SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

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

July 29, 2004

DATE OF REPORT (DATE OF EARLIEST EVENT REPORTED)

DODED INDICATORS INC

ROPER INDUST	RIES, INC.
(EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPE	ECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)
DELAWARE	
(STATE OR OTHER JURISDICTION (OF INCORPORATION)
1-12273	51-0263969
(COMMISSION FILE NUMBER)	(IRS EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NO.)
2160 SATELLITE BLVD., SUITE 200, DULUTH, GEORGIA	30097
(ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES)	(ZIP CODE)
(770) 495-5100	
(REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER,	INCLUDING AREA CODE)
160 BEN BURTON ROAD, BOGAR	RT, GEORGIA 30622
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ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(a)	Financial Statements of Business Acquired		
	Not Applicable		
(b)	Pro Forma Financial Statements		
	Not Applicable		
(c)	Exhibits		
	99.1 Slide Presentation related to Second	Quarter Results of Roper Industries, Inc. dated July 29	, 2004.
ITEM 1	2. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND F	INANCIAL POSITION	
		ne "Company") conference call to discuss its earlier rel the slide presentation is furnished as Exhibit 99.1.	ease of its second-quarter financial results, the
	nant to the requirements of the Securities Exch	SIGNATURE nange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this	report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned
	Ro	per Industries, Inc.	
		(Registrant)	
	BY	: /s/ Martin S. Headley	
		Martin S. Headley, Vice President, Chief Financial Officer	Date: July 29, 2004

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Slide Presentation of Second Quarter Results of the Company dated July 29, 2004





Second Quarter 2004
Financial Results Conference Call
July 29, 2004

The information provided in this presentation contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the federal securities laws. These statements reflect management's current beliefs and are not guarantees of performance. They involve risks and uncertainties, which could cause actual results to differ materially from those contained in any forward-looking statement. Important risk factors include those discussed in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2003, and may be discussed in subsequent filings with the SEC. You should not place undue reliance on any forward-looking statements. These statements speak only as of the date they are made, and we undertake no obligation to update publicly any of them in light of new information or future events.

- ☐ Achieved Record Financial Results
 - Net Sales, Earnings, Cash Flow
- ☐ Margins Expanded
 - · Restructuring Benefits
- ☐ Earned Upper-End of Our Guidance Range
 - · Despite Shortfall of Sales to Gazprom
- ☐ Successfully Executing Growth Strategy
 - Organic Growth Expanded
 - NTGH Performing Well
 - Completed First 2004 Acquisition
- ☐ Acquired Power Generation Business from R/D Tech
 - Expands Non-Destructive Platform

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Significant Second Quarter Growth



Net Sales

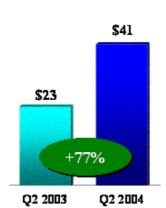
\$232 \$166 +40%

Strong Organic and Acquisitive Growth

Q2 2004

Q2 2003

Income from Ops



Operating Margins Up 370 Bpts to 17.5%

Net Earnings

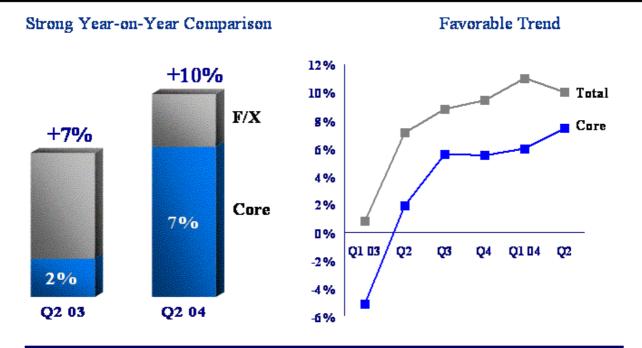


DEPS Grew to a Record \$0.63



Expect Continued Growth Throughout 2004

 $^{^{1}}$ Excludes Q1 restructuring costs and Q1/Q2 inventory revaluation adjustments arising from acquisitions.



Growth Initiatives Driving Results

Represents the year-over-year increase in net sales for businesses owned for the entire quarter in 2002 and 2003; excludes sales to Gazprom.

