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## **Annual Report Summary**

- General Overview of progress
  - In 2005, Nautilus profits exceeded \$630 million
  - Total sales rose in international markets, a \$22 million increase
  - US sales increased nearly \$100 million from last year
  - 22 new products: the focus is on innovation, testing, and prototyping
  - 1550 employees in US
  - Extensive warrantees to consumers
  - Acquired Pearl iZUMi, a major producer of outdoor apparel and cycling equipment, for \$75.3 million
  - Continue to do well against major competitors: Nike, New Balance, Adidas, ICON Health and Fitness, and Fitness Quest
- Business strategies and advertising approaches
  - A "pure fitness" approach have consumer utilize Nautilus fitness equipment, apparel, and food (Champion Nutrition)
  - Research on how to leverage research dollars to meet customer demands
  - Move more products out to retail outlets, directly to consumer
  - Turn inquiries into sales
    - > Customer service call center open 18-23 hrs/day. This allows customers worldwide to inquire and be assisted at any point in the day.
    - > Telemarketing service handles all interest for on and offline inquiries
    - > Powerful commercials and infomercials generate interest and requests for equipment
  - Utilize the power of internet advertising
  - Advertise in trade publications, direct mail promotions, *Nautilus Institute*, trade shows, the Internet, sports magazines, product seeding, wholesalers, retail stores (REI, Dick's)
  - Least sales are in second guarter most people watch TV finales
- Customer Base
  - Sell to health clubs, government recreation centers, hotels, corporate fitness centers, colleges and universities, and assisted living centers.
  - Sell to USA, Asia, Europe, Canada, and South America. Largest foreign markets reside in Canada, UK, Germany, and Italy (seasons impact all markets)
  - Sales have been increasing since customers are becoming more educated about fitness and using their education to stay healthy
- Financial Review
  - NLS (Nautilus's code on NYSE) ranged from \$16-30
  - Gross income of \$278,814,000, with net sales \$631.3 million
  - Assets: \$413,286,000
  - 75,000,000 total shares
  - Stock options yield 2.2%