ETHAN ALLEN INTERIORS INC
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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549
FORM 10-Q
(Mark One)
[X] QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended March 31, 2013
OR
[ ] TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from $\qquad$ to $\qquad$
Commission File Number: 1-11692

> Ethan Allen Interiors Inc (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

## Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

Ethan Allen Drive, Danbury, Connecticut
(Address of principal executive offices)

06-1275288
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
(203) 743-8000
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

## N/A

(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. [X] Yes[ ] No

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 during the preceding 12 months (or such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). [X]
Yes [ ] No

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
Non-accelerated filer
[
[] Smaller reporting []

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).[ ] Yes[X] No

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date.
At April 23, 2013, there were 28,904,463 shares of Class A Common Stock, par value $\$ .01$, outstanding.

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## PART I - FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements

## ETHAN ALLEN INTERIORS INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

Consolidated Balance Sheets<br>(In thousands)

$\left.\begin{array}{lcc} & \begin{array}{c}\text { March 31, } \\ 2013\end{array} & \text { June 30, } 2012 \\ \text { (Unaudited) }\end{array}\right)$

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

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## ETHAN ALLEN INTERIORS INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income (Unaudited)
(In thousands, except per share data)

|  | Three months ended March 31, |  |  | Nine months ended March 31, |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2013 | 2012 |  | 2013 | 2012 |  |
| Net sales | \$168,144 | \$175,861 |  | \$546,832 | \$544,057 |  |
| Cost of sales | 76,359 | 81,586 |  | 246,827 | 253,678 |  |
| Gross profit | 91,785 | 94,275 |  | 300,005 | 290,379 |  |
| Selling, general and administrative expenses | 83,125 | 86,488 |  | 256,034 | 255,016 |  |
| Operating income | 8,660 | 7,787 |  | 43,971 | 35,363 |  |
| Interest and other miscellaneous income, net | (10 | 157 |  | 192 | 362 |  |
| Interest and other related financing costs | 2,195 | 2,189 |  | 6,592 | 6,814 |  |
| Income before income taxes | 6,455 | 5,755 |  | 37,571 | 28,911 |  |
| Income tax expense (benefit) | 2,081 | (21,793 | ) | 13,287 | (13,484 | ) |
| Net income | \$4,374 | \$27,548 |  | \$24,284 | \$42,395 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Per share data: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Basic earnings per common share: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net income per basic share | \$0.15 | \$0.95 |  | \$0.84 | \$ 1.47 |  |
| Basic weighted average common shares | 28,869 | 28,857 |  | 28,850 | 28,813 |  |
| Diluted earnings per common share: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net income per diluted share | \$0.15 | \$0.94 |  | \$0.83 | \$1.46 |  |
| Diluted weighted average common shares | 29,273 | 29,236 |  | 29,213 | 29,085 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Comprehensive income: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net income | \$4,374 | \$27,548 |  | \$24,284 | \$42,395 |  |
| Other comprehensive income |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Currency translation adjustment | 300 | 1,774 |  | 440 | (467 | ) |
| Other | 7 | (34 | ) |  | (35 | ) |
| Other comprehensive income (loss) net of tax | 307 | 1,740 |  | 487 | (502 | ) |
| Comprehensive income | \$4,681 | \$29,288 |  | \$24,771 | \$41,893 |  |

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## ETHAN ALLEN INTERIORS INC.

## Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (Unaudited) <br> (In thousands)

|  | March 31, $2013$ | nt | hs ended $2012$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Operating activities: |  |  |  |  |
| Net income | \$24,284 |  | \$42,395 |  |
| Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities: |  |  |  |  |
| Depreciation and amortization | 13,514 |  | 14,092 |  |
| Compensation expense related to share-based payment awards | 1,115 |  | 1,218 |  |
| Provision (benefit) for deferred income taxes | 597 |  | (20,501 | ) |
| (Gain) loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment | 3,696 |  | 1,645 |  |
| Other | 172 |  | 193 |  |
| Change in operating assets and liabilities, net of effects of acquired businesses: |  |  |  |  |
| Accounts receivable | 2,855 |  | (3,108 | ) |
| Inventories | 13,808 |  | 946 |  |
| Prepaid and other current assets | 2,054 |  | (2,497 | ) |
| Customer deposits | (6,567 | ) | (1,622 | ) |
| Accounts payable | (1,899 | ) | (303 | ) |
| Accrued expenses and other current liabilities | (8,241 | ) | (3,519 | ) |
| Other assets and liabilities | (943 | ) | (1,106 | ) |
| Net cash provided by operating activities | 44,445 |  | 27,833 |  |
| Investing activities: |  |  |  |  |
| Proceeds from the disposal of property, plant \& equipment | 3,226 |  | 1,792 |  |
| Change in restricted cash and investments | (14 | ) |  |  |
| Capital expenditures | (16,545 | ) | (19,836 | ) |
| Acquisitions | (598 | ) | (520 | ) |
| Purchases of marketable securities | (17,547 | ) | (3,290 | ) |
| Sales of marketable securities | 7,990 |  | 4,675 |  |
| Other investing activities | 1,333 |  | 773 |  |
| Net cash used in investing activities | (22,155 | ) | (15,425 | ) |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Financing activities: |  |  |  |  |
| Payments on long-term debt and capital lease obligations | (187 | ) | (12,145 | ) |
| Purchases and retirements of company stock | - |  | (847 | ) |
| Payment of cash dividends | (19,617 |  | (6,046 | ) |
| Other financing activities | 1,423 |  | 500 |  |
| Net cash used in financing activities | (18,381 | ) | (18,538 | ) |
| Effect of exchange rate changes on cash | 15 |  | 741 |  |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash \& cash equivalents | 3,924 |  | (5,389 | ) |
| Cash \& cash equivalents at beginning of period | 79,721 |  | 78,519 |  |
| Cash \& cash equivalents at end of period | \$83,645 |  | \$73,130 |  |

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## ETHAN ALLEN INTERIORS INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

Consolidated Statements of Shareholders' Equity<br>Nine Months Ended March 31, 2013<br>(Unaudited)<br>(In thousands)


Issuance of common
shares upon the
exercise of
share-based awards
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Compensation expense associated with share-based $\begin{array}{lllllll}\text { awards } & - & 1,115 & - & - & - & 1,115\end{array}$

Tax benefit associated with exercise of share $\left.\begin{array}{lllllll}\text { based awards } & (161\end{array}\right) \quad-\quad-\quad-\quad . \quad(161)$

Dividends declared


See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

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ETHAN ALLEN INTERIORS INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES<br>Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (Unaudited)

(1) Basis of Presentation

Ethan Allen Interiors Inc. ("Interiors") is a Delaware corporation incorporated on May 25, 1989. The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of Interiors, its wholly owned subsidiary Ethan Allen Global, Inc. ("Global"), and Global’s subsidiaries (collectively "We", "Us", "Our", "Ethan Allen", or the "Company"). All intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated in the consolidated financial statements. All of Global's capital stock is owned by Interiors, which has no assets or operating results other than those associated with its investment in Global.

We prepare our consolidated financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States, which requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the consolidated financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Due to the inherent uncertainty involved in making those estimates, actual results could differ from those estimates. Areas in which significant estimates have been made include, but are not limited to, revenue recognition, the allowance for doubtful accounts receivable, inventory obsolescence, tax valuation allowances, useful lives for property, plant and equipment and definite-lived intangible assets, goodwill and indefinite-lived intangible asset impairment analyses, the evaluation of uncertain tax positions and the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed in business combinations.

Our consolidated financial statements include the accounts of a business entity which began operating a new Ethan Allen design center in Florida in fiscal 2012. Our consolidated financial statements include the accounts of this entity because we are a majority shareholder and have the power to direct the activities that most significantly impact the entity's performance. Noncontrolling interest amounts in the entity, which are immaterial, are included in the Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income within interest and other miscellaneous income, net.

For the three and nine months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, the Company has presented selling, general and administrative expenses as a single line on the Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income, to remove information we believe is not meaningful and to improve comparability with peer companies. Selling expenses, general and administrative expenses, and restructuring and impairment charges had previously been presented separately.

## (2) Interim Financial Presentation

In our opinion, all adjustments, consisting only of normal recurring adjustments necessary for fair presentation, have been included in the consolidated financial statements. The results of operations for the three and nine months ended March 31, 2013 are not necessarily indicative of results that may be expected for the entire fiscal year. The interim consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and accompanying notes included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2012.

## (3) Income Taxes

The Company reviews its expected annual effective income tax rates and makes changes on a quarterly basis as necessary based on certain factors such as changes in forecasted annual operating income; changes to actual or forecasted permanent book to tax differences; impacts from future tax audits with state, federal or foreign tax authorities; impacts from tax law changes; or change in judgment as to the realizability of deferred tax assets. The Company identifies items which are not normal and are non-recurring in nature and treats these as discrete events. The

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tax effect of discrete items is recorded in the quarter in which the discrete events occur. Due to the volatility of these factors, the Company's consolidated effective income tax rate can change significantly on a quarterly basis.

