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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D. C. 20549

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**FORM 10-Q**

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**QUARTERLY REPORT UNDER SECTION 13 OR 15(d)**  
**OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the Quarter Ended May 31, 2007

Commission File No. 000-06936

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**WD-40 COMPANY**

(Exact Name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

**95-1797918**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification Number)

**1061 Cudahy Place, San Diego, California**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**92110**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(619) 275-1400**

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days: Yes  No

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, or a non-accelerated filer (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act):

Large accelerated filer  Accelerated filer  Non-accelerated filer

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act): Yes  No

As of June 29, 2007, 17,242,436 shares of the Registrant's Common Stock were outstanding.

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**Part I Financial Information****ITEM 1. Financial Statements****WD-40 Company****Consolidated Condensed Balance Sheets****(unaudited)**

	May 31, 2007	August 31, 2006
<b><u>Assets</u></b>		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 65,982,000	\$ 45,206,000
Trade accounts receivable, less allowance for doubtful accounts of \$715,000 and \$762,000	45,474,000	44,491,000
Product held at contract packagers	2,059,000	1,385,000
Inventories	15,061,000	15,269,000
Current deferred tax assets, net	4,218,000	4,331,000
Other current assets	3,079,000	4,858,000
<b>Total current assets</b>	<b>135,873,000</b>	<b>115,540,000</b>
Property, plant and equipment, net	8,551,000	8,940,000
Goodwill	96,316,000	96,118,000
Other intangibles, net	42,565,000	42,722,000
Investment in related party	971,000	972,000
Other assets	3,912,000	4,183,000
	<b>\$ 288,188,000</b>	<b>\$ 268,475,000</b>
<b><u>Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity</u></b>		
Current liabilities:		
Current portion of long-term debt	\$ 10,714,000	\$ 10,714,000
Accounts payable	17,974,000	11,287,000
Accounts payable to related party	1,183,000	463,000
Accrued liabilities	14,539,000	11,678,000
Accrued payroll and related expenses	5,505,000	7,485,000
Income taxes payable	1,515,000	2,040,000
<b>Total current liabilities</b>	<b>51,430,000</b>	<b>43,667,000</b>
Long-term debt	42,857,000	53,571,000
Deferred employee benefits and other long-term liabilities	2,057,000	1,895,000
Long-term deferred tax liabilities, net	15,304,000	13,611,000
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>111,648,000</b>	<b>112,744,000</b>
Shareholders' equity:		
Common stock, \$.001 par value, 36,000,000 shares authorized 17,775,634 and 17,510,668 shares issued	18,000	17,000
Paid-in capital	71,418,000	62,322,000
Retained earnings	113,313,000	103,335,000
Accumulated other comprehensive income	6,817,000	5,083,000
Common stock held in treasury, at cost (534,698 shares)	(15,026,000)	(15,026,000)

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Total shareholders' equity	176,540,000	155,731,000
	\$ 288,188,000	\$ 268,475,000

(See accompanying notes to unaudited consolidated condensed financial statements.)

## WD-40 Company

**Consolidated Condensed Statements of Operations****(unaudited)**

	Three Months Ended May 31,		Nine Months Ended May 31,	
	2007	2006	2007	2006
Net sales	\$ 77,581,000	\$ 73,052,000	\$ 228,868,000	\$ 211,747,000
Cost of products sold (including cost of products acquired from related party of \$4,481,000 and \$10,775,000 for the three months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively; and \$14,276,000 and \$31,221,000 for the nine months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively)	40,714,000	37,633,000	118,490,000	109,738,000
Gross profit	36,867,000	35,419,000	110,378,000	102,009,000
Operating expenses:				
Selling, general and administrative	20,215,000	18,356,000	59,006,000	51,980,000
Advertising and sales promotion	5,173,000	5,923,000	15,876,000	14,097,000
Amortization of intangible asset	147,000	132,000	434,000	394,000
Income from operations	11,332,000	11,008,000	35,062,000	35,538,000
Other (expense) income:				
Interest expense, net of interest income of \$568,000 and \$249,000 for the three months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively; and \$1,405,000 and \$923,000 for the nine months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively	(401,000)	(953,000)	(1,695,000)	(2,811,000)
Other income, net	333,000	181,000	148,000	404,000
Income before income taxes	11,264,000	10,236,000	33,515,000	33,131,000
Provision for income taxes	3,620,000	3,190,000	11,238,000	11,341,000
Net income	\$ 7,644,000	\$ 7,046,000	\$ 22,277,000	\$ 21,790,000
Earnings per common share:				
Basic	\$ 0.45	\$ 0.42	\$ 1.31	\$ 1.30
Diluted	\$ 0.44	\$ 0.42	\$ 1.29	\$ 1.29
Weighted average common shares outstanding, basic	17,144,254	16,829,760	17,070,228	16,745,433
Weighted average common shares outstanding, diluted	17,328,473	16,969,770	17,267,763	16,857,735
Dividends declared per share	\$ 0.25	\$ 0.22	\$ 0.72	\$ 0.66

(See accompanying notes to unaudited consolidated condensed financial statements.)

## WD-40 Company

Consolidated Condensed Statements of Cash Flows(unaudited)

	Nine Months Ended May 31,	
	2007	2006
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net income	\$ 22,277,000	\$ 21,790,000
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	2,742,000	2,571,000
Gains on sales and disposals of property and equipment	(17,000)	(24,000)
Deferred income tax expense	1,622,000	(437,000)
Excess tax benefits from exercise of stock options	(436,000)	(321,000)
Distributions received and equity (earnings) losses from related party, net	1,000	219,000
Stock-based compensation	1,502,000	1,396,000
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
Trade accounts receivable	21,000	5,283,000
Product held at contract packagers	(674,000)	326,000
Inventories	449,000	(7,029,000)
Other assets	1,769,000	3,623,000
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	7,222,000	(2,288,000)
Accounts payable to related party	720,000	(1,231,000)
Income taxes payable	83,000	2,141,000
Deferred employee benefits and other long-term liabilities	82,000	78,000
Net cash provided by operating activities	37,363,000	26,097,000
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Purchases of short-term investments	(171,625,000)	(20,300,000)
Sales of short-term investments	171,625,000	
Proceeds from collections on note receivable	25,000	50,000
Capital expenditures	(1,628,000)	(2,446,000)
Proceeds from sales of property and equipment	233,000	210,000
Net cash used in investing activities	(1,370,000)	(22,486,000)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Repayments of long-term debt	(10,714,000)	(10,714,000)
Proceeds from issuance of common stock	7,086,000	4,755,000
Excess tax benefits from exercise of stock options	436,000	321,000
Dividends paid	(12,299,000)	(11,043,000)
Net cash used in financing activities	(15,491,000)	(16,681,000)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	274,000	328,000
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	20,776,000	(12,742,000)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	45,206,000	37,120,000
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 65,982,000	\$ 24,378,000

(See accompanying notes to unaudited consolidated condensed financial statements.)



## WD-40 Company

Consolidated Condensed Statements of Comprehensive Income(unaudited)

	Three Months Ended May 31,		Nine Months Ended May 31,	
	2007	2006	2007	2006
Net income	\$ 7,644,000	\$ 7,046,000	\$ 22,277,000	\$ 21,790,000
Other comprehensive income:				
Equity adjustment from foreign currency translation, net of tax provision of \$143,000 and \$464,000 for the three months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively; and \$28,000 and \$300,000 for the nine months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively	529,000	1,935,000	1,734,000	1,458,000
Total comprehensive income	\$ 8,173,000	\$ 8,981,000	\$ 24,011,000	\$ 23,248,000

(See accompanying notes to unaudited consolidated condensed financial statements.)



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**WD-40 COMPANY**

**NOTES TO UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**May 31, 2007**

**(unaudited)**

**NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

**The Company**

WD-40 Company (the Company), based in San Diego, California, markets two lubricant brands known as WD-40<sup>®</sup> and 3-IN-ONE Oil<sup>®</sup>, two heavy-duty hand cleaner brands known as Lava<sup>®</sup> and Solvol<sup>®</sup>, and six household product brands known as X-14<sup>®</sup> hard surface cleaners and automatic toilet bowl cleaners, 2000 Flushes<sup>®</sup> automatic toilet bowl cleaner, Carpet Fresh<sup>®</sup> and No Vac<sup>®</sup> rug and room deodorizers, Spot Shot<sup>®</sup> aerosol and liquid carpet stain removers and 1001<sup>®</sup> carpet and household cleaners and rug and room deodorizers.

The Company's brands are sold in various locations around the world. Lubricant brands are sold worldwide in markets such as North, Central and South America, Asia, Australia and the Pacific Rim, Europe, the Middle East and Africa. Household product brands are currently sold primarily in North America, the U.K., Australia and the Pacific Rim. Heavy-duty hand cleaner brands are sold primarily in the U.S. and Australia.

**Principles of Consolidation**

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its wholly-owned subsidiaries. All intercompany transactions and balances have been eliminated.

**Financial Statement Presentation**

The financial statements included herein have been prepared by the Company, without audit, according to the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission. Certain information and footnote disclosures normally included in financial statements prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America have been condensed or omitted pursuant to such rules and regulations. The August 31, 2006 year-end condensed balance sheet data was derived from audited financial statements, but does not include all disclosures required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

In the opinion of management, the unaudited financial information for the interim periods reflects all adjustments necessary for a fair presentation thereof. These financial statements should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and notes thereto included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended August 31, 2006.

**Use of Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

**Short-term Investments**

Periodically, the Company invests in short-term investments. These short-term investments consist of investment grade auction rate securities classified as available-for-sale and reported at fair value with maturities that could range from 13 months to 30 years. The interest rates are reset through an auction bidding process at predetermined periods ranging from 7 to 35 days. Due to the frequent nature of the reset feature, the realized or unrealized gains or losses associated with these securities are not significant; therefore, auction rate securities are stated at cost, which approximates fair value. Purchase and sale activity of short-term investments is presented as cash flows from investing activities in the consolidated statements of cash flows. For the first nine months of fiscal year 2007, the Company has purchased and sold \$171.6 million of short-term investments. As of May 31, 2007 and August 31, 2006, the Company did not carry any short-term investments.



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**Sales Concentration**

Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. is a significant U.S. mass retail customer and offers a variety of the Company's products. Sales to U.S. Wal-Mart stores accounted for approximately 8 percent and 9 percent of the Company's consolidated net sales during the three months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively, and 9 percent and 8 percent of the Company's consolidated net sales during the nine months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively. Excluding sales to U.S. Wal-Mart stores, sales to affiliates of Wal-Mart worldwide accounted for approximately 3 percent and 5 percent during the three-month periods ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively, and 4 percent during each of the nine-month periods ended May 31, 2007 and 2006.

**Earnings per Common Share**

Basic earnings per common share is calculated by dividing net income for the period by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the period. Diluted earnings per common share is calculated by dividing net income for the period by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the period increased by the weighted average number of potentially dilutive common shares (dilutive securities) that were outstanding during the period. Dilutive securities are comprised of options granted under the Company's stock option plan. The schedule below summarizes the weighted average number of common shares outstanding included in the calculation of basic and diluted earnings per common share for the periods ended May 31, 2007 and 2006.

