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- 3Q 2004 sales reached a quarterly record high of 6.1 tn , up $24.3 \%$ YoY, 1.4\% QoQ.
- Exports up 27.9\% YoY, up 4.8\% QoQ.
- Domestic sales up $12.0 \%$ YoY, down $10.1 \%$ QoQ.

Year on Year
(Unit: KRW bn, US\$ mn)

6,113
1,241
1,108




- Appliance up $\mathbf{1 7 . 5 \%}$ YoY, Display\&Media up $2.7 \%$ YoY, Telecom E\&H up $61.3 \%$ YoY.
- Appliance : Sales increased YoY due to strong exports of LG branded premium products.
- Display \& Media : Maintaining growth, due to the strong exports of PDP and DTV.
- Telecom E\&H: Sales up $61.3 \%$ YoY due to the strong sales growth in North America GSM market and Europe WCDMA market.
(Unit : KRW bn)

|  | Sales | Portion | Growth |  |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | QoQ |  |
| Appliance | 1,411 | $23.1 \%$ | $17.5 \%$ | $-18.0 \%$ |
| Display \& Media | 2,179 | $35.6 \%$ | $2.7 \%$ | $1.8 \%$ |
| Telecom E\&H | 2,467 | $40.4 \%$ | $61.3 \%$ | $15.8 \%$ |
| Handset | 2,285 | $37.4 \%$ | $64.2 \%$ | $18.9 \%$ |

* Like for like comparison.


## | . $3 Q 2004$ Results

Profit

- Operating profit rose $\mathbf{9 2 . 0 \%}$ YoY reaching KRW 355 bn with margin of $5.8 \%$.
- Recurring profit rose $\mathbf{3 7 . 3 \%}$ YoY to KRW 442 bn.
(Unit : KRW bn)

|  | 2004 |  |  |  | 2003 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 3Q | margin | 2Q | margin | 3Q | margin |
| Gross Profit | 1,537 | 25.1\% | 1,508 | 25.0\% | 1,121 | 22.8\% |
| Op. Profit | 355 | 5.8\% | 393 | 6.5\% | 185 | 3.8\% |
| Rec. Profit | 442 | 7.2\% | 672 | 11.2\% | 322 | 6.5\% |
| Net Profit | 304 | 5.0\% | 494 | 8.2\% | 224 | 4.6\% |

## | .3Q 2004 Results

## Non-operating items

- Equity method gains amount to KRW 161 bn, with LG.Philips LCD being the largest contributor.
- Accumulated recurring profit for the three quarters is KRW 1.85 tn , up $\mathbf{2 2 1 \%}$ YoY.



## I . $3 Q 2004$ Results

## Profit by Division

- Appliance : YoY margin improved thanks to the increase in domestic air-conditioner sales and strong exports of washing machines and refrigerator.
- Display \& Media : Profit down due to the falling PDP panel prices and severe competition in optical storage market.
- Telecom E\&H : Profitability improving thanks to the better cost controls and strong exports of WCDMA and GSM handsets.
(Unit: KRW bn)

|  | 2004 |  |  |  | 2003 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 3Q | margin | 2Q | margin | 3Q | margin |
| Appliance | 77 | 5.4\% | 172 | 10.0\% | 49 | 4.1\% |
| Display \& Media | 66 | 3.0\% | 100 | 4.7\% | 77 | 3.6\% |
| Telecom E\&H | 230 | 9.3\% | 138 | 6.5\% | 76 | 4.9\% |
| Handset | 215 | 9.4\% | 123 | 6.4\% | 81 | 5.8\% |

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## | . $3 Q 2004$ Results

## Financial Structure

- Improving financial structure with net debt to equity ratio falling to $69 \%$.

* annualized
- Sales grew $14.1 \%$ YoY to 10.11 tn on a consolidated basis.
- Operating profit decreased $6.0 \%$ YoY to 647.6 bn, recurring profit down $7.6 \%$ YoY to 636.1 bn .



