

ACUITY BRANDS, INC.
COMPUTATION OF EARNINGS TO FIXED CHARGES RATIO
(in millions)

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
Earnings:					
1. Income before provision for income taxes	\$ 157.6	\$ 118.8	\$ 127.3	\$ 230.5	\$ 194.2
Fixed Charges:					
2. Interest expense	30.4	29.8	29.5	34.7	34.3
3. Interest factor on rental expense	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.3
4. Total fixed charges (2 + 3)	<u>31.6</u>	<u>31.1</u>	<u>31.0</u>	<u>36.1</u>	<u>35.6</u>
5. Earnings and fixed charges (1 + 4)	<u>189.2</u>	<u>149.9</u>	<u>158.3</u>	<u>266.6</u>	<u>229.8</u>
Ratios:					
6. Earnings and fixed charges, to total fixed charges (5 / 4)	6.0	4.8	5.1	7.4	6.5
7. Deficiency of earnings to fixed charges (4 - 5)*	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —

* Represents additional earnings that would be necessary to result in a one-to-one ratio of earnings to fixed charges.