

ARM Holding plc.

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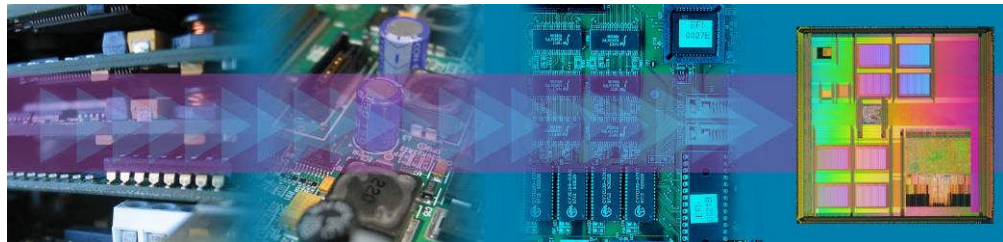
Tim Score

Chief Financial Officer

7th June 2006

ARM: A long term growth story

- ARM is a secular growth story with a 25+ year time horizon
- Industry is 50 years old and looks set to continue for another 50 years
- Several waves of semiconductor technology
 - Now in the middle of CMOS
 - CMOS has enabled MSI>LSI>VLSI>SOC
- Technical progress brings a basis for industry evolution
 - Miniaturisation
 - Reductions in costs
 - Increases in complexity
- Vertical integration gives way to horizontal specialisation
 - Creates a sub-sector: Semiconductor IP



Background – Computing Market

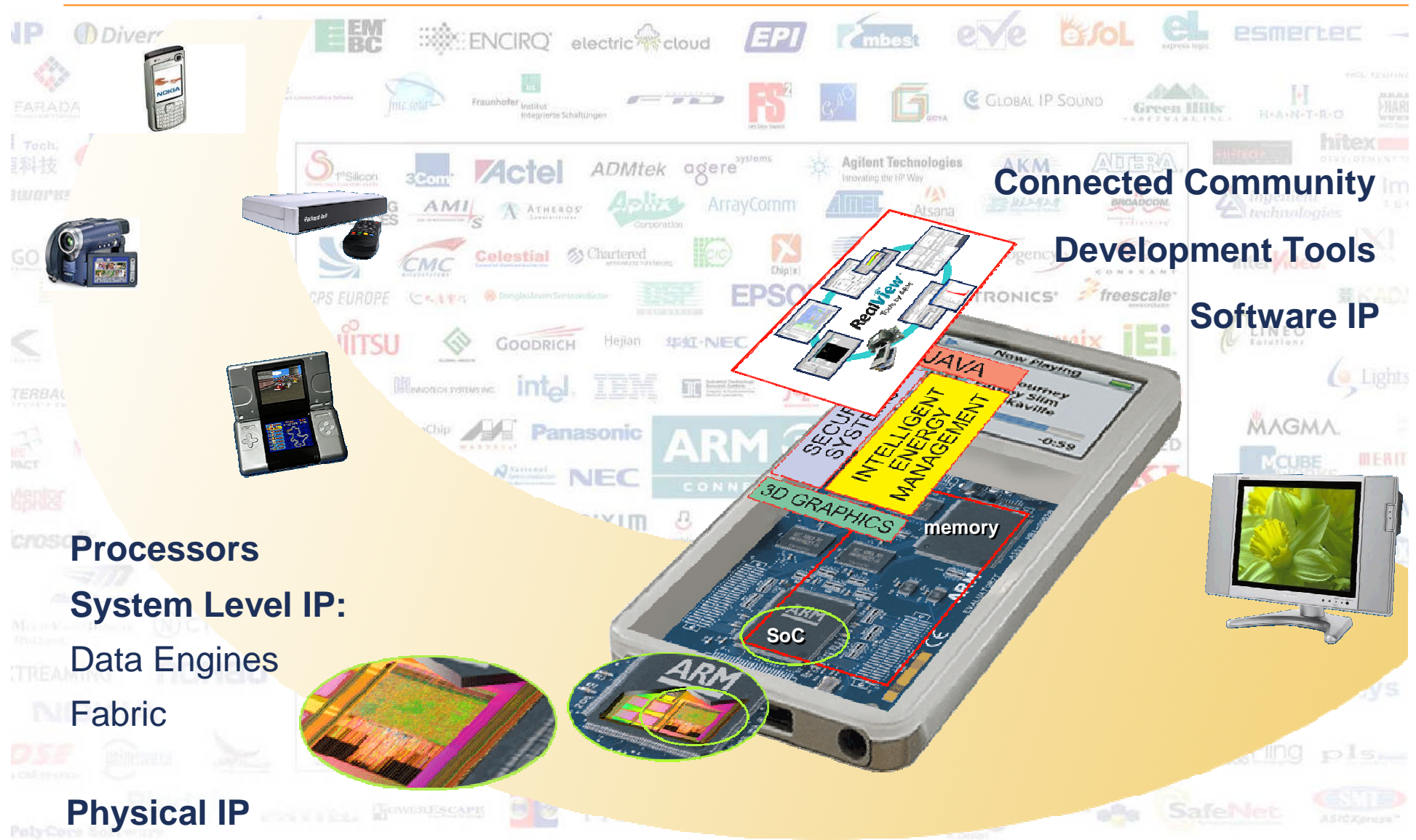
- Computing has evolved in parallel with the Semiconductor market over a similar but slightly longer period



