

TENNECO REPORTS THIRD QUARTER FINANCIAL RESULTS

- Record third quarter revenue of \$1.8 billion
- Record third quarter EBIT of \$111 million
- Cash from operations up 48% year-over-year to \$118 million

Lake Forest, IL, October 25, 2012 – Tenneco Inc. (NYSE: TEN) reported third quarter net income of \$125 million, or \$2.05 per diluted share, which includes a benefit of \$74 million, or \$1.22 per diluted share, primarily related to the reversal of a U.S. tax valuation allowance. On an adjusted basis, net income rose to \$52 million, or 85-cents per diluted share, compared with \$42 million, or 67-cents per diluted share, a year ago.

Adjusted third quarter 2012 and 2011 results:

(millions except per share amounts)

	Q3 2012				Q3 2011			
	EBITDA*	EBIT	Net income attributable to Tenneco Inc.	Per Share	EBITDA*	EBIT	Net income attributable to Tenneco Inc.	Per Share
Earnings Measures	\$ 160	\$ 111	\$ 125	\$ 2.05	\$ 135	\$ 84	\$ 30	\$ 0.49
Adjustments (reflect non-GAAP measures):								
Restructuring and related expenses	7	7	4	0.07	4	4	3	0.05
Pullman recoveries	(5)	(5)	(3)	(0.05)				
Goodwill impairment charge	-	-	-	-	11	11	7	0.11
Net tax adjustments	-	-	(74)	(1.22)	-	-	2	0.02
Non-GAAP earnings measures	<u>\$ 162</u>	<u>\$ 113</u>	<u>\$ 52</u>	<u>\$ 0.85</u>	<u>\$ 150</u>	<u>\$ 99</u>	<u>\$ 42</u>	<u>\$ 0.67</u>

*EBITDA including noncontrolling interests (EBIT before depreciation and amortization)

In addition to the information set forth above, the tables at the end of this press release reconcile GAAP results to non-GAAP results

Third quarter 2012 adjustments:

- Restructuring and related expenses of \$7 million pre-tax, or 7-cents per diluted share;
- EBIT benefit of \$5 million, or 5-cents per diluted share, from property recoveries related to transactions originated by the Pullman Company before being acquired by Tenneco in 1996;
- Net tax benefit of \$74 million, or \$1.22 per diluted share, primarily related to the reversal of the tax valuation allowance on the company's U.S. net operating loss position and recording a tax valuation allowance in Spain for tax credits that may not be utilized due to tax losses there.

Third quarter 2011 adjustments:

- Restructuring and related expenses of \$4 million pre-tax, or 5-cents per diluted share;
- Non-cash goodwill impairment charge of \$11 million pre-tax, or 11-cents per diluted share, related to the Australian operations;
- Net tax charges of \$2 million or 2-cents per diluted share, primarily related to tax adjustments based on filed tax returns.

Revenue

Total revenue in the quarter was \$1.778 billion, compared with \$1.773 billion in third quarter 2011. Revenue excluding substrate sales and currency increased 6% to \$1.462 billion, versus \$1.373 billion a year ago. The revenue increase was driven primarily by strong OE light vehicle production volumes in North America and China and incremental commercial vehicle revenue. In the third quarter, total OE commercial and specialty vehicle revenue increased 8 % year-over-year to \$184 million, and represented approximately 10% of total revenue.

EBIT and EBIT Margin

EBIT (earnings before interest, taxes and noncontrolling interests) increased 32% to \$111 million compared with \$84 million in third quarter 2011. Adjusted EBIT was \$113 million versus \$99 million, a 14% increase. EBIT includes a negative currency impact of \$2 million. The improved EBIT results were driven by stronger light vehicle volumes in North America and China, incremental commercial vehicle revenue and effective operational cost control.

The company reported the following EBIT as a percent of revenue and EBIT as a percent of value-add revenue (revenue excluding substrate sales).

	Q3 2012	Q3 2011
EBIT as a percent of revenue	6.2%	4.7%
EBIT as a percent of value-add revenue	8.0%	6.1%
Adjusted EBIT as a percent of revenue	6.4%	5.6%
Adjusted EBIT as a percent of value-add revenue	8.1%	7.2%

Cash

Cash generated from operations was \$118 million in the quarter, a 48% year-over-year improvement from \$80 million. The strong performance was driven by higher earnings and effective working capital management, particularly in inventories.

Tenneco continues to strategically invest in growth with capital expenditures in the quarter of \$65 million, up from \$50 million the prior year. The majority of spending was to support OE light and commercial vehicle program launches and new customer growth.

Debt

Tenneco's net debt at September 30, 2012 was \$1.138 billion, versus \$1.141 billion the prior year. The leverage ratio (net debt to adjusted LTM EBITDA including noncontrolling interests) improved to 1.8x, versus 1.9x a year ago.

"Our North America and China operations drove revenue growth this quarter as we successfully capitalized on stronger light vehicle production volumes and benefited from higher global commercial vehicle revenue versus a year ago," said Gregg Sherrill, chairman and CEO, Tenneco. "We delivered higher earnings and very good margins despite facing economic headwinds in Europe and South America. We also had a strong cash quarter on the strength of our earnings and working capital improvements."

THIRD QUARTER REPORTING SEGMENTS

NORTH AMERICA

(millions except percents)

	Q3 12 Revenues	% Change vs. Q3 11	Q3 12 Revenues Excluding Currency & Substrate Sales	% Change vs. Q3 11
North America Original Equipment				
Ride Control	\$ 160	7%	\$ 160	7%
Emission Control	537	7%	310	13%
Total North America Original Equipment	697	7%	470	11%
North America Aftermarket				
Ride Control	139	5%	138	4%
Emission Control	55	(8%)	55	(8%)
Total North America Aftermarket	194	1%	193	0%
Total North America	\$ 891	6%	\$ 663	7%

North America EBIT increased to \$77 million from \$46 million one year ago. On an adjusted basis, EBIT was \$72 million versus \$46 million, a 57% increase. EBIT includes a favorable currency impact of \$8 million year-over-year. EBIT performance was driven primarily by significant operational improvement in the North America OE ride control business, leveraging higher light vehicle volumes in both OE businesses and incremental commercial vehicle revenue.

EUROPE, SOUTH AMERICA AND INDIA

(millions except percents)

	Q3 12 Revenues	% Change vs. Q3 11	Q3 12 Revenues Excluding Currency & Substrate Sales	% Change vs. Q3 11
Europe Original Equipment				
Ride Control	\$ 112	(20%)	\$ 125	(10%)
Emission Control	328	(2%)	235	8%
Total Europe Original Equipment	440	(7%)	360	1%
Europe Aftermarket				
Ride Control	50	(9%)	56	(2%)
Emission Control	29	(19%)	32	(12%)
Total Europe Aftermarket	79	(13%)	88	(3%)
South America & India	140	(14%)	144	5%
Total Europe, South America & India	\$ 659	(9%)	\$ 592	1%

Declining Europe aftermarket sales, lower volumes in the Europe OE ride control business and South America and a negative currency impact of \$9 million, primarily in Brazil, contributed to a decrease in EBIT for Europe, South America and India. EBIT for the segment was \$13 million compared with \$36 million a year ago. On an adjusted basis, EBIT was \$20 million versus \$37 million.

