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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 September 30, 2013

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 0-21918

FLIR Systems, Inc.  
(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Oregon	93-0708501
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

27700 SW Parkway Avenue, Wilsonville, Oregon	97070
(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)
(503) 498-3547	
(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 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 definition of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one)

Large accelerated filer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Accelerated filer	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non-accelerated filer	<input type="checkbox"/>	Smaller reporting company	<input type="checkbox"/>

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

At October 31, 2013, there were 141,654,996 shares of the Registrant's common stock, \$0.01 par value, outstanding.



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## PART 1. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

## Item 1. Financial Statements

## FLIR SYSTEMS, INC.

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

(In thousands, except per share amounts)

(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Revenue	\$358,141	\$332,230	\$1,096,053	\$1,018,973
Cost of goods sold	185,251	158,877	549,134	492,865
Gross profit	172,890	173,353	546,919	526,108
Operating expenses:				
Research and development	32,986	29,593	109,271	103,674
Selling, general and administrative	76,365	69,523	234,706	219,181
Total operating expenses	109,351	99,116	343,977	322,855
Earnings from operations	63,539	74,237	202,942	203,253
Interest expense	3,696	3,096	10,361	8,930
Interest income	(256	) (268	) (721	) (1,073
Other expense (income), net	53	2,175	(536	) 1,190
Earnings from continuing operations before income taxes	60,046	69,234	193,838	194,206
Income tax provision	13,560	13,285	45,558	47,027
Earnings from continuing operations	46,486	55,949	148,280	147,179
Loss from discontinued operations, net of tax	—	(44	) —	(2,042
Net earnings	\$46,486	\$55,905	\$148,280	\$145,137
Basic earnings per share:				
Continuing operations	\$0.33	\$0.37	\$1.04	\$0.96
Discontinued operations	—	(0.00	) —	(0.01
Basic earnings per share	\$0.33	\$0.37	\$1.04	\$0.95
Diluted earnings per share:				
Continuing operations	\$0.32	\$0.37	\$1.02	\$0.95
Discontinued operations	—	(0.00	) —	(0.01
Diluted earnings per share	\$0.32	\$0.37	\$1.02	\$0.94
Weighted average shares outstanding:				
Basic	141,863	150,878	142,849	152,820
Diluted	144,231	152,327	144,831	154,758

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.



FLIR SYSTEMS, INC.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

(In thousands)

(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Net earnings	\$46,486	\$55,905	\$148,280	\$145,137
Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax:				
Foreign currency translation adjustments	22,587	22,694	5,560	15,812
Fair value adjustment on interest rate swap contracts	(408 )	—	1,119	—
Comprehensive income	\$68,665	\$78,599	\$154,959	\$160,949

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FLIR SYSTEMS, INC.  
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS  
(In thousands, except par value)  
(Unaudited)

	September 30, 2013	December 31, 2012 (as adjusted)
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$492,199	\$321,739
Accounts receivable, net	281,611	335,163
Inventories	376,033	381,378
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	98,001	96,006
Deferred income taxes, net	31,659	30,960
Total current assets	1,279,503	1,165,246
Property and equipment, net	229,844	211,615
Deferred income taxes, net	32,235	32,223
Goodwill	567,611	562,586
Intangible assets, net	157,489	175,823
Other assets	59,194	41,442
	\$2,325,876	\$2,188,935
<b>LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$93,861	\$94,156
Deferred revenue	30,308	29,465
Accrued payroll and related liabilities	39,139	41,506
Accrued product warranties	13,464	13,169
Advance payments from customers	13,585	12,150
Accrued expenses	41,977	32,772
Accrued income taxes	—	11,943
Other current liabilities	4,479	6,406
Current portion long term debt	15,000	—
Total current liabilities	251,813	241,567
Long-term debt	376,163	248,319
Deferred income taxes	18,828	17,351
Accrued income taxes	22,410	22,812
Pension and other long-term liabilities	50,151	58,985
Commitments and contingencies		
Shareholders' equity:		
Preferred stock, \$0.01 par value, 10,000 shares authorized; no shares issued at September 30, 2013, and December 31, 2012	—	—
Common stock, \$0.01 par value, 500,000 shares authorized, 141,620 and 145,814 shares issued at September 30, 2013, and December 31, 2012, respectively, and additional paid-in capital	61,892	171,546
Retained earnings	1,528,399	1,418,814
Accumulated other comprehensive earnings	16,220	9,541
Total shareholders' equity	1,606,511	1,599,901
	\$2,325,876	\$2,188,935

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## FLIR SYSTEMS, INC.

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(In thousands)

(Unaudited)

	Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2013	2012 (As adjusted)
<b>CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES:</b>		
Net earnings	\$ 148,280	\$ 145,137
Income items not affecting cash:		
Depreciation and amortization	44,978	44,859
Deferred income taxes	(38)	) 599
Stock-based compensation arrangements	20,673	19,997
Other non-cash items	1,485	(1,864)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities, net of acquisitions:		
Decrease in accounts receivable	52,856	41,476
Decrease (increase) in inventories	6,481	(22,427)
Increase in prepaid expenses and other current assets	(2,142)	) (15,367)
(Increase) decrease in other assets	(4,911)	) 450
Decrease in accounts payable	(374)	) (6,720)
Increase (decrease) in deferred revenue	808	(4,382)
Decrease in accrued payroll and other liabilities	(9,865)	) (21,438)
Decrease in accrued income taxes	(12,347)	) (14,501)
Increase in pension and other long-term liabilities	3,907	6,852
Cash provided by operating activities	249,791	172,671
<b>CASH USED BY INVESTING ACTIVITIES:</b>		
Additions to property and equipment, net	(36,997)	) (39,188)
Business acquisitions, net of cash acquired	(20,073)	) —
Other investments	—	(3,000)
Cash used by investing activities	(57,070)	) (42,188)
<b>CASH USED BY FINANCING ACTIVITIES:</b>		
Proceeds from long-term debt, including current portion	150,000	—
Repayments of long-term debt	(7,500)	) —
Repurchase of common stock	(133,049)	) (129,010)
Dividends paid	(38,695)	) (32,020)
Proceeds from shares issued pursuant to stock-based compensation plans	5,953	7,117
Excess tax benefit of stock options exercised	928	1,231
Other financing activities	(1,273)	) (139)
Cash used by financing activities	(23,636)	) (152,821)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash	1,375	5,981
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	170,460	(16,357)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period	321,739	440,846
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$492,199	\$424,489

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NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(Unaudited)

Note 1. Basis of Presentation

The accompanying consolidated financial statements of FLIR Systems, Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries (the "Company") are unaudited and have been prepared pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission. In the opinion of management, these statements have been prepared on the same basis as the audited consolidated financial statements and include all adjustments, consisting of only normal recurring adjustments, necessary for a fair presentation of the Company's consolidated financial position and results of operations for the interim periods. Certain information and footnote disclosures normally included in financial statements prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States have been condensed or omitted pursuant to such rules and regulations. These consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Company's audited consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012.

The accompanying consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its wholly owned subsidiaries. All significant intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated. The results of operations for the interim periods presented are not necessarily indicative of the operating results to be expected for any subsequent interim period or for the year ending December 31, 2013.

Reclassifications and Adjustments to Prior Year

The Company made certain reclassifications to the prior year's financial statements to conform them to the presentation as of September 30, 2013. In addition, the December 31, 2012 balance sheet has been adjusted for purchase price allocations of the Lorex and Traficon acquisitions. See Note 18, "Business Acquisitions," of the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements for additional information. These reclassifications and adjustments had no effect on consolidated net earnings, shareholders' equity or net cash flows from operating, investing or financing activities for any of the periods presented.

