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Date of Report:

July 30, 2009

Date of earliest event reported:

July 30, 2009

OFFICEMAX INCORPORATED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State of Incorporation) 1-5057 (Commission File Number) **82-0100960** (IRS Employer Identification No.)

263 Shuman Blvd. Naperville, Illinois 60563

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(630) 438-7800

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On July 30, 2009, OfficeMax Incorporated (the "Company") issued an Earnings Release announcing its earnings for the second quarter of 2009. The earnings release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1. This information shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liability of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference to such filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 OfficeMax Incorporated Earnings Release dated July 30, 2009

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

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OFFICEMAX REPORTS SECOND QUARTER 2009 FINANCIAL RESULTS

NAPERVILLE, Ill., July 30, 2009 — OfficeMax^o Incorporated (NYSE: OMX) today announced the results for its second quarter ended June 27, 2009. Total sales were \$1,657.9 million in the second quarter of 2009, a decline of 16.5% from the second quarter of 2008. For the second quarter of 2009, OfficeMax reported a net loss available to OfficeMax common shareholders of \$17.7 million, or \$0.23 per diluted share.

Sam Duncan, Chairman and CEO of OfficeMax, said, "Our ongoing efforts to streamline the business and enhance the company's financial position significantly helped our performance in the second quarter. While we recognize the continued decline in the macro economy is masking achievements in our core business, we remain committed to conserving capital, reducing expenses and operating efficiently. At the same time, we continue to focus on initiatives that differentiate OfficeMax and position the company for longer-term growth."

Summary Consolidated Results

(in millions, except per-share amounts)	2Q 09	 2Q 08	YTD 09	YTD 08
Sales	\$ 1,657.9	\$ 1,984.6	\$ 3,569.6	\$ 4,287.6
Sales growth (over prior year period)	-16.5%		-16.7%	
Operating loss/income	\$ (27.5)	\$ (902.5)	\$ 0.1	\$ (823.9)
Adjusted operating income	\$ 0.8	\$ 39.9	\$ 38.3	\$ 122.7
Adjusted operating income margin	0.1%	2.0%	1.1%	2.9%
Adjusted diluted loss/income per common share	\$ (0.04)	\$ 0.24	\$ 0.19	\$ 0.92
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 295.8	\$ 155.9		
Available (unused) borrowing capacity	\$ 499.1	\$ 614.5		

The company has calculated adjusted income and earnings per share which are non-GAAP financial measures that exclude the effect of certain charges and income described in footnotes to the accompanying financial statements. A reconciliation to the company's GAAP financial results is included in this press release.

Results for the second quarter of 2009 and 2008 included certain charges and income that are not considered indicative of core operating activities. Second quarter 2009 results included a \$21.3 million pre-tax charge primarily related to Retail store closures; a \$6.9 million pre-tax severance charge recorded in the Contract segment related principally to U.S. and Canadian sales force

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reorganizations; and a pre-tax benefit of \$4.4 million recorded as interest income related to a tax escrow balance established in a prior period in connection with our legacy Voyageur Panel business sold in 2004. Second quarter 2008 results included a \$935.3 million non-cash charge (pre-tax) recorded in the Contract and Retail segments related to the impairment of goodwill and intangible assets; a \$10.2 million pre-tax charge recorded in the Retail segment related to employee severance from the reorganization of Retail store management; and a \$3.1 million gain recorded in the Corporate and Other segment related to the sold legacy Voyageur Panel business.

Excluding the items described above, adjusted operating income in the second quarter of 2009 was \$0.8 million, or 0.1% of sales, compared to adjusted operating income of \$39.9 million, or 2.0% of sales in the second quarter of 2008. Adjusted net loss available to OfficeMax common shareholders in the second quarter of 2009 was \$3.1 million, or \$0.04 per diluted share. This compares to adjusted net income available to OfficeMax common shareholders of \$18.3 million, or \$0.24 per diluted share, in the second quarter of 2008.

