

Skyworks Meets Revenue and Exceeds Earnings Guidance for Fourth Fiscal Quarter 2006

Delivers Revenue of \$198.2 Million and Diluted EPS of \$0.07 on a

Pro Forma Basis; Generates \$22 Million in Cash Flow from Operations;

Reaffirms Outlook

WOBURN, Mass.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Nov. 1, 2006--Skyworks Solutions, Inc. (NASDAQ:SWKS), an innovator of high performance analog and mixed signal semiconductors enabling mobile connectivity, today announced fourth fiscal quarter pro forma revenue of \$198.2 million, within the guidance range of \$197 to \$200 million previously communicated. Revenue in the core analog and RF business was \$194 million, up 18 percent year-over-year and 4 percent sequentially. On October 2, 2006, Skyworks announced it was immediately ceasing its baseband operations and implementing a strategic restructuring (please see www.skyworksinc.com/pressroom.asp for more details). GAAP revenue in the fourth fiscal quarter was \$193.1 million and includes a restructuring-related revenue reserve of \$5.0 million for future potential baseband product returns as the company exited this business.

On a pro forma basis, operating income was \$11.6 million in the fourth fiscal quarter, up 31 percent year-over-year and 15 percent sequentially, while net income was \$10.4 million, or \$0.07 of diluted earnings per share - - - \$0.02 ahead of consensus estimates. The GAAP operating loss for the fourth fiscal quarter of \$83.2 million includes \$90 million of asset impairments, severance and shut-down costs related to the company's previously announced exit of the baseband product area, as well as \$3.9 million of equity-based compensation in accordance with FASB Statement No. 123R. Additionally, the company recorded a \$12.0 million non-cash charge as part of an international tax reorganization designed to lower future cash tax liabilities. In turn, the GAAP net loss in the fourth fiscal quarter was \$96.4 million. More than two thirds of the restructuring charges were non-cash.

Skyworks generated \$22 million of cash flow from operations and the company's cash and cash equivalents as well as short-term investments increased by \$17 million sequentially in the fourth fiscal quarter to \$171.2 million.

"Skyworks enters fiscal 2007 a stronger and far more profitable company. Following our decision to exit the baseband product area and the successful implementation of our global restructuring, we are now focused exclusively on our core analog and RF business where Skyworks possesses a clear competitive advantage," said David J. Aldrich, Skyworks' president and chief executive officer. "Post restructuring, we plan to deliver above-market growth driven by our portfolio of differentiated linear products, leadership front-end modules and highly integrated Helios™ radios. At the same time, we intend to demonstrate our financial leverage through gross margin expansion, increased asset turns and significant cash flow generation - - - all towards becoming the most profitable company in the sector."

Fourth Fiscal Quarter Highlights

- -- Increased dollar content at Sony Ericsson through highly integrated Intera(TM) front-end modules spanning their GSM/GPRS, EDGE and WCDMA Walkman(R) platforms
- -- Powered Cingular's increasingly popular Pantech C300 platform, the world's smallest camera flip phone, with ultra compact power amplifiers
- -- More than doubled WCDMA power amplifier shipments sequentially
- -- Received production orders from Motorola for front-end modules in support of next-generation EDGE handsets
- -- Shipped more than five million Helios(TM) transceivers, up from two million in the prior quarter and 100 thousand units a year ago
- -- Ramped Helios(TM) EDGE radios at Samsung across 20 models

- -- Introduced a new line of active mixers with broad frequency ranges powering infrastructure, medical, scientific and industrial applications
- -- Awarded high volume contract for high isolation switches for 3G base station reference designs
- -- Commenced shipments of 802.11n wireless networking solutions in support of Broadcom's Intensifi(TM) chipset

Business Outlook

"For the first fiscal quarter of 2007, we intend to sequentially expand gross margins by 100 basis points to 38.5 percent, approximately double pro forma operating income and deliver pro forma diluted earnings per share in the range of \$0.12 to \$0.14. We plan to achieve this financial performance with modest revenue growth in our core business, reflecting our share gains and new product ramps, as well as the realities of the broader market," said Allan M. Kline, Skyworks' vice president and chief financial officer. "Further, we plan to again generate positive cash flow from operations even as we complete our strategic restructuring."

Estimated pro forma earnings per share exclude approximately \$7 million of charges primarily for lease terminations related to the previously announced restructuring and \$3 million of FASB Statement No. 123R-related expenses.

