

NAND Flash Memory Trends

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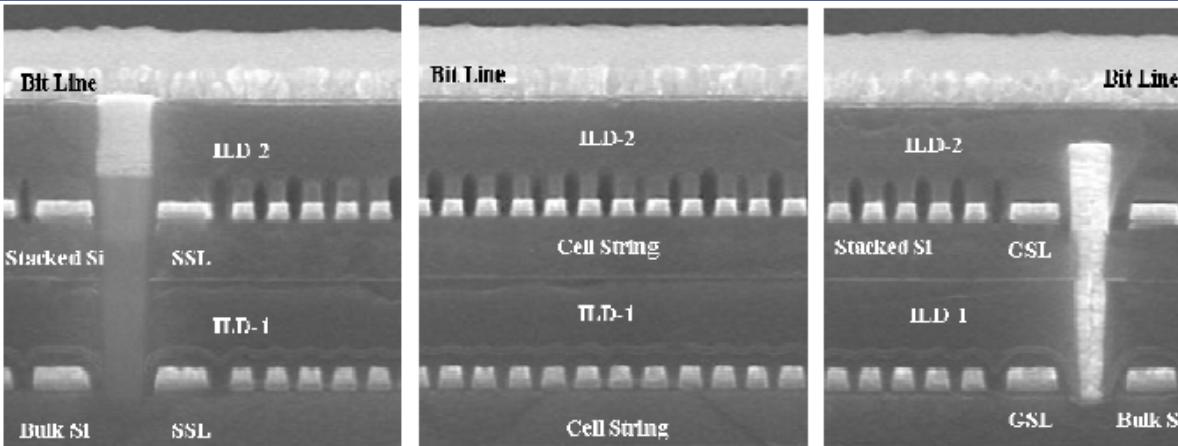


Industry Trends

- NAND
 - Number of bits per cell ↑
 - Process complexity ↑
 - Design complexity ↑
 - Access latency ↑
 - Endurance ↓
- Market
 - Applications usage model and characteristics will dictate technology employed
 - 3C's
- Pricing < \$1/GB in 2011

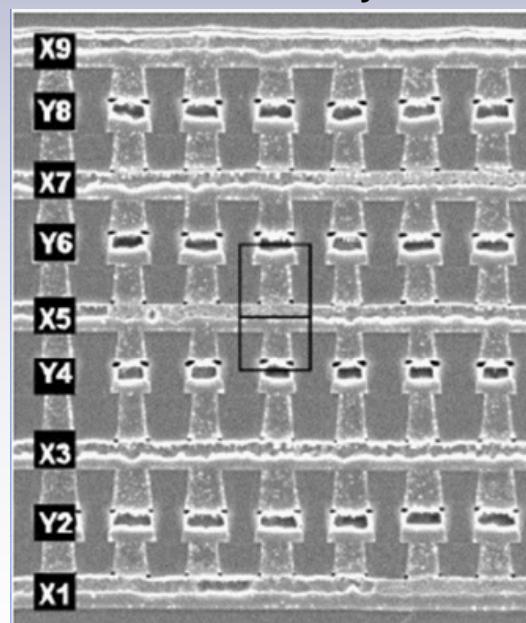
The Future is UP?

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Source: K.Kim et. al., IEDM 2006

