

## **Luna Innovations Reports Third-Quarter 2021 Results**

## Luna Labs moved to Discontinued Operations

#### **Highlights**

The following highlights reflect the reclassification of Luna Labs to discontinued operations:

- Total revenues of \$20.3 million for the three months ended September 30, 2021, up 32%
  compared to the three months ended September 30, 2020
- Gross margin of 62% for the three months ended September 30, 2021, compared to 63% for the three months ended September 30, 2020
- Operating loss of \$10 thousand for the three months ended September 30, 2021, compared to operating income of \$1.2 million for the three months ended September 30, 2020
- Net income of \$0.4 million for the three months ended September 30, 2021, compared to net income of \$3.1 million for the three months ended September 30, 2020
- Adjusted EBITDA of \$2.1 million for the three months ended September 30, 2021, compared to \$3.1 million for the three months ended September 30, 2020
- Adjusted EPS of \$0.03 for the three months ended September 30, 2021, compared to \$0.11 for the three months ended September 30, 2020

(ROANOKE, VA, November 15, 2021) - Luna Innovations Incorporated (NASDAQ: LUNA), a global leader in advanced optical technology, today announced its financial results for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2021.

"Q3 was a record quarter for customer demand of our products, as we realized the highest level of bookings we've ever had," said Scott Graeff, President and Chief Executive Officer of Luna. "The largest backlog in our history is the result of record bookings, the increased impact of COVID and industry-wide supply chain challenges which have slowed our ability to deliver products. As a result, revenue for the year will be lighter than what we could have delivered. We believe that this is a temporary situation and remain committed to Luna's strategy. We continue to see vast opportunities for Luna in fiber optic technologies and are pleased to take the pivotal step in focusing on fiber with our transition of Luna Labs to discontinued operations. We have evaluated a number of opportunities and look forward to sharing Luna's meaningful achievements over the coming months."

#### **Third-Quarter Fiscal 2021 Financial Summary**

Highlights of the financial results for the three months ended September 30, 2021 are:

	Th	ree Months End	ded Sep	otember 30,	Change	
(in thousands, except share and per share data)		2021		2020		
Revenues	\$	20,329	\$	15,350	32	%
Gross profit		12,584		9,632	31	%
Gross margin		62 %		63 %		
Operating expense		12,594		8,420	50	%
Operating (loss)/income		(10)		1,212		
Operating margin		<b>-</b> %		8 %		
Other (expense)/income and income tax benefit/(expense)		(334)		1,096		
Net (loss)/income from continuing operations	\$	(344)	\$	2,308		
Income from discontinued operations, net of income tax of \$235 and \$247		699		794		
Net income	\$	355	\$	3,102	(89)	%
Earnings per diluted share (EPS)	\$	0.01	\$	0.10	(90)	%
Adjusted EPS	\$	0.03	\$	0.11	(73)	%
Diluted weighted average shares outstanding	-	33,780,714		32,411,086	, ,	
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	2,110	\$	3,144	(33)	%

A reconciliation of Adjusted EPS and Adjusted EBITDA to the nearest comparable figures under generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") can be found in the schedules included in this release.

Revenues for the three months ended September 30, 2021 increased compared to the prior-year period, primarily due to revenue generated by the businesses we have recently acquired over the last year.

Gross margin decreased to 62% for the three months ended September 30, 2021, compared to 63% for the three months ended September 30, 2020, driven primarily by product mix. Operating loss and margin declined to \$10 thousand and less than 1% of total revenues, respectively, for the three months ended September 30, 2021, compared to \$1.2 million and 8% of total revenues, respectively, for the three months ended September 30, 2020. The decrease in operating income was primarily due to an increase in operating expenses and amortization related to our recent acquisitions.

Net income was \$0.4 million, or \$0.01 per fully diluted share, for the three months ended September 30, 2021, compared to net income of \$3.1 million, or \$0.10 per fully diluted share, for the three months ended September 30, 2020. Adjusted EPS was \$0.03 for the three months ended September 30, 2021 compared to \$0.11 for the three months ended September 30, 2020.

Adjusted EBITDA was \$2.1 million for three months ended September 30, 2021, compared to \$3.1 million for the three months ended September 30, 2020. The decrease was driven by lower income from continuing operations.