Pro forma results, which are a supplement to financial results based on GAAP, exclude certain charges including equity-based compensation, amortization of intangible assets, baseband exit charges, and non-recurring items. The company believes these non-GAAP financial measures provide useful information to both management and investors by excluding certain charges and non-recurring items that may not be indicative of Skyworks' ongoing operations and economic performance.

Skyworks' Fourth Fiscal Quarter 2006 Conference Call

Skyworks will host a conference call at 5:00 p.m. Eastern time today to discuss results for the fourth fiscal quarter of 2006 and its business outlook. To listen to the conference call via the Internet, please visit the investor relations section of Skyworks' Web site. To listen to the conference call via telephone, please call 877.704.5386 (domestic) or 913.312.1302 (international), security code: Skyworks.

Playback of the conference call will begin at 9 p.m. Eastern time on Wednesday, Nov. 1, and end at 9 p.m. ET on Wednesday, Nov. 8, 2006. The replay will be available on Skyworks' Web site or by calling 888.203.1112 (domestic) or 719.457.0820 (international); access code: 4001057.

About Skyworks

Skyworks Solutions, Inc. is an innovator of high performance analog and mixed signal semiconductors enabling mobile connectivity. The company's power amplifiers, front-end modules and direct conversion radios are at the heart of many of today's leading-edge multimedia handsets. Leveraging core technologies, Skyworks also offers a diverse portfolio of linear products that support automotive, broadband, cellular infrastructure, industrial and medical applications.

Headquartered in Woburn, Mass., Skyworks is worldwide with engineering, manufacturing, sales and service facilities throughout Asia, Europe and North America. For more information, please visit Skyworks' Web site at: www.skyworksinc.com.

Safe Harbor Statement

This news release includes "forward-looking statements" intended to qualify for the safe harbor from liability established by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These forward-looking statements include information relating to future results and expectations of Skyworks (including certain projections and business trends). Forward-looking statements can often be identified by words such as "anticipates," "expects," "intends," "believes," "plans," "may," "will," "continue," similar expressions, and variations or negatives of these words. All such statements are subject to certain risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially and adversely from those projected, and may affect our future operating results, financial position and cash flows.

These risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to: global economic and market conditions, such as the cyclical nature of the semiconductor industry and the markets addressed by our, and our customers', products; our ability to develop, manufacture and market innovative products in a highly price competitive and rapidly changing technological environment; fluctuations in our manufacturing yields due to our complex and specialized manufacturing processes; fluctuations in the

manufacturing yields of our third party semiconductor foundries and other problems or delays in the fabrication, assembly, testing or delivery of our products; the availability and pricing of third party semiconductor foundry, assembly and test capacity and raw materials; our ability to timely and accurately predict market requirements and evolving industry standards, and to identify opportunities in new markets; our ability to rapidly develop new products and avoid product obsolescence; our ability to retain, recruit and hire key executives, technical personnel and other employees in the positions and numbers, with the experience and capabilities, and at the compensation levels needed to implement our business and product plans; lengthy product development cycles that impact the timing of new product introductions; losses or curtailments of purchases or payments from key customers, or the timing of customer inventory adjustments; the timing, rescheduling or cancellation of significant customer orders and our ability, as well as the ability of our customers, to manage inventory; our reliance on a several key customers for a large percentage of our sales; unfavorable changes in product mix; the quality of our products and any remediation costs; shorter than expected product life cycles; problems or delays that we may face in shifting our products to smaller geometry process technologies and in achieving higher levels of design integration; economic, social and political conditions in the countries in which we, our customers or our suppliers operate, including security and health risks, possible disruptions in transportation networks and fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates; our ability to continue to grow and maintain an intellectual property portfolio and obtain needed licenses from third parties; and the uncertainties of litigation, including disputes over intellectual property, as well as other risks and uncertainties, including but not limited to those detailed from time to time in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

These forward-looking statements are made only as of the date hereof, and we undertake no obligation to update or revise the forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

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SKYWORKS SOLUTIONS, INC.
UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

