

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
For the quarterly period ended **January 30, 2022**

or

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
For the transition period from ____ to ____

Commission file no: 1-4121

DEERE & COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State of incorporation)

36-2382580
(IRS employer identification no.)

**One John Deere Place
Moline, Illinois 61265**

(Address of principal executive offices)

Telephone Number: **(309) 765-8000**

Securities Registered Pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading symbol	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common stock, \$1 par value	DE	New York Stock Exchange
6.55% Debentures Due 2028	DE28	New York Stock Exchange

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 whether the registrant has submitted electronically every Interactive Data File required to be submitted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit such files).

Yes No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, a smaller reporting company, or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "smaller reporting company," and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Accelerated filer	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non-accelerated filer	<input type="checkbox"/>	Smaller reporting company	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Emerging growth company	<input type="checkbox"/>

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).

Yes No

At January 30, 2022, 306,784,327 shares of common stock, \$1 par value, of the registrant were outstanding.

PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DEERE & COMPANY

STATEMENTS OF CONSOLIDATED INCOME

For the Three Months Ended January 30, 2022 and January 31, 2021

(In millions of dollars and shares except per share amounts) Unaudited

	2022	2021
Net Sales and Revenues		
Net sales	\$ 8,531	\$ 8,051
Finance and interest income	800	834
Other income	238	227
Total	<u>9,569</u>	<u>9,112</u>
Costs and Expenses		
Cost of sales	6,695	5,805
Research and development expenses	402	366
Selling, administrative and general expenses	781	769
Interest expense	229	271
Other operating expenses	311	373
Total	<u>8,418</u>	<u>7,584</u>
Income of Consolidated Group before Income Taxes	1,151	1,528
Provision for income taxes	250	308
Income of Consolidated Group	901	1,220
Equity in income of unconsolidated affiliates	3	4
Net Income	904	1,224
Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	1	
Net Income Attributable to Deere & Company	<u>\$ 903</u>	<u>\$ 1,224</u>
Per Share Data		
Basic	\$ 2.94	\$ 3.90
Diluted	\$ 2.92	\$ 3.87
Dividends declared	\$ 1.05	\$.76
Dividends paid	\$ 1.05	\$.76
Average Shares Outstanding		
Basic	307.4	313.5
Diluted	309.4	316.1

See Condensed Notes to Interim Consolidated Financial Statements.

DEERE & COMPANY
 STATEMENTS OF CONSOLIDATED COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
 For the Three Months Ended January 30, 2022 and January 31, 2021
 (In millions of dollars) Unaudited

	2022	2021
Net Income	\$ 904	\$ 1,224
Other Comprehensive Income (Loss), Net of Income Taxes		
Retirement benefits adjustment	(345)	63
Cumulative translation adjustment	(267)	396
Unrealized gain on derivatives	14	4
Unrealized loss on debt securities	(15)	(2)
Other Comprehensive Income (Loss), Net of Income Taxes	<u>(613)</u>	<u>461</u>
Comprehensive Income of Consolidated Group	291	1,685
Less: Comprehensive income attributable to noncontrolling interests	1	
Comprehensive Income Attributable to Deere & Company	<u>\$ 290</u>	<u>\$ 1,685</u>

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DEERE & COMPANY
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS
(In millions of dollars) Unaudited

	January 30 2022	October 31 2021	January 31 2021
Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 4,472	\$ 8,017	\$ 6,962
Marketable securities	735	728	667
Receivables from unconsolidated affiliates	33	27	28
Trade accounts and notes receivable – net	4,855	4,208	5,037
Financing receivables – net	33,191	33,799	29,438
Financing receivables securitized – net	3,516	4,659	3,931
Other receivables	1,903	1,738	1,141
Equipment on operating leases – net	6,624	6,988	7,030
Inventories	7,935	6,781	5,956
Property and equipment – net	5,665	5,820	5,741
Investments in unconsolidated affiliates	176	175	178
Goodwill	3,192	3,291	3,194
Other intangible assets – net	1,209	1,275	1,342
Retirement benefits	3,158	3,601	906
Deferred income taxes	923	1,037	1,556
Other assets	2,027	1,970	2,373
Total Assets	<u>\$ 79,614</u>	<u>\$ 84,114</u>	<u>\$ 75,480</u>
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity			
Liabilities			
Short-term borrowings	\$ 10,990	\$ 10,919	\$ 9,224
Short-term securitization borrowings	3,482	4,605	3,969
Payables to unconsolidated affiliates	172	143	119
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	10,479	12,205	9,404
Deferred income taxes	556	576	532
Long-term borrowings	32,838	32,888	32,772
Retirement benefits and other liabilities	3,289	4,344	5,374
Total liabilities	<u>61,806</u>	<u>65,680</u>	<u>61,394</u>
Commitments and contingencies (Note 16)			
Stockholders' Equity			
Common stock, \$1 par value (issued shares at January 30, 2022 – 536,431,204)	5,066	5,054	4,942
Common stock in treasury	(21,139)	(20,533)	(18,377)
Retained earnings	37,029	36,449	32,596
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	(3,152)	(2,539)	(5,078)
Total Deere & Company stockholders' equity	<u>17,804</u>	<u>18,431</u>	<u>14,083</u>
Noncontrolling interests	4	3	3
Total stockholders' equity	<u>17,808</u>	<u>18,434</u>	<u>14,086</u>
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	<u>\$ 79,614</u>	<u>\$ 84,114</u>	<u>\$ 75,480</u>

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DEERE & COMPANY
STATEMENTS OF CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOWS
For the Three Months Ended January 30, 2022 and January 31, 2021
(In millions of dollars) Unaudited

	2022	2021
Cash Flows from Operating Activities		
Net income	\$ 904	\$ 1,224
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by (used for) operating activities:		
Provision (credit) for credit losses		(5)
Provision for depreciation and amortization	486	538
Impairment charges		50
Share-based compensation expense	18	15
Undistributed earnings of unconsolidated affiliates	(2)	18
Provision (credit) for deferred income taxes	210	(38)
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
Trade, notes, and financing receivables related to sales	(106)	(97)
Inventories	(1,297)	(926)
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	(1,554)	(705)
Accrued income taxes payable/receivable	(184)	130
Retirement benefits	(1,010)	(14)
Other	(18)	(47)
Net cash provided by (used for) operating activities	<u>(2,553)</u>	<u>143</u>
Cash Flows from Investing Activities		
Collections of receivables (excluding receivables related to sales)	6,435	5,999
Proceeds from maturities and sales of marketable securities	21	20
Proceeds from sales of equipment on operating leases	479	460
Cost of receivables acquired (excluding receivables related to sales)	(5,603)	(5,300)
Acquisitions of businesses, net of cash acquired	(24)	(19)
Purchases of marketable securities	(48)	(39)
Purchases of property and equipment	(193)	(154)
Cost of equipment on operating leases acquired	(391)	(294)
Collateral on derivatives - net	(13)	(88)
Other	(15)	(6)
Net cash provided by investing activities	<u>648</u>	<u>579</u>
Cash Flows from Financing Activities		
Decrease in total short-term borrowings	(1,018)	(695)
Proceeds from long-term borrowings	2,353	1,757
Payments of long-term borrowings	(1,940)	(1,441)
Proceeds from issuance of common stock	11	71
Repurchases of common stock	(623)	(352)
Dividends paid	(327)	(242)
Other	(33)	(31)
Net cash used for financing activities	<u>(1,577)</u>	<u>(933)</u>
Effect of Exchange Rate Changes on Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash	<u>(74)</u>	<u>103</u>
Net Decrease in Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash	(3,556)	(108)
Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash at Beginning of Period	<u>8,125</u>	<u>7,172</u>
Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash at End of Period	<u>\$ 4,569</u>	<u>\$ 7,064</u>

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DEERE & COMPANY
STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN CONSOLIDATED STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY
For the Three Months Ended January 30, 2022 and January 31, 2021
(In millions of dollars) Unaudited

	Total Stockholders' Equity					
	Total Stockholders' Equity	Deere & Company Stockholders				Noncontrolling Interests
		Common Stock	Treasury Stock	Retained Earnings	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)	
Balance November 1, 2020	\$ 12,944	\$ 4,895	\$ (18,065)	\$ 31,646	\$ (5,539)	\$ 7
ASU No. 2016-13 adoption	(35)			(35)		
Net income	1,224			1,224		
Other comprehensive income	461				461	
Repurchases of common stock	(352)		(352)			
Treasury shares reissued	40		40			
Dividends declared	(239)			(239)		
Stock options and other	43	47				(4)
Balance January 31, 2021	<u>\$ 14,086</u>	<u>\$ 4,942</u>	<u>\$ (18,377)</u>	<u>\$ 32,596</u>	<u>\$ (5,078)</u>	<u>\$ 3</u>
Balance October 31, 2021	\$ 18,434	\$ 5,054	\$ (20,533)	\$ 36,449	\$ (2,539)	\$ 3
Net income	904			903		1
Other comprehensive loss	(613)				(613)	
Repurchases of common stock	(623)		(623)			
Treasury shares reissued	17		17			
Dividends declared	(323)			(323)		
Stock options and other	12	12				
Balance January 30, 2022	<u>\$ 17,808</u>	<u>\$ 5,066</u>	<u>\$ (21,139)</u>	<u>\$ 37,029</u>	<u>\$ (3,152)</u>	<u>\$ 4</u>

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(1) Organization and Consolidation

The information in the notes and related commentary are presented in a format which includes data grouped as follows:

Consolidated – Represents the consolidation of the equipment operations and financial services. References to “Deere & Company” or “the Company” refer to the entire enterprise.

Equipment Operations – Represents the enterprise without financial services, while including the Company’s production and precision agriculture operations, small agriculture and turf operations, construction and forestry operations, and other corporate assets, liabilities, revenues, and expenses not reflected within financial services.

Financial Services – Represents the Company’s financing operations.

The Company uses a 52/53 week fiscal year with quarters ending on the last Sunday in the reporting period. The first quarter ends for fiscal year 2022 and 2021 were January 30, 2022 and January 31, 2021, respectively. Both periods contained 13 weeks. Unless otherwise stated, references to particular years or quarters refer to the Company’s fiscal years generally ending in October and the associated periods in those fiscal years.

Prior to fiscal year 2021, the operating results of the Wirtgen Group (Wirtgen) were incorporated into the Company’s consolidated financial statements on a one-month lag. The reporting lag was eliminated resulting in four months of Wirtgen’s activity in the first quarter of 2021. The effect was an increase to “Net sales” of \$270 million, which the Company considers immaterial to construction and forestry’s annual net sales.

Variable Interest Entities

The Company consolidates certain variable interest entities (VIEs) related to retail note securitizations (see Note 10).

The Company also has an interest in a joint venture that manufactures construction equipment in Indaiatuba, Brazil for local and overseas markets. The joint venture is a VIE; however, the Company is not the primary beneficiary. Therefore, the entity’s financial results are not fully consolidated in the Company’s consolidated financial statements, but are included on the equity basis. The maximum exposure to loss was \$14 million, \$9 million, and \$7 million at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021, respectively. On August 19, 2021, the Company announced the dissolution of the joint venture with Hitachi Construction Machinery Co., Ltd. and the purchase of the shares in the relevant joint venture manufacturing entities including the above referenced factory in Indaiatuba, Brazil. The transaction is expected to close in the second quarter of 2022, subject to the receipt of certain required regulatory approvals and satisfaction of certain other customary closing conditions.

(2) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies and New Accounting Standards

Quarterly Financial Statements

The interim consolidated financial statements of Deere & Company have been prepared by the Company, without audit, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). Certain information and footnote disclosures normally included in annual financial statements prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the U.S. have been condensed or omitted as permitted by such rules and regulations. All adjustments, consisting of normal recurring adjustments, have been included. Management believes the disclosures are adequate to present fairly the financial position, results of operations, and cash flows at the dates and for the periods presented. It is suggested these interim consolidated financial statements be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto appearing in the Company’s latest annual report on Form 10-K. Results for interim periods are not necessarily indicative of those to be expected for the fiscal year.

Use of Estimates in Financial Statements

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the U.S. requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts and related disclosures. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Revenue Recognition

Prior to fiscal year 2022, certain goods were shipped to Canadian dealers on a consignment basis under which the risk and rewards of ownership were not transferred to the dealer at the time the goods were delivered. Accordingly, sales were not recorded until a retail customer purchased the goods. The dealer contract in Canada was changed for goods delivered after November 1, 2021, resulting in transfer of control and revenue recognition upon delivery. For certain goods delivered to Canadian dealers prior to November 1, 2021, the dealer consignment terms already in place remain in effect. As of January 30, 2022 and October 31, 2021, the remaining consigned inventory was \$91 million and \$150 million, respectively.

New Accounting Standards

The Company closely monitors all Accounting Standard Updates (ASUs) issued by the Financial Accounting Standards Board and other authoritative guidance. ASUs adopted in 2022 did not have a material impact on the Company's financial statements, and ASUs to be adopted in future periods are not expected to have a material impact on the Company's financial statements.

(3) Cash Flow Information

All cash flows from the changes in trade accounts and notes receivable are classified as operating activities in the statement of consolidated cash flows as these receivables arise from sales to the Company's customers. Cash flows from financing receivables that are related to sales to the Company's customers are also included in operating activities. The remaining financing receivables are related to the financing of equipment sold by independent dealers and are included in investing activities.

The Company had the following non-cash operating and investing activities that were not included in the statement of consolidated cash flows. The Company transferred inventory to equipment on operating leases of \$20 million and \$84 million in the first three months of 2022 and 2021, respectively. The Company also had accounts payable related to purchases of property and equipment of \$43 million and \$39 million at January 30, 2022 and January 31, 2021, respectively.

The Company's restricted cash was as follows in millions of dollars:

	January 30 2022	October 31 2021	January 31 2021
Equipment operations	\$ 12	\$ 12	\$ 11
Financial services	85	96	91
Total	<u>\$ 97</u>	<u>\$ 108</u>	<u>\$ 102</u>

The restricted cash, recorded in "Other assets" in the consolidated balance sheet, primarily relates to securitizations of financing receivables (see Note 10).