3D Memory

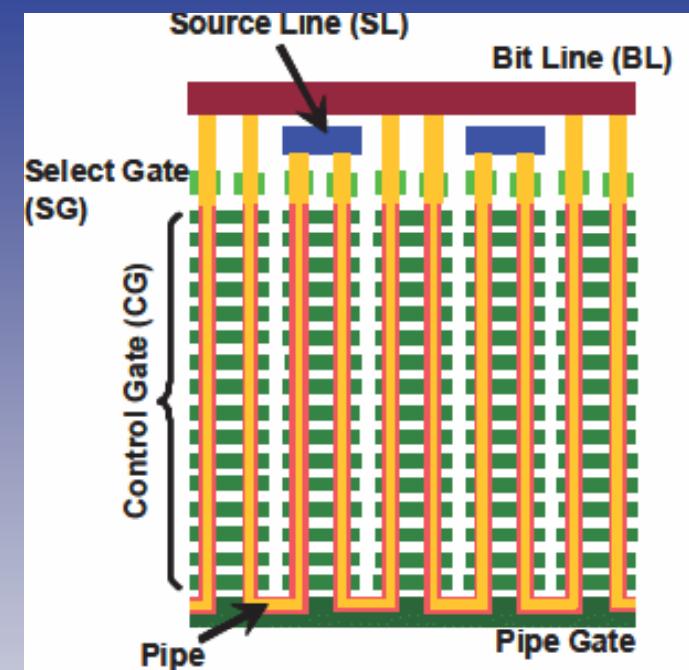


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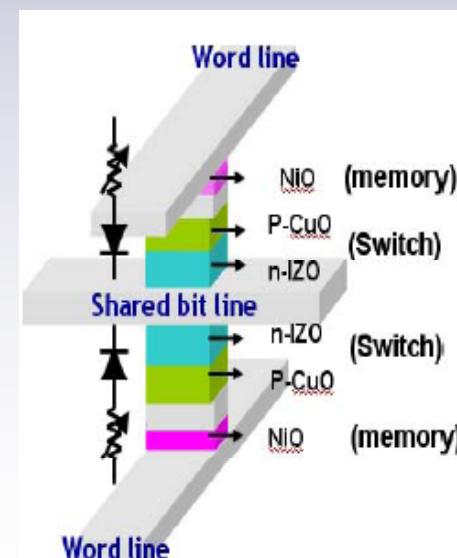
Source: SanDisk, FMS 2008

