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Form 10-Q

(Mark One)

b QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

FOR THE QUARTERLY PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2011

OR

"TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

FOR THE TRANSITION PERIOD FROM

TO

COMMISSION FILE NUMBER: 814-00802

HORIZON TECHNOLOGY FINANCE CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE

27-2114934

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

312 Farmington Avenue Farmington, CT

06032

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (860) 676-8654 Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of Each Class Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share Name of Each Exchange on Which Registered The NASDAQ Global Market

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes b No ...

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§ 232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to

submit and post such files). Yes "No "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, or a non-accelerated filer. See definition of "accelerated filer" and large accelerated filer" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated Accelerated filer Non-accelerated filer b Smaller Reporting Company "
filer " "

(Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes "No $\mathfrak b$.

As of November 9, 2011, the Registrant had 7,626,718 shares of common stock, \$0.001 par value, outstanding.

HORIZON TECHNOLOGY FINANCE CORPORATION

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Forward-Looking Statements

This quarterly report on Form 10-Q, including the Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations, contains statements that constitute forward-looking statements, which relate to future events or our future performance or financial condition. These forward-looking statements are not historical facts, but rather are based on current expectations, estimates and projections about our industry, our beliefs and our assumptions. The forward-looking statements contained in this quarterly report on Form 10-Q involve risks and uncertainties, including statements as to:

- our future operating results, including the performance of our existing loans and warrants;
 - the introduction, withdrawal, success and timing of business initiatives and strategies;

changes in political, economic or industry conditions, the interest rate environment or financial and capital markets, which could result in changes in the value of our assets;

- the relative and absolute investment performance and operations of our Advisor;
 - the impact of increased competition;
- the impact of investments we intend to make and future acquisitions and divestitures;
 - the unfavorable resolution of legal proceedings;
 - our business prospects and the prospects of our portfolio companies;
- the impact, extent and timing of technological changes and the adequacy of intellectual property protection;
 - our regulatory structure and tax status;
 - the adequacy of our cash resources and working capital;
 - the timing of cash flows, if any, from the operations of our portfolio companies;

the impact of interest rate volatility on our results, particularly if we use leverage as part of our investment strategy;

- the ability of our portfolio companies to achieve their objective;
- our ability to cause a subsidiary to become a licensed SBIC;
- the impact of legislative and regulatory actions and reforms and regulatory supervisory or enforcement actions of government agencies relating to us or our Advisor;
 - our contractual arrangements and relationships with third parties;

- our ability to access capital and any future financings by us;
- the ability of our Advisor to attract and retain highly talented professionals; and
 - the impact of changes to tax legislation and, generally, our tax position.

We use words such as "anticipates," "believes," "expects," "intends," "seeks" and similar expressions to identify forward-looking statements. Undue influence should not be placed on the forward looking statements as our actual results could differ materially from those projected in the forward-looking statements for any reason, including the factors in "Risk Factors" in our annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2010 and elsewhere in this quarterly report on Form 10-Q.

We have based the forward-looking statements included in this report on information available to us on the date of this report, and we assume no obligation to update any such forward-looking statements. Although we undertake no obligation to revise or update any forward-looking statements in this quarterly report on Form 10-Q, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, you are advised to consult any additional disclosures that we may make directly to you or through reports that we in the future may file with the SEC, including, future reports on Form 10-Q, current reports on Form 8-K and annual reports on Form 10-K.

Horizon Technology Finance Corporation and Subsidiaries

Consolidated Statements of Assets and Liabilities (Unaudited) (In thousands, except share data)

	Sep	tember 30, 2011	D	ecember 3 2010	1,
ASSETS					
Non-affiliate investments at fair value (cost of \$179,651 and \$133,494, respectively)					
(Note 4)	\$ 1	80,186	\$	136,810	
Cash and cash equivalents	3	32,598		76,793	
Interest receivable	2	2,477		1,938	
Other assets (Note 2)	1	,610		664	
Total assets	\$ 2	216,871	\$	216,205	
LIABILITIES					
Borrowings (Note 6)	\$ 8	31,885	\$	87,425	
Base management fee payable (Note 3)	3	362		360	
Incentive fee payable (Note 3)	1	,453		414	
Other accrued expenses	7	92		811	
Total liabilities	8	34,492		89,010	
Net assets					
Common stock, par value \$0.001 per share, 100,000,000 shares authorized, 7,626,718 shares outstanding as of September 30, 2011 and 7,593,421 shares					
outstanding as of December 31, 2010	8	3		8	
Paid-in capital in excess of par	1	24,361		123,836	
Accumulated undistributed (distributions in excess of) net investment income		,507		(143)
Net unrealized appreciation on investments	5	808		3,043	
Net realized gain on investments	5	5,995		451	
Total net assets	1	32,379		127,195	
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 2	216,871	\$	216,205	
Net asset value per common share	\$ 1	7.36	\$	16.75	

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

Horizon Technology Finance Corporation and Subsidiaries

Consolidated Statements of Operations (Unaudited) (In thousands, except share data)

