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## **FORM 10-Q**

**Quarterly Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934** 

for the quarterly period ended June 29, 2013.

□ Transition Report pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the transition period from to

Commission File Number 001-32833

# **TransDigm Group Incorporated**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

41-2101738 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

1301 East 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 3000, Cleveland, Ohio

(Address of principal executive offices)

44114 (Zip Code)

(216) 706-2960

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report.)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. YES  $\boxtimes$  NO  $\square$ 

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate website, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). YES 🛛 NO 🗆

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, accelerated filer, non-accelerated filer, or smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

LARGE ACCELERATED FILER	$\boxtimes$	ACCELERATED FILER	
NON-ACCELERATED FILER		SMALLER REPORTING COMPANY	
Indicate by check mark whether the regis	strant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange A	.ct). YES 🗆 NO 🗵	

The number of shares outstanding of TransDigm Group Incorporated's common stock, par value \$.01 per share, was 52,540,422 as of July 27, 2013.

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#### TRANSDIGM GROUP INCORPORATED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (Amounts in thousands, except share amounts)

(Unaudited)

	June 29, 2013	September 30, 2012
ASSETS		
CURRENT ASSETS:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 269,172	\$ 440,524
Trade accounts receivable - Net	287,895	235,783
Inventories - Net	413,950	320,503
Deferred income taxes	26,849	29,134
Prepaid expenses and other	43,012	24,587
Total current assets	1,040,878	1,050,531
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT - Net	198,558	172,737
GOODWILL	3,334,598	3,035,502
TRADEMARKS AND TRADE NAMES	485,230	467,614
OTHER INTANGIBLE ASSETS - Net	697,204	655,996
DEBT ISSUE COSTS - Net	43,140	62,190
OTHER	13,052	15,047
TOTAL ASSETS	\$5,812,660	\$ 5,459,617
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
CURRENT LIABILITIES:		
Current portion of long-term debt	\$ 22,000	\$ 20,500
Accounts payable	75,729	74,178
Accrued liabilities	159,721	139,237
Total current liabilities	257.450	233 015

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LONG-TERM DEBT	4,317,000	3,598,625
DEFERRED INCOME TAXES	388,695	356,896
OTHER NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	47,789	51,347
Total liabilities	5,010,934	4,240,783

STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY:

	Common stock - \$.01 par value; authorized 224,400,000 shares; issued 53,022,577 and 52,157,225 at June 29, 2013 and		
	September 30, 2012, respectively	530	521
	Additional paid-in capital	657,870	553,223
	Retained earnings	172,636	689,229
	Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(13,222)	(8,051)
	Treasury stock, at cost; 505,400 shares at June 29, 2013 and September 30, 2012, respectively	(16,088)	(16,088)
	Total stockholders' equity	801,726	1,218,834
TO	TAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$5,812,660	\$ 5,459,617

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See notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

TRANSDIGM GROUP INCORPORATED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME FOR THE THIRTEEN AND THIRTY-NINE WEEK PERIODS ENDED JUNE 29, 2013 AND JUNE 30, 2012 (Amounts in thousands, except per share amounts) (Unaudited)

	Thirteen W	eek Periods Ended	Thirty-Nine We	Thirty-Nine Week Periods Ended		
	June 29, 2013	June 30, 2012	June 29, 2013	June 30, 2012		
NET SALES	\$ 488,63	5 \$ 461,660	\$ 1,384,663	\$ 1,237,602		
COST OF SALES	219,65	208,358	617,820	548,705		
GROSS PROFIT	268,98	5 253,302	766,843	688,897		
SELLING AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	82,77	3 56,097	193,397	147,421		
AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE ASSETS	9,48	9 11,341	29,764	33,119		
INCOME FROM OPERATIONS	176,72	4 185,864	543,682	508,357		
INTEREST EXPENSE - Net	62,465	55,393	189,439	156,754		
REFINANCING COSTS			30,281			
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES	114,25	5 130,471	323,962	351,603		
INCOME TAX PROVISION	37,60	40,025	105,200	114,500		
NET INCOME	\$ 76,65	5 \$ 90,446	\$ 218,762	\$ 237,103		
NET INCOME APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCK	\$ 38,67	9 \$ 90,446	\$ 142,656	\$ 233,804		
Net earnings per share - see Note 5:						
Basic and diluted	\$ 0.7	1 \$ 1.68	\$ 2.62	\$ 4.34		
Cash dividends paid per common share	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 12.85	\$ —		
Weighted-average shares outstanding:						
Basic and diluted	54,50	5 53,882	54,470	53,882		

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TRANSDIGM GROUP INCORPORATED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE THIRTEEN AND THIRTY-NINE WEEK PERIODS ENDED JUNE 29, 2013 AND JUNE 30, 2012 (Amounts in thousands) (Unaudited)

	Thirteen	Week Periods Ended	Thirty-Nine W	Thirty-Nine Week Periods Ended		
	June 29, 2013	June 29, June 30, 2013 2012		June 30, 2012		
Net income	\$ 76,65		<u>2013</u> \$ 218,762	\$ 237,103		
Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax:						
Foreign currency translation adjustments	1,43	35 (5,497)	) (5,509)	(6,194)		
Interest rate swap agreements, net of tax	88	32 (1,000)	552	(2,300)		
Other			(214)			
Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax	2,3	17 (6,497)	) (5,171)	(8,494)		
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME	\$ 78,92	72 \$ 83,949	\$ 213,591	\$ 228,609		

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#### TRANSDIGM GROUP INCORPORATED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY FOR THE THIRTY-NINE WEEK PERIOD ENDED JUNE 29, 2013 (Amounts in thousands, except share amounts)

(Unaudited)

	Common St	ack	Additional		Accumulated Other	Treasur	w Stock	
	Number of Shares	Par Value	Paid-In Capital	Retained Earnings	Comprehensive Loss		Value	Total
BALANCE, OCTOBER 1, 2012	52,157,225	\$521	\$553,223	\$ 689,229	\$ (8,051	) (505,400)	\$(16,088)	\$1,218,834
Dividends paid	_			(699,715)	_	_	_	(699,715)
Unvested dividend equivalent payments			_	(35,640)	_			(35,640)
Compensation expense recognized for employee stock options		_	45,980				_	45,980
Excess tax benefits related to share-based								
payment arrangements		—	43,785	_	_	_		43,785
Exercise of employee stock options	865,055	9	14,837	—	—			14,846
Common stock issued	297		45		_			45
Net income	_	_	_	218,762	_	_	_	218,762
Interest rate swaps, net of tax			—	—	552	! —		552
Foreign currency translation adjustments		_		—	(5,509	)) —		(5,509)
Other					(214	<u>)                                    </u>		(214)
BALANCE, JUNE 29, 2013	53,022,577	\$530	\$657,870	\$ 172,636	\$ (13,222	(505,400)	\$(16,088)	\$ 801,726

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### CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(Amounts in thousands) (Unaudited)

	<u>Thirty-Nine We</u> June 29,	<u>ek Periods Ended</u> June 30,
	2013	2012
OPERATING ACTIVITIES:	¢ 010 760	\$ 237,103
Net income	\$ 218,762	\$ 237,103
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:	19,939	17,387
Depreciation	,	33,259
Amortization of intangible assets Amortization of debt issue costs	29,896 8,857	9,143
Refinancing costs	30,281	9,145
Non-cash equity compensation	45,980	14,393
Excess tax benefits related to share-based payment arrangements	(43,785)	(40,531
Deferred income taxes		
	6,776	1,920
Changes in assets/liabilities, net of effects from acquisitions of businesses: Trade accounts receivable	(22,601)	(6,928
Inventories	(22,691)	(0,928) (3,698)
	(16,762) 31,436	36,635
Income taxes receivable/payable	1,861	2,914
Other assets		
Accounts payable Accrued and other liabilities	(8,647) (34,868)	(1,556
		(42,218
Net cash provided by operating activities	267,035	257,823
INVESTING ACTIVITIES:		
Capital expenditures	(23,633)	(16,209
Acquisition of businesses, net of cash acquired	(481,842)	(833,971)
Cash proceeds from sale of investment	10,500	
Cash proceeds from working capital settlement	134	
Net cash used in investing activities	(494,841)	(850,180
FINANCING ACTIVITIES:		
Excess tax benefits related to share-based payment arrangements	43,785	40,531
Proceeds from exercise of stock options	14,846	12,938
Dividends paid	(702,406)	(3,299)
Proceeds from 2013 credit facility - net	2,190,996	—
Repayment on 2013 credit facility	(11,000)	—
Proceeds from 2011 credit facility - net	147,360	484,316
Repayment on 2011 credit facility	(2,169,125)	(14,125
Proceeds from senior subordinated notes due 2020 - net	541,944	—
Treasury stock purchased	_	(846
Net cash provided by financing activities	56,400	519,515
EFFECT OF EXCHANGE RATE CHANGES ON CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	54	(623
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(171,352)	(73,465
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF PERIOD	440,524	376,183
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF PERIOD	\$ 269,172	\$ 302,718
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION:		
Cash paid during the period for interest	\$ 206,673	\$ 176,808
Cash paid during the period for income taxes	\$ 67,030	\$ 78,158

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#### TRANSDIGM GROUP INCORPORATED

#### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS THIRTY-NINE WEEK PERIODS ENDED JUNE 29, 2013 AND JUNE 30, 2012 (UNAUDITED)

#### 1. DESCRIPTION OF THE BUSINESS

**Description of the Business** – TransDigm Group Incorporated ("TD Group"), through its wholly-owned subsidiary, TransDigm Inc., is a leading global designer, producer and supplier of highly engineered aircraft components for use on nearly all commercial and military aircraft in service today. TransDigm Inc., along with TransDigm Inc.'s direct and indirect wholly-owned operating subsidiaries (collectively, with TD Group, the "Company" or "TransDigm"), offers a broad range of proprietary aerospace components. TD Group has no significant assets or operations other than its 100% ownership of TransDigm Inc. TD Group's common stock is listed on The New York Stock Exchange, or the NYSE, under the trading symbol "TDG."

Major product offerings, substantially all of which are ultimately provided to end-users in the aerospace industry, include mechanical/electro-mechanical actuators and controls, ignition systems and engine technology, specialized pumps and valves, power conditioning devices, specialized AC/DC electric motors and generators, NiCad batteries and chargers, engineered latching and locking devices, rods and locking devices, engineered connectors and elastomers, cockpit security components and systems, specialized cockpit displays, aircraft audio systems, specialized lavatory components, seatbelts and safety restraints, engineered interior surfaces and lighting and control technology.

*Separate Financial Statements* – Separate financial statements of TransDigm Inc. are not presented because TransDigm Inc.'s 7 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>% senior subordinated notes and 5 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>% senior subordinated notes are fully and unconditionally guaranteed on a senior subordinated basis by TD Group and all existing 100% owned domestic subsidiaries of TransDigm Inc. and because TD Group has no significant operations or assets separate from its investment in TransDigm Inc.

#### 2. UNAUDITED INTERIM FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The financial information included herein is unaudited; however, the information reflects all adjustments (consisting solely of normal recurring adjustments) that are, in the opinion of management, necessary for a fair presentation of the Company's financial position and results of operations and cash flows for the interim periods presented. These financial statements and notes should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and related notes for the year ended September 30, 2012 included in TD Group's Form 10-K dated November 16, 2012. As disclosed therein, the Company's annual consolidated financial statements were prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States ("GAAP"). The September 30, 2012 condensed consolidated balance sheet was derived from TD Group's audited financial statements. The results of operations for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 are not necessarily indicative of the results to be expected for the full year.

#### 3. ACQUISITIONS

*Whippany Actuation Systems, LLC* – On June 28, 2013, Whippany Actuation Systems, LLC, a newly formed, wholly owned subsidiary of TransDigm Inc., acquired assets from GE Aviation's Electromechanical Actuation Division ("Whippany Actuation") for approximately \$147.8 million in cash, subject to adjustments based on the level of working capital as of the closing date of the acquisition. Whippany Actuation manufactures proprietary, highly engineered aerospace electromechanical motion control subsystems for civil and military applications, with product offerings including control electronics, motors, high power mechanical transmissions and actuators. These products fit well with TransDigm's overall business direction. Whippany will be integrated into TransDigm's Power & Control segment. The Company expects that the approximately \$95 million of goodwill recognized for the acquisition will be deductible for tax purposes.

*Arkwin Industries, Inc.* – On June 5, 2013, TransDigm Inc. acquired all of the outstanding stock of Arkwin Industries, Inc. ("Arkwin"), for approximately \$285.8 million in cash, subject to adjustments based on the level of working capital as of the closing date of the acquisition. Arkwin manufactures proprietary, highly engineered aerospace hydraulic and fuel system components for commercial and military aircraft, helicopters and other specialty applications. These products fit well with TransDigm's overall business direction. Arkwin will be integrated into TransDigm's Power & Control segment. The Company expects that the approximately \$179 million of goodwill recognized for the acquisition will not be deductible for tax purposes.

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Aerosonic Corporation – On June 5, 2013, Buccaneer Acquisition Sub Inc., a subsidiary of TransDigm Inc., completed the tender offer of a majority of the outstanding stock of Aerosonic Corporation ("Aerosonic"). Buccaneer Acquisition Sub Inc. was subsequently merged into Aerosonic. The aggregate price paid in the tender offer and merger was approximately \$39.8 million in cash. Aerosonic designs and manufactures proprietary, highly engineered mechanical and digital altimeters, airspeed indicators, rate of climb indicators, microprocessor controlled air data test sets, angle of attack stall warning systems, integrated air data sensors and other aircraft sensors, monitoring systems and flight instrumentation for use on commercial and military aircraft. These products fit well with TransDigm's overall business direction. Aerosonic will be integrated into TransDigm's Airframe segment. The Company expects that the approximately \$19 million of goodwill recognized for the acquisition will not be deductible for tax purposes.

*Aero-Instruments Co., LLC* – On September 17, 2012, TransDigm Inc. acquired all of the outstanding equity interests in Aero-Instruments Co., LLC ("Aero-Instruments"), for approximately \$34.6 million in cash, which includes a purchase price adjustment of \$0.1 million received in the first quarter of fiscal 2013. Aero-Instruments designs and manufactures highly engineered air data sensors including pitot probes, pitot-static probes, static pressure ports, angle of attack, temperature sensors and flight test equipment for use primarily in the business jet and helicopter markets. These products fit well with TransDigm's overall business direction. Aero-Instruments will be integrated into TransDigm's Power & Control segment. The Company expects that the approximately \$22 million of goodwill recognized for the acquisition will be deductible for tax purposes.

*AmSafe Global Holdings, Inc.* – On February 15, 2012, TransDigm Inc. acquired all of the outstanding stock of AmSafe Global Holdings, Inc. ("AmSafe"), for approximately \$749.7 million in cash, which includes a purchase price adjustment of \$0.5 million paid in the third quarter of fiscal 2012. AmSafe is a leading supplier of innovative, highly engineered and proprietary safety and restraint equipment used primarily in the global aerospace industry. These products fit well with TransDigm's overall business direction. The majority of AmSafe product lines were integrated into TransDigm's Airframe segment, and the remaining product lines were integrated into the Non-aviation segment. The distribution business acquired as part of AmSafe was sold on August 16, 2012 for approximately \$17.8 million in cash, which includes a working capital adjustment of \$0.1 million received in the first quarter of fiscal 2013. The equity investment in C-Safe LLC acquired as part of AmSafe was sold in October 2012 for approximately \$16.4 million, which consisted of \$5.0 million in cash at closing and an \$11.4 million short-term note receivable, of which \$5.5 million was collected in the second quarter of fiscal 2013.

The total purchase price was allocated to the underlying assets acquired and liabilities assumed based upon management's estimated fair values at the date of acquisition. To the extent the purchase price exceeded the estimated fair value of the net identifiable tangible and intangible assets acquired, such excess was allocated to goodwill. The following table summarizes the purchase price allocation of the estimated fair values of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed at the transaction date (in thousands).

Assets acquired:	
Current assets, excluding cash acquired	\$122,694
Property, plant and equipment	20,787
Intangible assets	270,500
Goodwill	396,823
Other	15,614
Total assets acquired	\$826,418
Liabilities assumed:	
Current liabilities	\$ 24,979
Deferred income taxes - long term	48,626
Other noncurrent liabilities	3,082
Total liabilities assumed	\$ 76,687
Net assets acquired	\$749,731

The Company expects that of the \$397 million of goodwill recognized for the acquisition approximately \$77 million will be deductible for tax purposes.

*Harco Laboratories, Incorporated* – On December 9, 2011, TransDigm Inc. acquired all of the outstanding stock of Harco Laboratories, Incorporated ("Harco"), for approximately \$83.3 million in cash, which includes a purchase price adjustment of \$0.4 million paid in the second quarter of fiscal 2012. Harco designs and manufactures highly engineered thermocouples, sensors, engine cable assemblies and related products for commercial aircraft. These products fit well with TransDigm's overall business direction. Harco was integrated into TransDigm's Power & Control segment. The Company expects that the approximately \$56 million of goodwill recognized for the acquisition will not be deductible for tax purposes.



