

Press Release

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MAXIM INTEGRATED REPORTS RESULTS FOR THE THIRD QUARTER OF FISCAL 2016

- Revenue: \$555 million
- Gross Margin: 57.4% GAAP (61.4% excluding special items)
- EPS: \$0.48 GAAP profit (\$0.41 profit excluding special items)
- Cash, cash equivalents, and short term investments: \$1.86 billion
- Fiscal fourth quarter revenue outlook: \$555 million to \$595 million

SAN JOSE, CA - April 21, 2016 - Maxim Integrated Products, Inc. (NASDAQ:MXIM) reported net revenue of \$555 million for its third quarter of fiscal 2016 ended March 26, 2016, a 9% increase from the \$511 million revenue recorded in the prior quarter, and a 4% decrease from the same quarter of last year.

Tunc Doluca, President and Chief Executive Officer, commented, "Our third quarter financial performance was in line with our expectations, and we achieved additional milestones in our \$180 million cost reduction plan." Mr. Doluca continued, "In our June quarter, we expect seasonal growth in Automotive and core Industrial, and a modest increase in Communications and Data Center. We are pleased with our design win momentum in high-performance power management and differentiated analog products, benefitting from our focused product portfolio."

Fiscal Year 2016 Third Quarter Results

Based on Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP), diluted earnings per share in the March quarter was a \$0.48 profit. The results were affected by pre-tax special items which primarily consisted of a \$59 million gain on sale of a business, \$14 million in charges related to acquisitions, and \$10 million in charges related to restructuring activities. GAAP earnings per share, excluding special items was \$0.41. An analysis of GAAP versus GAAP excluding special items is provided in the last table of this press release.

Cash Flow Items

At the end of the third quarter of fiscal 2016, total cash, cash equivalents and short term investments were \$1.86 billion, an increase of \$87 million from the prior quarter. Notable items included:

- Cash flow from operations: \$168 million
- Net capital expenditures: \$17 million
- Proceeds from sale of business: \$105 million
- Dividends: \$86 million (\$0.30 per share)
- Stock repurchases: \$84 million

Business Outlook

The Company's 90-day backlog at the beginning of the June quarter of 2016 was \$370 million. Based on the beginning backlog and expected turns, results for the June 2016 quarter are expected to be as follows:

- Revenue: \$555 million to \$595 million
- Gross Margin: 59% to 61% GAAP (62% to 64% excluding special items)
- EPS: \$0.40 to \$0.46 GAAP (\$0.45 to \$0.51 excluding special items)

Maxim Integrated's business outlook does not include the potential impact of any special items related to restructuring activity, acquisitions, or other business combinations that may be completed during the quarter.

Dividend

A cash dividend of \$0.30 per share will be paid on June 2, 2016, to stockholders of record on May 19, 2016.

Conference Call

Maxim Integrated has scheduled a conference call on April 21 at 2:00 p.m. Pacific Time to discuss its financial results for the third quarter of fiscal 2016 and its business outlook. To listen via telephone, dial (866) 802-4305 (toll free) or (703) 639-1317. This call will be webcast by Shareholder.com and can be accessed at the Company's website at <u>investor.maximintegrated.com</u>.

A presentation summarizing financial information to be discussed on the conference call is posted at <u>investor.maximintegrated.com</u>.

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		Three Months Ended						
		March 26, 2016	Dec	ember 26, 2015	N	1arch 28, 2015		
		(in the	ousands,	except per share	e data)			
Net revenues	\$	555,252	\$	510,831	\$	577,263		
Cost of goods sold (1) (2)		236,411		218,662		261,995		
Gross margin		318,841		292,169		315,268		
Operating expenses:								
Research and development		119,178		113,100		123,913		
Selling, general and administrative		71,778		73,643		75,766		
Intangible asset amortization		2,538		3,538		3,977		
Impairment of long-lived assets		506		1,950		5,522		
Severance and restructuring expenses		2,552		10,652		2,824		
Other operating expenses (income), net (3)		(55,419)		(247)		(2,184		
Total operating expenses (income), net		141,133		202,636		209,818		
Operating income (loss)		177,708		89,533		105,450		
Interest and other income (expense), net		(6,373)		(9,593)		(5,534		
Income (loss) before provision for income taxes		171,335		79,940		99,916		
Income tax provision (benefit)		31,525		12,471		20,483		
Net income (loss)	\$	139,810	\$	67,469	\$	79,433		
Earnings (loss) per share:								
Basic	\$	0.49	\$	0.24	\$	0.28		
Diluted	\$	0.48	\$	0.23	\$	0.28		
Shares used in the calculation of earnings (loss) per share:								
Basic		285,854		285,526		283,418		
Diluted		289,783		290,521		283,418		
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Dividends paid per share	\$	0.30	\$	0.30	\$	0.28		
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Cost of goods sold:			(m					
Intangible asset amortization	\$	11,829	\$	14,734		18,750		
Accelerated depreciation (1)		4,066		2,032		9,834		
Other cost of goods sold (2)		6,123		_				
Total	\$	22,018	\$	16,766	\$	28,584		
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Impairment of long-lived assets		500		1,750		5,54		

