u>				
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Available-for-sale financial assets Equity investments	<u>\$ 3,125,086</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 3,125,086</u>
Financial liabilities at FVTPL				
Derivatives	<u>\$</u>	\$ 578	<u>\$</u>	\$ 578 (Continued)

Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 850</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 850</u> (Concluded)
Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 1,878</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 1,878</u>
<u>\$</u> _	<u>\$ 537</u>	<u>\$</u> _	<u>\$ 537</u>
\$ 3,036,199	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,036,199
	\$ - Level 1 \$ -	\$ - \$ 850  Level 1 Level 2  \$	\$ - \$ 850 \$ -  Level 1 Level 2 Level 3  \$ \$ \$ \$

There were no transfers between Levels 1 and 2 for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017.

For financial assets measured at Level 3, there is no other reconciliation item except for the change in fair value that is recognized in other comprehensive income or loss.

The fair values of financial assets and financial liabilities of Level 2 are determined as follows:

- 1) The fair values of financial assets and financial liabilities with standard terms and conditions and traded in active markets are determined with reference to quoted market prices.
- 2) For derivatives, fair values are estimated using discounted cash flow model. Future cash flows are estimated based on observable inputs including forward exchange rates at the end of the reporting periods and the forward and spot exchange rates stated in the contracts, discounted at a rate that reflects the credit risk of various counterparties.
- 3) For hybrid financial assets, fair values are estimated based on the related financial instrument information provided by financial institution. The valuation is measured at the principal of deposit and the yield rate of the embedded instrument.

The fair values of non-listed domestic and foreign equity investments were Level 3 fair value assets, and determined using the market approach by reference the Price-to-Book ratios (P/B ratios) of peer companies that traded in active market or using assets approach. The significant unobservable inputs used were listed in the table below. A decrease in discount for the lack of marketability or noncontrolling interests discount would result in increases in the fair values.

	September 30, 2018
Discount for lack of marketability Noncontrolling interests discount	14.25%-20.00% 23.00%-24.40%

If the inputs to the valuation model were changed to reflect reasonably possible alternative assumptions while all the other variables were held constant, the fair values of equity investments would increase as below table. When related discounts increase, the fair value of equity investments would be the negative amount of the same amount.

	September 30, 2018
Discount for lack of marketability 5% decrease	<u>\$ 248,513</u>
Noncontrolling interests discount 5% decrease	<u>\$ 19,948</u>

#### **Categories of Financial Instruments**

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Financial assets			
Measured at FVTPL			
Held for trading	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,878
Mandatorily at FVTPL	195,682	-	-
Hedging financial assets	367	-	537
Loans and receivables (Note a)	-	68,983,820	63,452,044
Available-for-sale financial assets (Note b)	-	5,750,871	5,273,575
Financial assets at amortized cost (Note a)	58,761,423	-	-
Financial assets at FVOCI	6,999,165	-	-
Financial liabilities			
Measured at FVTPL			
Held for trading	619	578	-
Hedging financial liabilities	-	850	-
Measured at amortized cost (Note c)	40,084,783	39,725,662	35,935,769

Note a: The balances included cash and cash equivalents, trade notes and accounts receivable, receivables from related parties, other current monetary assets and refundable deposits (classified as other noncurrent assets) which were loans and receivables. Such amounts are reclassified as financial assets at amortized cost upon the application of IFRS 9 starting from 2018.

Note b: The balances included financial assets carried at cost which were classified as available-for-sale financial assets.

Note c: The balances included short-term loans, trade notes and accounts payable, payables to related parties, partial other payables, customers' deposits and long-term loans which were financial liabilities carried at amortized cost.

## **Financial Risk Management Objectives**

The main financial instruments of the Company include equity and debt investments, accounts receivable, accounts payable and loans. The Company's Finance Department provides services to its business units, co-ordinates access to domestic and international capital markets, monitors and manages the financial risks relating to the operations of the Company through internal risk reports which analyze exposures by degree and magnitude of risks. These risks include market risk (including foreign currency risk, interest rate risk and other price risk), credit risk, and liquidity risk.

The Company seeks to minimize the effects of these risks by using derivative financial instruments to hedge risk exposures. The use of financial derivatives is governed by the Company's policies approved by the Board of Directors. Those derivatives are used to hedge the risks of exchange rate fluctuation arising from operating or investment activities. Compliance with policies and risk exposure limits is reviewed by the Company's Finance Department on a continuous basis. The Company does not enter into or trade financial instruments, including derivative financial instruments, for speculative purposes.

Chunghwa reports the significant risk exposures and related action plans timely and actively to the audit committee and to the Board of Directors if needed.

#### a. Market risk

The Company is exposed to market risks of changes in foreign currency exchange rates and interest rates. The Company uses forward exchange contracts to hedge the exchange rate risk arising from assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies.

There were no changes to the Company's exposure to market risks or the manner in which these risks are managed and measured.

## 1) Foreign currency risk

The carrying amounts of the Company's foreign currency denominated monetary assets and monetary liabilities at the balance sheet dates were as follows:

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Assets			
USD	\$ 6,306,993	\$ 5,584,064	\$ 7,492,807
EUR	20,253	28,492	23,287
SGD	94,354	62,909	5,810
JPY	16,781	36,248	48,295
RMB	932	2,986	3,279
Liabilities			
USD	6,882,060	4,963,953	6,131,750
EUR	1,531,019	1,322,803	653,629
SGD	48,050	96,442	48,192
JPY	19,759	11,934	5,835
RMB	-	25	282

The carrying amounts of the Company's derivatives with exchange rate risk exposures at the balance sheet dates were as follows:

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Assets			
USD	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 481
EUR	367	-	1,934
Liabilities			
USD	383	484	_
EUR	236	944	-

#### Foreign currency sensitivity analysis

The Company is mainly exposed to the fluctuations of the currencies USD, EUR, SGD, JPY and RMB listed above.

The following table details the Company's sensitivity to a 5% increase and decrease in the functional currency against the relevant foreign currencies. 5% is the sensitivity rate used when reporting foreign currency risk internally to key management personnel and represents management's assessment of the reasonably possible changes in foreign exchange rates. The sensitivity analysis includes only outstanding foreign currency denominated monetary items and forward exchange contracts. A positive number below indicates an increase in pre-tax profit or equity where the functional currency weakens 5% against the relevant currency.

	Nine Months End	ed September 30
	2018	2017
Profit or loss		
Monetary assets and liabilities (a)		
USD	\$ (28,753)	\$ 68,053
EUR	(75,538)	(31,517)
SGD	2,315	(2,119)
ЈРҮ	(149)	2,123
RMB	47	150
Derivatives (b)		
USD	2,618	4,511
EUR	19,261	6,294
Equity		
Derivatives (c)		
EUR	4,435	12,049

- a) This is mainly attributable to the exposure to foreign currency denominated receivables and payables of the Company outstanding at the balance sheet dates.
- b) This is mainly attributable to the forward exchange contracts.
- c) This is mainly attributable to the changes in the fair value of derivatives that are designated as cash flow hedges.

For a 5% strengthening of the functional currency against the relevant currencies, it would have the equal but opposite effect on the pre-tax profit or equity for the amounts shown above.

#### 2) Interest rate risk

The carrying amounts of the Company's exposures to interest rates on financial assets and financial liabilities at the balance sheet dates were as follows:

	September 30,	December 31,	September 30,
	2018	2017	2017
Fair value interest rate risk Financial assets Financial liabilities Cash flow interest rate risk	\$ 15,282,885	\$ 25,911,422	\$ 21,998,068 300,000
Financial assets	10,213,768	6,714,639	7,270,885
Financial liabilities	1,720,000	1,670,000	1,723,000

#### Interest rate sensitivity analysis

The sensitivity analyses below have been determined based on the exposure to interest rates for non-derivative instruments at the end of the reporting period. A 25 basis point increase or decrease is used when reporting interest rate risk internally to key management personnel and represents management's assessment of the reasonably possible change in interest rates.

If interest rates had been 25 basis points higher/lower and all other variables were held constant, the Company's pre-tax income would increase/decrease by \$21,234 thousand and \$13,870 thousand for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017, respectively. This is mainly attributable to the Company's exposure to floating interest rates on its financial assets and short-term and long-term loan.

#### 3) Other price risk

The Company is exposed to equity price risks arising from equity securities investments. Equity investments are held for strategic rather than trading purposes. The management managed the risk through holding various risk portfolios. Further, the Company assigned finance and investment departments to monitor the price risk.

#### Equity price sensitivity analysis

The sensitivity analyses below have been determined based on the exposure to equity price risks at the end of the reporting period.

