UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(in millions, except per share data)

		Quarters Ended	1	Nine Months Ended					
	September 30, 2022	July 1, 2022	October 1, 2021	September 30, 2022	October 1, 2021				
Revenue	\$ 2,192.6	\$ 2,085.0	\$ 1,742.1	\$ 6,222.6	\$ 4,893.7				
Cost of revenue (exclusive of amortization shown below)	1,134.3	1,047.9	1,021.3	3,165.9	3,011.6				
Gross profit	1,058.3	1,037.1	720.8	3,056.7	1,882.1				
Gross margin	48.3 %	49.7 %	41.4 %	49.1 %	38.5 %				
Operating expenses:									
Research and development	145.4	161.6	154.5	463.8	494.4				
Selling and marketing	69.5	73.1	68.4	213.7	223.4				
General and administrative	84.9	83.2	75.7	246.0	221.3				
Amortization of acquisition-related intangible assets	21.9	21.9	24.7	65.1	74.5				
Restructuring, asset impairments and other, net	40.3	(1.7)	(1.7)	25.6	58.3				
Goodwill and intangible asset impairment	271.8	115.0		386.8	2.9				
Total operating expenses	633.8	453.1	321.6	1,401.0	1,074.8				
Operating income	424.5	584.0	399.2	1,655.7	807.3				
Other income (expense), net:									
Interest expense	(23.7)	(22.1)	(31.9)	(67.4)	(98.4)				
Interest income	4.9	1.1	0.5	6.4	1.1				
Loss on debt refinancing and prepayment		(7.3)	_	(7.3)	(26.2)				
Gain on divestiture of business	0.2	1.9	10.2	2.1	10.2				
Other income (expense)	0.9	6.4	(5.8)	9.4	(2.4)				
Other income (expense), net	(17.7)	(20.0)	(27.0)	(56.8)	(115.7)				
Income before income taxes	406.8	564.0	372.2	1,598.9	691.6				
Income tax provision	(94.9)	(107.4)	(61.8)	(299.4)	(106.8)				
Net income	311.9	456.6	310.4	1,299.5	584.8				
Less: Net income attributable to non-controlling interest		(0.8)	(0.7)	(1.6)	(1.1)				
Net income attributable to ON Semiconductor Corporation	\$ 311.9	\$ 455.8	\$ 309.7	\$ 1,297.9	\$ 583.7				
Net income for diluted earnings per share of common stock	\$ 312.4	\$ 456.3	\$ 309.7	\$ 1,299.4	\$ 583.7				
Net income per share of common stock:	¢ 012	ф .сою	<i>Q D D D D D D D D D D</i>	·	<i>• • • • • • • • • •</i>				
Basic	\$ 0.72	\$ 1.05	\$ 0.72	\$ 2.99	\$ 1.38				
Diluted	\$ 0.70	\$ 1.02	\$ 0.70	\$ 2.90	\$ 1.32				
Weighted average common shares outstanding:									
Basic	432.9	434.2	430.6	433.5	423.8				
Diluted	448.7	447.0	440.7	448.3	443.1				
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UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(in millions)

