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#### YAHOO! REPORTS FOURTH QUARTER 2009 RESULTS

Company Exceeds Revenue Business Outlook, Demonstrates Ongoing Improvements in Search and Display Advertising

**SUNNYVALE, Calif., January 26, 2010** – Yahoo! Inc. (NASDAQ: YHOO) today reported results for the fourth quarter and full year ended December 31, 2009.

Revenues were \$1,732 million for the fourth quarter of 2009, which exceeded the top end of the Company's business outlook range. Revenues decreased 4 percent from the fourth quarter of 2008 and increased 10 percent from the third quarter of 2009. Excluding the impact of currency rate fluctuations and divested business lines, revenues for the fourth quarter of 2009 would have declined 5 percent compared to the fourth quarter of 2008. Revenues were \$6,460 million for 2009, a decrease of 10 percent compared to 2008. Excluding the impact of currency rate fluctuations and divested business lines, revenues for 2009 would have declined 6 percent compared to 2008.

Income from operations for the fourth quarter of 2009 was \$119 million, compared to a loss of \$278 million in the fourth quarter of 2008. Income from operations for the fourth quarter of 2009 included \$40 million in restructuring charges and \$32 million in advisory and retention costs related to the Microsoft search agreement, which amounts were not included in the Company's business outlook for the fourth quarter of 2009.

Net income per diluted share for the fourth quarter of 2009 was \$0.11, including charges of \$0.04 per share related to the Microsoft search agreement and restructuring charges. For fourth quarter of 2008, net loss per diluted share was \$0.22, including a charge of \$0.39 per share primarily related to a goodwill impairment.

Non-GAAP net income per diluted share for the fourth quarter of 2009 was \$0.15, compared to \$0.21 for the fourth quarter of 2008. Net income per diluted share for 2009 was \$0.42, compared to \$0.29 for 2008. Non-GAAP net income per diluted share for 2009 was \$0.63 compared to \$0.70 for 2008.

"The fourth quarter marked a strong finish to 2009, which was a transformative year for Yahoo!," said Yahoo! Chief Executive Officer Carol Bartz. "We beat the high end of our revenue guidance, saw demand for premium display advertising improve significantly, and grew Owned & Operated search advertising revenue sequentially for the first time since the third guarter of 2008.

"Our business has positive momentum and we feel good as we head into 2010," said Bartz. "We're pleased that the midpoint of our Q1 revenue outlook marks the first quarter of year-over-year growth in six quarters."

#### **Business Highlights**

 Owned & Operated display advertising revenue grew 26 percent compared to the third quarter of 2009 – compared to a 16 percent increase during the same period in 2008.

- Owned & Operated search advertising revenue continued to stabilize, increasing 4 percent compared to the third quarter of 2009, the first sequential increase since the third quarter of 2008.
- Yahoo! finalized its Search and Advertising Services and Sales Agreement with Microsoft Corporation, and is still hopeful that the transaction can close early this year.
- Yahoo! formed a strategic partnership with Emmy- and Golden Globe-winning producer Ben Silverman's newly formed content studio Electus, an operating business of IAC/InterActiveCorp. The partnership will produce original programming for Yahoo! users while providing advertisers new opportunities to integrate their brand messages into the next generation of online programming.
- The Company launched Yahoo! Ad Interest Manager, which takes transparency in online advertising to a new level—providing significantly greater control over users' interactions with interest-based advertising to improve personal relevance and build trust.

#### Financials at a Glance

Quarterly GAAP Results (in millions, except percentages and per share amounts)									
Q4 2008 Q4 2009 Change									
Revenues	\$1,806	\$1,732	(4%)						
Income (loss) from operations	(\$278)	\$119	N/M						
Net income (loss)	(\$303)	\$153	N/M						
Net income (loss) per diluted share	(\$0.22)	\$0.11	N/M						

Quarterly Non-GAAP Results (in millions, except percentages and per share amounts)								
Q4 2008 Q4 2009 Char								
Operating cash flow	(\$60)	\$404	N/M					
Non-GAAP net income	\$295	\$214	(27%)					
Non-GAAP net income per diluted share	\$0.21	\$0.15	(29%)					

Full Year GAAP Results (in millions, except percentages and per share amounts)									
2008 2009 Change									
Revenues	\$7,209	\$6,460	(10%)						
Income from operations	\$13	\$387	N/M						
Net income	\$419	\$598	43%						
Net income per diluted share	\$0.29	\$0.42	45%						

Full Year Non-GAAP Results (in millions, except percentages and per share amounts)									
2008 2009 Change									
Operating cash flow	\$1,211	\$1,583	31%						
Non-GAAP net income	\$980	\$887	(9%)						
Non-GAAP net income per diluted share	\$0.70	\$0.63	(10%)						

N/M = Not Meaningful

"We're intensely focused on improving execution in all areas of the company, and our solid financial results for the fourth quarter demonstrate the progress we're making," said Yahoo! Chief Financial Officer Tim Morse. "We'll continue to execute against our key financial objectives of accelerating revenue growth, and increasing our operating margin and returns on capital over the next few years."

