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\$205,000,000

0.5% Convertible Subordinated Notes due 2008 and

the Common Stock issuable upon conversion of the Notes

This prospectus supplement relates to the public offering of up to \$205,000,000 in principal amount of our 0.5% Convertible Subordinated Notes due 2008 and the Common Stock issuable upon conversion of the Notes by the selling securityholders identified in the prospectus, and contains information with respect to our recently completed first quarter of our 2005 fiscal year.

This prospectus supplement should be read in conjunction with, and may not be delivered or utilized without, the prospectus dated December 21, 2004, including any amendments or supplements thereto. This prospectus supplement is qualified by reference to the prospectus except to the extent that the information in this prospectus supplement updates and supersedes the information contained in the prospectus dated December 21, 2004.

Investing in our securities involves risks. See Risk Factors beginning on page 4 of the prospectus.

Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved of these securities or determined if this prospectus is truthful or complete. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.

This prospectus supplement is dated February 17, 2005

On February 9, 2005, we filed a Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q (the Form 10-Q) for the period ended December 31, 2004 with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Below are the financial statements, management s discussion and analysis of financial condition and results of operations, and certain other disclosures from our Form 10-Q.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(in thousands)

	September 30, 2004		(Unaudited)		
			December 31, 2004		
ASSETS					
CURRENT ASSETS					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	60,333	\$	82,431	
Restricted cash		3,257		3,497	
Short-term investments		32,176		24,989	
Accounts and notes receivable (less allowance for doubtful accounts: 9/30/04 - \$3,646; 12/31/04 - \$3,346)		110,718		91,454	
Inventories, net		58,017		57,856	
Assets held for sale		6,072		,	
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		10,310		14,137	
Deferred income taxes	_	12,417		12,250	
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		293,300		286,614	
Property, plant and equipment, net		51,434		44,674	
Intangible assets, (net of accumulated amortization: 9/30/04 - \$35,209; 12/31/04 - \$37,465)		54,045		52,789	
Goodwill		81,440		81,440	
Other assets		7,463		7,222	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	487,682	\$	472,739	
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY					
CURRENT LIABILITIES					
Current portion of long term debt	\$	202	\$	42	
Accounts payable		50,002		43,400	
Accrued expenses		37,660		34,944	
Income taxes payable	_	11,986		13,051	
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		99,850		91,437	
Long term debt		275,725		270,602	
Other liabilities		8,112		9,333	
Deferred taxes		36,975		37,567	
TOTAL LIABILITIES		420,662		408,939	
Commitments and contingencies		_			
SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY					
Common stock, without par value		213,847		214,960	
Retained deficit		(139,912)		(147,103)	
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(6,915)		(4,057)	
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY	_	67,020		63,800	
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TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY

487,682

\$ 472,739

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(in thousands, except per share data)

(unaudited)

		Three months ended December 31,		
	2003	2004		
Net revenue	\$ 153,869	\$ 116,321		
Cost of sales	106,507	89,943		
Gross profit	47,362	26,378		
Selling, general and administrative Research and development, net Gain on sale of assets	24,716 8,176	22,073 8,878 (1,875)		
Amortization of intangible assets	2,315	2,194		
Operating expense	35,207	31,270		
Income (loss) from operations	12,155	(4,892)		
Interest income	204	449		
Interest expense	(4,429)	(846)		
Charge on early extinguishment of debt	(6,152)	·		
Income (loss) from continuing operations before income tax	1,778	(5,289)		
Provision for income taxes	1,350	1,902		
Income (loss) from continuing operations	428	(7,191)		
Income from discontinued FCT operations	319			
Net income (loss)	\$ 747	\$ (7,191)		
Income (loss) per share from continuing operations: Basic	\$ 0.01	\$ (0.14)		
Diluted	\$ 0.01	\$ (0.14)		
Loss per share from discontinued operations:				
Basic	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00		
Diluted	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00		
Net income (loss) per share:				

Basic	\$	0.01	\$	(0.14)
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Diluted	\$	0.01	\$	(0.14)
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Weighted average shares outstanding:				
Basic		50,392		51,237
Diluted		56,932		51,237

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(in thousands)

(unaudited)

