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**ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008

**TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

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**PEGASYSTEMS INC.**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

**Massachusetts**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)  
(IRS Employer Identification No. 04-2787865)

**101 Main Street  
Cambridge, MA**

(Address of principal executive offices)

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(zip code)

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:  
None**

**Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act:  
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share**

Indicate by check mark if the Registrant is a well-known seasoned issuer, as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933. Yes   
No

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No

Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the Registrant was required to file such reports) and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes  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 the Registrant's knowledge, in definitive proxy or information statements incorporated by reference in Part III of this Form 10-K or any amendment to this Form 10-K.

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 the definitions of "large accelerated filer", "accelerated filer", and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer  Accelerated filer  Non-accelerated filer  Smaller reporting company   
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Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes  No

The aggregate market value of the Registrant's common stock held by non-affiliates of the Registrant based on the closing price (as reported by NASDAQ) of such common stock on the last business day of the Registrant's most recently completed second fiscal quarter (June 30, 2008) was approximately \$197 million.

There were 35,573,607 shares of the Registrant's common stock, \$0.01 par value per share, outstanding on February 23, 2009.

**DOCUMENTS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE**

Portions of the Registrant's Proxy Statement for the Annual Meeting of Stockholders to be held June 5, 2009 are incorporated by reference



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**PART I**

**Forward-looking statements**

This Annual Report on Form 10-K contains or incorporates forward-looking statements within the meaning of section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. These forward-looking statements are based on current expectations, estimates, forecasts and projections about the industry and markets in which we operate and management’s beliefs and assumptions. In addition, other written or oral statements that constitute forward-looking statements may be made by us or on our behalf. Words such as “expect,” “anticipate,” “intend,” “plan,” “believe,” “could,” “estimate,” “may,” “target,” “project,” or variations of such words and similar expressions are intended to identify such forward-looking statements. These statements are not guarantees of future performance and involve certain risks, uncertainties and assumptions that are difficult to predict. We have identified certain risk factors included in Item 1A of this Annual Report on Form 10-K that we believe could cause our actual results to differ materially from the forward-looking statements we make. We do not intend to update publicly any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

**ITEM 1. BUSINESS**

Pegasystems Inc. was incorporated in Massachusetts in 1983. Our stock is traded on the NASDAQ Global Select Market under the symbol PEGA. Our website address is [www.pegasystems.com](http://www.pegasystems.com). We are not including the information contained on our website as part of, or incorporating it by reference into, this Annual Report on Form 10-K. Unless the context otherwise requires, references in this Annual Report on Form 10-K to “the Company,” “we,” “us” or “our” refer to Pegasystems Inc. and its subsidiaries.

**Our Company**

We develop, market, license, and support software to automate complex, changing business processes. Our patented Build for Change<sup>®</sup> software technology enables organizations to build, deploy, and change enterprise applications easily and quickly by directly capturing business objectives, automating programming, and automating work. It also allows organizations to avoid the time and expense required to create lengthy policy manuals and system specifications by unifying business rules with business processes in the software and automating the creation of system documentation. Our software technology is standards-based and can leverage existing technology investments to reduce implementation time. Our customers use our software and services to improve their customer service, reach new markets, and boost operational effectiveness.

Our SmartBPM Suite is complemented by software solutions that we refer to as frameworks. These frameworks provide purpose or industry-specific functionality that allows our customers to quickly implement our software.

We provide implementation, consulting, training, and technical support services to help our customers maximize the business value they obtain from the use of our software. We also maintain alliances with systems integrators and technology consulting firms to support our customers.

**Our business strategy**

We lead the Business Process Management (“BPM”) software market by leveraging our patented technology that unifies business processes and business rules. We focus our sales efforts on accounts within target customer organizations, which are typically large organizations that are among the leaders in their industry. We frequently sell initial licenses to these target accounts that are focused on a specific purpose or area of operations, rather than selling large enterprise licenses. A primary objective of this strategy is to have our customers quickly realize business value from our software. Once a customer has realized this initial value, we work with that customer to identify opportunities for follow-on sales. The sales process for follow-on sales is

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often shorter as a result of our established relationship with the customer. We invest resources in professional services, customer support, and customer and partner enablement to help our customers achieve success.

Strategic partnerships with consultants and systems integrators are important to our sales efforts because they influence buying decisions, help us to identify engagements, and complement our software with their technology and domain expertise. These partners may deliver strategic business planning, consulting, project management, and implementation services to our customers. Currently, our partners include Accenture Ltd., Capgemini SA, Computer Sciences Corporation, Cognizant Technology Solutions Inc., and International Business Machines Corporation.

### Our products

We provide a comprehensive rules-based BPM suite intended to help our customers plan, build, and manage business process management solutions.

#### *PegaRULES Process Commander*®

PegaRULES Process Commander provides capabilities designed to model, execute, monitor, and analyze results. PegaRULES Process Commander includes an application profiler that allows a business process application to be defined based on business goals and objectives, with simplified “fill in the blank” forms. The product also simplifies process modeling, allowing business users to graphically describe and test an intended business process within the system itself. The software uses the results of the application profiler and the process modeling to create the new business solution, including the user interface and executable business models. PegaRULES Process Commander also provides a browser-based graphical development environment, execution engine, and management dashboard for rapid business application and solution development. This product helps solve a wide range of BPM problems, including acquiring new business, providing customer service, creating a servicing backbone for enterprise-wide processing, and managing risk, fraud and compliance with regulatory requirements. PegaRULES Process Commander also allows our customers to leverage previous technology investments by integrating software applications across a common platform.

#### *Pegasystems SmartBPM Suite and Solution Frameworks*

Pegasystems SmartBPM Suite adds process analysis, process simulation, enterprise integration, portal integration, content management, and case management to the PegaRULES Process Commander capabilities.

Pegasystems also offers purpose- or industry -specific solution frameworks built on the capabilities of our PegaRULES Process Commander software. These frameworks allow organizations to quickly implement new customer-facing practices and processes, bring new offerings to market, and provide customized or specialized processing to meet the needs of different customers, departments, geographies or regulatory requirements. These include:

- Customer Process Manager
- Product Configuration
- Financial Services Industry Foundation Framework
- Fraud and AML Investigations Management Framework
- Healthcare Member and Provider Services
- Healthcare Industry Framework
- Customer Process Manager for Insurance
- Insurance Industry Framework
- Control and Compliance Framework

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We also offer other frameworks that address exceptions management — transactions that are not automatically processed by existing systems. By automating not only research and decision making, but also the business processes necessary to execute the decisions, our exceptions management frameworks can reduce the costs and risks associated with manual processing, while improving quality and efficiency. These frameworks include PegaCARD Smart Dispute, Smart Investigate for Payments, and Smart Investigate for Securities, Smart Adjust, and Healthcare Claims Automation Suite.

### **Our services and support**

We offer services and support through our professional services group, customer support group, and our training services group. As of December 31, 2008, our services and support groups consisted of 344 people. We also utilize third party contractors to assist us in providing services.

#### *Professional services*

Our professional services group helps companies and partners implement our software. This enables us to guide our customers through deployment of our software. Many of our customers choose to engage our professional services group to expand their use of our software to additional business or product lines or automate additional processes within existing solutions. In addition, systems integrators and consulting firms, with which we have alliances, help our customers deploy our products.

#### *Customer support*

Our customer support group is responsible for support of our software deployed at customer sites when customer support has been purchased. Support services include automated problem tracking, prioritization and escalation procedures, periodic preventive maintenance, documentation updates, new software releases, and regularly scheduled meetings with our staff.

#### *Training services*

The success of our sales strategy for multiple follow-on sales to target customers depends on our ability to train a larger number of partners and customers to implement our technology. We offer training for our staff, customers, and partners. Training is offered at our regional training facilities in Cambridge, Massachusetts, London, England, Hyderabad, India, Sydney, Australia, at third party facilities in numerous other locations, or at customer sites. Courses are designed to meet the specific requirements of process architects, system architects, and system administrators.

### **Our markets and representative customers**

The market for BPM software is driven by businesses that seek to close the execution gap that may exist between their business objectives and their existing business processes. Our target customers are large, industry-leading organizations faced with managing transaction intensive, complex and changing processes that seek the agility needed for growth, productivity, and compliance. Our customers are typically large companies in the financial services, healthcare and insurance markets. With PegaRULES Process Commander, we are also able to offer solutions to a broader range of companies as well as a broader range of industries, such as life sciences and government.

#### *Financial services*

Financial services organizations require software to improve the quality, accuracy, and efficiency of customer interactions and transactions processing. Pegasystems' customer process and exceptions management products allow customers to be responsive to changing business requirements. Representative financial services

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customers of ours include: Bank of America Corporation, Barclays Bank PLC, Citigroup Inc., Credit Suisse Group, HSBC Holdings Plc, JPMorgan Chase & Co., National Australia Bank Limited, and TD Bank Financial Group.

### *Healthcare*

Healthcare organizations seek products that integrate their front and back office initiatives and help drive customer service, efficiency, and productivity. Representative healthcare customers of ours include: Aetna Inc., Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Minnesota, Computer Sciences Corporation, Group Health Cooperative, HealthNow New York Inc., Kaiser Foundation Hospitals, and Wellpoint Inc.

### *Insurance*

Insurance companies, whether competing globally or nationally for customers and channels, need software to automate the key activities of policy rating, quoting, customization, underwriting, and servicing as well as products that improve customer service and the overall customer experience. Representative insurance industry customers of ours include: American National Insurance Group, American International Group, Inc., John Hancock, Farmers Insurance Group, Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company, and The Prudential Insurance Company of America.

### *Other industries*

PegaRULES Process Commander offers solutions to a broad range of companies and industries. We sell rules-based BPM technology to customers in telecommunications, government, life sciences, manufacturing, and travel services. Customers include: Amgen Inc., Advanced Micro Devices, Inc. (“AMD”), General Electric Company, Ford Motor Company, Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corp., Starwood Hotels & Resorts Worldwide Inc., and The ServiceMaster Company.

## Competition

The BPM software market is intensely competitive, rapidly changing, and highly fragmented, as current competitors expand their product offerings and new companies enter the market. Competitors vary in size and in the scope and breadth of the products and services offered. We encounter competition from:

- Service-Oriented Architecture (SOA) middleware vendors including International Business Machines Corp., Oracle Corporation, Software AG, and Tibco Software Inc.;
- BPM vendors such as Appian Corporation, Global360, Inc., Lombardi Software, Inc., Metastorm Inc., and Savvion, Inc.;
- Business Rules Engine vendors such as Corticon Technologies Inc., Fair Isaac Corporation, and the ILOG division of IBM;
- Customer Relationship Management (“CRM”) application vendors including Chordiant Software, the Microsoft Dynamics CRM division of Microsoft, and the Siebel division of Oracle;
- Enterprise Content Management-based vendors such as the Documentum division of EMC Corporation, and FileNet, the division of International Business Machines Corp.’s Information Management Group;
- Companies that provide application specific software for the financial services, healthcare, insurance and other specific markets such as Norkom Group Plc, SmartStream Technologies Ltd., SunGard, and The TriZetto Group, Inc.;
- Current customers’ information technology departments, which may seek to modify existing systems or develop proprietary systems.

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We are the leading company in the overall BPM software market, and have a strong presence in the financial services, insurance and healthcare markets. We have been most successful competing for customers whose businesses are characterized by a high degree of change, complexity and size. We believe that the principal competitive factors within our market include:

- Product adaptability, scalability, functionality, and performance;
- Proven success in delivering cost-savings and efficiency improvements;
- Ease-of-use for developers, business units, and end-users;
- Timely development and introduction of new products and product enhancements;
- Establishment of a significant base of reference customers;
- Ability to integrate with other products and technologies;
- Customer service and support;
- Product price;
- Vendor reputation; and
- Relationships with systems integrators.

We believe we compete favorably with our competitors on the basis of most of these competitive factors as our Build for Change technology includes a comprehensive set of business rules that are unified with business processes, can be developed quickly by both client business and IT staff, and incorporates a single web-based user interface. We believe we also compete favorably due to our expertise in our target industries and our long-standing customer relationships. We believe we compete less favorably on the basis of some of these factors with respect to our larger competitors, many of which have greater sales, marketing and financial resources, more extensive geographical presence and greater name recognition than we do. In addition, we may be at a disadvantage with respect to our ability to provide expertise outside our target industries.

### Sales and marketing

We market our software and services primarily through a direct sales force. Strategic partnerships with consultants and systems integrators are important to our sales efforts because they influence buying decisions, help us to identify engagements, and complement our software with their technology and domain expertise.

To support our sales efforts, we conduct a broad range of marketing programs, including industry trade shows, industry seminars, meetings with industry analysts, and other direct and indirect marketing efforts. Our consulting staff, business partners, and other third parties also generate sales leads. As of December 31, 2008, our sales and marketing group consisted of 190 people worldwide.

### Sales by geography

In 2008, 2007, and 2006, sales to customers based outside of the United States of America (“U.S.”) represented 38%, 35%, and 37%, respectively, of our total revenue. During 2008, 2007, and 2006, we derived our revenue from the following geographic areas:

(Dollars in thousands)	2008		2007		2006	
U.S.	\$ 131,250	62%	\$ 104,952	65%	\$ 79,903	63%
United Kingdom	40,063	19%	34,278	21%	19,741	16%
Europe, other	27,345	13%	8,755	5%	11,606	9%
Other	12,989	6%	13,964	9%	14,773	12%
	<u>\$ 211,647</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>\$ 161,949</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>\$ 126,023</u>	<u>100%</u>

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No customer accounted for more than 10% of our total revenue in 2008, 2007 or 2006. The following table summarizes our concentration of credit risk associated with customers accounting for more than 10% of our outstanding trade receivables and long and short-term license installments as of December 31:

(Dollars in thousands)	2008	2007
<b>Trade receivables</b>	<b>\$42,801</b>	<b>\$45,922</b>
Customer A	—	19%
Customer B	—	14%
Customer C	12%	—
<b>Long and short-term license installments</b>	<b>\$10,858</b>	<b>\$27,450</b>
Customer C	—	24%
Customer E	30%	15%
Customer D	16%	—
Customer F	12%	—
Customer G	11%	—

We currently operate in one operating segment — rules-based BPM software. We derive substantially all of our operating revenue from the sale and support of one group of similar products and services. Substantially all of our assets are located within the U.S.

### Research and development

Our product development priority is to continue expanding the capabilities of our rules-based BPM technology. We intend to maintain and extend the support of our existing solution frameworks, and we may choose to invest in additional frameworks which incorporate the latest business innovations. We also intend to maintain and extend the support of popular hardware platforms, operating systems, databases, and connectivity options to facilitate easy and rapid deployment in diverse information technology infrastructures. Our goal with all of our products is to enhance product capabilities, ease of implementation, long-term flexibility, and the ability to provide improved customer service.

We believe that the challenge of enhancing future performance and maintaining technology leadership will depend on our ability to anticipate changes, maintain and enhance our current products, develop new products, and keep pace with the increasingly sophisticated requirements of our current and prospective customers. We must develop products that conform to our customers' information technology standards, scale to meet the needs of large enterprises, operate globally, and cost less than a comparable internal development effort. Our development organization is responsible for product architecture, core technology development, product testing and quality assurance.

As of December 31, 2008, our development group consisted of 162 people and has been supplemented by the use of contracted resources. During 2008, 2007, and 2006, research and development expenses were approximately \$31.5 million, \$26.2 million, and \$22.7 million, respectively. We expect that we will continue to commit significant resources to our product research and development in the future to maintain our leadership position.

### Employees

As of December 31, 2008, we had 825 employees, of whom 578 were based in the U.S., 32 were based in Canada, 155 were based in Europe, 15 were based in Australia, and 45 were based in Asia. Our total headcount includes 190 sales and marketing employees, 344 consulting and customer support employees, 162 research and development employees, and 129 administrative employees. In addition, we supplement our research and development and services employees with contractors.

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### Backlog of license, maintenance, and professional services

As of December 31, 2008, we had software license, maintenance, and professional services agreements with customers expected to result in approximately \$172 million of future revenue, of which we expect approximately \$110 million to be recognized in 2009. As of December 31, 2007, we had backlog of software license, maintenance, and professional services agreements with customers of approximately \$134 million. Under some of these agreements, we must fulfill certain conditions prior to recognizing revenue, and there can be no assurance when, if ever, we will be able to satisfy all such conditions in each instance. Business conditions could change and, therefore, backlog may not be a reliable indicator of future financial performance.

### Available Information

We make available free of charge through our website [www.pegasystems.com](http://www.pegasystems.com) our Annual Reports on Form 10-K, Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q and Current Reports on Form 8-K, and amendments to these reports, as soon as reasonably practicable after we electronically file such material with, or furnish such material to, the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"). The SEC maintains a website that contains reports, proxy, and information statements and other information regarding issuers that file electronically with the SEC at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov). We make available on our website reports filed by our executive officers and Directors on Forms 3, 4, and 5 regarding their ownership of our securities. Our Code of Conduct, and any amendments to our Code of Conduct, is also available on our website.

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### ITEM 1A. RISK FACTORS

The following important factors could cause our actual business and financial results to differ materially from those contained in forward-looking statements made in this Annual Report on Form 10-K or elsewhere by management from time to time.

#### **Factors relating to our revenues**

*The number of our license arrangements has been increasing, and we may not be able to sustain this growth in license arrangements unless we can provide sufficient high quality professional services, training, and maintenance resources to enable our customers to realize significant business value from our software.* Our customers typically request professional services and training to assist them in implementing our products. Our customers also purchase maintenance on our products in almost all cases. As a result, an increase in the number of license arrangements is likely to increase demand for professional services, training, and maintenance relating to our products. Given that the number of our license arrangements has been increasing, we will need to provide our customers with more professional services, training, and maintenance to enable our customers to realize significant business value from our software. Accordingly, we have been hiring additional personnel in these areas and improving our “on-boarding” process to ramp up new personnel in a shorter period of time. We have also been increasingly enabling our partners and our customers through training and the creation of “centers of excellence” to create an expanded universe of people that are skilled in the implementation of our products. However, if we are unable to provide sufficient high quality professional services, training, or maintenance resources to our customers, our customers may not realize sufficient business value from our products to justify follow-on sales, which could impact our future financial performance. In addition, the growth required to meet the increased demand for our professional services could strain our ability to deliver our services engagements at desired levels of profitability, thereby impacting our overall profitability and financial results.

*We frequently enter into limited scope initial licenses with new customers, which could adversely affect our financial performance if we are not successful in obtaining follow-on business from these customers.* We frequently enter into initial licenses with our new customers that are focused on a specific purpose or area of operations, rather than selling large enterprise licenses, to allow these new customers to realize business value from our software quickly and for a limited initial investment. We expect this trend to continue in the near future. Once a customer has realized this initial value, we work with the customer to identify opportunities for follow-on sales. However, we may not be successful in demonstrating this initial value to some customers, for reasons relating to the performance of our products, the quality of the services and support we provide for our products, or external reasons. For these customers, we may not obtain follow-on sales or the follow-on sales may be delayed, and our license revenue will be limited to the smaller initial sale. This could lower average transaction size and adversely affect our financial performance.

*Our professional services revenue is dependent to a significant extent on closing new license transactions with customers.* We derive a substantial portion of our professional services revenue from implementation of new software licenses with our customers. Increasingly, we are relying on business partners to provide the implementation services for our customers, thus reducing the amount of professional services revenue we derive relative to a given level of license revenue. Accordingly, it is imperative that we close more license transactions with our customers if we are to maintain or grow our services revenue.

#### **Factors relating to fluctuations in our financial results**

*The timing of our license revenue is difficult to predict accurately, which may cause our quarterly operating results to vary considerably.* Our quarterly revenue may fluctuate significantly, in part because our revenue in any quarter is attributable to a relatively small number of transactions. Our decision to increasingly enter into term licenses that require the term license revenue to be recognized over the license term as payments become due or earlier if paid in advance may adversely affect our profitability in any period due to sales commissions being paid at the time of signing and the corresponding revenue being recognized over time. The

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mix of perpetual license and term license signings in a quarter may cause a fluctuation in the timing of recognized license revenue, because we recognize revenue from term licenses over the term as payments become due or earlier if prepaid. We plan selling and marketing expenses, product development, and other expenses based on anticipated future revenue. If revenue falls below expectations, financial performance is likely to be adversely affected because only small portions of expenses vary with revenue. As a result, period-to-period comparisons of operating results are not necessarily meaningful and should not be relied upon to predict future performance.

***Our financial results may be adversely affected if we are required to change certain estimates, judgments, and positions relative to our income taxes.*** In the ordinary course of conducting a global business enterprise, there are many transactions and calculations undertaken whose ultimate tax outcome cannot be certain. Some of these uncertainties arise as a consequence of positions we have taken regarding valuation of deferred tax assets, transfer pricing for transactions with our subsidiaries, and potential challenges to nexus and tax credit estimates. We estimate our exposure to unfavorable outcomes related to these uncertainties and estimate the probability for such outcomes. Although we believe our estimates are reasonable, no assurance can be given that the final tax outcome of these matters or our current estimates regarding these matters will not be different from what is reflected in our historical income tax provisions, returns, and accruals. Such differences, or changes in estimates relating to potential differences, could have a material impact, unfavorable or favorable, on our income tax provisions, require us to change the recorded value of deferred tax assets, and adversely affect our financial results.

***We are investing heavily in sales and marketing and professional services in anticipation of a continued increase in license arrangements, and we may experience decreased profitability or losses if we are unsuccessful in increasing the value of our license arrangements in the future.*** We have been increasing our investment in sales and marketing to meet increasing demand by hiring additional sales and marketing personnel. We anticipate that we will need to provide our customers with more professional services, training, and maintenance as a result of this increase in demand, and have been hiring additional personnel in these areas. These investments have resulted in increased fixed costs that do not vary with the level of revenue. If the increased demand for our products does not continue, we could experience decreased profitability or losses as a result of these increased fixed costs.

### **Factors relating to our products and markets**

***The adverse changes in the global capital markets and economy may negatively impact our sales to, and the collection of receivables from, our financial services and insurance customers and possibly our customers in other industries.*** The recent financial crisis in the global capital markets and the current negative global economic trends could impact the ability and willingness of our financial services and insurance customers, and possibly our customers in other industries, to make investments in technology, which may delay or reduce the amount of purchases of our software and professional services. These factors could also impact the ability and willingness of these customers to pay their trade obligations and honor their contractual commitments under their non-cancellable term licenses. These customers may also become subject to increasingly restrictive regulatory requirements, which could limit or delay their ability to proceed with new technology purchases. Our financial services and insurance customers as a group represent a significant amount of our revenues and receivables. Accordingly, their potential financial instability could negatively impact our operating results, financial condition and cash flows.

***We will need to acquire or develop new products, evolve existing ones, and adapt to technology change .*** Technical developments, customer requirements, programming languages, and industry standards change frequently in our markets. As a result, success in current markets and new markets will depend upon our ability to enhance current products, to acquire or develop and introduce new products that meet customer needs, keep pace with technology changes, respond to competitive products, and achieve market acceptance. Product development requires substantial investments for research, refinement, and testing. There can be no assurance that we will have sufficient resources to make necessary product development investments. We may experience difficulties that will delay or prevent the successful development, introduction, or implementation of new or enhanced products. Inability to introduce or implement new or enhanced products in a timely manner would adversely affect future financial performance.

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***The market for our offerings is increasingly and intensely competitive, rapidly changing, and highly fragmented.*** The market for BPM software and related implementation, consulting, and training services is intensely competitive, rapidly changing and highly fragmented. We currently encounter significant competition from internal information systems departments of potential or existing customers that develop custom software. We also compete with companies that target the customer interaction and workflow markets, companies focused on business rules engines or enterprise application integration, “pure play” BPM companies, and professional service organizations that develop custom software in conjunction with rendering consulting services. Competition for market share and pressure to reduce prices and make sales concessions are likely to increase. Many competitors have far greater resources and may be able to respond more quickly and efficiently to new or emerging technologies, programming languages or standards or to changes in customer requirements or preferences. Competitors may also be able to devote greater managerial and financial resources to develop, promote, and distribute products and provide related consulting and training services. Larger companies such as IBM, Oracle, and SAP have acquired companies that provide BPM software, and we expect competition from larger companies to increase. There can be no assurance that we will be able to compete successfully against current or future competitors or that the competitive pressures faced by us will not materially adversely affect our business, operating results, and financial condition.

***We have historically sold to the financial services, insurance and healthcare markets, and rapid changes or consolidation in these markets could affect the level of demand for our products.*** We have historically derived a significant portion of our revenue from customers in the financial services, insurance, and healthcare markets, and sales to these markets are important for our future growth. Competitive pressures, industry consolidation, decreasing operating margins, regulatory changes, and privacy concerns affect the financial condition of our customers and their willingness to buy. In addition, customers’ purchasing patterns in these industries for large technology projects are somewhat discretionary. The financial services and insurance markets are undergoing intense domestic and international consolidation and financial turmoil, and consolidation has been increasing in the healthcare market. Consolidation may interrupt normal buying behaviors and increase the volatility of our operating results. In recent years, several of our customers have been merged or consolidated, and we expect this to continue in the near future. Future mergers or consolidations may cause a decline in revenues and adversely affect our future financial performance. All of these factors affect the level of demand for our products from customers in these industries, and could adversely affect our business, operating results and financial condition.

***We rely on certain third-party relationships.*** We have a number of relationships with third parties that are significant to sales, marketing and support activities, and product development efforts. We rely on software and hardware vendors, large system integrators, and technology consulting firms to provide marketing and sales opportunities for the direct sales force and to strengthen our products through the use of industry-standard tools and utilities. We also have relationships with third parties that distribute our products. There can be no assurance that these companies, most of which have significantly greater financial and marketing resources, will not develop or market products that compete with ours in the future or will not otherwise end or limit their relationships with us.

***We face risks from operations and customers based outside of the U.S.*** Sales to customers headquartered outside of the U.S. represented approximately 38% of our total revenue in 2008, 35% in 2007 and 37% in 2006. We, in part through our wholly-owned subsidiaries based in the United Kingdom, Germany, the Netherlands, Switzerland, Canada, and Australia, market products and render consulting and training services to customers based in Canada, the United Kingdom, France, Germany, Spain, the Netherlands, Belgium, Switzerland, Austria, Ireland, Sweden, Mexico, Australia, Hong Kong, and Singapore. We have established offices in Canada, Europe, Asia, and Australia. We believe that growth will necessitate expanded international operations, requiring a diversion of managerial attention and increased costs. We anticipate hiring additional personnel to accommodate international growth, and we may also enter into agreements with local distributors, representatives, or resellers. If we are unable to do one or more of these things in a timely manner, our growth, if any, in our foreign operations may be restricted, and our business, operating results, and financial condition could be materially and adversely affected.

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In addition, there can be no assurance that we will be able to maintain or increase international market demand for our products. Several of our international sales are denominated in U.S. dollars. Accordingly, any appreciation of the value of the U.S. dollar relative to the currencies of those countries in which we sell our products may place us at a competitive disadvantage by effectively making our products more expensive as compared to those of our competitors. Additional risks inherent in our international business activities generally include unexpected changes in regulatory requirements, increased tariffs and other trade barriers, the costs of localizing products for local markets and complying with local business customs, longer accounts receivable patterns and difficulties in collecting foreign accounts receivable, difficulties in enforcing contractual and intellectual property rights, heightened risks of political and economic instability, the possibility of nationalization or expropriation of industries or properties, difficulties in managing international operations, potentially adverse tax consequences (including restrictions on repatriating earnings and the threat of “double taxation”), increased accounting and internal control expenses, and the burden of complying with a wide variety of foreign laws. There can be no assurance that one or more of these factors will not have a material adverse effect on our foreign operations, and, consequentially, our business, operating results, and financial condition.

***We are exposed to fluctuations in currency exchange rates that could negatively impact our financial results and cash flows.*** Because a significant portion of our business is conducted outside the U.S., we face exposure to adverse movements in foreign currency exchange rates. These exposures may change over time as business practices evolve, and they could have a material adverse impact on our financial results and cash flows. Our international sales have increasingly become denominated in foreign currencies. The operating expenses of our foreign operations are primarily denominated in foreign currencies, which partially offset our foreign currency exposure. A decrease in the value of foreign currencies, particularly the British pound and the Euro relative to the U.S. dollar, could adversely impact our financial results and cash flows.

### **Factors relating to our internal operations and potential liabilities**

***We depend on certain key personnel, and must be able to attract and retain qualified personnel in the future.*** The business is dependent on a number of key, highly skilled technical, managerial, consulting, sales, and marketing personnel, including our Chief Executive Officer. The loss of key personnel could adversely affect financial performance. We do not have any significant key-man life insurance on any officers or employees and do not plan to obtain any. Our success will depend in large part on the ability to hire and retain qualified personnel. The number of potential employees who have the extensive knowledge of computer hardware and operating systems needed to develop, sell, and maintain our products is limited, and competition for their services is intense, and there can be no assurance that we will be able to attract and retain such personnel. If we are unable to do so, our business, operating results, and financial condition could be materially adversely affected.