(4) Revenue Recognition

The Company's net sales and revenues by primary geographic market, major product line, and timing of revenue recognition in millions of dollars follow:

	Three Months Ended January 30, 2022				
	Production & Precision Ag	Small Ag & Turf	Construction & Forestry	Financial Services	Total
Primary geographic markets:					
United States	\$ 1,608	\$ 1,438	\$ 1,260	\$ 573	\$ 4,879
Canada	139	122	332	152	745
Western Europe	467	532	358	26	1,383
Central Europe and CIS	202	126	195	11	534
Latin America	776	104	228	68	1,176
Asia, Africa, Australia, New Zealand, and Middle East	241	352	219	40	852
Total	<u>\$ 3,433</u>	<u>\$ 2,674</u>	<u>\$ 2,592</u>	<u>\$ 870</u>	<u>\$ 9,569</u>
Major product lines:					
Production agriculture	\$ 3,283				\$ 3,283
Small agriculture		\$ 1,932			1,932
Turf		627			627
Construction			\$ 1,175		1,175
Compact construction			321		321
Roadbuilding			692		692
Forestry			305		305
Financial products	12	11	5	\$ 870	898
Other	138	104	94		336
Total	<u>\$ 3,433</u>	<u>\$ 2,674</u>	<u>\$ 2,592</u>	<u>\$ 870</u>	<u>\$ 9,569</u>
Revenue recognized:					
At a point in time	\$ 3,396	\$ 2,654	\$ 2,570	\$ 24	\$ 8,644
Over time	37	20	22	846	925
Total	<u>\$ 3,433</u>	<u>\$ 2,674</u>	<u>\$ 2,592</u>	<u>\$ 870</u>	<u>\$ 9,569</u>
	Three Months Ended January 31, 2021				
	Production & Precision Ag	Small Ag & Turf	Construction & Forestry	Financial Services	Total
Primary geographic markets:					
United States	\$ 1,608	\$ 1,424	\$ 1,202	\$ 598	\$ 4,832
Canada	112	79	188	154	533
Western Europe	449	486	439	24	1,398
Central Europe and CIS	161	84	178	9	432
Latin America	513	77	170	59	819
Asia, Africa, Australia, New Zealand, and Middle East	304	401	353	40	1,098
Total	<u>\$ 3,147</u>	<u>\$ 2,551</u>	<u>\$ 2,530</u>	<u>\$ 884</u>	<u>\$ 9,112</u>
Major product lines:					
Production agriculture	\$ 3,011				\$ 3,011
Small agriculture		\$ 1,812			1,812
Turf		651			651
Construction			\$ 887		887
Compact construction			346		346
Roadbuilding			910		910
Forestry			290		290
Financial products	16	10	7	\$ 884	917
Other	120	78	90		288
Total	<u>\$ 3,147</u>	<u>\$ 2,551</u>	<u>\$ 2,530</u>	<u>\$ 884</u>	<u>\$ 9,112</u>
Revenue recognized:					
At a point in time	\$ 3,105	\$ 2,535	\$ 2,500	\$ 24	\$ 8,164
Over time	42	16	30	860	948
Total	<u>\$ 3,147</u>	<u>\$ 2,551</u>	<u>\$ 2,530</u>	<u>\$ 884</u>	<u>\$ 9,112</u>



Following is a description of the Company's major product lines:

Production agriculture – Includes net sales of large and certain mid-size tractors and associated attachments, combines, cotton pickers, cotton strippers, sugarcane harvesters, sugarcane loaders and pull behind scrapers, tillage, seeding, and application equipment, including sprayers and nutrient management and soil preparation machinery, and related attachments and service parts.

Small agriculture – Includes net sales of mid-size and utility tractors, self-propelled forage harvesters, hay and forage equipment, balers, mowers, and related attachments and service parts.

Turf – Includes net sales of turf and utility equipment, including riding lawn equipment, golf course equipment, utility vehicles, and commercial mowing equipment, along with a broad line of associated implements, other outdoor power products, and related attachments and service parts.

Construction – Includes net sales of a broad range of machines used in construction, earthmoving, and material handling, including backhoe loaders, crawler dozers and loaders, four-wheel-drive loaders, excavators, motor graders, articulated dump trucks, and related attachments and service parts.

Compact construction – Includes net sales of smaller construction equipment, including compact excavators, compact track loaders, compact wheel loaders, skid steers, landscape loaders, and related attachments and service parts.

Roadbuilding – Includes net sales of equipment used in roadbuilding and renovation, including milling machines, recyclers, slipform pavers, surface miners, asphalt pavers, compactors, tandem and static rollers, mobile crushers and screens, mobile and stationary asphalt plants, and related attachments and service parts.

Forestry – Includes net sales of equipment used in timber harvesting, including log skidders, feller bunchers, log loaders, log forwarders, log harvesters, and related attachments and service parts.

Financial products – Includes finance and interest income primarily from retail notes related to sales of John Deere equipment to retail customers, wholesale financing to dealers of John Deere equipment, and revolving charge accounts; income from retail leases of John Deere equipment; and revenue from extended warranties.

Other – Includes sales of components to other equipment manufacturers that are included in "Net sales"; and revenue earned over time from precision guidance, telematics, and other information enabled solutions, revenue from service performed at company owned dealerships and service centers, gains on disposition of property and businesses, trademark licensing revenue, and other miscellaneous revenue items that are included in "Other income."

The Company invoices in advance of recognizing the sale of certain products and the revenue for certain services. These items are primarily for premiums for extended warranties, advance payments for future equipment sales, and subscription and service revenue related to precision guidance and telematic services. These advanced customer payments are presented as deferred revenue, a contract liability, in "Accounts payable and accrued expenses" in the consolidated balance sheet. The deferred revenue received, but not recognized in revenue, including extended warranty premiums also shown in Note 16, was \$1,348 million, \$1,344 million, and \$1,169 million at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021, respectively. The contract liability is reduced as the revenue is recognized. During the three months ended January 30, 2022 and January 31, 2021, \$265 million and \$223 million, respectively, of revenue was recognized from deferred revenue that was recorded as a contract liability at the beginning of the respective fiscal year.

The amount of unsatisfied performance obligations for contracts with an original duration greater than one year is \$1,056 million at January 30, 2022. The estimated revenue to be recognized by fiscal year in millions of dollars follows: remainder of 2022 - \$219, 2023 - \$297, 2024 - \$232, 2025 - \$143, 2026 - \$72, 2027 - \$40 and later years - \$53. As permitted, the Company elected only to disclose remaining performance obligations with an original contract duration greater than one year. The contracts with an expected duration of one year or less are generally for sales of equipment, service parts, repair services, and certain telematics services.

(5) **Other Comprehensive Income Items**

The after-tax components of accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) in millions of dollars follow:

	January 30 2022	October 31 2021	January 31 2021
Retirement benefits adjustment	\$ (1,379)	\$ (1,034)	\$ (3,855)
Cumulative translation adjustment	(1,745)	(1,478)	(1,200)
Unrealized loss on derivatives	(28)	(42)	(54)
Unrealized gain on debt securities		15	31
Total accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	<u>\$ (3,152)</u>	<u>\$ (2,539)</u>	<u>\$ (5,078)</u>

Following are amounts recorded in and reclassifications out of other comprehensive income (loss), and the income tax effects, in millions of dollars. Retirement benefits adjustment reclassifications for actuarial gain (loss), prior service (credit) cost, and settlements are included in net periodic pension and other postretirement benefit costs (see Note 7).

	Before Tax Amount	Tax (Expense) Credit	After Tax Amount
Three Months Ended January 30, 2022			
Cumulative translation adjustment	\$ (264)	\$ (3)	\$ (267)
Unrealized gain (loss) on derivatives:			
Unrealized hedging gain (loss)	15	(3)	12
Reclassification of realized (gain) loss to:			
Interest rate contracts – Interest expense	2		2
Net unrealized gain (loss) on derivatives	<u>17</u>	<u>(3)</u>	<u>14</u>
Unrealized gain (loss) on debt securities:			
Unrealized holding gain (loss)	<u>(19)</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>(15)</u>
Net unrealized gain (loss) on debt securities	<u>(19)</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>(15)</u>
Retirement benefits adjustment:			
Net actuarial gain (loss)	(500)	120	(380)
Reclassification to other operating expenses through amortization of:			
Actuarial (gain) loss	40	(10)	30
Prior service (credit) cost	6	(2)	4
Settlements	1		1
Net unrealized gain (loss) on retirement benefits adjustment	<u>(453)</u>	<u>108</u>	<u>(345)</u>
Total other comprehensive income (loss)	<u>\$ (719)</u>	<u>\$ 106</u>	<u>\$ (613)</u>

	Before Tax Amount	Tax (Expense) Credit	After Tax Amount
Three Months Ended January 31, 2021			
Cumulative translation adjustment	\$ 394	\$ 2	\$ 396
Unrealized gain (loss) on derivatives:			
Reclassification of realized (gain) loss to:			
Interest rate contracts – Interest expense	5	(1)	4
Net unrealized gain (loss) on derivatives	<u>5</u>	<u>(1)</u>	<u>4</u>
Unrealized gain (loss) on debt securities:			
Unrealized holding gain (loss)	<u>(3)</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>(2)</u>
Net unrealized gain (loss) on debt securities	<u>(3)</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>(2)</u>
Retirement benefits adjustment:			
Net actuarial gain (loss)	(1)		(1)
Reclassification to other operating expenses through amortization of:			
Actuarial (gain) loss	70	(17)	53
Prior service (credit) cost	2	(1)	1
Settlements	13	(3)	10
Net unrealized gain (loss) on retirement benefits adjustment	<u>84</u>	<u>(21)</u>	<u>63</u>
Total other comprehensive income (loss)	<u>\$ 480</u>	<u>\$ (19)</u>	<u>\$ 461</u>

(6) Earnings Per Share

A reconciliation of basic and diluted net income per share attributable to Deere & Company follows in millions, except per share amounts:

	Three Months Ended	
	January 30 2022	January 31 2021
Net income attributable to Deere & Company	\$ 903	\$ 1,224
Average shares outstanding	307.4	313.5
Basic per share	<u>\$ 2.94</u>	<u>\$ 3.90</u>
Average shares outstanding	307.4	313.5
Effect of dilutive share-based compensation	2.0	2.6
Total potential shares outstanding	<u>309.4</u>	<u>316.1</u>
Diluted per share	<u>\$ 2.92</u>	<u>\$ 3.87</u>

During both the first quarter of 2022 and 2021, .1 million shares were excluded from the computation because the incremental shares would have been antidilutive.

(7) Pension and Other Postretirement Benefits

The Company has several defined benefit pension plans and postretirement benefit (OPEB) plans, primarily health care and life insurance plans, covering its U.S. employees and employees in certain foreign countries.

The components of net periodic pension cost consisted of the following in millions of dollars:

	Three Months Ended	
	January 30 2022	January 31 2021
Service cost	\$ 85	\$ 85
Interest cost	77	69
Expected return on plan assets	(182)	(200)
Amortization of actuarial loss	39	63
Amortization of prior service cost	7	3
Settlements	1	13
Net cost	<u>\$ 27</u>	<u>\$ 33</u>

The components of net periodic OPEB cost consisted of the following in millions of dollars:

	Three Months Ended	
	January 30 2022	January 31 2021
Service cost	\$ 12	\$ 12
Interest cost	26	26
Expected return on plan assets	(28)	(19)
Amortization of actuarial loss	1	7
Amortization of prior service credit	(1)	(1)
Net cost	<u>\$ 10</u>	<u>\$ 25</u>

The components of net periodic pension and OPEB costs excluding the service cost component are included in the line item "Other operating expenses" in the statement of consolidated income. Overall pension and OPEB net costs decreased from the prior year due to reduced amortization of actuarial losses, partially offset by the impacts of the U.S. hourly pension plan remeasurement.

On November 17, 2021, employees represented by the International Union, United Automobile, Aerospace and Agricultural Implement Workers of America (UAW) approved a new collective bargaining agreement. In the first quarter of 2022, the Company remeasured the U.S. hourly pension plan due to the new collective bargaining agreement, which decreased the plan's funded status by approximately \$495 million and will increase pension expense in 2022 by nearly \$80 million. For the first quarter of 2022, the remeasurement increased pension expense by \$14 million, with \$6 million negatively impacting operating profit.



During the first three months of 2022, the Company contributed \$18 million to its pension plans and \$1,051 million to its OPEB plans. The OPEB contributions include a voluntary contribution of \$1,000 million to a U.S. plan made on November 30, 2021. The Company presently anticipates contributing an additional \$70 million to its pension plans and \$86 million to its OPEB plans during the remainder of fiscal year 2022. These pension and OPEB contributions primarily include direct benefit payments from Company funds.

(8) Segment Reporting

Worldwide net sales and revenues, operating profit, and identifiable assets by segment were as follows in millions of dollars. Operating profit is income from continuing operations before reconciling items and income taxes. Operating profit of the financial services segment includes the effect of interest expense and foreign exchange gains and losses. Reconciling items to net income are primarily corporate expenses, certain external interest expenses, certain foreign exchange gains and losses, pension and OPEB benefit costs excluding the service cost component, and net income attributable to noncontrolling interests.

	Three Months Ended		
	January 30 2022	January 31 2021	% Change
Net sales and revenues:			
Production & precision ag net sales	\$ 3,356	\$ 3,069	+9
Small ag & turf net sales	2,631	2,515	+5
Construction & forestry net sales	2,544	2,467	+3
Financial services revenues	870	884	-2
Other revenues	168	177	-5
Total net sales and revenues	<u>\$ 9,569</u>	<u>\$ 9,112</u>	+5
Operating profit:			
Production & precision ag	\$ 296	\$ 643	-54
Small ag & turf	371	469	-21
Construction & forestry	272	268	+1
Financial services	296	258	+15
Total operating profit	<u>1,235</u>	<u>1,638</u>	-25
Reconciling items	(82)	(106)	-23
Income taxes	(250)	(308)	-19
Net income attributable to Deere & Company	<u>\$ 903</u>	<u>\$ 1,224</u>	-26
Intersegment sales and revenues:			
Production & precision ag net sales	\$ 4	\$ 6	-33
Small ag & turf net sales	2	3	-33
Construction & forestry net sales			
Financial services revenues	46	50	-8
Operating profit outside the U.S. and Canada:			
Production & precision ag	\$ 282	\$ 228	+24
Small ag & turf	310	242	+28
Construction & forestry	144	93	+55
Financial services	70	66	+6
Total operating profit outside the U.S. and Canada	<u>\$ 806</u>	<u>\$ 629</u>	+28
	January 30 2022	October 31 2021	January 31 2021
Identifiable assets:			
Production & precision ag	\$ 7,683	\$ 7,021	\$ 6,330
Small ag & turf	4,260	3,959	3,510
Construction & forestry	6,358	6,457	6,341
Financial services	50,499	51,624	48,378
Corporate	10,814	15,053	10,921
Total assets	<u>\$ 79,614</u>	<u>\$ 84,114</u>	<u>\$ 75,480</u>

(9) Financing Receivables

The Company monitors the credit quality of financing receivables based on delinquency status. Past due balances of financing receivables still accruing finance income represent the total balance held (principal plus accrued interest) with any payment amounts 30 days or more past the contractual payment due date. Non-performing financing receivables represent receivables for which the Company has ceased accruing finance income. The Company ceases accruing finance income when these receivables are generally 90 days delinquent. Generally, when receivables are 120 days delinquent the estimated uncollectible amount from the customer is written off to the allowance for credit losses. Finance income for non-performing receivables is recognized on a cash basis. Accrual of finance income is generally resumed when the receivable becomes contractually current and collections are reasonably assured.

