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## Who is NetDragon?





- Tech pioneer in gaming and education
- Top-100 technology company in China
- 6,000+ global team with strong R&D focus
- Publicly-listed on HKSE

#### **Gaming**

- Tech/Product-driven, with 2,000+ technical staff
- Leader in massive online communities including RPG and MOBA
- Fast-growing portfolio of new games and IP portfolio
- Consistent top + bottom line growth and highly profitable

#### **Education**

- Largest global edtech ecosystem that spans across
   B2G (government) + B2S (school) + B2C (consumer)
- Best-in-class hardware + software with O2O coverage
- On-the-ground world-class China + international management team with global execution capability



#### **Pioneer in Building Online Communities**

1999

Founded by Group Chairman Liu Dejian 2007

**IPO in HK** 

2014

Acquired Cherrypicks

cherrypicks

2015

Acquired Promethean

**Promethean** 

2017

Included in
Hang Seng
Composite Large
Cap & Mid Cap
Index

2018

Acquired Edmodo edmodo

2020

2020

UNESCO recommended Edmodo distance learning applications and platforms



2003

Sold 17173.com to Sohu for US\$20.5mn



2013

Sold 91 to Baidu for US\$1.9bn



2015

**Acquired ChiVox** 



2017

Acquired JumpStart



2019

Signed MOU
with Egypt
MOE,
introduced
Intelligent
Classroom

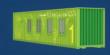
Egypt Picked
Edmodo for
National
Online
Learning