	Sep	tember 30, 2022	July 1, 2022		De	cember 31, 2021
Assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	2,450.2	\$	1,791.6	\$	1,352.6
Receivables, net		857.3		1,138.1		809.4
Inventories		1,575.4		1,563.2		1,379.5
Assets held-for-sale		135.0				
Other current assets		291.5		292.4		240.1
Total current assets		5,309.4		4,785.3		3,781.6
Property, plant and equipment, net		2,762.1		2,709.8		2,524.3
Goodwill		1,600.4		1,815.4		1,937.5
Intangible assets, net		373.8		452.6		495.7
Deferred tax assets		409.9		375.7		366.3
Other assets		645.1		649.9		520.6
Total assets	\$	11,100.7	\$	10,788.7	\$	9,626.0
Liabilities, Non-Controlling Interest and Stockholders' Equity						
Accounts payable	\$	791.7	\$	793.8	\$	635.1
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities		766.7		754.3		747.6
Liabilities held-for-sale		37.3		_		_
Current portion of long-term debt		165.3		165.2		160.7
Total current liabilities		1,761.0		1,713.3		1,543.4
Long-term debt		3,046.5		3,047.4		2,913.9
Deferred tax liabilities		30.5		36.8		43.2
Other long-term liabilities		586.1		581.1		521.1
Total liabilities		5,424.1		5,378.6		5,021.6
ON Semiconductor Corporation stockholders' equity:						
Common stock		6.1		6.1		6.0
Additional paid-in capital		4,598.8		4,565.9		4,633.3
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(23.4)		(29.3)		(40.6)
Accumulated earnings		3,760.1		3,448.2		2,435.1
Less: Treasury stock, at cost		(2,685.6)		(2,601.4)		(2,448.4)
Total ON Semiconductor Corporation stockholders' equity		5,656.0		5,389.5		4,585.4
Non-controlling interest		20.6		20.6		19.0
Total stockholders' equity		5,676.6		5,410.1		4,604.4
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	11,100.7	\$	10,788.7	\$	9,626.0

UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(in millions)

		(Qua	rters Ended				Nine Month	s Ei	nded
	Sept	tember 30, 2022	J	uly 1, 2022	(October 1, 2021	Se	ptember 30, 2022	0	ctober 1, 2021
Cash flows from operating activities:										
Net income	\$	311.9	\$	456.6	\$	310.4	\$	1,299.5	\$	584.8
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:										
Depreciation and amortization		139.6		138.4		149.9		418.6		456.4
(Gain) loss on sale and disposal of fixed assets		(16.5)		—		2.0		(33.1)		2.3
Gain on divestiture of business		(0.2)		(1.9)		(10.2)		(2.1)		(10.2
Loss on debt refinancing and prepayment		_		7.3		_		7.3		26.2
Amortization of debt discount and issuance costs		2.6		2.8		2.9		8.6		8.0
Share-based compensation		26.9		27.1		22.7		76.5		74.1
Non-cash interest on convertible notes		_		_		7.0		_		17.6
Non-cash asset impairment charges		11.9				3.3		18.6		10.8
Goodwill and intangible asset impairment charge		271.8		115.0		_		386.8		_
Change in deferred tax balances		(71.3)		(31.6)		44.2		(64.6)		39.5
Other		(0.7)		0.8		0.2		0.6		0.2
Changes in assets and liabilities		326.4		(293.7)		(83.5)		(214.9)		(54.3
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	1,002.4	\$	420.8	\$	448.9	\$	1,901.8	\$	1,155.4
Cash flows from investing activities:										
Purchase of Property, Plant and Equipment ("PP&E")	\$	(271.1)	\$	(218.1)	\$	(93.2)	\$	(663.0)	\$	(275.0
Proceeds from sale of PP&E		20.8		1.5		_		59.0		6.6
Deposits made for purchase of PP&E		(22.3)		(33.0)		(18.7)		(53.7)		(21.5
Divestiture of business, net of cash transferred and deposits received		_		77.6		3.4		90.5		3.4
Payments related to prior acquisition		_		_		_		(2.4)		_
Purchase of available-for-sale securities		(1.7)		(8.5)		(43.8)		(18.0)		(43.8
Proceeds from sale or maturity of available-for-sale securities		10.2		10.4		2.8		24.0		2.8
Net cash used in investing activities	\$	(264.1)	\$	(170.1)	\$	(149.5)	\$	(563.6)	\$	(327.5
Cash flows from financing activities:										
Proceeds for the issuance of common stock under the ESPP	\$	5.7	\$	4.7	\$	6.2	\$	18.2	\$	18.5
Payment of tax withholding for RSUs		(4.1)		(4.5)		(2.2)		(67.4)		(34.2
Repurchase of common stock		(77.2)		(89.7)		_		(166.9)		_
Issuance and borrowings under debt agreements		_		500.0		_		500.0		787.3
Reimbursement of debt issuance costs		—		_		_		_		2.7
Payment of debt issuance and other financing costs		_		—		(0.3)		_		(3.8
Repayment of borrowings under debt agreements		(2.7)		(502.7)		(4.1)		(509.5)		(1,218.8
Payment for purchase of bond hedges		_		_		_		_		(160.3
Proceeds from issuance of warrants		—				—		—		93.8
Payments related to prior acquisition		_		_		(0.7)		_		(3.0
Payment of finance lease obligations		(1.6)		(10.9)		_		(12.5)		
Dividend to non-controlling shareholder		_				_		(2.2)		_
Net cash used in financing activities	\$	(79.9)	\$	(103.1)	\$	(1.1)	\$	(240.3)	\$	(517.8
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash		(0.6)		(1.9)		(0.2)		(3.2)		(1.0
Net increase in cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash		657.8		145.7		298.1		1,094.7		309.1
Beginning cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash		1,814.6		1,668.9		1,092.5		1,377.7		1,081.5
Ending cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash	\$	2,472.4	\$	1,814.6	\$	1,390.6	\$	2,472.4	\$	1,390.6

