



National Instruments Declares Quarterly Dividend

AUSTIN, Texas, July 27, 2011 /PRNewswire/ -- The National Instruments (Nasdaq: NATI) Board of Directors announced a quarterly dividend of \$0.10 per share on the company's common stock. This dividend is payable on August 29 to stockholders of record on August 8.

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