UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

February 14, 2018

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported)



Cutera, Inc.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 000-50644 (Commission File Number) 77-0492262 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

3240 Bayshore Blvd. Brisbane, California 94005 (Address of principal executive offices)

(415) 657-5500 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

	ck the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the followin visions (see General Instruction A.2. below):
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	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
	cate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 or Rule 12b-2 of the urities Exchange Act of 1934.
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	n emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new o sed financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. \square

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 14, 2018, we are issuing a press release and holding a conference call regarding our financial results for the fourth quarter and full-year ended December 31, 2017. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(b) Departure of Senior Vice President, International Sales

On February 9, 2018, Miguel Pardos resigned his position as Senior Vice President, International Sales of Cutera, Inc. ("Cutera"), effective on February 28, 2018, to pursue other opportunities. Cutera will reassign Mr. Pardos' duties to the existing regional sales managers who will all report to the Chief Executive Officer, James A. Reinstein until further notice.

(e) Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

On February 13, 2018, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of Cutera, Inc. (the "Company"), upon recommendation of its Compensation Committee and in consultation with our independent compensation consultant, Compensia, Inc., approved the 2018 Management Bonus Program (the "Bonus Program"), which provides for payment of bonuses to certain executive officers and employees. The Board approved certain changes to the 2017 Management Bonus Program, including:

- Each participant in the Bonus Program has a target bonus percentage associated with such participant's job title and level that is applied to eligible wages;
- Participants in the Bonus Program are not eligible to participate in the Company's Profit Sharing Program;
- Each participant in the Bonus Program is eligible to receive pro-rated bonuses based on such participant's performance measures, and bonus amounts for each participant are subject to minimum and maximum payment amounts;
- Bonuses paid pursuant to the Bonus Program are paid semi-annually, rather than quarterly pursuant to the 2017 Management Bonus Program;
 and
- Participants in the Bonus Program must be employed by the Company at the time of any bonus payment.

Other provisions of the Company's 2018 Management Bonus Program remained substantially the same as the terms of the 2017 Management Bonus Program.

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On February 13, 2018, the Board also established an Enterprise Risk Committee. The role of the Enterprise Risk Committee is to assist the board in its oversight of the Company's management of key risks, including strategic and operational risks, as well as the guidelines, policies and processes for monitoring and mitigating such risks. The committee's role includes risk management oversight of its wholly-owned subsidiaries. The Board appointed independent directors Clint H. Severson, Elisha W. Finney and Gregory Barrett as the members of the Enterprise Risk Committee, with Clint H. Severson appointed to serve as the Chairperson.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press Release of Cutera, Inc. dated as of February 14, 2018.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

CUTERA, INC.

Date: February 14, 2018 By: /S/ Darren W. Alch

Name: Darren W. Alch

Title: General Counsel & Corporate Secretary



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Cutera Reports Fourth Quarter and Full Year 2017 Record Revenue and Financial Results

Record Fourth Quarter Revenue of \$47.6 Million; Increases 26% Year-over-Year; 14th Consecutive Quarter of Double-Digit Revenue Growth

System Revenue Grows in the Fourth Quarter by 35% in North America and 19% Internationally

Full Year Revenue Grows 28%

Company Expands Product Offerings in 2018 with Introduction of Juliet[®] and Secret RF[®]

BRISBANE, California, February 14, 2018 — Cutera, Inc. (NASDAQ: <u>CUTR</u>) ("Cutera" or the "Company"), a leading provider of laser and other energy-based aesthetic systems for practitioners worldwide, today reported financial results for the fourth quarter and fiscal year ended December 31, 2017.

James Reinstein, President and Chief Executive Officer stated, "We are pleased with our fourth quarter and fiscal year 2017 performance. Our 26% global revenue growth in the fourth quarter was driven by the continued strength of systems revenue in North America, which increased 35%, as well as, considerable improvement in our International systems revenue, which increased 19%. We believe the enhancements made to our International structure in 2017 will continue to drive execution improvements. We expect to build upon our 2017 success with continued North American and International expansion of legacy and newly launched products, as well as, consumables revenue related to *truSculpt 3D*®, *Juliet and Secret RF*. In the second half 2017, approximately 30% of our systems sold will realize a recurring revenue stream going forward. We believe our newly created Commercial Team dedicated to supporting our consumable products will help expand this revenue opportunity."