The Company conducts business globally and, as a result, the Company or one or more of its subsidiaries files income tax returns in the U.S., various state, and foreign jurisdictions. In the normal course of business, the Company is subject to examination by the taxing authorities in such major jurisdictions as the U.S, Canada, Mexico and Honduras. As of March 31, 2013, the Company and certain subsidiaries are currently under audit from 2006 through 2010 in the U.S. While the amount of uncertain tax benefits with respect to the entities and years under audit may change within the next twelve months, it is not anticipated that any of the changes will be significant. It is reasonably possible that some of these audits may be completed during the next twelve months. It is reasonable to expect that various issues relating to uncertain tax benefits will be resolved within the next twelve months as exams are completed or as statutes expire and will impact the effective tax rate.

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As a result of losses we sustained for fiscal 2010 and 2009, which were brought on by the severe economic factors which began in fiscal 2009, we recorded a $\$ 34.1$ million valuation allowance against deferred tax assets, with a non-cash charge to earnings in the fourth quarter of fiscal 2010. At the end of the third quarter of fiscal 2012, our operations had returned to a position of cumulative pre-tax operating profits for the most recent 36 month period, we had eight consecutive quarters of pre-tax operating profits, our written business and backlog had grown significantly, and our business plan projected continued profitability. The preponderance of this positive evidence provides support that our future tax benefits more likely than not will be realized. Accordingly, at the end of the third quarter of fiscal 2012, we released all of United States federal, most of the state, and all of the Canadian valuation allowance against net deferred tax assets. We recorded a tax benefit of $\$ 21.6$ million for the reversal of the valuation allowance against those assets, with a non-cash benefit to earnings in the quarter ended March 31, 2012.

We retained a valuation allowance against various state and local deferred tax assets in our retail segment. At March 31, 2013 this valuation allowance was approximately $\$ 2.3$ million.

The Company's consolidated effective tax rate was $32.2 \%$ and $35.4 \%$ for the three and nine months ended March 31, 2013, respectively and a negative $378.7 \%$ and a negative $46.6 \%$ for the three and nine months ended March 31, 2012 respectively. The current quarter effective tax rate primarily includes tax expense on the current quarter's net income, interest expense on uncertain tax positions, and the impact of maintaining valuation allowances, partly offset by the recognition of some uncertain tax positions. The prior period effective tax rate includes the benefit from the reversal of the valuation allowance, and the recognition of previously unrecognized tax benefits, partly offset by the tax expense on the current quarter's net income, interest expense on uncertain tax positions, and the impact of maintaining valuation allowances on deferred tax assets in the retail segment.

## (4) Restricted Cash and Investments

At both March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012, we held $\$ 15.4$ million of restricted cash and investments in lieu of providing letters of credit for the benefit of the provider of our workmen's compensation and other insurance and for the benefit of the issuer of our private label credit card. These funds can be invested in high quality money market mutual funds, U.S. Treasuries and U.S. Government agency fixed income instruments, and cannot be withdrawn without the prior written consent of the secured party. These assets are carried at cost, which approximates market value and are classified as long-term assets because they are not expected to be used within one year to fund operations. See also Note 12, "Fair Value Measurements".

## (5) Marketable Securities

At March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012, the Company held marketable securities of $\$ 18.2$ million and $\$ 9.0$ million respectively, classified as current assets, consisting of U.S. municipal and corporate bonds with maturities ranging from less than one year to less than two years, which were rated A/A2 or better by the rating services Standard \& Poors ("S\&P") and Moodys Investors Service ("Moodys") respectively. There have been no material realized or unrealized gains or losses for the nine months ended March 31, 2013 and March 31, 2012. We do not believe there are any impairments considered to be other than temporary at March 31, 2013. Also see Note 12, "Fair Value Measurements"

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(6) Inventories

Inventories at March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012 are summarized as follows (in thousands):

|  | March 31, <br> 2013 | June 30, <br> 2012 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\$ 112,510$ | $\$ 119,978$ |
| Finished goods | 6,929 | 8,638 |
| Work in process | 22,602 | 27,123 |
| Raw materials | $\$ 142,041$ | $\$ 155,739$ |

Inventories are presented net of a related valuation allowance of $\$ 2.9$ million at March 31, 2013 and $\$ 2.7$ million at June 30, 2012.

## (7) Borrowings

Total debt obligations at March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012 consist of the following (in thousands):

|  | March 31, | June 30, |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2013 | 2012 |
| 5.375\% Senior Notes due 2015 | $\$ 153,078$ | $\$ 152,986$ |
| Capital leases and other | 2,227 | 1,514 |
| Total debt | 155,305 | 154,500 |
| Less current maturities | 469 | 250 |
| Total long-term debt | $\$ 154,836$ | $\$ 154,250$ |

In September 2005, we issued $\$ 200.0$ million in ten-year senior unsecured notes due 2015 (the "Senior Notes"). The Senior Notes were issued by Global, bearing an annual coupon rate of $5.375 \%$ with interest payable semi-annually in arrears on April 1 and October 1. We have used the net proceeds of $\$ 198.4$ million to improve our retail network, invest in our manufacturing and logistics operations, and for other general corporate purposes. During the full fiscal years 2012 and 2011, the Company reduced its Senior Notes by an aggregate face value of $\$ 46.6$ million through unsolicited purchases.

We also maintain a $\$ 50$ million senior secured, asset-based revolving credit facility (the "Facility"). We have not had any revolving loans under the Facility at any time. At March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012, there were $\$ 0.6$ million of standby letters of credit outstanding under the Facility. The Facility is subject to borrowing base availability and includes a right for the Company to increase the total facility to $\$ 100$ million subject to certain conditions. The Facility is secured by all property owned, leased or operated by the Company in the United States excluding any real property owned by the Company and contains customary covenants which may limit the Company's ability to incur debt, engage in mergers and consolidations, make restricted payments (including dividends), sell certain assets, and make investments. Remaining availability under the Facility totaled $\$ 49.4$ million at March 31, 2013 and at June 30, 2012 and as a result, covenants and other restricted payment limitations did not apply. The Facility expires March 25, 2016, or June 26, 2015 if the Senior Notes have not been refinanced prior to that date.

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At March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012, we were in compliance with all covenants of the Senior Notes and the Facility.
(8) Litigation

## Environmental Matters

We and our subsidiaries are subject to various environmental laws and regulations. Under these laws, we and/or our subsidiaries are, or may be, required to remove or mitigate the effects on the environment of the disposal or release of certain hazardous materials. As of March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012, we believe that the Company was adequately reserved. We believe our currently anticipated capital expenditures for environmental control facility matters are not material.

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We are subject to other federal, state and local environmental protection laws and regulations and are involved, from time to time, in investigations and proceedings regarding environmental matters. Such investigations and proceedings typically concern air emissions, water discharges, and/or management of solid and hazardous wastes. We believe that our facilities are in material compliance with all such applicable laws and regulations.

Regulations issued under the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990 required the industry to reformulate certain furniture finishes or institute process changes to reduce emissions of volatile organic compounds. Compliance with many of these requirements has been facilitated through the introduction of high solids coating technology and alternative formulations. In addition, we have instituted a variety of technical and procedural controls, including reformulation of finishing materials to reduce toxicity, implementation of high velocity low pressure spray systems, development of storm water protection plans and controls, and further development of related inspection/audit teams, all of which have served to reduce emissions per unit of production. We remain committed to implementing new waste minimization programs and/or enhancing existing programs with the objective of (i) reducing the total volume of waste, (ii) limiting the liability associated with waste disposal, and (iii) continuously improving environmental and job safety programs on the factory floor which serve to minimize emissions and safety risks for employees. We will continue to evaluate the most appropriate, cost effective, control technologies for finishing operations and design production methods to reduce the use of hazardous materials in the manufacturing process.

## (9) Share-Based Compensation

During the nine months ended March 31, 2013, the Company awarded options to purchase 74,082 shares of our common stock with a weighted average exercise price per share of $\$ 22.42$, a weighted average fair value per share of $\$ 9.96$ and vesting periods ranging from three to four years. During the nine months ended March 31, 2013, options covering 623,500 shares of common stock were cancelled, primarily due to the expiration of their 10 year term. At March 31, 2013, there are 1,055,682 shares of common stock available for future issuance pursuant to the 1992 Stock Option Plan.

## (10) Earnings Per Share

Basic and diluted earnings per share are calculated using the following weighted average share data (in thousands):

|  | Three months ended <br> March 31, |  | Nine months ended <br> March 31, |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2013 | 2012 | 2013 | 2012 |

As of March 31, 2013 and 2012, stock options to purchase 885,600 and 1,540,000 common shares, respectively, were excluded from the respective diluted earnings per share calculation because their impact was anti-dilutive.

