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## Semi/Semicaps – Remain Positive on the Group...Continue to Accumulate...Our Top Picks Are Broadcom (AVGO) and KLA (KLAC)

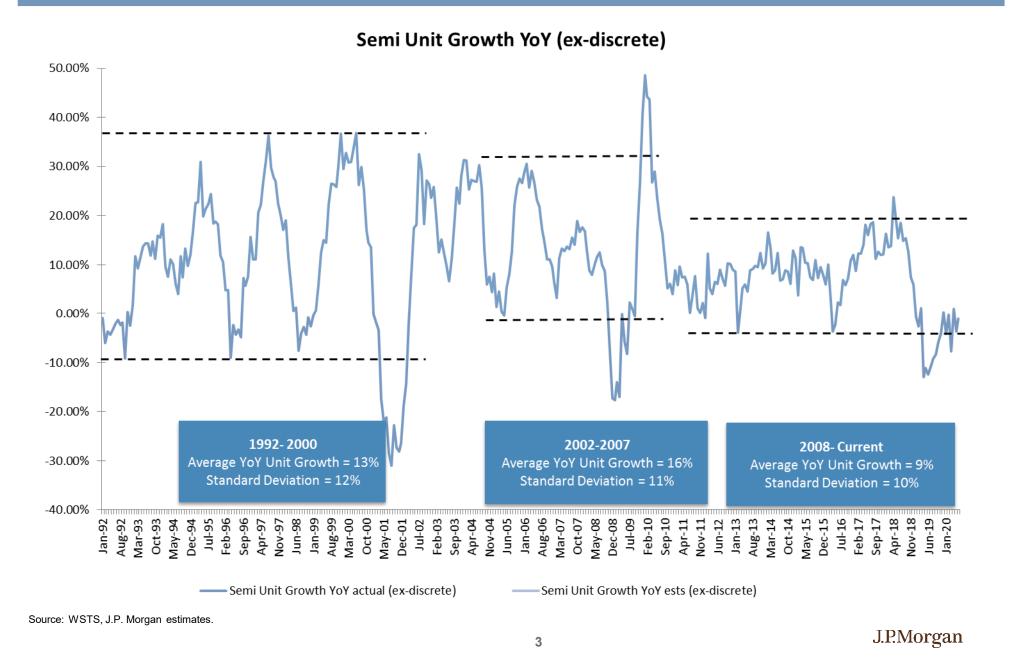
- We believe the semiconductor industry has entered a more stable and less cyclical growth phase characterized by low- to mid-single-digit annual revenue growth and high-single-digit unit growth
  - With the industry generally driving high-single-digit Y/Y unit growth, the entire value chain is able to better predict silicon consumption requirements, better respond to perturbations in supply/demand, and more efficiently plan manufacturing output
    - As a result, volatility in semiconductor supply/demand and semiconductor equipment spending has muted significantly
      - Compare this to 10 years ago, when unit growth rates were +15% Y/Y small perturbations in supply/demand would drive significant swings in inventory, shipments, capacity planning, and equipment spending
      - Bottom line: the current environment is likely more stable and less cyclical for semiconductor and semiconductor capital equipment suppliers. In a maturing industry, we believe the market will focus on market leadership/scale, operating margin and free cash flow margin expansion, and increasing payout ratios
- After 2019, when semi industry revenue (ex-memory) declined ~6% (ex-memory) and wafer fab equipment (WFE) spending was impacted by memory spending (down 30%+), as suppliers remain disciplined & focused on profitability, we estimate 2020 semi industry growth up low-single-digits % and semiconductor equipment spending up ~10% with growth in 2H20 vs. 1H20. 2021 Semi industry outlook of +8-10% and semicap spending of up 5-10%.
- In 2H20, similar to 2H19, we anticipate stocks continuing to positively discount better global macroeconomic demand trends 9 months forward as long as there's no COVID-19 resurgence during the upcoming winter months. We anticipate continued volatility in stocks on US/China trade conflict and on COVID-19. However, assuming no further deterioration of US/China trade conflict/COVID-19, we see stocks continuing to outperform for the remainder of 2020 as the market discounts a better 2021 macro environment and positive EPS revisions.
- Channel inventories remain normal/lean and end customers are carrying slightly higher levels of inventories and aren't likely to burn them off in 2H20 on fears of a COVID-19 resurgence/supply-chain disruptions: Supply-side indicators such as distribution inventory and lead times remain disciplined, and our companies have proactively reduced shipments to keep channel inventories lean.
- **Record consolidation (M&A) wave should continue in the medium term:** Focus on scale, diversification, and margin and FCF expansion
- Semis large-cap top pick: AVGO; we also favor MRVL, TXN, INTC, NVDA, MCHP, MU & QRVO semis small-cap top pick: IPHI. UW XLNX
  - Given continued volatility and potential trade concerns we focus on market leadership, strong US-based exposure to cloud/5G infrastructure spending trends, strong product cycles, diversification, and margin/free cash flow expansion with increasing payout ratios.