ASIA PACIFIC

(millions except percents)

	Q3 12 Revenues	% Change vs. Q3 11	Q3 12 Revenues Excluding Currency & Substrate Sales	% Change vs. Q3 11
Asia	\$ 186	17%	\$ 167	27%
Australia	42	(5%)	40	(2%)
Total Asia Pacific	\$ 228	12%	\$ 207	20%

Asia Pacific EBIT rose to \$21 million compared with \$2 million last year. The year-over-year comparison reflects a goodwill impairment charge of \$11 million and restructuring charge of \$3 million taken in third quarter 2011. On an adjusted basis, EBIT was \$21 million versus \$16 million, a 31% improvement. The EBIT increase was driven by strong volumes in China on current and new platforms, and the benefit from restructuring and operating improvements in Australia. Currency had a \$1 million negative impact on Asia Pacific segment EBIT.

OUTLOOK

According to IHS Automotive forecasts, fourth quarter industry light vehicle production in the markets where Tenneco operates will be essentially flat year-over-year. Industry production in North America and China is forecasted to strengthen in the fourth quarter versus last year while Europe is expected to decline.

In North America, the company expects to leverage stronger industry light vehicle production volumes to drive year-over-year revenue growth. North America aftermarket revenue is expected to be in line with a strong fourth quarter a year ago.

Tenneco's operations in China will drive results for the Asia Pacific region as the company expects fourth quarter revenue to increase versus last year. Tenneco's strong position with market-leading OE customers in China and a forecasted rise in industry light vehicle production will drive the increase.

In the Europe, South America and India segment, Tenneco expects sustained economic weakness in Europe to negatively impact the segment results. According to IHS Automotive, Europe industry light vehicle production is forecasted to decline 10% in the fourth quarter. While Tenneco enjoys a strong customer and platform position, the company anticipates lower year-over-year revenue in both OE businesses due to the industry decline. Economic weakness throughout the region will also continue to impact the Europe aftermarket. In light of this weak industry environment, the company announced in the third quarter its intention to close an aftermarket manufacturing facility

in Vittaryd, Sweden, which would eliminate 122 positions. This is a first step in Tenneco's plans to further reduce fixed costs and better align its operations with the market in response to the ongoing economic challenges in Europe.

As the company has previously indicated, commercial vehicle markets around the world continue to be softer than anticipated and this weakness is expected to continue. For the fourth quarter, Tenneco estimates that revenue from its commercial and specialty vehicle business will be about even with the third quarter, which would result in approximately a 25% year-over-year increase in commercial vehicle revenue for the full year.

Tenneco is launching a strong book of business with leading commercial vehicle customers worldwide, which positions the company to capitalize on stronger volumes when industry production recovers. In the third quarter, the company further strengthened its position with the opening of its first manufacturing facility in Japan to supply diesel aftertreatment systems to Kubota, a leading global manufacturer of commercial vehicle engines and equipment. Tenneco also announced that it will supply Scania with Euro VI on-road diesel aftertreatment systems in Europe and diesel aftertreatment in South America.

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Attachment 1

Statements of Income – 3 Months

Statements of Income – 9 Months

Balance Sheets

Statements of Cash Flows – 3 Months

Statements of Cash Flows – 9 Months

Attachment 2

Reconciliation of GAAP Net Income to EBITDA including noncontrolling interests – 3 Months

Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP Earnings Measures – 3 Months

Reconciliation of GAAP Net Income to EBITDA including noncontrolling interests – 9 Months

Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP Earnings Measures – 9 Months

Reconciliation of GAAP Revenue to Non-GAAP Revenue Measures – 3 Months

Reconciliation of GAAP Revenue to Non-GAAP Revenue Measures – 9 Months

Reconciliation of GAAP Revenue to Non-GAAP Revenue Measures – 3 Months and 9 Months

Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Measures – Debt Net of Cash/Adjusted LTM EBITDA including noncontrolling interests

Reconciliation of GAAP Revenue to Non-GAAP Revenue Measures – Original Equipment and Aftermarket Revenue – 3 Months and 9 Months

Reconciliation of GAAP Revenue and Earnings to Non-GAAP Revenue and Earnings Measures – 3 Months and 9 Months

CONFERENCE CALL

The company will host a conference call on Thursday, October 25, 2012 at 9:00 a.m. ET. The dial-in number is 888-790-1831 (domestic) or 312-470-0022 (international). The passcode is TENNECO. The call and accompanying slides will be available on the financial section of the Tenneco web site at www.tenneco.com. A recording of the call will be available one hour following completion of the call on October 25, 2012 through November 25, 2012. To access this recording, dial 888-566-0494 (domestic) or 402-998-0655 (international). The purpose of the call is to

discuss the company's operations for the quarter, as well as other matters that may impact the company's outlook. A copy of the press release is available on the financial and news sections of the Tenneco web site.

Tenneco is a \$7.2 billion global manufacturing company with headquarters in Lake Forest, Illinois and approximately 24,000 employees worldwide. Tenneco is one of the world's largest designers, manufacturers and marketers of emission control and ride control products and systems for automotive and commercial vehicle original equipment markets and the aftermarket. Tenneco markets its products principally under the Monroe®, Walker® and Clevite®Elastomer brand names.

This press release contains forward-looking statements. Words such as "may," "expects," "anticipate," "projects," "will," and "outlook" and similar expressions identify forward-looking statements. These forward-looking statements are based on the current expectations of the company (including its subsidiaries). Because these forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties, the company's plans, actions and actual results could differ materially. Among the factors that could cause these plans, actions and results to differ materially from current expectations are:

(i) general economic, business and market conditions;

(ii) the company's ability to source and procure needed materials, components and other products and services in accordance with customer demand and at competitive prices;

(iii) changes in capital availability or costs, including increases in the company's costs of borrowing (i.e., interest rate increases), the amount of the company's debt, the ability of the company to access capital markets at favorable rates, and the credit ratings of the company's debt;

(iv) changes in consumer demand, prices and the company's ability to have our products included on top selling vehicles, including any shifts in consumer preferences to lower margin vehicles, for which we may or may not have supply arrangements;

(v) changes in automotive and commercial vehicle manufacturers' production rates and their actual and forecasted requirements for the company's products such as the significant production cuts during recent years by automotive manufacturers in response to difficult economic conditions;