Note 2. Stock-based Compensation

Stock-based compensation expense and related tax benefit recognized in the Consolidated Statements of Income are as follows (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Cost of goods sold	\$672	\$895	\$1,902	\$2,516
Research and development	1,388	1,297	3,675	3,771
Selling, general and administrative	5,288	4,405	15,096	13,710
Stock-based compensation expense before income taxes	7,348	6,597	20,673	19,997
Income tax benefit	(2,295)	(2,005)	(6,696)	(6,067)
Total stock-based compensation expense after income taxes	\$5,053	\$4,592	\$13,977	\$13,930

Stock-based compensation costs capitalized in inventory are as follows (in thousands):

	September 30,	
	2013	2012
Capitalized in inventory	\$789	\$514

As of September 30, 2013, the Company had \$50.4 million of total unrecognized stock-based compensation costs, net of estimated forfeitures, to be recognized over a weighted average period of 2.0 years.

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## NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—(Continued)

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## Note 2. Stock-based Compensation - (Continued)

The fair value of the stock-based awards granted in the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 was estimated with the following weighted-average assumptions:

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2013		September 30, 2012		Nine Months Ended September 30, 2013		September 30, 2012	
Stock option awards:								
Risk-free interest rate	0.6	%	—		0.3	%	0.4	%
Expected dividend yield	1.1	%	—		1.5	%	1.3	%
Expected term	4.5 years		—		4.3 years		4.2 years	
Expected volatility	31.4	%	—		33.7	%	39.7	%
Market-based restricted stock awards:								
Risk-free interest rate	—		—		0.3	%	0.4	%
Expected dividend yield	—		—		—		—	
Expected term	—		—		2.2 years		3.0 years	
Expected volatility	—		—		28.8	%	30.7	%
Expected volatility of S&P 500	—		—		18.1	%	19.6	%
Employee stock purchase plan:								
Risk-free interest rate	—		—		0.1	%	0.2	%
Expected dividend yield	—		—		1.5	%	1.3	%
Expected term	—		—		6 months		6 months	
Expected volatility	—		—		25.0	%	27.4	%

The weighted average fair value of stock-based compensation awards granted and vested, and the intrinsic value of options exercised during the period were (in thousands, except per share amounts):

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2013		September 30, 2012		Nine Months Ended September 30, 2013		September 30, 2012	
Stock Option Awards:								
Weighted average grant date fair value per share	\$7.65		\$—		\$5.92		\$6.43	
Total fair value of awards granted	\$278		\$—		\$6,095		\$4,104	
Total fair value of awards vested	\$33		\$38		\$5,059		\$6,023	
Total intrinsic value of options exercised	\$1,910		\$3,278		\$3,748		\$5,637	
Restricted Stock Unit Awards:								
Weighted average grant date fair value per share	\$31.30		\$19.84		\$23.91		\$17.23	
Total fair value of awards granted	\$2,427		\$121		\$28,063		\$30,643	
Total fair value of awards vested	\$222		\$174		\$13,541		\$12,276	
Employee Stock Purchase Plan:								
Weighted average grant date fair value per share	\$—		\$—		\$5.25		\$5.02	
Total fair value of shares estimated to be issued	\$—		\$—		\$552		\$1,106	

## FLIR SYSTEMS, INC.

## NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—(Continued)

(Unaudited)

## Note 2. Stock-based Compensation - (Continued)

The total amount of cash received from the exercise of stock options in the three months ended September 30, 2013 and 2012 was \$2.0 million and \$1.5 million, respectively, and the related tax impact realized from the exercise of the stock options was a benefit of \$0.4 million and \$0.8 million, respectively. The total amount of cash received from the exercise of stock options in the nine months ended September 30, 2013 and 2012 was \$3.7 million and \$3.1 million, respectively, and the related tax impact realized from the exercise of the stock options was a benefit of \$0.3 million and \$0.1 million, respectively.

Information with respect to stock option activity is as follows:

	Shares (in thousands)	Weighted Average Exercise Price	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual Term	Aggregate Intrinsic Value (in thousands)
Outstanding at December 31, 2012	6,642	\$21.64	4.7	
Granted	1,030	24.58		
Exercised	(266)	14.07		
Forfeited	(8)	21.40		
Outstanding at September 30, 2013	7,398	\$22.32	4.9	\$70,176
Exercisable at September 30, 2013	6,032	\$21.75	3.9	\$60,831
Vested and expected to vest at September 30, 2013	7,329	\$22.30	4.9	\$69,709

Information with respect to restricted stock unit activity is as follows:

	Shares (in thousands)	Weighted Average Grant Date Fair Value
Outstanding at December 31, 2012	2,372	\$21.30
Granted	1,173	23.91
Vested and distributed	(556)	26.71
Forfeited	(140)	24.84
Outstanding at September 30, 2013	2,849	\$23.74

During the nine months ended September 30, 2013 and 2012, the Company granted approximately 1,166,000 and 984,000 time-vested restricted stock units, respectively. The fair value of time-vested restricted stock units is fixed and determined on the date of grant based upon the Company's stock price on the date of grant. The weighted average fair values of the time-vested restricted stock units granted during the nine months ended September 30, 2013 and 2012 were \$23.96 and \$21.67, respectively.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2013 and 2012, the Company also granted approximately 7,000 and 795,000 market-based restricted stock units, respectively. These units may be earned based upon the Company's total shareholder return compared to the total shareholder return of the S&P 500 Index over a three year period. The fair value of the market-based restricted units was determined and fixed on the date of grant using a lattice-based option-pricing valuation model that incorporates a Monte-Carlo simulation and considered the likelihood of the Company achieving the market-based condition. The fair value of the market-based restricted stock units granted during the nine months ended September 30, 2013 and 2012 was \$15.87 and \$11.73, respectively.

There were approximately 125,000 shares issued under the 2011 Employee Stock Purchase Plan ("ESPP") during the nine months ended September 30, 2013 and approximately 3,728,000 shares remain available under the ESPP at September 30, 2013 for future issuance. The total amount of cash received from the issuance of ESPP shares in the nine months ended September 30, 2013 was \$2.1 million. Shares issued for ESPP purchases are newly issued shares.

## FLIR SYSTEMS, INC.

## NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—(Continued)

(Unaudited)

## Note 3. Net Earnings Per Share

The following table sets forth the reconciliation of the numerator and denominator utilized in the computation of basic and diluted earnings per share (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Numerator for earnings per share:				
Earnings from continuing operations	\$46,486	\$55,949	\$148,280	\$147,179
Loss from discontinued operations	—	(44 )	—	(2,042 )
Net earnings for basic and diluted earnings per share	\$46,486	\$55,905	\$148,280	\$145,137
Denominator for earnings per share:				
Weighted average number of common shares outstanding	141,863	150,878	142,849	152,820
Assumed exercises of stock options and vesting of restricted stock awards, net of shares assumed reacquired under the treasury stock method	2,368	1,449	1,982	1,938
Weighted average diluted shares outstanding	144,231	152,327	144,831	154,758

Certain stock-based compensation awards are excluded for purposes of calculating diluted earnings per share since including such stock-based compensation awards that would have been anti-dilutive. Stock-based compensation awards for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013, which aggregated 136,000 shares and 478,000 shares, respectively, and for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2012, which aggregated 6,792,000 shares and 3,100,000 shares, respectively, have been excluded for such purposes.

