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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

x QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the quarterly period ended March 31, 2009

OR

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the transition period from ______ to _____

COMMISSION FILE NUMBER 1-6780

RAYONIER INC.

Incorporated in the State of North Carolina

I.R.S. Employer Identification Number 13-2607329

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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 x NO "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (Section 232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files).

YES " NO "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See definition of large accelerated filer, accelerated filer and smaller reporting company in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer xAccelerated filer "Non-accelerated filer "(Do not check if a smaller reporting company)Smaller reporting company "Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).

YES " NO x

As of April 27, 2009, there were outstanding 78,991,988 Common Shares of the Registrant.

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements

RAYONIER INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

AND COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

(Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share data)

	Thr	ee Months E 2009	Ended March 31 2008		
SALES	\$	274,370	\$	275,123	
Costs and Expenses					
Cost of sales		219,392		202,408	
Selling and general expenses		14,667		14,800	
Other operating income, net		(3,259)		(1,622)	
		230,800		215,586	
OPERATING INCOME		43,570		59,537	
Interest expense		(12,593)		(12,541)	
Interest and miscellaneous income, net		74		1,417	
INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS BEFORE INCOME TAXES		31,051		48,413	
Income tax expense		(5,227)		(9,675)	
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INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS		25,824		38,738	
		20,02		20,720	
DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS, NET (Note 2)					
Income from discontinued operations, net of income tax benefit (expense) of \$502 and (\$82)		97		960	
NET INCOME		25,921		39.698	
		23,721		57,070	
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS)					
Foreign currency translation adjustment		(4,878)		4,097	
Joint venture cash flow hedges		(2,350)		1,077	
Amortization of pension and postretirement plans, net of income tax expense of \$466 and \$561		425		1,346	
		.20		1,010	
COMPREHENSIVE INCOME	\$	19,118	\$	45.141	
COMI REHEASIVE INCOME	ψ	19,110	ψ	45,141	
EARNINGS PER COMMON SHARE BASIC EARNINGS PER SHARE					
Continuing Operations	\$	0.33	\$	0.50	
Discontinued Operations	φ	0.55	φ	0.00	
Discontinued Operations				0.01	
N_4 I	¢	0.22	¢	0.51	
Net Income	\$	0.33	\$	0.51	

DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE

Continuing Operations	\$ 0.33	\$ 0.49
Discontinued Operations		0.01
Net Income	\$ 0.33	\$ 0.50

See Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

RAYONIER INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands)

	March 31, 2009		Dec	ember 31, 2008
ASSETS				
CURRENT ASSETS				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	57,454	\$	61,685
Accounts receivable, less allowance for doubtful accounts of \$991 and \$1,130		71,896		72,549
Inventory				
Finished goods		81,933		78,389
Work in process		8,248		7,412
Raw materials		11,935		8,400
Manufacturing and maintenance supplies		2,399		2,477
Total inventory		104,515		96,678
Other current assets		43,936		39,971
Assets held for sale (Note 2)		49,832		56,093
Total Current Assets		327,633		326,976
TIMBER AND TIMBERLANDS, NET OF DEPLETION AND AMORTIZATION	1	238,930		1,254,978
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT	1,	238,930		1,234,970
Land		25,086		24,432
Buildings		123,725		124,143
Machinery and equipment		252,385		1,243,911
Machinery and equipment	1,	232,383		1,243,911
Total property, plant and equipment	1,	401,196		1,392,486
Less - accumulated depreciation	(1,	047,388)	(1,041,779)
		353,808		350,707
OTHER ASSETS		148,934		149,202
TOTAL ASSETS	\$2,	069,305	\$	2,081,863
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY				
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Accounts payable	\$	73,615	\$	70.011
Bank loans and current maturities	ψ	620	Ψ	620
Accrued interest		13,668		4,202
Liabilities associated with assets held for sale (Note 2)		5,699		6,227
Current liabilities for dispositions and discontinued operations (Note 11)		5,699 8,400		8,214
Other current liabilities		65,990		73,677
		05,990		75,077
Total Current Liabilities		167,992		162,951
LONG-TERM DEBT		748,033		746,591

NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES FOR DISPOSITIONS AND DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS (Note

94,857	96,361
121,688	121,440
14,914	15,583
530,538	527,302
496,382	509,931
(105,099)	(98,296)
921,821	938,937
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See Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

RAYONIER INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands)

	Three Months End 2009	Ended March 31, 2008	
OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Net income	\$ 25,921 \$	5 39,698	
Non-cash items included in income:			
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	38,519	33,503	
Non-cash cost of real estate sold	3,490	2,566	
Non-cash stock-based incentive compensation expense	4,338	3,729	
Amortization of convertible debt discount	1,442	1,343	
Deferred income tax (benefit) expense	(1,238)	3,296	
Excess tax benefits on stock-based compensation	(68)	(954)	
Other	2,231	1,411	
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:			
Receivables	(1,408)	941	
Inventories	(6,470)	3,845	
Accounts payable	(1,755)	2,684	
Other current assets	(770)	77	
Accrued liabilities	3,516	10,718	
Other assets	(454)	(781)	
Other non-current liabilities	(217)	(69)	
Expenditures for dispositions and discontinued operations	(2,285)	(1,771)	
CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	64,792	100,236	
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Capital expenditures	(29,828)	(31,831)	
Purchase of timberlands		(19,567)	
Change in restricted cash	(2,964)	10,013	
Other	4,118	3,153	
CASH USED FOR INVESTING ACTIVITIES	(28,674)	(38,232)	
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Issuance of debt	20,000		
Repayment of debt	(20,000)	(55,000)	
Dividends paid	(39,416)	(39,128)	
Repurchase of common shares	(1,388)	(3,488)	
Proceeds from the issuance of common shares	218	596	
Excess tax benefits on stock-based compensation	68	954	
CASH USED FOR FINANCING ACTIVITIES	(40,518)	(96,066)	
EFFECT OF EXCHANGE RATE CHANGES ON CASH	169	(150)	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS			
Decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(4,231)	(34,212)	

Balance, beginning of year	61,685	181,081
Balance, end of period	\$ 57,454	\$ 146,869
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION		
Cash paid (received) during the period: Interest	\$ 1,217	\$ 641
Income taxes	\$ 729	\$ (262)
Non-cash investing activity:		
Capital assets purchased on account	\$ 14,034	\$ 14,037

See Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

RAYONIER INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands unless otherwise stated)

1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION AND NEW ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS Basis of Presentation

The unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements and notes thereto of Rayonier Inc. and its subsidiaries (Rayonier or the Company) were prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America for interim financial information and in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission. In the opinion of management, these financial statements and notes reflect all adjustments (including normal recurring adjustments) necessary for a fair presentation of the results of operations, financial position and cash flows for the periods presented. These statements and notes should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and supplementary data included in the Company s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2008, as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

New Accounting Pronouncements

In March 2008, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards (SFAS) No. 161, *Disclosures about Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities an amendment of FASB Statement No. 133* (SFAS 161). This Statement requires enhanced disclosures about an entity s derivative and hedging activities, including (a) how and why an entity uses derivative instruments, (b) how derivative instruments and related hedged items are accounted for under SFAS No. 133, *Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities* (SFAS 133), and its related interpretations, and (c) how derivative instruments and related hedged items affect an entity s financial position, financial performance, and cash flows. The Company adopted the provisions of SFAS 161 effective January 1, 2009. See Note 8 *Financial Instruments* for the Company s disclosures about its derivative instruments and hedging activities.