***We may experience significant errors or security flaws in our product and services, and could face privacy, product liability and warranty claims as a result.*** Despite testing prior to their release, software products frequently contain errors or security flaws, especially when first introduced or when new versions are released. Errors in our software products could affect the ability of our products to work with other hardware or software products, or could delay the development or release of new products or new versions of products. The detection and correction of any security flaws can be time consuming and costly. Errors or security flaws in our software could result in the inadvertent disclosure of confidential information or personal data relating to our customers, employees, or third parties. Software product errors and security flaws in our products or services could expose us to privacy, product liability and warranty claims as well as harm our reputation, which could impact our future sales of products and services. Our license agreements typically contain provisions intended to limit the nature and extent of our risk of product liability and warranty claims. There is a risk that a court might interpret these terms in a limited way or could hold part or all of these terms to be unenforceable. Also, there is a risk that these contract terms might not bind a party other than the direct customer. Furthermore, some of our licenses with our customers are governed by non-U.S. law, and there is a risk that foreign law might give us less or different protection. Although we have not experienced any material product liability claims to date, a product liability suit or action claiming a breach of warranty, whether or not meritorious, could result in substantial costs and a diversion of management’s attention and our resources.

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*We face risks related to intellectual property claims or appropriation of our intellectual property rights.* We rely primarily on a combination of copyright, trademark and trade secrets laws, as well as confidentiality agreements to protect our proprietary rights. We have obtained patents from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office relating to the architecture of our systems. We cannot assure that such patents will not be invalidated or circumvented or that rights granted thereunder or the claims contained therein will provide us with competitive advantages. Moreover, despite our efforts to protect our proprietary rights, unauthorized parties may attempt to copy aspects of our products or to obtain the use of information that we regard as proprietary. In addition, the laws of some foreign countries do not protect our proprietary rights to as great an extent as do the laws of the U.S. There can be no assurance that our means of protecting our proprietary rights will be adequate or that our competitors will not independently develop similar technology.

We are not aware that any of our products infringe the proprietary rights of third parties. There can be no assurance, however, that third parties will not claim infringement by us with respect to current or future products. Although we attempt to limit the amount and type of our contractual liability for infringement of the proprietary rights of third parties, these limitations often contain certain exclusions, and we cannot be assured that these limitations will be applicable and enforceable in all cases. Even if these limitations are found to be applicable and enforceable, our liability to our customers for these types of claims could be material in amount given the size of certain of our transactions. We expect that software product developers will increasingly be subject to infringement claims as the number of products and competitors in our industry segment grows and the functionality of products in different industry segments overlaps. Any such claims, with or without merit, could be time-consuming, result in costly litigation, cause product shipment delays, or require us to enter into royalty or licensing agreements. Such royalty or licensing agreements, if required, may not be available on terms acceptable to us or at all, which could have a material adverse effect upon our business, operating results, and financial condition.

*The acquisition of other businesses and technologies may present new risks.* We have undertaken an acquisition during the past year and may continue to evaluate and consider other potential strategic transactions, including acquisitions of businesses, technologies, services, products and other assets in the future. These acquisitions, if undertaken, may involve significant new risks and uncertainties, including distraction of management attention away from our current business operations, insufficient new revenue to offset expenses, inadequate return on capital, integration challenges, new regulatory requirements, and issues not discovered in our due diligence process. No assurance can be given that such acquisitions will be successful and will not adversely affect our profitability or operations.

### **ITEM 1B. UNRESOLVED STAFF COMMENTS**

We have received no written comments from the staff of the SEC regarding our periodic or current reports that were issued 180 days or more preceding the end of our 2008 fiscal year that remain unresolved.

### **ITEM 2. PROPERTIES**

Our principal administrative, sales, marketing, support, and research and development operations are located at 101 Main Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts in an approximately 105,000 square foot leased facility. The lease for this facility expires in 2013, subject to our option to extend for two additional five-year periods. We also lease space for our other offices in the U.S., Australia, Canada, India, the United Kingdom and in other European countries. These leases expire at various dates through 2013. We believe that additional or alternative space will be available as needed in the future on commercially reasonable terms.

### **ITEM 3. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS**

None.

### **ITEM 4. SUBMISSION OF MATTERS TO A VOTE OF SECURITY HOLDERS**

During the fourth quarter of 2008, there were no matters submitted to a vote of our security holders.

PART II

ITEM 5. MARKET FOR REGISTRANT’S COMMON STOCK, RELATED STOCKHOLDER MATTERS AND ISSUER PURCHASES OF EQUITY SECURITIES

Market Information

Our common stock is quoted on the NASDAQ Global Select Market (“NASDAQ”) under the symbol “PEGA”. The following table sets forth the range of high and low sales prices of our common stock on NASDAQ for each quarter in the years ended December 31, 2008 and 2007.

	Common Stock Price			
	2008		2007	
	High	Low	High	Low
First Quarter	\$12.04	\$ 8.73	\$10.04	\$ 8.07
Second Quarter	\$13.81	\$ 9.63	\$11.17	\$ 8.85
Third Quarter	\$15.10	\$11.87	\$12.67	\$10.10
Fourth Quarter	\$13.42	\$ 9.58	\$13.10	\$10.70

Holders

As of February 23, 2009, we had approximately 58 stockholders of record and approximately 28,400 beneficial owners of our common stock.

Dividends

In July 2006, we began paying a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.03 per share of common stock. Prior to July 2006, we had never declared or paid any cash dividends on our common stock. Quarterly cash dividends are expected to continue at \$0.03 per share, subject to change or elimination at any time by our Board of Directors, to stockholders of record as of the first trading day of each quarter.

Equity Compensation Plan Information

The following table sets forth information as of December 31, 2008 regarding our Amended and Restated 1994 Long-Term Incentive Plan (the “1994 Plan”), the 1996 Non-Employee Director Stock Option Plan (the “1996 Director Plan”), the 2004 Long-Term Incentive Plan (the “2004 Plan”) and the 2006 Employee Stock Purchase Plan (the “2006 ESPP”). Our stockholders previously approved each of these plans and all amendments that were subject to stockholder approval. We have no equity compensation plans that have not been approved by stockholders. See Note 14 “Stock-Based Compensation” included in the notes to the accompanying consolidated financial statements for further information and description of our equity compensation plans.

	(a)	(b)	(c)
	NUMBER OF SHARES OF COMMON STOCK TO BE ISSUED UPON EXERCISE OF OUTSTANDING STOCK OPTIONS AND VESTING OF RSUS (1)	WEIGHTED-AVERAGE EXERCISE PRICE OF OUTSTANDING STOCK OPTIONS (2)	NUMBER OF SHARES OF COMMON STOCK REMAINING AVAILABLE FOR FUTURE ISSUANCE (EXCLUDING THOSE IN COLUMN (a) (3))
(In thousands, except per share amounts)			
Equity Compensation Plans approved by Stockholders	6,659	\$ 9.09	2,417

(1) The number of shares of common stock issued upon settlement of the vested stock options will be less than 6.7 million because of the “net settlement” feature of most of these options. This feature enables the employee to satisfy the cost to exercise the options and, if applicable, taxes due on exercise by surrendering option shares to the Company based on the fair value of the shares at the exercise date, instead of selling all

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of the option shares on the open market to satisfy these obligations. The settlement of vested stock options on a net share basis will result in fewer shares issued by the Company. During 2008, option holders net settled stock options representing the right to purchase a total of 425,000 shares, of which only 152,000 were issued to the option holders and the balance of the shares were surrendered to the Company to pay for the exercise price and the applicable taxes.

In addition to the issuance of stock options, the 1994 Plan allowed for the issuance of stock appreciation rights, restricted stock and long-term performance awards. The Company does not intend to issue any additional options or make any other awards under the 1994 Plan or the 1996 Director Plan in the future. In addition to the issuance of stock options, the 2004 Plan allows for the issuance of stock purchase rights and other stock-based awards, including restricted stock units (“RSUs”).

- (2) The weighted-average exercise price does not take into account the shares issuable upon vesting of outstanding RSUs, which have no exercise price.
- (3) Includes approximately 458,000 shares remaining available for issuance as of December 31, 2008 under the 2006 ESPP.

## Issuer Purchases of Equity Securities

The following table sets forth information regarding our repurchases of our common stock during the fourth quarter of 2008.

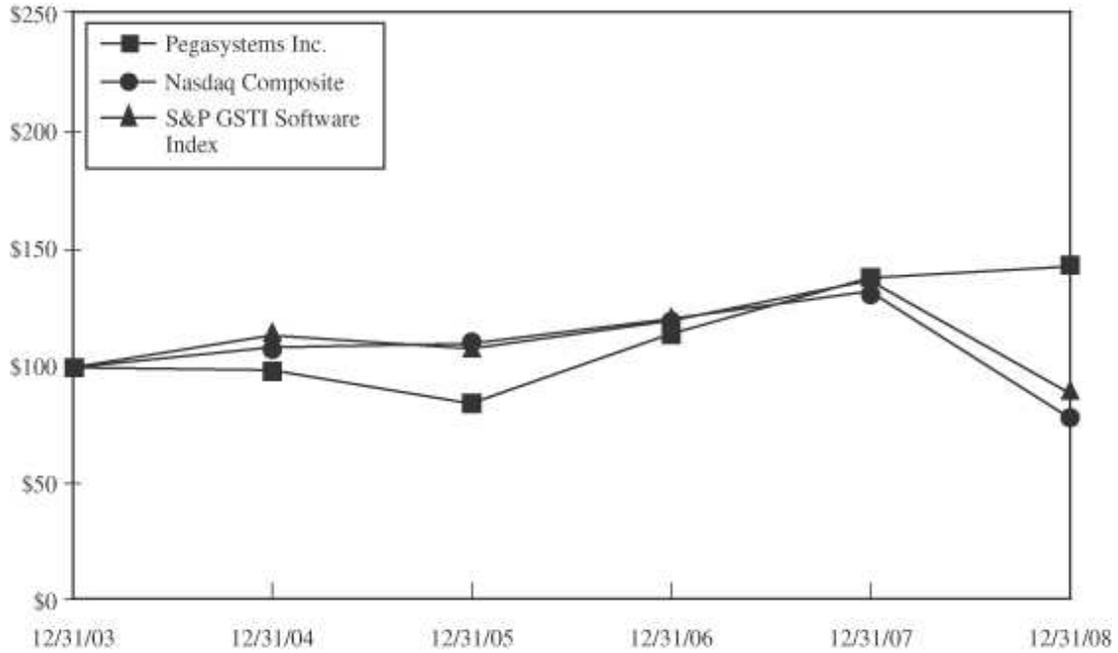
Period	Total Number	Average Price	Total Number of Shares Purchased as Part of Publicly Announced Share Repurchase Program (1) (2)	Approximate Dollar Value of Shares That May Yet Be Purchased Under Publicly Announced Share Repurchased Programs (1) (2) (in thousands)
	of Shares Purchased	Paid per Share		
10/1/08-10/31/08	200,627	\$ 11.30	200,627	\$ 1,956
11/1/08-11/30/08	171,728	11.25	171,728	25
12/1/08-12/31/08	182,622	11.85	182,622	12,862
Total	<u>554,977</u>	\$ 11.46		

- (1) On February 14, 2008, we publicly announced that our Board of Directors authorized a \$15.0 million share repurchase program effective March 10, 2008 and expiring on December 31, 2008. Purchases made under this share repurchase program were made on the open market.
- (2) On December 1, 2008, we publicly announced that our Board of Directors approved a \$15.0 million share repurchase program effective December 1, 2008 and expiring on December 31, 2009 (the “Fourth Program”). The Fourth Program replaced an existing program that expired on December 31, 2008. Under the Fourth Program, purchases will be made from time to time on the open market or in privately negotiated transactions. Shares may be repurchased in such amounts as market conditions warrant, subject to regulatory and other considerations. The Company has established a pre-arranged stock repurchase plan, intended to comply with the requirements of Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and of Rule 10b-18 of the Exchange Act (the “10b5-1 Plan”). All share repurchases under the Fourth Program during closed trading window periods will be made pursuant to the 10b5-1 Plan.

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**Stock Performance Graph and Cumulative Total Stockholder Return**

The following performance graph represents a comparison of the cumulative total stockholder return (assuming the reinvestment of dividends) for a \$100 investment on December 31, 2003 in each of our common stock, the Total Return Index for the NASDAQ Composite (“NASDAQ Composite”), a broad market index, and the Standard & Poors (“S&P”) Goldman Sachs Technology Software Index (“S&P GSTI <sup>TM</sup> Software Index”), a published industry index. We paid dividends of \$0.12 per share during each of 2008 and 2007 and \$0.06 per share during 2006. The graph lines merely connect measurement dates and do not reflect fluctuations between those dates.



	12/31/03	12/31/04	12/31/05	12/31/06	12/31/07	12/31/08
<b>Pegasystems Inc.</b>	\$100	\$98.73	\$84.61	\$114.24	\$138.08	\$143.06
Nasdaq Composite	\$100	\$108.59	\$110.08	\$120.56	\$132.39	\$78.72
S&P GSTI Software Index	\$100	\$113.56	\$108.13	\$119.86	\$137.15	\$89.09

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### ITEM 6. SELECTED FINANCIAL DATA

The selected financial data presented below has been derived from our consolidated financial statements. This data may not be indicative of our future condition or results of operations and should be read in conjunction with “Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations”, the consolidated financial statements and accompanying notes.

	Year Ended December 31,				
	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
	(in thousands, except per share data)				
<b>Consolidated Statements of Operations Data:</b>					
Total revenue	\$ 211,647	\$ 161,949	\$ 126,023	\$ 100,209	\$ 103,291
Income (loss) from operations	14,479	1,951	(7,114)	1,218	5,771
Income before provision for income taxes	15,672	9,942	1,187	5,319	11,156
Net income	10,977	6,595	1,842	5,192	8,211
Earnings per share:					
Basic	\$ 0.30	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.05	\$ 0.15	\$ 0.23
Diluted	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.05	\$ 0.14	\$ 0.22
Cash dividends declared per common shares	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.09	\$ —	\$ —
Weighted-average number of common shares outstanding:					
Basic	36,146	35,875	35,229	35,774	35,691
Diluted	37,605	37,433	37,134	36,462	37,043

	Year Ended December 31,				
	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
	(in thousands)				
<b>Consolidated Balance Sheet Data:</b>					
Total cash, cash equivalents, and marketable securities	\$ 167,229	\$ 149,981	\$ 127,758	\$ 114,735	\$ 97,360
Working capital	159,080	159,547	147,229	133,440	121,273
Long-term license installments, net of unearned interest income	5,413	8,267	17,458	31,371	44,344
Total assets	245,850	243,307	214,008	209,654	195,878
Capital lease obligation, including current portion	—	—	63	166	263
Stockholders’ equity	173,114	172,944	166,158	167,682	166,607

**ITEM 7. MANAGEMENT’S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS****Our products and services**

We develop and license rules-based BPM software and provide professional services, maintenance, and training related to our software. We focus our sales efforts on target accounts, which are companies or divisions within companies, and are typically large organizations that are among the leaders in their industry. Our strategy is to sell initial licenses to these target accounts that are focused on a specific purpose or area of operations, rather than selling large enterprise licenses. This strategy allows our customers to quickly realize business value from our software and limits their initial investment. Once a customer has realized this initial value, we work with the customer to identify opportunities for follow-on sales.

Our license revenue is primarily derived from sales of our PegaRULES Process Commander (“PRPC”) software and related solution frameworks. PRPC is a comprehensive platform for building and managing BPM applications that unifies business rules and business processes. Our solution frameworks are built on the capabilities of PRPC and are purpose- or industry -specific collections of best practice functionality to allow organizations to quickly implement new customer-facing practices and processes, bring new offerings to market, and provide customized or specialized processing. These products often require less implementation assistance than prior generations of our software products. In many cases this has resulted in a shorter sales process and implementation period. PRPC and related solution frameworks can be used by a broad range of customers within financial services, insurance and healthcare markets, as well as other markets, such as life sciences and government.

Our customers typically request professional services and training to assist them in implementing our products. Almost all of our customers also purchase maintenance on our products, which includes rights to upgrades and new releases, incident resolution and technical assistance. Professional services are provided directly by us and through our network of partners. By utilizing these partners, we have increased the supply of skilled service consultants that can assist our customers.

**Business overview**

Despite the current economic crisis, we achieved license revenue growth of 50% in 2008 compared to 2007, including a 94% increase in term license revenue. We generated approximately \$38.4 million in cash flows from operations in 2008, which represents a 51% increase compared to 2007. We generated the majority of our license revenue in 2008 from follow-on sales to existing customers. We believe these results reflect our ability to quickly and successfully deliver our versatile Build for Change technology to Fortune ® 500 customers across industries and international borders, allowing these customers to reduce operating costs and increase revenues within a rapid time-frame from implementation. These operational efficiencies experienced by our customers are part of the strong value proposition our technology provides to our customers.

We believe our growth and success in 2008 were due to:

- Increased market acceptance of our industry leading technology;
- Expansion of our solutions frameworks offerings, such as the Fraud and AML Investigations Management Framework, the Financial Services Industry Foundation Framework and the Healthcare Industry Framework;
- Investment in our professional services employees and infrastructure;
- Development and growth of our proficiency across new industries; and
- Expansion of our research and development efforts in India and in the U.S.

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We believe that the ongoing challenges for our business include continuing to drive revenue growth despite the current economic crisis, continuing to expand our expertise in new and existing industries, and maintaining our leadership position in the BPM market.

To support our growth and successfully address these challenges through 2009 we plan to:

- Continue to develop and increase our solutions frameworks offerings and expertise across targeted industries;
- Expand our professional services and partner organizations;
- Continue to invest in our research and development efforts in India and the U.S.; and
- Continue to hire sales and marketing professionals.

The recent liquidity crisis in the global capital markets and the current economic crisis have had an adverse impact on market participants including, among other things, volatility in security prices, diminished liquidity, and limited access to funding. These conditions could impact the ability and willingness of our financial services and insurance customers, and possibly our customers in other industries, to make investments in technology and pay their trade obligations. Our financial services and insurance customers as a group represent a significant amount of our revenues, including those associated with our non-cancellable term licenses as detailed on page 32, and our receivables. We considered these facts and determined they did not have a material impact on our allowances for doubtful accounts and sales credit memos as of December 31, 2008.

As of December 31, 2008, our cash, cash equivalents, and marketable securities totaled \$167.2 million, a \$17.2 million increase compared to 2007. We believe that our current cash, cash equivalents, marketable securities, and cash flow from operations will be sufficient to fund our operations and our share repurchase program for at least the next 12 months. We also evaluate acquisition and other strategic opportunities from time to time, which if pursued, could require use of our funds. Material risks to cash flow from operations include delayed or reduced cash payments accompanying sales of new licenses or a decline in our services business.

## RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

Our revenue is derived from software licenses, maintenance fees related to our software licenses, and professional services. Revenue from software licenses includes perpetual and term license revenue and subscription revenue. As of January 1, 2008, we expanded the presentation of the services revenue and the associated cost of services lines in the consolidated statements of income to separately disclose the amounts related to maintenance and professional services. Maintenance revenue is a significant portion of our total revenue and is directly attributable to the installed base of our software licenses. Professional services revenue includes revenue from consulting services and training. We believe separate disclosure of the maintenance revenue and the associated direct costs is meaningful to investors and provides an important measure of our business performance. Previously reported amounts have been expanded to conform to the current year presentation and have no impact on previously reported total revenue, total cost of revenue or net income.

### 2008 Compared to 2007

*(Dollars in thousands)*

	<u>Year Ended December 31,</u>		<u>Increase</u>	
	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>		
Total revenue	\$ 211,647	\$ 161,949	\$49,698	31%
Gross profit	129,890	96,747	33,143	34%
Total operating expenses	115,411	94,796	20,615	22%
Income before provision for income taxes	15,672	9,942	5,730	58%

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The increase in our total revenue during 2008 compared to 2007 was attributable to an increase in the demand for our software products and related services due to growth in the BPM sector and our position as leader in this market space. We believe the demand for our software solutions in the current economic crisis is primarily due to the strong value proposition and flexible licensing terms we offer our customers. The increase in gross profit for 2008 compared to 2007 was due to the increase in both license and maintenance revenue despite a decrease in the professional services gross profit.

The increase in income before provision for income taxes during 2008 compared to 2007 was primarily due to our license and maintenance revenue growth. These increases in revenue offset the higher expenses associated with our continued investment in expanding our sales and marketing personnel, professional services infrastructure, and research and development. During 2008, due to credit market turmoil and adverse changes in the economy, we changed the mix of our investment portfolio to increase our holdings of pre-refunded municipal bonds, which resulted in \$1.7 million of lower interest income. Our income before provision for income taxes was also negatively impacted by \$4.5 million of foreign currency transaction losses included in other income (expense), net.

Historically, our revenues have fluctuated quarter to quarter and have been higher in the second half of the year. Furthermore, the revenue growth rate achieved in any historical period is not necessarily indicative of the results expected for future periods.

### Revenue

(Dollars in thousands)

	Year Ended December 31,				Increase	
	2008		2007			
<b>License revenue</b>						
Perpetual licenses	\$46,667	61%	\$37,914	74%	\$ 8,753	23%
Term licenses	25,611	33%	13,170	26%	12,441	94%
Subscription	4,294	6%	—	—	4,294	n/m
Total license revenue	<u>\$76,572</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>\$51,084</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>\$25,488</u>	<u>50%</u>

n/m = not meaningful

The mix between perpetual and term license arrangements fluctuates based on customer circumstances. We generated the majority of our license revenue in 2008 from follow-on sales to existing customers.

We recognize revenue for our term license arrangements over the term of the agreement as payments become due or earlier if prepaid. The term license revenue growth was driven by a 26% increase in the average value of term licenses and a 54% increase in the number of term licenses for which we recognized revenue in 2008 compared to 2007. The increase in term license revenue in 2008 compared to 2007 was due to the increase in the aggregate value of payments for non-cancellable term licenses signed during 2008, 2007, and 2006 for which a portion of these agreements was recognized as revenue in 2008 and the remainder will be recognized as revenue in future periods. The aggregate value of payments due under these term licenses increased to \$88.5 million as of December 31, 2008 compared to \$71.4 million as of December 31, 2007 and compared to \$14.2 million as of December 31, 2006. The aggregate value of future payments due under non-cancellable term licenses as of December 31, 2008 includes \$31.0 million of term license payments that we expect to recognize as revenue in 2009. However, our actual term license revenue in 2009 could be higher than \$31.0 million as we complete new term license agreements in 2009. See the table of future cash receipts by year from these term licenses on page 32.

The increase in perpetual license revenue in 2008 was primarily driven by an increase in the average value of perpetual licenses.

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Subscription revenue primarily relates to our arrangements that include a right to unspecified future products and is recognized ratably over the economic life or term of the arrangement.

(Dollars in thousands)

	Year Ended December 31,		Increase	
	2008	2007		
<b>Maintenance revenue</b>				
Maintenance	\$ 40,115	\$ 31,196	\$8,919	29 %

The increase in maintenance revenue in 2008 compared to 2007 was due to the continued increase in the installed base of our software and a larger number of new license arrangements in the second half of 2007 for which a full year of maintenance revenue was recognized in 2008 as compared to a partial year in 2007. The increase in maintenance revenue was also due to inflation adjustments recognized on a larger installed base of software licenses.

(Dollars in thousands)

	Year Ended December 31,				Increase	
	2008		2007			
<b>Professional services revenue</b>						
Consulting services	\$89,842	95%	\$75,410	95%	\$14,432	19%
Training	5,118	5%	4,259	5%	859	20%
Total Professional services	\$94,960	100%	\$79,669	100%	\$15,291	19%

Professional services are primarily consulting services related to new license implementations. We continue to experience strong demand for these services as our new license arrangements increase. Our U.S. customers accounted for 57% of the professional services revenue in 2008 as compared to 66% in 2007. Our European customers accounted for 36% of the professional services revenue in 2008 as compared to 24% in 2007. The revenue growth from our European customers in 2008 was due to our investment in expanding our infrastructure and sales and marketing in Europe. The increase in professional services revenue was partially offset by a decrease of approximately \$1.9 million as a result of a 27% decline in the British Pound and an 11% decline in the European Euro relative to the U.S. dollar during the last half of 2008. As a result of the demand for these services, we have increased employee headcount in the professional services organization by 23% to 287 employees as of December 31, 2008 from 233 employees as of December 31, 2007. In addition to our own employees, we use contractors to provide these services.

(Dollars in thousands)

	Year Ended December 31,		Increase (Decrease)	
	2008	2007		
<b>Gross Profit</b>				
Software license	\$ 76,477	\$ 51,084	\$25,393	50%
Maintenance	34,725	26,405	8,320	32%
Professional services	18,688	19,258	(570)	(3)%
Total gross profit	\$ 129,890	\$ 96,747	\$33,143	34%
Maintenance gross margin	87%	85%		
Professional services gross margin	20%	24%		

The increase in software license gross profit is due to the increase in our license revenue, which had no significant incremental associated direct costs.

In the third and fourth quarters of 2008, we experienced a decline in demand for our professional services in the U.S. due to the current economic crisis. However, we continued to hire professional services employees and improve our capacity in anticipation of increased demand in the first half of 2009 associated with the increased

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new license arrangements in the second half of 2008. The increased professional services expenses combined with the lower demand resulted in lower utilization and lower gross profit. We believe our investment in professional services will generate growth in license arrangements. We expect to continue our investment in the professional services organization in 2009.

### Operating expenses

(Dollars in thousands)

	Year Ended December 31,		Increase	
	2008	2007		
<b>Selling and marketing</b>				
Selling and marketing	\$ 63,799	\$ 51,743	\$12,056	23%
As a percent of total revenue	30%	32%		
Selling and marketing headcount	190	153	37	24%

Selling and marketing expenses include compensation, benefit, and other headcount-related expenses associated with our selling and marketing personnel as well as advertising, promotions, trade shows, seminars, and other programs. The increase in selling and marketing expenses was primarily due to a \$5.7 million increase in compensation and benefit expenses associated with higher headcount, as well as \$2.4 million higher sales commissions in 2008 compared to 2007, mainly due to an increase in our new license arrangements in 2008 compared to 2007. Selling and marketing expenses also increased due to a \$1.6 million increase in travel expenses associated with higher headcount and higher costs of travel, \$0.8 million of higher recruiting and marketing agency fees associated with hiring additional employees.

(Dollars in thousands)

	Year Ended December 31,		Increase	
	2008	2007		
<b>Research and development</b>				
Research and development	\$ 31,472	\$ 26,198	\$5,274	20%
As a percent of total revenue	15%	16%		
Research and development headcount	162	119	43	36%

Research and development expenses include compensation, benefits, contracted services, and other headcount-related expenses associated with research and development. The increase in research and development expenses during 2008 was primarily due to a \$4.0 million increase in compensation and benefit expenses associated with higher headcount and \$0.6 million of higher offshore contractor expenses. The increase in contractor expenses related to ongoing development and testing, support for the latest release of PRPC, and an increase in contractor rates in 2008 compared to 2007. In 2008, we established a research and development center in India, for which we received favorable Special Economic Zone ("SEZ") tax status approval from the Indian government. The center became operational in October 2008. Subsequent to this date, all expenses associated with the facility are classified as research and development expenses. Prior to becoming operational, the associated start-up expenses were classified as general and administrative expenses. In connection with building our operations in India, we incurred \$0.2 million of higher travel costs, \$0.2 million of higher recruiting agency fees associated with hiring additional employees and \$0.1 million of higher equipment expenses.

(Dollars in thousands)

	Year Ended December 31,		Increase	
	2008	2007		
<b>General and administrative</b>				
General and administrative	\$ 20,140	\$ 16,855	\$3,285	19%
As a percent of total revenue	10%	10%		
General and administrative headcount	129	109	20	18%

General and administrative expenses include compensation, benefit, and other headcount-related expenses associated with the finance, legal, corporate governance, and other administrative headcount, as well as accounting, legal, and other administrative fees. It also includes certain start-up expenses associated with our new

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research and development center in India. The increase in general and administrative costs during 2008 was primarily due to \$3.0 million of higher compensation and benefit costs related to increased headcount and \$2.2 million of start-up expenses for establishing our research and development center in India. In addition, we incurred \$0.5 million of higher legal fees in 2008 primarily associated with the expansion of our European operations and patent work and \$0.6 million of higher tax planning and other tax-related expenses. We also incurred approximately \$0.6 million of higher rent expense associated with the additional leased space in Cambridge, Massachusetts, India, and Europe. These increases were partially offset by \$1.0 million of lower professional fees.

### Stock-based compensation

In accordance with Financial Accounting Standards Board (“FASB”) Statement of Financial Accounting Standards (“SFAS”) No. 123R, “Share-Based Payment” (“SFAS 123(R)”), we recognize stock-based compensation expense associated with equity awards in our consolidated statements of income based on the fair value of these awards at the date of grant. The following table summarizes stock-based compensation expense included in our consolidated statements of income in 2008 and 2007:

	Year Ended December 31,		Increase	
	2008	2007		
<i>(Dollars in thousands)</i>				
<b>Stock-based compensation expense:</b>				
Cost of services	\$ 995	\$ 490	\$ 505	103%
Selling and marketing	807	436	371	85%
Research and development	539	130	409	315%
General and administrative	1,191	562	629	112%
Total stock-based compensation before tax	3,532	1,618	<u>\$1,914</u>	118%
Income tax benefit	(1,090)	(430)		
Net stock-based compensation expense	<u>\$ 2,442</u>	<u>\$ 1,188</u>		

The increase in stock-based compensation expense in 2008 compared to 2007 was due to stock-based awards granted in December 2007 and March 2008. As of December 31, 2008, we had approximately \$2.1 million of unrecognized stock-based compensation expense related to the unvested portion of all our stock options that is expected to be recognized over a weighted-average period of approximately 2.0 years. As of December 31, 2008, we had approximately \$1.9 million of unrecognized stock-based compensation expense related to the unvested portion of all our RSUs that is expected to be recognized over a weighted-average period of 2.1 years. See Note 14 “Stock-Based Compensation” in the notes to the accompanying consolidated financial statements for further information on our stock-based awards.