## Note 4. Fair Value of Financial Instruments

The Company had \$106.0 million and \$5.9 million of cash equivalents at September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively, which were primarily investments in money market funds. The Company has categorized its cash equivalents as a Level 1 financial asset, measured at fair value based on quoted prices in active markets of identical assets. The fair value of the Company's forward currency contracts and interest rate swap contracts as of September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012 are disclosed in Note 5, "Derivative Financial Instruments," of the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements below and are based on Level 2 inputs. The fair value of the Company's senior unsecured notes as described in Note 13, "Long-Term Debt," of the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements is approximately \$258.2 million based upon Level 2 inputs at September 30, 2013. The fair value of the Company's term loan, also described in Note 13, approximates the carrying value due to the variable market rate used to calculate interest payments. The Company does not have any other significant financial assets or liabilities that are measured at fair value.

## Note 5. Derivative Financial Instruments

## Foreign Currency Exchange Rate Risk

The gains and losses related to outstanding derivative instruments recorded in other expense (income) are offset, in general, by the reciprocal gains and losses from the underlying assets or liabilities which originally gave rise to the exposure. The net amounts of these realized and unrealized gains and losses for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013, were a gain of \$1.4 million and a loss of \$2.1 million, respectively. The net amounts of these gains and losses for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2012 were gains of \$2.6 million and \$2.9 million,



respectively.

## FLIR SYSTEMS, INC.

## NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—(Continued)

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## Note 5. Derivative Financial Instruments - (Continued)

The following table provides volume information about the Company's foreign currency hedge volume. The information provided is in United States dollar equivalent amounts. The table presents the net notional amounts at contract exchange rates (in thousands):

	September 30, 2013	December 31, 2012
Swedish kronor	\$106,658	\$98,385
British pound sterling	7,612	15,619
Australian dollar	4,247	7,022
Japanese yen	3,729	5,157
Euro	9,611	2,232
Brazilian real	3,897	—
Other	971	622
	\$136,725	\$129,037

At September 30, 2013, the Company's foreign currency forward contracts, in general, had maturities of seven months or less.

The fair value carrying amount of the foreign currency forward contracts included in the Consolidated Balance Sheets are as follows (in thousands):

	September 30, 2013		December 31, 2012	
	Other Current Assets	Other Current Liabilities	Other Current Assets	Other Current Liabilities
Foreign exchange contracts	\$1,045	\$17	\$2,106	\$229

## Interest Rates

The Company's outstanding long-term debt at September 30, 2013 consists of fixed rate notes and a floating rate term loan. The Company maintains its floating rate revolver for flexibility to fund working capital needs and for other uses of cash. Interest expense on the Company's floating rate debt is typically calculated based on a fixed spread over a reference rate, such as LIBOR (also known as the Eurocurrency rate). Therefore, fluctuations in market interest rates will cause interest expense increases or decreases on a given amount of floating rate debt.

The Company is managing its interest rate risk related to floating rate debt by entering into interest rate swaps in which the Company receives floating rate payments and makes fixed rate payments. The impact of the interest rate swaps is to fix the floating rate basis for the calculation of interest on the term loan at the levels indicated in the table below. The effective interest rate paid is equal to the fixed rates shown below plus the credit spread then in effect. At September 30, 2013, the effective interest rate on the term loan was 2.49 percent. As of September 30, 2013, the following interest rate swaps were outstanding:

Contract Date	Notional Amount (in millions)	Fixed Rate	Effective Date	Maturity Date
March 15, 2013	\$73.1	1.0165	% April 5, 2013	March 31, 2019
March 29, 2013	73.1	0.97	% April 5, 2013	March 31, 2019

Interest rate swaps are recorded as an asset or liability in the Company's Consolidated Balance Sheet at fair value. Gains and losses on cash flow hedges are recorded as an adjustment to accumulated other comprehensive (loss) earnings, except that any gains and losses on ineffectiveness of cash flow hedges would be recorded as an adjustment to other expense (income).



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## NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—(Continued)

(Unaudited)

The net fair value carrying amount of the Company's interest rate swaps was \$1.8 million, of which \$2.8 million and \$1.0 million have been recorded to other assets and other current liabilities, respectively, in the Consolidated Balance Sheet as of September 30, 2013.

## Note 6. Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable are net of an allowance for doubtful accounts of \$7.9 million and \$6.6 million at September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively.

## Note 7. Inventories

Inventories consist of the following (in thousands):

	September 30, 2013	December 31, 2012
Raw material and subassemblies	\$222,573	\$231,273
Work-in-progress	56,289	50,644
Finished goods	97,171	99,461
	\$376,033	\$381,378

## Note 8. Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are net of accumulated depreciation of \$214.8 million and \$190.5 million at September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively.

## Note 9. Goodwill

As of September 30, 2013, the Company completed its annual review of goodwill and has determined that there have been no triggering events or indicators of impairment on its recorded goodwill. The carrying value of goodwill by reporting segment and the activity for the nine months ended September 30, 2013 are as follows (in thousands):

	Thermal Vision and Measurement	Raymarine	Surveillance	Detection	Integrated Systems	Total
Balance, December 31, 2012 (as originally reported)	\$ 253,226	\$ 100,744	\$ 90,817	\$ 38,162	\$ 20,129	\$ 503,078
Adjustments	59,508	—	—	—	—	59,508
Balance, December 31, 2012	312,734	100,744	90,817	38,162	20,129	562,586
Goodwill from acquisitions	—	—	—	—	2,462	2,462
Currency translation adjustments	2,158	277	87	—	41	2,563
Balance, September 30, 2013	\$ 314,892	\$ 101,021	\$ 90,904	\$ 38,162	\$ 22,632	\$ 567,611

During the nine months ended September 30, 2013, the Company updated the purchase price accounting associated with the Lorex and Traficon acquisitions resulting in an increase in goodwill of \$59.5 million which was retrospectively adjusted. See Note 18, "Business Acquisitions," of the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements for additional information.



FLIR SYSTEMS, INC.

NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—(Continued)

(Unaudited)

Note 10. Intangible Assets

Intangible assets are net of accumulated amortization of \$110.2 million and \$90.3 million at September 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively.

Note 11. Revolving Credit Facility

At September 30, 2013, the Company had no borrowings outstanding under its revolving credit facility pursuant to the Credit Agreement, dated February 8, 2011, with Bank of America, N.A., U.S. Bank National Association, JPMorgan Chase Bank N.A. and other Lenders, and \$13.2 million of letters of credit outstanding, which reduces the total available credit under the Credit Agreement to \$186.8 million.

On April 5, 2013, the Credit Agreement was amended to extend the maturity of the revolving credit facility from February 8, 2016 to April 5, 2018. The amendment also incorporated a revised schedule of interest rates.

