



Optim Wafer Services are pleased to confirm the completion of the previously announced 200mm capacity increase in our plant in Greasque.

Background

During Q3 & 4 of 2016 we started to see increased demand from our existing 200mm customers and serious enquires from new customers for reclaim & supply services. This prompted Optim to review capacity and with the commitment of some of our key customers we were able to justify an investment to cope with that increased demand.

That demand that has continued to increase in 2017 and looks set to remain high into 2018 across both 150mm & 200mm reclaim & supply businesses.

Investment

Optim has purchased and installed the following equipment, a second KLA Tencor SP1 Surfscan, an additional Ontrak scrubber & another lasermarking tool. We have also increased our permanent production staffing levels to help manage this extra demand, while still working a 24/5 working week.

These investments have increased Optim's 200mm capacity by ~50%.

Thanks to our customers' support, Optim will be able to continue to provide a low cost of ownership, high quality, fast & efficient test wafer reclaim & supply services to the Semiconductor industry.