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# PART 1. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

# ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## EXLSERVICE HOLDINGS, INC.

# CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (In thousands, except share and per share amounts)

	March 31, 2013	December 31, 2012
Assets	(Unaudited)	(Recasted)
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 102,307	\$ 103,037
Short-term investments	6,263	6,137
Restricted cash	757	573
Accounts receivable, net	76,612	73,729
Prepaid expenses	5,377	5,072
Deferred tax assets, net	5,111	7,460
Advance income tax, net	4,486	4,317
Other current assets	9,764	7,065
Total current assets	210,677	207,390
Fixed assets, net	38,973	39,356
Restricted cash	3,850	3,752
Deferred tax assets, net	14,249	14,123
Intangible assets, net	39,118	40,711
Goodwill	110,055	109,662
Other assets	20,930	20,860
Total assets	\$ 437,852	\$ 435,854
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 3,322	\$ 3,604
Deferred revenue	7,640	7,922
Accrued employee cost	17,596	29,393
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	27,965	31,737
Current portion of capital lease obligations	1,616	1,685
Total current liabilities	58,139	74,341
Capital lease obligations, less current portion	2,399	2,679
Non-current liabilities	13,764	14,317
Total liabilities		
	74,302	91,337
Commitments and contingencies (See Note 15)		
Preferred stock, \$0.001 par value; 15,000,000 shares authorized, none issued	_	_
Stockholders' equity:		
Common stock, \$0.001 par value; 100,000,000 shares authorized, 32,971,996 shares issued and 32,622,716 shares outstanding as of March 31, 2013 and 32,540,082 shares issued and 32,203,820 shares outstanding as of December 31,		
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	33 200,813	33 195,248
Additional paid-in-capital  Retained earnings	198,644	188,882
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(32,553)	(36,647)
Total stockholders' equity including shares held in treasury	366,937	347,516
Less: 349,280 shares as of March 31, 2013 and 336,262 shares as of December 31, 2012, held in treasury, at cost	(3,413)	(3,024)
ExlService Holdings, Inc. stockholders' equity	363,524	344,492
Non-controlling interest	26	25
Total stockholders' equity	363,550	344,517
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 437,852	\$ 435,854

# EXLSERVICE HOLDINGS, INC.

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (Unaudited)

(In thousands, except share and per share amounts)

	Three months ended March 3					
	2013			2012		
Revenues	\$	116,006	\$	104,608		
Cost of revenues (exclusive of depreciation and amortization)		72,913		66,672		
Gross profit		43,093		37,936		
Operating expenses:						
General and administrative expenses		15,045		13,347		
Selling and marketing expenses		9,755		7,799		
Depreciation and amortization		6,512		6,359		
Total operating expenses		31,312		27,505		
Income from operations		11,781		10,431		
Other income/(expense):						
Foreign exchange (loss)/gain		(49)		1,058		
Interest and other income, net		1,027		447		
Income before income taxes		12,759		11,936		
Income tax provision		2,997		3,020		
Net income	\$	9,762	\$	8,916		
Earnings per share:			·			
Basic	\$	0.30	\$	0.28		
Diluted	\$	0.29	\$	0.27		
Weighted-average number of shares used in computing earnings per share:						
Basic	32	2,521,481	31	1,445,592		
Diluted	33	3,719,794	32	2,783,855		

# EXLSERVICE HOLDINGS, INC.

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

(Unaudited) (In thousands)

	Three months ended March				
		2013		2012	
Net income	\$	9,762	\$	8,916	
Other comprehensive income:					
Unrealized gain on effective cash flow hedges, net of taxes \$626 and \$2,100		1,447		6,209	
Foreign currency translation adjustment		1,691		6,146	
Reclassification adjustments					
Realized loss on cash flow hedges, net of taxes \$428 and \$104(1)		926		277	
Retirement benefits, net of taxes \$8 and \$7(2)		30		26	
Total other comprehensive income		4,094		12,658	
Total comprehensive income	\$	13,856	\$	21,574	

<sup>(1)</sup> These are reclassified to net income and are included in the foreign exchange (loss)/gain in the unaudited consolidated statements of income. See Note 7 to the unaudited consolidated financial statements.

<sup>(2)</sup> These are reclassified to net income and are included in the computation of net periodic pension costs in the unaudited consolidated statements of income. See Note 10 to the unaudited consolidated financial statements.

# EXLSERVICE HOLDINGS, INC.

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOW (Unaudited)

(In thousands)

	Three months e	nded March 31, 2012		
Cash flows from operating activities:				
Net income	\$ 9,762	\$ 8,916		
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:				
Depreciation and amortization	6,512	6,359		
Stock-based compensation expense	3,645	2,743		
Amortization of deferred financing cost	38	38		
Non-employee stock options	_	32		
Unrealized foreign exchange loss	958	1,711		
Deferred income taxes	1,191	954		
Non-controlling interest	1	_		
Change in operating assets and liabilities:				
Restricted cash	(239)	108		
Accounts receivable	(3,062)	(2,839)		
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	(1,926)	(2,292)		
Accounts payable	(367)	569		
Deferred revenue	(265)	21		
Accrued employee cost	(11,192)	(13,229)		
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	1,071	883		
Advance income tax, net	(141)	817		
Other assets	636	(422)		
Net cash provided by operating activities	6,622	4,369		
Cash flows from investing activities:				
Purchase of fixed assets	(6,610)	(9,299)		
Business acquisition	(1,183)	_		
Purchase of short-term investments	(51)	(1,369)		
Proceeds from redemption of short-term investments		2,223		
Net cash used for investing activities	(7,844)	(8,445)		
Cash flows from financing activities:				
Principal payments on capital lease obligations	(434)	(446)		
Acquisition of treasury stock	(389)	(182)		
Proceeds from exercise of stock options	1,378	2,903		
Net cash provided by financing activities	555	2,275		
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	(63)	1,680		
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(730)	(121)		
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period	103,037	82,393		
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	<u>\$ 102,307</u>	\$ 82,272		

# EXLSERVICE HOLDINGS, INC. NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS March 31, 2013 (Unaudited)

(In thousands, except share and per share amounts)

#### 1. Organization and Basis of Presentation

#### **Organization**

ExlService Holdings, Inc. (ExlService Holdings) is organized as a corporation under the laws of the State of Delaware. ExlService Holdings, together with its subsidiaries (collectively, the "Company"), is a leading provider of outsourcing services and transformation services. The Company's clients are located principally in the U.S. and the U.K.

#### **Basis of Presentation**

The unaudited interim consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") for interim financial information, the instructions to Form 10-Q and Article 10 of Regulation S-X. Accordingly, they do not include all of the information and footnotes required by GAAP for annual financial statements and therefore should be read in conjunction with the audited consolidated financial statements and footnotes thereto included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012.

The unaudited interim consolidated financial statements reflect all adjustments (of a normal and recurring nature) that management considers necessary for a fair presentation of such statements for the interim periods presented. The unaudited consolidated statements of income for the interim periods presented are not necessarily indicative of the results for the full year or for any subsequent period.

## 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### Principles of Consolidation

The accompanying unaudited consolidated financial statements include the financial statements of ExlService Holdings and all of its subsidiaries. All intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

The non-controlling interest represents the minority partner's interest in the operation of exl Service.com (India) Private Limited ("Exl India") and the profits associated with the minority partner's interest in those operations, in the unaudited consolidated balance sheets and unaudited consolidated statements of income, respectively. This non-controlling interest in these operations for the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 was insignificant and is included under general and administrative expenses in the unaudited consolidated statements of income.

#### Use of Estimates

The preparation of the unaudited consolidated financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the unaudited consolidated financial statements and the unaudited consolidated statements of income during the reporting period. Estimates are based upon management's best assessment of the current business environment. Actual results could differ from those estimates. The significant estimates and assumptions that affect the financial statements include, but are not limited to, allowance for doubtful receivables, service tax receivables, assets and obligations related to employee benefit plans, deferred tax valuation allowances, income-tax uncertainties and other contingencies, valuation of derivative financial instruments, stock-based compensation expense, depreciation and amortization periods, recoverability of long-term assets including goodwill and intangibles, and estimates to complete fixed price contracts.

# EXLSERVICE HOLDINGS, INC. NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—(continued) March 31, 2013 (Unaudited)

(In thousands, except share and per share amounts)

#### **Recent Accounting Pronouncements**

In December 2011, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued Accounting Standard Update (ASU) No. 2011-11, "Disclosures about Offsetting Assets and Liabilities," (ASU No. 2011-11) which is effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013, and interim periods within those annual periods. This authoritative guidance was issued to enhance disclosure requirements on offsetting financial assets and liabilities. The new rules require companies to disclose both gross and net information about instruments and transactions eligible for offset in the statement of financial position, as well as instruments and transactions subject to a netting arrangement. In January 2013, the FASB further issued ASU No. 2013-01, "Clarifying the Scope of Disclosures about Offsetting Assets and Liabilities" to address implementation issues surrounding the scope of ASU No. 2011-11 and to clarify the scope of the offsetting disclosures and address any unintended consequences. The adoption of this guidance from January 2013 did not have a material impact on the Company's unaudited consolidated financial statements.

