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# **DISH TV India Ltd**

#### **Investor Presentation Q3FY09**

All data provided in the presentation is upto Dec-08



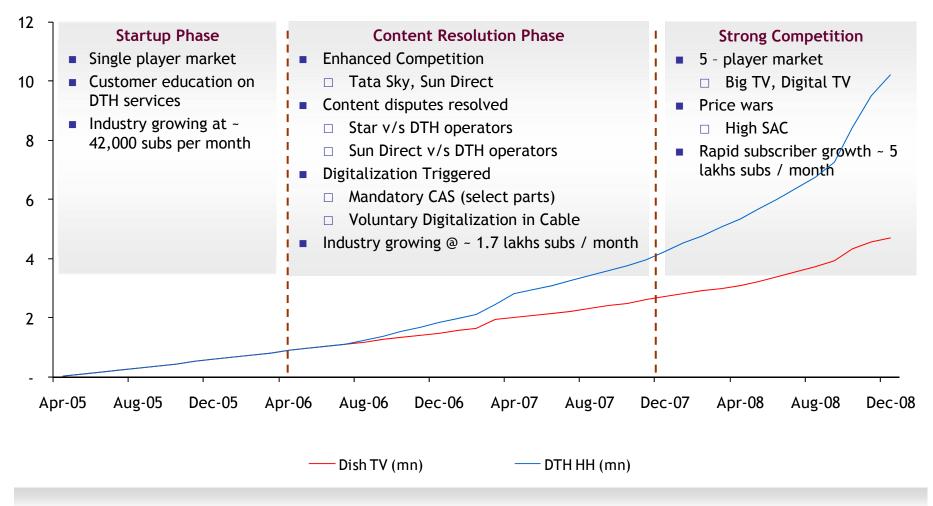
**DTH Industry** 

**Dish TV - Operating and Financial Performance** 

## **Industry Evolution**



#### Subs (In Mn.)



#### Competition driving growth $\rightarrow$ 10 mn subs (Dec 2008)

### **Industry Outlook**



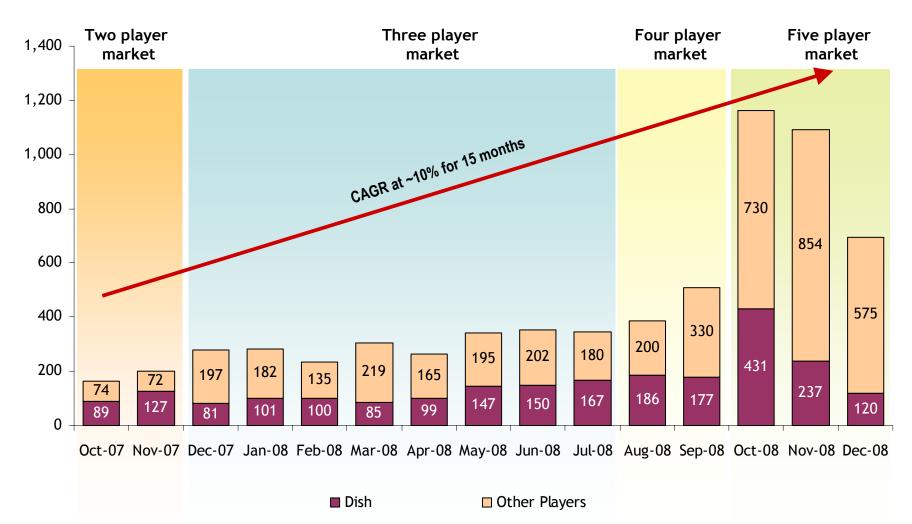
Y/E Mar	2008	2009E	2010E	2012E	2015E
HHs in India (mn)	221	226	232	245	266
TV HHs (mn)	125	134	143	161	191
C&S HHs (mn)	77	82	87	97	116
Additional Subscribers in Multi-TV HHs (mn)	3	5	7	12	22
Total C&S Subscribers (mn)	80	87	94	109	138
Analogue Cable HHs (mn)	67	66	58	49	35
DTH HHs (mn)	7	11	21	35	57
Digital Cable HHs (mn)	6	10	15	25	45

