



## **4Q 2021 Operating Results**

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## "Rise on Together, 2021" strategic transformation

# 3 years of consecutive growth in **EBITDA Margin, Net Income and EPS**





5G+4G#1 Recognized by NCC, Speedtest, & OpenSignal



## Organizational transformation

#### **Customer Centric**

### **Business Groups**

- Consumer
- Enterprise
- International

- Consumer, Enterprise and International Business Groups develop businesses under the customer-centric spirit
- Focus on business competitiveness

## **Technology Groups**

- Network Technology
- Data Communications
- Telecommunication Laboratories

 Network Technology Group, Data Communications Group and Telecommunication Laboratories serve to support business development

Focus on technology competitiveness

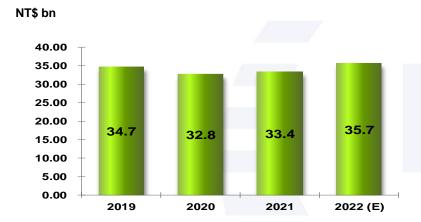
Headquarters

 Headquarters maximize functions of devising strategies and resource allocation Focus on strategic competitiveness



## Committed to Improving Shareholder Value

#### **Cash Return**



- 2022 Board of directors resolved to distribute NT\$35.7 billion to shareholders
  - ➤ NT\$4.608 per share
  - payout ratio 100%

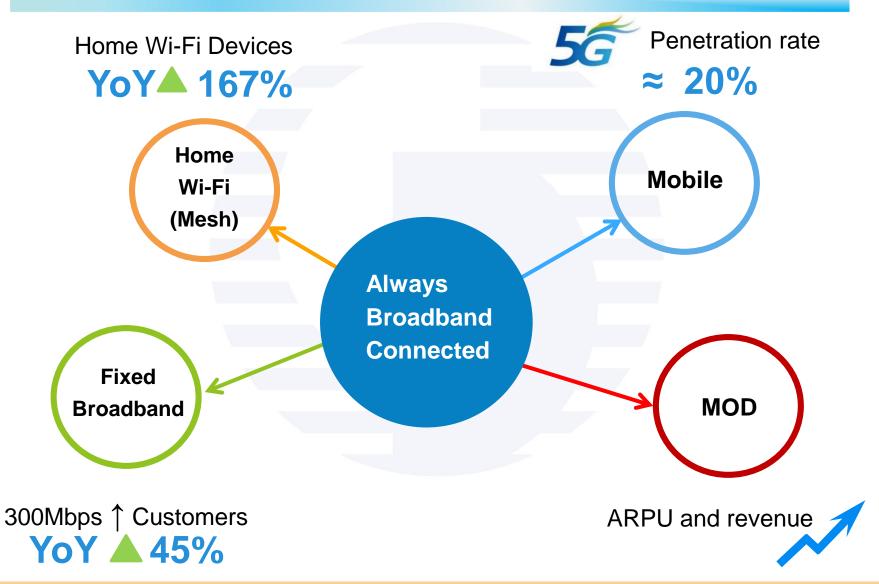
- 1. 1 ADR = 10 common shares
- 2. The regular dividend has been calculated based on total share number 7,757,446,545.



**Business Overview** 



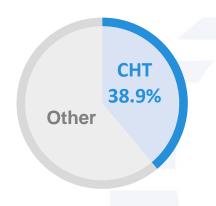
### **Business Overview**



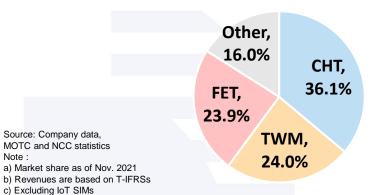


## **#1 Mobile Services Provider**

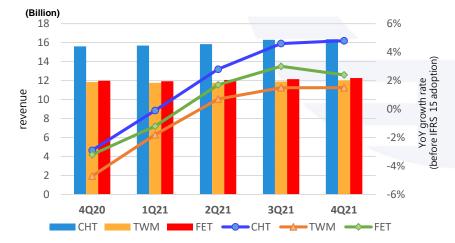
#### #1 Mobile Revenue (a)(b)(c)



#### #1 Mobile Subscribers (c)

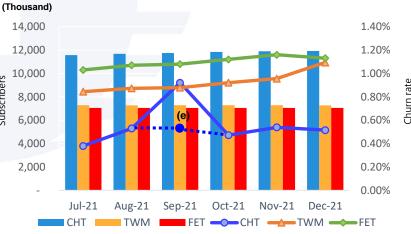


#### Better Performance in Mobile Service Revenue



Note: For TWM and FET, mobile service revenue is derived from mobile ARPU under Residual Value Method times the average subscriber number.

