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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## **FORM 10-Q**

(Mark One)

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# QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the Quarterly Period Ended June 29, 2012

Or

## • TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

001-33260

(Commission File Number)

## TE CONNECTIVITY LTD.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Switzerland

(Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

98-0518048

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

Rheinstrasse 20 CH-8200 Schaffhausen, Switzerland

(Address of principal executive offices)

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(Registrant's telephone number)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes  $\acute{y}$  No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (\$232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes  $\acute{y}$  No o

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated Accelerated	Non-accelerated filer o	Smaller reporting
filer ý filer o	(Do not check if a	company o
	smaller reporting	
	company)	
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell com	pany (as defined in Rule 12b-	2 of the Exchange Act). Yes

The number of common shares outstanding as of July 24, 2012 was 427,809,571.

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## PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

## ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## TE CONNECTIVITY LTD.

## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

## (UNAUDITED)

	For the								
	Quarters Ended June 29, June 24,			Nine Mont June 29,			une 24,		
		2012		2011		2012		2011	
							are data)		
Net sales	\$	3,499	\$	3,579	\$	9,918	\$	10,025	
Cost of sales		2,481		2,491		6,936		6,938	
Gross margin		1,018		1,088		2,982		3,087	
Selling, general, and administrative expenses		423		441		1,233		1,261	
Research, development, and engineering expenses		173		178		523		507	
Acquisition and integration costs		15		1		23		19	
Restructuring and other charges, net		36		8		86		58	
Operating income		371		460		1,117		1,242	
Interest income		6		5		18		16	
Interest expense		(48)		(39)		(131)		(117)	
Other income (expense), net		19		(5)		31		13	
Income from continuing operations before income taxes		348		421		1,035		1,154	
Income tax expense		(88)		(70)		(267)		(247)	
Income from continuing operations		260		351		768		907	
Income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income taxes		(61)		6		(49)		16	
Net income		199		357		719		923	
Less: net income attributable to noncontrolling interests				(2)		(3)		(4)	
						, í			
Net income attributable to TE Connectivity Ltd.	\$	199	\$	355	\$	716	\$	919	
Amounts attributable to TE Connectivity Ltd.:									
Income from continuing operations	\$	260	\$	349	\$	765	\$	903	
Income (loss) from discontinued operations		(61)		6		(49)		16	
Net income	\$	199	\$	355	\$	716	\$	919	
Basic earnings per share attributable to TE Connectivity Ltd.:	φ.	0.61	¢	0.00	¢	1 70	¢	2.05	
Income from continuing operations	\$	0.61	\$	0.80	\$	1.79	\$	2.05	
Income (loss) from discontinued operations		(0.15)		0.01		(0.11)		0.03	
Net income	\$	0.46	\$	0.81	\$	1.68	\$	2.08	

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Diluted earnings per share attributable to TE Connectivity Ltd.:				
Income from continuing operations	\$ 0.60 \$	0.79	\$ 1.78 \$	2.02
Income (loss) from discontinued operations	(0.14)	0.01	(0.11)	0.04
Net income	\$ 0.46 \$	0.80	\$ 1.67 \$	2.06
Dividends and cash distributions paid per common share of TE Connectivity Ltd.	\$ 0.21 \$	0.18	\$ 0.57 \$	0.50
Weighted-average number of shares outstanding:				
Basic	428	437	427	441
Diluted	431	442	430	447

See Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

## (UNAUDITED)

	June 29, 2012		September 3 2011	
		(in	millior	ıs,
		except	share	data)
Assets				
Current Assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents		1,302	\$	1,218
Accounts receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of \$41 and \$38, respectively		2,393		2,341
Inventories		1,868		1,878
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		462		634
Deferred income taxes		407		402
Assets held for sale				508
Total current assets		6,432		6,981
Property, plant, and equipment, net		3,136		3,140
Goodwill		4,290		3,288
Intangible assets, net		1,392		631
Deferred income taxes		2,232		2,364
Receivable from Tyco International Ltd. and Covidien plc		1,170		1,066
Other assets		290		253
Total Assets	\$ 1	8,942	\$	17,723
Liabilities and Equity				
Current Liabilities:				
Current maturities of long-term debt		1,066	\$	
Accounts payable		1,383		1,454
Accrued and other current liabilities		1,522		1,733
Deferred revenue		99		143
Liabilities held for sale				80
Total current liabilities		4,070		3,410
Long-term debt		2,693		2,667
Long-term pension and postretirement liabilities		1,169		1,202
Deferred income taxes		509		333
Income taxes		2,257		2,122
Other liabilities		504		505
Total Liabilities	1	1,202		10,239
Commitments and contingencies (Note 11)				
Equity:				
TE Connectivity Ltd. Shareholders' Equity:				
Common shares, 439,092,124 shares authorized and issued, CHF 1.17 par value, and 463,080,684 shares				
authorized and issued, CHF 1.37 par value, respectively		193		593
Contributed surplus		6,820		7,604
Accumulated earnings		800		84
Treasury shares, at cost, 11,318,310 and 39,303,550 shares, respectively		(305)		(1,235)
Accumulated other comprehensive income		226		428

Total TE Connectivity Ltd. shareholders' equity Noncontrolling interests	7,734 6	7,474 10
Total Equity	7,740	7,484
Total Liabilities and Equity	\$ 18,942 \$	17,723

See Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

## TE CONNECTIVITY LTD.

## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

## (UNAUDITED)

	For th	ths Ended	
	June 29	une 24, 2011	
	gune _>	(in million	·
Cash Flows From Operating Activities:		(	
Net income	\$	719 \$	923
(Income) loss from discontinued operations, net of income taxes		49	(16)
Income from continuing operations		768	907
Adjustments to reconcile net cash provided by operating activities:			
Depreciation and amortization		453	419
Deferred income taxes		100	103
Provision for losses on accounts receivable and inventories		44	20
Share-based compensation expense		52	58
Other		17	(19)
Changes in assets and liabilities, net of the effects of acquisitions and divestitures:		(20)	(100)
Accounts receivable, net		(26)	(122)
Inventories		24	(235)
Inventoried costs on long-term contracts		9	16
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		86	94 84
Accounts payable		(91)	
Accrued and other current liabilities		(195)	(251)
Income taxes		(74)	
Deferred revenue		(52)	(66)
Long-term pension and postretirement liabilities Other		33 26	53 31
Ollei		20	51
Net cash provided by continuing operating activities		1,174	1,114
Net cash provided by discontinued operating activities		60	35
Net cash provided by operating activities		1,234	1,149
Cash Flows From Investing Activities:			
Capital expenditures		(385)	(370)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant, and equipment		13	58
Proceeds from sale of intangible assets			68
Proceeds from sale of short-term investments			155
Acquisition of business, net of cash acquired		(1,384)	(731)
Proceeds from divestiture of discontinued operations, net of cash retained by operations sold		394	
Other		(7)	(10)
Net cash used in continuing investing activities		(1,369)	(830)
Net cash used in discontinued investing activities		(1)	(5)
Net cash used in investing activities		(1,370)	(835)
Cash Flows From Financing Activities:			
Net increase (decrease) in commercial paper		350	(100)
Proceeds from long-term debt		748	249
			(565)
Repayment of long-term debt		(642)	
Repayment of long-term debt Proceeds from exercise of share options		52	74
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Proceeds from exercise of share options		52	74

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Net cash provided by (used in) continuing financing activities	293	(1,085)
Net cash used in discontinued financing activities	(59)	(30)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	234	(1,115)
Effect of currency translation on cash	(14)	23
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	84	(778)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	1,218	1,990
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 1,302 \$	1,212

See Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

#### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

#### 1. Basis of Presentation

#### **Basis of Presentation**

The unaudited Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements of TE Connectivity Ltd. ("TE Connectivity" or the "Company," which may be referred to as "we," "us," or "our") have been prepared in United States Dollars, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP"). The preparation of the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses. Actual results could differ materially from these estimates. In management's opinion, the unaudited Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements contain all normal recurring adjustments necessary for a fair presentation of interim results. The results of operations reported for interim periods are not necessarily indicative of the results of operations for the entire fiscal year or any subsequent interim period.

The Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with the instructions to Form 10-Q under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. The year-end balance sheet data was derived from audited financial statements, but does not include all of the information and disclosures required by GAAP. These financial statements should be read in conjunction with our audited Consolidated Financial Statements contained in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2011.

Unless otherwise indicated, references in the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements to fiscal 2012 and fiscal 2011 are to our fiscal years ending September 28, 2012 and September 30, 2011, respectively.

#### **Reclassifications**

We have reclassified certain items on our Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements to conform to the current year presentation.

#### 2. Accounting Pronouncements

#### **Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements**

In December 2011 and June 2011, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued updates to guidance in Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") 220, *Comprehensive Income*, that change the presentation and disclosure requirements of comprehensive income in interim and annual financial statements. These updates to ASC 220 are effective for us in the first quarter of fiscal 2013; however, we expect to early adopt these standards during the fourth quarter of fiscal 2012. Adoption is not expected to have a material impact on our Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

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## NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

## 3. Restructuring and Other Charges, Net

Charges (credits) to operations by segment were as follows:

	For the Quarters Ended			For the Nine Months Ended				
	June 29, June 24, 2012 2011			June 29, 2012		, =		
	(in millions)							
Transportation Solutions	\$	14	\$	(13)	\$	12	\$	(18)
Communications and Industrial Solutions		16		11		51		14
Network Solutions		6		10		23		62
Restructuring and related charges, net	\$	36	\$	8	\$	86	\$	58

Amounts recognized on the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations were as follows:

	(	For Quarter		ed	Ni	ded		
	June 29, June 24, 2012 2011		, - , -			/ -		
				(in mi	llions	)		
Cash charges	\$	36	\$	7	\$	89	\$	52
Non-cash charges (credits)				1		(3)		6
Restructuring and related charges, net	\$	36	\$	8	\$	86	\$	58
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## NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 3. Restructuring and Other Charges, Net (Continued)

#### **Restructuring and Related Cash Charges**

Activity in our restructuring reserves during the first nine months of fiscal 2012 is summarized as follows:

	Balance at					Changes in	C	Balance at
	September 30 2011	·	arges	Utiliz	ation	Estimate	Currency Translation	June 29, 2012
	2011	0	- 8-5		in mill			_01_
Fiscal 2012 Actions:						10113)		
Employee severance	\$	\$	87	\$	(30)	\$ (1)	\$ (1)	\$ 55
Facilities exit costs	Ŧ	Ŧ		Ŧ	(2 0)	+ (-)	+ (-)	
Other								
Total			87		(30)	(1)	(1)	55
					()			
Fiscal 2011 Actions:								
Employee severance	104		6		(51)	(12)	(3)	44
Facilities exit costs	4		2		(4)	()		2
Other	1				( .)			1
Total	109		8		(55)	(12)	(3)	47
Total	109		0		(55)	(12)	(3)	17
Pre-Fiscal 2011								
Actions:								
Employee severance	33		4		(14)	(1)	(2)	20
Facilities exit costs	31		3		(6)	(1)	(1)	27
Other	2		1		(1)		(1)	2
	-				(-)			-
Total	66		8		(21)	(1)	(3)	49
Total	00		0		(21)	(1)	(3)	+2
Total Astivity	\$ 175	\$	103	\$	(106)	¢ (14)	¢ (7)	\$ 151
Total Activity	\$ 1/5	\$	103	Э	(106)	\$ (14)	\$ (7)	\$ 151

#### Fiscal 2012 Actions

We initiated restructuring programs during fiscal 2012 associated with the acquisition of Deutsch Group SAS and related headcount reductions primarily in the Transportations Solutions segment as well as headcount reductions in the Communications and Industrial Solutions segment. In connection with these actions, during the nine months ended June 29, 2012, we recorded net restructuring charges of \$86 million primarily related to employee severance and benefits. We expect to complete all restructuring activities commenced in fiscal 2012 by the end of fiscal 2013 and to incur total charges of approximately \$87 million. Cash spending related to this plan was \$30 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012. We expect total cash spending to be approximately \$59 million and \$27 million in fiscal 2012 and 2013, respectively.

## NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

## 3. Restructuring and Other Charges, Net (Continued)

The following table summarizes charges incurred for fiscal 2012 actions by segment:

	Charges Incurred							
	Quarte	For the Quarter Ended June 29, 2012		or the onths Ended 29, 2012				
		( <b>in</b> )	millions)					
Transportation Solutions	\$	13	\$	17				
Communications and Industrial Solutions		18		50				
Network Solutions		5		19				
Total	\$	36	\$	86				

## Fiscal 2011 Actions

We initiated restructuring programs during fiscal 2011 which were primarily associated with the acquisition of ADC Telecommunications, Inc. ("ADC") and related headcount reductions in the Network Solutions segment. Additionally, we increased reductions in force as a result of economic conditions, primarily in the Communications and Industrial Solutions segment. In connection with these actions, during the nine months ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, we recorded net restructuring credits of \$4 million and charges of \$77 million, respectively, which primarily related to employee severance and benefits. We have completed all restructuring activities commenced in fiscal 2011. Cash spending related to this plan was \$55 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012. We expect total cash spending to be approximately \$82 million and \$20 million in fiscal 2013, respectively.

The following table summarizes charges incurred for fiscal 2011 actions by segment:

	For the Quarter Ende June 29, 2012		nded	Cumula	ative
Transportation Solutions	\$	\$	(6)	\$	2
Communications and Industrial Solutions		(2)			68
Network Solutions		1	2		81
Total	\$	(1) \$	(4)	\$	151

## Pre-Fiscal 2011 Actions

We initiated restructuring programs during fiscal 2010 primarily related to headcount reductions in the Transportation Solutions segment. During fiscal 2009, we initiated restructuring programs primarily related to headcount reductions and manufacturing site closures across all segments in response to economic conditions and the implementation of our manufacturing simplification plan. We have completed all restructuring activities commenced in fiscal 2010 and 2009. In connection with these pre-fiscal 2011 actions, during the nine months ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, we recorded net restructuring charges of \$7 million and credits of \$25 million, respectively. The credits in the first

### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 3. Restructuring and Other Charges, Net (Continued)

nine months of fiscal 2011 primarily related to decreases in planned employee headcount reductions associated with the Transportation Solutions segment.

During fiscal 2002, we recorded restructuring charges related to a significant downturn in the telecommunications industry and certain other end markets. These actions have been completed. As of June 29, 2012, the remaining restructuring reserves related to fiscal 2002 actions were \$29 million, primarily associated with exited lease facilities in the Subsea Communications business in the Network Solutions segment. We expect that the remaining reserves will continue to be paid out over the expected terms of the obligations which range from one to fifteen years.

Cash spending related to pre-fiscal 2011 actions was \$21 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012, and we expect total cash spending of approximately \$39 million and \$15 million in fiscal 2012 and 2013, respectively.

#### **Total Restructuring Reserves**

Restructuring reserves by segment were as follows:

	June 29, 2012		Sept	ember 30, 2011
		ıs)		
Transportation Solutions	\$	25	\$	32
Communications and Industrial Solutions		65		65
Network Solutions		61		78
Restructuring reserves	\$	151	\$	175

Restructuring reserves were included on our Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets as follows:

	-	June 29, 2012		ember 30, 2011		
	(in millions)					
Accrued and other current liabilities	\$	109	\$	129		
Other liabilities		42		46		
Restructuring reserves	\$	151	\$	175		

#### 4. Acquisition

On April 3, 2012, we acquired 100% of the outstanding shares of Deutsch Group SAS ("Deutsch"). The total value paid for the transaction amounted to  $\in 1.55$  billion (approximately \$2.05 billion using an exchange rate of \$1.33 per  $\in 1.00$ ), net of cash acquired. The total value paid included \$659 million related to the repayment of Deutsch's financial debt plus accrued interest. Deutsch is a global leader in high-performance connectors for harsh environments, and significantly expands our product portfolio and enables us to better serve customers in the industrial and commercial transportation, aerospace, defense, and marine, and rail markets. This acquisition is reported primarily as part of our Transportation Solutions segment from the date of acquisition.

#### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 4. Acquisition (Continued)

The Deutsch acquisition was accounted for under the provisions of ASC 805, *Business Combinations*. We have preliminarily allocated the purchase price to tangible and identifiable intangible assets acquired and liabilities assumed based on their estimated fair values. We are in the process of completing the valuation of identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed and, therefore, the fair values set forth below are subject to adjustment upon finalizing the valuations. In addition, completion of the purchase price allocation may impact the net deferred tax liability of \$187 million currently recognized with any adjustment resulting in a corresponding change to goodwill. The amount of these potential adjustments could be significant. We expect to complete the purchase price allocation during the current fiscal year.

The following table summarizes the preliminary allocation of the purchase price to the fair value of identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed at the date of acquisition, in accordance with the acquisition method of accounting:

	(in r	nillions)
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	152
Other current assets		337
Property, plant, and equipment		132
Goodwill		1,026
Intangible assets		837
Other long-term assets		31
Total assets acquired		2,515
Current maturities of long-term debt		642
Other current liabilities		137
Deferred income taxes		176
Other long-term liabilities		24
Total liabilities assumed		979
Net assets acquired		1,536
Cash and cash equivalents acquired		(152)
Net cash paid	\$	1,384

Other current assets primarily consist of inventories of \$190 million and trade accounts receivable of \$122 million. Other current liabilities assumed are primarily comprised of accrued and other current liabilities of \$70 million and trade accounts payable of \$56 million.

The fair values assigned to intangible assets were determined through the use of the income approach, specifically the relief from royalty method and the multi-period excess earnings method. Both valuation methods rely on management judgments, including expected future cash flows resulting from existing customer relationships, customer attrition rates, contributory effects of other assets utilized in the business, peer group cost of capital and royalty rates, and other factors. The valuation of tangible assets was derived using a combination of the income approach, the market approach, and the cost approach. Significant judgments used in valuing tangible assets include estimated reproduction or replacement cost, useful lives of assets, estimated selling prices, costs to complete, and reasonable

### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 4. Acquisition (Continued)

profit. Useful lives for intangible assets were determined based upon the remaining useful economic lives of the intangible assets that are expected to contribute directly or indirectly to future cash flows.

Intangible assets acquired consist of the following:

	An	nount	Weighted-Avera Amortization Per	0
	(in m	illions)	(in years)	
Customer relationships	\$	500		15
Developed technology		165		12
Trade names and trademarks		150		20
Customer order backlog		22		0.3
Total	\$	837		15

The acquired intangible assets are being amortized on a straight-line basis over their expected lives. The \$1,026 million of goodwill is attributable to the excess of the purchase price over the fair value of the net tangible and intangible assets acquired and liabilities assumed. The goodwill recognized is primarily attributable to cost savings and other synergies that we expect to realize through operational efficiencies including consolidation of manufacturing, marketing, and general and administrative functions. Substantially all of the goodwill has been allocated to our Transportation Solutions segment and is not deductible for tax purposes. However, prior to its merger with us, Deutsch completed certain acquisitions that resulted in goodwill deductible primarily for U.S. tax purposes of approximately \$215 million which we will deduct over the next thirteen years.

During the quarter ended June 29, 2012, Deutsch contributed net sales of \$174 million and an operating loss of \$62 million to our Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements. The operating loss included charges of \$68 million associated with the amortization of acquisition-accounting related fair value adjustments primarily related to acquired inventories and customer order backlog, acquisition costs of \$13 million, restructuring charges of \$11 million, and integration costs of \$2 million. During the nine months ended June 29, 2012, we incurred Deutsch-related acquisition and integration costs of \$21 million, respectively.

The following unaudited pro forma financial information reflects the consolidated results of operations of the Company had the Deutsch acquisition occurred at the beginning of fiscal 2011.

	Pro Forma for the Quarters Ended			Pro Forma fo the Nine Months						
	-	June 29, 2012		- / -		ine 24, 2011	2012		, - ,	
				(1 <b>n</b> 1	millio	ons)				
Net sales	\$	3,502	\$	3,757	\$	10,264	\$	10,513		
Net income attributable to TE Connectivity Ltd.		250		367		789		892		

The pro forma financial information is based on our preliminary allocation of purchase price and therefore subject to adjustment upon finalizing the purchase price allocation. The significant pro forma adjustments which are described below are net of income tax expense (benefit) at the statutory rate.

## NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 4. Acquisition (Continued)

Pro forma results for the quarter ended June 29, 2012 were adjusted to exclude \$30 million of charges related to the fair value adjustment to acquisition-date inventories, \$12 million of charges related to acquired customer order backlog, \$8 million of acquisition costs, and \$2 million of charges related to other acquisition accounting-related adjustments. Pro forma results for the quarter ended June 29, 2012 were also adjusted to include \$1 million of interest expense based on pro forma changes in our capital structure.

