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NETGEAR® REPORTS SECOND QUARTER RESULTS

- Second quarter 2013 net revenue of \$357.7 million, as compared to \$320.7 million in the comparable prior year quarter, increase of 11.6% year-over-year
- Second quarter results reflect the full quarter effect of the acquired AirCard business
- Second quarter 2013 non-GAAP net income of \$24.4 million, as compared to \$24.6 million in the comparable prior year quarter, decrease of 0.9% year-over-year
- Second quarter 2013 non-GAAP diluted earnings per share of \$0.62, as compared to \$0.64 in the comparable prior year quarter, decrease of 3.1% year-over-year
- Company expects third quarter 2013 net revenue to be in the range of \$345 million to \$360 million, with non-GAAP operating margin in the range of 9.5% to 10.5%

SAN JOSE, California - July 25, 2013 - NETGEAR, Inc. (NASDAQGS: NTGR), a global networking company that delivers innovative products to consumers, businesses and service providers, today reported financial results for the second quarter ended June 30, 2013.

Net revenue for the second quarter ended June 30, 2013 was \$357.7 million, as compared to \$320.7 million for the second quarter ended July 1, 2012, and \$293.4 million in the first quarter ended March 31, 2013. The second quarter 2013 results reflect the full quarter effect of the AirCard business acquired from Sierra Wireless. Net income, computed in accordance with GAAP, for the second quarter of 2013 was \$14.0 million, or \$0.36 per diluted share. This compared to GAAP net income of \$21.5 million, or \$0.56 per diluted share, for the second quarter of 2012, and GAAP net income of \$15.3 million, or \$0.39 per diluted share, in the first quarter of 2013.

Gross margin on a non-GAAP basis in the second quarter of 2013 was 29.8%, as compared to 29.9% in the year ago comparable quarter, and 30.5% in the first quarter of 2013. Non-GAAP operating margin was 10.3% in the second quarter of 2013, as compared to 11.0% in the second quarter of 2012, and 10.0% in the first quarter of 2013. Non-GAAP net income was \$0.62 per diluted share in the second quarter of 2013, as compared to non-GAAP net income of \$0.64 per diluted share in the second quarter of 2012, and non-GAAP net income of \$0.50 per diluted share in the first quarter of 2013.

The Company's non-GAAP tax rate was 32.9% in the second quarter 2013, as compared to 31.4% in the second quarter of 2012, and 34.6% in the first quarter of 2013.

The differences between GAAP and non-GAAP financial measures include adjustments, net of any tax effect, for amortization of purchased intangibles, stock-based compensation, restructuring and other charges, acquisition related expense, impact to cost of sales from acquisition accounting adjustments to inventory, and litigation reserves. The accompanying schedules provide a reconciliation of financial measures computed on a GAAP basis to financial measures computed on a non-GAAP basis.

Patrick Lo, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of NETGEAR commented, "We are pleased with our results for the second quarter of 2013. Our Retail Business grew on a year-over-year basis, and we have confidence in the pace of the 802.11ac upgrade cycle, as well as the increasing realization of the Smart Home for developed markets. The integration of the AirCard business into our Service Provider Business Unit has been progressing very well, and we are excited about our combined R&D capabilities in the fast growing LTE gateway market segment. Our Commercial Business Unit generated impressive sequential and year-over-year growth driven by the success of our new storage products and 10 Gigabit switches."

"Our Retail Business Unit (RBU) revenue for the quarter ended June 30, 2013 was down 7% sequentially, which represents typical seasonality for the second quarter. On a year-over-year basis, our Retail Business Unit revenue was up 3%. Our strong year on year growth for RBU in North America and Asia was offset by weakness in the European region. Our Service Provider Business Unit revenue was up 58% sequentially, and up 20% over the prior year quarter. This substantial increase reflects the incremental revenue of the recent AirCard acquisition. Our Commercial Business Unit revenue was up 25% sequentially, and up 10% over the prior year quarter. Our new line of storage products was well received by the market, and we believe that the unique product portfolio we have built for storage, 10 Gigabit switches, Power over Ethernet switches and wireless LAN will continue to drive growth for this business unit in future quarters."