In July 2012, the FASB issued ASU No. 2012-02, "Testing Indefinite-Lived Intangible Assets for Impairment" (ASU No. 2012-02), which simplifies the guidance for testing the impairment of indefinite-lived intangible assets other than goodwill. Examples of intangible assets subject to the guidance include indefinite-lived trademarks, licenses and distribution rights. The amendment provides the option to first assess qualitative factors to determine whether it is necessary to perform the quantitative impairment test. Under the option, an entity is no longer required to calculate the fair value of an indefinite-lived intangible asset unless the entity determines, based on a qualitative assessment, that it is more likely than not that its fair value is less than its carrying amount. This amendment is effective for fiscal years beginning after September 15, 2012, with early adoption permitted. The Company does not expect the new guidance to have an impact on its 2013 impairment test results.

In October 2012, the FASB issued ASU No. 2012-04. This ASU makes technical corrections and improvements to a variety of topics in the FASB Accounting Standards Codification (the "Codification"). The changes include source literature amendments, guidance clarification, reference corrections and relocated guidance. The ASU also includes conforming amendments to the Codification to reflect ASC 820's fair value measurement and disclosure requirements. The adoption of this standard effective January 1, 2013 did not have a material impact on the Company's unaudited consolidated financial statements.

In February 2013, the FASB issued ASU No. 2013-02, "Reporting of Amounts Reclassified out of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income" (ASU No. 2013-02). Under ASU No. 2013-02, an entity is required to provide information about the amounts reclassified out of accumulated other comprehensive income ("AOCI") by component. In addition, an entity is required to present, either on the face of the financial statements or in the notes, significant amounts reclassified out of AOCI by the respective line items of net income, but only if the amount reclassified is required to be reclassified in its entirety in the same reporting period. For amounts that are not required to be reclassified in their entirety to net income, an entity is required to cross-reference to other disclosures that provide additional details about those amounts. ASU No. 2013-02 does not change the current requirements for reporting net income or other comprehensive income in the financial statements. ASU No. 2013-02 became effective from January 1, 2013 and the new guidance did not have any material impact on the Company's unaudited consolidated financial statements.

#### Accrued expenses and other current liabilities

Accrued expenses and other current liabilities consist of the following:

	March 31, 	December 31, 2012
Accrued expenses	\$16,059	\$ 20,134
Derivative instruments	5,007	6,403
Other current liabilities	6,899	5,200
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	\$27,965	\$ 31,737

# EXLSERVICE HOLDINGS, INC. NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—(continued) March 31, 2013

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#### Non-current liabilities

Non-current liabilities consist of the following:

	March 31, 2013	December 31, 2012
Derivative instruments	\$ 2,148	\$ 3,458
Unrecognized tax benefits	2,776	2,680
Deferred rent	5,089	4,631
Retirement benefits	2,601	2,380
Other non-current liabilities	1,150	1,168
Non-current liabilities	\$13,764	\$ 14,317

#### 3. Earnings Per Share

Basic earnings per share is computed by dividing net income to common stockholders by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during each period. Diluted earnings per share is computed using the weighted average number of common shares plus the potentially dilutive effect of common stock equivalents issued and outstanding at the reporting date, using the treasury stock method. Stock options, restricted stock and restricted stock units that are anti-dilutive are excluded from the computation of weighted average shares outstanding.

The following table sets forth the computation of basic and diluted earnings per share:

	Three months ended March 31,				
	2013 2012				
Numerators:					
Net income	\$	9,762	\$	8,916	
Denominators:					
Basic weighted average common shares outstanding	32	,521,481	31,	,445,592	
Dilutive effect of share based awards	1	,198,313	1,	,338,263	
Diluted weighted average common shares outstanding	33,719,794 32,783			,783,855	
Earnings per share:					
Basic	\$	0.30	\$	0.28	
Diluted	\$	0.29	\$	0.27	
Weighted average common shares considered anti-dilutive in computing					
diluted earnings per share		356,717		338,237	

# 4. Segment Information

The Company is organized around its outsourcing services and transformation services segments. The Company's recent acquisition of Landacorp, Inc. ("Landacorp") is classified within the outsourcing services segment. See note 5 for further details regarding the acquisition of Landacorp (the "Landacorp Acquisition").

#### EXLSERVICE HOLDINGS, INC. NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—(continued) March 31, 2013 (Unaudited)

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The chief operating decision maker generally reviews financial information at the consolidated statement of income level but does not review any information except for revenues and cost of revenues of the individual segments. Therefore, the Company does not allocate or evaluate operating expenses, interest expense or income, capital expenditures, and income taxes to its operating segments. Consequently, it is not practical to show assets, capital expenditures, depreciation or amortization by segment.

Revenues and cost of revenues for each of the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 for the Company's outsourcing services and transformation services segments, respectively, are as follows:

	Three months ended March 31, 2013			Three months ended March 31, 2				31, 201	.2	
	Outsourcing Services	Transformation Services		Total		sourcing ervices		sformation Services		Total
Revenues	\$ 97,572	\$	18,434	\$116,006	\$	89,734	\$	14,874	\$1	04,608
Cost of revenues (exclusive of depreciation and amortization)	59,476		13,437	72,913		56,478		10,194		66,672
Gross profit	\$ 38,096	\$	4,997	\$ 43,093	\$	33,256	\$	4,680	\$	37,936
Operating expenses				31,312						27,505
Other income/(expense)				978						1,505
Income tax provision				2,997						3,020
Net income				\$ 9,762					\$	8,916

#### 5. Business Combinations, Goodwill and Intangible Assets

On October 12, 2012, the Company acquired Landacorp, a leading provider of healthcare solutions and technology. Landacorp has more than 50 million lives under management on its software platforms and has developed services and technology solutions that share vital clinical data with payers, providers, plan participants and accountable care organizations. The Landacorp Acquisition furthers the Company's strategic intent to continue investing in the healthcare domain and strengthen its capabilities to serve the U.S. healthcare industry and continue to invest in building processes, analytics and platform capabilities in its focused verticals. Accordingly, the Company paid a premium for the acquisition which is being reflected in the goodwill recognized from the purchase price allocation of the total purchase consideration paid by the Company.

The total purchase price of the acquisition is as follows:

\$ 37,500
1,183
\$ 38,683

Paid in January 2013.

After the December 31, 2012 consolidated financial statements were issued, the Company received a revised valuation report from a third party valuation firm with respect to the Landacorp Acquisition. After considering the results of that valuation report, the Company revised its estimates related to certain of its acquired intangibles and other assets as of the date of acquisition as follows:

	Revise	d Allocation	Initia	l Allocation
Assets				
Identifiable intangible assets:				
Customer relationships	\$	5,664	\$	7,095
Developed technology		3,881		5,313
Trade names		601		549
Net tangible assets		10,547		10,727
Goodwill		17,990		14,999
Total purchase price*	\$	38,683	\$	38,683

Includes \$4,500 deposited in escrow accounts in connection with the acquisition.

This revision did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated earnings for the year ended December 31, 2012. As required by the accounting guidance for business combinations, this adjustment was recorded by the Company retrospectively as of the acquisition date resulting in changes to the preliminary amounts as set forth in the Company's December 31, 2012 consolidated balance sheet included in its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012.

## EXLSERVICE HOLDINGS, INC. NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—(continued) March 31, 2013 (Unaudited)

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Under ASC topic 805, "Business Combinations," the preliminary allocation of the purchase price to the tangible and intangible assets and liabilities acquired may change up to a period of one year from the date of acquisition. Accordingly, the Company may adjust the amounts recorded as of March 31, 2013 to reflect any revised valuations of the assets acquired or liabilities assumed. The Company's purchase accounting as of March 31, 2013 was incomplete primarily due to the pending final assessment of the realizability of the Landacorp's federal and state net operating losses in the U.S. and valuation of intangibles as of October 12, 2012. The total amount of deferred tax assets recognized for the acquired federal and state net operating losses is approximately \$5,745 as of March 31, 2013 and is included under "deferred tax assets" in the unaudited consolidated financial statements.

#### Goodwill

The following table sets forth details of the Company's goodwill balance as of March 31, 2013:

	Outsourcing Services	Transformation Services	Total
Balance at January 1, 2012	\$ 75,502	\$ 16,785	\$ 92,287
Goodwill arising from Landacorp acquisition	17,990	_	17,990
Purchase accounting adjustments (1)	422	_	422
Currency translation adjustments	(1,037)		(1,037)
Balance at December 31, 2012	\$ 92,877	\$ 16,785	\$109,662
Currency translation adjustments	393	_	393
Balance at March 31, 2013	\$ 93,270	\$ 16,785	\$110,055

Relates to the acquisition of Business Process Outsourcing Inc. ("OPI") on May 31, 2011 (the "OPI Acquisition") pertaining to service tax receivables included under "other current assets" in the consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2011.