RECONCILIATION OF GAAP VERSUS NON-GAAP DISCLOSURES

(in millions, except per share and percentage data)

				Qua	rters Ended				Nine Mon	ths Ended		
		Sep	otember 30, 2022	Ju	ıly 1, 2022	0	ctober 1, 2021	Sej	ptember 30, 2022	0	October 1, 2021	
Reco	nciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP gross profit:											
GAA	P gross profit	\$	1,058.3	\$	1,037.1	\$	720.8	\$	3,056.7	\$	1,882.1	
Spe	cial items:											
a)	Non-recurring facility costs		—		—		2.5		—		3.2	
b)	Impact of business wind down		23.1						23.1		_	
	Total special items		23.1				2.5		23.1		3.2	
Non-	GAAP gross profit	\$	1,081.4	\$	1,037.1	\$	723.3	\$	3,079.8	\$	1,885.3	
Reco	nciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP gross margin:											
GAA	P gross margin		48.3 %		49.7 %		41.4 %		49.1 %		38.5 %	
Spe	cial items:											
a)	Non-recurring facility costs		%		%		0.1 %		— %		0.1 %	
b)	Impact of business wind down		1.1 %		<u> %</u>		%		0.4 %		%	
	Total special items		1.1 %		— %		0.1 %		0.4 %		%	
Non-	GAAP gross margin		49.3 %		49.7 %		41.5 %		49.5 %	_	38.5 %	
Reco	nciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP operating expenses:					-						
GAA	P operating expenses	\$	633.8	\$	453.1	\$	321.6	\$	1,401.0	\$	1,074.8	
Spe	cial items:											
a)	Amortization of acquisition-related intangible assets		(21.9)		(21.9)		(24.7)		(65.1)		(74.5)	
b)	Restructuring, asset impairments and other, net		(40.3)		1.7		1.7		(25.6)		(58.3)	
c)	Goodwill and intangible asset impairment		(271.8)		(115.0)		_		(386.8)		(2.9)	
d)	Third party acquisition and divestiture-related costs		(2.3)		(0.2)		(2.4)		(5.5)		(4.0)	
e)	Impact of business wind down		6.8		_		_		6.8		_	
	Total special items		(329.5)		(135.4)		(25.4)		(476.2)		(139.7)	
Non-	GAAP operating expenses	\$	304.3	\$	317.7	\$	296.2	\$	924.8	\$	935.1	
Reco	nciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP operating income:											
GAA	P operating income	\$	424.5	\$	584.0	\$	399.2	\$	1,655.7	\$	807.3	
Spe	cial items:											
a)	Non-recurring facility costs						2.5				3.2	
b)	Impact of business wind down		16.3		_		_		16.3		_	
c)	Amortization of acquisition-related intangible assets		21.9		21.9		24.7		65.1		74.5	
d)	Restructuring, asset impairments and other, net		40.3		(1.7)		(1.7)		25.6		58.3	
e)	Goodwill and intangible asset impairment		271.8		115.0		_		386.8		2.9	
f)	Third party acquisition and divestiture-related costs		2.3		0.2		2.4		5.5		4.0	
,	Total special items		352.6		135.4		27.9	-	499.3		142.9	
Non-	GAAP operating income	\$	777.1	\$	719.4	\$	427.1	\$	2,155.0	\$	950.2	
Reco	nciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP operating margin <i>ating income / revenue</i>):											
GAA	P operating margin		19.4 %		28.0 %		22.9 %		26.6 %		16.5 %	
	cial items:											
a)	Non-recurring facility costs		— %		— %		0.1 %		— %		0.1 %	
b)	Impact of business wind down		0.7 %		%		%		0.3 %		%	
c)	Amortization of acquisition-related intangible assets		1.0 %		1.1 %		1.4 %		1.0 %		1.5 %	
d)	Restructuring, asset impairments and other, net		1.8 %		(0.1)%		(0.1)%		0.4 %		1.2 %	
e)	Goodwill and intangible asset impairment		12.4 %		5.5 %		— %		6.2 %		0.1 %	
f)	Third party acquisition and divestiture-related costs		0.1 %		%		0.1 %		0.1 %		0.1 %	
-)	Total special items		16.0 %		6.5 %		1.6 %		8.0 %		2.9 %	
Non-	GAAP operating margin		35.4 %		34.5 %		24.5 %		34.6 %		19.4 %	
	nciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP income before income	e	JJ.7 70		5-1.5 70		21.3 70		54.0 70		17.T /	

