

SCHEDULE 13D  
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934  
(AMENDMENT NO. 3)\*

AVNET, INC.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

053807103

(CUSIP Number)

c/o Alistair Boyle  
Permira (Europe) Limited  
Trafalgar Court, Les Banques  
St. Peter Port, Guernsey Channel Islands GY1 3QL

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to  
Receive Notices and Communications)

Copy to:

Andrew P. Varney, Esq.  
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1001 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
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Washington, D.C. 20004

February 14, 2006

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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1. Names of Reporting Persons.  
I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).  
Permira Europe II Nominees Limited
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)  
(a) X  
(b)
3. SEC Use Only

4. Source of Funds (See Instructions) 00
5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e)
6. Citizenship or Place of Organization Guernsey
7. Sole Voting Power  
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With 0
8. Shared Voting Power 0
9. Sole Dispositive Power 0
10. Shared Dispositive Power 0
11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 0
12. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) ( )
13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 0%
14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)  
C0

1. Names of Reporting Persons.  
I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).  
Permira Europe II Managers, L.P.
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)  
(a)  X  
(b)
3. SEC Use Only
4. Source of Funds (See Instructions) 00
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PN

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I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).  
Permira (Europe) Limited
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)  
(a)  X  
(b)
3. SEC Use Only
4. Source of Funds (See Instructions) 00
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Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With 0
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9. Sole Dispositive Power 0
10. Shared Dispositive Power 0
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14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)  
CO

1. Names of Reporting Persons.  
I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).  
Permira UK Venture IV Nominees Limited
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)  
(a)  X  
(b)
3. SEC Use Only
4. Source of Funds (See Instructions) 00
5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to  
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6. Citizenship or Place of Organization Guernsey
7. Sole Voting Power  
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With 0
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10. Shared Dispositive Power 0
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14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)  
CO

1. Names of Reporting Persons.  
I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).  
Schroder Venture Managers (Guernsey) Limited
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)  
(a)  X  
(b)
3. SEC Use Only
4. Source of Funds (See Instructions) 00
5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to  
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9. Sole Dispositive Power  
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10. Shared Dispositive Power  
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SV (Nominees) Limited
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)  
(a)  X  
(b)
3. SEC Use Only
4. Source of Funds (See Instructions) 00
5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to  
Items 2(d) or 2(e)
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Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With 0
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10. Shared Dispositive Power 0
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1. Names of Reporting Persons.  
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Schroder Ventures Investment Limited
2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)  
(a)  X  
(b)
3. SEC Use Only
4. Source of Funds (See Instructions) 00
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This Amendment No. 3 amends and supplements the statement on Schedule 13D filed by Permira Europe II Nominees Limited, Permira Europe II Managers L.P., Permira (Europe) Limited, Permira UK Venture IV Nominees Limited, Schroder Venture Managers (Guernsey) Limited, SV (Nominees) Limited, and Schroder Ventures Investment Limited with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") on July 15, 2005, and amended on July 22, 2005 and January 25, 2006, relating to the Common Stock of Avnet, Inc., a New York corporation (the "Company"). Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Schedule 13D.

#### ITEM 4. PURPOSE OF TRANSACTION.

Item 4 is hereby amended by adding the following immediately before the final two paragraphs thereof:

Pursuant to an underwriting agreement, dated February 8, 2006 (the "Underwriting Agreement"), by and among the Company, PE2 Nominees, VF4 Nominees and SV Nominees (the "Selling Stockholders") and the representatives of the several underwriters listed in Schedule B thereto (collectively, the "Underwriters"), the Underwriters agreed to purchase from the Selling Stockholders and the Selling Stockholders agreed to sell to the Underwriters, an aggregate of 15,700,000 shares of Common Stock (the "Sale"). In addition, pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement, the Selling Stockholders granted the Underwriters an option, exercisable within 30 days after the date of the final prospectus (the "Prospectus") filed by the Company on February 9, 2006 pursuant to Rule 424(b) of the Securities Act, to purchase an additional 2,257,367 shares of Common Stock from the Selling Stockholders at the same purchase price per share for the purpose of covering over-allotments (the "Over-Allotment Option").

