

ABIT COMPUTER CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003 AND 2002

AND

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

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Independent Auditors' Report

The Board of Directors

ABIT Computer Corporation:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of ABIT Computer Corporation and subsidiaries as of December 31, 2003 and 2002(restated), and the related consolidated statements of operations, changes in stockholders' equity, and cash flows for the years then ended. These consolidated financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audits. As of December 31, 2003 and 2002(restated), long-term equity investments amounting to NT\$2,781,702 thousand and NT\$1,006,402 thousand, respectively, and related equity in net losses amounting to (NT\$376,670) thousand and (NT\$554,616) thousand in 2003 and 2002, respectively, were based on financial statements that were not audited by us. In addition, we did not audit the financial statements of Treasure World Holdings Inc., which statements reflect total assets amounting to NT\$7,557,256 thousand and NT\$4,243,083 thousand, constituting 47% and 38% of the related consolidated totals, and total revenues amounting to NT\$14,949,102 thousand and NT\$12,913,822 thousand, constituting 57% and 67% of the related consolidated totals, in 2003 and 2002, respectively. Those statements were audited by other auditors whose reports have been furnished to us, and our opinion, insofar as it relates to the amounts included for the aforementioned affiliates and subsidiaries, is based solely on the reports of the other auditors.

We conducted our audits in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and the "Rules Governing Auditing and Certification of Financial Statements by Certified Public Accountants" of the Republic of China. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits and the reports of other auditors provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, based on our audits and the reports of other auditors, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of ABIT Computer Corporation and subsidiaries as of December 31, 2003 and 2002(restated), and the results of their operations and their cash flows for the years then ended, in conformity with the “Guidelines Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers” and generally accepted accounting principles of the Republic of China.

As discussed in note 2(1)(b) to the consolidated financial statements, the entities consolidated in 2003 were different from previous years, and accordingly, the Company restated the 2002 consolidated financial statements to conform with the 2003 financial statements.

Taipei, Taiwan, R. O. C.
March 16, 2004,

The accompanying financial statements are intended only to present the financial position, results of operation and cash flows in accordance with the accounting principles and practices generally accepted in the Republic of China and not those of any other jurisdictions. The standards, procedures, and practices to audit such financial statements are those generally accepted and applied in the Republic of China.

ABIT COMPUTER CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS
DECEMBER 31, 2003 AND 2002 (RESTATED)
(expressed in thousands of New Taiwan dollars)

| ASSETS | 2003 | | 2002(Restated) | | LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY | 2003 | | 2002(Restated) | |
|---|----------------------|------------|-------------------|------------|---|----------------------|------------|-------------------|------------|
| | Amount | % | Amount | % | | Amount | % | Amount | % |
| Current assets | | | | | Current liabilities | | | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents (Note 3) | \$ 1,783,396 | 11 | 588,535 | 5 | Short-term borrowings (Note 10) | \$ 1,560,287 | 10 | 1,900,220 | 17 |
| Short-term investments, net (Note 4) | 1,237,275 | 8 | - | - | Short-term notes payable (Note 11) | 45,959 | - | 145,815 | 1 |
| Notes receivable (Note 5) | - | - | - | - | Notes payable | 6,397 | - | 99,568 | 1 |
| Accounts receivable, net (Notes 5 and 22) | 2,790,037 | 17 | 1,256,898 | 11 | Accounts payable | 1,169,753 | 7 | 136,465 | 1 |
| Accounts receivable-related-party (Note 21) | 421,663 | 3 | 479,311 | 4 | Accounts payable-related-party (Note 21) | 88,367 | 1 | 16,310 | - |
| Other receivables-related-party (Note 21) | 472,901 | 3 | 206,448 | 2 | Accrued expenses | 167,311 | 1 | 106,661 | 1 |
| Inventories, net (Note 6) | 129,835 | 1 | 238,756 | 2 | Current portion of long-term debt (Note 12) | 233,394 | 2 | 111,692 | 1 |
| Other current assets | 317,706 | 2 | 383,285 | 4 | Other current liabilities (Note 21) | 194,993 | 1 | 157,895 | 2 |
| Restricted assets (Note 22) | 229,189 | 1 | 1,150,780 | 10 | | <u>3,466,461</u> | <u>22</u> | <u>2,674,626</u> | <u>24</u> |
| | <u>7,382,002</u> | <u>46</u> | <u>4,304,013</u> | <u>38</u> | | | | | |
| Long-term investments (Note 7) | | | | | Long-term liabilities | | | | |
| Long-term equity investments | 2,805,195 | 18 | 1,042,564 | 9 | Corporate bonds payable (Note 13) | 2,584,280 | 16 | 153,603 | 1 |
| Other long-term investments | 1,939,356 | 12 | 1,981,876 | 18 | Long-term debt (Note 12) | 1,534,227 | 10 | 1,768,546 | 16 |
| | <u>4,744,551</u> | <u>30</u> | <u>3,024,440</u> | <u>27</u> | | <u>4,118,507</u> | <u>26</u> | <u>1,922,149</u> | <u>17</u> |
| Property, plant, and equipment (Notes 8 and 22) | | | | | Other liabilities | | | | |
| Land | 1,070,857 | 7 | 1,149,075 | 11 | Accrued pension liabilities (Note 14) | 13,099 | - | 8,284 | - |
| Buildings | 658,695 | 4 | 651,701 | 6 | Other liabilities – others | 56,739 | - | 19,862 | - |
| Machinery | 20,491 | - | 33,987 | - | Minority interest | 124,585 | 1 | 106,980 | 1 |
| Computer equipment | 45,062 | - | 50,911 | 1 | | <u>194,423</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>135,126</u> | <u>1</u> |
| Transportation equipment | 6,266 | - | 12,892 | - | Total liabilities | <u>7,779,391</u> | <u>49</u> | <u>4,731,901</u> | <u>42</u> |
| Furniture and office equipment | 34,668 | - | 37,284 | - | Stockholders' equity | | | | |
| Leased assets | 84,758 | 1 | - | - | Capital stock (Note 16) | 5,727,296 | 36 | 4,967,076 | 44 |
| Leasehold improvements | 6,010 | - | - | - | Capital surplus (Note 17) | 1,252,058 | 8 | 2,256,844 | 20 |
| Other equipment | 367 | - | 6,523 | - | Retained earnings (Note 18) | | | | |
| Less: Accumulated depreciation | (104,121) | (1) | (81,750) | (1) | Legal reserve | - | - | 200,878 | 2 |
| | <u>1,823,053</u> | <u>11</u> | <u>1,860,623</u> | <u>17</u> | Undistributed earnings | 1,193,275 | 7 | (1,085,541) | (10) |
| Intangible assets | | | | | Cumulative translation adjustments | 43,331 | - | 167,906 | 2 |
| Deferred debits (Note 9) | 1,325,482 | 8 | 1,424,631 | 13 | Total stockholders' equity | <u>8,215,960</u> | <u>51</u> | <u>6,507,163</u> | <u>58</u> |
| Patents | 96,672 | 1 | - | - | Major commitments and contingencies (Note 23) | | | | |
| | <u>1,422,154</u> | <u>9</u> | <u>1,424,631</u> | <u>13</u> | | | | | |
| Other assets | | | | | TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY | <u>\$ 15,995,351</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>11,239,064</u> | <u>100</u> |
| Idled Assets (Note 22) | 158,018 | 1 | 190,172 | 2 | | | | | |
| Assets rented out (Note 22) | 408,640 | 3 | 393,933 | 3 | | | | | |
| Other assets-other (Notes 22) | 56,933 | - | 41,252 | - | | | | | |
| | <u>623,591</u> | <u>4</u> | <u>625,357</u> | <u>5</u> | | | | | |
| TOTAL ASSETS | \$ 15,995,351 | 100 | 11,239,064 | 100 | | | | | |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

ABIT COMPUTER CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003 AND 2002 (RESTATED)
(expressed in thousands of New Taiwan dollars expected for share data)

| | 2003 | | 2002(Restated) | |
|--|---------------------|------------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| | <u>Amount</u> | <u>%</u> | <u>Amount</u> | <u>%</u> |
| Operating revenue | | | | |
| Gross sales | \$ 26,482,935 | 100 | 19,287,196 | 100 |
| Less: Sales returns | (14,736) | - | (45,767) | - |
| Sales allowances | (19,667) | - | (49,034) | - |
| Net sales | <u>26,448,532</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>19,192,395</u> | <u>100</u> |
| Operating costs | (23,913,307) | (90) | (18,484,065) | (96) |
| Gross profit | 2,535,225 | 10 | 708,330 | 4 |
| Unrealized inter-company gain | (53,855) | - | (18,526) | - |
| Realized inter-company gain | 18,526 | - | 52,636 | - |
| | <u>2,499,896</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>742,440</u> | <u>4</u> |
| Operating expenses | | | | |
| Selling expenses | (196,455) | (1) | (295,473) | (2) |
| Administrative expenses | (546,113) | (2) | (562,604) | (3) |
| Research and development expenses | (167,781) | (1) | (217,220) | (1) |
| | <u>(910,349)</u> | <u>(4)</u> | <u>(1,075,297)</u> | <u>(6)</u> |
| Operating income | <u>1,589,547</u> | <u>6</u> | <u>(332,857)</u> | <u>(2)</u> |
| Non-operating income | | | | |
| Interest income | 126,473 | 1 | 17,210 | - |
| Gain on disposal of property, plant, and equipment | 682 | - | - | - |
| Rent revenue | 27,968 | - | - | - |
| Exchange gain | - | - | 544 | - |
| Commission income | 49,367 | - | 50,390 | - |
| Gain on inventory market recovery | 45,630 | - | - | - |
| Miscellaneous income | 51,193 | - | 166,971 | 1 |
| | <u>301,313</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>235,115</u> | <u>1</u> |
| Non-operating expenses | | | | |
| Interest expense | (158,855) | (1) | (186,956) | (1) |
| Loss on investments | (382,003) | (1) | (562,973) | (3) |
| Losses on physical inventory | (144) | - | - | - |
| Loss on disposal of property, plant, and equipment | (6,700) | - | (3,908) | - |
| Loss on disposal of investment | (2,872) | - | (28,427) | - |
| Exchange loss | (110,427) | - | - | - |
| Inventory market decline and obsolescence | - | - | (54,000) | - |
| Miscellaneous expenses | (6,356) | - | (86,079) | - |
| | <u>(667,357)</u> | <u>(2)</u> | <u>(922,343)</u> | <u>(4)</u> |
| Income (loss) before income tax | 1,223,503 | 5 | (1,020,085) | (5) |
| Income tax benefit (expense) (Note15) | (6,614) | - | (7,246) | - |
| Gain (loss) before purchase | - | - | (75,408) | (1) |
| Minority interest net income | (23,614) | - | (6,383) | - |
| Net income (loss) | <u>\$ 1,193,275</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>(1,109,122)</u> | <u>(6)</u> |
| | <u>Before tax</u> | <u>After tax</u> | <u>Before tax</u> | <u>After tax</u> |
| Earnings per share (Note19) | | | | |
| Basic earnings per share | <u>\$ 2.23</u> | <u>2.24</u> | <u>(2.67)</u> | <u>(2.73)</u> |
| Diluted earnings per share | <u>\$ 2.07</u> | <u>2.07</u> | <u>(2.67)</u> | <u>(2.73)</u> |