The Company accounted for the acquisitions using the acquisition method and included the results of operations of the acquisitions in its consolidated financial statements from the effective date of each acquisition. The Company is in the process of obtaining a third-party valuation of certain tangible and intangible assets of Whippany Actuation, Arkwin, Aerosonic and Aero-Instruments; therefore, the values attributed to those acquired assets in the consolidated financial statements are subject to adjustment. Pro forma net sales and results of operations for the acquisitions had they occurred at the beginning of the applicable thirteen and thirty-nine week periods ended June 29, 2013 or June 30, 2012, are not significant and, accordingly, are not provided.

The acquisitions strengthen and expand the Company's position to design, produce and supply highly-engineered proprietary aerospace components in niche markets with significant aftermarket content and provide opportunities to create value through the application of our three core value-driven operating strategies (obtaining profitable new business, improving our cost structure, and providing highly engineered value-added products to customers). The purchase price paid for each acquisition reflects the current earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) and cash flows, as well as, the future EBITDA and cash flows expected to be generated by the business, which are driven in most cases by the recurring aftermarket consumption over the life of a particular aircraft, estimated to be approximately 30 years.

#### . RECENT ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

In June 2011, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued authoritative accounting guidance included in Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") Topic 220, "*Comprehensive Income*." This guidance eliminates the option to report other comprehensive income and its components in the statement of changes in equity. Companies can elect to present items of net income and other comprehensive income in one continuous statement or in two separate, but consecutive, statements. The Company adopted the presentation guidance during the first quarter of fiscal 2013 and has elected to present two separate consecutive statements.

In September 2011, the FASB issued authoritative accounting guidance included in ASC Topic 350, "*Intangibles—Goodwill and Other*." This guidance amends the requirements for goodwill impairment testing. The Company has the option to first assess qualitative factors to determine whether the existence of events or circumstances leads to a determination that it is more likely than not that the fair value of a reporting unit is less than its carrying amount. If, after assessing the totality of events or circumstances, the Company determines it is more likely than not that the fair value of a reporting unit is greater than its carrying amount, then performing the two-step impairment test is unnecessary. This guidance is effective for the Company for its annual goodwill impairment testing for the year ending September 30, 2013. The Company does not expect this guidance to have a significant impact on the Company's consolidated results of operations, financial position or cash flows.

In July 2012, the FASB issued authoritative guidance included in ASC Topic 350, "*Intangibles—Goodwill and Other*." This guidance permits an entity to first assess qualitative factors to determine whether it is more likely than not that the fair value of an indefinite-lived intangible asset is impaired, as a basis for determining whether it is necessary to perform the quantitative impairment test described in FASB ASC Topic 350, "*Intangibles—Goodwill and Other*." This guidance is effective for the Company for its annual impairment testing for the year ending September 30, 2013. The Company does not expect this guidance to have a significant impact on the Company's consolidated results of operations, financial position or cash flows.

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#### 5. EARNINGS PER SHARE (TWO-CLASS METHOD)

The following table sets forth the computation of basic and diluted earnings per share (in thousands, except per share data):

	Thirteen Week Periods Ended		Thirty-Nine Wee	ek Periods Ended	
	June 29, 2013	June 30, 2012	June 29, 2013	June 30, 2012	
Numerator for earnings per share:					
Net income	\$ 76,655	\$ 90,446	\$ 218,762	\$ 237,103	
Less dividends on participating securities	(37,976)	—	(76,106)	(3,299)	
Net income applicable to common stock - basic and diluted	\$ 38,679	\$ 90,446	\$ 142,656	\$ 233,804	
Denominator for basic and diluted earnings per share under the two- class method:					
Weighted average common shares outstanding	52,439	51,116	52,147	50,815	
Vested options deemed participating securities	2,067	2,766	2,323	3,067	
Total shares for basic and diluted earnings per share	54,506	53,882	54,470	53,882	
Basic and diluted earnings per share	\$ 0.71	\$ 1.68	\$ 2.62	\$ 4.34	

#### 6. INVENTORIES

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost or market. Cost of inventories is determined by the average cost and the first-in, first-out (FIFO) methods for all locations except CEF Industries LLC, which determines the cost of inventories using the last-in, first-out (LIFO) method. Approximately 5% of the inventory was valued under the LIFO method at June 29, 2013.

Inventories consist of the following (in thousands):

	June 29, 2013	September 30, 2012
Raw materials and purchased component parts	\$ 265,631	\$ 203,809
Work-in-progress	130,329	102,645
Finished Goods	70,843	48,395
Total	466,803	354,849
Reserves for excess and obsolete inventory and LIFO	(52,853)	(34,346)
Inventories - net	\$ 413,950	\$ 320,503

#### 7. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

Intangible assets subject to amortization consist of the following (in thousands):

		June 29, 2013			September 30, 2012	
	Gross Carrying Amount	Accumulated Amortization	Net	Gross Carrying Amount	Accumulated Amortization	Net
Technology	\$790,318	\$ 131,646	\$658,672	\$723,231	\$ 105,995	\$617,236
Order backlog	6,783	3,452	3,331	5,910	3,965	1,945
Other	43,403	8,202	35,201	43,343	6,528	36,815
Total	\$840,504	\$ 143,300	\$697,204	\$772,484	\$ 116,488	\$655,996

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Intangible assets acquired during the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 were as follows (in thousands):

	Cost	Amortization Period
Intangible assets not subject to amortization:		
Goodwill	\$298,947	
Trademarks and trade names	23,850	
	322,797	
Intangible assets subject to amortization:		
Technology	69,950	20 years
Order backlog	3,600	1 year
	73,550	19.1 years
Total	\$396,347	

The aggregate amortization expense on identifiable intangible assets for the thirty-nine week periods ended June 29, 2013 and June 30, 2012 was approximately \$29.9 million and \$33.3 million, respectively. The estimated amortization expense is \$40.7 million for fiscal 2013, \$42.1 million for fiscal 2014 and \$39.7 million for each of the four succeeding years 2015 through 2018.

The following is a summary of changes in the carrying value of goodwill by segment from September 30, 2012 through June 29, 2013 (in thousands):

	Power & Control	Airframe	Non- aviation	Total
Balance, September 30, 2012	\$1,274,703	\$1,711,214	\$49,585	\$3,035,502
Goodwill acquired during the year	274,739	18,723	5,485	298,947
Other	7,404	(7,255)	—	149
Balance, June 29, 2013	\$1,556,846	\$1,722,682	\$55,070	\$3,334,598

#### 8. DEBT

The Company's long-term debt consists of the following (in thousands):

	June 29, 2013	September 30, 2012
Term loans	\$2,189,000	\$ 2,019,125
Senior Subordinated Notes due 2018	1,600,000	1,600,000
Senior Subordinated Notes due 2020	550,000	—
	4,339,000	3,619,125
Less current portion	22,000	20,500
Long-term debt	\$4,317,000	\$3,598,625

Amendment No. 2 to 2010 (Revolving) Credit Facility - In accordance with the terms of the credit agreement dated December 6, 2010, as amended by the Amendment No.1, dated as of March 25, 2012 (the "2010 Credit Facility"), TransDigm Inc. entered into Amendment No. 2 to the 2010 Credit Facility on October 9, 2012. Amendment No. 2 to the 2010 Credit Facility provided for a modification to the restricted payment covenant to permit a special dividend in an amount not to exceed \$850 million and a modification to the financial covenant ratios.

Amendment No. 2 to 2011 (Term Loan) Credit Facility - In accordance with the terms of the credit agreement, dated as of February 14, 2011, as amended by Amendment No. 1 and Incremental Term Loan Assumption Agreement, dated as of February 15, 2012 (the "2011 Credit Facility"), TransDigm Inc. entered into Amendment No. 2 and Incremental Term Loan Assumption Agreement to the 2011 Credit Facility (the "2012 Term Loan Credit Facility Amendment") on October 9, 2012. The 2012 Term Loan Credit Facility Amendment provides for an additional term loan facility in the aggregate principal amount of \$150 million. The additional term loan facility was fully drawn on October 15, 2012.

Amended and Restated Credit Facility - On February 28, 2013, TransDigm Inc. entered into an Amendment and Restatement Agreement (the "Amendment and Restatement Agreement") in which TransDigm amended and restated its 2010 Credit Facility and 2011 Credit Facility. The Amendment and Restatement Agreement provides for a \$2,200 million term loan facility (the "Term Loan Facility"), which was fully drawn on February 28, 2013, and a \$310 million revolving credit facility (the "Revolving Credit Facility" and together with the Term Loan Facility, the "2013 Credit Facility").



The proceeds of the Term Loan Facility were used to repay in full the outstanding term loans under the 2011 Credit Facility and the related transaction expenses associated therewith. The Term Loan Facility consists of two tranches of term loans—tranche B term loans and tranche C term loans, and the Revolving Credit Facility consists of two tranches—revolving A commitments and revolving B commitments. The tranche B term loans consist of \$500 million in the aggregate and the tranche C term loans consist of \$1,700 million in the aggregate. The tranche B term loans mature on February 14, 2017 and the tranche C term loans mature on February 28, 2020. The Term Loan Facility requires quarterly principal payments of \$5.5 million which began on March 28, 2013. The revolving A commitments consist of \$32 million in the aggregate and the revolving B commitments consist of \$278 million in the aggregate. The revolving A commitments mature on December 6, 2015 and the revolving B commitments mature on February 28, 2018. At June 29, 2013, the Company had \$7.6 million letters of credit outstanding and \$302.4 million of borrowings available under the 2013 Credit Facility.

Under the terms of the 2013 Credit Facility, TransDigm is entitled on one or more occasions, subject to the satisfaction of certain conditions, to request additional commitments under the Revolving Credit Facility or additional term loans in the aggregate principal amount of up to \$500 million to the extent that existing or new lenders agree to provide such additional term loans. In addition, TransDigm is entitled to convert, subject to certain conditions, the revolving A commitments to revolving B commitments.

All of the indebtedness outstanding under the 2013 Credit Facility is guaranteed by TD Group and all of TransDigm's current and future domestic restricted subsidiaries (other than immaterial subsidiaries). In addition, the obligations of TransDigm and the guarantors under the 2013 Credit Facility are secured ratably in accordance with each lender's respective revolving and term loan commitments by a first priority security interest in substantially all of the existing and future property and assets, including inventory, equipment, general intangibles, intellectual property, investment property and other personal property (but excluding leasehold interests and certain other assets) of TransDigm and its existing and future domestic restricted subsidiaries (other than immaterial subsidiaries), and a first priority pledge of the capital stock of TransDigm and its subsidiaries (other than foreign subsidiaries and certain domestic subsidiaries, of which 65% of the voting capital stock is pledged).

The interest rates per annum applicable to the loans under the 2013 Credit Facility will be, at TransDigm's option, equal to either an alternate base rate or an adjusted LIBO rate for one, two, three or six-month (or to the extent agreed to by each relevant lender, nine or twelve-month) interest periods chosen by TransDigm, in each case plus an applicable margin percentage. The adjusted LIBO rate is subject to a floor of .75%. At June 29, 2013 the applicable interest rate was 3.50% on the tranche B term loan and 3.75% on the tranche C term loan.

The Term Loan Facility requires mandatory prepayments of principal based on certain percentages of Excess Cash Flow (as defined in the 2013 Credit Facility), commencing 90 days after the end of each fiscal year, commencing with the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014, subject to certain exceptions. In addition, subject to certain exceptions (including, with respect to asset sales, the reinvestment in productive assets), TransDigm will be required to prepay the loans outstanding under the term loan facility at 100% of the principal amount thereof, plus accrued and unpaid interest, with the net cash proceeds of certain asset sales and issuance or incurrence of certain indebtedness. In addition, if, prior to February 28, 2014, the principal amount of the term loans are (i) prepaid substantially concurrently with the incurrence by TD Group, TransDigm or any its subsidiaries of new bank loans that have an effective yield lower than the yield in effect on the term loans so prepaid or (ii) received by a lender due to a mandatory assignment following the failure of such lender to consent to an amendment of the 2013 Credit Facility that has the effect of reducing the effective interest rate with respect to the term loans, such prepayment or receipt shall be accompanied by a premium of 1.0%.

The 2013 Credit Facility contains certain covenants that limit the ability of TD Group, TransDigm and TransDigm's restricted subsidiaries to, among other things: (i) incur or guarantee additional indebtedness or issue preferred stock; (ii) pay distributions on, redeem or repurchase capital stock or redeem or repurchase subordinated debt; (iii) make investments; (iv) sell assets; (v) enter into agreements that restrict distributions or other payments from restricted subsidiaries to TransDigm; (vi) incur or suffer to exist liens securing indebtedness; (vii) consolidate, merge or transfer all or substantially all of their assets; and (viii) engage in transactions with affiliates.

The Company recorded refinancing costs of \$30.3 million during the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 representing debt issue costs expensed in conjunction with the refinancing of our 2010 Credit Facility and 2011 Credit Facility.

**Issuance of Senior Subordinated Notes** - On October 15, 2012 TransDigm Inc. issued \$550 million in aggregate principal amount of its 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>% Senior Subordinated Notes due 2020 (the "2020 Notes") at an issue price of 100% of the principal amount. The 2020 Notes bear interest at the rate of 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>% per annum, which accrues from October 15, 2012 and is payable semiannually in arrears on April 15 and October 15 of each year, which began on April 15, 2013. The 2020 Notes mature on October 15, 2020, unless earlier redeemed or repurchased, and are subject to the terms and conditions as defined in the indenture governing the 2020 notes.

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The 2020 Notes are subordinated to all of TransDigm's existing and future senior debt, rank equally with all of its existing and future senior subordinated debt and rank senior to all of its future debt that is expressly subordinated to the 2020 Notes. The 2020 Notes are guaranteed on a senior subordinated unsecured basis by TD Group and its wholly-owned domestic subsidiaries named in the indenture. The guarantees of the 2020 Notes are subordinated to all of the guarantors' existing and future senior debt, rank equally with all of their existing and future senior subordinated debt and rank senior to all of their future debt that is expressly subordinated to the 2020 Notes. The 2020 Notes are structurally subordinated to all of the liabilities of TD Group's non-guarantor subsidiaries.

*Special Cash Dividend* - On October 15, 2012 the Company's board of directors authorized and declared a special cash dividend of \$12.85 on each outstanding share of common stock and cash dividend equivalent payments under its stock option plans. The special cash dividend amounting to approximately \$664.3 million was paid in November 2012 and dividend equivalent payments amounting to approximately \$35.4 million were paid in November and December 2012.

During July 2013 the Company made \$38.0 million of dividend equivalent payments related to the October 2009 special cash dividend payment of \$7.65 per share and the October 2012 special cash dividend payment of \$12.85 per share for unvested options granted prior to October 1, 2011 that become fully vested under the market sweep provisions thereof.

#### 9. INCOME TAXES

At the end of each reporting period, TD Group makes an estimate of its annual effective income tax rate. The estimate used in the year-to-date period may change in subsequent periods. During the thirteen week periods ended June 29, 2013 and June 30, 2012, the effective income tax rate was 32.9% and 30.7%, respectively. The lower effective tax rate for the thirteen week period ended June 30, 2012 was primarily due to discrete items related to IRS settlements and adjustments resulting from the filing of the previous year's federal tax return. During the thirty-nine week periods ended June 30, 2012, the effective income tax rate was 32.5% and 32.6%, respectively. The Company's effective tax rate for these periods was less than the Federal statutory tax rate due primarily to the domestic manufacturing deduction.

The Company and its subsidiaries file income tax returns in the U.S. federal jurisdiction, various state and local jurisdictions as well as foreign jurisdictions located in Belgium, China, France, Malaysia, Mexico, Singapore, Sri Lanka and the United Kingdom. The Company is no longer subject to U.S. federal examinations for years before fiscal 2011. AmSafe is subject to U.S. federal examinations for the 2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011 years. In addition, the Company is subject to state income tax examinations for fiscal years 2009 and later.

At June 29, 2013 and September 30, 2012, TD Group had \$7.1 million and \$6.9 million in unrecognized tax benefits, the recognition of which would have an effect of approximately \$6.5 million and \$6.3 million on the effective tax rate at June 29, 2013 and September 30, 2012, respectively. The Company does not believe that the tax positions that comprise the unrecognized tax benefit amount will change significantly over the next 12 months. The Company recognizes accrued interest and penalties related to unrecognized tax benefits in income tax expense.

#### 10. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

The following tables present our assets and liabilities that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis and are categorized using the fair value hierarchy. The fair value hierarchy has three levels based on the reliability of the inputs used to determine fair value. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities. Level 2 inputs are quoted prices for similar assets and liabilities in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in markets that are not active, and inputs (other than quoted prices) that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly. Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability. A financial asset or liability's classification within the hierarchy is determined based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

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The following summarizes the carrying amounts and fair values of financial instruments (in thousands):

		June 2	9, 2013	September 30, 2012		
	Level	Carrying Amount	Fair Value	Carrying Amount	Fair Value	
Assets:						
Cash and cash equivalents	1	\$ 269,172	\$ 269,172	\$ 440,524	\$ 440,524	
Liabilities:						
Interest rate swap agreements <sup>(1)</sup>	2	7,700	7,700	9,800	9,800	
Long-term debt:						
Term loans	2	2,189,000	2,162,000	2,019,125	2,037,000	
7 3/4% Senior Subordinated Notes due 2018	1	1,600,000	1,680,000	1,600,000	1,696,000	
5 1/2% Senior Subordinated Notes due 2020	1	550,000	512,000			

(1) Included in Accrued liabilities on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet.

