

Business Update for 3Q and 9M 2024

8 November 2024

3Q 2024 performance

Revenue

\$\$689.7 million

Net profit

\$\$60.6 million -4.7% 000

Net margin

8.8%

Group revenue declined sequentially largely due to soft demand in the Life Science, Lifestyle Consumer and Test & Measurement Instrumentation tech domains.

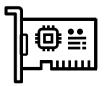
This was partly offset by higher revenue in the Networking & Communications and Semiconductor Related Equipment tech domains as our growth initiatives delivered improved performance.

Net profit declined in line with lower revenue.

The Group maintained a robust net profit margin of 8.8% through our focus on operational efficiency.

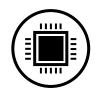


Advancing our growth initiatives



Growing our participation in the AI data center technology domain with market leaders

 Delivering newly designed Network Interface Cards with industry-leading connection speeds



Growing our share in the Semiconductor Related Products technology domain

 Received supplier excellence award from a leading Wafer Fab Equipment Company for Rapid Prototype Materials Performance



New wins in Life Science & Medical technologies

 Won new projects in the Life Science and Medtech domains



R&D in developing advanced technology modules for precision control applications

 Launched advanced Thermoelectric Controllers with our patent pending technology, offering superior features and performance



Strong cash flow and balance sheet

Net cash generated from operating activities

\$\$393.8 million for 9M 2024

Working capital position

Improved by S\$229.7 million

Net cash position as at 30 Sep 2024

S\$1.19 billion

Venture continued to generate strong operating cash flow, demonstrating the strength and resilience of our underlying business.

We drove a strong improvement in working capital position from 31 Dec 2023 to 30 Sep 2024, through proactive management in reducing inventories and optimising trade receivables and payables.

Our net cash position increased by S\$138m from 31 Dec 2023. This was achieved on top of capital allocations for shareholder returns over the year, including dividend payments and share buybacks.



Business outlook

In spite of softer customer demand in 3Q 2024, we expect Group revenue for 2H 2024 to be relatively stable compared to 1H 2024.

Moving forward, the Group continues to see good opportunities on the horizon. These include new design wins and new product introductions for secular growth segments like Life Science and AI data centre related businesses. Additional business from several customers mitigating geopolitical risk is in different stages of implementation. In the Lifestyle Consumer Technology domain, we are developing new innovative products with a key customer to bring the partnership to the next level. In the forthcoming quarters, the Group will be onboarding new customers in selected technology domains.

Venture's financial position continues to strengthen and we are pursuing investment opportunities to augment our growth strategy.



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