In May 2008, the FASB issued FASB Staff Position No. APB 14-1, *Accounting for Convertible Debt Instruments That May Be Settled in Cash upon Conversion (Including Partial Cash Settlement)* (FSP APB 14-1). FSP APB 14-1 requires that entities with convertible debt instruments that may be settled in cash upon conversion (including partial cash settlement) separately account for the liability and equity components in a manner that reflects the entity s nonconvertible debt borrowing rate when interest expense is recognized in subsequent periods. The Company adopted FSP APB 14-1 on January 1, 2009 and retrospectively applied the fair value of the equity component net of accumulated amortization in 2007 and 2008. The adoption of FSP APB 14-1 resulted in the recognition of a \$23.7 million debt discount, an \$8.7 million deferred tax liability and a \$15.0 million increase to shareholders equity, net of income taxes as of December 31, 2008. The Company recorded additional interest expense, net of tax benefits, related to the amortization of the debt discount of \$0.9 million, or \$.01 per diluted share, in both the three months ended March 31, 2009 and 2008, and \$3.5 million and \$0.7 million during the years ended 2008 and 2007, respectively. See Note 14 *Convertible Debt* for additional information on the Company s convertible debt.

In December 2008, the FASB issued FSP No. FAS 132(R)-1, *Employers Disclosures about Postretirement Benefit Plan Assets*. The FSP amends SFAS No. 132(R) to require disclosure of investment policies, strategies, categories of plan assets and information about the fair value measurements of plan assets of a defined pension or other postretirement plan. The disclosures are effective for fiscal years ending after December 15, 2009.

2. ASSETS HELD FOR SALE

The Company holds a 40 percent interest in a joint venture (JV) that owns or leases approximately 329,000 acres of New Zealand timberlands. In addition to the investment, Rayonier New Zealand Limited (RNZL), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Rayonier Inc., serves as the manager of the JV forests and operates a log trading business. Rayonier s Board of Directors approved a plan to offer to sell the Company s 40 percent interest in the JV as well as the operations of RNZL. Collectively, the Company s JV interest and RNZL operations qualify as a component of an entity under SFAS No. 144, Accounting for the Impairment or Disposal of Long-Lived Assets. As a result, the operating results of the JV and

RNZL have been segregated from continuing operations in the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income and reported as discontinued operations for all periods presented. The assets and liabilities are classified as Assets held for sale and Liabilities associated with assets held for sale in the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets. The JV and the related management activities performed by RNZL were previously reported in the Timber segment while the log trading operations of RNZL were reported in Other for segment purposes.

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Operating results of the discontinued operations are summarized below:

Thr	Three Months Ended Mar		
	2009		2008
\$	5,015	\$	9,070
	(1,237)		972
	(405)		1,042
	502		(82)
	97		960
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The assets and liabilities of discontinued operations are summarized below:

	Mare	ch 31, 2009	Decem	ber 31, 2008
Assets				
Accounts receivable, net	\$	10,010	\$	7,373
Other current assets		699		767
Property and equipment, net		82		102
Other assets		4,849		4,901
Investment in JV		34,192		42,950
Total assets held for sale	\$	49,832	\$	56,093
Liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$	689	\$	702
Other current liabilities		1,107		2,247
Deferred tax liability		3,903		3,278
Total liabilities associated with assets held for sale	\$	5,699	\$	6,227

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NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

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3. EARNINGS PER COMMON SHARE

The following table provides details of the calculation of basic and diluted earnings per common share:

		Three Months E March 31,				
		2009		2008		
Income from continuing operations	\$	25,824	\$	38,738		
Income from discontinued operations		97		960		
Net income (1)	\$	25,921	\$	39,698		
Shares used for determining basic earnings per common share	78	,806,973	78	3,254,220		
Dilutive effect of:						
Stock options		221,962		221,962 70		705,050
Performance and restricted shares		243,542	3,542 253			
Shares used for determining diluted earnings per common share	79	9,272,477	79	9,212,287		
Basic earnings per common share:						
Continuing operations	\$	0.33	\$	0.50		
Discontinued operations				0.01		
Net income (1)	\$	0.33	\$	0.51		
Diluted earnings per common share:						
Continuing operations	\$	0.33	\$	0.49		
Discontinued operations				0.01		
· · · ·						
Net income (1)	\$	0.33	\$	0.50		

(1) 2008 has been restated as a result of adopting FSP APB 14-1. See Note 1 Basis of Presentation and New Accounting Pronouncements.

4. INCOME TAXES

Rayonier is a real estate investment trust (REIT). In general, only the Company s taxable REIT subsidiaries, whose businesses include the Company s non-REIT qualified activities, are subject to U.S. federal and state corporate income taxes. However, the Company is subject to U.S. federal corporate income tax on built-in gains (the excess of fair market value over tax basis for property held by the Company upon REIT election at January 1, 2004) on taxable sales of such built-in gain property during the first 10 years following the election to be taxed as a REIT. Accordingly, the provision for corporate income taxes relates principally to current and deferred taxes on income from taxable REIT subsidiary operations and on certain property sales.

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NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

(Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands unless otherwise stated)

Provision for Income Taxes from Continuing Operations

The following tables reconcile the Company s income tax provision at the U.S. statutory tax rate to the reported provision and effective tax rate (dollars in millions):

	Three months ended March 31,				
	2009	%	2008	%	
Income tax provision at U.S. statutory rate	\$ (10.9)	(35.0)	\$ (16.9)	(35.0)	
REIT income not subject to federal tax	4.6	14.7	7.3	15.1	
Permanent differences/other	0.3	0.9	(0.4)	(0.6)	
Income tax provision before discrete items	\$ (6.0)	(19.4)	\$ (10.0)	(20.5)	
Other adjustments	0.8	2.6	0.3	0.5	
Income tax expense as reported	\$ (5.2)	(16.8)	\$ (9.7)	(20.0)	

The Company s effective tax rate is below the 35 percent U.S. statutory tax rate primarily due to tax benefits associated with being a REIT and like-kind exchange (LKE) transactions. The effective rate from continuing operations before discrete items was comparable to the prior period.

FIN 48 Disclosures

There were no significant changes to the Company s uncertain tax positions in the first quarter of 2009. For a detail of the Company s uncertain tax positions refer to Note 9 *Income Taxes* in the 2008 Annual Report on Form 10-K.

5. RESTRICTED DEPOSITS

For certain real estate sales to qualify for LKE treatment, the sales proceeds must be deposited with a third party intermediary and accounted for as restricted cash until qualifying replacement property is acquired. In the event that LKE purchases are not completed, the proceeds are returned to the Company and reclassified as cash after 180 days. As of March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008, the Company had \$4.5 million and \$1.5 million, respectively, of proceeds from real estate sales classified as restricted cash in Other assets, which were on deposit with an LKE intermediary.

