UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): November 14, 2007

Network Appliance, Inc. (Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 0-27130 (Commission File Number) 77-0307520 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

495 East Java Drive Sunnyvale, CA 94089 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(408) 822-6000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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- [] 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 November 14, 2007, Network Appliance, Inc. issued a press release announcing its earnings for the second quarter of fiscal year 2008. The press release is attached as an exhibit to this Form 8-K, and the information set forth therein is hereby incorporated by reference into this Item 2.02.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

Network Appliance, Inc.'s November 14, 2007 press release is hereby furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K in connection with the disclosures under Item 2.02 of this Form 8-K.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf

by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

November 14, 2007

By: /s/ Steven Gomo _____

Steven J. Gomo Chief Financial Officer

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Exhibit

Exhibit Description
----99.1 Press release of Network Appliance, Inc. issued on November 14, 2007.

Network Appliance Announces Results for Second Quarter Fiscal Year 2008

SUNNYVALE, Calif.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Nov. 14, 2007--Network Appliance, Inc. (NASDAQ:NTAP), the leader in advanced networked storage solutions, today reported results for the second quarter of fiscal year 2008. Revenues for the second fiscal quarter were \$792.2 million, an increase of 21% compared to revenues of \$652.5 million for the same period a year ago and an increase of 15% compared to \$689.2 million in the prior quarter.

For the second fiscal quarter, GAAP net income was \$83.8 million, or \$0.23 per share(1) compared to GAAP net income of \$86.9 million, or \$0.22 per share for the same period in the prior year. Non-GAAP(2) net income for the second fiscal quarter was \$116.4 million, or \$0.32 per share, compared to non-GAAP net income of \$108.9 million, or \$0.28 per share for the same period a year ago.

Revenues for the first six months of the current fiscal year totaled \$1.48 billion, compared to revenues of \$1.27 billion for the first six months of the prior year, an increase of 16% year over year.

GAAP net income for the first six months of the current fiscal year totaled \$118.1 million, or \$0.32 per share, compared to GAAP net income of \$141.6 million, or \$0.36 per share for the first six months of the prior fiscal year. Non-GAAP net income for the first six months of the current fiscal year totaled \$192.4 million, or \$0.52 per share, compared to non-GAAP net income of \$205.4 million, or \$0.53 per share for the first six months of the prior fiscal year.

"The NetApp team delivered an outstanding quarter, with a combination of high revenue growth and good expense management," said Dan Warmenhoven, chief executive officer. "The revenue growth was driven by strength in U. S. Federal and much of Europe and Asia, and largely offset the continued sluggishness in U.S. enterprise spending. Our innovative solutions provide customers with higher utilization, simpler operations, and reduced costs, and those advantages enable us to continue to gain share in a more constrained spending environment."

Outlook

- -- Network Appliance ("NetApp") expects revenue for the third quarter of fiscal year 2008 to be between \$872 million and \$883 million, with year-over-year growth of approximately 20% to 21% and sequential growth of approximately 10% to 12%.
- -- Including the effect of SFAS123(R) and with current information and assumptions, the company estimates that the third quarter fiscal year 2008 GAAP earnings per share will be approximately \$0.23 to \$0.24 per share.
- -- Network Appliance expects third quarter fiscal year 2008 non-GAAP earnings per share to be approximately \$0.33 to \$0.34 per share.

Quarterly Highlights

During the second quarter of fiscal year 2008, NetApp brought the market a new storage system for Midsize Enterprise customers with the unveiling of the NetApp(R) FAS2000 series. The new solutions with deployment and auditing services are designed to help simplify data management and maximize IT investments for customers and offer them the ability to accomplish more with fewer resources. The architectural advantage of all NetApp storage systems, and the new FAS2000 series in particular, allows customers to readily consolidate direct—attached storage (DAS) into a single networked solution and scale on demand.

NetApp also introduced the new StoreVault(TM) S300, an all-in-one storage solution for small and medium-sized businesses (SMB), with features and capabilities at a cost that had previously been unavailable to customers in this market segment. The StoreVault S500 was named a winner of the "Editors' Best Awards" in the storage category by Penton Media's Windows(R) IT Pro and was honored as a "Best Solution" at the Government Technology Conference (GTC) East 2007.