(vi) the overall highly competitive nature of the automobile and commercial vehicle parts industries, and any resultant inability to realize the sales represented by the company's awarded book of business which is based on anticipated pricing and volumes over the life of the applicable program;

(vii) the loss of any of our large original equipment manufacturer ("OEM") customers (on whom we depend for a substantial portion of our revenues), or the loss of market shares by these customers if we are unable to achieve increased sales to other OEMs or any change in customer demand due to delays in the adoption or enforcement of worldwide emissions regulations;

(viii) workforce factors such as strikes or labor interruptions;

(ix) increases in the costs of raw materials, including the company's ability to successfully reduce the impact of any such cost increases through materials substitutions, cost reduction initiatives, customer recovery and other methods;

(x) the negative impact of higher fuel prices on transportation and logistics costs, raw material costs and discretionary purchases of vehicles or aftermarket products;

(xi) the cyclical nature of the global vehicular industry, including the performance of the global aftermarket sector and longer product lives of automobile parts;

(xii) the company's continued success in cost reduction and cash management programs and its ability to execute restructuring and other cost reduction plans and to realize anticipated benefits from these plans;

(xiii) product warranty costs;

(xiv) the cost and outcome of existing and any future legal proceedings;

(xv) economic, exchange rate and political conditions in the countries where we operate or sell our products;

(xvi) the company's ability to develop and profitably commercialize new products and technologies, and the acceptance of such new products and technologies by the company's customers and the market;
(xvii) changes by the Financial Accounting Standards Board or other accounting regulatory bodies to authoritative generally accepted accounting principles or policies;
(xviii) changes in accounting estimates and assumptions, including changes based on additional information;
(xix) governmental actions, including the ability to receive regulatory approvals and the timing of such approvals, as well as the impact of the enforcement of, changes to or compliance with laws and regulations, including those pertaining to environmental concerns, pensions or other regulated activities;
(xx) natural disasters, acts of war and/or terrorism and the impact of these occurrences or acts on economic, financial, industrial and social condition, including, without limitation, with respect to supply chains and customer demand in the countries where the company operates; and
(xxi) the timing and occurrence (or non-occurrence) of transactions and events which may be subject to circumstances beyond the control of the company and its subsidiaries.
The company undertakes no obligation to update any forward-looking statement to reflect events or circumstances after the date of this press release. Additional information regarding these risk factors and uncertainties is detailed from time to time in the company's SEC filings, including but not limited to its report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2011.

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TENNECO INC. AND CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES
STATEMENTS OF INCOME
Unaudited
THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,
(Millions except per share amounts)

	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
Net sales and operating revenues	<u>\$ 1,778</u>	<u>\$ 1,773</u>
Costs and expenses		
Cost of sales (exclusive of depreciation and amortization shown below)	1,494 (a)	1,492 (d)
Goodwill impairment charge	-	11 (e)
Engineering, research and development	28	32
Selling, general and administrative	94 (a) (b)	101
Depreciation and amortization of other intangibles	<u>49</u>	<u>51</u>
Total costs and expenses	<u>1,665</u>	<u>1,687</u>
Loss on sale of receivables	(1)	(1)
Other income (expense)	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>
Total other income (expense)	<u>(2)</u>	<u>(2)</u>
Earnings before interest expense, income taxes, and noncontrolling interests		
North America	77 (b)	46
Europe, South America & India	13 (a)	36 (d)
Asia Pacific	<u>21</u>	<u>2</u> (d) (e)
	111	84
Interest expense (net of interest capitalized)	<u>21</u>	<u>27</u>
Earnings before income taxes and noncontrolling interests	90	57
Income tax expense (benefit)	<u>(42) (c)</u>	<u>21</u> (f)
Net income	132	36
Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	<u>7</u>	<u>6</u>
Net income attributable to Tenneco Inc.	<u>\$ 125</u>	<u>\$ 30</u>
Weighted average common shares outstanding:		
Basic	<u>59.8</u>	<u>59.8</u>
Diluted	<u>60.9</u>	<u>61.5</u>
Earnings per share of common stock:		
Basic	<u>\$ 2.09</u>	<u>\$ 0.51</u>
Diluted	<u>\$ 2.05</u>	<u>\$ 0.49</u>

(a) Includes restructuring and related charges of \$7 million pre-tax, \$4 million after tax or \$0.07 per diluted share. Of the adjustment \$4 million is recorded in cost of sales and \$3 million is recorded in selling, general and administrative expenses. Geographically, the entire amount is recorded in Europe, South America and India.

(b) Includes a benefit of \$5 million pre-tax, \$3 million after tax or 5-cents per diluted share, from property recoveries related to transactions originated by The Pullman Company before being acquired by Tenneco in 1996.

(c) Includes net tax benefits of \$74 million or \$1.22 per diluted share primarily related to the reversal of the tax valuation allowance on the company's U.S. net operating loss position and recording a tax valuation allowance in Spain for tax credits that may not be utilized due to tax losses there.

(d) Includes restructuring and related charges of \$4 million pre-tax, \$3 million after tax or \$0.05 per diluted share, which is recorded in cost of sales. Geographically, \$1 million is recorded in Europe, South America and India and \$3 million in Asia Pacific.

(e) Represents Goodwill impairment charge recorded in Australia of \$11 million pre-tax, \$7 million after tax or \$0.11 per diluted share.

(f) Includes net tax charges of \$2 million or \$0.02 per diluted share related to losses in certain foreign jurisdictions and adjustments to tax estimates offset partially by the benefit of U.S. taxable income with no related tax expense due to the company's net operating loss carryforward.

TENNECO INC. AND CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES
STATEMENTS OF INCOME
Unaudited
NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,
(Millions except per share amounts)

	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
Net sales and operating revenues	<u>\$ 5,610</u>	<u>\$ 5,421</u>
Costs and expenses		
Cost of sales (exclusive of depreciation and amortization shown below)	4,696 (a)	4,523 (e)
Goodwill impairment charge	-	11 (f)
Engineering, research and development	94	102
Selling, general and administrative	321 (a) (b)	328
Depreciation and amortization of other intangibles	<u>148</u>	<u>156</u>
Total costs and expenses	<u>5,259</u>	<u>5,120</u>
Loss on sale of receivables	(3)	(4)
Other income (expense)	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(6)</u>
Total other income (expense)	<u>(7)</u>	<u>(10)</u>
Earnings before interest expense, income taxes, and noncontrolling interests		
North America	234 (b)	170 (e)
Europe, South America & India	62 (a)	97 (e)
Asia Pacific	<u>48</u>	<u>24</u> (e) (f)
	344	291
Interest expense (net of interest capitalized)	<u>84</u> (c)	<u>81</u> (g)
Earnings before income taxes and noncontrolling interests	260	210
Income tax expense (benefit)	<u>(3)</u> (d)	<u>65</u> (h)
Net income	263	145
Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	<u>21</u>	<u>18</u>
Net income attributable to Tenneco Inc.	<u>\$ 242</u>	<u>\$ 127</u>
Weighted average common shares outstanding:		
Basic	<u>60.0</u>	<u>59.9</u>
Diluted	<u>61.3</u>	<u>61.7</u>
Earnings per share of common stock:		
Basic	<u>\$ 4.04</u>	<u>\$ 2.12</u>
Diluted	<u>\$ 3.95</u>	<u>\$ 2.06</u>

(a) Includes restructuring and related charges of \$10 million pre-tax, \$6 million after tax or \$0.10 per diluted share. Of the adjustment \$7 million is recorded in cost of sales and \$3 million is recorded in selling, general and administrative expenses. Geographically, the entire amount is recorded in Europe, South America and India.

