# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): September 12, 2014

#### AVID TECHNOLOGY, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

0-21174

04-2977748 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

of Incorporation) (Commission File Number)

75 Network Drive, Burlington, Massachusetts 01803

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(978) 640-6789

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:
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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

#### Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On September 12, 2014, Avid Technology, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that it has completed its restatement and filed (i) its annual report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2013, which also includes results for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012 and restated results for the period ending December 31, 2011, and (ii) its quarterly reports on Form 10-Q for each of the quarters ended September 30, 2013, June 30, 2013 and March 31, 2013. The full text of the press release issued in connection with the announcement is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

#### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

In the press release the Company also announced that on Friday, September 12, 2014, by 9:00 am Eastern Time, the Company will provide an investor update focused on articulating the Company's corporate strategy and discussing the restatement of the Company's historical financial statements and more details on the Company's financial results. The investor update will be released through a series of videos on Avid's website, www.avid.com, and can be accessed on http://ir.avid.com. The materials to be utilized during the investor update are attached as Exhibit 99.2 to this report.

Limitation on Incorporation by Reference. The information furnished in Items 2.02 and 7.01, including the press release and investor presentation attached hereto as Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall such information be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements. Except for historical information contained in this Form 8-K and the press release attached as Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2 hereto, the Form 8-K, press release and investor presentation contain forward-looking statements that involve certain risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed or implied by these statements. Please refer to the cautionary notes in the press release and investor presentation regarding these forward-looking statements.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

#### d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit relating to Items 2.02 and 7.01 shall be deemed to be furnished, and not filed:

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press release dated September 12, 2014
99.1	Investor Presentation September 12, 2014
99.2	Investor Freschautori depenitori 12, 2014

## 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 hereunto duly authorized.

AVID TECHNOLOGY, INC.

(Registrant)

Date: September 12, 2014

By: <u>/s/ John W. Frederick</u>
Name: John W. Frederick
Title: Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Chief Administrative Officer

#### Avid Files 2013 Form 10-K and Completes Financial Restatement

Company reports four consecutive quarters of year-over-year bookings growth and positive free cash flow for 2013

BURLINGTON, MA, September 12, 2014 Avid® (OTC: AVID) announced today that it has completed its restatement and filed its annual report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2013, which also includes results for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012 and restated results for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011. The Company also filed quarterly reports on Form 10-Q for each of the quarterly periods ended March 31, June 30 and September 30, 2013.

"We have worked diligently for well over a year on the restatement and are delighted to have completed the process." said Louis Hernandez, Jr., president and CEO of Avid. "Throughout this period, we have put a premium on maintaining our focus on continued innovation for our customers and reasserting our commitment to being a strategic leader for the media industry with our Avid Everywhere vision. I'm encouraged by the progress we've made in executing against our three phase transformational strategy, and specifically with the growth in bookings over the past few quarters. Now that we have completed the restatement process, we are excited to continue our work on the transformation and feel the momentum building."

Central to the transformational strategy and the Avid Everywhere vision is the MediaCentral platform. The momentum of the platform, combined with unprecedented community engagement via the Avid Customer Association, helped grow the Company's bookings over the past four quarters on a year-over-year basis, reversing declines experienced in 2012 and the first half of 2013.

"We are especially encouraged by the growth in platform sales and the strong adoption of subscription license offerings for our creative tools which we believe validates our strategic direction and provides a fertile opportunity for cross sale activity," said Louis Hernandez, Jr., president and CEO of Avid.

The restated results include changes to the Company's historical reported results, primarily focused in the following areas:

- · Revenue Recognition
- · Impairment of Goodwill
- · Discontinued Operations Classification
- · Restructuring Reserves

"As a result of our restatement and in accordance with GAAP, revenue that had originally been recognized in earlier periods is now being recognized ratably over an extended timeframe," said John Frederick, executive vice president, chief financial officer and chief administrative officer of Avid. "The amount of revenue earned or to be earned over the entire period of recognition essentially remains unchanged from the amount we historically recognized. There was no change to the cash characteristics of the transactions being restated nor to the Company's liquidity directly relating to these transactions. As a result of the restatement, the balance sheet reflects a significant increase in deferred revenue, which will be recognized in revenue over a number of years and will provide significant visibility into our future revenues. The revenue recognized from deferred revenue originating in periods prior to 2011 will continue in declining amounts through 2016, creating downward pressure on revenue growth until 2017."

This accounting related revenue pressure is caused by an accounting rules change which became effective January 1, 2011 which resulted in more revenue for transactions originating after January 1, 2011 being recognized upon shipment in many of our customer arrangements as compared to transactions prior to that date.

The Company encourages investors to thoroughly review the supplemental tables attached to this announcement and the informational video series which will be posted on Avid's Investor Relations website by 9:00 a.m. ET on September 12, 2014 which will provide more details on these changes.

Revenues for the twelve-month periods ended December 31, 2013 and 2012 were \$563.4 million and \$635.7 million, respectively. GAAP net income for the twelve-month periods ended December 31, 2013 and 2012 was \$21.2 million and \$92.9 million, respectively. The decline in revenue and net income was predominately due to the larger portion of revenue from periods prior to 2011 being amortized in 2012 as compared to 2013 due to the above referenced change in accounting rules.

The Company includes non-GAAP financial measures in this press release, including income from continuing operations, income per share from continuing operations, Adjusted EBITDA and free cash flow. Definitions of these non-GAAP financial measures and the reconciliations to the Company's comparable GAAP financial measures for the periods presented, are included in this press release.

For the twelve-month period ended December 31, 2013, non-GAAP income from continuing operations was \$57.2 million or \$1.46 per share.

As Avid continues to focus on executing against its three-phased transformational strategy, the Company's management team believes that the operational measure of bookings, as well the non-GAAP

financial metrics of Adjusted EBITDA and free cash flow will also be helpful in evaluating operating performance and the effectiveness of its strategy.

With respect to those measures we are providing 2014 guidance for each

- Year-over-year bookings growth of 3%
- \$58 million to \$65 million of adjusted earnings excluding interest, taxes, depreciation, all amortization, stock-based compensation, restructuring and other charges and restatement related costs (or <u>Adjusted EBITDA</u>).
- Free cash flow of approximately \$20 million

Bookings for the three-month periods ended June 30, 2014 and March 31, 2014 were \$127.7 million and \$126.1 million respectively. These represent the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> consecutive quarters of year-over-year quarterly bookings growth dating back to the third quarter of 2013. For the twelve-month period ended June 30, 2014 bookings increased \$21 million, a 4% increase over the twelve-month period ended June 30, 2013.

Adjusted EBITDA was \$80.3 million and \$117.8 million for the twelve-month periods ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively. A significant factor in the decline in Adjusted EBITDA between 2012 and 2013 and then again for the 2014 guidance is the declining amortization of the pre-2011 deferred revenue, the impact of which will continue through 2017.

Avid's cash and debt balances as of June 30, 2014 were \$23.0 million and \$5.0 million, respectively. The Company expects restatement related payments for the second half of 2014 to be between \$12 million to \$14 million.

Free cash flow, which excludes payments for restatement and restructuring activities of \$26.3 million, was \$5.5 million in fiscal year 2013. On a GAAP basis, cash used in operations for the twelvementh period ended December 31, 2013 was \$9.1 million.

To help investors better understand Avid's strategic vision, its restated results and financial model, the Company will post an informational video series on its Investor Relations web site, available here (<u>ir.avid.com</u>) by 9:00 a.m. ET on September 12, 2014. This four-part video series covers:

- · Company Update and Vision
- · Restatement Overview
- · Financial Results for 2012 and 2013 and certain summary financial metrics (bookings and cash) for Q1 and Q2 of 2014
- Financial Model

The Company is targeting to file its quarterly report on Form 10-Q for the three-month period ended March 31, 2014 in approximately one week. Form 10-Q for the second quarter of 2014 is expected to be filed within approximately 40 days following the filing of the first quarter 10-Q.

Following the filing of Avid's first quarter 2014 financial report, the Company plans to apply for relisting on the NASDAQ stock exchange. Given the previously disclosed delay in the second quarter 2014 10-Q filing, the Company hopes to be relisted on the NASDAQ stock exchange sometime after becoming current with its SEC reporting obligations. In the interim, Avid stock will continue to trade on OTC Markets - OTC Pink Tier under the trading symbol AVID. For quotes or additional information on OTC Markets and the OTC Pink Tier, please visit <a href="https://www.otcmarkets.com">https://www.otcmarkets.com</a>.

#### Conference Call and Investor Day

A conference call to discuss Avid's financial results will be held after the filing of its Form 10-Q for the three months ended March 31, 2014. Additionally, the Company anticipates hosting an investor day in New York after the filing of its quarterly results for the period ending September 30, 2014.

#### Non-GAAP Measures

In this release Avid presents a number of non-GAAP financial measures as set forth and reconciled in the appendix of this press release.

Avid defines Adjusted EBITDA as non-GAAP operating profit or loss excluding depreciation and all amortization expense. Avid's non-GAAP operating results and earnings per share exclude restructuring costs, stock based compensation, amortization and impairment of intangibles as well as other unusual items such as costs related to the restatement; M&A related activity; or impact of significant legal settlements. Avid defines free cash flow as GAAP cash flow generated from or used by operations less capital expenditures and excludes payments or receipts related to M&A, significant legal settlements, restructuring, restatement or other non-operational or non-recurring events. These non-GAAP measures also reflect how Avid manages its businesses internally.

As with the items eliminated in its calculation of net income, these items may vary for different companies for reasons unrelated to the overall operating performance of Avid's business. When analyzing Avid's operating performance, investors should not consider these non-GAAP financial measures as a substitute for net income or other measures prepared in accordance with GAAP. Non-GAAP financial measures are not based on a comprehensive set of accounting rules or principles. This non-GAAP information supplements, and is not intended to represent a measure of performance in accordance with, disclosures required by generally accepted accounting principles, or GAAP. Non-GAAP financial measures should be considered in addition to, not as a substitute for or superior to, financial measures determined in accordance with GAAP.

The reconciliation of the GAAP to non-GAAP financial measures is in the tables included in this press release.

#### **Operational Metrics**

Avid also references bookings in this press release. Bookings are an operational metric which is defined as the amount of revenue we expect to earn from an agreement between Avid and a customer for goods and services over the course of the agreement. To count as a booking, we expect there to be persuasive evidence of an agreement between us and our customer and that the collectability of the amounts payable under the arrangement are reasonably assured. Due to the timing of revenue recognition, all of the revenue related to the booking may not be recorded in the period that it was transacted and would therefore be reported as part of revenue backlog and/or deferred revenue, thereby providing visibility into future revenue. However, because our bookings are based on orders that, under certain circumstances can be cancelled or adjusted; bookings may not convert into revenue earned.