If equity prices had been 5% higher/lower, pretax other comprehensive income would have increased/decreased by \$349,958 thousand and \$151,810 thousand as a result of the changes in fair value of financial assets at FVOCI for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

#### b. Credit risk

Credit risk refers to the risk that a counterparty would default on its contractual obligations resulting in financial loss to the Company. The maximum credit exposure of the aforementioned financial instruments is equal to their carrying amounts recognized in consolidated balance sheet as of the balance sheet date.

The Company has large trade receivables outstanding with its customers. A substantial majority of the Company's outstanding trade receivables are not covered by collateral or credit insurance. The Company has implemented ongoing measures including enhancing credit assessments and strengthening overall risk management to reduce its credit risk. While the Company has procedures to monitor and limit exposure to credit risk on trade receivables, there can be no assurance such procedures will effectively limit its credit risk and avoid losses. This risk is heightened during periods when economic conditions worsen.

As the Company serves a large number of unrelated consumers, the concentration of credit risk was limited.

## c. Liquidity risk

The Company manages and maintains sufficient cash and cash equivalent position to support the operations and reduce the impact on fluctuation of cash flow.

## 1) Liquidity and interest risk tables

The following tables detailed the Company's remaining contractual maturity for its non-derivative financial liabilities with agreed repayment periods. The tables had been drawn up based on the undiscounted cash flows of financial liabilities based on the earliest date on which the Company is required to pay.

	Weighted Average Effective Interest Rate (%)	Less Than 1 Month	1-3 Months	3 Months to 1 Year	1-5 Years	Add More than 5 Years	Total
<u>September 30, 2018</u>							
Non-derivative financial liabilities Non-interest bearing Floating interest rate instruments	- 0.99	\$ 39,702,035 20,000	\$ - -	\$ 2,276,232 100,000	\$ 4,664,558 	\$ - -	\$ 46,642,825 
		\$ 39,722,035	<u>s</u>	\$ 2,376,232	<u>\$ 6,264,558</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 48,362,825</u>
<u>December 31, 2017</u>							
Non-derivative financial liabilities Non-interest bearing Floating interest rate instruments	0.97	\$ 41,884,644 50,000	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ 3,196,831 20,000	\$ 4,671,441 1,600,000	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ 49,752,916 
		<u>\$ 41,934,644</u>	<u>\$</u>	\$ 3,216,831	<u>\$ 6,271,441</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 51,422,916</u>
<u>September 30, 2017</u>							
Non-derivative financial liabilities Non-interest bearing Floating interest rate instruments Fixed interest rate instruments	1.00 0.80	\$ 36,091,645 300,000	\$ 25,000	\$ 2,469,734 1,698,000	\$ 4,548,472 	\$ - -	\$ 43,109,851 1,723,000 300,000
		\$ 36,391,645	\$ 25,000	<u>\$ 4,167,734</u>	<u>\$ 4,548,472</u>	<u>s -</u>	\$ 45,132,851

The following table detailed the Company's liquidity analysis for its derivative financial instruments. The table had been drawn up based on the undiscounted gross inflows and outflows on those derivatives that require gross settlement.

	Less Than 1 Month	1-3 Months	3 Months to 1 Year	1-5 Years	Total
<u>September 30, 2018</u>					
Gross settled					
Forward exchange contracts Inflow Outflow	\$ 52,382 52,765 \$ (383)	\$ 422,080 421,322 \$ 758	\$ 53,212 53,839 \$ (627)	\$ - - \$ -	\$ 527,674 527,926 \$ (252)
December 31, 2017	<u>\$ (363</u> )	<u>ψ 756</u>	<u>\$ (027</u> )	<u>φ -</u>	<u>Φ (232)</u>
Gross settled					
Forward exchange contracts Inflows Outflows	\$ 124,997 	\$ 173,068	\$ 36,654 36,645 \$ 9	\$ - - \$ -	\$ 334,719 336,147 \$ (1,428)
<u>September 30, 2017</u>					
Gross settled					
Forward exchange contracts Inflow Outflow	\$ 90,326 89,845 \$ 481	\$ 327,536 325,237 \$ 2,299	\$ 39,771 40,136 \$ (365)	\$ - - - \$ -	\$ 457,633 455,218 \$ 2,415
Financing facilities	<u> </u>			<del></del>	<del></del>
	Se	eptember 30, 2018	Decembe 2017		ptember 30, 2017
Unsecured bank loan facility Amount used Amount unused	\$ - <u>\$</u>	133,385 51,324,490 51,457,875	\$ 90 45,748 \$ 45,838		390,000 45,783,967 46,173,967
Secured bank loan facility Amount used Amount unused	\$  <u>\$</u>	1,340,000	\$ 1,600 1,910 \$ 3,510	<u>,000</u>	1,633,000 2,077,000 3,710,000

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## 39. RELATED PARTIES TRANSACTIONS

The ROC Government, one of Chunghwa's customers, has significant equity interest in Chunghwa. Chunghwa provides fixed-line services, wireless services, internet and data and other services to the various departments and institutions of the ROC Government in the normal course of business and at arm's-length prices. The transactions with the ROC government bodies have not been disclosed because the transactions are not individually or collectively significant. However, the related revenues and operating costs have been appropriately recorded.

a. The Company engages in business transactions with the following related parties:

Company	Relationship
Taiwan International Standard Electronics Co., Ltd.	Associate
So-net Entertainment Taiwan Limited	Associate
Skysoft Co., Ltd.	Associate
KingwayTek Technology Co., Ltd.	Associate
Dian Zuan Integrating Marketing Co., Ltd.	Associate
Taiwan International Ports Logistics Corporation	Associate
Huada Digital Corporation	Joint venture
Chunghwa Benefit One Co., Ltd.	Joint venture
International Integrated System, Inc.	Associate
Senao Networks, Inc.	Associate
EnGenius Tech. Co., Ltd.	Subsidiary of the Company's associate, Senao Networks, Inc.
HopeTech Technologies Limited	Associate
ST-2 Satellite Ventures Pte., Ltd.	Associate
Viettel-CHT Co., Ltd.	Associate
Click Force Co., Ltd.	Associate
Alliance Digital Tech Co., Ltd.	Associate
MeWorks LIMITED (HK)	Associate
Other related parties	
Chunghwa Telecom Foundation	A nonprofit organization of which the funds donated by Chunghwa exceeds one third of its total funds
Senao Technical and Cultural Foundation	A nonprofit organization of which the funds donated by SENAO exceeds one third of its total funds
Sochamp Technology Co., Ltd.	Investor of significant influence over CHST
E-Life Mall Co., Ltd.	One of the directors of E-Life Mall and a director of SENAO are members of an immediate family
Engenius Technologies Co., Ltd.	Chairman of Engenius Technologies Co., Ltd. is a member of SENAO's management
United Daily News Co., Ltd.	Investor of significant influence over SFD
Shenzhen Century Communication Co., Ltd.	Investor of significant influence over SCT
Taoyuan Aerotropolis Co., Ltd.	Investor of significant influence over TASUI

b. Balances and transactions between Chunghwa and its subsidiaries, which are related parties of Chunghwa, have been eliminated on consolidation and are not disclosed in this note. Terms of the foregoing transactions with related parties were not significantly different from transactions with non-related parties. When no similar transactions with non-related parties can be referenced, terms were determined in accordance with mutual agreements. Details of transactions between the Company and other related parties are disclosed below:

## 1) Operating transactions

	Revenues				
		Three Months Ended September 30		ths Ended aber 30	
	2018	2017	2018	2017	
Associates Joint ventures	\$ 71,727 -	\$ 99,406	\$ 257,457	\$ 246,035 87	
Others	<u>27,829</u>	13,690	64,741	43,807	
	<u>\$ 99,556</u>	<u>\$ 113,096</u>	<u>\$ 322,198</u>	\$ 289,929	

**Operating Costs and Expenses Three Months Ended Nine Months Ended** September 30 September 30 2018 2017 2018 2017 \$ 308,872 \$ 798,509 \$ 366,074 \$ 961,684 Associates 2,247 Joint ventures Others 4,099 5,343 70,876 66,543 \$ 312,971 \$ 869,385 \$1,030,474 \$ 371,417

## 2) Non-operating transactions

	Ŋ	Non-operating Income and Expenses				
		Three Months Ended September 30		iths Ended		
	2018	2017	2018	2017		
Associates Others	\$ 7,819 	\$ 7,803 <u>7</u>	\$ 23,430 <u>24</u>	\$ 23,688 24		
	<u>\$ 7,826</u>	<u>\$ 7,810</u>	<u>\$ 23,454</u>	<u>\$ 23,712</u>		