#### **Q4** Revenue Results

- In the fourth quarter of 2009, marketing services revenues declined 4 percent and fees revenues declined 7 percent, compared to the fourth quarter of 2008.
- Marketing services revenues increased 11 percent and fees revenues decreased 1 percent, compared to the third quarter of 2009.
- Marketing services revenues from Owned and Operated sites were \$971 million for the fourth quarter of 2009, a 9 percent decrease compared to \$1,063 million for the same period of 2008. The decrease was primarily driven by a 15 percent decline in search advertising revenue and a 1 percent decline in display advertising revenue.
- Marketing services revenues from Affiliate sites were \$564 million for the fourth quarter of 2009, a 6 percent increase compared to \$531 million for the same period of 2008.

#### 2009 Revenue Results

- In 2009, marketing services revenues declined 10 percent and fees revenues declined 12 percent, compared to 2008.
- Marketing services revenues from Owned and Operated sites were \$3,553 million for 2009, a 12 percent decrease compared to \$4,046 million for 2008. The decrease was primarily driven by a 13 percent decline in search advertising revenue and a 9 percent decline in display advertising revenue.
- Marketing services revenues from Affiliate sites were \$2,121 million for 2009, a 7 percent decrease compared to \$2,270 million for 2008.

#### **Cash Flow and Cash Balance**

- Cash flow from operating activities for the fourth quarter of 2009 was \$351 million, a 9 percent increase compared to \$321 million for the same period of 2008. Cash flow from operating activities for 2009 was \$1,310 million, a 30 percent decrease compared to \$1,880 million for 2008.
- Free cash flow of \$220 million for the fourth quarter of 2009 was flat compared to \$219 million for the same period of 2008. Free cash flow for 2009 was \$957 million, a 27 percent decrease compared to \$1,312 million in 2008.
- Cash, cash equivalents, and investments in marketable debt securities were \$4,518 million at December 31, 2009 compared to \$3,522 million at December 31, 2008, an increase of \$996 million.

#### **Business Outlook**

Revenue for the first quarter of 2010 is expected to be in the range of \$1,575 million to \$1,675 million. Income from operations for the first quarter of 2010 is expected to be in the range of \$90 million to \$110 million. This business outlook excludes advisory and retention costs related to the Microsoft search agreement and restructuring charges, as these amounts are not currently estimable. See "Yahoo! Inc. Business Outlook."

#### **Conference Call**

Yahoo! will host a conference call to discuss fourth quarter 2009 results at 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time today. A live webcast of the conference call, together with supplemental financial information, can be accessed through the Company's Investor Relations website at <a href="http://yhoo.client.shareholder.com/results.cfm">http://yhoo.client.shareholder.com/results.cfm</a>. In addition, an archive of the webcast can be accessed through the same link. An audio replay of the call will be available for one week following the conference call by calling (888) 286-8010 or (617) 801-6888, reservation number: 72652623.

#### **Note Regarding Non-GAAP Financial Measures**

This press release and its attachments include the following financial measures defined as non-GAAP financial measures by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"): revenues excluding traffic acquisition costs or TAC; operating income before depreciation, amortization, and stock-based compensation expense (also referred to as operating cash flow); free cash flow; and non-GAAP net income and non-GAAP net income per diluted share. These measures may be different than non-GAAP financial measures used by other companies. The presentation of this financial information is not intended to be considered in isolation or as a substitute for the financial information prepared and presented in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP"). Explanations of the Company's non-GAAP financial measures and reconciliations of these financial measures to the GAAP financial measures the Company considers most comparable are included in the accompanying "Note to Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income (Loss)," "Reconciliations to Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income (Loss)," and "Reconciliation of GAAP Net Income (Loss) Attributable to Yahoo! Inc. and GAAP Net Income (Loss) Attributable to Yahoo! Inc. Common Stockholders per Share - Diluted to Non-GAAP Net Income and Non-GAAP Net Income Per Share - Diluted."

#### About Yahoo!

Yahoo!'s vision is to be the center of people's online lives by delivering personally relevant, meaningful Internet experiences. Yahoo! attracts hundreds of millions of users every month through its engaging content and services and innovative technology, making it one of the most trafficked Internet destinations and a world-class online media company. Yahoo! is headquartered in Sunnyvale, California. For more information, visit <a href="http://pressroom.yahoo.com">http://pressroom.yahoo.com</a> or the company's blog, Yodel Anecdotal (<a href="http://yodel.yahoo.com">http://yodel.yahoo.com</a>).