Contract Segment Results

(in millions)	2Q 09	2Q 08		YTD 09	YTD 08
Sales	\$ 881.7	\$ 1,111.9	\$	1,809.3	\$ 2,307.0
Sales growth (over prior year period)	-20.7%			-21.6%	
Gross profit margin	20.6%	21.7%)	20.8%	22.3%
Adjusted operating income margin	1.4%	4.2%)	1.9%	4.7%

OfficeMax Contract segment sales decreased 20.7% (16.1% after adjusting for the foreign currency exchange impact) to \$881.7 million in the second quarter of 2009 compared to the second quarter of 2008, reflecting a U.S. Contract operations sales decline of 18.3%, and an International Contract operations sales decline of 26.3% in U.S. dollars (a sales decrease of 11.2% in local currencies). The U.S. Contract sales decline in the second quarter primarily reflects weaker sales from existing corporate accounts.

Contract segment gross margin decreased to 20.6% in the second quarter of 2009 from 21.7% in the second quarter of 2008, primarily due to softer market conditions and a sales mix shift to a higher percentage of lower-margin, on-contract items. Contract segment operating, selling & administrative expense as a percentage of sales increased to 19.2% in the second quarter of 2009 from 17.5% in the second quarter of 2008, primarily due to deleveraging of fixed operating expenses from lower sales. Contract segment operating income was \$5.5 million in the second quarter of 2009 compared to an operating loss of

\$416.8 million in the second quarter of 2008. Contract segment adjusted operating income decreased to \$12.4 million, or 1.4% of sales, in the second quarter of 2009 compared to adjusted operating income of \$47.2 million, or 4.2% of sales, in the second quarter of 2008.

Retail Segment Results

(in millions)	2	Q 09		2Q 08	YTD 09	YTD 08
Sales	\$	776.2	\$	872.7	\$ 1,760.3	\$ 1,980.6
Same-store sales growth (over prior year period)		-11.6%			-12.3%	
Gross profit margin		27.5%		27.7%	27.5%	28.2%
Adjusted operating loss/income margin		-0.3%)	0.1%	1.3%	1.6%
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OfficeMax Retail segment sales decreased 11.1% to \$776.2 million in the second quarter of 2009 compared to the second quarter of 2008, reflecting a samestore sales decrease of 11.6% (a same-store sales decrease of 10.3% in local currencies), partially offset by sales from new stores. Retail same-store sales for the second quarter of 2009 declined across all major product categories primarily due to weaker small business and consumer spending, unfavorable Mexican Peso exchange rates, and the Swine Influenza A/H1N1 epidemic in Mexico.

Retail segment gross margin decreased to 27.5% in the second quarter of 2009 from 27.7% in the second quarter of 2008, primarily due to deleveraging of fixed occupancy costs from the same-store sales decrease and new stores, which was partially offset by reduced inventory shrinkage and increased product margin. Retail segment operating, selling & administrative expense as a percentage of sales was 27.8% in the second quarter of 2009 compared to 27.6% in the second quarter of 2008, and reflects deleveraging of fixed operating expenses from lower sales, partially offset by targeted cost controls including reduced payroll and lower store pre-opening expenses. Retail segment operating loss was \$23.3 million in the second quarter of 2009 compared to an operating loss of \$480.7 million in the second quarter of 2008. In the second quarter of 2009, the Retail segment recorded an adjusted operating loss of \$2.0 million. This compares to adjusted operating income of \$0.8 million, or 0.1% of sales, in the second quarter of 2008.

OfficeMax ended the second quarter of 2009 with a total of 1,012 retail stores, consisting of 933 retail stores in the U.S. and 79 retail stores in Mexico. During the second quarter of 2009, OfficeMax opened 5 retail stores in the U.S., and closed 11 stores in the U.S. and 2 in Mexico. For the full year 2009, OfficeMax expects to open 12 retail stores, and to close up to 25 retail stores.

Corporate and Other Segment Results

The OfficeMax Corporate and Other segment includes support staff services and certain other expenses that are not fully allocated to the Retail and Contract segments. Corporate and Other segment operating expense was \$9.6 million in the second quarter of 2009.

Balance Sheet and Cash Flow

As of June 27, 2009, OfficeMax had total debt of \$334.2 million, excluding \$1,470.0 million of timber securitization notes, which have recourse limited to the timber installment notes receivable and related guarantees. As of June 27, 2009, OfficeMax had \$295.8 million in cash and cash equivalents, and \$499.1 million in available (unused) borrowing capacity under its \$700 million revolving credit facility. The company's unused borrowing capacity as of June 27, 2009 reflects an available borrowing base of \$563.9 million, zero outstanding borrowings, and \$64.8 million of standby letters of credit issued under the revolving credit facility.