# EXLSERVICE HOLDINGS, INC. NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—(continued) March 31, 2013

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## Intangible Assets

Information regarding the Company's intangible assets is as follows:

	As of March 31, 2013		
	Gross Carrying Amount	Accumulated Amortization	Net Carrying Amount
Customer relationships	\$38,742	\$ (8,958)	\$ 29,784
Leasehold benefits	3,399	(1,373)	2,026
Developed technology	6,014	(870)	5,144
Non-compete agreements	1,316	(1,316)	_
Trade names and trademarks	3,322	(1,158)	2,164
	\$52,793	\$ (13,675)	\$ 39,118

	As of December 31, 2012		
	Gross Carrying Amount	Accumulated Amortization	Net Carrying Amount
Customer relationships	\$38,728	\$ (7,832)	\$ 30,896
Leasehold benefits	3,355	(1,213)	2,142
Developed technology	6,013	(683)	5,330
Non-compete agreements	1,316	(1,316)	_
Trade names and trademarks	3,322	(979)	2,343
	\$52,734	\$ (12,023)	\$ 40,711

Amortization expense for the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 was \$1,634 and \$1,394, respectively. The weighted average life of intangible assets was 8.8 years for customer relationships, 6.8 years for leasehold benefits, 8.0 years for developed technology, 1.5 years for non-compete agreements and 3.5 years for trade names and trademarks excluding indefinite life trade names and trademarks. The Company had \$900 of indefinite lived trade names and trademarks as of March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012.

Estimated amortization of intangible assets during the year ending March 31,	
2014	\$6,230
2015	\$5,679
2016	\$5,579
2017	\$5,575
2018	\$5,519

# EXLSERVICE HOLDINGS, INC. NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—(continued) March 31, 2013

(Unaudited)

(In thousands, except share and per share amounts)

#### 6. Fair Value Measurements

#### Assets and Liabilities Measured at Fair Value

The following table sets forth the Company's assets and liabilities that were accounted for at fair value on a recurring basis as of March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012. The table excludes short-term investments, accounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued expenses for which fair values approximate their carrying amounts.

As of March 31, 2013	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Assets				
Money market and mutual funds	\$ 59,946	\$ —	\$ —	\$59,946
Derivative financial instruments	_	2,172	_	2,172
Total	\$ 59,946	\$2,172	\$ —	\$62,118
Liabilities				
Derivative financial instruments	<u> </u>	\$6,774	<u>\$ —</u>	\$ 6,774
Total	<u>\$</u>	\$6,774	<u>\$ —</u>	\$ 6,774
As of December 31, 2012	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Assets				
Money market and mutual funds	\$ 64,766	\$ —	\$ —	\$64,766
Derivative financial instruments	_	1,730	_	1,730
Total	\$ 64,766	\$1,730	\$ —	\$66,496
Liabilities				
Derivative financial instruments	\$ —	\$9,861	<u>\$ —</u>	\$ 9,861
Total	<u>\$</u>	\$9,861	<u>\$ —</u>	\$ 9,861

#### **Derivative Financial Instruments**

The Company's derivative financial instruments consist of foreign currency forward exchange contracts. Fair values for derivative financial instruments are based on independent sources including highly rated financial institutions and are classified as Level 2. See Note 7 for further details on Derivatives and Hedge Accounting.

# EXLSERVICE HOLDINGS, INC. NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—(continued) March 31, 2013 (Unaudited)

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#### 7. Derivatives and Hedge Accounting

The Company uses derivative instruments and hedging transactions to mitigate exposure to foreign currency fluctuation risks associated with forecasted transactions denominated in certain foreign currencies and to minimize earnings and cash flow volatility associated with changes in foreign currency exchange rates. The Company's derivative financial instruments are largely forward foreign exchange contracts that are designated effective and that qualify as cash flow hedges under ASC topic 815, "Derivatives and hedging" (ASC No. 815). The Company also uses derivatives consisting of foreign currency exchange contracts not designated as hedging instruments under ASC No. 815 to hedge intercompany balances and other monetary assets or liabilities denominated in currencies other than the Company's functional currency. The Company's primary exchange rate exposure is with the U.K. pound sterling and the Indian rupee. The Company also has exposure in Philippine pesos, Czech koruna and other local currencies in which it operates.

The Company had outstanding foreign exchange contracts totaling \$240,761 and GBP 12,975 as of March 31, 2013 and totaling \$221,255 and GBP 11,544 as of December 31, 2012. The Company estimates that approximately \$3,230 of net derivative losses included in AOCI could be reclassified into earnings within the next 12 months based on exchange rates prevailing as of March 31, 2013. As of March 31, 2013, the maximum outstanding term of derivative instruments that hedge forecasted transactions was thirty-three months.

The Company evaluates the hedge effectiveness at the time a contract is entered into as well as on an ongoing basis. If during this time a contract is deemed ineffective, the change in the fair value is recorded in the unaudited consolidated statements of income and is included in foreign exchange (loss)/gain. For hedging positions that are discontinued because the forecasted transaction is not expected to occur by the end of the originally specified period, any related derivative amounts recorded in equity are reclassified to earnings. No significant amounts of gains or losses were reclassified from AOCI into earnings as a result of forecasted transactions that failed to occur during the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012.

The following tables set forth the fair value of the foreign currency exchange contracts and their location on the unaudited consolidated financial statements:

#### Derivatives designated as hedging instruments

	March 31, 2013		ember 31, 2012
Other current assets:		_	
Foreign currency exchange contracts	\$ 1,344	\$	980
Other assets:			
Foreign currency exchange contracts	\$ 828	\$	750
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities:			
Foreign currency exchange contracts	\$ 4,574	\$	6,249
Other non current liabilities:			
Foreign currency exchange contracts	\$ 2,148	\$	3,458

#### Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments:

	March 31, 2013	nber 31, 012
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities:		
Foreign currency exchange contracts	\$ 52	\$ 154

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The following tables set forth the effect of foreign currency exchange contracts on the unaudited consolidated statements of income for the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012:

Derivatives in Cash Flow Hedging Relationships	Recognize	f Gain/(Loss) ed in AOCI on Effective Portion)	Location of Gain/(Loss) Reclassified from AOCI into Income (Effective Portion)	Amount o (Loss) Rec from AOCI in (Effective)	lassified ito Income	Gain/(Loss) Recognized in Income on Derivative (Ineffective Portion and Amount Excluded from Effectiveness Testing)	Recognized Derivative Portion and A from Eff	Gain/(Loss) in Income on (Ineffective mount Excluded ectiveness ting)
	2013	2012		2013	2012		2013	2012
Foreign exchange contracts	\$ 2.073	\$ 8,309	Foreign exchange (loss)/gain	\$ (1,354)	\$ (381)	Foreign exchange (loss)/gain	s —	s —

		Amount	of Gain/
		(Loss) Re	ecognized
		in Inco	ome on
Derivatives not designated	Location of Gain or (Loss)	Deriv	atives
as Hedging Instruments	Recognized in Income on Derivatives	2013	2012
Foreign exchange contracts	Foreign exchange (loss)/gain	\$2,298	\$2,898

#### 8. Fixed Assets

The components of fixed assets, net of accumulated depreciation, consisted of the following:

	March 31, 2013	December 31, 2012
Owned Assets:		
Network equipment, computers and software	\$ 65,098	\$ 62,580
Buildings	1,465	1,447
Land	959	946
Leasehold improvements	24,477	23,919
Office furniture and equipment	11,147	10,695
Motor vehicles	684	638
Capital work in progress	2,806	1,707
	106,636	101,932
Less: Accumulated depreciation and amortization	(70,240)	(65,581)
	\$ 36,396	\$ 36,351
Assets under capital leases:		
Network equipment, computers and software	\$ 366	\$ 361
Leasehold improvements	2,487	2,454
Office furniture and equipment	1,428	1,432
Motor vehicles	923	954
	5,204	5,201
Less: Accumulated depreciation and amortization	(2,627)	(2,196)
	\$ 2,577	\$ 3,005
Fixed assets, net	\$ 38,973	\$ 39,356

Depreciation and amortization expense excluding amortization of acquisition-related intangibles for the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 was \$4,878 and \$4,965, respectively.

Capital work in progress represents advances paid toward acquisitions of fixed assets and the cost of fixed assets not yet ready to be placed in service.

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#### 9. Capital Structure

The Company has one class of common stock outstanding.

During the three months ended March 31, 2013, the Company acquired 13,018 shares of common stock from employees in connection with withholding tax payments related to the vesting of restricted stock for a total consideration of \$389. The purchase price of \$29.89 per share was the average of the high and low price of the Company's shares of common stock on the Nasdaq Global Select Market on the trading day prior to the vesting date of the shares of restricted stock.

During the three months ended March 31, 2012, the Company acquired 7,455 shares of common stock from employees in connection with withholding tax payments related to the vesting of restricted stock for a total consideration of \$182. The purchase price of \$24.45 per share was the average of the high and low price of the Company's shares of common stock on the Nasdaq Global Select Market on the trading day prior to the vesting date of the shares of restricted stock.

The shares acquired are held as treasury stock.

#### 10. Employee Benefit Plans

The Company's Gratuity Plans in India and the Philippines provide a lump-sum payment to vested employees on retirement or on termination of employment in an amount based on the respective employee's salary and years of employment with the Company. Liabilities with regard to the Gratuity Plans are determined by actuarial valuation using the projected unit credit method. Current service costs for the Gratuity Plans are accrued in the year to which they relate. Actuarial gains or losses or prior service costs, if any, resulting from amendments to the plans are recognized and amortized over the remaining period of service of the employees.

