



Acquisition of PMC

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MSCC + PMCS = A World Class Platform

	 Microsemi 			Pro Forma LTM (with synergies) ⁽¹⁾
Revenue	\$1,220	\$530		\$1,750
Gross Margin	57%	70%		~60%
Operating Margin	25%	17%		~30%
EBITDA	\$335	\$110		\$602

- 1 Expands Microsemi's portfolio of high-performance mixed-signal solutions
- 2 Complements optical and switching portfolios, and accelerates existing data center growth effort
- 3 Immediate opportunity to increase content with improved solution sell and go-to-market strategy
- 4 Increases Microsemi's scale, EBITDA (>\$600 million) and EPS (accretion greater than \$0.60)

(\$MM)

Note: Historical financials based on Company filings. LTM figures as of 6/30/15. Gross/operating margin and EBITDA based non-GAAP measures.

Note: EBITDA calculated as non-GAAP operating income plus depreciation.

(1) EBITDA pro forma for Vitesse synergies, PMC standalone July 2015 restructuring and \$100 million of transaction-related synergies.

Transaction Overview

Per Share Consideration

- \$11.50 per PMC-Sierra share comprised of:
 - \$8.75 in cash consideration
 - \$2.75 in stock consideration (0.0736 x-ratio based on Microsemi stock price of \$37.36 as of 10/16/15)

Transaction Value

- \$2.4 billion equity value / \$2.2 billion enterprise value, net of PMC's net cash position
- Microsemi to assume all unvested RSUs

Synergies and EPS Impact

- Anticipated \$100+ million of cost savings in first full year, with \$75 million in annual operating synergies realized in the first full quarter of combined operations
- Immediately accretive to non-GAAP EPS
- Expect more than \$0.60 in non-GAAP EPS accretion during first 12 months post close

Financing

- Morgan Stanley Senior Funding, Inc. provided \$2.925 billion debt commitment (term facilities, RCF)
 - Includes refinancing of existing debt outstanding
- PMC shareholders will own approximately 15% of the pro forma company
- Blended interest rate on debt expected to be approximately 4.25% – 4.50%

Merger Agreement and Timing

- Delivered merger agreement that is superior to Skyworks merger agreement
- Offered option to modify structure to an Exchange Offer
- Intent to close in 2015, depending on timing of PMC's Board approval

Approval Process

- Approval by PMC's shareholders
- Customary regulatory approvals, transaction not subject to approvals by foreign government entities including those in China

Premium

- Close 10/5/15: 50%*

* PMC closing price of \$7.69 prior to announcement of Skyworks proposal.

Superior Proposal for PMC Shareholders

Meaningful premium to currently proposed offer

Cash consideration provides significant liquidity with incremental upside from Microsemi stock

Microsemi proposal has no conditions, with ability to close as early as late December 2015, and not subject to approvals by foreign government entities including China

Extensive understanding of PMC's products and end markets

Morgan Stanley Senior Funding, Inc. agreement to provide committed financing

Term and conditions superior to Skyworks merger agreement, modified for stock component

PMC Snapshot

Quick Facts

- Founded: 1984
- IPO Date: 1991
- Status: Public – NASDAQ: PMCS
- Headquarters: Sunnyvale, CA
- Other Locations: Canada, Italy, Israel, China, India, Malaysia
- Employees: ~1,200
- IP: 688 granted U.S. patents and 128 pending U.S. patents

What PMC Does

PMC provides innovative semiconductor and software solutions that connect, move and store Big Data

Storage

- LTM Revenue: \$380mm
- CY14 SAM: \$1.3B
- CY17 SAM: \$1.9B (13% CAGR)