	Three Months Ended May 31,		Nine Months Ended May 31,	
	2007	2006	2007	2006
Weighted average common shares outstanding:				
Weighted average common shares outstanding, basic	17,144,254	16,829,760	17,070,228	16,745,433
Weighted average dilutive securities	184,219	140,010	197,535	112,302
Weighted average common shares outstanding, diluted	17,328,473	16,969,770	17,267,763	16,857,735

Weighted average options outstanding totaling 280,500 and 111,246 for the three months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively, and 231,960 and 473,342 for the nine months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively, were excluded from the calculation of diluted EPS, as the options have an exercise price greater than or equal to the average market value of the Company's common stock during the respective periods. Additionally, weighted average options outstanding totaling 212,196 and 264,780 for the three and nine months ended May 31, 2006, respectively, were also excluded from the calculation of diluted EPS under the treasury stock method as they were anti-dilutive. These options were anti-dilutive as a result of the assumed proceeds from (i) amounts option holders must pay for exercising stock options, (ii) the amount of compensation costs for future service that the Company has not yet recognized as expense, and (iii) the amount of tax benefits that would be recorded in additional paid-in capital upon exercise of the options. For each of the three- and nine-month periods ended May 31, 2007, there were no additional anti-dilutive weighted average options outstanding excluded from the calculation of diluted EPS under the treasury stock method.

**Recent Accounting Pronouncements**

In February 2007, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued SFAS No. 159, The Fair Value Option for Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities Including an amendment of FASB Statement No. 115. This Statement permits entities to choose to measure many financial instruments and certain other items at fair value. The objective is to improve financial reporting by providing entities with the opportunity to mitigate volatility in reported earnings caused by measuring related assets and liabilities differently without having to apply complex hedge accounting provisions. This Statement is expected to expand the use of fair value measurement, which is consistent with the Board's long-term measurement objectives for accounting for financial instruments. This

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Statement is effective as of the beginning of an entity's first fiscal year that begins after November 15, 2007. Early adoption is permitted as of the beginning of a fiscal year that begins on or before November 15, 2007, provided the entity also elects to apply the provisions of SFAS No. 157, Fair Value Measurements. Management is currently evaluating the impact that the implementation of SFAS No. 159 may have on the Company's consolidated results of operations and financial position.

In September 2006, the FASB issued SFAS No. 157, Fair Value Measurements. SFAS No. 157 defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value and expands disclosures about fair value measurements. This statement is effective for financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2007, and interim periods within those fiscal years. Management is currently evaluating SFAS No. 157 to determine the impact, if any, on the Company's financial statements.

In June 2006, the FASB issued Interpretation No. 48 (FIN 48), Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes—an interpretation of FASB Statement No. 109. FIN 48 clarifies the recognition threshold and measurement attribute for the financial statement recognition and measurement of a tax position taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. FIN 48 also provides guidance on derecognition, classification, interest and penalties, accounting in interim periods, disclosure and transition. FIN 48 is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2006. The Company will adopt this interpretation as required beginning September 1, 2007. Management is currently assessing the effect that FIN 48 will have on the Company's results of operations and financial condition.

**NOTE 2 - GOODWILL AND OTHER INTANGIBLES**

Goodwill and other intangibles principally relate to the excess of the purchase price over the fair value of tangible assets acquired. Goodwill and intangible assets that have indefinite useful lives are tested at least annually for impairment during the Company's second fiscal quarter and otherwise as may be required. During the second quarter of fiscal year 2007, the Company tested its goodwill and indefinite-lived intangible assets for impairment. Based on this test, the Company determined that there were no instances of impairment.

The Company tests for goodwill impairment based on the SFAS No. 142 goodwill impairment model, which is a two-step process. First, the impairment model requires comparison of the book value of net assets to the fair value of the related reporting units that have goodwill assigned to them. If the fair value is determined to be less than book value, a second step is performed to compute the amount of impairment. In the second step, the implied fair value of goodwill is estimated as the fair value of the reporting unit used in the first step less the fair values of all other net tangible and intangible assets of the reporting unit. If the carrying amount of goodwill exceeds its implied fair market value, an impairment loss is recognized in an amount equal to that excess, not to exceed the carrying amount of the goodwill. The Company tests for impairment of intangible assets with indefinite useful lives in accordance with SFAS No. 142 based on discounted future cash flows compared to the related book values. The Company's impairment test is based on a discounted cash flow approach that requires significant management judgment and estimates with respect to forecasted revenue, advertising and promotional expenses, cost of products sold, gross margins, operating margins, the success of product innovations and introductions, customer retention and the selection of appropriate discount and royalty rates.

In addition to the annual impairment tests, goodwill and intangible assets with indefinite lives are evaluated each reporting period. Goodwill is evaluated each reporting period to determine whether events and circumstances would more likely than not reduce the fair value of a reporting unit below its carrying value. Intangible assets with indefinite lives are evaluated each reporting period to determine whether events and circumstances continue to support an indefinite useful life and to determine whether any indicators of impairment exist. Indicators such as underperformance relative to historical or projected future operating results, changes in the Company's strategy for its overall business or use of acquired assets, decline in the Company's stock price for a sustained period, unexpected adverse industry or economic trends, unanticipated technological change or competitive activities, loss of key distribution, change in consumer demand, loss of key personnel and acts by governments and courts may signal that an asset has become impaired.

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Intangible assets with definite lives are amortized over their useful lives and are also evaluated each reporting period to determine whether events and circumstances continue to support their remaining useful lives.

**Acquisition-related Goodwill**

Changes in the carrying amounts of goodwill by segment for the nine months ended May 31, 2007 are summarized below:

	Acquisition-related Goodwill			
	Americas	Europe	Asia-Pacific	Total
<b>Balance as of August 31, 2006</b>	\$ 85,667,000	\$ 9,239,000	\$ 1,212,000	\$ 96,118,000
Translation adjustments	28,000	169,000	1,000	198,000
<b>Balance as of May 31, 2007</b>	\$ 85,695,000	\$ 9,408,000	\$ 1,213,000	\$ 96,316,000

**Indefinite-lived Intangible Assets**

Intangible assets, excluding goodwill, which are not amortized as they have been determined to have indefinite lives, consist of the trade names Carpet Fresh, X-14, 2000 Flushes, Spot Shot and 1001.

Changes in the carrying amounts of indefinite-lived intangibles by segment for the nine months ended May 31, 2007 are summarized below:

	Indefinite-lived Intangibles			
	Americas	Europe	Asia-Pacific	Total
<b>Balance as of August 31, 2006</b>	\$ 35,700,000	\$ 3,862,000	\$	\$ 39,562,000
Translation adjustments		156,000		156,000
<b>Balance as of May 31, 2007</b>	\$ 35,700,000	\$ 4,018,000	\$	\$ 39,718,000

**Definite-lived Intangible Asset**

The Company's definite-lived intangible asset consists of the non-contractual customer relationships acquired in the 1001 acquisition. This definite-lived intangible asset is included in the Europe segment and is being amortized on a straight-line basis over its estimated eight-year life. The following table summarizes the non-contractual customer relationships intangible asset and the related amortization:

	As of May 31, 2007	As of August 31, 2006
Gross carrying amount	\$ 4,712,000	\$ 4,528,000
Accumulated amortization	(1,865,000)	(1,368,000)
<b>Net carrying amount</b>	<b>\$ 2,847,000</b>	<b>\$ 3,160,000</b>

Three Months Ended May 31, 2007	2006	Nine Months Ended May 31, 2007	2006
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Amortization expense	\$ 147,000	\$ 132,000	\$ 434,000	\$ 394,000
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The estimated amortization expense for the non-contractual customer relationships intangible asset is based on current foreign currency exchange rates, and amounts in future periods may differ from those presented due to fluctuations in those rates. The estimated amortization for the non-contractual customer relationships intangible asset in future fiscal years is as follows:

Remainder of fiscal year 2007	\$ 147,000
Fiscal year 2008	589,000
Fiscal year 2009	589,000
Fiscal year 2010	589,000
Fiscal year 2011	589,000
Thereafter	344,000
	<b>\$ 2,847,000</b>

Changes in the carrying amounts of definite-lived intangibles by segment for the nine months ended May 31, 2007 are summarized below:

	Definite-lived Intangibles			Total
	Americas	Europe	Asia-Pacific	
<b>Balance as of August 31, 2006</b>	\$	\$ 3,160,000	\$	\$ 3,160,000
Amortization		(434,000)		(434,000)
Translation adjustments		121,000		121,000
<b>Balance as of May 31, 2007</b>	\$	\$ 2,847,000	\$	\$ 2,847,000

## NOTE 3 - SELECTED FINANCIAL STATEMENT INFORMATION

	As of	As of
	May 31, 2007	August 31, 2006
<b>Inventories</b>		
Raw materials and components	\$ 1,632,000	\$ 1,110,000
Work-in-process	1,686,000	2,196,000
Finished goods	11,743,000	11,963,000
	<b>\$ 15,061,000</b>	<b>\$ 15,269,000</b>
<b>Other Current Assets</b>		
Prepaid expenses and other	\$ 3,049,000	\$ 4,229,000
Federal income taxes receivable	30,000	629,000
	<b>\$ 3,079,000</b>	<b>\$ 4,858,000</b>
<b>Property, Plant and Equipment, net</b>		
Land	\$ 593,000	\$ 583,000

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Buildings and improvements	4,363,000	4,196,000
Furniture and fixtures	1,167,000	1,090,000
Computer and office equipment	3,989,000	3,513,000
Software	3,508,000	3,207,000
Machinery, equipment and vehicles	7,439,000	7,135,000
	21,059,000	19,724,000
Less: accumulated depreciation	(12,508,000)	(10,784,000)
	\$ 8,551,000	\$ 8,940,000
<b>Accrued Liabilities</b>		
Accrued advertising and sales promotion expenses	\$ 7,555,000	\$ 6,854,000
Other	6,984,000	4,824,000
	\$ 14,539,000	\$ 11,678,000



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	As of May 31, 2007	As of August 31, 2006
<b>Accrued Payroll and Related Expenses</b>		
Accrued bonus	\$ 1,979,000	\$ 3,928,000
Accrued profit sharing	942,000	1,404,000
Accrued payroll	1,599,000	1,141,000
Accrued payroll taxes	791,000	779,000
Other	194,000	233,000
	<b>\$ 5,505,000</b>	<b>\$ 7,485,000</b>

**NOTE 4 - RELATED PARTIES**

VML Company L.L.C. (VML), a Delaware Limited Liability Company, was formed in April 2001, at which time the Company acquired a 30% membership interest. Since formation, VML has served as the Company's contract manufacturer for certain household products and acts as a warehouse distributor for other product lines of the Company. Although VML has begun to expand its business to other customers, the Company continues to be its largest customer. VML makes profit distributions to the Company and the 70% owner on a discretionary basis in proportion to each party's respective interest.

The Company has a put option to sell its interest in VML to the 70% owner, and the 70% owner has a call option to purchase the Company's interest. The sale price in each case is established pursuant to formulas based on VML's operating results.

Under Financial Interpretation No. 46, Consolidation of Variable Interest Entities, an interpretation of Accounting Research Bulletin No. 51, VML qualifies as a variable interest entity, and it has been determined that the Company is not the primary beneficiary. The Company's investment in VML is accounted for using the equity method of accounting, and its equity in VML earnings or losses is recorded as a component of cost of products sold, as VML acts primarily as a contract manufacturer to the Company. The Company recorded equity losses related to its investment in VML of \$1,000 and \$51,000 for the three months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively. For the nine months ended May 31, 2007, the Company recorded equity earnings related to its investment in VML of \$35,000. For the nine months ended May 31, 2006, the Company recorded equity losses related to its investment in VML of \$147,000.

