

THE MALAYSIAN INSTITUTE OF MICROELECTRONIC SYSTEMS (MIMOS)

The Malaysian Institute of Microelectronic Systems (MIMOS), is established to integrate the forces of government, universities, and industry in the single-minded pursuit of making Malaysia a producer of high-quality goods based on modern microelectronics.

MIMOS main objectives are:

- o to undertake and conduct research and development activities in the field of microelectronic systems and related areas;
- o to provide product research and development services to industry;
- o to contribute towards the creation of an indigenous pool of experts in microelectronic systems by organising courses, seminars and other relevant activities;
- o to encourage and support the creation of new industries based on high technology and modern microelectronics;
- o to disseminate information and research findings in the field of microelectronics to interested parties; and
- o to provide a forum for individuals, experts and intellectuals in the various areas of microelectronics and related fields to exchange views and research findings in an atmosphere conducive to promoting microelectronics as a rewarding research and business activity.

In order to acquire the critical technologies of modern microelectronics, MIMOS has signed four Memoranda of Understanding with the following companies:

- o Easams Ltd. (part of the GEC-Marconic Group of United Kingdom)
- o L.M. Ericsson, Sweden
- o Marconi Italiana
- o NEC Corporation, Japan