#### Forward-Looking Statements

The information provided in this press release includes forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties, including statements about our anticipated plans, objectives, expectations and intentions. Such statements include, without limitation, statements regarding our recently filed financial statements or other information included herein based upon or otherwise incorporating judgments or estimates, including statements herein relating to future performance such as our future adjusted EBITDA, earnings, bookings, free cash flow, payments for restatement-related expenses; our future strategy and business plans; our objective to obtain relisting on the NASDAQ Stock Market and to have our shares of common stock trade on that market; and our anticipated timing for filing our future quarterly reports. These forward-looking statements are based on current expectations as of the date of this release and subject to known and unknown risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed or implied by such statements, including but not limited to: the effect on our sales, operations and financial performance resulting from the identified material weaknesses in our internal control of financial reporting; the delisting of our stock from NASDAQ; the previously disclosed ongoing SEC and Department of Justice inquiries; pending litigation, including the previously disclosed class action and possibility of further legal proceedings adverse to our Company resulting from the restatement or related matters; the costs associated with the restatement; as well as our ability to have our shares relisted on the NASDAQ stock market; our liquidity; our ability to execute our strategic plan and meet customer needs; our ability to produce innovative products in response to changing market demand, particularly in the media industry; our ability to successfully accomplish our product development plans; competitive factors; history of losses; fluctuations in our revenue, based on, amo

#### About Avid

Through Avid Everywhere, Avid delivers the industry's most open, innovative and comprehensive media platform connecting content creation with collaboration, asset protection, distribution and consumption for the most listened to, most watched and most loved media in the world-from the most prestigious and award-winning feature films, music recordings, and television shows, to live concerts and news broadcasts. Industry leading solutions include Pro Tools®, Media Composer®, ISIS®, Interplay®, and Sibelius®. For more information about Avid solutions and services, visit <a href="www.avid.com">www.avid.com</a>, connect with Avid on <a href="mailto:Facebook">Facebook</a>, <a href="mailto:Twitter">Twitter</a>, <a href="mailto:YouTube">YouTube</a>, <a href="mailto:LinkedIn">LinkedIn</a>, <a href="mailto:Google+">Google+</a>; or subscribe to <a href="mailto:Avid Blogs">Avid Blogs</a>.

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#### **Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations**

(unaudited - in thousands, except per share data)

#### Twelve Months Ended

			De	cember 31,		
		2013		2012		2011
Net revenues:					(	Restated)
Products	\$	395,531	\$	478,830	\$	660,720
Services	Ψ	167,881		156,873		106,165
Total net revenues		563,412		635,703		766,88
Cost of revenues:						
Products		159,264		182,764		188,21
Services		63,177		63,670		70,80
Amortization of intangible assets		1,468		2,574		2,69
Total cost of revenues						
Total cost of revenues		223,909		249,008		261,71
Gross profit		339,503		386,695		505,16
Operating expenses:						
Research and development		95,249		98,879		111,12
Marketing and selling		133,890		153,481		163,20
General and administrative		77,578		52,066		50,73
Amortization of intangible assets		2,648		4,254		8,52
Restructuring costs, net		5,370		24,838		6,53
Total operating expenses		314,735		333,518	_	340,12
Operating income		24,768		53,177		165,04
Interest and other expense, net		(676)		(2,041)		(1,94
Income from continuing operations before income taxes		24,092		51,136		163,09
Provision for income taxes, net		2,939		4,049		63
Income from continuing operations, net of tax		21,153		47,087		162,46
Discontinued Operations:						
Gain on divestiture of consumer business		_		37,972		_
Income from divested operations		_		7,832		63,90
Income from discontinued operations, net of tax		_		45,804		63,90
Net income	\$	21,153	\$	92,891	\$	226,36
Income per share from continuing operations, net of tax - basic		0.54		1.21		4.2

Income per share from discontinued operations, net of tax - basic	_	1.18	1.66
Net income per common share - basic	\$ 0.54	\$ 2.39	\$ 5.89
Income per share from continuing operations, net of tax - diluted	0.54	1.21	4.22
Income per share from discontinued operations, net of tax - diluted	_	1.18	1.65
Net income per common share - diluted	\$ 0.54	\$ 2.39	\$ 5.87
Weighted-average common shares outstanding - basic	39,044	38,804	38,435
Weighted-average common shares outstanding - diluted	39,070	38,836	38,534

#### **Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations**

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		Three Mo	nths Ended			Three Mo	hree Months Ended				
	December 31,	September 30,	June 30,	March 31,	December 31,	September 30,	June 30,	March 31,			
	2013	2013	2013	2013	2012	2012	2012	2012			
						(Restated)	(Restated)	(Restated)			
Net revenues:											
Products	\$ 103,985	\$ 92,969	\$ 99,858	\$ 98,718	\$ 116,449	\$ 109,684	\$ 124,991	\$ 127,706			
Services	43,118	45,924	41,488	37,353	44,020	40,923	40,485	31,445			
Total net revenues	\$ 147,103	\$ 138,893	\$ 141,346	\$ 136,071	\$ 160,469	\$ 150,607	\$ 165,476	\$ 159,151			
Cost of revenues:											
Products	43,665	39,683	38,900	37,015	47,942	38,356	50,983	45,482			
Services	16,136	16,372	15,394	15,276	16,268	16,663	16,329	14,411			
Amortization of intangible assets	158	158	501	651	646	634	644	650			
Restructuring costs	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_			
Total cost of revenues	59,959	56,213	54,795	52,942	64,856	55,653	67,956	60,543			
Gross profit	87,144	82,680	86,551	83,129	\$ 95,613	\$ 94,954	\$ 97,520	\$ 98,608			
Operating expenses:											
Research and development	24,556	23,239	23,847	23,607	22,951	23,207	26,261	26,460			
Marketing and selling	34,566	31,512	33,903	33,909	35,385	33,941	42,282	41,873			
General and administrative	23,135	22,715	16,131	15,597	13,462	10,905	13,351	14,348			
Amortization of intangible assets	667	660	658	663	755	782	1,106	1,611			
Restructuring costs, net	2,491	688	1,918	273	126	9,831	14,437	444			
Total operating expenses	85,415	78,814	76,457	74,049	72,679	78,666	97,437	84,736			
Operating income	1,729	3,866	10,094	9,080	22,934	16,288	83	13,872			

Interest and other expense, net		192		(363)		(247)		(258)		(1,150)		(318)		(379)		(194)
Income from continuing operations before income taxes		1,921		3,503		9,847		8,822		21,784		15,970		(296)		13,678
Provision for income taxes, net		792		921		669		557		1,119		1,194		(936)		2,672
Income from continuing operations, net of tax		1,129		2,582		9,178		8,265		20,665		14,776		640		11,006
Discontinued Operations:																
Gain on divestiture of consumer business		_		_		_		_		_		37,972		_		_
Income from divested operations						_						_		2,773		5,059
Income from discontinued operations, net of tax		_		_		_		_		_		37,972		2,773		5,059
Net income	\$	1,129	\$	2,582	\$	9,178	\$	8,265	\$	20,665	\$	52,748	\$	3,413	\$	16,065
Net income	Ψ	1,127	Ψ	2,502	Ψ	7,170	Ψ	0,203	-	20,003	9	32,740	-	3,413	Ψ.	10,005
Income per share from continuing operations, net of tax - basic		0.03		0.07		0.24		0.21		0.53		0.38		0.02		0.29
Income per share from discontinued operations, net of tax - basic		_		_		_		_		_		0.98		0.07		0.13
Net income per common share - basic	\$	0.03	\$	0.07	\$	0.24	\$	0.21	\$	0.53	\$	1.36	\$	0.09	\$	0.42
Income per share from continuing operations, net of tax - diluted		0.03		0.07		0.24		0.21		0.53		0.38		0.02		0.28
Income per share from discontinued operations, net of tax - diluted		_		_		_		_		_		0.98		0.07		0.13
Net income per common share - diluted	\$	0.03	\$	0.07	\$	0.24	\$	0.21	\$	0.53	\$	1.36	\$	0.09	\$	0.41
Weighted-average common shares outstanding - basic		39,080		39,075		39,040		38,977		38,916		38,859		38,778		38,662
Weighted-average common shares outstanding - diluted		39,111		39,076		39,069		39,034		38,937		38,890		38,798		38,721

#### Reconciliations of GAAP financial measures to Non-GAAP financial measures

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#### Twelve Months Ended

Cost of revenues   Cost of Rev				De	cember 31,		
GAAP           Net Revenues         \$ 563,412         \$ 635,703         \$ 766,885           Cost of revenues         223,909         249,008         261,718           Gross Profit         339,503         386,695         505,167           Operating Expenses         314,735         333,518         340,127           Operating Income         24,768         53,177         165,040           Interest and other expense, net         (676)         (2,041)         (1,945)           Provision for income taxes, net         2,939         4,049         635           Income from continuing operations, net of tax         \$ 21,153         \$ 47,087         \$ 162,460           Weighted-average common shares outstanding - diluted         39,070         38,836         38,534           Income per share from continuing operations, net of tax - diluted         \$ 0.54         \$ 1.21         \$ 4.22           Adjustments to GAAP Results           Cost of Revenues           Amortization of intangible assets         1,468         2,574         2,693			2013		2012		2011
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Operating Income         24,768         53,177         165,040           Interest and other expense, net         (676)         (2,041)         (1,945)           Provision for income taxes, net         2,939         4,049         635           Income from continuing operations, net of tax         \$ 21,153         \$ 47,087         \$ 162,460           Weighted-average common shares outstanding - diluted         39,070         38,836         38,534           Income per share from continuing operations, net of tax - diluted         \$ 0.54         \$ 1.21         \$ 4.22           Adjustments to GAAP Results           Cost of Revenues           Amortization of intangible assets         1,468         2,574         2,693	Gross Profit		339,503		386,695		505,167
Interest and other expense, net	Operating Expenses	_	314,735	_	333,518		340,127
Provision for income taxes, net         2,939         4,049         635           Income from continuing operations, net of tax         \$ 21,153         \$ 47,087         \$ 162,460           Weighted-average common shares outstanding - diluted         39,070         38,836         38,534           Income per share from continuing operations, net of tax - diluted         \$ 0.54         \$ 1.21         \$ 4.22           Adjustments to GAAP Results           Cost of Revenues           Amortization of intangible assets         1,468         2,574         2,693	Operating Income		24,768		53,177		165,040
Income from continuing operations, net of tax   \$ 21,153   \$ 47,087   \$ 162,460     Weighted-average common shares outstanding - diluted   39,070   38,836   38,534     Income per share from continuing operations, net of tax - diluted   \$ 0.54   \$ 1.21   \$ 4.22     Adjustments to GAAP Results     Cost of Revenues     Amortization of intangible assets   1,468   2,574   2,693	Interest and other expense, net		(676)		(2,041)		(1,945)
Weighted-average common shares outstanding - diluted 39,070 38,836 38,534  Income per share from continuing operations, net of tax - diluted \$ 0.54 \$ 1.21 \$ 4.22  Adjustments to GAAP Results  Cost of Revenues  Amortization of intangible assets 1,468 2,574 2,693	Provision for income taxes, net		2,939		4,049		635
Income per share from continuing operations, net of tax - diluted \$ 0.54 \$ 1.21 \$ 4.22  Adjustments to GAAP Results  Cost of Revenues  Amortization of intangible assets 1,468 2,574 2,693	Income from continuing operations, net of tax	\$	21,153	\$	47,087	\$	162,460
Adjustments to GAAP Results  Cost of Revenues  Amortization of intangible assets 1,468 2,574 2,693	Weighted-average common shares outstanding - diluted		39,070		38,836		38,534
Cost of Revenues       Amortization of intangible assets     1,468     2,574     2,693	Income per share from continuing operations, net of tax - diluted	\$	0.54	\$	1.21	\$	4.22
Cost of Revenues       Amortization of intangible assets     1,468     2,574     2,693	Adjustments to GAAP Results						
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	•				,		
Operating Expenses	•						,
Amortization of intangible assets 2,648 4,254 8,528			2.648		4.254		8.528
Restructuring costs, net 5,370 24,838 6,534	•						
Restatement costs 20,591 — —					_		_
Acquisition and other costs — 1,048 556	Acquisition and other costs		_		1,048		556
(Gain) loss on sale of assets (125) (252) 597	•		(125)		(252)		597
Stock-based compensation			. ,		. ,		
R&D 581 985 1,638	•		581		985		1,638
Sales & Marketing 1,786 3,754 4,349	Sales & Marketing		1,786		3,754		4,349
G&A 3,752 5,700 5,421	G&A		3,752		5,700		5,421
Other	Other						
Tax adjustment (860) (965) (1,579)	Tax adjustment		(860)		(965)		(1,579)
Non-GAAP	Non-GAAP						
Net revenues 563,412 635,703 766,885			563,412		635,703		766,885
Cost of revenues 221,645 245,441 257,824							
Gross Profit 341,767 390,262 509,061	Gross Profit	_		_		_	
Operating Expenses 280,132 293,190 312,504							
Operating Income 61,635 97,071 196,557		_		_		_	
Interest and other expense, net (676) (2,041) (1,945)	•						
Provision for income taxes, net 3,799 5,014 2,214	• •						

