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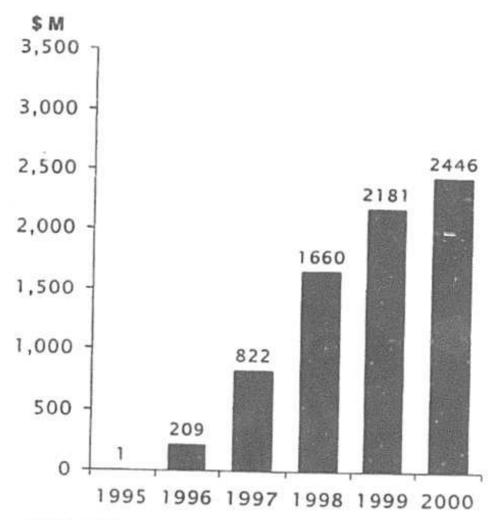
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# Growing Profitably

- New Product Revenue\*
Consumer and Small Business



	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
% Change Yr/Yr	14,439%	293%	102%	31%	12%
% of TOR	3%	11%	18%	22%	24%

<sup>\*</sup> Includes New Business Ventures

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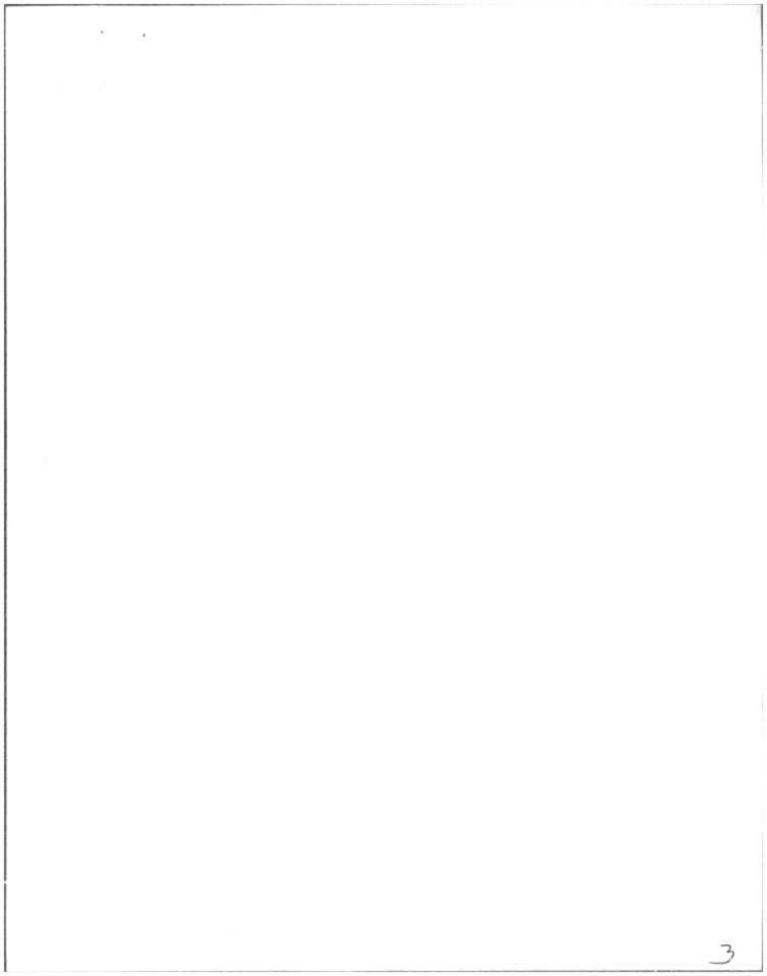
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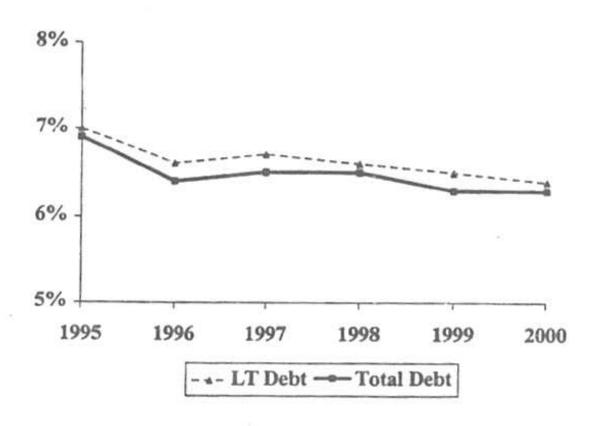
N&CS's business strategy is straight forward — We will offer all of our customers unsurpassed quality, excellent service, and breadth of coverage at an attractive cost. We will create an environment in which our employees will be rewarded for creating value for both our Industrial customers and BellSouth shareholders.