## 3) Receivables

	September 30,	December 31,	September 30,
	2018	2017	2017
Associates	\$ 15,574	\$ 43,302	\$ 36,362
Others		6,065	4,650
	<u>\$ 31,067</u>	\$ 49,367	<u>\$ 41,012</u>

## 4) Payables

5)

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Associates Joint ventures Others	\$ 540,449 	\$ 679,845 - 4,340	\$ 581,419 476 4,353
) Customers' deposits	<u>\$ 543,919</u>	<u>\$ 684,185</u>	<u>\$ 586,248</u>
	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Associates	\$ 5.932	\$ 5.700	\$ 7.220

#### 6) Acquisition of property, plant and equipment

	Three Months Ended September 30			ths Ended nber 30
	2018	2017	2018	2017
Associates Joint ventures	\$ 39,711 	\$ 56,116	\$ 39,711	\$ 120,151 46
	\$ 39,711	<u>\$ 56,116</u>	\$ 39,711	<u>\$ 120,197</u>

#### 7) Prepayments

Chunghwa entered into a contract with ST-2 Satellite Ventures Pte., Ltd. on March 12, 2010 to lease capacity on the ST-2 satellite. This lease term is for 15 years which should start from the official operation of ST-2 satellite and the total contract value is approximately \$6,000,000 thousand (SG\$260,723 thousand), including a prepayment of \$3,067,711 thousand, and the rest of amount should be paid annually when ST-2 satellite starts its official operation. ST-2 satellite was launched in May 2011, and began its official operation in August 2011. The total rental expense for the three months ended September 30, 2018 was \$98,694 thousand, which consisted of an offsetting credit of the prepayment of \$51,100 thousand and an additional accrual of \$47,594 thousand. The total rental expense for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 was \$295,538 thousand, which consisted of an offsetting credit of the prepayment of \$153,300 thousand and an additional accrual of \$142,238 thousand. The total rental expense for the three months ended September 30, 2017 was \$98,355 thousand, which consisted of an offsetting credit of the prepayment of \$51,100 thousand and an additional accrual of \$47,255 thousand. total rental expense for the nine months ended September 30, 2017 was \$293,366 thousand, which consisted of an offsetting credit of the prepayment of \$153,300 thousand and an additional accrual of \$140,066 thousand. The prepaid rents (classified as prepayments) as of September 30, 2018, December 31, 2017 and September 30, 2017, were as follows:

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Prepaid rents - current Prepaid rents - noncurrent	\$ 204,398 	\$ 204,398 	\$ 204,398 
	<u>\$ 1,601,119</u>	<u>\$ 1,754,419</u>	\$ 1,805,517

#### c. Compensation of key management personnel

The compensation of directors and key management personnel was as follows:

	Three Months Ended September 30		Nine Months Ended September 30	
	2018	2017	2018	2017
Short-term employee benefits Post-employment benefits Share-based payment	\$ 67,504 2,299 108	\$ 83,687 2,314 1,142	\$ 216,768 6,983 9,401	\$ 216,407 6,628 1,930
	\$ 69,911	\$ 87,143	\$ 233,152	<u>\$ 224,965</u>

The compensation of directors and key management personnel was mainly determined by the compensation committee having regard to the performance of individual and market trends.

#### 40. PLEDGED ASSETS

The following assets are pledged as collaterals for bank loans and custom duties of the imported materials.

	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	September 30, 2017
Property, plant and equipment Land held under development (included in	\$ 2,528,217	\$ 2,550,352	\$ 2,557,731
inventories) Restricted assets (included in other assets - others)	1,998,733	1,998,733	1,998,733
	2,500	2,500	18,324
	<u>\$ 4,529,450</u>	<u>\$ 4,551,585</u>	\$ 4,574,788

#### 41. SIGNIFICANT CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND UNRECOGNIZED COMMITMENTS

As of September 30, 2018, the Company's significant commitments and contingent liabilities, excluding those disclosed in other notes, were as follows:

- a. Acquisitions of land and buildings of \$35,865 thousand.
- b. Acquisitions of telecommunications equipment of \$20,009,805 thousand.
- c. Unused letters of credit amounting to \$50,000 thousand.
- d. A commitment to contribute \$2,000,000 thousand to a Piping Fund administered by the Taipei City Government, of which \$1,000,000 thousand was contributed by Chunghwa on August 15, 1996 (classified as other monetary assets noncurrent). If the fund is not sufficient, Chunghwa will contribute the remaining \$1,000,000 thousand upon notification from the Taipei City Government.
- e. CHPT signed the contract for its headquarters construction amounted to \$1,613,800 thousand in July, 2017. The payment of \$234,234 thousand has been made as of September 30, 2018.

## 42. SIGNIFICANT ASSETS AND LIABILITIES DENOMINATED IN FOREIGN CURRENCIES

The following information summarizes the disclosure of the currency which is other than functional currency of Chunghwa and its subsidiaries. The following exchange rates are the exchange rates used to translate to the presentation currency in the consolidated financial statements, which is NTD:

	Se	ptember 30, 20	18
	Foreign Currencies (Thousands)	Exchange Rate	New Taiwan Dollars (Thousands)
Assets denominated in foreign currencies			
Monetary items			
Cash			
USD	\$ 26,177	30.53	\$ 799,056
EUR	548	35.48	19,437
SGD	4,081	22.33	91,123
JPY	60,347	0.269	16,246
RMB	210	4.436	932
Accounts receivable			
USD	180,440	30.53	5,507,937
EUR	23	35.48	816
SGD	145	22.33	3,231
JPY	1,989	0.269	535
Non-monetary items			
Investments accounted for using equity			
method			
SGD	25,023	22.33	558,770
VND	227,383,898	0.00118	268,313
<u>Liabilities denominated in foreign currencies</u>			
Monetary items			
Accounts payable			
USD	225,457	30.53	6,882,060
EUR	43,152	35.48	1,531,019
SGD	2,152	22.33	48,050
JPY	73,399	0.269	19,759
	D	ecember 31, 20	17
	Foreign		New Taiwan
	Currencies	Exchange	<b>Dollars</b>
	(Thousands)	Rate	(Thousands)
Assets denominated in foreign currencies			
Monetary items			
Cash			
USD	\$ 20,224	29.76	\$ 601,877
EUR	757	35.57	26,941
SGD	2,752	22.26	61,270
JPY	97,684	0.264	25,789
RMB	197	4.565	898
			(Continued)

	D	ecember 31, 20	17
	Foreign Currencies (Thousands)	Exchange Rate	New Taiwan Dollars (Thousands)
Accounts receivable			
USD	\$ 167,412	29.76	\$ 4,982,187
EUR	44	35.57	1,551
SGD	74	22.26	1,639
JPY	39,616	0.264	10,459
RMB	457	4.565	2,088
Non-monetary items			
Investments accounted for using equity			
method			
USD	762	29.76	22,731
SGD	21,227	22.26	472,505
VND	215,397,479	0.00119	256,323
Liabilities denominated in foreign currencies			
Monetary items			
Accounts payable			
USD	166,800	29.76	4,963,953
EUR	37,189	35.57	1,322,803
SGD	4,333	22.26	96,442
JPY	45,203	0.264	11,934
RMB	5	4.565	25
10.12	J		(Concluded)
	Se	eptember 30, 20	017
	Foreign	Exchange	New Taiwan
	Currencies	Rate	Dollars
Assets denominated in foreign currencies			
Monetary items			
Cash			
USD	\$ 26,147	30.26	\$ 791,198
EUR	627	35.75	22,420
SGD	167	22.30	3,723
JPY	169,196	0.269	45,514
RMB	720	4.551	3,279
Accounts receivable			
USD	221,468	30.26	6,701,609
EUR	24	35.75	867
SGD	94	22.30	2,087
ЈРҮ	10,338	0.269	2,781
Non-monetary items	,		,
Investments accounted for using equity			
method			
USD	762	30.26	23,044
SGD	24,948	22.30	556,344
VND	201,947,107	0.00121	244,356
	201,711,101	0.00121	(Continued)
			(Commadd)

	Se	eptember 30, 20	17		
	Foreign urrencies	Exchange Rate	N	ew Taiwan Dollars	
<u>Liabilities denominated in foreign currencies</u>					
Monetary items					
Accounts payable					
USD	\$ 202,635	30.26	\$	6,131,750	
EUR	18,283	35.75		653,629	
SGD	2,161	22.30		48,192	
JPY	21,691	0.269		5,835	
RMB	62	4.551		282	
				(Concluded)	

The unrealized foreign currency exchange losses and gains were loss of \$38,860 thousand and gain of \$25,319 thousand for the three months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017, respectively. The unrealized foreign currency exchange losses were of \$8,994 thousand and \$25,649 thousand for the nine months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017, respectively. Due to the various foreign currency transactions and the functional currency of each individual entity of the Company, foreign exchange gains and losses cannot be disclosed by the respective significant foreign currency.

