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Savings and Investment Plan of

E. I. du Pont de Nemours

and Company

Financial Statements and Supplemental Schedule

September 30, 2004 and 2003

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Securities and Exchange Commission

Washington, DC 20549

Form 11-K

Annual Report

Pursuant To Section 15(d) Of The

Securities And Exchange Act Of 1934

For The Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2004

SAVINGS AND INVESTMENT PLAN

OF E. I. DU PONT DE NEMOURS AND COMPANY

(Full title of plan)

E. I. DU PONT DE NEMOURS AND COMPANY

1007 Market Street

Wilmington, Delaware 19898

(Name and address of principal executive office of issuer)

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of E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company

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* Other supplemental schedules required by Section 2520.103-10 of the Department of Labor Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 have been omitted because they are not applicable.

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Signatures

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company has duly caused the Annual Report to be signed by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Savings and Investment Plan
of E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company

March 23, 2005

By: /s/ Robert Slone

Robert Slone
Director
Global Rewards, Policy & Strategy and US Delivery

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Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To the Participants and Administrator of

Savings and Investment Plan of E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company

In our opinion, the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for benefits of the Savings and Investment Plan of E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company (the Plan) at September 30, 2004 and 2003, and the changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Plan s management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits of these statements in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor s Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. This supplemental schedule is the responsibility of the Plan s management. The supplemental schedule has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audits of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

March 23, 2005

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E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits

September 30, 2004 and 2003

	2004	2003
Assets		
Investments:		
Plan interest in DuPont and Related Companies Defined Contribution Plan Master Trust	$ 5,680,572,327	$ 5,648,148,879
Company stock funds	1,079,527,966	1,106,123,615
Mutual funds	1,867,774,900	1,643,656,028
Common/collective funds	672,962,490	619,822,400
Participant loans	109,946,011	124,288,479
Total investments	9,410,783,694	9,142,039,401
Receivables:		
Accrued income		31,775
Loan interest	466,208	589,182
Due from E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company	19,159,358	23,117,608
Total receivables	19,625,566	23,738,565
Cash:	8,289,673	6,133,687
Net assets available for benefits	$ 9,438,698,933	$ 9,171,911,653

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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Savings and Investment Plan of

E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company

Statements of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

For the Years Ended September 30, 2004 and 2003

	2004	2003
Additions:		
Investment income:		
Interest	$ 302,908,069	$ 321,473,798
Dividends	71,149,985	50,748,760
Net appreciation in fair value of investments	394,616,324	534,044,430
Total investment income	768,674,378	906,266,988
Contributions:		
DuPont Company s contributions	55,647,107	60,373,437
Participant contributions	203,221,354	200,320,396
Rollovers/trust to trust transfers	10,015,066	19,373,756
Total contributions	268,883,527	280,067,589
Asset transfers in	630,931	443,342
Total additions	1,038,188,836	1,186,777,919
Deductions:		
Withdrawals	769,609,099	494,919,970
Distribution of dividends	1,611,802	2,049,010
Administrative expenses	180,655	97,099
Total deductions	771,401,556	497,066,079
Net increase	266,787,280	689,711,840
Net assets available for benefits:		
Beginning of year	9,171,911,653	8,482,199,813
End of year	$ 9,438,698,933	$ 9,171,911,653

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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1. Description of the Plan

The Plan

The following description of the Savings and Investment Plan of E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company (the Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan agreement for a more comprehensive description of the Plan s provisions.

The Plan is a defined contribution plan which was established by the Board of Directors of E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company (the Company) and became effective September 1, 1955. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and the Internal Revenue Code.

The purpose of the Plan is to encourage and assist employees in following a systematic savings program suited to their individual financial objectives, and to provide an opportunity for employees to become stockholders of the Company. The Plan is a tax qualified contributory profit sharing plan. Any employee of the Company or employee of the Company s subsidiaries or general partnerships, which have adopted the Plan, is eligible to participate in the Plan. Eligible employees may enroll in the Plan as of the first day of the second calendar month following their date of hire.

