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### **UNITED STATES**

### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

## **FORM 10-Q**

# x QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the Quarterly Period Ended June 27, 2010

OR

" TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_.

Commission File Number: 0-20322

# **STARBUCKS CORPORATION**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Washington (State or Other Jurisdiction of

Incorporation or Organization) 2401 T 91-1325671 (IRS Employer

ization) Identification No.) 2401 Utah Avenue South, Seattle, Washington 98134

(Address of principal executive offices)

(206) 447-1575

(Registrant s Telephone Number, including Area Code)

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. Yes x 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 (\$232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes x 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
 x
 Accelerated filer
 "

 Non-accelerated filer
 " (Do not check if a smaller reporting company)
 Smaller reporting company
 "

 Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act):
 Yes " No x
 "

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer s classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date.

Title Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share Shares Outstanding as of July 26, 2010 740.1 million

#### STARBUCKS CORPORATION

#### FORM 10-Q

#### For the Quarterly Period Ended June 27, 2010

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#### PART I FINANCIAL INFORMATION

#### Item 1. Financial Statements

#### STARBUCKS CORPORATION

#### CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF EARNINGS

(in millions, except per share amounts)

(unaudited)

	13 Weel Jun 27,	ks Ended Jun 28,	39 Week Jun 27,	s Ended Jun 28,
	2010	2009	2010	2009
Net revenues:				
Company-operated retail	\$ 2,186.7	\$ 2,013.8	\$ 6,608.5	\$ 6,151.8
Specialty:				
Licensing	330.6	301.0	967.1	918.1
Foodservice and other	94.7	89.1	293.8	282.5
Total specialty	425.3	390.1	1,260.9	1,200.6
Total net revenues	2,612.0	2,403.9	7,869.4	7,352.4
Cost of sales including occupancy costs	1,076.2	1,043.4	3,286.0	3,283.7
Store operating expenses	888.9	821.4	2,613.0	2,577.6
Other operating expenses	77.2	69.2	210.9	205.8
Depreciation and amortization expenses	125.2	133.7	384.3	402.1
General and administrative expenses	132.7	110.3	408.6	319.8
Restructuring charges	20.4	51.6	46.6	279.2
Total operating expenses Income from equity investees	2,320.6 36.3	2,229.6 29.7	6,949.4 100.1	7,068.2 78.4
Operating income	327.7	204.0	1,020.1	362.6
Interest income and other, net	(1.4)	18.6	28.4	15.6
Interest expense	(7.9)	(8.6)	(24.1)	(30.5)
Earnings before income taxes	318.4	214.0	1,024.4	347.7
Income taxes	109.9	65.8	354.6	109.7
Net earnings including noncontrolling interests	208.5	148.2	669.8	238.0
Net earnings (loss) attributable to noncontrolling interests	0.6	(3.3)	3.1	(2.8)
Net earnings attributable to Starbucks	\$ 207.9	\$ 151.5	\$ 666.7	\$ 240.8
Earnings per share basic	\$ 0.28	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.89	\$ 0.33
Earnings per share diluted	\$ 0.27	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.87	\$ 0.32
Weighted average shares outstanding:	φ 0.27	φ 0.20	φ 0.07	φ 0.52
Basic	746.1	739.4	745.8	737.9
Diluted	740.1	746.7	765.5	741.9
Cash dividends declared per share	\$ 0.13	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.23	\$ 0.0
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See Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

#### STARBUCKS CORPORATION

#### CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(in millions, except per share data)

(unaudited)

	Jun 27, 2010	Sep 27, 2009
ASSETS		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,125.2	\$ 599.8
Short-term investments available-for-sale securities	223.9	21.5
Short-term investments trading securities	46.0	44.8
Accounts receivable, net	282.5	271.0
Inventories	496.6	664.9
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	156.0	147.2
Deferred income taxes, net	280.7	286.6
Total current assets	2,610.9	2,035.8
Long-term investments available-for-sale securities	263.9	71.2
Equity and cost investments	328.9	352.3
Property, plant and equipment, net	2,361.5	2,536.4
Other assets	311.1	253.8
Other intangible assets	69.7	68.2
Goodwill	260.9	259.1
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 6,206.9	\$ 5,576.8
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 288.2	\$ 267.1
Accrued compensation and related costs	344.3	307.5
Accrued occupancy costs	175.1	188.1
Accrued taxes	69.1	127.8
Insurance reserves	145.5	154.3
Other accrued liabilities	270.1	147.5
Deferred revenue	434.3	388.7
Total current liabilities	1,726.6	1,581.0
Long-term debt	549.4	549.3
Other long-term liabilities	396.3	389.6
Total liabilities	2,672.3	2,519.9
Shareholders equity:	,	,
Common stock (\$0.001 par value) authorized, 1,200.0 shares; issued and outstanding, 743.7 and 742.9 shares,		
respectively (includes 3.4 common stock units in both periods)	0.7	0.7
Additional paid-in-capital	162.1	147.0

Total shareholders equity	3,520.9	3,045.7
Noncontrolling interests	13.7	11.2
Total equity	3,534.6	3,056.9
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	\$ 6,206.9	\$ 5,576.8

See Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

#### STARBUCKS CORPORATION

#### CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(in millions, unaudited)

	39 Week Jun 27,	s Ended Jun 28,
	2010	2009
OPERATING ACTIVITIES:		
Net earnings including noncontrolling interests	\$ 669.8	\$ 238.0
Adjustments to reconcile net earnings to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	404.5	423.2
Provision for impairments and asset disposals	60.2	199.0
Deferred income taxes	(15.9)	(48.8)
Equity in income of investees	(67.9)	(45.5)
Distributions of income from equity investees	59.0	19.3
Stock-based compensation	81.9	63.1
Tax benefit from exercise of stock options	10.7	1.1
Excess tax benefit from exercise of stock options	(20.7)	(6.7)
Other	(3.9)	11.0
Cash provided/(used) by changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Inventories	163.6	(12.4)
Accounts payable	1.3	(60.4)
Accrued taxes	(39.0)	52.9
Deferred revenue	44.8	48.2
Other operating assets	1.3	100.7
Other operating liabilities	25.7	34.0
Net cash provided by operating activities	1,375.4	1,016.7
INVESTING ACTIVITIES:	1,0,000	1,01017
Purchases of available-for-sale securities	(459.1)	(7.0)
Maturities and calls of available-for-sale securities	63.5	7.4
Sales of available-for-sale securities	0.0	5.0
Acquisitions, net of cash acquired	(10.6)	0.0
Net purchases of equity, other investments and other assets	(2.7)	(13.6)
Additions to property, plant and equipment, net	(285.6)	(344.2)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	4.5	42.1
Net cash used by investing activities	(690.0)	(310.3)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES:	(01 010)	(0 - 010)
Proceeds from issuance of commercial paper	0.0	20,965.4
Repayments of commercial paper	0.0	(21,378.5)
Proceeds from short-term borrowings	0.0	1,313.0
Repayments of short-term borrowings	0.0	(1,613.0)
Proceeds from issuance of common stock	90.6	26.6
Excess tax benefit from exercise of stock options	20.7	6.7
Principal payments on long-term debt	(6.5)	(0.5)
Cash dividends paid	(74.8)	0.0
Repurchase of common stock	(169.1)	0.0
Other	(1.2)	(1.2)
Net cash provided/(used) by financing activities	(140.3)	(681.5)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	(140.5)	(001.3)
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Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		525.4	22.2
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS:			
Beginning of period		599.8	269.8
End of period	\$ 1	,125.2	\$ 292.0
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION:			
Net change in short-term borrowings and commercial paper for the period	\$	0.0	\$ (713.1)
Cash paid during the period for:			
Interest, net of capitalized interest	\$	16.2	\$ 22.6
Income taxes	\$	413.2	\$ 100.6
See Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.			

#### STARBUCKS CORPORATION

#### NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the 13 Weeks and 39 Weeks Ended June 27, 2010

(unaudited)

#### **Note 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

#### Financial Statement Preparation

The unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements as of June 27, 2010, and for the 13-week and 39-week periods ended June 27, 2010 and June 28, 2009, have been prepared by Starbucks Corporation under the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). In the opinion of management, the financial information for the 13-week and 39-week periods ended June 27, 2010 and June 28, 2009 reflect all adjustments and accruals, which are of a normal recurring nature, necessary for a fair presentation of the financial position, results of operations and cash flows for the interim periods. In this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q (10-Q) Starbucks Corporation is referred to as Starbucks, the Company, we, us or our .

The financial information as of September 27, 2009 is derived from our audited consolidated financial statements and notes for the fiscal year ended September 27, 2009 (fiscal 2009), included in Item 8 in the Fiscal 2009 Annual Report on Form 10-K (the 10-K). The information included in this 10-Q should be read in conjunction with the footnotes and management s discussion and analysis of the financial statements in the 10-K.

The results of operations for the 13-week and 39-week periods ended June 27, 2010 are not necessarily indicative of the results of operations that may be achieved for the entire fiscal year ending October 3, 2010 (fiscal 2010). Additionally, our 2010 fiscal year will include 53 weeks, with the 53rd week falling in the fourth fiscal quarter.

#### Good will

We test goodwill for impairment on an annual basis, or more frequently if circumstances, such as material deterioration in performance or a significant number of store closures, indicate reporting unit carrying values may exceed their fair values. If the carrying amount of goodwill exceeds the implied estimated fair value, an impairment charge to current operations is recorded to reduce the carrying value to the implied estimated fair value.

As a part of Starbucks ongoing operations, we may close certain stores within a reporting unit containing goodwill due to underperformance of the store or inability to renew our lease, among other reasons. We abandon certain assets associated with a closed store including leasehold improvements and other non-transferrable assets. Under US Generally Accepted Accounting Principals (GAAP), when a portion of a reporting unit that constitutes a business is to be disposed of, goodwill associated with the business is included in the carrying amount of the business in determining any loss on disposal. Our evaluation of whether the portion of a reporting unit being disposed of constitutes a business occurs on the date of abandonment. Although an operating store meets the accounting definition of a business prior to abandonment, it does not constitute a business on the closure date because the remaining assets on that date do not constitute an integrated set of assets that are capable of being conducted and managed for the purpose of providing a return to investors. As a result, when closing individual stores, we do not include goodwill in the calculation of any loss on disposal of the related assets. As noted above, if store closures are indicative of potential impairment of goodwill at the reporting unit level, we perform an evaluation of our reporting unit goodwill when such closures occur.

#### **Recent Accounting Pronouncements**

In 2007, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued authoritative guidance on accounting and reporting for noncontrolling interests in subsidiaries. The guidance clarifies that a noncontrolling interest in a subsidiary should be accounted for as a component of equity separate from the parent company s equity. It also requires the presentation of both net earnings attributable to noncontrolling interests and net earnings attributable to Starbucks on the face of the consolidated statement of earnings. We adopted the new guidance relating to noncontrolling interests beginning September 28, 2009 on a prospective basis, except for the presentation and disclosure requirements, which were applied retrospectively.

In June 2009, the FASB issued authoritative guidance on the consolidation of variable interest entities (VIE), which will be effective for our first fiscal quarter of 2011. The new guidance requires a qualitative approach to identify a controlling financial interest in a VIE, and requires ongoing assessment of whether an entity is a VIE and whether an interest in a VIE makes the holder the primary beneficiary of the VIE. We are evaluating the impact that adoption may have on our consolidated financial statements.