Net gratuity cost includes the following components:

	Three	Three months ended March 31,	
	2013	2012	
Service cost	\$ 308	\$ 271	
Interest cost	121	111	
Expected return on plan assets	(45	(19)	
Actuarial loss	38	33	
Net gratuity cost	\$ 422	\$ 396	

The Gratuity Plans in India are partially funded and are managed and administered by Life Insurance Corporation of India and HDFC Standard Life Insurance Company. They calculate the annual contribution required to be made by the Company and manage the Gratuity Plans, including any required payouts. Fund managers manage these funds on a cash accumulation basis and declare interest retrospectively on March 31 of each year. The Company earned a return of approximately 9.0% on these Gratuity Plans for the year ended March 31, 2013.

#### **Change in Plan Assets**

Plan assets at January 1, 2013	\$ 2,201
Actual return	60
Effect of exchange rate changes	28
Plan assets at March 31, 2013	\$ 2,289

The Company maintains the Exl Service Inc. 401(k) Plan under Section 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, covering all eligible employees, as defined. The Company may make discretionary contributions of up to a maximum of 3% of employee compensation within certain limits. The Company has made provisions for contributions to the 401(k) Plan amounting to \$619 and \$377 during the three month periods ended March 31, 2013 and March 31, 2012, respectively.

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During the three month periods ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, the Company contributed the following amounts to various defined contribution plans on behalf of its employees in India, the Philippines, Romania, Bulgaria, Malaysia and the Czech Republic:

Three months ended March 31, 2013	\$ 1,447
Three months ended March 31, 2012	\$ 1,481

#### 11. Leases

The Company finances its use of certain computer hardware, leasehold improvements, furniture, fixtures, office equipment and motor vehicles under various lease arrangements provided by financial institutions. Future minimum lease payments under these capital leases as of March 31, 2013 are as follows:

Year ending March 31,	
2014	\$1,932
2015	1,426
2016	1,063
2017	143
2018	7
Total minimum lease payments	4,571
Less: amount representing interest	556 4,015
Present value of minimum lease payments	4,015
Less: current portion	1,616
Long term capital lease obligation	\$2,399

The Company conducts its operations using facilities leased under non-cancelable operating lease agreements that expire at various dates. Future minimum lease payments under non-cancelable operating lease agreements expiring after more than twelve months are as follows:

Year ending March 31,	
2014	\$ 7,739
2015	7,232
2016	5,725
2017	1,726
2018	644
2019 and thereafter	956
	\$24,022

The operating leases are subject to renewal periodically and have scheduled rent increases. The Company accounts for scheduled rent on a straight-line basis over the lease period. Rent expense under both cancellable and non-cancellable operating leases was \$4,337 and \$4,682 for the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively. Deferred rent as of March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012 was \$5,317 and \$4,893, respectively, and is included under "Accrued expenses and other current liabilities" and "Non-current liabilities" in the consolidated balance sheets.

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#### 12. Income Taxes

The Company recorded income tax expense of \$2,997 and \$3,020 for the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively. The effective rate of taxes decreased from 25.3% during the three months ended March 31, 2012 to 23.5% during the three months ended March 31, 2013. The decrease in effective tax rate is primarily due to the extension of a one year tax holiday period for one of the operating centers in the Philippines retroactively from May 2012 and other immaterial items, partially offset by the expiration of a portion of the tax holiday in our Bengaluru center in India as mentioned below.

The Company benefited from a four-year income tax holiday for one of its operations centers in the Philippines that expired in May 2012. The tax benefit is extendable by two successive one-year periods on fulfillment of certain performance and investment criteria. The Company had fulfilled such obligations and applied to the Philippines Economic Zone Authority ("PEZA") for an extension of the tax holiday. In February 2013, the Company received a formal communication from PEZA approving a one-year extension retroactively from May 2012. Another operations center in the Philippines, which began operations in January 2012, benefits from a separate four-year income tax holiday that can be extended at PEZA's discretion. While the Company is reasonably certain that PEZA will extend these tax holidays, it is possible that such extension requests may be denied, or that these tax holidays may be conditioned or removed entirely due to changes in applicable legislation by the government of the Philippines. Should any of these events occur, the Company's tax liability in the Philippines would likely increase.

The Company's operations centers in Jaipur and Noida, India, which were established in Special Economic Zones ("SEZ") in 2010, are eligible for tax incentives until 2020. As part of the OPI Acquisition, the Company also acquired operations centers in Bengaluru and Kochi, India that are also established in SEZs. The operations center in Bengaluru completed its first five years of operations on March 31, 2012. Under Indian tax regulations, the Bengaluru operations center is additionally entitled to a 50% tax exemption on export profits for five years from April 1, 2012. Our tax expense for the Bengaluru center increased after April 1, 2012 and will further increase after the expiry of the current five-year term that will expire in 2017. The Company also established a new operations center in Pune, India in June 2012, which is located in an SEZ. The Company anticipates establishing additional operations centers in SEZs or other tax advantaged locations in the future.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for future tax consequences attributable to temporary differences between the financial statement carrying values of assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases and operating loss carry forwards. At March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012, the Company performed an analysis of the deferred tax asset valuation allowance for net operating loss carry forward for its domestic entities. Based on this analysis, the Company continues to carry a valuation allowance on the deferred tax assets on net operating loss carry forwards. Accordingly, the Company had recorded a valuation allowance of \$665 each as of March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012.

Our Indian subsidiaries are liable to pay the Minimum Alternative Tax ("MAT") under the domestic tax laws. As of March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012, deferred income taxes related to the MAT were approximately \$3,040 and \$2,932, respectively, expiring through various years until 2024.

The Company's provision for income taxes also includes the impact of provisions established for uncertain income tax positions determined in accordance with ASC No. 740, "Income Taxes," as well as the related net interest. Tax exposures can involve complex issues and may require an extended resolution period. Although the Company believes that it has adequately reserved for its uncertain tax positions, no assurance can be given that the final tax outcome of these matters will not be different. The Company adjusts these reserves in light of changing facts and circumstances, such as the closing of a tax audit or the refinement of an estimate. To the extent that the final tax outcome of these matters differs from the amounts recorded, such differences will impact the provision for income taxes in the period in which such determination is made.

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The following table summarizes the activity related to the gross unrecognized tax benefits from January 1, 2013 through March 31, 2013:

Balance as of January 1, 2013	\$ 3,019
Increases related to prior year tax positions	
Decreases related to prior year tax positions	_
Increases related to current year tax positions	
Decreases related to current year tax positions	_
Effect of exchange rate changes	26
Balance as of March 31, 2013	\$ 3,045

The unrecognized tax benefits as of March 31, 2013 of \$3,045, if recognized, would impact the effective tax rate.

The Company has recognized interest and penalties of \$61 during the three months ended March 31, 2013, which are included in the income tax provision in the consolidated statements of income. The unrecognized tax benefits may increase or decrease in the next twelve months depending on the Company's tax positions.

#### 13. Stock-Based Compensation

The following costs related to the Company's stock-based compensation plan are included in the unaudited consolidated statements of income:

	Th	Three months ended March 3			
	20	2013		2012	
Cost of revenue	\$	869	\$	655	
General and administrative expenses		1,551		1,326	
Selling and marketing expenses		1,225		762	
Total	\$	3,645	\$	2,743	

The fair value of each stock option granted to employees is estimated on the date of grant using the Black-Scholes option-pricing model with the following weighted average assumptions:

	Three months ended	March 31,
	2013	2012
Dividend yield	0%	0%
Expected life (years)	5.50	5.66
Risk free interest rate	0.87%	0.99%
Volatility	40%	40%

The estimated expected term of options granted has been based on historical experience since October 2006, which is representative of the expected term of the options. Volatility has been calculated based on the volatility of the Company's common stock and the volatility of stock of comparative companies. The riskfree interest rate that the Company uses in the option valuation model is based on U.S. treasury zero-coupon bonds with a remaining term similar to the expected term of the options.

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The Company does not anticipate paying any cash dividends in the foreseeable future and therefore uses an expected dividend yield of zero in the option valuation model. The Company is required to estimate forfeitures at the time of grant and revise those estimates in subsequent periods if actual forfeitures differ from those estimates. The Company uses historical data to estimate pre-vesting option forfeitures and records stock-based compensation expense only for those awards that are expected to vest. All stock-based payment awards are amortized on a straight-line basis over the requisite service periods of the awards, which are generally the vesting periods.

Stock option activity under the Company's stock plans is shown below:

	Number of Options	Weighted- Average Exercise Price	Aggregate Intrinsic Value	Weighted- Average Remaining Contractual Life (years)
Outstanding at December 31, 2012	2,454,634	\$ 15.30	\$27,554	6.38
Granted	14,301	26.76		
Exercised	(187,357)	10.25		
Forfeited	_			
Outstanding at March 31, 2013	2,281,578	\$ 15.78	\$39,005	6.23
Vested and exercisable at March 31, 2013	1,560,413	\$ 13.32	\$30,516	5.50
Available for grant at March 31, 2013	1,754,791			

The unrecognized compensation cost for unvested options as of March 31, 2013 was \$4,348, which is expected to be expensed over a weighted average period of 2.32 years. The weighted-average fair value of options granted during the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 was \$10.07 and \$9.42, respectively. The total fair value of shares vested during the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 was \$2,118 and \$2,036, respectively.