Millions except DEPS	Q2 2003	Q2 2004	
Net Sales	\$166	\$232	Broad-Based Strength Throughout Roper Orders Grew 10% Organically
Gross Profit Gross Margin	85 51%	116 50%	Excluding NTGH, Gross Margins were Higher in Q2 2004
Income from Ops Operating Margin	23 13.8%	41 17.5%	Capturing Restructuring Benefits from Restructuring Activities
Diluted EPS (DEPS)	\$0.40	\$0.63	• 58% Increase

Cash Results Tell the Real Story

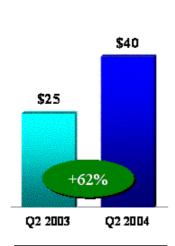


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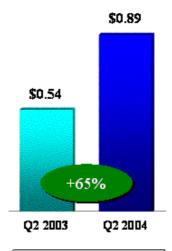
Cash From Operations

Cash DEPS

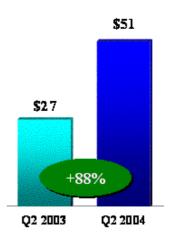
EBITDA



171% Conversion of Earnings



DEPS+ D&A per Share



EBITDA Margins Up 560 Bpts to 21.8%

Millions	Dec. 2003	March 2004	June 2004	
As a Percent of Sales				
(I) Inventory	13.5% ¹	12.4%	11.7%	 Down 180 Bpts YTD
(R) Receivables	18.5% ¹	17.8%	17.4%	 Reduced 110 Bpts YTD
(P) Payables & Accruals	14.5%1	14.5%	13.9%	 NTGH Acq. Payments
Total (I+R-P)	17.5% ¹	15.7%	15.2%	 Reduced 230 Bpts YTD
Net Working Cap	\$170	\$187	\$185	 \$5 Million Favorable Cash Impact in Q2
Net Debt-to-Net Cap	47.0%	43.7%	43.0%	 Strengthened in Q2 Even With \$39 Million Acquisition

Focus on Cash Return on Investment Produces Results

 $^{^{\}rm 1}$ Excludes Net Working Capital from the December 29, 2003 Acquisition of NTGH.



Acton Research • Antek • Integrated Designs • Logitech • PAC • Struers • Uson

Net Sales

Highlights

- ☐ Net Sales Up 15%
 - · Strong Oil & Gas Markets
 - Favorable Materials Testing Markets
- ☐ Orders Grew 17%
- ☐ Operating Margins Improved 490 Bpts to 17%
 - · Restructuring Benefits
- □ Positive Outlook for Remainder of Year
 - Favorable Market Conditions
 - New Product Introductions



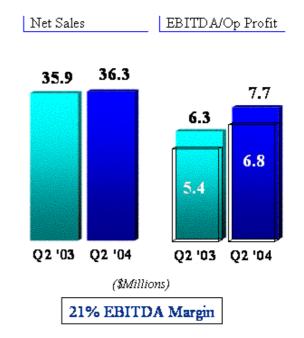
EBITDA/Op Profit



Compressor Controls • Metrix Instruments • Zetec

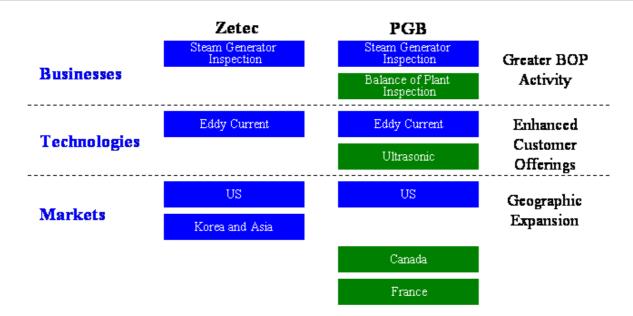
Highlights

- □ Despite \$8 Million Decline in Gazprom Revenues, Net Sales Increased
 - Now Expect Under \$10 Million of Net Sales from Gazprom in 2004...Less than 1% of Roper's Total Sales
- ☐ Strong Growth with Other Customers, Restructuring Activities Contributed to 390 Bpt Improvement in Margins
 - Achieved 19% in Q2
- ☐ Acquired Power Generation Business (PGB) from R/D Tech Late in Q2
- □ Robust Outlook for Second Half Despite Softer Q2 Orders





Acquisition Complements Zetec Business



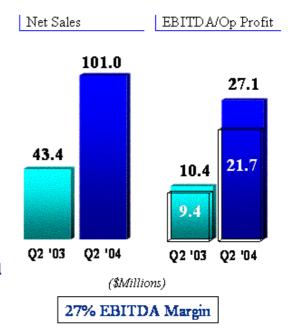
Transaction Adds \$23 Million+ of Annual Sales; Accretive in 2005 (Post-Integration)



Abel - AMOT - Cornell - Flow Technology - Fluid Metering - Hansen - Neptune - Roper Pump

Highlights

- Double-Digit Sales and Order Organic Growth
 - · Broad-Based Gains
 - Strengthened Industrial Markets
- ☐ Neptune Enjoyed Double-Digit Growth
 - Customer-Focused Strategy Produces Results
 - Scheduled Shutdowns for Maintenance and Vacations in Second Half
- 22% Margins Benefited from Sales Gains and Restructuring Benefits
 - Further Production Efficiencies Expected from Mexican Plant
- ☐ Steady Outlook for Remainder of Year



