UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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-	FORM 8-K	_
Pursuant to	CURRENT REPORT o Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange	 • Act of 1934
	Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) July 22, 2015	:
	NFINERA CORPORATIO (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)	N
Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	001-33486 (Commission File Number)	77-0560433 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
	140 Caspian Court Sunnyvale, CA 94089 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)	
	(408) 572-5200 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)	
	Not Applicable (Former name or former address, if changed since last report)	
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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On July 22, 2015, Infinera Corporation issued a press release announcing selected unaudited financial results for its second quarter ended June 27, 2015. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the information in Item 2.02 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1, is being furnished under Item 2.02 and shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liability of that section, nor shall such information be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, regardless of the general incorporation language of such filing, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

The press release furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 refers to certain non-GAAP financial measures. A reconciliation of these non-GAAP financial measures to the comparable GAAP financial measures is contained in the press release.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release dated July 22, 2015.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

INFINERA CORPORATION

Date: July 22, 2015 By: /s/ BRAD FELLER

Brad Feller

Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release dated July 22, 2015.



Infinera Corporation Reports Second Quarter 2015 Financial Results

Sunnyvale, California - July 22, 2015 - Infinera Corporation (NASDAQ: INFN), provider of Intelligent Transport Networks, today released financial results for the second quarter of 2015 ended June 27, 2015.

Revenue for the quarter was \$207.3 million compared to \$186.9 million in the first quarter of 2015 and \$165.4 million in the second quarter of 2014.

GAAP gross margin for the quarter was 46.7% compared to 47.2% in the first quarter of 2015 and 42.5% in the second quarter of 2014. GAAP operating margin for the quarter was 8.0% compared to an operating margin of 8.1% in the first quarter of 2015 and an operating margin of 4.9% in the second quarter of 2014.

GAAP net income for the quarter was \$17.9 million, or \$0.13 per diluted share, compared to \$12.4 million, or \$0.09 per diluted share, in the first quarter of 2015, and \$4.8 million, or \$0.04 per diluted share, in the second quarter of 2014.

Non-GAAP gross margin for the quarter was 47.4% compared to 47.8% in the first quarter of 2015 and 43.3% in the second quarter of 2014. Non-GAAP operating margin for the quarter was 13.0% compared to 12.2% in the first quarter of 2015 and 9.0% in the second quarter of 2014.

Non-GAAP net income for the quarter was \$25.7 million, or \$0.18 per diluted share, compared to \$22.1 million, or \$0.16 per diluted share, in the first quarter of 2015, and \$13.5 million, or \$0.11 per diluted share, in the second quarter of 2014.

The above non-GAAP measures exclude non-cash stock-based compensation expenses, acquisition-related costs, acquisition-related forward contract gains and the amortization of debt discount on Infinera's convertible senior notes. A further explanation of the use of non-GAAP financial information and a reconciliation of the non-GAAP financial measures to the GAAP equivalents can be found at the end of this release.

"Our outstanding second quarter results were driven by robust demand across multiple verticals, as customers continued to build next generation networks with Infinera. Differentiated products, exceptional customer experience and a vertical business model enable us to continue to grow our top line rapidly and our bottom line even faster," said Tom Fallon, Infinera's Chief Executive Officer. "With the emergence of new cloud architectures, the strategic importance of optical transport has never been higher. Our technology leadership and superior service experience, puts Infinera in a particularly favorable position to benefit from this ongoing evolution in optical networking."

Conference Call Information

Infinera will host a conference call for analysts and investors to discuss its second quarter of 2015 results and its outlook for the third quarter of 2015 today at 5:30 p.m. Eastern Time (2:30 p.m. Pacific Time). Interested parties may join the conference call by dialing 1-800-593-9940 (toll free) or 1-630-395-0029 (international), pass-code **PIC**. A live webcast of the conference call will also be accessible from the Investor Relations section of Infinera's website at www.infinera.com. Following the webcast, an archived version will be available on the website for 90 days. To hear the replay, parties in the United States and Canada should call 1-800-677-1310. International parties can access the replay at 1-203-369-3644.

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About Infinera

Infinera provides Intelligent Transport Networks for network operators, enabling reliable, easy to operate, high-capacity optical networks. Infinera leverages its unique large scale photonic integrated circuits to deliver innovative optical networking solutions for the most demanding network environments. Intelligent Transport Networks enable carriers, Cloud network operators, governments and enterprises to automate, converge and scale their data center, metro, long-haul and subsea optical networks. To learn more about Infinera visit www.infinera.com, follow us on Twitter @Infinera and read Infinera's latest blog posts at blog.infinera.com.

Forward-Looking Statements

This press release contains certain forward-looking statements based on current expectations, forecasts and assumptions that involve risks and uncertainties, including Infinera's ability to continue to grow its top line rapidly and its bottom line even faster; Infinera's belief that the strategic importance of optical transport has never been higher; and Infinera's ability to remain in a particularly favorable position to benefit from this ongoing evolution in optical networking. These statements are based on information available to Infinera as of the date hereof and actual results could differ materially from those stated or implied due to risks and uncertainties. Such forward-looking statements can be identified by forward-looking words such as "anticipated," "believed," "could," "estimate," "expect," "intend," "may," "should," "will," and "would" or similar words. The risks and uncertainties that could cause Infinera's results to differ materially from those expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements include delays in the development and introduction of Infinera's products and market acceptance of these products; the effect of changes in product pricing or mix, and/or increases in component costs could have on Infinera's gross margin; Infinera's reliance on single-source suppliers; aggressive business tactics by Infinera's competitors; Infinera's ability to protect Infinera's intellectual property; claims by others that Infinera infringes their intellectual property; war, terrorism, public health issues, natural disasters, and other circumstances that could disrupt supply, delivery or demand of products; Infinera's ability to respond to rapid technological changes; and other risks detailed in Infinera's SEC filings from time to time. More information on potential factors that may impact Infinera's business are set forth in its Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the guarter ended on March 28, 2015 as filed with the SEC on May 4, 2015, as well as subsequent reports filed with or furnished to the SEC from time to time. These reports are available on Infinera's website at www.infinera.com and the SEC's website at www.sec.gov. Infinera assumes no obligation to, and does not currently intend to, update any such forward-looking statements.

Use of Non-GAAP Financial Information

In addition to disclosing financial measures prepared in accordance with U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP), this press release and the accompanying tables contain certain non-GAAP measures that exclude non-cash stock-based compensation expenses, acquisition-related costs, acquisition-related forward contract gains and amortization of debt discount on Infinera's convertible senior notes. Infinera believes these adjustments are appropriate to enhance an overall understanding of its underlying financial performance and also its prospects for the future and are considered by management for the purpose of making operational decisions. In addition, these results are the primary indicators management uses as a basis for its planning and forecasting of future periods. The presentation of this additional information is not meant to be considered in isolation or as a substitute for net income, basic and diluted net income per share, gross margin or operating margin prepared in accordance with GAAP. Non-GAAP financial measures are not based on a comprehensive set of accounting rules or principles and are subject to limitations. For a description of these non-GAAP

financial measures and a reconciliation to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, please see the section titled, "GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliations." Infinera anticipates disclosing forward-looking non-GAAP information in its conference call to discuss its second quarter 2015 results, including an estimate of non-GAAP earnings for the third quarter of 2015 that excludes non-cash stock-based compensation expenses, acquisition-related costs, acquisition-related forward contract gains or losses, and amortization of debt discount on Infinera's convertible senior notes.

A copy of this press release can be found on the Investor Relations page of Infinera's website at www.infinera.com.

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Infinera Corporation GAAP Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations (In thousands, except per share data) (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended					Six Months Ended			
	Jı	une 27, 2015		June 28, 2014	J	June 27, 2015	,	June 28, 2014	
Revenue:									
Product	\$	178,982	\$	142,364	\$	339,825	\$	266,606	
Services		28,364		23,035		54,383		41,608	
Total revenue		207,346		165,399		394,208		308,214	
Cost of revenue:									
Cost of product		99,491		85,906		188,997		164,344	
Cost of services		11,059		9,240		20,303		15,211	
Total cost of revenue		110,550		95,146		209,300		179,555	
Gross profit		96,796		70,253		184,908		128,659	
Operating expenses:									
Research and development		43,421		31,738		82,678		61,084	
Sales and marketing		21,535		18,082		42,577		35,944	
General and administrative		15,310		12,381		27,966		24,635	
Total operating expenses		80,266		62,201		153,221		121,663	
Income from operations		16,530		8,052		31,687		6,996	
Other income (expense), net:									
Interest income		551		337		965		673	
Interest expense		(2,947)		(2,728)		(5,837)		(5,405)	
Other gain (loss), net		4,780		(264)		5,081		(993)	
Total other income (expense), net		2,384		(2,655)		209		(5,725)	
Income before income taxes		18,914		5,397		31,896		1,271	
Provision for income taxes		1,008		617		1,624		865	
Net income	\$	17,906	\$	4,780	\$	30,272	\$	406	
Net income per common share:									
Basic	\$	0.14	\$	0.04	\$	0.23	\$	0.00	
Diluted	\$	0.13	\$	0.04	\$	0.22	\$	0.00	
Weighted average shares used in computing net income per common share:			_						
Basic		130,349		123,128		129,094		122,240	
Diluted		140,642		126,758		138,973		126,112	
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			Three	Months Ende	d			Six Mont	hs Ended		
	Ju	ıne 27, 2015	Ма	arch 28, 2015	5 June 28, 2014			une 27, 2015	June 28, 2014		
Reconciliation of Gross Profit:											
U.S. GAAP as reported	\$	96,796	\$	88,112	\$	70,253	\$	184,908	\$	128,659	
Stock-based compensation (1)		1,493		1,243		1,360		2,736		2,644	
Non-GAAP as adjusted	\$	98,289	\$	89,355	\$	71,613	\$	187,644	\$	131,303	
Reconciliation of Gross Margin:											
U.S. GAAP as reported		46.7%		47.2%		42.5%		46.9%		41.7%	
Stock-based compensation (1)		0.7%		0.6%		0.8%		0.7%		0.9%	
Non-GAAP as adjusted		47.4%		47.8%		43.3%		47.6%		42.6%	
Reconciliation of Income from Operations:											
U.S. GAAP as reported	\$	16,530	\$	15,157	\$	8,052	\$	31,687	\$	6,996	
Stock-based compensation (1)		8,209		7,208		6,804		15,417		13,476	
Acquisition-related costs (2)		2,264		462				2,726			
Non-GAAP as adjusted	\$	27,003	\$	22,827	\$	14,856	\$	49,830	\$	20,472	
Reconciliation of Operating Margin:								_			
U.S. GAAP as reported		8.0%		8.1%		4.9%		8.0%		2.3%	
Stock-based compensation (1)		3.9%		3.9%		4.1%		3.9%		4.3%	
Acquisition-related costs (2)		1.1%		0.2%		0.0%		0.7%		0.0%	
Non-GAAP as adjusted		13.0%		12.2%		9.0%		12.6%		6.6%	
Reconciliation of Net Income:											
U.S. GAAP as reported	\$	17,906	\$	12,366	\$	4,780	\$	30,272	\$	406	
Stock-based compensation (1)		8,209		7,208		6,804		15,417		13,476	
Acquisition-related costs (2)		2,264		462		_		2,726		_	
Acquisition-related forward contract gain (3)		(4,782)		_		_		(4,782)		_	
Amortization of debt discount (4)		2,109		2,057		1,908		4,166		3,768	
Non-GAAP as adjusted	\$	25,706	\$	22,093	\$	13,492	\$	47,799	\$	17,650	
Net Income per Common Share - Basic:											
U.S. GAAP as reported	\$	0.14	\$	0.10	\$	0.04	\$	0.23	\$	0.00	
Non-GAAP as adjusted	\$	0.20	\$	0.17	\$	0.11	\$	0.37	\$	0.14	
Net Income per Common Share - Diluted:											
U.S. GAAP as reported	\$	0.13	\$	0.09	\$	0.04	\$	0.22	\$	0.00	
Non-GAAP as adjusted	\$	0.18	\$	0.16	\$	0.11	\$	0.34	\$	0.14	
Weighted Average Shares Used in Computing Net Income per Common Share - U.S. GAAP:	<u>·</u>		<u>·</u>		<u> </u>		<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>		
Basic		130,349		127,840		123,128		129,094		122,240	
Diluted		140,642		137,304		126,758		138,973		126,112	
Weighted Average Shares Used in Computing Net Income per Common Share - Non-GAAP:											
Basic		130,349		127,840		123,128		129,094		122,240	
Diluted		140,642		137,304		126,758		138,973		126,112	

Stock-based compensation expense is calculated in accordance with the fair value recognition provisions of Financial Accounting Standards Board Accounting Standards Codification Topic 718, Compensation – Stock Compensation effective January 1, 2006. The following table summarizes the effects of stock-based compensation related to employees and non-employees (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended						Six Months Ended			
	June	June 27, 2015		March 28, 2015		June 28, 2014		June 27, 2015		ne 28, 2014
Cost of revenue	\$	613	\$	482	\$	477	\$	1,095	\$	929
Research and development		2,817		2,578		2,080		5,395		4,218
Sales and marketing		2,070		1,721		1,815		3,791		3,535
General and administration		1,829		1,666		1,549		3,495		3,079
	'	7,329		6,447		5,921		13,776		11,761
Cost of revenue - amortization from balance										
sheet*		880		761		883		1,641		1,715
Total stock-based compensation expense	\$	8,209	\$	7,208	\$	6,804	\$	15,417	\$	13,476

- * Stock-based compensation expense deferred to inventory and deferred inventory costs in prior periods and recognized in the current period.
- In April 2015, Infinera announced its offer to acquire Transmode, a leader in metro packet-optical networking. Acquisition-related costs include legal and other professional fees and have been adjusted in arriving at Infinera's non-GAAP results because management believes that these expenses are not indicative of ongoing operating performance and provides a better indication of Infinera's underlying business performance.
- In April 2015, Infinera entered into a foreign currency forward contract with a notional amount of SEK 831 million (\$95.3 million) at an exchange rate of 8.7210 to hedge currency exposures associated with the cash portion of the offer to acquire Transmode. Changes in the fair value of this forward contract will impact Infinera's financial statements for the interim reporting periods prior to the close of the offer. As a result, these gains have been adjusted in arriving at Infinera's non-GAAP results because management believes that these gains are not indicative of ongoing operating performance and provides a better indication of Infinera's underlying business performance.
- Under GAAP, certain convertible debt instruments that may be settled in cash on conversion are required to be separately accounted for as liability (debt) and equity (conversion option) components of the instrument in a manner that reflects the issuer's non-convertible debt borrowing rate. Accordingly, for GAAP purposes, Infinera is required to amortize as a debt discount an amount equal to the fair value of the conversion option that was recorded in equity as interest expense on its \$150 million 1.75% convertible debt issuance in May 2013 over the term of the notes. These amounts have been adjusted in arriving at Infinera's non-GAAP results because management believes that this non-cash expense is not indicative of ongoing operating performance and provides a better indication of Infinera's underlying business performance.

	Ju	ne 27, 2015	De	ecember 27, 2014
ASSETS				
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	198,018	\$	86,495
Short-term investments		199,204		239,628
Accounts receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of \$47 in 2015 and \$38 in 2014		109,448		154,596
Inventory		157,181		146,500
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		29,368		24,636
Total current assets		693,219		651,855
Property, plant and equipment, net		86,981		81,566
Long-term investments		57,519		59,233
Cost-method investment		14,500		14,500
Long-term restricted cash		5,171		5,460
Other non-current assets		6,150		5,402
Total assets	\$	863,540	\$	818,016
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	_			
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	38,807	\$	61,533
Accrued expenses		30,114		26,441
Accrued compensation and related benefits		33,856		38,795
Accrued warranty		12,576		12,241
Deferred revenue		37,261		35,321
Total current liabilities	-	152,614		174,331
Long-term debt, net		121,059		116,894
Accrued warranty, non-current		15,863		14,799
Deferred revenue, non-current		13,035		10,758
Other long-term liabilities		21,179		19,327
Commitments and contingencies				
Stockholders' equity:				
Preferred stock, \$0.001 par value				
Authorized shares - 25,000 and no shares issued and outstanding		_		_
Common stock, \$0.001 par value				
Authorized shares - 500,000 as of June 27, 2015 and December 27, 2014				
Issued and outstanding shares - 131,164 as of June 27, 2015 and 126,160 as of December 27, 2014		131		126
Additional paid-in capital		1,104,672		1,077,225
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(4,459)		(4,618)
Accumulated deficit		(560,554)		(590,826)
Total stockholders' equity		539,790		481,907
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	863,540	\$	818,016
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	Six Months Ended				
	J	une 27, 2015		June 28, 2014	
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:					
Net income	\$	30,272	\$	406	
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:					
Depreciation and amortization		12,850		12,813	
Amortization of debt discount and issuance costs		4,524		4,092	
Amortization of premium on investments		1,792		1,747	
Unrealized gain from forward contract		(4,782)		_	
Stock-based compensation expense		15,417		13,476	
Other loss (gain)		2		(22	
Changes in assets and liabilities:					
Accounts receivable		45,140		(20,043	
Inventory		(12,774)		(8,107	
Prepaid expenses and other assets		(1,080)		(3,389	
Accounts payable		(23,597)		(6,428	
Accrued liabilities and other expenses		1,491		(3,318	
Deferred revenue		4,216		(1,448	
Accrued warranty		1,399		5,040	
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities		74,870		(5,181	
Cash Flows from Investing Activities:					
Purchase of available-for-sale investments		(112,940)		(158,496	
Proceeds from sale of available-for-sale investments		9,998		9,824	
Proceeds from maturities and calls of investments		143,483		116,290	
Purchase of property and equipment		(16,098)		(9,985	
Change in restricted cash		290		(491	
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities		24,733		(42,858	
Cash Flows from Financing Activities:					
Proceeds from issuance of common stock		16,488		8,401	
Minimum tax withholding paid on behalf of employees for net share settlement		(4,561)		(1,619	
Net cash provided by financing activities		11,927		6,782	
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash		(7)		234	
Net change in cash and cash equivalents		111,523		(41,023	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		86,495		124,330	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$	198,018	\$	83,307	
Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information:	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	÷	,	
Cash paid for income taxes, net of refunds	\$	1,481	\$	482	
Cash paid for interest	\$	1,313	\$	1,313	
Supplemental schedule of non-cash financing activities:		.,	•	.,	
Transfer of inventory to fixed assets	\$	2,205	\$	978	

Infinera Corporation Supplemental Financial Information (Unaudited)

	Q3'13	Q4'13	Q1'14	Q2'14	Q3'14	Q4'14	Q1'15	Q2'15
Revenue (\$ Mil)	\$142.0	\$139.1	\$142.8	\$165.4	\$173.6	\$186.3	\$186.9	\$207.3
Gross Margin % (1)	49.2%	41.4%	41.8%	43.3%	44.2%	46.1%	47.8%	47.4%
Revenue Composition:								
Domestic %	73%	54%	78%	82%	70%	58%	68%	75%
International %	27%	46%	22%	18%	30%	42%	32%	25%
Customers >10% of Revenue	3	1	2	2	1	1	2	3
Cash Related Information:								
Cash from (Used in) Operations (\$ Mil)	\$12.8	\$25.8	-\$15.4	\$10.3	\$22.3	\$18.7	\$19.8	\$55.0
Capital Expenditures (\$ Mil)	\$4.2	\$7.5	\$5.6	\$4.4	\$4.4	\$8.8	\$7.4	\$8.7
Depreciation & Amortization (\$ Mil)	\$5.9	\$6.0	\$6.3	\$6.5	\$6.5	\$6.6	\$6.6	\$6.3
DSO's	56	66	68	66	71	76	64	48
Inventory Metrics:								
Raw Materials (\$ Mil)	\$12.1	\$14.3	\$13.2	\$11.2	\$11.6	\$15.2	\$22.4	\$30.2
Work in Process (\$ Mil)	\$45.7	\$49.2	\$47.8	\$40.6	\$44.4	\$50.0	\$45.9	\$43.9
Finished Goods (\$ Mil)	\$65.7	\$60.2	\$65.5	\$79.1	\$74.8	\$81.3	\$88.9	\$83.1
Total Inventory (\$ Mil)	\$123.5	\$123.7	\$126.5	\$130.9	\$130.8	\$146.5	\$157.2	\$157.2
Inventory Turns (2)	2.3	2.6	2.6	2.9	3.0	2.7	2.5	2.8
Worldwide Headcount	1,296	1,318	1,346	1,396	1,456	1,495	1,530	1,598

⁽¹⁾ Amounts reflect non-GAAP results. Non-GAAP adjustments include non-cash stock-based compensation expense.

⁽²⁾ Infinera calculates non-GAAP inventory turns as annualized non-GAAP cost of revenue before adjustments for non-cash stock-based compensation expense divided by the average inventory for the quarter.