APPLIED INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGIES INC

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE

SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended DECEMBER 31, 2013

OR

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

For the transition period from to

Commission File Number 1-2299

APPLIED INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio

Ohio 34-0117420
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) Identification Number)

One Applied Plaza, Cleveland, Ohio 44115 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (216) 426-4000

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes x

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes x No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer x Accelerated filer o

Non-accelerated filer o (Do not check if a smaller reporting company o Smaller reporting company o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).

Yes o No x

There were 41,965,748 (no par value) shares of common stock outstanding on January 15, 2014.

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#### PART I: FINANCIAL INFORMATION

#### ITEM I: FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## APPLIED INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF CONSOLIDATED INCOME (Unaudited)

(In thousands, except per share amounts)

	Three Mont December 3		Six Months Ended December 31,			
	2013	2012	2013	2012		
Net Sales	\$581,949	\$589,517	\$1,187,254	\$1,200,036		
Cost of Sales	418,566	426,598	854,076	872,584		
Gross Profit	163,383	162,919	333,178	327,452		
Selling, Distribution and Administrative, including depreciation	123,546	122,350	253,802	242,565		
Operating Income	39,837	40,569	79,376	84,887		
Interest (Income) Expense, net	(152)	15	(91)	40		
Other Income, net	(270)	(427)	(1,361)	(886)		
Income Before Income Taxes	40,259	40,981	80,828	85,733		
Income Tax Expense	14,350	13,938	28,075	29,158		
Net Income	\$25,909	\$27,043	\$52,753	\$56,575		
Net Income Per Share - Basic	\$0.62	\$0.64	\$1.25	\$1.35		
Net Income Per Share - Diluted	\$0.61	\$0.64	\$1.24	\$1.33		
Cash dividends per common share	\$0.23	\$0.21	\$0.46	\$0.42		
Weighted average common shares outstanding for basic computation	42,076	42,052	42,116	42,009		
Dilutive effect of potential common shares	386	442	431	477		
Weighted average common shares outstanding for diluted computation	42,462	42,494	42,547	42,486		
See notes to condensed consolidated financial statements						

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# APPLIED INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF CONSOLIDATED COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (Unaudited) (In thousands)

	Three Mo Decembe 2013		,		Six Months December 3 2013		
Net income per the condensed statements of consolidated income	\$25,909		\$27,043		\$52,753		\$56,575
Other comprehensive income (loss), before tax:							
Foreign currency translation adjustments	(7,410	)	(594	)	(6,860	)	8,408
Postemployment benefits:							
Reclassification of actuarial losses and prior service cost into SD&A expense and included in net periodic pension costs	96		218		191		436
Unrealized gain (loss) on investment securities available for sale	65				99		23
Total of other comprehensive income (loss), before tax	(7,249	)	(376	)	(6,570	)	8,867
Income tax expense related to items of other comprehensive income	61		85		109		179
Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax	(7,310	)	(461	)	(6,679	)	8,688
Comprehensive income, net of tax	\$18,599		\$26,582		\$46,074		\$65,263
See notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.							

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## APPLIED INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(Unaudited)

(In thousands)

	December 31, 2013	June 30, 2013	
ASSETS	2013	2013	
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$66,584	\$73,164	
Accounts receivable, less allowances of \$7,335 and \$7,737	305,936	329,880	
Inventories	323,257	281,417	
Other current assets	54,702	52,819	
Total current assets	750,479	737,280	
Property, less accumulated depreciation of \$163,179 and \$157,506	80,056	83,243	
Intangibles, net	91,669	91,267	
Goodwill	111,356	106,849	
Deferred tax assets	20,463	21,026	
Other assets	20,136	19,041	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,074,159	\$1,058,706	
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Current liabilities			
Accounts payable	\$140,869	\$136,575	
Short-term debt	15,000	_	
Compensation and related benefits	48,769	63,899	
Other current liabilities	46,216	45,426	
Total current liabilities	250,854	245,900	
Postemployment benefits	25,405	30,919	
Other liabilities	24,421	22,272	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	300,680	299,091	
Shareholders' Equity			
Preferred stock—no par value; 2,500 shares authorized; none issued or outstanding			
Common stock—no par value; 80,000 shares authorized; 54,213 shares issued	10,000	10,000	
Additional paid-in capital	155,299	153,893	
Income retained for use in the business	857,638	824,362	
Treasury shares—at cost (12,224 and 12,044 shares)	, ,	(225,219	)
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)		(3,421	)
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	773,479	759,615	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$1,074,159	\$1,058,706	
See notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.			