Key financial highlights for the fourth quarter 2017, when compared to the fourth quarter 2016, include:

- **Revenue** increased 26% to a record \$47.6 million, due primarily to an overall growth of 30% in systems revenue, with 35% growth in North America and 19% Internationally;
 - o Record quarter of \$11.5 million International systems revenue;
 - o 25% sequential quarter increase compared to the third quarter of 2017;
 - o Fourteenth consecutive quarter of double-digit year-over-year revenue growth;
- Gross Margin of 57% impacted by increased warranty costs, as well as, an increased investment in our Service operations to fuel future growth;
- **Net Income** was \$22.9 million, or \$1.57 per fully diluted share, including a benefit for the release of a significant portion of our valuation allowance against U.S. deferred tax assets;
 - o **Non-GAAP net income*** was \$6.1 million, or \$0.42 per fully diluted share. In the fourth quarter of 2017, the Company recorded an income tax benefit of \$18.2 million resulting primarily from the release of a significant portion of its valuation allowance against certain U.S. deferred tax assets, partially offset by the revised measurement of U.S. deferred tax assets resulting from the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017:
- Cash Generated by Operations increased 41% to \$6.7 million, compared to \$4.7 million in the prior period;
- Cash, cash equivalents and investments of \$35.9 million, with no debt; and
- **Repurchased** \$21.4 million of common stock.

Key financial highlights for the full year 2017, when compared to the full year 2016, were as follows:

- **Revenue** increased 28% for the full year to a record \$151.5 million, due primarily to a 51% growth in North American systems revenue;
 - o Three consecutive years of 20%+ year-over-year growth;
- **Gross Margin** of 57% was slightly lower than previous year, impacted by warranty costs and an increased investment in our Service operations in the second half of 2017;
- **Net Income** was \$30.0 million, or \$2.04 per fully diluted share;
 - o *Non-GAAP net income** was \$13.7 million, or \$0.93 per fully diluted share;
- **Cash Generated by Operations** was \$14.3 million, including the one-time \$4 million benefit from our facility lease cancellation in the third quarter of 2017; and
- **Repurchased** \$35.2 million of common stock.

Product Updates

Each platform in our portfolio contributed to the success of the year. The Company's newly launched *truSculpt 3D* system continues to gain market acceptance in North America and in International markets. In 2018, the Company expects continued North American growth for the *truSculpt* platform, as well as, expansion into new International markets. Additionally, the Enlighten family continues to be a top selling platform and closely follows *truSculpt 3D* in total revenue. In January 2018, the Company launched *Juliet* (a women's health product) and *Secret RF* (an RF microneedle product) to further enhance our product offerings, as well as expand our participation in recurring procedural revenue. As previously announced, Cutera also created a commercial organization dedicated to supporting consumable products for procedures performed in physicians' practices. We expect this new team, combined with the new consumable offerings, to expand disposable revenue opportunities in 2018 and beyond.

2018 Outlook

- We expect revenue to be in the range of \$178 to \$181 million, an 18% 20% increase over 2017;
- Gross margin is expected to be in the range of 57% to 58%, as we continue to invest in our Service operations, and experience increased facility costs in our headquarters in Brisbane, California;
- Operating expenses are expected to be in the range of 52% to 54% of revenue, consistent with 2017 (excluding the non-recurring lease termination benefit), as we continue to invest in product development and the scalability of our operations;
- Non-GAAP earnings per share* is expected to be in the range of \$1.03 to \$1.11 as compared to \$0.93 for the full-year of 2017; and
- Adjusted EBITDA* is expected to be in the range of \$15.0 to \$17.0 million.

Conference Call

The conference call to discuss these results is scheduled to begin today at 1:30 p.m. PST (4:30 p.m. EST). Participating in the call will be James Reinstein, President and Chief Executive Officer and Sandra Gardiner, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer. The call will be broadcast live over the Internet, hosted at the Investor Relations section of Cutera's website at http://www.cutera.com/, and will be archived online within one hour of its completion through February 28, 2018. In addition, you may call 1-877-705-6003 to listen to the live broadcast.