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## (11) Comprehensive Income

Our accumulated other comprehensive income, which is comprised of losses on certain derivative instruments, accumulated foreign currency translation adjustments, and unrealized gain and loss on investments, totaled $\$ 1.6$ million at March 31, 2013 and $\$ 1.1$ million at June 30, 2012. Foreign currency translation adjustments are the result of changes in foreign currency exchange rates related to our operations in Canada, Mexico, Honduras and Belgium. Foreign currency translation adjustments exclude income tax expense (benefit) given that the earnings of non-U.S. subsidiaries are deemed to be reinvested for an indefinite period of time. Beginning with the first quarter of fiscal 2013, the company reports comprehensive income in a single continuous statement of comprehensive income. See also Note 14, "Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements".
(12) Fair Value Measurements

We determine fair value as the price that would be received upon sale of an asset or paid upon transfer of a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date and in the principal or most advantageous market for that asset or liability. The fair value is calculated based on assumptions that market participants use in pricing the asset or liability, and not on assumptions specific to the Company. In addition, the fair value of liabilities includes consideration of non-performance risk including our own credit risk. Each fair value measurement is reported in one of three levels, determined by the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety. These levels are:

Level 1 Inputs are based upon unadjusted quoted prices for identical instruments traded in active markets.
Level 2 Inputs are based upon quoted prices for similar instruments in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar instruments in markets that are not active, and model-based valuation techniques for which all significant assumptions are observable in the market or can be corroborated by observable market data for substantially the full term of the assets or liabilities.

Level 3 Inputs are generally unobservable and typically reflect management's estimates of assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. The fair values are therefore determined using model-based techniques that include option pricing models, discounted cash flow models, and similar techniques.

The following section describes the valuation methodologies we use to measure different financial assets and liabilities at fair value.

Assets and Liabilities Measured at Fair Value on a Recurring Basis
The following table presents our assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis at March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012 (in thousands):

March 31, 2013
Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 Balance

| Cash equivalents | $\$ 99,075$ | $\$-$ | $\$-$ | $\$ 99,075$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Available-for-sale securities | - | 18,176 | - | 18,176 |
| Total | $\$ 99,075$ | $\$ 18,176$ | $\$-$ | $\$ 117,251$ |


|  | June 30, 2012 |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | Balance |
| Cash equivalents | $\$ 95,137$ | $\$-$ | $\$-$ | $\$ 95,137$ |
| Available-for-sale securities | - | 9,005 | - | 9,005 |
| Total | $\$ 95,137$ | $\$ 9,005$ | $\$-$ | $\$ 104,142$ |

Cash equivalents consist of money market accounts and mutual funds in U.S. government and agency fixed income securities. We use quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities to determine fair value. There were no transfers between level 1 and level 2 during the first nine months of fiscal 2013 or fiscal 2012. At both March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012, $\$ 15.4$ million of the cash equivalents were restricted, and classified as a long-term asset.

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At March 31, 2013, available-for-sale securities consist of $\$ 16.7$ million in U.S. municipal bonds and $\$ 1.5$ million of corporate bonds, and at June 30, 2012, available-for-sale securities consisted of $\$ 7.5$ million in U.S. municipal bonds and $\$ 1.5$ million of corporate bonds, all with maturities of less than two years. The bonds are rated A/A2 or better by S\&P/Moodys respectively. As of March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012, there were no material gross unrealized gains or losses on available-for-sale securities.

As of March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012, the contractual maturities of our available-for-sale securities were as follows:

March 31, 2013

|  |  | Costimated Fair |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Value |  |
| Due in one year or less | $\$ 15,053$ | $\$ 14,987$ |
| Due after one year through five years | $\$ 3,183$ | $\$ 3,189$ |

June 30, 2012

|  | Cost |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | | Estimated Fair |
| :---: |
| Value |

No investments have been in a continuous loss position for more than one year, and no other-than-temporary impairments were recognized. Also see Note 4, "Restricted Cash and Investments" and Note 5, "Marketable Securities".

Assets and Liabilities Measured at Fair Value on a Non-recurring Basis
We measure certain assets at fair value on a non-recurring basis. These assets are recognized at fair value when they are deemed to be impaired. During the nine month period ended March 31, 2013 we recorded a $\$ 1.6$ million impairment against assets held for sale, and during the nine months ended March 31, 2012, we did not record any impairments on those assets required to be measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis.

## (13) Segment Information

Our operations are classified into two operating segments: wholesale and retail. These operating segments represent strategic business areas which, although they operate separately and provide their own distinctive services, enable us to more effectively offer our complete line of home furnishings and accessories.

The wholesale segment is principally involved in the development of the Ethan Allen brand, which encompasses the design, manufacture, domestic and offshore sourcing, sale and distribution of a full range of home furnishings and accessories to a network of independently operated and Ethan Allen operated design centers as well as related marketing and brand awareness efforts. Wholesale revenue is generated upon the wholesale sale and shipment of our product to all retail design centers, including those operated by Ethan Allen. Wholesale profitability includes (i) the wholesale gross margin, which represents the difference between the wholesale sales price and the cost associated

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with manufacturing and/or sourcing the related product, and (ii) other operating costs associated with wholesale segment activities.

The retail segment sells home furnishings and accessories to consumers through a network of Company operated design centers. Retail revenue is generated upon the retail sale and delivery of our product to our customers. Retail profitability includes (i) the retail gross margin, which represents the difference between the retail sales price and the cost of goods purchased from the wholesale segment, and (ii) other operating costs associated with retail segment activities.

Inter-segment eliminations result, primarily, from the wholesale sale of inventory to the retail segment, including the related profit margin.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (Unaudited)
We evaluate performance of the respective segments based upon revenues and operating income. While the manner in which our home furnishings and accessories are marketed and sold is consistent, the nature of the underlying recorded sales (i.e. wholesale versus retail) and the specific services that each operating segment provides (i.e. wholesale manufacturing, sourcing, and distribution versus retail selling) are different. Within the wholesale segment, we maintain revenue information according to each respective product line (i.e. case goods, upholstery, or home accessories and other). The allocation of retail sales by product line is reasonably similar to that of the wholesale segment. A breakdown of wholesale sales by these product lines for the three and nine months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 is provided as follows:

|  | Three months ended |  |  | Nine months ended |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2013 | March 31, | March 31, |  |  |  |  |
|  | 36 | $\%$ | 39 | $\%$ | 37 | $\%$ | 39 |

Segment information for the three and nine months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 is provided below (in thousands):

|  | Three months ended March 31, |  | Nine months ended March 31, |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2013 | 2012 | 2013 | 2012 |  |
| Net sales: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wholesale segment | \$ 108,101 | \$121,044 | \$327,690 | \$344,069 |  |
| Retail segment | 132,056 | 131,402 | 432,962 | 415,687 |  |
| Elimination of inter-company sales | (72,013 | ) $(76,585$ | ) $(213,820$ | ) $(215,699$ | ) |
| Consolidated Total | \$ 168,144 | \$175,861 | \$546,832 | \$544,057 |  |
| Operating income (loss): |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wholesale segment | \$ 12,754 | \$18,191 | \$37,651 | \$49,584 |  |
| Retail segment | (2,283 | ) $(6,549$ | ) 4,782 | (10,578 | ) |
| Adjustment of inter-company profit (1) | (1,811 | ) $(3,855$ | ) 1,538 | (3,643 | ) |
| Consolidated Total | \$8,660 | \$7,787 | \$43,971 | \$35,363 |  |
| Depreciation \& Amortization: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wholesale segment | \$2,135 | \$1,733 | \$6,116 | \$5,717 |  |
| Retail segment | 2,413 | 2,777 | 7,398 | 8,375 |  |
| Consolidated Total | \$4,548 | \$4,510 | \$13,514 | \$14,092 |  |
| Capital expenditures: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wholesale segment | \$1,381 | \$1,366 | \$6,024 | \$9,769 |  |
| Retail segment | 1,599 | 7,078 | 10,521 | 10,067 |  |
| Acquisitions | - | 520 | 598 | 520 |  |
| Consolidated Total | \$2,980 | \$8,964 | \$17,143 | \$20,356 |  |

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|  | March 31, <br>  <br> Total Assets: | June 30, <br> 2012 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Wholesale segment | $\$ 305,171$ | $\$ 309,573$ |
| Retail segment | 362,950 | 366,594 |
| Inventory profit elimination (2) | $(29,815$ | $(31,379$ |
| Consolidated Total | $\$ 638,306$ | $\$ 644,788$ |

(1)Represents the change in wholesale profit contained in the retail segment inventory at the end of the period. (2)Represents the wholesale profit contained in the retail segment inventory that has not yet been realized. These profits are realized when the related inventory is sold.

At both March 31 of 2013 and 2012, there were 86 independent retail design centers located outside the United States. Approximately $5.4 \%$ of our net sales during the current nine months were derived from sales to international retail design centers compared with $6.5 \%$ in the comparable prior year period.

## (14) Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements

In June 2011, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued ASU 2011-05, "Presentation of Comprehensive Income". This ASU increases the prominence of items reported in other comprehensive income by eliminating the option to present components of other comprehensive income as part of the statement of changes in stockholders' equity. The amendment requires that all non-owner changes in stockholders' equity be presented either in a single continuous statement of comprehensive income or in two separate but consecutive statements. The amendments do not change the items that must be reported in other comprehensive income. The Company adopted this ASU in the first quarter of fiscal 2013 and included a single continuous statement.
(15) Financial Information About the Parent, the Issuer and the Guarantors

On September 27, 2005, Global (the "Issuer") issued $\$ 200$ million aggregate principal amount of Senior Notes which have been guaranteed on a senior basis by Interiors (the "Parent"), and other wholly owned domestic subsidiaries of the Issuer and the Parent, including Ethan Allen Retail, Inc., Ethan Allen Operations, Inc., Ethan Allen Realty, LLC, Lake Avenue Associates, Inc. and Manor House, Inc. The subsidiary guarantors (other than the Parent) are collectively called the "Guarantors". The guarantees of the Guarantors are unsecured. All of the guarantees are full, unconditional and joint and several and the Issuer and each of the Guarantors are $100 \%$ owned by the Parent. Our other subsidiaries which are not guarantors are called the "Non-Guarantors".