- Semiconductor technology is now allowing computing to become embedded into everyday products
 - Enhancing existing products
 - Enabling the creation of new ones



What does ARM do?



ARM develops technology at the heart of ...



Nokia N90, N91, N70 Multimedia Handsets



Epson P-2000 PMP



SpotME Portable Wireless Contact Manager



Nokia 770 Internet Tablet



Nintendo Gameboy Micro



Mitsubishi Pocket Projector



Sony PlayStation Portable - PSP



Panasonic - PT-56DLX75 HDTV



Reciva Internet Radio



Airspan EasyST



Alvarion BreezeMax



Linksys: Compact Wireless-G Broadband router



XKey 2.0 USB Memory Stick



DrewTech - ScanDaq



Magellan Road Mate 700

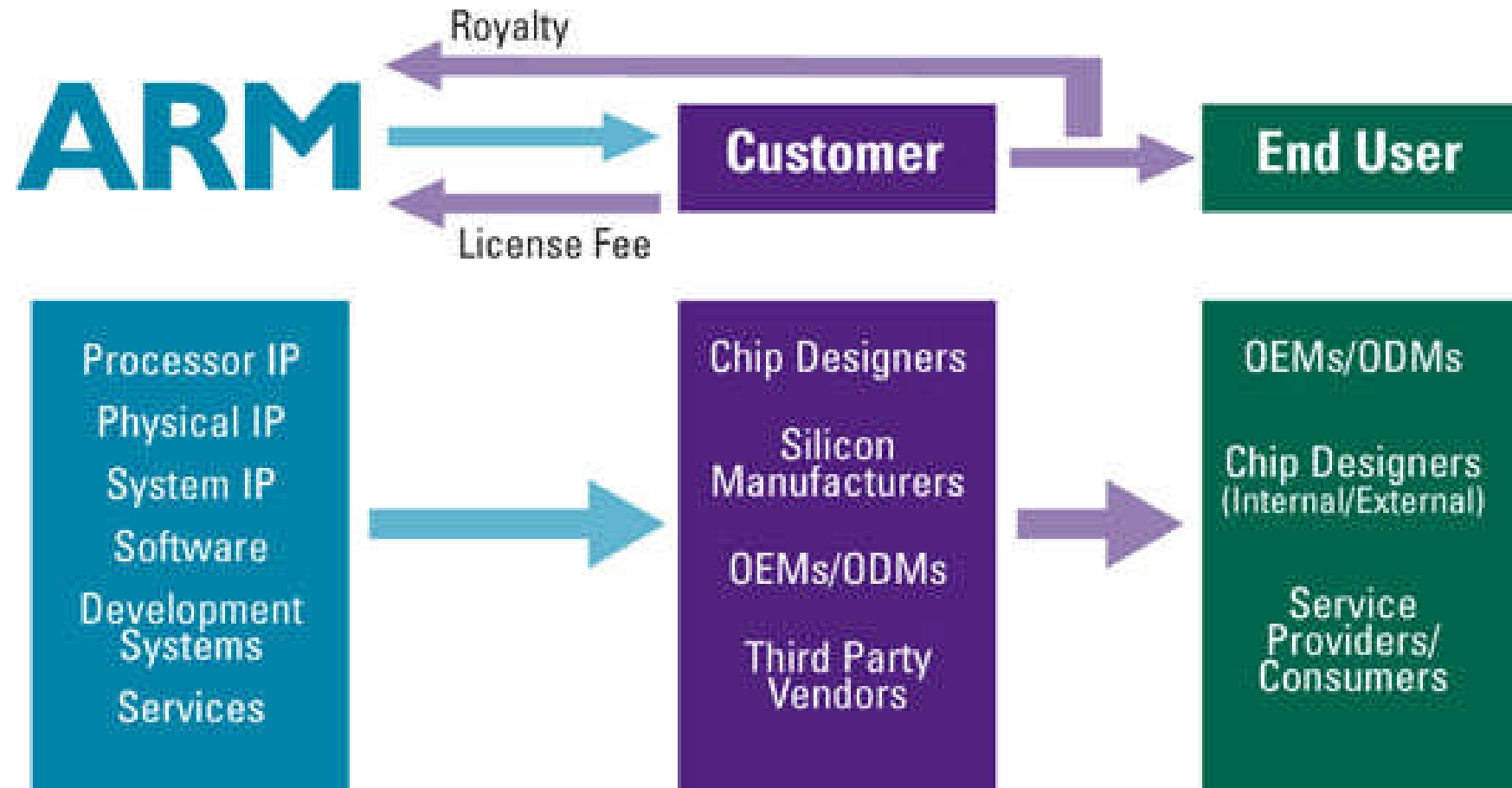
DynonAvionics - EMS-D10
(Engine Monitoring System, EMS-D10)