	Year Ended December 31,		(Decrease)	
	2008	2007		
<i>(Dollars in thousands)</i>				
<b>Interest income, Other income and Income taxes</b>				
Installment receivable interest income	\$ 597	\$ 1,244	\$ (647)	(52)%
Other interest income, net	5,029	6,718	(1,689)	(25)%
Other income (expense), net	(4,433)	29	(4,462)	n/m
Interest income and other	<u>\$ 1,193</u>	<u>\$ 7,991</u>	<u>\$(6,798)</u>	(85)%

n/m = not meaningful

The decrease in interest income in 2008 compared to 2007 was primarily due to our investment in lower yielding tax-exempt municipal bonds and the decrease in interest income from installment receivables. We expect a continued reduction in interest income associated with the installment receivables as a result of the declining balance of term licenses on which revenue has been recognized in advance of payments. During 2008, due to credit market turmoil and adverse changes in the economy, we changed the mix of our investment

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portfolio to increase our holdings of pre-refunded municipal bonds. These bonds are collateralized by the issuer purchasing U.S. Treasury securities to fund all the cash flows of the refunded municipal bonds that will mature when the issuer's bond matures.

Other income (expense), net, consists primarily of foreign currency exchange gains and losses and realized gains and losses on the sale of our investments. The decrease in other income (expense), net, resulted primarily from the significant decrease in the value of foreign currency denominated net assets held in the U.S., consisting primarily of cash, license installments, receivables, and accounts payable. As a result of the significant decrease in the value of the British pound and Euro relative to the U.S. dollar during 2008, we recorded a \$4.5 million foreign currency exchange transaction loss as compared to a \$0.3 million foreign exchange transaction gain in 2007. See Item 7A. "Quantitative And Qualitative Disclosure About Market Risk" for further discussion of our foreign currency exchange risk.

### *Provision for income taxes*

The provision for income taxes represents current and future amounts owed for federal, state, and foreign taxes. During 2008 and 2007, we recorded a \$4.7 million and \$3.3 million provision, respectively, which resulted in an effective tax rate of 30% and 34%, respectively.

The decrease in the effective tax rate during 2008 compared to 2007 was primarily due to the increased investment in tax-exempt municipal bonds and the benefit from the SEZ India tax holiday. These decreases in the effective tax rate were partially offset by an increase in our reserve for uncertain tax positions.

During 2008, we recorded a charge related to positions taken on prior tax returns, which resulted in an increase of \$0.9 million to our unrecognized tax benefits, the majority of which was related to state income tax credits. As of December 31, 2008, the amount of unrecognized tax benefits totaled approximately \$6.2 million, of which \$5.2 million, if recognized would impact our effective tax rate. We expect that the changes in the unrecognized benefits within the next twelve months would be approximately \$1.3 million related to tax positions for which the ultimate settlement is highly certain but for which there is uncertainty about the timing of such recognition.

Our effective income tax rate for 2008 was below the statutory federal income tax rate due to approximately \$0.5 million of benefits related to the current period domestic production activities, approximately \$0.8 million of estimated federal income tax credits, and approximately \$0.6 million of benefit from tax-exempt income. These benefits were partially offset by an increase in the Company's reserve for uncertain tax positions of \$1.3 million, the majority of which is related to the state tax credits, and permanent differences of \$0.4 million primarily related to nondeductible meals and entertainment expenses.

Our effective income tax rate for 2007 was below the statutory federal income tax rate due to approximately \$0.3 million of benefits related to the current period domestic production activities, approximately \$0.5 million of estimated federal income tax credits, and approximately \$0.2 million of state income tax credits. These benefits were partially offset by \$0.3 million of permanent differences primarily related to nondeductible meals and entertainment expenses and approximately \$0.2 million of prior year provision to tax return adjustments.

## 2007 Compared to 2006

*(Dollars in thousands)*

	Year Ended December 31,		Increase	
	2007	2006		
Total revenue	\$ 161,949	\$ 126,023	\$35,926	29%
Gross profit	96,747	72,260	24,487	34%
Total operating expenses	94,796	79,374	15,422	19%
Income before provision (benefit) for income taxes	9,942	1,187	8,755	n/m

n/m = not meaningful

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The increase in total revenue in 2007 compared to 2006 consisted of a \$15.7 million increase in license revenue, a \$14.3 million increase in professional services and training revenue and a \$5.9 million increase in maintenance revenue, in each case due to an increase in the overall demand for our software, related professional services, and maintenance. Our international revenue was 35% of total revenue in 2007 compared to 37% in 2006.

The increase in gross profit for 2007 compared to 2006 was due to the increase in license revenue and an increase of \$8.7 million in services gross profit.

Total operating expenses increased in 2007 compared to 2006 due to our continued investment in expanding the number of sales and marketing personnel, increased spending in research and development, and higher professional fees as a result of restating our previously issued financial statements.

The increase in income before provision (benefit) for income taxes was primarily due to the \$24.5 million increase in our gross profit, which was partially offset by a \$15.4 million increase in operating expenses as discussed above.

### Revenue

(Dollars in thousands)

	Year Ended December 31,				Increase	
	2007		2006			
<b>License revenue</b>						
Perpetual licenses	\$37,914	74%	\$27,196	77%	\$10,718	39%
Term licenses	13,170	26%	8,228	23%	4,942	60%
Total license revenue	<u>\$51,084</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>\$35,424</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>\$15,660</u>	<u>44%</u>

The mix between perpetual and term license arrangements fluctuates based on customer circumstances. Our license revenue growth in 2007 was primarily driven by increased demand for perpetual licenses of our software. Both the number and the average value of perpetual license arrangements increased in 2007 compared to 2006.

We recognize revenue for our term license arrangements over the term of the agreement as payments become due or earlier if prepaid. While the number of term license arrangements decreased, the average value of term license arrangements increased in 2007 compared to 2006. The aggregate value of payments under these term licenses, which will be recognized in future periods as revenue, totaled \$71.4 million as of December 31, 2007 as compared to \$14.2 million as of December 31, 2006. The aggregate value of these non-cancellable term license arrangements as of December 31, 2007 includes \$21.3 million of term license payments that we expect to recognize as revenue in 2008, which represents a 61% increase compared to \$13.2 million of term license revenue in 2007.

(Dollars in thousands)

	Year Ended December 31,				Increase	
	2007		2006			
<b>Services revenue</b>						
Professional services and training	\$ 79,669	72%	\$65,444	72%	\$14,225	22%
Maintenance	31,196	28%	25,155	28%	6,041	24%
Total services revenue	<u>\$110,865</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>\$90,599</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>\$20,266</u>	<u>22%</u>

We continued to experience strong demand for these services as our installed license base continued to grow in 2007. As a result of the demand for these services, we increased employee headcount in the professional services organization. In addition to our own employees, we used contractors to provide these services.

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The increase in maintenance revenue in 2007 compared to 2006 was a result of the continued increase in the installed base of our software.

(Dollars in thousands)

	Year Ended December 31,		Increase	
	2007	2006		
<b>Gross Profit</b>				
License gross profit	\$ 51,084	\$ 35,392	\$15,692	44%
Services gross profit	45,663	36,868	8,795	24%
Total gross profit	\$ 96,747	\$ 72,260	\$24,487	34%
Services gross margin	41%	41%		

There were no significant direct costs associated with license revenue, therefore, increases in license gross profit were due to increases in license revenue.

Our professional services and training gross margin was unchanged in 2007 compared to 2006. While we increased the professional services headcount by 42% in 2007, and 80% of those new employees were hired in the second half of the year, contractor costs as a percentage of professional services and training revenue decreased to 14%, or \$11.2 million, in 2007 compared to 17%, or \$11.3 million, in 2006. Our margin on maintenance in 2007 was also unchanged in 2007 compared to 2006.

### Operating expenses

(Dollars in thousands)

	Year Ended December 31,		Increase	
	2007	2006		
<b>Selling and marketing</b>				
Selling and marketing	\$ 51,743	\$ 43,938	\$7,805	18%
As a percent of total revenue	32%	35%		
Selling and marketing headcount	153	138	15	11%

The increase in selling and marketing expenses was primarily due to an increase in employee related costs associated with increased headcount in 2007 compared to 2006. Payroll, compensation and benefit expenses increased approximately \$4.5 million and travel expenses increased approximately \$0.8 million a result of the higher headcount.

(Dollars in thousands)

	Year Ended December 31,		Increase	
	2007	2006		
<b>Research and development</b>				
Research and development	\$ 26,198	\$ 22,707	\$3,491	15%
As a percent of total revenue	16%	18%		
Research and development headcount	119	108	11	10%

The increase in research and development costs during 2007 was primarily due to \$1.1 million of higher headcount costs and \$1.2 million of higher offshore contractor costs. We were in the process of establishing our research and development center in India in 2007. The associated start-up costs were included in general and administrative expenses until the new center became operational during 2007.

(Dollars in thousands)

	Year Ended December 31,		Increase	
	2007	2006		
<b>General and administrative</b>				
General and administrative	\$ 16,855	\$ 12,729	\$4,126	32%
As a percent of total revenue	10%	10%		
General and administrative headcount	109	103	6	6%

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The increase in general and administrative costs during 2007 was primarily due to \$1.4 million of higher compensation and benefit costs relating to increased headcount and \$1.3 million of higher professional fees associated with the restatement of our previously issued financial statements.

### *Stock-based compensation*

The following table summarizes stock-based compensation expense included in our consolidated statements of income in 2007 and 2006:

	<u>Year Ended December 31,</u>		<u>Increase (Decrease)</u>	
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>		
<i>(in thousands, except per share amounts)</i>				
<b>Stock-based compensation expense:</b>				
Cost of services	\$ 490	\$ 286	\$204	71%
Selling and marketing	436	520	(84)	(16)%
Research and development	130	135	(5)	(4)%
General and administrative	<u>562</u>	<u>527</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>7%</u>
Total stock-based compensation before tax	1,618	1,468	<u>\$150</u>	<u>10%</u>
Income tax benefit	<u>(430)</u>	<u>(520)</u>		
Net stock-based compensation expense	<u>\$ 1,188</u>	<u>\$ 948</u>		
<b>Effect on earnings (loss) per share:</b>				
Basic	\$ (0.03)	\$ (0.03)		
Diluted	\$ (0.03)	\$ (0.03)		

In December 2007, we granted approximately 408,000 stock options and approximately 204,000 RSUs to certain employees. The associated stock-based compensation expense for these grants was insignificant in 2007, due to the awards being granted near the end of the year. As of December 31, 2007, we had approximately \$2.5 million of unrecognized stock-based compensation expense related to the unvested portion of all our stock options that is expected to be recognized as expense over a weighted-average period of approximately 2.0 years and we had approximately \$1.4 million of unrecognized stock-based compensation expense related to the RSUs that is expected to be recognized as expense over a weighted-average period of 2.7 years.

*(Dollars in thousands)*

	<u>Year Ended December 31,</u>		<u>Increase (Decrease)</u>	
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>		
<b><i>Interest income, Other income and Income taxes</i></b>				
Installment receivable interest income	\$ 1,244	\$ 1,899	\$ (655)	(34)%
Other interest income, net	6,718	5,360	1,358	25%
Other income, net	29	1,042	(1,013)	(97)%
Interest income and other	<u>\$ 7,991</u>	<u>\$ 8,301</u>	<u>\$ (310)</u>	<u>(4)%</u>

The increase in interest income was primarily due to larger balances of cash and investments, partially offset by the decrease in interest rates and an expected reduction in interest income from installment receivables reflecting the declining balance of term licenses on which revenue had been recognized in advance of payments.

Other income, net, consists primarily of foreign currency exchange gains and losses and realized gains and losses on the sale of our investments. The decrease in other income, net, resulted primarily from the decrease in the gain of foreign currency denominated net assets held in the U.S., consisting primarily of cash, license installments, receivables, and accounts payable. During 2007, we recorded a \$0.3 million foreign currency exchange transaction gain as compared to a \$1.2 million gain in 2006.

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### *Provision (benefit) for income taxes*

In 2007, we recorded a \$3.3 million provision compared to a benefit of \$0.7 million in 2006, which resulted in an effective tax rate of 34% in 2007 compared to (55%) in 2006.

Our effective income tax rate for 2007 was below the statutory federal income tax rate due to approximately \$0.3 million of benefits related to the current period domestic production activities, approximately \$0.5 million of estimated federal income tax credits, and approximately \$0.2 million of state income tax credits. These benefits were partially offset by \$0.3 million of permanent differences primarily related to nondeductible meals and entertainment expenses and approximately \$0.2 million of prior year provision to return adjustments.

Our effective tax rate for 2006 differed from the statutory federal income tax rate due to approximately \$0.7 million of benefits related to current period extra-territorial income exclusions, approximately \$0.2 million of estimated federal income tax credits, a \$0.3 million benefit from foreign activities, and approximately \$0.3 million of net benefit from state income taxes primarily due to state income tax credits. These factors were partially offset by \$0.2 million of permanent differences primarily related to nondeductible meals and entertainment expenses and a \$0.2 million increase in reserve for tax uncertainties related to international activity.

We adopted the provisions of FASB Interpretation No. 48, "Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes — an interpretation of FASB Statement No. 109" ("FIN 48") on January 1, 2007. As a result, we recorded the cumulative effect of applying the provisions of FIN 48 and recorded a \$1.5 million reduction to our January 1, 2007 retained earnings. As of December 31, 2007, the amount of unrecognized tax benefits totaled approximately \$9.8 million, of which \$3.9 million, if recognized would impact our effective tax rate.

## LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

(in thousands)

	Year Ended December 31,		
	2008	2007	2006
Cash flows provided by (used in):			
Operating activities	\$ 38,399	\$ 25,347	\$ 19,844
Investing activities	(13,764)	(24,847)	(10,771)
Financing activities	(13,354)	(251)	(4,902)
Effect of exchange rate on cash	(1,904)	453	523
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	\$ 9,377	\$ 702	\$ 4,694
Total cash and cash equivalents and marketable securities	\$167,229	\$149,981	\$127,758

We have funded our operations primarily from cash flows provided by operations and we expect to continue funding our operations in this manner in 2009. As of December 31, 2008, we had cash, cash equivalents, and marketable securities of \$167.2 million, a \$17.2 million increase from \$150.0 million as of December 31, 2007. This increase was primarily due to \$38.4 million of cash flow provided by operations offset by \$19.4 million in repurchases of our common stock and \$4.4 million in dividend payments to our shareholders. As of December 31, 2007, we had cash, cash equivalents, and marketable securities of \$150.0 million, a \$22.2 million increase from \$127.8 million as of December 31, 2006. This increase was primarily due to \$25.3 million of cash flow provided by operations offset by \$9.1 million in repurchases of our common stock. Working capital was \$159.1 million as of December 31, 2008 compared to \$159.5 million as of December 31, 2007.

We believe that our current cash, cash equivalents, marketable securities, and cash flow from operations will be sufficient to fund our operations and our share repurchase program for at least the next 12 months. We also evaluate acquisition opportunities from time to time, which if pursued, could require use of our funds. Material risks to cash flow from operations include delayed or reduced cash payments on sales of new licenses or a decline in our services business. The recent liquidity crisis in the global capital markets and the current economic

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crisis have had an adverse impact on market participants including, among other things, volatility in security prices, diminished liquidity, and limited access to funding. These conditions could impact the ability and willingness of our financial services and insurance customers, and possibly our customers in other industries, to make investments in technology and pay their trade obligations. Our financial services and insurance customers as a group represent a significant amount of our revenues and receivables, which we considered and determined did not have a material impact on our allowances for doubtful accounts and sales credit memos as of December 31, 2008. There can be no assurance that changes in our plans or other events affecting our operations will not result in materially accelerated or unexpected expenditures.

### **Cash flows provided by operating activities**

Cash flows provided by operating activities during 2008 increased to \$38.4 million compared to \$25.3 million in 2007. The increase of \$13.1 million was primarily the result of improvement in the collection of our receivables and the increase in our net income.

The primary components of cash flows provided by operations during 2008 were \$11.0 million of net income, a \$3.1 million decrease in trade accounts receivable due to the timing of collections, and a \$16.6 million decrease in license installments for term license arrangements with extended payment terms.

### **Cash flows used in investing activities**

Net cash flows used in investing activities during 2008, 2007, and 2006 were primarily for purchases of marketable securities of \$194.5 million, \$109.3 million and \$94.0 million, respectively, partially offset by the proceeds received from the sales, maturities and called debt securities of \$185.6 million, \$87.2 million and \$85.7 million, respectively.

In March 2008, we paid approximately \$0.8 million in cash to acquire certain assets of privately held Focus Technology Group, Inc. and a related entity (collectively, "Focus"), that provides anti-fraud and anti-money laundering software to the banking industry. In addition to the initial purchase consideration, maximum contingent consideration of approximately \$2.1 million in cash may be due to the former owners of Focus upon the achievement of certain performance milestones and sales targets to be paid over a period of 30 months from the acquisition date.

### **Cash flows used in financing activities**

Net cash flows used in financing activities during 2008, 2007, and 2006 were primarily for repurchases of our common stock and the payment of our quarterly dividend. In each February and December 2008, our Board of Directors approved a \$15.0 million share repurchase program. The December 2008 repurchase program expires on December 31, 2009. Since 2004, our Board of Directors has approved annual stock repurchase programs that have authorized the repurchase in the aggregate up to \$60.0 million of our common stock. Purchases under these programs may be made from time to time on the open market or in privately negotiated transactions as market conditions warrant, subject to regulatory and other considerations.

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### *Common stock repurchase programs*

The following table is a summary of our repurchase activity under all of our stock repurchase programs during 2008, 2007, and 2006:

(Dollars in thousands)

	2008		2007		2006	
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount
Prior year authorizations at January 1,		\$ 1,210		\$ 6,872		\$ 4,123
Authorizations		30,000		10,000		10,000
Repurchases paid	1,503,551	(17,969)	799,347	(9,135)	962,420	(6,819)
Repurchases unsettled	32,376	(379)	48,015	(569)		—
Expirations		—		(5,958)		(432)
Authorized dollars remaining as of December 31,		<u>\$ 12,862</u>		<u>\$ 1,210</u>		<u>\$ 6,872</u>

These share repurchases offset the shares issued and proceeds received under our various share-based compensation plans in 2008 and 2006, and partially offset these amounts in 2007.

### *Dividends*

On May 30, 2006, our Board of Directors approved an ongoing quarterly cash dividend of \$0.03 per share, beginning with the second quarter ended June 30, 2006. Accordingly, the Company declared a cash dividend of \$0.12 per share for each of the years ended December 31, 2008 and 2007, \$0.09 per share for the year ended December 31, 2006, and paid cash dividends of \$4.4 million, \$4.3 million, and \$2.1 million in 2008, 2007, and 2006, respectively. It is our current intention to pay a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.03 per share to shareholders of record as of the first trading day of each quarter, however, the Board of Directors may terminate or modify this dividend program at any time without notice.

### *Contractual obligations*

As of December 31, 2008, we had material commitments for purchases of customer support and consulting services, and payments under operating leases. Our principal administrative, sales, marketing, support, and research and development operations are located in approximately 105,000 square foot leased facility in Cambridge, Massachusetts. The lease for this facility expires in 2013, subject to our option to extend for two additional five-year periods.

We also lease space for our other offices in the U.S., Australia, Canada, India, the United Kingdom and in other European countries. These leases expire at various dates through 2013. Rent expense under operating leases is recognized on a straight-line basis to account for scheduled rent increases. The excess of expense over current payments is recorded as deferred rent and included in accrued expenses and other long-term liabilities.

As of December 31, 2008, our known contractual obligations, including future minimum rental payments required under operating leases with non-cancelable terms in excess of one year were as follows:

<b>Contractual obligations: (in thousands)</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Payment due by period</b>				
		<b>2009</b>	<b>2010 &amp; 2011</b>	<b>2012 &amp; 2013</b>	<b>2014 and after</b>	<b>Other</b>
Purchase commitments	\$ 2,541	\$2,411	\$ 130	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
FIN 48 liability (1)	6,201	1,319	—	—	—	4,882
Operating lease obligations (2)	20,082	4,624	9,046	6,412	—	—
Total	<u>\$28,824</u>	<u>\$8,354</u>	<u>\$9,176</u>	<u>\$6,412</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$4,882</u>

(1) Total contractual obligations include our FIN 48 liability of approximately \$6.2 million, but we are unable to reasonably estimate the timing in individual years beyond 12 months due to uncertainties in the timing of

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the effective settlement of tax positions. The Company expects that the changes in the unrecognized benefits within the next twelve months would be approximately \$1.3 million related to tax positions for which the ultimate settlement is highly certain but for which there is uncertainty about the timing of such recognition.

- (2) Includes deferred rent of approximately \$0.3 million included in accounts payable and accrued expenses and approximately \$1.6 million in other long-term liabilities in the accompanying consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2008.

The following table summarizes the cash receipts due in connection with our existing term license agreements:

<u>Year ended December 31, (in thousands)</u>	<u>Installment payments for term licenses recorded on the balance sheet (1)</u>	<u>Installment payments for term licenses not recorded on the balance sheet (2)</u>
2009	\$ 5,445	\$ 31,018
2010	2,790	21,815
2011	2,215	18,354
2012	1,292	11,639
2013	—	3,695
Thereafter	—	1,937
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,742</b>	<b>\$ 88,458</b>
Unearned installment interest income	(884)	
<b>Total license installments receivable, net</b>	<b>\$ 10,858</b>	

- (1) These amounts were recognized as license revenue, net of unearned installment interest income and consist of approximately \$5.4 million of short-term license installments and approximately \$5.4 million of long-term license installments included in the accompanying consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2008. For these agreements, we recognized the present value of future term license payments upon customer acceptance, provided that no significant obligations or contingencies exist related to the software, other than maintenance support, and provided all other criteria for revenue recognition were met.
- (2) These amounts will be recognized as revenue in the future over the term of the agreement as payments become due or earlier if prepaid. The aggregate installment payments for these term licenses increased by \$17.1 million in 2008 from \$71.4 million as of December 31, 2007.

## Fair Value Inputs

We adopted SFAS No. 157 “Fair Value Measurements” (“SFAS 157”) on January 1, 2008. See Note 3 “Recent Accounting Pronouncements” and Note 4 “Cash, Marketable Securities, And Fair Value Measurements” in the notes to the accompanying consolidated financial statements for further discussion. Fair value is a market-based measurement that is determined based on assumptions that market participants would use in pricing an asset or liability. The use of fair value to measure investments, with related unrealized gains or losses on investments, is a significant component to our consolidated results of operations.

We value our investments by using quoted market prices and broker or dealer quotations which are based on third party pricing sources with reasonable levels of price transparency. The types of instruments valued based on quoted market prices in active markets include some of the government debt securities, some of the municipal debt securities, money market securities and most of the corporate debt securities. We do not adjust the quoted price for such instruments. The types of instruments valued based on other observable inputs include most of the municipal debt securities and some of the corporate debt securities. The price for each security at the measurement date is sourced from an independent pricing vendor. Periodically, management may assess the reasonableness of these sourced prices by comparing them to the prices provided by our portfolio managers to derive the fair value of these financial instruments. Management assesses the inputs of the pricing in order to categorize the financial instruments into the appropriate hierarchy levels.

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### CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND ESTIMATES

Management's discussion and analysis of the financial condition and results of operations is based upon our consolidated financial statements, which have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the U.S. The preparation of these financial statements requires us to make estimates and judgments that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses, and related disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. We base our estimates and judgments on historical experience, knowledge of current conditions and beliefs of what could occur in the future given available information. We consider the following accounting policies to be both those most important to the portrayal of our financial condition and those that require the most subjective judgment. If actual results differ significantly from management's estimates and projections, there could be a material effect on our financial statements.

#### *Revenue recognition*

Our revenue is derived from software licenses, maintenance fees related to our software licenses, and professional services. Our license arrangements, whether involving a perpetual license or a term license, generally contain multiple elements. In addition to the license, these elements generally include professional consulting services, training, and software maintenance services. Revenue from arrangements in which the fair value of one or more undelivered elements is unknown is deferred until the fair value of those elements is known and the residual value of the license can be determined.

#### *Software license revenues*

Perpetual software license fees are recognized as revenue when the software is delivered, any acceptance required by contract that is not perfunctory is obtained, no significant obligations or contingencies exist related to the software other than maintenance support, and all other revenue recognition criteria are met.

Term software license fees are generally payable on a monthly basis under license agreements that typically have a three to five-year term and may be renewed for additional terms at the customer's option.

As a result of our focus on frequent sales to our targeted customers, our strategy to sell initial term licensing agreements to those customers with the goal to generate follow-on sales, and as a result of extended payment terms, we recognize term license revenue over the term of the agreement as payments become due or earlier if prepaid, provided all other criteria for revenue recognition have been met.

Historically, the majority of our term license arrangements were larger agreements with extended payment terms that did not typically result in follow-on license agreements. We have a history of successfully collecting payments under the original payment terms, therefore for these arrangements, we have recognized the present value of the future term license payments upon customer acceptance, provided that no significant obligations or contingencies exist related to the software, other than maintenance support, and provided all other criteria for revenue recognition have been met. A portion of the license fees payable under these agreements (equal to the difference between the total license payments and the discounted present value of those payments) was initially deferred and recognized as installment receivable interest income (and is not part of total revenue) over the license term. For purposes of the present value calculations, the discount rates used were estimates of customers' borrowing rates at the time of recognition, typically below prime rate, and have varied between 3.25% and 6.70% for the past few years. As of December 31, 2008, the remaining balance of these installment receivables totaled approximately \$10.9 million as summarized in the table on page 32.

For licensing arrangements that include a right to unspecified future products, fees are accounted for as subscriptions and the revenue is recognized ratably over the economic life or term of the arrangement.

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### *Maintenance revenues*

Maintenance revenue is deferred and recognized ratably over the term of the support period. Perpetual software maintenance revenue is recognized over the term of the related maintenance agreement, which is generally one year and renewed on an annual basis thereafter. For term licenses, we recognize the entire arrangement fee ratably over the license term when the renewal rate or period is not substantive compared to the term license. In general, maintenance and support obligations are based on separately stated renewal rates in the arrangement that are deemed substantive and therefore represent vendor specific objective evidence (“VSOE”) of fair value.

### *Professional services revenues*

Our services revenue is comprised of fees for consulting services, including software implementation, and training. Consulting services may be provided on a “stand-alone” basis or bundled with a license and software maintenance services.

Revenue from training services and consulting services under time and materials contracts is recognized as services are performed. We have VSOE of fair value for our training services, and consulting services under time and materials contracts.

Services may be provided on a fixed-price basis. We do not have VSOE of fair value for fixed-price services prior to completion of the services. When fixed-price services are part of a multiple element arrangement, and the services are not essential to the functionality of the software, and when services including maintenance, are the only undelivered element, we recognize the revenue from the total arrangement ratably over the longer of the software maintenance period or the service period. In a limited number of our arrangements, the fixed-price services are essential to the arrangement because we make significant alterations to the functionality of the software or build complex interfaces necessary for the software to be functional in the customer’s environment. We have not been able to make reasonably dependable estimates for the purpose of determining our progress to completion, as we have limited experience with these types of unique and complex arrangements. Accordingly, when the fixed-price services are essential to the arrangement, all revenue and costs are deferred until the completion of the fixed-price services under the completed contract method. Revenue from fixed-price services that are not bundled with a software license is generally recognized as performed during the service period, which is typically less than four months.

We warrant to our customers that our software products will conform to documented specifications. We have not experienced significant claims related to software warranties beyond the scope of maintenance support, which we are already obligated to provide, and consequently we have not established reserves for warranty obligations.

Our agreements with customers generally require us to indemnify the customer against claims that our software infringes third party patent, copyright, trademark or other proprietary rights. Such indemnification obligations are generally limited in a variety of industry-standard respects, including our right to replace an infringing product. As of December 31, 2008, we had not experienced any material losses related to these indemnification obligations and no claims with respect thereto were outstanding. We do not expect significant claims related to these indemnification obligations, and consequently, we have not established any related reserves.

### *Deferred project costs*

We defer direct costs when a project is being accounted for under the completed contract method or for certain arrangements where all of the required revenue recognition criteria have not been met. We report these deferred project costs in other current assets.

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### *Deferred revenue*

Deferred software license revenue typically results from customer specific acceptance provisions and other arrangements for which all of the criteria to recognize revenue have not been met. Deferred maintenance revenue represents software license updates and product support contracts that are typically billed on an annual basis in advance and are recognized ratably over the support periods. Deferred professional services revenue represents prepayments for consulting and education services that are recognized as the services are performed.

### *Allowance for doubtful accounts and allowance for sales credit memos*

We maintain an allowance for doubtful accounts for estimated losses resulting from the inability of our customers to make required payments. Our estimates are based on the composition of the accounts receivable aging, historical bad debts, changes in payment patterns, customer creditworthiness and current economic trends. If we used different assumptions, or if the financial condition of customers were to deteriorate that resulted in their inability to make required payments, additional provisions for doubtful accounts would be required and would increase bad debt expense.