#### 43. ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES

Following are the additional disclosures required by the FSC for the Company:

- a. Financing provided: None.
- b. Endorsement/guarantee provided: Please see Table 1.
- c. Marketable securities held (excluding investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures): Please see Table 2.
- d. Marketable securities acquired and disposed of at costs or prices at least \$300 million or 20% of the paid-in capital: Please see Table 3.
- e. Acquisition of individual real estate at costs of at least \$300 million or 20% of the paid-in capital: Please see Table 4.
- f. Disposal of individual real estate at prices of at least \$300 million or 20% of the paid-in capital: None.
- g. Total purchases from or sales to related parties amounting to at least \$100 million or 20% of the paid-in capital: Please see Table 5.
- h. Receivables from related parties amounting to \$100 million or 20% of the paid-in capital: Please see Table 6.
- i. Names, locations, and other information of investees on which the Company exercises significant influence (excluding investment in Mainland China): Please see Table 7.
- j. Derivative instruments transactions: Please see Notes 7, 21 and 38.

- k. Investment in Mainland China: Please see Table 8.
- 1. Intercompany relationships and significant intercompany transaction: Please see Table 9.

#### 44. SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Company has the following reportable segments that provide different products or services. The reportable segments are managed separately because each segment represents a strategic business unit that serves different markets. Segment information is provided to CEO who allocates resources and assesses segment performance. The Company's measure of segment performance is mainly based on revenues and income before income tax. The Company's reportable segments are as follows:

- a. Domestic fixed communications business the provision of local telephone services, domestic long distance telephone services, broadband access, and related services;
- b. Mobile communications business the provision of mobile services, sales of mobile handsets and data cards, and related services;
- c. Internet business the provision of HiNet services and related services;
- d. International fixed communications business the provision of international long distance telephone services and related services;
- e. Others the provision of non-telecom services and the corporate related items not allocated to reportable segments.

Some operating segments have been aggregated into a single operating segment taking into account the following factors: (a) similar economic characteristics such as long-term gross profit margins; (b) the nature of the telecommunications products and services are similar; (c) the nature of production processes of the telecommunications products and services are similar; (d) the type or class of customer for the telecommunications products and services are similar; and (e) the methods used to provide the services to the customers are similar.

There was no material differences between the accounting policies of the operating segments and the accounting policies described in Note 3.

#### **Segment Revenues and Operating Results**

Analysis by reportable segment of revenue and operating results of continuing operations are as follows:

	Domestic Fixed Communi- cations Business	Mobile Communi- cations Business	Internet Business	International Fixed Communi- cations Business	Others	Total
For the three months ended September 30, 2018						
Revenues From external customers Intersegment revenues Segment revenues Intersegment elimination	\$ 16,496,740 4,101,647 \$ 20,598,387	\$ 23,446,380 <u>412,040</u> <u>\$ 23,858,420</u>	\$ 7,188,615 1,095,076 \$ 8,283,691	\$ 4,190,691 471,890 \$ 4,662,581	\$ 1,382,459 1,196,291 \$ 2,578,750	\$ 52,704,885
Consolidated revenues						\$ 52,704,885
Segments operating costs and expenses	<u>\$ 14,610,433</u>	<u>\$ 17,308,953</u>	\$ 3,289,216	<u>\$ 4,008,965</u>	\$ 3,061,835	<u>\$ 42,279,402</u>
Segment income before income tax	<u>\$ 4,523,392</u>	\$ 3,113,999	\$ 3,179,749	<u>\$ 314,605</u>	<u>\$ (271,174)</u>	\$ 10,860,571 (Continued)

	Domestic Fixed Communi- cations Business	Mobile Communi- cations Business	Internet Business	International Fixed Communi- cations Business	Others	Total
For the nine months ended September 30, 2018						
Revenues From external customers Intersegment revenues Segment revenues Intersegment elimination	\$ 48,735,029 12,997,387 \$ 61,732,416	\$ 75,904,284 1,290,565 \$ 77,194,849	\$ 21,316,442 2,906,366 \$ 24,222,808	\$ 10,408,126 <u>1,686,202</u> <u>\$ 12,094,328</u>	\$ 3,631,721 3,500,178 \$ 7,131,899	\$ 159,995,602 22,380,698 182,376,300 (22,380,698)
Consolidated revenues						\$159,995,602
Segments operating costs and expenses	<u>\$ 43,345,319</u>	<u>\$ 54,754,504</u>	<u>\$ 9,409,477</u>	<u>\$ 10,327,998</u>	<u>\$ 8,655,580</u>	<u>\$126,492,878</u>
Segment income before income tax	\$ 13,992,048	<u>\$ 12,201,127</u>	<u>\$ 8,595,206</u>	<u>\$ 698,715</u>	<u>\$ (1,012,330)</u>	<u>\$ 34,474,766</u>
$\frac{\text{For the three months ended September 30,}}{2017}$						
Revenues From external customers Intersegment revenues Segment revenues Intersegment elimination	\$ 17,773,330 5,694,088 \$ 23,467,418	\$ 26,962,640 504,532 \$ 27,467,172	\$ 7,200,085 1,127,381 \$ 8,327,466	\$ 3,165,655 579,383 \$ 3,745,038	\$ 1,323,193 1,129,919 \$ 2,453,112	\$ 56,424,903 <u>9,035,303</u> 65,460,206 (9,035,303)
Consolidated revenues						\$ 56,424,903
Segments operating costs and expenses	<u>\$ 15,532,978</u>	<u>\$ 19,279,714</u>	\$ 3,186,733	\$ 3,195,271	\$ 2,796,800	<u>\$ 43,991,496</u>
Segment income before income tax	<u>\$ 6,425,112</u>	\$ 3,314,558	\$ 2,984,266	<u>\$ 182,128</u>	<u>\$ (323,680)</u>	\$ 12,582,384
For the nine months ended September 30, 2017						
Revenues From external customers Intersegment revenues Segment revenues Intersegment elimination	\$ 51,537,731 17,041,828 \$ 68,579,559	\$ 80,408,472 	\$ 21,184,661 3,372,192 \$ 24,556,853	\$ 10,003,288 	\$ 3,495,292 3,204,008 \$ 6,699,300	\$ 166,629,444 <u>26,903,003</u> 193,532,447 <u>(26,903,003)</u>
Consolidated revenues						<u>\$166,629,444</u>
Segments operating costs and expenses	\$ 45,530,847	\$ 57,589,682	\$ 9,555,353	\$ 9,788,996	\$ 7,861,754	<u>\$130,326,632</u>
Segment income before income tax	<u>\$ 18,762,371</u>	<u>\$ 9,842,306</u>	<u>\$ 8,553,050</u>	<u>\$ 824,062</u>	<u>\$ (726,697)</u> (	<u>\$ 37,255,092</u> Concluded)

## **Main Products and Service Revenues**

		nths Ended ober 30		ths Ended aber 30
	2018	2017	2018	2017
Mobile services revenue	\$ 15,016,988	\$ 19,006,767	\$ 48,867,385	\$ 57,261,226
Sales of products	9,727,746	9,202,867	30,442,949	26,442,315
Local telephone and domestic long distance telephone	, ,	, ,	, ,	, ,
services revenue	7,498,097	8,255,374	22,678,369	24,390,648
Broadband access and domestic	.,,	-,,-		, ,
leased line services revenue	5,575,452	5,734,620	16,824,397	17,272,225
Data Communications internet				
services revenue	5,275,797	5,321,512	15,816,447	15,839,407
International network and leased telephone services				
revenue	2,945,898	2,130,070	7,046,828	7,003,858
Others	6,664,907	6,773,693	18,319,227	18,419,765
	\$ 52,704,885	\$ 56,424,903	\$159,995,602	\$166,629,444

## ENDORSEMENTS/GUARANTEES PROVIDED NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

(Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

No. (Note 1)	Endorsement/ Guarantee Provider	Guarantee Name	Nature of Relationship (Note 2)	Limits on Endorsement/ Guarantee Amount Provided to Each Guaranteed Party	Maximum Balance for the Period	Ending Balance	Actual Borrowing Amount	Amount of Endorsement/ Guarantee Collateralized by Properties	Net Equity Per Latest	Maximum Endorsement/	Endorsement/ Guarantee Given by Parent on Behalf of Subsidiaries	Endorsement/ Guarantee Given by Subsidiaries on Behalf of Parent	Endorsement/ Guarantee Given on Behalf of Companies in Mainland China	Note
1	Senao International Co., Ltd.	Youth Co., Ltd.	ь	\$ 568,642	\$ 200,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-	\$ 2,843,210	Yes	No	No	Notes 3, 4 and 5
		ISPOT Co., Ltd.	b	568,642	150,000	-	-	-	-	2,843,210	Yes	No	No	Notes 3, 4 and 6
		Aval Technologies Co., Ltd.	ь	568,642	300,000	300,000	300,000	-	5.28	2,843,210	Yes	No	No	Notes 3 and 4

Note 1: Significant transactions between the Company and its subsidiaries or among subsidiaries are numbered as follows:

- a. "0" for the Company.
- b. Subsidiaries are numbered from "1".

