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Asia AI Summit 2026 Feedback

- 2Q GM to see pressure, but expect improvements in 2H:** 2Q GM will still see some pressure because the price of plastics started to rise only in March, with a full quarter of reflection in 2Q, but GM will kick in from 2H, so expect to see margin improvements in 2H. AMD's Venice Socket is expected to ramp from 2H26, while Intel's OakStream is expected to ramp in CY27.
- Desktop seeing some deterioration vs beginning of year:** Expects desktop to fall 10-15% y/y in CY26 (vs down 5-10% y/y at beginning of year).
- Server demand remains robust:** Expects CY26 volumes to grow 15-20% y/y, and preliminary forecast also points to +15% y/y in CY27.
- ARM-based CPU to use socket?** Currently only Ampere and Microsoft use CPU socket. Lotes continues to engage in discussions with other CSPs, but there is no confirmation that CPU socket will be adopted.
- SOCAMM production to kick off in 2H,** starting from 3Q.
- Two NPO opportunities currently,** one through LINTES (with Lotes being its outsourcing partner), and one through Lotes directly. But there is no further details provided vs [1Q earnings call](#).

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Greater China Technology Hardware Taiwan				
Stock Rating	Equal-weight			
Industry View	In-Line			
Price target	NT\$2,350.00			
Up/downside to price target (%)	(5)			
Shr price, close (May 28, 2026)	NT\$2,485.00			
52-Week Range	NT\$2,955.00-1,140.00			
Sh out, dil, curr (mn)	105			
Mkt cap, curr (mn)	NT\$260,389			
EV, curr (mn)	NT\$247,153			
Avg daily trading value (mn)	NT\$2,079			
Fiscal Year Ending	12/25	12/26e	12/27e	12/28e
EPS (NT\$)**	70.18	94.03	116.81	144.67
Prior EPS (NT\$)**	-	-	-	-
EPS (NT\$)§	68.94	96.70	128.88	157.74
Revenue, net (NT\$ mn)	33,783	41,507	48,413	57,189
EBITDA (NT\$ mn)	12,955	15,582	18,798	22,583
ModelWare net inc (NT \$ mn)	7,866	10,539	13,092	16,215
P/E	18.5	26.4	21.3	17.2
P/BV	3.6	5.9	5.1	4.3
RNOA (%)	37.7	38.2	46.7	55.7
ROE (%)	20.7	26.1	27.9	29.6
EV/EBITDA	10.2	15.5	12.5	10.0
Div yld (%)	3.3	1.4	1.9	2.3
FCF yld ratio (%)**	2.1	3.5	4.3	5.2
Leverage (EOP) (%)	(32.8)	(40.1)	(46.6)	(51.8)

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Lotes Co. Ltd. (3533.TW)

Primary - Residual Income

Base case, residual income model. Key assumptions include a cost of equity of 9.6% (beta of 1.0, equity risk premium of 8.7% and risk-free rate of 1.0%), a medium-term growth rate of 12.5%, and a terminal growth rate of 3%.

Risks to Upside

- Stronger-than-expected growth in the server business, such as from cloud and enterprise in China
- Stronger-than-expected DT demand
- Sooner-than-expected inventory digestion of NB
- Faster ramp-up of its EV business

Risks to Downside

- Further deceleration of server demand from US hyperscalers
- Weaker-than-expected DT demand
- Slower-than-expected inventory digestion of NB
- More severe pricing erosion driven by competition

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Not-Rated/Hold	4	0%	0	0%	0%	1	0%
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Total	3,673		909			1627	

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INDUSTRY COVERAGE: Greater China Technology Hardware