"Owned and Operated sites" refers to Yahoo!'s owned and operated online properties and services.

"Affiliate sites" refers to Yahoo!'s distribution network of third-party entities who have integrated Yahoo!'s advertising offerings into their websites or their other offerings.

This press release and its attachments contain forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties concerning Yahoo!'s expected financial performance (including without limitation the statements and information in the Business Outlook section and the quotations from management in this press release), as well as Yahoo!'s strategic and operational plans. Actual results may differ materially from the results predicted and reported results should not be considered as an indication of future performance. The potential risks and uncertainties include, among others, the impact of management and organizational changes; the implementation and results of Yahoo!'s ongoing strategic and cost initiatives; Yahoo!'s ability to compete with new or existing competitors; reduction in spending by, or loss of, marketing services customers; the demand by customers for Yahoo!'s premium services; acceptance by users of new products and services; risks related to joint ventures and the integration of acquisitions; risks related to Yahoo!'s international operations; failure to manage growth and diversification; adverse results in litigation, including intellectual property infringement claims; Yahoo!'s ability to protect its intellectual property and the value of its brands; dependence on key personnel; dependence on third parties for technology, services, content, and distribution; general economic conditions and changes in economic conditions; and risks and uncertainties with respect to our search agreement with Microsoft Corporation. All information set forth in this press release and its attachments is as of January 26, 2010. Yahoo! does not intend, and undertakes no duty, to update this information to reflect future events or circumstances. More information about potential factors that could affect the Company's business and financial results is included under the captions "Risk Factors" and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2008, and Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the guarter ended September 30, 2009, which are on file with the SEC and available on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov. Additional information will also be set forth in those sections in Yahoo!'s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2009, which will be filed with the SEC in the first guarter of 2010.

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# Yahoo! Inc. Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income (Loss) (in thousands, except per share amounts)

	Three Months Ended December 31,			Year Ended December 31,				
	-	2008		2009		2008	-	2009
Revenues	\$	1,806,389	\$	1,731,977	\$	7,208,502	\$	6,460,315
Cost of revenues		730,091		749,658		3,023,362		2,871,746
Gross profit	_	1,076,298	_	982,319	_	4,185,140	_	3,588,569
Operating expenses:								
Sales and marketing		336,841		357,470		1,563,313		1,245,350
Product development		278,290		306,031		1,221,787		1,210,168
General and administrative		145,652		149,282		705,136		580,352
Amortization of intangibles		16,358		10,372		87,550		39,106
Restructuring charges, net		89,969		40,409		106,854		126,901
Goodwill impairment charge		487,537	_			487,537		
Total operating expenses	_	1,354,647	_	863,564	_	4,172,177	_	3,201,877
Income (loss) from operations		(278,349)		118,755		12,963		386,692
Other income, net (1)		25,621	_	5,168	_	73,750		187,528
Income (loss) before income taxes and earnings in equity interests		(252,728)		123,923		86,713		574,220
Provision for income taxes		(107,474)		(36,831)		(259,006)		(219,321)
Earnings in equity interests (2)	_	59,508	_	68,646	_	596,979	_	250,390
Net income (loss)		(300,694)		155,738		424,686		605,289
Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	_	(2,734)	_	(2,784)	_	(5,765)		(7,297)
Net income (loss) attributable to Yahoo! Inc.	\$	(303,428)	\$_	152,954	\$_	418,921	\$_	597,992
Net income (loss) attributable to Yahoo! Inc. common stockholders per share - diluted $^{(3)}$	\$	(0.22)	\$_	0.11	\$_	0.29	\$	0.42
Shares used in per share calculation - diluted	_	1,397,773	_	1,416,974	_	1,399,198	_	1,415,658
Stock-based compensation expense was allocated as follows: (4)								
Cost of revenues	\$	2,701	\$	1,829	\$	13,813	\$	10,759
Sales and marketing		9,922		25,839		182,826		141,537
Product development		28,195		42,082		178,091		205,971
General and administrative		3,969		14,661		63,113		79,820
Restructuring expense acceleration (reversals), net		(17,952)		18,662		(30,236)		11,062
Supplemental Financial Data:								
Revenues excluding TAC	\$	1,375,248	\$	1,258,468	\$	5,398,587	\$	4,682,489
Operating income (loss) before depreciation, amortization, and stock-based compensation								
expense (or operating cash flow)	\$	(59,954)	\$	403,665	\$	1,210,603	\$	1,582,555
Free cash flow (5)	\$	218,729	\$	219,685	\$	1,311,584	\$	957,410

<sup>(1)</sup> The year ended December 31, 2009 includes Yahoo!'s pre-tax gain on sale of the Company's investment in Gmarket of \$67 million recorded in the second quarter of 2009 and gain on sale of its direct investment in Alibaba.com of \$98 million recorded in the third quarter of 2009.