#### **Highest Subs & Lowest Churn**(d)



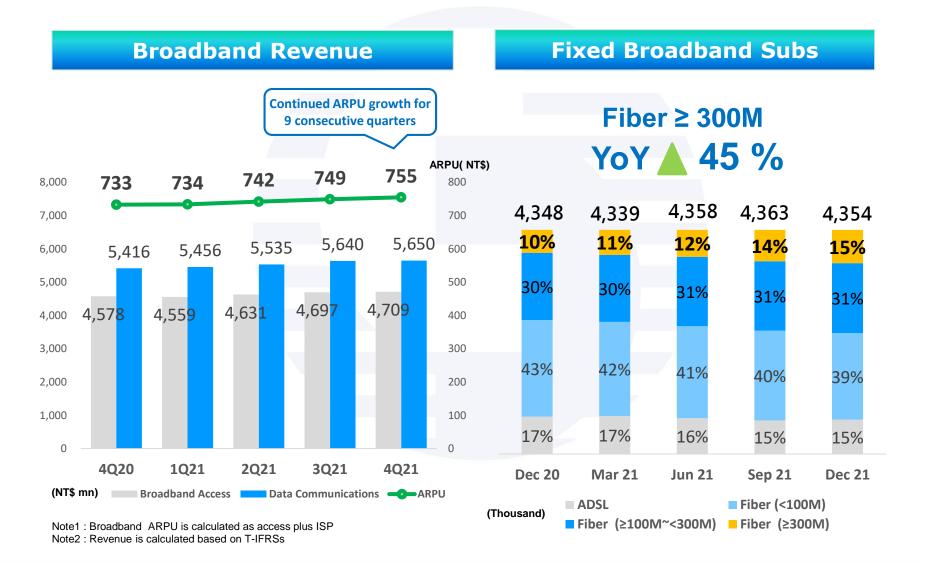
Note:

Subscribers

- d)Churn rate for postpaid subscribers
- e)Excluding the one-time round-trip adjustment of IoT SIMs

