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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

**QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the Quarterly Period Ended December 28, 2007

or

**TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

001-33260

(Commission File Number)

TYCO ELECTRONICS LTD.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Bermuda

(Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

98-0518048

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

Second Floor, 96 Pitts Bay Road, Pembroke, HM 08, Bermuda

(Address of principal executive offices)

441-294-0607

(Registrant's telephone number)

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 No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, or a non-accelerated filer. See definition of "accelerated filer and large accelerated filer" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act (check one):

Large accelerated filer

Accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes No

The number of common shares outstanding as of February 5, 2008 was 487,415,277.

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

TYCO ELECTRONICS LTD.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED AND COMBINED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED)

	For the Quarters Ended	
	December 28, 2007	December 29, 2006
	(in millions, except per share data)	
Net sales	\$ 3,675	\$ 3,094
Cost of sales	2,758	2,279
Gross income	917	815
Selling, general, and administrative expenses	418	411
Restructuring and other charges, net	21	10
Income from operations	478	394
Interest income	10	15
Interest expense	(50)	(60)
Other income	592	
Income from continuing operations before income taxes and minority interest	1,030	349
Income taxes	(157)	(108)
Minority interest	(1)	(1)
Income from continuing operations	872	240
Income from discontinued operations, net of income taxes	77	41
Net income	\$ 949	\$ 281
Basic earnings per share:		
Income from continuing operations	\$ 1.76	\$ 0.48
Income from discontinued operations	0.15	0.09
Net income	\$ 1.91	\$ 0.57
Diluted earnings per share:		
Income from continuing operations	\$ 1.75	\$ 0.48
Income from discontinued operations	0.15	0.09
Net income	\$ 1.90	\$ 0.57
Weighted-average number of shares outstanding:		
Basic	496	497

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For the Quarters Ended

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See Notes to Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements.

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

	December 28, 2007 (Unaudited)	September 28, 2007
(in millions, except share data)		
Assets		
Current Assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 916	\$ 936
Accounts receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of \$55 and \$60, respectively	2,732	2,686
Inventories	2,343	2,128
Class action settlement escrow	933	928
Class action settlement receivable	2,078	2,064
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	539	591
Deferred income taxes	238	325
Assets held for sale		215
	<u>9,779</u>	<u>9,873</u>
Total current assets	9,779	9,873
Property, plant, and equipment, net	3,546	3,505
Goodwill	7,181	7,177
Intangible assets, net	547	554
Deferred income taxes	2,136	1,397
Receivable from Tyco International Ltd. and Covidien Ltd.	1,424	844
Other assets	355	338
	<u>24,968</u>	<u>23,688</u>
Total Assets	\$ 24,968	\$ 23,688
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity		
Current Liabilities:		
Current maturities of long-term debt	\$ 24	\$ 5
Accounts payable	1,459	1,382
Class action settlement liability	3,011	2,992
Accrued and other current liabilities	1,379	1,450
Deferred revenue	296	191
Liabilities held for sale		165
	<u>6,169</u>	<u>6,185</u>
Total current liabilities	6,169	6,185
Long-term debt	3,260	3,373
Long-term pension and postretirement liabilities	630	607
Deferred income taxes	271	271
Income taxes	2,577	1,242
Other liabilities	620	618
	<u>13,527</u>	<u>12,296</u>
Total Liabilities	13,527	12,296
Commitments and contingencies (Note 12)		
Minority interest	12	15
Shareholders' Equity:		
Preferred shares, \$0.20 par value, 125,000,000 shares authorized; none outstanding		
Common shares, \$0.20 par value, 1,000,000,000 shares authorized; 498,448,019 and 497,467,930 issued, respectively	100	99

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	December 28, 2007 (Unaudited)	September 28, 2007
Capital in excess:		
Share premium	31	13
Contributed surplus	10,048	10,029
Accumulated earnings	432	186
Treasury shares, at cost, 7,084,934 and 44,454 shares, respectively	(260)	(2)
Accumulated other comprehensive income	1,078	1,052
Total Shareholders' Equity	11,429	11,377
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	\$ 24,968	\$ 23,688

See Notes to Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements.

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED AND COMBINED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(UNAUDITED)

	For the Quarters Ended	
	December 28, 2007	December 29, 2006
	(in millions)	
Cash Flows From Operating Activities:		
Net income	\$ 949	\$ 281
Income from discontinued operations, net of income taxes	(77)	(41)
	<u>872</u>	<u>240</u>
Income from continuing operations		
Adjustments to reconcile net cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	140	128
Deferred income taxes	42	21
Provision for losses on accounts receivable and inventory	10	32
Tax sharing income	(592)	
Other	57	
Changes in assets and liabilities, net of the effects of acquisitions and divestitures:		
Accounts receivable, net	(22)	50
Inventories	(130)	(217)
Accounts payable	2	51
Accrued and other liabilities	(160)	(159)
Income taxes	46	
Deferred revenue	111	60
Long-term pension and postretirement liabilities	14	7
Other	2	
	<u>392</u>	<u>213</u>
Net cash provided by continuing operating activities		
Net cash provided by discontinued operating activities	1	6
	<u>393</u>	<u>219</u>
Net cash provided by operating activities		
Cash Flows From Investing Activities:		
Capital expenditures	(129)	(452)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant, and equipment	4	7
Proceeds from divestiture of discontinued operations, net of cash retained by businesses sold	102	227
Other	(9)	1
	<u>(32)</u>	<u>(217)</u>
Net cash used in continuing investing activities		
Net cash used in discontinued investing activities		(2)
	<u>(32)</u>	<u>(219)</u>
Net cash used in investing activities		
Cash Flows From Financing Activities:		
Net increase in commercial paper	505	
Repayment of long-term debt	(700)	
Proceeds from long-term debt	100	
Allocated debt activity		19
Net transactions with former parent		(20)
Repurchase of common shares	(232)	

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	For the Quarters Ended	
	_____	_____
Payment of common dividends	(70)	
Proceeds from exercise of share options	19	
Other	(8)	(1)
	_____	_____
Net cash used in continuing financing activities	(386)	(2)
Net cash (used in) provided by discontinued financing activities	(4)	2
	_____	_____
Net cash used in financing activities	(390)	
	_____	_____
Effect of currency translation on cash	6	7
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents	(23)	7
Less: net decrease (increase) in cash and cash equivalents related to discontinued operations	3	(6)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	936	469
	_____	_____
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 916	\$ 470
	_____	_____

See Notes to Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements.

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NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED AND

COMBINED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

1. Basis of Presentation

Tyco Electronics Ltd. ("Tyco Electronics" or the "Company"), a company organized under the laws of Bermuda, is a leading global provider of engineered electronic components, network solutions, wireless systems, and undersea telecommunication systems.

The Separation

Effective June 29, 2007, the Company became the parent company of the former electronics businesses of Tyco International Ltd. ("Tyco International"). On June 29, 2007, Tyco International distributed all of its shares of Tyco Electronics, as well as its shares of its former healthcare businesses ("Covidien"), to its common shareholders (the "Separation").

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements reflect the consolidated operations of Tyco Electronics Ltd. and its subsidiaries as an independent, publicly-traded company subsequent to the Separation and a combined reporting entity comprising the assets and liabilities used in managing and operating the electronics businesses of Tyco International, including Tyco Electronics Ltd., for periods prior to the Separation.

The unaudited Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements have been prepared in United States dollars, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP"). The preparation of the Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make use of estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses. Actual results could differ materially from these estimates. In management's opinion, the unaudited Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements contain all normal recurring adjustments necessary for a fair presentation of interim results. The results of operations reported for interim periods are not necessarily indicative of the results of operations for the entire fiscal year or any subsequent interim period.

The Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with the instructions to Form 10-Q under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. The year-end balance sheet data was derived from audited financial statements, but does not include all of the information and note disclosures required by GAAP. These financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Company's audited Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements contained in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 28, 2007.

The Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements for periods prior to the Separation may not be indicative of the Company's future performance and do not necessarily reflect what its consolidated and combined results of operations, financial position, and cash flows would have been had it operated as an independent, publicly-traded company during the periods presented. To the extent that an asset, liability, revenue, or expense is directly associated with the Company, it is reflected in the accompanying Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements. Certain general corporate overhead and other expenses as well as debt and related net interest expense for periods prior to the Separation were allocated by Tyco International to the Company. During the quarter ended December 29, 2006, the Company was allocated \$50 million of general corporate overhead expenses

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**NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED AND
COMBINED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)**

1. Basis of Presentation (Continued)

incurred by Tyco International, which are included within selling, general, and administrative expenses in the Condensed Consolidated and Combined Statements of Operations. In addition, during the quarter ended December 29, 2006, Tyco International allocated to the Company interest expense of \$56 million and interest income of \$9 million. (See Note 8 for additional information regarding allocated net interest expense.) Management believes such allocations were reasonable; however, they may not be indicative of the actual results of the Company had the Company been operating as an independent, publicly-traded company for the periods presented.