Note 2: Relationships between the endorsement/guarantee provider and the guaranteed party:

- a. A company with which it does business.
- b. A company in which the Company directly and indirectly holds more than 50 percent of the voting shares.
- c. A company that directly and indirectly holds more than 50 percent of the voting shares in the Company.
- d. Companies in which the Company holds, directly or indirectly, 90% or more of the voting shares.
- e. The Company fulfills its contractual obligations by providing mutual endorsements/guarantees for another company in the same industry or for joint builders for purposes of undertaking a construction project.
- f. All capital contributing shareholders make endorsements/ guarantees for their jointly invested company in proportion to their shareholding percentages.
- g. Companies in the same industry provide among themselves joint and several security for a performance guarantee of a sales contract for pre-construction homes pursuant to the Consumer Protection Act for each other.
- Note 3: The limits on endorsement or guarantee amount provided to each guaranteed party is up to 10% of the net assets value of the latest financial statements of Senao International Co., Ltd.
- Note 4: The total amount of endorsement or guarantee that the Company is allowed to provide is up to 50% of the net assets value of the latest financial statements of Senao International Co., Ltd.
- Note 5: Senao International Co., Ltd. dissolved the endorsement or guarantee to Youth Co., Ltd. in August 2018.
- Note 6: Senao International Co., Ltd. retrieved the guarantee letter and dissolved the endorsement or guarantee to ISPOT Co., Ltd. in August 2018.

MARKETABLE SECURITIES HELD SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

(Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

					September	30, 2018		
Held Company Name	Marketable Securities Type and Name	Relationship with the Company	Financial Statement Account	Shares (Thousands/ Thousand Units)	Carrying Value (Note 1)	Percentage of Ownership	Fair Value	Note
Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Stocks							
Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Taipei Financial Center Corp.		Financial assets at FVOCI	172,927	\$ 3,422,019	12	\$ 3,422,019	_
	Innovation Works Development Fund, L.P.	-	Financial assets at FVOCI	1/2,92/	272,240	4	272,240	_
	Industrial Bank of Taiwan II Venture Capital Co.,	-	Financial assets at FVOCI	5,252	22,167	17	22,167	_
	Ltd. (IBT II)	-	Financial assets at F vOCI	3,232	22,107	1 /	22,107	_
	Global Mobile Corp.	_	Financial assets at FVOCI	7,617	_	3	_	_
	Innovation Works Limited	_	Financial assets at FVOCI	1,000	1,298	2	1,298	_
	RPTI Intergroup International Ltd.	_	Financial assets at FVOCI	4,765	1,276	10	1,276	_
	Taiwan mobile payment Co., Ltd.	_	Financial assets at FVOCI	1,200	5,013	2	5,013	_
	Taiwania Capital Buffalo Fund Co., Ltd.	_	Financial assets at FVOCI	300,000	292,910	13	292,910	_
	China Airlines Ltd.	_	Financial assets at FVOCI	263,622	2,438,505	5	2,438,505	Note 2
	4 Gamers Entertainment Inc.	-	Financial assets at FVOCI	136	117,955	20	117,955	-
Senao International Co., Ltd.	Stocks							
	N.T.U. Innovation Incubation Corporation	-	Financial assets at FVOCI	1,200	9,671	9	9,671	-
CHIEF Telecom Inc.	Stocks							
	3 Link Information Service Co., Ltd.	-	Financial assets at FVOCI	374	920	10	920	-
Chunghwa Investment Co., Ltd.	Stocks							
	Tatung Technology Inc.	-	Financial assets at FVOCI	4,571	114,285	11	114,285	_
	iSing99 Inc.	-	Financial assets at FVOCI	10,000	52,574	7	52,574	
	Powertec Energy Corp.	-	Financial assets at FVOCI	20,000	238,912	2	238,912	-
Chunghwa Hsingta Co., Ltd.	<u>Stocks</u>							
-	Cotech Engineering Fuzhou Corp.	-	Financial assets at FVOCI	-	10,696	5	10,696	-

Note 1: Showed at carrying amounts with fair value adjustments.

Note 2: Fair value was based on the closing price on September 28, 2018.

MARKETABLE SECURITIES ACQUIRED AND DISPOSED OF AT COSTS OR PRICES OF AT LEAST NT\$300 MILLION OR 20% OF THE PAID-IN CAPITAL NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

(Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

					Beginning Balance		Acquisition		Disposal			Ending Balance		
Company Name	Marketable Securities Type and Name	Financial Statement Account	Counter-party	Nature of Relationship	Shares (Thousands/ Thousand Units)	Amount	Shares (Thousands/ Thousand Units)	Amount	Shares (Thousands/ Thousand Units)	Amount	Carrying Value	Gain (Loss) on Disposal	Shares (Thousands/ Thousand Units)	Amount
	Stocks Chunghwa Precision Test Tech. Co., Ltd.	Investments accounted for using equity method	-	Subsidiary	12,558	\$ 2,207,100 (Note 1)	-	\$ -	1,328	\$ 1,041,689	\$ 240,953 (Note 1)	\$ 800,736 (Note 2)	11,230	\$ 2,050,190 (Note 1)

Note 1: Including share of profit and other comprehensive income of associates accounted for using equity method.

Note 2: Differences arising from equity transactions are included in additional paid-in capital.

ACQUISITION OF INDIVIDUAL REAL ESTATE AT COSTS OF AT LEAST \$300 MILLION OR 20% OF THE PAID-IN CAPITAL NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2018 (Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

Duvon	Duonoute	Event Date	Transaction	Payment Status	Counterparty	Relationship	Information on Pr	evious Title Tran	sfer If Counterparty	is a Related Party	Pricing Reference	Purpose of	Other Terms
Buyer	Property	Event Date	Amount	rayment status	Counterparty	Relationship	Property Owner	Relationship	<b>Transaction Date</b>	Amount	rricing Reference	Acquisition	Other Terms
Chunghwa Precision Test Tech. Co., Ltd.	Headquarters	2017.7.29- 2018.9.26	\$ 380,875	Monthly settlement based on the construction progress and acceptance	Fu tsu Construction Co., Ltd.	-	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Bidding, price comparison and price negotiation	Manufacturing purpose	None

## TOTAL PURCHASES FROM OR SALES TO RELATED PARTIES AMOUNTING TO AT LEAST NT\$100 MILLION OR 20% OF THE PAID-IN CAPITAL NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

(Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

Company Name	Related Party	Nature of Relationship		Transaction	Details		Abnormal	Transaction	Notes / Accounts Payable or Receivable	
Company Name	Related Farty	Nature of Relationship	Purchase/Sales (Note 1)	Amount (Notes 2 and 5)	% to Total	Payment Terms	Units Price	Payment Terms	Ending Balance (Notes 3 and 5)	% to Total
Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Senao International Co., Ltd.	Subsidiary	Sales	\$ 1,392,313	1	30 days	\$ -	-	\$ 495,272	2
			Purchase	1,112,120	1	30-90 days	-	-	(823,943)	(5)
	CHIEF Telecom Inc.	Subsidiary	Sales	243,790	-	30 days	-	-	44,085	-
			Purchase	217,182	-	60 days	-	-	(42,170)	-
	Chunghwa System Integration Co., Ltd.	Subsidiary	Purchase	615,577	1	30 days	-	-	(239,111)	(1)
	Honghwa International Co., Ltd.	Subsidiary	Purchase	3,935,219	5	30-60 days	-	-	(809,565)	(5)
	Donghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Subsidiary	Sales	160,699	-	30 days	-	-	120,589	
			Purchase	382,157	-	90 days	-	-	(135,496)	(1)
	Chunghwa Telecom Global, Inc.	Subsidiary	Purchase	254,709	-	90 days	-	-	(56,476)	-
	Chunghwa Telecom Singapore Pte., Ltd.	Subsidiary	Sales	114,212	-	30 days	-	-	103,552	-
			Purchase	140,318	-	90 days	-	-	(73,608)	-
	CHT Security Co., Ltd.	Subsidiary	Purchase	184,089	-	30 days	-	-	(43,149)	-
	ST-2 Satellite Ventures Pte. Ltd.	Associate	Purchase	295,538	-	30 days	-	-	(47,411)	-
	Taiwan International Standard Electronics Co., Ltd.	Associate	Purchase	396,949	-	30-90 days	-	-	(264,912)	(2)
	So-net Entertainment Taiwan Limited	Associate	Sales	107,443	-	60 days	-	-	8	-
Senao International Co., Ltd.	Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Parent company	Sales	4,932,109	21	30-90 days	-	-	828,219	47
			Purchase	1,254,209	6	30 days	-	-	(475,625)	(17)
	Aval Technologies Co., Ltd.	Subsidiary	Purchase	203,480	1	30 days	-	-	(9,428)	-
CHIEF Telecom Inc.	Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Parent company	Sales	217,182	13	60 days	-	-	42,170	21
			Purchase	243,388	25	30 days	-	-	(43,992)	(36)
Chunghwa System Integration Co., Ltd.	Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Parent company	Sales	910,293	76	30 days	-	-	237,836	68
Honghwa International Co., Ltd.	Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Parent company	Sales	3,935,219	97	30-60 days	-	-	809,565	98
Donghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Parent company	Sales	382,157	43	90 days	-	-	135,496	84
			Purchase	160,699	19	30 days	-	-	(120,589)	(70)
Chunghwa Telecom Global, Inc.	Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Parent company	Sales	254,709	57	90 days	-	-	56,476	73
Chunghwa Telecom Singapore Pte., Ltd.	Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Parent company	Sales	140,318	15	90 days	-	-	73,608	21
			Purchase	114,212	13	30 days	-	-	(103,552)	(38)
CHT Security Co., Ltd.	Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Parent company	Sales	184,089	89	30 days	-	-	43,149	67