The Company's maximum exposure to loss as a result of its involvement with VML was \$1.0 million as of May 31, 2007. This amount represents the balance of the Company's equity investment in VML, which is presented as investment in related party on the Company's consolidated balance sheets. The Company's investment in VML as of August 31, 2006 was \$1.0 million.

Cost of products sold which were purchased from VML, net of rebates and equity earnings, was approximately \$4.5 million and \$10.8 million during the three months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively, and \$14.3 million and \$31.2 million for the nine months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively. The Company had product payables to VML of \$1.2 million and \$0.5 million at May 31, 2007 and August 31, 2006, respectively. Additionally, the Company receives rental income from VML, which is recorded as a component of other income, net. Rental income from VML was \$48,000 during each of the three months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, and \$143,000 during each of the nine months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006.

**NOTE 5 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES**

The Company is party to various claims, legal actions and complaints, including product liability litigation, arising in the ordinary course of business. With the possible exception of the legal proceedings discussed below, management is of the opinion that none of these matters is likely to have a material adverse effect on the Company's financial position, results of operations or cash flows.

On April 19, 2006, a legal action was filed against the Company in the United States District Court, Southern District of

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California (*Drimmer v. WD-40 Company*). After several of the plaintiff's factual claims were dismissed by way of motion, the plaintiff filed an amended complaint on September 20, 2006, seeking class action status and alleging that the Company misrepresented that its 2000 Flushes Bleach and 2000 Flushes Blue Plus Bleach automatic toilet bowl cleaners (ATBCs) are safe for plumbing systems and unlawfully omitted to advise consumers regarding the allegedly damaging effect the use of the ATBCs has on toilet parts made of plastic and rubber. The amended complaint seeks to remedy such allegedly wrongful conduct: (i) by requiring the Company to identify all consumers who have purchased the ATBCs and to return money as may be ordered by the court; and (ii) by the granting of other equitable relief, interest, attorneys' fees and costs. Though a new named plaintiff brought this case, it is legally and factually identical to a similar case that was dismissed by the San Diego Superior Court in April 2005, and the Company intends to vigorously defend this case in the same manner as before. If class action certification is granted in this aforementioned legal action, it is reasonably possible that the outcome could have a material adverse effect on the operating results, financial position and cash flows of the Company. There is not sufficient information to estimate the Company's exposure at this time.

The Company has been named as a defendant in an increasing number of lawsuits brought by a growing group of attorneys on behalf of individual plaintiffs who assert that exposure to products that allegedly contain benzene is a cause of certain cancers. The Company is one of many defendants in these legal proceedings whose products are alleged to contain benzene. However, the Company specifies that its suppliers provide constituent ingredients free of benzene, and the Company believes its products have always been formulated without containing benzene. Except for self-insured retention amounts applicable to each separately filed lawsuit, the Company expects that the benzene lawsuits will be adequately covered by insurance and will not have a material impact on the Company's financial condition or results of operations. The Company is vigorously defending these lawsuits in an effort to demonstrate conclusively that its products do not contain benzene, and that they have not contained benzene in prior years. The Company is unable to assess the expected cost of defense of these lawsuits in future periods. If the number of benzene lawsuits filed against the Company continues to increase, it is reasonably possible that such costs of defense may materially affect the Company's results of operations and cash flows in future periods.

As permitted under Delaware law, the Company has agreements whereby it indemnifies senior officers and directors for certain events or occurrences while the officer or director is, or was, serving at the Company's request in such capacity. The maximum potential amount of future payments the Company could be required to make under these indemnification agreements is unlimited; however, the Company maintains Director and Officer insurance coverage that mitigates the Company's exposure with respect to such obligations. As a result of the Company's insurance coverage, management believes that the estimated fair value of these indemnification agreements is minimal. No liabilities have been recorded for these agreements as of May 31, 2007.

The Company has relationships with various suppliers (contract manufacturers) who manufacture the Company's products. Although the Company does not have any definitive minimum purchase obligations included in the contract terms with the contract manufacturers, supply needs are communicated and the Company is committed to purchase the products produced based on orders and short-term projections provided to the contract manufacturers, ranging from two to five months. The Company is also obligated to purchase obsolete or slow-moving inventory. From time to time, the Company has purchased obsolete or slow-moving inventory under these commitments, the amounts of which have not had a material impact on the Company's results of operations.

Additionally, the Company periodically enters into purchase commitments with suppliers for products under development. During the current fiscal year, the Company entered into a new agreement to purchase finished goods of approximately \$0.7 million.

From time to time, the Company enters into indemnification agreements with certain contractual parties in the ordinary course of business, including agreements with lenders, lessors, contract manufacturers, marketing distributors, customers and certain vendors. All such indemnification agreements are entered into in the context of the particular agreements and are provided in an attempt to properly allocate risk of loss in connection with the consummation of the underlying contractual arrangements. Although the maximum amount of future payments that the Company could be required to make under these indemnification agreements is unlimited, management believes that the Company maintains adequate levels of insurance coverage to protect the Company with

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respect to most potential claims arising from such agreements and that such agreements do not otherwise have value separate and apart from the liabilities incurred in the ordinary course of the Company's business. No liabilities have been recorded with respect to such indemnification agreements as of May 31, 2007.

**NOTE 6 - BUSINESS SEGMENTS AND FOREIGN OPERATIONS**

The Company evaluates the performance of its segments and allocates resources to them based on sales, operating income and expected return. The Company is organized based on geographic location. Segment data does not include inter-segment revenues and incorporates costs from corporate headquarters into the Americas segment, without allocation to other segments. The Company's segments are run independently, and as a result, there are few costs that could be considered only costs from headquarters that would qualify for allocation to other segments. The most significant portions of costs from headquarters relate to the Americas segment both as a percentage of time and sales. Therefore, any allocation to other segments would be arbitrary.

The tables below present information about reportable segments and net sales by product line for the three and nine months ended May 31:

**Three Months Ended May 31:**

	Americas	Europe	Asia-Pacific	Total
<b>2007</b>				
Net sales	\$ 45,985,000	\$ 25,380,000	\$ 6,216,000	\$ 77,581,000
Income from operations	\$ 5,854,000	\$ 4,509,000	\$ 969,000	\$ 11,332,000
Depreciation and amortization expense	\$ 532,000	\$ 345,000	\$ 45,000	\$ 922,000
Interest income	\$ 401,000	\$ 158,000	\$ 9,000	\$ 568,000
Interest expense	\$ 965,000	\$	\$ 4,000	\$ 969,000
Total assets	\$ 219,317,000	\$ 61,497,000	\$ 7,374,000	\$ 288,188,000
<b>2006</b>				
Net sales	\$ 47,162,000	\$ 20,589,000	\$ 5,301,000	\$ 73,052,000
Income from operations	\$ 7,319,000	\$ 2,711,000	\$ 978,000	\$ 11,008,000
Depreciation and amortization expense	\$ 537,000	\$ 309,000	\$ 26,000	\$ 872,000
Interest income	\$ 193,000	\$ 52,000	\$ 4,000	\$ 249,000
Interest expense	\$ 1,202,000	\$	\$	\$ 1,202,000
Total assets	\$ 205,469,000	\$ 52,075,000	\$ 5,140,000	\$ 262,684,000

**Nine Months Ended May 31:**

	Americas	Europe	Asia-Pacific	Total
<b>2007</b>				
Net sales	\$ 140,071,000	\$ 71,616,000	\$ 17,181,000	\$ 228,868,000
Income from operations	\$ 19,047,000	\$ 13,707,000	\$ 2,308,000	\$ 35,062,000
Depreciation and amortization expense	\$ 1,614,000	\$ 1,018,000	\$ 110,000	\$ 2,742,000
Interest income	\$ 1,001,000	\$ 381,000	\$ 23,000	\$ 1,405,000
Interest expense	\$ 3,090,000	\$	\$ 10,000	\$ 3,100,000
Total assets	\$ 219,317,000	\$ 61,497,000	\$ 7,374,000	\$ 288,188,000
<b>2006</b>				
Net sales	\$ 138,895,000	\$ 57,983,000	\$ 14,869,000	\$ 211,747,000
Income from operations	\$ 23,016,000	\$ 9,472,000	\$ 3,050,000	\$ 35,538,000
Depreciation and amortization expense	\$ 1,581,000	\$ 920,000	\$ 70,000	\$ 2,571,000
Interest income	\$ 757,000	\$ 153,000	\$ 13,000	\$ 923,000

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Interest expense	\$ 3,734,000	\$	\$	\$ 3,734,000
Total assets	\$ 205,469,000	\$ 52,075,000	\$ 5,140,000	\$ 262,684,000

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**Product Line Information**

<b>Three Months Ended</b>	<b>Net Sales</b>	
	<b>May 31, 2007</b>	<b>May 31, 2006</b>
Lubricants	\$ 56,545,000	\$ 48,807,000
Household products	19,367,000	22,760,000
Hand cleaners	1,669,000	1,485,000
	\$ 77,581,000	\$ 73,052,000

<b>Nine Months Ended</b>	<b>Net Sales</b>	
	<b>May 31, 2007</b>	<b>May 31, 2006</b>
Lubricants	\$ 162,194,000	\$ 140,299,000
Household products	62,087,000	66,730,000
Hand cleaners	4,587,000	4,718,000
	\$ 228,868,000	\$ 211,747,000

**NOTE 7 - STOCK REPURCHASE PLAN**

On March 27, 2007, the Company's Board of Directors approved a share buy-back plan. Under the plan, which is in effect for up to twelve months, the Company is authorized to acquire up to \$35 million of the Company's outstanding shares. As a result of the share buy-back plan, the Company's debt covenants related to its fixed-rate term loan have been revised. Previously, the aggregate payments for dividends and share repurchases by the Company were limited to \$7.5 million, plus 75% of consolidated net income for each quarter beginning in fiscal year 2002. Under the revised debt covenants, the aggregate payments for dividends and share repurchases by the Company are limited to \$35 million, plus 75% of consolidated net income for each quarter beginning March 1, 2007. During the third quarter of fiscal year 2007, the Company did not purchase any shares under the share buy-back plan.

**NOTE 8 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

On June 26, 2007, the Company's Board of Directors declared a cash dividend of \$0.25 per share payable on July 31, 2007 to shareholders of record on July 17, 2007.

## Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

The following Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) is provided as a supplement to, and should be read in conjunction with, the Company's audited consolidated financial statements, the accompanying notes, and the MD&A included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2006.

In MD&A, we, our, us, and the Company refer to WD-40 Company and its wholly-owned subsidiaries, unless the context requires otherwise. Amounts and percents in tables and discussions may not total due to rounding.

### OVERVIEW

The Company markets two lubricant brands known as WD-40® and 3-IN-ONE Oil®, two heavy-duty hand cleaner brands known as Lava® and Solvol®, and six household product brands known as X-14® hard surface cleaners and automatic toilet bowl cleaners, 2000 Flushes® automatic toilet bowl cleaner, Carpet Fresh® and No Vac® rug and room deodorizers, Spot Shot® aerosol and liquid carpet stain removers and 1001® carpet and household cleaners and rug and room deodorizers. These brands are sold in various locations around the world. Lubricant brands are sold worldwide in markets such as North, Central and South America, Asia, Australia and the Pacific Rim, Europe, the Middle East and Africa. Household product brands are currently sold primarily in North America, the U.K., Australia and the Pacific Rim. Heavy-duty hand cleaner brands are sold primarily in the U.S. and Australia.

