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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 10-Q**

(Mark One)

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

For the Quarterly Period Ended June 30, 2011

OR

**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 000-24435

**MICROSTRATEGY INCORPORATED**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

**51-0323571**

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

**1850 Towers Crescent Plaza, Tysons Corner, VA**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**22182**

(Zip Code)

**(703) 848-8600**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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 has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) 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, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of large accelerated filer, accelerated filer and smaller reporting company in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer  Accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer  (Do not check if a smaller reporting company) Smaller reporting company

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 shares of the registrant's class A common stock and class B common stock outstanding on July 27, 2011 was 8,217,394 and 2,492,830, respectively.

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	<b>June 30, 2011</b> (unaudited)	<b>December 31, 2010</b> (audited)
<b>Assets</b>		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 193,025	\$ 174,097
Restricted cash and short-term investments	470	284
Accounts receivable, net	70,974	82,056
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	19,314	26,751
Deferred tax assets, net	21,494	13,670
Total current assets	305,277	296,858
Property and equipment, net	78,931	65,033
Capitalized software development costs, net	10,831	9,059
Deposits and other assets	5,668	5,587
Deferred tax assets, net	2,385	5,029
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>\$ 403,092</b>	<b>\$ 381,566</b>
<b>Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity</b>		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ 37,726	\$ 36,683
Accrued compensation and employee benefits	51,941	60,201
Deferred revenue and advance payments	102,323	89,331
Deferred tax liabilities	236	355
Total current liabilities	192,226	186,570
Deferred revenue and advance payments	10,169	7,878
Other long-term liabilities	43,816	37,946
Deferred tax liabilities	385	0
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>246,596</b>	<b>232,394</b>
<b>Commitments and Contingencies</b>		
<b>Stockholders' Equity</b>		
Preferred stock undesignated, \$0.001 par value; 5,000 shares authorized; no shares issued or outstanding	0	0
Class A common stock, \$0.001 par value; 330,000 shares authorized; 14,622 shares issued and 8,217 shares outstanding, and 14,351 shares issued and 7,947 shares outstanding, respectively	15	14
Class B common stock, \$0.001 par value; 165,000 shares authorized; 2,493 and 2,694 shares issued and outstanding, respectively	2	3

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Additional paid-in capital	458,782	455,374
Treasury stock, at cost; 6,405 shares	(475,184)	(475,184)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(1,558)	(1,455)
Retained earnings	174,439	170,420
<b>Total Stockholders' Equity</b>	156,496	149,172
<b>Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity</b>	<b>\$ 403,092</b>	<b>\$ 381,566</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these Consolidated Financial Statements.

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**MICROSTRATEGY INCORPORATED**  
**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS**

(in thousands, except per share data)

	<b>Three Months Ended June 30,</b>	
	<b>2011</b>	<b>2010</b>
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
<b>Revenues:</b>		
Product licenses	\$ 33,430	\$ 28,930
Product support and other services	104,721	78,607
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>138,151</b>	<b>107,537</b>
<b>Cost of revenues:</b>		
Product licenses	2,322	1,860
Product support and other services	32,221	22,489
<b>Total cost of revenues</b>	<b>34,543</b>	<b>24,349</b>
<b>Gross profit</b>	<b>103,608</b>	<b>83,188</b>
<b>Operating expenses:</b>		
Sales and marketing	60,942	39,361
Research and development	16,874	10,812
General and administrative	22,319	18,674
<b>Total operating expenses</b>	<b>100,135</b>	<b>68,847</b>
<b>Income from operations before financing and other income and income taxes</b>	<b>3,473</b>	<b>14,341</b>
<b>Financing and other (expense) income:</b>		
Interest income, net	39	15
Other (expense) income, net	(316)	2,144
<b>Total financing and other (expense) income</b>	<b>(277)</b>	<b>2,159</b>
<b>Income from operations before income taxes</b>	<b>3,196</b>	<b>16,500</b>
Provision for income taxes	311	4,882
<b>Net Income</b>	<b>\$ 2,885</b>	<b>\$ 11,618</b>
Basic earnings per share (1)	\$ 0.27	\$ 1.00
Weighted average shares outstanding used in computing basic earnings per share	10,709	11,629

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Diluted earnings per share (1)	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.97
Weighted average shares outstanding used in computing diluted earnings per share	11,068	12,029

- (1) Basic and fully diluted earnings per share for class A and class B common stock are the same.  
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(in thousands, except per share data)

	Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2011 (unaudited)	2010 (unaudited)
<b>Revenues:</b>		
Product licenses	\$ 60,810	\$ 46,884
Product support and other services	199,370	154,043
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>260,180</b>	<b>200,927</b>
<b>Cost of revenues:</b>		
Product licenses	4,230	3,775
Product support and other services	63,474	42,198
<b>Total cost of revenues</b>	<b>67,704</b>	<b>45,973</b>
<b>Gross profit</b>	<b>192,476</b>	<b>154,954</b>
<b>Operating expenses:</b>		
Sales and marketing	112,453	72,748
Research and development	29,872	23,143
General and administrative	45,600	37,134
<b>Total operating expenses</b>	<b>187,925</b>	<b>133,025</b>
<b>Income from operations before financing and other income and income taxes</b>	<b>4,551</b>	<b>21,929</b>
<b>Financing and other (expense) income:</b>		
Interest income, net	121	117
Other (expense) income, net	(947)	4,993
<b>Total financing and other (expense) income</b>	<b>(826)</b>	<b>5,110</b>
<b>Income from operations before income taxes</b>	<b>3,725</b>	<b>27,039</b>
(Benefit) provision for income taxes	(294)	8,520
<b>Net Income</b>	<b>\$ 4,019</b>	<b>\$ 18,519</b>
<b>Basic earnings per share (1)</b>	<b>\$ 0.38</b>	<b>\$ 1.57</b>
Weighted average shares outstanding used in computing basic earnings per share	10,690	11,759



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Diluted earnings per share (1)	\$ 0.36	\$ 1.52
Weighted average shares outstanding used in computing diluted earnings per share	11,056	12,165

- (1) Basic and fully diluted earnings per share for class A and class B common stock are the same.  
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**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS**

(in thousands)

	Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2011 (unaudited)	2010 (unaudited)
<b>Operating activities:</b>		
Net income	\$ 4,019	\$ 18,519
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	7,851	6,119
Bad debt expense	266	1,648
Deferred taxes	(2,852)	776
Excess tax benefits from stock-based payment arrangements	(1,854)	(12)
Other, net	0	16
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Accounts receivable	13,149	(402)
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	5,043	(5,727)
Deposits and other assets	62	(882)
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	(2,106)	(2,564)
Accrued compensation and employee benefits	(9,799)	(5,439)
Deferred revenue and advance payments	11,831	12,606
Other long-term liabilities	5,856	6,724
Net cash provided by operating activities	31,466	31,382
<b>Investing activities:</b>		
Purchases of property and equipment	(18,806)	(4,307)
Capitalized software development costs	(5,432)	(2,185)
Insurance proceeds	5,675	0
(Increase) decrease in restricted cash and investments	(167)	223
Net cash used in investing activities	(18,730)	(6,269)
<b>Financing activities:</b>		
Proceeds from sale of class A common stock under exercise of employee stock options	1,554	111
Excess tax benefits from stock-based payment arrangements	1,854	12
Purchases of treasury stock	0	(41,674)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	3,408	(41,551)
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	2,784	(5,649)
<b>Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>18,928</b>	<b>(22,087)</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period</b>	<b>174,097</b>	<b>224,769</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents, end of period</b>	<b>\$ 193,025</b>	<b>\$ 202,682</b>

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## NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(unaudited)

**(1) Basis of Presentation**

Except for the consolidated balance sheet of MicroStrategy Incorporated ( MicroStrategy or the Company ) as of December 31, 2010, which was audited, the accompanying consolidated financial statements are unaudited. In the opinion of management, all adjustments necessary for a fair statement of such financial position and results of operations have been included. All such adjustments are of a normal recurring nature unless otherwise disclosed. Interim results are not necessarily indicative of results for a full year.

The consolidated financial statements and notes are presented as required by the Securities and Exchange Commission ( SEC ) and do not contain certain information included in the Company s annual financial statements and notes. These financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Company s audited financial statements and the notes thereto filed with the SEC in the Company s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2010.

The accompanying consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its subsidiaries. All significant intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation. The Company is not aware of any subsequent event which would require recognition.

**(2) Recent Accounting Standards**

On June 16, 2011, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ( FASB ) issued Accounting Standards Update No. 2011-05, *Presentation of Comprehensive Income (ASU 2011-05)*. This standard eliminates the current option to report other comprehensive income and its components in the statement of changes in equity. Under this standard, an entity can elect to present items of net income and other comprehensive income in one continuous statement referred to as the statement of comprehensive income or in two separate, but consecutive, statements. This standard is effective as of the beginning of a fiscal year that begins after December 15, 2011, which for the Company would be January 1, 2012. The Company is currently evaluating what impact, if any, ASU 2011-05 will have on its consolidated financial position, results of operations or cash flows.