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(1) Includes building and equipment accelerated depreciation related to San Jose and Dallas manufacturing facilities.

Severance and restructuring

Income tax provision (benefit):

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Other operating expenses (income), net (3)

Interest and other expense (income), net

Fiscal year 2015 research & development tax credits

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(2) Includes expense related to patent license settlement.

(3) Includes gain on sale of energy metering business during the third quarter of fiscal year 2016.

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Total stockholders' equity 2,138,763 2,148,824 2,253,849	Retained earnings		2,154,767		2,103,339		2,260,011		
	Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(16,284)		(17,529)		(18,521)		
TOTAL LIABILITIES & STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY \$ 3,981,468 \$ 3,937,481 \$ 4,167,717	Total stockholders' equity	-	2,138,763	-	2,148,824	-	2,253,849		
	TOTAL LIABILITIES & STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$	3,981,468	\$	3,937,481	\$	4,167,717		

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (Unaudited)

()	Three Months Ended							
			December 26, 2015		N	1arch 28, 2015		
			(in	thousands)				
Cash flows from operating activities:								
Net income (loss)	\$	139,810	\$	67,469	\$	79,433		
Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to net cash provided by operating activities:								
Stock-based compensation		17,875		18,419		18,586		
Depreciation and amortization		47,088		49,082		71,439		
Deferred taxes		(333)		18,816		(15,658)		
Loss (gain) from sale of property, plant and equipment		3,098		(4,517)		(441)		
Loss (gain) on sale of business		(58,944)						
Tax benefit (shortfall) related to stock-based compensation		545		1,980		7,635		
Impairment of long-lived assets		506		1,950		5,522		
Excess tax benefit from stock-based compensation		(1,491)		(3,920)		(5,997)		
Changes in assets and liabilities:								
Accounts receivable		(47,322)		51,291		(19,921)		
Inventories		22,785		15,811		9,194		
Other current assets		(8,947)		(918)		(156)		
Accounts payable		8,683		(7,659)		477		
Income taxes payable		29,597		(26,875)		22,587		
Deferred revenue on shipments to distributors		2,390		(3,024)		3,447		
All other accrued liabilities		12,646		4,584		5,917		
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities		167,986		182,489		182,064		
Cash flows from investing activities:								
Payments for property, plant and equipment		(17,530)		(13,530)		(10,185)		
Proceeds from sales of property, plant and equipment		136		49,709		1,615		
Proceeds from sale of business		105,000		—				
Purchases of available-for-sale securities		(24,861)		(25,032)				
Purchases of privately-held companies' securities		(1,921)		(6,008)		(200)		
Other investing activities				2,380		—		
Proceeds from maturity of debt investment in privately-held companies						500		
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities		60,824		7,519		(8,270)		
Cash flows from financing activities:								
Excess tax benefit from stock-based compensation		1,491		3,920		5,997		
Net issuance of restricted stock units		(8,853)		(7,722)		(8,369)		
Proceeds from stock options exercised		9,889		48,477		31,098		
Issuance of common stock under employee stock purchase program		—		14,350		—		
Repurchase of common stock		(83,801)		(23,150)		(36,774)		
Dividends paid		(85,714)		(85,712)		(79,419)		
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		(166,988)		(49,837)		(87,467)		
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		61,822		140,171		86,327		
Cash and cash equivalents:								
Beginning of period		1,648,518		1,508,347		1,305,870		
End of period	\$	1,710,340	\$	1,648,518	\$	1,392,197		
Total cash, cash equivalents, and short-term investments	\$	1,860,416	\$	1,773,473	\$	1,467,339		