#### Restricted Stock and Restricted Stock Units

Restricted stock and restricted stock unit activity under the Company's stock plans is shown below:

	Restrict	ted Stock		
	Number	Weighted- Average Intrinsic Value	Number	Weighted- Average Intrinsic Value
Outstanding at December 31, 2012*	5,207	\$ 17.58	1,025,911	\$ 21.36
Granted	_	_	473,430	29.43
Vested	(373)	15.72	(224,184)	20.10
Forfeited			(12,904)	21.53
Outstanding at March 31, 2013*	4,834	\$ 17.72	1,262,253	\$ 24.61

Excludes 104,000 and 124,000 vested restricted stock units as of March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively for which the underlying common stock is yet to be issued.

As of March 31, 2013, unrecognized compensation cost of \$27,033 is expected to be expensed over a weighted average period of 2.96 years.

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#### 14. Geographical Information

	Three mon	ths ended March 31,
	2013	2012
Revenues		
United States	\$ 83,136	\$ 75,948
United Kingdom	24,098	20,914
Rest of World	8,772	7,746
	\$ 116,006	\$ 104,608
	March 31, 2013	December 31, 2012
Fixed assets, net		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Fixed assets, net India		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
·	2013	2012
India	\$ 29,404	\$ 29,539
India United States	2013 \$ 29,404 3,515	2012 \$ 29,539 4,418

#### 15. Commitments and Contingencies

#### **Fixed Asset Commitments**

As of March 31, 2013, the Company had committed to spend approximately \$3,517 under agreements to purchase fixed assets. This amount is net of capital advances paid in respect of these purchases.

#### **Other Commitments**

Certain units of the Company's Indian subsidiaries were established as 100% Export-Oriented units under the Software Technology Parks of India ("STPI") scheme promulgated by the Government of India which provided the Company with certain incentives on imported and indigenous capital goods on fulfillment of certain conditions. Although the corporate tax incentives under the STPI scheme are no longer available to the Company, the units are required to fulfill such conditions for a limited time. In the event that these units are unable to meet the prescribed conditions over the specified period, the Company may be required to refund those incentives along with penalties and fines. The Company's management believes, however, that these units have in the past satisfied and will continue to satisfy the required conditions.

The Company's operations centers in Manila, the Philippines are registered with PEZA. The registration provides the Company with certain fiscal incentives on the import of capital goods and requires Exl Philippines to meet certain performance and investment criteria. One of the Company's operations centers in the Philippines benefited from a four-year income tax holiday that expired in May 2012. In February 2013, the Company received a one-year extension retroactively from May 2012 and expects to file another extension request after which no further extensions are presently permitted. Another operations center in the Philippines, which began operations in January 2012, benefits from a separate four-year income tax holiday that can be extended at PEZA's discretion.

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#### Contingencies

U.S. and Indian transfer pricing regulations require that any international transaction involving associated enterprises be at an arm's-length price. Accordingly, the Company determines the appropriate pricing for the international transactions among its associated enterprises on the basis of a detailed functional and economic analysis involving benchmarking against transactions among entities that are not under common control. The tax authorities have jurisdiction to review this arrangement and in the event that they determine that the transfer price applied was not appropriate, the Company may incur increased tax liability, including accrued interest and penalties. The Company is currently involved in disputes with the Indian tax authorities over the application of some of its transfer pricing policies for some of its subsidiaries. Further, the Company and its U.S. subsidiary are engaged in tax litigation with the income-tax authorities in India on the issue of permanent establishment.

The aggregate disputed amount demanded by Indian tax authorities from the Company related to its transfer pricing issues for various years ranging from tax years 2003 to 2010 and its permanent establishment issues ranging from tax years 2003 to 2008 as of March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012 is \$18,868 and \$18,624, respectively, of which the Company has already made payments or provided bank guarantees to the extent of \$14,909 and \$14,715, respectively. Amounts paid as deposits in respect of such assessments aggregating to \$12,468 and \$12,307 as of March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively, are included in "Other assets" and amounts deposited for bank guarantees aggregating to \$2,441 and \$2,408 as of March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively, are included in "Restricted cash" in the non-current assets section of the Company's consolidated balance sheets as of March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012.

Based on advice from its Indian tax advisors, the facts underlying its position and its experience with these types of assessments, the Company believes that the probability that the Company will ultimately be found liable for these assessments is remote and accordingly has not accrued any amount with respect to these matters in its consolidated financial statements. The Company does not expect any impact from these assessments on its future income tax expense. It is possible that the Company might receive similar orders or assessments from tax authorities for subsequent years. Even if these disputes are resolved, the Indian tax authorities may still serve additional orders or assessments.

#### ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

You should read the following discussion in connection with our unaudited consolidated financial statements and the related notes included elsewhere in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q and our audited consolidated financial statements and the related notes included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012. Some of the statements in the following discussion are forward looking statements. See "Forward Looking Statements" below. Dollar amounts within Item 2 are presented as actual dollar amounts.

#### Forward Looking Statements

This Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q contains forward looking statements. You should not place undue reliance on these statements because they are subject to numerous uncertainties and factors relating to our operations and business environment, all of which are difficult to predict and many of which are beyond our control. Forward looking statements include information concerning our possible or assumed future results of operations, including descriptions of our business strategy. These statements often include words such as "may," "will," "should," "believe," "expect," "anticipate," "intend," "plan," "estimate" or similar expressions. These statements are based on assumptions that we have made in light of our experience in the industry as well as our perceptions of historical trends, current conditions, expected future developments and other factors we believe are appropriate under the circumstances. As you read and consider this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, you should understand that these statements are not guarantees of performance or results. They involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and assumptions. Although we believe that these forward looking statements are based on reasonable assumptions, you should be aware that many factors could affect our actual financial results or results of operations and could cause actual results to differ materially from those in the forward looking statements. These factors include but are not limited to:

- our dependence on a limited number of clients in a limited number of industries;
- worldwide political, economic or business conditions;
- negative public reaction in the U.S. or elsewhere to offshore outsourcing;
- · fluctuations in our earnings;
- our ability to attract and retain clients;
- our ability to successfully consummate or integrate strategic acquisitions;
- restrictions on immigration;
- our ability to hire and retain enough sufficiently trained employees to support our operations;
- our ability to grow our business or effectively manage growth and international operations;
- increasing competition in our industry;
- telecommunications or technology disruptions;
- · regulatory, legislative and judicial developments, including changes to or the withdrawal of governmental fiscal incentives;
- · technological innovation;
- political or economic instability in the geographies in which we operate;
- · unauthorized disclosure of sensitive or confidential client and customer data; and
- adverse outcome of our disputes with the Indian tax authorities.

These and other factors are more fully discussed elsewhere in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q. These and other risks could cause actual results to differ materially from those implied by forward looking statements in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q.

You should keep in mind that any forward looking statement made by us in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, or elsewhere, speaks only as of the date on which we make it. New risks and uncertainties come up from time to time, and it is impossible for us to predict those events or how they may affect us. We have no obligation to update any forward looking statements in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q after the date of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, except as required by federal securities laws.

#### Overview

We are a leading provider of outsourcing and transformation services and focus on providing our clients with a positive business impact and enhancing their long term financial value. We customize our services to improve the economics of business performance and transform organizations to be leaner and more flexible. Our outsourcing services provide front-, middle- and back-office processing for our clients, who are primarily global companies. Outsourcing services involve the transfer to us of select business operations of a client, such as claims processing, policy administration and finance and accounting, after which we administer and manage the operations for our client on an ongoing basis. We also offer a number of transformation services that include decision analytics, finance transformation and operations and process excellence services. These transformation services help our clients provide additional insight into their future financial and operational results, improve their operating environments through cost reduction, enhanced efficiency and productivity initiatives, and enhance the risk and control environments within our clients' operations whether or not they are outsourced to us. We serve primarily the needs of Global 1000 companies in the insurance, healthcare, utilities, banking and financial services, travel, transportation and logistics sectors.

On October 12, 2012, we acquired Landacorp, Inc. ("Landacorp"), a leading provider of healthcare solutions and technology (the "Landacorp Acquisition"). Landacorp has more than 50 million lives under management on its software platforms and has developed services and technology solutions that share vital clinical data with payers, providers, plan participants and accountable care organizations.

We market our services to our existing and prospective clients through our sales and client management teams, which are aligned by industry verticals and cross-industry domains such as finance and accounting. Our sales and client management teams operate from the U.S. and Europe. We operate fifteen operations centers in India, six operations centers in the U.S., two operations centers each in the Philippines and Bulgaria and one operations center in each of Romania, Malaysia and the Czech Republic.

We generate revenues principally from contracts to provide outsourcing and transformation services. For the three months ended March 31, 2013, we had total revenues of \$116.0 million compared to total revenues of \$104.6 million in the three months ended March 31, 2012, an increase of \$11.4 million or 10.9%.

