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# Why Invest in ePlus

Phil Norton, CEO

### **Company Overview**

#### ePlus Highlights (NASDAQ NGS: PLUS)

- + We deliver world-class IT solutions
  - + technology products and software from top manufacturers with long-term experience designing and integrating multi-vendor solutions
- + We facilitate transaction flow by offering flexible lease financing and proprietary software
- + National footprint
  - + Large direct sales and engineering teams with ~365 and ~267 professionals, respectively
- + Experienced provider of advanced technologies including virtualization and cloud computing
- + Key technology partnerships and certifications











































# ePlus Investment Highlights

- + Large fragmented market
- + History of consistent growth and profitability
- + Differentiated business model serving entire IT lifecycle
- + Key industry partnerships
- + Deep expertise in advanced technology and commitment to operational excellence
- + Multiple growth drivers
- + Strong balance sheet



# **Business Overview**

Mark Marron, COO



# **Large, Growing Market Opportunity**

- + Large market opportunity with \$1 trillion US market for IT products and services, growing 7.5%
- + Fragmented market with 50,000 potential customers in target market of \$20 million to \$2.5 billion in revenue
- + Diverse customer base represents a cross section of US industries, higher education, non-profits and governmental organizations



# **C**<sup>+</sup> The Problem

- + Increasing complexity (security, big data, cloud, BYOD, VXI)
- + Need to save costs through:
  - + Virtualization
  - + Cloud computing
  - + Improving spend management practices
- + Proliferation of mobile devices
- + Increased security concerns
- + Multi vendor solutions
- + Optimizing spend & asset management



# **Comprehensive Solutions**





#### **Solutions**



- + Cloud Computing
- + Virtual Desktop Infrastructure / VXI
- + Server Consolidation / Virtualization
- + Blade Server Architectures
- + Storage & Backup
- + Data Security
- Disaster Recovery / Business Continuity
- + IP Networking & Storage Access
- Applications (Exchange, SharePoint)
- + Power & Cooling

#### **& COLLABORATION**

- + Unified Communications
- + Video Systems / TelePresence
- + Streaming Solutions
- + Capture, Transform & Share
- + Content Delivery (Digital Signage)
- + Secure Mobility

#### **## INFRASTRUCTURE**

- + Wireless
- + Core Networking
- + Client Devices
  - + Tablets
  - + Notebooks
  - + Desktops
- + Client Security
- + Mobility
- + Utility / Application Software
- + Managed Print
- + Peripherals & Accessories

#### SERVICES

- + Assessments
- + Consulting
- + Project Management
- + Staging & Configuration
- + Installation
- + Managed Services
- Staff Augmentation
- + Virtual CIO (vCIO)

#### **⊕** SECURITY

- + Assessment Services
- Managed Security
   Services
- + Threat Defense
- + BYOD Security
- + Content Security
- + Endpoint Security
- + Identity Management & Access Control
- + Security Management
- + Physical Security
- + Web Security / Filtering

#### **FINANCIAL**

- + Flexible Payment Solutions
- Operating Leases
- Capital Leases
- + Short-Term Payment Options
- + Trade-In Programs
- Entire Asset Acquisition Process
- + Asset Tracking



- + Procurement
  - IT Procurement
  - General Procurement
  - Spend Management
- + Asset Management
- Supplier Enablement
  - Manage Suppliers
  - Manage Content
  - Services
  - Compliance and Regulation
- Document Management



## Why Clients Choose ePlus

- + Our Focus on the Customer
  - Our customer-centric, project management approach ensures customer satisfaction
- + Our Complete Solution Set
  - Comprehensive, end-to-end IT supply chain provider, including lifecycle management, world-class technology products and software, advanced engineering capabilities, managed services, staff augmentation services, supply chain logistics, sourcing, and financing
- + Our Team
  - Industry leading engineers, account managers and inside sales representatives to support our clients
- + Our Proprietary Software & Business Methods Reduce Costs
  - Our web portal, OneSource IT®, helps streamline and optimize the supply chain for our clients

- + Acquiring new customers through demand gen and vendors
- + Capturing wallet share in existing customers
- + New products targeting advanced technologies and expanded services
- + Broaden adoption of OneSource IT procurement portal
- + Selective acquisitions









#### ePlus Culture



e + 2007 National | Omni ChampionsGate Sales Meeting | Orlando, FL





- + Customer base is best asset
  - + Enhanced account management to increase sales and recurring revenue
- + Employees
  - + Recruit, train, and retain
- + Corporate Culture
  - + Continue to learn
  - + Improve everyday
  - + Refuse to lose





+ 2008 National Sales Meeting Omni ChampionsGate, Orlando, FL April 30 - May 2 • 2008





# Financial Overview

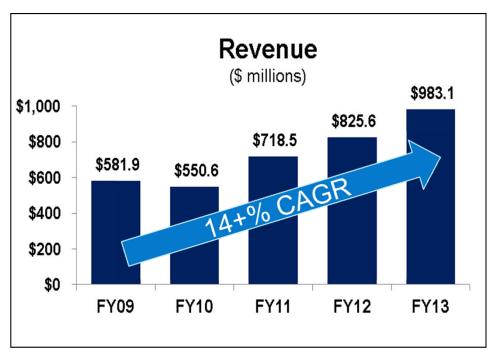
Elaine Marion, CFO

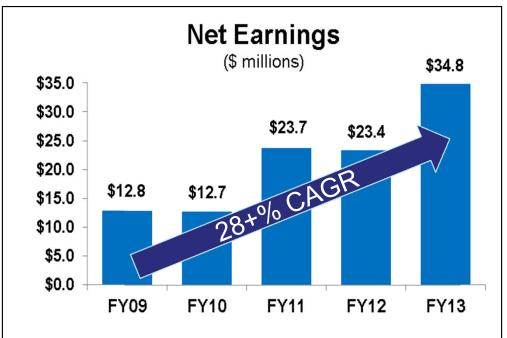
- +Track record of revenue and profitability growth
- +Two operating segments: technology and financing
- +Investing in headcount to drive continued growth
- +Strong balance sheet