ETHAN ALLEN INTERIORS INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES<br>Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (Unaudited)

The following tables set forth the condensed consolidating balance sheets as of March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012, the condensed consolidating statements of operations for the three and nine months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, and the condensed consolidating statements of cash flows for the nine months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 of the Parent, the Issuer, the Guarantors and the Non-Guarantors.

## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING BALANCE SHEET

(In thousands)
March 31, 2013

|  | Parent | Issuer | Guarantors |  | -Guarantors | Eliminations | Consolidated |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Assets |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Current assets: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$- | \$67,474 | \$ 13,001 | \$ | 3,170 | \$ | \$ 83,645 |
| Marketable securities | - | 18,176 | - |  | - | - | 18,176 |
| Accounts receivable, net | - | 11,112 | 231 |  | 1 | - | 11,344 |
| Inventories | - | - | 166,520 |  | 5,336 | (29,815 ) | 142,041 |
| Prepaid expenses and other current assets | - | 8,062 | 12,744 |  | 1,774 | - | 22,580 |
| Intercompany receivables | - | 844,039 | 295,163 |  | (8,372 ) | (1,130,830) |  |
| Total current assets | - | 948,863 | 487,659 |  | 1,909 | (1,160,645) | 277,786 |
| Property, plant and equipment, net | - | 9,656 | 267,586 |  | 16,838 | - | 294,080 |
| Goodwill and other intangible assets | - | 37,905 | 7,223 |  | - | - | 45,128 |
| Restricted cash and investments | - | 15,430 | - |  | - | - | 15,430 |
| Other assets | - | 3,507 | 1,558 |  | 817 | - | 5,882 |
| Investment in affiliated companies | 678,728 | $(112,156)$ | - |  | - | (566,572 ) | - |
| Total assets | \$678,728 | \$903,205 | \$764,026 | \$ | 19,564 | \$ $(1,727,217)$ | \$ 638,306 |
| Liabilities and Shareholders' |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Current liabilities: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Current maturities of long-term debt | \$- | \$- | \$469 | \$ | - | \$ - | \$ 469 |
| Customer deposits | - | - | 56,957 |  | 2,575 | - | 59,532 |
| Accounts payable | - | 9,879 | 15,012 |  | 525 | - | 25,416 |
| Accrued expenses and other current liabilities | 2,747 | 31,751 | 14,471 |  | 1,270 | - | 50,239 |
| Intercompany payables | 346,831 | (2,723 ) | 770,576 |  | 16,146 | (1,130,830) | - |
| Total current liabilities | 349,578 | 38,907 | 857,485 |  | 20,516 | (1,130,830) | 135,656 |
| Long-term debt | - | 153,078 | 1,758 |  | - | - | 154,836 |
| Other long-term liabilities | - | 3,926 | 14,524 |  | 214 | - | 18,664 |
| Total liabilities | 349,578 | 195,911 | 873,767 |  | 20,730 | (1,130,830) | 309,156 |
| Shareholders' equity | 329,150 | 707,294 | (109,741) |  | (1,166 ) | (596,387 ) | 329,150 |
| Total liabilities and shareholders equity | \$678,728 | \$903,205 | \$764,026 | \$ | 19,564 | \$ (1,727,217) | \$ 638,306 |

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## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING BALANCE SHEET

(In thousands)
June 30, 2012
Parent Issuer Guarantors Non-Guarantors Eliminations Consolidated
Assets
Current assets:

| Cash and cash equivalents | \$- | \$64,946 | \$ 12,276 | \$ | 2,499 |  |  | 79,721 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Marketable securities | - | 9,005 | - |  | - |  | - | 9,005 |
| Accounts receivable, net | - | 14,648 | 263 |  | 8 |  | - | 14,919 |
| Inventories | - | - | 182,382 |  | 4,736 |  | (31,379 ) | 155,739 |
| Prepaid expenses and other current assets | - | 6,191 | 14,689 |  | 2,528 |  | - | 23,408 |
| Intercompany receivables | - | 829,913 | 273,536 |  | (8,515 |  | $(1,094,934)$ | - |
| Total current assets | - | 924,703 | 483,146 |  | 1,256 |  | (1,126,313 ) | 282,792 |
| Property, plant and equipm net | - | 9,078 | 272,228 |  | 14,389 |  | - | 295,695 |


| Goodwill and other intangible |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| assets | - | 37,905 | 7,223 | - | - | 45,128 |
| Restricted cash and investments | - | 15,416 | - | - | - | 15,416 |
| Other assets | - | 4,948 | 809 | - | - | 5,757 |

Investment in affiliated

| companies | 652,868 | $(108,864)$ | - |  | $(544,004$ | - |  |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total assets | $\$ 652,868$ | $\$ 883,186$ | $\$ 763,406$ | $\$$ | 15,645 | $\$(1,670,317)$ | $\$ 644,788$ |

Liabilities and Shareholders'
Equity

| Current liabilities: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current maturities of long-term debt | \$- | \$- | \$ 250 | \$ | - | \$ | \$ 250 |
| Customer deposits | - | - | 62,479 |  | 2,986 | - | 65,465 |
| Accounts payable | - | 7,126 | 19,695 |  | 494 | - | 27,315 |
| Accrued expenses and other current liabilities | 2,713 | 35,752 | 18,537 |  | 1,045 | - | 58,047 |
| Intercompany payables | 328,287 | 327 | 756,513 |  | 9,807 | (1,094,934) | - |
| Total current liabilities | 331,000 | 43,205 | 857,474 |  | 14,332 | (1,094,934) | 151,077 |
| Long-term debt | - | 152,986 | 1,264 |  | - | - | 154,250 |
| Other long-term liabilities | - | 3,641 | 13,874 |  | 78 | - | 17,593 |
| Total liabilities | 331,000 | 199,832 | 872,612 |  | 14,410 | $(1,094,934)$ | 322,920 |
| Shareholders' equity | 321,868 | 683,354 | $(109,206)$ |  | 1,235 | (575,383 ) | 321,868 |
| Total liabilities and shareholders equity | \$652,868 | \$883,186 | \$ 763,406 | \$ | 15,645 | \$ (1,670,317) | \$ 644,788 |

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## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS <br> (In thousands)

Three months ended March 31, 2013

|  | Parent | Issuer | Guarantors |  | Non-Guara |  | Elimination |  | Consolidated |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | \$- | \$ 108,595 | \$ 188,589 |  | \$ 9,311 |  | \$ (138,351 |  | \$ 168,144 |
| Cost of sales |  | 81,631 | 124,977 |  | 5,959 |  | (136,208) |  | 76,359 |
| Gross profit | - | 26,964 | 63,612 |  | 3,352 |  | (2,143 | ) | 91,785 |
| Total operating expenses | 45 | 12,817 | 65,310 |  | 4,953 |  | - |  | 83,125 |
| Operating income (loss) | (45 | 14,147 | (1,698 |  | (1,601 | ) | (2,143 | ) | 8,660 |
| Interest and other miscellaneous income, net | 4,419 | (2,404 | 5 |  | (131 | ) | (1,899 | ) | (10 |
| Interest and other related financing costs | - | 2,180 | 15 |  | - |  | - |  | 2,195 |
| Income (loss) before income taxes | 4,374 | 9,563 | (1,708 |  | (1,732 | ) | (4,042 | ) | 6,455 |
| Income tax expense (benefit) | - | 3,001 | (943 | ) | 23 |  | - |  | 2,081 |
| Net income/(loss) | \$4,374 | \$6,562 | \$(765 | \$ | \$ (1,755 | ) | \$ (4,042 | ) | \$ 4,374 |

Three months ended March 31, 2012

|  | Parent | Issuer | Guarantors |  | on-Guara |  | Elimination |  | Consolidated |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | \$- | \$ 121,425 | \$ 191,275 | \$ | 7,971 |  | \$ (144,810 |  | \$ 175,861 |
| Cost of sales |  | 89,850 | 127,738 |  | 4,704 |  | (140,706 |  | 81,586 |
| Gross profit | - | 31,575 | 63,537 |  | 3,267 |  | (4,104 | ) | 94,275 |
| Total operating expenses | 45 | 11,969 | 70,764 |  | 3,710 |  | - |  | 86,488 |
| Operating income (loss) | (45 | 19,606 | (7,227 |  | (443 | ) | (4,104 | ) | 7,787 |
| Interest and other miscellaneous income, net | 27,593 | (6,598 ) | 66 |  | (36 | ) | (20,868 | ) | 157 |
| Interest and other related financing costs |  | 2,180 | 9 |  | - |  | - |  | 2,189 |
| Income (loss) before income taxes | 27,548 | 10,828 | (7,170 |  | (479 | ) | (24,972 | ) | 5,755 |
| Income tax expense (benefit) | - | (20,869 ) | (947 |  | 23 |  | - |  | (21,793 |
| Net income/(loss) | \$27,548 | \$31,697 | \$(6,223 | \$ | (502 | ) | \$ (24,972 |  | \$ 27,548 |