NetApp strengthened its relationship with VMware, underscoring the fact that the value of server virtualization is dramatically increased with the addition of networked storage on the back end. To make disaster recovery more affordable, flexible, and simpler to manage for customers, NetApp integrated its

data protection portfolio of solutions with VMware(R) Site Recovery Manager.

Also during the quarter, leveraging its experience delivering simplified storage solutions for production grid environments, NetApp joined with Oracle on the development of the Direct NFS Client, a significant innovation included in Oracle(R) Database 11g(TM) that helps provide customers with improved performance, simplified management, increased flexibility, and better application availability.

For channel partners, NetApp opened more service opportunities to NetApp VIP Program partners with a new Installation Accreditation initiative, giving partners the opportunity to sell NetApp installation services independently or utilizing NetApp best practices. The company also received a 2007 Rising Star award, presented by the Global Technology Distribution Council (GTDC), which recognizes the IT industry's fastest-growing manufacturers doing business with GTDC member distributors. In addition, channel partners and readers of CMP Technology's VARBusiness recognized NetApp for outstanding product innovation as evidenced by the Annual Report Card (ARC) award program.

From a market perspective, NetApp gained share in both the storage software and hardware markets in the first half of 2007, as reported in IDC's Worldwide Quarterly Storage Software Tracker Q2 2007(3) and Worldwide Quarterly Disk Storage Systems Tracker Q2 2007(4).

NetApp grew twice as fast as the overall storage software market from Q1'07 to Q2'07, and posted share gains across each submarket segment in which it provides offerings. This marks the eighth consecutive quarter in which the company outpaced the overall storage software market. IDC also found that in that time period NetApp grew fastest among the top five storage replication software vendors and that it currently holds the number two position. In addition, NetApp continues to lead the iSCSI market in terms of revenue and capacity, and gained both revenue and capacity share in the FC SAN market. NetApp also continues to lead in its core market of NAS in terms of capacity.

In industry news, NetApp joined the newly created Storage Networking Industry Association (SNIA) Green Storage Initiative, dedicated to advancing energy efficiency and conservation in storage technologies in an effort to minimize the environmental impact of data storage operations.

In corporate news, NetApp broke ground on an engineering lab facility located at the NetApp technology center in Research Triangle Park (RTP) to expand its engineering and development efforts in the region. Also, for the fourth year in a row, NetApp earned top workplace honors from the Triangle Business Journal, ranking as one of the top 15 "Best Places to Work" in RTP. The company was also honored as a "Top Corporate Philanthropist in Silicon Valley" by the Silicon Valley/San Jose Business Journal.

As part of the company's continuing worldwide expansion and growth, NetApp announced a strengthened commitment to the Asia Pacific (APAC) region with the inauguration of a new Technical Support Center (TSC) in Dalian, China, and by opening new manufacturing and logistics centers in Shanghai and Singapore, respectively, furthering the ability of NetApp to serve more customers and partners in the region.

Webcast and Conference Call Information

- -- The NetApp quarterly results conference call will be broadcast live via the Internet at http://investors.netapp.com on Wednesday, November 14, 2007, at 2:00 p.m. Pacific time. This press release and any other information related to the call will also be posted on the Website at that location.
- -- The conference call will also be available live in a listen-only format at (866) 356-4281 in the United States and (617) 597-5395 outside the United States. The pass code for both numbers is 15908718.
- -- A replay will be available for 72 hours following the completion of the live call by dialing (888) 286-8010 in the United States and (617) 801-6888 outside the United States, using replay code 48003480. The Webcast replay will be posted on our Web site for at least one year.

About Network Appliance

Network Appliance is a leading provider of innovative data management solutions that simplify the complexities of storing, managing, protecting, and

retaining enterprise data. Market leaders around the world choose NetApp to help them reduce cost, minimize risk, and adapt to change. For solutions that deliver unmatched simplicity and value, visit us on the Web at www.netapp.com.