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ABIT COMPUTER CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003 AND 2002 (RESTATED)
(expressed in thousands of New Taiwan dollars)

| | Capital Stock | Entitlement Certificates | Capital Surplus | Retained Earnings | | Cumulative Translation Adjustments | Total |
|--|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------|
| | | | | Legal Reserve | Undistributed Earnings | | |
| 2002 | | | | | | | |
| Balance-January 1, 2002 | \$ 3,031,389 | 5,801 | 1,665,551 | 136,270 | 705,315 | 180,828 | 5,725,154 |
| Capital increase in cash | 1,222,220 | - | 733,332 | - | - | - | 1,955,552 |
| 2001 Earnings appropriation: | | | | | | | |
| Legal reserve | - | - | - | 64,608 (| 64,608) | - | - |
| Employees bonus | 49,383 | - | - | - | (49,394) | - | (11) |
| Compensation to directors and supervisors | - | - | - | - | (12,348) | - | (12,348) |
| Cash dividends | - | - | - | - | (85,500) | - | (85,500) |
| Capitalization of retained earnings | 470,178 | - | - | - | (470,178) | - | - |
| Capitalization of capital surplus | 170,974 | - | (170,974) | - | - | - | - |
| Corporate bonds converted into common stock | 22,932 (| 5,801) | 23,159 | - | - | - | 40,290 |
| Gain from disposal of fixed assets transferred to retained earnings | - | - | (294) | - | 294 | - | - |
| Net loss for 2002 | - | - | - | - | (1,109,122) | - | (1,109,122) |
| Cumulative translation adjustments | - | - | - | - | - | (12,922) | (12,922) |
| Increase in capital surplus due to subscription to new shares of invested companies by subsidiaries not in proportion to ownership | - | - | 6,070 | - | - | - | 6,070 |
| Balance-December 31, 2002 | 4,967,076 | - | 2,256,844 | 200,878 (| 1,085,541) | 167,906 | 6,507,163 |
| 2003 | | | | | | | |
| Legal reserve used to offset losses | - | - | - | (200,878) | 200,878 | - | - |
| Capital surplus used to offset losses | - | - | (884,663) | - | 884,663 | - | - |
| Corporate bonds converted into common stock | 760,220 | - | (122,617) | - | - | - | 637,603 |
| Net income for 2003 | - | - | - | - | 1,193,275 | - | 1,193,275 |
| Cumulative translation adjustments | - | - | - | - | - | (124,575) | (124,575) |
| Increase in capital surplus due to subscription to new shares of investee companies by subsidiaries not in proportion to ownership | - | - | 2,494 | - | - | - | 2,494 |
| Balance-December 31, 2003 | <u>\$ 5,727,296</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>1,252,058</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>1,193,275</u> | <u>43,331</u> | <u>8,215,960</u> |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

ABIT COMPUTER CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003 AND 2002 (RESTATED)
(expressed in thousands of New Taiwan dollars)

| | 2003 | 2002(Restated) |
|---|---------------|-----------------------|
| | Amount | Amount |
| Cash flows from operating activities: | | |
| Net income (loss) | \$ 1,193,275 | (1,109,122) |
| Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities: | | |
| Depreciation | 47,904 | 65,491 |
| Unrealized (realized) gross profit from sales | 35,329 | (34,110) |
| Reversal of provision for doubtful accounts | - | (2,000) |
| Loss (gain) on inventory market recovery | (45,630) | 54,000 |
| Losses on idle asset valuation loss | - | 22,000 |
| Loss (gain) on long-term investments | 382,003 | 562,973 |
| Loss on disposal of fixed assets | 6,018 | 3,908 |
| Loss on disposal of investments | 2,872 | 28,427 |
| Amortization | 123,562 | 97,613 |
| Amortization of issuance cost of corporate bonds | 11,391 | - |
| Interest provision for redemption of convertible bonds | 153 | 10,491 |
| Changes in: | | |
| Notes receivable | - | 1,104 |
| Accounts receivable | (1,550,154) | 1,456,551 |
| Receivables-related party | 57,570 | 296,518 |
| Other receivables-related party | (266,453) | (206,448) |
| Inventories | 152,451 | 762,206 |
| Other current assets | 60,590 | (89,620) |
| Other assets | (4,517) | 222 |
| Notes payable | (93,171) | (425,347) |
| Accounts payable | 1,041,058 | (1,440,235) |
| Accounts payable-related-party | 73,090 | 8,013 |
| Accrued expenses | 61,903 | (62,728) |
| Other current liabilities | 37,112 | 31,955 |
| Accrued pension liabilities | 4,815 | (479) |
| Other liabilities-other | - | (15,824) |
| Net cash provided by operating activities | 1,331,171 | 15,559 |
| Cash flows from investing activities: | | |
| Restricted assets | 874,839 | (763,810) |
| Purchase of property, plant, and equipment | (8,050) | (240,465) |
| Proceeds from sale of property, plant, and equipment | 6,930 | 155,869 |
| Increase in deferred charges and issuance cost of corporate bonds | (46,021) | - |
| Increase in long-term equity investments | (2,208,986) | (1,382,986) |
| Decrease (increase) in short-term investments | (1,193,633) | 1,406 |
| Minority interest equity ownership | 23,614 | (176,237) |
| Increase in Unamortization expense | - | (48,212) |
| Decrease in deferred assets | 197 | - |
| Increase in patents | (102,885) | - |
| Decrease (increase) in guarantee deposits paid | (64) | 2,939 |
| Net cash used in investing activities | (2,654,059) | (2,451,496) |

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ABIT COMPUTER CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (CONY'D)
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003 AND 2002 (RESTATED)
(expressed in thousands of New Taiwan dollars)

| | <u>2003</u> | <u>2002(Restated)</u> |
|---|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| | <u>Amount</u> | <u>Amount</u> |
| Cash flows from financing activities: | | |
| Increase (decrease) in short-term borrowings | (337,221) | 54,732 |
| Increase in commercial paper | (99,856) | (198,721) |
| Increase in long-term debt | - | 95,000 |
| Repayment of long-term debt | (112,617) | (132,447) |
| Increase in corporate bonds | 3,142,625 | - |
| Purchase of corporate bonds | (74,500) | - |
| Increase in guarantee deposits received | 1,548 | - |
| Distribution of cash dividends | - | (85,500) |
| Employee bonuses | - | (11) |
| Compensation to directors and supervisor | - | (12,348) |
| Capital increase in cash | - | 1,955,552 |
| Net cash provided by financing activities | <u>2,519,979</u> | <u>1,676,257</u> |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | 1,197,091 | (759,680) |
| Exchange rate influence | (2,230) | (957) |
| Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of the period | 588,535 | 1,349,172 |
| Cash and cash equivalents, end of the period | <u><u>\$ 1,783,396</u></u> | <u><u>588,535</u></u> |
| Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information: | | |
| Interest paid in the period | <u>\$ 164,957</u> | <u>174,901</u> |
| Income taxes paid in the period | <u>\$ 4,877</u> | <u>30,928</u> |
| Investing and financing activities with no effects on cash flows: | | |
| Sales of long-term investment | <u>\$ -</u> | <u>89,314</u> |
| Current portion of long-term debt | <u>233,394</u> | <u>111,692</u> |
| Capitalization of employee bonus | <u>\$ -</u> | <u>49,383</u> |
| Convertible bonds converted into common stock | <u>\$ 637,603</u> | <u>40,290</u> |
| Corporate bond interest payable | <u>\$ 153</u> | <u>10,491</u> |
| Property, plant, and equipment transferred to idle assets | <u>\$ -</u> | <u>190,172</u> |
| Property, plant, and equipment transferred to leased assets | <u>\$ -</u> | <u>393,933</u> |
| Leased assets transferred be property, plant, and equipment | <u>\$ 13,313</u> | <u>-</u> |
| Idle assets transferred to leased assets | <u>\$ 31,256</u> | <u>-</u> |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

ABIT COMPUTER CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES
NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
For the years ended December 31, 2003 AND 2002 (RESTATED)
(Expressed in thousands of New Taiwan dollars unless otherwise stated)

1. Organization and Business

The shares of the Company are listed on the Taiwan Securities Exchange.

ABIT Computer Corporation (the “Company”) was established on September 25, 1989 with primary business scope as follows:

- (1) Design, production, processing, and trading of computers and peripherals.
- (2) Design, production, processing, and trading of monitors, interface cards, motherboards, keyboards, printers, P.C. servers, and parts and components.
- (3) Imports and exports of related products, except for futures.
- (4) Bidding and quotation for domestic and foreign products.

For the year ended December 31, 2003, the average number of employees was 248.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The Company’s financial statements were prepared in accordance with the “Standards Governing the Compilation of Financial Statements Reports by Securities Issuers” and generally accepted accounting principles of the Republic of China. A summary of significant accounting policies is as follows:

- (1) Basis for Consolidation of Financial Statements

ABIT COMPUTER CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES
NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONT'D)

(a) Subsidiaries included in the consolidated financial statements:

| Company Name | Date | Relationship with the Company | Business Scope | Ownership | |
|--|-------------|---|----------------|------------|------------|
| | | | | 12.31.2003 | 12.31.2002 |
| ABIT COMPUTER (U.S.A.) CORPORATION | 12.24. 1996 | Direct ownership of voting shares exceeding 50% | Business | 100% | 100% |
| AMOR COMPUTER B.V. | 06.27. 1996 | " | " | 100% | 100% |
| ABIT COMPUTER (U.K.) CORPORATION LTD. | 09.16. 1997 | " | " | 100% | 100% |
| ABIT COMPUTER (H.K.) COMPANY LTD. | 10.03. 1997 | " | " | 100% | 100% |
| TREASURE WORLD HOLDINGS INC. | 03.04. 1998 | " | Investment | 100% | 100% |
| ABIT INVESTMENT HOLDING LTD. | 10.16. 2000 | " | " | 100% | 100% |
| WELLTOP BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT INC. | 02.06. 2001 | " | " | 100% | 100% |
| ABIT COMPUTER (SINGAPORE) PRIVATE LIMITED | 09.05. 2001 | " | Business | 100% | 100% |
| TIMERWELL TECHNOLOGY HOLDINGS LTD. | 03.01. 1998 | Indirect ownership of voting shares exceeding 50% | Investment | 98.13% | 97.44% |
| ABIT COMPUTER TRADING (SHANGHAI) CO., LTD. | 03.21. 2001 | " | Business | 100% | 100% |
| SUNLIGHT INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION | 02.06. 2001 | " | Investment | 100% | 100% |
| ABIT COMPUTER FRANCE SARL | 11.07. 2002 | " | Business | 100% | 100% |

(b) Affiliates included in the consolidated financial statements:

| Name of Affiliate | Date of Establishment | Relationship with the Company | Business scope | Ownership |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|---|----------------|-----------|
| TREASURE WORLD HOLDINGS INC. | 03.04. 1998 | Direct ownership of voting shares exceeding 50% | Investment | 100 % |

In 2002, AMOR COMPUTER B.V. and ABIT COMPUTER (U.S.A.) CORPORATION met the criterion for consolidation but total assets and operating revenues were less than 10% of the respective accounts of the parent company for 2003, and therefore, their accounts were not consolidated. Consolidated financial statements for 2002 were restated to facilitate comparison and analysis.