Dynon Avionics - EFIS-D10A
(Electronic Flight Information System)

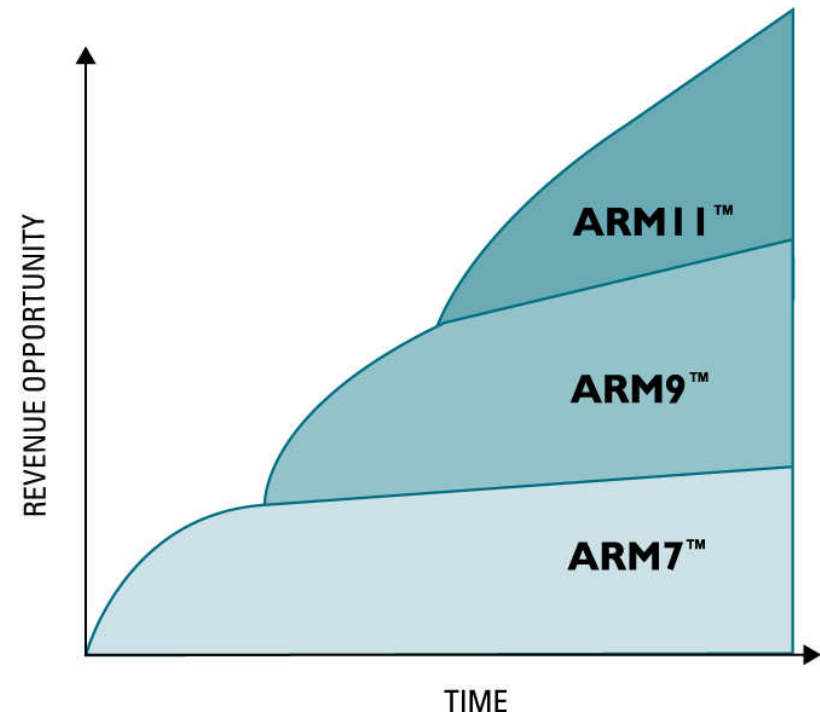