## II. Performance and Outlook by Sector

## Appliance

## 3Q Performance

## * 3Q Sales: Grew 18\% YoY to KRW 1,411.4 bn.

- A surge in domestic air conditioner sales thanks to summer heat wave and strong exports of LG branded premium products led overall growth.
- Domestic sales : Up $17 \%$ YoY.
- Growth Driver: Air Conditioner, Vacuum Cleaner
- Exports: Up 18\% YoY.
- Growth Driver : Washing Machine, Refrigerator, Air Conditioner


## 4Q Outlook

* Overall sales expected to show growth led by premium products export.
- Exports to grow in developed markets such as North America and Europe.
- Domestic sales to focus on seasonal products such as Kimchi refrigerator.


## II. Performance and Outlook by Sector

## Display \& MedFa

## Sales

(Unit: KRW bn)


## 3Q Performance

## * 3Q Sales : Grew 3\% YoY to KRW 2,178.5 bn

- Strong sales of Digital TV / PDP Module led YoY sales growth.
- QoQ sales down due to the slow domestic economy and slower export growth.
- Digital TV : Sales up $53 \%$ YoY (Sales of PDP TV surged $153 \%$ YoY).
- PDP Module : Sales more than doubled YoY.
- PC: Reduce OEM portion ( $90 \% \rightarrow 40 \%$ ) to strengthen brand business.
-Domestic: TV/AV sales declined, while notebook PC and Monitor sales rose.


## 4Q Outlook

* 4Q sales expected to be similar to $3 Q$
- Digital TV: DTV demand expected to rise in 4Q.
- Monitor : Seasonally strong period with LCD portion expected to increase further.


## II. Performance and Outlook by Sector

## Telecom E\&H

## Sales

(Unit: KRW bn)

- Handset

| 2,285 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1,392 | $\text { 64\% } 1$ | 258 | Domestic |
|  |  | 2,027 |  |
| 193 |  |  |  |
|  | 69\% $\uparrow$ |  | Export |
| 1,199 |  |  |  |
| 3Q 2003 |  | 3Q 200 |  |

## 3Q Performance

* Handset : Grew 64\% YoY to KRW 2,285 bn.
- Unit growth increased $55 \%$ reaching 11.8 mn .
- CDMA
- Domestic : Unit sales down 25\% QoQ owing to sluggish demand, but grew $8 \%$ YoY.
- Overseas : Grew 12\% YoY due to the strong sales to North America.
- GSM
- Sales grew $353 \%$ YoY with mainly to North America and expansion of WCDMA market.
* Telecom Equipment: Decreased YoY due to the delay in operator CAPEX.


## 4Q Outlook

* Handset : Expect 13 mn unit in 4Q, up 45\% YoY.
- CDMA
- Domestic : Due to weak economy, unit shipment expected to be similar to 3 Q.
- Overseas : Strong growth in North America market expected.
- GSM
- Slight slowdown in North America expected.
- QoQ increase expected with sales growth in Europe and other regions.


## II. Performance and Outlook by Sector

## LPL / LPD

## LG.Philips LCD

* Sales: KRW 1.88 tn* / Op. Profit: KRW 256 bn*
- Sales up 11.5\% YoY, Operating Profit down 29.9\% YoY.
- Profitability decreased due to panel price declines and increased depreciation from new P6 fab.
- Focus on premium products including TV, large-size monitors.
* Successful launch of mass production in Gen6 (P6)
- 3Q average glass input capacity: 10k/ month
- Product mix subject to change according to the market situation, but expect 30 -inch range TV will be mainstream.
* Panel prices erosion expected to slow in 4Q.
* Based on consolidated Korean GAAP and un-audited and un-reviewed result


## LG.Philips Displays

[^1]- Despite prolonged sluggish domestic economy and concerns over other external factors such as rising oil prices and interest rate hikes in the US, total sales is expected to rise 15\% YoY thanks to the steady growth in handset exports.