Pursuant to the Prospectus, the public offering price in the public offering of Common Stock by the Company was \$24.00 per share and the underwriting discount was \$0.84 per share. Pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement, the Underwriters agreed to purchase shares of Common Stock in the Sale and upon exercise of the Over-Allotment Option at a price per share of \$23.16 (which is net of underwriting discounts and commissions). Accordingly, the Selling Stockholders sold an aggregate of 17,957,367 shares of Common Stock (including the Over-Allotment Option) to the Underwriters at a price per share of \$23.16 (which is net of underwriting discounts and commissions) for an aggregate amount of \$415,892,619.72. The Underwriting Agreement contains standard terms and conditions for a public offering including customary representations and warranties and indemnity provisions. The foregoing description of the Underwriting Agreement is not intended to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by the complete text of the Underwriting Agreement, the form of which is filed as Exhibit 4 to this Schedule 13D.

The Sale of 17,957,367 shares of Common Stock held by the Reporting Persons was consummated on February 14, 2006.

#### ITEM 5. INTEREST IN SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER

Item 5 is hereby amended in its entirety as follows:

(a) and (b)

As of the date hereof, none of the PE2 Nominees, VF4 Nominees and SV Nominees own any shares of Common Stock, which represents, in the aggregate, 0% of the Company's issued and outstanding shares of Common Stock. The beneficial ownership percentages in this report are based on a total of 146,281,787 shares outstanding as of February 2, 2006 (as reported by the Company in the Prospectus).

(c) Except as set forth herein, to the knowledge of the Reporting Persons with respect to the persons named in response to paragraph (a), none of the persons named in response to paragraph (a) has effected any transactions in shares of Common Stock during the past 60 days.

(d) No person other than the persons listed is known to have the right to receive or the power to direct the receipt of dividends from, or the proceeds from the sale of, any securities owned by any member of the group.

(e) The Reporting Persons ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the Common Stock on February 14, 2006, based on a total of 146,281,787 shares of Common Stock outstanding as of February 2, 2006 (as reported by the Company in the Prospectus).

ITEM 6. CONTRACTS, ARRANGEMENTS, UNDERSTANDINGS OR RELATIONSHIPS WITH RESPECT TO SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER

Item 6 is hereby amended in its entirety by the following:

In connection with the Sale, on February 8, 2006, the Selling Stockholders executed a lock-up agreement (the "Lock-Up Agreement") pursuant to which the Selling Stockholders agreed not to offer, sell, contract to sell, pledge or otherwise dispose of, directly or indirectly, any shares of the Common Stock or securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for any shares of the Common Stock, enter into a transaction that would have the same effect, or enter into any swap, hedge or other arrangement that transfers, in whole or in part, any of the ownership of the Common Stock, whether any of these transactions are to be settled by delivery of the Common Stock or other securities, in cash or otherwise, or publicly disclose the intention to make any offer, sale, pledge or disposition, or to enter into any transaction, swap, hedge or other arrangement, without, in each case, the prior written consent of the Underwriters for a period of 81 days after February 8, 2006. The foregoing description of the Lock-Up Agreement is not intended to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by the complete text of the Lock-Up Agreement, the form of which is filed as Exhibit 5 to this Schedule 13D.

In addition, as described under Item 4 above, certain of the Reporting Persons have entered into the Securities Acquisition Agreement, the Registration Rights Agreement, the Board Nominee Agreement and the Underwriting Agreement.