ARM Business Model

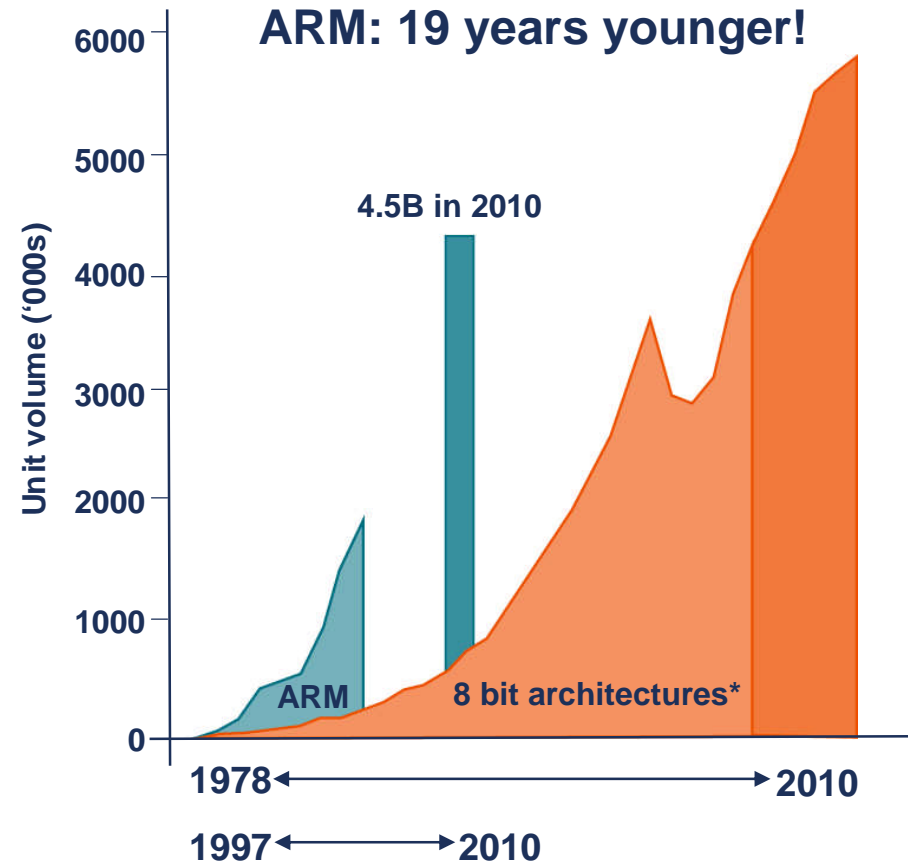
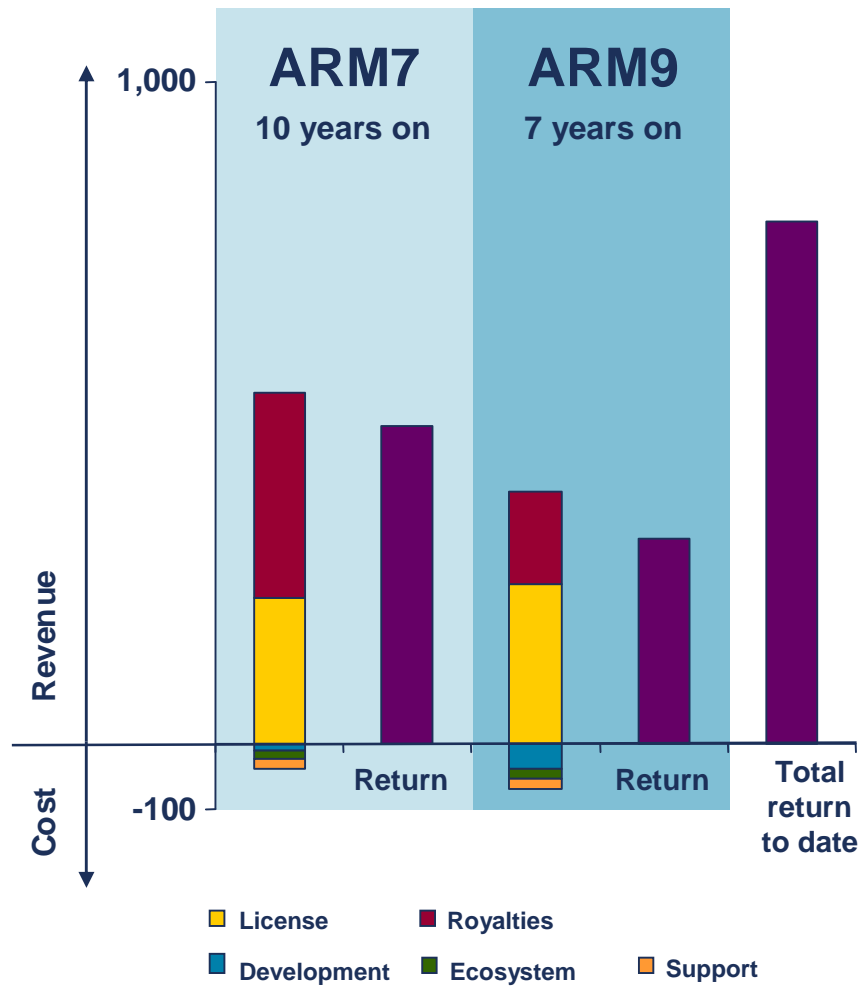


