

Synopsys Announces Earnings Release Date for Second Quarter Fiscal Year 2012

MOUNTAIN VIEW, Calif., May 9, 2012 /PRNewswire/ -- Synopsys, Inc. (Nasdaq: SNPS), a world leader in software and IP used in the design, verification and manufacture of electronic components and systems, today announced it will report results for the second quarter of fiscal year 2012 on Wednesday, May 23, 2012, after the market close.

A conference call to review the results will begin at 2:00 p.m. PT (5:00 p.m. ET) and will be hosted by Aart de Geus, chairman and chief executive officer, and Brian Beattie, chief financial officer.

Financial and other statistical information to be discussed on this conference call will be available on the corporate website at <http://www.synopsys.com> immediately before the call. A live webcast will also be available on this site. Participants should access the live webcast at least 10 minutes prior to the start of the call. A webcast replay can be accessed on the corporate website beginning Wednesday, May 23, 2012, at approximately 5:30 p.m. PT. The replay will remain available until Synopsys announces its third quarter fiscal year 2012 results in August 2012. In addition, a dial-up replay of the conference call will be available beginning May 23, 2012 at 4:00 p.m. PT, ending on June 6, 2012 at midnight. The replay telephone number is USA (800) 475-6701, and International (320) 365-3844, Access Code 248069.

About Synopsys®

Synopsys, Inc. (Nasdaq:SNPS) is a world leader in electronic design automation (EDA), supplying the global electronics market with the software, intellectual property (IP) and services used in semiconductor design, verification and manufacturing. Synopsys' comprehensive, integrated portfolio of implementation, verification, IP, manufacturing and field-programmable gate array (FPGA) solutions helps address the key challenges designers and manufacturers face today, such as power and yield management, system-to-silicon verification and time-to-results. These technology-leading solutions help give Synopsys customers a competitive edge in bringing the best products to market quickly while reducing costs and schedule risk. Synopsys is headquartered in Mountain View, California, and has approximately 70 offices located throughout North America, Europe, Japan, Asia and India. Visit Synopsys online at <http://www.synopsys.com>.

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