2020

JV with China Unicom





**Solutions** 

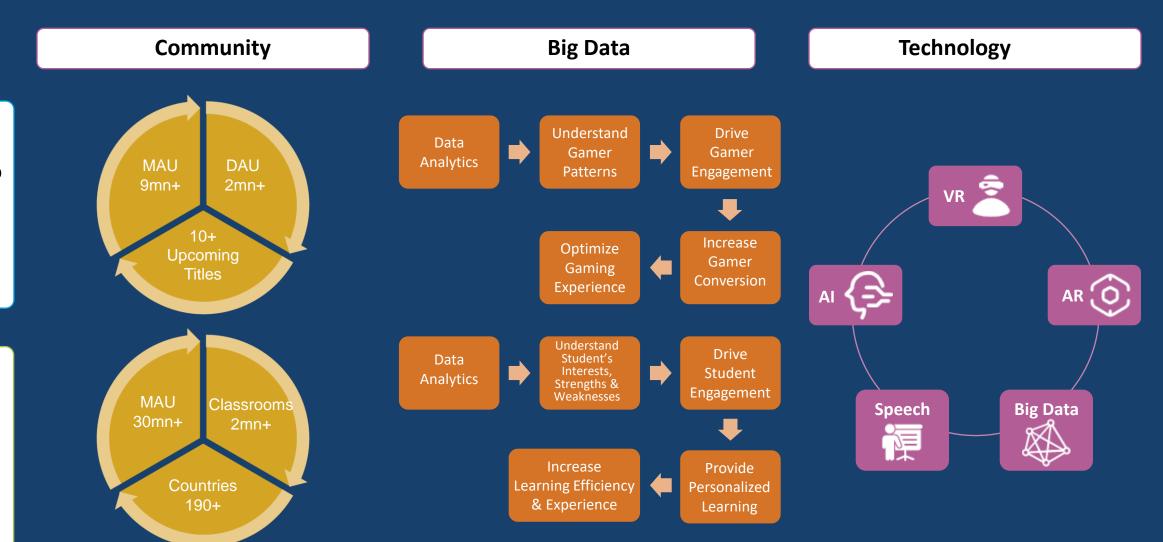


# Synergies between Gaming & Education





## **Synergies between Gaming & Education**



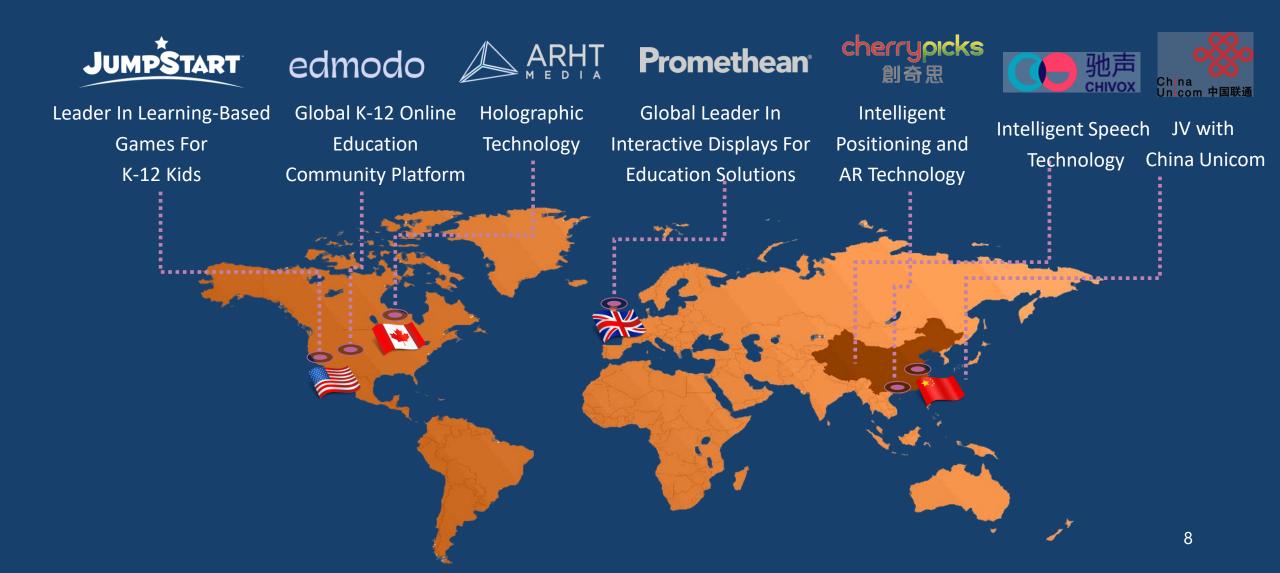


# Education

To Build a Global Learning Community

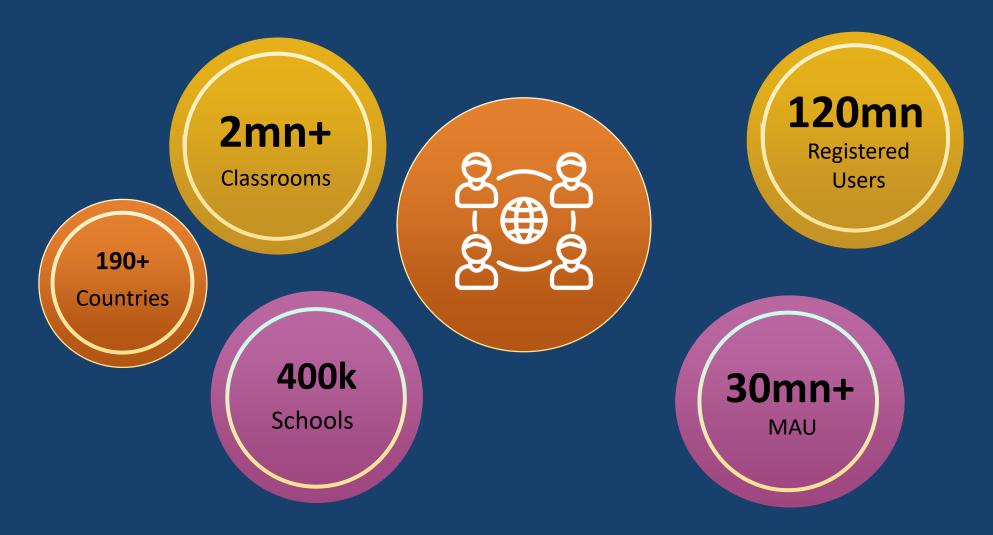


## **Our Global Education Footprint**





# **The Largest Global Learning Community**



\* As of April 2020

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# Creating an Ecosystem of Teaching + Blended Learning Tools Covering The Entire Value Chain





**Teachers - Empowered** 

Students - Inspired

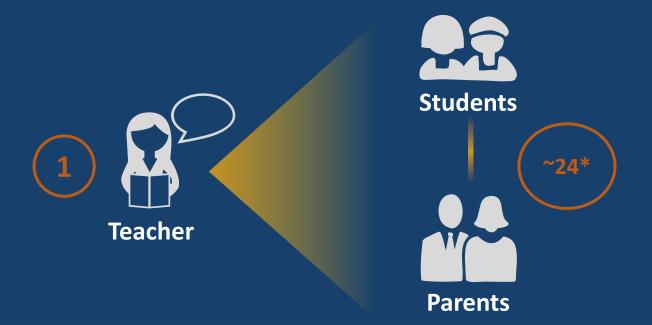
**Parents - Engaged** 



## **Teacher Adoption Leads to Valuable Organic Traffic**

**Teacher-led Class Adoption Model** 

...Leads to Large # of New Users



29 million+ new registered Edmodo users in between January to May 2020

• On \$0 direct marketing expenses

Teachers drive new users and are key influencers

A core advantage: organic access to teachers, students, and parents

# We are working towards a unique business model which leverages educational tools to drive traffic which leads to monetization...



#### **Teaching And Learning Tools**

#### **SaaS Freemium Platform**

In-House + 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Partnerships

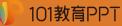
#### **Hardware**



- Interactive Displays
- Intelligent (aka. Pop-up)
   Classroom Solutions
- Future Products
  - Robots
  - Household Products

#### **Software**

edmodo



- Edmodo
- ActivInspire
- 101 Edu PPT
- 101 VR Editor
- One-Stop Learning
- SandboxFX



User Acquisition

#### **Content**





- Publishers: Pearson, Beijing
  Language and Culture University
  Press etc.
- "Netflix For Education"
- Virtual Laboratory
- Al Courseware
- Educational Games: JumpStart
- More To Come...

#### Services



EDMODO ENTERPRISE

- Edmodo Enterprise
- Virtual Classroom
- Online Tutoring
- Mobile Device Mgt
- More to Come...

Monetization



Artificial Intelligence



Virtual Reality



Gamification

# Ecosystem Starts with Hardware Penetration







# **Unmatched Presence in Classrooms Globally**



**1.3** million+ global installed base for Promethean interactive panels



Popular software solutions used by teachers around the world to make their classes more engaging and their teaching more effective...



edmodc



- ~ 2M Monthly Active teacher accounts on Edmodo and 101PPT around the globe
- 190 Countries are using Promethean Solutions
- 20 Years Supporting Global Educators
- Broadest channel to sell into classrooms globally





#### No 1. Market Share In International Markets



# **Promethean**<sup>a</sup>



#### **Revenue Trend For Promethean**







## Strategy to Scale Up Promethean Sales in China

Local Distribution Network



"Fit for China"
Products



Unrivalled Brand Equity



JV set up with channel distributor



Partnering with Konka to
launch products highly fit for
the China market



Positioning Promethean current products in the high-end category

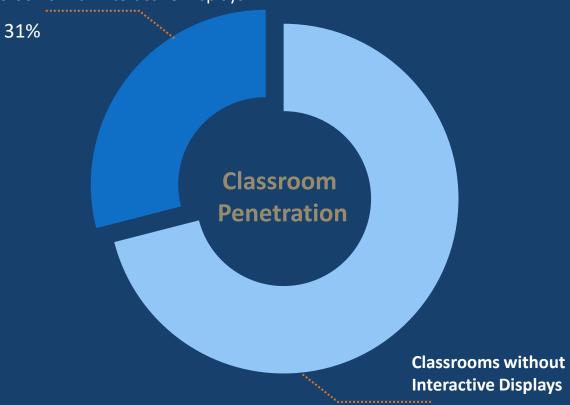




# **Sizable Untapped Market Opportunity**

	Developed Countries	Emerging Countries	Total
Penetration %	75%+	8 - 33%	31%
Total Classrooms	7M	36M	43M
Classrooms with Interactive Display	6M	7M	13M
% that remains unpenetrated	2- 25%	66 - 92%	69%