ARM: A very profitable business model

- Multiple applications drive long microprocessor lifecycles
- Licenses have a 25+ year lifetime
 - 6-10 licenses to breakeven per development
 - 413 processor licenses signed to date
- Royalties = $f(n)$ cumulative licenses
 - ~ 50% of licenses are yielding royalty
 - 4+ years between licensing and noticeable royalty
- Highly profitable business
 - Build once → Sell multiple times

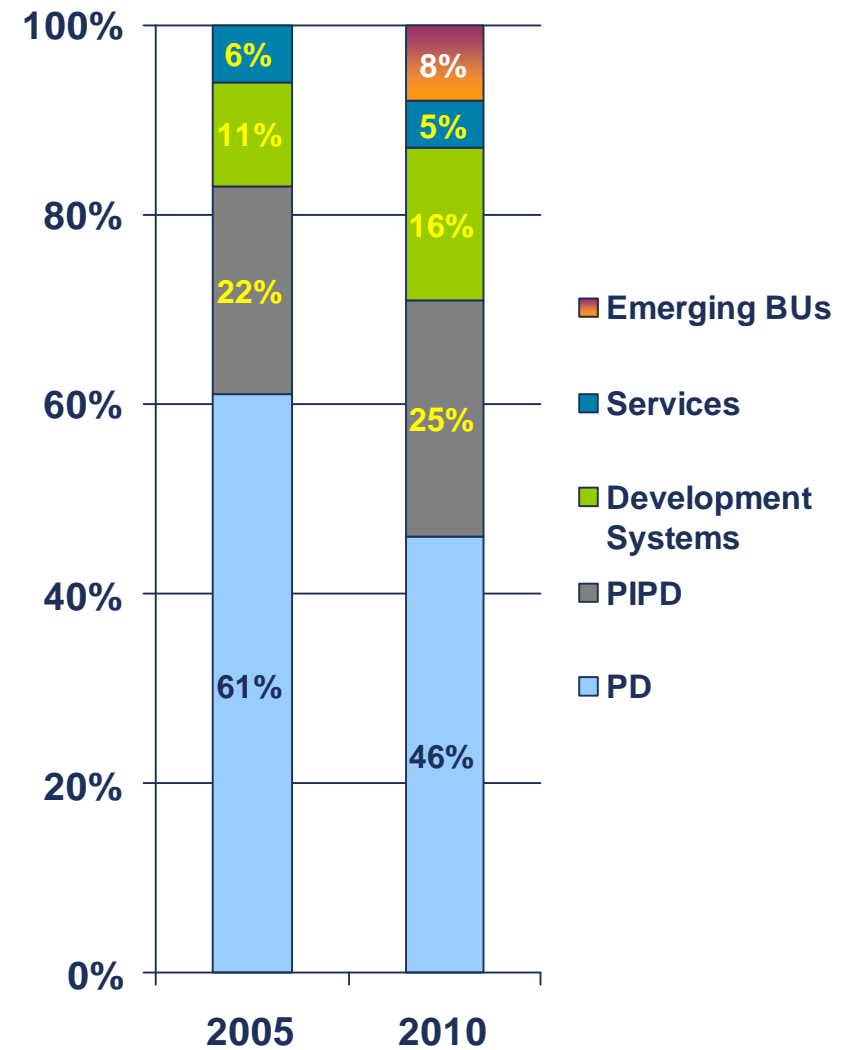
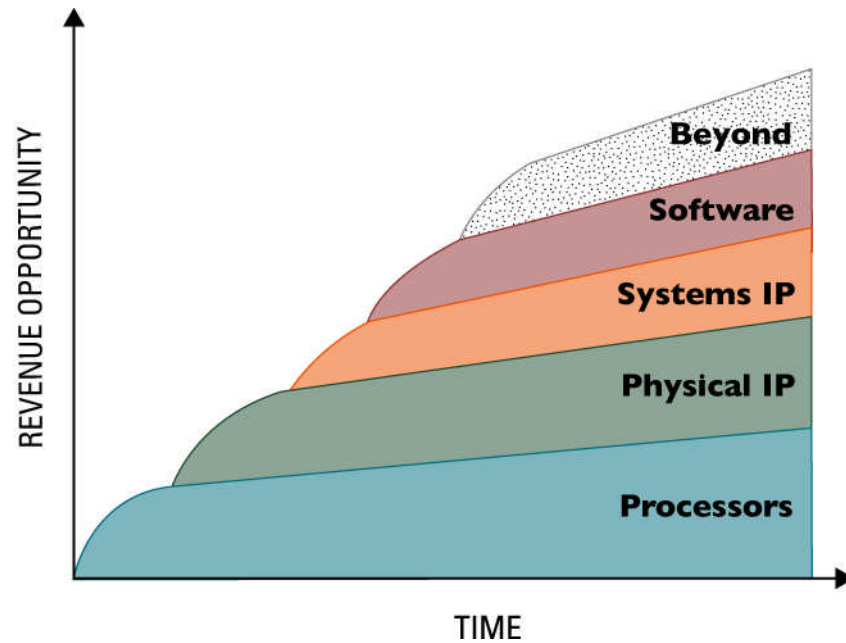