Income from continuing operations, net of tax		57,160	90,016	192,398
Income per share from continuing operations, net of tax - diluted	\$	1.46	\$ 2.32	\$ 4.99
Adjusted EBITDA				
Non-GAAP Operating Income (from above)		61,635	97,071	196,557
Depreciation		17,837	19,846	19,543
Amortization of capitalized software development costs		815	846	1,218
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	80,286	\$ 117,763	\$ 217,318
Free Cash Flow				
GAAP net cash (used in) provided by operating activities		(9,145)	34,709	2,967
Capital Expenditures		(11,625)	(9,703)	(10,795)
Restructuring Payments		(13,151)	(19,420)	(17,206)
Restatement Payments		(13,161)	_	_
Free Cash Flow	_	5,542	 44,426	 9,378

#### Reconciliations of GAAP financial measures to Non-GAAP financial measures

(unaudited - in thousands, except per share data)

				Three Mo	nth	s Ended			Three Months Ended									
	D	ecember 31,	S	eptember 30,		June 30,	N	March 31,	D	ecember 31,	S	eptember 30,		June 30,	N	Iarch 31,		
		2013		2013		2013		2013	_	2012		2012	2012			2012		
											(1	Restated)	(1	Restated)	(I	Restated)		
GAAP																		
Net Revenues	\$	147,103	\$	138,893	\$	141,346	\$	136,071	\$	160,469	\$	150,607	\$	165,476	\$	159,151		
Cost of revenues		59,959		56,213		54,795		52,942		64,856		55,653		67,956		60,543		
Gross Profit		87,144		82,680		86,551		83,129		95,613		94,954		97,520		98,608		
Operating Expenses		85,415		78,814		76,458		74,049		72,679		78,666		97,437		84,736		
Operating Income		1,729		3,866		10,093		9,080		22,934		16,288		83		13,872		
Interest and other expense, net		192		(363)		(247)		(258)		(1,150)		(318)		(379)		(194)		
Provision for income taxes, net		792		921		669		557		1,119		1,194		(936)		2,672		
Income from continuing operations, net of tax	\$	1,129	\$	2,582	\$	9,177	\$	8,265	\$	20,665	\$	14,776	\$	640	\$	11,006		
Weighted-average common shares outstanding - diluted		39,111		39,076		39,069		39,034		38,937		38,890		38,798		38,721		
Income per share from continuing operations, net of tax - diluted	\$	0.03	\$	0.07	\$	0.23	\$	0.21	\$	0.53	\$	0.38	\$	0.02	s	0.28		
Adjustments to GAAP Results	Ī																	
Cost of Revenues																		
Amortization of intangible assets		158		158		501		651		646		634		644		650		
Stock-based compensation		173		185		212		226		230		236		268		259		
Operating Expenses																		
Amortization of intangible assets		667		660		658		663		755		782		1,106		1,611		
Restructuring costs, net		2,491		688		1,918		273		126		9,831		14,437		444		
Restatement costs		8,162		8,730		2,929		769		_		_		_		_		
Acquisition and other costs		_		_		_		_		111		(100)		555		482		
(Gain) loss on sale of assets		_		_		_		(125)		_		_		_		(252)		

Stock-based compensation															
R&D		127		137	173		145		193		212		269		311
Sales & Marketing		329		402	473		581		440		(93)		2,244		1,162
G&A		572		808	1,250		1,125		1,544		1,265		1,713		1,179
<u>Other</u>															
Tax adjustment		(215)		(215)	(215)		(215)		(241)		(241)		(241)		(241)
Non-GAAP															
Net revenues		147,103		138,893	141,346		136,071		160,469		150,607		165,476		159,151
Cost of revenues		59,628		55,870	54,082		52,065		63,980		54,783		67,044		59,634
Gross Profit		87,475		83,023	87,264		84,006		96,489		95,824		98,432		99,517
Operating Expenses		73,067		67,389	69,058		70,618		69,510		66,769		77,113		79,799
Operating Income		14,408		15,634	18,207		13,388		26,978		29,055		21,320		19,718
Interest and other expense, net		192		(363)	(247)		(258)		(1,150)		(318)		(379)		(194)
Provision for income taxes, net		1,007		1,136	884		772		1,360		1,435		(695)		2,913
Income from continuing operations, net of tax		13,593		14,135	17,076		12,358		24,468		27,302		21,635		16,611
Income per share from continuing															
operations, net of tax - diluted	\$	0.35	\$	0.36	\$ 0.44	\$	0.32	\$	0.63	\$	0.7	\$	0.56	\$	0.43
Adjusted EBITDA															
Non-GAAP Operating Income (from above)		14,408		15,634	18,207		13,388		26,978		29,055		21,320		19,718
Depreciation		4,386		4,302	4,429		4,719		5,099		4,874		4,899		4,974
Amortization of capitalized software		4,360		4,302	4,429		4,/19		3,099		4,674		4,899		4,974
development costs															
•		586		49	77		102		109		128		294		316
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	19,380	\$	19,985	\$ 22,713	\$	18,210	\$	32,186	\$	34,056	\$	26,512	\$	25,008
Free Cash Flow															
GAAP net cash (used in) provided by															
operating activities		883		(4,472)	(4,146)		(1,410)		2,023		(77)		14,020		18,743
Capital Expenditures		(2,627)		(3,708)	(3,164)		(2,126)		(2,752)		(1,421)		(1,941)		(3,589)
Restructuring Payments		2,536		3,256	3,122		4,237		5,128		8,582		1,721		3,978
Restatement Payments		7,728		3,919	 1,514					_		_		_	_
Free Cash Flow	_	8,520	_	(1,005)	(2,674)	_	701	_	4,399	_	7,084	_	13,800	_	19,132

#### **Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets**

(unaudited - in thousands)

	De	cember 31, 2013	De	ecember 31, 2012
ASSETS:				
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	48,203	\$	70,390
Accounts receivable, net of allowances of \$13,963 and \$20,977				
at December 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively		56,770		67,956
Inventories		60,122		69,143
Deferred tax assets, net		522		586
Prepaid expenses		7,778		9,060
Other current assets		17,493		19,950
Total current assets		190,888		237,085
Property and equipment, net		35,186		41,441
Intangible assets, net		4,260		9,217
Long-term deferred tax assets, net		2,415		2,825
Other assets		2,393		3,793
Total assets	\$	235,142	\$	294,361
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' DEFICIT:				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	33,990	\$	35,425
Accrued compensation and benefits		30,342		25,177
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities		41,273		34,003
Income taxes payable		6,875		7,969
Deferred tax liabilities, net		14		203
Deferred revenues		211,403		230,305
Total current liabilities		323,897		333,082
Long-term deferred tax liabilities, net		565		713
Long-term deferred revenues		255,429		328,180
Other long-term liabilities		14,586		17,978
Total liabilities		594,477		679,953
Stockholders' deficit:				
Common stock		423		423
Additional paid-in capital		1,043,384		1,039,562
Accumulated deficit		(1,336,526)		(1,357,679)
Treasury stock at cost, net of reissuances		(72,543)		(75,542)
Accumulated other comprehensive income		5,927		7,644
Total stockholders' deficit		(359,335)		(385,592)
Total liabilities and stockholders' deficit	\$	235,142	\$	294,361

#### Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

(unaudited - in thousands)

# Twelve Months Ended December 31.

			Dec	ember 31,	,
		2013		2012	2011
Cash flows from operating activities:					(Restated)
Net income	\$	21,153	\$	92,891	\$ 226,367
Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to net cash provided by operating activities:		21,100		,2,0,1	\$ 220,50 <i>1</i>
Depreciation and amortization		22,767		27,495	31,983
Provision for doubtful accounts		157		125	1,473
Non-cash provision for restructuring		_		1,459	326
(Gain) loss on sale of assets		(125)		(252)	597
Gain on divestiture of consumer business		_		(37,972)	_
Stock-based compensation expense		6,917		11,432	12,609
Non-cash interest expense		294		294	301
Unrealized foreign currency transaction (gains) losses		(10)		(1,251)	1,818
Provision for deferred taxes		730		(400)	(1,994)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities					
Accounts receivable		11,030		26,765	(3,804)
Inventories		9,021		20,844	(3,317)
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		4,393		(3,745)	(223)
Accounts payable		(1,416)		(7,111)	(4,533)
Accrued expenses, compensation and benefits, and other liabilities		8,932		(3,300)	(17,436)
Income taxes payable		(1,324)		676	(640)
Deferred revenues		(91,664)		(93,241)	(240,560)
Net cash (used in) provided by operating activities	_	(9,145)	_	34,709	2,967
Cash flows from investing activities:					
Purchases of property and equipment		(11,625)		(9,703)	(10,795)
Capitalized software development costs		_		_	(1,242)
Change in other long-term assets		(36)		(40)	(155)
Proceeds from divestiture of consumer business		_		11,440	_
Proceeds from sales of assets		125		_	_
Net cash (used in) provided by investing activities		(11,536)		1,697	(12,192)
Cash flows from financing activities:					
Proceeds from the issuance of common stock under employee stock plans		177		1,022	3,239
Common stock repurchases for tax withholdings for net settlement of equity awards		(273)		(668)	(1,213)
Proceeds from revolving credit facilities		(273)		14,000	21,000
Payments on revolving credit facilities		_			
	_	(00)	_	(14,000)	(21,000)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		(96)	_	354	2,026

Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period

(1,410)	775	(2,728)
(22,187)	37,535	(9,927)
70,390	32,855	42,782
\$ 48,203	\$ 70,390	\$ 32,855

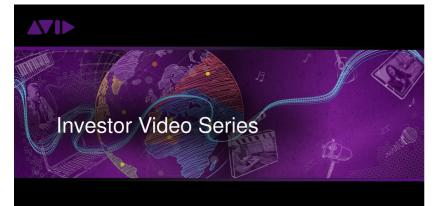
# AVID TECHNOLOGY, INC. Supplemental Revenue Information

(unaudited - in millions)

	For the Period Ended															
Bookings	June 30, 2014		March 31, 2014		December 31, 2013		September 30, 2013		June 30, 2013		March 31, 2013		December 31, 2012		September 30, 2012	
<del>zazami</del> 8r	_	2011				2010		2010		2010		2010		2012		
Quarterly	\$	127.7	\$	126.1	\$	150.4	\$	127	\$	120.7	\$	125.1	\$	141.5	\$	122.8
Last twelve months (LTM)		531.1		524.1		523.1		514.2		510		531		545		586.3
	De	ecember	De	cember												
		31,		31,												
Revenue Backlog 2013			2012													
Deferred Revenue	\$	466.8	\$	558.5												
Other Backlog		92.2		51.2												
Total Revenue Backlog	\$	559	\$	609.7												

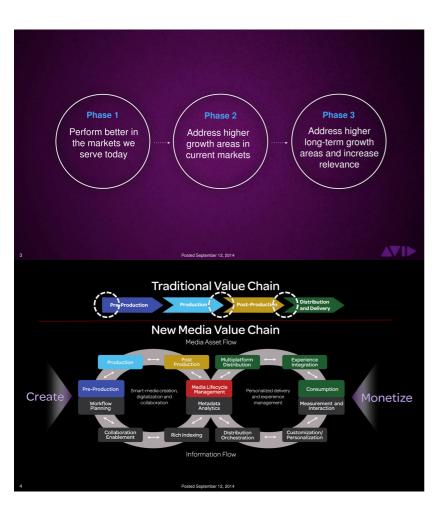
The expected timing of recognition of revenue backlog as of December 31, 2013 is as follows:

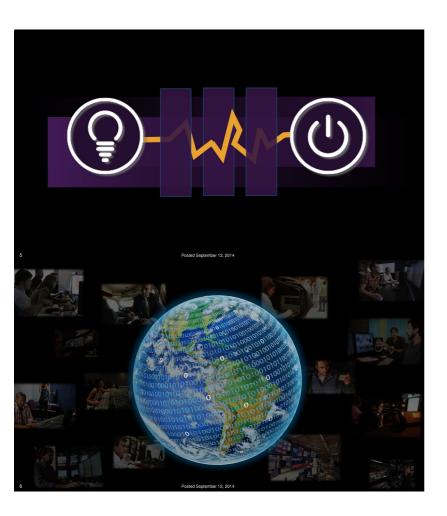
	Twelve Months Ended December 31,											
	2014	2015			2016		2017		2018	Thereafter		Total
Orders executed prior to January 1, 2011	\$ 92.3	\$	58.2	\$	24.5	\$	1	\$	0.1	_	\$	176.1
Orders executed or materially modified on or after January 1, 2011	200.9		86.7		53		27.5		14.7	0.1	\$	382.9
	\$ 293.2	\$	144.9	\$	77.5	\$	28.5	\$	14.8	\$ 0.1	\$	559

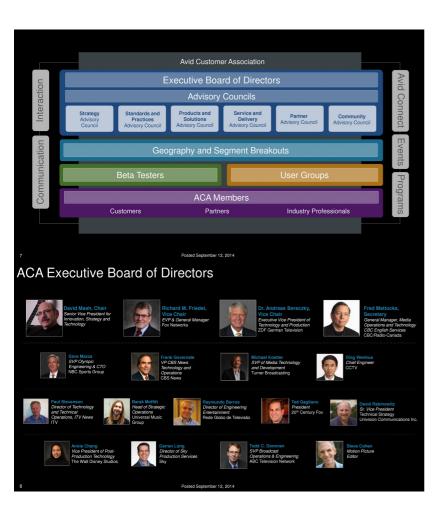


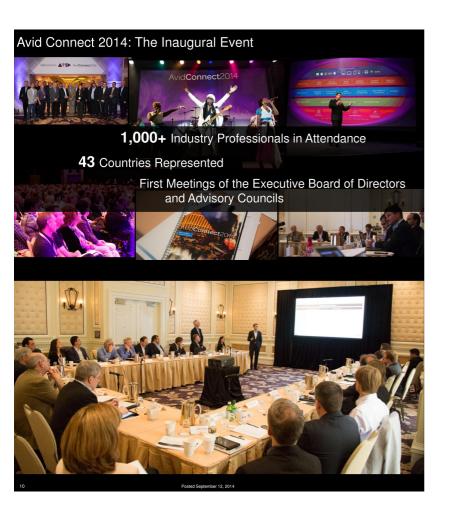
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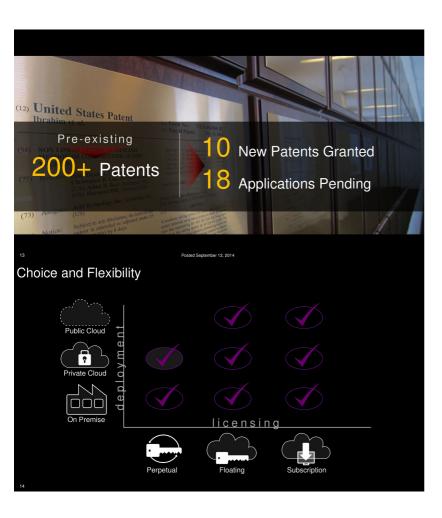




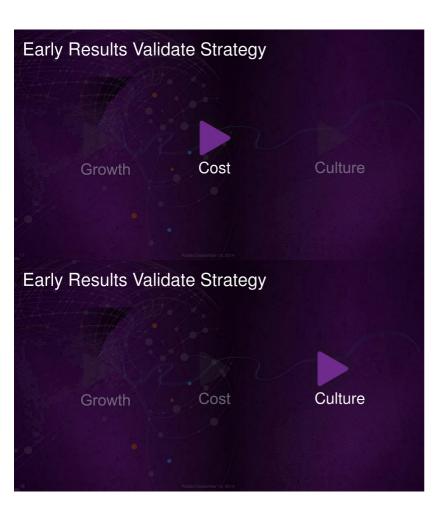


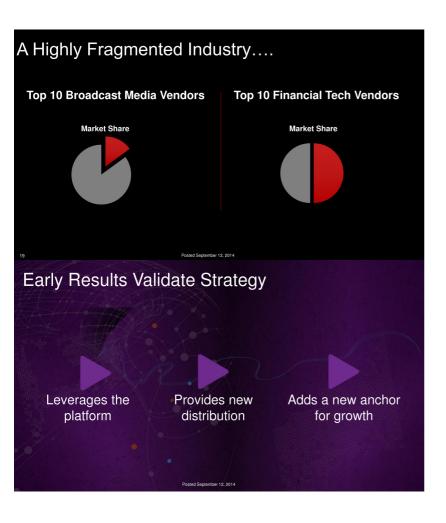


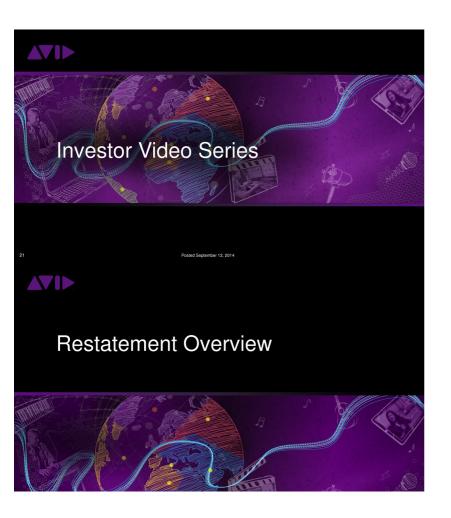












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## Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

This presentation includes a number of non-GAAP financial measures, which are defined and reconciled in the appendix to this presentation. These Non-GAAP measures include Adjusted EBITDA, Non-GAAP Operating Profit or Loss, Free Cash Flow and Non-GAAP Non-Material spending.

These Non-GAAP measures reflect how Avid manages its businesses internally. These measures may vary for different companies for reasons unrelated to the overall operating performance of Avid's business. When analyzing Avid's operating performance, investors should not consider these Non-GAAP financial measures as a substitute for net income or other measures prepared in accordance with GAAP. Non-GAAP financial measures are not based on a comprehensive set of accounting rules or principles. This Non-GAAP information supplements, and is not intended to represent a measure of performance in accordance with, disclosures required by generally accepted accounting principles, or GAAP. Non-GAAP financial measures should be considered in addition to, not as a substitute for or superior to, financial measures determined in accordance with GAAP.

The reconciliation of the GAAP to Non-GAAP financial measures is in the tables included in this presentation and the appendix thereto



# What We Found

- Determined many of our software updates represented implied post-contract customer support or PCS and that revenue accounting needed to be corrected
- Could not establish fair value for software updates, therefore, some or all of transaction value had to be recognized ratably over the periods the updates were provided
- We found no evidence that our previous revenue accounting was the result of intentional misconduct
- Our internal control over financial reporting was found not to be effective



## **Our Process**

- Retained big four accounting firm to review our historical accounting practices and advise management on acceptability of accounting application
- Reviewed historical practices around upgrades and updates
- Implemented a methodical, comprehensive process for analyzing and assessing accounting impact of multiple bundled offerings
- Initiated a special purpose team to review, address and remediate internal control deficiencies

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# **Our Process**

- Developed and documented new accounting framework
- Went back to 2005 and reprocessed over five million transaction lines to determine appropriate accounting treatment for five year period
- Implemented new revenue accounting sub-ledger system to apply appropriate accounting treatment for all customer sales arrangements
- Because prior periods had been reopened—evaluated certain other historical accounting decisions

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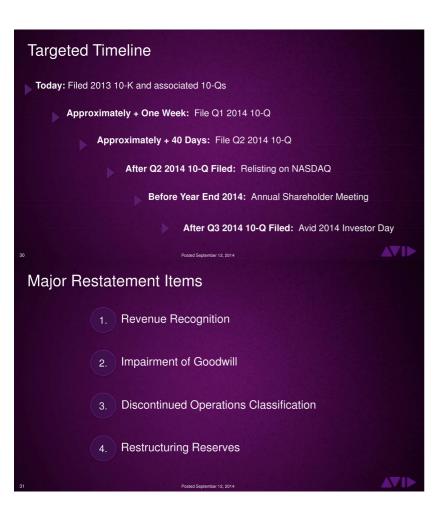
# Internal Controls over Financial Reporting

- As part of restatement process, we reviewed our internal control structure related to our financial reporting and identified material weaknesses which are discussed in more detail in our Form 10-K for fiscal year 2013
- Nearly all efforts have been toward regaining current filing status
- As a result, we have not yet addressed all of the underlying internal control deficiencies but have initiated remediation measures in the interim
- We've invested in the accounting and internal audit functions as it relates to people, process and technology and expect to see incremental improvements over the next 12-24 months