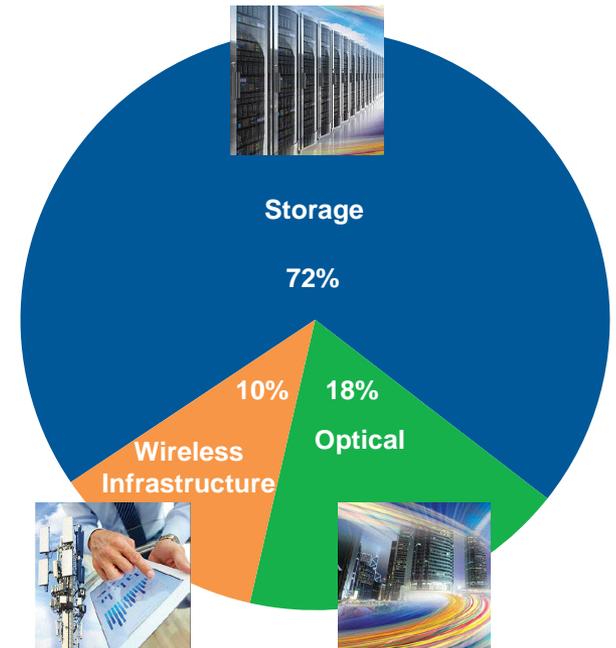
Optical

- LTM Revenue: \$94mm
- CY14 SAM: \$410mm
- CY17 SAM: \$565mm (11% CAGR)

Wireless Infrastructure

- LTM Revenue: \$56mm
- CY14 SAM: \$550mm
- CY17 SAM: \$560mm (1% CAGR)

PMC Revenue by Market (LTM)



PMC's Customers are the Largest in the Storage and Comms Markets:

Storage Customers



Communications Customers



Note: LTM financial figures as of 6/27/15.
*10% customer in 1H 2015.

Strategic and Financially Compelling Transaction



Strategically Compelling

Accelerates data center penetration and adds exposure to cloud storage and hyperscale computing

Transformative to communications business; solidifies position in networking, routing and switching and newly acquired Ethernet and storage assets

Differentiated technology portfolio with significant barriers to entry and defensible margin structure

Significant Value Creation

Immediately and significantly accretive to non-GAAP EPS (greater than \$0.60)

Augments industry leading profitability profile

Anticipated \$100+ million in total cost synergies in first full year, with \$75 million in annual operating savings realized in the first full quarter of combined operations

Complementary Business Platforms



Power

Timing

RF,
Microwave &
MM Wave

FPGA

Controllers &
Switches

OTN
Processors

Mobile
Processors

Optimized Systems



Aerospace & Defense

Industrial

Communications

Storage



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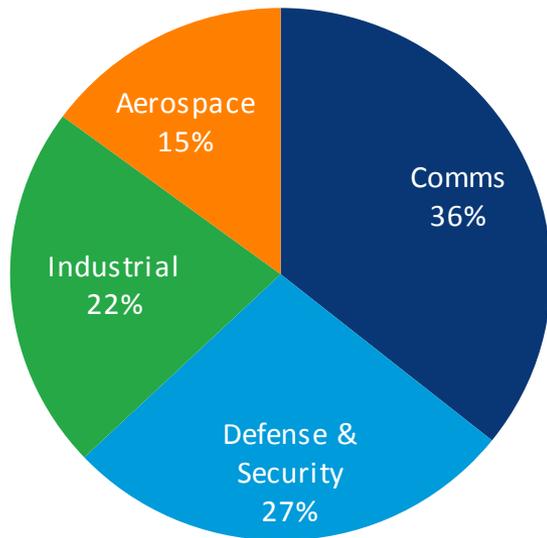
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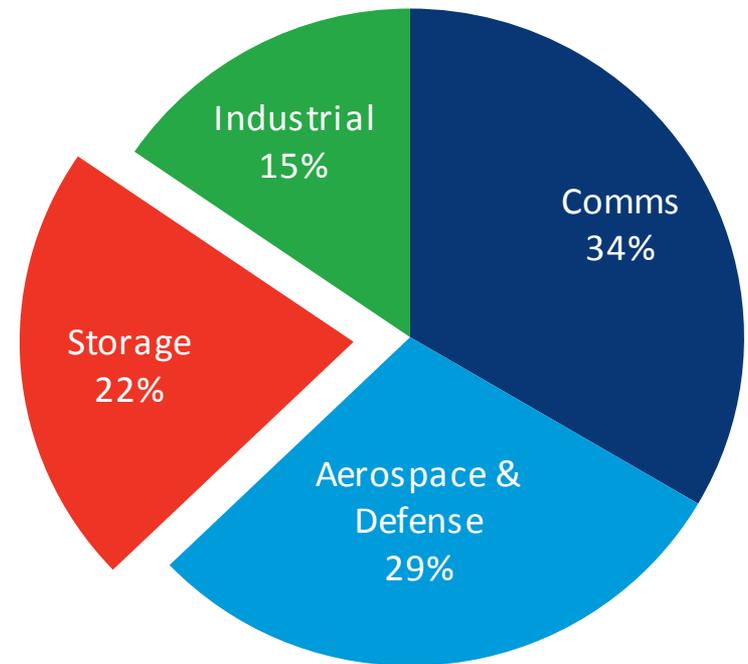
Acquisition Diversifies End Market Exposure



