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UTC REPORTS FIRST QUARTER EPS UP 26 PERCENT ON 12 PERCENT REVENUE GROWTH, CONFIRMS 2008 OUTLOOK

HARTFORD, Conn., April 17, 2008 – United Technologies Corp. (NYSE:UTX) today reported first quarter 2008 earnings per share of \$1.03 and net income of \$1.0 billion, up 26 percent and 22 percent, respectively, over the year ago first quarter. Results for the current quarter include a \$0.02 per share impact for restructuring costs. In 2007, results included a \$0.07 per share impact for the Otis European Union Commission fine, net of related reserves, restructuring charges, and one-time favorable items. Excluding restructuring and other one-time items in both periods, earnings per share grew 18 percent year over year.

First quarter consolidated revenues increased 12 percent to \$13.7 billion, including 7 percent organic growth. Foreign currency translation and acquisitions accounted for the remainder of the growth.

"We are pleased with this solid start to the year and confident the geographic and business balance of the UTC portfolio will continue to deliver superior performance. This quarter's results are further evidence that our business model, with its focus on global growth through market leading franchises and cost reduction through the implementation of the ACE operating system, can deliver solid results even in a softening economic environment," said Louis Chênevert, UTC President and Chief Executive Officer.

Although there were some early signs of moderating growth in the U.S. and several European countries, UTC's commercial construction new equipment orders were generally up in the quarter. Consumer markets in the U.S. remain weak, impacting the residential businesses of both Carrier and UTC Fire & Security. Commercial aerospace markets remain solid. Backlog continued to expand in all six businesses reaching \$60 billion at quarter end.

"We remain confident in the full year revenue and earnings guidance for each of our businesses and for UTC overall. Revenues are expected to grow to \$59 billion with earnings per share in the range of \$4.65 to \$4.85, or 9 percent to 14 percent over the prior year. As we look to the back half of the year, we continue to adjust our operations in anticipation of the uncertain economic environment," Chênevert added.

Cash flow from operations was \$888 million and capital expenditures were \$237 million for the quarter. Share repurchase totaled \$801 million for the first three months of the year.

"Cash flow from operations less capital expenditures was below net income for the quarter. Inventories grew seasonally at Carrier and remain high in the aerospace businesses where backlogs continue to expand. We continue to expect cash flow from operations less capital expenditures to meet or exceed net income for the full year," Chênevert continued.

The accompanying tables include information integral to assessing the company's financial position, operating performance, and cash flow.

United Technologies Corp., based in Hartford, Connecticut, is a diversified company providing high technology products and services to the building and aerospace industries. Additional information, including a webcast, is available on the Internet at http://www.utc.com.

This release includes "forward-looking statements" concerning expected revenue, earnings and cash flow; anticipated benefits of UTC's diversification and business model; and other matters. These matters are subject to risks and uncertainties. Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those anticipated or implied in forward looking statements include the health of the global economy; strength of end market demand in building construction and in both the commercial and defense segments of the aerospace industry; fluctuation in commodity prices, interest rates, foreign currency exchange rates, and the impact of weather conditions; and company-specific factors including the availability and impact of acquisitions; the rate and ability to effectively integrate these acquired businesses; the ability to achieve cost reductions at planned levels; challenges in the design, development, production and support of advanced technologies and new products and services; delays and disruption in delivery of materials and services from suppliers; labor disputes; and the outcome of legal proceedings. The level of share repurchases may vary depending on the level of other investing activities. For information identifying other important economic, political, regulatory, legal, technological, competitive and other uncertainties, see UTC's SEC filings as submitted from time to time, including but not limited to, the information included in UTC's 10-K and 10-Q Reports under the headings "Business," "Risk Factors," "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" and "Cautionary Note Concerning Factors that May Affect Future Results," as well as the information included in UTC's Current Reports on Form 8-K.