Unless otherwise indicated, references in the Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements to fiscal 2008 and fiscal 2007 are to the Company's fiscal years ending September 26, 2008 and September 28, 2007, respectively.

Reclassifications

Certain prior period amounts have been reclassified to conform with the current period presentation.

2. Recent Accounting Pronouncements

Effective September 29, 2007, the beginning of fiscal 2008, the Company adopted Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") Interpretation No. ("FIN") 48, "*Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes - an interpretation of FASB Statement No. 109.*" This interpretation prescribes a comprehensive model for the financial statement recognition, measurement, presentation, and disclosure of uncertain tax positions taken or expected to be taken in income tax returns. FIN 48 requires that an enterprise must determine whether it is more-likely-than-not that a tax position will be sustained upon examination by taxing authorities, including resolution of any appeals or litigation processes, based upon the technical merits of the position. A tax position that meets the more-likely-than-not threshold is then measured to determine the amount of tax benefit to recognize in the financial statements. As a result of adopting FIN 48, the Company recorded a net increase in contingent tax liabilities of \$1,282 million, an increase in deferred tax assets of \$647 million, and a corresponding decrease in the opening balance of accumulated earnings of \$635 million. See Note 13 for additional information regarding income taxes and the adoption of FIN 48.

3. Restructuring and Other Charges, Net

Charges to operations by segment during the quarters ended December 28, 2007 and December 29, 2006 were as follows:

	For the Quarters Ended	
	December 28, 2007	December 29, 2006
	(in millions)	
Electronic Components	\$ 15	\$ 8
Network Solutions	5	
Wireless Systems		1
Undersea Telecommunications	1	1
	\$ 21	\$ 10

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NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED AND
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3. Restructuring and Other Charges, Net (Continued)

Amounts recognized in the Condensed Consolidated and Combined Statements of Operations during the quarters ended December 28, 2007 and December 29, 2006 are as follows:

	For the Quarters Ended	
	December 28, 2007	December 29, 2006
	(in millions)	
Restructuring and other charges, net:		
Cash charges	\$ 14	\$ 10
Non-cash charges	7	
	\$ 21	\$ 10

Cash Charges

Activity in the Company's restructuring reserves during the first quarter of fiscal 2008 is summarized as follows:

	Balance at September 28, 2007	Charges	Utilization	Currency Translation	Balance at December 28, 2007
	(in millions)				
Fiscal 2008 Actions:					
Employee severance	\$	\$ 6	\$	\$	\$ 6
Other		1			1
		7			7
Fiscal 2007 Actions:					
Employee severance	64	2	(9)	1	58
Facilities exit costs	1	1	(1)		1
Other		3	(2)		1
	65	6	(12)	1	60
Pre-Fiscal 2007 Actions:					
Facilities exit costs	67	1	(4)	2	66
Total Activity	\$ 132	\$ 14	\$ (16)	\$ 3	\$ 133

Fiscal 2008 Actions

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The Company initiated restructuring actions during the first quarter of fiscal 2008 relating to the migration of product lines to low cost countries and the exit of manufacturing operations in the Electronic Components segment. In connection with these actions, during the first quarter of fiscal 2008, the Company recorded restructuring charges of \$7 million primarily related to employee severance and benefits. The Company expects to complete all restructuring activities commenced in fiscal 2008 by the end of fiscal 2009 and to incur additional charges of approximately \$4 million relating to these initiated actions by completion.

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3. Restructuring and Other Charges, Net (Continued)

Fiscal 2007 Actions

Fiscal 2007 actions included the migration of product lines to low cost countries and the exit of manufacturing operations in the Electronic Components and Network Solutions segments and the rationalization of certain product lines in the Wireless Systems segment. During the first quarter of 2008 and the first quarter of fiscal 2007, the Company recorded restructuring charges of \$6 million and \$9 million, respectively, related to these initiatives. The Company expects to complete all restructuring activities commenced in fiscal 2007 by the end of fiscal 2009 and to incur additional charges of approximately \$24 million relating to these actions by completion.

Fiscal 2006 and Prior Actions

During the first quarter of fiscal 2008 and the first quarter of fiscal 2007, the Company recorded restructuring charges of \$1 million related to interest accretion on restructuring reserves for activities announced in prior fiscal years.

Non-Cash Charges

During the first quarter of fiscal 2008, the Company recorded non-cash charges of \$7 million primarily related to fixed assets and intangibles in connection with exited manufacturing facilities and product lines.

Total Restructuring Reserves

The Company's restructuring reserves by segment are as follows:

	December 28, 2007	September 28, 2007
	(in millions)	
Electronic Components	\$ 36	\$ 29
Network Solutions	35	34
Wireless Systems	3	6
Undersea Telecommunications	59	63
	<u>133</u>	<u>132</u>
Restructuring reserves	\$ 133	\$ 132

Restructuring reserves were included in the Company's Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets as follows:

	December 28, 2007	September 28, 2007
	(in millions)	
Accrued and other current liabilities	\$ 71	\$ 70
Other liabilities	62	62
	<u>133</u>	<u>132</u>
Restructuring reserves	\$ 133	\$ 132

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**NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED AND
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4. Discontinued Operations

In December 2007, the Company completed the sale of its Power Systems business for \$102 million in net cash proceeds and recorded a \$56 million pre-tax gain on the sale. The proceeds received are subject to a final working capital adjustment.

During the first quarter of fiscal 2007, the Company completed the sale of the Printed Circuit Group business for \$227 million in net cash proceeds and recorded a \$45 million pre-tax gain on the sale.

The Power Systems and Printed Circuit Group businesses met the held for sale and discontinued operations criteria and have been included in discontinued operations in all periods presented. Prior to reclassification as held for sale, both the Power Systems and Printed Circuit Group businesses were components of the Other segment, which was subsequently renamed the Undersea Telecommunications segment.

The following table reflects net sales, pre-tax loss from discontinued operations, pre-tax gain on sale of discontinued operations, and income taxes for the quarters ended December 28, 2007 and December 29, 2006:

	For the Quarters Ended	
	December 28, 2007	December 29, 2006
	(in millions)	
Net sales	\$ 117	\$ 156
Pre-tax loss from discontinued operations	\$ (13)	\$ (15)
Pre-tax gain on sale of discontinued operations	56	45
Income tax benefit	34	11
Income from discontinued operations, net of income taxes	\$ 77	\$ 41

The following table presents balance sheet information for discontinued operations and other businesses and assets held for sale at September 28, 2007; there were no such amounts at December 28, 2007 as a result of the sale of the Power Systems business during the first quarter of fiscal 2008:

	September 28, 2007
	(in millions)
Accounts receivable, net	\$ 96
Inventories	114
Other assets	5
Total assets	\$ 215
Accounts payable	\$ 39
Accrued and other current liabilities	24
Other liabilities	102
Total liabilities	\$ 165

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5. Inventories

Inventories consisted of the following:

	December 28, 2007	September 28, 2007
	(in millions)	
Raw materials	\$ 373	\$ 327
Work in progress	1,031	919
Finished goods	939	882
	\$ 2,343	\$ 2,128

6. Goodwill

The changes in the carrying amount of goodwill by segment were as follows:

	Electronic Components	Network Solutions	Wireless Systems	Total
	(in millions)			
Balance at September 28, 2007	\$ 6,008	\$ 850	\$ 319	\$ 7,177
Currency translation	4			4
	\$ 6,012	\$ 850	\$ 319	\$ 7,181

7. Intangible Assets, Net

The Company's intangible assets were as follows:

	December 28, 2007				September 28, 2007			
	Gross Carrying Amount	Accumulated Amortization	Net Carrying Amount	Weighted Average Amortization Period	Gross Carrying Amount	Accumulated Amortization	Net Carrying Amount	Weighted Average Amortization Period
	(\$ in millions)							
Intellectual property	\$ 864	\$ (329)	\$ 535	23 years	\$ 858	\$ (315)	\$ 543	23 years
Other	15	(3)	12	50 years	14	(3)	11	50 years
	\$ 879	\$ (332)	\$ 547	24 years	\$ 872	\$ (318)	\$ 554	24 years

Intangible asset amortization expense, which is recorded in selling, general, and administrative expenses, was \$10 million and \$9 million for the quarters ended December 28, 2007 and December 29,

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7. Intangible Assets, Net (Continued)

2006, respectively. The estimated aggregate amortization expense on intangible assets currently owned by the Company is expected to be as follows:

	<u>(in millions)</u>
Remainder of fiscal 2008	\$ 30
Fiscal 2009	39
Fiscal 2010	38
Fiscal 2011	38
Fiscal 2012	37
Fiscal 2013	36
Thereafter	329
	<u>\$ 547</u>

8. Debt

Debt was as follows:

	<u>December 28, 2007</u>	<u>September 28, 2007</u>
	<u>(in millions)</u>	
6.00% senior notes due 2012	\$ 800	\$ 800
6.55% senior notes due 2017	747	747
7.125% senior notes due 2037	498	498
Unsecured senior bridge loan facility	550	550
Unsecured senior revolving credit facility	100	700
Commercial paper	505	
7.2% notes due 2008	19	19
Other	65	64
	<u>3,284</u>	<u>3,378</u>
Total debt		
Less current portion ⁽¹⁾	24	5
	<u>3,260</u>	<u>3,373</u>
Long-term debt		

(1)

The current portion of long-term debt at December 28, 2007 was comprised of the 7.2% notes and \$5 million of the amount shown as other. At September 28, 2007, the current portion of long term debt was comprised of \$5 million of the amount shown as other.

