

**Danaher Corporation**

**Supplemental Reconciliation of Forecasted Diluted Earnings Per Share to Forecasted Adjusted Diluted Earnings Per Share  
For the Three Months Ended July 3, 2009 and Full Year 2009**

	<u>Three Months Ended April 3, 2009</u>	<u>Three Months Ended July 3, 2009</u>		<u>Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2009</u>	
	Actual	Low	High	Low	High
<b>Forecasted Adjusted Diluted Earnings Per Share</b>	\$ 0.72	\$ 0.75	0.85	\$ 3.25	3.65
Income Tax Reserve Reductions	--	0.18	0.18	0.30	0.30
Additional 2009 Restructuring Charge *	--	(0.08)	(0.08)	(0.25)	(0.25)
<b>Forecasted Diluted Earnings Per Share (GAAP) **</b>	<u>\$ 0.72</u>	<u>\$ 0.85</u>	<u>0.95</u>	<u>\$ 3.30</u>	<u>3.70</u>

\* Based on a range of \$100 - \$120 million of estimated charges relating to a formal restructuring plan approved by the Company's Board of Directors on April 21, 2009.

\*\* Forecasted diluted earnings per share for the second quarter of 2009 of \$0.85 to \$0.95 and for the full year 2009 of \$3.30 to \$3.70 exclude the impact of any acquisition related costs resulting from the adoption of SFAS 141R, which are not quantifiable at this time.

In addition to the results provided in this earnings call in accordance with U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("GAAP"), the Company has provided forecasted adjusted diluted earnings per share ("forecasted adjusted EPS") for the three months ending July 3, 2009 and the year ending December 31, 2009, on a basis which excludes (a) gains related to a reduction of income tax reserves, and (b) charges relating to a formal restructuring plan adopted in the second quarter of 2009.

Forecasted adjusted EPS should be considered in addition to, and not as a replacement for or superior to, forecasted diluted earnings per share ("forecasted EPS"). Danaher may define forecasted adjusted EPS differently than similar non-GAAP measures that are used by other companies.

Danaher's management believes that forecasted adjusted EPS reflects an additional way of viewing aspects of Danaher's operations that, when viewed with and reconciled to forecasted EPS, provide a more complete understanding of Danaher's anticipated results of operations and help identify underlying trends in Danaher's business. The income tax-related gains have been excluded from forecasted adjusted EPS because items of this nature and size occur with inconsistent frequency and for reasons that may be unrelated to Danaher's commercial performance during the period, and we believe are not indicative of Danaher's ongoing operating costs or gains in a given period. The restructuring plan charges have been excluded from forecasted adjusted EPS because formal restructuring plans of this size occur with inconsistent frequency and we believe are not indicative of Danaher's ongoing operating costs in a given period.

Danaher's management uses forecasted adjusted EPS in forecasting financial results for future periods and comparing forecasted performance against prior period performance, and in making decisions about internal budgets, resource allocation and financial goals for its business units. Danaher's management believes that forecasted adjusted EPS helps investors and others, if they so choose, in understanding and evaluating Danaher's forecasted operating performance and future prospects in the same manner as management does. In addition, Danaher believes that analysts and others in the investment community use this non-GAAP measure to estimate Danaher's future financial performance and compare it to prior period performance, compare Danaher's forecasted performance to the forecasted and prior period performance of our peer companies and identify trends in Danaher's performance.

A general limitation of forecasted adjusted EPS is that use of this measure (as compared to forecasted EPS) may reduce comparability with other companies who may calculate similar non-GAAP measures differently. A particular limitation of forecasted adjusted EPS is that it excludes charges that can significantly affect Danaher's results of operations and that may recur in the course of Danaher's business (though at times and in amounts that may be difficult to predict). Danaher management compensates, and believes that investors should compensate, for these and other limitations of forecasted adjusted EPS by also considering Danaher's forecasted EPS.