Note 1: Purchase included acquisition of services costs.

Note 2: The differences were because Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd. and subsidiaries classified the amount as inventories, property, plant and equipment, intangible assets, and operating expenses.

Note 3: Notes and accounts receivable did not include the amounts collected for others and other receivables.

Note 4: Transaction terms with the related parties were determined in accordance with mutual agreements when there were no similar transactions with third parties. Other transactions with related parties were not significantly different from those with third parties.

Note 5: All inter-company transactions, balances, income and expenses are eliminated upon consolidation.

# RECEIVABLES FROM RELATED PARTIES AMOUNTING TO AT LEAST NT\$100 MILLION OR 20% OF THE PAID-IN CAPITAL SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

(Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

					Ove	rdue	Amounts	
Company Name	Related Party	Nature of Relationship	Ending Balance	Turnover Rate (Note 1)	Amounts	Action Taken	Received in Subsequent Period	Allowance for Bad Debts
Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Senao International Co., Ltd.	Subsidiary	\$ 717,976 (Note 2)	11.55	\$ -	-	\$ 702,047	\$ -
	Donghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Subsidiary	120,589	2.42	-	-	17,238	-
			(Note 2)					
	Chunghwa Telecom Singapore Pte., Ltd.	Subsidiary	103,552	1.42	-	-	103,552	-
			(Note 2)					
Senao International Co., Ltd.	Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Parent company	1,082,326	6.45	-	-	571,074	-
			(Note 2)					
Chunghwa System Integration Co., Ltd.	Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Parent company	237,836	3.15	-	-	94,658	-
			(Note 2)					
Honghwa International Co., Ltd.	Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Parent company	817,808	5.70	-	-	245,534	-
			(Note 2)					
Donghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Parent company	135,496	10.69	-	-	57,388	-
			(Note 2)					

Note 1: Payments and receipts collected in trust for others are excluded from the accounts receivable for calculating the turnover rate.

Note 2: The amount was eliminated upon consolidation.

## NAMES, LOCATIONS, AND OTHER INFORMATION OF INVESTEES IN WHICH THE COMPANY EXERCISES SIGNIFICANT INFLUENCE (EXCLUDING INVESTMENT IN MAINLAND CHINA) NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

(Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

				Original Inves	tment Amount		ce as of September 3	30, 2018	Net Income	Recognized	
Investor Company	Investee Company	Location	Main Businesses and Products	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	Shares (Thousands)	Percentage of Ownership (%)	Carrying Value	(Loss) of the Investee	Gain (Loss) (Notes 1, 2 and 3)	Note
Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Senao International Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	Handset and peripherals retailer; sales of CHT mobile phone plans as an agent	\$ 1,065,813	\$ 1,065,813	71,773	28	\$ 1,575,107	\$ 274,310	\$ 72,916	Subsidiary (Notes 3 and 7)
	Light Era Development Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	Planning and development of real estate and intelligent buildings, and property management	3,000,000	3,000,000	300,000	100	3,853,585	7,811	7,811	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Donghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Hong Kong	International private leased circuit, IP VPN service, and IP transit services	1,567,453	1,567,453	402,590	100	1,596,194	30,462	30,462	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Chunghwa Telecom Singapore Pte., Ltd.	Singapore	International private leased circuit, IP VPN service, and IP transit services	574,112	574,112	26,383	100	956,951	94,613	94,613	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Chunghwa System Integration Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	Providing system integration services and telecommunications equipment	838,506	838,506	60,000	100	732,816	4,172	16,272	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	CHIEF Telecom Inc.	Taiwan	Network integration, internet data center ("IDC"), communications integration and cloud application services	459,652	468,326	39,426	57	1,620,803	354,803	222,694	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Chunghwa Investment Co., Ltd. Prime Asia Investments Group Ltd. (B.V.I.)	Taiwan British Virgin Islands	Investment Investment	639,559 385,274	639,559 385,274	68,085 1	89 100	3,126,847 193,362	146,708 360	127,525 360	Subsidiary (Note 7) Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Honghwa International Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	Telecommunication engineering, sales agent of mobile phone plan application and other business services	180,000	180,000	18,000	100	371,619	119,580	117,715	Subsidiary ((Notes 3 and 7)
	CHYP Multimedia Marketing & Communications Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	Digital information supply services and advertisement services	150,000	150,000	15,000	100	189,278	16,600	16,600	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Chunghwa Telecom Vietnam Co., Ltd.	Vietnam	Intelligent energy saving solutions, international circuit, and information and communication technology ("ICT") services.	148,275	148,275	-	100	104,404	(1,377)	(1,377)	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Chunghwa Telecom Global, Inc.	United States	International private leased circuit, internet services, and transit services	70,429	70,429	6,000	100	271,880	44,723	46,414	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	CHT Security Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	Computing equipment installation, wholesale of computing and business machinery equipment and software, management consulting services, data processing services, digital information supply services and internet identify services	240,000	240,000	24,000	80	220,102	(19,193)	(19,904)	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Chunghwa Telecom (Thailand) Co., Ltd.	Thailand	International private leased circuit, IP VPN service, ICT and cloud VAS services	100,000	100,000	1,000	100	95,799	(1,345)	(1,345)	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Spring House Entertainment Tech. Inc.	Taiwan	Software design services, internet contents production and play, and motion picture production and distribution	62,209	62,209	10,277	56	97,956	7,158	4,011	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Chunghwa leading Photonics Tech Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	Production and sale of electronic components and finished products	70,500	70,500	7,050	75	95,527	22,473	21,279	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Smartfun Digital Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	Providing diversified family education digital services	65,000	65,000	6,500	65	70,118	5,605	6,301	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Chunghwa Telecom Japan Co., Ltd.	Japan	International private leased circuit, IP VPN service, and IP transit services	17,291	17,291	1	100	57,053	7,499	7,499	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Chunghwa Sochamp Technology Inc.	Taiwan	Design, development and production of Automatic License Plate Recognition software and hardware	20,400	20,400	2,040	51	(7,902)	2,823	2,295	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	International Integrated System, Inc.	Taiwan	IT solution provider, IT application consultation, system integration and package solution	283,500	283,500	22,498	32	315,475	78,889	24,699	Associate (Continued