Pro forma results for the quarter ended June 24, 2011 were adjusted to exclude \$11 million of interest expense based on pro forma changes in our capital structure, \$7 million of income tax expense based on the estimated impact of combining Deutsch into our global tax position, and \$1 million of charges related to depreciation expense. In addition, pro forma results for the quarter ended June 24, 2011 were adjusted to include \$5 million of charges related to the amortization of the fair value of acquired intangible assets.

Pro forma results for the nine months ended June 29, 2012 were adjusted to exclude \$30 million of interest expense based on pro forma changes in our capital structure, \$30 million of charges related to the fair value adjustment to acquisition-date inventories, \$20 million of income tax expense based on the estimated impact of combining Deutsch into our global tax position, \$13 million of acquisition costs, \$12 million of charges related to acquired customer order backlog, \$2 million of share-based compensation expense incurred by Deutsch as a result of the change in control of Deutsch, \$2 million of charges related to depreciation expense, and \$2 million of charges related to other acquisition accounting-related adjustments. In addition, pro forma results for the nine months ended June 29, 2012 were adjusted to include \$17 million of charges related to the amortization of the fair value of acquired intangible assets.

Pro forma results for the nine months ended June 24, 2011 were adjusted to exclude \$32 million of interest expense based on pro forma changes in our capital structure, \$20 million of income tax expense based on the estimated impact of combining Deutsch into our global tax position, and \$3 million of charges related to depreciation expense. In addition, pro forma results for the nine months ended June 24, 2011 were adjusted to include \$30 million of charges related to the fair value adjustment to acquisition-date inventories, \$16 million of charges related to the amortization of the fair value of acquired intangible assets, \$14 million of charges related to acquired customer order backlog, and \$4 million of charges related to other acquisition accounting-related adjustments.

Pro forma results do not include any anticipated synergies or other anticipated benefits of the acquisition. Accordingly, the unaudited pro forma financial information is not necessarily indicative of either future results of operations or results that might have been achieved had the Deutsch acquisition occurred at the beginning of fiscal 2011.

#### 5. Discontinued Operations

On June 1, 2012, we sold our Touch Solutions business for net cash proceeds of \$380 million, subject to working capital adjustments, of which we received \$370 million during the quarter ended June 29, 2012. We recognized an insignificant pre-tax loss on the transaction. The agreement includes contingent earn-out provisions through 2015 based on business performance. In connection with the divestiture, we incurred an income tax charge of \$65 million, which is included in income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income taxes on the Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations

### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 5. Discontinued Operations (Continued)

for the quarter ended June 29, 2012, primarily as a result of being unable to realize a tax benefit from the write-off of goodwill at the time of the sale. We expect to make tax payments of approximately \$10 million associated with this divestiture.

On April 27, 2012, we sold our TE Professional Services business for net cash proceeds of \$29 million, of which we received \$24 million during the quarter ended June 29, 2012, and recognized a pre-tax gain of \$2 million on the transaction. In the second quarter of fiscal 2012, we recorded a pre-tax impairment charge of \$28 million, which is included in income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income taxes on the Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations, to write the carrying value of the business down to its estimated fair value less costs to sell.

On December 27, 2011, the New York Court of Claims entered judgment in our favor in the amount of \$25 million, payment of which was received in the second quarter of fiscal 2012, in connection with our former Wireless Systems business's State of New York contract. This judgment resolved all outstanding issues between the parties in this matter. This partial recovery of a previously recognized loss, net of legal fees, is reflected in income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income taxes on the Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations for the nine months ended June 29, 2012.

The Touch Solutions, TE Professional Services, and Wireless Systems businesses met the held for sale and discontinued operations criteria and have been included in discontinued operations in all periods presented. Prior to reclassification to discontinued operations, the Touch Solutions and TE Professional Services businesses were included in the Communications and Industrial Solutions and Network Solutions segments, respectively. The Wireless Systems business was a component of the former Wireless Systems segment.

The following table presents net sales, pre-tax income, pre-tax gain (loss) on sale, and income tax expense from discontinued operations:

	( Jun 20	-	ne 24, 2011	Jı	ine 29, 2012	the ths Ended June 24, 2011		
				(in mi	nillions)			
Net sales	\$	76	\$	151	\$	355	\$	377
Pre-tax income from discontinued operations	\$	6	\$	11	\$	21	\$	33
Pre-tax gain (loss) on sale of discontinued operations		2				2		(4)
Income tax expense		(69)		(5)		(72)		(13)
Income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income taxes	\$	(61)	\$	6	\$	(49)	\$	16

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## NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

## 5. Discontinued Operations (Continued)

The following table presents balance sheet information for assets and liabilities held for sale at fiscal year end 2011. There were no such amounts at June 29, 2012:

	20	nber 30, 011 illions)
Accounts receivable, net	\$	84
Inventories		61
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		14
Property, plant, and equipment, net		23
Goodwill		298
Intangible assets, net		24
Other assets		4
Total assets	\$	508
Accounts payable	\$	29
Accrued and other current liabilities		40
Deferred revenue		2
Other liabilities		9
Total liabilities	\$	80

## 6. Inventories

Inventories consisted of the following:

	June 29, 2012		Sep	tember 30, 2011
		(in	millio	ns)
Raw materials	\$	308	\$	301
Work in progress		602		541
Finished goods		905		973
Inventoried costs on long-term contracts		53		63
Inventories	\$	1,868	\$	1,878

## NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

## 7. Goodwill

The changes in the carrying amount of goodwill by segment were as follows:

	Transportation Solutions	Communications and Industrial Solutions	Network Solutions	Total
		(in mi	llions)	
Balance at September 30, 2011:				
Goodwill	\$ 2,712	\$ 3,034	\$ 2,217	\$ 7,963
Accumulated impairment losses	(2,191)	(1,459)	(1,025)	(4,675)
Goodwill, net of impairment losses	521	1,575	1,192	3,288
Changes in goodwill:				
Acquisition	1,006	20		1,026
Currency translation	(3)	(11)	(10)	(24)
Balance at June 29, 2012:				
Goodwill	3,715	3,043	2,207	8,965
Accumulated impairment losses	(2,191)	(1,459)	(1,025)	(4,675)
Goodwill, net of impairment				
losses	\$ 1,524	\$ 1,584	\$ 1,182	\$ 4,290

During the third quarter of fiscal 2012, we completed the acquisition of Deutsch and recognized \$1,026 million of goodwill, which primarily benefits the Transportation Solutions segment. See Note 4 for additional information on the acquisition of Deutsch.

#### 8. Intangible Assets, Net

Intangible assets were as follows:

	Ca	Gross arrying mount	Acci	e 29, 2012 umulated ortization		Net arrying mount	Ca	Gross arrying	Acc	ber 30, 201 umulated ortization	] Cai	Net rrying nount
	(in millions)											
Intellectual property	\$	1,146	\$	(424)	\$	722	\$	831	\$	(389)	\$	442
Customer relationships		666		(33)		633		165		(12)		153
Other		74		(37)		37		53		(17)		36
Total	\$	1,886	\$	(494)	\$	1,392	\$	1,049	\$	(418)	\$	631

During the quarter ended June 29, 2012, the Deutsch acquisition increased the gross carrying amount of intangible assets by \$837 million. Intangible asset amortization expense was \$47 million and \$16 million for the quarters ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, respectively, and \$76 million and \$49 million for the nine months ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011 respectively.

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#### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 8. Intangible Assets, Net (Continued)

The estimated aggregate amortization expense on intangible assets is expected to be as follows:

	(in r	nillions)
Remainder of fiscal 2012	\$	31
Fiscal 2013		112
Fiscal 2014		112
Fiscal 2015		112
Fiscal 2016		111
Fiscal 2017		111
Thereafter		803
Total	\$	1,392

## 9. Debt

Debt was as follows:

	-	ine 29, 2012	-	nber 30, )11
		(in	millions)	
6.00% senior notes due 2012	\$	714	\$	716
5.95% senior notes due 2014		300		300
1.60% senior notes due 2015		250		
6.55% senior notes due 2017		733		736
4.875% senior notes due 2021		272		269
3.50% senior notes due 2022		498		
7.125% senior notes due 2037		475		475
3.50% convertible subordinated notes due 2015		90		90
Commercial paper, at a weighted-average interest rate of 0.43% at June 29, 2012		350		
Other		77		81
Total debt <sup>(1)</sup>		3,759		2,667
Less current maturities of long-term debt <sup>(2)</sup>		1,066		
Long-term debt	\$	2,693	\$	2,667

<sup>(1)</sup> 

Senior notes are presented at face amount and, if applicable, are net of unamortized discount and the fair value of interest rate swaps.

(2)

The current maturities of long-term debt at June 29, 2012 was comprised of the 6.00% senior notes due 2012, commercial paper, and a portion of amounts shown as other.

During February 2012, Tyco Electronics Group S.A. ("TEGSA"), our wholly-owned subsidiary, issued \$250 million aggregate principal amount of 1.60% senior notes due February 3, 2015 and \$500 million aggregate principal amount of 3.50% senior notes due February 3, 2022. The notes were offered and sold pursuant to an effective registration statement on Form S-3 filed on January 21, 2011. Interest on the notes is payable semi-annually on February 3 and August 3 of each year, beginning

## NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 9. Debt (Continued)

August 3, 2012. The notes are TEGSA's unsecured senior obligations and rank equally in right of payment with all existing and any future senior indebtedness of TEGSA and senior to any subordinated indebtedness that TEGSA may incur. Net proceeds from the issuance of the notes due 2015 and 2022, were approximately \$250 million and \$498 million, respectively. In connection with the issuance of the senior notes in February 2012, the commitments of the lenders under the \$700 million 364-day credit agreement, dated as of December 20, 2011, automatically terminated.

In June 2011, TEGSA entered into a five-year unsecured senior revolving credit facility ("Credit Facility"), with total commitments of \$1,500 million. TEGSA had no borrowings under the Credit Facility at June 29, 2012 and September 30, 2011.

The Credit Facility contains a financial ratio covenant providing that if, as of the last day of each fiscal quarter, our ratio of Consolidated Total Debt (as defined in the Credit Facility) to Consolidated EBITDA (as defined in the Credit Facility) for the then most recently concluded period of four consecutive fiscal quarters exceeds 3.5 to 1.0, an Event of Default (as defined in the Credit Facility) is triggered. The Credit Facility and our other debt agreements contain other customary covenants.

TEGSA's payment obligations under its senior notes, commercial paper, and Credit Facility are fully and unconditionally guaranteed by TE Connectivity Ltd. Neither TE Connectivity Ltd. nor any of its subsidiaries provides a guarantee as to payment obligations under the 3.50% convertible subordinated notes due 2015 and other notes issued by ADC prior to its acquisition in December 2010.

We have used, and continue to use, derivative instruments to manage interest rate risk. See Note 12 for information on options to enter into interest rate swaps ("swaptions"), forward starting interest rate swaps, and interest rate swaps.

The fair value of our debt, based on indicative valuations, was approximately \$4,078 million and \$2,968 million at June 29, 2012 and September 30, 2011, respectively.

#### 10. Guarantees

Pursuant to the Separation and Distribution Agreement and Tax Sharing Agreement, upon separation from Tyco International Ltd. ("Tyco International") on June 29, 2007, we entered into certain guarantee commitments and indemnifications with Tyco International and Covidien plc ("Covidien"). Under these agreements, principally the Tax Sharing Agreement, we, Tyco International, and Covidien share 31%, 27%, and 42%, respectively, of certain contingent liabilities relating to unresolved pre-separation tax matters of Tyco International. The effect of the Tax Sharing Agreement is to indemnify us for 69% of certain liabilities settled in cash by us with respect to unresolved pre-separation tax matters. Pursuant to that indemnification, we have made similar indemnifications to Tyco International and Covidien with respect to 31% of certain liabilities settled in cash by the companies relating to unresolved pre-separation tax matters. If any of the companies responsible for all or a portion of such liabilities were to default in its payment of costs or expenses related to any such liability, we would be responsible for a portion of the defaulting party or parties' obligation. In addition, Tyco International and Covidien are responsible for their tax liabilities that are not subject to the Tax Sharing Agreement's sharing formula. Our indemnification created under the Tax Sharing Agreement qualifies as a guarantee of a third party entity's debt under ASC 460, *Guarantees*.



### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 10. Guarantees (Continued)

At June 29, 2012, we had a liability representing the indemnifications made to Tyco International and Covidien pursuant to the Tax Sharing Agreement of \$239 million of which \$225 million was reflected in other liabilities and \$14 million was reflected in accrued and other current liabilities on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet. At September 30, 2011, the liability was \$249 million and consisted of \$228 million in other liabilities and \$21 million in accrued and other current liabilities. The amount reflected in accrued and other current liabilities is our estimated cash obligation under the Tax Sharing Agreement to Tyco International and Covidien in connection with pre-separation tax matters that could be resolved within the next twelve months.

We have assessed the probable future cash payments to Tyco International and Covidien for pre-separation income tax matters pursuant to the terms of the Tax Sharing Agreement and determined that \$239 million remains sufficient to satisfy these expected obligations.

In disposing of assets or businesses, we often provide representations, warranties, and/or indemnities to cover various risks including unknown damage to assets, environmental risks involved in the sale of real estate, liability for investigation and remediation of environmental contamination at waste disposal sites and manufacturing facilities, and unidentified tax liabilities and legal fees related to periods prior to disposition. We have no reason to believe that these uncertainties would have a material adverse effect on our results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

At June 29, 2012, we had outstanding letters of credit and letters of guarantee in the amount of \$349 million.

In the normal course of business, we are liable for contract completion and product performance. In the opinion of management, such obligations will not significantly affect our results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

We generally record estimated product warranty costs when contract revenues are recognized under the percentage-of-completion method for construction related contracts and at the time of sale for products. The estimation is primarily based on historical experience and actual warranty claims. Amounts accrued for warranty claims at June 29, 2012 and September 30, 2011 were \$51 million and \$54 million, respectively.

#### 11. Commitments and Contingencies

#### **TE Connectivity Legal Proceedings**

In the ordinary course of business, we are subject to various legal proceedings and claims, including patent infringement claims, product liability matters, employment disputes, disputes on agreements, other commercial disputes, environmental matters, antitrust claims, and tax matters, including non-income tax matters such as value added tax, sales and use tax, real estate tax, and transfer tax. Although it is not feasible to predict the outcome of these proceedings, based upon our experience, current information, and applicable law, we do not expect that the outcome of these proceedings, either individually or in the aggregate, will have a material effect on our results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

At June 29, 2012, we had a contingent purchase price commitment of \$80 million related to our fiscal 2001 acquisition of Com-Net. This represents the maximum amount payable to the former

### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 11. Commitments and Contingencies (Continued)

shareholders of Com-Net only after the construction and installation of a communications system for the State of Florida was completed and approved by the State of Florida in accordance with guidelines set forth in the contract. Under the terms of the purchase and sale agreement, we do not believe we have any obligation to the sellers. However, the sellers have contested our position and initiated a lawsuit in June 2006 in the Court of Common Pleas in Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, which is in the discovery phase. A liability for this contingency has not been recorded on the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements as we do not believe that any payment is probable or reasonably estimable at this time.

### Legal Matters under Separation and Distribution Agreement

The Separation and Distribution Agreement among us, Tyco International, and Covidien provided for the allocation among the parties of Tyco International's assets, liabilities, and obligations attributable to periods prior to our and Covidien's separations from Tyco International on June 29, 2007. Under the Separation and Distribution Agreement, we assumed the liability for, and control of, all pending and threatened legal matters at separation related to our business or assumed or retained liabilities. We were responsible for 31% of certain liabilities that arose from litigation pending or threatened at separation that was not allocated to one of the three parties, and Tyco International and Covidien were responsible for 27% and 42%, respectively, of such liabilities. If any party defaults in payment of its allocated share of any such liability, each non-defaulting party will be responsible for an equal portion of the amount in default together with any other non-defaulting party, although any such payments will not release the obligation of the defaulting party. Subject to the terms and conditions of the Separation and Distribution Agreement, Tyco International manages and controls all the legal matters related to the shared contingent liabilities, including the defense or settlement thereof, subject to certain limitations. All costs and expenses that Tyco International incurs in connection with the defense of such litigation, other than the amount of any judgment or settlement, which is allocated in the manner described above, will be borne equally by Tyco International, Covidien, and us. At the present time, all significant matters for which we shared responsibility with Tyco International and Covidien under the Separation and Distribution Agreement, which as previously reported in our periodic filings generally related to securities class action cases and other securities cases, have been settled. Other than matters described below under "Compliance Matters," we presently are not aware of any additional legal matters which may arise for which we would bear a portion of the responsibility under the Separation and Distribution Agreement.

#### **Compliance Matters**

As previously reported in our periodic filings, Tyco International received and has responded to various allegations that certain improper payments were made by Tyco International subsidiaries, including our subsidiaries, in recent years prior to the separation. Tyco International reported to the U.S. Department of Justice and the Securities and Exchange Commission the investigative steps and remedial measures that it had taken in response to the allegations, including that it retained outside counsel to perform a company-wide baseline review of its policies, controls, and practices with respect to compliance with the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act ("FCPA"), and that it would continue to investigate and make periodic progress reports to these agencies. To date, our baseline review has revealed that some of our former business practices may not have complied with FCPA requirements.

## NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 11. Commitments and Contingencies (Continued)

At this time, we believe we have adequate amounts recorded related to these matters, the amounts of which are not significant. Any judgment, settlement, or other cost incurred by Tyco International in connection with these matters not specifically allocated to Tyco International, Covidien, or us would be subject to the liability sharing provisions of the Separation and Distribution Agreement.

#### **Income Taxes**

In prior years, in connection with the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") audit of various fiscal years, Tyco International submitted to the IRS proposed adjustments to prior period U.S. federal income tax returns resulting in a reduction in the taxable income previously filed. The IRS accepted substantially all of the proposed adjustments for fiscal 1997 through 2000 for which the IRS had completed its field work. On the basis of previously accepted amendments, we have determined that acceptance of adjustments presented for additional periods through fiscal 2006 is more likely than not to be accepted and, accordingly, have recorded them, as well as the impacts of the adjustments accepted by the IRS, on the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

As our tax return positions continue to be updated for periods prior to separation, additional adjustments may be identified and recorded on the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements. While the final adjustments cannot be determined until the income tax return amendment process is completed and accepted by the IRS, we believe that any resulting adjustments will not have a material impact on our results of operations, financial position, or cash flows. Additionally, adjustments may be recorded to equity in the future for the impact of filing final or amended income tax returns in certain jurisdictions where those returns include a combination of Tyco International, Covidien, and/or our subsidiaries for the periods prior to the separation.

During fiscal 2007, the IRS concluded its field examination of certain of Tyco International's U.S. federal income tax returns for the years 1997 through 2000 and issued Revenue Agent Reports which reflect the IRS' determination of proposed tax adjustments for the 1997 through 2000 period. Tyco International has appealed certain proposed adjustments totaling approximately \$1 billion. Additionally, the IRS proposed civil fraud penalties against Tyco International arising from alleged actions of former executives in connection with certain intercompany transfers of stock in 1998 and 1999. Based upon statutory guidelines, Tyco International estimates the proposed penalties could range between \$30 million and \$50 million. The penalty is asserted against a prior subsidiary of Tyco International that was distributed to us in connection with the separation. Any penalty ultimately imposed upon our subsidiary would be subject to sharing with Tyco International and Covidien under the Tax Sharing Agreement. It is our understanding that Tyco International continues to make progress towards resolving a substantial number of proposed tax adjustments for the years 1997 through 2000; however, several significant matters remain in dispute. The remaining issues in dispute involve the tax treatment of certain intercompany debt transactions. Tyco International has indicated that it is unlikely to achieve the resolution of these contested adjustments through the IRS appeals process, and therefore may be required to litigate the disputed issues. In the first nine months of fiscal 2012, we made payments of \$70 million for tax deficiencies related to undisputed tax adjustments for the years 1997 through 2000. Concurrent with remitting these payments, we were reimbursed \$44 million from Tyco International and Covidien pursuant to their indemnifications for pre-separation tax matters. For those issues not in dispute, we expect the IRS to complete its examination for the years 1997 through 2000 and issue special agreement Forms 870-AD by



## NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 11. Commitments and Contingencies (Continued)

approximately \$26 million, inclusive of related indemnification payments, in connection with these pre-separation tax matters.

During fiscal 2011, the IRS completed its field examination of certain Tyco International income tax returns for the years 2001 through 2004, issued Revenue Agent Reports which reflect the IRS' determination of proposed tax adjustments for the 2001 through 2004 period, and issued certain notices of deficiency. As a result of the completion of fieldwork and the settlement of certain tax matters, in the third quarter of fiscal 2011, we recognized income tax benefits of \$35 million and other expense of \$14 million pursuant to the Tax Sharing Agreement. Also, in the fourth quarter of fiscal 2011, we made net cash payments of \$154 million related to pre-separation deficiencies.