RECONCILIATION OF GAAP VERSUS NON-GAAP DISCLOSURES (Continued)

(in millions, except per share and percentage data)

				Qua	rters Endec	I		Nine Mo	ne Months Ended		
		Sep	tember 30, 2022	Ju	ly 1, 2022	0	ctober 1, 2021	Sej	otember 30, 2022	0	october 1, 2021
Spe	cial items:										
a)	Non-recurring facility costs		_		_		2.5		_		3.2
b)	Impact of business wind down		16.3		_		_		16.3		_
b)	Amortization of acquisition-related intangible assets		21.9		21.9		24.7		65.1		74.5
			40.3						25.6		58.3
c) d)	Restructuring, asset impairments and other, net Goodwill and intangible asset impairment		271.8		(1.7) 115.0		(1.7)		386.8		2.9
u) e)	Third party acquisition and divestiture-related costs		2.3		0.2		2.4		5.5		4.0
e) f)	Loss on debt refinancing and prepayment		2.3		7.3		2.4		7.3		26.2
g)	Actuarial losses on pension plans and other pension benefits		_				5.5				5.5
h)	Non-cash interest on convertible notes						7.0		_		17.6
i)	Gain on divestiture of business		(0.2)		(1.9)		(10.2)		(2.1)		(10.2
1)	Total special items		352.4		140.8		30.2		504.5		182.0
Jon-	GAAP income before income taxes	\$	759.2	\$	704.8	\$	402.4	\$	2,103.4	\$	873.6
Reco	bucket before income taxes buciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP net income butable to ON Semiconductor Corporation:	\$	139.2		704.8	ф —	402.4		2,103.4		075.0
ЪАА	P net income attributable to ON Semiconductor oration	\$	311.9	\$	455.8	\$	309.7	\$	1,297.9	\$	583.7
	cial items:										
a)	Non-recurring facility costs		_		_		2.5		_		3.2
b)	Impact of business wind down		16.3		_				16.3		_
b)	Amortization of acquisition-related intangible assets		21.9		21.9		24.7		65.1		74.5
c)	Restructuring, asset impairments and other, net		40.3		(1.7)		(1.7)		25.6		58.3
d)	Goodwill and intangible asset impairment		271.8		115.0				386.8		2.9
e)	Third party acquisition and divestiture-related costs		2.3		0.2		2.4		5.5		4.(
-)	Actuarial losses on pension plans and other pension										
f)	benefits		_		_		5.5		_		5.5
f)	Loss on debt refinancing and prepayment		—		7.3		—		7.3		26.2
g)	Non-cash interest on convertible notes		—		—		7.0		—		17.6
h)	Gain on divestiture of a business		(0.2)		(1.9)		(10.2)		(2.1)		(10.2
i)	Adjustment of income taxes		(24.9)		(7.3)		40.4		(35.1)		41.7
	Total special items		327.5		133.5		70.6		469.4		223.7
	GAAP net income attributable to ON Semiconductor oration	\$	639.4	\$	589.3	\$	380.3	\$	1,767.3	\$	807.4
١dju	istment of income taxes:			•		-		-		-	
ax a	adjustment for special items (1)	\$	(74.0)	\$	(5.4)	\$	(6.3)	\$	(105.9)	\$	(38.2
Othe	r non-GAAP tax adjustment (2)		49.1		(1.9)		46.7		70.8		79.9
	Total adjustment of income taxes	\$	(24.9)	\$	(7.3)	\$	40.4	\$	(35.1)	\$	41.7
зАА	P net income for diluted earnings per share	\$	312.4	\$	456.3	\$	309.7	\$	1,299.4	\$	583.7
	GAAP net income for diluted earnings per share	\$	639.9	\$	589.8	\$	380.3	\$	1,768.8	\$	807.4
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	nciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP diluted shares tanding:										
ЪАА	P diluted shares outstanding		448.7		447.0		440.7		448.3		443.1
Spe	cial items:										
a)	Less: dilutive shares attributable to convertible notes		(7.9)		(5.4)		(5.0)		(6.7)		(8.9
	Total special items		(7.9)		(5.4)		(5.0)	_	(6.7)		(8.9
Jon-	GAAP diluted shares outstanding		440.8		441.6		435.7		441.6		434.2
	GAAP diluted earnings per share:	<i>•</i>	(22.2	¢	5 00 0	¢	200.2	ć	1.5(0.0	¢	0.07
√on-	GAAP net income for diluted earnings per share	\$	639.9	\$	589.8	\$	380.3	\$	1,768.8	\$	807.4