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## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS <br> (In thousands) <br> Nine months ended March 31, 2013

|  | Parent | Issuer | Guarantors |  | Non-Guaran |  | Elimination |  | Consolidated |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | \$- | \$327,987 | \$ 594,200 |  | \$ 29,040 |  | \$ (404,395 |  | \$ 546,832 |
| Cost of sales | - | 247,433 | 387,459 |  | 17,894 |  | (405,959 |  | 246,827 |
| Gross profit | - | 80,554 | 206,741 |  | 11,146 |  | 1,564 |  | 300,005 |
| Total operating expenses | 135 | 35,171 | 207,116 |  | 13,612 |  |  |  | 256,034 |
| Operating income (loss) | (135 | 45,383 | (375 | ) | (2,466 | ) | 1,564 |  | 43,971 |
| Interest and other miscellaneous income, net | 24,419 | (2,923 | 30 |  | (206 | ) | (21,128 | ) | 192 |
| Interest and other related financing costs | - | 6,546 | 46 |  | - |  | - |  | 6,592 |
| Income (loss) before income taxes | 24,284 | 35,914 | (391 ) | ) | (2,672 | ) | (19,564 | ) | 37,571 |
| Income tax expense | - | 13,059 | 159 |  | 69 |  | - |  | 13,287 |
| Net income/(loss) | \$24,284 | \$22,855 | \$(550 ) | ) \$ | \$ $(2,741$ | ) | \$ (19,564 | ) | \$ 24,284 |

Nine months ended March 31, 2012

|  | Parent | Issuer | Guarantors |  | on-Guarantors | Eliminations | Consolidated |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | \$- | \$343,988 | \$582,651 | \$ | 25,399 | \$ (407,981) | \$ 544,057 |
| Cost of sales | - | 256,237 | 387,435 |  | 14,340 | (404,334 ) | 253,678 |
| Gross profit |  | 87,751 | 195,216 |  | 11,059 | (3,647 | 290,379 |
| Total operating expenses | 135 | 34,427 | 209,908 |  | 10,546 |  | 255,016 |
| Operating income (loss) | (135 | 53,324 | (14,692 |  | 513 | (3,647 | 35,363 |
| Interest and other miscellaneous income, net | 42,530 | $(13,108)$ | 211 |  | (30 | (29,241 | 362 |
| Interest and other related financing costs | - | 6,805 | 9 |  | - | - | 6,814 |
| Income (loss) before income taxes | 42,395 | 33,411 | (14,490 |  | 483 | (32,888 | 28,911 |
| Income tax expense (benefit) | - | (12,766 ) | (777 |  | 59 | - | (13,484 |
| Net income/(loss) | \$42,395 | \$46,177 | \$ (13,713 | \$ | 424 | \$ (32,888 | \$ 42,395 |

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## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS <br> (In thousands) <br> Nine months ended March 31, 2013

| Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities | Parent | Issuer | Guarantors | Non-Guarantors Eliminations Consolidated |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | \$18,360 | \$12,214 | \$ 10,950 | \$ | 2,921 |  | \$ - | \$ 44,445 |
| Cash flows from investing activities: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Capital expenditures | - | (1,115 | ) $(13,165$ |  | (2,265 | ) | - | (16,545 ) |
| Acquisitions | - | - | (598 |  | - |  | - | (598 ) |
| Proceeds from the disposal of property, plant and equipment | - | 51 | 3,175 |  | - |  | - | 3,226 |
| Change in restricted cash and investments | - | (14 | ) |  | - |  | - | (14 ) |
| Purchases of marketable securities | - | (17,547 | ) |  |  |  | - | (17,547 |
| Sales of marketable securities | - | 7,990 | - |  |  |  | - | 7,990 |
| Other | - | 783 | 550 |  | - |  | - | 1,333 |
| Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities | - | (9,852 | ) (10,038 |  | (2,265 | ) | - | (22,155 ) |
| Cash flows from financing activities: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Payments on long-term debt | - | - | (187 |  | - |  | - | (187 |
| Dividends paid | (19,617 ) |  | - |  | - |  | - | (19,617 |
| Other | 1,257 | 166 | - |  | - |  | - | 1,423 |
| Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities | (18,360 ) | 166 | (187 |  | - |  | - | (18,381 |
| Effect of exchange rate changes on cash | - | - | - |  | 15 |  | - | 15 |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | - | 2,528 | 725 |  | 671 |  | - | 3,924 |
| Cash and cash equivalents beginning of period | - | 64,946 | 12,276 |  | 2,499 |  | - | 79,721 |
| Cash and cash equivalents - end of period | \$- | \$67,474 | \$ 13,001 | \$ | 3,170 |  | \$ - | \$ 83,645 |

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## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS <br> (In thousands) <br> Nine months ended March 31, 2012

|  | Parent | Issuer | Guarantors |  | Non-Guarantors Eliminations Consolidated |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities | \$6,668 | \$2,161 | \$ 16,667 |  | \$ 2,337 |  | \$ - | \$ 27,833 |
| Cash flows from investing activities: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Capital expenditures | - | (1,592 | ) $(16,833$ | ) | (1,411 | ) | - | (19,836 ) |
| Acquisitions | - | - | (520 | ) | - |  | - | (520 |
| Proceeds from the disposal of property, plant and equipment | - | - | 1,792 |  | - |  | - | 1,792 |
| Change in restricted cash and investments | - | 981 | - |  | - |  | - | 981 |
| Purchases of marketable securities | - | (3,290 | ) |  | - |  |  | (3,290 |
| Sales of marketable securities | - | 4,675 | - |  | - |  | - | 4,675 |
| Other | - | 262 | 511 |  | - |  | - | 773 |
| Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities | - | 1,036 | (15,050 | ) | (1,411 | ) | - | (15,425 ) |
| Cash flows from financing activities: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Payments on long-term debt | - | (11,918 | (227 | ) | - |  | - | (12,145 ) |
| Dividends paid | (6,046 | ) - | - |  | - |  | - | (6,046 |
| Purchases and other retirements of company stock | (847 | - | - |  | - |  | - | (847 ) |
| Other | 225 | - | 275 |  | - |  | - | 500 |
| Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities | (6,668 | (11,918 | ) 48 |  | - |  | - | (18,538 ) |
| Effect of exchange rate changes on cash | - | - | - |  | 741 |  | - | 741 |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | - | (8,721 | ) 1,665 |  | 1,667 |  | - | (5,389 ) |
| Cash and cash equivalents beginning of period | - | 69,763 | 7,716 |  | 1,040 |  | - | 78,519 |
| Cash and cash equivalents - end of period | \$- | \$61,042 | \$9,381 |  | \$ 2,707 |  | \$ - | \$ 73,130 |

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Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations
The following discussion of financial condition and results of operations should be read in conjunction with (i) our Consolidated Financial Statements, and notes thereto, included in Item 1 of Part I of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q and (ii) our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2012.

## Forward-Looking Statements

Management's discussion and analysis of financial condition and results of operations and other sections of this Quarterly Report contain forward-looking statements relating to our future results. Such forward-looking statements are identified by use of forward-looking words such as "anticipates", "believes", "plans", "estimates", "expects", and "intends" or words or phrases of similar expression. These forward-looking statements are subject to management decisions and various assumptions, risks and uncertainties, including, but not limited to: the potential effects of natural disasters affecting our suppliers or trading partners; the effects of labor strikes; weather conditions that may affect sales; volatility in fuel, utility, transportation and security costs; changes in global or regional political or economic conditions, including changes in governmental and central bank policies; changes in business conditions in the furniture industry, including changes in consumer spending patterns and demand for home furnishings; effects of our brand awareness and marketing programs, including changes in demand for our existing and new products; our ability to locate new design center sites and/or negotiate favorable lease terms for additional design centers or for the expansion of existing design centers; competitive factors, including changes in products or marketing efforts of others; pricing pressures; fluctuations in interest rates and the cost, availability and quality of raw materials; the effects of terrorist attacks or conflicts or wars involving the United States or its allies or trading partners; those matters discussed in Items 1A and 7A of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2012 and in our SEC filings; and our future decisions. Accordingly, actual circumstances and results could differ materially from those contemplated by the forward-looking statements.

## Critical Accounting Policies

The Company's consolidated financial statements are based on the accounting policies used. Certain accounting polices require that estimates and assumptions be made by management for use in the preparation of the financial statements. Critical accounting policies are those that are central to the presentation of the Company's financial condition and results and that require subjective or complex estimates by management. There have been no material changes with respect to the Company's critical accounting policies from those disclosed in its 2012 Annual Report on Form 10-K filed with the SEC on August 16, 2012.

For the three and nine months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, the Company has presented selling, general and administrative expenses as a single line on the Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income to remove information we believe is not meaningful and to improve comparability with peer companies. Selling expenses, general and administrative expenses, and restructuring and impairment charges had previously been presented separately.