(b) Includes a benefit of \$5 million pre-tax, \$3 million after tax or 5-cents per diluted share, from property recoveries related to transactions originated by The Pullman Company before being acquired by Tenneco in 1996.

(c) Includes pre-tax expenses of \$18 million, \$12 million after tax or \$0.19 per share for costs related to refinancing activities.

(d) Includes net tax benefits of \$94 million or \$1.54 per diluted share primarily related to the reversal of the tax valuation allowance on the company's U.S. net operating loss position and recording a tax valuation allowance in Spain for tax credits that may not be utilized due to tax losses there.

(e) Includes restructuring and related charges of \$7 million pre-tax, \$5 million after tax or \$0.08 per diluted share, which is recorded in cost of sales. Geographically, \$1 million is recorded in North America, \$3 million in Europe, South America and India and \$3 million in Asia Pacific.

(f) Represents Goodwill impairment charge recorded in Australia of \$11 million pre-tax, \$7 million after tax or \$0.11 per diluted share.

(g) Includes pre-tax expenses of \$1 million, \$1 million after tax or \$0.01 per share for costs related to refinancing activities.

(h) Includes net tax benefits of \$9 million or \$0.14 per diluted share primarily related to U.S. taxable income with no associated tax expense due to the company's net operating loss carryforward and income generated in lower tax rate jurisdictions, partially offset by adjustments to prior years' tax estimates and the impact of recording a valuation allowance against the tax benefit for losses in certain foreign jurisdictions.

TENNECO INC. AND CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES
BALANCE SHEETS
(Unaudited)
(Millions)

	September 30, 2012	December 31, 2011
Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 207	\$ 214
Receivables, net	1,131 (a)	980 (a)
Inventories	672	592
Other current assets	263	193
Investments and other assets	341	311
Plant, property, and equipment, net	1,088	1,047
Total assets	\$ 3,702	\$ 3,337
 Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity		
Short-term debt	\$ 134	\$ 66
Accounts payable	1,188	1,171
Accrued taxes	57	44
Accrued interest	14	13
Other current liabilities	288	276
Long-term debt	1,211 (b)	1,158 (b)
Deferred income taxes	41	51
Deferred credits and other liabilities	472	503
Redeemable noncontrolling interests	13	12
Tenneco Inc. shareholders' equity	242	-
Noncontrolling interests	42	43
Total liabilities, redeemable noncontrolling interests and shareholders' equity	\$ 3,702	\$ 3,337
 (a) Accounts Receivables net of:		
Europe - Accounts receivables securitization programs	\$ 134	\$ 121
 (b) Long term debt composed of:		
Borrowings against revolving credit facilities	\$ 233	\$ 24
Term loan A (Due 2017)	244	-
Term loan B (Due 2016)	-	148
8.125% senior notes (Due 2015)	-	250
7.75% senior notes (Due 2018)	225	225
6.875% senior notes (Due 2020)	500	500
Other long term debt	9	11
	\$ 1,211	\$ 1,158

Tenneco Inc. and Consolidated Subsidiaries
Statements of Cash Flows
(Unaudited)
(Millions)

	Three Months Ended	
	September 30,	
	2012	2011
Operating activities:		
Net income	\$ 132	\$ 36
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities -		
Goodwill impairment charge	-	11
Depreciation and amortization of other intangibles	49	51
Stock-based compensation	2	2
Deferred income taxes	(87)	2
Loss on sale of assets	1	2
Changes in components of working capital-		
(Inc.)/dec. in receivables	55	(24)
(Inc.)/dec. in inventories	2	(25)
(Inc.)/dec. in prepayments and other current assets	(1)	6
Inc./(dec.) in payables	(50)	25
Inc./(dec.) in accrued taxes	19	(7)
Inc./(dec.) in accrued interest	5	9
Inc./(dec.) in other current liabilities	-	(2)
Changes in long-term assets	-	1
Changes in long-term liabilities	(13)	(10)
Other	4	3
Net cash provided by operating activities	<u>118</u>	<u>80</u>
Investing activities:		
Proceeds from sale of assets	1	-
Cash payments for plant, property & equipment	(70)	(50)
Cash payments for software-related intangible assets	(3)	(4)
Net cash used by investing activities	<u>(72)</u>	<u>(54)</u>
Financing activities:		
Purchase of common stock under the share repurchase program	-	(5)
Issuance of long-term debt	-	1
Retirement of long-term debt	(3)	-
Net inc./(dec.) in bank overdrafts	2	(5)
Net inc./(dec.) in revolver borrowings and short-term debt excluding current maturities on long-term debt and short-term borrowings secured by accounts receivable	(19)	20
Capital contribution from noncontrolling interest partner	4	-
Purchase of additional noncontrolling equity interest	-	(4)
Distribution to noncontrolling interest partners	(9)	(10)
Net cash used by financing activities	<u>(25)</u>	<u>(3)</u>
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	<u>5</u>	<u>(21)</u>
Increase in cash and cash equivalents	26	2
Cash and cash equivalents, July 1	181	161
Cash and cash equivalents, September 30	<u>\$ 207</u>	<u>\$ 163</u>
Supplemental Cash Flow Information		
Cash paid during the period for interest (net of interest capitalized)	\$ 16	\$ 18
Cash paid during the period for income taxes (net of refunds)	18	25
Non-cash Investing and Financing Activities		
Period ended balance of payables for plant, property, and equipment	\$ 25	\$ 23

Tenneco Inc. and Consolidated Subsidiaries
Statements of Cash Flows
(Unaudited)
(Millions)