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			Main Businesses and Products	Original Inves	tment Amount	Balanc	e as of September .	30, 2018	Net Income (Loss) of the	Recognized Gain (Loss)	
Investor Company	Investee Company	Location		September 30,	December 31,	Shares	Percentage of	Carrying Value			Note
				2018	2017	(Thousands)	Ownership (%)	, g	Investee	(Notes 1, 2 and 3)	
	Viettel-CHT Co., Ltd.	Vietnam	IDC services	\$ 288,327	\$ 288,327	-	30	\$ 268,313	\$ 154,585	\$ 46,397	Associate
	Taiwan International Standard	Taiwan	Manufacturing, selling, designing, and	164,000	164,000	1,760	40	149,674	48,815	68,912	Associate
	Electronics Co., Ltd.		maintaining of telecommunications systems and equipment								
	Skysoft Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	Providing of music on-line, software,	67,025	67,025	4,438	30	133,553	(23,567)	(6,413)	Associate
			electronic information, and advertisement	,	,	,		,	( - ) )	(-, -,	
			services				• • •	405000			
	So-net Entertainment Taiwan Limited KingwayTek Technology Co., Ltd.	Taiwan Taiwan	Online service and sale of computer hardware Publishing books, data processing and	120,008 69,013	120,008 69,013	9,429 6,993	30 26	105,820 129,449	5,176 8,116	1,553 1,951	Associate Associate
	Kingway rek reciniology Co., Etc.	Taiwan	software services	07,013	07,013	0,773	20	127,447	0,110	1,751	Associate
	Taiwan International Ports Logistics	Taiwan	Import and export storage, logistic warehouse,	80,000	80,000	8,000	27	47,958	(6,320)	(1,673)	Associate
	Corporation	т-:	and ocean shipping service	97,598	07.500	5 400	1.5	11 700	(2(,022)	(5.410)	Ai-4-
	Dian Zuan Integrating Marketing Co., Ltd.	1 aiwan	Information technology service and general advertisement service	97,398	97,598	5,400	15	11,799	(36,032)	(5,419)	Associate
	Alliance Digital Tech Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	Development of mobile payments and	60,000	60,000	6,000	14	9,218	(36,600)	(5,270)	Associate
			information processing service								
Senao International Co., Ltd.	Senao Networks, Inc.	Taiwan	Telecommunication facilities manufactures	202,758	202,758	16,579	34	887,402	370,002	123,888	Associate
Senao international Co., Ltd.	Senao Networks, Inc.	1 aiwan	and sales	202,738	202,738	10,379	34	887,402	3 /0,002	123,888	Associate
	Senao International (Samoa) Holding	Samoa Islands	International investment	2,416,645	2,416,645	81,175	100	477,815	(20,545)	(20,545)	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Ltd.						_				
	Dian Zuan Integrating Marketing Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	Information technology service and general	24,000	24,000	2,400	7	5,378	(36,032)	(2,411)	Associate
	Youth Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	advertisement service Sale of information and communication	335,450	335,450	13,780	89	179,759	(12,294)	(60,110)	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Touri coi, Etai	1 41 11 411	technologies products	333,150	333,100	13,700		177,757	(12,2) 1)	(00,110)	Substantify (11010 /)
	Aval Technologies Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	Sale of information and communication	60,000	60,000	6,510	100	69,353	3,522	3,522	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	SENIVOUNG Laurana A and Ca	Taiwan	technologies products	29,500	10,000	2,950	100	20,199	(8,817)	(0.017)	C-1-: 4: (N-4-7)
	SENYOUNG Insurance Agent Co., Ltd.	1 aiwan	Property and liability insurance agency	29,300	10,000	2,930	100	20,199	(8,817)	(8,817)	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Z.u.										
Light Era Development Co.,	Taoyuan Asia Silicon Valley	Taiwan	Development of real estate	7,500	-	750	60	6,453	(1,744)	(1,047)	Subsidiary (Note 7)
Ltd.	Innovation Co., Ltd.										
CHIEF Telecom Inc.	Unigate Telecom Inc.	Taiwan	Telecommunications and internet service	2,000	2,000	200	100	906	(97)	(97)	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Chief International Corp.	Samoa Islands	Telecommunications and internet service	6,068	6,068	200	100	60,530	7,973	7,973	Subsidiary (Note 7)
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Chunghwa System Integrated Co., Ltd.	Concord Technology Co., Ltd.	Brunei	Investment	-	47,321	-	-	-	-	-	Subsidiary (Notes 4 and 7)
Co., Etc.											and /)
	ST-2 Satellite Ventures Pte., Ltd.	Singapore	Operation of ST-2 telecommunications	409,061	409,061	18,102	38	558,770	216,536	82,284	Associate
Pte., Ltd.			satellite								
Chunghwa Investment Co. Ltd.	Chunghwa Precision Test Tech. Co.,	Taiwan	Production and sale of semiconductor testing	178,608	199,736	11,230	34	2,050,190	551,453	203,060	Subsidiary (Note 7)
Changhwa mvesunent co., Eta.	Ltd.	Taiwan	components and printed circuit board	170,000	177,730	11,230	34	2,030,170	331,433	203,000	Subsidiary (Note 1)
	CHIEF Telecom Inc.	Taiwan	Network integration, internet data center	19,064	19,422	2,078	3	82,035	354,803	11,862	Associate (Note 7)
			("IDC"), communications integration and								
	Senao International Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	cloud application services Selling and maintaining mobile phones and its	49,731	49,731	1,001	_	42,804	274,310	1,004	Associate (Note 7)
	Senao international Co., Etc.	1 ai waii	peripheral products	47,731	77,731	1,001		42,004	274,510	1,004	Associate (Note 1)
	Chunghwa Precision Test Tech USA	United States	Design and after-sale services of	12,636	12,636	400	100	23,916	792	792	Subsidiary (Note 7)
Co., Ltd.	Corporation		semiconductor testing components and printed circuit board								
	CHPT Japan Co., Ltd.	Japan	Related services of electronic parts,	2,008	2,008	1	100	2,262	100	100	Subsidiary (Note 7)
		_	machinery processed products and printed								
	Charachera Danaici T. (T. )	C 7.1 1	circuit board	54.450	54.450	1.700	100	41.013	(4.400)	(4.400)	Code didiana OT 4 70
	Chunghwa Precision Test Tech. International, Ltd.	Samoa Islands	Wholesale and retail of electronic materials, and investment	54,450	54,450	1,700	100	41,813	(4,420)	(4,420)	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	International, Ed.		and investment								
Prime Asia Investments Group,	Chunghwa Hsingta Co., Ltd.	Hong Kong	Investment	375,274	375,274	1	100	206,602	(358)	(358)	Subsidiary (Note 7)
Ltd. (B.V.I.)	MeWorks Limited (HK)	Hong Kong	Investment	10,000	10,000	-	20	-	-	-	Associate (Continued

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				Original Inves	tment Amount	Balanc	e as of September	30, 2018	Net Income	Recognized	
Investor Company	Investee Company	Location	Main Businesses and Products	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2017	Shares (Thousands)	Percentage of Ownership (%)	Carrying Value	(Loss) of the Investee	Gain (Loss) (Notes 1, 2 and 3)	Note
Senao International (Samoa) Holding Ltd.	Senao International HK Limited HopeTech Technologies Limited	Hong Kong Hong Kong	International investment Information technology and telecommunications products sales	\$ 2,393,646	\$ 2,393,646 21,177	80,440	100	\$ 439,512 -	\$ (20,452) (330)	\$ (20,452) (149)	Subsidiary (Note 7) Associate (Note 5)
Youth Co., Ltd.	ISPOT Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	Sale of information and communication technologies products	53,021	53,021	-	100	9,152	(5,259)	(10,062)	Subsidiary (Note 7)
	Youyi Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	Maintenance of information and communication technologies products	21,354	21,354	-	100	17,011	1,539	1,267	Subsidiary (Note 7)
CHYP Multimedia Marketing & Communications Co., Ltd	Click Force Marketing Company	Taiwan	Advertisement services	44,607	44,607	1,078	49	37,297	5,663	1,181	Associate

- Note 1: The amounts were based on reviewed financial statements.
- Note 2: Recognized gain (loss) of investees includes amortization of differences between the investment cost and net value and elimination of unrealized transactions.
- Note 3: Recognized gain (loss) and carrying value of the investees did not include the adjustment of the difference between the accounting treatment on standalone basis and consolidated basis as a result of the application of IFRS 15.
- Note 4: Concord Technology Co., Ltd. was approved to end and dissolve its business in August 2017. The liquidation of Concord was completed in January 2018.
- Note 5: Senao International (Samoa) Holding Ltd disposed all shares of HopeTech Technologies Limited in June 2018.
- Note 6: Investment in mainland China is included in Table 8.
- Note 7: The amount was eliminated upon consolidation.