Eligible employees may participate in the Plan by authorizing the Company to make payroll deductions (participant s savings). The amount deducted can be deposited into a Before-tax account, Regular account (for after-tax savings) or some combination thereof. A participant may elect the maximum savings rate of 100% of eligible compensation, as defined. The Company will contribute an amount equal to 50% of a participant s savings during a month except that no Company contribution will be made for participant s savings in excess of 6% of eligible monthly compensation. All of the above participant s savings and elections are subject to regulatory and Plan limitations. Participants direct the investment of their contributions into various investment options offered by the plan. The plan currently offers 21 mutual funds, 4 common/collective trust funds, a company stock fund, a stable value fund and 3 asset allocation funds as investment options for participants. All participants who were actively employed by DuPont at any time after December 31, 2001 are 100% vested in their Company contributions.

The DuPont Company Stock Fund (Company Stock Fund) was converted to an Employee Stock Ownership Plan (ESOP). Beginning in December 2002, participants have the ability to elect to have dividends from the Company Stock Fund paid out to them in cash instead of being reinvested in their Plan account. For the years ended September 30, 2004 and 2003, $1,611,802 and $2,049,010 in dividends were paid to participants in cash, respectively.

Company contributions will be suspended for six months if a participant withdraws, while in-service, any matched before-tax or after-tax savings contributed or Company contributions made to the account during the last two years. A participant who terminates from active service may elect to make an account withdrawal at any time. Required minimum distributions will begin in March of the calendar year following the later of the year in which the participant attains age 70-1/2 or the year following retirement or termination of employment.

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Participants may borrow up to one-half of their non-forfeitable account balances subject to certain minimum and maximum loan limitations. The loans are executed by promissory notes and have a minimum term of 12 months and a maximum term of 60 months, except for qualified residential loans, which have a maximum term of 120 months. The loans bear an interest rate equal to the average rate charged by selected major banks to prime customers for secured loans. The loans are repaid over the term in monthly installments of principal and interest by deduction from pay or pension checks. A participant also has the right to repay the loan in full, at any time, without penalty.

At September 30, 2004 and 2003 forfeited nonvested accounts totaled $73,670 and $16,573 respectively. These accounts will be used to reduce future employer contributions. Also, in 2004, employer contributions were reduced by $126,220 from forfeited nonvested accounts.

Administration

The designated trustee of the Plan is Merrill Lynch Trust Company of America (Merrill Lynch). The administration of the Plan is vested in the Company, which may designate one or more persons to operate and administer the Plan. The Company has the responsibility of appointing the trustees and the authority to designate the Plan s investment options.

In response to the recent irregularities that have come to light regarding several investment firms as well as to address the issue of market timing, the Company has implemented certain controls on trading activity for certain funds. At the current time, the funds listed below have a holding period requirement:

Merrill Lynch Global Growth Fund (Class I Shares)

Merrill Lynch International Value Fund (Class I Shares)

Merrill Lynch International Index Trust

Templeton Foreign Fund (Class A Shares)

Templeton Growth Fund (Class A Shares)

Plan participants who purchase an interest (invest) in any of these funds must hold that interest for at least 15 trading days. Plan participants who sell an interest in any of these funds (e.g., transfer assets to another fund) may not purchase any additional interest in that same fund for 15 trading days.

The Janus Enterprise Fund and the Janus Mercury Fund, were closed to all new investments as of November 30, 2003. These funds were subsequently reopened to new investments effective August 1, 2004 and participants may now invest and transfer into these funds.

In July 2004, Fidelity announced the closure of the Fidelity Low-Priced Stock Fund to new investors. As a result, effective July 28, 2004, the fund was closed to all new investments. Plan participants may not invest additional contributions or request a fund transfer into this fund. However, they may transfer out of the fund at any time.

These changes have been communicated to all Plan participants. DuPont will continue to monitor the situation and will make changes to the investment restrictions as appropriate.

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Reasonable expenses of administering the Plan, including, but not limited to, recordkeeping expenses, trustee fees and transactional costs may, at the election of the Plan Administrator, be paid by the Plan. Expenses paid by the Plan for the years ended September 30, 2004 and 2003 were $180,655 and $97,099, respectively, net of any fee reimbursements. Certain mutual funds companies reimburse the Plan for some of the expenses associated with administering the Plan. For the years ended September 30, 2004 and 2003, the total fee reimbursements to the Plan were $2,205,052 and $1,772,894, respectively. Brokerage fees, transfer taxes, investment fees and other expenses incident to the purchase and sale of securities and investments shall be included in the cost of such securities or investments, or deducted from the sales proceeds, as the case may be.