#### **Note 2: Restructuring Charges**

In the third quarter of fiscal 2010, we closed 3 International stores and 1 US store as a part of Starbucks store portfolio rationalization which began in fiscal 2008. A total of 913 stores globally have been closed as a part of this effort. The remaining closures will be in the International segment, and we will recognize the associated lease exit costs concurrently with the actual closures.

Restructuring charges by type of cost, by reportable segment and reconciliation of the associated accrued liability (in millions):

		Lease Exit	By Type of C	ost		By Segment			
	Total	and Other Related Costs	Asset Impairment	-	Employee Fermination Costs	US	International		llocated porate
Total expected costs	\$651.0	\$ 283.3	\$ 331.5		\$ 36.2	\$484.5	\$ 70.5	\$	96.0
Costs incurred and charged to expense during the period ended June 27, 2010									
13 weeks	20.4	20.7	0.0	)	(0.3)	17.0	3.4		0.0
39 weeks	46.6	46.2	0.7		(0.3)	26.1	20.5		0.0
Costs incurred and charged to expense during the period ended June 28, 2009									
13 weeks	51.6	44.1	5.6		1.9	38.4	4.5		8.7
39 weeks	279.2	135.1	125.8		18.3	199.6	21.4		58.2
Cumulative costs incurred to date	646.0	278.3	331.5		36.2	483.2	66.8		96.0
Accrued liability as of September 27, 2009	\$ 104.0	\$ 102.8			\$ 1.2				
Costs incurred, excluding non-cash charges (1)	46.4	46.7			(0.3)				
Cash payments	(57.0)	(56.1)			(0.9)				
Accrued liability as of June 27, 2010 (2)	\$ 93.4	\$ 93.4			\$ 0.0				

(1) Non-cash charges and credits for lease exit and other related costs primarily represent deferred rent balances recognized as expense credits at the cease-use date.

(2) The remaining liability relates to lease obligations for stores that were previously closed where Starbucks has been unable to terminate the lease or find subtenants for the unused space.

#### Note 3: Acquisitions

In the first quarter of fiscal 2010, on September 30, 2009, we acquired 100% ownership of our business in France, converting it from a 50% joint venture with Sigla S.A. (Grupo Vips) of Spain to a Company-operated market. We simultaneously sold our 50% ownership interests in the Spain and Portugal markets to Grupo Vips, converting them to licensed markets.

#### **Note 4: Derivative Financial Instruments**

#### **Cash Flow Hedges**

Net derivative losses of \$8.5 million and \$3.9 million, net of taxes, are included in accumulated other comprehensive income as of June 27, 2010 and September 27, 2009, respectively, related to cash flow hedges. Of the net derivative losses accumulated as of June 27, 2010, \$3.1 million pertain to hedging instruments that will be dedesignated within 12 months and will also continue to experience fair value changes before affecting earnings. Ineffectiveness from hedges that were discontinued during the year-to-date periods in fiscal 2010 and 2009 was insignificant. Outstanding contracts will expire within 27 months.

#### Net Investment Hedges

Net derivative losses of \$21.2 million and \$19.8 million, net of taxes, are included in accumulated other comprehensive income as of June 27, 2010 and September 27, 2009, respectively, related to net investment derivative hedges. Outstanding contracts will expire within 33 months.

#### Other Derivatives

To mitigate the translation risk of certain balance sheet items, we enter into certain foreign currency forward contracts that are not designated as hedging instruments. These contracts are recorded at fair value, with the changes in fair value recognized in net interest income and other on the consolidated statements of earnings. Gains and losses from these instruments are largely offset by the financial impact of translating foreign currency denominated payables and receivables, which are also recognized in net interest income and other.

We also enter into certain swap and futures contracts that are not designated as hedging instruments to mitigate the price uncertainty of a portion of our future purchases of dairy products and diesel fuel. These contracts are recorded at fair value, with the changes in fair value recognized in net interest income and other on the consolidated statement of earnings.

The following table presents the effect of derivative instruments on other comprehensive income and earnings for the 13-week and 39-week periods ended (*in millions*):

	Gain/(Loss) r	Gain/(Loss) recognized in OCI				Gain/(Loss) recognized in ear				
	13 Weeks Ended	39 We	eks Ended	13 We	eks Ended	39 Wee	eks Ended			
June 27, 2010										
Cash Flow Hedges	\$ (2.2)	\$	(10.7)	\$	(1.4)	\$	(3.8)			
Net Investment Hedges	(4.3)		(2.3)		0.0		0.0			
Other Derivatives					0.5		9.1			
June 28, 2009										
Cash Flow Hedges	\$ (17.4)	\$	24.2	\$	1.0	\$	1.4			
Net Investment Hedges	(8.2)		(3.8)		0.0		0.0			
Other Derivatives					(25.0)		20.5			
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Notional amounts of outstanding derivative contracts as of June 27, 2010:

#### \$655 million in foreign exchange contracts

\$29 million in dairy contracts Note 5: Investments (*in millions*)

		Аг	nortized Cost	Unro Ho	ross ealized lding ains	Unr Ho	ross ealized Iding osses	Fair Value
June 27, 2010								
Short-term investments:								
Available-for-sale securities	Corporate debt securities	\$	3.1	\$	0.0	\$	0.0	\$ 3.1
Available-for-sale securities	Agency obligations		17.0		0.0		0.0	17.0
Available-for-sale securities	Government treasury securities		203.7		0.1		0.0	203.8
Trading securities			59.2		0.0		0.0	46.0
Total short-term investments		\$	283.0	\$	0.1	\$	0.0	\$ 269.9
Long-term investments:								
Available-for-sale securities	State and local government obligations	\$	46.5	\$	0.0	\$	(1.1)	\$ 45.4
Available-for-sale securities	Agency obligations		87.0		0.1		0.0	87.1