About Cutera, Inc.

Brisbane, California-based Cutera is a leading provider of laser and other energy-based aesthetic systems for practitioners worldwide. Since 1998, Cutera has developed innovative, easy-to-use products that enable physicians and other qualified practitioners to offer safe and effective aesthetic treatments to their patients. For more information, call 1-888-4CUTERA or visit www.cutera.com.

<u>Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures</u>

* In order to supplement our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements presented in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles, or GAAP, management discloses certain non-GAAP financial measures. Management uses these measures as aids in monitoring the Company's ongoing financial performance from quarter to quarter, and year to year, on a regular basis and for benchmarking against other medical technology companies. Non-GAAP financial measures used by the Company may be calculated differently from, and therefore may not be comparable to, similarly titled measures used by other companies. These non-GAAP financial measures should be considered along with, but not as alternatives to, the operating performance measure as prescribed by GAAP.

We have provided a reconciliation of each non-GAAP financial measure used in this earnings release to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measure. We have not provided a reconciliation of non-GAAP guidance measures to the corresponding GAAP measures on a forward-looking basis due to the potential significant variability, limited visibility, unpredictability, or unique non-recurring nature of the excluded items. Forward-looking non-GAAP measures include adjusted earnings per share and adjusted EBITDA. We define adjusted EBITDA as earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization as adjusted for non-cash stock-based compensation expense. For computing non-GAAP earnings per share and adjusted EBITDA, we have assumed \$8 to \$9 million of non-cash stock-based compensation, an effective tax rate of 10% to 12%, and approximately 15 million weighted-average shares outstanding.

In this press release management has disclosed certain non-GAAP financial measures for the statement of operations and net income per diluted share, which exclude the following:

Non-cash expenses for stock-based compensation. We have excluded the effect of stock-based compensation expenses in calculating our non-GAAP operating expenses and net income measures. Although stock-based compensation is a key incentive offered to our employees, we continue to evaluate our business performance excluding stock-based compensation expenses. We record non-cash compensation expense related to grants of options, performance and restricted stock. Depending upon the size, timing and the terms of the grants, the non-cash compensation expense may vary significantly but will recur in future periods. We believe that excluding this item allows users of our financial statements to better review and assess both current, and historical results of operations. We also believe that excluding non-cash expenses for stock-based compensation better allows for comparisons to our peer companies.

Depreciation. We have excluded depreciation expense in calculating our non-GAAP operating expenses and net income measures. Depreciation is a non-cash charge to current operations. We continue to evaluate our business performance excluding non-cash charges and believe that excluding this item allows users of our financial statements to better review and assess both current, and historical results of operations.

Non-recurring lease termination income. We incurred a one-time benefit with respect to a certain lease termination transaction. We exclude this benefit as it is related to a unique, one-time event and has no direct impact or correlation to the operation of our on-going business. Additionally, we believe that its inclusion is potentially misleading to users of our financial statements given the lease termination income's unique, non-recurring nature.

Non-recurring income tax adjustments relating primarily to the release of a significant portion of the Company's valuation allowance against certain U.S. deferred tax assets, partially offset by the impact of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017. We exclude this adjustment as it is related to a unique, non-recurring event and has no direct impact or correlation to the operation of our on-going business. Additionally, we believe that its inclusion is potentially misleading to users of our financial statements given its unique, non-recurring nature.

From time to time in the future, there may be other items that we may exclude if we believe that doing so is consistent with the goal of providing useful information to investors and management.