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Memory capex discipline should drive improved profitability in 2020. Semi capital equipment fundamentals to follow: top pick KLAC (OW) KLA's top-line is outperforming relative to industry peers on strong product cycles and robust Foundry/Logic spending. KLAC dominates the semiconductor process control equipment market with ~5x more market share than the #2 competitor. We are also OW LRCX & AMAT.

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Semis in More Stable Growth Phase – Focus on Market Leadership, Strong Product Cycles, Margin/Free Cash Flow Expansion, and Capital Allocation



# Earnings Revisions Turned Positive in the Recent 2Q Earnings Season and Semis/Semicap 2020 and 2021 Full-Year Industry Outlook Revisions Also Turned Positive

- The 2Q20 earnings season reflected headwinds companies faced from COVID-19, but we believe 2Q20 marked the trough for most companies and recovery is expected for 2H20 vs. 1H20. In line with this view, we previewed EPS revisions were going to turn positive after a 15-30% cut in EPS estimates post the last 1Q20 earnings season
- Post the recent 2Q20 earnings season, semiconductor companies' full-year EPS estimates were revised higher by 12-25% AND the number of companies that delivered in-line/better out-quarter guidance rose to 90% versus 50% in the prior quarter...
  - Semicap full-year EPS estimates were revised higher by 10-20% during the recent 2Q20 earnings season, and we anticipate further momentum on revisions as the 2021 WFE outlook for growth starts to solidify
- We anticipate the market continuing to discount an improving economic outlook into 2021 (semis tend to discount 9 months forward) and continued positive earnings revisions into 2021 driven by the following:
  - GDP growth of 5.1% in CY21 versus -4.2% in CY20
  - Semi industry growth of 8-10% in CY21
  - Cloud / hyperscale capex spending growth of 23% in CY21
  - **5G** smartphone unit shipment growth of 130% in CY21
  - 5G basestation deployment growth of 35% in CY21
  - Global light vehicle production growth of 12-13% in CY21
  - Petabyte growth in Capacity HDD of 35-40% and Client/Enterprise SSD shipments growth of 10-15%

Source: Industry data and J.P. Morgan estimates.

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# Broadcom (AVGO): Driving Strong Cloud Networking Upgrade Starting This Year, Strong Custom ASIC (Custom Chip) Pipeline

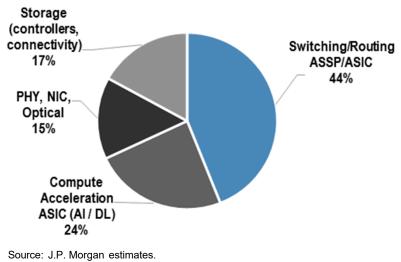
- Still viewed as an Apple iPhone Supplier (non-core business)....market not appreciating the diversification of the business....~25% of total revenues are now exposed to cloud datacenter
- Category Killer in Cloud Datacenter Networking....>85% share of merchant and ASIC switching silicon opportunity ~\$3B per year growing 10-15% Y/Y
  - Tomahawk 3 (50G PAM4 per port) production ramp started 2H18 – significant upgrade cycle in 2020
  - Tomahawk 4 (50G PAM4 per port) sampling now
  - Not only leader in switch/routing but also NIC, PHY, optical silicon as well to support the switch silicon
- Category Killer in Artificial Intelligence Custom Processor
  <u>Chips</u> to customers like Google (TPU1/2/3/4 and TPU5 beg. in 2021), Fujitsu, Intel, and several others...>\$1B business over next 12 months (from zero base in 2016)
- Strong cloud infrastructure spending not only benefits
  Broadcom's leadership in switching/routing, but also its
  leadership in enterprise/cloud storage silicon Enterprise
  SSD Controllers, HDD capacity cloud drive controllers, Storage
  HBA, Storage Systems connectivity
- Dividend at \$13 (from \$10.60 prior, or +23% Y/Y) and given continued strong FCF of the company and healthy fundamentals, we believe it opens up the possibility of a potential dividend increase in December