#### DTH HHs estimated to reach ~ 57 mn by end of 2015

#### **Trends in Subscriber Additions**

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in '000s



### **Competitive Landscape**



	Dish	Tata sky	Sun Direct	Big TV	Digital TV	
Subscribers (million)	4.7	5.5				
Geographical spread (no. of towns)	****	***	**	**	*	
Distributors	****	***	**	****	*	
Dealer Network	****	***	**	****	**	
Subscriber Acquisition Strategy	<ul> <li>Bundled → Free STB + subscription packs</li> <li>Bundled → charged STB + subscription pack</li> <li>Standalone charged STB</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Bundled Basic         <ul> <li>→ charged STB</li> <li>+ subscription</li> <li>packages</li> </ul> </li> <li>Bundled Value-Added →         <ul> <li>higher cost STB</li> <li>+ subscription</li> <li>packages</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	■ Bundled → Free STBs + subscription packs	<ul> <li>Standalone charged STB</li> <li>Standalone subscription packs</li> <li>Bundled → STB + subscription pack</li> </ul>	■ Bundled → charged STB + subscription packs	
Technology	MPEG2 S1	MPEG2 S1	MPEG4 S1	MPEG4 S1	MPEG4 S2	

### **Competitive Landscape**



	Dish	Tata sky	Sun Direct	Big TV	Digital TV
Channels tie ups	182 channels	145 channels	164 channels	153 channels	138 channels
Services	40 services	19 services	29 services	54 services	32 services
Content Strategy	<ul> <li>All major entertainment/niche channels</li> <li>Subscriber packs with popular channels offering + tailor made add-on packages to enhance ARPU</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>All major entertainment channels + value added services eg. VAS (showcase), DVR, Ala-carte Topup</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Strong regional language bouquet</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Strong movie library emphasizing on PPV</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Carries world space satellite Radio</li> <li>Variety of Active services fast into roads to other markets</li> </ul>
Key Subscription packs	<ul> <li>Platinum → Rs 275, 165 channels</li> <li>Diamond → Rs 220, 140 channels</li> <li>Gold → Rs 160, 125 channels</li> <li>Silver → Rs 99, 110 channels</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Annual Mega Pack → Rs 5000</li> <li>Base packages         <ul> <li>South Jumbo → Rs 310</li> <li>South Value Pack → Rs 260</li> <li>Super Saver Pack → Rs 260</li> <li>Super Saver Pack → Rs 260</li> <li>Family Pack → Rs 200</li> <li>Super Hit Pack → Rs 99</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Jumbo Pack → Rs300</li> <li>North Pack → Rs 90</li> <li>South pack → Rs 75</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>South Starter → Rs 190</li> <li>Starter 3 → Rs190</li> <li>Starter 2 → Rs 175</li> <li>Starter 1 → RS 98</li> <li>South Starter lite → Rs 98</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ultra → Rs 424</li> <li>Mega → Rs 249</li> <li>Economy → Rs 199</li> <li>Value North → Rs 125</li> <li>Value South → Rs 99</li> </ul>

Source: Company, websites



- Launch of exclusive digital household panel by TAM
  - Provides option for broadcasters and DTH operators to maximize revenues through dual feed
  - Increased emphasis on carriage fees / Adv revenue / a-la-carte / MOD as revenue option for DTH operators
  - Initial findings reveal that digital households spend 20% more time on TV as compared with analogue households
  - Providing Single window option to new & small broadcasters by way of teleport / distribution
- DTH Operators association formed
  - □ Collaborative effort to address common issues such as
    - Service tax allocation
    - License fees reduction
    - Other regulatory issues

#### Content



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#### Dish TV | Key Strengths & Areas of Focus



#### **Key Strengths**

- Pioneer and leader of DTH services in India
  - First mover advantage
    - One year lead over nearest competitor
    - ~ 3-year lead over others
  - □ Largest subscriber base ~ 4.7 mn (Dec-08)
  - □ Backed by Zee Group  $\rightarrow$  India's strongest Media group
- Full-service business model
  - Basic subscription packs
  - Value added services
  - □ Bandwidth
  - Teleport services
- Leveraging on first mover advantage backed by strong industry understanding
  - Diversified content offering
    - 225 channels + Services
    - Content tie-ups at reasonable rates
  - □ State-of-the-art infrastructure
  - □ Large distribution network
  - □ Aggressive subscriber acquisition strategy to ensure continued market leadership
- Focus on cost rationalization

#### Key Areas Of Focus

- Funding For Growth
- Strengthening of competitive position
- Improving Business Economics