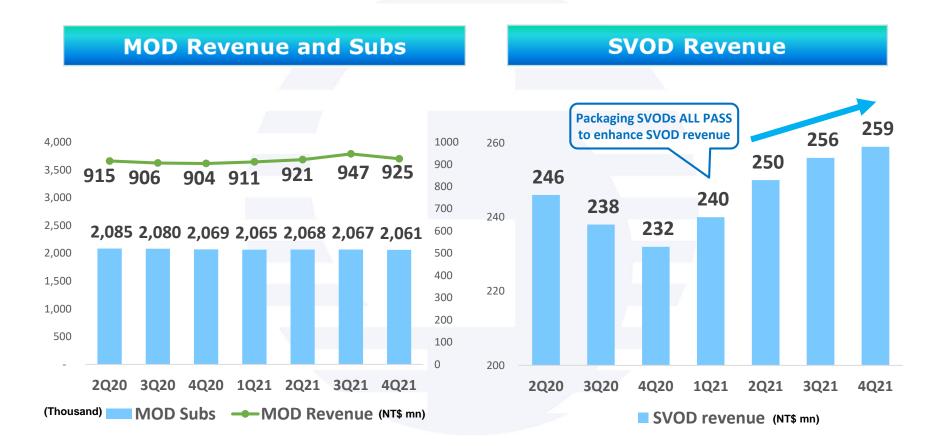


### Fixed Broadband Service





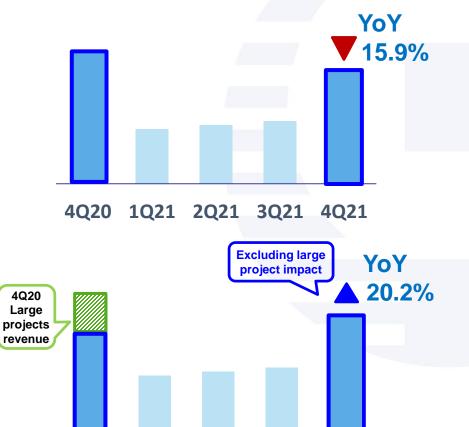
## MOD/ IPTV Service





### **ICT Business**





4Q20 1Q21 2Q21 3Q21 4Q21

### **Emerging Business Revenue**









Note: Excludes impact of large projects



**Financials Overview** 



## Financials: Income Statement Highlights

	Consolidated						
(NT\$bn)	Q4 2021	Q4 2020	Growth %	2021	2020	Growth %	
Revenues	59.89	59.48	0.7	210.48	207.61	1.4	
Operating Costs and Expenses	48.42	50.30	( 3.7)	165.18	166.84	(1.0)	
Income from Operations	11.10	10.50	5.8	44.93	42.36	6.1	
Net Income <sup>2</sup>	8.63	8.21	5.1	35.75	33.41	7.0	
EPS	1.11	1.06	5.1	4.61	4.31	7.0	
EBITDA	20.86	19.90	4.8	83.33	78.71	5.9	
EBITDA Margin (%)	34.82	33.45		39.59	37.91		

#### Note

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- 2. Net income attributable to owners of the parent.
- 3. EBITDA = operating income + Depreciation & Amortization.
- 4. The calculation of growth rates is based on NT\$mn.



## Financials: Business Segment Revenues

(NT\$bn)	Q4 2021	Q4 2020	Growth %	2021	2020	Growth%
Domestic Fixed	18.12	20.24	(10.4)	64.78	69.47	(6.7)
Local	5.86	6.04	(3.0)	23.76	24.46	(2.8)
DLD	0.48	0.49	(1.4)	1.94	2.02	(3.7)
Broadband Access	4.71	4.58	2.9	18.60	18.14	2.5
MOD	0.93	0.90	2.3	3.71	3.64	1.9
ICT and Other Services	5.01	7.11	(29.6)	12.36	16.94	(27.0)
Mobile	27.20	24.96	9.0	95.25	90.23	5.6
Mobile Service Revenue	14.82	14.21	4.3	58.05	56.72	2.3
Sales of Mobile Handsets and Wearable Devices	11.52	10.30	11.9	35.41	32.11	10.3
ICT and Other Services	0.86	0.45	90.0	1.79	1.39	28.2
Internet	9.39	9.72	(3.4)	33.08	32.12	3.0
Data Communications	5.65	5.42	4.3	22.28	21.45	3.9
Application VAS	2.88	3.54	(18.7)	8.39	8.33	0.7
Services Provided to the government	0.85	0.76	12.7	2.41	2.34	3.0
International Fixed	2.64	2.14	23.7	9.10	8.70	4.6
ILD	0.51	0.55	(8.7)	2.15	2.48	(13.0)
Leased line	0.58	0.55	5.1	2.21	2.17	1.9
ICT and Other Services	0.73	0.24	203.3	1.41	0.89	58.4
Others	2.54	2.43	4.4	8.27	7.10	16.5
Total	59.89	59.48	0.7	210.48	207.61	1.4

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- 3. Businesses shown under each segment are highlighted; therefore, sum of the highlighted revenues is not equal to the total.



## Financials: Costs & Expenses

	Consolidated					
(NT\$bn)	Q4 2021	Q4 2020	Growth %	2021	2020	Growth %
Operating Costs	40.11	42.33	(5.2)	135.11	137.03	(1.4)
Operating Expenses	8.31	7.97	4.2	30.07	29.81	0.9
Marketing	5.84	5.51	6.0	21.09	20.96	0.6
General and Administrative	1.49	1.49	(0.4)	5.29	5.00	5.8
R&D Expense	0.98	0.97	1.2	3.69	3.85	(4.2)
Total	48.42	50.30	(3.7)	165.18	166.84	(1.0)

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### Financials: Cash Flow

	Consolidated					
(NT\$bn)	Q4 2021	Q4 2020	Growth %	2021	2020	Growth %
Net Cash Flow from Operating Activities	26.89	27.55	(2.4)	74.86	74.46	0.5
СарЕх	12.30	9.48	29.7	35.33	23.51	50.3
Free Cash Flow	14.59	18.07	(19.3)	39.53	50.95	(22.4)
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the end of period	39.82	30.42	30.9	39.82	30.42	30.9

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- 2. The calculation of growth rates is based on NT\$ mn.
- 3. Free cash flow is calculated by subtracting CapEx from Net Cash Flows from Operating Activities.