Available-for-sale securities	Corporate debt securities	130.7	1.5	(0.8)	131.4
Total long-term investments		\$ 264.2	\$ 1.6	\$ (1.9)	\$ 263.9
September 27, 2009					
Short-term investments:					
Available-for-sale securities	Corporate debt securities	\$ 2.5	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 2.5
Available-for-sale securities	Government treasury securities	19.0	0.0	0.0	19.0
Trading securities	·	58.5	0.0	0.0	44.8
Total short-term investments		\$ 80.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 66.3
Long-term investments:					
Available-for-sale securities	State and local government obligations	\$ 57.8	\$ 0.0	\$ (2.1)	\$ 55.7
Available-for-sale securities	Corporate debt securities	14.7	0.8	0.0	15.5
Total long-term investments		\$ 72.5	\$ 0.8	\$ (2.1)	\$ 71.2

The gross unrealized holding losses on the state and local obligations relate to our auction rate securities ( ARS ). We do not intend to sell these securities, nor is it likely we will be required to sell these securities before their anticipated recovery, which may be at maturity.

In the first three quarters of fiscal 2010, two of the ARS were partially called at par value of \$5.0 million and two of the ARS were fully called at a par value of \$6.1 million.

#### **Note 6: Fair Value Measurements**

Assets and Liabilities Measured at Fair Value on a Recurring Basis (in millions):

			Fair Ouoted Prices in A		rements at Repo	orting Date U	sing
	Ba	N Nance at	Aarkets for Identica (Level			nificant vable Inputs	
	Jur	n 27, 2010	1)	(1	Level 2)	(L	evel 3)
Assets:							
Trading securities	\$	46.0	\$ 46.0	\$	0.0	\$	0.0
Available-for-sale securities		487.8	203.8		238.6		45.4
Derivatives		1.4	0.0		1.4		0.0
Total	\$	535.2	\$ 249.8	\$	240.0	\$	45.4
Liabilities:							
Derivatives	\$	17.0	\$ 0.0	\$	17.0	\$	0.0
		llance at Sep 27, 2009					
Assets:							
Trading securities	\$	44.8	\$ 44.8	\$	0.0	\$	0.0
Available-for-sale securities		92.7	19.0		18.0		55.7
Derivatives		13.2	0.0		13.2		0.0
Total	\$	150.7	\$ 63.8	\$	31.2	\$	55.7
Liabilities:							
Derivatives	\$	33.2	\$ 0.0	\$	33.2	\$	0.0
Changes in Level 3 Instruments Measured at 1	Fair Value on a Rec	urring Bas	sis (in millions):				

Changes in Level 3 Instruments Measured at Fair Value on a Recurring Basis (in millions):

	13 Wee	eks Ended	39 Weeks Ended			
	Jun 27, 2010	Jun 28, 2009	Jun 27, 2010	Jun 28, 2009		
Beginning balance	\$ 51.2	\$ 62.6	\$ 55.7	\$ 59.8		
Total reduction in unrealized losses included in other comprehensive						
income	0.4	0.7	1.0	3.5		
Realized losses recognized in net earnings	0.0	0.0	(0.2)	0.0		
Calls	(6.2)	(7.4)	(11.1)	(7.4)		
Ending balance	\$ 45.4	\$ 55.9	\$ 45.4	\$ 55.9		

Financial instruments measured using level 3 inputs described above are comprised entirely of our ARS portfolio.

Assets and Liabilities Measured at Fair Value on a Nonrecurring Basis (in millions)

Effective September 28, 2009, we adopted new fair value measurement guidance for all nonfinancial assets and liabilities recognized or disclosed at fair value in the financial statements on a nonrecurring basis. These assets and liabilities include items such as property, plant and equipment, goodwill and other intangible assets that are measured at fair value resulting from impairment, if deemed necessary.

Starbucks measures certain financial assets, including equity and cost method investments, at fair value on a nonrecurring basis. These assets are recognized at fair value when they are determined to be other-than-temporarily impaired.

During the 13 and 39 weeks ended June 27, 2010, we recognized fair market value adjustments with a charge to earnings to assets measured at fair value (Level 3) on a non-recurring basis, as follows:

		13 V	Weeks End	ed			<b>3</b> 9 V	Weeks Ende	ed	
				Car	rying				Car	rrying
	Carrying			V	alue	Carrying			va	alue
	Value before	Faiı	r value	a	fter	Value before	Fa	ir value	a	fter
	adjustment	adju	stment	adju	stment	adjustment	adj	ustment	adju	stment
Property, plant and equipment (1)	\$ 9.2	\$	(7.8)	\$	1.4	\$ 25.6	\$	(21.1)	\$	4.5
Equity and cost investments (2)	\$ 0.8	\$	(0.2)	\$	0.6	\$ 10.4	\$	(7.7)	\$	2.7
Goodwill (3)	\$ 4.1	\$	(1.6)	\$	2.5	\$ 4.1	\$	(1.6)	\$	2.5

(1) The fair value was determined using a discounted cash flow model based on future store revenues and operating costs, using internal projections. The resulting impairment charge was included in store operating expenses.

- (2) The fair value was determined using standard valuation techniques, including discounted cash flows, comparable transactions, and comparable company analyses. The resulting impairment charge was included in other operating expenses.
- (3) The fair value was determined using a discounted cash flow model based on future cash flows for the reporting unit, using internal projections. The resulting impairment charge was included in store operating expenses.

