Lenovo Group Limited FY2005/06 Q1 Results

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Financial and Business Review



2005/06 Q1 Financial Highlights

- Turnover: HK\$19.6 billion, up 234%
- Gross margin: 15.33%, up 1.58 points from 13.75%
- EBITDA: HK\$829 million, up 135% from HK\$352 million
- Profit before tax: HK\$515 million, up 54% from HK\$333 million
- Cash flow from operations: HK\$4.3 billion
- Net cash reserves: HK\$5.9 billion
- Cash conversion cycle: -35 days, improved from +10 days

Note: All comparisons Y/Y

All results comparisons are between new Lenovo and legacy Lenovo

Unit shipment numbers are based on merged 3 months performance, including one month IBM PCD notebook and desktop numbers

Source: Market performance is based on industry and company estimates Gross Margin: Total Manufacturing Cost adopted to include both BMC and NBMC



2005/06 Q1 Results

HK\$ Million	2005/06 Q1	2004/05 Q1	Change
Turnover	19,613	5,878	234%
Gross margin	15.33%	13.75%	+1.58 pts
EBITDA	829	352	135%
Profit before taxation	515	333	54%
Profit attributable to shareholders	357	337	6%
Earnings per share (Basic)	4.12 HK cents	4.50 HK cents	-8%
Net margin	1.82%	5.73%	-3.91 pts
ROE	3.57%	6.97%	-3.40 pts

- Group's total PC clients shipped as reported by IDC 3.52 million units*
- HK\$161 million amortization of intangible assets, including HK\$127 million deal intangible assets, HK\$32 million Olympic marketing rights, and HK\$2 million other intangible assets.
 - * IDC's report for three month period ended June 30, including 3 months of Lenovo China, 2 months of acquisition, and 1 month of IBM PC client.

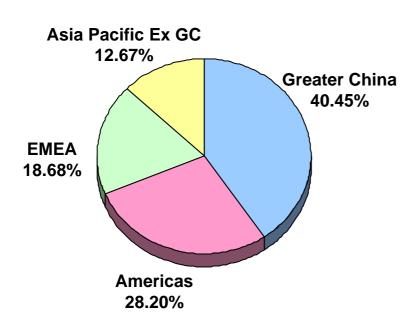


2005/06 Q1 Turnover Breakdown

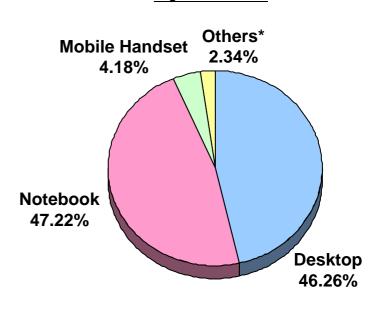
Balanced Portfolio

Increased Notebook Mix

By Region



By Product





^{*} Others includes servers, printers, digital products, IT service, etc.

2005/06 Q1 Region Summary: Strong Profitability

HK\$ Million	Greater China	Asia Pacific (ex GC)	EMEA	Americas	Total Group
Turnover					
Total	7,935*	2,485	3,663	5,530	19,613
PC business	6,657				
Mobile handset	820				
Segment operating profit					
Total	463	(29)	40	249	723

Greater China

- Revenue up 35%, operating profit up 55% Y/Y
- PC shipments growth well above market

Americas

- Solid margins in all regions
- Strength in notebooks, Brazil

EMEA

- Strength in desktop, notebook
- Strength in Russia
- Asia Pacific (ex GC)
 - Slow demand in Japan
 - India PC client shipments up 32%
 Q/Q, vs. market up 8% Q/Q

Source: Market performance is based on industry and company estimates



^{*}Including other businesses
PC client = Desktop + Notebook

Lenovo Worldwide Market Share

New Lenovo Performance

	Client Unit Growth					
Region	Ships ('000)	Y/Y	Q/Q	Unit Share		
Americas	825	-4%	4%	4.5%		
EMEA	677	2%	10%	4.6%		
Greater China	1,542	24%	26%	30.6%		
Asia Pacific ex GC	474	-6%	4%	6.1%		
Worldwide	3,519	7%	14%	7.7%		