Results of Operations
Our consolidated net sales and income before income taxes have improved year to date by $0.5 \%$ and $30.0 \%$ respectively over the prior year to date period. This has been driven largely by improvements in our retail segment's net sales and profitability, which have improved for several consecutive quarters as compared to the same prior year
periods and has more than offset declines in our wholesale segment's results during the first nine months of fiscal 2013.

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In our prior fiscal year ended June 30, 2012, we replaced the majority of the prototype products displayed on our design center floors primarily during the final three quarters of the 2012 fiscal year. This resulted in higher shipments from our wholesale operations, especially during the third quarter of fiscal year 2012. To make room for these products, our retail locations held frequent clearance events and incurred costs to facilitate new floor layouts. These efforts negatively affected retail results in the prior year but benefitted our wholesale business. We believe these product enhancements have positively contributed to our results in the current fiscal year. In our third fiscal quarter ended March 31, 2013, our wholesale shipments were also negatively affected by lower shipments to our international independent retailers, primarily in China. While consumer demand for Ethan Allen products in China grew, our independent retailer had accumulated inventory to support even higher sales and in anticipation of a higher number of design center openings. Our results in the third quarter of fiscal 2013 were also negatively affected by the adverse timing of the Easter and Passover holidays falling in March of 2013 versus April of 2012, and entering the quarter with lower backlogs due to design center temporary closures during Hurricane Sandy in our second quarter of fiscal 2013.

During the first nine months of fiscal 2013 we opened design centers in Montreal, Canada and Brussels, Belgium, initially incurring losses in these startup locations. We also launched www.ethanallen.ca our new multi-lingual website. These are our first company operated design centers in non-English speaking international markets.

We continue to invest significantly in (i) getting our messages across, (ii) the strength of our interior design professionals and management in our retail business, (iii) new technologies across key aspects of our vertically integrated business, and (iv) the ramp up of our North American manufacturing capacity where we manufacture approximately $70 \%$ of our products. Our competitive advantages arise from providing high quality products of the finest craftsmanship, offering complimentary design service through an estimated 2,000 motivated interior design professionals network-wide, providing free local delivery, our custom case goods offerings, enhancing our technology in all aspects of the business, and leveraging our vertically integrated structure. Executing against all of these elements helps us achieve our mission of 'Luxury Made Affordable'.

Quarter Ended March 31, 2013 Compared to Quarter Ended March 31, 2012
Consolidated revenue for the three months ended March 31, 2013 decreased $4.4 \%$ to $\$ 168.1$ million, from $\$ 175.9$ million for the three months ended March 31, 2012. The decrease is primarily due to lower shipments to our independent retailer in China.

At March 31, 2013, the Company operated 148 of the 296 global network design centers compared with 149 of the 299 at March 31, 2012. Our global network included 69 design centers in China at the end of both the current quarter and the third quarter of fiscal 2012. Our international net sales were $4.1 \%$ and $7.4 \%$ of consolidated net sales for the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 respectively, a decrease of $\$ 6.1$ million, or $47.1 \%$. The majority of our international sales are to our independent retailer in China.

Wholesale revenue for the third quarter of fiscal 2013 decreased $10.7 \%$ to $\$ 108.1$ million from $\$ 121.0$ million in the prior year comparable period. The main drivers were lower shipments of prototype products and lower shipments to our retailer in China in the current period. Shipments of prototype products in the third quarter of fiscal 2012 had been at relatively high levels as we completed our major fiscal 2012 product enhancement and filled our channel with new products. Orders in the current quarter for our wholesale segment decreased by $6.4 \%$ compared to the same period last year.

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Retail revenue from Ethan Allen-operated design centers for the three months ended March 31, 2013 increased 0.5\% to $\$ 132.1$ million from $\$ 131.4$ million for the three months ended March 31, 2012. We believe the increase in retail sales by Ethan Allen-operated design centers is due to (i) our new product introductions, promotional marketing campaigns and the design solutions approach of our interior design professionals, (ii) continued use of both our national television and direct mail media campaigns, (iii) our digital communications to prospective clients, and (iv) the positive effects of continuously repositioning our retail network, partially offset by the timing of the Easter and Passover holidays mentioned previously, and a net decrease of one Ethan Allen-operated design center between March 31, 2012 and March 31, 2013. We ended the current quarter with 148 Ethan Allen-operated design centers.

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Comparable design centers are those which have been operating for at least 15 months. Minimal net sales, derived from the delivery of customer ordered product, are generated during the first three months of operations of newly opened (including relocated) design centers. Design centers acquired by us from independent retailers are included in comparable design center sales in their 13th full month of Ethan Allen-owned operations. Ethan Allen-operated design center total written business as well as comparable design center written business decreased $2.4 \%$ during the third quarter of fiscal 2013 compared to the comparable quarter of fiscal 2012. The frequency of our promotional events as well as the timing of the end of those events can impact the orders booked during a given quarter.

Gross profit was $\$ 91.8$ million for the quarter ended March 31, 2013 and $\$ 94.3$ million in the prior year comparable quarter. Gross margin for the March 31, 2013 quarter was $54.6 \%$, up from $53.6 \%$ the prior year quarter. The improvement in gross margin was primarily due to (i) a stronger sell through of retail inventory, releasing profit contained in the retail segment inventory, (ii) a higher proportion of retail net sales to consolidated net sales ( $79 \%$ in the current quarter versus $75 \%$ in the prior year quarter), and (iii) operating efficiencies in our manufacturing plants during the quarter including the leverage of our operations in Mexico and Honduras. These factors were partially offset by reduced volume in our wholesale segment.

Operating expenses decreased $\$ 3.4$ million to $\$ 83.1$ million from $\$ 86.5$ million in the prior year quarter due primarily to (i) operating efficiencies in our retail segment due to structural changes, and (ii) our ability to control costs due to our vertically integrated structure. These were partly offset by losses on the sale of vacant retail real estate and costs associated with our retail expansion internationally including new design centers opened in Montreal and Brussels during fiscal 2013.

Operating income and profit margin for the quarter ended March 31, 2013 was $\$ 8.7$ million, or $5.2 \%$ of net sales, an increase of $\$ 0.9$ million or $11.2 \%$ from the prior year quarter's $\$ 7.8$ million, or $4.4 \%$ of net sales. Wholesale operating income for the three months ended March 31, 2013 was $\$ 12.8$ million, or $11.8 \%$ of sales, compared to $\$ 18.2$ million, or $15.0 \%$ of sales, in the prior year comparable quarter. Retail operating loss for the third quarter of fiscal 2013 was $\$ 2.3$ million, or a negative $1.7 \%$ of sales, compared to a loss of $\$ 6.5$ million, or a negative $5.0 \%$ of sales the prior year. Improvements in consolidated operating income were driven primarily by operating efficiencies in our retail segment due to structural changes, partly offset by the reduced net sales in our wholesale segment.

Interest and other miscellaneous income, net decreased slightly to under $\$ 0.1$ million compared to $\$ 0.2$ million in the prior year.

Interest and other related financing costs remained consistent with the prior year quarter at $\$ 2.2$ million.
Income tax expense for the three months ended March 31, 2013 totaled $\$ 2.1$ million compared to a benefit of $\$ 21.8$ million for the three months ended March 31, 2012. Our effective tax rate for the current quarter was a $32.2 \%$ compared to a negative $378.7 \%$ in the prior year quarter. The current quarter effective tax rate primarily includes tax expense on the current quarter's net income, interest expense on uncertain tax positions, and the impact of maintaining valuation allowances on certain deferred tax assets, partly offset by the recognition of some uncertain tax positions. The prior period effective tax rate primarily includes the benefit from the reversal of valuation allowances, the recognition of certain previously unrecognized tax benefits, partly offset by the tax expense on the previous quarter's net income, interest expense on uncertain tax positions, and the impact of maintaining valuation allowances on deferred tax assets in the retail segment.

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Net income for the three months ended March 31, 2013, was $\$ 4.4$ million compared to $\$ 27.5$ million in the prior year comparable period. This resulted in net income per diluted share of $\$ 0.15$ for the quarter ended March 31, 2013 compared to $\$ 0.94$ per diluted share for the quarter ended March 31, 2012.

Nine Months Ended March 31, 2013 Compared to Nine Months Ended March 31, 2012
Consolidated revenue for the nine months ended March 31, 2013 increased $0.5 \%$ to $\$ 546.8$ million, from $\$ 544.1$ million for the nine months ended March 31, 2012.

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Wholesale revenue for the first nine months of fiscal 2013 decreased $4.8 \%$ to $\$ 327.7$ million from $\$ 344.1$ million in the prior year comparable period. The prior year net sales benefitted from shipments of prototype products as we implemented a major product enhancement during fiscal 2012. Orders in the current nine months for our wholesale segment decreased by $5.0 \%$ compared to the same period last year, primarily due to the phase out in prototype orders in the current year period for new products introduced as part of our fiscal 2012 major product enhancement which had contributed to results in the 2012 fiscal period. Our international net sales were $5.4 \%$ and $6.5 \%$ of consolidated net sales for the nine months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 respectively.

