

### Press Release

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# MAXIM INTEGRATED REPORTS RESULTS FOR THE FIRST QUARTER OF FISCAL 2015

Revenue: \$580 million

• Gross Margin: 58.4% GAAP (61.6% excluding special items)

• EPS: \$0.35 GAAP (\$0.38 excluding special items)

• Cash, cash equivalents, and short term investments: \$1.32 billion

Fiscal second quarter revenue outlook: \$540 million to \$580 million

SAN JOSE, CA - October 23, 2014 - Maxim Integrated Products, Inc. (NASDAQ:MXIM) reported net revenue of \$580 million for its first quarter of fiscal 2015 ended September 27, 2014, a 10% decrease from the \$642 million revenue recorded in the prior quarter, and a 1% decrease year over year.

Tunc Doluca, President and Chief Executive Officer, commented, "Our September quarter revenue performance was at the low end of our expectations, driven by weakness in smartphone revenue. This continued weakness was the catalyst for our decision to lower operating spending and reduce our manufacturing cost structure. These actions will enable us to improve Maxim's profitability and focus our investment in opportunities with higher returns." Mr. Doluca continued, "I am confident in our strategy in mixed-signal and analog integration, which is bearing fruit, as evidenced by the strong year-over-year revenue growth performance of every one of our segments outside of Consumer."

#### **Fiscal Year 2015 First Quarter Results**

Based on Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP), diluted earnings per share in the September quarter was \$0.35. The results were affected by special items which primarily consisted of \$24 million in pre-tax charges related to acquisitions, \$13 million in pre-tax charges related to impairment of long-lived assets and other items, and a \$22 million benefit for income taxes. GAAP earnings per share, excluding

special items was \$0.38. 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 first guarter of fiscal 2015, total cash, cash equivalents and short term investments was

\$1.32 billion, a decrease of \$53 million from the prior quarter. Notable items included:

• Cash flow from operations: \$117 million

Net capital expenditures: \$31 million

Dividends: \$80 million (\$0.28 per share)

Stock repurchases: \$63 million

**Business Outlook** 

The Company's 90-day backlog at the beginning of the second fiscal quarter of 2015 was \$379 million. Based

on the beginning backlog and expected turns, results for the December 2014 quarter are expected to be as

follows:

Revenue: \$540 million to \$580 million

Gross Margin: 55% to 59% GAAP (58% to 62% excluding special items)

EPS: \$0.19 to \$0.25 GAAP (\$0.26 to \$0.32 excluding special items)

Maxim Integrated's business outlook does not include the potential impact of any restructuring activity,

acquisitions, or other business combinations that may be completed during the quarter.

Dividend

A cash dividend of \$0.28 per share will be paid on December 4, 2014, to stockholders of record on November

20, 2014.

**Conference Call** 

Maxim Integrated has scheduled a conference call on October 23, 2014, at 2:00 p.m. Pacific Time to discuss

its financial results for the first quarter of fiscal 2015 and its business outlook. To listen via telephone, dial

(866) 804-3547 (toll free) or (703) 639-1328. This call will be webcast by Shareholder.com and can be

accessed at the Company's website at www.maximintegrated.com/company/investor.

A presentation summarizing financial information to be discussed on the conference call is posted at

www.maximintegrated.com/company/investor.

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#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

(Unaudited)

