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

Form 11-K

ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

(Mark One) **b**

ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the fiscal year ended: December 31, 2007

OR

• TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from _____to ____

Commission File Number: 001-32410

A. Full title of the plan and the address of the plan, if different from that of the issuer named below:

Celanese Americas Retirement Savings Plan 1601 W LBJ Freeway Dallas, TX 75234

B. Name of issuer of the securities held pursuant to the plan and the address of its principal executive office:

Celanese Corporation 1601 W LBJ Freeway Dallas, TX 75234

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* Other schedules required by the Department of Labor s Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) have been omitted because they are not applicable.

Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To: Plan Administrator, Investment, and Benefit Committees of Celanese Americas Retirement Savings Plan:

We have audited the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits of the Celanese Americas Retirement Savings Plan (the Plan) as of December 31, 2007 and 2006 and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Plan s management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for benefits of the Plan as of December 31, 2007 and 2006, and the changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplemental schedule H, line 4i- schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2007 is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor s Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. The supplemental schedule is the responsibility of the Plan s management. The supplemental schedule has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

/s/ PMB Helin Donovan, LLP

Austin, Texas June 27, 2008

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits

	As of December 31, 2007 2006 (In thousands)	
Assets Investments:		
At fair value (Note 3) Loans to participants	\$ 673,343 9,589	\$ 731,214 11,575
Total investments	682,932	742,789
Receivables: Accrued interest and dividends	1,505	1,422
Total receivables	1,505	1,422
Total assets	684,437	744,211
Liabilities Administrative payables	811	766
Net assets available for benefits at fair value	683,626	743,445
Adjustment from fair value to contract value for fully benefit-responsive investment contract (Note 3, 2006-Revised)	4,689	2,680
Net assets available for benefit	\$ 688,315	\$ 746,125

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Statements of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

	Years Ended December 31, 2007 2006 (In thousands)	
Investment income: Net appreciation of investments (Note 3) Interest	\$ 23,663 11,668	\$ 72,275 12,111
Dividends Other	904 1,146	704 34
Total investment income	37,381	85,124
Contributions: Company, net of forfeitures Participant Rollovers Total contributions	9,490 20,249 634 30,373	9,895 20,607 734 31,236
Administrative expenses Withdrawals and distributions Transfers (to) from other plans	(2,196) (93,287) (30,081)	(2,071) (82,704) 7,019
Net increase (decrease) Net assets available for benefits: Beginning of year	(57,810) 746,125	38,604 707,521
End of year	\$ 688,315	\$ 746,125

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Notes to Financial Statements

(1) Description of the Plan

The Celanese Americas Retirement Savings Plan (the Plan) is a participant directed, defined contribution plan sponsored by Celanese Americas Corporation and Subsidiaries (Celanese or the Company), a wholly owned subsidiary of Celanese Corporation. The Plan covers certain employees of the Company and its participating affiliates (Participants). The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended (ERISA). Participants in the Plan should refer to the Plan document for more complete details of the Plan s provisions.

Effective January 1, 2006, the Plan was amended to allow for participation of Meredosia Union employees. In September 2006, participant account balances of \$7,019,236 were transferred to the Plan from the Celanese Americas Retirement Savings Plan for Meredosia Union Employees. This transfer represents participant assets for employees that were transferred to the Plan as a result of a newly ratified collective bargaining agreement.

During 2007 assets of \$30,080,833 were transferred from the Plan in conjunction with Celanese Corporation s sale of its oxo products and derivatives business and the transfer of impacted employees to OXEA Corporation.

The Company has a trust agreement with State Street Bank & Trust Company (the Trustee). The trust agreement establishes a qualified trust for the Plan. The assets of the trust are managed by various investment managers appointed by the Company. The Company s Investment Committee oversees the Plan and has discretionary authority to appoint an agent to direct the purchase and sale of investments in the Plan. The Company appointed the Plan Administrator and Investment Committee as the named fiduciaries of the Plan.

(a) Eligibility

Employees are eligible to participate in the Plan as soon as administratively practicable following their date of hire (taking into account the need to enroll and the timing of the Company s payroll cycles).

(b) Participant Contributions

Participants may contribute from 2% to 80% of their eligible compensation, as defined in the Plan document and subject to certain Internal Revenue Service (IRS) limitations, through payroll deductions. Participants may designate contributions as either before-tax, after-tax or a combination of both. Participants before-tax contributions and Company contributions are deferred compensation pursuant to Section 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC).

(c) Company Contributions

The Company makes a contribution equal to the amount contributed by each Participant up to 5% of such Participant s eligible compensation for non-union participants, as defined in the Plan document. The Company s contribution for union participants varies, as defined in the Plan document, but does not exceed 5% of the Participant s eligible compensation. Effective January 1, 2006 the plan was amended to increase the matching contribution for the Calvert City union participants to a 100% match of the savings of Calvert City union participants, not to exceed 3% of the participant s eligible compensation.

(d) Vesting

All Participants contributions and income earned or losses incurred thereon are fully vested at all times. The Company s contributions and income earned or losses incurred thereon are vested either upon the completion of three years of service with the Company, as defined in the Plan document, death, retirement, total and permanent disability, involuntary termination of employment by the Company (other than for cause) or the attainment of age 65. Effective January 1, 2008, Participants will be immediately vested in Company contributions (Note 8).