"Safe Harbor" Statement Under U.S. Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995

This press release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements include all of the statements under the Outlook section relating to our forecasted operating results and metrics for the third quarter of fiscal 2008, statements regarding our growth opportunity, and statements regarding the anticipated benefits of our products, technologies, and services relative to the offerings of our competitors. These forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties, and actual results could vary. Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those in the forward-looking statements include our ability to build non-deferred backlog to levels consistent with our past results and to increase our revenue over the next several quarters; general economic and industry conditions, including expenditure trends for storage-related products; risks associated with the anticipated growth in network storage and content delivery markets; our ability to deliver new product architectures and enterprise service offerings; competition risks, including our ability to design products and services that compete effectively from a price and performance perspective; risks with new product introductions; our reliance on a limited number of suppliers; our ability to accurately forecast demand for our products and successfully manage our relationships with our contract manufacturers; our ability to expand our direct sales operations and reseller distribution channels; our ability to develop, maintain, and strengthen our relationships and product offerings with strategic partners; risks associated with international operations; our ability to successfully acquire and integrate complementary businesses and technologies; foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations; and other important factors as described in Network Appliance, Inc. reports and documents filed from time to time with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including the factors described under the sections captioned "Risk Factors" in our most recently submitted 10-K and 10-Q. We disclaim any obligation to update information contained in these forward-looking statements whether as a result of new information, future events, or otherwise.

- (1) Earnings per share represents the diluted number of shares for all periods presented.
- (2) Non-GAAP results of operations exclude amortization of intangible assets, stock-based compensation expenses, acquisition-related retention costs, gain on sale of investment, restructuring charges/recoveries, prior acquisition-related costs, and the related effects on income taxes as well as certain discrete GAAP provisions for income tax matters recognized ratably for non-GAAP purposes.
 - (3) IDC Worldwide Quarterly Storage Software Tracker Q2 2007.
 - (4) IDC Worldwide Quarterly Disk Storage Systems Tracker Q2 2007.

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Network Appliance Usage of Non-GAAP Financials

The Company refers to the non-GAAP financial measures cited above in making operating decisions because they provide meaningful supplemental information regarding the Company's operational performance. These non-GAAP results of operations exclude amortization of intangible assets, stock-based compensation expenses, acquisition-related retention costs, gain on sale of investment, restructuring charges/recoveries, prior acquisition-related costs, and the related effects on income taxes as well as certain discrete GAAP provisions for income tax matters recognized ratably for non-GAAP purposes. We have excluded these items in order to enhance investors' understanding of our ongoing operations. The use of these non-GAAP financial measures has material limitations because they should not be used to evaluate our company without reference to their corresponding GAAP financial measures. As such, we compensate for these material limitations by using these non-GAAP financial measures in conjunction with GAAP financial measures.

These non-GAAP financial measures facilitate management's internal

comparisons to the Company's historical operating results and comparisons to competitors' operating results. We include these non-GAAP financial measures in our earnings announcement because we believe they are useful to investors in allowing for greater transparency with respect to supplemental information used by management in its financial and operational decision making, such as employee compensation planning. In addition, we have historically reported similar non-GAAP financial measures to our investors and believe that the inclusion of comparative numbers provides consistency in our financial reporting at this time.

NETWORK APPLIANCE, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (In thousands) (Unaudited)

	October 26, 2007	April 27, 2007
ASSETS		
CURRENT ASSETS: Cash and cash equivalents Short-term investments Accounts receivable, net Inventories Prepaid expenses and other assets Short-term restricted cash and investments Short-term deferred income taxes	\$625,707 357,370 427,854 62,690 94,684 84,034 116,324	548,249 54,880 99,840 118,312
Total current assets		2,240,803
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, net	646,157	603,523
GOODWILL INTANGIBLE ASSETS, net LONG-TERM RESTRICTED CASH AND INVESTMENTS LONG-TERM DEFERRED INCOME TAXES AND OTHER ASSETS	601,056 69,321 304,937	83,009
	167,880	126,448
		\$3,658,478
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY CURRENT LIABILITIES: Current portion of long-term debt Accounts payable Income taxes payable Accrued compensation and related benefits Other accrued liabilities	\$47,770 119,099 9,962 149,727 100,936	144,112 53,371 177,327
Deferred revenue		630,610
Total current liabilities	1,129,628	1,187,547
LONG-TERM DEBT LONG-TERM DEFERRED REVENUE OTHER LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS	250,000 516,445 74,105 1,970,178	472,423 9,487 1,669,457
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	1,587,836	1,989,021
		\$3,658,478