The credit quality analysis of retail notes, financing leases, and revolving charge accounts (collectively, retail customer receivables) by year of origination was as follows in millions of dollars:

		January 30, 2022								
		2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	Prior Years	Revolving Charge Accounts	Total	
Retail customer receivables:										
Agriculture and turf										
Current		\$ 2,492	\$ 11,580	\$ 5,988	\$ 3,038	\$ 1,440	\$ 761	\$ 2,634	\$ 27,933	
30-59 days past due		5	82	52	30	15	6	25	215	
60-89 days past due		1	23	18	10	5	3	5	65	
90+ days past due			1						1	
Non-performing		1	33	58	52	31	36	6	217	
Construction and forestry										
Current		764	2,795	1,376	615	204	49	81	5,884	
30-59 days past due		8	68	35	21	6	2	3	143	
60-89 days past due			30	17	7	3	1	1	59	
90+ days past due			2	3	3	1	8		17	
Non-performing			33	48	37	14	7	1	140	
Total retail customer receivables		<u>\$ 3,271</u>	<u>\$ 14,647</u>	<u>\$ 7,595</u>	<u>\$ 3,813</u>	<u>\$ 1,719</u>	<u>\$ 873</u>	<u>\$ 2,756</u>	<u>\$ 34,674</u>	
		October 31, 2021								
		2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	Prior Years	Revolving Charge Accounts	Total	
Retail customer receivables:										
Agriculture and turf										
Current		\$ 12,877	\$ 6,676	\$ 3,463	\$ 1,738	\$ 728	\$ 211	\$ 3,704	\$ 29,397	
30-59 days past due		43	53	29	16	7	3	14	165	
60-89 days past due		16	23	12	6	3	1	4	65	
90+ days past due			1						1	
Non-performing		23	57	53	32	17	23	7	212	
Construction and forestry										
Current		3,122	1,575	754	273	57	7	92	5,880	
30-59 days past due		50	40	27	7	4	1	3	132	
60-89 days past due		15	11	9	6	1		1	43	
90+ days past due		1	2	3	3	4	2		15	
Non-performing		26	56	39	17	7	3		148	
Total retail customer receivables		<u>\$ 16,173</u>	<u>\$ 8,494</u>	<u>\$ 4,389</u>	<u>\$ 2,098</u>	<u>\$ 828</u>	<u>\$ 251</u>	<u>\$ 3,825</u>	<u>\$ 36,058</u>	

January 31, 2021

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	Prior Years	Revolving Charge Accounts	Total
Retail customer receivables:								
Agriculture and turf								
Current	\$ 2,531	\$ 9,427	\$ 5,129	\$ 2,817	\$ 1,400	\$ 686	\$ 2,564	\$ 24,554
30-59 days past due	4	65	49	30	13	7	27	195
60-89 days past due		20	17	11	5	3	5	61
90+ days past due			1					1
Non-performing		40	78	57	36	46	7	264
Construction and forestry								
Current	737	2,251	1,276	573	164	39	77	5,117
30-59 days past due	5	53	32	17	6	1	3	117
60-89 days past due	1	15	16	7	3	1	1	44
90+ days past due		9	13	5	4	2		33
Non-performing		26	34	26	14	8	1	109
Total retail customer receivables	<u>\$ 3,278</u>	<u>\$ 11,906</u>	<u>\$ 6,645</u>	<u>\$ 3,543</u>	<u>\$ 1,645</u>	<u>\$ 793</u>	<u>\$ 2,685</u>	<u>\$ 30,495</u>

The credit quality analysis of wholesale receivables by year of origination was as follows in millions of dollars:

January 30, 2022

	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	Prior Years	Revolving	Total
Wholesale receivables:								
Agriculture and turf								
Current	\$ 101	\$ 244	\$ 56	\$ 11	\$ 7	\$ 2	\$ 1,426	\$ 1,847
30+ days past due								
Non-performing				7				7
Construction and forestry								
Current	5	38	4	3		1	285	336
30+ days past due						1		1
Non-performing								
Total wholesale receivables	<u>\$ 106</u>	<u>\$ 282</u>	<u>\$ 60</u>	<u>\$ 21</u>	<u>\$ 7</u>	<u>\$ 4</u>	<u>\$ 1,711</u>	<u>\$ 2,191</u>

October 31, 2021

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	Prior Years	Revolving	Total
Wholesale receivables:								
Agriculture and turf								
Current	\$ 346	\$ 80	\$ 22	\$ 9	\$ 3		\$ 1,696	\$ 2,156
30+ days past due								
Non-performing			12					12
Construction and forestry								
Current	41	7	7		1	1	340	397
30+ days past due						1		1
Non-performing								
Total wholesale receivables	<u>\$ 387</u>	<u>\$ 87</u>	<u>\$ 41</u>	<u>\$ 9</u>	<u>\$ 4</u>	<u>\$ 2</u>	<u>\$ 2,036</u>	<u>\$ 2,566</u>

January 31, 2021

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	Prior Years	Revolving	Total
Wholesale receivables:								
Agriculture and turf								
Current	\$ 78	\$ 226	\$ 67	\$ 18	\$ 8	\$ 1	\$ 2,297	\$ 2,695
30+ days past due								
Non-performing			35					35
Construction and forestry								
Current	3	11	20	2	1	2	315	354
30+ days past due						1		1
Non-performing								
Total wholesale receivables	<u>\$ 81</u>	<u>\$ 237</u>	<u>\$ 122</u>	<u>\$ 20</u>	<u>\$ 9</u>	<u>\$ 4</u>	<u>\$ 2,612</u>	<u>\$ 3,085</u>

An analysis of the allowance for credit losses and investment in financing receivables in millions of dollars during the periods follows:

	Three Months Ended January 30, 2022			
	Retail Notes & Financing Leases	Revolving Charge Accounts	Wholesale Receivables	Total
Allowance:				
Beginning of period balance	\$ 138	\$ 21	\$ 7	\$ 166
Provision (credit)	13	(9)	(2)	2
Write-offs	(17)	(5)		(22)
Recoveries	4	8		12
End of period balance	<u>\$ 138</u>	<u>\$ 15</u>	<u>\$ 5</u>	<u>\$ 158</u>
Financing receivables:				
End of period balance	<u>\$ 31,918</u>	<u>\$ 2,756</u>	<u>\$ 2,191</u>	<u>\$ 36,865</u>
	Three Months Ended January 31, 2021			
	Retail Notes & Financing Leases	Revolving Charge Accounts	Wholesale Receivables	Total
Allowance:				
Beginning of period balance	\$ 133	\$ 43	\$ 8	\$ 184
ASU No. 2016-13 adoption	44	(13)		31
Provision (credit)	5	(10)	(1)	(6)
Write-offs	(8)	(5)		(13)
Recoveries	5	9		14
Translation adjustments	1			1
End of period balance	<u>\$ 180</u>	<u>\$ 24</u>	<u>\$ 7</u>	<u>\$ 211</u>
Financing receivables:				
End of period balance	<u>\$ 27,810</u>	<u>\$ 2,685</u>	<u>\$ 3,085</u>	<u>\$ 33,580</u>

The allowance for credit losses on financing receivables decreased in the first quarter of 2022 led by a decrease in the revolving charge accounts. This portfolio is benefiting from favorable agricultural market conditions driven by higher commodity prices and net farm income, which is contributing to stronger payment performance.

A troubled debt restructuring is the modification of debt in which a creditor grants a concession it would not otherwise consider to a debtor that is experiencing financial difficulties. These modifications may include a reduction of the stated interest rate, an extension of the maturity dates, a reduction of the face amount or maturity amount of the debt, or a reduction of accrued interest. During the first three months of 2022, the Company identified 108 receivable contracts, primarily retail notes, as troubled debt restructurings with aggregate balances of \$5 million pre-modification and \$4 million post-modification. During the first three months of 2021, there were 98 receivable contracts, primarily retail notes, identified as troubled debt restructurings with aggregate balances of \$5 million pre-modification and post-modification. During these same periods, there were no significant troubled debt restructurings that subsequently defaulted and were written off. At January 30, 2022, the Company had no commitments to lend to borrowers whose accounts were modified in troubled debt restructurings.

(10) Securitization of Financing Receivables

As a part of its overall funding strategy, the Company periodically transfers certain financing receivables (retail notes) into VIEs that are special purpose entities (SPEs), or non-VIE banking operations, as part of its asset-backed securities programs (securitizations). The structure of these transactions is such that the transfer of the retail notes does not meet the accounting criteria for sales of receivables, and is, therefore, accounted for as a secured borrowing. SPEs utilized in securitizations of retail notes differ from other entities included in the Company's consolidated statements because the assets they hold are legally isolated. Use of the assets held by the SPEs or the non-VIEs is restricted by terms of the documents governing the securitization transactions.

In these securitizations, the retail notes are transferred to certain SPEs, which in turn issue debt to investors, or to non-VIE banking operations, which provide funding directly to the Company. The funding provided by these third-parties results in secured borrowings, which are recorded as "Short-term securitization borrowings" on the balance sheet. The securitized retail notes are recorded as "Financing receivables securitized – net" on the balance sheet. The total restricted assets on the balance sheet related to these securitizations include the financing receivables securitized, less an allowance for credit losses, and other assets primarily representing restricted cash. Restricted cash results from contractual requirements in securitized borrowing arrangements and serves as a credit enhancement. The restricted cash is used to satisfy payment deficiencies, if any, in the required payments on secured borrowings. The balance of restricted cash is contractually stipulated and is either a fixed amount as determined by the initial balance of the financing receivables securitized or a fixed percentage of the outstanding balance of the securitized financing receivables. The restriction is removed either after all secured borrowing payments are made or proportionally as these receivables are collected and borrowing obligations reduced. For those securitizations in which retail notes are transferred into SPEs, the SPEs supporting the secured borrowings are consolidated unless the Company does not have both the power to direct the activities that most significantly impact the SPEs' economic performance and the obligation to absorb losses or the right to receive benefits that could potentially be significant to the SPEs. No additional support to these SPEs beyond what was previously contractually required has been provided during the reporting periods.

In certain securitizations, the Company consolidates the SPEs since it has both the power to direct the activities that most significantly impact the SPEs' economic performance through its role as servicer of all the receivables held by the SPEs and the obligation through variable interests in the SPEs to absorb losses or receive benefits that could potentially be significant to the SPEs. The restricted assets (retail notes securitized, allowance for credit losses, and other assets) of the consolidated SPEs totaled \$2,649 million, \$3,094 million, and \$2,425 million at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021, respectively. The liabilities (short-term securitization borrowings and accrued interest) of these SPEs totaled \$2,575 million, \$3,024 million, and \$2,403 million at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021, respectively. The credit holders of these SPEs do not have legal recourse to the Company's general credit.

The Company has a revolving warehouse facility to utilize bank conduit facilities to securitize retail notes, described further in the following paragraphs. The facility was renewed in November 2021 with an expiration in November 2022 and a reduction of the total capacity or "financing limit" from \$2,000 million to \$1,000 million. As a result of the reduced capacity, the Company repurchased \$511 million of outstanding short-term securitization borrowings in November 2021, in addition to the normal payments collected on the retail notes. At the end of the contractual revolving period, unless the banks and the Company agree to renew, the Company would liquidate the secured borrowings over time as payments on the retail notes are collected.

Through the revolving warehouse facility, the Company transfers retail notes into bank-sponsored, multi-seller, commercial paper conduits, which are SPEs that are not consolidated. The Company does not service a significant portion of the conduits' receivables, and therefore, does not have the power to direct the activities that most significantly impact the conduits' economic performance. These conduits provide a funding source to the Company (as well as other transferors into the conduit) as they fund the retail notes through the issuance of commercial paper. The Company's carrying values and variable interest related to these conduits were restricted assets (retail notes securitized, allowance for credit losses, and other assets) of \$767 million, \$1,176 million, and \$1,120 million at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021, respectively. The liabilities (short-term securitization borrowings and accrued interest) related to these conduits were \$720 million, \$1,113 million, and \$1,097 million at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021, respectively.

The Company's carrying amount of the liabilities to the unconsolidated conduits, compared to the maximum exposure to loss related to these conduits, which would only be incurred in the event of a complete loss on the restricted assets, was as follows in millions of dollars:

	<u>January 30, 2022</u>
Carrying value of liabilities	\$ 720
Maximum exposure to loss	767

The total assets of the unconsolidated conduits related to securitizations were \$14 billion at January 30, 2022.

In addition, through the revolving warehouse facility, the Company transfers retail notes to banks, which may elect to fund the retail notes through the use of their own funding sources. These non-VIE banking operations are not consolidated since the Company does not have a controlling interest in them. The Company's carrying values and interests related to the securitizations with the unconsolidated non-VIEs were restricted assets (retail notes securitized, allowance for credit losses, and other assets) of \$200 million, \$496 million, and \$481 million at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021, respectively. The liabilities (short-term securitization borrowings and accrued interest) were \$188 million, \$470 million, and \$471 million at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021, respectively.

The components of consolidated restricted assets related to secured borrowings in securitization transactions follow in millions of dollars:

	January 30 2022	October 31 2021	January 31 2021
Financing receivables securitized (retail notes)	\$ 3,526	\$ 4,673	\$ 3,946
Allowance for credit losses	(10)	(14)	(15)
Other assets	100	107	95
Total restricted securitized assets	<u>\$ 3,616</u>	<u>\$ 4,766</u>	<u>\$ 4,026</u>

The components of consolidated secured borrowings and other liabilities related to securitizations follow in millions of dollars:

	January 30 2022	October 31 2021	January 31 2021
Short-term securitization borrowings	\$ 3,482	\$ 4,605	\$ 3,969
Accrued interest on borrowings	1	2	2
Total liabilities related to restricted securitized assets	<u>\$ 3,483</u>	<u>\$ 4,607</u>	<u>\$ 3,971</u>

The secured borrowings related to these restricted securitized retail notes are obligations that are payable as the retail notes are liquidated. Repayment of the secured borrowings depends primarily on cash flows generated by the restricted assets. Due to the Company's short-term credit rating, cash collections from these restricted assets are not required to be placed into a segregated collection account until immediately prior to the time payment is required to the secured creditors. At January 30, 2022, the maximum remaining term of all securitized retail notes was approximately six years.

(11) Inventories

Most inventories owned by Deere & Company and its U.S. equipment subsidiaries are valued at cost on the “last-in, first-out” (LIFO) basis. If all of the Company’s inventories had been valued on a “first-in, first-out” (FIFO) basis, estimated inventories by major classification in millions of dollars would have been as follows:

	January 30 2022	October 31 2021	January 31 2021
Raw materials and supplies	\$ 4,034	\$ 3,524	\$ 2,303
Work-in-process	1,460	994	839
Finished goods and parts	4,790	4,373	4,485
Total FIFO value	<u>10,284</u>	<u>8,891</u>	<u>7,627</u>
Less adjustment to LIFO value	2,349	2,110	1,671
Inventories	<u>\$ 7,935</u>	<u>\$ 6,781</u>	<u>\$ 5,956</u>

(12) Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets-Net

The changes in amounts of goodwill by operating segment were as follows in millions of dollars:

	Production & Precision Ag	Small Ag & Turf	Construction & Forestry	Total
Goodwill at November 1, 2020	\$ 333	\$ 268	\$ 2,480	\$ 3,081
Acquisition	12			12
Translation adjustments and other	12	(1)	90	101
Goodwill at January 31, 2021	<u>\$ 357</u>	<u>\$ 267</u>	<u>\$ 2,570</u>	<u>\$ 3,194</u>
Goodwill at October 31, 2021	\$ 542	\$ 265	\$ 2,484	\$ 3,291
Acquisition	7	7	4	18
Translation adjustments and other	(5)	(2)	(110)	(117)
Goodwill at January 30, 2022	<u>\$ 544</u>	<u>\$ 270</u>	<u>\$ 2,378</u>	<u>\$ 3,192</u>

There were no accumulated goodwill impairment losses in the reported periods.

The components of other intangible assets were as follows in millions of dollars:

	January 30 2022	October 31 2021	January 31 2021
Amortized intangible assets:			
Customer lists and relationships	\$ 526	\$ 542	\$ 553
Technology, patents, trademarks, and other	1,066	1,104	1,099
Total at cost	<u>1,592</u>	<u>1,646</u>	<u>1,652</u>
Less accumulated amortization:			
Customer lists and relationships	156	151	128
Technology, patents, trademarks, and other	350	343	305
Total accumulated amortization	<u>506</u>	<u>494</u>	<u>433</u>
Amortized intangible assets	<u>1,086</u>	<u>1,152</u>	<u>1,219</u>
Unamortized intangible assets:			
In-process research and development	123	123	123
Other intangible assets – net	<u>\$ 1,209</u>	<u>\$ 1,275</u>	<u>\$ 1,342</u>

The amortization of other intangible assets in the first quarter of 2022 and 2021 was \$28 million and \$34 million, respectively. The estimated amortization expense for the next five years is as follows in millions of dollars: remainder of 2022 – \$84, 2023 – \$110, 2024 – \$106, 2025 – \$102, 2026 – \$99, and 2027 – \$98.

