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DENTSPLY International Reports Fourth Quarter and Fiscal 2013 Results

- Fiscal 2013 adjusted earnings per diluted share grew 6% to \$2.35
- Fourth quarter 2013 adjusted earnings per diluted share grew 9% to \$0.61
- Operating cash flow for fiscal 2013 grew 13% to a record \$418 million

York, PA - February 18, 2014 - DENTSPLY International Inc. (NASDAQ: XRAY) today announced sales and earnings for the three months and year ended December 31, 2013.

Fourth Quarter Results

Net sales in the fourth quarter of 2013 of \$753.7 million increased slightly from \$753.3 million in the fourth quarter of 2012. Net sales, excluding precious metals content, of \$713.7 million increased 1.5% from \$703.5 million in the fourth quarter of 2012. This growth primarily reflects constant currency growth in the U.S. and Rest of World regions in the period, while European sales contracted slightly.

Net income attributable to DENTSPLY International for the fourth quarter of 2013 was \$74.4 million, or \$0.51 per diluted share, compared to \$126.8 million, or \$0.88 per diluted share in the fourth quarter of 2012. On an adjusted basis, excluding certain items, earnings increased to \$0.61 per diluted share from \$0.56 per diluted share in the fourth quarter of 2012. A reconciliation of the non-GAAP measure to earnings per share calculated on a GAAP basis is provided in the attached table.

Full Year Results

Net sales for the full year 2013 were \$2.95 billion, an increase of 0.8% from the prior year. Net sales in 2013, excluding precious metal content, were \$2.77 billion, a 2.1% increase over 2012, reflecting positive constant currency growth in each of DENTSPLY's major geographic regions which include the United States, Europe, and Rest of World.

Net income attributable to DENTSPLY International for fiscal 2013 was \$313.2 million, or \$2.16 per diluted share, compared to \$314.2 million, or \$2.18 per diluted share for 2012. On an adjusted basis, excluding certain items, earnings of \$2.35 per diluted share increased 6% from \$2.22 per diluted share in 2012. A reconciliation of this non-GAAP measure to earnings per share on a GAAP basis is provided on the attached table.

Bret Wise, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, stated "We continue to be pleased with the progress we have made in accelerating earnings growth over the past few quarters, as we realize benefits from our integration and cost savings activities. Looking ahead, we see opportunities to continue to drive market share growth across our global portfolio by leveraging our core strategies of innovation, clinical education and sales force effectiveness. We believe that global market conditions will improve slightly in 2014 and, accordingly, we are expecting adjusted earnings in the range of \$2.45 to \$2.55 per share, representing growth in the range of 4% to 9% for the year."

Additional Information

A conference call is scheduled to begin today at 8:30 a.m. (Eastern Time). Supplemental materials for reference during the call will be available for download in the investor relations section of DENTSPLY's web site, at www.dentsply.com.

A live webcast will be accessible via a link in the investor relations section of DENTSPLY's web site at <u>www.dentsply.com</u> under the heading Events and Presentations. In order to participate in the call, dial (877) 591-4953 for domestic calls, or (719) 325-4869 for international calls. The Conference ID # is 2189325. During the call, participants will be able to discuss fourth quarter and fiscal 2013 results with DENTSPLY's Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Bret Wise, President and Chief Financial Officer, Mr. Chris Clark, and Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, Mr. Jim Mosch.

A rebroadcast of the conference call will be available online at the DENTSPLY web site. You may also access a dial-in replay for one week following the call at (888) 203-1112 (for domestic calls) or (719) 457-0820 (for international calls), Replay Passcode # 2189325.

DENTSPLY International Inc. is a leading manufacturer and distributor of dental and other consumable medical device products. The Company believes it is the world's largest manufacturer of consumable dental products for the professional dental market. For over 110 years, DENTSPLY's commitment to innovation and professional collaboration has enhanced its portfolio of branded consumables and small equipment. Headquartered in the United States, the Company has global operations with sales in more than 120 countries. Visit www.dentsply.com for more information about DENTSPLY and its products.

