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[x]ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 (OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF
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	ONAL CORPORATION nt as Specified in its Charter)
New York (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)	13-2615557 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
New York, N (212) (Address, Including Zip Code, and Telephone Numbe	Avenue South New York 10010 460-1900 r, Including Area Code, of Registrant's Principal Executive ffices)
Securities registered pursu	ant to Section 12(b) of the Act:
Title of Each Class Common Shares, par value \$1 per share 7-3/4% Senior Notes due August 15, 2013	Name of Each Exchange on Which Registered New York Stock Exchange New York Stock Exchange
1	ant to Section 12(g) of the Act: None. of Class)
Indicate by check mark if the registrant is a well-known s Act. Yes [x] No []	seasoned issuer, as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities
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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 (§ 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 [x] No []
Indicate by check mark if disclosure of delinquent filers pursuant to Item 405 of Regulation S-K is not contained herein, and will not be contained, to the best of registrant's knowledge, in definitive proxy or information statement incorporated by reference in Part III of this Form 10-K or any amendment to this Form 10-K. [x]
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 definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):
Large accelerated filer x Non-accelerated filer o Smaller reporting company o
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes [] No [x]
Aggregate market value of the voting stock of the registrant held by non-affiliates of the registrant at June 30, 2011 (computed by reference to the last reported closing sale price of the Common Shares on the New York Stock Exchange on such date): \$6,776,967,000.
On February 16, 2012, the registrant had outstanding 244,582,588 Common Shares. DOCUMENTS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE:
Certain portions of the registrant's definitive proxy statement pursuant to Regulation 14A of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in connection with the 2012 annual meeting of shareholders of the registrant are incorporated by reference into Part III of this Report.

PART I

Item 1. Business.

The Company

The Company is a diversified holding company engaged through its consolidated subsidiaries in a variety of businesses, including beef processing, manufacturing, land based contract oil and gas drilling, gaming entertainment, real estate activities, medical product development and winery operations. The Company also has a significant investment in the common stock of Jefferies Group, Inc. ("Jefferies"), a full-service investment bank and Mueller Industries, Inc. ("Mueller"), a leading manufacturer of copper, brass, plastic, and aluminum products, both of which are accounted for at fair value. The Company owns equity interests in operating businesses which are accounted for under the equity method of accounting, including a broker-dealer engaged in making markets and trading of high yield and special situation securities and a commercial mortgage origination and servicing business. The Company concentrates on return on investment and cash flow to maximize long-term shareholder value. Additionally, the Company continuously evaluates the retention and disposition of its existing operations and investigates possible acquisitions of new businesses. Changes in the mix of the Company's businesses and investments should be expected.

Shareholders' equity has grown from a deficit of \$7,657,000 at December 31, 1978 (prior to the acquisition of a controlling interest in the Company by the Company's Chairman and President), to a positive shareholders' equity of \$6,174,396,000 at December 31, 2011, equal to a book value per common share of the Company (a "common share") of negative \$.04 at December 31, 1978 and \$25.24 at December 31, 2011. Shareholders' equity and book value per share amounts have been reduced by the \$811,925,000 special cash dividend paid in 1999.

In December 2011, the Company acquired 78.9% of National Beef Packing Company, LLC ("National Beef") for aggregate net cash consideration of \$867,869,000. National Beef processes, packages and delivers fresh and frozen beef and beef by-products for sale to customers in the U.S. and international markets.

The Company's manufacturing operations are conducted through Idaho Timber, LLC ("Idaho Timber") and Conwed Plastics, LLC ("Conwed Plastics"). Idaho Timber is headquartered in Boise, Idaho and primarily remanufactures dimension lumber and remanufactures, packages and/or produces other specialized wood products. Conwed Plastics manufactures and markets lightweight plastic netting used for a variety of purposes including, among other things, building and construction, erosion control, packaging, agricultural, carpet padding, filtration and consumer products.

The Company's land based contract oil and gas drilling operations are conducted by Keen Energy Services, LLC ("Keen"). Keen became a consolidated subsidiary when the Company acquired the remaining equity interests it did not previously own in November 2009.

The Company's gaming entertainment operations are conducted through Premier Entertainment Biloxi LLC ("Premier"), which is the owner of the Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Biloxi ("Hard Rock Biloxi"), located in Biloxi, Mississippi.

The Company's domestic real estate operations include a mixture of commercial properties, residential land development projects and other unimproved land.

The Company's medical product development operations are conducted through Sangart, Inc. ("Sangart"). Sangart is developing a product called MP4OX, which is a solution of cell-free hemoglobin administered intravenously to provide rapid oxygen delivery to oxygen deprived tissues.

The Company's winery operations consist of Pine Ridge Vineyards in Napa Valley, California, Archery Summit in the Willamette Valley of Oregon, Chamisal Vineyards in the Edna Valley of California, Seghesio Family Vineyards in the Alexander and Russian River Valleys of California and a vineyard development project in the Columbia Valley of Washington. The wineries primarily produce and sell wines in the premium, ultra premium and luxury segments of the premium table wine market.

The Company owns approximately 28.2% of the outstanding common shares of Jefferies, a company listed on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") (Symbol: JEF). Jefferies is a full-service global investment bank and institutional securities firm serving companies and their investors.

During 2011, the Company acquired approximately 27.3% of the outstanding common shares of Mueller, a company listed on the NYSE (Symbol: MLI), for aggregate cash consideration of \$408,558,000. Mueller is a leading manufacturer of copper, brass, plastic, and aluminum products.

The Company owns an equity investment in Jefferies High Yield Holdings, LLC ("JHYH"). Through its wholly-owned subsidiary, JHYH makes markets in high yield and special situation securities and provides research coverage on these types of securities.

The Company owns a 50% equity interest in Berkadia Commercial Mortgage LLC ("Berkadia"), a joint venture with Berkshire Hathaway Inc. ("Berkshire Hathaway"). Berkadia is engaged in the commercial mortgage origination and servicing business.

In August 2006, pursuant to a subscription agreement with Fortescue Metals Group Ltd ("Fortescue") and its subsidiary, FMG Chichester Pty Ltd ("FMG"), the Company invested in Fortescue's Pilbara iron ore and infrastructure project in Western Australia. Fortescue is a publicly traded company on the Australian Stock Exchange (Symbol: FMG). At December 31, 2011, the Company owned 130,586,000 common shares of Fortescue; however, the Company sold 100,000,000 Fortescue common shares for net cash proceeds of \$506,490,000 in January 2012. The Company also owns a \$100,000,000 unsecured note of FMG that matures in August 2019 (the "FMG Note"); interest on the FMG Note is calculated as 4% of the revenue, net of government royalties, invoiced from the iron ore produced from two specified project areas. As further described below, the Company is currently engaged in litigation with Fortescue concerning Fortescue's assertion that it has the ability to dilute the interest payable to the Company by issuing additional notes identical to the Company's note.

The Company and certain of its subsidiaries have federal income tax net operating loss carryforwards ("NOLs") of approximately \$4,738,150,000 at December 31, 2011. For more information see Item 7, Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations.

As used herein, the term "Company" refers to Leucadia National Corporation, a New York corporation organized in 1968, and its subsidiaries, except as the context otherwise may require.

Investor Information

The Company is subject to the informational requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act"). Accordingly, the Company files periodic reports, proxy statements and other information with the Securities

and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"). Such reports, proxy statements and other information may be obtained by visiting the Public Reference Room of the SEC at 100 F Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20549 or by calling the SEC at 1-800-SEC-0330. In addition, the SEC maintains an Internet site (www.sec.gov) that contains reports, proxy and information statements and other information regarding the Company and other issuers that file electronically. Material filed by the Company can also be inspected at the offices of the NYSE, 20 Broad Street, New York, NY 10005, on which the Company's common shares are listed.

The Company's website address is www.leucadia.com. The Company makes available, without charge through its website, copies of its annual report on Form 10-K, quarterly reports on Form 10-Q, current reports on Form 8-K and amendments to those reports filed or furnished pursuant to Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Exchange Act, as soon as reasonably practicable after such reports are filed with or furnished to the SEC.

Cautionary Statement for Forward-Looking Information

Statements included in this Report may contain forward-looking statements. Such statements may relate, but are not limited, to projections of revenues, income or loss, development expenditures, plans for growth and future operations, competition and regulation, as well as assumptions relating to the foregoing. Such forward-looking statements are made pursuant to the safe-harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995.

Forward-looking statements are inherently subject to risks and uncertainties, many of which cannot be predicted or quantified. When used in this Report, the words "will," "could," "estimates," "expects," "anticipates," "believes," "plans," and variations of such words and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. Future events and actual results could differ materially from those set forth in, contemplated by or underlying the forward-looking statements.

Factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from any results projected, forecasted, estimated or budgeted or may materially and adversely affect the Company's actual results include, but are not limited to, those set forth in Item 1A. Risk Factors and elsewhere in this Report and in the Company's other public filings with the SEC.

Undue reliance should not be placed on these forward-looking statements, which are applicable only as of the date hereof. The Company undertakes no obligation to revise or update these forward-looking statements to reflect events or circumstances that arise after the date of this Report or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events.

Financial Information about Segments

The Company's reportable segments consist of the consolidated operating units identified above, which offer different products and services and are managed separately. Other operations primarily consist of the Company's wineries and energy projects.

Associated companies include equity interests in other entities that the Company accounts for under the equity method of accounting. Investments in associated companies that are accounted for under the equity method of accounting include HomeFed Corporation ("HomeFed"), a corporation engaged in real estate activities, Linkem S.p.A. ("Linkem"), a wireless broadband services provider in Italy, JHYH, Berkadia and Garcadia, a joint venture that owns automobile dealerships. Associated companies also include the Company's investments in Jefferies and Mueller which are accounted for at fair value rather than under the equity method of accounting.

Corporate assets primarily consist of the deferred tax asset, investments and cash and cash equivalents and corporate revenues primarily consist of investment and other income and securities gains and losses. Corporate assets include the Company's investment in Fortescue and in the common shares of Inmet Mining Corporation ("Inmet"), a Canadian-based global mining company. Corporate assets, revenues, overhead expenses and interest expense are not allocated to the operating units.

Conwed Plastics has a manufacturing and sales facility located in Belgium, National Beef has sales offices in and exports its products to various countries and the Company owns a small Caribbean-based telecommunications provider; these are the only foreign operations with non-U.S. revenue or assets that the Company consolidates. Unconsolidated non-U.S. based investments include the investments in Fortescue, Inmet and Linkem.

Certain information concerning the Company's segments is presented in the following table. Consolidated subsidiaries are reflected as of the date a majority controlling interest was acquired, which was November 2009 for Keen and December 30, 2011 for National Beef. Since National Beef's operating activities subsequent to the acquisition during 2011 were not significant they have not been included in the Company's 2011 consolidated statement of operations. Associated Companies are not considered to be a reportable segment, but are reflected in the table below under income (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes and identifiable assets employed.

	2011	2010 (In thousands)	2009
Revenues and other income (a):		(III tilousalius)	,
Manufacturing:			
Idaho Timber	\$159,026	\$172,908	\$142,709
Conwed Plastics	85,961	87,073	82,094
Oil and Gas Drilling Services (b)	136,146	116,560	60,459
Gaming Entertainment	117,238	114,809	103,583
Domestic Real Estate	96,501	17,075	30,637
Medical Product Development	378	123	5,147
Other Operations (c)	69,038	67,119	51,764
Corporate (d)	906,480	744,337	98,815
Total consolidated revenues and other income	\$1,570,768	\$1,320,004	\$575,208
Income (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes:			
Manufacturing:			
Idaho Timber	\$(3,787	\$547	\$(12,680)
Conwed Plastics	5,916	8,803	11,578
Oil and Gas Drilling Services (b)	3,533	(13,937)	,
Gaming Entertainment	12,616	(2,159)	,
Domestic Real Estate	80,919	(54,935)	(71,298)
Medical Product Development	. ,) (25,443)	(23,818)
Other Operations (c)	(= -,) (17,487)	(26,434)
Income (loss) related to Associated Companies	(612,362		805,803
Corporate (d)	648,861	473,614	(167,619)
Total consolidated income from continuing			
operations before income taxes	\$68,626	\$744,024	\$564,649
Depreciation and amortization expenses:			
Manufacturing: (e)			
Idaho Timber	\$5,299	\$6,131	\$8,631
Conwed Plastics	6,509	9,068	8,476
Oil and Gas Drilling Services	21,051	25,447	3,103
Gaming Entertainment	16,785	16,657	16,532
Domestic Real Estate	3,461	6,163	8,408
Medical Product Development	845	870	836
Other Operations (e)	9,922	7,183	8,125
Corporate	23,296	20,979	18,441
Total consolidated depreciation and amortization expenses	\$87,168	\$92,498	\$72,552
Identifiable assets employed:	4.5 00.055	Ф	Φ.
Beef Processing	\$1,786,855	\$-	\$-
Manufacturing:	71.050	04.426	04.011
Idaho Timber	71,859	84,436	94,211
Conwed Plastics	56,539	60,822	67,940
Oil and Gas Drilling Services	224,563	237,212	257,086
Gaming Entertainment	243,888	253,221	266,951
Domestic Real Estate	254,885	255,027	311,571

Medical Product Development	27,893	16,950	26,702
Other Operations	226,306	167,535	158,326
Investments in Associated Companies	1,991,795	2,274,163	2,764,885
Corporate	4,378,606	6,000,932	2,652,422
Assets of discontinued operations	_	_	162,270
Total consolidated assets	\$9,263,189	\$9,350,298	\$6,762,364

- (a) Revenues and other income for each segment include amounts for services rendered and products sold, as well as segment reported amounts classified as investment and other income and net securities gains (losses) in the Company's consolidated statements of operations.
- (b) Investment and other income for oil and gas drilling services includes a bargain purchase gain of \$49,345,000 in 2009. For more information see Item 7, Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations.
- (c) Other operations include pre-tax losses of \$28,598,000, \$16,076,000 and \$25,324,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively, for the investigation and evaluation of various energy related projects. There were no significant operating revenues or identifiable assets associated with these activities in any period; however, other income includes \$5,366,000 and \$11,143,000 in 2011 and 2010, respectively, with respect to government grants to reimburse the Company for certain of its prior expenditures, which were fully expensed as incurred.
- (d) Net securities gains (losses) for Corporate aggregated \$641,480,000, \$179,494,000 and \$(21,106,000) during 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively. Corporate net securities gains (losses) are net of impairment charges of \$3,586,000, \$2,474,000 and \$31,420,000 during 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively. In 2011, security gains included gains of \$628,197,000 from the sale of certain of the Company's common shares of Fortescue. In 2010, security gains include a gain of \$66,200,000 from the sale of the Company's investment in Light and Power Holdings, Ltd. ("LPH"), the parent company of the principal electric utility in Barbados, and a gain of \$94,918,000 from the sale of certain of the Company's common shares of Fortescue. Corporate investment and other income includes the gain on sale of the Company's remaining interest in the Cobre Las Cruces copper mining project ("Las Cruces") to Inmet of \$383,369,000 in 2010.
- (e) Includes amounts classified as cost of sales.
- (f) For the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, interest expense was primarily comprised of Corporate; interest expense for other segments was not significant.

At December 31, 2011, the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries had 11,711 full-time employees.

Beef Processing

Business Description

The Company acquired 78.9% of National Beef for aggregate net cash consideration of \$867,869,000 on December 30, 2011. National Beef, headquartered in Kansas City, Missouri, is one of the largest beef processing companies in the U.S., accounting for approximately 14% of the federally inspected steer and heifer slaughter during 2011, as reported by the United States Department of Agriculture ("USDA"). National Beef processes, packages and delivers fresh and frozen beef and beef by-products for sale to customers in the U.S. and international markets. National Beef's products include boxed beef, ground beef, hides, tallow, and other beef and beef by-products.

Beef production, from the birth of the animal through the delivery of beef products to the customer, is comprised of two primary segments, production and processing. The production segment raises cattle for slaughter and the

processing segment slaughters cattle and packages beef for delivery to customers. The production segment bears the cost of feeding the cattle to the appropriate market weights and has direct financial exposure to the volatility in grain and other input costs. Beef processors like National Beef are primarily "spread" operators, earning margin between the selling price for their products and the cost of procuring and processing the cattle.

Approximately 90% of National Beef's revenues are generated from the sale of fresh meat either as a boxed beef product or a case-ready product. In addition, National Beef sells beef by-products to the variety meat, feed processing, fertilizer and pet food industries. National Beef also owns 75% of Kansas City Steak Company, LLC ("Kansas City Steak"), which sells portioned beef and other products to customers in the food service and retail channels as well as direct to consumers through the internet and direct mail.

National Beef operates a wet blue tanning facility that sells processed hides to tanners that produce finished leather for the automotive, luxury goods, apparel and furniture industries. Wet blue tanning refers to the first step in processing raw and brine-cured hides into tanned leather. National Beef also owns a refrigerated and livestock transportation company that provides transportation services for National Beef and third parties.

The seasonal demand for beef products is generally highest in the spring and summer months.

Sales and Marketing

The sales office for National Beef's domestic operations is responsible for selling and coordinating the movement of approximately 50 million pounds per week of boxed beef products to customers. National Beef markets its products to national and regional retailers, including supermarket chains, independent grocers, club stores, wholesalers and distributors, food service providers and distributors, further processors and the United States military. National Beef exports products to more than 30 countries; export sales currently represent approximately 12% of annual revenues. In 2011, Wal-Mart and its affiliate, Sam's Club, represented approximately 9% of National Beef's revenues, and its top 10 customers accounted for approximately 30% of revenues. Wal-Mart purchases a substantial portion of National Beef's case-ready products.

National Beef emphasizes the sale of higher-margin, value-added products, which include branded boxed beef, case-ready beef, portion control beef and further processed hides. National Beef believes its value-added products can command higher prices than commodity products because of National Beef's ability to consistently meet product specifications, based on quality, trim, weight, size, breed or other factors, tailored to the needs of its customers. In addition to the value-added brands that National Beef owns, National Beef licenses the use of Certified Angus Beef®, a registered trademark of Certified Angus Beef LLC, and Certified Hereford Beef®, a registered trademark of Certified Hereford Beef LLC.

Raw Materials and Procurement

The primary raw material for the processing plants is live cattle. The domestic beef industry is characterized by cattle prices that change daily based on seasonal consumption patterns, overall supply and demand for beef and other proteins, cattle inventory levels, weather and other factors.

National Beef has entered into a cattle supply agreement with U.S. Premium Beef, LLC ("USPB"), the current owner of a 15% interest in National Beef that sold a substantial portion of its ownership interest to the Company. National Beef has agreed to purchase through USPB from the members of USPB 735,385 head of cattle per year (subject to adjustment), based on pricing grids furnished by National Beef to the members of USPB. National Beef believes the pricing grids are based on terms that could be obtained from an unaffiliated party. The cattle supply agreement is for an initial five year term, with automatic one year extensions on each annual anniversary date of the Company's acquisition of National Beef, unless either party provides a notice not to extend sixty days prior to the annual anniversary date. During its most recent fiscal year, National Beef purchased approximately 20% of the total cattle it processed from USPB members pursuant to a previous cattle supply agreement. National Beef also purchased additional cattle from certain USPB members outside of the cattle supply agreement.

Cattle are also purchased through cash bids and other arrangements from cattle producers in primary and secondary markets. National Beef purchases cattle from nearly 1,000 suppliers annually.

Processing Facilities

National Beef owns three beef processing facilities located in Liberal, Kansas, Dodge City, Kansas, and Brawley, California. The Liberal and Dodge City facilities can each process approximately 6,000 cattle per day, and the Brawley facility approximately 2,000 cattle per day. National Beef owns case-ready facilities in Hummels Wharf, Pennsylvania (approximately 79,000 square feet) and Moultrie, Georgia (approximately 114,000 square feet), and the wet blue tanning facility in St. Joseph, Missouri (approximately 221,000 square feet). The Kansas City Steak processing facility is located in Kansas City, Kansas (approximately 63,000 square feet).

Competition

The beef processing industry is highly competitive. Competition exists both in the purchase of live cattle, as well as in the sale of beef products. Beef products compete with other protein sources, including pork and poultry, but National Beef's principal competition comes from other beef processors. National Beef believes the principal competitive factors in the beef processing industry are price, quality, food safety, customer service, product distribution, technological innovations (such as food safety interventions and packaging technologies) and brand loyalty. Some of National Beef's competitors have substantially larger beef operations, greater financial and other resources and wider brand recognition for their products.

Regulation and Environmental

National Beef's operations are subject to extensive regulation by the USDA including its Food Safety and Inspection Service ("FSIS") and its Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration ("GIPSA"), the Food and Drug Administration ("FDA"), the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") and other state, local and foreign authorities regarding the processing, packaging, storage, safety, distribution, advertising and labeling of its products.

National Beef's domestic operations are subject to the Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921 ("PSA"). Among other things, this statute generally requires National Beef to make full payment for livestock purchases not later than the close of business the day after the purchase and transfer of possession or determination of the purchase price. Under the PSA, National Beef must hold in trust for the benefit of unpaid livestock suppliers all livestock purchased until the sellers have received full payment. At December 31, 2011, National Beef has obtained from an insurance company a surety bond in the amount of \$40,900,000 to satisfy these requirements.

The Dodge City and Liberal facilities are subject to Title V permitting pursuant to the federal Clean Air Act and the Kansas Air Quality Act. The Liberal permit expired on January 25, 2010, but has been administratively extended pending renewal by the Kansas Department of Health and Environment. The Brawley and St. Joseph facilities are subject to secondary air permits which are in place. The Dodge City, Liberal, Hummels Wharf, Moultrie and Brawley facilities are subject to Clean Air Act Risk Management Plan requirements relating to the use of ammonia as a refrigerant.

All of National Beef's plants are indirect dischargers of wastewater to publicly owned treatment works and are subject to requirements under the federal Clean Water Act, state and municipal laws, as well as agreements or permits with municipal or county authorities. Upon renewal of these agreements and permits, National Beef is from time to time required to make capital expenditures to upgrade or expand wastewater treatment facilities to address new and more stringent discharge requirements imposed at the time of renewal. Storm water discharges from National Beef's plants

are also regulated by state and local authorities.

All of National Beef's facilities generate solid wastestreams including small quantities of hazardous wastes. National Beef is subject to laws that provide for strict, and in certain circumstances joint and several, liability for remediation of hazardous substances at contaminated sites; however, National Beef has not received any demands that it has any liability at sites under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act ("Superfund") or state counterparts. All plants are subject to community right to know reporting requirements under the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986, which requires yearly filings as to the substances used on facility premises.

Employees

National Beef has approximately 9,400 employees, of which approximately 4,000 are currently represented by collective bargaining agreements. Approximately 2,800 employees at the Liberal plant are represented by the United Food and Commercial Workers International Union under a collective bargaining agreement scheduled to expire in December 2012. Approximately 1,100 employees at the Brawley plant are jointly represented by the United Food and Commercial Workers International Union and the Teamsters International Union under a collective bargaining agreement scheduled to expire in December 2013. Approximately 100 employees at the St. Joseph plant are represented by the United Cereal Workers of the United Food and Commercial Workers International Union under a collective bargaining agreement scheduled to expire in May 2014.

The employees at the Dodge City plant voted in favor of union representation by the United Food and Commercial Workers International Union in November 2011. The union has been certified as the representative of a bargaining unit of approximately 2,600 employees in production and maintenance, shipping and receiving, grounds keeping and the warehouse.

Manufacturing

Idaho Timber

Business Description

Idaho Timber, which was acquired in May 2005, is headquartered in Boise, Idaho and is engaged in the manufacture and/or distribution of various wood products. Idaho Timber's principal product lines include remanufacturing dimension lumber; remanufacturing, bundling and bar coding of home center boards for large retailers; and production of 5/4" radius-edge, pine decking. The net book value of the Company's investment in Idaho Timber was \$64,725,000 at December 31, 2011.

Remanufactured dimension lumber is Idaho Timber's largest product line. Dimension lumber is used for general construction and home improvement, remodeling and repair projects, the demand for which is normally a function of housing starts and home size. All dimension lumber is assigned a quality grade, based on the imperfections in the wood, and higher-grade lumber is sold at a higher price than lower-grade lumber. Idaho Timber purchases low-grade dimension lumber from sawmills located in North America and Europe and upgrades it into higher-grade dimension lumber products. The remanufacturing process includes ripping, trimming and planing lumber to reduce imperfections and produce a variety of lumber sizes. These products are produced at plants located in Florida, North Carolina, Texas, Idaho and New Mexico.

Home center board products are principally sold to large home improvement retailers. Idaho Timber purchases high-grade boards from sawmills, performs minor re-work on those boards to upgrade the quality, and then packages and bar codes those boards according to customer specifications. Idaho Timber also operates a sawmill in Arkansas to produce its 5/4" radius-edge, pine decking products.

Idaho Timber owns and operates seven plants, one sawmill that principally produces decking products and one sawmill that produces split-rail fencing. These nine facilities in the aggregate have approximately 748,000 square feet of manufacturing and office space, covering approximately 154 acres. One plant is principally dedicated to home center board products and the remaining plants principally produce remanufactured dimension lumber products.

Sales and Marketing

Idaho Timber primarily markets to local, regional and national lumber retailers for its dimension lumber products, home improvement centers for its home center board products and decking treaters for its sawmill product, and other resellers of home construction materials. For dimension lumber products, sales are primarily generated at each of the plants, with a dedicated sales force located in the same geographic region as the customers the plant serves. Board and decking products are sold and managed centrally. Sales of home center board products are heavily dependent on national home center chains. Idaho Timber's sales are somewhat concentrated in regions where its facilities are located, with the largest being Florida, 15%; North Carolina, 14%; and Texas, 14%.

Competition

Idaho Timber sells commodity products, and operates in an industry that is very competitive and currently suffering from continuing lack of demand due to limited housing starts and remodeling activity. Idaho Timber competes against domestic and foreign sawmills and intermediate distributors for its dimension lumber and decking products. In some cases, Idaho Timber competes on a limited basis with the same sawmills that are a source of supply of low-grade dimension lumber. Idaho Timber also competes for raw material purchases needed for its remanufactured dimension lumber and home center board products. A recent increase in off-shore demand for low-grade lumber used in its remanufacturing facilities has further constrained available supply.

Government Regulation

Lumber and decking are identified at Idaho Timber facilities with a grade stamp that shows the grade, moisture content, mill number, species and grading agency. All lumber is graded in compliance with the National Grading Rule for Dimension Lumber, which is published by the U.S. Department of Commerce. Idaho Timber facilities are subject to regular inspection by agencies approved by the American Lumber Standards Committee. Idaho Timber believes that its procedure for grading lumber is highly accurate; however, Idaho Timber could be exposed to product liability claims if it can be demonstrated its products are inappropriately rated.

Plastics Manufacturing

Business Description

Through Conwed Plastics, which was acquired in March 1985, the Company manufactures and markets lightweight plastic netting used for a variety of purposes including, among other things, building and construction, erosion control, packaging, agricultural, carpet padding, filtration and consumer products. These products are primarily used for containment purposes, reinforcement of other products, packaging for produce and meats, various types of filtration and erosion prevention. The net book value of the Company's investment in Conwed Plastics was \$46,270,000 at December 31, 2011.

Certain products of Conwed Plastics are proprietary, protected by patents and/or trade secrets. The Company holds patents on certain improvements to the basic manufacturing processes it uses and on applications thereof. The Company believes that the expiration of these patents, individually or in the aggregate, is unlikely to have a significant effect on its operations.

Sales and Marketing

Products are marketed both domestically and internationally, with approximately 24% of 2011 revenues generated by customers from Europe, Latin America, Japan and Australia. Products are sold primarily through an employee sales force, located in the U.S. and Europe. Conwed Plastics emphasizes development of new products and new applications of existing products to grow its revenues. New product development focuses on market niches where proprietary technology and expertise can lead to sustainable competitive economic advantages. Approximately half of Conwed Plastics' revenues are generated on a make to order basis.

Competition

Conwed Plastics is subject to domestic and international competition, generally on the basis of price, service and quality. Conwed Plastics has 3 to 5 competitors in most of its market segments but the size and type of its competition varies by market segment. Additionally, certain products are dependent on cyclical industries, including the construction industry. The cost of the principal raw material used in its products, polypropylene, has increased by approximately 20% over the last three years, a continuing trend that started in 2002. The price of polypropylene has historically fluctuated with the price of oil and natural gas but growing economies in China and India have resulted in increased demand for raw materials and raised prices globally.

Oil and Gas Drilling Services

Business Description

Keen is a land based contract oil and gas drilling company based in Stillwater, Oklahoma that provides drilling services to independent oil and natural gas exploration and production companies in the Mid-Continent Region of the U.S. Keen currently operates drilling rigs in Oklahoma, Texas, Arkansas and Louisiana. Keen became a consolidated subsidiary in November 2009; the net book value of the Company's investment in Keen was \$210,194,000 at December 31, 2011.

Keen, which has been in business since 1991, typically generates revenues through drilling contracts based on daily rates (daywork contracts), footage (charged by depth of the well) or based on a turnkey contract (fixed price to drill a well). In 2011, all drilling services were performed pursuant to daywork contracts. Keen supplies the drilling rig, all ancillary equipment and drilling personnel; all of Keen's rigs are capable of drilling horizontal and directional wells. Once Keen has drilled a well for a customer, the drilling rig will be moved off of the well and another service provider will use a service rig (a smaller rig) that is built for completions, which brings the well into production. Keen has 26 drilling rigs in its fleet that have rated maximum depth capabilities ranging from 12,000 feet to 22,000 feet. Keen also owns and operates a fleet of trucks, trailers and other construction equipment primarily used to take down, rig up and transport rigs between locations and to prepare the locations for drilling operations.

Keen's revenue volume and profitability are significantly affected by the actual and anticipated price of natural gas and oil, levels of natural gas and oil in storage and the supply of drilling rigs available in the marketplace. The exploration

and production industry is cyclical and the level of exploration and production activity has historically been very volatile. During periods of lower levels of drilling activity, price competition for drilling services tends to increase, which may result in reduced revenues and profitability; conversely, during periods of increased drilling activity, drilling rigs are in demand often resulting in higher prices and contractual commitments from customers to obtain exclusive use of a particular rig for a longer term.

Sales and Marketing

Keen markets its drilling rigs to a number of independent oil and gas companies. Most of Keen's contracts are with established customers on a competitive bid or negotiated basis and may cover one well, a multi-well project or are entered into for a specified period of time. At December 31, 2011, Keen has 6 drilling rigs under contract for a remaining term of more than 1 year, 14 rigs are operating under term contracts that will expire within the next 12 months, 2 are under well-to-well contracts with specific customers, and 4 are not currently under contract.

Keen's business is fairly concentrated with its top eight customers accounting for over 77% of 2011 drilling revenues. Two customers accounted for 34% of 2011 drilling revenues and six other customers each exceeded 5% of 2011 drilling revenues.

Competition

Customers award contracts to contract drillers based on factors such as price, rig availability, quality of service, proximity to the well site, experience with the specific geological formation, condition and type of equipment, reputation, safety of operations and customer relationships. Contracts for drilling services may be awarded based solely on price. Although contract drilling companies generally compete on a regional basis, drilling rigs can be moved from one market to another in response to market conditions which can have the effect of increasing competition.

Gaming Entertainment

Business Description

Premier owns the Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Biloxi, located in Biloxi, Mississippi, which opened to the public on June 30, 2007. Acquired in 2006, the Company owns all of Premier's common units; including outstanding loans; the net book value of the Company's investment in Premier was \$227,028,000 at December 31, 2011.

The Hard Rock Hotel & Casino is located on a 10 acre site on the Mississippi Gulf Coast and has approximately 1,305 slot machines, 52 table games, six live poker tables, five restaurants (including a Hard Rock Café and Ruth's Chris Steakhouse), a full service spa, an outdoor pool and deck, retail space, an eleven-story hotel with 325 rooms and suites and a Hard Rock Live! entertainment venue with a capacity of approximately 2,000 persons. The Company is investigating a hotel expansion which would add 154 rooms at an estimated cost of \$30,000,000. If the Company decides to go forward, construction could begin in the second quarter of 2012.

Premier's marketing strategy is to position the resort as a full service gaming, boutique hotel and entertainment resort catering to the Mississippi Gulf Coast marketplace and the southern region of the U.S. The Mississippi Gulf Coast region is located along the Interstate 10 corridor and is within a ninety minute drive from the New Orleans metropolitan area, Mobile, Alabama and the Florida panhandle. Premier's primary means of marketing utilizes its database of customers for direct mail campaigns and promotional giveaways designed to reward customers and generate loyalty and repeat visits. In addition, Premier benefits from the "Hard Rock" brand name which appeals to a broad range of customers.

The Hard Rock Biloxi's casino is constructed over water on concrete pilings; however, the threat of hurricanes is a risk to the facility. Premier's current insurance policy provides up to \$242,000,000 in coverage for damage to real and personal property including business interruption coverage. The coverage is provided by a panel of U.S., Bermuda and London based insurers and is comprised of a \$50,000,000 primary layer and three excess layers. The coverage is

syndicated through several insurance carriers, each with an A.M. Best Rating of A- (Excellent) or better. Although the insurance policy is an all risk policy, any loss resulting from a weather catastrophe occurrence, which is defined to include damage caused by a named storm, is sublimited to \$100,000,000 with a deductible of \$5,000,000.

Competition

Premier faces significant competition primarily from ten other gaming operations in the Mississippi Gulf Coast gaming market and secondarily from gaming operations in Baton Rouge and New Orleans, Louisiana as well as from a Native American casino in Atmore, Alabama. Other competition comes from gaming operations in Lake Charles, Bossier City and Shreveport, Louisiana; Tunica and Philadelphia, Mississippi; Tampa and Hollywood, Florida and other states. Such competition may increase if gaming operations grow in these markets or if legalized gaming expands to nearby states. Many of Premier's competitors are larger and have greater marketing and financial resources.

Government Regulation

The gaming industry in Mississippi is highly regulated. Premier, its ownership and management are subject to findings of suitability reviews by the Mississippi Gaming Commission. In addition, the laws, rules and regulations of state and local governments in Mississippi require Premier to hold various licenses, registrations and permits and to obtain various approvals for a variety of matters. In order to continue operating, Premier must remain in compliance with all laws, rules and regulations and pay gaming taxes on its gross gaming revenues. Failure to maintain such approvals or obtain renewals when due, or failure to comply with new laws or regulations or changes to existing laws and regulations would have an adverse effect on Premier's business. Premier believes it is in compliance with all governmental rules and regulations.

Domestic Real Estate

At December 31, 2011, the Company's net investment in the domestic real estate segment was \$245,700,000. The real estate operations include a mixture of commercial properties, residential land development projects and other unimproved land. Certain of the Company's real estate investments and the real estate carrying values as of December 31, 2011 include: a large scale mixed-use development project with various residential, retail and commercial space located in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina (\$33,787,000); approximately 73 acres of land used by Garcadia, the automobile dealership joint venture (\$55,360,000); approximately 76 acres of land located on the island of Islesboro, Maine (approved for 13 residential waterfront lots) and 45 fully developed residential lots on approximately 120 acres of land located in Rockport, Maine on Penobscot Bay, (\$46,146,000 in the aggregate); and a 15 acre, unentitled air rights parcel above the train tracks behind Union Station in Washington, D.C. (\$11,543,000). None of these projects is secured by any indebtedness.

The Company had previously entered into an agreement with the Panama City-Bay County Airport and Industrial District of Panama City, Florida to purchase approximately 708 acres of land which used to be the Panama City-Bay County International Airport. The Company had placed \$56,500,000 into escrow; the purchase price was subsequently adjusted to \$51,870,000, the excess funds were returned and the transaction closed in February 2012. The Company intends to develop the property into a mixed use community with residential, retail, commercial, educational and office sites. The project is fully entitled and zoned for 3,200 residential units and 700,000 square feet of commercial space and includes a permitted marina with 117 slips. Development of the property is subject to completion of project design and obtaining required development and construction permits, the timing of which is uncertain.

The Company owns approximately 31.4% of the outstanding common stock of HomeFed. In addition, as a result of a 1998 distribution to all of the Company's shareholders, approximately 7.7% and 9.4% of HomeFed is owned by the Company's Chairman and President, respectively. HomeFed is currently engaged, directly and through subsidiaries, in the investment in and development of residential real estate projects in California. The Company accounts for its

investment in HomeFed under the equity method of accounting. At December 31, 2011, its investment had a carrying value of \$47,493,000, which is included in investments in associated companies. HomeFed is a public company traded on the NASD OTC Bulletin Board (Symbol: HOFD). Detailed financial and other information about HomeFed may be found on its website (www.homefedcorporation.com).

Residential property sales volume, prices and new building starts have declined significantly in many U.S. markets, including markets in which the Company has real estate projects. The slowdown in residential sales has been exacerbated by the turmoil in the mortgage lending and credit markets, which has resulted in stricter lending standards and reduced liquidity for prospective home buyers. The Company is not actively soliciting bids for developed and undeveloped lots in Maine, and has deferred its development plans for certain other projects as well. The Company intends to wait for market conditions to improve before marketing certain of its projects for sale.

The real estate development industry is subject to substantial environmental, building, construction, zoning and real estate regulations that are imposed by various federal, state and local authorities. In order to develop its properties, the Company must obtain the approval of numerous governmental agencies regarding such matters as permitted land uses, density, the installation of utility services (such as water, sewer, gas, electric, telephone and cable television) and the dedication of acreage for various community purposes. Furthermore, changes in prevailing local circumstances or applicable laws may require additional approvals or modifications of approvals previously obtained. Delays in obtaining required approvals and authorizations could adversely affect the profitability of the Company's projects.

Medical Product Development

Business Description

At December 31, 2011, the Company owned approximately 96% of Sangart, a development stage biopharmaceutical company principally engaged in developing medicines designed to enhance the oxygenation of oxygen deprived tissues through targeted oxygen delivery. The Company has invested an aggregate of \$211,648,000 in Sangart, principally to help fund Sangart's ongoing product development activities and overhead costs. Sangart became a consolidated subsidiary in 2005; the net book value of the Company's investment in Sangart was \$16,356,000 at December 31, 2011.

In 2002, Sangart commenced human clinical trials of MP4OX, a solution of cell-free hemoglobin administered intravenously to provide rapid oxygen delivery to ischemic (oxygen deprived) tissues. The basis for Sangart's technology is the result of more than 20 years of research in the understanding of how hemoglobin (the oxygen carrier in red blood cells) functions outside of red blood cells in a cell-free environment and how it can be used in conjunction with normal red blood cells to enhance oxygen delivery to organ tissue. MP4 products are made from purified human hemoglobin that is extracted from fully screened and tested outdated human blood obtained from accredited blood centers, which is then bound to polyethylene glycol molecules using Sangart's proprietary processes. Sangart's manufacturing process is able to generate approximately four units of MP4OX using a single unit of blood. Sangart owns or exclusively licenses eighteen U.S. patents and has more than thirty applications pending worldwide covering product composition, manufacturing or methods of use. Patents applicable to the MP4 technology do not begin to expire until 2017.

During 2010, Sangart completed a Phase 2 proof of concept clinical trial of MP4OX in trauma patients in Europe and South Africa. Study results were considered to be successful and supported the conduct of a larger Phase 2 clinical study in trauma patients, which commenced in the second quarter of 2011. If this larger Phase 2 study were to be successful, Sangart would have to conduct Phase 3 clinical studies in trauma patients. Completing these studies will take several years at substantial cost, and until they are successfully completed, if ever, Sangart will not be able to request marketing approval and generate revenues from sales in the trauma market. Sangart also recently commenced a Phase 1b clinical study involving its MP4CO product to treat sickle cell disease patients. If this Phase 1b study were to be successful, Sangart would have to conduct Phase 2 and Phase 3 clinical studies in sickle cell disease patients, at substantial cost, prior to requesting marketing approval for the product.

In addition to obtaining requisite regulatory approvals for the manufacture and sale of MP4 products, including approval of a manufacturing facility which has yet to be built, Sangart would have to create sales, marketing and distribution capabilities prior to any commercial launch, either directly or in partnership with a service provider. In recent years, substantially all of the funding needed for MP4 development has come from the Company, and the Company expects to provide Sangart with sufficient capital to fund its activities during 2012. Thereafter, significant additional funding will be needed prior to regulatory approval and commercial launch; the source of such funding has not as yet been determined.

Any successful commercialization of MP4 products will depend on an adequate supply of raw materials, principally human red blood cells and polyethylene glycol, at an acceptable quality, quantity and price. Sangart has contracted for a supply of human red blood cells that is expected to be sufficient to produce MP4 at volumes needed for a commercial launch; however, if the product is successful additional sources of red blood cells will be needed to support sales growth. Commitments for quantities of polyethylene glycol to support a commercial launch have not yet been secured.

Government Regulation

As a product intended for medical use, clinical trials, marketing approval, manufacturing and distribution of MP4 is highly regulated. An application for marketing approval may only be made after the safety and effectiveness of the product has been demonstrated, including through human clinical trial data. In the U.S., the FDA regulates medical products, including the category known as "biologics", which includes MP4 products. The Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act and the Public Health Service Act govern the testing, manufacture, safety, effectiveness, labeling, storage, record keeping, approval, advertising and promotion of MP4 products.

In Europe, each country has its own agency that regulates clinical trials. However, the Committee for Medicinal Products for Human Use ("CHMP"), which is administered by the European Medicines Agency, is an EU-wide regulatory body. Following completion of clinical trials, marketing approval can be granted either by a centralized application through CHMP, or on a decentralized basis by one or more selected countries.

Other Operations

Wineries

The Company's winery operations are managed under the umbrella name, Crimson Wine Group ("Crimson"). Crimson is engaged in the production and sale of premium, ultra premium and luxury wines (i.e., wines that retail for \$10 to \$14, \$14 to \$25 and over \$25 per 750ml bottle, respectively). Crimson is headquartered in Napa, California and owns four wineries: Pine Ridge Vineyards, Archery Summit, Chamisal Vineyards and Seghesio Family Vineyards. Pine Ridge was acquired in 1991 and has been conducting operations since 1978, the Company started Archery Summit in 1993, Chamisal Vineyards was acquired during 2008 and has been conducting operations since 1973, and Seghesio Family Vineyards was acquired in 2011 and has been conducting operations since 1895. Crimson controls approximately 188 acres of vineyards in the Napa Valley, California, 120 acres of vineyards in the Willamette Valley, Oregon, 97 acres of vineyards in the Edna Valley, California, 231 acres in the Alexander Valley, California and 68 acres in the Russian River Valley, California, substantially all of which are owned and producing grapes. Additionally, in 2005 and 2006, the Company acquired an aggregate of 611 acres of land in the Horse Heaven Hills of Washington's Columbia Valley, of which approximately 87 acres have been developed into producing vineyards. At December 31, 2011, the net book value of the Company's aggregate investment in Crimson was \$177,096,000.

During 2011, Crimson sold approximately 212,000 9-liter equivalent cases of wine generating revenues of \$36,864,000. Crimson's wines are primarily sold to distributors, who then sell to retailers and restaurants. Consolidation at the distributor and retail level has increased which has added competitive pressure to increase marketing and sales spending and constrain pricing. As permitted under federal and local regulations, Crimson has also been placing increasing emphasis on direct sales to consumers, which they are able to do through the internet, wine clubs and at the wineries' tasting rooms. During 2011, direct sales to consumers represented 15% of case sales and 39% of wine revenues. Seghesio Family Vineyards has historically sold approximately 19% of its production to international markets, which Crimson expects to continue and expand with the export of products from its other wineries.

Crimson's wines compete with small and large producers in the U.S., as well as with imported wines, and the ultimate consumer has many choices. Demand for wine in the premium, ultra premium and luxury market segments can rise and fall with general economic conditions, and is also significantly affected by grape supply. The demand for Crimson's products is also affected by the ratings given the wines in industry and consumer publications. In the current economic climate, consumer demand has shifted away from the higher-priced luxury segment to wines in the lower-priced premium and ultra premium categories. Crimson's production, sales and distribution activities are subject to regulation by agencies of both federal and state governments.

Energy Projects

During the past few years, the Company has been incurring costs to investigate and evaluate the development of a number of large scale domestic energy projects. These projects plan to use gasification technology to convert different types of low grade fossil fuels into clean energy products. The Company has also invested in certain energy projects that do not plan to use gasification technologies. The Company has expensed costs to investigate, evaluate and obtain various permits and approvals for its various energy projects of \$33,964,000, \$27,220,000 and \$25,343,000 during the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

Although there are a number of large scale projects the Company is currently investigating, the Company is not obligated to develop any of the projects, and no assurance can be given that the Company will be successful in fully developing any of these projects. Any project that the Company might develop would likely require a significant equity investment, which the Company presently does not intend to fund by itself, the acquisition of substantial non-recourse borrowings to build the projects (total development costs for these types of projects range from \$2.5 billion to \$3.5 billion), the procurement of purchase commitments for long-term supplies of feedstock, long-term commitments from purchasers of the output, various permits and regulatory approvals and significant technological and engineering expertise to implement. The investigation, evaluation and financing of these large scale projects will take years to complete.

The Company is currently evaluating the development of a gasification project which would be built in Louisiana by the Company's wholly-owned subsidiary, Lake Charles Cogeneration LLC ("LCC"), for an estimated total cost of between \$2,300,000,000 and \$2,600,000,000. LCC has been awarded \$1,561,000,000 in tax exempt bonds to support the development of the project, which would be issued by the Lake Charles Harbor and Terminal District of Lake Charles, Louisiana, \$128,000,000 of investment tax credits and received a \$260,000,000 federal government grant for carbon capture and sequestration. Receipt of these awards and grants are contingent upon satisfaction of numerous regulatory and other conditions. The Company is not obligated to make equity contributions to LCC until it completes its investigation, the project is approved by the Company's Board of Directors and significant financing has been obtained from third parties which has not been arranged. The Lake Charles Cogeneration project is a new chemical manufacturing facility that plans to use proven quench gasification technology to produce various products from petroleum coke, a low grade solid fuel source. LCC is evaluating the primary product options to be produced by the

Lake Charles Cogeneration project, including methanol and hydrogen, and has signed two letters of intent for the majority of its production. LCC has also entered into a 20-year contract for the sale of its entire carbon dioxide by-product stream which would be used for enhanced oil recovery.

In July 2009, two of the Company's other prospective gasification projects, one in Indiana and the other in Mississippi, were selected by the U.S. Department of Energy ("DOE") to proceed to detailed due diligence and negotiations of terms and conditions necessary for the DOE to issue conditional commitments for loan guarantees aggregating up to \$3,600,000,000. While these commitments represent important milestones in the selection process, the guarantees are subject to detailed and extensive due diligence by the DOE and no assurance can be given that a loan guaranty for either project will ultimately be given.

A subsidiary of the Company acquired a leasehold interest and certain permits to construct and operate an onshore liquefied natural gas ("LNG") terminal and associated facilities in Warrenton, Oregon. The project would include construction of an offshore dock and berth and onshore facilities to store up to 480,000 cubic meters of LNG. The current plan includes construction of an approximate 121 mile long natural gas pipeline to connect to the U.S. natural gas transmission grid. Due to the recent increases in U.S. natural gas production, LNG receiving and storage facilities now only play a role in niche markets, where insufficient pipeline infrastructure can create short-term shortages, and the Company is evaluating whether a facility focused on LNG exports would provide better returns. Numerous regulatory permits and approvals and acquisitions of rights of way for the pipeline will be required before project construction can commence; construction of the terminal and associated facilities could potentially begin early in 2014. Completion of the project is also subject to obtaining significant financing from third parties, which has not been arranged.

Other Investments

Berkadia

Berkadia, a joint venture between Berkshire Hathaway and the Company, acquired a commercial mortgage origination and servicing business in December 2009. The Company and Berkshire Hathaway each have a 50% equity interest in Berkadia, and each party contributed \$217,169,000 of equity capital to fund the acquisition. At December 31, 2011, the net book value of the Company's investment in Berkadia was \$193,496,000.

Berkadia is a servicer of commercial real estate loans in the U.S., performing primary, master and special servicing functions for U.S. government agency programs, commercial mortgage-backed securities transactions ("CMBS"), banks, insurance companies and other financial institutions. Berkadia is an approved servicer of loans for Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac, Ginnie Mae and the FHA. As of December 31, 2011, Berkadia serviced approximately 25,000 loans with an unpaid principal balance of \$190 billion.

A primary servicer of a loan is the primary contact with the borrower and is generally responsible for carrying out all cash management functions relating to the loan, including providing monthly billing statements to the borrower and collecting and applying payments on the loan; administering reserve and escrow funds for repairs, tenant improvements, taxes and insurance; obtaining and analyzing operating and financial statements of the borrower and performing periodic property inspections; preparing and providing periodic reports and remittances to the master servicer or other designated persons; administering lien filings; and other specified functions.

A master servicer is responsible for administration of a pool of loans that is transferred to a trust or other special purpose entity in connection with a securitization transaction pursuant to a pooling and servicing agreement. While some master servicer functions may be sub-contracted and performed by a primary servicer, as a master servicer Berkadia is ultimately responsible for the performance of any functions that have been sub-contracted to a primary servicer. Master servicers are generally required to advance funds to cover any delinquent payments on the securitized loans and any taxes and insurance premiums not paid by borrowers or covered by borrowers' escrow funds, provided that the servicer determines that the advances will be recoverable from loan payments or liquidation

proceeds in the future. These "servicing advances," along with accrued interest, are treated as having priority over the rights of other investors in the securitization.

A special servicer is a specialist in dealing with defaulted loans and is usually selected by the holder of the subordinated interest in a securitization vehicle. Typically, a loan may be transferred from the master servicer to a special servicer if it is more than 60 days delinquent, a borrower files for bankruptcy or the master servicer determines a default is imminent. Once a loan is transferred to special servicing, asset managers take steps to bring the account to a performing status or exercise other remedies, including loan modification, foreclosure, a negotiated pay-off or a sale of the loan. Special servicers are generally paid higher monthly servicing fees and resolution fees in connection with the loans that they service.

As a servicer, Berkadia is frequently responsible for managing, on behalf of its investors, the balances that are maintained in custodial accounts for the purposes of collecting and distributing principal and interest and for funding repairs, tenant improvements, taxes and insurance related to the mortgaged properties it services. Berkadia derives certain economic benefits from investing these custodial accounts. Such balances totaled in excess of \$4 billion as of December 31, 2011.

Berkadia originates commercial real estate loans for Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac, Ginnie Mae and the FHA using their underwriting guidelines, and will typically sell the loan shortly after it is funded. Provided Berkadia adheres to their guidelines, these government related entities must purchase the loan at the face amount plus accrued interest; Berkadia retains the mortgage servicing rights. In addition, as a condition to Fannie Mae's delegation of responsibility for underwriting, originating and servicing of loans, Berkadia assumes a limited first-dollar and shared loss position throughout the term of each loan sold to Fannie Mae.

During 2011, Berkadia commenced originating commercial mortgage loans which are not part of the government agency programs. Berkadia has a portfolio of loans that provide interim financing to borrowers who intend to refinance the loan with longer-term loans from an eligible government agency or other third party ("Bridge loans"). Berkadia may also from time to originate loans intended to be conveyed into CMBS transactions sponsored by third parties ("CMBS loans"). Bridge loans are typically floating rate loans with 2 to 3 year maturities; CMBS loans are typically 10 year fixed rate loans that Berkadia intends to hold for 3 to 6 months pending sale to a securitization vehicle. At December 31, 2011, \$310,000,000 of such loans were outstanding, substantially all of which were Bridge loans.

Berkadia is required under its servicing agreements to maintain certain minimum servicer ratings or qualifications from the rating agencies. A downgrade below a certain level may give rise to the right of a customer or trustee of a securitized transaction to terminate Berkadia as servicer. Berkadia currently maintains approvals or ratings from Moody's Investors Service, Fitch Ratings, Standard & Poor's and Dominion Bond Rating Services. These ratings currently exceed the minimum ratings required by the related servicing agreements. Ratings issued by the rating agencies can be withdrawn or lowered at any time. In addition, Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac retain broad discretion to terminate Berkadia as a seller/servicer without cause upon notice.

Jefferies

The Company owns 58,006,024 Jefferies common shares (approximately 28.2% of the Jefferies outstanding common shares) for a total investment of \$980,109,000. The Company's investment in Jefferies is classified as an investment in an associated company and is carried at fair value, which was \$797,583,000 at December 31, 2011. Jefferies has entered into a registration rights agreement covering all of the Jefferies common stock owned by the Company. Jefferies is a full-service global investment bank and institutional securities firm serving companies and their investors. Detailed financial and other information about Jefferies may be found on its website (www.jefferies.com).

In accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States ("GAAP"), the Company is permitted to choose to measure many financial instruments and certain other items at fair value (the "fair value option"), and to report unrealized gains and losses on items for which the fair value option is elected in earnings. The Company elected the fair value option to account for its investment in Jefferies rather than the equity method of accounting. Income (losses) related to associated companies includes unrealized gains (losses) resulting from changes in the fair value of Jefferies of \$(684,397,000), \$143,298,000 and \$469,820,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

Mueller

During 2011, the Company acquired 10,422,859 common shares of Mueller, representing approximately 27.3% of the outstanding common shares of Mueller, for aggregate cash consideration of \$408,558,000. Mueller is a leading manufacturer of copper, brass, plastic, and aluminum products. Detailed financial and other information about Mueller may be found on its website (www.muellerindustries.com). In September 2011, the Company entered into a standstill agreement with Mueller for the two year period ending September 1, 2013, pursuant to which, among other things, subject to certain provisions the Company has agreed not to sell its shares if the buyer would own more than 4.9% of the outstanding shares, and not to increase its ownership interest to more than 27.5% of the outstanding Mueller common shares. In addition, the Company has the right to nominate two directors to the board of directors of Mueller and Mueller has agreed to give the Company registration rights covering all of the Mueller shares of common stock owned by the Company. Detailed financial and other information about Mueller may be found on its website (www.muellerindustries.com).

The Company elected the fair value option to account for its investment in Mueller rather than the equity method of accounting. Income (losses) related to associated companies includes unrealized losses resulting from changes in the fair value of Mueller of \$8,112,000 for the year ended December 31, 2011. At December 31, 2011, the Company's investment in Mueller was \$400,446,000.

JHYH

During 2007, the Company and Jefferies formed JHYH and each initially committed to invest \$600,000,000. The Company invested \$350,000,000 during 2007; any request for additional capital contributions from the Company requires the consent of the Company's designees to the Jefferies board. The Company does not anticipate making additional capital contributions. JHYH owns Jefferies High Yield Trading, LLC ("JHYT"), a registered broker-dealer that is engaged in the secondary sales and trading of high yield securities and special situation securities, including bank debt, post-reorganization equity, public and private equity, equity derivatives, credit default swaps and other financial instruments. JHYT makes markets in high yield and distressed securities and provides research coverage on these types of securities. JHYT does not invest or make markets in sub-prime residential mortgage securities.

Jefferies and the Company each have the right to nominate two of a total of four directors to JHYH's board, and each own 50% of the voting securities. The organizational documents also permit passive investors to invest up to \$800,000,000 in JHYH. Jefferies also received additional JHYH securities entitling it to 20% of the profits. The voting and non-voting interests are entitled to a pro rata share of the balance of the profits of JHYH, and are mandatorily redeemable in 2013, with a mutual option to extend up to three additional one-year periods. For the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, the Company recorded pre-tax income from this investment of \$11,211,000, \$20,053,000 and \$37,249,000, respectively, under the equity method of accounting; at December 31, 2011, the Company's investment in JHYH was \$323,262,000.

Linkem

During 2011, the Company acquired approximately 37% of the common shares of Linkem, a wireless broadband services provider in Italy, for aggregate cash consideration of \$88,575,000. Linkem was established in 2001 to provide wireless broadband services to Italian consumers and in 2003 became the first national airport WiFi operator in Italy. Subsequently, Linkem expanded its wireless networks to provide WiFi services over wider coverage areas.

In 2008, Linkem acquired wireless spectrum licenses in the 3.5GHz band and launched Italy's first commercial 4G wireless service. Linkem's 4G service offers a variety of lower-cost options for broadband services on customer

premises. Unlike the U.S. and most of Western Europe, Italy does not have a national cable television system; as a result, Italy's broadband penetration rate is among the lowest in Europe, and substantially all broadband services are provided using legacy copper telephone lines.

Linkem's wireless spectrum licenses can provide geographic coverage to all of Italy. Linkem has signed agreements with several large telecommunication companies for the use of their infrastructure, providing Linkem access to approximately 16,000 wireless towers throughout Italy. At December 31, 2011, Linkem's network includes over 600 wireless towers that can reach approximately 9 million people; Linkem has over 33,000 subscribers for its services. Linkem plans to increase its network coverage across Italy over the next few years as it adds subscribers; expansion and customer acquisition costs are expected to result in operating losses over the next few years. The Company accounts for Linkem under the equity method of accounting and at December 31, 2011, the net book value of Company's investment was \$86,332,000.

Garcadia

Garcadia is a joint venture between the Company and Garff Enterprises, Inc. ("Garff") pursuant to which Garcadia has acquired various automobile dealerships. The Garcadia joint venture agreement specifies that the Company and Garff shall have equal board representation and equal votes on all matters affecting Garcadia, and that all cash flows from Garcadia will be allocated 65% to the Company and 35% to Garff, with the exception of one dealership from which the Company receives 83% of all cash flows. Garcadia's strategy is to acquire automobile dealerships in secondary market locations meeting its specified return criteria. At December 31, 2011, Garcadia owned 17 dealerships comprised of domestic and foreign automobile makers. The Company has received cash distributions of fees and earnings aggregating \$10,382,000, \$8,778,000 and \$6,137,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively. In addition, the Company owns the land for certain dealerships and leases it to the dealerships for rent aggregating \$5,654,000, \$5,062,000 and \$4,971,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively. At December 31, 2011, the Company's investment in Garcadia (excluding the land) was classified as an investment in associated company with a carrying value of \$72,303,000.

Fortescue

During 2006 and 2007, the Company invested an aggregate of \$452,247,000 in Fortescue's Pilbara iron ore and infrastructure project in Western Australia, including expenses. In exchange for its cash investment, the Company received 277,986,000 common shares of Fortescue, and a \$100,000,000 unsecured note of FMG that matures in August 2019. During 2010 and 2011, the Company sold an aggregate of 147,400,000 common shares of Fortescue for net cash proceeds of \$853,715,000, which resulted in the recognition of net securities gains of \$723,115,000, reducing its interest in Fortescue to 130,586,000 common shares. The Company's investment in the Fortescue common shares is classified as a non-current available for sale investment and carried at market value as of each balance sheet date. At December 31, 2011, the market value of the Fortescue common shares was \$569,256,000. In January 2012, the Company sold 100,000,000 Fortescue common shares for net cash proceeds of \$506,490,000.

Interest on the FMG Note is calculated as 4% of the revenue, net of government royalties, invoiced from the iron ore produced from the project's Cloud Break and Christmas Creek areas, payable semi-annually within 30 days of June 30th and December 31st of each year. The Company recorded interest income before withholding taxes on the FMG Note of \$214,455,000, \$149,257,000 and \$66,079,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively. The ultimate value of the FMG Note will depend on the volume of iron ore shipped and iron ore prices over the remaining term of the FMG Note, which can fluctuate widely, as well as the outcome of the litigation described below.

In August 2010, the Company was advised that Fortescue is asserting that FMG is entitled to issue additional notes identical to the FMG Note in an unlimited amount. Fortescue further claims that any interest to be paid on additional notes can dilute, on a pro rata basis, the Company's entitlement to the stated interest of 4% of net revenue. The

Company does not believe that FMG has the right to issue additional notes which affect the Company's interest or that the interpretation by Fortescue of the terms of the FMG Note, as currently claimed by Fortescue, reflects the agreement between the parties.

On September 1, 2010, the Company filed a Writ of Summons against Fortescue, FMG and Fortescue's then Chief Executive Officer in the Supreme Court of Western Australia. The Writ of Summons seeks, among other things, an injunction restraining the issuance of any additional notes identical to the FMG Note and damages. If the litigation is ultimately determined adversely to the Company and additional notes are issued, the Company's future cash flows from the FMG Note and future results of operations would be significantly and adversely affected to the extent of the dilution resulting from the issuance of such additional notes.

The project information presented in the paragraphs below was obtained from Fortescue's website, (www.fmgl.com.au), which contains substantial additional information about Fortescue, its operating activities and the project. Fortescue shipped its first iron ore in May 2008 and for the year ending December 31, 2011, Fortescue's total revenue from iron ore sales was \$6,189,560,000.

Fortescue announced reserve estimates for the Cloud Break and Christmas Creek areas, which are net of mine depletion and ore recovery, include 38 million metric tons of proved iron ore reserves and 1.51 billion metric tons of probable iron ore reserves, in accordance with the Australasian Joint Ore Reserves Committee code. This reserve estimate is solely for these two areas, which cover an area of approximately 770 square kilometers. Fortescue has additional tenements in the Pilbara region of Western Australia and has since announced reserve estimates for some of its other tenements. Mining revenues derived from tenements other than Cloud Break and Christmas Creek do not increase the interest payable to the Company on the FMG Note.

In 2011, Fortescue completed an expansion of its Cloud Break and Christmas Creek operations which will enable it to produce 55 million metric tons per annum. In 2010, Fortescue announced a further expansion to increase its mining plan to 155 million metric tons per annum, of which 90 million metric tons per annum would come from Cloud Break and Christmas Creek. For the year ended December 31, 2011, Fortescue sold 46.5 million metric tons of iron ore, entirely from Cloud Break and Christmas Creek. Fortescue, along with the other major iron ore producers, charges its customers prices based on an index pricing regime that reflects recent iron ore spot prices.

In addition to the Company's investment and equity investments from other parties, Fortescue initially raised \$2,051,000,000 of senior secured debt to fund the construction of its infrastructure, which included a 260 kilometer railroad, port and related port infrastructure at Port Hedland, Australia, as well as a crushing and screening plant, access roads and other infrastructure at the mine site. Subsequently, Fortescue raised additional debt to fund expansion activities. At December 31, 2011, Fortescue had \$5,000,000,000 of senior unsecured notes outstanding.

Inmet

Inmet is a Canadian-based global mining company traded on the Toronto stock exchange (Symbol: IMN). In August 2005, the Company sold to Inmet a 70% interest in Cobre Las Cruces, a Spanish company that holds the exploration and mineral rights to the Las Cruces copper deposit in the Pyrite Belt of Spain, in exchange for 5,600,000 common shares of Inmet. In November 2010, the Company sold to Inmet its remaining 30% equity interest in and subordinated sponsor loans to Las Cruces for aggregate consideration of \$576,000,000. The purchase price was comprised of \$150,000,000 of cash and 5,442,413 newly issued common shares of Inmet; the Company reported a gain on the sale of \$383,369,000 in investment and other income. At December 31, 2011, the Company owns a total of 11,042,413 Inmet common shares which are reflected on the Company's consolidated balance sheet at market value of \$708,193,000 (approximately 15.9% of Inmet's outstanding common shares). The Inmet shares have registration rights and may be sold in accordance with applicable securities laws. Detailed financial and other information about Inmet may be found on its website (www.inmetmining.com).

Other

The Company beneficially owns equity interests representing more than 5% of the outstanding capital stock of each of the following domestic public companies at February 16, 2012 (determined in accordance with Rule 13d-3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934): Jefferies (28.2%), Mueller (27.3%), HomeFed (31.4%) and INTL FCStone Inc. (8.5%). In addition to the Company's equity interests in Fortescue and Inmet discussed above, the Company also owns a 7.0% equity interest in JZ Capital Partners Limited, a British company traded on the London Stock Exchange.

Item 1A. Risk Factors.

Our business is subject to a number of risks. You should carefully consider the following risk factors, together with all of the other information included or incorporated by reference in this Report, before you decide whether to purchase our common stock. The risks set out below are not the only risks we face. If any of the following risks occur, our business, financial condition and results of operations could be materially adversely affected. In such case, the trading price of our common stock could decline, and you may lose all or part of your investment.

Future acquisitions and dispositions of our operations and investments are possible, changing the components of our assets and liabilities, and if unsuccessful could reduce the value of our common shares. Any future acquisitions or dispositions may result in significant changes in the composition of our assets and liabilities. Consequently, our financial condition, results of operations and the trading price of our common shares may be affected by factors different from those affecting our financial condition, results of operations and trading price at the present time.

We are dependent on certain key personnel. We are dependent on the services of Ian M. Cumming and Joseph S. Steinberg, our Chairman of the Board and President, respectively. Messrs. Cumming's and Steinberg's employment agreements with us expire June 30, 2015. These individuals are also significant shareholders of our Company. As of February 16, 2012, Messrs. Cumming and Steinberg and trusts for the benefit of their respective families (excluding certain private charitable foundations) beneficially owned approximately 9.0% and 10.0% of our outstanding common shares, respectively. Accordingly, Messrs. Cumming and Steinberg exert significant influence over all matters requiring approval by our shareholders, including the election or removal of directors and the approval of mergers or other business combination transactions.

We operate in a variety of industries and market sectors, all of which are very competitive and susceptible to economic downturns and have been adversely affected by recent economic conditions. The Company operates in industries that sell commodity products and services, including beef processing, manufacturing and oil and gas drilling services, all of which are very competitive with product pricing often being the most significant factor to customers. Certain industries have seen a consolidation of the customer base, which tends to increase competition and pricing pressure. In addition, starting in 2008, the recession and general economic conditions have adversely affected operating results in the manufacturing, oil and gas drilling services, gaming entertainment and domestic real estate segments, which is likely to continue until the economy recovers. The performance of these business units during this period has resulted in a lower valuation for these businesses, and a worsening of general economic or market conditions could result in a further deterioration in the values of our businesses or investments.

The prices and availability of key raw materials affects the profitability of our beef processing and manufacturing operations, and also impacts Sangart's ability to conduct its clinical trials. The supply and market price of cattle purchased by National Beef are dependent upon a variety of factors over which National Beef has little or no control, including fluctuations in the size of herds maintained by producers, the relative cost of feed and energy, weather and livestock diseases. Sangart has access to sufficient raw materials to conduct its clinical trials; however, it has not secured commitments for sufficient raw materials for a commercial launch, which would also require additional investments in manufacturing capacity. The cost of polypropylene, the principal raw material used by Conwed Plastics, has increased by approximately 20% over the last three years, a continuing trend that started in 2002. The price of polypropylene has historically fluctuated with the price of oil and natural gas but growing economies in China and India have resulted in increased demand and impacted prices. Although the Company's operating subsidiaries are not currently experiencing any shortage of raw materials, if the subsidiaries experience shortages, revenues and profitability could decline.

Outbreaks of disease affecting livestock can adversely affect the supply of cattle and the demand for National Beef's products. National Beef is subject to risks relating to animal health and disease control. An outbreak of disease affecting livestock (such as foot-and-mouth disease or bovine spongiform encephalopathy ("BSE"), commonly referred to as mad cow disease) could result in restrictions on sales of products, restrictions on purchases of livestock from suppliers or widespread destruction of cattle. The discovery of BSE in the past caused certain countries to restrict or prohibit the importation of beef products. Outbreaks of diseases, or the perception by the public that an outbreak has occurred, or other concerns regarding diseases, can lead to inadequate supply, cancellation of orders by customers and create adverse publicity, any of which can have a significant negative impact on consumer demand and, as a result, on the Company's consolidated financial position, cash flows and results of operations.

If National Beef's products or products made by others using its products become contaminated or are alleged to be contaminated, National Beef may be subject to product liability claims that would adversely affect its business. National Beef may be subject to significant liability in excess of insurance policy limits if its products or products made by others using its products causes injury, illness or death. In addition, National Beef could recall or be required to recall products that are, or are alleged to be, contaminated, spoiled or inappropriately labeled. Organisms producing food borne illnesses (such as E. coli) could be present in National Beef's products and result in illness or death if they are not eliminated through further processing or cooking. Contamination of National Beef's or its competitors' products may create adverse publicity or cause consumers to lose confidence in the safety and quality of beef products. Allegations of product contamination may also be harmful even if they are untrue or result from third-party tampering. Any of these events may increase costs or decrease demand for beef products, any of which could have a significant adverse effect on the Company's consolidated financial condition, cash flows and results of operations.

National Beef generally does not enter into long-term contracts with customers; as a result the volumes and prices at which beef products are sold are subject to market forces. National Beef's customers generally place orders for products on an as-needed basis and, as a result, their order levels have varied from period to period in the past and may vary significantly in the future. The loss of one or more significant customers, a significant decline in the volume of orders from customers or a significant decrease in beef product prices for a sustained period of time could negatively impact cash flows and results of operations.

National Beef's international operations expose it to political and economic risks in foreign countries, as well as to risks related to currency fluctuations. Approximately 12% of National Beef's annual sales are export sales, primarily to Mexico, Japan, South Korea, Canada, China (for hides), Hong Kong, Egypt, and Taiwan, and on average these sales have a higher margin than domestic sales of similar products. A reduction in international sales could adversely affect revenues and margins. Risks associated with international activities include inflation or deflation and changes in

foreign currency exchange rates, including changes in currency exchange rates of other countries that may export beef products in competition with National Beef; the closing of borders by foreign countries to product imports due to disease or other perceived health or food safety issues; exchange controls; changes in tariffs; changes in political or economic conditions; trade restrictions and changes in regulatory requirements. The occurrence of any of these events could increase costs, lower demand for products or limit operations, which could have a significant adverse effect on cash flows, results of operations and future prospects.

National Beef incurs substantial costs to comply with environmental regulations and could incur additional costs as a result of new regulations or compliance failures that result in civil or criminal penalties, liability for damages and negative publicity. National Beef's operations are subject to extensive and increasingly stringent environmental regulations administered by the EPA and state, local and other authorities with regards to water usage, wastewater and storm water discharge, air emissions and odor, and waste management and disposal. Failure to comply with these laws and regulations could have serious consequences, including criminal, civil and administrative penalties and negative publicity. In addition, National Beef incurs and will continue to incur significant capital and operating expenditures to comply with existing and new or more stringent regulations and requirements. All of National Beef's processing facilities procure wastewater treatment services from municipal or other regional governmental agencies that are in turn subject to environmental laws and permit limits regarding their water discharges. As permit limits are becoming more stringent, upgrades and capital improvements to these municipal treatment facilities are likely. In locations where National Beef is a significant volume discharger, it could be asked to contribute toward the costs of such upgrades or to pay significantly increased water or sewer charges to recoup such upgrade costs. National Beef may also be required to undertake upgrades and make capital improvements to its own wastewater pretreatment facilities, the cost of which could be significant. Compliance with environmental regulations has had and will continue to have a significant impact on National Beef's cash flows, margins and profitability. In addition, under most environmental laws, most notably the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act ("CERCLA") and analogous state laws, National Beef could be held liable for the cost to investigate or remediate any contamination at properties it owns or operates, or as to which it arranges for the disposal or treatment of hazardous substances, as such liability is imposed without regard to fault.

National Beef's operating results could be negatively impacted by hedging and derivative positions. National Beef uses derivative financial instruments and other strategies in an attempt to reduce exposure to various market risks, including changes in commodity prices. These positions do not qualify as hedges for financial reporting purposes and are marked to fair value with unrealized gains and losses reported in earnings. Losses on these instruments will negatively impact reported operating results and the use of such instruments may limit National Beef's ability to benefit from favorable commodity price movements.

Failure by Wal-Mart and its affiliates to continue purchasing from National Beef could have a significant adverse effect on our sales. Sales to Wal-Mart Stores and its affiliate, Sam's Club, represented approximately 9% of National Beef's total net sales during its last fiscal year. Wal-Mart recently requested that its beef suppliers, including National Beef, submit a proposal for future business. If Wal-Mart and its affiliates do not continue to purchase from National Beef, it could have a significant adverse effect on results of operations.

National Beef is subject to extensive governmental regulation and noncompliance with or changes in applicable requirements could adversely affect its business, financial condition, cash flows and results of operations. National Beef's operations are subject to extensive regulation and oversight by the USDA, FSIS, GIPSA, the FDA, and other state, local and foreign authorities regarding the processing, packaging, storage, safety, distribution, advertising and labeling of its products. Recently, food safety practices and procedures in the meat processing industry have been subject to more intense scrutiny and oversight by the USDA. National Beef is also subject to a variety of immigration, labor and worker safety laws and regulations, including those relating to the hiring and retention of employees. Failure to comply with existing or new laws and regulations could result in administrative penalties and injunctive relief, civil remedies, fines, interruption of operations, recalls of products or seizures of properties, potential criminal sanctions and personal injury or other damage claims. These remedies, changes in the applicable laws and regulations or discovery of currently unknown conditions could increase costs, limit business operations and reduce profitability.

National Beef's performance depends on favorable labor relations with its employees, in particular employees represented by collective bargaining agreements. A substantial number of National Beef's employees are covered by collective bargaining agreements. A labor-related work stoppage by unionized employees, or employees who become unionized in the future, could limit National Beef's ability to process and ship products or could increase costs. Any significant increase in labor costs, deterioration of employee relations, slowdowns or work stoppages at any of National Beef's locations, whether due to union activities, employee turnover or otherwise, could have a material adverse effect on the Company's financial condition, cash flows and results of operations.

Declines in the U.S. housing market have reduced revenues and profitability of our manufacturing businesses and may continue to do so. Our manufacturing operations, in particular Idaho Timber, have generated significant revenues when the U.S. housing market was strong. The weak U.S. housing market during the last few years has resulted in fewer new housing starts, which has adversely impacted revenues and profitability at Idaho Timber and Conwed Plastics. Idaho Timber does not expect to return to prior levels of profitability until the U.S. housing market recovers.

Keen's revenues and profitability are impacted by natural gas and oil supplies and prices and the supply of drilling rigs in the marketplace. During periods of decreased demand for natural gas and oil, Keen's rig utilization will decline and Keen's competitors may also have excess capacity in the marketplace, which adversely impacts Keen's revenues and profitability.

The nature of Keen's operating activities can be hazardous, and accidents can cause personal injury or death, damage to Keen's equipment and/or environmental damage. These hazards are inherent in the contract drilling business, and if Keen is not fully protected through insurance coverage or indemnification from its customers any such accidents could adversely impact Keen's profitability. Keen maintains insurance coverage and has indemnification agreements with many of its customers; however, there is no assurance that such insurance or indemnification agreements would adequately protect Keen against liability or loss from all consequences of any accidents. Additionally, Keen may not be able to purchase insurance economically.

New technologies and aging equipment could cause Keen's drilling equipment and methods to become less competitive, resulting in reduced profitability or a requirement to make significant capital investments to remain competitive. Improvements in drilling technology and aging equipment could cause Keen to become less competitive, lose business, suffer reduced profitability or result in impairment charges with respect to its drilling equipment.

The Hard Rock Biloxi is dependent upon patronage of persons living in the Gulf Coast region. The Hard Rock Biloxi primarily seeks to attract patrons from its local geographic area. Downturns in local and regional economic conditions, an increase in competition in the surrounding area and interruptions caused by hurricanes could negatively impact operating results.

We may not be able to insure certain risks economically. We cannot be certain that we will be able to insure all risks that we desire to insure economically or that all of our insurers or reinsurers will be financially viable if we make a claim. If an uninsured loss or a loss in excess of insured limits should occur, or if the Company is required to pay a deductible for an insured loss, results of operations could be adversely affected. Premier has been severely damaged by hurricanes in the past, and it is possible that storms could cause significant damage in the future. Damages from storms could result in Premier closing its facility to make repairs, resulting in lost business and adversely affecting results of operations.

Increases in mortgage interest rate levels, the lack of available consumer credit and the depressed real estate market have reduced and may continue to reduce consumer demand for certain of our real estate development projects and result in impairment charges. Due to current depressed economic conditions in the national real estate market, most of the Company's real estate development projects are not being marketed for sale. If the Company begins to market its development projects in the future, the ability to successfully attract customers will be highly dependent upon consumers' ability to finance real estate purchases with affordable loans. If the Company is unable to realize its projected cash flows for its development projects, impairment charges are likely.

Sangart is subject to extensive government regulation, cannot generate any revenue without regulatory approval of its products and is also subject to all of the risks inherent in establishing a new business. Although funds invested in Sangart are generally expensed by Sangart when spent, the Company cannot be assured that it will ever receive a return on its investment due to the risky nature of Sangart's development activities. Clinical trials of Sangart's product candidates are not complete, the products have not been approved for sale by regulatory authorities and there is a risk that its products may never prove effective or be approved.

Sangart's success depends on its ability to obtain, maintain, renew and defend patent protection for its products and technologies, preserve trade secrets and operate without infringing on the intellectual property rights of others. The patent positions of biopharmaceutical companies, such as Sangart, are generally uncertain and involve complex legal and factual questions. If Sangart's intellectual property positions are challenged, invalidated, circumvented or expire, or if Sangart fails to maintain or renew its third-party intellectual property licenses in good standing, its ability to successfully bring MP4 products to market would be adversely affected, it could incur monetary liabilities or be required to cease using the technology or product in dispute.

Sangart will require significant additional funding for product development and clinical trial activities prior to regulatory approval and commercial launch; the source of such funding has not been identified. The Company expects to provide Sangart with sufficient capital during 2012. Sangart has had discussions with third-party investors; however, no agreements have been reached and if such agreements are entered into it would likely result in significant dilution of the Company's interest. The Company has not determined whether it will continue to provide funds to Sangart and if so how much it will provide. If Sangart is not provided with additional funds from either the Company or other sources when needed, it is unlikely that the Company will ever realize any significant return of its invested capital.

The Company has incurred costs to investigate and evaluate the development of a number of large scale energy projects; however, development of these projects is subject to obtaining significant third-party debt and equity financing, regulatory approvals, the procurement of purchase commitments for long-term supplies of feedstock and securing long-term commitments from purchasers of the output. Although the Company has spent significant amounts investigating large scale energy projects, it will not be able to develop these projects without financing from other sources, various regulatory approvals and commitments from third-parties. The timing of the commencement of construction of any project is also dependent upon the receipt of financing and regulatory approvals. If the Company is unable to obtain such financing, approvals or commitments, it will not be able to recover its investment.

