

KLA-Tencor Reports Fiscal 2014 Third Quarter Results

MILPITAS, Calif., April 24, 2014 /PRNewswire/ -- <u>KLA-Tencor Corporation</u> (NASDAQ: KLAC) today announced operating results for its third quarter of fiscal year 2014, which ended on March 31, 2014, and reported GAAP net income of \$204 million and GAAP earnings per diluted share of \$1.21 on revenues of \$832 million.

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"KLA-Tencor delivered solid results for the third quarter of fiscal year 2014, demonstrating our market leadership and strong operational execution," commented Rick Wallace, President and CEO of KLA-Tencor. "Semiconductor device manufacturers are facing enormous challenges in transitioning from planar to 3D transistor structures and in implementing new process technologies at the leading edge such as multi-patterning lithography. Although the semiconductor capital equipment industry is currently experiencing a pause in demand after a strong initial ramp of some of these new technologies, we remain focused on partnering with our customers to address yield issues associated with these ramps."

GAAP Results								
Q3 FY 2014 Q2 FY 2014 Q3 FY 20								
Revenues	\$832 million	\$705 million	\$729 million					
Net Income	\$204 million	\$139 million	\$166 million					
Earnings per Diluted Share	\$1.21	\$0.83	\$0.98					

Non-GAAP Results							
Q3 FY 2014 Q2 FY 2014 Q3 FY							
Net Income	\$206 million	\$143 million	\$171 million				
Earnings per Diluted Share	\$1.23	\$0.85	\$1.01				

A reconciliation between GAAP operating results and non-GAAP operating results is provided following the financial statements that are part of this release. Non-GAAP results include the impact of stock-based compensation, but exclude the impact of acquisitions, restatement and restructuring related items, and certain discrete tax items.

KLA-Tencor will discuss the results for its fiscal year 2014 third quarter, along with its outlook, on a conference call today beginning at 2:00 p.m. Pacific Daylight Time. A webcast of the call will be available at: www.kla-tencor.com

Forward-Looking Statements:

Statements in this press release other than historical facts, such as statements regarding KLA-Tencor's ability to maintain, and benefit from, its market leadership position; technological challenges and focus areas of KLA-Tencor's customers; the future outlook for growth in the semiconductor equipment industry; and KLA-Tencor's anticipated future performance, are forward-looking statements, and are subject to the Safe Harbor provisions created by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These forward-looking

statements are based on current information and expectations, and involve a number of risks and uncertainties. Actual results may differ materially from those projected in such statements due to various factors, including but not limited to: the demand for semiconductors; the financial condition of the global capital markets and the general macroeconomic environment; new and enhanced product and technology offerings by competitors; cancellation of orders by customers; the ability of KLA-Tencor's research and development teams to successfully innovate and develop technologies and products that are responsive to customer demands; KLA-Tencor's ability to successfully manage its costs; market acceptance of the company's existing and newly issued products; and changing customer demands. For other factors that may cause actual results to differ materially from those projected and anticipated in forward-looking statements in this release, please refer to KLA-Tencor's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2013, subsequently filed Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q and other filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission (including, but not limited to, the risk factors described therein). KLA-Tencor assumes no obligation to, and does not currently intend to, update these forward-looking statements.

About KLA-Tencor:

KLA-Tencor Corporation (NASDAQ: KLAC), a leading provider of process control and yield management solutions, partners with customers around the world to develop state-of-the-art inspection and metrology technologies. These technologies serve the semiconductor, LED and other related nanoelectronics industries. With a portfolio of industry-standard products and a team of world-class engineers and scientists, the company has created superior solutions for its customers for more than 35 years. Headquartered in Milpitas, California, KLA-Tencor has dedicated customer operations and service centers around the world. Additional information may be found at www.kla-tencor.com. (KLAC-F)

Use of Non-GAAP Financial Information

The non-GAAP and supplemental information provided in this press release is a supplement to, and not a substitute for, KLA-Tencor's financial results presented in accordance with United States GAAP.