Interest rate swaps were measured at fair value using quoted market prices for the swap interest rate indexes over the term of the swap discounted to present value versus the fixed rate of the contract. The estimated fair value of the Company's term loans was based on information provided by the agent under the Company's senior secured credit facility. The estimated fair values of the Company's  $7^{3}/_{4}\%$  Senior Subordinated Notes due 2018 and  $5^{1}/_{2}\%$  Senior Subordinated Notes due 2020 were based upon quoted market prices.

#### 11. DERIVATIVES AND HEDGING ACTIVITIES

The Company is exposed to, among other things, the impact of changes in interest rates in the normal course of business. The Company's risk management program is designed to manage the exposure and volatility arising from these risks, and utilizes derivative financial instruments to offset a portion of these risks. The Company uses derivative financial instruments only to the extent necessary to hedge identified business risks and does not enter into such transactions for trading purposes. The Company generally does not require collateral or other security with counterparties to these financial instruments and is therefore subject to credit risk in the event of nonperformance; however, the Company monitors credit risk and currently does not anticipate nonperformance by other parties.

At June 29, 2013, three forward-starting interest rate swap agreements were in place to swap variable rates on the 2013 Credit Facility for a fixed rate based on an aggregate notional amount of \$353 million. These interest rate swap agreements converted the variable interest rate on the aggregate notional amount of the 2013 Credit Facility to a fixed rate of 5.17% (2.17% plus the 3% margin percentage) through June 30, 2015.

Interest rate swap agreements are used to manage interest rate risk associated with floating-rate borrowings under our 2013 Credit Facility. The interest rate swap agreements utilized by the Company effectively modify the Company's exposure to interest rate risk by converting a portion of the Company's floating-rate debt to a fixed rate basis through the expiration date of the interest rate swap agreements, thereby reducing the impact of interest rate changes on future interest expense. These agreements involve the receipt of floating rate amounts in exchange for fixed rate interest payments over the term of the agreements without an exchange of the underlying principal amount. Prior to February 28, 2013, these derivative instruments qualified as effective cash flow hedges under GAAP. For these cash flow hedges, the effective portion of the gain or loss from the financial instruments was initially reported as a component of accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) in stockholders' equity and subsequently reclassified into earnings in the same line as the hedged item in the same period or periods during which the hedged item affected earnings.

In conjunction with the refinancing of the 2011 Credit Facility, the Company no longer designated the interest rate swap agreements as cash flow hedges for accounting purposes. Accordingly, amounts previously recorded as a component of accumulated other comprehensive loss in stockholder's equity will be amortized into earnings over the remaining period of the swap agreements. The net after-tax loss included in accumulated other comprehensive loss to be reclassified into interest expense over the remaining term of the swap agreement was \$5.6 million at June 29, 2013.

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#### 12. STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION

In connection with the \$12.85 special cash dividend paid in November 2012, in order to take into account the earlier return of capital, the TD Group compensation committee adjusted the market-based vesting features in outstanding options pursuant to the authority granted to the committee under the TD Group stock incentive plan. Under this "market sweep" provision, unvested options granted prior to October 1, 2011 would accelerate and become fully vested if the closing price of the Company's common stock exceeded \$147.15 per share (previously \$160 per share) on any 60 trading days during any consecutive 12-month period commencing March 1, 2013 and unvested options granted in fiscal 2012 would accelerate and become fully vested if the closing price of the Company's common stock exceeded \$157.15 per share (previously \$170 per share) on any 60 trading days during any consecutive 12-month period commencing two years from the date of grant. Options granted in fiscal 2013 do not contain such accelerated vesting provision.

During June 2013, a total of 2,409,420 unvested options granted prior to October 1, 2011 with a weighted-average exercise price per option of \$58.35 became fully vested under the market sweep provision. Due to the accelerated vesting, the Company recorded additional stock compensation expense of \$24.5 million representing costs that would have been recognized over the remaining requisite service period of the award. In conjunction with the accelerated vesting under the market sweep provision, in July 2013 the Company made \$38.0 million of dividend equivalent payments related to the October 2009 special cash dividend payment of \$7.65 per share and the October 2012 special cash dividend payment of \$12.85 per share for unvested options granted prior to October 1, 2011 that became fully vested.

#### 13. SEGMENT INFORMATION

During TransDigm's third quarter ended June 29, 2013, the Company changed its internal management structure and its reporting structure of financial information used to assess performance and allocate resources. The Company's businesses are organized and managed in three reporting segments: Power & Control, Airframe and Non-aviation.

The Power & Control segment includes operations that primarily develop, produce and market systems and components that predominately provide power to or control power of the aircraft utilizing electronic, fluid, power and mechanical motion control technologies. Primary customers of this segment are engine and power system and subsystem suppliers, airlines, third party maintenance suppliers, military buying agencies and repair depots. Products are sold in the original equipment and aftermarket market channels.

The Airframe segment includes operations that primarily develop, produce and market systems and components that are used in non-power airframe applications utilizing airframe and cabin structure technologies. Primary customers of this segment are airframe manufacturers and cabin system suppliers and sub system suppliers, airlines, third party maintenance suppliers, military buying agencies and repair depots. Products are sold in the original equipment and aftermarket market channels.

The Non-aviation segment includes operations that primarily develop, produce and market products for non-aviation markets. Primary customers of this segment are off road vehicle suppliers and sub system suppliers, child restraint system suppliers, satellite and space system suppliers and fueling system components primarily for the mining industry.

The primary measurements used by management to review and assess the operating performance of each segment are segment net sales, segment EBITDA As Defined and related margin percentage of segment net sales. The Company defines EBITDA As Defined as earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization plus certain non-operating items including refinancing costs, acquisition-related costs, transaction-related costs and non-cash compensation charges incurred in connection with the Company's stock option plans. Acquisition-related costs represent accounting adjustments to inventory associated with acquisitions of businesses and product lines that were charged to cost of sales when the inventory was sold; costs incurred to integrate acquired businesses and product lines into the Company's operations, facility relocation costs and other acquisition-related costs; transaction related costs; transaction related costs comprising deal fees; legal, financial and tax diligence expenses and valuation costs that are required to be expensed as incurred and other acquisition accounting adjustments.

EBITDA As Defined is not a measurement of financial performance under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP"). Although we use EBITDA As Defined to assess the performance of our business and for various other purposes, the use of this non-GAAP financial measure as an analytical tool has limitations, and you should not consider it in isolation, or as a substitute for analysis of our results of operations as reported in accordance with GAAP.

The Company's segments are reported on the same basis used internally for evaluating performance and for allocating resources. The accounting policies for each segment are the same as those described in the summary of significant accounting policies in the Company's consolidated financial statements. Intersegment sales and transfers are recorded at values based on market prices, which creates intercompany profit on intersegment sales or transfers that is eliminated in consolidation. Intersegment sales were insignificant for the periods presented below.

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The following table presents net sales by reportable segment (in thousands):

	Thirteen Week	Periods Ended	Thirty-Nine Wee	k Periods Ended
	June 29, 2013			June 30, 2012
Net sales to external customers				
Power & Control	\$ 218,024	\$ 207,020	\$ 615,898	\$ 574,691
Airframe	244,095	230,156	695,325	611,183
Non-aviation	26,517	24,484	73,440	51,728
	\$ 488,636	\$ 461,660	\$ 1,384,663	\$ 1,237,602

The following table reconciles EBITDA As Defined by segment to consolidated income from continuing operations before income taxes (in thousands):

	Thirteen Week	Periods Ended	Thirty-Nine Wee	k Periods Ended
	June 29, 2013	June 30, 2012	June 29, 2013	June 30, 2012
EBITDA As Defined				
Power & Control	\$ 115,410	\$ 113,161	\$ 327,725	\$ 305,696
Airframe	116,230	105,638	325,671	292,279
Non-aviation	6,308	5,767	16,504	16,091
Total segment EBITDA As Defined	237,948	224,566	669,900	614,066
Unallocated corporate expenses	6,063	7,885	17,847	20,129
Total Company EBITDA As Defined	231,885	216,681	652,053	593,937
Depreciation and amortization	16,062	17,616	49,835	50,645
Interest expense - net	62,469	55,393	189,439	156,754
Acquisition-related costs	7,381	7,343	12,556	20,542
Stock option expense	31,718	5,858	45,980	14,393
Refinancing costs			30,281	
Income from continuing operations before income taxes	\$ 114,255	\$ 130,471	\$ 323,962	\$ 351,603

The following table presents total assets by segment (in thousands):

	June 29, 2013	September 30, 2012
Total assets		
Power & Control	\$2,366,529	\$ 1,896,300
Airframe	2,960,152	2,932,229
Non-aviation	129,670	118,520
Corporate	356,309	512,568
	\$5,812,660	\$ 5,459,617

The Company's sales principally originate from the United States, and the Company's long-lived assets are principally located in the United States.

#### 14. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Amendment No. 1 to Amended and Restated Credit Agreement - On July 1, 2013, TransDigm Inc. entered into Amendment No. 1 (the "Amendment") to the 2013 Credit Facility. The Amendment permits, among other things, a special dividend of up to \$1.9 billion to the holders of TD Group's common stock, par value \$.01 per share, the issuance of the 2021 Notes (as defined below), certain changes to certain negative covenants under the 2013 Credit Facility, a modification to the financial covenant contained in the Revolving Credit Facility established pursuant to the 2013 Credit Facility and a modification to the incremental term loan facility established pursuant to the 2013 Credit Facility by excluding the Incremental Term Facility (as defined below) from the calculation of the availability thereunder.

*Incremental Term Loan Assumption Agreement* - On July 1, 2013, in accordance with the terms of the 2013 Credit Facility, TransDigm Inc. entered into an Incremental Term Loan Assumption Agreement (the "Term Loan Assumption Agreement"). The Term Loan Assumption Agreement provides for incremental term loans in the form of additional Tranche C Term Loans in the aggregate principal amount of \$900 million (the "Incremental Term Facility"). The Incremental Term Facility was fully drawn on July 1, 2013. The terms and conditions that apply to the Incremental Term Facility are substantially the same as the terms and conditions that apply to the existing tranche C term loans under the 2013 Credit Facility.

*Issuance of Senior Subordinated Notes* - On July 1, 2013, TransDigm issued \$500 million in aggregate principal amount of its 7 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>% Senior Subordinated Notes due 2021 (the "2021 Notes") at an issue price of 100% of the principal amount. The 2021 Notes bear interest at the rate of 7 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>% per annum, which accrues from July 1, 2013 and is payable semiannually in arrears on January 15 and July 15 of each year, commencing on January 15, 2014. The 2021 Notes mature on July 15, 2021, unless earlier redeemed or repurchased, and are subject to the terms and conditions as defined in the indenture governing the 2021 Notes.

The 2021 Notes are subordinated to all of TransDigm's existing and future senior debt, rank equally with all of its existing and future senior subordinated debt and rank senior to all of its future debt that is expressly subordinated to the 2021 Notes. The 2021 Notes are guaranteed on a senior subordinated unsecured basis by TD Group and its wholly-owned domestic subsidiaries named in the Indenture. The guarantees of the 2021 Notes are subordinated to all of the guarantors' existing and future senior debt, rank equally with all of their existing and future senior subordinated debt and rank senior to all of their future debt that is expressly subordinated to the 2021 Notes. The 2021 Notes are structurally subordinated to all of the liabilities of TD Group's non-guarantor subsidiaries.

*Special Cash Dividend* - On July 3, 2013 the Company's board of directors authorized and declared a special cash dividend of \$22.00 on each outstanding share of common stock and cash dividend equivalent payments under certain of its stock option plans. The special cash dividend amounting to approximately \$1,155.8 million in the aggregate and dividend equivalent payments amounting to approximately \$95.1 million in the aggregate were paid on or about July 25, 2013.

#### 15. SUPPLEMENTAL GUARANTOR INFORMATION

TransDigm's 7  $\frac{3}{4}\%$  Senior Subordinated Notes due 2018 and 5  $\frac{1}{2}\%$  Senior Subordinated Notes due 2020 are jointly and severally guaranteed, on a senior subordinated basis, by TD Group and TransDigm Inc.'s 100% owned Domestic Restricted Subsidiaries, as defined in the indentures. The following supplemental condensed consolidating financial information presents, in separate columns, the balance sheets of the Company as of June 29, 2013 and September 30, 2012 and its statements of income and cash flows for the thirty-nine week periods ended June 29, 2013 and June 30, 2012 for (i) TransDigm Group on a parent only basis with its investment in subsidiaries recorded under the equity method, (ii) TransDigm Inc. including its directly owned operations and non-operating entities, (iii) the Subsidiary Guarantors on a combined basis, (iv) Non-Guarantor Subsidiaries and (v) the Company on a consolidated basis.

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#### TRANSDIGM GROUP INCORPORATED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING BALANCE SHEET AS OF JUNE 29, 2013

	TransDigm Group	TransDigm Inc.	Subsidiary Guarantors	Non- Guarantor Subsidiaries	Eliminations	Total Consolidated
ASSETS						
CURRENT ASSETS:						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 5,605	\$ 236,765	\$ 10,296	\$ 16,506	\$ —	\$ 269,172
Trade accounts receivable - Net		17,693	252,030	19,427	(1,255)	287,895
Inventories - Net	—	27,269	360,555	26,949	(823)	413,950
Deferred income taxes		23,255	3,594			26,849
Prepaid expenses and other		26,600	12,260	4,152		43,012
Total current assets	5,605	331,582	638,735	67,034	(2,078)	1,040,878
INVESTMENT IN SUBSIDIARIES AND INTERCOMPANY						
BALANCES	796,121	5,234,312	2,369,106	71,767	(8,471,306)	
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT - Net	—	15,510	169,346	13,702	—	198,558
GOODWILL	—	90,502	3,163,930	80,166	_	3,334,598
TRADEMARKS AND TRADE NAMES	—	19,377	435,155	30,698	—	485,230
OTHER INTANGIBLE ASSETS - Net	—	7,675	658,247	31,282	—	697,204
DEBT ISSUE COSTS - Net	—	43,140				43,140
OTHER		2,593	9,920	535	4	13,052
TOTAL ASSETS	\$801,726	\$5,744,691	\$7,444,439	\$ 295,184	\$(8,473,380)	\$5,812,660
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY						
CURRENT LIABILITIES:						
Current portion of long-term debt	\$ —	\$ 22,000	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 22,000
Accounts payable	—	9,454	57,970	9,559	(1,254)	75,729
Accrued liabilities	—	72,554	78,564	8,603	—	159,721
Total current liabilities		104,008	136,534	18,162	(1,254)	257,450
LONG-TERM DEBT		4,317,000				4,317,000
DEFERRED INCOME TAXES		388,764	(69)		—	388,695
OTHER NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	—	20,795	25,730	1,264		47,789
Total liabilities		4,830,567	162,195	19,426	(1,254)	5,010,934
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	801,726	914,124	7,282,244	275,758	(8,472,126)	801,726
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$801,726	\$5,744,691	\$7,444,439	\$ 295,184	\$(8,473,380)	\$5,812,660

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#### TRANSDIGM GROUP INCORPORATED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING BALANCE SHEET AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2012

	TransDigm Group	TransDigm Inc.	Subsidiary Guarantors	Non- Guarantor Subsidiaries	Eliminations	Total Consolidated
ASSETS						
CURRENT ASSETS:						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 20,100		\$ 4,494	\$ 9,039	\$ —	\$ 440,524
Trade accounts receivable - Net	—	12,261	207,537	17,486	(1,501)	235,783
Inventories - Net	—	23,410	272,180	25,397	(484)	320,503
Deferred income taxes	—	29,134	—	—	—	29,134
Prepaid expenses and other		9,585	12,626	2,376		24,587
Total current assets	20,100	481,281	496,837	54,298	(1,985)	1,050,531
INVESTMENT IN SUBSIDIARIES AND INTERCOMPANY						
BALANCES	1,198,734	4,720,602	2,055,938	43,745	(8,019,019)	
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT - Net		15,685	144,177	12,875		172,737
GOODWILL		85,680	2,872,483	77,339		3,035,502
TRADEMARKS AND TRADE NAMES	—	19,377	416,490	31,747	—	467,614
OTHER INTANGIBLE ASSETS - Net	—	8,151	614,225	33,620		655,996
DEBT ISSUE COSTS - Net	—	62,190	—	—	—	62,190
OTHER		2,750	(27,249)	39,546		15,047
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,218,834	\$5,395,716	\$6,572,901	\$ 293,170	\$(8,021,004)	\$5,459,617
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY						
CURRENT LIABILITIES:						
Current portion of long-term debt	\$ —	\$ 20,500	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 20,500
Accounts payable		10,068	54,054	11,553	(1,497)	74,178
Accrued liabilities		68,808	64,250	6,179	_	139,237
Total current liabilities		99,376	118,304	17,732	(1,497)	233,915
LONG-TERM DEBT	_	3,598,625	_	_		3,598,625
DEFERRED INCOME TAXES	_	356,896	_	_	_	356,896
OTHER NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		24,083	26,480	784		51,347
Total liabilities		4,078,980	144,784	18,516	(1,497)	4,240,783
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	1,218,834	1,316,736	6,428,117	274,654	(8,019,507)	1,218,834
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$1,218,834	\$5,395,716	\$6,572,901	\$ 293,170	\$(8,021,004)	\$5,459,617

