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

# **FORM 8-K**

# **CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported): February 7, 2008

# **PDF SOLUTIONS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

000-31311

(Commission File Number)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of

Incorporation)

25-1701361 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

333 West San Carlos Street, Suite 700

San Jose, CA 95110 (Address of principal executive offices, with zip code) (408) 280-7900 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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#### Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 7, 2008, the Registrant issued a press release regarding its financial results and certain other information related to the fourth fiscal quarter of 2007 ended December 31, 2007. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1. The information in this Item 2.02, including Exhibit 99.1, is furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities under that Section and shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into the filings of the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

#### Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On February 7, 2008, the Registrant issued a press release regarding the financial outlook for the first fiscal quarter ending March 31, 2008. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2. The information in this Item 7.01, including Exhibit 99.2, is furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities under that Section and shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into the filings of the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press Release dated February 7, 2008 regarding financial results and certain other information related to the fourth fiscal quarter of 2007 ended December 31, 2007.
99.2	Press Release dated February 7, 2008 regarding the financial outlook for the first fiscal quarter ending March 31, 2008.

### 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 hereunto duly authorized.

PDF SOLUTIONS, INC. (Registrant)

By: <u>/s/ Keith A. Jones</u> Keith A. Jones

Keith A. Jones Vice President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer

Dated: February 7, 2008

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News Release

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# PDF Solutions <sup>®</sup> Reports Fourth Quarter 2007 Results

#### Fourth Quarter Results Contribute to Record Revenue for Fiscal 2007

SAN JOSE, Calif.—February 7, 2008—PDF Solutions, Inc. (NASDAQ: PDFS) the leading provider of yield improvement technologies and services for the integrated circuit (IC) manufacturing process lifecycle, today announced financial results for its fourth fiscal quarter ended December 31, 2007.

Total revenue for the fourth fiscal quarter of 2007 totaled \$24.6 million, an increase of 30%, compared with total revenue of \$19.0 million for the fourth fiscal quarter of 2006. Gain share revenue for the fourth fiscal quarter of 2007 totaled \$6.5 million, an increase of 33%, compared to \$4.9 million for the fourth fiscal quarter of 2006. Total revenue for the full fiscal year ended December 31, 2007 totaled a record \$94.5 million, compared with total revenue of \$76.2 million for the full fiscal year ended December 31, 2006, an increase of 24%. Gain share revenue for the full fiscal year ended December 31, 2007 totaled a record \$24.1 million compared with gain share revenue of \$20.0 million for the full fiscal year ended December 31, 2007 totaled a record \$24.1 million compared with gain share revenue of \$20.0 million for the full fiscal year ended December 31, 2007 totaled a record \$24.1 million compared with gain share revenue of \$20.0 million for the full fiscal year ended December 31, 2007 totaled share, compared with a net loss of \$430,000, or \$0.02 per basic and diluted share, for the fourth fiscal quarter of 2006.

In addition to using GAAP results in evaluating PDF Solutions' business, management also believes it is useful to measure results using a non-GAAP measure of net income, which excludes stock-based compensation expense, amortization of acquired intangible assets, write-off of in-process research and development, and their related income tax effects, as applicable. Using this non-

GAAP measure, net income for the fourth fiscal quarter of 2007 totaled \$5.8 million, or \$0.21 per diluted share, compared with non-GAAP net income of \$2.3 million, or \$0.08 per diluted share, for the fourth fiscal quarter of 2006.

Additionally, during the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2007, PDF Solutions utilized a portion of the \$10 million share repurchase plan previously authorized by its Board of Directors to repurchase 201,300 of its shares on the open market at a weighted average cost of \$7.57, for a total repurchase value of \$1.5 million.

As previously announced, PDF will discuss these results on a live conference call beginning at 3:00 p.m. Pacific Time/6:00 p.m. Eastern Time today. The call will be simultaneously web cast on PDF Solutions' website at http://ir.pdf.com/medialist.cfm. A replay of the web cast will be available at the same website address beginning approximately two hours after completion of the live call. Further, a copy of this press release, including the disclosure and reconciliation of certain non-GAAP financial measures to the comparable GAAP measure, which non-GAAP measures may be used periodically by PDF Solutions' management when discussing financial results with investors and analysts, will be available on PDF Solutions' website at http://www.pdf.com/news\_archive.phtml following the date of this release.