		Three months ended December 31,		
	2003	2004		
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:				
Net income (loss)	\$ 747	\$ (7,191)		
Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to net cash provided by operating activities:	Ψ , i ,	Ψ (7,121)		
Depreciation and amortization	8,351	7,012		
Gain on sale of assets	0,001	(1,875)		
Charge on early extinguishment of debt	6,152	(1,070)		
Changes in components of working capital:				
Accounts receivable	(25,648)	20,729		
Inventory	(2,401)	127		
Prepaid expenses and other assets	(544)	(4,203)		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	19,668	(12,614)		
Taxes payable	684	1,108		
Other, net	1,723	1,872		
Net cash provided by operating activities	8,732	4,965		
Net cash provided by operating activities	6,732	4,903		
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:				
Proceeds from sales of investments classified as available for sale	4,200	11,710		
Purchase of investments classified as available for sale	(7,624)	(4,514)		
Purchases of property, plant and equipment	(2,928)	(2,978)		
Proceeds from sale of assets		11,831		
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(6,352)	16,049		
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:				
Proceeds from issuance of common stock	3,001	438		
Changes in restricted cash	(421)	(240)		
Net proceeds from issuance of 0.5% convertible subordinated notes	199,736	(= 10)		
Purchase of 4.75% convertible subordinate notes	(178,563)			
Payments on borrowings, including capitalized leases	(61)	(9)		
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Net cash provided by financing activities	23,692	189		
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Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents		895		
Changes in cash and cash equivalents	26,072	22,098		
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	65,725	60,333		
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 91,797	\$ 82,431		
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CASH PAID DURING THE PERIOD FOR:				

Interest	\$ 4,427	\$ 848
Income taxes	\$ 355	\$ 1.185

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NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(unaudited)

NOTE 1 - BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The condensed consolidated financial statement information included herein is unaudited, but in the opinion of management, contains all adjustments, consisting only of normal recurring adjustments, necessary to present fairly the Company s financial position at December 31, 2004, the results of its operations for the three month periods ended December 31, 2003 and 2004, and its cash flows for the three month periods ended December 31, 2003 and 2004. The results of operations for interim periods are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for a full year. These financial statements should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and notes thereto included in the Company s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2004.

In February 2004, the Company sold the remaining assets of its advanced packaging technology segment, which consisted solely of the flip chip business unit which licensed flip chip technology and provided flip chip bumping and wafer level packaging services. As a result, we have reflected the flip chip business unit as a discontinued operation and do not include the results of its operations in our revenues and expenses from continuing operations as reported in our financial statements and this discussion of our results of operations.

During the three months ended December 31, 2004, the Company sold the land and building held through the variable interest entity that was previously consolidated into the Company s financial statements. The impact of this sale decreased assets and liabilities by approximately \$5.8 million and \$5.5 million, as of December 31, 2004.

Certain amounts in the Company s prior fiscal year financial statements have been reclassified to conform to their presentation in the current fiscal year.

NOTE 2 RECENT ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

In November 2004, the FASB issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 151, Inventory Costs an amendment of ARB 43, chapter 4 (FAS 151). FAS 151 clarifies the accounting for abnormal amounts of idle facility expense, freight, handling costs, and wasted material (spoilage) in the determination of inventory carrying costs. The statement requires such costs be recognized as a current-period expense. FAS 151 also requires that allocation of fixed production overheads to the costs of conversion be based on the normal capacity of the production facilities. This statement is effective for fiscal years beginning after July 15, 2005. The Company does not expect the adoption of this standard to have a material impact on its financial condition or results of operations.

In December 2004, the FASB issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 123R (revised 2004), Share-Based Payment (FAS 123R). In summary, FAS 123R requires companies to expense the fair value of employee stock options and similar awards as of the date the Company grants the awards to employees. The expense would be recognized over the vesting period for each option and adjusted for actual forfeitures that occur before vesting. The effective date for this standard is interim and annual periods beginning after June 15, 2005, and applies to all outstanding and unvested share-based payment awards at a company s adoption date. The Company is currently assessing each of the three transition methods offered by FAS 123R and believes adoption of FAS 123R will have a material impact on its consolidated financial

statements, regardless of the method selected.

NOTE 3 ACCOUNTING FOR STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION

The Company accounts for stock option grants using the intrinsic value method prescribed by Accounting Principles Board Opinion No. 25, *Accounting for Stock Issued to Employees* (APB No. 25), and discloses the proforma effect on net income and earnings per share as if the fair value method had been applied to stock option grants, in accordance with SFAS 123, *Accounting For Stock-Based Compensation*.

At December 31, 2004, the Company had five stock-based employee compensation plans and two director compensation plans. No stock-based employee or director compensation cost is reflected in net income (loss), as all options granted under those plans had an exercise price equal to the market value of the underlying common stock on the date of grant. The following table illustrates the effect on net income (loss) and earning (loss) per share if the Company had applied the fair value recognition provisions of FASB Statement No. 123, *Accounting for Stock-Based Compensation*, to stock-based employee and director compensation:

	(in thousands) Three months ended December 31,		
	2003	2004	
Net income (loss), as reported	\$ 747	\$ (7,191)	
Deduct: Total stock-based compensation expense determined under fair value based method for all awards, net of related tax effects	(2,608)	(5,476)	
Pro forma net loss	\$ (1,861)	\$ (12,667)	
Net income (loss) per share:			
Basic-as reported	\$ 0.01	\$ (0.14)	
Basic-pro forma	\$ (0.04)	\$ (0.25)	
Dilued - as reported	\$ 0.01	\$ (0.14)	
Diluted - pro forma	\$ (0.04)	\$ (0.25)	

NOTE 4 - GOODWILL AND OTHER INTANGIBLES