BiCS



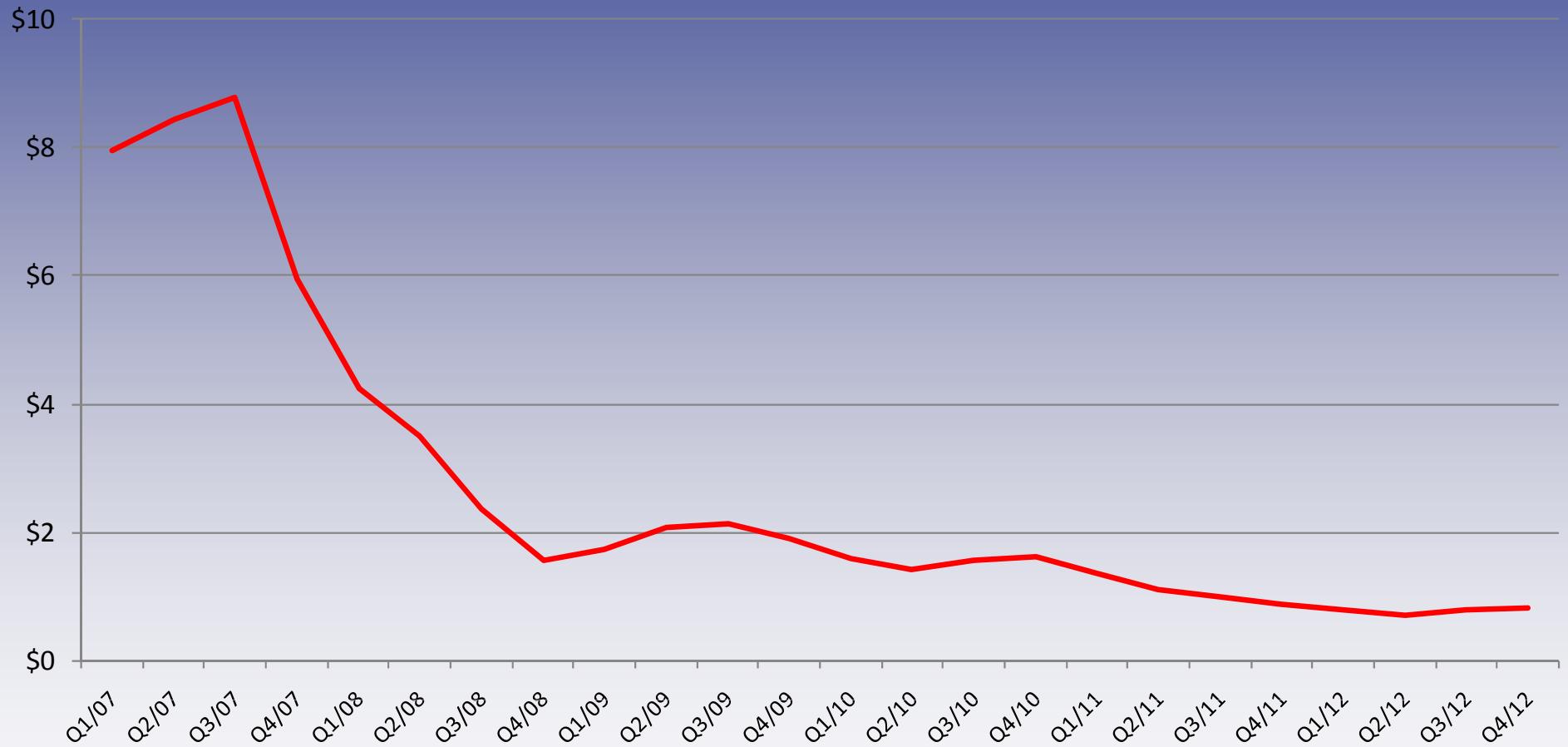
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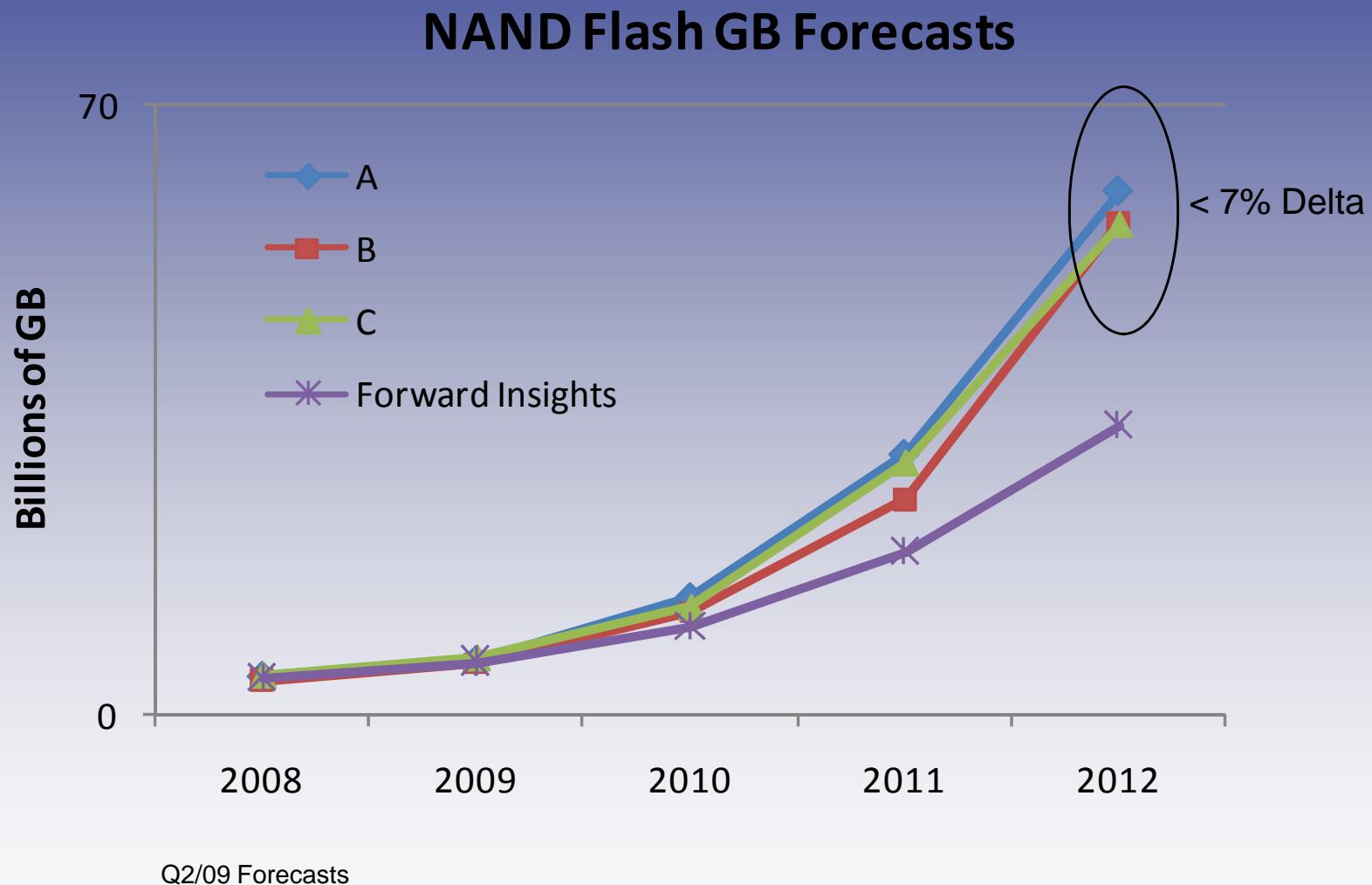


Moderating Price Declines

NAND Flash ASP / GB



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