Fair Value of Other Financial Instruments

The carrying value of cash and cash equivalents approximates fair value because of the short-term nature of those instruments. The estimated fair value of the \$550 million of 6.25% Senior Notes was approximately \$622 million and \$591 million as of June 27, 2010 and September 27, 2009, respectively.

#### Note 7: Inventories (in millions)

	Jun 27, 2010	Sep 27, 2009	Jun 28, 2009
Coffee:			
Unroasted	\$ 233.7	\$ 381.6	\$451.4
Roasted	85.8	76.7	56.5
Other merchandise held for sale	81.8	116.0	92.2
Packaging and other supplies	95.3	90.6	103.5
Total	\$ 496.6	\$ 664.9	\$ 703.6

As of June 27, 2010, we had committed to purchasing green coffee totaling \$108 million under fixed-price contracts and an estimated \$285 million under price-to-be-fixed contracts. Price-to-be-fixed contracts are green coffee purchase commitments whereby the quality, quantity, delivery period, and other negotiated terms are agreed upon, but the date at which the base C coffee commodity price component will be fixed has not yet been established. For these types of contracts, either the buyer (Starbucks) or the seller has the option to select a date on which to fix the base C coffee commodity price prior to the delivery date. Until prices are fixed, we estimate the total cost of these purchase commitments. We believe, based on relationships established with our suppliers in the past, the risk of non-delivery on these purchase commitments is remote.

#### Note 8: Property, Plant and Equipment (in millions)

	Jun 27, 2010		ep 27, 2009
Land	\$ 58.0	\$	58.2
Buildings	265.3		231.5

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Leasehold improvements	3,360.2	3,349.0
Store equipment	1,024.0	1,073.4
Roasting equipment	286.1	282.9
Furniture, fixtures and other	598.2	586.7
Work in progress	154.6	119.2
	5,746.4	5,700.9
Less accumulated depreciation	(3,384.9)	(3,164.5)
Property, plant and equipment, net	\$ 2,361.5	\$ 2,536.4

Note 9: Debt (in millions)

	Jun 27, 2010	Sep 27, 2009
Current portion of long-term debt (included in other accrued liabilities)	\$ 0	\$ 0.2
6.25% Senior Notes (10 year, due Aug 2017)	549.4	549.2
Other long-term debt	0.0	0.1
Long-term debt	549.4	549.3
Total debt	\$ 549.4	\$ 549.5

#### Note 10: Other Long-term Liabilities (in millions)

	Jun 27, 2010	Sep 27, 2009
Deferred rent	\$ 245.3	\$ 266.0
Unrecognized tax benefits	84.1	55.1
Asset retirement obligations	45.1	43.4
Other	21.8	25.1
Total	\$ 396.3	\$ 389.6

#### Note 11: Equity

Components of equity for the 39 weeks ended June 27, 2010 and June 28, 2009 (in millions):

	Shareholders Equity		Noncontrolling Interest		Total Equity
Balance, September 27, 2009	\$	3,045.7	\$	11.2	\$ 3,056.9
Net earnings		666.7		3.1	669.8
Unrealized holding gains / (losses) on available-for-sale securities		0.4		0.0	0.4
Unrealized holding gains / (losses) on cash flow hedging instruments		(7.2)		0.0	(7.2)
Unrealized holding gains / (losses) on net investment hedging instruments		(1.4)		0.0	(1.4)
Reclassification adjustment for net (gains) / losses realized in net earnings for					
available-for-sale securities		0.2		0.0	0.2
Reclassification adjustment for net (gains) / losses realized in net earnings for cash					
flow hedges		2.5		0.0	2.5
Translation adjustment		(29.5)		0.0	(29.5)
Comprehensive income		631.7		3.1	634.8
Stock-based compensation expense		83.3		0.0	83.3
Exercise of stock options		91.0		0.0	91.0
Sale of common stock		14.0		0.0	14.0
Repurchase of common stock		(173.3)		0.0	(173.3)
Cash dividends declared		(171.5)		0.0	(171.5)
Net distributions to noncontrolling interests		0.0		(0.6)	(0.6)
Balance, June 27, 2010	\$	3,520.9	\$	13.7	\$ 3,534.6

Balance, September 28, 2008	\$	2.490.9	\$	18.3	\$ 2,509.2
Net earnings	Ŧ	240.8	Ŧ	(2.8)	238.0
Unrealized holding gains / (losses) on available-for-sale securities		3.0		0.0	3.0
Unrealized holding gains / (losses) on cash flow hedging instruments		14.9		0.0	14.9
Unrealized holding gains / (losses) on net investment hedging instruments		(2.4)		0.0	(2.4)
Reclassification adjustment for net (gains) / losses realized in net earnings for cash					
flow hedges		(0.6)		0.0	(0.6)
Translation adjustment		(15.5)		0.0	(15.5)
Comprehensive income		240.2		(2.8)	237.4
Stock-based compensation expense		63.9		0.0	63.9
Exercise of stock options		3.0		0.0	3.0
Sale of common stock		20.0		0.0	20.0
Net distributions to noncontrolling interests		0.0		0.0	0.0
Balance, June 28, 2009	\$	2,818.0	\$	15.5	\$ 2,833.5

In addition to 1.2 billion shares of authorized common stock with \$0.001 par value per share, the Company has authorized 7.5 million shares of preferred stock, none of which was outstanding as of June 27, 2010.

During the third quarter, Starbucks Board of Directors declared a quarterly cash dividend to shareholders of \$0.13 per share to be paid on August 20, 2010, to shareholders of record on the close of business on August 4, 2010. The accrued dividend payable is recorded in other accrued liabilities on the consolidated balance sheet.