If Berkadia does not maintain certain specified ratings from the credit rating agencies it could lose its mortgage servicing rights. Berkadia is required to maintain specified ratings from the credit rating agencies, and failure to do so would give its customers the right to terminate their mortgage servicing agreements. If mortgage servicing agreements were terminated as a result of a credit ratings downgrade, the Company could lose its entire equity investment.

When Berkadia originates loans for Fannie Mae, it is often required to share in the losses on such loans, which could be in excess of reserved amounts. Berkadia carries a reserve on its balance sheet for contingent losses on loans originated for Fannie Mae that have loss sharing requirements. If actual losses exceed amounts reserved, Berkadia's profitability and cash flows will be reduced.

The loss of or changes in Berkadia's relationships with U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprises and federal agencies would have an adverse effect on Berkadia's business. Berkadia's failure to comply with the applicable U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprise or agency may result in its termination as an approved seller/servicer, mortgagee or issuer. The loss of any such status could have a significant adverse impact on Berkadia's results of operations, could result in a loss of similar approvals from other U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprises or federal agencies and could have other adverse consequences to the business. Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac retain broad discretion to terminate Berkadia as a seller/servicer without cause upon notice.

Changes in existing government-sponsored and federal mortgage programs could negatively affect Berkadia's business. Berkadia's ability to generate income through mortgage sales to institutional investors depends in part on programs sponsored by Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac and the FHA, which purchase such loans from Berkadia and/or facilitate the issuance of mortgage-backed securities in the secondary market. The federal government has announced that the continuation of these programs is under review, and that any or all of the government agency programs could be substantially modified or eliminated in the future. Any discontinuation of, or significant reduction or change in, the operation of those programs would have an adverse effect on Berkadia's loan origination and servicing business and results of operations.

Berkadia's special servicing and fee-for-service businesses may be terminated on short notice. Special servicing for each CMBS transaction is usually controlled by the subordinated bond holder class of the securitization. The owners of the subordinated bonds may change from time to time, and subordinated bond holders may replace Berkadia with a different special servicer. Fee-for-service customers are permitted to terminate Berkadia on short notice, usually 30 days. If Berkadia loses special servicing rights or is terminated by fee-for-service customers, it would negatively impact Berkadia's results of operations and cash flows.

CMBS loan and Bridge loan programs will expose Berkadia to credit and interest rate risk that it is not subject to with its government agency lending programs. Unlike its government agency lending programs, Berkadia cannot be assured it will be able to sell CMBS and Bridge loans at par value to a third-party without any exposure to credit or interest rate risk. If for any reason Berkadia is unable to sell a CMBS loan into the securitization market or if a borrower is unable to refinance a Bridge loan, Berkadia will retain all risks associated with such loan for as long as it owns the loan. Berkadia may be forced to foreclose on defaulted loans and suffer a loss, or to sell loans to a third party at a discount, either of which would reduce Berkadia's profitability and cash flows.

If Berkadia suffered significant losses and was unable to repay its commercial paper borrowings, the Company would be exposed to loss pursuant to a reimbursement obligation to Berkshire Hathaway. Berkadia obtains funds generated by commercial paper sales of an affiliate of Berkadia. All of the proceeds from the commercial paper sales are used by Berkadia to fund new mortgage loans, servicer advances, investments and other working capital requirements. Repayment of the commercial paper is supported by a \$2,500,000,000 surety policy issued by a Berkshire Hathaway insurance subsidiary and corporate guaranty, and the Company has agreed to reimburse Berkshire Hathaway for one-half of any losses incurred thereunder. If Berkadia suffers significant losses and is unable to repay its commercial paper borrowings, the Company would suffer losses to the extent of its reimbursement obligation to Berkshire Hathaway. As of December 31, 2011, the aggregate amount of commercial paper outstanding was \$2,000,000,000.

Berkadia's business is significantly affected by general economic conditions, particularly in the commercial real estate industry, and could be harmed in the event of a continued economic slowdown, prolonged recession or other market downturn or disruption. Berkadia's business and earnings are sensitive to changes in government policies and regulations, changes in interest rates, inflation, deflation, oversupply of real estate properties, fluctuations in the real estate and debt capital markets and developments in national and local economies. Unfavorable economic conditions could have an adverse effect on Berkadia's business, including decreasing the demand for new loans and the servicing of loans originated by third parties.

The Company has a substantial investment in Jefferies, an investment banking and securities firm whose operating results are greatly affected by the economy and financial markets. Turmoil in the equity and credit markets had an adverse effect on the volume and size of transactions Jefferies executes for its customers, resulting in reduced revenues and profitability in its investment banking, asset management and trading activities, as well as losses in its principal trading activities. Future declines in Jefferies' operating results caused by these or other conditions could adversely affect the value of the Company's investment.

New financial legislation could affect the market value of the Company's investment in Jefferies. Recently adopted legislation in the U.S. will result in more comprehensive regulation of the financial services industry. Such regulation could have an adverse impact on the market value of the Company's investment in Jefferies. Jefferies is also subject to certain specific risks which could impact the value of the Company's investment; these risks are disclosed in Jefferies' filings with the SEC.

The Company has a substantial investment in Mueller, a manufacturer of copper, brass, plastic, and aluminum products whose operating results are greatly impacted by raw material costs, economic conditions in the housing and commercial construction industries and general overall economic conditions. Mueller's products are impacted by the prices of certain commodities used as raw materials and energy costs, which have been volatile. Mueller typically attempts to pass cost increases onto its customers but is not always successful. Mueller's operating results have also been adversely impacted by general economic conditions particularly in the housing and commercial construction industries. To the extent Mueller's operating results are adversely impacted by these and other factors, the value of the Company's investment in Mueller could decline. Additional information about risk factors that impact Mueller are disclosed in its filings with the SEC.

The Company has substantial investments in Fortescue and Inmet, entities which are engaged in the mining of base metals (principally iron ore and copper), the prices of which have been volatile and can reduce the value of the Company's investments. The value of the Company's investment in the base metals mining sector rise and fall with the changes in the underlying base metal prices. In addition, mining operations are often subject to delay and regulatory scrutiny, which can increase costs or delay bringing mines into full production. Pricing changes and mining delays have a direct impact on the value of the Company's investments, and could adversely impact results of operations and equity.

The value of the FMG Note could be significantly reduced if the Company loses its litigation against Fortescue. If the litigation is ultimately determined adversely to the Company and Fortescue issues additional notes, the Company's future cash flows from the FMG Note and future results of operations would be adversely affected to the extent of the dilution resulting from the issuance of such additional notes, which could be significant. In addition, depending upon the extent of any such dilution, the Company may have to record an impairment charge for its prepaid mining interest.

Garcadia's business is dependent, in part, upon revenue from new and used car sales at its dealerships, and declines in revenues due to industry or other factors could result in reduced profitability, reduced cash flows and/or impairment charges. Garcadia has recorded impairment charges in the past, principally for goodwill and other intangible assets,

and if the automobile industry experiences a downturn in the future additional impairment charges are likely. In addition, reduced revenues would result in reduced profitability and cash flows for the Company.

From time to time the Company may invest in illiquid securities that are subject to standstill agreements or are otherwise restricted. From time to time the Company may invest in securities that are subject to restrictions which prohibit the Company from selling the subject securities for a period of time. The Company has entered into a standstill agreement with Mueller for the two year period ending September 1, 2013, pursuant to which, among other things, the Company has agreed not to sell its shares if the buyer would own more than 4.9% of the outstanding shares. Should the Company need to generate liquidity quickly, the agreement would limit the Company's ability to dispose of this investment while the agreement is effective.

The Company has significant investments in publicly traded securities and changes in the market prices of these securities, particularly during times of increased volatility in security prices, can have a significant impact on the Company's investment portfolio, equity and, for certain investments, on results of operations. The Company has significant investments in publicly traded securities, principally Fortescue, Jefferies, Mueller and Inmet, and in JHYH, an operating business that typically owns publicly traded securities. Changes in the market values of publicly traded available for sale securities, such as Fortescue and Inmet, are reflected in other comprehensive income (loss) and equity but not in the consolidated statements of operations. However, changes in the market value of Jefferies and Mueller, for which the Company has elected the fair value option, declines in the fair values of equity securities that the Company deems to be other than temporary, and declines in the fair values of debt securities related to credit losses are reflected in the consolidated statements of operations and equity. The Company's investment in JHYH is accounted for on the equity method of accounting for which the Company records its share of JHYH's profits or losses in its consolidated statements of operations. To the extent that JHYH owns public securities, with changes in market values reflected in its earnings, this increases the Company's exposure to volatility in the public securities markets. Global securities markets have been highly volatile, and continued volatility may have a significant negative impact on the Company's consolidated financial position and results of operations.

Changes in government tax policies in foreign or domestic jurisdictions where the Company has investments could have an adverse impact on the value of those investments. The Company has significant investments in both domestic and foreign businesses, where local and national government tax policies in the jurisdictions where those businesses operate could have an adverse impact on the value of those investments. Government budget deficits may result in legislation to increase or add new taxes on businesses, in particular the domestic financial services and foreign mining sectors. The Company has equity investments and/or loans to businesses operating in those sectors, and the announcement of unfavorable taxation policy or regulation for those businesses has had and could continue to have an adverse impact on the values of those investments, and reduce cash flows to the Company.

Current economic conditions have adversely affected most of the Company's operations and investments. A worsening of current economic conditions or a prolonged recession could cause a decline in estimated future cash flows expected to be generated by certain of the Company's operations and investments, potentially resulting in impairment charges for long-lived assets. Certain of the Company's operating businesses and investments have significant investments in long-lived assets, in particular beef processing, manufacturing, oil and gas drilling services and gaming entertainment. Current economic conditions have resulted in declining revenues for certain of these operations and their property and equipment is not being fully utilized. As required, the Company has reviewed certain of these assets and investments for potential impairment, and except as otherwise disclosed has not concluded that the book values of these long-lived assets are not recoverable. If the operating revenues of these businesses deteriorate in the future, and/or the Company lowers its estimates of future cash flows, impairment charges might have to be recorded.

We could experience significant increases in operating costs and reduced profitability due to competition for skilled management and staff employees in our operating businesses. The Company competes with many other entities for skilled management and staff employees, including entities that operate in different market sectors than the Company. Costs to recruit and retain adequate personnel could adversely affect results of operations.

Extreme weather, loss of electrical power or other forces beyond our control could negatively impact our business. Natural disasters, fire, terrorism, pandemic or extreme weather, including droughts, floods, excessive cold or heat, hurricanes or other storms, could interfere with our operating businesses due to power outages, fuel shortages, water shortages, damage to facilities or disruption of transportation channels, among other things. Any of these factors, as well as disruptions to information systems, could have an adverse effect on financial results.

We rely on the security of our information technology systems and those of our third party providers to protect our proprietary information and information of our customers. Some of our businesses involve the storage and transmission of customers' personal information, consumer preferences and credit card information. While we believe that we have implemented protective measures to effectively secure information and prevent security breaches, our information technology systems may be vulnerable to unauthorized access, computer hacking, computer viruses or other unauthorized attempts by third parties to access the proprietary information of our customers. Information technology breaches and failures could disrupt our ability to function in the normal course of business resulting in lost revenue, the disclosure or modification of sensitive or confidential information and the incurrence of remediation costs, resulting in legal and financial exposure. Moreover, loss of confidential customer identification information could harm our reputation and subject us to liability under laws that protect confidential personal data, resulting in increased costs or loss of revenues.

From time to time we are subject to litigation, for which we may be unable to accurately assess our level of exposure and which if adversely determined, may have a significant adverse effect on our consolidated financial condition or results of operations. The Company and its subsidiaries are or may become parties to legal proceedings that are considered to be either ordinary, routine litigation incidental to their business or not significant to the Company's consolidated financial position or liquidity. Although the Company's current assessment is that there is no pending litigation that could have a significant adverse impact, if the Company's assessment proves to be in error, then the outcome of litigation could have a significant impact on the Company's financial statements.

We may not be able to generate sufficient taxable income to fully realize our deferred tax asset, which would also have to be reduced if U.S. federal income tax rates are lowered. At December 31, 2011, we have recognized a net deferred tax asset of \$1,584,886,000. If we are unable to generate sufficient taxable income, we will not be able to fully realize the recorded amount of the net deferred tax asset. If we are unable to generate sufficient taxable income prior to the expiration of our NOLs, the NOLs would expire unused. The Company's projections of future taxable income required to fully realize the recorded amount of the net deferred tax asset reflect numerous assumptions about our operating businesses and investments, and are subject to change as conditions change specific to our business units, investments or general economic conditions. Changes that are adverse to the Company could result in the need to increase the deferred tax asset valuation allowance resulting in a charge to results of operations and a decrease to total stockholders' equity. In addition, if U.S. federal income tax rates are lowered, the Company would be required to reduce its net deferred tax asset with a corresponding reduction to earnings during the period.

The payment of dividends in the future is subject to the discretion of our Board of Directors. The Company does not have a regular dividend policy and whether or not to pay any dividends is determined each year by our Board of Directors.

Our common shares are subject to transfer restrictions. We and certain of our subsidiaries have significant NOLs and other tax attributes, the amount and availability of which are subject to certain qualifications, limitations and uncertainties. In order to reduce the possibility that certain changes in ownership could result in limitations on the use of the tax attributes, our certificate of incorporation contains provisions that generally restrict the ability of a person or entity from acquiring ownership (including through attribution under the tax law) of 5% or more of our common shares and the ability of persons or entities now owning 5% or more of our common shares from acquiring additional common shares. The restriction will remain until the earliest of (a) December 31, 2024, (b) the repeal of Section 382 of the Internal Revenue Code (or any comparable successor provision) and (c) the beginning of a taxable year to which these tax benefits may no longer be carried forward. The restriction may be waived by our Board of Directors on a case by case basis. Shareholders are advised to carefully monitor their ownership of our common shares and consult their own legal advisors and/or us to determine whether their ownership of our common shares approaches the proscribed level.

ItemUnresolved Staff Comments.
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Not applicable.

ItemProperties.

2.

National Beef's processing facilities, which are the principal properties used in its business, are described in Item 1 of this Report. National Beef also leases corporate office space in Kansas City, Missouri (27,200 square feet) for its headquarters facility.

Idaho Timber's plants and sawmills, which are the principal properties used in its business are described in Item 1 of this Report. Premier's Hard Rock Hotel & Casino facility is described in Item 1 of this Report. Real estate investments that are part of the Company's Domestic Real Estate segment are described in Item 1 of this Report.

Through its various subsidiaries, the Company owns and utilizes facilities in Salt Lake City, Utah for corporate office space and other activities (totaling approximately 26,700 square feet). Subsidiaries of the Company own facilities primarily used for plastics manufacturing located in Georgia, Virginia and Genk, Belgium (totaling approximately 457,300 square feet), facilities and land in California, Oregon and Washington used for winery operations (totaling approximately 259,700 square feet and 1,534 acres, respectively), and facilities and land in Oklahoma used for oil and gas drilling services (totaling approximately 33,100 square feet and 75 acres, respectively).

The Company and its subsidiaries lease numerous manufacturing, warehousing, office and headquarters facilities. The facilities vary in size and have leases expiring at various times, subject, in certain instances, to renewal options. A subsidiary of the Company also leases space in New York, New York for corporate and other activities (approximately 32,600 square feet). See Note 22 of the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

ItemLegal Proceedings.

3.

For information concerning litigation brought by the Company with respect to the FMG Note, see Item 1 and Item 7 of this Report. The Company and its subsidiaries are also parties to legal proceedings that are considered to be either ordinary, routine litigation incidental to their business or not significant to the Company's consolidated financial position or liquidity.

Item 4. Mine Safety Disclosures.

Not applicable.

ItemExecutive Officers of the Registrant. 10.

All executive officers of the Company are elected at the organizational meeting of the Board of Directors of the Company held annually and serve at the pleasure of the Board of Directors. As of February 16, 2012, the executive officers of the Company, their ages, the positions held by them and the periods during which they have served in such positions were as follows:

Name	Age	Position with Leucadia	Office Held Since			
Ian M. Cumming	71	Chairman of the Board	June 1978			
Joseph S. Steinberg	68	President	January 1979			
Thomas E. Mara	66	Executive Vice President	May 1980			
Joseph A. Orlando	56	Vice President and	January 1994;			
		Chief Financial Officer	April 1996			
Barbara L. Lowenthal	57	Vice President and	April 1996			
		Comptroller	-			
Justin R. Wheeler	39	Vice President	October 2006			
Joseph M. O'Connor	36	Vice President	May 2007			
Rocco J. Nittoli	53	Vice President and	September 2007;			
		Treasurer	May 2007			

Mr. Cumming has served as a director and Chairman of the Board of the Company since June 1978. Mr. Cumming has also been a director of Skywest, Inc., a Utah-based regional air carrier, since June 1986 and a director of HomeFed since May 1999. Mr. Cumming has been a director of Jefferies since April 2008 and a director of Mueller since September 2011. Mr. Cumming previously served as a director and was Chairman of the Board of The FINOVA Group Inc. ("FINOVA") and was a director of AmeriCredit Corp. ("ACF") and Fortescue.

Mr. Steinberg has served as a director of the Company since December 1978 and as President of the Company since January 1979. In addition, he has served as a director of HomeFed since August 1998 (Chairman since December 1999), Jefferies since April 2008 and Mueller since September 2011. Mr. Steinberg previously served as a director of FINOVA, White Mountains Insurance Group, Jordan Industries Inc. and Fortescue.

Mr. Mara joined the Company in April 1977 and was elected Vice President of the Company in May 1977. He has served as Executive Vice President of the Company since May 1980 and as Treasurer of the Company from January 1993 to May 2007. In addition, he is a director of Inmet (since August 2005) and previously served as a director and Chief Executive Officer of FINOVA.

Mr. Orlando, a certified public accountant, has served as Chief Financial Officer of the Company since April 1996 and as Vice President of the Company since January 1994.

Ms. Lowenthal, a certified public accountant, has served as Vice President and Comptroller of the Company since April 1996.

Mr. Wheeler joined the Company in March 2000, and has served in a variety of capacities in the Company's subsidiaries and as Vice President of the Company since October 2006. In addition, he has served as a director of INTL FCStone Inc. since November 2004 and was a director of ACF.

Mr. O'Connor joined the Company in August 2001 and has served as Vice President of the Company since May 2007.

Mr. Nittoli joined the Company in September 1997, and has served in a variety of capacities at the Company's subsidiaries and as Treasurer of the Company since May 2007, and as Vice President of the Company since September 2007.

PART II

ItemMarket for Registrant's Common Equity, Related Stockholder Matters and Issuer Purchases of Equity Securities. 5.

The common shares of the Company are traded on the NYSE under the symbol LUK. The following table sets forth, for the calendar periods indicated, the high and low sales price per common share on the consolidated transaction reporting system, as reported by the Bloomberg Professional Service provided by Bloomberg L.P.

	Common Share		
	High	Low	
2010			
2010			
First Quarter	\$26.06	\$21.30	
Second Quarter	28.37	19.43	
Third Quarter	24.21	18.80	
Fourth Quarter	29.64	23.26	
2011			
First Quarter	\$37.61	\$29.77	
Second Quarter	39.02	32.11	
Third Quarter	35.85	22.68	
Fourth Quarter	28.61	20.42	
2012			
First Quarter (through February 16, 2012)	\$29.72	\$23.89	

As of February 16, 2012, there were approximately 2,104 record holders of the common shares.

The Company paid cash dividends of \$0.25 per common share in 2011 and 2010 and did not pay any cash dividends in 2009. The payment of dividends in the future is subject to the discretion of the Board of Directors and will depend upon general business conditions, legal and contractual restrictions on the payment of dividends and other factors that the Board of Directors may deem to be relevant.

Certain subsidiaries of the Company have significant NOLs and other tax attributes, the amount and availability of which are subject to certain qualifications, limitations and uncertainties. In order to reduce the possibility that certain changes in ownership could result in limitations on the use of the Company's tax attributes, the Company's certificate of incorporation contains provisions which generally restrict the ability of a person or entity from acquiring ownership (including through attribution under the tax law) of five percent or more of the common shares and the ability of persons or entities now owning five percent or more of the common shares from acquiring additional common shares. The restrictions will remain in effect until the earliest of (a) December 31, 2024, (b) the repeal of Section 382 of the Internal Revenue Code (or any comparable successor provision) or (c) the beginning of a taxable year to which these tax benefits may no longer be carried forward.

The Company did not purchase any of its common shares during the fourth quarter of 2011.

The Board of Directors from time to time has authorized acquisitions of the Company's common shares. At December 31, 2011, the Company is authorized to purchase 11,987,880 common shares.

Stockholder Return Performance Graph

Set forth below is a graph comparing the cumulative total stockholder return on our common shares against the cumulative total return of the Standard & Poor's 500 Stock Index and the Standard & Poor's 1500 Industrial Conglomerates Index for the period commencing December 31, 2006 to December 31, 2011. Index data was furnished by Standard & Poor's Capital IQ. The graph assumes that \$100 was invested on December 31, 2006 in each of our common stock, the S&P 500 Index, and the S&P 1500 Industrial Conglomerates Index and that all dividends were reinvested.

		INDEXED RETURNS							
	Base		Years Ending						
	Period								
Company / Index	Dec06	Dec07	Dec08	Dec09	Dec10	Dec11			
Leucadia National Corporation	100	167.91	70.59	84.81	104.92	82.66			
S&P 500 Index	100	105.49	66.46	84.05	96.71	98.76			
S&P 1500 Industrial									
Conglomerates	100	104.27	50.80	56.11	66.62	67.19			

ItemSelected Financial Data.

6.

The following selected financial data have been summarized from the Company's consolidated financial statements and are qualified in their entirety by reference to, and should be read in conjunction with, such consolidated financial statements and Item 7, Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations of this Report.

	Year Ended Dece 2011 2010 2009 (In thousands, except pe			2009	2008			2007	
SELECTED INCOME STATEMENT DATA: (a)									
Revenues and other income (b)	\$1,570,768		\$1,320,004	\$575,208	\$	8490,540		\$714,762	
Expenses	889,780		951,001	816,362	4	862,046		785,687	
Income (loss) from continuing operations			, , , , , , ,	0 - 0,2 0 -		,,,,,,		,	
before income taxes and income (losses)									
related to associated companies	680,988		369,003	(241,154)	(371,506)	(70,925)
Income tax provision (benefit) (c)	270,253		(1,139,318)	7,108	,	1,672,313	,	(561,753)
Income (loss) from continuing operations	270,200		(1,12),210)	7,100		1,072,010		(501,755	
before income (losses) related to associated									
companies	410,735		1,508,321	(248,262)	(2,043,819))	490,828	
Income (losses) related to associated	110,755		1,000,021	(2:0,202	,	(2,015,015)	,	170,020	
companies, net of taxes	(394,041)	380,766	780,236		(539,068)	(21,875)
Income (loss) from continuing operations (c)	16,694	,	1,889,087	531,974		(2,582,887)	_	468,953	
Income from discontinued operations,	10,05		1,005,007	331,571		(2,002,007)	,	100,723	
including gain (loss) on disposal, net of taxes	8,262		51,149	16,621		46,075		11,319	
Net income (loss) attributable to Leucadia	0,202		31,11,5	10,021		10,072		11,517	
National									
Corporation common shareholders	25,231		1,939,312	550,280		(2,535,425))	484,294	
Corporation common situremoracis	23,231		1,555,512	330,200		(2,555,125)	,	101,271	
Per share:									
Basic earnings (loss) per common share									
attributable									
to Leucadia National Corporation common									
shareholders:									
Income (loss) from continuing operations	\$.07		\$7.77	\$2.21	4	8(11.20)	\$2.17	
Income from discontinued operations,	ψ.07	,	Ψ1.11	Ψ2.21	4	0(11.20	,	Ψ2.17	
including gain (loss) on disposal	.03		.20	.07		.20		.05	
Net income (loss)	\$.10		\$7.97	\$2.28	4)	\$2.22	
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Diluted earnings (loss) per common share attributable									
to Leucadia National Corporation common									
shareholders:									
Income (loss) from continuing operations	\$.07		\$7.66	\$2.18	\$	8(11.20)	\$2.05	
Income from discontinued operations,									
including gain (loss) on disposal	.03		.19	.07		.20		.05	
Net income (loss)	\$.10		\$7.85	\$2.25	\$	8(11.00)	\$2.10	
	2011			at December 2009		2008		2007	
		(In thousands, except per share amounts)							

Cash and investments	\$2,545,500	\$4,538,571	\$2,343,420	\$1,602,769	\$4,168,439
Total assets	9,263,189	9,350,298	6,762,364	5,198,493	8,126,622
Indebtedness, including current maturities	2,323,183	2,092,249	1,970,371	2,080,891	2,135,161
Shareholders' equity	6,174,396	6,956,758	4,361,647	2,676,797	5,570,492
Book value per common share	\$25.24	\$28.53	\$17.93	\$11.22	\$25.03
Cash dividends per common share	\$.25	\$.25	\$-	\$-	\$.25

- (a) Subsidiaries are reflected above as consolidated entities from the date of acquisition. National Beef was acquired on December 30, 2011; however, since its operating activities subsequent to the acquisition during 2011 were not significant they were not included in the 2011 consolidated statement of operations. Keen was acquired in November 2009; for the periods prior to the acquisition the Company accounted for its equity interest in Keen under the equity method of accounting. Premier is reflected as a consolidated subsidiary beginning in August 2007. For additional information, see Note 3 of Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.
- (b) Includes net securities gains (losses) of \$641,476,000, \$179,494,000, \$(21,106,000), \$(144,547,000) and \$95,641,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010, 2009, 2008 and 2007, respectively. Net securities gains (losses) are net of impairment charges of \$3,586,000, \$2,474,000, \$31,420,000, \$143,416,000 and \$36,834,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010, 2009, 2008 and 2007, respectively.

(c) At December 31, 2010, the Company concluded that it was more likely than not that it would be able to realize a portion of the net deferred tax asset; accordingly, \$1,157,111,000 of the deferred tax valuation allowance was reversed as a credit to income tax expense. During 2008, the Company recorded a charge to income tax expense of \$1,672,138,000 to reserve for substantially all of its net deferred tax asset due to the uncertainty about the Company's ability to generate sufficient taxable income to realize the net deferred tax asset. During 2007, the Company concluded that it was more likely than not that it would be able to realize a portion of the net deferred tax asset; accordingly, \$542,686,000 of the deferred tax valuation allowance was reversed as a credit to income tax expense.

ItemManagement's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations. 7.

The purpose of this section is to discuss and analyze the Company's consolidated financial condition, liquidity and capital resources and results of operations. This analysis should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements, related footnote disclosures and "Cautionary Statement for Forward-Looking Information," which appear in Part I and elsewhere in this Report.

Liquidity and Capital Resources

General

The Company's investment portfolio, equity and results of operations can be significantly impacted by the changes in market values of certain securities, particularly during times of increased volatility in security prices. Changes in the market values of publicly traded available for sale securities are reflected in other comprehensive income (loss) and equity. However, changes in the market prices of investments for which the Company has elected the fair value option, declines in the fair values of equity securities that the Company deems to be other than temporary, and declines in the fair values of debt securities related to credit losses are reflected in the consolidated statements of operations and equity. JHYH also owns public securities with changes in market values reflected in its earnings. Since the Company accounts for JHYH on the equity method of accounting, it records its share of JHYH's earnings in the consolidated statement of operations which increases the Company's exposure to volatility in the public securities markets.

The Company's largest publicly traded available for sale equity securities with changes in market values reflected in other comprehensive income (loss) are Fortescue and Inmet. During the year ended December 31, 2011, the market value of the Company's investment in the common shares of Fortescue decreased from \$873,931,000 (excluding shares sold in 2011) to \$569,256,000. The market value of the Company's investment in Inmet decreased from \$862,481,000 to \$708,193,000. The market value of the Company's investment in Jefferies, for which the fair value option was elected, decreased during the year with unrealized losses reflected in operations as a component of income related to associated companies. During the year ended December 31, 2011, the Company recognized an unrealized loss related to its investment in Jefferies of \$684,397,000.

Liquidity

Leucadia National Corporation is a holding company whose assets principally consist of the stock of its direct subsidiaries, cash and cash equivalents and other non-controlling investments in debt and equity securities. The Company continuously evaluates the retention and disposition of its existing operations and investments and investigates possible acquisitions of new businesses in order to maximize shareholder value. Accordingly, further

acquisitions, divestitures, investments and changes in capital structure are possible. Its principal sources of funds are its available cash resources, liquid investments, public and private capital market transactions, repayment of subsidiary advances, funds distributed from its subsidiaries as tax sharing payments, management and other fees, and borrowings and dividends from its subsidiaries, as well as dispositions of existing businesses and investments.

In addition to cash and cash equivalents, the Company also considers investments classified as current assets and investments classified as non-current assets on the face of its consolidated balance sheet as being generally available to meet its liquidity needs. Securities classified as current and non-current investments are not as liquid as cash and cash equivalents, but they are generally easily convertible into cash within a relatively short period of time. As of December 31, 2011, the sum of these amounts aggregated \$2,545,500,000. However, since \$694,265,000 of this amount is pledged as collateral pursuant to various agreements, is subject to trading restrictions, represents investments in non-public securities or is held by subsidiaries that are party to agreements that restrict the Company's ability to use the funds for other purposes, the Company does not consider those amounts to be available to meet its liquidity needs. The \$1,851,235,000 that is available is comprised of cash and short-term bonds and notes of the U.S. Government and its agencies, U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprises and other publicly traded debt and equity securities (including the Fortescue and Inmet common shares). The Company's available liquidity, and the investment income realized from cash, cash equivalents and marketable securities is used to meet the Company's short-term recurring cash requirements, which are principally the payment of interest on its debt and corporate overhead expenses.

The holding company's only long-term cash requirement is to make principal payments on its long-term debt (\$1,474,311,000 principal outstanding as of December 31, 2011). In January 2012, the Company called for redemption \$511,344,000 aggregate principal amount of bonds pursuant to pre-existing call rights; excluding accrued interest the Company will pay an aggregate of \$528,308,000 to redeem the bonds in March 2012. The contractual maturity of these bonds was \$423,140,000 in 2017 and \$88,204,000 in 2027. Excluding these bonds, the holding company's remaining long-term debt matures as follows: \$406,745,000 in 2013, \$97,581,000 in 2014 and \$458,641,000 in 2015. Historically, the Company has used its available liquidity to make acquisitions of new businesses and other investments, but, except as disclosed in this Report, the timing of any future investments and the cost cannot be predicted.

From time to time in the past, the Company has accessed public and private credit markets and raised capital in underwritten bond financings. The funds raised have been used by the Company for general corporate purposes, including for its existing businesses and new investment opportunities. However, given the recent volatility in the credit markets, if and when the Company decides to raise funds through an underwritten bond offering it might be at a higher interest rate than in the past, or with terms that the Company may not find acceptable. The Company has no current intention to seek additional bond financing, and will rely on its existing liquidity to fund corporate overhead expenses and corporate interest payments and, to fund new investing opportunities, it may also dispose of existing businesses and investments. The Company's senior debt obligations are rated four levels below investment grade by Moody's Investors Services, two levels below investment grade by Fitch Ratings and one level below investment grade by Standard & Poor's. Ratings issued by bond rating agencies are subject to change at any time.

In March 2011, the Company invested an additional \$50,000,000 in Sangart, which increased its ownership interest to approximately 96%.

In June 2011, a subsidiary of the Company purchased the assets of Seghesio Family Vineyards, the owner and operator of premium estate vineyards and a winery located in Healdsburg, California. The cash purchase price was \$86,018,000, which was primarily allocated as follows: \$48,503,000 to property, equipment and leasehold improvements, \$22,250,000 to amortizable intangible assets, \$1,053,000 to goodwill and \$12,962,000 to prepaids and other current assets (principally inventory).

During 2009, a subsidiary of Berkshire Hathaway provided Berkadia with a five-year, \$1 billion secured credit facility, which was used to fund outstanding mortgage loans and servicer advances, purchase mortgage servicing rights and for working capital needs. In 2010, Berkadia's secured credit facility was amended to increase the size of the credit facility to \$1.5 billion, with the Company agreeing to provide the increased funds under the facility. In 2011, Berkadia fully repaid the amount outstanding under its secured credit facility, including \$250,000,000 that was loaned by the Company, with funds generated by commercial paper sales of an affiliate of Berkadia. Effective as of December 31, 2011, the secured credit facility was terminated. All of the proceeds from the commercial paper sales are used by Berkadia to fund new mortgage loans, servicer advances, investments and other working capital requirements. Repayment of the commercial paper is supported by a \$2,500,000,000 surety policy issued by a Berkshire Hathaway insurance subsidiary and corporate guaranty, and the Company has agreed to reimburse Berkshire Hathaway for one-half of any losses incurred. As of December 31, 2011, the aggregate amount of commercial paper outstanding was \$2,000,000,000.

During 2011, the Company sold 117,400,000 common shares of Fortescue for net cash proceeds of \$732,217,000, which resulted in the recognition of a net securities gain of \$628,197,000. In January 2012, the Company sold 100,000,000 Fortescue common shares for net cash proceeds of \$506,490,000, and will record a net securities gain of \$417,887,000 during the three month period ending March 31, 2012.

During 2011, the Company received \$171,718,000 from FMG (net of \$19,080,000 in withholding taxes) in payment of interest due on the FMG Note for the twelve month period ended June 30, 2011. In January 2012, the Company received \$97,093,000 (net of \$10,788,000 in withholding taxes) from FMG in payment of interest due for the second half of 2011. Future interest payments under the FMG Note will be dependent upon the physical volume of iron ore sold and the selling price, which can fluctuate widely, as well as the outcome of the litigation as described below. As a result, it is not possible to predict whether interest earned in the most recent year will continue at the same level in future years.

In August 2010, the Company was advised that Fortescue is asserting that FMG is entitled to issue additional notes identical to the FMG Note in an unlimited amount. Fortescue further claims that any interest to be paid on additional notes can dilute, on a pro rata basis, the Company's entitlement to the stated interest of 4% of net revenue. The Company does not believe that FMG has the right to issue additional notes which affect the Company's interest or that the interpretation by Fortescue of the terms of the FMG Note, as currently claimed by Fortescue, reflects the agreement between the parties.

In September 2010, the Company filed a Writ of Summons against Fortescue, FMG and Fortescue's then Chief Executive Officer in the Supreme Court of Western Australia. The Writ of Summons seeks, among other things, an injunction restraining the issuance of any additional notes identical to the FMG Note and damages. If the litigation is ultimately determined adversely to the Company and additional notes are issued, the Company's future cash flows from the FMG Note and future results of operations would be significantly and adversely affected to the extent of the dilution resulting from the issuance of such additional notes.

During 2011, the Company purchased an aggregate of 8,654,639 Jefferies common shares through a public offering, in private transactions and in the open market for total cash consideration of \$167,753,000.

During 2011, the Company acquired 10,422,859 common shares of Mueller, representing approximately 27.3% of the outstanding common shares of Mueller, for aggregate cash consideration of \$408,558,000. The Company has entered into a standstill agreement with Mueller for the two year period ending September 1, 2013, pursuant to which, among other things, the Company has agreed not to sell its shares if the buyer would own more than 4.9% of the outstanding shares.

On December 30, 2011, the Company acquired 78.9% of National Beef for aggregate net cash consideration of \$867,869,000, and National Beef became a consolidated subsidiary of the Company. At December 31, 2011, National Beef's credit facility consisted of a \$323,750,000 outstanding term loan and a revolving credit line of up to \$250,000,000; amounts outstanding under the facility mature in June 2016. The term loan requires quarterly principal payments of \$9,250,000. The term loan and the revolving credit facility bear interest at the Base Rate or the LIBOR Rate (as defined in the credit facility), plus a margin ranging from .75% to 2.50% depending upon certain financial ratios and the rate selected. At December 31, 2011, the interest rate on the term loan was 2.1% and the interest rate in the revolving credit facility was 2.2%. The credit facility is secured by a first priority lien on substantially all of the assets of National Beef and its subsidiaries, which aggregated \$1,786,855,000 at December 31, 2011. The Company has not guaranteed any of National Beef's liabilities. For more information on the allocation of the purchase price to National Beef's individual assets and liabilities, see Critical Accounting Estimates below.

In February 2009, the Board of Directors authorized the Company, from time to time, to purchase its outstanding debt securities through cash purchases in open market transactions, privately negotiated transactions or otherwise. Such repurchases, if any, depend upon prevailing market conditions, the Company's liquidity requirements and other factors; such purchases may be commenced or suspended at any time without notice.

In March 2007, the Board of Directors increased the number of the Company's common shares that the Company is authorized to purchase. Such purchases may be made from time to time in the open market, through block trades or otherwise. Depending on market conditions and other factors, such purchases may be commenced or suspended at any time without notice. During the three year period ended December 31, 2011, the only common shares acquired by the Company were in connection with the exercise of stock options. As of February 16, 2012, the Company is authorized to repurchase 11,987,880 common shares.

The Company and certain of its subsidiaries have substantial NOLs and other tax attributes. The amount and availability of the NOLs and other tax attributes are subject to certain qualifications, limitations and uncertainties. In order to reduce the possibility that certain changes in ownership could impose limitations on the use of the NOLs, the Company's certificate of incorporation contains provisions which generally restrict the ability of a person or entity from acquiring ownership (including through attribution under the tax law) of five percent or more of the common shares and the ability of persons or entities now owning five percent or more of the common shares from acquiring additional common shares. The restrictions will remain in effect until the earliest of (a) December 31, 2024, (b) the repeal of Section 382 of the Internal Revenue Code (or any comparable successor provision) or (c) the beginning of a taxable year to which certain tax benefits may no longer be carried forward. For more information about the NOLs and other tax attributes, see Note 19 of Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

As discussed above, the Company has historically relied on its available liquidity to meet its short-term and long-term needs, and to make acquisitions of new businesses and investments. Except as otherwise disclosed herein, the Company's operating businesses do not generally require significant funds to support their operating activities, and the Company does not depend on positive cash flow from its operating segments to meet its liquidity needs. The components of the Company's operating businesses and investments change frequently as a result of acquisitions or divestitures, the timing of which is impossible to predict but which often have a significant impact on the Company's consolidated statements of cash flows in any one period. Further, the timing and amounts of distributions from investments in associated companies may be outside the control of the Company. As a result, reported cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities do not generally follow any particular pattern or trend, and reported results in the most recent period should not be expected to recur in any subsequent period.

Net cash of \$9,084,000 and \$431,266,000 was provided by operating activities in 2011 and 2010, respectively, The change in operating cash flows reflects interest payments received from FMG (\$171,718,000 in 2011 and \$154,930,000 in 2010, net of withholding taxes), greater income tax payments, lower interest payments and the proceeds received from the sale of ACF in excess of the cost of the investment in 2010 (\$404,700,000). Keen generated funds of \$23,446,000 and \$7,311,000 during 2011 and 2010, respectively; Premier generated funds of \$26,516,000 and \$26,524,000 during 2011 and 2010, respectively; and the Company's manufacturing segments generated funds of \$12,819,000 and \$28,333,000 during 2011 and 2010, respectively. Funds used by Sangart, a development stage company, increased to \$39,396,000 during 2011 from \$23,757,000 during 2010. During 2011, distributions from associated companies principally include earnings distributed by Berkadia (\$23,636,000), Jefferies (\$7,789,000) and Garcadia (\$5,654,000). In 2010, distributions from associated companies principally include ACF, earnings distributed by Berkadia (\$29,000,000) and Jefferies (\$14,575,000). Net gains related to real estate, property and equipment, and other assets in 2011 include a gain of \$81,848,000 on forgiveness of debt related to the Myrtle Beach project. Funds provided by operating activities include \$4,690,000 and \$11,640,000 in 2011 and 2010, respectively, from funds distributed by Empire Insurance Company ("Empire"), a discontinued operation.

Net cash of \$431,266,000 was provided by operating activities in 2010 as compared to \$133,398,000 of cash used for operating activities in 2009. The change in operating cash flows reflects the sale of ACF in 2010, interest paid on the FMG Note in 2010, greater income tax payments, lower interest payments and increased distributions of earnings from associated companies. The telecommunications operations of STi Prepaid, LLC ("STi Prepaid"), which was sold during 2010, generated funds from operating activities of \$532,000 in 2010 and \$3,355,000 in 2009. The property management and services operations of ResortQuest International, LLC ("ResortQuest"), which was sold in 2010, generated funds from operating activities of \$6,268,000 in 2010 and used funds of \$888,000 in 2009. Keen, which became a consolidated subsidiary in November 2009, generated funds of \$7,311,000 in 2010 and used funds of \$5,410,000 in 2009. Premier generated funds of \$26,524,000 and \$21,866,000 in 2010 and 2009, respectively; and the Company's manufacturing segments generated funds from operating activities of \$28,333,000 and \$30,342,000 in 2010 and 2009, respectively. Funds used by Sangart, a development stage company, were \$23,757,000 in 2010 and \$20,334,000 in 2009. In 2010, distributions from associated companies principally include ACF, earnings distributed by Berkadia (\$29,000,000) and Jefferies (\$14,575,000). In 2009, distributions from associated companies principally include earnings distributed by HFH ShortPLUS Fund L.P. ("Shortplus") (\$14,545,000), Keen (\$8,379,000) and Garcadia (\$11,108,000). Funds provided by operating activities include \$11,640,000 and \$11,253,000 in 2010 and 2009, respectively, from funds distributed by Empire.

Net cash of \$175,297,000 and \$208,718,000 was used for investing activities in 2011 and 2010, respectively, as compared to net cash flows provided by investing activities of \$71,971,000 in 2009. During 2011, proceeds from disposals of real estate, property and equipment, and other assets include \$12,040,000 from the sale of certain of Keen's rigs. Acquisitions, net of cash acquired, primarily relates to the Company's acquisition of National Beef and Seghesio Family Vineyards. Proceeds from disposal of discontinued operations, net of expenses and cash of operations sold principally include STi Prepaid (\$10,644,000) in 2011 and ResortQuest (\$52,135,000), a shopping center (\$17,064,000) and STi Prepaid (\$(9,819,000)) in 2010. Investments in associated companies include Jefferies (\$167,753,000), Mueller (\$408,558,000), Linkem (\$88,575,000) and Garcadia (\$32,400,000) in 2011, Berkadia (\$292,544,000), Las Cruces (\$2,687,000), Jefferies (\$17,998,000) and ACF (\$7,236,000) in 2010 and Las Cruces (\$43,320,000), ACF (\$13,316,000) and Berkadia (\$217,169,000) in 2009. Capital distributions and loan repayment from associated companies include Berkadia (\$283,530,000), JHYH (\$8,710,000), Jefferies (\$8,326,000) and Garcadia (\$10,382,000) in 2011, ACF (\$425,842,000), Berkadia (\$44,544,000), JHYH (\$17,077,000), Wintergreen Partners Fund, L.P. ("Wintergreen") (\$4,397,000) and Garcadia (\$8,778,000) in 2010 and Keen (\$28,340,000), Wintergreen (\$38,958,000), Shortplus (\$24,861,000) and Starboard Value Opportunity Partners, LP (\$11,502,000) in 2009.

Net cash of \$106,637,000 and \$21,948,000 was used for financing activities in 2011 and 2009, respectively, as compared to net cash provided by financing activities of \$64,664,000 in 2010. Issuance of long-term debt primarily reflects the increase in repurchase agreements of \$16,358,000, \$202,539,000 and \$47,494,000 for 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively, and, in 2011, \$75,947,000 borrowed by National Beef under its revolving credit facility. Immediately after the Company's acquisition of its interest, National Beef borrowed funds to redeem the interest of its chief executive officer pursuant to pre-existing put rights.

Reduction of debt for 2011 includes \$19,275,000 in full satisfaction of the Myrtle Beach project's non-recourse indebtedness, \$32,881,000 on the maturity of debt of a subsidiary that was collateralized by certain of the Company's corporate aircraft, \$8,500,000 for the repayment of Keen's line of credit and \$82,531,000 in the aggregate for the buyback of \$21,359,000 principal amount of the Company's 8 1/8% Senior Notes due 2015, \$54,860,000 principal amount of the Company's 7 1/8% Senior Notes due 2017 and \$1,350,000 principal amount of the Company's 8.65% Junior Subordinated Deferrable Interest Debentures due 2027. Reduction of debt for 2010 includes \$10,226,000 for repayment of debt by a subsidiary, and \$80,859,000 in the aggregate for the buyback of \$5,500,000 principal amount of the 7 3/4% Senior Notes, \$27,200,000 principal amount of the 7% Senior Notes, \$20,000,000 principal amount of the 8 1/8% Senior Notes, \$22,000,000 principal amount of the 7 1/8% Senior Notes, and \$2,146,000 principal amount of the 8.65% Junior Subordinated Deferrable Interest Debentures. Reduction of debt for 2009 includes \$35,361,000 in the aggregate for the buyback of \$35,555,000 principal amount of the 7% Senior Notes and \$6,500,000 principal amount of the 8.65% Junior Subordinated Deferrable Interest Debentures. Purchase of interest in subsidiary by noncontrolling interest for 2011 represents the acquisition of a minority interest in National Beef by its chief executive officer immediately after the Company acquired its interest. Issuance of common shares reflects the exercise of employee stock options for all periods.

Debt due within one year includes \$417,479,000 and \$401,121,000 at December 31, 2011 and 2010, respectively, relating to repurchase agreements of one of the Company's subsidiaries. These fixed rate repurchase agreements have a weighted average interest rate of approximately 0.3%, mature in January 2012 and are secured by non-current investments with a carrying value of \$432,768,000 at December 31, 2011. These borrowings are used solely to fund a portion of the purchase price of a segregated portfolio of mortgage pass-through certificates issued by U.S. Government agencies (GNMA) and by U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprises (FHLMC or FNMA). The securities purchased are generally adjustable rate certificates, secured by seasoned pools of securitized, highly rated residential mortgages, and the certificates acquired generally represent all of the certificates issued by the securitization.

The Company's senior note indentures contain covenants that restrict its ability to incur more Indebtedness or issue Preferred Stock of Subsidiaries unless, at the time of such incurrence or issuance, the Company meets a specified ratio of Consolidated Debt to Consolidated Tangible Net Worth, limit the ability of the Company and Material Subsidiaries to incur, in certain circumstances, Liens, limit the ability of Material Subsidiaries to incur Funded Debt in certain circumstances, and contain other terms and restrictions all as defined in the senior note indentures. The Company has the ability to incur substantial additional indebtedness or make distributions to its shareholders and still remain in compliance with these restrictions. If the Company is unable to meet the specified ratio, the Company would not be able to issue additional Indebtedness or Preferred Stock, but the Company's inability to meet the applicable ratio would not result in a default under its senior note indentures. The senior note indentures do not restrict the payment of dividends. Certain of the debt instruments of subsidiaries of the Company require that collateral be provided to the lender; principally as a result of such requirements, the assets of subsidiaries which are subject to limitations on transfer of funds to the Company were \$2,251,548,000 at December 31, 2011.

As shown below, at December 31, 2011, the Company's contractual cash obligations totaled \$3,173,653,000.

	Payments Due by Period (in thousands)				
		Less than 1			After 5
Contractual Cash Obligations	Total	Year	1-3 Years	4-5 Years	Years
Indebtedness, including current maturities	\$2,327,320	\$447,612	\$583,347	\$783,017	\$513,344
Estimated interest expense on debt	500,025	117,972	188,134	110,992	82,927
Cattle commitments	101,399	101,399	_	_	_
Planned funding of pension and					
postretirement obligations	63,073	3,000	60,073	_	_
Operating leases, net of sublease income	104,872	20,227	34,065	17,654	32,926
Asset purchase obligations	16,648	5,158	7,835	2,388	1,267
Other	60,316	19,011	9,839	8,838	22,628
Total Contractual Cash Obligations	\$3,173,653	\$714,379	\$883,293	\$922,889	\$653,092

Contractual cash obligations aggregating \$783,135,000 related to indebtedness called for redemption in 2012 are reflected in the table above in the period of their original contractual maturities.

The estimated interest expense on debt includes interest related to variable rate debt which the Company determined using rates in effect at December 31, 2011. Amounts related to the Company's pension liability (\$63,073,000) are included in the table in the less than 1 year period (\$3,000,000) and the remainder in the 1-3 years period; however, the exact timing of those cash payments is uncertain. The above amounts do not include liabilities for unrecognized tax benefits as the timing of payments, if any, is uncertain. Such amounts aggregated \$9,800,000 at December 31, 2011; for more information, see Note 19 of Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

When the Company sold its former telecommunications subsidiary, WilTel Communications Group, LLC ("WilTel") in 2005, WilTel's defined benefit pension plan was not transferred in connection with the sale. At December 31, 2011, the Company had recorded a liability of \$63,073,000 on its consolidated balance sheet for WilTel's unfunded defined benefit pension plan obligation. This amount represents the difference between the present value of amounts owed to former employees of WilTel (referred to as the projected benefit obligation) and the market value of plan assets set aside in segregated trust accounts. Since the benefits in this plan have been frozen, future changes to the unfunded benefit obligation are expected to principally result from benefit payments, changes in the market value of plan assets, differences between actuarial assumptions and actual experience and interest rates.

The Company expects to make substantial contributions to the segregated trust account for the WilTel defined benefit pension plan in the future to reduce its plan liabilities although the timing after 2012 is uncertain. The Company expects to contribute \$3,000,000 to WilTel's defined benefit pension plan in 2012. The tax deductibility of contributions is not a primary consideration, principally due to the availability of the Company's NOLs to otherwise reduce taxable income.

As of December 31, 2011, certain amounts for the WilTel plan are as follows (dollars in thousands):

Projected benefit obligation	\$251,949
Funded status – balance sheet liability at December 31, 2011	63,073
Deferred losses included in other comprehensive income (loss)	104,424

Discount rate used to determine the projected benefit obligation

4.4

%

Calculations of pension expense and projected benefit obligations are prepared by actuaries based on assumptions provided by management. These assumptions are reviewed on an annual basis, including assumptions about discount rates, interest credit rates and expected long-term rates of return on plan assets. The timing of expected future benefit payments was used in conjunction with the Citigroup Pension Discount Curve to develop a discount rate that is representative of the high quality corporate bond market.

This discount rate will be used to determine pension expense in 2012. Holding all other assumptions constant, a 0.25% change in this discount rate would affect pension expense by \$492,000 and the benefit obligation by \$9,182.000.

The deferred losses included in other comprehensive income (loss) primarily result from differences between the actual and assumed return on plan assets and changes in actuarial assumptions, including changes in discount rates and changes in interest credit rates. Deferred losses are amortized to expense if they exceed 10% of the greater of the projected benefit obligation or the market value of plan assets as of the beginning of the year; such amount aggregated \$71,131,000 at December 31, 2011. A portion of these excess deferred losses will be amortized to expense during 2012 based on an amortization period of twelve years.

The assumed long-term rates of return on plan assets are based on the investment objectives of the plan, which are more fully discussed in Note 20 of Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements

At December 31, 2011, the Company's off-balance sheet arrangements consist of guarantees and letters of credit. Pursuant to an agreement that was entered into before the Company sold CDS Holding Corporation ("CDS") to HomeFed in 2002, the Company agreed to provide project improvement bonds for the San Elijo Hills project. These bonds, which are for the benefit of the City of San Marcos, California and other government agencies, are required prior to the commencement of any development at the project. CDS is responsible for paying all third party fees related to obtaining the bonds. Should the City or others draw on the bonds for any reason, CDS and one of its subsidiaries would be obligated to reimburse the Company for the amount drawn. At December 31, 2011, the amount of outstanding bonds was \$1,224,000, almost all of which expires in 2012 and 2013.

Subsidiaries of the Company have outstanding letters of credit aggregating \$36,524,000 at December 31, 2011, principally to secure various obligations. All of these letters of credit expire before 2016.

As discussed above, the Company and Berkshire Hathaway have agreed to share equally any losses incurred under a \$2,500,000,000 surety policy and corporate guaranty issued by Berkshire Hathaway for a commercial paper program funding sponsored by Berkadia. As of December 31, 2011, the aggregate amount of commercial paper outstanding was \$2,000,000,000.

Critical Accounting Estimates

The Company's discussion and analysis of its financial condition and results of operations are based upon its consolidated financial statements, which have been prepared in accordance with GAAP. The preparation of these financial statements requires the Company to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts in the financial statements and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities. On an on-going basis, the Company evaluates all of these estimates and assumptions. The following areas have been identified as critical accounting estimates because they have the potential to have a significant impact on the Company's financial statements, and because they are based on assumptions which are used in the accounting records to reflect, at a specific point in time, events whose

ultimate outcome won't be known until a later date. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

Income Taxes – The Company records a valuation allowance to reduce its net deferred tax asset to the net amount that is more likely than not to be realized. If in the future the Company determines that it is more likely than not that the Company will be able to realize its net deferred tax asset in excess of its net recorded amount, an adjustment to increase the net deferred tax asset would increase income in such period. If in the future the Company were to determine that it would not be able to realize all or part of its recorded net deferred tax asset, an adjustment to decrease the net deferred tax asset would be charged to income in such period. The Company is required to consider all available evidence, both positive and negative, and to weight the evidence when determining whether a valuation allowance is required and the amount of such valuation allowance. Generally, greater weight is required to be placed on objectively verifiable evidence when making this assessment, in particular on recent historical operating results.

During 2010, the Company realized significant gains from the sale of certain investments, recorded significant unrealized gains in the fair values of other investments and began to experience modest improvement in the operating results in some business segments. Additionally, the Company's cumulative taxable income for recent years became a positive amount, reflecting the realized gains on the sales of ACF and Las Cruces during the fourth quarter of 2010. With this recent positive evidence the Company gave greater weight to its revised projections of future taxable income, which consider significant unrealized gains in its investment portfolio, and to its long-term historical ability to generate significant amounts of taxable income when assessing the amount of its required valuation allowance. As a result, the Company was able to conclude that it is more likely than not that it will have future taxable income sufficient to realize a significant portion of the Company's net deferred tax asset; accordingly, \$1,157,111,000 of the deferred tax valuation allowance was reversed as a credit to income tax expense on December 31, 2010. In addition to its projections of future taxable income, the Company is relying upon the sale of investments that have unrealized gains before the NOLs expire and the corresponding reversal of related deferred tax liabilities to realize a portion of its net deferred tax asset.

The Company's estimate of future taxable income considers all available evidence, both positive and negative, about its operating businesses and investments, included an aggregation of individual projections for each significant operating business and investment, estimated apportionment factors for state and local taxing jurisdictions and included all future years that the Company estimated it would have available NOLs (until 2029). The Company believes that its estimate of future taxable income is reasonable but inherently uncertain, and if its current or future operations and investments generate taxable income different than the projected amounts, further adjustments to the valuation allowance are possible. In addition to the reversal of deferred tax liabilities related to unrealized gains, the Company will need to generate approximately \$4,600,000,000 of future U.S. pre-tax income to fully realize its net deferred tax asset. The current balance of the deferred tax valuation allowance principally reserves for NOLs of certain subsidiaries that are not available to offset income generated by other members of the Company's consolidated tax return group.

The Company also records reserves for contingent tax liabilities based on the Company's assessment of the probability of successfully sustaining its tax filing positions.

Impairment of Long-Lived Assets – The Company evaluates its long-lived assets for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate, in management's judgment, that the carrying value of such assets may not be recoverable. When testing for impairment, the Company groups its long-lived assets with other assets and liabilities at the lowest level for which identifiable cash flows are largely independent of the cash flows of other assets and liabilities (or asset group). The determination of whether an asset group is recoverable is based on management's estimate of undiscounted future cash flows directly attributable to the asset group as compared to its carrying value. If the carrying amount of the asset group is greater than the undiscounted cash flows, an impairment loss would be recognized for the amount by which the carrying amount of the asset group exceeds its estimated fair value.

One of the Company's real estate subsidiaries (MB1) had been the owner and developer of a mixed use real estate project located in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. The project was comprised of a retail center with approximately 346,000 square feet of retail space, 41,000 square feet of office space and 195 residential apartment rental units. The acquisition and construction costs were funded by capital contributed by the Company and nonrecourse indebtedness with a balance of \$100,524,000 at December 31, 2010, that was collateralized by the real estate.

During the second quarter of 2009, MB1 was unable to make scheduled payments under its interest rate swap agreement and received several default notices under its bank loan. These events constituted a change in circumstances that caused the Company to evaluate whether the carrying amount of MB1's real estate asset was recoverable. The Company prepared cash flow models and utilized a discounted cash flow technique to determine the fair value of MB1's real estate. The most significant assumptions in the Company's cash flow models were the discount rate (11%) and the capitalization rate used to estimate the selling price of the retail center (9%); these rates were selected based on published reports of market conditions for similar properties. Based on its evaluation, the Company recorded an impairment charge of \$67,826,000 during the second quarter of 2009 (classified as selling, general and other expenses). Although MB1's bank loan matured in October 2009, it was not repaid since MB1 did not have sufficient funds and the Company was under no obligation to provide the funds to MB1 to pay off the loan.

During the second quarter of 2010, MB1 entered into an agreement with its lenders under which, among other things, MB1 agreed not to interfere with or oppose foreclosure proceedings and the lenders agreed to release MB1 and various guarantors of the loan. A receiver was put in place at the property, foreclosure proceedings commenced and an auction of the property was conducted; however, the Company was informed during the fourth quarter of 2010 that the highest bidder for the property failed to close. In December 2010, the Company was invited to make a bid for the property, with the condition that a foreclosure sale to the Company must close as soon as possible without any due diligence period, which new bidders for the property would require. A subsidiary of the Company offered \$19,275,000 for the property (including net working capital amounts); the offer was accepted and the foreclosure sale closed on January 7, 2011.

As a result of the failure of the initial buyer to purchase the property and the subsequent sale to the Company in 2011, the Company concluded that the carrying value of the property was further impaired at December 31, 2010; accordingly, the Company recorded an additional impairment charge in 2010 of \$47,074,000 to reflect the property at its fair value of \$18,094,000. At closing in 2011, MB1 was released from any remaining liability under the bank loan; accordingly, the remaining balance due after payment of the purchase price (\$81,848,000) was recognized in other income in 2011. Including the cash paid in the foreclosure sale, the Company's cumulative net cash investment in this project is \$85,595,000.

There were no significant impairment charges recorded during 2011. During 2010, the Company recorded impairment charges in selling, general and other expenses of \$2,357,000 for another real estate project and \$1,449,000 in the corporate segment for one of its corporate aircraft that was later sold. In 2009, the Company recorded impairment charges in selling, general and other expenses of \$2,563,000 related to its manufacturing segment (primarily Idaho Timber) and \$3,646,000 related to its real estate segment.

Current economic conditions have adversely affected most of the Company's operations and investments. A worsening of current economic conditions or a prolonged recession could cause a decline in estimated future cash flows expected to be generated by the Company's operations and investments. If future undiscounted cash flows are estimated to be less than the carrying amounts of the asset groups used to generate those cash flows in subsequent reporting periods, particularly for those with large investments in intangible assets and property and equipment (for example, beef processing, manufacturing, gaming entertainment, land based contract oil and gas drilling operations, real estate and certain associated company investments), impairment charges would have to be recorded.

Impairment of Equity Method Investments – The Company evaluates equity method investments for impairment when operating losses or other factors may indicate a decrease in value which is other than temporary. For investments in investment partnerships that are accounted for under the equity method, the Company obtains from the investment partnership financial statements, net asset values and other information on a quarterly basis and annual audited financial statements. On a quarterly basis, the Company also makes inquiries and discusses with investment managers whether there were significant procedural, valuation, composition and other changes at the investee. Since these investment partnerships record their underlying investments at fair value, after application of the equity method the carrying value of the Company's investment is equal to its share of the investees' underlying net assets at their fair values. Absent any unusual circumstances or restrictions concerning these investments, which would be separately evaluated, it is unlikely that any additional impairment charge would be required.

For equity method investments in operating businesses, the Company considers a variety of factors including economic conditions nationally and in their geographic areas of operation, adverse changes in the industry in which they operate, declines in business prospects, deterioration in earnings, increasing costs of operations and other relevant factors specific to the investee. Whenever the Company believes conditions or events indicate that one of these investments might be significantly impaired, the Company will obtain from such investee updated cash flow projections and impairment analyses of the investee assets. The Company will use this information and, together with discussions with the investee's management, evaluate if the book value of its investment exceeds its fair value, and if so and the situation is deemed other than temporary, record an impairment charge.

During the second quarter of 2009, the Company's equity in losses of Garcadia included impairment charges for goodwill and other intangible assets aggregating \$32,348,000. Garcadia's automobile dealerships had been adversely impacted by general economic conditions, and the bankruptcy filings by two of the three largest U.S. automobile manufacturers was a change in circumstances that caused Garcadia to evaluate the recoverability of its goodwill and other intangible assets. Garcadia prepared discounted cash flow projections for each of its dealerships and concluded that the carrying amount of its goodwill and other intangible assets was impaired.

Impairment of Securities – Declines in the fair value of equity securities considered to be other than temporary and declines in the fair values of debt securities related to credit losses are reflected in net securities gains (losses) in the consolidated statements of operations. The Company evaluates its investments for impairment on a quarterly basis.

The Company's determination of whether a security is other than temporarily impaired incorporates both quantitative and qualitative information; GAAP requires the exercise of judgment in making this assessment, rather than the application of fixed mathematical criteria. The various factors that the Company considers in making its determination are specific to each investment. For publicly traded debt and equity securities, the Company considers a number of factors including, but not limited to, the length of time and the extent to which the fair value has been less than cost, the financial condition and near term prospects of the issuer, the reason for the decline in fair value, changes in fair value subsequent to the balance sheet date, the ability and intent to hold investments to maturity, and other factors specific to the individual investment. For investments in private equity funds and non-public securities, the Company bases its determination upon financial statements, net asset values and/or other information obtained from fund managers or investee companies.

The Company recorded the following impairment charges for securities in the consolidated statement of operations during the three year period ended December 31, 2011 (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009
Publicly traded securities	\$3,243	\$-	\$14,384
Non-public securities and private equity funds	8	767	2,224
Non-agency mortgage-backed bond securitizations	335	1,707	14,812
Totals	\$3,586	\$2,474	\$31,420

The Company's assessment involves a high degree of judgment and accordingly, actual results may differ significantly from the Company's estimates and judgments.

Credit Quality of Financing Receivables and Allowance for Credit Losses – The Company's operating subsidiaries do not provide financing to their customers in the ordinary course of business. However, the Company does have the FMG Note, which had a balance of \$40,801,000 at December 31, 2011, that meets the accounting definition of a finance receivable. The Company exercises judgment in evaluating the credit risk and collectability of this note. This assessment was made prior to the inception of the credit exposure and continues to be made at regular intervals. The various factors that the Company considers in making its assessment include the current and projected financial condition of FMG, the Company's collection experience and the length of time until the note becomes due. As a result of its assessment, the Company concluded that an allowance for credit losses was not required as of December 31, 2011.

Business Combinations – At acquisition, the Company allocates the cost of a business acquisition to the specific tangible and intangible assets acquired and liabilities assumed based upon their fair values. Significant judgments and estimates are often made by the Company's management to determine these values, and may include the use of appraisals, consideration of market quotes for similar transactions, use of discounted cash flow techniques or consideration of other information the Company believes to be relevant. The finalization of the purchase price allocation will typically take a number of months to complete, and if final values are significantly different from initially recorded amounts adjustments to prior periods may be required. Any excess of the cost of a business acquisition over the fair values of the net assets and liabilities acquired is recorded as goodwill, which is not amortized to expense. If the fair values of the net assets and liabilities acquired are greater than the purchase price, the excess is treated as a bargain purchase and recognized in income. Recorded goodwill of a reporting unit is required to be tested for impairment on an annual basis, and between annual testing dates if events or circumstances change that would more likely than not reduce the fair value of a reporting unit below its net book value. At December 31, 2011, the book value of goodwill was \$18,119,000 and was not impaired.

Subsequent to the finalization of the purchase price allocation, any adjustments to the recorded values of acquired assets and liabilities would be reflected in the Company's consolidated statement of operations. Once final, the Company is not permitted to revise the allocation of the original purchase price, even if subsequent events or circumstances prove the Company's original judgments and estimates to be inaccurate. In addition, long-lived assets recorded in a business combination like property and equipment, intangibles and goodwill may be deemed to be impaired in the future resulting in the recognition of an impairment loss. The assumptions and judgments made by the Company when recording business combinations will have an impact on reported results of operations for many years into the future.

In December 2011, the Company acquired 78.9% of National Beef and it became a consolidated subsidiary of the Company. The preliminary allocation of the purchase price included \$446,166,000 to property, equipment and leasehold improvements, \$809,569,000 to amortizable intangible assets, \$8,915,000 to goodwill, \$269,395,000 to net working capital accounts, \$357,529,000 to long-term debt and \$304,356,000 to redeemable non-controlling interests.

To assist the Company's management in its determination of the fair value of National Beef's property and equipment, identifiable intangible assets and equity value, the Company engaged an independent valuation and appraisal firm. The methods used by the Company's management to determine the fair values included estimating National Beef's business enterprise value through the use of a discounted cash flow analysis. Property and equipment asset valuations included an analysis of depreciated replacement cost and current market prices. The Company considered several factors to determine the fair value of property and equipment, including local market conditions, recent market transactions, the size, age, condition, utility and character of the property, the estimated cost to acquire replacement property, an estimate of depreciation from use and functional obsolescence and the remaining expected useful life of the assets.

Amounts allocated to product inventories were principally based on quoted commodity prices on the acquisition date. For other components of working capital, the historical carrying values approximated fair values. National Beef's long-term debt principally consists of its senior credit facility payable to its bank group, which was renegotiated in June 2011. In December 2011, the lenders consented to the acquisition as required by the credit facility, and to certain other amendments to the facility's covenants; the pricing of the credit facility remained the same. In addition to these factors, the Company also analyzed changes in market interest rates from June 2011 and concluded that the principal amount due under the credit facility approximated its fair value on the acquisition date.

The fair value of certain pre-existing redeemable noncontrolling interests was the amount paid to redeem such interests immediately after the Company's acquisition of its controlling interest in National Beef. The fair value of other redeemable noncontrolling interests was determined based upon the purchase price paid by the Company for its interest.

During 2006, the Company acquired a 30% limited liability company interest in Keen for aggregate consideration of \$60,000,000, excluding expenses, and agreed to lend to Keen, on a senior secured basis, up to \$126,000,000 to finance new rig equipment purchases and construction costs and to repay existing debt. During 2007, the Company increased its equity interest to 50% for additional payments aggregating \$45,000,000. In addition, the credit facility was amended to increase the borrowing capacity to \$138,500,000, and the Company provided Keen with two additional secured credit facilities aggregating \$60,000,000. When the Company increased its investment in Keen to 50%, the terms of the limited liability agreement were amended to provide that in the event of a dissolution, liquidation or termination of Keen, available cash or assets would first be used to pay all of Keen's debts (including loans made by the Company), then distributed to the Company as a liquidation preference until it had received a return of its equity investment (\$105,000,000), before any payments were made to the other equity owner of Keen.

During 2009, the Company believes it became apparent to the other equity owner of Keen that Keen would not be able to make scheduled debt payments to the Company, and that the resulting payment default could result in a liquidation of Keen. In that event, the Company's liquidation preference over equity distributions would result in very little, if any, distributions to the other equity owner of Keen. In November 2009, the Company purchased the other 50% equity interest that it did not own plus a secured note payable to the other equity owner of Keen for aggregate cash consideration of \$15,000,000. The Company believes it was able to acquire the remaining 50% equity interest at this distressed price because of the expected payment default on Keen's senior secured debt owed to the Company and the Company's preferred equity distribution in the event Keen was liquidated.

When the Company acquired the controlling interest in Keen it became a consolidated subsidiary; prior to that time the investment in Keen was classified as an investment in an associated company. Under GAAP, upon consolidation the Company was required to record Keen's assets and liabilities at fair value, and was required to adjust the carrying value of the Company's equity investment immediately prior to the acquisition to fair value. Due to the unique circumstances surrounding the Company's 2009 acquisition described above, the fair value of the net assets acquired

exceeded the amount paid by \$49,345,000; the bargain purchase was recognized as a gain on the date of acquisition and included in investment and other income. However, the fair value of the Company's equity interest immediately prior to the acquisition was less than its \$85,889,000 carrying value; accordingly the Company included a charge of \$36,544,000 in income (losses) related to associated companies to write down the pre-acquisition carrying value of its investment in Keen to fair value.

Use of Fair Value Estimates – Under GAAP, fair value is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. Further, a fair value hierarchy prioritizes inputs to valuation techniques into three broad levels. The fair value hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1), the next priority to inputs that don't qualify as Level 1 inputs but are nonetheless observable, either directly or indirectly, for the particular asset or liability (Level 2), and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3).

Over 92% of the Company's investment portfolio is classified as available for sale securities, which are carried at estimated fair value in the Company's consolidated balance sheet. The estimated fair values are principally based on publicly quoted market prices (Level 1 inputs), which can rise or fall in reaction to a wide variety of factors or events, and as such are subject to market-related risks and uncertainties. The Company has a segregated portfolio of mortgage pass-through certificates issued by U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprises (FHLMC or FNMA), which are carried on the balance sheet at their estimated fair value of \$622,191,000 at December 31, 2011. Although the markets that these types of securities trade in are generally active, market prices are not always available for the identical security. The fair value of these investments are based on observable market data including benchmark yields, reported trades, issuer spreads, benchmark securities, bids and offers. These estimates of fair value are considered to be Level 2 inputs, and the amounts realized from the disposition of these investments has not been significantly different from their estimated fair values.

The Company also has a segregated portfolio of non-agency mortgage-backed securities which are carried on the balance sheet at their estimated fair value of \$39,839,000 at December 31, 2011. Although these securities trade in brokered markets, the market for these securities is sometimes inactive. The fair values of these investments are based on bid and ask prices, quotes obtained from independent market makers and pricing services. These estimates of fair values are also considered to be Level 2 inputs.

Contingencies – The Company accrues for contingent losses when the contingent loss is probable and the amount of loss can be reasonably estimated. Estimates of the likelihood that a loss will be incurred and of contingent loss amounts normally require significant judgment by management, can be highly subjective and are subject to significant change with the passage of time as more information becomes available. Estimating the ultimate impact of litigation matters is inherently uncertain, in particular because the ultimate outcome will rest on events and decisions of others that may not be within the power of the Company to control. The Company does not believe that any of its current litigation will have a significant adverse effect on its consolidated financial position, results of operations or liquidity; however, if amounts paid at the resolution of litigation are in excess of recorded reserve amounts, the excess could be significant in relation to results of operations for that period. As of December 31, 2011, the Company's accrual for contingent losses was not significant.

Results of Operations

Substantially all of the Company's operating businesses sell products or services that are impacted by general economic conditions in the U.S. and to a lesser extent internationally. Poor general economic conditions have reduced the demand for products or services sold by the Company's operating subsidiaries and/or resulted in reduced pricing for products or services. Troubled industry sectors, like the residential real estate market, have had an adverse direct impact not only on the Company's real estate segments, but have also had an adverse indirect impact on some of the Company's other operating segments, including manufacturing and gaming entertainment. The discussions below concerning revenue and profitability by segment consider current economic conditions and the impact such conditions have had and may continue to have on each segment; however, should general economic conditions worsen and/or if the country experiences a prolonged recession, the Company believes that all of its businesses would be adversely impacted.

A summary of results of continuing operations for the Company for the three years in the period ended December 31, 2011 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011		2010		2009	
Income (loss) from continuing operations before						
income taxes and income (losses) related to						
associated companies:						
Manufacturing:						
Idaho Timber	\$(3,787)	\$547		\$(12,680)
Conwed Plastics	5,916		8,803		11,578	
Oil and Gas Drilling Services	3,533		(13,937)	46,738	
Gaming Entertainment	12,616		(2,159)	2,379	
Domestic Real Estate	80,919		(54,935)	(71,298)
Medical Product Development	(42,696)	(25,443)	(23,818)
Other Operations	(24,374)	(17,487)	(26,434)
Corporate	648,861		473,614		(167,619)
Total consolidated income (loss) from continuing						
operations before income taxes and income						
(losses) related to associated companies	680,988		369,003		(241,154)
Income (losses) related to associated companies						
before income taxes	(612,362)	375,021		805,803	
Total consolidated income from						
continuing operations before income taxes	68,626		744,024		564,649	
Income taxes:						
Income (loss) from continuing operations before						
income (losses) related to associated companies	(270,253)	1,139,318	}	(7,108)
Associated companies	218,321		5,745		(25,567)
Total income taxes	(51,932)	1,145,063	,	(32,675)
Income from continuing operations	\$16,694		\$1,889,087	,	\$531,974	

Manufacturing – Idaho Timber

A summary of results of operations for Idaho Timber for the three years in the period ended December 31, 2011 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009
Revenues and other income	\$159,026	\$172,908	\$142,709
Expenses:			
Cost of sales	150,651	159,689	140,428
Salaries and incentive compensation	5,390	5,938	5,575
Depreciation and amortization	4,136	4,138	4,317
Selling, general and other expenses	2,636	2,596	5,069
	162,813	172,361	155,389

Income (loss) before income taxes

\$(3,787) \$547

\$(12,680

Idaho Timber's revenues for 2011 decreased as compared to 2010; shipment volume and average selling prices decreased 6% and 2%, respectively. Idaho Timber believes that the abundance of existing homes available for sale in the market and high unemployment will continue to negatively impact housing starts and Idaho Timber's revenues. Until housing starts substantially increase, annual dimension lumber shipping volume may remain flat or could further decline.

Idaho Timber's revenues for 2010 increased as compared to 2009; shipment volume and average selling prices increased approximately 3% and 17%, respectively. Idaho Timber believes that the increase in revenues for 2010 primarily reflected customers replenishing dimension lumber inventory levels during the first half of the year that had been reduced during the recession, an increase in housing starts in the first half of 2010 prior to the expiration of the federal government's home buyers' tax credits program, a more balanced supply of lumber in the marketplace relative to demand and an increase in demand for certain of Idaho Timber's products.

Raw material costs, the largest component of cost of sales (approximately 81% of cost of sales), reflect the lower shipment volume in 2011 as compared to 2010. Raw material cost per thousand board feet was largely unchanged in 2011 as compared to 2010. Raw material costs reflect the greater shipment volume and increased costs in 2010 as compared to 2009. Raw material cost per thousand board feet increased approximately 15% in 2010 as compared to 2009, which was caused by reduced supply due to increased low-grade lumber exports and greater demand. The difference between Idaho Timber's selling price and raw material cost per thousand board feet (spread) is closely monitored, and the rate of change in pricing and cost is not necessarily the same. Idaho Timber's spread decreased approximately 14% in 2011 as compared to the prior year; the spread in 2010 increased by 29% as compared to the prior year. Cost of sales during 2009 also included charges of \$1,427,000 to reduce the carrying value of certain timber deed contracts.

Manufacturing – Conwed Plastics

A summary of results of operations for Conwed Plastics for the three years in the period ended December 31, 2011 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009
Revenues and other income	\$85,961	\$87,073	\$82,094
Expenses:			
Cost of sales	65,312	64,614	56,539
Salaries and incentive compensation	6,092	6,493	6,740
Depreciation and amortization	301	327	318
Selling, general and other expenses	8,340	6,836	6,919
	80,045	78,270	70,516
Income before income taxes	\$5,916	\$8,803	\$11,578

Conwed Plastics' revenues decreased in 2011 as compared to 2010, primarily reflecting declines in the housing, construction and filtration markets. The ongoing slump in the domestic housing and construction industries has continued to unfavorably impact Conwed Plastics' revenues, and the drop in filtration product revenues in 2011 reflects greater sales during 2010 related to the 2010 gulf oil spill. In addition, revenues in some markets declined due to tighter inventory control by certain customers, loss of customers to competitors and general economic conditions. The turf, erosion control and agricultural markets reflect increased revenues during 2011, principally due to increases in market share and new customers.

Conwed Plastics' revenues increased in 2010 as compared to 2009 primarily in the erosion control, filtration, consumer products and turf reinforcement markets. While Conwed Plastics saw signs of improved economic conditions in those markets and benefited from certain new product launches and new uses of its products, its results continued to be negatively impacted by competitive pressures and customers closely managing their inventory.

The primary raw material in Conwed Plastics' products is a polypropylene resin, which is a byproduct of the oil refining process, whose price has historically fluctuated with the price of oil. Global demand for raw materials has also resulted in higher prices for polypropylene. Prices for polypropylene resin increased substantially in each annual period as compared to the preceding year, which adversely affected gross margin. The volatility of oil and natural gas prices along with current general economic conditions worldwide make it difficult to predict future raw material costs. Conwed Plastics believes that the increased competition for raw materials by foreign nations have and will continue to adversely impact raw material costs. In addition, gross margins declined in 2011 due to changes in product mix and in 2010 due to greater amortization expense for intangible assets.

Selling, general and other expenses in 2011 include losses of \$1,404,000 related to the loss of a major customer and the sale of the plant in Mexico, and \$634,000 of severance costs and professional fees related to employment matters.

Oil and Gas Drilling Services

A summary of results of operations for Keen for the years ended December 31, 2011 and 2010 and for the period from the date of acquisition (November 2009) through December 31, 2009 is as follows (in thousands). As more fully discussed above, prior to the date of acquisition Keen was accounted for under the equity method of accounting.

	2011	2010	2009
Revenues and other income	\$136,146	\$116,560	\$60,459
Expenses:			
Direct operating expenses	100,639	93,281	8,830
Interest	137	1,234	188
Salaries and incentive compensation	4,834	3,406	398
Depreciation and amortization	21,051	25,447	3,103
Selling, general and other expenses	5,952	7,129	1,202
	132,613	130,497	13,721
Income (loss) before income taxes	\$3,533	\$(13,937) \$46,738

Keen's revenue volume and profitability are significantly affected by the actual and anticipated price of natural gas and oil, levels of natural gas and oil in storage and the supply of drilling rigs available in the marketplace. The exploration and production industry is cyclical and the level of exploration and production activity has historically been very volatile. During periods of lower levels of drilling activity, price competition for drilling services tends to increase, which may result in reduced revenues and profitability; conversely, during periods of increased drilling activity, drilling rigs are in demand often resulting in higher prices and contractual commitments from customers to obtain exclusive use of a particular rig for a longer term. Keen's rig utilization and dayrates increased substantially during 2011 as compared to 2010, as the negative impact of low natural gas prices was mitigated by a greater proportion of Keen's customers using its rigs to drill for oil rather than natural gas. In January 2011, Keen sold its 12 older mechanical rigs and recognized a gain of \$937,000. During 2010, these 12 rigs generated revenues of \$20,733,000.