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# Major Restatement Items – Revenue Recognition

- Existence of implied post-contract customer support requires Company to defer and amortize a significant portion of revenue
- Impacts the timing but not the total amount of revenue earned
- Revenue accounting treatment different for pre-2011 as compared to post-2010
- Cash flow characteristics of transactions unchanged by change in accounting

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# Major Restatement Items - Impairment of Goodwill

- Restated financial statements impacted historical assessment of goodwill
- Recorded a <u>full</u> goodwill impairment charge in the year ended December 31, 2011

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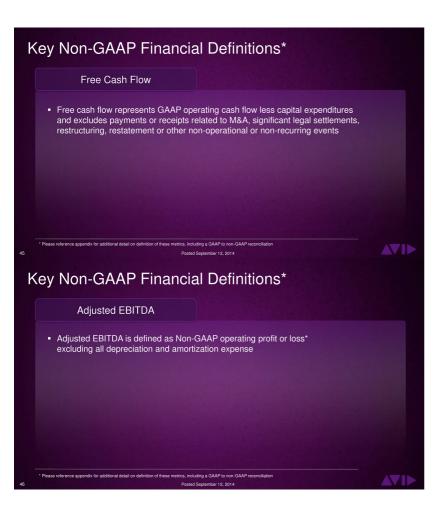
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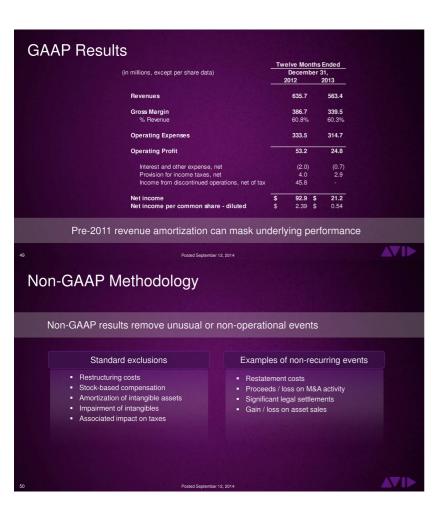


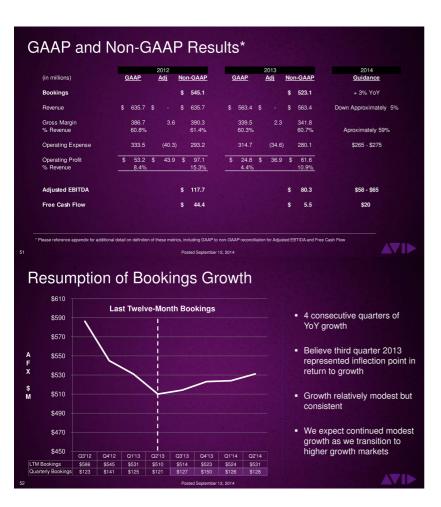
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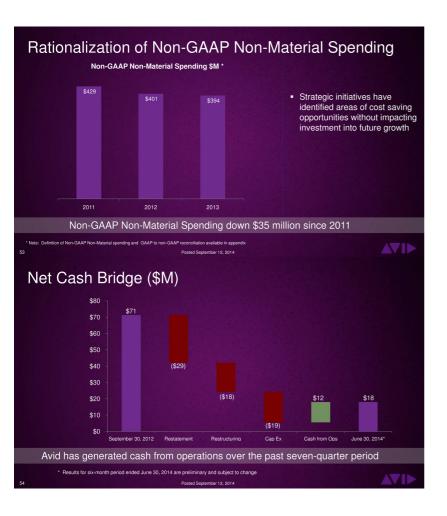
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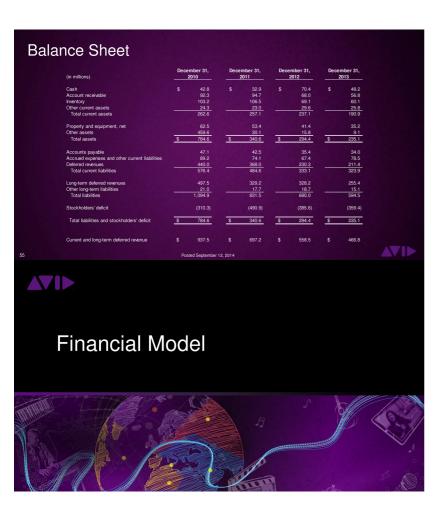












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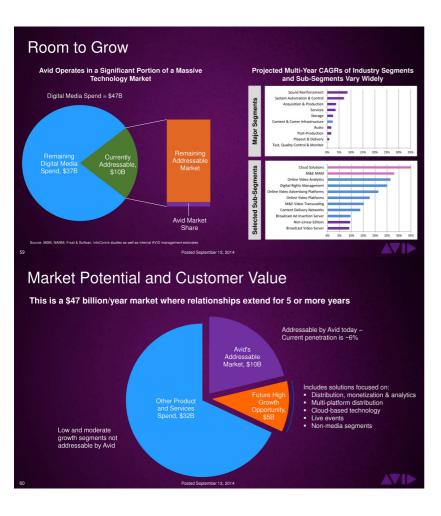
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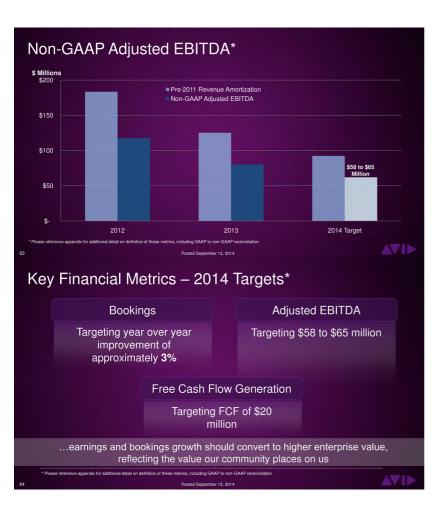
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# Early Progress on Platform Unit Sales Platform sales inform us Platform Related Units\* (Rolling Last Twelve-Months) of future cross sale opportunity 900 800 700 600 500 400 300 200 Platform message is resonating even during early phases of product MediaCentral has demonstrated most pronounced growth Q1'13 Q2'13 Q3'13 AVID 2014 Guidance Process began with our initial 100-day research, customer wallet share assessment and a run-rate cost analysis and we determined ... 1. We were financially lagging our peer group 2. We had significant cost opportunities arising from lack of alignment with our key strategies which led to inefficient operations and misaligned investments 3. We needed more effective strategic-based sales planning programs to drive incremental sales through our existing customer accounts ...and, with learnings in hand, we established a market based profitability target



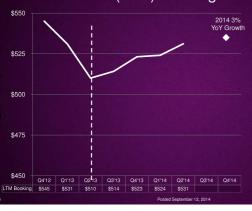
### Financial Modeling Fundamentals

- Bookings growth should, subject to inherent limitations, convert to Adjusted EBITDA
- The portion of Adjusted EBITDA that converts to cash should increase each year until 2017
- We believe GAAP revenue and Adjusted EBITDA will continue to be challenged due to restatement deferred revenue run-off
- We are working on strategic projects that should drive a decline in operating costs

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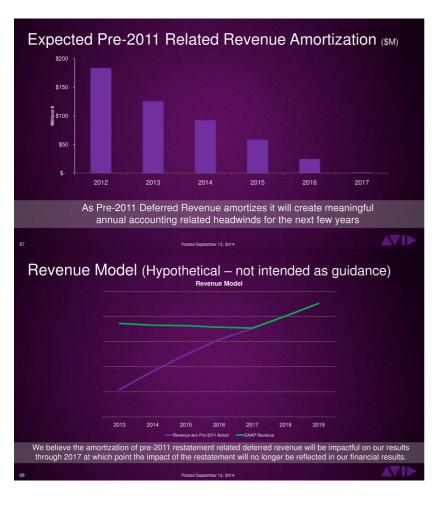
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# Last 12 Months (LTM) Bookings

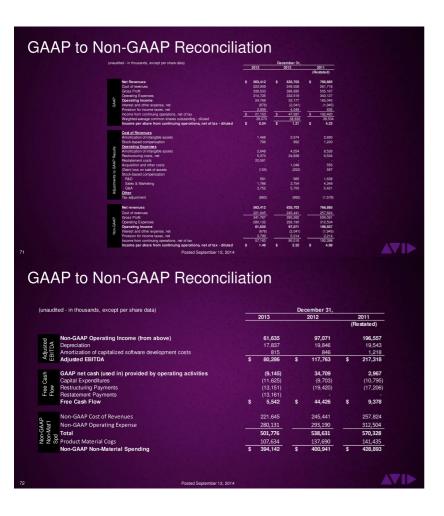


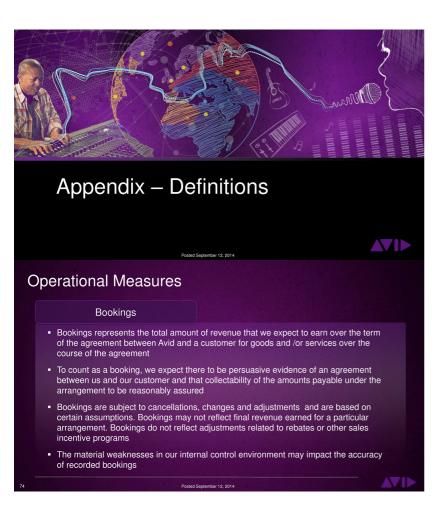
- Believe third quarter 2013 represented inflection point in return to growth
- Growth relatively modest but consistent
- Slower growth until we transition to higher growth markets

