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High Performance Memory Technology for for Leading-Edge Applications Doug Schirle, CFO Didier Lasserre, VP of Sales and Investor Relations **February 2021**

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GSI Technology Overview

LEVERAGING OVER 25 YEARS OF MEMORY CHIP DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT TO BRING REVOLUTIONARY CHANGE TO COMPUTING

- Founded 1995 in Silicon Valley; IPO in 2007
- Fabless memory chip company
- Leading provider of "Very Fast" SRAM¹
- Largest portfolio of high-performance memory
- Launching Gemini Associative Processing Unit (APU)
- 35% insider ownership
- **\$175 million** market cap²



Employees Worldwide









1. Static Random Access Memory (SRAM) operates at speeds less than 10 nanoseconds, as defined by Gartner Dataquest

3. Includes cash and cash equivalents, short-term investments, and long-term investments as of December 31, 2020.



^{2.} Based on closing share price as of February 02, 2021 and shares outstanding of 23,797,963 as of January 31, 2021.

Capital Efficient Core Business Funds Growth

- Cap-ex light semiconductor business model manufacture with TSMC using master die production process
- Strong cash generation historically
- 100% of R&D budget focused on new AI solution
 - \$5+ million quarterly R&D spend to develop Gemini APU and the software and algorithm libraries
- Core business and strong balance sheet provide funding for Gemini APU development and marketing



Launching New Products

- **Radiation Hardened** and **Radiation Tolerant** chips for aerospace and defense leverage our core SRAM platform
- Gemini, GSI's patented associative processing unit (APU), ties AI innovation with core memory capabilities in a unique, memory-centric processor

The global **Al chip market** is projected to grow at a **CAGR of 45%** \$91.2 B \$6.6 B 2018

Source: Allied Market Research, Global Artificial Intelligence Chip Market by Chip type, Application, Technology, and Industry vertical; Global Forecast, 2019–2025.



Leveraging Expertise Into New Product Categories

Higher ASP, Higher Margin Products with Larger TAMs

Legacy SRAM Memory

- Industry leading, largest portfolio of high-performance memory products
- SigmaQuad[™] and SigmaDDR[™] core business growth drivers
- **SigmaQuad**[™] **SRAMs** recognized for industry-leading density and speeds
- 3rd and 4th Generation SRAM fastest off-the-shelf SRAM on market

Radiation Hardened SRAM

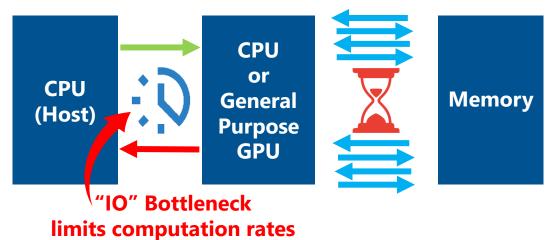
- 85%+ gross margin, ~\$30K ASP
- Satellites, missiles, high altitude flights

Gemini Associative Processing Unit (APU)

- Memory-centric parallel processing
- Speed and accuracy for extremely large data sets
- Scalable and customizable



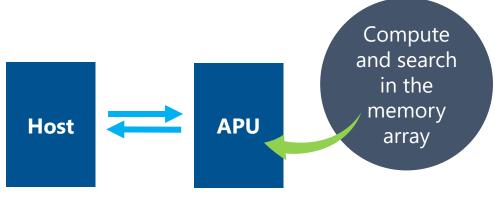
Al Processing Limitations Von Neumann Architecture Creates a Massive IO Bottleneck



- CPU/GPU limited by "von Neumann" bottleneck with large datasets
- Slower computation rates due to throughput limitations
- Significant power consumption
- Not a scalable system



APU Removes Bottleneck Revolutionary Computing Model





CPU or FPGA

APU on Leda-G Board

- In-memory processing reduces computation time from minutes to seconds, milliseconds, or nanoseconds
- Significantly reduced power consumption and total cost of ownership
- Massive parallel data processing with 2 million-bit processors per chip versus 1,000's in a GPU
- Scalable unique feature to Gemini



APU Software and Algorithms

Integrations for specific market applications, e.g.ApplicationsBiovia, Face Recognition, Hashcat

Algorithms

Custom GSI data science function improving specific computation, e.g. single shot learning, ANN Big Data Clustering

App Libraries

Libraries for specific application acceleration by developers, e.g. Search, DSP, Hash, etc.