During the first six months of 2009, OfficeMax generated \$114.2 million of cash from operations which reflected good working capital management and includes \$45.0 million from second quarter 2009 borrowings on company-owned life insurance policies ("COLI").

Also during the second quarter of 2009, the company received \$25.1 million in cash related to a tax escrow balance established in a prior period in connection with our legacy Voyageur Panel business sold in 2004, and \$15.0 million of withdrawals from COLI. OfficeMax invested \$7.7 million for capital expenditures in the second quarter of 2009 compared to \$42.7 million in the second quarter of 2008. OfficeMax expects capital expenditures for full year 2009 to be in the range of \$40 million to \$50 million.

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Outlook

July sales trends were in line with the second quarter in the Contract segment, but were lower than the second quarter in the Retail segment. Given the projected weak economic climate and our anticipation of a soft Back-to-School season, OfficeMax remains very cautious in its expectations for the second half of 2009. The company expects sales to decline in the second half of 2009 on a year-over-year basis due to the difficult economic environment. As a result, OfficeMax expects continued deleveraging of costs and expenses for the remainder of 2009.

Mr. Duncan concluded, "As we enter Back-to-School season, our teams have been working together closely to ensure that we are offering our best assortment, have coordinated strong marketing programs, and are prudently managing inventory. Looking forward, OfficeMax continues to be in a good competitive position as a leading provider of office supply products and services with a global reach in a very large, fragmented industry. Although we anticipate the second half of 2009 will remain weak, we expect to maintain our solid financial condition and to generate cash flow from operations that will comfortably exceed capital expenditures for the full year. We believe we have been successfully pursuing the right initiatives and improving our business to deliver growth and shareholder value over the long-term."

Forward-Looking Statements

Certain statements made in this press release and other written or oral statements made by or on behalf of the company constitute "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the federal securities laws, including statements regarding the company's future performance, as well as management's expectations, beliefs, intentions, plans, estimates or projections relating to the future. Management believes that these forward-looking statements are reasonable. However, the company cannot guarantee that future events will not impact the company's access to cash or the funds available under its revolving credit facility, or that its actual results will be consistent with the forward-looking statements and you should not place undue reliance on them. These statements are based on current expectations and speak only as of the date they are made. The company undertakes no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of future events, new information or otherwise. Important factors regarding the company that may

cause results to differ from expectations are included in the company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 27, 2008, under Item 1A "Risk Factors", and in the company's other filings with the SEC.

Conference Call Information

OfficeMax will host a webcast and conference call with analysts and investors to review its second quarter 2009 financial results today at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Time (9:00 a.m. Central Time). The live audio webcast of the conference call can be accessed via the Internet by visiting the OfficeMax website at http://investor.officemax.com. The webcast will be archived and available online for one year following the call and will be posted on the "Presentations" page located within the "Investors" section of the OfficeMax website.

About OfficeMax

OfficeMax Incorporated (NYSE: OMX) is a leader in both business-to-business office products solutions and retail office products. The OfficeMax mission is simple. We help our customers do their best work. The company provides office supplies and paper, in-store print and document services through OfficeMax ImPress[®], technology products and solutions, and furniture to consumers and to large, medium and small businesses. OfficeMax customers are served by over 30,000 associates through direct sales, catalogs, e-commerce and more than 1,000 stores. To find the nearest OfficeMax, call 1-877-OFFICEMAX. For more information, visit www.officemax.com.

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OFFICEMAX INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (unaudited) (thousands)