## Slow Domestic Economy and External Factors

Oil price boom, Interest rates hike-up in US,
Raw material price boom

Maintain the Steady Growth in Handset Business
and Expand the Portion of Premium Appliances

## 4Q Sales Forecast

## Grow 15\% in 4Q

Secure the strong growth in handset business and increase the export of premium appliances, PDP, and DTV etc.

| Section |  |  | 2003 |  |  |  |  | 2004 |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total |
| Appliance | Sales | Domestic Export | 479 | 584 | 456 | 427 | 1,946 | 387 | 582 | 534 |  | 1,503 |
|  |  |  | 1,169 | 1,013 | 745 | 776 | 3,703 | 1,379 | 1,141 | 877 |  | 3,397 |
|  |  |  | \$970 | \$836 | \$634 | \$658 | \$3,098 | \$1,177 | \$982 | \$760 |  | \$2,919 |
|  |  | Total | 1,648 | 1,597 | 1,201 | 1,203 | 5,649 | 1,766 | 1,722 | 1,411 |  | 4,900 |
|  | Operating Profit |  | 223 | 157 | 49 | 67 | 497 | 210 | 172 | 77 |  | 458 |
| Display \& Media | Sales | Domestic Export | 368 | 309 | 298 | 320 | 1,294 | 368 | 342 | 330 |  | 1,040 |
|  |  |  | 1,681 | 1,639 | 1,824 | 2,016 | 7,160 | 2,028 | 1,798 | 1,849 |  | 5,674 |
|  |  |  | \$1,399 | \$1,354 | \$1,552 | \$1,708 | \$6,013 | \$1,730 | \$1,548 | \$1,601 |  | \$4,879 |
|  |  | Total | 2,049 | 1,947 | 2,122 | 2,335 | 8,454 | 2,396 | 2,140 | 2,179 |  | 6,714 |
|  | Operating Profif |  | 159 | 65 | 77 | 82 | 382 | 147 | 100 | 66 |  | 312 |
| Telecom E\&H | Sales | Domestic Export | 343 | 336 | 298 | 414 | 1,392 | 477 | 422 | 333 |  | 1,232 |
|  |  |  | 939 | 895 | 1,232 | 1,438 | 4,504 | 1,311 | 1,709 | 2,134 |  | 5,154 |
|  |  |  | \$782 | \$739 | \$1,048 | \$1,218 | \$3,787 | \$1,118 | \$1,470 | \$1,848 |  | \$4,436 |
|  |  | Total | 1,283 | 1,231 | 1,530 | 1,852 | 5,895 | 1,789 | 2,130 | 2,467 |  | 6,386 |
|  | Operating Profif |  | 56 | 67 | 76 | 102 | 301 | 56 | 138 | 230 |  | 424 |
| Handset | Sales | Domestic Export | 217 | 181 | 193 | 258 | 849 | 373 | 322 | 258 |  | 954 |
|  |  |  | 886 | 848 | 1,199 | 1,402 | 4,335 | 1,204 | 1,599 | 2,027 |  | 4,830 |
|  |  |  | \$738 | \$700 | \$1,020 | \$1,188 | \$3,646 | \$1,026 | \$1,376 | \$1,755 |  | \$4,157 |
|  |  | Total | 1,103 | 1,029 | 1,392 | 1,660 | 5,184 | 1,577 | 1,922 | 2,285 |  | 5,783 |
|  | Operating Profit |  | 63 | 21 | 81 | 84 | 249 | 49 | 123 | 215 |  | 387 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Company | Sales | Domestic Export | 1,229 | 1,271 | 1,108 | 1,186 | 4,794 | 1,276 | 1,381 | 1,241 |  | 3,899 |
|  |  |  | 3,797 | 3,547 | 3,808 | 4,232 | 15,383 | 4,720 | 4,648 | 4,871 |  | 14,239 |
|  |  |  | \$3,158 | \$2,929 | \$3,240 | \$3,586 | \$12,913 | \$4,027 | \$4,001 | \$4,218 |  | \$12,246 |
|  |  | Total | 5,026 | 4,817 | 4,916 | 5,417 | 20,177 | 5,996 | 6,029 | 6,113 |  | 18,138 |
|  | Gross Profit Operating Profit Recurring Profit Net Profit |  | 1,263 | 1,170 | 1,121 | 1,273 | 4,826 | 1,423 | 1,508 | 1,537 |  | 4,468 |
|  |  |  | 417 | 262 | 185 | 198 | 1,062 | 407 | 393 | 355 |  | 1,155 |
|  |  |  | 198 | 375 | 322 | -58 | 837 | 732 | 672 | 442 |  | 1,846 |
|  |  |  | 189 | 267 | 224 | -17 | 663 | 585 | 494 | 304 |  | 1,383 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Operating Profit margin by Division | ppliance | 13.5\% | 9.8\% | 4.1\% | 5.6\% | 8.8\% | 11.9\% | 10.0\% | 5.4\% |  | 9.4\% |
|  |  | Display \& Mec | 7.8\% | 3.3\% | 3.6\% | 3.5\% | 4.5\% | 6.1\% | 4.7\% | 3.0\% |  | 4.7\% |
|  |  | elecom | 4.4\% | 5.5\% | 4.9\% | 5.5\% | 5.1\% | 3.2\% | 6.5\% | 9.3\% |  | 6.6\% |
|  |  | andsets | 5.7\% | 2.1\% | 5.8\% | 5.1\% | 4.8\% | 3.1\% | 6.4\% | 9.4\% |  | 6.7\% |
|  | Company | GP Margin | 25.1\% | 24.3\% | 22.8\% | 23.5\% | 23.9\% | 23.7\% | 25.0\% | 25.1\% |  | 24.6\% |
|  |  | P Margin | 8.3\% | 5.4\% | 3.8\% | 3.6\% | 5.3\% | 6.8\% | 6.5\% | 5.8\% |  | 6.4\% |
|  |  | P Margin | 3.9\% | 7.8\% | 6.5\% | -1.1\% | 4.1\% | 12.2\% | 11.2\% | 7.2\% |  | 10.2\% |
|  |  | P Profit | 3.8\% | 5.5\% | 4.6\% | -0.3\% | 3.3\% | 9.8\% | 8.2\% | 5.0\% |  | 7.6\% |