The IRS commenced its audit of certain Tyco International income tax returns for the years 2005 through 2007 in fiscal 2011.

During the third quarter of fiscal 2012, the IRS commenced its audit of our income tax returns for the years 2008 through 2010.

At June 29, 2012 and September 30, 2011, we have reflected \$74 million and \$232 million, respectively, of income tax liabilities related to the audits of Tyco International's and our income tax returns in accrued and other current liabilities as certain of these matters could be resolved within the next twelve months.

We continue to believe that the amounts recorded on our Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements relating to the matters discussed above are appropriate. However, the ultimate resolution is uncertain and could result in a material impact to our results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

#### **Environmental Matters**

We are involved in various stages of investigation and cleanup related to environmental remediation matters at a number of sites. The ultimate cost of site cleanup is difficult to predict given the uncertainties regarding the extent of the required cleanup, the interpretation of applicable laws and regulations, and alternative cleanup methods. As of June 29, 2012, we concluded that it was probable that we would incur remedial costs in the range of \$13 million to \$26 million. As of June 29, 2012, we concluded that the best estimate within this range is \$13 million, of which \$9 million is included in accrued and other current liabilities and \$4 million is included in other liabilities on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet. In view of our financial position and reserves for environmental matters of \$13 million, we believe that any potential payment of such estimated amounts will not have a material adverse effect on our results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

#### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 12. Financial Instruments

We use derivative and non-derivative financial instruments to manage certain exposures to foreign currency, interest rate, investment, and commodity risks.

#### Foreign Exchange Risks

As part of managing the exposure to changes in foreign currency exchange rates, we utilize foreign currency forward and swap contracts, a portion of which are designated as cash flow hedges. The objective of these contracts is to minimize impacts to cash flows and profitability due to changes in foreign currency exchange rates on intercompany transactions, accounts receivable, accounts payable, and other cash transactions.

We expect that significantly all of the balance in accumulated other comprehensive income associated with the cash flow hedge-designated instruments addressing foreign exchange risks will be reclassified into the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations within the next twelve months.

#### Interest Rate and Investment Risk Management

We issue debt, from time to time, to fund our operations and capital needs. Such borrowings can result in interest rate exposure. To manage the interest rate exposure, we use interest rate swaps to convert a portion of fixed-rate debt into variable-rate debt. We use forward starting interest rate swaps and swaptions to manage interest rate exposure in periods prior to the anticipated issuance of fixed-rate debt. We also utilize interest rate and investment swap contracts to manage interest rate and earnings exposure on certain non-qualified deferred compensation liabilities.

During the first nine months of fiscal 2012, in conjunction with the issuance of the 1.60% senior notes due 2015 and 3.50% senior notes due 2022, we terminated forward starting interest rate swaps and swaptions designated as cash flow hedges on notional amounts of \$400 million for a cash payment of \$24 million. The effective portion of the forward starting interest rate swaps, approximately \$24 million, was recorded in accumulated other comprehensive income and is reclassified to interest expense over a four year period. The ineffective portion of the forward starting interest rate swaps and the remaining unamortized premium of the swaptions were insignificant and were recorded in interest expense during the second quarter of fiscal 2012. Also during the first nine months of fiscal 2012 and in conjunction with the debt issuance (see Note 9 for additional information regarding the debt issuance), we entered into, and subsequently terminated, a cash flow hedge-designated interest rate swap on a notional amount of \$300 million of the 3.50% senior notes due 2022 for a cash payment of \$2 million. That cash payment was recorded in accumulated other comprehensive income and is reclassified to interest expense over a ten year period.

#### **Commodity Hedges**

As part of managing the exposure to certain commodity price fluctuations, we utilize commodity swap contracts designated as cash flow hedges. The objective of these contracts is to minimize impacts to cash flows and profitability due to changes in prices of commodities used in production.

At June 29, 2012 and September 30, 2011, our commodity hedges had notional values of \$214 million and \$211 million, respectively. We expect that significantly all of the balance in



### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 12. Financial Instruments (Continued)

accumulated other comprehensive income associated with the commodities hedges will be reclassified into the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations within the next twelve months.

#### Hedges of Net Investment

We hedge our net investment in certain foreign operations using intercompany non-derivative financial instruments denominated in the same currencies. The aggregate notional value of these hedges was \$1,739 million and \$1,542 million at June 29, 2012 and September 30, 2011, respectively. We recorded foreign exchange gains of \$20 million and losses of \$4 million during the quarters ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, respectively, and gains of \$80 million and losses of \$106 million during the nine months ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, respectively, to currency translation, a component of accumulated other comprehensive income, offsetting foreign exchange gains or losses attributable to the translation of the net investment. See additional information in Note 19.

#### **Derivative Instrument Summary**

The fair value of our derivative instruments is summarized below.

	June 29, 2012				Sej			
	Fair Va of Ass Position	et	Fair V of Lia Positic	bility	Fair Va of Ass Position	set	Fair Va of Liabi Position	lity
				(in mi	llions)			
Derivatives designated as hedging instruments:								
Foreign currency contracts <sup>(3)</sup>	\$	1	\$	2	\$	1	\$	1
Interest rate swaps and swaptions		24				21		21
Commodity swap contracts		1		16		13		14
Total derivatives designated as hedging instruments		26		18		35		36
Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments:								
Foreign currency contracts <sup>(3)</sup>		3		10		6		10
Investment swaps				1				5
Total derivatives not designated as hedging instruments		3		11		6		15
Total derivatives	\$	29	\$	29	\$	41	\$	51

<sup>(1)</sup> 

(2)

All foreign currency, commodity swap, investment swap, and interest rate swap and swaption derivatives in liability positions that mature within one year of the balance sheet date are recorded in accrued and other current liabilities on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets, except where a right of offset against asset positions exists. Derivative instruments

All foreign currency, commodity swap, investment swap, and interest rate swap and swaption derivatives in asset positions that mature within one year of the balance sheet date are recorded in prepaid expenses and other current assets on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets, except where a right of offset against liability positions exists. Derivative instruments in prepaid expenses and other current assets on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets, except where a right sheets totaled \$5 million and \$12 million at June 29, 2012 and September 30, 2011, respectively. Interest rate swaps and swaptions and commodity swap contracts in asset positions that mature more than one year from the balance sheet date are recorded in other assets on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets and totaled \$24 million and \$21 million at June 29, 2012 and September 30, 2011, respectively.

### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 12. Financial Instruments (Continued)

in accrued and other current liabilities on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets totaled \$27 million and \$43 million at June 29, 2012 and September 30, 2011, respectively. Interest rate swaps and swaptions and commodity swap contracts in liability positions that mature more than one year from the balance sheet date are recorded in other liabilities on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets and totaled \$2 million at June 29, 2012; there were no derivatives in other liabilities at September 30, 2011.

#### (3)

Contracts are presented gross without regard to any right of offset that exists.

The effects of derivative instruments designated as fair value hedges on the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations were as follows:

			Gain F For uarter	the		Ni	For ne Mon		led
Derivatives Designated as Fair Value Hedges	Location	Juno 20		-	e 24, )11 (in mi	-	e 29, )12	-	e 24, 911
Interest rate swaps <sup>(1)</sup>	Interest expense	\$	2	\$	2	\$	5	\$	5

(1)

Certain interest rate swaps designated as fair value hedges were terminated in December 2008. Terminated interest rate swaps resulted in all gains presented in this table. Interest rate swaps in place at June 29, 2012 had no gain or loss recognized on the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations during the periods.

#### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 12. Financial Instruments (Continued)

The effects of derivative instruments designated as cash flow hedges on the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations for the quarters ended were as follows:

	Gain ( Recog in Of (Effe Port	nized 1 CI ctive	Gain (Loss) Reclassified from Accumulated OCI into Income (Effective Portion)		Gain (Loss) Reco Income (Ineffectiv and Amount Ex From Effectiveness T	neffective Portion nount Excluded From		
Derivatives Designated as Cash Flow Hedges	Amo	unt	Location	Amo	unt	Location	Amo	ount
			(in	millio	ns)			
For the Quarter Ended June 29, 2012:								
Foreign currency contracts	\$	(1)	Cost of sales	\$		Cost of sales	\$	
Commodity swap contracts		(14)	Cost of sales			Cost of sales		
Interest rate swaps and swaptions <sup>(1)</sup>			Interest expense		(3)	Interest expense		
Total	\$	(15)		\$	(3)		\$	
For the Quarter Ended June 24, 2011:								
Foreign currency contracts	\$	3	Cost of sales	\$	2	Cost of sales	\$	
Commodity swap contracts		5	Cost of sales		15	Cost of sales		
Interest rate swaps and swaptions <sup>(1)</sup>		(8)	Interest expense		(2)	Interest expense		(2)
Total	\$			\$	15		\$	(2)

(1)

During the quarter ended June 29, 2012, losses reclassified from accumulated other comprehensive income to interest expense relate to both forward starting interest rate swaps and swaptions designated as cash flow hedges terminated in February 2012 and forward starting interest rate swaps designated as cash flow hedges terminated in September 2007. Forward starting interest rate swaps in place at June 24, 2011 resulted in losses of \$8 million in other comprehensive income related to the effective portions of the hedge during the period. Losses reclassified from accumulated other comprehensive income to interest expense during the quarter ended June 24, 2011 include only the forward starting interest rate swaps designated as cash flow hedges that were terminated in September 2007. Interest rate swaptions in place at June 24, 2011 resulted in losses of \$2 million in interest expense as a result of amounts excluded from hedging relationship; there were no gains or losses recorded in other comprehensive income during the period.

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### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 12. Financial Instruments (Continued)

The effects of derivative instruments designated as cash flow hedges on the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations for the nine months ended were as follows:

Derivatives Designated	Gain (L Recogn in OCI (Effect Portio	ized [ ive	Gain (Loss) Reclassified from Accumulated OCI into Income (Effective Portion)			Gain (Loss) Reco Income (Ineffectiv and Amount Ex From Effectiveness T	e Por clude	tion d	
as Cash Flow Hedges	Amou	nt	Location	Amo	unt	Location	Amo	ount	
			(in	millio	ns)				
For the Nine Months Ended June 29, 2012:									
Foreign currency contracts	\$	(2)	Cost of sales	\$	(1)	Cost of sales	\$		
Commodity swap contracts			Cost of sales		14	Cost of sales			
Interest rate swaps and swaptions <sup>(1)</sup>		(5)	Interest expense		(7)	Interest expense			
Total	\$	(7)		\$	6		\$		
For the Nine Months Ended June 24, 2011:									
Foreign currency contracts	\$	3	Cost of sales	\$	4	Cost of sales	\$		
Commodity swap contracts		30	Cost of sales		29	Cost of sales			
Interest rate swaps and swaptions <sup>(1)</sup>		(2)	Interest expense		(4)	Interest expense		(1)	
Total	\$	31		\$	29		\$	(1)	

(1)

During the nine months ended June 29, 2012, we terminated forward starting interest rate swaps and swaptions designated as cash flow hedges. Prior to the termination, a loss of \$3 million was recorded in other comprehensive income related to the effective portions of the hedges during the period. Amounts recognized as interest expense due to ineffectiveness were not material. Also during the nine months ended June 29, 2012, we entered into and terminated an interest rate swap designated as a cash flow hedge, recording a loss of \$2 million in other comprehensive income. During the nine months ended June 29, 2012, losses reclassified from accumulated other comprehensive income to interest expense relate to both forward starting interest rate swaps and swaptions designated as cash flow hedges terminated in February 2012 and forward starting interest rate swaps designated as cash flow hedges terminated in September 2007. Interest rate swaps designated as cash flow hedges terminated in September 2007 resulted in losses of \$4 million reflected in interest expense during the nine months ended June 24, 2011. Forward starting interest rate swaps in place at June 24, 2011 resulted in losses of \$2 million in other comprehensive income related to the effective portions of the hedge during the period. Interest rate swaptions in place at June 24, 2011 resulted in losses of \$1 million in interest expense as a result of amounts excluded from hedging relationship; there were no gains or losses recorded in other comprehensive income during the period.

### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 12. Financial Instruments (Continued)

The effects of derivative instruments not designated as hedging instruments on the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations were as follows:

	Location 2012 2011 2012 2011 (in millions)								
		C			ded	1 of the			
Derivatives not Designated as Hedging Instruments	Location	-		-		-		-	
					(in mi	llior	ıs)		
Foreign currency contracts	0,0	\$	(15)	\$	7	\$	(36)	\$	12
Investment swaps	0.0		(1)		(1)		6		3
Total		\$	(16)	\$	6	\$	(30)	\$	15

During the quarter and nine months ended June 29, 2012, we incurred losses of \$15 million and \$36 million, respectively, as a result of marking foreign currency derivatives not designated as hedging instruments to fair value. The losses were offset by gains realized as a result of re-measuring certain non-U.S. Dollar-denominated intercompany non-derivative financial instruments to the U.S. Dollar and included, during the first six months of fiscal 2012, losses of \$20 million incurred in anticipation of the acquisition of Deutsch.

#### 13. Fair Value Measurements

Guidance on fair value measurement in ASC 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures*, specifies a fair value hierarchy based upon the observable inputs utilized in valuation of certain assets and liabilities. Observable inputs (highest level) reflect market data obtained from independent sources, while unobservable inputs (lowest level) reflect internally developed market assumptions. Fair value measurements are classified under the following hierarchy:

Level 1 Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and liabilities.

Level 2 Quoted prices in active markets for similar assets and liabilities, or other inputs that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly, for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3 Unobservable inputs that are supported by little or no market activity and that are significant to the fair value of the assets and liabilities. This includes certain pricing models, discounted cash flows methodologies, and similar techniques that use significant unobservable inputs.

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## NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 13. Fair Value Measurements (Continued)

Financial assets and liabilities recorded at fair value on a recurring basis were as follows:

Description	Fair Value Measurements Using Inputs Considered as Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 Fair Value						
				(in n	nillions)		
June 29, 2012:							
Assets:							
Commodity swap contracts	\$	1	\$		\$	\$	1
Interest rate swaps and swaptions				24			24
Foreign currency contracts <sup>(1)</sup>				4			4
Rabbi trust assets		4		79			83
Total assets at fair value	\$	5	\$	107	\$	\$	112
Liabilities:							
Commodity swap contracts	\$	16	\$		\$	\$	16
Investment swap contracts	Ψ	10	Ψ	1	Ŷ	Ψ	10
Foreign currency contracts <sup>(1)</sup>				12			12
Total liabilities at fair value	\$	16	\$	13	\$	\$	29
September 30, 2011:							
Assets:							
Commodity swap contracts	\$	13	\$		\$	\$	13
Interest rate swaps and swaptions				21			21
Foreign currency contracts <sup>(1)</sup>				7			7
Rabbi trust assets		5		79			84
Total assets at fair value	\$	18	\$	107	\$	\$	125
Liabilities:							
Commodity swap contracts	\$	14	\$		\$	\$	14
Interest rate swaps and swaptions				21			21
Investment swap contracts				5			5
Foreign currency contracts <sup>(1)</sup>				11			11
Total liabilities at fair value	\$	14	\$	37	\$	\$	51

<sup>(1)</sup> 

Contracts are presented gross without regard to any right of offset that exists. See Note 12 for a reconciliation of amounts to the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets.

The following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for the respective financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis:

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Commodity swap contracts Fair value of these assets and liabilities is determined using quoted prices on futures exchanges (level 1).

### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 13. Fair Value Measurements (Continued)

Interest rate swaps and swaptions Fair value of these assets and liabilities is determined based on observable inputs other than quoted prices. The positions are primarily valued using market approach models that use readily observable interest rates as their basis (level 2).

Investment swap contracts Fair value of these assets is determined based on observable inputs other than quoted prices. The positions are primarily valued using market approach models that use readily observable equity returns as their basis (level 2).

Foreign currency contracts Fair value of these assets and liabilities is determined using the market approach. Values are based on observable market transactions of spot and forward currency rates (level 2).

Rabbi trust assets Rabbi trust assets are principally comprised of comingled equity funds that are marked to fair value based on unadjusted quoted prices in active markets (level 1) and fixed income securities that are marked to fair value based on quoted market prices or other pricing determinations based on the results of market approach valuation models using observable market data such as recently reported trades, bid and offer information, and benchmark securities (level 2).

The majority of derivatives that we enter into are valued using the over-the-counter quoted market prices for similar instruments. We do not believe that fair values of these derivative instruments materially differ from the amounts that could be realized upon settlement or maturity.

#### **Other Financial Instruments**

Financial instruments other than derivative instruments include cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, accounts payable and long-term debt. These instruments are recorded on our Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets at book value, which we believe approximates fair value (see Note 9 for disclosure of the fair value of long-term debt). The following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for the respective financial instruments:

Cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents are valued at book value, which we consider to be equivalent to unadjusted quoted prices (level 1).

Accounts receivable Accounts receivable are valued based on the net value expected to be realized. The net realizable value generally represents an observable contractual agreement (level 2).

Accounts payable Accounts payable are valued based on the net value expected to be paid, generally supported by an observable contractual agreement (level 2).

Long-term debt The fair value of long-term debt, including both current and non-current maturities, as presented in Note 9, is derived from quoted market prices or other pricing determinations based on the results of market approach valuation models using observable market data such as recently reported trades, bid and offer information, and benchmark securities (level 2).

As of June 29, 2012, we did not have significant financial assets or liabilities that were measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis.

### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

### 13. Fair Value Measurements (Continued)

During the first nine months of fiscal 2012, we used significant other observable inputs (level 2) to calculate an impairment charge related to the TE Professional Services business. See Note 5 for additional information.

### 14. Retirement Plans

The net periodic benefit cost for all U.S. and non-U.S. defined benefit pension plans for the quarters ended was as follows:

	(	U.S. I For Quarters	the	ed		Non-U.S For Quarters	the	
	-	June 29, Ju		June 24,		ne 29, 012	June 24, 2011	
				(in mil	lions)			
Service cost	\$	2	\$	1	\$	14	\$	15
Interest cost		12		13		20		21
Expected return on plan assets		(14)		(15)		(14)		(15)
Amortization of prior service credit						(3)		(2)
Amortization of net actuarial loss		10		9		8		10
Net periodic benefit pension cost	\$	10	\$	8	\$	25	\$	29

The net periodic benefit cost for all U.S. and non-U.S. defined benefit pension plans for the nine months ended was as follows:

	Ni	U.S. Plans For the Nine Months Ended			N	For	I.S. Plans or the nths Ended	
	June 29,June 24,June 29,201220112012		- , - ,			June 24, 2011		
				(in mil	lions)	)		
Service cost	\$	5	\$	5	\$	40	\$	48
Interest cost		38		39		58		64
Expected return on plan assets		(43)		(47)		(41)		(43)
Amortization of prior service credit						(7)		(2)
Amortization of net actuarial loss		31		27		24		30
Net periodic benefit pension cost	\$	31	\$	24	\$	74	\$	97

The net periodic benefit cost for postretirement benefit plans was insignificant for the quarters and nine months ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011.

We anticipate that, at a minimum, we will make the minimum required contributions to our pension plans in fiscal 2012 of \$3 million for U.S. plans and \$97 million for non-U.S. plans. During the nine months ended June 29, 2012, we contributed \$1 million to our U.S. plans and \$72 million to our non-U.S. plans.

### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 14. Retirement Plans (Continued)

We anticipate that we will make contributions to our postretirement benefit plans of \$2 million in fiscal 2012. During the nine months ended June 29, 2012, contributions to our postretirement benefit plans were insignificant.

#### 15. Income Taxes

We recorded a tax provision of \$88 million, for an effective income tax rate of 25.3%, and a tax provision of \$70 million, for an effective income tax rate of 16.6%, for the quarters ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, respectively. The effective income tax rate for the quarter ended June 29, 2012 reflects income tax benefits recognized in connection with expected increased profitability in fiscal 2012 in certain entities operating in lower tax rate jurisdictions, offset by the estimated tax impacts of certain intercompany dividends. In addition, the effective income tax rate for the quarter ended June 29, 2012 reflects tax benefits recognized in connection with the finalization of prior year's tax returns, as well as accruals of interest related to uncertain tax positions. The effective income tax rate for the quarter ended June 24, 2011 reflects income tax benefits recognized in connection with expected increased profitability in fiscal 2011 in certain entities operating in lower tax rate jurisdictions and benefits of \$35 million associated with the completion of fieldwork and the settlement of certain U.S. tax matters, partially offset by accruals of interest related to uncertain tax positions.