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#### APPLIED INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOWS (Unaudited)

(In thousands)

Cash Flows from Operating Activities  Net income \$52,753 \$56,575  Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:  Depreciation and amortization of property 6,792 6,036  Amortization of intangibles 6,330 6,207
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Unrealized foreign exchange transactions gain (loss) 79 (620)
Amortization of stock options and appreciation rights 931 1,197
Gain on sale of property (10 ) (193 )
Other share-based compensation expense 2,286 1,982
Changes in operating assets and liabilities, net of acquisitions (36,996) (42,766)
Other, net 498 468
Net Cash provided by Operating Activities 32,663 28,886
Cash Flows from Investing Activities
Property purchases (4,126 ) (6,843 )
Proceeds from property sales 324 429
Net cash paid for acquisition of businesses, net of cash acquired (17,000 ) (66,055 )
Net Cash used in Investing Activities (20,802) (72,469)
Cash Flows from Financing Activities
Borrowings under revolving credit facility 15,000 33,000
Purchases of treasury shares (13,838 ) —
Dividends paid (19,471 ) (17,737 )
Excess tax benefits from share-based compensation 2,057 1,461
Acquisition holdback payments (1,032 ) (1,845 )
Exercise of stock options and appreciation rights 97 497
Net Cash provided by (used in) Financing Activities (17,187) 15,376
Effect of Exchange Rate Changes on Cash (1,254) 1,610
Decrease in Cash and Cash Equivalents (6,580 ) (26,597 )
Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Period 73,164 78,442
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Period \$66,584 \$51,845

See notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

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APPLIED INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Amounts in thousands, except per share amounts) (Unaudited)

#### 1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America for interim financial information and with the instructions to Form 10-Q and Regulation S-X. Accordingly, they do not include all of the information and footnotes required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America for complete financial statements. In the opinion of management, all adjustments (consisting of normal recurring adjustments) considered necessary for a fair presentation of the financial position of Applied Industrial Technologies, Inc. (the "Company", or "Applied") as of December 31, 2013, and the results of its operations for the three and six month periods ended December 31, 2013 and 2012 and its cash flows for the six months ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, have been included. The condensed consolidated balance sheet as of June 30, 2013 has been derived from the audited consolidated financial statements at that date. This Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q should be read in conjunction with the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2013.

Operating results for the three and six month periods ended December 31, 2013 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the remainder of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2014.

Change in Accounting Principle - Alignment of Canadian Subsidiary Reporting

Effective July 1, 2013, the Company aligned the consolidation of the Company's Canadian subsidiary in the consolidated financial statements which previously included results on a one month reporting lag. The Company believes that this change in accounting principle is preferable as it provides contemporaneous reporting within our consolidated financial statements. In accordance with applicable accounting literature, the elimination of a one month reporting lag of a subsidiary is treated as a change in accounting principle and requires retrospective application. The Company has determined that the effect of this change is not material to the financial statements for all periods presented and therefore, the Company has not presented retrospective application of this change. The net impact of the lag elimination of \$1.2 million of income for the month of June 2013 has been included within "Other (Income) Expense, net" on the Statement of Consolidated Income for the six months ended December 31, 2013. The three months ended December 31, 2013 reflect the same results, had the financial statements been retrospectively adjusted. The six months ended December 31, 2013 reflect the same results, had the financial statements been retrospectively adjusted, with the exception of net income which would have decreased \$1.2 million. Net sales, operating income and net income for the three months ended December 31, 2012, would have decreased by \$1.4 million, \$0.4 million and \$0.3 million respectively had the financial statements been retrospectively adjusted. Net sales, operating income and net income for the six months ended December 31, 2012, would have decreased by \$2.9 million, \$1.2 million and \$1.2 million respectively had the financial statements been retrospectively adjusted.

The Company uses the last-in, first-out (LIFO) method of valuing U.S. inventories. An actual valuation of inventory under the LIFO method can be made only at the end of each year based on the inventory levels and costs at that time. Accordingly, interim LIFO calculations are based on management's estimates of expected year-end inventory levels and costs and are subject to the final year-end LIFO inventory determination.

#### Reclassifications

Certain reclassifications have been made to the prior year financial statements to conform to the 2014 presentation.

#### 2. BUSINESS COMBINATIONS

In December 2013, the Company acquired substantially all of the net assets of Texas Oilpatch Services Corporation, a Texas distributor of bearings, oil seals, power transmission products, and related replacement parts to the oilfield industry. The acquired business is included in the Service Center Based Distribution segment from December 31, 2013.