### SUMMARY STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

(dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

	Three Months Ended May 31,			Nine Months Ended May 31,		
	2007	2006	% Change	2007	2006	% Change
Net sales	\$ 77,581	\$ 73,052	6%	\$ 228,868	\$ 211,747	8%
Gross profit	\$ 36,867	\$ 35,419	4%	\$ 110,378	\$ 102,009	8%
Income from operations	\$ 11,332	\$ 11,008	3%	\$ 35,062	\$ 35,538	(1)%
Net income	\$ 7,644	\$ 7,046	8%	\$ 22,277	\$ 21,790	2%
Earnings per common share (diluted)	\$ 0.44	\$ 0.42	6%	\$ 1.29	\$ 1.29	0%

### HIGHLIGHTS

*In the third quarter, sales in Europe and Asia-Pacific increased 23% and 17%, respectively, compared to the prior fiscal year third quarter. Sales in the Americas decreased 2% compared to the prior fiscal year third quarter. For the nine months ended May 31, 2007, sales in the Americas, Europe and Asia-Pacific increased 1%, 24% and 16%, respectively, compared to the same prior fiscal year period.*

*In the third quarter, lubricant sales were up 16%, household product sales were down 15%, and hand cleaner sales were up 12%. For the nine months ended May 31, 2007, lubricant sales were up 16%, household product sales were down 7%, and hand cleaner sales were down 3%.*

*Changes in foreign currency exchange rates contributed to the increase in our sales as well as the increase in our expenses. The current fiscal year third quarter results translated at last fiscal year's third quarter exchange rates would have produced sales of \$74.7 million and net income of \$7.3 million. The impact of the change in foreign currency exchange rates period over period positively affected sales and net income for the third quarter of fiscal year 2007 by \$2.9 million and \$0.3 million, respectively. The current fiscal year-to-date results translated at last fiscal year's period exchange rates would have produced sales of \$221.7 million and net income of \$21.4 million. The impact of the change in foreign currency exchange rates period over period positively affected sales and net income for the first nine months of fiscal year 2007 by \$7.2 million and \$0.9 million, respectively.*

The categories where the Company's household products compete are very competitive by nature. For the three and nine months ended May 31, 2007, sales of the Company's household products in the U.S. were down 20% and 12%, respectively, versus the same prior fiscal year periods as a result of temporary decreases in distribution, lost distribution, category declines, promotional timing and customer purchasing patterns.

We continue to be concerned about rising costs of components and raw materials during fiscal year 2007. We began to incur increased costs during fiscal year 2004 and have continued to see further cost increases. To combat these cost increases, the Company has created a cost reduction team to focus on cost saving initiatives as well as supply chain opportunities. In addition, the Company implemented price increases on certain products during the third quarter of fiscal years 2006 and 2005.

We continue to be focused and committed to new product development under our brand names. We see innovation and renovation as an important factor to the success of our brands, and we intend to continue our commitment to work on future product, packaging and promotional innovations and renovations.

Advertising and sales promotion expenses were up 13% during the first nine months of the current fiscal year compared to the first nine months of the prior fiscal year. Advertising and sales promotion expenses were up due to increased consumer broadcast and print media advertising in the U.S., Canada and Australia to support the Company's new and existing products. The Company expects its investment in global advertising and sales promotion expenses to be in the range of 6.5% to 7.5% of net sales for fiscal year 2007.

Selling, general and administrative (SG&A) expenses were up 14% during the first nine months of fiscal year 2007 compared to the first nine months of the prior fiscal year due to increased employee-related costs, legal expenses, commissions, freight costs, bad debt expense and the impact of foreign currency exchange rate changes.

During the current fiscal year 2007, the Company has begun direct operations in China. For the nine months ended May 31, 2007, SG&A costs related to the direct operations in China totaled \$0.9 million.

## RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

### Third Quarter of Fiscal Year 2007 Compared to Third Quarter of Fiscal Year 2006

#### Net Sales

Net Sales by Segment (in thousands)	Three Months Ended May 31,			
	2007	2006	\$ Change	% Change
Americas	\$ 45,985	\$ 47,162	\$ (1,177)	(2)%
Europe	25,380	20,589	4,791	23%
Asia-Pacific	6,216	5,301	915	17%
<b>Total net sales</b>	<b>\$ 77,581</b>	<b>\$ 73,052</b>	<b>\$ 4,529</b>	<b>6%</b>

Please refer to the discussion under Segment Results included later in this section for further detailed results by segment. Changes in foreign currency exchange rates compared to the same prior fiscal year period contributed to the increase in the Company's sales. The current fiscal year third quarter results translated at last fiscal year's third quarter exchange rates would have produced sales of \$74.7 million, thus, the impact of the change in foreign currency exchange rates period over period positively affected third quarter fiscal year 2007 sales by \$2.9 million, or 4%.

Net Sales by Product Line (in thousands)	Three Months Ended May 31,			
	2007	2006	\$ Change	% Change
Lubricants	\$ 56,545	\$ 48,807	\$ 7,738	16%
Household products	19,367	22,760	(3,393)	(15)%
Hand cleaners	1,669	1,485	184	12%
<b>Total net sales</b>	<b>\$ 77,581</b>	<b>\$ 73,052</b>	<b>\$ 4,529</b>	<b>6%</b>

By product line, sales of lubricants include WD-40 and 3-IN-ONE; sales of household products include Carpet Fresh, No Vac, X-14, 2000 Flushes, Spot Shot and 1001; and hand cleaner sales include Lava and Solvol.

### Gross Profit

Gross profit was \$36.9 million, or 47.5% of sales in the third quarter of fiscal year 2007, compared to \$35.4 million, or 48.5% of sales in the third quarter of fiscal year 2006. The decrease in gross margin percentage was attributable to an increase in costs of products sold and a change in product mix. The rise in costs of products has been due to the significant increase in costs for components and raw materials, including aerosol cans and petroleum-based products. The mix of products sold in the current fiscal year period included an increased amount of higher cost promotional offerings. The increase in costs of products sold negatively affected gross margins in all of the Company's regions. As a result of the general upward trend of costs in the market, we remain concerned about the possibility of continued rising costs of components, raw materials and finished goods.

The increase in pricing of certain products worldwide, which occurred during last fiscal year's third quarter, partially offset the rise in costs of products and added approximately 1.0% to gross margin percentage in the current fiscal year third quarter compared to the prior fiscal year third quarter. Although the price increases helped to mitigate the impact of rising costs on gross margin percentage, the benefit from the price increases was offset by the continued cost increases, as well as changes in product mix. In an effort to further reduce the impact of increased costs on gross margin percentage, the Company has begun to implement several cost savings projects. These projects have been identified by a cost reduction team that is focused on gross margin improvement, which includes supply chain cost savings initiatives. Additionally, the Company believes that innovation will be a key factor in improving gross margin percentage in the long term.

The rise in costs of products was also partially offset by a decrease in advertising and promotional and other discounts, which are recorded as a reduction to sales. The decrease in advertising and promotional and other discounts positively impacted gross margin percentage by 0.8%. The decrease in discounts resulted from both timing and reductions in advertising and promotional activities, which include coupon redemptions, consideration and allowances given to retailers for space in their stores, consideration and allowances given to obtain favorable display positions in retailers' stores and co-operative advertising and promotional activity. The timing of these promotional activities, as well as shifts in product mix, may cause fluctuations in gross margin percentage from period to period.

Note that the Company's gross margins may not be comparable to those of other reporting entities, since some entities include all costs related to distribution of their products in cost of products sold, whereas we exclude the portion associated with amounts paid to third parties for distribution to our customers from our contract packagers, and include these costs in selling, general and administrative expenses.

### Selling, General and Administrative Expenses

Selling, general and administrative expenses for the third quarter of fiscal year 2007 increased to \$20.2 million, or 26.1% of sales, from \$18.4 million, or 25.1% of sales, for the same prior fiscal year period. The increase in SG&A was largely attributable to increases in employee-related costs, miscellaneous expenses and the impact of foreign currency translation. Certain employee-related costs, which include salaries, profit sharing and other fringe benefits, increased \$0.8 million versus the prior fiscal year third quarter as a result of annual compensation increases, relocation expenses and additional staffing to support global sourcing and inventory management, direct operations in China and product introductions. The increase in the above employee-related costs was partially offset by a \$0.5 million decrease in bonus expense as several regions exceeded profit and performance expectations in the prior fiscal year period, which resulted in a higher prior fiscal year bonus expense. Miscellaneous expenses increased \$0.8 million, which included increased commissions, legal expenses, freight costs, meeting expenses and travel costs. Also contributing to the increase in SG&A was \$0.7 million related to foreign currency exchange rates. The current fiscal year third quarter SG&A expenses translated at last fiscal year's third quarter exchange rates would have produced total SG&A expenses of \$19.5 million.



The Company continued its research and development investment in support of its focus on innovation and renovation. Research and development costs were \$0.9 million during each of the three months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006. The Company's new-product development team, known as Team Tomorrow, engages in consumer research, product development, current product improvement and testing activities. This team leverages its development capabilities by partnering with a network of outside resources including the Company's current and prospective outsource suppliers.

#### **Advertising and Sales Promotion Expenses**

Advertising and sales promotion expenses decreased to \$5.2 million for the third quarter of fiscal year 2007, down from \$5.9 million for the third quarter of fiscal year 2006 and, as a percentage of sales, decreased to 6.7% in the third quarter of fiscal year 2007 from 8.1% in the third quarter of fiscal year 2006. The decrease is related to the timing of investment in advertising activities in the current fiscal year third quarter compared to the prior fiscal year third quarter. In the current fiscal year third quarter, the Company had lower levels of media investment, as the Company concentrated its consumer broadcast and print media advertising to support new products during the first half of the fiscal year. In the prior fiscal year, media investment was concentrated during the second half of the fiscal year as the Company did not begin its consumer broadcast advertising until late into the second quarter. Investment in global advertising and sales promotion expenses for fiscal year 2007 is expected to be in the range of 6.5% to 7.5% of net sales.

As a percentage of sales, advertising and sales promotion expenses may fluctuate period to period based upon the type of marketing activities employed by the Company and the period in which the costs are incurred. The costs of certain promotional activities are required to be recorded as reductions to sales, while others remain in advertising and sales promotion expenses. In the third quarter of fiscal year 2007, the total promotional costs recorded as reductions to sales were \$4.8 million versus \$4.4 million in the third quarter of fiscal year 2006. Therefore, the Company's total investment in advertising and sales promotion activities totaled \$10.0 million in the current fiscal year third quarter versus \$10.3 million in the prior fiscal year third quarter.

#### **Amortization of Intangible Asset Expense**

Amortization of intangible asset expense was \$147,000 in the third quarter of fiscal year 2007, compared to \$132,000 in last fiscal year's third quarter. The amortization relates to the non-contractual customer relationships intangible asset acquired in the 1001 acquisition, which was completed in April 2004. This intangible asset is being amortized on a straight-line basis over its estimated eight-year life.

#### **Income from Operations**

Income from operations was \$11.3 million, or 14.6% of sales in the third quarter of fiscal year 2007, compared to \$11.0 million, or 15.1% of sales in the third quarter of fiscal year 2006. The change in income from operations was due to the items discussed above.

#### **Interest Expense, net**

Interest expense, net was \$0.4 million compared to \$1.0 million for the quarters ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively. The change in interest expense, net was primarily due to the reduced principal balance on long-term borrowings resulting from the annual \$10.7 million principal payment made in October 2006, as well as to increased interest income resulting from higher cash balances versus the prior fiscal year third quarter.

#### **Other Income, net**

Other income, net was \$333,000 during the third quarter of fiscal year 2007, compared to \$181,000 in the prior fiscal year third quarter, an increase of \$152,000, which was due to foreign currency exchange gains.