We record allowances for estimates of potential sales credit memos. We base these estimates on historical analyses of sales credit memos and assumptions about future events and experience with customer disputes. If we used different assumptions in calculating the allowance, adjustments would be reflected as changes to revenue.

### *Stock-based compensation*

In accordance with SFAS 123(R), we recognize stock-based compensation expense associated with equity awards in our consolidated statements of income based on the fair value of these awards at the date of grant. We adopted the provisions of SFAS 123(R) on January 1, 2006 using the modified prospective method, and, accordingly prior period amounts were not restated. Stock-based compensation is recognized over the requisite service period, which is generally the vesting period of the equity award, and adjusted each period for anticipated forfeitures. We recognize stock-based compensation using the ratable method, which treats each vesting tranche as if it were an individual grant.

During the fourth quarter of 2007, our Board of Directors approved changes to our equity compensation program, including the granting of RSUs in addition to stock options, for periodic equity compensation grants. RSUs deliver to the recipient a right to receive a specified number of shares of our common stock upon vesting, net of tax withholding. Unlike stock options, there is no cost to the employee at share issuance. We value our RSUs at the fair value of our common stock on the grant date, which is the closing price of our common stock on the grant date, less the present value of expected dividends as the employee is not entitled to dividends during the requisite service period. We periodically grant stock options and RSUs for a fixed number of shares to employees and non-employee Directors. The exercise price for stock options is greater than or equal to the fair market value of the shares at the date of the grant.

We estimate the fair value of stock options using the Black-Scholes option valuation model, which requires us to make estimates of key assumptions including the expected term of the option, the expected volatility of our stock price over the option's expected term, the risk-free interest rate over the option's expected term, and our expected annual dividend yield. The expected term of options granted is derived from historical data on employee exercises and post-vesting employment termination behavior. The expected volatility is based on the historical volatility of our stock price. The expected annual dividend yield is based on the expected annual dividend of \$0.12 per share divided by the average stock price. The risk-free interest rate is based on the yield of zero-coupon U.S. Treasury securities for a period that is commensurate with the expected option term at the time of grant. If factors change and we employ different assumptions in the application of SFAS 123(R) in future periods, the compensation expense that we record under SFAS 123(R) may differ significantly from what we have recorded in the current period.

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The choice of a valuation model, and the underlying assumptions used in applying that model, involves significant judgment. Our judgment reflects our assessment of the most accurate method of valuing the stock options we issue based on our historical experience, knowledge of current conditions and beliefs of what could occur in the future given available information. Our judgment could change over time as additional information becomes available to us, or the facts underlying our assumptions change over time, and any change in our judgments could have a material effect on our financial statements.

See Note 14 “Stock-Based Compensation” in the notes to the accompanying consolidated financial statements for further information on the impact of SFAS 123(R) to our consolidated financial statements.

### *Accounting for Income Taxes*

We account for income taxes in accordance with SFAS No. 109, “Accounting for Income Taxes ” (“SFAS 109”), which requires that deferred tax assets and liabilities be recognized using enacted tax rates for the effect of temporary differences between the book and tax bases of recorded assets and liabilities. We record a valuation allowance to reduce our deferred taxes to an amount we believe is more likely than not to be realized. We consider future taxable income and prudent and feasible tax planning strategies in assessing the need for a valuation allowance.

As a global company, we use significant judgment to calculate and provide for income taxes in each of the tax jurisdictions in which we operate. In the ordinary course of our business, there are transactions and calculations undertaken whose ultimate tax outcome cannot be certain. Some of these uncertainties arise as a consequence of transfer pricing for transactions with our subsidiaries and potential challenges to nexus and credit estimates. We estimate our exposure to unfavorable outcomes related to these uncertainties and estimate the probability for such outcomes in accordance with the provisions of FIN 48, which we adopted on January 1, 2007. See Note 15 “Income Taxes” in the notes to the accompanying consolidated financial statements for further information on the impact of FIN 48 on our consolidated financial statements.

Although we believe our estimates are reasonable, no assurance can be given that the final tax outcome will not be different from what is reflected in our historical income tax provisions, returns, and accruals. Such differences, or changes in estimates relating to potential differences, could have a material impact on our income tax provision and operating results in the period in which such a determination is made.

### *New Accounting Pronouncements*

See Note 3 “Recent Accounting Pronouncements” in the notes to the accompanying consolidated financial statements for further discussion.

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### ITEM 7A. QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURE ABOUT MARKET RISK

Market risk represents the risk of loss that may affect us due to adverse changes in financial market prices and rates. Our market risk exposure is primarily related to fluctuations in foreign exchange rates and interest rates. To date we have not entered into derivative or hedging transactions to manage risk in connection with such fluctuations.

#### *Foreign currency exposure*

We derived approximately 38%, 35%, and 37% of our total revenue from sales to customers based outside of the U.S. in 2008, 2007, and 2006, respectively. Our international license and professional services sales have increasingly become denominated in foreign currencies. However, the operating expenses of our foreign operations are primarily denominated in foreign currencies, which partially offset our foreign currency exposure. A decrease in the value of foreign currencies, particularly the British pound and the Euro relative to the U.S. dollar, could adversely impact our revenues and operating results.

Most of our transactions with customers are invoiced from our offices in the U.S. For those transactions that are denominated in currencies other than the U.S. dollar, we have receivables and license installments that are valued in foreign currencies. In addition, our U.S. operating company holds cash and investments in foreign currencies in order to support our foreign operations. Our functional currency is the U.S. dollar, therefore, when there are changes in the foreign currency exchange rates versus the U.S. dollar, we recognize a foreign currency transaction gain or (loss) in other income (expense), net in our consolidated statements of income. As of December 31, 2008, we had net monetary assets valued in foreign currencies, consisting primarily of cash, license installments, and receivables, partially offset by accounts payable and accrued expenses, with a carrying value of approximately \$24.3 million. During 2008, we recorded a \$4.5 million foreign currency transaction loss due to the significant decrease in the value of foreign currencies, primarily the British pound and to a lesser extent the Euro, relative to the U.S. dollar. As of December 31, 2008, a ten percent change in foreign currency exchange rates would have changed the carrying value of our net assets by approximately \$2.4 million as of that date with a corresponding currency gain (loss) recognized in our consolidated statement of income.

#### *Interest rate exposure*

Our balance sheet contains interest bearing assets which have fixed rates of interest. These assets include license installments receivable generated in the normal course of business through transactions with customers and our investments in marketable debt securities.

License installments receivable bear interest at the rate in effect when the license revenue was recognized, which does not vary throughout the life of the contractual cash flow stream. Changes in market rates do not affect net earnings as the license installments receivable are carried at cost and, since they are not financial instruments and are held until maturity, are not marked to market to reflect changes in the fair value of the portfolio. The carrying value of our total license installment receivables was approximately \$10.9 million as of December 31, 2008, and reflects the weighted-average of historic discount rates used to record each term license arrangement. The balance of our license installments receivable has significantly declined as historical arrangements are billed and collected and no new license installment arrangements have been added to the portfolio.

We invest primarily in tax-exempt municipal bonds, government sponsored enterprises and corporate bonds that are fixed rate marketable debt securities. A 200 basis point increase in market interest rates would have reduced the fair value of our marketable debt securities by approximately \$2.8 million as of December 31, 2008. Changes in market rates and the related impact on fair value of the investments do not generally affect net earnings as our investments are fixed rate securities and are classified as available-for-sale and as such, unrealized gains and losses, net of tax effect, are recorded in accumulated other comprehensive income in our

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accompanying consolidated balance sheets. However, when the investments are sold, the unrealized gains and losses are recorded as realized gains and losses and included in net income in the accompanying consolidated statements of income.

We analyze our investments for impairments on an ongoing basis. Factors considered in determining whether a loss is temporary include the length of time and extent to which the securities have been in an unrealized loss position and our ability and intent to hold the investment for a period of time sufficient to allow for any anticipated market recovery.

As of December 31, 2008, we did not directly or indirectly hold any auction-rate securities or mortgage-backed securities. As of the date of this filing, we are not aware of any downgrades, losses, or other significant deterioration in the fair value of our marketable securities.

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**ITEM 8. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY DATA**

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**REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM**

To the Board of Directors and Stockholders of Pegasystems Inc.  
Cambridge, Massachusetts

We have audited the internal control over financial reporting of Pegasystems Inc. and subsidiaries (the “Company”) as of December 31, 2008, based on criteria established in *Internal Control — Integrated Framework* issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission. The Company’s management is responsible for maintaining effective internal control over financial reporting and for its assessment of the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting, included in the accompanying Management’s Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company’s internal control over financial reporting 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 effective internal control over financial reporting was maintained in all material respects. Our audit included obtaining an understanding of internal control over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk, and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

A company’s internal control over financial reporting is a process designed by, or under the supervision of, the company’s principal executive and principal financial officers, or persons performing similar functions, and effected by the company’s board of directors, management, and other personnel 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 (1) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company; (2) 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 (3) 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 the inherent limitations of internal control over financial reporting, including the possibility of collusion or improper management override of controls, material misstatements due to error or fraud may not be prevented or detected on a timely basis. Also, projections of any evaluation of the effectiveness of the internal control over financial reporting to future periods are subject to the risk that the controls may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

In our opinion, the Company maintained, in all material respects, effective internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2008, based on the criteria established in *Internal Control — Integrated Framework* issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission.

We have also audited, in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States), the consolidated financial statements as of and for the year ended December 31, 2008 of the Company and our report dated March 9, 2009 expressed an unqualified opinion on those financial statements.

/s/ D ELOITTE & T OUCHE LLP

Boston, Massachusetts  
March 9, 2009

**REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM**

To the Board of Directors and Stockholders of Pegasystems Inc.  
Cambridge, Massachusetts

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of Pegasystems Inc. and subsidiaries (the “Company”) as of December 31, 2008 and 2007, and the related consolidated statements of income, stockholders’ equity and comprehensive income, and cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2008. 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 Pegasystems Inc. and subsidiaries as of December 31, 2008 and 2007, and the results of their operations and their cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2008, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

As discussed in Note 2, the Company adopted the provisions of Financial Accounting Standards Board Interpretation No. 48, *Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes an interpretation of FASB Statement No. 109*, effective January 1, 2007.

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 December 31, 2008, 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 March 9, 2009 expressed an unqualified opinion on the Company’s internal control over financial reporting.

/s/ D ELOITTE & T OUCHE LLP

Boston, Massachusetts  
March 9, 2009

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**PEGASYSTEMS INC.**  
**CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS**  
(in thousands, except per share amounts)

	<u>As of December 31,</u>	
	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 36,087	\$ 26,710
Marketable securities	<u>131,142</u>	<u>123,271</u>
Total cash and cash equivalents and marketable securities	167,229	149,981
Trade accounts receivable, net of allowance of \$1,490 and \$1,351	42,801	45,922
Short-term license installments	5,445	19,183
Deferred income taxes	4,351	2,148
Other current assets	<u>4,151</u>	<u>5,092</u>
Total current assets	223,977	222,326
Long-term license installments, net of unearned interest income	5,413	8,267
Property and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation and amortization	5,723	4,182
Long-term deferred income taxes and other assets	8,117	6,599
Intangible assets, net of accumulated amortization	479	—
Goodwill	<u>2,141</u>	<u>1,933</u>
Total assets	<u>\$245,850</u>	<u>\$243,307</u>
<b>LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 4,726	\$ 5,670
Accrued expenses	9,925	10,405
Accrued compensation and related expenses	18,015	13,526
Deferred revenue	<u>32,231</u>	<u>33,178</u>
Total current liabilities	64,897	62,779
Income taxes payable	5,665	5,185
Other long-term liabilities	<u>2,174</u>	<u>2,399</u>
Total liabilities	<u>72,736</u>	<u>70,363</u>
Commitments and contingencies (Note 12)		
Stockholders' equity:		
Preferred stock, \$0.01 par value, 1,000 shares authorized; no shares issued and outstanding	—	—
Common stock, \$0.01 par value, 70,000 shares authorized; 35,810 shares and 36,192 shares issued and outstanding	358	362
Additional paid-in capital	117,926	123,401
Retained earnings	53,935	47,321
Accumulated other comprehensive income:		
Net unrealized gain on available for-sale marketable securities	1,062	7
Foreign currency translation adjustments	<u>(167)</u>	<u>1,853</u>
Total stockholders' equity	<u>173,114</u>	<u>172,944</u>
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	<u>\$245,850</u>	<u>\$243,307</u>

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

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**PEGASYSTEMS INC.**  
**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME**  
(in thousands, except per share amounts)

	Year ended December 31,		
	2008	2007	2006
Revenue:			
Software license	\$ 76,572	\$ 51,084	\$ 35,424
Maintenance	40,115	31,196	25,155
Professional services	94,960	79,669	65,444
Total revenue	<u>211,647</u>	<u>161,949</u>	<u>126,023</u>
Cost of revenue:			
Cost of software license	95	—	32
Cost of maintenance	5,390	4,791	4,015
Cost of professional services	76,272	60,411	49,716
Total cost of revenue	<u>81,757</u>	<u>65,202</u>	<u>53,763</u>
Gross profit	<u>129,890</u>	<u>96,747</u>	<u>72,260</u>
Operating expenses:			
Selling and marketing	63,799	51,743	43,938
Research and development	31,472	26,198	22,707
General and administrative	20,140	16,855	12,729
Total operating expenses	<u>115,411</u>	<u>94,796</u>	<u>79,374</u>
Income (loss) from operations	14,479	1,951	(7,114)
Installment receivable interest income	597	1,244	1,899
Other interest income, net	5,029	6,718	5,360
Foreign currency transaction (loss) gain	(4,537)	264	1,152
Other income (expense), net	104	(235)	(110)
Income before provision (benefit) for income taxes	15,672	9,942	1,187
Provision (benefit) for income taxes	4,695	3,347	(655)
Net income	<u>\$ 10,977</u>	<u>\$ 6,595</u>	<u>\$ 1,842</u>
Earnings per share, basic	\$ 0.30	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.05
Earnings per share, diluted	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.05
Weighted-average number of common shares outstanding, basic	36,146	35,875	35,229
Weighted-average number of common shares outstanding, diluted	37,605	37,433	37,134
Dividends per share	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.09

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

**PEGASYSTEMS INC.**  
**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY AND**  
**COMPREHENSIVE INCOME**  
(in thousands)

	Common Stock		Additional Paid-In Capital	Retained Earnings	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income	Total Stock- holders' Equity	Comprehensive Income
	Number of Shares	Amount					
Balance at January 1, 2006	35,566	\$ 356	\$ 119,075	\$ 47,888	\$ 363	\$167,682	
Repurchase of common stock	(962)	(10)	(6,809)	—	—	(6,819)	
Exercise of stock options	640	6	3,490	—	—	3,496	
Issuance of stock under Employee Stock Purchase Plan	25	1	203	—	—	204	
Issuance of stock awards	37	—	274	—	—	274	
Exercise of common stock warrants	3	—	—	—	—	—	
Stock-based compensation expense	—	—	1,194	—	—	1,194	
Tax benefit from exercise of stock options	—	—	694	—	—	694	
Dividends declared	—	—	—	(3,181)	—	(3,181)	
Foreign currency translation adjustments	—	—	—	—	492	492	\$ 492
Net unrealized gain on investments available-for-sale	—	—	—	—	462	462	462
Net deferred tax impact of unrealized loss on investments available-for-sale	—	—	—	—	(182)	(182)	(182)
Net income	—	—	—	1,842	—	1,842	1,842
Balance at December 31, 2006	35,309	353	118,121	46,549	1,135	166,158	\$ 2,614
Cumulative effect adjustment from adoption of FIN 48	—	—	—	(1,490)	—	(1,490)	
Repurchase of common stock	(847)	(8)	(9,696)	—	—	(9,704)	
Exercise of stock options	1,679	17	10,719	—	—	10,736	
Issuance of stock under Employee Stock Purchase Plan	18	—	179	—	—	179	
Issuance of stock awards	26	—	275	—	—	275	
Exercise of common stock warrants	7	—	—	—	—	—	
Stock-based compensation expense	—	—	1,343	—	—	1,343	
Tax benefit from exercise of stock options, net of deferred tax asset write-off of \$211	—	—	2,128	—	—	2,128	
Dividends declared	—	—	—	(4,333)	—	(4,333)	
Realization of stock option tax benefit from net operating losses	—	—	332	—	—	332	
Foreign currency translation adjustments	—	—	—	—	375	375	\$ 375
Net unrealized gain on investments available-for-sale, net of tax of \$229	—	—	—	—	350	350	350
Net income	—	—	—	6,595	—	6,595	6,595
Balance at December 31, 2007	36,192	362	123,401	47,321	1,860	172,944	\$ 7,320
Repurchase of common stock	(1,536)	(15)	(18,333)	—	—	(18,348)	
Issuance of common stock for share-based compensation plans	1,108	11	5,806	—	—	5,817	
Issuance of stock under Employee Stock Purchase Plan	24	—	265	—	—	265	
Stock-based compensation expense	22	—	3,532	—	—	3,532	
Tax benefit from exercise of stock options, net of deferred tax asset write-off of \$216	—	—	3,255	—	—	3,255	
Dividends declared	—	—	—	(4,363)	—	(4,363)	
Foreign currency translation adjustments	—	—	—	—	(2,020)	(2,020)	\$ (2,020)
Net unrealized gain on investments available-for-sale, net of tax of \$2	—	—	—	—	1,055	1,055	1,055
Net income	—	—	—	10,977	—	10,977	10,977
Balance at December 31, 2008	35,810	\$ 358	\$ 117,926	\$ 53,935	\$ 895	\$173,114	\$ 10,012

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

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**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS**  
(in thousands)

	Year ended December 31,		
	2008	2007	2006
<b>Cash flows from operating activities:</b>			
Net income	\$ 10,977	\$ 6,595	\$ 1,842
Adjustment to reconcile net income to cash flows provided by operating activities:			
Excess tax benefits from stock options	(3,471)	(2,339)	(442)
Deferred income taxes	(3,806)	(163)	(1,656)
Depreciation and amortization	2,153	1,912	1,812
Amortization of investments	2,108	280	308
Stock-based compensation expense	3,532	1,618	1,468
(Gain) loss on sale of investments	(84)	242	164
Loss on disposal of equipment	98	4	4
Change in operating assets and liabilities:			
Trade accounts receivable	3,121	(13,934)	(5,011)
License installments	16,592	11,798	18,666
Other current assets	448	1,058	(1,178)
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	7,396	5,206	6,378
Deferred revenue	(947)	16,116	(3,465)
Other long-term assets and liabilities	282	(3,046)	954
Cash flows provided by operating activities	<u>38,399</u>	<u>25,347</u>	<u>19,844</u>
<b>Cash flows from investing activities:</b>			
Purchase of marketable securities	(194,474)	(109,323)	(94,012)
Matured and called marketable securities	91,706	78,016	85,675
Sale of marketable securities	93,852	9,158	—
Payments for acquisition	(798)	—	—
Investment in property and equipment	(4,050)	(2,698)	(2,434)
Cash flows used in investing activities	<u>(13,764)</u>	<u>(24,847)</u>	<u>(10,771)</u>
<b>Cash flows from financing activities:</b>			
Payments under capital lease obligation	—	(63)	(103)
Issuance of common stock for share-based compensation plans	6,720	10,736	3,496
Proceeds from sale of stock under Employee Stock Purchase Plan	265	179	204
Excess tax benefits from stock options	3,471	2,339	442
Dividend payments to shareholders	(4,368)	(4,307)	(2,122)
Repurchase of common stock	(19,442)	(9,135)	(6,819)
Cash flows used in financing activities	<u>(13,354)</u>	<u>(251)</u>	<u>(4,902)</u>
Effect of exchange rate on cash and cash equivalents	(1,904)	453	523
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	9,377	702	4,694
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	26,710	26,008	21,314
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	<u>\$ 36,087</u>	<u>\$ 26,710</u>	<u>\$ 26,008</u>
<b>Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information:</b>			
<b>Cash paid during the year for:</b>			
Interest expense	\$ 5	\$ 6	\$ 23
Income taxes	\$ 4,956	\$ 3,127	\$ 1,337
<b>Non-cash financing activity:</b>			
Dividends payable	\$ 1,080	\$ 1,085	\$ 1,059
Repurchases of common stock unsettled	\$ 379	\$ 569	\$ —

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

**PEGASYSTEMS INC.  
NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION**

*(a) Business*

The Company develops, markets, licenses, and supports software to automate complex, changing business processes. The Company provides implementation, consulting, training, and technical support services to facilitate the use of its software.

*(b) Management estimates and reporting*

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S.") requires management to make estimates and judgments that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the periods presented. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Significant accounts with reported amounts based on estimates and judgments include revenue, trade and installment accounts receivable, allowance for doubtful accounts, allowance for sales credit memos, deferred income taxes, deferred revenue, and share-based compensation.

*(c) Principles of consolidation*

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of Pegasystems Inc. and its wholly owned subsidiaries. All inter-company accounts and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

*(d) Presentation*

The Company's revenue is derived from software licenses, maintenance fees related to the Company's software licenses, and professional services. Revenue from software licenses includes perpetual and term license revenue and subscription revenue. As of January 1, 2008, the Company expanded the presentation of the services revenue and the associated cost of services lines in the consolidated statements of income to separately disclose the amounts related to maintenance and professional services. Maintenance revenue is a significant portion of the Company's total revenue and is directly attributable to its installed base of software licenses. Professional services revenue includes revenue from consulting services and training. The Company believes separate disclosure of the maintenance revenue and the associated direct costs is meaningful to investors and provides an important measure of the Company's business performance. Previously reported amounts have been expanded to conform to the current year presentation and have no impact on previously reported total revenue, total cost of revenue or net income.

**2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

*(a) Foreign currency translation*

The translation of assets and liabilities of the Company's foreign subsidiaries is made at period-end exchange rates, while revenue and expense accounts are translated at the average exchange rates during the period transactions occurred. The resulting translation adjustments are reflected in accumulated other comprehensive income. Realized and unrealized exchange gains or losses from transactions and adjustments are reflected in foreign currency transaction (loss) gain, in the accompanying consolidated statements of income.

*(b) Revenue recognition*

The Company's revenue is derived from software licenses, maintenance fees related to the Company's software licenses, and professional services. The Company's license arrangements, whether involving a perpetual

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license or a term license, generally contain multiple elements. In addition to the license, these elements generally include professional consulting services, training, and software maintenance services. Revenue from arrangements in which the fair value of one or more undelivered elements is unknown is deferred until the fair value of those elements is known and the residual value of the license can be determined.

**Software license revenues**

Perpetual software license fees are recognized as revenue when the software is delivered, any acceptance required by contract that is not perfunctory is obtained, no significant obligations or contingencies exist related to the software, other than maintenance support, and all other revenue recognition criteria are met.

Term software license fees are generally payable on a monthly basis under license agreements that typically have a three to five-year term and may be renewed for additional terms at the customer's option.

As a result of the Company's focus on frequent sales to its targeted customers, the Company's strategy is to sell initial term licensing agreements to those customers with the goal to generate follow-on sales, and as a result of extended payment terms, the Company recognizes term license revenue over the term of the agreement as payments become due or earlier if prepaid, provided all other criteria for revenue recognition have been met.

Historically, the majority of the Company's term license arrangements were larger agreements with extended payment terms that did not typically result in follow-on license agreements. The Company has a history of successfully collecting payments under the original payment terms, therefore for these arrangements, the Company has recognized the present value of the future term license payments upon customer acceptance, provided that no significant obligations or contingencies exist related to the software, other than maintenance support, and provided all other criteria for revenue recognition have been met. A portion of the license fees payable under these agreements (equal to the difference between the total license payments and the discounted present value of those payments) was initially deferred and recognized as installment receivable interest income (and is not part of total revenue) over the license term. For purposes of the present value calculations, the discount rates used were estimates of customers' borrowing rates at the time of recognition, typically below prime rate, and have varied between 3.25% and 6.7% for the past few years.

For licensing arrangements that include a right to unspecified future products, fees are accounted for as subscriptions and the revenue is recognized ratably over the economic life or term of the arrangement.

**Maintenance revenues**

Maintenance revenue is deferred and recognized ratably over the term of the support period. Perpetual software maintenance revenue is recognized over the term of the related maintenance agreement, which is generally one year and renewed on an annual basis thereafter. For term licenses, we recognize the entire arrangement fee ratably over the license term when the renewal rate or period is not substantive compared to the term license. In general, maintenance and support obligations are based on separately stated renewal rates in the arrangement that are deemed substantive and therefore represent vendor specific objective evidence ("VSOE") of fair value.

**Professional services revenues**

The Company's services revenue is comprised of fees for training, and consulting services including software implementation. Consulting services may be provided on a "stand-alone" basis or bundled with a license and software maintenance services.

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Revenue from training services and consulting services under time and materials contracts is recognized as services are performed. The Company has VSOE of fair value for our training services, and consulting services under time and materials contracts.

Services may be provided on a fixed-price basis. The Company does not have VSOE of fair value for fixed-price services prior to completion of the services. When fixed-price services are part of a multiple element arrangement, and the services are not essential to the functionality of the software, and when services including maintenance, are the only undelivered element, the Company recognizes the revenue from the total arrangement ratably over the longer of the software maintenance period or the service period. In a limited number of the Company's arrangements, the fixed-price services are essential to the arrangement because the Company makes significant alterations to the functionality of the software or builds complex interfaces necessary for the software to be functional in the customer's environment. The Company has not been able to make reasonably dependable estimates for the purpose of determining the Company's progress to completion, as the Company has limited experience with these types of unique and complex arrangements. Accordingly, when the fixed-price services are essential to the arrangement, all revenue and costs are deferred until the completion of the fixed-price services under the completed contract method. Revenue from fixed-price services that are not bundled with a software license is generally recognized as performed during the service period, which is typically less than four months.

The Company warrants to its customers that its software products will conform to documented specifications. The Company has not experienced significant claims related to software warranties beyond the scope of maintenance support, which it is already obligated to provide, and consequently it has not established reserves for warranty obligations.

The Company's agreements with customers generally require it to indemnify the customer against claims that the Company's software infringes third party patent, copyright, trademark or other proprietary rights. Such indemnification obligations are generally limited in a variety of industry-standard respects, including the Company's right to replace an infringing product. As of December 31, 2008, the Company had not experienced any material losses related to these indemnification obligations and no claims with respect thereto were outstanding. The Company does not expect significant claims related to these indemnification obligations, and consequently, the Company has not established any related reserves.

**Deferred project costs**

The Company defers direct costs when a project is being accounted for under the completed contract method or for certain arrangements where all of the required revenue recognition criteria have not been met. The Company reports these deferred project costs in other current assets.

**Deferred revenue**

Deferred software license revenue typically results from customer specific acceptance provisions and other arrangements for which all of the criteria to recognize revenue have not been met. Deferred maintenance revenue represents software license updates and product support contracts that are typically billed on a per annum basis in advance and are recognized ratably over the support periods. Deferred professional services revenue represents prepayments for consulting and education services that are recognized as the services are performed.

**Allowance for doubtful accounts and allowance for sales credit memos**

The Company maintains an allowance for doubtful accounts for estimated losses resulting from the inability of the Company's customers to make required payments. The Company's estimates are based on the composition

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of the accounts receivable aging, historical bad debts, changes in payment patterns, customer creditworthiness and current economic trends. If the Company used different assumptions, or if the financial condition of customers were to deteriorate resulting in their inability to make required payments, additional provisions for doubtful accounts would be required and would increase bad debt expense.

The Company records allowances for estimates of potential sales credit memos. The Company bases these estimates on historical analyses of sales credit memos and assumptions about future events and experience with customer disputes. If the Company used different assumptions in calculating the allowance, adjustments would be reflected as changes to revenue.

***(c) Property and equipment***

Property and equipment are recorded at cost. Depreciation and amortization are computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets, which are three years for equipment, including software, and five years for furniture and fixtures. Leasehold improvements are amortized over the lesser of the life of the lease or the useful life of the asset. Repairs and maintenance costs are expensed as incurred.

The Company capitalizes and amortizes costs associated with computer software developed or purchased for internal use in accordance with AICPA Statement of Position 98-1, "Accounting for the Costs of Computer Software Developed or Obtained for Internal Use" ("SOP 98-1"). The Company amortizes capitalized software costs generally over three years commencing on the date the software is placed into service. During 2008 and 2007, the Company did not capitalize any costs for computer software developed for internal use. During 2006, the Company capitalized costs totaling \$0.4 million for computer software developed for internal use.

***(d) Long-lived assets***

The Company evaluates its long-lived assets for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of such assets may not be recoverable. Impairment is generally assessed by comparison of undiscounted cash flows expected to be generated by an asset to its carrying value, with the exception that goodwill impairment is assessed by use of a fair value model at a reporting unit level. If such assets are considered to be impaired, the impairment to be recognized is measured by the amount by which the carrying amount of the asset exceeds its fair value. The Company performed the annual impairment test in the fourth quarters of 2008 and 2007 and determined that goodwill was not impaired.

***(e) Research and development and software costs***

Research and development costs, other than certain software related costs, are expensed as incurred. Capitalization of computer software developed for resale is accounted for in accordance with Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") Statement of Financial Accounting Standards ("SFAS") No. 86 "Accounting for the Costs of Computer Software to Be Sold, Leased, or Otherwise Marketed" ("SFAS 86"). Accordingly, capitalization of software costs begins upon the establishment of technical feasibility, generally demonstrated by a working model or an operative version of the computer software product. Such costs have not been material to date as technological feasibility is established within a short timeframe from the software's general availability and, as a result, no internal costs were capitalized during 2008, 2007, and 2006. Amortization of capitalized software is included in the cost of software license. No amortization expense for internally developed capitalized software costs was charged to cost of software license during 2008, 2007, and 2006.

