

# Louisiana-Pacific Corporation 

Q4 2007 Financial Results
February 5, 2008

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# LP Statement Relating to the Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures 

During the course of this presentation, certain non-U.S. GAAP financial information will be presented. Reconciliation of those numbers to U.S. GAAP financial measures are available on the company's website at www.lpcorp.com under the Investor Relations Presentations section.

LP. Financial Results - Quarterly
Dollar amounts in millions, except per share amounts

|  | Quarter Ended |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { December 31, } \\ 2007 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { September 30, } \\ 2007 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { December 31, } \\ 2006 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  |
| Net sales | \$ | 377 | \$ | 473 | \$ | 368 |
| Income (loss) from continuing operations | \$ | (36) | \$ | (55) | \$ | (20) |
| Income (loss) from discontinued operations | \$ | (3) | \$ | (13) | \$ | (5) |
| Net income (loss) | \$ | (39) | \$ | (68) | \$ | (25) |
| Diluted EPS from continuing operations | \$ | (0.35) | \$ | (0.52) | \$ | (0.19) |
| Diluted EPS | \$ | (0.37) | \$ | (0.65) | \$ | (0.24) |

## Reconciliation of Special Items

Dollar amounts in millions, except per share amounts

Income (loss) from continuing operations
Less "special items":
(Gain) loss on sale or impairment of long-lived assets
Other operating credits and charges
Provision (benefit) for income taxes
After tax effect of "special items"
Adjusted income (loss) from operations excluding "special items"
Adjusted income (loss) from operations excluding "special items" per diluted share

| Q4 07 |  | Q3 07 |  | Q4 06 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$ | (36) | \$ | (55) | \$ | (20) |
|  | 3 |  | 48 |  | 2 |
|  | 7 |  | (1) |  | 4 |
|  | 10 |  | 48 |  | 6 |
|  | 4 |  | (19) |  | 2 |
|  | 6 |  | 29 |  | 3 |
| \$ | (30) | \$ | (25) | \$ | (17) |
| \$ | (0.28) | \$ | (0.24) | \$ | 0.16) |

Financial Results - Annual

## Dollar amounts in millions, except per share amounts

|  | Year Ended December 31, |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2007 |  | 2006 |  |
| Net sales | \$ | 1,705 | \$ | 2,187 |
| Income from continuing operations | \$ | (142) | \$ | 134 |
| Income (loss) from discontinued operations | \$ | (25) | \$ | (10) |
| Net income | \$ | (167) | \$ | 124 |
| Diluted EPS from continuing operations | \$ | (1.37) | \$ | 1.27 |
| Diluted EPS | \$ | (1.61) | \$ | 1.17 |

## LP <br> BUILDING PRODUCTS <br> Reconciliation of Special Items

## Dollar amounts in millions, except per share amounts

Income (loss) from continuing operations
Less "special items":
(Gain) loss on sale or impairment of long-lived assets
Other operating credits and charges
Provision (benefit) for income taxes
After tax effect of "special items"
Adjusted income from operations excluding "special items"
Adjusted income from operations excluding "special items" per diluted share
Year Ended December 31, 2007 ..... $\underline{2006}$
\$ ..... (142)
\$ ..... 134

| 57 |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| $(13)$ |  |
|  |  |
| 17 | 3 |


| $\$$ | $(115)$ |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\$$ | $(1.11)$ | $\$$ | 136 |
|  | $\$$ | 1.29 |  |

## LP <br> buILding PRODUCTS <br> Tax Reconciliation

## Dollar amounts in millions



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Dollar amounts in millions

|  | Q4 07 |  | Q3 07 |  | Q4 06 |  | CHANGE FROM |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Q3 07 | Q4 06 |  |  |
| Sales | \$ | 189 |  |  | \$ | 228 | \$ | 184 | (17\%) | 3\% |
| Profit (loss) ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | \$ | (53) | \$ | (32) | \$ | (55) | (66\%) | 3\% |
| DDA | \$ | 15 | \$ | 16 | \$ | 16 |  |  |
| Volume |  |  |  |  |  |  | (11\%) | (5\%) |
| Price |  |  |  |  |  |  | (9\%) | 2\% |

${ }^{\text {a }}$ Profit equals sales less cost of sales, depreciation, amortization and cost of timber harvested and selling and administration directly associated with the segment

Dollar amounts in millions

CHANGE FROM

|  | Q4 07 |  | Q3 07 |  | Q4 06 |  | CHANGE FROM |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Q3 07 | Q4 06 |  |  |
| Sales | \$ | 92 |  |  | \$ | 122 | \$ | 87 | (25\%) | 5\% |
| Profit ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | \$ | (4) | \$ | 11 | \$ | 7 | (138\%) | (165\%) |
| DDA | \$ | 4 | \$ | 4 | \$ | 4 |  |  |
| Volume |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Smart Side |  |  |  |  |  |  | (24\%) | 17\% |
| Hardboard |  |  |  |  |  |  | (27\%) | (0\%) |
| Price |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Smart Side |  |  |  |  |  |  | (2\%) | 2\% |
| Hardboard |  |  |  |  |  |  | (6\%) | (2\%) |

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## Dollar amounts in millions


a Profit equals sales less cost of sales, depreciation, amortization and cost of timber harvested and selling and administration directly associated with the segment

Dollar amounts in millions, except per share amounts

December 31, $\underline{2007}$

December 31, $\underline{2006}$

Total cash and investments
Working capital
Net cash and investments
Capital expenditures YTD (includes investments in JVs)

Book value per share
\$
\$ 587
\$ 391
\$
341
\$
17.95

796
0.

1,147
1,239
\$
827

See appendix for reconciliations

Appendix

## Appendix

Dollar amounts in millions
Calculation of "Working Capital"
Current assets
Current liabilities
Working capital

Calculation of "Net Cash and Investments"
Long-term debt

| $\$$ | $(486)$ | $\$$ | $(645)$ |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
|  | $(45)$ |  | $(3)$ |
|  | $(128)$ |  | - |
|  | $(74)$ |  | - |
|  | 253 |  | 327 |
|  | 74 |  | - |
|  | 796 |  | 1,147 |
|  |  | $\$$ | 827 |

Calculation of "Total Cash and Investments"
Cash and cash equivalents

| $\$$ | 352 |  | $\$$ | 258 |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: | ---: |
|  | 180 |  | 797 |  |
|  | 61 |  | 52 |  |
|  | 203 |  | 40 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |


|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ber 31, } \\ & 57 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { December 31, } \\ 2006 \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,076 | \$ | 1,496 |
|  | (489) |  | (257) |
| \$ | 587 | \$ | 1,239 |

Short-term notes payable
Current portion of long term debt
Current portion of limited recourse notes payable
Notes receivable from assets sales
253
327
Current portion of notes receivable from assets sales,

Total cash and investments
Net cash and investments

Short-term investments
180 797
Restricted cash
Long-term investments
Total cash and investments
,147


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