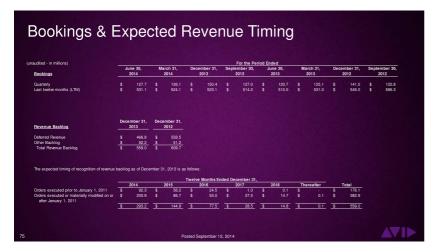














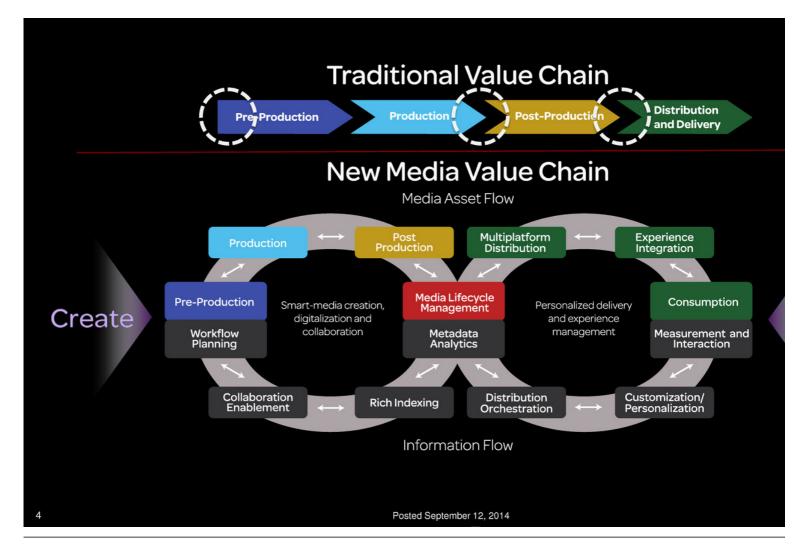
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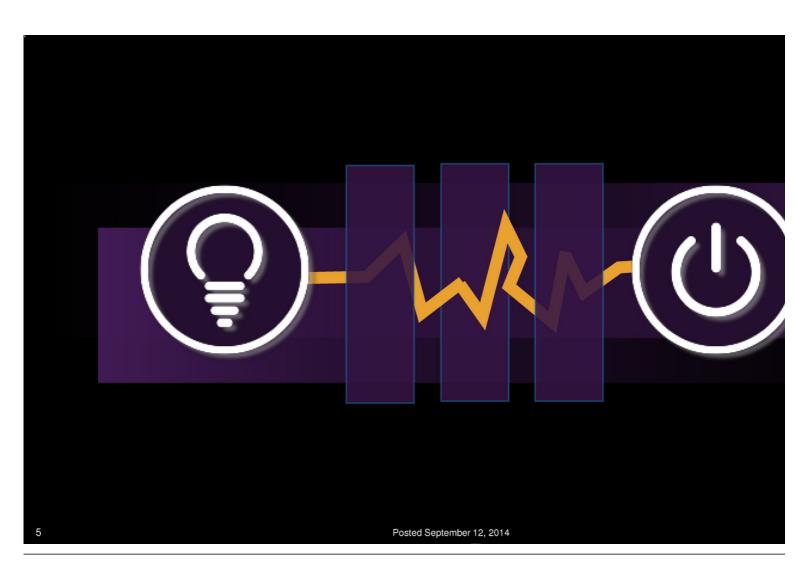
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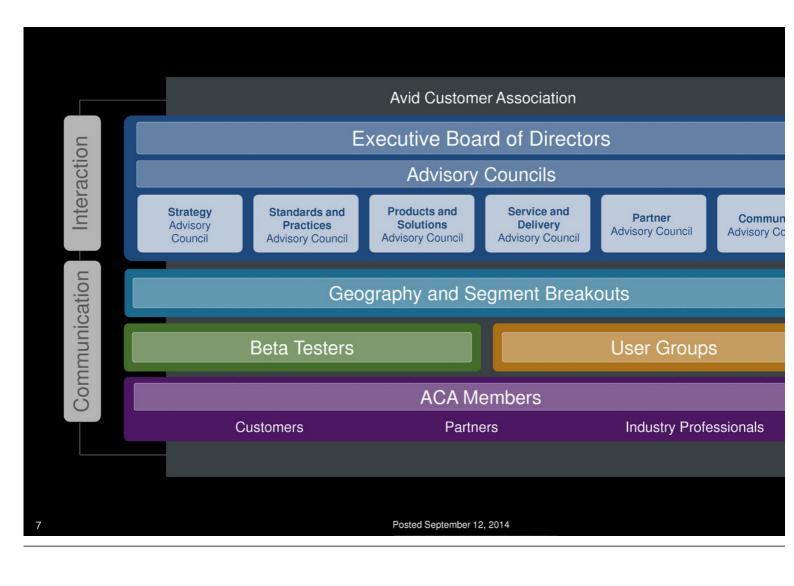
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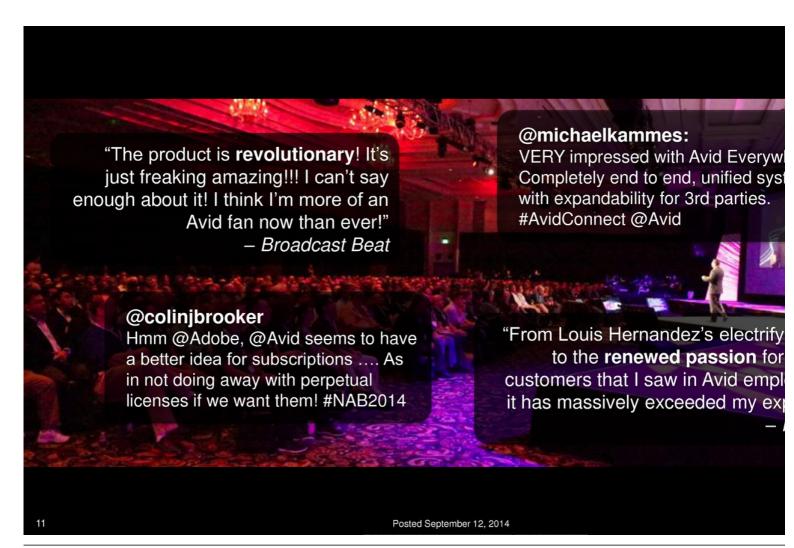
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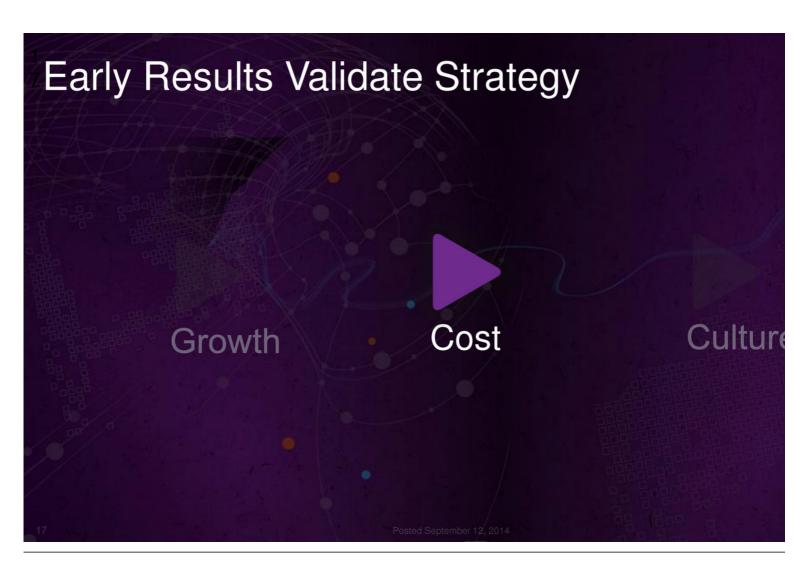
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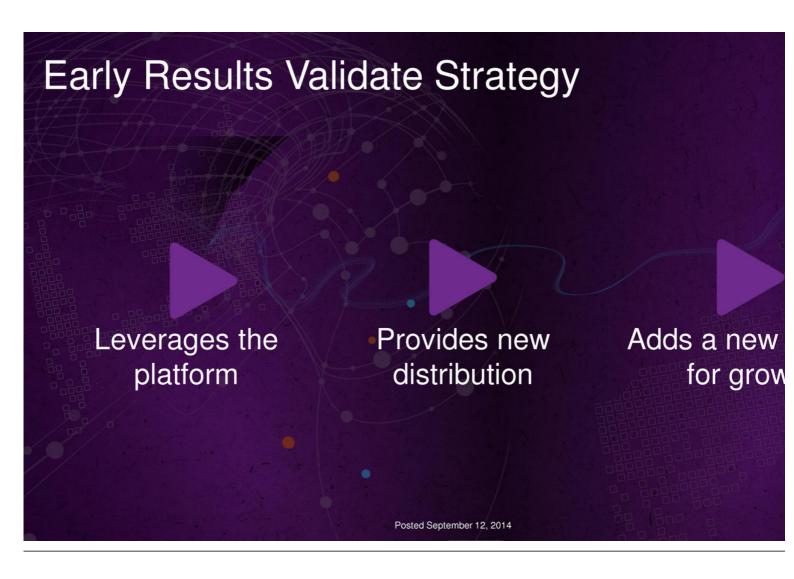
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# **Restatement Overview**



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#### What We Found

- Determined many of our software updates represented implied post-contract customer support or PCS and that revenue accounting needed to be corrected
- Could not establish fair value for software updates, therefore, some or all of transaction value had to be recognized ratably over the periods the updates w provided
- We found no evidence that our previous revenue accounting was the result of intentional misconduct
- Our internal control over financial reporting was found not to be effective

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#### **Our Process**

- Retained big four accounting firm to review our historical accounting practand advise management on acceptability of accounting application
- Reviewed historical practices around upgrades and updates
- Implemented a methodical, comprehensive process for analyzing and assessing accounting impact of multiple bundled offerings
- Initiated a special purpose team to review, address and remediate interncontrol deficiencies

#### **Our Process**

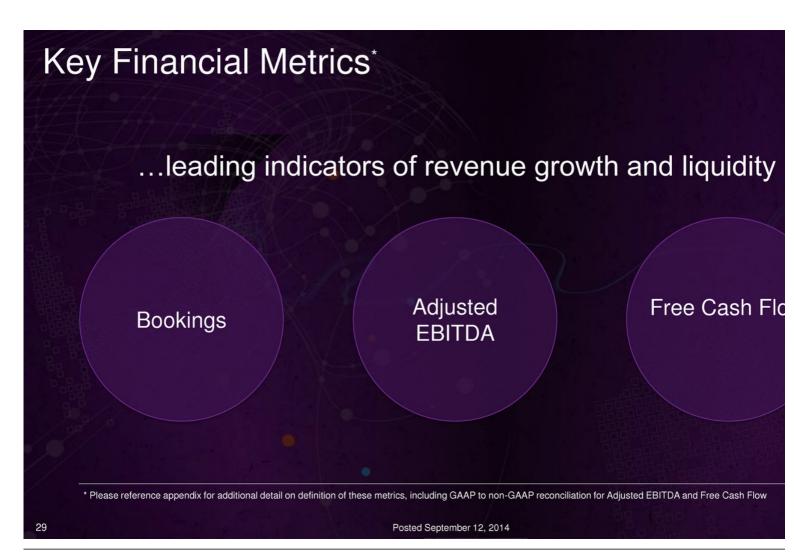
- Developed and documented new accounting framework
- Went back to 2005 and reprocessed over five million transaction lines to determine appropriate accounting treatment for five year period
- Implemented new revenue accounting sub-ledger system to apply appropriate accounting treatment for all customer sales arrangements
- Because prior periods had been reopened—evaluated certain other historical accounting decisions

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#### Internal Controls over Financial Reporting

- As part of restatement process, we reviewed our internal control structure related to our financial reporting and identified material weaknesses which are discussed in more detail in our Form 10-K for fiscal year 2013
- Nearly all efforts have been toward regaining current filing status
- As a result, we have not yet addressed all of the underlying internal cont deficiencies but have initiated remediation measures in the interim
- We've invested in the accounting and internal audit functions as it relates people, process and technology and expect to see incremental improvements over the next 12-24 months

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# **Targeted Timeline**

- Today: Filed 2013 10-K and associated 10-Qs
  - Approximately + One Week: File Q1 2014 10-Q
    - Approximately + 40 Days: File Q2 2014 10-Q
      - After Q2 2014 10-Q Filed: Relisting on NASDAQ
        - Before Year End 2014: Annual Shareholder Meetil
          - After Q3 2014 10-Q Filed: Avid 2014 Inve