	June 27, 2009	ı 	December 27, 2008		
ASSETS					
Current assets:					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 295,83	9 \$	170,779		
Receivables, net	506,52		566,846		
Inventories	796,15		949,401		
Deferred income taxes and receivables	196,12		105,140		
Other current assets	61,58		62,850		
Total current assets	1,856,22		1,855,016		
Property and equipment:					
Property and equipment	1,304,97	3	1,289,279		
Accumulated depreciation	(839,17		(798,551)		
Property and equipment, net	465,79		490,728		
Intangible assets, net	83,10	5	81,793		
Timber notes receivable	899,25)	899,250		
Deferred income taxes	363,04)	436,182		
Other non-current assets	343,08	L	410,614		
Total assets	\$ 4,010,51	1 \$	4,173,583		
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY Current liabilities:					
Current portion of debt	\$ 45,48	4 \$	64,452		
Income taxes payable	15,57	L	18,288		
Accounts payable	605,25	7	755,797		
Accrued liabilities and other	329,91)	358,934		
Total current liabilities	996,23	ī —	1,197,471		
Long-term debt:					
Long-term debt, less current portion	288,74	5	289,922		
Timber notes securitized	1,470,00		1,470,000		
Total long-term debt	1,758,74		1,759,922		
	1,750,74	,	1,755,522		
Other long-term obligations:					
Compensation and benefits	495,24	7	502,447		
Other long-term liabilities	423,94		401,869		
Total other long-term liabilities	919,19	-	904,316		
Noncontrolling interest in joint venture	28,26	Ĺ	21,871		
Shareholders' equity:					
Preferred stock	37,68		42,565		
Common stock	190,72		189,943		
Additional paid-in capital	923,85		925,328		
Accumulated deficit	(604,65	J)	(600,095)		

Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(239,529)	(267,738)
Total shareholders' equity	 308,081	290,003
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 4,010,511	\$ 4,173,583

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OFFICEMAX INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (unaudited) (thousands, except per-share amounts)

		Quarter Ended			
		June 27, 2009		June 28, 2008	
Sales	\$	1,657,878	\$	1,984,641	
Cost of goods sold and occupancy costs		1,262,969	•	1,501,063	
Gross profit		394,909		483,578	
Operating expenses:					
Operating and selling expenses		323,621		372,709	
General and administrative expenses		70,455		70,994	
Goodwill and other asset impairments (b)		_		935,340	
Other operating expense (a)		28,296		7,100	
Total operating expenses		422,372		1,386,143	
Operating loss		(27,463)		(902,565)	
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Other income (expense):					
Interest expense		(19,319)		(29,642)	
Interest income (c)		15,115		21,682	
Other income		213		88	
		(3,991)		(7,872)	
Loss before income taxes		(31,454)		(910,437)	
Income tax benefit		13,726		16,320	
Net loss attributable to OfficeMax and noncontrolling interest		(17,728)		(894,117)	
Joint venture results attributable to noncontrolling interest		780		(103)	
Net loss attributable to OfficeMax		(16,948)		(894,220)	
Preferred dividends		(766)		(1,052)	
Net loss available to OfficeMax common shareholders	\$	(17,714)	\$	(895,272)	
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Basic loss per common share	<u>\$</u>	(0.23)	\$	(11.79)	
Diluted loss per common share	<u>\$</u>	(0.23)	\$	(11.79)	
Weighted Average Shares					
Basic		76,285		75,916	
Diluted				75,916	
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⁽a) Second quarter of 2009 includes \$21.3 million of charges in our Retail segment related to store closures as well as severance charges of \$6.9 million in our Contract segment, principally related to U.S. and Canadian sales force reorganizations. In total, these charges reduced net income by \$17.3 million, or \$0.23 per diluted share.

(c) Second quarter of 2009 includes \$4.4 million of interest income related to a tax escrow balance established in a prior period in connection with our legacy Voyager Panel business sold in 2004. This item increased net income by \$2.7 million, or \$0.04 per diluted share.

Second quarter of 2008 includes a \$10.2 million charge related to employee severance from the reorganization of Retail store management as well as a \$3.1 million gain related to the sold legacy Voyageur Panel business. These items reduced net income by \$4.3 million, or \$0.06 per diluted share.

⁽b) Second quarter of 2008 includes a \$935.3 million non-cash charge related to impairment of goodwill, tradenames and fixed assets. These charges are recorded by segment in the following manner: Contract \$464.0 million and Retail \$471.3 million. This item reduced net income by \$909.3 million, or \$11.98 per diluted share.

OFFICEMAX INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (unaudited) (thousands, except per-share amounts)

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(a) The first six months of 2009 includes \$31.2 million of charges in our Retail segment related to store closures as well as severance charges of \$6.9 million in our Contract segment, principally related to U.S. and Canadian sales force reorganizations. In total, these charges reduced net income by \$23.2 million, or \$0.31 per diluted share.