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NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

(Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands unless otherwise stated)

6. SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY

An analysis of shareholders equity for the three months ended March 31, 2009 and the year ended December 31, 2008 is shown below (share amounts not in thousands):

	Common Shares			Accumulated Other			
	CI.		Retained			Sh	areholders
Balance, December 31, 2007	Shares 78,216,696	Amount (1) \$ 506,650	Earnings (1) \$ 518,618	Inc \$	ome (Loss) (25,638)	\$	Equity 999,630
Net income	78,210,090	\$ 500,050	148,583	ψ	(25,050)	ψ	148,583
Dividends (\$2.00 per share)			(157,270)				(157,270)
Issuance of shares under incentive stock plans	690,031	8,265	(157,270)				8,265
Stock-based compensation	070,051	13,344					13,344
Excess tax benefit on stock-based compensation		3,248					3,248
Repurchase of common shares	(92,296)	(3,979)					(3,979)
Net loss from pension and postretirement plans					(65,527)		(65,527)
Retiree medical benefit plan amendment					16,377		16,377
Foreign currency translation adjustment					(23,508)		(23,508)
Other		(226)					(226)
Balance, December 31, 2008	78,814,431	\$ 527,302	\$ 509,931	\$	(98,296)	\$	938,937
Net income			25,921				25,921
Dividends (\$.50 per share)			(39,470)				(39,470)
Issuance of shares under incentive stock plans	213,747	218					218
Stock-based compensation		4,338					4,338
Excess tax benefit on stock-based compensation		68					68
Repurchase of common shares	(49,362)	(1,388)					(1,388)
Amortization of pension and postretirement plans					425		425
Foreign currency translation adjustment					(4,878)		(4,878)
Joint venture cash flow hedges					(2,350)		(2,350)
Balance, March 31, 2009	\$ 78,978,816	\$ 530,538	\$ 496,382	\$	(105,099)	\$	921,821

(1) Restated as a result of adopting FSP APB 14-1. See Note 1 Basis of Presentation and New Accounting Pronouncements.

7. SEGMENT INFORMATION

Rayonier operates in four reportable business segments as defined by SFAS No. 131, *Disclosures about Segments of an Enterprise and Related Information*: Timber, Real Estate, Performance Fibers, and Wood Products. Timber sales include all activities that relate to the harvesting of timber. Real Estate sales include all property sales, including those designated for higher and better use (HBU). The assets of the Real Estate segment include HBU property held by the Company s real estate subsidiary, TerraPointe LLC, and parcels under contract previously in the Timber segment. Allocations of depletion expense and non-cash costs of real estate sold are recorded when the Real Estate segment sells an

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asset from the Timber segment. The Performance Fibers segment includes two major product lines, cellulose specialties and absorbent materials. The Wood Products segment is comprised of the Company s lumber operations. The Company s remaining operations include harvesting and selling timber acquired from third parties (log trading). These operations are combined and reported in Other Operations. Sales between operating segments are made based on fair market value and intercompany profit or loss is eliminated in consolidation. The Company evaluates financial performance based on the operating income of the segments.

Operating income (loss) as presented in the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income, is equal to segment income (loss). Certain income (loss) items in the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income are not allocated to segments. These items, which include gains (losses) from certain asset dispositions, interest income (expense), miscellaneous income (expense) and income tax (expense) benefit, are not considered by Company management to be part of segment operations.

RAYONIER INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

(Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands unless otherwise stated)

Total assets, sales, operating income (loss) and depreciation, depletion and amortization by segment including Corporate were as follows:

	March 31, 2009	December 31, 2008
ASSETS		
Timber	\$ 1,279,221	\$ 1,277,825
Real Estate	76,976	73,021
Performance Fibers	508,977	495,659
Wood Products	25,342	26,573
Other Operations	18,478	19,056
Assets Held for Sale	49,832	56,093
Corporate and other	110,479	133,636
TOTAL	\$ 2,069,305	\$ 2,081,863

		nths Ended ch 31,
	2009	2008
SALES		
Timber	\$ 33,177	\$ 44,701
Real Estate	26,593	29,351
Performance Fibers	203,635	174,926
Wood Products	11,752	18,912
Other Operations	2,433	7,233
Intersegment Eliminations	(3,220)	
TOTAL	\$ 274,370	\$ 275,123

	Three Months Ended March 31,		
	2009 20		2008
OPERATING INCOME (LOSS)			
Timber	\$ (1,156)	\$	10,802
Real Estate	14,413		21,768
Performance Fibers	40,849		37,056
Wood Products	(3,573)		(2,544)
Other Operations	(46)		(313)
Corporate and other	(6,917)		(7,232)
TOTAL	\$ 43,570	\$	59,537

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NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

(Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands unless otherwise stated)

	En	Months Ided ch 31,
	2009	2008
DEPRECIATION, DEPLETION AND AMORTIZATION		
Timber	\$ 17,436	\$ 18,067
Real Estate	5,389	2,695
Performance Fibers	14,288	11,164
Wood Products	1,218	1,444
Other Operations	1	8
Corporate and other	187	125
TOTAL	\$ 38,519	\$ 33,503

8. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Commodity Swap Agreements

The Company enters into commodity forward contracts to fix some of its fuel oil and natural gas costs at its Performance Fibers mills. The forward contracts partially mitigate the risk of a change in Performance Fibers margins resulting from an increase or decrease in fuel oil and natural gas prices. At March 31, 2009, the Company had hedges through the end of 2009 on 68,400 gallons of fuel oil. The Company s commodity forward contracts do not qualify for hedge accounting under SFAS 133 and instead are required to be marked-to-market. The mark-to-market adjustments are recorded in Other operating income, net.

The following table presents the location of all assets and liabilities associated with the Company s hedging instruments within the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets:

Derivatives not designated as hedging		Fair	Value a	ıt:
instruments under SFAS 133	Balance Sheet Location	March 31, 2009		ember 31, 2008
Fuel oil contracts	Other current liabilities	\$ (2,135)	\$	(3,825)
The following table presents the impact of derivation	ive instruments and their location within the Conder	used Consolidated	1 State	ment of Income
and Comprehensive Income:				

Derivatives not designated as hedging	Location of Gain or (Loss)	Three Months March 3	
instruments under SFAS 133	recognized in income	2009	2008
Fuel oil contracts	Other operating income, net	\$ 337 \$	243

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(Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands unless otherwise stated)

FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS 9.

Assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis are summarized below:

	Carrying Value at	
Asset (liability)	March 31, 2009	Level 2
Commodity swap agreements	\$ (2,135)	\$ (2,135)
Investment in QSPE	2,757	2,757

10. GUARANTEES

The Company provides financial guarantees as required by creditors, insurance programs and state and foreign governmental agencies. As of March 31, 2009, the following financial guarantees were outstanding:

	Maximum Potential Payment	Carrying Amount of Liability
Standby letters of credit (1)	\$ 45,069	\$ 39,247
Guarantees (2)	4,483	63
Surety bonds (3)	10,863	1,982
Total	\$ 60,415	\$ 41,292

- (1) Approximately \$39 million of the standby letters of credit serve as credit support for industrial revenue bonds. The remaining letter of credit supports obligations under various insurance related agreements, primarily workers compensation and pollution liability policy requirements. These letters of credit expire at various dates during 2009, and will be renewed as required.
- (2) In conjunction with RNZL s sale of timberlands to the New Zealand JV in October 2005, the Company guaranteed five years of Crown Forest license obligations. The JV is the primary obligor and has posted a bank performance bond with the New Zealand government. If the JV fails to pay the obligation, the New Zealand government will demand payment from the bank that posted the bond. If the bank defaults on the bond, the Company would then have to perform. As of March 31, 2009, two annual payments, of \$1.0 million each, remain. This guarantee expires in 2010.