***(f) Stock-Based Compensation***

In accordance with SFAS No. 123R, "Share-Based Payment" ("SFAS 123(R)"), the Company recognizes stock-based compensation expense associated with equity awards in its consolidated statements of income based

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on the fair value of these awards at the date of grant. The Company adopted the provisions of SFAS 123(R) on January 1, 2006 using the modified prospective method, and, accordingly prior period amounts were not restated. Stock-based compensation is recognized over the requisite service period, which is generally the vesting period of the equity award, and adjusted each period for anticipated forfeitures. The Company recognizes stock-based compensation using the ratable method, which treats each vesting tranche as if it were an individual grant.

The Company estimates the fair value of stock options using the Black-Scholes option valuation model, which requires management to make estimates of key assumptions including the expected term of the option, the expected volatility of the Company's stock price over the option's expected term, the risk-free interest rate over the option's expected term, and the expected annual dividend yield. The expected term of options granted is derived from historical data on employee exercises and post-vesting employment termination behavior. The expected volatility is based on the historical volatility of our stock price. The expected annual dividend yield is based on the expected annual dividend of \$0.12 per share divided by the average stock price. The risk-free interest rate is based on the yield of zero-coupon U.S. Treasury securities for a period that is commensurate with the expected option term at the time of grant.

*(g) Fair value of financial instruments*

The principal financial instruments held consist of cash equivalents, marketable securities, accounts receivable, accounts payable, and license installment receivables arising from license transactions.

The carrying values of cash equivalents, marketable securities, accounts receivable, accounts payable and license installment receivables approximate their fair value. See Note 4 "Cash, Marketable Securities, And Fair Value Measurements" for further discussion.

*(h) Income taxes*

We account for income taxes in accordance with SFAS No. 109, "Accounting for Income Taxes" ("SFAS 109"), which requires that deferred tax assets and liabilities be recognized using enacted tax rates for the effect of temporary differences between the book and tax bases of recorded assets and liabilities. We record a valuation allowance to reduce our deferred taxes to an amount we believe is more likely than not to be realized. We consider future taxable income and prudent and feasible tax planning strategies in assessing the need for a valuation allowance.

As a global company, we use significant judgment to calculate and provide for income taxes in each of the tax jurisdictions in which we operate. In the ordinary course of our business, there are transactions and calculations undertaken whose ultimate tax outcome cannot be certain. Some of these uncertainties arise as a consequence of transactions and arrangements made among related parties, transfer pricing for transactions with our subsidiaries, and potential challenges to nexus and credit estimates. We estimate our exposure to unfavorable outcomes related to these uncertainties and estimate the probability for such outcomes in accordance with the provisions of FASB Interpretation No. 48, "Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes — an interpretation of FASB Statement No. 109" ("FIN 48"), which we adopted on January 1, 2007. See Note 15 "Income Taxes" for further information on the impact of FIN 48 on our consolidated financial statements.

**3. RECENT ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS**

In November 2008 the FASB ratified Emerging Issue Task Force ("EITF") Issue No. 08-7, "Accounting for Defensive Intangible Assets," ("EITF 08-7"). EITF 08-7 applies to defensive intangible assets, which are acquired intangible assets that the acquirer does not intend to actively use but intends to hold to prevent its competitors from obtaining access to them. As these assets are separately identifiable, EITF 08-7 requires an

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acquiring entity to account for defensive intangible assets as a separate unit of accounting, which should be amortized to expense over the period the asset diminished in value. Defensive intangible assets must be recognized at fair value in accordance with SFAS No. 141 (Revised), “Business Combinations” (“SFAS 141(R)”) and “Fair Value Measurements” (“SFAS 157”). EITF 08-7 is effective for financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2008. The impact of EITF 08-7 on our consolidated financial statements will depend upon the nature, terms and size of the intangible assets that may be purchased or acquired after January 1, 2009.

In September 2006, the FASB issued SFAS No. 157. SFAS 157 defines fair value, establishes a framework and gives guidance regarding the methods used for measuring fair value, and expands disclosures about fair value measurements. SFAS 157 is effective for financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2007, and interim periods of those fiscal years. In February 2008, the FASB released a FASB Staff Position (“FSP”) FAS 157-2 — “Effective Date of FASB Statement No. 157,” which delays the effective date of SFAS 157 for all nonfinancial assets and nonfinancial liabilities, except those that are recognized or disclosed at fair value in the financial statements on a recurring basis (at least annually) to fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2008. In October 2008, the FASB released FSP FAS 157-3 - “Determining the Fair Value of a Financial Asset When the Market for That Asset Is Not Active”, which clarifies the application of SFAS 157 as it relates to the valuation of financial assets in a market that is not active for those financial assets. This FSP is effective immediately and includes those periods for which financial statements have not been issued. We currently do not have any financial assets that are valued using inactive markets, and as such are not impacted by the issuance of this FSP. The partial adoption of SFAS 157 on January 1, 2008 for financial assets and liabilities did not have a material impact on the Company’s consolidated financial statements. The Company is currently assessing the impact of the deferred portion of the pronouncement. See Note 4 “Cash, Marketable Securities, And Fair Value Measurements” for further discussion of the impact of SFAS 157.

In December 2007, the FASB issued SFAS 141 (R). SFAS 141(R) changes the accounting for business combinations including the measurement of acquirer shares issued in consideration for a business combination, the recognition of contingent consideration, the accounting for preacquisition gain and loss contingencies, the recognition of capitalized in-process research and development, the accounting for acquisition-related restructuring cost accruals, the treatment of acquisition related transaction costs, and the recognition of changes in the acquirer’s income tax valuation allowance. SFAS 141(R) applies prospectively to business combinations for which the acquisition date is on or after the beginning of the first annual reporting period beginning on or after December 15, 2008, except for certain tax adjustments for prior business combinations. Accordingly, the Company will adopt this statement on January 1, 2009. The impact of SFAS 141(R) on our consolidated financial statements will depend upon the nature, terms and size of any business combination that may be entered into after January 1, 2009.

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**4. CASH, MARKETABLE SECURITIES, AND FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS**

(in thousands)	December 31, 2008			
	Amortized Cost	Unrealized Gains	Unrealized Losses	Fair Value
<b>Cash and cash equivalents:</b>				
Cash	\$ 25,575	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 25,575
Money market mutual funds	10,512	—	—	10,512
Cash and cash equivalents	<u>36,087</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>36,087</u>
<b>Marketable securities:</b>				
Municipal bonds	119,843	1,056	(3)	120,896
Government sponsored enterprises	5,999	19	—	6,018
Corporate bonds	4,230	18	(20)	4,228
Marketable securities	<u>130,072</u>	<u>1,093</u>	<u>(23)</u>	<u>131,142</u>
Cash and cash equivalents and marketable securities	<u>\$166,159</u>	<u>\$ 1,093</u>	<u>\$ (23)</u>	<u>\$167,229</u>

(in thousands)	December 31, 2007			
	Amortized Cost	Unrealized Gains	Unrealized Losses	Fair Value
<b>Cash and cash equivalents:</b>				
Cash	\$ 17,680	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 17,680
Money market mutual funds	9,030	—	—	9,030
Cash and cash equivalents	<u>26,710</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>26,710</u>
<b>Marketable securities:</b>				
Government sponsored enterprises	53,303	94	(15)	53,382
Corporate bonds	68,539	120	(191)	68,468
Municipal bonds	909	3	—	912
Foreign bonds	507	2	—	509
Marketable securities	<u>123,258</u>	<u>219</u>	<u>(206)</u>	<u>123,271</u>
Cash and cash equivalents and marketable securities	<u>\$149,968</u>	<u>\$ 219</u>	<u>\$ (206)</u>	<u>\$149,981</u>

The Company considers debt securities with maturities of three months or less when purchased, to be cash equivalents. Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a settlement-date basis. Interest is recorded when earned. All of the Company's investments are classified as available-for-sale and are carried at fair value with unrealized gains and losses recorded as a component of accumulated other comprehensive income. The Company determines the appropriate classification of its investments in debt securities at the time of purchase and re-evaluates such determination at each balance sheet date. The Company's investments in government sponsored enterprises include debt securities that may not be backed by the full faith and credit of the U.S. Government. As of December 31, 2008, remaining maturities of marketable debt securities ranged from February 2009 to July 2011. As of December 31, 2007, remaining maturities of marketable debt securities ranged from January 2008 to October 2010. Proceeds from available-for-sale securities that were sold, matured or called during 2008 were \$185.6 million with gross realized gains of \$0.3 million and \$0.2 million gross realized losses. Proceeds from available-for-sale securities that were sold, matured or called during 2007 were \$87.2 million with gross realized losses of \$0.2 million and no gross realized gains. Proceeds from available-for-sale securities that matured or were called during 2006 were \$85.7 million with gross realized losses of \$0.2 million and no gross realized gains. Specific identification of the individual securities was used to determine the basis on which the gain or loss was calculated.

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The following table shows the gross unrealized losses and fair value of the Company's investments, with unrealized losses that are not deemed to be other-than-temporarily impaired, aggregated by investment category and length of time that individual securities have been in a continuous unrealized loss position as of December 31, 2008.

(in thousands)	Less than 12 months		12 months or greater		Total	
	Unrealized		Unrealized		Unrealized	
	Fair Value	Losses	Fair Value	Losses	Fair Value	Losses
Description of Securities						
Municipal bonds	\$4,164	\$ (3)	\$—	\$ —	\$4,164	\$ (3)
Corporate bonds	980	(20)	—	—	980	(20)
Totals	\$5,144	\$ (23)	\$—	\$ —	\$5,144	\$ (23)

The Company analyzes its investments for impairments on an ongoing basis. Factors considered in determining whether a loss is temporary include the length of time and extent to which the securities have been in an unrealized loss position and the Company's ability and intent to hold the investment for a period of time sufficient to allow for any anticipated market recovery. The Company has the ability and intent to hold the investments with unrealized losses until anticipated recovery of fair value, which may be maturity. Therefore, the Company does not consider these investments to be other-than-temporarily impaired as of December 31, 2008.

*Fair Value Measurements*

SFAS 157 clarifies that fair value is an exit price, representing the amount that would be received from the sale of an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants. As such, fair value is a market-based measurement that should be determined based on assumptions that market participants would use in pricing an asset or liability. As a basis for considering such assumptions, SFAS 157 establishes a three-tier value hierarchy, which prioritizes the inputs used in measuring fair value as follows: (Level 1) observable inputs such as quoted prices in active markets; (Level 2) inputs other than the quoted prices in active markets that are observable either directly or indirectly; and (Level 3) unobservable inputs in which there is little or no market data, which requires the Company to develop its own assumptions. This hierarchy requires the Company to use observable market data, when available, and to minimize the use of unobservable inputs when determining fair value. On a recurring basis, the Company measures certain financial assets and liabilities at fair value, including the Company's marketable securities.

The Company's investments are classified within Level 1 or Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy because they are valued using quoted market prices, or broker dealer quotations and matrix pricing compiled by third party pricing vendors, respectively, which are based on third party pricing sources with reasonable levels of price transparency.

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The fair value hierarchy of the Company's marketable securities at fair value in connection with our adoption of SFAS 157 is as follows:

(in thousands)	December 31, 2008	Fair Value Measurements at Reporting Date Using	
		Quoted Prices in Active Markets for Identical Assets (Level 1)	Significant Other Observable Inputs (Level 2)
Cash equivalents	\$ 10,512	\$ 10,512	\$ —
Marketable securities:			
Municipal bonds	\$ 120,896	\$ 36,776	\$ 84,120
Government sponsored enterprises	6,018	3,007	3,011
Corporate bonds	4,228	4,228	—
Total marketable securities:	\$ 131,142	\$ 44,011	\$ 87,131

5. TRADE ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE, NET OF ALLOWANCES

Trade accounts receivable balances, which consist of billed and unbilled amounts, were \$42.8 million and \$45.9 million as of December 31, 2008 and 2007, respectively. Trade accounts receivable includes \$6.4 million and \$4.1 million as of December 31, 2008 and 2007, respectively, for services earned under time and material arrangements that had not been invoiced at the end of the respective period. The Company maintains allowances for doubtful accounts based on factors such as the composition of accounts receivable, historical bad debts, changes in payment patterns, customer creditworthiness and current economic trends. These estimates are adjusted periodically to reflect changes in facts and circumstances. The Company's allowance for doubtful accounts was \$0.4 million at December 31, 2008, 2007, and 2006.

The Company also records allowances for estimates of potential sales credit memos when the related revenue is recorded and reviews those allowances periodically. The Company based these estimates on historical analyses of sales credit memos, and assumptions about future events and experience with customer disputes. The Company's allowance for sales credit memos was \$1.1 million as of December 31, 2008, \$1.0 million as of December 31, 2007 and \$1.2 million as of December 31, 2006. The following reflects the activity of the allowance for sales credit memos for each of three years ended December 31:

(in thousands)	2008	2007	2006
Balance at beginning of year	\$ 986	\$ 1,238	\$ 470
Provision for credit memos	1,777	1,160	2,375
Credit memos issued	(1,638)	(1,412)	(1,607)
Balance at end of period	\$ 1,125	\$ 986	\$ 1,238

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**6. OTHER CURRENT ASSETS**

Other current assets consist of the following:

(in thousands)	December 31, 2008	December 31, 2007
Deferred cost of services	\$ —	\$ 1,022
Interest receivables	2,061	1,729
Income tax receivable	514	1,308
Prepaid expenses	838	787
Reimbursable expenses	227	71
Sales tax receivable	511	175
Balance at the end of period	<u>\$ 4,151</u>	<u>\$ 5,092</u>

**7. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT**

The cost and accumulated depreciation and amortization of property and equipment consisted of the following:

(in thousands)	December 31, 2008	December 31, 2007
Computer equipment	\$ 5,798	\$ 5,461
Computer software purchased	1,495	2,278
Computer software developed for internal use	721	721
Furniture and fixtures	2,948	2,424
Leasehold improvements	3,620	3,631
Equipment under capital leases	594	594
	<u>15,176</u>	<u>15,109</u>
Less: accumulated depreciation and amortization	(9,453)	(10,927)
Property and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation and amortization	<u>\$ 5,723</u>	<u>\$ 4,182</u>

Depreciation expense was approximately \$1.7 million, \$1.5 million, and \$1.3 million for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007, and 2006. Amortization expense was approximately \$0.5 million, \$0.5 million, and \$0.4 million for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007, and 2006.

**8. ACQUISITIONS, GOODWILL, AND OTHER INTANGIBLE ASSETS**

Goodwill represents the residual purchase price paid in a business combination after all identified assets have been recorded. Goodwill is not amortized, but is tested annually for impairment by comparing estimated fair value to its carrying value. The Company performed the annual impairment test in the fourth quarters of 2008 and 2007 and determined that goodwill was not impaired.

On March 21, 2008, the Company acquired certain assets of privately held Focus Technology Group, Inc. and a related entity (collectively, "Focus"). Focus provides software products to the banking industry designed to detect and prevent financial fraud and money laundering. The Company believes that the acquisition will extend the Company's software capabilities and frameworks with respect to its anti-fraud and anti-money laundering

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offerings to the Company's customers. The initial consideration for the acquisition was approximately \$0.8 million in cash, including transaction costs. In addition to the initial purchase consideration, up to approximately \$2.1 million of contingent consideration may be due to the former owners of Focus, based on the achievement of certain performance milestones and sales targets during a period of 30 months from the acquisition date. A majority of the contingent consideration will be accounted for as compensation expense, if earned. As a result of the purchase price allocation, the Company recorded intangible assets of \$0.8 million, consisting of \$0.5 million of technology designs, \$0.1 million of non-compete agreements and \$0.2 million of goodwill which is deductible for tax purposes. No amount of contingent consideration was earned or paid in 2008. The results of the operations of Focus are included in the results of operations of the Company from the date of acquisition and were nominal.

The following table presents the change in the carrying amount of goodwill:

(in thousands)	2008	2007
Balance as of January 1,	\$1,933	\$2,346
Goodwill acquired during the year	208	—
Adjustments to goodwill balances	—	(413)
Balance as of December 31,	<u>\$2,141</u>	<u>\$1,933</u>

During the fourth quarter of 2007, the Company reduced its valuation allowance related to the realization of \$0.4 million of certain tax loss and credit carry forwards that we acquired from Imind Corporation ("Imind") as part of our acquisition of that company in 2002, which resulted in a corresponding reduction in goodwill.

Intangible assets are recorded at cost and principally represent technology acquired in business combinations or from third parties. Amortization is recognized on a straight-line basis over the assets' estimated useful lives. The technology designs and non-compete agreements are being amortized over their estimated useful lives of four and five years, respectively.

Amortized intangible assets consist of the following:

(in thousands)	Cost	Accumulated Amortization	Net Book Value
<b>As of December 31, 2008</b>			
Technology designs	\$ 490	\$ (95)	\$ 395
Non-compete agreements	100	(16)	84
Intellectual property	1,400	\$ (1,400)	\$ —
Total	<u>\$1,990</u>	<u>\$ (1,511)</u>	<u>\$ 479</u>
<b>As of December 31, 2007</b>			
Intellectual property	\$1,400	\$ (1,400)	\$ —
Total	<u>\$1,400</u>	<u>\$ (1,400)</u>	<u>\$ —</u>

Amortization expense for this acquired technology design was \$0.1 million, \$0, and \$29,000 for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007, and 2006, respectively. Future estimated amortization expense is, \$0.1 million, \$0.1 million, \$0.1 million, \$47,000, and \$4,000 for the years ended December 31, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, and 2013, respectively.

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**9. RESTRICTED CASH**

The Company has approximately \$0.8 million of restricted cash related to amounts deposited to secure a letter of credit for its Cambridge, Massachusetts office operating lease and is included in long-term other assets in the accompanying consolidated balance sheet.

**10. ACCRUED EXPENSES**

Accrued expenses consist of the following:

	December 31, 2008	December 31, 2007
(in thousands)		
Accrued income taxes	\$ 2,555	\$ 3,625
Accrued other taxes	2,552	1,969
Dividends payable	1,080	1,085
Repurchases of common stock unsettled	379	569
Accrued other	3,359	3,157
Balance at the end of period	<u>\$ 9,925</u>	<u>\$ 10,405</u>

**11. DEFERRED REVENUE**

Deferred revenue consists of the following:

	December 31, 2008	December 31, 2007
(in thousands)		
Software license	\$ 12,740	\$ 16,476
Maintenance	15,688	13,334
Professional services and other	3,803	3,368
Balance at the end of period	<u>\$ 32,231</u>	<u>\$ 33,178</u>

**12. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES**

As of December 31, 2008, the Company did not have material commitments for capital or operating expenditures other than a purchase commitment for customer support services and operating leases. The purchase commitment for customer support services covers quality assurance and engineering support for legacy software. The Company's principal administrative, sales, marketing, support, and research and development operations are located in an approximate 105,000 square foot leased facility in Cambridge, Massachusetts. The lease for this facility expires in 2013, subject to the Company's option to extend for two additional five-year periods. The Company also leases space for its other offices in the U.S., Australia, Canada, India, the United Kingdom and in other European countries. These leases expire at various dates through 2013.

As of December 31, 2008, the Company's known contractual obligations, including future minimum rental payments required under operating leases with non-cancelable terms in excess of one year were as follows:

(in thousands) For the calendar year	Purchase Obligations	Operating Leases
2009	\$ 2,411	\$ 4,624
2010	130	4,420
2011	—	4,626
2012	—	4,785
2013	—	1,627
Net minimum obligations	<u>\$ 2,541</u>	<u>\$20,082</u>

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Rent expense under operating leases is recognized on a straight-line basis to account for scheduled rent increases and a landlord tenant allowance. The excess of expense over current payments is recorded as deferred rent and included in accrued expenses and other long-term liabilities. As of December 31, 2008, deferred rent of approximately \$0.3 million was included in accrued expenses and approximately \$1.6 million was included in other long-term liabilities in the accompanying consolidated balance sheet. Total rent expense under operating leases was approximately \$5.3 million, \$4.7 million, and \$3.7 million, for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007, and 2006, respectively.

The Company is a party in various contractual disputes, litigation and potential claims arising in the ordinary course of business. The Company does not believe that the resolution of these matters will have a material adverse effect on its financial position or results of operations. Accordingly, no material accruals have been made to the Company's consolidated balance sheets related to such contract disputes, litigation or potential claims.

13. STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

(a) Preferred stock

The Company has authorized 1,000,000 shares of preferred stock, which may be issued from time to time in one or more series. The Board of Directors has the authority to issue the shares of preferred stock in one or more series, to establish the number of shares to be included in each series, and to fix the designation, powers, preferences and rights of the shares of each series and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof, without any further vote or action by the stockholders. The issuance of preferred stock could decrease the amount of earnings and assets available for distribution to holders of common stock, and may have the effect of delaying, deferring or defeating a change in control of the Company. The Company had not issued any shares of preferred stock through December 31, 2008.

(b) Common stock

The Company has 70,000,000 authorized shares of common stock, \$0.01 par value per share, of which 35,810,260 shares were issued and outstanding at December 31, 2008.

Since 2004, the Company's Board of Directors has approved stock repurchase programs that have authorized the Company to repurchase in the aggregate up to \$60.0 million of its common stock. Purchases under these programs may be made as market conditions warrant, subject to regulatory and other considerations, from time to time on the open market or in privately negotiated transactions.

The following table is a summary of the Company's repurchase activity under all of the Company's repurchase programs for the years ended December 31:

(Dollars in thousands)	2008		2007		2006	
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount
Prior year authorizations at January 1,		\$ 1,210		\$ 6,872		\$ 4,123
Authorizations		30,000		10,000		10,000
Repurchases paid	1,503,551	(17,969)	799,347	(9,135)	962,420	(6,819)
Repurchases unsettled	32,376	(379)	48,015	(569)		—
Expirations		—		(5,958)		(432)
Authorized dollars remaining as of December 31,		<u>\$ 12,862</u>		<u>\$ 1,210</u>		<u>\$ 6,872</u>

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*(c) Dividends*

On May 30, 2006, the Company's Board of Directors approved an ongoing quarterly cash dividend of \$0.03 per share, beginning with the second quarter ended June 30, 2006. Accordingly, the Company declared \$0.12 per share, for the years ended December 31, 2008 and 2007, \$0.09 per share for the year ended December 31, 2006, and paid cash dividends of \$4.4 million, \$4.3 million and \$2.1 million for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007 and 2006, respectively.

*(d) Warrants summary*

In October 2006 and November 2007, the Company issued 2,586 shares and 1,306 shares of its common stock, respectively, in connection with the exercise of warrants originally issued as part of the consideration for its acquisition of Imind in 2002. These warrants were exercised by former stockholders of Imind. In accordance with the net exercise provisions of these warrants, the Company withheld 259 shares and 102 shares of the Company's common stock to cover the exercise price, which shares were valued at approximately \$2,000 and \$1,200, respectively, based on the average closing price of the Company's common stock over the ten consecutive trading days ending on the third trading day prior to the exercise date.

In November 2007, the Company issued 5,815 shares of its common stock in connection with the exercise of previously issued warrants to International Business Machines Corporation ("IBM"). In accordance with the net exercise provisions of this warrant, the Company withheld 20,923 shares of the Company's common stock to cover the exercise price, which shares were valued at approximately \$0.3 million, based on the average closing price of the Company's common stock over the five consecutive trading days ending on the day prior to the exercise date.

As of December 31, 2008, there were outstanding warrants to purchase 11,045 shares of the Company's common stock with a fair value of \$4.50 per share and an exercise price of \$0.85 per share. These warrants expire in 2012.

**14. STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION**

In accordance with SFAS 123(R) and beginning on January 1, 2006, the Company recognizes stock-based compensation expense associated with equity awards in its consolidated statements of income based on the fair value of these awards at the date of grant. The Company adopted the provisions of SFAS 123(R) using the modified prospective method, and, accordingly prior period amounts were not restated. Stock-based compensation is recognized over the requisite service period, which is generally the vesting period of the equity award, and adjusted each period for anticipated forfeitures. Under this approach, the Company is required to record compensation cost for all share-based awards granted after the date of adoption based on the grant date fair value, estimated in accordance with the provisions of SFAS 123(R), and for the unvested portion of all share-based payments previously granted that remain outstanding based on the grant date fair value, estimated in accordance with the original provisions of SFAS 123. The majority of the Company's stock-based compensation arrangements vest over either a four or five year vesting schedule and have a ten-year term. The Company recognizes stock-based compensation using the ratable method, which treats each vesting tranche as if it were an individual grant.

During the fourth quarter of 2007, the Company's Board of Directors approved changes to its equity compensation program, including the granting of restricted stock units ("RSUs") in addition to stock options, for periodic equity compensation grants. RSUs deliver to the recipient a right to receive a specified number of shares of the Company's common stock upon vesting. Unlike stock options, there is no cost to the employee at share

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issuance. The Company values its RSUs at the fair value of our common stock on the grant date, which is the closing price of our common stock on the grant date, less the present value of expected dividends, as the employee is not entitled to dividends during the requisite service period.

During the fourth quarter of 2007, the Company's Board of Directors also approved the election by employees to receive 50% of their target incentive compensation under the Company's Corporate Incentive Compensation Plan (the "CICP") in the form of RSUs instead of cash, beginning with the CICP for 2008. If elected by an employee, the equity amount will be equal in value on the date of grant to 50% of his or her target incentive opportunity, based on the employee's January 2008 base salary. The number of RSUs granted will be determined by dividing 50% of the employee's target incentive opportunity by the fair value of a RSU on the grant date. If elected, the equity grant will occur during the open trading period following the release of the prior year's financial results and will vest 100% on the CICP payout date of the following year for all participants. Vesting is conditioned upon threshold funding of the CICP and on continued employment; if threshold funding does not occur, the equity grant will expire. The Company will recognize the associated stock-based compensation expense over the requisite service period beginning on the grant date and ending on the vest date.

Upon vesting of the RSUs, the Company will withhold shares of common stock in an amount sufficient to cover its minimum statutory tax withholding obligations and will issue shares of its common stock for the remaining amount. The compensation expense incurred by the Company for RSUs is based on the closing market price of the Company's common stock on the date of grant less the future present value of dividends and is amortized ratably on a straight-line basis over the requisite service period.

Beginning in December 2007, the Company began issuing options that allow for the settlement of vested stock options on a net share basis ("net settled stock options"), instead of settlement with a cash payment ("cash settled stock options"). With net settled stock options, the employee will not surrender any cash or shares upon exercise. Rather, the Company will withhold the number of shares to cover the option exercise price and the minimum statutory tax withholding obligations from the shares that would otherwise be issued upon exercise. The employee receives the number of shares equal to the number of options being exercised less the number of shares necessary to satisfy the cost to exercise the options and, if applicable, taxes due on exercise based on the fair value of the shares at the exercise date. The settlement of vested stock options on a net share basis will result in fewer shares issued by the Company. In 2008, the Company began offering certain employees the opportunity to modify and convert certain outstanding cash settled stock options to net settled stock options. These modifications did not result in any additional compensation expense. During 2008, option holders net settled stock options representing the right to purchase a total of 425,000 shares, of which only 152,000 were issued to the option holders and the balance of the shares were surrendered to the Company to pay for the exercise price and the applicable taxes.

**Share-Based Compensation Plans:**

*(a) 1994 Long-term incentive plan*

In 1994, the Company adopted a 1994 Long-Term Incentive Plan (the "1994 Plan") to provide employees, Directors and consultants with opportunities to purchase stock through incentive stock options and non-qualified stock options. In addition to options, participants under the 1994 Plan were eligible to receive stock appreciation rights, restricted stock and long-term performance awards. The Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors ("Compensation Committee") administers the 1994 Plan. Generally, the exercise price of options granted under the plan was equal to the fair market value of the underlying common stock on the date of grant. Options granted under the 1994 Plan generally vest over four years and expire no later than ten years from the date of grant. As of December 31, 2008, options to purchase an aggregate of approximately 2,861,000 shares of common stock were outstanding under the 1994 Plan. The Company does not intend to issue any additional options or make any other awards under the 1994 Plan in the future.

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*(b) 1996 Non-employee Director stock option plan*

In 1996, the Company adopted a 1996 Non-Employee Director Stock Option Plan (the “Director Plan”), which provides for the grant to non-employee Directors of the Company of options to purchase shares of its common stock. Originally, the Director Plan provided for the grant to non-employee Directors on the date he or she first became a Director of an option to purchase 30,000 shares of common stock at a price equal to the fair market value thereof on the date of grant, such options to vest in equal annual installments over five years. In 1999, the Director Plan was amended to provide for (i) the grant to non-employee Directors on the date he or she first became a Director of an option to purchase 30,000 shares of common stock at a price per share equal to the fair market value thereof on the date of grant, such options to vest in equal annual installments over three years and (ii) the grant to each non-employee Director at the time of the regular meeting of the Board of Directors following the annual meeting of stockholders (commencing in 2000), of a fully vested option to purchase 10,000 shares of common stock at a price per share equal to the fair market value thereof on the date of grant. The Compensation Committee administers the Director Plan. As of December 31, 2008, options to purchase an aggregate of approximately 210,000 shares of common stock were outstanding under the Director Plan. The Company does not intend to issue any additional options under the Director Plan in the future.