RECONCILIATION OF GAAP VERSUS NON-GAAP DISCLOSURES (Continued)

(in millions, except per share and percentage data)

			Qua	rters Ended	Nine Months Ended					
	Sep	September 30, 2022		July 1, 2022		ctober 1, 2021	September 30, 2022		0	october 1, 2021
Non-GAAP diluted shares outstanding	_	440.8		441.6		435.7		441.6		434.2
Non-GAAP diluted earnings per share	\$	1.45	\$	1.34	\$	0.87	\$	4.01	\$	1.86
Reconciliation of net cash provided by operating activities to free cash flow:										
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	1,002.4	\$	420.8	\$	448.9	\$	1,901.8	\$	1,155.4
Special items:										
a) Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(271.1)		(218.1)		(93.2)		(663.0)		(275.0)
Total special items		(271.1)		(218.1)		(93.2)		(663.0)		(275.0)
Free cash flow	\$	731.3	\$	202.7	\$	355.7	\$	1,238.8	\$	880.4

		ember 31, 2021	Ар	ril 1, 2022	Ju	ly 1, 2022	Sej	otember 30, 2022	LTM
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	626.6	\$	478.6	\$	420.8	\$	1,002.4	\$ 2,528.4
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(169.6)		(173.8)		(218.1)		(271.1)	(832.6)
Free cash flow	\$	457.0	\$	304.8	\$	202.7	\$	731.3	\$ 1,695.8
Revenue	\$	1,846.1	\$	1,945.0	\$	2,085.0	\$	2,192.6	\$ 8,068.7

(1) Tax impact of non-GAAP special items (a-h) is calculated using the federal statutory rate of 21% for all periods presented.

(2) For the periods related to the year ended December 31, 2021, the income tax adjustment primarily represents the use of the net operating loss, non-cash impact of not asserting indefinite reinvestment on earnings of our foreign subsidiaries, deferred tax expense not affecting taxes payable, and non-cash expense (benefit) related to uncertain tax positions. For the periods related to the year ended December 31, 2022, the income tax adjustment primarily relates to discrete tax and other non-GAAP adjustments.