Although Keen's rig utilization and dayrates increased throughout 2010, its revenues and profitability were adversely impacted by continued low natural gas prices and high levels of natural gas in storage. The negative impact of lower natural gas prices was partially offset by an increasing proportion of Keen's customers using its rigs to drill for oil rather than natural gas. Keen's revenues and profitability during 2009 were adversely affected by the same factors as during 2010, as well as by tight credit markets, which forced many of its customers to make significant reductions in their drilling programs. Revenues and other income for 2009 also reflect a gain of \$49,345,000 resulting from the bargain purchase, as more fully discussed above.

Direct operating expenses reflected \$31,930,000 and \$30,774,000 in 2011 and 2010, respectively, of costs incurred for major maintenance and repair projects and, primarily in 2010, to make certain of its rigs operational following periods when they were not in use. Keen believes that as its rigs age, the cost to maintain and repair its equipment will increase. Direct operating expenses also reflected \$2,968,000 of greater salaries and bonuses in 2011 as compared to 2010, primarily due to wage increases, and \$2,680,000 of greater employee benefits, insurance and other compensation related costs. Salaries and incentive compensation expense increased in 2011 as compared to 2010, primarily due to greater accrued incentive bonus expense. Depreciation and amortization expense declined in 2011 as compared to 2010 principally due to the sale of certain rigs discussed above.

Gaming Entertainment

A summary of results of operations for Premier for the three years in the period ended December 31, 2011 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009
Revenues and other income	\$117,238	\$114,809	\$103,583
Expenses:			
Direct operating expenses	84,795	83,075	79,452
Interest	33	244	489
Salaries and incentive compensation	2,460	2,459	1,977
Depreciation and amortization	16,785	16,657	16,532
Selling, general and other expenses	549	14,533	2,754
·	104,622	116,968	101,204
Income (loss) before income taxes	\$12,616	\$(2,159) \$2,379

Premier's gaming revenues increased 3% in 2011 as compared to 2010, principally due to slot machine revenue, which increased due to customer loyalty programs and enhancements, offset in part by a larger amount of table games payouts. During 2011, overall gaming revenues for the entire Biloxi market declined slightly as compared to 2010. Premier's gaming revenues for 2010 increased approximately 12% as compared to 2009, while the local gaming market was largely unchanged. Premier implemented new and enhanced customer loyalty programs, which it believes was the primary reason for the growth in its gaming revenues and market share.

The increase in direct operating expenses in 2011 as compared to 2010 primarily reflects greater marketing and promotional costs. The increase in direct operating expenses in 2010 as compared to 2009 primarily reflects greater gaming taxes and marketing and promotional costs.

Selling, general and other expenses for 2010 include a loss for the award of \$11,200,000, including interest, to the former holders of Premier's bond debt as a result of a decision by the Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Mississippi. The Premier noteholders had argued that they were entitled to liquidated damages under the indenture governing the notes, and as such were entitled to more than the amount paid to them when Premier emerged from bankruptcy in 2007. Premier filed a notice of appeal of the Bankruptcy Court's decision and no amounts were paid while the appeal was pending. In April 2011, Premier entered into an agreement to settle the litigation with its former noteholders for \$9,000,000. As a result, Premier reduced the liability for the award and credited selling, general and other expenses for \$2,241,000 in 2011. All litigation with respect to Premier's chapter 11 restructuring has been settled.

Domestic Real Estate

A summary of results of operations for the domestic real estate segment for the three years in the period ended December 31, 2011 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009
Revenues and other income	\$96,501	\$17,075	\$30,637
Expenses:			
Interest	34	2,034	2,322
Depreciation and amortization	3,461	6,163	8,408
Other operating expenses, including impairment			
charges described below	12,087	63,813	91,205
	15,582	72,010	101,935
Income (loss) before income taxes	\$80,919	\$(54,935) \$(71,298)

Pre-tax results for the domestic real estate segment are largely dependent upon the performance of the segment's operating properties, the current status of the Company's real estate development projects and non-recurring gains or losses recognized when real estate assets are sold. As a result, pre-tax results for this segment for any particular period are not predictable and do not follow any consistent pattern.

Revenues and other income in 2011 period include a gain on forgiveness of debt of \$81,848,000 related to the Myrtle Beach project. As is more fully discussed above, in January 2011 a subsidiary of the Company paid \$19,275,000 to the lenders of the Myrtle Beach project in full satisfaction of the project's non-recourse indebtedness, which had a balance of \$100,524,000 at December 31, 2010. The Company had previously recorded impairment charges which reduced the carrying amount of this project of \$47,074,000 in 2010 and \$67,826,000 in 2009.

The Company did not have any major real estate sales during 2011 and 2010; revenues and other income for 2009 include real estate sales of \$12,422,000. Revenues and other income in 2010 include a gain of \$1,200,000 for the favorable settlement of an insurance claim and a lawsuit, and in 2009 include \$962,000 of income related to the accounting for the mark-to-market value of an interest rate derivative relating to the Myrtle Beach project's debt obligation.

Other operating expenses also include impairment charges for real estate projects of \$2,357,000 and \$3,646,000 in 2010 and 2009, respectively. In 2009 other operating expenses also include a charge of \$1,444,000 representing the net book value of land and buildings that was contributed to a local municipality and \$1,787,000 for the periodic net

settlement amount for the interest rate derivative.

Residential property sales volume, prices and new building starts have declined significantly in many U.S. markets, including markets in which the Company has real estate projects. The slowdown in residential sales has been exacerbated by the turmoil in the mortgage lending and credit markets during the past few years, which has resulted in stricter lending standards and reduced liquidity for prospective home buyers. The Company has deferred its development plans for certain of its real estate development projects, and is not actively soliciting bids for its fully developed projects. The Company intends to wait for market conditions to improve before marketing certain of its projects for sale.

Medical Product Development

A summary of results of operations for Sangart for the three years in the period ended December 31, 2011 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009	
Revenues and other income	\$378	\$123	\$5,147	
Expenses:				
Salaries and incentive compensation	12,415	9,710	9,641	
Depreciation and amortization	845	870	836	
Selling, general and other expenses	29,814	14,986	18,488	
·	43,074	25,566	28,965	
Loss before income taxes	\$(42,696) \$(25,443) \$(23,818)

Revenues and other income for 2009 include \$5,000,000 of insurance proceeds received upon the death of Sangart's former chief executive officer. Sangart's selling, general and other expenses include research and development costs of \$22,130,000, \$5,428,000 and \$3,487,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively. The increase in research and development costs in 2011 primarily related to preparation for and commencement of a larger Phase 2 clinical study of MP4OX in trauma patients, as well as \$10,000,000 related to a new patent license.

Sangart's results reflect charges (reductions) to selling, general and other expenses of \$(4,447,000), \$261,000 and \$3,102,000 in 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively, related to share-based awards previously granted to a former officer. The fair value of these share-based awards increased during 2009 and 2010 but declined during 2011; accordingly, in 2011 Sangart reduced the liability and credited selling, general and other expenses. Salaries and incentive compensation expense increased in 2011 principally due to higher headcount.

Selling, general and other expenses in 2010 reflect \$859,000 of lower professional fees, \$734,000 of decreased costs for severance and \$700,000 of greater royalty expense than for 2009. Selling, general and other expenses for 2009 included \$1,892,000 of charges for manufacturing facility design costs that Sangart did not expect to use.

Sangart is a development stage company that does not have any revenues from product sales. During 2010, Sangart completed a Phase 2 proof of concept clinical trial of MP4OX in trauma patients in Europe and South Africa. Study results were considered to be successful and supported the conduct of a larger Phase 2 clinical study in trauma patients, which commenced in the second quarter of 2011. If this larger Phase 2 study were to be successful, Sangart would have to conduct Phase 3 clinical studies in trauma patients. Completing these studies will take several years at substantial cost, and until they are successfully completed, if ever, Sangart will not be able to request marketing

approval and generate revenues from sales in the trauma market. Sangart also recently commenced a Phase 1b clinical study involving its MP4CO product to treat sickle cell disease patients. If this Phase 1b study were to be successful, Sangart would have to conduct Phase 2 and Phase 3 clinical studies in sickle cell disease patients, at substantial cost, prior to requesting marketing approval for the product. The Company is unable to predict when, if ever, it will report operating profits for this segment.

Other Operations

A summary of results of operations for other operations for the three years in the period ended December 31, 2011 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009
Revenues and other income	\$69,038	\$67,119	\$51,764
Expenses:			
Interest	1	12	31
Salaries and incentive compensation	8,930	8,445	8,339
Depreciation and amortization	5,605	4,094	4,840
Selling, general and other expenses	78,876	72,055	64,988
	93,412	84,606	78,198
Loss before income taxes	\$(24,374) \$(17,487) \$(26,434)

Other income for 2011 and 2010 includes \$5,366,000 and \$11,143,000, respectively, with respect to government grants to reimburse the Company for certain of its prior expenditures related to energy projects, which were fully expensed as incurred. The change in revenues and other income for 2011 and 2010 also reflects \$14,592,000 and \$2,834,000, respectively, of increased revenues at the winery operations. The change in revenues and other income for 2011 also reflect \$4,540,000 of less income from a property rental business and \$2,303,000 less income from purchased delinquent credit card receivables.

Selling, general and other expenses include \$33,606,000, \$26,776,000 and \$23,546,000 for 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively, related to the investigation and evaluation of energy projects (principally professional fees and other costs). Selling, general and other expenses for 2010 also reflect \$4,326,000 for other operations' portion of a settlement charge in connection with the termination and settlement of the Company's frozen defined benefit pension plan, and a \$3,000,000 charge for a settlement with certain insurance companies. The change in selling, general and other expenses for 2011 and 2010 as compared to the prior year also reflects \$12,152,000 and \$2,102,000, respectively, of greater costs at the winery operations, and for 2011 \$1,412,000 of lower costs at the property rental business. Selling, general and other expenses also include charges of \$1,513,000 and \$4,712,000 for 2010 and 2009, respectively, at the winery operations to reduce the carrying amount of wine inventory.

Corporate

A summary of results of operations for corporate for the three years in the period ended December 31, 2011 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009
Revenues and other income (including net			
securities gains (losses))	\$906,480	\$744,337	\$98,815
Expenses:			
Interest	111,672	121,285	125,724
Salaries and incentive compensation	41,425	60,464	45,659
Depreciation and amortization	23,296	20,979	18,441
Selling, general and other expenses	81,226	67,995	76,610
	257,619	270,723	266,434
Income (loss) before income taxes	\$648,861	\$473,614	\$(167,619)

Net securities gains (losses) for Corporate aggregated \$641,480,000, \$179,494,000 and \$(21,106,000) for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively. Net securities gains (losses) include gains of \$628,197,000 and \$94,918,000 for 2011 and 2010, respectively, resulting from the sale of a portion of the Company's investment in the common shares of Fortescue, and in 2010 include a gain of \$66,200,000 from the sale of the Company's investment in LPH. Net securities gains (losses) are net of impairment charges of \$3,586,000, \$2,474,000 and \$31,420,000 during 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively. The Company's decision to sell securities and realize security gains or losses is generally based on its evaluation of an individual security's value at the time, the prospect for changes in its value in the future and/or the Company's liquidity needs. The decision could also be influenced by the status of the Company's tax attributes. The timing of realized security gains or losses is not predictable and does not follow any pattern from year to year.

Investment income increased \$23,008,000 in 2011 as compared to 2010, principally due to cash dividends of \$13,726,000 paid on Fortescue's common shares and greater investment income due to a larger amount of fixed income securities. Investment income declined \$5,075,000 in 2010 as compared to 2009 principally due to lower interest rates.

Other income, which decreased \$322,851,000 in 2011 as compared to 2010 and increased \$449,997,000 in 2010 as compared to 2009, includes \$214,455,000, \$149,257,000 and \$66,079,000 for 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively, related to Fortescue's Pilbara iron ore and infrastructure project in Western Australia. The Company is entitled to receive 4% of the revenue, net of government royalties, invoiced from certain areas of Fortescue's project, which commenced production in May 2008. Depreciation and amortization expenses include prepaid mining interest amortization of \$11,800,000, \$9,943,000 and \$7,293,000 for 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively, which is being amortized over time in proportion to the amount of ore produced. Other income in 2010 includes a gain on the sale of Las Cruces of \$383,369,000, as discussed above. Other income for 2010 and 2009 also includes gains for legal settlements of \$2,107,000 and \$10,453,000, respectively, and for 2009 gains of \$6,693,000 on the repurchase of certain of the Company's debt securities.

The decrease in interest expense primarily reflects decreased interest expense as a result of conversions of certain of the 3¾% Convertible Senior Subordinated Notes during 2009 and, as discussed above, repurchases of certain of the Company's debt securities during each of the last three years.

The change in salaries and incentive compensation for 2011 as compared to 2010 is principally due to lower accrued incentive bonus expense of \$37,558,000, of which \$23,459,000 related to the Company's Senior Executive Annual Incentive Bonus Plan, partially offset by greater share-based compensation expense. The change in salaries and incentive compensation for 2010 as compared to 2009 reflects greater accrued incentive bonus expense of \$22,253,000, of which \$5,600,000 related to the Company's Senior Executive Annual Incentive Bonus Plan, and lower share-based compensation expense. Bonus accruals under Senior Executive Annual Incentive Bonus Plan are based on a percentage of pre-tax profits as defined in the plan. Other Corporate incentive bonuses are discretionary and not determined based on any mathematical formula. The Company recorded share-based compensation expense relating to grants made under the Company's senior executive warrant plan and the fixed stock option plan of \$23,019,000, \$4,067,000 and \$10,905,000 in 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively. Share-based compensation expense increased in 2011 as compared to 2010 principally due to the warrants granted under the Company's senior executive warrant plan in the second quarter of 2011. Share-based compensation expense declined for 2010 as compared to 2009 due to the warrants previously granted under the Company's senior executive warrant plan becoming fully vested.

Selling, general and other expenses include expenses related to the repurchase of certain of the Company's debt securities of \$6,352,000 and \$5,138,000 in 2011 and 2010, respectively. Selling, general and other expenses include costs for the investigation of investment opportunities and fees due for consummated transactions of \$18,820,000 and \$3,377,000 in 2011 and 2010, respectively, including \$14,834,000 related to the acquisition of National Beef in 2011. Selling, general and other expenses for 2010 include \$8,403,000 for Corporate's portion of the defined benefit pension plan settlement charge and an impairment charge of \$1,449,000 for a corporate aircraft. Selling, general and other expenses for 2011 as compared to 2010 also reflects greater severance expense of \$1,342,000, increased insurance expense of \$1,326,000 and higher corporate aircraft expense of \$1,029,000. The change in selling, general and other expenses during 2010 as compared to 2009 also reflects \$28,300,000 of expenses incurred during 2009 related to the induced conversion of certain of the 3¾% Convertible Senior Subordinated Notes and higher corporate aircraft expense of \$1,770,000 during 2010.

As discussed above, the income tax provision for 2010 reflects a credit of \$1,157,111,000 as a result of the reversal of a portion of the valuation allowance for the net deferred tax asset. The Company adjusted the valuation allowance since it believes it is more likely than not that it will have future taxable income sufficient to realize a substantial portion of the net deferred tax asset. The tax provision for 2011 and 2010 also includes state and foreign income taxes, including withholding taxes on the FMG Note interest, of \$21,445,000 and \$14,926,000, respectively.

As of December 31, 2009, the Company had a full valuation allowance against its net federal deferred tax asset, including its available NOLs. As a result, the Company did not record any regular federal income tax expense for the year ended December 31, 2009. However, the Company had significant unrealized security gains reflected in accumulated other comprehensive income and in income related to associated companies. If these gains were realized, the Company would be able to use its NOLs to fully offset the federal income taxes that would be due, but the Company would have to pay federal minimum taxes. Although the payment of federal minimum taxes generates a minimum tax credit carryover, it would be fully reserved for in the net deferred tax asset valuation allowance. Accordingly, for the year ended December 31, 2009, the Company recorded provisions for deferred federal minimum taxes payable of \$22,678,000 and \$11,594,000 in accumulated other comprehensive income and income related to associated companies, respectively. In addition, income tax expense for the year ended December 31, 2009 includes state and foreign income taxes, including withholding taxes on the FMG Note interest of \$10,655,000.

The Worker, Homeownership, and Business Assistance Act of 2009 provided taxpayers a special election for extended net operating loss carryback benefits, and with respect to any net operating loss for which the election was made, eliminated the limitation that applies to using the NOL to reduce alternative minimum taxable income. In 2010,

the Internal Revenue Service provided additional guidance with respect to application of the law, and the Company made the election with respect to its 2008 NOL. As a result, approximately \$1,940,000,000 of the NOLs referred to above can be used to fully offset federal minimum taxable income, and no federal regular or minimum income tax would be payable on such income. During 2010, the Company reversed deferred federal minimum tax liabilities which had been recorded in prior periods of \$11,594,000 to income related to associated companies and \$22,678,000 to accumulated other comprehensive income.

The income tax provision reflects the reversal of tax reserves aggregating \$600,000 and \$2,000,000 for the years ended December 31, 2010 and 2009, respectively, as a result of the expiration of the applicable statute of limitations and the favorable resolution of various state and federal income tax contingencies.

Associated Companies

Income (losses) related to associated companies includes the following for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009 (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009	
Jefferies	\$(668,282)	\$157,873	\$469,820	
Mueller	(6,093)	_	_	
ACF	_	183,572	376,490	
Berkadia	29,033	16,166	20,811	
Garcadia	19,996	14,424	(25,668)
ЈНҮН	11,211	20,053	37,249	
Linkem	(2,243)	_	_	
HomeFed	1,410	1,108	882	
Keen	_	_	(45,475)
Las Cruces	_	(16,159) 1,046	
Other	2,606	(2,016) (29,352)
Income (losses) related to associated				
companies before income taxes	(612,362)	375,021	805,803	
Income tax (expense) benefit	218,321	5,745	(25,567)
Income (losses) related to associated				
companies, net of taxes	\$(394,041)	\$380,766	\$780,236	

The Company elected the fair value option to account for its investments in Jefferies, Mueller and ACF, with changes in market values reflected directly in earnings. The Company sold its investment in ACF in 2010.

Berkadia acquired its commercial mortgage origination and servicing business pursuant to an Asset Put Agreement ("APA") entered into between Berkadia and the seller in September 2009. The seller paid Berkadia \$40,000,000 for the right to require Berkadia to purchase the business pursuant to the terms of the APA. The seller subsequently filed for bankruptcy protection under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code and exercised the put option. Although there were other parties interested in purchasing portions of the commercial mortgage origination and servicing business, Berkadia's offer was the only offer for the entire business, which eliminated the seller's risk of having to dispose of the remaining business. In addition, Berkadia's offer included a provision to hire the employees operating the business, thereby saving the seller material employment related expenses.

Berkadia applied the acquisition method to account for the purchase and recorded the assets and liabilities acquired at fair value, which were principally mortgage servicing rights, mortgage loans and servicer advances. The fair values of the net assets acquired exceeded the amount paid, principally due to the amount received as a put premium and the reasons identified above. The excess was treated as a bargain purchase and recognized as a gain on the date of acquisition. The Company's share of the bargain purchase gain was \$24,423,000, which is reflected in the table for 2009.

The Company's equity in losses of Garcadia for 2009 includes impairment charges for goodwill and other intangible assets aggregating \$32,348,000.

The Company owns approximately 31.4% of HomeFed, a California real estate development company, which it acquired in 2002. The Company's share of HomeFed's reported earnings fluctuates with the level of real estate sales activity at HomeFed's development projects.

The Company's equity in losses of Keen includes impairment charges of \$36,544,000 in 2009. Keen became a consolidated subsidiary in November 2009.

The Company's equity investment in Las Cruces was sold in 2010.

Discontinued Operations

Domestic Real Estate

In August 2010 the Company sold its operating retail shopping center in Long Island, New York and recorded a pre-tax and after tax gain on sale of discontinued operations of \$4,526,000. Historical operating results for this business were not significant.

Property Management and Services

In September 2010 the Company sold ResortQuest, recognized a pre-tax and after tax gain on sale of discontinued operations of \$35,367,000 and classified its historical operating results as a discontinued operation. Pre-tax income of ResortQuest was \$13,552,000 for the year ended December 31, 2010 and was not significant in 2009.

Telecommunications

In October 2010 the Company sold STi Prepaid, recognized a pre-tax and after-tax gain on sale of discontinued operations of \$21,104,000 and classified its historical operating results as a discontinued operation. During 2011, additional final payments were received from the buyer and the Company recognized a gain from discontinued operations of \$9,669,000. Pre-tax income of STi Prepaid was \$1,863,000 and \$354,000 for the years ended December 31, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

Other Operations

In 2010 the Company classified its power production business that burns waste biomass to produce electricity as a held for sale discontinued operation and recorded a charge of \$25,321,000 to reduce the carrying amount of the business to its fair value. Pre-tax losses of this business, including the impairment charge, were \$3,722,000, \$36,917,000 and \$10,280,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

Other

During the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, the Company received distributions of \$4,690,000, \$11,640,000 and \$11,253,000, respectively, from Empire, a subsidiary of the Company that had been classified as a discontinued operation in 2001 and fully written-off. For income tax purposes, the payments are treated as non-taxable distributions paid by a subsidiary.

The Company sold WilTel in December 2005. During 2009, the Company received 636,300 of its common shares in connection with the resolution of a lawsuit related to WilTel and recorded income from discontinued operations of \$15,222,000 based on the market value of the common shares. These shares were originally issued in connection with

the acquisition of WilTel in 2003, and had been held in a fund for certain claims made against WilTel prior to the Company's ownership. The resolution of the lawsuit found that the claimants were not entitled to the shares and they were returned to the Company.

ItemQuantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk. 7A.

The following includes "forward-looking statements" that involve risk and uncertainties. Actual results could differ materially from those projected in the forward-looking statements.

The Company's market risk arises principally from interest rate risk related to its investment portfolio and its borrowing activities and equity price risk.

The Company's investment portfolio is primarily classified as available for sale, and consequently, is recorded on the balance sheet at fair value with unrealized gains and losses reflected in equity. Included in the Company's available for sale investment portfolio are fixed income securities, which comprised approximately 35% of the Company's total investment portfolio at December 31, 2011. These fixed income securities are primarily rated "investment grade" or are U.S. governmental agency issued or U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprises. The estimated weighted average remaining life of these fixed income securities was approximately 4.3 years at December 31, 2011. The Company's fixed income securities, like all fixed income instruments, are subject to interest rate risk and will fall in value if market interest rates increase. At December 31, 2010, fixed income securities comprised approximately 31% of the Company's total investment portfolio and had an estimated weighted average remaining life of 3.1 years.

Also included in the Company's available for sale investment portfolio are equity securities, which are recorded on the balance sheet at an aggregate fair value of \$1,364,659,000 (aggregate cost of \$666,801,000) and which comprised approximately 57% of the Company's total investment portfolio at December 31, 2011. The majority of this amount consists of two publicly traded securities; the investment in Fortescue common shares, which is carried at fair value of \$569,256,000, and the investment in Inmet, which is carried at fair value of \$708,193,000. The Company evaluates its investments for impairment on a quarterly basis.

The Company is also subject to price risk related to its investments in Jefferies and Mueller for which it has elected the fair value option. At December 31, 2011, these investments are classified as investments in associated companies and carried at fair values of \$797,583,000 for Jefferies and \$400,446,000 for Mueller.

The Company is subject to interest rate risk on its long-term fixed interest rate debt. Generally, the fair market value of debt securities with a fixed interest rate will increase as interest rates fall, and the fair market value will decrease as interest rates rise.

The following table provides information about the Company's financial instruments used for purposes other than trading that are primarily sensitive to changes in interest rates. For investment securities and debt obligations, the table presents principal cash flows by expected maturity dates. For the variable rate borrowings, the weighted average interest rates are based on implied forward rates in the yield curve at the reporting date. For securities and liabilities with contractual maturities, the table presents contractual principal cash flows adjusted for the Company's historical experience and prepayments of mortgage-backed securities.

For additional information, see Notes 6, 13 and 25 of Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

	2012		2013		2014		2015		laturity D 2016 thousand		Thereafte	er	Total	Fair Value
Rate Sensitive Assets: Available for Sale Fixed Income Securities:														
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agencies Weighted-Average	\$139,952	2	\$-		\$-		\$-		\$-		\$-		\$139,952	\$139,952
Interest Rate	.03	%												
U.S. Government- Sponsored		, ,												
Enterprises	\$94,342		\$79,607		\$65,259)	\$54,738		\$46,649		\$281,590	6	\$622,191	\$622,191
Weighted-Average														
Interest Rate	2.78	%	2.76	%	2.71	%	2.68	%	2.65	%	2.61	%		
Other Fixed Maturities:														
Rated Investment	* - -		*		*	_			* - - -		** ***			
Grade	\$6,760		\$4,132		\$23,363	3	\$764		\$676		\$3,836		\$39,531	\$39,531
Weighted-Average Interest Rate	3.59	%	2.30	%	5.00	%	5.88	%	5.89	%	5.95	%		
Rated Less Than Investment Grade/Not														
Rated	\$ 6,332		\$15,044		\$ 4,706		\$ 4,016		\$ 459		\$ 2,173		\$ 32,730	\$32,730
Weighted-Average Interest Rate	7.12	%	7.02	%	5.53	%	6.25	%	5.41	%	5.41	%		
Rate Sensitive Liabilities:														
Fixed Interest Rate														
Borrowings	\$418,350)	\$407,490	5	\$98,104	1	\$454,413	3	\$-		\$511,344	4	\$1,889,707	\$1,959,015
Weighted-Average Interest Rate	3.17	%	7.32	%	7.60	%	7.67	%	7.39	%	8.51	%		
Variable Interest														
Rate Borrowings	\$29,262		\$38,559		\$39,307	/	\$40,430		\$283,918	3	\$2,000		\$433,476	\$433,476
Weighted-Average Interest Rate	2.05	%	2.40	%	2.67	%	3.13	%	3.66	%	4.13	%		

Off-Balance Sheet

Items:

Unused Lines of						
Credit	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$134,921 \$-	\$134,921 \$134,921
Weighted-Average	e					
Interest Rate	2.05	% 2.40	% 2.67	% 3.13	% 3.66 %	
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ItemFinancial Statements and Supplementary Data. 8.

Financial Statements and supplementary data required by this Item 8 are set forth at the pages indicated in Item 15(a) below.

ItemChanges in and Disagreements with Accountants on Accounting and Financial Disclosure.

9.

None.

ItemControls and Procedures.

9A.

Evaluation of disclosure controls and procedures

The Company's management evaluated, with the participation of the Company's principal executive and principal financial officers, the effectiveness of the Company's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act")), as of December 31, 2011. Based on their evaluation, the Company's principal executive and principal financial officers concluded that the Company's disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of December 31, 2011.

Changes in internal control over financial reporting

There has been no change in the Company's internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f) under the Exchange Act) that occurred during the Company's fiscal quarter ended December 31, 2011, that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the Company's internal control over financial reporting.

Management's Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

Management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining adequate internal control over financial reporting as defined in Rules 13a-15(f) or 15d-15(f) promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Internal control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and includes those policies and procedures that:

- Pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and disposition of the assets of the Company;
- Provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the Company are being made only in accordance with authorizations of management and directors of the Company; and

• Provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use or disposition of the Company's assets that could have a material effect on the consolidated financial statements.

Because of its inherent limitations, internal control over financial reporting may not prevent or detect misstatements. Also, projections of any evaluation of effectiveness to future periods are subject to the risk that controls may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

The Company's management assessed the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2011. In making this assessment, the Company's management used the criteria established in Internal Control-Integrated Framework issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission (COSO).

As permitted by the SEC, the Company has excluded from this assessment of internal control over financial reporting the internal control over financial reporting of National Beef, which was acquired on December 30, 2011. National Beef represents approximately 19% of consolidated assets at December 31, 2011.

Based on our assessment and those criteria, management concluded that, as of December 31, 2011, the Company's internal control over financial reporting was effective.

The effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2011 has been audited by PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, an independent registered public accounting firm, as stated in their report which appears herein in Item 8.

ItemOther Information.

9B.

Not applicable.

PART III

ItemDirectors, Executive Officers of the Registrant and Corporate Governance. 10.

The information to be included under the caption "Election of Directors", "Information Concerning the Board of Directors and Board Committees", "Executive Compensation – Section 16(a) Beneficial Ownership Reporting Compliance" and "Audit Committee Report" in the Company's definitive proxy statement to be filed with the Commission pursuant to Regulation 14A of the Exchange Act in connection with the 2012 annual meeting of shareholders of the Company (the "Proxy Statement") is incorporated herein by reference. In addition, reference is made to Item 10 in Part I of this Report.

ItemExecutive Compensation.

11.

The information to be included under the caption "Executive Compensation" in the Proxy Statement is incorporated herein by reference.

ItemSecurity Ownership of Certain Beneficial Owners and Management and Related Shareholder Matters.

12.

The information to be included under the caption "Information on Stock Ownership" in the Proxy Statement is incorporated herein by reference.

ItemCertain Relationships and Related Transactions, and Director Independence. 13.

The information to be included under the captions "Director Independence", and "Certain Relationships and Related Person Transactions" under the heading "Information Concerning The Board of Directors and Board Committees" in the Proxy Statement is incorporated herein by reference.

ItemPrincipal Accountant Fees and Services. 14.

The information to be included under the caption "Independent Accounting Firm Fees" in the Proxy Statement is incorporated herein by reference.

PART IV

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- (3) See Item 15(b) below for a complete list of Exhibits to this Report, including Executive Compensation Plans and Arrangements.
- (b) Exhibits.

Statements

We will furnish any exhibit upon request made to our Corporate Secretary, 315 Park Avenue South, New York, NY 10010. We charge \$.50 per page to cover expenses of copying and mailing.

All documents referenced below were filed pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 by the Company, file number 1-5721, unless otherwise indicated.

- 3.1 Restated Certificate of Incorporation (filed as Exhibit 5.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K dated July 14, 1993).*
- 3.2 Certificate of Amendment of the Certificate of Incorporation dated as of May 14, 2002 (filed as Exhibit 3.2 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2003 (the "2003 10-K")).*
- 3.3 Certificate of Amendment of the Certificate of Incorporation dated as of December 23, 2002 (filed as Exhibit 3.2 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2002).*

Amended and Restated By-laws as amended through March 2, 2009 (filed as Exhibit 3.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K dated March 3, 2009).*

3.5 Certificate of Amendment of the Certificate of Incorporation dated as of May 13, 2004 (filed as Exhibit 3.5 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2004).*

- 3.6 Certificate of Amendment of the Certificate of Incorporation dated as of May 17, 2005 (filed as Exhibit 3.6 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2005 (the "2005 10-K")).*
- 3.7 Certificate of Amendment of the Certificate of Incorporation dated as of May 23, 2007 (filed as Exhibit 4.7 to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-8 (No. 333-143770)).*
- 4.1 The Company undertakes to furnish the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon written request, a copy of all instruments with respect to long-term debt not filed herewith.
- 10.1 1999 Stock Option Plan as Amended and Restated (filed as Exhibit 99.1 to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-8 (No. 333-169377)).* +
- 10.2Form of Grant Letter for the 1999 Stock Option Plan (filed as Exhibit 10.3 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on February 24, 2012 (the "February 24, 2012 8-K")).* +
- 10.3 Amended and Restated Shareholders Agreement dated as of June 30, 2003 among the Company, Ian M. Cumming and Joseph S. Steinberg (filed as Exhibit 10.5 to the 2003 10-K).* +
- 10.4 Services Agreement, dated as of January 1, 2004, between the Company and Ian M. Cumming (filed as Exhibit 10.37 to the 2005 10-K).*
- 10.5 Services Agreement, dated as of January 1, 2004, between the Company and Joseph S. Steinberg (filed as Exhibit 10.38 to the 2005 10-K).*
- 10.6Leucadia National Corporation 2003 Senior Executive Annual Incentive Bonus Plan, as amended May 16, 2006 (filed as Annex A to the Company's Proxy Statement dated April 17, 2006).* +
- 10.7 Employment Agreement made as of June 30, 2005 by and between the Company and Ian M. Cumming (filed as Exhibit 99.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K dated July 13, 2005 (the "July 13, 2005 8-K")).* +
- 10.8 Employment Agreement made as of June 30, 2005 by and between the Company and Joseph S. Steinberg (filed as Exhibit 99.2 to the July 13, 2005 8-K).* +
- 10.9 Exhibit 1 to the Agreement and Plan of Reorganization between the Company and TLC Associates, dated February 23, 1989 (filed as Exhibit 3 to Amendment No. 12 to the Schedule 13D dated December 29, 2004 of Ian M. Cumming and Joseph S. Steinberg with respect to the Company).*
- 10.10 Amendment No. 1, dated as of May 16, 2006, to the Amended and Restated Shareholders Agreement dated as of June 30, 2003, by and among Ian M. Cumming, Joseph S. Steinberg and the Company (filed as Exhibit 10.6 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended June 30, 2006). * +

- 10.11 Subscription Agreement, dated as of July 15, 2006, by and among FMG Chichester Pty Ltd, the Company, and Fortescue Metals Group Ltd (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended September 30, 2006 (the "3rd Quarter 2006 10-Q")).*
- 10.12 Amending Agreement, dated as of August 18, 2006, by and among FMG Chichester Pty Ltd, the Company and Fortescue Metals Group Ltd (filed as Exhibit 10.2 to the 3rd Quarter 2006 10-Q).*
- 10.13 Compensation Information Concerning Non-Employee Directors (filed under Item 1.01 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K dated May 22, 2006).*
- 10.14Leucadia National Corporation 2011 Senior Executive Warrant Plan (filed as Annex A to the Company's Proxy Statement dated April 13, 2011).* +
- 10.15 Form of Common Share Purchase Warrant (filed as Exhibit 10.3 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended June 30, 2011 (the "2nd Quarter 2011 10-Q")).* +
- 10.16 Master Agreement for the Formation of a Limited Liability Company dated as of February 28, 2007, among Jefferies Group, Inc., Jefferies & Company, Inc. and Leucadia National Corporation (filed as Exhibit 10.4 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended March 31, 2007 (the "1st Quarter 2007 10-Q")).*
- 10.17 Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of Jefferies High Yield Holdings, LLC, dated as of April 2, 2007, by and among Jefferies Group, Inc., Jefferies & Company, Inc., Leucadia National Corporation, Jefferies High Yield Partners, LLC, Jefferies Employees Opportunity Fund LLC and Jefferies High Yield Holdings, LLC (filed as Exhibit 10.5 to the 1st Quarter 2007 10-Q).*
- 10.18 Deferred Compensation and Salary Continuation Agreement, dated March 2, 1977 by and between Terracor, a Utah Corporation and Ian M. Cumming (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended March 31, 2009 (the "1st Quarter 2009 10-Q")).* +
- 10.19 First Amendment to Deferred Compensation and Salary Continuation Agreement, dated May 24, 1996 by and between the Company, as successor to Terracor, and Ian M. Cumming (filed as Exhibit 10.2 to the 1st Quarter 2009 10-Q).* +
- 10.20 Asset Put Agreement, dated September 2, 2009, among Berkadia III, LLC, Capmark Financial Group, Inc., Capmark Finance Inc. and Capmark Capital Inc., and solely with respect to Sections 2.5, 10.5, 10.7, 10.11, 10.16 and 10.17, Berkshire Hathaway Inc. and Leucadia National Corporation (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K/A filed on May 12, 2010).*

- 10.21 Credit Agreement dated as of December 10, 2009 among Berkadia Commercial Mortgage LLC and BH Finance LLC (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the 2nd Quarter 2011 10-Q).*
- 10.22 Guaranty, dated as of December 10, 2009, by Leucadia National Corporation in favor of BH Finance LLC, in its own capacity as the lender under the Credit Agreement, dated as of December 10, 2009, among Berkadia Commercial Mortgage LLC and BH Finance LLC, and on behalf of each of the other Secured Parties under (and as defined in) the Credit Agreement (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on December 14, 2009).*
- 10.23 Letter Agreement, dated March 1, 2010, between the Corporation and Justin R. Wheeler (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed March 5, 2010).* +
- 10.24Letter Agreement, dated June 22, 2010, between the Corporation and Thomas E. Mara/Joseph A. Orlando (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed June 22, 2010).* +
- 10.25 Shareholder Support and Voting Agreement dated as of July 21, 2010, among General Motors Holdings LLC, Goalie Texas Holdco Inc., Leucadia National Corporation, Phlcorp, Inc., Baldwin Enterprises, Inc., BEI Arch Holdings, LLC and BEI-Longhorn, LLC (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed July 22, 2010).*
- 10.26 Amendment No. 1 to Credit Agreement dated as of October 29, 2010 among Berkadia Commercial Mortgage LLC, BH Finance LLC and Baldwin Enterprises, Inc. (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed November 5, 2010).*
- 10.27 Participation Agreement dated as of October 29, 2010 between Baldwin Enterprises, Inc. and BH Finance LLC (filed as Exhibit 10.2 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed November 5, 2010).*
- 10.28 Amendment No. 1 to Guaranty dated as of October 29, 2010 made by Leucadia National Corporation in favor of BH Finance LLC in its own capacity as a lender under the Credit Agreement referred to therein and on behalf of each of the other Secured Parties under the Credit Agreement (filed as Exhibit 10.3 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed November 5, 2010).*
- 10.29 Share Purchase Agreement dated November 29, 2010, among Leucadia National Corporation, MK Resources LLC and Inmet Mining Corporation (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed December 1, 2010).*
- 10.30Note Purchase Agreement dated November 29, 2010, among Leucadia National Corporation, Inmet Mining Corporation and Inmet Finance Company SARL (filed as Exhibit 10.2 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed December 1, 2010).*
- Registration Rights Agreement by and among Inmet Mining Corporation and the Investors Named Herein dated as of August 22, 2005 (filed as Exhibit 10.3 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed December 1, 2010).*

- 10.32 Membership Interest Purchase Agreement among Leucadia National Corporation, National Beef Packing Company, LLC, U.S. Premium Beef, LLC, NBPCo Holdings, LLC, TKK Investments, LLC, TMKCo, LLC and TMK Holdings, LLC (filed as Exhibit 2.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed December 30, 2011 (the "December 30, 2011 8-K")).*
- 10.33 First Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of National Beef Packing Company, dated as of December 30, 2011 (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the December 30, 2011 8-K).*
- 10.34 Amended and Restated Credit Agreement by and between National Beef Packing Company, LLC, certain of its subsidiaries, the lenders party thereto, Coöperatieve Centrale Raiffeisen Boerenleenbank B.A., "Rabobank Nederland," New York Branch, U.S. Bank National Association, Bank of America, N.A., Bank of Montreal and CoBank, ACB, dated as of June 4, 2010 (filed as Exhibit 10.2 to the December 30, 2011 8-K).*
- 10.35 First Amendment to Amended and Restated Credit Agreement by and among National Beef Packing Company, LLC, certain of its subsidiaries, the lenders party thereto and CoBank, ACB, dated as of June 4, 2010(filed as Exhibit 10.3 to the December 30, 2011 8-K).*
- 10.36 Limited Waiver and Second Amendment by and among National Beef Packing Company, LLC, certain of its subsidiaries, the lenders party thereto and CoBank, ACB, dated as of July 7, 2011 (filed as Exhibit 10.4 to the December 30, 2011 8-K).*
- 10.37 Third Amendment to the Amended and Restated Credit Agreement and Limited Consent by and among National Beef Packing Company, LLC, certain of its subsidiaries, the lenders party thereto and CoBank, ACB, dated as of December 5, 2011 (filed as Exhibit 10.5 to the December 30, 2011 8-K).*
- 10.38 Cattle Purchase and Sale Agreement by and between National Beef Packing Company, LLC and U.S. Premium Beef, LLC, dated as of December 30, 2011 (filed as Exhibit 10.6 to the December 30, 2011 8-K).*
- 10.39 Information Concerning Executive Compensation (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed January 9, 2012).* +
- 10.40 General Termination and Release dated as of December 31, 2011 by and among Berkadia Commercial Mortgage LLC, BH Finance LLC, Baldwin Enterprises, Inc., Berkadia Commercial Mortgage Inc. and Leucadia National Corporation (filed as Exhibit 10.2 to the February 24, 2012 8-K).
- 10.41 Agreement of Terms dated as of December 31, 2011 between Leucadia National Corporation and Berkshire Hathaway Inc. (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the February 24, 2012 8-K).
- 21 Subsidiaries of the registrant.
- 23.1 Consent of Pricewaterhouse Coopers LLP, with respect to the incorporation by reference into the Company's Registration Statements on Form S-8 (No. 333-169377), Form S-8 (No. 333-51494), Form S-8 (No. 333-143770), and Form S-3 (No. 333-169379).

- 23.2 Consent of independent auditors from Deloitte & Touche LLP, with respect to the inclusion in this Annual Report on Form 10-K of the financial statements of AmeriCredit Corp. and with respect to the incorporation by reference in the Company's Registration Statements on Form S-8 (No. 333-169377), Form S-8 (No. 333-143770), and Form S-3 (No. 333-169379).
- 23.3 Consent of independent auditors from KPMG LLP, with respect to the inclusion in this Annual Report on Form 10-K of the financial statements of Jefferies Group, Inc. and with respect to the incorporation by reference in the Company's Registration Statements on Form S-8 (No. 333-169377), Form S-8 (No. 333-51494), Form S-8 (No. 333-143770), and Form S-3 (No. 333-169379).
- 23.4Consent of independent auditors from Deloitte & Touche LLP, with respect to the inclusion in this Annual Report on Form 10-K of the financial statements of Jefferies Group, Inc. and with respect to the incorporation by reference in the Company's Registration Statements on Form S-8 (No. 333-169377), Form S-8 (No. 333-143770), and Form S-3 (No. 333-169379).
- 31.1 Certification of Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
- 31.2 Certification of President pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
- 31.3 Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
- 32.1 Certification of Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.**
- 32.2 Certification of President pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.**
- 32.3 Certification of Principal Financial Officer pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.**
- 101 Financial statements from the Annual Report on Form 10-K of Leucadia National Corporation for the year ended December 31, 2011, formatted in Extensible Business Reporting Language (XBRL): (i) the Consolidated Balance Sheets, (ii) the Consolidated Statements of Operations, (iii) the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows, (iv) the Consolidated Statements of Changes in Shareholders Equity, (v) the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements and (vi) Financial Statement Schedule II Valuation and Qualifying Accounts.
- (c) Financial statement schedules.
 - (1) AmeriCredit Corp. financial statements as of and for the years ended June 30, 2010 and 2009.
- (2) Jefferies Group, Inc. financial statements as of November 30, 2011 and 2010, and for the years ended November 30, 2011 and December 31, 2009, and for the eleven month period ended November 30, 2010.

** Furnished herewith pursuant to item 601(b) (32) of Regulation S-K.

⁺ Management/Employment Contract or Compensatory Plan or Arrangement.

^{*} Incorporated by reference.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

LEUCADIA NATIONAL CORPORATION

Date: February 27, 2012 By: /s/ Barbara L. Lowenthal

Name: Barbara L. Lowenthal Title: Vice President and

Comptroller

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities indicated, on the date set forth below.

Date	Signature	Title
February 27, 2012	By:/s/ Ian M. Cumming Ian M. Cumming	Chairman of the Board (Principal Executive Officer)
February 27, 2012	By:/s/ Joseph S. Steinberg Joseph S. Steinberg	President and Director (Principal Executive Officer)
February 27, 2012	By:/s/ Joseph A. Orlando Joseph A. Orlando	Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)
February 27, 2012	By:/s/ Barbara L. Lowenthal Barbara L. Lowenthal	Vice President and Comptroller (Principal Accounting Officer)
February 27, 2012	By:/s/ Paul M. Dougan Paul M. Dougan	Director
February 27, 2012	By:/s/ Alan J. Hirschfield Alan J. Hirschfield	Director
February 27, 2012	By:/s/ James E. Jordan James E. Jordan	Director
February 27, 2012	By:/s/ Jeffrey C. Keil Jeffrey C. Keil	Director
February 27, 2012	By:/s/ Jesse Clyde Nichols, III Jesse Clyde Nichols, III	Director

February 27, 2012

By:/s/ Michael Sorkin Michael Sorkin Director

Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To the Board of Directors and Shareholders of Leucadia National Corporation:

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements listed in the index appearing under Item 15(a)(1) present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Leucadia National Corporation and its subsidiaries (the "Company") at December 31, 2011 and 2010, and the results of their operations and their cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2011 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. In addition, in our opinion, the financial statement schedule listed in the index appearing under Item 15(a)(2) presents fairly, in all material respects, the information set forth therein when read in conjunction with the related consolidated financial statements. Also in our opinion, the Company maintained, in all material respects, effective internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2011, based on criteria established in Internal Control - Integrated Framework issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission (COSO). The Company's management is responsible for these financial statements and financial statement schedule, for maintaining effective internal control over financial reporting and for its assessment of the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting, included in "Management's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting" appearing under Item 9A. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements, on the financial statement schedule, and on the Company's internal control over financial reporting based on our integrated audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement and whether effective internal control over financial reporting was maintained in all material respects. Our audits of the financial statements included 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. Our audit of internal control over financial reporting included obtaining an understanding of internal control over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. Our audits also included performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

A company's internal control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A company's internal control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that (i) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company; (ii) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the company are being made only in accordance with authorizations of management and directors of the company; and (iii) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use, or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

Because of its inherent limitations, internal control over financial reporting may not prevent or detect misstatements. Also, projections of any evaluation of effectiveness to future periods are subject to the risk that controls may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

As described in "Management's Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting," management has excluded National Beef Packing Company, LLC from its assessment of internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2011 because it was acquired by the Company during 2011. We have also excluded National Beef Packing Company, LLC from our audit of internal control over financial reporting. National Beef Packing Company, LLC is a consolidated subsidiary whose total assets represent 19% of the related consolidated assets as of December 31, 2011.

/s/ PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP New York, New York February 27, 2012

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LEUCADIA NATIONAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

December 31, 2011 and 2010

(Dollars in thousands, except par value)

	2011	2010
ASSETS		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$168,490	\$441,340
Investments	150,135	264,572
Trade, notes and other receivables, net	369,123	150,328
Inventory	354,578	58,280
Current deferred tax asset	144,281	_
Prepaids and other current assets	66,872	71,070
Total current assets	1,253,479	985,590
Non-current investments (\$432,768 and \$413,858 collateralizing current liabilities)	2,226,875	3,832,659
Intangible assets, net and goodwill	876,589	42,636
Deferred tax asset, net	1,440,605	1,175,558
Other assets	420,157	452,321
Property, equipment and leasehold improvements, net	1,053,689	587,371
Investments in associated companies (\$1,198,029 and \$1,314,227 measured		
using fair value option)	1,991,795	2,274,163
Total	\$9,263,189	\$9,350,298
LIABILITIES		
Current liabilities:		
Trade payables and expense accruals	\$386,544	\$176,592
Other current liabilities	42,976	27,468
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	417,479	401,121
Debt due within one year	30,133	142,659
Total current liabilities	877,132	747,840
Other non-current liabilities	96,316	90,608
Long-term debt	1,875,571	1,548,469
Total liabilities	2,849,019	2,386,917
Commitments and contingencies		
Redeemable noncontrolling interests in subsidiary	235,909	
Redeemable holicolitioning interests in subsidiary	233,909	_
EQUITY		
Common shares, par value \$1 per share, authorized 600,000,000		
shares; 244,582,588 and 243,808,147 shares issued and		
outstanding, after deducting 47,006,711 and 47,525,707 shares		
held in treasury	244,583	243,808
Additional paid-in capital	1,570,684	1,542,964
Accumulated other comprehensive income	912,421	1,687,363
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Retained earnings	3,446,708	3,482,623
Total Leucadia National Corporation shareholders' equity	6,174,396	6,956,758
Noncontrolling interest	3,865	6,623
Total equity	6,178,261	6,963,381
Total	\$9,263,189	\$9,350,298

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

LEUCADIA NATIONAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

For the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009 (In thousands, except per share amounts)

	2011	2010	2009
REVENUES AND OTHER INCOME:			
Manufacturing	\$244,918	\$259,841	\$224,460
Oil and gas drilling services	133,782	116,542	11,102
Gaming entertainment	117,217	114,763	103,495
Investment and other income	433,375	649,364	257,257
Net securities gains (losses)	641,476	179,494	(21,106)
	1,570,768	1,320,004	575,208
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EXPENSES:			
Manufacturing cost of sales	215,963	224,303	196,967
Direct operating expenses:			
Oil and gas drilling services	100,639	93,281	8,830
Gaming entertainment	84,795	83,075	79,452
Interest	111,877	124,809	128,754
Salaries and incentive compensation	83,171	98,433	79,837
Depreciation and amortization	75,480	78,675	56,795
Selling, general and other expenses	217,855	248,425	265,727
·	889,780	951,001	816,362
Income (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes			
and income (losses) related to associated companies	680,988	369,003	(241,154)
Income tax provision (benefit):			
Current	30,326	17,793	7,108
Deferred	239,927	(1,157,111)	_
	270,253	(1,139,318)	7,108
Income (loss) from continuing operations before income (losses)			
related to associated companies	410,735	1,508,321	(248,262)
Income (losses) related to associated companies, net of income tax			
provision (benefit) of \$(218,321), \$(5,745) and \$25,567	(394,041)	380,766	780,236
Income from continuing operations	16,694	1,889,087	531,974
Income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income tax			
provision (benefit) of \$(1,009), \$0 and \$35	1,977	(9,848)	16,621
Gain on disposal of discontinued operations, net of income			
tax provision of \$3,384, \$0 and \$0	6,285	60,997	_
Net income	24,956	1,940,236	548,595
Net (income) loss attributable to the noncontrolling interest	275	(924)	1,685
Net income attributable to Leucadia National Corporation			
common shareholders	\$25,231	\$1,939,312	\$550,280

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

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LEUCADIA NATIONAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS, continued For the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009 (In thousands, except per share amounts)

	2011	2010	2009
Basic earnings (loss) per common share attributable to Leucadia			
National Corporation common shareholders:			
Income from continuing operations	\$.07	\$7.77	\$2.21
Income (loss) from discontinued operations	.01	(.04) .07
Gain on disposal of discontinued operations	.02	.24	_
Net income	\$.10	\$7.97	\$2.28
Diluted earnings (loss) per common share attributable to Leucadia			
National Corporation common shareholders:			
Income from continuing operations	\$.07	\$7.66	\$2.18
Income (loss) from discontinued operations	.01	(.04) .07
Gain on disposal of discontinued operations	.02	.23	_
Net income	\$.10	\$7.85	\$2.25
Amounts attributable to Leucadia National Corporation common			
shareholders:			
Income from continuing operations, net of taxes	\$16,969	\$1,891,352	\$533,659
Income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of taxes	1,977	(9,848) 16,621
Gain on disposal of discontinued operations, net of taxes	6,285	57,808	_
Net income	\$25,231	\$1,939,312	\$550,280

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

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LEUCADIA NATIONAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

For the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009 (In thousands)

	2011		2010		2009	
Net cash flows from operating activities:						
Net income	\$24,956		\$1,940,236		\$548,595	
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by	, ,, ,, ,		, , , , , , , ,		, ,	
(used for) operations:						
Deferred income tax provision (benefit)	22,424		(1,166,41	7)	19,612	
Depreciation and amortization of property, equipment and leasehold	,		())		- ,-	
improvements	68,059		78,975		61,946	
Other amortization	27,174		25,755		24,431	
Share-based compensation	23,264		4,260		11,106	
Excess tax benefit from exercise of stock options	(242)	(189)	(15)
Provision for doubtful accounts	750		3,003		2,615	
Net securities (gains) losses	(641,476)	(179,494)	21,106	
(Income) losses related to associated companies	612,362)	(805,803)
Distributions from associated companies	39,716		454,094		36,692	
Net (gains) losses related to real estate, property and equipment, and						
other assets	(95,687)	(320,274)	46,074	
Income related to Fortescue's Pilbara project, net of proceeds received	(24,222)	22,887		(66,079)
Bargain purchase gain related to Keen	_		_		(49,345)
Common shares received in connection with lawsuit resolution	_		_		(15,222)
(Gain) loss on buyback of debt	6,352		5,138		(6,693)
Loss on debt conversion	_		_		25,990	
(Gain) loss on disposal of discontinued operations	(9,669)	(60,997)	_	
Change in estimated litigation reserve	(2,241)	14,099		_	
Pension plan settlement charge	_		12,728		_	
Investments classified as trading, net	_		_		(1,132)
Net change in:						
Restricted cash	1,601		(473)	(115)
Trade, notes and other receivables	92		(11,496)	14,222	
Prepaids and other assets	(7,248)	(3,470)	11,679	
Trade payables and expense accruals	(7,418)	36,608		(13,778)
Other liabilities	(34,459)	(29,603)	358	
Deferred revenue	(476)	(16,972)	(16,670)
Income taxes payable	6,091		(466)	17,462	
Other	(619)	(1,645)	(434)
Net cash provided by (used for) operating activities	9,084		431,266		(133,398)
Net cash flows from investing activities:						
Acquisition of property, equipment and leasehold improvements	(38,586)	(44,344)	(23,566)
Acquisitions of and capital expenditures for real estate investments	(8,032)	(8,173)	(10,095)
Proceeds from disposals of real estate, property and equipment, and other					•	
assets	26,434		155,961		26,158	
Proceeds from (payments related to) disposal of discontinued operations,						

net of expenses and cash of operations sold	10,922	59,380	_
Acquisitions, net of cash acquired	(1,019,041)	(11,261)	(3,134)
Proceeds from lawsuits and other settlements	_	3,565	9,500
Net change in restricted cash	10,519	717	655
Advances on notes and other receivables	(4,511)	(8,595)	(4,172)
Collections on notes, loans and other receivables	19,392	22,062	28,835
Investments in associated companies	(700,624)	(322,730)	(282,271)
Capital distributions and loan repayment from associated companies	323,936	503,519	105,735
Purchases of investments (other than short-term)	(3,532,925)	(1,779,821)	(2,235,140)
Proceeds from maturities of investments	506,061	284,873	344,724
Proceeds from sales of investments	4,227,660	939,821	2,114,177
Other	3,498	(3,692)	565
Net cash provided by (used for) investing activities	(175,297)	(208,718)	71,971

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

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LEUCADIA NATIONAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS, continued For the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009 (In thousands)

	2011	2010	2009	
Net cash flows from financing activities:				
Issuance of debt, net of issuance costs	\$93,116	\$211,695	\$50,122	
Reduction of debt	(144,558)	(94,999) (42,966)
Purchase of interest in subsidiary by noncontrolling interest	7,500	_	_	
Premium paid on debt conversion	_	_	(25,990)
Issuance of common shares	7,126	11,295	958	
Purchase of common shares for treasury	(155)	(18) –	
Excess tax benefit from exercise of stock options	242	189	15	
Dividends paid	(61,146)	(60,952) –	
Other	(8,762)	(2,546) (4,087)
Net cash provided by (used for) financing activities	(106,637)	64,664	(21,948)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(272,850)	287,212	(83,375)
Cash and cash equivalents at January 1, including cash classified as				
current assets of discontinued operations	441,340	154,128	237,503	
Cash and cash equivalents at December 31, including cash classified as				
current assets of discontinued operations	\$168,490	\$441,340	\$154,128	
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Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information:				
Cash paid during the year for:				
Interest	\$112,771	\$123,857	\$129,598	
Income tax payments (refunds), net	\$26,175	\$22,227	\$(4,364)
Non-cash financing activities:				
Issuance of common shares for debt conversion	\$-	\$-	\$123,529	

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

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LEUCADIA NATIONAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009 (In thousands, except par value and per share amounts)

(In thousands, except p	oar value and	d per share ar	nounts)							
Leucadia National Corporation Common Shareholders Common Accumulated										
	Shares \$1 Par	Additional Paid-In	Other Comprehensi Income	ive Retained	1	Noncontroll	ing			
	Value	Capital	(Loss)	Earnings	S Subtotal	Interest		Total		
Balance, January 1, 2009	\$238,499	\$1,413,595	\$ (29,280) \$1,053,98	33 \$2,676,797	\$ 18,594		\$2,695,391		
Comprehensive income:	, , , , , ,	, , , , , , , ,		, , , , , , , , , ,	, ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	, 2,22		, , , , , , , ,		
Net change in unrealized gain (loss) on										
investments, net of tax provision										
of \$36,348			1,010,162	2	1,010,162			1,010,162		
Net change in unrealized foreign										
exchange gain (loss), net of tax										
provision of \$51			3,602		3,602			3,602		
Net change in										
unrealized gain (loss)										
on derivative										
instruments, net of tax										
provision of \$16			1,125		1,125			1,125		
Net change in pension liability and										
postretirement										
benefits, net of tax										
benefit of \$8			(577)	(577	(4.60.7		(577)	
Net income				550,280	550,280	(1,685)	548,595		
Comprehensive income					1,564,592	(1,685	`	1 562 007		
Contributions from					1,304,392	(1,003)	1,562,907		
noncontrolling										
interests						899		899		
Distributions to						0,,		0))		
noncontrolling										
interests						(4,986)	(4,986)	
Change in interest in										
consolidated										
subsidiary		(28)		(28) 28		_		

Share-based compensation expense			11,106					11,106			11,106
Issuance of common shares for debt											
conversion Common shares	5,378		118,151					123,529			123,529
received from lawsuit resolution	(636)	(14,686)				(15,322)		(15,322)
Exercise of options to purchase common											
shares, including excess tax benefit	47		926					973			973
Balance, December 31, 2009	243,28	8	1,529,06	4	985,032		1,604,263	4,361,647		12,850	4,374,497
Comprehensive income:											
Net change in unrealized gain (loss)											
on investments, net of tax											
benefit											
of \$25,129					715,593			715,593			715,593
Net change in unrealized foreign					·			,			
exchange gain (loss), net of tax											
benefit of \$97					(7,862)		(7,862)		(7,862)
Net change in unrealized gain (loss)											
on derivative											
instruments, net of tax											
provision of \$4					306			306			306
Net change in pension liability and											
postretirement benefits, net of tax											
provision of \$377					(5,706)		(5,706)		(5,706)
Net income					(0,700	,	1,939,312	1,939,312	/	924	1,940,236
Comprehensive income							, <u>,</u> -	2,641,643		924	2,642,567
Contributions from								2,041,043		724	2,042,307
noncontrolling											
interests										1,424	1,424
Distributions to										1, 12 .	1,
noncontrolling											
interests										(14,757)	(14,757)
Change in interest in										. , , , ,	,
consolidated											
subsidiary			(1,306)				(1,306)	6,182	4,876
			4,260					4,260			4,260

Share-based										
compensation expense										
Exercise of options to										
purchase common										
shares, including										
excess tax benefit	521		10,963				11,484		11,484	
Purchase of common										
shares for treasury	(1)	(17)			(18)	(18)
Dividends (\$.25 per										
common share)					(60,952)	(60,952)	(60,952)

(continued)

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

LEUCADIA NATIONAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY, continued

For the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009 (In thousands, except par value and per share amounts)

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	Value	Capital		(Loss)		Earnings	Subtotal		Interest		Total	
Balance, December 31, 2010	\$243,808	\$1,542,964	. \$	1,687,363		\$3,482,623	\$6,956,758	\$	6,623	;	\$6,963,381	
Comprehensive loss:												
Net change in unrealized gain (loss) on												
investments, net of tax benefit												
of \$417,299				(751,606)		(751,606)			(751,606)
Net change in unrealized foreign							· ·				•	
exchange gain (loss), net of tax												
provision of \$372				670			670				670	
Net change in pension liability and												
postretirement benefits, net of tax												
benefit of \$13,329				(24,006)		(24,006)			(24,006)
Net income				•		25,231	25,231		(275)	24,956	
Comprehensive loss							(749,711)	(275)	(749,986)
Contributions from												
noncontrolling												
interests									660		660	
Distributions to												
noncontrolling												
interests									(5,843)	(5,843)
Change in interest in												
consolidated												
subsidiary		(1,982)				(1,982)	2,700		718	
Share-based							00.001					
compensation expense		23,264					23,264				23,264	
Exercise of warrants to												
purchase common	500	(500	`									

Exercise of	options to
nurchase co	nmon

purchase common						
shares, including						
excess tax benefit	256	7,112		7,3	368	7,368
Purchase of common						
shares for treasury	(4	(151)	(1:	55)	(155)
Dividends (\$.25 per						
common share)				(61,146) (63	1,146)	(61,146)
Balance, December						
31, 2011	\$244,583	\$1,570,68	4 \$ 912,421	\$3,446,708 \$6,1	174,396 \$ 3,865	\$6,178,261

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LEUCADIA NATIONAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

1. Nature of Operations:

The Company is a diversified holding company engaged through its consolidated subsidiaries in a variety of businesses, including beef processing, manufacturing, land based contract oil and gas drilling, gaming entertainment, real estate activities, medical product development and winery operations. The Company also has significant investments in the common stock of Jefferies Group, Inc. ("Jefferies"), a full service investment bank and Mueller Industries, Inc. ("Mueller"), a leading manufacturer of copper, brass, plastic, and aluminum products, both of which are accounted for at fair value. The Company owns equity interests in operating businesses which are accounted for under the equity method of accounting, including a broker-dealer engaged in making markets and trading of high yield and special situation securities, and a commercial mortgage origination and servicing business. The Company continuously evaluates the retention and disposition of its existing operations and investments and frequently investigates the acquisition of new businesses. Changes in the mix of the Company's businesses and investments should be expected.

The beef processing operations are conducted by National Beef Packing Company, LLC ("National Beef"), the Company's 78.9% owned subsidiary, which was acquired on December 30, 2011. Since National Beef's operating activities subsequent to the acquisition during 2011 were not significant they have not been included in the Company's 2011 consolidated statement of operations. National Beef processes, packages and delivers fresh and frozen beef and beef by-products for sale to customers in the U.S. and international markets. National Beef's products include boxed beef, ground beef, hides, tallow, and other beef and beef by-products. The products are marketed to retailers, food service providers, distributors, further processors, and the U.S. military. National Beef is based in Kansas City, Missouri and operates three beef processing facilities, two case-ready facilities and a wet blue tanning facility, all located in the U.S.

The manufacturing operations are conducted through Idaho Timber, LLC ("Idaho Timber") and Conwed Plastics, LLC ("Conwed Plastics"). Idaho Timber's principal product lines include remanufacturing dimension lumber; remanufacturing, bundling and bar coding of home center boards for large retailers; and production of 5/4" radius-edge, pine decking. Idaho Timber also manufactures and/or distributes a number of other specialty wood products. Idaho Timber operates nine facilities located in the U.S.

Conwed Plastics manufactures and markets lightweight plastic netting used for a variety of purposes including, among other things, building and construction, erosion control, packaging, agricultural, carpet padding, filtration and consumer products. Conwed Plastics manufacturing segment has four domestic manufacturing facilities, and it owns and operates a manufacturing and sales facility in Belgium.

The Company's land based contract oil and gas drilling operations are conducted by Keen Energy Services, LLC ("Keen"). Keen is based in Stillwater, Oklahoma and provides drilling services to independent oil and natural gas exploration and production companies in the Mid-Continent Region of the U.S.

The gaming entertainment business is conducted through Premier Entertainment Biloxi LLC ("Premier"). Premier owns the Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Biloxi ("Hard Rock Biloxi") located in Biloxi, Mississippi.

The domestic real estate operations include a mixture of commercial properties, residential land development projects and other unimproved land.

The Company's medical product development operations are conducted through its majority-owned subsidiary, Sangart, Inc. ("Sangart"). Sangart is developing a product called MP4OX, which is a solution of cell-free hemoglobin administered intravenously to provide rapid oxygen delivery to oxygen deprived tissues.

The winery operations consist of four wineries, Pine Ridge Vineyards in Napa Valley, California, Archery Summit in the Willamette Valley of Oregon, Chamisal Vineyards in the Edna Valley of California and Seghesio Family Vineyards in Healdsburg, California, and a vineyard development project in the Columbia Valley of Washington. The wineries primarily produce and sell wines in the premium, ultra premium and luxury segments of the premium table wine market.

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Certain amounts for prior periods have been reclassified to be consistent with the 2011 presentation.

2. Significant Accounting Policies:

(a) Critical Accounting Estimates: The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States ("GAAP") requires the Company to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts in the financial statements and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities. On an on-going basis, the Company evaluates all of these estimates and assumptions. The following areas have been identified as critical accounting estimates because they have the potential to have a significant impact on the Company's financial statements, and because they are based on assumptions which are used in the accounting records to reflect, at a specific point in time, events whose ultimate outcome won't be known until a later date. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

Income Taxes - The Company records a valuation allowance to reduce its net deferred tax asset to the net amount that is more likely than not to be realized. If in the future the Company determines that it is more likely than not that the Company will be able to realize its net deferred tax asset in excess of its net recorded amount, an adjustment to increase the net deferred tax asset would increase income in such period. If in the future the Company were to determine that it would not be able to realize all or part of its recorded net deferred tax asset, an adjustment to decrease the net deferred tax asset would be charged to income in such period. The Company is required to consider all available evidence, both positive and negative, and to weight the evidence when determining whether a valuation allowance is required and the amount of such valuation allowance. Generally, greater weight is required to be placed on objectively verifiable evidence when making this assessment, in particular on recent historical operating results.

During 2010, the Company realized significant gains from the sale of certain investments, recorded significant unrealized gains in the fair values of other investments and began to experience modest improvement in the operating results in some business segments. Additionally, the Company's cumulative taxable income for recent years became a positive amount, reflecting the realized gains on the sales of AmeriCredit Corp. ("ACF") and Cobre Las Cruces, S.A. ("Las Cruces") during the fourth quarter of 2010. With this recent positive evidence the Company gave greater weight to its revised projections of future taxable income, which consider significant unrealized gains in its investment portfolio, and to its long-term historical ability to generate significant amounts of taxable income when assessing the amount of its required valuation allowance. As a result, the Company was able to conclude that it is more likely than not that it will have future taxable income sufficient to realize a significant portion of the Company's net deferred tax asset; accordingly, \$1,157,111,000 of the deferred tax valuation allowance was reversed as a credit to income tax expense on December 31, 2010. In addition to its projections of future taxable income, the Company is relying upon the sale of investments that have unrealized gains before the NOLs expire and the corresponding reversal of related deferred tax liabilities to realize a portion of its net deferred tax asset.

The Company's estimate of future taxable income considers all available evidence, both positive and negative, about its operating businesses and investments, included an aggregation of individual projections for each significant operating business and investment, estimated apportionment factors for state and local taxing jurisdictions and included all future years that the Company estimated it would have available net operating loss carryforwards ("NOLs") (until 2029). The Company believes that its estimate of future taxable income is reasonable but inherently uncertain, and if its current or future operations and investments generate taxable income different than the projected amounts, further adjustments to the valuation allowance are possible. In addition to the reversal of deferred tax liabilities related to unrealized gains, the Company will need to generate approximately \$4,600,000,000 of future U.S. pre-tax income to fully realize its net deferred tax asset. The current balance of the deferred tax valuation allowance principally reserves for NOLs of certain subsidiaries that are not available to offset income generated by other members of the Company's consolidated tax return group.

The Company also records reserves for contingent tax liabilities based on the Company's assessment of the probability of successfully sustaining its tax filing positions.

Impairment of Long-Lived Assets – The Company evaluates its long-lived assets for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate, in management's judgment, that the carrying value of such assets may not be recoverable. When testing for impairment, the Company groups its long-lived assets with other assets and liabilities at the lowest level for which identifiable cash flows are largely independent of the cash flows of other assets and liabilities (or asset group). The determination of whether an asset group is recoverable is based on management's estimate of undiscounted future cash flows directly attributable to the asset group as compared to its carrying value. If the carrying amount of the asset group is greater than the undiscounted cash flows, an impairment loss would be recognized for the amount by which the carrying amount of the asset group exceeds its estimated fair value.

One of the Company's real estate subsidiaries (MB1) had been the owner and developer of a mixed use real estate project located in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. The project was comprised of a retail center with approximately 346,000 square feet of retail space, 41,000 square feet of office space and 195 residential apartment rental units. The acquisition and construction costs were funded by capital contributed by the Company and nonrecourse indebtedness with a balance of \$100,524,000 at December 31, 2010, that was collateralized by the real estate.

During the second quarter of 2009, MB1 was unable to make scheduled payments under its interest rate swap agreement and received several default notices under its bank loan. These events constituted a change in circumstances that caused the Company to evaluate whether the carrying amount of MB1's real estate asset was recoverable. The Company prepared cash flow models and utilized a discounted cash flow technique to determine the fair value of MB1's real estate. The most significant assumptions in the Company's cash flow models were the discount rate (11%) and the capitalization rate used to estimate the selling price of the retail center (9%); these rates were selected based on published reports of market conditions for similar properties. Based on its evaluation, the Company recorded an impairment charge of \$67,826,000 during the second quarter of 2009 (classified as selling, general and other expenses). Although MB1's bank loan matured in October 2009, it was not repaid since MB1 did not have sufficient funds and the Company was under no obligation to provide the funds to MB1 to pay off the loan.

During the second quarter of 2010, MB1 entered into an agreement with its lenders under which, among other things, MB1 agreed not to interfere with or oppose foreclosure proceedings and the lenders agreed to release MB1 and various guarantors of the loan. A receiver was put in place at the property, foreclosure proceedings commenced and an auction of the property was conducted; however, the Company was informed during the fourth quarter of 2010 that the highest bidder for the property failed to close. In December 2010, the Company was invited to make a bid for the property, with the condition that a foreclosure sale to the Company must close as soon as possible without any due diligence period, which new bidders for the property would require. A subsidiary of the Company offered \$19,275,000 for the property (including net working capital amounts); the offer was accepted and the foreclosure sale closed on January 7, 2011.

As a result of the failure of the initial buyer to purchase the property and the subsequent sale to the Company in 2011, the Company concluded that the carrying value of the property was further impaired at December 31, 2010; accordingly, the Company recorded an additional impairment charge in 2010 of \$47,074,000 to reflect the property at its fair value of \$18,094,000. At closing in 2011, MB1 was released from any remaining liability under the bank loan; accordingly, the remaining balance due after payment of the purchase price (\$81,848,000) was recognized in other income in 2011. Including the cash paid in the foreclosure sale, the Company's cumulative net cash investment in this project is \$85,595,000.

There were no significant impairment charges recorded during 2011. During 2010, the Company recorded impairment charges in selling, general and other expenses of \$2,357,000 for another real estate project and \$1,449,000 in the corporate segment for one of its corporate aircraft that was later sold. In 2009, the Company recorded impairment charges in selling, general and other expenses of \$2,563,000 related to its manufacturing segment

(primarily Idaho Timber) and \$3,646,000 related to its real estate segment.

Current economic conditions have adversely affected most of the Company's operations and investments. A worsening of current economic conditions or a prolonged recession could cause a decline in estimated future cash flows expected to be generated by the Company's operations and investments. If future undiscounted cash flows are estimated to be less than the carrying amounts of the asset groups used to generate those cash flows in subsequent reporting periods, particularly for those with large investments in intangible assets and property and equipment (for example, beef processing, manufacturing, gaming entertainment, land based contract oil and gas drilling operations, real estate and certain associated company investments), impairment charges would have to be recorded.

Impairment of Equity Method Investments – The Company evaluates equity method investments for impairment when operating losses or other factors may indicate a decrease in value which is other than temporary. For investments in investment partnerships that are accounted for under the equity method, the Company obtains from the investment partnership financial statements, net asset values and other information on a quarterly basis and annual audited financial statements. On a quarterly basis, the Company also makes inquiries and discusses with investment managers whether there were significant procedural, valuation, composition and other changes at the investee. Since these investment partnerships record their underlying investments at fair value, after application of the equity method the carrying value of the Company's investment is equal to its share of the investees' underlying net assets at their fair values. Absent any unusual circumstances or restrictions concerning these investments, which would be separately evaluated, it is unlikely that any additional impairment charge would be required.

For equity method investments in operating businesses, the Company considers a variety of factors including economic conditions nationally and in their geographic areas of operation, adverse changes in the industry in which they operate, declines in business prospects, deterioration in earnings, increasing costs of operations and other relevant factors specific to the investee. Whenever the Company believes conditions or events indicate that one of these investments might be significantly impaired, the Company will obtain from such investee updated cash flow projections and impairment analyses of the investee assets. The Company will use this information and, together with discussions with the investee's management, evaluate if the book value of its investment exceeds its fair value, and if so and the situation is deemed other than temporary, record an impairment charge.

The Company has a joint venture agreement with Garff Enterprises, Inc., pursuant to which the joint venture has acquired various automobile dealerships ("Garcadia"). During the second quarter of 2009, the Company's equity in losses of Garcadia included impairment charges for goodwill and other intangible assets aggregating \$32,348,000. Garcadia's automobile dealerships had been adversely impacted by general economic conditions, and the bankruptcy filings by two of the three largest U.S. automobile manufacturers was a change in circumstances that caused Garcadia to evaluate the recoverability of its goodwill and other intangible assets. Garcadia prepared discounted cash flow projections for each of its dealerships and concluded that the carrying amount of its goodwill and other intangible assets was impaired.

Impairment of Securities - Declines in the fair value of equity securities considered to be other than temporary and declines in the fair values of debt securities related to credit losses are reflected in net securities gains (losses) in the consolidated statements of operations. The Company evaluates its investments for impairment on a quarterly basis.

The Company's determination of whether a security is other than temporarily impaired incorporates both quantitative and qualitative information; GAAP requires the exercise of judgment in making this assessment, rather than the application of fixed mathematical criteria. The various factors that the Company considers in making its determination are specific to each investment. For publicly traded debt and equity securities, the Company considers a number of factors including, but not limited to, the length of time and the extent to which the fair value has been less than cost, the financial condition and near term prospects of the issuer, the reason for the decline in fair value, changes in fair value subsequent to the balance sheet date, the ability and intent to hold investments to maturity, and other factors specific to the individual investment. For investments in private equity funds and non-public securities, the Company bases its determination upon financial statements, net asset values and/or other information obtained from fund managers or investee companies.

The Company recorded the following impairment charges for securities in the consolidated statement of operations during the three year period ended December 31, 2011 (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009
Publicly traded securities	\$3,243	\$-	\$14,384
Non-public securities and private equity funds	8	767	2,224
Non-agency mortgage-backed bond securitizations	335	1,707	14,812
Totals	\$3,586	\$2,474	\$31,420

The Company's assessment involves a high degree of judgment and accordingly, actual results may differ significantly from the Company's estimates and judgments.

Credit Quality of Financing Receivables and Allowance for Credit Losses – The Company's operating subsidiaries do not provide financing to their customers in the ordinary course of business. However, the Company does have a 13 year unsecured zero-coupon note of FMG Chichester Pty Ltd ("FMG"), which had a balance of \$40,801,000 at December 31, 2011 (see Note 6), that meets the accounting definition of a finance receivable. The Company exercises judgment in evaluating the credit risk and collectability of this note. This assessment was made prior to the inception of the credit exposure and continues to be made at regular intervals. The various factors that the Company considers in making its assessment include the current and projected financial condition of FMG, the Company's collection experience and the length of time until the note becomes due. As a result of its assessment, the Company concluded that an allowance for credit losses was not required as of December 31, 2011.

Business Combinations - At acquisition, the Company allocates the cost of a business acquisition to the specific tangible and intangible assets acquired and liabilities assumed based upon their fair values. Significant judgments and estimates are often made by the Company's management to determine these values, and may include the use of appraisals, consideration of market quotes for similar transactions, use of discounted cash flow techniques or consideration of other information the Company believes to be relevant. The finalization of the purchase price allocation will typically take a number of months to complete, and if final values are significantly different from initially recorded amounts adjustments to prior periods may be required. Any excess of the cost of a business acquisition over the fair values of the net assets and liabilities acquired is recorded as goodwill, which is not amortized to expense. If the fair values of the net assets and liabilities acquired are greater than the purchase price, the excess is treated as a bargain purchase and recognized in income. Recorded goodwill of a reporting unit is required to be tested for impairment on an annual basis, and between annual testing dates if events or circumstances change that would more likely than not reduce the fair value of a reporting unit below its net book value. At December 31, 2011, the book value of goodwill was \$18,119,000 and was not impaired.

Subsequent to the finalization of the purchase price allocation, any adjustments to the recorded values of acquired assets and liabilities would be reflected in the Company's consolidated statement of operations. Once final, the Company is not permitted to revise the allocation of the original purchase price, even if subsequent events or circumstances prove the Company's original judgments and estimates to be inaccurate. In addition, long-lived assets recorded in a business combination like property and equipment, intangibles and goodwill may be deemed to be impaired in the future resulting in the recognition of an impairment loss. The assumptions and judgments made by the Company when recording business combinations will have an impact on reported results of operations for many years into the future.

Use of Fair Value Estimates - Under GAAP, fair value is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. Further, a fair value hierarchy prioritizes inputs to valuation techniques into three broad levels. The fair value hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1), the next priority to inputs that don't qualify as Level 1 inputs but are nonetheless observable, either directly or indirectly, for the

particular asset or liability (Level 2), and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3).

Over 92% of the Company's investment portfolio is classified as available for sale securities, which are carried at estimated fair value in the Company's consolidated balance sheet. The estimated fair values are principally based on publicly quoted market prices (Level 1 inputs), which can rise or fall in reaction to a wide variety of factors or events, and as such are subject to market-related risks and uncertainties. The Company has a segregated portfolio of mortgage pass-through certificates issued by U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprises (FHLMC or FNMA), which are carried on the balance sheet at their estimated fair value of \$622,191,000 at December 31, 2011. Although the markets that these types of securities trade in are generally active, market prices are not always available for the identical security. The fair value of these investments are based on observable market data including benchmark yields, reported trades, issuer spreads, benchmark securities, bids and offers. These estimates of fair value are considered to be Level 2 inputs, and the amounts realized from the disposition of these investments has not been significantly different from their estimated fair values.