Revenues from outsourcing services increased from \$89.7 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012, to \$97.6 million for the three months ended March 31, 2013. The increase in revenues from outsourcing services of \$7.8 million for the three months ended March 31, 2013, was driven primarily by revenues of \$4.3 million from the Landacorp Acquisition in 2012 and net volume increases from existing and new clients aggregating to \$5.9 million. These increases were offset partially by a net decrease in revenues of \$2.4 million primarily due to the depreciation of each of the Indian rupee, U.K. pound sterling and Czech koruna against the U.S. dollar during the three months ended March 31, 2013 compared to the three months ended March 31, 2012.

Revenues from transformation services increased from \$14.9 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012 to \$18.4 million for the three ended March 31, 2013. The increase was primarily due to a combination of increased revenues in recurring or annuity-based decision analytics services and an increase in project-based engagements both in our decision analytics and finance transformation services. Revenues from new clients for transformation services were \$0.3 million and \$0.5 million during the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

We anticipate that our revenues will grow as we expand our service offerings and client base, both organically and through acquisitions. We provide our clients with a range of outsourcing services principally in the insurance, healthcare, utilities, banking and financial services, travel, transportation and logistics sectors, as well as cross-industry outsourcing services, such as finance and accounting services. Our clients transfer the management and execution of their processes or business functions to us. As part of this transfer, we hire and train employees to work at our operations centers on the relevant outsourcing services, implement a process migration to these operations centers and then provide services either to the client or directly to the client's customers. Each client contract has different terms based on the scope, deliverables and complexity of the engagement. The outsourcing services we provide to any of our clients (particularly under our general framework agreements), and the revenues and income that we derive from those services, may decline or vary as the type and quantity of services we provide under those contracts change over time, including as a result of a shift in the mix of products and services we provide.

For outsourcing services, we enter into long-term agreements with our clients with typical initial terms ranging from three to eight years. These contracts also usually contain provisions permitting termination of the contract after a short notice period. Although these agreements provide us with a relatively predictable revenue base for a substantial portion of our business, the long selling cycle for our outsourcing services and the budget and approval processes of prospective clients make it difficult to predict the timing of new client acquisitions. Revenues under new client contracts also vary depending on when we complete the selling cycle and the implementation phase.

Through the Landacorp Acquisition on October 12, 2012, we added a leading care management software platform for healthcare payers. As a result of our Trumbull Acquisition, on October 1, 2011, we acquired the capability to provide subrogation services as well as access to a software platform called SubroSource<sup>TM</sup> for providing subrogation services to property and casualty insurers. In connection with our acquisition of Professional Data Management Again ("PDMA") in April 2010, we acquired an insurance policy administration platform called LifePRO to administer life insurance, health insurance annuities and credit life and disability insurance policies for insurance and healthcare clients. As we increase our service capabilities utilizing platform- and other software-based services, revenues from such services will continue to grow in proportion to our total revenues. Revenues from annual maintenance and support contracts for our software platforms provide us with a relatively predictable revenue base and are generally recognized ratably over the terms of the contracts. New license sales and implementation projects have a long selling cycle and it is difficult to predict the timing of signing of such new contracts which may lead to fluctuations in our short term revenues.

Our transformation services can be significantly affected by variations in business cycles. In addition, our transformation services consist primarily of specific projects with contract terms generally not exceeding one to three years and may not produce ongoing or recurring business for us once the project is completed. These contracts also usually contain provisions permitting termination of the contract after a short notice period. The short-term nature and specificity of these projects could lead to further material fluctuations and uncertainties in the revenues generated from these businesses. We have experienced a significant increase in demand for our annuity-based transformation services, which are engagements that are contracted for one- to three-year terms.

We serve clients mainly in the U.S. and the U.K., with these two regions generating approximately 71.7% and 20.8%, respectively, of our total revenues for the three months ended March 31, 2013 and approximately 72.6% and 20.0%, respectively, of our total revenues for the three months ended March 31, 2012.

In the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, our total revenues from our top ten clients accounted for 59.7% and 60.3% of our total revenues, respectively. None of our clients accounted for more than 10% of our total revenues during the three months ended March 31, 2013 compared to one client during the three months ended March 31, 2012. Although we are increasing and diversifying our customer base, we expect in the near future that a significant portion of our revenues will continue to be contributed by a limited number of large clients.

We derived revenues from seven and eleven new clients for our services in the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

Revenues also include amounts representing reimbursable expenses that are billed to and reimbursed by our clients and typically include telecommunication and travel-related costs. The amount of reimbursable expenses that we incur, and any resulting revenues, can vary significantly depending on each client's situation and on the type of services provided. For the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, 3.8% and 4.0%, respectively, of our revenues represent reimbursement of such expenses.

To the extent our client contracts do not contain provisions to the contrary, we bear the risk of inflation and fluctuations in currency exchange rates with respect to our contracts. We hedge a substantial portion of our Indian rupee/U.S. dollar, Philippine peso/U.S. dollar and U.K. pound sterling/U.S. dollar foreign currency exposure.

We have observed a shift in industry pricing models toward transaction-based pricing and other pricing models. We believe this trend will continue and we have begun to use transaction-based and other pricing models with some of our current clients and are seeking to move certain other clients from a billing rate model to a transaction-based or other pricing model. Such models place the focus on operating efficiency in order to maintain our operating margins. In addition, we have also observed that prospective larger clients are entering into multi-vendor relationships with regard to their outsourcing needs. We believe that the trend toward multi-vendor relationships will continue. A multi-vendor relationship allows a client to seek more favorable pricing and other contract terms from each vendor, which can result in significantly reduced operating margins from the provision of services to such client for each vendor. To the extent our large clients expand their use of multi-vendor relationships and are able to extract more favorable contract terms from other vendors, our operating margins and revenues may be reduced with regard to such clients if we are required to modify the terms of our relationships with such clients.

#### Critical Accounting Policies and Estimates

For a description of our critical accounting policies and estimates, refer to our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012.

## **Results of Operations**

The following table summarizes our results of operations:

	Three months ended March 3			
	2013			2012
D(1)	\$	,	million)	104 C
Revenues <sup>(1)</sup>	Ф	116.0	\$	104.6
Cost of revenues (exclusive of depreciation and amortization) <sup>(2)</sup>		72.9		66.7
Gross profit		43.1		37.9
Operating expenses:				
General and administrative expenses <sup>(3)</sup>		15.0		13.3
Selling and marketing expenses <sup>(3)</sup>		9.8		7.8
Depreciation and amortization expenses <sup>(4)</sup>		6.5		6.4
Total operating expenses		31.3		27.5
Income from operations		11.8		10.4
Other income/(expense):				
Foreign exchange (loss)/gain		_		1.1
Interest and other income		1.0		0.4
Income before income taxes		12.8		11.9
Income tax provision		3.0		3.0
Net income	\$	9.8	\$	8.9

- (1) Revenues include reimbursable expenses of \$4.4 million and \$4.1 million for the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.
- (2) Cost of revenues includes \$0.9 million and \$0.7 million during the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively, of non-cash amortization of stock compensation expense relating to the issuance of equity awards to employees directly involved in providing services to our clients as described in Note 13 to our unaudited consolidated financial statements contained herein.
- (3) General and administrative expenses and selling and marketing expenses include \$2.8 million and \$2.1 million for the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively, of non-cash amortization of stock compensation expense relating to the issuance of equity awards to our non-operations staff as described in Note 13 to our unaudited consolidated financial statements contained herein.
- (4) Depreciation and amortization includes \$1.6 million and \$1.4 million for the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively, of amortization of intangibles as described in Note 5 to our unaudited consolidated financial statements contained herein.

#### Three Months Ended March 31, 2013 Compared to Three Months Ended March 31, 2012

**Revenues.** Revenues increased 10.9%, from \$104.6 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012 to \$116.0 million for the three months ended March 31, 2013. Revenues from outsourcing services increased from \$89.7 million during the three months ended March 31, 2012 to \$97.6 million during the three months ended March 31, 2013. The increase in revenues from outsourcing services of \$7.8 million was primarily driven by revenues of \$4.3 million from the Landacorp Acquisition and net volume increases from existing and new clients aggregating to \$5.9 million. These increases were partially offset by a net decrease in revenues of \$2.4 million, primarily due to the depreciation of each of the Indian rupee, U.K. pound sterling and Czech koruna against the U.S. dollar during the three months ended March 31, 2013 compared to the three months ended March 31, 2012.

Revenues from transformation services increased from \$14.9 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012 to \$18.4 million for the three months ended March 31, 2013. The increase was primarily due to a combination of increased revenues in recurring or annuity decision analytics services and an increase in project-based engagements both in our decision analytics and finance transformation services. Revenues from new clients for transformation services were \$0.3 million and \$0.5 million during the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

Cost of Revenues. Cost of revenues increased 9.4%, from \$66.7 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012 to \$72.9 million for the three months ended March 31, 2013. The increase in cost of revenues was primarily due to an increase in employee-related costs of \$8.9 million as a result of an increase in the number of our personnel directly involved in providing services to our clients, including \$1.8 million of employee-related costs related to the Landacorp Acquisition. We also experienced an increase in reimbursable expenses of \$0.2 million (resulting in an increase in revenues) and an increase in facilities, technology and other operating expenses of \$0.6 million (primarily due to the Landacorp Acquisition and new operations centers to support business growth). These increases were partially offset by a decrease of \$3.5 million due to the net effect of depreciation of the Indian rupee and the Czech koruna and appreciation of the Philippine peso against the U.S. dollar during the three months ended March 31, 2013 compared to the three months ended March 31, 2012. Cost of revenues as a percentage of revenues decreased marginally from 63.7% for the three months ended March 31, 2012 to 62.9% for the three months ended March 31, 2013.