## Operating Results vs. Forecast

	Consolidated						
(NT\$bn)	Q4 2021 (A)	Q4 2021 (E)	Achieving %	2021 (A)	2021 (E)	Achieving %	
Revenues	59.89	59.07~59.32	101.0~101.4	210.48	209.26~209.72	100.4~100.6	
Operating Costs and Expenses	48.42	48.05~48.10	100.7~100.8	165.18	167.58~167.66	98.5~98.6	
Income from Operations	11.10	11.20~11.65	95.3~99.1	44.93	41.72~42.51	105.7~107.7	
Net Income <sup>2</sup>	8.63	8.67~9.41	91.7~99.5	35.75	32.60~34.09	104.8~109.7	
EPS	1.11	1.12~1.22	91.7~99.5	4.61	4.20~4.40	104.8~109.7	
EBITDA	20.85	20.73~21.18	98.5~100.6	83.33	79.90~80.65	103.3~104.3	
EBITDA Margin (%)	34.82	35.10~35.70		39.59	38.18~38.46		

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### 2022 Forecast

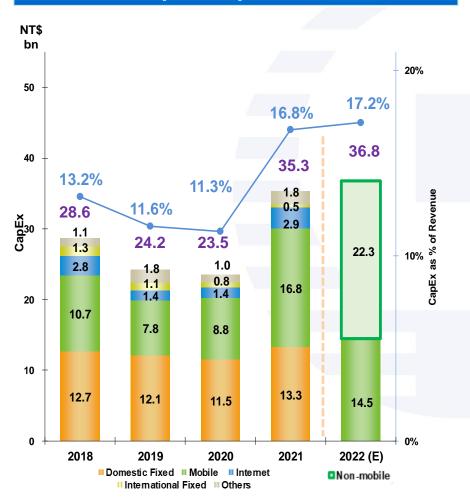
	Consolidated				
(NT\$bn)	<b>2022</b> (E)	2021	Growth %		
Revenues	212.80~214.00	210.48	1.1~1.7		
Operating Costs and Expenses	168.42~168.81	165.18	2.0~2.2		
Income from Operations	44.55~46.08	44.93	-0.8~2.6		
Net Income <sup>2</sup>	34.11~36.04	35.75	-4.6~0.8		
EPS	4.40~4.65	4.61	-4.6~0.8		
EBITDA	82.91~84.44	83.33	-0.5~1.3		
EBITDA Margin (%)	38.96~39.46	39.59			

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



## Effective and Efficient Capital Expenditure

#### **Capital Expenditure**



- Budgeted CapEx for 2022- NT\$36.8 bn
  - Mobile NT\$14.5 bn
  - Non-mobile –NT\$ 22.3 bn
- for future investments in 5G,FTTx,
  IDC/Cloud and Submarine cable

Note: Numbers or percentages are on cash basis.



## Awards and Recognition



#### **Best 5G Service Provider in Taiwan**

- ✓ Winner of Speedtest "Fastest 5G" and "Fastest Mobile Network" in Taiwan in Q3-Q4 2021
- ✓ Winner of Opensignal "5G Download Speed" and "Fastest 5G Upload Speed," as well as "5G Game Experience," "5G Video Experience," and "5G Voice App Experience"
- ✓ Winner of Frost & Sullivan "2021 Taiwan Private 5G Network Customer Value Leadership Award" the first and the only winner among Taiwan operators



### **Acknowledged ESG Practice and Corporate Sustainability**

- ✓ Awarded by The Asset (HK) with the Jade Award in The Asset ESG Corporate Award 2021
  - the only Asian telecom operator to receive the top award
- ✓ Awarded by Capital Finance International (UK) with Best Telecom Holding Governance -Asia 2021
- ✓ Won multiple categories of 2021 Taiwan Corporate Sustainability Awards by Taiwan Institute for Sustainable Energy
- ✓ Won 2021 Global Corporate Sustainability Awards by Taiwan Institute for Sustainable Energy in categories of English Sustainability Reports and Pandemic Response





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