The results of operations for this acquisition are not material for any period presented.

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#### 3. GOODWILL AND INTANGIBLES

The changes in the carrying amount of goodwill for the six month period ended December 31, 2013 are as follows:

	Service Center	Fluid Power	Total	
	<b>Based Distribution</b>	Businesses	Total	
Balance at July 1, 2013	\$105,920	\$929	\$106,849	
Goodwill acquired during the period	5,590		5,590	
Other, primarily currency translation	(1,083)		(1,083	)
Balance at December 31, 2013	\$110,427	\$929	\$111,356	

At December 31, 2013, accumulated goodwill impairment losses, subsequent to fiscal year 2002, totaled \$36,605 and related to the Fluid Power Businesses segment.

The Company's intangible assets resulting from business combinations are amortized over their estimated period of benefit and consist of the following:

December 31, 2013	Amount	Accumulated Amortization	Net Book Value
Finite-Lived Intangibles: Customer relationships	\$107,226	\$43,022	\$64,204
Trade names	26,486	9,436	17,050
Vendor relationships	15,297	5,977	9,320
Non-competition agreements	2,789	1,694	1,095
Total Intangibles	\$151,798	\$60,129	\$91,669
June 30, 2013	Amount	Accumulated Amortization	Net Book Value
June 30, 2013 Finite-Lived Intangibles:	Amount		
•	Amount \$100,854		
Finite-Lived Intangibles:		Amortization	Value
Finite-Lived Intangibles: Customer relationships	\$100,854	Amortization \$38,844	Value \$62,010
Finite-Lived Intangibles: Customer relationships Trade names	\$100,854 26,690	Amortization \$38,844 8,643	Value \$62,010 18,047

Amounts include the impact of foreign currency translation. Fully amortized amounts are written off.

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During the six month period ended December 31, 2013, the Company acquired intangible assets with a preliminary acquisition cost allocation and weighted-average life as follows:

	Acquisition Cost	Weighted-Average
	Allocation	Life
Customer relationships	\$7,000	20 years
Trade names	120	5 years
Non-competition agreements	250	5 years
Total Intangibles Acquired	\$7,370	19 years

Estimated future amortization expense by fiscal year (based on the Company's intangible assets as of December 31, 2013) is as follows: \$6,500 for the remainder of 2014, \$12,000 for 2015, \$11,000 for 2016, \$10,200 for 2017, \$9,000 for 2018 and \$8,000 for 2019.

#### **4. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS**

Marketable securities measured at fair value at December 31, 2013 and June 30, 2013 totaled \$11,582 and \$10,483. These marketable securities are held in a rabbi trust for a non-qualified deferred compensation plan. The marketable securities are included in other assets on the condensed consolidated balance sheets and their fair values were based upon quoted market prices (Level 1 in the fair value hierarchy).

#### 5. SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)

Changes in the accumulated other comprehensive income (loss), are comprised of the following:

	Three Months Ended December 31, 2013									
	Foreign currency translation adjustment		Unrealized gain (loss) on securities available for sale	1	Postemployment benefits		Total Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)			
Balance at September 30, 2013	\$910		\$(29	)	\$(3,671	)	\$(2,790	)		
Other comprehensive income (loss)	(7,410	)	42				(7,368	)		
Amounts reclassified from accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	_		_		58		58			
Net current-period other comprehensive income (loss), net of taxes	(7,410	)	42		58		(7,310	)		
Balance at December 31, 2013	\$(6,500	)	\$13		\$(3,613	)	\$(10,100	)		

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	Six Months Ended December 31, 2013							
	Foreign currency translation adjustment		Unrealized gain (loss) on securities available for sale		Postemployment benefits		Total Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	
Balance at July 1, 2013	\$360		\$(52	)	\$(3,729	)	\$(3,421	)
Other comprehensive income (loss)	(6,860	)	65				(6,795	)
Amounts reclassified from accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	_		_		116		116	
Net current-period other comprehensive income (loss), net of taxes	(6,860	)	65		116		(6,679	)
Balance at December 31, 2013	\$(6,500	)	\$13		\$(3,613	)	\$(10,100	)

Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)

Details of other comprehensive income (loss) are as follows:

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	Three Mon	nths Ended I	December 31,	ı		
	2013			2012		
	Pre-Tax Amount	Tax Expense (Benefit)	Net Amount	Pre-Tax Amount	Tax Expense (Benefit)	Net Amount
Foreign currency translation adjustments Postemployment benefits:	\$(7,410	\$	\$(7,410)	\$(594)	\$—	\$(594)