**(3) Fair Value of Financial Instruments**

The Company estimates the fair value of financial instruments, which consist of cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, prepaid expenses and other current assets, accounts payable and accrued expenses, and accrued compensation and employee benefits. The Company considers the carrying value of these instruments in the financial statements to approximate fair value due to their short maturities.

**(4) Accounts Receivable**

Accounts receivable (in thousands) consisted of the following, as of:

	June 30, 2011	December 31, 2010
Billed and billable	\$ 139,532	\$ 163,939
Less: unpaid deferred revenue	(62,622)	(77,063)
	76,910	86,876
Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	(5,936)	(4,820)
Accounts receivable, net	\$ 70,974	\$ 82,056

The Company offsets its accounts receivable and deferred revenue for any unpaid items included in deferred revenue and advance payments.



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**(5) Deferred Revenue and Advance Payments**

Deferred revenue and advance payments (in thousands) from customers consisted of the following, as of:

	June 30, 2011	December 31, 2010
Current:		
Deferred product licenses revenue	\$ 12,560	\$ 13,881
Deferred product support revenue	132,081	129,766
Deferred other services revenue	14,747	18,136
<b>Gross current deferred revenue and advance payments</b>	<b>159,388</b>	<b>161,783</b>
Less: unpaid deferred revenue	(57,065)	(72,452)
<b>Net current deferred revenue and advance payments</b>	<b>\$ 102,323</b>	<b>\$ 89,331</b>
Non-current:		
Deferred product licenses revenue	\$ 5,038	\$ 3,732
Deferred product support revenue	10,370	8,436
Deferred other services revenue	318	321
<b>Gross non-current deferred revenue and advance payments</b>	<b>15,726</b>	<b>12,489</b>
Less: unpaid deferred revenue	(5,557)	(4,611)
<b>Net non-current deferred revenue and advance payments</b>	<b>\$ 10,169</b>	<b>\$ 7,878</b>

The Company offsets accounts receivable and deferred revenue for any unpaid items included in deferred revenue and advance payments.

**(6) Commitments and Contingencies**

The Company leases office space and computer and other equipment under operating lease agreements. Under these agreements, in addition to base rent, the Company is generally responsible for certain taxes, utilities and maintenance costs, and other fees, and several leases include options for renewal or purchase. In January 2010, the Company entered into a lease for approximately 142,000 square feet of office space at a location in Northern Virginia that began serving as its new corporate headquarters in October 2010. The lease granted an abatement of base rent until March 2011. In May 2010 and May 2011, the Company entered into amendments to the lease pursuant to which, in each instance, it leased an additional 24,000 square feet of office space, for a cumulative total of 48,000 square feet of additional office space, at the same location. The May 2010 amendment provided an abatement of base rent on the additional space until July 2011. The May 2011 amendment provided for an abatement of base rent on the additional space until February 2012. The lease, as amended, includes tenant incentives and allowances that the Company may use for leasehold improvements. The term of the lease, as amended, expires in December 2020. At June 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010, deferred rent of \$25.1 million and \$22.1 million, respectively, is included in other long-term liabilities and \$0.7 million and \$0.2 million, respectively, is included in current accrued expenses.

On November 8, 2007, Diagnostic Systems Corp., a subsidiary of Acacia Research Corporation ( Acacia Research ), filed a complaint for patent infringement against the Company and a number of other unrelated defendants in the United States District Court for the Central District of

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California, Southern Division. On December 14, 2009, the Company and Acacia Research, Acacia Patent Acquisition LLC, and Acacia Technology Services LLC reached a settlement with respect to the consolidated complaint (the Settlement Agreement ), and on December 28, 2009, the Court dismissed all parties' claims with prejudice. On June 29, 2010, the Company received correspondence from a law firm representing Database Application

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Solutions LLC ( DAS ), an affiliate of Acacia Research, alleging that the Company infringes U.S. Patent Number 5,444,842 (the 842 Patent ) and requesting a meeting to discuss whether the Company would be willing to pay DAS to license the 842 Patent. On August 17, 2010, the Company sued Acacia Research and DAS in the Delaware Court of Chancery to enjoin DAS from proceeding with any attempt to enforce the 842 Patent against the Company in light of representations, warranties and releases made in connection with the Settlement Agreement. Acacia Research and DAS filed separate motions to dismiss the Company's lawsuit. The outcome of this matter is not presently determinable. Accordingly, no estimated liability for this matter has been accrued in the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

In February 2010, the Company's corporate aircraft was damaged when the hangar space that the Company leases at Dulles International Airport to house the aircraft collapsed during snowfall in the Washington, DC area. The Company reported the hangar collapse to United States Aviation Underwriters, Inc. and United States Aircraft Insurance Group (collectively, the USAU Group ), the agents for the aircraft's insurance carriers and to the carriers themselves, who are Ace American Insurance Company and Liberty Mutual Insurance Company (collectively, the Insurance Carriers ). On April 8, 2010, the Company sent a proof of loss statement to the Insurance Carriers in the amount of \$50.0 million (the insured value of the aircraft) for the physical loss of the aircraft. On April 19, 2010, the Insurance Carriers rejected the Company's proof of loss. On May 14, 2010, the Company sent a second proof of loss statement to USAU Group and the Insurance Carriers in the amount of \$50.0 million for the accidental physical damage of the aircraft. On February 4, 2011, 821,393 LLC, a subsidiary of MicroStrategy Services Corporation ( MSC ), MSC, and the Company (collectively, the MicroStrategy Group ), filed a complaint against the Insurance Carriers and the USAU Group in the Circuit Court of Fairfax County, Virginia. The complaint seeks damages from the Insurance Carriers and the USAU Group resulting from their alleged breach of contract for failure to pay the Company's claim resulting from the physical loss of the aircraft and breach of contract for failure to pay the Company's claim resulting from the damage to the aircraft. On March 11, 2011, the Insurance Carriers and the USAU Group filed an answer to the MicroStrategy Group's complaint. At a scheduling conference held on May 12, 2011, the Court set a trial date of February 6, 2012. The outcome of this litigation is not presently determinable.

As of December 31, 2010, the Company recorded a \$3.6 million impairment charge for the estimated loss of property and equipment related to the Company's corporate aircraft. The \$3.6 million estimate reflected only the approximate cost of the damaged components of the aircraft as identified during a visual inspection. During the first quarter of 2011, the initial damage assessments were refined, raising the minimum damage estimate by approximately \$2.9 million and, accordingly, the Company recorded an additional impairment charge of \$2.9 million during the three months ended March 31, 2011, for a total estimated loss of \$6.5 million related to the Company's corporate aircraft.

However, the estimated damage to the aircraft could be as much as \$45.8 million, the carrying value that was reflected on the Company's balance sheet at June 30, 2011 prior to any impairment. Since the Company does not believe that any amount within the range of \$6.5 million to \$45.8 million is a better estimate at this time than any other amount within such range, the Company has recorded the minimum of the range. As the inspection and damage assessment process continues, additional information may become available that would enable the Company to make a more accurate estimate of the damage to the aircraft, and would help to determine whether the aircraft must be deemed a total loss.

The Company carries insurance that covers both accidental damage to and physical loss of the aircraft. The Company's policy will pay up to \$50.0 million in repair costs to the extent the aircraft is repairable or \$50.0 million if the aircraft is determined to be a total loss. Alternatively, the policy will pay \$50.0 million in the event that the aircraft is physically lost. As of December 31, 2010, the Company had recorded a \$3.6 million receivable for the insurance recovery for the preliminary minimum estimated aircraft loss through such date, which was received in full in the first quarter of 2011. During the three months ended March 31, 2011, the Company recorded an additional \$2.9 million receivable for the insurance recovery based on the updated minimum estimated aircraft loss through such date, of which \$2.1 million was received during the second quarter of 2011.

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The Company is also involved in various other legal proceedings arising in the normal course of business. Although the outcomes of these other legal proceedings are inherently difficult to predict, management does not expect the resolution of these other legal proceedings to have a material adverse effect on its financial position, results of operations, or cash flows.

From time to time, the Company enters into certain types of contracts that require it to indemnify parties against third party claims. These contracts primarily relate to agreements under which the Company has agreed to indemnify customers and partners for claims arising from intellectual property infringement. The conditions of these obligations vary and generally a maximum obligation is explicitly stated. Because the conditions of these obligations vary and the maximum is not always explicitly stated, the overall maximum amount of the Company's indemnification obligations cannot be reasonably estimated. Historically, the Company has not been obligated to make significant payments for these obligations, and accordingly has not recorded an indemnification liability on its balance sheets as of June 30, 2011 or December 31, 2010.