Christine Gorjanc, Chief Financial Officer of NETGEAR, said, "We ended the second quarter of 2013 with \$288.1 million in

cash, cash equivalents and short-term investments, compared to \$360.4 million at the end of the second quarter of 2012, and \$422.4 million at the end of the first quarter of 2013. The reduction in the cash level reflects the payment of \$140.0 million to Sierra Wireless, Inc. for the AirCard business. Our balance sheet remains strong and provides plenty of flexibility for us to invest in the fast growing markets of the Smart Home, access networks to cloud computing, and LTE gateways and data devices."

Mr. Lo added, "The worldwide spread of broadband internet access and the proliferation of connected devices continue to create opportunities for us to put multiple NETGEAR products into every home and office. Looking forward, for the third quarter of 2013, we expect net revenue to be in the range of \$345 to \$360 million and non-GAAP operating margin to be between 9.5% and 10.5%. Furthermore, we expect our non-GAAP tax rate to be approximately 37% in the third quarter of 2013."

Investor Conference Call / Webcast Details

NETGEAR will review the second quarter results and discuss management's expectations for the second quarter of 2013 today, Thursday, July 25, 2013 at 5 p.m. EDT (2 p.m. PDT). The dial-in number for the live audio call is (201) 689-8471. A live webcast of the conference call will be available on NETGEAR's website at http://investor.netgear.com. A replay of the call will be available 2 hours following the call through midnight Eastern (9 p.m. Pacific) on Thursday, August 1, 2013 by telephone at (858) 384-5517 and via the web at http://investor.netgear.com. The account number to access the phone replay is 417736.

About NETGEAR, Inc.

NETGEAR (NASDAQGS: NTGR) is a global networking company that delivers innovative products to consumers, businesses and service providers. For consumers, the company makes high performance, dependable and easy to use home networking, storage and digital media products to connect people with the Internet and their content and devices. For businesses, NETGEAR provides networking, storage and security solutions without the cost and complexity of Big IT. The company also supplies top service providers with retail proven, whole home solutions for their customers. NETGEAR products are built on a variety of proven technologies such as wireless, Ethernet and powerline, with a focus on reliability and ease-of-use. NETGEAR products are sold in approximately 45,000 retail locations around the globe, and through approximately 40,000 value-added resellers. The company's headquarters are in San Jose, Calif., with additional offices in over 25 countries. NETGEAR is an ENERGY STAR partner. More information is available at http://investor.netgear.com or by calling (408) 907-8000. Connect with NETGEAR at http://twitter.com/NETGEAR and http://www.facebook.com/NETGEAR.

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based on assumptions as to future events that may not prove to be accurate. Therefore, actual outcomes and results may differ materially from what is expressed or forecast in such forward-looking statements. Further information on potential risk factors that could affect NETGEAR and its business are detailed in the Company's periodic filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including, but not limited to, those risks and uncertainties listed in the section entitled "Part II - Item 1A. Risk Factors," pages 42 through 63, in the Company's quarterly report on Form 10-Q for the fiscal quarter ended March 31, 2013, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on May 7, 2013. NETGEAR undertakes no obligation to release publicly any revisions to any forward-looking statements contained herein to reflect events or circumstances after the date hereof or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events.

Use of Non-GAAP Financial Information:

To supplement our consolidated financial statements presented on a GAAP basis, NETGEAR uses non-GAAP financial measures, which are adjusted to exclude certain expenses and tax benefits, where applicable. We believe non-GAAP financial measures are appropriate to enhance an overall understanding of our past financial performance and also our prospects for the future. These adjustments to our current period GAAP results are made with the intent of providing both management and investors a more complete understanding of NETGEAR's underlying operational results and trends and our marketplace performance. For example, the non-GAAP results are an indication of our baseline performance before charges that are considered by management to be outside of our core operating results. In addition, these adjusted non-GAAP results are among the primary indicators management uses as a basis for our planning and forecasting of future periods. The presentation of this additional information is not meant to be considered in isolation or as a substitute for financial measures prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States.

