

**PRESS RELEASE**

**Regulated Information**

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**Interim Statement –  
Sales as forecast with small profit**

**Connect Group NV (Euronext Brussels: CONN) posted net sales of EUR 29.7 million in the 3rd quarter of 2013 (EUR 31.7 million in the 3rd quarter of 2012). The operational result (EBIT) and the net result were both positive. The orderbook was EUR 84 million as of 30 September 2013 (EUR 83 million at 30 June 2013).**

Following the reorganisations of the last several months, Connect Group returned to profitability in the 3rd quarter on sales of around EUR 30 million. Connect Group expects in the next quarters a slight increase in sales and enhanced results due to new customers and the further effect of cost savings. The general trend in the electronics markets remains however restrained, and the resulting uncertainty of the markets continues to bear down on outlooks.

**Connect Group**

Connect Group offers cost-effective, high quality production services to the professional industry, Activities include the production of cables and cable trees, PCB assembly and testing, production of semi-manufactures and final product assembly.

Connect Group's references include companies like Alstom, ASML, Atlas Copco, Atos, Barco and Philips.

The company currently employs around 1,600 people in various facilities in Europe. The company's shares are traded on NYSE Euronext Brussels: CONN ([www.euronext.com](http://www.euronext.com)).

**Update financial calendar**

Announcement annual results 2013:	13 February 2014
Annual General Shareholders meeting:	29 April 2014
Interim Statement Q1 2014:	8 May 2014

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