# Major Restatement Items

- 1. Revenue Recognition
- 2. Impairment of Goodwill
- 3. Discontinued Operations Classification
- 4. Restructuring Reserves

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## Major Restatement Items – Revenue Recogr

- Existence of implied post-contract customer support requires Comp defer and amortize a significant portion of revenue
- Impacts the timing but not the total amount of revenue earned
- Revenue accounting treatment different for pre-2011 as compared 2010
- Cash flow characteristics of transactions unchanged by change in accounting

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# Major Restatement Items - Impairment of Go

- Restated financial statements impacted historical assessment of goodwill
- Recorded a <u>full</u> goodwill impairment charge in the year ended December 31, 2011

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# Major Restatement Items - Discontinued Op

- The divestiture of consumer product lines in July 2012 should have been presented as discontinued operations
- Reclassification of all historical revenues and expenses to income or loss from discontinued operations



# Major Restatement Items – Restructuring Re

- Revised accruals of restructuring charges in fiscal year 2009 and 2012 in a cumulative amount of \$1.6 million
- Related to lease obligations and other exit activities

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# Impact of Restatement on Previously Issued Results

	GAAP Revenue					GAAP Net Income (Loss)					
(in millions)	Year Ended December 31,			Nine-Months Ended		Year Ended December 3			mber 31,	, Nine-N	
		2010		2011	Septem	ber 30, 2012	-	2010	1	2011	Septer
As Previously Reported	\$	678.5	\$	677.9	\$	436.7	\$	(37.0)	\$	(23.8)	\$
Revenue Recognition		(137.7)		244.8		84.6		(137.7)		244.8	
Discontinued Operations		(137.3)		(155.9)		(46.1)					
Restructuring Costs, net								0.3		2.7	
Other Adjustments (a)								(13.1)		2.7	PATE NAME OF THE PATE OF THE P
Total Restatement Adjustments	No. of	(275.0)		89.0		38.5	Y SIS	(150.5)		250.2	1
As Restated	\$	403.5	\$	766.9	\$	475.2	\$	(187.5)	\$	226.4	\$

<sup>(</sup>a) Primarily related to changes in stock-based compensation and inventory valuation

Change in accounting principles resulted in significant shift in revenue from pre-2011 to

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# Financial Results



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## Key Non-GAAP Financial Definitions\*

#### Free Cash Flow

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# Key Financial Metrics - 2014 Targets\*

#### Bookings

Targeting year over year improvement of approximately 3%

#### Adjusted EBITDA

Targeting **significant** year year improvement excludired 2011 revenue amortiza

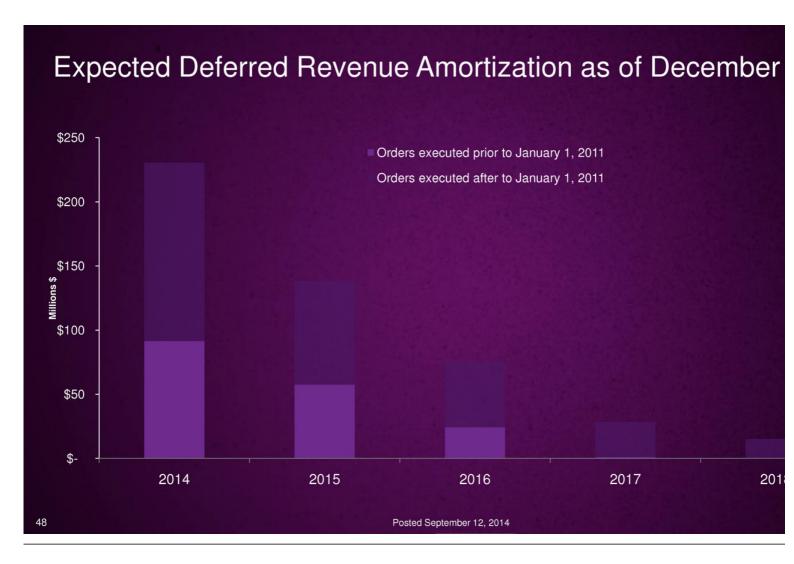
Free Cash Flow Generation

Targeting FCF of \$20 million

...earnings and bookings growth should convert to higher enterprise reflecting the value our community places on us

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## **GAAP** Results

Tw	elve Mor	nths	Ended
Ag.	31,		
	2012	lak	2013
	635.7		563.4
	386.7		339.5
	60.8%		60.3%
	333.5		314.7
-144	53.2		24.8
	(2.0)		(0.7)
	4.0		2.9
	45.8		
\$	92.9	\$	21.2
\$	2.39	\$	0.54
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Pre-2011 revenue amortization can mask underlying performance

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# Non-GAAP Methodology

Non-GAAP results remove unusual or non-operational events

#### Standard exclusions

- Restructuring costs
- Stock-based compensation
- Amortization of intangible assets
- Impairment of intangibles
- Associated impact on taxes

#### Examples of non-recurring ever

- Restatement costs
- Proceeds / loss on M&A activity
- Significant legal settlements
- Gain / loss on asset sales

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## **GAAP** and Non-GAAP Results\*

			2012		1	2012		2013			100
(in millions)	<u>C</u>	<u>AAP</u>	<u>Adj</u>	Noı	n-GAAP	<u>C</u>	<u>IAAP</u>	<u>Adj</u>	Noı	n-GAAP	<u>G</u> u
Bookings				\$	545.1				\$	523.1	+:
Revenue	\$	635.7	\$	\$	635.7	\$	563.4	\$	\$	563.4	Down App
Gross Margin		386.7	3.6		390.3		339.5	2.3		341.8	
% Revenue		60.8%			61.4%		60.3%			60.7%	Aproxi
Operating Expense		333.5	(40.3)		293.2		314.7	(34.6)		280.1	\$26
Operating Profit	-\$	53.2	\$ 43.9	\$	97.1	\$	24.8	\$ 36.9	\$	61.6	
% Revenue	_	8.4%	-		15.3%		4.4%	40 M	COP C	10.9%	
Adjusted EBITDA				\$	117.7				\$	80.3	\$5
Free Cash Flow				\$	44.4				\$	5.5	

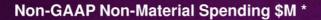
<sup>\*</sup> Please reference appendix for additional detail on definition of these metrics, including GAAP to non-GAAP reconciliation for Adjusted EBTIDA and Free Cash Flow

## Resumption of Bookings Growth



- 4 consecutive YoY growth
- Believe third queries represented in return to growt
- Growth relative consistent
- We expect con growth as we t higher growth

# Rationalization of Non-GAAP Non-Material Sper





Strategic initiative identified areas opportunities with investment into

Non-GAAP Non-Material Spending down \$35 million since 2011

\* Note: Definition of Non-GAAP Non-Material spending and GAAP to non-GAAP reconciliation available in appendix

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Avid has generated cash from operations over the past seven-quarter pe

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<sup>\*</sup> Results for six-month period ended June 30, 2014 are preliminary and subject to change

# **Balance Sheet**

(in millions)	Dec	ember 31, 2010		ember 31, 2011		ember 31, 2012		mber 31, 2013
Cash	\$	42.8	\$	32.9	\$	70.4	\$	48.2
Account receivable		92.3		94.7		68.0		56.8
Inventory		103.2		106.5		69.1		60.1
Other current assets		24.3		23.0		29.6		25.8
Total current assets		262.6	N. TEX	257.1	THE RES	237.1		190.9
Property and equipment, net		62.5		53.4		41.4		35.2
Other assets	1000	459.6	112-	30.1	100	15.8		9.1
Total assets	\$	784.6	\$	340.6	\$	294.4	\$	235.1
Accounts payable		47.1		42.5		35.4		34.0
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities		89.2		74.1		67.4		78.5
Deferred revenues		440.0		368.0	HOLL	230.3		211.4
Total current liabilities	-	576.4	1 3 8	484.6	A LOS	333.1	-216	323.9
Long-term deferred revenues		497.5		329.2		328.2		255.4
Other long-term liabilities		21.0		17.7		18.7	1	15.1
Total liabilities	Total L	1,094.9	1	831.5	181	680.0	ANN	594.5
Stockholders' deficit		(310.3)		(490.9)		(385.6)		(359.4
Total liabilities and stockholders' deficit	\$	784.6	\$	340.6	\$	294.4	\$	235.1
Current and long-term deferred revenue	\$	937.5	\$	697.2	\$	558.5	\$	466.8
	Po	sted September	12, 2014					



# Financial Model



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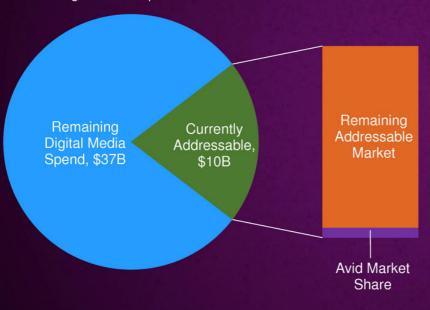
The reconciliation of the GAAP to Non-GAAP financial measures is in the tables included in this presentat and the appendix thereto.

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### Room to Grow

Avid Operates in a Significant Portion of a Massive Technology Market

Digital Media Spend = \$47B

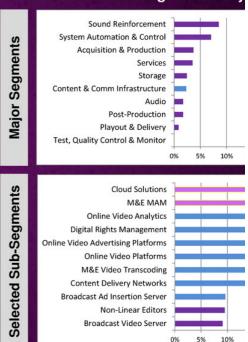


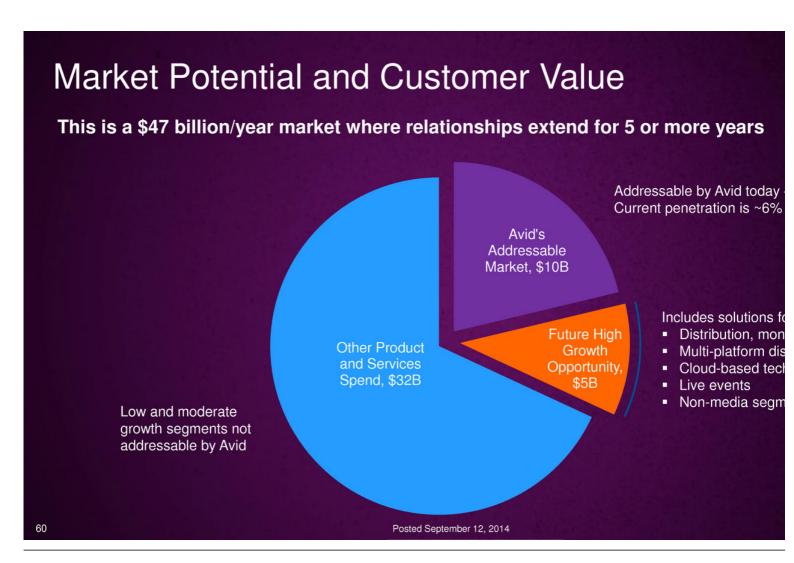
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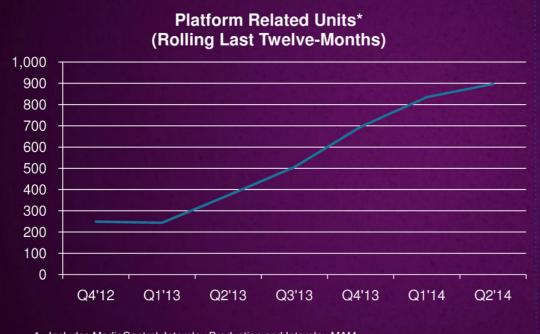
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#### Projected Multi-Year CAGRs of Inand Sub-Segments Vary