#### **Provision for Income Taxes**

The provision for income taxes was 32.1% of income before income taxes for the third quarter of fiscal 2007, an increase from 31.2%

in the prior fiscal year third quarter. Both the current fiscal year and prior fiscal year third quarters reflect the impact of one-time tax benefits. In the prior fiscal year third quarter, the Company recognized the year-to-date impact of tax benefits of I.R.C. Section 199 related to qualified production activities provided by the American Jobs Creation Act of 2004, as well as the year-to-date benefit of the deductibility of stock-based compensation expense related to some of the Company's stock options granted to non-U.S. taxpayers. In the current fiscal year third quarter, the Company recognized tax benefits of approximately \$0.4 million that related to the expiration of statutes of limitations.

As a result of one-time tax benefits recognized in the current fiscal year third quarter, the tax rate of 32.1% is not an indication of future effective tax rates.

### Net Income

Net income was \$7.6 million, or \$0.44 per common share on a fully diluted basis for the third quarter of fiscal year 2007, compared to \$7.0 million, or \$0.42 per common share for the third quarter of fiscal year 2006. The change in foreign currency exchange rates period over period had a positive impact of \$0.3 million on third quarter fiscal year 2007 net income. Current fiscal year third quarter results translated at last fiscal year's third quarter foreign currency exchange rates would have produced net income of \$7.3 million.

### Segment Results

Following is a discussion of sales by region for the current and prior fiscal year third quarters.

#### Americas

Net Sales (in thousands)	Three Months Ended May 31,			
	2007	2006	\$ Change	% Change
Lubricants	\$ 28,469	\$ 25,995	\$ 2,474	10%
Household products	16,135	19,982	(3,847)	(19)%
Hand cleaners	1,381	1,185	196	17%
Sub-total	\$ 45,985	\$ 47,162	\$ (1,177)	(2)%
<b>% of consolidated</b>	<b>59%</b>	<b>65%</b>		

The increase in lubricant sales in the Americas during the current fiscal year third quarter compared to last fiscal year's third quarter was primarily the result of WD-40 sales growth in the U.S., where sales increased by 14%. The WD-40 sales increase in the U.S. was the result of increased promotional activity as well as price increases implemented during the third quarter of the prior fiscal year. Sales growth of 3-IN-ONE in the U.S. and Canada of 14% and 81%, respectively, also contributed to the increase in lubricant sales in the Americas. The 3-IN-ONE sales increase in the U.S. was the result of price increases implemented during the current fiscal year third quarter. The 3-IN-ONE sales increase in Canada was the result of increased promotional activity as well as a new product introduction. These sales increases were partially offset by a decrease in WD-40 sales in Latin America and Canada of 12% and 10%, respectively. The declines in these regions were due to decreased promotional activities during the quarter.

Household product sales in the third quarter of fiscal year 2007 were down \$3.8 million, or 19%, compared to the third quarter of fiscal year 2006 due to declines in the U.S. Sales in the U.S. decreased by \$3.6 million, or 20%, due to decreased sales of Spot Shot, X-14, 2000 Flushes and Carpet Fresh. These declines were the result of several factors, including lost or decreased distribution compared to the third quarter of fiscal year 2006, declining categories and the effect of competitive factors within and among their product categories that are further described below.

Spot Shot sales decreased 20% in the U.S. during the current fiscal year third quarter as compared to the prior fiscal year third quarter due to declines in the aerosol spot and stain category, significant competitor activity and reduced promotional activity. The declines in the aerosol category are due to retailers reducing shelf space for aerosol spot and stain removers. This decrease was partially offset by expanded distribution of the Spot Shot trigger product with a key customer and increased distribution in the grocery trade channel versus the prior fiscal year third quarter. The Spot Shot trigger product competes in the non-aerosol spot and stain category, which is

larger than the aerosol spot and stain category. The Company has also committed both marketing and research and development resources to support and to create innovation for the Spot Shot brand to take advantage of key trends in the marketplace and expand its distribution base.

U.S. sales of the X-14 hard surface cleaners decreased 37% in the current fiscal year third quarter versus the prior fiscal year third quarter due primarily to lost distribution. In an effort to offset these losses and generate growth, the Company has invested significant time and resources researching and renovating the X-14 brand by repositioning the brand as the bathroom expert and repackaging the product line to better communicate and deliver product performance. This repositioning and repackaging was launched during the second quarter of fiscal year 2007 and will continue into the Company's fiscal year 2008. The Company continues to commit additional marketing and research and development resources to support and to create innovation around the bathroom expert positioning.

U.S. sales of 2000 Flushes/X-14 automatic toilet bowl cleaners were down 12% in the current fiscal year third quarter compared to the prior fiscal year third quarter due to reduced distribution with a key customer, promotional timing and competitive innovation. The reduced distribution with a key customer was the result of the decline in sales velocity of in-bowl products, as consumer tastes have shifted towards the drop-in and manual cleaning categories. As a result, the Company has shifted its product line focus towards the drop-in category. Overall, sales in the toilet bowl cleaning category have declined in the grocery trade channel. To generate growth for the brand, the Company has also committed both marketing and research and development resources to support and to create next generation innovation around the automatic toilet bowl cleaner category.

Sales of Carpet Fresh in the U.S. decreased 20% in the current fiscal year third quarter compared to the prior fiscal year third quarter due to competitor activity, category declines in the mass retail and grocery trade channels, promotional timing and the timing of sales to a key customer versus the prior fiscal year third quarter. These sales declines were partially offset by expanded distribution with a key customer. In recent years, retailers have reduced shelf space for traditional rug and room deodorizers for reallocation to other air care products. As a result, the rug and room deodorizer category as a whole has declined in the mass retail and grocery trade channels. The Company continues to refine its marketing, promotions and pricing strategies, and has committed research and development resources to create innovation for the Carpet Fresh brand, including bi-lingual packaging and packaging enhancements that were introduced during the current fiscal year second quarter.

The Company's U.S. household products compete in a highly competitive market and are currently facing diminishing product categories or shifts within these categories, as well as significant competitor activity. The Company is addressing these challenges through its focus on innovation and the continued renovation of its household brands. The Company's innovation and renovation efforts are focused in the areas of new product offerings, packaging enhancements, and promotional strategies.

Sales of heavy-duty hand cleaners for the Americas increased 17% in the current fiscal year third quarter compared to the prior fiscal year third quarter as a result of increased sales to a key customer. Distribution of hand cleaners remains consistent through the grocery trade and other classes of trade.

For the Americas, 86% of sales came from the U.S., and 14% came from Canada and Latin America in the third quarter of fiscal year 2007, compared to the distribution in the third quarter of fiscal year 2006, when 85% of sales came from the U.S., and 15% came from Canada and Latin America.

### Europe

Net Sales (in thousands)	Three Months Ended May 31,			
	2007	2006	\$ Change	% Change
Lubricants	\$ 23,128	\$ 18,293	\$ 4,835	26%
Household products	2,252	2,296	(44)	(2)%
Hand cleaners				
Sub-total	\$ 25,380	\$ 20,589	\$ 4,791	23%
<b>% of consolidated</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>28%</b>		

For the quarter ended May 31, 2007, sales in Europe grew to \$25.4 million, up \$4.8 million, or 23%, over sales in the same prior fiscal year period. Changes in foreign currency exchange rates compared to the same prior fiscal year period contributed to the increase in sales. The current fiscal year third quarter results translated at last fiscal year's third quarter exchange rates would have produced sales of \$22.7 million in this region. Thus, the impact of the change in foreign currency exchange rates period over period positively affected third quarter fiscal year 2007 sales by approximately \$2.7 million, or 12%.

The countries where the Company sells through a direct sales force include the U.K, Spain, Portugal, Italy, France, Germany, the Netherlands, Denmark and Austria. Sales from these countries increased 25% in the current fiscal year third quarter versus last fiscal year's third quarter. Sales from these countries also accounted for 71% of the region's sales in the current fiscal year third quarter, up from 70% in the prior fiscal year third quarter. Percentage increases in sales in U.S. dollars across the various parts of the region over the prior fiscal year third quarter are as follows: the U.K., 8%; France, 32%; the German sales region, 38%; Spain/Portugal, 57%; and Italy, 14%. These direct sales markets are expected to continue to be important contributors to the region's growth. In the long term, the number of countries where the Company sells through a direct sales force is expected to increase.

The U.K. market benefited from increased sales of 3-IN-ONE as well as the impact of the change in foreign currency exchange rates. The increase in 3-IN-ONE sales was due to the increased distribution of the 3-IN-ONE Professional line of products. The sales growth in France was the result of increased distribution of the WD-40 Smart Straw as well as increased distribution of the 3-IN-ONE Professional line of products. The sales growth in the German sales region, which includes Germany, the Netherlands, Denmark and Austria, was the result of increased distribution as well as the continued growth of the WD-40 Smart Straw. Sales in Spain/Portugal were also up due to the continued development of the WD-40 Smart Straw and the 3-IN-ONE Professional line of products. The sales growth in Italy was the result of increased awareness and penetration of the WD-40 brand and the continued growth of the WD-40 Smart Straw.

In the countries in which the Company sells through local distributors, sales increased 20% in the third quarter of fiscal year 2007 versus the third quarter of fiscal year 2006. The sales growth in the distributor markets was the result of the continued growth in Eastern and Northern Europe and the Middle East. The distributor market accounted for approximately 29% of the total Europe segment sales in the current fiscal year third quarter, down from 30% in the prior fiscal year third quarter. These markets continue to experience growth in distribution and usage resulting from increased market penetration and brand awareness.

#### Asia-Pacific

Net Sales (in thousands)	Three Months Ended May 31,			
	2007	2006	\$ Change	% Change
Lubricants	\$ 4,948	\$ 4,519	\$ 429	9%
Household products	980	482	498	103%
Hand cleaners	288	300	(12)	(4)%
Sub-total	\$ 6,216	\$ 5,301	\$ 915	17%
<b>% of consolidated</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>7%</b>		

In the Asia-Pacific region, which includes Australia and Asia, total sales in the third quarter of fiscal year 2007 were \$6.2 million, up \$0.9 million, or 17%, compared to the third quarter of fiscal year 2006. Changes in foreign currency exchange rates compared to the same prior fiscal year period contributed to the increase in sales. The current fiscal year third quarter results translated at last fiscal year's third quarter exchange rates would have produced sales of \$6.0 million in this region. Thus, the impact of the change in foreign currency exchange rates period over period positively affected third quarter fiscal year 2007 sales by approximately \$0.2 million, or 3%. Asia-Pacific sales primarily benefited from increased lubricant sales in both Asia and Australia and increased No Vac sales in Australia.

Sales in Australia were up 31% in the current fiscal year third quarter as compared to the prior fiscal year third quarter due to sales growth of No Vac as a result of new product introductions, increased distribution and a television media campaign during the current fiscal year third quarter. No Vac continues to gain market share in Australia. Lubricant sales also contributed to the growth in Australia as a result of increased promotional activity and the continued launch of the WD-40 Smart Straw.

Sales in Asia were up 9% in the current fiscal year third quarter as compared to the prior fiscal year third quarter primarily due to increased WD-40 sales in China and increased promotional activity. Sales in China benefited from the development of direct sales activity in the country. Historically, the Company has sold to Asia through third party marketing distributors. However, to help accelerate the growth in this region, the Company has begun direct operations in China in the current fiscal year. Sales across other parts of the Asian region were also up, including in the Philippines, Thailand, Taiwan and Singapore. Sales increases in these parts of the region were partially offset by sales declines in Japan, Indonesia and Malaysia. This region represents long-term growth potential for the Company.