Compiler Stack

Stack for algorithm conversion, framework support, and simplified low level code generation



Software Capability

Adaptable for Complex, Novel Solutions

GSI's software development team is developing sophisticated software to address diverse applications

Recent MAFAT Challenge* win showcases GSI's software capabilities

- GSI landed first place in the MAFAT Challenge to distinguish humans from animals in radar signal segments
- The competitions for accuracy fielded 1,000 competitors with over 4,300 entries (GSI was one of the last entrants in contest)
- GSI's software expertise, combined with the high-performance APU hardware solution, is a competitive advantage versus AI solutions typically siloed in either software or hardware

* See Company's press release dated January 6, 2021 "GSI Technology Takes Home First Prize in MAFAT Radar Challenge" for further details.



Target Applications Gemini-I Excels in Similarity Search

| Search Markets for Gemini-I | Nvidia GPU Google TPU Intel HABANA Graphcore IPU | CPU | FPGA | Gemini-I | |
|--|---|-----|------|----------|--|
| Facial Recognition Drug Discovery & Toxicity Genomics Signal Classification Object Detection Cryptography | × | X | X | | |
| Visual & Video Search Elasticsearch | Gemini outperforms all current search solutions | | | | |



Benchmark Performance Highlights Unique Capabilities

- GSI published* Gemini-I performance results for query-by-query similarity search on datasets up to one billion items
- This marks the first published record of ~1-millisecond latency with over 92% accuracy on a billion-item dataset
- Proves Gemini's lower latency (speed) versus CPU/FPGA architectures

Gemini-I provides superior total cost of ownership results with the smallest system footprint and lowest power usage

*Published in the Company's press release issued April 6, 2020



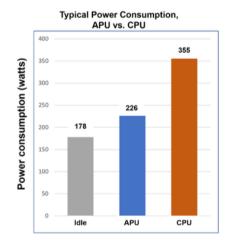
Facial Recognition Meet performance expectations with low TCO (Total Cost of Ownership)

Challenge

- Effective facial recognition systems need highly accurate results with near real-time responses of positive identification and to handle multiple queries simultaneously
- Current solutions require large numbers of costly GPUs and CPUs to deliver performance at scale

Gemini-I Solution

 Gemini-I delivers accurate results, reducing search times from many minutes to fractions of a second, with significantly lower power consumption



Gemini-I power consumption is 70% lower than CPU systems.



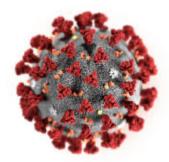
Cheminformatic Faster, Lower-Cost Drug Development

Challenge

- Drug discovery requires searching extensive molecular databases for molecules with similar properties to a known drug
- CPU-based systems require several minutes to complete only one molecule similarity search

Gemini-I Solution

 Gemini-I's hyper-scale computational search is many orders of magnitude faster and can perform multiple searches simultaneously, with more frequent exact matches



In the fight against COVID-19, the Weizmann Institute is using Gemini-I and a database of 40 million molecules in their search for an antiviral medications.



Gemini APU in Space Radiation Tolerant Onboard Processing

Challenge

Sensor-intensive satellites processing massive datasets

- Insufficient satellite bandwidth for exchanging large amounts of data with ground stations
- Safe satellite constellation navigation requires rapid response