# Early Progress on Platform Unit Sales



- Platform sales of future cross opportunity
- Platform mess resonating even early phases of launch
- MediaCentral demonstrated pronounced g

\* - Includes MediaCentral, Interplay Production and Interplay MAM

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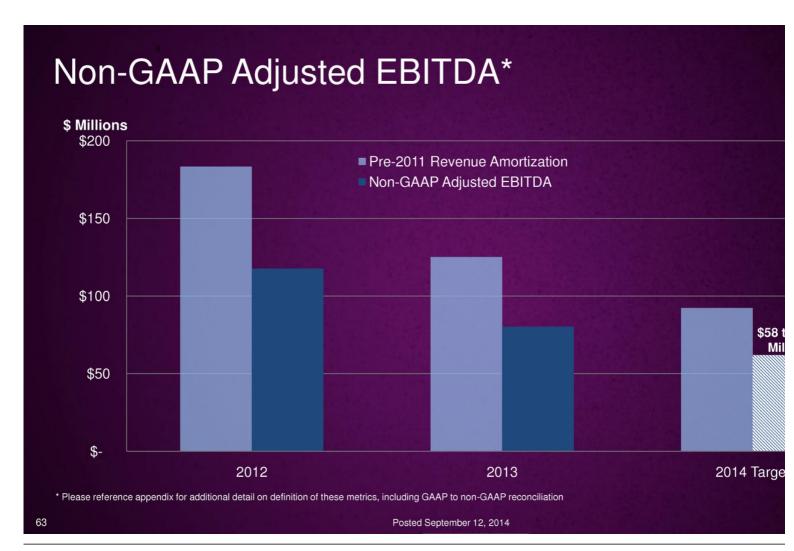
### 2014 Guidance

Process began with our initial 100-day research, customer wallet share assessment and a run-rate cost analysis and we determined ...

- 1. We were financially lagging our peer group
- 2. We had significant cost opportunities arising from lack of alignment with our kernstrategies which led to inefficient operations and misaligned investments
- 3. We needed more effective strategic-based sales planning programs to drive incremental sales through our existing customer accounts

...and, with learnings in hand, we established a market based pro

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## Key Financial Metrics – 2014 Targets\*

### Bookings

Targeting year over year improvement of approximately 3%

Adjusted EBITDA

Targeting \$58 to \$65 m

Free Cash Flow Generation

Targeting FCF of \$20 million

...earnings and bookings growth should convert to higher enterprise reflecting the value our community places on us

\* Please reference appendix for additional detail on definition of these metrics, including GAAP to non-GAAP reconciliation

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### Financial Modeling Fundamentals

- Bookings growth should, subject to inherent limitations, convert to Adjusted EBITDA
- The portion of Adjusted EBITDA that converts to cash should increa each year until 2017
- We believe GAAP revenue and Adjusted EBITDA will continue to be challenged due to restatement deferred revenue run-off
- We are working on strategic projects that should drive a decline in operating costs

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Q4'13

\$523

Q1'14

\$524

Q2'14

\$531

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Q3'14

Q4'14

\$450

LTM Booking

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Q4'12

\$545

Q1'13

\$531

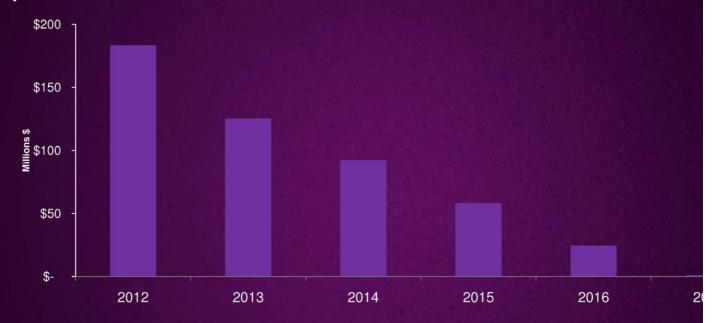
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\$510

Q3'13

\$514

# Expected Pre-2011 Related Revenue Amortizati



As Pre-2011 Deferred Revenue amortizes it will create meaning annual accounting related headwinds for the next few years

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We believe the amortization of pre-2011 restatement related deferred revenue will be impactful through 2017 at which point the impact of the restatement will no longer be reflected in our fine

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# Appendix – Non-GAAP

### Non-GAAP Financial Definitions

#### **Free Cash Flow**

Free cash flow represents GAAP operating cash flow less capital expenditures and excludes payments or receipts related to M&A, significant less ettlements, restructuring, restatement or other non-operational or non-recurring events

#### **Adjusted EBITDA**

Adjusted EBITDA is defined as non-GAAP operating profit or loss excluding all depreciation and amortization expense

#### **Non-GAAP Operating Profit or Loss**

Non-GAAP operating profit or loss in GAAP operating profit excluding restructuring costs, stock based compensation, amortization and impairm
intangibles as well as other unusual items such as costs related to the restatement; M&A related activity; or impact of significant legal settlement

#### Non-GAAP Non-Material Spending

• Non-GAAP Non-Material Spending is Non-GAAP operating expense plus Non-GAAP cost of sales less direct product material cost

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# GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliation

unaudi	ted - in thousands, except per share data)	1 ( <u>1 )</u>		De	cember 31,	100	11.25
			2013	100	2012	2011	
						(R	estated)
	Net Revenues	\$	563,412	\$	635,703	\$	766,885
	Cost of revenues		223,909		249,008		261,718
	Gross Profit		339.503		386,695		505.167
	Operating Expenses		314,735		333,518		340,127
GAAP	Operating Income		24,768		53,177		165,040
3A	Interest and other expense, net		(676)		(2,041)		(1,945
•	Provision for income taxes, net		2,939		4,049		635
	Income from continuing operations, net of tax	\$	21,153	\$	47,087	\$	162,460
	Weighted-average common shares outstanding - diluted	1	39,070	100	38,836	100	38,53
	Income per share from continuing operations, net of tax - diluted	\$	0.54	\$	1.21	\$	4.22
	Cost of Revenues						
	Amortization of intangible assets		1,468		2,574		2,693
	Stock-based compensation		796		992		1,200
S	Operating Expenses						
sulf	Amortization of intangible assets		2,648		4,254		8,528
Re	Restructuring costs, net		5,370		24,838		6,534
P	Restatement costs		20,591				
χ	Acquisition and other costs				1,048		556
0	(Gain) loss on sale of assets		(125)		(252)		597
St	Stock-based compensation						
eut	R&D		581		985		1,638
ttm	Sales & Marketing		1,786		3,754		4,349
Adjustments to GAAP Results	G&A		3,752		5,700		5,42
Ac	<u>Other</u>						
	Tax adjustment		(860)		(965)		(1,579
	Net revenues		563,412		635,703		766,885
	Cost of revenues		221,645		245,441		257,824
Д	Gross Profit	900	341,767	-	390,262	-	509,061
ΑA	Operating Expenses		280,132		293,190		312,504
ā	Operating Income		61,635		97,071		196,557
Non-GAAP	Interest and other expense, net		(676)		(2,041)		(1,945
_	Provision for income taxes, net		3,799	100	5,014	100	2,214
	Income from continuing operations, net of tax		57,160	9 11 11	90,016	5	192,398
	Income per share from continuing operations, net of tax - diluted	\$	1.46	\$	2.32	\$	4.99
	Posted September 12, 2014						

# GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliation

(unaudi	ted - in thousands, except per share data)					
		M. Marie	2013		2012	2
				FAME		(Re
ъ	Non-GAAP Operating Income (from above)		61,635		97,071	
ste	Depreciation		17,837		19,846	
Adjusted EBITDA	Amortization of capitalized software development costs	PART OF THE	815		846	
A	Adjusted EBITDA	\$	80,286	\$	117,763	\$
H.	GAAP net cash (used in) provided by operating activities		(9,145)		34,709	
Cash	Capital Expenditures		(11,625)		(9,703)	
Free	Restructuring Payments		(13,151)		(19,420)	W. C.
F F	Restatement Payments		(13,161)			
	Free Cash Flow	\$	5,542	\$	44,426	\$
0	Non-GAAP Cost of Revenues		221,645		245,441	
AAF at'l	Non-GAAP Operating Expense		280,131		293,190	
n-G, n-M	Non-GAAP Operating Expense  Total Product Material Cogs	18.79.48	501,776	B AYA	538,631	
oN oN o	Product Material Cogs		107,634		137,690	1 3
	Non-GAAP Non-Material Spending	\$	394,142	\$	400,941	\$



# Appendix – Definitions

### **Operational Measures**

#### Bookings

- Bookings represents the total amount of revenue that we expect to earn over the of the agreement between Avid and a customer for goods and /or services over to course of the agreement
- To count as a booking, we expect there to be persuasive evidence of an agreem between us and our customer and that collectability of the amounts payable und arrangement to be reasonably assured
- Bookings are subject to cancellations, changes and adjustments and are based certain assumptions. Bookings may not reflect final revenue earned for a particu arrangement. Bookings do not reflect adjustments related to rebates or other sal incentive programs
- The material weaknesses in our internal control environment may impact the accorded bookings

# Bookings & Expected Revenue Timing

(unaudited - in millions)			1000	Mark Street		For the Pe	riod En	ded			
Bookings	ine 30, 2014	rch 31, 2014		mber 31, 2013	Sept	ember 30, 2013		ine 30, 2013	arch 31, 2013	Dece	ember 31, 2012
Quarterly	\$ 127.7	\$ 126.1	\$	150.4	\$	127.0	\$	120.7	\$ 125.1	\$	141.5
Last twelve months (LTM)	\$ 531.1	\$ 524.1	\$	523.1	\$	514.2	\$	510.0	\$ 531.0	\$	545.0

Revenue Backlog	December 31, 2013			
Deferred Revenue	\$ 466.8	\$	558.5	
Other Backlog	\$ 92.2	\$	51.2	
Total Revenue Backlog	\$ 559.0	\$	609.7	

The expected timing of recognition of revenue backlog as of December 31, 2013 is as follows:

Orders executed prior to January 1, 2011	
Orders executed or materially modified on or	
after January 1, 2011	

	T-12-11	100	Twelv	e Months En	ded De	cember 31,	*				
2014		2015	HOW.	2016		2017		2018	The	reafter	Total
\$ 92.3	\$	58.2	\$	24.5	\$	1.0	\$	0.1	\$	-	\$ 176.1
\$ 200.9	\$	86.7	\$	53.0	\$	27.5	\$	14.7	\$	0.1	\$ 382.9
\$ 293.2	\$	144.9	\$	77.5	\$	28.5	\$	14.8	\$	0.1	\$ 559.0