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Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations

(Millions, except per share amounts)	Quarter Endo March 31, ions, except per share amounts) (Unaudited)			,
		<u>2008</u>		<u>2007</u>
Revenues	\$	13,701	\$	12,278
Cost and Expenses				
Cost of goods and services sold		9,981		8,996
Research and development		411		382
Selling, general and administrative	_	1,635		1,396
Operating Profit		1,674		1,504
Interest expense	_	<u>165</u>		150
Income before income taxes and minority interests		1,509		1,354
Income taxes		430		442
Minority interests		79	_	93
Net Income	\$ _	1,000	\$ _	819
Net Earnings Per Share of Common Stock				
Basic	\$	1.05	\$	0.85
Diluted	\$	1.03	\$	0.82
Average Shares				
Basic		952		968
Diluted		975		993

As described on the following pages, consolidated results for the quarters ended March 31, 2008 and 2007 include non-recurring items, restructuring and related charges.

See accompanying Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

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Segment Revenues and Operating Profit

(Millions)	Quarter Ended March 31, (Unaudited)			
Revenues	<u>2008</u>		<u>2007</u>	
Otis Carrier UTC Fire & Security Pratt & Whitney Hamilton Sundstrand Sikorsky Segment Revenues Eliminations and other	\$ 3,057 3,409 1,598 3,207 1,461 1,023 13,755 (54)	\$	2,728 3,130 1,246 2,767 1,313 1,006 12,190 88	
Consolidated Revenues	\$ <u>13,701</u>	\$	12,278	
Operating Profit				
Otis Carrier UTC Fire & Security Pratt & Whitney Hamilton Sundstrand Sikorsky Segment Operating Profit Eliminations and other General corporate expenses	\$ 580 248 115 526 229 82 1,780 (9) (97)	\$	574 213 86 490 218 73 1,654 (63) (87)	
Consolidated Operating Profit	\$ 1,674	\$	1,504	

As described on the following pages, consolidated results for the quarters ended March 31, 2008 and 2007 include non-recurring items, restructuring and related charges.

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Consolidated Operating Profit

Consolidated operating profit for the quarters ended March 31, 2008 and 2007 includes restructuring and related charges as follows:

Quarter Ended March 31.

		(Unaudited)			
		2008		<u>2007</u>	
Otis	\$	2	\$	(2)	
Carrier		11		12	
UTC Fire & Security		6		2	
Pratt & Whitney		14		20	
Hamilton Sundstrand		1		6	
Sikorsky		<u> </u>	_	(3)	
Total Restructuring and Related Charges	\$ _	34	\$ _	35	

Consolidated results for the quarter ended March 31, 2007 include the following non-recurring items.

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- Otis: Segment results include an \$84 million gain from the sale of land. The consolidated operating results include taxes related to the gain of approximately \$29 million in addition to an approximately \$27 million charge for the minority partner's interest in the gain. The resulting impact to consolidated net income is approximately \$28 million.
- Pratt & Whitney: Approximately \$40 million gain at Pratt & Whitney from a contract termination.
- Eliminations and Other: A \$216 million loss recorded in connection with the European Union commission fine.
- Eliminations and Other: A \$151 million gain from the sale of marketable securities.

In the first quarter, the net impact of the above items (\$0.05 per share), together with \$35 million of pretax restructuring and related charges (\$0.02 per share), had a \$0.07 adverse impact to earnings per share.

United Technologies Corporation Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet

(Millions)	<u>ets</u>	March 31, 2008 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2007 (Unaudited)
Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable, net Inventories and contracts in progress, net Other current assets Total Current Assets	\$ _	3,139 9,558 9,075 2,144 23,916	\$ 2,904 8,844 8,101 2,222 22,071
Fixed assets, net Goodwill, net Intangible assets, net Other assets	_	6,477 16,415 3,862 6,383	6,296 16,120 3,757 6,331
Total Assets	\$ _	57,053	\$ 54,575
<u>Liabilities and Shar</u>	reowners' Equity	У	
Short-term debt Accounts payable Accrued liabilities Total Current Liabilities	\$ _	2,003 5,503 12,099 19,605	\$ 1,133 5,059 11,277 17,469
Long-term debt Other liabilities Total Liabilities	_	8,014 <u>6,864</u> 34,483	8,015 <u>6,824</u> 32,308
Minority interest in subsidiary companies		984	912
Shareowners' Equity: Common Stock Treasury Stock Retained Earnings Accumulated other non-shareowners' changes in equity	_ _	10,498 (12,157) 22,440 <u>805</u> 21,586	10,358 (11,338) 21,751
Total Liabilities and Shareowners' Equity	\$ _	57,053	\$ <u>54,575</u>
Debt Ratios: Debt to total capitalization Net debt to net capitalization		32% 24%	30% 23%

