

KLA-Tencor Reports Fiscal 2017 First Quarter Results

MILPITAS, Calif., Oct. 20, 2016 /PRNewswire/ -- KLA-Tencor Corporation (NASDAQ: KLAC) today announced operating results for its first quarter of fiscal year 2017, which ended on September 30, 2016, and reported GAAP net income of \$178 million and GAAP earnings per diluted share of \$1.13 on revenues of \$751 million.

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"KLA-Tencor's Q1 results finished above the midpoint of the range of guidance for shipments and revenue for the quarter, and exceeded the range for Non-GAAP diluted earnings per share," commented Rick Wallace, President and Chief Executive Officer of KLA-Tencor. "Our performance in Q1 was fueled by strong customer acceptance of new products and a business model that consistently delivers superior operating leverage, providing the resources to rank KLA-Tencor among the top tier of all companies in tech in terms of cash returns to stockholders."

GAAP Results							
	Q1 FY 2017	Q4 FY 2016	Q1 FY 2016				
Revenues	\$751 million	\$919 million	\$643 million				
Net Income	\$178 million	\$272 million	\$105 million				
Earnings per Diluted Share	\$1.13	\$1.73	\$0.66				

Non-GAAP Results							
	Q1 FY 2017	Q4 FY 2016	Q1 FY 2016				
Net Income	\$182 million	\$277 million	\$112 million				
Earnings per Diluted Share	\$1.16	\$1.77	\$0.71				

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, restructuring, severance and other related charges, and merger-related charges. KLA-Tencor will discuss the results for its fiscal year 2017 first 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.

About KLA-Tencor:

KLA-Tencor Corporation, 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 40 years. Headquartered in Milpitas, Calif., KLA-Tencor has dedicated customer operations and service centers around the world. Additional information may be found at http://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)	September 30, 2016	June 30, 2016		
ASSETS				
Cash, cash equivalents and marketable securities	\$ 2,494,621	\$ 2,491,294		
Accounts receivable, net	654,699	613,233		
Inventories	703,262	698,635		
Other current assets	76,580	64,870		
Land, property and equipment, net	272,351	278,014		
Goodwill	335,198	335,177		
Deferred income taxes, non-current	267,793	302,219		
Purchased intangibles, net	3,065	4,331		
Other non-current assets	188,529	174,659		
Total assets	\$ 4,996,098	\$ 4,962,432		
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$ 105,066	\$ 106,517		
Deferred system profit	185,640	174,551		
Unearned revenue	54,841	59,147		
Other current liabilities	629,194	662,208		
Total current liabilities	974,741	1,002,423		
Non-current liabilities:				
Long-term debt	3,018,567	3,057,936		
Unearned revenue	60,279	56,336		
Other non-current liabilities	161,002	156,623		
Total liabilities	4,214,589	4,273,318		
Stockholders' equity:				
Common stock and capital in excess of par value	447,018	452,974		
Retained earnings	381,124	284,825		
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	(46,633)	(48,685)		
Total stockholders' equity	781,509	689,114		
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 4,996,098	\$ 4,962,432		

KLA-Tencor Corporation Condensed Consolidated Unaudited Statements of Operations

Three months ended September 30, (In thousands, except per share 2016 amounts) 2015 Revenues: Product \$ 561,753 \$ 460,739 Service 188,920 181,905 Total revenues 750,673 642,644 Costs and expenses: Costs of revenues 277,836 270,244 Research and development 119,943 129,233 Selling, general and administrative 94,388 91,663 Interest expense and other, net 26,996 26,495 Income before income taxes 222,220 134,299 Provision for income taxes 44,119 29,402 178,101 \$ 104,897 Net income Net income per share: Basic 0.67 1.14 \$ Diluted \$ 1.13 \$ 0.66 Cash dividends declared per share \$ 0.52 \$ 0.52 Weighted-average number of shares: 156,820 Basic 156,129 Diluted 157,021 157,984