Safe Harbor Statement

Certain statements in this press release, other than purely historical information, are "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, Section 27A of the Securities Act, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"). These statements include, but are not limited to, Cutera's plans, objectives, strategies, financial performance and outlook, product launches and performance, trends, prospects or future events and involve known and unknown risks that are difficult to predict. As a result, our actual financial results, performance, achievements or prospects may differ materially from those expressed or implied by these forward-looking statements. In some cases, you can identify forward-looking statements by the use of words such as "may," "could," "seek," "guidance," "predict," "potential," "likely," "believe," "will," "should," "expect," "anticipate," "estimate," "plan," "intend," "forecast," "foresee" or variations of these terms and similar expressions, or the negative of these terms or similar expressions. Forward-looking statements are based on management's current, preliminary expectations and are subject to risks and uncertainties, which may cause Cutera's actual results to differ materially from the statements contained herein. These statements are not guarantees of future performance, and stockholders should not place undue reliance on forward-looking statements. There are a number of risks, uncertainties and other important factors, many of which are beyond our control, that could cause our actual results to differ materially from the forward-looking statements contained in this press release, including those described in the "Risk Factors" section of Annual Reports on Form 10-K, Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, Current Reports on Form 8-K, the Registration Statement on Form S-8 and other documents filed from time to time with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission by Cutera.

All information in this press release is as of the date of its release. Accordingly, undue reliance should not be placed on forward-looking statements. Cutera undertakes no obligation to update publicly any forward-looking statements to reflect new information, events or circumstances after the date they were made, or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events. If we update one or more forward-looking statements, no inference should be drawn that we will make additional updates with respect to those or other forward-looking statements. Cutera's financial performance for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2017, as discussed in this release, is preliminary and unaudited, and subject to adjustment.

CUTERA, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (in thousands) (unaudited)

		December 31, 2017	5	September 30, 2017	De	ecember 31, 2016
Assets						_
Current assets:						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	14,184	\$	14,784	\$	13,775
Marketable investments		21,728		35,692		40,299
Cash, cash equivalents and investments	_	35,912		50,476		54,074
Accounts receivable, net		20,777		19,604		16,547
Inventories		28,782		23,728		14,977
Other current assets and prepaid expenses	_	2,903		2,894		2,251
Total current assets	_	88,374		96,702		87,849
Property and equipment, net		2,096		1,842		1,907
Deferred tax asset		19,055		384		377
Intangibles, net		_		_		2
Goodwill		1,339		1,339		1,339
Other long-term assets		374		381		380
Total assets	\$	111,238	\$	100,648	\$	91,854
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity						
Current liabilities:						
Accounts payable	\$	7,002	\$	5,805	\$	2,598
Accrued liabilities		26,848		22,203		17,397
Deferred revenue		9,461		8,801		8,394
Total current liabilities	_	43,311		36,809		28,389
Deferred revenue, net of current portion		2,195		1,950		1,705
Income tax liability		379		171		168
Other long-term liabilities		460		505		582
Total liabilities		46,345		39,435		30,844
Stockholders' equity		64,893		61,213		61,010
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	111,238	\$	100,648	\$	91,854
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CUTERA, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (in thousands, except per share data) (unaudited)

		Three Mon	ths	Ended	Twelve Months Ended				
	Dece	ember 31,	D	ecember 31,	Dec	cember 31,	Dec	ember 31,	
		2017		2016		2017		2016	
Net revenue	\$	47,632	\$	37,875	\$	151,493	\$	118,056	
Cost of revenue		20,299		15,962		65,383		49,921	
Gross profit		27,333		21,913		86,110		68,135	
Gross margin %		57%		58%		57%		58%	
Operating expenses:									
Sales and marketing		15,362		11,561		52,070		41,563	
Research and development		3,481		2,897		12,874		11,232	
General and administrative		3,947		3,010		14,090		12,943	
Lease termination						(4,000)			
Total operating expenses		22,790		17,468		75,034		65,738	
Income from operations		4,543		4,445		11,076		2,397	
Interest and other income (expense), net		138		(204)		884		323	
Income before income taxes		4,681		4,241		11,960		2,720	
Provision (benefit) for income taxes		(18,199)		28		(18,033)		143	
Net income	\$	22,880	\$	4,213	\$	29,993	\$	2,577	
Net income per share:									
Basic	\$	1.66	\$	0.31	\$	2.16	\$	0.19	
	\$	1.57	\$	0.30	\$	2.04	\$	0.19	
Diluted	Ψ	1.57	Ψ	0.30	Ψ	2.04	Ψ	0.13	
Weighted-average number of shares used in per share calculations:									
Basic and diluted		13,744		13,591		13,873		13,225	
Diluted		14,569		14,201		14,728		13,753	