Classrooms with Interactive Displays



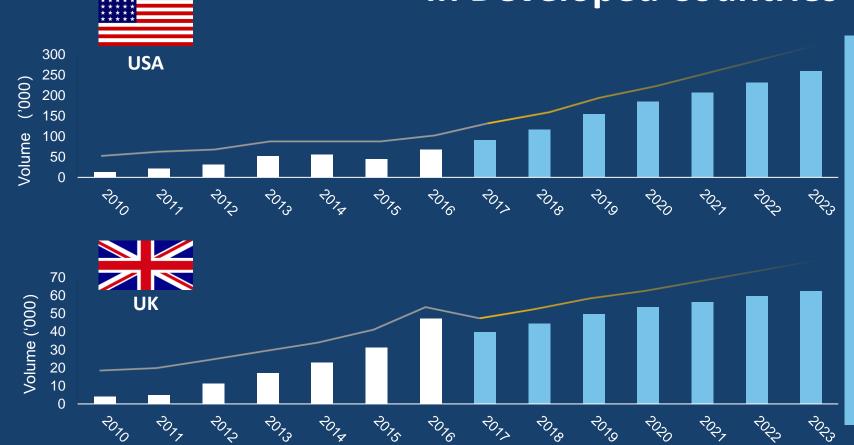
Source: Futuresource Consulting 1Q2020 World Interactive Displays Report

69%





# Huge Opportunity From Replacement Markets In Developed Countries



# Potential Replacement Markets in USA and UK

- ~2 million classrooms have installed interactive whiteboards in USA and UK.
   This offers a great potential opportunity for interactive panel replacements
- Expected ~1.3 million whiteboard displays
   will be replaced in USA and UK by 2023

Source: Futuresource Consulting

# Leveraging Software to drive User Engagement





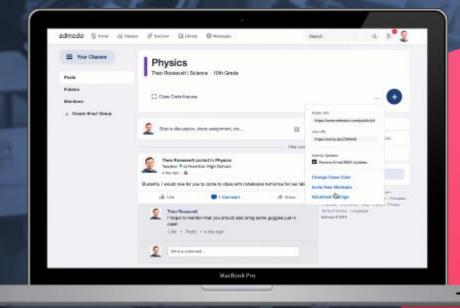




## Online Learning Platform Extends Beyond the Classroom

# edmodo

- Connecting learners around the world
- Communication and collaboration platform for teachers, students, administrators and parents



**192** Countries

400 Thousand Schools

120 Million
Users





## **Edmodo drives Collaboration and Learning Effectiveness**

#### **Distance Learning & Video Conferencing**

- Fully Integrated Solution (not a plugin)
- Built in-house specifically for distance learning use case
- Live Session, Office Hours, Group Study & Professional Development

#### Communication

- Schedule Classroom Posts Ahead of Time
- Create Threaded Discussions
- Message Across All Devices with Parents & Students

#### **Private Class Spaces**

- Dedicated Invite-Only Space
- Threaded Discussions
- Dedicated Resource Folder
- Small Groups for Courses
- Moderation Tools

#### **Administration & Assessment Tools**

- Assessment Tools such as Polls, Quizzes, Grading and Assignments
- Analytics & Insights
- Organize Resources by Group and/or Focus Area
- Organized Professional Development for Teachers





# MONETIZATION WITH EDMODO PREMIUM VERSION

	EDMODO FREE VERSION	EDMODO PAID VERSION
Core Edmodo Platform	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Video Live Streaming/ Whiteboarding		<b>✓</b>
Enterprise Setup & Onboarding		✓
SYNC & SSO Integration		<b>✓</b>
Content Cloud Integration		✓
Advanced Admin Tools & Reporting		<b>✓</b>
Dedicated Landing Page		✓
Branded Marketing Collateral		<b>✓</b>
Dedicated Success Manager		✓
Support Office Hours		<b>✓</b>
Training Sessions		<b>✓</b>



# EDMODO VS COMPETITION



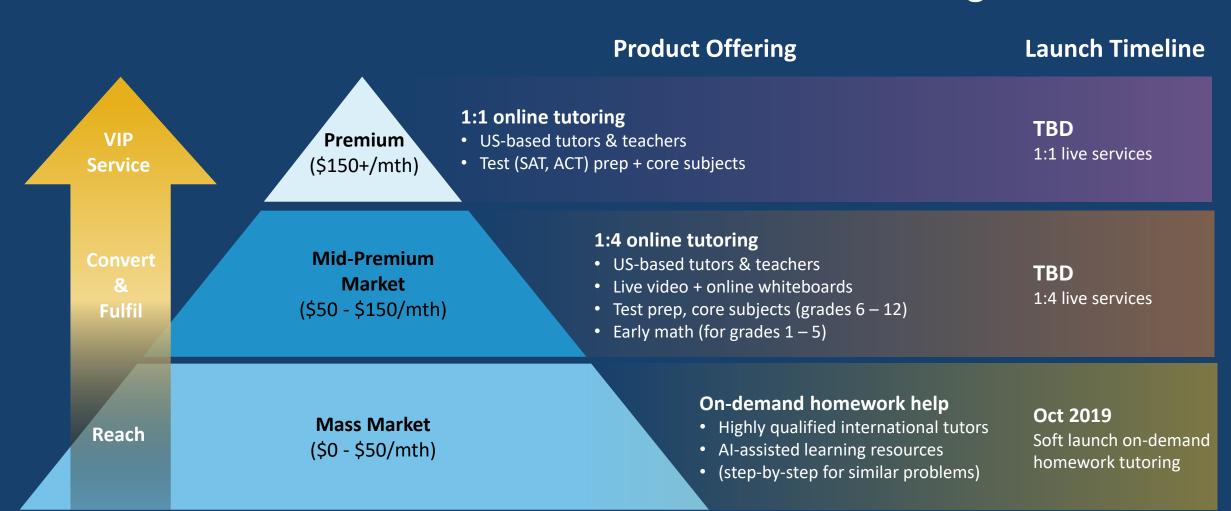
#### What makes the difference?