In conjunction with a timberland sale and note monetization in the first quarter of 2004, the Company issued a make-whole agreement pursuant to which it guaranteed \$2.5 million of obligations of a qualified special purpose entity that was established to complete the monetization. At March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008, the Company has recorded a de minimus liability to reflect the fair market value of its obligation to perform under the make-whole agreement.

(3) Rayonier issued surety bonds primarily to secure timber in the State of Washington and to provide collateral for the Company s workers compensation self-insurance program in Washington and Georgia. These surety bonds expire at various dates during 2009 and 2010, and are renewed as required.

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11. LIABILITIES FOR DISPOSITIONS AND DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS

An analysis of activity in the liabilities for dispositions and discontinued operations for the three months ended March 31, 2009 and the year ended December 31, 2008, is as follows:

	March 31, 2009	Decem 20	ber 31, 08
Balance, January 1,	\$ 104,575	\$ 1	13,685
Expenditures charged to liabilities	(2,285)		(7,660)
Increase (reduction) to liabilities	967		(1, 450)
Balance, end of period	103,257	1(04,575
Less: Current portion	(8,400)		(8,214)
Non-current portion	\$ 94,857	\$ 9	96,361

The Company believes established liabilities are sufficient for costs expected to be incurred over the next 20 years with respect to its dispositions and discontinued operations. The Company is exposed to the risk of reasonably possible additional losses in excess of the established liabilities. As of March 31, 2009, this amount could range up to \$32 million and arises from uncertainty over the availability or effectiveness of certain remediation technologies, additional or different contamination that may be discovered, development of new or improved environmental remediation technologies, changes in applicable law and the exercise of discretion in interpretation of applicable law and regulations by governmental agencies.

For additional information on the Company s environmental liabilities refer to Note 15 *Liabilities for Dispositions and Discontinued Operations,* in the 2008 Annual Report on Form 10-K.

12. CONTINGENCIES

From time to time, Rayonier becomes subject to pending and threatened litigation and environmental and other matters. For additional information refer to Note 16 *Contingencies* in the 2008 Annual Report on Form 10-K.

The Company has been named as a defendant in various other lawsuits and claims arising in the normal course of business. While the Company has procured reasonable and customary insurance covering risks normally occurring in connection with its businesses, it has in certain cases retained some risk through the operation of self-insurance, primarily in the areas of workers compensation, property insurance, and general liability. These other lawsuits and claims, either individually or in the aggregate, are not expected to have a material effect on the Company s financial position, results of operations, or cash flow.

13. EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLANS

The Company has four qualified non-contributory defined benefit pension plans covering a majority of its employees and an unfunded pension plan that provides benefits in excess of amounts allowable under current tax law in the qualified plans. Employee benefit plan liabilities are calculated using actuarial estimates and management assumptions. These estimates are based on historical information, along with certain

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assumptions about future events. Changes in assumptions, as well as changes in actual experience, could cause the estimates to change.

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The net periodic benefit costs for the Company s pension and postretirement plans (medical and life insurance) are shown in the following table:

	Three Mo	nsion nths Ended ch 31, 2008	Postreti Three Mon Marc 2009	ths Ended
Components of Net Periodic Benefit Cost				
Service cost	\$ 1,842	\$ 1,586	\$ 90	\$ 164
Interest cost	4,349	3,824	301	628
Expected return on plan assets	(5,291)	(4,817)		
Amortization of prior service cost	354	329	22	179
Amortization of plan amendment			(2,392)	
Amortization of losses	1,349	1,118	1,558	281
Net periodic benefit cost	\$ 2,603	\$ 2,040	\$ (421)	\$ 1,252

The Company made no pension contributions in the first quarter of 2009. The Company is required to make pension contributions of approximately \$8 million in 2009, but may elect to make additional discretionary contributions.

14. CONVERTIBLE DEBT

In October 2007, TRS issued \$300 million of 3.75% Senior Exchangeable Notes due 2012. The notes are guaranteed by Rayonier Inc., and are non-callable. The \$300 million in principal will be settled in cash and any excess exchange value will be settled at the option of the Company in either cash or stock of Rayonier Inc. Note holders may convert their notes subject to certain conversion provisions including the market price of the Company s common stock and the trading price of the convertible notes. The initial exchange rate is 18.24 shares per \$1,000 principal based on an exchange price equal to 122 percent of the stock s closing price of \$44.93 on October 10, 2007, or \$54.81 per share.

In separate transactions, TRS and Rayonier, respectively, purchased an exchangeable note and sold warrants based on 5,472,991 underlying shares of Rayonier Inc. These transactions had the effect of increasing the conversion premium from 22 percent to 40 percent or to \$62.90 per share. On exercise of the hedge, TRS will receive shares of Rayonier Inc. common stock equal to the difference between the then market price and the strike price of \$54.81. The holders of the warrants receive net shares from Rayonier if the share price is above \$62.90 at maturity of the warrants.

The purchased hedge and sold warrants are not part of the terms of the notes and will not affect the note holders rights. Likewise, the note holders will not have any rights with respect to the hedge or the warrants. The purchased hedge and the sold warrants meet the definition of derivatives under SFAS No. 133, *Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities*. However, because these instruments have been determined to be indexed to the Company s own stock in accordance with EITF Issue No. 01-6, *The Meaning of Indexed to a Company s Own Stock*, and have been recorded in shareholders equity in the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet (as determined under EITF Issue No. 00-19, *Accounting for Derivative Instruments Indexed to, and Potentially Settled in, a Company s Own Stock*), the instruments meet the scope exception of SFAS No. 133 and are not subject to the mark-to-market provisions of that standard.

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The amounts related to the convertible debt in the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets are as follows:

	March 31, 2009	De	cember 31, 2008
Liabilities:			
Principal amount of debt	\$ 300,000	\$	300,000
Unamortized discount	(22,306)		(23,748)
Net carrying amount of debt	\$ 277,694	\$	276,252
Equity:			
Common stock	\$ 19,243	\$	19,243
unamortized discount will be amortized through October 2012.			

The amount of interest related to the convertible debt recognized in the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income are as follows:

		nths Ended ch 31,
	2009	2008
Contractual interest coupon	\$ 2,813	\$ 2,813
Amortization of debt discount	1,442	1,343
Total interest expense recognized	\$ 4,255	\$ 4,156

The effective interest rate on the liability component for the three months ended March 31, 2009 and 2008 was 6.21%.

15. ACCUMULATED OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS)

Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss) was comprised of the following:

	March 31, 2009	De	cember 31, 2008
Foreign currency translation adjustments	\$ 5,911	\$	10,789
Joint venture cash flow hedges	(2,350)		
Unrecognized components of employee benefit plans, net of tax	(108,660)		(109,085)
Total	\$ (105,099)	\$	(98,296)

During the three months ended March 31, 2009, the decrease in net foreign currency translation adjustments was due to the weakening of the New Zealand dollar against the U.S. dollar.

16. SUBSEQUENT EVENT

On April 8, 2009, Rayonier received notification from the Internal Revenue Service that its application for registration as an alternative fuel mixer had been approved. As a result, the Company expects to be eligible for a tax credit equal to \$0.50 per gallon of black or red liquor (biomass-based fuels generated as part of the pulping process) burned as part of an alternative fuel mixture used at its Performance Fibers mills from January 19, 2009 through the expiration of the tax credit, currently December 31, 2009. The Company believes that approximately \$40 million in tax credits were generated in the first quarter of 2009, which will be recognized in the second quarter 2009 financial statements. Through the date of this filing, the Company believes that approximately \$60 million in tax credits have been generated in 2009. Starting in the second quarter, credits will be recognized in the period they are earned.