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#### INVESTMENT IN MAINLAND CHINA NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2018 (Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

				Accumulated	Investme	ent Flows	Accumulated Outflow of					Accumulated	
Investee	Main Businesses and Products	Total Amount of Paid-in Capital Investment Type (Note 1)		Outflow of	Outflow	Outflow Inflow		Net Income (Loss) of the Investee	% Ownership of Direct or Indirect Investment	Investment Gain (Loss) (Note 2)	Carrying Value as of September 30, 2018	Inward Remittance of Earnings as of September 30, 2018	te
Senao Trading (Fujian) Co., Ltd.	Sale of information and communication technologies products	\$ 1,073,170	2	\$ 1,073,170	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,073,170	\$ 5,829	100	\$ 5,829	\$ 192,501	\$ - Notes and I	
Senao International Trading (Shanghai) Co., Ltd.	Sale of information and communication technologies products	955,838	2	955,838	-	-	955,838	(26,295)	100	(26,295)	87,610	- Note 1	11
Senao International Trading (Shanghai) Co., Ltd. (Note 11)	Maintenance of information and communication technologies products	87,540	2	87,540	-	-	87,540	(968)	-	(968)	-	- Notes 8	
Senao International Trading (Jiangsu) Co., Ltd.	Sale of information and communication technologies products	263,736	2	263,736	-	-	263,736	2,234	100	2,234	88,839	- Notes 9	-
Chunghwa Telecom (China) Co., Ltd.	Integrated information and communication solution services for enterprise clients, and intelligent energy network service	177,176	2	177,176	-	-	177,176	(418)	100	(418)	52,318	- Note 1	11
Jiangsu Zhenghua Information Technology Company, LLC	Providing intelligent energy saving solution and intelligent buildings services	189,410	2	142,057	-	-	142,057	(551)	75	(413)	109,995	- Notes and I	
Shanghai Taihua Electronic Technology Limited	Design of printed circuit board and related consultation service	51,233	2	51,233	-	-	51,233	(4,450)	100	(4,450)	38,688	- Note 1	11
Shanghai Chief Telecom Co., Ltd.	Telecommunications and internet service	10,150	1	4,973	-	-	4,973	2,963	49	1,452	7,273	- Note 1	

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Investee	Accumulated Investment in Mainland China as of September 30, 2018	Investment Amounts Authorized by Investment Commission, MOEA	Upper Limit on Investment Stipulated by Investment Commission, MOEA
SENAO and its subsidiaries (Note 3)	\$ 2,380,284	\$ 2,380,284	\$ 3,421,221
Chunghwa Telecom (China) Co., Ltd. (Note 4)	177,176	177,176	227,033,629
Jiangsu Zhenghua Information Technology Company, LLC (Note 4)	142,057	142,057	227,033,629
Shanghai Taihua Electronic Technology Limited (Note 5)	51,233	97,965	3,591,573
Shanghai Chief Telecom Co., Ltd. (Note 6)	4,973	4,973	1,629,843

Note 1: Investments are divided into three categories as follows:

- a. Direct investment.
- b. Investments through a holding company registered in a third region.
- c. Others.
- Note 2: The amounts were calculated based on the investee's reviewed financial statements.
- Note 3: Senao International Co., Ltd. and its subsidiaries were calculated based on the consolidated net assets value of Senao International Co., Ltd.
- Note 4: Chunghwa Telecom (China) Co., Ltd. and Jiangsu Zhenghua Information Technology Company, LLC were calculated based on the consolidated net assets value of Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.
- Note 5: Shanghai Taihua Electronic Technology Limited was calculated based on the consolidated net assets value of Chunghwa Precision Test Tech. Co., Ltd.
- Note 6: Shanghai Chief Telecom Co., Ltd. was calculated based on the consolidated net assets value of CHIEF Telecom Inc.
- Note 7: Senao Trading (Fujian) Co., Ltd. was approved to end its business and dissolve in September 2018. The liquidation of Senao Trading (Fujian) Co., Ltd. is still in process.
- Note 8: The liquidation of Senao International Trading (Shanghai) Co., Ltd. was completed in March 2018.
- Note 9: Senao International Trading (Jiangsu) Co., Ltd. was approved to end its business and dissolve in April 2018. The liquidation of Senao International Trading (Jiangsu) Co., Ltd. is still in process.
- Note 10: Jiangsu Zhenhua Information Technology Company, LLC. was approved to end its business and dissolve in May 2016. The liquidation of Jiangsu Zhenhua Information Technology Company, LLC. is still in process.
- Note 11: The amount was eliminated upon consolidation.
- Note 12: The English name is the same as the above entity; however the Chinese name included in the respective Articles of Incorporations is different from the above entity.

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# INTERCOMPANY RELATIONSHIPS AND SIGNIFICANT TRANSACTIONS NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

(Amounts in Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

			Company Name Related Party	Nature of	Transaction Details						
Year	No. (Note 1)	Company Name		Relationship (Note 2)	Financial Statement Account	Amount (Note 5)	Payment Terms (Note 3)	% to Total Sales or Assets (Note 4)			
2018	0	Chunghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	Senao International Co., Ltd.	a	Accounts receivable	\$ 495,272	_	_			
2010		Changhwa Telecom Co., Eta.	Sendo international Co., Etc.	u u	Accrued custodial receipts	222,704	_	_			
					Inventories	48,027	_	_			
					Accounts payable	823,943	_	_			
					Amounts collected for others	258,383	_	_			
					Revenues	1,392,313	_	1			
					Operating costs and expenses	1,064,093	_	1			
			CHIEF Telecom Inc.	a	Accounts receivable	44,085	_	_			
			CIMEN TOROGOM MO		Accounts payable	42,170	_	_			
					Revenues	243,790	_	_			
					Operating costs and expenses	217,182	_	_			
			CHYP Multimedia Marketing &	a	Accounts payable	35,038	_	_			
			Communications Co., Ltd.		Amounts collected for others	63,768	_	_			
		Communications Con, Etc.		Revenues	22,588	_	_				
				Operating costs and expenses	86,896	_	_				
			Chunghwa System Integration Co., Ltd.	a	Accounts receivable	28,137	_	_			
			enungiiwa system integration cet, zita		Accounts payable	239,111	_	_			
					Revenues	14,154	_	_			
					Operating costs and expenses	512,205	_	_			
					Inventories	103,372	_	_			
					Prepayments	98,392	_	_			
					Property, plant and equipment	211,064	_	_			
					Intangible assets	46,961	_	_			
			Chunghwa Telecom Global Inc.	a	Accounts receivable	18,532	_	_			
					Accounts payable	56,476	_	_			
					Revenues	41,564	_	_			
					Operating costs and expenses	254,709	_	_			
			Donghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	a	Accounts receivable	120,589	_	_			
			8,	-	Accounts payable	135,496	_	_			
					Revenues	160,699	_	_			
					Operating costs and expenses	382,157	_	_			
			Chunghwa Telecom Japan Co., Ltd.	a	Accounts receivable	16,861	_	_			
				-	Accounts payable	16,959	_	_			
					Revenues	10,292	_	_			
					Operating costs and expenses	66,552	_	_			
			Light Era Development Co., Ltd.	a	Operating costs and expenses	45,120	_	_			

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				Nature of	Tr	ansaction Details		
Year	No. (Note 1)	Company Name	Related Party	Relationship (Note 2)	Financial Statement Account	Amount (Note 5)	Payment Terms (Note 3)	% to Total Sales or Assets (Note 4)
			Chunghwa Telecom Singapore Pte., Ltd.	a	Accounts receivable Accounts payable	\$ 103,552 73,608	-	-
					Revenues	114,212	-	-
					Operating costs and expenses	140,318	-	-
			Chunghwa Sochamp Technology Inc.	a	Accounts payable	27,219	-	-
					Operating costs and expenses	16,558	-	-
			Honghwa International Co., Ltd.	a	Accounts payable	809,565	-	-
					Revenues	14,842	-	-
					Operating costs and expenses	3,932,695	-	2
					Property, plant and equipment	35,682	-	-
			Chunghwa Telecom (Thailand) Co., Ltd.	a	Operating costs and expenses	18,659	-	-
			CHT Security Co., Ltd.	a	Accounts payable	43,149	-	-
					Revenues	14,916	-	-
					Operating costs and expenses	184,089	-	-
			Aval Technologies Co., Ltd.	a	Operating costs and expenses	41,838	-	-
	1 1	Light Era Development Co., Ltd.	CHIEF Telecom Inc.	С	Revenues	71,390	-	-
	2	Chunghwa Telecom Singapore Pte., Ltd.	Donghwa Telecom Co., Ltd.	c	Prepayments	18,769	-	-

Note 1: Significant transactions between the Company and its subsidiaries or among subsidiaries are numbered as follows:

- a. "0" for the Company.
- b. Subsidiaries are numbered from "1".

Note 2: Related party transactions are divided into three categories as follows:

- a. The Company to subsidiaries.
- b. Subsidiaries to the Company.
- c. Subsidiaries to subsidiaries.
- Note 3: Transaction terms with the related parties were determined in accordance with mutual agreements when there were no similar transactions with third parties. Other transactions with related parties were not significantly different from those with third parties.
- Note 4: For assets and liabilities, amount is shown as a percentage to consolidated total assets as of September 30, 2018, while revenues, costs and expenses are shown as a percentage to consolidated revenues for the nine months ended September 30, 2018.
- Note 5: The amount was eliminated upon consolidation.

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