*(c) 1996 Employee stock purchase plan*

In 1996, the Company adopted a 1996 Employee Stock Purchase Plan (the “1996 Stock Purchase Plan”) pursuant to which its employees were entitled to purchase up to an aggregate of 1,000,000 shares of common stock at a price equal to the lesser of 85% of the fair market value of the Company’s common stock on either the commencement date or completion date for offerings under the plan. During 2005, the Company amended the 1996 Stock Purchase Plan to provide that, for each offering period beginning on May 1, 2005 or later, employees are entitled to purchase shares of common stock at a price equal to 95% of the fair market value on the completion date of the offering period. As of December 31, 2008, approximately 800,000 shares had been issued thereunder. The 1996 Stock Purchase Plan is tax qualified and as of December 31, 2008 no compensation expense related to shares issued under the plan had been recognized for financial statement purposes. The 1996 Stock Purchase Plan was terminated on November 1, 2006.

*(d) 2004 Long-term incentive plan*

In 2004, the Company adopted a 2004 Long-Term Incentive Plan (the “2004 Plan”) to provide employees, non-employee Directors and consultants with opportunities to purchase stock through incentive stock options and non-qualified stock options. In addition to options, eligible participants under the 2004 Plan may be granted stock purchase rights and other stock-based awards. As of December 31, 2008, a total of 7,000,000 shares of common stock had been authorized under the 2004 Plan and approximately 3,588,000 shares were subject to outstanding options and stock-based awards. Beginning in June 2006, each member of the Company’s Board of Directors (except the Company’s Chairman and Chief Executive Officer) is entitled to receive on an annual basis a number of shares of unrestricted common stock equal to \$55,000 divided by the fair market value of its common stock on the grant date. The Compensation Committee administers the 2004 Plan. Generally, the exercise price of options granted under the plan is equal to the fair market value of the underlying common stock on the date of grant. Options granted under the 2004 Plan generally vest over five years and expire no later than ten years from the date of grant.

*(e) 2006 Employee stock purchase plan*

In 2006, the Company adopted a 2006 Employee Stock Purchase Plan (the “2006 Stock Purchase Plan”) pursuant to which the Company’s employees are entitled to purchase up to an aggregate of 500,000 shares of common stock at a price equal to 85% of the fair market value of the Company’s common stock on either the

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commencement date or completion date for offerings under the plan, whichever is less, or such higher price as the Company's Board of Directors may establish from time to time. Until the Company's Board of Directors determines otherwise, the Board has set the purchase price at 95% of the fair market value on the completion date of the offering period. As a result, the 2006 Stock Purchase Plan is non-compensatory under SFAS 123(R) and is tax qualified. Therefore as of December 31, 2008, no compensation expense related to shares issued under the plan had been recognized for financial statement purposes. The first offering period under the 2006 Stock Purchase Plan began November 1, 2006. As of December 31, 2008, approximately 42,000 shares had been issued thereunder.

*Shares reserved*

As of December 31, 2008, there were approximately 2,417,000 shares available for future issuance under the Company's stock plans, consisting of approximately 1,959,000 shares under the 2004 Plan and approximately 458,000 shares under the 2006 Stock Purchase Plan. There were no shares available for future issuance under the 1994 Plan, the Director Plan or the 1996 Stock Purchase Plan.

**Equity grants, Assumptions and Activity**

The Company periodically grants stock options and RSUs for a fixed number of shares to employees and non-employee Directors. The exercise price for stock options is greater than or equal to the fair market value of the shares at the date of the grant. In July 2007 and May 2008, the Company granted unrestricted common stock to members of its Board of Directors (other than the Company's Chairman and Chief Executive Officer) in lieu of the annual stock option grant historically made. The following table presents the stock-based compensation expense included in the Company's consolidated statements of income for 2008, 2007, and 2006.

(in thousands, except per share amounts)	Year ended December 31, 2008	Year ended December 31, 2007	Year ended December 31, 2006
Stock-based compensation expense:			
Cost of services	\$ 995	\$ 490	\$ 286
Selling and marketing	807	436	520
Research and development	539	130	135
General and administrative	1,191	562	527
Total stock-based compensation before tax	3,532	1,618	1,468
Income tax benefit	(1,090)	(430)	(520)
Net stock-based compensation expense	<u>\$ 2,442</u>	<u>\$ 1,188</u>	<u>\$ 948</u>

The Company estimates the fair value of stock options using a Black-Scholes option valuation model. Key inputs used to estimate the fair value of stock options include the exercise price of the award, the expected term of the option, the expected volatility of the Company's common stock over the option's expected term, the risk-free interest rate over the option's expected term, and the Company's expected annual dividend yield. The amount of stock-based compensation recognized during a period is based on the value of the portion of the awards that are ultimately expected to vest. SFAS 123(R) requires forfeitures to be estimated at the time of grant and revised, if necessary, in subsequent periods if actual forfeitures differ from those estimates. Based on the review of historical forfeiture data for the Company's employees, an annual forfeiture rate of 5-20% has been applied and is re-evaluated and adjusted as necessary. Ultimately, the Company recognizes the actual expense over the vesting period only for the shares that vest. The weighted average grant date fair value for stock options granted in 2008, 2007, and 2006 was \$4.75, \$5.44, and \$5.20 per share, respectively.

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The weighted-average assumptions used in the Black-Scholes option valuation model are as follows:

	<u>Year ended December 31, 2008</u>	<u>Year ended December 31, 2007</u>	<u>Year ended December 31, 2006</u>
Expected volatility (1)	46%	53%	75%
Expected term in years (2)	5.9	5.6	6.1
Risk-free interest rate (3)	2.36%	4.02%	4.81%
Expected annual dividend yield (4)	1.07%	1.19%	.97%

- (1) The expected volatility for each grant is determined based on the average of historical weekly price changes of the Company's common stock over a period of time which approximates the expected option term.
- (2) The expected option term for each grant is determined based on the historical exercise behavior of employees and post-vesting employment termination behavior.
- (3) The risk-free interest rate is based on the yield of zero-coupon U.S. Treasury securities for a period that is commensurate with the expected option term at the time of grant.
- (4) The expected annual dividend yield is based on the weighted-average of the dividend yield assumptions used for options granted during the applicable period. In July 2006, the Company began paying an on-going quarterly cash dividend of \$0.03 per share of common stock. The expected annual dividend yield for the year ended December 31, 2008 is based on the expected dividend of \$0.12 per share, per year (\$0.03 per share, per quarter times 4 quarters) divided by the average stock price. The expected annual dividend yield for the year ended December 31, 2006 includes the weighted average impact of expected dividends beginning July 2006.

SFAS 123(R) provides that for the purposes of calculating the pool of excess tax benefits ("APIC pool"), the Company should include the net excess tax benefits that would have qualified had the Company adopted SFAS 123(R) from inception. The FASB issued FSP 123(R)-3 "Transition Election Related to Accounting for the Tax Effect of Share-Based Payment Awards" ("FSP 123(R)-3"), which provides an alternative transition method to calculate the beginning pool of excess tax benefits. The Company elected to adopt the alternative transition method ("short cut method") in calculating their historical APIC pool of windfall tax benefits in regards to its share-based compensation.

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The following table summarizes the combined stock option activity under the Company's stock option plans for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007, and 2006:

	Cash settled options (in thousands)	Net settled options (in thousands)	Weighted- average exercise price	Weighted- average remaining contractual term (in years)	Aggregate intrinsic value (in thousands)
Options outstanding as of January 1, 2006	9,728	—	\$ 7.86	6.02	
Granted	490	—	8.11		
Exercised	(640)	—	5.46		
Forfeited/expired	(1,142)	—	8.70		
Options outstanding as of December 31, 2006	8,436	—	7.94	5.63	\$ 24,658
Granted	285	408	11.39		
Exercised	(1,679)	—	6.39		
Forfeited/expired	(214)	—	10.03		
Options outstanding as of December 31, 2007	6,828	408	8.57	5.06	\$ 30,028
Granted	—	551	11.38		
Modified (cash settled to net settled)	(4,594)	4,594	6.54		
Exercised	(931)	(425)	7.10		
Cancelled	(101)	(83)	9.98		
Options outstanding as of December 31, 2008	1,202	5,045	\$ 9.09	4.77	\$ 24,063
Weighted-average exercise price, as of December 31, 2008	\$ 9.54	\$ 8.99			
Vested and expected to vest as of December 31, 2008	1,076	4,599	\$ 8.93	4.37	\$ 23,223
Weighted-average exercise price of options vested and expected to vest, as of December 31, 2008	\$ 9.57	\$ 8.78			
Exercisable as of December 31, 2008	964	4,071	\$ 8.68	3.80	\$ 22,373
Weighted-average exercise price of options exercisable, as of December 31, 2008	\$ 9.59	\$ 8.47			

The aggregate intrinsic value of stock options exercised (i.e., the difference between the market price at exercise and the price paid by the employee at exercise) during the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007, and 2006 was \$7.6 million, \$7.5 million, and \$1.6 million, respectively. The aggregate intrinsic value of stock options outstanding and exercisable as of December 31, 2008 is based on the difference between the closing price of the Company's stock of \$12.36 on December 31, 2008 and the exercise price of the applicable stock options.

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As of December 31, 2008, the Company had unrecognized compensation expense related to the unvested portion of stock options of approximately \$2.1 million that is expected to be recognized as expense over a weighted-average period of approximately 2.0 years.

Cash received from option exercises under all share-based payment arrangements for the year ended December 31, 2008 was \$6.7 million. The actual tax benefit for the tax deductions from stock option exercises for year ended December 31, 2008 totaled \$3.5 million.

The following table summarizes the combined RSU activity for periodic grants and the CICP under the 2004 Plan for the year ended December 31, 2008. In 2007, the Company granted approximately 204,000 RSUs to certain employees with a weighted-average grant date fair value of \$11.71.

	Shares (in thousands)	Weighted- Average Grant Date Fair Value	Weighted- Average Remaining Contractual Term (in years)	Aggregate Intrinsic Value (in thousands)
Nonvested at January 1, 2008	204	\$ 11.71		
Granted	271	11.23		
Vested	(37)	11.71		
Forfeited	(26)	11.40		
Nonvested at December 31, 2008	<u>412</u>	<u>\$ 11.41</u>	2.06	\$ 4,961
Vested and expected to vest at December 31, 2008	<u>251</u>	<u>\$ 11.28</u>	1.62	\$ 3,027

The RSUs associated with periodic grants vest over five years with 20% vesting after one year and the remaining 80% vesting in equal quarterly installments over the remaining four years. The RSUs granted in connection with the 2008 CICP will vest 100% on March 13, 2009, the CICP payout date. The Company expenses its stock-based compensation under the ratable method, which treats each vesting tranche as if it were an individual grant. As of December 31, 2008, the Company had approximately \$2.0 million of unrecognized compensation cost related to all unvested RSUs that is expected to be recognized as expense over a weighted-average period of 2.1 years.

15. INCOME TAXES

The components of income before provision (benefit) for income taxes are as follows for the years ended December 31:

(in thousands)	2008	2007	2006
Domestic	\$13,221	\$8,343	\$ (643)
Foreign	2,451	1,599	1,830
Total	<u>\$15,672</u>	<u>\$9,942</u>	<u>\$1,187</u>

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The components of the provision (benefit) for income taxes are as follows for the years ended December 31:

(in thousands)	2008	2007	2006
<b>Current:</b>			
Federal	\$ 6,947	\$2,281	\$ 422
State	647	350	187
Foreign	907	879	393
Total current	<u>8,501</u>	<u>3,510</u>	<u>1,002</u>
<b>Deferred:</b>			
Federal	(2,651)	582	(1,328)
State	(1,063)	(699)	(423)
Foreign	(92)	(46)	94
Total deferred	<u>(3,806)</u>	<u>(163)</u>	<u>(1,657)</u>
Total provision (benefit)	<u>\$ 4,695</u>	<u>\$3,347</u>	<u>\$ (655)</u>

The effective income tax rate differed from the statutory federal income tax rate due to the following:

	2008	2007	2006
Statutory federal income tax rate	35.0%	35.0%	35.0%
State income taxes, net of federal benefit and tax credits	(1.4)	(2.4)	(24.1)
Permanent differences	2.7	3.3	14.2
Extraterritorial income exclusion and domestic production activities	(3.4)	(3.2)	(59.1)
Federal research and experimentation credits	(4.9)	(4.6)	(20.5)
Tax effects of foreign activities	(1.6)	(0.8)	(24.3)
Changes in deferred tax liabilities	—	—	7.4
Tax-exempt income	(3.9)	—	—
Provision to return adjustments	0.3	1.5	1.7
Tax exposure reserve	8.3	1.9	13.7
Valuation allowance	(1.3)	1.0	0.9
Other	0.2	2.0	(0.1)
Effective income tax rate	<u>30.0%</u>	<u>33.7%</u>	<u>(55.2)%</u>

The difference in the Company's effective federal tax rate for 2008 as compared to the statutory rate was primarily the result of changes to the following tax provision items: domestic production activities, tax-exempt income, and federal and state credits, all of which reduced the Company's effective tax rate. These decreases in the rate were offset by permanent differences for meals and entertainment and an increase in the Company's reserve for uncertain tax positions, the majority of which is related to state income tax credits.

The Company has recorded a FIN 48 liability for uncertain tax matters, both domestic and foreign, which it believes could result in additional tax being due. Any additions or reductions to the FIN 48 liability will be reflected in the Company's effective tax rate in the period that additional facts become known.

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Deferred income taxes reflect the net tax effects of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for income tax purposes. Significant components of net deferred tax assets and liabilities are as follows:

(in thousands)	2008	2007
Software revenue	\$ 1,990	\$ 306
Depreciation	487	872
Accruals and reserves	5,255	3,584
Unrealized loss on investments	(7)	(5)
Intangibles	27	—
Tax credit carry forwards	3,700	3,402
Net deferred tax assets	11,452	8,159
Less valuation allowances	—	(204)
Net deferred income taxes	<u>\$11,452</u>	<u>\$7,955</u>
Reported as:		
Current deferred tax asset, included in other current assets	\$ 4,351	\$2,148
Long-term deferred income tax assets	7,101	5,807
Net deferred income taxes	<u>\$11,452</u>	<u>\$7,955</u>

A valuation allowance has been provided for certain deferred tax assets when it is more likely than not that the Company will not realize the entire benefit of the assets. The \$0.2 million decrease in the valuation allowance during 2008 was primarily due to realization of benefits related to capital losses. The \$0.6 million decrease in the valuation allowance during 2007 was primarily due to realization of approximately \$0.3 million of tax benefits generated on the exercise of stock options, which were recorded directly to equity, and the realization of approximately \$0.4 million of certain tax loss and credit carry forwards that were acquired in the 1mind acquisition and were recorded as a reduction to goodwill. These decreases were offset by an increase in the valuation allowance of \$0.1 million due to additional capital loss carry forwards in the period.

As of December 31, 2008, the Company had available \$3.7 million of state tax research and experimentation (“R&E”) and investment tax credits expiring in the years 2011 through 2023.

Undistributed earnings of the Company’s foreign subsidiaries amounted to approximately \$9.8 million as of December 31, 2008. The Company has not provided any additional federal or state income taxes or foreign withholding taxes on the undistributed earnings as such earnings have been indefinitely reinvested in the business as defined in the provisions of SFAS 109 as well as Accounting Principles Board Opinion No. 23 “Accounting for Income Taxes — Special Areas” (“APB 23”).

The Company adopted the provisions of FIN 48 on January 1, 2007. As a result, the Company recorded the cumulative effect of applying the provisions of FIN 48 and recorded a \$1.5 million reduction to the January 1, 2007 retained earnings.

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A reconciliation of the beginning and ending balances of the total amounts of gross unrecognized tax benefits is as follows:

(in thousands)	<u>2008</u>
Balance as of January 1, 2008	\$ 9,825
Additions based on tax positions related to the current year	450
Additions for tax positions of prior years	860
Reductions for tax positions of prior years	<u>(4,934)</u>
Balance as of December 31, 2008	\$ 6,201

Included in the balance as of December 31, 2008 are \$2.2 million of tax positions for which the ultimate settlement is highly certain but for which there is uncertainty about the timing of such deductibility. Due to the impact of deferred tax accounting, other than interest and penalties, a change in the income recognition period would not affect the annual effective tax rate but would accelerate the payment of cash to the tax authority to an earlier period.

As of December 31, 2008, the total amount of unrecognized tax benefits totaled approximately \$6.2 million, of which \$5.2 million, if recognized, would favorably affect our effective tax rate in any future period. The Company expects that the changes in the unrecognized benefits within the next twelve months would be approximately \$1.3 million related to tax positions for which the ultimate settlement is highly certain but for which there is uncertainty about the timing of such recognition. The Company expects to settle its income tax audit with the UK, as discussed further below, in the next twelve months but is uncertain as to the amount.

The Company recognizes interest and penalties related to uncertain tax positions in income tax expense. For the year ended December 31, 2008, the Company recognized approximately \$1.7 million of interest expense and \$0.1 million of penalties related to the \$6.2 million uncertain tax positions.

The Company files income tax returns in the U.S. federal and state jurisdictions and foreign jurisdictions. Generally, the Company is no longer subject to U.S. federal, state, or local, or foreign income tax examinations by tax authorities for the years before 2001. Currently, the Company is under examination in the UK for the tax years 2001 through 2004. With few exceptions, the statute of limitations remains open in all other jurisdictions for the tax years 2005 to the present.

The Company reported in its reconciliation of gross uncertain tax benefits a \$4.9 million reduction in unrecognized tax benefits for the year ended December 31, 2008. The reduction relates to tax positions for which the ultimate settlement is highly certain but for which there is uncertainty about the timing of such recognition. This reduction does not affect the annual effective tax rate. The gross reduction reported in the current period reflects a change in management's judgment as to the timing of recognition of such items in accordance with FIN 48 and an increase in the estimated amounts to be recognized since the close of the prior reporting period.

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## 16. EARNINGS PER SHARE

Basic earnings per share is computed using the weighted-average number of common shares outstanding during the period. Diluted earnings per share is computed using the weighted-average number of common shares outstanding during the period, plus the dilutive effect of outstanding options, warrants and RSUs, using the treasury stock method and the average market price of our common stock during the applicable period. Certain shares related to some of our outstanding stock options, warrants, and RSUs were excluded from the computation of diluted earnings per share because they were anti-dilutive in the periods presented, but could be dilutive in the future.

(in thousands, except per share data)	Year Ended December 31,		
	2008	2007	2006
<b>Basic</b>			
Net income	\$10,977	\$ 6,595	\$ 1,842
Weighted-average common shares outstanding	36,146	35,875	35,229
Earnings per share, basic	\$ 0.30	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.05
<b>Diluted</b>			
Net income	\$10,977	\$ 6,595	\$ 1,842
Weighted-average common shares outstanding	36,146	35,875	35,229
Effect of assumed exercise of stock options, warrants and RSUs	1,459	1,558	1,905
Weighted-average common shares outstanding, assuming dilution	37,605	37,433	37,134
Earnings per share, diluted	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.05
Outstanding options, warrants and RSUs excluded as impact would be anti-dilutive	1,523	1,121	2,971

## 17. SEGMENT REPORTING

The Company currently operates in one operating segment — rules based Business Process Management (“BPM”) software. The Company derives substantially all of its operating revenue from the sale and support of one group of similar products and services. Substantially all of the Company’s assets are located within the U.S. The Company derived its operating revenue from the following geographic areas (sales outside the U.S. are principally through export from the U.S.) for the years ended December 31:

(Dollars in thousands)	2008		2007		2006	
U.S.	\$131,250	62%	\$104,952	65%	\$ 79,903	63%
United Kingdom	40,063	19%	34,278	21%	19,741	16%
Europe, other	27,345	13%	8,755	5%	11,606	9%
Other	12,989	6%	13,964	9%	14,773	12%
	<u>\$211,647</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>\$161,949</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>\$126,023</u>	<u>100%</u>

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No customers accounted for more than 10% of the Company’s revenue in 2008, 2007, and 2006. The following table summarizes the Company’s concentration of credit risk associated with customers accounting for more than 10% of the Company’s outstanding trade receivables and long and short-term license installments as of December 31:

(Dollars in thousands)	2008	2007
<b>Trade receivables</b>	<b>\$42,801</b>	<b>\$45,922</b>
Customer A	—	19%
Customer B	—	14%
Customer C	12%	—
<b>Long and short-term license installments</b>	<b>\$10,858</b>	<b>\$27,450</b>
Customer C	—	24%
Customer E	30%	15%
Customer D	16%	—
Customer F	12%	—
Customer G	11%	—

The Company’s financial services and insurance customers as a group represent a significant amount of the Company’s revenues and receivables, which the Company considered and determined it did not have a material impact on its allowances for doubtful accounts and sales credit memos as of December 31, 2008.

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to a concentration of credit risk consist of marketable securities, trade accounts receivable and license installments receivable. The Company records long-term license installments in accordance with its revenue recognition policy, which results in long-term installment receivables from customers (due in periods exceeding one year from the reporting date, primarily from large organizations with strong credit ratings). The Company grants credit to customers who are located throughout the world. The Company performs credit evaluations of customers and generally does not request collateral from customers. Future installments due under term licenses as of December 31, 2008 were as follows:

(in thousands)	License Installments (1)
<b>Year ended December 31,</b>	
2009	\$ 5,445
2010	2,790
2011	2,215
2012	1,292
	<u>11,742</u>
Unearned installment interest income	(884)
<b>Total license installments receivable, net</b>	<b><u>\$ 10,858</u></b>

- (1) These amounts have previously been recognized as license revenue, net of unearned installment interest income and consist of approximately \$5.4 million of short-term license installments and approximately \$5.4 million of long-term license installments included in the accompanying consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2008. For these agreements, we recognized the present value of future term license payments upon customer acceptance, provided that no significant obligations or contingencies exist related to the software, other than maintenance support, and provided all other criteria for revenue recognition have been met.

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—(Continued)

18. EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLANS

The Company sponsors a 401(k) defined contribution retirement plan for qualifying employees pursuant to which the Company makes discretionary matching profit sharing contributions. Company contributions under the plan totaled approximately \$1.3 million in 2008, \$1.0 million in 2007, and \$0.8 million in 2006. In addition, the Company has defined contribution plans for qualifying international employees and contributions expensed under those plans totaled approximately \$0.6 million in 2008, approximately \$0.3 million in 2007, and approximately \$0.2 million in 2006.

19. SELECTED QUARTERLY INFORMATION (UNAUDITED)

(in thousands, except per share amounts)	2008			
	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter
Revenue	\$ 48,478	\$ 51,119	\$ 52,698	\$ 59,352
Gross profit	28,926	30,346	32,142	38,476
Income from operations	2,166	2,584	3,441	6,288
Income before provision for income taxes	4,177	4,029	2,717	4,749
Net income	2,944	2,852	2,351	2,830
Earnings per share, basic	\$ 0.08	\$ 0.08	\$ 0.06	\$ 0.08
Earnings per share, diluted	\$ 0.08	\$ 0.08	\$ 0.06	\$ 0.08

(in thousands, except per share data)	2007			
	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter
Revenue	\$ 37,489	\$ 35,663	\$ 42,041	\$ 46,756
Gross profit	21,925	21,343	26,320	27,159
Income (loss) from operations	(244)	(939)	2,957	177
Income before provision for income taxes	1,557	1,080	5,154	2,151
Net income	1,020	647	3,510	1,418
Earnings per share, basic	\$ 0.03	\$ 0.02	\$ 0.10	\$ 0.04
Earnings per share, diluted	\$ 0.03	\$ 0.02	\$ 0.09	\$ 0.04

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### ITEM 9. CHANGES IN AND DISAGREEMENTS WITH ACCOUNTANTS ON ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE

None.

### ITEM 9A. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

#### *(a) Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures.*

Our management, with the participation of our Chief Executive Officer, or CEO, and Chief Financial Officer, or CFO, evaluated the effectiveness of our disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) under the Securities Exchange Act) as of December 31, 2008. In designing and evaluating our disclosure controls and procedures, our management recognized that any controls and procedures, no matter how well designed and operated, can provide only reasonable assurance of achieving their objectives, and our management necessarily applied its judgment in evaluating the cost-benefit relationship of possible controls and procedures. Based on this evaluation, our CEO and CFO concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of December 31, 2008.

#### *(b) Management's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting.*

Our management is responsible for establishing and maintaining adequate internal control over financial reporting, as such term is defined in Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f) under the Securities Exchange Act. Under the supervision and with the participation of our management, including our CEO and CFO, we conducted an evaluation of the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting based on the framework in *Internal Control — Integrated Framework* issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission ("COSO").

Our internal control over financial reporting includes policies and procedures that pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect transactions and dispositions of assets, provide reasonable assurances that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures are being made in accordance with authorizations of our management and Directors; and provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisitions, use or disposition of our assets that could have a material effect on our financial statements.

Our management assessed the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2008. Based on this evaluation, our management concluded that we maintained effective internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2008, based on criteria in *Internal Control — Integrated Framework* issued by the COSO.

Deloitte & Touche LLP, our independent registered public accounting firm which also audited our consolidated financial statements, has issued an attestation report on our internal control over financial reporting, which is included on page 40.

#### *(c) Changes in Internal Control over Financial Reporting.*

During the fourth quarter of 2008, we completed our testing of the changes in our internal controls over financial reporting with respect to the material weakness related to accounting for complex software revenue recognition transactions that we reported at December 31, 2007 and continued to report during each of the three quarters of 2008. At December 31, 2008 we have determined that, as a result of the changes to our internal controls during the first three quarters of 2008 and management's testing of these changes, the previously reported material weakness was remediated. There have been no other changes in our internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f) under the Securities Exchange Act) during the quarter ended December 31, 2008 that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

### ITEM 9B. OTHER INFORMATION

None.

**PART III**

**ITEM 10. DIRECTORS, EXECUTIVE OFFICERS, AND CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

Except as set forth below, the information required by this Item is contained in our proxy statement for our 2009 Annual Stockholders Meeting (the “2009 proxy statement”) under the heading “Election of Directors,” and is incorporated herein by reference. Information relating to certain filings on Forms 3, 4, and 5 is contained in our 2009 proxy statement under the heading “Section 16(a) Beneficial Ownership Reporting Compliance,” and is incorporated herein by reference. Information required by this item pursuant to Items 401(h), 401(i), and 401(j) of Regulation S-K relating to an audit committee financial expert, the identification of the audit committee of our Board of Directors and procedures of security holders to recommend nominees to our Board of Directors is contained in the 2009 proxy statement under the heading “Corporate Governance” and is incorporated herein by reference.

We have adopted a written code of conduct that applies to all of our employees, including our principal executive officer, principal financial officer, principal accounting officer or controller, or persons performing similar functions.

**EXECUTIVE OFFICERS**

The names of our executive officers and certain information about them are set forth below as of February 1, 2009:

There are no family relationships among any of our executive officers or Directors.

*Alan Trefler*, age 52, a founder of Pegasystems, serves as Chief Executive Officer and Chairman and has been a Director since we organized in 1983. Prior to 1983, he managed an electronic funds transfer product for TMI Systems Corporation, a software and services company. Mr. Trefler holds a B.A. degree in Economics and Computer Science from Dartmouth College.

*Craig Dynes*, age 53, joined Pegasystems in September 2006 as Chief Financial Officer and Senior Vice President. Mr. Dynes also served as the Company’s principal accounting officer from November 2007 until May 2008. From 2004 to 2006, Mr. Dynes served as Chief Financial Officer at Demandware, a venture-backed enterprise software firm. From 2003 to 2004, Mr. Dynes served as President and CEO of Narad Networks, a manufacturer of equipment for the cable television industry. From 1997 to 2002, Mr. Dynes served as Chief Financial Officer of SilverStream Software, Inc., an application development software company. Prior to SilverStream, Mr. Dynes held senior financial positions at Sybase Inc. and Powersoft Corp. Mr. Dynes is a graduate of the Richard Ivey School of Business Administration, the University of Western Ontario and is a Canadian Chartered Accountant.

*Efstathios Kouninis*, age 47, joined Pegasystems in April 2008 as Vice President of Finance. In May 2008, the Board of Directors appointed Mr. Kouninis as the Company’s Chief Accounting Officer. From February 2006 to April 2008, Mr. Kouninis served as Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer of Tasker Products Corporation, a publicly traded manufacturer of antimicrobial chemicals. From November 2004 to February 2006, Mr. Kouninis served on the Staff of the Division of Corporation Finance of the U. S. Securities and Exchange Commission. From January 2004 to November 2004, Mr. Kouninis served as Director of Finance at Bottomline Technologies, a publicly traded software company. Mr. Kouninis holds a Post Baccalaureate in Accounting, a M.S. in taxation from Bentley College, and a B.S. from the University of Massachusetts.

*Douglas Kra*, age 46, joined Pegasystems in November 2004 as Vice President of Global Services. From 2002 to 2004, Mr. Kra served as Vice President at eLoyalty Corp., a consulting company specializing in customer relationship management. From 2000 to 2001, Mr. Kra served as President of Zefer Corp., an internet consulting firm. Prior to Zefer, Mr. Kra spent ten years at Cambridge Technology Partners Inc. in a variety of senior roles. He holds a B.A. in Computer Science from Brandeis University and an M.B.A. in finance from the New York University Stern School of Business.