The first six months of 2008 includes \$12.0 million of charges related to employee severance from the reorganization of Retail store, field and Impress management as well as a \$2.4 million charge related to the consolidation of the Contract segment's manufacturing facilities in New Zealand. The first six months of 2008 also includes a \$3.1 million gain related to the sold legacy Voyageur Panel business. These items reduced net income by \$7.0 million, or \$0.09 per diluted share.

(b) The first six months of 2008 includes \$935.3 million non-cash charges related to impairment of goodwill, tradenames and fixed assets. These charges are recorded by segment in the following manner: Contract \$464.0 million and Retail \$471.3 million. The charges reduced net income by \$909.3 million or \$11.98 per diluted share.

(c) The first six months of 2009 includes \$4.4 million of interest income related to a tax escrow balance established in a prior period in connection with our legacy Voyager Panel business sold in 2004. This item increased net income by \$2.7 million, or \$0.04 per diluted share.

(d) Other income includes income related to the company's investment in Boise Cascade, L.L.C. of \$2.6 million and \$20.5 million in 2009 and 2008, respectively. The large distribution in 2008 was primarily related to Boise's sale of a majority interest in their paper and packaging and newsprint business. These items increased net income \$1.6 million, or \$0.02 per diluted share in 2009 and \$12.5 million, or \$0.16 per diluted share in 2008.

(unaudited) (thousands)

	Six Mo	nths Ended
	June 27, 2009	June 28, 2008
Cash provided by operations:	¢ (1.005)	(000.010)
Net loss attributable to OfficeMax and noncontrolling interest	\$ (4,697)) \$ (829,918)
Items in net income not using (providing) cash:		
Depreciation and amortization	60,419	70,141
Non-cash impairment charges		935,340
Other	8,170	(2,725)
Changes other than from acquisitions of business:		
Receivables and inventory	212,104	134,363
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(192,096)	
Income taxes and other	30,307	(69,114)
Cash provided by operations	114,207	134,634
Cash provided by (used for) investment:		
Expenditures for property and equipment	(18,591)	
Other	40,761	9,284
Cash provided by (used for) investment	22,170	(66,678)
Cash used for financing:		
Cash dividends paid	(1,662)) (22,884)
Changes in debt, net	(20,301)	
Other	1,444	(11,328)
Cash used for financing	(20,519)	
	(20,015)	(04,704)
Effect of exchange rates on cash and cash equivalents	9,202	33
Increase in cash and cash equivalents	125,060	3,285
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	170,779	152,637
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Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 295,839	\$ 155,922
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OFFICEMAX INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS NON-GAAP RECONCILIATION (unaudited) (millions, except per-share amounts)

	Quarter Ended												
			June	27, 2009				June 28, 2008					
	A Repo		Adj	ustments	I	As Adjusted		As Reported	Adj	ustments	A	As djusted	
Sales	\$	1.657.9	\$	_	\$	1.657.9	\$	1.984.6	\$	_	\$	1,984.6	
Cost of goods sold and occupancy costs	Ŷ	1,263.0	Ψ	_	Ψ	1,263.0	Ψ	1,501.0	Ŷ	_	Ŷ	1,501.0	
Gross profit		394.9		_		394.9		483.6	-	_		483.6	
Operating expenses:													
Operating and selling expenses		323.6				323.6		372.7				372.7	
General and administrative expenses		70.5				70.5		71.0				71.0	
Goodwill and other asset impairments (b)								935.3		(935.3)			
Other operating expense (a)		28.3		(28.3)				7.1		(7.1)			
Total operating expenses		422.4	-	(28.3)		394.1		1,386.1		(942.4)		443.7	
Operating income (loss)		(27.5)		28.3		0.8		<u>(902.5</u>)		942.4		39.9	
Other income (expense):													
Interest expense		(19.3)		_		(19.3)		(29.7)				(29.7)	
Interest income (c)		15.1		(4.4)		10.7		21.7		_		21.7	
Other, income		0.2		()		0.2		0.1				0.1	
		(4.0)		(4.4)		(8.4)		(7.9)				(7.9)	
Income (loss) before income taxes		(31.5)		23.9		(7.6)		(910.4)		942.4		32.0	
Income tax (expense) benefit		13.8		(9.1)		4.7		16.3		(28.8)		(12.5)	
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Net income (loss) attributable to OfficeMax and noncontrolling interest		(17.7)		14.8		(2.9)		(894.1)		913.6		19.5	
Joint venture results attributable to noncontrolling interest		0.8		(0.2)		0.6		(0.1)		515.0		(0.1)	
Net income (loss) attributable to OfficeMax		(16.9)	-	14.6		(2.3)		(894.2)		913.6		19.4	
Preferred dividends		(0.8)				(0.8)		(1.1)				(1.1)	
Net income (loss) available to OfficeMax common													
shareholders	\$	(17.7)	\$	14.6	\$	(3.1)	\$	(895.3)	\$	913.6	\$	18.3	
Basic income (loss) per common share	\$	(0.23)	\$	0.19	\$	(0.04)	\$	(11.79)	\$	12.03	\$	0.24	
Diluted income (loss) per common share	\$	(0.23)	\$	0.19	\$	(0.04)	\$	(11.79)	\$	12.03	\$	0.24	
Waighted Avenues Shares													
Weighted Average Shares Basic		76,285				76,285		75.916				75,916	