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17. CONSOLIDATING FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

In October 2007, Rayonier TRS Holdings Inc. (TRS), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Rayonier Inc., issued \$300 million of 3.75% Senior Exchangeable Notes due 2012. The notes are guaranteed by Rayonier Inc. and are non-callable. In connection with these exchangeable notes, the Company provides the following condensed consolidating financial information in accordance with SEC Regulation S-X Rule 3-10, *Financial Statements of Guarantors and Issuers of Guaranteed Securities Registered or Being Registered*. Each entity in the consolidating financial information follows the same accounting policies as described in the consolidated financial statements, except for the use of the equity method of accounting to reflect ownership interests in wholly-owned subsidiaries which are eliminated upon consolidation and the allocation of certain expenses of Rayonier Inc., incurred for the benefit of its subsidiaries.

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	CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENTS OF INCOME For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2009 Ravonier TRS Subsidiaries of												
	Rayonier Inc. (Parent Guarantor)	Ho I (Is	Rayonier TRS Holdings Inc. (Issuer)		osidiaries of yonier TRS ldings Inc. -guarantors)	S All Other c. Subsidiaries		es Consolidatin ors) Adjustment			Total Isolidated		
SALES	\$	\$		\$	232,660	\$	51,216	\$	(9,506)	\$	274,370		
Costs and Expenses													
Cost of sales	2 400				195,263		34,543		(10,414)		219,392		
Selling and general expenses Other operating income, net	2,489 (105)				11,336 (815)		842 (2,339)				14,667 (3,259)		
Other operating income, net	(105)				(013)		(2,339)				(3,239)		
OPERATING (LOSS) INCOME	(2,384)				26,876		18,170		908		43,570		
Interest expense	(110)		(4,607)		(6,718)		(1,158)				(12,593)		
Interest and miscellaneous income, net	795		(773)		(1,202)		1,283		(29)		74		
Equity in income from subsidiaries	29,459		13,705						(43,164)				
INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS BEFORE INCOME													
TAXES	27,760		8,325		18,956		18,295		(42,285)		31,051		
Income tax (expense) benefit	(1,090)		1,964		(6,101)						(5,227)		
INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS	26,670		10,289		12,855		18,295		(42,285)		25,824		
DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS, NET													
(Loss) Income on discontinued operations, net of tax	(753)				850						97		
NET INCOME	\$ 25,917	\$	10,289	\$	13,705	\$	18,295	\$	(42,285)	\$	25,921		

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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		CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENTS OF INCOME For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2008 Rayonier TRS Subsidiaries of											
	Rayonier Inc. (Parent Guarantor)	Hol	dings nc. suer)	Ray Ho	onier TRS Idings Inc. guarantors)	Sul	ll Other bsidiaries guarantors)		nsolidating justments	Со	Total 1solidated		
SALES	\$	\$		\$	219,776	\$	92,692	\$	(37,345)	\$	275,123		
Costs and Expenses													
Cost of sales					180,111		33,756		(11,459)		202,408		
Selling and general expenses	2,526				11,520		754				14,800		
Other operating (income) expense, net	(202)				359		(1,779)				(1,622)		
OPERATING (LOSS) INCOME	(2,324)				27,786		59,961		(25,886)		59,537		
Interest expense	536		(4,482)		(6,616)		(1,979)				(12,541)		
Interest and miscellaneous income, net	887		(773)		(51)		1,354				1,417		
Equity in income from subsidiaries	40,105		9,952						(50,057)				
INCOME FROM CONTINUING													
OPERATIONS BEFORE INCOME													
TAXES	39,204		4,697		21,119		59,336		(75,943)		48,413		
Income tax (expense) benefit	(529)		1,957		(11,103)						(9,675)		
INCOME FROM CONTINUING													
OPERATIONS	38,675		6,654		10,016		59,336		(75,943)		38,738		
DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS, NET													
Income (loss) on discontinued operations,													
net of tax	1,024				(64)						960		
NET INCOME	\$ 39,699	\$	6,654	\$	9,952	\$	59,336	\$	(75,943)	\$	39,698		

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	•	onier Inc. Guaranto	1	yonier TRS Holdings Inc. (Issuer)	Ra H	bsidiaries of ayonier TRS oldings Inc. n-guarantors)	S	All Other ubsidiaries n-guarantors)	Consolidating Adjustments	Co	Total nsolidated
ASSETS											
CURRENT ASSETS											
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	1,695	\$		\$	30,196	\$	25,563	\$	\$	57,454
Accounts receivable, less allowance for doubtful accounts						68,306		3,590			71,896
Inventory						109,274			(4,759)		104,515
Intercompany interest receivable								1,261	(1,261)		
Other current assets		3,677				36,714		3,545			43,936
Assets held for sale		54,188				(4,356)					49,832
Total current assets		59,560				240,134		33,959	(6,020)		327,633
TIMBER AND TIMBERLANDS NET OF DEPLETION AND											
AMORTIZATION		1,807				90,139		1,146,984			1,238,930
NET PROPERTY, PLANT AND		1.075				240 7(2		1 474	506		252.000
EQUIPMENT		1,975		476 022		349,763		1,474	596		353,808
INVESTMENT IN SUBSIDIARIES		983,850		476,833					(1,460,683)		
INTERCOMPANY/NOTES		7 950						1 572	(0, 422)		
RECEIVABLE		7,850		5.960		512 104		1,573	(9,423)		149.024
OTHER ASSETS		23,794		5,860		513,104		9,064	(402,888)		148,934
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,	078,836	\$	482,693	\$	1,193,140	\$	1,193,054	\$ (1,878,418)	\$	2,069,305
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY											
CURRENT LIABILITIES	\$	2,501	\$		\$	60.226	¢	1,788	\$	\$	73,615
Accounts payable Bank loans and current maturities	φ	2,301	φ		φ	69,326 620	\$	1,700	φ	φ	620
Accrued interest		812		5,188		6,542		1,126			13,668
Liabilities associated with assets held for		012		5,100		0,342		1,120			15,008
sale		53				5,646					5,699
Current liabilities for dispositions and						0.400					0.400
discontinued operations		10.007				8,400		10 750			8,400
Other current liabilities		10,827				41,410		13,753			65,990
Total current liabilities		14,193		5,188		131,944		16,667			167,992
LONG-TERM DEBT		20,000		277,694		397,760		52,579			748,033
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES FOR DISPOSITIONS AND DISCONTINUED)										
OPERATIONS						94,857					94,857

PENSION AND OTHER						
POSTRETIREMENT BENEFITS	87,893		33,795			121,688
OTHER NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	11,650		2,569	23,629	(22,934)	14,914
INTERCOMPANY PAYABLE	23,279		55,382	5,502	(84,163)	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	157,015	282,882	716,307	98,377	(107,097)	1,147,484
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY	921,821	199,811	476,833	1,094,677	(1,771,321)	921,821
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY	\$ 1,078,836	\$ 482,693	\$ 1,193,140	\$ 1,193,054	\$ (1,878,418)	\$ 2,069,305