#### Information Regarding Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

In addition to providing results that are determined in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles in the United States of America (GAAP), PDF Solutions also provides certain non-GAAP financial measures that exclude the effects of stock-based compensation expense, amortization of acquired intangible assets, write-off of in-process research and development, and their related income tax effects, as applicable. PDF Solutions' management believes that the presentation of these measures provides useful supplemental information to investors regarding PDF's operating results. These non-GAAP financial measures are used by management internally to measure the company's profitability and performance. PDF's management believes that excluding the effects of stock-based compensation expense, amortization of acquired intangible assets, write-off of in-process research and development, and their related income tax effects, as applicable, provides a useful supplemental measure of the company's profitability and performance. PDF's management believes that excluding the effects of stock-based compensation expense, amortization of acquired intangible assets, write-off of in-process research and development, and their related income tax effects, as applicable, provides a useful supplemental measure of the company's ongoing operations in light of the fact that neither category of expense has a current effect on the future uses of cash nor do they have use with regards to the generation of current or future revenues. These non-GAAP results should not be considered an alternative to, or a substitute for, GAAP financial information, and may be different from similarly titled non-GAAP measures used by other companies. In particular, these non-GAAP financial measures are not a substitute for GAAP measures of income as a measure of performance, or to cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities as a measure of liquidity. Since management uses these non-GAAP financial

measures internally to measure profitability and performance, PDF has included these non-GAAP measures to give investors an opportunity to see the company's financial results as viewed by management. A reconciliation of the non-GAAP financial measures to the comparable GAAP financial measure is provided at the end of the company's financial statements presented below.

#### **About PDF Solutions**

PDF Solutions, Inc. (NASDAQ: PDFS) is the leading provider of yield improvement technologies and services for the IC manufacturing process lifecycle. PDF Solutions offers solutions that are designed to enable clients to lower costs of IC design and manufacture, enhance time to market, and improve profitability by addressing design and manufacturing interactions from product design to initial process ramps to mature manufacturing operations. PDF Solutions' Characterization Vehicle® (CV®) test chips provide the core modeling capabilities, and are used by more leading manufacturers than any other test chips in the industry. PDF Solutions' industry leading yield management system software, *data*POWER®, and fault detection and classification software, maestria®, enhance yield improvement and production control activities at leading fabs around the world. Headquartered in San Jose, Calif., PDF Solutions operates worldwide with additional offices in China, Europe, Japan and Korea. For the company's latest news and information, visit <u>http://www.pdf.com/</u>.

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# PDF SOLUTIONS, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (UNAUDITED) (In thousands)

	December 31, 2007	December 31, 2006
ASSETS		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 35,315	\$ 36,451
Short-term investments	9,949	16,402
Accounts receivable	38,526	27,575
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	3,354	2,796
Deferred tax assets	1,676	2,581
Total current assets	88,820	85,805
Property and equipment, net	3,621	3,916
Goodwill	65,170	60,034
Intangible assets, net	12,818	13,605
Long-term deferred tax assets	8,458	4,994
Other assets	464	503
Total assets	\$ 179,351	\$ 168,857
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Current liabilities:		
Current portion of long-term debt	\$ 421	\$ 302
Accounts payable	3,469	3,182
Accrued compensation and related benefits	5,950	3,325
Other accrued liabilities	2,604	3,843
Taxes payable	208	4,767
Deferred revenue	3,159	3,705
Billings in excess of recognized revenue	553	95
Total current liabilities	16,364	19,219
Long-term debt	907	1,198
Long-term taxes payable	5,581	—
Long-term other liabilities	29	221
Total liabilities	22,881	20,638
Stockholders' equity:		
Common stock	4	4
Additional paid-in-capital	181,566	167,323
Treasury stock at cost	(11,524)	(5,549)
Accumulated deficit	(16,892)	(13,890)
Accumulated other comprehensive income	3,316	331
Total stockholders' equity	156,470	148,219
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 179,351	\$ 168,857

# PDF SOLUTIONS, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED) (In thousands, except per share amounts)

	Three Mo	Three Months Ended		Year Ended			
	December 31, 2007	December 31, 2006	December 31, 2007	December 31, 2006			
Revenue:							
Design-to-silicon-yield solutions							
Services	\$ 17,641	\$ 11,523	\$ 63,731	\$ 45,382			
Software licenses	417	2,557	6,645	10,774			
Gain share	6,497	4,873	24,087	20,028			
Total revenue	24,555	18,953	94,463	76,184			
Cost of design-to-silicon-yield solutions:							
Direct costs of design-to-silicon-yield solutions							
Services	9,437	7,610	32,279	27,418			
Software licenses	57	111	191	209			
Amortization of acquired core technology	632	1,472	5,148	5,270			
Total cost of design-to silicon-yield solutions	10,126	9,193	37,618	32,897			
Gross margin	14,429	9,760	56,845	43,287			
Operating expenses:							
Research and development	9,899	8,070	36,074	27,613			
Selling, general and administrative	6,613	4,964	24,891	19,814			
Amortization of other acquired intangible assets	393	754	3,422	1,459			
Write-off of in-process research and development		800		800			
Total operating expenses	16,905	14,588	64,387	49,686			
Loss from operations	(2,476)	(4,828)	(7,542)	(6,399)			
Interest and other income, net	544	489	1,891	2,827			
Loss before taxes	(1,932)	(4,339)	(5,651)	(3,572)			
Income tax benefit	(3,000)	(3,909)	(2,724)	(3,133			
Net income (loss)	\$ 1,068	<u>\$ (430</u> )	<u>\$ (2,927)</u>	\$ (439)			
Net income (loss) per share:							
Basic	\$ 0.04	\$ (0.02)	\$ (0.10)	\$ (0.02			
Diluted	\$ 0.04	<u>\$ (0.02</u> )	<u>\$ (0.10)</u>	\$ (0.02)			
Weighted average common shares:							
Basic	27,964	27,459	28,066	26,885			
Diluted	28,246	27,459	28,066	26,885			
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#### PDF SOLUTIONS, INC. NON-GAAP RESULTS (In thousands, except per share amounts)