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#### TRANSDIGM GROUP INCORPORATED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF INCOME FOR THE THIRTY-NINE WEEK PERIOD ENDED JUNE 29, 2013 (Amounts in thousands)

	TransDigm Group	TransDigm Inc.	Subsidiary Guarantors	Non- Guarantor <u>Subsidiaries</u>	Eliminations	Total Consolidated
NET SALES	\$ —	\$ 82,303	\$1,221,613	\$ 85,700	\$ (4,953)	\$1,384,663
COST OF SALES		50,405	512,993	58,917	(4,495)	617,820
GROSS PROFIT		31,898	708,620	26,783	(458)	766,843
SELLING AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	—	73,645	106,581	13,171	—	193,397
AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE ASSETS		468	27,986	1,310		29,764
INCOME (LOSS) FROM OPERATIONS	_	(42,215)	574,053	12,302	(458)	543,682
INTEREST EXPENSE - Net		186,542	1,988	909		189,439
REFINANCING COSTS		30,281				30,281
EQUITY IN INCOME OF SUBSIDIARIES	(218,762)	(372,374)	<u> </u>		591,136	
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES	218,762	113,336	572,065	11,393	(591,594)	323,962
INCOME TAX PROVISION (BENEFIT)		(105,426)	205,974	4,652		105,200
NET INCOME	\$ 218,762	\$ 218,762	\$ 366,091	\$ 6,741	\$(591,594)	\$ 218,762

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#### TRANSDIGM GROUP INCORPORATED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF INCOME FOR THE THIRTY-NINE WEEK PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 2012 (Amounts in thousands)

	TransDigm Group	TransDigm Inc.	Subsidiary Guarantors	Non- Guarantor Subsidiaries	Eliminations	Total Consolidated
NET SALES	\$ —	\$ 77,073	\$1,100,839	\$ 70,229	\$ (10,539)	\$1,237,602
COST OF SALES		45,161	455,134	58,450	(10,040)	548,705
GROSS PROFIT	—	31,912	645,705	11,779	(499)	688,897
SELLING AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES		44,946	92,170	10,305	—	147,421
AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE ASSETS		468	31,412	1,239		33,119
INCOME (LOSS) FROM OPERATIONS	_	(13,502)	522,123	235	(499)	508,357
INTEREST EXPENSE - Net	—	154,107	1,483	1,164	—	156,754
EQUITY IN INCOME OF SUBSIDIARIES	(237,103)	(341,170)			578,273	
INCOME (LOSS) BEFORE INCOME TAXES	237,103	173,561	520,640	(929)	(578,772)	351,603
INCOME TAX PROVISION (BENEFIT)		(63,542)	178,098	(56)		114,500
NET INCOME (LOSS)	\$ 237,103	\$ 237,103	\$ 342,542	\$ (873)	\$(578,772)	\$ 237,103

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#### TRANSDIGM GROUP INCORPORATED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE THIRTY-NINE WEEK PERIOD ENDED JUNE 29, 2013 (Amounts in thousands)

	TransDigm Group	TransDigm Inc.	Subsidiary Guarantors	Non- Guarantor Subsidiaries	Eliminations	Total Consolidated
NET CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN)						
OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$ —	\$ (114,719)	\$ 371,939	\$ 4,437	\$ 5,378	\$ 267,035
INVESTING ACTIVITIES:						
Capital expenditures		(1,520)	(20,304)	(1,809)		(23,633)
Acquisition of business, net of cash acquired		(481,842)	—	—		(481,842)
Cash proceeds from sale of investment	—	10,500		—	—	10,500
Cash proceeds from working capital settlement	—	134	—	—	—	134
Net cash used in investing activities		(472,728)	(20,304)	(1,809)		(494,841)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES:						
Intercompany activities	629,280	(282,854)	(345,833)	4,785	(5,378)	
Excess tax benefits related to share-based payment						
arrangements	43,785	—	—	—		43,785
Proceeds from exercise of stock options	14,846	—	—	_	—	14,846
Dividends paid	(702,406)	—	—	—	—	(702,406)
Proceeds from 2013 credit facility - net		2,190,996	_			2,190,996
Repayment on 2013 credit facility		(11,000)	—	—		(11,000)
Proceeds from 2011 credit facility - net		147,360	_			147,360
Repayment on 2011 credit facility		(2,169,125)		_		(2,169,125)
Proceeds from senior subordinated notes due 2020 - net		541,944				541,944
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(14,495)	417,321	(345,833)	4,785	(5,378)	56,400
EFFECT OF EXCHANGE RATE CHANGES ON CASH AND						
CASH EQUIVALENTS				54		54
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(14,495)	(170,126)	5,802	7,467	—	(171,352)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF PERIOD	20,100	406,891	4,494	9,039		440,524
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF PERIOD	\$ 5,605	\$ 236,765	\$ 10,296	\$ 16,506	\$	\$ 269,172

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#### TRANSDIGM GROUP INCORPORATED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE THIRTY-NINE WEEK PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 2012 (Amounts in thousands)

NET CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN)	TransDigm Group	TransDigm Inc.	Subsidiary Guarantors	Non- Guarantor Subsidiaries	Eliminations	Total Consolidated
OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$ —	\$ (98,665)	\$ 348,628	\$ 5,122	\$ 2,738	\$ 257,823
INVESTING ACTIVITIES:						
Capital expenditures	—	(1,164)	(14,301)	(744)		(16,209)
Acquisition of businesses, net of cash acquired	—	(833,971)	—	—		(833,971)
Net cash used in investing activities		(835,135)	(14,301)	(744)		(850,180)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES:						
Intercompany activities	(51,104)	383,840	(325,578)	(4,420)	(2,738)	_
Excess tax benefits related to share-based payment arrangements	40,531	—	—	—		40,531
Proceeds from exercise of stock options	12,938		—			12,938
Dividends paid	(3,299)	—	—	—		(3,299)
Proceeds from 2011 credit facility-net	—	484,316	—			484,316
Repayment on 2011 credit facility	—	(14,125)	—	—		(14,125)
Treasury stock purchased	(846)					(846)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(1,780)	854,031	(325,578)	(4,420)	(2,738)	519,515
EFFECT OF EXCHANGE RATE CHANGES ON CASH AND CASH						
EQUIVALENTS				(623)		(623)
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(1,780)	(79,769)	8,749	(665)	—	(73,465)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF PERIOD	5,695	360,074	2,115	8,299		376,183
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF PERIOD	\$ 3,915	\$ 280,305	\$ 10,864	\$ 7,634	<u>\$                                    </u>	\$ 302,718

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#### ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The following discussion of the Company's financial condition and results of operations should be read together with TD Group's consolidated financial statements and the related notes included elsewhere in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q. References in this section to "TransDigm," "the Company," "we," "us," "our," and similar references refer to TD Group, TransDigm Inc. and TransDigm Inc.'s subsidiaries, unless the context otherwise indicates. The following discussion may contain predictions, estimates and other forward-looking statements that involve a number of risks and uncertainties, including those discussed in this report. These risks could cause our actual results to differ materially from any future performance suggested below.

This Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q includes "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, including, in particular, the statements about the Company's plans, strategies and prospects under this section entitled "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations." Although the Company believes that its plans, intentions and expectations reflected in or suggested by such forward-looking statements are reasonable, the Company can give no assurance that such plans, intentions or expectations will be achieved. Many of the factors affecting these forward-looking statements are outside the control of the Company. Consequently, such forward-looking statements should be regarded solely as the Company's current plans, estimates and beliefs. The Company does not undertake, and specifically declines, any obligation to publicly release the results of any revisions to these forward-looking statements that may be made to reflect any future events or circumstances after the date of such statements or to reflect the occurrence of anticipated or unanticipated events, except as required by applicable law. All forward-looking statements attributable to the Company or persons acting on its behalf are expressly qualified in their entirety by the foregoing cautionary statements.

Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from the forward-looking statements made in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q include but are not limited to: the sensitivity of our business to the number of flight hours that our customers' planes spend aloft and our customers' profitability, both of which are affected by general economic conditions; future terrorist attacks; our reliance on certain customers; the U.S. defense budget and risks associated with being a government supplier; failure to maintain government or industry approvals; failure to complete or successfully integrate acquisitions; our substantial indebtedness; potential environmental liabilities; and other factors. Please refer to the other information included in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q and to the Annual Report on Form 10-K for additional information regarding the foregoing factors that may affect our business.

#### Overview

We believe we are a leading global designer, producer and supplier of highly engineered aircraft components for use on nearly all commercial and military aircraft in service today. Our business is well diversified due to the broad range of products we offer to our customers. Some of our more significant product offerings, substantially all of which are ultimately provided to end-users in the aerospace industry, include mechanical/electro-mechanical actuators and controls, ignition systems and engine technology, specialized pumps and valves, power conditioning devices, specialized AC/DC electric motors and generators, NiCad batteries and chargers, engineered latching and locking devices, rods and locking devices, engineered connectors and elastomers, cockpit security components and systems, specialized cockpit displays, aircraft audio systems, specialized lavatory components, seatbelts and safety restraints, engineered interior surfaces and lighting and control technology. Each of these product offerings is composed of many individual products that are typically customized to meet the needs of a particular aircraft platform or customer.

For the third quarter of fiscal 2013, we generated net sales of \$488.6 million and net income of \$76.7 million. EBITDA As Defined was \$231.9 million, or 47.5% of net sales. See below for certain information regarding EBITDA and EBITDA As Defined, including reconciliations of EBITDA and EBITDA As Defined to net income and net cash provided by operating activities.

#### **Certain Acquisitions**

#### Whippany Actuation Systems, LLC Acquisition

On June 28, 2013, Whippany Actuation Systems, LLC, a newly formed, wholly owned subsidiary of TransDigm Inc., acquired assets from GE Aviation's Electromechanical Actuation Division ("Whippany Actuation") for approximately \$147.8 million in cash, subject to adjustments based on the level of working capital as of the closing date of the acquisition. Whippany Actuation manufactures proprietary, highly engineered aerospace electromechanical motion control subsystems for civil and military applications, with product offerings including control electronics, motors, high power mechanical transmissions and actuators. These products fit well with TransDigm's overall business direction. Whippany will be integrated into TransDigm's Power & Control segment. The Company is in the process of obtaining information to value certain tangible and intangible assets of Whippany Actuation, and therefore the condensed consolidated financial statements at June 29, 2013 reflect a preliminary purchase price allocation for the business.

#### Arkwin Industries, Inc. Acquisition

On June 5, 2013, TransDigm Inc. acquired all of the outstanding stock of Arkwin Industries, Inc. ("Arkwin"), for approximately \$285.8 million in cash, subject to adjustments based on the level of working capital as of the closing date of the acquisition. Arkwin manufactures proprietary, highly engineered aerospace hydraulic and fuel system components for commercial and military aircraft, helicopters and other specialty applications. These products fit well with TransDigm's overall business direction. Arkwin will be integrated into TransDigm's Power & Control segment. The Company is in the process of obtaining information to value certain tangible and intangible assets of Arkwin, and therefore the condensed consolidated financial statements at June 29, 2013 reflect a preliminary purchase price allocation for the business.

#### Aerosonic Corporation Acquisition

On June 5, 2013, Buccaneer Acquisition Sub Inc., a subsidiary of TransDigm Inc., completed the tender offer of a majority of the outstanding stock of Aerosonic Corporation ("Aerosonic"). Buccaneer Acquisition Sub Inc. was subsequently merged into Aerosonic. The aggregate price paid in the tender offer and merger was approximately \$39.8 million in cash. Aerosonic designs and manufactures proprietary, highly engineered mechanical and digital altimeters, airspeed indicators, rate of climb indicators, microprocessor controlled air data test sets, angle of attack stall warning systems, integrated air data sensors and other aircraft sensors, monitoring systems and flight instrumentation for use on commercial and military aircraft. These products fit well with TransDigm's overall business direction. Aerosonic will be integrated into TransDigm's Airframe segment. The Company is in the process of obtaining information to value certain tangible and intangible assets of Aerosonic, and therefore the condensed consolidated financial statements at June 29, 2013 reflect a preliminary purchase price allocation for the business.

#### Aero-Instruments Co., LLC Acquisition

On September 17, 2012, TransDigm Inc. acquired all of the outstanding equity interests in Aero-Instruments Co., LLC ("Aero-Instruments"), for approximately \$34.6 million in cash, which includes a purchase price adjustment of \$0.1 million received in the first quarter of fiscal 2013. Aero-Instruments designs and manufactures highly engineered air data sensors including pitot probes, pitot-static probes, static pressure ports, angle of attack, temperature sensors and flight test equipment for use primarily in the business jet and helicopter markets. These products fit well with TransDigm's overall business direction. Aero-Instruments will be integrated into TransDigm's Power & Control segment. The Company is in the process of obtaining information to value certain tangible and intangible assets of Aero-Instruments, and therefore the condensed consolidated financial statements at June 29, 2013 reflect a preliminary purchase price allocation for the business.

#### AmSafe Global Holdings, Inc. Acquisition

On February 15, 2012, TransDigm Inc. acquired all of the outstanding stock of AmSafe Global Holdings, Inc. ("AmSafe"), for approximately \$749.7 million in cash, which includes a purchase price adjustment of \$0.5 million paid in the third quarter of fiscal 2012. AmSafe is a leading supplier of innovative, highly engineered and proprietary safety and restraint equipment used primarily in the global aerospace industry. These products fit well with TransDigm's overall business direction. The majority of AmSafe product lines were integrated into TransDigm's Airframe segment, and the remaining product lines were integrated into the Non-aviation segment. The distribution business acquired as part of AmSafe was sold on August 16, 2012 for approximately \$17.8 million in cash, which includes a working capital adjustment of \$0.1 million received in the first quarter of fiscal 2013. The equity investment in C-Safe LLC acquired as part of AmSafe was sold in October 2012 for approximately \$16.4 million, which consisted of \$5.0 million in cash at closing and an \$11.4 million short term note receivable, of which \$5.5 million was collected in the second quarter of fiscal 2013.

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#### Harco Laboratories Acquisition

On December 9, 2011, TransDigm Inc. acquired all of the outstanding stock of Harco Laboratories, Incorporated ("Harco"), for approximately \$83.3 million in cash, which includes a purchase price adjustment of \$0.4 million paid in the second quarter of fiscal 2012. Harco designs and manufactures highly engineered thermocouples, sensors, engine cable assemblies and related products for commercial aircraft. These products fit well with TransDigm's overall business direction. Harco was integrated into TransDigm's Power & Control segment.

#### **Non-GAAP Financial Measures**

We present below certain financial information based on our EBITDA and EBITDA As Defined. References to "EBITDA" mean earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization, and references to "EBITDA As Defined" mean EBITDA plus, as applicable for each relevant period, certain adjustments as set forth in the reconciliations of net income to EBITDA and EBITDA As Defined and the reconciliations of net cash provided by operating activities to EBITDA and EBITDA and EBITDA As Defined and the reconciliations of net cash provided by operating activities to EBITDA and EBITDA AS Defined presented below.

Neither EBITDA nor EBITDA As Defined is a measurement of financial performance under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP"). We present EBITDA and EBITDA As Defined because we believe they are useful indicators for evaluating operating performance and liquidity.

Our management believes that EBITDA and EBITDA As Defined are useful as indicators of liquidity because securities analysts, investors, rating agencies and others use EBITDA to evaluate a company's ability to incur and service debt. In addition, EBITDA As Defined is useful to investors because our revolving credit facility under our senior secured credit facility requires compliance, on a pro forma basis, with a financial covenant that measures the ratio of the amount of our secured indebtedness to the amount of our Consolidated EBITDA defined in the same manner as we define EBITDA As Defined herein. This financial covenant is a material term of our senior secured credit facility as the failure to comply with such financial covenant could result in an event of default in respect of the revolving credit facility (and such an event of default could, in turn, result in an event of default under the indentures governing our  $7 \frac{3}{4}$ % Senior Subordinated Notes due 2018,  $5 \frac{1}{2}$ % Senior Subordinated Notes due 2020 and our  $7 \frac{1}{2}$ % Senior Subordinated Notes due 2021).

In addition to the above, our management uses EBITDA As Defined to review and assess the performance of the management team in connection with employee incentive programs and to prepare its annual budget and financial projections. Moreover, our management uses EBITDA As Defined to evaluate acquisitions.

