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- Primax 2Q 2024 Financial Results
- Business Strategies And Growth Opportunities
- Investor Feedback And Q&A With Primax Management

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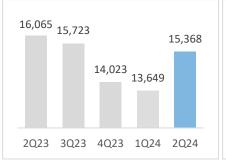
# Primax 2Q24 Highlights

- ✓ 2Q24 gross margin reached record high of 17.3%, thanks to favorable product mix and currency exchange rate
- ✓ 2Q24 EPS reached NT\$1.60, quarterly record high. Strong demand from AloT products, coupled with PC/gaming rush orders lead to solid performance
- ✓ 2Q24 operating margin improved to 5.2%, up 0.9ppt QoQ and 0.2ppt YoY

#### Primax 2Q24 Revenue, Gross Margin, Operating Margin



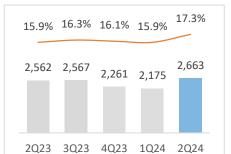
Quarterly Revenue (NT\$mn)





Quarterly Gross Income & Margin (NT\$mn/%)

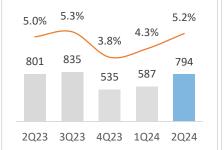
2Q24 GM reached 17.3%, up 1.4 ppt YoY





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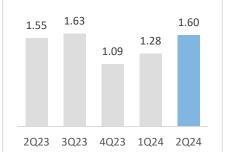
2Q24 OPM reached 5.2%, up 0.2 ppt YoY





EPS (NTD)

2Q24 EPS reached NT\$1.60, up 3.2% YoY





### Income Statement

- ✓ Gross margin, operating margin, and net margin all reported substantial improvement in 2Q24 compared with same period last year
- ✓ 2Q24 EPS reached NT\$1.60, up 25% QoQ and 3.2% YoY, which is quarterly record high



#### **Primax 2Q24 Income Statement**

(NT\$mn)	2Q 2024	1Q 2024	2Q 2023	QoQ	YoY	1H 2024	1H 2023	YoY
Revenue	15,368	13,649	16,065	12.6%	-4.3%	29,017	30,742	-5.6%
COGS	12,705	11,473	13,503			24,178	25,989	
Gross Profit	2,663	2,175	2,562	22.4%	3.9%	4,839	4,753	1.8%
Gross Margin (%)	17.3%	15.9%	15.9%	1.4 ppt	1.4 ppt	16.7%	15.5%	1.2 ppt
Operating Expense	1,870	1,588	1,761			3,458	3,381	
Operating Expense (%)	12.2%	11.6%	11.0%	0.5 ppt	1.2 ppt	11.9%	11.0%	0.9 ppt
Operating Income	794	587	801	35.1%	-0.9%	1,381	1,373	0.6%
Operating Margin (%)	5.2%	4.3%	5.0%	0.9 ppt	0.2 ppt	4.8%	4.5%	0.3 ppt
Non-operating Items	198	170	155			368	296	
Income before Tax	991	757	956	31.0%	3.7%	1,748	1,668	4.8%
Income Tax	199	152	187			350	326	
Net Income	793	605	769	30.9%	3.1%	1,398	1,343	4.2%
Net Margin (%)	5.2%	4.4%	4.8%	0.7 ppt	0.4 ppt	4.8%	4.4%	0.5 ppt
NI attributed to Primax	727	581	699	25.1%	4.0%	1,309	1,254	4.3%
EPS (NTD)	1.60	1.28	1.55	25.0%	3.2%	2.88	2.78	3.6%

# **Balance Sheets**

- ✓ 2Q24 cash position increased to NT\$13.31bn, up 22% YoY
- ✓ Inventory level has been steadily decreasing, 2Q24 amounted to NT\$7.69bn, down 5% YoY
- ✓ Cash conversion cycle also improved to 44 days, versus 53 days in 2Q23



#### **Primax 2Q24 Balance Sheets**

	2Q 2	024	1Q 2	024	2Q 2023		
(NT\$mn)	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	
Cash	13,308	26%	13,087	27%	10,923	22%	
Notes & Accounts Receivable	12,953	26%	11,470	24%	15,011	30%	
Inventory	7,691	15%	7,742	16%	8,107	16%	
Total Current Assets	36,899	73%	34,965	72%	35,799	72%	
Fixed Assets	7,744	15%	7,812	16%	8,061	16%	
Total Assets	50,438	100%	48,658	100%	49,605	100%	
Notes & Accounts Payable	12,258	24%	11,933	25%	13,238	27%	
S-T Borrowings	1,854	4%	2,270	5%	2,974	6%	
Total Current Liabilities	27,130	54%	24,497	50%	28,249	57%	
L-T Borrowings	672	1%	633	1%	464	1%	
Total Liabilities	30,865	61%	28,296	58%	31,952	64%	
Total Equity	19,573	39%	20,362	42%	17,654	36%	
Current Ratio	136%		143%		127%		
Net Debt-to-Equity Ratio	-55%		-50%		-42%		
AR Turnover Days	77		77		88		
AP Turnover Days	92		96		96		
Inventory Turnover Days	59		63		61		
Cash Conversion Cycle (CCC)	44		44	1	53		