#### Rs cr

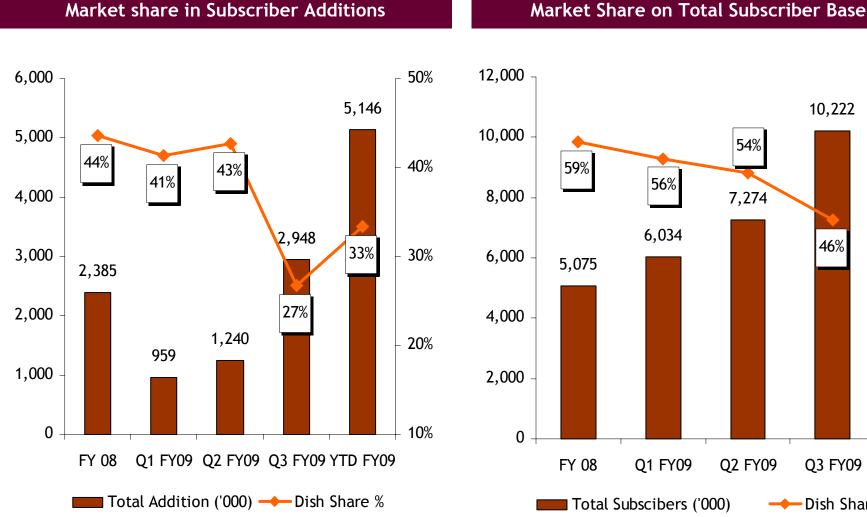
Current	FY08	9MFY09		
Capital Employed	570	899		

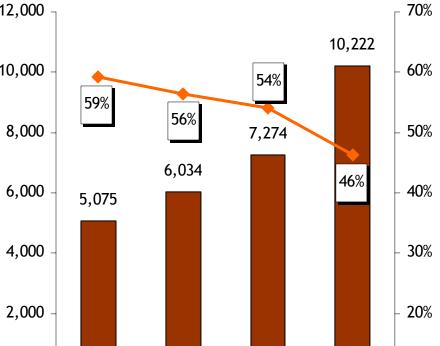


- □ Committed amount of Rs 1140 cr
- □ Raised ~ Rs 310 cr in rights
- □ Balance commitment to be received over 18 month period
- Additional Debt tie-up already in place amounting to Rs 300 cr

#### **Strengthening of Competitive Position**

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Q1 FY09

Q2 FY09

10%

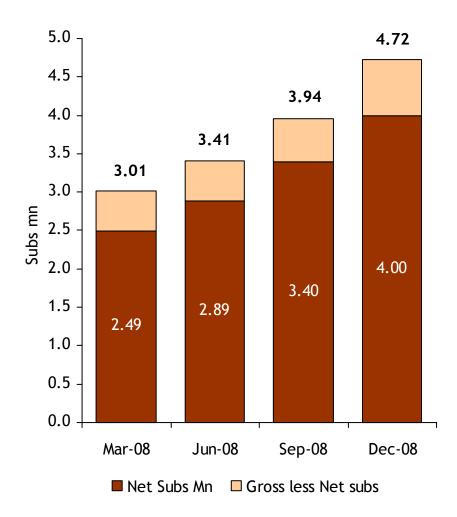
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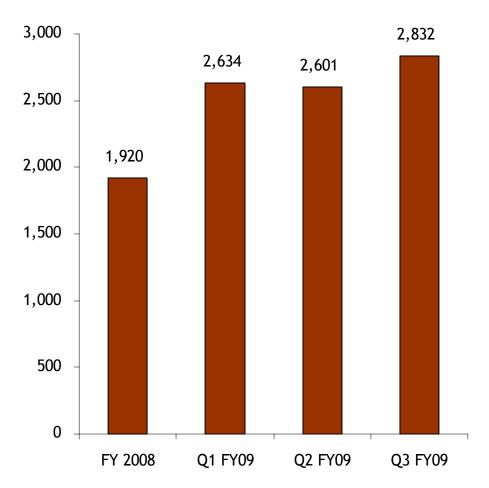
Dish Share %

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**Gross and Net Subscribers** 

Subscriber Acquisition Cost (Rs/sub)

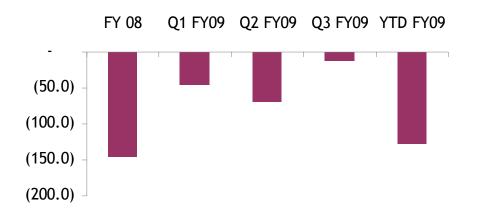




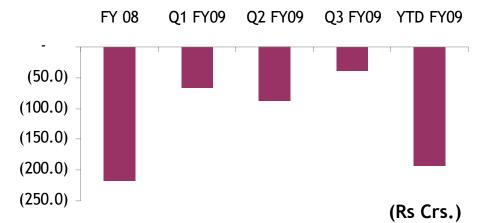
### **Improving Business Viability**

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#### EBITDA from Operations (Rs Crs.)



Reported EBITDA (Rs Crs.)