Although we use EBITDA and EBITDA As Defined as measures to assess the performance of our business and for the other purposes set forth above, the use of these non-GAAP financial measures as analytical tools has limitations, and you should not consider any of them in isolation, or as a substitute for analysis of our results of operations as reported in accordance with GAAP. Some of these limitations are:

- neither EBITDA nor EBITDA As Defined reflects the significant interest expense, or the cash requirements necessary to service interest payments, on our indebtedness;
- although depreciation and amortization are non-cash charges, the assets being depreciated and amortized will often have to be replaced in the future, and neither EBITDA nor EBITDA As Defined reflects any cash requirements for such replacements;
- the omission of the substantial amortization expense associated with our intangible assets further limits the usefulness of EBITDA and EBITDA As Defined;
- neither EBITDA nor EBITDA As Defined includes the payment of taxes, which is a necessary element of our operations; and
- EBITDA As Defined excludes the cash expense we have incurred to integrate acquired businesses into our operations, which is a necessary element of certain of our acquisitions.

Because of these limitations, EBITDA and EBITDA As Defined should not be considered as measures of discretionary cash available to us to invest in the growth of our business. Management compensates for these limitations by not viewing EBITDA or EBITDA As Defined in isolation and specifically by using other GAAP measures, such as net income, net sales and operating profit, to measure our operating performance. Neither EBITDA nor EBITDA As Defined is a measurement of financial performance under GAAP, and neither should be considered as an alternative to net income or cash flow from operations determined in accordance with GAAP. Our calculation of EBITDA and EBITDA As Defined may not be comparable to the calculation of similarly titled measures reported by other companies.

The following table sets forth a reconciliation of net income to EBITDA and EBITDA As Defined (in thousands):

	Thirteen We	Thirteen Week Periods Ended		eek Periods Ended
	June 29, 2013	June 30, 2012	June 29, 2013	June 30, 2012
	(in t	housands)	(in th	iousands)
Net income	\$ 76,655	\$ 90,446	\$ 218,762	\$ 237,103
Adjustments:				
Depreciation and amortization expense	16,062	17,616	49,835	50,645
Interest expense, net	62,469	55,393	189,439	156,754
Income tax provision	37,600	40,025	105,200	114,500
EBITDA	192,786	203,480	563,236	559,002
Adjustments:				
Inventory purchase accounting adjustments <sup>(1)</sup>	1,067	4,274	1,957	12,733
Acquisition integration costs <sup>(2)</sup>	874	2,458	3,820	5,842
Acquisition transaction-related expenses <sup>(3)</sup>	5,440	611	6,779	4,759
Other acquisition accounting adjustments			—	(2,792)
Non-cash compensation costs <sup>(4)</sup>	31,718	5,858	45,980	14,393
Refinancing costs <sup>(5)</sup>			30,281	
EBITDA As Defined	\$ 231,885	\$ 216,681	\$ 652,053	\$ 593,937

(1) Represents accounting adjustments to inventory associated with acquisitions of businesses and product lines that were charged to cost of sales when the inventory was sold.

(2) Represents costs incurred to integrate acquired businesses and product lines into TD Group's operations, facility relocation costs and other acquisition-related costs.

(3) Represents transaction-related costs comprising deal fees; legal, financial and tax due diligence expenses; and valuation costs that are required to be expensed as incurred.

(4) Represents the compensation expense recognized by TD Group under our stock option plans.

(5) Represents debt issue costs expensed in conjunction with the refinancing of our 2010 Credit Facility and 2011 Credit Facility in February 2013.

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The following table sets forth a reconciliation of net cash provided by operating activities to EBITDA and EBITDA As Defined (in thousands):

	Thirty-Nine End	
	June 29, 2013	June 30, 2012
	(in thou	
Iet Cash Provided by Operating Activities	\$267,035	\$257,823
Adjustments:		
Changes in assets and liabilities, net of effects from acquisitions of businesses	49,671	14,851
Interest expense, net <sup>(1)</sup>	180,582	147,610
Income tax provision - current	98,424	112,580
Non-cash equity compensation <sup>(2)</sup>	(45,980)	(14,393
Excess tax benefit from exercise of stock options	43,785	40,531
Refinancing costs <sup>(6)</sup>	(30,281)	
BITDA	563,236	559,002
Adjustments:		
Inventory purchase accounting adjustments <sup>(3)</sup>	1,957	12,733
Acquisition integration costs <sup>(4)</sup>	3,820	5,842
Acquisition transaction-related expenses <sup>(5)</sup>	6,779	4,759
Other acquisition related expenses	_	(2,792
Stock option expense <sup>(2)</sup>	45,980	14,393
Refinancing costs <sup>(6)</sup>	30,281	_
BITDA As Defined	\$652,053	\$593,937

- (1) Represents interest expense excluding the amortization of debt issue costs and note premium and discount.
- (2) Represents the compensation expense recognized by TD Group under our stock option plans.
- (3) Represents accounting adjustments to inventory associated with acquisitions of businesses and product lines that were charged to cost of sales when the inventory was sold.
- (4) Represents costs incurred to integrate acquired businesses and product lines into TD Group's operations, facility relocation costs and other acquisitionrelated costs.
- (5) Represents transaction-related costs comprising deal fees; legal, financial and tax due diligence expenses; and valuation costs that are required to be expensed as incurred.
- (6) Represents debt issue costs expensed in conjunction with the refinancing of our 2010 Credit Facility and 2011 Credit Facility in February 2013.

#### **Critical Accounting Policies**

Our consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with GAAP, which often requires the judgment of management in the selection and application of certain accounting principles and methods. Management believes that the quality and reasonableness of our most critical policies enable the fair presentation of our financial position and results of operations. However, investors are cautioned that the sensitivity of financial statements to these methods, assumptions and estimates could create materially different results under different conditions or using different assumptions.

A summary of our significant accounting policies and estimates is included in the Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended September 30, 2012. There have been no significant changes to our critical accounting policies during the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013.

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#### **Results of Operations**

The following table sets forth, for the periods indicated, certain operating data of the Company, including presentation of the amounts as a percentage of net sales (amounts in thousands):

	Thirteen Week Periods Ended				
	June 29, 2013	% of Sales	June 30, 2012	% of Sales	
Net sales	\$ 488,636	100.0%	\$ 461,660	100.0%	
Cost of sales	219,650	45.0	208,358	45.1	
Selling and administrative expenses	82,773	16.9	56,097	12.2	
Amortization of intangible assets	9,489	1.9	11,341	2.5	
Income from operations	176,724	36.2	185,864	40.3	
Interest expense, net	62,469	12.8	55,393	12.0	
Income tax provision	37,600	7.7	40,025	8.7	
Net income	\$ 76,655	15.7%	\$ 90,446	19.6%	

		Thirty-Nine Week Periods Ended				
	June 29, 2013	% of Sales	June 30, 2012	% of Sales		
Net sales	\$1,384,663	100.0%	\$1,237,602	100.0%		
Cost of sales	617,820	44.6	548,705	44.3		
Selling and administrative expenses	193,397	14.0	147,421	11.9		
Amortization of intangible assets	29,764	2.1	33,119	2.7		
Income from operations	543,682	39.3	508,357	41.1		
Interest expense, net	189,439	13.7	156,754	12.7		
Refinancing costs	30,281	2.2	—	—		
Income tax provision	105,200	7.6	114,500	9.3		
Net income	\$ 218,762	15.8%	\$ 237,103	19.2%		

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#### **Changes in Results of Operations**

#### Thirteen week period ended June 29, 2013 compared with the thirteen week period ended June 30, 2012.

#### **Total Company**

*Net Sales.* Net organic sales, acquisition sales and sales of the AmSafe distribution business, which was acquired as part of AmSafe on February 15, 2012 and sold on August 16, 2012, and the related dollar and percentage changes for the thirteen week periods ended June 29, 2013 and June 30, 2012 were as follows (amounts in millions):

	 hirteen Week une 29, 2013	<u>s Periods Ended</u> June 30, 2012	Change	% Change Total Sales
Organic sales	\$ 473.8	\$ 452.9	\$ 20.9	4.5%
Acquisition sales	14.8	_	14.8	3.2%
AmSafe distribution sales	—	8.8	(8.8)	-1.9%
	\$ 488.6	\$ 461.7	\$ 26.9	5.8%

Organic sales for the quarter ended June 29, 2013 includes a favorable commercial OEM retroactive contract pricing adjustment of approximately \$2 million. Organic sales for the quarter ended June 30, 2012 includes a favorable commercial aftermarket retroactive contract pricing adjustment of approximately \$6 million.

Excluding the impact of the retroactive contract pricing adjustments and the AmSafe distribution sales indicated above, commercial OEM sales increased \$12.1 million, or an increase of 9.5%, commercial aftermarket sales increased \$5.2 million, or an increase of 2.8%, and defense sales increased \$9.2 million, or an increase of 8.7%, for the quarter ended June 29, 2013 compared to the quarter ended June 30, 2012.

Acquisition sales represent sales of acquired businesses for the period up to one year subsequent to their acquisition dates. The amount of acquisition sales shown in the table above was mainly attributable to the acquisitions of Arkwin and Aerosonic in fiscal 2013 and Aero-Instruments in fiscal 2012.

*Cost of Sales and Gross Profit.* Cost of sales increased by \$11.3 million, or 5.4%, to \$219.7 million for the quarter ended June 29, 2013 compared to \$208.4 million for the quarter ended June 30, 2012. Cost of sales and the related percentage of total sales for the thirteen week periods ended June 29, 2013 and June 30, 2012 were as follows (amounts in millions):

	Thirteen Week H			
	June 29, 2013	June 30, 2012	Change	% Change
Cost of sales—excluding acquisition-related costs below	\$ 212.8	\$ 200.7	\$ 12.2	6.1%
% of total sales	43.6%	43.5%		
Inventory purchase accounting adjustments	1.1	4.3	(3.2)	-75.0%
% of total sales	0.2%	0.9%		
Acquisition integration costs	1.0	2.5	(1.5)	-60.8%
% of total sales	0.2%	0.6%		
Stock compensation expense	4.8	0.9	3.9	441.3%
% of total sales	1.0%	0.2%		
Total cost of sales	\$ 219.7	\$ 208.4	\$ 11.3	5.4%
% of total sales	45.0%	45.1%		
Gross profit	\$ 269.0	\$ 253.3	\$ 15.7	6.2%
Gross profit percentage	55.0%	54.9%		

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The increase in the dollar amount of cost of sales during the thirteen week period ended June 29, 2013 was primarily due to increased volume associated with the sales from acquisitions and organic sales growth and higher stock compensation expense related to the accelerated vesting under the market sweep provision for all options granted prior to October 1, 2011 offset by lower acquisition-related costs as shown in the table above.

Gross profit as a percentage of sales increased by 0.1 percentage points to 55.0% for the thirteen week period ended June 29, 2013 from 54.9% for the thirteen week period ended June 30, 2012. The dollar amount of gross profit increased by \$15.7 million, or 6.2%, for the quarter ended June 29, 2013 compared to the comparable quarter last year due to the following items:

- Gross profit on the sales from the acquisitions indicated above (excluding acquisition-related costs) was approximately \$6 million for the quarter ended June 29, 2013, which represented gross profit of approximately 41% of the acquisition sales.
- Impact of lower inventory purchase accounting adjustments and acquisition integration costs charged to cost of sales of approximately \$5 million.
- Organic sales growth described above, application of our three core value-driven operating strategies (obtaining profitable new business, continually
  improving our cost structure, and providing highly engineered value-added products to customers), and positive leverage on our fixed overhead costs
  spread over a higher production volume, partially offset by unfavorable OEM versus aftermarket sales mix, resulted in a net increase in gross profit
  of approximately \$12 million for the quarter ended June 29, 2013.
- The gross profit increase described above was partially offset by higher stock compensation expense of \$4 million mainly due to the accelerated vesting under the market sweep provision for all options granted prior to October 1, 2011.

*Selling and Administrative Expenses.* Selling and administrative expenses increased by \$26.7 million to \$82.8 million, or 16.9% of sales, for the thirteen week period ended June 29, 2013 from \$56.1 million, or 12.2% of sales, for the thirteen week period ended June 30, 2012. Selling and administrative expenses and the related percentage of total sales for the thirteen week periods ended June 29, 2013 and June 30, 2012 were as follows (amounts in millions):

	Thirteen Week P June 29, 2013	eriods Ended June 30, 2012	Change	% Change
Selling and administrative expenses— excluding costs below	\$ 50.5	\$ 50.6	\$ (0.1)	-0.2%
% of total sales	10.3%	11.0%		
Stock compensation expense	27.0	5.0	22.0	441.5%
% of total sales	5.5%	1.1%		
Acquisition related expenses	5.3	0.5	4.8	910.8%
% of total sales	<u> </u>	0.1%		
Total selling and administrative expenses	\$ 82.8	\$ 56.1	\$ 26.7	47.6%
% of total sales	16.9%	12.2%		

The increase in the dollar amount of selling and administrative expenses during the quarter ended June 29, 2013 is primarily due to additional stock compensation expense of approximately \$21 million recorded in June 2013 related to the accelerated vesting under the market sweep provision for all options granted prior to October 1, 2011. In addition, selling and administrative expenses during the quarter ended June 29, 2013 increased due to higher acquisition related expenses of approximately \$5 million as shown in the table above.

*Amortization of Intangibles.* Amortization of intangibles decreased to \$9.5 million for the quarter ended June 29, 2013 from \$11.3 million for the comparable quarter last year. The net decrease of \$1.8 million was primarily due to order backlog relating to prior acquisitions becoming fully amortized partially offset by increased amortization expense related to the additional identifiable intangible assets recognized in connection with acquisitions during the last twelve months.

*Interest Expense-net.* Interest expense-net includes interest on outstanding borrowings, amortization of debt issue costs and revolving credit facility fees offset by interest income. Interest expense-net increased \$7.1 million, or 12.8%, to \$62.5 million for the quarter ended June 29, 2013 from \$55.4 million for the comparable quarter last year. The net increase in interest expense-net was primarily due to an increase in the weighted average level of outstanding borrowings, which was approximately \$4.34 billion for the quarter ended June 29, 2013 and approximately \$3.63 billion for the quarter ended June 30, 2012. The increase in borrowings was due to the additional \$150 million term loan facility under the amendment to our 2011 Credit Facility which occurred in October 2012, additional borrowings of \$36.4 million relating to our refinancing of the 2011 Credit Facility in February 2013, and the issuance in October 2012 of our \$550 million 51/<sub>2</sub>% Senior Subordinated Notes due 2020.

- **Income Taxes**. Income tax expense as a percentage of income before income taxes was approximately 32.9% for the quarter ended June 29, 2013 compared to 30.7% for the quarter ended June 30, 2012. The lower effective tax rate for the thirteen week period ended June 30, 2012 was primarily due to discrete items related to IRS settlements and adjustments resulting from the filing of the previous year's federal tax return.
- *Net Income*. Net income decreased \$13.8 million, or 15.2%, to \$76.7 million for the quarter ended June 29, 2013 compared to net income of \$90.4 million for the quarter ended June 30, 2012. The decrease in net income was primarily due to the after-tax additional stock compensation expense recorded in June 2013 of \$16.5 million, or \$0.30 per share, related to the accelerated vesting under the market sweep provision for all options granted prior to October 1, 2011.
- *Earnings per Share.* The basic and diluted earnings per share were \$0.71 for the quarter ended June 29, 2013 and \$1.68 per share for the quarter ended June 30, 2012. Net income for the thirteen week period ended June 29, 2013 of \$76.7 million was decreased by an allocation of dividends on participating securities of \$38.0 million, or \$0.70 per share, resulting in net income available to common shareholders of \$38.7 million. The decrease in earnings per share of \$1.68 per share to \$0.71 per share is a result of the factors referred to above.

#### **Business Segments**

Segment Net Sales. Net sales by segment for the thirteen week periods ended June 29, 2013 and June 30, 2012 as follows (amounts in millions):

		Thirteen Week Periods Ended				
	June 29, 2013	% of Sales	June 30, 2012	% of Sales	Change	% Change
Power & Control	\$218.0	44.6%	\$207.0	44.8%	\$ 11.0	5.3%
Airframe	244.1	50.0%	230.2	49.9%	13.9	6.0%
Non-aviation	26.5	5.4%	24.5	5.3%	2.0	8.2%
	\$488.6	100.0%	\$461.7	100.0%	\$ 26.9	5.8%

Acquisition sales for the Power & Control segment totaled \$10.1 million, or an increase of 4.9%, resulting from the acquisitions of Arkwin in fiscal 2013 and Aero-Instruments in fiscal 2012. Sales for the quarter ended June 30, 2012 includes a favorable commercial aftermarket retroactive contract pricing adjustment of approximately \$6 million. Excluding the impact of the retroactive contract pricing adjustment, organic sales increased \$6.9 million when compared to the quarter ended June 30, 2012. The organic sales increase was primarily due to an increase in commercial aftermarket sales of \$2.7 million, or an increase of 3.1%, an increase in defense sales of \$7.5 million, or an increase of 9.8%, offset by a decrease in commercial OEM sales of \$2.7 million.