## Cloud Data Center Network/Storage Silicon SAM Opportunity and Growth

| Segments                                       | \$ SAM 2024e | SAM CAGR 2020e- 2024e |
|--|--------------|-----------------------|
| Data Center Networking<br>Compute Acceleration | ~ \$8.5B     | 13-15%                |
| Data Center Storage                            | ~ \$2.2B     | 5%                    |
| Combined                                       | ~ \$11B      | ~ 10-15%              |

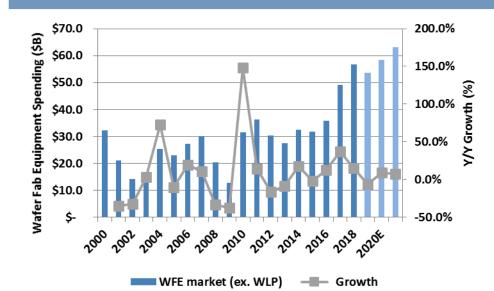
Source: J.P. Morgan estimates.

#### Cloud Datacenter Networking/Compute Acceleration ASIC/Storage Revenue Mix (25% of Total Revenues)



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## WFE Forecast and Key Programs for Semiconductor Manufacturers in 2020/2021



Source: Gartner and J.P. Morgan estimates

\* Data excludes wafer level packaging from 2013 (~\$2 billion per year)

Based on higher then expected Foundry/Logic spending, we now expect WFE spending to increase by ~10% in 2020

We expect Memory to recover modestly in 2020 on improving S/D fundamentals with Foundry/Logic showing further strength

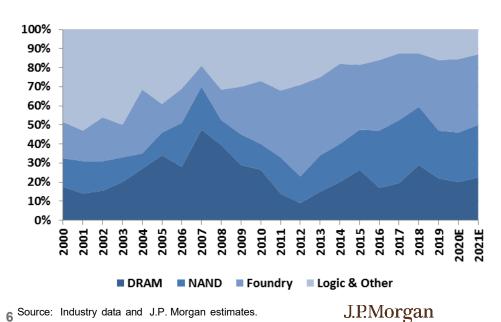
We expect 5-10% WFE growth in 2021 as Memory continues recovering with Foundry spending remaining strong

#### Key drivers:

- Memory WFE in 2020 held back on supply discipline, but we expect DRAM and NAND spending to accelerate in 2021
- Continued growth in Foundry/Logic in 2020 with spending to remain strong in 2021.
  - Broad-based across leading and lagging edge technologies
- Further growth in China spending in 2020 as local manufacturers come up the learning curve

| Manufacturer | Segment        | Technology                                       |
|--------------|----------------|--|
| China        | Foundry        | 28nm and abov e (Various)                        |
| China        | Memory (DRAM)  | 2X/1Xnm DRAM (CXMT)                              |
| China        | Memory (NAND)  | 64+ layer 3D NAND (YMTC, Wuhan)                  |
| Intel        | Logic          | 10nm/7nm FinFET (Israel, Oregon)                 |
| Intel        | Memory (NAND)  | 3D NAND (Dalian, China)                          |
| Micron       | Memory (NAND)  | RG 3D NAND (Singapore)                           |
| Micron       | Memory (DRAM)  | $1Z/1\alpha$ nm DRAM (Taiwan and Hiroshima Japan |
| Samsung      | Foundry /Logic | 3nm & 5nm FF(S-3, Hw aseong, South Korea)        |
| Samsung      | Memory (NAND)  | 100+L 3D NAND (PTK, Korea & Xian, China)         |
| Samsung      | Memory (DRAM)  | 1Z/1α nm DRAM DRAM (PTK, South Korea)            |
| SK hynix     | Memory (NAND)  | 100+ L 3D NAND (Cheongju, South Korea)           |
| SK hynix     | Memory (DRAM)  | 1Z/1α nm DRAM (Incheon, Korea; Wuxi, China)      |
| SMIC         | Foundry        | 14nm (and above) production (China - Various)    |
| TSMC         | Foundry        | 3nm & 5nm FF (Taiwan)                            |
| WDC/Partner  | Memory (NAND)  | 100+L 3D NAND (Yokkaichi and Kitakami Japan      |

Source: Industry data and J.P. Morgan estimates.