In connection with the issuance by Tyco Electronics Group S.A. ("TEGSA"), a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, of 6.00% senior notes, 6.55% senior notes, and 7.125% senior notes in September 2007, TEGSA and the Company entered into an exchange and registration rights agreement with the initial purchasers under which TEGSA and the Company agreed, for the benefit of the holders of the senior notes, to file with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") an exchange offer registration statement within 210 days after the date of the original issue of the notes. If certain registration requirements are not met by the required time or registration is withdrawn or is subject to an

effective stop order, there may be a registration default, requiring payment by the Company of

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8. Debt (Continued)

liquidated damages in the form of special interest at a rate of 0.25% per annum for the first 90 days of such registration default, and at a rate of 0.50% thereafter, until such registration default is cured. As of December 28, 2007, the Company has determined that the likelihood of a registration default is remote and has not accrued any special interest.

As of December 28, 2007 and September 28, 2007, TEGSA had \$100 million and \$700 million, respectively, outstanding under the five-year unsecured senior revolving credit facility, which bore interest at the rate of 5.44% and 5.38%, respectively. Also, as of December 28, 2007 and September 28, 2007, TEGSA had \$550 million of indebtedness outstanding under the unsecured senior bridge loan facility, which bore interest at the rate of 5.49% and 5.47%, respectively.

In November 2007, TEGSA commenced issuing commercial paper to U.S. institutional accredited investors and qualified institutional buyers in accordance with available exemptions from the registration requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as part of the Company's ongoing effort to enhance financial flexibility and to potentially decrease the cost of borrowings. As of December 28, 2007, TEGSA had \$505 million of commercial paper outstanding which bore interest at an average rate of 5.36%. Borrowings under the commercial paper program are backed by the five-year unsecured senior revolving credit facility.

TEGSA's payment obligations under the senior notes, five-year unsecured senior revolving credit facility, unsecured senior bridge loan facility, and commercial paper are fully and unconditionally guaranteed by Tyco Electronics Ltd.

The Company's debt agreements contain financial and other customary covenants. As of December 28, 2007, the Company was in compliance with all of its debt covenants.

For the quarter ended December 29, 2006, Tyco International allocated to the Company interest expense of \$56 million and interest income of \$9 million. Net interest expense was allocated in the same proportions as debt through June 1, 2007 and includes the impact of interest rate swap agreements designated as fair value hedges. Management believes the allocation basis for debt and net interest expense was reasonable based on the historical financing needs of the Company. However, these amounts may not be indicative of the actual amounts that the Company would have incurred had it been operating as an independent, publicly-traded company for the periods presented.

Certain of the Company's operating subsidiaries have overdraft and similar types of facilities, which total \$54 million, of which \$51 million was undrawn and available at December 28, 2007. These facilities, most of which are renewable, expire at various dates through the year 2010 and are established primarily within the Company's international operations.

9. Guarantees

Pursuant to the Separation and Distribution Agreement and Tax Sharing Agreement, upon Separation, the Company entered into certain guarantee commitments and indemnifications with Tyco International and Covidien. Under these agreements, principally the Tax Sharing Agreement, Tyco International, Covidien, and Tyco Electronics share 27%, 42%, and 31%, respectively, of certain contingent liabilities relating to unresolved tax matters of legacy Tyco International. The effect of the Tax Sharing Agreement is to indemnify the Company for 69% of certain liabilities settled by the

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9. Guarantees (Continued)

Company with respect to unresolved legacy tax matters. Pursuant to that indemnification, the Company has made similar indemnifications to Tyco International and Covidien with respect to 31% of certain liabilities settled by the companies with respect to unresolved legacy tax matters. If any of the companies responsible for all or a portion of such liabilities were to default in its payment of costs or expenses related to any such liability, the Company would be responsible for a portion of the defaulting party or parties' obligation. The Company's indemnification created under the Tax Sharing Agreement qualifies as a guarantee of a third party entity's debt under FIN 45, "*Guarantor's Accounting and Disclosure Requirements for Guarantees, Including Indirect Guarantees of Indebtedness of Others.*"

At September 28, 2007, the probability-weighted cash flows and risk premium of certain unresolved legacy tax matters for which the Company has made indemnifications to Tyco International and Covidien resulted in a fair value of the FIN 45 liability of \$296 million. During the first quarter of fiscal 2008, the Company, while assessing its income tax positions under FIN 48, decreased this liability by \$14 million to \$282 million and recorded the adjustment to other income on the Condensed Consolidated and Combined Statement of Operations. This liability under FIN 45 consists of two components. The first component is a Statement of Financial Accounting Standards ("SFAS") No. 5, "*Accounting for Contingencies,*" liability that represents the asserted liabilities that either Tyco International or Covidien have determined to be probable and estimable totaling \$184 million. The remaining \$98 million represents the fair value of the 31% indemnification made to Tyco International and Covidien under the Tax Sharing Agreement.

In disposing of assets or businesses, the Company often provides representations, warranties, and/or indemnities to cover various risks including unknown damage to the assets, environmental risks involved in the sale of real estate, liability for investigation and remediation of environmental contamination at waste disposal sites and manufacturing facilities, and unidentified tax liabilities and legal fees related to periods prior to disposition. The Company does not have the ability to estimate the potential liability from such indemnities because they relate to unknown conditions. However, the Company has no reason to believe that these uncertainties would have a material adverse effect on the Company's results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

In the normal course of business, the Company is liable for contract completion and product performance. In the opinion of management, such obligations will not significantly affect the Company's results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

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9. Guarantees (Continued)

The Company generally records estimated product warranty costs at the time of sale. The changes in the Company's warranty liability for the quarters ended December 28, 2007 and December 29, 2006 were as follows:

	For the Quarters Ended	
	December 28, 2007	December 29, 2006
	(in millions)	
Balance at beginning of period	\$ 26	\$ 27
Warranties issued	2	
Warranty expirations and changes in estimate	1	(4)
Settlements	(1)	(1)
	\$ 28	\$ 22

10. Retirement Plans

The net periodic benefit cost (credit) for all U.S. and non-U.S. defined benefit pension plans and postretirement benefit plans in the quarters ended December 28, 2007 and December 29, 2006 was as follows:

	Defined Benefit Pension Plans				Postretirement Benefit Plans	
	U.S. Plans		Non-U.S. Plans			
	For the Quarters Ended		For the Quarters Ended			
	December 28, 2007	December 29, 2006	December 28, 2007	December 29, 2006	December 28, 2007	December 29, 2006
	(in millions)					
Service cost	\$ 1	\$ 1	\$ 15	\$ 15	\$	\$
Interest cost	14	14	20	17	1	1
Expected return on plan assets	(19)	(18)	(18)	(15)		
Amortization of net actuarial loss	2	2	2	5		
Settlement gain			(1)			
	\$ (2)	\$ (1)	\$ 18	\$ 22	\$ 1	\$ 1

The Company anticipates that, at a minimum, it will make the minimum required contributions to its pension plans in fiscal 2008 of \$4 million for U.S. plans and \$66 million for non-U.S. plans. During the quarter ended December 28, 2007, the Company contributed \$16 million to its U.S. and non-U.S. plans.

The Company expects to make contributions to its postretirement benefit plans of \$3 million in fiscal 2008. During the quarter ended December 28, 2007, the Company contributed \$1 million to its postretirement benefit plans.

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11. Financial Instruments

The Company's financial instruments consist primarily of cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, investments, accounts payable, debt, and derivative financial instruments. The fair value of cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, investments, accounts payable, external debt, and derivative financial instruments approximated book value at December 28, 2007 and September 28, 2007.