	Quarter Ended		Six Months Ended		
	26,	27,		October 27, 2006	
REVENUES:					
Product	\$541 , 392	\$481,284	\$1,004,725	\$946 , 895	
Software entitlements and maintenance Service	133,672	88,986	225,061 251,647	169,833	
Total revenues		652,523	1,481,433	1,273,811	
COST OF REVENUES:					
	S		404,147		
Cost of software entitlements and maintenance Cost of service	1,914 88,883	2,456 62,499	3,998 172,086		
Total cost of revenues		251 , 216		499,434	
GROSS MARGIN	484,005	401,307	901,202	774,377	
OPERATING EXPENSES:					
Sales and marketing Research and development	255,374	204,264	500,017	399,782	
Research and development General and administrative	108,964	90,360	215,520	179,038	
Restructuring recoveries	39 , 507	33,217		(74)	
Gain on sale of assets	-	(25,339)		(25,339)	
Total operating expenses	403,845	304,502	796 , 493	621,020	
INCOME FROM OPERATIONS	80,160	96,805	104,709	153 , 357	
OTHER INCOME (EXPENSES), net: Interest income Interest expense Net gain (loss) on investments	(1,410)	(5 , 170)	33,332 (2,492)	(9,042)	
Other income, net			13,619 1,062		
Total other income, net	28,736	12,186	45,521	25,749	
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES	108,896	108,991	150,230	179,106	
PROVISION FOR INCOME TAXES	25,138	22,060	32,135	37,506	
NET INCOME			\$118,095		
NET INCOME PER SHARE: BASIC			\$0.33		
DILUTED			\$0.32 =====		
SHARES USED IN PER SHARE CALCUL BASIC	355 , 665		360,061 ======		

NETWORK APPLIANCE, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOW (In thousands) (Unaudited)

	Quarter Ended		Six Months Ended	
		October 27, 2006	October 26, 2007	October 27, 2006
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:				
Net income Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:	\$83 , 758	\$86,931	\$118,095	\$141,600
Depreciation Amortization of	28,282	20,666	55,016	39,380
intangible assets	100	100	12 , 697 991	0.01
Stock-based compensation Net (gain) loss on	38,370	42,423	78,781	85 , 445
investments Gain on sale of assets Net loss on disposal of		2,000 (25,339)		2,000 (25,339)
equipment Allowance for doubtful	128	221	245	302
accounts	164			
Deferred income taxes Deferred rent	113			
Excess tax benefit from stock-based compensation Changes in assets and liabilities:		(19,356)	(15,586)	(23,845)
	(22,364)	(89,508)	165,708	(19,593)
Inventories Prepaid expenses and	(4,558)	(513)	(7,703)	8,195
other assets				38,115
other assets Accounts payable Income taxes payable Accrued compensation and	(26,095) 38,352	41,849	(40,177) 56,786	
related benefits Other accrued		32,637	(29,884)	(6,327)
liabilities	10,942	5,963	(9,538) 112,397	(5,017)
Deferred revenue	65,849	75,700	112,397	137,682
Net cash provided by operating activities	227 , 672	229,610	428,571	403,402
Cash Flows from Investing Activities:				
Purchases of investments Redemptions of investments Redemptions of restricted				(1,527,568) 1,544,557
investments	20,496	36,316	35,426	52,638
Decrease (increase) in restricted cash	324	153	(1,443)	405
Proceeds from sale of assets	-	23,914	-	23,914
Proceeds from sales of nonmarketable securities Proceeds from sales of	-	-	-	17
marketable securities	18,256	-	18,256	-
Purchases of property and equipment	(37,572)	(43,729)	(71,158)	(76,013)
Purchases of nonmarketable securities		(150)	(4,035)	(1,333)
Net cash provided by investing activities	35,523	1,486	129,194	16,617