		<b>Three Months Ended</b>		
	Dec	December 31, 2007		ember 31, 2006
GAAP net income (loss)	\$	1,068	\$	(430)
Stock-based compensation expense – cost of design-to-silicon-yield solutions		765		596
Stock-based compensation expense – research and development		888		599
Stock-based compensation expense – selling, general and administrative		1,124		695
Amortization of acquired core technology		632		1,472
Amortization of other acquired intangible assets		393		754
Write-off of in-process research and development				800
Tax impact on reversal of stock-based compensation expense and amortization of intangible assets		976		(2,165)
Non-GAAP net income	<u>\$</u>	5,846	\$	2,321
GAAP net income (loss) per diluted share	\$	0.04	\$	(0.02)
Non-GAAP net income per diluted share	\$	0.21	\$	0.08
Shares used in computing diluted non-GAAP measure of net income per share		28,246		28,484

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News Release

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#### PDF Solutions <sup>®</sup> Provides Financial Outlook For The First Fiscal Quarter of 2008

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PDF Solutions expects total revenue in the range of \$23.5 million to \$24.5 million for the first fiscal quarter ending March 31, 2008. Gain share revenue for the first quarter is expected to be in the range of \$5.3 million to \$5.8 million. On a GAAP basis, net income (loss) for the first fiscal quarter of 2008 is projected in a range of (\$50,000) to \$550,000, or (\$0.00) to \$0.02 per basic share.

In addition to using GAAP results in evaluating PDF Solutions' business, management also believes it useful to measure results using a non-GAAP measure of net income, which excludes stock-based compensation expense, amortization of acquired intangible assets and their related income tax effects, as applicable. Non-GAAP net income for the first fiscal quarter ending March 31, 2008 is projected in a range of \$2.2 million to \$2.8 million, or \$0.08 to \$0.10 per diluted share.

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#### Effectiveness of Guidance:

The outlook set forth above represents PDF Solutions' expectations only as of the date of this release, and should not be viewed as a statement about PDF Solutions' expectations after this date. Although this release will remain available on PDF Solutions' website, its continued availability does not indicate that PDF Solutions is reaffirming or confirming its continued validity. PDF Solutions does not intend to report on its progress, or provide comments to analysts or investors on, or otherwise update, such guidance until it releases its quarterly results.

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#### **Forward-Looking Statements:**

The statements in this press release regarding PDF Solutions' outlook for its first fiscal quarter ending March 31, 2008, including expected revenue, net income, and net income per share, are forward looking. Actual results could differ materially from those expressed in these forward-looking statements. Risks and uncertainties that could cause results to differ materially include risks associated with: any unforeseen industry changes; difficulties in modifying PDF's solutions on a timely basis; and changes in the marketplace for such solutions, including the introduction of products or services competitive with PDF Solutions' products and services and other risks set forth in PDF Solutions' periodic public filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including, without limitation, its annual report on Form 10-K, most recently filed on March 16, 2007, and its quarterly reports on Form 10-Q, most recently filed on November 9, 2007. The forward-looking statements contained in this release are made as of the date hereof, and PDF Solutions does not assume any obligation to update such statements nor the reasons why actual results could differ materially from those projected in such statements.

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### PDF SOLUTIONS, INC. RECONCILIATION OF PROJECTED GAAP NET INCOME (LOSS) TO PROJECTED NON-GAAP NET INCOME (In thousands, except per share data)

	Three Months Ending			g	
PROJECTED RESULTS		March 31, 2008			
GAAP net income (loss) per share basic	\$	(0.00)	to	\$	0.02
GAAP net income (loss)	\$	(50)	to	\$	550
Amortization of stock-based compensation, net of taxes		1,740			1,740
Amortization of acquired intangible assets, net of taxes		500			500
Non-GAAP net income	\$	2,190	to	\$	2,790
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Non-GAAP net income per share – diluted	\$	0.08	to	\$	0.10
	Ψ	0.00	10	Ψ	0.10
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Weighted average common shares — basic		28,400			28,400
Weighted average common shares - diluted		28,750			28,750

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