# **Business Environment**

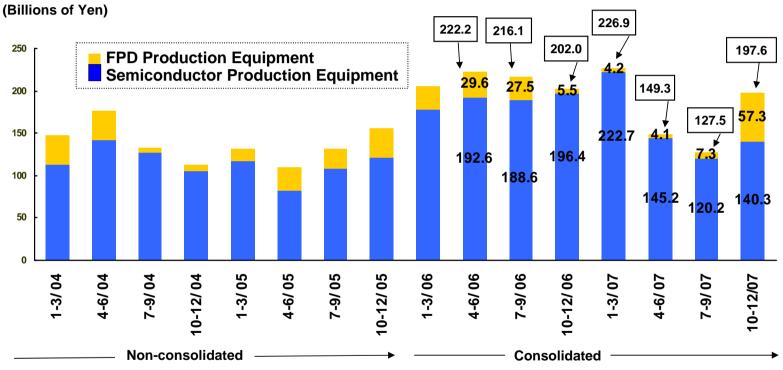
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## **Quarterly SPE+FPD Orders**

#### FPD Production Equipment orders sharply recovered



\*Figures until Oct-Dec 2005 are non-consolidated, figures from Jan-Mar 2006 are consolidated.

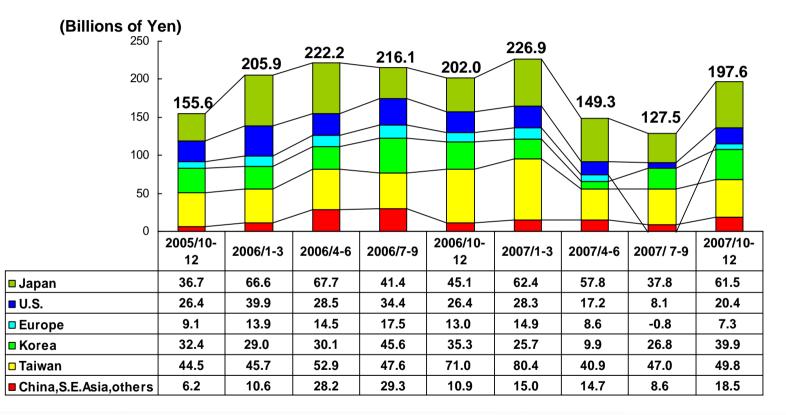
\*Main difference between consolidated and non-consolidated: Consolidated figures include post-sales orders at overseas subsidiaries.



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## **Quarterly SPE+FPD Orders by Region**

#### Orders increased in Japan & Korea

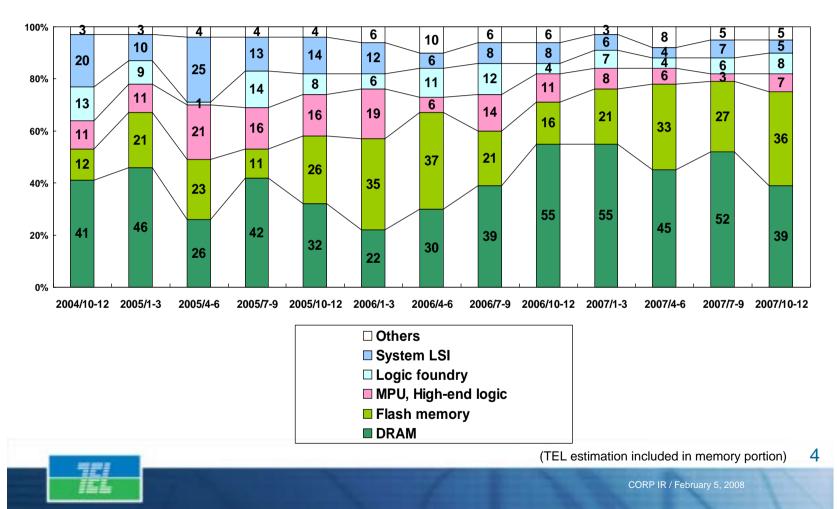


Order volume are on a consolidated basis from Jan-Mar 2006 quarter.