(c) Changes in affiliate companies: None.

ABIT COMPUTER CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES
NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONT'D)

(d) Affiliates not included in the consolidated financial statements:

| Name of Affiliate | 12.31.2003 Ownership | Reason for Non-consolidation |
|--|---------------------------------|---|
| ABIT COMPUTER (U.S.A.) CORPORATION | 100.00% | Total assets and operating revenues are less than 10% of the respective accounts of the parent company. |
| AMOR COMPUTER B.V. | 100.00% | " |
| ABIT COMPUTER (U.K.) CORPORATION LTD. | 100.00% | " |
| ABIT COMPUTER (H.K.) COMPANY LTD. | 100.00% | " |
| ABIT INVESTMENT HOLDING LTD. | 100.00% | " |
| WELLTOP BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT INC. | 100.00% | " |
| ABIT COMPUTER (SINGAPORE) PRIVATE LIMITED | 100.00% | " |
| ABIT COMPUTER TRADING (SHANGHAI) CO., LTD. | 100.00% | " |
| SUNLIGHT INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION | 100.00% | " |
| ABIT COMPUTER FRANCE SARL | 100.00% | " |

Aggregate total assets and operating revenues of the above affiliates are less than 30% of the respective accounts of the Company.

- (e) Affiliates with different accounting period than the parent company: None.
- (f) Affiliates with different accounting policies than the parent company: None.
- (g) Unusual risks from foreign affiliates: None.
- (h) Regulation or contract restrictions on earnings distribution of affiliates: None.
- (i) Method and period of amortization of consolidated debits (credits): Amortized equally over 5 to 20 years.

(2) Accounting for Consolidated Financial Statements

When preparing consolidated financial statements, the Company's investments and its subsidiaries, stockholders' equity were eliminated. Inter-company liabilities were eliminated. Unrealized gains between the Company and its subsidiaries resulting from downstream and inter-company transactions are eliminated according to the method of recognition of gain and losses.

Assets and liabilities of foreign subsidiaries are translated into New Taiwan dollar equivalents at the spot rates of the balance sheet date; stockholders' equity is translated by the historical rates except for the beginning balance of retained earnings. Revenues and expenses are translated at the weighted-average rate during the period, with exchange differences included in stockholders' equity as "cumulative translation adjustments."

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(3) Foreign Currency Transactions

Non-forward contract foreign currency transactions are recorded in New Taiwan dollars and translated by the exchange rates in effect as transactions occur. Translation differences from settlement of foreign currency assets or liabilities are included in current income, as well as those from year-end adjustments of balance sheet accounts by the prevailing rate then.

(4) Cash Equivalents

Cash equivalents refer to Treasury bills, certificates of convertible time deposits, commercial paper, and bank acceptances with maturity of less than 3 months from the investment date.

(5) Short-Term Investment

Short-term investments in public companies and beneficiary certificates are stated at cost and valued at the lower of total cost or market at period-end. The moving-average method is used to compute cost upon sale of such investments. Upon receiving stock dividends due to capitalization of capital surplus or earnings of investees, only the number of incremental shares is recorded in a memo entry to reflect new cost per share calculated by the moving-average method. Market price of open-end mutual funds is based on their net worth at the balance sheet date, while the market price of all other short-term investments is based on the average closing price in the last month of the accounting period.

(6) Allowance for Doubtful Accounts

Allowance for doubtful accounts is provided for by reviewing receivables at year-end and estimating possible losses.

(7) Inventories

Inventories are stated at cost by the weighted-average method on a perpetual inventory basis and are evaluated at lower of cost or market at year-end. Market value of raw materials and supplies is replacement cost, whereas that of goods in process, finished goods, and obsolete and slow-moving inventories is the net realizable value. For market value based on replacement (reproduction) cost, it should not exceed net realizable value nor be less than the balance of net realizable value minus ordinary gross margin.

Consigned manufacturing refers to inventories sent for processing and then returned to the Company, and title to such inventory is retained by the Company prior to transfer. Accounting treatment of consigned manufacturing is in compliance with 1998 Securities and Futures Commission (SFC) Ruling Letter No. (6)00747 dated March 18, 1998.

(8) Long-Term Equity Investments

Long-term equity investments in common stock of companies not publicly traded in which the Company has no influence are accounted for under the cost method. Should sufficient evidence exist indicating that investment value decreased and the likelihood of recovery is remote, loss on investment is recognized immediately, with book value after loss recognition as the new cost. Stock dividends received from capitalization of capital surplus or retained earnings are not recorded as investment income, and only memo entries are made regarding the increase in number of shares, with cost per share or book value recalculated.

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Long-term equity investments in common stock of companies not publicly traded in which the Company has significant influence are accounted for under the equity method, unless it may be verified that significant influence does not exist.

Upon sale of long-term equity investments, cost is computed by the moving-average method.

The difference between cost of long-term equity investments and net equity worth is amortized over five years by the straight-line method.

For foreign investments accounted for under the equity method, original investment is stated by actual remittance in New Taiwan dollars on the balance sheet date. Book value of such investment is adjusted by cumulative translation adjustments, including current operating income/loss of investee companies, investment income/loss recognized by average exchange rate of the year, and net worth of investee companies evaluated per shareholding ratio.

Long-term equity investments where the Company has controlling interest in the investee companies are accounted for under the equity method, and consolidated financial statements are required. However, consolidation is not required if any of the following conditions is met:

- a. Nature of business of a subsidiary is different from that of the Company such that consolidation is not appropriate;
- b. A subsidiary has declared bankruptcy or reorganization has been decreed by the court;
- c. A subsidiary is prohibited from remitting dividends to the Company due to foreign exchange controls exercised by the country where it is registered to operate;
- d. A subsidiary reports negative net worth, unless the Company has financial undertakings of the subsidiary or makes other financial commitment, or the loss is temporary in nature with sufficient evidence of loss recovery and becoming profitable in the near future;
- e. Total assets and operating revenue of a subsidiary do not reach 10% of the respective accounts of the Company.

Nevertheless, if combined assets or operating revenue of all such subsidiaries exceeds 30% of the respective account of the Company, then 3% of total assets or operating revenue of these subsidiaries must be consolidated. Unless the percentage declines to 20% subsequently, consolidation should continue.

Should an investee company incur a net loss and the Company has financial undertaking or provides guarantee for the investee company's obligations, loss recognition should continue per ownership. If long-term investments are insufficient to offset investment losses, then accounts receivable (or related-party receivables) are adjusted. Deferred credits are recognized if a deficiency still exists.

Should an investee company issue new shares and the Company does not purchase the new shares proportionately, causing changes in ownership and net worth, then capital surplus is adjusted accordingly. If the adjustment to capital surplus is not enough to offset, then the difference shall be debited to retained earnings.

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The unrealized gains and losses from inter-company transactions between the Company and an investee company are deferred. If the gains and losses come from depreciated or amortized assets, then the recognition of such gains and losses shall be spread over the useful lives of such assets. Otherwise, the recognition shall be in the year when the gains or losses are realized.

Gain/loss on investments is recognized immediately if common or preferred shares with voting rights exceed 50% of total voting shares of an investee company or regulations set forth in Clause 369, No. 2-2 are met such that the Company could control, directly or indirectly, financial, operating, or personnel issues of the investee company, or if all of the following criteria are met:

- a. Net equity worth of the long-term equity investment at the beginning of the year exceeds \$50 million and amounts to over 5% of the Company's paid-in capital;
- b. Ownership of the investee company by the Company exceeds 30% or the Company and its directors, supervisors, managers, and other investee companies controlled directly and indirectly jointly own over 50% of voting shares of the investee company;
- c. The Company is one of the 3 largest shareholders, or the Company appoints the Chairman or the President of the investee company.

(9) Property, Plant, and Equipment, Depreciation, and Gain/Loss on Disposal

Property, plant, and equipment are stated at cost. Major additions, improvements, and replacements are capitalized. Repairs and maintenance are recorded as current expenses. Interest incurred in acquisition of property, plant, and equipment before such assets are ready for use are capitalized and included as cost.

Depreciation is provided by the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives prescribed by the government plus one year's salvage value. Assets still in use after full depreciation may be depreciated over the estimated salvage value and useful lives. Useful lives of major assets are listed below:

| | |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| Buildings | 5~55 years |
| Machinery | 2~8 years |
| Computer equipment | 3~10 years |
| Transportation equipment | 5 years |
| Furniture and office equipment | 3~8 years |
| Other equipment | 5~8 years |

Gain or loss on disposal of property, plant, and equipment is recognized currently.

(10) Patents

Patents (royalties, trademarks, copyrights) of subsidiaries are stated at cost and amortized over 20 years using the straight-line method.

(11) Deferred Charges

Deferred charges are stated at cost and amortized over 3 years.

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(12) Pension Plan

The Company has a pension plan covering all regular employees. Two units are granted for every year of service until the 15th year, and one unit per year thereafter up to a maximum of 45 units. A unit is equal to the average monthly salary for the 6-month period prior to approved retirement.

The Company contributes 2% of gross salaries paid to a pension fund reserve on a monthly basis and deposits the reserve into a designated account at the Central Trust of China.

Effective December 31, 1996, the Company adopted FAS Statement No. 18, "Accounting for Pensions". Unrecognized net transitional assets or benefit obligations should be computed as the governing rules of pension shifted. In compliance with SFC Letter Ruling No. (6)00142 dated January 20, 1995, effective 1997, such unrecognized net transitional assets or net benefit obligation should be amortized by the straight-line method over the average remaining years of service of employees eligible for pension benefits and recorded as net pension costs. If years of service are estimated to be shorter than 15 years, then 15 years will be used, Net pension costs comprise of the following:

- a. Service cost;
- b. Interest cost;
- c. Expected return on plan assets;
- d. Amortization of unrecognized prior service cost;
- e. Amortization of unrecognized pension gain or loss;
- f. Amortization of unrecognized transitional net assets or net benefit obligation;
- g. Gains and losses from liquidation.

