

ALLIED MOTION TECHNOLOGIES INC
Form SC 13D
March 01, 2013

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
(Amendment No. ____)*

Allied Motion Technology, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, no par value

(Title of Class of Securities)

419011101(CUSIP Number)

Alexis P. Michas
Juniper Investment Company, LLC
600 Madison Avenue, 16th Floor
New York, New York 10022
(212) 339-8500

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized
to Receive Notices and Communications)

February 19, 2013

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because § 240.13d-1(e), 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g) check the following box o.

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* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act

but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS
 I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)

1 Juniper Public Fund, L.P.

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (See Instructions)

2 (a)
 (b)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS (See Instructions)

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5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED
 PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Delaware

SOLE VOTING POWER

7 552,782

SHARED VOTING POWER

8 NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

0

SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

9 WITH 552,782

SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

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AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

11 552,782

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (See Instructions)

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
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Item 1. Security and Issuer.

This statement on Schedule 13D (this “Schedule 13D”) relates to the common stock, no par value (the “Shares”), of Allied Motion Technologies, Inc., a Colorado corporation (the “Issuer”). The Issuer’s principal executive offices are located at 23 Inverness Way East, Suite 150 Englewood, Colorado 80112.

Item 2. Identity and Background.

(a) This Schedule 13D is being filed by:

(i) Juniper Public Fund, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership (“Juniper Public Fund”);

(ii) Juniper HF Investors II, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and the general partner of Juniper Public Fund (“Juniper HF Investors”);

(iii) Juniper Investment Company, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and the investment advisor to Juniper Public Fund (“Juniper Investment Company”);

(iv) Alexis P. Michas, as a managing member of each of Juniper HF Investors and Juniper Investment Company; and

(v) John A. Bartholdson, as a managing member of each of Juniper HF Investors and Juniper Investment Company.

Each of the foregoing is referred to herein as a “Reporting Person” and together as the “Reporting Persons.”

(b) The address of the principal office of each of the Reporting Persons is 600 Madison Avenue, 16th Floor, New York, New York 10022.

(c) The principal business of Juniper Public Fund is to invest in the capital stock of various companies. The principal business of Juniper HF Investors is to serve as the general partner of Juniper Public Fund. Juniper Investment Company provides investment advisory and management services and acts as the investment manager of Juniper Public Fund. Messrs. Michas and Bartholdson serve as the managing members of each of Juniper HF Investors and Juniper Investment Company.

(d) During the past five years, none of the Reporting Persons has been convicted in a criminal proceeding (excluding traffic violations or similar misdemeanors).

(e) During the last five years, none of the Reporting Persons has been a party to a civil proceeding of a judicial or administrative body of competent jurisdiction and as a result of such proceeding was or is subject to a judgment, decree or final order enjoining future violations of, or prohibiting or mandating activities subject to, federal or state securities laws or finding any violation with respect to such laws.

(f) Each of Messrs. Michas and Bartholdson are United States citizens.

Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration.

The Shares held by Juniper Public Fund that are the subject of this Schedule 13D were purchased with funds obtained through capital contributions from investors in Juniper Public Fund. Such Shares were purchased in open market purchases for an aggregate purchase price of approximately \$3,616,000, excluding brokerage commissions.