United Technologies Corporation Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

(Millions)		Quarter Ender March 31, (Unaudited)		
Operating Activities		<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	
Net Income	\$	1,000	\$ 819	
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash flows provided	Ψ	1,000	D 019	
by operating activities:				
Depreciation and amortization		319	278	
Deferred income taxes and minority interest		41	(57)	
Stock compensation cost		58	54	
Changes in working capital		(481)	(277)	
Other, net		(49)	(364)	
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	-	888	453	
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Investing Activities				
Capital expenditures		(237)	(208)	
Acquisitions and disposal of businesses, net		(126)	(110)	
Other, net		(69)	158	
Net Cash Used in Investing Activities	-	(432)	$\frac{158}{(160)}$	
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Financing Activities				
Increase in borrowings, net		862	286	
Dividends paid on Common Stock		(293)	(245)	
Repurchase of Common Stock		(801)	(500)	
Other, net		(67)	82	
Net Cash Used in Financing Activities		(299)	(377)	
_	-			
Effect of foreign exchange rates	_	78	<u>19</u>	
Net increase (decrease) in cash				
and cash equivalents		235	(65)	
Cash and cash equivalents - beginning of period		2,904	2,546	
Cash and cash equivalents - end of period	\$	3,139	\$	

United Technologies Corporation Free Cash Flow Reconciliation

	Quarter Ended							
(Millions)		March 31, 2008 (unaudited)			March 31, 2007 (unaudited)			
Net income	\$	1,000		\$	819			
Depreciation and amortization		319			278			
Change in working capital		(481)			(277)			
Other		50			(367)			
Cash flow from operating activities		888			453			
Cash flow from operating activities as a percentage								
of net income			89%			55%		
Capital expenditures		(237)			(208)			
Capital expenditures as a percentage of net income		_	<u>(24</u> %)			<u>(25</u> %)		
Free cash flow	\$	<u>651</u>		\$	<u>245</u>			
Free cash flow as a percentage of net income		III	<u>65</u> %			<u>30</u> %		

Free cash flow, which represents cash flow from operations less capital expenditures, is the principal cash performance measure used by the Company. Management believes free cash flow provides a relevant measure of liquidity and a useful basis for assessing the Corporation's ability to fund its activities, including the financing of acquisitions, debt service, repurchases of the Corporation's Common Stock and distribution of earnings to shareholders. Others that use the term free cash flow may calculate it differently. The reconciliation of net cash flow provided by operating activities prepared in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles to free cash flow is above.

United Technologies Corporation Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements

- (1) Debt to total capitalization equals total debt divided by total debt plus equity. Net debt to net capitalization equals total debt less cash and cash equivalents divided by total debt plus equity less cash and cash equivalents.
- (2) Organic growth represents the total reported increase within the Corporation's ongoing businesses less the impact of foreign currency translation, acquisitions and divestitures completed in the preceding twelve months and significant non-recurring items. Non-recurring items that are not included in organic growth in 2007 include an \$84 million gain at Otis from the sale of land (See Note 3 below), a \$40 million gain at Pratt & Whitney from a contract termination, and \$151 million from the sale of marketable securities, and a \$216 million loss recorded in connection with the EU commission fine during the first quarter.
- (3) Otis segment results for the first quarter for 2007 include an \$84 million gain from the sale of land. The consolidated operating results include taxes related to the gain of approximately \$29 million in addition to an approximately \$27 million charge for the minority partner's interest in the gain. The resulting impact to consolidated net income is approximately \$28 million.