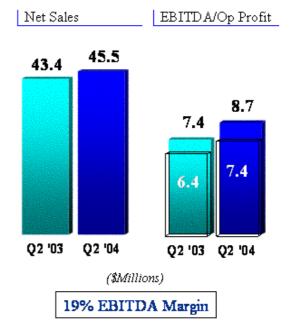


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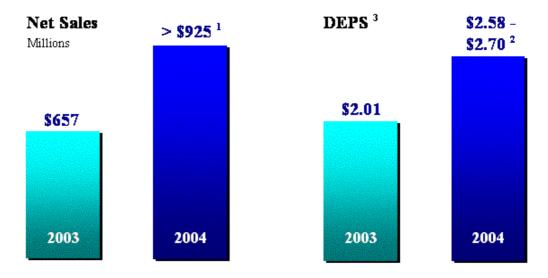
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Highlights

- ☐ Sales Up 5%
 - Handheld Instrument Volume Increased
 - · Physical Science Markets Soft
 - Project Timing
- ☐ Orders Increased 29%
 - · Focus on Solutions in Life Science
 - · Broad-Based Gains
 - Launched New Physical Science Product Line: PIXIS
- ☐ Orders, Backlog, New Products Support Strong Outlook for Remainder of Year



Strong Growth Expected in 2004



¹ Raised from Revised Guidance of \$900-\$925 Despite \$10+ Million Lower Sales to Gazprom

² Raised from Revised Guidance of \$2,50-\$2,70

³ DEPS excludes debt extinguishment costs, discontinued operations and NTGH inventory revaluation costs. 2003 includes \$6 million of restructuring costs; 2004 includes \$1 million of restructuring costs.



Q1 Q2 2004 DEPS \$0.52 \$0.63 **Q3 Q4** \$0.68-\$0.73 \$0.75-\$0.82

- Q3 Shut-Downs
- Heavy Sarbox Costs in Q3
- Strong Imaging Backlog
- Strong Energy Projects Q4
- Wastewater Project Timing Q4
- Modest Sales to Gazprom
- Continued Success of Organic Growth Initiatives

Year \$2.58-\$2.70

2004 Excludes \$0.04 Effect from \$2 Million NTGH Inventory Revaluation.

Successfully Executing the Growth Strategy

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Cash Performance Supports Growth Initiatives





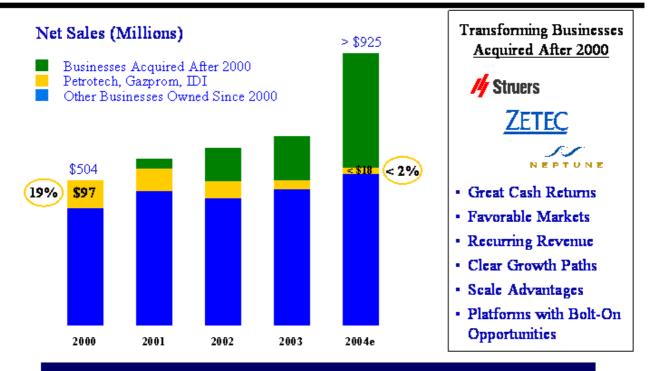
¹ Raised from Original Guidance of \$140-\$160

Accelerating Cash Flow Throughout 2004

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Roper's Strategic Portfolio Transformation



Steady Growth, Reduced Volatility

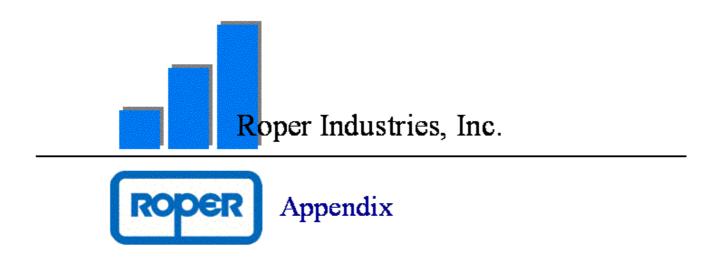
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Excludes Petrotech in 2001-2003 as a discontinued operation; business disposed in 2003.



Growth Initiatives Delivering Powerful Results
 Cash Focus Delivering Record Performance
 Balance Sheet Strengthening
 Working Capital Velocity Increasing
 Results Sequentially Improving Throughout Year
 Portfolio Transformation Driving Steady Growth, Less Volatility

Expect Record Second Half





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