The Company also has a segregated portfolio of non-agency mortgage-backed securities which are carried on the balance sheet at their estimated fair value of \$39,839,000 at December 31, 2011. Although these securities trade in brokered markets, the market for these securities is sometimes inactive. The fair values of these investments are based on bid and ask prices, quotes obtained from independent market makers and pricing services. These estimates of fair values are also considered to be Level 2 inputs.

Contingencies - The Company accrues for contingent losses when the contingent loss is probable and the amount of loss can be reasonably estimated. Estimates of the likelihood that a loss will be incurred and of contingent loss amounts normally require significant judgment by management, can be highly subjective and are subject to significant change with the passage of time as more information becomes available. Estimating the ultimate impact of litigation matters is inherently uncertain, in particular because the ultimate outcome will rest on events and decisions of others that may not be within the power of the Company to control. The Company does not believe that any of its current litigation will have a significant adverse effect on its consolidated financial position, results of operations or liquidity; however, if amounts paid at the resolution of litigation are in excess of recorded reserve amounts, the excess could be significant in relation to results of operations for that period. As of December 31, 2011, the Company's accrual for contingent losses was not significant.

(b) Consolidation Policy: The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company, all variable interest entities of which the Company or a subsidiary is the primary beneficiary, and all majority-controlled entities that are not variable interest entities. The Company considers special allocations of cash flows and preferences, if any, to determine amounts allocable to noncontrolling interests. All intercompany transactions and balances are eliminated in consolidation.

Associated companies include equity interests in other entities that are accounted for under the equity method of accounting. These include investments in corporations that the Company does not control but has the ability to exercise significant influence and investments in limited partnerships in which the Company's interest is more than minor.

- (c) Cash Equivalents: The Company considers short-term investments, which have maturities of less than three months at the time of acquisition, to be cash equivalents. Cash and cash equivalents include short-term investments of \$2,691,000 and \$310,901,000 at December 31, 2011 and 2010, respectively.
- (d) Investments: At acquisition, marketable debt and equity securities are designated as either i) held to maturity, which are carried at amortized cost, ii) trading, which are carried at estimated fair value with unrealized gains and losses reflected in results of operations, or iii) available for sale, which are carried at estimated fair value with unrealized gains and losses reflected as a separate component of equity, net of taxes. Equity securities that do not have readily determinable fair values are carried at cost. The cost of securities sold is based on average cost. Held to maturity investments are made with the intention of holding such securities to maturity, which the Company has the ability to do.
- (e) Property, Equipment and Leasehold Improvements: Property, equipment and leasehold improvements are stated at cost, net of accumulated depreciation and amortization. Depreciation and amortization are provided principally on the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets or, if less, the term of the underlying lease.
- (f) Revenue Recognition: Revenues are recognized when the following conditions are met: (1) collectibility is reasonably assured; (2) title to the product has passed or the service has been rendered and earned; (3) persuasive evidence of an arrangement exists; and (4) there is a fixed or determinable price. National Beef's revenues are recognized based on the terms of the sale, which for beef processing operations is typically upon delivery to

customers. Manufacturing revenues are recognized when title passes, which for Idaho Timber is generally upon the customer's receipt of the goods and for Conwed Plastics upon shipment of goods. Gaming entertainment revenues consist of casino gaming, hotel, food and beverage, and entertainment revenues. Casino gaming revenue is the aggregate of gaming wins and losses, reduced for the cash value of rewards earned by customers based on their level of play on slot machines. Hotel, food and beverage, and entertainment revenues are recognized as services are performed. Revenue from the sale of real estate is generally recognized when title passes; however, if the Company is obligated to make improvements to the real estate subsequent to closing, a portion of revenues are deferred and recognized under the percentage of completion method of accounting. Drilling revenues from daywork contracts are recognized based on the days completed at the dayrate specified by the contracts.

(g) Inventories and Cost of Sales: National Beef's inventories consist primarily of meat products and supplies, and are stated at the lower of cost or market, with cost principally determined under the first-in-first-out method for meat products and average cost for supplies.

Manufacturing inventories are stated at the lower of cost or market, with cost principally determined under the first-in-first-out method. Manufacturing cost of sales principally includes product and manufacturing costs, inbound and outbound shipping costs and handling costs.

Direct operating expenses for gaming entertainment include expenses relating to casino gaming, hotel, food and beverage, and entertainment, which primarily consists of employees' compensation and benefits, cost of sales related to food and beverage sales, marketing and advertising, gaming taxes, insurance, supplies, license fees and royalties. Direct operating expenses for oil and gas drilling services primarily consist of employees' compensation and benefits, drilling supplies and parts, maintenance and repairs, truck and rig fuel and equipment rental.

- (h) Research and Development Costs: Research and development costs are expensed as incurred.
- (i) Income Taxes: The Company provides for income taxes using the liability method. The Company records interest and penalties, if any, with respect to uncertain tax positions as components of income tax expense.
- (j) Derivative Financial Instruments: The Company reflects its derivative financial instruments in its balance sheet at fair value. National Beef uses futures and forward contracts in order to reduce its exposure to changing commodity prices. In addition, the Company has from time to time utilized derivative financial instruments to manage the impact of changes in interest rates on certain debt obligations, hedge net investments in foreign subsidiaries and manage foreign currency risk on certain available for sale securities; however, none are currently outstanding. Although the Company believes that its derivative financial instruments help mitigate certain market risks, they do not meet the effectiveness criteria under GAAP, and therefore are not accounted for as hedges.
- (k) Translation of Foreign Currency: Foreign currency denominated investments and financial statements are translated into U.S. dollars at current exchange rates, except that revenues and expenses are translated at average exchange rates during each reporting period; resulting translation adjustments are reported as a component of shareholders' equity. Net foreign exchange transaction losses were \$202,000 for 2011, \$511,000 for 2010 and \$335,000 for 2009.
- (1) Share-Based Compensation: The cost of all share-based payments to employees, including grants of employee stock options and warrants, is recognized in the financial statements based on their fair values. The cost is recognized as an expense over the vesting period of the award. The fair value of each award is estimated at the date of grant using the Black-Scholes option pricing model.
- (m) Related Party Transactions: National Beef regularly enters into various transactions with an affiliate of NBPCo Holdings, LLC ("NBPCo Holdings"), and has entered into a cattle supply agreement with U.S. Premium Beef, LLC ("USPB"); entities that sold a substantial portion of their ownership in National Beef to the Company and are the owners of redeemable noncontrolling interests in National Beef. National Beef sells product to and purchases material from a company affiliated with NBPCo Holdings in the ordinary course of business; transactions are based upon prevailing market prices on terms that could be obtained from an unaffiliated party. National Beef and USPB are parties to a cattle supply agreement pursuant to which National Beef has agreed to purchase through USPB from the members of USPB 735,385 head of cattle per year (subject to adjustment), based on pricing grids furnished by National Beef to the members of USPB. National Beef believes the pricing grids are based on terms that could be obtained from an

unaffiliated party. The cattle supply agreement is for an initial five year term, with automatic one year extensions on each annual anniversary date of the Company's acquisition of National Beef, unless either party provides a notice not to extend sixty days prior to the annual anniversary date.

(n) Recently Issued Accounting Standards: In April 2011, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued guidance to improve the accounting for repurchase agreements and other agreements that both entitle and obligate a transferor to repurchase or redeem financial assets before their maturity. The amendments remove from the assessment of effective control the criterion requiring the transferor to have the ability to repurchase or redeem the financial assets on substantially the agreed terms, even in the event of default by the transferee, and the collateral maintenance implementation guidance related to that criterion. The guidance, which is effective for the first interim or annual period beginning on or after December 15, 2011, is not expected to have a significant impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In May 2011, the FASB issued guidance to improve the comparability of fair value measurements presented and disclosed in financial statements issued in accordance with GAAP and International Financial Reporting Standards. The amendment includes requirements for measuring fair value and for disclosing information about fair value measurements, but does not require additional fair value measurements and is not intended to establish valuation standards or affect valuation practices outside of financial reporting. The guidance, which is effective during interim or annual periods beginning after December 15, 2011, is not expected to have a significant impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In June 2011, the FASB issued amended guidance on the presentation of comprehensive income. This amendment eliminates the current option to report other comprehensive income and its components in the statement of changes in equity; instead, it requires the presentation of comprehensive income, the components of net income and the components of other comprehensive income either in a single continuous statement of comprehensive income or in two separate but consecutive statements. This amendment, which must be applied retrospectively, is effective for fiscal years and interim periods beginning after December 15, 2011, and early adoption is permitted. Adoption of this amendment will change the presentation of the Company's consolidated financial statements but will not have any impact on its consolidated financial position, results of operations or cash flows.

In September 2011, the FASB issued guidance to simplify how entities test for goodwill impairment. This amendment permits an entity to first assess qualitative factors to determine whether it is more likely than not that the fair value of a reporting unit is less than its carrying amount as a basis for determining whether it is necessary to perform the two-step goodwill impairment test. The guidance, which is effective for annual and interim goodwill impairment tests performed for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2011, is not expected to have a significant impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

3. Acquisitions:

National Beef

In December 2011, the Company acquired a controlling interest in National Beef for aggregate net cash consideration of \$867,869,000. Pursuant to a membership interest purchase agreement among the Company, National Beef, USPB, NBPCo Holdings, TKK Investments, LLC ("TKK"), TMKCo, LLC ("TMKCo") and TMK Holdings ("TMK"), the following transactions occurred in sequence on the closing date. TKK, TMKCo and TMK are entities controlled by the chief executive officer of National Beef.

- (a) The Company purchased 76.1% of National Beef from USPB and NBPCo Holdings for aggregate cash consideration of \$875,369,000.
- (b) TKK and TMKCo exercised their put rights with respect to their aggregate 5.1% interest in National Beef and National Beef redeemed their interest for aggregate cash payments of \$75,947,000. National Beef borrowed funds under its revolving credit facility to finance the redemption. Upon completion of this redemption the Company's interest in National Beef increased to 79.6%.
- (c) TMK purchased a .7% interest in National Beef from the Company for a cash payment of \$7,500,000, reducing the Company's interest to 78.9%.

A portion of the purchase price payable to USPB and NBPCo was placed on deposit with an escrow agent to secure certain indemnification obligations. Upon consummation of the transactions on the closing date, USPB owned 15.1% and NBPCo owned 5.3% of National Beef. Since transactions (b) and (c) above occurred after the Company acquired a controlling interest in National Beef, those transactions are reflected in the Company's consolidated financial statements.

The following table reflects the preliminary allocation of the consideration paid to the assets acquired and liabilities assumed at the acquisition date, as well as the fair value of the redeemable noncontrolling interests in National Beef (in thousands):

Assets:	As of December 30, 2011
Current assets:	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$18,481
Trade, notes and other receivables	195,643
Inventory	280,499
Prepaids and other current assets	22,969
Total current assets	517,592
Intangible assets and goodwill	818,484
Other assets	4,613
Property and equipment	446,166
Total assets	1,786,855
Liabilities:	
Current liabilities:	
Trade payables and expense accruals	234,451
Other current liabilities	13,746
Debt due within one year	29,262
Total current liabilities	277,459
Other non-current liabilities	1,404
Long-term debt	328,267
Total liabilities	607,130
Redeemable noncontrolling interests	
in subsidiary	304,356
Net assets acquired	\$875,369

To assist the Company's management in its determination of the fair value of National Beef's property and equipment, identifiable intangible assets and equity value, the Company engaged an independent valuation and appraisal firm. The methods used by the Company's management to determine the fair values included estimating National Beef's business enterprise value through the use of a discounted cash flow analysis. Property and equipment asset valuations included an analysis of depreciated replacement cost and current market prices. The Company considered several factors to determine the fair value of property and equipment, including local market conditions, recent market transactions, the size, age, condition, utility and character of the property, the estimated cost to acquire replacement property, an estimate of depreciation from use and functional obsolescence and the remaining expected useful life of the assets.

Amounts allocated to product inventories were principally based on quoted commodity prices on the acquisition date. For other components of working capital, the historical carrying values approximated fair values. National Beef's long-term debt principally consists of its senior credit facility payable to its bank group, which was renegotiated in June 2011. In December 2011, the lenders consented to the acquisition as required by the credit facility, and to certain other amendments to the facility's covenants; the pricing of the credit facility remained the same. In addition to these factors, the Company also analyzed changes in market interest rates from June 2011 and concluded that the principal amount due under the credit facility approximated its fair value on the acquisition date.

The fair value of TKK and TMKCo's redeemable noncontrolling interests was the amount paid to redeem those interests as described above. The fair value of other redeemable noncontrolling interests was determined based upon the purchase price paid by the Company for its interest.

Amounts allocated to intangible assets, the amortization period and goodwill were as follows:

	Amount	Amortization Years
Customer relationships	\$405,180	18
Tradenames	260,059	20
Cattle supply contracts	143,500	15
Other	830	10
Subtotal, intangible assets	809,569	
Goodwill	8,915	
Total	\$818,484	

All of the goodwill is deductible for income tax purposes.

For the year ended December 31, 2011, the Company expensed \$14,834,000 of costs related to the acquisition of National Beef.

Unaudited pro forma operating results for the Company, assuming the acquisition had occurred as of January 1, 2010 are as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010
Revenues and other income	\$8,609,304	\$7,365,903
Net income attributable to Leucadia National		
Corporation common shareholders	\$112,734	\$2,050,684

Pro forma adjustments principally reflect an increase to depreciation and amortization expenses related to the fair value of property and equipment and amortizable intangible assets. The unaudited pro forma data is not indicative of future results of operations or what would have resulted if the acquisition had actually occurred as of January 1, 2010.

Seghesio Family Vineyards

In June 2011, a subsidiary of the Company purchased the assets of Seghesio Family Vineyards, the owner and operator of premium estate vineyards and a winery located in Healdsburg, California. The cash purchase price was \$86,018,000, which was primarily allocated as follows: \$48,503,000 to property, equipment and leasehold improvements, \$22,250,000 to amortizable intangible assets (principally trademarks and tradename, which will be amortized over 17 years), \$12,822,000 to inventory and \$1,053,000 to goodwill. Unaudited pro forma income statement data is not included as the amounts were not significant.

Keen

During 2006, the Company acquired a 30% limited liability company interest in Keen for aggregate consideration of \$60,000,000, excluding expenses, and agreed to lend to Keen, on a senior secured basis, up to \$126,000,000 to finance new rig equipment purchases and construction costs and to repay existing debt. During 2007, the Company increased its equity interest to 50% for additional payments aggregating \$45,000,000. In addition, the credit facility was amended to increase the borrowing capacity to \$138,500,000, and the Company provided Keen with two additional secured credit facilities aggregating \$60,000,000. When the Company increased its investment in Keen to 50%, the

terms of the limited liability agreement were amended to provide that in the event of a dissolution, liquidation or termination of Keen, available cash or assets would first be used to pay all of Keen's debts (including loans made by the Company), then distributed to the Company as a liquidation preference until it had received a return of its equity investment (\$105,000,000), before any payments were made to the other equity owner of Keen.

During 2009, the Company believes it became apparent to the other equity owner of Keen that Keen would not be able to make scheduled debt payments to the Company, and that the resulting payment default could result in a liquidation of Keen. In that event, the Company's liquidation preference over equity distributions would result in very little, if any, distributions to the other equity owner of Keen. In November 2009, the Company purchased the other 50% equity interest that it did not own plus a secured note payable to the other equity owner of Keen for aggregate cash consideration of \$15,000,000. The Company believes it was able to acquire the remaining 50% equity interest at this distressed price because of the expected payment default on Keen's senior secured debt owed to the Company and the Company's preferred equity distribution in the event Keen was liquidated.

When the Company acquired the controlling interest in Keen it became a consolidated subsidiary; prior to that time the investment in Keen was classified as an investment in an associated company. Under GAAP, upon consolidation the Company was required to record Keen's assets and liabilities at fair value, and was required to adjust the carrying value of the Company's equity investment immediately prior to the acquisition to fair value. Due to the unique circumstances surrounding the Company's 2009 acquisition described above, the fair value of the net assets acquired exceeded the amount paid by \$49,345,000; the bargain purchase was recognized as a gain on the date of acquisition and included in investment and other income. However, the fair value of the Company's equity interest immediately prior to the acquisition was less than its \$85,889,000 carrying value; accordingly the Company included a charge of \$36,544,000 in income (losses) related to associated companies to write down the pre-acquisition carrying value of its investment in Keen to fair value.

For the period from acquisition to December 31, 2009, the Company's consolidated statement of operations includes revenues and pre-tax income from Keen of \$60,459,000 and \$46,738,000, respectively, including a gain of \$49,345,000 resulting from the bargain purchase. Acquisition related costs were expensed and were not significant. Unaudited pro forma income statement data for 2009 is not included as the amounts were not significant.

4. Investments in Associated Companies:

A summary of investments in associated companies at December 31, 2011 and 2010 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010
Investments in associated companies accounted for		
under the equity method of accounting (a):		
Jefferies High Yield Holdings, LLC ("JHYH")	\$323,262	\$321,023
Berkadia	193,496	475,071
Garcadia	72,303	35,943
HomeFed Corporation ("HomeFed")	47,493	46,083
Brooklyn Renaissance Plaza	31,931	30,539
Linkem S.p.A. ("Linkem")	86,332	_
Other	38,949	51,277
Total accounted for under the equity method of accounting	793,766	959,936
Investments in associated companies carried at fair value:		
Jefferies	797,583	1,314,227
Mueller	400,446	_
Total accounted for at fair value	1,198,029	1,314,227
Total investments in associated companies	\$1,991,795	\$2,274,163

(a) Investments accounted for under the equity method of accounting are initially recorded at their original cost and subsequently increased for the Company's share of the investees' earnings, decreased for the Company's share of the investees' losses, reduced for dividends received and impairment charges recorded, if any, and increased for any additional investment of capital.

Income (losses) related to associated companies includes the following for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2011 (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009	
Jefferies	\$(668,282)	\$157,873	\$469,820	
Mueller	(6,093)	_	_	
ACF	_	183,572	376,490	
Berkadia	29,033	16,166	20,811	
Garcadia	19,996	14,424	(25,668)
ЈНҮН	11,211	20,053	37,249	
Linkem	(2,243)	_	_	
HomeFed	1,410	1,108	882	
Keen	_	_	(45,475)
Las Cruces	_	(16,159) 1,046	
Other	2,606	(2,016) (29,352)
Income (losses) related to associated				
companies before income taxes	(612,362)	375,021	805,803	
Income tax (expense) benefit	218,321	5,745	(25,567)
Income (losses) related to associated				
companies, net of taxes	\$(394,041)	\$380,766	\$780,236	

In accordance with GAAP, the Company is allowed to choose, at specified election dates, to measure many financial instruments and certain other items at fair value (the "fair value option") that would not otherwise be required to be measured at fair value. If the fair value option is elected for a particular financial instrument or other item, the Company is required to report unrealized gains and losses on those items in earnings. The Company's investments in Jefferies, Mueller and its former investment in ACF are the only eligible items for which the fair value option was elected, commencing on the date the investments became subject to the equity method of accounting. The Company believes accounting for these investments at fair value better reflects the economics of these investments, and quoted market prices for these investments provide an objectively determined fair value at each balance sheet date. In addition, electing the fair value option eliminates the uncertainty involved with impairment considerations. The Company's investment in HomeFed is the only other investment in an associated company that is also a publicly traded company but for which the Company did not elect the fair value option. HomeFed's common stock is not listed on any stock exchange, and price information for the common stock is not regularly quoted on any automated quotation system. It is traded in the over-the-counter market with high and low bid prices published by the National Association of Securities Dealers OTC Bulletin Board Service; however, trading volume is minimal. For these reasons the Company did not elect the fair value option for HomeFed.

Mueller

During 2011, the Company acquired 10,422,859 common shares of Mueller, representing approximately 27.3% of the outstanding common shares of Mueller, a company listed on the New York Stock Exchange (Symbol: MLI), for aggregate cash consideration of \$408,558,000. Mueller is a leading manufacturer of copper, brass, plastic, and aluminum products. In September 2011, the Company entered into a standstill agreement with Mueller for the two year period ending September 1, 2013, pursuant to which, among other things, subject to certain provisions the Company has agreed not to sell its shares if the buyer would own more than 4.9% of the outstanding shares, and not to increase its ownership interest to more than 27.5% of the outstanding Mueller common shares. In addition, the Company has the right to nominate two directors to the board of directors of Mueller and Mueller has agreed to give

the Company registration rights covering all of the Mueller shares of common stock owned by the Company.

Jefferies

As of December 31, 2011 the Company owns an aggregate of 58,006,024 Jefferies common shares (approximately 29% of the Jefferies outstanding common shares) for a total investment of \$980,109,000. During 2011, the Company purchased an aggregate of 8,654,639 Jefferies common shares through a public offering, in private transactions and in the open market for total cash consideration of \$167,753,000. Jefferies, a company listed on the NYSE (Symbol: JEF), is a full-service global investment bank and institutional securities firm serving companies and their investors. Jefferies has entered into a registration rights agreement covering all of the Jefferies common stock owned by the Company.

Berkadia

Berkadia, a joint venture between Berkshire Hathaway Inc. ("Berkshire Hathaway") and the Company, acquired a commercial mortgage origination and servicing business in December 2009. The Company and Berkshire Hathaway each have a 50% equity interest in Berkadia, and each party contributed \$217,169,000 of equity capital to fund the acquisition. In addition, a subsidiary of Berkshire Hathaway provided Berkadia with a five-year, \$1 billion secured credit facility, which was used to fund outstanding mortgage loans and servicer advances, purchase mortgage servicing rights and for working capital needs. Berkadia is a servicer of commercial real estate loans in the U.S., performing primary, master and special servicing functions for U.S. government agency programs, commercial mortgage-backed securities transactions, banks, insurance companies and other financial institutions. Berkadia also originates loans that are sold to U.S. government agencies, and other loans that provide bridge financing or loans that are intended to be sold to other parties.

Berkadia acquired the commercial mortgage origination and servicing business pursuant to an Asset Put Agreement ("APA") entered into between Berkadia and the seller in September 2009. The seller paid Berkadia \$40,000,000 for the right to require Berkadia to purchase the commercial mortgage origination and mortgage servicing business pursuant to the terms of the APA. The seller subsequently filed for bankruptcy protection under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code and exercised the put option. Although there were other parties interested in purchasing portions of the commercial mortgage origination and servicing business, Berkadia's offer was the only offer for the entire business, which eliminated the seller's risk of having to dispose of the remaining business. In addition, Berkadia's offer included a provision to hire the employees operating the business, thereby saving the seller significant employment related expenses.

Berkadia applied the acquisition method to account for the purchase of the commercial mortgage origination and servicing business and recorded the assets and liabilities acquired at fair value, which were principally mortgage servicing rights, mortgage loans and servicer advances. The fair values of the net assets acquired exceeded the amount paid, principally due to the amount received as a put premium and the reasons identified above. This excess was treated as a bargain purchase that was recognized as a gain on the date of acquisition and included in Berkadia's results of operations. For the 2009 period, the Company's recorded income from Berkadia includes \$24,423,000 representing the Company's share of the bargain purchase.

In the fourth quarter of 2010, Berkadia's secured credit facility was amended to increase the size of the credit facility to \$1.5 billion, with the Company agreeing to provide the increased funds under the facility. At December 31, 2010, the Company had loaned \$250,000,000 to Berkadia under this facility. In June 2011, Berkadia fully repaid the amount outstanding under its secured credit facility, including \$250,000,000 that was loaned by the Company, with funds generated by commercial paper sales of an affiliate of Berkadia. Effective as of December 31, 2011, the secured credit facility was terminated. All of the proceeds from the commercial paper sales are used by Berkadia to fund new mortgage loans, servicer advances, investments and other working capital requirements. Repayment of the

commercial paper is supported by a \$2,500,000,000 surety policy issued by a Berkshire Hathaway insurance subsidiary and corporate guaranty, and the Company has agreed to reimburse Berkshire Hathaway for one-half of any losses incurred thereunder. As of December 31, 2011, the aggregate amount of commercial paper outstanding was \$2,000,000,000.

JHYH

During 2007, the Company and Jefferies formed JHYH and each initially committed to invest \$600,000,000. The Company invested \$350,000,000 during 2007; any request for additional capital contributions from the Company requires the consent of the Company's designees to the Jefferies board. The Company does not anticipate making additional capital contributions. JHYH owns Jefferies High Yield Trading, LLC ("JHYT"), a registered broker-dealer that is engaged in the secondary sales and trading of high yield securities and special situation securities, including bank debt, post-reorganization equity, public and private equity, equity derivatives, credit default swaps and other financial instruments. JHYT makes markets in high yield and special situation securities and provides research coverage on these types of securities. JHYT does not invest or make markets in sub-prime residential mortgage securities.

Jefferies and the Company each have the right to nominate two of a total of four directors to JHYH's board, and each own 50% of the voting securities. The organizational documents also permit passive investors to invest up to \$800,000,000. Jefferies also received additional JHYH securities entitling it to 20% of the profits. The voting and non-voting interests are entitled to a pro rata share of the balance of the profits of JHYH, and are mandatorily redeemable in 2013, with a mutual option to extend up to three additional one-year periods. Under GAAP, JHYH is considered a variable interest entity that is consolidated by Jefferies, since Jefferies is the primary beneficiary. The Company owns less than 50% of JHYH's capital, including its indirect interest through its investment in Jefferies, and will not absorb a majority of its expected losses or receive a majority of its expected residual returns.

During 2011 and 2010, the Company received distributions of \$8,972,000 and \$17,077,000, respectively, from JHYH. The Company has not provided any guarantees, nor is it contingently liable for any of JHYH's liabilities, all of which are non-recourse to the Company. The Company's maximum exposure to loss as a result of its investment in JHYH is limited to the book value of its investment (\$323,262,000 at December 31, 2011).

Linkem

During 2011 the Company acquired 37% of the common shares of Linkem, a wireless broadband services provider in Italy, for aggregate cash consideration of \$88,575,000. The excess of the Company's investment in Linkem over its underlying share of book value is being amortized to expense over 12 years.

HomeFed

During 2002, the Company sold one of its real estate subsidiaries, CDS Holding Corporation ("CDS"), to HomeFed for a purchase price of \$25,000,000, consisting of \$1,000,000 in cash and 2,474,226 shares of HomeFed's common stock. At December 31, 2011, the Company owns approximately 31.4% of HomeFed's outstanding common stock. HomeFed is engaged, directly and through subsidiaries, in the investment in and development of residential real estate projects in California. HomeFed is a public company traded on the NASD OTC Bulletin Board (Symbol: HOFD).

As a result of a 1998 distribution to all of the Company's shareholders, approximately 7.7% and 9.4% of HomeFed is owned by the Company's Chairman and President, respectively. Both are also directors of HomeFed and the Company's President serves as HomeFed's Chairman.

ACF

On October 1, 2010, the Company sold all of its ACF common shares pursuant to a cash merger in which General Motors Company acquired all of the outstanding common stock of ACF. The Company received aggregate cash consideration of \$830,561,000 for its shares of ACF common stock, which were acquired at a cost of \$425,842,000.

Las Cruces

Las Cruces is a Spanish company that holds the exploration and mineral rights to the Las Cruces copper deposit in the Pyrite Belt of Spain. Las Cruces was a consolidated subsidiary from its acquisition in September 1999 until August 2005, at which time the Company sold a 70% interest to Inmet Mining Corporation ("Inmet"), a Canadian-based global mining company traded on the Toronto stock exchange (Symbol: IMN). Inmet acquired the interest in Las Cruces in exchange for 5,600,000 newly issued Inmet common shares.

During the fourth quarter of 2010, the Company sold to Inmet its remaining 30% equity interest in and subordinated sponsor loans to Las Cruces for aggregate consideration of \$576,003,000. The purchase price was comprised of \$150,000,000 of cash and 5,442,413 newly issued common shares of Inmet, which were valued at the market price of the Inmet common shares on the closing date of the transaction. In addition, the Company was released from its guarantee of \$72,000,000 of debt owed by Las Cruces to an affiliate of Inmet. The Company reported a gain on the sale of \$383,369,000 in investment and other income.

The following table provides summarized data for Mueller and for associated companies accounted for on the equity method of accounting for the three years ended December 31, 2011. (Amounts are in thousands.)

	2011	2010	
Assets	\$6,849,185	\$4,190,534	
Liabilities	3,813,236	1,882,116	
Mandatorily redeemable interests	982,057	975,812	
Noncontrolling interest	47,675	17,471	
	2011	2010	2009
Total revenues (including securities gains (losses))	\$3,823,061	\$1,124,140	\$690,156
Income (loss) from continuing operations before			
extraordinary items	\$148,661	\$43,688	\$(294,741)
Net income (loss)	\$148,661	\$43,797	\$(294,741)
The Company's income (losses) related to			
associated companies	\$55,920	\$33,576	\$(40,507)

The Company's annual report on Form 10-K for 2011 includes separate financial statements for Jefferies and ACF.

Except for its investment in Berkadia, the Company has not provided any guarantees, nor is it contingently liable for any of the liabilities reflected in the above tables. All such liabilities are non-recourse to the Company. The Company's exposure to adverse events at the investee companies is limited to the book value of its investment.

Included in consolidated retained earnings at December 31, 2011 is approximately \$40,325,000 of undistributed earnings of the associated companies accounted for under the equity method of accounting.

5. Discontinued Operations:

In August 2010, the Company sold its operating retail shopping center in Long Island, New York for cash consideration of \$17,064,000 and recorded a pre-tax and after tax gain on sale of discontinued operations of \$4,526,000. The Company has not classified this business' historical results of operations or its assets and liabilities as

discontinued operations because such amounts were not significant.

In September 2010, the Company sold ResortQuest for net cash consideration of \$52,371,000 and recorded a pre-tax and after tax gain on sale of discontinued operations of \$35,367,000. As a result, the Company's property management and services segment has been classified as a discontinued operation.

In October 2010, the Company sold STi Prepaid for aggregate consideration of \$20,000,000, which was scheduled to be paid over a 26 month period, and classified the telecommunications segment as a discontinued operation. The Company reported a pre-tax and after tax gain of \$21,104,000 in 2010 on sale of discontinued operations equal to the Company's negative net investment in STi Prepaid (\$19,255,000) and cash payments received from the buyer. During 2011, additional final payments were received from the buyer and the Company recognized a gain from discontinued operations of \$9,669,000.

In 2010, the Company classified its power production business that burns waste biomass to produce electricity as a held for sale discontinued operation and recorded a charge of \$25,321,000 to reduce the carrying amount of the business to its fair value. The power production business was previously classified in the other operations segment, and the impairment charge reduced the carrying amount of property, equipment and leasehold improvements, net and intangible assets to zero.

When the power production facility was originally acquired for \$4,567,000 it was not operating and the original intent was to invest additional funds to rehabilitate the facility and bring it up to nameplate capacity. Despite rehabilitation funding in excess of amounts originally planned, ongoing equipment problems resulted in a failure to bring the facility up to capacity and higher operating costs. The cost of the waste biomass required to produce electricity also increased, and the business would have required additional funding to continue operating during 2011. As a result, in 2010 the Company decided to sell the business rather than continue to fund operating losses in the hope that production improvements and/or waste material price decreases would make the facility profitable.

A summary of the results of discontinued operations for ResortQuest, STi Prepaid and the power production business is as follows for the three years ended December 31, 2011 (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009
Revenues and other income:			
Telecommunications	\$-	\$276,253	\$426,027
Property management and service fees	_	87,039	112,796
Investment and other income	952	10,527	4,971
	952	373,819	543,794
Expenses:			
Cost of sales - telecommunications	_	235,943	363,885
Direct operating expenses - property			
management and services	_	62,595	92,421
Interest	4	15	49
Salaries and incentive compensation	611	11,958	16,755
Depreciation and amortization	_	7,084	8,438
Selling, general and other expenses	4,059	77,712	72,065
	4,674	395,307	553,613
Loss from discontinued			
operations before income taxes	(3,722) (21,488) (9,819)
Income tax provision (benefit)	(1,009) –	35
Loss from discontinued			
operations after income taxes	\$(2,713) \$(21,488) \$(9,854)

During 2011, 2010 and 2009, the Company received and recognized as income from discontinued operations distributions totaling \$4,690,000, \$11,640,000 and \$11,253,000, respectively, from its subsidiary, Empire Insurance

Company ("Empire"), which has been undergoing a voluntary liquidation since 2001. The Company had classified Empire as a discontinued operation in 2001 and fully wrote-off its remaining book value based on its expected future cash flows at that time. Although Empire no longer writes any insurance business, its orderly liquidation over the years has resulted in reductions to its estimated claim reserves that enabled Empire to pay the distributions, with the approval of the New York Insurance Department. For income tax purposes, the payments are treated as non-taxable distributions paid by a subsidiary. Since future distributions from Empire, if any, are subject to New York insurance law or the approval of the New York Insurance Department, income will only be recognized when received.

During 2009, the Company received 636,300 of its common shares in connection with the resolution of a lawsuit related to its former subsidiary, WilTel Communications Group, Inc. ("WilTel"), and recorded income from discontinued operations of \$15,222,000 based on the market value of the common shares. These shares were originally issued in connection with the acquisition of WilTel in 2003, and had been held in a fund for certain claims made against WilTel prior to the Company's ownership. The resolution of the lawsuit found that the claimants were not entitled to the shares and they were returned to the Company.

6. Investments:

A summary of investments classified as current assets at December 31, 2011 and 2010 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011		2010	
		Carrying		Carrying
		Value		Value
		and		and
	Amortized	Estimated	Amortized	Estimated
	Cost	Fair Value	Cost	Fair Value
Investments available for sale	\$146,594	\$145,977	\$253,273	\$253,589
Other investments, including accrued interest income	4,113	4,158	11,067	10,983
Total current investments	\$150,707	\$150,135	\$264,340	\$264,572

The amortized cost, gross unrealized gains and losses and estimated fair value of available for sale investments classified as current assets at December 31, 2011 and 2010 are as follows (in thousands):

		Gross	Gross	Estimated
	Amortized	Unrealized	Unrealized	Fair
	Cost	Gains	Losses	Value
2011				
Bonds and notes:				
U.S. Government and agencies	\$139,940	\$13	\$1	\$139,952
All other corporates	5,649	70	_	5,719
Total fixed maturities	145,589	83	1	145,671
Other investments	1,005	_	699	306
Total current available for sale investments	\$146,594	\$83	\$700	\$145,977
2010				
Bonds and notes:				
U.S. Government and agencies	\$246,996	\$21	\$-	\$247,017
All other corporates	6,277	300	5	6,572
Total fixed maturities	\$253,273	\$321	\$5	\$253,589

A summary of non-current investments at December 31, 2011 and 2010 is as follows (in thousands):

	Amortized Cost	Carrying Value and Estimated Fair Value	Amortized Cost	Carrying Value And Estimated Fair Value
Investments available for sale:				
Fortescue	\$115,703	\$569,256	\$219,723	\$1,659,617
Inmet	504,006	708,193	504,006	862,481
Other investments available for sale	724,664	776,444	1,067,928	1,144,141
Other investments:				
Private equity funds	85,528	85,528	86,944	86,944
Non-agency mortgage-backed bond				
securitization portfolio	1,649	1,649	3,304	3,304
FMG zero coupon note component	40,801	40,801	36,268	36,268
Other non-publicly traded investments	45,298	45,004	40,114	39,904
Total non-current investments	\$1,517,649	\$2,226,875	\$1,958,287	\$3,832,659

In August 2006, pursuant to a subscription agreement with Fortescue Metals Group Ltd ("Fortescue") and its subsidiary, FMG, the Company invested an aggregate of \$408,030,000, including expenses, in Fortescue's Pilbara iron ore and infrastructure project in Western Australia. In exchange for its cash investment, the Company received 264,000,000 common shares of Fortescue, and a \$100,000,000 unsecured note of FMG that matures in August 2019 (the "FMG Note"). In July 2007, Fortescue sold new common shares in an underwritten public offering to raise additional capital for its mining project and to fund future growth. In connection with this offering, the Company exercised its pre-emptive rights to maintain its ownership position and acquired an additional 13,986,000 common shares of Fortescue for \$44,217,000. Fortescue is a publicly traded company on the Australian Stock Exchange (Symbol: FMG).

During 2010, the Company sold 30,000,000 common shares of Fortescue for net cash proceeds of \$121,498,000, which resulted in the recognition of a net securities gain of \$94,918,000. During 2011, the Company sold 117,400,000 common shares of Fortescue for net cash proceeds of \$732,217,000, which resulted in the recognition of net securities gains of \$628,197,000. At December 31, 2011, non-current available for sale investments include 130,586,000 common shares of Fortescue. In January 2012, the Company sold 100,000,000 Fortescue common shares for net cash proceeds of \$506,490,000, and will record a net securities gain of \$417,887,000 during the three month period ending March 31, 2012.

Interest on the FMG Note is calculated as 4% of the revenue, net of government royalties, invoiced from the iron ore produced from the project's Cloud Break and Christmas Creek areas, which commenced production in May 2008. Interest is payable semi-annually within 30 days of June 30th and December 31st of each year; however, cash interest payments due in 2008 and 2009 were deferred by FMG due to covenants contained in the project's senior secured debt (for periods prior to January 1, 2010). Any interest payment that was deferred earned simple interest at an annual rate of 9.5%. Inasmuch as the senior secured debt was redeemed in 2010, the covenants requiring the deferral of interest no longer apply, and FMG has been paying interest when due.

The Company's initial Fortescue investment was allocated to the common shares acquired, using the market value on the acquisition date, a 13 year zero-coupon note and a prepaid mining interest. The zero-coupon note component of

this investment is being accounted for as a loan-like instrument, with income being recognized as the note is accreted up to its face value of \$100,000,000, using a rate of 12.5%. It is classified with other non-current investments. The prepaid mining interest, which is being amortized to expense as the 4% of revenue is earned (using the units of production method), is classified as other current and non-current assets with an aggregate balance of \$152,521,000 and \$164,321,000 at December 31, 2011 and 2010, respectively. Amounts recognized in the consolidated statements of operations for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2011 related to the FMG Note are as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009
Classified as investment and other income:			
Interest income on FMG Note	\$214,455	\$149,257	\$66,079
Interest accreted on zero-coupon note component	\$4,533	\$4,030	\$3,582
Amortization expense on prepaid mining interest	\$11,800	\$9,943	\$7,293

The aggregate book values of the various components of the FMG Note, net of accrued withholding taxes on interest, totaled \$290,415,000 and \$276,148,000 at December 31, 2011 and 2010, respectively.

In August 2010, the Company was advised that Fortescue is asserting that FMG is entitled to issue additional notes identical to the FMG Note in an unlimited amount. Fortescue further claims that any interest to be paid on additional notes can dilute, on a pro rata basis, the Company's entitlement to the above stated interest of 4% of net revenue. The Company does not believe that FMG has the right to issue additional notes which affect the Company's interest or that the interpretation by Fortescue of the terms of the FMG Note, as currently claimed by Fortescue, reflects the agreement between the parties.

In September 2010, the Company filed a Writ of Summons against Fortescue, FMG and Fortescue's then Chief Executive Officer in the Supreme Court of Western Australia. The Writ of Summons seeks, among other things, an injunction restraining the issuance of any additional notes identical to the FMG Note and damages. If the litigation is ultimately determined adversely to the Company and additional notes are issued, the Company's future cash flows from the FMG Note and future results of operations would be significantly and adversely affected to the extent of the dilution resulting from the issuance of such additional notes. In addition, the Company would have to evaluate whether the prepaid mining interest had become impaired. The amount of the impairment, if any, would depend upon the amount of new notes issued and the resulting dilution, plus the Company's projection of future interest payable on the FMG Note.

At December 31, 2011 and 2010, non-current investments include 11,042,413 common shares of Inmet, or approximately 15.9% of Inmet's outstanding shares. The Inmet shares have registration rights and may be sold without restriction in accordance with applicable securities laws. See Note 4 for more information about the acquisition of the Inmet shares.

Non-current other non-publicly traded investments are accounted for under the cost method of accounting, reduced for impairment charges when appropriate.

The amortized cost, gross unrealized gains and losses and estimated fair value of non-current investments classified as available for sale at December 31, 2011 and 2010 are as follows (in thousands):

	Amortized Cost	Gross Unrealized Gains	Gross Unrealized Losses	Estimated Fair Value
2011				
Bonds and notes:				
U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprises	\$609,617	\$12,683	\$109	\$622,191
All other corporates	66,960	636	1,054	66,542
Total fixed maturities	676,577	13,319	1,163	688,733
Equity securities:				
Common stocks:				
Banks, trusts and insurance companies	22,084	28,887	_	50,971
Industrial, miscellaneous and all other	644,717	669,270	299	1,313,688
Total equity securities	666,801	698,157	299	1,364,659
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Other investments	995	— Ф 711 47 6	494	501
	\$1,344,373	\$711,476	\$1,956	\$2,053,893
2010				
Bonds and notes:				
U.S. Government and agencies	\$7,806	\$-	\$90	\$7,716
U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprises	815,066	10,564	2,247	823,383
All other corporates	191,851	917	235	192,533
Total fixed maturities	1,014,723	11,481	2,572	1,023,632
Equity securities:				
Common stocks:				
Banks, trusts and insurance companies	16,340	32,936	_	49,276
Industrial, miscellaneous and all other	760,594	1,833,229	492	2,593,331
Total equity securities	776,934	1,866,165	492	2,642,607
	\$1,791,657	\$1,877,646	\$3,064	\$3,666,239
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The amortized cost and estimated fair value of non-current investments classified as available for sale at December 31, 2011, by contractual maturity, are shown below. Expected maturities are likely to differ from contractual maturities because borrowers may have the right to call or prepay obligations with or without call or prepayment penalties.

	Amortized Cost (In the	Estimated Fair Value ousands)
Due after one year through five years	\$24,918	\$25,024
Due after five years through ten years	_	_
Due after ten years	_	_
	24,918	25,024
Mortgage-backed and asset-backed securities	651,659	663,709
	\$676,577	\$688,733

Reclassification adjustments included in comprehensive income (loss) for the three year period ended December 31, 2011 are as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009
Net unrealized holding gains (losses) arising during the period, net of			
tax provision (benefit) of \$(171,702), \$(21,983) and \$36,348	\$(309,256)	\$813,107	\$1,001,651
Less: reclassification adjustment for net (gains) losses included in net			
income (loss), net of tax (provision) benefit of \$(245,597), \$(3,146) and \$0	(442,350)	(97,514) 8,511
Net change in unrealized gains (losses) on investments, net of tax			
provision (benefit) of \$(417,299), \$(25,129) and \$36,348	\$(751,606)	\$715,593	\$1,010,162

At December 31, 2011, the unrealized losses on investments which have been in a continuous unrealized loss position for less than 12 months and for 12 months or longer were not significant.

Securities with book values of \$4,615,000 at December 31, 2010 collateralized certain swap agreements and a letter of credit.

7. Trade, Notes and Other Receivables, Net:

A summary of current trade, notes and other receivables, net at December 31, 2011 and 2010 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010
Trade receivables	\$235,682	\$43,313
Accrued interest on FMG Note	107,881	83,659
Receivables related to securities	4,572	9,977
Receivables relating to real estate activities	4,707	4,696
Other	20,155	13,393
	372,997	155,038
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(3,874) (4,710)
Total current trade, notes and other receivables, net	\$369,123	\$150,328

The Company received the accrued interest on the FMG Note in January following each year end, net of withholding taxes.

8. Inventory:

A summary of inventory at December 31, 2011 and 2010 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010
Finished goods	\$233,542	\$39,963
Work in process	49,514	12,441
Raw materials, supplies and other	71,522	5,876
	\$354,578	\$58,280

9. Intangible Assets, Net and Goodwill:

A summary of these assets at December 31, 2011 and 2010 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010
Intangibles:		
Customer and other relationships, net of accumulated		
amortization of \$41,958 and \$39,051	\$426,603	\$23,338
Trademarks and tradename, net of accumulated amortization of		
\$1,527 and \$791	278,024	1,210
Cattle supply contracts	143,500	_
Licenses, net of accumulated amortization of \$2,917 and \$2,328	9,081	9,670
Other, net of accumulated amortization of \$5,095 and \$2,650	1,262	267
Goodwill	18,119	8,151
	\$876 589	\$42,636

Amortization expense on intangible assets was \$7,103,000, \$8,401,000 and \$7,657,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively. The estimated aggregate future amortization expense for the intangible assets for each of the next five years is as follows: 2012 - \$52,347,000; 2013 - \$52,196,000; 2014 - \$52,156,000; 2015 - \$49,363,000; and 2016 - \$48,438,000.

At December 31, 2011, goodwill in the above table related to National Beef (\$8,915,000), Conwed Plastics (\$8,151,000) and the winery operations (\$1,053,000). At December 31, 2010, all of the goodwill related to Conwed Plastics. All of the goodwill is deductible for income tax purposes.

10. Other Assets:

A summary of non-current other assets at December 31, 2011 and 2010 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010
Real Estate	\$173,077	\$168,001
Unamortized debt expense	11,454	16,125
Restricted cash	67,396	94,684
Prepaid mining interest	139,572	153,210
Other	28,658	20,301
	\$420,157	\$452,321

At December 31, 2011 and 2010, restricted cash includes \$56,500,000 that had been placed into escrow pursuant to an agreement to acquire 708 acres of land in Panama City, Florida. The purchase price was subsequently reduced to \$51,870,000, the excess funds were returned and the transaction closed in February 2012. In addition, restricted cash at December 31, 2010 includes \$14,600,000 of escrowed funds relating to the Premier noteholders' claims which were settled during 2011.

The Company's prepaid mining interest relates to the FMG Note, which is more fully explained in Note 6.

11. Property, Equipment and Leasehold Improvements, Net:

A summary of property, equipment and leasehold improvements, net at December 31, 2011 and 2010 is as follows (in thousands):

	Depreciable Lives (in years)	2011	2010
Land, buildings and leasehold improvements	3-45	\$604,786	\$384,941
Beef processing machinery and equipment	2-15	201,934	_
Oil and gas drilling services machinery and equipment	7-15	201,550	190,951
Other machinery and equipment	2-25	202,832	190,476
Corporate aircraft	5-10	111,279	99,437
Furniture and fixtures	2-10	23,347	21,406
Construction in progress	N/A	56,465	2,092
Other	3-7	20,869	9,854
		1,423,062	899,157
Accumulated depreciation and amortization		(369,373)	(311,786)
		\$1,053,689	\$587,371

12. Trade Payables and Expense Accruals:

A summary of trade payables and expense accruals at December 31, 2011 and 2010 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010
Trade payables	\$88,328	\$18,166
Book overdrafts	92,254	3,177
Cattle purchases payable	31,431	_
Payables related to securities	955	1,878
Accrued compensation, severance and other employee benefits	92,216	69,075
Accrued legal and professional fees	18,364	7,348
Accrued litigation settlement	_	11,229
Taxes other than income	9,485	5,268
Accrued interest payable	35,496	40,278
Other	18,015	20,173
	\$386,544	\$176,592

At December 31, 2010, the accrued litigation settlement related to an award to the former holders of Premier's bond debt. In April 2011, Premier entered into an agreement to settle the litigation with its former noteholders for \$9,000,000; the remaining liability was reversed and credited to selling, general and other expenses. All litigation with respect to Premier's chapter 11 restructuring has been settled.

13. Indebtedness:

The principal amount, stated interest rate and maturity date of outstanding debt at December 31, 2011 and 2010 are as follows (dollars in thousands):

	2011	2010
Parent Company Debt:		
Senior Notes:		
7 3/4% Senior Notes due 2013, less debt discount of \$99 and \$154	\$94,401	\$94,346
7% Senior Notes due 2013, net of debt premium of \$218 and \$340	312,463	312,585
8 1/8% Senior Notes due 2015, less debt discount of \$4,256 and \$5,437	454,385	474,563
7 1/8% Senior Notes due 2017	423,140	478,000
Subordinated Notes:		
3 3/4% Convertible Senior Subordinated Notes due 2014	97,581	97,581
8.65% Junior Subordinated Deferrable Interest Debentures due 2027	88,204	89,554
Subsidiary Debt:		
Term loans	323,750	_
Revolving credit facility	92,103	_
Aircraft financing due 2011	_	32,881
Capital leases due 2012 through 2015 with a weighted-average		
interest rate of 5.0%	7,115	2,503
Other due 2012 through 2029 with a weighted-average interest rate of .3%	12,562	109,115
Total debt	1,905,704	1,691,128
Less: current maturities	(30,133)	(142,659)
Long-term debt	\$1,875,571	\$1,548,469

Parent Company Debt:

The Board of Directors has authorized the Company, from time to time, to purchase its outstanding debt securities through cash purchases in open market transactions, privately negotiated transactions or otherwise. Such purchases, if any, depend upon prevailing market conditions, the Company's liquidity requirements and other factors; such purchases may be commenced or suspended at any time without notice. Principal amounts purchased during the last three years are as follows (dollars in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009
7 3/4% Senior Notes	\$-	\$5,500	\$-
7% Senior Notes	_	27,200	35,555
8 1/8% Senior Notes	21,359	20,000	_
7 1/8% Senior	54,860	22,000	_
8.65% Junior Subordinated Deferrable Interest Debentures	1,350	2,146	6,500
Total	\$77,569	\$76,846	\$42,055

As a result of the purchases, the Company recognized pre-tax losses of \$6,352,000 and \$5,138,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011 and 2010, respectively, which are reflected in selling, general and other expenses, and recognized pre-tax gains of \$6,693,000 for the year ended December 31, 2009, which are reflected in investment and other income.

In January 2012, the Company called for redemption the Senior Notes due 2017 and the Junior Subordinated Deferrable Interest Debentures due 2027 pursuant to pre-existing call rights. Excluding accrued interest the Company will pay an aggregate of \$528,308,000 to redeem the bonds in March 2012.

In April 2004, the Company sold \$350,000,000 principal amount of its 3¾% Convertible Senior Subordinated Notes due 2014 in a private placement transaction. The notes are convertible into the Company's common shares at \$22.55 per share at any time before their maturity, subject to certain restrictions contained in the notes, at a conversion rate of 44.3459 shares per each \$1,000 principal amount of notes subject to adjustment. Such amount reflects an adjustment to the conversion price as a result of the dividends paid in December 2011 and 2010. Future cash dividends will reduce the conversion price per share by the amount of the dividend paid per share. At December 31, 2011, the notes are convertible into an aggregate of 4,327,317 shares.

Pursuant to privately negotiated transactions to induce conversion, the Company issued 5,378,606 common shares upon the conversion of \$123,529,000 principal amount of the notes during 2009. The number of common shares issued was in accordance with the terms of the notes; however, the Company paid the former noteholders \$25,990,000 to induce conversion. The additional cash payments were recorded as selling, general and other expenses.

The Company's senior note indentures contain covenants that restrict its ability to incur more Indebtedness or issue Preferred Stock of Subsidiaries unless, at the time of such incurrence or issuance, the Company meets a specified ratio of Consolidated Debt to Consolidated Tangible Net Worth, limit the ability of the Company and Material Subsidiaries to incur, in certain circumstances, Liens, limit the ability of Material Subsidiaries to incur Funded Debt in certain circumstances, and contain other terms and restrictions all as defined in the senior note indentures. The Company has the ability to incur substantial additional indebtedness or make distributions to its shareholders and still remain in compliance with these restrictions. If the Company is unable to meet the specified ratio, the Company would not be able to issue additional Indebtedness or Preferred Stock, but the Company's inability to meet the applicable ratio would not result in a default under its senior note indentures. The senior note indentures do not restrict the payment of dividends.

Subsidiary Debt:

At December 31, 2011, National Beef's credit facility consisted of a \$323,750,000 outstanding term loan and a revolving line of credit of up to \$250,000,000; any amounts outstanding under the facility mature in June 2016. The term loan requires quarterly principal payments of \$9,250,000. The term loan and the revolving credit facility bear interest at the Base Rate or the LIBOR Rate (as defined in the credit facility), plus a margin ranging from .75% to 2.50% depending upon certain financial ratios and the rate selected. At December 31, 2011, the interest rate on the term loan was 2.1% and the interest rate in the revolving credit facility was 2.2%. The credit facility is secured by a first priority lien on substantially all of the assets of National Beef and its subsidiaries.

Borrowings under the revolving credit facility are available for National Beef's working capital requirements, capital expenditures and other general corporate purposes. Unused capacity under the facility can also be used to issue letters of credit; letters of credit aggregating \$22,976,000 were outstanding at December 31, 2011. Amounts available under the revolver are subject to a borrowing base calculation primarily comprised of receivable and inventory balances. At December 31, 2011, after deducting outstanding amounts and issued letters of credit the remainder of the unused revolver was fully available to National Beef.

The credit facility contains customary covenants relating to National Beef and its subsidiaries, including restrictions on distributions, mergers, asset sales, investments, acquisitions, encumbrances, affiliate transactions and other matters. The ability of National Beef and its subsidiaries to engage in other business, incur debt or grant liens is also restricted. National Beef is also required to maintain a minimum Adjusted Net Worth, a maximum Funded Debt Ratio and minimum Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio, all as defined in the credit facility. At December 31, 2011, National Beef met all of these requirements.

During 2001, a subsidiary of the Company borrowed \$53,100,000 collateralized by certain of its corporate aircraft. The debt matured during 2011. Other subsidiary debt at December 31, 2011 principally includes Industrial Revenue bonds of National Beef (\$12,245,000). Other subsidiary debt at December 31, 2010 principally included debt secured by MB1's real estate development project (\$100,524,000) and Keen's line of credit (\$8,500,000).

Excluding repurchase agreements discussed below, at December 31, 2011, \$1,818,780,000 of consolidated assets (primarily inventory, receivables, property and equipment and intangibles) are pledged for indebtedness aggregating \$435,450,000, principally for amounts due under National Beef's credit facility.

The aggregate annual mandatory redemptions of debt during the five year period ending December 31, 2016 are as follows: 2012 - \$30,133,000; 2013 - \$445,936,000; 2014 - \$137,411,000; 2015 - \$499,099,000; and 2016 - \$283,918,000. Aggregate annual mandatory redemptions of debt do not include bonds called for redemption in 2012.

Securities Sold Under Agreements to Repurchase:

Securities sold under agreements to repurchase are accounted for as collateralized financing transactions. At December 31, 2011, these fixed rate repurchase agreements have a weighted-average interest rate of approximately 0.3%, mature in January 2012 and are collateralized by non-current investments. The non-current investments are adjustable rate mortgage pass-through certificates issued by U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprises (FHLMC or FNMA). This portfolio has a weighted-average life of approximately 5 years and a duration of .76 at December 31, 2011.

The weighted-average interest rate on short-term borrowings (primarily consisting of securities sold under agreements to repurchase) was .3% and .4% at December 31, 2011 and 2010, respectively.

14. Redeemable Noncontrolling Interests in Subsidiary:

Redeemable noncontrolling interests in subsidiary are held by minority owners of National Beef, principally USPB, NBPCo Holdings and the chief executive officer of National Beef. The holders of these interests share in the profits and losses of National Beef on a pro rata basis with the Company. However, the minority owners have the right to require the Company to purchase their interests under certain specified circumstances at fair value (put rights), and the Company also has the right to purchase their interests under certain specified circumstances at fair value (call rights). Each of the holders of the put rights has the right to make an election that requires the Company to purchase up to one-third of their interests on the fifth and seventh anniversaries of the Company's acquisition of National Beef, and the remainder on the tenth anniversary of the Company's acquisition of National Beef. In addition, USPB may elect to exercise their put rights following the termination of the cattle supply agreement, and the chief executive officer following the termination of his employment.

The Company's call rights with respect to USPB may be exercised following the termination of the cattle supply agreement or after USPB's ownership interest is less than 20% of their interest held at the time the Company acquired National Beef. The Company's call rights with respect to other members may be exercised after the ten year anniversary of the Company's acquisition of National Beef if such member's ownership interest is less than 50% of the interest held at the time the Company acquired National Beef. Additionally, the Company may acquire the chief executive officer's interest following the termination of his employment.

Redeemable noncontrolling interests in subsidiary are reflected in the consolidated balance sheet at fair value. In future periods, redeemable noncontrolling interests will reflect cash distributions and the allocation of profits or losses to the minority owners on a pro rata basis. In addition, redeemable noncontrolling interests will be adjusted for any changes in estimated fair value, with a corresponding adjustment to the Company's common shareholders' equity.

15. Common Shares, Stock Options and Preferred Shares:

The Board of Directors from time to time has authorized acquisitions of the Company's common shares. During the three year period ended December 31, 2011, the Company acquired 4,949 common shares at an average price of \$34.92 per common share, all in connection with stock option exercises. At December 31, 2011, the Company is authorized to repurchase 11,987,880 common shares.

As of December 31, 2011, the Company has two share-based plans: a fixed stock option plan and a senior executive warrant plan. The fixed stock option plan provides for the issuance of stock options and stock appreciation rights to non-employee directors and certain employees at not less than the fair market value of the underlying stock at the date of grant. Options granted to employees under this plan are intended to qualify as incentive stock options to the extent

permitted under the Internal Revenue Code and become exercisable in five equal annual instalments starting one year from date of grant. Options granted to non-employee directors become exercisable in four equal annual instalments starting one year from date of grant. No stock appreciation rights have been granted. As of December 31, 2011, 1,057,250 shares were available for grant under the plan.

On March 6, 2006, the Company's Board of Directors, upon the recommendation of the Compensation Committee of the Board, approved, subject to shareholder approval, the grant of warrants to purchase 2,000,000 common shares to each of the Company's Chairman and President at an exercise price equal to \$28.515 per share (105% of the closing price per share of a common share on that date). In May 2006, shareholder approval was received and the warrants were issued; the warrants vested over a four year period and were scheduled by their terms to expire on March 5, 2011. In February 2011, each of the Company's Chairman and President exercised these warrants, on a cashless exercise basis, pursuant to which they each received 261,599 common shares (determined using a value per share of \$32.806 as set forth in the warrant). All of the common shares obtained upon exercise of the warrants were immediately sold in a private transaction.

On March 7, 2011, the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors granted warrants to purchase 2,000,000 common shares to each of the Company's Chairman and President at an exercise price of \$33.84 per share (105% of the closing price per share of a common share on the grant date), subject to shareholder approval. In May 2011, the required shareholder approval was received and the warrants were issued. The warrants expire in 2016 and vest in five equal tranches with 20% vesting on the date shareholder approval was received and an additional 20% vesting in each subsequent year. Compensation cost was determined as of the approval date and will be recognized in the financial statements over the vesting period of the warrants. For 2011, the Company recorded share-based compensation expense of \$18,941,000 related to this grant of warrants.

Salaries and incentive compensation expense included \$23,019,000, \$4,067,000 and \$10,905,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively, for share-based compensation expense relating to grants made under the Company's senior executive warrant plan and fixed stock option plan. Net income decreased by \$15,203,000, \$3,955,000 and \$10,905,000 for 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively, as a result of the share-based compensation expense. As of December 31, 2011, total unrecognized compensation cost related to nonvested share-based compensation plans was \$43,555,000; this cost is expected to be recognized over a weighted-average period of 1.7 years.

A summary of activity with respect to the Company's stock options for the three years ended December 31, 2011 is as follows:

	Common Shares Subject to Option	Weighted- Average Exercise Prices	Weighted- Average Remaining Contractual Term	Aggregate Intrinsic Value
Balance at December 31, 2008	2,300,290	\$26.29		
Granted	12,000	\$24.44		
Exercised	(47,250)	\$20.28		\$169,000
Cancelled	(68,800)	\$26.38		
Balance at December 31, 2009	2,196,240	\$26.40		
Granted	972,000	\$27.17		
Exercised	(520,740)	\$21.69		\$2,809,000
Cancelled	(25,000)	\$27.66		
Balance at December 31, 2010	2,622,500	\$27.61		
Granted	12,000	\$35.78		

Exercised	(255,445)	·		\$2,412,000
Cancelled	(127,600)	\$27.63		
Balance at December 31, 2011	2,251,455	\$27.62	3.2 years	\$-
Exercisable at December 31, 2011	870,955	\$27.83	1.9 years	\$-
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The following summary presents the weighted-average assumptions used for grants made during each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2011:

	2011 Options		2010 Options		2009 Options	
Risk free interest rate	1.58	%	1.27	%	1.99	%
Expected volatility	45.25	%	45.78	%	44.12	%
Expected dividend yield	.70	%	.87	%	.51	%
Expected life	4.3 years		4.0 years		4.3 years	
Weighted-average fair value per grant	\$13.18		\$9.09		\$8.80	

The expected life assumptions were based on historical behavior and incorporated post-vesting forfeitures for each type of award and population identified. The expected volatility was based on the historical behavior of the Company's stock price. The assumptions used to value options in 2011 were also used to value the warrants granted during 2011, resulting in a fair value per warrant granted of \$13.35.

At December 31, 2011 and 2010, 3,308,755 and 3,564,150, respectively, of the Company's common shares were reserved for stock options, 4,327,317 and 4,279,868, respectively, of the Company's common shares were reserved for the 33/4% Convertible Senior Subordinated Notes and 4,000,000 of the Company's common shares were reserved for warrants.

At December 31, 2011 and 2010, 6,000,000 of preferred shares (redeemable and non-redeemable), par value \$1 per share, were authorized and not issued.

One of the Company's subsidiaries maintains a stock option plan for its employees that provides for the granting of stock options that are exercisable into common shares of the subsidiary; however, amounts related to this plan have not been significant. Salaries and incentive compensation expense include amounts for this plan of \$245,000, \$193,000 and \$201,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

The subsidiary also granted stock appreciation rights to an executive officer that have a seven year term and become exercisable only upon the occurrence of certain events. The rights are payable in cash unless the subsidiary's shares are publicly listed, in which case the subsidiary may elect to settle the rights in stock. Because management has determined that the occurrence of the events required for the stock appreciation rights to become exercisable was not probable as of December 31, 2010, no expense or liability relating to the rights has been recorded. Stock appreciation rights were also granted to a former executive officer; changes to the fair value of these rights are recorded as increases or decreases to selling, general and other expenses. Increases (decreases) to the fair value of these rights were \$(4,447,000), \$261,000 and \$3,102,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

16. Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income:

Activity in accumulated other comprehensive income is reflected in the consolidated statements of equity but not in the consolidated statements of operations. A summary of accumulated other comprehensive income, net of taxes at December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009
Net unrealized gains on investments	\$998,151	\$1,749,757	\$1,034,164

Net unrealized foreign exchange gains (losses)	(3,168) (3,838) 4,024
Net unrealized gains on derivative instruments	_	_	1,005
Net minimum pension liability	(83,537) (60,177) (56,948)
Net postretirement benefit	975	1,621	2,787
	\$912,421	\$1,687,363	3 \$985,032

17. Net Securities Gains (Losses):

The following summarizes net securities gains (losses) for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2011 (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009	
Net realized gains on securities	\$644,777	\$182,060	\$10,440	
Write-down of investments (a)	(3,586) (2,474) (31,420)
Net unrealized gains (losses) on trading securities	285	(92) (126)
	\$641,476	\$179,494	\$(21.106)

(a) Consists of provisions to write down investments resulting from declines in fair values believed to be other than temporary.

In 2011, the Company sold 117,400,000 common shares of Fortescue and recognized net securities gains of \$628,197,000. In 2010, the Company sold 30,000,000 common shares of Fortescue and recognized a net security gain of \$94,918,000 and sold its investment in Light and Power Holdings, Ltd. ("LPH") and recognized a net security gain of \$66,200,000.

Proceeds from sales of investments classified as available for sale were \$4,217,334,000, \$838,197,000 and \$2,112,574,000 during 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively. Gross gains of \$638,863,000, \$104,392,000 and \$18,653,000 and gross losses of \$5,235,000, \$683,000 and \$21,696,000 were realized on these sales during 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

18. Other Results of Operations Information:

Investment and other income for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2011 consists of the following (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009
Interest on fixed maturity investments	\$30,996	\$22,148	\$26,784
Dividend income	18,360	3,654	3,945
Other investment income	1,774	1,169	1,352
Income related to Fortescue's Pilbara project (see Note 6)	214,455	149,257	66,079
Gain on sale of Las Cruces	_	383,369	_
Gain on forgiveness of debt	81,848	_	_
Bargain purchase related to Keen (see Note 3)	_	_	49,345
Gains on sale of real estate and other assets, net of costs	3,312	2,561	12,767
Income related to settlement of insurance claims	_	106	5,272
Gain related to lawsuits and other settlements	141	3,446	10,453
Gain on buyback of debt	_	_	6,693
Government grants reimbursement	5,366	11,143	_
Rental income	11,126	12,417	14,149
Winery revenues	38,161	23,569	20,735
Other	27,836	36,525	39,683
	\$433,375	\$649,364	\$257,257

As reflected in the table above, other income for the other operations segment includes government grants that reimbursed the Company for certain of its prior expenditures related to energy projects, which were fully expensed as incurred.

Taxes, other than income or payroll, amounted to \$21,713,000, \$22,213,000 and \$18,305,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

Advertising costs amounted to \$11,551,000, \$10,284,000 and \$9,251,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

Research and development costs charged to expense were \$22,152,000, \$5,476,000 and \$3,525,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

19. Income Taxes:

The principal components of deferred taxes at December 31, 2011 and 2010 are as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010
Deferred Tax Asset:		
Securities valuation reserves	\$49,893	\$52,444
Other assets	78,289	85,490
NOL carryover	1,730,465	1,962,914
Intangible assets, net and goodwill	23,037	_
Other liabilities	12,386	23,433
	1,894,070	2,124,281
Valuation allowance	(109,181)	(109,181)
	1,784,889	2,015,100
Deferred Tax Liability:		
Unrealized gains on investments	(148,007)	(822,095)
Property and equipment	(45,784)	(4,452)
Other	(6,212)	(12,995)
	(200,003)	(839,542)
Net deferred tax asset	\$1,584,886	\$1,175,558

As of December 31, 2011, the Company had consolidated federal NOLs of \$1,228,800,000 that may be used to offset the taxable income of any member of the Company's consolidated tax group. In addition, the Company has \$3,509,350,000 of federal NOLs that are only available to offset the taxable income of certain subsidiaries. Unused NOLs that expire prior to 2020 aggregate \$2,568,000. The Company also has various state NOLs that expire at different times, which are reflected in the above table to the extent the Company estimates its future taxable income will be apportioned to those states. Uncertainties that may affect the utilization of the Company's tax attributes include future operating results, tax law changes, rulings by taxing authorities regarding whether certain transactions are taxable or deductible and expiration of carryforward periods.

At December 31, 2010, the Company concluded that it was more likely than not that it would have future taxable income sufficient to realize a significant portion of the Company's net deferred tax asset; accordingly, \$1,157,111,000 of the deferred tax valuation allowance was reversed as a credit to income tax expense. See Note 2 for more information.

Under certain circumstances, the ability to use the NOLs and future deductions could be substantially reduced if certain changes in ownership were to occur. In order to reduce this possibility, the Company's certificate of incorporation includes a charter restriction that prohibits transfers of the Company's common stock under certain circumstances.

The provision (benefit) for income taxes for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2011 was as follows, excluding amounts allocated to income (losses) related to associated companies and discontinued operations (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009	
State income taxes	\$7,930	\$3,162	\$(1,890)
Resolution of state tax contingencies	-	(600) (2,025)
Federal income taxes:				
Deferred	239,297	-	-	
Decrease in valuation allowance	-	(1,157,11	1) -	
Foreign income taxes	23,026	15,231	11,023	
	\$270,253	\$(1,139,31	8) \$7,108	

At December 31, 2009, the Company had a full valuation allowance against its net federal deferred tax asset, including its available NOLs. As a result, the Company did not record any regular federal income tax expense for 2009. Prior to September 30, 2010, the Company had been recording provisions or benefits for deferred federal minimum taxes payable, due to unrealized security gains reflected in accumulated other comprehensive income and in income related to associated companies. If these gains were realized, the Company would be able to use its NOLs to fully offset the federal income taxes that would be due, but prior to the election described below the Company would have to pay federal minimum taxes. Although the payment of federal minimum taxes generates a minimum tax credit carryover, prior to the fourth quarter of 2010 it would have been fully reserved for in the net deferred tax asset valuation allowance. Accordingly, for the year ended December 31, 2009, the Company recorded provisions for deferred federal minimum taxes payable of \$22,678,000 and \$11,594,000 in accumulated other comprehensive income and income related to associated companies, respectively.

The Worker, Homeownership, and Business Assistance Act of 2009 provided taxpayers a special election for extended net operating loss carryback benefits, and with respect to any net operating loss for which the election was made, eliminated the limitation that applies to using the NOL to reduce alternative minimum taxable income. In 2010, the Internal Revenue Service provided additional guidance with respect to application of the law, and the Company made the election with respect to its 2008 NOL. As a result, approximately \$1,940,000,000 of the NOLs referred to above can be used to fully offset federal minimum taxable income, and no federal regular or minimum income tax would be payable on such income. During 2010, the Company reversed deferred federal minimum tax liabilities which had been recorded in prior periods of \$11,594,000 to income related to associated companies and \$22,678,000 to accumulated other comprehensive income.

The table below reconciles the expected statutory federal income tax to the actual income tax provision (benefit) (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009	
Expected federal income tax	\$238,346	\$129,151	\$(84,404	.)
State income taxes, net of federal income tax benefit	5,585	3,162	(1,890)
Decrease in valuation allowance	-	(1,157,111) -	
Tax expense not provided on income recorded prior to the reversal of				
deferred tax valuation allowance	-	(134,230) -	
Tax benefit of current year losses fully reserved in valuation allowance	-	-	101,927	7
Accounting expense for warrants in excess of tax deduction	7,141	-	-	
Resolution of tax contingencies	-	(600) (2,025)
Permanent differences	2,552	5,079	(17,523)
Foreign taxes	14,967	15,231	11,023	
Other	1,662	-	-	

Actual income tax provision (benefit)

\$270,253

\$(1,139,318) \$7,108

Reflected above as resolution of tax contingencies are reductions to the Company's income tax provision for the expiration of the applicable statute of limitations and the favorable resolution of certain federal and state income tax contingencies.

The following table reconciles the total amount of unrecognized tax benefits as of the beginning and end of the periods presented (in thousands):

	Unrecognize Tax Benefits		Total
As of January 1, 2009	\$ 7,900	\$3,200	\$11,100
Additions to unrecognized tax benefits	200	-	200
Additional interest expense recognized	-	600	600
Audit payments	(200) (100) (300)
Reductions as a result of the lapse of the statute of			
limitations and completion of audits	(1,200) (800) (2,000)
Balance, December 31, 2009	6,700	2,900	9,600
Additions to unrecognized tax benefits	-	-	-
Additional interest expense recognized	-	500	500
Audit payments	(100) (100) (200)
Reductions as a result of the lapse of the statute of			
limitations and completion of audits	(300) (300) (600)
Balance, December 31, 2010	6,300	3,000	9,300
Additions to unrecognized tax benefits	-	-	-
Additional interest expense recognized	-	500	500
Audit payments	-	-	-
Reductions as a result of the lapse of the statute of			
limitations and completion of audits	-	-	-
Balance, December 31, 2011	\$ 6,300	\$3,500	\$9,800

If recognized, the total amount of unrecognized tax benefits reflected in the table above would lower the Company's effective income tax rate. Over the next twelve months, the Company believes it is reasonably possible that the aggregate amount of unrecognized tax benefits related to uncertain tax positions will decrease by approximately \$300,000 upon the resolution of certain assessments. The statute of limitations with respect to the Company's federal income tax returns has expired for all years through 2007. The Company's New York State and New York City income tax returns are currently being audited for the 2006 to 2008 period.

20. Pension Plans and Postretirement Benefits:

Prior to 1999, the Company maintained a defined benefit pension plan covering employees of certain units who met age and service requirements. This plan was frozen in 1998; in 2010 the plan was terminated and settled. A contribution of \$9,636,000 was made to the plan and the Company recognized a settlement charge of \$12,728,000 during 2010.

Pursuant to the WilTel sale agreement the responsibility for WilTel's defined benefit pension plan was retained by the Company. All benefits under this plan were frozen as of the date of sale.

A summary of activity with respect to defined benefit pension plans for 2011 and 2010 is as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010	
Projected Benefit Obligation:			
Projected benefit obligation at beginning of period	\$207,889	\$235,846	
Interest cost	11,233	12,295	
Actuarial loss	39,028	19,313	
Settlement payment	_	(50,200)
Benefits paid	(6,201) (9,365)
Projected benefit obligation at December 31,	\$251,949	\$207,889	
Change in Plan Assets:			
Fair value of plan assets at beginning of period	\$145,124	\$167,652	
Actual return on plan assets	7,166	6,898	
Employer contributions	43,823	32,511	
Settlement payment	_	(50,200)
Benefits paid	(6,201) (9,365)
Administrative expenses	(1,036) (2,372)
Fair value of plan assets at December 31,	\$188,876	\$145,124	
Funded Status at end of year	\$(63,073) \$(62,765)

As of December 31, 2011 and 2010, \$104,424,000 and \$68,094,000, respectively, of the net amount recognized in the consolidated balance sheet was reflected as a charge to accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) (substantially all of which were cumulative losses) and \$63,073,000 and \$62,765,000, respectively, was reflected as accrued pension cost.

Employer contributions expected to be paid in 2012 are \$3,000,000.

Pension expense related to the defined benefit pension plans charged to results of continuing operations included the following components (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009	
Interest cost	\$11,233	\$11,944	\$12,433	
Expected return on plan assets	(6,091) (7,936) (7,679)
Actuarial loss	2,659	1,929	2,290	
Amortization of prior service cost	-	2	3	
Net pension expense	\$7,801	\$5,939	\$7,047	

At December 31, 2011, the plan's assets at fair value consisted of the following (in thousands):

			leasurements ing
		Quoted	m ₆
		Prices in	
		Active	
		Markets for	Significant
		Identical	Other
	Total	Assets or	Observable
	Fair Value	Liabilities	Inputs
	Measurements	(Level 1)	(Level 2)
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 15,479	\$15,479	\$-
Bonds and notes:	,		
U.S. Government and agencies	27,076	27,076	_
Foreign governments	2,185	2,185	_
All other corporates	126,035	123,689	2,346
Other (primarily receivable on sale			
of securities)	18,101	18,101	_
Total	\$ 188,876	\$186,530	\$2,346

At December 31, 2010, the plan's assets at fair value consisted of the following (in thousands):

		Fair Value
		Measurements
		Using
		Quoted Prices
		in Active
		Markets for
		Identical
	Total	Assets or
	Fair Value	Liabilities
	Measurements	(Level 1)
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 21,748	\$ 21,748
Bonds and notes:		
U.S. Government and agencies	9,154	9,154
U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprises	3,040	3,040
States, municipalities and political		
subdivisions	325	325
All other corporates	110,857	110,857
Total	\$ 145,124	\$ 145,124

The estimated fair values for securities measured using Level 1 inputs are determined using publicly quoted market prices in active markets. Certain of the corporate bonds are measured using Level 2 inputs. Although these bonds trade in brokered markets, the market for certain bonds is sometimes inactive. The fair values of these investments are based on reported trading prices, bid and ask prices and quotes obtained from independent market makers in the

securities. At December 31, 2011, the plan did not have any fair value measurements using unobservable inputs (Level 3).

The current investment objectives are designed to minimize investment losses due to rising interest rates while providing a stable and predictable stream of investment income. To further mitigate investment losses, the Company has placed certain investment restrictions and limitations over plan assets. The restrictions and limitations include the following:

- Fixed income securities will all be rated BBB- or better at the time of purchase, there will be no more than 5% at market in any one security (U.S. government and agency positions excluded), no more than a 30-year maturity in any one security and investments in standard collateralized mortgage obligations are limited to securities that are currently paying interest, receiving principal, do not contain leverage and are limited to 10% of the market value of the portfolio.
- Plan assets are split into two separate portfolios, each with different duration and asset mix. The Investment Grade ("IG") portfolio consists of investment grade fixed income corporate bonds with a maximum duration of 5 years. The Fixed Income ("FI") portfolio consists of investment grade bonds, short and mid-term government instruments, and cash and cash equivalents with a maximum duration of 2 years.

The IG and FI portfolios are managed to maximize the value of plan assets by minimizing exposure to changes in market interest rates. This investment strategy provides the Company with more flexibility in managing the plan should interest rates rise and result in a decrease in the discounted value of benefit obligations.

To develop the assumption for the expected long-term rate of return on plan assets, the Company considered the following underlying assumptions: 2.5% current expected inflation, 1.5% to 1.7% real rate of return for short duration risk-free investments, .2% inflation risk premium and .75% default risk premium for the portion of the portfolio invested in corporate bonds. The Company then weighted these assumptions based on invested assets and assumed that investment expenses were offset by expected returns in excess of benchmarks, which resulted in the selection of the 4.25% expected long-term rate of return assumption for 2011.

Changes in plan assets and benefit obligations recognized in other comprehensive income (loss) for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009 are as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009	
Net loss arising during period	\$(38,989) \$(23,120) \$(5,161)
Settlement charge	_	16,891	_	,
Recognition of amortization in net periodic				
benefit cost:				
Prior service cost	_	2	3	
Actuarial loss	2,659	2,095	2,435	
Total	\$(36,330) \$(4,132) \$(2,723)

The estimated net loss for the defined benefit pension plan that will be amortized from accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) into net periodic benefit cost in 2012 is \$5,928,000.