Note 12. Accrued Product Warranties

The following table summarizes the Company's warranty liability and activity (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Accrued product warranties, beginning of period	\$16,791	\$15,322	\$16,152	\$16,046
Amounts paid for warranty services	(1,128)	(2,465)	(5,273)	(6,722)
Warranty provisions for products sold	768	1,689	5,309	4,823
Currency translation adjustments and other	160	646	403	1,045
Accrued product warranties, end of period	\$16,591	\$15,192	\$16,591	\$15,192
Current accrued product warranties, end of period			\$13,464	\$13,094
Long-term accrued product warranties, end of period			\$3,127	\$2,098

Note 13. Long-Term Debt

Long-term debt consists of the following (in thousands):

	September 30, 2013	December 31, 2012
Unsecured notes	\$ 250,000	\$ 250,000
Term loan	142,500	—
Unamortized discounts and issuance costs of unsecured notes	(1,337)	(1,681)
	\$ 391,163	\$ 248,319
Current portion, long-term debt	\$ 15,000	\$ —
Long-term debt	\$ 376,163	\$ 248,319

In August 2011, the Company issued \$250 million aggregate principal amount of its 3.750% senior unsecured notes due September 1, 2016 (the "Notes"). The net proceeds from the issuance of the Notes were approximately \$247.7 million, after deducting underwriting discounts and offering expenses, which are being amortized over a period of five years. Interest is payable on the Notes semiannually in arrears on March 1 and September 1. The proceeds from the

Notes are being used for general corporate purposes, which may include working capital and capital expenditure needs, business acquisitions and repurchases of the Company's common stock.

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Note 13. Long-Term Debt - (Continued)

The Credit Agreement amendment of April 5, 2013, discussed in Note 11, "Credit Agreements," of the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements above, incorporated a \$150 million term loan facility that matures on April 5, 2019. On April 5, 2013 the Company drew down \$150 million under the term loan facility. Interest is accrued at the one-month LIBOR rate plus the scheduled spread and paid monthly. Quarterly principal payments of \$3.8 million commenced on June 30, 2013 and will continue through December 31, 2018 with the final maturity payment including any accrued interest due on April 5, 2019.

Note 14. Shareholders' Equity

The following table summarizes the common stock and additional paid-in capital activity during the nine months ended September 30, 2013 (in thousands):

Common stock and additional paid-in capital, December 31, 2012	\$171,546
Excess income tax benefit of common stock options exercised	347
Common stock issued pursuant to stock-based compensation plans, net	2,058
Stock-based compensation costs	20,990
Repurchase of common stock	(133,049 )
Common stock and additional paid-in capital, September 30, 2013	\$61,892

During the nine months ended September 30, 2013, the Company repurchased 2.1 million shares of the Company's common stock through open market transactions and entered into an accelerated share repurchase program at a notional amount of \$75.0 million under which the Company received 2.6 million shares in March 2013 and an additional 0.3 million shares in April 2013. The repurchases were under the February 2013 authorization by the Company's Board of Directors pursuant to which the Company is authorized to repurchase up to 25.0 million shares of the Company's outstanding common stock. This authorization expires in February 2015.

On February 9, 2011, the Company's Board of Directors adopted a dividend policy under which the Company intends to pay quarterly cash dividends on its common stock. Accordingly, a dividend of \$0.09 per share of outstanding common stock was paid on September 6, 2013 to shareholders of record as of the close of business on August 19, 2013. The total cash payments for dividends in the nine months ended September 30, 2013 was \$38.7 million.

Note 15. Contingencies

The Company and its subsidiary, Indigo Systems Corporation (now known as FLIR Commercial Systems, Inc.) (together, the "FLIR Parties"), were named in a lawsuit filed by Raytheon Company ("Raytheon") on March 2, 2007 in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Texas. Raytheon's complaint, as amended, asserted claims for tortious interference, patent infringement, trade secret misappropriation, unfair competition, breach of contract and fraudulent concealment. The FLIR Parties filed an answer to the complaint on September 2, 2008, in which they denied all material allegations. On August 31, 2009, the court entered an order granting the FLIR Parties' motion for summary judgment on Raytheon's trade secret misappropriation claim based on the FLIR Parties' statute of limitations defense. Raytheon abandoned all of its other claims except its claims relating to four patents (the "Patent Claims"). On August 11, 2010, the FLIR Parties and Raytheon entered into an agreement in principle to resolve the remaining Patent Claims, which resulted in a payment of \$3 million by the FLIR Parties to Raytheon and entitles the FLIR Parties to certain license rights in the patents that were the subject of the Patent Claims. The parties appealed certain rulings of the District Court to the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit which on August 1, 2012 reversed the judgment of the District Court and remanded the case for further proceedings consistent with the appellate court's opinion. The Company intends to vigorously defend itself in this matter and is unable to estimate the amount or range of potential loss, if any, which might result if the outcome in this matter is unfavorable.





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Note 16. Income Taxes

As of September 30, 2013, the Company had approximately \$29.8 million of unrecognized tax benefits all of which would affect the Company's effective tax rate if recognized. The Company anticipates an immaterial portion of its net unrecognized tax benefits will be recognized within 12 months as the result of settlements or effective settlements with various tax authorities, the closure of certain audits and the lapse of the applicable statute of limitations. The Company classifies interest and penalties related to uncertain tax positions as income tax expense. As of September 30, 2013, the Company had approximately \$2.8 million of net accrued interest and penalties related to uncertain tax positions.

The Company currently has the following tax years open to examination by major taxing jurisdictions:

	Tax Years:
US Federal	2010 – 2012
State of Oregon	2009 – 2012
State of Massachusetts	2009 – 2012
State of California	2008 – 2012
Sweden	2007 – 2012
United Kingdom	2008 – 2012
Belgium	2011 - 2012

Note 17. Operating Segments and Related Information

Operating Segments

The Company has two business divisions: Commercial Systems and Government Systems.

Commercial Systems Division

The Commercial Systems division is focused on the design, manufacture, and marketing of instrument, sensor, and electronics solutions that facilitate improved situational awareness and environmental analytics for commercial customers. The division is comprised of two operating segments: Thermal Vision and Measurement and Raymarine.

The Thermal Vision and Measurement segment provides advanced thermal imaging solutions for emerging commercial and industrial markets that enable people to see at night or through adverse weather conditions and to capture, measure, and analyze temperature data. The Raymarine segment provides electronics for the maritime market and is a leading global provider of fully integrated “stem to stern” networked electronic systems for boats of all sizes.

Government Systems Division

The Government Systems division designs, manufactures, and markets advanced imaging and detection systems for government markets where high performance is required. The division is comprised of three operating segments: Surveillance, Detection, and Integrated Systems.

The Surveillance segment provides enhanced imaging and recognition solutions to a wide variety of military, law enforcement, public safety, and other government customers around the world for the protection of borders, troops, and public welfare. The Detection segment produces sensor instruments that detect and identify chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear, and explosives (“CBRNE”) threats for military force protection, homeland security, and commercial applications. The Integrated Systems segment develops platform solutions for combating sophisticated security threats and incorporates multiple sensor systems in order to deliver actionable intelligence for wide area surveillance, intrusion detection, and facility security.