-Financial Tables Attached-

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(In thousands) (Unaudited)

	_	June 30, 2013	D	ecember 31, 2012
ASSETS				
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	146,934	S	149,032
Short-term investments		141,169		227,845
Accounts receivable, net		288,483		256,014
Inventories		185,383		174,903
Deferred income taxes		25,228		22,691
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		41,708		33,724
Total current assets		828,905		864,209
Property and equipment, net		26,397		19,025
Intangibles, net		95,149		27,621
Goodwill		155,405		100,880
Other non-current assets		22,884		22,834
Total assets	\$	1,128,740	\$	1,034,569
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	129,535	S	87,310
Accrued employee compensation		16,275		18,338
Other accrued liabilities		134,884		126,255
Deferred revenue		31,838		27,645
Income taxes payable				1,382
Total current liabilities		312,532		260,930
Non-current income taxes payable		12,972		13,735
Other non-current liabilities		6,657		5,293
Total liabilities		332,161		279,958
Stockholders' equity:				
Common stock		39		38
Additional paid-in capital		407,505		394,427
Cumulative other comprehensive income		48		4
Retained earnings		388,987		360,142
Total stockholders' equity		796,579		754,611
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	1,128,740	\$	1,034,569

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(In thousands, except per share data) (Unaudited)

			Three	Months Ende		Six Mon	ths En	ded				
		June 30, 2013	- 1	March 31, 2013		July 1, 2012		June 30, 2013		July 1, 2012		
Net revenue	\$	357,719	s	293,399	s	320,655	s	651,118	\$	646,275		
Cost of revenue		254,289		205,662		226,017		459,951		451,788		
Gross profit		103,430		87,737		94,638		191,167		194,487		
Operating expenses:												
Research and development		23,981		15,338		14,757		39,319		28,878		
Sales and marketing		40,406		36,389		37,677		76,795		76,647		
General and administrative		12,319		12,327		11,219		24,646		21,632		
Restructuring and other charges		1,587		(30)		_		1,557		-		
Litigation reserves, net		3,555		48				3,603		151		
Total operating expenses		81,848		64,072 63,653				145,920		127,308		
Income from operations		21,582		23,665		30,985		45,247		67,179		
Interest income		95		149		116		244		235		
Other income (expense), net		(548)		74		354		(474)		(247)		
Income before income taxes		21,129		23,888		31,455		45,017		67,167		
Provision for income taxes	_	7,144		8,545		9,933	_	15,689		20,498		
Net income	\$	13,985	\$	15,343	\$	21,522	S	29,328	\$	46,669		
Net income per share:												
Basic	\$	0.36	S	0.40	S	0.57	S	0.76	\$	1.23		
Diluted	\$	0.36	\$	0.39	\$	0.56	\$	0.75	\$	1.21		
Weighted average shares outstanding used to compute net income per share:												
Basic	_	38,539	_	38,433	_	37,978	_	38,493		37,886		
Diluted		39,074		39,050		38,595		39,077		38,612		

NETGEAR, INC. NON-GAAP CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

Excluding amortization of purchased intangibles, stock-based compensation, restructuring and other charges, acquisition related expense, impact to cost of sales from acquisition accounting adjustments to inventory, and litigation reserves, net of tax.

(In thousands, except per share data) (Unaudited)

		Three	Months End	ed		Six Months Ended						
	 June 30, 2013	1	March 31, 2013		July 1, 2012	-	June 30, 2013	_	July 1, 2012			
Net revenue	\$ 357,719	\$	293,399	\$	320,655	\$	651,118	\$	646,275			
Cost of revenue	251,061		204,002		224,723		455,063		449,277			
Gross profit	106,658		89,397		95,932		196,055		196,998			
Operating expenses:												
Research and development	22,846		14,666		14,080		37,512		27,590			
Sales and marketing	36,478		35,159		36,486		71,637		74,262			
General and administrative	10,565		10,118		9,970		20,683		19,066			
Total operating expenses	69,889		59,943		60,536		129,832		120,918			
Income from operations	36,769		29,454		35,396		66,223		76,080			
Interest income	95		149		116		244		235			
Other income (expense), net	(548)		74		354		(474)		(247)			
Income before income taxes	36,316		29,677		35,866		65,993		76,068			
Provision for income taxes	 11,944		10,263		11,262		22,207		23,356			
Net income	\$ 24,372	\$	19,414	\$	24,604	\$	43,786	\$	52,712			
Net income per share:												
Basic	\$ 0.63	\$	0.51	\$	0.65	S	1.14	\$	1.39			
Diluted	\$ 0.62	\$	0.50	\$	0.64	S	1.12	\$	1.37			
Weighted average shares outstanding used to compute net income per share:												
Basic	38,539		38,433		37,978		38,493		37,886			
Diluted	39,074		39,050		38,595		39,077		38,612			