The difference between actual pension contributions and net pension costs is reflected as "accrued pension liabilities" or "prepaid pensions." The minimum pension liability is the amount required to be reflected on the balance sheet.

(13) Income Taxes

Income tax is provided in accordance with the Income Tax Law and related regulations. Adjustment of prior years' income tax is recorded as current income tax expense. Intra-period income tax allocation will be made with respect to temporary differences between accounting and taxable income. Income tax effects due to significant taxable temporary differences are recognized as deferred income tax liabilities, while income tax effects arising from deductible temporary differences, loss carryforwards from prior years, and investment tax credits are recorded as deferred income tax assets. A valuation allowance will be provided after assessing the likelihood of realization of deferred income tax assets.

The 10% surtax on undistributed earnings is reported as current expense on the date of the annual stockholders' meeting declaring the distribution of earnings.

(14) Commitments and Contingencies

If loss on commitments and contingencies is highly likely and the amount thereof can be reasonably estimated, such loss is recognized immediately. Otherwise, only the nature will be disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.

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3. Cash and Cash Equivalents

| | December 31, | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| | 2003 | 2002(Restated) |
| Cash and petty cash | \$ 696 | 1,049 |
| Checking accounts | 111,147 | 38,118 |
| Savings accounts | 80,475 | 107,208 |
| Foreign currency demand deposits | 733,952 | 393,538 |
| Time deposits | 857,126 | 48,622 |
| Total | \$ 1,783,396 | 588,535 |

4. Short-term Investment, Net

| | December 31, | |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| | 2003 | 2002(Restated) |
| Fund | \$ 1,237,275 | - |
| Less: Allowance for valuation losses | - | - |
| Total | \$ 1,237,725 | - |

5. Accounts Receivable, Net

| | December 31, | |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| | 2003 | 2002(Restated) |
| Accounts receivable | \$ 2,801,037 | 1,270,758 |
| Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts | (11,000) | (13,860) |
| Total | \$ 2,790,037 | 1,256,898 |

6. Inventories

| | December 31, | |
|---|-------------------|----------------|
| | 2003 | 2002(Restated) |
| Raw materials | \$ 24,096 | 150,871 |
| Work-in-process | 435 | 1,115 |
| Finished goods | 1,819 | 51,891 |
| Merchandise | 125,571 | 102,595 |
| Total | 151,921 | 306,472 |
| Less: Allowance for market decline and obsolescence | (22,086) | (67,716) |
| Net | \$ 129,835 | 238,756 |

As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, fire insurance coverage for inventories stated above was NT\$100,000 thousand and NT\$700,000 thousand, respectively.

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7. Long-Term Equity Investments

(1) As of December 31, 2003 and 2002 long-term equity investments of the Company and subsidiaries were as follows:

| Name of investee company | December 31, | | | |
|--|--------------|---------------------|----------------|------------------|
| | 2003 | | 2002(Restated) | |
| Accounted for under the equity method | % | Amount | % | Amount |
| ABIT Computer (U.S.A.) Corp. (original investment: NT\$ 493,589 thousand in 2003 and NT\$ 152,313 thousand in 2002, respectively) | 100% | \$ 138,489 | 100% | - |
| AMOR Computer (B.V.) Corp. (original investment: NT\$187,549 thousand in 2003 and NT\$16,910 thousand in 2002) | 100% | 145,831 | 100% | - |
| Welltop Business Development Inc. (original investment:NT\$ 6,566 thousand in 2003 and 2002) | 100% | 3,133 | 100% | 2,304 |
| Akom Technology Corp. (original investment: NT\$ 33,940 thousand in 2003 and 2002) | 33.94% | 20,360 | 33.94% | 26,545 |
| ABIT Computer (U.K.) Corp. Ltd. (original investment: NT\$ 48,114 thousand in 2003 and 2002) | 100% | 62,010 | 100% | 65,024 |
| ABIT Computer (Singapore) Private Ltd. (original investment: NT\$ 39,604 thousand in both 2003 and 2002) | 100% | 1,658 | 100% | 37,476 |
| ABIT Investment Holding Ltd. (original investment: NT\$828,708 thousand in 2003 and 2002) | 100% | 403,175 | 100% | 614,742 |
| Abitnet Technology Inc. (original investment: NT\$23,940 thousand in 2002) | - | - | 79.80% | 7,313 |
| ABIT Computer (H.K.) company Ltd. (original investment: NT\$ 232,786 thousand in 2003 and 2002) | 100% | 141,319 | 100% | 121,356 |
| Timerwell Technology (Taiwan) Company Ltd. (original investment: US\$ 75,000 thousand and NT\$ 4,641 thousand in 2003 and 2002, respectively) | 23.81% | 193,220 | 23.81% | 167,804 |
| Apex Venture Assets Limited (original investment: US\$ 50,000 thousand in 2003) | 40% | 1,696,000 | - | - |
| Total | | 2,805,195 | | 1,042,564 |
| Other long-term investment | | | | |
| Ace Pinnacle Fund Ltd. | | 1,939,003 | | - |
| Fund | | 353 | | - |
| Loan Notes | | - | | 1,981,876 |
| | | 1,939,356 | | 1,981,876 |
| Total | | \$ 4,744,551 | | 3,024,440 |

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- a. All financial reports of investee companies for the years 2003 and 2002 are accounted for under the equity method and based upon audited financial statements for the same period. Their investment income (loss), translation adjustment, and unrealized income (loss) from inter-company transactions are listed below:

| <u>2003</u> | <u>Investment Income (Loss)</u> | <u>Translation Adjustment (Credit Balance)</u> | <u>Unrealized Income (Loss) from inter- company Transactions</u> |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|--|
| ABIT COMPUTER (U.S.A.) Co. Ltd. | (\$ 151,699) | (703) | 15,690 |
| AMOR COMPUTER B.V. | (19,818) | (3,999) | - |
| ABIT Computer (U.K.) Co., Ltd. | (8,218) | (5,203) | 2,750 |
| ABIT Computer (H.K.) Co., Ltd. | 22,360 | 2,397 | 35,415 |
| ABIT Investment Holding Ltd. | (201,619) | 9,949 | - |
| Akom Technology Corporation | (6,185) | - | - |
| Welltop Business Development Inc. | 852 | 23 | - |
| ABIT Computer (Singapore) Private Ltd. | (35,759) | 59 | - |
| Timerwell Technology (Taiwan) Co., Ltd. | 18,083 | - | - |
| | <u>(\$ 382,003)</u> | <u>2,523</u> | <u>53,855</u> |

| <u>2002(Restated)</u> | <u>Investment Income (Loss)</u> | <u>Translation Adjustment (Credit Balance)</u> | <u>Unrealized Income (Loss) from Inter- company Transactions</u> |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|--|
| ABIT Computer (U.S.A.) Co. Ltd. | (\$ 255,890) | (147) | 5,506 |
| AMOR Computer B.V. | (44,653) | (2,193) | 6,926 |
| ABIT Computer (U.K.) Co. Ltd. | (3,524) | (6,021) | 2,447 |
| ABIT Computer (H.K.) Co., Ltd. | (46,923) | 1,014 | 3,647 |
| ABIT Investment Holding Ltd. | (213,069) | 5,613 | - |
| Abitnet Technology Inc. | (4,138) | - | - |
| Akom Technology Corporation | (5,175) | - | - |
| Welltop Business Development Inc. | 956 | 11 | - |
| ABIT Computer (Singapore) Private Ltd. | (301) | (515) | - |
| Timerwell Technology (Taiwan) Company Ltd. | 9,744 | - | - |
| | <u>(\$ 562,973)</u> | <u>2,238</u> | <u>18,526</u> |

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- b. In 2003 and 2002, amortization of the difference between investment cost and net equity worth was as follows:

| | 2003 | 2002(Restated) |
|--|-----------------|-----------------------|
| AMOR Computer B.V. | \$ - | 377 |
| Timerwell Technology (Taiwan) Company Ltd. | 4,712 | - |
| Total | \$ 4,712 | 377 |

- c. Adjustments to the amount of capital surplus and accumulation of gain/loss due to increased investment in subsidiaries in which the Company did not follow the ownership ratio, and increased investment in investee companies in which the subsidiaries did not follow the ownership ratio are shown below:

| Name of investee company | Not recognizing and stating by ownership ratio; increasing (decreasing) capital surplus instead | Not recognizing and stating by ownership ratio; increasing (decreasing) accumulation of gain loss instead |
|--|--|--|
| 2002(Restated) | | |
| Timerwell Technology (Taiwan) Co. Ltd. | (\$ 4,560) | - |

- d. Investment income/loss of Rolly Technology Holdings Ltd. and ABIT Computer Trading (Shanghai) Co., Ltd. was accounted for under the equity method by ABIT Investment Holding Ltd. and ABIT Computer (H.K.) Company Ltd., as detailed in Note 7(1) a. Unrealized gain (loss) on downstream transactions between the Company and investee companies and transactions between various investee companies was disclosed therein as well.
- e. Although the Company has more than 50% ownership and subsequent controlling interests in ABIT Computer (U.S.A.) Corporation, Amor Computer (B.V.), ABIT Computer (U.K.) Corporation Ltd., ABIT Computer (H.K.) Company Ltd., Welltop Business Development Inc., ABIT Computer (Singapore) Private Ltd., and ABIT Investment Holding Ltd., because the total assets or operating revenue of the above investee companies did not reach 10% of the Company's respective accounts and their aggregate total does not reach 30% of the Company's respective accounts, they are not included in the consolidated financial statements.

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f. The Company's investment accounted for under the equity method incurred a loss greater than its the book value, resulting in a long-term investment credit balance as shown below:

| | December 31, | | | | | |
|---------------|-----------------------|--|----------------------|-----------------------|---|----------------------|
| | 2003 | | | 2002(Restated) | | |
| | Account Receivable | Long-Term Investment Credit Amount | Other Liabilities | Account Receivable | Long-Term Investment Credit Amount | Other Liabilities |
| AMOR | \$ - | - | - | 8,988 | 8,988 | - |
| ABIT (U.S.A.) | - | - | - | 51,791 | 51,791 | - |
| Total | \$ - | - | - | 60,779 | 60,779 | - |

g. Pursuant to the share purchase agreement dated December 31, 2002, the subsidiary of the Company ("the Vendor") sold all equity interest in True Grace Company Limited and its subsidiaries (as below) for a consideration of US\$57,164 thousand to a third-party purchaser.

The consideration was paid in form of unsecured Loan Notes issued by the purchaser. The Vendor is entitled to receive interest on loan notes receivable from the purchaser at a rate of 7.5% per annum in arrears on the 31st day of December in each year. In accordance with a supplementary agreement dated December 31, 2002, the group is entitled to buy back the equity interest of True Grace upon notice given to the purchaser.