To the extent that Tyco International entered into hedges on behalf of the Company prior to the Separation, the statement of operations effects of those hedges have been allocated to the Company as part of the Tyco International general corporate overhead expense allocation or interest expense allocation as appropriate. See Note 1 for further information regarding allocated expenses.

Foreign Exchange Risks

As part of managing the exposure to changes in foreign currency exchange rates, the Company utilizes foreign exchange forwards and swaps. The objective of these contracts is to minimize impacts to cash flows and profitability due to changes in foreign currency exchange rates on intercompany transactions, accounts receivable, accounts payable, and forecasted cash transactions. These contracts are marked to market with changes in the derivatives' fair value recognized currently in earnings in selling, general, and administrative expenses in the Condensed Consolidated and Combined Statements of Operations. At December 28, 2007, the Company had net liabilities of \$34 million on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet related to these transactions.

Interest Rate Risk Management

The Company issues debt, from time to time, in capital markets to fund its operations. Such borrowings can result in interest rate and/or currency exposure. To manage these exposures and to minimize overall interest cost, the Company has used, and may use in the future, interest rate swaps to convert a portion of its fixed-rate debt into variable rate debt (fair value hedges) and/or convert a portion of its variable rate debt into fixed-rate debt (cash flow hedges). As of and during the quarter ended December 28, 2007, the Company had no outstanding interest rate swaps.

During fiscal 2007, in anticipation of issuing new fixed rate debt, the Company entered into, and concurrent with the Company's fixed rate debt issuance, terminated, forward starting interest rate swaps to hedge the variability in interest expense that would result from changes in interest rates between the date of the swap and the Company's anticipated date of issuing fixed rate debt. These forward starting interest rate swaps were designated as effective hedges of the probable interest payments under SFAS No. 133, "*Accounting for Derivative Financial Instruments and Hedging Activities*." Upon the issuance of the Company's senior notes in September 2007, these swaps were terminated for a cash payment of \$54 million. The effective portion of these swaps of \$53 million was recorded in accumulated other comprehensive income and will be recognized in earnings as interest expense over the remaining term of the related debt instruments. In the first quarter of fiscal 2008, the Company recognized \$2 million of interest expense relating to the swaps in the Condensed Consolidated and Combined Statement of Operations.

Hedge of Net Investment

The Company hedges its net investments in certain foreign operations using intercompany non-derivative financial instruments denominated in the same currencies. The aggregate notional value

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11. Financial Instruments (Continued)

of these hedges was \$3.8 billion at December 28, 2007. As a result of the hedges of net investments, \$109 million of foreign exchange loss was reclassified to currency translation, a component of accumulated other comprehensive income, in the quarter ended December 28, 2007. The Company did not hedge net investments in foreign operations during the quarter ended December 29, 2006.

12. Commitments and Contingencies

General Matters

At December 28, 2007, the Company had a contingent purchase price commitment of \$80 million related to the fiscal 2001 acquisition of Com-Net by the Wireless Systems segment. This represents the maximum amount payable to the former shareholders of Com-Net only after the construction and installation of a communications system for the State of Florida is finished and the State has approved the system based on the guidelines set forth in the contract. A liability for this contingency has not been recorded in the Company's Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements as the outcome of this contingency currently is not estimable.

In the normal course of business, the Company is liable for contract completion and product performance. In the opinion of management, such obligations will not significantly affect the Company's results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

Environmental Matters

The Company is involved in various stages of investigation and cleanup related to environmental remediation matters at a number of sites. The ultimate cost of site cleanup is difficult to predict given the uncertainties regarding the extent of the required cleanup, the interpretation of applicable laws and regulations, and alternative cleanup methods. As of December 28, 2007, the Company concluded that it was probable that it would incur remedial costs in the range of approximately \$12 million to \$24 million. As of December 28, 2007, the Company concluded that the best estimate within this range is approximately \$16 million, of which \$3 million is included in accrued and other current liabilities and \$13 million is included in other liabilities on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet. In view of the Company's financial position and reserves for environmental matters of \$16 million, the Company believes that any potential payment of such estimated amounts will not have a material adverse effect on its results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

Tyco Electronics Legal Proceedings

Intellectual Property and Antitrust Litigation

The Company is a party to a number of patent infringement and antitrust actions that may require the Company to pay damage awards. The Company has assessed the status of these matters and has recorded liabilities related to certain of these matters where appropriate.

Other Matters

The Company is a defendant in a number of other pending legal proceedings incidental to present and former operations, acquisitions, and dispositions. The Company does not expect the outcome of these proceedings, either individually or in the aggregate, to have a material adverse effect on its results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

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12. Commitments and Contingencies (Continued)

Tyco International Legal Proceedings

As a part of the Separation and Distribution Agreement entered into upon Separation, any existing or potential liabilities related to Tyco International's outstanding litigation were assigned to the Company if Tyco Electronics was specifically identified in the lawsuit. However, any existing or potential liabilities that could not be associated with Tyco Electronics were allocated appropriately and post-separation sharing agreements were established. See "Part I. Item 3. Legal Proceedings" of the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 28, 2007, as supplemented by "Part II. Item 1. Legal Proceedings" of this report for a description of Tyco International's various significant outstanding litigation proceedings. Tyco Electronics will be responsible for certain potential liabilities that may arise upon the settlement of the pending litigation based on the Separation and Distribution Agreement. If Tyco International or Covidien were to default on their obligation to pay their allocated share of these liabilities, however, the Company would be required to pay additional amounts.

Class Action and Class Action Settlement

As a result of actions taken by certain of Tyco International's former senior corporate management, Tyco International, some members of Tyco International's former senior corporate management, former members of Tyco International's board of directors, Tyco International's former General Counsels and former Chief Financial Officer, and Tyco International's current Chief Executive Officer are named defendants in a number of purported class actions alleging violations of the disclosure provisions of the federal securities laws. In addition, Tyco International, certain of its current and former employees, some members of its former senior corporate management, and some former members of its board of directors also are named as defendants in several Employee Retirement Income Security Act ("ERISA") class actions. Tyco International is generally obligated to indemnify its directors and officers and its former directors and officers who are named as defendants in some or all of these matters to the extent required by Bermuda law. In addition, Tyco International's insurance carriers may decline coverage, or Tyco International's coverage may be insufficient to cover its expenses and liability, in some or all of these matters.

On December 19, 2007, the United States District Court for the District of New Hampshire entered a final order approving the settlement of 32 purported securities class action lawsuits. The settlement did not resolve all securities cases, and several remain outstanding. In addition, the proposed settlement did not resolve claims arising under ERISA and the lawsuits arising thereunder.

Under the terms of the settlement, the plaintiffs agreed to release all claims against Tyco International, the other settling defendants, and ten other individuals in consideration for the payment of \$2,975 million from Tyco International to the certified class.

The deadline for deciding not to participate in the class settlement was September 28, 2007. As of such date, Tyco International received opt-out notices from individuals and entities totaling approximately 4% of the shares owned by class members. A number of these individuals and entities have filed claims separately against Tyco International. Any judgments resulting from such claims, or from claims that are filed in the future, would not reduce the settlement amount. Generally, the claims asserted by these plaintiffs include claims similar to those asserted by the settling plaintiffs; namely, violations of the disclosure provisions of federal securities laws. Tyco International has advised the

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Company that it intends to vigorously defend any litigation resulting from opt-out claims. It is not possible at this time to predict the final outcome or to estimate the amount of loss or range of possible loss, if any, that might result from an adverse resolution of the asserted or unasserted claims from individuals that have opted out.

Under the terms of the Separation and Distribution Agreement entered into in connection with the Separation, each of Tyco International, Covidien, and the Company are jointly and severally liable for the full amount of the class action settlement and any judgments resulting from opt-out claims. Additionally, under the Separation and Distribution Agreement, the companies share in the liability and related escrow account, with Tyco International assuming 27%, Covidien 42%, and Tyco Electronics 31% of the settlement amount.

In the third quarter of fiscal 2007, the Company was allocated a charge from Tyco International of \$922 million, for which no tax benefit was available. The portion allocated to the Company is consistent with the sharing percentage included in the Separation and Distribution Agreement. Tyco International placed funds in escrow for the benefit of the class. The escrow account earns interest that is payable to the class. In addition, interest is accrued on the class action settlement liability. At December 28, 2007, the Company reflected \$933 million on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet for its portion of the escrow. In addition, the Company reflected a \$3,011 million liability and a \$2,078 million receivable from Tyco International and Covidien for their portion of the liability at December 28, 2007.