Acquisition sales for the Airframe segment totaled \$1.9 million, or an increase of 0.8%, resulting from the acquisition of Aerosonic in fiscal 2013. Sales for the quarter ended June 29, 2013 include an OEM retroactive contract pricing adjustment of approximately \$2 million. Sales in the third quarter ended June 30, 2012 reflect sales of \$8.8 million related to the AmSafe distribution business, which was acquired as part of AmSafe on February 15, 2012 and sold on August 16, 2012. Excluding the impact of the retroactive contract pricing adjustment and prior year sales related to the AmSafe distribution business, organic sales increased \$18.8 million when compared to the quarter ended June 30, 2012. The organic sales increase was primarily due to an increase in commercial OEM sales of \$14.9 million, or an increase of 16.7%, an increase in commercial aftermarket sales of \$2.4 million, or an increase of 5.6%.

Acquisition sales for the Non-aviation segment totaled \$2.8 million, or an increase of 11.5%. Organic sales declined \$0.8 million, or 3.3%.

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*EBITDA As Defined*. EBITDA As Defined by segment for the thirteen week periods ended June 29, 2013 and June 30, 2012 were as follows (amounts in millions):

		Thirteen Week Periods Ended				
	June 29, 2013	% of Segment Sales	June 30, 2012	% of Segment Sales	Change	% Change
Power & Control	\$115.4	52.9%	\$113.2	54.7%	\$ 2.2	2.0%
Airframe	116.2	47.6%	105.6	45.9%	10.6	10.0%
Non-aviation	6.3	23.8%	5.8	23.5%	0.5	9.4%
	\$237.9	48.7%	\$224.6	48.6%	\$ 13.3	5.9%

EBITDA As Defined for the Power & Control segment from the acquisitions of Arkwin and Aero-Instruments was approximately \$3.7 million for the quarter ended June 29, 2013, which represented EBITDA As Defined of approximately 36.6% of the acquisition sales. Taking into account the impact of a prior year aftermarket pricing adjustment, organic EBITDA As Defined growth was \$3.6 million when compared to the quarter ended June 30, 2012.

EBITDA As Defined for the Airframe segment from the acquisition of Aerosonic was approximately \$0.1 million for the quarter ended June 29, 2013. Taking into account the impact of the prior year EBITDA As Defined relating to the AmSafe distribution business of approximately \$1.0 million, organic EBITDA As Defined increased approximately \$11.5 million. The organic EBITDA As Defined growth was due to the gross profit from the organic sales increase noted above and the previously mentioned retroactive contract pricing adjustment of approximately \$2 million.

EBITDA As Defined for the Non-aviation segment from acquisitions was approximately \$0.7 million for the quarter ended June 29, 2013. Organic EBITDA declined approximately \$0.2 million.

#### Thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 compared with the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012.

#### **Total Company**

• *Net Sales.* Net organic sales, acquisition sales and sales of the AmSafe distribution business, which was acquired as part of AmSafe on February 15, 2012 and sold on August 16, 2012, and the related dollar and percentage changes for the thirty-nine week periods ended June 29, 2013 and June 30, 2012 were as follows (amounts in millions):

	Thirty-Nir	ne Week Periods Ended		% Change	
	June 29, 2013	June 30, 2012	Change	Total Sales	
Organic sales	\$ 1,257.	1 \$ 1,223.9	\$ 33.2	2.7%	
Acquisition sales	127.	6 —	127.6	10.3%	
AmSafe distribution sales		13.7	(13.7)	-1.1%	
	\$ 1,384.	7 \$ 1,237.6	\$147.1	11.9%	

Organic sales for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 includes a favorable commercial OEM retroactive contract pricing adjustment of approximately \$2 million. Organic sales for the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012 includes favorable commercial OEM retroactive contract pricing adjustments of approximately \$11 million and a favorable commercial aftermarket retroactive contract pricing adjustment of approximately \$6 million.

Excluding the impact of the retroactive contract pricing adjustments and the AmSafe distribution sales indicated above, commercial OEM sales increased \$35.5 million, or an increase of 9.7%, commercial aftermarket sales increased \$1.6 million, or an increase of 0.3%, and defense sales increased \$18.6 million, or an increase of 6.3%, for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 compared to the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012.

Acquisition sales represent sales of acquired businesses for the period up to one year subsequent to their acquisition dates. The amount of acquisition sales shown in the table above was mainly attributable to the acquisition of Arkwin and Aerosonic in fiscal 2013 and Aero-Instruments, AmSafe and Harco in fiscal 2012.

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*Cost of Sales and Gross Profit.* Cost of sales increased by \$69.1 million, or 12.6%, to \$617.8 million for the thirty-nine week ended June 29, 2013 compared to \$548.7 million for the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012. Cost of sales and the related percentage of total sales for the thirty-nine week periods ended June 29, 2013 and June 30, 2012 were as follows (amounts in millions):

		Thirty-Nine Week Periods Ended		
	June 29, 2013	June 30, 2012	Change	% Change
Cost of sales - excluding acquisition-related costs below	\$ 605.2	\$ 529.5	\$ 75.7	14.3%
% of total sales	43.7%	42.8%		
Inventory purchase accounting adjustments	2.0	12.7	(10.8)	-84.6%
% of total sales	0.1%	1.0%		
Acquisition integration costs	3.8	4.3	(0.5)	-12.5%
% of total sales	0.3%	0.4%		
Stock compensation expense	6.9	2.2	4.7	219.5%
% of total sales	0.5%	0.2%		
Total cost of sales	\$ 617.8	\$ 548.7	\$ 69.1	12.6%
% of total sales	44.6%	44.3%		
Gross profit	\$ 766.8	\$ 688.9	\$ 77.9	11.3%
Gross profit percentage	55.4%	55.7%		

The increase in the dollar amount of cost of sales during the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 was primarily due to increased volume associated with the sales from acquisitions and organic sales growth and higher stock compensation expense related to the accelerated vesting under the market sweep provision for all options granted prior to October 1, 2011 offset by lower acquisition-related costs as shown in the table above.

Gross profit as a percentage of sales decreased by 0.3 percentage points to 55.4% for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 from 55.7% for the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012. The dollar amount of gross profit increased by \$77.9 million, or 11.3%, for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 compared to the comparable period last year due to the following items:

- Gross profit on the sales from the acquisitions indicated above (excluding acquisition-related costs) was approximately \$59 million for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013, which represented gross profit of approximately 47% of the acquisition sales.
- Impact of lower inventory purchase accounting adjustments and acquisition integration costs charged to cost of sales of approximately \$11 million.
- Organic sales growth described above, application of our three core value-driven operating strategies (obtaining profitable new business, continually
  improving our cost structure, and providing highly engineered value-added products to customers), and positive leverage on our fixed overhead costs
  spread over a higher production volume, partially offset by unfavorable OEM versus aftermarket sales mix, resulted in a net increase in gross profit
  of approximately \$27 million for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013.
- The gross profit increase described above was partially offset by higher stock compensation expense of \$5 million mainly due to the accelerated vesting under the market sweep provision for all options granted prior to October 1, 2011 and the impact of the favorable retroactive contract pricing adjustments that were higher in the prior year by approximately \$14 million.

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*Selling and Administrative Expenses.* Selling and administrative expenses increased by \$46.0 million to \$193.4 million, or 14.0% of sales, for the thirtynine week period ended June 29, 2013 from \$147.4 million, or 11.9% of sales, for the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012. Selling and administrative expenses and the related percentage of total sales for the thirty-nine week periods ended June 29, 2013 and June 30, 2012 were as follows (amounts in millions):

	Thirty-Nine Week	eek Periods Ended		
	June 29, 2013	June 30, 2012	Change	% Change
Selling and administrative expenses - excluding costs below	\$ 147.5	\$ 131.7	\$ 15.8	12.0%
% of total sales	10.7%	10.6%		
Stock compensation expense	39.1	12.2	26.8	219.5%
% of total sales	2.8%	1.0%		
Acquisition related expenses	6.8	6.3	0.5	8.7%
% of total sales	0.5%	0.5%		
Other acquisition related expenses		(2.8)	2.8	-100.0%
% of total sales	0.0%	-0.2%		
Total selling and administrative expenses	\$ 193.4	\$ 147.4	\$ 46.0	31.2%
% of total sales	14.0%	11.9%		

The increase in the dollar amount of selling and administrative expenses during the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 is due to additional stock compensation expense of approximately \$21 million recorded in June 2013 related to the accelerated vesting under the market sweep provision for all options granted prior to October 1, 2011. In addition, selling and administrative expenses during the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 increased due to higher selling and administrative expenses relating to recent acquisitions of approximately \$19 million, which was approximately 15% of the acquisition sales.

- *Amortization of Intangibles*. Amortization of intangibles decreased to \$29.8 million for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 from \$33.1 million for the comparable period last year. The net decrease of \$3.4 million was primarily due to order backlog relating to prior acquisitions becoming fully amortized offset by amortization expense related to the additional identifiable intangible assets recognized in connection with acquisitions during the last twelve months.
- *Refinancing Costs.* Refinancing costs of \$30.3 million were recorded during the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 representing debt issue costs expensed in conjunction with the refinancing of our 2010 Credit Facility and 2011 Credit Facility in February 2013.
- *Interest Expense-net.* Interest expense-net includes interest on outstanding borrowings, amortization of debt issue costs and revolving credit facility fees offset by interest income. Interest expense-net increased \$32.7 million, or 20.9%, to \$189.4 million for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 from \$156.8 million for the comparable period last year. The net increase in interest expense-net was primarily due to an increase in the weighted average level of outstanding borrowings, which was approximately \$4.29 billion for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 and approximately \$3.62 billion for the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012. The increase in borrowings was due to the additional \$500 million and \$150 million term loan facilities under the amendments to our 2011 Credit Facility which occurred in February 2012 and October 2012, respectively, additional borrowings of \$36.4 million relating to our refinancing of the 2011 Credit Facility in February 2013, and the issuance in October 2012 of our \$550 million 5 1/<sub>2</sub>% Senior Subordinated Notes due 2020. The weighted average interest rate on total outstanding borrowings at June 29, 2013 was 5.5%.
- *Income Taxes.* Income tax expense as a percentage of income before income taxes was approximately 32.5% for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 compared to 32.6% for the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012. The Company's effective tax rate for these periods was less than the Federal statutory tax rate due primarily to the domestic manufacturing deduction.

- *Net Income*. Net income decreased \$18.3 million, or 7.7%, to \$218.8 million for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 compared to net income of \$237.1 million for the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012. The decrease in net income was primarily due to the after-tax impact of \$20.4 million, or \$0.38 per share, related to the refinancing costs recorded during the period and the after-tax additional stock compensation expense recorded in June 2013 of \$16.5 million, or \$0.30 per share, related to the accelerated vesting under the market sweep provision for all options granted prior to October 1, 2011. The decrease noted above was partially offset by an increase in net income from operations.
- *Earnings per Share.* The basic and diluted earnings per share were \$2.62 for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 and \$4.34 per share for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 of \$218.8 million was decreased by an allocation of dividends on participating securities of \$76.1 million, or \$1.40 per share, resulting in net income available to common shareholders of \$142.7 million. Net income for the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012 of \$237.1 million was decreased by an allocation of dividends on participating in net income available to common shareholders of \$142.7 million. Net income for the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012 of \$237.1 million was decreased by an allocation of dividends on participating securities of \$3.3 million, or \$0.06 per share, resulting in net income available to common shareholders of \$233.8 million. The decrease in earnings per share of \$4.34 per share to \$2.62 per share is a result of the factors referred to above.

### **Business Segments**

Segment Net Sales. Net sales by segment for the thirty-nine week periods ended June 29, 2013 and June 30, 2012 as follows (amounts in millions):

		Thirty-Nine Weel	k Periods Ended			
	June 29, 2013	% of Sales	June 30, 2012	% of Sales	Change	% Change
Power & Control	\$ 615.9	44.5%	\$ 574.7	46.4%	\$ 41.2	7.2%
Airframe	695.3	50.2%	611.2	49.4%	84.1	13.8%
Non-aviation	73.5	5.3%	51.7	4.2%	21.8	42.2%
	\$1,384.7	100.0%	\$1,237.6	100.0%	\$147.1	11.9%

Acquisition sales for the Power & Control segment totaled \$24.0 million, or an increase of 4.2%, resulting from the acquisitions of Arkwin in fiscal 2013 and Harco and Aero-Instruments in fiscal 2012. Sales for the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012 includes a favorable commercial aftermarket retroactive contract pricing adjustment of approximately \$6 million. Excluding the impact of the retroactive contract pricing adjustment, organic sales growth was \$23.2 million when compared to the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012. The organic sales increase was primarily due to an increase in commercial OEM sales of \$3.1 million, or an increase of 3.1%, an increase in commercial aftermarket sales of \$10.0 million, or an increase of 4.2%, and an increase in defense sales of \$12.8 million, or an increase of 6.0%.

Acquisition sales for the Airframe segment totaled \$74.9 million, or an increase of 12.3%, resulting from the acquisitions of Aerosonic in fiscal 2013 and AmSafe in fiscal 2012. Sales during the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 reflects an OEM retroactive contract pricing adjustment of approximately \$2 million. Sales during the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012 reflect OEM retroactive contract pricing adjustments of approximately \$11 million. The thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012 also reflects sales of \$13.7 million related to the AmSafe distribution business, which was acquired as part of AmSafe on February 15, 2012 and sold on August 16, 2012. Excluding the impact of the OEM retroactive contract pricing adjustments and prior year sales related to the AmSafe distribution business, organic sales growth was \$31.9 million when compared to the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012. The organic sales increase was primarily due to an increase in commercial OEM sales of \$34.5 million, or an increase of 13.5%, and an increase in defense sales of \$5.8 million, or an increase of 7.6%, offset by a decline in commercial aftermarket sales of \$8.4 million, or a decrease of 3.2%.

Acquisition sales for the Non-aviation segment totaled \$28.6 million resulting primarily from the non-aviation business of AmSafe acquired in fiscal 2012. Organic sales declined by \$6.8 million.

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**EBITDA** As **Defined**. EBITDA As Defined by segment for the thirty-nine week periods ended June 29, 2013 and June 30, 2012 were as follows (amounts in millions):

		Thirty-Nine Week Periods Ended				
	June 29, 2013	% of Segment Sales	June 30, 2012	% of Segment Sales	Change	% Change
Power & Control	\$327.7	53.2%	\$305.7	53.2%	\$ 22.0	7.2%
Airframe	325.7	46.8%	292.3	47.8%	33.4	11.4%
Non-aviation	16.5	22.5%	16.1	31.1%	0.4	2.5%
	\$669.9	48.4%	\$614.1	49.6%	\$ 55.8	9.1%

EBITDA As Defined for the Power & Control segment from the acquisitions of Arkwin, Aero-Instruments and Harco was approximately \$9.4 million for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013, which represented EBITDA As Defined of approximately 39.2% of the acquisition sales. Taking into account the impact of a prior year aftermarket pricing adjustment, organic EBITDA As Defined growth was \$17.7 million when compared to the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012 due to higher aftermarket sales in defense and commercial transport OEM sales.

EBITDA As Defined for the Airframe segment from the acquisitions of Aerosonic and AmSafe was approximately \$29.0 million for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013, which represented EBITDA As Defined of approximately 38.7% of the acquisition sales. Taking into account the impact of the prior year OEM retroactive contract pricing adjustment of approximately \$11 million and EBITDA As Defined relating to the AmSafe distribution business of approximately \$1.4 million, organic EBITDA As Defined increased approximately \$16.2 million. The organic EBITDA As Defined growth was due to the gross profit from the organic sales increase noted above and the previously mentioned retroactive contract pricing adjustment of approximately \$2 million.

EBITDA As Defined for the Non-aviation segment from the acquisition of AmSafe was approximately \$3.3 million for the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013. Organic EBITDA declined approximately \$2.9 million due to the organic sales decrease noted above and the mix of products sold in the non-aviation markets.

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### Backlog

As of June 29, 2013, the Company estimated its sales order backlog at \$1,107 million compared to an estimated sales order backlog of \$824 million as of June 30, 2012. The increase in backlog is primarily due to acquisitions, totaling approximately \$212 million, and an increase in orders across existing OEM product lines and to a lesser extent the aftermarket. The majority of the purchase orders outstanding as of June 29, 2013 are scheduled for delivery within the next twelve months. Purchase orders may be subject to cancellation or deferral by the customer prior to shipment. The level of unfilled purchase orders at any given date during the year will be materially affected by the timing of the Company's receipt of purchase orders and the speed with which those orders are filled. Accordingly, the Company's backlog as of June 29, 2013 may not necessarily represent the actual amount of shipments or sales for any future period.

# **Foreign Operations**

Although we manufacture a significant portion of our products in the United States, we manufacture some products in Belgium, China, Malaysia, Mexico, Sri Lanka and the United Kingdom. We sell our products in the United States as well as in foreign countries. Although the majority of sales of our products are made to customers including distributors located in the United States, our products are ultimately sold to and used by customers, including airlines and other end users of aircraft, throughout the world. A number of risks inherent in international operations could have a material adverse effect on our results of operations, including currency fluctuations, difficulties in staffing and managing multi-national operations, general economic and political uncertainties and potential for social unrest in countries in which we operate, limitations on our ability to enforce legal rights and remedies, restrictions on the repatriation of funds, change in trade policies, tariff regulation, difficulties in obtaining export and import licenses and the risk of government financed competition.