While the Company has not expressed any intent to terminate the Plan, it is free to do so at any time. In the event the Plan is terminated, all participants become 100% vested and the distribution of all account balances will be made based upon the valuation of participants accounts on the termination date in accordance with ERISA.

2. Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

The investments of the Plan are carried at fair value, except for the Plan s interest in the DuPont and Related Companies Defined Contribution Plan Master Trust (Master Trust). The Plan s interest in the Master Trust relating to stable value investment contracts is based upon its beginning value plus actual contributions and allocated investment income less actual distributions (see Note 3). The Master Trust s stable value investment contracts are fully benefit-responsive and, thus, are stated at contract value, which has a ratio of fair value to contract value of approximately 105% and 107% as of September 30, 2004 and 2003, respectively. Shares of registered investment companies (mutual funds) are valued at quoted market prices, which represent the net asset value of shares held by the Plan at year end. Shares of common and collective trust funds are valued at net unit value, which is based upon the value of the underlying securities as determined by the trustee at year end. Company stock is valued at quoted market prices at year end. Participant loans and cash and cash equivalents are valued at cost, which approximates fair value.

Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date and interest income is recorded when earned. Realized gains and losses on the sale of the Company Stock Fund securities are based on average cost of the securities sold. Purchases and sales are recorded on a trade date basis.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits are recorded when paid.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires the Plan s management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and changes therein, and disclosure of contingent assets and liablilities. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

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3. DuPont and Related Companies Defined Contribution Plan Master Trust

On April 1, 1999, the Company and certain affiliates (employers) entered into a Master Trust Agreement with Merrill Lynch (Trustee) to establish a master trust to allow participants of the Plan as well as participants from affiliated plans to invest in a Stable Value Fund and three different Asset Allocation Funds: the Conservative, Moderate, and Aggressive portfolios. To participate in the Master Trust, affiliates who sponsor qualified savings plans and who have adopted the Master Trust Agreement are required to make monthly payments to the Trustee of designated portions of employees savings and other contributions by the affiliate. Investment income relating to the Master Trust is allocated proportionately by investment fund to the plans within the Master Trust based on the plan s interest to the total fair value of the Master Trust investment funds.

The Stable Value Fund is invested in a money market fund, guaranteed investment contracts (GIC s), separate account GIC s, and synthetic GIC s which are backed by fixed income assets. The crediting interest rates on investment contracts ranged from 4.00% to 7.10% for the year ended September 30, 2004 and from 4.70% to 7.10% for the year ended September 30, 2003. The weighted average rate of return of the Stable Value Fund was 5.44% in 2004 and 5.81% in 2003.

The contract or crediting rates for certain stable value investment contracts are reset quarterly and are based on the portfolio of assets underlying these contracts. Inputs used to determine the crediting rate include each contract s portfolio market value of fixed income assets, current yield-to-maturity, duration (i.e., weighted average life) and market value relative to contract value. All contracts have a guaranteed rate of 0% or higher with respect to determining interest rate resets.

A synthetic GIC provides for a guaranteed return on principal over a specified period of time through benefit responsive wrapper contracts issued by a third party which are backed by underlying assets. Included in the contract value of the synthetic GIC s is $(207,625,581) and $(238,817,703) at September 30, 2004 and 2003, respectively, attributable to wrapper contract providers representing the amounts by which the value of contracts is greater than (less than) the value of the underlying assets.

The contract value of synthetic GIC s held by the Master Trust is $4,121,487,887 and $4,019,496,447 at September 30, 2004 and 2003, respectively.

Total Assets of the Master Trust include:

	September 30,

	2004	2003
Investment contracts	$ 5,624,305,125	$ 5,632,425,224
Common/collective trust funds	34,920,555	21,013,328
Money market funds	35,502,905	9,008,416
Total	$ 5,694,728,585	$ 5,662,446,968

The Plan s undivided interest in the Master Trust was 99.75% as of September 30, 2004 and 2003.