## Top Semicap Pick KLAC Dominates Process Control

- KLAC dominates the process control market with nearly 5x more market share than its nearest competitor
- Best-in-class margin profile ~60%+ GMs, 35%+ OPMs, 28-30% FCF margins...\$700M of R&D spending power dedicated to process control
  - KLA's R&D spending is roughly equal to the revenues of its #2 competitor and 1.2-6x larger than the revenues of its next 8 competitors
- Grew its process control systems business 2.5% last year when total WFE was down 6% and gained 270 basis points of market share in process control
- 6% growth and 420 bps in share gain in pattern wafer inspection driven by Gen 5 optical and new e-beam wafer inspection platforms
- 37% growth and 500 basis point share in mask (reticle) inspection
- 700 bps share gain in overlay metrology and 100 bps share gain in thin film metrology
- Scale advantages and portfolio strategy that will keep KLA #1 in process control using its dominance in pattern wafer inspection and mask (reticle) inspection as examples (these two businesses combined + services accounted for 40% of total CY19 sales)
- KLAC remains our top pick in semiconductor capital equipment

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# Industry Consolidation Should Help Support Valuations...Expect More M&A Despite COVID-19

| Announcement           | Buyer                        | Target  | Deal Value (\$M) | Status                 |
|------------------------|------------------------------|---|------------------|------------------------|
| 7/13/2020              | Analog Devices               | Maxim Integrated                              | 21,300           | Pending                |
| 7/7/2020               | Synaptics Inc.               | Broadcom's Wireless IoT Connectivity Business | 250              | Pending                |
| 4/6/2020               | MaxLinear                    | Intel's Connected Home Business               | 150              | Completed              |
| 12/16/2019             | Intel                        | Habana Labs                                   | 2,000            | Completed              |
| 8/8/2019               | Broadcom                     | Symantec's Enterprise Security Business       | 10,700           | Completed              |
| 7/9/2019               | Cisco Systems                | Acacia Communications Inc.                    | 2,600            | Pending                |
| 7/1/2019               | Applied Materials            | Kokusai Electric                              | 2,200            | Pending                |
| 6/24/2019              | Nanometrics Inc              | Rudolph Technologies                          | N/A              | Completed              |
| 6/10/2019              | Intel                        | Barefoot Networks                             | N/A              | Completed              |
| 6/3/2019               | Infineon Technologies        | Cypress                                       | 10,000           | Completed              |
| 5/29/2019              | NXP Semiconductors           | Marvell's Connectivity Business               | 1,760            | Completed              |
| 5/20/2019              | Marvell Technology Group Ltd | Avera Semiconductor LLC                       | 650              | Completed              |
| 5/6/2019               | Marvell Technology Group Ltd | Aquantia Corp                                 | 452              | Completed              |
| 4/10/2019              | Qorvo Inc.                   | Active-Semi International                     | 325              | Completed              |
| 3/27/2019              | On Semiconductor Corp.       | Quantenna Communications Inc.                 | 1,070            | Completed              |
| 3/15/2019              | Ideal Industries             | Cree Huizhou Solid State Lighting Co Ltd      | 310              | Completed              |
| 3/11/2019              | Nvidia Corp.                 | Mellanox Ltd.                                 | 6,900            | Completed              |
| 12/18/2018             | Cisco Systems                | Luxtera                                       | 660              | Completed              |
| 10/30/2018             | MKS Instruments              | Electro Scientific Industries                 | 1,000            | Completed              |
| 9/11/2018<br>7/11/2018 | Renesas<br>Broadcom Inc.     | Integrated Device Technology                  | 6,700<br>18,900  | Completed              |
| 5/8/2018               | Cohu                         | CA Technologies                               | 796              | Completed              |
| 3/19/2018              | KLA-Tencor Corp.             | Xcerra Corp<br>Orbotech Ltd.                  | 3,200            | Completed<br>Completed |
| 3/6/2018               | Cree                         | Infineon RF Power                             | 428              | Completed              |
| 3/1/2018               | Microchip Technology         | Microsemi Corp                                | 10,150           | Completed              |
| 11/20/2017             | Marvell Technology Group Ltd | Cavium Inc                                    | 6.018            | Completed              |
| 10/5/2017              | Dialog Semiconductor         | Silego technology                             | 276              | Completed              |