	Nine Months Ended	
	September 30,	
	2012	2011
Operating activities:		
Net income	\$ 263	\$ 145
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided (used) by operating activities -		
Goodwill impairment charge	-	11
Depreciation and amortization of other intangibles	148	156
Stock-based compensation	9	6
Deferred income taxes	(94)	(3)
Loss on sale of assets	3	3
Changes in components of working capital-		
(Inc.)/dec. in receivables	(157)	(314)
(Inc.)/dec. in inventories	(81)	(85)
(Inc.)/dec. in prepayments and other current assets	(40)	(18)
Inc./(dec.) in payables	36	159
Inc./(dec.) in accrued taxes	37	(7)
Inc./(dec.) in accrued interest	1	9
Inc./(dec.) in other current liabilities	15	15
Changes in long-term assets	9	(2)
Changes in long-term liabilities	(35)	(31)
Other	5	-
Net cash provided by operating activities	<u>119</u>	<u>44</u>
Investing activities:		
Proceeds from sale of assets	2	4
Cash payments for plant, property & equipment	(195)	(145)
Cash payments for software-related intangible assets	(10)	(10)
Net cash used by investing activities	<u>(203)</u>	<u>(151)</u>
Financing activities:		
Purchase of common stock under the share repurchase program	(18)	(16)
Issuance of long-term debt	250	5
Debt issuance costs on long-term debt	(13)	(1)
Retirement of long-term debt	(406)	(23)
Net inc./(dec.) in bank overdrafts	2	3
Net inc./(dec.) in revolver borrowings and short-term debt excluding current maturities on long-term debt and short-term borrowings secured by accounts receivable	217	108
Net inc./(dec.) in short-term borrowings secured by accounts receivable	60	-
Capital contribution from noncontrolling interest partner	5	1
Purchase of additional noncontrolling equity interest	-	(4)
Distribution to noncontrolling interest partners	(27)	(20)
Net cash provided by financing activities	<u>70</u>	<u>53</u>
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	<u>7</u>	<u>(16)</u>
Decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(7)	(70)
Cash and cash equivalents, January 1	214	233
Cash and cash equivalents, September 30	<u>\$ 207</u>	<u>\$ 163</u>
Supplemental Cash Flow Information		
Cash paid during the period for interest (net of interest capitalized)	\$ 75	\$ 71
Cash paid during the period for income taxes (net of refunds)	54	58
Non-cash Investing and Financing Activities		
Period ended balance of payables for plant, property, and equipment	\$ 25	\$ 23

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RECONCILIATION OF GAAP⁽¹⁾ NET INCOME TO EBITDA INCLUDING NONCONTROLLING INTERESTS ⁽²⁾

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	Q3 2012			
	North America	Europe, SA & India	Asia Pacific	Total
Net income attributable to Tenneco Inc.				\$ 125
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests				7
Net income				132
Income tax benefit				(42)
Interest expense (net of interest capitalized)				21
EBIT, Earnings before interest expense, income taxes and noncontrolling interests (GAAP measure)	\$ 77	\$ 13	\$ 21	111
Depreciation and amortization of other intangibles	22	20	7	49
Total EBITDA including noncontrolling interests ⁽²⁾	<u>\$ 99</u>	<u>\$ 33</u>	<u>\$ 28</u>	<u>\$ 160</u>
	Q3 2011			
	North America	Europe, SA & India	Asia Pacific	Total
Net income attributable to Tenneco Inc.				\$ 30
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests				6
Net income				36
Income tax expense				21
Interest expense (net of interest capitalized)				27
EBIT, Earnings before interest expense, income taxes and noncontrolling interests (GAAP measure)	\$ 46	\$ 36	\$ 2	84
Depreciation and amortization of other intangibles	24	21	6	51
Total EBITDA including noncontrolling interests ⁽²⁾	<u>\$ 70</u>	<u>\$ 57</u>	<u>\$ 8</u>	<u>\$ 135</u>

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	Q3 2012				Q3 2011			
	EBITDA ⁽³⁾	EBIT	Net income attributable to Tenneco Inc.	Per Share	EBITDA ⁽³⁾	EBIT	Net income attributable to Tenneco Inc.	Per Share
Earnings Measures	\$ 160	\$ 111	\$ 125	\$ 2.05	\$ 135	\$ 84	\$ 30	\$ 0.49
Adjustments (reflect non-GAAP measures):								
Restructuring and related expenses	7	7	4	0.07	4	4	3	0.05
Pullman recoveries ⁽⁴⁾	(5)	(5)	(3)	(0.05)				
Goodwill impairment charge ⁽⁵⁾	-	-	-	-	11	11	7	0.11
Net tax adjustments	-	-	(74)	(1.22)	-	-	2	0.02
Non-GAAP earnings measures	<u>\$ 162</u>	<u>\$ 113</u>	<u>\$ 52</u>	<u>\$ 0.85</u>	<u>\$ 150</u>	<u>\$ 99</u>	<u>\$ 42</u>	<u>\$ 0.67</u>

	Q3 2012			
	North America	Europe, SA & India	Asia Pacific	Total
EBIT	\$ 77	\$ 13	\$ 21	\$ 111
Restructuring and related expenses	-	7	-	7
Pullman recoveries ⁽⁴⁾	(5)			(5)
Adjusted EBIT	<u>\$ 72</u>	<u>\$ 20</u>	<u>\$ 21</u>	<u>\$ 113</u>

	Q3 2011			
	North America	Europe, SA & India	Asia Pacific	Total
EBIT	\$ 46	\$ 36	\$ 2	\$ 84
Restructuring and related expenses	-	1	3	4
Goodwill impairment charge ⁽⁵⁾	-	-	11	11
Adjusted EBIT	<u>\$ 46</u>	<u>\$ 37</u>	<u>\$ 16</u>	<u>\$ 99</u>

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RECONCILIATION OF GAAP⁽¹⁾ NET INCOME TO EBITDA INCLUDING NONCONTROLLING INTERESTS ⁽²⁾

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	YTD 2012			
	North America	Europe, SA & India	Asia Pacific	Total
Net income attributable to Tenneco Inc.				\$ 242
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests				21
Net income				263
Income tax benefit				(3)
Interest expense (net of interest capitalized)				84
EBIT, Earnings before interest expense, income taxes and noncontrolling interests (GAAP measure)	\$ 234	\$ 62	\$ 48	344
Depreciation and amortization of other intangibles	67	62	19	148
Total EBITDA including noncontrolling interests ⁽²⁾	<u>\$ 301</u>	<u>\$ 124</u>	<u>\$ 67</u>	<u>\$ 492</u>
	YTD 2011			
	North America	Europe, SA & India	Asia Pacific	Total
Net income attributable to Tenneco Inc.				\$ 127
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests				18
Net income				145
Income tax expense				65
Interest expense (net of interest capitalized)				81
EBIT, Earnings before interest expense, income taxes and noncontrolling interests (GAAP measure)	\$ 170	\$ 97	\$ 24	291
Depreciation and amortization of other intangibles	71	67	18	156
Total EBITDA including noncontrolling interests ⁽²⁾	<u>\$ 241</u>	<u>\$ 164</u>	<u>\$ 42</u>	<u>\$ 447</u>