If the unresolved securities proceedings were to be determined adversely to Tyco International, the Company's share of any additional potential losses, which are not presently estimable, may have a material adverse effect on the Company's results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

Investigations

Tyco International and others have received various subpoenas and requests from the SEC's Division of Enforcement, the U.S. Department of Labor, the General Service Administration, and others seeking the production of voluminous documents in connection with various investigations into Tyco International's governance, management, operations, accounting, and related controls. The Department of Labor is investigating Tyco International and the administrators of certain of its benefit plans. Tyco International has advised the Company that it cannot predict when these investigations will be completed, nor can it predict what the results of these investigations may be. It is possible that Tyco International will be required to pay material fines or suffer other penalties and pursuant to the liability sharing provisions of the Separation and Distribution Agreement, a portion of such payments may be allocated to the Company. It is not possible to estimate the amount of loss, or range of possible loss, if any, that might result from an adverse resolution of these matters. As a result, Tyco Electronics share of such potential losses also is not estimable and may have a material adverse effect on its results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

Compliance Matters

Tyco International has received and responded to various allegations that certain improper payments were made by Tyco International subsidiaries, including Tyco Electronics subsidiaries, in recent years. During 2005, 2006, and 2007, Tyco International reported to the U.S. Department of Justice ("DOJ") and the SEC the investigative steps and remedial measures that it had taken in response to the allegations. Tyco International also informed the DOJ and the SEC that it retained

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outside counsel to perform a company-wide baseline review of its policies, controls, and practices with respect to compliance with the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act ("FCPA"), that it would continue to make periodic progress reports to these agencies, and that it would present its factual findings upon conclusion of the baseline review. Tyco International and Tyco Electronics have had communications with the DOJ and SEC to provide updates on the baseline review being conducted by outside counsel, including, as appropriate, briefings concerning additional instances of potential improper payments identified by Tyco International and the Company in the course of the Company's ongoing compliance activities. To date, the baseline review by the Company has revealed that some business practices may not comply with FCPA requirements. At this time, the Company cannot predict the outcome of other allegations reported to regulatory and law enforcement authorities and therefore cannot estimate the range of potential loss or extent of risk, if any, that may result from an adverse resolution of any or all of these matters. However, it is possible that the Company may be required to pay judgments, suffer penalties, or incur settlements in amounts that may have a material adverse effect on its results of operations, financial position, or cash flows. Any judgment, settlement, or other cost incurred by Tyco International in connection with these matters would be subject to the liability sharing provisions of the Separation and Distribution Agreement, which provides that any liabilities not primarily related to any of the businesses of Tyco International, Covidien, or Tyco Electronics will be shared equally among the companies.

Income Taxes

The Company and its subsidiaries' income tax returns are periodically examined by various tax authorities. In connection with these examinations, tax authorities, including the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS"), have raised issues and proposed tax adjustments. The Company and Tyco International are reviewing and contesting certain of the proposed tax adjustments. Amounts related to these tax adjustments and other tax contingencies and related interest that management has assessed under the provisions of FIN 48, which relate specifically to the Tyco Electronics business, have been recorded in the Company's Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements. In addition, the Company may be required to pay additional taxes for contingencies not related to the electronics businesses as a result of the Tax Sharing Agreement with Tyco International and Covidien entered into upon Separation.

During fiscal 2007, the IRS concluded its field examination of certain of Tyco International's U.S. federal income tax returns for the years 1997 through 2000 and issued anticipated Revenue Agent Reports which reflect the IRS' determination of proposed tax adjustments for the periods under audit. Tyco International has agreed with the IRS on adjustments totaling \$498 million. It is the Company's understanding that Tyco International has appealed other proposed adjustments totaling approximately \$1 billion and intends to vigorously defend its prior filed tax return positions. Additionally, the IRS proposed civil fraud penalties against Tyco International arising from alleged actions of former executives in connection with certain intercompany transfers of stock in 1998 and 1999. Any penalty imposed would be subject to sharing with Tyco International and Covidien under the Tax Sharing Agreement. It is the Company's understanding that Tyco International intends to vigorously oppose the assertion of any such penalties. The Company continues to believe that the amounts recorded on its Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements relating to these matters are sufficient. However, the ultimate resolution is uncertain and, should Tyco International lose its appeal, it could result in a material impact to the Company's results of operations, financial position, or cash flows.

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12. Commitments and Contingencies (Continued)

In prior years, in connection with the IRS audit of the fiscal 1997 through 2000 years, Tyco International submitted to the IRS proposed adjustments to these prior period U.S. federal income tax returns. During fiscal 2006, the IRS accepted substantially all of the proposed adjustments. Also during fiscal 2006, Tyco International developed proposed amendments to U.S. federal income tax returns for additional periods through fiscal 2002. Tyco International continues to complete proposed adjustments to the remainder of its U.S. federal income tax returns for periods subsequent to fiscal 2002. When the Company's tax return positions are updated, additional adjustments may be identified and recorded in the Consolidated Financial Statements. While the final adjustments cannot be determined until the income tax return amendment process is completed, the Company believes that any resulting adjustments will not have a material impact on its results of operations, financial condition, or cash flows. Additionally, adjustments may be recorded to shareholders' equity in the future for the impact of filing final or amended income tax returns in certain jurisdictions where those returns include a combination of Tyco International, Covidien, and/or the Company's legal entities for the periods prior to the Separation.

In connection with the Separation, the Company entered into a Tax Sharing Agreement that generally governs Covidien's, Tyco Electronics', and Tyco International's respective rights, responsibilities, and obligations after the distribution with respect to taxes, including ordinary course of business taxes and taxes, if any, incurred as a result of any failure of the distribution of all of the shares of Covidien or Tyco Electronics to qualify as a tax-free distribution for U.S. federal income tax purposes within the meaning of Section 355 of the Internal Revenue Code (the "Code") or certain internal transactions undertaken in anticipation of the spin-offs to qualify for tax-favored treatment under the Code.

Pursuant to the Separation and Distribution Agreement and Tax Sharing Agreement, upon Separation, the Company has entered into certain guarantee commitments and indemnifications with Tyco International and Covidien. Under these agreements, principally the Tax Sharing Agreement, Tyco International, Covidien, and Tyco Electronics share 27%, 42%, and 31%, respectively, of certain contingent liabilities relating to unresolved tax matters of legacy Tyco International. The effect of the Tax Sharing Agreement is to indemnify the Company for 69% of certain liabilities settled by the Company with respect to unresolved legacy tax matters. Pursuant to that indemnification, the Company has made similar indemnifications to Tyco International and Covidien with respect to 31% of certain liabilities settled by the companies with respect to unresolved legacy tax matters. If any of the companies responsible for all or a portion of such liabilities were to default in its payment of costs or expenses related to any such liability, the Company would be responsible for a portion of the defaulting party or parties' obligation.

See Note 13 for additional information regarding income taxes and the adoption of FIN 48.

13. Income Taxes

Effective September 29, 2007, the beginning of fiscal 2008, the Company adopted FIN 48. As a result of adopting FIN 48, the Company recorded a net increase in contingent tax liabilities of \$1,282 million, an increase in deferred tax assets of \$647 million, and a corresponding decrease in the opening balance of accumulated earnings of \$635 million. Furthermore, pursuant to the Tax Sharing Agreement, certain contingent tax liabilities related to unresolved tax matters are subject to sharing between Tyco International, Covidien, and the Company. See Note 12 for additional information

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13. Income Taxes (Continued)

regarding responsibilities for unresolved legacy tax matters. Tyco International and Covidien would be contractually obligated for \$558 million of the Company's net increase in contingent tax liabilities recorded in connection with its adoption of FIN 48. Accordingly, the Company recorded this amount in the first quarter of fiscal 2008 as other income and recorded the related increase in the receivable from Tyco International and Covidien for shared contingent tax liabilities. In addition, as a result of the adoption of FIN 48, the Company reassessed and decreased its FIN 45 liability to Tyco International and Covidien and recorded \$14 million of other income. See Note 9 for additional information regarding the Company's indemnifications under the Tax Sharing Agreement. These adjustments are summarized in the following table:

Adoption of FIN 48 and Related Tax Sharing Agreement Income:

	Adjustment to Opening Balance of Accumulated Earnings	Tax Sharing Income
	(in millions)	
Contingent tax liabilities	\$ (1,282)	\$ 558
Deferred tax assets	647	
FIN 45		14
	\$ (635)	\$ 572

As of September 29, 2007, the Company had total unrecognized tax benefits of \$1,906 million. If recognized in future periods, \$1,860 million of these currently unrecognized tax benefits would impact the income tax provision and effective tax rate. The remaining \$46 million is associated with discontinued operations.