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			D			As of Decer		G BALANCE 51, 2008	SHEETS		
	Rayon (Parent G	ier Inc. Juaranto	i	yonier TRS Holdings Inc. (Issuer)	Ra Ho	osidiaries of yonier TRS oldings Inc. 1-guarantors)	S	All Other ubsidiaries 1-guarantors)	Consolidating Adjustments	Со	Total nsolidated
ASSETS											
CURRENT ASSETS											
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	9,741	\$		\$	47,082	\$	4,862	\$	\$	61,685
Accounts receivable, less allowance for doubtful accounts						69,151		3,398			72,549
Inventory						102,746			(6,068)		96,678
Intercompany interest receivable								1,772	(1,772)		
Other current assets		5,766				29,820		4,385			39,971
Assets held for sale	6	53,046				(6,953)					56,093
Total current assets	5	78,553				241,846		14,417	(7,840)		326,976
TIMBER AND TIMBERLANDS, NET OF DEPLETION AND											
AMORTIZATION		1,807				92,189		1,160,982			1,254,978
NET PROPERTY, PLANT AND						245 100		1.440			250 505
EQUIPMENT	0(2,151		400.000		347,108		1,448	(1, 470, 507)		350,707
INVESTMENT IN SUBSIDIARIES	99	90,391		482,206					(1,472,597)		
INTERCOMPANY/NOTES		06 672				25 250		6744	(59, (67))		
RECEIVABLE		26,673		()(5		25,250		6,744	(58,667)		1 40 202
OTHER ASSETS	2	24,223		6,265		508,153		5,891	(395,330)		149,202
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 1,12	23,798	\$	488,471	\$	1,214,546	\$	1,189,482	\$ (1,934,434)	\$ 2	2,081,863
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY											
CURRENT LIABILITIES	¢	2.042	¢		¢	((140	¢	010	¢	¢	70.011
Accounts payable	\$	2,943	\$		\$	66,149	\$	919	\$	\$	70,011
Bank loans and current maturities		781		2,375		620					620
Liabilities associated with assets held for		/01		2,575		1,046					4,202
sale		53				6,174					6,227
Current liabilities for dispositions and						0.014					0.014
discontinued operations		5 007		(0,022)		8,214		16.065			8,214
Other current liabilities		15,297		(9,833)		52,148		16,065			73,677
Total current liabilities	1	19,074		(7,458)		134,351		16,984			162,951
LONG-TERM DEBT	2	20,000		276,252		397,760		52,579			746,591
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES FOR DISPOSITIONS AND						,		,			,
DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS						96,361					96,361

PENSION AND OTHER POSTRETIREMENT BENEFITS	87,562		33.878			121,440
OTHER NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	12,363		2,512	17,110	(16,402)	15,583
INTERCOMPANY PAYABLE	45,862		67,478	5,502	(118,842)	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	184,861	268,794	732,340	92,175	(135,244)	1,142,926
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY	938,937	219,677	482,206	1,097,307	(1,799,190)	938,937
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY	\$ 1,123,798	\$ 488,471	\$ 1,214,546	\$ 1,189,482	\$ (1,934,434)	\$ 2,081,863

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	Rayonier Inc.	CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENTS OF CASH FI For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2009 Rayonier TRS Subsidiaries of Holdings Rayonier TRS All Other Inc. Holdings Inc. Subsidiaries Consoli								Total
	(Parent Guarantor	Inc. (Issuer		Ioldings Inc. on-guarantors)		(uarantors)		isolidating justments		isolidated
CASH PROVIDED BY	(I ur cht Guur untor) (155401) (110	, guarantors)	(11011 6	,uuruntors)	114	justinentis	001	sonuteu
OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$ 32,543	\$ 15,0	000 \$	14,702	\$	56,915	\$	(54,368)	\$	64,792
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INVESTING ACTIVITIES										
Capital expenditures	(3)			(20,153)		(9,672)				(29, 828)
Purchase of timberlands	(-)					(2,594)		2,594		(-)/
Change in restricted cash						(2,964)		,		(2,964)
Other				4,102		16				4,118
										,
CASH USED FOR INVESTING										
ACTIVITIES	(3)			(16,051)		(15,214)		2,594		(28,674)
	(5)			(10,001)		(10,211)		2,07		(20,07.1)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES										
Issuance of debt						20,000				20,000
Repayment of debt						(20,000)				(20,000)
Dividends paid	(39,416)					(_0,000)				(39,416)
Issuance of common shares	218									218
Excess tax benefits on stock-based										
compensation				68						68
Repurchase of common shares	(1,388)									(1,388)
Distributions to / from Parent		(15,0)00)	(15,774)		(21,000)		51,774		
			,			, í í				
CASH USED FOR FINANCING										
ACTIVITIES	(40,586)	(15,0)00)	(15,706)		(21,000)		51,774		(40,518)
	(,)	(,-	,	(,)		(,)		,		(10,010)
EFFECT OF EXCHANGE RATE										
CHANGES ON CASH				169						169
				107						107
CASH AND CASH										
EQUIVALENTS										
Change in cash and cash equivalents	(8,046)			(16,886)		20,701				(4,231)
Balance, beginning of year	9,741			47,082		4,862				61,685
	,,,			,002		.,				51,000
Balance, end of period	\$ 1.695	\$	\$	30,196	\$	25,563	\$		\$	57,454
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		CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2008 Rayonier TRS Subsidiaries of											
		onier Inc. Guaranto	j	Holdings Inc. (Issuer)	Ray Ho	vonier TRS ldings Inc. -guarantors)	Su	ll Other bsidiaries -guarantors)		nsolidating justments	Co	Total nsolidated	
CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING			<i>•</i>	20.1/7	<i>•</i>	10 555		00 701	¢	((0,000)	^	100.000	
ACTIVITIES	\$	22,503	\$	29,167	\$	18,775	\$	89,791	\$	(60,000)	\$	100,236	
INVESTING ACTIVITIES													
Capital expenditures						(22,321)		(9,510)				(31,831)	
Purchase of timberlands						(3,857)		(15,710)				(19,567)	
						(3,857)		10,013				10,013	
Change in restricted cash Investment In Subsidiaries				833				10,015		(833)		10,015	
				633		2 002		(720)		(855)		2 152	
Other						3,883		(730)				3,153	
CASH PROVIDED BY (USED FOR) INVESTING ACTIVITIES				833		(22,295)		(15,937)		(833)		(38,232)	
FINANCING ACTIVITIES													
Repayment of debt								(55,000)				(55,000)	
Dividends paid	(39,128)										(39,128)	
Issuance of common shares	```	596										596	
Excess tax benefits on stock-based													
compensation						954						954	
Repurchase of common shares		(3,488)				,						(3,488)	
Repayment of intercompany		15,000						(15,000)				(5,100)	
Distributions to / from Parent		15,000		(30,000)		(30,833)		(15,000)		60,833			
CASH USED FOR FINANCING													
ACTIVITIES	(27,020)		(30,000)		(29,879)		(70,000)		60,833		(96,066)	
	(27,020)		(50,000)		(2),07)		(70,000)		00,055		(90,000)	
EFFECT OF EXCHANGE RATE CHANGES ON CASH						(150)						(150)	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS													
Change in cash and cash equivalents		(4,517)				(33,549)		3,854				(34,212)	
Balance, beginning of year		4,211				173,029		3,841				181,081	
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Balance, end of period	\$	(306)	\$		\$	139,480	\$	7,695	\$		\$	146,869	

Item 2. Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

When we refer to we, us, our, the Company, or Rayonier, we mean Rayonier Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries. References herein to Ne Financial Statements refer to the Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements of Rayonier Inc. included in Item 1 of this Report.