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	YTD 2012				YTD 2011			
	EBITDA ⁽³⁾	EBIT	Net income attributable to Tenneco Inc.	Per Share	EBITDA ⁽³⁾	EBIT	Net income attributable to Tenneco Inc.	Per Share
Earnings Measures	\$ 492	\$ 344	\$ 242	\$ 3.95	\$ 447	\$ 291	\$ 127	\$ 2.06
Adjustments (reflect non-GAAP measures):								
Restructuring and related expenses	10	10	6	0.10	7	7	5	0.08
Pullman recoveries ⁽⁴⁾	(5)	(5)	(3)	(0.05)	-	-	-	-
Goodwill impairment charge ⁽⁵⁾	-	-	-	-	11	11	7	0.11
Costs related to refinancing	-	-	12	0.19	-	-	1	0.01
Net tax adjustments	-	-	(94)	(1.54)	-	-	(9)	(0.14)
Non-GAAP earnings measures	<u>\$ 497</u>	<u>\$ 349</u>	<u>\$ 163</u>	<u>\$ 2.65</u>	<u>\$ 465</u>	<u>\$ 309</u>	<u>\$ 131</u>	<u>\$ 2.12</u>

	YTD 2012			
	North America	Europe, SA & India	Asia Pacific	Total
EBIT	\$ 234	\$ 62	\$ 48	\$ 344
Restructuring and related expenses	-	10	-	10
Pullman recoveries ⁽⁴⁾	(5)	-	-	(5)
Adjusted EBIT	<u>\$ 229</u>	<u>\$ 72</u>	<u>\$ 48</u>	<u>\$ 349</u>

	YTD 2011			
	North America	Europe, SA & India	Asia Pacific	Total
EBIT	\$ 170	97	\$ 24	\$ 291
Restructuring and related expenses	1	3	3	7
Goodwill impairment charge ⁽⁵⁾	-	-	11	11
Adjusted EBIT	<u>\$ 171</u>	<u>\$ 100</u>	<u>\$ 38</u>	<u>\$ 309</u>

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 RECONCILIATION OF GAAP ⁽¹⁾ REVENUE TO NON-GAAP REVENUE MEASURES ⁽²⁾

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	Q3 2012				
	Revenues	Currency Impact	Revenues Excluding Currency	Substrate Sales Excluding Currency Impact	Revenues Excluding Currency and Substrate Sales
North America Original Equipment					
Ride Control	\$ 160	\$ -	\$ 160	\$ -	\$ 160
Emission Control	537	-	537	227	310
Total North America Original Equipment	697	-	697	227	470
North America Aftermarket					
Ride Control	139	1	138	-	138
Emission Control	55	-	55	-	55
Total North America Aftermarket	194	1	193	-	193
Total North America	891	1	890	227	663
Europe Original Equipment					
Ride Control	112	(13)	125	-	125
Emission Control	328	(38)	366	131	235
Total Europe Original Equipment	440	(51)	491	131	360
Europe Aftermarket					
Ride Control	50	(6)	56	-	56
Emission Control	29	(3)	32	-	32
Total Europe Aftermarket	79	(9)	88	-	88
South America & India	140	(28)	168	24	144
Total Europe, South America & India	659	(88)	747	155	592
Asia	186	2	184	17	167
Australia	42	(1)	43	3	40
Total Asia Pacific	228	1	227	20	207
Total Tenneco Inc.	\$ 1,778	\$ (86)	\$ 1,864	\$ 402	\$ 1,462

	Q3 2011				
	Revenues	Currency Impact	Revenues Excluding Currency	Substrate Sales Excluding Currency Impact	Revenues Excluding Currency and Substrate Sales
North America Original Equipment					
Ride Control	\$ 149	\$ -	\$ 149	\$ -	\$ 149
Emission Control	500	-	500	225	275
Total North America Original Equipment	649	-	649	225	424
North America Aftermarket					
Ride Control	133	-	133	-	133
Emission Control	60	-	60	-	60
Total North America Aftermarket	193	-	193	-	193
Total North America	842	-	842	225	617
Europe Original Equipment					
Ride Control	138	-	138	-	138
Emission Control	335	-	335	117	218
Total Europe Original Equipment	473	-	473	117	356
Europe Aftermarket					
Ride Control	57	-	57	-	57
Emission Control	35	-	35	-	35
Total Europe Aftermarket	92	-	92	-	92
South America & India	162	-	162	26	136
Total Europe, South America & India	727	-	727	143	584
Asia	159	-	159	28	131
Australia	45	-	45	4	41
Total Asia Pacific	204	-	204	32	172
Total Tenneco Inc.	\$ 1,773	\$ -	\$ 1,773	\$ 400	\$ 1,373

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	YTD 2012				
	Revenues	Currency Impact	Revenues Excluding Currency	Substrate Sales Excluding Currency Impact	Revenues Excluding Currency and Substrate Sales
North America Original Equipment					
Ride Control	\$ 504	\$ (2)	\$ 506	\$ -	\$ 506
Emission Control	1,771	-	1,771	773	998
Total North America Original Equipment	2,275	(2)	2,277	773	1,504
North America Aftermarket					
Ride Control	437	1	436	-	436
Emission Control	161	-	161	-	161
Total North America Aftermarket	598	1	597	-	597
Total North America	2,873	(1)	2,874	773	2,101
Europe Original Equipment					
Ride Control	381	(39)	420	-	420
Emission Control	1,060	(113)	1,173	409	764
Total Europe Original Equipment	1,441	(152)	1,593	409	1,184
Europe Aftermarket					
Ride Control	150	(19)	169	-	169
Emission Control	81	(8)	89	-	89
Total Europe Aftermarket	231	(27)	258	-	258
South America & India	429	(71)	500	68	432
Total Europe, South America & India	2,101	(250)	2,351	477	1,874
Asia	518	(2)	520	59	461
Australia	118	(2)	120	8	112
Total Asia Pacific	636	(4)	640	67	573
Total Tenneco Inc.	<u>\$ 5,610</u>	<u>\$ (255)</u>	<u>\$ 5,865</u>	<u>\$ 1,317</u>	<u>\$ 4,548</u>