Rad Tolerant Gemini-I Solution

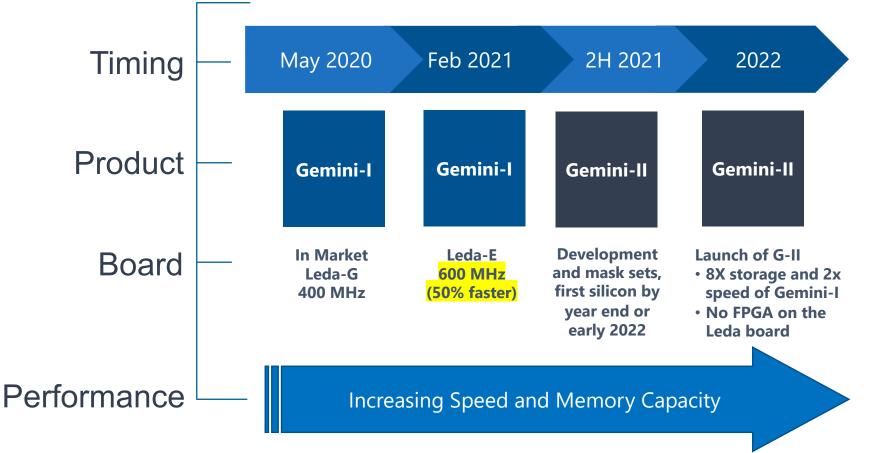
- Onboard AI, multiple data source integration, automatic target recognition, and weather analysis
- Crash avoidance and improved communications



Thousands of satellites in are in space with little traffic control. Gemini can avoid costly collisions with near real time responses.



APU Roadmap





Why Invest Now?

- **Timing** increasing awareness that memory-centric processors can solve the limitations of current AI processors
- **Trends** Gemini's advantages as more AI computing and search happens at the edge:
 - Smaller footprint, lower power usage, and lower total cost of ownership
- **Validated** published benchmarks validate APU's processing-in-memory delivers significant performance gains versus existing solutions
- **Go-to-market process** building industry awareness with customers testing boards
- GSI Technology is the leading public company play for in-memory computing
- Attractive risk/reward profile:
 - Limited downside given almost half the company's market cap is in cash with a low cash burn rate
 - Significant upside given the AI opportunity over three-to-five-year horizon



Thank you!



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High Performance Components for Leading-Edge Technology

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Key Takeaways

Gemini-I targeting multiple applications in similarity search

- Facial Recognition
- Drug Discovery and Toxicity
- Elasticsearch
- Signal Classification and Object Detection
- Cryptography
- Executing on building sales pipeline for Gemini-I
 - Anticipate sales ramp in second half of CY 2021
- Trading below comparable valuations at 3.9X EV/TTM Sales and 2.8X market cap/total cash
 - Gemini-I potential not reflected in current valuation



Appendix



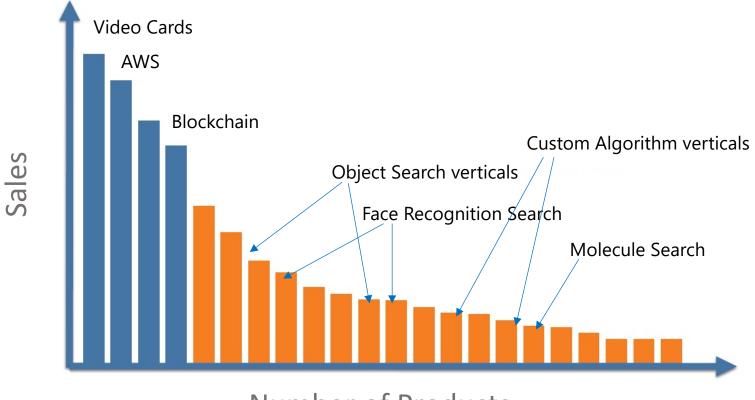
Al Processor Overview Gemini-I Excels in Similarity Search

- Visual search requires high processing speeds and accuracy
- Gemini-I speed and accuracy is ideal for visual search
- Gemini-II targeting inference and training (2022)

| Application | Nvidia GPU Google TPU Intel NERVANA NPP Graphcore IPU | ASIC | FPGA | Gemini-I | | |
|----------------------|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|--|--|
| Similarity search | × | × | × | ✓+ | | |
| Training | \checkmark | × | \bigcirc | × | | |
| Inference | \bigcirc | \checkmark | \checkmark | \checkmark | | |



Diverse Markets Long Tail Market for AI Search



Number of Products

NOTE: vertical height is for illustration and not indicative of scaled volume.