	Google Classroom	MSFT Teams	edmodo
Classroom Space (T/S)	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Messaging	✓	✓	<b>✓</b>
Assignments & Quizzes	✓	✓	✓
Storage	✓	✓	✓
Video Conferencing	✓	✓	✓
Student Planner	Google Docs	Office	Google Docs /
Document Storage	Google Docs	Office	Office Integration
Private Content Library			×,
School / District Pages			V
Community (T/S/Admin)			<b>~</b>
Classroom Planner			✓
Dedicated Support			✓
Training			✓
Complete Distance Learning Solution			✓
Activation & Engagement Rates	Medium	Low	High





#### Monetization with Edmodo VAS - Online Tutoring



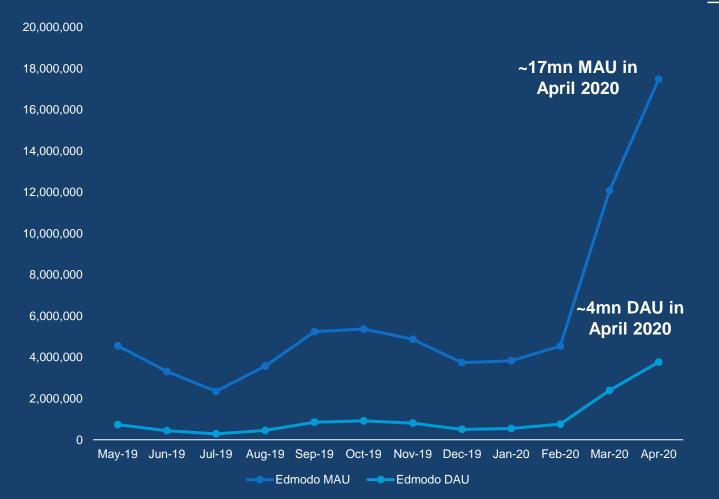


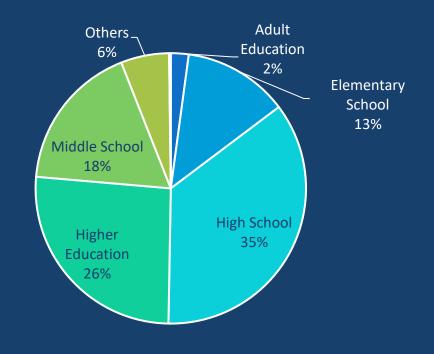


#### A Global Platform With Increasing Adoption Rates

#### **MAU/DAU of Edmodo**

#### **MAU of Edmodo by Grades**





Based on Students' MAU in April 2020



# **Creating Educational Software And Platform**

With Broadest Portfolio of Product + Technology In China



To G



To B



To C



#### **One Stop Learning**

**Platform** 



Educational Tools & Contents





**Al Courseware** 







3D EBook

Al Assistant

**VR Mysticraft** 

**Technologies** 











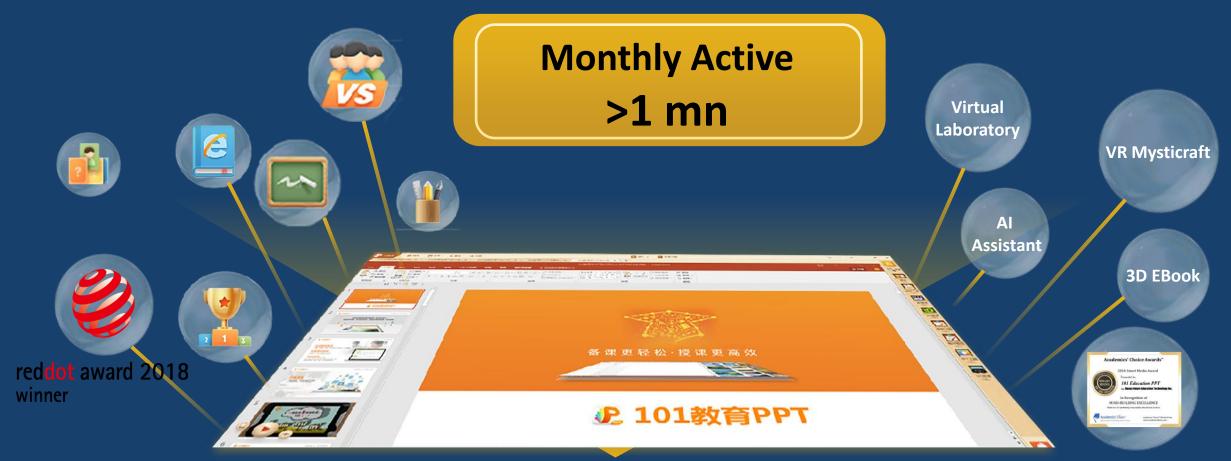
Monetize via SaaS Online Content and Service







Award-winning lesson preparation and delivery integrated platform, available on PC and mobile









# **One Stop Learning**

#### **Education Informatization Platform, addressing:**

- Homework capabilities
- Virtual classroom (live streaming)
- Communications
- Resources sharing

Coverage in Hubei, Fujian, Guangdong, Shaanxi, Henan and Shandong etc...