LTM Revenue: \$1,220mm



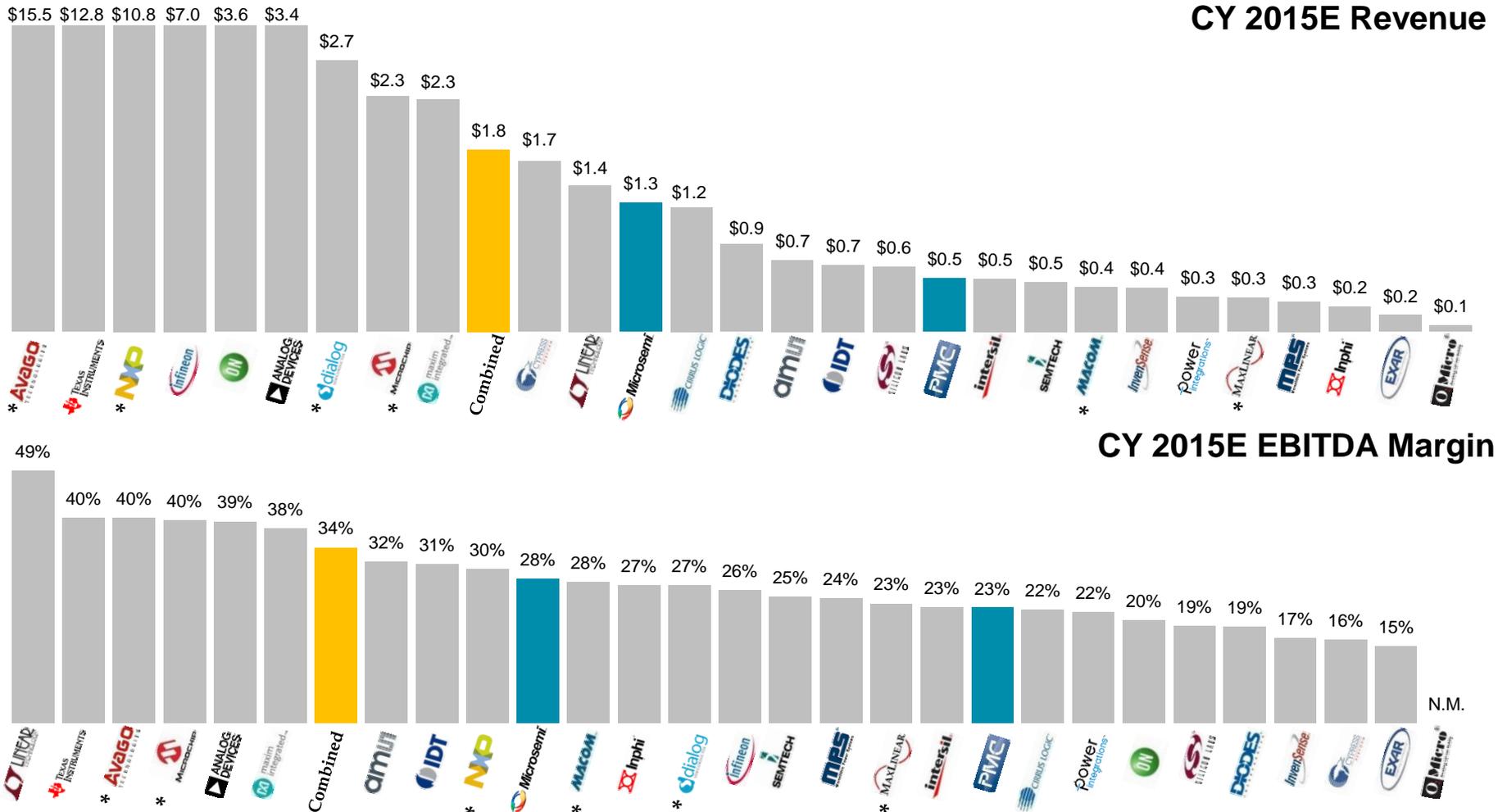
LTM Revenue: \$1,750mm



Note: LTM as of 6/30/15.

Note: Pro forma Comms includes