<sup>(2)</sup> The year ended December 31, 2008 includes Yahoo!'s non-cash gain of \$401 million recorded in the first quarter of 2008 related to Alibaba Group's initial public offering of Alibaba.com, net of tax. The year ended December 31, 2008 also includes Yahoo!'s non-cash loss of \$30 million recorded in the third quarter of 2008 related to an other-than-temporary impairment of our direct investment in Alibaba.com, net of tax.

<sup>(3)</sup> The impact of outstanding stock awards of entities in which the Company holds equity interests that are accounted for using the equity method reduced the Company's diluted earnings per share by \$0.01 for the year ended December 31, 2008.

<sup>(4)</sup> The three months and year ended December 31, 2008 includes a reversal to stock-based compensation expense of \$51 million pre-tax to reflect an increase in estimated forfeiture rates related to equity awards recorded in the fourth quarter of 2008.

<sup>(5)</sup> The year ended December 31, 2008 includes a \$350 million one-time payment from AT&T Inc. recorded in the first quarter of 2008.

### Yahoo! Inc. Note to Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income (Loss)

This press release and its attachments include the non-GAAP financial measures of revenues excluding traffic acquisition costs or TAC, operating income before depreciation, amortization, and stock-based compensation expense (also referred to as operating cash flow), free cash flow, non-GAAP net income, and non-GAAP net income per diluted share, which are reconciled to GAAP revenue, income from operations, cash flow from operating activities, net income (loss) attributable to Yahoo! Inc., and net income (loss) attributable to Yahoo! Inc. common stockholders per share-diluted, respectively, which we believe are the most comparable GAAP measures. We use these non-GAAP financial measures for internal managerial purposes, when publicly providing our business outlook, and to facilitate period-to-period comparisons. We describe limitations specific to each non-GAAP financial measure below. Management generally compensates for limitations in the use of non-GAAP financial measures by relying on comparable GAAP financial measures and providing investors with a reconciliation of the non-GAAP financial measure to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures. Further, management uses non-GAAP financial measures only in addition to and in conjunction with results presented in accordance with GAAP. We believe that these non-GAAP financial measures reflect an additional way of viewing aspects of our operations that, when viewed with our GAAP results, provide a more complete understanding of factors and trends affecting our business. These non-GAAP measures should be considered as a supplement to, and not as a substitute for, or superior to, GAAP revenue, income from operations, cash flow from operating activities, net income (loss) attributable to Yahoo! Inc., and net income (loss) attributable to Yahoo! Inc., and net income (loss) attributable to Yahoo! Inc. common stockholders per share-diluted calculated in accordance with GAAP.

Revenues excluding TAC is defined as GAAP revenue less TAC. TAC consists of payments made to Affiliate sites and payments made to companies that direct consumer and business traffic to the Yahoo! website. We present revenues excluding TAC: (1) to provide a metric for our investors to analyze and value our Company and (2) to provide investors one of the primary metrics used by the Company for evaluation and decision-making purposes. We provide revenues excluding TAC because we believe it is useful to investors in valuing our Company. One of the ways investors value companies is to apply a multiple to revenues. Since a significant portion of the GAAP revenues associated with our sponsored search offerings is paid to our Affiliate sites, we believe investors find it more meaningful to apply multiples to revenues excluding TAC to assess our value as this avoids "double counting" revenues that are paid to, and being reported by, our Affiliate sites. Further, management uses revenues excluding TAC for evaluating the performance of our business, making operating decisions, budgeting purposes, and as a factor in determining management compensation. A limitation of revenues excluding TAC is that it is a measure which we have defined for internal and investor purposes that may be unique to the Company, and therefore it may not enhance the comparability of our results to other companies in our industry who have similar business arrangements but address the impact of TAC differently. Management compensates for these limitations by also relying on the comparable GAAP financial measures of revenues, cost of revenues, and gross profit, each of which includes the impact of TAC.