# Financial Results for the Year Ended March 31, 2013

- + Revenues totaled \$983.1 million, up 19.1% to year-over-year
- + Sales of product & services totaled \$936.2 million, up 19.3% year-over-year
- + Gross margin on product & services was 18.0%, as compared to 17.8% in FY12
- + Net earnings totaled \$34.8 million, an increase of 49.1% from \$23.4 million for the year ended March 31, 2012
- + A special cash dividend of \$2.50 per share was paid in December 2012

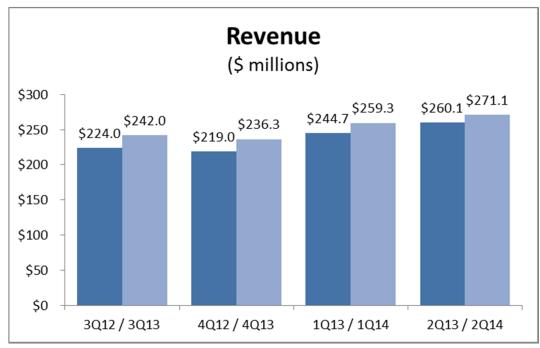


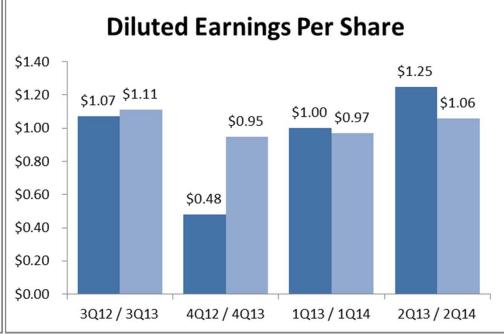




# Financial Results for the Quarter Ended 9/30/2013 (2Q14)

- + Revenues totaled \$271.1 million, up 4.3% year-over-year
- + Sales of product & services totaled \$261.3 million, up 4.4% year-over-year
- + Gross margin on product & services was 17.8%, as compared to 18.0% in 2Q13
- + Net earnings totaled \$8.6 million, or \$1.06 per diluted share, as compared to \$10.0 million, or \$1.25 per diluted share, for the quarter ended September 30, 2013





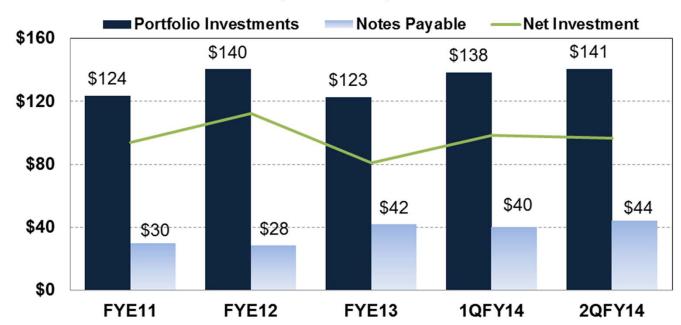


# **Strong Balance Sheet**

- + Cash and short-term investments: \$53.7 million as of 9/30/2013
- + Financing segment portfolio of \$140.5 million representing investments in leases and notes as of 9/30/2013
- + Use cash for investments in human capital, high credit quality leases, and strategic acquisitions
- + Portfolio monetization can be used to raise additional cash

#### **Financing Segment**

(\$ in millions)



# **C** + Segment Results

#### + Technology Segment

#### **Sales**

- For the year ended March 31, 2013 (FYE13), Cisco sales generated 48% of revenue; HP sales generated 11% of revenue
- Tiered manufacturer incentive programs and rebates
- Broad range of product categories

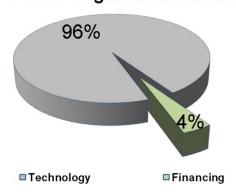
#### **Services**

 Revenues are both project based as well as recurring managed services and staff augmentation

#### ePlus Software

 Revenues are primarily SAAS, annual maintenance, and services

**FYE13 Segment Revenues** 

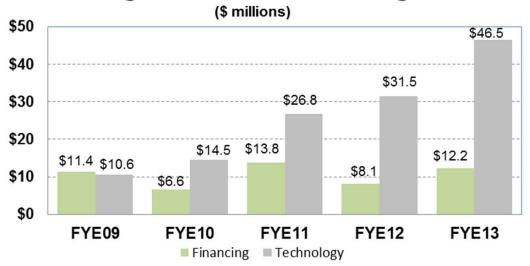


#### + Financing Segment

- Operating and direct finance leases
- Ability to hold leases on balance sheet or syndicate debt and equity

Quarter Ended September 30, 2013 (\$000s) Technology Finance 2013 % Change 2013 % Change 2012 2012 \$263,112 \$251.769 \$ 8,017 \$ 8,282 (3.2%)Revenue 4.5% PreTax Earnings 13,707 14,864 (7.8%)988 2.044 (51.7%)

#### **Segment Pre-Tax Earnings**





# **Investing in Future Growth**

- +Increasing headcount to drive future growth
- +Grew headcount by over 10% since end of 2Q13
- +Investments primarily in sales and engineering
- + Expanding geographic footprint and solution offerings

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