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## Note 17. Operating Segments and Related Information - (Continued)

## Operating Segments - (Continued)

Operating segment information is as follows (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Revenue – External Customers:				
Thermal Vision and Measurement	\$177,100	\$149,540	\$519,453	\$447,922
Raymarine	35,800	31,659	127,087	125,443
Surveillance	102,966	115,915	331,824	350,005
Detection	13,103	15,401	40,016	50,467
Integrated Systems	29,172	19,715	77,673	45,136
	\$358,141	\$332,230	\$1,096,053	\$1,018,973
Revenue – Intersegments:				
Thermal Vision and Measurement	\$5,201	\$3,076	\$12,397	\$12,527
Raymarine	—	—	—	4
Surveillance	8,240	5,260	22,520	17,246
Detection	1,836	1,027	6,098	1,803
Integrated Systems	384	295	1,082	1,342
Eliminations	(15,661)	(9,658)	(42,097)	(32,922)
	\$—	\$—	\$—	\$—
Earnings (loss) from operations:				
Thermal Vision and Measurement	\$43,744	\$42,916	\$125,509	\$109,651
Raymarine	2,050	374	14,345	9,944
Surveillance	30,535	39,243	100,835	114,965
Detection	1,354	1,131	3,265	801
Integrated Systems	(97)	1,333	112	1,267
Other	(14,047)	(10,760)	(41,124)	(33,375)
	\$63,539	\$74,237	\$202,942	\$203,253

	September 30, 2013	December 31, 2012
Segment assets (accounts receivable, net and inventories):		
Thermal Vision and Measurement	\$249,972	\$265,197
Raymarine	66,185	74,980
Surveillance	283,809	317,944
Detection	24,858	31,861
Integrated Systems	32,820	26,559
	\$657,644	\$716,541

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Note 17. Operating Segments and Related Information - (Continued)

Revenue and Long-Lived Assets by Geographic Area

Information related to revenue by significant geographical location, determined by the end customer, is as follows (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
United States	\$ 191,261	\$ 185,222	\$ 576,278	\$ 536,150
Europe	81,748	61,507	260,474	231,374
Other international	85,132	85,501	259,301	251,449
	\$ 358,141	\$ 332,230	\$ 1,096,053	\$ 1,018,973

Long-lived assets by significant geographic locations are as follows (in thousands):

	September 30, 2013	December 31, 2012 (As adjusted)
United States	\$ 596,967	\$ 583,008
Europe	362,959	355,497
Other international	54,212	52,961
	\$ 1,014,138	\$ 991,466

Major Customers

Revenue derived from major customers is as follows (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
US Government	\$ 89,866	\$ 91,714	\$ 282,470	\$ 265,976

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## Note 18. Business Acquisitions

In December 2012, the Company acquired Lorex Technology Inc. ("Lorex"), a provider of consumer oriented and professional grade video surveillance systems, for approximately \$61.2 million in cash. At December 31, 2012, the Company initially reported the net tangible assets of \$19.1 million in the respective balance sheet accounts and the excess purchase price of \$42.1 million in other assets.

The Company has since performed a purchase price allocation which resulted in an allocation of \$15.1 million of identifiable intangible assets and \$31.1 million of goodwill in conjunction with the Lorex acquisition, which has been recorded in the Company's Thermal Vision and Measurement segment. This goodwill consists largely of the ability of Lorex to provide the Company domain knowledge and distribution channels in adjacent security markets. These purchase price adjustments have been applied retrospectively to the December 31, 2012 balance sheet.

The allocation of the purchase price is as follows (in thousands):

Cash acquired	\$1,170	
Accounts receivable, net	10,183	
Inventories	13,967	
Property and equipment	1,049	
Other assets	3,004	
Liabilities	(10,252)	)
Net tangible assets	19,121	
Net deferred taxes	(4,189)	)
Identifiable intangible assets	15,100	
Goodwill	31,138	
Purchase price	\$61,170	

None of the goodwill recognized is deductible for income tax purposes.

The identifiable intangible assets and the estimated useful life of each are as follows (in thousands):

	Estimated Useful Life	Amount
Lorex Trade Name	indefinite	\$6,800
Customer Relationships	7 years	8,300
		\$15,100

Also in December 2012, the Company acquired Traficon International NV ("Traficon"), a provider of video image processing software and hardware for traffic analysis applications, for approximately \$46.3 million in cash. At December 31, 2012, the Company initially reported the net tangible assets of \$5.1 million in the respective balance sheet accounts and the excess purchase price of \$41.2 million in other assets.

In April 2013, the Company made an additional payment of \$2.1 million in cash as an adjustment to the purchase price. The Company has performed a purchase price allocation which resulted in an allocation of \$20.1 million of identifiable intangible assets and \$28.4 million of goodwill in conjunction with the Traficon acquisition, which has been recorded in the Company's Thermal Vision and Measurement segment. This goodwill consists largely of the ability of Traficon to expand the Company's presence in the global traffic monitoring market through the provision of domain expertise and distribution channels. These purchase price adjustments have been applied retrospectively to the December 31, 2012 balance sheet.

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## Note 18. Business Acquisitions - (Continued)

The allocation of the purchase price is as follows (in thousands):

Cash acquired	\$181	
Accounts receivable, net	6,435	
Inventories	2,853	
Property and equipment	179	
Other assets	657	
Liabilities	(5,248)	)
Net tangible assets	5,057	
Net deferred taxes	(5,166)	)
Identifiable intangible assets	20,102	
Goodwill	28,370	
Purchase price	\$48,363	

None of the goodwill recognized is deductible for income tax purposes.

The identifiable intangible assets and the estimated useful life of each are as follows (in thousands):

	Estimated Useful Life	Amount
Patented/Proprietary Technology	10 years	\$5,951
Backlog	1.5 years	1,852
Customer Relationships	12 years	12,299
		\$20,102

In April 2013, the Company acquired Marine and Remote Sensing Solutions, Ltd. ("MARSS"), a developer of software and sensor control systems for use in maritime security applications, including above and below water port security and ship-based man overboard detection, for approximately \$3.2 million in cash.

In August 2013, the Company acquired certain tangible assets and intellectual property related to the design and manufacturing of wafer-level optics from DigitalOptics Corporation East for approximately \$14.9 million in cash. The tangible assets, including property, equipment and inventory, and intellectual property that were acquired are included in the Consolidated Balance Sheet as of September 30, 2013 and are included in the Thermal Vision and Measurement segment assets in Note 17, "Operating Segments and Related Information," of the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements. The Company has preliminarily recorded \$5.0 million in property and equipment and \$9.9 million in other assets as of September 30, 2013. The allocation of the purchase price is subject to the final determination on the valuation of the assets acquired. The valuation is expected to be finalized by December 31, 2013.

The operating results for these acquisitions are included in the Company's 2013 results of operations.

These acquisitions are not significant, either individually or in the aggregate, as defined in Regulation S-X of the Securities and Exchange Commission, compared to the Company's overall financial position.

## Note 19. Subsequent Events

On October 15, 2013, the Company announced a proposed realignment of some of its production and engineering operations that will result in the closure of up to six of its global locations and the transfer of these operations to larger Company facilities. The Company also announced its intention to consolidate its optics and laser manufacturing operations. The Company expects to record pre-tax restructuring charges in the fourth quarter of 2013 of approximately \$27 million to \$30 million related to these and other cost reduction actions.

On October 23, 2013, the Company's Board of Directors declared a quarterly dividend of \$0.09 per share on its common stock, payable on December 6, 2013, to shareholders of record as of the close of business on November 18, 2013. The total cash payment of this dividend will be approximately \$12.7 million.



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

### Forward-Looking Statements

This Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q (the "Report"), including "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" in Part I, Item 2, contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 regarding future events and the future results of FLIR Systems, Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries ("FLIR" or the "Company") that are based on management's current expectations, estimates, projections, and assumptions about the Company's business. Words such as "expects," "anticipates," "intends," "plans," "believes," "sees," "estimates" and variations of such words and similar expressions are intended to identify such forward-looking statements. These statements are not guarantees of future performance and involve risks, uncertainties and assumptions that are difficult to predict. Therefore, actual outcomes and results may differ materially from what is expressed or forecasted in such forward-looking statements due to numerous factors including, but not limited to, those discussed in the "Risk Factors" section of the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K filed for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012, "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" in Part I, Item 2, and elsewhere in this Report as well as those discussed from time to time in the Company's other Securities and Exchange Commission filings and reports. In addition, such statements could be affected by general industry and market conditions. Such forward-looking statements speak only as of the date of this Report or, in the case of any document incorporated by reference, the date of that document, and we do not undertake any obligation to update any forward-looking statement to reflect events or circumstances after the date of this Report, or for changes made to this document by wire services or Internet service providers. If we update or correct one or more forward-looking statements, investors and others should not conclude that we will make additional updates or corrections with respect to other forward-looking statements.

