

# Silicon Motion 3Q24 Earnings Highlights

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# **3Q 2024 Operating Highlights**

#### Financial (Non-GAAP)

- Revenue = \$212.4m (+1% QoQ, +23% Y/Y)
- Gross Margin = 46.8% (vs. 46.0% prior Qtr)
- Operating Exp = \$65.1m (vs. \$62.1m prior Qtr)
- Operating Margin = 16.1% (vs. 16.5% prior Qtr)
- EPS (diluted) = \$0.92 (vs. \$0.96 prior Qtr)

#### Financial (GAAP)

- Revenue = \$212.4m (+1% QoQ, +23% Y/Y)
- Gross Margin = 46.7% (vs. 45.9% prior Qtr)
- Operating Exp = \$74.8m (vs. \$66.0m prior Qtr)
- Operating Margin = 11.5% (vs. 14.6% prior Qtr)
- EPS (diluted) = \$0.62 (vs. \$0.91 prior Qtr)

#### Business

- SSD controller sales were flat Q/Q and increased 20% to 25% Y/Y
- eMMC+UFS controller sales increased 0% to 5% Q/Q and increased 40% to 45% Y/Y
- SSD solutions sales increased 5% to 10% Q/Q and increased 5% to 10% Y/Y



# **Significant New Product Introductions in 2024**

## **Client SSDs**

- SM2508 High-performance 6nm 8-channel PCIe Gen5 SSD Controller
  - 8 NAND channels, 3,600 MT/s, 14GB/s sequential with ultra-low power consumption of 3.5W power consumption
- SM2504XT Mainstream 6nm 4-channel DRAM-less PCIeGen5 SSD Controller
- SM2324 External USB4 portable SSD controller for AI smart device & gaming consoles
- **SM2264XT-AT** PCIe Gen4 SSD controller for Automotive & ADAS architectures

## eMMC/UFS

- **SM2756** High-performance 6nm UFS 4.0 controller for smartphone, automotive & edge computing
  - 4,300/4,000 MB/s read/write with TLC & QLC NAND support

## **Enterprise/Data Center/AI**

- SM8366 High-performance 16-channel PCIe Gen5 SSD Controller
  - Industry's 1st QLC-based Zone Namespace SSD
  - Proprietary MonTitan PerformaShape technology with 2,400 MT/s, 14GB/s sequential read and 3.5M IOPS (4K) Random Read



## **SSD Highlights**

- Shipping to all flash makers and virtually all module makers
- New high-performance PCIe 5.0 SSD controller industry's first merchant 6nm controller
  - Wins with four flash makers, up from three in the March quarter and virtually all module makers
  - Early shipments began in 3Q24
  - Market-leading power/performance
- Mass-market PCIe 5.0 controller coming in calendar 2025
  - 4-channel PCIe 5.0 solution for mainstream PCs coming in early 2026
- Automotive-Grade PCIe 4.0 Product
  - Two flash maker wins and expect to ramp with leading electric car platform in 2025







## eMMC & UFS Highlights

- Shipping UFS 2.2 and UFS 3.1 to two flash makers and several module makers
- Shipping to virtually all tier-one handset OEMs
- Successfully taped-out SM2756 UFS 4.1 controller – qualification is on going and the progress is good
- 2-channel UFS 4.1 controller has significant advantages over existing 4channel competitors, generating significant interest
- Partnering directly with one tier-one handset OEM with QLC UFS solution
- Diversifying eMMC and UFS through automotive, industrial and other high growth, high-volume markets



#### Applications

Mobile Devices AR/VR Devices Drones Cameras

#### **Specifications**

Supports HS-Gear-5 x 2-Lane Supports MPHY version 5.0 Supports UniPro standard version 2.0 Compatible with UFS 4.0/3.1



## **Enterprise, Datacenter & AI Infrastructure Highlights**

- MonTitan<sup>™</sup> SM8366 based development platform has sampled over a dozen target customers including:
  - Tier-1 Datacenter and Enterprise Storage Customers
  - NAND Flash Manufactures
  - Module Makers/Ecosystem Partners
- Achieved Design wins with Tier-1 Customers – in the US and in China
- On track to win two additional customers in the current quarter
- MonTitan<sup>™</sup> shipments for revenue begin this quarter