Operating income before depreciation, amortization, and stock-based compensation expense (also referred to as operating cash flow) is defined as income (loss) from operations before depreciation, amortization of intangible assets, and stock-based compensation expense. We consider this measure to be an important indicator of the operational strength of the Company. We exclude depreciation and amortization because while tangible and intangible assets support our businesses, we do not believe the related depreciation and amortization costs are directly attributable to the operating performance of our business. This measure is used by some investors when assessing the performance of our Company. In addition, because of the variety of equity awards used by companies, the varying methodologies for determining stock-based compensation expense, and the subjective assumptions involved in those determinations, we believe excluding stock-based compensation expense enhances the ability of management and investors to understand the impact of stock-based compensation expense on our operating income. We have historically not included depreciation, amortization, and stock-based compensation expense is that it does not reflect the periodic costs of certain capitalized tangible and intangible assets used in generating revenues in our businesses. Management evaluates the costs of such tangible and intangible assets through other financial measures such as capital expenditures. A further limitation associated with this measure is that it does not include stock-based compensation expense related to the Company's workforce. Management compensates for these limitations by also relying on the companyable GAAP financial measure of income from operations, which includes depreciation, amortization, and stock-based compensation expense.

Free cash flow is a non-GAAP financial measure defined as cash flow from operating activities (adjusted to include excess tax benefits from stock-based compensation), less net capital expenditures and dividends received. We consider free cash flow to be a liquidity measure which provides useful information to management and investors about the amount of cash generated by the business after the acquisition of property and equipment, which can then be used for strategic opportunities including, among others, investing in the Company's business, making strategic acquisitions, strengthening the balance sheet, and repurchasing stock. A limitation of free cash flow is that it does not represent the total increase or decrease in the cash balance for the period. Management compensates for this limitation by also relying on the net change in cash and cash equivalents as presented in the Company's unaudited condensed consolidated statements of cash flows prepared in accordance with GAAP which incorporates all cash movements during the period.

Non-GAAP net income is defined as net income (loss) attributable to Yahoo! Inc. excluding certain gains, losses, expenses, and their related tax effects that we do not believe are indicative of our ongoing operating results and further adjusted to exclude stock-based compensation expense. In our calculation of non-GAAP net income and non-GAAP net income per diluted share, we have excluded stock-based compensation expense and its related tax effects. Because of the variety of equity awards used by companies, the varying methodologies for determining stock-based compensation expense, and the subjective assumptions involved in those determinations, we believe excluding stock-based compensation expense enhances the ability of management and investors to understand the impact of stock-based compensation expense on net income and net income per diluted share. We also consider non-GAAP net income and non-GAAP net income per diluted share to be profitability measures which facilitate the forecasting of our operating results for future periods and allow for the comparison of our results to historical periods. A limitation of non-GAAP net income and non-GAAP net income per diluted share is that they do not include all items that impact our net income and net income per diluted share for the period. Management compensates for this limitation by also relying on the comparable GAAP financial measures of net income and net income per diluted share, both of which include the gains, losses, expenses and related tax effects that are excluded from non-GAAP net income and non-GAAP net income per diluted share.