(13) Total Short-Term Borrowings

Total short-term borrowings were as follows in millions of dollars:

	January 30 2022	October 31 2021	January 31 2021
Equipment Operations			
Notes payable to banks	\$ 401	\$ 273	\$ 183
Finance lease obligations due within one year	23	23	20
Long-term borrowings due within one year	1,092	1,213	191
Total	<u>1,516</u>	<u>1,509</u>	<u>394</u>
Financial Services			
Commercial paper	2,135	2,230	1,346
Notes payable to banks	118	63	143
Long-term borrowings due within one year	7,221	7,117	7,341
Total	<u>9,474</u>	<u>9,410</u>	<u>8,830</u>
Short-term borrowings	<u>10,990</u>	<u>10,919</u>	<u>9,224</u>
Short-term securitization borrowings			
Equipment Operations	8	10	17
Financial Services	3,474	4,595	3,952
Total	<u>3,482</u>	<u>4,605</u>	<u>3,969</u>
Total short-term borrowings	<u>\$ 14,472</u>	<u>\$ 15,524</u>	<u>\$ 13,193</u>

(14) Long-Term Borrowings

Long-term borrowings were as follows in millions of dollars. The financial services medium-term notes include fair value adjustments to interest rate swaps.

	January 30 2022	October 31 2021	January 31 2021
Equipment Operations			
U.S. dollar notes and debentures:			
2.60% notes due 2022			\$ 1,000
2.75% notes due 2025	\$ 700	\$ 700	700
6.55% debentures due 2028	200	200	200
5.375% notes due 2029	500	500	500
3.10% notes due 2030	700	700	700
8.10% debentures due 2030	250	250	250
7.125% notes due 2031	300	300	300
3.90% notes due 2042	1,250	1,250	1,250
2.875% notes due 2049	500	500	500
3.75% notes due 2050	850	850	850
Euro notes:			
.5% notes due 2023 (€500 principal)	557	584	606
1.375% notes due 2024 (€800 principal)	891	934	970
1.85% notes due 2028 (€600 principal)	669	701	727
2.20% notes due 2032 (€600 principal)	669	701	727
1.65% notes due 2039 (€650 principal)	724	759	788
Finance lease obligations and other notes	52	40	131
Less debt issuance costs and debt discounts	(52)	(54)	(60)
Total	<u>8,760</u>	<u>8,915</u>	<u>10,139</u>
Financial Services			
Notes and debentures:			
Medium-term notes: (principal as of: January 30, 2022 - \$22,896, October 31, 2021 - \$22,647, January 31, 2021 - \$20,978)	22,947	22,899	21,549
Other notes	1,194	1,138	1,141
Less debt issuance costs and debt discounts	(63)	(64)	(57)
Total	<u>24,078</u>	<u>23,973</u>	<u>22,633</u>
Long-term borrowings	<u>\$ 32,838</u>	<u>\$ 32,888</u>	<u>\$ 32,772</u>

(15) **Leases**

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Operating and finance lease right of use assets and liabilities follow in millions of dollars:

	January 30 2022	October 31 2021	January 31 2021
Operating leases:			
Other assets	\$ 276	\$ 291	\$ 327
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	267	279	315
Finance leases:			
Property and equipment – net	\$ 65	\$ 71	\$ 57
Short-term borrowings	23	23	20
Long-term borrowings	32	38	36
Total finance lease liabilities	<u>\$ 55</u>	<u>\$ 61</u>	<u>\$ 56</u>

Lessor

The Company leases equipment manufactured or sold by the Company and a limited amount of non-John Deere equipment to retail customers through sales-type, direct financing, and operating leases. Sales-type and direct financing leases are reported in “Financing receivables – net” on the consolidated balance sheet, while operating leases are reported in “Equipment on operating leases – net.”

Lease revenues earned by the Company were as follows in millions of dollars:

	Three Months Ended	
	January 30, 2022	January 31, 2021
Sales-type and direct finance lease revenues	\$ 39	\$ 36
Operating lease revenues	336	363
Variable lease revenues	7	6
Total lease revenues	<u>\$ 382</u>	<u>\$ 405</u>

(16) **Commitments and Contingencies**

The Company generally determines its total warranty liability by applying historical claims rate experience to the estimated amount of equipment that has been sold and is still under warranty based on dealer inventories and retail sales. The historical claims rate is primarily determined by a review of five-year claims costs and current quality developments.

The premiums for extended warranties are recognized in income in proportion to the costs expected to be incurred over the contract period. These unamortized extended warranty premiums (deferred revenue) included in the following table totaled \$781 million and \$656 million at January 30, 2022 and January 31, 2021, respectively.

A reconciliation of the changes in the warranty liability and unearned premiums in millions of dollars follows:

	Three Months Ended	
	January 30 2022	January 31 2021
Beginning of period balance	\$ 2,086	\$ 1,743
Payments	(193)	(215)
Amortization of premiums received	(66)	(63)
Accruals for warranties	181	247
Premiums received	83	73
Foreign exchange	(27)	18
End of period balance	<u>\$ 2,064</u>	<u>\$ 1,803</u>

At January 30, 2022, the Company had \$374 million of guarantees issued primarily to banks outside the U.S. and Canada related to third-party receivables for the retail financing of John Deere equipment. The Company

may recover a portion of any required payments incurred under these agreements from repossession of the equipment collateralizing the receivables. At January 30, 2022, the Company had accrued losses of \$5 million under these agreements. The maximum remaining term of the receivables guaranteed at January 30, 2022 was approximately six years.

At January 30, 2022, the Company had commitments of \$323 million for the construction and acquisition of property and equipment. Also, at January 30, 2022, the Company had restricted assets of \$64 million, classified as “Other assets.” See Note 10 for additional restricted assets associated with borrowings related to securitizations.

The Company also had other miscellaneous contingent liabilities totaling approximately \$85 million at January 30, 2022. The accrued liability for these contingencies was not material at January 30, 2022.

The Company is subject to various unresolved legal actions which arise in the normal course of its business, the most prevalent of which relate to product liability (including asbestos-related liability), retail credit, employment, patent, and trademark matters. The Company believes the reasonably possible range of losses for these unresolved legal actions would not have a material effect on its consolidated financial statements.

(17) Fair Value Measurements

Fair value is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. To determine fair value, the Company uses various methods, including market and income approaches. The Company utilizes valuation models and techniques that maximize the use of observable inputs. The models are industry-standard models that consider various assumptions, including time values and yield curves as well as other economic measures. These valuation techniques are consistently applied.

Level 1 measurements consist of quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities. Level 2 measurements include significant other observable inputs, such as quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets; identical assets or liabilities in inactive markets; observable inputs such as interest rates and yield curves; and other market-corroborated inputs. Level 3 measurements include significant unobservable inputs.

The fair values of financial instruments that do not approximate the carrying values were as follows in millions of dollars. Long-term borrowings exclude finance lease liabilities (see Note 15).

	January 30, 2022		October 31, 2021		January 31, 2021	
	Carrying Value	Fair Value	Carrying Value	Fair Value	Carrying Value	Fair Value
Financing receivables – net:						
Equipment operations	\$ 56	\$ 48	\$ 73	\$ 68	\$ 103	\$ 100
Financial services	33,135	32,985	33,726	33,650	29,335	29,591
Total	<u>\$ 33,191</u>	<u>\$ 33,033</u>	<u>\$ 33,799</u>	<u>\$ 33,718</u>	<u>\$ 29,438</u>	<u>\$ 29,691</u>
Financing receivables securitized – net:						
Equipment operations	\$ 9	\$ 9	\$ 10	\$ 10	\$ 18	\$ 17
Financial services	3,507	3,521	4,649	4,694	3,913	4,002
Total	<u>\$ 3,516</u>	<u>\$ 3,530</u>	<u>\$ 4,659</u>	<u>\$ 4,704</u>	<u>\$ 3,931</u>	<u>\$ 4,019</u>
Short-term securitization borrowings:						
Equipment operations	\$ 8	\$ 9	\$ 10	\$ 10	\$ 17	\$ 17
Financial services	3,474	3,459	4,595	4,600	3,952	3,986
Total	<u>\$ 3,482</u>	<u>\$ 3,468</u>	<u>\$ 4,605</u>	<u>\$ 4,610</u>	<u>\$ 3,969</u>	<u>\$ 4,003</u>
Long-term borrowings due within one year:						
Equipment operations	\$ 1,092	\$ 1,096	\$ 1,213	\$ 1,222	\$ 191	\$ 198
Financial services	7,221	7,226	7,117	7,142	7,341	7,424
Total	<u>\$ 8,313</u>	<u>\$ 8,322</u>	<u>\$ 8,330</u>	<u>\$ 8,364</u>	<u>\$ 7,532</u>	<u>\$ 7,622</u>
Long-term borrowings:						
Equipment operations	\$ 8,728	\$ 9,724	\$ 8,877	\$ 10,244	\$ 10,103	\$ 11,813
Financial services	24,078	24,119	23,973	24,262	22,633	23,219
Total	<u>\$ 32,806</u>	<u>\$ 33,843</u>	<u>\$ 32,850</u>	<u>\$ 34,506</u>	<u>\$ 32,736</u>	<u>\$ 35,032</u>

Fair value measurements above were Level 3 for all financing receivables, Level 3 for equipment operations short-term securitization borrowings, and Level 2 for all other borrowings.

Fair values of the financing receivables that were issued long-term were based on the discounted values of their related cash flows at interest rates currently being offered by the Company for similar financing receivables. The fair values of the remaining financing receivables approximated the carrying amounts.

Fair values of long-term borrowings and short-term securitization borrowings were based on current market quotes for identical or similar borrowings and credit risk, or on the discounted values of their related cash flows at current market interest rates. Certain long-term borrowings have been swapped to current variable interest rates. The carrying values of these long-term borrowings included adjustments related to fair value hedges.

Assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis in millions of dollars follow, excluding the Company's cash equivalents, which were carried at cost that approximates fair value and consisted primarily of money market funds and time deposits.

	January 30 2022	October 31 2021	January 31 2021
Level 1:			
Marketable securities			
International equity securities	\$ 2	\$ 2	\$ 2
U.S. equity fund	72	75	70
U.S. government debt securities	63	59	60
Total Level 1 marketable securities	<u>137</u>	<u>136</u>	<u>132</u>
Level 2:			
Marketable securities			
U.S. government debt securities	138	139	119
Municipal debt securities	74	73	71
Corporate debt securities	229	224	197
International debt securities	2	2	8
Mortgage-backed securities*	155	154	140
Total Level 2 marketable securities	<u>598</u>	<u>592</u>	<u>535</u>
Other assets			
Derivatives:			
Interest rate contracts	184	239	568
Foreign exchange contracts	91	31	34
Cross-currency interest rate contracts	24	5	3
Total Level 2 other assets	<u>299</u>	<u>275</u>	<u>605</u>
Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
Derivatives:			
Interest rate contracts	212	132	97
Foreign exchange contracts	64	94	76
Cross-currency interest rate contracts	2	2	2
Total Level 2 accounts payable and accrued expenses	<u>276</u>	<u>228</u>	<u>175</u>

* Primarily issued by U.S. government sponsored enterprises.

The contractual maturities of debt securities at January 30, 2022 in millions of dollars are shown below. Actual maturities may differ from contractual maturities because some securities may be called or prepaid. Because of the potential for prepayment on mortgage-backed securities, they are not categorized by contractual maturity.

	Amortized Cost	Fair Value
Due in one year or less	\$ 29	\$ 29
Due after one through five years	87	88
Due after five through 10 years	161	159
Due after 10 years	231	230
Mortgage-backed securities	158	155
Debt securities	<u>\$ 666</u>	<u>\$ 661</u>

Fair value, nonrecurring Level 3 measurements from impairments, excluding financing receivables with specific allowances which were not significant, were as follows in millions of dollars. Property and equipment – net and Other assets fair value for October 31, 2021 represents the fair value assessment at January 31, 2021.

	Fair Value			Losses	
	January 30 2022	October 31 2021	January 31 2021	Three Months Ended	
				January 30 2022	January 31 2021
Property and equipment – net	<u>\$ 41</u>	<u>\$ 41</u>	<u>\$ 41</u>	<u>\$ 44</u>	
Other assets	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$ 6</u>	

The following is a description of the valuation methodologies the Company uses to measure certain balance sheet items at fair value:

Marketable securities – The portfolio of investments is primarily valued on a market approach (matrix pricing model) in which all significant inputs are observable or can be derived from or corroborated by observable market data such as interest rates, yield curves, volatilities, credit risk, and prepayment speeds. Funds are primarily valued using the fund's net asset value, based on the fair value of the underlying securities.

Derivatives – The Company's derivative financial instruments consist of interest rate contracts (swaps), foreign currency exchange contracts (futures, forwards, and swaps), and cross-currency interest rate contracts (swaps). The portfolio is valued based on an income approach (discounted cash flow) using market observable inputs, including swap curves and both forward and spot exchange rates for currencies.

Financing receivables – Specific reserve impairments are based on the fair value of the collateral, which is measured using a market approach (appraisal values or realizable values). Inputs include a selection of realizable values.

Property and equipment - net – Impairments are recognized if fair value is lower than the carrying amount. The valuations were based on cost and market approaches. The inputs include replacement cost estimates adjusted for physical deterioration and economic obsolescence or quoted prices when available (see Note 20).

Other assets – The impairments were measured at the fair value of the right of use operating lease asset.

(18) Derivative Instruments

It is the Company's policy that derivative transactions are executed only to manage exposures arising in the normal course of business and not for the purpose of creating speculative positions or trading. The Company's financial services operations manage the relationship of the types and amounts of their funding sources to their receivable and lease portfolio in an effort to diminish risk due to interest rate and foreign currency fluctuations, while responding to favorable financing opportunities. The Company also has foreign currency exposures at some of its foreign and domestic operations related to buying, selling, and financing in currencies other than the functional currencies. In addition, the Company has interest rate and foreign currency exposures at certain equipment operations units for sales incentive programs.

All derivatives are recorded at fair value on the balance sheet. Cash collateral received or paid is not offset against the derivative fair values on the balance sheet. The cash flows from these contracts were recorded in operating activities in the statement of consolidated cash flows. Each derivative is designated as a cash flow hedge, a fair value hedge, or remains undesignated. All designated hedges are formally documented as to the relationship with the hedged item as well as the risk-management strategy. Both at inception and on an ongoing basis the hedging instrument is assessed as to its effectiveness. If and when a derivative is determined not to be highly effective as a hedge, the underlying hedged transaction is no longer likely to occur, the hedge designation is removed, or the derivative is terminated, hedge accounting is discontinued.

Cash Flow Hedges

Certain interest rate contracts (swaps) were designated as hedges of future cash flows from borrowings. The total notional amounts of the receive-variable/pay-fixed interest rate contracts at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021 were \$2,700 million, \$2,700 million, and \$2,350 million, respectively. Fair value gains or losses on cash flow hedges were recorded in other comprehensive income (OCI) and are subsequently reclassified into interest expense in the same periods during which the hedged transactions affected earnings. These amounts offset the effects of interest rate changes on the related borrowings.