**(7) Treasury Stock**

On July 28, 2005, the Company announced that its Board of Directors had authorized the Company's repurchase of up to an aggregate of \$300.0 million of its class A common stock from time to time on the open market (the 2005 Share Repurchase Program). On April 29, 2008, the Company's Board of Directors amended the 2005 Share Repurchase Program to increase the amount of class A common stock that the Company is authorized to repurchase from \$300.0 million to \$800.0 million in the aggregate. The term of the 2005 Share Repurchase Program was also extended to April 29, 2013, although the program may be suspended or discontinued by the Company at any time. The timing and amount of any shares repurchased will be determined by the Company's management based on its evaluation of market conditions and other factors. The 2005 Share Repurchase Program may be funded using the Company's working capital, as well as proceeds from any credit facilities and other borrowing arrangements which the Company may enter into in the future. During the three and six months ended June 30, 2011, the Company did not repurchase any shares of its class A common stock pursuant to the 2005 Share Repurchase Program. As of June 30, 2011, the Company had repurchased an aggregate of 3,826,947 shares of its class A common stock at an average price per share of \$90.23 and an aggregate cost of \$345.3 million pursuant to the 2005 Share Repurchase Program.

The average price per share and aggregate cost amounts disclosed above include broker commissions.

**(8) Income Taxes**

The Company and its subsidiaries conduct business in the U.S. and various foreign countries and are subject to taxation in numerous domestic and foreign jurisdictions. As a result of its business activities, the Company files tax returns that are subject to examination by various federal, state, local, and foreign tax authorities. With few exceptions, the Company is no longer subject to U.S. federal, state and local, or foreign income tax examination by tax authorities for years before 2000; however, due to its use of federal and state net operating loss (NOL) and tax credit carryovers in the U.S., U.S. tax authorities may attempt to reduce or fully offset the amount of NOL or tax credit carryovers from tax years ended in 2000 and forward that were used in later tax years. The Company is currently under tax examination in Germany.

As of June 30, 2011, the Company has recorded uncertain income tax positions of \$16.7 million, which are primarily recorded in other long-term liabilities. If recognized, \$15.6 million of these unrecognized tax benefits would impact the effective tax rate. The Company recognizes estimated accrued interest related to unrecognized income tax benefits in the provision for income tax accounts. Penalties relating to income taxes, if incurred, would also be recognized as a component of the Company's provision for income taxes. Over the next 12 months, the amount of the Company's net liability for unrecognized tax benefits is expected to increase by approximately \$0.5 million for additional accrued interest. As of June 30, 2011, the amount of accrued interest expense on unrecognized income tax benefits was approximately \$0.7 million.



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(unaudited)

The following table summarizes the Company's deferred tax assets, net of deferred tax liabilities and valuation allowance (in thousands), as of:

	<b>June 30, 2011</b>	<b>December 31, 2010</b>
Net deferred tax assets	\$ 26,212	\$ 21,054
Valuation allowance	(2,954)	(2,710)
<b>Deferred tax assets, net of valuation allowance</b>	<b>\$ 23,258</b>	<b>\$ 18,344</b>

The valuation allowance as of June 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010 primarily relates to certain foreign net operating loss carryforward tax assets. The Company has determined that there is insufficient positive evidence that it is more likely than not that such deferred tax assets will be realized.

The Company has estimated its annual effective tax rate for the full fiscal year 2011 and applied that rate to its income from operations before income taxes in determining its benefit for income taxes for the six months ended June 30, 2011. The Company also records discrete items in each respective period as appropriate. For the six months ended June 30, 2011, the Company recorded a benefit for income taxes from operations of \$0.3 million that resulted in an effective tax rate of negative 7.9%, as compared to a provision for income taxes from operations of \$8.5 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010 that resulted in an effective tax rate of positive 31.5% for the six months ended June 30, 2010. The lower effective tax rate for the six months ended June 30, 2011 was primarily due to a decrease in income from operations before income taxes, stronger results outside the U.S. where the Company's effective tax rate is significantly lower than its U.S. effective tax rate, a favorable settlement with the U.K. tax authority, and a discrete benefit recorded due to tax return to provision adjustments.

Except as discussed below, the Company intends to indefinitely reinvest its undistributed earnings of certain foreign subsidiaries. Therefore, the annualized effective tax rate applied to the Company's pre-tax income does not include any provision for U.S. federal and state income taxes on the amount of the undistributed foreign earnings. U.S. federal tax laws, however, require the Company to include in its U.S. taxable income certain investment income earned outside of the U.S. in excess of certain limits ( Subpart F deemed dividends ). Because Subpart F deemed dividends are already required to be recognized in the Company's U.S. federal income tax return, the Company regularly repatriates Subpart F deemed dividends to the U.S. and no additional tax is incurred on the distribution. As of June 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010, the amount of cash and cash equivalents held by U.S. entities was \$31.2 million and \$33.1 million, respectively, and by non-U.S. entities was \$161.8 million and \$141.0 million, respectively. If the cash and cash equivalents held by non-U.S. entities were to be repatriated to the U.S., the Company would generate U.S. taxable income to the extent of the Company's undistributed foreign earnings which amounted to \$140.4 million at December 31, 2010, less applicable foreign tax credits. Although the tax impact of repatriating these earnings is difficult to determine, we would not expect the maximum effective tax rate that would be applicable to such repatriation to exceed the U.S. statutory rate of 35.0%.

In determining the Company's benefit or provision for income taxes, net deferred tax assets, liabilities, and valuation allowances, management is required to make judgments and estimates related to projections of domestic and foreign profitability, the timing and extent of the utilization of net operating loss carryforwards, applicable tax rates, transfer pricing methods, and prudent and feasible tax planning strategies. As a multinational company, the Company is required to calculate and provide for estimated income tax liabilities for each of the tax jurisdictions in which it operates. This process involves estimating current tax obligations and exposures in each jurisdiction as well as making judgments

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regarding the future recoverability of deferred tax assets. Changes in the estimated level of annual pre-tax income, changes in tax laws particularly related to the utilization of net operating losses in various jurisdictions, and changes resulting from tax audits can all affect the overall effective income tax rate which, in turn, impacts the overall level of income tax expense and net income.

Judgments and estimates related to the Company's projections and assumptions are inherently uncertain; therefore, actual results could differ materially from projections. The timing and manner in which the Company will use research and development tax credit carryforward tax assets, alternative minimum tax credit carryforward tax assets, and foreign tax credit carryforward tax assets in any year, or in total, may be limited by provisions of the Internal Revenue Code regarding changes in the Company's ownership. Currently, the Company expects to use the tax assets, subject to Internal Revenue Code limitations, within the carryforward periods. Valuation allowances have been established where the Company has concluded that it is not more likely than not that such deferred tax assets are realizable.

**(9) Share-Based Compensation**

The Company has share-based compensation plans under which directors, officers, employees, and other eligible participants have previously received stock option awards to purchase the Company's class A common stock, but no shares are currently authorized for additional awards under the plans. All stock options granted under the Company's stock plans have terms of five to ten years and are fully vested. The Company has not granted any new share-based awards to purchase the Company's class A common stock since the first quarter of 2004.

MicroStrategy's subsidiary, Angel.com Incorporated (Angel.com), has a stock incentive plan under which employees, officers, directors, consultants, and advisors of (i) Angel.com, (ii) any present or future parent or subsidiary corporation of Angel.com, (iii) any present or future subsidiary corporation of any present or future parent corporation of Angel.com, and (iv) any other business venture in which Angel.com or any present or future parent corporation of Angel.com has a controlling interest, may be granted options, restricted stock awards, and other awards with respect to, in the aggregate, up to 1.5 million shares of the class A common stock of Angel.com, representing 10.7% of the outstanding equity of Angel.com on a fully diluted basis as of June 30, 2011. During the six months ended June 30, 2011 and 2010, Angel.com did not grant any options to purchase shares of class A common stock of Angel.com. There were 0.3 million shares of class A common stock of Angel.com authorized for additional option grants as of June 30, 2011.

There was no share-based compensation expense for the six months ended June 30, 2011 and 2010.

**(10) Comprehensive Income**

Comprehensive income includes foreign currency translation adjustments and unrealized gains and losses on short-term investments, net of related tax effects that have been excluded from net income and reflected in stockholders' equity as accumulated other comprehensive income.

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The Company's comprehensive income (in thousands) consisted of the following for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended June 30,		Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2011	2010	2011	2010
Net income	\$ 2,885	\$ 11,618	\$ 4,019	\$ 18,519
Foreign currency translation adjustment	(125)	(1,121)	(100)	(1,912)
Unrealized gain (loss) on short-term investments, net of applicable taxes	1	(6)	(2)	(7)
Comprehensive income	\$ 2,761	\$ 10,491	\$ 3,917	\$ 16,600

**(11) Common Equity and Earnings per Share**

The Company has two classes of common stock: class A common stock and class B common stock. Holders of class A common stock generally have the same rights, including rights to dividends, as holders of class B common stock, except that holders of class A common stock have one vote per share while holders of class B common stock have ten votes per share. Each share of class B common stock is convertible at any time, at the option of the holder, into one share of class A common stock. As such, basic and fully diluted earnings per share for class A common stock are the same as basic and fully diluted earnings per share for class B common stock. The Company has never declared or paid any cash dividends on either class A or class B common stock.

Potential common shares are included in the diluted earnings per share calculation when dilutive. Potential common shares consisting of common stock issuable upon exercise of outstanding stock options are computed using the treasury stock method.