This press release contains forward-looking information (within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995) regarding future events or the future financial performance of the Company that involve substantial risks and uncertainties. Actual events or results may differ materially from those in the projections or other forward-looking information set forth herein as a result of certain risk factors. These risk factors include, without limitation; the continued strength of dental and medical markets, the timing, success and market reception for our new and existing products, uncertainty with respect to governmental actions with respect to dental and medical products, volatility in the capital markets or changes in our credit ratings, continued support of our products by influential dental and medical professionals, our ability to successfully integrate acquisitions, risks associated with foreign currency exchange rates, risks

associated with our competitors' introduction of generic or private label products, our ability to accurately predict dealer and customer inventory levels, our ability to successfully realize the benefits of any cost reduction or restructuring efforts, our ability to obtain a supply of certain finished goods and raw materials from third parties and changes in the general economic environment that could affect the business. Changes in such assumptions or factors could produce significantly different results.

For additional information regarding the factors that may cause actual results to differ materially from these forward-looking statements, please refer to the Company's most recent Form 10-K and its subsequent periodic reports on Forms 10-Q filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Non-US GAAP Financial Measures

In addition to the results reported in accordance with US GAAP, the Company provides adjusted net income attributable to DENTSPLY International and adjusted earnings per diluted common share. The Company discloses adjusted net income attributable to DENTSPLY International to allow investors to evaluate the performance of the Company's operations exclusive of certain items that impact the comparability of results from period to period and certain large non-cash charges related to purchased intangible assets. The Company believes that this information is helpful in understanding underlying operating trends and cash flow generation. The adjusted net income attributable to DENTSPLY International consists of net income attributable to DENTSPLY International adjusted to exclude the impact of the following:

(1) Acquisition related costs. These adjustments include costs related to integrating recently acquired businesses and specific costs related to the consummation of the acquisition process. These costs are irregular in timing and as such may not be indicative of past and future performance of the Company and are therefore excluded to allow investors to better understand underlying operating trends.

(2) Restructuring and other costs. These adjustments include both costs and income that are irregular in timing, amount and impact to the Company's financial performance. As such, these items may not be indicative of past and future performance of the Company and are therefore excluded for the purpose of understanding underlying operating trends.

(3) Amortization of purchased intangible assets. This adjustment excludes the periodic amortization expense related to purchased intangible assets. Following a significant acquisition in 2011, the Company began recording large non-cash charges related to the values attributed to purchased intangible assets. These charges have been excluded from adjusted net income attributed to DENTSPLY International to allow investors to evaluate and understand operating trends excluding these large non-cash charges.

(4) Income related to credit risk and fair value adjustments. These adjustments include both the cost and income impacts of adjustments in certain assets and liabilities that are recorded through net income which are due solely to the changes in fair value and credit risk. These items can be variable and driven more by market conditions than the Company's operating performance. As such, these items may not be indicative of past and future performance of the Company and therefore are excluded for comparability purposes.

(5) Certain fair value adjustments related to an unconsolidated affiliated company. This adjustment represents the fair value adjustment of the unconsolidated affiliated company's convertible debt instrument held by the Company. The affiliate is accounted for under the equity method of accounting. The fair value adjustment is driven by open market pricing of the affiliate's equity instruments, which has a high degree of variability and may not be indicative of the operating performance of the affiliate or the Company.

(6) Income tax related adjustments. These adjustments include both income tax expenses and income tax benefits that are representative of income tax adjustments mostly related to prior periods, as well as the final settlement of income tax audits. These adjustments are irregular in timing and amount and may significantly impact the Company's operating performance. As such, these items may not be indicative of past and future performance of the Company and therefore are excluded for comparability purposes.

Adjusted earnings per diluted common share is calculated by dividing adjusted net income attributable to DENTSPLY International by diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding. Adjusted net income attributable to DENTSPLY International and adjusted earnings per diluted common share are considered measures not calculated in accordance with US GAAP, and therefore are non-US GAAP measures. These non-US GAAP measures may differ from other companies. Income tax related adjustments may include the impact to adjust the interim effective income tax rate to the expected annual effective tax rate. The non-US GAAP financial information should not be considered in isolation from, or as a substitute for, measures of financial performance prepared in accordance with US GAAP.

DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(In thousands, except per share amounts)

	Three Months Ended December 31,				Year I Decem			
		2013		2012		2013		2012
Net sales Net sales, excluding precious metal content	\$	753,658 713,669	\$	753,288 703,473		2,950,770 2,771,728		2,928,429 2,714,698
Cost of products sold		355,819		361,235		1,373,358		1,372,042
Gross profit % of Net sales % of Net sales, excluding precious metal content		397,839 52.8% 55.7%		392,053 52.0% 55.7%		1,577,412 53.5% 56.9%		1,556,387 53.1% 57.3%
Selling, general and administrative expenses		292,127		287,992		1,144,890		1,148,731
Restructuring and other costs		8,291		6,854		13,356		25,717
Operating income % of Net sales % of Net sales, excluding precious metal content		97,421 12.9% 13.7%		97,207 12.9% 13.8%		419,166 14.2% 15.1%		381,939 13.0% 14.1%
Net interest and other expense		9,494		11,088		49,831		51,260
Income before income taxes		87,927		86,119		369,335		330,679
Provision for (benefit from) income taxes		12,552		(39,630)		52,150		8,920
Equity in net earnings (loss) of unconsolidated affiliated company		656		2,178		976		(3,270)
Net income % of Net sales % of Net sales, excluding precious metal content		76,031 10.1% 10.7%		127,927 17.0% 18.2%		318,161 10.8% 11.5%		318,489 10.9% 11.7%
Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests		1,603		1,127		4,969		4,276
Net income attributable to DENTSPLY International	\$	74,428	\$	126,800	\$	313,192	\$	314,213
% of Net sales % of Net sales, excluding precious metal content		9.9% 10.4%		16.8% 18.0%		10.6% 11.3%		10.7% 11.6%
Earnings per common share: Basic Dilutive	\$ \$	0.52 0.51	\$ \$	0.89 0.88	\$ \$	2.20 2.16	\$ \$	2.22 2.18
Cash dividends declared per common share	\$	0.0625	\$	0.0550	\$	0.2500	\$	0.2200
Weighted average common shares outstanding: Basic Dilutive		142,539 145,157		142,098 144,297		142,663 144,965		141,850 143,945

DENTSPLY INTERNATIONAL INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(In thousands)

	December 31, 2013			December 31, 2012		
Assets						
Current Assets:						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	74,954	\$	80,132		
Accounts and notes receivable-trade, net		472,802		442,412		
Inventories, net		438,559		402,940		
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		157,487		185,612		
Total Current Assets		1,143,802		1,111,096		
Property, plant and equipment, net		637,172		614,705		
Identifiable intangible assets, net		795,323		830,642		
Goodwill, net		2,281,596		2,210,953		
Other noncurrent assets, net		220,154		204,901		
Total Assets	\$	5,078,047	\$	4,972,297		
Liabilities and Equity						
Current liabilities	\$	796,405	\$	927,780		
Long-term debt		1,166,178		1,222,035		
Deferred income taxes		238,394		232,641		
Other noncurrent liabilities		299,096		340,398		
Total Liabilities		2,500,073		2,722,854		
Total DENTSPLY International Equity		2,535,053		2,208,698		
Noncontrolling interests		42,921		40,745		
Total Equity		2,577,974		2,249,443		
Total Liabilities and Equity	\$	5,078,047	\$	4,972,297		

(In thousands)

Supplemental Summary Cash Flow Information:

Year Ended December 31, 2013 and 2012

Year Ended December 31,				
	2013		2012	
\$	417,846	\$	369,685	
\$	260,231	\$	115,021	
\$	161,685	\$	255,609	
\$	81,639	\$	79,456	
\$	46,264	\$	49,743	
\$	100,345	\$	92,072	
\$	34,874	\$	31,425	
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(In thousands)

Operating Income Summary:

The following tables present the reconciliation of reported US GAAP operating income in total and on a percentage of net sales, excluding precious metal content, to the non-US GAAP financial measures.