The amount of loss recorded in OCI at January 30, 2022 that is expected to be reclassified to interest expense or other operating expenses in the next twelve months if interest rates or exchange rates remain unchanged is \$4 million after-tax. No gains or losses were reclassified from OCI to earnings based on the probability that the original forecasted transaction would not occur.

Fair Value Hedges

Certain interest rate contracts (swaps) were designated as fair value hedges of borrowings. The total notional amounts of the receive-fixed/pay-variable interest rate contracts at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and

January 31, 2021 were \$8,307 million, \$8,043 million, and \$8,333 million, respectively. The fair value gains or losses on these contracts were generally offset by fair value gains or losses on the hedged items (fixed-rate borrowings) with both items recorded in interest expense.

The amounts recorded in the consolidated balance sheet related to borrowings designated in fair value hedging relationships in millions of dollars follow:

	Carrying Amount of Hedged Item	Cumulative Increase (Decrease) of Fair Value Hedging Adjustments Included in the Carrying Amount		
		Active Hedging Relationships	Discontinued Relationships	Total
January 30, 2022				
Long-term borrowings due within one year	\$ 185	\$ 2	\$ 8	\$ 10
Long-term borrowings	8,147	(130)	181	51
October 31, 2021				
Long-term borrowings due within one year	\$ 189	\$ 3	\$ (2)	\$ 1
Long-term borrowings	8,070	29	223	252
January 31, 2021				
Long-term borrowings due within one year	\$ 159	\$ 2	\$ 1	\$ 3
Long-term borrowings	8,713	435	137	572

Long-term borrowings due within one year are presented in short-term borrowings.

Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments

The Company has certain interest rate contracts (swaps), foreign currency exchange contracts (futures, forwards, and swaps), and cross-currency interest rate contracts (swaps), which were not formally designated as hedges. These derivatives were held as economic hedges for underlying interest rate or foreign currency exposures, primarily for certain borrowings, purchases or sales of inventory, and sales incentive programs. The total notional amounts of these interest rate swaps at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021 were \$10,210 million, \$10,848 million, and \$8,801 million, the foreign exchange contracts were \$7,864 million, \$7,584 million, and \$5,478 million, and the cross-currency interest rate contracts were \$303 million, \$238 million, and \$145 million, respectively. The fair value gains or losses from derivatives not designated as hedging instruments were recorded in the statement of consolidated income, generally offsetting over time the exposure on the hedged item.

Fair values of derivative instruments in the condensed consolidated balance sheet in millions of dollars follow:

	January 30 2022	October 31 2021	January 31 2021
Other Assets			
Designated as hedging instruments:			
Interest rate contracts	\$ 102	\$ 166	\$ 491
Not designated as hedging instruments:			
Interest rate contracts	82	73	77
Foreign exchange contracts	91	31	34
Cross-currency interest rate contracts	24	5	3
Total not designated	<u>197</u>	<u>109</u>	<u>114</u>
Total derivative assets	<u>\$ 299</u>	<u>\$ 275</u>	<u>\$ 605</u>
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses			
Designated as hedging instruments:			
Interest rate contracts	\$ 185	\$ 99	\$ 31
Not designated as hedging instruments:			
Interest rate contracts	27	33	66
Foreign exchange contracts	64	94	76
Cross-currency interest rate contracts	2	2	2
Total not designated	<u>91</u>	<u>129</u>	<u>144</u>
Total derivative liabilities	<u>\$ 276</u>	<u>\$ 228</u>	<u>\$ 175</u>

The classification and gains (losses) including accrued interest expense related to derivative instruments on the statement of consolidated income consisted of the following in millions of dollars:

	Three Months Ended	
	January 30 2022	January 31 2021
Fair Value Hedges:		
Interest rate contracts - Interest expense	\$ (141)	\$ (55)
Cash Flow Hedges:		
Recognized in OCI		
Interest rate contracts - OCI (pretax)	15	
Reclassified from OCI		
Interest rate contracts - Interest expense	(2)	(5)
Not Designated as Hedges:		
Interest rate contracts - Net sales	\$ 13	
Interest rate contracts - Interest expense *	(1)	\$ (4)
Foreign exchange contracts - Cost of sales	(1)	(52)
Foreign exchange contracts - Other operating expenses *	147	(126)
Total not designated	<u>\$ 158</u>	<u>\$ (182)</u>

* Includes interest and foreign exchange gains (losses) from cross-currency interest rate contracts.

Counterparty Risk and Collateral

Derivative instruments are subject to significant concentrations of credit risk to the banking sector. The Company manages individual counterparty exposure by setting limits that consider the credit rating of the counterparty, the credit default swap spread of the counterparty, and other financial commitments and exposures between the Company and the counterparty banks. All interest rate derivatives are transacted under International Swaps and Derivatives Association (ISDA) documentation. Some of these agreements include credit support provisions. Each master agreement permits the net settlement of amounts owed in the event of default or termination.

Certain of the Company's derivative agreements contain credit support provisions that may require the Company to post collateral based on the size of the net liability positions and credit ratings. The aggregate fair value of all derivatives with credit-risk-related contingent features that were in a net liability position at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021 was \$213 million, \$135 million, and \$99 million, respectively. In accordance with the limits established in these agreements, the Company posted \$18 million of cash collateral at January 30, 2022. The Company posted no cash collateral in accordance with the limits established in those agreements at either October 31, 2021 or January 31, 2021. In addition, the Company paid \$8 million of collateral either in cash or pledged securities that was outstanding at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021 to participate in an international futures market to hedge currency exposure, not included in the table below.

Derivatives are recorded without offsetting for netting arrangements or collateral. The impact on the derivative assets and liabilities related to netting arrangements and any collateral received or paid in millions of dollars follows:

	Gross Amounts Recognized	Netting Arrangements	Collateral	Net Amount
January 30, 2022				
Assets	\$ 299	\$ (91)		\$ 208
Liabilities	276	(91)	\$ (19)	166
October 31, 2021				
Assets	\$ 275	\$ (105)		\$ 170
Liabilities	228	(105)	\$ (5)	118
January 31, 2021				
Assets	\$ 605	\$ (106)	\$ (186)	\$ 313
Liabilities	175	(106)		69

(19) Stock Option and Restricted Stock Awards

In December 2021, the Company granted stock options to employees for the purchase of 197 thousand shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$343.94 per share and a binomial lattice model fair value of \$89.20 per share at the grant date. At January 30, 2022, options for 2.6 million shares were outstanding with a weighted-average exercise price of \$145.37 per share. The Company also granted 154 thousand restricted stock units to employees in the first three months of 2022, of which 117 thousand are subject to service based only conditions and 37 thousand are subject to performance/service based conditions. The weighted-average fair value of the service based only units at the grant date was \$344.11 per unit based on the market price of a share of underlying common stock. The fair value of the performance/service based units at the grant date was \$331.47 per unit based on the market price of a share of underlying common stock excluding dividends. At January 30, 2022, the Company was authorized to grant awards for an additional 17.1 million shares under the equity incentive plan.

(20) Special Items

On November 17, 2021, employees represented by the UAW approved a new collective bargaining agreement. The agreement, which has a term of six years, covers the wages, hours, benefits, and other terms and conditions of employment for the Company's UAW-represented employees at 14 U.S. facilities. The labor agreement includes a lump sum ratification bonus payment of \$8,500 per eligible employee, totaling \$90 million, and an immediate wage increase of 10 percent plus further wage increases over the term of the

contract. The lump sum payment was expensed in the first quarter of 2022. The Company remeasured the U.S. hourly pension plan as of November 30, 2021 due to the new collective bargaining agreement. See Note 7 for more information on the U.S. hourly plan remeasurement.

During the first quarter of 2021, the fixed assets in an asphalt plant factory in Germany were impaired by \$38 million, pretax and after-tax. The Company also continued to assess its manufacturing locations, resulting in additional long-lived asset impairments of \$12 million pretax. The impairments were the result of a decline in forecasted financial performance that indicated it was probable future cash flows would not cover the carrying amount of the net assets. These impairments were offset by a favorable indirect tax ruling in Brazil of \$58 million pretax.

	Production & Precision Ag	Small Ag & Turf	Construction & Forestry	Total
2022 Expense:				
UAW ratification bonus – Cost of sales	\$ 53	\$ 9	\$ 28	\$ 90
2021 Expense (benefit):				
Long-lived asset impairments – Cost of sales	\$ 5	\$ 3	\$ 42	\$ 50
Brazil indirect tax – Cost of sales	(53)		(5)	(58)
Total expense (benefit)	<u>\$ (48)</u>	<u>\$ 3</u>	<u>\$ 37</u>	<u>\$ (8)</u>
Quarter over quarter change	<u>\$ 101</u>	<u>\$ 6</u>	<u>\$ (9)</u>	<u>\$ 98</u>

See Note 17 for fair value measurement information.

(21) Subsequent Events

On February 7, 2022, the Company acquired a majority ownership in Kreisel Electric, Inc. (Kreisel), a battery technology provider based in Austria. The transaction includes an option to purchase the remaining ownership interest in Kreisel in 2027. The initial cash outlay was €239 million, consisting of €221 million in consideration for the acquired equity interests and €18 million to reduce the option price. The payment was financed from cash on hand, and will primarily be allocated to intangible assets and goodwill. Kreisel will be allocated amongst the Company's production and precision agriculture, small agriculture and turf, and construction and forestry segments.

On February 23, 2022, the Company's Board of Directors declared a quarterly dividend of \$1.05 per share payable May 9, 2022, to stockholders of record on March 31, 2022.

Item 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

Overview

Organization

The Company's equipment operations generate revenues and cash primarily from the sale of equipment to John Deere dealers and distributors. The equipment operations manufacture and distribute a full line of agricultural equipment; a variety of commercial and consumer equipment; and a broad range of equipment for construction, roadbuilding, and forestry. The Company's financial services primarily provide credit services, which mainly finance sales and leases of equipment by John Deere dealers and trade receivables purchased from the equipment operations. In addition, financial services offers extended equipment warranties. The information in the following discussion is presented in a format that includes information grouped as consolidated, equipment operations, and financial services. The Company also views its operations as consisting of two geographic areas: the U.S. and Canada and outside the U.S. and Canada. The Company's operating segments consist of production and precision agriculture, small agriculture and turf, construction and forestry, and financial services.

Trends and Economic Conditions for Fiscal Year 2022

Industry sales of large agricultural machinery in the U.S. and Canada are forecasted to be up 20 percent. Industry sales of turf and utility equipment in the U.S. and Canada are expected to be flat. Industry sales of agricultural machinery in Europe are forecasted to be about 5 percent higher. In South America, industry sales of tractors and combines are projected to increase 5 to 10 percent. Asia industry sales of agricultural machinery are forecasted to be flat. Construction equipment industry sales in the U.S. and Canada for 2022 are expected to increase 5 to 10 percent, while compact construction equipment industry sales in the U.S. and Canada are anticipated to be flat to up about 5 percent. Forestry global industry equipment sales are expected to be 10 to 15 percent higher. Global industry roadbuilding equipment sales are forecasted to be up 5 to 10 percent. Net income for the Company's financial services operations is expected to be slightly lower than fiscal year 2021 due to a higher provision for credit losses, lower gains on operating lease residual values, and higher selling, general, and administrative expenses. These factors are expected to be partially offset by income earned on a higher average portfolio.

Items of concern include global and regional political conditions, economic and trade policies, uncertainty of the effectiveness of governmental and private sector actions to address the ongoing pandemic, capital market disruptions, changes in demand and pricing for new and used equipment, and the other items discussed in the "Safe Harbor Statement" below. Significant fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates, volatility in the price of many commodities, and supply chain disruptions could also impact the Company's results.

The Company's first quarter performance was noteworthy given production issues following the delayed ratification of the UAW contract in late November as well as persistent challenges posed by the supply chain and pandemic. These factors contributed to higher production costs. Demand for agriculture and construction equipment is expected to continue to benefit from strong fundamentals. The Company continues to work closely with key suppliers to manage through the dynamic environment and enable the Company's dealers and customers to deliver food production and critical infrastructure. The Company remains committed, above all else, to safeguarding the health and well-being of its employees.

2022 Compared with 2021

Deere & Company (In millions of dollars, except per share amounts)	Three Months Ended	
	January 30 2022	January 31 2021
Net sales and revenues	\$ 9,569	\$ 9,112
Net income attributable to Deere & Company	903	1,224
Diluted earnings per share	2.92	3.87

In the first quarter of 2022, the Company incurred UAW ratification bonus costs of \$90 million. See Note 20 for more information on special items impacting both periods.

Equipment Operations (In millions of dollars)	Three Months Ended		
	January 30 2022	January 31 2021	% Change
Worldwide:			
Net sales	\$ 8,531	\$ 8,051	+6
Operating profit	939	1,380	-32
Net income	672	1,020	-34
Price realization			+7
Currency translation			-2
U.S. and Canada:			
Net sales	4,818	4,529	+6
Price realization			+7
Outside U.S. and Canada:			
Net sales	3,713	3,522	+5
Price realization			+8
Currency translation			-4

The discussion of net sales and operating profit is included in the Business Segment Results below.

Deere & Company (In millions of dollars)	Three Months Ended		
	January 30 2022	January 31 2021	% Change
Cost of sales to net sales	78.5%	72.1%	
Other income	\$ 238	\$ 227	+5
Research and development expenses	402	366	+10
Selling, administrative and general expenses	781	769	+2
Other operating expenses	311	373	-17
Provision for income taxes	250	308	-19

The cost of sales ratio increased due to higher production costs, partially offset by price realization. Research and development expenses were higher due to continued focus on developing and incorporating technology solutions. Other operating expenses decreased primarily as a result of reduced depreciation of equipment on operating leases and lower retirement benefit costs (see Note 7). The provision for income taxes was lower as a result of reduced pretax income.

Business Segment Results

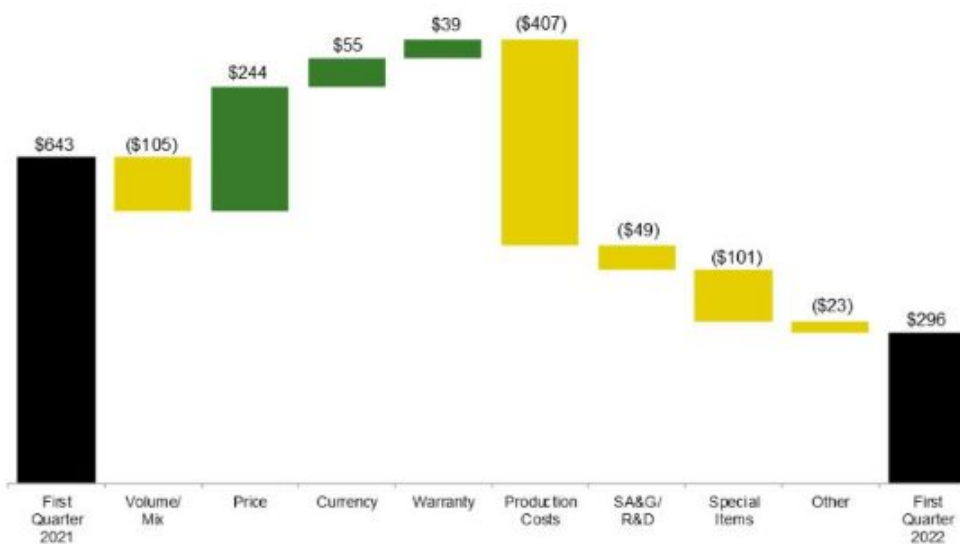
Production and Precision Agriculture (In millions of dollars)	Three Months Ended		
	January 30 2022	January 31 2021	% Change
Net sales	\$ 3,356	\$ 3,069	+9
Operating profit	296	643	-54
Operating margin	8.8%	21.0%	

Production and precision agriculture sales for the quarter increased due to price realization and higher shipment volumes. Operating profit declined primarily due to higher production costs and an unfavorable sales mix. These items were partially offset by price realization and higher shipment volumes. Affecting the most recent quarter was the UAW contract ratification bonus, while the prior period was affected by a favorable indirect tax ruling in Brazil.