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Investments of the Master Trust that represent more than 5% of the assets of the Master Trust were as follows:

	September 30,	
	2004	2003
Investment contracts		
Connecticut General Life Ins.	$ 461,854,616	$ 490,906,461
ING Life Insurance & Annuity Co.	609,492,136	579,284,053
Monumental Life Insurance Co. (BDA-0063-TR)	596,602,325	568,359,678
JPMorgan Chase Bank (95-04)	604,530,818	574,104,580
JPMorgan Chase Bank (ADUPOT03)	503,180,536	486,308,055
State Street Bank & Trust (102001)	609,948,361	578,007,742
State Street Bank & Trust (102061)	503,180,536	486,308,055
Union Bank of Switzerland	611,149,693	577,830,794

At September 30, 2004, the total assets of the Master Trust of $5,694,728,584 included participant investments in the Stable Value Fund of $5,631,011,897 and $63,716,687 in the Conservative, Moderate and Aggressive Allocation Funds. At September 30, 2003, the total Master Trust value of $5,662,446,968 included participant investments in the Stable Value Fund of $5,623,891,544 and $38,555,424 in the Conservative, Moderate and Aggressive Allocation Funds.

Total investment income of the Master Trust for the years ended September 30, 2004 and 2003 was $306,180,489 and $324,226,061, respectively.

4. Investments

Investments that represent more than 5% of the net assets available for benefits as of September 30, 2004 and 2003 were as follows:

September 30,	
2004	2003

DuPont Company Stock Fund	$ 1,021,207,687	$ 1,061,648,836
Merrill Lynch Equity Index Tier 6	476,257,702	451,284,930
Master Trust	5,680,572,327	5,648,148,879

During the years ended September 30, 2004 and 2003, the Plan s investments appreciated in value (including realized gains and losses) as follows:

	September 30,	
	2004	**2003**
Company Stock Funds	$ 95,033,908	$ 119,106,246
Mutual Funds	213,160,265	291,405,875
Common/collective trust funds	81,556,733	118,049,307
Master Trust	4,865,418	5,483,002
Net appreciation in fair value of investments	$ 394,616,324	$ 534,044,430

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5. Conoco, Inc. Class B Common Stock Fund

On September 28, 1998, DuPont announced that the Board of Directors had approved a plan to divest DuPont s 100 percent-owned petroleum business, Conoco, Inc. On August 6, 1999, DuPont completed the planned divestiture through a tax-free split-off. DuPont exchanged its shares of Conoco, Inc. Class B common stock for shares of DuPont common stock. Plan participants had the option to exchange shares of DuPont Company stock, which were held in their participant accounts in the Company Stock Fund. For each share of DuPont common stock exchanged, the participant received an appropriate number of shares of Conoco Class B common stock. Accordingly, the Conoco Class B Stock Fund was created as an investment fund of the Plan. No additional shares of Conoco Class B common stock may be purchased by Plan participants through payroll deductions, fund transfers, or the reinvestment of dividends. Dividends earned on Conoco Class B common stock are distributed pro rata to the investment options in participants accounts based upon their current investment elections. On August 30, 2003, the Conoco Stock Fund became the ConocoPhillips Stock Fund. The balance of the ConocoPhillips Stock Fund was $58,320,279 and $44,474,779 at September 30, 2004 and 2003, respectively.

6. Asset Transfers

Net asset transfers into the Plan during the year ended September 30, 2004 were $630,931 from the merger of the International Dioxcide Incorporated 401(k) Savings Plan.

Affiliated company transfers of $443,342 for the year ended September 30, 2003 represents the net rollovers of participant account balances into the Plan from other Company-sponsored defined contribution benefit plans.

7. Tax Status

The Plan is a qualified plan pursuant to Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code) and the related Trusts are exempt from federal taxation under Section 501(a) of the Code. A favorable tax determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service has been received by the Plan dated October 9, 2003 covering the Plan and amendments through December 2, 2002. The Plan has been amended since receiving the determination letter. However, the Plan administrator and the Plan s ERISA counsel believe that the Plan is currently designed and operated in accordance with the applicable sections of the Code. Accordingly, no provision has been made for federal income taxes in the accompanying financial statements.

8. Related Party Transactions

Certain Plan investments are shares of mutual funds and units of common/collective trust funds managed by Merrill Lynch, the Trustee. In addition, the Plan offers the Company Stock Fund investment option. The assets of the Stable Value Fund are managed by DuPont Capital

Management Corporation (DCMC), a registered investment adviser and wholly-owned subsidiary of DuPont, under the terms of an investment management agreement between DCMC and the Company. DCMC hires additional investment managers to manage a portion of the fixed income assets backing synthetic GIC s allocated to the Stable Value

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Fund. The amount of DCMC fees accrued and paid was $1,764,831 and $1,945,287 at September 30, 2004 and 2003, respectively. Transactions in these investments qualify as party-in-interest transactions which are exempt from prohibited transaction rules of ERISA.