Cash Flows from Financing				
Activities:				
Proceeds from sale of				
common stock related to				
employee stock				
transactions	16,076	55 , 629	66 , 067	92,460
Tax withholding payments				
reimbursed by restricted				
stock	(2,460)	(3,343)	(5 , 202)	(4,323)
Excess tax benefit from				
stock-based compensation	7,247	19,356	15,586	23,845
Proceeds from revolving				
credit facility	249,754	_	249,754	_
Repayment of debt	(21,380)	(78,706)	(37,340)	(106, 572)
Repurchases of common stock	(499,973)	(143,908)	(699,973)	(363,908)
Net cash used in				
financing activities	(250,736)	(150,972)	(411, 108)	(358,498)
Effect of Exchange Rate				
Changes on Cash	(10.742)	885	(10,029)	561
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Net Increase in Cash and				
Cash Equivalents	1,717	81,009	136,628	62,082
Cash and Cash Equivalents:				
Beginning of period	623,990	442,329	489,079	461,256
End of period	\$625 , 707	\$523 , 338	\$625 , 707	\$523 , 338
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NETWORK APPLIANCE, INC.
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION
(In thousands)
(Unaudited)

QUARTER ENDED OCTOBER 26, 2007

	of	Stock-based Compensation Expenses	Related	Restructuring Recoveries
Cost of product				
revenues Cost of service	\$5,278	\$768	_	-
revenues Sales and marketing	-	2,606	-	-
expense Research and development	971	17,135	1,162	-
expense General and administrative	-	12,332	-	-
expense Net gain on	50	5,529	-	-
investments	-	-	-	-
Effect on pre-				
tax income	\$6,299	\$38,370	\$1,162	-

Prior Gain on Net Gain on Total
Acquisition- Sale Investments
related of
Costs Assets

Cost of product revenues Cost of service revenues Sales and marketing	- -	_ _	=	\$6,046 2,606
expense	-	_	-	19,268
Research and development expense	_	_	_	12,332
General and administrative				12,332
expense	-	_	-	5 , 579
Net gain on investments	-	-	(13,619)	(13,619)
Effect on pre-tax income	-	_	(\$13,619)	\$32,212

SIX MONTHS ENDED OCTOBER 26, 2007

	of	Stock-based Compensation Expenses	Related	Restructuring Recoveries
Cost of product revenues Cost of service	\$10,556	\$1,713	-	-
revenues Sales and	-	5,277	-	-
marketing expense	1,941	34,626	2,324	-
Research and development expense	_	25,507	_	_
General and administrative		23,307		
expense Net gain on	200	11,658	-	-
investments	-	-	-	-
Effect on pre- tax income	\$12,697	\$78,781	\$2,324	_

	Prior Acquisition- related Costs	Sale of	Net Gain on Investments	Total
Cost of product revenues	_	-	-	\$12,269
Cost of service revenues Sales and marketing	-	-	-	5 , 277
expense	-	-	-	38,891
Research and development expense	-	-	-	25,507
General and administrative	2 000			14 (50
expense Net gain on investments	2,800	_	(13,619)	14,658 (13,619)
nee gain on investments			(13,013)	(10,010)
Effect on pre-tax income	\$2,800	-	(\$13 , 619)	\$82 , 983

NETWORK APPLIANCE, INC.
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION
(In thousands)
(Unaudited)

QUARTER ENDED OCTOBER 27, 2006

	of Intangible Assets	Compensation Expenses	Related Retention Cost		coveries
Cost of product revenues	\$3,866	\$1,069		-	-
Cost of service revenues	-	2,489		-	-
Sales and marketing expense	583	10 715			
Research and development	303	18,715			_
expense General and	-	13,022		-	-
administrative expense	238	7,128		_	_
Restructuring recoveries		,			
Gain on sale of	_	_		_	_
assets Net loss on	_	_		_	-
investments	-	-		_	-
Effect on pre- tax income	\$4,687	\$42,423			
	Acqu re	rior Gain disition- Sale dlated Ass	e of Inve		
Cost of product : Cost of service : Sales and market	revenues	- -	- -	- -	\$4,935 2,489
expense Research and deve	elopment	-	_	-	19,298
expense General and		-	=	-	13,022
administrative (Restructuring re		- -	- -	-	7 , 366
Gain on sale of a	assets	- (25) -	, 339) -		(25,339) 2,000
Effect on pre-ta	x income	- (\$25)	, 339)	\$2,000	\$23 , 771
SI	X MONTHS ENDED	O OCTOBER 27, 2	2006		
	of Intangible Assets	Stock-based Compensation Expenses	Related Retention Cost	Red	
Cost of product					
revenues Cost of service	\$7,731	\$1,739		_	-
revenues Sales and	-	5,124		-	-
marketing expense Research and	1,167	37,431		-	-
development expense General and	-	26,891		-	-
administrative expense	475	14,260		-	-