*Nine Months Ended May 31, 2007 Compared to Nine Months Ended May 31, 2006*

**Net Sales**

Net Sales by Segment (in thousands)	Nine Months Ended May 31,			
	2007	2006	\$ Change	% Change
<b>Americas</b>	\$ 140,071	\$ 138,895	\$ 1,176	1%
<b>Europe</b>	71,616	57,983	13,633	24%
<b>Asia-Pacific</b>	17,181	14,869	2,312	16%
<b>Total net sales</b>	\$ 228,868	\$ 211,747	\$ 17,121	8%

Please refer to the discussion under Segment Results included later in this section for further detailed results by segment. Changes in foreign currency exchange rates compared to the same prior fiscal year period contributed to the increase in the Company's sales. The current fiscal year nine-month results translated at last fiscal year's period exchange rates would have produced sales of \$221.7 million, thus, the impact of the change in foreign currency exchange rates period over period positively affected sales in the first nine months of fiscal year 2007 by \$7.2 million, or 3%.

Net Sales by Product Line (in thousands)	Nine Months Ended May 31,			
	2007	2006	\$ Change	% Change
<b>Lubricants</b>	\$ 162,194	\$ 140,299	\$ 21,895	16%
<b>Household products</b>	62,087	66,730	(4,643)	(7)%
<b>Hand cleaners</b>	4,587	4,718	(131)	(3)%
<b>Total net sales</b>	\$ 228,868	\$ 211,747	\$ 17,121	8%

By product line, sales of lubricants include WD-40 and 3-IN-ONE; sales of household products include Carpet Fresh, No Vac, X-14, 2000 Flushes, Spot Shot and 1001; and hand cleaner sales include Lava and Solvol.

**Gross Profit**

Gross profit was \$110.4 million, or 48.2% of sales for the nine months ended May 31, 2007, compared to \$102.0 million, or 48.2% of sales in the comparable period last fiscal year. Although gross margin percentage was flat, the Company continued to experience increases in costs of products, which have negatively affected gross margins in all of the Company's regions. The rise in costs of products has been due to the significant increase in costs for components and raw materials, including aerosol cans and petroleum-based products, as well as a change in product mix. The mix of products sold in the current fiscal year period included an increased amount of higher cost promotional offerings. As a result of the general upward trend of costs in the market, we remain concerned about the possibility of continued rising costs of components, raw materials and finished goods.

The increase in pricing of certain products worldwide, which occurred during last fiscal year's third quarter, partially offset the rise in costs of products and added approximately 1.6% to gross margin percentage in the first nine months of the current fiscal year compared to the same prior fiscal year period. Although the price increases helped to mitigate the impact of rising costs on gross margin percentage, the benefit from the price increases was offset by the continued cost increases, as well as changes in product mix. In an effort to further reduce the impact of increased costs on gross margin percentage, the Company has begun to implement several cost savings projects. These projects were identified by a cost reduction team that is focused on gross margin improvement, which includes supply chain cost savings initiatives. Additionally, the Company believes that innovation will be a key factor in improving gross margin percentage in the long term.



The rise in costs of products was also partially offset by a decrease in advertising and promotional and other discounts, which are recorded as a reduction to sales. The decrease in advertising and promotional and other discounts positively impacted gross margin percentage by 0.6%. The decrease in discounts resulted from both timing and reductions in advertising and promotional activities, which include coupon redemptions, consideration and allowances given to retailers for space in their stores, consideration and allowances given to obtain favorable display positions in retailers' stores and co-operative advertising and promotional activity. The timing of these promotional activities, as well as shifts in product mix, may cause fluctuations in gross margin percentage from period to period.

Note that the Company's gross margins may not be comparable to those of other reporting entities, since some entities include all costs related to distribution of their products in cost of products sold, whereas we exclude the portion associated with amounts paid to third parties for distribution to our customers from our contract packagers, and include these costs in selling, general and administrative expenses.

### **Selling, General and Administrative Expenses**

Selling, general and administrative expenses for the nine months ended May 31, 2007 increased to \$59.0 million, or 25.8% of sales, from \$52.0 million, or 24.5% of sales, for the same prior fiscal year period. The increase in SG&A was largely attributable to increases in employee-related costs, miscellaneous expenses, freight costs, bad debt expense and the impact of foreign currency translation. Certain employee-related costs, which include salaries, profit sharing and other fringe benefits, increased \$2.6 million versus the same prior fiscal year period as a result of annual compensation increases, relocation expenses and additional staffing to support global sourcing and inventory management, direct operations in China and product introductions. The increase in the above employee-related costs was partially offset by a \$0.3 million decrease in bonus expense as several regions exceeded profit and performance expectations in the prior fiscal year period, which resulted in a higher prior fiscal year bonus expense. Miscellaneous expenses increased \$2.2 million, which included increased commissions, legal expenses, meeting expenses and travel costs. Freight costs increased \$0.5 million due to sales growth and increased fuel surcharges. Bad debt expense increased \$0.3 million as the same prior fiscal year period expense reflected the benefit of bad debt recoveries. Also contributing to the increase in SG&A was \$1.7 million related to foreign currency exchange rates. SG&A expenses for the nine months ended May 31, 2007 translated at last fiscal year's exchange rates would have produced total SG&A expenses of \$57.3 million.

The Company continued its research and development investment in support of its focus on innovation and renovation. Research and development costs were \$2.5 million in each of the first nine months of the current fiscal year and the prior fiscal year. The Company's new-product development team, known as Team Tomorrow, engages in consumer research, product development, current product improvement and testing activities. This team leverages its development capabilities by partnering with a network of outside resources including the Company's current and prospective outsource suppliers.

### **Advertising and Sales Promotion Expenses**

Advertising and sales promotion expenses increased to \$15.9 million for the first nine months of fiscal year 2007, up from \$14.1 million for the same period last fiscal year, and as a percentage of sales, increased to 6.9% for the current fiscal year period from 6.7% in the comparable prior fiscal year period. The increase is related to the timing of investment in advertising activities in the first nine months of the current fiscal year compared to the first nine months of the prior fiscal year. In the first half of the current fiscal year, the Company concentrated its consumer broadcast and print media advertising to support new products. In the same prior fiscal year period, the Company had lower levels of marketing investment, as the Company did not begin its consumer broadcast advertising until late into the second quarter. Investment in global advertising and sales promotion expenses for fiscal year 2007 is expected to be in the range of 6.5% to 7.5% of net sales.

As a percentage of sales, advertising and sales promotion expenses may fluctuate period to period based upon the type of marketing activities employed by the Company and the period in which the costs are incurred. The costs of certain promotional activities are required to be recorded as reductions to sales, while others remain in advertising and sales promotion expenses. In the first nine months of fiscal year 2007, the total promotional costs recorded as reductions to sales were \$12.6 million versus \$11.8 million in the first nine months of fiscal year 2006. Therefore, the Company's total investment in advertising and sales promotion activities totaled \$28.5 million and \$25.9 million in the first nine months of fiscal years 2007 and 2006, respectively.

#### **Amortization of Intangible Asset Expense**

Amortization of intangible asset expense was \$434,000 in the first nine months of fiscal year 2007, compared to \$394,000 in the same prior fiscal year period. The amortization relates to the non-contractual customer relationships intangible asset acquired in the 1001 acquisition, which was completed in April 2004. This intangible asset is being amortized on a straight-line basis over its estimated eight-year life.

#### **Income from Operations**

Income from operations was \$35.1 million, or 15.3% of sales for the first nine months of fiscal year 2007, compared to \$35.5 million, or 16.8% of sales for the same nine-month period in fiscal year 2006. The decrease in income from operations was due to the items discussed above.

#### **Interest Expense, net**

Interest expense, net was \$1.7 million compared to \$2.8 million during the nine months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively. The change in interest expense, net was primarily due to the reduced principal balance on long-term borrowings resulting from the annual \$10.7 million principal payments made in October 2006 and October 2005, as well as to increased interest income resulting from higher cash balances versus the same prior fiscal year period.

#### **Other Income, net**

Other income, net was \$148,000 during the first nine months of fiscal year 2007 compared to \$404,000 in the same prior fiscal year period, a decrease of \$256,000, which was due to foreign currency exchange losses.

#### **Provision for Income Taxes**

The provision for income taxes was 33.5% of income before income taxes for the nine months ended May 31, 2007, a decrease from 34.2% for the same prior fiscal year period. The decrease in tax rate was primarily due to favorable rulings on foreign tax matters and the impact of the expiration of federal statutes of limitations. These two items created two one-time non-recurring benefits that totaled approximately \$0.7 million in tax benefits. The Company does not anticipate tax benefits of this nature to be ongoing. Additionally, the tax benefit from municipal bond interest also contributed to the decrease in the current fiscal year-to-date tax rate. The overall decrease in tax rate was partially offset by the impact of reduced low income housing credits and the phase out of the extraterritorial income (ETI) deduction.

#### **Net Income**

Net income was \$22.3 million, or \$1.29 per common share on a fully diluted basis for the nine months ended May 31, 2007, compared to \$21.8 million, or \$1.29 per common share for the nine months ended May 31, 2006. The change in foreign currency exchange rates period over period had a positive impact of \$0.9 million on net income for the first nine months of fiscal year 2007. Current fiscal year nine-month results translated at last fiscal year's period foreign currency exchange rates would have produced net income of \$21.4 million.



## Segment Results

Following is a discussion of sales by region for the current and prior fiscal year nine-month periods.

### Americas

Net Sales (in thousands)	Nine Months Ended May 31,			
	2007	2006	\$ Change	% Change
Lubricants	\$ 84,252	\$ 76,240	\$ 8,012	11%
Household products	52,058	58,827	(6,769)	(12)%
Hand cleaners	3,761	3,828	(67)	(2)%
Sub-total	\$ 140,071	\$ 138,895	\$ 1,176	1%
<b>% of consolidated</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>66%</b>		

The increase in lubricant sales in the Americas during the first nine months of the current fiscal year compared to the same prior fiscal year period was primarily the result of WD-40 sales growth in the U.S., where sales increased by 14%. The WD-40 sales increase in the U.S. was the result of increased promotional activity and the growth of the WD-40 Smart Straw. Price increases implemented on certain products during the prior fiscal year third quarter also contributed to the overall lubricant sales growth in the Americas in the first nine months of the current fiscal year. The increase in WD-40 sales was partially offset by a decrease in 3-IN-ONE sales in the U.S., which was the result of lost distribution to a key customer.

Household product sales in the first nine months of fiscal year 2007 were down \$6.8 million, or 12%, compared to the first nine months of fiscal year 2006 due to declines in the U.S. Sales in the U.S. decreased by \$6.6 million, or 12%, due to decreased sales of Spot Shot, X-14, 2000 Flushes and Carpet Fresh. These declines were the result of several factors, including temporarily lost or decreased distribution compared to the first nine months of fiscal year 2006, declining categories and the effect of competitive factors within and among their product categories that are further described below.

