

**STEC, INC. - CASH SETTLEMENT/ ACCELERATION OF EXPIRATIONS****DESCRIPTION:**

On September 12, 2013, Shareholders of sTec, Inc. (STEC) voted concerning the proposed merger with Lodi Ventures, Inc., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Western Digital Corporation. The merger was approved and consummated. As a result, each existing STEC Common Share will be converted into the right to receive \$6.85 net cash per share.

ACCELERATION OF EXPIRATIONS

Pursuant to OCC Rule 807, equity stock option contracts whose deliverables are adjusted to call for cash-only delivery will be subject to an acceleration of the expiration dates for outstanding option series. (See OCC Information Memo 23707) Additionally, the exercise by exception (ex by ex) threshold for expiring series will be \$.01 in all account types.

All series of sTec, Inc. options whose expiration dates are after 9-21-2013 will have their expiration dates advanced to 9-21-2013. Expiration dates occurring before 9-21-2013 (e.g., Flex options) will remain unchanged.

All sTec, Inc. options will utilize a \$.01 exercise threshold.

Option Symbols: STEC
Existing Expiration: All months
New expiration date: 9-21-2013

Existing American-style sTec, Inc. options remain exercisable at the option of the holder prior to their expiration. Exercised options will continue to settle in three business days.

Pending Contract Adjustments:

Pursuant to the By-Laws of the Options Clearing Corporation ("OCC"), the below options will be adjusted as follows.

Adjustment Date:	09/13/2013
Option Symbol:	STEC remains STEC
Underlying Security:	STEC remains STEC
Contract Multiplier:	1
Strike Divisor:	1
New Multiplier:	100
New Deliverable:	\$685.00 Cash (\$6.85 x 100)

GTC Order Cancellation: All resting orders for **STEC** options in the BOX order book will be cancelled by the BOX Market Operations Center after the close on Friday, September 13, 2013.

Additional Exchange Info:

Old Option Symbol	Old PutCall Code	Old Strike Price	Old Contract Date	New Option Symbol	New PutCall Code	New Strike Price	New Contract Date
STEC	C/P	1.00	09/21/2013	STEC	C/P	1.00	09/21/2013
STEC	C/P	2.00	09/21/2013	STEC	C/P	2.00	09/21/2013

Old Option Symbol	Old PutCall Code	Old Strike Price	Old Contract Date	New Option Symbol	New PutCall Code	New Strike Price	New Contract Date
STEC	C/P	3.00	09/21/2013	STEC	C/P	3.00	09/21/2013
STEC	C/P	4.00	09/21/2013	STEC	C/P	4.00	09/21/2013
STEC	C/P	5.00	09/21/2013	STEC	C/P	5.00	09/21/2013
STEC	C/P	6.00	09/21/2013	STEC	C/P	6.00	09/21/2013
STEC	C/P	7.00	09/21/2013	STEC	C/P	7.00	09/21/2013
STEC	C/P	8.00	09/21/2013	STEC	C/P	8.00	09/21/2013
STEC	C/P	9.00	09/21/2013	STEC	C/P	9.00	09/21/2013
STEC	C/P	10.00	09/21/2013	STEC	C/P	10.00	09/21/2013
STEC	C/P	11.00	09/21/2013	STEC	C/P	11.00	09/21/2013
STEC	C/P	12.00	09/21/2013	STEC	C/P	12.00	09/21/2013
STEC	C/P	13.00	09/21/2013	STEC	C/P	13.00	09/21/2013
STEC	C/P	1.00	10/19/2013	STEC	C/P	1.00	10/19/2013
STEC	C/P	2.00	10/19/2013	STEC	C/P	2.00	10/19/2013
STEC	C/P	3.00	10/19/2013	STEC	C/P	3.00	10/19/2013
STEC	C/P	4.00	10/19/2013	STEC	C/P	4.00	10/19/2013
STEC	C/P	5.00	10/19/2013	STEC	C/P	5.00	10/19/2013
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STEC	C/P	1.00	11/16/2013	STEC	C/P	1.00	11/16/2013
STEC	C/P	2.00	11/16/2013	STEC	C/P	2.00	11/16/2013
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STEC	C/P	13.00	11/16/2013	STEC	C/P	13.00	11/16/2013
STEC	C/P	1.00	01/18/2014	STEC	C/P	1.00	01/18/2014
STEC	C/P	2.00	01/18/2014	STEC	C/P	2.00	01/18/2014
STEC	C/P	3.00	01/18/2014	STEC	C/P	3.00	01/18/2014
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STEC	C/P	12.00	01/18/2014	STEC	C/P	12.00	01/18/2014
STEC	C/P	13.00	01/18/2014	STEC	C/P	13.00	01/18/2014
STEC	C/P	15.00	01/18/2014	STEC	C/P	15.00	01/18/2014
STEC	C/P	17.00	01/18/2014	STEC	C/P	17.00	01/18/2014
STEC	C/P	20.00	01/18/2014	STEC	C/P	20.00	01/18/2014
STEC	C/P	22.00	01/18/2014	STEC	C/P	22.00	01/18/2014
STEC	C/P	1.00	02/22/2014	STEC	C/P	1.00	02/22/2014
STEC	C/P	2.00	02/22/2014	STEC	C/P	2.00	02/22/2014
STEC	C/P	3.00	02/22/2014	STEC	C/P	3.00	02/22/2014
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STEC	C/P	10.00	02/22/2014	STEC	C/P	10.00	02/22/2014
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STEC	C/P	12.00	02/22/2014	STEC	C/P	12.00	02/22/2014
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STEC	C/P	10.00	01/17/2015	STEC	C/P	10.00	01/17/2015
STEC	C/P	12.00	01/17/2015	STEC	C/P	12.00	01/17/2015

Disclaimer:

This Information Memo summarizes corporate events affecting listed options. No warranty of accuracy or completeness is given with respect to the summary. Option series information is based on series existing at OCC at the time this Memo was generated.

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