30,000+ Schools >3mn Monthly Active

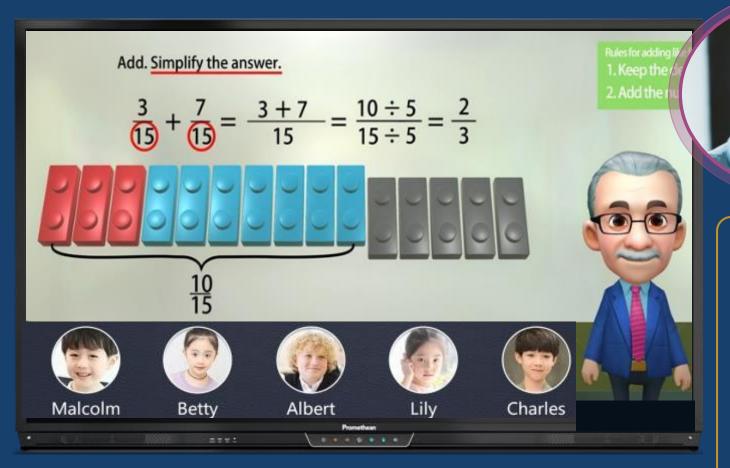
14mn+ users





# "Al Teacher" to Drive Better Learning Outcome + Higher Engagement





"Al Teacher" Courseware to supplement live teaching

Large overseas
teacher network to
source quality tutors

Library of 1.4M learning objectives mapped to curriculum



- Classroom & home learning solutions
- Blended + global classrooms



# To G, B, C (In China) JV with China Unicom to ride on 5G trend



In March 2020, NetDragon, China Unicom and Central China Normal University reached a strategic cooperation agreement on the establishment of a smart education joint venture – Yunqi Smart Education Technology Company



-- Provide products and solution services for actual use cases to target customers as well as an ecosystem for the industry.

#### **China Unicom**

-Strong communication and innovation capabilities in 5G, big data, cloud computing, Internet of Things and blockchain

#### **NetDragon**

- Artificial intelligence, VR/AR, 3D platforms, education informatization-related software and hardware capabilities



**Regional Education Center** 



"Smart" School Campus



"Smart" Learning

## Series of **Products**

**Cloud Computing For Education** 



Platform For VR Lab



"Smart" School System



**Big Data Analysis System For Education** 

**VR Vocational Education Training Platform** 



To G





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To B









EGYPT PICKS EDMODO FOR NATIONWIDE LEARNING

. On March 19, the Arab Republic of Egypt announced it had contracted with the online learning provider to deliver remote instruction to the country's entire K-12 student body.

• 1M+ teachers will provide distance learning support

Used by over 22M+ students

 Integrating with the Egypt Knowledge Bank ("EKB") to bring in a massive volume of interactive educational content









#### **EGYPT ADOPTS INTELLIGENT CLASSROOOM SOLUTION**

- Signed MOU With Egyptian Ministry of Education In 2019
- To Build 265,000 Intelligent Classroom Solutions For Egypt
- Delivery of 100 Pilot Classrooms In January 2020







EDMODO AND CODING GALAXY CHOSEN BY THAILAND MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AS K-12 LEARNING SOLUTIONS

Edmodo and Coding Galaxy, have been selected by the Ministry of Education Thailand to begin trial as the online learning platform and coding learning solution for 10,000 K-12 schools.

The project's coverage is expected to expand beyond 10,000 schools to more than 40,000 schools and 10 million students under the MoE after the pilot





#### **Belt and Road Initiative**





**Building a National Innovation Platform** 

20,000+ Classrooms installed with

**Promethean Interactive panels** 

Russia



20,000+ classrooms deployed for

**Providing Online Training Services** 

Kazakhstan



**Intelligent Classroom Solutions Project Egyptian MOE announce Edmodo as National** designated Online Learning platform for K12



