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 October 28, 1994 Commission File Number 1-8649
THE TORO COMPANY (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)
DELAWARE 41-0580470 (State of Incorporation) (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)
8111 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH BLOOMINGTON, MINNESOTA 55420 TELEPHONE NUMBER: (612) 888-8801
(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant's principal executive offices)
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
The number of shares of Common Stock outstanding as of October 28, 1994 was 12,720,343.

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

THE TORO COMPANY AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND RETAINED EARNINGS (UNAUDITED)

(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT PER-SHARE DATA)

	Three Months Ended			
	00	tober 28, 1994	0c	tober 29, 1993
Net sales		•		135,761 86,726
Gross profit		•		49,035 51,995
Earnings (loss) from operations		2,480		(2,960) 3,338 (3,141)
Earnings (loss) before income taxes		•		(3,157) (1,263)
Net earnings (loss)	.\$	8,302	\$	(1,894)
Retained earnings at beginning of period Dividends on common stock of \$0.12 per share				93,451 (1,479)
Retained earnings at end of period	.\$	116,482	\$	90,078
Net earnings (loss) per share of common stock and common stock equivalent	.\$	0.64	 \$ 	(0.15)

See accompanying notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

THE TORO COMPANY AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT PER-SHARE DATA)

	(Unaudited) (Unaudited)		
		October 29, 1993	1994
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents	199,910 132,854	24,301	183,683 118,764 25,817
Total current assets	373 , 385	326,108	
Property, plant and equipment		117,335	•
Other assets	59,937 18,243	57 , 920	58,843 20,301
Total assets	\$ 451,565		\$ 443,639
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY Current portion of long-term debt	37,473	32,746 100,269	37,035 131,377
Total current liabilities	197 , 187		
Deferred income taxes	- 70 , 399	1,372 87,325	- 81,025
Common stockholders' equity: Common stock par value \$1.00, authorized 35,000,000 shares; issued and outstanding 12,720,343 shares at October 28, 1994 (net of 2,975 treasury shares), 12,370,452 shares at October 29, 1993 (net of 207,421 treasury shares), and 12,561,204 shares at July 31, 1994 (net of 76,153 treasury shares). Additional paid-in capital	52,374 116,482	12,371 46,066 90,078 (1,386)	12,561 49,420 109,688 (405)
Receivable from ESOP	181,341	147,129 (5,223)	171,264 (2,612)
Total common stockholders' equity		141,906	168,652
Total liabilities and common stockholders' equity		\$ 399,824	•

See accompanying notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

THE TORO COMPANY AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED) (DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	Three Months Ended	
	October 28, 1994	October 29, 1993
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net earnings (loss)	\$ 8,302	\$ (1,894)
Provision for depreciation and amortization	3,959	4,152
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment		-
Receivables (net)	(16, 227)	19,568
Inventories	(14,090)	(34,105)
Prepaid expenses and deferred income tax benefits		(1,035)
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		1,628
Accrued income taxes		(3,873)
Net cash used in operating activities	(12,759)	(15 , 559)
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Purchases of property, plant and equipment	(4,721)	(1,858)
Proceeds from asset disposals		-
(Increase) decrease in other assets	1,710	(937)
Net cash used in investing activities	(2,975)	
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Repayments of long-term debt	(9,871)	(14,439)
Proceeds from sale of common stock	4,203	1,829
Purchases of common stock		·
Dividends on common stock		
Net cash used in financing activities	(8,266)	
Foreign currency translation adjustment	171	(591)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(23,829)	(33,594)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	36,231	61,793
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period		\$ 28,199

See accompanying notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

THE TORO COMPANY AND SUBSIDIARIES NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED) OCTOBER 28, 1994

1. BACKGROUND

The information furnished reflects all adjustments which, in the opinion of management, are necessary for a fair presentation of the interim periods. The Toro Company's business is seasonal. Operating results for the three months ended October 28, 1994 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the year ending July 31, 1995.

These statements should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and footnotes included in the company's Annual Report for the year ended July 31, 1994. The policies described in that report are used for preparing quarterly reports.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

Total assets for the company as of October 28, 1994, were \$451.6 million, an increase of \$51.8 million, or 13.0%, from the \$399.8 million reported at the end of the first quarter last year. The increase in assets consisted primarily of higher trade receivables and inventory which were offset partially by a decrease in cash and cash equivalents. The increase in trade receivables reflected an increase in dealer receivables financed by the company (\$24.5 million) as well as an overall increase in sales. The increase in inventory resulted primarily from increased walk power mower production carried over from the prior year, as well as the addition of the recycling equipment product line in 1995. Cash and cash equivalents have decreased primarily because of continued reduction of long-term debt.

Total debt as of October 28, 1994 was \$91.5 million, or \$32.0 million less than the \$123.5 million reported at the end of the first quarter last year. The ratio of total debt to total debt plus equity decreased to 33.8% from the 46.5% reported as of October 29, 1993. The lower debt ratio resulted from the reduced debt levels in combination with an increased equity position primarily because of earnings in the past two years.