Restructuring recoveries Gain on sale of	-		-	-	(74)
assets	-		-	-	-
Net loss on investments	-		-	-	-
Effect on pre-					
tax income	\$9,373	\$85	,445	-	(\$74)
	Acquisi	tion- ed		Net Loss on Investments	Total
Cost of product revenu Cost of service revenu		- -	- -		\$9,470 5,124
Sales and marketing expense		-	-		38 , 598
Research and developme expense	nt	_	-	-	26,891
General and administrative expens Restructuring recoveri Gain on sale of assets Net loss on investment	es	- - -	- (25,339) -		14,735 (74) (25,339) 2,000
Effect on pre-tax inco	me		(\$25 , 339)	\$2,000	\$71,405

NETWORK APPLIANCE, INC.

RECONCILIATION OF NON-GAAP AND GAAP
IN THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME
(In thousands, except net income per share amounts)

(Unaudited)

	Quarte	r Ended	Six Months Ended		
	26 , 2007	27 , 2006	October 26, 2007	27 , 2006	
SUMMARY RECONCILIATION OF NET INCOME					
NET INCOME	\$83 , 758	\$86,931	\$118,095	\$141,600	
Adjustments: Amortization of intangible					
assets Stock-based compensation	6 , 299	4,687	12,697	9,373	
expenses	38,370	42,423	78,781	85,445	
Acquisition-related retention cost					
Prior acquisition-related costs Restructuring recoveries				(74)	
Gain on sale of assets					
Net (gain) loss on investments Tax effect on sale of	(13,619)	2,000	(13,619)	2,000	
investments	5,477	-	5,477 -	-	
Tax effect on sale of assets Discrete GAAP tax provision					
items			(684)		
Income tax effect	(3,906)	(4,284)	(13,470)	(10,033)	
NON-GAAP NET INCOME	•	•	\$192,401		
NET INCOME PER SHARE	\$0.229	\$0.224	\$0.318	\$0.363	

Adjustments:				
Amortization of intangible				
assets	0.017	0.012	0.034	0.024
Stock-based compensation				
expenses	0.105	0.109	0.212	0.219
Acquisition-related retention cost	0.003	_	0.006	_
Prior acquisition-related costs	_	_	0.008	_
Restructuring recoveries	_	_	_	_
Gain on sale of assets	_	(0.065)	_	(0.065)
Net (gain) loss on investments	(0.037)	0.005	(0.037)	0.005
Tax effect on sale of				
investments	0.015	_	0.015	_
Tax effect on sale of assets	_	0.012	_	0.012
Discrete GAAP tax provision				
items	(0.003)	(0.006)	(0.002)	(0.006)
Income tax effect	(0.011)	(0.011)	(0.036)	(0.026)
NON-GAAP NET INCOME PER SHARE	\$0.318	\$0.280	\$0.518	\$0.526
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NETWORK APPLIANCE, INC. RECONCILIATION OF NON GAAP GUIDANCE TO GAAP EXPRESSED AS EARNINGS PER SHARE THIRD QUARTER 2008 (Unaudited)

	Third Quarter 2008
Non-GAAP Guidance	\$0.33 - \$0.34
Adjustments of Specific Items to Earnings Per Share for the Third Quarter 2008:	
Amortization of intangible assets Stock based compensation expense Income tax effect	(0.02) (0.10) 0.02
Total Adjustments	(0.10)
GAAP Guidance - Earnings Per Share	\$0.23 - \$0.24

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