Three Months Ended December 31, 2013

	Opera	Percentage of Net Sales, Excluding Precious Metal Content		
Operating Income	\$	97,421	13.7%	
Amortization of Purchased Intangible Assets		11,569	1.6%	
Restructuring and Other Costs		9,296	1.3%	
Acquisition-Related Activities		4,336	0.6%	
Adjusted Non-US GAAP Operating Income	\$	122,622	17.2%	

Three Months Ended December 31, 2012

	-	ting Income (Loss)	Percentage of Net Sales, Excluding Precious Metal Content
Operating Income	\$	97,207	13.8%
Amortization of Purchased Intangible Assets		12,388	1.8%
Restructuring and Other Costs		7,006	1.0%
Acquisition-Related Activities		3,619	0.5%
Orthodontic Business Continuity Costs		(152)	%
Adjusted Non-US GAAP Operating Income	\$	120.068	17.1%

(In thousands)

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Year Ended December 31, 2013

	Oper	ating Income (Loss)	Percentage of Net Sales, Excluding Precious Metal Content		
Operating Income	\$	419,166	15.1%		
Amortization of Purchased Intangible Assets		46,221	1.7%		
Restructuring and Other Costs		14,639	0.5%		
Acquisition-Related Activities		8,778	0.3%		
Adjusted Non-US GAAP Operating Income	\$	488,804	17.6%		

Year Ended December 31, 2012

	-	ating Income (Loss)	Percentage of Net Sales, Excluding Precious Metal Content
Operating Income	\$	381,939	14.1%
Amortization of Purchased Intangible Assets		49,745	1.8%
Restructuring and Other Costs		27,103	1.0%
Acquisition-Related Activities		14,164	0.6%
Orthodontics Business Continuity Costs		920	%
Adjusted Non-US GAAP Operating Income	\$	473,871	17.5%

(In thousands, except per share amounts)

Earnings Summary:

The following tables present the reconciliation of reported US GAAP net income attributable to DENTSPLY International and on a per common share basis to the non-US GAAP financial measures.

Three Months Ended December 31, 2013

Three Month's Ended December 51, 2015		Net Income				r Diluted mon Share
Net Income Attributable to DENTSPLY International	\$	74,428	\$	0.51		
Amortization of Purchased Intangible Assets, Net of Tax		8,081		0.06		
Restructuring and Other Costs, Net of Tax		5,259		0.04		
Acquisition Related Activities, Net of Tax		3,048		0.02		
Loss on Fair Value Adjustments related to an Unconsolidated Affiliated Company, Net of Tax		147		_		
Credit Risk and Fair Value Adjustments to Outstanding Derivatives, Net of Tax		(365)		_		
Income Tax-Related Adjustments		(2,665)		(0.02)		
Adjusted Non-US GAAP Net Income Attributable to DENTSPLY International	\$	87,933	\$	0.61		

Three Months Ended December 31, 2012

	Net Income		Per Diluted Common Share	
Net Income Attributable to DENTSPLY International	\$	126,800	\$	0.88
Amortization of Purchased Intangible Assets, Net of Tax		8,466		0.06
Restructuring and Other Costs, Net of Tax		4,486		0.03
Acquisition Related Activities, Net of Tax		2,669		0.02
Orthodontics Business Continuity Costs, Net of Tax		(93)		—
Gain on Fair Value Adjustments related to an Unconsolidated Affiliated Company, Net of Tax		(2,353)		(0.02)
Income Tax-Related Adjustments		(58,617)		(0.41)
Adjusted Non-US GAAP Net Income Attributable to DENTSPLY International	\$	81,358	\$	0.56

(In thousands, except per share amounts)

Earnings Summary:

The following tables present the reconciliation of reported US GAAP net income attributable to DENTSPLY International and on a per common share basis to the non-US GAAP financial measures.

Year Ended December 31, 2013

	 Net Income	Diluted non Share
Net Income Attributable to DENTSPLY International	\$ 313,192	\$ 2.16
Amortization of Purchased Intangible Assets, Net of Tax	32,309	0.22
Restructuring and Other Costs, Net of Tax	9,721	0.07
Acquisition Related Activities, Net of Tax	5,890	0.04
Credit Risk and Fair Value Adjustments to Outstanding Derivatives, Net of Tax	2,339	0.02
Gain on Fair Value Adjustments related to an Unconsolidated Affiliated Company, Net of Tax	(1,200)	(0.01)
Income Tax-Related Adjustments	(21,054)	(0.15)
Adjusted Non-US GAAP Net Income Attributable to DENTSPLY International	\$ 341,197	\$ 2.35