| 9/22/2017              | Canyon Bridge Capital        | Imagination Technologies                      | 743              | Completed              |
| 6/12/2017              | Synaptics Inc                | Conexant Systems                              | 341              | Completed              |
| 3/29/2017              | MaxLinear Inc.               | Exar Corp                                     | 446              | Completed              |
| 3/13/2017              | Intel                        | Mobileye                                      | 15,300           | Completed              |
| 2/13/2017              | IDT                          | Gigpeak                                       | 250              | Completed              |
| 2/2/2017               | Veeco                        | Ultratech                                     | 815              | Completed              |
| 12/21/2016             | TDK                          | Invensense                                    | 1,300            | Completed              |
| 11/21/2016             | MACOM                        | Applied Micro                                 | 770              | Completed              |
| 11/2/2016              | Broadcom                     | Brocade                                       | 5,900            | Completed              |
| 10/31/2016             | Inphi                        | ClariPhy                                      | 275              | Completed              |
| 9/23/2016              | Shanhai Capital              | Analogix Semiconductor                        | 500              | Completed              |
| 9/13/2016              | Renesas                      | Intersil                                      | 3,200            | Completed              |
| 8/25/2016              | Littelfuse Inc.              | ON Semi's Ignition IGBT business              | 100              | Completed              |
| 7/26/2016              | Analog Devices               | Linear Technology                             | 14,800           | Completed              |
| 7/17/2016              | Softbank                     | ARM Holdings                                  | 32,000           | Completed              |
| 6/15/2016              | Cavium                       | QLogic  | 1,360            | Completed              |
| 6/14/2016              | JAC Capital                  | NXP's Standard Products Business              | 2,750            | Completed              |
| 5/18/2016              | ARM Holdings PLC             | Apical Ltd                                    | 350              | Completed              |
| 5/13/2016              | NavInfo Co. Ltd              | Autochips Heifei Inc.                         | 598              | Completed              |
| 4/28/2016              | Cypress                      | Broadcom's IoT                                | 550              | Completed              |
| 3/3/2016               | Cisco Systems                | Leaba Semiconductor Ltd                       | 320              | Completed              |
| 2/23/2016              | MKS Instruments              | Newport Corporation                           | 980              | Completed              |
| 2/4/2016               | FormFactor Inc               | Cascade Microtech                             | 296              | Completed              |
| 1/13/2016              | Microchip                    | Atmel   | 3,420            | Completed              |
| 12/14/2015             | Micron Techonology           | Inotera Memories                              | 3,200            | Completed              |
| 11/18/2015             | ON Semiconductor             | Fairchild Semiconductor                       | 2,400            | Completed              |
| 10/26/2015             | Integrated Device Technology | ZMDI  | 310              | Completed              |
| 10/21/2015             | Western Digital              | Sandisk                                       | 19,000           | Completed              |
| 10/20/2015             | MicroSemi                    | PMC-Sierra                                    | 2,400            | Completed              |
| 9/30/2015              | Mellanox                     | Ezchip  | 811              | Completed              |
| 9/7/2015               | Mediatek                     | Richtek                                       | 879              | Completed              |
| 6/1/2015               | Intel                        | Altera  | 16,700           | Completed              |

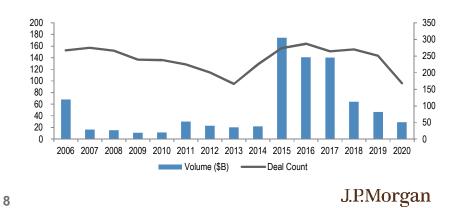
#### Semiconductors consolidating to focus on gaining:

- Build scale and drive profitability improvements
- End-market diversification

## Consolidation should drive more stable revenue growth and margins

- Less competition leads to less pricing pressure
- More market leadership and diversity
- 2015-2018 have seen \$100B+ per year in M&A deal activity versus the \$20-30B run-rate prior to this time period . . . even in 2020 deal activity still ~\$30B
- M&A characterized by "big getting bigger" . . . we expect to start seeing a lot more M&A activity with the smaller/medium-sized companies as there is pressure to drive scale to compete with much bigger competitors