## Yahoo! Inc. Reconciliations to Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income (Loss) (in thousands)

		Three Months Ended December 31,		Year Ended December 31,				
	-	2008		2009	_	2008	oci c	2009
Revenues for groups of similar services:	_							
Marketing services:		1.062.641		051 250		4.046.001		2.552.695
Owned and Operated sites Affiliate sites	\$	1,062,641 531,443	\$	971,250 564,039	\$	4,046,001 2,270,205	\$	3,552,695 2,120,973
Marketing services	-	1,594,084		1,535,289	-	6,316,206	-	5,673,668
Fees		212,305		196,688		892,296		786,647
Total revenues	\$	1,806,389	\$	1,731,977	\$	7,208,502	\$	6,460,315
Revenues by segment:								
United States	\$	1,338,011	\$	1,230,940	\$	5,182,308	\$	4,714,436
International	_	468,378		501,037	_	2,026,194	_	1,745,879
Total revenues	\$ _	1,806,389	\$	1,731,977	\$ _	7,208,502	\$ _	6,460,315
Revenues excluding traffic acquisition costs ("TAC"):								
GAAP revenue	\$	1,806,389	\$	1,731,977	\$	7,208,502	\$	6,460,315
TAC Revenues excluding TAC	\$	(431,141) 1,375,248	\$	(473,509) 1,258,468	s	(1,809,915) 5,398,587	\$	(1,777,826) 4,682,489
Personnes avaluding TAC by segments	_				_			
Revenues excluding TAC by segment: United States								
GAAP revenue	\$	1,338,011	\$	1,230,940	\$	5,182,308	\$	4,714,436
TAC	_	(291,010)		(303,960)	_	(1,125,698)	_	(1,179,353)
Revenues excluding TAC	\$ =	1,047,001	\$	926,980	s _	4,056,610	\$ _	3,535,083
International:								
GAAP revenue	\$	468,378	\$	501,037	\$	2,026,194	\$	1,745,879
TAC	_	(140,131)		(169,549)	_	(684,217)	_	(598,473)
Revenues excluding TAC	\$ =	328,247	\$	331,488	s _	1,341,977	\$ _	1,147,406
Operating income (loss) before depreciation, amortization, and stock-based								
compensation expense (or operating cash flow):								
Income (loss) from operations	\$	(278,349)	\$	118,755	\$	12,963	\$	386,692
Depreciation and amortization Stock-based compensation expense		191,560 26,835		181,837 103,073		790,033 407,607		746,714 449,149
Operating income (loss) before depreciation, amortization, and stock-based	-	20,033		103,073	-	407,007	-	445,145
compensation expense	\$_	(59,954)	\$	403,665	\$	1,210,603	\$	1,582,555
Goodwill impairment charge		487,537		_		487,537		_
Restructuring charges		107,921		21,703		137,090		108,538
Incremental advisory, litigation, and retention costs related to the Microsoft				,		,,,,,		,
search agreement or 2008 strategic alternatives (6)	_	6,769		32,013	_	79,481	_	50,459
Operating income before depreciation, amortization, and stock-based								
compensation expense - adjusted	\$ _	542,273	\$	457,381	\$ <u></u>	1,914,711	\$ _	1,741,552
Operating income (loss) before depreciation, amortization, and stock-based								
compensation expense (or operating cash flow) by segment:								
Operating income before depreciation, amortization, and stock-based								
compensation expense - United States	\$	308,383	\$	275,635	\$	1,205,262	\$	1,095,601
Operating income (loss) before depreciation, amortization, and stock-based compensation expense - International		(268 227)		128,030		5,341		486,954
Operating income (loss) before depreciation, amortization, and stock-based	-	(368,337)		120,030	_	3,341	-	400,734
compensation expense	\$ _	(59,954)	\$	403,665	s _	1,210,603	\$ _	1,582,555
United States:								
Income from operations	\$	114,988	\$	24,193	\$	184,012	\$	40,681
Depreciation and amortization		164,449		157,502		657,536		652,652
Stock-based compensation expense	-	28,946		93,940	-	363,714	_	402,268
Operating income before depreciation, amortization, and stock-based compensation expense - United States	\$	308,383	•	275,635	s	1,205,262	s	1,095,601
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International:								
Income (loss) from operations	\$	(393,337)	\$	94,562	\$	(171,049)	\$	346,011
Depreciation and amortization Stock-based compensation expense		27,111 (2,111)		24,335 9,133		132,497 43,893		94,062 46,881
Operating income (loss) before depreciation, amortization, and stock-based	-	(2,111)		9,133	-	43,033	-	40,001
compensation expense - International	\$	(368,337)	\$	128,030	s	5,341	\$	486,954
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Free cash flow:		221.00		251.002		1 000 241		1 210 247
Cash flow from operating activities <sup>(5)</sup> Acquisition of property and equipment, net	\$	321,007 (191,911)	\$	351,063 (169,737)	\$	1,880,241 (674,829)	\$	1,310,346 (433,795)
Dividends received from equity investees		(191,911)		(109,/3/)		(18,942)		(27,628)
Excess tax benefits from stock-based awards		89,633		38,359		125,114		108,487
Free cash flow (5)	\$	218,729	s	219,685	s	1,311,584	s —	957,410
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 <sup>(5)</sup> The year ended December 31, 2008 includes a \$350 million one-time payment from AT&T Inc. recorded in the first quarter of 2008.
 (6) 2008 strategic alternatives included Microsoft's proposals to acquire all or a part of the Company, the agreement with Google Inc., the proxy contest and related matters.

#### Yahoo! Inc.

Reconciliation of GAAP Net Income (Loss) Attributable to Yahoo! Inc. and GAAP Net Income (Loss) Attributable to Yahoo! Inc. Common Stockholders Per Share - Diluted to Non-GAAP Net Income and Non-GAAP Net Income Per Share - Diluted (in thousands, except per share amounts)