Year Ended December 31, 2012

Tear Ended December 51, 2012	 Net Income	Per Diluted Common Shar		
Net Income Attributable to DENTSPLY International	\$ 314,213	\$	2.18	
Amortization of Purchased Intangible Assets, Net of Tax	33,612		0.23	
Restructuring and Other Costs, Net of Tax	18,549		0.13	
Acquisition Related Activities, Net of Tax	9,299		0.07	
Loss on Fair Value Adjustments related to an Unconsolidated Affiliated Company, Net of Tax	2,927		0.02	
Orthodontics Business Continuity Costs, Net of Tax	600			
Income Tax-Related Adjustments	(59,992)		(0.41)	
Adjusted Non-US GAAP Net Income Attributable to DENTSPLY International	\$ 319,208	\$	2.22	

(In thousands)

Operating Tax Rate Summary:

The following tables present the reconciliation of reported US GAAP effective tax rate as a percentage of income before income taxes to the non-US GAAP financial measure.

Three Months Ended December 31, 2013

	Pre-	tax Income	 come Tax fit (Expense)	Percentage of Pre-Tax Income
As Reported - US GAAP Operating Results	\$	87,927	\$ (12,552)	14.3%
Amortization of Purchased Intangible Assets		11,569	(3,488)	
Restructuring and Other Costs		8,736	(3,477)	
Acquisition-Related Activities		4,336	(1,288)	
Loss on Fair Value Adjustments related to an Unconsolidated Affiliated Company		3	(1)	
Credit Risk and Fair Value Adjustments to Outstanding		(593)	228	
Income Tax-Related Adjustments			(2,665)	
As Adjusted - Non-US GAAP Operating Results	\$	111,978	\$ (23,243)	20.8%

Three Months Ended December 31, 2012

	Pre	e-tax Income	 ncome Tax efit (Expense)	Percentage of Pre-Tax Income
As Reported - US GAAP Operating Results	\$	86,119	\$ 39,630	(46.0%)
Amortization of Purchased Intangible Assets		12,388	(3,922)	
Restructuring and Other Costs		7,006	(2,520)	
Acquisition-Related Activities		3,619	(950)	
Gain on Fair Value Adjustments related to an Unconsolidated Affiliated Company		(43)	13	
Orthodontics Business Continuity Costs		(152)	59	
Income Tax-Related Adjustments			(58,817)	
As Adjusted - Non-US GAAP Operating Results	\$	108,937	\$ (26,507)	24.3%

(In thousands)

Operating Tax Rate Summary:

The following tables present the reconciliation of reported US GAAP effective tax rate as a percentage of income before income taxes to the non-US GAAP financial measure.

Year Ended December 31, 2013

	Pre	e-tax Income	 ncome Tax efit (Expense)	Percentage of Pre-Tax Income
As Reported - US GAAP Operating Results	\$	369,335	\$ (52,150)	14.1%
Amortization of Purchased Intangible Assets		46,221	(13,912)	
Restructuring and Other Costs		14,079	(4,358)	
Acquisition-Related Activities		8,778	(2,888)	
Credit Risk and Fair Value Adjustments to Outstanding		3,809	(1,470)	
Gain on Fair Value Adjustments related to an Unconsolidated Affiliated Company		(17)	5	
Income Tax-Related Adjustments			(21,054)	
As Adjusted - Non-US GAAP Operating Results	\$	442,205	\$ (95,827)	21.7%

Year Ended December 31, 2012

Tear Ended December 51, 2012	Pr	e-tax Income	 ncome Tax efit (Expense)	Percentage of Pre-Tax Income
As Reported - US GAAP Operating Results	\$	330,679	\$ (8,920)	2.7%
Amortization of Purchased Intangible Assets		49,745	(16,133)	
Restructuring and Other Costs		27,103	(8,554)	
Acquisition-Related Activities		14,164	(4,865)	
Orthodontics Business Continuity Costs		920	(320)	
Gain on Fair Value Adjustments related to an Unconsolidated Affiliated Company		(272)	82	
Income Tax-Related Adjustments		—	(60,192)	
As Adjusted - Non-US GAAP Operating Results	\$	422,339	\$ (98,902)	23.4%