RECONCILIATIONS OF GAAP MEASURES TO NON-GAAP MEASURES

(In thousands, except per share data) (Unaudited)

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS DATA:

		1	hree	Months End	Six Months Ended					
		June 30, 2013		March 31, 2013	_	July 1, 2012	_	June 30, 2013	_	July 1, 2012
GAAP gross profit		103,430	s	87,737	s	94,638		\$ 191,167		194,487
Amortization of intangible assets		2,254		1,471		1,016		3,725		1,963
Stock-based compensation expense		406		189		278		595		548
Impact to cost of sales from acquisition accounting adjustments to inventory		568				_		568		i —
Non-GAAP gross profit	\$	106,658	s	89,397	S	95,932	\$	196,055	\$	196,998
Non-GAAP gross margin		29.8%		30.5%		29.9%		30.1%		30.5%
GAAP research and development	\$	23,981	s	15,338	\$	14,757	\$	39,319	\$	28,878
Stock-based compensation expense	_	(1,135)		(672)	_	(677)		(1,807)	_	(1,288)
Non-GAAP research and development	\$	22,846	\$	14,666	\$	14,080	\$	37,512	\$	27,590
GAAP sales and marketing	\$	40,406	s	36,389	\$	37,677	\$	76,795	\$	76,647
Amortization of intangible assets		(2,618)		· ·		· -		(2,618)		· -
Stock-based compensation expense		(1,310)	_	(1,230)	_	(1,191)		(2,540)	_	(2,385)
Non-GAAP sales and marketing	\$	36,478	\$	35,159	\$	36,486	\$	71,637	\$	74,262
GAAP general and administrative	\$	12,319	s	12,327	\$	11,219	\$	24,646	\$	21,632
Stock-based compensation expense		(1,540)		(1,499)		(1,249)		(3,039)		(2,566)
Acquisition related expense		(214)	_	(710)				(924)		
Non-GAAP general and administrative	\$	10,565	\$	10,118	\$	9,970	\$	20,683	\$	19,066
GAAP total operating expenses	\$	81,848	s	64,072	\$	63,653	\$	145,920	\$	127,308
Amortization of intangible assets		(2,618)				<u> </u>		(2,618)		_
Stock-based compensation expense		(3,985)		(3,401)		(3,117)		(7,386)		(6,239)
Restructuring and other charges		(1,587)		30		_		(1,557)		_
Acquisition related expense		(214)		(710)		_		(924)		
Litigation reserves, net	_	(3,555)	_	(48)	_		_	(3,603)	_	(151)
Non-GAAP total operating expenses	\$		\$	59,943	\$	60,536	\$	129,832	\$ 120,91	120,918

RECONCILIATIONS OF GAAP MEASURES TO NON-GAAP MEASURES (CONTINUED)

(In thousands, except per share data) (Unaudited)

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS DATA (CONTINUED):

		7	Three	Months End	ed		Six Months Ended					
	_	June 30, 2013		March 31, 2013	_	July 1, 2012	_	June 30, 2013	_	July 1, 2012		
GAAP operating income		21,582		23,665	s	30,985	\$	45,247	\$	67,179		
Amortization of intangible assets		4,872		1,471		1,016		6,343		1,963		
Stock-based compensation expense		4,391		3,590		3,395		7,981		6,787		
Restructuring and other charges		1,587		(30)		_		1,557		_		
Acquisition related expense		214		710		-		924		_		
Impact to cost of sales from acquisition accounting adjustments to inventory		568		-		_		568		_		
Litigation reserves, net		3,555		48		_		3,603		151		
Non-GAAP operating income	\$	36,769	S	29,454	S	35,396	\$	66,223	\$	76,080		
Non-GAAP operating margin		10.3%	_	10.0%		11.0%		10.2%	_	11.8%		
GAAP net income Amortization of intangible assets	\$	13,985 4.872	s	15,343 1,471	s	21,522 1.016	\$	29,328 6,343	\$	46,669 1,963		
		4,872		3,590				7.981		6.787		
Stock-based compensation expense		1.587		(30)		3,395		1,557		0,/8/		
Restructuring and other charges		214		710		_		924		_		
Acquisition related expense Impact to cost of sales from acquisition accounting adjustments to inventory		568		-				568		_		
Litigation reserves, net		3,555		48		* <u> </u>		3,603		151		
Tax effect		(4,800)		(1,718)		(1,329)		(6,518)		(2,858)		
Non-GAAP net income	\$	24,372	S	19,414	S	24,604	\$	43,786	\$	52,712		