**Thailand MOE announce Edmodo and Coding** 

**Galaxy as online learning platform** 

**Promethean: Market Share No.1** 

for Interactive Displays Market



Nigeria



India



**Develop and Improve Digital** 

**Education in Sarawak** 

Malaysia



### **Our Business Partners**

**Publisher** 



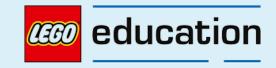






IP







**Telecommunications** 









# Partnership With World-Renowned Universities To Design Smart Learning For Future





Tsinghua University



Beijing Normal University



Central China Normal University



Xidian University



Beijing Language and Culture University



China Central Academy of Fine Arts





Harvard University



Leland Stanford
Junior University



University of North Texas



National University of Singapore

University Helsinki



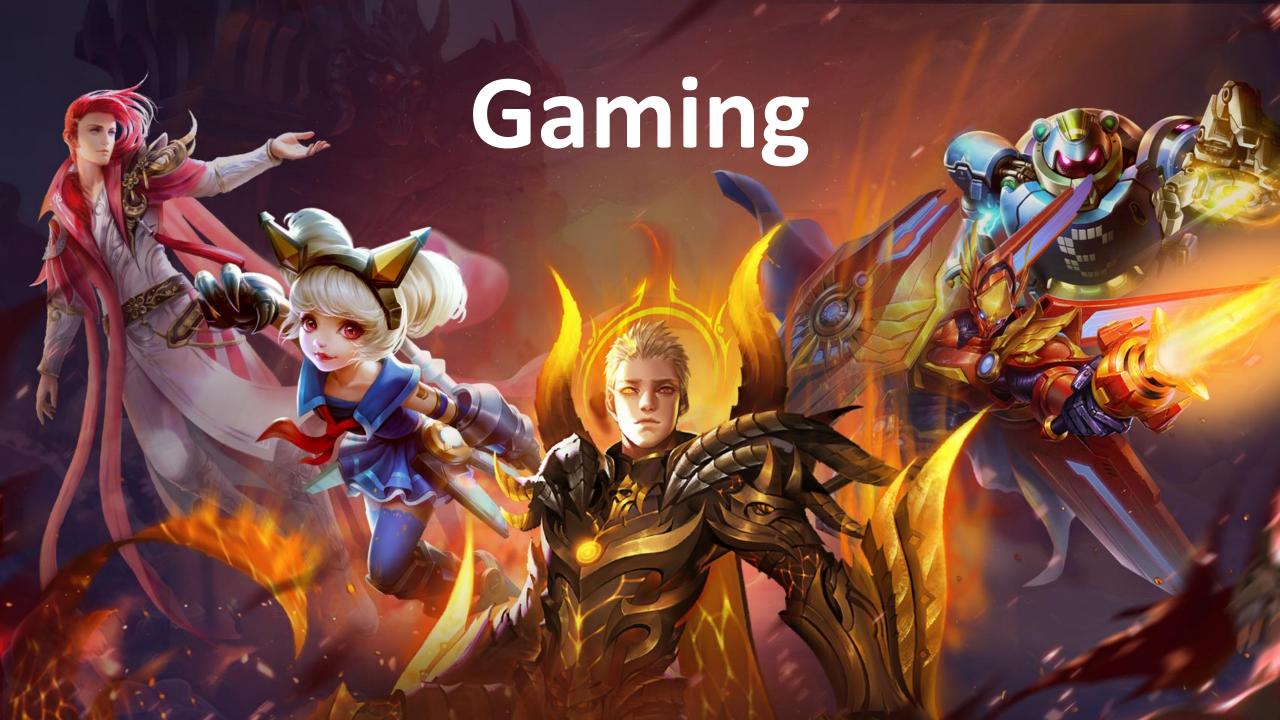




## **Our Vision For the Education Platform**

To Brighten The Future With Education
By Building a Global Lifelong Learning Community







## **Gaming Business Highlights**



# Huge Customer Base

+300mn Registered Users worldwide





# PC & Mobile Traction

39% Y-o-Y growth in FY2019





#### Data Driven

Business intelligence focused on key metrics and monetization





# Experienced Team

20 years of gaming operation experience





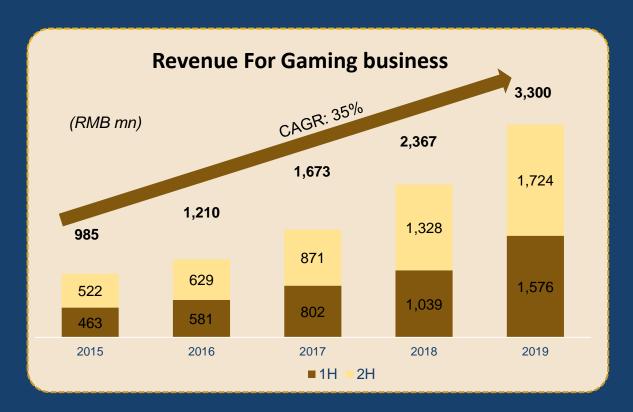
# Market Validation

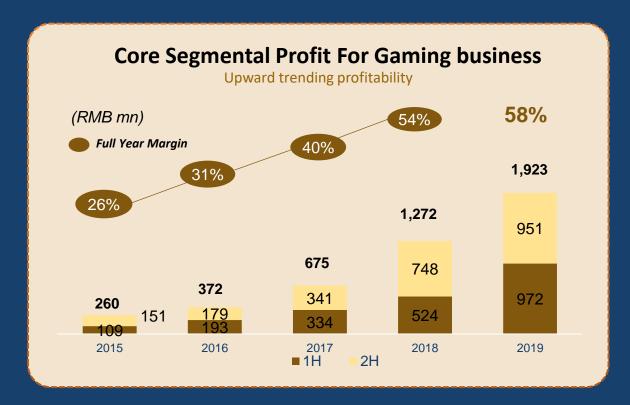
Ranked amongst the Top 8
Gaming Companies in China
by competitive strength\*





# **Upward Trending Profitability in Gaming Business**





- ✓ Flagship IPs, namely Eudemons, Heroes Evolved and Conquer
- ✓ Robust revenue growth as the company continues to boost user engagement and monetization
- ✓ Strong and defensible margins, gross margin has remained above 90% over the past five years. Gross margin further expanded to 95.9% in 2019
- ✓ Core segmental profit grew more than 7 times from 2015 to 2019

- >3x Revenue From 2015 to 2019
- >7x Core Segmental Profit From 2015 to 2019



### **Eudemons IP**

One of China's Most Valuable IPs



#### Expand IP Portfolio, Diversified Full-Category Coverage



- Launched in 2006
- Registered users: 250mn+
- Available in 10+ countries
- 2019: 7 Eudemons IPs Titles

Under Development

PC

魔域PC (Eudemons PC)

**互通版** (PC-Mobile Cross Platform Version) **WEB** 

魔域永恆 (Eudemons Eternity) **MOBILE** 

魔域口袋版 (Pocket Version)

魔域手遊 (Eudemons Mobile)

風暴魔域 (Eudemons Storm)

風暴魔域 2 (Eudemons Storm 2)

> 魔域II (Eudemons II)

HTML5

魔域來了 (Eudemons Here We Come)

魔域傳說 (Eudemons Legends)