			Year Ended				
(in thousands, except per	Sept. 29,	Sept. 30,	Sept. 29,	Sept. 30,			
share amounts)	2006	2005	2006	2005			
Pro forma net revenues Baseband exit	\$ 198,171	\$ 190,174	\$ 778,788	\$ 792,371			
adjustments *	(5,038)	-		_			
GAAP net revenues		\$ 190,174 =======	\$ 773,750				
Net revenues Cost of goods sold		\$ 190,174 120,894					
Gross profit	45,259	69,280	262,679	307,772			
Operating expenses:							
Research and development Selling, general and	40,500	36,603	164,106	152,215			
administrative Restructuring & other	60,505	25,043	135,801	103,070			
charges Amortization of	26,955	_	26,955	-			
intangibles	536	536	2,144	2,354			
Total operating expenses	128,496	62,182	329,006	257,639			
Operating (loss) income	(83,237)	7,098	(66,327)	50,133			
Interest expense	(3,308)	(3,746)	(14,797)	(14,597)			

Other income, net	_	1,779	1,729	_	8,350	_	5,453
(Loss) income before income taxes Provision for income taxes	<u>.</u>	(84,766) 11,604	5,081 2,020		, , ,		•
Net (loss) income	\$	(96,370)	\$ 3,061	\$	(88,152)	\$	25,611 ======
(Loss) earnings per share:							
Basic	\$	(0.60)	\$ 0.02	\$	(0.55)	\$	0.16
Diluted	\$	(0.60)	\$ 0.02	\$	(0.55)	\$	0.16
Weighted average shares: Basic Diluted		160,278 160,278	158,488 159,803		159,408 159,408		157,453 158,857

 $[\]mbox{^{*}}$ Revenue adjustments of \$5.0 million resulted from the exit of our baseband product area.

SKYWORKS SOLUTIONS, INC.
UNAUDITED RECONCILIATION OF PRO FORMA NON-GAAP MEASURES

		Three Months Ended			Year Ended			
(in thousands)		Sept. 29, 2006	S		S	ept. 29,	S	Sept. 30,
GAAP net revenues Revenue adjustments (b)		193,133 5,038				773,750 5,038		792,371
Pro forma net revenues	-	198,171 ======			\$	778,788	\$	=
		Three Mon	ntl	ns Ended		Year	En	ıded
(in thousands)		Sept. 29, 2006						
GAAP operating (loss) income Share-based compensation		(83,237)	\$	7,098	\$	(66,327)	\$	50,133
expense (a) Revenue adjustments (b) Cost of goods sold		3,930 5,038		-		14,219 5,038		-
adjustments (b) Research and development		23,256		998		•		998
<pre>adjustments (b) Selling, general and administrative</pre>		_		_		1,211		_
<pre>adjustments (b) Restructuring & other charges (b)</pre>		35,138 26,955		267		35,317 26,955		267
Lease and leasehold improvements (c) Amortization of		-		-		-		886
intangible assets		536	_	536	_	2,144	_	2,354
Pro forma operating income	\$	11,616	\$	8,899	\$	42,219	\$	54,638

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	Three Mon		 Year	
(in thousands)			Sept. 29, 2006	
GAAP net (loss) income	\$ (96,370)	\$ 3,061	\$ (88,152)	\$ 25,611
Share-based compensation				
expense (a)	3,930		14,219	-
Revenue adjustments (b) Cost of goods sold	5,038	_	5,038	_
adjustments (b)	23,256	998	23,662	998
Research and development				
adjustments (b) Selling, general and	-	_	1,211	-
administrative				
adjustments (b)	35,138	267	35,317	267
Restructuring & other charges (b)	26,955	_	26,955	=
Lease and leasehold	20,933	_	20,933	_
improvements (c)	-	_	_	886
Amortization of intangible assets	536	536	2,144	2.354
Deferred financing	330			2,331
expense adjustment (d)			572	
Tax adjustments (e)	11,966		12,938	
Pro forma net income	\$ 10,449 ======	\$ 6,712		\$ 42,666
	Three Mon		 Year	
	Three Mon	nths Ended Sept. 30,	Year Sept. 29,	Ended Sept. 30,
GAAP net (loss) income per share, diluted	Three Mon	sept. 30, 2005	Year Sept. 29,	Ended Sept. 30, 2005
share, diluted Share-based compensation	Three Mon	sept. 30, 2005	Year Sept. 29, 2006 \$ (0.55)	Ended Sept. 30, 2005
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(a) These charges represent expense recognized in accordance with FASB Statement No. 123R, Share-Based Payment. Approximately \$0.7 million, \$1.8 million and \$1.4 million were included in cost of goods sold, research and development expense and selling, general and administrative expense, respectively, for the three months ended September 29, 2006. Approximately \$2.2 million, \$6.3 million and \$5.7 million were included in cost of goods sold, research and development expense and selling, general and administrative expense, respectively, for the fiscal year ended September 29, 2006.