		Pre-IPO Prior		Pre-IPO Prior
		to		to
	Post-IPO as a	Becoming a	Post-IPO as a	Becoming a
	Business	Business	Business	Business
	Development	Development	Development	Development
	Company	Company	Company	Company
	Three Months	Three Months	Nine Months	Nine Months
	Ended	Ended	Ended	Ended
	September 30,	•		September 30,
T	2011	2010	2011	2010
Investment income	Φ. 6.120	Φ 4.055	φ 1C 011	Ф. 10.050
Interest income on non-affiliate investments	\$ 6,129	\$ 4,955	\$ 16,911	\$ 12,852
Interest income on cash and cash equivalents	2	25	90	53
Fee income on non-affiliate investments	310	209	870	345
Total investment income	6,441	5,189	17,871	13,250
	0,1.12	2,133	17,071	10,200
Expenses				
Interest expense	725	1,189	2,093	3,282
Base management fee (Note 3)	1,091	675	3,229	1,816
Performance based incentive fee (Note 3)	561	_	2,701	
Administrative fee (Note 3)	355	_	873	
Professional fees	489	7	1,034	110
General and administrative	227	61	740	164
Total expenses	3,448	1,932	10,670	5,372
Net investment income	2,993	3,257	7,201	7,878
Credit for loan losses	_	320	_	739
Net realized and unrealized gain on investments				
Net realized (loss) gain on investments	(17)	-	5,544	(2)
Net unrealized (depreciation) appreciation on	(2.1.7		(0.505 ×	4 7 40
investments	(217)	1,711	(2,535)	1,549
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Net realized and unrealized (loss) gain on	(024	1.711	2.000	1 5 47
investments	(234)	1,711	3,009	1,547
Net increase in net assets resulting from operations	\$ 2,759	¢ 5 200	\$ 10,210	\$ 10,164
The increase in her assets resulting from operations	Ψ 4,137	\$ 5,288	ψ 10,210	ψ 10,104
Net investment income per common share (1)	\$ 0.39	\$ N/A	\$ 0.95	\$ N/A
rec in estiment meome per common share (1)	Ψ 0.57	Ψ 11/11	Ψ 0.25	Ψ 11/11
Change in net assets per common share (1)	\$ 0.36	\$ N/A	\$ 1.34	\$ N/A

Weighted average shares outstanding (1)	7,617,972	N/A	7,604,345	N/A	

⁽¹⁾ For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2010, the Company did not have common shares outstanding or an equivalent and, therefore, earnings per share and weighted average shares outstanding information for this period is not provided.

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

Horizon Technology Finance Corporation and Subsidiaries

Consolidated Statements of Changes in Net Assets (Unaudited) (In thousands, except share data)

Accumulated

											distribut						
	(distributions Accumulated Paid-In in excess Met Unrealized Net																
	A		umula	ted													
			Other		a	α.			Capital in				preciatio				7 0 . 1
			•	S1V	eCommon				Excess of				on		Bain on		Total
	Capital		Loss		Shares	Ar	noui	nt	Par]	Income	Inv	estment	bnv	estmen	tsN	et Assets
Balance at	* *																
December 31, 2009	\$ 60,260	\$	(768)	_	\$	—	\$	—	\$	—	\$	_	\$	_	\$	59,492
Comprehensive income:																	
Net income	10,164		—		_		—		_		_		_		_		10,164
Unrealized loss on																	
interest rate swaps	_		409		_		_		<u> </u>		_		_		_		409
_																	
Total comprehensive																	
income			_		_		_		_		_		_		_		10,573
Balance at																	
September 30, 2010	\$ 70,424	\$	(359)	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	70,065
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Balance at	Φ.	Φ.			5.502.421	Φ.	0	Φ.	100.006	Φ.	(1.10	٠.	2.042	Φ.	451	Φ.	107 105
December 31, 2010	\$ —	\$	_		7,593,421	\$	8	\$	123,836	\$	(143)\$	3,043	\$	451	\$	127,195
Net increase in net																	
assets from											-		/a =a=	,			10.010
operations	_		_		_		_		—		7,201		(2,535)	5,544		10,210
Issuance of common																	
stock as stock																	
dividend	_		_		33,297		_		525								525
Dividends declared	_		—		_		_				(5,551)	_		_		(5,551)
Balance at																	
September 30, 2011	\$ —	\$			7,626,718	\$	8	\$	124,361	\$	1,507	\$	508	\$	5,995	\$	132,379

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

Horizon Technology Finance Corporation and Subsidiaries

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (Unaudited) (In thousands)