### Results of Operations

The following discussion of operating results provides an overview of our operations by addressing key elements in our Consolidated Statements of Income. The "Segment Operating Results" section that follows describes the contributions of each of our business segments to our consolidated revenue and earnings from operations. Given the nature of our business, we believe revenue and earnings from operations (including operating margin percentage) are most relevant to an understanding of our performance at a segment level as revenue levels are the most significant indicators of business conditions for each of the respective segments and earnings from operations reflect our ability to manage each of our segments as revenue levels change. Additionally, at the segment level we disclose backlog, which represents orders received for products or services for which a sales agreement is in place and delivery is expected within twelve months.

**Revenue.** Consolidated revenue for the three months ended September 30, 2013 increased by 7.8 percent year over year, from \$332.2 million in the third quarter of 2012 to \$358.1 million in the third quarter of 2013. Consolidated revenue for the nine months ended September 30, 2013 increased by 7.6 percent year over year, from \$1,019.0 million in the first nine months of 2012 to \$1,096.1 million in the first nine months of 2013. Our Thermal Vision and Measurement ("TVM"), Raymarine, and Integrated Systems segments reported increases in revenue year over year, while our other two segments reported decreases in year over year revenues. The increase in revenue from our TVM segment was due to revenue from two companies acquired late in 2012, while the increase in revenue from our Integrated Systems segment resulted from higher year over year deliveries on large programs for that business.

The timing of orders, scheduling of backlog and fluctuations in demand in various regions of the world can give rise to quarter to quarter and year over year fluctuations in the mix of revenue. Consequently, year over year comparisons for any given quarter may not be indicative of comparisons using longer time periods. While we currently expect total annual revenue for 2013 to be approximately three to seven percent higher than 2012 revenue, unexpected changes in economic conditions from key customer markets or other major unanticipated events may cause total revenue, and the mix of revenue between our segments, to vary from quarter to quarter during the year.

International sales accounted for 46.6 percent and 44.2 percent of total revenue for the quarters ended September 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively, and 47.4 percent for both the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 and



2012, respectively. The proportion of our international revenue compared to total revenue will fluctuate from quarter to quarter due to normal variation in order activity across various regions as well as specific factors that may affect one region and not another. Overall we anticipate that revenue from international sales will continue to comprise a significant percentage of total revenue.

Cost of goods sold. Cost of goods sold for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 was \$185.3 million and \$549.1 million, respectively, compared to cost of goods sold for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2012 of \$158.9 million and \$492.9 million, respectively. The year over year increase in cost of goods sold primarily relates to increases in revenues and changes in product mix.

Gross profit. Gross profit for the quarter ended September 30, 2013 was \$172.9 million compared to \$173.4 million for the same quarter last year. Gross profit for the nine months ended September 30, 2013 was \$546.9 million compared to \$526.1 million for the same period of 2012. The increases in gross profit were primarily due to increases in revenues. Gross margin, defined as gross profit divided by revenue, decreased from 52.2 percent in the third quarter of 2012 to 48.3 percent in the third quarter of 2013 and from 51.6 percent in the first nine months of 2012 to 49.9 percent in the first nine months of 2013. The decreases in gross margins were primarily due to lower gross margins of products sold by Lorex, a portion of our TVM segment that was acquired in December 2012, and product mix changes in our Integrated Systems and Surveillance segments.

Research and development expenses. Research and development expenses for the third quarter of 2013 totaled \$33.0 million, compared to \$29.6 million in the third quarter of 2012. Research and development expenses for the first nine months of 2013 and 2012 were \$109.3 million and \$103.7 million, respectively. Research and development expenses as a percentage of revenue was 9.2 percent and 10.0 percent for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013, respectively. Research and development expenses as a percentage of revenue was 8.9 percent and 10.2 percent for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2012, respectively. Over the five annual periods through December 31, 2012, our annual research and development expenses have varied between 8.0 percent and 9.8 percent of revenue, and we currently expect these expenses to remain within that range in the near future.

Selling, general and administrative expenses. Selling, general and administrative expenses were \$76.4 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2013, compared to \$69.5 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2012. Selling, general and administrative expenses for the first nine months of 2013 and 2012 were \$234.7 million and \$219.2 million, respectively. The increases in selling, general and administrative expenses for the third quarter year over year were attributable to the addition of operating expenses of businesses acquired in December of 2012, offset by cost containment efforts taken across the Company in 2012 in response to the lower revenues during that year. Selling, general and administrative expenses as a percentage of revenue were 21.3 percent and 20.9 percent for the quarters ended September 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively and 21.4 percent and 21.5 percent for the nine months ended September 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively. Over the five annual periods through December 31, 2012, our annual selling, general and administrative expenses have varied between 19.2 percent and 23.8 percent of revenue.

Interest expense. Interest expense for the third quarter and first nine months of 2013 was \$3.7 million and \$10.4 million, respectively, compared to \$3.1 million and \$8.9 million for the same periods of 2012. Interest expense is primarily associated with the \$250 million aggregate principal amount of 3.750% senior unsecured Notes due September 1, 2016 issued in August 2011 and the \$150 million term loan that was drawn on April 5, 2013.

Income taxes. The income tax provision of \$13.6 million for the three months ended September 30, 2013 represents a quarterly effective tax rate of 22.6 percent. We expect the annual effective tax rate for the full year of 2013 to be approximately 24 percent, excluding discrete items. The effective tax rate is lower than the US Federal tax rate of 35 percent because of the mix of lower foreign jurisdiction tax rates, the effect of federal, foreign and state tax credits and discrete adjustments.

## Segment Operating Results

### Thermal Vision and Measurement

Thermal Vision and Measurement operating results are as follows (in millions):

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,		
	2013	2012	2013	2012	
Revenue	\$177.1	\$149.5	\$519.5	\$447.9	
Earnings from operations	43.7	42.9	125.5	109.7	
Operating margin	24.7	% 28.7	% 24.2	% 24.5	%
Backlog, end of period			183	167	

Revenue for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 increased by 18.4 percent and 16 percent, respectively, compared to the same periods of 2012. The increases in the three and nine months ended September 30,

2013 are primarily due to the combined revenue of \$32.9 million and \$86.4 million, respectively, reported by Lorex and Traficon, which were acquired in December 2012. For the nine months ended September 30, 2013 there were slightly lower revenues in several of our other product lines, a portion of which was due to lower demand from cores and components customers, including US Government funded customers. The increases in earnings from operations for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 compared to the same periods of 2012 were primarily due to the cost containment efforts taken during the second quarter of 2012 and the

earnings from operations of the acquired businesses. The rise in backlog at September 30, 2013 compared to September 30, 2012 was a result of the addition of backlog reported by Lorex and Traficon.