COMPANY (TICKER)	RATING (AS OF)	PRICE* (05/28/2026)
Andy Meng, CFA		
AAC Technologies Holdings (2018.HK)	O (01/29/2024)	HK\$43.86
Accelink Technologies Co. Ltd. (002281.SZ)	U (05/12/2022)	Rmb214.90
BYD Electronics (0285.HK)	O (04/28/2023)	HK\$29.80
China TransInfo Technology Co Ltd (002373.SZ)	E (07/18/2023)	Rmb8.30
Dahua Technology Co. Ltd. (002236.SZ)	E (12/12/2024)	Rmb17.31
Eoptolink Technology Inc Ltd (300502.SZ)	O (02/27/2026)	Rmb718.34
Genius Electronic Optical Co. Ltd. (3406.TW)	E (04/23/2025)	NT\$572.00
Gosuncn Technology Group Co Ltd (300098.SZ)	U (11/07/2022)	Rmb5.67
HIKVision Digital Technology (002415.SZ)	E (12/12/2024)	Rmb30.76
Largan Precision (3008.TW)	E (10/17/2025)	NT\$3,425.00
LianChuang Electronic Technology Co Ltd (002036.SZ)	U (06/12/2024)	Rmb9.78
OFILM Group Co Ltd (002456.SZ)	U (06/12/2024)	Rmb9.62
Q Technology (Group) Company Ltd (1478.HK)	U (03/23/2026)	HK\$9.26
Quectel Wireless Solutions Co Ltd (603236.SS)	E (10/09/2024)	Rmb77.77
Shanghai Conant Optical Co Ltd (2276.HK)	O (04/10/2026)	HK\$44.52
Shenzhen Transsion Holdings Co Ltd (688036.SS)	E (03/23/2026)	Rmb60.73
Sunny Optical (2382.HK)	E (03/23/2026)	HK\$73.65
Suzhou TFC Optical Communication Co Ltd. (300394.SZ)	E (11/06/2025)	Rmb447.56
Wingtech Technology Co Ltd (600745.SS)	U (05/18/2026)	Rmb19.69
Xiaomi Corp (1810.HK)	O (04/14/2021)	HK\$28.56
Yangtze Optical Fibre and Cable JSC Ltd (601869.SS)	U (10/13/2021)	Rmb370.55
Yangtze Optical Fibre and Cable JSC Ltd (6869.HK)	E (04/20/2023)	HK\$209.80
Yongxin Optics Co Ltd (603297.SS)	E (11/15/2022)	Rmb140.32
Zhejiang Crystal-Optech Co Ltd (002273.SZ)	O (11/15/2022)	Rmb43.73
Zhongji Innolight Co Ltd (300308.SZ)	++	Rmb1,197.99
ZTE Corporation (0763.HK)	E (03/11/2024)	HK\$27.82