Annual M&A Volume (\$B) and Deal Count Picked up Significantly in 2015... and Should Continue



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# Custom Chip (ASIC) Market Experiencing a Resurgence in Activity as Large OEMS/Cloud/Hyperscalers Look to Differentiate at the Silicon Level

- Demand is rising for custom ASICs because many of the large OEMs/CSPs/Hyperscalers are looking for more differentiation, better performance, lower power consumption, and overall lower cost of ownership versus off-theshelf chip solutions (or ASSPs)
- At the same time, these same customers do not have the capabilities to do large complex system-on-a-chip (SOC) designs, nor do they have the broad IP portfolio of on-chip design blocks, like high-speed SERDES capabilities or high-speed memory interface technology. They need to engage with semiconductor companies (ASIC companies) that have the IP and chip design expertise (Broadcom, Marvell, Intel, MediaTek, Inphi as examples)
- The digital custom ASIC chip market is a ~\$10-12B per year market opportunity:
  - Cloud/Hyperscale ASICS (AI processors, SmartNICs, Security/Video processors, Networking/Storage acceleration)
  - Telco/service provider equipment OEMs (5G basestation modem, 5G digital front end, 5G MIMO/Beamforming DSPs, Coherent DSPs for long haul/metro)

| Broadcom ASIC Customers    | Programs  | Technology          | Status                     |
|----------------------------|-----------|---------------------|----------------------------|
| Google                     | TPU1      | 28nm Technology     | Deployed                   |
| Google                     | TPU2      | 16nm Technology     | Deployed                   |
| Google                     | TPU3      | 16nm Technology     | Deployed                   |
| Google                     | TPU4      | 7nm Technology      | Begun production in 2Q20   |
| Google                     | TPU5      | 5nm Technology      | Target tape out 2021       |
| Google                     | Switching | 7nm Technology      | Target tape out 2021       |
| Facebook                   | ASIC      | 16nm Technology     | Security Accel, 2020       |
| Facebook                   | ASIC      | 7nm Technology      | Video Accel, 2020          |
| Facebook                   | ASIC      | 7nm Technology      | Security Accel, 2021       |
| Microsoft                  | ASIC      | 7nm Technology      | Security Accel, 2020       |
| Microsoft                  | ASIC      | 7nm Technology      | SmartNIC                   |
| Tier-1 US Service provider | ASIC      | 16nm Technology     | SmartNIC                   |
| Alibaba                    | ASIC      | 16nm Technology     | SmartNIC                   |
| Fujitsu                    | ASIC      | 7nm Technology      | Al acceleration            |
| Cambricon                  | ASIC      | 7nm Technology      | Al acceleration            |
| SambaNova                  | ASIC      | 7nm Technology      | Al acceleration            |
| Nokia/Ericsson/ZTE         | ASIC      | 16nm/7nm Technology | 5G Basestation /Radio Head |
| Apple                      | ASIC      | 16nm                | Next Gen iPhone Touch IC   |

#### Snapshot of Broadcom's Custom ASIC Programs

#### **Snapshot of 5G ASIC Programs**

|          | Broadcom         | Intel           | Marvell             |  |
|----------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|--|
| Huawei   |                  |                 |                     |  |
| ZTE      | Digital ASIC     | Digital ASIC/CP | DFE ASIC *          |  |
| Nokia    | Digital ASIC/RRH | Digital ASIC/CP | Digital ASIC/CP/FH  |  |
| Ericsson | Digital ASIC     | Digital ASIC/CP | DFE ASIC *          |  |
| Samsung  |                  |                 | Digital ASIC/CP/RRH |  |