**(12) Segment Information**

The Company manages its business in two operating segments—core business intelligence software and services, and other. The operating segment—other—consists of the Company's Angel.com business, which provides interactive voice response and call center solutions. The following table presents total revenues and long-lived assets, excluding long-term deferred tax assets, (in thousands) according to geographic region:

Geographic regions:	Core Business Intelligence Software and Services			Other Domestic	Consolidated
	Domestic	EMEA	Other Regions		
<b>Three months ended June 30, 2011</b>					
Total revenues	\$ 71,954	\$ 47,552	\$ 12,641	\$ 6,004	\$ 138,151
Long-lived assets	82,614	7,627	3,448	1,741	95,430
<b>Three months ended June 30, 2010</b>					
Total revenues	\$ 63,915	\$ 29,032	\$ 10,510	\$ 4,080	\$ 107,537
Long-lived assets	69,250	2,812	1,968	1,296	\$ 75,326
<b>Six months ended June 30, 2011</b>					
Total revenues	\$ 137,308	\$ 83,181	\$ 26,887	\$ 12,804	\$ 260,180
Long-lived assets	82,614	7,627	3,448	1,741	95,430
<b>Six months ended June 30, 2010</b>					
Total revenues	\$ 116,480	\$ 56,608	\$ 19,661	\$ 8,178	\$ 200,927
Long-lived assets	69,250	2,812	1,968	1,296	\$ 75,326

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The domestic region consists of the United States and Canada. The EMEA region includes operations in Europe, the Middle East and Africa. The other regions include all other foreign countries, generally comprising Latin America and the Asia Pacific region. For the three and six months ended June 30, 2011 and 2010, no individual foreign country accounted for 10% or more of total consolidated revenues.

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As of June 30, 2011 and 2010, no more than 10% of the Company's consolidated assets were concentrated in any individual foreign country. For the three and six months ended June 30, 2011 and 2010, no individual customer accounted for 10% or more of total consolidated revenues.

**(13) Subsequent Events**

In 2000, in exchange for licenses to MicroStrategy software, the Company acquired approximately 1.7 million shares of common stock of a provider of online software for event management, web surveys and event marketing (the Investee). The shares represented less than 5% of the total outstanding equity interests of the Investee at the date of the transaction. The Company accounted for this investment under the cost method of accounting and previously recorded a permanent impairment for this investment. In July 2011, the Company sold all of its equity interest in the Investee for approximately \$3.4 million. The Company plans to record this amount as a gain on investments in the Company's operating results for the quarter ending September 30, 2011. As of the date of the July 2011 sale transaction, Sanju K. Bansal, the Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Company and the Company's Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, held an equity interest of approximately 10% of the total outstanding equity interests of the Investee and was a member of the board of directors of the Investee.

In July 2011, the Company entered into an arrangement to lease a 37.5% fractional interest in a corporate aircraft owned and managed by a fractional interest program operator, for a three-year period, with the Company having the right to terminate the lease after the first year. Management estimates the costs of the lease arrangement for a one-year period will be approximately \$4.2 million.

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**Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations**

**FORWARD-LOOKING INFORMATION**

This Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act). For this purpose, any statements contained herein that are not statements of historical fact, including without limitation, certain statements regarding industry prospects and our results of operations or financial position, may be deemed to be forward-looking statements. Without limiting the foregoing, the words believes, anticipates, plans, expects, and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements. The important factors discussed below under Item 1A. Risk Factors, among others, could cause actual results to differ materially from those indicated by forward-looking statements made herein and presented elsewhere by management from time to time. Such forward-looking statements represent management's current expectations and are inherently uncertain. Investors are warned that actual results may differ from management's expectations.

**Overview**

We are a worldwide provider of business intelligence (BI) software that enables companies to analyze the data stored across or derived from their enterprises to make better business decisions. MicroStrategy's business intelligence software platform delivers actionable information to business users via the web and mobile devices, including the iPad®, iPhone®, and BlackBerry®. MicroStrategy facilitates customer BI solutions utilizing MicroStrategy® software with a comprehensive offering of consulting, education, technical support, and technical advisory services for our customers and strategic partners.

The MicroStrategy 9™ software platform enables users to query and analyze the most detailed, transaction-level databases, turning data into business intelligence and delivering reports and information dashboards about the users' business performance. MicroStrategy 9 can be used by companies to provide their employees with information to make data-driven business and management decisions. By integrating information from across the enterprise, solutions built on the MicroStrategy platform are designed to give analysts, managers, and executives the critical insight they need to reduce costs, better allocate resources, improve efficiencies, and optimize operations. MicroStrategy 9 can also be used to build stronger relationships with business partners and suppliers by providing insights used to manage inventory levels, analyze supply chains, and track vendor performance.

Our core BI business derives its revenues from product licenses and product support and other services. Product licenses revenues are derived from the sale of software licenses for our MicroStrategy 9 business intelligence platform and related products. We license our software to end users through our direct sales organization and through indirect sales channels, such as resellers, systems integrators, and original equipment manufacturers, or OEMs. Our arrangements with customers typically include: (a) an end user license fee paid for the use of our products in perpetuity or over a specified term; (b) an annual maintenance agreement that provides for software updates and upgrades and technical support for an annual fee; and (c) a services work order for implementation, consulting and training, generally for a fee determined on a time-and-materials basis or, in certain circumstances, a fixed-fee.

In July 2011, we announced the general availability of MicroStrategy 9.2.1 and MicroStrategy Cloud™, and introduced two new social media technologies, Gateway for Facebook and Alert. These innovative technologies are designed to enable companies to capitalize on the big data, mobile, cloud, and social media trends in the marketplace.

MicroStrategy 9.2.1, the latest release of the MicroStrategy Business Intelligence Platform™, features a new product, MicroStrategy Transaction Services™, which allows users to initiate actions and transactions from a mobile device. MicroStrategy Transaction Services helps companies increase the speed and productivity of their businesses by building mobile applications that connect to back-end transactional systems and databases.

MicroStrategy Cloud, a cloud-based platform-as-a-service, enables rapid, cost-effective development of business intelligence and mobile and social media applications.

Gateway for Facebook is a new cloud-based service that can interconnect enterprise IT environments and enterprise applications with the Facebook social graph.

Alert is a mobile Facebook application that gives Facebook users a new way to follow all of their favorite celebrity and brand Facebook pages. Alert presents users with a consolidated view of the news, events, photos, and videos from their favorite pages, while allowing users to organize those pages into customized groups.



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For the six months ended June 30, 2011 and 2010, we operated one non-core business, Angel.com, a provider of interactive voice response and call center solutions.

The following table sets forth certain operating highlights (in thousands) for the three and six months ended June 30, 2011 and 2010:

	Core BI Business Three Months Ended June 30,		Angel.com Three Months Ended June 30,		Consolidated Three Months Ended June 30,	
	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010
<b>Revenues</b>						
Product licenses	\$ 33,430	\$ 28,930	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 33,430	\$ 28,930
Product support and other services	98,717	74,527	0	0	98,717	74,527
Angel.com services	0	0	6,004	4,080	6,004	4,080
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>132,147</b>	<b>103,457</b>	<b>6,004</b>	<b>4,080</b>	<b>138,151</b>	<b>107,537</b>
<b>Cost of revenues</b>						
Product licenses	2,322	1,860	0	0	2,322	1,860
Product support and other services	29,409	20,399	0	0	29,409	20,399
Angel.com services	0	0	2,812	2,090	2,812	2,090
<b>Total cost of revenues</b>	<b>31,731</b>	<b>22,259</b>	<b>2,812</b>	<b>2,090</b>	<b>34,543</b>	<b>24,349</b>
<b>Gross profit</b>	<b>100,416</b>	<b>81,198</b>	<b>3,192</b>	<b>1,990</b>	<b>103,608</b>	<b>83,188</b>
<b>Operating expenses</b>						
Sales and marketing	57,807	37,776	3,135	1,585	60,942	39,361
Research and development	15,779	9,985	1,095	827	16,874	10,812
General and administrative	21,617	18,246	702	428	22,319	18,674
<b>Total operating expenses</b>	<b>95,203</b>	<b>66,007</b>	<b>4,932</b>	<b>2,840</b>	<b>100,135</b>	<b>68,847</b>
<b>Income (loss) from operations before financing and other income and income taxes</b>	<b>\$ 5,213</b>	<b>\$ 15,191</b>	<b>\$ (1,740)</b>	<b>\$ (850)</b>	<b>\$ 3,473</b>	<b>\$ 14,341</b>