Income Statement

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(in thousands, except per share data) (Unaudited)

| | Three Months Ended | | | Nine Months Ended | | | | | | |
|---|--------------------|-------------------------|---------|--------------------------|---------|-------------------------|---------|-------------------------|---------|------------------|
| | I | Dec. 31, <u>2020</u> | 5 | Sept. 30, <u>2020</u> | [| Dec. 31, <u>2019</u> | [| Dec. 31, <u>2020</u> | | Dec. 31, 2019 |
| Net revenues Cost of goods sold | \$ | 6,763 3,566 | \$ | 6,659 3,547 | \$ | 10,049 4,000 | \$ | 20,043 10,684 | | 34,808 13,948 |
| Gross profit | _ | 3,197 | | 3,112 | | 6,049 | | 9,359 | | 20,860 |
| Operating expenses: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Research & development | | 5,736 | | 5,659 | | 8,208 | | 17,220 |) | 19,636 |
| Selling, general and administrative | | 2,612 | | 2,606 | | 2,584 | | 8,138 | } | 8,119 |
| Total operating expenses | | 8,348 | | 8,265 | | 10,792 | | 25,358 | | 27,755 |
| Operating loss | | (5,151) | | (5,153) | | (4,743) | | (15,999) |) | (6,895) |
| Interest and other income, net | | 25 | | (16) | | 207 | | 115 | 5 | 564 |
| Loss before income taxes | | (5,126) | | (5,169) | | (4,536) | | (15,884) |) | (6,331) |
| Provision for income taxes | | 90 | | 62 | | 84 | | 639 |) | 182 |
| Net loss | \$ | (5,216) | \$ | (5,231) | \$ | (4,620) | \$ | (16,523) |)\$ | (6,513) |
| Net loss per share, basic | \$ | (0.22) | \$ | (0.22) | \$ | (0.20) | \$ | (0.70) | \$ | (0.28) |
| Net loss per share, diluted | φ \$ | (0.22) | φ \$ | (0.22) | φ \$ | (0.20) | φ \$ | (0.70) | φ \$ | (0.28) |
| Net loss per share, diluted | φ | (0.22) | φ | (0.22) | φ | (0.20) | φ | (0.70) | φ | (0.20) |
| Weighted-average shares used in computing per share amounts: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Basic | | 23,71 | 6 | 23,617 | 7 | 23,096 | | 23,592 | 2 | 22,894 |
| Diluted | | 23,71 | 6 | 23,617 | 7 | 23,096 | | 23,592 | 2 | 22,894 |



Summary Balance Sheet

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(in thousands) (Unaudited)

| Cash and cash equivalents Short-term investments Accounts receivable Inventory Other current assets Net property and equipment Long-term investments Other assets Total assets | Dec. 31, 2020 \$43,064 9,196 4,012 4,523 1,979 7,444 10,126 11,248 \$91,592 | <u>March 31, 2020</u> \$51,506 15,061 6,330 4,282 1,934 8,119 4,117 11,212 \$102,561 |
|--|--|---|
| Current liabilities Long-term liabilities Stockholders' equity | \$8,404 4,709 78,479 | \$8,260 4,660 89,641 |
| Total liabilities and stockholders' equity | <u>\$91,592</u> | \$102,561 |



Experienced Management Team

| Name | Title | Years of Experience | Years with GSI | Prior Companies | |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|--|
| Lee-Lean Shu | President and CEO, | 42 | 25 | Sony, AMD | |
| Doug Schirle | Chief Financial Officer | 42 | 21 | Cypress, Pericom | |
| Didier Lasserre | VP Sales and IR | 32 | 23 | Cypress, Solectron | |
| Avidan Akerib | VP of Associative Computing | 40 | 5 | MikaMonu, NeoMagic | |
| Patrick Chaung | SR VP of Memory Design | 44 | 11 | Sony, AMD | |
| Robert Yau | VP of Engineering | 43 | 25 | Sony, Mosel Vitelic | |
| Bor-Tay Wu | VP of Taiwan Operations | 40 | 24 | Atalent, AMD | |