The Company uses a December 31 measurement date for its plans. Excluding the defined pension benefit plan terminated in 2010, the assumptions used relating to the defined benefit pension plan is as follows:

	2011		2010	
Discount rate used to determine benefit				
obligation at December 31,	4.40	%	5.50	%
Weighted-average assumptions used to determine				
net cost for years ended December 31,:				
Discount rate	5.50	%	6.00	%
Expected long-term return on plan assets	4.25	%	6.00	%

The following pension benefit payments are expected to be paid (in thousands):

2012	\$4,453
2013	4,784
2014	6,371
2015	8,360
2016	9,243
2017 – 2021	67,536

The Company and its consolidated subsidiaries have defined contribution pension plans covering certain employees. Contributions and costs are a percent of each covered employee's salary. Amounts charged to expense related to such plans were \$2,904,000, \$2,570,000 and \$2,265,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

Several subsidiaries provide certain health care and other benefits to certain retired employees under plans which are currently unfunded. The Company pays the cost of postretirement benefits as they are incurred. Accumulated postretirement benefit obligations and amounts recognized in the consolidated statements of operations and in accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) were not significant.

21. Derivative Instruments:

As part of National Beef's operations, it is exposed to market risks from changes in commodity prices. To manage these risks, National Beef may enter into forward purchase contracts for cattle and exchange traded futures contracts for cattle or grain. While these instruments help mitigate market risks, they are not designated and accounted for as hedges; accordingly, the gains and losses associated with changes in fair value of derivative financial instruments are recorded to net sales or cost of goods sold in the period of change. Certain firm commitments for live cattle purchases and all firm commitments for boxed beef sales are designated as normal purchases and sales and not recorded at fair value.

Exchange-traded contracts have been entered into under a master netting agreement. None of the derivatives entered into have credit-related contingent features. National Beef has \$10,683,000 in cash collateral posted for its derivative liabilities which is included in prepaids and other current assets as of December 31, 2011. See Note 25 for fair value information on National Beef's commodity contracts.

22. Commitments and Contingencies:

The Company and its subsidiaries rent office space and office equipment under noncancellable operating leases with terms varying principally from one to thirty years. Rental expense (net of sublease rental income) was \$13,892,000 in 2011, \$14,138,000 in 2010 and \$11,421,000 in 2009. Future minimum annual rentals (exclusive of month-to-month leases, real estate taxes, maintenance and certain other charges) under these leases at December 31, 2011 are as follows (in thousands):

2012	\$20,741	
2013	18,542	
2014	15,995	
2015	10,847	
2016	6,807	
Thereafter	32,926	
	105,858	
Less: sublease income	(986)
	\$104,872	

Pursuant to an agreement that was entered into before the Company sold CDS to HomeFed in 2002, the Company agreed to obtain project improvement bonds for the San Elijo Hills project. These bonds, which are for the benefit of the City of San Marcos, California and other government agencies, are required prior to the commencement of any development at the project. CDS is responsible for paying all third party fees related to obtaining the bonds. Should the City or others draw on the bonds for any reason, CDS and one of its subsidiaries would be obligated to reimburse the Company for the amount drawn. At December 31, 2011, \$1,224,000 was outstanding under these bonds, substantially all of which expires in 2012 and 2013.

As more fully discussed in Note 4, the Company has agreed to reimburse Berkshire Hathaway for up to one-half of any losses incurred under a \$2,500,000,000 surety policy securing outstanding commercial paper issued by an affiliate of Berkadia. As of December 31, 2011, the aggregate amount of commercial paper outstanding was \$2,000,000,000.

The Hard Rock Biloxi's casino is constructed over water on concrete pilings; however, the threat of hurricanes is a risk to the facility. Premier's current insurance policy provides up to \$242,000,000 in coverage for damage to real and personal property including business interruption coverage. The coverage is provided by a panel of U.S., Bermuda and London based insurers and is comprised of a \$50,000,000 primary layer and three excess layers. The coverage is syndicated through several insurance carriers, each with an A.M. Best Rating of A- (Excellent) or better. Although the insurance policy is an all risk policy, any loss resulting from a weather catastrophe occurrence, which is defined to include damage caused by a named storm, is sublimited to \$100,000,000 with a deductible of \$5,000,000.

Effective December 30, 2004, National Beef finalized an agreement with the City of Dodge City, Kansas, whereby in consideration of certain improvements made to the city water and wastewater systems, National Beef committed to make a series of service charge payments totaling \$19,300,000 over a 20 year period. Payments under the commitment will be \$800,000 in each of the years 2012 through 2016, with the remaining balance of \$6,500,000 to be paid in subsequent years.

National Beef makes verbal commitments to cattle producers to purchase cattle approximately one week in advance of delivery of those cattle to its plants. The actual value paid for these cattle is determined after the cattle are delivered, weighed and inspected at the Company's facilities. The total value of verbal commitments to purchase cattle as of December 31, 2011 was \$101,399,000.

All of Linkem's outstanding shares, including the shares owned by the Company, are pledged as collateral for its bank credit line, which was fully drawn at December 31, 2011.

Subsidiaries of the Company have outstanding letters of credit aggregating \$36,524,000 at December 31, 2011.

23. Litigation:

The Company and its subsidiaries are parties to legal proceedings that are considered to be either ordinary, routine litigation incidental to their business or not significant to the Company's consolidated financial position. The Company does not believe that any of the foregoing actions will have a significant adverse effect on its consolidated financial position or liquidity, but any amounts paid could be significant to results of operations for the period.

24. Earnings (Loss) Per Common Share:

Basic and diluted earnings (loss) per share amounts were calculated by dividing net income (loss) by the weighted-average number of common shares outstanding. The numerators and denominators used to calculate basic and diluted earnings (loss) per share for the three year periods ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009 are as follows (in thousands):

	2011	2010	2009
Numerator for earnings (loss) per share: Net income attributable to Leucadia National Corporation common shareholders for basic			
earnings per share	\$25,231	\$1,939,312	\$550,280
Interest on 33/4% Convertible Notes	-	3,707	7,199
Net income attributable to Leucadia National			
Corporation common shareholders for diluted			
earnings per share	\$25,231	\$1,943,019	\$557,479
Denominator for earnings (loss) per share:			
Denominator for basic earnings (loss) per share –			
weighted-average shares	244,425	243,379	241,437
Stock options	73	42	2
Warrants	75	_	_
33/4% Convertible Notes	-	4,251	6,410
Denominator for diluted earnings (loss) per share	244,573	247,672	247,849

Options to purchase 1,639,375, 1,865,625 and 2,247,590 weighted-average shares of common stock were outstanding during the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively, but were not included in the computation of diluted per share amounts as the effect was antidilutive.

The denominator for diluted earnings (loss) per share does not include weighted average common shares of 4,000,000 for the year ended December 31, 2011 related to outstanding warrants to purchase common shares at \$33.84 per share, as the effect was antidilutive. Warrants to purchase 4,000,000 and 4,000,000 weighted average common shares at \$28.515 per share were outstanding during the years ended December 31, 2010 and 2009, respectively, but were not included in the computation of diluted per share amounts as the effect was antidilutive.

For the year ended December 31, 2011, 4,283,518 shares related to the 3¾% Convertible Notes were not included in the computation of diluted per share amounts as the effect was antidilutive.

Outstanding stock options and stock appreciation rights of a subsidiary are not included above since the subsidiary operates at a net loss and the effect is antidilutive.

25. Fair Value of Financial Instruments:

Aggregate information concerning assets and liabilities at December 31, 2011 and 2010 that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis is presented below (dollars in thousands):

Investments classified as current assets: Investments available for sale: Bonds and notes:	Total Fair Value Measurements	Us Quoted Prices in Active Markets for Identical Assets or Liabilities	Measurements ing Significant Other Observable Inputs (Level 2)	
U.S. Government and agencies	\$139,952	\$139,952	\$-	
All other corporates	5,719	5,719	ψ–	
Other	306	3,719	306	
Non-current investments:	300	_	300	
Investments available for sale:				
Bonds and notes:				
U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprises	622,191	_	622,191	
All other corporates	66,542	26,703	39,839	
Equity securities:	00,342	20,703	39,039	
Common stocks:				
Banks, trusts and insurance companies	50,971	50,971	_	
Industrial, miscellaneous and all other		*	_	
Other	1,313,688 501	1,313,688	501	
	1,198,029	- 1,198,029	301	
Investments in associated companies Total	\$3,397,899	\$2,735,062	+662 927	
Total	\$3,397,699	\$2,733,002	\$662,837	
Commodity contracts - other current assets	\$3,816	\$88	\$3,728	
Other current liabilities:				
Commodity contracts	\$(2,802)	\$-	\$(2,802)
Other	(955)	(955)	_	
Total	,	\$(955)	\$(2,802)

December 31, 2010					
	Fair Value Measurements				
	Using				
Total	Quoted	Significant			
Fair Value	Prices in	Other			
Measurements	Active	Observable			
	Markets for	Inputs			
	Identical	(Level 2)			
	Assets or				
	Liabilities				

(Level 1)

		(Level 1)		
Investments classified as current assets:				
Investments available for sale:				
Bonds and notes:				
U.S. Government and agencies	\$247,017	\$247,017	\$-	
All other corporates	6,572	6,324	248	
Non-current investments:				
Investments available for sale:				
Bonds and notes:				
U.S. Government and agencies	7,716	_	7,716	
U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprises	823,383	_	823,383	
All other corporates	192,533	150,193	42,340	
Equity securities:				
Common stocks:				
Banks, trusts and insurance companies	49,276	49,276	_	
Industrial, miscellaneous and all other	2,593,331	2,593,331	_	
Investments in associated companies	1,314,227	1,314,227	_	
Total	\$5,234,055	\$4,360,368	\$873,687	
Other current liabilities	\$(2,413	\$(1,878)	\$(535)
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At December 31, 2011 and 2010, the Company did not have significant fair value measurements using unobservable inputs (Level 3) for assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis. As more fully discussed in Notes 3 and 14, the fair value of the redeemable noncontrolling interests of National Beef was determined based on the amount paid by the Company for its interest, which was acquired on December 30, 2011. In future periods, these interests will be carried at fair value on a recurring basis, based on significant unobservable inputs (Level 3).

The estimated fair values for securities measured using Level 1 inputs are determined using publicly quoted market prices in active markets. The Company has a segregated portfolio of mortgage pass-through certificates issued by U.S. Government agencies (GNMA) and by U.S. Government-Sponsored Enterprises (FHLMC or FNMA) which are carried on the balance sheet at their estimated fair value. Although the markets that these types of securities trade in are generally active, market prices are not always available for the identical security. The fair value of these investments are based on observable market data including benchmark yields, reported trades, issuer spreads, benchmark securities, bids and offers. The estimates of fair value of the portfolios of mortgage pass-through certificates and corporate bonds are considered to be based on Level 2 inputs.

At December 31, 2011, the Company did not have significant assets and liabilities that were measured at fair value on a nonrecurring basis. Aggregate information concerning assets and liabilities at December 31, 2010 that are measured at fair value on a nonrecurring basis is presented below (in thousands):

		December 31, 2010 Fair Value Measurements Using Quoted Prices in		
		Active Markets for	Significant Other	Significant
	Total Fair Value	Identical Assets	Observable Inputs	Unobservable Inputs
	Measurements	(Level 1)	(Level 2)	(Level 3)
Long-lived assets held and used (a)	\$20,600	\$-	\$20,600	\$ -
Long-lived assets held for sale (b)	7,000	_	7,000	_
Other non-current investments (c)	2,200	_	_	2,200

- (a) At December 31, 2010, the Company evaluated for impairment the carrying value of MB1's real estate assets, recorded an impairment charge of \$47,074,000 and reduced the carrying amount to its fair value of \$18,094,000. As of December 31, 2010, the Company also wrote down to fair value one of its real estate projects based on an appraisal and prices for similar assets, and recognized an impairment charge of \$2,357,000, which is included in selling, general and other expenses. See Note 2 for more information.
- (b) Consists of a corporate aircraft at December 31, 2010 for which the fair value was primarily based on prices for similar assets. The Company recognized an impairment loss of \$1,449,000 for 2010 which is included in selling, general and other expenses.
- (c) At December 31, 2010, represents an investment in a non-public security of \$2,177,000. The investment in the non-public security is accounted for under the cost method of accounting for which the Company primarily reviewed issuer financial statements to determine its fair value.

The information in the tables above includes assets that are measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis as of the indicated balance sheet dates. However, prior to year-end the Company recorded impairment charges for assets that resulted in write-downs to fair value in earlier periods. For the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, net securities gains (losses) include impairment charges for investments aggregating \$3,586,000, \$2,474,000 and \$31,420,000, respectively; see Note 2 for further information.

During 2009, the Company recorded impairment charges for other assets and investments in associated companies aggregating \$139,000,000, which were principally classified as selling, general and other expenses and losses related to associated companies. This amount primarily consisted of \$68,800,000 related to long-lived assets, principally with respect to MB1, \$36,544,000 related to the Company's investment in Keen (while it was classified as an associated company) and \$32,348,000 related to the Company's investment in Garcadia (an associated company); see Notes 2 and 3 for further information.

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The following table presents fair value information about certain financial instruments, whether or not recognized on the balance sheet. Fair values are determined as described below. These techniques are significantly affected by the assumptions used, including the discount rate and estimates of future cash flows. The fair value amounts presented do not purport to represent and should not be considered representative of the underlying "market" or franchise value of the Company. The methods and assumptions used to estimate the fair values of each class of the financial instruments described below are as follows:

(a) Investments: The fair values of marketable equity securities and fixed maturity securities (which include securities sold not owned) are substantially based on quoted market prices, as disclosed in Note 6.

Other non-current investments which do not trade publicly include private equity fund investments where the Company's voting interest isn't large enough to apply the equity method of accounting, a portfolio of non-agency mortgage-backed bond securitizations where the underlying assets are various individual mortgage loans, the zero-coupon note component of the FMG Note, and various other non-publicly traded investments. For the investments in private equity funds and the FMG zero-coupon note, the Company has concluded that the carrying amount approximates the fair value of these investments based primarily on reviews of issuer financial statements or statements of net asset value. For the bond securitization portfolio, future cash flows are re-estimated on a regular basis for each security to determine if impairment charges are required; accordingly the Company has concluded that the carrying amount of these securities approximates their fair values. The fair values of the Company's other non-publicly traded investments that are accounted for under the cost method were assumed to be at least equal to the carrying amount. For these non-publicly traded investments, the Company reviews cash flows and/or other information obtained from investee companies on a regular basis to determine if impairment charges are required.

- (b) Cash and cash equivalents: For cash equivalents, the carrying amount approximates fair value.
- (c) Notes receivable: The fair values of variable rate notes receivable are estimated to be the carrying amount.
- (d) Long-term and other indebtedness: The fair values of non-variable rate debt are estimated using quoted market prices and estimated rates that would be available to the Company for debt with similar terms. The fair value of variable rate debt is estimated to be the carrying amount. The fair value of the MB1 debt at December 31, 2010 was the amount paid by the Company's subsidiary for the collateralized property in the foreclosure sale; see Note 2.
- (e) Redeemable noncontrolling interests were valued based on the amount paid by the Company to acquire National Beef on December 30, 2011; see Note 3 for more information.
- (f) Swap agreements: The fair values of the interest rate swap at December 31, 2010 was based on rates then available for similar agreements. At December 31, 2011, the Company did not have any swap agreements.

The carrying amounts and estimated fair values of the Company's financial instruments at December 31, 2011 and 2010 are as follows (in thousands):

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	20	11	2010		
	Carrying	Fair	Carrying	Fair	
	Amount	Value	Amount	Value	
Financial Assets:					
Investments:					
Current	\$150,135	\$150,135	\$264,572	\$264,572	
Non-current	2,226,875	2,226,875	3,832,659	3,832,659	
Cash and cash equivalents	168,490	168,490	441,340	441,340	
Notes receivable:					
Current	1,675	1,675	740	740	
Non-current	13,531	13,531	2,633	2,633	
Commodity contracts	3,816	3,816	_	_	
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Financial Liabilities:					
Indebtedness:					
Current	447,612	447,612	543,780	461,350	
Non-current	1,875,571	1,944,879	1,548,469	1,677,656	
Securities sold not owned	955	955	1,878	1,878	
Commodity contracts	2,802	2,802	_	_	
Redeemable noncontrolling interests	235,909	235,909	_	_	
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Swap agreements:					
Interest rate swaps	_	_	(535)	(535)	
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26. Segment Information:

The Company's reportable segments consist of its operating units, which offer different products and services and are managed separately. National Beef processes, packages and delivers fresh and frozen beef and beef by-products for sale to customers in the U.S. and international markets. Idaho Timber primarily remanufactures, manufactures and/or distributes wood products. Conwed Plastics manufactures and markets lightweight plastic netting used for a variety of purposes. The Company's land based contract oil and gas drilling operations segment is conducted through Keen, a provider of drilling services to oil and natural gas exploration and production companies in the Mid-Continent Region of the U.S. The Company's gaming entertainment segment is conducted through Premier, which owns the Hard Rock Biloxi. The Company's domestic real estate operations consist of a variety of commercial properties, residential land development projects and other unimproved land, all in various stages of development. The Company's medical product development segment is conducted through Sangart. Other operations primarily consist of the Company's wineries and energy projects.

Prior to its consolidation in November 2009, the Company's investment in Keen was classified as an investment in an associated company.

Associated companies include equity interests in other entities that the Company accounts for under the equity method of accounting. Investments in associated companies that are accounted for under the equity method of accounting include HomeFed, Linkem, JHYH, Berkadia, and Garcadia. Associated companies also include the Company's investments in Jefferies and Mueller, which are accounted for at fair value rather than under the equity method of accounting.

Corporate assets primarily consist of the deferred tax asset, investments and cash and cash equivalents and corporate revenues primarily consist of investment and other income and securities gains and losses. Corporate assets include the Company's investment in Fortescue and in the Inmet common shares. Corporate assets, revenues, overhead expenses and interest expense are not allocated to the operating units.

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Conwed Plastics has a manufacturing and sales facility located in Belgium, National Beef has sales offices in and exports its products to various countries and the Company owns a small Caribbean-based telecommunications provider; these are the only foreign operations with non-U.S. revenue or assets that the Company consolidates. Unconsolidated non-U.S. based investments include the investments in Fortescue, Inmet and Linkem.

Certain information concerning the Company's segments is presented in the following table. Consolidated subsidiaries are reflected as of the date a majority controlling interest was acquired, which was November 2009 for Keen and December 30, 2011 for National Beef. However, since operating activities for National Beef subsequent to the acquisition during 2011 were not significant they have not been included in the Company's 2011 consolidated statement of operations. Associated Companies are not considered to be a reportable segment, but are reflected in the table below under income (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes and identifiable assets employed.

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	2011	2011 2010 (In thousands)		
Revenues and other income (a):		(
Manufacturing:				
Idaho Timber	\$159,026	\$172,908	\$142,709	
Conwed Plastics	85,961	87,073	82,094	
Oil and Gas Drilling Services (b)	136,146	116,560	60,459	
Gaming Entertainment	117,238	114,809	103,583	
Domestic Real Estate	96,501	17,075	30,637	
Medical Product Development	378	123	5,147	
Other Operations (c)	69,038	67,119	51,764	
Corporate (d)	906,480	744,337	98,815	
Total consolidated revenues and other income	\$1,570,768	\$1,320,004	\$575,208	
Income (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes:				
Manufacturing:				
Idaho Timber	\$(3,787	\$547	\$(12,680)	
Conwed Plastics	5,916	8,803	11,578	
Oil and Gas Drilling Services (b)	3,533	(13,937)	46,738	
Gaming Entertainment	12,616	(2,159)	2,379	
Domestic Real Estate	80,919	(54,935)	(71,298)	
Medical Product Development	(42,696	(25,443)	(23,818)	
Other Operations (c)	(24,374	(17,487)	(26,434)	
Income (loss) related to Associated Companies	(612,362	375,021	805,803	
Corporate (d)	648,861	473,614	(167,619)	
Total consolidated income from continuing				
operations before income taxes	\$68,626	\$744,024	\$564,649	
Depreciation and amortization expenses:				
Manufacturing: (e)				
Idaho Timber	\$5,299	\$6,131	\$8,631	
Conwed Plastics	6,509	9,068	8,476	
Oil and Gas Drilling Services	21,051	25,447	3,103	
Gaming Entertainment	16,785	16,657	16,532	
Domestic Real Estate	3,461	6,163	8,408	
Medical Product Development	845	870	836	
Other Operations (e)	9,922	7,183	8,125	
Corporate	23,296	20,979	18,441	
Total consolidated depreciation and amortization expenses	\$87,168	\$92,498	\$72,552	
Identifiable assets employed:	4.5 0507-	ф.	•	
Beef Processing	\$1,786,855	\$-	\$-	
Manufacturing:	71.070	04.425	0.4.01.1	
Idaho Timber	71,859	84,436	94,211	
Conwed Plastics	56,539	60,822	67,940	
Oil and Gas Drilling Services	224,563	237,212	257,086	
Gaming Entertainment	243,888	253,221	266,951	
Domestic Real Estate	254,885	255,027	311,571	

Medical Product Development	27,893	16,950	26,702
Other Operations	226,306	167,535	158,326
Investments in Associated Companies	1,991,795	2,274,163	2,764,885
Corporate	4,378,606	6,000,932	2,652,422
Assets of discontinued operations	_	_	162,270
Total consolidated assets	\$9,263,189	\$9,350,298	\$6,762,364

- (a) Revenues and other income for each segment include amounts for services rendered and products sold, as well as segment reported amounts classified as investment and other income and net securities gains (losses) in the Company's consolidated statements of operations.
- (b) As more fully discussed above, investment and other income for oil and gas drilling services includes a bargain purchase gain of \$49,345,000 in 2009.
- (c) Other operations includes pre-tax losses of \$28,598,000, \$16,076,000 and \$25,324,000 for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively, for the investigation and evaluation of various energy related projects. There were no significant operating revenues or identifiable assets associated with these activities in any period; however, other income includes \$5,366,000 and \$11,143,000 in 2011 and 2010, respectively, with respect to government grants to reimburse the Company for certain of its prior expenditures, which were fully expensed as incurred.
- (d) Net securities gains (losses) for Corporate aggregated \$641,480,000, \$179,494,000 and \$(21,106,000) during 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively. Corporate net securities gains (losses) are net of impairment charges of \$3,586,000, \$2,474,000 and \$31,420,000 during 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively. In 2011, security gains included gains of \$628,197,000 from the sale of certain of the Company's common shares of Fortescue. In 2010, security gains include a gain of \$66,200,000 from the sale of the Company's investment in LPH and a gain of \$94,918,000 from the sale of certain of the Company's common shares of Fortescue. Corporate investment and other income includes the gain on sale of Las Cruces of \$383,369,000 in 2010.
- (e) Includes amounts classified as cost of sales.
- (f) For the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009, interest expense was primarily comprised of Corporate; interest expense for other segments was not significant.

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27. Selected Quarterly Financial Data (Unaudited):

	First Second Quarter Quarter (In thousands, excep			ер	Third Quarter t per share a	Fourth Quarter punts)	
2011							
Revenues and other income	\$284,034		\$753,441		\$236,058		\$297,235
Income (loss) from continuing operations	\$12,429		\$183,288		\$(292,017)	\$112,994
Income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of taxes	\$(1,722)	\$2,325		\$(108)	\$1,482
Gain on disposal of discontinued operations, net of taxes	\$79		\$845		\$773		\$4,588
Net (income) loss attributable to the noncontrolling interest	\$(279)	\$(149)	\$330		\$373
Net income (loss)	\$10,507		\$186,309		\$(291,022)	\$119,437
Basic earnings (loss) per common share attributable to							
Leucadia National Corporation common shareholders:							
Income (loss) from continuing operations	\$.05		\$.75		\$(1.19)	\$.46
Income (loss) from discontinued operations	(.01)	.01		-		.01
Gain on disposal of discontinued operations	-		-		-		.02
Net income (loss)	\$.04		\$.76		\$(1.19)	\$.49
Number of shares used in calculation	244,082		244,521		244,580		244,583
Diluted earnings (loss) per common share attributable to							
Leucadia National Corporation common shareholders:							
Income (loss) from continuing operations	\$.05		\$.74		\$(1.19)	\$.46
Income (loss) from discontinued operations	(.01)	.01		-		.01
Gain on disposal of discontinued operations	-		-		-		.01
Net income (loss)	\$.04		\$.75		\$(1.19)	\$.48
Number of shares used in calculation	244,620		249,026		244,580		248,874
2010							
Revenues and other income	\$259,295		\$289,200		\$185,865		\$585,644
Income (loss) from continuing operations	\$196,332		\$(246,292)	\$262,458		\$1,676,589
Income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of taxes	\$(4,827)	\$10,014		\$(12,370)	\$(2,665)
Gain on disposal of discontinued operations, net of taxes	\$-		\$-		\$39,882		\$21,115
Net (income) loss attributable to the noncontrolling interest	\$ (26)	\$1,134		\$(2,215)	\$183
Net income (loss)	\$191,479		\$(235,144)	\$287,755		\$1,695,222
Basic earnings (loss) per common share attributable to							
Leucadia National Corporation common shareholders:							
Income (loss) from continuing operations	\$.81		\$(1.01)	\$1.08		\$6.89
Income (loss) from discontinued operations	(.02)	.04		(.05)	(.01)
Gain on disposal of discontinued operations	-		-		.15		.08
Net income (loss)	\$.79		\$(.97)	\$1.18		\$6.96
Number of shares used in calculation	243,291		243,312		243,317		243,546
Diluted earnings (loss) per common share attributable to							
Leucadia National Corporation common shareholders:							

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Income (loss) from continuing operations	\$.80	\$(1.01) \$1.07	\$6.77	
Income (loss) from discontinued operations	(.02) .04	(.05) (.01)
Gain on disposal of discontinued operations	-	-	.15	.08	
Net income (loss)	\$.78	\$(.97) \$1.17	\$6.84	
Number of shares used in calculation	247,594	243,312	247,572	247,847	

Income (loss) from continuing operations includes a credit to income tax expense of \$1,157,111,000 in the fourth quarter of 2010, resulting from the reversal of a portion of the deferred tax valuation allowance. Income (loss) from continuing operations includes a credit to income tax expense of \$11,594,000 in the third quarter of 2010, resulting from the reversal of deferred federal minimum tax liabilities which had been recorded in prior periods.

In 2011 and 2010, the totals of quarterly per share amounts do not equal annual per share amounts because of changes in outstanding shares during the year.

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Schedule II – Valuation and Qualifying Accounts LEUCADIA NATIONAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES For the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009 (In thousands)

		Charged	Additions		Dedu		
Description	Balance at Beginning of Period	to Costs and Expenses	Recoveries	Other	Write Offs	Other	Balance at End of Period
2011 Allowance for							
doubtful accounts	\$4,710	\$658	\$-	\$-	\$1,494	\$-	\$3,874
Deferred tax asset							
valuation allowance	\$109,181	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$109,181
2010 Allowance for							
doubtful accounts	\$3,971	\$1,111	\$2	\$-	\$374	\$-	\$4,710
Deferred tax asset							
valuation allowance	\$1,835,161	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$1,725,980 (a)	\$109,181
2009 Allowance for							
doubtful accounts	\$3,109	\$1,623	\$12	\$-	\$773	\$-	\$3,971
Deferred tax asset							
valuation allowance	\$2,307,281	\$-	\$-	\$109,156 (b	o) \$-	\$581,276 (c)	\$1,835,161

⁽a) During 2010, the Company's revised projections of future taxable income enabled it to conclude that it was more likely than not that it will have future taxable income sufficient to realize a significant portion of the Company's net deferred tax asset; accordingly, \$1,157,111,000 of the deferred tax valuation allowance was reversed as a credit to income tax expense.

⁽b) Represents the tax effect of losses during 2009, which were reserved for in the deferred tax asset valuation allowance.

(c) Primarily represents the tax effect of the change in unrealized gains (losses) on investments.									
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REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Board of Directors and Shareholder of AmeriCredit Corp.:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of AmeriCredit Corp. and subsidiaries (the "Company") as of June 30, 2010 and 2009, and the related consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive operations, shareholders' equity, and cash flows for each of the two years in the period ended June 30, 2010. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits 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. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, such consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of AmeriCredit Corp. and subsidiaries at June 30, 2010 and 2009, and the results of their operations and their cash flows for each of the two years in the period ended June 30, 2010, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

/s/ Delloitte & Touche LLP Dallas, Texas August 27, 2010

AMERICREDIT CORP. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(dollars in thousands)

	June 30,		
	2010	2009	
Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$282,273	\$193,287	
Finance receivables, net	8,160,208	10,037,329	
Restricted cash – securitization notes payable	930,155	851,606	
Restricted cash – credit facilities	142,725	195,079	
Property and equipment, net	37,734	44,195	
Leased vehicles, net	94,677	156,387	
Deferred income taxes	81,836	75,782	
Income tax receivable		197,579	
Other assets	151,425	207,083	
Total assets	\$9,881,033	\$11,958,327	
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity			
Liabilities:			
Credit facilities	\$598,946	\$1,630,133	
Securitization notes payable	6,108,976	7,426,687	
Senior notes	70,620	91,620	
Convertible senior notes	414,068	392,514	
Accrued taxes and expenses	210,013	157,640	
Interest rate swap agreements	70,421	131,885	
Other liabilities	7,565	20,540	
Total liabilities	7,480,609	9,851,019	
Commitments and contingencies (Note 10)			
Shareholders' equity:			
Preferred stock, \$.01 par value per share,			
20,000,000 shares authorized; none issued			
Common stock, \$.01 par value per share,			
350,000,000 shares authorized;			
136,856,360 and 134,977,812 shares issued	1,369	1,350	
Additional paid-in capital	327,095	284,961	
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	11,870	(21,099)	
Retained earnings	2,099,005	1,878,459	
	2,439,339	2,143,671	
Treasury stock, at cost (1,916,510 and			
1,806,446 shares)	(38,915)	(36,363)	

Total shareholders' equity	2,400,424	2,107,308
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$9,881,033	\$11,958,327

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

AMERICREDIT CORP. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND COMPREHENSIVE OPERATIONS (dollars in thousands, except per share data)

	Years End 2010	led June 30, 2009	•	
Revenue				
Finance charge income	\$1,431,319	\$1,902,684		
Other income	91,215	116,488		
Gain on retirement of debt	283	48,152		
	1,522,817	2,067,324		
Costs and expenses				
Operating expenses	288,791	308,803		
Leased vehicles expenses	34,639	47,880		
Provision for loan losses	388,058	972,381		
Interest expense	457,222	726,560		
Restructuring charges, net	668	11,847		
restructioning charges, net	1,169,378	2,067,471		
	1,100,570	2,007,171		
Income (loss) before income taxes	353,439	(147)	
Income tax provision	132,893	10,742		
Net income (loss)	220,546	(10,889)	
Other comprehensive income (loss)				
Unrealized gains (losses) on cash flow hedges	43,306	(26,871	`	
Foreign currency translation adjustment	8,230	750)	
Unrealized losses on credit enhancement assets	0,230	730		
	(10 567	11.426		
Income tax (provision) benefit	(18,567) 11,426		
Other comprehensive income (loss)	32,969	(14,695)	
Comprehensive income (loss)	\$253,515	\$(25,584)	
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Earnings (loss) per share				
Basic	\$1.65	\$(0.09)	
Diluted	\$1.60	\$(0.09)	
Weighted average shares				
Basic	133,845,238	125,239,24	1	
Diluted	138,179,945	125,239,24	1	

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

AMERICREDIT CORP. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (dollars in thousands)

				Accumulated			
	Common	Stock	Additional Paid-in	Other Comprehensive	e Retained	Treasury	Stock
	Shares	Amount	Capital	Income (Loss)	Earnings	Shares	Amount
Balance at July 1, 2008	118,766,250	\$1,188	\$ 134,064	\$ (6,404)	\$1,889,348	\$2,454,534	\$(52,934)
Common stock issued on							
exercise of options	131,654	1	1,053				
Common stock issued relating to							
retirement of debt	15,122,670	151	90,830				
Income tax benefit from exercise of options and							
amortization of convertible note hedges			10,678				
Common stock cancelled							
restricted stock	(47,000)						
Common stock issued for employee benefit plans	1,004,238	10	(11,029)			(648,088)	16,571
Stock based compensation expense			14,264				
Amortization of warrant costs			45,101				
Other comprehensive loss, net							
of income tax benefit of \$11,426				(14,695)			
Net loss					(10,889)		
Balance at June 30, 2009	134,977,812	1,350	284,961	(21,099)	1,878,459	1,806,446	(36,363)
Common stock issued on	0.00	0	44				
exercise of options	837,411	8	11,597				

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Income tax benefit from exercise of options and							
amortization of convertible note hedges			9,434				
Common stock issued for							
employee benefit plans	1,041,137	11	4,020			110,064	(2,552)
Stock based							
compensation expense			15,115				
Amortization of warrant							
costs			1,968				
Other comprehensive							
income, net							
of income tax provision of							
\$18,567				32,969			
Net income					220,546		
Balance at June 30, 2010	136,856,360	\$1,369	\$ 327,095	\$ 11,870	\$2,099,005	1,916,510	\$(38,915)

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

AMERICREDIT CORP. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (in thousands)

	2010	2009
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Cash flows from operating activities Net income (loss)	\$220,546	\$(10,889)
Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to net cash	\$220,340	\$(10,889)
provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	79,044	100.009
Provision for loan losses	388,058	109,008
Deferred income taxes	·	972,381
	(24,567) 15,115	
Stock based compensation expense Amortization of warrant costs	1,968	14,264 45,101
Non-cash interest charges on convertible debt Accretion and amortization of loan fees	21,554	22,506
	4,791	19,094
Gain on retirement of debt	(283)	(48,907)
Other	(15,954)	2,773
Changes in assets and liabilities, net of assets and liabilities acquired:	107.400	(174 (02)
Income tax receivable	197,402	(174,682)
Other assets	5,256	(6,704)
Accrued taxes and expenses	35,779	(52,113)
Net cash provided by operating activities	928,709	1,118,615
Cash flows from investing activities	(2.000, 602)	(1.000.001)
Purchases of receivables	(2,090,602)	
Principal collections and recoveries on receivables	3,606,680	4,257,637
Purchases of property and equipment	(1,581	, ()
Change in restricted cash – securitization notes payable	(78,549)	
Change in restricted cash – credit facilities	52,354	63,180
Change in other assets	43,875	12,960
Proceeds from money market fund	10,047	104,319
Investment in money market fund		(115,821)
Net cash provided by investing activities	1,542,224	3,172,045
Cash flows from financing activities		
Net change in credit facilities	(1,031,187)	
Issuance of securitization notes payable	2,352,493	1,000,000
Payments on securitization notes payable	(3,674,062)	(3,987,424)
Debt issuance costs	(24,754)	(32,609)
Net proceeds from issuance of common stock	15,635	3,741
Retirement of debt	(20,425)	(238,617)
Other net changes	645	(603)
Net cash used by financing activities	(2,381,655)	(4,533,629)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	89,278	(242,969)
Effect of Canadian exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	(292	2,763
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	193,287	433,493
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$282,273	\$193,287

Years Ended June 30,

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

AMERICREDIT CORP. NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

History and Operations

We were formed on August 1, 1986, and, since September 1992, have been in the business of purchasing and servicing automobile sales finance contracts. From January 2007 through May 2008, we also originated leases on automobiles.

Recent Events

On July 21, 2010, we entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Merger Agreement") with General Motors Holdings LLC ("GM Holdings"), a Delaware limited liability company and a wholly owned subsidiary of General Motors Company ("General Motors"), and Goalie Texas Holdco Inc. ("Merger Sub"), a Texas corporation and a direct wholly owned subsidiary of GM Holdings. Under the terms of the Merger Agreement, Merger Sub will be merged with and into AmeriCredit, with AmeriCredit continuing as the surviving corporation and a direct wholly owned subsidiary of GM Holdings (the "Merger"). Pursuant to the terms of the Merger Agreement and subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the closing conditions set forth in the Merger Agreement, at the effective time of the Merger (the "Effective Time"), each share of our common stock issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time (other than (i) any shares held by us or any of our subsidiaries immediately prior to the Effective Time, which shares will be cancelled with no consideration in exchange for such cancellation, and (ii) any shares held by our shareholders who are entitled to and who properly exercise appraisal rights under Texas law) will be converted into the right to receive \$24.50 in cash, without interest.

Basis of Presentation

The consolidated financial statements include our accounts and the accounts of our wholly-owned subsidiaries, including certain special purpose financing trusts utilized in securitization transactions ("Trusts") which are considered variable interest entities. All intercompany transactions and accounts have been eliminated in consolidation. Certain prior year amounts have been reclassified to conform to the current year presentation.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions which affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities as of the date of the financial statements and the amount of revenue and costs and expenses during the reporting periods. Actual results could differ from those estimates and those differences may be material. These estimates include, among other things, the determination of the allowance for loan losses on finance receivables, and income taxes.

Cash Equivalents

Investments in highly liquid securities with original maturities of 90 days or less are included in cash and cash equivalents.

Finance Receivables

Finance receivables are carried at amortized cost, net of allowance for loan losses.

Allowance for Loan Losses

Provisions for loan losses are charged to operations in amounts sufficient to maintain the allowance for loan losses at a level considered adequate to cover probable credit losses inherent in our finance receivables.

The allowance for loan losses is established systematically based on the determination of the amount of probable credit losses inherent in the finance receivables as of the reporting date. We review charge-off experience factors, delinquency reports, historical collection rates, estimates of the value of the underlying collateral, economic trends, such as unemployment rates, and other information in order to make the necessary judgments as to probable credit losses. We also use historical charge-off experience to determine a loss confirmation period, which is defined as the time between when an event, such as delinquency status, giving rise to a probable credit loss occurs with respect to a specific account and when such account is charged off. This loss confirmation period is applied to the forecasted probable credit losses to determine the amount of losses inherent in finance receivables at the reporting date. Assumptions regarding probable credit losses and loss confirmation periods are reviewed periodically and may be impacted by actual performance of finance receivables and changes in any of the factors discussed above.

Charge-off Policy

Our policy is to charge off an account in the month in which the account becomes 120 days contractually delinquent if we have not repossessed the related vehicle. We charge off accounts in repossession when the automobile is repossessed and legally available for disposition. A charge-off generally represents the difference between the estimated net sales proceeds and the amount of the delinquent contract, including accrued interest. Accounts in repossession that have been charged off have been removed from finance receivables and the related repossessed automobiles, aggregating \$12.4 million and \$20.4 million at June 30, 2010 and 2009, respectively, are included in other assets on the consolidated balance sheets pending sale.

Securitization

The structure of our securitization transactions does not qualify under the accounting criteria for sales of finance receivables and, accordingly, such securitization transactions have been accounted for as secured financings. Therefore, following a securitization, the finance receivables and the related securitization notes payable remain on the consolidated balance sheets. We recognize finance charge and fee income on the receivables and interest expense on the securities issued in the securitization transaction, and record a provision for loan losses to recognize probable loan losses inherent in the finance receivables. Cash pledged to support the securitization transaction is deposited to a restricted account and recorded on our consolidated balance sheets as restricted cash – securitization notes payable, which is invested in highly liquid securities with original maturities of 90 days or less or in highly rated guaranteed investment contracts.

Prior to October 1, 2002, we structured our securitization transactions to meet the accounting criteria for sales of finance receivables. We also acquired two securitization Trusts which were accounted for as sales of receivables. Such securitization transactions are referred to herein as gain on sale Trusts. We had no gain on sale Trusts outstanding as of June 30, 2010.

Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are carried at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is generally provided on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the assets, which ranges from three to 25 years. The cost of assets sold or retired and the related accumulated depreciation are removed from the accounts at the time of disposition and any resulting gain or loss is included in operations. Maintenance, repairs and minor replacements are charged to operations as incurred; major replacements and betterments are capitalized.

Leased Vehicles

Leased vehicles consist of automobiles leased to consumers. These assets are reported at cost, less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation expense is recorded on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease. Leased vehicles are depreciated to the estimated residual value at the end of the lease term. Under the accounting for impairment or disposal of long-lived assets, residual values of operating leases are evaluated individually for impairment. When aggregate future cash flows from the operating lease, including the expected realizable fair value of the leased asset at the end of the lease, are less than the book value of the lease, an immediate impairment write-down is recognized if the difference is deemed not recoverable. Otherwise, reductions in the expected residual value result in additional depreciation of the leased asset over the remaining term of the lease. Upon disposition, a gain or loss is recorded for any difference between the net book value of the lease and the proceeds from the disposition of the asset, including any insurance proceeds.

Goodwill

Under the purchase method of accounting, the net assets of entities acquired by us are recorded at their estimated fair value at the date of acquisition. The excess cost of the acquisition over the fair value is recorded as goodwill. Goodwill is subject to impairment testing using a two-step process. The first step of the goodwill impairment test is to identify potential impairment by comparing the fair value of the reporting unit with its carrying amount, including goodwill. We have determined that we have only one reporting unit. If the fair value of a reporting unit exceeds its carrying amount, goodwill of the reporting unit is considered not impaired and the second step of the impairment test is not required. If the carrying amount of a reporting unit exceeds its fair value, the second step of the goodwill impairment test is performed to measure the amount of the impairment loss, if any. The second step of the goodwill impairment test compares the implied fair value (i.e., the fair value of reporting unit less the fair value of the unit's assets and liabilities, including identifiable intangible assets) of the reporting unit's goodwill with the carrying amount of that goodwill. If the carrying value of goodwill exceeds its implied fair value, the excess is required to be recorded as an impairment charge in earnings.

On January 1, 2007, we acquired the stock of Long Beach Acceptance Corporation ("LBAC"). The total consideration in the all-cash transaction, including transaction costs, was approximately \$287.7 million. We initially recorded goodwill of approximately \$196.8 million, all of which is deductible for federal income tax purposes. On May 1, 2006, we acquired the stock of Bay View Acceptance Corporation ("BVAC"). The total consideration in the all-cash transaction, including transaction costs, was approximately \$64.6 million. We initially recorded goodwill of approximately \$14.4 million, which is not deductible for federal income tax purposes. The operations of LBAC and BVAC have been integrated into our activities and we provide auto finance products solely under the AmeriCredit Financial Services, Inc. name.

Derivative Financial Instruments

We recognize all of our derivative financial instruments as either assets or liabilities on our consolidated balance sheets at fair value. The accounting for changes in the fair value of each derivative financial instrument depends on whether it has been designated and qualifies as an accounting hedge, as well as the type of hedging relationship identified.

Our special purpose finance subsidiaries are contractually required to purchase derivative instruments as credit enhancement in connection with securitization transactions and credit facilities.

Interest Rate Swap Agreements

We utilize interest rate swap agreements to convert floating rate exposures on securities issued in securitization transactions to fixed rates, thereby hedging the variability in interest expense paid. Our interest rate swap agreements are designated as cash flow hedges on the floating rate debt of our securitization notes payable and may qualify for hedge accounting treatment, while others do not qualify and are marked to market through interest expense in our consolidated statements of operations. Cash flows from derivatives used to manage interest rate risk are classified as operating activities.

For interest rate swap agreements designated as hedges, we formally document all relationships between the interest rate swap agreement and the underlying asset, liability or cash flows being hedged, as well as our risk management objective and strategy for undertaking the hedge transactions. At hedge inception and at least quarterly, we also formally assess whether the interest rate swap agreements that are used in hedging transactions have been highly effective in offsetting changes in the cash flows or fair value of the hedged items and whether those interest rate swap agreements may be expected to remain highly effective in future periods. In addition, we also assess the continued probability that the hedged cash flows will be realized.

We use regression analysis to assess hedge effectiveness of our cash flow hedges on a prospective and retrospective basis. A derivative financial instrument is deemed to be effective if the X-coefficient from the regression analysis is between a range of 0.80 and 1.25. At June 30, 2010, all of our interest rate swap agreements designated as cash flow hedges fall within this range and are deemed to be effective hedges for accounting purposes. We use the hypothetical derivative method to measure the amount of ineffectiveness and a net earnings impact occurs when the change in the value of a derivative instrument does not offset the change in the value of the underlying hedged item. Ineffectiveness of our hedges is not material.

The effective portion of the changes in the fair value of the interest rate swaps qualifying as cash flow hedges are included as a component of accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) as an unrealized gain or loss on cash flow hedges. These unrealized gains or losses are recognized as adjustments to income over the same period in which cash flows from the related hedged item affect earnings. However, if we expect the continued reporting of a loss in accumulated other comprehensive income would lead to recognizing a net loss on the combination of the interest rate swap agreements and the hedged item, the loss is reclassified to earnings for the amount that is not expected to be recovered. Additionally, to the extent that any of these contracts are not considered to be perfectly effective in offsetting the change in the value of the cash flows being hedged, any changes in fair value relating to the ineffective portion of these contracts are recognized in interest expense on our consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive operations. We discontinue hedge accounting prospectively when it is determined that an interest rate swap agreement has ceased to be effective as an accounting hedge or if the underlying hedged cash flow is no longer probable of occurring.

Interest Rate Cap Agreements

Generally, we purchase interest rate cap agreements to limit floating rate exposures on securities issued in our credit facilities. As part of our interest rate risk management strategy and when economically feasible, we may simultaneously sell a corresponding interest rate cap agreement in order to offset the premium paid to purchase the interest rate cap agreement and thus retain the interest rate risk. Because the interest rate cap agreements entered into by us or our special purpose finance subsidiaries do not qualify for hedge accounting, changes in the fair value of interest rate cap agreements purchased by the special purpose finance subsidiaries and interest rate cap agreements sold by us are recorded in interest expense on our consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive operations.

We do not use derivative instruments for trading or speculative purposes.

Interest rate risk management contracts are generally expressed in notional principal or contract amounts that are much larger than the amounts potentially at risk for nonpayment by counterparties. Therefore, in the event of nonperformance by the counterparties, our credit exposure is limited to the uncollected interest and the market value related to the contracts that have become favorable to us. We manage the credit risk of such contracts by using highly rated counterparties, establishing risk limits and monitoring the credit ratings of the counterparties.

We maintain a policy of requiring that all derivative contracts be governed by an International Swaps and Derivatives Association Master Agreement. We enter into arrangements with individual counterparties that we believe are creditworthy and generally settle on a net basis. In addition, we perform a quarterly assessment of our counterparty credit risk, including a review of credit ratings, credit default swap rates and potential nonperformance of the counterparty. Based on our most recent quarterly assessment of our counterparty credit risk, we consider this risk to be low.

Income Taxes

Deferred income taxes are provided in accordance with the asset and liability method of accounting for income taxes to recognize the tax effects of tax credits and temporary differences between financial statement and income tax accounting. A valuation allowance is recognized if it is more likely than not that some portion or the entire deferred tax asset will not be realized.

We account for uncertainty in income taxes in the financial statements. See Note 14 - "Income Taxes" for a discussion of the accounting for uncertain tax positions.

Revenue Recognition

Finance Charge Income

Finance charge income related to finance receivables is recognized using the interest method. Accrual of finance charge income is suspended on accounts that are more than 60 days delinquent, accounts in bankruptcy, and accounts in repossession. Fees and commissions received and direct costs of originating loans are deferred and amortized over the term of the related finance receivables using the interest method and are removed from the consolidated balance sheets when the related finance receivables are sold, charged off or paid in full.

Operating Leases – deferred origination fees or costs

Net deferred origination fees or costs are amortized on a straight-line basis over the life of the lease to other income.

Stock Based Compensation

Share-based payment transactions are measured at fair value and recognized in the financial statements. For fiscal 2010 and 2009, we have recorded total stock based compensation expense of \$15.1 million (\$9.4 million net of tax) and \$14.3 million (\$9.2 million net of tax), respectively.

The excess tax benefit of the stock based compensation expense related to the exercise of stock options of \$1.1 million for fiscal 2010 has been included in other net changes as a cash inflow from financing activities on the consolidated statements of cash flows.

The fair value of each option granted or modified was estimated using an option-pricing model with the following weighted average assumptions:

Years Ended June 30,	2010		2009	
Expected dividends	0		0	
Expected volatility	65.7	%	92.1	%
Risk-free interest rate	1.2	%	1.7	%
Expected life	1.4 yea	rs	2.0 yea	ars

We have not paid out dividends historically, thus the dividend yields are estimated at zero percent.

Expected volatility reflects an average of the implied and historical volatility rates. Management believes that a combination of market-based measures is currently the best available indicator of expected volatility.

The risk-free interest rate is the implied yield available for zero-coupon U.S. government issues with a remaining term equal to the expected life of the options.

The expected lives of options are determined based on our historical option exercise experience and the term of the option.

Assumptions are reviewed each time there is a new grant or modification of a previous grant and may be impacted by actual fluctuation in our stock price, movements in market interest rates and option terms. The use of different assumptions produces a different fair value for the options granted or modified and impacts the amount of compensation expense recognized on the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive operations.

Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements

In June 2009, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued updated guidance on the accounting for transfers of financial assets, as well as the consolidation of variable interest entities. The adoptions of the changes in accounting are effective for us beginning with the first quarter in fiscal 2011. We do not anticipate the impact of the adoption to have a material impact on our consolidated financial position, results of operations or cash flows.

On July 21, 2010, FASB issued Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") 2010-20, Disclosures about the Credit Quality of Financing Receivables and the Allowance for Credit Losses. The new disclosure guidance will significantly expand the existing disclosure requirements surrounding finance receivables and the allowance for loan losses. The objectives of the enhanced disclosures are to provide information that will enable readers of financial statements to understand the nature of credit risk in financing receivables, how that risk is analyzed in determining the related allowance for loan losses, and changes to the allowance during the reporting period. The new disclosures are required starting in the first interim or annual reporting period on or after December 31, 2010. We do not anticipate the adoption of this ASU to have an impact on our consolidated financial position, results of operations or cash flows.

2. Finance Receivables

Finance receivables consist of the following (in thousands):

June 30,	2010	2009
Finance receivables unsecuritized, net of fees	\$1,533,673	\$2,534,158
Finance receivables securitized, net of fees	7,199,845	8,393,811
Less allowance for loan losses	(573,310)	(890,640)
	\$8,160,208	\$10,037,329

Finance receivables securitized represent receivables transferred to our special purpose finance subsidiaries in securitization transactions accounted for as secured financings. Finance receivables unsecuritized include \$651.3 million and \$2,037.6 million pledged under our credit facilities as of June 30, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

Finance receivables are collateralized by vehicle titles and we have the right to repossess the vehicle in the event the consumer defaults on the payment terms of the contract.

The accrual of finance charge income has been suspended on \$491.2 million and \$667.3 million of delinquent finance receivables as of June 30, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

Finance contracts are purchased by us from auto dealers without recourse, and accordingly, the dealer has no liability to us if the consumer defaults on the contract. Depending upon the contract structure and consumer credit attributes, we may pay dealers a participation fee or we may charge dealers a non-refundable acquisition fee when purchasing individual finance contracts. We record the amortization of participation fees and accretion of acquisition fees to finance charge income using the effective interest method.

A summary of the allowance for loan losses is as follows (in thousands):

Years ended June 30,	2010	2009
Balance at beginning of year	\$890,640	\$951,113
Provision for loan losses	388,058	972,381
Net charge-offs	(705,388	(1,032,854)
Balance at end of year	\$573,310	\$890,640
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3. Securitizations

A summary of our securitization activity and cash flows from special purpose entities used for securitizations is as follows (in thousands):

Years ended June 30,	2010	2009
Receivables securitized	\$2,843,308	\$1,289,082
Net proceeds from securitization	2,352,493	1,000,000
Servicing fees:		
Sold		28
Secured financing (a)	196,304	237,471
Distributions from Trusts	424,161	429,457

(a) Cash flows received for servicing securitizations accounted for as secured financings are included in finance charge income on the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive operations.

We retain servicing responsibilities for receivables transferred to the Trusts. Included in finance charge income is a monthly base servicing fee earned on the outstanding principal balance of our securitized receivables and supplemental fees (such as late charges) for servicing the receivables.

As of June 30, 2010 and 2009, we were servicing \$7.2 billion and \$8.4 billion, respectively, of finance receivables that have been transferred to securitization Trusts.

In April 2008, we entered into a one year, \$2 billion forward purchase commitment agreement with Deutsche Bank ("Deutsche"). Under this agreement and subject to certain terms, Deutsche committed to purchase triple-A rated asset-backed securities issued by our sub-prime AmeriCredit Automobile Receivables Trust ("AMCAR") securitization platform in registered public offerings. We paid \$20.0 million of upfront commitment fees and issued a warrant to purchase up to 7.5 million shares of our common stock valued at \$48.9 million in connection with the agreement. We utilized \$752.8 million of the commitment in conjunction with the execution of our AMCAR 2008-1 and 2008-2 transactions. Effective December 19, 2008, we entered into a letter agreement with Deutsche whereby the parties mutually agreed to terminate the forward purchase commitment agreement. The remaining unamortized warrant costs of \$14.3 million and unamortized commitment fees of \$5.8 million at the termination date were charged to interest expense during fiscal 2009. See Note 11 - "Common Stock and Warrants" for a discussion of warrants issued by us in connection with this transaction.

In September 2008, we entered into agreements with Wachovia Capital Markets, LLC and Wachovia Bank, National Association (together, "Wachovia"), to establish two funding facilities under which Wachovia would provide total funding of \$117.7 million, during the one year term of the facilities, secured by asset-backed securities as collateral. In conjunction with our AMCAR 2008-1 transaction, we obtained funding under these facilities of \$48.9 million by pledging double-A rated asset-backed securities (the "Class B Notes") as collateral and \$68.8 million by pledging single-A rated asset-backed securities (the "Class C Notes") as collateral. Under these funding facilities, we retained the Class B Notes and the Class C Notes issued in the transaction and then sold the retained notes to a special purpose subsidiary, which in turn pledged such retained notes as collateral to secure the funding under the two facilities. The facilities were renewed for another one year term in September 2009. At the end of the one year term, the facilities, if not renewed, will amortize in accordance with the securitization transaction until paid off. We paid \$1.9 million of upfront commitment fees and issued a warrant to purchase up to 1.0 million shares of our common stock valued at \$8.3 million in connection with these facilities, which were amortized to interest expense over the original one year term of the facilities. Unamortized warrant costs of \$2.0 million and unamortized commitment fees of \$0.5 million, as of June 30, 2009, are included in other assets on the consolidated balance sheets. See Note 11 - "Common Stock and Warrants" for a discussion of warrants issued by us in connection with this transaction.

We have analyzed the warrant transactions regarding accounting for derivative financial instruments indexed to and potentially settled in a company's own stock and determined they meet the criteria for classification as equity transactions. As a result, amortization of the warrant costs is reflected in additional paid-in capital on our consolidated balance sheets, and we did not recognize subsequent changes in their fair value.

In November 2008, we entered into a purchase agreement with Fairholme Funds Inc. ("Fairholme") under which Fairholme purchased \$123.2 million of asset-backed securities, consisting of \$50.6 million of Class B Notes and \$72.6 million of Class C Notes in the AMCAR 2008-2 transaction. See Note 7 - "Senior Notes and Convertible Senior Notes" for discussion of other transactions with Fairholme.

4. Investment in Money Market Fund

We had an investment in the Reserve Primary Money Market Fund (the "Reserve Fund"), a money market fund which has subsequently liquidated its portfolio of investments. As of June 30, 2009, the investment was valued at the estimated net asset value of \$0.97 per share as published by the Reserve Fund. Through June 30, 2010, we have received distributions from the Reserve Fund representing approximately \$0.99 per share in total distributions.

5. Credit Facilities

Amounts outstanding under our credit facilities are as follows (in thousands):

June 30,	2010	2009
Medium term note facility	\$598,946	\$750,000
Master/Syndicated warehouse facility		569,756
Prime/Near prime facility		250,377
Lease warehouse facility		60,000
	\$598,946	\$1,630,133

Further detail regarding terms and availability of the credit facilities as of June 30, 2010, follows (in thousands):

Facility	Facility Amount	Advances Outstanding	Finance Receivables Pledged	Restricted Cash Pledged (c)
Master/Syndicated warehouse facility(a):	\$1,300,000			\$300
Medium term note facility (b):		\$ 598,946	\$ 651,255	115,837
	\$1,300,000	\$ 598,946	\$ 651,255	\$116,137

- (a) In February 2011 when the revolving period ends and if the facility is not renewed, the outstanding balance will be repaid over time based on the amortization of the receivables pledged until February 2012 when the remaining balance will be due and payable.
- (b) The revolving period under this facility ended in October 2009, and the outstanding debt balance will be repaid over time based on the amortization of the receivables pledged until October 2016 when any remaining amount outstanding will be due and payable.
- (c) These amounts do not include cash collected on finance receivables pledged of \$26.6 million which is also included in restricted cash credit facilities on the consolidated balance sheets.

Generally, our credit facilities are administered by agents on behalf of institutionally managed commercial paper or medium term note conduits. Under these funding agreements, we transfer finance receivables to our special purpose finance subsidiaries. These subsidiaries, in turn, issue notes to the agents, collateralized by such finance receivables and cash. The agents provide funding under the notes to the subsidiaries pursuant to an advance formula, and the subsidiaries forward the funds to us in consideration for the transfer of finance receivables. While these subsidiaries are included in our consolidated financial statements, these subsidiaries are separate legal entities and the finance receivables and other assets held by these subsidiaries are legally owned by these subsidiaries and are not available to our creditors or our other subsidiaries. Advances under the funding agreements bear interest at commercial paper, London Interbank Offered Rates ("LIBOR") or prime rates plus a credit spread and specified fees depending upon the source of funds provided by the agents.

We are required to hold certain funds in restricted cash accounts to provide additional collateral for borrowings under the credit facilities. Additionally, the credit facilities contain various covenants requiring minimum financial ratios, asset quality and portfolio performance ratios (portfolio net loss and delinquency ratios, and pool level cumulative net loss ratios) as well as limits on deferment levels. Failure to meet any of these covenants could result in an event of default under these agreements. If an event of default occurs under these agreements, the lenders could elect to declare all amounts outstanding under these agreements to be immediately due and payable, enforce their interests against collateral pledged under these agreements or restrict our ability to obtain additional borrowings under these agreements. As of June 30, 2010, we were in compliance with all covenants in our credit facilities.

On February 26, 2010, we increased and extended our master/syndicated warehouse facility. The borrowing capacity available under the facility increased to \$1.3 billion from \$1.0 billion and includes commitments from eight lenders. On August 20, 2010, the master/syndicated warehouse facility was amended to allow for the change of control following the consummation of the pending Merger.

Debt issuance costs are being amortized to interest expense over the expected term of the credit facilities. Unamortized costs of \$8.3 million and \$16.1 million, as of June 30, 2010 and 2009, respectively, are included in other assets on the consolidated balance sheets.

6. Securitization Notes Payable

Securitization notes payable represents debt issued by us in securitization transactions. Debt issuance costs are being amortized over the expected term of the securitizations on an effective yield basis. Unamortized costs of \$19.7 million and \$13.9 million as of June 30, 2010 and 2009, respectively, are included in other assets on the consolidated balance sheets.

Securitization notes payable consists of the following (dollars in thousands):

Transaction	Maturity Date (b)	Original Note Amount	Original Weighted Average Interest Rate		Receivables Pledged at June 30, 2010	Note Balance at June 30, 2010	Note Balance at June 30, 2009
2004-D-F	July 2011	\$750,000	3.1	%			\$48,301
2005-A-X	October 2011	900,000	3.7	%			72,264
2005-1	May 2011	750,000	4.5	%			57,059
2005-B-M	May 2012	1,350,000	4.1	%			159,428
2005-C-F	June 2012	1,100,000	4.5	%	\$77,101	\$69,967	160,112
2005-D-A	November 2012	1,400,000	4.9	%	130,552	118,645	245,084
2006-1	May 2013	945,000	5.3	%	107,872	83,724	162,775
2006-R-M	January 2014	1,200,000	5.4	%	282,564	253,467	452,604
2006-A-F	September 2013	1,350,000	5.6	%	231,544	209,606	371,300
2006-B-G	September 2013	1,200,000	5.2	%	250,414	227,503	386,480
2007-A-X	October 2013	1,200,000	5.2	%	302,553	276,588	447,945
2007-B-F	December 2013	1,500,000	5.2	%	449,540	410,193	650,889
2007-1	March 2016	1,000,000	5.4	%	260,396	263,468	430,801
2007-C-M	April 2014	1,500,000	5.5	%	526,484	481,155	742,002
2007-D-F	June 2014	1,000,000	5.5	%	381,097	347,913	539,020
2007-2-M	March 2016	1,000,000	5.3	%	363,564	347,739	535,200
2008-A-F	October 2014	750,000	6.0	%	431,228	343,753	518,835
2008-1	January 2015	500,000	8.7	%	356,580	221,952	388,355
2008-2	April 2015	500,000	10.5	%	378,821	230,803	400,108
2009-1	January 2016	725,000	7.5	%	675,981	450,998	
2009-1 (APART)	July 2017	227,493	2.7	%	228,458	163,350	
2010-1	July 2017	600,000	3.7	%	600,341	511,583	
2010-A	July 2017	200,000	3.1	%	224,084	187,162	
2010-2	June 2016	600,000	3.8	%	609,800	583,210	
BV2005-LJ-1 (a)	May 2012	232,100	5.1	%	10,635	11,271	26,800
BV2005-LJ-2 (a) (c)	February 2014	185,596	4.6	%	12,215	11,467	26,668
BV2005-3 (a)	June 2014	220,107	5.1	%	21,211	22,359	43,065
LB2004-C (a)	July 2011	350,000	3.5	%			23,543
LB2005-A (a)	April 2012	350,000	4.1	%	14,852	15,708	41,040
LB2005-B (a)	June 2012	350,000	4.4	%	24,567	22,293	53,157
LB2006-A (a)	May 2013	450,000	5.4	%	54,482	49,638	97,058
LB2006-B (a)	September 2013	500,000	5.2	%	80,735	83,194	148,167
LB2007-A	January 2014	486,000	5.0	%	112,174	110,267	198,627

\$25,371,296

\$7,199,845 \$6,108,976 \$7,426,687

- (a) Transactions relate to securitization Trusts acquired by us.
- (b) Maturity date represents final legal maturity of securitization notes payable. Securitization notes payable are expected to be paid based on amortization of the finance receivables pledged to the Trusts. Expected principal payments are \$3,075.5 million in fiscal 2011, \$1,961.6 million in fiscal 2012, \$625.2 million in fiscal 2013, \$280.5 million in fiscal 2014, \$131.8 million in fiscal 2015 and \$37.7 million thereafter.
- (c) Note balance does not include \$1.4 million of asset-backed securities repurchased and retained by us as of June 30, 2010.

At the time of securitization of finance receivables, we are required to pledge assets equal to a specified percentage of the securitization pool to support the securitization transaction. Typically, the assets pledged consist of cash deposited to a restricted account and additional receivables delivered to the Trust, which create overcollateralization. The securitization transactions require the percentage of assets pledged to support the transaction to increase until a specified level is attained. Excess cash flows generated by the Trusts are added to the restricted cash account or used to pay down outstanding debt in the Trusts, creating overcollateralization until the targeted percentage level of assets has been reached. Once the targeted percentage level of assets is reached and maintained, excess cash flows generated by the Trusts are released to us as distributions from Trusts. Additionally, as the balance of the securitization pool declines, the amount of pledged assets needed to maintain the required percentage level is reduced. Assets in excess of the required percentage are also released to us as distributions from Trusts.

With respect to our securitization transactions covered by a financial guaranty insurance policy, agreements with the insurers provide that if portfolio performance ratios (delinquency, cumulative default or cumulative net loss) in a Trust's pool of receivables exceed certain targets, the specified credit enhancement levels would be increased.

Agreements with our financial guaranty insurance providers contain additional specified targeted portfolio performance ratios that are higher than those described in the preceding paragraph. If, at any measurement date, the targeted portfolio performance ratios with respect to any insured Trust were to exceed these higher levels, provisions of the agreements permit our financial guaranty insurance providers to declare the occurrence of an event of default and terminate our servicing rights to the receivables transferred to that Trust. As of June 30, 2010, no such servicing right termination events have occurred with respect to any of the Trusts formed by us.

During fiscal 2010 and 2009, we exceeded certain portfolio performance ratios in several AMCAR and LBAC securitizations. Excess cash flows from these Trusts have been or are being used to build higher credit enhancement in each respective Trust instead of being distributed to us. We do not expect the trapping of excess cash flows from these Trusts to have a material adverse impact to our liquidity.

On January 22, 2010, we entered into an agreement with Assured Guaranty Municipal Corp. ("Assured"), to increase the levels of additional specified targeted portfolio performance ratios in the AMCAR 2007-D-F, AMCAR 2008-A-F, LB2006-B and LB2007-A securitizations. As part of this agreement, we deposited \$38.0 million in the AMCAR 2007-D-F securitization restricted cash account and \$57.0 million in the AMCAR 2008-A-F securitization restricted cash account. This cash is expected to be redistributed to us over time as the securitization notes pay down.

7. Senior Notes and Convertible Senior Notes

Senior notes and convertible senior notes consist of the following (in thousands):

Semor notes and convertible semor notes consist of the following (in diodsands).	June 30, 2010	June 30, 2009
8.5% Senior Notes (due July 2015)	\$70,620	\$91,620
0.75% Convertible Senior Notes		
(due in September 2011)	247,000	247,000
Debt discount	(17,645) (31,088)
2.125% Convertible Senior Notes		
(due in September 2013)	215,017	215,017
Debt discount	(30,304) (38,415)
	\$414,068	\$392,514

As a result of adopting new guidance regarding the accounting for convertible debt instruments that may be settled in cash upon conversion (including partial cash settlement), we have separately accounted for the liability and equity components of the convertible senior notes due in September 2011 and 2013, retrospectively, based on our nonconvertible debt borrowing rate on the issuance date of approximately 7%. At issuance, the liability and equity components were \$404.3 million and \$145.7 million (\$91.7 million net of deferred taxes), respectively. The debt discount is being amortized to interest expense over the expected term of the notes based on the effective interest method.

Interest expense related to the convertible senior notes consists of the following (in thousands):

Years Ended June 30,	2010	2009
Discount amortization	\$21,554	\$22,506
Contractual interest	6,421	7,379
Total interest expense related to		
convertible senior notes	\$27,975	\$29,885

Debt issuance costs related to the senior notes and the convertible senior notes are being amortized to interest expense over the expected term of the notes; unamortized costs of \$0.9 million and \$1.4 million related to the senior notes and \$2.8 million and \$4.2 million related to the convertible senior notes are included in other assets on the consolidated balance sheets as of June 30, 2010 and 2009, respectively. Debt issuance costs of approximately \$3.5 million directly related to the issuance of the convertible senior notes have been allocated to the equity component in proportion to the allocation of proceeds.

Senior Notes

Interest on the senior notes is payable semiannually. The notes will be redeemable, at our option, in whole or in part, at any time on or after July 1, 2011, at specific redemption prices. The indenture pursuant to which the senior notes were issued contains certain restrictions including limitations on our ability to incur additional indebtedness, other than certain collateralized indebtedness, pay cash dividends and repurchase common stock.

In November 2008, we issued 15,122,670 shares of our common stock to Fairholme Funds Inc ("Fairholme"), in a non-cash transaction, in exchange for \$108.4 million of our senior notes due 2015, held by Fairholme, at a price of \$840 per \$1,000 principal amount of the notes. We recognized a gain of \$14.7 million, net of transaction costs, on retirement of debt in the exchange. Fairholme and its affiliates held approximately 19.8% of our outstanding common stock prior to the issuance of these shares.

During fiscal 2010, we repurchased on the open market \$21.0 million of senior notes due in 2015 at an average price of 97.3% of the principal amount of the notes repurchased which resulted in a gain on retirement of debt of \$0.3 million.

In the event of a change of control, each holder of senior notes shall have the right, at the holder's option, to require us to repurchase all or any part of such holder's senior notes pursuant to a notice from us describing the transaction that constitutes a change of control at an offer price equal to 101% of the principal amount of the notes.

Convertible Senior Notes

Interest on the convertible senior notes is payable semiannually. Subject to certain conditions, the notes, which are uncollateralized, may be converted prior to maturity into shares of our common stock at an initial conversion price of \$28.07 per share and \$30.51 per share for the notes due in 2011 and 2013, respectively. Upon conversion, the conversion value will be paid in: 1) cash equal to the principal amount of the notes and 2) to the extent the conversion value exceeds the principal amount of the notes, shares of our common stock. The notes are convertible only in the following circumstances: 1) if the closing sale price of our common stock exceeds 130% of the conversion price during specified periods set forth in the indentures under which the notes were issued, 2) if the average trading price per \$1,000 principal amount of the notes is less than or equal to 98% of the average conversion value of the notes during specified periods set forth in the indentures under which the notes were issued or 3) upon the occurrence of specific corporate transactions set forth in the indentures under which the notes were issued. At June 30, 2010 and 2009, the if-converted value did not exceed the principal amount of the convertible senior notes.

In connection with the issuance of the convertible senior notes due in 2011 and 2013, we purchased call options that entitle us to purchase shares of our common stock in an amount equal to the number of shares issued upon conversion of the notes at \$28.07 per share and \$30.51 per share for the notes due in 2011 and 2013, respectively. These call options are expected to allow us to offset the dilution of our shares if the conversion feature of the convertible senior notes is exercised.

We also sold warrants to purchase 9,796,408 shares of our common stock at \$35.00 per share and 9,012,713 shares of our common stock at \$40 per share for the notes due in 2011 and 2013, respectively. In no event are we required to deliver a number of shares in connection with the exercise of these warrants in excess of twice the aggregate number of shares initially issuable upon the exercise of the warrants.

We have analyzed the conversion feature, call option and warrant transactions regarding accounting for derivative financial instruments indexed to and potentially settled in a company's own stock and determined they meet the criteria for classification as equity transactions. As a result, both the cost of the call options and the proceeds of the warrants are reflected in additional paid-in capital on our consolidated balance sheets, and we will not recognize subsequent changes in their fair value.

During fiscal 2009, we repurchased on the open market \$28.0 par value million of our convertible senior notes due in 2011 at an average price of 44.2% of the principal amount of the notes repurchased. We also repurchased \$60.0 par value million of our convertible senior notes due in 2013 at an average price of 44.1% of the principal amount of the notes repurchased. In connection with these repurchases, we recorded a gain on retirement of debt of \$32.7 million.

During fiscal 2009, we repurchased and retired all \$200.0 million of our convertible notes due in November 2023 at an average price equal to 99.5% of the principal amount of notes redeemed. We recorded a gain on retirement of debt of \$0.8 million.

In the event of a change of control, each holder of convertible senior notes shall have the right, at the holder's option, to require us to repurchase all or any part of such holder's convertible senior notes pursuant to a notice from us describing the transaction that constitutes a change of control at an offer price equal to 100% of the principal amount of the notes.

8. Derivative Financial Instruments and Hedging Activities

We are exposed to market risks arising from adverse changes in interest rates due to floating interest rate exposure on our credit facilities and on certain securitization notes payable. See Note 1 - "Summary of Significant Accounting Policies - Derivative Financial Instruments" for more information regarding our derivative financial instruments and hedging activities.

Interest rate caps, swaps and foreign currency contracts consist of the following (in thousands):

	June 30, 2010		June 3	0, 2009
	Notional	Fair Value	Notional	Fair Value
Assets				
Interest rate swaps (a)	\$1,682,182	\$26,194	\$2,592,548	\$24,267
Interest rate caps (a)	774,456	3,188	1,914,886	15,858
Total assets	\$2,456,638	\$29,382	\$4,507,434	\$40,125
Liabilities				
Interest rate swaps	\$1,682,182	\$70,421	\$2,592,548	\$131,885
Interest rate caps (b)	708,287	3,320	1,721,044	16,644
Foreign currency contracts (b)(c)	58,470	1,206		
Total liabilities	\$2,448,939	\$74,947	\$4,313,592	\$148,529

- (a) Included in other assets on the consolidated balance sheets.
- (b) Included in other liabilities on the consolidated balance sheets.
- (c) Notional has been translated from Canadian dollars to U.S. dollars at the quarter end rate.

Interest rate swap agreements designated as hedges had unrealized losses of approximately \$53.8 million and \$97.1 million included in accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) as of June 30, 2010 and 2009, respectively. The ineffectiveness related to the interest rate swap agreements was \$0.4 million and \$0.8 million for fiscal 2010 and 2009, respectively. We estimate approximately \$43.7 million of unrealized losses included in accumulated other comprehensive loss will be reclassified into earnings within the next twelve months.

Interest rate swap agreements not designated as hedges had a change in fair value which resulted in gains of \$12.6 million and \$22.7 million included in interest expense on the consolidated statements of operations for fiscal 2010 and 2009, respectively.

Under the terms of our derivative financial instruments, we are required to pledge certain funds to be held in restricted cash accounts as collateral for the outstanding derivative transactions. As of June 30, 2010 and 2009, these restricted cash accounts totaled \$26.7 million and \$45.7 million, respectively, and are included in other assets on the consolidated balance sheets.

On September 15, 2008, Lehman Brothers Holdings Inc. ("LBHI") and 16 additional affiliates of LBHI (together with LBHI, "Lehman"), filed petitions in bankruptcy court. Lehman was the hedge counterparty on interest rate swaps with notional amounts of \$1.1 billion. In November 2008, we replaced Lehman as the counterparty on these interest rate swaps. Upon replacement we designated these new swaps as hedges. From July 1, 2008 until the hedge designation date of the replacement swaps, the change in fair value on these swap agreements resulted in a \$34.1 million loss for fiscal 2009, and is included in interest expense in the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive operations.

The following tables present information on the effect of derivative instruments on the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive operations for fiscal 2010 and 2009, respectively (in thousands):

	Income (Losses) Recognized In Income 2010 2009
Non-Designated hedges:	\$10.040 \$\\ \$\\ \$\\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\
Interest rate contracts (a)	\$13,248 \$(12,463)
Foreign currency contracts (b)	(1,206)
Total	\$12,042 \$(12,463)
Designated hedges:	
Interest rate contracts (a)	\$394 \$(781)
Total	\$394 \$(781)
Designated hedges: Interest rate contracts (a) Total	(Losses) Recognized in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss) 2010 2009 \$(36,761) \$(109,115) \$(36,761) \$(109,115) (Losses) Reclassified From Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss) into Income (c) 2010 2009
Designated hedges:	
Interest rate contracts (a)	\$(80,067) \$(82,244)
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Total	\$(80,067) \$(82,244)

- (a) Income (losses) recognized in income are included in interest expense.
- (b) Income (losses) recognized in income are included in operating expenses.
- (c) Losses reclassified from AOCI into income for effective and ineffective portions are included in interest expense.

9. Fair Values of Assets and Liabilities

Effective July 1, 2008, we adopted fair value measurement guidance which provides a framework for measuring fair value under GAAP. Fair value is defined as the exchange price that would be received for an asset or paid to transfer a liability (an exit price) in the principal or most advantageous market for the asset or liability in an orderly transaction between market participants on the measurement date. Fair value measurement requires that valuation techniques maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs and also establishes a fair value hierarchy which prioritizes the valuation inputs into three broad levels.

There are three general valuation techniques that may be used to measure fair value, as described below:

- (A) Market approach Uses prices and other relevant information generated by market transactions involving identical or comparable assets or liabilities. Prices may be indicated by pricing guides, sale transactions, market trades, or other sources;
- (B) Cost approach Based on the amount that currently would be required to replace the service capacity of an asset (replacement cost); and
- (C) Income approach Uses valuation techniques to convert future amounts to a single present amount based on current market expectations about the future amounts (includes present value techniques and option-pricing models). Net present value is an income approach where a stream of expected cash flows is discounted at an appropriate market interest rate.

Assets and liabilities itemized below were measured at fair value on a recurring basis at June 30, 2010:

June 30, 2010

	June 30, 2010 (in thousands)						
	Fair Value Measurements Using						
	Level 1 Quoted Prices		Level 2		Level 3		
	In Active	S	Significant			_	Assets/
	Markets for		Other		Significant	J	Liabilities
	Identical Assets	C	Observable Inputs	Uı	Unobservable Inputs		At Fair Value
Assets							
Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments:							
Interest rate caps (A)		\$	3,188			\$	3,188
Interest rate swaps (C)				\$	26,194		26,194
Total assets	\$	\$	3,188	\$	26,194	\$	29,382
Liabilities							
Derivatives designated as							
hedging instruments:							
Interest rate swaps (C)				\$	70,421	\$	70,421
Derivatives not designated as							
hedging instruments:							
7		Φ.	2.220				2.220
Interest rate caps (A)		\$	3,320				3,320
Foreign currency contracts (A)	ф	Ф	1,206	Ф	70.401	Φ.	1,206
Total liabilities	\$	\$	4,526	\$	70,421	\$	74,947

Assets and liabilities itemized below were measured at fair value on a recurring basis at June 30, 2009:

Level 1

Quoted Prices In Active June 30, 2009 (in thousands)

Level 3

Assets/

Fair Value Measurements Using

Level 2

Significant

	Markets			
	for Identical Assets	Other Observable Inputs	Significant Unobservable Inputs	Liabilities At Fair Value
Assets				
Investment in money				
market fund (A)			\$ 8,027	\$ 8,027
Derivatives not designated as				
hedging instruments:				
Interpret water come (A)		¢ 15 050		15 050
Interest rate caps (A) Interest rate swaps (C)		\$ 15,858	24,267	15,858 24,267
Total assets	\$	\$ 15,858	\$ 32,294	\$ 48,152
Liabilities				
Derivatives designated as				
hedging instruments:				
Interest rate swaps (C)			\$ 131,885	\$ 131,885
Derivatives not designated as				
hedging instruments:				
Interest rate caps (A)		\$ 16,644		16,644
Total liabilities	\$	\$ 16,644	\$ 131,885	\$ 148,529

Financial instruments are considered Level 1 when quoted prices are available in active markets for identical assets or liabilities as of the reporting date. Active markets are those in which transactions for the asset or liability occur in sufficient frequency and volume to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis.

Financial instruments are considered Level 2 when inputs other than quoted prices are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly. These include quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets and quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in markets that are not active.

Financial instruments are considered Level 3 when their values are determined using price models, discounted cash flow methodologies or similar techniques and at least one significant model assumption or input is unobservable. Level 3 financial instruments also include those for which the determination of fair value requires significant management judgment or estimation. A brief description of the valuation techniques used for our Level 3 assets and liabilities is provided below and in Note 4 - "Investment in Money Market Fund".