	YTD 2011				
	Revenues	Currency Impact	Revenues Excluding Currency	Substrate Sales Excluding Currency Impact	Revenues Excluding Currency and Substrate Sales
North America Original Equipment					
Ride Control	\$ 462	\$ -	\$ 462	\$ -	\$ 462
Emission Control	1,546	-	1,546	720	826
Total North America Original Equipment	2,008	-	2,008	720	1,288
North America Aftermarket					
Ride Control	405	-	405	-	405
Emission Control	154	-	154	-	154
Total North America Aftermarket	559	-	559	-	559
Total North America	2,567	-	2,567	720	1,847
Europe Original Equipment					
Ride Control	428	-	428	-	428
Emission Control	1,096	-	1,096	374	722
Total Europe Original Equipment	1,524	-	1,524	374	1,150
Europe Aftermarket					
Ride Control	171	-	171	-	171
Emission Control	109	-	109	-	109
Total Europe Aftermarket	280	-	280	-	280
South America & India	481	-	481	81	400
Total Europe, South America & India	2,285	-	2,285	455	1,830
Asia	445	-	445	73	372
Australia	124	-	124	10	114
Total Asia Pacific	569	-	569	83	486
Total Tenneco Inc.	<u>\$ 5,421</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 5,421</u>	<u>\$ 1,258</u>	<u>\$ 4,163</u>

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	Q3 2012 vs. Q3 2011 \$ Change and % Change Increase (Decrease)			
	Revenues	% Change	Revenues Excluding Currency and Substrate Sales	% Change
North America Original Equipment				
Ride Control	\$ 11	7%	\$ 11	7%
Emission Control	37	7%	35	13%
Total North America Original Equipment	48	7%	46	11%
North America Aftermarket				
Ride Control	6	5%	5	4%
Emission Control	(5)	(8%)	(5)	(8%)
Total North America Aftermarket	1	1%	-	0%
Total North America	49	6%	46	7%
Europe Original Equipment				
Ride Control	(26)	(20%)	(13)	(10%)
Emission Control	(7)	(2%)	17	8%
Total Europe Original Equipment	(33)	(7%)	4	1%
Europe Aftermarket				
Ride Control	(7)	(9%)	(1)	(2%)
Emission Control	(6)	(19%)	(3)	(12%)
Total Europe Aftermarket	(13)	(13%)	(4)	(3%)
South America & India	(22)	(14%)	8	5%
Total Europe, South America & India	(68)	(9%)	8	1%
Asia	27	17%	36	27%
Australia	(3)	(5%)	(1)	(2%)
Total Asia Pacific	24	12%	35	20%
Total Tenneco Inc.	<u>\$ 5</u>	<u>0%</u>	<u>\$ 89</u>	<u>6%</u>

	YTD Q3 2012 vs. YTD Q3 2011 \$ Change and % Change Increase (Decrease)			
	Revenues	% Change	Revenues Excluding Currency and Substrate Sales	% Change
North America Original Equipment				
Ride Control	\$ 42	9%	\$ 44	9%
Emission Control	225	15%	172	21%
Total North America Original Equipment	267	13%	216	17%
North America Aftermarket				
Ride Control	32	8%	31	8%
Emission Control	7	5%	7	5%
Total North America Aftermarket	39	7%	38	7%
Total North America	306	12%	254	14%
Europe Original Equipment				
Ride Control	(47)	(11%)	(8)	(2%)
Emission Control	(36)	(3%)	42	6%
Total Europe Original Equipment	(83)	(5%)	34	3%
Europe Aftermarket				
Ride Control	(21)	(12%)	(2)	(1%)
Emission Control	(28)	(26%)	(20)	(18%)
Total Europe Aftermarket	(49)	(17%)	(22)	(8%)
South America & India	(52)	(11%)	32	8%
Total Europe, South America & India	(184)	(8%)	44	2%
Asia	73	16%	89	24%
Australia	(6)	(4%)	(2)	0%
Total Asia Pacific	67	12%	87	18%
Total Tenneco Inc.	<u>\$ 189</u>	<u>3%</u>	<u>\$ 385</u>	<u>9%</u>

TENNECO INC.
RECONCILIATION OF NON-GAAP MEASURES
Debt net of cash / Adjusted LTM EBITDA including noncontrolling interests
Unaudited
(Millions except ratios)

	Quarter Ended September 30,	
	2012	2011
Total debt	\$ 1,345	\$ 1,304
Cash and cash equivalents	207	163
Debt net of cash balances ⁽¹⁾	\$ 1,138	\$ 1,141
Adjusted LTM EBITDA including noncontrolling interests ^{(2) (3)}	\$ 637	\$ 586
Ratio of debt net of cash balances to adjusted LTM EBITDA including noncontrolling interests ⁽⁴⁾	1.8x	1.9x

	Q4 11	Q1 12	Q2 12	Q3 12	Q3 12 LTM
Net income attributable to Tenneco Inc.	\$ 30	\$ 30	\$ 87	\$ 125	\$ 272
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	8	6	8	7	29
Income tax expense (benefit)	23	18	21	(42)	20
Interest expense (net of interest capitalized)	27	42	21	21	111
EBIT, Earnings before interest expense, income taxes and noncontrolling interests (GAAP measure)	88	96	137	111	432
Depreciation and amortization of other intangibles	51	49	50	49	199
Total EBITDA including noncontrolling interests ⁽²⁾	139	145	187	160	631
Restructuring and related expenses	1	1	2	7	11
Pullman recoveries ⁽⁵⁾	-	-	-	(5)	(5)
Total Adjusted EBITDA including noncontrolling interest ⁽³⁾	<u>\$ 140</u>	<u>\$ 146</u>	<u>\$ 189</u>	<u>\$ 162</u>	<u>\$ 637</u>

	Q4 10	Q1 11	Q2 11	Q3 11	Q3 11 LTM
Net income (loss) attributable to Tenneco Inc.	\$ (18)	\$ 47	\$ 50	\$ 30	\$ 109
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	7	5	7	6	25
Income tax expense	24	14	30	21	89
Interest expense (net of interest capitalized)	49	28	26	27	130
EBIT, Earnings before interest expense, income taxes and noncontrolling interests (GAAP measure)	62	94	113	84	353
Depreciation and amortization of other intangibles	53	51	54	51	209
Total EBITDA including noncontrolling interests ⁽²⁾	115	145	167	135	562
Restructuring and related expenses	4	1	2	4	11
Goodwill impairment charge ⁽⁶⁾	-	-	-	11	11
Pension charges ⁽⁷⁾	2	-	-	-	2
Total Adjusted EBITDA including noncontrolling interest ⁽³⁾	<u>\$ 121</u>	<u>\$ 146</u>	<u>\$ 169</u>	<u>\$ 150</u>	<u>\$ 586</u>

⁽¹⁾ Tenneco presents debt net of cash balances because management believes it is a useful measure of Tenneco's credit position and progress toward reducing leverage. The calculation is limited in that the company may not always be able to use cash to repay debt on a dollar-for-dollar basis.