PMC Optical and Mobile Infrastructure revenues.

Top 10 Analog / Mixed-Signal Company



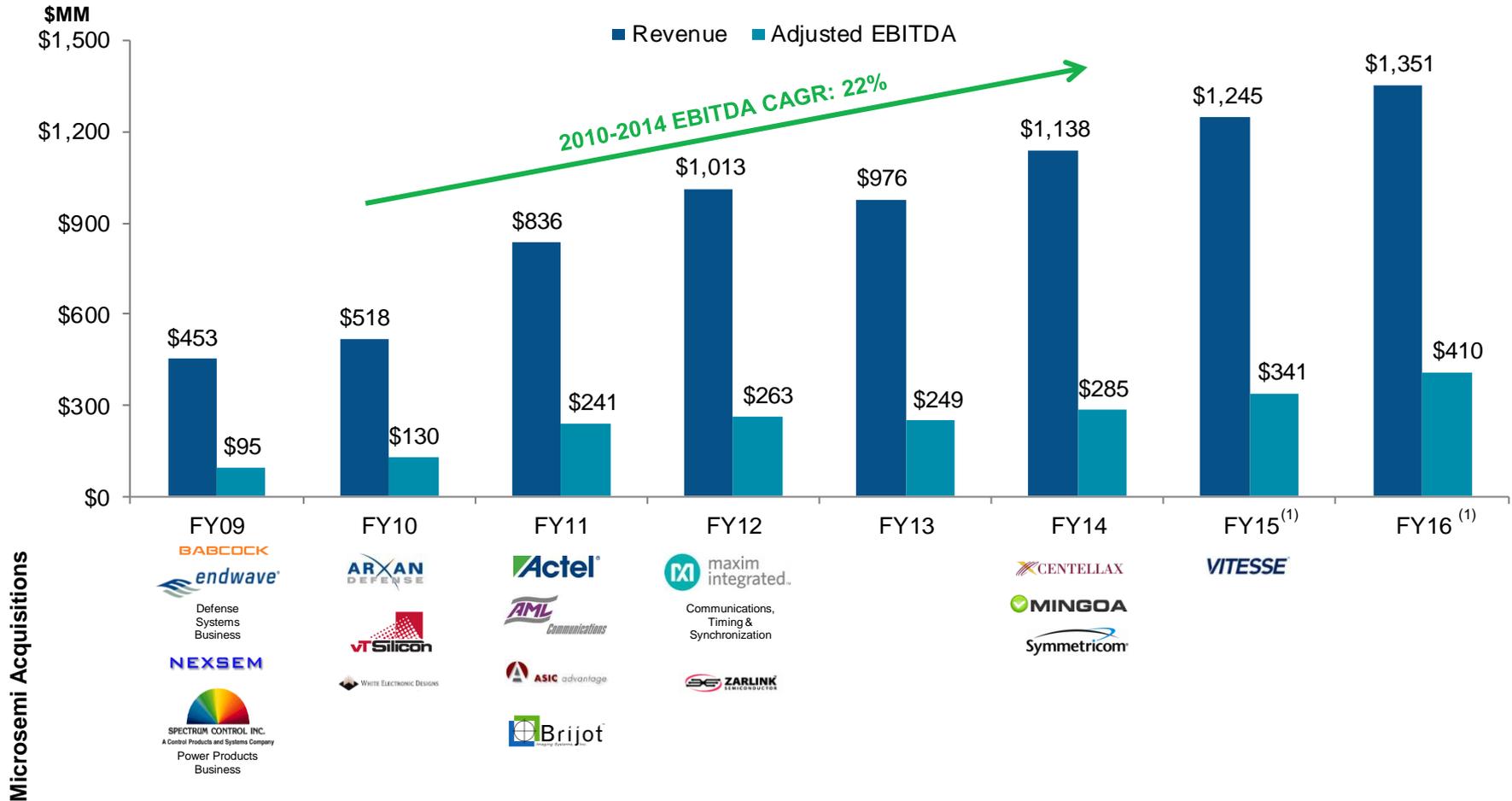
(\$ in billions)