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*Max Mayer*, age 59, joined Pegasystems in 2004 as Vice President of Corporate Development. In November 2008, Mr. Mayer was promoted to Senior Vice President of Corporate Development. From 1999 to 2004, Mr. Mayer served as President and CEO of The Mayer Group, a management consulting firm. From 1995 to 1996, Mr. Mayer was President of Norstan, a publicly traded communications company. Prior to 1995, Mr. Mayer spent 15 years with Digital Equipment Corporation. He holds a B.A. from the University of Pennsylvania, an M.B.A. from Boston University, and completed executive education at Insead in Fontainebleau, France.

*Michael Pyle*, age 54, joined Pegasystems in 1985 and has served as Senior Vice President of Product Development since August 2000. Including his positions with Pegasystems, Mr. Pyle's professional background encompasses almost thirty years of software development and managerial experience throughout Europe and the U.S. Mr. Pyle completed his B.C.S. specializing in Computer Science and Systems Programming at the Civil Service College in London.

### **ITEM 11. EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION**

The information required by this item is contained in the 2009 proxy statement under the headings "Directors Compensation", "Compensation Discussion and Analysis", and "Executive Compensation" and is incorporated herein by reference.

### **ITEM 12. SECURITY OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN BENEFICIAL OWNERS AND MANAGEMENT AND RELATED STOCKHOLDER MATTERS**

Information required by this item with respect to securities authorized for issuance under our equity compensation plans is included in Item 5. Market For Registrant's Common Stock, Related Stockholder Matters, And Issuer Purchases Of Equity Securities in Part II of this report. Information required by this item with respect to stock ownership of certain beneficial owners and management is contained in the 2009 proxy statement under the heading "Security Ownership of Certain Beneficial Owners and Management" and is incorporated herein by reference.

### **ITEM 13. CERTAIN RELATIONSHIPS AND RELATED TRANSACTIONS, AND DIRECTOR INDEPENDENCE**

The information required by this item is contained in the 2009 proxy statement under the heading "Certain Relationships and Related Transactions" and is incorporated herein by reference.

### **ITEM 14. PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTING FEES AND SERVICES**

The information required by this item is contained in the 2009 proxy statement under the heading "Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm Fees and Services" and is incorporated herein by reference.

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**PART IV**

**ITEM 15. EXHIBITS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT SCHEDULES**

(a) The following are filed as part of this Annual Report on Form 10-K:

*(1) Financial Statements*

The following consolidated financial statements are included in Item 8:

	<u>Page</u>
Consolidated Balance Sheets as of December 31, 2008 and 2007	42
Consolidated Statements of Income for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007, and 2006	43
Consolidated Statements of Stockholders' Equity and Comprehensive Income for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007, and 2006	44
Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007, and 2006	45

(b) Exhibits

The exhibits listed in the Exhibit Index immediately preceding such exhibits are filed as part of this Annual Report on Form 10-K.

(c) Financial Statement Schedules

All financial statement schedules are omitted because the required information is not present or not present in sufficient amounts to require submission of the schedule or because the information is reflected in the consolidated financial statements or notes thereto.



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### EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
3.3	Restated Articles of Organization, of the Registrant. (Filed as exhibit 99.2 to the Registrant's June 2, 2005 Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.)
3.4	Restated By-Laws of the Registrant. (Filed as exhibit 99.3 to the Registrant's June 2, 2005 Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.)
4.1	Specimen Certificate Representing the Common Stock. (Filed as exhibit 4.1 to the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-1 (Registration No. 333-03807) or an amendment thereto and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.1++	Amended and Restated 1994 Long-Term Incentive Plan. (Filed in the Registrant's Proxy Statement for its 2003 annual stockholders meeting and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.2++	1996 Non-Employee Director Stock Option Plan. (Filed in the Registrant's Proxy Statement for its 2000 annual stockholders meeting and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.3	Lease Agreement dated February 26, 1993 between the Registrant and Riverside Office Park Joint Venture. (Filed as exhibit 10.13 to the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-1 (Registration No. 333-03807) or an amendment thereto and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.4	Amendment Number 1 to Lease Agreement dated August 17, 1994 between the Registrant and Riverside Office Park Joint Venture. (Filed as exhibit 10.14 to the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-1 (Registration No. 333-03807) or an amendment thereto and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.5	Amendment Number 8 to Lease Agreement dated July 31, 2002 between the Registrant and NOP Riverfront LLC. (Filed as exhibit 10.23 to the Registrant's 2002 Form 10-K and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.6	Letter Amendment to Lease Agreement dated July 31, 2002 between the Registrant and NOP Riverfront LLC. (Filed as exhibit 10.24 to the Registrant's 2002 Form 10-K and incorporated herein by reference.)
+10.7++	2004 Long-Term Incentive Plan, as amended on November 24, 2008.
+10.8++	Form of Restricted Stock Unit Agreement, as amended on October 1, 2008.
+10.9++	Form of Employee Stock Option Agreement, as amended on October 1, 2008.
10.10	Form of Non-Employee Director Stock Option Agreement. (Filed as exhibit 10.2 to the Registrant's September 30, 2004 Form 10-Q and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.11++	Offer Letter between the Registrant and Douglas I. Kra dated October 19, 2004. (Filed as exhibit 10.20 to the Registrant's 2004 Form 10-K and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.12	Form of Director Indemnification Agreement. (Filed as Exhibit 99.1 to the Registrant's April 11, 2005 Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.13++	2007 Section 16 Officers Corporate Incentive Compensation Plan. (Filed as Exhibit 99.1 to the Registrant's April 9, 2007 Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.14++	2007 Section 16 Officers Base Salaries and Target Bonus Percentages. (Filed as Exhibit 99.2 to the Registrant's April 9, 2007 Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.15++	Offer Letter between the Registrant and Edward L. Hughes dated February 21, 2006. (Filed as Exhibit 99.2 to the Registrant's February 27, 2006 Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.16++	2006 Employee Stock Purchase Plan, as amended on February 14, 2008. (Filed as exhibit 10.15 to the Registrant's 2007 Form 10-K and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.17++	Compensation program for members of the Registrant's Board of Directors, effective May 30, 2006. (Detailed in Registrant's June 5, 2006 Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.)

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10.18++	Offer Letter between the Registrant and Craig A. Dynes dated September 7, 2006. (Filed as Exhibit 99.1 to the Registrant's September 7, 2006 Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.19	Amendment Number 10 to Lease Agreement dated July 24, 2006 between the Registrant and NOP Riverfront LLC. (Filed as exhibit 10.1 to the Registrant's September 30, 2006 Form 10-Q and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.20++	Amendment to Stock Option Agreement between the Registrant and Richard H. Jones dated December 29, 2006. (Filed as Exhibit 99.1 to the Registrant's January 4, 2007 Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.21++	2008 Section 16 Officers Corporate Incentive Compensation Plan. (Filed as Exhibit 99.1 to the Registrant's February 21, 2008 Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.22++	2008 Section 16 Officers Base Salaries and Target Bonus Payments. (Filed as Exhibit 99.2 to the Registrant's February 21, 2008 Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.23++	Offer Letter between the Registrant and Efstathios A. Kouninis dated April 25, 2008. (Filed as Exhibit 99.1 to the Registrant's June 5, 2008 Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.)
10.24	Amendment Number 11 to Lease Agreement dated as of June 11, 2008 between the Registrant and NOP Riverfront LLC. (Filed as Exhibit 10.2 to the Registrant's June 30, 2008 Form 10-Q and incorporated herein by reference.)
+10.25++	Offer Letter between the Registrant and Max Mayer dated April 20, 2004.
+21.1	Subsidiaries of the Registrant.
+23.1	Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm—Deloitte & Touche LLP.
+31.1	Certification pursuant to Exchange Act Rules 13a-14 and 15d-14 of the Chief Executive Officer.
+31.2	Certification pursuant to Exchange Act Rules 13a-14 and 15d-14 of the Chief Financial Officer.
+32	Certification pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350 of the Chief Executive Officer and the Chief Financial Officer.

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++ Management contracts and compensatory plan or arrangements required to be filed pursuant to Item 15(c) of Form 10-K.

+ Filed herewith

**PEGASYSTEMS INC.**  
**2004 LONG-TERM INCENTIVE PLAN**

1. Purposes of the Plan . The purposes of this 2004 Long-Term Incentive Plan (the “Plan”) are to attract and retain the best available personnel for positions of substantial responsibility, to provide additional incentive to Employees, Directors and Consultants, and to promote the success of the Company’s business. Options, Stock Purchase Rights and other stock-based awards may be granted under the Plan.

2. Definitions . As used herein, the following definitions shall apply:

(a) “ Administrator ” means the Board or the Committee administering the Plan in accordance with Section 5 hereof.

(b) “ Applicable Laws ” means the requirements relating to the administration of stock options plans under U.S. state corporate laws, U.S. federal and state securities laws, the Code, any stock exchange or quotation system on which the Common Stock is listed or quoted and the applicable laws of any other country or jurisdiction where Awards are granted under the Plan.

(c) “ Award ” means any Option, Stock Purchase Right or other stock-based award granted pursuant to the Plan.

(d) “ Board ” means the Board of Directors of the Company, as constituted from time to time.

(e) “ Code ” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or any successor statute or statutes thereto. Reference to any particular Code section shall include any successor section.

(f) “ Committee ” means a committee of Directors appointed by the Board in accordance with Section 5(b) hereof.

(g) “ Common Stock ” means the Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share, of the Company.

(h) “ Company ” means Pegasystems Inc., a Massachusetts corporation.

(i) “ Consultant ” means any consultant or adviser if: (i) the consultant or adviser renders bona fide services to a Related Company; (ii) the services rendered by the consultant or adviser are not in connection with the offer or sale of securities in a capital-raising transaction and do not directly or indirectly promote or maintain a market for a Related Company’s securities; and (iii) the consultant or adviser is a natural person who has contracted directly with a Related Company to render such services.

(j) “ Director ” means a member of the Board.

(k) “ Disability ” means total and permanent disability as defined in Section 22(e)(3) of the Code.

(l) “Employee” means any person, including Officers and Directors, employed by a Related Company who is subject to the control and direction of the employer entity as to both the work to be performed and the manner and method of performance. An Employee shall not cease to be an Employee in the case of (i) any leave of absence approved by a Related Company or (ii) transfers between locations of a Related Company or between the Related Companies, or any successor. For purposes of Incentive Stock Options, no such leave may exceed ninety (90) days, unless reemployment upon expiration of such leave is guaranteed by statute or contract. If reemployment upon expiration of leave of absence approved by the Related Company is not so guaranteed, on the 181st day of such leave any Incentive Stock Option held by the Participant shall cease to be treated as an Incentive Stock Option and shall be treated for tax purposes as a Nonstatutory Stock Option. Neither service as a Director nor payment of a director’s fee by the Company shall be sufficient to constitute “employment” by the Company.

(m) “Exchange Act” means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or any successor statute or statutes thereto. Reference to any particular Exchange Act section shall include any successor section.

(n) “Exercise Price” or “Purchase Price” means the per Share price to be paid by a Participant or Purchaser to exercise an Option or Stock Purchase Right.

(o) “Fair Market Value”<sup>1</sup> means, as of any date, the value of a share of Common Stock determined as follows:

(i) If the Common Stock is listed on any established stock exchange or a national market system, including without limitation the Nasdaq National Market or the Nasdaq SmallCap Market of the Nasdaq Stock Market, (a) for purposes of determining the number of Shares to be retained by the Company in payment of the exercise price of an Option or the withholding of tax for any Award, Fair Market Value shall be the execution price for the trade of Common Stock (excluding “after hours” trading) occurring, in the case of an Option, immediately before the receipt by the Company or its agent of the notice of exercise, or, in the case of a restricted stock unit, immediately before the date of vesting, and (b) for all other purposes Fair Market Value shall be the closing price (excluding “after hours” trading) for a share of such stock on that day (or, if the Common Stock is not traded on that day, on the last trading day preceding such date).;

(ii) If the Common Stock is regularly quoted by a recognized securities dealer but selling prices are not reported, (a) for purposes of determining the exercise price of an Option, Fair Market Value shall be the mean between the highest bid and lowest asked prices (excluding “after hours” trading) for a share of the Common Stock on that day (or, if there are no quotes for that day, on the last day preceding such date for which quotes were available), and (b) for all other purposes, Fair Market Value shall be the mean between the highest bid and lowest asked prices (excluding “after hours” trading) for a share of the Common Stock on the last day preceding such date; or

(iii) In the absence of an established market for the Common Stock, the Fair Market Value thereof shall be determined in good faith by the Administrator.

(p) “Incentive Stock Option” means an Option intended to qualify as an incentive stock option within the meaning of Section 422 of the Code and which is designated as an Incentive Stock Option by the Administrator.

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<sup>1</sup> This section 1(o) has been restated to reflect amendments to the Plan adopted by the Company’s Board of Directors on November 24, 2008.

(q) “ Nonstatutory Stock Option ” means an Option (or portion thereof) that is not designated as an Incentive Stock Option by the Administrator, or which is designated as an Incentive Stock Option by the Administrator but fails to qualify as an incentive stock option within the meaning of Section 422 of the Code.

(r) “ Officer ” means a person who is an officer of the Company within the meaning of Section 16 of the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(s) “ Option ” means a stock option granted pursuant to the Plan.

(t) “ Option Exchange Program ” means a program whereby outstanding Options are exchanged for Options with a lower Exercise Price.

(u) “ Optioned Stock ” means the Common Stock subject to an Option or a Stock Purchase Right.

(v) “ Parent ” means a “parent corporation,” whether now or hereafter existing, as a defined in Section 424(e) of the Code.

(w) “ Participant ” means the holder of an outstanding Award.

(x) “ Plan ” means this 2004 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

(y) “ Purchased Shares ” means the shares of Common Stock purchased by a Participant pursuant to his or her exercise of an Award.

(z) “ Purchaser ” means a Participant exercising an Option or Stock Purchase Right.

(aa) “ Related Company ” means and includes the Company and the Parent and any Subsidiaries of the Company.

(bb) “ Restricted Shares ” means unvested shares of Common Stock acquired pursuant to the exercise of an Award which are subject to a Right of Repurchase.

(cc) “ Retirement ” means retirement of an Employee or Director from active employment or service with any Related Company after having attained age 60.

(dd) “ Right of Repurchase ” means the right of the Company to repurchase Restricted Shares issued pursuant to any Award.

(ee) “ Sale of the Company ” means (i) a sale of substantially all of the assets of the Company, or (ii) a sale or transfer of voting securities of the Company to an individual, entity or group (within the meaning of Section 13(d)(3) or 14(d)(2) of the Exchange Act), in one transaction or a series of related transactions, or (iii) a consolidation or merger of the Company, in each case, as a result of which the beneficial holders of a majority of the voting power of the Company’s voting securities entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (“Voting Power”) prior to such transaction do not, directly or indirectly, beneficially hold a majority of the Voting Power (or of the voting power of the surviving or acquiring entity) after such transaction.

(ff) “ Section 16(b) ” means Section 16(b) of the Exchange Act.

(gg) “ Service ” means the Participant’s performance of services for a Related Company in the capacity of an Employee, Director or Consultant.

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(hh) “ Service Provider ” means an Employee, Director or Consultant.

(ii) “ Share ” means a share of the Common Stock, as adjusted in accordance with Section 12 hereof.

(jj) “ Stock Option Agreement ” means a written agreement between the Company and a Participant evidencing the terms and conditions of an individual Option grant. A Stock Option Agreement is subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan.

(kk) “ Stock Purchase Agreement ” means a written agreement between the Company and a Participant evidencing the terms and conditions of a Stock Purchase Right. A Stock Purchase Agreement is subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan.

(ll) “ Stock Purchase Right ” means the right of a Participant to purchase Common Stock pursuant to Section 10 hereof.

(mm) “ Subsidiary ” means “subsidiary corporation,” whether now or hereafter existing, as defined in Section 424(f) of the Code.

(nn) “ 10% Stockholder ” means the owner of stock (as determined under Section 424(d) of the Code) possessing more than ten percent (10%) of the voting power of all classes of stock of a Related Company.

3. Effective Date and Term of Plan . The Plan shall become effective upon its adoption by the Board. No Awards shall be granted under the Plan after the completion of ten years from the earlier of (i) the date on which the Plan was adopted by the Board or (ii) the date the Plan was approved by the Company’s stockholders, but Awards previously granted may extend beyond that date.

#### 4. Stock Subject to the Plan .

(a) Number of Shares . Subject to the provisions of Section 12 of the Plan, the maximum aggregate number of Shares which may be subject to Awards and issued under the Plan is 7,000,000 Shares. The Shares may be authorized but unissued shares or treasury shares. If an Award expires or becomes unexercisable without having been exercised in full, or is surrendered pursuant to an Option Exchange Program, the unpurchased Shares which were subject thereto shall become available for future grant or sale under the Plan (unless the Plan has terminated). However, Shares that have actually been issued under the Plan, upon exercise of an Award, shall not be returned to the Plan and shall not become available for future distribution under the Plan, except that if Restricted Shares are forfeited and repurchased by the Company at not more than their Exercise Price, such Shares shall become available for future Awards under the Plan. Shares which are delivered by the Participant or withheld by the Company upon the exercise of an Option under the Plan, in payment of the exercise price thereof or tax withholding thereon, may again be optioned, granted or awarded hereunder, subject to the limitations of this Section 4(a). Notwithstanding the provisions of this Section 4(a), no Shares may again be optioned, granted or awarded if such action would cause an Incentive Stock Option to fail to qualify as an Incentive Stock Option under Section 422 of the Code.

(b) Per-Participant Limit . No Participant will receive, over the term of the Plan, Awards for more than an aggregate of 30% of the shares of Common Stock with respect to which Awards may be granted under the Plan . The per-Participant limit described in this Section 4(b) shall be construed and applied consistently with Section 162(m) of the Code.

#### 5. Administration of the Plan .

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(a) Administration by Board of Directors. The Plan will be administered by the Board. The Board shall have authority to grant Awards and to adopt, amend and repeal such administrative rules, guidelines and practices relating to the Plan as it shall deem advisable. The Board may correct any defect, supply any omission or reconcile any inconsistency in the Plan or any Award in the manner and to the extent it shall deem expedient to carry the Plan into effect and it shall be the sole and final judge of such expediency. All decisions by the Board shall be made in the Board's sole discretion and shall be final and binding on all persons having or claiming any interest in the Plan or in any Award. No director or person acting pursuant to the authority delegated by the Board shall be liable for any action or determination relating to or under the Plan made in good faith.

(b) Appointment of Committees. To the extent permitted by Applicable Laws, the Board may delegate any or all of its powers under the Plan to one or more committees or subcommittees of the Board.

(c) Powers of the Administrator. Subject to the provisions of the Plan and, in the case of a Committee or executive officer, the specific duties delegated by the Board to such Committee, the Administrator shall have the authority in its discretion:

(i) to determine the Fair Market Value;

(ii) to select the Service Providers to whom Awards may from time to time be granted hereunder;

(iii) to determine the number of Shares to be covered by each Award granted hereunder;

(iv) to approve forms of agreement for use under the Plan;

(v) to determine the terms and conditions of any Award granted hereunder. Such terms and conditions include, but are not limited to, the Exercise Price or Purchase Price, the time or times when an Award may be exercised (which may be based on performance criteria), any vesting, acceleration or waiver of forfeiture restrictions, and any restriction or limitation regarding any Award or the Shares relating thereto, based in each case on such factors as the Administrator, in its sole discretion, shall determine;

(vi) to determine whether and under what circumstances an Option may be settled in cash under Section 13(f) instead of Common Stock;

(vii) to reduce the Exercise Price or Purchase Price of any Award to the then current Fair Value Market if the Fair Market Value of the Common Stock covered by such Award has declined since the date the Award was granted;

(viii) to initiate an Option Exchange Program;

(ix) to prescribe, amend and rescind rules and regulations relating to the Plan; and

(x) to construe and interpret the terms of the Plan and Awards granted pursuant to the Plan.

## 6. Eligibility.

(a) Nonstatutory Stock Options, Stock Purchase Rights and other stock-based awards (other than Incentive Stock Options) may be granted to Service Providers. Incentive Stock Options may be granted only to Employees.

(b) Each Option shall be designated in the Stock Option Agreement as either an Incentive Stock Option or a Nonstatutory Stock Option. However, notwithstanding such designation, to the extent that the aggregate Fair Market Value of the Shares with respect to which Incentive Stock Options are exercisable for the first time by the Participant during any calendar year (under all plans of the Related Companies) exceeds \$100,000, such Options shall be treated as Nonstatutory Stock Options. For purposes of this Section 6(b), Incentive Stock Options shall be taken into account in the order in which they were granted. The Fair Market Value of the Shares shall be determined as of the time the Option with respect to such Shares is granted.

7. Term of Option . The term of each Option shall be stated in the Stock Option Agreement; provided, however, that the term shall be no more than ten (10) years from the date of grant thereof. In the case of an Incentive Stock Option granted to a 10% Stockholder, the term of the Option shall be five (5) years from the date of grant or such shorter term as may be provided in the Stock Option Agreement.

8. Option Exercise Price and Consideration .

(a) The Exercise Price for the Shares to be issued upon exercise of an Option shall be such price as is determined by the Administrator; provided, however, that in the case of an Incentive Stock Option granted to a 10% Stockholder, the Exercise Price shall be no less than 110% of the Fair Market Value per Share on the date of grant, and provided further that in the case of an Incentive Stock Option granted to any other Employee, the Exercise Price shall be no less than 100% of the Fair Market Value per Share on the date of grant.

(b) <sup>2</sup> For Options issued prior to December 13, 2007, The consideration to be paid for the Shares to be issued upon exercise of an Option, including the method of payment, shall be determined by the Administrator (and, in the case of an Incentive Stock Option, shall be determined at the time of grant and set forth in the Stock Option Agreement). Such consideration may consist of (i) cash or a check payable to the Company, (ii) a promissory note of the Participant, (iii) when the Common Stock is registered under the Exchange Act other Shares which (x) in the case of Shares acquired upon exercise of an Option, have been owned by the Participant for more than six months on the date of surrender, and (y) have a Fair Market Value on the date of surrender equal to the aggregate Exercise Price of the Shares as to which such Option shall be exercised, (iv) consideration received by the Company under a cashless exercise program implemented by the Company in connection with the Plan, or (v) any combination of the foregoing methods of payment.

For Options issued on or after December 13, 2007, the consideration to be paid for the Shares to be issued upon exercise of an Option, including the method of payment, shall be determined by the Administrator (and, in the case of an Incentive Stock Option, shall be determined at the time of grant and set forth in the Stock Option Agreement). Such consideration may consist of (i) cash or a check payable to the Company; (ii) a promissory note of the Participant; (iii) consideration received by the Company under a cashless exercise program implemented by the Company in connection with the Plan; (iv) when the Common Stock is registered under the Exchange Act, consideration received by the Company under a "net exercise" arrangement pursuant to which the number of Shares issued to the Participant in connection with the Participant's exercise of the Option is reduced by the Company's retention of a portion of the Shares otherwise issuable in connection with such exercise having a Fair Market Value (determined as of the date of the exercise notice) equal to the aggregate exercise price of the Shares as to which such Option is being exercised; or (v) any combination of the foregoing methods of payment.

<sup>2</sup> This section 8(b) has been restated to reflect amendments to the Plan adopted by the Company's Board of Directors on December 13, 2007.

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## 9. Exercise of Option.

(a) Procedure for Exercise. Any Option granted hereunder shall be exercisable according to the terms hereof at such times and under such conditions as determined by the Administrator and set forth in the Stock Option Agreement. Unless the Administrator provides otherwise, vesting of Options granted hereunder shall be tolled during any unpaid leave of absence. An Option may not be exercised for a fraction of a Share.

An Option shall be deemed exercised when the Company receives: (i) written notice of exercise (in accordance with the Stock Option Agreement) from the person entitled to exercise the Option, and (ii) full payment for the Shares with respect to which the Option is exercised. Full payment may consist of any consideration and method of payment authorized by the Administrator and permitted by the Stock Option Agreement and the Plan. Shares issued upon exercise of an Option shall be issued in the name of the Participant or, if requested by the Participant, in the name of the Participant and his or her spouse.

Exercise of an Option in any manner shall result in a decrease in the number of Shares thereafter available, both for purposes of the Plan and sale under the Option, by the number of Shares as to which the Option is exercised.

(b) Termination of Service. If a Participant terminates Service other than by reason of the Participant's death, Disability or Retirement, such Participant may exercise his or her Option within such period of time as is specified in the Stock Option Agreement to the extent that the Option is vested on the date of termination (but in no event later than the expiration of the term of the Option as set forth in the Stock Option Agreement). In the absence of a specified time in the Stock Option Agreement, the Option shall remain exercisable for three months following the Participant's termination of Service. If, on the date of termination, the Participant is not vested as to his or her entire Option, the Shares covered by the unvested portion of the Option shall revert to the Plan. If, after termination of Service, the Participant does not exercise his or her Option within the time specified by the Administrator in the Stock Option Agreement, the Option shall terminate, and the Shares covered by such Option shall revert to the Plan.

(c) Disability of Participant. If a Participant terminates Service as a result of the Participant's Disability, the Participant may exercise his or her Option within such period of time as is specified in the Stock Option Agreement to the extent the Option is vested on the date of termination (but in no event later than the expiration of the term of such Option as set forth in the Stock Option Agreement). In the absence of a specified time in the Stock Option Agreement, the Option shall remain exercisable for 24 months following the Participant's termination of Service as the result of the Participant's Disability. If, on the date of termination of Service, the Participant is not vested as to his or her entire Option, the Shares covered by the unvested portion of the Option shall revert to the Plan. If, after termination of Service, the Participant does not exercise his or her Option within the time specified in the Stock Option Agreement, the Option shall terminate, and the Shares covered by such Option shall revert to the Plan.

(d) Death of Participant. If a Participant dies while a Service Provider, the Option may be exercised within such period of time as is specified in the Stock Option Agreement to the extent that the Option is vested on the date of death (but in no event later than the expiration of the term of such Option as set forth in the Stock Option Agreement) by the Participant's estate or by a person who acquires the right to exercise the Option by bequest or inheritance. In the absence of a specified time in the Stock Option Agreement, the Option shall remain exercisable for 12 months following the Participant's

termination of Service because of death. If, at the time of death, the Participant is not vested as to the entire Option, the Shares covered by the unvested portion of the Option shall immediately revert to the Plan. If the Option is not so exercised within the time specified in the Stock Option Agreement, the Option shall terminate, and the Shares covered by such Option shall revert to the Plan.

(e) Retirement of Participant. If a Participant terminates Service as a result of Retirement, the Participant may exercise his or her Option within such period of time as is specified in the Stock Option Agreement to the extent the Option is vested on the date of termination (but in no event later than the expiration of the term of such Option as set forth in the Stock Option Agreement). In the absence of a specified time in the Stock Option Agreement, the Option shall remain exercisable for 24 months following the Participant's termination of Service as the result of the Participant's Retirement. If, on the date of termination of Service, the Participant is not vested as to his or her entire Option, the Shares covered by the unvested portion of the Option shall revert to the Plan. If, after termination of Service, the Participant does not exercise his or her Option within the time specified in the Stock Option Agreement, the Option shall terminate, and the Shares covered by such Option shall revert to the Plan.

(f) Unvested Shares. The Administrator shall have the discretion to grant Options which are exercisable for Restricted Shares. Should the Participant terminate Service or fail to satisfy performance objectives while holding such Restricted Shares, the Company shall have a Right of Repurchase, at the Exercise Price paid per Share or such other price determined by the Administrator and set forth in the Stock Option Agreement, with respect to any or all of those Restricted Shares. The terms upon which such Right of Repurchase shall be exercisable (including the period and procedure for exercise and the appropriate vesting schedule for the purchased Shares) shall be established by the Administrator and set forth in the Stock Option Agreement or other document evidencing such repurchase right.

(g) <sup>3</sup> Automatic Extension of Post-Termination Exercise Periods. For Options issued on or after December 13, 2007, the period of time during which a Participant may exercise an Option after he or she terminates Service pursuant to this Section 9 or as specified in any Stock Option Agreement (the "Post-Termination Exercise Period") shall be extended by the amount of time, if any, during the Post-Termination Exercise Period when the effectiveness of any registration statement covering the issuance of Shares under the Plan is suspended for any reason; provided, however, that in no event shall the Post-Termination Exercise Period be extended beyond the expiration of the stated term of the Option.

#### 10. Stock Purchase Rights.

(a) Rights to Purchase. Stock Purchase Rights may be issued either alone, in addition to, or in tandem with other Awards granted under the Plan and/or cash awards made outside of the Plan. After the Administrator determines that it will offer Stock Purchase Rights under the Plan, it shall advise the Participant in writing of the terms, conditions and restrictions related to the offer, including the number of Shares that such person shall be entitled to purchase, the price to be paid, and the time within which such person must accept such offer. The offer shall be accepted by execution of a Stock Purchase Agreement in the form determined by the Administrator.

(b) Right of Repurchase. Unless the Administrator determines otherwise, the Stock Purchase Agreement shall grant the Company a Right of Repurchase exercisable upon the termination of the Purchaser's Service with the Company for any reason (including death or disability) or upon the failure to satisfy any performance objectives or other conditions specified in the Stock Purchase Agreement. Shares issued as Restricted Shares may not be sold, assigned, transferred, pledged or otherwise disposed of, except by will or the laws of descent and distribution, or as otherwise determined

<sup>3</sup> This section 9(g) has been inserted to reflect amendments to the Plan adopted by the Company's Board of Directors on December 13, 2007.

by the Administrator in the Stock Purchase Agreement, for such period as the Administrator shall determine. The purchase price for Restricted Shares repurchased pursuant to the Right of Repurchase shall be the purchase price paid by the Purchaser or such other price determined by the Administrator and set forth in the Stock Purchase Agreement, and may be paid by cancellation of any indebtedness of the Purchaser to the Company. The Right of Repurchase shall lapse upon such conditions or at such rate as the Administrator may determine and set forth in the Stock Purchase Agreement.