⁽²⁾ EBITDA including noncontrolling interests represents income before interest expense, income taxes, noncontrolling interests and depreciation and amortization. EBITDA including noncontrolling interests is not a calculation based upon generally accepted accounting principles. The amounts included in the EBITDA including noncontrolling interests calculation, however, are derived from amounts included in the historical statements of income data. In addition, EBITDA including noncontrolling interests should not be considered as an alternative to net income (loss) attributable to Tenneco Inc. or operating income as an indicator of the company's operating performance, or as an alternative to operating cash flows as a measure of liquidity. Tenneco has presented EBITDA including noncontrolling interests because it regularly reviews EBITDA including noncontrolling interests as a measure of the company's performance. In addition, Tenneco believes its investors utilize and analyze our EBITDA including noncontrolling interests for similar purposes. Tenneco also believes EBITDA including noncontrolling interests assists investors in comparing a company's performance on a consistent basis without regard to depreciation and amortization, which can vary significantly depending upon many factors. However, the EBITDA including noncontrolling interests measure presented may not always be comparable to similarly titled measures reported by other companies due to differences in the components of the calculation.

⁽³⁾ Adjusted EBITDA including noncontrolling interests is presented in order to reflect the results in a manner that allows a better understanding of operational activities separate from the financial impact of decisions made for the long term benefit of the company and other items impacting comparability between the periods. Similar adjustments to EBITDA including noncontrolling interests have been recorded in earlier periods, and similar types of adjustments can reasonably be expected to be recorded in future periods. The company believes investors find the non-GAAP information helpful in understanding the ongoing performance of operations separate from items that may have a disproportionate positive or negative impact on the company's financial results in any particular period.

⁽⁴⁾ Tenneco presents the above reconciliation of the ratio of debt net of cash to annual adjusted EBITDA including noncontrolling interests to show trends that investors may find useful in understanding the company's ability to service its debt. For purposes of this calculation, annual adjusted EBITDA including noncontrolling interests is used as an indicator of the company's performance and debt net of cash is presented as an indicator of our credit position and progress toward reducing our financial leverage. This reconciliation is provided as supplemental information and not intended to replace the company's existing covenant ratios or any other financial measures that investors may find useful in describing the company's financial position. See notes (1), (2) and (3) for a description of the limitations of using debt net of cash, EBITDA including noncontrolling interests and adjusted EBITDA including noncontrolling interests.

⁽⁵⁾ Benefit from property recoveries related to transactions originated by The Pullman Company before being acquired by Tenneco in 1996.

⁽⁶⁾ Non-cash asset impairment charge related to goodwill for Australia.

⁽⁷⁾ Includes charges related to an actuarial loss for lump-sum pension payments.

TENNECO INC.
 RECONCILIATION OF GAAP ⁽¹⁾ REVENUE TO NON-GAAP REVENUE MEASURES
Unaudited
 (Millions)

	<u>Three Months Ended September 30,</u>	
	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
Original equipment revenues	\$ 1,454	\$ 1,434
Aftermarket revenues	<u>324</u>	<u>339</u>
Net sales and operating revenues	\$ 1,778	\$ 1,773
	 <u>Nine Months Ended September 30,</u>	
	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
Original equipment revenues	\$ 4,631	\$ 4,422
Aftermarket revenues	<u>979</u>	<u>999</u>
Net sales and operating revenues	\$ 5,610	\$ 5,421

⁽¹⁾ Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

TENNECO INC.
RECONCILIATION OF GAAP ⁽¹⁾ REVENUE AND EARNINGS TO NON-GAAP REVENUE AND EARNINGS MEASURES ⁽²⁾

ATTACHMENT 2

Unaudited
(Millions except percents)

	Q3 2012				Q3 2011			
	North America	Europe, SA & India	Asia Pacific	Total	North America	Europe, SA & India	Asia Pacific	Total
Net sales and operating revenues	\$ 891	\$ 659	\$ 228	\$ 1,778	\$ 842	\$ 727	\$ 204	\$ 1,773
Less: Substrate sales	227	139	20	386	225	143	32	400
Value-add revenues	\$ 664	\$ 520	\$ 208	\$ 1,392	\$ 617	\$ 584	\$ 172	\$ 1,373
EBIT	\$ 77	\$ 13	\$ 21	\$ 111	\$ 46	\$ 36	\$ 2	\$ 84
EBIT as a % of revenue	8.6%	2.0%	9.2%	6.2%	5.5%	5.0%	1.0%	4.7%
EBIT as a % of value-add revenue	11.6%	2.5%	10.1%	8.0%	7.5%	6.2%	1.2%	6.1%
Adjusted EBIT	\$ 72	\$ 20	\$ 21	\$ 113	\$ 46	\$ 37	\$ 16	\$ 99
Adjusted EBIT as a % of revenue	8.1%	3.0%	9.2%	6.4%	5.5%	5.1%	7.8%	5.6%
Adjusted EBIT as a % of value-add revenue	10.8%	3.8%	10.1%	8.1%	7.5%	6.3%	9.3%	7.2%

	YTD 2012				YTD 2011			
	North America	Europe, SA & India	Asia Pacific	Total	North America	Europe, SA & India	Asia Pacific	Total
Net sales and operating revenues	\$ 2,873	\$ 2,101	\$ 636	\$ 5,610	\$ 2,567	\$ 2,285	\$ 569	\$ 5,421
Less: Substrate sales	773	429	69	1,271	720	455	83	1,258
Value-add revenues	\$ 2,100	\$ 1,672	\$ 567	\$ 4,339	\$ 1,847	\$ 1,830	\$ 486	\$ 4,163
EBIT	\$ 234	\$ 62	\$ 48	\$ 344	\$ 170	\$ 97	\$ 24	\$ 291
EBIT as a % of revenue	8.1%	3.0%	7.5%	6.1%	6.6%	4.2%	4.2%	5.4%
EBIT as a % of value-add revenue	11.1%	3.7%	8.5%	7.9%	9.2%	5.3%	4.9%	7.0%
Adjusted EBIT	\$ 229	\$ 72	\$ 48	\$ 349	\$ 171	\$ 100	\$ 38	\$ 309
Adjusted EBIT as a % of revenue	8.0%	3.4%	7.5%	6.2%	6.7%	4.4%	6.7%	5.7%
Adjusted EBIT as a % of value-add revenue	10.9%	4.3%	8.5%	8.0%	9.3%	5.5%	7.8%	7.4%

⁽¹⁾ Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

⁽²⁾ Tenneco presents the above reconciliation of revenues in order to reflect value-add revenues. Substrate sales include precious metals pricing, which may be volatile. Substrate sales occur when, at the direction of its OE customers, Tenneco purchases catalytic converters or components thereof from suppliers, uses them in its manufacturing processes and sells them as part of the completed system. While Tenneco original equipment customers assume the risk of this volatility, it impacts reported revenue. Excluding substrate sales removes this impact. Further, presenting EBIT as a percent of value-add revenue assists investors in evaluating our company's operational performance without the impact of such substrate sales.