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### SPE Quarterly Orders by Application (Equipment only)



## **Record Performance to Continue in FY2008**

#### Consolidated sales and income forecasts remain as before, record-setting performance expected

(Billions of Yen)

	FY2007		FY2008 (E)						
		Full year	H1		H2 (E)		Full year (E)		YoY change
Net sales		851.9		476.3		423.7		900.0	+5.6%
	SPE	642.6		379.2		342.8		722.0	+12.4%
	FPD	100.7		43.6		24.4		68.0	- 32.5%
	EC/CN	107.4		53.2		55.8		109.0	+1.4%
	Others	1.1		0.2		0.8		1.0	- 10.8%
Operating income		143.9 (16.9)	95.0 (19.9)		65.0 (15.3)		160.0 (17.8)		+11.1%
Ordinary income		143.9 (16.9)	95.7 (20.1)		68.3 (16.1)		164.0 (18.2)		+13.9%
EBIT		144.4 (17.0)	98.2 (20.6)		65.8 (15.5)		164.0 (18.2)		+13.6%
Net income		91.2 (10.7)	62	2.4 (13.1)	4	1.6 (9.8)	104	.0 (11.6)	+14.0%

()Profit ratio%

SPE: Semiconductor Production Equipment, FPD: FPD Production Equipment,

**EC/CN: Electronic Components and Computer Network** 



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## **CY2008 Growth Forecast by Research Firms**

	Semiconductor	Semiconductor CAPEX		
WSTS	+9.1%	-		
iSuppli	+7.5%	-		
Gartner Dataquest	+ 6.2%	-10.2%		
VLSI Research	+7.5%	-5.9%		
SEMI	-	-4.9%		

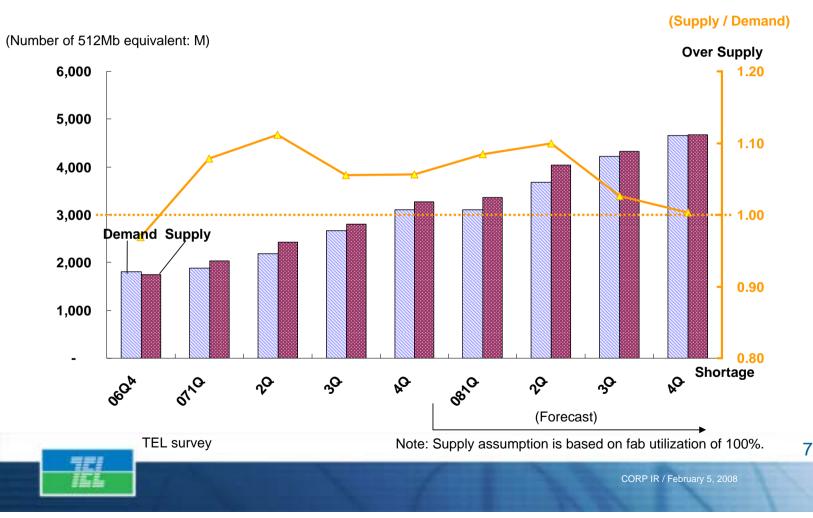
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# 2008 DRAM Supply/Demand Balance Forecast

#### Supply/Demand balance will be healthier in CY08 2<sup>nd</sup> half



## **CY2008: Business Environment Outlook**

### Semiconductor CAPEX

- DRAM: Investment continuing for miniaturization to reduce chip costs.
  Adjustment period due to supply/demand gap will last till mid year.
- NAND: Investment continuing steadily at our major customers, supported by strong demand.
- LOGIC/Foundry: Increase in cutting-edge investment expected in the latter half of 2008, as expanding demand for electronic devices.

Expecting -10% Semiconductor CAPEX growth in 2008

### **FPD CAPEX**

 Orders started to recover in anticipation of demand for digital TVs, mainly for large substrate glass equipment.

#### Expecting +40% FPD CAPEX growth in 2008

# **Challenge for CY2008**

### In time of adjustment period

Control fixed costs, bringing right staff allocation and right-sizing subcontractors.

### Strengthen R&D and product development

Accelerate R&D to make a great leap forward in the next boom years. Investment for selected R&D, M&A and production reform to be maintained despite adjustment period.

### Strengthen manufacturing capability

Restructure supply chain management

- -New coater/developer Kyushu factory being ramped up well.
- -Production reform is in progress towards Miyagi factory open in 2010.



# Summary

- No major change to full-year business forecasts despite slight weakening of sales in 2nd half. Record-setting performance expected for the current fiscal year ending March 2008.
- SPE business environment: Entering an adjustment period, but DRAM miniaturization investment and NAND Flash investment for capacity up continuing steadily at our major customers. Recovery expected from 2<sup>nd</sup> half of 2008.
- FPD business environment: Orders recovered from Q3, and expecting 40% growth in CY2008 CAPEX.
- TEL targeting even greater growth at peak of next cycle. Entering adjustment period provides good opportunity to take next leap forward, and is a key preparation period. While minimizing increases of fixed costs, strategic R&D investment, and investment to reform production is committed to continue.