We recorded a tax provision of \$267 million, for an effective income tax rate of 25.8%, and a tax provision of \$247 million, for an effective income tax rate of 21.4%, for the nine months ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, respectively. The effective income tax rate for the nine months ended June 29, 2012 reflects income tax benefits recognized in connection with expected increased profitability in fiscal 2012 in certain entities operating in lower tax rate jurisdictions. These benefits were partially offset by accruals of interest related to uncertain tax positions and income tax expense associated with certain non-U.S. tax rate changes enacted in the quarter ended December 30, 2011. The effective income tax rate for the nine months ended June 24, 2011 reflects income tax benefits recognized in connection with expected increased profitability in fiscal 2011 in certain entities operating in lower tax rate jurisdictions partially offset by accruals of interest related to uncertain tax positions. The effective income tax rate for the nine months ended June 24, 2011 reflects income tax benefits recognized in connection with expected increased profitability in fiscal 2011 in certain entities operating in lower tax rate jurisdictions partially offset by accruals of interest related to uncertain tax positions. The effective income tax rate for the nine months ended June 24, 2011 also reflects income tax benefits of \$35 million associated with the completion of fieldwork and the settlement of certain U.S. tax matters.

We record accrued interest as well as penalties related to uncertain tax positions as part of the provision for income taxes. As of June 29, 2012, we had recorded \$1,303 million of accrued interest and penalties related to uncertain tax positions on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet, of which \$1,267 million was recorded in income taxes and \$36 million was recorded in accrued and other current liabilities. During the quarter and nine months ended June 29, 2012, we recognized \$13 million and \$63 million, respectively, of expense related to interest and penalties on the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations. As of September 30, 2011, the balance of accrued interest and penalties was \$1,287 million, of which \$1,154 million was recorded in income taxes and \$133 million was recorded in accrued and other current liabilities on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet.

During fiscal 2007, the IRS concluded its field examination of certain of Tyco International's U.S. federal income tax returns for the years 1997 through 2000. Tyco International is in the process of appealing certain tax adjustments proposed by the IRS related to this period. During fiscal 2011, the IRS completed its field examination of certain Tyco International income tax returns for the years 2001

### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 15. Income Taxes (Continued)

through 2004 and issued Revenue Agent Reports which reflect the IRS' determination of proposed tax adjustments for the 2001 through 2004 period. Also, during fiscal 2011, the IRS commenced its audit of certain Tyco International income tax returns for the years 2005 through 2007. During the third quarter of fiscal 2012, the IRS commenced its audit of our income tax returns for the years 2008 through 2010. See Note 11 for additional information regarding the status of IRS examinations.

Although it is difficult to predict the timing or results of certain pending examinations, it is our understanding that Tyco International continues to make progress towards resolving a substantial number of proposed tax adjustments for the years 1997 through 2000; however, several significant matters remain in dispute. The remaining issues in dispute involve the tax treatment of certain intercompany debt transactions. Tyco International has indicated that it is unlikely to achieve the resolution of these contested adjustments through the IRS appeals process, and therefore may be required to litigate the disputed issues. For those issues not in dispute, we expect the IRS to complete its examination for the years 1997 through 2000 and issue special agreement Forms 870-AD by early fiscal 2013. While the ultimate resolution is uncertain, based upon the current status of these examinations, we estimate that up to approximately \$200 million of unrecognized income tax benefits, excluding the impacts relating to accrued interest and penalties, could be resolved within the next twelve months.

We are not aware of any other matters that would result in significant changes to the amount of unrecognized income tax benefits reflected on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet as of June 29, 2012.

### 16. Other Income, Net

We recorded net other income of \$19 million and net other expense of \$5 million in the quarters ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, respectively, and net other income of \$31 million and \$13 million in the nine months ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, respectively, primarily consisting of income pursuant to the Tax Sharing Agreement with Tyco International and Covidien. During the third quarter of fiscal 2011, we recorded other expense of \$14 million in connection with the completion of fieldwork and the settlement of certain U.S. tax matters. See additional information in Note 11.

### 17. Earnings Per Share

Basic earnings per share is computed by dividing net income attributable to TE Connectivity Ltd. by the basic weighted-average number of common shares outstanding. Diluted earnings per share is computed by dividing net income attributable to TE Connectivity Ltd. by the weighted-average number of common shares outstanding adjusted for potentially dilutive unexercised share options and

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### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

### 17. Earnings Per Share (Continued)

non-vested restricted share awards. The following table sets forth the denominators of the basic and diluted earnings per share computations:

	For Quarters		For Nine Mont						
	June 29, 2012	, June 24, June 29, 2011 2012		June 24, 2011					
	(in millions)								
Weighted-average shares outstanding:									
Basic	428	437	427	441					
Dilutive share options and restricted share awards	3	5	3	6					
Diluted	431	442	430	447					

Certain share options were not included in the computation of diluted earnings per share because the instruments' underlying exercise prices were greater than the average market prices of our common shares and inclusion would be antidilutive. Such shares not included in the computation were 14 million and 9 million for the quarters ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, respectively, and 12 million for each of the nine months ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011.

### 18. Equity

#### **Common Shares**

Subject to certain conditions specified in the articles of association, we are authorized to increase our share capital by issuing new shares in aggregate not exceeding 50% of our authorized shares. Additionally, in March 2011, our shareholders reapproved and extended through March 9, 2013 our board of directors' authorization to issue additional new shares, subject to certain conditions specified in the articles, in aggregate not exceeding 50% of the amount of our authorized shares. Although we state our par value in Swiss Francs ("CHF"), we continue to use the U.S. Dollar as our reporting currency for preparing our Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

#### Common Shares Held in Treasury

At June 29, 2012, approximately 11 million common shares were held in treasury, all of which were owned by one of our subsidiaries. At September 30, 2011, approximately 39 million common shares were held in treasury, of which 15 million were owned by one of our subsidiaries. Shares held both directly by us and by our subsidiary are presented as treasury shares on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets.

In March 2012, our shareholders approved the cancellation of 23,988,560 shares purchased under our share repurchase program during the period from December 25, 2010 to December 30, 2011. The capital reduction by cancellation of shares was subject to a notice period and filing with the commercial register and became effective in May 2012. As a result of the cancellation of shares, common shares, contributed surplus, and treasury shares on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets decreased by \$11 million, \$790 million, and \$801 million, respectively.



### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

#### 18. Equity (Continued)

#### **Contributed Surplus**

Contributed surplus originally established during the Change of Domicile for Swiss tax and statutory purposes ("Swiss Contributed Surplus"), subject to certain conditions, is a freely distributable reserve.

Distributions to shareholders from Swiss Contributed Surplus are free from withholding tax. During the second quarter of fiscal 2012, our shareholders approved a resolution to reclassify Swiss Contributed Surplus in the amount of CHF 9,745 million from free reserves (contributed surplus) to legal reserves (reserves from capital contributions) on our Swiss statutory balance sheet, a provisional reclassification made while we were in discussions with the Swiss tax authorities. Also during the second quarter of fiscal 2012, we received a favorable outcome from the Swiss tax authorities related to our classification of Swiss Contributed Surplus that allows us to present Swiss Contributed Surplus as a free reserve on our statutory Swiss balance sheet. On July 25, 2012, our shareholders approved a resolution to reclassify Swiss Contributed Surplus in the amount of CHF 9,745 million from legal reserves (reserves from capital contributions) as of March 30, 2012 to free reserves (reserves from capital contributions) on our Swiss statutory balance sheet, with effect as of March 30, 2012. This reclassification will be reflected on our Swiss statutory financial statements for the year ending September 28, 2012. As of September 30, 2011, Swiss Contributed Surplus was \$8,940 million (equivalent to CHF 9,745 million).

### Dividends and Distributions to Shareholders

Under Swiss law, subject to certain conditions, distributions to shareholders made in the form of a reduction of registered share capital or from reserves from capital contributions (equivalent to Swiss Contributed Surplus) are exempt from Swiss withholding tax. See "Contributed Surplus" for additional information regarding our ability to make distributions free from withholding tax from contributed surplus. Distributions or dividends on our shares must be approved by our shareholders.

In March 2011, our shareholders approved a dividend payment to shareholders of CHF 0.68 (equivalent to \$0.72) per share out of contributed surplus, payable in four equal quarterly installments beginning in the third quarter of fiscal 2011 through the second quarter of fiscal 2012 to shareholders of record on specified dates in each of the four quarters. We paid the third and fourth installments of the dividend at a rate of \$0.18 per share each during the quarters ended December 30, 2011 and March 30, 2012.

In March 2012, our shareholders approved a cash distribution to shareholders in the form of a capital reduction to the par value of our common shares of CHF 0.80 (equivalent to \$0.84) per share, payable in four equal quarterly installments beginning in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 through the second quarter of fiscal 2013 to shareholders of record on specified dates in each of the four quarters. We paid the first installment of the distribution at a rate of \$0.21 per share during the quarter ended June 29, 2012. This capital reduction reduced the par value of our common shares from CHF 1.37 (equivalent to \$1.28) to CHF 1.17 (equivalent to \$1.07).

Upon approval by the shareholders of a dividend payment or cash distribution in the form of a capital reduction, we record a liability with a corresponding charge to contributed surplus or common shares. At June 29, 2012 and September 30, 2011, the unpaid portion of dividends and distributions

### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

### 18. Equity (Continued)

recorded in accrued and other current liabilities on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets totaled \$269 million and \$153 million, respectively.

### Share Repurchase Program

During the first nine months of fiscal 2012, we did not purchase any of our common shares under our share repurchase authorization. During the third quarter and first nine months of fiscal 2011, we purchased approximately 7 million and 16 million, respectively, of our common shares for \$267 million and \$564 million, respectively. At June 29, 2012, we had \$1,501 million of availability remaining under our share repurchase authorization.

### **19.** Comprehensive Income

Comprehensive income consisted of the following:

	June 29, J		Quarters Ended June 29, June 24,		arters Ended 29, June 24,		For Nine Mont June 29, 2012		ths E Ju	nded me 24, 2011
				(in mi	illions	s)				
Net income	\$	199	\$	357	\$	719	\$	923		
Currency translation <sup>(1)</sup>		(163)		26		(222)		187		
Gain (loss) on cash flow hedges, net of income taxes		(10)		(14)		(11)		2		
Effects of unrecognized pension and postretirement benefit costs, net of income taxes <sup>(2)</sup>		10		117		31		141		
		36		486		517		1,253		
Less: comprehensive income attributable to noncontrolling interests				(2)		(3)		(4)		
Comprehensive income attributable to TE Connectivity Ltd.	\$	36	\$	484	\$	514	\$	1,249		

(1)

Includes hedge of net investment foreign exchange gains or losses which offset foreign exchange gains or losses attributable to the translation of the net investments.

(2)

Includes the effects of an amendment to a non-U.S. pension plan, ratified during the third quarter of fiscal 2011, that decreased long-term pension and postretirement liabilities by \$179 million via a credit to other comprehensive income.

#### 20. Share Plans

Share-based compensation expense was \$18 million and \$19 million during the quarters ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, respectively, and \$54 million and \$60 million during the nine months ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, respectively. These expenses were primarily presented in selling, general, and administrative expenses on the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations.

Pursuant to the acquisition of ADC, we exchanged unexercised ADC share options and stock appreciation rights for our share options and stock appreciation right awards. As a result of that exchange, we recognized \$2 million of incremental share-based compensation expense during the first nine months of fiscal 2011. Those costs, which are included in the total share-based compensation expense above, are presented in acquisition and integration costs on the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations.

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#### 20. Share Plans (Continued)

On March 7, 2012, our shareholders approved an increase of 20 million shares in the number of shares available for awards under the TE Connectivity Ltd. 2007 Stock and Incentive Plan, as amended and restated (the "2007 Plan"). As of June 29, 2012, we had 27 million shares available for issuance under the 2007 Plan and 4 million shares available for issuance under ADC equity incentive plans.

### **Restricted Share Awards**

A summary of restricted share award activity during the nine months ended June 29, 2012 is presented below:

	Shares	0	ted-Average ate Fair Value
Non-vested at September 30, 2011	5,022,839	\$	26.48
Granted	1,797,077		34.56
Vested	(1,674,762)		24.36
Forfeited	(526,460)		29.55
Non-vested at June 29, 2012	4,618,694	\$	30.05

As of June 29, 2012, there was \$94 million of unrecognized compensation cost related to non-vested restricted share awards. The cost is expected to be recognized over a weighted-average period of 1.8 years.

#### Share Options

A summary of share option award activity during the nine months ended June 29, 2012 is presented below:

Shares		hted-Average	Weighted-Average Remaining Contractual Term		Aggregate rinsic Value
			(in years)	(iı	n millions)
21,920,451	\$	31.94			
3,405,700		34.49			
(2,105,922)		23.33			
(589,606)		29.67			
(1,501,806)		47.03			
21,128,817	\$	32.20	5.7	\$	70
20,572,936	\$	32.27	5.7	\$	69
13,406,330	\$	33.50	4.1	\$	43
	21,920,451 3,405,700 (2,105,922) (589,606) (1,501,806) 21,128,817 20,572,936	Shares         Ex           21,920,451         \$           3,405,700         (2,105,922)           (589,606)         (1,501,806)           21,128,817         \$           20,572,936         \$	Bares         Weighted-Average Exercise Price           21,920,451         \$         31.94           3,405,700         34.49           (2,105,922)         23.33           (589,606)         29.67           (1,501,806)         47.03           21,128,817         \$         32.20           20,572,936         \$         32.27	Weighted-Average Exercise Price         Contractual Term (in years)           21,920,451         \$ 31.94           3,405,700         34.49           (2,105,922)         23.33           (589,606)         29.67           (1,501,806)         47.03           21,128,817         \$ 32.20           20,572,936         \$ 32.27	Weighted-Average Exercise Price         Remaining Contractual Term         A Intr (in years)           21,920,451         \$ 31.94           3,405,700         34.49           (2,105,922)         23.33           (589,606)         29.67           (1,501,806)         47.03           21,128,817         \$ 32.20           5.7         \$

As of June 29, 2012, there was \$46 million of unrecognized compensation cost related to non-vested share options granted under our share option plans. The cost is expected to be recognized over a weighted-average period of 1.8 years.

# NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

### 20. Share Plans (Continued)

# Share-Based Compensation Assumptions

The weighted-average grant-date fair value of options granted during the nine months ended June 29, 2012 and the weighted-average assumptions we used in the Black-Scholes-Merton option pricing model for the nine months then ended were as follows:

Weighted-average grant-date fair value	\$ 9.49
Assumptions:	
Expected share price volatility	36%
Risk free interest rate	1.3%
Expected annual dividend per share	\$ 0.84
Expected life of options (in years)	6.0
21. Segment Data	

Net sales by segment were as follows:

	For the Quarters Ended						or the nths Ended		
	June 29, 2012		- , - ,		- , - , -		ine 29, 2012	June 24, 2011	
				(in m	illior	ıs)			
Transportation Solutions	\$	1,607	\$	1,426	\$	4,469	\$	4,094	
Communications and Industrial Solutions		1,045		1,184		2,994		3.433	
Network Solutions		847		969		2,455		2,498	
Total <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	3,499	\$	3,579	\$	9,918	\$	10,025	

(1)

Intersegment sales were not material and were recorded at selling prices that approximate market prices.

Operating income by segment was as follows:

			the ths Ended June 24, 2011				
			(in mi	llion	s)		
Transportation Solutions	\$	183	\$ 211	\$	633	\$	611
Communications and Industrial Solutions		96	120		232		426
Network Solutions		92	129		252		205
Total	\$	371	\$ 460	\$	1,117	\$	1,242
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# NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

### 21. Segment Data (Continued)

Segment assets and a reconciliation of segment assets to total assets were as follows:

	June 29, 2012		Sep	ptember 30, 2011		
	(in millions)					
Transportation Solutions	\$	3,470	\$	3,187		
Communications and Industrial Solutions		2,071		2,257		
Network Solutions		1,856		1,915		
Total segment assets <sup>(1)</sup>		7,397		7,359		
Other current assets		2,171		2,762		
Other non-current assets		9,374		7,602		
Total assets	\$	18,942	\$	17,723		

(1)

Segment assets are comprised of accounts receivable, inventories, and property, plant, and equipment.

### 22. Tyco Electronics Group S.A.

TEGSA, a Luxembourg company and our 100%-owned subsidiary, is a holding company that owns, directly or indirectly, all of our operating subsidiaries. TEGSA is the obligor under our senior notes, commercial paper, and Credit Facility, which are fully and unconditionally guaranteed by its parent, TE Connectivity Ltd. The following tables present condensed consolidating financial information for TE Connectivity Ltd., TEGSA, and all other subsidiaries that are not providing a guarantee of debt but which represent assets of TEGSA, using the equity method of accounting.

# NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

### 22. Tyco Electronics Group S.A. (Continued)

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED) For the Quarter Ended June 29, 2012

	TE Connectivity Ltd.	Tyco Electronics Group S.A.	Other Subsidiaries (in millions)	Consolidating Adjustments	Total
Net sales	\$	\$	\$ 3,499	\$	\$ 3,499
Cost of sales			2,481		2,481
Gross margin			1,018		1,018
Selling, general, and administrative expenses, net <sup>(1)</sup>	7	(73)	489		423
Research, development, and engineering expenses			173		173
Acquisition and integration costs	1		14		15
Restructuring and other charges, net			36		36
Operating income (loss)	(8)	73	306		371
Interest income			6		6
Interest expense		(44)	(4)		(48)
Other income, net			19		19
Equity in net income of subsidiaries	271	224		(495)	
Equity in net loss of subsidiaries of discontinued operations	(61)	(61)		122	
Intercompany interest and fees	(3)	18	(15)		
Income from continuing operations before income taxes	199	210	312	(373)	348
Income tax expense			(88)		(88)
Income from continuing operations	199	210	224	(373)	260
Loss from discontinued operations, net of income taxes			(61)		(61)
•					
Net income attributable to TE Connectivity Ltd., Tyco Electronics					
Group S.A., or Other Subsidiaries	\$ 199	\$ 210	\$ 163	\$ (373)	\$ 199
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(1)

Tyco Electronics Group S.A. selling, general, and administrative expenses include gains of \$74 million related to intercompany transactions. These gains are offset by corresponding losses recorded by Other Subsidiaries.



# NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

# 22. Tyco Electronics Group S.A. (Continued)

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED) For the Quarter Ended June 24, 2011

	TE Connectivity Ltd.	Tyco Electronics Group S.A.	Other Subsidiaries	Consolidating Adjustments	Total
		<i>.</i>	(in millions)	<b>.</b>	<b>*</b> • • • • • •
Net sales	\$	\$	\$ 3,579	\$	\$ 3,579
Cost of sales			2,491		2,491
Gross margin			1,088		1,088
Selling, general, and administrative expenses	61		380		441
Research, development, and engineering expenses			178		178
Acquisition and integration costs	1				1
Restructuring and other charges, net			8		8
Operating income (loss)	(62)		522		460
Interest income			5		5
Interest expense		(38)	(1)		(39)
Other expense, net			(5)		(5)
Equity in net income of subsidiaries	416	432		(848)	
Equity in net income of subsidiaries of discontinued operations	6	6		(12)	
Intercompany interest and fees	(5)	22	(17)		
Income from continuing operations before income taxes	355	422	504	(860)	421
Income tax expense			(70)		(70)
Income from continuing operations	355	422	434	(860)	351
Income from discontinued operations, net of income taxes			6		6
Net income	355	422	440	(860)	357
Less: net income attributable to noncontrolling interests			(2)		(2)
Net income attributable to TE Connectivity Ltd., Tyco					
Electronics Group S.A., or Other Subsidiaries	\$ 355	\$ 422	\$ 438	\$ (860)	\$ 355
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# NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

# 22. Tyco Electronics Group S.A. (Continued)

### CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED) For the Nine Months Ended June 29, 2012

	TE Connectivity Ltd.	Tyco Electronics Group S.A.	Other Subsidiaries (in millions)	Consolidating Adjustments	Total
Net sales	\$	\$	\$ 9,918	\$	\$ 9,918
Cost of sales			6,936		6,936
Gross margin			2,982		2,982
Selling, general, and administrative expenses, net <sup>(1)</sup>	62	(122)	1,293		1,233
Research, development, and engineering expenses			523		523
Acquisition and integration costs	1	2	20		23
Restructuring and other charges, net			86		86
Operating income (loss)	(63)	120	1,060		1,117
Interest income			18		18
Interest expense		(124)	(7)		(131)
Other income, net			31		31
Equity in net income of subsidiaries	836	789		(1,625)	
Equity in net loss of subsidiaries of discontinued operations	(49)	(49)		98	
Intercompany interest and fees	(8)	51	(43)		
Income from continuing operations before income taxes	716	787	1,059	(1,527)	1,035
Income tax expense			(267)		(267)
Income from continuing operations	716	787	792	(1,527)	768
Loss from discontinued operations, net of income taxes			(49)		(49)
Net income	716	787	743	(1,527)	719
Less: net income attributable to noncontrolling interests			(3)		(3)
Net income attributable to TE Connectivity Ltd., Tyco Electronics Group S.A., or Other Subsidiaries	\$ 716	\$ 787	\$ 740	\$ (1,527)	\$ 716

(1)

Tyco Electronics Group S.A. selling, general, and administrative expenses include gains of \$125 million related to intercompany transactions. These gains are offset by corresponding losses recorded by Other Subsidiaries.

# NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

# 22. Tyco Electronics Group S.A. (Continued)

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED) For the Nine Months Ended June 24, 2011

	TE Connectivity Ltd.	Tyco Electronics Group S.A.	Other Subsidiaries (in millions)	Consolidating Adjustments	Total
Net sales	\$	\$	\$ 10,025	\$	\$ 10,025
Cost of sales	Ψ	Ψ	6,938	¥	6,938
Gross margin			3,087		3,087
Selling, general, and administrative expenses	153	1	1,107		1,261
Research, development, and engineering expenses			507		507
Acquisition and integration costs	3		16		19
Restructuring and other charges, net			58		58
Operating income (loss)	(156)	(1)	1,399		1,242
Interest income			16		16
Interest expense		(110)	(7)		(117)
Other income, net			13		13
Equity in net income of subsidiaries	1,075	1,114		(2,189)	
Equity in net income of subsidiaries of discontinued operations	16	16		(32)	
Intercompany interest and fees	(16)	72	(56)		
Income from continuing operations before income taxes	919	1,091	1,365	(2,221)	1,154
Income tax expense			(247)		(247)
Income from continuing operations	919	1,091	1,118	(2,221)	907
Income from discontinued operations, net of income taxes			16		16
Net income	919	1,091	1,134	(2,221)	923
Less: net income attributable to noncontrolling interests			(4)		(4)
Net income attributable to TE Connectivity Ltd., Tyco Electronics Group S.A., or Other Subsidiaries	\$ 919	\$ 1,091	\$ 1,130	\$ (2,221)	\$ 919
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# NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

# 22. Tyco Electronics Group S.A. (Continued)

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING BALANCE SHEET (UNAUDITED) As of June 29, 2012

	Con	TE nectivity Ltd.	Ele	Tyco ectronics oup S.A.	Su	Other bsidiaries millions)	<b>j</b>		Total
Assets					(	)			
Current Assets:									
Cash and cash equivalents	\$		\$		\$	1,302	\$	\$	1,302
Accounts receivable, net		2				2,391			2,393
Inventories						1,868			1,868
Intercompany receivables		29				37	(66	)	,
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		1		5		456	(	,	462
Deferred income taxes						407			407
Total current assets		32		5		6,461	(66	)	6,432
Property, plant, and equipment, net						3,136			3,136
Goodwill						4,290			4,290
Intangible assets, net						1,392			1,392
Deferred income taxes						2,232			2,232
Investment in subsidiaries		8,031		17,182		,	(25,213	)	,
Intercompany loans receivable		11		2,216		7,773	(10,000		
Receivable from Tyco International Ltd. and				, -		.,	( ),	/	
Covidien plc						1,170			1,170
Other assets				40		250			290
Total Assets	\$	8,074	\$	19,443	\$	26,704	\$ (35,279	) \$	18,942
Liabilities and Equity									
Current Liabilities:									
Current maturities of long-term debt	\$		\$	1,064	\$	2	\$	\$	1,066
Accounts payable		1				1,382			1,383
Accrued and other current liabilities		289		54		1,179			1,522
Deferred revenue						99			99
Intercompany payables		37				29	(66	)	
Total current liabilities		327		1,118		2,691	(66	)	4,070
Long-term debt				2,528		165			2,693
Intercompany loans payable		7		7,766		2,227	(10,000	)	
Long-term pension and postretirement liabilities						1,169			1,169
Deferred income taxes						509			509
Income taxes						2,257			2,257
Other liabilities						504			504
Total Liabilities		334		11,412		9,522	(10,066	)	11,202
Total Equity		7,740		8,031		17,182	(25,213	)	7,740
Total Liabilities and Equity	\$	8,074	\$	19,443	\$	26,704	\$ (35,279	) \$	18,942

# NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

# 22. Tyco Electronics Group S.A. (Continued)

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING BALANCE SHEET (UNAUDITED) As of September 30, 2011

	Coni	TE nectivity Ltd.	Elec	Tyco ectronics Other roup S.A. Subsidiaries (in millions)		osidiaries	Consolidating Adjustments		Total	
Assets					(	)				
Current Assets:										
Cash and cash equivalents	\$		\$		\$	1,218	\$		\$	1,218
Accounts receivable, net		2				2,339				2,341
Inventories						1,878				1,878
Intercompany receivables		17				28		(45)		
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		2		4		628				634
Deferred income taxes						402				402
Assets held for sale						508				508
Total current assets		21		4		7,001		(45)		6,981
Property, plant, and equipment, net						3,140		()		3,140
Goodwill						3,288				3,288
Intangible assets, net						631				631
Deferred income taxes						2,364				2,364
Investment in subsidiaries		7.687		13,209		2,001		(20,896)		2,001
Investment in subsidiaries of discontinued operations		1,001		441				(441)		
Intercompany loans receivable				2,416		5,848		(8,264)		
Receivable from Tyco International Ltd. and				2,110		5,010		(0,201)		
Covidien plc						1,066				1,066
Other assets				34		219				253
Total Assets	\$	7,708	\$	16,104	\$	23,557	\$	(29,646)	\$	17,723
Liabilities and Equity										
Current Liabilities:										
Current maturities of long-term debt	\$		\$		\$		\$		\$	
Accounts payable		1				1,453				1,454
Accrued and other current liabilities		180		88		1,465				1,733
Deferred revenue						143				143
Intercompany payables		28				17		(45)		
Liabilities held for sale						80				80
Total current liabilities		209		88		3,158		(45)		3,410
Long-term debt				2,496		171				2,667
Intercompany loans payable		15		5,833		2,416		(8,264)		
Long-term pension and postretirement liabilities						1,202				1,202
Deferred income taxes						333				333
Income taxes						2,122				2,122
Other liabilities						505				505
Total Liabilities		224		8,417		9,907		(8,309)		10,239

Total Equity	7,484	7,687	13,650	(21,337)	7,484
Total Liabilities and Equity	\$ 7,708	\$ 16,104	\$ 23,557	\$ (29,646)	\$ 17,723
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# NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

# 22. Tyco Electronics Group S.A. (Continued)

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED) For the Nine Months Ended June 29, 2012

	T Conne Lt	ctivity	Tyco Electronics Group S.A.	Other Subsidiaries (in millions)	Consolidating Adjustments	Total
Cash Flows From Operating Activities:						
Net cash provided by (used in) continuing operating activities	\$	(66)	\$ 14	\$ 1,226	\$	\$ 1,174
Net cash provided by discontinued operating activities				60		60
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities		(66)	14	1,286		1,234
Cash Flows From Investing Activities:						
Capital expenditures				(385)		(385)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant, and equipment				13		13
Acquisition of business, net of cash acquired				(1,384)		(1,384)
Proceeds from divestiture of discontinued operations, net of cash						
retained by operations sold				394		394
Change in intercompany loans		(19)	2,133		(2,114)	
Other				(7)		(7)
Net cash provided by (used in) continuing investing activities		(19)	2,133	(1,369)	(2,114)	(1,369)
Net cash used in discontinued investing activities		(1))	2,100	(1,00)	(=,111)	(1,00)
The cash ased in discontinued investing activities				(1)		(1)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities		(19)	2,133	(1,370)	(2,114)	(1,370)
Cash Flows From Financing Activities:						
Changes in parent company equity <sup>(1)</sup>		352	(3,237)	2,885		
Increase in commercial paper			350			350
Proceeds from long-term debt			748			748
Repayment of long-term debt				(642)		(642)
Proceeds from exercise of share options				52		52
Repurchase of common shares		(17)				(17)
Payment of common share dividends and cash distributions to						
shareholders		(250)		7		(243)
Loan borrowing with parent		()		(2,114)	2,114	()
Other			(8)	53	_,	45
			(0)	55		15
Net cash provided by (used in) continuing financing activities		85	(2,147)	241	2,114	293
Net cash provided by (used in) continuing inflation activities		05	(2,147)	(59)	2,114	(59)
Net easil used in discontinued financing activities				(39)		(39)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		85	(2,147)	182	2,114	234
Effect of currency translation on cash				(14)		(14)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents				84		84
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period				1,218		1,218
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$		\$	\$ 1,302	\$	\$ 1,302

(1)

Changes in parent company equity includes cash flows related to certain intercompany equity and funding transactions, and other intercompany activity.

# NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

# 22. Tyco Electronics Group S.A. (Continued)

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED) For the Nine Months Ended June 24, 2011

	Conn	FE ectivity ∕td.	Tyco Electronics Group S.A.	Other Subsidiaries (in millions)	Consolidating Adjustments	Т	otal
Cash Flows From Operating Activities:							
Net cash provided by (used in) continuing operating activities	\$	3,120	\$ (67)		\$ (3,300)	\$	1,114
Net cash provided by discontinued operating activities				35			35
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities		3,120	(67)	1,396	(3,300)		1,149
Cash Flows From Investing Activities:							
Capital expenditures				(370)			(370)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant, and equipment				58			58
Proceeds from sale of intangible assets				68			68
Proceeds from sale of short-term investments				155			155
Acquisition of businesses, net of cash acquired				(731)			(731)
Change in intercompany loans			4,225		(4,225)		
Other				(10)			(10)
Net cash provided by (used in) continuing investing activities			4,225	(830)	(4,225)		(830)
Net cash used in discontinued investing activities				(5)			(5)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities			4,225	(835)	(4,225)		(835)
Cash Flows From Financing Activities:							
Changes in parent company equity <sup>(1)</sup>		(2,352)	(1,007)	3,359			
Decrease in commercial paper			(100)				(100)
Proceeds from long-term debt			249				249
Repayment of long-term debt				(565)			(565)
Proceeds from exercise of share options				74			74
Repurchase of common shares		(540)					(540)
Payment of common share dividends and cash distributions to							
shareholders		(228)		8			(220)
Intercompany distributions			(3,300)		3,300		
Loan borrowing with parent				(4,225)	4,225		
Other				17			17
Net cash used in continuing financing activities		(3,120)	(4,158)	(1,332)	7,525	(	1,085)
Net cash used in discontinued financing activities				(30)			(30)
Net cash used in financing activities		(3,120)	(4,158)	(1,362)	7,525	(	1,115)
Effect of currency translation on cash				23			23
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents				(778)			(778)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period				1,990			1,990

Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ \$	\$ 1,212 \$	\$ 1,212

(1)

Changes in parent company equity includes cash flows related to certain intercompany equity and funding transactions, and other intercompany activity.

### ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The following discussion and analysis of our financial condition and results of operations should be read in conjunction with our Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements and the accompanying notes included elsewhere in this Quarterly Report. The following discussion may contain forward-looking statements that reflect our plans, estimates, and beliefs. Our actual results could differ materially from those discussed in these forward-looking statements as a result of many factors, including but not limited to those under the heading "Forward-Looking Information" and "Part II. Item 1A. Risk Factors."

Our Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements have been prepared in United States Dollars, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP").

Organic net sales growth and free cash flow are non-GAAP financial measures which are discussed in Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations. We believe these non-GAAP financial measures, together with GAAP financial measures, provide useful information to investors because they reflect the financial measures that management uses in evaluating the underlying results of our operations. See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" for more information about these non-GAAP financial measures, including our reasons for including the measures and material limitations with respect to the usefulness of the measures.

### Overview

TE Connectivity Ltd. ("TE Connectivity" or the "Company", which may be referred to as "we," "us," or "our") is a global company that designs and manufactures approximately 500,000 products that connect and protect the flow of power and data inside millions of products used by consumers and industries. We partner with customers in a broad array of industries from consumer electronics, energy, and healthcare to automotive, aerospace, and communication networks. We operate through three reportable segments: Transportation Solutions, Communications and Industrial Solutions, and Network Solutions.

Our business and operating results have been and will continue to be affected by worldwide economic conditions. Our sales are dependent on certain industry end markets that are impacted by consumer as well as industrial and infrastructure spending, and our operating results can be affected by changes in demand in those markets. Overall, our net sales decreased 2.2% and 1.1% in the third quarter and first nine months of fiscal 2012, respectively, as compared to the same periods of fiscal 2011. On an organic basis, net sales decreased 3.1% and 2.5% in the third quarter and first nine months of fiscal 2012, respectively, as compared to the same periods of fiscal 2011. On an organic basis, we experienced declines in our sales into industrial and infrastructure based markets, primarily as a result of weakness in the industrial and data communications end markets in our Communications and Industrial Solutions segment and telecom networks and subsea communications end markets in our Network Solutions segment. On an organic basis, we experienced growth in our sales into consumer based markets, as growth in the automotive end market in our Transportation Solutions segment was partially offset by declines within the consumer devices and appliance end markets in our Communications and Industrial Solutions segment. The acquisition of Deutsch Group SAS ("Deutsch") in April 2012 benefited the automotive and aerospace, defense, and marine end markets in the Transportation Solutions segment. Deutsch contributed net sales of \$174 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012.



### Outlook

Net sales in the fourth quarter of fiscal 2012 are expected to be between \$3.325 billion and \$3.425 billion. This reflects declines in the Communications and Industrial Solutions and Network Solutions segments as compared to the fourth quarter of fiscal 2011. The Transportation Solutions segment will benefit from Deutsch sales which are expected to be approximately \$180 million in the fourth quarter of fiscal 2012. We expect global automotive production to increase approximately 1% relative to the fourth quarter of fiscal 2011. During the fourth quarter of fiscal 2012, we expect the Communications and Industrial Solutions segment to be adversely impacted by continued weakness in the industrial, data communications, and appliance end markets. We also expect the Network Solutions segment to be negatively impacted by lower carrier spending in the telecom networks end market. In the fourth quarter of fiscal 2012, we expect diluted earnings per share to be in the range of \$0.64 to \$0.68 per share.

For fiscal 2012, we expect net sales to be between \$13.25 billion and \$13.35 billion, reflecting decreases in all end markets in the Communications and Industrial Solutions and Network Solutions segments from fiscal 2011 levels, partially offset by an increase in the Transportation Solutions segment. Deutsch sales are expected to be approximately \$360 million in fiscal 2012. We expect our sales into the automotive end market to benefit from an anticipated increase in global automotive production of 5% over fiscal 2011 levels. We expect diluted earnings per share to be in the range of \$2.41 to \$2.45 per share for fiscal 2012.

The above outlook assumes current foreign exchange and commodity rates.

We are monitoring the current environment and its potential effects on our customers and on the end markets we serve. Additionally, we continue to closely manage our costs in order to respond to changing conditions. We are also managing our capital resources and monitoring capital availability to ensure that we have sufficient resources to fund our future capital needs. (See further discussion in "Liquidity and Capital Resources.")

#### Acquisition

On April 3, 2012, we acquired 100% of the outstanding shares of Deutsch. The total value paid for the transaction amounted to  $\notin$ 1.55 billion (approximately \$2.05 billion using an exchange rate of \$1.33 per  $\notin$ 1.00), net of cash acquired. The total value paid included \$659 million related to the repayment of Deutsch's financial debt plus accrued interest. Deutsch is a global leader in high-performance connectors for harsh environments, and significantly expands our product portfolio and enables us to better serve customers in the industrial and commercial transportation, aerospace, defense, and marine, and rail markets. This acquisition is reported primarily as part of our Transportation Solutions segment from the date of acquisition.

During the quarter ended June 29, 2012, Deutsch contributed net sales of \$174 million and an operating loss of \$62 million to our Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements. The operating loss included charges of \$68 million associated with the amortization of acquisition-accounting related fair value adjustments primarily related to acquired inventories and customer order backlog, acquisition costs of \$13 million, restructuring charges of \$11 million, and integration costs of \$2 million. During the nine months ended June 29, 2012, we incurred Deutsch-related acquisition and integration costs of \$21 million, respectively.

See additional information regarding the acquisition of Deutsch in Note 4 to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.



## **Discontinued Operations**

On June 1, 2012, we sold our Touch Solutions business for net cash proceeds of \$380 million, subject to working capital adjustments, of which we received \$370 million during the quarter ended June 29, 2012. Also, on April 27, 2012, we sold our TE Professional Services business for net cash proceeds of \$29 million, of which we received \$24 million during the quarter ended June 29, 2012. These businesses met the held for sale and discontinued operations criteria and have been included in discontinued operations in all periods presented. Prior to reclassification to discontinued operations, the Touch Solutions and TE Professional Services businesses were included in the Communications and Industrial Solutions and Network Solutions segments, respectively.

See Note 5 to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements for additional information regarding discontinued operations.

### **Acquisition Related Restructuring**

During fiscal 2012, we initiated a restructuring plan associated with the integration of Deutsch, which is expected to generate cost efficiencies in our consolidated operations. We expect to incur restructuring charges of approximately \$12 million during fiscal 2012, primarily related to employee severance and benefits. As discussed above, in the first nine months of fiscal 2012, we recorded charges of \$11 million related to this plan. Cash spending related to this plan was \$4 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012. We expect total cash spending, which will be funded with cash from operations, to be approximately \$10 million in fiscal 2012. Annualized cost savings related to these actions are expected to be approximately \$9 million and will be realized in fiscal 2013. Cost savings will be reflected primarily in cost of sales and selling, general, and administrative expenses.

### **Manufacturing Simplification**

We plan to continue to simplify our global manufacturing footprint by migrating facilities from higher-cost to lower-cost countries, consolidating within countries, and transferring product lines to lower-cost countries. These initiatives are designed to help us maintain our competitiveness in the industry, improve our operating leverage, and position us for profitability growth in the years ahead.

In connection with our manufacturing simplification plan, we incurred restructuring charges of approximately \$80 million during the first nine months of fiscal 2012 and expect to incur restructuring charges of approximately \$110 million during fiscal 2012. In the first nine months of fiscal 2012, cash spending related to restructuring was \$102 million. We expect total spending, which will be funded with cash from operations, to be approximately \$150 million in fiscal 2012. Annualized cost savings related to these actions are expected to be approximately \$85 million. Cost savings will be reflected primarily in cost of sales and selling, general, and administrative expenses.

### **Results of Operations**

### **Consolidated Operations**

Key business factors that influenced our results of operations during the periods discussed in this report include:

*Raw material prices.* We expect to purchase approximately 174 million pounds of copper, 141,000 troy ounces of gold, and 2.9 million troy ounces of silver in fiscal 2012. Prices have increased in recent years and continue to fluctuate. Although copper prices have declined from prior year

levels, they remain high relative to historic levels. The following table sets forth the average prices incurred related to copper, gold, and silver during the periods presented:

		For the Quarters Ended				I	For Nine Mon	the ths E	nded
	Measure	-	June 29, June 24, 2012 2011			-	ine 29, 2012	June 24, 2011	
Copper	Lb.	\$	3.86	\$	4.03	\$	3.91	\$	4.06
Gold	Troy oz.	\$	1,615	\$	1,409	\$	1,588	\$	1,356
Silver	Troy oz.	\$	34.36	\$	33.64	\$	34.78	\$	30.89

*Foreign exchange.* Approximately 54% of our net sales are invoiced in currencies other than the U.S. Dollar. Our results of operations are influenced by changes in foreign currency exchange rates. Increases or decreases in the value of the U.S. Dollar, as compared to other currencies, will directly affect our reported results as we translate those currencies into U.S. Dollars at the end of each fiscal period. The percentage of net sales in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 by major currencies invoiced was as follows:

U.S. Dollar	46%
Euro	29
Japanese Yen	8
Chinese Renminbi	6
Korean Won	3
Brazilian Real	2
British Pound Sterling	1
All others	5
Total	100%

The following table sets forth certain items from our Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations and the percentage of net sales that such items represent for the periods shown.

