

FISCAL THIRD QUARTER 2014 FINANCIAL RESULTS

July 17, 2014

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Plexus provides non-GAAP supplemental information such as earnings or margin excluding special items, as well as ROIC and free cash flow. We present information excluding special items because it provides a better indication of core performance for purposes of period-to-period comparisons. ROIC and free cash flow are used for internal management assessments because they provide additional insight into ongoing financial performance. In addition, we provide non-GAAP measures because we believe they offer insight into the metrics that are driving management decisions as well as management's performance under the tests that it sets for itself. For a full reconciliation of non-GAAP supplemental information please refer to yesterday's press release and our periodic SEC filings.



FISCAL THIRD QUARTER 2014

Record Revenue

	Q3F14 Guidance	Q3F14 Jun 28, 2014	Q2F14 Mar 29, 2014	Q3F14 vs. Q2F14
Revenue (\$ millions)	\$600 to \$630	\$621	\$558	+ 11%
Diluted EPS excluding special items	\$0.69 to \$0.74	\$0.74	\$0.60	+ 23%
ROIC excluding special items		14.6%	14.1%	+ 50 bps

- Revenue above mid-point of guidance range
 - Up 11% from prior quarter
 - Up 8.5% from comparable quarter last year
- Non-GAAP diluted EPS at top of guidance range
 - Excludes \$0.03 restructuring charges



A FEW FISCAL THIRD QUARTER HIGHLIGHTS

- Revenue above the mid-point of guidance; growth in all four market sectors
- \$282M of new Manufacturing Solutions wins; trailing four quarter wins at \$801M
- \$23M of new Engineering Solutions; another very strong quarter
- Q/Q Operating Performance Improvements:
 - Operating margin: 4.7%; up 20 bps
 - Cash cycle: 57 days; down 5 days, contributing to better than anticipated free cash flow
 - ROIC: 14.6%; up 50 bps or 360 bps above WACC
- New facility in Guadalajara, MX complete; transitioning programs from Juarez, MX



FISCAL FOURTH QUARTER GUIDANCE

	Q4F14 Guidance
Revenue	\$645 to \$675 million
Diluted EPS	\$0.74 to \$0.80
	 Excludes anticipated restructuring charges of \$800,000 to \$900,000 Includes \$0.10 stock based compensation expense

- Revenue mid-point suggests 6% growth Q3F14 to Q4F14
 - Strength: Rapid program ramps
- Could be an episodically strong quarter
 - Revenue could contract Q4F14 to Q1F15
 - Current visibility suggests potential 3% contraction from guidance mid-point
- EPS guidance excludes anticipated restructuring charge associated with the Juarez, MX closure and program transitions to Guadalajara, MX



PERFORMANCE BY SECTOR

	Q3F: Jun 28,		Q2F: Mar 29,		Q3F14 vs. Q2F14	Q4F14 Expectations (percentage points)
Networking/ Communications	\$203	33%	\$162	29%	25%	Up mid teens
Healthcare/ Life Sciences	\$177	28%	\$167	30%	6%	Up low single
Industrial/ Commercial	\$154	25%	\$145	26%	6%	Flat
Defense/ Security/ Aerospace	\$87	14%	\$84	15%	4%	Up high single
Total Revenue	\$621	100%	\$558	100%	11%	

- N/C better than expected in Q3 as demand improved; New programs drive growth in Q4
- HC/LS in-line in Q3; Modest growth in Q4
- I/C up, but slightly below expectations for Q3; Softening markets lead to flat expectations for Q4
- D/S/A up, but slightly below expectations for Q3; Strengthening Aerospace drives Q4 growth