				nths Ended		
			Decem 2008	ber 3	2009	
GA	AP Net income (loss) attributable to Yahoo! Inc. (4)	\$_	(303,428)	\$	152,954	
(a)	Stock-based compensation expense (7)		44,787		84,411	
(b)	Incremental advisory, litigation, and retention costs related to the Microsoft search agreement or 2008 strategic alternatives (6)		6,769		32,013	
(c)	Restructuring charges, net		89,969		40,409	
( <b>d</b> )	Goodwill impairment charge		487,537		-	
(e)	To adjust the provision for income taxes to exclude the tax impact of items (a) through (d) above for the three months ended December $31,2008$ and $2009$ , respectively		(49,073)		(46,014)	
<b>(f)</b>	To adjust the provision for income taxes to reflect an adjusted effective tax rate (calculated excluding the full year impact of items (a) through (d) above) of $37\%$ and $47\%$ for the three months ended December $31$ , $2008$ and $2009$ , respectively		18,808		(49,953)	
Non	-GAAP Net income	\$	295,369	\$	213,820	
GA	AP Net income (loss) attributable to Yahoo! Inc. common stockholders per share - diluted	\$_	(0.22)	\$	0.11	
Non	-GAAP Net income per share - diluted	\$	0.21	\$	0.15	
Sha	res used in non-GAAP per share calculation - diluted	_	1,397,773	=	1,416,974	
			Year 1 Decem			
			2008		2009	
GA	AP Net income attributable to Yahoo! Inc. (4)	\$ _	418,921	\$	597,992	
(a)	Stock-based compensation expense (7)		437,843		438,087	
(b)	Incremental advisory, litigation, and retention costs related to the Microsoft search agreement or 2008 strategic alternatives (6)		79,481		50,459	
(c)	Restructuring charges, net		106,854		126,901	
( <b>d</b> )	Goodwill impairment charge		487,537		-	
(e)	Gain on sale of Gmarket investment		-		(66,684)	
<b>(f)</b>	Gain on sale of the Company's direct investment in Alibaba.com		-		(98,167)	
(g)	To adjust the provision for income taxes to exclude the tax impact of items (a) through (f) above for the twelve months ended December $31,2008$ and $2009$ , respectively		(178,616)		(106,329)	
(h)	To adjust the provision for income taxes to reflect an adjusted effective tax rate (calculated excluding the full year impact of items (a) through $(f)$ above) of 37% for both the years ended December 31, 2008 and 2009		(1,003)		(55,298)	
(i)	$Y ahoo! 's \ non-cash \ loss \ related \ to \ the \ impairment \ of \ our \ direct \ investment \ in \ Alibaba. com, \ net \ of \ tax, \ which \ is \ included \ in \ earnings \ in \ equity \ interests$		30,188		-	
<b>(j</b> )	Yahoo!'s non-cash gain related to Alibaba Group's initial public offering of Alibaba.com, net of tax, which is included in earnings in equity interests		(401,090)		-	
Non	-GAAP Net income	\$_	980,115	\$	886,961	
GA	AP Net income attributable to Yahoo! Inc. common stockholders per share - diluted (3)	\$_	0.29	\$	0.42	
Non	-GAAP Net income per share - diluted	\$_	0.70	\$	0.63	
Sha	res used in non-GAAP per share calculation - diluted	_	1,399,198	=	1,415,658	

<sup>(3)</sup> The impact of outstanding stock awards of entities in which the Company holds equity interests that are accounted for using the equity method reduced the Company's diluted earnings per share by \$0.01 for the year ended December 31, 2008.

<sup>(4)</sup> The three months and year ended December 31, 2008 includes a reversal to stock-based compensation expense of \$51 million pre-tax to reflect an increase in estimated forfeiture rates related to equity awards recorded during the fourth quarter of 2008.

<sup>(6) 2008</sup> strategic alternatives included Microsoft's proposals to acquire all or a part of the Company, the agreement with Google Inc., the proxy contest and related matters.

<sup>(7)</sup> The stock-based compensation restructuring expense accelerations (reversals), net are included in restructuring charges net, item (c), for all periods presented.

#### Yahoo! Inc. Business Outlook

The following business outlook is based on current information and expectations as of January 26, 2010. Yahoo!'s business outlook as of today is expected to be available on the Company's Investor Relations website throughout the current quarter. Yahoo! does not expect, and undertakes no obligation, to update the business outlook prior to the release of the Company's next quarterly earnings announcement, notwithstanding subsequent developments; however, Yahoo! may update the business outlook or any portion thereof at any time at its discretion.

	_	Three Months Ending March 31, 2010 (8)
Revenues (in millions):	\$	1,575 - 1,675
Income from operations (in millions):	\$	90 - 110

<sup>(8)</sup> This business outlook for the three months ending March 31, 2010 excludes advisory and retention costs related to the Microsoft search agreement and any restructuring charges arising from our ongoing cost initiatives as these amounts are not currently estimable. These costs could have a significant impact on the outlook amounts.

