

**Opto Circuits' subsidiary, Cardiac Science, rationalizes its product offering
by spinning off its Diagnostic Cardiology product line**

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[Cardiac Science](#), an [Opto Circuits](#) group company, signed a definitive agreement on 29th March 2013 to sell its Diagnostic Cardiology product line to Mortara Instrument, Inc. for an estimated consideration of USD 21 Million. The transaction does not include MySense®, the novel, wearable, single-patient ECG recorder system and the Resuscitation business unit that markets automated external defibrillators (AEDs) worldwide.

“Divestiture of the Diagnostic Cardiology product line will bring more strategic focus to Cardiac Science. The company will now be able to exclusively focus on innovation and the expansion of market share in its high-margin and high growth Resuscitation Business,” said Neal Long, CEO, Cardiac Science.

“The addition of these businesses to our organization represents a marked opportunity to accelerate the introduction of Mortara’s leading ECG technology to new markets,” commented Dr. Justin Mortara, CEO.

About Mortara Instrument

Mortara Instrument, Inc. was founded 30 years ago and today is a recognized technology leader in the world of ECG. Mortara’s global headquarters is located in Milwaukee, Wisconsin with operations in Australia, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, and the United Kingdom. Mortara is distinguished in the field of non-invasive cardiology for innovations that are the core of the company's complete line of ECG products including electrocardiographs, stress exercise systems, Holter systems, data warehousing solutions, and cardiology monitoring systems. The company manufactures and distributes its ECG devices and related technologies worldwide. Mortara’s market leadership is a result of its substantial investment in R & D which has fueled the introduction of many new Mortara products uniquely positioned to benefit customers in their everyday use of diagnostic ECG devices. To learn more about Mortara Instrument and its expanding product portfolio visit www.mortara.com.

About Cardiac Science

Prior to this acquisition, Cardiac Science developed, manufactured, and marketed a family of advanced diagnostic and therapeutic cardiology devices and systems, including automated external defibrillators (AED), electrocardiograph devices (ECG/EKG), cardiac stress treadmills and systems, diagnostic workstations, Holter monitoring systems, hospital defibrillators, vital signs monitors, cardiac rehabilitation telemetry systems, and cardiology data management systems (informatics) that connect with hospital information (HIS), electronic medical record (EMR), and other information systems. The company sells a variety of related products and consumables and provides a portfolio of training, maintenance, and support services. Cardiac Science is headquartered in Waukesha, Wisconsin. With customers in more than 100 countries worldwide, the company has operations in North America, Europe, and Asia. For information, visit <http://www.cardiacscience.com>.

About Opto Circuits

Opto Circuits (India) Ltd. (OCI) is a vertically integrated multinational medical technology Group that specializes in primary, acute and critical care products for the global markets. Group companies such as [Cardiac Science](#), [Criticare](#), [Eurocor](#), [Mediaid](#), [AMD](#) and [Unetixs Vascular](#) are leaders in vital signs monitors, emergency cardiac care equipment, vascular treatments and sensing technologies. Our USFDA listed and CE marked products are marketed in more than 150 countries and sold through direct and indirect sales channels across many emerging and developing economies.

We’ve been ranked in Forbes’ *Asia’s 200 Best under a Billion* lists in 2008, 2009 and 2011.

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