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	Core BI Business Six Months Ended June 30,		Angel.com Six Months Ended June 30,		Consolidated Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010
<b>Revenues</b>						
Product licenses	\$ 60,810	\$ 46,884	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 60,810	\$ 46,884
Product support and other services	186,566	145,865	0	0	186,566	145,865
Angel.com services	0	0	12,804	8,178	12,804	8,178
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>247,376</b>	<b>192,749</b>	<b>12,804</b>	<b>8,178</b>	<b>260,180</b>	<b>200,927</b>
<b>Cost of revenues</b>						
Product licenses	4,230	3,775	0	0	4,230	3,775
Product support and other services	57,907	38,554	0	0	57,907	38,554
Angel.com services	0	0	5,567	3,644	5,567	3,644
<b>Total cost of revenues</b>	<b>62,137</b>	<b>42,329</b>	<b>5,567</b>	<b>3,644</b>	<b>67,704</b>	<b>45,973</b>
<b>Gross profit</b>	<b>185,239</b>	<b>150,420</b>	<b>7,237</b>	<b>4,534</b>	<b>192,476</b>	<b>154,954</b>
<b>Operating expenses</b>						
Sales and marketing	106,382	69,663	6,071	3,085	112,453	72,748
Research and development	27,773	21,643	2,099	1,500	29,872	23,143
General and administrative	44,156	36,192	1,444	942	45,600	37,134
<b>Total operating expenses</b>	<b>178,311</b>	<b>127,498</b>	<b>9,614</b>	<b>5,527</b>	<b>187,925</b>	<b>133,025</b>
<b>Income (loss) from operations before financing and other income and income taxes</b>	<b>\$ 6,928</b>	<b>\$ 22,922</b>	<b>\$ (2,377)</b>	<b>\$ (993)</b>	<b>\$ 4,551</b>	<b>\$ 21,929</b>

The business intelligence market is highly competitive and our results of operations depend on our ability to market and sell product offerings that provide customers with greater value than those offered by our competitors. Organizations recently have sought, and we expect may continue to seek, to standardize their various business intelligence applications around a single software platform. This trend presents both opportunities and challenges for our business. It offers us the opportunity to increase the size of transactions with new customers and to expand the size of our business intelligence installations with existing customers. On the other hand, it presents the challenge that we may not be able to penetrate accounts that a competitor has penetrated or in which a competitor is the incumbent business intelligence application provider. In addition, companies with industry leading positions in certain software markets, such as Microsoft, Oracle, IBM, and SAP, have incorporated business intelligence capabilities into their product suites. As a result, our products need to be sufficiently differentiated from these bundled software offerings to create customer demand for our platform and products.

To address these opportunities and challenges, we are implementing a number of initiatives, including:

concentrating our research and development efforts on maintaining our position as a technology leader by continuing to innovate and lead in enterprise business intelligence, improving the capability of our products to efficiently handle the ever increasing volume of data and user scalability needs of our current and future customers, and adding analytical and end user features to support the increasing levels of sophistication in our customers' business intelligence needs and applications, such as the incorporation of dynamic enterprise dashboards to our interfaces and transactional services features that connect to back-end transactional systems and databases;

offering mobile application platforms for creating and deploying BI applications to the expanding community of users of mobile devices;

introducing social media technologies, such as Gateway for Facebook and Alert;

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focusing our sales and marketing activities to create brand awareness in an effort to obtain new customer relationships, as well as to expand and strengthen our existing customer base;

creating a dedicated performance engineering team, and focusing specific research and development efforts on providing our customers with the highest levels of performance for BI applications of all sizes; and

continuing our investment in recruiting and hiring engineering talent.

As part of these initiatives, we expect to continue to invest during the remainder of 2011 in our research and development, sales and marketing, and consulting capabilities. As a result, we expect that our cost of revenues and operating expenses will continue to increase during the remainder of 2011, and if our revenues are not sufficient to offset this increase in expenses, we could incur operating losses in the second half of 2011.

We believe that effective recruiting, education, and nurturing of human resources are critical to our success and we have traditionally made investments in these areas in order to differentiate ourselves from our competition, increase employee loyalty, and create a culture conducive to creativity, cooperation, and continuous improvement.

As of June 30, 2011, we had a total of 2,823 employees, of whom 1,431 were based in the United States and 1,392 were based internationally. Of our 2,823 employees, 873 were engaged in sales and marketing, 627 in research and development, 914 in technical support, consulting, and education services, and 409 in finance, administration, and corporate operations.

In January 2010, we entered into a lease for approximately 142,000 square feet of office space at a location in Northern Virginia that began serving as our new corporate headquarters in October 2010. The lease granted an abatement of base rent until March 2011. In May 2010 and May 2011, the Company entered into amendments to the lease pursuant to which, in each instance, it leased an additional 24,000 square feet of office space, for a cumulative total of 48,000 square feet of additional office space, at the same location. The May 2010 amendment provided an abatement of base rent on the additional space until July 2011. The May 2011 amendment provided for an abatement of base rent on the additional space until February 2012. The lease, as amended, includes tenant incentives and allowances that we may use for leasehold improvements. The term of the lease, as amended, expires in December 2020. Notwithstanding the rent abatements, we are recognizing lease expense ratably over the term of the lease. As we continued to pay rent and recognize lease expense on our former corporate headquarters through October 2010, we incurred a non-recurring increase in operating expenses of approximately \$2.0 million during the six months ended June 30, 2010.

We base our internal operating expense forecasts on expected revenue trends and strategic objectives. Many of our expenses, such as office leases and certain personnel costs, are relatively fixed. We may be unable to adjust spending quickly enough in any particular period to offset any unexpected revenue shortfall in that period. Accordingly, any shortfall in revenue may cause significant variation in our operating results. We therefore believe that quarter-to-quarter comparisons of our operating results may not be a good indication of our future performance.

### **Critical Accounting Policies**

Our discussion and analysis of our financial condition and results of operations are based upon our consolidated financial statements, which have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

The preparation of our consolidated financial statements requires us to make estimates and judgments that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, and equity and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. These estimates, particularly estimates relating to revenue recognition, allowance for

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doubtful accounts, valuation of property and equipment, litigation and contingencies, and valuation of net deferred tax assets, have a material impact on our financial statements and are discussed in detail throughout our analysis of the results of operations discussed below. In some cases, changes in accounting estimates are reasonably likely to occur from period to period.

In addition to evaluating estimates relating to the items discussed above, we also consider other estimates and judgments, including, but not limited to, those related to software development costs, provision for income taxes, and other contingent liabilities, including liabilities that we deem not probable of assertion. We base our estimates on historical experience and various other assumptions that we believe are reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis for making judgments about the carrying value of assets, liabilities, and equity that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results and outcomes could differ from these estimates and assumptions.

MicroStrategy does not have any material ownership interest in any special purpose or other entities that are not wholly-owned and/or consolidated into our consolidated financial statements. Additionally, MicroStrategy does not have any material related party transactions.

For a more detailed explanation of the judgments made in these areas and a discussion of our accounting estimates and policies in which, in each case, there have been no significant changes since December 31, 2010, refer to *Critical Accounting Estimates* included in Item 7 and *Summary of Significant Accounting Policies* (Note 2) included in Item 15 of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2010.

**Impact of Foreign Currency Exchange Rate Fluctuations on Results of Operations**

We conduct a significant portion of our business in currencies other than the U.S. dollar, the currency in which we report our consolidated financial statements. Historically, we have generated a significant portion of our revenues and incurred a significant portion of our expenses in euros and British pounds sterling. As currency rates change from quarter to quarter and year over year, our results of operations may be impacted. The table below summarizes the impact (in thousands) of fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates on certain components of our consolidated statements of operations by showing the increase (decrease) in revenues or expenses, as applicable, from the prior year. The term *international* refers to operations outside of the United States and Canada.

	Three Months Ended June 30,		Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2011	2010	2011	2010
International product licenses revenues	\$ 1,528	\$ (126)	\$ 1,925	\$ 441
International product support revenues	3,121	(473)	3,555	1,212
International other services revenues	1,891	(154)	2,236	467
Cost of product support revenues	91	8	123	77
Cost of other services revenues	1,367	(36)	1,546	610
Sales and marketing expenses	2,884	(178)	3,525	981
General and administrative expenses	622	(69)	759	274

For example, if there had been no change to foreign currency exchange rates from 2010 to 2011, international product licenses revenues would have been \$12.9 million rather than \$14.4 million and \$25.4 million rather than \$27.3 million for the three and six months ended June 30, 2011, respectively. If there had been no change to foreign currency exchange rates from 2010 to 2011, sales and marketing expenses for our core BI business would have been \$54.9 million rather than \$57.8 million and \$102.9 million rather than \$106.4 million for the three and six months ended June 30, 2011, respectively.

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Except as otherwise indicated herein, the term "domestic" refers to operations in the United States and Canada, and the term "international" refers to operations outside of the United States and Canada.