*Gross Profit.* Gross profit increased 13.6%, from \$37.9 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012 to \$43.1 million for the three months ended March 31, 2013. The increase in gross profit was primarily due to an increase in revenues of \$11.4 million, offset by an increase in cost of revenues of \$6.2 million. Gross profit as a percentage of revenues increased marginally from 36.3% for the three months ended March 31, 2012 to 37.1% for the three months ended March 31, 2013, primarily due to the Landacorp Acquisition in October 2012, and depreciation of the Indian rupee against the U.S. dollar during the three months ended March 31, 2013 compared to the three months ended March 31, 2012.

Selling, General and Administrative Expenses. Selling, general and administrative ("SG&A") expenses increased 17.3%, from \$21.1 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012 to \$24.8 million for the three months ended March 31, 2013. The increase in SG&A expenses was primarily due to an increase in employee-related costs of \$3.6 million, including \$1.6 million of employee-related costs related to the Landacorp Acquisition and our continued investment in sales and client management personnel. We also experienced an increase in other SG&A expenses of \$0.6 million, primarily due to increased professional fees, facilities and technology costs incurred at our new operating centers, costs associated with the Landacorp Acquisition as well as increases in other marketing expenses. These increases were partially offset by a decrease of \$0.6 million due to the net effect of depreciation of the Indian rupee and Czech koruna and appreciation of the Philippine peso against the U.S. dollar during the three months ended March 31, 2013 compared to the three months ended March 31, 2012. As a percentage of revenues, SG&A expenses increased from 20.2% for the three months ended March 31, 2012 to 21.4% for the three months ended March 31, 2013, primarily as a result of the Landacorp Acquisition.

**Depreciation and Amortization.** Depreciation and amortization increased 2.4% from \$6.4 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012 to \$6.5 million for the three months ended March 31, 2013. The increase is primarily due to an increase in amortization of acquisition-related intangibles of \$0.2 million and depreciation related to our new operations centers of \$0.2 million offset by a decrease of \$0.3 million due to the net effect of depreciation of the Indian rupee and the Czech koruna and appreciation of the Philippines peso against the U.S. dollar during the three months ended March 31, 2013 compared to the three months ended March 31, 2012. As a percentage of revenues, depreciation and amortization expenses decreased from 6.1% for the three months ended March 31, 2013.

*Income from Operations.* Income from operations increased 12.9%, from \$10.4 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012 to \$11.8 million for the three months ended March 31, 2013. As a percentage of revenues, income from operations increased marginally from 10.0% for the three months ended March 31, 2012 to 10.2% for the three months ended March 31, 2013. The increase in income from operations as a percentage of revenues was primarily due to higher margins from the Landacorp Acquisition during the three months ended March 31, 2013.

Other Income/(Expense). Other income/(expense) is comprised of foreign exchange gains and losses, interest income, interest expense and other items. Other income/(expense) decreased from \$1.5 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012 to \$1.0 million for the three months ended March 31, 2013, due to insignificant net foreign exchange loss during the three months ended March 31, 2013 compared to net foreign exchange gain of \$1.1 million during the three months ended March 31, 2012 attributable to movement of the U.S. dollar against the Indian rupee, offset by increase of \$0.6 million in net interest income and other income. The average exchange rate of the Indian rupee against the U.S. dollar increased from 49.78 during the three months ended March 31, 2012 to 53.95 during the three months ended March 31, 2013.

**Provision for Income Taxes.** Provision for income taxes was \$3.0 million in each of the three months ended March 31, 2012 and March 31, 2013, respectively. The effective rate of taxes decreased from 25.3% during the three months ended March 31, 2012 to 23.5% during the three months ended March 31, 2013. Refer to Note 12 to the unaudited consolidated financial statements for further details.

*Net Income.* Net income increased 9.5%, from \$8.9 million for the three months ended March 31, 2012 to \$9.8 million for the three months ended March 31, 2013, primarily due to an increase in operating income of \$1.4 million, offset by a decrease in other income of \$0.5 million. As a percentage of revenues, net income decreased from 8.5% for the three months ended March 31, 2012 to 8.4% for the three months ended March 31, 2013.

#### Liquidity and Capital Resources

As of March 31, 2013, we had \$108.6 million in cash and cash equivalents and short-term investments (including \$58.4 million held by our foreign subsidiaries). We do not intend to repatriate our overseas funds since our future growth depends upon the continued infrastructure and technology investments, geographical expansions and acquisitions outside of the U.S. Therefore, we need to continuously and permanently reinvest the earnings generated outside of the U.S. If we were to repatriate our overseas funds, we would need to accrue and pay applicable taxes.

Cash flows provided by operating activities increased from \$4.4 million in the three months ended March 31, 2012 to \$6.6 million in the three months ended March 31, 2013. Generally, factors that affect our earnings—including pricing, volume of services, costs and productivity—affect our cash flows provided by operations in a similar manner. However, while management of working capital, including timing of collections and payments, affects operating results only indirectly, the impact on the working capital and cash flows provided by operating activities can be significant. The increase in cash flows provided by operations for the three months ended March 31, 2013 was predominantly due to an increase in net income adjusted for non-cash items by \$1.4 million along with a decrease in working capital of \$0.9 million. The increase in net income adjusted for non-cash items is primarily due to an increase in net income of \$0.8 million, stock based compensation expense of \$0.9 million and depreciation and amortization expense of \$0.2 million, offset by decrease in unrealized foreign exchange gain of \$0.8 million.

Changes in operating assets and liabilities are primarily due to an increase in cash provided by accrued employee cost of \$2.0 million and other assets of \$1.1 million offset by decrease in cash paid for accounts payable by \$0.9 million and advance income tax, net by \$1.0 million during the three months ended March 31, 2013 compared to the three months ended March 31, 2012. Our days' sales outstanding was 59 days as of March 31, 2013 compared to 56 days as of December 31, 2012.

Cash flows used for investing activities decreased from \$8.4 million in the three months ended March 31, 2012 to \$7.8 million in the three months ended March 31, 2013. The decrease is primarily due to decrease in capital expenditure of \$2.7 million offset by net proceeds from redemption of short term investments of \$0.9 million and payment of working capital adjustment for the Landacorp Acquisition of \$1.2 million during the three months ended March 31, 2013 compared to the three months ended March 31, 2012.

Cash flows provided by financing activities decreased from \$2.3 million in the three months ended March 31, 2012 to \$0.6 million during the three months ended March 31, 2013. The decrease is primarily due to proceeds from the exercise of stock options of \$1.4 million during the three months ended March 31, 2013 compared to \$2.9 million during the three months ended March 31, 2012.

We expect to use cash from operating activities to maintain and expand our business. As we have focused on expanding our cash flow from operating activities, we continue to make capital investments, primarily related to new facilities and capital expenditures associated with leasehold improvements to build our facilities and purchase of telecommunications equipment and computer hardware and software in connection with managing client operations. We incurred approximately \$6.6 million of capital expenditures in the three months ended March 31, 2013. We expect to incur capital expenditures of between \$15.0 million to \$20.0 million in the remainder of 2013, primarily to meet the growth requirements of our clients, including additions to our facilities as well as investments in technology applications and infrastructure. The timing and volume of such capital expenditures in the future will be affected by new client contracts we may enter into or the expansion of business under our existing client contracts.

In connection with any tax assessment orders that have been issued or may be issued against us or our subsidiaries, we may be required to deposit additional amounts with respect to such assessment orders. Refer to Note 15 to our unaudited consolidated financial statements for further details.

On May 26, 2011, we entered into a three-year credit agreement (the "Credit Facility") with certain lenders and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as Administrative Agent. Borrowings under the Credit Facility may be used for working capital and general corporate purposes. Originally a \$50.0 million revolving facility, including a letter of credit sub-facility, the availability under the Credit Facility was reduced to \$15.0 million in June 2012. Upon our request, however, and the fulfillment of certain conditions, the Credit Facility may be increased to \$50.0 million. As of March 31, 2013, we did not have any borrowings under the Credit Facility.

We anticipate that we will continue to rely upon cash from operating activities to finance our smaller acquisitions, capital expenditures and working capital needs. If we have significant growth through acquisitions, we may need to obtain additional financing.

#### Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements

As of March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012, we had no off-balance sheet arrangements or obligations.