The Company records accrued interest as well as penalties related to uncertain tax positions as part of the provision for income taxes. As of September 29, 2007, the Company had recorded \$1,092 million of accrued interest and penalties related to uncertain tax positions on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet. During the quarter ended December 28, 2007, the Company recognized \$50 million of interest and penalties on the Condensed Consolidated and Combined Statement of Operations. As of December 28, 2007, the balance of accrued interest and penalties is \$1,142 million, which is recorded in income taxes in the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet.

In fiscal 2007, the IRS concluded its field examination of certain of Tyco International's U.S. federal income tax returns for the years 1997 through 2000. Tyco International is in the process of appealing certain tax adjustments proposed by the IRS related to this period. In the second quarter of fiscal 2008, the IRS is expected to commence its field examination of certain Tyco International U.S. federal income tax returns for the years 2001 through 2004. Tyco International's U.S. federal tax filings for years subsequent to 2004 also remain open to examination by the IRS. See Note 12 for additional information regarding the status of IRS examinations.

The Company files income tax returns on a combined, unitary, or stand-alone basis in multiple state and local jurisdictions, which generally have statutes of limitations ranging from 3 to 5 years. Various state and local income tax returns are currently in the process of examination or administrative appeal.

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The Company's non-U.S. subsidiaries file income tax returns in the countries in which they have operations. Generally, these countries have statutes of limitations ranging from 3 to 7 years.

As of September 29, 2007, under applicable statutes, the following tax years remained subject to examination in the major tax jurisdictions indicated:

Jurisdiction	Open Years
Belgium	2005 through 2007
Brazil	2003 through 2007
Canada	2001 through 2007
China	2002 through 2007
Czech Republic	2003 through 2007
France	2002 through 2007
Germany	2003 through 2007
Hong Kong	2001 through 2007
India	2001 through 2007
Italy	2002 through 2007
Japan	2001 through 2007
Korea	2002 through 2007
Luxembourg	2007
Netherlands	2006 through 2007
Portugal	2004 through 2007
Singapore	1996 through 2007
Spain	2003 through 2007
Switzerland	2006 through 2007
United Kingdom	2001 through 2007
United States, federal and state and local	1991 through 2007

In most jurisdictions, taxing authorities retain the ability to review prior tax years and to adjust any net operating loss and tax credit carryforwards from these years that are utilized in a subsequent period.

Although it is not possible to predict the timing or results of these pending examinations, the Company currently does not anticipate there will be significant changes in the next twelve months to the amount of unrecognized tax benefits inherent in the Company's Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet as of December 28, 2007.

14. Other Income

In the quarter ended December 28, 2007, the Company recorded other income of \$592 million, pursuant to the Tax Sharing Agreement with Tyco International and Covidien, of which \$572 million (\$1.15 for both basic and diluted earnings per share) related to certain incremental tax liabilities recorded by the Company upon the adoption of FIN 48. See Notes 2 and 13 for additional information regarding the adoption of FIN 48. See Note 12 for further information regarding the Tax Sharing Agreement.

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15. Shareholders' Equity*Dividends*

In December 2007, the Company's board of directors declared a regular quarterly cash dividend of \$0.14 per common share to be paid on February 4, 2008. The declared but unpaid dividend is recorded in accrued and other current liabilities on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet at December 28, 2007.

Share Repurchase Program

In September 2007, the Company's board of directors authorized a share repurchase program of \$750 million to purchase a portion of the Company's outstanding common shares. In the first quarter of fiscal 2008, the Company repurchased approximately 7 million common shares for \$259 million under this program, of which \$232 million was paid as of December 28, 2007.

16. Comprehensive Income

Comprehensive income consisted of the following:

	For the Quarters Ended	
	December 28, 2007	December 29, 2006
	(in millions)	
Net income	\$ 949	\$ 281
Currency translation	23	220
Gain on cash flow hedge	2	
Amortization of unrecognized pension and postretirement benefit costs, net of income taxes	1	
	\$ 975	\$ 501

17. Earnings Per Share

The computation of basic earnings per share is based on the Company's net income divided by the basic weighted-average number of common shares. On June 29, 2007, the Separation from Tyco International was completed in a tax-free distribution to the Company's shareholders of one common share of Tyco Electronics Ltd. for every four common shares of Tyco International held on June 18, 2007. As a result, on June 29, 2007, the Company had 497 million common shares outstanding. The same number of shares is being used for both diluted earnings per share and basic earnings per share for all periods prior to the date of Separation as no Tyco Electronics equity awards were outstanding prior to the Separation.

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17. Earnings Per Share (Continued)

The following table sets forth the denominators of the basic and diluted earnings per share computations:

	For the Quarters Ended	
	December 28, 2007	December 29, 2006
	(in millions)	
Weighted-average shares outstanding:		
Basic	496	497
Stock options and restricted stock awards	3	
Diluted	499	497

For the quarter ended December 28, 2007, certain share option awards were not included in the computation of diluted earnings per share because the instruments' underlying exercise prices were greater than the average market prices of Tyco Electronics' common shares and inclusion would be antidilutive. Such shares not included in the computation of diluted earnings per share totaled 20 million as of December 28, 2007.

The Separation and Distribution Agreement entered into pursuant to the Separation requires that the Company issue common shares, as needed, to satisfy convertible debentures issued prior to the Separation by Tyco International and retained by Tyco International subsequent to the Separation. Up to approximately 250,000 shares could be issued to satisfy convertible debentures and are included in the calculation of diluted weighted-average shares outstanding.

18. Share Plans

Effective October 1, 2005, the Company adopted the provisions of SFAS No. 123R, "*Share-Based Payment*," using the modified prospective transition method. Total share-based compensation cost during the quarters ended December 28, 2007 and December 29, 2006 of \$20 million and \$23 million, respectively, has been included in the Condensed Consolidated and Combined Statements of Operations within selling, general, and administrative expenses.

Prior to the Separation on June 29, 2007, all equity awards (restricted share awards and share options) held by Company employees were granted under the Tyco International Ltd. 2004 Stock and Incentive Plan or other Tyco International equity incentive plans. All equity awards granted by the Company subsequent to the Separation were granted under the Tyco Electronics Ltd. 2007 Stock and Incentive Plan (the "2007 Plan"). The 2007 Plan is administered by the Management Development and Compensation Committee of the board of directors of Tyco Electronics, which consists exclusively of independent directors of Tyco Electronics and provides for the award of stock options, stock appreciation rights, annual performance bonuses, long-term performance awards, restricted units, deferred stock units, restricted stock, promissory stock, and other stock-based awards (collectively, "Awards"). The 2007 Plan provides for a maximum of 25 million common shares to be issued as Awards, subject to adjustment as provided under the terms of the 2007 Plan. The 2007 Plan allows for the use of authorized but unissued shares or treasury shares to be used to satisfy such awards.

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18. Share Plans (Continued)

A summary of the Company's outstanding restricted share award grants as of December 28, 2007 and changes during the quarter then ended are presented below:

Non-vested Restricted Share Awards	Shares	Weighted-Average Grant-Date Fair Value
Non-vested at September 28, 2007	4,398,545	\$ 36.96
Granted	34,281	35.15
Vested	(40,266)	35.44
Forfeited	(86,045)	35.71
Non-vested at December 28, 2007	4,306,515	\$ 36.98

Included in the non-vested restricted share awards outstanding at December 28, 2007 are 601,028 restricted share awards granted to employees and executives of Tyco International and Covidien. Those awards vested on January 2, 2008. Any expense related to this accelerated vesting is borne by the company employing the individual to whom the grant was awarded, either Tyco International or Covidien.

As of December 28, 2007, there was \$82 million of total unrecognized compensation cost related to non-vested Tyco Electronics restricted share awards. That cost is expected to be recognized over a weighted-average period of 2.4 years.

Share Options

A summary of the Company's outstanding share option award grants as of December 28, 2007 and changes during the quarter then ended are presented below:

	Shares	Weighted-Average Exercise Price	Weighted-Average Remaining Contractual Term	Aggregate Intrinsic Value
			(in years)	(in millions)
Outstanding at September 28, 2007	32,307,571	\$ 42.86		
Granted	23,650	35.20		
Exercised	(993,113)	19.21		
Expired	(656,547)	57.24		
Forfeited	(60,349)	37.40		
Outstanding at December 28, 2007	30,621,212	\$ 43.32	5.1	108
Vested and unvested expected to vest at December 28, 2007	29,699,551	\$ 43.48	5.1	107
Exercisable at December 28, 2007	23,997,160	\$ 44.71	4.1	100

As of the quarter ended December 28, 2007, there was \$51 million of total unrecognized compensation cost related to non-vested Tyco Electronics share options granted under Tyco Electronics share option plans. The cost is expected to be recognized over a weighted-average period of 1.9 years.