	J	For the Quarte June 29, 2012			24, 1	For June 2 2012	· ·	nths Ended June 24, 2011	
					(\$ in milli	,			
Net sales	\$ 3,4		100.0% \$	3,579	100.0% \$	9,918	100.0% \$	10,025	100.0%
Cost of sales	2,4	81	70.9	2,491	69.6	6,936	69.9	6,938	69.2
Gross margin	1,0	)18	29.1	1,088	30.4	2,982	30.1	3,087	30.8
Selling, general, and administrative									
expenses	4	23	12.1	441	12.3	1,233	12.4	1,261	12.6
Research, development, and engineering									
expenses	1	73	4.9	178	5.0	523	5.3	507	5.1
Acquisition and integration costs		15	0.4	1		23	0.2	19	0.2
Restructuring and other charges, net		36	1.0	8	0.2	86	0.9	58	0.6
Operating income	3	71	10.6	460	12.9	1,117	11.3	1,242	12.4
Interest income		6	0.2	5	0.1	18	0.2	16	0.2
Interest expense	(	(48)	(1.4)	(39)	(1.1)	(131)	(1.3)	(117)	(1.2)
Other income (expense), net		19	0.5	(5)	(0.1)	31	0.3	13	0.1
Income from continuing operations									
before income taxes	3	48	9.9	421	11.8	1,035	10.4	1,154	11.5
Income tax expense		(88)	(2.5)	(70)	(2.0)	(267)	(2.7)	(247)	(2.5)
Income from continuing operations	2	260	7.4	351	9.8	768	7.7	907	9.0
Income (loss) from discontinued									
operations, net of income taxes	(	(61)	(1.7)	6	0.2	(49)	(0.5)	16	0.2
Net income	1	99	5.7	357	10.0	719	7.2	923	9.2
Less: net income attributable to	1		5.1	551	10.0	/1/	1.2	125	2.2
noncontrolling interests				(2)	(0.1)	(3)		(4)	
Net income attributable to TE Connectivity Ltd.	\$ 1	99	5.7% \$	355	9.9% \$	716	7.2% \$	919	9.2%

*Net Sales.* Net sales decreased \$80 million, or 2.2%, to \$3,499 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 from \$3,579 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2011. The decrease was primarily a result of lower net sales in the Communications and Industrial Solutions and Network Solutions segments, partially offset by an increase in net sales in the Transportation Solutions segment. Deutsch, which was acquired on April 3, 2012, contributed net sales of \$174 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012. Foreign currency exchange rates negatively affected net sales by \$143 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011. On an organic basis, net sales decreased \$111 million, or 3.1%, in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to the third quarter of fiscal 2011.

In the first nine months of fiscal 2012, net sales decreased \$107 million, or 1.1%, to \$9,918 million from \$10,025 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. The decrease was due primarily to decreased net sales in the Communications and Industrial Solutions segment, and to a lesser degree the Network Solutions segment, partially offset by increased net sales in the Transportation Solutions segment. Deutsch contributed net sales of \$174 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012. Foreign currency exchange rates negatively affected net sales by \$184 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011. On an organic basis, net sales decreased \$251 million, or 2.5%, in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 as compared to the first nine months of fiscal 2011. See further discussion of organic net sales below under Results of Operations by Segment.

The following table sets forth the percentage of our total net sales by geographic region:

	For t Quarters		For t Nine Month	
	June 29, 2012	June 24, 2011	June 29, 2012	June 24, 2011
Europe/Middle East/Africa (EMEA)	34%	36%	34%	36%
Asia-Pacific	33	31	34	33
Americas	33	33	32	31
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

The following table provides an analysis of the change in our net sales by geographic region:

	Change in Net Sales for the Quarter Ended June 29, 2012 versus Net Sales for the Quarter Ended June 24, 2011							Change in Net Sales for the Nine Months Ended June 29, 2012 versus Net Sales for the Nine Months Ended June 24, 2011							
	Organic	e <sup>(1)</sup> Tran	slationAcqu	isition	Tota	ıl	Organi	ic <sup>(1)</sup> Tran	slation&equ	isitions	s Tota	1			
						( <b>\$ in mil</b>	lions)								
EMEA	\$ (57)	(4.3)% \$	(130) \$	80 \$	5 (107)	(8.2)%	\$ (148)	(4.1)% \$	(197) \$	110	\$ (235)	(6.5)%			
Asia-Pacific	11	1.0	(1)	11	21	1.9	(19)	(0.6)	42	40	63	1.9			
Americas	(65)	(5.6)	(12)	83	6	0.5	(84)	(2.7)	(29)	178	65	2.1			
Total	\$ (111)	(3.1)% \$	(143) \$	174 \$	6 (80)	(2.2)%	\$ (251)	(2.5)% \$	(184) \$	328	\$ (107)	(1.1)%			

(1)

Represents the change in net sales resulting from volume and price changes, before consideration of acquisitions, divestitures, and the impact of changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

#### (2)

Represents the change in net sales resulting from changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

The following table sets forth the percentage of our total net sales by segment:

	For t Quarters		For t Nine Montl	
	June 29, 2012	June 24, 2011	June 29, 2012	June 24, 2011
Transportation Solutions	46%	40%	45%	41%
Communications and Industrial Solutions	30	33	30	34
Network Solutions	24	27	25	25
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

The following table provides an analysis of the change in our net sales by segment:

	Change in Net Sales for the Quarter Ended June 29, 2012 versus Net Sales for the Quarter Ended June 24, 2011						Change in Net Sales for the Nine Months Ended June 29, 2012 versus Net Sales for the Nine Months Ended June 24, 2011						
	Organi	c <sup>(1)</sup> Tı	ranslationA2qu	isition To	tal	Organ	nic <sup>(1)</sup> Trai	nslationA&qu	isition	s Tota	al		
					(\$ in m	illions)							
Transportation Solutions	\$ 86	6.1%	\$ (79) \$	174 \$ 181	12.7%	\$ 301	7.3% \$	(100) \$	174	\$ 375	9.2%		
Communications and													
Industrial Solutions	(111)	(9.4)	(28)	(139)	(11.7)	(418)	(12.2)	(21)		(439)	(12.8)		
Network Solutions	(86)	(8.9)	(36)	(122)	(12.6)	(134)	(5.4)	(63)	154	(43)	(1.7)		

Total

\$ (111) (3.1)% \$ (143) \$ 174 \$ (80) (2.2)% \$ (251) (2.5)% \$ (184) \$ 328 \$ (107) (1.1)%

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(2)

Represents the change in net sales resulting from volume and price changes, before consideration of acquisitions, divestitures, and the impact of changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

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*Gross Margin.* Gross margin decreased \$70 million to \$1,018 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 from \$1,088 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2011. Gross margin as a percentage of net sales decreased to 29.1% in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 from 30.4% in the same period of fiscal 2011. The decline in gross margin resulted primarily from charges of \$68 million associated with the amortization of acquisition accounting-related fair value adjustments primarily related to acquired inventories and customer order backlog associated with Deutsch in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to charges of \$2 million associated with the amortization of acquisition acsociated with ADC Telecommunications, Inc. ("ADC") in the third quarter of fiscal 2011. Excluding these items, gross margin was flat as improved manufacturing productivity and the gross margin on incremental Deutsch sales largely offset the impact of decreased volume.

Gross margin decreased \$105 million to \$2,982 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 from \$3,087 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. Gross margin as a percentage of net sales decreased to 30.1% in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 from 30.8% in the same period of fiscal 2011. In the first nine months of fiscal 2012, gross margin included charges of \$68 million associated with the amortization of acquisition accounting-related fair value adjustments primarily related to acquired inventories and customer order backlog associated with Deutsch, whereas, in the first nine months of fiscal 2011, gross margin included charges of \$38 million associated with the amortization of acquisition accounting-related fair value adjustments primarily related to acquired inventories and customer order backlog associated with ADC. In addition, gross margin was negatively impacted by decreased volume and increased material costs, partially offset by improved manufacturing productivity and the gross margin on incremental ADC and Deutsch sales.

*Selling, General, and Administrative Expenses.* Selling, general, and administrative expenses decreased \$18 million to \$423 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 from \$441 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2011. Selling, general, and administrative expenses as a percentage of net sales were 12.1% and 12.3% in the third quarters of fiscal 2012 and 2011, respectively. Selling, general, and administrative expenses decreased \$28 million to \$1,233 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 from \$1,261 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. Selling, general, and administrative expenses as a percentage of net sales were 12.4% and 12.6% in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 and 2011, respectively.

*Acquisition and Integration Costs.* In connection with the acquisition of Deutsch, we incurred acquisition and integration costs of \$15 million and \$23 million during the third quarter and first nine months of fiscal 2012, respectively. We incurred acquisition and integration costs of \$1 million and \$19 million during the third quarter and first nine months of fiscal 2011, respectively, in connection with the acquisition of ADC.

**Restructuring and Other Charges, Net.** Net restructuring and other charges were \$36 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to \$8 million in the same period of fiscal 2011. Net restructuring and other charges were \$86 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. We initiated restructuring programs during fiscal 2012 associated with the acquisition of Deutsch and related headcount reductions primarily in the Transportations Solutions segment as well as headcount reductions in the Communications and Industrial Solutions segment. Fiscal 2011 actions were primarily associated with the acquisition of ADC and related headcount reductions segment. See Note 3 to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements for additional information regarding net restructuring and other charges.

**Operating Income.** In the third quarter of fiscal 2012, operating income was \$371 million as compared to \$460 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2011. As discussed above, results for the third quarter of fiscal 2012 included \$94 million of charges related to the acquisition of Deutsch, including \$68 million of charges associated with the amortization of acquisition accounting-related fair value adjustments primarily related to acquired inventories and customer order backlog, \$15 million of



acquisition and integration costs, and \$11 million of net restructuring and other charges. The third quarter of fiscal 2012 also included \$25 million of additional restructuring and other charges. Results for the third quarter of fiscal 2011 included \$10 million of charges related to the acquisition of ADC, including \$7 million of net restructuring and other charges, \$2 million of charges associated with the amortization of acquisition accounting-related adjustments, and \$1 million of acquisition and integration costs. Results also included \$1 million of additional restructuring and other charges in the third quarter of fiscal 2011. Excluding these items, the increase in operating income resulted from improved manufacturing productivity and the impact of the Deutsch acquisition, partially offset by the unfavorable impact of decreased volume.

Operating income was \$1,117 million and \$1,242 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 and 2011, respectively. Results for the first nine months of fiscal 2012 included \$102 million of charges related to the acquisition of Deutsch, including \$68 million of charges associated with the amortization of acquisition accounting-related fair value adjustments primarily related to acquired inventories and customer order backlog, \$23 million of acquisition and integration costs, and \$11 million of net restructuring and other charges. The first nine months of fiscal 2012 also included \$75 million of additional restructuring and other charges. Results for the first nine months of fiscal 2011 included \$115 million of charges related to the acquisition accounting-related fair value adjustments primarily related to acquired inventories and customer order \$115 million of charges related to the acquisition of ADC, including \$58 million of net restructuring and other charges, \$38 million of charges associated with the amortization of acquisition accounting-related fair value adjustments primarily related to acquired inventories and customer order backlog, and \$19 million of acquisition and integration costs. Excluding these items, the decrease in operating income resulted from the unfavorable impacts of decreased volume, and to a lesser degree, increased material costs, partially offset by improved manufacturing productivity and the impact of the Deutsch acquisition.

### **Non-Operating Items**

#### Other Income, Net

We recorded net other income of \$19 million and net other expense of \$5 million in the quarters ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, respectively, and net other income of \$31 million and \$13 million in the nine months ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, respectively, primarily consisting of income pursuant to the Tax Sharing Agreement with Tyco International Ltd. ("Tyco International") and Covidien plc ("Covidien"). During the third quarter of fiscal 2011, we recorded other expense of \$14 million in connection with the completion of fieldwork and the settlement of certain U.S. tax matters. See additional information in Note 11 to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

### **Income Taxes**

We recorded a tax provision of \$88 million, for an effective income tax rate of 25.3%, and a tax provision of \$70 million, for an effective income tax rate of 16.6%, for the quarters ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, respectively. The effective income tax rate for the quarter ended June 29, 2012 reflects income tax benefits recognized in connection with expected increased profitability in fiscal 2012 in certain entities operating in lower tax rate jurisdictions, offset by the estimated tax impacts of certain intercompany dividends. In addition, the effective income tax rate for the quarter ended June 29, 2012 reflects tax benefits recognized in connection with the finalization of prior year's tax returns, as well as accruals of interest related to uncertain tax positions. The effective income tax rate for the quarter ended June 24, 2011 reflects income tax benefits recognized in connection with expected increased profitability in fiscal 2011 in certain entities operating in lower tax rate jurisdictions and benefits of \$35 million associated with the completion of fieldwork and the settlement of certain U.S. tax matters, partially offset by accruals of interest related to uncertain tax positions.

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We recorded a tax provision of \$267 million, for an effective income tax rate of 25.8%, and a tax provision of \$247 million, for an effective income tax rate of 21.4%, for the nine months ended June 29, 2012 and June 24, 2011, respectively. The effective income tax rate for the nine months ended June 29, 2012 reflects income tax benefits recognized in connection with expected increased profitability in fiscal 2012 in certain entities operating in lower tax rate jurisdictions. These benefits were partially offset by accruals of interest related to uncertain tax positions and income tax expense associated with certain non-U.S. tax rate changes enacted in the quarter ended December 30, 2011. The effective income tax rate for the nine months ended June 24, 2011 reflects income tax benefits recognized in connection with expected increased profitability in fiscal 2011 in certain entities operating in lower tax rate jurisdictions partially offset by accruals of interest related to uncertain tax positions. The effective income tax rate for the nine months ended June 24, 2011 also reflects income tax benefits of \$35 million associated with the completion of fieldwork and the settlement of certain U.S. tax matters.

### Income (Loss) from Discontinued Operations, Net of Income Taxes

Loss from discontinued operations was \$61 million and income from discontinued operations was \$6 million in the third quarters of fiscal 2012 and 2011, respectively. In the first nine months of fiscal 2012 and 2011, loss from discontinued operations was \$49 million and income from discontinued operations was \$16 million, respectively.

On June 1, 2012, we sold our Touch Solutions business for net cash proceeds of \$380 million, subject to working capital adjustments, of which we received \$370 million during the quarter ended June 29, 2012. We recognized an insignificant pre-tax loss on the transaction. The agreement includes contingent earn-out provisions through 2015 based on business performance. In connection with the divestiture, we incurred an income tax charge of \$65 million, which is included in income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income taxes on the Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations for the quarter ended June 29, 2012, primarily as a result of being unable to realize a tax benefit from the write-off of goodwill at the time of the sale. We expect to make tax payments of approximately \$10 million associated with this divestiture.

On April 27, 2012, we sold our TE Professional Services business for net cash proceeds of \$29 million, of which we received \$24 million during the quarter ended June 29, 2012, and recognized a pre-tax gain of \$2 million on the transaction. In the second quarter of fiscal 2012, we recorded a pre-tax impairment charge of \$28 million, which is included in income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income taxes on the Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations, to write the carrying value of the business down to its estimated fair value less costs to sell.

On December 27, 2011, the New York Court of Claims entered judgment in our favor in the amount of \$25 million, payment of which was received in the second quarter of fiscal 2012, in connection with our former Wireless Systems business's State of New York contract. This judgment resolved all outstanding issues between the parties in this matter. This partial recovery of a previously recognized loss, net of legal fees, is reflected in income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income taxes on the Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations for the nine months ended June 29, 2012.

See Note 5 to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements for additional information regarding discontinued operations.

# **Results of Operations by Segment**

### **Transportation Solutions**

		For Quarter		ded		For Nine Mont		nded			
Net sales Operating income Operating margin	-	ine 29, 2012	June 24, 2011			ine 29, 2012	June 24, 2011				
	(\$ in millions)										
Net sales	\$	1,607	\$	1,426	\$	4,469	\$	4,094			
Operating income	\$	183	\$	211	\$	633	\$	611			
Operating margin		11.4%	6	14.8%	6	14.2%		14.9%			

The following table sets forth Transportation Solutions' percentage of total net sales by primary industry end market<sup>(1)</sup>:

	For t Quarters		For the Nine Months Ended			
	June 29, 2012	June 24, 2011	June 29, 2012	June 24, 2011		
Automotive	84%	87%	86%	88%		
Aerospace, Defense, and Marine	16	13	14	12		
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%		

(1)

Industry end market information about net sales is presented consistently with our internal management reporting and may be periodically revised as management deems necessary.

The following table provides an analysis of the change in Transportation Solutions' net sales by primary industry end market:

	Change in Net Sales for the Quarter Ended June 29, 2012 versus Net Sales for the Quarter Ended June 24, 2011							Change in Net Sales for the Nine Months Ended June 29, 2012 versus Net Sales for the Nine Months Ended June 24, 2011							
	Organic <sup>(1)</sup> Translation Acquisition Total						Organic <sup>(1)</sup> Translation Acquisition Total								
					(\$	in milli	ons)								
Automotive	\$ 85	6.9% \$	(73) \$	96	\$ 108	8.7%	\$ 264	7.3% \$	(91) \$	96	\$ 269	7.5%			
Aerospace, Defense, and Marine	1	0.2	(6)	78	73	39.0	37	7.0	(9)	78	106	20.9			
Total	\$ 86	6.1% \$	(79) \$	174	\$ 181	12.7%	\$ 301	7.3% \$	(100) \$	174	\$ 375	9.29			

(1)

Represents the change in net sales resulting from volume and price changes, before consideration of acquisitions, divestitures, and the impact of changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

#### (2)

Represents the change in net sales resulting from changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

### Quarter Ended June 29, 2012 Compared to Quarter Ended June 24, 2011

Transportation Solutions' net sales increased \$181 million, or 12.7%, to \$1,607 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 from \$1,426 million in the same period of fiscal 2011. Organic net sales increased by \$86 million, or 6.1%, in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to the third quarter of fiscal 2011 due primarily to an increase of \$85 million in the automotive end market. Deutsch contributed net sales of \$174 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012. The weakening of certain foreign currencies negatively affected net sales by \$79 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011.

In the automotive end market, our organic net sales increased 6.9% in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to the third quarter of fiscal 2011. The increase resulted from growth of 21.6% in the Asia-Pacific region and 10.7% in the Americas region, partially offset by a decline of 3.6% in the

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EMEA region. Growth in the Asia-Pacific region resulted from higher automotive production and continued recovery following the earthquake in Japan. We estimate that the earthquake in Japan negatively impacted our sales in the automotive end market by \$36 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2011. In the Americas region, growth resulted from increased production in North America, partially offset by weakness in South America. In the EMEA region, production levels decreased as a result of financial uncertainty in Europe. In the aerospace, defense, and marine end markets, our organic net sales were flat in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period in fiscal 2011 as growth in commercial aviation due to increased production and growth in the marine market driven by share gains and increased oil and gas exploration was offset by declines in the defense market.

In the third quarter of fiscal 2012, Transportation Solutions' operating income decreased \$28 million to \$183 million from \$211 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2011. Segment results for the third quarter of fiscal 2012 included \$94 million of charges related to the acquisition of Deutsch, including \$68 million of charges associated with the amortization of acquisition accounting-related fair value adjustments primarily related to acquired inventories and customer order backlog, \$15 million of acquisition and integration costs, and \$11 million of restructuring and other charges. Segment results also included \$3 million of additional restructuring and other charges in the third quarter of fiscal 2012. Excluding these items, the increase in operating income resulted primarily from the Deutsch acquisition, favorable impacts of increased volume and pricing actions, and improved manufacturing productivity.

#### Nine Months Ended June 29, 2012 Compared to Nine Months Ended June 24, 2011

In the first nine months of fiscal 2012, Transportation Solutions' net sales increased \$375 million, or 9.2%, to \$4,469 million from \$4,094 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. Organic net sales increased by \$301 million, or 7.3%, in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011 due primarily to an increase of \$264 million in the automotive end market. Deutsch contributed net sales of \$174 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012. The weakening of certain foreign currencies negatively affected net sales by \$100 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011.

In the automotive end market, our organic net sales increased 7.3% in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011. The increase was due primarily to growth in the Asia-Pacific region of 16.0% and in the Americas region of 11.4%, partially offset by a decline of 0.2% in the EMEA region. Growth in the Asia-Pacific region resulted from higher automotive production and continued recovery following the earthquake in Japan. We estimate that the earthquake in Japan negatively impacted our sales in the automotive end market by \$38 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. In the Americas region, growth resulted from increased production in North America, partially offset by declines in South America. In the EMEA region, production levels decreased as a result of financial uncertainty in Europe. In the aerospace, defense, and marine end markets, our organic net sales increased 7.0% in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. The increase was attributable to growth in commercial aviation resulting from increased production, and growth in the marine market resulting from share gains and increased oil and gas exploration driven by increased crude oil prices.