Source: Company filings, Company press releases, Capital IQ and FactSet estimates as of 10/16/15.

* Avago financials pro forma for acquisition of Broadcom and include \$750M announced synergies; NXP financials pro forma for acquisition of Freescale and include \$200M announced synergies; Dialog financials pro forma for acquisition of Atmel and include \$150M announced synergies; Microchip financials pro forma for acquisition of Micrel; M/A-COM financials pro forma for divestiture of automotive business. MaxLinear financials pro forma for acquisition of Entropic.

Note: PMC and Intersil projected EBITDA calculated as non-GAAP operating income plus depreciation. Combined EBITDA includes synergies from both PMC and Vitesse.

Successful M&A Track Record



(1) Based on FactSet estimates as of 10/16/15.

Scale-Derived Synergy Opportunities

Sales & Marketing

- (+) Consolidated global efforts and solution sell capability
- (+) Enhanced visibility into customer needs
- (+) Increased relevance to distribution partners



Research & Development

- (+) Realigned resources and elimination of redundant spend
- (+) Expanded and complementary IP portfolio → delivery of innovative solutions with minimal incremental costs
- (+) Enhanced technological know-how



\$100M+ of Synergies
(\$75M in First Full Combined Quarter)

General & Administrative

- (+) Eliminate duplicative G&A costs, including public company expenses
- (+) Consolidation of overlapping facilities
- (+) Sophisticated and streamlined business processes



Supply Chain

- (+) Optimized procurement costs due to higher volumes
- (+) Reduced assembly / test costs
- (+) Consolidated wafer / backend processes



Transaction Financing

Credit Facility

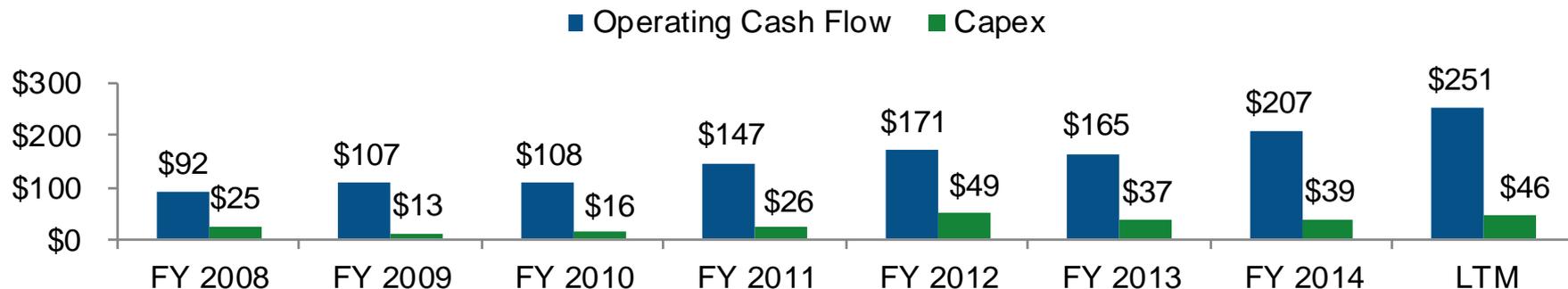
- \$2,575 million term loan facilities
- \$350 million revolving credit facility
- Weighted-average all-in interest rate of approximately 4.25% – 4.50%