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18. Share Plans (Continued)

Stock-Based Compensation

The grant-date fair value of each option grant is estimated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model. The fair value is then amortized on a straight-line basis over the requisite service periods of the awards, which is generally the vesting period. Use of a valuation model requires management to make certain assumptions with respect to selected model inputs. Expected stock price volatility was calculated based on the historical volatility of the stock of a composite of peers of Tyco Electronics and implied volatility derived from exchange traded options on that same composite of peers. The average expected life was based on the contractual term of the option and expected employee exercise and post-vesting employment termination behavior. The risk-free interest rate is based on U.S. Treasury zero-coupon issues with a remaining term equal to the expected life assumed at the date of grant. The expected annual dividend per share was based on Tyco Electronics' expected dividend rate. The compensation expense recognized is net of estimated forfeitures. Forfeitures are estimated based on voluntary termination behavior, as well as an analysis of actual option forfeitures.

The weighted-average assumptions Tyco Electronics used in the Black-Scholes option pricing model for grants made during the quarter ended December 28, 2007 are as follows:

Expected stock price volatility	31%
Risk free interest rate	3.6%
Expected annual dividend per share	\$ 0.56
Expected life of options (years)	5.0

19. Segment Data

Net sales and income from operations by segment are presented in the following table for the quarters ended December 28, 2007 and December 29, 2006:

	Net Sales ⁽¹⁾		Income from Operations	
	For the Quarters Ended		For the Quarters Ended	
	December 28, 2007	December 29, 2006	December 28, 2007	December 29, 2006
	(in millions)			
Electronic Components	\$ 2,640	\$ 2,390	\$ 352	\$ 327
Network Solutions	512	421	69	54
Wireless Systems	209	207	14	14
Undersea Telecommunications	314	76	43	(1)
Total	\$ 3,675	\$ 3,094	\$ 478	\$ 394

(1) Intersegment sales are not material and are recorded at selling prices that approximate market prices.

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19. Segment Data (Continued)

Segment assets and a reconciliation of segment assets to total assets at December 28, 2007 and September 28, 2007 were as follows:

	December 28, 2007	September 28, 2007
	(in millions)	
Electronic Components	\$ 3,611	\$ 3,550
Network Solutions	737	704
Wireless Systems	425	405
Undersea Telecommunications	302	155
Total segment assets⁽¹⁾	5,075	4,814
Other current assets	4,704	5,059
Non-current assets	15,189	13,815
Total assets	\$ 24,968	\$ 23,688

(1) Segment assets are comprised of accounts receivable and inventory.

20. Tyco Electronics Group S.A.

In December 2006, prior to the Separation, TEGSA, a wholly owned subsidiary of Tyco Electronics Ltd., was formed. TEGSA, a Luxembourg company, is a holding company that owns directly, or indirectly, all of the operating subsidiaries of Tyco Electronics Ltd. TEGSA is the obligor under the Company's senior notes, five-year unsecured senior revolving credit facility, unsecured senior bridge loan facility, and commercial paper, all of which are fully and unconditionally guaranteed by its parent, Tyco Electronics Ltd. The following tables present condensed consolidating financial information for Tyco Electronics Ltd., TEGSA, and all other subsidiaries that are not providing a guarantee of debt but which represent assets of TEGSA, using the equity method.

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20. Tyco Electronics Group S.A. (Continued)

CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

For the Quarter Ended December 28, 2007

	Tyco Electronics Ltd.	Tyco Electronics Group S.A.	Other Subsidiaries	Consolidating Adjustments	Total
	(in millions)				
Net sales	\$	\$	\$ 3,675	\$	\$ 3,675
Cost of sales			2,758		2,758
Gross income			917		917
Selling, general, and administrative expenses	7	(9)	420		418
Restructuring and other charges, net			21		21
(Loss) income from operations	(7)	9	476		478
Interest income			10		10
Interest expense		(48)	(2)		(50)
Other (expense) income, net		(6)	598		592
Equity in net income of subsidiaries	882	912		(1,794)	
Equity in net income of subsidiaries held for sale	77	77		(154)	
Intercompany interest and fees	(3)	15	(12)		
Income from continuing operations before income taxes and minority interest	949	959	1,070	(1,948)	1,030
Income taxes			(157)		(157)
Minority interest			(1)		(1)
Income from continuing operations	949	959	912	(1,948)	872
Income from discontinued operations, net of income taxes			77		77
Net income	\$ 949	\$ 959	\$ 989	\$ (1,948)	\$ 949

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20. Tyco Electronics Group S.A. (Continued)

CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

For the Quarter Ended December 29, 2006

	Tyco Electronics Ltd.	Other Subsidiaries	Total
	(in millions)		
Net sales	\$	\$ 3,094	\$ 3,094
Cost of sales		2,279	2,279
Gross income		815	815
Selling, general, and administrative expenses		411	411
Restructuring and other charges, net		10	10
Income from operations		394	394
Interest income		15	15
Interest expense		(60)	(60)
Income from continuing operations before income taxes and minority interest		349	349
Income taxes		(108)	(108)
Minority interest		(1)	(1)
Income from continuing operations		240	240
Income from discontinued operations, net of income taxes		41	41
Net income	\$	\$ 281	\$ 281

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20. Tyco Electronics Group S.A. (Continued)

CONSOLIDATING BALANCE SHEET

As of December 28, 2007

	Tyco Electronics Ltd.	Tyco Electronics Group S.A.	Other Subsidiaries	Consolidating Adjustments	Total
(in millions)					
Assets					
Current Assets:					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 3		\$ 913		\$ 916
Accounts receivable, net			2,732		2,732
Inventories			2,343		2,343
Class action settlement escrow	933				933
Class action settlement receivable	2,078				2,078
Intercompany receivables	1		22	(23)	
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	8	10	521		539
Deferred income taxes			238		238
Total current assets	3,023	10	6,769	(23)	9,779
Property, plant, and equipment, net			3,546		3,546
Goodwill			7,181		7,181
Intangible assets, net			547		547
Deferred income taxes			2,136		2,136
Investment in subsidiaries	11,424	13,550		(24,974)	
Investment in subsidiaries held for sale					
Intercompany loans receivable	167	6,403	5,337	(11,907)	
Receivable from Tyco International Ltd. and Covidien Ltd.			1,424		1,424
Other assets		12	343		355
Total Assets	\$ 14,614	\$ 19,975	\$ 27,283	\$ (36,904)	\$ 24,968
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity					
Current Liabilities:					
Current maturities of long-term debt	\$	\$	\$ 24	\$	\$ 24
Accounts payable	28		1,431		1,459
Class action settlement liability	3,011				3,011
Accrued and other current liabilities	83	56	1,240		1,379
Deferred revenue			296		296
Intercompany payables	21		2	(23)	
Total current liabilities	3,143	56	2,993	(23)	6,169
Long-term debt		3,200	60		3,260
Intercompany loans payable	42	5,295	6,570	(11,907)	
Long-term pension and postretirement liabilities			630		630
Deferred income taxes			271		271
Income taxes			2,577		2,577
Other liabilities			620		620
Total Liabilities	3,185	8,551	13,721	(11,930)	13,527

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	Tyco Electronics Ltd.	Tyco Electronics Group S.A.	Other Subsidiaries	Consolidating Adjustments	Total
Minority interest			12		12
Shareholders' Equity	11,429	11,424	13,550	(24,974)	11,429
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	\$ 14,614	\$ 19,975	\$ 27,283	\$ (36,904)	\$ 24,968

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NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED AND

COMBINED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) (Continued)

20. Tyco Electronics Group S.A. (Continued)

CONSOLIDATING BALANCE SHEET

As of September 28, 2007

	Tyco Electronics Ltd.	Tyco Electronics Group S.A.	Other Subsidiaries	Consolidating Adjustments	Total
(in millions)					
Assets					
Current Assets:					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2	\$	\$ 934	\$	\$ 936
Accounts receivable, net			2,686		2,686
Inventories			2,128		2,128
Class action settlement escrow	928				928
Class action settlement receivable	2,064				2,064
Intercompany receivables	181	29	(84)	(126)	
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	(2)		593		591
Deferred income taxes			325		325
Assets held for sale			215		215
Total current assets	3,173	29	6,797	(126)	9,873
Property, plant, and equipment, net			3,505		3,505
Goodwill			7,177		7,177
Intangible assets, net			554		554
Deferred income taxes			1,397		1,397
Investment in subsidiaries	11,324	13,517		(24,841)	
Investment in subsidiaries held for sale	51	51		(102)	
Intercompany loans receivable		6,267	5,024	(11,291)	
Receivable from Tyco International Ltd. and Covidien Ltd.			844		844
Other assets		2	336		338
Total Assets	\$ 14,548	\$ 19,866	\$ 25,634	\$ (36,360)	\$ 23,688
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity					
Current Liabilities:					
Current maturities of long-term debt	\$	\$	\$ 5	\$	\$ 5
Accounts payable	1		1,381		1,382
Class action settlement liability	2,992				2,992
Accrued and other current liabilities	61	3	1,386		1,450
Deferred revenue			191		191
Intercompany payables	29	181	(172)	(38)	
Liabilities held for sale			165		165
Total current liabilities	3,083	184	2,956	(38)	6,185
Long-term debt			90		3,373
Intercompany loans payable	88	5,024	6,267	(11,379)	
Long-term pension and postretirement liabilities			607		607
Deferred income taxes			271		271
Income taxes			1,242		1,242
Other liabilities			618		618
Total Liabilities	3,171	8,491	12,051	(11,417)	12,296