Retail revenue from Ethan Allen-operated design centers for the nine months ended March 31, 2013 increased $4.2 \%$ to $\$ 433.0$ million from $\$ 415.7$ million for the nine months ended March 31, 2012. We believe the increase in retail sales by Ethan Allen-operated design centers is due to (i) our new product introductions, promotional marketing campaigns and the design solutions approach of our interior design professionals, (ii) continued use of both our national television and direct mail media campaigns, (iii) our digital communications to prospective clients, and (iv) the positive effects of continuously repositioning our retail network, partially offset by a net decrease of one Ethan Allen-operated design center between March 31, 2012 and March 31, 2013.

Comparable design centers are those which have been operating for at least 15 months. Minimal net sales, derived from the delivery of customer ordered product, are generated during the first three months of operations of newly opened (including relocated) design centers. Design centers acquired by us from independent retailers are included in comparable design centers sales in their 13th full month of Ethan Allen-owned operations. Written business of Ethan Allen-operated design centers increased $2.2 \%$ while comparable design centers written business increased $1.6 \%$ during the nine months ended March 31, 2013 compared to the nine months ended March 31, 2012. The frequency of our promotional events as well as the timing of the end of those events can impact the orders booked during a given quarter.

Gross profit increased 3.3\% during the first nine months of fiscal 2013 to $\$ 300.0$ million ( $54.9 \%$ of net sales) from $\$ 290.4$ million ( $53.4 \%$ of net sales) in the prior year comparable period. The increase in gross profit was primarily due to improved gross margin rates in our retail business due to efficiencies and improved pricing, and a higher proportion of retail net sales to consolidated net sales ( $79 \%$ in the current year versus $76 \%$ in the prior year). Wholesale gross profit was negatively impacted by the reduced production due to reduced need for prototype product in the fiscal 2013 period previously discussed.

Operating expenses increased $\$ 1.0$ million to $\$ 256.0$ million in the first nine months of fiscal 2013 from $\$ 255.0$ million in the prior year comparable period due primarily to variable costs on higher net sales in our retail segment, and higher current fiscal period charges related to real estate and our international expansion, partly offset by operating efficiencies in our retail segment due to structural changes.

Operating income and profit margin for the nine months ended March 31, 2013 was $\$ 44.0$ million, or $8.0 \%$ of net sales, an increase of $\$ 8.6$ million or $24.3 \%$ from the prior year's $\$ 35.4$ million, or $6.5 \%$ of net sales. Wholesale operating income for the nine months ended March 31,2013 was $\$ 37.7$ million, or $11.5 \%$ of sales, compared to $\$ 49.6$ million, or $14.4 \%$ of sales, in the prior year comparable period. Retail operating income for the first nine months of fiscal 2013 was $\$ 4.8$ million, or $1.1 \%$ of sales, compared to a loss of $\$ 10.6$ million, or a negative $2.5 \%$ of sales the prior year comparable period. Improvements in consolidated operating income were driven primarily by the $4.2 \%$ sales growth and operating efficiencies in our retail segment as previously discussed.

Interest and other miscellaneous income, net decreased $\$ 0.2$ million to $\$ 0.2$ million compared to $\$ 0.4$ million in the prior year.

Interest and other related financing costs amounted to $\$ 6.6$ million in the current year compared to $\$ 6.8$ million in the prior year comparable period.

Income tax expense for the nine months ended March 31, 2013 totaled $\$ 13.3$ million compared to a benefit of $\$ 13.5$ million for the nine months ended March 31, 2012. Our effective tax rate for the current fiscal year period was $35.4 \%$ compared to negative $46.6 \%$ in the prior year. The current effective tax rate primarily includes tax expense on the current nine months net income, interest expense on uncertain tax positions, and the impact of maintaining valuation allowances on certain deferred tax assets, partly offset by the recognition of some uncertain tax positions. The prior period effective tax rate primarily includes the benefit from the reversal of valuation allowances, and the recognition of certain previously unrecognized tax benefits, partly offset by the tax expense on the previous quarter's net income, interest expense on uncertain tax positions, and the impact of maintaining valuation allowances on deferred tax assets in the retail segment.

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Net income for the nine months ended March 31, 2013, was $\$ 24.3$ million compared to $\$ 42.4$ million in the prior year comparable period. This resulted in net income per diluted share of $\$ 0.83$ for the current period compared to $\$ 1.46$ per diluted share in the prior year period.

## Liquidity and Capital Resources

At March 31, 2013, we held unrestricted cash and cash equivalents of $\$ 83.6$ million, marketable securities of $\$ 18.2$ million, and restricted cash and investments of $\$ 15.4$ million. At June 30, 2012, we held unrestricted cash and cash equivalents of $\$ 79.7$ million, marketable securities of $\$ 9.0$ million, and restricted cash and investments of $\$ 15.4$ million. Our principal sources of liquidity include cash and cash equivalents, marketable securities, cash flow from operations, amounts available under our credit facility, and other borrowings.

In September 2005, we issued $\$ 200.0$ million in ten-year senior unsecured notes due 2015 (the "Senior Notes"). The Senior Notes were issued by Global, bearing an annual coupon rate of $5.375 \%$ with interest payable semi-annually in arrears on April 1 and October 1. We used the net proceeds of $\$ 198.4$ million to improve our retail network, invest in our manufacturing and logistics operations, and for other general corporate purposes. During the full fiscal years 2011 and 2012, the Company reduced its Senior Notes by an aggregate face value of $\$ 46.6$ through unsolicited purchases.

We also maintain a $\$ 50$ million senior secured, asset-based revolving credit facility (the "Facility"). We have not had any revolving loans under the Facility at any time. At March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012, there were $\$ 0.6$ million of standby letters of credit outstanding under the Facility. The Facility is subject to borrowing base availability and includes a right for the Company to increase the total facility to $\$ 100$ million subject to certain conditions. The Facility is secured by all property owned, leased or operated by the Company in the United States excluding any real property owned by the Company and contains customary covenants which may limit the Company's ability to incur debt, engage in mergers and consolidations, make restricted payments (including dividends), sell certain assets, and make investments. Remaining availability under the Facility totaled $\$ 49.4$ million at March 31, 2013 and at June 30, 2012 and as a result, covenants and other restricted payment limitations did not apply. The Facility expires March 25, 2016, or June 26, 2015 if the Senior Notes have not been refinanced prior to that date.

At March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012, we were in compliance with all covenants of the Senior Notes and the Facility.

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A summary of net cash provided by (used in) operating, investing, and financing activities for the nine month periods ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 is provided below (in millions):


## Operating Activities

In the first nine months of fiscal 2013, cash of $\$ 44.4$ million was generated by operating activities, an increase of $\$ 16.6$ million from the comparable prior fiscal period. The net increase in cash generated from operating activities was largely due to a decrease in inventory in the current fiscal year period of $\$ 13.8$ million, and an increase of $\$ 8.7$ million in income before income taxes during fiscal 2013. Net income in fiscal 2012 included a non-cash increase from the reversal of tax valuation and other reserves, which were offset by a non-cash decrease in other operating activities. Other working capital items (defined below) also included normal fluctuations due to timing of sales and orders. Working capital items consist of accounts receivable, inventories, prepaid and other current assets, customer deposits, payables, and accrued expenses and other current liabilities.

## Investing Activities

In the first nine months of fiscal 2013, $\$ 22.2$ million of cash was used in investing activities, which is $\$ 6.8$ million more cash used than was used during the first nine months of fiscal 2012. More cash was used in fiscal 2013 primarily due to an increase in our net purchases of marketable securities, and to a lesser extent for capital expenditures in the current period for retail real estate and expansion of our manufacturing capacity in Honduras. We anticipate that cash from operations will be sufficient to fund future capital expenditures.

## Financing Activities

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In the first nine months of fiscal 2013 and fiscal 2012, $\$ 18.4$ million and $\$ 18.5$ million, respectively, was used in financing activities. An increase in the payment of cash dividends in the fiscal 2013 period are a result of (i) an increase in the regular quarterly dividend from $\$ .07$ per share to $\$ .09$ per share which occurred in July 2012, and (ii) the declaration and payment of a special dividend of $\$ 0.41$ per share in December 2012. In addition to declaring the special dividend in the second quarter, the Board of Directors also accelerated the payment of the quarterly dividend which would normally have occurred in January 2013 to December 2012. The Board of Directors took both of these actions to provide shareholders an opportunity for favorable tax treatment in 2012. This increase in dividends was partly offset by a reduction in our Senior Note buybacks, which were made in fiscal 2012 and not in fiscal 2013. The Company has continuously paid dividends for every quarter since 1996 and we expect to continue to do so as economic conditions and liquidity permit.

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As of March 31, 2013, our outstanding debt totaled $\$ 155.3$ million, which consists of $\$ 153.1$ million in Senior Notes which mature in September 2015 (fiscal 2016), and $\$ 2.2$ million in capital leases which mature at various times from December 2016 through February 2018. The aggregate scheduled maturities of long-term debt for each of the next five fiscal years are $\$ 0.5$ million in each of fiscal 2014 and fiscal 2015, $\$ 153.6$ million in fiscal 2016, $\$ 0.5$ million in fiscal 2017 and $\$ 0.2$ million in fiscal 2018. At June 30, 2012 our outstanding debt totaled $\$ 154.5$ million, the current and long-term portions of which amounted to $\$ 0.3$ million and $\$ 154.2$ million respectively.

There has been no material change to the amount or timing of cash payments related to our outstanding contractual obligations as set forth in Part II, Item 7 - Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2012 as filed with the SEC on August 16, 2012.