#### **Nine Months Ended Fiscal 2021 Financial Summary**

Highlights of the financial results for the nine months ended September 30, 2021 are:

		Nine months ended September 30,								
(in thousands, except share and per share data)		2021		2020						
Revenues	\$	63,291	\$	39,837	59	%				
Gross profit		37,436		24,126	55	%				
Gross margin		59 %		61 %						
Operating expense		41,061		23,252	77	%				
Operating (loss)/income		(3,625)		874						
Operating margin		(6)%		2 %						
Other (expense)/income and income tax benefit/(expense)		1,061		1,012	5	%				
Net (loss)/income from continuing operations	\$	(2,564)	\$	1,886						
Income from discontinued operations, net of income tax of \$381 and \$209		2,371		1,469						
Net (loss)/income	\$	(193)	\$	3,355						
Earnings per diluted share (EPS)	\$	(0.01)	\$	0.10						
Adjusted EPS	\$	0.08	\$	0.14	(43)	%				
Diluted weighted average shares outstanding		33,585,973		32,478,625						
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	4,461	\$	4,990	(11)	%				

A reconciliation of Adjusted EPS and Adjusted EBITDA to the nearest comparable GAAP figures can be found in the schedules included in this release.

Revenues for the nine months ended September 30, 2021 increased compared to the prior-year period, primarily due to our recent acquisitions.

Gross margin of 59% for the nine months ended September 30, 2021 was down compared to 61% for the nine months ended September 30, 2020 due to product mix. Operating loss and margin declined to \$3.6 million and (6)% of total revenues, respectively, for the nine months ended September 30, 2021, compared to \$0.9 million and 2% of total revenues, respectively, for the nine months ended September 30, 2020. The decrease in operating income was primarily due to \$2.1 million of integration and transaction costs, as well as \$1.6 million of

amortization of intangible assets and inventory step-up related to Luna's recently completed acquisitions and its continuing portfolio activities.

Net loss was \$0.2 million, or \$(0.01) per fully diluted share, for the nine months ended September 30, 2021, compared to a net income of \$3.4 million, or \$0.10 per fully diluted share, for the nine months ended September 30, 2020. Adjusted EPS was \$0.08 for the nine months ended September 30, 2021, compared to \$0.14 for the nine months ended September 30, 2020.

Adjusted EBITDA was \$4.5 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2021, compared to \$5.0 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2020.

#### 2021 Full-Year Outlook

Luna is revising guidance to reflect the reclassification of Luna Labs to discontinued operations and COVID-19 pandemic related issues:

- Total revenue of \$85 million to \$88 million
- Adjusted EBITDA of \$6 million to \$8 million

Adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP measure. Luna is not providing an outlook for net income/(loss), which is the most directly comparable GAAP measure to Adjusted EBITDA, because changes in the items that Luna excludes from net income to calculate Adjusted EBITDA, such as share-based compensation, tax expense, and significant non-recurring charges, among other things, can be dependent on future events that are less capable of being controlled or reliably predicted by management and are not part of Luna's routine operating activities.

The outlook above does not include any future acquisitions, divestitures, or unanticipated events.

#### **Non-GAAP Financial Measures**

In evaluating the operating performance of its business, Luna's management considers Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EPS, which exclude certain charges and income that are required by GAAP. Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EPS provide useful information to both management and investors by excluding the effect of certain non-cash expenses and items that Luna believes may not be indicative of its operating performance, because either they are unusual and Luna does not expect them to recur in the ordinary course of its business, or they are unrelated to the ongoing operation of the business in the ordinary course. Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EPS should be considered in addition to results prepared in accordance with GAAP, but should not be considered a substitute for, or superior to, GAAP results. Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EPS have been reconciled to the nearest GAAP measure in the table following the financial statements attached to this press release.

**Conference Call Information** 

As previously announced, Luna will conduct an investor conference call at 5:00 pm (ET) today to discuss its

financial results for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2021. The investor conference call will be

available via live webcast on the Luna website at www.lunainc.com under the tab "Investor Relations." To

participate by telephone, the domestic dial-in number is 844.578.9643 and the international dial-in number is

270.823.1522. The participant access code is 6088397. Investors are advised to dial in at least five minutes prior to

the call to register. The webcast will be archived on the company's website under "Webcasts and Presentations"

for 30 days following the conference call.

**About Luna** 

Luna Innovations Incorporated (www.lunainc.com) is a leader in optical technology, providing unique capabilities in

high-performance, fiber optic-based, test products for the telecommunications industry and distributed fiber

optic-based sensing for a multitude of industries. Luna's business model is designed to accelerate the process of

bringing new and innovative technologies to market.