There can be no assurance that foreign governments will not adopt regulations or take other action that would have a direct or indirect adverse impact on the business or market opportunities of the Company within such governments' countries. Furthermore, there can be no assurance that the political, cultural and economic climate outside the United States will be favorable to our operations and growth strategy.

### Liquidity and Capital Resources

*Operating Activities*. The Company generated \$267.0 million of net cash from operating activities during the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 compared to \$257.8 million during the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012. The net increase of \$9.2 million was due primarily to an increase in income from operations and lower income tax payments offset by higher interest payments during the period.

*Investing Activities*. Net cash used in investing activities was \$494.8 million during the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 consisting primarily of the acquisitions of Whippany Actuation, Arkwin and Aerosonic and capital expenditures of \$23.6 million offset by the cash proceeds on the sale of our equity investment in C-Safe LLC of \$10.5 million and cash proceeds from working capital settlement of \$0.1 million. Net cash used in investing activities was \$850.2 million during the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012 consisting primarily of the acquisition of AmSafe and Harco and capital expenditures of \$16.2 million.

*Financing Activities*. Net cash provided by financing activities during the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 was \$56.4 million, which comprised \$2,191.0 million of net proceeds from our 2013 Credit Facility, \$147.4 million of additional net proceeds from the amendment of our 2011 Credit Facility, \$541.9 million of net proceeds from our 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>% Senior Subordinated Notes due 2020 and \$58.6 million of cash for tax benefits related to share-based payment arrangements and from the exercise of stock options offset by \$11.0 million repayment on the 2013 Credit Facility, the repayment of our 2011 Credit Facility of \$2,169.1 million and \$702.4 million of dividend and dividend equivalent payments.

Net cash provided by financing activities during the thirty-nine week period ended June 30, 2012 was \$519.5 million, which comprised \$484.3 million of additional net proceeds from the amendment of our 2011 Credit Facility and \$53.5 million of cash for tax benefits related to share-based payment arrangements and from the exercise of stock options offset by \$14.1 million repayment on our 2011 Credit Facility, \$3.3 million of dividend equivalent payments and \$0.8 million of treasury stock purchased.

### Description of Senior Secured Credit Facilities and Indentures

### Senior Secured Credit Facilities

In December 2010, TransDigm entered into a senior secured credit facility, which consisted of a \$1.55 billion term loan facility and a \$245 million revolving credit facility (collectively, the "2010 Credit Facility"). The proceeds of the term loan were used to pay the purchase price of and related transaction expenses associated with an acquisition and repay a portion of the amounts outstanding under the previous senior secured credit facility.

On February 14, 2011, TransDigm Inc. entered into a senior secured credit facility which provided for \$1.55 billion term loan facility (the "2011 Credit Facility"), which was fully drawn on February 14, 2011. The 2011 Credit Facility replaced the term loan under the 2010 Credit Facility and modified certain terms of the original agreement including extending the maturity date of the term loan and modifying the interest rate provisions.

On March 25, 2011, TransDigm entered into Amendment No. 1 to the 2010 Credit Facility. The amendment provided for a modification to certain terms of the permitted indebtedness covenant contained in the 2010 Credit Facility to modify the requirements for incurring certain additional senior indebtedness.

On February 15, 2012, TransDigm entered into Amendment No. 1 and an Incremental Term Loan Assumption Agreement to the 2011 Credit Facility. The amendment provides for an additional term loan facility in the aggregate principal amount of \$500 million. The additional term loan facility was fully drawn on February 15, 2012. The proceeds of the additional term loan facility were used to pay a portion of the purchase price of and related transaction expenses associated with the acquisition of AmSafe. Also on February 15, 2012 TransDigm entered into an Incremental Revolving Credit Assumption Agreement (the "Assumption Agreement") to the 2010 Credit Facility, as amended. The Assumption Agreement provided for additional revolving commitments to TransDigm in an aggregate principal amount of \$65 million, which resulted in a total revolving credit amount of \$310 million.

On October 9, 2012, TransDigm entered into Amendment No. 2 to the 2010 Credit Facility. The amendment provided for a modification to the restricted payment covenant to permit a special dividend in an amount not to exceed \$850 million and a modification to the financial covenant ratios in its 2011 Credit Facility. Also on October 9, 2012, TransDigm entered into Amendment No. 2 and an Incremental Term Loan Assumption Agreement to the 2011 Credit Facility. The amendment provided for an additional term loan facility in the aggregate principal amount of \$150 million. The additional term loan facility was fully drawn on October 15, 2012.

On February 28, 2013, TransDigm Inc. entered into an Amendment and Restatement Agreement in which TransDigm amended and restated its 2010 Credit Facility and 2011 Credit Facility. The Amendment and Restatement Agreement provides for a \$2,200 million new Term Loan Facility, which was fully drawn on February 28, 2013, and a \$310 million Revolving Credit Facility (together with the Term Loan Facility, the "2013 Credit Facility").

The proceeds of the Term Loan Facility were used to repay in full the outstanding term loans under the 2011 Credit Facility and the related transaction expenses associated therewith. The Term Loan Facility consists of two tranches of term loans—tranche B term loans and tranche C term loans, and the Revolving Credit Facility consists of two tranches—revolving A commitments and revolving B commitments. The tranche B term loans consist of \$500 million in the aggregate and the tranche C term loans consist of \$1,700 million in the aggregate. The tranche B term loans mature on February 14, 2017 and the tranche C term loans mature on February 28, 2020. The Term Loan Facility requires quarterly principal payments of \$5.5 million which began on March 28, 2013.

The revolving A commitments consist of \$32 million in the aggregate and the revolving B commitments consist of \$278 million in the aggregate. The revolving A commitments mature on December 6, 2015 and the revolving B commitments mature on February 28, 2018. At June 29, 2013, the Company had \$7.6 million letters of credit outstanding and \$302.4 million of borrowings available under the 2013 Credit Facility.

On July 1, 2013, TransDigm Inc. entered into Amendment No. 1 (the "Amendment") to the 2013 Credit Facility. The Amendment permits, among other things, a special dividend of up to \$1.9 billion to the holders of TD Group's common stock, par value \$.01 per share, the issuance of the 2021 Notes (as defined below), certain changes to certain negative covenants under the 2013 Credit Facility, a modification to the financial covenant contained in the Revolving Credit Facility established pursuant to the 2013 Credit Facility and a modification to the incremental term loan facility established pursuant to the 2013 Credit Facility by excluding the Incremental Term Facility (as defined below) from the calculation of the availability thereunder.

On July 1, 2013, in accordance with the terms of the 2013 Credit Facility, TransDigm Inc. entered into an Incremental Term Loan Assumption Agreement (the "Term Loan Assumption Agreement"). The Term Loan Assumption Agreement provides for incremental term loans in the form of additional Tranche C Term Loans in the aggregate principal amount of \$900 million (the "Incremental Term Facility"). The Incremental Term Facility was fully drawn on July 1, 2013. The terms and conditions that apply to the Incremental Term Facility are substantially the same as the terms and conditions that apply to the existing tranche C term loans under the 2013 Credit Facility.

The interest rates per annum applicable to the loans under the 2013 Credit Facility will be, at TransDigm's option, equal to either an alternate base rate or an adjusted LIBO rate for one, two, three or six-month (or to the extent agreed to by each relevant lender, nine or twelve-month) interest periods chosen by TransDigm, in each case plus an applicable margin percentage. The adjusted LIBO rate is subject to a floor of .75%. At June 29, 2013, applicable interest rate on the tranche B term loan was 3.50% and the tranche C term loan was 3.75%.

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At June 29, 2013, three forward-starting interest rate swap agreements were in place to swap variable rates on the 2013 Credit Facility for a fixed rate based on an aggregate notional amount of \$353 million. These interest rate swap agreements converted the variable interest rate on the aggregate notional amount of the 2013 Credit Facility to a fixed rate of 5.17% (2.17% plus the 3% margin percentage) through June 30, 2015.

All of the indebtedness outstanding under the 2013 Credit Facility is guaranteed by TD Group and all of TransDigm's current and future domestic restricted subsidiaries (other than immaterial subsidiaries). In addition, the obligations of TransDigm and the guarantors under the 2013 Credit Facility are secured ratably in accordance with each lender's respective revolving and term loan commitments by a first priority security interest in substantially all of the existing and future property and assets, including inventory, equipment, general intangibles, intellectual property, investment property and other personal property (but excluding leasehold interests and certain other assets) of TransDigm and its existing and future domestic restricted subsidiaries (other than immaterial subsidiaries), and a first priority pledge of the capital stock of TransDigm and its subsidiaries (other than foreign subsidiaries and certain domestic subsidiaries, of which 65% of the voting capital stock is pledged).

The Term Loan Facility requires mandatory prepayments of principal based on certain percentages of Excess Cash Flow (as defined in the 2013 Credit Facility), commencing 90 days after the end of each fiscal year, commencing with the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014, subject to certain exceptions. In addition, subject to certain exceptions (including, with respect to asset sales, the reinvestment in productive assets), TransDigm will be required to prepay the loans outstanding under the term loan facility at 100% of the principal amount thereof, plus accrued and unpaid interest, with the net cash proceeds of certain asset sales and issuance or incurrence of certain indebtedness. In addition, if, prior to February 28, 2014, the principal amount of the term loans are (i) prepaid substantially concurrently with the incurrence by TD Group, TransDigm or any its subsidiaries of new bank loans that have an effective yield lower than the yield in effect on the term loans so prepaid or (ii) received by a lender due to a mandatory assignment following the failure of such lender to consent to an amendment of the 2013 Credit Facility that has the effect of reducing the effective interest rate with respect to the term loans, such prepayment or receipt shall be accompanied by a premium of 1.0%.

The 2013 Credit Facility contains certain covenants that limit the ability of TD Group, TransDigm and TransDigm's restricted subsidiaries to, among other things: (i) incur or guarantee additional indebtedness or issue preferred stock; (ii) pay distributions on, redeem or repurchase capital stock or redeem or repurchase subordinated debt; (iii) make investments; (iv) sell assets; (v) enter into agreements that restrict distributions or other payments from restricted subsidiaries to TransDigm; (vi) incur or suffer to exist liens securing indebtedness; (vii) consolidate, merge or transfer all or substantially all of their assets; and (viii) engage in transactions with affiliates.

The Company recorded refinancing costs of \$30.3 million during the thirty-nine week period ended June 29, 2013 representing debt issue costs expensed in conjunction with the refinancing of our 2010 Credit Facility and 2011 Credit Facility.

### Indentures

In December 2010, TransDigm Inc. issued \$1.6 billion in aggregate principal amount of its 7 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>% Senior Subordinated Notes due 2018 (the "2018 Notes") at an issue price of 100% of the principal amount. The 2018 Notes represent unsecured obligations of TransDigm Inc. ranking subordinate to TransDigm Inc.'s senior debt, as defined in the Indenture governing the 2018 Notes. Such notes do not require principal payments prior to their maturity in December 2018. Interest under the 2018 Notes is payable semi-annually. TransDigm utilized a portion of the proceeds from the 2018 Notes to repurchase its 7 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>% senior subordinated notes due 2014.

In October 2012, TransDigm Inc. issued \$550 million in aggregate principal amount of its  $5 \frac{1}{2}$ % Senior Subordinated Notes due 2020 ("2020 Notes") at an issue price of 100% of the principal amount. The 2020 Notes represent unsecured obligations of TransDigm Inc. ranking subordinate to TransDigm Inc.'s senior debt, as defined in the Indenture governing the 2020 Notes. Such notes do not require principal payments prior to their maturity in October 2020. Interest under the 2020 Notes is payable semi-annually.

In July 2013, the Company also issued \$500 million in aggregate principal amount of its 7 1/2% Senior Subordinated Notes due 2021 ("2021 Notes") at an issue price of 100% of the principal amount. The 2021 Notes represent unsecured obligations of TransDigm Inc. ranking subordinate to TransDigm Inc.'s senior debt, as defined in the Indenture governing the 2021 Notes. Such notes do not require principal payments prior to their maturity in July 2021. Interest under the 2021 Notes is payable semi-annually.

### Certain Restrictive Covenants in Our Debt Documents

The 2013 Credit Facility and the Indentures contain restrictive covenants that, among other things, limit the incurrence of additional indebtedness, the payment of dividends, transactions with affiliates, asset sales, acquisitions, mergers and consolidations, liens and encumbrances, and prepayments of other indebtedness. A breach of any of the covenants or an inability to comply with the required

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leverage ratio could result in a default under the 2013 Credit Facility or the Indentures. If any such default occurs, the lenders under the 2013 Credit Facility and the holders of the 2018 Notes, 2020 Notes and 2021 Notes may elect to declare all outstanding borrowings, together with accrued interest and other amounts payable thereunder, to be immediately due and payable. The lenders under the 2013 Credit Facility also have the right in these circumstances to terminate any commitments they have to provide further borrowings. In addition, following an event of default under the 2013 Credit Facility, the lenders thereunder will have the right to proceed against the collateral granted to them to secure the debt, which includes our available cash, and they will also have the right to prevent us from making debt service payments on the 2018 Notes, 2020 Notes and 2021 Notes.

### Stock Repurchase Program

On August 22, 2011 we announced a program permitting us to repurchase a portion of our outstanding shares not to exceed \$100 million in the aggregate. At June 29, 2013, the Company had repurchased 11,300 shares of its common stock at a gross cost of approximately \$0.8 million at a weighted-average price per share of \$74.87. No repurchases were made under the program during the quarter ended June 29, 2013.

### **Recent Accounting Pronouncement**

In June 2011, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued authoritative accounting guidance included in Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") Topic 220, "*Comprehensive Income*." This guidance eliminates the option to report other comprehensive income and its components in the statement of changes in equity. Companies can elect to present items of net income and other comprehensive income in one continuous statement or in two separate, but consecutive, statements. The Company adopted the presentation guidance during the first quarter of fiscal 2013 and has elected to present two separate consecutive statements.

### ITEM 3. QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURE ABOUT MARKET RISK

Our main exposure to market risk relates to interest rates. Our financial instruments that are subject to interest rate risk principally include fixed-rate and floatingrate long-term debt. At June 29, 2013, we had borrowings under our 2013 Credit Facility of \$2.19 billion that were subject to interest rate risk. Borrowings under our 2013 Credit Facility bear interest, at our option, at a rate equal to either an alternate base rate or an adjusted LIBO rate for a one-, two-, three- or six-month (or to the extent available to each lender, nine- or twelve-month) interest period chosen by us, in each case, plus an applicable margin percentage. Accordingly, the Company's cash flows and earnings will be exposed to the market risk of interest rate changes resulting from variable rate borrowings under our 2013 Credit Facility. The effect of a hypothetical one percentage point increase in interest rates would increase the annual interest costs under our 2013 Credit Facility by approximately \$21.9 million based on the amount of outstanding borrowings at June 29, 2013. The weighted average interest rate on the \$2.19 billion of borrowings under our 2013 Credit Facility on June 29, 2013 was 3.9%.

At June 29, 2013, three forward-starting interest rate swap agreements were in place to swap variable rates on the 2013 Credit Facility for a fixed rate based on an aggregate notional amount of \$353 million. These interest rate swap agreements converted the variable interest rate on the aggregate notional amount of the 2013 Credit Facility to a fixed rate of 5.17% (2.17% plus the 3% margin percentage) through June 30, 2015.

The fair value of the \$2.19 billion aggregate principal amount of borrowings under our 2013 Credit Facility is exposed to the market risk of interest rates. The estimated fair value of such term loans approximated \$2.16 billion at June 29, 2013 based upon information provided to the Company from its agent under the 2013 Credit Facility. The fair value of the \$1.60 billion  $7 \frac{3}{4}$ % Senior Subordinated Notes due 2018 and our \$0.55 billion  $5 \frac{1}{2}$ % Senior Subordinated Notes due 2012 are exposed to the market risk of interest rate changes. The estimated fair value of the 2018 Notes approximated \$1.68 billion and the estimated fair value of the 2020 Notes approximated \$0.51 billion at June 29, 2013 based upon quoted market rates.

## **ITEM 4. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES**

As of June 29, 2013, TD Group carried out an evaluation, under the supervision and with the participation of TD Group's management, including its Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer) and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer), of the effectiveness of the design and operation of TD Group's disclosure controls and procedures. Based upon that evaluation, the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer concluded that TD Group's disclosure controls and procedures are effective to ensure that information required to be disclosed by TD Group in the reports it files or submits under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, is recorded, processed, summarized and reported, within the time periods specified by the Securities and Exchange Commission's rules and forms, and that such information is accumulated and communicated to TD Group's management, including its Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, as appropriate, to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure. In designing and evaluating the disclosure controls and procedures, TD Group's management recognized that any controls and procedures, no matter how well designed and operated, can provide only reasonable assurance of

achieving the desired control objectives, and management necessarily was required to apply its judgment in designing and evaluating the controls and procedures. There have been no significant changes in TD Group's internal controls or other factors that could significantly affect the internal controls subsequent to the date of TD Group's evaluations.