Diluted	76,285	76,285	75,916	76,887

(a) Second quarter of 2009 includes \$21.3 million of charges in our Retail segment related to store closures as well as severance charges of \$6.9 million in our Contract segment, principally related to U.S. and Canadian sales force reorganizations. In total, these charges reduced net income by \$17.3 million, or \$0.23 per diluted share.

Second quarter of 2008 includes a \$10.2 million charge related to employee severance from the reorganization of Retail store management as well as a \$3.1 million gain related to the sold legacy Voyageur Panel business. These items reduced net income by \$4.3 million, or \$0.06 per diluted share.

(b) Second quarter of 2008 includes a \$935.3 million non-cash charge related to impairment of goodwill, tradenames and fixed assets. These charges are recorded by segment in the following manner: Contract \$464.0 million and Retail \$471.3 million. This item reduced net income by \$909.3 million, or \$11.98 per diluted share.

(c) Second quarter of 2009 includes \$4.4 million of interest income related to a tax escrow balance established in a prior period in connection with our legacy Voyager Panel business sold in 2004. This item increased net income by \$2.7 million, or \$0.04 per diluted share.

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OFFICEMAX INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS NON-GAAP RECONCILIATION (unaudited)

(millions, except per-share amounts)

	Six Months Ended											
		June 27, 2009			June 28, 2008							
		As Reported		Adjustments		As Adjusted		As Reported		Adjustments		As Adjusted
Sales	\$	3,569.6	\$	_	\$	3,569.6	\$	4,287.6	\$	_	\$	4,287.6
Cost of goods sold and occupancy costs		2,709.1		_		2,709.1	\$	3,216.2		_		3,216.2
Gross profit		860.5				860.5		1,071.4		_		1,071.4
Operating expenses:												
Operating and selling expenses		682.3				682.3		797.1				797.1
General and administrative expenses		139.9				139.9		151.6				151.6
Goodwill and other asset impairments (b)		105.5						935.3		(935.3)		101.0
Other operating expense (a)		38.2		(38.2)				11.3		(11.3)		
Total operating expenses		860.4	_	(38.2)	_	822.2	_	1,895.3	-	(946.6)		948.7
Total operating expenses		000.4		(30.2)		022.2		1,055.5		(340.0)		540.7
Operating income (loss)		0.1		38.2		38.3	_	(823.9)		946.6		122.7
Other income (expense):												
Interest expense		(38.6)				(38.6)		(59.3)				(59.3)
Interest income (c)		25.6		(4.4)		21.2		43.5				43.5
Other, income (d)		2.8		(4.4)		0.2		20.7		(20.5)		0.2
Oniei, niconie (u)		(10.2)	_	(7.0)	-	(17.2)	-	4.9		(20.5)		(15.6)
		(1012)		(,10)		(1/12)				(2013)		(1510)
Income (loss) before income taxes		(10.1)		31.2		21.1		(819.0)		926.1		107.1
Income tax (expense) benefit		5.5		(11.8)		(6.3)	_	(11.0)		(22.3)		(33.3)
Net income (loss) attributable to OfficeMax and												
noncontrolling interest		(4.6)		19.4		14.8		(830.0)		903.8		73.8
										905.0		
Joint venture results attributable to noncontrolling interest		1.6		<u>(0.5)</u> 18.9		<u>1.1</u> 15.9		(0.9)		903.8		(0.9) 72.9
Net income (loss) attributable to OfficeMax		(3.0)		18.9		15.9		(830.9)		903.8		72.9
Preferred dividends		(1.6)				(1.6)		(2.0)				(2.0)
Net income (loss) available to OfficeMax common												
shareholders	\$	(4.6)	\$	18.9	\$	14.3	\$	(832.9)	\$	903.8	\$	70.9
	¢	(0.00)	¢	0.25	¢	0.10	¢	(10.00)	¢	11.02	¢	0.04
Basic income (loss) per common share	\$	(0.06)	\$	0.25	\$	0.19	\$	(10.99)	\$	11.93	\$	0.94
Diluted income (loss) per common share	\$	(0.06)	\$	0.25	\$	0.19	\$	(10.99)	\$	11.91	\$	0.92
Weighted Average Shares												
Basic		76,207				76,207		75,781				75,781
Diluted		76,207				76,857		75,781				76,824