The investment of True Grace Co., Ltd. are listed below:

| Name of investee | Location and primary activity | | Ownership |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---|-----------|
| True Grace Co., Ltd. | B.V.I. | Investment holding | 100% |
| Subsidiaries of True Grace Co., Ltd. | | | 100% |
| Timerwell (UK) Co., Ltd. | United Kingdom | Distributor of computer components | 100% |
| Bios Sp Zoo | Poland | Distributor of computer components | 100% |
| Radware Technology Ltd. | Cayman Islands | Distributor of server management software | 100% |
| Timerwell Technology (H.K.) Limited | Hong Kong | Distributor of server management software | 100% |
| Hollyhock Group Ltd. | B.V.I. | Investment holding | 100% |
| Rich-Mate Technology Ltd. | Hong Kong | Provision of Web design and marketing service | 100% |

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8. Property, Plant, and Equipment

- (1) As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, the total amount of insurance for property, plant, and equipment was NT\$776,904 thousand and NT\$920,667 thousand, respectively.
- (2) Please refer to Note 22 for details of property, plant, and equipment provided as collateral.

9. Deferred Debits

Deferred debits resulting from investments by the Company and its subsidiaries that incurred costs that exceeded stockholders' equity net worth are listed below:

| <u>Investee Companies</u> | <u>December 31,</u> | |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| | <u>2003</u> | <u>2002(Restated)</u> |
| Caliber Computer Co. | \$ 215,383 | 234,348 |
| Asguard GSMBH | 15,599 | 16,910 |
| Timerwell Technology Holdings Ltd. | (3,353) | (8,602) |
| Effective Score Ltd. | 1,097,853 | 1,181,975 |
| Total | <u>\$ 1,325,482</u> | <u>1,424,631</u> |

10. Short-Term Borrowings

| <u>December 31, 2003</u> | <u>Period</u> | <u>Amount</u> |
|--|-----------------|---------------------|
| Loans to purchase raw materials - domestic | Within one year | \$ 193,328 |
| Loans to purchase raw materials - foreign | " | 626,519 |
| Collateralized loans | " | 590,440 |
| Credit loans | " | 150,000 |
| Total | | <u>\$ 1,560,287</u> |

| <u>December 31, 2002(Restated)</u> | <u>Period</u> | <u>Amount</u> |
|--|-----------------|---------------------|
| Loans to purchase raw materials - domestic | Within one year | \$ 1,000,070 |
| Loans to purchase raw materials - foreign | " | 228,580 |
| Collateralized loans | " | 407,570 |
| Credit loans | " | 264,000 |
| Total | | <u>\$ 1,900,220</u> |

In 2003 and 2002, interest rates on short-term borrowings were floating and ranged from 1.60% to 6.35 and from 1.35% to 7.80%, respectively.

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11. Commercial Paper

| <u>December 31, 2003</u> | <u>Period</u> | <u>Amount</u> |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Commercial paper | Nov. 10, 2003, to February 6, 2004 | \$ 46,000 |
| Less: Unamortized discount | " | (41) |
| Net book value | | <u>\$ 45,959</u> |
| | | |
| <u>December 31, 2002(Restated)</u> | <u>Period</u> | <u>Amount</u> |
| Commercial paper | August 14, 2002, to Feb. 10, 2003 | \$ 146,000 |
| Less: Unamortized discount | | (185) |
| Net book value | | <u>\$ 145,815</u> |

In 2003 and 2002, the outstanding period of short-term notes payable was within 180 days with annual interest rates ranging from 2.01% to 2.57% and from 3.07% to 3.23%, respectively.

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12. Long-Term Debt

| <u>Item</u> | <u>Repayment Term</u> | <u>Amount</u> |
|--|--|----------------------------|
| December 31, 2003 | | |
| Loan with land and building as collateral | Starting from October 1997, 23 rd day of each month | \$ 17,795 |
| " | Starting from July 1999, monthly fixed payments | 89,616 |
| Loan with certificates of time deposit as collateral | From June 2001, fixed payments 25 th day of each month | 7,532 |
| Loan with land and building as collateral | Starting from December 2003, 96 equal monthly repayments of principal | 415,624 |
| " | From December 2001, 120 monthly equal repayments of principal and interest by the annuity method | 120,171 |
| " | From January 2004, 156 monthly equal repayments of principal and interest by the annuity method | 320,000 |
| " | From January 2003, 48 monthly equal repayments of principal and interest by the annuity method | 107,616 |
| " | From January 2002, 180 monthly equal repayments of principal and interest by the annuity method | 136,435 |
| " | From March 2002, 180 monthly equal repayments of principal and interest by the annuity method | 117,089 |
| " | From January 2002, 180 monthly equal repayments of principal and interest by the annuity method | 120,271 |
| " | From April 2002, 120 monthly equal repayments of principal and interest by the annuity method | 57,736 |
| " | From April 2002, 120 monthly equal repayments of principal and interest by the annuity method | 57,736 |
| Credit loans | From April 2004, repayments every six months, for a total of 6 installments. First four repayments total NT\$30,000 thousand. The last two repayments total NT\$40,000 thousand. | 200,000 |
| | | <u>1,767,621</u> |
| Less: Current portion | | (<u>233,394</u>) |
| Net | | <u><u>\$ 1,534,227</u></u> |

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| Item | Repayment Term | Amount |
|--|--|----------------------------|
| December 31,2002(Restated) | | |
| Loan with land and building as collateral | Starting from October 1999, 23 rd day of each month | \$ 20,344 |
| " | Starting from July 1999, monthly fixed payments | 97,619 |
| Loan with certificates of time deposit as collateral | Starting from June 2001, fixed payments 25 th day of each month | 24,892 |
| Loan with land and building as collateral | Starting from December 2003, 96 equal monthly repayments of principal | 420,000 |
| " | From December 2001, 120 monthly equal repayments of principal and interest by the annuity method | 134,791 |
| " | From January 2004, 156 monthly equal repayments of principal and interest by the annuity method | 320,000 |
| " | From January 2003, 48 monthly equal repayments of principal and interest by the annuity method | 140,000 |
| " | From January 2002, 180 monthly equal repayments of principal and interest by the annuity method | 143,580 |
| " | From March 2002, 180 monthly equal repayments of principal and interest by the annuity method | 123,206 |
| " | From January 2002, 180 monthly equal repayments of principal and interest by the annuity method | 126,318 |
| " | From April 2002, 120 monthly equal repayments of principal and interest by the annuity method | 64,744 |
| " | " | 64,744 |
| Credit loans | From April 2004, repayments every six months, for a total of 6 installments. First four repayments total NT\$30,000 thousand. The last two repayments total NT\$40,000 thousand. | 200,000 |
| | | <u>1,880,238</u> |
| Less: Current portion | | (111,692) |
| Net | | <u>\$ 1,768,546</u> |

In 2003 and 2002, interest rates on long-term debt were floating and ranged from 0.75% to 5.70 % and from 1.20% to 6.28%, respectively.

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13. Corporate Bonds Payable

| | December 31, | |
|---|---------------------|----------------|
| | 2003 | 2002(Restated) |
| Unsecured convertible corporate bonds issued | \$ 1,000,000 | 1,000,000 |
| Overseas unsecured convertible corporate bonds issued | 2,551,875 | - |
| Less: Converted amount | (899,800) | (861,300) |
| Less: Redeemed amount | (74,500) | - |
| Add: interest payable | 6,705 | 14,903 |
| Total | \$ 2,584,280 | 153,603 |

In 2003 and 2002, the amount of interest payable offset due to converting corporate bonds into common stock was NT\$33,950 thousand and NT\$25,597 thousand, respectively.

The Company's issue of corporate bonds follows the requirements stated below:

(1) Major terms and conditions of offering and issuance of unsecured domestic convertible bonds by the Company are the following:

a. Period of issue

Period of issue is five years from June 28, 2001, to the maturity date of June 27, 2006.

b. Corporate bond interest rate at par; right to sell back yield

The interest rate at par is 0%. Starting from two years after the issue date to the day right before three years after the issue date, the bondholder can execute the right to sell back for a yield of 5.25%. Starting from three years after the issue date to the day right before four years after the issue date, the bondholder can execute the right to sell back for a yield of 6.5%. Starting from four years after the issue date to the day right before the date of maturity, the bondholder can sell back for a yield of 7% (Compound interest; face value plus interest compensation is 110.78%, 120.79%, 131.08% respectively of the face value).

(2) Major terms and conditions of offering and issuance of overseas convertible bonds by the Company are the following:

On November 28, 2003, the Company issued overseas unsecured convertible bonds with a total issue size of US\$ 75,000 thousand.

a. Interest rate at par: 0% per annum.

b. Period to maturity: 3 years, from November 28, 2003, to November 27, 2006.

c. Repayment: Unless previously redeemed, put option exercised, purchased and cancelled, or converted, bonds will be repaid on maturity at par plus interest payable in cash.

d. Redemption: The Company may redeem the bonds if the following events occur:

(a) Effective May 28, 2004, the Company may redeem the bonds at par, in entirety or in part, if the closing price of its common shares on the Taiwan Stock Exchange translated into U.S. dollars by the spot rate is at least 130% of the conversion price for 30 consecutive trading days.

(b) The Company may redeem the remaining bonds at any time if at least 90% of the bond principal has been previously redeemed, or purchased and cancelled.

(c) If due to changes in ROC tax laws, the Company is obligated to pay additional amounts, the bonds may be redeemed in whole at par.

e. Repurchase at the option of the bondholders:

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One and two years into bond issuance, unless previously redeemed, put option exercised, or purchased and cancelled, bondholders may request the Company to redeem bonds in whole or in part at 0.5%, and 0.9%, respectively.

f. Conversion terms:

(a) Bondholders may, at any time between December 28, 2003, and October 27, 2006, convert bonds into common shares.

(b) Conversion price: \$15.1

(c) Exchange rate used to determine conversion price: \$34.027.

(3) Information regarding subsequent bond conversion: Refer to Note 24 (1).

