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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

QUARTERLY REPORT UNDER SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarter ended June 30, 2008

Commission file number 1-5467

VALHI, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 87-0110150 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

5430 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1700, Dallas, Texas 75240-2697 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (972) 233-1700

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 X No

Whether the Registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer or a non-accelerated filer or a smaller reporting company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act). Large accelerated filer Accelerated filer X non-accelerated filer smaller reporting company .

Whether the Registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act). Yes No X.

Number of shares of the Registrant's common stock outstanding on July 31, 2008: 113,681,778.

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Items 3 and 5 of Part II are omitted because there is no information to report.

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(In millions)

ASSETS		31, 2007	June 30, 2008 (unaudited)		
Current assets:					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	138.3	\$	55.4	
Restricted cash equivalents		7.2		11.9	
Marketable securities		7.2		9.0	
Accounts and other receivables, net		253.7		333.9	
Inventories, net		337.9		337.2	
Prepaid expenses and other		16.2		15.1	
Deferred income taxes		10.4		10.3	
Total current assets		770.9		772.8	
Other assets:					
Marketable securities		319.8		290.0	
Investment in affiliates		137.9		134.4	
Pension asset		47.6		51.6	
Goodwill		406.8		406.8	
Other intangible assets		2.7		2.4	
Deferred income taxes		168.7		186.8	
Other assets		67.3		84.3	
		07.5		01.5	
Total other assets		1,150.8		1,156.3	
Property and equipment:					
Land		48.2		51.5	
Buildings		277.1		301.0	
Equipment		1,051.9		1,143.8	
Mining properties		39.8		46.5	
Construction in progress		48.9		59.8	
		1,465.9		1,602.6	
Less accumulated depreciation		784.6		885.4	
Net property and equipment		681.3		717.2	
Total assets	\$	2,603.0	\$	2,646.3	

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (CONTINUED)

(In millions)

LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	December 31, 2007		June 30, 2008 (unaudited)	
Current liabilities:				
Current maturities of long-term debt	\$	16.8	\$	24.7
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		267.8		282.3
Income taxes		9.8		3.9
Deferred income taxes		3.3		3.5
Total current liabilities		297.7		314.4
Noncurrent liabilities:				
Long-term debt		889.8		958.2
Deferred income taxes		415.0		406.6
Accrued pension costs		140.0		141.9
Accrued postretirement benefits cost		33.6		33.1
Accrued environmental costs		40.3		38.2
Other liabilities		77.7		79.2
Total noncurrent liabilities		1,596.4		1,657.2
Minority interest in net assets of subsidiaries		90.5		92.3
Stockholders' equity:				
Preferred stock		667.3		667.3
Common stock		1.2		1.2
Additional paid-in capital		10.4		-
Accumulated deficit		(74.1)		(92.4)
Accumulated other comprehensive income		51.5		44.2
Treasury stock		(37.9)		(37.9)
Total stockholders' equity		618.4		582.4
Total liabilities, minority interest and				
stockholders' equity	\$	2,603.0	\$	2,646.3

Commitments and contingencies (Notes 11 and 13)

See accompanying Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(In millions, except per share data)

	Three months ended June 30, 2007 2008		12.	Six mont June 2007			
		(unaudited)					
Revenues and other income: Net sales Other income, net Equity in earnings of:	\$ 389.0 11.4	\$	436.1 12.7	\$	748.0 23.8	\$	810.1 18.1
Titanium Metals Corporation ("TIMET")					26.9		
Other	1.0		(.2)		.5		(.6)
Total revenues and other income	401.4		448.6		799.2		827.6
Costs and expenses: Cost of sales Selling, general and administrative Interest	316.1 60.5 15.9		369.7 65.7 17.7		595.0 115.4 31.5		680.1 124.0 35.1
Total costs and expenses	392.5		453.1		741.9		839.2
Income (loss) before income taxes	8.9		(4.5)		57.3		(11.6)
Provision for income taxes (benefit)	13.3		(5.6)		33.1		(6.9)
Minority interest in after-tax earnings	.5		1.3		3.0		1.4
Net income (loss)	\$ (4.9)	\$	(.2)	\$	21.2	\$	(6.1)
Basic and diluted net income (loss)							
per share	\$ (.04)	\$	-	\$.18	\$	(.05)
Cash dividends per share	\$.10	\$.10	\$.20	\$.20
Weighted average shares outstanding: Basic Outstanding stock options impact	114.9		114.4		114.9 .2		114.4
Diluted	114.9		114.4		115.1		114.4

See accompanying Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(In millions)

	Six months ended June 30, 2007 2008 (unaudited)		
Cash flows from operating activities:			
Net income (loss)	\$ 21.2	\$	(6.1)
Depreciation and amortization	32.6		34.1
Benefit plan expense greater (less)			
than cash funding requirements:			
Defined benefit pension expense	(2.5)		(7.0)
Other postretirement benefit expense	.3		.2
Deferred income taxes	28.0		(13.5)
Minority interest	3.0		1.4
Equity in:			
TIMET	(26.9)		-
Other	(.5)		.6
Net distributions from (contributions to) Ti02			
manufacturing joint venture	(1.4)		2.9
Other, net	2.2		2.6
Change in assets and liabilities:			
Accounts and other receivables, net	(50.2)		(73.0)
Inventories, net	(3.7)		14.9
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(8.7)		1.3
Accounts with affiliates	(10.4)		10.4
Income taxes	6.7		(6.8)
Other, net	(1.3)		(2.0)
Net cash used in operating activities	(11.6)		(40.0)
Cash flows from investing activities:			
Capital expenditures	(22.8)		(40.6)
Capitalized permit costs	(5.0)		(7.2)
Purchases of:			
CompX common stock	-		(1.0)
TIMET common stock	(.7)		-
Marketable securities	(17.2)		(5.6)
Proceeds from disposal of marketable securities	20.9		4.9
Change in restricted cash equivalents, net	2.4		(4.5)
Other, net	2.0		1.7
Net cash used in investing activities	(20.4)		(52.3)

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (CONTINUED)

(In millions)

	June 30,			
	2007	,	2008	
	(unau	idited)		
Cash flows from financing activities:				
Indebtedness:				
Borrowings	\$ 177.6	\$	216.6	
Principal payments	(159.7)		(181.9)	
Deferred financing costs paid	-		(.9)	
Valhi cash dividends paid	(22.8)		(22.7)	
Distributions to minority interest	(4.4)		(3.7)	
Treasury stock acquired	(3.1)		-	
Issuance of common stock and other	1.0		-	
Net cash provided by (used in) financing				
activities	(11.4)		7.4	
Cash and cash equivalents - net change from:				
Operating, investing and financing activities	(43.4)		(84.9)	
Currency translation	1.2		2.0	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	189.2		138.3	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 147.0	\$	55.4	

Supplemental disclosures:

Cash paid for:

Six months ended