(a) The first six months of 2009 includes \$31.2 million of charges in our Retail segment related to store closures as well as severance charges of \$6.9 million in our Contract segment, principally related to U.S. and Canadian sales force reorganizations. In total, these charges reduced net income by \$23.2 million, or \$0.31 per diluted share.

The first six months of 2008 includes \$12.0 million of charges related to employee severance from the reorganization of Retail store, field and Impress management as well as a \$2.4 million charge related to the consolidation of the Contract segment's manufacturing facilities in New Zealand. The first six months of 2008 also includes a \$3.1 million gain related to the sold legacy Voyageur Panel business. These items reduced net income by \$7.0 million, or \$0.09 per diluted share.

(b) The first six months of 2008 includes \$935.3 million non-cash charges related to impairment of goodwill, tradenames and fixed assets. These charges are recorded by segment in the following manner: Contract \$464.0 million and Retail \$471.3 million. The charges reduced net income by \$909.3 million or \$11.98 per diluted share.

(c) The first six months of 2009 includes \$4.4 million of interest income related to a tax escrow balance established in a prior period in connection with our legacy Voyager Panel business sold in 2004. This item increased net income by \$2.7 million, or \$0.04 per diluted share.

(d) Other income includes income related to the company's investment in Boise Cascade, L.L.C. of \$2.6 million and \$20.5 million in 2009 and 2008, respectively. The large distribution in 2008 was primarily related to Boise's sale of a majority interest in their paper and packaging and newsprint business. These items increased net income \$1.6 million, or \$0.02 per diluted share in 2009 and \$12.5 million, or \$0.16 per diluted share in 2008.

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OFFICEMAX INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES CONTRACT SEGMENT STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (unaudited) (millions, except per-share amounts)

	Quarter Ended							
	June 27, 2009				June 28, 2008			
Sales	\$	881.7		\$	1,111.9			
Cost of goods sold and occupancy costs		700.2			870.1			
Gross profit		181.5	20.6%		241.8	21.7%		
Operating expenses:								
Operating expenses (a)		169.1	19.2%		194.6	17.5%		
Goodwill and other asset impairments		—	0.0%		464.0	41.7%		
Other operating expense		6.9	0.8%		—	0.0%		
Total operating expenses		176.0	20.0%		658.6	59.2%		
Operating income (loss)	\$	5.5	0.6%	\$	(416.8)	-37.5%		
Non-GAAP Reconciliation								
Operating income (loss)	\$	5.5	0.6%	\$	(416.8)	-37.5%		
Goodwill and other asset impairments		—	0.0%		464.0	41.7%		
Other operating expense		6.9	0.8%			0.0%		
Adjusted operating income	\$	12.4	1.4%	\$	47.2	4.2%		
	Six Months Ended							
		June 27, 2009			June 28, 2008			
Sales	\$	1,809.3	100.0%	\$	2,307.0	100.0%		
Cost of goods sold and occupancy costs		1,433.2			1,793.4			
Gross profit		376.1	20.8%		513.6	22.3%		

Operating and other expenses:				
Operating expenses (a)	342.2	18.9%	404.4	17.6%
Goodwill and other asset impairments		0.0%	464.0	20.1%
Other operating, net	6.9	0.4%	2.4	0.1%
Total operating and other expenses	 349.1	19.3%	870.8	37.8%
Operating income (loss)	\$ 27.0	1.5%	\$ (357.2)	-15.5%
Non-GAAP Reconciliation				
Operating income (loss)	\$ 27.0	1.5%	\$ (357.2)	-15.5%
Goodwill and other asset impairments	_	0.0%	464.0	20.1%
Other operating, net	6.9	0.4%	2.4	0.1%
Adjusted operating income	\$ 33.9	1.9%	\$ 109.2	4.7%

(a) Operating expenses includes operating and selling expenses as well as general and administrative expenses.