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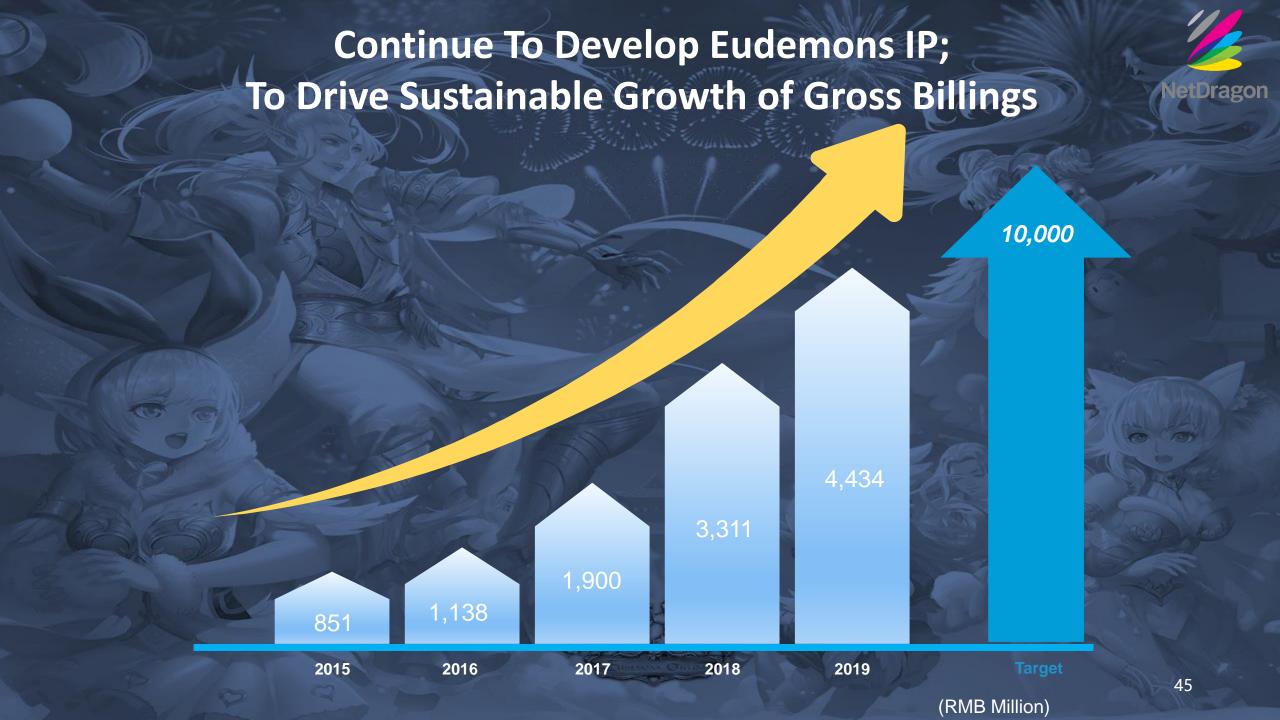


# **Eudemons IP Crossover Collaboration Driving Sustained Revenue Growth**











## **Heroes Evolved**

Leading MOBA Game in China



#### Strengthen Overseas Operation, Enhance Product Line



- Launched in 2015
- Registered users: 200mn+
- Available in 100+ countries
- 2019: 3 Heroes Evolved IPs Titles

MOBA

英魂PC版 (PC Version)

英魂口袋版 (Pocket Version) SLG

英魂之刃战略版 (Heroes of Ages) TCG

¦ 英魂王座 (Heroes Evolved "Thrones")





# Heroes Evolved IP Crossover Collaboration Injecting New Vitality













Pioneer of China online game in overseas expansion; Record high revenue in 2019



Integration of game and culture; Export of Chinese classic culture

- Launched in 2003
- Registered users:100mn+
- Available in 100+ countries
- Available in 5 different languages

# Our Core Games Belong in the Largest Genres by Market Revenue Size



Types of Domestic Games in China By Revenue in 2019



## **New Games Pipeline**



多人在线角色扮演 MMORPG 《魔域II》 *Eudemons II* (Open World MMO Mobile) 《終焉誓約》 Vows of Heroes (JRPG Mobile) 《风暴魔域II》 *Eudemons Storm II* (MMO Mobile)

战争策略模拟 SLG

Heroes of Ages (Real-Time Battle Strategic Mobile)

网页游戏/微端 HTML5 《魔域傳說H5》 Eudemons Legends H5 (HTML5)

## **JRPG**









**沙**人大!全技能分镜式战斗演出

#### **Vows of Heroes**

Tribute to JRPG Original Classics



- Vows of Heroes Partners with Bilibili
- Official Launch in 2020 and Exclusively Published by Bilibili







## **Eudemons II**

Open World; Immersive NPC

- Create an open world, provide immersive game experience
- Explore a self-defined ending
- Self-developed AI mechanism NPC for players' engagement

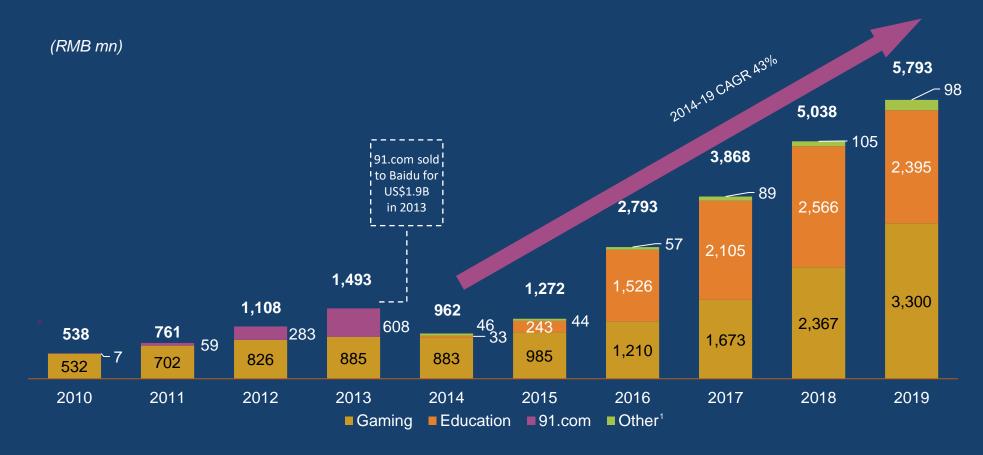
Note: NPC refers to non-player characters in the game



# Financials



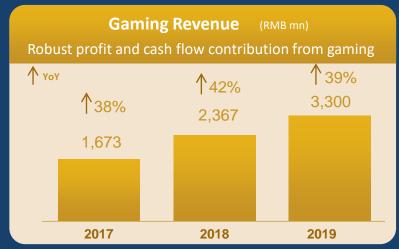
## Long Track Record of Successfully Growing Business Lines

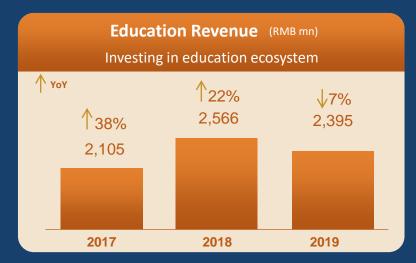


Revenue growth fueled by steady gaming performance and fast-growing education business