The table below presents a reconciliation for all assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis using significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) for fiscal 2010 and 2009 (in thousands):

	As	Liabilities	
	Interest	Investment	Interest
	Rate Swap	Rate Swap in Money	
		Market	
	Agreements	Fund	Agreements
Dalamas et Iulii 1, 2000	¢2.570		¢ (76.260)
Balance at July 1, 2008	\$3,572	*	\$(76,269)
Transfers into Level 3		\$ 115,821	
Total realized and unrealized gains (losses)			
Included in earnings	22,700	(3,475	(34,926)
Included in other comprehensive income			(109,115)
Settlements	(2,005	(104,319	88,425
Balance at June 30, 2009	24,267	8,027	(131,885)
Total realized and unrealized gains (losses)			
Included in earnings	12,595	2,020	394
Included in other comprehensive income			(36,761)
Settlements	(10,668	(10,047	97,831
Balance at June 30, 2010	\$26,194	\$	\$(70,421)

Derivatives

The fair values of our interest rate caps are valued based on quoted market prices received from bank counterparties and are classified as Level 2.

Our interest rate swaps are not exchange traded but instead traded in over-the-counter markets where quoted market prices are not readily available. The fair value of derivatives is derived using models that use primarily market observable inputs, such as interest rate yield curves and credit curves. Any derivative fair value measurements using significant assumptions that are unobservable are classified as Level 3, which include interest rate swaps whose remaining terms extend beyond market observable interest rate yield curves. The impacts of our and the counterparties' non-performance risk to the derivative trades is considered when measuring the fair value of derivative assets and liabilities.

10. Commitments and Contingencies

Leases

Our credit centers are generally leased for terms of up to five years with certain rights to extend for additional periods. We also lease space for our administrative offices and loan servicing activities under leases with terms up to twelve years with renewal options. Certain leases contain lease escalation clauses for real estate taxes and other operating expenses and renewal option clauses calling for increased rents. Lease expense was \$12.9 million and \$15.6 million for fiscal 2010 and 2009, respectively.

Operating lease commitments for years ending June 30 are as follows (in thousands):

2011	\$11,174
2012	11,097
2013	10,522
2014	10,248
2015	9,878
Thereafter	24,560
	\$77.479

Concentrations of Credit Risk

Financial instruments which potentially subject us to concentrations of credit risk are primarily cash equivalents, restricted cash, derivative financial instruments and finance receivables. Our cash equivalents and restricted cash represent investments in highly rated securities placed through various major financial institutions and highly rated investments in guaranteed investment contracts. The counterparties to our derivative financial instruments are various major financial institutions. Finance receivables represent contracts with consumers residing throughout the United States and, to a limited extent, in Canada, with borrowers located in Texas and California each accounting for 14% and 11%, respectively, of the finance receivables portfolio as of June 30, 2010. No other state accounted for more than 10% of finance receivables.

Limited Corporate Guarantees of Indebtedness

We guarantee the timely payment of interest and ultimate payment of principal on the Class B and Class C asset-backed securities issued in our AMCAR 2008-2 securitization transaction, up to a maximum of \$50.0 million in the aggregate.

Guarantees of Indebtedness

The payments of principal and interest on our senior notes and convertible senior notes are guaranteed by certain of our subsidiaries. As of June 30, 2010 and 2009, the par value of the senior notes and convertible senior notes was \$532.6 million and \$553.6 million, respectively. See Note 21 - "Guarantor Consolidating Financial Statements".

Legal Proceedings

As a consumer finance company, we are subject to various consumer claims and litigation seeking damages and statutory penalties, based upon, among other things, usury, disclosure inaccuracies, wrongful repossession, violations of bankruptcy stay provisions, certificate of title disputes, fraud, breach of contract and discriminatory treatment of credit applicants. Some litigation against us could take the form of class action complaints by consumers and/or shareholders. As the assignee of finance contracts originated by dealers, we may also be named as a co-defendant in lawsuits filed by consumers principally against dealers. The damages and penalties claimed by consumers in these types of matters can be substantial. The relief requested by the plaintiffs varies but can include requests for compensatory, statutory and punitive damages. We believe that we have taken prudent steps to address and mitigate the litigation risks associated with our business activities. However, any adverse resolution of litigation pending or threatened against us could have a material adverse affect on our financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

On July 21, 2010, we entered into the Merger Agreement. A public announcement of the agreement was made on July 22, 2010. The following litigation has been commenced with respect to the proposed Merger:

On July 27, 2010, an action styled Robert Hatfield, Derivatively on behalf of AmeriCredit Corp. vs. Clifton H. Morris, Jr., Daniel E. Berce, John Clay, Ian M. Cumming, A.R. Dike, James H. Greer, Douglas K. Higgins, Kenneth H. Jones, Jr., Robert B. Sturges, Justin R. Wheeler, General Motors Holdings LLC and General Motors Company, Defendants, and AmeriCredit Corp., Nominal Defendant, was filed in the District Court of Tarrant County, Texas, Cause No. 017 246937 10 (the "Hatfield Case"). In the Hatfield Case, the plaintiff alleges, among other allegations, that the individual defendants, who are members of our Board of Directors, breached their fiduciary duties with regards to the pending transaction between us and GM Holdings. Among other relief, the complaint seeks to enjoin the closing of the transaction, to require us to rescind the transaction and the recovery of attorney fees and expenses.

On July 28, 2010, an action styled Labourers' Pension Fund of Central and Eastern Canada, on behalf of itself and all others similarly situated v. AmeriCredit Corp., Clifton H. Morris, Jr., Daniel E. Berce, Bruce R. Berkowitz, John R. Clay, Ian M. Cumming, A.R. Dike, James H. Greer, Douglas K. Higgins, Kenneth H. Jones, Jr., Justin R. Wheeler and General Motors Company, Defendants, was filed in the District Court of Tarrant County, Texas, Cause No. 236 246960 10 (the "Labourers' Pension Fund Case"). In the Labourers' Pension Fund Case, the plaintiff seeks class action status and alleges that members of our Board of Directors breached their fiduciary duties in negotiating and approving the proposed transaction between us and GM Holdings. Among other relief, the complaint seeks to enjoin both the transaction from closing as well as a shareholder vote on the pending transaction and seeks the recovery of damages on behalf of shareholders and the recovery of attorney fees and expenses. The court has not yet determined whether the case may be maintained as a class action.

On August 6, 2010, an action styled Carla Butler, Derivatively on behalf of AmeriCredit Corp., Plaintiff vs. Clifton H. Morris, Jr., Daniel E. Berce, John Clay, Ian M. Cumming, A.R. Dike, James H. Greer, Douglas K. Higgins, Kenneth H. Jones, Jr., Robert B. Sturges, Justin R. Wheeler, General Motors Holdings LLC and General Motors Company, Defendants, and AmeriCredit Corp., Nominal Defendant, was filed in the District Court of Tarrant County, Texas, Cause No. 67 247227-10 (the "Butler Case"). In the Butler Case, like previously filed litigation related to the proposed transaction between us and GM Holdings, the complaint alleges that our individual officers and directors breached their fiduciary duties. Among other relief, the complaint seeks to rescind the transaction and enjoin its consummation and also to award plaintiff costs and disbursements including attorneys' and expert fees.

On August 24, 2010, an action styled Asbestos Workers Local 42 Pension Fund, Plaintiff vs. Daniel E. Berce, Clifton H. Morris, Ian M. Cumming, Justin R. Wheeler, James H. Greer, A.R. Dike, Douglas K. Higgins, Kenneth H. Jones, Jr., John R. Clay, Robert B. Sturges, General Motors Holdings LLC and Goalie Texas Holdco Inc., Defendants, and AmeriCredit Corp., Nominal Defendant, was filed in the District Court of Tarrant County, Texas, Cause No. 017 247635-10 (the "Asbestos Workers Case"). In the Asbestos Workers Case, like previously filed litigation related to the proposed transaction between us and GM Holdings, the complaint alleges that our individual officers and directors breached their fiduciary duties. Among other relief, the complaint seeks to rescind the transaction and enjoin its consummation and also to award plaintiff costs and disbursements including attorneys' and expert fees.

We believe that the claims alleged in the Hatfield Case, the Labourers' Pension Fund Case, the Butler Case and the Asbestos Workers Case are without merit and we intend to assert vigorous defenses to the litigation. Neither the likelihood of an unfavorable outcome nor the amount of ultimate liability, if any, with respect to this litigation can be determined at this time.

11. Common Stock and Warrants

In connection with the forward purchase commitment agreement with Deutsche (See Note 3 - "Securitizations"), we issued a warrant to an affiliate of Deutsche under which it may purchase up to 7.5 million shares of our common stock. The warrant may be exercised on or before April 15, 2015 at an exercise price of \$12.01 per share.

In connection with the closing of the Wachovia funding facilities (See Note 3 - "Securitizations"), we issued a warrant to Wachovia under which they may purchase up to 1.0 million shares of common stock. The warrant may be exercised on or before September 24, 2015 at an exercise price of \$13.55 per share. On August 10, 2010, Wachovia exercised the warrant at a price of \$24.12 per share in a cashless exercise and received a net settlement of 438,112 shares of our common stock.

12. Stock Based Compensation

General

We have certain stock based compensation plans for employees, non-employee directors and key executive officers.

A total of 10,000,000 shares were available for grants to non-employee directors as well as employees. As of June 30, 2010, 8,235,800 shares remain available for future grants. The exercise price of each equity grant must equal the market price of our stock on the date of grant, and the maximum term of each equity grant is ten years. The vesting period is typically three to four years, although grants with other vesting periods or grants that vest upon the achievement of specified performance criteria may be authorized under certain employee plans. A committee of our Board of Directors establishes policies and procedures for equity grants, vesting periods and the term of each grant.

Total unamortized stock based compensation was \$16.7 million as of June 30, 2010, and will be recognized over a weighted average life of 1.5 years.

Stock Options

Compensation expense recognized for stock options was \$1.3 million and \$2.1 million for fiscal 2010 and 2009, respectively. As of June 30, 2010 and 2009, unamortized compensation expense related to stock options was \$1.2 million and \$2.2 million, respectively.

Employee Plans

A summary of stock option activity under our employee plans is as follows (shares in thousands):

Years Ended June 30,	2010			2009	
		Weighted	Weighted		
		Average		Average	
		Exercise		Exercise	
	Shares	Price	Shares	Price	
Outstanding at					
beginning of year	2,106	\$18.02	2,127	\$23.48	
Granted	42	20.96	942	8.03	
Exercised	(757) 13.44	(132) 8.01	
Canceled/forfeited	(67) 17.56	(831) 22.26	
Outstanding at end of year	1,324	\$20.75	2,106	\$18.02	
Options exercisable at end of year	1,033	\$23.81	1,563	\$21.33	
Weighted average fair value of options					
granted during year		\$10.79		\$4.50	

Cash received from exercise of options for fiscal 2010 and 2009 was \$10.2 million and \$1.1 million, respectively. The total intrinsic value of options exercised during fiscal 2010 and 2009, was \$5.9 million and \$0.4 million, respectively.

A summary of options outstanding under our employee plans as of June 30, 2010, is as follows (shares in thousands):

	Options Outstanding Weighted			Options Exercisable	
		Average Years of	Weighted		Weighted
		Remaining	Average		Average
Range of	Number	Contractual	Exercise	Number	Exercise
Exercise Prices	Outstanding	Life	Price	Outstanding	Price
\$6.80 to 10.00	421	2.66	\$7.94	172	\$7.80
\$10.01 to 15.00	80	3.35	13.55	80	13.55
\$15.01 to 19.00	128	1.35	16.10	128	16.10
\$19.01 to 21.00	158	4.01	20.08	116	19.77
\$21.01 to 30.00	309	2.42	25.58	309	25.58
\$30.01 to 50.00	216	0.80	42.91	216	42.91

\$50.01 to 55.00	12	0.98	54.14	12	54.14
	1,324			1,033	
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Non-Employee Director Plans

A summary of stock option activity under our non-employee director plans is as follows (shares in thousands):

Years Ended June 30,	2010		2009	
		Weighted		Weighted
		Average		Average
		Exercise		Exercise
	Shares	Price	Shares	Price
Outstanding at haziming of year	80	\$17.81	160	¢ 16 25
Outstanding at beginning of year			100	\$16.35
Exercised	(80) 17.81		
Canceled/forfeited			(80) 14.88
Outstanding and exercisable				
at end of year			\$80	\$17.81

Cash received from exercise of options for fiscal 2010 was \$1.4 million. The total intrinsic value of options exercised during fiscal 2010 was \$0.03 million.

Restricted Stock Based Grants

Restricted stock grants totaling 5,596,600 shares with an approximate aggregate market value of \$98.8 million at the time of grant have been issued under the employee plans. The market value of these restricted shares at the date of grant is being amortized into expense over a period that approximates the service period of three years.

A total of 2,948,500 shares of restricted stock granted to employees vest in annual increments through March 2013.

A total of 2,373,500 shares of restricted stock granted to key executive officers may vest depending on achievement of specific financial results on the date when the Compensation Committee of our Board of Directors certifies these results for years ending through June 30, 2012.

A total of 274,600 shares of restricted stock granted to non-employee directors vest between the date of grant and completion of a one year service period.

Compensation expense recognized for restricted stock grants was \$10.1 million and \$9.8 million for fiscal 2010 and 2009, respectively. As of June 30, 2010 and 2009, unamortized compensation expense related to the restricted stock awards was \$14.4 million and \$12.4 million, respectively. A summary of the status of non-vested restricted stock for fiscal 2010 and 2009, is presented below (shares in thousands):

Years Ended June 30,	2010	2009
Nonvested at beginning of year	2,253	1,301
Granted	415	2,143
Vested	(555) (545)
Forfeited	(303) (646)
Nonvested at end of year	1,810	2,253

13. Employee Benefit Plans

We have a defined contribution retirement plan covering substantially all employees. We recognized \$1.4 million and \$2.7 million in compensation expense for fiscal 2010 and 2009, respectively, for contributions of cash in fiscal 2010 and common stock in fiscal 2009 to the plan.

We also have an employee stock purchase plan that allows participating employees to purchase, through payroll deductions, shares of our common stock at 85% of the market value at specified dates. A total of 8,000,000 shares have been reserved for issuance under the plan. As of June 30, 2010, 2,157,104 shares remain available for issuance under the plan. Shares issued under the plan were 706,204 and 483,334 for fiscal 2010 and 2009, respectively. We recognized \$3.7 million and \$2.4 million in compensation expense for fiscal 2010 and 2009, respectively, related to this plan. As of June 30, 2010 and 2009, unamortized compensation expense related to the employee stock purchase plan was \$1.1 million and \$2.0 million, respectively.

14. Income Taxes

The income tax provision consists of the following (in thousands):

Years Ended June 30,	2010	2009	
Current	\$157,460	\$(216,041))
Deferred	(24,567) 226,783	
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	\$132,893	\$10,742	

Our effective income tax rate on income before income taxes differs from the U.S. statutory tax rate as follows:

Years Ended June 30,	2010		2009 (a	ι)
U.S. statutory tax rate	35.0	%	35.0	%
State and other income taxes	0.9		N/M	
Deferred tax rate change	0.7		N/M	
FIN 48 uncertain tax positions	1.1		N/M	
Valuation allowance	0.3		N/M	
Other	(0.4)	N/M	
	37.6	%	N/M	

N/M = Not meaningful. Because the retrospective adoption of the accounting for convertible debt instruments that may be settled in cash upon conversion (including partial cash settlement) resulted in a loss before income taxes of \$0.1 million and we recorded an income tax provision of \$10.7 million, the effective income tax rate and the effect on such rate of the listed reconciling items is not meaningful.

The fiscal 2009 effective tax rate was negatively impacted by state and other income tax items of \$4.0 million, deferred tax rate change of \$3.3 million, state net operating losses limited under Section 382 of \$2.1 million and other items of \$0.9 million.

The tax effects of temporary differences that give rise to deferred tax liabilities and assets are as follows (in thousands):

June 30,	2010	2009
Deferred tax liabilities:		
Market value difference of loan portfolio	\$(14,644) \$(104,984)
Capitalized direct loan origination costs	(6,695) (10,084)
Fixed assets	(17,386) (13,397)
Deferred gain on debt repurchase	(8,998) (8,638)
Basis difference on convertible debt	(17,169) (24,357)
Other	(38,208) (6,606)
	(103,100) (168,066)
Deferred tax assets:		
Net operating loss carryforward - Canada	1,348	3,229
Net operating loss carryforward - U. S.		73,589
Net operating loss carryforward - state	3,280	9,685
Alternative minimum tax credit carryforward		12,131
Unrealized swap valuation on other		
comprehensive income	19,842	31,745
Impairment of goodwill and other intangible		
amortization	60,191	62,748
Unrecognized income tax benefits from		
uncertain tax positions	27,929	19,586
Other	74,104	31,869
	186,694	244,582
Valuation allowance	(1,759) (734)
Net deferred tax asset	\$81,836	\$75,782

Tax Accounting Change

During fiscal 2009, we filed an application for a change of accounting method for tax purposes under Internal Revenue Code ("IRC") Section 475. We believe that, as a result of our business activities, certain assets must be marked-to-market for income tax purposes. Although this method change requires consent from the IRS, which is still pending, this change to a permissible method of accounting is generally considered to be perfunctory and should be granted. As a result of this change of accounting, we reported a taxable loss for fiscal 2009 of \$803 million. Approximately \$600 million of this loss was carried back to the prior two fiscal years to offset federal taxable income recognized in those years, resulting in an income tax refund of approximately \$198 million.

On November 6, 2009, the Worker, Homeownership, and Business Assistance Act of 2009 was signed into law which provides an election to carryback a loss to the third, fourth or fifth year that precedes the year of loss. Because of this change in tax law, we elected to extend our U.S. federal fiscal 2009 net operating loss ("NOL") carryback period which resulted in an additional income tax refund of approximately \$81 million. We have fully utilized our federal NOL.

Deferred Tax Assets

As a part of our financial reporting process, we must assess the likelihood that our deferred tax assets can be recovered. Unless recovery is more likely than not, the income tax provision must be increased by recording a valuation allowance.

In evaluating the need for a valuation allowance, all available evidence, both positive and negative, is considered to determine whether, based on the weight of that evidence, a valuation allowance is needed. Future realization of the deferred tax assets depends in part on the existence of sufficient taxable income within the carryback and carryforward period available under the tax law. Other criteria which are considered in evaluating the need for a valuation allowance include the existence of deferred tax liabilities that can be used to realize deferred tax assets.

We have state NOL carryforwards resulting in a deferred tax asset of approximately \$3.3 million which have carryforward periods ranging from 5 years to 20 years. Accordingly, any specific NOL carryforwards that remain unused will expire between fiscal 2015 and fiscal 2030, depending on the respective state laws. Management has determined based upon the positive and negative evidence in existence at June 30, 2010 that a valuation allowance in the amount of \$1.8 million is necessary for these state deferred tax assets.

Based upon our review of all negative and positive evidence in existence at June 30, 2010, management believes it is more likely than not that all other deferred tax assets will be fully realized. Accordingly, no valuation allowance has been provided on deferred tax assets other than the state NOL assets.

Uncertain tax positions

We adopted the provisions of accounting for uncertain tax positions on July 1, 2007 which resulted in a decrease to retained earnings of \$0.5 million, an increase in deferred income taxes of \$53.1 million and an increase in accrued taxes of \$53.6 million. Upon implementation, gross unrecognized tax benefits were \$42.3 million.

A reconciliation of the beginning and ending balances of the total amounts of gross unrecognized tax benefits is as follows (in thousands):

Year Ended June 30,	2010	2009	
Gross unrecognized tax benefits at beginning of year	\$34,971	\$57,728	
Increase in tax positions for prior years	3,186	2,761	
Decrease in tax positions for prior years	(4,901) (24,254)
Increase in tax positions for current year	12,907	1,402	
Lapse of statute of limitations	(218) (245)
Settlements	(3,443) (2,421)
Gross unrecognized tax benefits at end of year	\$42,502	\$34,971	

As of June 30, 2010, the amount of gross unrecognized tax benefits and the amount that would affect the effective income tax rate in future periods were \$42.5 million and \$17.6 million, respectively. On June 30, 2009, the amount of gross unrecognized tax benefits and the amount that would affect the effective income tax rate in future periods were \$35.0 million and \$18.0 million, respectively.

At June 30, 2010, we believe that it is reasonably possible that the balance of the gross unrecognized tax benefits could decrease by \$0.2 million to \$13.5 million in the next twelve months due to ongoing activities with various taxing jurisdictions that we expect may give rise to settlements or the expiration of statute of limitations. We continually evaluate expiring statutes of limitations, audits, proposed settlements, changes in tax law and new authoritative rulings.

We recognize accrued interest and penalties associated with uncertain tax positions as part of the income tax provision. The changes regarding accrued interest and accrued penalties associated with uncertain tax positions for fiscal 2010 and 2009 are as follows (in thousands):

	Accrued Interest	Accrued Penalties
July 1, 2008	\$9,508	\$7,421
Changes	804	466
June 30, 2009	10,312	7,887
Changes	1,785	587
June 30, 2010	\$12,097	\$8,474

We file income tax returns in the U.S. and various state, local, and foreign jurisdictions. Our consolidated federal income tax returns for fiscal years 2006, 2007, 2008 and 2009 are under audit by the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS"). The IRS completed its examination of our fiscal years 2004 and 2005 consolidated federal income tax returns in the second quarter of fiscal 2008. The returns for those years were subject to an appeals proceeding, which was concluded favorably to us in December 2009. The outcome of the appeals proceeding did not result in a material change to our financial position or results of operations. Our federal income tax returns prior to fiscal 2004 are closed. Foreign and state jurisdictions have statutes of limitations that generally range from three to five years. Certain of our tax returns are currently under examination in various state tax jurisdictions.

15. Restructuring Charges

We recognized restructuring charges of \$0.7 million and \$11.8 for the fiscal 2010 and 2009, respectively, related to the implementation of revised operating plans.

A summary of the liabilities, which are included in accrued taxes and expenses on the consolidated balance sheets, for restructuring charges for fiscal 2010 and 2009, is as follows (in thousands):

	Personnel- Related	Contract Terminatio	Other n Associated	I	
	Costs	Costs	Costs	Total	
Balance at July 1, 2008	\$ 3,207	\$ 3,741	\$ 1,442	\$8,390	
Additions	9,287	2,068	372	11,727	
Cash settlements	(11,482) (2,980) (77) (14,539)
Non-cash settlements	(106) 432	(390) (64)
Adjustments	(43) 1,510	(1,347) 120	
Balance at June 30, 2009	863	4,771		5,634	
Additions	802			802	
Cash settlements	(1,564) (4,076)	(5,640)
Non-cash settlements		(145)	(145)
Adjustments	(101) (33)	(134)
Balance at June 30, 2010	\$	\$517	\$	\$517	

16. Earnings per Share

A reconciliation of weighted average shares used to compute basic and diluted earnings per share is as follows (dollars in thousands, except per share data):

Years Ended June 30,	2010	2009
Net income (loss)	\$220,546	\$(10,889)
Basic weighted average shares	133,845,238	125,239,241
Incremental shares resulting from assumed conversions:		
Stock based compensation and warrants	4,334,707	
Diluted weighted average shares	138,179,945	125,239,241
Earnings (loss) per share:		
Basic	\$1.65	\$(0.09)
Diluted	\$1.60	\$(0.09)

Basic earnings (loss) per share have been computed by dividing net income (loss) by weighted average shares outstanding.

Diluted earnings per share has been computed by dividing net income by the diluted weighted average shares, including incremental shares. The treasury stock method was used to compute the assumed incremental shares related to our outstanding stock-based compensation and warrants and will be used to compute the shares related to our convertible senior notes issued in September 2006 upon our stock price increasing above the relevant initial conversion price. The average common stock market prices for the periods were used to determine the number of incremental shares. Options to purchase approximately 0.7 million shares of common stock for fiscal 2010, were not included in the computation of diluted earnings per share because the option exercise price was greater than the average market price of the common shares. Warrants to purchase approximately 18.8 million shares of common stock for fiscal 2010, were not included in the computation of diluted earnings per share because the exercise price was greater than the average market price of the common shares. For fiscal 2009, diluted loss per share has been computed by dividing net loss by the diluted weighted average shares, assuming no incremental shares because all potentially dilutive common stock equivalents are anti-dilutive.

17. Supplemental Cash Flow Information

Cash payments for interest costs and income taxes consist of the following (in thousands):

Years Ended June 30,	2010	2009
Interest costs (none capitalized)	\$446,699	\$645,386
Income taxes	190,825	2,501

Non-cash investing and financing activities, not otherwise disclosed, during fiscal 2009 included \$3.8 million of common stock issued for employee benefit plans.

Cash payments related to income taxes do not include \$280.0 million and \$21.9 million in income tax refunds received during fiscal 2010 and 2009, respectively.

18. Supplemental Disclosure for Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)

A summary of changes in accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) is as follows (in thousands):

Years Ended June 30,	2010	2009	
Unrealized (losses) gains on cash flow hedges:			
Balance at beginning of year	\$(62,509) \$(44,676)
Change in fair value associated with current			
period hedging activities, net of taxes of			
\$(13,333) and \$(39,818), respectively	(23,428) (69,297)
Reclassification into earnings, net of taxes of			
\$28,948 and \$30,780, respectively	51,119	51,464	
Balance at end of year	(34,818) (62,509)
Foreign currency translation			
adjustment:			
Balance at beginning of year	41,410	38,272	
Translation gain net of taxes of \$2,952 and			
\$(2,388), respectively	5,278	3,138	
Balance at end of year	46,688	41,410	
Total accumulated other comprehensive income			
(loss)	\$11,870	\$(21,099)
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19. Fair Value of Financial Instruments

FASB guidance regarding disclosures about fair value of financial instruments requires disclosure of fair value information about financial instruments, whether recognized or not in our consolidated balance sheets. Fair values are based on estimates using present value or other valuation techniques in cases where quoted market prices are not available. Those techniques are significantly affected by the assumptions used, including the discount rate and the estimated timing and amount of future cash flows. Therefore, the estimates of fair value may differ substantially from amounts that ultimately may be realized or paid at settlement or maturity of the financial instruments and those differences may be material. Disclosures about fair value of financial instruments exclude certain financial instruments and all non-financial instruments from our disclosure requirements. Accordingly, the aggregate fair value amounts presented do not represent the underlying value of our Company.

Estimated fair values, carrying values and various methods and assumptions used in valuing our financial instruments are set forth below (in thousands):

June 30,		201	10	200	09
		Carrying	Estimated	Carrying	Estimated
		Value	Fair Value	Value	Fair Value
Financial assets:					
Cash and cash equivalents	(a)	\$282,273	\$282,273	\$193,287	\$193,287
Finance receivables, net	(b)	8,160,208	8,110,223	10,037,329	9,717,655
Restricted cash – securitization					
notes payable	(a)	930,155	930,155	851,606	851,606
Restricted cash – credit facilities	(a)	142,725	142,725	195,079	195,079
Restricted cash - other	(a)	26,960	26,960	46,905	46,905
Interest rate swap agreements	(d)	26,194	26,194	24,267	24,267
Interest rate cap agreements purchased	(d)	3,188	3,188	15,858	15,858
Investment in money market fund	(d)			8,027	8,027
Financial liabilities:					
Credit facilities	(c)	598,946	598,946	1,630,133	1,630,133
Securitization notes payable	(d)	6,108,976	6,230,902	7,426,687	6,879,245
Senior notes	(d)	70,620	70,620	91,620	85,207
Convertible senior notes	(d)	414,068	414,007	392,514	328,396
Interest rate swap agreements	(d)	70,421	70,421	131,885	131,885
Interest rate cap agreements sold	(d)	3,320	3,320	16,644	16,644
Foreign currency contracts	(d)	1,206	1,206		

- (a) The carrying value of cash and cash equivalents, restricted cash securitization notes payable, restricted cash credit facilities and restricted cash other is considered to be a reasonable estimate of fair value since these investments bear interest at market rates and have maturities of less than 90 days.
- (b) The fair value of the finance receivables is estimated based upon forecast cash flows on the receivables discounted using a weighted average cost of capital. The forecast includes among other things items such as prepayment, defaults, recoveries and fee income assumptions.
- (c) Credit facilities have variable rates of interest and maturities of three years or less. Therefore, carrying value is considered to be a reasonable estimate of fair value.
- (d) The fair values of the interest rate cap and swap agreements, investment in money market fund, securitization notes payable, senior notes, convertible senior notes and foreign currency contracts are based on quoted market

prices, when available. If quoted market prices are not available, the market value is estimated by discounting future net cash flows expected to be settled using a current risk-adjusted rate.

20. Quarterly Financial Data (unaudited)

First Second Third Fourth
Quarter Quarter Quarter Quarter

The following is a summary of quarterly financial results (dollars in thousands, except per share data):

Year	Ended	June	30	2010
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Total revenue	\$413,284	\$386,755	\$361,105	\$361,673
Income before income taxes	46,250	72,215	95,815	139,159
Net income	25,761	46,029	63,206	85,550
Basic earnings per share	0.19	0.34	0.47	0.64
Diluted earnings per share	0.19	0.33	0.45	0.61
Diluted weighted average shares	136,083,460	137,630,694	139,231,152	139,787,408
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Year Ended June 30, 2009

Total revenue	\$566,043		\$558,597		\$492,425		\$450,259
Income (loss) before income taxes	(5,196)	(52,805)	11,590		46,264
Net income (loss)	(5,274)	(35,002)	(2,406)	31,793
Basic earnings (loss) per share	(0.05)	(0.29))	(0.02)	0.24
Diluted earnings (loss) per share	(0.05)	(0.29))	(0.02))	0.24
Diluted weighted average shares	116,271,119	9	120,106,6	66	131,914,8	85	133,523,867

21. Guarantor Consolidating Financial Statements

The payment of principal and interest on our senior notes and convertible senior notes are guaranteed by certain of our subsidiaries (the "Subsidiary Guarantors"). The separate financial statements of the Subsidiary Guarantors are not included herein because the Subsidiary Guarantors are our wholly-owned consolidated subsidiaries and are jointly, severally, fully and unconditionally liable for the obligations represented by the convertible senior notes. We believe that the consolidating financial information for AmeriCredit Corp., the combined Subsidiary Guarantors and the combined Non-Guarantor Subsidiaries provide information that is more meaningful in understanding the financial position of the Subsidiary Guarantors than separate financial statements of the Subsidiary Guarantors.

The consolidating financial statements present consolidating financial data for (i) AmeriCredit Corp. (on a parent only basis), (ii) the combined Subsidiary Guarantors, (iii) the combined Non-Guarantor Subsidiaries, (iv) an elimination column for adjustments to arrive at the information for the parent company and our subsidiaries on a consolidated basis and (v) the parent company and our subsidiaries on a consolidated basis as of June 30, 2010 and 2009 and for each of the two years in the period ended June 30, 2010.

Investments in subsidiaries are accounted for by the parent company using the equity method for purposes of this presentation. Results of operations of subsidiaries are therefore reflected in the parent company's investment accounts and earnings. The principal elimination entries set forth below eliminate investments in subsidiaries and intercompany balances and transactions.

AMERICREDIT CORP. CONSOLIDATING BALANCE SHEET June 30, 2010

(in thousands)

	AmeriCredit		Non-	El	C 111 . 1
ASSETS	Corp.	Guarantors	Guarantors	Eliminations	Consolidated
Cash and cash equivalents		\$275,139	\$7,134		\$ 282,273
Finance receivables, net		823,241	7,336,967		8,160,208
Restricted cash -					
securitization notes payable			930,155		930,155
Restricted cash -					
credit facilities			142,725		142,725
Property and equipment, net	\$ 5,194	32,540			37,734
Leased vehicles, net		3,194	91,483		94,677
Deferred income taxes	13,118	107,912	(39,194)		81,836
Other assets	3,751	97,010	50,664		151,425
Due from affiliates	741,354		1,857,097	\$(2,598,451)	
Investment in affiliates	2,256,871	3,753,620	820,266	(6,830,757)	
Total assets	\$ 3,020,288	\$5,092,656	\$11,197,297	\$ (9,429,208)	\$ 9,881,033
Liabilities:					
Credit facilities			\$598,946		\$ 598,946
Securitization notes payable			6,108,976		6,108,976
Senior notes	\$ 70,620				70,620
Convertible senior notes	414,068				414,068
Accrued taxes and expenses	135,058	\$34,229	40,726		210,013
Interest rate swap agreements			70,421		70,421
Other liabilities	118	7,447			7,565
Due to affiliates		2,598,451		\$(2,598,451)	
Total liabilities	619,864	2,640,127	6,819,069	(2,598,451)	7,480,609
Shareholders' equity:					
Common stock	1,369	110,457		(110,457)	1,369
Additional paid-in capital	327,095	75,887	1,272,491	(1,348,378)	327,095
Accumulated other comprehensive					
income (loss)	11,870	45,256	(34,818)	(10,438)	11,870
Retained earnings	2,099,005	2,220,929	3,140,555	(5,361,484)	2,099,005
	2,439,339	2,452,529	4,378,228	(6,830,757)	2,439,339
Treasury stock	(38,915)				(38,915)

Total shareholders' equity	2,400,424	2,452,529	4,378,228	(6,830,757)	2,400,424
Total liabilities and					
shareholders' equity	\$ 3,020,288	\$5,092,656	\$11,197,297	\$ (9,429,208)	\$ 9,881,033

AMERICREDIT CORP. CONSOLIDATING BALANCE SHEET June 30, 2009 (in thousands)

ASSETS	AmeriCredit Corp.	Guarantors	Non- Guarantors	Eliminations	Consolidated
Cash and cash equivalents		\$186,564	\$6,723		\$ 193,287
Finance receivables, net		580,420	9,456,909		10,037,329
Restricted cash -					
securitization notes payable			851,606		851,606
Restricted cash -					
credit facilities			195,079		195,079
Property and equipment, net	\$ 5,527	38,668			44,195
Leased vehicles, net		5,319	151,068		156,387
Deferred income taxes	97,657	243,803	(265,678)		75,782
Income tax receivable	162,036	35,543			197,579
Other assets	5,682	132,485	68,916		207,083
Due from affiliates	404,943		4,059,841	\$(4,464,784)	
Investment in affiliates	1,976,793	5,558,924	603,680	(8,139,397)	
Total assets LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS	\$ 2,652,638 S' FOLUTY	\$6,781,726	\$15,128,144	\$(12,604,181)	\$11,958,327
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Liabilities:					
Credit facilities			\$1,630,133		\$1,630,133
Securitization notes payable			7,426,687		7,426,687
Senior notes	\$ 91,620				91,620
Convertible senior notes	392,514				392,514
Accrued taxes and expenses	60,596	\$44,371	52,673		157,640
Interest rate swap agreements		525	131,360		131,885
Other liabilities	600	19,940			20,540
Due to affiliates		4,464,784		\$(4,464,784)	
Total liabilities	545,330	4,529,620	9,240,853	(4,464,784)	9,851,019
Shareholders' equity:					
Common stock	1,350	172,368		(172,368)	1,350
Additional paid-in capital	284,961	75,878	3,177,841	(3,253,719)	
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Accumulated other comprehensive	ŕ	ŕ	(62,508	36,499	
	(21,099) 1,878,459	26,009 1,977,851	(62,508) 2,771,958	36,499 (4,749,809)	(21,099)

	2,143,671	2,252,106	5,887,291	(8,139,397)	2,143,671
Treasury stock	(36,363)				(36,363)
Total shareholders' equity	2,107,308	2,252,106	5,887,291	(8,139,397)	2,107,308
Total liabilities and					
shareholders' equity	\$ 2,652,638	\$6,781,726	\$15,128,144	\$(12,604,181)	\$11,958,327
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AMERICREDIT CORP. CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS Year Ended June 30, 2010 (in thousands)

	AmeriCredit Corp.	Guarantors	Non- Guarantors	Eliminations	Consolidated
Revenue					
Finance charge income		\$107,750	\$1,323,569		\$ 1,431,319
Other income	\$ 29,634	444,840	822,260	\$(1,205,519)	91,215
Gain on retirement of debt	283				283
Equity in income of affiliates	243,078	368,597		(611,675)	
	272,995	921,187	2,145,829	(1,817,194)	1,522,817
Costs and expenses					
Operating expenses	17,771	58,849	212,171		288,791
Leased vehicles expenses		1,684	32,955		34,639
Provision for loan losses		174,646	213,412		388,058
Interest expense	45,950	507,082	1,109,709	(1,205,519)	457,222
Restructuring charges		668			668
	63,721	742,929	1,568,247	(1,205,519)	1,169,378
Income before income taxes	209,274	178,258	577,582	(611,675)	353,439
Income tax (benefit) provision	(11,272	(64,820	208,985		132,893
Net income	\$ 220,546	\$243,078	\$368,597	\$ (611,675)	\$ 220,546
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AMERICREDIT CORP. CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS Year Ended June 30, 2009 (in thousands)

	AmeriCredit Corp.	Guarantors	Non- Guarantors	Eliminations	Consolidated
Revenue					
Finance charge income		\$74,562	\$1,828,122		\$ 1,902,684
Other income	\$ 38,193	892,546	1,762,638	\$ (2,576,889)	116,488
Gain on retirement of debt	48,152				48,152
Equity in income of affiliates	20,535	143,940		(164,475)	
	106,880	1,111,048	3,590,760	(2,741,364)	2,067,324
Costs and expenses					
Operating expenses	32,701	29,914	246,188		308,803
Leased vehicles expenses		4,955	42,925		47,880
Provision for loan losses		105,919	866,462		972,381
Interest expense	100,228	992,563	2,210,658	(2,576,889)	726,560
Restructuring charges		11,847			11,847
	132,929	1,145,198	3,366,233	(2,576,889)	2,067,471
(Loss) income before income taxes	(26,049) (34,150)	224,527	(164,475)	(147)
Income tax (benefit) provision	(15,160) (54,685)	80,587		10,742
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Net (loss) income	\$ (10,889	\$20,535	\$143,940	\$ (164,475)	\$ (10,889)

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AMERICREDIT CORP. CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS Year Ended June 30, 2010 (in thousands)

	AmeriCredi Corp.	t	Guarantors	S	Non- Guarantors	Eliminations	Consolidate	ed
Cash flows from operating activities:	¢ 220 546		Φ 2.42.07 0		¢269.507	¢ (C11 (75)	¢ 220 546	
Net income	\$ 220,546		\$243,078		\$368,597	\$(611,675)	\$ 220,546	
Adjustments to reconcile net income								
to net cash provided by operating activities:								
Depreciation and amortization	1,688		9,167		68,189		79,044	
Provision for loan losses	1,000		174,646		213,412		388,058	
Deferred income taxes	81,395		136,135		(242,097)		(24,567)
Stock based compensation expense	15,115		130,133		(242,097		15,115)
Amortization of warrant costs	1,968						1,968	
Non-cash interest charges on convertible	1,906						1,900	
debt	21.554						21.554	
Accretion and amortization of loan fees	21,554		51		4,740		21,554 4,791	
Gain on retirement of debt	(283	`	31		4,740		(283	\
Other	(203)	(2.242	\	(12.712		,)
	(242.079	`	(3,242)	(12,712		(15,954)
Equity in income of affiliates	(243,078)	(368,597)		611,675		
Changes in assets and liabilities, net of								
assets and liabilities acquired:	162.026		25.266				107.402	
Income tax receivable	162,036		35,366	`	(012		197,402	
Other assets	7,941		(8,697)	6,012		5,256	
Accrued taxes and expenses	70,942		(27,848)	(7,315		35,779	
Net cash provided by operating activities	339,824		190,059		398,826		928,709	
The cush provided by operating activities	237,021		170,007		370,020		,20,70	
Cash flows from investing activities:								
Purchases of receivables			(2,090,60	2)	(1,606,146)	1,606,146	(2,090,60	2)
Principal collections and recoveries								
on receivables			100,273		3,506,407		3,606,680	
Net proceeds from sale of receivables			1,606,146)		(1,606,146)		
Purchases of property and equipment			(1,581)			(1,581)
Change in restricted cash -								
securitization notes payable					(78,549		(78,549)
Change in restricted cash -								
credit facilities					52,354		52,354	
Change in other assets			17,841		26,034		43,875	
Proceeds from money market fund			10,047				10,047	
Net change in investment in affiliates	(9,308)	2,180,625		(216,588	(1,954,729)		
	(9,308)	1,822,749)	1,683,512	(1,954,729)	1,542,224	

Net cash (used) provided by investing activities

deti (ities							
Cash flows from financing activities:							
Net change in credit facilities				(1,031,187)			(1,031,187)
Issuance of securitization notes payable				2,352,493			2,352,493
Payments on securitization notes payable				(3,674,062)			(3,674,062)
Debt issuance costs	1,810			(26,564)			(24,754)
Net proceeds from issuance of common							
stock	15,635		(61,900) (1,905,350)	1,967,250)	15,635
Retirement of debt	(20,425)					(20,425)
Other net changes	645						645
Net change in due (to) from affiliates	(336,411)	(1,861,166) 2,202,743	(5,166)	
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Net cash used by financing activities	(338,746)	(1,923,066) (2,081,927)	1,962,084	1	(2,381,655)
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Net (decrease) increase in cash and							
cash equivalents	(8,230)	89,742	411	7,355		89,278
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Effect of Canadian exchange rate							
changes on cash and cash equivalents	8,230		(1,167)	(7,355)	(292)
changes on easi and easi equivalents	0,250		(1,107	,	(1,555	,	(=>=)
Cash and cash equivalents atbeginning of							
year			186,564	6,723			193,287
year			100,504	0,723			173,207
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$		\$275,139	\$7,134	\$		\$ 282,273
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CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS Year Ended June 30, 2009 (in thousands)

	AmeriCred	it			Non-					
	Corp.		Guarantors		Guarantors		Eliminations	Co	nsolidate	ed
Cash flows from operating activities:										
Net (loss) income	\$ (10,889)	\$20,535		\$143,940		\$ (164,475)	\$ (10,889)
Adjustments to reconcile net (loss) income										
to net cash (used) provided by operating										
activities:										
Depreciation and amortization	2,634		33,878		72,496				.09,008	
Provision for loan losses			105,919		866,462				72,381	
Deferred income taxes	(100,156)	31,977		294,962				26,783	
Stock based compensation expense	14,264							1	4,264	
Amortization of warrant costs	45,101							4	5,101	
Non-cash interest charges on convertible										
debt	22,506							2	2,506	
Accretion and amortization of loan fees			903		18,191			1	9,094	
Gain on retirement of debt	(48,907)						(48,907)
Other			(16,603)	19,376			2	2,773	
Equity in income of affiliates	(20,535)	(143,940)			164,475			
Changes in assets and liabilities, net of										
assets and liabilities acquired:										
Income tax receivable	(173,844)	(838))				(174,682)
Other assets	(1,901)	12,169		(16,972)		(6,704)
Accrued taxes and expenses	(23,386)	(9,700)	(19,027)		(:	52,113)
Net cash (used) provided byoperating										
activities	(295,113)	34,300		1,379,428			1	,118,615	
ucti vities	(2)3,113		34,300		1,577,420				,110,013	
Cash flows from investing activities:										
Purchases of receivables			(1,280,291)	(535,526)	535,526	(1,280,29	1)
Principal collections and recoveries							·			
on receivables			217,414		4,040,223			4	,257,637	
Net proceeds from sale of receivables			535,526				(535,526)			
Purchases of property and equipment			(1,003)			, ,		1,003)
Change in restricted cash -										
securitization notes payable					131,064			1	31,064	
Change in restricted cash -					,				ĺ	
credit facilities					63,180			6	53,180	
Change in other assets			103,179		(90,219)			2,960	
Proceeds from money market fund			104,319			_			04,319	
Investment in money market fund			•)					115,821)
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Net change in investment in affiliates	(6,317)	480,377		(36,469)		(437,591)	
Net cash (used) provided by investing									
activities	(6,317)	43,700		3,572,253		(437,591)	3,172,045
Cash flows from financing activities:									
Net change in credit facilities					(1,278,117)				(1,278,117)
Issuance of securitization notes payable					1,000,000				1,000,000
Payments on securitization notes payable					(3,987,424)				(3,987,424)
Debt issuance costs	(56)	(2,163)	(30,390)				(32,609)
Net proceeds from issuance of common									
stock	3,741		121,593		(535,315)		413,722		3,741
Retirement of convertible debt	(238,617)							(238,617)
Other net changes	(603)							(603)
Net change in due (to) from affiliates	536,214		(371,011)	(185,918)		20,715		
Net cash provided (used) by financing									
activities	300,679		(251,581)	(5,017,164)		434,437		(4,533,629)
Net decrease in cash andcash equivalents	(751)	(173,581)	(65,483)		(3,154)	(242,969)
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Effect of Canadian exchange rate									
changes on cash and cash equivalents	751		(1,207)	65		3,154		2,763
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Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of									
year			361,352		72,141				433,493
y					2,2 . 2				130,170
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$		\$186,564		\$6,723	\$			\$ 193,287
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Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

The Board of Directors and Stockholders Jefferies Group, Inc.:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated statements of earnings, changes in stockholders' equity, comprehensive income and cash flows for the year ended December 31, 2009 of Jefferies Group, Inc. and subsidiaries (the Company). These consolidated financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit 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. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the results of operations and cash flows of Jefferies Group, Inc. and subsidiaries for the year ended December 31, 2009, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

/s/ KPMG LLP

New York, New York February 26, 2010

(February 2, 2011 as to Note 1 of the consolidated financial statements included in the Company's 2010 Transition Report on Form 10-K which describes the effects of correcting the 2009 consolidated financial statements)

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Board of Directors and Stockholders of Jefferies Group, Inc.:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated statement of financial condition of Jefferies Group, Inc. and subsidiaries (the "Company") as of November 30, 2011 and 2010, and the related consolidated statement of earnings, stockholders' equity, comprehensive income, and cash flows for the year ended November 30, 2011 and for the eleven month period ended November 30, 2010. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits 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. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, such consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Jefferies Group, Inc. and subsidiaries at November 20, 2011 and 2010, and the results of their operations and their cash flows for the year ended November 30, 2011 and the eleven month period ended November 30, 2010, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

As discussed in Note 1 to the consolidated financial statements, the Company changed its fiscal year end from December 31 to November 30.

As discussed in Note 2 to the consolidated financial statements, effective January 1, 2010, the Company adopted Financial Accounting Standards Board accounting guidance that addresses the consolidation of variable interest entities.

We have also audited, in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States), the Company's internal control over financial reporting as of November 30, 2011, based on the criteria established in Internal Control—Integrated Framework issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission and our report dated January 27, 2012 expressed an unqualified opinion on the Company's internal control over financial reporting.

/s/ Deloitte & Touche LLP

New York, New York January 27, 2012

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

	November 30,		
	2011	2010	
ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,393,797	\$ 2,188,998	
Cash and securities segregated and on deposit for regulatory purposes or deposited			
with clearing and depository organizations	3,344,960	1,636,755	
Financial instruments owned, at fair value, including securities pledged of \$12,452,970 and \$12,338,728 in 2011 and 2010, respectively:			
Corporate equity securities	1,235,079	1,565,793	
Corporate debt securities	2,868,304	3,630,616	
Government, federal agency and other sovereign obligations	7,471,563	5,191,973	
Mortgage- and asset-backed securities	3,923,303	4,921,565	
Loans and other receivables	376,146	434,573	
Derivatives	525,893	119,268	
Investments, at fair value	105,585	77,784	
Physical commodities	172,668	_	
Total financial instruments owned, at fair value	16,678,541	15,941,572	
Investments in managed funds	70,740	131,585	
Loans to and investments in related parties	594,538	220,323	
Securities borrowed	5,169,689	8,152,678	
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	2,893,043	3,252,322	
Securities received as collateral	21,862	48,616	
Receivables:			
Brokers, dealers and clearing organizations	1,235,393	2,550,234	
Customers	1,116,982	1,328,365	
Fees, interest and other	163,092	165,603	
Premises and equipment	175,139	142,729	
Goodwill	365,574	364,964	
Other assets	748,072	601,799	
Total assets	\$ 34,971,422	\$ 36,726,543	

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION — CONTINUED (Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

	Novem	iber 30,
	2011	2010
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Short-term borrowing	\$ 52,721	\$
Financial instruments sold, not yet purchased, at fair value:		
Corporate equity securities	1,330,096	1,638,372
Corporate debt securities	1,614,493	2,375,925
Government, federal agency and other sovereign obligations	3,209,713	4,735,288
Mortgage- and asset-backed securities	50,517	129,384
Loans	151,117	171,278
Derivatives	249,037	59,552
Total financial instruments sold, not yet purchased, at fair value	6,604,973	9,109,799
Securities loaned	1,706,308	3,108,977
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	9,620,663	10,684,056
Obligation to return securities received as collateral	21,862	48,616
Payables:		
Brokers, dealers and clearing organizations	2,816,877	1,885,357
Customers	4,763,364	3,716,357
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	803,219	1,142,850
Long-term debt	4,608,926	3,778,681
Mandatorily redeemable convertible preferred stock	125,000	125,000
Mandatorily redeemable preferred interest of consolidated subsidiaries	310,534	315,885
Total liabilities	31,434,447	33,915,578
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Common stock, \$.0001 par value. Authorized 500,000,000 shares; issued 197,197,848		
shares in 2011 and 200,301,656 shares in 2010	20	20
Additional paid-in capital	2,207,410	2,218,123
Retained earnings	1,067,858	850,654
Less:		
Treasury stock, at cost, 37,842 shares in 2011 and 28,607,510 shares in 2010	(486)	(539,530)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss:		
Currency translation adjustments	(39,520)	(42,859)
Additional minimum pension liability	(10,970)	(8,419)
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Total accumulated other comprehensive loss	(50,490)	(51,278)
Total common stockholders' equity	3,224,312	2,477,989
Noncontrolling interests	312,663	332,976
Total stockholders' equity	3,536,975	2,810,965
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 34,971,422	\$ 36,726,543

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION — CONTINUED (Dollars in thousands)

The table below presents the carrying amount and classification of assets of consolidated variable interest entities ("VIEs") that can be used only to settle obligations of the consolidated VIEs and the liabilities of consolidated VIEs for which creditors (or beneficial interest holders) do not have recourse to our general credit. The assets and liabilities of these consolidated VIEs are included in the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition and are presented net of intercompany eliminations.

	Novem	ber	30,
	2011		2010
Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 345,959	\$	202,565
Financial instruments owned, at fair value			
Corporate equity securities	61,670		120,606
Corporate debt securities	326,549		462,462
Mortgage- and asset-backed securities	41,004		43,355
Loans and other receivables	281,416		362,465
Derivatives	569		7,579
Investments, at fair value	1,570		15,612
Total financial instruments owned, at fair value	712,778	1	1,012,079
Receivables:			
Brokers, dealers and clearing organizations	150,592		195,485
Fees, interest and other	7,396		127
Other assets	385		370
Total assets	1,217,110	1	1,410,626
Liabilities			
Financial instruments sold, not yet purchased, at fair value:			
Corporate equity securities	7,122		2,708
Corporate debt securities	200,223		443,100
Loans	117,958		150,100
Derivatives	935		136
Total financial instruments sold, not yet purchased, at fair value	326,238		596,044
Payables:			
Brokers, dealers and clearing organizations	105,165		157,134

Accrued expenses and other liabilities	9,740	94,402
Mandatorily redeemable preferred interest of consolidated subsidiaries	310,534	315,885
Total liabilities	\$ 751,677	\$ 1,163,465

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF EARNINGS

(In thousands, except per share amounts)

Revenues:	Twelve Months Ended November 30, 2011	Eleven Months Ended November 30, 2010	Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2009
Commissions	\$ 534,726	\$ 466,246	\$ 512,293
Principal transactions	428,035	509,070	838,396
Investment banking	1,122,528	890,334	474,315
Asset management fees and investment income from managed	1,122,320	0,00,001	17 1,313
funds	44,125	16,785	35,887
Interest	1,248,132	852,494	732,250
Other	152,092	62,417	38,918
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Total revenues	3,529,638	2,797,346	2,632,059
Interest expense	980,825	605,096	468,798
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Net revenues	2,548,813	2,192,250	2,163,261
Interest on mandatorily redeemable preferred interest of			
consolidated subsidiaries	3,622	14,916	37,248
Net revenues, less mandatorily redeemable preferred interest	2,545,191	2,177,334	2,126,013
Non-interest expenses:			
Compensation and benefits	1,482,604	1,282,644	1,195,971
Floor brokerage and clearing fees	126,313	110,835	80,969
Technology and communications	215,940	160,987	141,233
Occupancy and equipment rental	84,951	68,085	72,824
Business development	93,645	62,015	37,614
Professional services	66,305	49,080	41,125
Other	56,099	47,017	48,530
Total non-interest expenses	2,125,857	1,780,663	1,618,266
Earnings before income taxes	419,334	396,671	507,747
Income tax expense	132,966	156,404	195,928

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Net earnings	286,368	240,267	311,819
Net earnings to noncontrolling interests	1,750	16,601	36,537
Net earnings to common shareholders	\$ 284,618	\$ 223,666	\$ 275,282
Earnings per common share:			
Basic	\$ 1.28	\$ 1.10	\$ 1.36
Diluted	\$ 1.28	\$ 1.09	\$ 1.35
Weighted average common shares:			
Basic	211,056	196,393	200,446
Diluted	215,171	200,511	204,572

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY (Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

Common stock manualiza \$0,0001 manulosa	Twelve Months Ended November 30, 2011	Eleven Months Ended November 30, 2010	Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2009
Common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	Ф 20	ф 1 <u>0</u>	¢ 17
Balance, beginning of period	\$ 20	\$ 19	\$ 17
Issued	2	1	2
Retired	(2)	-	
Balance, end of period	20	20	19
Additional paid-in capital			
Balance, beginning of period	2,218,123	2,036,087	1,870,120
Benefit plan share activity(1)	31,176	19,230	16,499
Share-based expense, net of forfeitures and clawbacks	134,076	149,799	125,127
Proceeds from exercise of stock options	95	108	69
Acquisitions and contingent consideration	419	419	(2,710)
Tax benefit (deficiency) for issuance of share-based awards	32,200	2,965	(14,606)
Equity component of convertible debt, net of tax	(217)	_	- 41,588
Dividend equivalents on share-based plans	8,883	9,515	_
Issuance of treasury stock	97,770	_	_
Retirement of treasury stock	(315,115)	_	
Balance, end of period	2,207,410	2,218,123	2,036,087
Retained earnings			
Balance, beginning of period	850,654	688,039	412,757
Net earnings to common shareholders	284,618	223,666	275,282
Dividends	(67,414)	(61,051)	
Balance, end of period	1,067,858	850,654	688,039
Treasury stock, at cost	/==0 ==0\	(201220)	44.5.400
Balance, beginning of period	(539,530)	(384,379)	(115,190)
Purchases	(152,827)	(140,071)	(263,794)
Returns / forfeitures	(20,368)	(15,080)	(8,105)
Issued	397,122	_	_ 2,710
Retirement of treasury stock	315,117	_	_
Delenes and of noriced	(406)	(520, 520)	(204.270)
Balance, end of period	(486)	(539,530)	(384,379)
A commulated other community (1998) in some			
Accumulated other comprehensive (loss) income Balance, beginning of period	(51,278)	(11.626)	(52,121)
Datance, beginning of period	(31,2/8)	(41,626)	(32,121)

Currency adjustment	3,339	(8,490)	9,306
Pension adjustment, net of tax	(2,551)	(1,162)	1,189
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Balance, end of period	(50,490)	(51,278)	(41,626)
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Total common stockholders' equity	3,224,312	2,477,989	2,298,140
Noncontrolling interests			
Balance, beginning of period	332,976	321,538	287,805
Net earnings to noncontrolling interests	1,750	16,601	36,537
Contributions	1,713	12,433	2,860
Distributions	(22,056)	(15,177)	(5,664)
Deconsolidation of asset management entity	(1,720)	(5,477)	
Adoption of accounting changes to ASC 810		3,058	_
Balance, end of period	312,663	332,976	321,538
Total stockholders' equity	3,536,975 \$	2,810,965	\$ 2,619,678

⁽¹⁾ Includes grants related to the Incentive Plan, Deferred Compensation Plan, and Directors' Plan.

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (Dollars in thousands)

	 Elve Months Ended vember 30, 2011	 even Months Ended evember 30, 2010	 relve Months Ended ecember 31, 2009
Net earnings to common shareholders	\$ 284,618	\$ 223,666	\$ 275,282
Other comprehensive income (loss): Currency translation adjustments Minimum page on lightity adjustments and of tay(1)	3,339	(8,490)	9,306
Minimum pension liability adjustments, net of tax(1)	(2,551)	(1,162)	1,189
Total other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax(2)	788	(9,652)	10,495
Comprehensive income	\$ 285,406	\$ 214,014	\$ 285,777

- (1) Includes income tax (benefit) expense of \$(1.8) million, \$(0.8) million and \$0.8 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively.
- (2) Total other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax, is attributable to common shareholders. No other comprehensive income (loss) is attributable to noncontrolling interests.

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (Dollars in thousands)

Cash flows from operating activities:	Twelve Months Ended November 30, 2011	Eleven Months Ended November 30, 2010	Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2009
Net earnings	\$ 286,368	\$ 240,267	\$ 311,819
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Adjustments to reconcile net earnings to net cash used in			
operating activities:			
Depreciation and amortization	68,522	42,087	40,662
Bargain purchase gain	(52,509)	_	_
Gain on repurchase of long-term debt	(21,107)	_	- (7,673)
Fees related to assigned management agreements	(3,724)	(3,590)	_
Interest on mandatorily redeemable preferred interests of			
consolidated subsidiaries	3,622	14,916	37,248
Accruals related to various benefit plans and stock issuances,			
net of estimated forfeitures	144,886	153,950	133,523
Deferred income taxes	30,177	4,389	10,147
Decrease (increase) in cash and securities segregated and on			
deposit for regulatory purposes or deposited with clearing and			
depository organizations	1,417,107	(546,793)	61,620
Decrease (increase) in receivables:			
Brokers, dealers and clearing organizations	1,652,426	(1,062,106)	(752,108)
Customers	385,686	(321,008)	(474,181)
Fees, interest and other	3,856	(57,482)	(21,566)
Decrease in securities borrowed	3,014,442	52,634	764,577
Decrease (increase) in financial instruments owned	299,558	(6,434,698)	(4,781,858)
Increase in loans to and investments in related parties	(375,031)	(27,443)	(53,616)
Decrease (increase) in investments in managed funds	60,855	(9,833)	(15,529)
Decrease (increase) in securities purchased under agreements to			
resell	372,470	266,132	(2,268,338)
(Increase) decrease in other assets	(122,568)	(123,933)	22,516
Increase (decrease) in payables:			
Brokers, dealers and clearing organizations	880,998	1,001,155	506,073
Customers	(2,324,839)	467,164	1,476,096
(Decrease) increase in securities loaned	(1,428,852)	(455,750)	333,261

(Decrease) increase in financial instruments sold, not yet			
purchased	(2,892,462)	3,685,421	2,664,934
(Decrease) increase in securities sold under agreements to			
repurchase	(1,083,191)	2,444,802	1,511,871
(Decrease) increase in accrued expenses and other liabilities	(599,677)	218,255	373,602
Net cash used in operating activities	(282,987)	(451,464)	(126,920)
Cash flows from investing activities:			
Net payments on premises and equipment	(77,330)	(38,426)	(37,483)
Deconsolidation of asset management entity	_	(407)	_
Cash paid for acquisition, net of cash acquired	(320,697)	_	(38,760)
Purchase of mortgage servicing rights			(8,628)
Cash received from contingent consideration	3,733	2,930	
Cash paid for contingent consideration	(754)	(8,332)	(28,653)
Net cash used in investing activities	(395,048)	(44,235)	(113,524)

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS — CONTINUED (Dollars in thousands)

	elve Months Ended evember 30, 2011	even Months Ended ovember 30, 2010		relve Months Ended ecember 31, 2009
Cash flows from financing activities:				
Excess tax benefits from the issuance of share-based awards	\$ 34,552	\$ 2,397	\$	12,408
Gross proceeds from short-term borrowings	3,032,010	2,446,000		5,781,738
Gross payments on short-term borrowings	(3,283,231)	(2,446,000)		(5,781,738)
Gross proceeds from secured credit facility	260,000	_		
Gross payments on secured credit facility	(160,000)	_	-	_
Payments on repurchase of long-term debt	(49,692)	_	_	(12,796)
Payments on mandatorily redeemable preferred interest of				
consolidated subsidiaries	(8,973)	(17,078)		(124)
Payments on repurchase of common stock	(152,827)	(140,071)		(263,794)
Payments on dividends	(58,531)	(51,536)		
Proceeds from exercise of stock options, not including tax				
benefits	95	108		69
Net proceeds from (payments on):				
Issuance of common shares	494,892	_	_	
Issuance of senior notes, net of issuance costs	794,587	1,041,353		1,053,092
Noncontrolling interest	(20,343)	(2,744)		(2,804)
Net cash provided by financing activities	882,539	832,429		786,051
Effect of foreign currency translation on cash and cash				
equivalents	295	(899)		13,231
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	204,799	335,831		558,838
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	2,188,998	1,853,167		1,294,329
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 2,393,797	\$ 2,188,998	\$	1,853,167
Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information:				
Cash paid (received) during the year for:				
Interest	\$ 943,031	\$ 579,915	\$	434,163
Income taxes, net	153,416	182,633		(27,106)
Acquisitions:				
Fair value of assets acquired, including goodwill			4	70 10 1
	\$ 4,703,560		\$	53,104
Liabilities assumed	\$ 4,703,560 (4,229,011)		\$	53,104 (14,344)

Total purchase price	422,040	38,760
Cash acquired	(101,343)	
Cash paid for acquisition, net of cash acquired	\$ 320,697	\$ 38,760

In 2011, the additional minimum pension liability included in stockholders' equity of \$11.0 million resulted from an increase of \$2.6 million to accrued expenses and other liabilities and an offsetting decrease in stockholders' equity.

In 2010, the additional minimum pension liability included in stockholders' equity of \$8.4 million resulted from an increase of \$1.2 million to accrued expenses and other liabilities and an offsetting decrease in stockholders' equity.

In 2009, the additional minimum pension liability included in stockholders' equity of \$7.3 million resulted from a decrease of \$1.2 million to accrued expenses and other liabilities and an offsetting increase in stockholders' equity.

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 1. Organization and Basis of Presentation

Organization

The accompanying audited Consolidated Financial Statements include the accounts of Jefferies Group, Inc. and all our subsidiaries (together, "we" or "us"), including Jefferies & Company, Inc. ("Jefferies"), Jefferies Execution Services, Inc., ("Jefferies Execution"), Jefferies Bache, LLC, Jefferies International Limited, Jefferies Bache, Limited, Jefferies Hong Kong Limited, Jefferies Asset Management, LLC, Jefferies Bache Financial Services, Inc. and all other entities in which we have a controlling financial interest or are the primary beneficiary, including Jefferies High Yield Holdings, LLC ("JHYH"), Jefferies Special Opportunities Partners, LLC ("JSOP") and Jefferies Employees Special Opportunities Partners, LLC ("JESOP").

We operate in two business segments, Capital Markets and Asset Management. Capital Markets includes our securities, commodities, futures and foreign exchange trading (including the results of our indirectly partially owned subsidiary, Jefferies High Yield Trading, LLC) and investment banking activities, which provides the research, sales, trading and origination effort for various equity, fixed income and advisory products and services. Asset Management provides investment management services to various private investment funds, separate accounts and mutual funds.

On July 1, 2011, we acquired Prudential Bache's Global Commodities Group ("Global Commodities Group" or "Jefferies Bache") from Prudential Financial Inc. ("Prudential"). Total cash payments made as consideration for the acquisition were \$422.0 million. The Global Commodities Group provides execution and clearing services (including sales and trading activities) covering a wide variety of commodity, financial and foreign exchange futures, swaps and forward contracts to an institutional client base. See Note 3, Acquisition of the Global Commodities Group.

Change in Year End

On April 19, 2010, our Board of Directors approved a change to our fiscal year end from a calendar year basis to a fiscal year ending November 30. As such, the current period represents the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and has been reported on the basis of the new fiscal year beginning as of December 1, 2010. Our prior period consisted of the eleven month transition period beginning January 1, 2010 through November 30, 2010. Financial statements for 2009 continue to be presented on the basis of our previous calendar year end.

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying Consolidated Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("U.S. GAAP") for financial information and with the instructions to Form 10-K. We have made a number of estimates and assumptions relating to the reporting of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities to prepare these financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP. The most important of these estimates and assumptions relate to fair value measurements, compensation and benefits, legal reserves, goodwill and

the realizability of deferred tax assets. Although these and other estimates and assumptions are based on the best available information, actual results could be materially different from these estimates.

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Consolidation

Our policy is to consolidate all entities in which we own more than 50% of the outstanding voting stock and have control. In addition, we consolidate entities which lack characteristics of an operating entity or business for which we are the primary beneficiary. The primary beneficiary is the party who has the power to direct the activities of a variable interest entity that most significantly impact the entity's economic performance and who has an obligation to absorb losses of the entity or a right to receive benefits from the entity that could potentially be significant to the entity. In situations where we have significant influence but not control of an entity that does not qualify as a variable interest entity, we apply the equity method of accounting or fair value accounting. We also have formed nonconsolidated investment vehicles with third-party investors that are typically organized as partnerships or limited liability companies. We act as general partner or managing member for these investment vehicles and have generally provided the third-party investors with termination or "kick-out" rights.

Intercompany accounts and transactions are eliminated in consolidation.

Note 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Revenue Recognition Policies

Commissions. All customer securities transactions are reported on the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition on a settlement date basis with related income reported on a trade-date basis. We permit institutional customers to allocate a portion of their gross commissions to pay for research products and other services provided by third parties. The amounts allocated for those purposes are commonly referred to as soft dollar arrangements. Soft dollar expenses amounted to \$47.9 million, \$37.0 million and \$32.5 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively. We account for the cost of these arrangements on an accrual basis. As we are not the primary obligor for these arrangements, expenses relating to soft dollars are netted against commission revenues. The commissions and related expenses on client transactions executed by Jefferies Bache, LLC, a futures commission merchant, are recorded on a half-turn basis.

Under clearing agreements, we clear trades for unaffiliated correspondent brokers and retain a portion of commissions as a fee for our services. Correspondent clearing revenues are included in Other revenue. In November 2010, we entered into an agreement to sell certain correspondent broker accounts and assign the related clearing arrangements. The purchase price was dependent on the number and amount of client accounts that convert to the purchaser's platform and revenue was recognized upon the completed transfer of client accounts. During fiscal 2011, proceeds amounted to \$11.0 million were received, of which revenues of \$9.1 million was recognized and included within Other income on the Consolidated Statement of Earnings

Principal Transactions. Financial instruments owned, securities pledged and Financial instruments sold, but not yet purchased (all of which are recorded on a trade-date basis) are carried at fair value with gains and losses reflected in Principal transactions in the Consolidated Statements of Earnings on a trade date basis.

Investment Banking. Underwriting revenues and fees from mergers and acquisitions, restructuring and other investment banking advisory assignments or engagements are recorded when the services related to the underlying transactions are completed under the terms of the assignment or engagement. Expenses associated with such assignments are deferred until reimbursed by the client, the related revenue is recognized or the engagement is otherwise concluded. Out-of-pocket expenses are recorded net of client reimbursements.

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Revenues are presented net of related out-of-pocket unreimbursed expenses. Unreimbursed out-of-pocket expenses with no related revenues are included in Business development and Professional services expenses in the Consolidated Statements of Earnings.

Asset Management Fees and Investment Income From Managed Funds. Asset management fees and investment income from managed funds include revenues we earn from management, administrative and performance fees from funds managed by us, revenues from management and performance fees we earn from related-party managed funds and investment income from our investments in these funds. We earn fees in connection with management and investment advisory services performed for various funds and managed accounts. These fees are based on assets under management or an agreed upon notional amount and may include performance fees based upon the performance of the funds. Management and administrative fees are generally recognized over the period that the related service is provided. Generally, performance fees are earned when the return on assets under management exceeds certain benchmark returns, "high-water marks" or other performance targets. Performance fees are accrued (or reversed) on a monthly basis based on measuring performance to date versus any relevant benchmark return hurdles stated in the investment management agreement. Performance fees are not subject to adjustment once the measurement period ends (generally annual periods) and the performance fees have been realized.

Interest Revenue and Expense. We recognize contractual interest on Financial instruments owned and Financial instruments sold, but not yet purchased, on an accrual basis as a component of interest revenue and expense. Interest flows on derivative trading transactions and dividends are included as part of the fair valuation of these contracts in Principal transactions in the Consolidated Statements of Earnings and are not recognized as a component of interest revenue or expense. We account for our short-term, long-term borrowings and our mandatorily redeemable convertible preferred stock on an accrual basis with related interest recorded as interest expense. In addition, we recognize interest revenue related to our securities borrowed and securities purchased under agreements to resell activities and interest expense related to our securities loaned and securities sold under agreements to repurchase activities on an accrual basis.

Cash Equivalents

Cash equivalents include highly liquid investments, including money market funds, not held for resale with original maturities of three months or less.

Cash and Securities Segregated and on Deposit for Regulatory Purposes or Deposited With Clearing and Depository Organizations

In accordance with Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Jefferies as a broker-dealer carrying client accounts, is subject to requirements related to maintaining cash or qualified securities in a segregated reserve account

for the exclusive benefit of its clients. In addition, certain financial instruments used for initial and variation margin purposes with clearing and depository organizations are recorded in this caption. Jefferies Bache, LLC, as a futures commission merchant, is obligated by rules mandated by the Commodities Futures Trading Commission under the Commodities Exchange Act, to segregate or set aside cash or qualified securities to satisfy such regulations, which regulations have been promulgated to protect customer assets.

Foreign Currency Translation

Assets and liabilities of foreign subsidiaries having non-U.S. dollar functional currencies are translated at exchange rates at the end of a period. Revenues and expenses are translated at average exchange rates during the

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period. The gains or losses resulting from translating foreign currency financial statements into U.S. dollars, net of hedging gains or losses and taxes, if any, are included in Other comprehensive income. Gains or losses resulting from foreign currency transactions are included in Principal transactions in the Consolidated Statements of Earnings.

Financial Instruments

Financial instruments owned and Financial instruments sold, not yet purchased are recorded at fair value, either as required by accounting pronouncements or through the fair value option election. These instruments primarily represent our trading activities and include both cash and derivative products. Gains and losses are recognized in Principal transactions in our Consolidated Statements of Earnings. The fair value of a financial instrument is the amount that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date (the exit price).

Fair Value Hierarchy

In determining fair value, we maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs by requiring that observable inputs be used when available. Observable inputs are inputs that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability based on market data obtained from independent sources. Unobservable inputs reflect our assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability developed based on the best information available in the circumstances. We apply a hierarchy to categorize our fair value measurements broken down into three levels based on the transparency of inputs as follows:

- Level 1: Quoted prices are available in active markets for identical assets or liabilities as of the reported date.
- Level 2: Pricing inputs are other than quoted prices in active markets, which are either directly or indirectly observable as of the reported date. The nature of these financial instruments include cash instruments for which quoted prices are available but traded less frequently, derivative instruments whose fair value have been derived using a model where inputs to the model are directly observable in the market, or can be derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data, and instruments that are fair valued using other financial instruments, the parameters of which can be directly observed.
- Level 3: Instruments that have little to no pricing observability as of the reported date. These financial instruments are measured using management's best estimate of fair value, where the inputs into the determination of fair value require significant management judgment or estimation.

The availability of observable inputs can vary and is affected by a wide variety of factors, including, for example, the type of financial instrument and market conditions. To the extent that valuation is based on models or input that are

less observable or unobservable in the market, the determination of fair value requires more judgment. Accordingly, the degree of judgment exercised in determining fair value is greatest for instruments categorized in Level 3.

We use prices and inputs that are current as of the measurement date. As the observability of prices and inputs may change for a financial instrument from period to period, this condition may cause a transfer of an instrument among the fair value hierarchy levels. Transfers among the levels are recognized at the beginning of each period.

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Valuation Process for Financial Instruments

Financial instruments are valued at quoted market prices, if available. Certain financial instruments have bid and ask prices that can be observed in the marketplace. For financial instruments whose inputs are based on bid-ask prices, we allow for mid-market pricing and adjust to the point within the bid-ask range that meets our best estimate of fair value. For offsetting positions in the same financial instrument, the same price within the bid-ask spread is used to measure both the long and short positions.

For financial instruments that do not have readily determinable fair values using quoted market prices, the determination of fair value is based upon consideration of available information, including types of financial instruments, current financial information, restrictions on dispositions, fair values of underlying financial instruments and quotations for similar instruments. The valuation process for financial instruments may include the use of valuation models and other techniques. Adjustments to valuations (such as counterparty, credit, concentration or liquidity) derived from valuation models may be made when, in management's judgment, either the size of the position in the financial instrument in a nonactive market or other features of the financial instrument such as its complexity, or the market in which the financial instrument is traded require that an adjustment be made to the value derived from the models. An adjustment may be made if a financial instrument is subject to sales restrictions that would result in a price less than the quoted market price. Adjustments from the price derived from a valuation model reflect management's judgment that other participants in the market for the financial instrument being measured at fair value would also consider in valuing that same financial instrument and are adjusted for assumptions about risk uncertainties and market conditions. Results from valuation models and valuation techniques in one period may not be indicative of future period fair value measurements.

See Note 5, Financial Instruments, for a description of valuation techniques applied to the classes of financial instruments at fair value.

Investments in Managed Funds

Investments in managed funds include our investments in funds managed by us and our investments in related-party managed funds in which we are entitled to a portion of the management and/or performance fees. Investments in nonconsolidated managed funds are accounted for at fair value. Gains or losses on our investments in managed funds are included in Asset management fees and investment income from managed funds in the Consolidated Statements of Earnings.

Loans to and Investments in Related Parties

Loans to and investments in related parties includes investments entered into where we exercise significant influence over operating and capital decisions in private equity and other operating entities in connection with our capital market activities and loans issued in connection with such activities. Loans to and investments in related parties are accounted for using the equity method or at cost, as appropriate. Revenues on Loans to and investments in related parties are included in Other income in the Consolidated Statement of Earnings. For the year ended December 31, 2009, revenues related to our equity method investment in Jefferies Finance, LLC are included within Principal transactions revenue (see Note 10, Equity Method Investments, for additional information regarding certain of these investments).

Receivable from, and Payable to, Customers

Receivable from and payable to customers includes amounts receivable and payable on cash and margin transactions. Securities owned by customers and held as collateral for these receivables are not reflected in the

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accompanying consolidated financial statements. Receivable from officers and directors included within this financial statement line item represents balances arising from their individual security transactions. These transactions are subject to the same regulations as customer transactions and are provided on substantially the same terms.

Securities Borrowed and Securities Loaned

Securities borrowed and securities loaned are carried at the amounts of cash collateral advanced and received in connection with the transactions and accounted for as collateralized financing transactions. In connection with both trading and brokerage activities, we borrow securities to cover short sales and to complete transactions in which customers have failed to deliver securities by the required settlement date, and lend securities to other brokers and dealers for similar purposes. We have an active securities borrowed and lending matched book business in which we borrow securities from one party and lend them to another party. When we borrow securities, we generally provide cash to the lender as collateral, which is reflected in our Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition as Securities borrowed. We earn interest revenues on this cash collateral. Similarly, when we lend securities to another party, that party provides cash to us as collateral, which is reflected in our Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition as Securities loaned. We pay interest expense on the cash collateral received from the party borrowing the securities. The initial collateral advanced or received approximates or is greater than the fair value of the securities borrowed or loaned. We monitor the fair value of the securities borrowed and loaned on a daily basis and request additional collateral or return excess collateral, as appropriate.

Securities Purchased Under Agreements to Resell and Securities Sold Under Agreements to Repurchase

Securities purchased under agreements to resell and Securities sold under agreements to repurchase (collectively "repos") are accounted for as collateralized financing transactions and are recorded at their contracted repurchase amount. We earn and incur interest from this activity which is reflected in our Consolidated Statements of Earnings. We monitor the fair value of the underlying securities daily versus the related receivable or payable balances. Should the fair value of the underlying securities decline or increase, additional collateral is requested or excess collateral is returned, as appropriate. We carry repos on a net basis by counterparty when appropriate.

Premises and Equipment

Premises and equipment are depreciated using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the related assets (generally three to ten years). Leasehold improvements are amortized using the straight-line method over the term of the related leases or the estimated useful lives of the assets, whichever is shorter. As of November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, furniture, fixtures and equipment amounted to \$246.5 million and \$190.6 million, respectively, and leasehold improvements amounted to \$122.9 million and \$104.3 million, respectively. Accumulated depreciation and amortization was \$194.3 million and \$152.2 million as of November 30, 2011 and November 30,

2010, respectively.

Depreciation and amortization expense amounted to \$43.7 million, \$35.3 million and \$39.8 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and the twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively.

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Goodwill and Intangible Assets

Goodwill . At least annually, and more frequently if warranted, we assess whether goodwill has been impaired by comparing the estimated fair value of each reporting unit with its carrying value. If the estimated fair value exceeds the carrying value, goodwill at the reporting unit level is not impaired. If the estimated fair value is less than carrying value, further analysis is necessary to determine the amount of impairment, if any. In estimating the fair value of reporting units we utilize methodologies that include market capitalization, price-to-book multiples of comparable exchange traded companies and multiples of merger and acquisitions of similar businesses. Periodically estimating the fair value of a reporting unit requires significant judgment and often involves the use of significant estimates and assumptions. These estimates and assumptions could have a significant effect on whether or not an impairment charge is recorded and the magnitude of such a charge. Our annual goodwill impairment testing date is June 1. Refer to Note 11, Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets, for further details on our assessment of goodwill.

Intangible Assets. Intangible assets deemed to have finite lives are amortized on a straight line basis over their estimated useful lives, where the useful life is the period over which the asset is expected to contribute directly, or indirectly, to our future cash flows. Intangible assets are reviewed for impairment on an interim basis when certain events or circumstances exist. For amortizable intangible assets, impairment exists when the carrying amount of the intangible asset exceeds its fair value. At least annually, the remaining useful life is evaluated.