## **Revenue and Non-GAAP EPS Trends**

REVENUE

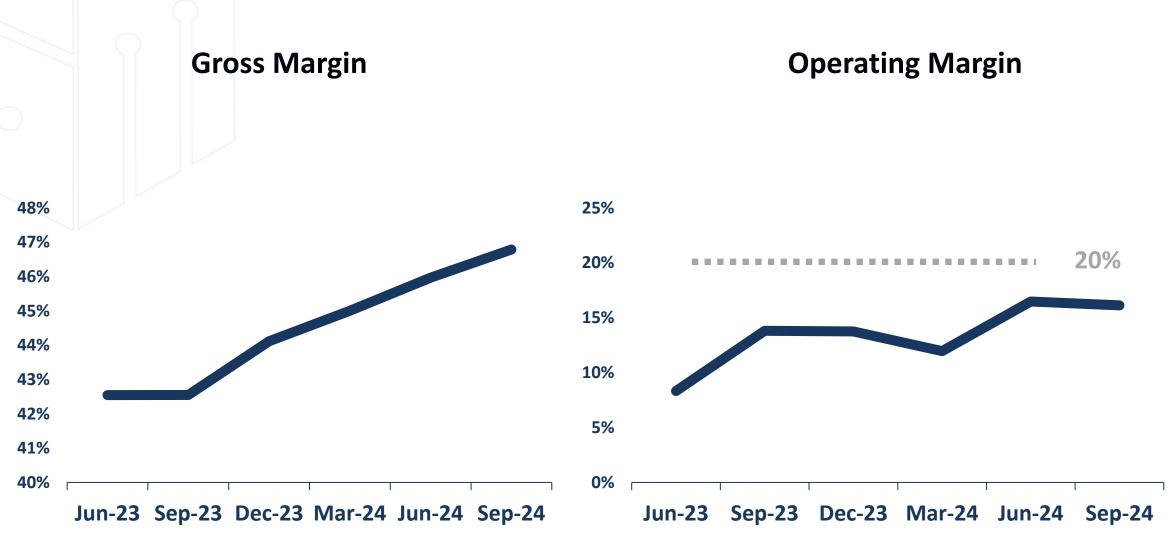
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## **Non-GAAP Gross & Operating Margin Trends**





## **Balance Sheet and Capital Allocation**

(\$ in millions)	2022	2023	2024 YTD
Cash at the end of each period	232.2	314.3	313.9
Cash flow generated by operating actvities each year	83.9	149.1	83.4
Buybacks each year	133.2	-	-
Dividends	49.9*	16.7*	50.4

*Note: \* Dividend discontinued due to merger agreement with Maxlinear* 



## **Target Financial Model**

### 4Q 2024 Guidance

- Revenue = \$191m to \$202m
  (-10% to -5% Q/Q; -6% to 0% Y/Y)
- Gross margin = 46.5 to 47.5%
- Operating margin = 15.6 to 16.6%

	2021	2022	2023
Revenue	922	946	639
% <b>YoY</b>	+71%	+3%	-32%
Gross Margin	50%	50%	43%
Operating Expenses	196	216	199
Operating Margin	29%	27%	12%

Long-Term Model
Robust Growth
48% to 50%
Disciplined Expansion
25%+



## 3Q 2024 Non-GAAP P&L

(\$m)	Q3 2023		Q2 2024		Q3 202	4	%QoQ	%YoY
Revenue	172.3	100%	210.7	100%	212.4	100%	1%	23%
Cost of sales	99.0	57%	113.8	54%	113.1	53%	-1%	14%
Gross profit	73.3	43%	96.8	46%	99.3	47%	3%	35%
R&D	39.1	23%	50.7	24%	53.6	25%	6%	37%
SG&A	10.4	6%	11.4	5%	11.5	5%	1%	11%
Operating expense	49.5	29%	62.1	29%	65.1	31%	5%	32%
Operating profit	23.8	14%	34.7	16%	34.2	16%	-1%	44%
Other income/(expense)	3.5	2%	4.2	2%	3.5	2%	-16%	1%
Pre-tax earnings	27.3	16%	38.9	18%	37.7	18%	-3%	38%
Tax expense/(benefit)	6.2	4%	6.4	3%	6.7	3%	4%	8%
Net income	21.1	12%	32.5	15%	31.0	15%	-4%	47%
Dilute ADS (in millions)	33.6		33.7		33.8		0%	1%
Earnings per ADS (diluted)	0.63		0.96		0.92		-5%	46%



## **3Q 2024 Non-GAAP Reconciliation**

(\$m)	Non-GAAP	% of Revenue	Stock-Based Comp.	Restructuring Charges	Dispute Related Expenses	Unrealized Holding Gain(loss) on Investments	FX Gain / (Loss)	GAAP	% of Revenue
Revenue	212.4	100%						212.4	100%
Cost of sales	113.1	53%	0.1	0.0				113.1	53%
Gross profit	99.3	47%	(0.1)	(0.0)				99.3	47%
Research & development	53.6	25%	2.4		2.5			58.5	28%
Sales & marketing	6.6	3%	0.5					7.0	3%
General & administrative	5.0	2%	0.8		3.6			9.3	4%
Loss from settlement of litigation	-	0%						0.0	0%
Total operating expenses	65.1	31%	3.6	0.0	6.1			74.8	35%
Operating income	34.2	16%	(3.7)	(0.0)	(6.1)			24.5	12%
Other income / (expense)	3.5	2%				(0.6)	(0.5)	2.4	1%
Income before income taxes	37.7	18%	(3.7)	(0.0)	(6.1)	(0.6)	(0.5)	26.9	13%
Provision for income taxes	6.7	3%	(0.6)	0.0	0.0	0.0	(0.1)	6.0	3%
Net income	31.0	15%	(3.1)	(0.0)	(6.1)	(0.6)	(0.4)	20.8	10%
Earnings per ADS, diluted	0.92							0.62	
Diluted ADS	33.8							33.7	
Effective tax rate	17.8%							22.5%	

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