ITEM 7. MATERIAL TO BE FILED AS EXHIBITS

The following documents are filed as exhibits:

Exhibit No. -----	Title -----
4	Underwriting Agreement, dated as of February 8, 2006, between Avnet, Inc., the sellers named therein and Goldman, Sachs & Co., Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC, and Banc of America Securities LLC (as Representatives of the Several Underwriters), which is hereby incorporated by reference to the Current Report on Form 8-K, Exhibit 1, filed by Avnet, Inc. on February 10, 2006.
5	Form of Lock-Up Agreement, dated February 8, 2006, by Permira Europe II Nominees Limited, Permira UK Venture IV Nominees Limited and SV (Nominees) Limited.

Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of the knowledge and belief of each of the undersigned, each of the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: February 14, 2006

PERMIRA EUROPE II  
NOMINEES LIMITED

Signed by: /s/ Alistair Boyle  
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for and on behalf of  
Permira Europe II Nominees  
Limited  
By: Alistair Boyle,  
Alternate Director

PERMIRA (EUROPE) LIMITED

Signed by: /s/ Alistair Boyle  
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for and on behalf of  
Permira (Europe) Limited  
By: Alistair Boyle,  
Alternate Director

PERMIRA EUROPE II MANAGERS, L.P.  
BY: PERMIRA (EUROPE) LIMITED,  
ITS GENERAL PARTNER

Signed by: /s/ Alistair Boyle  
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for and on behalf of  
Permira (Europe) Limited, as General  
Partner  
By: Alistair Boyle,  
Alternate Director

PERMIRA UK VENTURE IV  
NOMINEES LIMITED  
Signed on behalf of Permira  
UK Venture IV Nominees  
Limited:

Signed by: /s/ Tim Lowe  
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Director  
/s/ John Symons  
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for Doyle Administrators Ltd.  
Secretary

(A) as nominee for Barings (Guernsey)  
Limited as (i) Trustee of Schroder UK  
Venture Fund IV Trust, and (ii)  
Custodian of Schroder UK Venture Fund  
IV LP1 and Schroder UK Venture Fund IV  
LP2, and

(B) as nominee for Schroder Venture  
Managers (Guernsey) Limited as manager  
of the Schroder UK Venture Fund IV  
Co-investment Scheme

SCHRODER VENTURE  
MANAGERS (GUERNSEY) LIMITED

Signed by: /s/ Alistair Boyle  
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for and on behalf of  
Schroder Venture Managers  
(Guernsey) Limited  
By: Alistair Boyle,

Alternate Director

SV (NOMINEES) LIMITED

Signed by: /s/ Alistair Boyle

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for and on behalf of

SV (Nominees) Limited as nominee  
for Schroder Ventures Investments  
Limited

By: Alistair Boyle,  
Alternate Director

SCHRODER VENTURES INVESTMENTS  
LIMITED

Signed by: /s/Alistair Boyle

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for and on behalf of Schroder  
Ventures Investments Limited

By: Alistair Boyle,  
Alternate Director

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5	Form of Lock-Up Agreement, dated February 8, 2006, by Permira Europe II Nominees Limited, Permira UK Venture IV Nominees Limited and SV (Nominees) Limited.

Avnet, Inc.  
2211 South 47th Street  
Phoenix, AZ 85034

GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO.  
CREDIT SUISSE SECURITIES (USA) LLC  
BANC OF AMERICA SECURITIES LLC,  
As Representatives ("REPRESENTATIVES") of the Several  
Underwriters (the "UNDERWRITERS"),  
c/o Goldman, Sachs & Co.,  
85 Broad Street,  
New York, NY 10004

Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC  
Eleven Madison Avenue  
New York, NY 10010-3629

Banc of America Securities LLC  
9 West 57th Street, 29th Floor  
New York, NY 10019

Dear Sirs:

As an inducement to the Underwriters to execute the Underwriting Agreement, pursuant to which an offering will be made that is intended to result in an orderly market for the common stock, par value \$1.00 per share (the "SECURITIES") of Avnet, Inc., and any successor (by merger or otherwise) thereto, (the "COMPANY"), the undersigned hereby agrees that from the date of this agreement until and including the date 81 days after the public offering date set forth on the final prospectus supplement used to sell the Securities (the "PUBLIC OFFERING DATE") pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement, to which you are or expect to become parties, the undersigned (other than pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement) will not offer, sell, contract to sell, pledge or otherwise dispose of, directly or indirectly, any shares of Securities or securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for any shares of Securities, enter into a transaction which would have the same effect, or enter into any swap, hedge or other arrangement that transfers, in whole or in part, any of the economic consequences of ownership of the Securities, whether any such aforementioned transaction is to be settled by delivery of the Securities or such other securities, in cash or otherwise, or publicly disclose the intention to make any such offer, sale, pledge or disposition, or to enter into any such transaction, swap, hedge or other arrangement, without, in each case, the prior written consent of the Representatives. In addition, the undersigned agrees that, without the prior written consent of the Representatives, it will not, during the period commencing on the date hereof and ending 81 days after the Public Offering Date (the "LOCK-UP PERIOD"), make any demand for or exercise any right with respect to, the registration of any Securities or any security convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for the Securities.

Any Securities received upon exercise of options granted to the undersigned will also be subject to this Agreement. Any Securities acquired by the undersigned in the open market will not be subject to this Agreement. A transfer of Securities to a family member or trust may be made, provided the transferee agrees to be bound in writing by the terms of this Agreement prior to such transfer and no filing by any party (donor, donee, transferor or transferee) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 shall be required or shall be voluntarily made in connection with such transfer (other than a filing on a Form 5 made after the expiration of the Lock-Up Period). Further, if the undersigned is a corporation, partnership or other business entity, any transfer (a) in connection with the merger, sale or other bona fide transfer in a single transaction of all or substantially all of the undersigned's assets not undertaken for the purpose of avoiding the restrictions imposed hereby; (b) to another corporation, partnership or other business entity if the transferee and the undersigned are direct or indirect affiliates or otherwise related; or (c) as a part of a distribution without consideration from the undersigned to its equity holders on a pro rata basis; provided that, in each case, it shall be a condition of the transfer that the transferee agrees that it is receiving and holding such Securities subject to the provisions of this Agreement, and provided further that there shall be no further transfer of such Securities except in accordance with Agreement, and provided further that any such transfer shall not involve a disposition for value. It is understood that if the Underwriting Agreement (other than the provisions that survive termination) shall terminate or be terminated prior to payment

for and delivery of the Securities, the undersigned will be released from its obligations under this agreement.

In furtherance of the foregoing, the Company and its transfer agent and registrar are hereby authorized to decline to make any transfer of shares of Securities if such transfer would constitute a violation or breach of this Agreement.

This Agreement shall be binding on the undersigned and the successors, heirs, personal representatives and assigns of the undersigned. This Agreement shall lapse and become null and void if the Public Offering Date shall not have occurred on or before March 31, 2006. THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY, AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH, THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

Very truly yours,

PERMIRA EUROPE II NOMINEES LIMITED

Signed by: \_\_\_\_\_

Name:

Title:

for and on behalf of Permira  
Europe II Nominees Limited

PERMIRA UK VENTURE IV NOMINEES LIMITED

Signed on behalf of Permira UK  
Venture IV Nominees Limited:

Signed by: \_\_\_\_\_

Name:

Title:

(A) as nominee for Barings (Guernsey) Limited as (i) Trustee of Schroder UK Venture Fund IV Trust, and (ii) Custodian of Schroder UK Venture Fund IV LP 1 and Schroder UK Venture Fund IV LP2, and

(B) as nominee for Schroder Venture Managers (Guernsey) Limited as manager of the Schroder UK Venture Fund IV Co-investment Scheme

SV (NOMINEES) LIMITED

Signed by: \_\_\_\_\_

Name:

Title:

for and on behalf of SV (Nominees)  
Limited as nominee for Schroder Venture  
Investments Limited