Our Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations (MD&A) is intended to provide a reader of our financial statements with a narrative from the perspective of our management on our financial condition, results of operations, liquidity, and certain other factors which may affect our future results. Our MD&A should be read in conjunction with our 2008 Annual Report on Form 10-K.

Forward - Looking Statements

Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, provide a safe harbor for forward-looking statements to encourage companies to provide prospective information about their companies. Certain statements in this document regarding anticipated financial outcomes including earnings guidance, if any, business and market conditions, outlook and other similar statements relating to Rayonier s future financial and operational performance, are forward-looking statements made pursuant to the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 and other federal securities laws. These forward-looking statements are identified by the use of words such as may, will, should, expect, estimate, believe, anticipate and other similar language.

Forward looking statements are subject to future events, risks and uncertainties - many of which are beyond our control or are currently unknown to us as well as potentially inaccurate estimates, assumptions and judgments by us that could cause actual results to differ materially from results contemplated by our forward-looking statements. Some of these events, risks and uncertainties are set forth in Item 1A *Risk Factors* in our 2008 Annual Report on Form 10-K. Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance and undue reliance should not be placed on these statements.

Critical Accounting Policies and Use of Estimates

The preparation of our consolidated financial statements requires us to make estimates, assumptions and judgments that affect our assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. We base these estimates and assumptions on historical data and trends, current fact patterns, expectations and other sources of information we believe are reasonable. Actual results may differ from these estimates under different conditions. For a full description of our critical accounting policies, see Item 7 *Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations* in the 2008 Annual Report on Form 10-K.

Segments

We are a leading international forest products company primarily engaged in activities associated with timberland management, the sale and entitlement of real estate, and the production and sale of high value specialty cellulose fibers and fluff pulp. We operate in four reportable business segments: Timber, Real Estate, Performance Fibers, and Wood Products. Timber sales include all activities that relate to the harvesting of timber. Real Estate sales currently include the sale of all properties, including those designated for higher and better use (HBU). The assets of the Real Estate segment include HBU property held by the Company's real estate subsidiary, TerraPointe LLC, and certain parcels previously reported in the Timber segment. The Performance Fibers segment includes two major product lines, cellulose specialties and absorbent materials. The Wood Products segment is comprised of the Company's lumber operations. Our remaining operations include harvesting and selling timber acquired from third parties (log trading). These operations are combined and reported in an Other category.

We evaluate financial performance based on the operating income of the segments. Operating income, as presented in the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income, is equal to segment income (loss). Certain income (loss) items in the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income are not allocated to segments. These items, which include gains (losses) from certain asset dispositions, interest income (expense), miscellaneous income (expense) and income tax (provision) benefit, are not considered by Company management to be part of segment operations.

In August 2008, the New Zealand joint venture decided to offer the business for sale and this process is ongoing. Accordingly, we classified our interest in the joint venture as held for sale and its operations are shown as discontinued operations (see Note 2 *Assets Held for Sale*). These operations were previously included in the Timber and Other segments. The Timber and Other segments shown below have been restated to exclude the New Zealand operations. See Note 7 *Segment Information*, of the Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements in this quarterly report for additional information regarding segment reporting.

Results of Operations, Three Months Ended March 31, 2009 Compared to Three Months Ended March 31, 2008

Financial Information (in millions)	Three I Ended M 2009	Months Iarch 31, 2008
Sales		
Timber	\$ 33.2	\$ 44.7
Real Estate		
Development	0.2	0.8
Rural	3.8	23.9
Non-Strategic Timberlands	22.6	4.7
Total Real Estate	26.6	29.4
Performance Fibers		
Cellulose Specialties	156.7	132.7
Absorbent Materials	46.9	42.2
Total Performance Fibers	203.6	174.9
Wood Products	11.8	18.9
Other operations	2.4	7.2
Intersegment Eliminations	(3.2)	
Total Sales	\$ 274.4	\$ 275.1
Operating Income (Loss)		
Timber	\$ (1.2)	\$ 10.8
Real Estate	14.4	21.8
Performance Fibers	40.8	37.1
Wood Products	(3.6)	(2.5)
Other operations		(0.3)
Corporate and other	(6.8)	(7.4)
Total Operating Income	43.6	59.5
Interest expense	(12.6)	(12.5)
Interest and miscellaneous income, net		1.4
Income tax expense	(5.2)	(9.7)
Income from Continuing Operations	25.8	38.7
Discontinued Operations, Net	0.1	1.0
Net Income	\$ 25.9	\$ 39.7
Diluted Earnings Per Share from Continuing Operations	\$ 0.33	\$ 0.49

<u>TIMBER</u>

Sales (in millions)		Changes A		
	2008	Price	Volume/Mix	2009
Three months ended March 31,				
Eastern	\$ 24.1	\$ (5.2)	\$ 5.0	\$ 23.9
Western	20.6	(3.7)	(7.6)	9.3
Total Sales	\$ 44.7	\$ (8.9)	\$ (2.6)	\$ 33.2

Operating Income (Loss) (in millions)	Changes Attributable to:									
	2008	Price	Volu	me/Mix	Cost	t/Other	2009			
Three months ended March 31,										
Eastern	\$ 2.5	\$ (5.2)	\$	0.2	\$	5.5	\$ 3.0			
Western	8.6	(3.7)		(5.1)		(3.7)	(3.9)			
Other	(0.3)						(0.3)			
Total Operating Income (Loss)	\$ 10.8	\$ (8.9)	\$	(4.9)	\$	1.8	\$ (1.2)			

Sales and operating income declined \$12 million from first quarter 2008. In the Eastern region, sales were comparable to the prior year period reflecting a 20 percent increase in sales volumes, offset by a 17 percent decline in prices due to weak demand and a sales mix shift from sawtimber to pulpwood. Operating income also benefited from lower depletion expense due to sales mix.

In the Western region, sales and operating income were down from the prior year period as weak demand due to sawmill curtailments continued to negatively impact prices and volumes. Average Western region prices declined 22 percent and volumes declined 44 percent compared to the prior year period. Operating income was further impacted by higher depletion costs from a second quarter 2008 timberland acquisition.

Based on current conditions, the Company expects to operate at reduced harvest levels, particularly in the Northwest.

REAL ESTATE

Sales (in millions)				
	2008	Price	Volume/Mix	2009
Three months ended March 31,				
Development	\$ 0.8	\$	\$ (0.6)	\$ 0.2
Rural	23.9	(1.2)	(18.9)	3.8
Non-Strategic Timberlands	4.7	0.5	17.4	22.6
Total Sales	\$ 29.4	\$ (0.7)	\$ (2.1)	\$ 26.6

Operating Income (in millions)		Cha	inges A	ttributable	e to:	
	2008	Price	Volu	me/Mix	Cost	2009
Three months ended March 31,						
Total Operating Income	\$ 21.8	\$ (0.7)	\$	(4.7)	\$ (2.0)	\$ 14.4

In first quarter 2009, sales and operating income declined from first quarter 2008 as lower rural property volumes and prices were only partially offset by a 15,000 acre increase in non-strategic timberland sales at per acre pricing comparable to the prior year period.