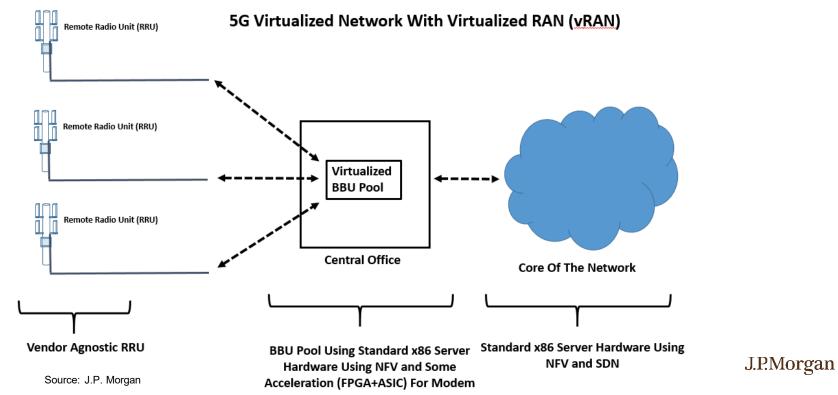
Digtal ASIC - BTS Modem or SP Routing CP - Control/Dataplane Processor DFE ASIC - Digital Front End ASIC (Radio Head) RRH DSP/ASIC - Beam Forming DSP Processor FH (Front haul high speed connectivity) \* Avera Acquisition

Source: JP Morgan Research



## 5G Networks – Moving to Virtualized from Core to the Radio Access Network

- Cellular Networks Moving to Virtualized Starting With the Core and Moving to the Radio Access Network (vRAN)
- Core Network: Virtualized using x86 (primarily Intel) with Network Functions Virtualization (NFV) and Software Defined Networks (SDN)
- Radio Access Network (RAN) in the process of being virtualized with baseband units (BBU) disaggregated from remote radio units (RRU)
- Semiconductor Winners in a vRAN environment:
  - x86 general compute (Intel, AMD)
  - Accelerated / Compute Offload FPGA (Xilinx, Intel) with some of the functions addressed by ASICs (Marvell, Broadcom, Intel)
  - vRAN Neutral to Positive for Analog and RF assuming more competition in remote radio units (RRU)

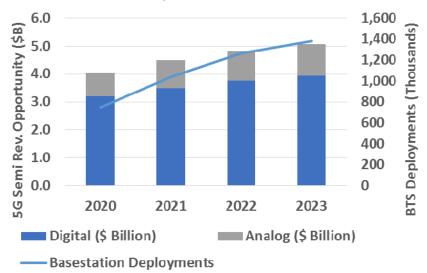


# 5G Wireless Infrastructure: Massive MIMO / Beamforming Represents Significant Growth Opportunity for Semiconductor Coverage Universe

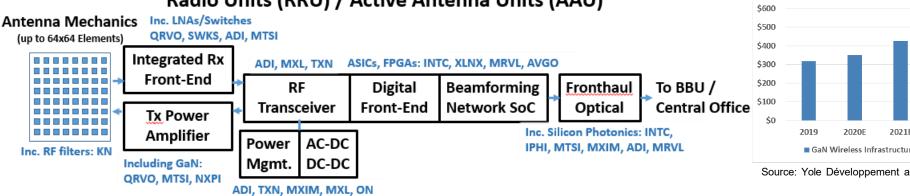
## 5G Basestation / Massive MIMO Deployments Semiconductor Revenue Growth Opportunity of 7-9% CAGR (2020-2023E)

- 5G Basestation deployments reaching ~1.4M by 2023 (up from ~750K in 2020)
- Annual Revenue Opportunities 5G Basestations:
  - Digital: growing from ~\$3B in 2020 to ~\$4B in 2023 Analog: ~\$0.8B in 2020 to \$1.1-1.2B in 2023
- Massive MIMO/Beamforming are key enablers of 5G sub-6 GHz and mmWave to increase network capacity, data rates with better energy efficiency and TCO
- Significant content opportunities from Antenna to Front-haul
- GaN opportunity scales with number of antenna elements
  - From ~\$350M in 2020E to ~\$550M in 2023E (15%-20%) CAGR)

#### 5G Basestation Semiconductor Revenue Opportunity and 5G Basestation Deployments - (2020-2023E)



Source: IDC and J.P. Morgan estimates.

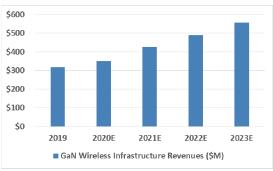


## Types of Semiconductors Used in 5G Remote Radio Units (RRU) / Active Antenna Units (AAU)

Source: Company reports, SIA, and J.P. Morgan estimates

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#### **GaN Wireless Infrastructure** Revenue Opportunity (2019-2023E)



Source: Yole Développement and J.P. Morgan estimates.

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