Components of accumulated other comprehensive income, net of tax (in millions):

	Jun	27, 2010	Sep	27, 2009
Net unrealized gains / (losses) on available-for-sale securities	\$	(0.2)	\$	(0.8)
Net unrealized gains / (losses) on hedging instruments		(29.7)		(23.7)
Translation adjustment		60.3		89.9
Accumulated other comprehensive income	\$	30.4	\$	65.4

#### Note 12: Employee Stock Plans

As of June 27, 2010, there were 35.6 million shares of common stock available for issuance pursuant to future equity-based compensation awards and employee stock purchase plans (ESPP).

Stock-based compensation expense recognized in the consolidated statement of earnings (in millions):

	13 Wee	13 Weeks Ended			39 Weeks End		
	Jun 27, 2010	Jun 2	28, 2009	Jun 27, 2010	Jun	28, 2009	
Options	\$ 18.9	\$	16.6	\$ 56.1	\$	47.7	
Restricted stock units ( RSUs )	9.6		3.9	25.8		10.4	
ESPP	0.0		0.1	0.0		5.0	
Total stock-based compensation	\$ 28.5	\$	20.6	\$ 81.9	\$	63.1	

Value of awards granted and exercised during the period:

	13 Wee	13 Weeks Ended			39 Weeks Ended		
	Jun 27, 2010	Jun	28, 2009	Jun 27, 2010	Jun	28, 2009	
Estimated fair value per option granted	\$ 9.49	\$	4.93	\$ 8.50	\$	3.54	
Weighted average option grant price	\$ 26.92	\$	12.90	\$ 22.23	\$	8.78	
Weighted average price per options exercised	\$ 12.98	\$	9.09	\$ 12.33	\$	6.17	
Weighted average RSU grant price	\$ 25.92	\$	11.66	\$ 22.22	\$	8.71	
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Stock option and RSU transactions from September 27, 2009 through June 27, 2010 (in millions):

	Stock	
	Options	RSUs
Options outstanding/Nonvested RSUs, September 27, 2009	63.6	4.4
Options/RSUs granted	14.7	2.3
Options exercised/RSUs vested	(6.5)	(0.5)
Options/RSUs forfeited/expired	(6.7)	(0.5)

Options outstanding/Nonvested RSUs, June 27, 2010	(	55.1	5.7	7
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Total unrecognized stock-based compensation expense, net of forfeitures, as of June 27, 2010	\$	90	\$ 54	4

#### Note 13: Earnings Per Share

Calculation of net earnings per common share ( EPS ) basic and diluted (in millions, except EPS):

	13 Weeks Ended			39 Weeks Ended			
	Jun 27, 2010	Jun 2	8, 2009	Jun 27, 2010	Jun	28, 2009	
Net earnings attributable to Starbucks	\$ 207.9	\$	151.5	\$ 666.7	\$	240.8	
Weighted average common shares and common stock units outstanding (for							
basic calculation)	746.1		739.4	745.8		737.9	
Dilutive effect of outstanding common stock options and RSUs	20.6		7.3	19.7		4.0	
Weighted average common and common equivalent shares outstanding (for diluted calculation)	766.7		746.7	765.5		741.9	
EPS basic	\$ 0.28	\$	0.20	\$ 0.89	\$	0.33	
EPS diluted	\$ 0.27	\$	0.20	\$ 0.87	\$	0.32	

Potential dilutive shares consist of the incremental common shares issuable upon the exercise of outstanding stock options (both vested and non-vested) and unvested RSUs, using the treasury stock method. Potential dilutive shares are excluded from the computation of earnings per share if their effect is antidilutive. The number of antidilutive options totaled 20 million and 37 million for the 13-week periods ended June 27, 2010 and June 28, 2009, respectively. The number of antidilutive options totaled 20 million and 63 million for the 39-week periods ended June 27, 2010 and June 28, 2009, respectively.

#### Note 14: Commitments and Contingencies

#### Guarantees

Unconditional guarantees as of June 27, 2010 (in millions):

		imum osure	Year Guarantee Expires in	Value	nated Fair Recorded on Ince Sheet
Japanese yen-denominated bank loans (Starbucks Japan an und	consolidated				
equity investee)	\$	2.4	2014	\$	0.0(1)
Borrowings of other unconsolidated equity investees	\$	7.4	various	\$	2.2

(1) Since there has been no modification of these loan guarantees subsequent to the adoption of accounting requirements for guarantees, we have applied the disclosure provisions only and have not recorded the guarantees on our consolidated balance sheets. Legal Proceedings

Starbucks is party to various legal proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business, but is not currently a party to any legal proceeding that management believes would have a material adverse effect on our consolidated financial position or results of operations.

#### **Note 15: Segment Reporting**

Segment information is prepared on the same basis that management reviews financial information for operational decision making purposes. The tables below present information by operating segment (*in millions*):