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RECONCILIATIONS OF GAAP MEASURES TO NON-GAAP MEASURES (CONTINUED)

(In thousands, except per share data)

(Unaudited)

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS DATA (CONTINUED):

	1	hree Months I	nded	Six Mor	nths Ended
_	June 30, 2013	March 31, 2013	July 1, 2012	June 30, 2013	July 1, 2012
NET INCOME PER DILUTED SHARE:					
GAAP net income per diluted share \$	0.36	\$ 0.3	9 \$ 0.56	\$ 0.75	\$ 1.21
Amortization of intangible assets	0.12	0.0	4 0.03	0.16	0.05
Stock-based compensation expense	0.11	0.0	9 0.09	0.20	0.18
Restructuring and other charges	0.04	0.0	0 —	0.04	
Acquisition related expense	0.01	0.0	2 —	0.02	
Impact to cost of sales from acquisition accounting adjustments to inventory	0.01	_		0.01	_
Litigation reserves, net	0.09	0.0	0 —	0.09	0.00
Tax effect	(0.12)	(0.0)	4) (0.04)	(0.15)	(0.07)
Non-GAAP net income per diluted share \$	0.62	\$ 0.5	0 \$ 0.64	\$ 1.12	\$ 1.37

SUPPLEMENTAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION

(In thousands, except per share data, DSO, inventory turns, weeks of channel inventory and headcount)
(Unaudited)

					Thr	ee Months En	ded			
	June 30, 2013		_	March 31, 2013	D	December 31, 2012		September 30, 2012		July 1, 2012
Cash, cash equivalents and short-term investments	\$ 2	288,103	\$	422,412	\$	376,877	s	362,420	\$	360,428
Cash, cash equivalents and short-term investments per diluted share	\$	7.37	\$	10.82	\$	9.68	s	9.34	\$	9.34
Accounts receivable, net	\$ 2	288,483	\$	237,896	\$	256,014	s	248,862	\$	271,769
Days sales outstanding (DSO)		73		73		76		72		77
Inventories	\$ 1	185,383	\$	158,555	\$	174,903	s	178,916	\$	152,820
Ending inventory turns		5.5		5.2		5.0		4.9		5.9
Weeks of channel inventory:										
U.S. retail channel		10.4		9.9		8.8		9.8		12.3
U.S. distribution channel		9.0		8.9		10.2		8.4		8.6
EMEA distribution channel		5.1		4.1		4.4		4.4		4.1
APAC distribution channel		7.3		7.2		7.2		4.7		5.7
Deferred revenue	\$	33,717	\$	28,961	\$	27,645	\$	28,205	\$	25,478
Headcount		1,095		866		850		854		818
Non-GAAP diluted shares		39,074		39,050		38,924		38,802		38,595

NET REVENUE BY GEOGRAPHY

	Three Month: Ended											Six Month: Ended								
June 30, 2013				j	March 31, 2013	_		July 1, 2012			June 30, 2013			July 1, 2012						
Americas	\$	200,848	56%	\$	156,676	53%	\$	163,438	51%	\$	357,524	55%	\$	331,793	51%					
EMEA		108,367	30%		107,125	37%		117,815	37%		215,492	33%		242,896	38%					
APAC	_	48,504	14%		29,598	10%		39,402	12%		78,102	12%		71,586	11%					
Total	\$	357,719	100%	\$	293,399	100%	\$	320,655	100%	\$	651,118	100%	\$	646,275	100%					

NET REVENUE BY SEGMENT

	Three Months Ended											Six Months Ended								
	June 30, March 31, 2013				July 1, 2012															
Retail	\$	117,395	33%	\$	126,322	43%		113,824	36%	\$	243,717	38%	\$	242,801	38%					
Commercial		88,446	25%		70,851	24%		80,626	25%		159,297	24%		155,258	24%					
Service Provider		151,878	42%		96,226	33%	<u> </u>	126,205	39%		248,104	38%		248,216	38%					
Total	\$	357,719	100%	\$	293,399	100%		320,655	100%	\$	651,118	100%	\$	646,275	100%					