14. Pension Plan

The Company deposited the pension fund into a designated account at the Central Trust of China. In 2003 and 2002, changes in pension fund account were as follows:

| | <u>2003</u> | <u>2002(Restated)</u> |
|------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| Beginning balance | \$ 33,353 | 26,771 |
| Current contribution | 3,648 | 5,907 |
| Current interest yield | 498 | 675 |
| Ending balance | <u>\$ 37,499</u> | <u>33,353</u> |

Effective December 31, 1996, the Company adopted FAS Statement No. 18, "Accounting for Pensions", and actuarial reports on pensions dated January 28, 2004 and January 29, 2003 were secured with December 31, 2003 and 2002, as the measurement dates. Components of net pension cost were as follows:

| | <u>2003</u> | <u>2002(Restated)</u> |
|---|-----------------|-----------------------|
| Service cost | \$ 8,594 | 8,593 |
| Interest cost | 1,141 | 1,141 |
| Projected return on pension plan assets | (1,229) | (1,229) |
| Amortization and deferred amount | (42) | (42) |
| Net periodic pension cost | <u>\$ 8,464</u> | <u>8,463</u> |

Actuarial assumptions adopted to calculate net periodic pension cost and reconciliation of funding status and accrued pension liabilities per books at year-end were as follows:

| | <u>2003</u> | <u>2002(Restated)</u> |
|---|-------------|-----------------------|
| Discount rate | 3.00% | 3.50% |
| Future salary increase rate | 4.00% | 3.00% |
| Projected long-term rate of return on pension plan assets | 3.00% | 3.50% |

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| | December 31, | |
|--|----------------------|------------------|
| | 2003 | 2002(Restated) |
| Benefit obligation: | | |
| Vested benefit obligation | (\$ -) | (655) |
| Non-vested benefit obligation | (23,506) | (18,712) |
| Accumulated benefit obligation | (23,506) | (19,367) |
| Effect of future salary increase | (25,006) | (13,229) |
| Projected benefit obligation | (48,512) | (32,596) |
| Fair value of pension plan assets | 37,499 | 33,353 |
| Funded status | (11,013) | 757 |
| Unrecognized net transitional benefit obligation | 2,948 | 3,316 |
| Unrecognized gain (loss) on pension plan assets | (5,034) | (12,357) |
| Retroactive accrual of pension liabilities | - | - |
| Accrued pension liabilities | <u>(\$ 13,099)</u> | <u>(8,284)</u> |

As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, the vested benefit obligation amounted to NT\$0 and NT\$655 thousand respectively.

15. Income Taxes

(1) 2003 and 2002, the components of income tax expense of the Company and subsidiaries were as follows:

| Domestic | 2003 | 2002(Restated) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Current income tax expense | (\$ 3,659) | 16,046 |
| Deferred income tax expense | - | (2,000) |
| 10% surtax on undistributed earnings | - | 9,268 |
| Overseas | | |
| Current income tax expense | 12,312 | (10,541) |
| Deferred income tax expense (benefit) | (2,039) | (5,527) |
| Total | <u>\$ 6,614</u> | <u>7,246</u> |

(2) As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, deferred income tax assets (liabilities) of the Company and subsidiaries were as follows:

| | 2003 | 2002(Restated) |
|--|-------------|----------------|
| Current: | | |
| Deferred income tax assets | \$ 19,800 | 26,750 |
| Valuation allowance - deferred income tax assets | (19,800) | (26,750) |
| Deferred income tax assets, net | - | - |
| Deferred income tax liabilities | - | - |
| Current deferred income tax assets, net | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> |
| Noncurrent: | | |
| Deferred income tax assets | \$ 60,000 | 170,375 |
| Valuation allowance - deferred income tax assets | (49,200) | (167,125) |
| Deferred income tax assets, net | 10,800 | 3,250 |
| Deferred income tax liabilities | (10,800) | (3,250) |
| Noncurrent deferred income tax liabilities, net | <u>\$ -</u> | <u>-</u> |

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- (3) As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, deferred income tax assets (liabilities) of the Company and subsidiaries due to temporary differences and effects on income taxes were as follows:

| | December 31, 2003 | | | December 31, 2002(Restated) | | |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| | Amount | Income Tax Effect | | Amount | Income Tax Effect | |
| | | Current | Noncurrent | | Current | Noncurrent |
| Deductible temporary difference due to inventory market decline | \$ 21,000 | 5,000 | - | 67,000 | 16,750 | - |
| Deductible temporary difference due to employee pension expense | 13,099 | - | 3,000 | 13,549 | - | 3,375 |
| Deductible temporary difference due to unrealized exchange loss | 3,551 | 900 | - | 20,958 | 5,000 | - |
| Deductible temporary difference resulting from unrealized sales profit | 55,727 | 13,900 | - | 20,437 | 5,000 | - |
| Investment tax credits | 53,880 | - | 54,000 | 61,934 | - | 62,000 |
| Loss carryforwards | 12,677 | - | 3,000 | 424,919 | - | 105,000 |
| Subtotal | | 19,800 | 60,000 | | 26,750 | 170,375 |
| Less: Valuation allowance | | (19,800) | (49,200) | | (26,750) | (167,125) |
| Allowance for valuation of deferred income tax assets | | | | | | |
| Taxable temporary difference due to recognition of investment income | (43,146) | - | (10,800) | (13,308) | - | (3,250) |
| | | <u>\$ -</u> | <u>-</u> | | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> |

- (4) As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, information on undistributed earnings was as follows:

| | December 31, | |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| | 2003 | 2002(Restated) |
| Accumulated prior to 1997 (included) | \$ - | - |
| Accumulated after 1998 | 1,193,275 | (1,085,541) |
| Total | <u>\$ 1,193,275</u> | <u>(1,085,541)</u> |

- (5) The Company's corporate income tax returns through 2000 were assessed by the Tax Authority.
As of December 31, 2003, information regarding loss carryforwards was as follows:

| Year loss incurred | Expiration date | Amount |
|--------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| 2002 | 2007 | <u>\$ 12,677</u> |

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- (6) As of December 31, 2003, the Company was qualified to enjoy investment tax credits due to its investments in automatic equipment, pollution prevention equipment, research and development, and human resource training. Unused tax credits and their expiration date are as follows:

| <u>Year of occurrence</u> | <u>Deductible amount</u> | <u>Expiration date</u> |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| 2002 | \$ 33,309 | 2006 |
| 2003 | 20,571 | 2007 |
| | <u>\$ 53,880</u> | |

- (7) As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, the balance of the stockholders' imputation credit account was NT\$24,210 thousand and NT\$33,091 thousand, respectively. It was estimated that after filing of corporate income tax for 2003, the creditable ratio of earnings distributed for R.O.C. residents was approximately 0%. The actual creditable ratio of earnings distributed for 2002 was 0%.
- (8) In 2003, the Company applied for a Corporate Headquarters Lease Tax Exemption, which was approved. No tax exemptions related to the lease tax exemption were used.
- (9) For information regarding administrative relief for 2000, 1999, and 1998, refer to Note 23(4).

16. Capital Stock

The Company was founded in 1989. Paid-in capital was NT\$5,000 thousand. After past years of increased cash investment of NT\$2,536,460 thousand, capitalization from earnings of NT\$1,471,738, capitalization from capital surplus of NT\$457,974 thousand, capitalization from employee bonuses of NT\$121,583 thousand, creditor's right to switch to equity of NT\$1,000 thousand, negotiable corporate debt converted to common stock of NT\$1,133,541 thousand, capital totalled NT\$5,727,296 thousand as of December 31, 2003.

17. Capital Surplus

| | <u>December 31,</u> | |
|--|---------------------|-----------------------|
| | <u>2003</u> | <u>2002(Restated)</u> |
| Cash capitalization of common share premium | \$ 852,535 | 1,737,198 |
| Convertible bond interest payable | 33,950 | 25,597 |
| Convertible corporate debt conversion premium | 357,009 | 487,979 |
| Increase in retained earnings due to subscription to new shares of investee companies by subsidiaries not in | 8,564 | 6,070 |
| Total | <u>\$ 1,252,058</u> | <u>2,256,844</u> |

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18. Distribution of Earnings

The Company policy on distribution of earnings is to first pay taxes, offset past years, losses, set 10% as legal reserve, and if there is a realistic need, then set aside a special surplus. The remainder should be appropriated as follows:

Shareholders' bonuses: 90%

Remuneration to directors and supervisors: 2%

Employee bonuses: 8%

The dividend policy as approved in the special stockholders' meeting on September 20, 2000, was incorporated into the articles of incorporation per SFC Ruling Letter No. (1) 100116 dated January 3, 2000, details of which are as follows:

The Company is in a hi-tech industry and currently is in the growth phase of the business life cycle. To expand business and pursue permanent operation by sound financial planning, dividends shall be distributed per rules set forth in the preceding paragraph, in light of operating needs and future capital expenditures of the Company. At least 80% of distributable earnings of the current year shall be appropriated as dividends, of which between 5% and 20% shall be set aside as cash dividends, with the rest as stock dividends.

On June 27, 2003, and June 20, 2002, the shareholders' meeting resolved the earnings distribution for 2002 and 2001. Information regarding employee bonuses and compensation to directors and supervisors distributed in 2002 and 2001 is as follows:

| | <u>2002</u> | <u>2001</u> |
|---|-------------|----------------|
| Common stock dividends (dollars) | | |
| Cash | \$ - | 85,500 |
| Stock (par value) | - | 470,178 |
| | <u>-</u> | <u>555,678</u> |
| Employee bonuses - stock (par value) | \$ - | 49,383 |
| Employee bonuses - cash | - | 11 |
| Remuneration to directors and supervisors | - | 12,348 |
| | <u>\$ -</u> | <u>61,742</u> |

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There are no differences between the actual earnings distribution for 2002 and the resolutions of the board of directors. Information regarding the differences between the earnings distribution for 2001 and the resolutions of the board of directors is as follows:

| | 2001 | | |
|---|--------------------------|------------------------|----------------|
| | Proposed Distribution | Actual Distribution | Difference |
| Stockholders' bonuses - stock | \$ 445,734 | 470,178 (| 24,444) |
| Stockholders' bonuses - cash | 81,043 | 85,500 (| 4,457) |
| Employee bonuses - stock | 46,825 | 49,383 (| 2,558) |
| Employee bonuses - cash | - | 11 (| 11) |
| Compensation to directors and supervisors | 11,706 | 12,348 (| 642) |
| Total | \$ 585,308 | 617,420 (| 32,112) |

In the proposed and actual distributions in 2002, the proposed cash capitalization was NT\$1,000 million, at a price of NT\$22 per share, for a total of NT\$2,200 million. Due to a price decline, the amount of capital increase was NT\$1,222,220 thousand. Since the investors in this cash capitalization were able to receive distributed earnings of 2001, the stockholders resolved to change the earnings distribution to distribute 110 shares of stock dividends and NT\$200 of cash dividends per thousand shares issued.

If the above employee bonuses and remuneration to directors and supervisors were distributed as cash and recognized as current expense, earnings per share (loss) for 2001 would decline from \$2.29 per share to \$2.08 per share. Employee bonuses were 0.994% of total outstanding shares as of December 31, 2001.

The proposal for the appropriation of employee bonuses and remuneration to directors and supervisors for 2003 has yet to be presented in the shareholders' meeting. Information regarding employee bonuses and remuneration to directors and supervisors distributed shall be posted on the Market Observation Post System after the related meetings are held.

On September 18, 2003, the Company was approved by the SFC to issue 50,000 thousand stock warrants. Due to the exercise of stock warrants, 50,000 thousand common shares were converted. After the second anniversary of the issuance, stock warrant holders can exercise a certain proportion of stock warrants. The stock warrants are valid for a period of 6 years. As of December 31, 2003, 44,185 thousand stock warrants had been issued.