Transportation Solutions' operating income increased \$22 million to \$633 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 from \$611 million in the same period of fiscal 2011. Segment results for the first nine months of fiscal 2012 included \$102 million of charges related to the acquisition of Deutsch, including \$68 million of charges associated with the amortization of acquisition accounting-related fair value adjustments primarily related to acquired inventories and customer order backlog, \$23 million of acquisition and integration costs, and \$11 million of restructuring and other charges. Segment results also included \$1 million of additional restructuring and other charges in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 and \$18 million of net restructuring and other credits in the first nine months of fiscal 2011.

Excluding these items, the increase in operating income resulted primarily from the favorable impacts of increased volume and pricing actions, the Deutsch acquisition, and improved manufacturing productivity.

## **Communications and Industrial Solutions**

	For the Quarters Ended				]	Inded		
	June 29, 2012		-	June 24, 2011		ıne 29, 2012	-	une 24, 2011
				(\$ in m	illior	ns)		
Net sales	\$	1,045	\$	1,184	\$	2,994	\$	3,433
Operating income	\$	96	\$	120	\$	232	\$	426
Operating margin		9.2%	2	10.1%	,	7.7%	,	12.4%

The following table sets forth Communications and Industrial Solutions' percentage of total net sales by primary industry end market<sup>(1)</sup>:

	For t Quarters		For t Nine Month	
	June 29, 2012	June 24, 2011	June 29, 2012	June 24, 2011
Industrial	32%	34%	32%	33%
Consumer Devices	27	25	28	26
Data Communications	22	23	22	23
Appliance	19	18	18	18
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

(1)

Industry end market information about net sales is presented consistently with our internal management reporting and may be periodically revised as management deems necessary.

The following table provides an analysis of the change in Communications and Industrial Solutions' net sales by primary industry end market:

	I	Change in Net Sales for the Quarter Ended June 29, 2012 versus Net Sales for the Quarter Ended June 24, 2011					Ended	Change in Net Sales for the Nine Months Ended June 29, 2012 versus Net Sales for the Nine Months Ended June 24, 2011					
	(	Organ	ic <sup>(1)</sup>	Trans	lation <sup>(2)</sup>	Tota	al	Orgar	nic <sup>(1)</sup>	Translation <sup>(2)</sup>	Tot	al	
							( <b>\$ in m</b>	illions)					
Industrial	\$	(53)	(13.6	)%\$	(11) \$	(64)	(16.0)	% \$ (162)	(14.2)	% \$ (10) \$	5 (172)	(15.0)%	
Consumer Devices		(11)	(3.6	)	(2)	(13)	(4.4)	(70)	(7.8)	3	(67)	(7.5)	
Data													
Communications		(41)	(14.9	)	(4)	(45)	(16.4)	(141)	(17.7)	(3)	(144)	(18.1)	
Appliance		(6)	(2.9)	)	(11)	(17)	(8.0)	(45)	(7.6)	(11)	(56)	(9.4)	
Total	\$ (	111)	(9.4	)%\$	(28) \$	(139)	(11.7)9	% \$ (418)	(12.2)	% \$ (21) \$	5 (439)	(12.8)%	

(1)

Represents the change in net sales resulting from volume and price changes, before consideration of acquisitions, divestitures, and the impact of changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

(2)

Represents the percentage change in net sales resulting from changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

## Quarter Ended June 29, 2012 Compared to Quarter Ended June 24, 2011

Communications and Industrial Solutions' net sales decreased \$139 million, or 11.7%, to \$1,045 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 from \$1,184 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2011. Organic net sales decreased \$111 million, or 9.4%, during the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011. We estimate that the earthquake in Japan negatively impacted our sales in the Communications and Industrial Solutions segment by \$32 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012. The weakening of certain foreign currencies negatively affected net sales by \$28 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011.

In the industrial end market, our organic net sales decreased 13.6% in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to the third quarter of fiscal 2011 primarily as a result of market weakness, particularly in the Asia-Pacific and EMEA regions. In the consumer devices end market, our organic net sales decreased 3.6% in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011 due to weaker demand in the personal computer market, partially offset by strong demand in the tablet computer market and increased demand in the mobile phone market. In the data communications end market, our organic net sales decreased 14.9% in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 from the same period of fiscal 2011 due to market softness, primarily in the Asia-Pacific region. In the appliance end market, our organic net sales decreased 2.9% in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to the third quarter of fiscal 2011 primarily as a result of weakness in the Asia-Pacific region, resulting from lower demand, partially offset by growth in demand in the Americas region.

In the third quarter of fiscal 2012, Communications and Industrial Solutions' operating income decreased \$24 million to \$96 million from \$120 million in the same period of fiscal 2011. Segment results included restructuring and other charges of \$16 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 and \$11 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2011. Excluding these items, the decrease in operating income resulted from the unfavorable impacts of decreased volume and increased materials cost, partially offset by improved manufacturing productivity.

## Nine Months Ended June 29, 2012 Compared to Nine Months Ended June 24, 2011

In the first nine months of fiscal 2012, Communications and Industrial Solutions' net sales decreased \$439 million, or 12.8%, to \$2,994 million from \$3,433 million in the same period of fiscal 2011. Organic net sales decreased \$418 million, or 12.2%, during the first nine months of fiscal 2012 as compared to the first nine months of fiscal 2011. We estimate that the earthquake in Japan negatively impacted our sales in the Communications and Industrial Solutions segment by \$46 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. The weakening of certain foreign currencies negatively affected net sales by \$21 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011.

In the industrial end market, our organic net sales decreased 14.2% in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011 due primarily to market weakness, particularly in the EMEA and Asia-Pacific regions. In the consumer devices end market, our organic net sales decreased 7.8% in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 as compared to the first nine months of fiscal 2011 as a result of weaker demand in the personal computer and consumer electronics markets, partially offset by strong demand in the tablet computer market and increased demand in the mobile phone market. In the data communications end market, our organic net sales decreased 17.7% in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 from the same period of fiscal 2011 as a result of market softness, primarily in the Asia-Pacific region, and inventory reductions in the supply chain. In the appliance end market, our organic net sales decreased 7.6% in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011 due primarily to weakness in the Asia-Pacific and EMEA regions, resulting from lower demand and inventory reductions in the supply chain, partially offset by growth in demand in the Americas region.



Communications and Industrial Solutions' operating income decreased \$194 million to \$232 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 from \$426 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. Segment results included restructuring and other charges of \$51 million and \$14 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 and 2011, respectively. Excluding these items, the decrease in operating income resulted from the unfavorable impacts of decreased volume and increased materials costs, partially offset by improved manufacturing productivity.

## **Network Solutions**

		For the Ouarters Ended				For Nine Mont	nded	
	-	June 29, 2012		June 24, 2011		June 29, 2012		ine 24, 2011
				(\$ in n	nillio	ons)		
Net sales	\$	847	\$	969	\$	2,455	\$	2,498
Operating income	\$	92	\$	129	\$	252	\$	205
Operating margin		10.9%	6	13.3%	6	10.3%		8.2%

The following table sets forth Network Solutions' percentage of total net sales by primary industry end market<sup>(1)</sup>:

	For t Quarters		For t Nine Month	
	June 29, 2012	June 24, 2011	June 29, 2012	June 24, 2011
Telecom Networks	40%	43%	39%	38%
Energy	26	23	25	25
Enterprise Networks	20	19	21	20
Subsea Communications	14	15	15	17
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

(1)

Industry end market information about net sales is presented consistently with our internal management reporting and may be periodically revised as management deems necessary.

The following table provides an analysis of the change in Network Solutions' net sales by primary industry end market:

	Change in Net Sales for the Quarter Ended June 29, 2012 versus Net Sales for the Quarter Ended June 24, 2011				Change in Net Sales for the Nine Months Ended June 29, 2012 versus Net Sales for the Nine Months Ended June 24, 2011						
	Orgai	nic <sup>(1)</sup> Tra	nslation <sup>(2)</sup>	Tot	al	Organ	ic <sup>(1)</sup> Trans	lation&equ	isition	Tot	al
					( <b>\$ in 1</b>	nillion	s)				
Telecom Networks	\$ (60)	(14.5)% \$	(11) \$	(71)	(17.2)%\$	(83)	(9.0)% \$	(25) \$	117 \$	9	1.0%
Energy	8	3.4	(16)	(8)	(3.6)	18	2.7	(20)		(2)	(0.3)
Enterprise Networks	(4)	(2.4)	(8)	(12)	(6.5)	1	0.1	(18)	37	20	4.1
Subsea Communications	(30)	(20.5)	(1)	(31)	(21.1)	(70)	(15.9)			(70)	(15.9)
Total	\$ (86)	(8.9)% \$	(36) \$	(122)	(12.6)% \$	(134)	(5.4)% \$	(63) \$	154 \$	(43)	(1.7)%

(1)

Represents the change in net sales resulting from volume and price changes, before consideration of acquisitions, divestitures, and the impact of changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

(2)

Represents the percentage change in net sales resulting from changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

## Quarter Ended June 29, 2012 Compared to Quarter Ended June 24, 2011

In the third quarter of fiscal 2012, Network Solutions' net sales decreased \$122 million, or 12.6%, to \$847 million from \$969 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2011. Organic net sales decreased \$86 million, or 8.9%, in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 from the same period of fiscal 2011. The weakening of certain foreign currencies negatively affected net sales by \$36 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011.

In the telecom networks end market, our organic net sales decreased 14.5% in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011 largely due to decreased capital investments by major carriers in the telecommunications industry, particularly in the Americas and EMEA regions. In the energy end market, our organic net sales increased 3.4% in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to the third quarter of fiscal 2011 as a result of growth across all regions. In the enterprise networks end market, our organic sales decreased 2.4% in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 from fiscal 2011 levels due to softness in office networks, partially offset by continued data center investments. The subsea communications end market's organic net sales decreased 20.5% in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011 due to lower levels of project activity.

Network Solutions' operating income decreased \$37 million to \$92 million in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 from \$129 million in the same period of fiscal 2011. Segment results for the third quarter of fiscal 2012 included \$6 million of restructuring and other charges. Segment results for the third quarter of fiscal 2011 included \$10 million of charges related to the acquisition of ADC, including \$7 million of restructuring and other charges, \$2 million of charges associated with the amortization of acquisition accounting-related adjustments, and \$1 million of acquisition and integration costs. The third quarter of fiscal 2011 also included additional restructuring and other charges of \$3 million. Excluding these items, the decrease in operating income was attributable primarily to the unfavorable impact of decreased volume.

## Nine Months Ended June 29, 2012 Compared to Nine Months Ended June 24, 2011

Network Solutions' net sales decreased \$43 million, or 1.7%, to \$2,455 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 from \$2,498 million in the same period of fiscal 2011. Organic net sales decreased \$134 million, or 5.4%, in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 from the first nine months of fiscal 2011. The weakening of certain foreign currencies negatively affected net sales by \$63 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. The weakening of certain foreign currencies negatively affected net sales by \$63 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. The acquisition of ADC on December 8, 2010 resulted in incremental net sales of \$154 million in the first quarter of fiscal 2012 over the same period of fiscal 2011, as ADC contributed net sales of \$198 million in the first quarter of fiscal 2012 as compared to \$44 million in the first quarter of fiscal 2011.

In the telecom networks end market, our organic net sales decreased 9.0% in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 as compared to the first nine months of fiscal 2011 due primarily to decreased capital investments by major carriers in the telecommunications industry, particularly in the Americas and EMEA regions. In the energy end market, our organic net sales increased 2.7% in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 as compared to the same period of fiscal 2011 as a result of growth in the Americas and Asia-Pacific regions. In the enterprise networks end market, our organic net sales were flat in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 from fiscal 2011 levels as increases resulting from continued data center investments were offset by declines resulting from softness in office networks. The subsea communications end market's organic net sales decreased 15.9% in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 as compared to the first nine months of fiscal 2012 as a result of lower levels of project activity.

In the first nine months of fiscal 2012, Network Solutions' operating income increased \$47 million to \$252 million from \$205 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. Segment results for the first nine months of fiscal 2012 included \$23 million of restructuring and other charges. Segment results for the first nine months of fiscal 2011 included \$115 million of charges related to the acquisition of ADC,

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including \$58 million of restructuring and other charges, \$38 million of charges associated with the amortization of acquisition accounting-related fair value adjustments primarily related to acquired inventories and customer order backlog, and \$19 million of acquisition and integration costs. The first nine months of fiscal 2011 also included additional restructuring and other charges of \$4 million. Excluding these items, the decrease in operating income was attributable to the unfavorable impact of decreased volume, partially offset by improved manufacturing productivity.

#### Liquidity and Capital Resources

Our ability to fund our future capital needs will be affected by our ability to continue to generate cash from operations and may be affected by our ability to access the capital markets, money markets, or other sources of funding, as well as the capacity and terms of our financing arrangements. We believe that cash generated from operations and, to the extent necessary, these other sources of potential funding will be sufficient to meet our anticipated capital needs for the foreseeable future, including the payment of our 6.00% senior notes due in October 2012. We may use excess cash to reduce our outstanding debt, including through the possible repurchase of our debt in accordance with applicable law, to purchase a portion of our common shares pursuant to our authorized share repurchase program, to pay distributions or dividends on our common shares, or to acquire strategic businesses or product lines. The cost or availability of future funding may be impacted by financial market conditions. We will continue to monitor financial markets, to respond as necessary to changing conditions.

## **Cash Flows from Operating Activities**

In the first nine months of fiscal 2012, net cash provided by continuing operating activities increased \$60 million to \$1,174 million from \$1,114 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. The increase resulted from improved working capital offset by higher income taxes paid and lower income levels.

The amount of income taxes paid, net of refunds, was \$240 million and \$127 million during the first nine months of fiscal 2012 and 2011, respectively. Payments during the first nine months of fiscal 2012 included \$70 million for tax deficiencies related to U.S. tax matters for the years 1997 through 2000. Also during the first nine months of fiscal 2012, we received net reimbursements of \$44 million from Tyco International and Covidien pursuant to their indemnifications for pre-separation U.S. tax matters.

We expect to make net cash payments related to pre-separation tax matters of approximately \$26 million over the next twelve months. These amounts include payments in which we are the primary obligor to the taxing authorities and for which we expect a portion to be reimbursed by Tyco International and Covidien under the Tax Sharing Agreement as well as indemnification payments to Tyco International and Covidien under the Tax Sharing Agreement for tax matters where they are the primary obligor to the taxing authorities. See Note 11 to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements for additional information related to pre-separation tax matters.

In addition to net cash provided by operating activities, we use free cash flow, a non-GAAP financial measure, as a useful measure of our performance and ability to generate cash. Free cash flow was \$865 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 as compared to \$802 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. The increase was primarily driven by improved working capital, as adjusted for net payments for pre-separation tax matters of \$26 million and certain Deutsch acquisition-related payments totaling \$37 million, partially offset by higher income taxes paid, lower income levels, and increased net capital expenditures. The following table sets forth a reconciliation of net cash provided by continuing operating activities, the most comparable GAAP financial measure, to free cash flow.



	Ju	For Nine Mont Ine 29, 2012	ths E Ju	nded me 24, 2011
		(in mi	llions	5)
Net cash provided by continuing operating activities	\$	1,174	\$	1,114
Capital expenditures		(385)		(370)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant, and equipment		13		58
Payments related to pre-separation U.S. tax matters, net		26		
Payments related to accrued interest on debt assumed in the acquisition of Deutsch		17		
Payments to settle acquisition-related foreign currency derivative contracts		20		
Free cash flow	\$	865	\$	802

## **Cash Flows from Investing Activities**

We continue to fund capital expenditures to support new programs and to invest in machinery and our manufacturing facilities to further enhance productivity and manufacturing capabilities. In the first nine months of fiscal 2012, capital spending increased \$15 million to \$385 million from \$370 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. We expect fiscal 2012 capital spending levels to be approximately 4% of net sales.

In the first nine months of fiscal 2012, we acquired Deutsch. The total value paid for the transaction amounted to  $\pounds$ 1.55 billion (approximately \$2.05 billion using an exchange rate of \$1.33 per  $\pounds$ 1.00), net of cash acquired of \$152 million. The total value paid included \$659 million of debt assumed, including accrued interest, and paid off in its entirety shortly after the completion of the acquisition. See additional information in Note 4 to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

In the first nine months of fiscal 2011, we acquired ADC for a total purchase price of approximately \$1,263 million in cash (excluding cash acquired of \$546 million) and \$22 million of other non-cash consideration. Short-term investments acquired in connection with the acquisition of ADC were sold for proceeds of \$155 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. Certain other assets acquired in connection with the acquisition of ADC were sold for net proceeds of \$111 million, of which approximately \$106 million was received in the first nine months of fiscal 2011. We also acquired a business for \$14 million in cash in the first nine months of fiscal 2011.

In the first nine months of fiscal 2012, we received net cash proceeds of \$370 million related to the sale of our Touch Solutions business and \$24 million related to the sale of our TE Professional Services business.

## **Cash Flows from Financing Activities and Capitalization**

Total debt at June 29, 2012 and September 30, 2011 was \$3,759 million and \$2,667 million, respectively. See Note 9 to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements for additional information regarding debt.

During February 2012, Tyco Electronics Group S.A. ("TEGSA"), our wholly-owned subsidiary, issued \$250 million aggregate principal amount of 1.60% senior notes due February 3, 2015 and \$500 million aggregate principal amount of 3.50% senior notes due February 3, 2022. The notes were offered and sold pursuant to an effective registration statement on Form S-3 filed on January 21, 2011. Interest on the notes is payable semi-annually on February 3 and August 3 of each year, beginning August 3, 2012. The notes are TEGSA's unsecured senior obligations and rank equally in right of payment with all existing and any future senior indebtedness of TEGSA and senior to any subordinated indebtedness

that TEGSA may incur. Net proceeds from the issuance of the notes due 2015 and 2022, were approximately \$250 million and \$498 million, respectively. In connection with the issuance of the senior notes in February 2012, the commitments of the lenders under the \$700 million 364-day credit agreement, dated as of December 20, 2011, automatically terminated.

In June 2011, TEGSA entered into a five-year unsecured senior revolving credit facility ("Credit Facility"), with total commitments of \$1,500 million. TEGSA had no borrowings under the Credit Facility at June 29, 2012 and September 30, 2011.

The Credit Facility contains a financial ratio covenant providing that if, as of the last day of each fiscal quarter, our ratio of Consolidated Total Debt (as defined in the Credit Facility) to Consolidated EBITDA (as defined in the Credit Facility) for the then most recently concluded period of four consecutive fiscal quarters exceeds 3.5 to 1.0, an Event of Default (as defined in the Credit Facility) is triggered. The Credit Facility and our other debt agreements contain other customary covenants. None of our covenants are presently considered restrictive to our operations. As of June 29, 2012, we were in compliance with all of our debt covenants and believe that we will continue to be in compliance with our existing covenants for the foreseeable future.

TEGSA's payment obligations under its senior notes, commercial paper, and Credit Facility are fully and unconditionally guaranteed by TE Connectivity Ltd. Neither TE Connectivity Ltd. nor any of its subsidiaries provides a guarantee as to payment obligations under the 3.50% convertible subordinated notes due 2015 and other notes issued by ADC prior to its acquisition in December 2010.

Payment of common share dividends and cash distributions to shareholders were \$243 million and \$220 million in the first nine months of fiscal 2012 and 2011, respectively. In March 2011, our shareholders approved a dividend payment to shareholders of 0.68 Swiss Francs ("CHF") (equivalent to \$0.72) per share out of contributed surplus, payable in four equal quarterly installments beginning in the third quarter of fiscal 2011 through the second quarter of fiscal 2012 to shareholders of record on specified dates in each of the four quarters. We paid the third and fourth installments of the dividend at a rate of \$0.18 per share each during the quarters ended December 30, 2011 and March 30, 2012.

In March 2012, our shareholders approved a cash distribution to shareholders in the form of a capital reduction to the par value of our common shares of CHF 0.80 (equivalent to \$0.84) per share, payable in four equal quarterly installments beginning in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 through the second quarter of fiscal 2013 to shareholders of record on specified dates in each of the four quarters. We paid the first installment of the distribution at a rate of \$0.21 per share during the quarter ended June 29, 2012. This capital reduction reduced the par value of our common shares from CHF 1.37 (equivalent to \$1.28) to CHF 1.17 (equivalent to \$1.07).

Contributed surplus originally established during the Change of Domicile for Swiss tax and statutory purposes ("Swiss Contributed Surplus"), subject to certain conditions, is a freely distributable reserve.