### **Changes in Internal Control over Financial Reporting**

On June 28, 2013 we acquired Whippany Actuation. Whippany Actuation operated under its own set of systems and internal controls and we are currently maintaining those systems and much of that control environment until we are able to incorporate Whippany Actuation's processes into our own systems and control environment. We currently expect to complete the incorporation of Whippany Actuation's operations into our systems and control environment in fiscal 2014.

On June 5, 2013 we acquired Arkwin. Arkwin operated under its own set of systems and internal controls and we are currently maintaining those systems and much of that control environment until we are able to incorporate Arkwin's processes into our own systems and control environment. We currently expect to complete the incorporation of Arkwin's operations into our systems and control environment in fiscal 2014.

On June 5, 2013 we acquired Aerosonic. Aerosonic operated under its own set of systems and internal controls and we are currently maintaining those systems and much of that control environment until we are able to incorporate Aerosonic's processes into our own systems and control environment. We currently expect to complete the incorporation of Aerosonic's operations into our systems and control environment in fiscal 2014.

There have been no other changes to our internal controls over financial reporting that could have a material effect on our financial reporting during the quarter ended June 29, 2013.

# PART II: OTHER INFORMATION

### **ITEM 1A. RISK FACTORS**

In addition to the other information set forth in this report, you should carefully consider the risk factors disclosed in Item 1A of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2012. There have been no material changes to the risk factors set forth therein.

# ITEM 2. UNREGISTERED SALES OF EQUITY SECURITIES AND USE OF PROCEEDS: PURCHASES OF EQUITY SECURITIES BY THE ISSUER

On August 22, 2011, the Board of Directors authorized a common share repurchase program, which was announced on August 23, 2011. Under the terms of the program, the Company may purchase up to a maximum aggregate value of \$100 million of its shares of common stock. During the quarter ended June 29, 2013, the Company did not repurchase any shares under the program.

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### **ITEM 6. EXHIBITS**

- 4.1 Fifth Supplemental Indenture to the Indenture dated as of December 14, 2010, dated as of June 5, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., TransDigm Group Incorporated, the guarantors listed on the signature pages thereto and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed June 11, 2013)
- 4.2 First Supplemental Indenture to the Indenture dated as of October 15, 2012, dated as of June 5, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., TransDigm Group Incorporated, the guarantors listed on the signature pages thereto and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed June 11, 2013)
- 4.3 Sixth Supplemental Indenture to the Indenture dated as of December 14, 2010, dated as of June 26, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., TransDigm Group Incorporated, the guarantors listed on the signature pages thereto and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 1, 2013)
- 4.4 Second Supplemental Indenture to the Indenture dated as of October 15, 2012, dated as of June 26, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., TransDigm Group Incorporated, the guarantors listed on the signature pages thereto and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 1, 2013)
- 4.5 Indenture, dated as of July 1, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., as issuer, TransDigm Group Incorporated, as a guarantor, the subsidiary guarantors party thereto and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee, relating to TransDigm Inc.'s 7.50% Senior Subordinated Notes due 2021. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 3, 2013).
- 4.6 Form of 7.50% Senior Subordinated Notes due 2021 (included in Exhibit 4.5). (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 3, 2013).
- 4.7 Form of Notation of Guarantee (included in Exhibit 4.5). (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 3, 2013).
- 4.8 Registration Rights Agreement, dated as of July 1, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., as issuer, TransDigm Group
   Incorporated, as a guarantor, the subsidiary guarantors party thereto and UBS Securities LLC and Credit Suisse
   Securities (USA) LLC as representatives for the initial purchasers listed therein. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 3, 2013).
- 10.1 Joinder Agreement, dated as of June 5, 2013, between Arkwin Industries, Inc. and Credit Suisse AG, as agent, to the Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of February 28, 2013. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed June 11, 2013)
- 10.2 Supplement No. 1, dated as of June 5, 2013, between Arkwin Industries, Inc. and Credit Suisse AG, as agent, to the Guarantee and Collateral Agreement, dated as of June 23, 2006, as amended and restated. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed June 11, 2013)
- 10.3 Joinder Agreement, dated as of June 26, 2013, between Whippany Actuation Systems, LLC and Credit Suisse AG, as agent, to the Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of February 28, 2013. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 1, 2013)
- 10.4 Supplement No. 2, dated as of June 26, 2013, between Whippany Actuation Systems, LLC and Credit Suisse AG, as agent, to the Guarantee and Collateral Agreement, dated as of June 23, 2006, as amended and restated. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 1, 2013)
- 10.5 Amendment No. 1, dated as of July 1, 2013, relating to the Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of February 28, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., TransDigm Group Incorporated, the subsidiaries of TransDigm Inc. from time to time party thereto, the lenders party thereto, as lenders, and Credit Suisse AG, as administrative agent and collateral agent. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 3, 2013)
- 10.6 Incremental Term Loan Assumption Agreement, dated as of July 1, 2013, relating to Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of February 28, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., TransDigm Group Incorporated, the subsidiaries of TransDigm Inc. from time to time party thereto, the lenders party thereto, as lenders, and Credit Suisse AG, as administrative agent. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 3, 2013)

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- 10.7 Amendment, date as of July 19, 2013, to the Guarantee and Collateral Agreement dated as of June 23, 2006, as amended and restated as of December 6, 2010, February 14, 2011 and February 28, 2013, and as amended by Amendment No. 1 dated as of July 1, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., TransDigm Group Incorporated, the subsidiaries of TransDigm Inc. from time to time party thereto, and Credit Suisse AG, as administrative agent and collateral agent.
- 31.1 Certification by Principal Executive Officer of TransDigm Group Incorporated pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a) or 15d-14(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as adopted pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
- 31.2 Certification by Principal Financial Officer of TransDigm Group Incorporated pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a) or 15d-14(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as adopted pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
- 32.1 Certification by Principal Executive Officer of TransDigm Group Incorporated pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
- 32.2 Certification by Principal Financial Officer of TransDigm Group Incorporated pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
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# SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

# TRANSDIGM GROUP INCORPORATED

SIGNATURE	TITLE	DATE
/s/ W. Nicholas Howley W. Nicholas Howley	Chairman of the Board of Directors and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)	August 7, 2013
/s/ Gregory Rufus Gregory Rufus	Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Secretary (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)	August 7, 2013

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## EXHIBIT INDEX TO FORM 10-Q FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JUNE 29, 2013

#### DESCRIPTION EXHIBIT NO. Fifth Supplemental Indenture to the Indenture dated as of December 14, 2010, dated as of June 5, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., 4.1 TransDigm Group Incorporated, the guarantors listed on the signature pages thereto and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed June 11, 2013) First Supplemental Indenture to the Indenture dated as of October 15, 2012, dated as of June 5, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., 4.2 TransDigm Group Incorporated, the guarantors listed on the signature pages thereto and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed June 11, 2013) Sixth Supplemental Indenture to the Indenture dated as of December 14, 2010, dated as of June 26, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., 4.3 TransDigm Group Incorporated, the guarantors listed on the signature pages thereto and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 1, 2013) 4.4 Second Supplemental Indenture to the Indenture dated as of October 15, 2012, dated as of June 26, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., TransDigm Group Incorporated, the guarantors listed on the signature pages thereto and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 1, 2013) Indenture, dated as of July 1, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., as issuer, TransDigm Group Incorporated, as a guarantor, the subsidiary 4.5 guarantors party thereto and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee, relating to TransDigm Inc.'s 7.50% Senior Subordinated Notes due 2021. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 3, 2013). Form of 7.50% Senior Subordinated Notes due 2021 (included in Exhibit 4.5). (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 3, 4.6 2013). Form of Notation of Guarantee (included in Exhibit 4.5). (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 3, 2013). 4.7 Registration Rights Agreement, dated as of July 1, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., as issuer, TransDigm Group Incorporated, as a 4.8 guarantor, the subsidiary guarantors party thereto and UBS Securities LLC and Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC as representatives for the initial purchasers listed therein. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 3, 2013). 10.1 Joinder Agreement, dated as of June 5, 2013, between Arkwin Industries, Inc. and Credit Suisse AG, as agent, to the Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of February 28, 2013. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed June 11, 2013) Supplement No. 1, dated as of June 5, 2013, between Arkwin Industries, Inc. and Credit Suisse AG, as agent, to the Guarantee and 10.2 Collateral Agreement, dated as of June 23, 2006, as amended and restated. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed June 11, 2013) Joinder Agreement, dated as of June 26, 2013, between Whippany Actuation Systems, LLC and Credit Suisse AG, as agent, to the 10.3 Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of February 28, 2013. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 1, 2013) Supplement No. 2, dated as of June 26, 2013, between Whippany Actuation Systems, LLC and Credit Suisse AG, as agent, to the 10.4 Guarantee and Collateral Agreement, dated as of June 23, 2006, as amended and restated. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 1, 2013) 10.5 Amendment No. 1, dated as of July 1, 2013, relating to the Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of February 28, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., TransDigm Group Incorporated, the subsidiaries of TransDigm Inc. from time to time party thereto, the lenders party thereto, as lenders, and Credit Suisse AG, as administrative agent and collateral agent. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 3, 2013)

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EXHIBIT NO.	DESCRIPTION
10.6	Incremental Term Loan Assumption Agreement, dated as of July 1, 2013, relating to Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of February 28, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., TransDigm Group Incorporated, the subsidiaries of TransDigm Inc. from time to time party thereto, the lenders party thereto, as lenders, and Credit Suisse AG, as administrative agent. (Incorporated by reference to Form 8-K filed July 3, 2013)
10.7	Amendment, date as of July 19, 2013, to the Guarantee and Collateral Agreement dated as of June 23, 2006, as amended and restated as of December 6, 2010, February 14, 2011 and February 28, 2013, and as amended by Amendment No. 1 dated as of July 1, 2013, among TransDigm Inc., TransDigm Group Incorporated, the subsidiaries of TransDigm Inc. from time to time party thereto, and Credit Suisse AG, as administrative agent and collateral agent.
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# EXECUTION VERSION

AMENDMENT dated as of July 19, 2013 (this "<u>Amendment</u>"), to the GUARANTEE AND COLLATERAL AGREEMENT dated as of June 23, 2006, as amended and restated as of December 6, 2010, February 14, 2011 and February 28, 2013 and as amended by Amendment No. 1 dated as of July 1, 2013 (the "<u>Guarantee and Collateral Agreement</u>"), among TRANSDIGM INC., a Delaware corporation (the "<u>Borrower</u>"), TRANSDIGM GROUP INCORPORATED, a Delaware corporation ("<u>Holdings</u>"), each subsidiary of the Borrower from time to time party thereto and CREDIT SUISSE AG, as administrative agent and collateral agent (in such capacities, the "<u>Agent</u>").

A. Reference is made to the Amended and Restated Credit Agreement dated as of February 28, 2013 (as amended by Amendment No. 1 dated as of July 1, 2013, the "<u>Credit Agreement</u>"), among the Borrower, Holdings, the subsidiaries of the Borrower from time to time party thereto, the lenders from time to time party thereto (the "<u>Lenders</u>") and the Agent.

B. Pursuant to Section 9.02(f) of the Credit Agreement, the Agent, Holdings and the Borrower may amend any Loan Document to correct administrative or manifest errors or omissions, so long as such amendment shall have been posted to the Lenders for at least five Business Days and the Required Lenders shall not have objected in writing to such amendment within such five Business Day period.

C. The Agent, Holdings and the Borrower desire to amend the Guarantee and Collateral Agreement, on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth herein, in accordance with Section 9.02(f) of the Credit Agreement.

Accordingly, in consideration of the mutual agreements herein contained and other good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency and receipt of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

SECTION 1. <u>Defined Terms</u>. Capitalized terms used but not defined herein (including the recitals hereto) shall have the meanings given to them in the Credit Agreement. The rules of interpretation set forth in Section 1.03 of the Credit Agreement are hereby incorporated by reference herein, *mutatis mutandis*.

SECTION 2. <u>Amendment to Guarantee and Collateral Agreement</u>. Subject to the satisfaction of the conditions set forth in Section 3 hereof, the definition of the term "Secured Parties" set forth in Section 1.02 of the Guarantee and Collateral Agreement is hereby amended by replacing the words "Hedging Agreement" in clause (d) thereof with the words "Hedge Agreement".

SECTION 3. <u>Conditions Precedent to Effectiveness</u>. The effectiveness of this Amendment shall be subject to the satisfaction of the following conditions precedent (the date on which such conditions precedent are so satisfied, the "Effective Date"):

(i) the Agent shall have received counterparts of this Amendment that bear the signatures of the Borrower and Holdings; and

(ii) (ii) this Amendment shall have been posted to the Lenders for a period of five Business Days, and the Required Lenders shall not have objected in writing to this Amendment within such five Business Day period.

The Agent shall notify the Borrower and the Lenders of the Effective Date, and such notice shall be conclusive and binding.

SECTION 4. Effect of Agreement. Except as expressly set forth herein, this Amendment shall not by implication or otherwise limit, impair, constitute a waiver of, or otherwise affect the rights and remedies of the Lenders or the Agent under the Guarantee and Collateral Agreement or any other Loan Document, and shall not alter, modify, amend or in any way affect any of the terms, conditions, obligations, covenants or agreements contained in the Guarantee and Collateral Agreement or any other Loan Document, all of which are ratified and affirmed in all respects and shall continue in full force and effect. Nothing herein shall be deemed to entitle any Loan Party to a consent to, or a waiver, amendment, modification or other change of, any of the terms, conditions, obligations, covenants or agreements contained in the Guarantee and Collateral Agreement or any other Loan Document and Collateral Agreement or any other Loan Document, and shall apply and be effective only with respect to the provisions of the Guarantee and Collateral Agreement specifically referred to herein. After the Effective Date, any reference to the Guarantee and Collateral Agreement in any Loan Document, and the terms "this Agreement", "herein", "hereunder", "hereof" and words of similar import in the Guarantee and Collateral Agreement, shall, unless the context otherwise requires, mean the Guarantee and Collateral Agreement as modified hereby. This Amendment shall constitute a "Loan Document" for all purposes of the Credit Agreement and the other Loan Documents.

SECTION 5. <u>Counterparts</u>. This Amendment may be executed in counterparts (and by different parties hereto on different counterparts), each of which shall constitute an original, but all of which when taken together shall constitute a single contract. Delivery of an executed counterpart of a signature page of this Amendment by facsimile or other electronic method of transmission shall be effective as delivery of a manually signed counterpart of this Amendment.

SECTION 6. <u>Governing Law</u>. THIS AMENDMENT SHALL BE CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AND GOVERNED BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK. The provisions of Sections 9.09 and 9.10 of the Credit Agreement shall apply to this Amendment to the same extent as if fully set forth herein.

SECTION 7. <u>Headings</u>. Section headings used herein are for convenience of reference only, are not part of this Amendment and shall not affect the construction of, or be taken into consideration in interpreting, this Amendment.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Amendment to be duly executed by their duly authorized officers, all as of the date first above written.

# TRANSDIGM, INC.

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by

## /s/ Gregory Rufus

Name: Gregory Rufus Title: Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Secretary

# TRANSDIGM GROUP INCORPORATED

/s/ Gregory Rufus

Name: Gregory Rufus Title: Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Secretary

CREDIT SUISSE AG, CAYMAN ISLANDS BRANCH, as Agent

by /s/ KEVIN BUDDHDEW Name: Kevin Buddhdew Title: Authorized Signatory

/S/ PATRICK FREYTAG

Name: Patrick Freytag Title: Authorized Signatory

by

# CERTIFICATION

I, W. Nicholas Howley, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of TransDigm Group Incorporated;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - (a) designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - (b) designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - (c) evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - (d) disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's Board of Directors:
  - (a) all significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - (b) any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: August 7, 2013

/s/ W. Nicholas Howley

Name: W. Nicholas Howley Title: Chairman of the Board of Directors and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)

# CERTIFICATION

I, Gregory Rufus, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of TransDigm Group Incorporated;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - (a) designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - (b) designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - (c) evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - (d) disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's Board of Directors:
  - (a) all significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - (b) any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: August 7, 2013

/s/ Gregory Rufus

 Name:
 Gregory Rufus

 Title:
 Executive Vice President, Chief

 Financial Officer and Secretary
 (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

# CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350, AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

In connection with the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of TransDigm Group Incorporated (the "Company") for the period ended June 29, 2013 as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I, W. Nicholas Howley, Chairman of the Board of Directors and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer), certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that, to my knowledge:

- 1. The Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934; and
- 2. The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition of the Company.

Date: August 7, 2013

/s/ W. Nicholas Howley

Name: W. Nicholas Howley Title: Chairman of the Board of Directors and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)

# CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350, AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

In connection with the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of TransDigm Group Incorporated (the "Company") for the period ended June 29, 2013 as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I, Gregory Rufus, Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Secretary (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer), certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that, to my knowledge:

- 1. The Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934; and
- 2. The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition of the Company.

Date: August 7, 2013

/s/ Gregory Rufus

Name: Gregory Rufus Title: Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Secretary (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)