Raymarine

Raymarine operating results are as follows (in millions):

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,		
	2013	2012	2013	2012	
Revenue	\$35.8	\$31.7	\$127.1	\$125.4	
Earnings from operations	2.1	0.4	14.3	9.9	
Operating margin	5.7	% 1.2	% 11.3	% 7.9	%
Backlog, end of period			5	6	

Revenue for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 increased by 13.1 percent and 1.3 percent, respectively, compared to the same periods of 2012. The year over year increase in revenue for the three month period is primarily due to increased deliveries in the Americas and Europe, partially related to new product introductions. The increases in earnings from operations for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 compared to the same periods of 2012 were primarily due to realizing the benefit in 2013 of cost containment efforts taken during the second quarter of 2012 and higher revenues.

Surveillance

Surveillance operating results are as follows (in millions):

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,		
	2013	2012	2013	2012	
Revenue	\$103.0	\$115.9	\$331.8	\$350.0	
Earnings from operations	30.5	39.2	100.8	115.0	
Operating margin	29.7	% 33.9	% 30.4	% 32.8	%
Backlog, end of period			276	289	

Revenue for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 decreased by 11.2 percent and 5.2 percent, respectively, compared to the same periods of 2012 due to reduced procurement activity by both US and international government agencies. The decrease in earnings from operations for both the three month and nine month periods were primarily due to lower revenues and lower gross margins due to changes in product mix.

Detection

Detection operating results are as follows (in millions):

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,		
	2013	2012	2013	2012	
Revenue	\$13.1	\$15.4	\$40.0	\$50.5	
Earnings from operations	1.4	1.1	3.3	0.8	
Operating margin	10.3	% 7.3	% 8.2	% 1.6	%
Backlog, end of period			24	24	

Revenue for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 decreased by 14.9 percent and 20.7 percent, respectively, compared to the same periods of 2012, which was primarily due to lower research and development contract revenues. Earnings from operations increased for the three and nine month periods year over year due to reductions in operating expenses, which included \$2.8 million of restructuring charges in the nine months ended September 30, 2012 partially offset by lower revenues.



## Integrated Systems

Integrated Systems operating results are as follows (in millions):

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,		
	2013	2012	2013	2012	
Revenue	\$29.2	\$19.7	\$77.7	\$45.1	
(Loss) earnings from operations	(0.1	) 1.3	0.1	1.3	
Operating margin	(0.3	)% 6.8	% 0.1	% 2.8	%
Backlog, end of period			35	79	

Revenue for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 increased by 48.0 percent and 72.1 percent, respectively, compared to the same periods of 2012, which was primarily due to the timing of large program deliveries during both the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013. The decreases in earnings from operations for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2013 compared to the same periods of 2012 were primarily due to lower margins recognized on program deliveries in 2013. Margins are expected to improve in 2014. Backlog at September 30, 2013 reflects a decrease of \$44 million compared to September 30, 2012 due to those program deliveries in 2013 and the reduced intake of program orders in 2013, particularly from US government customers.

## Liquidity and Capital Resources

At September 30, 2013, we had a total of \$492.2 million in cash and cash equivalents, of which \$236.9 million was in the United States and \$255.3 million was at our foreign subsidiaries, compared to cash and cash equivalents at December 31, 2012 of \$321.7 million, of which \$150.3 million was in the United States and \$171.4 million was at our foreign subsidiaries. The increase in cash and cash equivalents was primarily due to \$150 million borrowed against a term loan facility and cash from operations, partially offset by \$133.0 million spent for the repurchase of shares of our common stock, capital expenditures of \$37.0 million, and dividends paid of \$38.7 million during the period.

Cash provided by operating activities totaled \$249.8 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2013, which primarily consisted of net earnings, adjusted for non-cash charges for depreciation and amortization and stock-based compensation, and net collections of our accounts receivable, partially offset by net increases in other working capital components.

Cash used by investing activities totaled \$57.1 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2013, primarily consisting of the acquisition of Marine and Remote Sensing Solutions, Ltd for \$3.2 million, the acquisition of certain tangible assets and intellectual property of DigitalOptics Corporation East for \$14.9 million, and capital expenditures of \$37.0 million.

Cash used by financing activities totaled \$23.6 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2013, which primarily consisted of cash received from the term loan offset by the repurchase of shares of our common stock and the payment of dividends.

On February 8, 2011, we signed a Credit Agreement (“Credit Agreement”) with Bank of America, N.A., U.S. Bank National Association, JPMorgan Chase Bank N.A. and other Lenders. The Credit Agreement provides for a \$200 million, five-year revolving line of credit. On April 5, 2013, the Credit Agreement was amended to extend the maturity of the revolving credit facility from February 8, 2016 to April 5, 2018 in addition to incorporating a \$150 million term loan facility maturing April 5, 2019. We have the right, subject to certain conditions including approval of additional commitments by qualified lenders, to increase the line of credit by an additional \$150 million until April 5, 2018. The Credit Agreement allows us and certain designated subsidiaries to borrow in US dollars, euros, Swedish Kronor, pound sterling and other agreed upon currencies. The Credit Agreement requires us to pay a commitment fee on the amount of unused credit at a rate, based on the Company’s leverage ratio, which ranges from 0.25 percent to 0.40 percent. The Credit Agreement contains two financial covenants that require the maintenance of certain leverage ratios with which we were in compliance at September 30, 2013. The five-year revolving line of credit available under

the Credit Agreement and the term loan facility are not secured by any of our assets.

As noted above, the Credit Agreement amendment of April 5, 2013 incorporated a \$150 million term loan facility that matures on April 5, 2019. On April 5, 2013 we drew down \$150 million under the term loan facility. Interest is accrued at the one-month LIBOR rate plus the scheduled spread and paid monthly. By entering into interest rate swap agreements, we have effectively fixed the basis for calculating the interest rate on the term loan. The effective interest rate paid is equal to the fixed rate in the swap agreements plus the credit spread then in effect. At September 30, 2013, the effective interest rate on the term loan was 2.49

percent. Principal payments of \$3.8 million are made in quarterly installments which commenced on June 30, 2013 and will continue through December 31, 2018 with the final maturity payment including any accrued interest due on April 5, 2019.

At September 30, 2013, we had no amounts outstanding under the Credit Agreement and the commitment fee on the amount of unused credit was 0.25 percent. We had \$13.2 million of letters of credit outstanding at September 30, 2013, which reduced the total available credit under the Credit Agreement.

On August 19, 2011, we issued \$250 million aggregate principal amount of our 3.750% senior unsecured notes due September 1, 2016 (the "Notes"). The net proceeds from the issuance of the Notes were approximately \$247.7 million, after deducting underwriting discounts and offering expenses, which are being amortized over a period of five years. Interest is payable on the Notes semiannually in arrears on March 1 and September 1. The proceeds from the Notes are being used for general corporate purposes, which may include working capital and capital expenditure needs, business acquisitions and repurchases of our common stock.

On February 6, 2013, our Board of Directors authorized the repurchase of up to 25.0 million shares of our outstanding common stock. As of September 30, 2013, there were approximately 20.0 million shares still remaining for repurchase under this authorization, which expires on February 6, 2015.

United States income taxes have not been provided for on accumulated earnings of certain subsidiaries outside of the United States as we currently intend to reinvest the earnings in operations outside the United States indefinitely. Should we subsequently elect to repatriate foreign earnings, we would need to accrue and pay United States income taxes, thereby reducing the amount of our cash.

We believe that our existing cash combined with the cash we expect to generate from operating activities and our available credit facilities and financing available from other sources will be sufficient to meet our cash requirements for the foreseeable future. We do not have any significant capital commitments for the current year nor are we aware of any significant events or conditions that are likely to have a material impact on our liquidity.

