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

### FORM 10-Q

x QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended June 30, 2009

OR

"TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from to

Commission file number 000-22418 ITRON, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Washington (State of Incorporation) 91-1011792 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

2111 N Molter Road, Liberty Lake, Washington 99019 (509) 924-9900 (Address and telephone number 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  $x = No^{-1}$ 

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes "No"

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer x

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Non-accelerated filer " (Do not check if a smaller reporting company) Smaller reporting company "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes " No x

As of July 31, 2009 there were outstanding 39,994,446 shares of the registrant's common stock, no par value, which is the only class of common stock of the registrant.

## Itron, Inc.

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#### PART I: FINANCIAL INFORMATION

## Item 1: Financial Statements (Unaudited)

## ITRON, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED)

		Three Months Ended June 30,		Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2009	2008	2009	2008	
	(ii	n thousands, exc	cept per share	data)	
Revenues	\$413,748	\$513,931	\$802,266	\$992,407	
Cost of revenues	280,639	337,721	539,573	653,638	
Gross profit	133,109	176,210	262,693	338,769	
Operating expenses					
Sales and marketing	37,925	44,205	74,900	86,171	
Product development	30,809	31,471	61,967	60,502	
General and administrative	28,467	32,889	57,491	65,912	
Amortization of intangible assets	24,189	31,467	47,667	62,719	
Total operating expenses	121,390	140,032	242,025	275,304	
Operating income	11,719	36,178	20,668	63,465	
Other income (expense)					
Interest income	481	1,460	1,016	2,884	
Interest expense	(16,399	) (25,788	) (33,244	) (54,325	
Loss on extinguishment of debt, net	-	-	(10,340	) -	
Other income (expense), net	(2,877	) (1,845	) (4,911	) (1,657	
Total other income (expense)	(18,795	) (26,173	) (47,479	) (53,098	
Income (loss) before income taxes	(7,076	) 10,005	(26,811	) 10,367	
Income tax benefit	22,365	1,084	22,371	1,675	
Net income (loss)	\$15,289	\$11,089	\$(4,440	) \$12,042	
Earnings (loss) per common share					
Basic	\$0.40	\$0.34	\$(0.12	) \$0.38	
Diluted	\$0.40	\$0.31	\$(0.12	) \$0.35	
Weighted average common shares outstanding					
Basic	37,776	32,796	36,968	31,746	
Diluted	38,130	35,325	36,968	34,041	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated financial statements.

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## ITRON, INC. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (in thousands)

	June 30, 2009 (unaudited)		December 31, 2008	
ASSETS				
Current assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	276,128	\$	144,390
Accounts receivable, net		311,338		321,278
Inventories		165,785		164,210
Deferred income taxes, net		28,734		31,807
Other		63,664		56,032
Total current assets		845,649		717,717
Property, plant, and equipment, net		312,468		307,717
Prepaid debt fees		14,503		12,943
Deferred income taxes, net		58,216		30,917
Other		19,359		19,315
Intangible assets, net		429,629		481,886
Goodwill		1,278,264		1,285,853
Total assets	\$	2,958,088	\$	2,856,348
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Current liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$	187,543	\$	200,725
Other current liabilities	ψ	69,215	φ	66,365
Wages and benefits payable		68,537		78,336
Taxes payable		27,969		18,595
Current portion of long-term debt		120,004		10,769
Current portion of warranty		20,271		23,375
Unearned revenue		37,328		24,329
Deferred income taxes, net		1,927		1,927
Total current liabilities		532,794		424,421
		552,771		121,121
Long-term debt		854,052		1,140,998
Warranty		13,794		14,880
Pension plan benefits		56,831		55,810
Deferred income taxes, net		88,860		102,720
Other obligations		62,685		58,743
Total liabilities		1,609,016		1,797,572
Commitments and contingencies				
Shareholders' equity				
Preferred stock		-		-
Common stock		1,287,155		992,184
		1,201,100		,

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Accumulated other comprehensive income, net	33,858	34,093				
Retained earnings	28,059	50,291				
Cumulative effect of change in accounting principle						

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