(b) On October 2, 2006, the Company announced that it was exiting its baseband product area in order to focus on its core business encompassing linear products, power amplifiers, front-end modules and radio solutions. Due to accounting classifications, the charges associated with the baseband product area are recorded in various lines and are summarized as follows:

Revenue adjustments of \$5.0 million resulted from the exit of our baseband product area.

Cost of goods sold adjustments includes approximately \$19.8 million of inventory charges and reserves and \$3.5 million of inventory related contractual obliquations.

Selling, general and administrative adjustments of \$35.1 million represent bad debt expense primarily related to two customers: Vitelcom Mobile and an Asian component distributor, on specific accounts receivable associated with baseband product.

Restructuring and other charges recorded during the three months ended September 29, 2006 primarily consisted of \$13.1 million related to severance and benefits, \$7.4 million related to the write-down of technology licenses and design software associated with the baseband product area, \$4.7 million related to the write-down of baseband related long-lived assets and \$1.8 million related to other charges.

The charges recorded during the first quarter of fiscal 2006 primarily related to a continued reduction in the level of activity within the Company's baseband product area. Approximately \$0.4 million, \$1.2 million and \$0.2 million were included in cost of goods sold, research and development expense and selling, general and administrative expense, respectively.

The charges recorded during the fourth quarter of fiscal 2005 related to the exit of Conexant's Assembly and Test business. Approximately, \$1.0 million and \$0.3 million were included in cost of goods sold and selling, general and administrative expenses, respectively.

Total charges recorded during the three months ended September 29, 2006 associated with the Company's announcement to exit its baseband product area totaled \$90.4 million.

- (c) These charges represent an aggregate adjustment for the correction of an error in the manner in which the Company accounted for scheduled rent increases and amortization of leasehold improvements.
- (d) This charge represents a reduction in deferred financing costs associated with the redemption of \$50.7 million of the Company's 4.75% convertible subordinated notes.
- (e) During the three months and the fiscal year ended September 29,

2006, this adjustment primarily relates to an international tax reorganization. No other pro forma adjustments are tax-effected because we have a full valuation allowance against our deferred tax assets. During the fourth quarter of fiscal 2005 and fiscal year ended September 30, 2005, these charges primarily represent a noncash tax charge related to the utilization of pre-merger deferred tax assets.

The above pro forma non-GAAP measures are based upon our unaudited consolidated statements of operations for the periods shown. These non-GAAP financial measures are provided to enhance the user's overall understanding of our current financial performance and our prospects for the future. Specifically, we believe the non-GAAP financial measures provide useful information to both management and investors by excluding certain charges and non-recurring items that we believe are not indicative of our ongoing operations and economic performance. Additionally, since we have historically reported non-GAAP results to the investment community, the inclusion of non-GAAP financial measures provides consistency in our financial reporting. Further, these non-GAAP financial measures are one of the primary indicators management uses for planning and forecasting in future periods. The presentation of this additional information should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for results prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

SKYWORKS SOLUTIONS, INC. UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

(in thousands)	S -	ept. 29, 2006		
Assets				
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	143,051	\$	122,535
Short-term investments		28,150		113,325
Accounts receivable, net		158,798		171,454
Inventories		81,529		77,400
Prepaid expenses and other current				
assets		9,315		11,268
Property, plant and equipment, net		149,906		150,838
Goodwill and intangible assets, net		508,975		511,119
Other assets		10,295		29,904
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Total assets		,090,019		
	=	======	=	======
Liabilities and Equity				
Current liabilities:				
Short-term debt	Ś	50,000	\$	50 000
Accounts payable	٧	-		72,276
Accrued liabilities and other current		,3,0,1		,2,2,0
liabilities		52.072		35,959
Long-term debt		•		230,000
Other long-term liabilities		•		7,044
Stockholders' equity		•		792,564
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Total liabilities and equity	\$1	,090,019	\$1	,187,843
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