To supplement KLA-Tencor's condensed consolidated financial statements presented in accordance with GAAP, the company provides certain non-GAAP financial information, which is adjusted from results based on GAAP to exclude certain costs and expenses, as well as other supplemental information. The non-GAAP and supplemental information is provided to enhance the user's overall understanding of KLA-Tencor's operating performance and its prospects in the future. Specifically, KLA-Tencor believes that the non-GAAP information provides useful measures to both management and investors regarding financial and business trends relating to KLA-Tencor's financial performance by excluding certain costs and expenses that the company believes are not indicative of its core operating results. The non-GAAP information is among the budgeting and planning tools that management uses for future forecasting. However, because there are no standardized or generally accepted definitions for most non-GAAP financial metrics, definitions of non-GAAP financial metrics (for example, determining which costs and expenses to exclude when calculating such a metric) are inherently subject to significant discretion. As a result, non-GAAP financial metrics may be defined very differently from company to company, or even from period to period within the same company, which can potentially limit the usefulness of such information to an investor. The presentation of non-GAAP and supplemental

information is not meant to be considered in isolation or as a substitute for results prepared and presented in accordance with United States GAAP.

KLA-Tencor Corporation Condensed Consolidated Unaudited Balance Sheets

(In thousands)		March 31, 2014 June 30, 2013				
ASSETS						
Cash, cash equivalents and marketable securities	\$	3,026,824	\$	2,918,881		
Accounts receivable, net		557,661		524,610		
Inventories		680,919		634,448		
Other current assets		276,925		273,564		
Land, property and equipment, net		326,049		305,281		
Goodwill		335,246		326,635		
Purchased intangibles, net		31,988		34,515		
Other non-current assets		251,239		269,423		
Total assets	\$	5,486,851	\$	5,287,357		
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				<u> </u>		
Current liabilities:						
Accounts payable	\$	120,771	\$	115,680		
Deferred system profit		173,595		157,965		
Unearned revenue		46,179		60,838		
Other current liabilities		547,102		527,049		
Total current liabilities		887,647		861,532		
Non-current liabilities:						
Long-term debt		747,783		747,376		
Pension liabilities		58,408		57,959		
Income tax payable		59,765		59,494		
Unearned revenue		57,818		42,228		
Other non-current liabilities		35,502		36,616		
Total liabilities		1,846,923		1,805,205		
Stockholders' equity:						
Common stock and capital in excess of par value		1,206,377		1,159,565		
Retained earnings		2,464,901		2,359,233		
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)		(31,350)		(36,646)		
Total stockholders' equity		3,639,928		3,482,152		
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	5,486,851	\$	5,287,357		

KLA-Tencor Corporation Condensed Consolidated Unaudited Statements of Operations

	Three months ended March 31,			Nine months ended March 31,				
(In thousands, except per share data)		2014	2013		2014			2013
Revenues:								
Product	\$	670,083	\$	579,746	\$	1,716,006	\$	1,676,847
Service		161,516		149,283		479,059		445,902
Total revenues		831,599		729,029		2,195,065		2,122,749
Costs and operating expenses:								
Costs of revenues		342,826		309,508		906,297		930,648
Engineering, research and development		134,161		118,788		401,021		360,138
Selling, general and administrative		93,449		98,487		288,691		289,913
Total costs and operating expenses		570,436		526,783		1,596,009		1,580,699
Income from operations		261,163		202,246		599,056		542,050
Interest income and other, net		(9,917)		(10,131)		(31,201)		(28,519)
Income before income taxes		251,246		192,115		567,855		513,531
Provision for income taxes		47,665		25,733		113,831		105,152
Net income	\$	203,581	\$	166,382	\$	454,024	\$	408,379
Net income per share:								
Basic	\$	1.22	\$	1.00	\$	2.73	\$	2.46
Diluted	\$	1.21	\$	0.98	\$	2.70	\$	2.41
Cash dividends declared per share	\$	0.45	\$	0.40	\$	1.35	\$	1.20
Weighted-average number of shares:								
Basic		166,253		166,234		166,184		166,297
Diluted		167,989		169,180		168,355		169,425

