

# First Quarter Earnings Release

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# Q1 2021 Summary



Financial Performance

GP +6%

OP +34%

- ✓ Resumed top line growth showing rapid recovery with more revenue.
- ✓ Achieved largest Q1 OP Improving profitability

Q
GEO Markets
NA +28%
China +23%
HQ +11%

- ✓ Strong performance in NA with more revenue from major client
- ✓ Achieved double-digit growth in China, SEA and HQ

Clients
Samsung +5%
Non-Samsung +7%

- ✓ Increased Samsung revenue in NA, HQ and China with new product launch impact
- ✓ Recovery of Non-Samsung revenue in China and more

Service
Digital +22%
(GP Portion 48%)

✓ Expanded digital business with major client in terms of scope of work and regional coverage

# Financial Summary (K-IFRS consolidated)



(KRW billion)

	Q1 2020	Q1 2021	Growth
Revenue (Gross Profit)	257.1	271.3	6%
Operating Expenses	226.6	230.3	2%
Operating Income	30.5	41.0	34%
Non-operating Expenses and Income	5.3	4.6	∆13%
Income Before Income Taxes	35.8	45.6	27%
Net Income	25.1	33.0	31%

# **Consolidated Revenue Summary**



Consolidated Revenue: Q1 2020 257.1B  $\rightarrow$  Q1 2021 271.3B (14.2B $\uparrow$ )

- $\Box$  Headquarter : Q1 2020 58.4B → Q1 2021 64.9B (6.5B↑)
  - Achieved high growth with major client's new product launch impact and increase in revenue from non-Samsung clients
- □ Subsidiaries : Q1 2020 198.7B  $\rightarrow$  Q1 2021 206.4B (7.7B↑)
  - Showed rapid recovery with strong performance in NA, China and SEA and increasing digital revenue

(KRW billion)

	Q1 2020	Q1 2021	Growth
HQ	58.4	64.9	11%
Subsidiaries	198.7	206.4	4%
Total	257.1	271.3	6%

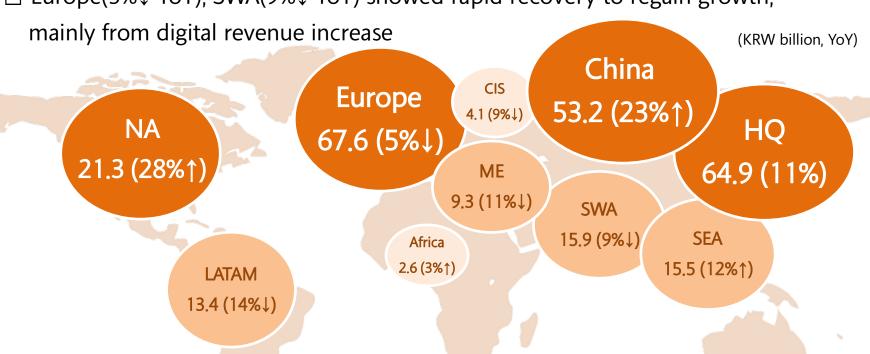
# Consolidated Revenue | by Region



#### Overseas % of total revenue : Full Year 2020 72% → Q1 2021 76%

□ NA(28%↑ YoY), China(23%) and SEA(12%) marked double-digit growth

☐ Europe(5%↓ YoY), SWA(9%↓ YoY) showed rapid recovery to regain growth,



# Consolidated Revenue | by Sector and Client



 $\square$  Digital % of total revenue : Full Year 2020 43%  $\rightarrow$  Q1 2021 48%

	2010	2015	2020	Q1 2021
Digital	19%	28%	43%	48%
BTL	32%	42%	35%	33%
Retail	13%	22%	22%	22%
ATL	49%	30%	22%	19%

- □ Non-Samsung Clients %: Full Year 2020 28% → Q1 2021 27%
  - Headquarter : Full Year 2020 22% → Q1 2021 16%
  - Subsidiaries : Full Year 2020  $31\% \rightarrow Q1 2021 31\%$



#### Consolidated Operating Income : Q1 2020 30.5B $\rightarrow$ Q1 2021 41.0B (10.4B $\uparrow$ )

☐ Achieved the largest Q1 operating profit with increase in revenue from digital business and cost efficiency improvement

(KRW Billion)

		Q1 2020	Q1 2021	Growth
	Revenue(GP)	257.1	271.3	6%
	S G & A	226.6	230.3	2%
	Salaries	162.2	163.0	0%
	Others	64.4	67.3	5%
	Operating Profit	30.5	41.0	34%
	OPM	11.9%	15.1%	+3.2%p
ŀ	Headcount	7,105	6,380	∆725
	Overseas	5,744	4,998	∆746

#### Q1 2021 Business Performance



#### ☐ New Account Wins

- American Express, Bentley(NA), Great Wall Motors(China), Nexon, Hanwha E&C(HQ), etc.



#### 2021 Outlook

< Qualitative Growth with Long-term Vision and Shareholders Value >



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# Thank you