ZTE Corporation (000063.SZ)	U (07/02/2021)	Rmb38.30
Derrick Yang		
Accton Technology Corporation (2345.TW)	O (06/06/2024)	NT\$2,435.00
Advantech (2395.TW)	O (01/20/2021)	NT\$490.50
AirTAC International (1590.TW)	O (04/16/2025)	NT\$1,390.00
AU Optronics (2409.TW)	E (02/10/2026)	NT\$21.20
Bizlink (3665.TW)	O (03/10/2025)	NT\$2,115.00
BOE Technology (000725.SZ)	O (09/06/2019)	Rmb5.68
Chenbro (8210.TW)	O (07/23/2025)	NT\$1,325.00
Chroma Ate Inc. (2360.TW)	O (10/05/2021)	NT\$2,570.00
E Ink Holdings Inc. (8069.TWO)	O (05/11/2026)	NT\$233.00
Ennostar Inc (3714.TW)	U (09/23/2022)	NT\$72.70
Hiwin Technologies Corp. (2049.TW)	O (03/30/2026)	NT\$388.00
Innolux (3481.TW)	E (04/07/2025)	NT\$46.40
King Slide Works Co. Ltd. (2059.TW)	O (11/08/2023)	NT\$4,700.00
Lens Technology (300433.SZ)	E (07/22/2020)	Rmb40.23
Radiant Opto-Electronics Corporation (6176.TW)	E (03/01/2024)	NT\$102.00
Sanan Optoelectronics (600703.SS)	U (08/21/2023)	Rmb16.85
TCL Corp. (000100.SZ)	E (04/07/2025)	Rmb4.59
Tianma Microelectronics (000050.SZ)	U (01/24/2018)	Rmb8.18
Wuhan Jingce Electronic Group Co Ltd (300567.SZ)	E (11/26/2021)	Rmb210.40
Howard Kao		
Acer Inc. (2353.TW)	U (04/23/2025)	NT\$32.00
Asustek Computer Inc. (2357.TW)	U (11/16/2025)	NT\$692.00
Compal Electronics (2324.TW)	U (04/23/2025)	NT\$33.50
FIT Hon Teng Ltd (6088.HK)	O (11/03/2025)	HK\$9.22
Giga-Byte Technology Co. Ltd. (2376.TW)	E (11/16/2025)	NT\$337.50
Gold Circuit Electronics Ltd. (2368.TW)	O (10/06/2022)	NT\$1,305.00
Inspur Electronic Information (000977.SZ)	E (08/28/2023)	Rmb66.41
Lenovo (0992.HK)	E (11/16/2025)	HK\$19.68
Lotes Co. Ltd. (3533.TW)	E (05/12/2025)	NT\$2,485.00
Nan Ya PCB (8046.TW)	O (02/23/2026)	NT\$850.00
Pegatron Corporation (4938.TW)	E (03/25/2026)	NT\$83.40
Quanta Computer Inc. (2382.TW)	O (05/01/2023)	NT\$308.50
Shengyi Technology Co Ltd. (600183.SS)	E (05/26/2022)	Rmb135.64
Shennan Circuits Co Ltd (002916.SZ)	E (08/24/2023)	Rmb398.28
Unimicron (3037.TW)	O (02/23/2026)	NT\$1,025.00
Wistron Corporation (3231.TW)	O (07/12/2023)	NT\$144.50
Wiwynn Corp (6669.TW)	O (11/10/2025)	NT\$4,950.00
Yageo Corp. (2327.TW)	O (10/28/2025)	NT\$742.00
Zhen Ding (4958.TW)	O (05/18/2026)	NT\$486.00
Sharon Shih		
Asia Vital Components Co. Ltd. (3017.TW)	O (07/30/2024)	NT\$2,580.00
Auras Technology Co Ltd (3324.TWO)	E (05/04/2023)	NT\$1,005.00
Catcher Technology (2474.TW)	U (11/17/2025)	NT\$190.50
Delta Electronics Inc. (2308.TW)	O (07/13/2017)	NT\$2,390.00
Fositek Corp (6805.TW)	O (06/25/2025)	NT\$1,765.00
Foxconn Industrial Internet Co. Ltd. (601138.SS)	O (07/10/2019)	Rmb75.00
Foxconn Technology (2354.TW)	U (04/23/2025)	NT\$58.30
GoerTek Inc (002241.SZ)	U (04/23/2025)	Rmb28.40
Hon Hai Precision (2317.TW)	O (03/15/2024)	NT\$263.00
LandMark Optoelectronics Corporation (3081.TWO)	E (03/26/2026)	NT\$2,650.00
Lingyi Itech Guangdong Co (002600.SZ)	U (04/23/2025)	Rmb15.95
Lite-On Technology (2301.TW)	E (01/15/2025)	NT\$230.50
Luxshare Precision Industry Co., Ltd. (002475.SZ)	O (10/24/2016)	Rmb72.80

Sunonwealth Electric Machine Industry Co (2421.TW)	E (02/23/2024)	NT\$156.50
Tong Hsing (6271.TW)	E (03/18/2019)	NT\$244.50
Visual Photonics Epitaxy Co Ltd (2455.TW)	E (09/11/2023)	NT\$391.50

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