		T	hree Months Ended	
Net revenues Cost of goods sold Gross margin Operating expenses: Research and development Selling, general and administrative Intangible asset amortization Impairment of long-lived assets (1) Severance and restructuring expenses (2) Other operating expenses (income), net (3) Total operating expenses Operating income Interest and other income (expense), net (4) Income before provision for income taxes Provision (benefit) for income taxes (5,6) Net income  Earnings per share: Basic Diluted  Shares used in the calculation of earnings per share: Basic Diluted	Septem 20		June 28, 2014	September 28, 2013
		(in thou	sands, except per share da	nta)
Net revenues	\$	580,275 \$	642,467	\$ 585,241
Cost of goods sold		241,454	273,507	238,045
Gross margin		338,821	368,960	347,196
Operating expenses:				
Research and development		140,362	143,802	129,902
Selling, general and administrative		79,989	83,153	77,430
Intangible asset amortization		4,327	4,423	3,436
Impairment of long-lived assets (1)		10,226	6,447	_
Severance and restructuring expenses (2)		1,385	5,790	5,547
Other operating expenses (income), net (3)		1,574	8,795	2,272
Total operating expenses		237,863	252,410	218,587
Operating income		100,958	116,550	128,609
Interest and other income (expense), net (4)		(6,477)	(8,943)	(3,463)
Income before provision for income taxes		94,481	107,607	125,146
Provision (benefit) for income taxes (5,6)		(5,499)	22,814	22,026
Net income	\$	99,980 \$	84,793	\$ 103,120
Earnings per share:				
Basic	\$	0.35\$	0.30	\$ 0.36
Diluted	\$	0.35	0.29	\$ 0.36
Shares used in the calculation of earnings per share:				
<b>3</b> 1		284,086	283,431	284,654
Diluted		289,430	289,487	290,260
Dividends paid per share	\$	0.28 \$	0.26	\$ 0.26

## SCHEDULE OF SPECIAL EXPENSE ITEMS (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended							
	September 27, 2014		June 28, 2014		September 28, 2013			
	 	(in	thousands)					
Cost of goods sold:								
Intangible asset amortization	\$ 18,750	\$	18,750	\$	8,092			
Acquisition-related inventory write-up	 <u> </u>		371					
Total	\$ 18,750	\$	19,121	\$	8,092			
Operating expenses:								
Intangible asset amortization	\$ 4,327	\$	4,423	\$	3,436			
Impairment of long-lived assets (1)	10,226		6,447		_			
Severance and restructuring (2)	1,385		5,790		5,547			
Other operating expenses (income), net (3)	1,574		8,795		2,272			
Total	\$ 17,512	\$	25,455	\$	11,255			
Interest and other expense (income), net (4)	\$ _	\$	2,432	\$	_			
Total	\$ 	\$	2,432	\$				
Provision (benefit) for income taxes:								
Fixed assets tax basis adjustment (5)	\$ _	\$	(1,041)	\$				
Reversal of Tax Reserves (6)	(21,747)		_		_			
Total	\$ (21,747)	\$	(1,041)	\$				

- (1) Includes impairment charges relating to EDA software, wafer fab tools, land and buildings held-for-sale, and end of line manufacturing equipment.
- (2) Includes severance charges associated with the reorganization of various business units and manufacturing operations.
- (3) Other operating expenses (income), net are primarily for loss (gain) relating to sale of land and buildings, reserve for uncollectable note related to a divestiture, expected loss on rent expense, and contingent consideration adjustments related to certain acquisitions.
- (4) Includes impairment of investment in a privately-held company.
- (5) Includes one-time fixed asset tax basis adjustments relating to prior year depreciation expense.
- (6) Reversal of tax reserves related to the favorable settlement of a foreign tax issue.