Certain of the amounts in the above tables may not total due to rounding of individual amounts.

Total share-based compensation related to restricted stock units, stock grant awards and the employee stock purchase plan is included below:

			ers Ended		ided					
	1	mber 30, 022	July	1, 2022	C	october 1, 2021	1	ember 30, 2022	0	ctober 1, 2021
Cost of revenue	\$	3.2	\$	3.1	\$	3.6	\$	8.9	\$	11.8
Research and development		4.9		5.2		5.4		14.5		18.4
Selling and marketing		4.1		4.3		3.7		12.2		12.5
General and administrative		14.7		14.5		10.0		40.9		31.4
Total share-based compensation	\$	26.9	\$	27.1	\$	22.7	\$	76.5	\$	74.1

SUPPLEMENTAL FINANCIAL DATA

			Qu	arters Ended	Nine Months Ended					
	Sep	tember 30, 2022	J	July 1, 2022	(October 1, 2021	Se	ptember 30, 2022		October 1, 2021
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	1,002.4	\$	420.8	\$	448.9	\$	1,901.8	\$	1,155.4
Free cash flow		731.3		202.7		355.7		1,238.8		880.4
Cash paid for income taxes		126.7		187.1		21.4		329.5		65.1
Depreciation and amortization	\$	139.6	\$	138.4	\$	149.9	\$	418.6	\$	456.4
Less: Amortization of acquisition-related intangible assets		21.9		21.9	_	24.7		65.1		74.5
Depreciation and amortization (excl. amortization of acquisition- related intangible assets)	\$	117.7	\$	116.5	\$	125.2	\$	353.5	\$	381.9

NON-GAAP MEASURES

To supplement the consolidated financial results prepared in accordance with GAAP, onsemi uses certain non-GAAP measures, which are adjusted from the most directly comparable GAAP measures to exclude items related to the amortization of acquisitionrelated intangibles, expensing of appraised inventory fair market value step-up, inventory valuation adjustments, purchased inprocess research and development expenses, restructuring, asset impairments and other, net, goodwill impairment charges, gains and losses on debt prepayment, non-cash interest expense, actuarial (gains) losses on pension plans and other pension benefits, third party acquisition and divestiture-related costs, tax impact of these items and certain other non-recurring items, as necessary. Management does not consider the effects of these items in evaluating the core operational activities of onsemi. Management uses these non-GAAP measures internally to make strategic decisions, forecast future results and evaluate onsemi's current performance. In addition, the Company believes that most analysts covering onsemi use the non-GAAP measures to evaluate onsemi's performance. Given management's and other relevant parties' use of these non-GAAP measures, onsemi believes these measures are important to investors in understanding onsemi's current and future operating results as seen through the eyes of management. In addition, management believes these non-GAAP measures are useful to investors in enabling them to better assess changes in onsemi's core business across different time periods. These non-GAAP measures are not prepared in accordance with, and should not be considered alternatives or necessarily superior to, GAAP financial data and may be different from non-GAAP measures used by other companies. Because non-GAAP financial measures are not standardized, it may not be possible to compare these financial measures with other companies' non-GAAP financial measures, even if they have similar names.

Non-GAAP Revenue

The use of non-GAAP revenue allows management to evaluate, among other things, the revenue from the Company's core businesses and trends across different reporting periods on a consistent basis, independent of special items. In addition, non-GAAP revenue is an important component of management's internal performance measurement and incentive and reward process as it is used to assess the current and historical financial results of the business and for strategic decision making, preparing budgets, obtaining targets and forecasting future results. Management presents this non-GAAP financial measure to enable investors and analysts to evaluate the Company's revenue generation performance relative to the direct costs of operations of onsemi's core businesses.