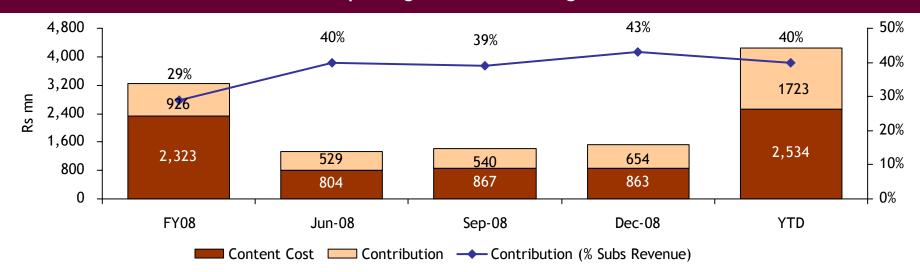


	FY 08	Q1 FY09	Q2 FY09	Q3 FY09	YTD FY09
Total Revenues	413	164	173	193	531
Income towards Subscriber Acquisition	60	19	22	28	70
Income From Operations	352	145	151	165	461
Total Expenditure	631	231	261	232	723
Expenditure towards Subscriber Acquisition	133	40	40	54	134
Expenditure towards Operations	498	191	220	177	589
Reported EBIDTA	-218	-67	-87	-39	-193
Reported EBIDTA Margin (%)	-35%	-29%	-34%	-17%	-27%
EBIDTA from Operations	-146	-46	-70	-13	-128
EBIDTA Margin from Operations (%)	-41%	-32%	-46%	-8%	-28%

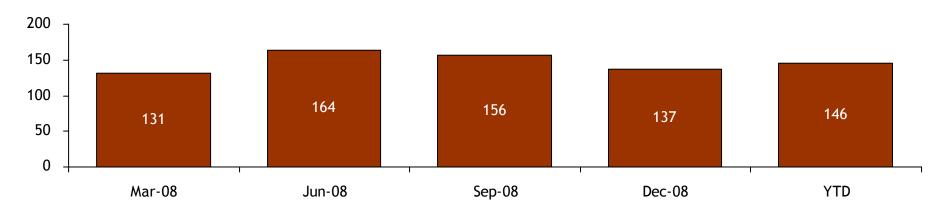
## **Improving Contribution**



Improving Contribution Margins



Trends in ARPU (Rs.)





Rs Crs.

Particulars	Quarter Ended				Year Ended	
	Jun-08	Sep-08	Dec-08	Mar-07	Mar-08	YTD
Gross Operating Revenue	164.4	173.3	192.7	190.9	412.7	530.5
Expenditure	231.1	260.7	231.7	379.9	632.3	723.5
EBITDA	-66.7	-87.4	-39.0	-188.9	-219.6	-193.0
Add: Other income	0.2	-	0.2	3.4	3.0	0.4
Less: Depreciation	44.6	49.5	57.0	57.5	149.0	151.0
EBIT	-111.0	-136.9	-95.8	-243.1	-365.7	-343.6
Less: Financial Exps	14.3	17.1	22.1	8.6	46.9	53.5
РВТ	-125.3	-153.8	-117.9	-251.6	-412.6	-397.1
Provision for Tax	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.6
РАТ	-125.5	-154.1	-118.1	-251.9	-413.2	-397.7
Subscriber Added (in lacs)	4.0	5.3	7.9	10.7	10.4	17.2
SAC (Rs/sub)	2634	2601	2832	1445	1920	2715

## Strategy going forward



Industry level initiatives	<ul> <li>License Fee from 10% to 6% with retrospective effect from 01-Apr-08</li> <li>Consensus is being sought for Entertainment Tax to be recovered from subscriber</li> <li>Reduction in CENVAT @ 4% to benefit @ Rs. 100 per CPE</li> </ul>
Subscriber Acquisition strategy	<ul> <li>Increasing geographical spread across the country</li> <li>Shift from providing "Free STBs" to charging subscriber on the box</li> <li>Bare Box price introduced @ Rs 1,490</li> </ul>
Improving Business Profitability	<ul> <li>Revenue initiatives</li> <li>Increasing ARPU         <ul> <li>New Packages launched, Service Tax Charged from subscriber</li> <li>Price increased for Base Packages</li> <li>Introduce of smaller A-la-Carte Packages as Top-up on normal packages</li> </ul> </li> <li>Recharge Free Scheme launched to improve the renewal collection (Subscriber offered Free Movies / A-la-Carte package equivalent to his renewal amount)</li> <li>Increasing bandwidth charges</li> <li>Cost Rationalization         <ul> <li>Content cost → Moving from variable ( per sub basis) to Fixed costs</li> <li>Collection Cost reduced to 5% from 6% (01-Dec-08)</li> <li>Rationalization of Marketing Cost and Sales &amp; distribution costs</li> <li>Reduce in Box Price from \$32.5 to \$ 29.5 (Effective from Jan'09)</li> <li>Hedging of Forex transaction</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