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS									
(Unaudited)									
	September 27, 2014		June 28, 2014		September 28, 2013				
		(in thous		in thousands)					
ASSETS									
Current assets:	_		_		_				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	1,243,883	\$	1,322,472	\$	1,009,547			
Short-term investments		75,094	_	49,953		25,036			
Total cash, cash equivalents and short-term investments		1,318,977		1,372,425		1,034,583			
Accounts receivable, net		281,932		295,828		297,888			
Inventories		305,108		289,292		278,218			
Deferred tax assets		54,379		74,597		54,854			
Other current assets		67,383		54,560		116,225			
Total current assets		2,027,779		2,086,702		1,781,768			
Property, plant and equipment, net		1,303,861		1,331,519		1,374,544			
Intangible assets, net		337,917		360,994		145,618			
Goodwill		595,441		596,637		422,004			
Other assets		40,127		29,766		40,063			
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	4,305,125	\$	4,405,618	\$	3,763,997			
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY									
Current liabilities:		_							
Accounts payable	\$	96,347	\$	102,076	\$	101,060			
Income taxes payable		20,122		20,065		21,799			
Accrued salary and related expenses		126,624		186,732		124,954			
Accrued expenses		65,216		63,656		55,561			
Current portion of long-term debt		_		372		4,804			
Deferred income on shipments to distributors		26,821		25,734		27,179			
Total current liabilities		335,130		398,635		335,357			
Long-term debt		1,001,026		1,001,026		500,955			
Income taxes payable		350,396		362,802		294,728			
Deferred tax liabilities		145,597		159,879		205,221			
Other liabilities		61,572		53,365		29,300			
Total liabilities		1,893,721		1,975,707		1,365,561			
Stockholders' equity:									
Common stock and capital in excess of par value		284		285		283			
Additional paid-in capital		_		23,005		_			
Retained earnings		2,430,194		2,423,794		2,412,262			
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(19,074)		(17,173)		(14,109)			
Total stockholders' equity	_	2,411,404	_	2,429,911		2,398,436			
TOTAL LIABILITIES & STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$	4,305,125	\$	4,405,618	\$	3,763,997			
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#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (Unaudited) **Three Months Ended** September 28, 2013 September 27, June 28, 2014 2014 (in thousands) Cash flows from operating activities: Net income \$ 99,980 \$ 84,793 \$ 103,120 Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities: Stock-based compensation 22,420 21,786 18,740 Depreciation and amortization 63,693 64,391 51,133 25,529 Deferred taxes 6,207 (9,501)Loss (gain) from sale of property, plant and equipment 244 1,068 36 Tax benefit (shortfall) related to stock-based compensation 1,610 942 (3,488)Impairment of long-lived assets 10,226 6,447 Excess tax benefit from stock-based compensation (2,249)(4,897)(1,697)Impairment of investments in privately-held companies 6,537 Changes in assets and liabilities: Accounts receivable 8,300 (12,450)13,896 Inventories 1,226 (2,301)(15,650)Other current assets (24,974)26,579 (18,546)Accounts payable 4,455 5,203 (9,162)Income taxes payable (12,289)9,853 11,393 1,475 Deferred revenue on shipments to distributors 1,087 622 9,882 All other accrued liabilities (51,659)(67,035)Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities 116,997 234,084 95,894 Cash flows from investing activities: Purchase of property, plant and equipment (31,686)(23,654)(36,329)Proceeds from sales of property, plant and equipment 212 1,627 3,048 (49,953)Purchases of available-for-sale securities (25,142)(33,281)Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities (56,616)(71,980)Cash flows from financing activities: Excess tax benefit from stock-based compensation 2,249 4,897 1,697 Repayment of notes payable (437)(2,430)Issuance of debt 100 (8,038)(8,922)Net issuance of restricted stock units (6,966)9,704 26,232 Proceeds from stock options exercised 5,247 Repurchase of common stock (62,685)(40,744)(154,386)Issuance of ESPP shares under employee stock purchase program 23,713 (79,763) (73,744)Dividends paid (73,626)(138,970) (70,880) Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities (228,052)Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents (78,589)91,224 (165,439)Cash and cash equivalents: Beginning of period 1,322,472 1,231,248 1,174,986 1,009,547 End of period 1,243,883 1,322,472 \$ 1,318,977 \$ 1,372,425 \$ 1,034,583 Total cash, cash equivalents, and short-term investments