An intangible asset with an indefinite useful life is not amortized but assessed annually, or more frequently when certain events or circumstances exist, for impairment. Impairment exists when the carrying amount exceeds its fair value. To the extent an impairment loss is recognized, the loss establishes the new cost basis of the asset that is amortized over the remaining useful life of that asset. Subsequent reversal of impairment losses is not permitted.

Income Taxes

We file a consolidated U.S. federal income tax return, which includes all of our qualifying subsidiaries. We also are subject to income tax in various states and municipalities and those foreign jurisdictions in which we operate. Amounts provided for income taxes are based on income reported for financial statement purposes and do not necessarily represent amounts currently payable. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases and for tax loss carry-forwards. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in income in the period that includes the enactment date. Deferred income taxes are provided for temporary differences in reporting certain items, principally, share-based compensation, deferred compensation, long-term debt and tax amortization of intangible assets. The realization of deferred tax assets is assessed and a

valuation allowance is recorded to the extent that it is more likely than not that any portion of the deferred tax asset will not be realized.

The tax benefit related to dividends and dividend equivalents paid on nonvested share based payment awards and outstanding equity options is recognized as an increase to Additional paid in capital. These amounts are included in tax benefits for issuance of share-based awards on the Consolidated Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity.

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Legal Reserves

In the normal course of business, we have been named, from time to time, as a defendant in legal and regulatory proceedings. We are also involved, from time to time, in other exams, investigations and similar reviews (both formal and informal) by governmental and self-regulatory agencies regarding our businesses, certain of which may result in judgments, settlements, fines, penalties or other injunctions.

We recognize a liability for a contingency in Accrued expenses and other liabilities when it is probable that a liability has been incurred and when the amount of loss can be reasonably estimated. When a range of probable loss can be estimated, we accrue the most likely amount of such loss, and if such amount is not determinable, then we accrue the minimum of the range of probable loss. The determination of the outcome and loss estimates requires significant judgment on the part of management.

In many instances, it is not possible to determine whether any loss is probable or even possible or to estimate the amount of any loss or the size of any range of loss. We believe that, in the aggregate, the pending legal actions or regulatory proceedings and any other exams, investigations or similar reviews (both formal and informal) should not have a material adverse effect on our consolidated results of operations, cash flows or financial condition. In addition, we believe that any amount that could be reasonably estimated of potential loss or range of potential loss in excess of what has been provided in the consolidated financial statements is not material.

Share-based Compensation

Share-based awards are measured based on the grant-date fair value of the award and recognized over the period from the service inception date through the date the employee is no longer required to provide service to earn the award. Expected forfeitures are included in determining share-based compensation expense.

Earnings per Common Share

Basic earnings per share ("EPS") is computed by dividing net earnings available to common shareholders by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding and certain other shares committed to be, but not yet issued. Net earnings available to common shareholders represent net earnings to common shareholders reduced by the allocation of earnings to participating securities. Losses are not allocated to participating securities. Common shares outstanding and certain other shares committed to be, but not yet issued, include restricted stock and restricted stock units for which no future service is required. Diluted EPS is computed by dividing net earnings available to common shareholders plus dividends on dilutive mandatorily redeemable convertible preferred stock by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding and certain other shares committed to be, but not yet issued, plus all dilutive common stock equivalents outstanding during the period.

Unvested share-based payment awards that contain nonforfeitable rights to dividends or dividend equivalents (whether paid or unpaid) are participating securities and, therefore, are included in the earnings allocation in computing earnings per share under the two-class method of earning per share. We grant restricted stock and restricted stock units as part of our share-based compensation that contain nonforfeitable rights to dividends and dividend equivalents, respectively, and therefore, prior to the requisite service being rendered for the right to retain the award, restricted stock and restricted stock units meet the definition of a participating security. As such, we calculate Basic and Diluted earnings per share under the two-class method. All prior-period earnings per share data presented have been adjusted to include participating securities in the earnings per share computation using the two-class method.

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Securitization Activities

We engage in securitization activities related to commercial mortgage loans and mortgage-backed and other asset-backed securities. Such transfers of financial assets are generally accounted for as sales when we have relinquished control over the transferred assets. The gain or loss on sale of such financial assets depends, in part, on the previous carrying amount of the assets involved in the transfer allocated between the assets sold and the retained interests, if any, based upon their respective fair values at the date of sale. We may retain interests in the securitized financial assets as one or more tranches of the securitization. These retained interests are included within Financial instruments owned in the Consolidated Statement of Financial Condition at fair value. Any changes in the fair value of such retained interests are recognized within Principal transactions revenues in the Consolidated Statement of Earnings.

When a transfer of assets does not meet the criteria of a sale, that transfer is treated as a secured borrowing. We continue to recognize the assets of a secured borrowing in Financial instruments owned and recognize the associated financing in Other liabilities in the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition.

Accounting Developments

Balance Sheet Offsetting Disclosures. In December 2011, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued an Accounting Standards Update ("ASU"), Disclosures about Offsetting Assets and Liabilities ("ASU 2011-11") to Topic 210, Balance Sheet. The update requires new disclosures about balance sheet offsetting and related arrangements. For derivatives and financial assets and liabilities, the amendments require disclosure of gross asset and liability amounts, amounts offset on the balance sheet, and amounts subject to the offsetting requirements but not offset on the balance sheet. The guidance is effective December 1, 2013 and is to be applied retrospectively. This guidance does not amend the existing guidance on when it is appropriate to offset; as a result, we do not expect this guidance to affect our financial condition, results of operation or cash flows.

Goodwill Testing. In September 2011, the FASB issued an ASU, Testing Goodwill for Impairment ("ASU 2011-08") to Topic 350, Intangibles — Goodwill and Other. The update outlines amendments to the two step goodwill impairment test permitting an entity to first assess qualitative factors in determining whether it is more likely than not that the fair value of a reporting unit is less than its carrying amount. The update is effective for annual and interim goodwill tests performed for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2011, with early adoption permitted. The adoption of this guidance will not affect our financial condition, results of operation or cash flows.

Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures. In May 2011, the FASB issued accounting updates to ASC 820, Fair Value Measurements Topic — Amendments to Achieve Common Fair Value Measurement and Disclosure Requirements in U.S. GAAP and IFRSs, which provide clarifying guidance on how to measure fair value and

additional disclosure requirements. The amendments prohibit the use of blockage factors at all levels of the fair value hierarchy and provide guidance on measuring financial instruments that are managed on a net portfolio basis. Additional disclosure requirements include transfers between Levels 1 and 2; and for Level 3 fair value measurements, a description of our valuation processes and additional information about unobservable inputs impacting Level 3 measurements. The updates are effective March 1, 2012 and will be applied prospectively. The adoption of this guidance will not have an impact on our financial condition, results of operations or cash flows.

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Reconsideration of Effective Control for Repurchase Agreements. In April 2011, the FASB issued accounting guidance that removes the requirement to consider whether sufficient collateral is held when determining whether to account for repurchase agreements and other agreements that both entitle and obligate the transferor to repurchase or redeem financial assets before their maturity as sales or as secured financings. The guidance is effective prospectively for transactions beginning on January 1, 2012. The adoption of this guidance will not have an impact on our financial condition, results of operations or cash flows.

Consolidation. We adopted accounting changes described in ASC 810, Consolidation Topic, as of January 1, 2010, which require that the party who has the power to direct the activities of a variable interest entity that most significantly impact the entity's economic performance and who has an obligation to absorb losses of the entity or a right to receive benefits from the entity that could potentially be significant to the entity consolidate the variable interest entity. The changes to ASC 810, effective as of January 1, 2010, eliminate the quantitative approach previously applied to assessing whether to consolidate a variable interest entity and require ongoing reassessments for consolidation. Upon adoption of these accounting changes on January 1, 2010, we consolidated certain CLOs and other investment vehicles. The consolidation of these entities resulted in an increase in total assets of \$1,606.9 million, an increase in total liabilities of \$1,603.8 million and an increase to total stockholders' equity of \$3.1 million on January 1, 2010. Subsequently, we sold and assigned our management agreements for the CLOs to a third party; thus we no longer have the power to direct the most significant activities of the CLOs. Upon the assignment of the management agreements in January 2010, we deconsolidated the CLOs and accounted for our remaining interests in the CLOs at fair value.

Note 3. Acquisition of the Global Commodities Group

On July 1, 2011, we acquired Prudential Bache's Global Commodities Group from Prudential. Total cash payments made as consideration for the acquisition were \$422.0 million (a cash payment of \$419.5 million was made on July 1, 2011 and an additional payment of \$2.5 million was made on October 21, 2011). The acquisition included 100% of the equity interests in Prudential Bache Commodities LLC, a US-based full-service futures commission merchant; Prudential Bache Securities LLC, a US-based registered broker dealer; Bache Commodities Limited, a UK-based global commodities and financial derivatives broker; Prudential Bache Asset Management, Inc., a US-based registered investment advisor and commodity trading advisor, Prudential Bache Financial Services, Inc., a global over-the-counter commodities dealer; and Bache Commodities (Hong Kong) Ltd., a Hong Kong-based licensed futures dealer. In addition, we acquired related information technology assets and related contracts used by the Global Commodities Group.

The Global Commodities Group provides sales, trading, clearing and execution services covering a wide variety of commodity, financial and foreign exchange futures, swaps and forward contracts to an institutional client base. The acquisition of the Global Commodities Group allows us to offer clients globally an increased range of products,

including exchange-traded futures and over-the-counter trading in energy, metals and agricultural markets.

In connection with the acquisition of the Global Commodities Group on July 1, 2011, certain acquired entities entered into a \$1.0 billion credit facility agreement with Prudential that was terminated by us on September 16, 2011. For further details, see Note 12, Short-Term Borrowings. On August 26, 2011, Jefferies Bache Financial Services, Inc., Jefferies Bache, LLC and Jefferies Bache Limited, as borrowers, entered into a senior secured revolving credit facility in aggregate totaling \$950.0 million with a group of commercial banks. See Note 13, Long-Term Borrowings for further information.

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We accounted for the acquisition under the purchase method of accounting . Accordingly, the assets acquired, including identifiable intangible assets, and liabilities assumed were recorded at their respective fair values as of the date of acquisition.

The fair values of the net assets acquired, including identifiable intangible assets, was approximately \$474.5 million, which exceeded the purchase price of \$422.0 million, resulting in a bargain purchase gain of approximately \$52.5 million. The bargain purchase gain is included within Other Income in the Consolidated Statements of Earnings, is not taxable and is presented within the Capital Market Business Segment. The business of the Global Commodities Group are included within the Capital Market Business Segment.

We believe we were able to acquire the Global Commodities Group for less than the fair value of its assets as the business activities of the Global Commodities Group were not a core business for Prudential and therefore Prudential was willing to exit the commodities trading business at such a price.

Approximately \$18.3 million was recognized at the date of acquisition as the fair value of intangible assets. Of this amount, \$5.8 million represents the fair value of customer relationships, \$11.2 million represents the fair value of exchange and clearing organization membership interests and registrations and \$1.3 million represents the fair value of the Bache trade name. See Note 11, Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets for further details. Additionally, we recognized in the acquisition approximately \$6.3 million of internally developed software that is recorded within Premises and equipment on the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition.

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Condensed statement of net assets acquired

The following reflects the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed, by major class, on July 1, 2011 (in thousands):

Assets acquired:	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 101,343
Cash and securities segregated	3,130,586
Financial instruments owned, at fair value	918,598
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	1,489
Receivables:	
Brokers, dealers and clearing organizations	313,939
Customers	173,477
Fees, interest and other	122
Premises and equipment	13,611
Indefinite-lived intangible exchange memberships and licences(1)	11,219
Finite-lived intangible customer relationships(1)(2)	5,800
Trade names(1)(3)	1,300
Other assets	32,076
Total assets	\$ 4,703,560
Liabilities assumed:	
Short-term borrowings	\$ 301,027
Financial instruments sold, not yet purchased, at fair value	267,200
Payables:	40.500
Brokers, dealers and clearing organizations	43,588
Customers	3,384,263
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	232,933
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Total liabilities	\$ 4,229,011
Tain value of not assets acquired	\$ 474.549
Fair value of net assets acquired	\$ 474,549
Purchase price:	¢ 422.040
Cash Tatal purchase price	\$ 422,040
Total purchase price	\$ 422,040

Bargain purchase gain \$52,509

- (1) Intangible assets are recorded within Other assets on the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition.
- (2) The fair value of the finite-lived customer relationships will be amortized on a straight line basis over a weighted-average useful life of approximately 9.6 years.
- (3) The fair value of the Bache trade name will be amortized on a straight line basis over a useful life of 1.5 years.

Unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information

Our results of operation for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 include the operations of the acquired entities for the period from July 1, 2011 to November 30, 2011. The Consolidated Statement of Earnings for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, include \$96.7 million of Net revenues and \$31.8 million of Net earnings contributed by Jefferies Bache.

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Set forth below are unaudited pro forma combined financial information as they may have appeared if the acquisition had been completed on December 1, 2010 and January 1, 2010 taking into account certain adjustments described below. The unaudited pro forma combined financial information includes the Global Commodities Group's actual results from January 1, 2010 to November 30, 2010 and December 1, 2010 to November 30, 2011.

	Twelve mo	Twelve months ended Eleven months end						
(in millions, except per share data)	Novembe	r 30, 2011	Nove	mber 30, 2010				
Total net revenues	\$	2,686.2	\$	2,447.3				
Net earnings to common shareholders	\$	303.7	\$	288.2				
Earnings per common share:								
Basic	\$	1.37	\$	1.41				
Diluted	\$	1.36	\$	1.40				
Weighted average common shares (in thousands):								
Basic		211,056		196,393				
Diluted		215,171		200,511				

The unaudited pro forma combined financial information is presented for illustrative purposes only and does not purport to be indicative of the financial results we would have achieved had the acquisition been completed as of December 1, 2010 and as of January 1, 2010, nor is it indicative of the results of operations in future periods.

The pro forma information was derived from historical financial information for 2011 and 2010 adjusted to give effect for events directly attributable to the acquisition and factually supportable and expected to have a continuing impact on the combined results. The adjustments include:

- a) the bargain purchase gain of \$52.5 million has been included in Net revenues and Net earnings for the eleven months ended November 30, 2010;
- b) an adjustment to reflect Global Commodities Group's physical commodities at market value;
- c) acquisition costs totaling \$4.4 million recognized in Professional services has been included in the eleven months ended November 30, 2010;
- d) additional amortization expense on the acquired intangible assets and internally developed software of \$0.8 million and \$0.8 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and \$0.9 million and \$1.0 million for the eleven months ended November 30, 2010;

e) the recording of income tax expense resulting from the pro forma adjustments before tax at an effective rate of 32.1% and 35.0% for the twelve months and eleven months ended November 30, 2011 and 2010.

Note 4. Cash, Cash Equivalents and Short-Term Investments

We generally invest our excess cash in money market funds and in other short-term instruments. Cash equivalents include highly liquid investments not held for resale and with original maturities of three months or

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less. The following are financial instruments, classified as cash and cash equivalents, that are deemed by us to be generally readily convertible into cash as of November 30, 2011 and 2010 (in thousands):

	Novem	ber 30,
	2011	2010
Cash and cash equivalents:		
Cash in banks	\$ 846,990	\$ 325,227
Money market investments	1,546,807	1,863,771
Total cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,393,797	\$ 2,188,998
Cash and securities segregated(1)	\$ 3,344,960	\$ 1,636,755

(1) Consists of deposits at exchanges and clearing organizations, as well as deposits in accordance with Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, which subjects Jefferies as a broker dealer carrying client accounts to requirements related to maintaining cash or qualified securities in a segregated reserve account for the exclusive benefit of its clients, and Jefferies Bache, LLC which, as a futures commission merchant, is subject to the segregation requirements pursuant to the Commodity Exchange Act.

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Note 5. Financial Instruments

The following is a summary of our financial assets and liabilities that are accounted for at fair value on a recurring basis as of November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010 by level within the fair value hierarchy (in thousands):

	As of November 30, 2011										
	Counterparty										
	and Cash										
	Level 1(1)	Level 2(1)		Level 3	Netting(2)	Total					
Assets:											
Financial instruments owned:											
Corporate equity securities	\$ 1,088,358	\$ 133,232	\$	13,489	\$ —	-\$ 1,235,079					
Corporate debt securities	1,521	2,818,643		48,140		2,868,304					
Collateralized debt obligations	_	- 102,209		47,988	_	150,197					
U.S. government and federal agency											
securities	5,443,721	266,460		_		5,710,181					
Municipal securities	_	- 582,497		6,904	_	589,401					
Sovereign obligations	737,082	434,759		140	_	1,171,981					
Residential mortgage-backed securities	_	- 2,961,682		149,965	_	3,111,647					
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	_	- 582,974		52,407		635,381					
Other asset-backed securities	_	- 22,794		3,284	_	26,078					
Loans and other receivables	_	- 278,855		97,291		376,146					
Derivatives	632,148	2,344,625		124	(2,451,004)	525,893					
Investments at fair value	_	- 27,259		78,326		105,585					
Physical commodities	_	- 172,668		_		172,668					
Total financial instruments owned	\$ 7,902,830	\$10,728,657	\$	498,058	\$ (2,451,004)	\$ 16,678,541					
Level 3 financial instruments for which											
the firm does not bear economic											
exposure(4)			\$	(45,901)							
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Level 3 financial instruments for which											
the firm bears economic exposure			\$	452,157							
Level 3 financial instruments for which the firm does not bear economic exposure(4) Level 3 financial instruments for which	, 1,202,030	¥ 10,720,037	\$	(45,901)	(2,101,001)	¥ 20,070,0 H					

Investments in Managed Funds	\$	_	-\$	_	-\$	70,740 \$	—\$	70,740
Cash and securities segregated and on								
deposit for regulatory purposes(3)	\$	115,000	\$	_	-\$	—\$	—\$	115,000
Securities received as collateral	\$	21,862	\$	_	-\$	—\$	—\$	21,862
Total Level 3 assets for which the firm								
bears economic exposure					\$	522,897		
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Liabilities:								
Financial instruments sold, not yet								
purchased:								
Corporate equity securities	\$ 1	,266,096	\$	64,000	\$	—\$	—\$	1,330,096
Corporate debt securities		_	_	1,614,419		74	_	1,614,493
U.S. government and federal agency								
securities	2	2,032,091		9,685		_	_	2,041,776
Municipal securities		_	_	90			_	90
Sovereign obligations		790,568		377,279		_	_	1,167,847
Residential mortgage-backed securities		_	_	50,517		_	_	50,517
Loans		_	_	140,960		10,157	_	151,117
Derivatives		535,503		2,289,759		9,409	(2,585,634)	249,037
Total financial instruments sold, not yet								
purchased	\$ 4	1,624,258	\$	4,546,709	\$	19,640 \$	(2,585,634) \$	6,604,973
Obligation to return securities received								
as collateral	\$	21,862	\$	_	- \$	—\$	—\$	21,862
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- (1) There were no significant transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 for the twelve-months ended November 30, 2011.
- (2) Represents counterparty and cash collateral netting across the levels of the fair value hierarchy for positions with the same counterparty.
- (3) Consists of U.S. government securities segregated for regulatory purposes and measured at fair value.
- (4) Consists of Level 3 assets attributable to third party or employee noncontrolling interests in certain consolidated entities.

	Level 1(1)	ī	As of evel 2(1)	Co	10 punterparty and Cash Collateral Vetting(2)	Total		
Assets:	Level I(I)	L	EVEI 2(1)	_	Level 3	1	veuing(2)	Total
Financial instruments owned:								
Corporate equity securities	\$ 1,453,744	\$	89,430	\$	22,619	\$	_	\$ 1,565,793
Corporate debt securities	25		3,557,183		73,408			3,630,616
Collateralized debt obligations	_	_	27,863		31,121		_	58,984
U.S. government and federal agency								
securities	2,322,204		210,422		_	_		2,532,626
Municipal securities	_	_	477,462		472		_	477,934
Sovereign obligations	1,600,762		580,651		_	_	_	2,181,413
Residential mortgage-backed securities	_	_	3,912,708		132,359		_	4,045,067
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	_	_	524,614		6,004		_	530,618
Other asset-backed securities	_	_	286,329		567		_	286,896
Loans and other receivables	_		206,977		227,596			434,573
Derivatives	279,811		176,069		_	_	(336,612)	119,268
Investments at fair value	_		_	_	77,784			77,784
Total financial instruments owned	\$ 5,656,546	\$1	0,049,708	\$	571,930	\$	(336,612)	\$ 15,941,572

Level 3 financial instruments for which the firm does not bear economic									
exposure(3)					\$	(204,139)			
Level 3 financial instruments for which									
the firm bears economic exposure					\$	367,791			
Investments in managed funds	\$	_	-\$		-\$	131,585	\$	—\$	131,585
Securities received as collateral	\$	48,616	\$	_	- \$	_	-\$	—\$	48,616
Total Level 3 assets for which the firm					Φ.	400.05			
bears economic exposure					\$	499,376			
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Liabilities:									
Financial instruments sold, not yet									
purchased:	ф 1	1.554.400	ф	02.045	ф	20	ф	ф	1 (20 272
Corporate equity securities	\$]	1,554,489	\$	83,845	\$	38	\$	—\$	1,638,372
Corporate debt securities		-	_	2,375,925		-	_	_	2,375,925
U.S. government and federal agency		1 600 604		71 604					1 740 200
securities		1,688,684		51,604		_	_	-	1,740,288
Municipal securities		- 100 ((7	_	170		-	_	_	170
Sovereign obligations	4	2,180,667		814,163		-	_	_	2,994,830
Residential mortgage-backed securities		-	_	127,547		-	_	_	127,547
Commercial mortgage-backed securities		_	_	1,837		47.229	_	_	1,837
Loans Derivatives		241,860	_	124,050 240,866		47,228 2,346		(425,520)	171,278
Derivatives		241,800		240,800		2,340		(423,320)	59,552
Total financial instruments sold, not yet									
purchased	¢ 4	5,665,700	Φ	3,820,007	\$	49,612	\$	(425,520) \$	9,109,799
purchased	φ.	5,005,700	Ф	3,620,007	φ	49,012	φ	(423,320) \$	9,109,799
Obligation to return securities received as									
collateral	\$	48,616	\$	_	_ \$		-\$	—\$	48,616
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- (1) There were no significant transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 for the eleven-months ended November 30, 2010.
- (2) Represents counterparty and cash collateral netting across the levels of the fair value hierarchy for positions with the same counterparty.
- (3) Consists of Level 3 assets which are either financed by nonrecourse secured financings or attributable to third party or employee noncontrolling interests in certain consolidated entities.

At November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, \$-0- million and \$85.7 million, respectively, in secured financings, are included within Other liabilities on the Consolidated Statement of Financial Position, are accounted for at fair value and are classified as Level 3 liabilities.

The following is a description of the valuation basis, including valuation techniques and inputs, used in measuring our financial assets and liabilities that are accounted for at fair value on a recurring basis:

Corporate Equity Securities

- Exchange Traded Equity Securities: Exchange-traded equity securities are measured based on quoted exchange prices, which are generally obtained from pricing services, and are categorized as Level 1 in the fair value hierarchy.
- Non-exchange Traded Equity Securities: Non-exchange traded equity securities are measured primarily using broker quotations, pricing service data from external providers and prices observed for recently executed market transactions and are categorized within Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy. Where such information is not available, non-exchange traded equity securities are categorized as Level 3 financial instruments and measured using valuation techniques involving quoted prices of or market data for comparable companies, similar company ratios and multiples (e.g., price/EBITDA, price/book value), discounted cash flow analyses and transaction prices observed for subsequent financing or capital issuance by the company. When using pricing data of comparable companies, judgment must be applied to adjust the pricing data to account for differences between the measured security and the comparable security (e.g., issuer market capitalization, yield, dividend rate, geographical concentration).
- Equity warrants: Non-exchange traded equity warrants are generally classified within Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy and are measured using the Black-Scholes model with key inputs impacting the valuation

including the underlying security price, implied volatility, dividend yield, interest rate curve, strike price and maturity date.

Corporate Debt Securities

• Corporate Bonds: Corporate bonds are measured primarily using pricing service data from external providers and broker quotations, where available, prices observed for recently executed market transactions of comparable size, and bond spreads or credit default swap spreads of the issuer adjusted for basis differences between the swap curve and the bond curve. Corporate bonds measured using these valuation methods are categorized within Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy. If broker quotes, pricing data or spread data is not available, alternative valuation techniques are used including cash flow models incorporating interest rate curves, single name or index credit default swap curves for comparable issuers

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and recovery rate assumptions. Corporate bonds measured using alternative valuation techniques are classified within Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy and comprise a limited portion of our corporate bonds.

- High Yield Corporate and Convertible Bonds: A significant portion of our high yield corporate and convertible bonds are classified within Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy and are measured primarily using broker quotations and pricing service data from external providers, where available, and prices observed for recently executed market transactions of comparable size. Where pricing data is less observable, valuations are classified in Level 3 and are based on pending transactions involving the issuer or comparable issuers, prices implied from an issuer's subsequent financings or recapitalizations, models incorporating financial ratios and projected cash flows of the issuer and market prices for comparable issuers.
- Auction Rate Securities: Auction rate securities ("ARS") included within corporate debt securities include
 ARS backed by pools of student loans and auction rate preferred securities issued by closed end mutual
 funds. ARS are measured using market data provided by external service providers, as available. The fair
 value of ARS is also determined by benchmarking to independent market data and adjusting for projected
 cash flows, level of seniority in the capital structure, leverage, liquidity and credit rating, as appropriate.
 ARS are classified within Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy based on our assessment of the transparency
 of the external market data received.

Collateralized Debt Obligations

Collateralized debt obligations are measured based on prices observed for recently executed market transactions or based on valuations received from third party brokers and are classified within Level 2 or Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy depending on the observability of the pricing inputs.

U.S. Government and Federal Agency Securities

- U.S. Treasury Securities: U.S. Treasury securities are measured based on quoted market prices and categorized in Level 1 of the fair value hierarchy.
- U.S. Agency Issued Debt Securities: Callable and non-callable U.S. agency issued debt securities are measured primarily based on quoted market prices obtained from external pricing services. Non-callable U.S. agency securities are generally classified within Level 1 of the fair value hierarchy and callable U.S. agency securities are classified within Level 2.

Municipal Securities

Municipal securities are measured based on quoted prices obtained from external data providers and are generally classified within Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy.

Sovereign Obligations

• G-7 Government and non-G-7 Government Bonds: G-7 government and non-G-7 government bonds are measured based on quoted market prices obtained from external pricing services. G-7 government bonds are categorized within Level 1 of the fair value hierarchy and non-G-7 government bonds are generally categorized within Level 2.

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• Emerging Market Sovereign Debt Securities: Valuations are primarily based on market price quotations from external data providers, where available, or recently executed independent transactions of comparable size. To the extent market price quotations are not available or recent transactions have not been observed, valuation techniques incorporating foreign currency curves, interest rate yield curves and country spreads for bonds of similar issuers, seniority and maturity are used to determine fair value. Emerging market sovereign debt securities are generally classified within Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy.

Residential Mortgage-Backed Securities

- Agency Residential Mortgage-Backed Securities: Agency residential mortgage-backed securities
 include mortgage pass-through securities (fixed and adjustable rate), collateralized mortgage obligations,
 interest-only and principal-only securities and to-be-announced securities and are generally measured
 using market price quotations from external data providers and categorized within Level 2 of the fair value
 hierarchy.
- Agency Residential Inverse Interest-Only Securities ("Agency Inverse IOs"): The fair value of agency inverse IOs is estimated using expected future cash flow techniques that incorporate prepayment models and other prepayment assumptions to amortize the underlying mortgage loan collateral. We use prices observed for recently executed transactions to develop market-clearing spread and yield curve assumptions. Valuation inputs with regard to underlying collateral incorporate weighted average coupon, loan-to-value, credit scores, geographic location, maximum and average loan size, originator, servicer, and weighted average loan age. Agency inverse IOs are categorized within Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy. We also use vendor data in developing assumptions, as appropriate.
- Non-Agency Residential Mortgage-Backed Securities: Fair values are determined primarily using discounted cash flow methodologies and securities are categorized within Level 2 or Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy based on the observability of the pricing inputs used. Performance attributes of the underlying mortgage loans are evaluated to estimate pricing inputs, such as prepayment rates, default rates and the severity of credit losses. Attributes of the underlying mortgage loans that affect the pricing inputs include, but are not limited to, weighted average coupon; average and maximum loan size; loan-to-value; credit scores; documentation type; geographic location; weighted average loan age; originator; servicer; historical prepayment, default and loss severity experience of the mortgage loan pool; and delinquency rate. Yield curves used in the discounted cash flow models are based on observed market prices for comparable securities and published interest rate data to estimate market yields.

- Agency Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities: GNMA project loan bonds and FNMA DUS
 mortgage-backed securities are generally measured by using prices observed for recently executed market
 transactions to estimate market-clearing spread levels for purposes of estimating fair value. GNMA project
 loan bonds and FNMA DUS mortgage-backed securities are categorized within Level 2 of the fair value
 hierarchy.
- Non-Agency Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities: Non-agency commercial mortgage-backed securities are measured using pricing data obtained from third party services and prices observed for recently executed market transactions and are categorized within Level 2 and Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy.

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Other Asset-Backed Securities

Other asset-backed securities include, but are not limited to, securities backed by auto loans, credit card receivables and student loans and are categorized primarily within Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy. Valuations are determined using pricing data obtained from third party services and prices observed for recently executed market transactions.

Loans and Other Receivables

- Corporate Loans: Corporate loans categorized within Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy are measured based on market price quotations from external data providers where sufficient observability exists as to the extent of market transaction data supporting the pricing data. Corporate loans categorized within Level 3 are measured based on market price quotations that are considered to be less transparent, market prices for debt securities of the same creditor, and estimates of future cash flow incorporating assumptions regarding creditor default and recovery rates and consideration of the issuer's capital structure.
- Participation Certificates in GNMA Project and Construction Loans: Valuations of participation
 certificates in GNMA project and construction loans are based on observed market prices of recently
 executed purchases of similar loans which are then used to derive a market implied spread. The market
 implied spread is used as the primary input in estimating the fair value of loans at the measurement date.
 The loan participation certificates are categorized within Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy given the
 observability and volume of recently executed transactions.
- Project Loans: Valuation of project loans are based on benchmarks of prices for recently executed transactions of related realized collateralized securities and are classified within Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy.
- Escrow and Trade Claim Receivables: Escrow and trade claim receivables are categorized within Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy where fair value is estimated based on reference to market prices and implied yields of debt securities of the same or similar issuers. Escrow and trade claim receivables are categorized within Level 2 where fair value is based on recent trade activity in the same security.

Derivatives

• Listed Derivative Contracts: Listed derivative contracts measured based on quoted exchange prices, which are generally obtained from pricing services, are categorized as Level 1 in the fair value hierarchy. Listed derivatives for which there is limited trading activity are measured based on incorporating the closing auction price of the underlying equity security and are categorized within Level 2.

• OTC Derivative Contracts: OTC derivative contracts are generally valued using models, whose inputs reflect assumptions that we believe market participants would use in valuing the derivative in a current period transaction. Inputs to valuation models are appropriately calibrated to market data. For many OTC derivative contracts, the valuation models do not involve material subjectivity as the methodologies do not entail significant judgment and the inputs to valuation models do not involve a high degree of subjectivity as the valuation model inputs are readily observable or can be derived from actively quoted markets. OTC derivative contracts are primarily categorized in Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy given the observability of the inputs to the valuation models.

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OTC options include OTC equity, foreign exchange and commodity options measured using Black-Scholes models with key inputs impacting the valuation including the underlying security, foreign exchange spot rate or commodity price, implied volatility, dividend yield, interest rate curve, strike price and maturity date. Discounted cash flow models are utilized to measure certain OTC derivative contracts including the valuations of our interest rate swaps, which incorporate observable inputs related to interest rate curves, valuations of our foreign exchange forwards and swaps, which incorporate observable inputs related to foreign currency spot rates and forward curves and valuations of our commodity swaps, which incorporate observable inputs related to commodity spot prices and forward curves. Credit defaults swaps include both index and single-name credit default swaps. External prices are available as inputs in measuring index credit default swaps and single-name credit default swaps. For commodity and equity total return swaps, market prices are observable for the underlying asset and used as the basis for measuring the fair value of the derivative contracts. Total return swaps executed on other underlyings are measured based on valuations received from third parties.

Physical Commodities

Physical commodities include base and precious metals and are measured using observable inputs including spot prices and published indices. Physical commodities are categorized in Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy.

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Investments at Fair Value and Investments in Managed Funds

Investments at fair value and Investments in managed funds include investments in hedge funds, fund of funds, private equity funds, convertible bond funds and commodity funds, which are measured based on the net asset value of the funds provided by the fund managers and categorized within Level 2 or Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy. Investments at fair value also include direct equity investments in private companies, which are measured using valuation techniques involving quoted prices of or market data for comparable companies, similar company ratios and multiples (e.g., price/EBITDA, price/book value), discounted cash flow analyses and transaction prices observed for subsequent financing or capital issuance by the company. Direct equity investments in private companies are categorized within Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy. Additionally, investments at fair value include investments in insurance contracts relating to our German defined benefits pension plan and shares in non-US exchanges and clearing houses. Fair value for the insurance contracts is determined using a third party and are categorized in Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy. Fair value for the shares in non-US exchanges and clearing houses is determined based on recent transactions or third party model valuations and are categorized in Level 2 or Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy. The following tables provide further information about our investments in entities that have the characteristics of an investment company at November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010 (in thousands):

	November 30, 2011								
					Redemption				
	Fa	air Value	Uni	funded	Frequency (if				
	(h)		(h) Commitments		Commitments		currently eligible)		
					Monthly,				
Equity Long/Short Hedge Funds(a)	\$	27,604	\$		Quarterly				
High Yield Hedge Funds(b)		938			_				
Fund of Funds(c)		772		126	_				
Equity Funds(d)		88,294		74,283	_				
Convertible Bond Funds(e)		2,827			At Will				
Other Investments(g)		19			Bi-Monthly				
Total(i)	\$	120,454	\$	74,409					
Total(i)	\$	120,454	\$	74,409					

	November 30	, 2010
		Redemption
Fair Value	Unfunded	Frequency (if
(h)	Commitments	currently eligible)

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Equity Long/Short Hedge Funds(a)	\$ 80,837	\$ _	Quarterly, Semiannually
High Yield Hedge Funds(b)	1,561		_
Fund of Funds(c)	2,622	131	Annually
Equity Funds(d)	73,162	87,791	_
Convertible Bond Funds(e)	18,070	_	At Will
Commodity Funds(f)	5,948	_	At Will
Other Investments(g)	287	_	At Will
Total(i)	\$ 182,487	\$ 87,922	

(a) This category includes investments in hedge funds that invest in both long and short equity securities in domestic and international markets in both public and private sectors. At November 30, 2011 and

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November 30, 2010, investments representing approximately 98% and 92%, respectively, of the fair value in this category are redeemable with 30 — 65 days prior written notice. At November 30, 2010, investments representing approximately 7% of fair value could not be redeemed until the lock-up period expired on December 31, 2010. At November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, investments representing approximately 2% and 1%, respectively, of fair value cannot be redeemed as they are in liquidation and distributions will be received through the liquidation of the underlying assets of the funds. We are unable to estimate when the underlying assets will be liquidated. At November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, an investment representing less than 1% of fair value has no redemption provisions; distributions are received through the liquidation of the underlying assets of the fund which is estimated to be within one to two years.

- (b) This category includes investments in funds that invest in domestic and international public high yield debt, private high yield investments, senior bank loans, public leveraged equities, distressed debt, and private equity investments. There are no redemption provisions. At November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, these investments are currently in liquidation and we are unable to estimate when the underlying assets will be fully liquidated.
- (c) This category includes investments in fund of funds that invest in various private equity funds. At November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, approximately 95% and 41%, respectively, of the fair value of investments in this category is managed by us and has no redemption provisions. Distributions are received through the liquidation of the underlying assets of the fund of funds, which are estimated to be liquidated in one to three years. At November 30, 2011 we requested redemption for investments representing approximately 5% of fair value at November 30, 2011, however we are unable to estimate when these funds will be returned. At November 30, 2010, investments representing approximately 59% of the fair value were approved for redemption and the funds' net asset values were received in the first quarter of 2011.
- (d) At November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, investments representing approximately 96% and 91% respectively, include investments in equity funds that invest in the equity of various private companies in the energy, technology, internet service and telecommunication service industries including acquired or restructured companies. These investments cannot be redeemed; distributions are received through the liquidation of the underlying assets of the funds and are expected to liquidate in one to ten years. At November 30, 2011, a fund that invests in Croatian companies represents approximately 4% of the total investment in equity funds. At November 30, 2010, funds that invest in Croatian and Vietnamese companies represent approximately 9% of the total investment in equity funds.
- (e) This category includes an investment in an open-ended investment company that invests primarily in convertible bonds. This investment is redeemable with 5 days prior written notice.

- (f) This category includes an investment in an open-ended investment company that invests in commodity-related equity securities and commodity futures-linked derivative instruments. This investment is redeemable with 7 days prior notice.
- (g) Other investments at November 30, 2011 included investments in funds that invest in commodities futures and options contracts. Other Investments at November 30, 2010 included investments in closed-ended funds that invested in Vietnamese equity and debt instruments.
- (h) Fair value has been estimated using the net asset value derived from each of the funds' capital statements.
- (i) Investments at fair value in the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition at November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010 include \$55.9 million and \$26.9 million, respectively, of direct investments which are not investment companies and therefore are not part of this disclosure table.

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At November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, our Financial instruments owned and Financial instruments sold, not yet purchased are measured using different valuation basis as follows:

	Novem	ber 30, 2011	Novem	ber 30, 2010
		Financial		Financial
	Financial	Instruments Sold,	Financial	Instruments Sold,
	Instruments	Not Yet	Instruments	Not Yet
	Owned	Purchased	Owned	Purchased
Exchange closing prices	7%	5 19%	9%	17%
Recently observed transaction prices	2%	1%	5%	2%
Data providers/pricing services	77%	75%	65%	60%
Broker quotes	1%	0%	12%	19%
Valuation techniques	13%	5%	9%	2%
	100%	5 100%	100%	100%

Pricing information obtained from external data providers may incorporate a range of market quotes from dealers, recent market transactions and benchmarking model derived prices to quoted market prices and trade data for comparable securities. External pricing data is subject to evaluation for reasonableness using a variety of means including comparisons of prices to those of similar product types, quality and maturities, consideration of the narrowness or wideness of the range of prices obtained, knowledge of recent market transactions and an assessment of the similarity in prices to comparable dealer offerings in a recent time period. We have a formalized process whereby we challenge the appropriateness of pricing information obtained from data providers and pricing services in order to validate the data for consistency with the definition of a fair value exit price. Our process includes understanding and evaluating the service providers' valuation methodologies. For corporate, U.S. government and agency, and municipal debt securities (excluding auction rate securities), and loans, to the extent pricing services or broker quotes are utilized in our valuation process, the vendor services are collecting and aggregating observable market information as to recent trade activity and active bid-ask submissions. The composite pricing information received from the independent pricing service is not based on unobservable inputs or proprietary models. For mortgage- and other asset-backed securities and collateralized debt obligations, our independent pricing service uses a matrix evaluation approach incorporating both observable yield curves and market yields on comparable securities as well as implied inputs from observed trades for comparable securities in order to determine prepayment speeds, cumulative default rates and loss severity. Further, we consider pricing data from multiple service providers as available as well as compare pricing data to prices we have observed for recent transactions, if any, in order to corroborate our valuation inputs.

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The following is a summary of changes in fair value of our financial assets and liabilities that have been classified as Level 3 for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 (in thousands):

Twelve Months Ended November 30, 2011

Assets:	Balance, 1 November 30 2010	loss	otal gains/ es (realized unrealized) (1)		Tran in Lev	to	Transfers out of Level 3	No	alance, vember), 2011	unre (losse in st No	Change in alized gains/es) relating to struments ill held at vember 30, 2011
Financial instruments											
owned:											
Corporate equity	ф. 22 (10	Φ	4 120	Φ (2.271)	ф	016	(11.007)	ф	12 400	ф	420
securities	\$ 22,619	\$	4,132	\$ (2,271)	\$	816	5 (11,807)	\$	13,489	\$	439
Corporate debt	72 400		1.040	(21.150)		204	(1.460)		10 1 10		(4.470)
securities	73,408		1,048	(31,158)	0	,304	(1,462)		48,140		(4,478)
Collateralized debt	21 121		70	44,009		779	(27.001)		47.000		(270)
obligations	31,121 472			,	_		(27,991)		47,988		(270)
Municipal securities Sovereign obligations	472		(10,133) 12	11,182 128	3	,383		_	6,904 140		(8,931) 12
Residential	-	_	12	120		_	_	-	140		12
mortgage-backed											
securities	132,359		(16,727)	45,845	25	,726	(47,238)	1	49,965		(31,846)
Commercial	132,339		(10,727)	43,043	33	,720	(47,236)		49,903		(31,640)
mortgage-backed											
securities	6,004		(9,910)	46,685	0	,628			52,407		(11,583)
Other asset-backed	0,004		(9,910)	40,083	7	,020			32,407		(11,363)
securities	567		(715)	2,947	1	,052	(567)		3,284		(691)
Loans and other	307		(713)	2,747	1	,032	(307)		3,207		(0)1)
receivables	227,596		(356)	(120,544)	3	,875	(13,280)		97,291		(3,478)
Investments, at fair	227,570		(330)	(120,511)	J	,075	(13,200)		71,271		(3,170)
value	77,784		6,283	(2,627)		_	(3,114)		78,326		1,036
	\$ 131,585	\$	12,030	\$ (72,875)	\$	— 5		-\$	70,740		12,030
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Investments in managed	ļ								
funds									
Liabilities:									
Financial instruments									
sold, not yet purchased:									
Corporate equity									
securities	\$	38	\$	—\$	—\$	—\$	(38) \$	—\$	
Corporate debt									
securities		_	_	_	74	_	_	74	_
Net derivatives(2)		2,346		6,550	389			9,285	6,645
Loans		47,228			(37,071)	_	_	10,157	

- (1) Realized and unrealized gains/(losses) are reported in Principal transactions in the Consolidated Statements of Earnings.
- (2) Net derivatives represent Financial instruments owned Derivatives and Financial instruments sold, not yet purchased Derivatives.

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Analysis of Level 3 Assets and Liabilities for the Twelve Months Ended November 30, 2011

During the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, transfers of assets of \$63.6 million from Level 2 to Level 3 are primarily attributed to:

- Non-agency residential mortgage-backed securities and commercial mortgage-backed securities due to a
 tightening in the historical trading period used for corroborating market data and a greater scrutiny of
 vendor prices;
- Corporate debt securities due to lack of observable market transactions;
- Municipal securities due to a lack of recent market transactions for certain bonds; and
- Loans and other receivables due to a lower number of contributors comprising vendor quotes to support classification in Level 2 as less market interest likely existed for the specific loans during the period.

During the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, transfers of assets of \$105.5 million from Level 3 to Level 2 are primarily attributed to:

- Non-agency residential mortgage-backed securities for which market trades were observed in the period for either identical or similar securities or for which vendor prices were corroborated to actual market transactions;
- Collateralized debt obligations and Loans and other receivables due to a greater number of contributors for certain vendor quotes supporting classification into Level 2 as greater market interest likely existed for the specific loans during the period; and
- Corporate equity securities due to announced market transactions or more observable market data on comparable securities used as a benchmark.

During the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 there were no transfers of liabilities from Level 2 to Level 3 and there were \$.04 million transfers of liabilities from Level 3 to Level 2.

Net losses on Level 3 assets were \$14.3 million and net losses on Level 3 liabilities were \$6.6 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011. Net losses on Level 3 assets were primarily due to decreased valuations of certain residential mortgage-backed securities, commercial mortgage-backed securities and municipal securities due to widening credit spreads in the period, offset by increased valuations of certain investments in managed funds and sales or settlements of various residential mortgage-backed securities, corporate debt securities, investments at fair

value, loans and other receivables and corporate equity securities. Net losses on Level 3 liabilities were primarily due to decreased valuations of certain derivative instruments.

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The following is a summary of changes in fair value of our financial assets and liabilities that have been classified as Level 3 for the eleven months ended November 30, 2010 (in thousands):

Eleven Months Ended November 30, 2010

Assets: Financial instruments owned:	•	Total gains/ osses (realized nd unrealized) (1)		Transfers into Level 3	Transfers out of Level 3		unrealized gains/ losses) relating to instruments still held at November 30, 2010 (1)
Corporate equity							
securities	\$ 43,042	\$ (17,644)	\$ (3,099)	\$ 1,272	\$ (952)	\$ 22,619	\$ (17,377)
Corporate debt	446640	44.5	(0.4.0.60)	20.7	(0.650)	=2 400	/4 44 5 \
securities	116,648	416	(34,262)	285	(9,679)	73,408	(1,115)
Collateralized debt obligations	9,570	10,291	11,260			_ 31,121	9,614
U.S. issued municipal		10,291	11,200	_		_ 31,121	9,014
securities	420	52	_			_ 472	52
Sovereign obligations	196	_	. <u> </u>		- (196)		
Residential mortgage-backed							
securities	136,496	40,238	(48,812)	11,721	(7,284)	132,359	3,815
Commercial mortgage-backed							
securities	3,215	15,862	(12,012)	_	- (1,061)	6,004	(62)
Other asset-backed securities	110	(175)	632	_		_ 567	(205)
Loans and other							
receivables	506,542	40,464	(178,877)	739	(141,272)	227,596	15,648
Investments at fair value	65,564	18,042	(6,432)	4,039	(3,429)	77,784	13,946

Change in

Investments in manage	d								
funds	\$ 115,774	\$	961 \$	14,850	\$	— \$	—\$	131,585	\$ 961
Liabilities:									
Financial instruments									
sold,									
not yet purchased:									
Corporate equity									
securities	\$ -	- \$	—\$	_	- \$	38 \$	_	38	\$ _
Net derivatives(2)	3,017	(2	,533)	-	_	_	1,862	2,346	(2,533)
Loans	352,420		232	(210,267)		_	(95,157)	47,228	_

- (1) Realized and unrealized gains/(losses) are reported in Principal transactions in the Consolidated Statements of Earnings.
- (2) Net derivatives represent Financial instruments owned Derivatives and Financial instruments sold, not yet purchased Derivatives.

Analysis of Level 3 Assets and Liabilities for the Eleven Months Ended November 30, 2010

During the eleven months ended November 30, 2010, transfers of assets of \$18.0 million from Level 2 to Level 3 are primarily attributed to:

- Transfers of non-agency mortgage-backed securities for which no recent trade activity was observed for purposes of determining observable inputs and
- Certain investments at fair value which have little to no transparency in trade activity.

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During the eleven months ended November 30, 2010, transfers of assets of \$163.9 million from Level 3 to Level 2 are primarily attributed to:

- Corporate loans, for which we obtained additional market pricing data from third party sources during the quarter that provided additional transparency into the valuation process for these assets;
- Residential mortgage-backed securities, for which market trades were observed in the period for either identical or similar securities; and
- Corporate debt securities, for which market transactions were announced or market data on comparable securities used as a benchmark became more observable.

Transfers of liabilities for the eleven months ended November 30, 2010 from Level 2 to Level 3 were \$0.04 million and transfers of liabilities from Level 3 to Level 2 were \$93.3 million, which are primarily due to transfers of corporate loans, for which we obtained additional market pricing data from third party sources during the quarter that provided additional transparency into the valuation process for these liabilities. Net gains on Level 3 assets were \$108.5 million and net gains on Level 3 liabilities were \$2.3 million for the eleven months ended November 30, 2010. Net gains on Level 3 assets were primarily due to increased valuations of various alternative investments, sales of certain corporate loans and improved credit conditions and enhanced recovery estimates for certain residential mortgage-backed securities.

Components or portions of interest rate and credit risk related to mortgage-backed securities classified within Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy are frequently economically hedged with U.S. Treasury and Eurodollar futures and short U.S. Treasury securities, which are classified as Level 1 liabilities, and with interest rate swaps and, to a lesser extent, index credit default swaps classified as Level 2 assets or liabilities. Accordingly, a portion of the gains and losses on mortgage-backed securities reported in Level 3 are offset by gains and losses from the economic hedges attributed to instruments classified within Level 1 and Level 2. Economic hedging is often executed on a macro-basis for a given asset class rather than an instrument-specific basis. Valuation inputs and prices for hedging instruments classified within Level 1 and Level 2 provide a level of observability used in valuing Level 3 mortgage-backed securities; however, other inputs, such as prepayment, default rates and other credit specific factors are significant to the valuation and are not derived from the prices of the hedging instruments. Basis risk differences may also arise between the Level 3 mortgage-backed securities and the Level 1 and Level 2 hedging instruments due to the underlying interest rates and the underlying credits comprising the referenced credit index. Hedge effectiveness is limited by factors that include idiosyncratic collateral performance and basis risk as well as the sizing of the macro-hedge.

We have elected the fair value option for all loans and loan commitments made by our capital markets businesses. These loans and loan commitments include loans entered into by our investment banking division in connection with client bridge financing and loan syndications, loans purchased by our leveraged credit trading desk as part of its bank loan trading activities and mortgage loan commitments and fundings in connection with mortgage-backed securitization activities. Loans and loan commitments originated or purchased by our leveraged credit and mortgage-backed businesses are managed on a fair value basis. Loans are included in Financial instruments owned and loan commitments are included in Financial instruments owned-derivatives and Financial instruments sold, not yet purchased — derivatives on the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition. The fair value option election is not applied to loans made to affiliate entities. Such affiliate loans are entered into as part of ongoing, strategic business ventures, are included within Other investments and accounted for on an amortized cost basis. We also have elected the fair value option for certain investments held by

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subsidiaries that are not registered broker-dealers. Investments at fair value are included in Financial instruments owned. The fair value option was elected for investments held by subsidiaries that are not registered broker-dealers because they are risk managed by us on a fair value basis. We have also elected the fair value option for secured financings that arise in connection with our securitization activities. Cash and cash equivalents, the cash component of Cash and securities segregated and on deposit for regulatory purposes or deposited with clearing and depository organizations, Receivables — Brokers, dealers and clearing organizations, Receivables — Customers, Receivables — Fees, interest and other, Payables — Brokers, dealers and clearing organizations and Payables — Customers, are not accounted for at fair value; however, the recorded amounts approximate fair value due to their liquid or short-term nature.

The following is a summary of (losses) due to changes in instrument specific credit risk for loans and other receivables and loan commitments measured at fair value under the fair value option (in thousands):

	 Months Ended ber 30, 2011
Financial Instruments Owned:	
Loans and other receivables	\$ (19,400)
Financial Instruments Sold:	
Loans	\$ (1,463)
Loan commitments	\$ (4,329)

The following is a summary of the amount by which contractual principal exceeds fair value for loans and other receivables measured at fair value under the fair value option (in thousands):

	As of	November 30, 2011
Financial Instruments Owned:		
Loans and other receivables(2)	\$	277,336
Loans greater than 90 days past due(1)(2)	\$	2,253

- (1) The aggregate fair value of loans that were 90 or more days past due was \$5.5 million at November 30, 2011.
- (2) Interest income is recognized separately from other changes in fair value and is included within Interest revenues on the Consolidated Statement of Earnings.

There were no loans or other receivables on nonaccrual status at November 30, 2011.

Note 6. Derivative Financial Instruments

Off-Balance Sheet Risk

We have contractual commitments arising in the ordinary course of business for securities loaned or purchased under agreements to resell, repurchase agreements, future purchases and sales of foreign currencies, securities transactions on a when-issued basis and underwriting. Each of these financial instruments and activities contains varying degrees of off-balance sheet risk whereby the fair values of the securities underlying the financial instruments may be in excess of, or less than, the contract amount. The settlement of these transactions is not expected to have a material effect upon our consolidated financial statements.

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Derivative Financial Instruments

Our derivative activities are recorded at fair value in the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition in Financial Instruments Owned — Derivatives and Financial Instruments Sold, Not Yet Purchased — Derivatives net of cash paid or received under credit support agreements and on a net counterparty basis when a legal right to offset exists under a master netting agreement. Net realized and unrealized gains and losses are recognized in Principal transactions in the Consolidated Statements of Earnings on a trade date basis and as a component of cash flows from operating activities in the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows. Acting in a trading capacity, we may enter into derivative transactions to satisfy the needs of our clients and to manage our own exposure to market and credit risks resulting from our trading activities. (See Note 5, Financial Instruments and Note 20, Commitments, Contingencies and Guarantees, for additional disclosures about derivative instruments.)

Derivatives are subject to various risks similar to other financial instruments, including market, credit and operational risk. In addition, we may be exposed to legal risks related to derivative activities. The risks of derivatives should not be viewed in isolation, but rather should be considered on an aggregate basis along with our other trading-related activities. We manage the risks associated with derivatives on an aggregate basis along with the risks associated with proprietary trading as part of our firmwide risk management policies. In connection with our derivative activities, we may enter into master netting agreements and collateral arrangements with counterparties. These agreements provide us with the ability to offset a counterparty's rights and obligations, request additional collateral when necessary or liquidate the collateral in the event of counterparty default.

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The following table presents the fair value and related number of derivative contracts at November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010 categorized by predominant risk exposure. A majority of the increase in the number of derivative contracts from 2010 to 2011 reflected in the table is due to our acquisition of the Global Commodities Group from Prudential on July 1, 2011. The fair value of assets/liabilities related to derivative contracts represents our receivable/payable for derivative financial instruments, gross of counterparty netting and cash collateral received and pledged (dollars in thousands):

November 30, 2011

	November 30, 2011					
	Asse	ets	Liabi	lities		
		Number of		Number of		
	Fair Value	Contracts	Fair Value	Contracts		
Interest rate contracts	\$ 542,221	63,751	\$ 636,692	66,027		
Foreign exchange contracts	1,009,765	102,578	1,015,900	119,780		
Equity contracts	638,228	2,364,390	548,195	2,119,165		
Commodity contracts	725,927	434,428	598,166	421,330		
Credit contracts	60,756	59	35,718	39		
Total	2,976,897	2,965,206	2,834,671	2,726,341		
Counterparty/cash-collateral netting	(2,451,004)		(2,585,634)			
Total per Consolidated						
Statement of Financial Condition	\$ 525,893		\$ 249,037			

	November 30, 2010					
	Asse	ets	Liabilities			
		Number of		Number of		
	Fair Value	Contracts	Fair Value	Contracts		
Interest rate contracts	\$ 77,295	41,166	\$ 126,281	43,243		
Foreign exchange contracts	20,263	1,165	17,004	290		
Equity contracts	275,760	1,166,365	249,229	1,133,464		
Commodity contracts	62,727	103,562	76,911	35,071		
Credit contracts	19,835	18	15,647	15		
Total	455,880	1,312,276	485,072	1,212,083		

Counterparty/cash-collateral netting	(336,612)	(425,520)
Total per Consolidated		
Statement of Financial Condition	\$ 119,268	\$ 59,552

The following table presents unrealized and realized gains and (losses) on derivative contracts for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009 (in thousands):

	Twelve Months Ende Eleven Months Ende Twelve Months End							
	Nove	ember 30,	Novemb	er 30,	Decen	nber 31,		
		2011	2010	0	20	009		
	Gain	s (Losses)	Gains (L	osses)	Gains	(Losses)		
Interest rate contracts	\$	(204,403)	\$ (2	122,898)	\$	(11,581)		
Foreign exchange contracts		2,243		1,194		663		
Equity contracts		(279,488)		(87,084)		(202,091)		
Commodity contracts		74,282		15,454		(2,571)		
Credit contracts		17,621		(52,049)		3,057		
Total	\$	(389,745)	\$ (2	245,383)	\$	(212,523)		

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The following tables set forth the remaining contract maturity of the fair value of OTC derivative assets and liabilities as of November 30, 2011 (in thousands):

	OTC derivative assets(1)(2)(4)									
		Greater Than Cross-Maturity								
	0-1	12 Months	1-:	5 Years	5	5 Years	Ne	tting(3)		Total
Commodity swaps, options and forwards	\$	202,723	\$	8,200	\$	_	-\$	(1,152)	\$	209,771
Credit default swaps		_	_	12,474		21,793		(1,751)		32,516
Total return swaps		23		_	_	_	_	_	-	23
Foreign currency forwards, swaps and										
options		163,668		38,919		_	_	(15,162)		187,425
Fixed income forwards		5,078		_	_	_	_	_	_	5,078
Interest rate swaps and caps		19,572		24,224		109,936		(34,275)		119,457
Total	\$	391,064	\$	83,817	\$	131,729	\$	(52,340)		554,270
Cross product counterparty netting										(28,036)
Total OTC derivative assets included in										
Financial instruments owned									\$	526,234

- (1) At November 30, 2011, we held exchange traded derivative assets and other credit enhancements of \$124.1 million.
- (2) OTC derivative assets in the table above are gross of collateral received. OTC derivative assets are recorded net of collateral received on the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition. At November 30, 2011, cash collateral received was \$124.4 million.
- (3) Amounts represent the netting of receivable balances with payable balances within product category for the same counterparty across maturity categories.
- (4) Derivative fair values include counterparty netting within product category.

OTC derivative liabilities(1)(2)(4)

					Gre	eater Than	Cross	-Maturity		
	0-1	2 Months	1	-5 Years	4	5 Years	Net	tting(3)		Total
Commodity swaps, options and forwards	\$	94,255	\$	8,645	\$	_	-\$	(1,152)	\$	101,748
Equity options		_	-	5,256		_	_	_	-	5,256
Credit default swaps		352		2,053		1,546		(1,751)		2,200
Total return swaps		_	-	1,004		_	_	_	-	1,004
Foreign currency forwards, swaps and										
options		176,369		36,388		_	-	(15,162)		197,595
Interest rate swaps and caps		29,321		84,971		138,075		(34,275)		218,092
Total	\$	300,297	\$	138,317	\$	139,621	\$	(52,340)		525,895
Cross product counterparty netting										(28,036)
Total OTC derivative liabilities included										
in Financial instruments sold, not yet										
purchased									\$	497,859

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- (1) At November 30, 2011, we held exchange traded derivative liabilities and other credit enhancements of \$10.2 million.
- (2) OTC derivative liabilities in the table above are gross of collateral pledged. OTC derivative liabilities are recorded net of collateral pledged on the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition. At November 30, 2011, cash collateral pledged was \$259.1 million.
- (3) Amounts represent the netting of receivable balances with payable balances within product category for the same counterparty across maturity categories.
- (4) Derivative fair values include counterparty netting within product category.

At November 30, 2011, the counterparty credit quality with respect to the fair value of our OTC derivatives assets was as follows (in thousands):

Counterparty credit quality(1):

A or higher	\$ 267,265
B to BBB	252,484
Lower than B	206
Unrated	6,279
Total	\$ 526,234

(1) We utilize the credit ratings of external rating agencies when available. When external credit ratings are not available, we may utilize internal credit ratings determined by our credit risk management. Credit ratings determined by credit risk management use methodologies that produce ratings generally consistent with those produced by external rating agencies.

Contingent Features

Certain of our derivative instruments contain provisions that require our debt to maintain an investment grade credit rating from each of the major credit rating agencies. If our debt were to fall below investment grade, it would be in

violation of these provisions, and the counterparties to the derivative instruments could request immediate payment or demand immediate and ongoing full overnight collateralization on our derivative instruments in liability positions. The aggregate fair value of all derivative instruments with such credit-risk-related contingent features that are in a liability position at November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, is \$141.2 million and \$51.8 million, respectively, for which we have posted collateral of \$129.8 million and \$44.9 million, respectively, in the normal course of business. If the credit-risk-related contingent features underlying these agreements were triggered on November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, we would have been required to post an additional \$19.5 million and \$6.5 million, respectively, of collateral to our counterparties.

Note 7. Collateralized Transactions

We enter into secured borrowing and lending arrangements to obtain collateral necessary to effect settlement, finance inventory positions, meet customer needs or re-lend as part of our dealer operations. We manage our exposure to credit risk associated with these transactions by entering into master netting agreements. We also monitor the fair value of the securities loaned and borrowed on a daily basis and request additional collateral or return of excess collateral, as appropriate.

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We pledge financial instruments as collateral under repurchase agreements, securities lending agreements and other secured arrangements, including clearing arrangements. Our agreements with counterparties generally contain contractual provision allowing the counterparty the right to sell or repledge the collateral. Pledged securities that can be sold or repledged by the counterparty are included within Financial instruments owned and noted parenthetically as Securities pledged on our Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition.

We receive securities as collateral under resale agreements, securities borrowing transactions and customer margin loans. In many instances, we are permitted by contract or custom to rehypothecate the securities received as collateral. These securities may be used to secure repurchase agreements, enter into security lending or derivative transactions or cover short positions. At November 30, 2011 and 2010, the approximate fair value of securities received as collateral by us that may be sold or repledged was approximately \$17.9 billion and \$20.4 billion, respectively. The fair value of securities received as collateral at November 30, 2011 pertains to our securities financing activities presented on our Consolidated Statement of Financial Condition at November 30, 2011 as follows (in thousands):

Carrying amount:

\$ 2,893,043
5,169,689
21,862
8,084,594
7,498,439(1)
15,583,033
2,386,921(2)
\$ 17,969,954

- (1) Represents the netting of securities purchased under agreements to resell with securitie sold under agreements to repurchase balances for the same counterparty under legally enforceable netting agreements.
- (2) Includes collateral received from customers for margin balances unrelated to arrangements for securities purchased under agreements to resell or securities borrowed.

At November 30, 2011 and 2010, a substantial portion of the securities received by us had been sold or repledged.

We also receive securities as collateral in connection with derivative transactions and in connection with certain securities for securities transactions in which we are the lender of securities. In instances where we are permitted to sell or repledge the securities received as collateral, we report the fair value of the collateral received and the related obligation to return the collateral in the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition. At November 30, 2011 and 2010, \$21.9 million and \$48.6 million, respectively, were reported as Securities received as collateral and as Obligation to return securities received as collateral.

Additionally, we engage in securities for securities transactions in which we are the borrower of securities and provide other securities as collateral rather than cash. As no cash is provided under these types of transactions, we, as borrower, treat these as noncash transactions and do not recognize assets or liabilities on the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition. The securities pledged as collateral under these transactions are included within the total amount of Financial instruments owned and noted as Securities pledged on our Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition.

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Note 8. Securitization Activities

We engage in securitization activities related to mortgage loans and mortgage-backed and other asset-backed securities. In our securitization transactions, we transfer these assets to special purpose entities ("SPEs") and act as the placement or structuring agent for the beneficial interests issued to investors by the SPE. A significant portion of our securitization transactions are securitization of assets issued or guaranteed by U.S. government agencies. Our securitization vehicles generally meet the criteria of variable interest entities; however we generally do not consolidate our securitization vehicles as we are not considered the primary beneficiary for these vehicles. See Note 9, Variable Interest Entities for further discussion on variable interest entities and our determination of the primary beneficiary.

We account for our securitization transactions as sales provided we have relinquished control over the transferred assets. If we have not relinquished control over the transferred assets, the assets continue to be recognized in Financial instruments owned and a corresponding secured borrowing is recognized in Other liabilities. Transferred assets are carried at fair value with unrealized gains and losses reflected in Principal transactions revenues prior to securitization. Net underwriting revenues are recognized in connection with the securitization activities.

We generally receive cash proceeds in connection with the transfer of assets as the security interests issued by the securitization vehicles are sold to investors. We may, however, have continuing involvement with the transferred assets, which is limited to retaining one or more tranches of the securitization (primarily senior and subordinated debt securities), which are included within Financial instruments owned and retaining servicing rights for military housing loan securitizations, which are included within Other assets. We apply fair value accounting to the securities. The servicing rights are amortized over the period of the estimated net servicing income.

The following table presents activity related to our securitizations that were accounted for as sales in which we had continuing involvement (in millions):

	Eleven Months End						
	Twelve l	Months Ended	1	November 30,			
	Novem	ber 30, 2011		2010			
Transferred assets	\$	12,539.6	\$	11,311.1			
Proceeds on new securitizations	\$	12,611.0	\$	11,409.7			
Net revenues	\$	82.7	\$	65.4			
Cash flows received on retained interests	\$	103.6	\$	32.9			

Assets received as proceeds in the form of mortgage-backed-securities issued by the securitization vehicles have been initially categorized as Level 2 within the fair value hierarchy. For further information on fair value measurements and

the fair value hierarchy, refer to Note 2, Summary of Significant Accounting Policies, and Note 5, Financial Instruments. We have no explicit or implicit arrangements to provide additional financial support to these securitization vehicles and have no liabilities related to these securitization vehicles at November 30, 2011 and 2010. Although not obligated, we may make a market in the securities issued by these securitization vehicles in connection with secondary market-making activities. In these market-making transactions, we buy these securities from and sell these securities to investors. Securities subsequently purchased through these market-making activities are not considered to be continuing involvement in these vehicles, although the securities are included in Financial instruments owned — Mortgage- and asset-backed securities.

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The following tables summarizes our retained interests in SPEs where we transferred assets and have continuing involvement and received sale accounting treatment.

	As of November 30, 2				
			Re	etained	
Securitization Type	Tot	In	terests		
		(in mi	llions)	
U.S. government agency residential mortgage-backed securities	\$	7,968.0	\$	517.9(1)	
U.S. government agency commercial mortgage-backed securities	\$	2,574.3	\$	49.9(1)	
Military housing loans	\$	127.4	\$	0.3(2)	

- (1) A significant portion of these securities have been subsequently sold in secondary-market transactions to third parties. As of January 13, 2012, we continue to hold approximately \$248.3 million and \$27.6 million of these Residential mortgage-backed securities and Commercial mortgage-backed securities, respectively, in inventory.
- (2) Initial fair value of servicing rights received on transferred project loans.

	As of November 30, 20				
			Re	etained	
Securitization Type	Tot	In	terests		
		(in mi	llions)	
U.S. government agency residential mortgage-backed securities	\$	6,549.5	\$	684.7(1)	
U.S. government agency commercial mortgage-backed securities	\$	2,005.4	\$	40.4(1)	
Military housing loans	\$	107.8	\$	0.1(2)	

- (1) A significant portion of these securities have been subsequently sold in secondary-market transactions to third parties. As of January 13, 2012, we continue to hold approximately \$30.2 million and \$27.6 million of these Residential mortgage-backed securities and Commercial mortgage-backed securities, respectively, in inventory.
- (2) Represents amortized servicing rights on transferred project loans.

We do not have any derivative contracts executed in connection with these securitization activities. Total assets represent the unpaid principal amount of assets in the securitization vehicles in which we have continued involvement and is presented solely to provide information regarding the size of the securitization and the size of the underlying assets supporting our retained interests, and is not considered representative of the risk of potential loss associated with the securitizations.

Assets retained in connection with securitization represent the fair value of the securities of one or more tranches of the securitization, including senior and subordinated tranches. Our risk of loss to these securitization vehicles is limited to this fair value amount which is included within total Financial instruments owned — Mortgage- and asset-backed securities on our Consolidated Statement of Financial Condition.

Note 9. Variable Interest Entities

Variable interest entities ("VIEs") are entities in which equity investors lack the characteristics of a controlling financial interest or do not have sufficient equity at risk for the entity to finance its activities without additional subordinated financial support. VIEs are consolidated by the primary beneficiary. The primary beneficiary is the party who has the power to direct the activities of a variable interest entity that most significantly impact the entity's economic performance and who has an obligation to absorb losses of the entity or a right to receive benefits from the entity that could potentially be significant to the entity.

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We reassess whether we are the primary beneficiary of a VIE upon our initial involvement with the VIE. We reassess whether we are the primary beneficiary of a VIE on an ongoing basis. Our determination of whether we are the primary beneficiary of a VIE is based upon the facts and circumstances for each VIE and requires significant judgment. In determining whether we are the party with the power to direct the VIE's most significant activities, we first identify the activities of the VIE that most significantly impact its economic performance. Our considerations in determining the VIE's most significant activities primarily include, but are not limited to, the VIE's purpose and design and the risks passed through to investors. We then assess whether we have the power to direct those significant activities. Our considerations in determining whether we have the power to direct the VIE's most significant activities include, but are not limited to, voting interests of the VIE, management, service and/ or other agreements of the VIE, involvement in the VIE's initial design and the existence of explicit or implicit financial guarantees. In situations where we have determined that the power over the VIE's most significant activities is shared, we assess whether we are the party with the power over the majority of the significant activities. If we are the party with the power over the majority of the significant activities or we determine that decisions require consent of each sharing party, we do not meet the "power" criteria of the primary beneficiary.

We assess our variable interests in a VIE both individually and in aggregate to determine whether we have an obligation to absorb losses of or a right to receive benefits from the VIE that could potentially be significant to the VIE. The determination of whether our variable interest is significant to the VIE requires significant judgment. In determining the significance of our variable interest, we consider the terms, characteristics and size of the variable interests, the design and characteristics of the VIE, our involvement in the VIE and our market-making activities related to the variable interests. Our variable interests in VIEs include debt and equity interests, commitments and certain fees. Our involvement with VIEs arises primarily from:

- Purchases of mortgage-backed securities in connection with our trading and secondary market making activities,
- Retained interests held as a result of securitization activities as part of primary market making activities, including the resecuritizations of mortgage-backed securities,
- Servicing of military housing mortgage loans held by VIEs,
- Ownership of debt, equity and partnership interests in Jefferies High Yield Holdings, LLC and related entities,
- Management and performance fees in the Jefferies Umbrella Fund, and
- Loans to and investments in investment fund vehicles.

We have not executed any derivative contracts with VIEs and have not provided any liquidity facilities to VIEs, other than Jefferies Employees Partners IV, LLC, as discussed below.

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Consolidated VIEs

The following tables present information about the assets and liabilities of our consolidated VIEs which are presented within our Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition in the respective asset and liability categories, as of November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010. The assets and liabilities in the tables below are presented prior to consolidation and thus a portion of these assets and liabilities are eliminated in consolidation. We have aggregated our consolidated VIEs based upon principal business activity.

		N	oveml	per 30, 2011	November 30, 2010					
				gage- and	Mortgage- and					
			Asse	et-backed				Ass	set-backed	
	Hi	gh Yield	Secu	ritizations	Other	Hi	gh Yield	Sec	uritizations	Other
					(in m		ns)			
Cash	\$	345.7	\$	—\$	0.3	\$	202.6	\$	—\$	_
Financial instruments owned		693.3		12.2	7.2		889.8		101.4	21.0
Securities borrowed		195.3		_	_	_	455.8		_	_
Receivable from brokers and										
dealers		150.6			_	_	195.5			_
Other		8.5		_	_	_	11.6		0.1	_
	\$	1,393.4	\$	12.2 \$	7.5	\$	1,755.3	\$	101.5 \$	21.0
Financial instruments sold,										
not yet purchased	\$	326.2	\$	—\$	_	-\$	602.6	\$	—\$	_
Payable to brokers and										
dealers		105.2			_	_	157.1			
Mandatorily redeemable										
interests(1)		943.4		_	_	_	960.2		_	_
Promissory note(2)		_	_	_	4.2		_	_	_	4.4
Secured financing(3)		_	_	12.2	_	_	_	_	101.4	_
Other		20.7			0.2		36.3		0.1	
	\$	1,395.5	\$	12.2 \$	4.4	\$	1,756.2	\$	101.5 \$	4.4

(1) After consolidation, which eliminates our interests and the interests of our consolidated subsidiaries, JSOP and JESOP, the carrying amount of the mandatorily redeemable financial interests pertaining to the above

VIEs included within Mandatorily redeemable preferred interests of consolidated subsidiaries was approximately \$310.5 million and \$315.9 million at November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, respectively. These amounts represent the portion of the mandatorily redeemable preferred interests held by our joint venture partner.

- (2) The promissory note represents an amount due to us and is eliminated in consolidation.
- (3) Secured financing is included within Accrued expenses and other liabilities. Approximately \$8.4 million and \$15.7 million of the secured financing represents an amount held by us in inventory and is eliminated in consolidation at November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, respectively.

High Yield. We conduct our high yield secondary market trading activities through Jefferies High Yield Trading, LLC ("JHYT"), Jefferies High Yield Finance, LLC ("JHYF"), and Jefferies Leveraged Credit Products, LLC ("JLCP"). JHYT is a registered broker-dealer engaged in the secondary sales and trading of high yield and special situation securities, including bank debt, post-reorganization equity, public and private equity, equity derivatives and other financial instruments. JHYT makes markets in high yield and distressed securities and provides research coverage on these types of securities. JHYF is engaged in the trading of total return swaps. JLCP is engaged in the trading of bank debt, credit default swaps and trade claims. JHYT, JHYF and JLCP are wholly owned subsidiaries of JHYH.

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We own voting and non-voting interests in JHYH and have entered into management, clearing, and other services agreements with JHYH. We and Leucadia National Corporation ("Leucadia"), a significant holder of our common stock, each have the right to nominate two of a total of four directors to JHYH's board of directors. Two funds managed by us, JSOP and JESOP, are also investors in JHYH. The arrangement term is through April 2013, with an option to extend. We have determined that JHYH, JSOP and JESOP meet the definition of a variable interest entity. We are the primary beneficiary of JHYH, JSOP and JESOP and accordingly consolidate JHYH (and the assets, liabilities and results of operations of its wholly owned subsidiaries JHYT, JHYF and JLCP), JSOP and JESOP.

At November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, the carrying amount of our variable interests was \$322.0 million and \$328.2 million, respectively, which consist of our debt, equity and partnership interests in JHYH, JSOP and JESOP, which are eliminated in consolidation. In addition, the secondary market trading activity conducted through JHYT, JHYF and JLCP is a significant component of our overall brokerage platform, and while not contractually obligated, could require us to provide additional financial support and/ or expose us to further losses of JHYH, JSOP and JESOP. The assets of these VIEs are available for the benefit of the mandatorily redeemable interest holders and equity holders. The creditors of these VIEs do not have recourse to our general credit.

There have been no changes in our conclusion to consolidate JHYH, JSOP and JESOP since formation.

Mortgage and asset-backed securitizations. We are the primary beneficiary of a mortgage-backed securitization vehicle to which we transferred a project loan and retained servicing rights over the loan as well as retained a portion of the securities issued by the securitization vehicle. Our variable interests in this vehicle consist of the securities and a contractual servicing fee. The asset of this VIE consists of a project loan, which is available for the benefit of the vehicles' beneficial interest holders. The creditors of this VIE do not have recourse to our general credit.

During the year, we sold beneficial interests in a military housing securitization vehicle for which we were previously the primary beneficiary. Upon the sale of our beneficial interests in this vehicle, we determined that we are no longer the primary beneficiary of this vehicle as we do not have an obligation to absorb losses or a right to receive benefits that could potentially be significant to this vehicle. As such, we deconsolidated the military housing securitization vehicle during the year.

Other. We are the primary beneficiary of certain investment vehicles set up for the benefit of our employees or clients. We manage and invest alongside our employees or clients in these vehicles. The assets of these VIEs consist of private equity and debt securities, and are available for the benefit of the entities' debt and equity holders. Our variable interests in these vehicles consist of equity securities and promissory notes. The creditors of these VIEs do not have recourse to our general credit.

Nonconsolidated VIEs

We also hold variable interests in VIEs in which we are not the primary beneficiary and accordingly do not consolidate. We do not consolidate these VIEs as we do not have the power to direct the activities that most significantly impact their economic performance. Other than Jefferies Employees Partners IV, LLC, as discussed below, we have not provided financial or other support to these VIEs during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 or eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and we have no explicit or implicit arrangements to provide additional financial support to these VIEs and have no liabilities related to these VIEs at November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010.

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The following tables present information about nonconsolidated VIEs in which we had variable interests aggregated by principal business activity. The tables include VIEs where we have determined that the maximum exposure to loss is greater than specific thresholds or meets certain other criteria.

	November 30, 2011						
	Financ						
	Carrying Maximum						
	A	Amount	exposure to loss			IE Assets	
			(in n	nillions)			
Collateralized loan obligations	\$	48.2(2)	\$	48.2(4)	\$	1,768.4	
Agency mortgage- and asset-backed securitizations(1)		1,410.9(2)		1,410.9(4)		6,523.0	
Non-agency mortgage- and asset-backed securitizations(1)		583.9(2)		583.9(4)		41,939.4	
Asset management vehicle		2.8(3)		2.8(4)		903.9	
Private equity vehicles		64.5(3)		131.3		84.2	
Total	\$	2,110.3	\$	2,177.1	\$	51,218.9	

- (1) VIE assets represent the unpaid principal balance of the assets in these vehicles at November 30, 2011 and represent the underlying assets that provide the cash flows supporting our variable interests.
- (2) Consists of debt securities accounted for at fair value, which are included within Financial instruments owned.
- (3) Consists of equity interests and loans, which are classified within Investments in managed funds and Loans to and investments in related parties.
- (4) Our maximum exposure to loss in these non-consolidated VIEs is limited to our investment, which is represented by the financial statement carrying amount of our purchased or retained interests.