Profitability of ARM Processors



* Source: Instat

The Shape of ARM in Future



Translating into results:

Q1 2006 Business Highlights

■ Financial Highlights

- Revenues continue to grow faster than the industry
- Royalty revenue at 44% of total revenue
- Record normalised operating margin at 35.6%
- EPS up 34% compared to Q1 2005
- £7m returned to shareholders via share buyback

■ Operational Highlights

- Long-term technology agreement signed with TSMC for Physical IP
- Licenses signed for technology across the processor portfolio
- Record underlying royalties in Processor and Physical IP
- Record 572 million ARM Powered[®] products shipped
- Development systems revenues up 38%
- Total group order backlog flat sequentially

Near-term summary

■ Summary

- Strong activity across the product lines in all divisions
 - Cortex family-based product lines being introduced by our partners
 - Physical IP being licensed for leading-edge technology nodes
 - Baseline and microcontroller tools gaining momentum
- Royalty shipments remain strong
 - PD shipments up 47% vs. Q1 2005
 - Record underlying royalty revenue in PIPD

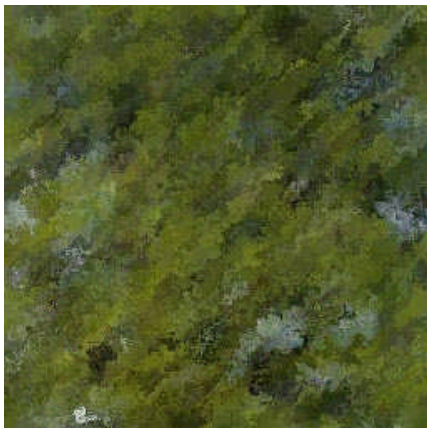
Outlook

■ Outlook

- Broad technology portfolio for licensing
- Long term royalty momentum in PD and PIPD
- Strong Development Systems revenues
- Some currency exposure but trading outlook remains consistent
- Remain confident in achieving another strong performance in 2006 in line with current market expectations

Long-term Summary

- Early stage in the digital revolution
 - Intelligence and functionality driving growth
- ARM is not a standard semiconductor company
 - Revenue received at multiple points in a product life time
 - Highly leveraged profitable business model
 - Predictable long-term growth story
- Further semiconductor IP outsourcing will occur
 - Physical IP follows Microprocessors
- ARM is executing well and has a bright future



Many short-term
moving parts

But long-term
growth story