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**Cash Flows** 

✓ 2024 capex forecast around NT\$1.7bn which mainly for Hsinchu innovation center, Thailand plant expansion and automation investment



#### **Primax 2Q24 Statements Of Cash Flows** (NTSmn) 2Q 2024 1Q 2024 4Q 2023 3Q 2023 2Q 2023 **From Operations** 1,360 559 7,728 4,472 2,995 - Income Before Tax 1.748 757 3.266 2.662 1.668 - Depreciation & Amortization 845 431 1,913 1,430 962 - Notes & Accounts Receivable (1,778)(100)3,449 571 873 - Notes & Accounts Payable 123 (202)(1,903)(1,369)(800)306 254 1.357 1.817 1,247 - Inventory - Other Operating Sources 116 (581)(355)(639)(955)From Investment (668)(301)(1,435)(1,078)(579)- Fixed Assets (635)(281)(1,487)(968)(665)- Others & Amortized Cost\* (33)(20)52 (111)86 2.382 **From Financing** 1.073 1.433 (1,497)(322)- S-T Borrowings 1,094 1,492 267 1,377 2,485 - L-T Borrowings 97 0 244 244 0 - Cash Dividend n 0 (1,792)(1,792)0 - Other Financing Sources (103)(118)(59)(216)(152)**Net Cash Position Change** 1,765 1,691 4,796 3,071 4,797 638 491 (176)297 (159)Effect of Foreign Currency Cash At Beginning of Year 10,905 10,905 6,285 6.285 6,285 **Ending Cash Balance** 13,308 13,087 9,653 10,923 10,905

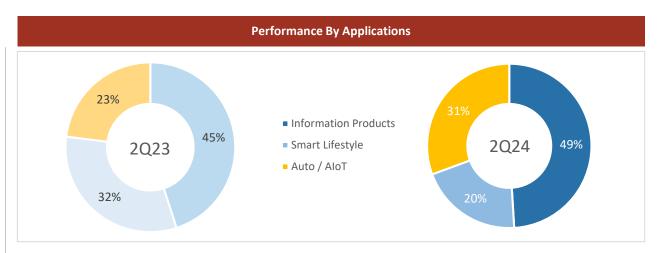
Note: \*Financial Assets Measured At Amortized Cost

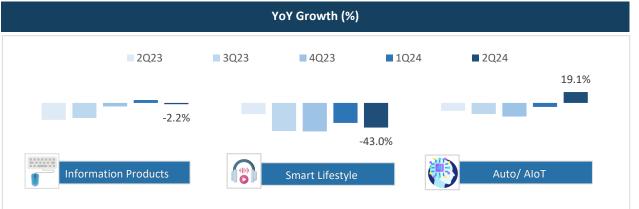
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# **2Q24 Revenue** Breakdown

- ✓ Information products mix increased to 49% driven by PC and gaming rush order despite reporting 2.2% YoY decline in 2Q24
- ✓ Smart lifestyle segment contribution decreased sharply to 20% due to weak consumer demand
- ✓ Auto/ AloT mix rose to 31%, due to strong AloT products contribution, up 19.1% YoY indicating strong momentum.







# Product Portfolio

#### ✓ Information Products

PC peripherals, OME, docking and interface related products

#### ✓ Smart Lifestyle

Camera and audio solutions for consumers

#### ✓ Auto / AloT

B2B applications such as automotive electronics, public safety camera and solutions, fleet management and gateway, and professional audio and transducers



Auto/ AloT

#### **Diversified Product Portfolio Offers Comprehensive One-Stop-Shop Solutions Opto-Mechanical Electronics** Keyboard Module (KBM) **PC Peripheral Printer MFP** (OME) Gaming Wireless Charging / Docking **NB** Camera Information Products **Smartphone Camera** Smart Speaker Sound bar Headphone **Home Entertainment** Consumer Speaker Smart Lifestyle **Auto Camera Industrial IoT Gateway** Conference **Audio Driver AIoT Solutions** Smart Access Control (SAC) Professional Audio / Speaker

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### 3Q24 Outlook

✓ Our business transition is in progress, and we aim to improve profitability

#### **Primax 3Q24 Revenue And Profit Outlook**



#### **Revenue Outlook**



- √ 3Q24 revenue likely to see mild QoQ increase
- ✓ Continuously optimizing product mix and expanding into high value-added products