9. Reconciliation of Financial Statements to Form 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits from the financial statements to the Form 5500:

	September 30,	
	2004	2003
Net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	$ 9,438,698,933	$ 9,171,911,653
Less: Amounts allocated to withdrawing participants	(7,324,219)	(5,272,081)
Net assets available for benefits per the Form 5500	$ 9,431,374,714	$ 9,166,639,572

	Year Ended September 30, 2004
Benefits paid to participants per the financial statements	$ 769,609,099
Amounts allocated to withdrawing participants at September 30, 2004	7,324,219
Amounts allocated to withdrawing participants at September 30, 2003	(5,272,081)
Benefits paid to participants per the Form 5500	$ 771,661,237

Amounts allocated to withdrawing participants are recorded on the Form 5500 for benefit claims that have been processed and approved for payment prior to September 30 but are not yet paid as of that date.

10. Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participant s account balances and the amounts reported in the statement of net assets available for benefits.

11. Subsequent Events

Effective December 31, 2004 the Plan has changed its year-end from September 30 to December 31.

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Supplemental Schedule

Savings and Investment Plan of
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Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)
Form 5500, Schedule H, Part IV, Line I
As of September 30, 2004

Schedule I

	Identity of Issue	Description of Investment	Current Value
	AIM Constellation Fund Class A	Registered Investment Company	$ 24,864,502
	AIM Premier Equity Fund A	Registered Investment Company	$ 37,113,629
	Fidelity Equity Income Fund	Registered Investment Company	$ 69,914,450
	Fidelity Fund PV 1	Registered Investment Company	$ 42,200,011
	Fidelity Growth & Income Fund Class A	Registered Investment Company	$ 76,924,755
	Fidelity Low Priced Stock Fund	Registered Investment Company	$ 298,032,639
	Fidelity Magellan Fund	Registered Investment Company	$ 414,713,972
	Franklin Balance Sheet Investment Fund Class A	Registered Investment Company	$ 111,235,812
	Franklin Cust Fund Inc Growth	Registered Investment Company	$ 11,715,370
	Franklin Small-Mid Cap Growth Fund Class A	Registered Investment Company	$ 120,795,890
	Janus Enterprise Fund	Registered Investment Company	$ 81,744,878
	Janus Mercury Fund	Registered Investment Company	$ 140,386,699
*	Merrill Lynch Global Growth Fund Class I	Registered Investment Company	$ 31,185,617
*	Merrill Lynch Intl Value Fund Class I	Registered Investment Company	$ 47,934,950
*	Merrill Lynch Balanced Capital Fund Class I	Registered Investment Company	$ 50,165,171
*	Merrill Lynch Basic Value Fund Class I	Registered Investment Company	$ 124,626,637
*	Merrill Lynch Fundamental Growth Fund Class I	Registered Investment Company	$ 14,402,934
	MFS Research Fund Class A	Registered Investment Company	$ 15,765,167
	MFS Total Return Fund Class A	Registered Investment Company	$ 26,299,638
	Templeton Foreign Fund Class A	Registered Investment Company	$ 66,288,738
	Templeton Growth Fund Class A	Registered Investment Company	$ 61,463,441
	Barclays 3-Way Asset Allocation Fund	Common/Collective Trusts	$ 124,056,780
*	Merrill Lynch Small Capital Index CT Tier 2	Common/Collective Trusts	$ 53,936,595
*	Merrill Lynch Equity Index TR Tier 6	Common/Collective Trusts	$ 476,257,702
*	Merrill Lynch International Index CT Tier 2	Common/Collective Trusts	$ 18,711,413
*	E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company	Company Stock Fund	$ 1,021,207,687
	ConocoPhillips	Company Stock Fund	$ 58,320,279
*	Plan interest in the DuPont and Related Companies Defined Contribution Plan Master Trust (Master Trust)	Master Trust	$ 5,680,572,327
*	Participant Loans	4% to 10.25%	$ 109,946,011
	Investment Total	Maturity 10/1/03 - 9/30/2014	$ 9,410,783,694

* Party in Interest

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Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

We hereby consent to the incorporation by reference in the Registration Statement on Form S-8 (No. 333-114330) of E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company of our report dated March 23, 2005 relating to the financial statements of the Savings and Investment Plan of E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company, which appears in the Form 11-K.

/S/ PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS LLP

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

March 23, 2005