Pro Forma Capitalization Statistics

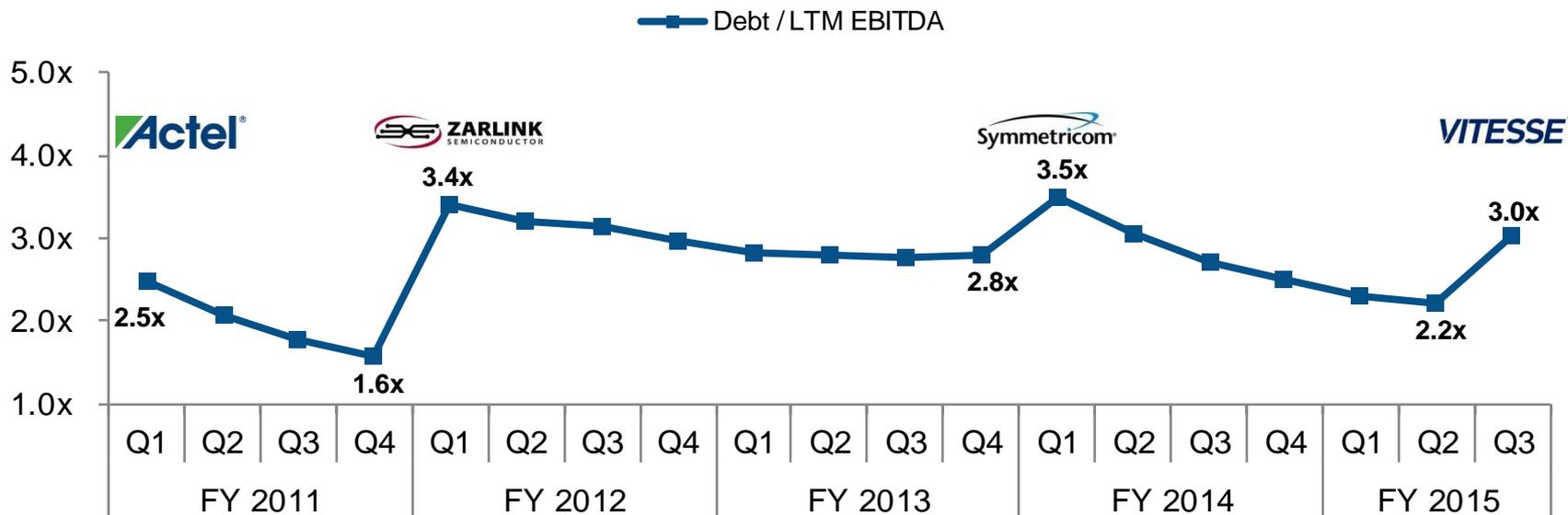
	(\$B)	Expected at closing (\$100M+ Synergies)	12 Month Target	18 Month Target
Gross Debt	\$2.7	4.5x	3.5x	3.0x
Cash	\$0.2	0.3x		
Net Debt	\$2.5	4.2x		

Experience Managing and Paying Down Debt

Strong Cash Generation (Microsemi Standalone)



Historical Debt / LTM EBITDA (Microsemi Standalone)



Source: Company filings.
(\$MM, FYE 9/30)

Transaction Summary

Creates industry leading profitability model
(60%+ GM and 30%+ OM)

Provides strong combined cash flow generation
(\$600M+ of pro forma EBITDA)

Adds significant EPS accretion
(>\$0.60 in first year)

Adds strong technology, product and IP portfolio
(PMC maintains storage and comms leadership)

Expands SAM in high growth markets
(PMC adds \$3B of incremental SAM by 2017)

Accelerates existing data center growth effort
(Complements growing optical and switching portfolios)

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