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Mortgage- and Asset-Backed Vehicles. In connection with our trading and market making activities, we buy and sell mortgage- and asset backed securities. Mortgage- and asset backed securities issued by securitization entities are generally considered variable interests in VIEs. A substantial portion of our variable interests in mortgage- and asset-backed VIEs are sponsored by unrelated third parties. The variable interests consist entirely of mortgage- and asset-backed securities and are accounted for at fair value and included Financial instruments owned on our Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition. In addition to the agency mortgage- and asset backed securities of \$1,410.9 million and non-agency mortgage- and asset-backed securities of \$583.9 million at November 30, 2011 presented in the above table, we owned additional securities issued by securitization SPEs for which the maximum exposure to loss is less than specific thresholds. These additional securities were acquired in connection with our secondary market making activities and our securitization activities. Total securities issued by securitization SPEs at November 30, 2011 consist of the following (in millions):

	Non	agency	A	Agency	Total
Variable interests in collateralized loan obligations	\$	48.2	\$	_5	48.2
Variable interests in agency mortgage- and asset backed		_	_	1,410.9	1,410.9
Variable interests in nonagency mortgage- and asset backed		583.9		_	583.9
Additional securities in connection with trading and market Residential					
mortgage-backed securities		67.9		1,256.7	1,324.6
Commercial mortgage-backed securities		7.0		526.1	533.1
Collateralized debt obligations		8.8		_	8.8
Other asset-backed securities		13.8		_	13.8
Total mortgage- and asset-backed securities on the Consolidated					
Statement of Financial Condition	\$	729.6	\$	3,193.7	3,923.3

	November 30, 2010						
	Financial Statem						
	Carrying		Maximum				
	Amount	ez	exposure to loss		IE Assets		
Collateralized loan obligations	\$ 35.3(2) \$	35.3(4)	\$	1,937.8		
Agency mortgage- and asset-backed securitizations(1)	1,840.9(2)	1,840.9(4)		7,464.8		
Non-agency mortgage- and asset-backed securitizations(1)	852.1(2)	852.1(4)		91,285.1		
Asset management vehicle	18.1(3)	18.1(4)		760.4		

Private equity vehicles	49.7(3))	131.0	63.9
Total	\$ 2,796.1	\$	2,877.4	\$ 101,512.0

- (1) VIE assets represent the unpaid principal balance of the assets in these vehicles at November 30, 2010.
- (2) Consists of debt securities accounted for at fair value, which are included within Financial instruments owned.
- (3) Consists of equity interests, which are classified within Investments in managed funds and Loans to and investments in related parties.
- (4) Our maximum exposure to loss in these non-consolidated VIEs is limited to our investment, which represents our purchased or retained interests.

Collateralized Loan Obligations. We own variable interests in collateralized loan obligations ("CLOs") previously managed by us. These CLOs have assets consisting primarily of senior secured loans, unsecured loans

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and high yield bonds. We consolidated these CLOs upon the adoption of accounting changes to ASC Topic 810, Consolidation, on January 1, 2010. No gain or loss was recognized upon the initial consolidation of these CLOs. Subsequently, we sold and assigned our management agreements for the CLOs to a third party; thus, we no longer have the power to direct the most significant activities of the CLOs. Upon the assignment of the management agreements in the first quarter of 2010, we deconsolidated the CLOs. Our remaining variable interests in the CLOs subsequent to the assignment of our management agreement consist of debt securities and a right to a portion of the CLOs' management and incentive fees. The carrying amount of the debt securities was \$14.1 million and \$8.8 million at November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, respectively. The management and incentives fees are accrued as the amounts become realizable. Our exposure to loss in these CLOs is limited to our investments in the debt securities.

In addition, we have variable interests in Babson Loan Opportunity CLO, Ltd., a third party managed CLO. This VIE has assets consisting primarily of senior secured loans, unsecured loans and high yield bonds. Our variable interests in this VIE consists of debt securities. The fair value of our interests in this VIE consist of a direct interest and an indirect interest via Jefferies Finance, LLC. Our exposure to loss is limited to our investments in the debt securities.

Asset Management Vehicle. We manage the Jefferies Umbrella Fund, an "umbrella structure" company that enables investors to choose between one or more investment objectives by investing in one or more sub-funds within the same structure. The assets of the Jefferies Umbrella Fund primarily consist of convertible bonds. Accounting changes to consolidation standards under generally accepted accounting principles have been deferred for entities that are considered to be investment companies; accordingly, consolidation continues to be determined under a risk and reward model. The Jefferies Umbrella Fund is subject to the deferral guidance and we are not the primary beneficiary as of November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010 under the risk and reward model. Our variable interests in the Jefferies Umbrella Fund consist of equity interests, management fees and performance fees.

Private Equity Vehicles. On July 26, 2010, we committed to invest equity of up to \$75.0 million in Jefferies SBI USA Fund L.P. (the "USA Fund"). As of November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, we funded approximately \$17.9 million and \$9.3 million, respectively, of our commitment. The USA Fund has assets consisting primarily of private equity and equity related investments. The carrying amount of our equity investment was \$17.4 million and \$9.1 million at November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, respectively. Our exposure to loss is limited to our equity commitment.

We have variable interests in Jefferies Employees Partners IV, LLC ("JEP IV"). JEP IV has assets consisting primarily of private equity and equity related investments. Our variable interests in JEP IV consist of an equity investment and a loan commitment. The carrying amount of our equity investment was \$2.8 million and \$1.8 million at November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, respectively. During the fourth quarter of 2010, we repaid outstanding debt of JEP IV on its behalf and committed to make loans to JEP IV in an aggregate principal amount of up to \$54.0 million. As of November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, we funded approximately \$44.3 million and \$38.8 million, respectively,

of the aggregate principal balance, which is included in Loans to and investments in related parties. Our exposure to loss is limited to our equity investment and the aggregate amount of our loan commitment.

Note 10. Equity Method Investments

Investments accounted for under the equity method are included in Loans to and investments in related parties in the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition. Equity method gains and losses are included in

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Other income in the Consolidated Statements of Earnings. Our significant investments accounted for under the equity method are Jefferies Finance, LLC and Jefferies LoanCore LLC.

Jefferies Finance, LLC

On October 7, 2004, we entered into an agreement with Babson Capital Management LLC ("Babson Capital") and Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company ("MassMutual") to form Jefferies Finance, LLC ("JFIN"), a joint venture entity created for the purpose of offering senior loans to middle market and growth companies. JFIN is a commercial finance company whose primary focus is the origination and syndication of senior secured debt in the form of term and revolving loans. Loans are originated primarily through the investment banking efforts of Jefferies, with Babson Capital providing primary credit analytics and portfolio management services. JFIN can also originate other debt products such as second lien term, bridge and mezzanine loans, as well as related equity co-investments. JFIN also purchases syndicated loans in the secondary market, including loans that are performing, stressed and distressed loan obligations.

On March 1, 2011, we and MassMutual increased our equity commitments to JFIN, with an incremental \$250 million committed by each partner. Including the incremental \$250 million from each partner, the total committed equity capital of JFIN is \$1.0 billion. As of November 30, 2011, we have funded \$107.5 million of our aggregate \$500.0 million commitment, leaving \$392.5 million unfunded.

In addition, on March 1, 2011, we and MassMutual entered into a \$1.0 billion Secured Revolving Credit Facility, to be funded equally, to support loan underwritings by JFIN. The Secured Revolving Credit Facility bears interest based on the interest rates of the related JFIN underwritten loans and is secured by the underlying loans funded by the proceeds of the facility. The facility is scheduled to mature on March 1, 2014 with automatic one year extensions subject to a 60 day termination notice by either party. At November 30, 2011, we have funded \$155.0 million of our \$500.0 million commitment. During the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, \$6.4 million of interest income is included in the Consolidated Statement of Earnings related to the Secured Revolving Credit Facility.

Prior to the \$1.0 billion Secured Revolving Credit Facility, we provided a revolving line of credit to JFIN in the amount of \$150.0 million, originally scheduled to mature on September 4, 2011. On March 1, 2011 the \$500 million revolving line of credit to JFIN was terminated. As of November 30, 2010, our commitment under this revolving line of credit with was \$150.0 million and no amounts were funded. During the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, \$0.2 million of interest income is included in the Consolidated Statement of Earnings related to the revolving credit line.

The following is a summary of selected financial information for JFIN as of November 30, 2011, November 30, 2010 and December 31, 2009 (in millions):

	Nov	November 30, November 30, D 2011 2010		*		ember 31, 2009
m 1	Φ.		Φ.		Φ.	
Total assets	\$	1,457.8	\$	890.4	\$	944.1
Total liabilities		1,044.3		566.4		691.2
Total equity		413.5		324.0		252.9
Our total equity balance		206.8		162.0		126.4

JFIN's net earnings were \$88.3 million, \$71.7 million and \$67.5 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively.

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We engage in debt capital markets transactions with JFIN related to the originations of loans by JFIN. In connection with such transactions, we earned fees of \$60.8 million and \$35.1 million during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and eleven months ended November 30, 2010, respectively in Investment banking on the Consolidated Statement of Earnings. In addition, in relation to these transactions we paid fees to JFIN of \$21.5 million and \$10.8 million during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and eleven months ended November 30, 2010, respectively recognized within Business development expenses on the Consolidated Statement of Earnings.

During the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, we purchased participation certificates in loans originated by JFIN of \$477.2 million, which were subsequently redeemed in full during the same period. There were no equivalent transactions during the eleven months ended November 30, 2010.

Under a service agreement, we provide JFIN with certain administrative services for which we were reimbursed costs totaling \$20.9 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011. Receivables from JFIN, included within Other assets on the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition were \$16.6 million and \$4.3 million at November 30, 2011 and 2010, respectively.

Jefferies LoanCore LLC

On February 23, 2011, we entered into a joint venture agreement with the Government of Singapore Investment Corporation and LoanCore, LLC and formed Jefferies LoanCore LLC ("LoanCore"), a commercial real estate finance company. LoanCore originates commercial real estate loans with the support of the investment banking and securitization capabilities of Jefferies and the real estate and mortgage investment expertise of the Government of Singapore Investment Corporation and LoanCore, LLC. LoanCore is currently solely capitalized with equity and has aggregate equity commitments of \$600.0 million. As of November 30, 2011, we have funded \$168.4 million of our \$291.0 million equity commitment and have a 48.5% voting interest in LoanCore.

The following is a summary of selected financial information for LoanCore as of November 30, 2011, (in millions):

	November 30, 2011
Total assets	\$ 761.4
Total liabilities	427.4
Total equity	334.0
Our total equity balance	162.0

LoanCore's net earnings were \$2.1 million loss for the period ended November 30, 2011.

Under a service agreement, we provide LoanCore with certain administrative services. We recharged LoanCore \$0.3 million for these administrative services during fiscal 2011. At November 30, 2011, \$0.3 million was included in Other assets on the Consolidated Statement of Financial Condition relating to receivables from LoanCore.

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Note 11. Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets

Goodwill

The following table is a summary of the changes to goodwill for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010 (in thousands):

		ve Months Ended	E	leven Months Ended
	Novem	ber 30, 2011	Nov	rember 30, 2010
Balance, at beginning of period	\$	364,964	\$	364,795
Add: Contingent consideration		825		1,013
Add: Translation adjustments		(215)		(844)
Balance, at end of period	\$	365,574	\$	364,964

Contingent consideration recorded during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 relates to the lapse of certain conditions as specified in the purchase agreements associated with the acquisition of LongAcre Partners in 2007. During the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, a payment of \$754,000 for contingent consideration was made to the selling owners of LongAcre Partners, which was previously accrued to goodwill in 2007.

We completed our annual test of goodwill impairment as of June 1, 2011. No goodwill impairment was identified. Due to the volatility in the financial services sector and equity markets in general, the global economic outlook and our common shares trading below book value during the fourth quarter of fiscal 2011, we performed additional testing for goodwill impairment at November 30, 2011, which did not result in any goodwill impairment. The computation of fair value for our Capital Markets reporting unit did not significantly exceed its carrying value. Adverse market or economic events could result in impairment charges in future periods.

All goodwill is assigned to our Capital Markets segment and is deductible for tax purposes.

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Intangible Assets

The following table presents the gross carrying amount, accumulated depreciation and net carrying amount of identifiable intangible assets and weighted average amortization period as of November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010 (in thousands):

	November 30, 2011								
	Accumulated N Gross cost amortization				, ,		Weighted average remaining lives (years)		
Exchange and clearing organization membership									
interests and registrations	\$	11,219	\$	_	-\$	11,219	N/A		
Customer relationships		10,542		(2,776)		7,766	6.9		
Trade name		1,300		(361)		939	1.1		
Other		100		(8)		92	13.8		
	\$	23,161	\$	(3,145)	\$	20,016			

	November 30, 2010						
	Gross cost		Accumulated amortization		Net carrying amount		Weighted average remaining lives (years)
Customer relationships	\$	4,742	\$	(1,726)	\$	3,016	4.2
Other		100		(2)		98	14.8
	\$	4,842	\$	(1,728)	\$	3,114	

The aggregate amortization expense for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and eleven months ended November 30, 2010 was \$1.4 million and \$0.7 million, respectively. Amortization expense is included in Other expenses on the Consolidated Statements of Earnings. The estimated future amortization expense for the next five fiscal years are as follows (in thousands):

	Estimated future amortization
Fiscal year	expense
2012	\$ 2,203
2013	1,243
2014	1,243 853
2015	695
2016	695

Mortgage Servicing Rights

In the normal course of business we originate military housing mortgage loans and sell such loans to investors. In connection with these activities we may retain the mortgage servicing rights that entitle us to a future stream of cash flows based on contractual serving fees. Mortgage servicing rights to military housing mortgage loans are accounted for as an intangible asset and included within Other assets in the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition. The mortgage servicing rights are amortized over the period of the estimated

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net servicing income, which is reported in Other income in the Consolidated Statements of Earnings. We provide no credit support in connection with the servicing of these loans and are not required to make servicing advances on the loans in the underlying portfolio. We determined that the servicing rights represent one class of servicing rights based on the availability of market inputs to measure the fair value of the asset and our treatment of the asset as one aggregate pool for risk management purposes. We earned fees related to these servicing rights of \$4.1 million and \$3.5 million during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and eleven months ended November 30, 2010, respectively.

The following presents the activity in the balance of these servicing rights for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and eleven months ended November 30, 2010 (in thousands):

	Twelve Month Ended	s E	leven Months Ended
	November 30, 2)11 Nov	ember 30, 2010
Balance, beginning of period	\$ 8,2	53 \$	8,500
Add: Acquisition	3	47	87
Less: Amortization	(4	08)	(324)
Balance, end of period	\$ 8,2)2 \$	8,263

We estimate the fair value of these servicing rights was \$15.6 million and \$16.1 million at November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, respectively. Mortgage servicing rights do not trade in an active, open market with readily observable prices. Accordingly, the fair value of servicing rights is estimated using a discounted cash flow model, which projects future cash flows discounted at a risk-adjusted rate based on recently observed transactions for interest-only bonds backed by military housing mortgages. Estimated future cash flows consider contracted servicing fees and costs to service. Given the underlying asset class, assumptions regarding repayment and delinquencies are not significant to the fair value.

Note 12. Short-Term Borrowings

Bank loans represent short-term borrowings that are payable on demand and generally bear interest at a spread over the federal funds rate. Unsecured bank loans are typically overnight loans used to finance financial instruments owned or clearing related balances. We had no outstanding unsecured or secured bank loans as of November 30, 2011 and 2010. Average daily bank loans for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and the eleven months ended November 30, 2010 were \$12.0 million and \$23.8 million, respectively.

In connection with the acquisition of the Global Commodities Group from Prudential on July 1, 2011, Jefferies Bache Financial Services, Inc., Jefferies Bache, LLC and Jefferies Bache Limited entered into a \$1.0 billion revolving credit facility with Prudential with an expiry date of September 29, 2011. The borrowings under the facility were used to provide working capital for the Global Commodities Group. The credit facility contained financial covenants that significantly restricted the ability of the borrowers to pay dividends and make other payments or advances to Jefferies Group, Inc. or our other subsidiaries. On September 16, 2011, the credit facility with Prudential was repaid in full and terminated. The average borrowings under this facility during the period from July 1, 2011 to September 16, 2011 were \$195.7 million.

At November 30, 2011, an obligation to deliver long-term debt securities of \$52.7 million was reported as Short-term borrowings on the Consolidated Statement of Financial Condition for debt securities sold as part of our U.S. broker-dealer's market making in our long-term debt securities. Refer to Note 13, Long-Term Debt, for further details on market making in our long-term debt securities.

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Note 13. Long-Term Debt

Our long-term debt is accounted for on an amortized cost basis. The following summarizes our long-term debt carrying values (including unamortized discounts and premiums) at November 30, 2011 and 2010 (in thousands):

	2011	2010
	-011	2010
Unsecured Long-Term Debt		
7.75% Senior Notes, due 2012 (effective interest rate of 8.08%)(1)	\$ 254,926	\$ 305,969
5.875% Senior Notes, due 2014 (effective interest rate of 6.00%)	249,298	249,048
3.875% Senior Notes, due 2015 (effective interest rate of 3.92%)	499,187	499,000
5.5% Senior Notes, due 2016 (effective interest rate of 5.57%)	349,045	348,854
5.125% Senior Notes, due 2018 (effective interest rate of 5.18%)	782,598	-
8.5% Senior Notes, due 2019 (effective interest rate of 8.31%)	707,787	708,529
6.875% Senior Notes, due 2021 (effective interest rate of 6.99%)	545,816	545,510
6.45% Senior Debentures, due 2027 (effective interest rate of 6.55%)	346,664	346,544
3.875% Convertible Senior Debentures, due, 2029 (effective interest rate of 7.20%)	280,832	282,577
6.25% Senior Debentures, due 2036 (effective interest rate of 6.37%)	492,773	492,650
	\$ 4,508,926	\$ 3,778,681
Secured Long-Term Debt		
Credit facility, due 2014	100,000	-
	\$ 4,608,926	\$ 3,778,681

(1) Our 7.75% Senior Notes, due in 2012, are payable in March 2012.

On April 8, 2011, we issued 5.125% Senior Notes, due in 2018, with a principal amount of \$800.0 million and received proceeds of \$794.6 million. On November 2, 2010, we issued 3.875% Senior Notes, due in 2015, with a principal amount of \$500.0 million and received proceeds of \$497.7 million. On June 24, 2010 and July 15, 2010, we issued 6.875% Senior Notes, due in 2021, with a principal amount of \$400.0 million and \$150.0 million, respectively, and received proceeds of \$394.2 million and \$148.7 million, respectively.

During November 2011, we repurchased \$50.0 million principal amount of our 7.75% Senior Notes due 2012, resulting in a gain on debt extinguishment of \$0.9 million, which was recognized in Other revenues on the

Consolidated Statement of Earnings. Additionally, our U.S. broker-dealer, from time to time, makes a market in our long-term debt securities (i.e., purchases and sells our long-term debt securities). During November 2011, there was extreme volatility in the price of our debt and a significant amount of secondary trading volume through our market-making desk. Given the volume of activity and significant price volatility, purchases of our debt have been treated as debt extinguishments and sales have been treated as reissuances of debt. As a result, we recognized a gain of \$20.2 million as a gain on debt extinguishment reported in Other revenues for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011. Additionally, the balance of Long-term debt was reduced by \$23.8 million as a result of this activity. At November 30, 2011, an obligation to deliver long-term debt securities of \$52.7 million is outstanding for debt securities sold and accordingly treated as reissuances of debt securities, which are reported as Short-term borrowings on the Consolidated Statement of Financial Condition.

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We previously issued 3.875% convertible senior debentures (the "debentures"), due in 2029, with an aggregate principal amount of \$345.0 million, each \$1,000 debenture currently convertible into 26.2251 shares of our common stock (equivalent to a conversion price of approximately \$38.13 per share of common stock). In addition to ordinary interest, beginning on November 1, 2017, contingent interest will accrue at 0.375% if the average trading price of a debenture for 5 trading days ending on and including the third trading day immediately preceding a six-month interest period equals or exceed \$1,200 per \$1,000 debenture. The debentures are convertible at the holders' option any time beginning on August 1, 2029 and convertible at any time if 1) our common stock price is greater than 130% of the conversion price for at least 20 trading days in a period of 30 consecutive trading days; 2) if the trading price per debenture is less than 95% of the price of our common stock times the conversion ratio for any 10 consecutive trading days; 3) if the debentures are called for redemption; or 4) upon the occurrence of specific corporate actions. We may redeem the debentures for par, plus accrued interest, on or after November 1, 2012 if the price of our common stock is greater than 130% of the conversion price for at least 20 days in a period of 30 consecutive trading days and we may redeem the debentures for par, plus accrued interest, at our election any time on or after November 1, 2017. Holders may require us to repurchase the debentures for par, plus accrued interest, on November 1, 2017, 2019 and 2024.

We previously entered into a fair value hedge with no ineffectiveness using interest rate swaps in order to convert \$200 million aggregate principal amount of unsecured 7.75% Senior Notes due March 15, 2012 into floating rates based upon LIBOR. During the third quarter of 2007, we terminated these interest rate swaps and received cash consideration of \$8.5 million, net of accrued interest, which is being amortized as a reduction in Interest expense of approximately \$1.9 million per year over the remaining life of the notes. As of November 30, 2011, approximately \$498,000 remained to be amortized.

Secured Long-Term Debt — On August 26, 2011 we entered into a committed senior secured revolving credit facility ("Credit Facility") with a group of commercial banks in Dollars, Euros and Sterling, in aggregate totaling \$950.0 million, of which \$250.0 million can be borrowed unsecured. Borrowers under the Credit Facility are Jefferies Bache Financial Services, Inc., Jefferies Bache, LLC and Jefferies Bache Limited. The Credit Facility is guaranteed by Jefferies Group, Inc. and contains financial covenants that, among other things, imposes restrictions on future indebtedness of our subsidiaries, requires Jefferies Group, Inc. to maintain specified level of tangible net worth and liquidity amounts, and requires certain of our subsidiaries to maintain specified levels of regulated capital. The Credit Facility terminates on August 26, 2014. Interest is based on the Federal funds rate or, in the case of Euro and Sterling borrowings, the Euro Interbank Offered Rate and the London Interbank Offered Rate, respectively. At November 30, 2011, U.S. dollar denominated borrowings outstanding under the Credit Facility amounted to \$100.0 million and are secured by assets included in the borrowing base amount, as defined in the Credit Facility agreement. There were no non-U.S. dollar borrowings at November 30, 2011. We were in compliance with debt covenants under the Credit Facility at November 30, 2011.

Note 14. Mandatorily Redeemable Convertible Preferred Stock

In February 2006, MassMutual purchased 125,000 shares of our Series A Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock at a price of \$1,000 per share, or \$125.0 million in the aggregate, in a private placement. Our Series A Cumulative Convertible Preferred stock has a 3.25% annual, cumulative cash dividend and is currently convertible into 4,110,128 shares of our common stock at an effective conversion price of approximately \$30.41 per share. The preferred stock is callable beginning in 2016 at a price of \$1,000 per share plus accrued interest and will mature in 2036. As of November 30, 2011, 10,000,000 shares of preferred stock were authorized and 125,000 shares of preferred stock were issued and outstanding. The dividend is recorded as a component of

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Interest expense as the Series A Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock is treated as debt for accounting purposes. The dividend is not deductible for tax purposes because the Series A Cumulative Convertible preferred stock is considered "equity" for tax purposes.

Note 15. Noncontrolling Interest and Mandatorily Redeemable Preferred Interests of Consolidated Subsidiaries

Noncontrolling Interests

Noncontrolling interests represents equity interests in consolidated subsidiaries that are not attributable, either directly or indirectly, to us (i.e., minority interests). Noncontrolling interests includes the minority equity holders' proportionate share of the equity of JSOP, JESOP and other consolidated entities. The following table presents noncontrolling interests at November 30, 2011 and 2010 (in thousands):

	Nov	vember 30,	No	vember 30,
		2011		2010
JSOP	\$	276,800	\$	282,469
JESOP		31,979		32,645
Other(1)		3,884		17,862
Noncontrolling interests	\$	312,663	\$	332,976

(1) Other includes consolidated asset management entities and investment vehicles set up for the benefit of our employees or clients.

Ownership interests in subsidiaries held by parties other than our common shareholders are presented as noncontrolling interests within stockholders' equity, separately from our own equity on the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition. Revenues, expenses, net earnings or loss, and other comprehensive income or loss are reported in the consolidated financial statements at the consolidated amounts, which includes amounts attributable to both owners of the parent and noncontrolling interests. Net earnings or loss and other comprehensive income or loss is then attributed to the parent and noncontrolling interests. Net earnings to noncontrolling interests is deducted from Net earnings in the Consolidated Statements of Earnings to determine Net earnings to common shareholders. There has been no other comprehensive income or loss attributed to noncontrolling interests for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and eleven months ended November 30, 2010, respectively, because all other comprehensive income or loss is attributed to us.

Mandatorily Redeemable Preferred Interests of Consolidated Subsidiaries

Certain interests in consolidated subsidiaries meet the definition of mandatorily redeemable financial instruments and require liability classification and remeasurement at the estimated amount of cash that would be due and payable to settle such interests under the applicable entity's organization agreement. These mandatorily redeemable financial instruments represent interests held in Jefferies High Yield Holdings, LLC ("JHYH"), which are entitled to a pro rata share of the profits and losses of JHYH and are scheduled to terminate in 2013, with an option to extend up to three additional one-year periods. Financial instruments issued by a subsidiary that are classified as equity in the subsidiary's financial statements are treated as noncontrolling interests in the consolidated financial statements. Therefore, these mandatorily redeemable financial instruments are reported within liabilities as Mandatorily redeemable preferred interests of consolidated subsidiaries on our Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition. In addition, changes to these mandatorily redeemable financial instruments of

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JHYH are reported in Net revenues and are reflected as Interest on mandatorily redeemable preferred interest of consolidated subsidiaries on our Consolidated Statements of Earnings. The carrying amount of the Mandatorily redeemable preferred interests of consolidated subsidiaries was approximately \$310.5 million and \$315.9 million at November 30, 2011 and 2010, respectively.

Note 16. Benefit Plans

U.S. Pension Plan

We have a defined benefit pension plan, Jefferies Employees' Pension Plan, which is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 and covers certain of our employees. Under the plan, benefits to participants are based on years of service and the employee's career average pay. As a minimum, amortization of a net gain or loss included in accumulated other comprehensive income (excluding asset gains and losses not yet reflected in market-related value) shall be included as a component of net pension cost for a year if, as of the beginning of the year, that net gain or loss exceeds 10% of the greater of the projected benefit obligation or the market-related value of plan assets, Effective December 31, 2005, benefits under the pension plan were frozen. Accordingly, there are no further benefit accruals for future service after December 31, 2005.

Employer Contributions — Our funding policy is to contribute to the plan at least the minimum amount required for funding purposes under applicable employee benefit and tax laws. For the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, we contributed \$2.0 million to the plan which is included in Compensation and Benefits on the Consolidated Statement of Earnings. We expect to contribute \$2.0 million to the plan in the year ended November 30, 2012.

The following tables summarize the changes in the projected benefit obligation, the fair value of the assets and the funded status of the plan (in thousands):

Change in Projected Benefit Obligation	Er	e Months aded er 30, 2011]	en Months Ended lber 30, 2010
Projected benefit obligation, beginning of period	\$	45,535	\$	43,750
Service cost		175		183
Interest cost		2,366		2,233
Actuarial losses		4,630		2,222
Administrative expenses paid		(201)		(154)
Benefits paid		(2,018)		(2,699)
Projected benefit obligation, end of period	\$	50,487	\$	45,535

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Change in plan assets		
Fair value of assets, beginning of period	\$ 35,086 \$	35,892
Employer contributions	2,000	
Benefit payments made	(2,018)	(2,699)
Administrative expenses paid	(201)	(154)
Actual return on plan assets	1,590	2,047
Fair value of assets, end of period	\$ 36,457 \$	35,086
Funded (deficit) at end of period	\$ (14,030) \$	(10,449)

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The amounts recognized in our Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition are as follows (in thousands):

	November 30,			
		2011		2010
Accumulated benefit obligation	\$	50,487	\$	45,535
Projected benefit obligation for service rendered to date		50,487		45,535
Plan assets, at fair value		36,457		35,086
Funded deficit		(14,030)		(10,449)
Unrecognized net loss		18,649		13,925
Prepaid benefit cost		4,619		3,476
Accumulated other comprehensive loss, before taxes		(18,649)		(13,925)
Pension liability	\$	(14,030)	\$	(10,449)

The following table summarizes the components of net periodic pension cost and other amounts recognized in other comprehensive income excluding taxes (in thousands):

Components of Net Periodic Pension Cost	E Nove	we Months Ended ember 30, 2011		ven Months Ended vember 30, 2010		Ended ecember 31, 2009
Service cost	\$	175	\$	183	\$	200
Interest cost on projected benefit obligation	·	2,366	·	2,233	·	2,586
Expected return on plan assets		(2,578)		(2,382)		(2,417)
Net amortization		894		635		906
Settlement losses(1)		_	_	_	_	835
Net periodic pension cost	\$	857	\$	669	\$	2,110

(1) Of the \$2.1 million in net periodic pension cost for the twelve months ended December 31, 2009, \$0.8 million is due to previously unrecognized losses associated with the projected pension obligation as the cost

of all settlements in 2009 for terminated employees exceeded current year interest and service costs.

	E Nove	ve Months Ended ember 30, 2011		ren Months Ended vember 30, 2010		Ended cember 31, 2009
Amounts Recognized in Other Comprehensive Income						
Net loss (gain) arising during the period	\$	5,618	\$	2,556	\$	(271)
Settlements during the period		_	_	_	_	(835)
Amortization of net loss		(894)		(635)		(906)
Total recognized in Other Comprehensive Income	\$	4,724	\$	1,921	\$	(2,012)
Net amount recognized in net periodic benefit cost and Other						
Comprehensive Income	\$	5,581	\$	2,590	\$	98

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On a weighted average basis, the following are assumptions used to determine the actuarial present value of the projected benefit obligation and net periodic pension benefit cost:

	Twelve Months	Eleven Months	Twelve Months
	Ended	Ended	Ended
	November 30,	November 30,	December 31,
	2011	2010	2009
Discount rate	4.75%	5.25%	5.75%
Expected long-term rate of return on plan assets	7.0%	7.5%	7.5%

The amounts in accumulated other comprehensive income that have not yet been recognized as components of net periodic benefit cost include \$18.6 million and \$13.9 million as of November 30, 2011 and 2010, respectively. During 2012, we expect to recognize an amortization of net loss of \$1.3 million as a component of net periodic benefit cost.

Expected Benefit Payments — Expected benefit payments for each of the next five fiscal years and in the aggregate for the five fiscal years thereafter are as follows (in thousands):

2012	\$ 2,534
2013	1,460
2014	1,883
2015	1,777
2016	3,741
2017 through 2021	13,097

Plan Assets — The following table presents the fair value of plan assets as of November 30, 2011 and 2010 by level within the fair value hierarchy (in thousands):

		As of November 30, 2011				
	Lev	el 1	Level 2		Total	
Plan assets(1):						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	795	\$	—\$	795	
Listed equity securities(2)	1	7,974			17,974	
Fixed income securities:						
Corporate debt securities		_	- 5,90	59	5,969	

Foreign corporate debt securities	_	927		927
U.S. government securities	4,325	_	_	4,325
Agency mortgage-backed securities	_	3,809		3,809
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	_	2,093		2,093
Asset-backed securities	_	547		547
Other		18		18
	\$ 23,094	\$ 13,363	\$	36,457

- (1) There are no plan assets classified within Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy.
- (2) Listed equity securities are diversified across a spectrum of primarily U.S. large-cap companies.

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	As of November 30, 2010					
	I	Level 1	Level 2		Total	
Plan assets (1):						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	539	\$	—\$	539	
Listed equity securities(2)		17,804		_	17,804	
Fixed income securities:						
Corporate debt securities		_	5,84	1	5,841	
Foreign corporate debt securities		_	1,01	7	1,017	
U.S. government securities		4,607			4,607	
Agency mortgage-backed securities		_	3,23	4	3,234	
Commercial mortgage-backed securities		_	1,38	5	1,385	
Asset-backed securities		_	58	2	582	
Other		_	7	7	77	
	\$	22,950	\$ 12,13	6 \$	35,086	

- (1) There are no plan assets classified within Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy.
- (2) Listed equity securities are diversified across a spectrum of primarily U.S. large-cap companies.

Valuation technique and inputs — The following is a description of the valuation techniques and inputs used in measuring plan assets accounted for at fair value on a recurring basis:

- Cash equivalents are valued at cost, which approximates fair value and are categorized in Level 1 of the fair value hierarchy;
- Listed equity securities are valued using the quoted prices in active markets for identical assets;
- Fixed income securities:
 - Corporate debt, mortgage- and asset-backed securities and other securities valuations use data readily available to all market participants and use inputs available for substantially the full term of the security. Valuation inputs include benchmark yields, reported trades, broker dealer quotes, issuer spreads, two sided markets, benchmark securities, bids, offers, reference data, and industry and economic events;

• U.S. government and agency securities valuations generally include quoted bid prices in active markets for identical or similar assets.

Investment Policies and Strategies — Assets in the plan are invested under guidelines adopted by the Administrative Committee of the Plan. Because the Plan exists to provide a vehicle for funding future benefit obligations, the investment objectives of the portfolio take into account the nature and timing of future plan liabilities. The policy recognizes that the portfolio's long-term investment performance and its ability to meet the plan's overall objectives are dependent on the strategic asset allocation which includes adequate diversification among assets classes.

The target allocation of plan assets for 2012 is approximately 50% equities and 50% fixed income securities. The target asset allocation was determined based on the risk tolerance characteristics of the plan and, at times, may be adjusted to achieve the plan's investment objective and to minimize any concentration of

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investment risk. The Administrative Committee evaluates the asset allocation strategy and adjusts the allocation if warranted based upon market conditions and the impact of the investment strategy on future contribution requirements. The expected long-term rate of return assumption is based on an analysis of historical experience of the portfolio and the summation of prospective returns for each asset class in proportion to the fund's current asset allocation.

The equity portfolio may invest up to 5% of the market value of the portfolio in any one company and may invest up to 10% of the market value of the portfolio in any one sector or up to two times the percentage weighting of any one sector as defined by the S&P 500 or the Russell 1000 Value indices, whichever is higher. Permissible investments specified under the equity portfolio of the plan include equity securities of U.S. and non-U.S. incorporated entities and private placement securities issued pursuant to Rule 144A. At least 75% of the market value of the fixed income portfolio must be invested in investment grade securities rated BBB-/Baa3, including cash and cash equivalents. Permissible investments specified under the fixed income portfolio of the plan include: public or private debt obligations issued or guaranteed by U.S. or foreign issuers; preferred, hybrid, mortgage or asset-backed securities; senior loans; and derivatives and foreign currency exchange contracts.

German Pension Plan

In connection with the acquisition of the Global Commodities Group from Prudential on July 1, 2011, we acquired a defined benefits pension plan located in Germany (the "German Pension Plan") for the benefit of eligible employees of Bache in that territory. As part of purchase accounting, a liability of \$21.8 million was recognized on July 1, 2011 as a pension obligation within Accrued expenses and other liabilities. The German Pension Plan has no plan assets and is therefore unfunded, however, the German Pension Plan is reinsured by insurance contracts held in the name of Jefferies Bache Limited with multi-national insurers. The investment in these insurance contracts is not a part of plan assets and is included in Financial instruments owned – Investments at fair value in the Consolidated Statement of Financial Condition and have a fair value of \$18.9 million at November 30, 2011. We expect to pay to the pension liability of \$19.8 million from cash flows available to us under the reinsurance contracts. All costs relating to the plan (including insurance premiums and other costs as computed by the insurers) must be paid by us. In connection with the acquisition, it was agreed with Prudential that any insurance premiums and funding obligations related to pre-acquisition date service will be reimbursed to us by Prudential.

The provisions and assumptions used in the German Pension Plan are based on local conditions in Germany. We did not contribute to the plan during the five months ended November 30, 2011.

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The following tables summarize the changes in the projected benefit obligation and the components of net periodic pension cost for the five months ended November 30, 2011 (in thousands):

Change in Projected Benefit Obligation	Nove	onths Ended ember 30, 2011
Projected benefit obligation, July 1, 2011	\$	21,840
Service cost	Ψ	15
Interest cost		434
Actuarial gain		(414)
Benefits paid		(471)
Currency adjustment		(1,605)
Projected benefit obligation, November 30, 2011	\$	19,799
,		
Components of Nat Pariodia Pansion Cost	Nov	Sonths Ended ember 30, 2011
Components of Net Periodic Pension Cost	Φ	1.5
Service cost	\$	15
Interest cost on projected benefit obligation		434
	Ф	4.40
Net periodic pension cost	\$	449

The Accumulated Benefit Obligation at November 30, 2011 is \$19.8 million. The amount in accumulated other comprehensive income at November 30, 2011 is a credit of \$287,000. The following are assumptions used to determine the actuarial present value of the projected benefit obligation and net periodic pension benefit cost for the five month period ended November 30, 2011:

Projected	Net periodic
benefit	pension benefit

	obligation	cost
Discount rate	5.60%	5.30%
Rate of compensation increase	3.00%	3.00%

Expected Benefit Payments — Expected benefit payments for each of the next five fiscal years and in the aggregate for the five fiscal years thereafter are as follows (in thousands):

2012	\$ 1,176
2013	1,198
2014 2015 2016	1,271
2015	1,310 1,349
2016	1,349
2017 through 2021	6,743

Note 17. Compensation Plans

We sponsor the following share-based compensation plans: incentive compensation plan, director plan, employee stock purchase plan and the deferred compensation plan. The fair value of share based awards is estimated on the date of grant based on the market price of our common stock less the impact of selling restrictions subsequent to vesting, if any, and is amortized as compensation expense over the related requisite service periods.

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Total compensation cost related to share-based compensation plans was \$136.0 million, \$151.1 million and \$126.7 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively. The net tax benefit (deficiency) related to share-based compensation plans recognized in additional paid-in capital was \$32.2 million, \$3.0 million and (\$14.6) million during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively. Cash flows resulting from tax deductions in excess of the grant date fair value of share-based awards are included in cash flows from financing activities; accordingly, we reflected the excess tax benefit of \$34.6 million, \$2.4 million and \$12.4 million related to share-based compensation in cash flows from financing activities for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively. Effective for the eleven months ended November 30, 2010, we changed our tax year end to coincide with the recent change in our fiscal year end. As a result of this change, the timing of certain deductions related to share-based compensation plans have changed in certain jurisdictions. Consequently, approximately \$19.7 million of the net tax benefit recognized in additional paid-in capital during the three months ended February 28, 2011 relates to share-based compensation awards that vested during the eleven months ended November 30, 2010. Additionally, we expect to recognize a net tax benefit of \$21.4 million related to share-based compensation awards that vested during January through November 2011 in additional paid-in capital during the three month period ending February 29, 2012.

As of November 30, 2011, we had \$199.3 million of total unrecognized compensation cost related to nonvested share-based awards, which is expected to be recognized over a remaining weighted average vesting period of approximately 3.3 years. We have historically and generally expect to issue new shares of common stock when satisfying our issuance obligations pursuant to share based awards, as opposed to reissuing shares from our treasury stock.

In addition, we sponsor nonshare-based compensation plans. Nonshare-based compensation plans sponsored by us include an employee stock ownership plan, a profit sharing plan, and other forms of deferred cash awards.

The following are descriptions of the compensation plans sponsored by us and the activity of such plans for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009:

Incentive Compensation Plan. We have an Incentive Compensation Plan ("Incentive Plan") which allows awards in the form of incentive stock options (within the meaning of Section 422 of the Internal Revenue Code), nonqualified stock options, stock appreciation rights, restricted stock, unrestricted stock, performance awards, restricted stock units, dividend equivalents or other share-based awards. The plan imposes a limit on the number of shares of our common stock that may be subject to awards. An award relating to shares may be granted if the aggregate number of shares subject to then outstanding awards (as defined in the Incentive Plan) plus the number of shares subject to the award being granted do not exceed 30% of the number of shares issued and outstanding immediately prior to the grant.

Restricted Stock and Restricted Stock Units

The Incentive Plan allows for grants of restricted stock awards, whereby employees are granted restricted shares of common stock subject to forfeiture. The Incentive Plan also allows for grants of restricted stock units. Restricted stock units give a participant the right to receive fully vested shares at the end of a specified deferral period. One advantage of restricted stock units, as compared to restricted stock, is that the period during which

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the award is deferred as to settlement can be extended past the date the award becomes nonforfeitable, allowing a participant to hold an interest tied to common stock on a tax deferred basis. Prior to settlement, restricted stock units carry no voting or dividend rights associated with the stock ownership, but dividend equivalents are accrued to the extent there are dividends declared on our common stock.

We grant restricted stock and restricted stock units as part of year-end compensation. Restricted stock and restricted stock units granted as part of year-end compensation are not subject to service requirements that employees must fulfill in exchange for the right to those awards. As such, employees who terminate their employment or are terminated without cause may continue to vest in year-end compensation awards, so long as the awards are not forfeited as a result of the other forfeiture provisions of those awards (e.g. competition). We determined that the service inception date precedes the grant date for restricted stock and restricted stock units granted as part of year-end compensation, and, as such, the compensation expense associated with these awards is accrued over the one-year period prior to the grant date. For the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, we recognized compensation expense of \$64.0 million related to restricted stock and restricted stock units of approximately 6,339,000 and 16,000, respectively, granted as part of our 2011 year end compensation. For the eleven months ended November 30, 2010, we recognized compensation expense of \$114.7 million related to restricted stock and restricted stock units of approximately 5,062,000 and 127,000, respectively, granted as part of our 2010 year end compensation. For the twelve months ended December 31, 2009, we recognized compensation expense of \$126.5 million related to restricted stock and restricted stock units of approximately 5,384,000 and 215,000, respectively, granted as part of our 2009 year end compensation.

For 2011, we offered our employees the option to receive the stock portion of their year-end compensation in the form of either shares or cash, with the cash amount being equal to 75% of the grant-date amount of the stock that an employee would otherwise receive. The election resulted in a decrease to share-based compensation expense of approximately \$23.3 million, as certain employees elected to receive reduced cash awards lieu of the full grant-date amount of the shares. This offset increased cash compensation expense by approximately \$17.5 million. The net effect of this election on total compensation and benefits expense was a reduction of approximately \$5.8 million. While these cash awards were fully expensed in 2011, they will legally vest in future periods.

In addition to year end compensation awards, we grant restricted stock and restricted stock units to new employees as "sign-on" awards, to existing employees as "retention" awards and to certain executive officers as awards for multiple years. Sign-on and retention awards are generally subject to annual ratable vesting upon a four year service requirement and are amortized as compensation expense on a straight line basis over the related four years. Restricted stock and restricted stock units are granted to certain senior executives with both performance and service conditions. We amortize these awards granted to senior executives over the service period as we have determined it is probable that the performance condition will be achieved.

The total compensation cost associated with restricted stock and restricted stock units amounted to \$134.1 million, \$149.8 million and \$125.1 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively. Total compensation cost includes year-end compensation and the amortization of sign-on, retention and senior executive awards, less forfeitures and clawbacks.

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The following table details the activity of restricted stock (amounts in thousands, except per share data):

Restricted stock	Twelve Months Ended November 30, 2011	Ave	C
Balance, beginning of period	4,918	\$	22.82
Grants(1)	12,222	\$	13.75
Forfeited	(92)	\$	23.30
Fulfillment of service requirement(1)	(8,016)	\$	13.23
Balance, end of period(2)	9,032	\$	19.05

- (1) Includes approximately 6.8 million shares of restricted stock granted with no future service requirements during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011. These shares are shown as granted and vested during the period. The weighted average grant date fair value of these shares was approximately \$11.60.
- (2) Represents restricted stock with a future service requirement.

The following table details the activity of restricted stock units (amounts in thousands, except per share data):

	Twelve Months Ended November 30, 2011			_	ed Average te Fair Value		
	Future No Future			Future	No	Future	
	Service Service		Service		e Servi		
	Required	Required		Required Requi		equired	
Restricted stock units		-					
Balance, beginning of period	3,998	24,730	\$	24.04	\$	14.74	
Grants	1,377	480(1)	\$	20.97	\$	18.40	
Distribution of underlying shares	— (6,315)		\$	_	-\$	17.00	
Forfeited	(15)	(293)	\$	16.54	\$	19.07	
Fulfillment of service requirement	(392)	392	\$	20.04	\$	20.04	

Balance, end of period 4,968 18,994 \$ 23.53 \$ 14.12

(1) Includes approximately 441,000 dividend equivalents declared on restricted stock units during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011. The weighted average grant date fair value of these dividend equivalents was approximately \$18.42.

The aggregate fair value of restricted stock and restricted stock units granted with a service requirement that vested during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and eleven months ended November 30, 2010 was \$32.7 million and \$11.4 million, respectively. There were no restricted stock and restricted stock units granted with a service requirement that vested during 2009. In addition, we granted restricted stock and restricted stock units with no future service requirements (excluding dividend equivalents) with an aggregate fair value of \$79.7 million, \$120.2 million and \$137.0 million during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively.

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Stock Options

The fair value of all option grants were estimated on the date of grant using the Black-Scholes option-pricing model with the following weighted-average assumptions used for all fixed option grants in 2004: dividend yield of 0.9%; expected volatility of 32.6%; risk free interest rates of 3.0%; and expected lives of 4.8 years. There are no option grants subsequent to 2004. A summary of our stock option activity for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 is presented below (amounts in thousands, except per share data):

	Twelve Months Ended			
	November 30, 2011			
		We	ighted	
	Average			
	Options	ise Price		
Outstanding at beginning of period	26	\$	9.89	
Exercised	(12)	\$	8.03	
Outstanding at end of period	14	\$	11.44	
Options exercisable at end of period	14	\$	11.44	

The total intrinsic value of stock options exercised during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009 was \$161,000, \$449,000 and \$94,000, respectively. Cash received from the exercise of stock options during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009 totaled \$95,000, \$108,000 and \$69,000, respectively. We did not realize a tax benefit related to stock options exercised during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, and expect to realize a tax benefit of \$61,000 related to these exercises during the first quarter 2012. During the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, we realized a tax benefit of \$169,000 related to stock option exercises that occurred during the eleven months ended November 30, 2010 (see above for discussion on the timing of certain deductions as a result of our change in year-end). There was no tax benefit related to stock option exercises realized during the eleven months ended November 30, 2010. The tax benefit realized during the twelve months ended December 31, 2009 related stock options exercised was \$38,000.

The table below provides additional information related to stock options outstanding at November 30, 2011:

November 30, 2011 Outstanding, Options

Net of Expected

Exercisable

Forfeitures
Dollars and shares in thousands,
except per share data

Number of options
14
14
Weighted-average exercise price
11.44
Aggregate intrinsic value
0
0
0
Weighted-average remaining contractual term, in years
0.86

At November 30, 2011, we do not expect to recognize a tax benefits in equity upon exercise of vested options.

Directors' Plan. We have a Directors' Stock Compensation Plan ("Directors' Plan") which provides for an annual grant to each nonemployee director of \$100,000 of restricted stock or deferred shares (which are similar to restricted stock units). These grants are made automatically on the date directors are elected or reelected at our annual shareholders' meeting. These grants vest three years after the date of grant and are expensed over the requisite service period.

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Additionally, the Directors' Plan permits each nonemployee director to elect to be paid annual retainer fees, meeting fees and fees for service as chairman of a Board committee in the form of cash, deferred cash or deferred shares. If deferred cash is elected, interest is credited to such deferred cash at the prime interest rate in effect at the date of each annual meeting of stockholders. If deferred shares are elected, dividend equivalents equal to dividends declared and paid on our common stock are credited to a director's account and reinvested as additional deferred shares. The cost related to this plan, included within Other expenses on the Consolidated Statement of Earnings, was \$1.6 million, \$1.2 million and \$1.0 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively.

Employee Stock Purchase Plan. We also have an Employee Stock Purchase Plan ("ESPP") which we consider noncompensatory effective January 1, 2007. All regular full time employees and employees who work part time over 20 hours per week are eligible for the ESPP. Annual employee contributions are limited to \$21,250, are voluntary, are made via payroll deduction and are used to purchase our common stock. The stock price used is 95% of the closing price of our common stock on the last day of the applicable session (monthly).

Deferred Compensation Plan. We also have a Deferred Compensation Plan, which was established in 2001. In 2011, 2010 and 2009, employees with annual compensation of \$200,000 or more were eligible to defer compensation on a pre-tax basis by investing in our common stock at a discount ("DCP shares") and/or stock options (prior to 2004) or by specifying the return in other alternative investments. We often invest directly, as a principal, in such investment alternatives related to our obligations to perform under the Deferred Compensation Plan. The compensation deferred by our employees is expensed in the period earned. The change in fair value of the specified other alternative investments are recognized in Principal transactions and changes in the corresponding deferral compensation liability are reflected as Compensation and benefits expense in our Consolidated Statements of Earnings.

Additionally, we recognize compensation cost related to the discount provided to employees in electing to defer compensation in DCP shares. This compensation cost was approximately \$0.3 million, \$0.1 million and \$0.6 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively. As of November 30, 2011, there were approximately 2,417,000 shares issuable under the DCP Plan.

Employee Stock Ownership Plan. We have an Employee Stock Ownership Plan ("ESOP") which was established in 1988. We had no contributions and no compensation cost related to the ESOP during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009.

Profit Sharing Plan . We have a profit sharing plan, covering substantially all employees, which includes a salary reduction feature designed to qualify under Section 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code. The compensation cost related to this plan was \$6.0 million, \$5.0 million and \$4.5 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011,

eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively.

Deferred Cash Awards. We provide compensation to new and existing employees in the form of loans and/or other cash awards which are subject to ratable vesting terms with service requirements ranging from one to ten years. We amortize these awards to compensation expense over the relevant service period. At November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, the remaining unamortized amount of these awards was \$211.4 million and \$104.1 million, respectively. In addition, as part of 2011 year end compensation, deferred cash awards were granted that will be disbursed and amortized subsequent to November 30, 2011.

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Note 18. Earnings per Share

The following is a reconciliation of the numerators and denominators of the Basic and Diluted earnings per common share computations for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009 (in thousands, except per share amounts):

Tourings for basis comings non common shores		Ended vember 30, 2011		ven Months Ended vember 30, 2010		Elve Months Ended cember 31, 2009
Earnings for basic earnings per common share: Net earnings	\$	286,368	\$	240,267	\$	311,819
e	Ф		Ф		Ф	
Net earnings to noncontrolling interests		1,750		16,601		36,537
Not comings to common shougholdons		284,618		223,666		275,282
Net earnings to common shareholders						
Less: Allocation of earnings to participating securities(1)		13,822		8,069		2,272
N. 4	ф	270.706	ф	215 507	ф	272.010
Net earnings available to common shareholders	\$	270,796	\$	215,597	\$	273,010
Earnings for diluted earnings per common share:	Φ.	206.260	ф	240.265	ф	211.010
Net earnings	\$	286,368	\$	240,267	\$	311,819
Net earnings to noncontrolling interests		1,750		16,601		36,537
Net earnings to common shareholders		284,618		223,666		275,282
Add: Convertible preferred stock dividends		4,063		3,724		4,063
Less: Allocation of earnings to participating securities(1)		13,823		8,084		2,260
Net earnings available to common shareholders	\$	274,858	\$	219,306	\$	277,085
Shares:						
Average common shares used in basic computation		211,056		196,393		200,446
Stock options		7		13		21
		4,108		4,105		4,105
Convertible debt		_	_	_	_	_
Average common shares used in diluted computation		215,171		200,511		204,572
Shares: Average common shares used in basic computation Stock options Mandatorily redeemable convertible preferred stock Convertible debt	\$	211,056 7 4,108	\$	196,393 13 4,105	\$	200,446 21 4,105

Earnings per common share:			
Basic	\$ 1.28 \$	1.10 \$	1.36
Diluted	\$ 1.28 \$	1.09 \$	1.35

(1) Represents dividends declared during the period on participating securities plus an allocation of undistributed earnings to participating securities. Losses are not allocated to participating securities. Participating securities represent restricted stock and restricted stock units for which requisite service has not yet been rendered and amounted to weighted average shares of 10,667,000, 7,285,000 and 1,668,000 for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively. Dividends declared on participating securities during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and eleven months ended November 30, 2010 amounted to approximately \$3.4 million and \$2.3 million, respectively. No dividends were declared during 2009. Undistributed earnings are allocated to participating securities based upon their right to share in earnings if all earnings for the period had been distributed.

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Restrictions on our present ability to pay dividends on our common stock are the dividend preference terms of our Series A convertible preferred stock, certain financial covenants associated with the \$950.0 million Credit Facility as described in Note 13, Long-Term Debt, and the governing provisions of the Delaware General Corporation Law.

Dividends per Common Share (declared):

		1st		2nd		3rd		4th
	Q	uarter	Q	uarter	Q	uarter	Q	uarter
2011	\$	0.075	\$	0.075	\$	0.075	\$	0.075
2010	\$	0.075	\$	0.075	\$	0.075	\$	0.075

On December 19, 2011, a quarterly dividend was declared of \$0.075 per share of common stock payable on February 15, 2012 to stockholders of record as of January 17, 2012.

Note 19. Income Taxes

Total income taxes for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009 were allocated as follows (in thousands):

	 elve Months Ended ovember 30, 2011	 ven Months Ended evember 30, 2010	Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2009	
Income tax expense	\$ 132,966	\$ 156,404	\$	195,928
Stockholders' equity, for compensation expense for tax purposes (in excess of)/ less than amounts recognized for financial				
reporting purposes	(32,200)	(2,965)		14,606
	\$ 100,766	\$ 153,439	\$	210,534

Income tax expense (benefit) for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009 consists of the following (in thousands):

Twelve Months Eleven Months Twelve Months

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Current:	No	Ended evember 30, 2011	No	Ended vember 30, 2010	De	Ended ecember 31, 2009
Federal	\$	65,702	\$	123,352	\$	128,506
State and local	φ	28,644	ψ	36,379	Ψ	34,191
Foreign		8,443		(7,716)		23,084
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		102,789		152,015		185,781
Deferred:						
Federal		7,637		(15,275)		17,032
State and local		(694)		388		8,018
Foreign		23,234		19,276		(14,903)
		30,177		4,389		10,147
	\$	132,966	\$	156,404	\$	195,928

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Income taxes differed from the amounts computed by applying the Federal statutory income tax rate of 35% for 2011, 2010 and 2009 as a result of the following (in thousands):

	Twelve M Ende Novembe 2011	nded nber 30,			Eleven Months Ended November 30, 2010				Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2009			
	Amount	Perc	ent	1	Amount	Per	cent	A	Amount	Per	cent	
Computed expected income taxes	\$ 146,767		35.0%	\$	138,835		35.0%	\$	177,711		35.0%	
Increase (decrease) in income taxes resulting from:												
State and city income taxes, net of Federal income tax												
benefit	18,168		4.3		23,899		6.0		27,436		5.4	
Bargain purchase gain on the acquisition of the Global Commodities Group	(18,363)		(4.4)			-			_	_		
Noncontrolling interest, not	(10,505)		()									
subject to tax	(613)		(0.1)		(5,810)		(1.5)		(12,788)		(2.5)	
Foreign income	(11,736)		(2.8)		525		0.1		388		0.1	
Other, net	(1,257)		(0.3)		(1,045)		(0.2)		3,181		0.6	
Total income taxes	\$ 132,966		31.7%	\$	156,404		39.4%	\$	195,928		38.6%	

The following table presents a reconciliation of gross unrecognized tax benefits for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009 (in thousands):

		Twelve Months Ended November 30, 2011		Eleven Months Ended November 30, 2010		Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2009	
Balance at beginning of period	\$	52,852	\$	24,153	\$	13,485	
Increases based on tax positions related to the current period		14,159		22,198		10,769	
Increases based on tax positions related to prior periods		14,696		6,753		1,136	

Decreases based on tax positions related to prior periods	(1,808)	(252)	_
Decreases related to settlements with taxing authorities	(120)	_	(969)
Decreases related to a lapse of applicable statute of limitations		<u> </u>	(268)
Balance at end of period	\$ 79,779 \$	52,852 \$	24,153

The total amount of unrecognized benefits that, if recognized, would affect the effective tax rate was \$52.3 million, \$34.3 million and \$15.7 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively. Interest related to income tax liabilities is recognized in Interest expense. Penalties, if any, are recognized in Other expenses. Net, interest expense related to income tax liabilities was \$4.4 million, \$2.0 million, and \$0.7 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively. In addition to the liability for unrecognized tax benefits, we had interest accrued of approximately \$10.8 million, \$6.4 million and \$4.4 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011,

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eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively, included in Accrued expenses and other liabilities. No material penalties were accrued.

We are currently under examination by the Internal Revenue Service and other major tax jurisdictions. We do not expect that resolution of these examinations will have a material effect on our consolidated financial position, but could have a material impact on the consolidated results of operations for the period in which resolution occurs. It is reasonably possible that, within the next twelve months, various tax examinations will be concluded and statutes of limitation will expire. These events could have the combined effect of reducing the November 30, 2011 balance of unrecognized tax benefits by \$22.5 million, whether resolution results in payment or recognition. It is also reasonably possible that the balance of unrecognized tax benefits could increase significantly during the next twelve months for tax positions related to that period.

We are subject to U.S. Federal income tax as well as income tax in multiple state and foreign jurisdictions. The table below summarizes the earliest tax years that are subject to examination in the major tax jurisdictions in which we operate:

Jurisdiction	Tax Year
United States	2006
United Kingdom	2008
California	2004
Connecticut	2000
Massachusetts	2006
New Jersey	2007
New York State	2001
New York City	2003

The cumulative tax effects of temporary differences that give rise to significant portions of the deferred tax assets and liabilities at November 30, 2011 and 2010 are presented below (in thousands):

		Novem	30,	
	2011 20		2010	
Deferred tax assets:				
Compensation	\$	390,831	\$	386,702
Net operating loss		12,384		19,074
Other		31,732		34,707
Sub-total Sub-total		434,947		440,483

Valuation allowance	(11,950)	(8,326)
Total deferred tax assets	422,997	432,157
Deferred tax liabilities:		
Long-term debt	31,727	30,889
Amortization of intangibles	52,623	45,663
Other	27,575	16,759
Total deferred tax liabilities	111,925	93,311
Net deferred tax asset, included in other assets	\$ 311,072	\$ 338,846

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A valuation allowance of \$12.0 million and \$8.3 million was recorded at November 30, 2011 and 2010, respectively, and represents the portion of our deferred tax assets for which it is more likely than not that the benefit of such items will not be realized. Such valuation allowances increased by approximately \$3.7 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011. We believe that the realization of the net deferred tax asset of \$311.0 million is more likely than not based on expectations of future taxable income in the jurisdictions in which we operate.

At November 30, 2011, we had loss carryforwards in Japan and the United Kingdom of approximately \$23.1 million. The Japanese losses begin to expire in the year 2013 while the United Kingdom losses have an unlimited carryforward period. The deferred tax assets related to these losses have been fully offset by a valuation allowance.

There is a current tax receivable (net) of \$68.9 million and a current tax payable of \$25.5 million at November 30, 2011 and 2010, respectively.

At November 30, 2011, we had approximately \$85.3 million of earnings attributable to foreign subsidiaries for which no U.S. Federal income tax provision has been recorded because these earnings are permanently invested abroad. It is not practicable to determine the amount of U.S. income tax that would be due if all foreign earnings were repatriated.

Note 20. Commitments, Contingencies and Guarantees

Commitments

The following table summarizes our commitments associated with our capital market and asset management business activities at November 30, 2011 (in millions):

	Expected Maturity Date										
						2014		2016	2018		
						and		and	and	M	laximum
		2012		2013		2015		2017	Later		Payout
Equity commitments	\$	0.7	\$	1.3	\$	8.4	\$	—\$	585.1	\$	595.5
Loan commitments		44.7		76.7		418.3		19.9	42.8		602.4
Mortgage-related											
commitments		437.6		_	_	990.2			_	_	1,427.8
Forward starting repos		424.3		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	424.3
	\$	907.3	\$	78.0	\$	1,416.9	\$	19.9 \$	627.9	\$	3,050.0

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The table below presents our credit exposure from our lending commitments, including funded amounts, summarized by period of expiration as of November 30, 2011. Credit exposure is based on the external credit ratings of the underlyings or referenced assets of our loan commitments. Since commitments associated with these business activities may expire unused, they do not necessarily reflect the actual future cash funding requirements (in millions):

						reater	Total Corporate		Corporate Lending		L	orporate ending
	0	- 12		1 - 5	Than		Lending		Exposure at		Con	nmitments
Credit Ratings	Me	onths		Years	5	Years	Exp	osure(1)	Fair	Value(2)		(3)
A	\$	10.0	\$	_	-\$	20.0	\$	30.0	\$	0.5	\$	29.5
BBB		15.0		42.2		_	_	57.2		3.8		53.4
Non-investment grade		32.6		69.6		40.0		142.2		27.4		114.8
Unrated		_	_	638.6		_	_	638.6		233.9		404.7
Total	\$	57.6	\$	750.4	\$	60.0	\$	868.0	\$	265.6	\$	602.4

- (1) Total corporate lending exposure represents the potential loss assuming the fair value of funded loans and lending commitments were zero.
- (2) The corporate lending exposure carried at fair value includes \$265.6 million of funded loans included in Financial instruments owned Loans and a \$4.8 million credit related to lending commitments recorded in Financial instruments sold Derivatives in the Consolidated Statement of Financial Condition as of November 30, 2011.
- (3) Amounts represent the notional amount of lending commitments less the amount of funded commitments reflected in the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition.

Equity Commitments. On October 7, 2004, we entered into an agreement with Babson Capital and MassMutual to form JFIN. At November 30, 2010, the total committed equity capital of JFIN was \$500.0 million, to be funded equally by each partner. On March 1, 2011, we and MassMutual increased our equity commitments to JFIN, with an incremental \$250.0 million to be committed by each partner. As of November 30, 2011, we have funded \$107.5 million of our aggregate \$500.0 million commitment leaving \$392.5 million unfunded.

On February 23, 2011, we entered into a joint venture agreement with the Government of Singapore Investment Corporation to form LoanCore, a commercial real estate finance company with \$600.0 million in initial equity commitments. As of November 30, 2011, we have funded \$168.4 million of our \$291.0 million equity commitment in

LoanCore.

At November 30, 2011, we have committed to invest \$5.9 million in Jefferies Capital Partners LLC, the manager of Jefferies Capital Partners V L.P., Jefferies Capital Partners IV L.P. and the USA Fund. As of November 30, 2011, we have funded approximately \$1.0 million of our commitment to Jefferies Capital Partners LLC.

We have committed to invest in aggregate up to \$85.0 million in Jefferies Capital Partners V L.P. and its related parallel funds (collectively, "Fund V"). Fund V is a private equity fund managed by a team led by Brian P. Friedman, one of our directors and Chairman of the Executive Committee. On July 26, 2010, we entered into a Subscription Agreement and agreed to commit up to \$75.0 million in the USA Fund, a parallel fund within Fund V. As of November 30, 2011, we have funded approximately \$17.9 million of our commitment to the USA Fund.

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On August 12, 2010, we entered into a Subscription Agreement and agreed to commit up to \$10.0 million in Fund V. As of November 30, 2011, we have funded \$2.4 million of this commitment.

We have committed to invest up to \$45.9 million in Jefferies Capital Partners IV L.P.. As of November 30, 2011, we have funded approximately \$41.4 million of this commitment. We have also committed to invest up to \$3.1 million in JCP IV LLC, the General Partner, of Jefferies Capital Partners IV L.P. As of November 30, 2011, we have funded approximately \$2.1 million of this commitment.

As of November 30, 2011, we had other equity commitments to invest up to \$5.0 million in various other investments.

Loan Commitments. From time to time we make commitments to extend credit to investment banking and other clients in loan syndication, acquisition finance and securities transactions. These commitments and any related drawdowns of these facilities typically have fixed maturity dates and are contingent on certain representations, warranties and contractual conditions applicable to the borrower. As of November 30, 2011, we had \$247.8 million of loan commitments outstanding to clients. The fair value of loan commitments recorded as derivatives in the Consolidated Statement of Financial Condition was a liability of \$4.8 million at November 30, 2011.

On March 1, 2011, we and MassMutual entered into a \$1.0 billion secured revolving credit facility with JFIN, to be funded equally, to support loan underwritings by JFIN. The facility is scheduled to mature on March 1, 2014 with automatic one year extensions subject to a 60 day termination notice by either party. As of November 30, 2011, we have funded \$155.0 million of the aggregate principal balance and \$345.0 million of our commitment remained unfunded.

We entered into a credit agreement with Jefferies Employee Partners IV, LLC, a related party, whereby we are committed to extend loans up to the maximum aggregate principal amount of \$54.0 million. As of November 30, 2011, we funded approximately \$44.3 million of the aggregate principal balance, which is included in Loans to and investments in related parties in our Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition and \$9.7 million of our commitment remained unfunded.

The unfunded loan commitments to JFIN and Jefferies Employee Partners IV, LLC of \$354.7 million are unrated and are included in the total unrated lending commitments of \$404.7 million presented in the table above.

Mortgage-Related Commitments. We enter into forward contracts to purchase mortgage participation certificates and mortgage-backed securities. The mortgage participation certificates evidence interests in mortgage loans insured by the Federal Housing Administration and the mortgage-backed securities are insured or guaranteed by the Federal National Mortgage Association (Fannie Mae), the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation (Freddie Mac) or the Government National Mortgage Association (Ginnie Mae). We frequently securitize the mortgage participation certificates and mortgage-backed securities. The fair value of mortgage-related commitments recorded in the Consolidated Statement of Financial Condition was \$77.1 million at November 30, 2011.

Forward Starting Repos. We enter into commitments to sell securities with agreements to repurchase on a forward starting basis that are primarily secured by U.S. government, agency and municipal securities.

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Leases. As lessee, we lease certain premises and equipment under noncancelable agreements expiring at various dates through 2022 which are operating leases. At November 30, 2011, future minimum aggregate lease payments for all noncancelable operating leases for fiscal years ended November 30, 2012 through 2016 and the aggregate amount thereafter, are as follows (in thousands):

Fiscal Year	Gross Sub-Leases		o-Leases	Net
2012	\$ 60,330	\$	6,118	\$ 54,212
2013	57,009		5,437	51,572
2014	48,849		4,988	43,861
2015	27,887		2,372	25,515
2016	24,413		2,221	22,192
Thereafter	94,459		300	94,159
Total	\$ 312,947	\$	21,436	\$ 291,511

Rental expense, net of subleases, amounted to \$44.3 million, \$36.2 million and \$44.6 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and the twelve months ended December 31, 2009, respectively.

Guarantees

Derivative Contracts. Our dealer activities cause us to make markets and trade in a variety of derivative instruments. Certain derivative contracts that we have entered into meet the accounting definition of a guarantee under U.S. GAAP, including credit default swaps and written equity put options. On certain of these contracts, such as written interest rate caps and foreign currency options, the maximum payout cannot be quantified since the increase in interest or foreign exchange rates are not contractually limited by the terms of the contract. As such, we have disclosed notional values as a measure of our maximum potential payout under these contracts.

The following table summarizes the notional amounts associated with our derivative contracts meeting the definition of a guarantee under U.S. GAAP at November 30, 2011 (in millions).

	Expected Maturity Date									
			2014	2016	2018	Notional/				
			and	and	and	Maximum				
Guarantee Type	2012	2013	2015	2017	Later	Payout				
	\$ 32,826.7	\$ 1,154.7	\$ 47,140.2	\$	—\$	 \$ 81,121.6				

Derivative contracts —								
non-credit related								
Derivative contracts — credit								
related	_	_	_	_	5.0	270.3	40.0	315.3
Total derivative contracts	\$ 32,826.7	\$	1,154.7	\$	47,145.2	\$ 270.3	\$ 40.0	\$ 81,436.9

At November 30, 2011 the external credit ratings of the underlyings or referenced assets for our credit related derivatives contracts (in millions):

	External Credit Rating											
	AAA/ AA/ Investment Aaa Aa A Grade Unrated						nrated	Notional/ Maximum Payout				
Credit related derivative contracts:											,	
Index credit default swaps	\$ 20.0	\$	10.0	\$	235.0	\$	10.0	\$	40.3	\$	315.3	

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The derivative contracts deemed to meet the definition of a guarantee under U.S. GAAP are before consideration of hedging transactions and only reflect a partial or "one-sided" component of any risk exposure. Written equity options and written credit default swaps are often executed in a strategy that is in tandem with long cash instruments (e.g., equity and debt securities). We substantially mitigate our exposure to market risk on these contracts through hedges, such as other derivative contracts and/or cash instruments and we manage the risk associated with these contracts in the context of our overall risk management framework. We believe notional amounts overstate our expected payout and that fair value of these contracts is a more relevant measure of our obligations. At November 30, 2011, the fair value of derivative contracts meeting the definition of a guarantee is approximately \$128.2 million.

Other Guarantees. We are members of various exchanges and clearing houses. In the normal course of business we provide guarantees to securities clearinghouses and exchanges. These guarantees generally are required under the standard membership agreements, such that members are required to guarantee the performance of other members. Additionally, if a member becomes unable to satisfy its obligations to the clearinghouse, other members would be required to meet these shortfalls. To mitigate these performance risks, the exchanges and clearinghouses often require members to post collateral. Our obligations under such guarantees could exceed the collateral amounts posted. Our maximum potential liability under these arrangements cannot be quantified; however, the potential for us to be required to make payments under such guarantees is deemed remote.

Note 21. Net Capital Requirements

As broker-dealers registered with the SEC and member firms of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA"), Jefferies, Jefferies Execution and Jefferies High Yield Trading are subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule (Rule 15c3-1), which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and which may limit distributions from the broker-dealers. Jefferies, Jefferies Execution and Jefferies High Yield Trading have elected to use the alternative method permitted by Rule 15c3-1. Jefferies Bache Securities, LLC (formerly Prudential Bache Securities LLC) merged with Jefferies and withdrew its registration with the SEC during the twelve months ended November 30, 2011. Jefferies and Jefferies Bache, LLC are also registered as Futures Commission Merchants and subject to Rule 1.17 of the Commodities Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC"). Our designated self-regulatory organization is FINRA for our U.S. broker-dealers and the Chicago Mercantile Exchange for Jefferies Bache, LLC.

As of November 30, 2011, Jefferies Execution, Jefferies High Yield Trading and Jefferies Bache, LLC's net capital, adjusted net capital, and excess net capital were as follows (in thousands):

		Excess Net
	Net Capital	Capital
Jefferies	\$ 931,336	\$ 883,528
Jefferies Execution	\$ 16,226	\$ 15,976

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Jefferies High Yield Trading	Œ.	519,967	Q.	510717
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	Adjusted Net	Excess Net		
	Capital	Capital		
Jefferies Bache, LLC	\$ 264,392	\$ 112,350		

Certain other U.S. and non-U.S. subsidiaries are subject to capital adequacy requirements as prescribed by the regulatory authorities in their respective jurisdictions, including Jefferies International Limited and Jefferies

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Bache Limited (formerly Bache Commodities Limited) which are subject to the regulatory supervision and requirements of the Financial Services Authority in the United Kingdom.

The regulatory capital requirements referred to above may restrict our ability to withdraw capital from our subsidiaries.

Note 22. Segment Reporting

We operate in two principal segments — Capital Markets and Asset Management. The Capital Markets segment includes our securities, commodities, futures and foreign exchange brokerage trading activities and investment banking activities. The Capital Markets reportable segment is managed as a single operating segment and reporting unit that provides the sales, trading and origination support for various fixed income, equity and advisory products and services. The Asset Management segment provides investment management services to investors in the U.S. and overseas.

Our reportable business segment information is prepared using the following methodologies:

- Net revenues and expenses directly associated with each reportable business segment are included in determining earnings before taxes.
- Net revenues and expenses not directly associated with specific reportable business segments are allocated based on the most relevant measures applicable, including each reportable business segment's net revenues, headcount and other factors.
- Reportable business segment assets include an allocation of indirect corporate assets that have been fully
 allocated to our reportable business segments, generally based on each reportable business segment's
 capital utilization.

Our net revenues and expenses by segment are summarized below for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009 (in millions):

		Twelve Months Ended		ven Months Ended	Tw	velve Months Ended
	Novembe	er 30, 2011	Nove	mber 30, 2010	Dece	ember 31, 2009
Capital Markets:						
Net revenues	\$	2,502.6	\$	2,175.5	\$	2,127.4
Expenses	\$	2,095.0	\$	1,751.4	\$	1,587.5
Asset Management:						

Net revenues	\$ 46.2	\$ 16.8	\$ 35.9
Expenses	\$ 30.9	\$ 29.3	\$ 30.8
Total:			
Net revenues	\$ 2,548.8	\$ 2,192.3	\$ 2,163.3
Expenses	\$ 2,125.9	\$ 1,780.7	\$ 1,618.3

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Our total assets by segment are summarized below as of November 30, 2011 and 2010 and December 31, 2009 (in millions):

November 30, 2011 November 30, 2010 December 31, 2009

Segment Assets:			
Capital Markets	\$ 34,946.1	\$ 36,510.5	\$ 27,947.3
Asset Management	25.4	216.0	173.7
Total assets	\$ 34,971.4	\$ 36,726.5	\$ 28,121.0

Net Revenues by Geographic Region

Net revenues for the Capital Market segment are recorded in the geographic region in which the position was risk-managed or, in the case of investment banking, in which the senior coverage banker is located. For Asset Management, net revenues are allocated according to the location of the investment advisor. The following table presents Net revenues by geographic region for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, eleven months ended November 30, 2010 and twelve months ended December 31, 2009 (in thousands):

	Twe	lve Months Ended	Ele	even Months Ended	Tw	velve Months Ended
	Noven	nber 30, 2011	Nove	mber 30, 2010	Dece	ember 31, 2009
Americas(1)	\$	2,027,887	\$	1,882,764	\$	1,895,479
Europe(2)		494,917		300,405		266,440
Asia (including Middle East)		26,009		9,081		1,342
Net revenues	\$	2,548,813	\$	2,192,250	\$	2,163,261

- (1) Substantially all relates to U.S. results.
- (2) Substantially all relates to U.K. results.

Note 23. Related Party Transactions

Jefferies Capital Partners Related Funds . We have loans to and/or equity investments in private equity funds and in Jefferies Capital Partners, LLC, the manager, which are managed by a team led by Brian P. Friedman, one of our directors and our Chairman of the Executive Committee ("JCP Related Funds"). At November 30, 2011 and 2010, loans to and/or equity investments in JCP Related Funds were \$128.1 million and \$104.2 million, respectively. Interest income earned on loans to JCP related funds was \$3.1 million and \$4.8 million for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and the eleven months ended November 30, 2010, respectively. Other income and investment income related to net gains and losses on our investment in JCP Related Funds was \$9.2 million gain and \$0.3 million loss for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and eleven months ended November 30, 2011, respectively. For further information regarding our commitments and funded amounts to JCP Related Funds see Note 20, Commitments, Contingencies and Guarantees.

Berkadia Commercial Mortgage, LLC. At November 30, 2011, we have commitments to purchase \$272.7 million in agency commercial mortgage-backed securities from Berkadia Commercial Mortgage, LLC, which is partially owned by Leucadia.

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Officers, Directors and Employees. At November 30, 2011 and November 30, 2010, we had \$59.2 million and \$76.5 million, respectively, of loans outstanding to certain of our employees that are included in Other assets on the Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition. At November 30, 2011 and 2010, receivables from officers and directors included within Customer receivables was \$0.0 and \$9.1 million, respectively, which represents standard margin loan balances arising from individual security transactions. Historically, employees, officers and directors could maintain brokerage accounts with us and such accounts were subject to the same terms and conditions as customer transactions. During 2011, these accounts were transferred to a third-party broker and we no longer maintain brokerage accounts for our employees, officers or directors.

During the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and the eleven months ended November 30, 2010, we received commissions and commission equivalents for conducting brokerage services on behalf of Leucadia and its affiliates of \$7,198,000 and \$17,000, respectively. These revenues are recorded in Commission income on the Consolidated statements of earnings. During the twelve months ended November 30, 2011, we distributed to Leucadia approximately \$9.0 million related to earnings associated with their investment in our high yield joint venture.

For information on transactions with our equity method investees, see Note 10, Equity Method Investments.

Note 24. Selected Quarterly Financial Data (Unaudited)

The following is a summary of unaudited quarterly statements of earnings for the twelve months ended November 30, 2011 and the eleven months ended November 30, 2010 (in thousands, except per share amounts):

	Three Months Ended								
	February 28,		•				No	vember 30,	
		2011		2011		2011		2011	
Total revenues	\$	966,676	\$	970,117	\$	794,104	\$	798,740	
Net revenues		758,382		727,165		509,282		533,983	
Earnings before income taxes		162,931		130,484		55,238		70,680	
Earnings to common shareholders		87,341		80,616		68,275		48,386	
Earnings per common share:									
Basic	\$	0.42	\$	0.36	\$	0.30	\$	0.21	
Diluted	\$	0.42	\$	0.36	\$	0.30	\$	0.21	

	Three Mo	onths Ended	
March 31,	•	August 31,	
2010(1)(2)	2010(1)(2)	2010(2)	30,

				2010
Total revenues	\$ 725,368	\$ 832,040	\$ 693,030	\$ 851,913
Net revenues	580,055	667,536	517,269	679,812
Earnings before income taxes	122,456	143,680	76,498	123,578
Earnings to common shareholders	72,144	83,826	44,754	62,717
Earnings per common share:				
Basic	\$ 0.35	\$ 0.41	\$ 0.22	\$ 0.31
Diluted	\$ 0.35	\$ 0.41	\$ 0.22	\$ 0.31

(1) The three months ended March 31, 2010 and May 31, 2010 both include the Total revenues and earnings for the month ended March 31, 2010.

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(2) As reported in Transition Report on Form 10-K for the eleven months ended November 30, 2010, adjustments were made to amounts presented for the quarters of 2010 and 2009 relating to differences between our records and the final statement of our clearing bank involving a portion of our fixed income business that we are now self-clearing. The fourth quarter of 2010 includes \$13.8 million relating to a difference between our records and the final statement of our clearing bank the cause and period of origin remained unidentified; the amount was written off as a reduction in Principal revenue in the fourth quarter of 2010. The adjustments to Net earnings, on an after tax basis, to that previously reported for the quarters in 2010 are set forth below:

Three Months Ended

Increase (decrease) in						
Net earnings to	March 31,		May 31,		Αι	igust 31,
common shareholders		2010	2010			2010
				housands)		
Previously reported Net earnings to common shareholders	\$	74,066	\$	84,832	\$	46,256
Differences with clearing bank		(1,288)		(766)		(1,738)
Other items(1)		(634)		(240)		236
Total adjustments		(1,922)		(1,006)		(1,502)
Adjusted Net earnings to common shareholders	\$	72,144	\$	83,826	\$	44,754

(1) Other items — Includes the effect of certain other immaterial adjustments.