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19. Earnings per Share

Earnings per share are calculated by taking the net income of the current period and dividing it by the weighted-average number of common shares outstanding, and taking the number of shares of the capitalization of earnings or capital surplus retroactively adjusted. If the Company's convertible corporate debt is common stock equivalents and has an earnings per share dilution effect greater than 3%, then it is included in the calculation of the earnings per share.

20. Financial Instruments

(1) Financial Derivative Instruments

a. Contract amount and credit risk

| | December 31, | | | |
|------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------|
| | 2003 | | 2002(Restated) | |
| | Contract amount | Credit risk | Contract amount | Credit risk |
| <u>Financial instruments</u> | | | | |
| Forward remittance contract | | | | |
| - USD | \$ 6,000 | - | - | - |
| Options held | | | | |
| Call options sold | | | | |
| - USD | \$ - | - | 2,500 | - |
| - Euro | \$ - | - | 8,400 | - |
| Put options sold | | | | |
| - USD | \$ - | - | 7,500 | - |
| Call options purchased | | | | |
| - USD | \$ - | - | 2,500 | - |
| Interest rate swaps | | | | |
| - NT\$ | \$ 700,000 | - | - | - |

Credit risk arises when the transaction party can not follow the terms stated in the contract. Therefore, the Company deals with banks with good credit and uses past experience to determine the maximum remittance amount that the transaction party will not likely default on. Therefore, credit risk is very low.

b. Market price risk

Since the non-derivative financial instruments the Company uses have hedging quality, losses due to interest rate and exchange rate fluctuations will be offset by the hedging items, so market price risk will not be significant.

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- c. Current risk; cash flow risk; and amount, period, and uncertainty of future cash demands

In 2004, cash outflow and inflow amounted to an outflow of US\$6,000 thousand, and NT\$2,071 thousand, and an inflow of NT\$ 204,150 thousand, and NT\$1,667 thousand. In 2003, cash outflow and inflow amounted to outflow of EUR8,400 thousand and JPY945,000 thousand, and an inflow of US\$15,510 thousand. The Company has an ample amount of operating capital and therefore insignificant risk of not raising enough capital. The exchange rates for the forward remittance contracts have been already set, so there will be a minimal amount of cash flow risk.

- d. Types, goal, and strategy of holding financial derivative instruments

The Company holds financial derivative instruments not for the purpose of trading. They are held mainly for the purpose of engaging in forward remittance contracts to avoid the risk that arises from foreign currency rights, debt, and guarantees when exchange rate changes occur. The Company's policy on dealing with risk is to avoid the majority of market price risk. The Company uses financial derivatives that are highly inversely related to the fair price of risky items as hedging tools. The derivatives' effectiveness is periodically reviewed.

- e. Stating financial derivative instruments in the financial statements

Account receivable and account payable balances that arise from forward remittance contracts are subtracted from each other, and the difference is stated as forward remittance receivable or forward remittance payable. As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, the forward remittance contract balance was NT\$227 thousand and NT\$0, respectively. As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, the exchange gain (loss) was NT\$3,212 thousand and NT\$0, respectively, and is stated as non-operating income (expense).

In 2003 and 2002, gains (Loss) from derivative instrument transactions totaled NT\$(62,099) thousand and NT\$3,421 thousand, respectively, reflected under non-operating income (expense).

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(2) Fair Value of Financial Instruments

| | December 31, | | | |
|--|--------------|------------|----------------|------------|
| | 2003 | | 2002(Restated) | |
| | Book Value | Fair Value | Book Value | Fair Value |
| <u>Financial Assets:</u> | | | | |
| Book value equal to fair value | \$ 5,878,992 | 5,878,992 | 3,690,267 | 3,690,267 |
| Short-term investment | 1,237,275 | 1,241,966 | - | - |
| Long-term investment | 4,744,551 | - | 3,024,440 | - |
| <u>Financial Liabilities:</u> | | | | |
| Book value equal to fair value | 3,067,678 | 3,067,678 | 2,414,770 | 2,414,770 |
| Long-term liabilities | 4,351,901 | 4,351,901 | 2,033,841 | 2,033,841 |
| <u>Off-balance-sheet financial instruments</u> | | | | |
| Letters of credit | - | NTD 34,443 | - | NTD 8,521 |
| Letters of credit | - | USD 1,225 | - | USD 273 |
| Endorsement guarantees | - | NTD 70,200 | - | NTD 70,200 |

Methods and assumptions adopted by the Company in estimating the fair value of financial instruments are as follows:

- a. Financial assets and liabilities with fair value equal to book value refer to short-term financial instruments of which fair value is the book value reflected on the balance sheets. Since such financial instruments will mature shortly, book value is a reasonable basis for estimating the fair value. This comprises cash and cash equivalents, notes and accounts receivable and payable, other receivables and payables, restricted deposits, short-term bank loans, other short-term borrowings, short-term bills payable, income tax payable, accrued expenses, collection on behalf of others, long-term loans, guarantee deposits-in and refundable deposits, and accrued pension liabilities.
- b. Long-term equity investments held by the Company and subsidiaries refer to domestic and overseas investee companies held. Since these companies are not publicly traded, fair value thereof cannot be estimated in practice. As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, original investment was NT\$5,581,212 thousand and NT\$3,525,660 thousand, respectively, and their book value amounted to NT\$4,744,551 thousand and NT\$3,024,440 thousand, respectively.
- c. Letters of credit/guarantees: Fair value thereof is the amount of the contracts.

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(3) Financial Instruments with Off-Balance-Sheet Credit Risks

As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, unused letters of credit were NT\$34,443 thousand, US\$1,225 thousand, and US\$273 thousand, NT\$8,521 thousand, respectively. Terms of these letters of credit at 3 months, and they are primarily used for purchases from others. The fair value of these letters of credit is equal to the amount of the contracts.

(4) Information on Concentration of Credit Risk

Primary implicit credit risk of the Company and subsidiaries arises from cash and receivables. Cash held by the Company is deposited at various financial institutions. The Company further controls exposure to credit risk with each financial institution, and deems that cash of the Company and subsidiaries is not subject to significant concentration of credit risk.

Clients of the Company and subsidiaries are concentrated in the retail business. To minimize credit risk, the Company and subsidiaries evaluate financial positions of their clients on a periodical basis and will request collateral or guarantees if deemed necessary. The Company and subsidiaries also regularly assess the collectibility of accounts receivable and provide for allowance for doubtful accounts accordingly, and loss on bad debts is generally within management's expectation. As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, a total of 5 and 4 clients accounted for 90% and 90%, respectively, of accounts receivable of the Company and subsidiaries, resulting in concentration of credit risk. Nevertheless, the Company and subsidiaries will reinforce credit control and account management to reduce credit risk.

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21. Related Party Transactions

(1) Name of Related Party and Relationship with the Company

| <u>Name of related party</u> | <u>Relationship with the Company</u> |
|--|--|
| ABIT U.S.A. | Subsidiary |
| ABIT H.K. | " |
| ABIT U.K. | " |
| AMOR | " |
| ABIT S.G. | " |
| Akom Technology Corp. ("AKOM") | Investee company accounted for under the equity method |
| Rolly Technology Holdings Ltd. ("ROLLY") | Investee company accounted for under the equity method by a subsidiary of the Company |
| Welltop Management Consulting Company Ltd. ("WELLTOP") | Company affiliated with a subsidiary |
| Anco Computer H.K. Co., Ltd. ("ANCO") | " |
| Timerwell International Trading (Shanghai) Ltd. ("Timerwell Shanghai") | " |
| Welltop Business Development Inc. (Welltop Business) | Subsidiary |
| Timerwell Technology (Taiwan) Co., Ltd. ("Timerwell Taiwan") | Investee company accounted for under the equity method (since Dec. 2003, on investee Company accounted for under the equity method by a subsidiary of the Company) |
| Vincent Meng | Responsible party for a Company affiliate |

(2) Significant Transactions with Related Parties

a. Sales

In 2003 and 2002, sales to related parties were as follows

| | <u>2003</u> | | <u>2002(Restated)</u> | |
|--------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------------------|-----------|
| | <u>Amount</u> | <u>%</u> | <u>Amount</u> | <u>%</u> |
| AMOR | \$ 1,088,565 | 4 | 660,332 | 3 |
| ABIT U.K. | 132,169 | 1 | 174,201 | 1 |
| ABIT H.K. | 100,721 | - | 517,820 | 3 |
| ABIT U.S.A. | 825,914 | 3 | 817,123 | 4 |
| ROLLY | - | - | 193,507 | 1 |
| ABIT S.G. | - | - | 28,731 | - |
| Timerwell Taiwan | 24,948 | - | 47,264 | 1 |
| Timerwell Shanghai | 7,133 | - | - | - |
| | <u>\$ 2,179,450</u> | <u>8</u> | <u>2,438,978</u> | <u>13</u> |

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In 2003 and 2002, the collection period for sales to related parties was T/T to 90 days and 45 to 90 days, respectively, and that for other customers in general was T/T to 90 days.

In 2003 and 2002, prices for sales to related parties were 0.90%~10.57% and 1.72%~15.99%, respectively, lower than those to other customers in general, and there was no significant difference in other terms of transactions.

For information on the elimination of unrealized gain on downstream transactions and transactions between investee companies, please refer to Note 7(1)(A).

b. Purchases

| | 2003 | | 2002(Restated) | |
|------------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------------------|-----------|
| | Amount | % | Amount | % |
| ROLLY | \$ 2,672,413 | 10 | 1,925,853 | 11 |
| ABIT H.K. | 542 | - | - | - |
| ABIT S.G. | 16,338 | - | - | - |
| Timerwell Taiwan | 37,896 | - | - | - |
| AMOR | 17,148 | - | - | - |
| AKOM | - | - | 37,382 | - |
| | \$ 2,744,337 | 10 | 1,963,235 | 11 |

For 2003 and 2002, purchases from related parties had a payment deadline of 30~45 days and 45~60 days, respectively. For regular customers T/T~45 days, L/C 0 to 45 days and 7~120 days, L/C 0~105 days.

In 2003 and 2002, since purchases from related parties of the Company comprised products not purchased from others, there was no basis for price comparison. Payment was remitted via wire transfer.

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c. Receivables and payables

Receivables and payables, with related parties all exempt from interest, were as follows:

| | December 31, | | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|------------|-----------------------|------------|
| | 2003 | | 2002(Restated) | |
| | Amount | % | Amount | % |
| <u>Accounts Receivable</u> | | | | |
| ABIT U.S.A. | \$ 217,647 | 52 | 293,670 | 61 |
| ABIT U.K. | 23,214 | 6 | 8,892 | 2 |
| AMOR | 173,747 | 41 | 160,079 | 33 |
| ABIT | - | - | 16,670 | 4 |
| Timerwell Shanghai | 7,055 | 1 | - | - |
| | \$ 421,663 | 100 | 479,311 | 100 |
| <u>Other receivables (NOTE)</u> | | | | |
| ABIT S.G. | \$ - | - | 7,806 | 4 |
| ROLLY | 463,870 | 98 | 198,642 | 96 |
| Timerwell Taiwan | 8,848 | 2 | - | - |
| AKOM | 91 | - | - | - |
| ABIT U.K. | 60 | - | - | - |
| WELLTOP | 13 | - | - | - |
| AMOR | 11 | - | - | - |
| ABIT U.S.A. | 8 | - | - | - |
| | \$ 472,901 | 100 | 206,448 | 100 |

(NOTE) For purchases of raw materials, disposal of machinery equipment, and commission and information service income.