## BS/PL by Quarter

Appendix
$\Delta$ Income Statement

|  | 2003 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1Q |  | 2Q |  | 3Q |  | 4Q |  | Total |  |
| Sales | 5,171 | 100\% | 4,673 | 100\% | 4,916 | 100\% | 5,417 | 100\% | 20,177 | 100\% |
| COGS | 3,908 | 75.6\% | 3,503 | 75.0\% | 3,796 | 77.2\% | 4,145 | 76.5\% | 15,351 | 76.1\% |
| Gross Profit | 1,263 | 24.4\% | 1,170 | 25.0\% | 1,121 | 22.8\% | 1,273 | 23.5\% | 4,826 | 23.9\% |
| SG \& A | 846 | 16.4\% | 908 | 19.4\% | 935 | 19.0\% | 1,075 | 19.8\% | 3,764 | 18.7\% |
| Operating Profit | 417 | 8.1\% | 262 | 5.6\% | 185 | 3.8\% | 198 | 3.6\% | 1,062 | 5.3\% |
| Non OP | -219 | -4.2\% | 113 | 2.4\% | 137 | 2.8\% | -255 | -4.7\% | -225 | -1.1\% |
| Recurring Profit | 198 | 3.8\% | 375 | 8.0\% | 322 | 6.5\% | -58 | -1.1\% | 837 | 4.1\% |
| Tax | 9 | 0.2\% | 107 | 2.3\% | 98 | 2.0\% | -40 | -0.7\% | 174 | 0.9\% |
| Net Profit | 189 | 3.7\% | 267 | 5.7\% | 224 | 4.6\% | -17 | -0.3\% | 663 | 3.3\% |