#### Recent Accounting Pronouncements

In February 2013, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued Accounting Standards Update No. 2013-02, "Reporting of Amounts Reclassified Out of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income" ("ASU 2013-02") which establishes new requirements for disclosing reclassifications of items out of accumulated other comprehensive income and includes identification of the line items in net earnings affected by the reclassifications. ASU 2013-02 is effective for annual and interim periods for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2012. Accordingly, the Company adopted ASU 2013-02 on January 1, 2013. The Company did not have any reclassifications during the first nine months of 2013 that would require additional disclosure under this pronouncement.

In March 2013, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update No. 2013-05, "Parent's Accounting for the Cumulative Translation Adjustment upon Derecognition of Certain Subsidiaries or Groups of Assets within a Foreign Entity or of an Investment in a Foreign Entity" ("ASU 2013-05") which addresses the accounting for the cumulative translation adjustment when a parent either sells a part or all of its investment in a foreign entity or no longer holds a controlling financial interest in a subsidiary or group of assets that is a nonprofit activity or a business within a foreign entity. ASU 2013-05 is effective for annual and interim periods beginning after December 15, 2014. Accordingly, the Company currently intends to adopt ASU 2013-05 on January 1, 2015 and does not expect the adoption of ASU 2013-05 to have a material impact on its consolidated financial statements.

In July 2013, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update No. 2013-11, "Presentation of an Unrecognized Tax Benefit When a Net Operating Loss Carryforward, a Similar Tax Loss, or a Tax Credit Carryforward Exists" ("ASU 2013-11"). ASU 2013-11 amends the guidance related to the presentation of unrecognized tax benefits and allows for the reduction of a deferred tax asset for a net operating loss ("NOL") carryforward whenever the NOL or tax credit carryforward would be available to reduce the additional taxable income or tax due if the tax position is disallowed. ASU 2013-11 is effective for annual and interim periods for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2013, and early adoption is permitted. Since ASU 2013-11 relates only to the presentation of unrecognized tax benefits, we do not expect our adoption of ASU 2013-11 in January 2014 will have a material effect on our financial position, results of operations or cash flows.



Critical Accounting Policies and Estimates

The Company reaffirms the critical accounting policies and our use of estimates as reported in our Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012. As described in Note 1, Nature of Business and Significant Accounting Policies," of the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements included in the Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012, the determination of fair value for stock-based compensation awards requires the use of management's estimates and judgments.

Contractual Obligations

There were no material changes to our contractual obligations outside the ordinary course of our business during the quarter ended September 30, 2013.

### Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

As of September 30, 2013, the Company has not experienced any changes in market risk exposure that would materially affect the quantitative and qualitative disclosures about market risk presented in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012, other than the following:

#### Interest Rate Risk

Our exposure to changes in market interest rates relates primarily to interest paid on our floating rate long-term debt. Our floating rate long-term debt consists of the \$150 million borrowed under our term loan facility that bears interest at the one-month LIBOR rate plus a scheduled spread. Fluctuations in market interest rates will cause interest expense increases or decreases on such long-term debt.

As our risk management objectives include mitigating the risk of changes in cash flows attributable to changes in the designated one-month LIBOR rate for the term loan facility, we entered into interest rate swaps for the aggregate notional amount of \$150 million and fixed interest rates of 1.016 percent and 0.97 percent effective at the time the term loan was drawn to hedge this exposure. Changes in the cash flows of the interest rate swaps are expected to exactly offset the changes in cash flows attributable to fluctuations in the one-month LIBOR based interest payments. The net effect of these swap agreements is to convert the floating interest rate basis to fixed rates of 1.016 percent and 0.97 percent.

See Note 5, "Derivative Financial Instruments-Interest Rates," Note 11, "Credit Agreements," and Note 13, "Long-Term Debt," of the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements and Item 2 of Part I, "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations," for additional information on the Company's interest rate risk.

### Item 4. Controls and Procedures

#### Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures

As of September 30, 2013, the Company carried out an evaluation, under the supervision and with the participation of the Company's management, including the Company's Chief Executive Officer and the Company's Chief Financial Officer, of the effectiveness of the design and operation of the Company's disclosure controls and procedures, as such term is defined in Rule 13a-15(e). Based on the evaluation, the Company's Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer have concluded that the Company's disclosure controls and procedures are effective such that information required to be disclosed by the Company in the reports it files or submits under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in Securities and Exchange Commission rules and forms.

#### Changes in Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

There was no change in the Company's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the Company's fiscal quarter ended September 30, 2013 that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, such internal control over financial reporting.

## PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

## Item 1. Legal Proceedings

The Company is subject to legal proceedings, claims and litigation arising in the ordinary course of its business. See Note 15, "Contingencies," of the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements for additional information on the Company's legal proceedings.

## Item 1A. Risk Factors

There has been no material change in the risk factors previously disclosed in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012 and Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended June 30, 2013.

## Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds

During the three months ended September 30, 2013, the Company repurchased the following shares:

Period	Total Number of Shares Purchased <sup>(1)</sup>	Average Price Paid per Share	Total Number of Shares Purchased as Part of Publicly Announced Plans or Programs	Maximum Number of Shares that May Yet Be Purchased Under the Plans or Programs <sup>(2)</sup>
August 1 to August 31, 2013	500,000	\$32.44	500,000	
Total	500,000	\$32.44	500,000	20,014,479

(1) The share repurchases were through open market transactions.

(2) All share repurchases are subject to applicable securities law, and are at times and in amounts as management deems appropriate. On February 6, 2013, our Board of Directors authorized the repurchase of up to 25.0 million shares of our outstanding common stock. This authorization will expire on February 6, 2015.

Item 3. Defaults Upon Senior Securities

None.

Item 4. Mine Safety Disclosures

Not applicable.

Item 5. Other Information

None.

Item 6. Exhibits

Number	Description
10.1	FLIR Systems, Inc. 2002 Stock Incentive Plan, amended October 23, 2013. <sup>(1)</sup>
10.2	Form of Stock Option Agreement for the 2011 Stock Incentive Plan, amended October 23, 2013. <sup>(1)</sup>
10.3	Amended estated Change of Control Agreement between FLIR Systems, Inc. and Andrew C. Teich dated as of November 6, 2013. <sup>(1)</sup>
10.4	Amended and Restated Change of Control Agreement between FLIR Systems, Inc. and Anthony L. Trunzo dated as of November 6, 2013. <sup>(1)</sup>
10.5	Amended and Restated Change of Control Agreement between FLIR Systems, Inc. and William A. Sundermeier dated as of November 6, 2013. <sup>(1)</sup>
10.6	Amended and Restated Change of Control Agreement between FLIR Systems, Inc. and William W. Davis dated as of November 6, 2013. <sup>(1)</sup>
31.1	Principal Executive Officer Certification Pursuant to Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, Section 302.
31.2	Principal Financial Officer Certification Pursuant to Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, Section 302.
32.1	Principal Executive Officer Certification Pursuant to Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, Section 906.
32.2	Principal Financial Officer Certification Pursuant to Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, Section 906.
101.INS	XBRL Instance Document
101.SCH	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document
101.CAL	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document
101.DEF	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document
101.LAB	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase Document

101.PRE XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document

(1) This exhibit constitutes a management contract or compensatory plan or arrangement

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SIGNATURE

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

FLIR SYSTEMS, INC.

Date November 8, 2013

/s/ ANTHONY L. TRUNZO  
Anthony L. Trunzo  
Sr. Vice President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer  
(Duly Authorized and Principal Financial Officer)