Spot Shot sales declined 9% in the U.S. during the first nine months of the current fiscal year as compared to the same prior fiscal year period due to reduced sales to key customers, declines in the aerosol spot and stain category, significant competitor activity and reduced promotional activity. During the first quarter of the current fiscal year, a key customer temporarily replaced Spot Shot with seasonal items, which had not occurred in the prior fiscal year first quarter. The Company regained distribution with this customer during the second quarter of the current fiscal year. Additionally, certain promotional activity during the first nine months of the prior fiscal year was not repeated in the first nine months of the current fiscal year. The declines in the aerosol category are due to retailers reducing shelf space for aerosol spot and stain removers. This decrease was partially offset by expanded distribution of the Spot Shot trigger product with a key customer and increased distribution in the grocery trade channel versus the same prior fiscal year period. The Spot Shot trigger product competes in the non-aerosol spot and stain category, which is larger than the aerosol spot and stain category. The Company has also committed both marketing and research and development resources to support and to create innovation for the Spot Shot brand to take advantage of key trends in the marketplace and expand its distribution base.

U.S. sales of the X-14 hard surface cleaners decreased 27% in the first nine months of the current fiscal year versus the same prior fiscal year period due primarily to lost distribution. In an effort to offset these losses and generate growth, the Company has invested significant time and resources researching and renovating the X-14 brand by repositioning the brand as the bathroom expert and repackaging the product line to better communicate and deliver product performance. This repositioning and repackaging was launched during the second quarter of fiscal year 2007 and will continue into the Company's fiscal year 2008. The Company continues to commit additional marketing and research and development resources to support and to create innovation around the bathroom expert positioning.

U.S. sales of 2000 Flushes/X-14 automatic toilet bowl cleaners were down 12% in the first nine months of the current fiscal year compared to the first nine months of the prior fiscal year due to reduced distribution with a key customer, promotional timing and competitive innovation. The reduced distribution with a key customer was the result of the decline in sales velocity of in-bowl products, as consumer tastes have shifted toward the drop-in and manual cleaning categories. As a result, the Company has shifted its

product line focus toward the drop-in category. Overall, sales in the toilet bowl cleaning category have declined in the grocery trade channel. The decrease in U.S. sales of automatic toilet bowl cleaners was partially offset by a 5% increase in Canada. The increase in Canada was the result of increased promotional activity as well as regained distribution with a key customer. To generate growth for the brand, the Company has also committed both marketing and research and development resources to support and to create next generation innovation around the automatic toilet bowl cleaner category.

Sales of Carpet Fresh in the U.S. declined 10% in the first nine months of the current fiscal year as compared to the same prior fiscal year period due to competitor activity, category declines in the mass retail and grocery trade channels, promotional timing and the timing of sales to a key customer versus the same prior fiscal year period. This decline was partially offset by expanded distribution with a key customer during the second quarter of the current fiscal year. In recent years, retailers have reduced shelf space for traditional rug and room deodorizers for reallocation to other air care products. As a result, the rug and room deodorizer category as a whole has declined in the mass retail and grocery trade channels. The Company continues to refine its marketing, promotions and pricing strategies, and has committed research and development resources to create innovation for the Carpet Fresh brand, including bi-lingual packaging and packaging enhancements that were introduced during the current fiscal year second quarter.

The Company's U.S. household products compete in a highly competitive market and are currently facing diminishing product categories or shifts within these categories, as well as significant competitor activity. The Company is addressing these challenges through its focus on innovation and the continued renovation of its household brands. The Company's innovation and renovation efforts are focused in the areas of new product offerings, packaging enhancements and promotional strategies.

Sales of heavy-duty hand cleaners for the Americas decreased 2% in the first nine months of the current fiscal year compared to the same prior fiscal year period as a result of decreased promotional activity. This decrease was partially offset by increased sales to a key customer during the current fiscal year third quarter. Although sales of heavy-duty hand cleaners decreased in the first nine months of the current fiscal year, distribution remains consistent through the grocery trade and other classes of trade.

For the Americas, 85% of sales came from the U.S., and 15% came from Canada and Latin America in each of the first nine months of fiscal years 2007 and 2006, respectively.

### Europe

Net Sales (in thousands)	Nine Months Ended May 31,			
	2007	2006	\$ Change	% Change
Lubricants	\$ 63,850	\$ 51,447	\$ 12,403	24%
Household products	7,766	6,536	1,230	19%
Hand cleaners				
Sub-total	\$ 71,616	\$ 57,983	\$ 13,633	24%
<b>% of consolidated</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>27%</b>		

For the nine months ended May 31, 2007, sales in Europe grew to \$71.6 million, up \$13.6 million, or 24%, over sales in the same prior fiscal year period. Changes in foreign currency exchange rates compared to the same prior fiscal year period contributed to the increase in sales. The current fiscal year-to-date results translated at last fiscal year's period exchange rates would have produced sales of \$65.0 million in this region. Thus, the impact of the change in foreign currency exchange rates period over period positively affected the current fiscal year-to-date sales by approximately \$6.6 million, or 10%.

The countries where the Company sells through a direct sales force include the U.K., Spain, Portugal, Italy, France, Germany, the Netherlands, Denmark and Austria. Sales from these countries increased 21% in the first nine months of the current fiscal year versus the same period last fiscal year. Sales from these countries also accounted for 69% of the region's sales in the first nine months of the current fiscal year, down from 71% in the same prior fiscal year period. Percentage increases in sales in U.S. dollars across the various parts of the region over the prior fiscal year's first nine months are as follows: the U.K., 10%; France, 28%; the German sales region, 33%; Spain/Portugal, 25%; and Italy, 27%. These direct sales markets are expected to continue to be important contributors to the region's growth. In the long term, the number of countries where the Company sells through a direct sales force is expected to increase.

The U.K. market benefited from sales growth of the 1001 brand and 3-IN-ONE. The increase in 1001 brand sales was the result of increased distribution and awareness of 1001 No Vac. The increase in 3-IN-ONE sales was due to the increased distribution of the 3-IN-ONE Professional line of products. The sales growth in France was the result of increased distribution of the WD-40 Smart Straw as well as increased distribution of the 3-IN-ONE Professional line of products. The sales growth in the German sales region, which includes Germany, the Netherlands, Denmark and Austria, was the result of increased awareness and penetration of the WD-40 brand, the continued growth of the WD-40 Smart Straw and the further development of direct sales into the Netherlands. Sales in Spain/Portugal were up as a result of the continued development of the WD-40 Smart Straw. The sales growth in Italy was also the result of increased awareness and penetration of the WD-40 brand and the continued growth of the WD-40 Smart Straw.

In the countries in which the Company sells through local distributors, sales increased 29% in the first nine months of fiscal year 2007 versus the same prior fiscal year period. The sales growth in the distributor markets was the result of the continued growth in Eastern and Northern Europe and the Middle East. The distributor market accounted for approximately 31% of the total Europe segment sales in the first nine months of the current fiscal year, up from 29% in the same prior fiscal year period. These markets continue to experience growth in distribution and usage resulting from increased market penetration and brand awareness.

#### Asia-Pacific

Net Sales (in thousands)	Nine Months Ended May 31,			
	2007	2006	\$ Change	% Change
Lubricants	\$ 14,092	\$ 12,612	\$ 1,480	12%
Household products	2,263	1,367	896	66%
Hand cleaners	826	890	(64)	(7)%
Sub-total	\$ 17,181	\$ 14,869	\$ 2,312	16%
<b>% of consolidated</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>7%</b>		

In the Asia-Pacific region, which includes Australia and Asia, total sales in the first nine months of fiscal year 2007 were \$17.2 million, up \$2.3 million, or 16%, compared to the first nine months of fiscal year 2006. Changes in foreign currency exchange rates compared to the prior fiscal year period did not significantly impact the current fiscal year period sales. The current fiscal year-to-date results translated at last fiscal year's period exchange rates would have produced sales of \$16.9 million in this region. Thus, the impact of the change in foreign currency exchange rates period over period positively affected sales in the first nine months of fiscal year 2007 by approximately \$0.3 million, or 2%. Asia-Pacific sales benefited from increased lubricant sales in both Asia and Australia and increased No Vac sales in Australia.

Sales in Australia were up 22% in the first nine months of the current fiscal year as compared to the same prior fiscal year period due to sales growth of No Vac as a result of new product introductions, increased distribution and a television media campaign during the current fiscal year third quarter. No Vac continues to gain market share in Australia. Lubricant sales also contributed to the growth in Australia as a result of increased promotional activity and the continued launch of the WD-40 Smart Straw.

Sales in Asia were up 12% in the first nine months of the current fiscal year as compared to the first nine months of the prior fiscal year primarily due to increased WD-40 sales in China and increased promotional activity. Sales in China benefited from the development of direct sales activity in the country. Historically, the Company has sold to Asia through third party marketing distributors. However, to help accelerate the growth in this region, the Company has begun direct operations in China in the current fiscal year. Sales across other parts of the Asian region were also up, including in Indonesia, the Philippines, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Thailand and Japan. This region represents long-term growth potential for the Company.

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## LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

For the nine months ended May 31, 2007, cash and cash equivalents increased by \$20.8 million, from \$45.2 million at the end of fiscal year 2006 to \$66.0 million at May 31, 2007. Operating cash flow of \$37.4 million was offset by cash used in investing activities of \$1.4 million and cash used in financing activities of \$15.5 million.

Current assets increased by \$20.3 million to \$135.9 million at May 31, 2007, up from \$115.5 million at August 31, 2006. Accounts receivable increased to \$45.5 million, up \$1.0 million from \$44.5 million at August 31, 2006, as a result of the timing of sales. Product held at contract packagers increased to \$2.1 million, up from \$1.4 million at August 31, 2006 due to timing. Inventory decreased to \$15.1 million, down by \$0.2 million from \$15.3 million at August 31, 2006. Other current assets decreased by \$1.8 million to \$3.1 million at May 31, 2007, down from \$4.9 million at August 31, 2006 due to the timing of prepaid expenses and the reduction of federal income taxes receivable as the Company received tax refunds for amended returns from prior years.

Current liabilities were \$51.4 million at May 31, 2007, up from \$43.7 million at August 31, 2006. Accounts payable and accrued liabilities increased by \$10.3 million due to timing of payments and higher sales levels in the third quarter of fiscal year 2007 compared to the fourth quarter of fiscal year 2006. Accrued payroll and related expenses were down \$2.0 million primarily due to decreased bonus accrual. At May 31, 2007, the accrued bonus balance included only nine months of accrual compared to twelve months of accrual as of August 31, 2006. Accrued payroll and related expenses were also down due to decreased profit sharing accrual. At May 31, 2007, the accrued profit sharing balance included only five months of accrual compared to eight months of accrual at August 31, 2006, as the Company's profit sharing plan is based on a calendar year. Income taxes payable was down \$0.5 million due to the timing of payments for federal income taxes.

At May 31, 2007, working capital increased to \$84.4 million, up \$12.6 million from \$71.9 million at the end of fiscal year 2006. The current ratio was 2.6 at May 31, 2007 and August 31, 2006.

Net cash provided by operating activities for the nine months ended May 31, 2007 was \$37.4 million. This amount consisted of \$22.3 million from net income with an additional \$5.4 million of adjustments for non-cash items, including depreciation and amortization, gains on sales of equipment, deferred income tax expense, excess tax benefits from exercises of stock options, distributions received and equity earnings from VML Company L.L.C. (VML) and stock-based compensation along with \$9.7 million related to changes in the working capital as described above and changes in other long-term liabilities.

Net cash used in investing activities for the first nine months of fiscal year 2007 was \$1.4 million. The Company purchased and sold \$171.6 million of short-term investments, which consisted of investment grade auction rate securities with an active resale market to ensure liquidity and the ability to be readily converted into cash. Capital expenditures of \$1.6 million were primarily in the areas of computer hardware and software, buildings and improvements, furniture and fixtures and vehicle replacements. For fiscal year 2007, the Company expects to spend approximately \$3.0 million to \$4.0 million for new capital assets, largely driven by new product development, computer equipment, software and vehicles.

