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This issue of the Advanced Packaging Update features special coverage of large area panel fan-out wafer level packaging (FO-WLP) developments. The panel market is divided into high-density RDL ($\leq 2\mu$ m L/S with multiple RDLs) versus low-density (> 5μ m L/S with ≤ 3 RDLs). Panel activities at major organizations are discussed and a market forecast for low-density panels is included. High-performance packaging options including silicon interposers and alternatives such as fan-out on substrate are presented. A special section examines developments in electro-magnetic interference (EMI) shielding. Huawei's new 5G smartphone is examined. Outsourced semiconductor assembly and test (OSAT) financials are analyzed.

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