#### **Profit Outlook**



- ✓ GM YoY improvement on better mix
- ✓ Opex ratio will slightly higher YoY based on new business R&D investment



#### Information Products



- ✓ PC and gaming likely flattish YoY based on current visibility
- Possible rush orders for PC and gaming
- ✓ Biz equipment demand slow down



#### Smart Lifestyle



- √ 3Q24 likely recover QoQ, but still likely report high single digit YoY decrease
- ✓ Increase high premium products and improve customer mix



#### Auto/AloT



- ✓ Contributions from AloT new projects will continue to grow, sustaining the company's long-term growth momentum
- ✓ Launch new professional audio products which trigger new demand



#### Information Products



- ✓ Information product continue to ramp copilot keyboard for AI PC
- ✓ Continue to lift higher ASP product mix



#### Smart Lifestyle



- √ 3Q24 to see QoQ improvement
- Weak consumer demand weighing down profitability



#### Auto/AloT

✓ AloT products with higher gross margins which aim to launch new projects in 4Q24 onwards



✓ Focus on expanding the professional/auto audio business



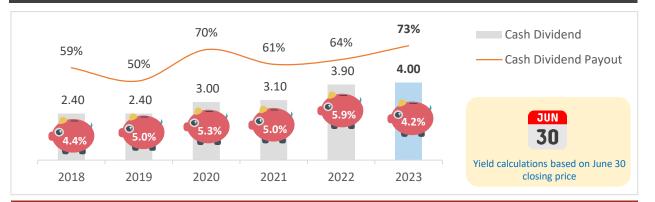


# Dividend Calendar

- ✓ Primax's dividend payout remains at least 50% according to company charter, with historical range of 50-73%
- Primax aims to sustain high dividend payout policy, providing stable returns for investors

### PRIME Bring Experience to Life

#### Cash Dividend Per Share, Dividend Payout And Dividend Yield



#### 2024 Financial Calendar





- ✓ Dedicated ESG office led by Chairman, and submitted annual reports to Board of Directors regularly
- Driving growth through sustainable practices and fostering inclusivity within the organization

#### **Primax ESG score**

- MSCI ESG A (range of AAA to CCC, with AAA highest rating)
- CDP Climate A-List (Leadership) (range of A to D, with A highest rating)







#### **Primax ESG Commitment And Recognition**



#### **Net Zero Commitment**

- Setting emissions reduction target under SBTi validation, aiming for carbon neutral by 2040 and net zero emissions by 2050
- To reach RE40 with regular carbon progress disclosure in 2023
- Targeting RE50 and implementing carbon inventory system in 2024



#### **Caring For Employees And Communities**

- HR Asia award as one of the "Best Companies To Work For in Asia" since 2021
- Included in "Taiwan High Compensation 100 Index" for 8 consecutive years
- Consistently engaged in "Taitung Flipped Classroom Workshop" and support local communities



#### **Sustainability Operations**

- Continuous ranked Top 5% of TWSE Corporate Governance Evaluation (2016-2017, 2019-2022)
- Included in the S&P Global Sustainability Yearbook 2024 and received the "Industry Mover" recognition
- Ranked Top 3% among all the global ITC industry in S&P Global ESG score















### Investment **Thesis**

- ✓ Strong proven record of consistent growth with strong cash flow and shareholder value creation
- ✓ Differentiated strategy to build new business and effectively leverage our core competencies

#### Why Primax?

#### **Growth Opportunities**



#### Capitalizing On Mega Trends



#### Margin And Profit Expansions



- √ 3 senses in 1 strategy
- ✓ Car electronics (EV/ ADAS/ AVAS/audio), fleet management
- ✓ Al enabled Pubic Safety\* segments
- ✓ AloT, smart home, 5G/ cloud/ Al, auto, new audio
- ✓ Wearables (AR/ VR/ MR) and robotics (industrial applications)
- ✓ Better product and customer mix
- ✓ Increase new businesses and focus on low-medium volume but higher margin and/or ASP products

#### **Capital Deployment**



#### Shareholder Return



#### **Sustainability And ESG**



- ✓ Increase dividend payout
- Less capex and strong free cash flow generating ability
- ✓ Prudent M&A plans

- ✓ Historically paid out 50-70% of earnings as cash dividend
- ✓ Cash dividend yield of 4-6%
- ✓ Historic Average ROE ≥ 15%

- ✓ Management has strong commitment to ESG
- ✓ Primax is often ranked as one of the best ESG listed entities in Taiwan



<sup>\*</sup>Public safety: Passenger safety, Law enforcement safety, Transportation safety, Campus & community safety, Broder & access control

# Questions & Feedback







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