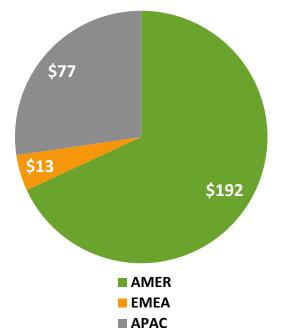


FISCAL THIRD QUARTER MANUFACTURING WINS

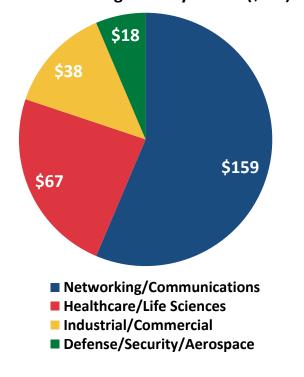
\$282M in annualized revenue when fully ramped; 25 programs

- Substantial APAC and AMER wins revenue
- Existing customer expansion with near-term ramp included in the N/C wins
- Engineering wins outstanding at \$23M; Strong HC/LS and I/C performance



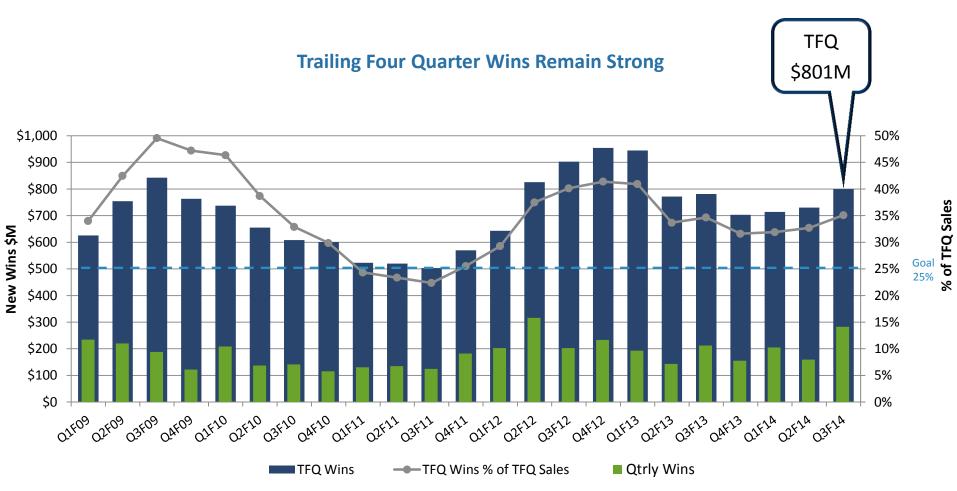


Manufacturing Wins by Sector (\$Ms)





MANUFACTURING WINS TREND







GUADALAJARA MANUFACTURING



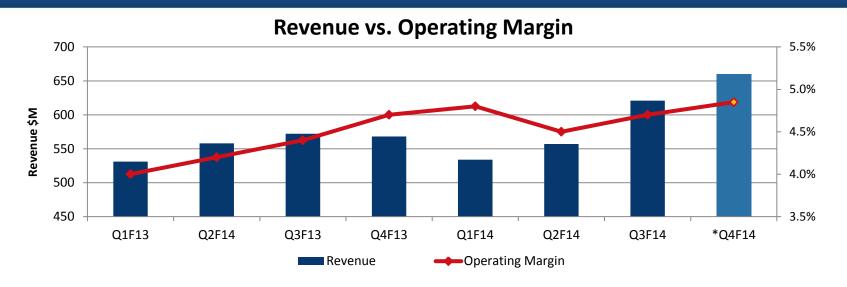
Supporting customer requirements by providing additional low-cost country solutions

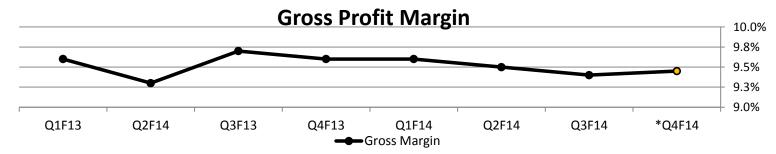
265,000 ft² facility Guadalajara Technology Park