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RECONCILIATION OF GAAP CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS TO NON-GAAP CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(in thousands, except per share data) (unaudited)

	Three N	Ionths 1	Ended December 3	31, 2017	7
	 GAAP	Ad	justments*	No	on-GAAP*
Net revenue	\$ 47,632	\$	_	\$	47,632
Cost of revenue	20,299		(377)(a)		19,922
Gross profit	 27,333		377		27,710
Gross margin %	57%	ò			58%
Operating expenses:					
Sales and marketing	15,362		(586)(b)		14,776
Research and development	3,481		(314)(c)		3,167
General and administrative	3,947		(476)(d)		3,471
Total operating expenses	22,790		(1,376)		21,414
Income from operations	 4,543		1,753		6,296
Interest and other income, net	138		_		138
Income before income taxes	4,681		1,753		6,434
Provision (benefit) for income taxes	(18,199)		18,491(e)		292
Net income	\$ 22,880	\$	(16,738)	\$	6,142
Net income per share:					
Basic	\$ 1.66	\$	(1.22)	\$	0.45
Diluted	\$ 1.57	\$	(1.15)	\$	0.42
Weighted-average number of shares used in per share calculations:					
Basic:	13,744		13,744		13,744
Diluted	 14,569		14,569		14,569

- * Fiscal fourth quarter 2017 Non-GAAP results exclude the effect of the below mentioned adjustments (\$000s):
- (a) Adjustment of \$377 included non-cash expenses of \$94 related to depreciation and \$283 of stock based compensation.
- (b) Adjustment of \$586 included a non-cash expenses of \$159 related to depreciation and \$427 of stock based compensation.
- (c) Adjustment of \$314 included a non-cash expenses of \$11 related to depreciation and \$303 of stock based compensation.
- $(d) \ Adjustment \ of \$476, included \ a \ non-cash \ expenses \ of \$2 \ related \ to \ depreciation \ and \$474 \ of \ stock \ based \ compensation.$
- (e) Adjustment of \$18,491 included: (i) \$18,741 for the release of a significant portion of our valuation allowance against certain U.S. deferred tax assets, partially offset by our revised measurement of U.S. deferred tax assets resulting from the 2017 US Tax Reform; offset by (ii) \$248 for establishing a foreign transfer pricing contingency reserve; and (iii) \$2 for adjusting the tax effect of the \$4 million lease termination fee received in Q3'2017.

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RECONCILIATION OF GAAP CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS TO NON-GAAP CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(in thousands, except per share data) (unaudited)

Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2017 **GAAP** Adjustments* Non-GAAP* \$ Net revenue 151,493 151,493 (989)(a) 65,383 64,394 Cost of revenue 86,110 989 87,099 Gross profit Gross margin % 57% 57% Operating expenses: Sales and marketing 52,070 (2,300)(b)49,770 Research and development 12,874 (961)(c)11,913 General and administrative 14,090 (1,876)(d) 12,214 4,000(e)Lease termination (4,000)(1,137)73,897 75,034 Total operating expenses Income from operations 11,076 2,126 13,202 884 Interest and other income, net 884 11,960 2,126 14,086 Income before income taxes 378 (18,033)18,411(f) Provision (benefit) for income taxes 13,708 29,993 (16,285)Net income Net income per share: 0.99 Basic 2.16 (1.17)2.04 (1.11)0.93 Diluted Weighted-average number of shares used in per share calculations: 13,873 13,873 13,873 Basic: 14,728 14,728 14,728 Diluted

- * Fiscal year 2017 Non-GAAP results exclude the effect of the below mentioned adjustments (\$000s)
- (a) Adjustment of \$989 included non-cash expenses of \$329 related to depreciation and amortization, and \$660 of stock based compensation.
- (b) Adjustment of \$2,300 included a non-cash expenses of \$658 related to depreciation and \$1,642 of stock based compensation.
- (c) Adjustment of \$961 included a non-cash expenses of \$25 related to depreciation and \$936 of stock based compensation.
- (d) Adjustment of \$1,876 included non-cash expenses of \$4 for depreciation and \$1,872 for stock based compensation.
- (e) Adjustment of \$4,000 represents non-recurring lease termination income
- (f) Adjustment of \$18,411 relates to: (i) \$18,741 for the release of a significant portion of our valuation allowance against certain U.S. deferred tax assets, partially offset by our revised measurement of U.S. deferred tax assets resulting from the 2017 US Tax Reform; offset by (ii) \$248 for establishing a foreign transfer pricing contingency reserve; and (iii) \$82 for the tax effect of the \$4 million lease termination fee received in Q3'2017.

