



## ADVANCED-CONNECTEK INC.

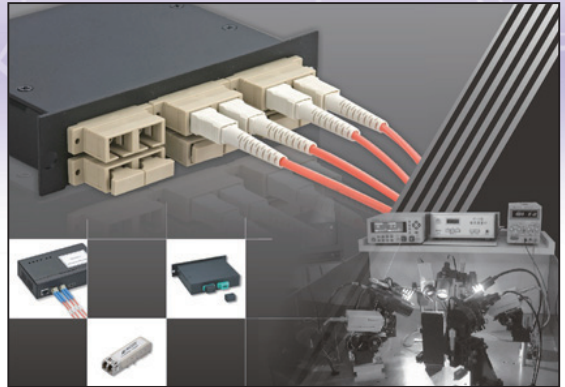
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## Company Profile

ACON was founded in 1986 for the development of advanced products of key technologies in Taiwan. Today, it is rated among the leading manufacturers of I/O connectors and 3C peripheral electronic components including Connectors for PC & Peripheral/Communication/Consumer Applications; Micro Coaxial/Customized Cable Assemblies; Antennas; Power Runner, Battery Chargers; Optical Active/Passive Components; and LED Lighting Products. For the 20-year old Advanced-Connectek Inc. (ACON), the secret to keep afloat and to leapfrog is to play a leading role in the marketplace by masterminding technologies and churning out new products continually. This non-stop mechanism, in turn, increases ACON's competitiveness. Starting as a stamping and molding manufacturer, ACON developed and excelled in plating and assemble technologies to make a large array of connectors. ACON's wide selection of connectors on offer is applicable to motherboards, desktop & notebook computers, PC peripherals, telecommunication-related and hand-held devices. These offerings consist of ribbon type, rectangular and half-pitch connector series, such as D-sub, PCMCIA, DVI, IEEE 1394, USB, MiniUSB... to name but a few.

Management set its goal to build the ACON brand as a household name in I/O applications. In addition to being an OEM/ODM manufacturer, ACON has been active in joining international standards associations and contributes significant design concepts to set standards of future connectors in applications. Its latest effort has been done in establishing the MiniUSB specification from zero base to the significant 0.8 level and moving onto the full specification of 1.0 nowadays at the USB Trade Association -- it is the first time for a Taiwan-based connector company to have the honor to make such a significant specification contribution to a U.S.-based standard association.

ACON management now has a bigger dream to answer market/customer needs in developing optical



components and related state-of-the-art Broad Ion-Beam Deposition technologies. New products in the pipeline include optical connectors and related components such as ferrule and patch cord, DWDM thin film filters, transceivers, coupler, isolator and others.

For ACON's customers, professional services are provided including the use of EDI link to build up an effective logistic system and to reduce the response time. What's more ACON's complete test capability is another benefit -- over 90 percent of the tests are fully exercised in-house.

ACON management team has committed to drive its company to become a technically-advanced, market-focused, customer-oriented innovative company in the electrical/electronic, optical connector and components field in the world -- TO GROW AND SUCCEED WITH ACON!!

In order to be responsible for community and employees, we will carry out a safe and healthy working environment and continuously focus on green product design and reducing waste to minimize environmental impacts from our products, process or service.

We commit to:

1. Being in compliance with governmental laws and relative regulations.
2. Work in a manner of considering green product design to minimize pollution generating.
3. Implement waste reduction and control for recycling.
4. Promote energy conservation.
5. Ensure a safe working environment to prevent injuries.
6. People orientation to care for employees' health.

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## Business Classification

- Passive Components
- Fiber Core/ Fiber Cable/Bare Fiber