We believe that our cash flow from operations, together with our other available sources of liquidity, will be adequate to make all required payments of principal and interest on our debt, to permit anticipated capital expenditures, and to fund working capital and other cash requirements. As of March 31, 2013, we had working capital of $\$ 142.1$ million compared to $\$ 131.7$ million at June 30, 2012, an increase of $\$ 10.4$ million, or $7.9 \%$. The Company had a current ratio of 2.05 to 1 at March 31, 2013 and 1.87 to 1 at June 30, 2012.

In addition to using available cash to fund changes in working capital, capital expenditures, acquisition activity, the repayment of debt, the payment of dividends, and debt repurchases, we have been authorized by our Board of Directors to repurchase shares of our common stock from time to time, either directly or through agents, in the open market at prices and on terms satisfactory to us. All of our common stock repurchases and retirements are recorded as treasury stock and result in a reduction of shareholders' equity.

During the nine months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, we repurchased and/or retired the following shares of our common stock:

|  | Nine months ended <br> March 31 |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2013 | 2012 |

At March 31, 2013, we had a remaining Board authorization to repurchase 1,101,490 shares of our common stock.
Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements and Other Commitments, Contingencies and Contractual Obligations
We do not utilize or employ any off-balance sheet arrangements, including special-purpose entities, in operating our business. As such, we do not maintain any (i) retained or contingent interests, (ii) derivative instruments (other than as specified below), or (iii) variable interests which could serve as a source of potential risk to our future liquidity, capital resources and results of operations.

We may, from time to time in the ordinary course of business, provide guarantees on behalf of selected affiliated entities or become contractually obligated to perform in accordance with the terms and conditions of certain business
agreements. The nature and extent of these guarantees and obligations may vary based on our underlying relationship with the benefiting party and the business purpose for which the guarantee or obligation is being provided. The only such program in place at March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012 was for our consumer credit program.

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## Ethan Allen Consumer Credit Program

The terms and conditions of our consumer credit program, which is financed and administered by a third-party financial institution on a non-recourse basis to Ethan Allen, are set forth in an agreement between the Company and that financial service provider (the "Program Agreement"). Any independent retailer choosing to participate in the consumer credit program is required to enter into a separate agreement with that same third-party financial institution which sets forth the terms and conditions under which the retailer is to perform in connection with its offering of consumer credit to its customers (the "Retailer Agreement"). We have obligated ourselves on behalf of any independent retailer choosing to participate in our consumer credit program by agreeing, in the event of default, breach, or failure of the independent retailer to perform under such Retailer Agreement, to take on certain responsibilities of the independent retailer, including, but not limited to, delivery of goods and reimbursement of customer deposits. Customer receivables originated by independent retailers remain non-recourse to Ethan Allen. Our obligation remains in effect for the term of the Program Agreement that expires in July 2014. While the maximum potential amount of future payments (undiscounted) that we could be required to make under this obligation is indeterminable, recourse provisions exist that would enable us to recover, from the independent retailer, any amount paid or incurred by us related to our performance. Based on the underlying creditworthiness of our independent retailers, including their historical ability to satisfactorily perform in connection with the terms of our consumer credit program, we believe this obligation will expire without requiring funding by us. To ensure funding for delivery of products sold, the terms of this agreement also contain a right for the credit card issuer to demand from the Company collateral of up to $\$ 12$ million if the Company does not meet certain covenants. As of March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012, the Company maintained a restricted cash and investment collateral account of $\$ 6$ million to satisfy the current collateral requirement.

## Product Warranties

Our products, including our case goods, upholstery and home accents, generally carry explicit product warranties that extend from one to ten years and are provided based on terms that are generally accepted in the industry. All of our domestic independent retailers are required to enter into, and perform in accordance with the terms and conditions of, a warranty service agreement. We record provisions for estimated warranty and other related costs at time of sale based on historical warranty loss experience and make periodic adjustments to those provisions to reflect actual experience. On rare occasions, certain warranty and other related claims involve matters of dispute that ultimately are resolved by negotiation, arbitration or litigation. In certain cases, a material warranty issue may arise which is beyond the scope of our historical experience. We provide for such warranty issues as they become known and are deemed to be both probable and estimable. It is reasonably possible that, from time to time, additional warranty and other related claims could arise from disputes or other matters beyond the scope of our historical experience. As of both March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2012, our product warranty liability totaled $\$ 0.8$ million.

## Business Outlook

The home furnishings industry remains in a slow recovery period following the 'Great Recession'. Unemployment, consumer confidence, and housing related market indicators in the U.S. have shown improvement but major uncertainties remain. Despite these headwinds and the highly competitive conditions in the U.S. home furnishings industry, the Company has performed relatively well. While economic conditions continue to be challenging, we remain cautiously optimistic about our performance in our fourth fiscal quarter and next fiscal year due to the many strong programs already in place and others we will introduce in the coming months.

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We expect the home furnishings industry to remain extremely competitive with respect to both the sourcing of products and the wholesale and retail sales of those products for the foreseeable future. Domestic manufacturers continue to face pricing pressures because of the lower manufacturing costs in some other countries, particularly within Asia. While we have also turned to overseas sourcing to remain competitive, we choose to differentiate ourselves by maintaining a substantial North American manufacturing base, where we can leverage our vertically integrated structure to our advantage. We continue to believe that a balanced approach to product sourcing, which includes the domestic manufacture of certain product offerings coupled with the import of other selected products, provides the greatest degree of flexibility and is the most effective approach to ensuring that acceptable levels of quality, service and value are attained.

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Our retail strategy involves (i) a continued focus on providing a wide array of product solutions and superior interior design solutions, (ii) continuing strong advertising and marketing campaigns to get our message across and continue to broaden our customer base, (iii) the opening of new or relocated design centers in more prominent locations, while encouraging independent retailers to do the same, (iv) leveraging the use of technology and personal service within our retail network, and (v) further expansion internationally. We believe this strategy provides an opportunity to grow our business.

Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk
There have been no material changes to the market risks disclosed in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2012 as filed with the SEC on August 16, 2012.

Item 4. Controls and Procedures
Management's Report on Disclosure Controls and Procedures
Our management, including the Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer ("CEO") and the Vice President-Finance ("VPF"), conducted an evaluation of the effectiveness of disclosure controls and procedures (as such term is defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act")) as of the end of the period covered by this report. Based on such evaluation, the CEO and VPF have concluded that, as of March 31, 2013, our disclosure controls and procedures were effective in ensuring that material information relating to us (including our consolidated subsidiaries), which is required to be disclosed by us in our periodic reports filed or submitted under the Exchange Act is (i) recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC's rules and forms, and (ii) accumulated and communicated to management, including the CEO and VPF, as appropriate, to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

Changes in Internal Control over Financial Reporting
There have been no changes in our internal control over financial reporting (as such term is defined in Rules 13a-15(f) and $15 \mathrm{~d}-15(\mathrm{f})$ under the Exchange Act) during the fiscal quarter ended March 31, 2013 that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

## PART II - OTHER INFORMATION

## Item 1. Legal Proceedings

There have been no material changes to the matters discussed in Part I, Item 3 - Legal Proceedings in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2012 as filed with the SEC on August 16, 2012.

Item 1A. Risk Factors
There have been no material changes to the market risks disclosed in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2012 as filed with the SEC on August 16, 2012.

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Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds
Issuer Purchases of Equity Securities
Neither we nor any affiliated purchaser of us (as defined in Rule 10b-18(a)(3) under the Exchange Act) repurchased any shares of our common stock during the three months ended March 31, 2013. The maximum number of shares that may yet be purchased under our publicly announced repurchase program is $1,101,490$.

Item 3. Defaults Upon Senior Securities
Not applicable.
Item 4. Mine Safety Disclosures
Not applicable
Item 5. Other Information
Not applicable.

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Item 6. Exhibits

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| 31.2 | Rule 13a-14(a) Certification of Principal Financial Officer |
| 32.1 | Section 1350 Certification of Principal Executive Officer |
| 32.2 | Section 1350 Certification of Principal Financial Officer |
| 101.INS** | XBRL Instance |
| 101.SCH** | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema |
| 101.CAL** | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation |
| 101.DEF** | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition |
| 101.LAB** | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Labels |
| 101.PRE** | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation |

** XBRL information is furnished and not filed or a part of a registration statement or prospectus for purposes of Sections 11 or 12 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, is not deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and otherwise is not subject to liability under these sections.

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## SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

## ETHAN ALLEN INTERIORS INC. <br> (Registrant)

DATE: May 1, 2013<br>BY: /s/ M. Farooq Kathwari<br>M. Farooq Kathwari<br>Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer<br>(Principal Executive Officer)<br>DATE: May 1, 2013<br>BY: /s/ David R. Callen<br>David R. Callen<br>Vice President, Finance \& Treasurer<br>(Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)

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101.SCH** XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema
101.CAL** XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation
101.DEF** XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition
101.LAB** XBRL Taxonomy Extension Labels
101.PRE** XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation
** XBRL information is furnished and not filed or a part of a registration statement or prospectus for purposes of Sections 11 or 12 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, is not deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and otherwise is not subject to liability under these sections.