ANALYSIS OF GAAP VERSUS GAAP EXCLUDING SPECIAL ITEMS DISCLOSURES (Unaudited)

(Unauditeu)								
			Three	e Months Ended				
	March 26, 2016		December 26, 2015			March 28, 2015		
		(in thou	sands	, except per sha	are d	ata)		
Reconciliation of GAAP gross profit to GAAP gross profit excluding special items:		X				,		
GAAP gross profit	\$	318,841	\$	292,169	\$	315,268		
GAAP gross profit %		57.4%		57.2%		54.6%		
Special items:								
Intangible asset amortization		11,829		14,734		18,750		
Accelerated depreciation (1)		4,066		2,032		9,834		
Other cost of goods sold (2)		6,123						
Total special items		22,018		16,766		28,584		
GAAP gross profit excluding special items	\$	340,859	\$	308,935	\$	343,852		
GAAP gross profit % excluding special items		61.4%		60.5%		59.6%		
Reconciliation of GAAP operating expenses to GAAP operating expenses excluding special items:								
GAAP operating expenses	\$	141,133	\$	202,636	\$	209,818		
		,		,		,		
Special items:								
Intangible asset amortization		2,538		3,538		3,977		
Impairment of long-lived assets		506		1,950		5,522		
Severance and restructuring		2,552		10,652		2,824		
Other operating expenses (income), net (3)		(55,419)		(247)		(2,184)		
Total special items		(49,823)		15,893		10,139		
GAAP operating expenses excluding special items	\$	190,956	\$	186,743	\$	199,679		
Reconciliation of GAAP net income (loss) to GAAP net income excluding special items:								
GAAP net income (loss)	\$	139,810	\$	67,469	\$	79,433		
Special items:								
Intangible asset amortization		14,367		18,272		22,727		
Accelerated depreciation (1)		4,066		2,032		9,834		
Other cost of goods sold (2)		6,123		_,				
Impairment of long-lived assets		506		1,950		5,522		
Severance and restructuring		2,552		10,652		2,824		
Other operating expenses (income), net (3)		(55,419)		(247)		(2,184)		
Interest and other expense (income), net		(45)		595		(2,101)		
Pre-tax total special items		(27,850)		33,254		38,723		
Fiscal year 2015 research & development tax credits		(27,050)		(2,475)				
Other income tax effects and adjustments (4)		5,698		(5,428)		(3,910)		
GAAP net income excluding special items	\$	117,658	\$	92,820	\$	114,246		
GAAP net income per share excluding special items:	_	<u> </u>			_	<u> </u>		
Basic	\$	0.41	\$	0.33	\$	0.40		
Diluted	<u>\$</u> \$	0.41	\$	0.33	\$	0.40		
	Ψ	0.71	Ψ	0.32	Ψ	0.40		
Shares used in the calculation of earnings per share excluding special items:								
Basic		285,854		285,526		283,418		
Diluted	_	289,783		290,521		288,840		

(1) Includes building and equipment accelerated depreciation related to San Jose and Dallas manufacturing facilities.

(2) Includes expense related to patent license settlement.

(3) Includes gain on sale of energy metering business during the third quarter of fiscal year 2016.

(4) Includes tax effect of pre-tax special items and miscellaneous tax adjustments.

Non-GAAP Measures

To supplement the consolidated financial results prepared under GAAP, Maxim Integrated uses non-GAAP measures which are adjusted from the most directly comparable GAAP results to exclude special items related to intangible asset amortization; accelerated depreciation; other costs of goods sold; impairment of longlived assets; severance and restructuring; and other operating expenses (income), net; fiscal year 2015 research & development tax credit, and other income tax effects and adjustments. Management uses these non-GAAP measures internally to make strategic decisions, forecast future results and evaluate Maxim Integrated's current performance. Many analysts covering Maxim Integrated use the non-GAAP measures as well. Given management's use of these non-GAAP measures. Maxim Integrated believes these measures are important to investors in understanding Maxim Integrated's current and future operating results as seen through the eves of management. In addition, management believes these non-GAAP measures are useful to investors in enabling them to better assess changes in Maxim Integrated's core business across different time periods. These non-GAAP measures are not in accordance with or an alternative to GAAP financial data and may be different from non-GAAP measures used by other companies. Because non-GAAP financial measures are not standardized it may not be possible to compare these financial measures with other companies' non-GAAP financial measures, even if they have similar names. The non-GAAP measures displayed in the table above include the following:

GAAP Gross Profit Excluding Special Items

The use of GAAP gross profit excluding special items allows management to evaluate the gross margin of the Company's core businesses and trends across different reporting periods on a consistent basis, independent of special items including intangible asset amortization, accelerated depreciation, and other costs of goods sold. In addition, it is an important component of management's internal performance measurement and reward process as it is used to assess the current and historical financial results of the business, for strategic decision making, preparing budgets and forecasting future results. Management presents GAAP gross profit

excluding special items to enable investors and analysts to evaluate our revenue generation performance relative to the direct costs of revenue of Maxim Integrated's core businesses.

GAAP Operating Expenses Excluding Special Items

The use of GAAP operating expenses excluding special items allows management to evaluate the operating expenses of the Company's core businesses and trends across different reporting periods on a consistent basis, independent of special items including intangible asset amortization; impairment of long-lived assets; severance and restructuring, and other operating expenses (income), net. In addition, it is an important component of management's internal performance measurement and reward process as it is used to assess the current and historical financial results of the business, for strategic decision making, preparing budgets and forecasting future results. Management presents GAAP operating expenses excluding special items to enable investors and analysts to evaluate our core business and its direct operating expenses.

GAAP Provision for Income Taxes Excluding Special Items

The use of a GAAP provision for income taxes excluding special items allows management to evaluate the provision for income taxes across different reporting periods on a consistent basis, independent of special items including the tax provision impact of pre-tax special items. In fiscal year 2016, we began using a long-term tax rate to compute the GAAP provision for income taxes excluding special items. This long-term tax rate considers the income tax impact of pre-tax special items; assumes the Federal research tax credit remains in effect throughout the entire year, and eliminates the effects of significant non-recurring and period specific tax items which vary in size and frequency. We are using a long-term tax rate of 18%, which is the weighted average of our normalized fiscal year GAAP tax rate excluding special items over a four year period that includes the past three fiscal years plus the current fiscal year. We will review the long-term tax rate on an annual basis and whenever events occur that may materially affect the long-term tax rate such as tax law changes; significant changes in our geographic earnings mix; or changes in our corporate structure.

GAAP Net Income and GAAP Net Income per Share Excluding Special Items

The use of GAAP net income and GAAP net income per share excluding special items allow management to evaluate the operating results of Maxim Integrated's core businesses and trends across different reporting periods on a consistent basis, independent of special items including intangible asset amortization; accelerated depreciation; other costs of goods sold; impairment of long-lived assets; severance and restructuring; and other operating expenses (income), net; fiscal year 2015 research & development tax credit; and other income tax effects and adjustments. In addition, they are important components of management's internal performance measurement and reward process as it is used to assess the current and historical financial results of the business, for strategic decision making, preparing budgets and forecasting future results. Management presents GAAP net income and GAAP net income per share excluding special items to enable investors and analysts to understand the results of operations of Maxim Integrated's core businesses and to compare our results of operations on a more consistent basis against that of other companies in our industry.

"Safe Harbor" Statement

This press release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. These statements include the Company's business outlook and financial projections for its fourth quarter of fiscal 2016 ending in June 2016, which includes revenue, gross margin and earnings per share, as well as the Company's expectation of seasonal growth in Automotive and core Industrial, and a modest increase in Communications and Data Center in the June 2016 quarter. These statements involve risk and uncertainty. Actual results could differ materially from those forecasted, based upon, among other things, general market and economic conditions, market developments that could adversely affect the growth of the mixed-signal analog market, product mix shifts, the loss of all or a substantial portion of our sales to one of our large customers, customer cancellations and price competition, as well as other risks described in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended June 27, 2015 (the "10-K") and Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q filed after the 10-K.

All forward-looking statements included in this news release are made as of the date hereof, based on the information available to the Company as of the date hereof, and the Company assumes no obligation to update any forward-looking statement except as required by law.

About Maxim Integrated

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