#### Yahoo! Inc. Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (in thousands)

		Three Me Decei						ar Ended ember 31,	
	_	2008	_	2009	_	2008		2009	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:	_								
Net income (loss)	\$	(300,694)	\$	155,738	\$	424,686	\$	605,289	
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by									
operating activities:									
Depreciation		136,345		142,503		508,812		554,546	
Amortization of intangible assets		55,215		39,290		281,221		184,309	
Stock-based compensation expense, net		26,835		103,073		407,607		449,149	
Non-cash restructuring charges		7,925		44		7,925		7,301	
Goodwill impairment charges		487,537		-		487,537		-	
Tax benefits from stock-based awards		65,517		20,554		117,716		6,860	
Excess tax benefits from stock-based awards		(89,633)		(38,359)		(125,114)		(108,487)	
Deferred income taxes		(77,824)		(134,242)		(35,324)		(90,562)	
Earnings in equity interests		(59,508)		(68,646)		(596,979)		(250,390)	
Dividends received from equity investees				•		18,942		27,628	
(Gain) loss from sale of investments, assets, and other, net		(21,987)		6,336		(10,347)		(160,634)	
Changes in assets and liabilities, net of effects of acquisitions:		( ) - )		-,		( ','		(, ,	
Accounts receivable, net		(108,504)		(90,483)		(62,082)		81,959	
Prepaid expenses and other		22,093		20,861		(19,488)		21,585	
Accounts payable		11.756		33,352		(23,840)		(19,684)	
Accrued expenses and other liabilities		223,868		188,633		325,030		106,096	
Deferred revenue		(57,934)		(27,591)		173,939		(104,619)	
Net cash provided by operating activities <sup>(5)</sup>	_		-		-		-		
Net cash provided by operating activities	_	321,007	-	351,063	-	1,880,241	-	1,310,346	
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:									
Acquisition of property and equipment, net		(191,911)		(169,737)		(674,829)		(433,795)	
Purchases of marketable debt securities		(1,035,291)		(1,517,696)		(2,317,004)		(5,048,462)	
Proceeds from sales of marketable debt securities		37,623		53,374		285,753		136,538	
Proceeds from maturities of marketable debt securities		935,679		778,906		1,663,569		2,884,926	
Proceeds from sales of marketable equity securities		-		-		-		265,194	
Acquisitions, net of cash acquired		-		(177,333)		(208,958)		(195,106)	
Purchase of intangible assets		(4,326)		(3,371)		(71,310)		(32,185)	
Other investing activities, net		18,985		-		10,996		3,652	
Net cash used in investing activities	_	(239,241)	_	(1,035,857)	_	(1,311,783)	_	(2,419,238)	
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:									
Proceeds from issuance of common stock, net		31.951		38,188		363,354		112,673	
Repurchases of common stock		51,751		(22,666)		(79,236)		(113,444)	
Excess tax benefits from stock-based awards		89,633		38,359		125,114		108,487	
		69,033		30,339		125,114		100,407	
Tax withholdings related to net share settlements of restricted stock awards and restricted stock units		(11.604)		(27.120)		(5.6.550)		(22.110)	
		(11,684)		(27,130)		(76,752)		(73,119)	
Other financing activities, net	_	100.000	-	26 551	-	(74)	_	24.505	
Net cash provided by financing activities	_	109,900	-	26,751	-	332,406	=	34,597	
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents		(43,120)		(617)		(122,498)		57,429	
Net change in cash and cash equivalents		148,546		(658,660)		778,366		(1,016,866)	
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period	-	2,143,750	-	1,934,090	-	1,513,930	-	2,292,296	
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	<b>\$</b> _	2,292,296	\$_	1,275,430	\$_	2,292,296	<b>\$</b> _	1,275,430	

<sup>(5)</sup> The year ended December 31, 2008 includes a \$350 million one-time payment from AT&T Inc. recorded in the first quarter of 2008.

# Yahoo! Inc. Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (in thousands)

	 December 31, 2008	December 31, 2009				
ASSETS						
Current assets:						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,292,296	\$	1,275,430			
Short-term marketable debt securities	1,159,691		2,015,655			
Accounts receivable, net	1,060,450		1,003,362			
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	233,061		300,325			
Total current assets	 4,745,498		4,594,772			
Long-term marketable debt securities	69,986		1,226,919			
Property and equipment, net	1,536,181		1,426,862			
Goodwill	3,440,889		3,640,373			
Intangible assets, net	485,860		355,883			
Other long-term assets	233,989		194,933			
Investments in equity interests	 3,177,445	_	3,496,288			
Total assets	\$ 13,689,848	\$ <u></u>	14,936,030			
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY						
Current liabilities:						
Accounts payable	\$ 151,897	\$	136,769			
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	1,139,894		1,169,815			
Deferred revenue	413,224		411,144			
Total current liabilities	 1,705,015		1,717,728			
Long-term deferred revenue	218,438		122,550			
Capital lease and other long-term liabilities	77,062		83,021			
Deferred and other long-term tax liabilities, net	420,372		494,095			
Total liabilities	2,420,887		2,417,394			
Total Yahoo! Inc. stockholders' equity	11,250,942		12,493,320			
Noncontrolling interests	 18,019		25,316			
Total equity	 11,268,961		12,518,636			
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 13,689,848	\$	14,936,030			