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# SCANSOURCE REPORTS THIRD QUARTER RESULTS Specialty distributor achieves 27% revenue growth

**GREENVILLE, SC** -- April 22, 2010—ScanSource, Inc. (NASDAQ:SCSC), a leading international distributor of AIDC (automatic identification and data capture), point of sale, communications, and electronic security products for the reseller market, today announced complete financial results for its third quarter ended March 31, 2010.

#### Quarter ended March 31, 2010:

Net sales	\$496 million
Net income	\$12.0 million
<b>Diluted EPS</b>	\$0.45 per share

"We were pleased with the improving widespread demand in our POS/AIDC business; however, revenues were less than expected due to product shortages," said Mike Baur, CEO, ScanSource, Inc. "Although our Communications business had significant year over year revenue growth, the March quarter demand was weaker than expected."

For the quarter ended March 31, 2010, net sales increased 27.3% to \$496 million compared to \$390 million for the quarter ended March 31, 2009. Operating income also increased by 25.5% to \$19.0 million from \$15.1 million in the comparable prior year quarter. Net income increased 30.2% to \$12.0 million for the quarter ended March 31, 2010 versus \$9.2 million for the quarter ended March

31, 2009. The effective tax rate for the quarter was 36.5%, compared to 37.6% for the prior year quarter. Diluted earnings per share increased 28.6% to \$0.45 in the current quarter compared to \$0.35 in the prior year quarter.

### **Outlook for Next Quarter**

The Company announced its net revenue outlook for the fourth quarter of fiscal 2010. ScanSource expects net revenues for the June 2010 quarter could range from \$530 million to \$550 million.

#### Safe Harbor Statement

This press release contains comments that are "forward looking" statements that involve risks and uncertainties; these statements are subject to the safe harbor created by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. The statements in this press release are made as of the date hereof even if subsequently made available on ScanSource's website or otherwise. ScanSource does not assume any obligation to update the forward looking statements provided to reflect events that occur or circumstances that exist after the date on which they were made. Any number of important factors could cause actual results to differ materially from anticipated results, including, but not limited to macroeconomic circumstances that could impact our business, such as currency fluctuations, continued adverse capital and credit market conditions and a prolonged economic downturn. For more information concerning factors that could cause actual results to differ from anticipated results, see the Company's annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2009 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

## **About ScanSource**

ScanSource, Inc. (NASDAQ:SCSC) is a leading international distributor of specialty technology products, consisting of seven sales units in North America, Latin America and Europe. ScanSource POS and Barcoding in North America, Latin America and Europe delivers AIDC and POS solutions; Catalyst Telecom in the U.S. and ScanSource Communications in North America and Europe, provide voice, video and converged communications equipment; and ScanSource Security in North America offers physical security solutions. Founded in 1992, the company ranks #854 on the Fortune 1000. For more information, call the toll-free sales telephone number at 800.944.2432 or visit www.scansourceinc.com.

## ScanSource , Inc. and Subsidiaries Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (Unaudited) (in thousands)

	Μ	larch 31, 2010	June 30, 2009*			
Assets						
Current assets:						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	29,677	\$	127,664		
Trade & notes receivable		326,773		291,037		
Other receivables		5,624		7,676		
Inventories		312,532		216,829		
Prepaid expenses and other assets		13,155		10,356		
Deferred income taxes		7,881		8,735		
Total current assets		695,642		662,297		
Property and equipment, net		22,677		21,035		
Goodwill		33,219		34,087		
Other assets, including identifiable intangible assets		35,259		31,212		
Total assets	\$	786,797	\$	748,631		
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity						
Current liabilities:						
Current portion of long-term debt	\$	-	\$	-		
Trade accounts payable		225,695		228,408		
Accrued expenses and other liabilities		35,217		30,443		
Income taxes payable		4,317	3,799			
Total current liabilities		265,229		262,650		
Deferred income taxes		-		-		
Long-term debt		30,429		30,429		
Borrowings under revolving credit facility		-		-		
Other long-term liabilities		12,956	10,106			
Total liabilities		308,614		303,185		
Shareholder's equity:						
Common stock		109,790		104,461		
Retained earnings		372,585		337,822		
Accumulated other comprehensive income		(4,192)		3,163		
Total shareholders' equity		478,183		445,446		
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$	786,797	\$	748,631		

\* Derived from audited financial statements at June 30, 2009.

#### Condensed Consolidated Income Statements (Unaudited) (in thousands, except per share information)

	Quarter ended March 31,				Nine months ended March 31,			
		2010		2009		2010		2009
Net sales	\$	496,102	\$	389,815	\$	1,532,637	\$	1,406,733
Cost of goods sold		441,711		342,280		1,370,532		1,251,368
Gross profit		54,391		47,535		162,105		155,365
Operating expenses:								
Selling, general and administrative expenses		35,414		32,418		107,312		101,225
Operating income		18,977		15,117		54,793		54,140
Other expense (income):								
Interest expense		377		609		1,107		1,810
Interest income		(474)		(344)		(1,159)		(1,119)
Other, net		156		54		99		(2,228)
Other expense (income)		59		319		47		(1,537)
Income before income taxes		18,918		14,798		54,746		55,677
Provision for income taxes		6,904		5,569		19,982		20,493
Net income	\$	12,014	\$	9,229	\$	34,764	\$	35,184
Per share data:								
Net income per common share, basic	\$	0.45	\$	0.35	\$	1.31	\$	1.33
Weighted-average shares outstanding, basic		26,608		26,463	_	26,583		26,412
Net income per common share, diluted	\$	0.45	\$	0.35	\$	1.30	\$	1.32
Weighted-average shares outstanding, diluted		26,884		26,565	_	26,844		26,572