	United States	International		Global CPG		Unallocated l CPG Corporate		Total
13 Weeks Ended							•	
June 27, 2010								
Company-operated retail revenues	\$ 1,726.7	\$	460.0	\$	0.0	\$	0.0	\$ 2,186.7
Licensing revenues	135.5		78.0		117.1		0.0	330.6
Foodservice and other revenues	0.8		13.1		80.8		0.0	94.7
Total net revenues	1,863.0		551.1		197.9		0.0	2,612.0
Depreciation and amortization expenses	86.1		26.3		1.2		11.6	125.2
Income from equity investees	0.0		19.0		17.3		0.0	36.3
Operating income/(loss)	290.8		56.8		60.1		(80.0)	327.7
Net impairment and disposition losses	3.3		12.1		0.0		0.5	15.9
June 28, 2009								
Company-operated retail revenues	\$ 1,613.2	\$	400.6	\$	0.0	\$	0.0	\$ 2,013.8
Licensing revenues	129.4		65.3		106.3		0.0	301.0
Foodservice and other revenues	1.1		11.5		76.5		0.0	89.1
Total net revenues	1,743.7		477.4		182.8		0.0	2,403.9
Depreciation and amortization expenses	94.2		26.3		1.4		11.8	133.7
Income from equity investees	0.0		15.5		14.2		0.0	29.7
Operating income/(loss)	188.1		34.4		65.7		(84.2)	204.0
Net impairment and disposition losses	32.9		6.8		0.0		13.6	53.3
39 Weeks Ended								
June 27, 2010								
Company-operated retail revenues	\$ 5,195.0	\$	1,413.5	\$	0.0	\$	0.0	\$ 6,608.5
Licensing revenues	418.5		222.4		326.2		0.0	967.1
Foodservice and other revenues	4.5		40.4		248.9		0.0	293.8
Total net revenues	5,618.0		1,676.3		575.1		0.0	7,869.4
Depreciation and amortization expenses	264.4		81.9		3.6		34.4	384.3
Income from equity investees	0.0		56.9		43.2		0.0	100.1
Operating income/(loss)	947.2		141.2		195.1		(263.4)	1,020.1
Net impairment and disposition losses	28.9		23.8		0.0		7.5	60.2
June 28, 2009								
Company-operated retail revenues	\$ 4,977.2	\$	1,174.6	\$	0.0	\$	0.0	\$ 6,151.8
Licensing revenues	404.2		198.5		315.4		0.0	918.1
Foodservice and other revenues	2.8		33.7		246.0		0.0	282.5
Total net revenues	5,384.2		1,406.8		561.4		0.0	7,352.4
Depreciation and amortization expenses	285.8		75.6		4.4		36.3	402.1
Income from equity investees	0.5		38.5		39.4		0.0	78.4
Operating income/(loss)	371.8		53.3		203.4		(265.9)	362.6
Net impairment and disposition losses	106.2		38.2		0.0		54.6	199.0
The table below reconciles the total of the reportable segments	operating income to	conc	alidated ear	mina	bafora in	come	tovos (in n	villions).

The table below reconciles the total of the reportable segments operating income to consolidated earnings before income taxes (in millions):

13 Weeks Ended	Jun 27, 2010		Jun 28, 2009	
Operating income	\$	327.7	\$	204.0
Interest income and other, net		(1.4)		18.6
Interest expense		(7.9)		(8.6)

Earnings before income taxes	\$	318.4	\$	214.0
39 Weeks Ended	Jun	27, 2010	Jun	28, 2009
Operating income	\$	1,020.1	\$	362.6
Interest income and other, net		28.4		15.6
Interest expense		(24.1)		(30.5)
Earnings before income taxes	\$	1,024.4	\$	347.7

#### Item 2. Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations CAUTIONARY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO THE PRIVATE SECURITIES LITIGATION REFORM ACT OF 1995

Certain statements herein, including statements regarding trends in or expectations relating to the expected effects of our initiatives and plans, as well as trends in or expectations regarding, earnings per share, revenues, operating margins, comparable store sales, expenses, dividends, share repurchases, other financial results, capital expenditures, liquidity, cash flow from operations, anticipated store openings and closings, tax rates, and economic conditions in the US and other international markets all constitute forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such statements are based on currently available operating, financial and competitive information and are subject to various risks and uncertainties. Actual future results and trends may differ materially depending on a variety of factors, including, but not limited to, coffee, dairy and other raw materials prices and availability, successful execution of our initiatives, the effect of legal proceedings, and other risks detailed in our filings with the SEC, including Part I Item IA. Risk Factors in the 10-K.

A forward-looking statement is neither a prediction nor a guarantee of future events or circumstances, and those future events or circumstances may not occur. You should not place undue reliance on the forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date of this report. We are under no obligation to update or alter any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

This information should be read in conjunction with the condensed consolidated financial statements and the notes included in Item 1 of Part I of this 10-Q and the audited consolidated financial statements and notes, and Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations, contained in the 10-K.

#### General

Our fiscal year ends on the Sunday closest to September 30. All references to store counts, including data for new store openings, are reported net of store closures, unless otherwise noted. Our 2010 fiscal year includes 53 weeks, with the 53rd week falling in the fourth fiscal quarter, while fiscal 2009 included 52 weeks.

#### Overview

Starbucks results for the fiscal third quarter and first three quarters of fiscal 2010 demonstrate the ongoing success of our efforts over the last two years to improve the health of our core business and to position the Company for sustained, profitable growth into the future. Strong comparable stores sales growth (9% for the third quarter and 7% for the first three quarters), combined with a more efficient operating structure drove increased sales leverage and resulted in higher operating margins and net earnings. Of note, US store traffic increased by 6% in the third quarter. The operational improvements implemented throughout fiscal 2009 in our supply chain and company-operated stores have driven reduced product costs and store waste as well as in-store labor savings, concurrent with improved customer satisfaction scores. These improvements were partially offset by higher marketing expenses in the third quarter of fiscal 2010 to support the launch of Starbucks VIA<sup>®</sup> Ready Brew in the grocery channel and the introduction of our new customizable Frappuccino<sup>®</sup> blended beverage.

While the reinvigorated US business has been the primary driver of Starbucks improved consolidated financial results, in the third quarter of fiscal 2010 our international business also continued its recent positive trend, driven primarily by increased sales leverage and supply chain efficiencies. Increased management attention and the application of valuable lessons learned in the US to all of our international operations position us to capitalize on the large expansion opportunities that exist outside the US. Our global consumer products group ( CPG ) represents another important growth opportunity for us as we accelerate both product innovation and distribution. We are aggressively pursuing the opportunities beyond our more traditional store experience to offer consumers new coffee products in multiple forms, across new categories, and through diverse channels. Examples include the expansion of our successful Starbucks VIA<sup>®</sup> Ready Brew product into the grocery channel in the US, and the ongoing growth in points of distribution for Seattle s Best Coffee in multiple channels.