PERFORMANCE FIBERS

Sales (in millions)		Changes Attributable to:		
	2008	Price	Volume/M	ix 2009
Three months ended March 31,				
Cellulose Specialties	\$ 132.7	\$ 23.0	\$ 1.	0 \$156.7
Absorbent Materials	42.2	(1.4)	6.	1 46.9
Total Sales	\$ 174.9	\$ 21.6	\$ 7.	1 \$ 203.6

In first quarter 2009, cellulose specialty prices increased 17 percent due to continued strong demand while absorbent material prices declined 3 percent as a result of softening fluff demand. Sales volumes increased 1 percent and 16 percent for cellulose specialties and absorbent materials, respectively. First quarter 2008 absorbent material volumes were impacted by unplanned maintenance outages.

Operating Income (in millions)	Changes Attributable to:					
	2008	Price	Volui	ne/Mix	Costs	2009
Three months ended March 31,						
Total Operating Income	\$ 37.1	\$21.6	\$	1.0	\$ (18.9)	\$40.8

Performance Fibers operating income was \$4 million higher than the prior year period as higher prices, improved volumes and lower maintenance costs were largely offset by higher caustic costs.

WOOD PRODUCTS

Sales (in millions)	Changes Attributable to:				
	2008	Price	Volume/Mix	2009	
Three months ended March 31,					
Total Sales	\$ 18.9	\$ (1.7)	\$ (5.4)	\$11.8	

In first quarter 2009, wood products sales were \$7 million below the prior year period due to lower volumes and prices resulting from the weak housing market. Based on current conditions, we are operating below capacity at two of our mills and expect to continue at these levels until market conditions improve.

<u>Operating Loss (in millions)</u>	Changes Attributable to:				
	2008	Price	Volume/Mix	Costs	2009
Three months ended March 31,					
Total Operating Loss	\$ (2.5)	\$ (1.7)	\$	\$ 0.6	\$ (3.6)

Wood Products operating results declined \$1 million as lower prices were partially offset by improved wood costs.

OTHER OPERATIONS

First quarter sales of \$2 million were \$5 million below the prior year period due to reduced log trading activity, while operating results improved slightly to breakeven.

Corporate and Other Expenses

Corporate and other expenses improved by \$1 million from the prior year period due to general cost reductions.

Interest Expense and Miscellaneous Income, Net

Interest and other, net increased \$1 million from first quarter 2008 due to higher average net debt balances.

Income Tax Expense

The first quarter effective tax rate from continuing operations before discrete items of 19.4 percent was comparable to the prior period rate of 20.5 percent. Including discrete items, the first quarter 2009 effective tax rate from continuing operations was 16.8 percent compared to 20.0 percent in the prior year period. See Note 4 *Income Taxes* for additional information.

Outlook

We expect to generate solid cash flows well in excess of our \$2.00 per share dividend in 2009, despite the difficult economy. Our conservative debt levels, manageable debt maturities and strong balance sheet provide significant operating flexibility.

We expect that the weak housing market will continue to negatively impact our timber businesses, particularly in the Northwest, and anticipate holding even more volume off the market. In Real Estate, we expect steady demand for our rural and non-strategic timberlands. Performance Fibers earnings are expected to remain strong and in line with 2008.

Employee Relations

In March 2009, new collective bargaining agreements were approved by the four unions representing approximately 700 employees at our Jesup mill. The new agreements run through June 2012. See Item 1 *Business* in the 2008 Annual Report on Form 10-K for more information on employee relations.

Liquidity and Capital Resources

Historically, our operations have generally produced consistent cash flows and required limited capital resources. Short-term borrowings have helped fund cyclicality and seasonality in working capital needs and long-term debt has been used to fund major acquisitions. While we have no major debt coming due until December 31, 2009 when \$122 million in installment notes will mature, the current turmoil in the financial markets may impact our ability to obtain, and may increase the costs of, short-term and long-term borrowings. We anticipate refinancing these notes by accessing the corporate debt markets, or by borrowing under our revolving bank facility which has \$145 million of capacity as of March 31, 2009.

Summary of Liquidity and Financing Commitments (in millions of dollars)

	As of March 31, As of 2009		ember 31,)08
Cash and cash equivalents (1)	\$ 57	\$	62
Total debt (2)	749		747
Shareholders equity (2)	922		939
Total capitalization (total debt plus equity) (2)	1,671		1,686
Debt to capital ratio (2)	45%		44%

(1) Cash and cash equivalents consisted primarily of marketable securities with original maturities of 90 days or less.

(2) Restated as a result of adopting FSP APB 14-1. See Note 1 Basis of Presentation and New Accounting Pronouncements.

Cash Provided by Operating Activities (in millions of dollars)

	2009	2008	Deci	rease
Three months ended March 31,	\$ 65	\$ 100	\$	35
Cash provided by operating activities decreased \$35 million primarily from lower earnings and higher working	capital r	equireme	nts du	ie to
higher inventory levels, increased inventory costs and the timing of payments.				

Cash Used for Investing Activities (in millions of dollars)

	2009	2008	Decre	ease
Three months ended March 31,	\$ 29	\$ 38	\$	9
Cash used for investing activities decreased primarily due to the absence of any timberland acquisitions in 2009 con	npared to	the purch	ase of S	\$20
million of timberlands in 2008, partially offset by changes in restricted cash during the comparable quarters.				

Cash Used for Financing Activities (in millions of dollars)

	2009	2008	Decr	ease
Three months ended March 31,	\$ 41	\$ 96	\$	55
Cash used for financing activities primarily decreased due to the repayment of \$55 million in outstanding	debt in 20	008 comp	ared to	net

Cash used for financing activities primarily decreased due to the repayment of \$55 million in outstanding debt in 2008 compared to net repayments of \$0 in 2009.

Expected 2009 Expenditures

We made no pension contributions in the first quarter of 2009. We have mandatory pension contributions of approximately \$8 million due in 2009, although we may elect to make additional discretionary contributions. Income tax payments totaled approximately \$0.7 million in the first quarter of 2009 compared to refunds of \$0.3 million in the first quarter of 2008. We expect net tax payments to be \$6 million for full year 2009, compared to \$13 million for full year 2008. We do not expect to make any federal income tax payments related to our 2009 TRS operations as we anticipate offsetting the TRS federal income tax liability with alternative fuel tax credits. See Note 16 *Subsequent Event* for additional information. Capital expenditures in 2009 are forecasted to be between \$85 million and \$88 million. Environmental expenditures related to dispositions and discontinued operations were \$2 million for the three months ended March 31, 2009. Full year expenditures of \$8 million are anticipated.

Liquidity Performance Indicators

The discussion below is presented to enhance the reader s understanding of our liquidity, ability to generate cash and satisfy rating agency and creditor requirements. This information includes two measures of financial results: Earnings before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization (EBITDA) and Adjusted Cash Available for Distribution (Adjusted CAD). These measures are not defined by Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) and the discussion of EBITDA and Adjusted CAD is not intended to conflict with or change any of the GAAP disclosures discussed above. Management considers these measures to be important to estimate the enterprise and shareholder values of the Company as a whole and of its core segments, and for allocating capital resources. In addition, analysts, investors and creditors use these measures when analyzing our financial condition and cash generating ability. EBITDA is defined by the Securities and Exchange Commission. Adjusted CAD as defined, however, may not be comparable to similarly titled measures reported by other companies.

Below is a reconciliation of Cash Provided by Operating Activities to EBITDA for the respective periods (in millions of dollars):

		nths Ended ch 31,
	2009	2008
Cash provided by operating activities	\$ 64.8	\$ 100.2
Non-cash cost of real estate sold	(3.5)	(2.6)
Income tax expense	4.7	9.8
Interest, net	12.5	11.1
Other balance sheet changes	3.2	