CUTERA, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (in thousands) (unaudited)

	,	Three Mon	ths En	ded		Twelve Mo	nths Ended	
		mber 31, 2017		mber 31, 2016	December 31, 2017		Dec	ember 31, 2016
Cash flows from operating activities:								
Net income	\$	22,880	\$	4,213	\$	29,993	\$	2,577
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:								
Stock-based compensation		1,487		1,061		5,110		3,713
Depreciation and amortization		266		249		1,016		982
Change in deferred tax assets		(18,678)		22		(18,678)		22
Other		15		38		(52)		(7)
Changes in assets and liabilities:								
Accounts receivable		(1,181)		(4,838)		(4,229)		(4,899)
Inventories		(5,054)		1,501		(13,805)		(2,899)
Accounts payable		1,197		(685)		4,404		639
Accrued liabilities		4,588		2,575		9,345		3,461
Deferred revenue		905		361		1,557		(826)
Other		257		244		(374)		(771)
Net cash provided by operating activities		6,682		4,741		14,287		1,992
Cash flows from investing activities:								
Acquisition of property, equipment and software		(412)		(226)		(855)		(537)
Disposal of property and equipment		-		3		53		20
Net change in marketable investments		13,886		(5,219)		18,496		(2,875)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities		13,474		(5,442)		17,694		(3,392)
Cash flows from financing activities:								
Repurchases of common stock		(21,391)		_		(35,167)		(4,873)
Proceeds from exercise of stock options and employee stock purchase plan		869		3,313		5,435		10,111
Taxes paid related to net share settlement of equity awards		(137)		(17)		(1,469)		(618)
Payments on capital lease obligations		(97)		(95)		(371)		(313)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		(20,756)		3,201		(31,572)		4,307
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		(600)		2,500		409		2,907
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		14,784		11,275		13,775		10,868
	\$	14,784	\$	13,775	\$	14,184	\$	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	Ф	14,104	D	13,//5	D	14,104	D	13,775

CUTERA, INC. CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (in thousands, except percentage data) (unaudited)

	Three Months Ended		Ended	% Change	 Twelve Mo	% Change	
	Q4 2017		Q4 2016	Q4 '17 Vs Q4 '16	Q4 2017	Q4 2016	YTD Q4 '17 Vs YTD Q4 '16
Revenue By Geography:							
United States	\$ 30,524	\$	23,297	+31%	\$ 94,581	\$ 65,513	+44%
Rest of World	17,108		14,578	+17%	56,912	52,543	+8%
	\$ 47,632	\$	37,875	+26%	\$ 151,493	\$ 118,056	+28%
Rest of World as a percentage of total							
revenue	36%		38%		38%	45%	
Revenue By Product Category:							
Systems							
- North America	\$ 29,383	\$	21,787	+35%	\$ 88,338	\$ 58,595	+51%
- International	 11,531		9,678	+19%	37,544	 34,126	+10%
Total Systems	40,914		31,465	+30%	125,882	92,721	+36%
Service	4,660		4,750	-2%	18,833	19,028	-1%
Hand Piece Refills	692		612	+13%	2,436	2,498	-2%
Skincare	1,366		1,048	+30%	4,342	3,809	+14%
	\$ 47,632	\$	37,875	+26%	\$ 151,493	\$ 118,056	+28%

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Pre-tax Stock-Based Compensation									
Expense:									
Cost of revenue	\$	283	\$	87	\$	660	\$	341	
Sales and marketing		427		335		1,642		1,179	
Research and development		303		180		936		596	
General and administrative		474		459		1,872		1,597	
	\$	1,487	\$	1,061	\$	5,110	\$	3,713	