For the first nine months of fiscal year 2007, net cash used in financing activities included a \$10.7 million principal payment on debt in October 2006 and \$12.3 million of dividend payments, partially offset by \$7.1 million in proceeds from the exercise of common stock options and \$0.4 million of excess tax benefits from exercises of stock options. The \$10.7 million payment on debt was the second principal payment on the Company's original \$75 million, 7.28% fixed-rate term loan. Subsequent payments in similar amounts will be due in October in each of the following five years.

Management believes the Company has access to sufficient capital through the combination of available cash balances and internally generated funds. Management considers various factors when reviewing liquidity needs and plans for available cash on hand including: future debt, principal and interest payments, early debt repayment penalties, future capital expenditure requirements, future dividend payments (which are determined on a quarterly basis by the Company's Board of Directors), alternative investment opportunities, loan covenants and any other relevant considerations currently facing the business.

On March 27, 2007, the Company's Board of Directors approved a share buy-back plan. Under the plan, which is in effect for up to twelve months, the Company is authorized to acquire up to \$35 million of the Company's outstanding shares. As a result of the share buy-back plan, the Company's debt covenants related to its fixed-rate term loan have been revised. Previously, the aggregate payments for dividends and share repurchases by the Company were limited to \$7.5 million, plus 75% of consolidated net income for each quarter beginning in fiscal year 2002. Under the revised debt covenants, the aggregate payments for dividends and share repurchases by the Company are limited to \$35 million, plus 75% of consolidated net income for each quarter beginning March 1, 2007. During the third quarter of fiscal year 2007, the Company did not purchase any shares under the share buy back plan.

On June 26, 2007, the Company's Board of Directors also declared a cash dividend of \$0.25 per share payable on July 31, 2007 to shareholders of record on July 17, 2007. The Company's ability to pay dividends could be affected by future business performance, liquidity, capital needs, alternative investment opportunities and loan covenants.

### **CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

Our discussion and analysis of our operating results and financial condition is based upon our consolidated financial statements, which have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Critical accounting policies are those that involve subjective or complex judgments, often as a result of the need to make estimates. The following areas all require the use of judgments and estimates: allowance for doubtful accounts, revenue recognition, accounting for sales incentives, accounting for income taxes, valuation of long-lived intangible assets and goodwill and inventory valuation. Estimates in each of these areas are based on historical experience and various judgments and assumptions that we believe are appropriate. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Our critical accounting policies are discussed in more detail in Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations and Note 1 to our consolidated financial statements contained in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended August 31, 2006.

### **RECENT ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS**

In February 2007, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued SFAS No. 159, The Fair Value Option for Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities Including an amendment of FASB Statement No. 115. This Statement permits entities to choose to measure many financial instruments and certain other items at fair value. The objective is to improve financial reporting by providing entities with the opportunity to mitigate volatility in reported earnings caused by measuring related assets and liabilities differently without having to apply complex hedge accounting provisions. This Statement is expected to expand the use of fair value measurement, which is consistent with the Board's long-term measurement objectives for accounting for financial instruments. This Statement is effective as of the beginning of an entity's first fiscal year that begins after November 15, 2007. Early adoption is permitted as of the beginning of a fiscal year that begins on or before November 15, 2007, provided the entity also elects to apply the provisions of SFAS No. 157, Fair Value Measurements. Management is currently evaluating the impact that the implementation of SFAS No. 159 may have on the Company's consolidated results of operations and financial position.

In September 2006, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued SFAS No. 157, Fair Value Measurements. SFAS No. 157 defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value and expands disclosures about fair value measurements. This statement is effective for financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2007, and interim periods within those fiscal years. Management is currently evaluating SFAS No. 157 to determine the impact, if any, on the Company's financial statements.

In June 2006, the FASB issued Interpretation No. 48 (FIN 48), Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes an interpretation of FASB Statement No. 109. FIN 48 clarifies the recognition threshold and measurement attribute for the financial statement recognition and measurement of a tax position taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. FIN 48 also provides guidance on derecognition, classification, interest and penalties, accounting in interim periods, disclosure and transition. FIN 48 is effective for

fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2006. The Company will adopt this interpretation as required beginning September 1, 2007. Management is currently assessing the effect that FIN 48 will have on the Company's results of operations and financial condition.

#### **TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES**

VML Company L.L.C. (VML), a Delaware Limited Liability Company, was formed in April 2001, at which time the Company acquired a 30% membership interest. Since formation, VML has served as the Company's contract manufacturer for certain household products and acts as a warehouse distributor for other product lines of the Company. Although VML has begun to expand its business to other customers, the Company continues to be its largest customer. VML makes profit distributions to the Company and the 70% owner on a discretionary basis in proportion to each party's respective interest.

The Company has a put option to sell its interest in VML to the 70% owner, and the 70% owner has a call option to purchase the Company's interest. The sale price in each case is established pursuant to formulas based on VML's operating results.

Under Financial Interpretation No. 46, Consolidation of Variable Interest Entities, an interpretation of Accounting Research Bulletin No. 51, VML qualifies as a variable interest entity, and it has been determined that the Company is not the primary beneficiary. The Company's investment in VML is accounted for using the equity method of accounting, and its equity in VML earnings or losses is recorded as a component of cost of products sold, as VML acts primarily as a contract manufacturer to the Company. The Company recorded equity losses related to its investment in VML of \$1,000 and \$51,000 for the three months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively. For the nine months ended May 31, 2007, the Company recorded equity earnings related to its investment in VML of \$35,000. For the nine months ended May 31, 2006, the Company recorded equity losses related to its investment in VML of \$147,000.

The Company's maximum exposure to loss as a result of its involvement with VML was \$1.0 million as of May 31, 2007. This amount represents the balance of the Company's equity investment in VML, which is presented as investment in related party on the Company's consolidated balance sheets. The Company's investment in VML as of August 31, 2006 was \$1.0 million.

Cost of products sold which were purchased from VML, net of rebates and equity earnings, was approximately \$4.5 million and \$10.8 million during the three months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively, and \$14.3 million and \$31.2 million for the nine months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively. The Company had product payables to VML of \$1.2 million and \$0.5 million at May 31, 2007 and August 31, 2006, respectively. Additionally, the Company receives rental income from VML, which is recorded as a component of other income, net. Rental income from VML was \$48,000 during each of the three months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006, and \$143,000 during each of the nine months ended May 31, 2007 and 2006.

#### **ITEM 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk**

Periodically, the Company invests in highly liquid investment grade auction rate securities, which are classified as available-for-sale and reported at fair value with maturities that could range from 13 months to 30 years. The interest rates are reset through an auction bidding process at predetermined periods ranging from 7 to 35 days. Due to the frequent nature of the reset feature, the realized or unrealized gains or losses associated with these securities are not significant; therefore, the Company considers the reported amounts of these investments, which are stated at cost, to be reasonable approximations of fair values. Management does not believe changes in market interest rates will have a material impact on our financial position.

Please refer to Item 7A Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended August 31, 2006 for a discussion of the Company's exposure to market risks. The Company's exposure to market risks has not changed materially since August 31, 2006.

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**ITEM 4. Controls and Procedures**

The term disclosure controls and procedures is defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) promulgated under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 (Exchange Act). The term disclosure controls and procedures means controls and other procedures of a Company that are designed to ensure the information required to be disclosed by the Company in the reports that it files or submits under the Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported, within the time periods specified in the Commission's rules and forms. Disclosure controls and procedures include, without limitation, controls and procedures designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed by a Company in the reports that it files or submits under the Act is accumulated and communicated to the Company's management, including its principal executive and principal financial officers, or persons performing similar functions, as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosures. The Company's chief executive officer and chief financial officer have evaluated the effectiveness of the Company's disclosure controls and procedures as of May 31, 2007, the end of the period covered by this report (the Evaluation Date), and they have concluded that, as of the Evaluation Date, such controls and procedures were effective at ensuring that required information will be disclosed on a timely basis in the Company's reports filed under the Exchange Act. Although management believes the Company's existing disclosure controls and procedures are adequate to enable the Company to comply with its disclosure obligations, management continues to review and update such controls and procedures. The Company has a disclosure committee, which consists of certain members of the Company's senior management.

There were no changes to the Company's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the Company's most recent fiscal quarter that materially affected, or would be reasonably likely to materially affect, the Company's internal control over financial reporting.

**PART II Other Information**

**ITEM 1. Legal Proceedings**

The Company is party to various claims, legal actions and complaints, including product liability litigation, arising in the ordinary course of business.

On April 19, 2006, a legal action was filed against the Company in the United States District Court, Southern District of California (*Drimmer v. WD-40 Company*). After several of the plaintiff's factual claims were dismissed by way of motion, the plaintiff filed an amended complaint on September 20, 2006, seeking class action status and alleging that the Company misrepresented that its 2000 Flushes Bleach and 2000 Flushes Blue Plus Bleach automatic toilet bowl cleaners (ATBCs) are safe for plumbing systems and unlawfully omitted to advise consumers regarding the allegedly damaging effect the use of the ATBCs has on toilet parts made of plastic and rubber. The amended complaint seeks to remedy such allegedly wrongful conduct: (i) by requiring the Company to identify all consumers who have purchased the ATBCs and to return money as may be ordered by the court; and (ii) by the granting of other equitable relief, interest, attorneys' fees and costs. Though a new named plaintiff brought this case, it is legally and factually identical to a similar case that was dismissed by the San Diego Superior Court in April 2005, and the Company intends to vigorously defend this case in the same manner as before. If class action certification is granted in this aforementioned legal action, it is reasonably possible that the outcome could have a material adverse effect on the operating results, financial position and cash flows of the Company. There is not sufficient information to estimate the Company's exposure at this time.

The Company has been named as a defendant in an increasing number of lawsuits brought by a growing group of attorneys on behalf of individual plaintiffs who assert that exposure to products that allegedly contain benzene is a cause of certain cancers. The Company is one of many defendants in these legal proceedings whose products are alleged to contain benzene. However, the Company specifies that its suppliers provide constituent ingredients free of benzene, and the Company believes its products have always been formulated without containing benzene. Except for self-insured retention amounts applicable to each separately filed lawsuit, the Company expects that the benzene lawsuits will be adequately covered by insurance and will not have a material impact on the Company's financial condition or results of operations. The Company is vigorously defending these lawsuits in an effort to demonstrate conclusively that its products do not contain benzene, and that they have not contained benzene in prior years. The





**ITEM 6. Exhibits**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
3(a)	The Certificate of Incorporation is incorporated by reference from the Registrant's Form 10-Q filed January 14, 2000, Exhibit 3(a) thereto.
3(b)	The Bylaws are incorporated by reference from the Registrant's Form 8-K filed October 20, 2005, Exhibit 3 thereto.
31(a)	Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
31(b)	Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
32(a)	18 U.S.C. Section 1350 Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
32(b)	18 U.S.C. Section 1350 Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.

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.

WD-40 COMPANY

Registrant

Date: July 10, 2007

By: /s/ GARRY O. RIDGE  
Garry O. Ridge  
Chief Executive Officer and Director  
(Principal Executive Officer)

By: /s/ MICHAEL J. IRWIN  
Michael J. Irwin  
Executive Vice President  
Chief Financial Officer  
(Principal Financial Officer)

By: /s/ JAY REMBOLT  
Jay Rembolt  
Vice President of Finance, Controller  
(Principal Accounting Officer)