- Construction complete
- Initial builds in progress
- Investing in resources for aggressive ramp
- Profitable late F15
- Juarez closure Q1F15



MARGIN TREND



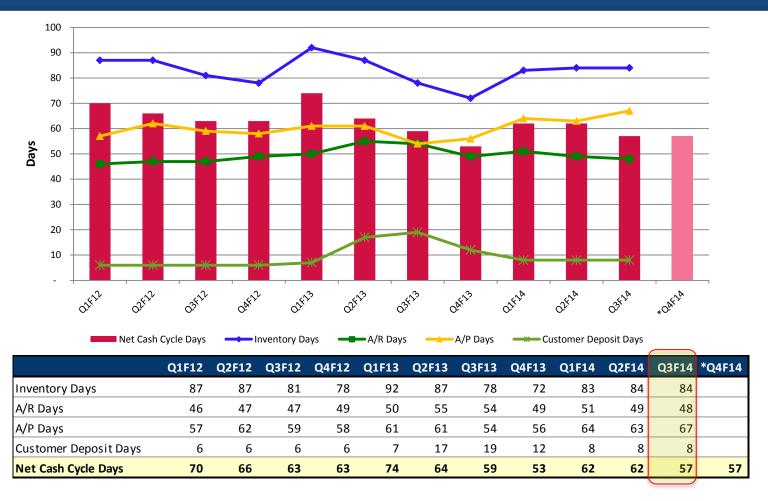


Operations Initiatives driving productivity

Investing in site teams, regions and expanded service offerings



CASH CYCLE TREND



Q3F14 performance considerably better than guidance

Expect cash cycle in high 50 day range exiting F14 and into F15

FISCAL THIRD QUARTER INCOME STATEMENT HIGHLIGHTS

	Q3F14 Jun 28, 2014	Q2F14 Mar 29, 2014	Q3F14 vs. Q2F14 Change
Revenue	\$621	\$558	+ 11%
Gross margin	9.4%	9.5%	- 10 bps
Selling & administrative expenses	\$29.2	\$27.8	+ 5%
Operating margin excluding special items	4.7%	4.5%	+ 20 bps
Diluted earnings per share	\$0.71	\$0.53	+ 34%
Diluted earnings per share excluding special items	\$0.74	\$0.60	+ 23%

- Gross margin and SG&A in-line with expectations
- Recorded \$1.2M restructuring charges (\$0.03 of diluted EPS) primarily related to the previously announced facility closure in Juarez, MX and transition of programs to Guadalajara, MX



BALANCE SHEET AND CASH FLOWS

	Q3F14	Comments
Return on invested capital	14.6%	Above WACC of 11% but remains below enduring goal of WACC + 500 bps (16%)
Share repurchases	\$7.7 million	Average price of \$41.52 per share
Cash cycle days	57 days	Better than expectations and 5 days favorable compared to Q214
Free cash flow	\$10.3 million	



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Diluted Earnings per share excluding restructuring	\$0.74 to \$0.80
Gross margin	9.3 to 9.6%
SG&A	\$29.5 to \$30.5 million
Operating margin	4.7 to 5.0%
Depreciation and amortization	\$12.9 million
Tax rate	7 to 9%
Cash cycle days	56 to 58 days
F14 estimated capital expenditures	\$75 million



A FEW NEAR-TERM FOCUS ITEMS

- Analysts and Investors should be mindful that our fiscal fourth quarter could be an episodically strong quarter; we will manage accordingly
- Flawlessly execute the program transitions from Juarez, MX to our new facility in Guadalajara, MX
- Carefully manage the growth momentum of our EMEA region to deliver operating performance improvements in fiscal 2015
- Aerospace & Defense Dedication Event at our new facility in Neenah, WI
- Complete our 2015 Annual Operating Plan and Strategy Deployment Initiatives



QUESTIONS