**Product licenses revenues.** The following table sets forth product licenses revenues (in thousands) and percentage changes for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended June 30,			Six Months Ended June 30,		
	2011	2010	% Change	2011	2010	% Change
<b>Product Licenses Revenues:</b>						
Domestic	\$ 19,002	\$ 19,058	-0.3%	\$ 33,469	\$ 29,044	15.2%
International	14,428	9,872	46.2%	27,341	17,840	53.3%
Total product licenses revenues	\$ 33,430	\$ 28,930	15.6%	\$ 60,810	\$ 46,884	29.7%

The following table sets forth a summary, grouped by size, of the number of recognized product licenses transactions for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended June 30,		Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2011	2010	2011	2010
<b>Product Licenses Transactions with Recognized Licenses Revenue in the Applicable Period:</b>				
More than \$1.0 million in licenses revenue recognized	5	3	7	3
Between \$0.5 million and \$1.0 million in licenses revenue recognized	7	3	12	5
Total	12	6	19	8
<b>Domestic:</b>				
More than \$1.0 million in licenses revenue recognized	3	3	4	3
Between \$0.5 million and \$1.0 million in licenses revenue recognized	5	1	9	3
Total	8	4	13	6
<b>International:</b>				
More than \$1.0 million in licenses revenue recognized	2	0	3	0
Between \$0.5 million and \$1.0 million in licenses revenue recognized	2	2	3	2
Total	4	2	6	2

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The following table sets forth the recognized revenue (in thousands) attributable to product licenses transactions, grouped by size, for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended June 30,			Six Months Ended June 30,		
	2011	2010	% Change	2011	2010	% Change
<b>Product Licenses Revenue Recognized in the Applicable Period (in thousands):</b>						
More than \$1.0 million in licenses revenue recognized	\$ 8,793	\$ 6,872	28.0%	\$ 11,479	\$ 6,872	67.0%
Between \$0.5 million and \$1.0 million in licenses revenue recognized	4,392	2,050	114.2%	7,776	3,588	116.7%
Less than \$0.5 million in licenses revenue recognized	20,245	20,008	1.2%	41,555	36,424	14.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>33,430</b>	<b>28,930</b>	<b>15.6%</b>	<b>60,810</b>	<b>46,884</b>	<b>29.7%</b>
<b>Domestic:</b>						
More than \$1.0 million in licenses revenue recognized	4,375	6,872	-36.3%	5,935	6,872	-13.6%
Between \$0.5 million and \$1.0 million in licenses revenue recognized	3,212	521	516.5%	5,825	2,059	182.9%
Less than \$0.5 million in licenses revenue recognized	11,415	11,665	-2.1%	21,709	20,113	7.9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>19,002</b>	<b>19,058</b>	<b>-0.3%</b>	<b>33,469</b>	<b>29,044</b>	<b>15.2%</b>
<b>International:</b>						
More than \$1.0 million in licenses revenue recognized	4,418	0	n/a	5,544	0	n/a
Between \$0.5 million and \$1.0 million in licenses revenue recognized	1,180	1,529	-22.8%	1,951	1,529	27.6%
Less than \$0.5 million in licenses revenue recognized	8,830	8,343	5.8%	19,846	16,311	21.7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 14,428</b>	<b>\$ 9,872</b>	<b>46.2%</b>	<b>\$ 27,341</b>	<b>\$ 17,840</b>	<b>53.3%</b>

For the three months ended June 30, 2011 and 2010, product licenses transactions with more than \$0.5 million in recognized revenue represented 39.4% and 30.8%, respectively, of our product licenses revenues. For the six months ended June 30, 2011, our top three product licenses transactions totaled \$6.7 million in recognized revenue, or 10.9% of total product licenses revenues, as compared to \$6.9 million, or 14.7% of total product licenses revenues, for the six months ended June 30, 2010.

Product licenses revenues increased \$4.5 million and \$13.9 million for the three and six months ended June 30, 2011, respectively, as compared to the same periods in the prior year, primarily due to an increase in the number of domestic and international transactions with more than \$0.5 million in recognized revenue.

**Domestic product licenses revenues.** Domestic product licenses revenues remained flat for the three months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, primarily due to an increase in the number of transactions with recognized revenue between \$0.5 million and \$1.0 million, offset by a decrease in the average deal size of transactions with more than \$1.0 million in recognized revenue.

Domestic product licenses revenues increased 15.2% for the six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, primarily due to an increase in the number of transactions with recognized revenue between \$0.5 million and \$1.0 million.

**International product licenses revenues.** International product licenses revenues increased 46.2% for the three months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, primarily due to an increase in the number of transactions with more than \$1.0 million in recognized revenue and favorable changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

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International product licenses revenues increased 53.3% for the six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, primarily due to an increase in the number of transactions with more than \$1.0 million in recognized revenue, an increase in the average deal size of transactions with less than \$0.5 million in recognized revenue, and favorable changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

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**Product support and other services revenues for our core BI business.** The following table sets forth product support and other services revenues (in thousands) for our core BI business and related percentage changes in these revenues for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended June 30,			Six Months Ended June 30,		
	2011	2010	% Change	2011	2010	% Change
<b>Product Support and Other Services Revenues:</b>						
<b>Product Support</b>						
Domestic	\$ 33,632	\$ 30,045	11.9%	\$ 66,001	\$ 58,933	12.0%
International	28,446	21,208	34.1%	52,677	42,309	24.5%
<b>Total product support revenues</b>	<b>62,078</b>	<b>51,253</b>	<b>21.1%</b>	<b>118,678</b>	<b>101,242</b>	<b>17.2%</b>
<b>Consulting</b>						
Education	31,820	19,066	66.9%	58,855	36,792	60.0%
	4,819	4,208	14.5%	9,033	7,831	15.3%
<b>Total product support and other services revenues</b>	<b>\$ 98,717</b>	<b>\$ 74,527</b>	<b>32.5%</b>	<b>\$ 186,566</b>	<b>\$ 145,865</b>	<b>27.9%</b>

**Product support revenues.** Product support revenues are derived from providing technical software support and software updates and upgrades to customers. Product support revenues are recognized ratably over the term of the contract, which in most cases is one year.

Both domestic and international product support revenues increased for the three and six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same periods in the prior year, primarily due to an 11.7% and 11.6% increase, respectively, in the number of technical support contracts, which accounted for an increase of \$6.0 million and \$11.7 million, respectively, in recognized revenue, and favorable changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

**Consulting revenues.** Consulting revenues are derived from helping customers plan and execute the deployment of our software. Consulting revenues increased for the three and six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same periods in the prior year, primarily due to an increase in billable hours.

**Education revenues.** Education revenues are derived from the education and training that we provide to our customers to enhance their ability to fully utilize the features and functionality of our software. Education revenues increased for the three and six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same periods in the prior year, primarily due to an increase in the number of students trained.

**Angel.com services revenues.** The following table sets forth Angel.com services revenues (in thousands) and the percentage changes in Angel.com revenues for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended June 30,			Six Months Ended June 30,		
	2011	2010	% Change	2011	2010	% Change
Angel.com services	\$ 6,004	\$ 4,080	47.2%	\$ 12,804	\$ 8,178	56.6%

Angel.com services revenues increased \$1.9 million for the three months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, due to a \$1.3 million increase in the usage of Angel.com's interactive voice response services and a \$0.6 million increase in professional services rendered.

Angel.com services revenues increased \$4.6 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year due to a \$3.6 million increase in the usage of Angel.com's interactive voice response services and a \$1.0 million increase in professional services rendered.





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**Cost of revenues.** The following table sets forth cost of revenues (in thousands) and percentage changes in cost of revenues for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended			Six Months Ended		
	June 30, 2011	June 30, 2010	% Change	June 30, 2011	June 30, 2010	% Change
Cost of Revenues:						
Product licenses	\$ 2,322	\$ 1,860	24.8%	\$ 4,230	\$ 3,775	12.1%
Product support	3,261	2,595	25.7%	6,685	5,400	23.8%
Consulting	23,751	15,885	49.5%	46,637	29,523	58.0%
Education	2,397	1,919	24.9%	4,585	3,631	26.3%
Angel.com services	2,812	2,090	34.5%	5,567	3,644	52.8%
Total cost of revenues	\$ 34,543	\$ 24,349	41.9%	\$ 67,704	\$ 45,973	47.3%

**Cost of product licenses revenues.** Cost of product licenses revenues consists of amortization of capitalized software development costs and the costs of product manuals, media, and royalties paid to third-party software vendors. Capitalized software development costs are generally amortized over a useful life of three years.

The increase in cost of product licenses revenues for the three and six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same periods in the prior year, was primarily due to the increase in amortization of capitalized software development costs related to the release of our MicroStrategy 9.2 software in March 2011. We expect to amortize the remaining balance of \$4.3 million of capitalized software development costs related to the development of our MicroStrategy 9 software as of June 30, 2011 ratably over the remaining 9 month amortization period. We expect to amortize the remaining balance of \$3.5 million of capitalized software development costs related to the development of our MicroStrategy 9.2 software as of June 30, 2011 ratably over the remaining 33 month amortization period. We expect to amortize the remaining balance of \$1.5 million of capitalized software development costs related to the development of MicroStrategy Mobile as of June 30, 2011 ratably over the remaining 24 month amortization period.

**Cost of product support revenues.** Cost of product support revenues consists of product support personnel and related overhead costs.

The increase in cost of product support revenues for the three and six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same periods in the prior year, was primarily due to an increase in staffing levels to support an expanding customer base. Product support headcount increased 20.8% to 145 at June 30, 2011 from 120 at June 30, 2010.

**Cost of consulting revenues.** Cost of consulting revenues consists of personnel and related overhead costs. Cost of consulting revenues increased \$7.9 million for the three months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, primarily due to a \$6.3 million increase in compensation and related costs due to an increase in staffing levels and a \$1.4 million increase in travel and entertainment expenditures. Consulting headcount increased 28.9% to 687 at June 30, 2011 from 533 at June 30, 2010.