(Unaudited)	Three Months Ended							
		otember 27, 2014		June 28, 2014	September 28, 2013			
		(in thousands, except per share data)						
Reconciliation of GAAP gross profit to GAAP gross profit excluding special items:								
GAAP gross profit	\$	338,821	\$	368,960	\$	347,196		
GAAP gross profit %		58.4%		57.4%		59.3%		
Special items:								
Intangible asset amortization		18,750		18,750		8,092		
Acquisition-related inventory write-up		_		371		_		
Total special items		18,750		19,121		8,092		
GAAP gross profit excluding special items	\$	357,571	\$	388,081	\$	355,288		
GAAP gross profit % excluding special items		61.6%		60.4%		60.7%		
Reconciliation of GAAP operating expenses to GAAP operating expenses excluding special items:								
GAAP operating expenses	\$	237,863	\$	252,410	\$	218,587		
Special items:								
Intangible asset amortization		4,327		4,423		3,436		
Impairment of long-lived assets (1)		10,226		6,447		_		
Severance and restructuring (2)		1,385		5,790		5,547		
Other operating expenses (income), net (3)		1,574		8,795		2,272		
Total special items		17,512		25,455		11,255		
GAAP operating expenses excluding special items	\$	220,351	\$	226,955	\$	207,332		
Reconciliation of GAAP net income to GAAP net income excluding special items:								
GAAP net income	\$	99,980	\$	84,793	\$	103,120		
Special items:								
Intangible asset amortization		23,077		23,173		11,528		
Acquisition-related inventory write-up		23,011		371		11,520		
Impairment of long-lived assets (1)		10,226		6,447		_		
Severance and restructuring (2)		1,385		5,790		5,547		
Other operating expenses (income), net (3)		1,574		8,795		2,272		
Interest and other expense, net (4)				2,432		10.247		
Pre-tax total special items		36,262		47,008		19,347		
Tax effect of special items		(5,873)		(6,850)		(2,981)		
Fixed asset tax basis adjustment (5)		-		(1,041)		_		
Reversal of tax reserves (6)		(21,747)	_		_			
GAAP net income excluding special items	\$	108,622	\$	123,910	\$	119,486		
GAAP net income per share excluding special items:								
Basic	\$	0.38	\$	0.44	\$	0.42		
Diluted	\$	0.38	\$	0.43	\$	0.41		
Shares used in the calculation of earnings per share excluding special items:		204.006		202 421		201 (51		
Basic	_	284,086	_	283,431 289,487	_	284,654		
Diluted		/XU /L4H				7901 760		

<sup>(1)</sup> Includes impairment charges relating to EDA software, wafer fab tools, land and buildings held-for-sale, and end of line manufacturing equipment.

<sup>(2)</sup> Includes severance charges associated with the reorganization of various business units and manufacturing operations.

<sup>(3)</sup> Other operating expenses (income), net are primarily for loss (gain) relating to sale of land and buildings, reserve for uncollectable note related to a divestiture, expected loss on rent expense, and contingent consideration adjustments related to certain acquisitions.

<sup>(4)</sup> Includes impairment of investment in a privately-held company.

- (5) Includes one-time fixed asset tax basis adjustments relating to prior year depreciation expense.
- (6) Reversal of tax reserves related to the favorable settlement of a foreign tax issue.

#### **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; acquisition-related inventory write-up; impairment of long-lived assets; severance and restructuring; contingent consideration adjustments relating to certain acquisitions; expected loss on rent expense; reserve for uncollectible note related to a divestiture; loss (gain) relating to sale of land and buildings; impairment of investments in privately-held companies; tax provision impacts due to fixed asset tax basis adjustments; and reversal of tax reserves related to a favorable settlement of a foreign tax issue. 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 eyes 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 and acquisition-related inventory write-up. 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; acquisition-related inventory

write-up; impairment of long-lived assets; severance and restructuring; contingent consideration adjustments relating to certain acquisitions; expected loss on rent expense; reserve for uncollectible note related to a divestiture; loss (gain) relating to sale of land and buildings and impairment of investments in privately-held companies. 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 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; acquisition-related inventory write-up; impairment of long-lived assets; severance and restructuring; contingent consideration adjustments relating to certain acquisitions; expected loss on rent expense; reserve for uncollectible note related to a divestiture; loss (gain) relating to sale of land and buildings; impairment of investments in privately-held companies; tax provision impacts due to fixed asset tax basis adjustments; and reversal of tax reserves related to a favorable settlement of a foreign tax issue. 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 second quarter of fiscal 2015 ending in December 2014, which includes revenue, gross margin and earnings per share, as well as the Company's belief that, its decisions to lower operating spending and reduce its manufacturing cost structure, will enable it to improve Maxim's profitability and focus its investment in opportunities with higher returns. These statements involve risk and uncertainty. Actual results could differ materially from those forecasted based upon, among other things, general market and economic conditions and 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 28, 2014 (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**

Maxim is the leader in analog integration. From mobile to industrial solutions, we're making analog smaller, smarter, and more energy efficient. Learn more at www.maximintegrated.com.