#### INDUSTRIAL BUSINESS STRATEGY -

- Differentiate our business with a superior network -- offering unsurpassed quality, excellent service, and breadth of coverage.
- Present a compelling value proposition to retail distributors such that they prefer to purchase BST network capability versus building facilities or purchasing facilities from others
- Provide our employees with a clear, focused environment and the responsibility, authority, and accountability they need to succeed.
- Consistently deliver value to BellSouth shareholders.



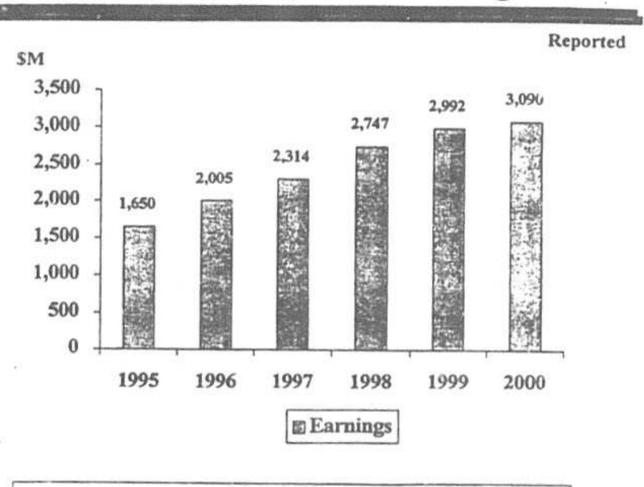
# Embedded Cost of Debt - Average



	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
LT Debt	6.6%	6.7%	6.6%	6.5%	6.4%
Total Debt	6.4%	6.5%	6.5%	6.3%	6.3%

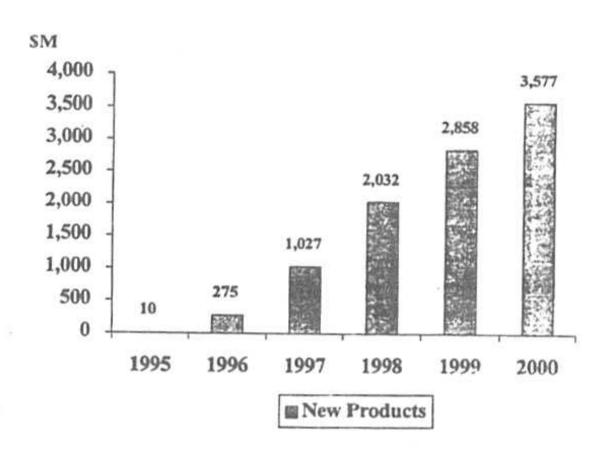
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## BST Earnings View Through 2000



% Y/Y Chg	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
	21.5%	15.4%	18.7%	8.9%	3.3%

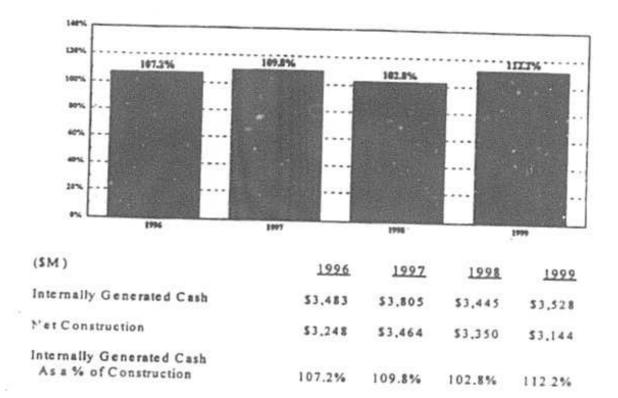
## New Product Revenues



	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
% Growth	2792%	274%	98%	41%	25%
% TOR	1.9%	6.7%	12.1%	16.1%	19.6%

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### Internally Generated Cash As a % Of Construction



Note: Internally Generated Cash is Gross Reported Cashflow less dividends declared.

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#### Summary of All Competitive Impacts

#### Assumed Losses to Revenue

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1997

1998

1999

Pre FCC Competition

Local Interconnect

Wireless Interconnect

Access Reform/USF

Post FCC Competition

Total Competition

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First Quarter 1997

#### **List of New Products**

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Complete Choice Ares Plus w Complete Choice AreaPas New Product Trials Per Use Activations Memory Call Enhancements BackUp Lines MultiServe MVCS Bus Main ISDN Pathlink ISDN Frame Relay & Access NMLI Voice Consferencing BroadBand ATM CDS & Access Smart Path (DSI & DSI) Smart Gate DA Call Completition Other NBV - Long Distance NBV - Wireless NBV - Electronic Commerce Total New Product Revenue

1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999

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