Cost of consulting revenues increased \$17.1 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, due to a \$13.6 million increase in compensation and related costs due to an increase in staffing levels, a \$2.5 million increase in travel and entertainment expenditures, and a \$1.0 million increase in facility and other related support costs.

**Cost of education revenues.** Cost of education revenues consists of personnel and related overhead costs. Cost of education revenues increased \$0.5 million for the three months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, due to a \$0.3 million increase in compensation and related costs due to

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an increase in staffing levels, a \$0.1 million increase in consulting services, and a \$0.1 million increase in travel and entertainment expenditures. Education headcount increased 8.3% to 52 at June 30, 2011 from 48 at June 30, 2010.

Cost of education revenues increased \$1.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, primarily due to a \$0.6 million increase in compensation and related costs due to an increase in staffing levels, a \$0.2 million increase in travel and entertainment expenditures, and a \$0.1 million increase in consulting services.

**Cost of Angel.com services revenues.** Cost of Angel.com services revenues includes hardware and hosting costs, and personnel and related overhead costs. The increase in cost of Angel.com services revenues for the three and six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same periods in the prior year, was primarily due to an increase in staffing levels as well as an increase in hosting and related costs to support an increased customer base. Angel.com consulting and technical support headcount increased 50.0% to 30 at June 30, 2011 from 20 at June 30, 2010.

**Sales and marketing and general and administrative expenses for our core BI business.** The following table sets forth sales and marketing and general and administrative expenses (in thousands) for our core BI business and percentage changes in these expenses for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended			Six Months Ended		
	June 30, 2011	June 30, 2010	% Change	June 30, 2011	June 30, 2010	% Change
Sales and marketing	\$ 57,807	\$ 37,776	53.0%	\$ 106,382	\$ 69,663	52.7%
General and administrative	21,617	18,246	18.5%	44,156	36,192	22.0%
Total	\$ 79,424	\$ 56,022	41.8%	\$ 150,538	\$ 105,855	42.2%

**Sales and marketing expenses for our core BI business.** Sales and marketing expenses for our core BI business consists of personnel costs, commissions, office facilities, travel, advertising, public relations programs, and promotional events, such as trade shows, seminars, and technical conferences.

Sales and marketing expenses increased \$20.0 million for the three months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, primarily due to a \$14.1 million increase in compensation and related costs due to an increase in staffing levels, higher compensation levels, and increased variable compensation, a \$2.1 million increase in marketing costs and computer supplies costs due to increased sponsorships as well as an increased number of marketing events to promote MicroStrategy Mobile for the iPhone and iPad, a \$1.7 million increase in travel and entertainment expenditures, and a \$1.4 million increase in facility and other related support costs. Sales and marketing headcount increased 32.4% to 817 at June 30, 2011 from 617 at June 30, 2010.

Sales and marketing expenses increased \$36.7 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, primarily due to a \$26.8 million increase in compensation and related costs due to an increase in staffing levels, higher compensation levels, and increased variable compensation, a \$3.6 million increase in travel and entertainment expenditures, a \$3.0 million increase in marketing costs and computer supplies costs due to increased sponsorships as well as an increased number of marketing events to promote MicroStrategy Mobile for the iPhone and iPad, and a \$2.4 million increase in facility and other related support costs.

**General and administrative expenses for our core BI business.** General and administrative expenses consists of personnel and other costs of our executive, finance, human resources, information systems, and administrative departments, as well as third-party consulting, legal, and other professional fees.

General and administrative expenses increased \$3.4 million for the three months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, primarily due to a \$1.8 million increase in compensation and

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related costs due to an increase in staffing levels, a \$0.8 million increase in recruiting costs related to our initiative to increase our staffing levels, a \$0.7 million increase attributable to operating costs of our leased fractional interest in a corporate aircraft, a \$0.3 million increase in legal, consulting and other advisory costs, and a \$0.3 million increase in travel and entertainment expenditures, partially offset by a \$0.6 million decrease in facility and other related support costs primarily due to the increased rent expense incurred during the three months ended June 30, 2010 for carrying two headquarters leases. General and administrative headcount increased 16.5% to 403 at June 30, 2011 from 346 at June 30, 2010.

General and administrative expenses increased \$8.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, due to a \$3.8 million increase in compensation and related costs due to an increase in staffing levels, a \$1.5 million increase in legal, consulting and other advisory costs, a \$1.5 million increase in recruiting costs related to our initiative to increase our staffing levels, a \$1.4 million increase attributable to operating costs of our leased fractional interest in a corporate aircraft, and a \$0.4 million increase in travel and entertainment expenditures, partially offset by a \$0.6 million decrease in facility and other related support costs primarily due to the increased rent expense incurred during the six months ended June 30, 2010 for carrying two headquarters leases.

**Angel.com sales and marketing and general and administrative expenses.** The following table sets forth sales and marketing and general and administrative expenses (in thousands) for our Angel.com business and percentage changes for these expenses for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended			Six Months Ended		
	June 30, 2011	June 30, 2010	% Change	June 30, 2011	June 30, 2010	% Change
Sales and marketing	\$ 3,135	\$ 1,585	97.8%	\$ 6,071	\$ 3,085	96.8%
General and administrative	702	428	64.0%	1,444	942	53.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 3,837</b>	<b>\$ 2,013</b>	<b>90.6%</b>	<b>\$ 7,515</b>	<b>\$ 4,027</b>	<b>86.6%</b>

The increase in Angel.com sales and marketing expenses for the three and six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same periods in the prior year, was primarily due to increases in compensation and related costs associated with an increase in staffing levels to assist in expanding the Angel.com customer base and an increase in travel and entertainment expenditures. Angel.com sales and marketing headcount increased 75.0% to 56 at June 30, 2011 from 32 at June 30, 2010.

The increase in Angel.com general and administrative expenses for the three and six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, was primarily due to an increase in recruiting costs, facility and other related support costs, and an increase in compensation and related costs. Angel.com general and administrative headcount increased 20.0% to 6 at June 30, 2011 from 5 at June 30, 2010.

**Research and development expenses.** Research and development expenses consists of the personnel costs for our software engineering personnel, depreciation of equipment and other related costs.

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The following table summarizes research and development expenses and amortization of capitalized software development costs (in thousands) and percentage changes for these expenses during the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended June 30,			Six Months Ended June 30,		
	2011	2010	% Change	2011	2010	% Change
<b>Gross research and development expenses:</b>						
Core research and development activities	\$ 17,435	\$ 12,170	43.3%	\$ 33,205	\$ 23,828	39.4%
Angel.com research and development activities	1,095	827	32.4%	2,099	1,500	39.9%
Total research and development expenses before capitalized software development costs						
Capitalized software development costs	18,530	12,997	42.6%	35,304	25,328	39.4%
	(1,656)	(2,185)	-24.2%	(5,432)	(2,185)	148.6%
Total research and development expenses	\$ 16,874	\$ 10,812	56.1%	\$ 29,872	\$ 23,143	29.1%
<b>Amortization of capitalized software development costs included in cost of product licenses revenues</b>						
	\$ 1,995	\$ 1,502	32.8%	\$ 3,660	\$ 3,209	14.1%

Research and development expenses, before capitalization of software development costs, increased \$5.5 million, or 42.6%, for the three months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, primarily due to an increase in staffing levels. During the three months ended June 30, 2011, we capitalized \$1.7 million in costs associated with the development of our MicroStrategy 9.2.1 software, as compared to \$2.2 million in software development costs associated with the development of MicroStrategy Mobile that were capitalized in the same period in the prior year. Core BI research and development headcount increased 48.1% to 600 at June 30, 2011 from 405 at June 30, 2010. Angel.com research and development headcount increased 35.0% to 27 at June 30, 2011 from 20 at June 30, 2010.

Research and development expenses, before capitalization of software development costs, increased \$10.0 million, or 39.4%, for the six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, primarily due to an increase in staffing levels. During the six months ended June 30, 2011, we capitalized \$5.4 million in costs associated with the development of our MicroStrategy 9.2 and 9.2.1 software, as compared to \$2.2 million in software development costs associated with the development of MicroStrategy Mobile that were capitalized in the same period in the prior year.

As of June 30, 2011, our research and development resources were allocated to the following projects: 68.9% to MicroStrategy 9.2, including MicroStrategy Mobile, and 31.1% to other research and development, including new product initiatives, our Angel.com business, and internal information technology initiatives.

**Provision for Income Taxes.** For the six months ended June 30, 2011, we recorded a benefit for income taxes from operations of \$0.3 million that resulted in an effective tax rate of negative 7.9%, as compared to a provision for income taxes from operations of \$8.5 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010, that resulted in an effective tax rate of positive 31.5% for the six months ended June 30, 2010. The lower effective tax rate for the six months ended June 30, 2011 was primarily due to a decrease in income from operations before income taxes, stronger results outside the U.S. where the Company's effective tax rate is significantly lower than its U.S. effective tax rate, a favorable settlement with the U.K. tax authority, and a discrete benefit recorded due to tax return to provision adjustments.