KLA-Tencor Corporation Condensed Consolidated Unaudited Statements of Cash Flows

	Three month March					
(In thousands)		2014		2013		
Cash flows from operating activities:						
Net income	\$	203,581	\$	166,382		
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:						
Depreciation and amortization		20,614		21,168		
Non-cash stock-based compensation expense		12,723		18,536		
Excess tax benefit from equity awards		(657)		(872)		
Net gain on sale of marketable securities and other investments		(281)		(712)		
Changes in assets and liabilities:						
Decrease in accounts receivable, net		16,598		142,764		
Decrease (increase) in inventories		(14,738)		11,138		
Decrease in other assets		48,463		2,753		
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable		(20,818)		4,552		
Decrease in deferred system profit		(70,008)		(19,959)		
Increase in other liabilities		42,250		69,033		
Net cash provided by operating activities		237,727		414,783		
Cash flows from investing activities:						
Acquisition of cost method investment		(1,345)				
Acquisition of business		(18,000)				
Capital expenditures, net		(18,220)		(18,300)		
Purchase of available-for-sale securities		(359,299)		(460, 124)		
Proceeds from sale of available-for-sale securities		202,650		258,067		
Proceeds from maturity of available-for-sale securities		60,035		63,671		
Purchase of trading securities		(20,939)		(14,005)		
Proceeds from sale of trading securities		22,521		15,054		
Net cash used in investing activities		(132,597)		(155,637)		
Cash flows from financing activities:						
Issuance of common stock		13,334		48,685		
Tax withholding payments related to vested and released restricted stock units		(2,347)		(728)		
Common stock repurchases		(59,880)		(68,343)		
Payment of dividends to stockholders		(74,805)		(66,561)		
Excess tax benefit from equity awards		657		872		
Net cash used in financing activities		(123,041)		(86,075)		
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents		` 752		(6,183)		
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		(17,159)		166,888		
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		793,382		767,313		
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$	776,223	\$	934,201		
Supplemental cash flow disclosures:	÷	,		, .		
Income taxes paid, net	\$	9,636	\$	11,041		
Interest paid	\$	135	\$	204		
Non-cash investing activities:	Ψ	100	Ψ	20-7		
Purchase of land, property and equipment	\$	4,103	\$			
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Reconciliation of GAAP Net Income to Non-GAAP Net Income

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Pre-tax impact of items included in Condensed Consolidated Unaudited Statements of Operations

	Acquisition related charges		 cturing, and other charges	Total pre-tax GAAP to non-GAAP adjustment		
Three months ended March 31, 2014			 			
Costs of revenues	\$	1,921	\$ _	\$	1,921	
Engineering, research and development		836	_		836	
Selling, general and administrative		1,071	_		1,071	
Total in three months ended March 31, 2014	\$	3,828	\$	\$	3,828	
Three months ended December 31, 2013						
Costs of revenues	\$	1,921	\$ 469	\$	2,390	
Engineering, research and development		836	1,132		1,968	
Selling, general and administrative		842	401		1,243	
Total in three months ended December 31, 2013	\$	3,599	\$ 2,002	\$	5,601	
Three months ended March 31, 2013						
Costs of revenues	\$	1,921	\$ 713	\$	2,634	
Engineering, research and development		835	2,405		3,240	
Selling, general and administrative		1,424	(273)		1,151	
Total in three months ended March 31, 2013	\$	4,180	\$ 2,845	\$	7,025	

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- a. Acquisition related charges includes amortization of intangible assets and transaction costs associated with acquisitions. Management believes that the expense associated with the amortization of acquisition related intangible assets and acquisition related costs are appropriate to be excluded because a significant portion of the purchase price for acquisitions may be allocated to intangible assets that have short lives, and exclusion of these expenses allows comparisons of operating results that are consistent over time for both KLA-Tencor's newly acquired and long-held businesses. Management believes excluding these items helps investors compare our operating performance with our results in prior periods as well as with the performance of other companies.
- b. Restructuring, severance and other related charges include costs associated with our decision in the first quarter of fiscal year 2013 to exit from the solar inspection business, as well as those associated with reductions in force. Management believes that it is appropriate to exclude these items as they are not indicative of ongoing operating results and therefore limit comparability. Management believes excluding these items helps investors compare our operating performance with our results in prior periods as well as with the performance of other companies.
- c. Income tax effect of non-GAAP adjustments includes the income tax effects of the excluded items noted above. Management believes that it is appropriate to exclude the tax effects of the items noted above in order to present a more meaningful measure of non-GAAP net income.
- d. Discrete tax items include the tax impact of shortfalls in excess of cumulative windfall tax benefits recorded as provision for income taxes during the period. Windfall tax benefits arise when a company's tax deduction for employee stock activity exceeds book compensation for the same activity and are generally recorded as increases to capital in excess of par value. Shortfalls arise when the tax deduction is less than book compensation and are recorded as decreases to capital in excess of par value to the extent that cumulative windfalls exceed cumulative shortfalls. Shortfalls in excess of cumulative windfalls are recorded as provision for income taxes. When there are shortfalls recorded as provision for income taxes during an earlier quarter, windfalls arising in subsequent quarters within the same fiscal year are recorded as a reduction to income taxes to the extent of the shortfalls recorded. Management believes that it is appropriate to exclude these or other adjustments to the cumulative windfall tax benefit that are not indicative of ongoing operating results and limit comparability. Management believes excluding these items helps investors compare our operating performance with our results in prior periods as well as with the performance of other companies.

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