Market Overview

We live in an era where the accelerated pace of technology is driving an exponential growth in new devices and applications. Electronics are increasingly impacting everyone, everything, everywhere, every day. Today’s consumers want it all: 24/7 connectivity, unlimited bandwidth, data, entertainment, security, portability and more. As the demand for ever faster, lighter, smarter and cheaper electronics continues to skyrocket; the global semiconductor design community must identify and successfully adopt new strategies to solve the increasingly complex technical and economic challenges. Markets are uncertain and merely making a better version of the latest product is not sufficient.

Today’s engineers face tremendous pressure to develop “cool” differentiated products more quickly and cost effectively than ever before. To survive in these new and unknown markets, engineers must accelerate innovation. Those that innovate quickly thrive while those that do not wither. Whether you’re a system-on-chip (SoC) designer creating advanced semiconductors, or a software developer writing applications that require the highest quality and security, Synopsys has the solutions needed to deliver innovative, high-quality, secure products.
Our Commitments to Our Customers, Stockholders, Employees and Community

At Synopsys we talk a lot about commitment, and about what it takes to be a great, enduring company. A key element of Synopsys’ success is our strong set of core values: Integrity, Execution Excellence and Leadership. We adhere to these principles because they are right, and because they achieve results.

Customers

Our first commitment is to our customers. Synopsys is dedicated to enabling its customers to accelerate their innovation and design remarkable chips by delivering the most complete semiconductor design solution through a combination of software, semiconductor IP and services. Customer satisfaction is Synopsys’ most critical measure and we track success “one chip at a time”. Synopsys is proud to count amongst its customers 49 of the top 50 global semiconductor companies.

Stockholders

For its stockholders, Synopsys is committed to managing its business skillfully and in accordance with all legal and ethical requirements, and to reporting its results with accuracy and candor. We believe great companies sustain growth and strong profitability over time, and opt for the long-term health of the enterprise rather than focusing only on short-term gain.

Employees

For its employees, Synopsys is committed to fostering an environment that treats people with respect, honesty and professionalism. We strive to develop the best in all of our employees, and to provide an environment that encourages corporate and personal growth.

Community

Synopsys Community Affairs embodies the company’s values by implementing worldwide philanthropic strategies that strengthen local communities, encourage employee engagement, and inspire a new generation of leaders.

Synopsys is committed to making a positive impact in the communities where employees live and work. Each year, the company and its foundations donate more than $2 million in charitable contributions to nonprofit organizations with a strong focus on math and science education at the K-12 level through teacher training and science fairs and competitions. Since its inception in 1999, more than 1 million students and teachers have participated in the Synopsys Silicon Valley Science & Technology Outreach Foundation programs.

The Synopsys Shares program leverages the creative energy of employees to make a difference and respond to local needs. Employees are empowered to organize community service projects and giving campaigns, participate in Synopsys-sponsored volunteer activities, and take advantage of the matching gift program. Each year, employees are involved in more than 150 community affairs activities at offices around the world.

As a technology, market and community leader, Synopsys is focused on fulfilling its commitments with passion, skill and integrity. To learn more about Synopsys, visit www.synopsys.com.