Distributions to shareholders from Swiss Contributed Surplus are free from withholding tax. During the second quarter of fiscal 2012, our shareholders approved a resolution to reclassify Swiss Contributed Surplus in the amount of CHF 9,745 million from free reserves (contributed surplus) to legal reserves (reserves from capital contributions) on our Swiss statutory balance sheet, a provisional reclassification made while we were in discussions with the Swiss tax authorities. Also during the second quarter of fiscal 2012, we received a favorable outcome from the Swiss tax authorities related to our classification of Swiss Contributed Surplus that allows us to present Swiss Contributed Surplus as a free reserve on our statutory Swiss balance sheet. On July 25, 2012, our shareholders approved a resolution to reclassify Swiss Contributed Surplus in the amount of CHF 9,745 million from legal reserves (reserves from capital contributions) as of March 30, 2012 to free reserves (reserves from capital contributions) on our Swiss statutory balance sheet, with effect as of March 30, 2012. This



reclassification will be reflected on our Swiss statutory financial statements for the year ending September 28, 2012. See Note 18 to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements for additional information.

During the first nine months of fiscal 2012, we did not purchase any of our common shares under our share repurchase authorization. During the third quarter and first nine months of fiscal 2011, we purchased approximately 7 million and 16 million, respectively, of our common shares for \$267 million and \$564 million, respectively. At June 29, 2012, we had \$1,501 million of availability remaining under our share repurchase authorization.

## Backlog

At June 29, 2012, we had a backlog of unfilled orders of \$2,915 million compared to a backlog of \$2,878 million at September 30, 2011. Backlog by reportable segment was as follows:

	June 29, 2012			ptember 30, 2011
		(in	millio	ons)
Transportation Solutions	\$	1,393	\$	1,041
Communications and Industrial Solutions		814		1,080
Network Solutions		708		757
Total	\$	2,915	\$	2,878

## **Commitments and Contingencies**

#### **Income Tax Matters**

In prior years, in connection with the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") audit of various fiscal years, Tyco International submitted to the IRS proposed adjustments to prior period U.S. federal income tax returns resulting in a reduction in the taxable income previously filed. The IRS accepted substantially all of the proposed adjustments for fiscal 1997 through 2000 for which the IRS had completed its field work. On the basis of previously accepted amendments, we have determined that acceptance of adjustments presented for additional periods through fiscal 2006 is more likely than not to be accepted and, accordingly, have recorded them, as well as the impacts of the adjustments accepted by the IRS, on the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

As our tax return positions continue to be updated for periods prior to separation, additional adjustments may be identified and recorded on the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements. While the final adjustments cannot be determined until the income tax return amendment process is completed and accepted by the IRS, we believe that any resulting adjustments will not have a material impact on our results of operations, financial position, or cash flows. Additionally, adjustments may be recorded to equity in the future for the impact of filing final or amended income tax returns in certain jurisdictions where those returns include a combination of Tyco International, Covidien, and/or our subsidiaries for the periods prior to the separation.



During fiscal 2007, the IRS concluded its field examination of certain of Tyco International's U.S. federal income tax returns for the years 1997 through 2000 and issued Revenue Agent Reports which reflect the IRS' determination of proposed tax adjustments for the 1997 through 2000 period. Tyco International has appealed certain proposed adjustments totaling approximately \$1 billion. Additionally, the IRS proposed civil fraud penalties against Tyco International arising from alleged actions of former executives in connection with certain intercompany transfers of stock in 1998 and 1999. Based upon statutory guidelines, Tyco International estimates the proposed penalties could range between \$30 million and \$50 million. The penalty is asserted against a prior subsidiary of Tyco International that was distributed to us in connection with the separation. Any penalty ultimately imposed upon our subsidiary would be subject to sharing with Tyco International and Covidien under the Tax Sharing Agreement. It is our understanding that Tyco International continues to make progress towards resolving a substantial number of proposed tax adjustments for the years 1997 through 2000; however, several significant matters remain in dispute. The remaining issues in dispute involve the tax treatment of certain intercompany debt transactions. Tyco International has indicated that it is unlikely to achieve the resolution of these contested adjustments through the IRS appeals process, and therefore may be required to litigate the disputed issues. In the first nine months of fiscal 2012, we made payments of \$70 million for tax deficiencies related to undisputed tax adjustments for the years 1997 through 2000. Concurrent with remitting these payments, we were reimbursed \$44 million from Tyco International and Covidien pursuant to their indemnifications for pre-separation tax matters. For those issues not in dispute, we expect the IRS to complete its examination for the years 1997 through 2000 and issue special agreement Forms 870-AD by early fiscal 2013. Over the next twelve months, we expect to pay approximately \$26 million, inclusive of related indemnification payments, in connection with these pre-separation tax matters.

During fiscal 2011, the IRS completed its field examination of certain Tyco International income tax returns for the years 2001 through 2004, issued Revenue Agent Reports which reflect the IRS' determination of proposed tax adjustments for the 2001 through 2004 period, and issued certain notices of deficiency. As a result of the completion of fieldwork and the settlement of certain tax matters, in the third quarter of fiscal 2011, we recognized income tax benefits of \$35 million and other expense of \$14 million pursuant to the Tax Sharing Agreement. Also, in the fourth quarter of fiscal 2011, we made net cash payments of \$154 million related to pre-separation deficiencies.

The IRS commenced its audit of certain Tyco International income tax returns for the years 2005 through 2007 in fiscal 2011.

During the third quarter of fiscal 2012, the IRS commenced its audit of our income tax returns for the years 2008 through 2010.

At June 29, 2012 and September 30, 2011, we have reflected \$74 million and \$232 million, respectively, of income tax liabilities related to the audits of Tyco International's and our income tax returns in accrued and other current liabilities as certain of these matters could be resolved within the next twelve months.

We continue to believe that the amounts recorded on our Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements relating to the matters discussed above are appropriate. However, the ultimate resolution is uncertain and could result in a material impact to our results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

## Legal Matters

In the ordinary course of business, we are subject to various legal proceedings and claims, including patent infringement claims, product liability matters, employment disputes, disputes on agreements, other commercial disputes, environmental matters, antitrust claims, and tax matters, including non-income tax matters such as value added tax, sales and use tax, real estate tax, and

transfer tax. Management believes that these legal proceedings and claims likely will be resolved over an extended period of time. Although it is not feasible to predict the outcome of these proceedings, based upon our experience, current information, and applicable law, we do not expect that the outcome of these proceedings, either individually or in the aggregate, will have a material effect on our results of operations, financial position, or cash flows. See Note 11 to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements for additional information regarding legal proceedings.

At June 29, 2012, we had a contingent purchase price commitment of \$80 million related to our fiscal 2001 acquisition of Com-Net. This represents the maximum amount payable to the former shareholders of Com-Net only after the construction and installation of a communications system for the State of Florida was completed and approved by the State of Florida in accordance with guidelines set forth in the contract. Under the terms of the purchase and sale agreement, we do not believe we have any obligation to the sellers. However, the sellers have contested our position and initiated a lawsuit in June 2006 in the Court of Common Pleas in Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, which is in the discovery phase. A liability for this contingency has not been recorded on the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements as we do not believe that any payment is probable or reasonably estimable at this time.

## **Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements**

Certain of our segments have guaranteed the performance of third parties and provided financial guarantees for uncompleted work and financial commitments. The terms of these guarantees vary with end dates ranging from fiscal 2012 through the completion of such transactions. The guarantees would be triggered in the event of nonperformance, and the potential exposure for nonperformance under the guarantees would not have a material effect on our results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

In disposing of assets or businesses, we often provide representations, warranties, and/or indemnities to cover various risks including unknown damage to assets, environmental risks involved in the sale of real estate, liability for investigation and remediation of environmental contamination at waste disposal sites and manufacturing facilities, and unidentified tax liabilities and legal fees related to periods prior to disposition. We have no reason to believe that these uncertainties would have a material adverse effect on our results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

At June 29, 2012, we had outstanding letters of credit and letters of guarantee in the amount of \$349 million.

We have recorded liabilities for known indemnifications included as part of environmental liabilities. See Note 11 to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements for a discussion of these liabilities.

In the normal course of business, we are liable for contract completion and product performance. In the opinion of management, such obligations will not significantly affect our results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

Pursuant to the Separation and Distribution Agreement and Tax Sharing Agreement, upon separation, we entered into certain guarantee commitments and indemnifications with Tyco International and Covidien. Under these agreements, principally the Tax Sharing Agreement, we, Tyco International, and Covidien share 31%, 27%, and 42%, respectively, of certain contingent liabilities relating to unresolved pre-separation tax matters of Tyco International. The effect of the Tax Sharing Agreement is to indemnify us for 69% of certain liabilities settled in cash by us with respect to unresolved pre-separation tax matters. Pursuant to that indemnification, we have made similar indemnifications to Tyco International and Covidien with respect to 31% of certain liabilities settled in cash by the companies relating to unresolved pre-separation tax matters. If any of the companies

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responsible for all or a portion of such liabilities were to default in its payment of costs or expenses related to any such liability, we would be responsible for a portion of the defaulting party or parties' obligation. These arrangements have been valued upon our separation from Tyco International in accordance with Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") 460, *Guarantees*, and, accordingly, liabilities amounting to \$239 million were recorded on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet at June 29, 2012. See Notes 10 and 11 to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements for additional information.

## **Critical Accounting Policies and Estimates**

The preparation of the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities, and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses.

Our accounting policies for revenue recognition, goodwill and other intangible assets, income taxes, pension and postretirement benefits, share-based compensation, and acquisitions are based on, among other things, judgments and assumptions made by management. During the nine months ended June 29, 2012, there were no significant changes to these policies or to the underlying accounting assumptions and estimates used in these policies from those disclosed in the Consolidated Financial Statements and accompanying notes contained in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2011.

#### **Accounting Pronouncements**

#### **Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements**

In December 2011 and June 2011, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued updates to guidance in ASC 220, *Comprehensive Income*, that change the presentation and disclosure requirements of comprehensive income in interim and annual financial statements. These updates to ASC 220 are effective for us in the first quarter of fiscal 2013; however, we expect to early adopt these standards during the fourth quarter of fiscal 2012. Adoption is not expected to have a material impact on our Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

#### **Non-GAAP Financial Measures**

#### **Organic Net Sales Growth**

Organic net sales growth is a non-GAAP financial measure. The difference between reported net sales growth (the most comparable GAAP measure) and organic net sales growth (the non-GAAP measure) consists of the impact from foreign currency exchange rates, acquisitions, divestitures, and an additional week in the fourth quarter of the fiscal year for fiscal years which are 53 weeks in length. Organic net sales growth is a useful measure of the underlying results and trends in our business. It excludes items that are not completely under management's control, such as the impact of changes in foreign currency exchange rates, and items that do not reflect the underlying growth of the company, such as acquisition and divestiture activity and the impact of an additional week in the fourth quarter of the fiscal years which are 53 weeks in length.

We believe organic net sales growth provides useful information to investors because it reflects the underlying growth from the ongoing activities of our business. Furthermore, it provides investors with a view of our operations from management's perspective. We use organic net sales growth to monitor and evaluate performance, as it is an important measure of the underlying results of our operations. Management uses organic net sales growth together with GAAP measures such as net sales growth and operating income in its decision making processes related to the operations of our reporting segments

and our overall company. We believe that investors benefit from having access to the same financial measures that management uses in evaluating operations. The discussion and analysis of organic net sales growth in Results of Operations above utilizes organic net sales growth as management does internally. Because organic net sales growth calculations may vary among other companies, organic net sales growth amounts presented above may not be comparable with similarly titled measures of other companies. Organic net sales growth is a non-GAAP financial measure that is not meant to be considered in isolation or as a substitute for GAAP measures. The primary limitation of this measure is that it excludes items that have an impact on our net sales. This limitation is best addressed by evaluating organic net sales growth to net sales growth our GAAP net sales. The tables presented in Results of Operations above provide reconciliations of organic net sales growth to net sales growth calculated under GAAP.

## Free Cash Flow

Free cash flow is a non-GAAP financial measure. The difference between net cash provided by continuing operating activities (the most comparable GAAP measure) and free cash flow (the non-GAAP measure) consists mainly of significant cash outflows and inflows that we believe are useful to identify. Free cash flow is a useful measure of our performance and ability to generate cash. It also is a significant component in our incentive compensation plans. We believe free cash flow provides useful information to investors as it provides insight into the primary cash flow metric used by management to monitor and evaluate cash flows generated from our operations.

Free cash flow excludes net capital expenditures, voluntary pension contributions, and the cash impact of special items. Net capital expenditures are subtracted because they represent long-term commitments. Voluntary pension contributions are subtracted from the GAAP measure because this activity is driven by economic financing decisions rather than operating activity. Certain special items, including net payments related to pre-separation tax matters, are also considered by management in evaluating free cash flow. We believe investors should also consider these items in evaluating our free cash flow.

Free cash flow as presented herein may not be comparable to similarly-titled measures reported by other companies. The primary limitation of this measure is that it excludes items that have an impact on our GAAP cash flow. Also, it subtracts certain cash items that are ultimately within management's and the board of directors' discretion to direct and may imply that there is less or more cash available for our programs than the most comparable GAAP measure indicates. This limitation is best addressed by using free cash flow in combination with the GAAP cash flow results. It should not be inferred that the entire free cash flow amount is available for future discretionary expenditures, as our definition of free cash flow does not consider certain non-discretionary expenditures, such as debt payments. In addition, we may have other discretionary expenditures, such as discretionary dividends, share repurchases, and business acquisitions, that are not considered in the calculation of free cash flow.

The tables presented in Liquidity and Capital Resources above provide reconciliations of free cash flow to cash flows from continuing operating activities calculated under GAAP.

#### **Forward-Looking Information**

Certain statements in this quarterly report on Form 10-Q are "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the U.S. Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements are based on our management's beliefs and assumptions and on information currently available to our management. Forward-looking statements include, among others, the information concerning our possible or assumed future results of operations, business strategies, financing plans, competitive position, potential growth opportunities, potential operating performance improvements, acquisitions, the effects of competition, and the effects of future legislation or regulations. Forward-looking

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statements include all statements that are not historical facts and can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology such as the words "believe," "expect," "plan," "intend," "anticipate," "estimate," "predict," "potential," "continue," "may," "should," or the negative of these terms or similar expressions.

Forward-looking statements involve risks, uncertainties, and assumptions. Actual results may differ materially from those expressed in these forward-looking statements. You should not put undue reliance on any forward-looking statements. We do not have any intention or obligation to update forward-looking statements after we file this report except as required by law.

The following and other risks, which are described in greater detail in "Part I. Item 1A. Risk Factors" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2011 and in "Part II. Item 1A. Risk Factors" in our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended December 30, 2011, could also cause our results to differ materially from those expressed in forward-looking statements:

Conditions in the global or regional economies and global capital markets, and cyclical industry conditions;

Conditions affecting demand for products in the industries we serve, particularly the automotive industry and the telecommunications, computer, and consumer electronics industries;

Competition and pricing pressure;

Market acceptance of new product introductions and product innovations and product life cycles;

Raw material availability, quality, and cost;

Fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates;

Financial condition and consolidation of customers and vendors;

Reliance on third-party suppliers;

Our ability to attract and retain highly qualified personnel;

Risks associated with our acquisition of Deutsch;

Risks associated with future acquisitions and divestitures;

Global risks of business interruptions such as natural disasters and political, economic, and military instability;

Risks related to compliance with current and future environmental and other laws and regulations;

Our ability to protect our intellectual property rights;

Risks of litigation;

Our ability to operate within the limitations imposed by our debt instruments;

Risks relating to our separation on June 29, 2007 from Tyco International Ltd.;

The possible effects on us of various U.S. and non-U.S. legislative proposals and other initiatives that, if adopted, could materially increase our worldwide corporate effective tax rate and negatively impact our U.S. government contracts business;

Various risks associated with being a Swiss corporation;

The impact of fluctuations in the market price of our shares; and

The impact of certain provisions of our articles of association on unsolicited takeover proposals.

There may be other risks and uncertainties that we are unable to predict at this time or that we currently do not expect to have a material adverse effect on our business.

## ITEM 3. QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK

There have been no significant changes in our exposures to market risk during the first nine months of fiscal 2012. For further discussion of our exposures to market risk, refer to "Part II. Item 7A. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2011.

## ITEM 4. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

#### **Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures**

Our management, with the participation of our chief executive officer and chief financial officer, evaluated the effectiveness of our disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 13a-15(e) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act")), as of June 29, 2012. Based on that evaluation, our chief executive officer and chief financial officer concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of June 29, 2012.

### **Changes in Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

During the quarter ended June 29, 2012, there were no changes in our internal control over financial reporting that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

#### **Deutsch Acquisition**

We acquired Deutsch on April 3, 2012. For additional information regarding the acquisition, refer to Note 4 to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements and "Part I. Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations Acquisition" included in this Quarterly Report.

We will exclude the Deutsch operations from the scope of our annual assessment of the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting for the year ending September 28, 2012 in accordance with SEC guidance regarding the reporting of internal control over financial reporting in connection with a recent acquisition. Such guidance permits management to omit an assessment of an acquired business' internal control over financial reporting for a period not to exceed one year. We are in the process of integrating the Deutsch operations within our internal control structure and expect that this effort will be completed in fiscal 2013.



## PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

## ITEM 1. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

There have been no material developments in our legal proceedings since we filed our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended March 30, 2012. For a description of our previously reported legal proceedings, refer to "Part I. Item 3. Legal Proceedings" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2011 and "Part II. Item 1. Legal Proceedings" in our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended December 30, 2011.

## ITEM 1A. RISK FACTORS

There have been no material changes in our risk factors from those disclosed in "Part I. Item 1A. Risk Factors" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2011, other than as set forth in "Part II. Item 1A. Risk Factors" in our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended December 30, 2011. The risk factors disclosed in our Annual Report on Form 10-K and subsequent Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, in addition to other information set forth in this report, could materially affect our business operations, financial condition, or liquidity. Additional risks and uncertainties not currently known to us or that we currently believe are immaterial also may impair our business operations, financial condition, and liquidity.

## ITEM 2. UNREGISTERED SALES OF EQUITY SECURITIES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

#### **Recent Sales of Unregistered Securities**

None.

#### **Issuer Purchases of Equity Securities**

The following table presents information about our purchases of our common shares during the quarter ended June 29, 2012:

Period	Total Number of Shares Purchased <sup>(1)</sup>	Average Price Paid Per Share <sup>(1)</sup>	Total Number of Shares Purchased as Part of Publicly Announced Plans or Programs <sup>(2)</sup>	Maximum Approximate Dollar Value of Shares that May Yet Be Purchased Under the Plans or Programs <sup>(2)</sup>
March 31 - April 27, 2012	9,129	\$ 36.65		\$ 1,500,631,148
April 28 - June 1, 2012	3,779	35.52		1,500,631,148
June 2 - June 29, 2012	11,122	30.85		1,500,631,148
Total	24,030	\$ 33.79		

(1)

This column includes the acquisition of 24,030 common shares from individuals in order to satisfy tax withholding requirements in connection with the vesting of restricted share awards issued under equity compensation plans during the quarter ended June 29, 2012.

(2)

Our share repurchase program authorizes us to purchase a portion of our outstanding common shares from time to time through open market or private transactions, depending on business and market conditions. The share repurchase program does not have an expiration date.

## ITEM 3. DEFAULTS UPON SENIOR SECURITIES

None.

## ITEM 4. MINE SAFETY DISCLOSURES

Not applicable.

## **ITEM 5. OTHER INFORMATION**

None.

## ITEM 6. EXHIBITS

# Exhibit

- Number
  - Exhibit
    3.1 Articles of Association of TE Connectivity Ltd. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to TE Connectivity's Current Report on
    Form 8-K, filed June 1, 2012)
  - 31.1 Certification by the Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002\*
  - 31.2 Certification by the Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002\*
  - 32.1 Certification by the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002\*\*
  - 101 Financial statements from the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of TE Connectivity Ltd. for the quarterly period ended June 29, 2012, filed on July 26, 2012, formatted in XBRL: (i) the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations, (ii) the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets, (iii) the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows, and (iv) the Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements\*

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Filed herewith

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Furnished herewith

Neither TE Connectivity Ltd. nor any of its consolidated subsidiaries has outstanding any instrument with respect to its long-term debt, other than those filed as an exhibit to TE Connectivity Ltd.'s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2011, Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended December 30, 2011, or Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended December 30, 2011, or Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended March 30, 2012, under which the total amount of securities authorized exceeds 10% of the total assets of TE Connectivity Ltd. and its subsidiaries on a consolidated basis. TE Connectivity Ltd. hereby agrees to furnish to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, a copy of each instrument that defines the rights of holders of such long-term debt that is not filed or incorporated by reference as an exhibit to our annual and quarterly reports.

## SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

# TE CONNECTIVITY LTD.

By:

## /s/ TERRENCE R. CURTIN

Terrence R. Curtin Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Duly Authorized Officer and Principal Financial Officer)

Date: July 26, 2012