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| | December 31, | | | |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|------------|----------------|------------|
| | 2003 | | 2002(Restated) | |
| | Amount | % | Amount | % |
| <u>Notes Payable:</u> | | | | |
| Timerwell Taiwan | \$ - | - | 2,362 | 14 |
| AKOM | - | - | 1,733 | 11 |
| | - | - | 4,095 | 25 |
| <u>Accounts Payable:</u> | | | | |
| AKOM | - | - | 1 | - |
| ROLLY | 74,626 | 84 | 1,345 | 8 |
| ANCO | 88 | - | 70 | 1 |
| Timerwell Taiwan | 13,653 | 16 | - | - |
| Welltop Business | - | - | 2,090 | 13 |
| ABIT U.S.A. | - | - | 8,709 | 53 |
| | 88,367 | 100 | 12,215 | 75 |
| | \$ 88,367 | 100 | 16,310 | 100 |
| <u>Other Notes Payable:</u> | | | | |
| WELLTOP | \$ 700 | - | - | - |
| <u>Other Accounts Payable:</u> | | | | |
| AMOR | 23,012 | 12 | - | - |
| | \$ 23,712 | 12 | - | - |
| <u>Advance Sales Receipts:</u> | | | | |
| ABIT H.K. | \$ 133,460 | 68 | 102,925 | 65 |
| ROLLY | 35 | - | - | - |
| Timerwell Taiwan | 11 | - | - | - |
| | \$ 133,506 | 68 | 102,925 | 65 |

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d. Others

In 2003 and 2002, payment to subsidiaries for repair and maintenance services rendered by the Company to customers along with commissions and expenses in connection with business referral between the Company and subsidiaries were as follows:

| <u>Repair and maintenance expenses</u> | <u>2003</u> | <u>2002(Restated)</u> |
|--|------------------|-----------------------|
| AMOR | \$ 2,241 | 17,530 |
| ABIT H.K. | - | 9,971 |
| ABIT S.G. | 281 | 69 |
| ROLLY | - | 26 |
| ABIT U.S.A | - | 124 |
| | <u>\$ 2,522</u> | <u>27,720</u> |
| | | |
| <u>Commission revenues</u> | | |
| ABIT S.G. | <u>\$ 2,181</u> | <u>7,826</u> |
| | | |
| <u>Services expenses</u> | | |
| Timerwell Taiwan | \$ 30,180 | - |
| Welltop Business | 8,000 | 18,834 |
| | <u>\$ 38,180</u> | <u>18,834</u> |
| | | |
| <u>Other expenses</u> | | |
| Timerwell Technology (Taiwan) Co., Ltd. | \$ - | 19,571 |
| Welltop Business | 12,346 | - |
| | <u>\$ 12,346</u> | <u>19,571</u> |
| | | |
| <u>Advertising</u> | | |
| AMOR | <u>\$ 1,950</u> | - |
| | | |
| <u>Other income</u> | | |
| ROLLY | <u>\$ 1,755</u> | - |

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e. Lease agreements

Information regarding commission income resulting from leasing to related parties is as follows:

January 1, ~December 31, 2003

| Leasee | Location of leased item | Period | Monthly rent (including tax) | Payment method | Rent income (not taxed) |
|---------------------|---|-------------------------------------|---|---------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Timerwell Taiwan | 4F. -2, No 323, Yang Guang St., NEIHU, TAIPEI | 2003.02~2004.02 | 624 | Monthly | \$ 7,131 |
| AKOM | 5Fl., No. 323, Yang Guang St., NEIHU, TAIPEI Parking rent B2 - 102, 103, 104 | 2002.02~2004.01 | 488 (includes parking rent of 8) | Monthly | 5,582 |
| WELLTOP | 10F. -1., No 323, Yang Guang St., NEIHU, TAIPEI | 2002.02 ~2003.01 2003.02~2004.02 | 96 13 | Monthly Monthly | 227 |
| Total | | | | | <u>\$ 12,940</u> |

January 1, ~December 31, 2002 (Restated)

| Leasee | Location of leased item | Period | Monthly rent (including tax) | Payment method | Rent income (not taxed) |
|---------------|---|------------------|---|---------------------------|------------------------------------|
| ROLLY | 4F. -2, No 323, Yang Guang ST., NEIHU, TAIPEI | 2002.02~2002.08 | 150 | Monthly | \$ 714 |
| AKOM | 5Fl., No 323, YANG GUANG ST., NEIHU, TAIPEI Parking rent B2 - 102, 103, 104 | 2002.02~2004.01 | 488 includes parking rent of 8) | Monthly | 5,117 |
| WELLTOP | 10F. -2, No 323, Yang Guang St., NEIHU, TAIPEI | 2002.02 ~2004.02 | 96 | Monthly | 950 |
| Total | | | | | <u>\$ 6,781</u> |

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f. Guarantee endorsements

As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, guarantees and endorsements for related parties - ROLLY totaled NT\$70,200 thousand and NT\$70,200 thousand, respectively.

g. Property transactions

(a) In 2003 and 2002, machinery equipment sold to Rolly amounted to NT\$13,274 thousand and NT\$152,139 thousand, respectively, for a loss of NT\$2,986 thousand and a gain of NT\$2,740 thousand, respectively.

(b) In 2002, deferred assets purchased from Timerwell Technology (Taiwan) Co. Ltd. totaled NT\$10,891 thousand.

(c) In 2002, the Company sold 1,076,000 shares of Timerwell Technology (Taiwan) Co. Ltd. at NT\$15 per share to Vincent Meng for a total of NT\$16,144 thousand, resulting in a gain of NT\$3,637 thousand, reflected as other current assets.

h. Financing to others

For the year ended December 31, 2003, financing provided to related parties for operating needs was as follows:

| <u>Prepayments to Suppliers</u> | <u>Maximum Amount</u> | <u>Balance</u> | <u>Interest Rate</u> | <u>Total Interest</u> |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| ROLLY | \$ 862,497 | - | 2.18%~2.23% | 2,783 |

The loans were reflected as advance payment for sales.

22. Pledged Assets

As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, the following assets were pledged as collateral for long- and short-term loans or their use was restricted:

| <u>Assets</u> | <u>December 31,</u> | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| | <u>2003</u> | <u>2002(Restated)</u> |
| Restricted deposits – current | \$ 229,189 | 1,150,780 |
| Restricted deposits – noncurrent | 1,000 | 5,000 |
| Account receivable | - | 225,368 |
| Fixed assets | 1,598,794 | 1,596,519 |
| Leased assets | 408,640 | 393,933 |
| Idled assets | 158,018 | 190,172 |
| Total | <u>\$ 2,395,641</u> | <u>3,561,772</u> |

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23. Major Commitments and Contingencies

- (1) As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, unused letters of credit amounted to NT\$34,443 thousand, US\$1,255 thousand, and NT\$8,521 thousand, US\$273 thousand, respectively.
- (2) As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, promissory notes issued for loans from financial institutions amounted to NT\$1,202,470 thousand and NT\$1,643,738 thousand, respectively.
- (3) As of December 31, 2003 and 2002, promissory notes received from operations amounted to NT\$111,468 thousand and NT\$185,580 thousand, respectively.
- (4) The Tax Authority ruled that a portion of the Company's investment tax credits were inapplicable and decrease in tax refund of NT\$3,752 thousand, and additional taxes totaling NT\$5,084 thousand, \$9,873 thousand were assessed for the tax retruns for 1998, 1999, and 2000, respectively, and as of December 2002, stated as income tax expense. The Company filed for reassessment on November 21, 2002, August 21, 2002, and August 13, 2002. On May 16, 2003, the Company received the Tax Authority decision on the reassessment of the Company's tax return for 2000 to maintain the original ruling. On July 24, 2003, the Company filed an appeal. On October 20, 2003, the Company received the reassessment ruling to refund \$328 thousand for the tax return for 1999. As of March 16, 2004, the Company had not received the reassessment ruling for 1998.
- (5) As of December 31, 2002, the Company had provided accounts receivable from Hewlett Packard as collateral for Rolly Technology Holdings Ltd.'s bank loan from Bank SinoPac, totaling US\$6,965 thousand.
- (6) As of December 31, 2002, time deposits in foreign banks amounted to US\$25,000 thousand which is used as collateral for credit limits for purchases from a manufacturer. The Company must approve any use of the credit limit, and the manufacturer must have outstanding accounts receivable with the Company.
- (7) As of December 31, 2002, promissory notes acquired from customers due to sales amounted to US\$1,000 thousand.

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24. Significant Subsequent Events

- (1) Information regarding convertible bonds already converted as of March 16, 2004

| | March 16, 2004 |
|--|-----------------------|
| Domestic unsecured convertible bond unconverted amount | \$ 25,700 |
| Foreign unsecured convertible bond unconverted amount | 2,551,875 |
| Less: Converted amount | (773,464) |
| Add: Interest payable | 9,875 |
| Total | \$ 1,813,986 |

25. Business Segment Financial Information

- (1) Information by Industry

The primary segments the Company engages in are trade and maintenance of computer hardware and peripherals, manufacturing and processing of computers, trade in parts and components, and related imports and exports, and bidding and quotation.

- (2) Information by Geographical Region and on Exports:

In 2003 and 2002, exports amounted to NT\$25,232,008 thousand and NT\$18,991,626 thousand, respectively.

| Area | 2003 | 2002(Restated) |
|---------|----------------------|-------------------|
| Europe | \$ 9,025,624 | 3,412,554 |
| Asia | 13,740,400 | 11,418,632 |
| America | 2,386,861 | 4,036,778 |
| Oceania | 59,467 | 114,590 |
| Africa | 19,656 | 9,072 |
| Total | \$ 25,232,008 | 18,991,626 |

- (3) Information on Major Clients

In 2003 and 2002, clients with revenue over 10% of the total as reflected in the statement of income were as follows:

| | 2003 | | 2002(Restated) | |
|------------------------------|---------------------|--------------|----------------|---|
| | Total sales | | Total sales | |
| | Amount | % | Amount | % |
| SKY GLORY TECHNOLOGY LIMITED | \$ 4,406,580 | 16.66 | - | - |
| POWER WINNER | 2,999,887 | 11.34 | - | - |
| | \$ 7,406,467 | 28.00 | - | - |