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PRICING TERM SHEET

NOVEMBER 20, 2012

AVNET, INC.

\$350,000,000 4.875% Notes due 2022

Issuer: Avnet, Inc.

Title of Securities: 4.875% Notes due 2022

Type of Offering: SEC-registered
Size: \$350,000,000
Maturity: December 1, 2022

Coupon: 4.875%

Price to Public (Issue Price): 99.788% of principal amount

Yield to Maturity: 4.902%

Benchmark Treasury: UST 1.625% due 11/15/2022

Spread to Benchmark Treasury: 325 bps

Benchmark Treasury Price and Yield: 99-24; 1.652%

Interest Payment Dates: June 1 and December 1, commencing on June 1, 2013

Denominations: $\$2,000 \times \$1,000$

Optional Redemption: Make-whole call at any time at the greater of 100% of the principal amount of the notes being

redeemed or the discounted present value of the remaining scheduled payments of principal and interest at the treasury rate plus 50 basis points, plus accrued and unpaid interest to the

date of redemption

Change of Control: If a Change of Control Triggering Event occurs, putable at 101% of principal amount plus

accrued and unpaid interest to the date of repurchase

Trade Date: November 20, 2012

Settlement Date: T+4; November 27, 2012
CUSIP/ISIN: 053807 AR4/US053807AR45
Ratings*: Baa3 / BBB- (Stable / Stable)

Joint Book-Running Managers: Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith

Incorporated

RBS Securities Inc.

Co-Managers: BNP Paribas Securities Corp.

Mitsubishi UFJ Securities (USA), Inc.

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Scotia Capital (USA) Inc.

HSBC Securities (USA) Inc.

J.P. Morgan Securities LLC

PNC Capital Markets LLC

Wells Fargo Securities, LLC

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