**Forward-Looking Statements** 

The statements in this release that are not historical facts constitute "forward-looking statements" made pursuant

to the safe harbor provision of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 that involve risks and

uncertainties. These statements include Luna's expectations regarding its projected 2021 financial results and

outlook, the Company's growth potential, the resolution of backlog and supply chain challenges and the potential

sale of Luna Labs. Management cautions the reader that these forward-looking statements are only predictions

and are subject to a number of both known and unknown risks and uncertainties, and actual results, performance,

and/or achievements of Luna may differ materially from the future results, performance, and/or achievements

expressed or implied by these forward-looking statements as a result of a number of factors. These factors include,

without limitation, failure of demand for Luna's products and services to meet expectations, failure of target

market to grow and expand, technological and strategic challenges, uncertainties related to the ultimate impact of

the COVID-19 pandemic and those risks and uncertainties set forth in Luna's Form 10-Q for the quarter ended

September 30, 2021, and Luna's other periodic reports and filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission

("SEC"). Such filings are available on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov and on Luna's website at www.lunainc.com.

The statements made in this release are based on information available to Luna as of the date of this release and

Luna undertakes no obligation to update any of the forward-looking statements after the date of this release.

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### **Luna Innovations Incorporated Consolidated Balance Sheets**

(in thousands, except share data)

	Septe	mber 30, 2021	Decen	nber 31, 2020
	(u	naudited)		
Assets				
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	14,755	\$	15,366
Accounts receivable, net		19,557		21,928
Contract assets		2,883		4,139
Inventory		25,350		23,062
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		6,213		4,433
Assets held for sale		13,855		6,541
Total current assets		82,613		75,469
Property and equipment, net		2,820		2,917
Intangible assets, net		17,819		19,994
Goodwill		18,979		18,121
Operating lease right-of-use asset		5,497		5,984
Other non-current assets		246		369
Deferred tax asset		1,707		1,689
Non-current assets held for sale		_		6,459
Total assets	\$	129,681	\$	131,002
Liabilities and stockholders' equity			-	
Liabilities:				
Current liabilities:				
Current portion of long-term debt obligations	\$	4,167	\$	4,167
Accounts payable		2,585		2,852
Accrued and other current liabilities		10,826		10,773
Contract liabilities		4,967		6,698
Current portion of operating lease liability		2,020		1,876
Liabilities associated with assets held for sale		9,091		3,719
Total current liabilities		33,656		30,085
Long-term debt obligations		12,709		15,817
Long-term portion of operating lease liability		4,073		5,034
Other long-term liabilities		374		410
Non-current liabilities associated with assets held for sale		_		5,214
Total liabilities		50,812		56,560
Commitments and contingencies		2 3,3 12		
Stockholders' equity:				
Common stock, par value \$0.001, 100,000,000 shares authorized, 33,511,899 and 32,724,512 shares issued, 31,961,907 and 31,024,537 shares outstanding at September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively		34		33
Treasury stock at cost, 1,739,455 and 1,699,975 shares at September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively		(5,209)		(4,789)
Additional paid-in capital		97,238		92,403
Accumulated deficit		(13,150)		(12,957)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(44)		(248)
Total stockholders' equity		78,869		74,442
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	129,681	\$	131,002

### Luna Innovations Incorporated Consolidated Statements of Operations (Unaudited)

(in thousands, except share and per share data)

	Three Mor Septem				Nin		nded September 0,	
		2021		2020		2021		2020
Revenues	\$	20,329	\$	15,350	\$	63,291	\$	39,837
Cost of revenues		7,745		5,718		25,855		15,711
Gross profit		12,584		9,632		37,436		24,126
Operating expense:								
Selling, general and administrative		9,674		6,229		33,414		17,959
Research, development and engineering		2,920		1,615		7,647		4,717
Loss on sale of property and equipment		_		576		_		576
Total operating expense		12,594		8,420		41,061		23,252
Operating (loss)/income		(10)		1,212		(3,625)		874
Other (expense)/income:								
Investment income		_		1		_		65
Other income		_		13		_		19
Interest expense		(110)		(1)		(375)		(2)
Total other (expense)/income		(110)		13		(375)		82
(Loss)/income from continuing operations before income taxes		(120)		1,225		(4,000)		956
Income tax expense/(benefit)		224		(1,083)		(1,436)		(930)
Net (loss)/income from continuing operations		(344)		2,308		(2,564)		1,886
Income from discontinued operations, net of income tax of \$235, $$246, $381, $ and $$673$		699		794		2,371		1,469
Net income/(loss)	\$	355	\$	3,102	\$	(193)	\$	3,355
Net (loss)/income per share from continuing operations:				<u> </u>				<u>-</u>
Basic	\$	(0.01)	\$	0.07	\$	(0.08)	\$	0.06
Diluted	\$	(0.01)	\$	0.07	\$	(0.08)	\$	0.06
Net income per share from discontinued operations:								-
Basic	\$	0.02	\$	0.03	\$	0.08	\$	0.05
Diluted	\$	0.02	\$	0.02	\$	0.07	\$	0.05
Net income/(loss) per share attributable to common stockholders:								
Basic	\$	0.01	\$	0.10	\$	(0.01)	\$	0.11
Diluted	\$	0.01	\$	0.10	\$	(0.01)	\$	0.10
Weighted average shares:					_	<u> </u>		
Basic	3	1,944,869	3	0,809,896	3	1,553,998	3	0,593,954
Diluted		3,780,714	-	32,411,086	_	3,585,973		2,478,625
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## Luna Innovations Incorporated Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (Unaudited)