The company's business is seasonal. Historically, accounts receivable balances increase throughout the winter months as a result of extended payment terms made available to the company's customers and decrease in late spring when payments become due. The company's peak borrowing usually occurs in its third quarter. The seasonal working capital requirements of the business are financed primarily with short-term debt. Management believes that the combination of funds available through its existing financing options, coupled with forecasted cash flows, will provide the capital resources for its anticipated needs.

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The following table sets forth sales by product line.

Three M	onths	Ended
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	OCTOBER 28, 1994	October 29, 1993	\$ Change	% Change
Consumer products	48,656	\$ 75,040 40,903 19,818	\$ 51,716 7,753 10,474	68.9% 19.0 52.9
Total *	\$ 205,704	\$ 135,761 	\$ 69,943	51.5
* Includes international sales of	\$ 23 , 740	\$ 13 , 098	\$ 10,642	81.2%

Changes in net sales for the first quarter were attributed to the following factors. Consumer product sales rose reflecting increased sales of snow removal equipment, electric blowers and the new lower priced lawn tractor introduced in 1994. The commercial product sales increase was attributable to a continued strong domestic golf market, increased demand in tax-supported markets and the introduction of recycling equipment products. The irrigation product sales increase resulted partially from the domestic distribution reorganization made in 1994 and favorable weather conditions. The increase in international sales was primarily the result of strong irrigation product sales, increased sales of snow removal equipment and rebounding economies in various international markets.

Gross profit of \$76.1 million was \$27.1 million (55.3%) higher than the \$49.0 million reported for the first quarter of 1994. As a percent of sales, gross profit increased to 37.0% for the first quarter of 1995 compared to 36.1% for the first quarter last year. The increases in gross profit and gross profit percentage were attributed to increased sales and greater manufacturing efficiencies which were offset partially by a lower-margin product mix.

Selling, general and administrative expenses increased \$10.7 million, or 20.6%, to \$62.7 million from the \$52.0 million for the first quarter last year which primarily reflected an increase in marketing expenditures and an increase in administrative expense for various employee incentive programs, shared costs of currency protection contracts with foreign distributors, distribution enhancement costs and product development charges. As a percent of sales, selling, general and administrative expenses were 30.5% of net sales for the first quarter of 1995 compared to 38.3% for the first quarter last year primarily because of benefits from effective cost control measures implemented in the past few years.

Interest expense of \$2.5 million for the quarter was \$0.8 million, or 24.2% less than the \$3.3 million for the same period last year principally because of the reduction in long-term debt.

Other income, net of \$2.9 million decreased \$0.2 million from the \$3.1 million for the first quarter last year. 1994 other income, net included a one-time lawsuit settlement of \$1.85 million related to the purchase of Lawn-Boy. Excluding the effect of the \$1.85 million lawsuit settlement, 1995 other income, net would have increased \$1.7 million because of increased finance revenue, foreign currency exchange gains and gains incurred on the company's joint ventures.

PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

Item 6 Exhibits and Reports on Form 8-K

- (a) Exhibit 11 Computation of Earnings (Loss) per Common Share
- (b) Exhibit 27 Financial Data Schedule

Summarized financial data; electronic filing only.

(c) Reports on Form 8-K

The company did not file any Form 8-K reports during the first quarter of 1995.

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.

THE TORO COMPANY (Registrant)

By /s/ Gerald T. Knight

Gerald T. Knight Vice President, Finance Chief Financial Officer (principal financial officer)

Date: December 9, 1994

THE TORO COMPANY AND SUBSIDIARIES COMPUTATION OF EARNINGS (LOSS) PER COMMON SHARE (DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT PER-SHARE DATA)

	Three Mor	nths Ended
	October 28, 1994	October 29, 1993
Net earnings (loss)	.\$ 8,302	\$ (1,894)
Primary:		
Shares of common stock and common stock equivalents:		
Weighted average number of common shares outstanding	.12,585,681	12,299,190
stock options (1), (3)	. 453,494	_
	13,039,175	12,299,190
Net earnings (loss) per share of common stock and common stock equivalent	.\$ 0.64	\$ (0.15)
Fully Diluted: Shares of common stock and common		
stock equivalents: Weighted average number of common shares outstanding	.12,585,681	12,299,190
Dilutive effect of outstanding stock options (2), (3)	. 556,272	-
	13,141,953	12,299,190
Net earnings (loss) per share of common stock and common stock equivalent	.\$ 0.63	\$ (0.15)

- 1) Outstanding stock options and options exercised in the current period are converted to common stock equivalents by the treasury stock method using the average market price of the Company's stock during each period.
- Outstanding stock options and options exercised in the current period are converted to common stock equivalents by the treasury stock method using the greater of the average market price or the period-end market price of the Company's stock during each period.
- 3) Loss per share calculations are based on weighted average common shares outstanding excluding common stock equivalents due to their anti-dilutive affect.

This schedule contains information extracted from the 10-Q, first quarter filing, Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations and Retained Earnings, Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet and Exhibit 11.

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Total net receivables
Not included in quarterly financial information
Total debt
does not include additional paid in capital
other income, net