

Etron Announces October 2008 Sales Report

Etron Technology (GTSM: 5351) today announced that its net sales for October 2008 were NT\$571 million (US\$18 million), down 18.5% from NT\$700 million (US\$22 million) for September 2008. Accumulated revenues from January through October of this year totaled NT\$6,889 million (US\$221 million).

The recent global economic recession has caused a decrease of consumer confidence and product prices, and the company has declined to sell some products with extremely low prices. The situation has resulted in smaller revenues in October compared to that of the previous month. Etron has maintained good relationships with customers, with its customer number continuing to grow. The company will continue to strive for products that meet customers' needs, and work toward advanced wafer process technology and new product designs to better improve cost structure and keep financially healthy. It will also keep making the best efforts to further strengthen competitive advantages and prepare for growth in an economic recovery.

Sales Report of October 2008 (Unit: NT\$ thousand)

October		January through October	
Oct. 2008*	570,562	Jan.~ Oct. 2008*	6,888,779
Sept. 2008*	700,215	Jan.~ Oct. 2007	1,1081,618
MoM Change %	(18.5%)	YoY Change %	(37.8%)

*Year 2008 figures have not been audited.

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