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	Tyco Electronics Ltd.	Tyco Electronics Group S.A.	Other Subsidiaries	Consolidating Adjustments	Total
Minority interest			15		15
Shareholders' Equity	11,377	11,375	13,568	(24,943)	11,377
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	\$ 14,548	\$ 19,866	\$ 25,634	\$ (36,360)	\$ 23,688

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20. Tyco Electronics Group S.A. (Continued)

CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the Quarter Ended December 28, 2007

	Tyco Electronics Ltd.	Tyco Electronics Group S.A.	Other Subsidiaries	Consolidating Adjustments	Total
(in millions)					
Cash Flows From Operating Activities:					
Net cash provided by (used in) continuing operating activities	\$ 199	\$ (77)	\$ 270		\$ 392
Net cash provided by discontinued operating activities			1		1
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	199	(77)	271		393
Cash Flows From Investing Activities:					
Capital expenditures			(129)		(129)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant, and equipment			4		4
Proceeds from divestiture of discontinued operation, net of cash retained by business sold			102		102
(Increase) decrease in intercompany loans	(213)	135		78	
Other	(5)		(4)		(9)
Net cash (used in) provided by continuing investing activities	(218)	135	(27)	78	(32)
Cash Flows From Financing Activities:					
Net increase in commercial paper		505			505
Repayment of long-term debt		(700)			(700)
Proceeds from long-term debt		100			100
Repurchase of common shares	(232)				(232)
Payment of common dividends	(70)				(70)
Proceeds from exercise of share options	19				19
Changes in parent company equity	303	37	(340)		
Loan borrowing from parent			78	(78)	
Other			(8)		(8)
Net cash provided by (used in) continuing financing activities	20	(58)	(270)	(78)	(386)
Net cash used in discontinued financing activities			(4)		(4)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	20	(58)	(274)	(78)	(390)
Effect of currency translation on cash			6		6
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	1		(24)		(23)

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	Tyco Electronics Ltd.	Tyco Electronics Group S.A.	Other Subsidiaries	Consolidating Adjustments	Total
Less: net decrease in cash and cash equivalents related to discontinued operations			3		3
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	2		934		936
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 3	\$	\$ 913	\$	\$ 916

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20. Tyco Electronics Group S.A. (Continued)

CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the Quarter Ended December 29, 2006

	Tyco Electronics Ltd.	Other Subsidiaries	Total
	(in millions)		
Cash Flows From Operating Activities:			
Net cash provided by continuing operating activities	\$	\$ 213	\$ 213
Net cash provided by discontinued operating activities		6	6
Net cash provided by operating activities		219	219
Cash Flows From Investing Activities:			
Capital expenditures		(452)	(452)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant, and equipment		7	7
Proceeds from divestiture of discontinued operation, net of cash retained by businesses sold		227	227
Other		1	1
Net cash used in continuing investing activities		(217)	(217)
Net cash used in discontinued investing activities		(2)	(2)
Net cash used in investing activities		(219)	(219)
Cash Flows From Financing Activities:			
Allocated debt activity		19	19
Net transactions with former parent		(20)	(20)
Other		(1)	(1)
Net cash used in continuing financing activities		(2)	(2)
Net cash provided by discontinued financing activities		2	2
Net cash provided by financing activities			
Effect of currency translation on cash		7	7
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		7	7
Less: net increase in cash and cash equivalents related to discontinued operations		(6)	(6)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		469	469
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$	\$ 470	\$ 470

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

The following discussion and analysis of our financial condition and results of operations should be read in conjunction with our Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements and the accompanying notes included elsewhere in this Quarterly Report. The following discussion may contain forward-looking statements that reflect our plans, estimates, and beliefs. Our actual results could differ materially from those discussed in these forward-looking statements as a result of many factors, including but not limited to those under the heading "Forward-Looking Information" and "Part II. Item 1A. Risk Factors."

Separation From Tyco International Ltd.

Effective June 29, 2007, Tyco Electronics Ltd. ("Tyco Electronics" or the "Company", which may be referred to as "we," "us," or "our"), a company organized under the laws of Bermuda, became the parent company of the former electronics businesses of Tyco International Ltd. ("Tyco International"). On June 29, 2007, Tyco International distributed all of its shares of Tyco Electronics, as well as its shares of its former healthcare businesses ("Covidien"), to its common shareholders (the "Separation").

The Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements reflect the consolidated operations of Tyco Electronics Ltd. and its subsidiaries as an independent, publicly-traded company subsequent to the Separation and a combined reporting entity comprising the assets and liabilities used in managing and operating the electronics businesses of Tyco International, including Tyco Electronics Ltd., for periods prior to the Separation.

Our Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements have been prepared in United States dollars, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP"). The Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements for periods prior to the Separation may not be indicative of our future performance and do not necessarily reflect what our consolidated and combined results of operations, financial position, and cash flows would have been had we operated as an independent, publicly-traded company during the periods presented. Certain general corporate overhead and other expenses as well as debt and related net interest expense for periods prior to the Separation have been allocated to us by Tyco International. Management believes such allocations were reasonable; however, they may not be indicative of our actual results had we been operating as an independent, publicly-traded company for the periods presented. See Note 1 to the Condensed Consolidated and Combined Financial Statements for further information regarding allocated expenses.

As discussed elsewhere in this Quarterly Report, prior to the Separation, we used the corporate services of Tyco International for a variety of functions including treasury, tax, legal, internal audit, human resources, and risk management. We no longer rely on Tyco International for these services.

Overview

We are a leading global provider of engineered electronic components, network solutions, wireless systems, and undersea telecommunication systems. We operate through four reporting segments: Electronic Components, Network Solutions, Wireless Systems, and Undersea Telecommunications. We design, manufacture, and market approximately 500,000 different products for customers in industries ranging from automotive, appliance, and aerospace and defense to telecommunications, computer, and consumer electronics. We believe the end markets that we sell into are balanced with the total end market demand for electronic components.

We service our customers primarily through our direct sales force that serves customers in over 150 countries. The sales force is supported by over 8,000 engineers, as well as globally deployed

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manufacturing sites. Through our sales force and engineering resources, we are able to collaborate with our customers anywhere in the world to provide highly engineered products and solutions to meet their needs.

Our strategic objective is to increase our revenue and profitability across all of our segments in the markets we serve. This strategy is dependent upon the following strategic priorities:

- continue to focus our existing portfolio;
- leverage our market leadership position to increase our market share;
- achieve market leadership in attractive and under-penetrated industries;
- extend our leadership in key emerging markets;
- supplement organic growth with strategic acquisitions;
- improve operating margins; and
- accelerate new product development through research and development excellence.

Key business factors that influenced our results of operations for the periods discussed in this Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations include:

Market conditions. We have experienced sales growth that was driven by the continued increased use of electronics across the end markets that we serve. This sales growth was achieved despite industry pricing pressures. Over the periods shown, we have experienced price erosion of approximately 2%. We expect price erosion to continue in the future. The increase in our net sales for each of the periods shown reflects volume increases that more than offset the impact of pricing pressures.

Raw material price increases. We purchase approximately 200 million pounds of copper and approximately 250,000 troy ounces of gold annually. During the periods shown, the price of gold, as well as the prices of certain other raw materials, have increased substantially. Copper prices remain high relative to historical levels but the rate of increase has slowed over the past year. The following table illustrates the increase in average prices related to our most significant raw materials, copper and gold, during the periods presented:

	Measure	For the Quarters Ended	
		December 28, 2007	December 29, 2006
Copper	Lb.	\$ 3.35	\$ 3.19
Gold	Troy oz.	784	614

Foreign exchange. Approximately 50% of our net sales are invoiced in currencies other than the U.S. dollar. Our results of operations are influenced by changes in foreign currency exchange rates. Increases or decreases in the value of the U.S. dollar, compared to other currencies, will directly affect our reported results as we translate those currencies into U.S. dollars

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at the end of each fiscal period. The percentage of net sales in fiscal 2007 by major currencies invoiced was as follows: