Financial Tear Sheet

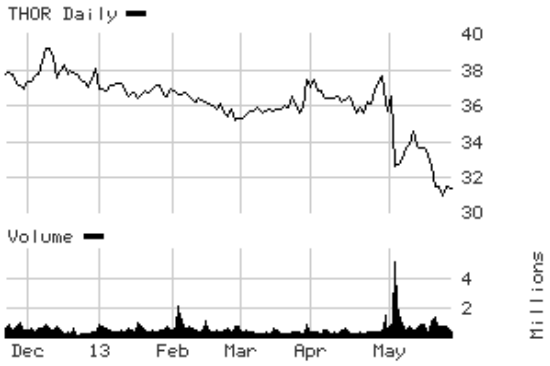
Corporate Profile

Thoratec is a world leader in therapies to address advanced-stage heart failure. The company's products include the HeartMate LVAS and Thoratec(R) VAD (Ventricular Assist Device) with more than 18,000 devices implanted in patients suffering from heart failure. Thoratec is headquartered in Pleasanton, California. For more information, visit the company's web site at http://www.thoratec.com.

Stock Performance

THOR (Common Stock)	
Exchange	NASDAQ GS (US Dollar)
Price	$31.39
Change (%)	▼ 0.13 (0.41%)
Volume	490,144
52 Week Low	$29.39
Market Cap	$1,799,588,700
Rolling EPS	0.82
PE Ratio	38.2805
Shares Outstanding	57,330,000

Data as of 05/24/2013 4:00 p.m. ET



Recent Headlines & Events

05/17/13 - 8:00 a.m.
Thoratec Announces FDA Approval Of HeartMate II® Pocket Controller™

05/14/13 - 9:00 a.m.
Thoratec Presentation At Bank of America Merrill Lynch 2013 Health Care Conference To Be Webcast

05/02/13 - 4:02 p.m.
Thoratec® Reports First Quarter 2013 Results

There are currently no events scheduled.

Analyst Estimates / Ratings

Mean Recommendation: **2.3**

Sell Strong Buy

EPS Trend		Current	30 Days Ago	90 Days Ago
QTR	Jun 13	0.43	0.44	0.45
QTR	Sep 13	0.44	0.44	0.45
QTR	Dec 13	0.49	0.47	0.48
QTR	Mar 14	0.47	0.47	0.48
FY	Dec 13	1.78	1.81	1.83
FY	Dec 14	1.97	2.02	2.05

SEC Filings

Filing Date	Form	Description	Filing Group
05/24/13	8-K	Report of unscheduled material events or corporate event	Current Reports
05/23/13	4	Statement of changes in beneficial ownership of securities	3,4,5
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Corporate Governance

Gerhard F. Burbach	President, Chief Executive Officer, and Director
David A. Lehman	Senior Vice President and General Counsel
Taylor Harris	Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Ownership Summary

Shareholders

	Holders	Value ($MM)	% O/S	Shares
Institution	309	2,029.50	94.5	54,163,944
Mutual Fund	415	873.34	41.1	23,573,415
Insider *	30	528.03	27.4	15,705,769

*Insider values reflect direct beneficial ownership.

Top Holders

	Shares Held	% O/S	Share Change	Filing Date
BlackRock Institutional Trust Company, N.A.	4,827,421	8.4	1,339,872	03/31/2013
The Vanguard Group, Inc.	3,690,825	6.4	80,105	03/31/2013
Cadian Capital Management LLC	2,650,840	4.6	-2,501,711	03/31/2013
State Street Global Advisors (US)	2,128,510	3.7	348,345	03/31/2013
Eagle Asset Management, Inc.	1,968,538	3.4	-250,988	03/31/2013
Citadel Investment Group, L.L.C.	1,841,430	3.2	1,143,425	03/31/2013
Wells Capital Management Inc.	1,710,879	3.0	-406,384	03/31/2013
Renaissance Technologies Corp.	1,579,239	2.8	420,500	03/31/2013
Oracle Investment Management, Inc.	1,487,349	2.6	0	03/31/2013
JP Morgan Asset Management	1,261,790	2.2	210,280	03/31/2013

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