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3D Systems Earns 26 Cents per Share for Second Quarter 2011

ROCK HILL, South Carolina – July 28, 2011 - 3D Systems Corporation (NYSE: DDD) announced today that it earned 26 cents per share diluted, for the second quarter of 2011 on a 57% revenue increase and a 58% gross profit improvement compared to the second quarter of 2010. The company's quarterly and annual earnings benefitted by 12 cents per share from releasing a portion of its valuation allowance on deferred tax assets.

Net income included \$0.4 million of restructuring expenses, \$2.2 million of legal expenses and \$3.4 million of non-cash expenses related to depreciation, amortization and share-based compensation expense for the 2011 quarter compared to \$2.4 million of non-cash expenses and \$1.2 million of legal expenses for the 2010 period.

"We are pleased with our organic growth, record printer units sold and the continued strong revenue expansion from all our products and services," said Abe Reichental, 3D Systems' President and Chief Executive Officer.

The table below summarizes the company's key second quarter and six months 2011 financial results.

(in millions, except per share	5	Second Qua	arter	First Six Months				
amounts) Operating Highlights	2011	2010	% Change Favorable (Unfavorable)	2011	2010	% Change Favorable (Unfavorable)		
Revenue	\$55.1	\$35.1	57%	\$103.0	\$66.8	54%		
Gross profit % of revenue	\$25.2 46%	\$16.0 45%	58%	\$48.4 \$30.3 47% 45%		60%		
Operating expenses % of revenue	\$17.2 31%	\$12.5 36%	(37%)	\$33.0 32%	\$24.2 36%	(36%)		
Operating income % of revenue	\$8.0 15%	\$3.4 10%	134%	\$15.4 15%	\$6.1 9%	154%		
Net income % of revenue	\$13.4 24%	\$2.7 8%	389%	\$20.2 \$4.8 20% 7%		325%		
Diluted earnings per share	\$0.26	\$0.06	333%	\$0.40	\$0.10	300%		
Available cash	\$79.0	\$25.9	205%	\$79.0	\$25.9	205%		
Depreciation & amortization % of revenue	\$2.6 5%	\$1.9 5%	(35%)	\$5.0 \$3.4 5% 5%		(46%)		

- Percents are rounded to nearest whole number

- 2010 earnings per share are adjusted for the two-for-one stock split effected in the second quarter of 2011

For the second quarter 2011 the company delivered record revenue growth from all its revenue categories. 3D printer units sold tripled over the comparable period and accounted for a \$5.5 million revenue increase. During the second quarter the company recruited 27 new resellers to its global distribution network that aggregated to 167 channel partners. Print materials grew by \$2.4 million on strong user demand and an expanded installed base. Services, including custom parts, increased by \$12.0 million compared to the second quarter of 2010. Healthcare solutions grew 32% over the prior year and organic growth accounted for 25% of the company's total revenue increase.

Gross profit margin for the quarter expanded 30 basis points over the 2010 period, to 45.7%. Print materials gross profit margin improved 530 basis points over the comparable 2010 quarter and 150 basis points sequentially to 65%. Printers' gross profit margin expanded 220 basis points over the comparable period from increased volume, but compressed 370 basis points sequentially as a result of unfavorable printers' mix. Services gross profit margin improved 60 basis points compared to 2010

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on significantly higher revenue, but decreased 360 basis points sequentially. Custom parts services gross profit margin increased 1,290 basis points over the comparable 2010 quarter, but decreased 690 basis points sequentially on a seasonal revenue shortfall of higher margin 3Dproparts[™] Italy revenue and higher Quickparts[®] revenue at lower margin.

The company ended the first six months of 2011 with \$79.0 million of available cash and cash equivalents. During the first six months of 2011 the company generated \$6.2 million of cash from operations, used \$29.2 million to fund strategic investing activities and completed a common stock offering with net proceeds of \$62.1 million.

"We remain focused on democratizing access to affordable and viable 3D content-toprint solutions for professionals and consumers alike. We believe that the marketplace for our products and services is largely underpenetrated and that our diversified portfolio makes us more attractive to broader audiences. While the rapid growth rate of our custom parts and printers revenue outpaced our margin expansion rate for the quarter, we remain optimistic about our future and believe that we are on track to achieve our long-term target operating model," concluded Reichental.

Conference Call and Webcast Details

3D Systems will hold a conference call and webcast to discuss its operating results for the second quarter and six months 2011 on Thursday, July 28, 2011 at 11:30 a.m., Eastern Time.

- To access this Conference Call, dial 1-(800) 798-2864 from in the U.S. or 1(617) 614-6206 from outside the U.S. and enter participant code 19161462.
- To access the webcast, log onto 3D Systems' Web site at <u>www.3dsystems.com/ir</u>. To ensure timely participation and technical capability, we recommend logging on a few minutes prior to the conference call to activate your participation. The webcast will be

available for replay beginning approximately two hours after completion of the call at: <u>www.3dsystems.com/ir</u>.

Forward-Looking Statements

Certain statements made in this release that are not statements of historical or current facts are forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements may involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause the actual results, performance or achievements of the company to be materially different from historical results or from any future results expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. In addition to statements that explicitly describe such risks and uncertainties, readers are urged to consider statements in the conditional or future tenses or that include terms such as "believes," "belief," "expects," "estimates," "intends," "anticipates" or "plans" to be uncertain and forward-looking. Forwardlooking statements may include comments as to the company's beliefs and expectations as to future events and trends affecting its business and are necessarily subject to uncertainties, many of which are outside the control of the company. The factors described under the headings "Forward-Looking Statements," "Cautionary Statements and Risk Factors," and "Risk Factors" in the company's periodic filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, as well as other factors, could cause actual results to differ materially from those reflected or predicted in forward-looking statements.

About 3D Systems Corporation

3D Systems is a leading provider of 3D content-to-print solutions including 3D printers, print materials and on-demand custom parts services for professionals and consumers alike. The company also provides creative content development, design productivity tools and curation services and downloads. Its expertly integrated solutions replace displace and complement traditional methods and reduce the time and cost of designing new products by printing real parts directly from digital input. These

solutions are used to rapidly design, communicate, prototype and produce functional end-use parts empowering our customers to create with confidence.

More information on the company is available at <u>www.3DSystems.com</u>, <u>www.printin3D.com</u>, <u>www.toptobottomdental.com</u>, <u>www.quickparts.com</u>, <u>www.3Dproparts.com</u>, <u>www.bitsfrombytes.com</u>, <u>www.The3dStudio.com</u>, <u>www.freedomofcreation.com</u>, <u>blog.3dsystems.com</u>, or via email at <u>moreinfo@3Dsystems.com</u>.

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3D SYSTEMS CORPORATION Unaudited Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income Quarters and Six Months Ended June 30, 2011 and 2010

	Quarter Ended June 30,				Six Months Ended June 30,				
(in thousands, except per share amounts)		2011		2010		2011		2010	
Revenue:									
Products	\$	32,610	\$	24,645	\$	61,754	\$	47,042	
Services		22,518		10,499		41,271		19,729	
Total revenue		55,128		35,144		103,025		66,771	
Cost of sales:									
Products		15,971		12,614		29,723		23,617	
Services		13,954		6,574		24,902		12,877	
Total cost of sales		29,925		19,188		54,625		36,494	
Gross profit		25,203		15,956		48,400		30,277	
Operating expenses:									
Selling, general and administrative		14,159		9,776		27,123		18,934	
Research and development		3,043		2,766		5,865		5,271	
Total operating expenses		17,202		12,542		32,988		24,205	
Income from operations		8,001		3,414		15,412		6,072	
Interest and other expense (income), net		107		430		(189)		834	
Income before income taxes		7,894		2,984		15,601		5,238	
Provision for (benefit of) income taxes		(5,479)		247		(4,594)		483	
Net income	\$	13,373	\$	2,737	\$	20,195	\$	4,755	
Other comprehensive income									
Unrealized gain (loss) on pension obligation		2		(13)		5		(20)	
Foreign currency translation adjustments		1,501		(760)		2,622		(1,274)	
Comprehensive income	\$	14,876	\$	1,964	\$	22,822	\$	3,461	
Net income per share - basic (1)	\$	0.27	\$	0.06	\$	0.41	\$	0.10	
Net income per share - diluted (1)	\$	0.26	\$	0.06	\$	0.40	\$	0.10	

(1) See Schedule 1 for the calculation of basic and diluted earnings per share. 2010 per share data have been adjusted to reflect the two-forone stock split effected in the second quarter of 2011

3D SYSTEMS CORPORATION Unaudited Consolidated Balance Sheets June 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010

(in thousands)	J	une 30, 2011	December 31, 2010					
ASSETS								
Current assets:								
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	79,009	\$	37,349				
Accounts receivable, net		42,157		35,800				
Inventories, net		27,388		23,811				
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		2,539		1,295				
Current deferred income tax assets		2,549		1,874				
Restricted cash		232		11				
Total current assets		153,874		100,140				
Property and equipment, net		27,432		27,669				
Other intangible assets, net		35,405		18,275				
Goodwill		78,823		58,978				
Long term deferred tax assets		4,985		-				
Other assets, net		4,072		3,738				
Total assets	\$	304,591	\$	208,800				
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY								
Current liabilities:								
Current portion of capitalized lease obligations	\$	177	\$	224				
Accounts payable		26,669		26,556				
Accrued and other liabilities		23,403		17,969				
Customer deposits		1,423		2,298				
Deferred revenue		11,109		10,618				
Total current liabilities		62,781		57,665				
Long-term portion of capitalized lease obligations		7,620		8,055				
Other liabilities		10,638		9,961				
Total liabilities		81,039		75,681				
Commitments and contingencies Shareholders' equity:		-		-				
Preferred stock, authorized 5,000 shares, none issued Common stock, authorized 60,000 shares, issued and		-		-				
outstanding 50,707 (2011) and 46,948 shares (2010) *		51		23				
Additional paid-in capital		253,865		186,252				
Treasury stock, at cost; 281 shares (2011) and 268 shares (2010)		(193)		(189)				
Accumulated deficit		(37,756)		(57,925)				
Accumulated other comprehensive income		7,585		4,958				
Total equity		223,552		133,119				
Total liabilities and equity	\$	304,591	\$	208,800				
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3D SYSTEMS CORPORATION Unaudited Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows Six Months Ended June 30, 2011 and 2010

	Six Months Ended June 30,						
(in thousands)		2011	2010				
Cash flows from operating activities:							
Net income	\$	20,195	\$	4,755			
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:							
Provision for (benefit of) deferred income taxes		(5,472)		37			
Depreciation and amortization		5,000		3,429			
Provision for (recovery of) bad debts, net		558		(157)			
Share-based compensation		1,234		789			
Loss on the disposition of property and equipment		-		18			
Changes in operating accounts:							
Accounts receivable		(1,696)		16			
Inventories		(3,900)		(4,457)			
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		(951)		664			
Accounts payable		(3,750)		2,102			
Accrued liabilities		(3,377)		(96)			
Customer deposits		(929)		1			
Deferred revenue		(903)		8			
Other operating assets and liabilities		223		329			
Net cash provided by operating activities		6,232		7,438			
Cash flows from in investing activities:							
Purchases of property and equipment		(978)		(434)			
Proceeds from disposition of property and equipment		-		6			
Cash paid for acquisitions, net of cash assumed		(27,975)		(5,600)			
Additions to license and patent costs		(211)		(192)			
Net cash used in investing activities		(29,164)		(6,220)			
Cash flows from financing activities:							
Proceeds from issuance of common stock		62,054		-			
Proceeds from exercise of stock options and restricted stock		2,281		238			
Repayment of capital lease obligations		(112)		(105)			
Restricted cash		(207)		-			
Net cash provided by financing activities		64,016		133			
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash		576		(386)			
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		41,660		965			
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period		37,349		24,913			
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Supplemental Cash Flow Information:							
Interest payments	\$	282	\$	297			
Income tax payments Non-cash items:		445		275			
Transfer of equipment from inventory to property and equipment, net		1,102		1,323			
Transfer of equipment to inventory from property and equipment, net		38		392			
Stock issued for acquisition of businesses		2,042		2,600			

3D SYSTEMS CORPORATION Schedule 1

Following is a reconciliation of the numerator and denominator of the basic and diluted net earnings per share computations:

	Quarter Ended June 30,				Six Months Ended June 30,			
(in thousands, except per share amounts)	2011		2010		2011		2010	
Basic and diluted earnings per share:								
Basic earnings per share:								
Numerator:								
Net income	\$	13,373	\$	2,737	\$	20,195	\$	4,755
Denominator:								
Weighted average common shares outstanding*		50,298		46,070		48,950		45,880
	4	0.07	<u>+</u>	0.00	~	0.41	<u>+</u>	0.10
Basic earnings per share*	\$	0.27	\$	0.06	\$	0.41	\$	0.10
Diluted earnings per share:								
Numerator:								
Net income	\$	13,373	\$	2,737	\$	20,195	\$	4,755
Denominator:								
Weighted average common shares outstanding*		50,298		46,070		48,950		45,880
Effect of dilutive securities:		50,250		10,070		10,550		13,000
Stock options *		1,049		602		1,054		580
Diluted weighted average shares outstanding*		51,347		46,672		50,004		46,460
		0.00		0.05		0.46		0.46
Diluted earnings per share*	\$	0.26	\$	0.06	\$	0.40	\$	0.10

*2010 share and per share data has been adjusted to reflect the two-for-one stock split effected in the second quarter of 2011