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Avnet, Inc. to Present at the Stifel Nicolaus Technology & Telecom Conference, the Goldman Sachs Technology & Internet Conference, and the Raymond James 33rd Institutional Investors Conference

PHOENIX--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Avnet, Inc. (NYSE: AVT) today announced that the Company is scheduled to present at three investor conferences during the months of February and March.

Ray Sadowski, Avnet's chief financial officer, will be presenting at the Stifel Nicolaus Technology & Telecom Conference to be held at the St. Regis Monarch Beach in Dana Point on February 7, 2012, at 10:20 a.m. Pacific time.

Ray Sadowski will also be presenting at the 2012 Goldman Sachs Technology & Internet Conference to be held at the Palace Hotel in San Francisco on February 14, 2012, at 9:40 a.m. Pacific time.

Ray Sadowski will also be presenting at the Raymond James 33rd Institutional Investors Conference to be held at the JW Marriott Grand Lakes in Orlando on March 6, 2012, at 2:15 p.m. Eastern time.

These Avnet presentations will be broadcast live over the Internet at www.ir.avnet.com, where you can also view other recent webcasts, a calendar of events, downloadable slide presentations and other investor information.

About Avnet

Avnet, Inc. (NYSE: AVT), a *Fortune 500* Company, is one of the largest distributors of electronic components, computer products and embedded technology, serving customers in more than 70 countries worldwide. Avnet accelerates its partners' success by connecting the world's leading technology suppliers with a broad base of more than 100,000 customers by providing cost-effective, value-added services and solutions. For the fiscal year ended July 2, 2011, Avnet generated revenue of \$26.5 billion. For more information, visit www.avnet.com. (AVT_IR)

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