- #3 Market Position Worldwide
- Sequential growth outpacing the market growth
- Gaining share in all regions Q/Q



Key Financial Figures

HK\$ Million		2005/06 Q1		2004/05 Full Year				2004/05 Q1
Cash earnings	\$	532	\$	1,043	\$	320		
Cash reserves	\$	9,781	\$	3,019	\$	3,017		
Total bank borrowings	\$	3,900	\$	-	\$	181		
Net cash reserves	\$	5,881	\$	3,019	\$	2,837		
Capital expenditure	\$	121	\$	\$ 177		56		
Current ratio		1.0 x	1.9 x			1.9 x		
Days inventory		8 days		20 days 25 day				
Days receivable		18 days		35 days 31 day				
Days payable		61 days		50 days		46 days		
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Cash Conversion Cycl	e	-35 days	—		-	+10 days		

Cash Earnings: Defined as net income before amortization of goodwill and acquired intangible assets, other acquisition related charges, disposal gain/loss on investment, and impairment loss of goodwill and assets.



Emerging Markets: Successful Business Model in China

- Strengthen relationship and transactional models
 - Relationship: improved profit margin, reduced inventory cost, continue to gain market share in Large Enterprise segment
 - Transactional: increased sales zone, contact/service to customers
- Focus on notebook
 - Notebook market share increased to 34%, shipments up 31%
- Penetrate into high-volume growth segments
 - Consumer DT market share increased from 27% to 36%
 - Township PC rapid growth in tier 5 and 6 cities
- Overall results in Mainland China
 - Volume up 28% vs. Market (Ex-Lenovo) up 14%
 - Share 34%; up 2.6 points

All comparisons Y/Y

Source: Market performance is based on industry and company estimates



Emerging Markets: Significant Growth

	New Lenov	o Performance		Performance ng Lenovo
Region	Client Y/Y			Init Growth Q/Q
Mainland China	28%	28%	14%	5%
India	35%	32%	29%	6%
Brazil	58%	25%	44%	15%
Russia	50%	51%	28%	-1%
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- India: New sales team in non-metropolitan cities to align with growth opportunities
- Brazil: Expanding product portfolio, manufacturing capability, and marketing coverage



Notebook

- Revenue HK\$ 9.3 billion; 47% of total Lenovo revenue
- Worldwide notebook gaining momentum in marketplace
 - sequential growth was 9% outpacing the industry forecast
- Continued Innovation in 2005
 - Launched products with Intel Alviso processor (X, T, R Series)
 - Fingerprint Reader on ThinkPad X Series and R Series
 - World's most secure notebooks
 - Demo working Fuel Cell notebook Prototype
 - Lenovo branded consumer notebooks with improved features, such as wide screen, wireless internet connection, trendy design, camera, captured fast growing consumer segment
 - X41 Tablet

"I've been waiting for a ThinkPad that was a tablet form factor, and I know a lot of other folks have, too."

- Steve Ballmer, CEO, Microsoft

"The new ThinkPad X41 Tablet is the lightest convertible on the market, and is perfectly positioned to help bring tablets into the mainstream."