Production & Precision Agriculture Operating Profit

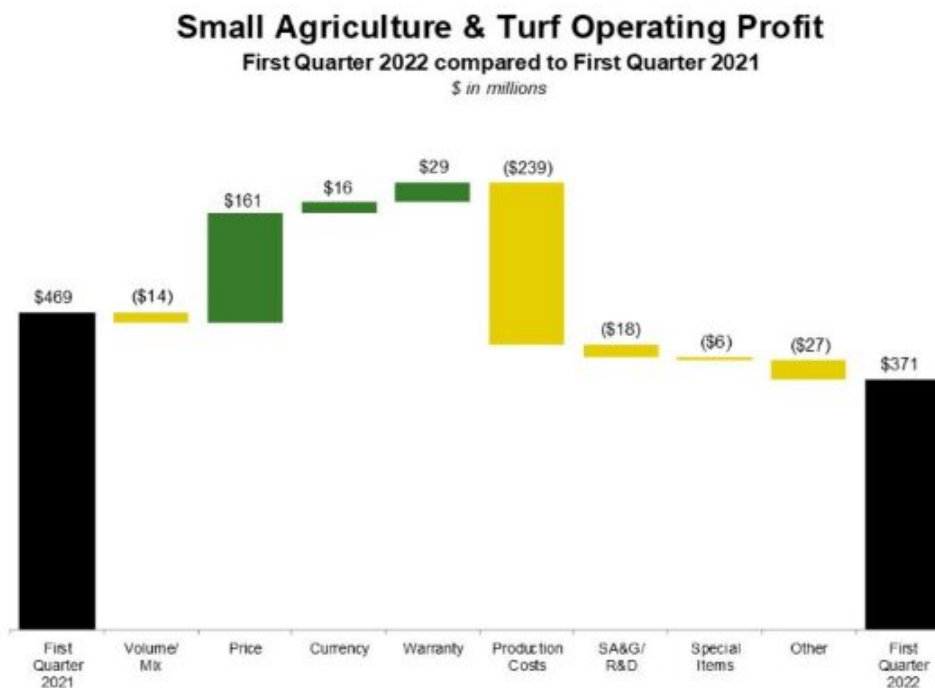
First Quarter 2022 compared to First Quarter 2021

\$ in millions



Small Agriculture and Turf (In millions of dollars)	Three Months Ended		
	January 30 2022	January 31 2021	% Change
Net sales	\$ 2,631	\$ 2,515	+5
Operating profit	371	469	-21
Operating margin	14.1%	18.6%	

Small agriculture and turf sales for the quarter improved as price realization more than offset lower shipment volumes. Operating profit decreased primarily due to higher production costs and lower sales / unfavorable sales mix. These items were partially offset by price realization.



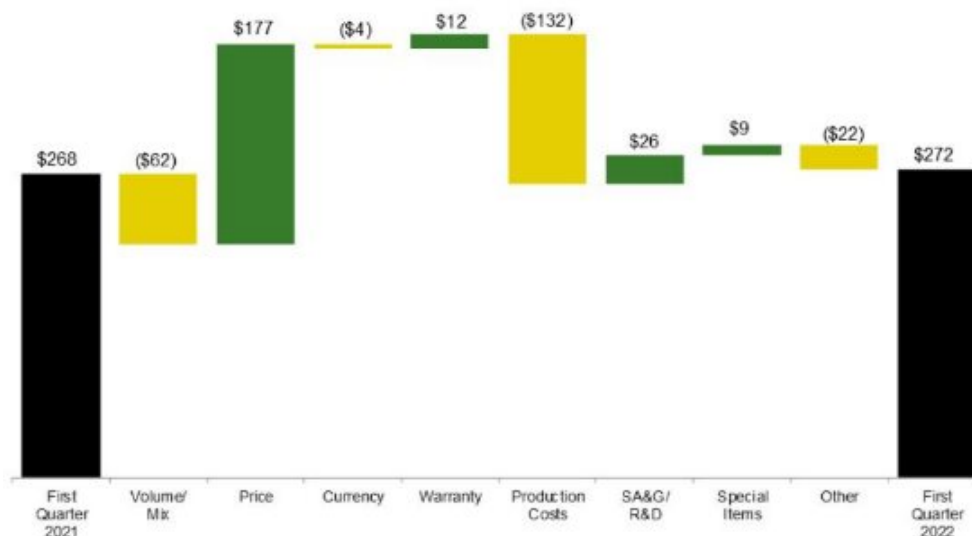
Construction and Forestry (In millions of dollars)	Three Months Ended		
	January 30 2022	January 31 2021	% Change
Net sales	\$ 2,544	\$ 2,467	+3
Operating profit	272	268	+1
Operating margin	10.7%	10.9%	

Construction and forestry sales moved higher for the quarter primarily due to price realization and higher shipment volumes. Last year Wirtgen's one-month reporting lag was eliminated resulting in four months of Wirtgen activity in the first quarter of 2021, which increased "Net sales" by \$270 million. Operating profit was higher mainly due to price realization, partially offset by higher production costs and lower sales / unfavorable sales mix. The current period was impacted by the UAW contract ratification bonus. Results last year included impairment of long-lived assets.

Construction & Forestry Operating Profit

First Quarter 2022 compared to First Quarter 2021

\$ in millions



Financial Services (In millions of dollars)	Three Months Ended		
	January 30 2022	January 31 2021	% Change
Revenue (including intercompany)	\$ 916	\$ 934	-2
Interest expense	158	188	-16
Net income	231	204	+13

While the average balance of receivables and leases financed was 6 percent higher in the first three months of 2022, compared with the same period last year, revenue decreased due to lower average interest rates. Interest expense decreased 16 percent in the first quarter of 2022 as a result of lower average borrowing rates. Net income increased due to income earned on higher average portfolio balances and improvement on operating lease residual values.

Critical Accounting Estimates

See the Company's critical accounting estimates discussed in the Management's Discussion and Analysis of the most recently filed annual report on Form 10-K. There have been no material changes to these policies.

CAPITAL RESOURCES AND LIQUIDITY

The discussion of capital resources and liquidity has been organized to review separately, where appropriate, the Company's consolidated totals, equipment operations, and financial services operations.

Consolidated

Cash outflows from consolidated operating activities in the first three months of 2022 were \$2,553 million. This resulted mainly from a working capital change and a \$1,000 million voluntary contribution to a U.S. OPEB plan. These were partially offset by net income adjusted for non-cash provisions. Cash inflows from investing activities were \$648 million in the first three months of this year. The primary driver was collections of receivables (excluding receivables related to sales) and proceeds from sales of equipment on operating leases exceeding the cost of receivables and equipment on operating leases acquired, partially offset by purchases of property and equipment. Cash outflows from financing activities were \$1,577 million in the first three months of 2022. Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash decreased \$3,556 million during the first three months of this year.

In February 2022, the Company acquired majority ownership in Kreisel Electric, Inc., a battery technology provider based in Austria. The initial cash outlay was €239 million, which was financed from cash on hand (see Note 21). Additional cash requirements anticipated in the remainder of 2022 include the dissolution of the joint venture agreement between the Company and Hitachi Construction Machinery Co., Ltd. (Hitachi). In connection with the termination, the Company will purchase all of Hitachi's shares in the relevant joint venture manufacturing entities and receive certain intellectual property rights. The initial cash consideration consists of \$275 million for the shares and an intellectual property license. The transaction is expected to close in the second quarter of 2022, subject to the receipt of certain required regulatory approvals and satisfaction of certain other customary closing conditions. This consideration will be paid out of cash on hand.

Positive cash flows from consolidated operating activities in the first three months of 2021 were \$143 million. This resulted primarily from net income adjusted for non-cash provisions partially offset by changes in working capital. Cash inflows from investing activities were \$579 million in the first three months of 2021, largely due to collections of receivables (excluding receivables related to sales) and proceeds from sales of equipment on operating leases exceeding the cost of receivables and equipment on operating leases acquired. This was partially offset by purchases of property and equipment. Negative cash flows from financing activities were \$933 million in the first three months of 2021. Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash decreased \$108 million during the first three months of 2021.

The Company has access to most global markets at a reasonable cost and expects to have sufficient sources of global funding and liquidity to meet its funding needs in the short term and long term. Sources of liquidity for the Company include cash and cash equivalents, marketable securities, funds from operations, the issuance of commercial paper and term debt, the securitization of retail notes (both public and private markets), and committed and uncommitted bank lines of credit. The Company's commercial paper outstanding at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021 was \$2,135 million, \$2,230 million, and \$1,346 million, respectively, while the total cash, cash equivalents, and marketable securities position was \$5,207 million, \$8,745 million, and \$7,629 million, respectively. The total cash, cash equivalents, and marketable securities held by foreign subsidiaries was \$3,047 million, \$5,817 million, and \$4,956 million at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021, respectively. During the first quarter of 2022, the Company's foreign subsidiaries returned \$3,500 million of cash and cash equivalents to the U.S.

Lines of Credit. The Company also has access to bank lines of credit with various banks throughout the world. Worldwide lines of credit totaled \$8,519 million at January 30, 2022, \$5,865 million of which were unused. For the purpose of computing unused credit lines, commercial paper and short-term bank borrowings, excluding secured borrowings and the current portion of long-term borrowings, were primarily considered to constitute utilization. Included in the total credit lines at January 30, 2022 was a 364-day credit facility agreement of \$3,000 million, expiring in fiscal April 2022. In addition, total credit lines included long-term credit facility agreements of \$2,500 million, expiring in fiscal April 2025, and \$2,500 million, expiring in fiscal March 2026. The Company expects to extend the terms of these credit facilities. These credit agreements require John Deere Capital Corporation (Capital Corporation) to maintain its consolidated ratio of earnings to fixed charges at not less than 1.05 to 1 for each fiscal quarter and the ratio of senior debt, excluding securitization indebtedness, to capital base (total subordinated debt and stockholder's equity excluding accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)) at not more than 11 to 1 at the end of any fiscal quarter. The credit agreements also require the equipment operations to maintain a ratio of total debt to total capital (total debt and stockholders' equity excluding accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)) of 65 percent or less at the end of each fiscal quarter. Under this provision, the Company's excess equity capacity and retained earnings balance free of restriction at January 30, 2022 was \$15,452 million. Alternatively under this provision, the equipment operations had the capacity to incur additional debt of \$28,697 million at January 30, 2022. All of these requirements of the credit agreements have been met during the periods included in the financial statements.

Debt Ratings. To access public debt capital markets, the Company relies on credit rating agencies to assign short-term and long-term credit ratings to the Company's securities as an indicator of credit quality for fixed income investors. A security rating is not a recommendation by the rating agency to buy, sell, or hold Company securities. A credit rating agency may change or withdraw Company ratings based on its assessment of the Company's current and future ability to meet interest and principal repayment obligations. Each agency's rating should be evaluated independently of any other rating. Lower credit ratings generally result in higher borrowing costs, including costs of derivative transactions, and reduced access to debt capital markets. The senior long-term and short-term debt ratings and outlook currently assigned to unsecured Company securities by the rating agencies engaged by the Company are as follows:

	Senior Long-Term	Short-Term	Outlook
Fitch Ratings	A	F1	Stable
Moody's Investors Service, Inc.	A2	Prime-1	Stable
Standard & Poor's	A	A-1	Stable

Trade Accounts and Notes Receivable. Trade accounts and notes receivable primarily arise from sales of goods to independent dealers. Trade receivables increased \$647 million during the first three months of 2022, mostly due to a seasonal increase. These receivables decreased \$182 million, compared to a year ago. The ratios of trade accounts and notes receivable to the last 12 months' net sales were 12 percent at January 30, 2022, compared to 11 percent at October 31, 2021 and 15 percent at January 31, 2021. Production and precision agriculture trade receivables decreased \$218 million, small agriculture and turf trade receivables decreased \$220 million, and construction and forestry trade receivables increased \$256 million, compared to a year ago. The percentage of total worldwide trade receivables outstanding for periods exceeding 12 months was 1 percent, 1 percent, and 3 percent at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021, respectively.

Equipment Operations

The Company's equipment businesses are capital intensive and are subject to seasonal variations in financing requirements for inventories and certain receivables from dealers. The equipment operations sell a significant portion of their trade receivables to financial services. Funds provided from operations are supplemented by external financing sources as needed.

Cash used for operating activities of the equipment operations, including intercompany cash flows, in the first three months of 2022 was \$2,488 million. This resulted largely from a change in working capital and a \$1,000 million voluntary contribution to a U.S. OPEB plan exceeding cash inflows from net income adjusted for non-cash provisions. Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash decreased \$3,592 million in the first three months of 2022.

Cash provided by operating activities of the equipment operations, including intercompany cash flows, in the first three months of 2021 was \$348 million. Cash inflows from net income adjusted for non-cash provisions were partially offset by changes in working capital. Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash decreased \$71 million in the first three months of 2021.

Trade receivables held by the equipment operations decreased \$159 million during the first three months of 2022 and increased \$96 million from a year ago. The equipment operations sell a significant portion of their trade receivables to financial services. See the previous consolidated discussion of trade receivables.

Inventories increased by \$1,154 million during the first three months, primarily due to a seasonal increase. Inventories increased \$1,979 million, compared to a year ago, due to higher forecasted shipment volumes and a raw material build-up related to the UAW work stoppage, partially offset by the effect of foreign currency translation. A majority of these inventories are valued on the last-in, first-out (LIFO) method.

Total interest-bearing debt, excluding finance lease liabilities, of the equipment operations was \$10,229 million at January 30, 2022, compared with \$10,373 million at October 31, 2021 and \$10,494 million at January 31, 2021. The ratios of debt to total capital (total interest-bearing debt and stockholders' equity) were 36 percent, 36 percent, and 43 percent at January 30, 2022, October 31, 2021, and January 31, 2021, respectively.

Property and equipment cash expenditures for the equipment operations in the first three months of 2022 were \$193 million, compared with \$154 million in the same period last year. Capital expenditures for the equipment operations in 2022 are estimated to be approximately \$1,175 million.

Financial Services

The financial services operations rely on their ability to raise substantial amounts of funds to finance their receivable and lease portfolios. Their primary sources of funds for this purpose are a combination of commercial paper, term debt, securitization of retail notes, equity capital, and borrowings from Deere & Company.

During the first three months of 2022 and 2021, the cash provided by operating and investing activities was used for financing activities. Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash increased \$36 million in the first three months of 2022 and decreased \$37 million in the first three months of 2021.