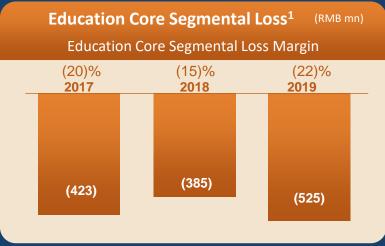
### **Key Financial Highlights For 2019**

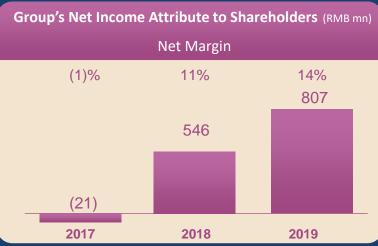














# **Condensed Income Statement**

(RMB million)	2019	2018	YoY
Revenue	5,793.1	5,037.5	+15.0%
Gaming	3,299.6	2,367.4	+39.4%
Education	2,395.4	2,565.6	-6.6%
Gross Profit	3,855.3	3,047.2	+26.5%
Selling & Marketing Expenses	915.8	697.9	+31.2%
as a % of Revenue	15.8%	13.9%	+1.9 ppts
Administrative Expenses	883.1	853.2	+3.5%
as a % of Revenue	15.2%	16.9%	-1.7 ppts
R&D Expenses	1,075.4	922.9	+16.5%
as a % of Revenue	18.6%	18.3%	+0.3 ppts
Net Profit attributable to Shareholders	807.2	545.6	+48.0%
EBITDA	1,245.2	832.5	+49.6%
Non-GAAP Operating Profit	1,060.7	651.8	+62.7% <sub>56</sub>



# **Segmental Financial Highlights**

(RMB million)		Education			Gaming		
	2019	2018	YoY	2019	2018	YoY	
Revenue	2,395.4	2,565.6	-6.6%	3,299.6	2,367.4	+39.4%	
Gross profit	713.0	766.1	-6.9%	3,165.5	2,262.4	+39.9%	
Gross profit margin (%)	29.8%	29.9%	-0.1 ppts	95.9%	95.6%	+0.3 ppts	
Core Segmental profit (loss)	(524.5)	(384.9)	+36.2%	1,923.3	1,271.6	+51.3%	
Segmental operating expenses							
- Research and Development	(491.3)	(449.3)	+9.3%	(557.6)	(458.9)	+21.5%	
- Selling and Marketing	(508.1)	(440.7)	+15.3%	(385.9)	(232.1)	+66.3%	
- Administrative	(254.9)	(239.5)	+6.4%	(306.4)	(296.0)	+3.5%	

#### **Education**

- Revenue up 12% YoY ex-Russia tender
- Core Segmental Loss increase is due to timing of Russia tender (phase 2 US\$64M in 2018, phase 3 expected to initiate in 2020), US tariff on Promethean products, and consolidation of Edmodo for full year (vs 8 months last year)

#### Gaming

- **Revenue** up 39.4% YoY due to broad-based increase from all 3 major IPs.
- **Selling and Marketing Expense** up 66.3% due to increase in marketing and promotional activities to drive growth.
- Core Segmental Profit up 51.3% YoY due to positive operating leverage.



# Management Team



## **Visionary Leadership**



# **LIU Dejian**Group Founder and Chairman

- Senior Engineer by the China Association of Science and Technology
- Co-Dean of Institute of Intelligent Learning at Beijing Normal University
- Ahead-of-the-curve product designer
- Conceived, successfully scaled and commercialized "first-mover" ideas including:
- 1st gaming portal (17173.com)
- 1st "free-to-play" MMORPG (Eudemons Online)
- Largest smartphone appstore platform (91 Wireless)



#### Dr. Simon LEUNG

ice Chairman, NetDragon Chairman, Edmodo



- Former Chairman & CEO, Greater China, Microsoft
- Former President, Asia Pacific, Motorola
- Former CEO , Asia Pacific, Harrow International School
- Doctorate in business administration from Hong Kong Polytechnic University and honorary doctorate in laws from University of Western Ontario



# And a global executive management team with track record in execution



**Dr. XIONG Li**Rotating CEO

- Associate Director of National Engineering Laboratory for Cyberlearning and Intelligent Technology
- 14+ years of management experience in TMT industry



**WANG Song**Chief Product Officer

- Chief Designer of "Eudemons Online", NetDragon's most popular and most profitable MMORPG
- Expert in gamification and user experience



**Ben YAM**Chief Financial Officer

- Former Senior Vice President, SAIF Partners (Asian PE fund with US\$4B AUM)
- Sat on board of 7 TMT portfolio companies
- MS from Columbia University
- CFA, CA, CPA



Susan KIM CEO, Edmodo

- Previously CEO at EatWith
- Former CEO at Plum District
- Former executive positions at Google and eBay
- MBA from Harvard Business School



Vin RIERA
CEO, Promethean

- Former Director and CEO of Collegis Education
- Former Director and CEO of Edmentum
- Served in executive leadership roles at Gateway, Inc. and Orange Business Services



CHEN Hongzhan
CTO
Executive Director

- Head of game development & technical support
- Former CEO of 91 Wireless
- 20+ years experience in online game development, management, & hardware development



CHEN Hong
Chief Technology
Officer of Fujian Huayu

- (China)Former CTO of SVMsoft (Joint Venture of VMware and Sugon)
- Former Director of VMware
- 10+ years of experience in software engineering and development
- MBA from Tsinghua University



YU Biao Chairman of Fujian Huayu (China)

- Head of planning, consolidation and operation of Huayu Education (China)
- 17+ years of experience in education management



LIN Wei

President of Fujian
Huayu (China)

- Responsible for sales of the operation and promotion educational products, research and development and production of hardware products
- 15+ years of experience in IT, mobile Internet, and education industries



# Appendix



## **Shareholding Structure**