(in thousands)

	Nin	e Months End	ded Se	ed September 30,		
		2021	2020			
Cash flows provided by operating activities						
Net (loss)/income	\$	(193)	\$	3,355		
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash (used in)/provided by operating activities						
Depreciation and amortization		3,523		2,126		
Share-based compensation		2,230		1,538		
Bad debt expense		262		14		
Loss on sale of property and equipment		_		570		
Loss from discontinued operations, net of tax		_		1,430		
Deferred taxes		(23)		(313		
Change in assets and liabilities						
Accounts receivable		220		(2,131		
Contract assets		837		(1,589		
Inventory		(1,906)		(1,419		
Other current assets		(1,752)		(1,982		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		(1,681)		(1,48		
Contract liabilities		(287)		(16		
Net cash provided by operating activities		1,230		9′		
Cash flows (used in)/provided by investing activities						
Acquisition of property and equipment		(943)		(422		
Intangible property costs		(215)		(29)		
Proceeds from sale of property and equipment		_		40		
Proceeds from sale of discontinued operations		_		60		
Net cash (used in)/provided by investing activities	<u> </u>	(1,158)		29		
Cash flows (used in)/provided by financing activities						
Payments on finance lease obligations		(36)		(39		
Payments of debt obligations		(3,110)		_		
Repurchase of common stock		(420)		(329		
Proceeds from ESPP		530		_		
Proceeds from the exercise of options and warrants		2,076		1,39		
Net cash (used in)/provided by financing activities		(960)		1,029		
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents		277		_		
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents		(611)	•	1,41		
Cash and cash equivalents-beginning of period		15,366		25,00		
Cash and cash equivalents-end of period	\$	14,755	\$	26,422		

# Luna Innovations Incorporated Reconciliation of Net Income/(Loss) to EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA

(in thousands)

	Three Months Ended September 30,				Nine Months Ended September 30,				
	2021		2020		2021			2020	
Net income/(loss)	\$	355	\$	3,102	\$	(193)	\$	3,355	
Income from discontinued operations, net of tax		699		794		2,371		1,469	
Net (loss)/income from continuing operations		(344)		2,308		(2,564)		1,886	
Interest expense		110		1		375		2	
Investment income		_		(1)		_		(65)	
Income tax expense/(benefit)		224		(1,083)		(1,436)		(930)	
Depreciation and amortization		1,131		709		3,440		1,979	
EBITDA		1,121		1,934		(185)		2,872	
Share-based compensation		689		542		2,133		1,450	
Integration and transaction expense		196		_		2,073		_	
Loss on sale of property and moving related expenses		_		668		_		668	
Amortization of inventory step-up		104		_		440		_	
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	2,110	\$	3,144	\$	4,461	\$	4,990	

# Luna Innovations Incorporated Reconciliation of Net Income/(Loss) to Adjusted EPS

(in thousands, except per share data)

	Three Months Ended September 30,				Nine Months Ended September 30,				
		2021		2020		2021		2020	
Net income/(loss)	\$	355	\$	3,102	\$	(193)	\$	3,355	
Income from discontinued operations, net of tax		699		794		2,371		1,469	
Net (loss)/income from continuing operations		(344)		2,308		(2,564)		1,886	
Share-based compensation		689		542		2,133		1,450	
Integration and deal expense		196		_		2,073		_	
Amortization of intangible assets		761		424		2,353		1,236	
Amortization of inventory step-up		104		_		440		_	
Loss on sale of property and moving related expenses		_		668		_		668	
Income tax effect on adjustments		(438)		(409)		(1,750)		(839)	
Adjusted income from continuing operations	\$	968	\$	3,533	\$	2,685	\$	4,401	
Adjusted EPS	\$	0.03	\$	0.11	\$	0.08	\$	0.14	
Adjusted weighted average shares (in thousands):									
Diluted		33,781		32,411		33,586		32,479	