Each certificate for Restricted Shares shall bear an appropriate legend referring to the Right of Repurchase and other restrictions and shall be deposited by the stockholder with the Company together with a stock power endorsed in blank. Any attempt to dispose of Restricted Shares in contravention of the Right of Repurchase and other restrictions shall be null and void and without effect. If Restricted Shares shall be repurchased by the Company pursuant to the Right of Repurchase, the stockholder shall forthwith deliver to the Company the certificates for the Restricted Shares, accompanied by such instrument of transfer, if any, as may reasonably be required by the Company. If the Company does not exercise its Right of Repurchase, such Right of Repurchase shall terminate and be of no further force and effect.

The Administrator may in its discretion waive the surrender and cancellation of one or more Restricted Shares (or other assets attributable thereto) which would otherwise occur upon the non-completion of the vesting schedule or other conditions applicable to those Restricted Shares. Such waiver shall result in the immediate vesting of the Purchaser's interest in the Restricted Shares as to which the waiver applies. Such waiver may be effected at any time, whether before or after the Purchaser's termination of Service or the attainment or non-attainment of the applicable conditions.

(c) Other Provisions. The Stock Purchase Agreement shall contain such other terms, provisions and conditions not inconsistent with the Plan as may be determined by the Administrator in its sole discretion.

11. Other Stock-Based Awards. The Administrator shall have the right to grant other Awards based upon the Common Stock having such terms and conditions as the Administrator may determine, including the grant of Shares based upon certain conditions, the grant of securities convertible into Common Stock and the grant of stock appreciation rights.

12. Adjustments Upon Changes in Capitalization or Dissolution or Sale of the Company.

(a) <sup>4</sup>Changes in Capitalization. In the event of any stock split, reverse stock split, stock dividend, recapitalization, combination of shares, reclassification of shares, spin-off or other similar change in capitalization or event, or any distribution to holders of Common Stock other than an ordinary cash dividend, (i) the number and class of securities available under the Plan, (ii) the per-Participant limit set forth in Section 4(b), (iii) the number and class of securities and exercise price per share subject to each outstanding Award, (iv) the price per share at which outstanding Restricted Shares may be repurchased pursuant to a Right of Repurchase and (v) the terms of each other outstanding Award shall automatically be proportionately adjusted on a pro rata basis.

(b) Dissolution or Liquidation. In the event of the proposed dissolution or liquidation of the Company, the Administrator shall notify each Participant as soon as practicable prior to the effective date of such proposed transaction. The Administrator in its discretion may provide for a Participant to have the right to exercise his or her Award until 15 days prior to such transaction as to all of the Shares covered thereby, including Shares as to which the Award would not otherwise be exercisable. In addition, the Administrator may provide that any Right of Repurchase applicable to any Restricted

<sup>4</sup> This section 12(a) has been restated to reflect amendments to the Plan adopted by the Company's Board of Directors on December 13, 2007.

Shares purchased upon exercise of an Option or Stock Purchase Right shall lapse as to all such Shares, provided the proposed dissolution or liquidation takes place at the time and in the manner contemplated. To the extent it has not been previously exercised, an Award will terminate immediately prior to the consummation of such proposed dissolution or liquidation of the Company.

(c) Sale of the Company. Except as otherwise provided in any Stock Option Agreement or Stock Purchase Agreement or other document evidencing such rights, in the event of a Sale of the Company when any unexercised Award or any Restricted Shares remains outstanding, the Administrator may in its discretion apply one or more or any combination of the following provisions:

(i) the Administrator may provide that outstanding Awards or Restricted Shares shall be assumed or an equivalent option or right or restricted stock substituted by the successor entity or a Parent or Subsidiary thereof; or

(ii) the Administrator may, subject to the provisions of clauses (iv) and (v) below, after the effective date of the Sale of the Company, permit a holder of an Award immediately prior to such effective date, upon exercise of the Award, to receive in lieu of Shares of Common Stock, shares of stock or other securities or consideration as the holders of Common Stock received pursuant to the terms of the Sale of the Company; or

(iii) the Administrator may waive any discretionary limitations imposed with respect to an Award so that some or all Options or Stock Purchase Rights, from and after a date prior to the effective date of the Sale of the Company as specified by the Administrator, are exercisable in full and any Restricted Shares shall cease to be subject to restrictions in whole or in part; or

(iv) the Administrator may cause any outstanding Awards to be canceled as of the effective date of the Sale of the Company, provided that notice of cancellation is given to each holder of an Award, and each holder of an Award has the right to exercise the Award in full prior to or contemporaneous with the effective date of such Sale of the Company; or

(v) the Administrator may cause any outstanding Awards to be canceled as of the effective date of the Sale of the Company, provided that notice of such cancellation is given to each holder of an Award, and each holder of an Award has the right to exercise the Award, to the extent exercisable in accordance with any limitations imposed thereon, prior to or contemporaneous with the effective date of such Sale of the Company

13. General Provisions Applicable to Awards. Every Award and all Shares issued pursuant to the Plan shall be subject to the following provisions:

(a) Time of Granting Awards. The date of grant of an Award shall, for all purposes, be the date on which the Administrator makes the determination granting such Award, or such other date as is determined by the Administrator. The Administrator will give notice of the determination to each Service Provider to whom an Award is so granted within a reasonable time after the date of such grant.

(b) No Rights to Employment or Other Status. Neither the Plan nor any Award shall confer upon any Participant any rights with respect to continuing in Service with any Related Company, nor shall the Plan or any Award interfere in any way with the Participant's right or the Related Company's right to terminate the Participant's Service at any time, with or without cause.

(c) Rights as a Stockholder. Until the Shares are issued (as evidenced by the appropriate entry on the books of the Company or of a duly authorized transfer agent of the Company), no right to vote or receive dividends or any other rights as a stockholder shall exist with respect to the Shares, notwithstanding the exercise of an Award. The Company shall issue (or cause to be issued) the

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Shares promptly after an Award is duly exercised. No adjustment will be made for a dividend or other right for which the record date is prior to the date the Shares are issued, except as provided in Section 12 hereof.

(d) Acceleration. The Administrator may at any time provide that any Awards shall become immediately exercisable in full or in part or that any Restricted Shares shall be free of restrictions or conditions in full or in part or otherwise realizable in full or in part, as the case may be.

(e) Buyout Provisions. The Administrator may at any time and from time to time offer to buy out for a payment in cash or Shares any Award previously granted, based on such terms and conditions as the Administrator shall establish and communicate to the holder of such Award at the time such offer is made.

(f) Conditions on Delivery of Shares. The Company shall not be obligated to deliver any Shares pursuant to the Plan or to remove any restrictions from Shares previously delivered under the Plan, until (i) all conditions of the Award have been met or removed to the satisfaction of the Administrator, (ii) in the opinion of the Company's counsel, all other legal matters in connection with the issuance and delivery of such Shares have been satisfied in accordance with Applicable Laws; and (iii) the Participant has executed and delivered to the Company such representations or agreements as the Company may consider appropriate to satisfy the requirements of Applicable Laws.

(g) Amendment of Award. The Administrator may amend, modify or terminate any outstanding Award, including but not limited to, substituting therefor another Award of the same or different type, changing the expiration date or Exercise Price or Purchase Price or converting an Incentive Stock Option to a Nonstatutory Stock Option, provided that the Participant's consent to such action shall be required unless the Administrator determines that the action would not materially and adversely affect the Participant.

(h) Withholding Taxes. Each Participant shall pay to the Company, or make provisions satisfactory to the Administrator for payment of, any taxes required by Applicable Laws to be withheld in connection with any Awards to the Participant no later than the date of the event creating the tax liability. Except as the Administrator may otherwise provide in an Award, when the Common Stock is registered under the Exchange Act, Participants may satisfy such tax obligations in whole or in part by delivery of Shares, including Shares retained from the Award creating the tax obligation, valued at their Fair Market Value. The Company may, to the extent permitted by Applicable Laws, deduct any such tax obligations from any payment of any kind otherwise due to a Participant.

(i) Cancellation and Forfeiture for Misconduct. Notwithstanding the terms of any Award or other provision of the Plan, in the event of any Misconduct by the Participant or Purchaser (whether before or after the termination of Service), (i) all Awards granted to the Participant shall be terminated and the holder thereof shall have no further rights thereunder and (ii) all Shares then held by the Participant or Purchaser (or any successor) which were acquired by the Participant or Purchaser (or any successor) pursuant to an Award under the Plan shall thereupon be (or revert to being) Restricted Shares and shall be subject to a Right of Repurchase exercisable by the Company at any time within 180 days after the occurrence of such Misconduct or, if later, 180 days after the Company has knowledge of such Misconduct. The purchase price for Shares repurchased by the Company pursuant to the Right of Repurchase pursuant to this Section 13(i) shall be equal to the purchase price originally paid by the Participant or Purchaser for such Shares. The following shall constitute "Misconduct" by a Participant or Purchaser: (i) the unauthorized use or disclosure of the confidential information or trade secrets of any Related Company which use or disclosure causes material harm to the Related Company; (ii) conviction of a crime involving moral turpitude, deceit, dishonesty or fraud; (iii) gross negligence or willful misconduct of the Participant or Purchaser with respect to any Related Company or (iv) the breach by the Participant or Purchaser of any material term of an agreement with a Related Company including covenants not to compete and provisions relating to confidential information and intellectual property rights.

(j) Limits on Transferability of Awards. An Incentive Stock Option shall be exercisable only by the Participant during his or her lifetime and shall not be assignable or transferable other than by will or by the laws of descent and distribution following the Participant's death. A Nonstatutory Stock Option, Stock Purchase Right or Shares may be assigned in whole or in part during the Participant's lifetime to one or more members of the Participant's family or to a trust established exclusively for one or more such family members or to the Participant's former spouse, to the extent such assignment is in connection with the Participant's estate plan or pursuant to a domestic relations order. The assigned portion may only be exercised by the person or persons who acquired a proprietary interest in the Nonstatutory Stock Option, Stock Purchase Right or Shares pursuant to the assignment. The terms applicable to such assigned portion shall be the same as those in effect for the Nonstatutory Stock Option, Stock Purchase Right or Shares immediately prior to such assignment and shall be set forth in such documents issued to the assignee as the Administrator may deem appropriate. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Participant may also designate one or more persons as the beneficiary or beneficiaries of his or her outstanding Awards under the Plan, and those Awards shall, in accordance with such designation, automatically be transferred to such beneficiary or beneficiaries upon the Participant's death while holding those Awards. Such beneficiary or beneficiaries shall take the transferred Awards subject to all terms and conditions of the applicable agreement evidencing each such transferred Award, including (without limitation) the limited time period during which Awards may be exercised following the Participant's death.

(k) Documentation. Each Award shall be evidenced by a written instrument in such form as the Administrator shall determine. Each Award may contain terms and conditions in addition to those set forth in the Plan.

(l) Administrator Discretion. Except as otherwise provided by the Plan, each Award may be made alone or in addition or in relation to any other Award. The terms of each Award need not be identical, and the Administrator need not treat Participants uniformly.

#### 14. Amendment and Termination of the Plan.

(a) Amendment and Termination. The Board may at any time amend, alter, suspend or terminate the Plan.

(b) Stockholder Approval. The Board shall obtain stockholder approval of any Plan amendment to the extent necessary and desirable to comply with Applicable Laws.

(c) Effect of Amendment or Termination. No amendment, alteration, suspension or termination of the Plan shall impair the rights of any Participant, unless mutually agreed otherwise between the Participant and the Administrator, which agreement must be in writing and signed by the Participant and the Company. Termination of the Plan shall not affect the Administrator's ability to exercise the powers granted to it hereunder with respect to Awards granted under the Plan prior to the date of such termination.

15. Reservation of Shares. The Company, during the term of the Plan, shall at all times reserve and keep available such number of Shares as shall be sufficient to satisfy the requirements of the Plan.

16. Stockholder Approval. The Plan shall be subject to approval by the stockholders of the Company within 12 months after the date the Plan is adopted. Such stockholder approval shall be obtained in the degree and manner required under Applicable Laws.

17. Governing Law. The provisions of the Plan and all Awards made hereunder shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of The Commonwealth of Massachusetts, without regard to any applicable conflicts of law.



**Pegasystems Inc.**

**Notice of Grant of Award and Award Agreement**

Pegasystems Inc.  
ID: 04-2787865  
101 Main Street  
Cambridge, MA 02142

Effective \_\_, you (the "Optionee") have been granted an award of restricted stock units.

The current total value of the award is \_\_

The awards will vest 20 on the first anniversary of the date of grant and the balance of will vest in 16 equal quarterly installments between the first and fifth anniversaries of the date of grant.

The undersigned Optionee agrees to all of the terms of the Plan and all those set forth on Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

By your signature and the Company's signature below, you and the Company agree that this award is granted under and governed by the terms and conditions of the Company's Award Plan as amended and the Award Agreement, all of which are attached and made a part of this document.

Pegasystems Inc.

By: 

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Alan Trefler, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

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**Exhibit A****To Notice of Grant of Award and Award Agreement**

1. **Conversion of Restricted Stock Units to Common Stock.** Each restricted stock unit (“RSU”) granted in the Notice of Grant of Award and Award Agreement (of which this Exhibit A is a part) (the “Award Agreement”) represents the right of the person receiving such grant (the “Recipient”) to receive one share of the common stock (“Common Stock”) of Pegasystems Inc. (the “Company”) subject to the vesting requirements listed in the Award Agreement and to the other terms and conditions of this Award Agreement. On each vesting date listed in the Award Agreement, the Company will issue such number of shares of Common Stock as are equal to the applicable number of RSUs vesting on such date, less such number of shares of Common Stock as are required to be withheld to satisfy Recipient’s tax withholding obligations.
2. **Vesting.** RSUs will vest on the dates listed in the Award Agreement if the Recipient remains in the active employment of the Company in good standing from the date of grant through the applicable vesting date. RSUs will cease to vest immediately upon the cessation of Recipient’s active employment with the Company, for any reason.
3. **Recipient’s Agreement.** The Recipient agrees to all the terms stated in the Award Agreement (of which this Exhibit is a part), as well as to the terms of the Plan (which shall control in case of conflict with the Award Agreement), a copy of which is attached and of which the Recipient acknowledges receipt.
4. **Withholding.** The Recipient consents to fulfill all withholding obligations for all applicable payroll and income taxes with respect to the Award when they are due and arrange for satisfactory payment of all withholding obligations in a manner as set forth in Section 13(h) of the Plan. The Company may satisfy such withholding obligations by withholding such number of shares of Common Stock as are equal in value to the amount of the required withholding.
5. **Rights as Shareholders.** The Recipient shall have no rights as a shareholder of the Company with respect to any of the RSUs until the issuance of shares of Common Stock at the time of vesting, and then only with respect to those shares of Common Stock issued.
6. **Non-Transferability.** The Award may not be transferred in any manner other than as permitted in Section 130) of the Plan. The terms of the Award shall be binding upon the executors, administrators, heirs and successors of the Recipient.
7. **Compliance with Securities.** Tax and Other Law. No shares of Common Stock may be issued if the issuance of shares would constitute a violation of any applicable federal or state securities law or any other law or valid regulation. As a condition to issuance of Common Stock, the Company may require the Recipient, or any person acquiring the right to receive the Common Stock, to make any representation or warranty that the Company deems to be necessary under any applicable securities, tax, or other law or regulation.
8. **Adjustments upon Changes in Capitalization.** In the event of any change in the shares subject to the Plan or to any Award granted under the Plan by reason of a merger, consolidation, reorganization, recapitalization, stock dividend, stock split, combination or exchange of shares, or other change in the structure of the Company, the number of RSUs and the number of shares of Common Stock shall be appropriately adjusted by the Company and such adjustment shall be final, binding and conclusive.
9. **No Right to Employment.** The granting of the Award does not confer upon the Recipient the right to continue in the service of the Company, or affect in any way the right and power of the Company to terminate the service of the Recipient at any time with or without assigning a reason therefor, to the same extent as the Company might have done if the Award had not been granted.
10. **No Guarantee.** The Company offers no guarantee or assurance that the Company’s stock has any value at the time of this grant or will have any value or liquidity at any future time.

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11. **Amendment and Termination of Award.** The Company may not, without the consent of the Recipient, alter or impair any Award granted under the Plan. The Award shall be considered terminated in whole or in part, to the extent that, in accordance with the provisions of the Plan, the Recipient no longer has the right to receive shares of Common Stock under the Plan.

12. **Governing Law.** The Award Agreement shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of The Commonwealth of Massachusetts, without regard to any applicable conflicts of law provisions thereof.

13. **Severability.** In the event anyone or more of the provisions of the Award Agreement shall for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, the remaining provisions of the Award Agreement shall be unimpaired, and the invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision shall be replaced by a mutually acceptable provision, which being valid, legal and enforceable, comes closest to the intention of the parties underlying the invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision.

14. **Definitions.** All capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the meanings assigned to such terms in the Plan.



**Pegasystems Inc.**

**Notice of Grant of Stock Options and Option Agreement**

Pegasystems Inc.  
10: 04-2787865  
101 Main Street  
Cambridge, MA 02142

NAME Option Number: \_ ADDRESS \_  
Plan: \_\_ CITY, STATE COUNTRY ZIPCODE 10: \_

Effective OPTION\_DATE, you (the "Optionee") have been granted a Non-Qualified Stock Option (the "Option") to buy \_shares of Pegasystems Inc. (the "Company") common stock at an exercise price of US \$\_\_per share (the "Exercise Price"), pursuant to the Pegasystems Inc. 2004 Long-Term Incentive Plan (the "Plan").

The total exercise price of the shares granted is US

Shares subject to this Option will vest 20% on the first anniversary of the date of grant and the balance of will vest in 16 equal quarterly installments between the first and fifth anniversaries of the date of grant.

Expiration: Options expire in ten years from the Grant Date.

The undersigned Optionee agrees to all of the terms of the Plan and all those set forth on Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company and the Optionee have executed this instrument as of the date set forth above.

Pegasystems Inc.

By: *Alan Trefler*

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Alan Trefler, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

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Exhibit A To Notice of Grant of Stock Option and Option Agreement

1. **EXERCISE PRICE.** The Exercise Price is equal to Fair Market Value, as defined in Section 2(0) of the Plan, of a share of the Company's common stock on the date of the Notice of Grant of Stock Option and Option Agreement (of which this Exhibit A is a part) (the "Option Agreement").
2. **OPTION EXERCISE.** Once vested, the Option shall remain exercisable in whole or in part at any time through and including the day immediately preceding the date set forth under the heading "Expiration" on the Option Agreement (the "Expiration Date"), after which the Option shall expire and no longer be exercisable.

The Option shall be exercisable by notice to the Company or the Company's designated stock option administrator, which shall:

- (a) state the to exercise the Option, the number of shares with respect to which it is being exercised, and, if different than the Optionee, the person in whose name the stock certificate or certificates for such shares of common stock are to be registered, and the address and Social Security number of such person;
- (b) be signed by the person or persons entitled to exercise the Option, and if the Option is being exercised by a person or persons other than the Optionee, be accompanied by proof satisfactory to the Company's legal counsel of the right of such person or persons to exercise the Option; and
- (c) if to the Company, be in writing and delivered in person or by certified mail to the Chief Financial Officer of the Company or, if to the Company's designated stock option administrator, be in the manner and form specified by such stock option administrator.

Payment of the full purchase price of any shares, with respect to which the Option is being exercised, shall accompany the notice of exercise of the Option and such payment may be made in cash or check payable to the Company. Alternatively, the Optionee may elect to pay the full purchase price of any shares, with respect to which the Option is being exercised, by having the Company withhold, or by tendering to the Company through a stock swap, such number of shares of Common Stock as are equal in value to the full purchase price. The certificate or certificates for shares of common stock as to which the Option is exercised shall be registered in the name of the person or persons exercising the Option.

3. **TERMINATION OF SERVICE.** If the Optionee terminates Service other than by reason of the Optionee's death, Disability or Retirement, the Optionee may exercise his or her Option for three months following such termination to the extent that the Option is vested on the date of termination (but in no event later than the expiration of the term of the Option).
4. **RETIREMENT OF OPTIONEE.** If the Optionee terminates Service as a result of Retirement, the Optionee may exercise his or her Option for 24 months following such termination to the extent that the Option is vested on the date of termination (but in no event later than the expiration of the term of the Option).
5. **DISABILITY OF OPTIONEE.** If the Optionee terminates Service as a result of the Optionee's Disability, the Optionee may exercise his or her Option for 24 months following such termination to the extent that the Option is vested on the date of termination (but in no event later than the expiration of the term of the Option).
6. **DEATH OF OPTIONEE.** If the Optionee dies while a Service Provider, the Option may be exercised by the Optionee's estate or by a person who acquires the right to exercise the Option by bequest or inheritance for 12 months following the Optionee's termination of Service because of death.
7. **OPTIONEE'S AGREEMENT.** The Optionee agrees to all the terms stated in the Option Agreement (of which this Exhibit is a part), as well as to the terms of the Plan (which shall control in case of conflict with the Option Agreement), a copy of which is attached and of which the Optionee acknowledges receipt.

8. WITHHOLDING. The Optionee consents to fulfill all withholding obligations for all applicable payroll and income taxes with respect to the Option when they are due and arrange for satisfactory payment of all withholding obligations in a manner as set forth in Section 13(h) of the Plan. The Company may delay issuance of a certificate until proper payment of such taxes has been made by the Optionee. The Company may satisfy such withholding obligations by withholding, or by having the Optionee tender to the Company through a stock swap, such number of shares of Common Stock as are equal in value to the amount of the required withholding.
9. RIGHTS AS SHAREHOLDERS. The Optionee shall have no rights as a shareholder of the Company with respect to any of the shares covered by the Option until the issuance of a stock certificate or certificates upon the exercise of the Option, and then only with respect to the shares represented by such certificate or certificates.
10. NON-TRANSFERABILITY. The Option may not be transferred in any manner other than as permitted in Section 13(j) of the Plan. The terms of the Option shall be binding upon the executors, administrators, heirs and successors of the Optionee.
11. COMPLIANCE WITH SECURITIES, TAX AND OTHER LAW. The Option may not be exercised if the issuance of shares upon such exercise would constitute a violation of any applicable federal or state securities law or any other law or valid regulation. As a condition to the exercise of the Option, the Company may require the Optionee, or any person acquiring the right to exercise the Option, to make any representation or warranty that the Company deems to be necessary under any applicable securities, tax, or other law or regulation.
12. ADJUSTMENTS UPON CHANGES IN CAPITALIZATION. In the event of any change in the shares subject to the Plan or to any Option granted under the Plan by reason of a merger, consolidation, reorganization, recapitalization, stock dividend, stock split, combination or exchange of shares, or other change in the structure of the Company, the number of shares subject to each outstanding Option and/or the Option price with respect to the shares shall be appropriately adjusted by the Company and such adjustment shall be final, binding and conclusive.
13. NO RIGHT TO EMPLOYMENT. The granting of the Option does not confer upon the Optionee the right to continue in the Service of the Company, or affect in any way the right and power of the Company to terminate the Service of the Optionee at any time with or without assigning a reason therefor, to the same extent as the Company might have done if the Option had not been granted.
14. NO GUARANTEE. The Company offers no guarantee or assurance that the Company's stock has any value at the time of this grant or will have any value or liquidity at any future time.
15. AMENDMENT AND TERMINATION OF OPTION. The Company may not, without the consent of the Optionee, alter or impair any Option granted under the Plan. The Option shall be considered terminated in whole or in part, to the extent that, in accordance with the provisions of the Plan, it can no longer be exercised for shares originally subject to the Option.
16. GOVERNING LAW. The Option Agreement shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of The Commonwealth of Massachusetts, without regard to any applicable conflicts of law provisions thereof.

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17. SEVERABILITY. In the event anyone or more of the provisions of the Option Agreement shall for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, the remaining provisions of the Option Agreement shall be unimpaired, and the invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision shall be replaced by a mutually acceptable provision, which being valid, legal and enforceable, comes closest to the intention of the parties underlying the invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision.
  18. DEFINITIONS. All capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the meanings assigned to such terms in the Plan.

April 20, 2004

Mr. Max Mayer

Dear Max,

Pegasystems is pleased to offer you the position of Vice President, Corporate Development, reporting directly to Henry Ancona, President and COO, in our Cambridge office. Your starting salary for this position will be paid semi-monthly at a rate of \$8,433.34 at the annualized rate of \$200,000 per year. As you know, you will also be eligible to participate in our corporate incentive plan. The details of this plan will be outlined during your first week of employment.

In the event that you are terminated from Pegasystems within the first two years of employment, for reasons other than cause or resignation, you will receive a severance package equaling six months of your base salary.

In addition, you will be granted an option to purchase 80,000 shares of Pegasystems' common stock pursuant to our Long-Term Incentive Plan. These terms, which become effective on your date of hire, will be conveyed to you in a separate document after you become a Pegasystems employee.

You will have the option to elect individual or family coverage in our medical and/or dental plans. In addition, we offer a tuition reimbursement program, a 401 (k) plan, and child care reimbursement accounts, which enable you to pay for dependent childcare expenses with pre-tax dollars. The company will also provide you with short-term disability, long-term disability, and life insurance coverage. You will accrue paid time off in accordance with Pegasystems' Paid Time Off Policy. This includes 15 of vacation per year along with 10 paid Holidays plus 1 paid P per year. Your vacation and holidays are prorated during your first year of employment. A summary of these benefits is included for your convenience.

This offer of employment is not a contract, and Pegasystems reserves its rights as an employer at will. Thus, either you or Pegasystems may terminate employment at anytime. As we discussed, we would like you to begin working as a Pegasystems employee on a basis on May 1, 2004. At that time, we will expect you to sign our Standards letter, as well as provide us with proper employment authorization. Please note that as a requirement to work in the United States, you must complete the Employment Eligibility Verification (1-9) form and bring with you the required supporting documentation (i.e. drivers license and social security card; U.S. passport; appropriate work visa, etc.). Also, we would appreciate a written response no later than April 26, 2004. Please send or fax (617-494-5581) your response to our Cambridge office, my attention.

We are all delighted that you are joining Pega, and are very excited at the prospect of working together!

Sincerely,

/s/ Carmelina Procaccini

Carmelina Procaccini  
Vice President, Human Resources

I accept the terms of this offer letter and will begin work at Pegasystems on May 1, 2004.

/s/ Max Mayer

April 26, 2004

Max Mayer

Date

**SUBSIDIARIES OF PEGASYSTEMS INC.**

<u>Name of Subsidiary</u>	<u>State or Jurisdiction of Entity</u>
Pegasystems Limited	England
Pegasystems Proprietary Limited	Australia
Pegasystems Worldwide Inc.	Massachusetts
Pegasystems Investment Inc.	Massachusetts
Pegasystems Company	Canada
Pegasystems Private Limited	Singapore
Pegasystems Worldwide India Private Limited	India
Pegasystems Mauritius	Mauritius
Pegasystems GmbH	Germany
Pegasystems B.V.	Netherlands
Pegasystems A.G.	Switzerland
Pegasystems Sp.Zoo	Poland

**CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM**

We consent to the incorporation by reference in Registration Statement Nos. 333-09305, 333-53746, 333-89707, 333-104788, 333-116660, and 333-135596 on Form S-8 of our reports dated March 9, 2009 relating to the financial statements of Pegasystems Inc. (which report expresses an unqualified opinion and includes an explanatory paragraph relating to the adoption of FASB Interpretation No. 48, *Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes an interpretation of FASB Statement No. 109*, effective January 1, 2007) and our report dated March 9, 2009 relating to the effectiveness of Pegasystems Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting, appearing in this Annual Report on Form 10-K of Pegasystems Inc. for the year ended December 31, 2008.

/s/ DELOITTE & TOUCHE LLP

Boston, Massachusetts  
March 9, 2009

I, Alan Trefler, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this Annual Report on Form 10-K of Pegasystems Inc.;
2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - a) designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - b) designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, 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;
  - c) evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - d) disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - a) all significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - b) any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: March 9, 2009

/s/ ALAN TREFLER

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**Chairman and Chief Executive Officer**  
**(principal executive officer)**

I, Craig Dynes, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this Annual Report on Form 10-K of Pegasystems Inc.;
2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - a) designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - b) designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, 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;
  - c) evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - d) disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - a) all significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - b) any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: March 9, 2009

/s/ CRAIG DYNES

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**Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer**  
**(principal financial officer)**

**CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO SECTION 1350, AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO  
SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002**

In connection with the Annual Report of Pegasystems Inc. (the Company) on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2008 as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), Alan Trefler, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Pegasystems Inc., and Craig Dynes, Chief Financial Officer and Senior Vice President of Pegasystems Inc., each certifies, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

- (1) The Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and
- (2) The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

/s/ ALAN TREFLER

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**Chairman and Chief Executive Officer**  
**(principal executive officer)**

Dated: March 9, 2009

/s/ CRAIG DYNES

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**Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer**  
**(principal financial officer)**

Dated: March 9, 2009