KLA-Tencor Corporation Condensed Consolidated Unaudited Statements of Cash Flows

Three months ended

	September 30,		
(In thousands)	2016	2015	
Cash flows from operating activities:			
Net income	\$ 178,101	\$ 104,897	
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:			
Depreciation and amortization	14,422	19,735	
Asset impairment charges	358	_	
Non-cash stock-based compensation expense	11,478	12,248	
Excess tax benefit from equity awards		(10,159)	
Net gain on sales of marketable securities and other investments	(204)	(1,233)	
Changes in assets and liabilities:			
Decrease (increase) in accounts receivable, net	(38,241)	124,925	
Decrease (increase) in inventories	1,187	(31,243)	
Decrease in other assets	19,477	34,381	
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable	(1,547)	4,158	
Increase (decrease) in deferred system profit	11,089	(14,504)	
Decrease in other liabilities	(26,343)	(49,423)	
Net cash provided by operating activities	169,777	193,782	
Cash flows from investing activities:			
Acquisition of non-marketable securities	(1,470)	_	
Capital expenditures, net	(9,883)	(7,341)	
Purchases of available-for-sale securities	(457,512)	(343,358)	
Proceeds from sale of available-for-sale securities	111,106	200,353	
Proceeds from maturity of available-for-sale securities	197,100	184,973	
Purchases of trading securities	(52,465)	(18,267)	
Proceeds from sale of trading securities	45,301	15,540	
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(167,823)	31,900	
Cash flows from financing activities:			
Repayment of debt	(40,000)	(40,000)	
Tax withholding payments related to vested and released restricted stock units	(17,376)	(21,526)	
Common stock repurchases	-	(142,592)	
Payment of dividends to stockholders	(89,313)	(101,674)	
Excess tax benefit from equity awards		10,159	
Net cash used in financing activities	(146,689)	(295,633)	
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	2,572	(4,377)	
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(142,163)	(74,328)	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	1,108,488	838,025	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 966,325	\$ 763,697	
Supplemental cash flow disclosures:			
Income taxes paid, net	\$ 39,411	\$ 7,844	
Interest paid	\$ 3,243	\$ 3,149	
Non-cash activities:	Ţ 0, 2 10	φ 0,110	
Purchase of land, property and equipment - investing activities	\$ 1,974	\$ 1,490	
Unsettled common stock repurchase - financing activities	\$ -	\$ 9,610	
Dividends payable - financing activities	\$ 12,045	\$ 20,892	
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(In thousands, except per share amounts)

Reconciliation of GAAP Net Income to Non-GAAP Net Income

	Three months ended						
	September 30, 2016			Ju	ıne 30, 2016	September 30, 2015	
GAAP net income		\$	178,101	\$	271,541	\$	104,897
Adjustments to reconcile GAAP net income to non-GAAP net							
income:							
Acquisition-related charges	а		1,267		1,294		3,581
Restructuring, severance and other related charges	b		_		_		7,066
Merger-related charges	С		3,605		5,795		_
Income tax effect of non-GAAP adjustments	d		(1,259)		(1,795)		(3,348)
Non-GAAP net income		\$	181,714	\$	276,835	\$	112,196
GAAP net income per diluted share		\$	1.13	\$	1.73	\$	0.66
Non-GAAP net income per diluted share		\$	1.16	\$	1.77	\$	0.71
Shares used in diluted shares calculation			157,021		156,618		157,984

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

		quisition- ed charges	Restructuring, severance and other related charges		<u> </u>		elated	Total pre-tax GAAP to non-GAAP adjustments		
Three months ended										
September 30, 2016										
Costs of revenues	\$	650	\$	_	\$	260	\$	910		
Research and development		_		_		982		982		
Selling, general and										
administrative		617				2,363		2,980		
Total in three months ended	_		_		_					
September 30, 2016	\$	1,267	\$		\$	3,605	\$	4,872		
Three months ended June										
<u>30, 2016</u>										
Costs of revenues	\$	658	\$	_	\$	346	\$	1,004		
Research and development		_		_		1,223		1,223		
Selling, general and										
administrative		636				4,226		4,862		
Total in three months ended	_				_		•			
June 30, 2016	\$	1,294	\$		\$	5,795	\$	7,089		
Three months ended										
<u>September 30, 2015</u>	_		_		_					
Costs of revenues	\$	2,285	\$	2,770	\$	_	\$	5,055		
Research and development		650		1,010				1,660		
Selling, general and										
administrative		646		3,286		_		3,932		
Total in three months ended	•	0.504	•	7.000	•		•	10.017		
September 30, 2015	\$	3,581	\$	7,066	\$		\$	10,647		

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- a. Acquisition-related charges includes amortization of intangible assets associated with acquisitions. Management believes that the expense associated with the amortization of acquisition related intangible assets is 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 employee severance and other exit costs. 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. Merger-related charges that are directly related to the proposed merger between KLA-Tencor and Lam that was terminated on October 5, 2016. Charges primarily includes employee-related expenses, legal expenses and other costs. Management believes that it is appropriate to exclude these items as they are not indicative of ongoing operating results and therefore limit comparability and excluding these items helps investors compare our operating performance with our results in prior periods as well as with the performance of other companies.
- d. 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.

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