Non-GAAP Gross Profit and Gross Margin

The use of non-GAAP gross profit and gross margin allows management to evaluate, among other things, the gross margin and gross profit of the Company's core businesses and trends across different reporting periods on a consistent basis, independent of non-cash items including, generally speaking, expensing of appraised inventory fair market value step-up, impact of business wind down and non-recurring facility costs. In addition, it is an important component of management's internal performance measurement and incentive and reward process as it is used to assess the current and historical financial results of the business and for strategic decision making, preparing budgets, obtaining targets and forecasting future results. Management presents this non-GAAP financial measure to enable investors and analysts to evaluate our revenue generation performance relative to the direct costs of revenue of onsemi's core businesses.

Non-GAAP Operating Income and Operating Margin

The use of non-GAAP operating income and operating margin allows management to evaluate, among other things, the operating margin and operating income of the Company's core businesses and trends across different reporting periods on a consistent basis, independent of non-cash items including, generally speaking, expensing of appraised inventory fair market value step-up, impact of business wind down, non-recurring facility costs, amortization and impairments of intangible assets, third party acquisition and divestiture-related costs, restructuring charges and certain other special items as necessary. In addition, it is an important component of management's internal performance measurement and incentive and reward process as it is used to assess the current and historical financial results of the business and for strategic decision making, preparing budgets, obtaining targets and forecasting future results. Management presents this non-GAAP financial measure to enable investors and analysts to evaluate the Company's revenue generation performance relative to the direct costs of operations of onsemi's core businesses.

Non-GAAP Net Income Attributable to onsemi and Non-GAAP Diluted Earnings Per Share

NON-GAAP MEASURES (Continued)

The use of non-GAAP net income attributable to onsemi and non-GAAP diluted earnings per share allows management to evaluate the operating results of onsemi's core businesses and trends across different reporting periods on a consistent basis, independent of non-cash items including, generally, the amortization and impairments of intangible assets, expensing of appraised inventory fair market value step-up, impact of business wind down, non-recurring facility costs, restructuring, gains and losses on debt prepayment, non-cash interest expense, actuarial (gains) losses on pension plans and other pension benefits, third party acquisition and divestiture-related costs, discrete tax items and other non-GAAP tax adjustments and certain other special items, as necessary. In addition, these items are important components of management's internal performance measurement and incentive and reward process, as they are used to assess the current and historical financial results of the business and for strategic decision making, preparing budgets, setting targets and forecasting future results. Management presents these non-GAAP financial measures to enable investors and analysts to understand the results of operations of onsemi's core businesses and, to the extent comparable, to compare our results of operations on a more consistent basis against those of other companies in our industry.

Free Cash Flow

The use of free cash flow allows management to evaluate, among other things, the ability of the Company to make interest or principal payments on its debt. Free cash flow is defined as the difference between cash flow from operating activities and capital expenditures disclosed under investing activities in the consolidated statement of cash flows. Free cash flow is not an alternative to cash flow from operating activities as a measure of liquidity. It is an important component of management's internal performance measurement and incentive and reward process as it is used to assess the current and historical financial results of the business and for strategic decision making, preparing budgets, obtaining targets and forecasting future results. Management presents this non-GAAP financial measure to enable investors and analysts to evaluate our revenue generation performance relative to the direct costs of operations of onsemi's core businesses.

Non-GAAP Diluted Share Count

The use of non-GAAP diluted share count allows management to evaluate, among other things, the potential dilution due to the outstanding restricted stock units excluding the dilution from the convertible notes that is covered by hedging activity up to a certain threshold. In periods when the quarterly average stock price per share exceeds \$20.72 for the 1.625% Notes and \$52.97 for the 0% Notes, the non-GAAP diluted share count includes the anti-dilutive impact of the Company's hedge transactions issued concurrently with the 1.625% Notes and the 0% Notes, respectively. At an average stock price per share between \$20.72 and \$30.70 for the 1.625% Notes and \$52.97 and \$74.34 for the 0% Notes, the hedging activity offsets the potentially dilutive effect of the 1.625% Notes and 0% Notes, respectively. In periods when the quarterly average stock price exceeds \$30.70 for the 1.625% Notes are included in the diluted shares outstanding.