Receivables and leases held by the financial services operations consist of retail notes originated in connection with financing of new and used equipment, operating leases, trade receivables, revolving charge accounts, sales-type and direct financing leases, and wholesale notes. Trade and financing receivables and equipment on operating leases decreased \$1,149 million during the first quarter of 2022, primarily due to seasonal payments, and increased \$2,490 million in the past 12 months. Total acquisition volumes of receivables (excluding trade and wholesale) and leases were 3 percent higher in the first three months of 2022, compared with the same period last year, as volumes of operating and finance leases, retail notes, and revolving charge accounts were higher compared to January 31, 2021.

Total external interest-bearing debt of the financial services operations was \$37,026 million at January 30, 2022, compared with \$37,978 million at October 31, 2021 and \$35,415 million at January 31, 2021. Total external borrowings have generally changed corresponding with the level of receivable and lease portfolio, the level of cash and cash equivalents, the change in payables owed to Deere & Company, and the change in investment from Deere & Company. The financial services operations' ratio of interest-bearing debt to stockholder's equity was 7.4 to 1 at January 30, 2022, compared with 7.8 to 1 at October 31, 2021 and 7.6 to 1 at January 31, 2021.

Capital Corporation has a revolving warehouse facility to utilize bank conduit facilities to securitize retail notes (see Note 10). The facility was renewed in November 2021 with an expiration in November 2022 and a reduction of the total capacity or "financing limit" from \$2,000 million to \$1,000 million. As a result of the reduced capacity, the Company repurchased \$511 million of outstanding short-term securitization borrowings in November 2021, in addition to the normal payments collected on the retail notes.

In the first three months of 2022, the financial services operations retired \$1,123 million of retail note securitization borrowings, which are presented in "Increase (decrease) in total short-term borrowings." In addition, during the first three months of 2022, the financial services operations issued \$2,335 million and retired \$1,816 million of long-term borrowings, which were primarily medium-term notes.

Safe Harbor Statement

Safe Harbor Statement under the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995: Statements under "Overview" and other forward-looking statements herein that relate to future events, expectations, and trends involve factors that are subject to change, and assumptions, risks, and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially. Some of these risks and uncertainties could affect particular lines of business, while others could affect all of the Company's businesses.

The Company's agricultural equipment businesses are subject to a number of uncertainties, including certain factors that affect farmers' confidence and financial condition. These factors include demand for agricultural products; world grain stocks; weather conditions and the effects of climate change; soil conditions; harvest yields; prices for commodities and livestock; crop and livestock production expenses; availability of transport for crops (including as a result of reduced state and local transportation budgets); trade restrictions and tariffs (e.g., China); global trade agreements; the level of farm product exports (including concerns about genetically modified organisms); the growth and sustainability of non-food uses for some crops (including ethanol and biodiesel production); real estate values; available acreage for farming; land ownership policies of governments; changes in government farm programs and policies; international reaction to such programs; changes in and effects of crop insurance programs; changes in environmental regulations and their impact on farming practices; animal diseases (e.g., African swine fever) and their effects on poultry, beef, and pork consumption and prices and on livestock feed demand; crop pests and diseases; and the impact of the COVID pandemic on the agricultural industry including demand for, and production and exports of, agricultural products, and commodity prices.

The production and precision agriculture business is dependent on agricultural conditions, and relies in part on hardware and software, guidance, connectivity and digital solutions, and automation and machine intelligence. Many factors contribute to the Company's precision agriculture sales and results, including the impact to customers' profitability and/or sustainability outcomes; the rate of adoption and use by customers; availability of technological innovations; speed of research and development; effectiveness of partnerships with third parties; and the dealer channel's ability to support and service precision technology solutions.

Factors affecting the Company's small agriculture and turf equipment operations include agricultural conditions; consumer confidence; weather conditions and the effects of climate change; customer profitability; labor supply;

consumer borrowing patterns; consumer purchasing preferences; housing starts and supply; infrastructure investment; spending by municipalities and golf courses; and consumable input costs.

Factors affecting the Company's construction and forestry equipment operations include consumer spending patterns; real estate and housing prices; the number of housing starts; interest rates; commodity prices such as oil and gas; the levels of public and non-residential construction; and investment in infrastructure. Prices for pulp, paper, lumber, and structural panels affect sales of forestry equipment.

Many of the factors affecting the production and precision agriculture, small agriculture and turf, and construction and forestry segments have been and may continue to be impacted by global economic conditions, including those resulting from the COVID pandemic and responses to the pandemic taken by governments and other authorities.

All of the Company's businesses and its results are affected by general economic conditions in the global markets and industries in which the Company operates; customer confidence in general economic conditions; government spending and taxing; foreign currency exchange rates and their volatility, especially fluctuations in the value of the U.S. dollar; interest rates (including the availability of interbank overnight rate reference rates); inflation and deflation rates; changes in weather and climate patterns; the political and social stability of the global markets in which the Company operates; the effects of, or response to, terrorism and security threats; wars and other conflicts; natural disasters; and the spread of major epidemics or pandemics (including the COVID pandemic) and government and industry responses to such epidemics or pandemics, such as travel restrictions and extended shut downs of businesses.

Continued uncertainties related to the magnitude, duration, and persistent effects of the COVID pandemic may significantly adversely affect the Company's business and outlook. These uncertainties include, among other things: the duration and impact of the resurgence in COVID cases in any country, state, or region; the emergence, contagiousness, and threat of new and different strains of virus; the availability, acceptance, and effectiveness of vaccines; additional closures as mandated or otherwise made necessary by governmental authorities; disruptions in the supply chain, including those caused by industry capacity constraints, material availability, and global logistics delays and constraints arising from, among other things, the transportation capacity of ocean shipping containers, and continued disruptions in the operations of one or more key suppliers, or the failure of any key suppliers; an increasingly competitive labor market due to a sustained labor shortage or increased turnover caused by the COVID pandemic; the Company's ability to meet commitments to customers on a timely basis as a result of increased costs and supply and transportation challenges; increased logistics costs; additional operating costs due to continued remote working arrangements and other COVID-related challenges; increased risk of cyber-attacks on network connections used in remote working arrangements; increased privacy-related risks due to processing health-related personal information; legal claims related to personal protective equipment designed, made, or provided by the Company or alleged exposure to COVID on Company premises; absence of employees due to illness; and the impact of the pandemic on the Company's customers and dealers. The sustainability of the economic recovery from the pandemic remains unclear and significant volatility could continue for a prolonged period. These factors, and others that are currently unknown or considered immaterial, could materially and adversely affect our business, liquidity, results of operations, and financial position.

Significant changes in market liquidity conditions, changes in the Company's credit ratings, and any failure to comply with financial covenants in credit agreements could impact access to funding and funding costs, which could reduce the Company's earnings and cash flows. Financial market conditions could also negatively impact customer access to capital for purchases of the Company's products and customer confidence and purchase decisions, financing and repayment practices, and the number and size of customer delinquencies and defaults. A debt crisis in Europe, Latin America, or elsewhere could negatively impact currencies, global financial markets, social and political stability, funding sources and costs, asset and obligation values, customers, suppliers, demand for equipment, and Company operations and results. The Company's investment management activities could be impaired by changes in the equity, bond, and other financial markets, which would negatively affect earnings.

Additional factors that could materially affect the Company's operations, access to capital, expenses, and results include changes in, uncertainty surrounding, and the impact of governmental trade, banking, monetary, and fiscal policies, including financial regulatory reform and its effects on the consumer finance industry, derivatives, funding costs, and other areas; the potential default of the U.S. federal government if Congress fails to pass a 2022 budget resolution; governmental programs, policies, and tariffs for the benefit of certain industries or sectors; sanctions in particular jurisdictions, including those imposed in connection with the military confrontation between Russia and Ukraine; retaliatory actions to such changes in trade, banking, monetary, and fiscal policies; actions by central banks; actions by financial and securities regulators; actions by environmental, health, and safety regulatory agencies, including those related to engine emissions, carbon and other greenhouse gas emissions, noise, and the effects of climate change; changes to GPS radio frequency bands or their permitted uses; changes in labor and immigration regulations; changes to accounting standards; changes in tax rates, estimates, laws, and regulations and Company actions related thereto; changes to and compliance with privacy, banking, and other regulations; changes

to and compliance with economic sanctions and export controls laws and regulations; compliance with U.S. and foreign laws when expanding to new markets and otherwise; and actions by other regulatory bodies.

Other factors that could materially affect the Company's results include security breaches, cybersecurity attacks, technology failures, and other disruptions to the information technology infrastructure of the Company and its suppliers and dealers; security breaches with respect to the Company's products; production, design, and technological innovations and difficulties, including capacity and supply constraints and prices; the loss of or challenges to intellectual property rights, whether through theft, infringement, counterfeiting, or otherwise; the availability and prices of strategically sourced materials, components, and whole goods; delays or disruptions in the Company's supply chain or the loss of liquidity by suppliers; disruptions of infrastructures that support communications, operations, or distribution; the failure of customers, dealers, suppliers, or the Company to comply with laws, regulations, and Company policy pertaining to employment, human rights, health, safety, the environment, sanctions, export controls, anti-corruption, privacy and data protection, and other ethical business practices; introduction of legislation that could affect the Company's business model and intellectual property, such as right to repair or right to modify; events that damage the Company's reputation or brand; significant investigations, claims, lawsuits, or other legal proceedings; start-up of new plants and products; the success of new product initiatives or business strategies; changes in customer product preferences and sales mix; gaps or limitations in rural broadband coverage, capacity, and speed needed to support technology solutions; oil and energy prices, supplies, and volatility; the availability and cost of freight; actions of competitors in the various industries in which the Company competes, particularly price discounting; dealer practices, especially as to levels of new and used field inventories; changes in demand and pricing for used equipment and resulting impacts on lease residual values; labor relations and contracts, including work stoppages and other disruptions; changes in the ability to attract, develop, engage, and retain qualified personnel; acquisitions and divestitures of businesses; greater-than-anticipated transaction costs; the integration of new businesses; the failure or delay in closing or realizing anticipated benefits of acquisitions, joint ventures, or divestitures; the inability to deliver precision technology and agricultural solutions to customers; the implementation of the smart industrial operating model and other organizational changes; the failure to realize anticipated savings or benefits of cost reduction, productivity, or efficiency efforts; difficulties related to the conversion and implementation of enterprise resource planning systems; changes in Company-declared dividends and common stock issuances and repurchases; changes in the level and funding of employee retirement benefits; changes in market values of investment assets, compensation, retirement, discount, and mortality rates which impact retirement benefit costs; and significant changes in health care costs.

The liquidity and ongoing profitability of John Deere Capital Corporation and the Company's other financial services subsidiaries depend largely on timely access to capital in order to meet future cash flow requirements, and to fund operations, costs, and purchases of the Company's products. If general economic conditions deteriorate or capital markets become more volatile, funding could be unavailable or insufficient. Additionally, customer confidence levels may result in declines in credit applications and increases in delinquencies and default rates, which could materially impact write-offs and provisions for credit losses.

The Company's forward-looking statements are based upon assumptions relating to the factors described above, which are sometimes based upon estimates and data prepared by government agencies. Such estimates and data are often revised. The Company, except as required by law, undertakes no obligation to update or revise its forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new developments or otherwise. Further information concerning the Company and its businesses, including factors that could materially affect the Company's financial results, is included in the Company's other filings with the SEC (including, but not limited to, the factors discussed in Item 1A. Risk Factors of the Company's most recent annual report on Form 10-K and the Company's subsequent quarterly reports on Form 10-Q).

Supplemental Consolidating Information

The supplemental consolidating data presented on the subsequent pages is presented for informational purposes. The equipment operations represents the enterprise without financial services. The equipment operations includes the Company's production and precision agriculture operations, small agriculture and turf operations, construction and forestry operations, and other corporate assets, liabilities, revenues, and expenses not reflected within financial services. Transactions between the "equipment operations" and "financial services" have been eliminated to arrive at the consolidated financial statements.

The equipment operations and financial services participate in different industries. The equipment operations primarily generate earnings and cash flows by manufacturing and distributing equipment, service parts, and technology solutions to dealers and retail customers. Financial services primarily finances sales and leases by dealers of new and used equipment that is largely manufactured by the Company. Those earnings and cash flows generally are the difference between the finance income received from customer payments less interest expense, and depreciation on equipment subject to an operating lease. The two businesses are capitalized differently and have separate performance metrics. The supplemental consolidating data is also used by management due to these differences.

DEERE & COMPANY
SUPPLEMENTAL CONSOLIDATING DATA
STATEMENTS OF INCOME

For the Three Months Ended January 30, 2022 and January 31, 2021
(In millions of dollars) Unaudited

	EQUIPMENT OPERATIONS ¹		FINANCIAL SERVICES		ELIMINATIONS		CONSOLIDATED	
	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021
Net Sales and Revenues								
Net sales	\$ 8,531	\$ 8,051					\$ 8,531	\$ 8,051
Finance and interest income	34	32	\$ 829	\$ 862	\$ (63)	\$ (60)	800	834 ²
Other income	217	220	87	72	(66)	(65)	238	227 ³
Total	<u>8,782</u>	<u>8,303</u>	<u>916</u>	<u>934</u>	<u>(129)</u>	<u>(125)</u>	<u>9,569</u>	<u>9,112</u>
Costs and Expenses								
Cost of sales	6,696	5,806			(1)	(1)	6,695	5,805 ⁴
Research and development expenses	402	366					402	366
Selling, administrative and general expenses	657	653	126	117	(2)	(1)	781	769 ⁴
Interest expense	90	95	158	188	(19)	(12)	229	271 ⁵
Interest compensation to Financial Services	44	48			(44)	(48)		⁵
Other operating expenses	39	67	335	369	(63)	(63)	311	373 ⁶
Total	<u>7,928</u>	<u>7,035</u>	<u>619</u>	<u>674</u>	<u>(129)</u>	<u>(125)</u>	<u>8,418</u>	<u>7,584</u>
Income before Income Taxes	854	1,268	297	260			1,151	1,528
Provision for income taxes	<u>182</u>	<u>252</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>56</u>			<u>250</u>	<u>308</u>
Income after Income Taxes	672	1,016	229	204			901	1,220
Equity in income of unconsolidated affiliates	<u>1</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>				<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>
Net Income	673	1,020	231	204			904	1,224
Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	<u>1</u>						<u>1</u>	
Net Income Attributable to Deere & Company	<u>\$ 672</u>	<u>\$ 1,020</u>	<u>\$ 231</u>	<u>\$ 204</u>			<u>\$ 903</u>	<u>\$ 1,224</u>

¹ The equipment operations represents the enterprise without financial services. The equipment operations includes the Company's production and precision agriculture operations, small agriculture and turf operations, construction and forestry operations, and other corporate assets, liabilities, revenues, and expenses not reflected within financial services.

² Elimination of financial services' interest income earned from equipment operations.

³ Elimination of equipment operations' margin from inventory transferred to equipment on operating leases (see Note 3).

⁴ Elimination of intercompany service fees.

⁵ Elimination of equipment operations' interest expense to financial services.

⁶ Elimination of financial services' lease depreciation expense related to inventory transferred to equipment on operating leases.