			Pre-IPO Pr	ior
	Post-IPO as Business	s a	becoming Business	
	Developme	nt	Developme	
	Company		Company	
	Nine Mont		Nine Mont	
	Ended		Ended	
	September 3	30,	September 2010	30,
Cash flows from operating activities:	2011		2010	
Net increase in net assets resulting from operations	\$ 10,210		\$ 10,164	
Adjustments to reconcile net increase in net assets resulting from operations to net				
cash used in operating activities:				
Credit for loan losses			(739)
Amortization of debt issuance costs	227		871	
Net realized (gain) loss on investments	(5,799)	2	
Net change in unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on investments	2,535		(1,549)
Purchase of investments	(78,156)	(64,608)
Principal payments received on investments	32,574		41,333	
Proceeds from sale of investments	5,887			
Stock received in settlement of fee income	(544)		
Changes in assets and liabilities:				
Increase in interest receivable	(539)	(498)
Decrease in unearned loan income	(331)	(302)
Decrease (increase) in other assets	247		(251)
Increase in other accrued expenses	226		91	
Increase in base management fee payable	2		35	
Increase in incentive fee payable	1,039		_	
Net cash used in operating activities	(32,422)	(15,451)
1vet eash used in operating activities	(32,722	,	(13,431	,
Cash flows from financing activities:				
Net (decrease) increase in revolving borrowings	(5,540)	24,778	
Dividends paid	(5,026)	_	
Capitalized debt issuance costs	(1,207)	_	
Net cash (used in) provided by financing activities	(11,773)	24,778	
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents	(44,195)	9,327	
Cash and cash equivalents:				
Beginning of period	76,793		9,892	
End of period	\$ 32,598		\$ 19,219	
Cash paid for interest	\$ 1,738		\$ 2,366	

Supplemental non-cash investing and financing activities:

Warrant investments received & recorded as unearned loan income	\$ 1,129	\$ 1,212	
Receivables resulting from sales of investments	\$ 213	\$ —	
Decrease in interest rate swap liability	\$ (245) \$ (409)

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

Horizon Technology Finance Corporation and Subsidiaries

Consolidated Schedule of Investments September 30, 2011 (In thousands)

		Type of	Interest		Cost of	Fair
Portfolio Company	Sector	Investment(3)	Rate(4)	MaturityInv	estment(6	
Debt Investments		111 (11440(1)	1,10,00,110,111	034110114(0	, , , , ,
	- Life Science — 41.2%					
ACT Biotech, Inc.	Biotechnology	Term Loan(1)	13.10 %	12/1/2013	\$ 905	\$ 905
,	25	Term Loan(1)		12/1/2013	905	905
		Term Loan(1)	13.01 %	12/1/2013	1,371	1,371
Ambit Biosciences						
Corporation	Biotechnology	Term Loan(1)	12.25 %	10/1/2013	5,066	5,066
Anacor	-					
Pharmaceuticals,						
Inc.(5)	Biotechnology	Term Loan(2)	9.41 %	4/1/2015	3,206	3,206
GenturaDx, Inc.	Biotechnology	Term Loan(2)	11.25 %	4/1/2014	1,903	1,903
N30						
Pharmaceuticals,						
LLC	Biotechnology	Term Loan(1)		9/1/2014	2,412	2,412
Pharmasset, Inc.(5)	Biotechnology	Term Loan(1)		1/1/2012	379	379
		Term Loan(1)	12.50 %	10/1/2012	1,453	1,453
Revance						
Therapeutics, Inc.	Biotechnology	Convertible Note(1)	8.00 %	2/10/2013	62	62
Supernus						
Pharmaceuticals,						
Inc.	Biotechnology	Term Loan(2)		8/1/2014	2,947	2,947
Tranzyme, Inc.(5)	Biotechnology	Term Loan(1)	10.75 %	1/1/2014	4,538	4,538
Xcovery Holding						
Company, LLC	Biotechnology	Term Loan(2)		10/1/2013	1,494	1,494
		Term Loan(2)	12.00 %	7/1/2014	1,477	1,477
Concentric	M II ID I	T (1)	12.04.69	0/1/2012	6.676	6.676
Medical, Inc.	Medical Device	Term Loan(1)		9/1/2013	6,676	6,676
OraMetrix, Inc.	Medical Device	Term Loan(1)		4/1/2014	4,669	4,669
PixelOptics, Inc.	Medical Device	Term Loan(2)		11/1/2014	9,910	9,910
Tengion, Inc.(5)	Medical Device	Term Loan(2)		1/1/2014	4,948	4,588
ViOptix, Inc.	Medical Device	Term Loan(1)	13.55 %	11/1/2011	656	656
Total Daht						
Total Debt Investments — Life						
Science					54,977	54,617
Science					34,911	34,017
Debt Investments —	- Technology — 36.2%					
OpenPeak, Inc.	Communications	Term Loan(1)	11.86 %	12/1/2013	6,016	5,647
Starcite, Inc.	Consumer-related Technologies			9/1/2012	1,604	1,604
Tagged, Inc.	Consumer-related Technologies			5/1/2012	671	671
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		Term Loan(1)	11.46 % 8/1/2012	300	300
Xtera					
Communications,					
Inc.	Semiconductors	Term Loan(2)	11.50 % 12/1/2014	9,739	9,739
Vette Corp.	Data Storage	Term Loan(1)	11.75 % 7/1/2014	4,928	4,928
IntelePeer, Inc.	Networking	Term Loan(1)	12.43 % 4/1/2012	238	238
		Term Loan(1)	12.33 % 6/1/2012	315	315
		Term Loan(1)	12.33 % 10/1/2012	729	729
Construction					
Software					
Technologies, Inc.	Software				