

# Synopsys Announces Earnings Release Date and Conference Call for Second Quarter Fiscal Year 2009

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MOUNTAIN VIEW, Calif., May 6 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Synopsys, Inc. , a world leader in software and IP for semiconductor design and manufacturing, today announced it will report results for the second quarter fiscal year 2009 on Wednesday, May 20, 2009, after the market close.

A conference call to review the results will begin at 2 p.m. PT (5 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 20, 2009, at approximately 5:30 p.m. PT. The replay will remain available until Synopsys announces its third quarter results in August 2009. In addition, a dial-up replay of the conference call will be available beginning May 20, 2009 at 4:00 p.m. PT, ending on June 3, 2009. The replay telephone number is USA (800) 475-6701, and International (320) 365-3844, Access Code: 999158.

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