DEERE & COMPANY
SUPPLEMENTAL CONSOLIDATING DATA (Continued)
CONDENSED BALANCE SHEETS
(In millions of dollars) Unaudited

	EQUIPMENT OPERATIONS ¹			FINANCIAL SERVICES			ELIMINATIONS			CONSOLIDATED		
	Jan 30 2022	Oct 31 2021	Jan 31 2021	Jan 30 2022	Oct 31 2021	Jan 31 2021	Jan 30 2022	Oct 31 2021	Jan 31 2021	Jan 30 2022	Oct 31 2021	Jan 31 2021
Assets												
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 3,596	\$ 7,188	\$ 6,074	\$ 876	\$ 829	\$ 888				\$ 4,472	\$ 8,017	\$ 6,962
Marketable securities	2	3	8	733	725	659				735	728	667
Receivables from unconsolidated affiliates	5,340	5,591	5,151				\$ (5,307)	\$ (5,564)	\$ (5,123)	33	27	28 ⁷
Trade accounts and notes receivable – net	996	1,155	900	4,843	3,895	5,341	(984)	(842)	(1,204)	4,855	4,208	5,037 ⁸
Financing receivables – net	56	73	103	33,135	33,726	29,335				33,191	33,799	29,438
Financing receivables securitized – net	9	10	18	3,507	4,649	3,913				3,516	4,659	3,931
Other receivables	1,785	1,602	1,010	153	159	151	(35)	(23)	(20)	1,903	1,738	1,141 ⁸
Equipment on operating leases – net				6,624	6,988	7,030				6,624	6,988	7,030
Inventories	7,935	6,781	5,956							7,935	6,781	5,956
Property and equipment – net	5,629	5,783	5,703	36	37	38				5,665	5,820	5,741
Investments in unconsolidated affiliates	153	153	157	23	22	21				176	175	178
Goodwill	3,192	3,291	3,194							3,192	3,291	3,194
Other intangible assets – net	1,209	1,275	1,342							1,209	1,275	1,342
Retirement benefits	3,095	3,539	903	65	64	60	(2)	(2)	(57)	3,158	3,601	906 ⁹
Deferred income taxes	1,095	1,215	1,797	50	53	51	(222)	(231)	(292)	923	1,037	1,556 ¹⁰
Other assets	1,577	1,493	1,485	454	477	891	(4)		(3)	2,027	1,970	2,373
Total Assets	\$ 35,669	\$ 39,152	\$ 33,801	\$ 50,499	\$ 51,624	\$ 48,378	\$ (6,554)	\$ (6,662)	\$ (6,699)	\$ 79,614	\$ 84,114	\$ 75,480
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity												
Liabilities												
Short-term borrowings	\$ 1,516	\$ 1,509	\$ 394	\$ 9,474	\$ 9,410	\$ 8,830				\$ 10,990	\$ 10,919	\$ 9,224
Short-term securitization borrowings	8	10	17	3,474	4,595	3,952				3,482	4,605	3,969
Payables to unconsolidated affiliates	172	143	119	5,307	5,564	5,123	\$ (5,307)	\$ (5,564)	\$ (5,123)	172	143	119 ⁷
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	9,532	11,055	8,672	1,970	2,015	1,959	(1,023)	(865)	(1,227)	10,479	12,205	9,404 ⁸
Deferred income taxes	425	438	394	353	369	430	(222)	(231)	(292)	556	576	532 ¹⁰
Long-term borrowings	8,760	8,915	10,139	24,078	23,973	22,633				32,838	32,888	32,772
Retirement benefits and other liabilities	3,182	4,239	5,325	109	107	106	(2)	(2)	(57)	3,289	4,344	5,374 ⁹
Total liabilities	23,595	26,309	25,060	44,765	46,033	43,033	(6,554)	(6,662)	(6,699)	61,806	65,680	61,394
Commitments and contingencies (Note 16)												
Stockholders' Equity												
Total Deere & Company stockholders' equity	17,804	18,431	14,083	5,734	5,591	5,345	(5,734)	(5,591)	(5,345)	17,804	18,431	14,083 ¹¹
Noncontrolling interests	4	3	3							4	3	3
Financial Services' equity	(5,734)	(5,591)	(5,345)				5,734	5,591	5,345			
Adjusted total stockholders' equity	12,074	12,843	8,741	5,734	5,591	5,345				17,808	18,434	14,086
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	\$ 35,669	\$ 39,152	\$ 33,801	\$ 50,499	\$ 51,624	\$ 48,378	\$ (6,554)	\$ (6,662)	\$ (6,699)	\$ 79,614	\$ 84,114	\$ 75,480

¹ The equipment operations represents the enterprise without financial services. The equipment operations includes the Company's production and precision agriculture operations, small agriculture and turf operations, construction and forestry operations, and other corporate assets, liabilities, revenues, and expenses not reflected within financial services.

⁷ Elimination of receivables / payables between equipment operations and financial services.

⁸ Primarily reclassification of sales incentive accruals on receivables sold to financial services.

⁹ Reclassification of net pension assets / liabilities.

¹⁰ Reclassification of deferred tax assets / liabilities in the same taxing jurisdictions.

¹¹ Elimination of financial services' equity.

DEERE & COMPANY
SUPPLEMENTAL CONSOLIDATING DATA (Continued)
STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
For the Three Months Ended January 30, 2022 and January 31, 2021
(In millions of dollars) Unaudited

	EQUIPMENT OPERATIONS ¹		FINANCIAL SERVICES		ELIMINATIONS		CONSOLIDATED		
	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	
Cash Flows from Operating Activities									
Net income	\$ 673	\$ 1,020	\$ 231	\$ 204			\$ 904	\$ 1,224	
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by (used for) operating activities:									
Provision (credit) for credit losses	(2)	(2)	2	(3)				(5)	12
Provision for depreciation and amortization	257	279	266	294	\$ (37)	\$ (35)	486	538	16
Impairment charges		50						50	13
Share-based compensation expense					18	15	18	15	14
Undistributed earnings of unconsolidated affiliates	42	154	(2)	(1)	(42)	(135)	(2)	18	
Provision (credit) for deferred income taxes	223	(27)	(13)	(11)			210	(38)	
Changes in assets and liabilities:									
Trade, notes, and financing receivables related to sales	158	156			(264)	(253)	(106)	(97)	15, 17, 18
Inventories	(1,277)	(842)			(20)	(84)	(1,297)	(926)	16
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	(1,346)	(529)	(66)	(53)	(142)	(123)	(1,554)	(705)	17
Accrued income taxes payable/receivable	(192)	173	8	(43)			(184)	130	
Retirement benefits	(1,012)	(16)	2	2			(1,010)	(14)	
Other	(12)	(68)	(17)	31	11	(10)	(18)	(47)	12, 13, 16
Net cash provided by (used for) operating activities	(2,488)	348	411	420	(476)	(625)	(2,553)	143	
Cash Flows from Investing Activities									
Collections of receivables (excluding receivables related to sales)			6,845	6,416	(410)	(417)	6,435	5,999	15
Proceeds from maturities and sales of marketable securities			21	20			21	20	
Proceeds from sales of equipment on operating leases			479	460			479	460	
Cost of receivables acquired (excluding receivables related to sales)			(5,719)	(5,559)	116	259	(5,603)	(5,300)	15
Acquisitions of businesses, net of cash acquired	(24)	(19)					(24)	(19)	
Purchases of marketable securities			(48)	(39)			(48)	(39)	
Purchases of property and equipment	(193)	(154)					(193)	(154)	
Cost of equipment on operating leases acquired			(419)	(408)	28	114	(391)	(294)	16
Increase in trade and wholesale receivables			(684)	(523)	684	523			15
Collateral on derivatives – net	4		(17)	(88)			(13)	(88)	
Other	(22)	(8)	(9)	(9)	16	11	(15)	(6)	18
Net cash provided by (used for) investing activities	(235)	(181)	449	270	434	490	648	579	
Cash Flows from Financing Activities									
Increase (decrease) in total short-term borrowings	123	(20)	(1,141)	(675)			(1,018)	(695)	
Change in intercompany receivables/payables	150	264	(150)	(264)					
Proceeds from long-term borrowings	18		2,335	1,757			2,353	1,757	
Payments of long-term borrowings	(124)	(20)	(1,816)	(1,421)			(1,940)	(1,441)	
Proceeds from issuance of common stock	11	71					11	71	
Repurchases of common stock	(623)	(352)					(623)	(352)	
Dividends paid	(327)	(242)	(42)	(135)	42	135	(327)	(242)	14
Other	(22)	(22)	(11)	(9)			(33)	(31)	
Net cash used for financing activities	(794)	(321)	(825)	(747)	42	135	(1,577)	(933)	
Effect of Exchange Rate Changes on Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash	(75)	83	1	20			(74)	103	
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash	(3,592)	(71)	36	(37)			(3,556)	(108)	
Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash at Beginning of Period	7,200	6,156	925	1,016			8,125	7,172	
Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash at End of Period	\$ 3,608	\$ 6,085	\$ 961	\$ 979			\$ 4,569	\$ 7,064	

¹ The equipment operations represents the enterprise without financial services. The equipment operations includes the Company's production and precision agriculture operations, small agriculture and turf operations, construction and forestry operations, and other corporate assets, liabilities, revenues, and expenses not reflected within financial services.

¹² Elimination of depreciation on leases related to inventory transferred to equipment on operating leases (see Note 3).

¹³ Reclassification of share-based compensation expense.

¹⁴ Elimination of dividends from financial services to the equipment operations, which are included in the equipment operations net cash provided by operating activities.

¹⁵ Primarily reclassification of receivables related to the sale of equipment.

¹⁶ Reclassification of direct lease agreements with retail customers.

¹⁷ Reclassification of sales incentive accruals on receivables sold to financial services.

¹⁸ Elimination and reclassification of the effects of financial services partial financing of the construction and forestry retail locations sales and subsequent collection of those amounts.

Item 3. QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK

See the Company's most recently filed annual on Form 10-K (Part II, Item 7A). There has been no material change in this information.

Item 4. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

The Company's principal executive officer and its principal financial officer have concluded that the Company's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act)) were effective as of January 30, 2022, based on the evaluation of these controls and procedures required by Rule 13a-15(b) or 15d-15(b) of the Exchange Act. During the first quarter of 2022, there were no changes that have materially affected or are reasonably likely to materially affect the Company's internal control over financial reporting.

PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

Item 1. Legal Proceedings

The Company is subject to various unresolved legal actions which arise in the normal course of its business, the most prevalent of which relate to product liability (including asbestos-related liability), retail credit, employment, patent, and trademark matters. The Company believes the reasonably possible range of losses for these unresolved legal actions would not have a material effect on its consolidated financial statements.

Item 1A. Risk Factors

See the Company's most recently filed annual report on Form 10-K (Part I, Item 1A). There has been no material change in this information. The risks described in the annual report on Form 10-K, and the "Safe Harbor Statement" in this report, are not the only risks faced by the Company. Additional risks and uncertainties may also materially affect the Company's business, financial condition, or operating results. One should not consider the risk factors to be a complete discussion of risks, uncertainties, and assumptions.

Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds

The Company's purchases of its common stock during the first quarter of 2022 were as follows:

Period	Total Number of Shares Purchased (2) (thousands)	Average Price Paid Per Share	Total Number of Shares Purchased as Part of Publicly Announced Plans or Programs (1) (thousands)	Maximum Number of Shares that May Yet Be Purchased under the Plans or Programs (1) (millions)
Nov 1 to Nov 28	616	\$ 354.70	616	15.0
Nov 29 to Dec 26	666	350.83	627	14.4
Dec 27 to Jan 30	459	371.69	459	13.9
Total	<u>1,741</u>		<u>1,702</u>	

(1) The Company has a share repurchase plan that was announced in December 2019 to purchase up to \$8,000 million of shares of the Company's common stock. The maximum number of shares that may yet be purchased under the December 2019 plan was based on the end of the first quarter closing share price of \$373.79 per share. At the end of the first quarter of 2022, \$5,202 million of common stock remains to be purchased under the plan.

(2) In the first quarter of 2022, 39 thousand shares were purchased from plan participants at a market price to pay payroll taxes on certain restricted stock awards. The shares were valued at a weighted-average market price of \$358.36.

Item 3. Defaults Upon Senior Securities

None.

Item 4. Mine Safety Disclosures

Not applicable.

Item 5. Other Information

Disclosure Pursuant to Section 13(r) of the Exchange Act.

Under Section 13(r) of the Exchange Act, the Company is required to disclose in its periodic reports if it or any of its affiliates knowingly conducted transactions or dealings with entities or individuals designated pursuant to certain executive orders issued by the U.S. government. On March 2, 2021, the U.S. Secretary of State designated the Russian Federal Security Service (FSB) as a blocked party under Executive Order 13382. On the same day, the U.S. Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control updated General License No. 1B to authorize certain transactions and activities with the FSB related to the importation, distribution, or use of certain information technology products in the Russian Federation. In the ordinary course of business, including during the three-month period ended January 30, 2022, certain of the Company's subsidiaries requested and/or received legally required administrative notifications with the FSB in connection with the importation and/or use of certain of the Company's products in the Russian Federation, as authorized by General License No. 1B. Neither the Company nor its subsidiaries made any payments, nor did they receive gross revenues or net profits, in connection with these activities. The Company expects that certain of its subsidiaries will continue to engage with the FSB in activities necessary to conduct business in the Russian Federation in accordance with applicable U.S. laws and regulations so long as it remains lawful to do so.

Item 6. Exhibits

Certain instruments relating to long-term borrowings constituting less than 10 percent of the registrant's total assets are not filed as exhibits herewith pursuant to Item 601(b)(4)(iii)(A) of Regulation S-K. The registrant will file copies of such instruments upon request of the Commission.

- 3.1 [Certificate of Incorporation \(Exhibit 3.1 to Form 10-Q of registrant for the quarter ended July 28, 2019, Securities and Exchange Commission File Number 1-4121*\)](#)
- 3.2 [Bylaws, as amended \(Exhibit 3.1 to Form 8-K of registrant filed on December 3, 2020, Securities and Exchange Commission File Number 1-4121*\)](#)
- 31.1 [Rule 13a-14\(a\)/15d-14\(a\) Certification](#)
- 31.2 [Rule 13a-14\(a\)/15d-14\(a\) Certification](#)
- 32 [Section 1350 Certifications \(furnished herewith\)](#)
- 101.SCH Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document
- 101.CAL Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document
- 101.DEF Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document
- 101.LAB Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase Document
- 101.PRE Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document
- 104 Cover Page Interactive Data File (formatted as Inline XBRL and contained in Exhibit 101)

* Incorporated by reference.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

DEERE & COMPANY

Date: February 24, 2022

By: /s/ Ryan D. Campbell
Ryan D. Campbell
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
(Principal Financial Officer and
Principal Accounting Officer)

CERTIFICATIONS

I, John C. May, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Deere & Company;
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(s) 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(s) 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 the 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: February 24, 2022

By: /s/ John C. May
John C. May
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer
(Principal Executive Officer)

CERTIFICATIONS

I, Ryan D. Campbell, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Deere & Company;
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(s) 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(s) 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 the 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: February 24, 2022

By: /s/ Ryan D. Campbell

Ryan D. Campbell
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
(Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)

**STATEMENT PURSUANT TO
18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350
AS REQUIRED BY
SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002**

In connection with the Quarterly Report of Deere & Company (the "Company") on Form 10-Q for the period ended January 30, 2022, as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), the undersigned hereby certify that to the best of our knowledge:

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.

February 24, 2022	<u>/s/ John C. May</u> John C. May	Chairman and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)
February 24, 2022	<u>/s/ Ryan D. Campbell</u> Ryan D. Campbell	Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)

A signed original of this written statement required by Section 906 has been provided to Deere & Company and will be retained by Deere & Company and furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission or its staff upon request.