Starbucks continues to generate strong operating cash flows, which provide us the financial flexibility to continue disciplined investment and spending in both our core business and new growth platforms, while also returning cash to shareholders. We generated \$1.4 billion of operating cash flow for the first three quarters of fiscal 2010 and finished the period with \$1.4 billion in cash and short-term investments and no short-term debt. We recently announced a 30% increase in our quarterly cash dividend to 13 cents per share, and in the third quarter we repurchased 6.7 million shares of Starbucks stock.

Fiscal 2010 Financial Outlook for the Year

For the full fiscal year 2010, we expect both mid-single-digit revenue growth and mid-single digit comparable store sales growth over the comparable 52-week period. We plan to open about 250 net new stores globally, which will primarily be licensed stores. Given our current revenue expectations, combined with the year-over-year impact of the operational improvements implemented throughout fiscal 2009 and lower restructuring charges, we expect significant full year improvement in our consolidated operating margin in fiscal 2010 compared to the prior year.

We expect cash flow from operations to be approximately \$1.7 billion for fiscal 2010 and capital expenditures to total approximately \$450 million. While future dividends will be subject to Board of Directors approval, we continue to target a dividend payout ratio of approximately 35% to 40% of net income.

#### Results of Operations for the 13 Weeks and 39 Weeks Ended June 27, 2010 and June 28, 2009 (in millions)

#### Financial Highlights for the Third Quarter of Fiscal 2010 Consolidated

Consolidated operating income was \$328 million for the third quarter of fiscal 2010 compared to \$204 million in the prior year period, and the operating margin improved to 12.5% compared with 8.5% in the prior year quarter. The operating margin expansion was driven by sales leverage and continued benefits from operational efficiencies. Lower restructuring charges in the third quarter of fiscal 2010 compared to the prior year also contributed approximately 130 basis points of the increase in operating margin. These improvements were partially offset by higher marketing expenses for Starbucks VIA<sup>®</sup> Ready Brew and our new customizable Frappuccino<sup>®</sup> blended beverages.

EPS for the third quarter of fiscal 2010 was \$0.27, compared to \$0.20 in the prior year period, driven primarily by comparable store sales growth of 9% and operational improvements made in the business. Restructuring charges impacted EPS by approximately \$0.02 in the third quarter of fiscal 2010, related to lease exit and other real estate costs, and by approximately \$0.04 in the third quarter of fiscal 2009.

#### **Results of Operations Details** Consolidated

Revenues:

	13	Weeks Ende	d	39	d	
	Jun 27, 2010	Jun 28, 2009	% Change	Jun 27, 2010	Jun 28, 2009	% Change
Company-operated retail	\$ 2,186.7	\$ 2,013.8	8.6%	\$ 6,608.5	\$6,151.8	7.4%
Specialty:						
Licensing	330.6	301.0	9.8	967.1	918.1	5.3
Foodservice and other	94.7	89.1	6.3	293.8	282.5	4.0
Total specialty	425.3	390.1	9.0	1,260.9	1,200.6	5.0

# Total net revenues\$ 2,612.0\$ 2,403.98.7%\$ 7,869.4\$ 7,352.47.0%Net revenues for the 13 weeks and 39 weeks ended June 27, 2010 increased \$208 million and \$517 million, respectively, compared to the corresponding periods of fiscal 2009, driven by increases in company-operated retail operations.8.7%\$ 7,869.4\$ 7,352.47.0%

We derived 84% of total net revenues from our company-operated retail stores during the first three quarters of fiscal 2010. For the 13 weeks ended June 27, 2010, the increase in consolidated net revenues was driven by a 9%, or \$170 million, increase in comparable store sales. The increase in comparable store sales was primarily due to a 6% increase in number of transactions (contributing approximately \$113 million) and a 3% increase in the average value per transaction (contributing approximately \$57 million). For the 39 weeks ended June 27, 2010, consolidated net revenues increased over the prior year period driven by a 7%, or \$399 million, increase in comparable store sales. The increase in the average value per transaction (contributing approximately \$120 million) and a 3% increase in the average value per transaction (contributing approximately \$208 million) and a 3% increase in number of transactions (contributing approximately \$208 million) and a 3% increase in number of transactions (contributing approximately \$191 million).

For the first three quarters of fiscal 2010 we derived 16% of total net revenues from channels outside the company-operated retail stores, collectively known as specialty operations. Specialty revenues were higher due to strong product sales to licensees and the launch of Starbucks VIA<sup>®</sup> Ready Brew in the CPG segment.

#### **Operating Expenses:**

	13 Weeks Ended					s Ended		
	Jun 27, 2010	Jun 28, 2009						
			% of ]				% of ]	
			Net Rev	enues			Net Rev	enues
Cost of sales including occupancy costs	\$ 1,076.2	\$ 1,043.4	41.2%	43.4%	\$ 3,286.0	\$ 3,283.7	41.8%	44.7%
Store operating expenses	888.9	821.4	34.0	34.2	2,613.0	2,577.6	33.2	35.1
Other operating expenses	77.2	69.2	3.0	2.9	210.9	205.8	2.7	2.8
Depreciation and amortization expenses	125.2	133.7	4.8	5.6	384.3	402.1	4.9	5.5
General and administrative expenses	132.7	110.3	5.1	4.6	408.6	319.8	5.2	4.3
Restructuring charges	20.4	51.6	0.8	2.1	46.6	279.2	0.6	3.8