(Unit : KRW bn)

| $\mathbf{2 0 0 4}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $\mathbf{1 Q}$ |  | $\mathbf{2 Q}$ | 3Q |  | Total |  |  |
| $\mathbf{5 , 9 9 6}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{6 , 0 2 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{6 , 1 1 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 8 , 1 3 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ |
| 4,574 | $76.3 \%$ | 4,521 | $75.0 \%$ | 4,576 | $74.9 \%$ | 13,670 | $75.4 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{1 , 4 2 3}$ | $\mathbf{2 3 . 7 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 5 0 8}$ | $\mathbf{2 5 . 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 5 3 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 5 . 1 \%}$ | $\mathbf{4 , 4 6 8}$ | $\mathbf{2 4 . 6 \%}$ |
| 1,016 | $16.9 \%$ | 1,113 | $18.5 \%$ | 1,182 | $19.3 \%$ | 3,310 | $18.2 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{4 0 7}$ | $\mathbf{6 . 8 \%}$ | $\mathbf{3 9 5}$ | $\mathbf{6 . 6 \%}$ | $\mathbf{3 5 5}$ | $\mathbf{5 . 8 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 1 5 8}$ | $\mathbf{6 . 4 \%}$ |
| $\mathbf{3 2 6}$ | $\mathbf{5 . 4 \%}$ | $\mathbf{2 7 8}$ | $\mathbf{4 . 6 \%}$ | $\mathbf{8 6}$ | $\mathbf{1 . 4 \%}$ | $\mathbf{6 9 0}$ | $\mathbf{3 . 8 \%}$ |
| $\mathbf{7 3 2}$ | $\mathbf{1 2 . 2 \%}$ | $\mathbf{6 7 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 1 . 2 \%}$ | $\mathbf{4 4 2}$ | $\mathbf{7 . 2 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 8 4 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 . 2 \%}$ |
| 148 | $2.5 \%$ | 179 | $3.0 \%$ | 137 | $2.2 \%$ | 464 | $2.6 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{5 8 5}$ | $\mathbf{9 . 8 \%}$ | $\mathbf{4 9 4}$ | $\mathbf{8 . 2 \%}$ | $\mathbf{3 0 4}$ | $\mathbf{5 . 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 3 8 4}$ | $\mathbf{7 . 6 \%}$ |

$\checkmark$ Balance Sheet

|  |  | 2003 |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
|  |  | $1 Q$ | $2 Q$ | $3 Q$ |  |
| Asset | 11,091 | 10,459 | 11,036 | 11,277 |  |
| Current Asset | 3,885 | 3,039 | 3,488 | 3,773 |  |
| Fixed Asset | 7,206 | 7,420 | 7,548 | 7,505 |  |
| Investment | 3,386 | 3,544 | 3,654 | 3,546 |  |
|  | 2,898 | 2,959 | 3,026 | 3,123 |  |
| PP\&E | 921 | 917 | 868 | 836 |  |
| Intangible | 8,026 | 7,098 | 7,485 | 7,773 |  |
| Liabilities | 5,675 | 4,652 | 4,697 | 5,091 |  |
| Current Liabilities | 2,350 | 2,446 | 2,789 | 2,682 |  |
| Fixed Liablilties | 3,065 | 3,361 | 3,551 | 3,505 |  |
| Capital | 784 | 784 | 784 | 784 |  |
| Capital | 1,876 | 1,876 | 1,892 | 1,892 |  |
| Capital Surplus | 303 | 570 | 794 | 766 |  |
| Retained Earning | 102 | 130 | 80 | 63 |  |
| Capital Adjustment |  |  |  |  |  |

(Unit : KRW bn)

| 2004 |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $1 Q$ | $2 Q$ | $3 Q$ |
| 12,053 | 13,061 | 13,581 |
| 4,062 | 4,718 | 4,530 |
| 7,991 | 8,343 | 9,051 |
| 4,005 | 4,165 | 4,857 |
| 3,195 | 3,425 | 3,490 |
| 791 | 752 | 704 |
| 8,192 | 8,635 | 8,651 |
| 5,294 | 5,104 | 5,060 |
| 2,898 | 3,531 | 3,592 |
| 3,861 | 4,426 | 4,930 |
| 784 | 784 | 784 |
| 1,892 | 1,908 | 1,908 |
| 1,149 | 1,647 | 1,896 |
| 36 | 87 | 342 |


http://www.Ige.com


[^0]:    * Like for like comparison.

[^1]:    * Excluding restructuring costs