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OFFICEMAX INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES RETAIL SEGMENT STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (unaudited)

(millions, except per-share amounts)

	Quarter Ended							
	J	une 27, 2009						
Sales	\$	776.2		\$ 872.7				
Cost of goods sold and occupancy costs		562.8		630.9				
Gross profit		213.4	27.5%	241.8	27.7%			

Operating expenses:										
Operating expenses (a)		215.4	27.8%		241.0	27.6%				
Goodwill and other asset impairments		—	0.0%		471.3	54.0%				
Other operating expense		21.3	2.7%		10.2	1.2%				
Total operating expenses		236.7	30.5%		722.5	82.8 <mark></mark> %				
Operating loss	\$	(23.3)	-3.0%	\$	(480.7)	-55.1%				
Non-GAAP Reconciliation										
Operating loss	\$	(23.3)	-3.0%	\$	(480.7)	-55.1%				
Goodwill and other asset impairments		_	0.0%		471.3	54.0%				
Other operating expense		21.3	2.7%		10.2	1.2%				
Adjusted operating income (loss)	\$	(2.0)	-0.3%	\$	0.8	0.1%				
	Six Months Ended									
		June 27, 2009		June 28, 2008						
Sales	\$	1,760.3	100.0%	\$	1,980.6	100.0%				
Cost of goods sold and occupancy costs	Ψ	1,275.9	100.070	Ψ	1,422.7	100.070				
Gross profit		484.4	27.5%		557.9	28.2%				
Operating and other expenses:		461.1	26.20/		FDF 0	20,00/				
Operating expenses (a)		461.1	26.2%		525.8	26.6%				
Goodwill and other asset impairments		21.2	0.0% 1.8%		471.3	23.8% 0.6%				
Other operating, net		31.2			12.0					
Total operating and other expenses		492.3	28.0%		1,009.1	51.0%				
Operating loss	\$	(7.9)	-0.5%	\$	(451.2)	-22.8%				
Non-GAAP Reconciliation										
Operating loss	\$	(7.9)	-0.5%	\$	(451.2)	-22.8%				
Goodwill and other asset impairments	Ψ		0.0%	Ψ	471.3	23.8%				
Other operating, net		31.2	1.8%		12.0	0.6%				
Adjusted operating income	\$	23.3	1.3%	\$	32.1	1.6%				
rujusted operating meane			1.570	-		1.070				

(a) Operating expenses includes operating and selling expenses as well as general and administrative expenses.

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Reconciliation of non-GAAP Measures to GAAP Measures

We evaluate our results of operations before certain costs including store closure, severance related items, asset impairments, income related to our investment in Boise Cascade, L.L.C. and interest income related to a tax escrow balance, as they are not indicative of our core operating activities. We believe our presentation of financial measures before, or excluding, these items, which are non-GAAP measures, enhances our investors' overall understanding of our recurring operational performance and provides useful information to both investors and management to evaluate the ongoing operations and prospects of OfficeMax by providing better comparisons. Whenever we use non-GAAP financial measures, we designate these measures as "adjusted" and provide a reconciliation of non-GAAP financial measures to the most closely applicable GAAP financial measure. Investors are encouraged to review the related GAAP financial measures and the reconciliation of these non-GAAP financial measures to their most directly comparable GAAP financial measure. In the preceding tables, we reconcile our non-GAAP financial measures to our reported GAAP financial results for the second quarter and first six months of both 2009 and 2008.

Although we believe the non-GAAP financial measures enhance an investor's understanding of our performance, our management does not itself, nor does it suggest that investors should, consider such non-GAAP financial measures in isolation from, or as a substitute for, financial information prepared in accordance with GAAP. The non-GAAP financial measures we use may not be consistent with the presentation of similar companies in our industry. However, we present such non-GAAP financial measures in reporting our financial results to provide investors with an additional tool to evaluate our operating results in a manner that focuses on what we believe to be our ongoing business operations.