#### **Contractual Obligations**

The following table sets forth our contractual obligations as of March 31, 2013:

	Payment Due by Period				
	Less than	1-3	4-5	After	
	1 year	years	years	5 years	Total
			(in millions)		
Capital leases	\$ 1.9	\$ 2.5	\$ 0.2	\$ —	\$ 4.6
Operating leases	7.7	13.0	2.4	1.0	24.1
Purchase obligations	3.5	_	_	_	3.5
Other obligations <sup>(a)</sup>	1.7	2.9	2.4	2.9	9.9
Total contractual cash obligations <sup>(b)</sup>	\$ 14.8	\$18.4	\$ 5.0	\$ 3.9	\$42.1

- (a) Represents estimated payments under the Company's Gratuity Plan.
- (b) Excludes \$3.0 million related to uncertain tax positions, since the extent of the amount and timing of payment is currently not reliably estimable or determinable.

Certain units of our Indian subsidiaries were established as 100% Export-Oriented units under the Software Technology Parks of India ("STPI") scheme promulgated by the Government of India which provides certain incentives on imported and indigenous capital goods upon the fulfillment of certain conditions. Although the corporate tax incentives under the STPI scheme are no longer available to us, the units are required to fulfill such conditions for a limited time. In the event that these units are unable to meet those conditions over the specified period, we may be required to refund those incentives along with penalties and fines. We believe, however, that these units have in the past satisfied and will continue to satisfy the required conditions.

Our operations centers in Manila, the Philippines are registered with PEZA. The registration provides us with certain fiscal incentives on the import of capital goods and requires that Exl Philippines meet certain performance and investment criteria. One of our operations centers in the Philippines benefited from a four-year income tax holiday that expired in May 2012. In February 2013, we received a one-year extension retroactively from May 2012 and expect to file another extension request after which no further extensions are presently permitted. Another operations center in the Philippines, which began operations in January 2012, benefits from a separate four-year income tax holiday that can be extended at PEZA's discretion.

#### Recent Accounting Pronouncements

In December 2011, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued Accounting Standard Update (ASU) No. 2011-11, "Disclosures about Offsetting Assets and Liabilities," (ASU No. 2011-11) which is effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013, and interim periods within those annual periods. This authoritative guidance was issued to enhance disclosure requirements on offsetting financial assets and liabilities. The new rules require companies to disclose both gross and net information about instruments and transactions eligible for offset in the statement of financial position, as well as instruments and transactions subject to a netting arrangement. In January 2013, the FASB further issued ASU No. 2013-01, "Clarifying the Scope of Disclosures about Offsetting Assets and Liabilities" to address implementation issues surrounding the scope of ASU No. 2011-11 and to clarify the scope of the offsetting disclosures and address any unintended consequences. The adoption of this guidance from January 2013 did not have a material impact on our unaudited consolidated financial statements.

In July 2012, the FASB issued ASU No. 2012-02, "*Testing Indefinite-Lived Intangible Assets for Impairment*" (ASU No. 2012-02), which simplifies the guidance for testing the impairment of indefinite-lived intangible assets other than goodwill. Examples of intangible assets subject to the guidance include indefinite-lived trademarks, licenses and distribution rights. The amendment provides the option to first assess qualitative factors to determine whether it is necessary to perform the quantitative impairment test. Under the option, an entity is no

longer required to calculate the fair value of an indefinite-lived intangible asset unless the entity determines, based on a qualitative assessment, that it is more likely than not that its fair value is less than its carrying amount. This amendment is effective for fiscal years beginning after September 15, 2012, with early adoption permitted. We do not expect the new guidance to have an impact on our 2013 impairment test results.

In October 2012, the FASB issued ASU No. 2012-04. This ASU makes technical corrections and improvements to a variety of topics in the FASB Accounting Standards Codification (the "Codification"). The changes include source literature amendments, guidance clarification, reference corrections and relocated guidance. The ASU also includes conforming amendments to the Codification to reflect ASC 820's fair value measurement and disclosure requirements. The adoption of this standard effective January 1, 2013 did not have a material impact on our unaudited consolidated financial statements.

In February 2013, the FASB issued ASU No. 2013-02, "Reporting of Amounts Reclassified out of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income" (ASU No. 2013-02). Under ASU No. 2013-02, an entity is required to provide information about the amounts reclassified out of accumulated other comprehensive income ("AOCI") by component. In addition, an entity is required to present, either on the face of the financial statements or in the notes, significant amounts reclassified out of AOCI by the respective line items of net income, but only if the amount reclassified is required to be reclassified in its entirety in the same reporting period. For amounts that are not required to be reclassified in their entirety to net income, an entity is required to cross-reference to other disclosures that provide additional details about those amounts. ASU No. 2013-02 does not change the current requirements for reporting net income or other comprehensive income in the financial statements. ASU No. 2013-02 became effective from January 1, 2013 and the new guidance did not have any material impact on our unaudited consolidated financial statements.

## ITEM 3. QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK

During the three months ended March 31, 2013, there were no material changes in our market risk exposure. For a discussion of our market risk associated with exchange rate risk and interest rate risk, see Item 7A "Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures about Market Risk" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012.

#### ITEM 4. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

#### **Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures**

We maintain disclosure controls and procedures that are designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed in the reports we file under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act") is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC's rules and forms, and that such information is accumulated and communicated to our management, including our Chief Executive Officer ("CEO") and Chief Financial Officer ("CFO"), to allow timely decisions regarding required financial disclosure. In connection with the preparation of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, our management carried out an evaluation, under the supervision and with the participation of the CEO and CFO, of the effectiveness and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures as of March 31, 2013. Based upon that evaluation, the CEO and CFO have concluded that, as of March 31, 2013, our disclosure controls and procedures were effective.

#### Changes in Internal Control over Financial Reporting

During the three months ended March 31, 2013, there was no change in our internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f) under the Exchange Act) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

#### PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

#### ITEM 1. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

In the course of our normal business activities, various lawsuits, claims and proceedings may be instituted or asserted against us. We believe that the disposition of matters currently instituted or asserted will not have a material adverse effect on our consolidated financial position, results of operations or cash flows. Please see Note 15 to our unaudited consolidated financial statements contained herein for details regarding our tax proceedings.

#### ITEM 1A. RISK FACTORS

We have disclosed under the heading "Risk Factors" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012 a number of risks which may materially affect our business, financial condition or results of operations. You should carefully consider the "Risk Factors" set forth in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012 and the other information set forth elsewhere in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q. You should be aware that these risk factors and other information may not describe every risk facing our Company. Additional risks and uncertainties not currently known to us may also materially adversely affect our business, financial condition and/or results of operations.

# ITEM 2. UNREGISTERED SALES OF EQUITY SECURITIES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

**Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities** 

None.

Use of Proceeds

None.

#### Purchases of Equity Securities by the Issuer

During the three months ended March 31, 2013, the Company acquired 13,018 shares of common stock, respectively from employees in connection with withholding tax payments related to the vesting of restricted stock for a total consideration of \$389,058. The purchase price of \$29.89 per share was the average of the high and low price of the Company's shares of common stock on the Nasdaq Global Select Market on the trading day prior to the vesting date of the shares of restricted stock.

#### ITEM 3. DEFAULTS UPON SENIOR SECURITIES

None.

#### ITEM 4. MINE SAFETY DISCLOSURES

Not applicable.

## ITEM 5. OTHER INFORMATION

None.

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## ITEM 6. EXHIBITS

The following exhibits are being filed as part of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q:

XBRL Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase \*

XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase \*

31.1	Certification of the Chief Executive Officer of ExlService Holdings, pursuant to Rule 13a-14 of the Exchange Act, as adopted pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
31.2	Certification of the Chief Financial Officer of ExlService Holdings, pursuant to Rule 13a-14 of the Exchange Act, as adopted pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
32.1	Certification of the Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Rule 13a-14(b) of the Exchange Act and 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
32.2	Certification of the Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Rule 13a-14(b) of the Exchange Act and 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
101.INS	XBRL Instance Document *
101.SCH	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema *
101.CAL	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase *
101.DEF	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase *

<sup>\*</sup> This exhibit will not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78r), or otherwise subject to the liability of that section. Such exhibit will not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act or Securities Exchange Act, except to the extent that the Company specifically incorporates it by reference.

# **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.

# EXLSERVICE HOLDINGS, INC.

Vishal Chhibbar
Executive Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer
(Duly Authorized Signatory, Principal Financial and Accounting
Officer)

#### **SECTION 302 CERTIFICATION**

#### I, Rohit Kapoor, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report of ExlService Holdings, Inc.;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officers and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officers and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: May 3, 2013

/s/ ROHIT KAPOOR

Rohit Kapoor

Vice Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

#### **SECTION 302 CERTIFICATION**

#### I, Vishal Chhibbar, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report of ExlService Holdings, Inc.;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officers and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officers and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: May 3, 2013

/s/ VISHAL CHHIBBAR

Vishal Chhibbar Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

# CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350,

## AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO

# SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

In connection with the Quarterly Report of ExlService Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") on Form 10-Q for the period ending March 31, 2013 as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I, Rohit Kapoor, Vice Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Company, certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

- (a) the Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and
- (b) the information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

/s/ ROHIT KAPOOR

Rohit Kapoor Vice Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Date: May 3, 2013

# CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350,

#### AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO

# SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

In connection with the Quarterly Report of ExlService Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") on Form 10-Q for the period ending March 31, 2013 as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I, Vishal Chhibbar, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of the Company, certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

- (a) the Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and
- (b) the information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

/s/ VISHAL CHHIBBAR

Vishal Chhibbar Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: May 3, 2013