As of June 30, 2011, we had U.S. federal net operating loss carryforwards of \$9.2 million and foreign net operating loss carryforwards of \$7.7 million, and other temporary differences, carryforwards, and credits, which resulted in net deferred tax assets of \$23.3 million. Also, as of June 30, 2011, we had a valuation allowance of \$3.0 million (after-tax) primarily related to certain foreign net operating loss carryforwards and other deferred tax assets that we have concluded are not more likely than not of being realized.

Except as discussed below, we intend to indefinitely reinvest the accumulated undistributed earnings of certain foreign subsidiaries. Therefore, the annualized effective tax rate applied to our pre-tax income from operations for the period ended June 30, 2011 did not include any provision for U.S. federal



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and state taxes on the amount of the undistributed foreign earnings. U.S. federal tax laws, however, require us to include in our U.S. taxable income certain investment income earned outside of the U.S. in excess of certain limits ( Subpart F deemed dividends ). Because Subpart F deemed dividends are already required to be recognized in our U.S. federal income tax return, we regularly repatriate Subpart F deemed dividends to the U.S. and no additional tax is incurred on the distribution. If the cash and cash equivalents held by non-U.S. entities were to be repatriated to the U.S., the Company would generate U.S. taxable income to the extent of the Company's undistributed foreign earnings which amounted to \$140.4 million at December 31, 2010, less applicable foreign tax credits. Although the tax impact of repatriating these earnings is difficult to determine, we would not expect the maximum effective tax rate that would be applicable to such repatriation to exceed the U.S. statutory rate of 35.0%.

**Deferred Revenue and Advance Payments.** Deferred revenue and advance payments represent product support and other services fees that are collected in advance and recognized over the contract service period and product licenses revenues relating to multiple element software arrangements that include future deliverables.

The following table summarizes deferred revenue and advance payments (in thousands), as of the dates indicated:

	June 30, 2011	December 31, 2010	June 30, 2010
<b>Current:</b>			
Deferred product licenses revenue	\$ 12,560	\$ 13,881	\$ 10,785
Deferred product support revenue	132,081	129,766	109,323
Deferred other services revenue	14,747	18,136	12,387
<b>Gross current deferred revenue and advance payments</b>	<b>159,388</b>	<b>161,783</b>	<b>132,495</b>
Less: unpaid deferred revenue	(57,065)	(72,452)	(46,346)
<b>Net current deferred revenue and advance payments</b>	<b>\$ 102,323</b>	<b>\$ 89,331</b>	<b>\$ 86,149</b>
<b>Non-current:</b>			
Deferred product licenses revenue	\$ 5,038	\$ 3,732	\$ 1,876
Deferred product support revenue	10,370	8,436	5,856
Deferred other services revenue	318	321	299
<b>Gross non-current deferred revenue and advance payments</b>	<b>15,726</b>	<b>12,489</b>	<b>8,031</b>
Less: unpaid deferred revenue	(5,557)	(4,611)	(4,323)
<b>Net non-current deferred revenue and advance payments</b>	<b>\$ 10,169</b>	<b>\$ 7,878</b>	<b>\$ 3,708</b>

We offset our accounts receivable and deferred revenue for any unpaid items included in deferred revenue and advance payments.

The increase in net deferred revenue and advance payments as of June 30, 2011, as compared to December 31, 2010, was primarily due to an increase in the number of technical support contracts in our installed customer base. The increase in gross current deferred revenue and advance payments as of June 30, 2011, as compared to June 30, 2010, was primarily due to the increase in the number of technical support contracts in our installed customer base and an increase in the deferral of product licenses revenues for which revenue recognition criteria have not been satisfied.

We expect to recognize approximately \$159.4 million of deferred revenue and advance payments over the next 12 months. However, the timing and ultimate recognition of our deferred revenue and advance payments depend on our performance of various service obligations, and the amount of deferred revenue and advance payments at any date should not be considered indicative of revenues for any succeeding period.

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As of June 30, 2011, we had additional agreements that included future minimum commitments by our customers to purchase products, product support or other services through 2016 totaling approximately \$113.8 million. Revenue relating to such future commitments by our customers is not included in our deferred revenue balances.

Revenue relating to such agreements will be recognized during the period in which all revenue recognition criteria are met. The timing and ultimate recognition of any revenue from such customer purchase commitments depend on our customers' meeting their future purchase commitments and our meeting our associated performance obligations related to those purchase commitments.

**Liquidity and Capital Resources**

**Liquidity.** Our principal sources of liquidity are cash, cash equivalents, and on-going collection of our accounts receivable. Cash and cash equivalents include holdings in money market funds and U.S. Treasury bills.

We earn a significant amount of our revenues outside the U.S. and, except for Subpart F deemed dividends, we intend to indefinitely reinvest undistributed earnings of certain non-U.S. entities. We believe that existing cash and cash equivalents held by the Company and anticipated to be generated by the Company are sufficient to meet working capital requirements, anticipated capital expenditures, and contractual obligations for at least the next twelve months, and accordingly, we do not expect to borrow money to finance our operations.

As of June 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010, the amount of cash and cash equivalents held by U.S. entities was \$31.2 million and \$33.1 million, respectively, and by non-U.S. entities was \$161.8 million and \$141.0 million, respectively. If the amounts held by non-U.S. entities were to be repatriated to the U.S., the Company would generate U.S. taxable income to the extent of the Company's undistributed foreign earnings which amounted to \$140.4 million at December 31, 2010, less applicable foreign tax credits. Although the tax impact of repatriating these earnings is difficult to determine, we would not expect the maximum effective tax rate that would be applicable to such repatriation to exceed the U.S. statutory rate of 35.0%. The Company does not anticipate having to repatriate cash to the U.S. to finance its U.S. operations.

The following table sets forth a summary of our cash flows (in thousands) and percentage changes for the periods indicated:

	Six Months Ended		%
	2011	2010	
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 31,466	\$ 31,382	0.3%
Net cash used in investing activities	(18,730)	(6,269)	198.8%
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	3,408	(41,551)	-108.2%

**Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities.** The primary source of our net cash provided by operating activities is cash collections of our accounts receivables from customers following the sales and renewals of our software licenses, technical software support, software updates and upgrades, as well as consulting, education, and other services. Our primary uses of cash from operating activities are for personnel related expenditures for software development, personnel related expenditures for providing consulting, education and other services, and for sales and marketing costs, general and administrative costs, and income taxes.

Net cash provided by operating activities was \$31.5 million and \$31.4 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011 and 2010, respectively. We incurred non-cash expenses of \$3.4 million and \$8.5 million for



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the six months ended June 30, 2011 and 2010, respectively. Non-cash expenses primarily consist of depreciation and amortization, bad debt expense, deferred taxes, and excess tax benefits from stock-based payment arrangements.

***Net Cash Used in Investing Activities.*** The changes in net cash used in investing activities primarily relate to expenditures on property, plant and equipment, capitalized software development costs, and receipts of insurance proceeds related to our corporate aircraft. Net cash used in investing activities was \$18.7 million and \$6.3 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011 and 2010, respectively. The increase in net cash used in investing activities for the six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, was primarily due to a \$14.5 million increase in purchases of property and equipment and a \$3.2 million increase in capitalized software development costs, partially offset by the receipt of \$5.7 million of insurance proceeds related to our corporate aircraft.

***Net Cash Provided by (Used in) Financing Activities.*** The changes in net cash provided by (used in) financing activities primarily relate to the exercise of employee stock options and stock repurchases. Net cash provided by financing activities was \$3.4 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011. Net cash used in financing activities was \$41.6 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010. The increase in net cash provided by financing activities for the six months ended June 30, 2011, as compared to the same period in the prior year, was primarily due to a decrease in purchases of treasury stock of \$41.7 million.

***Share Repurchases.*** On July 28, 2005, we announced that our Board of Directors had authorized our repurchase of up to an aggregate of \$300.0 million of our class A common stock from time to time on the open market (the 2005 Share Repurchase Program ). On April 29, 2008, our Board of Directors amended the 2005 Share Repurchase Program to increase the amount of class A common stock that we are authorized to repurchase from \$300.0 million to \$800.0 million in the aggregate. The term of the 2005 Share Repurchase Program was also extended to April 29, 2013, although the program may be suspended or discontinued by us at any time. The timing and amount of any shares repurchased will be determined by our management based on its evaluation of market conditions and other factors. The 2005 Share Repurchase Program may be funded using our working capital, as well as proceeds from any credit facilities and other borrowing arrangements which we may enter into in the future. During the three and six months ended June 30, 2011, we did not repurchase any shares of our class A common stock pursuant to the 2005 Share Repurchase Program. As of June 30, 2011, we had repurchased an aggregate of 3,826,947 shares of our class A common stock at an average price per share of \$90.23 and an aggregate cost of \$345.3 million pursuant to the 2005 Share Repurchase Program.

The average price per share and aggregate cost amounts disclosed above include broker commissions.

***Contractual Obligations.*** As disclosed in Footnote 6, Commitments and Contingencies, of Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements, we lease office space and computer and other equipment under operating lease agreements. Under these agreements, in addition to base rent, we are generally r