PC Magazine Editor's Choice

ThinkPad X41 Tablet

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Desktop

- Revenue: HK\$ 9.1 billion
- 46% of revenue from desktop
- Worldwide Desktop had a very strong quarter
 - Sequential growth of 17%, well ahead of the industry
- Innovative products, targeted to growing customer segments
 - ThinkCentre with integrated fingerprint reader, World's most secure DT
 - ThinkCentre with first dual-core processor platform
 - Lenovo Yangtian commercial desktop with innovation for SMB
 - "One-key virus kill", "One-key system restoration"
 - Lenovo Jiayue consumer desktop with innovation for families
 - Preinstalled software and on-line service for education
 - Lenovo Fengxing consumer desktop with innovation for gaming
 - Adjustable CPU performance



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Mobile Handset: Breaking Through with Innovation

- HK\$25 million profit, >1 million shipped in Q1
- 4.3% share, up 70 bps from March
- ET960 Smartphone received BusinessWeek /IDSA Award
- Solid margin thanks to strong in-house design capability



Source: Market performance is based on industry and company estimates



Q1: Solid Results Building Road to Growth

- Acquired business profitable
- Integration and synergies
- China's model proved successful, transferable
- Emerging markets continue to lead the growth
- Leadership in notebook has strategic importance



Integration and 2006 Strategic Objectives



New Lenovo's three-phase growth plan

Deliver on the promise of Lenovo and on our commitments

Phase 1

_	Delight customers, retain their business	=
_	Maintain product leadership, sales momentum	=+
_	Ensure effective business operations	+
_	Positively introduce/position the company, brands	+
_	Develop employees, reward excellence	+

Phase 2

Increase our competitiveness through operational excellence, innovation, and branding

- Become faster, more efficient
- Increase Think brand equity; grow Lenovo into WW brand
- Build global innovation, performance culture, and reputation
- Investment in targeted new products/markets

Phase 3

Drive aggressive, profitable growth

Invest to lead in selected segments



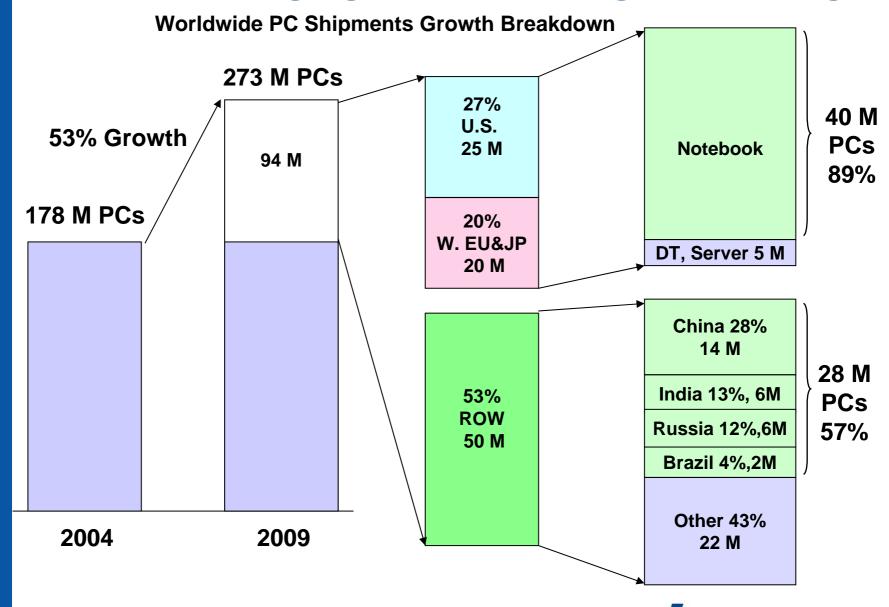
Strategies: What You Should Expect from Lenovo in 2006

- Cost and expense competitiveness
- Product line expansion
- Brand development and demand generation
- Sales model and sales execution
- Investment in emerging markets
- Integration of businesses

Creating growth and a growth culture



Lenovo's Emerging Market Strategic Advantage:



Integration: Building Operational Efficiency

- Synergy actions to date are on track to our targets
- Procurement contracts and execution consolidated worldwide
- Sales and country operations in place and integrated in all countries
- 8 of 16 major functions fully integrated
 - Procurement, Marketing, Finance, Accounting, Tax,
 Treasury, Legal, Communications
- Additional potential in four key areas
 - ISC, manufacturing operations
 - Product lines
 - IT
 - Services



Growth Will be Driven by Four Lenovo Advantages:

- Innovation model and design competence
- Lenovo model of operational excellence
- Business mix rich in fast growing notebook markets
- Geographic mix rich in fast growing emerging markets



Remarks



Appendix

- Consolidated Profit and Loss Account
- Consolidated Balance Sheet
- Condensed Consolidated Cash Flow Statement
- Background Information on Lenovo Innovation Centers



2005/06 Q1 Consolidated P&L Account

		2005/06		2004/05	Y/Y
HK\$ Million		Q1		Q1	Change
Turnover	\$	19,613	\$	5,878	233.7%
EBITDA	\$	829	\$	352	135.2%
Depreciation expenses and amortization of prepaid lease payments	\$	(103)	\$	(52)	
Amortization of intangible assets	\$	(161)	\$	(8)	
Amortization of deferred compensation	\$	(13)	\$	-	
Impairment of assets	\$	-	\$	(31)	
(Losses)/gains on disposal of investments and available-for-sale financial assets	\$	(3)	\$	54	
Finance income	\$	23	\$	21	
Profit from operations	\$	572	\$	336	70.0%
Finance costs	\$	(53)	\$	(1)	
	\$	519	\$	335	
Share of profits/(losses) of jointly controlled entities	\$	1	\$	(4)	
Share of (losses)/profits of associated companies	\$	(5)	\$	2	
Profit before taxation	\$	515	\$	333	54.4%
Taxation	\$	(152)	\$	(11)	
Profit for the period	\$	363	\$	322	12.7%
Attributable to:					
Shareholder's equity of the Company	\$	357	\$	337	6.0%
Minority interests	\$	6	\$	(15)	
	\$	363	\$	322	
Earnings per share (Basic)	4.12	HK cents		HK cents	
Earnings per share (Fully diluted)	4.07	HK cents	4.50	HK cents	_
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Consolidated Balance Sheet

HK\$ Million	(As at 6/30/2005	3/	As at /31/2005
Intangible assets	\$	15,058	\$	513
Property, plant and equipment	\$	1,348	\$	828
Prepaid lease payments	\$	50	\$	50
Construction-in-progress	\$	269	\$	257
Investments	\$	229	\$	307
Available-for-sale financial assets	\$	66	\$	-
Deferred tax assets	\$	56	\$	53
Other non-current assets	\$	78	\$	570
Current assets	\$	27,303	\$	6,454
Current liabilities	\$	27,012	\$	3,473
Net current assets	\$	291	\$	2,981
Total assets less current liabilities	\$	17,445	\$	5,559
Shareholders' funds	\$	9,997	\$	5,204
Minority interests	\$	30	\$	24
Long-term liabilities	\$	7,418	\$	331
	\$	17,445	\$	5,559



Condensed Consolidated Cash Flow Statement

HK\$ Million	2005/06 Q1	2004/05 Q1
Net cash inflow from operating activities	\$ 4,338	\$ 292
Net cash outflow from investing activities	\$ (4,208)	\$ (101)
Net cash inflow from financing activities	\$ 6,641	\$ 176
Increase in cash and cash equivalents	\$ 6,771	\$ 367
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	\$ 3,019	\$ 2,650
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes	\$ (9)	\$
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	\$ 9,781	\$ 3,017



Lenovo Innovation Centers – Accelerating Innovation

RESEARCH TRIANGLE PARK, N.C., May 24, 2005 ... Lenovo announced plans to establish new Innovation Centers

- Demonstrate Lenovo's Commitment to Purposeful **Innovation**
- Showcase Best in Class, Proven Solutions
- Collaboration venue for our Partners and Customers
- Access to Industry experts focused on delivery of proven solutions
- Incubation of new technologies driving business advantage for our Customers



Beijing Innovation Center Concept - Opening Sept 2005