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)

(e) Forfeitures

Forfeitures of non-vested Company contributions are used to reduce future employer contributions or to restore prior forfeitures under certain conditions. In 2007 and 2006, Company contributions were reduced by \$252,938 and \$539,203 respectively, from forfeited non-vested accounts. At December 31, 2007 and 2006, forfeitures of \$170,715 and \$188,831, respectively, were available for reducing future employer contributions or to restore prior forfeitures under certain conditions.

(f) Distributions and Withdrawals

A Participant s entire vested account balance shall be payable upon termination of employment, retirement, disability or death. Participants who suffer a financial hardship may withdraw all or part of their vested account balance before tax contributions subject to certain provisions, as described in the Plan document. Distributions and withdrawals under the Plan are made in cash in the form of a lump sum. Payments are made as soon as administratively practicable within the provisions of the Plan. The Plan allows for in-service withdrawals of vested contributions under certain circumstances, as defined in the Plan document.

(g) Participant Accounts

Each Participant s account is credited with the Participant s contributions, the appropriate amount of the Company s contribution and an allocation of the Plan s earnings or losses and the investment management fees in accordance with the allocation provisions contained in the Plan document. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the Participant s vested account balance.

(h) Participant Loans

Participants who are actively working, and have a vested account balance of at least \$2,000, may borrow up to the lesser of 50% of the vested account balance or \$50,000 less the highest outstanding loan balance in the previous 12 months. The minimum loan available is \$1,000 and shall not exceed \$50,000. Loans are generally for periods of up to five years with the exception of the purchase of a primary residence in which case the loan can be for a period up to fifteen years. Loans are repaid in bi-weekly installments and include interest charges. The interest rate on new loans, fixed on the first business day of the month, is based on the Prime Lending Rate (per the Wall Street Journal) plus 1%. The range of interest rates for outstanding Participant loans as of December 31, 2007 was 5% to 10.5% with maturities ranging from 2008 to 2021.

(i) Investments

Plan Participants may direct the investment of their account in 1% increments among any of twelve investment options.

Options

Investment Manager

Smart-Mix Fund Conservative

JP Morgan Asset Management

Smart-Mix FundModerateSmart-Mix FundAggressiveCore Bond FundGovernment Securities FundGovernment Securities FundLarge-Cap Value FundLarge-Cap Value FundInternational Stock FundInternational Stock FundSmall-Cap Core FundStable Value FundCelanese Stock Fund

JP Morgan Asset Management JP Morgan Asset Management Pacific Investment Management Co. Hoisington Investment Management Co. Barclay s Global Investor Alliance Bernstein Investment Management Marsico Capital Management Capital Guardian Trust Company Barclays Global Investors JP Morgan Asset Management State Street Global Advisors

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)

A Participant may transfer all or a portion of his or her interest, in 1% increments, from one investment fund to another. Each of the Plan s investment options is managed for the Plan by independent investment managers, who employ a specific set of investment criteria endorsed and monitored by the Company.

Celanese Stock Fund

The Celanese Stock Fund is a stock bonus plan (as defined by U.S. Treasury Regulation §1.401-1 (b)(i)(iii)) with a primary investment in common shares of Celanese Corporation. Participant holdings of Celanese Corporation common shares are limited to twenty percent of the Participants total account balance under the Plan. There is a 30-day restriction on reentry into the Celanese Stock Fund after a sale of stock. State Street Global Advisors was named as the fiduciary of the Celanese Stock Fund. The Trustee shall vote shares of Celanese Corporation stock in accordance with the instructions of the Participants in whose accounts the shares are held. During 2007, the Trustee purchased 160,995 shares of Celanese Corporation stock for the fund at an average price of \$34.08 per share and sold 149,414 shares of Celanese Corporation stock for the fund at an average price \$36.74 per share. During 2006, the Trustee purchased 341,550 shares of Celanese Corporation stock for the fund at an average price of \$19.92 per share and sold 243,804 shares of Celanese Corporation stock for the fund at an average price \$20.56 per share.

Investment Contracts

The Plan invests in fully benefit-responsive investment contracts held in the Stable Value Fund, which are reported in the Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits on a contract value basis. The Statement of Net Assets Available for Benefits presents fair value of the investment contracts as well as the adjustment of the fully benefit-responsive investment contracts from fair value to contract value. The Stable Value Fund permits all Participant initiated transactions as allowed by the Plan to occur at contract value. Events that would limit the Plan s ability to execute transactions at contract value are improbable, except for termination of the Plan by the Sponsor; Sponsor initiated withdrawals may be subject to a market adjustment.

The average yield of the investment contracts was 6.75% and 5.74% for the years ended December 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively. The stabilized interest rate (Crediting Rate) on investment contracts was 5.23% and 5.29% as of December 31, 2007 and 2006, respectively. The Crediting Rates are provided to participants in the fund on a designated pool of investments held by the fund, through contracts generally referred to as a wrapper . The contracts provide assurance that the adjustments to the interest Crediting Rate will not result in a future interest Crediting Rate that is less then zero.

(2) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(a) Basis of Presentation

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (US GAAP) for all periods presented.

(b) Valuation of Investments and Income Recognition

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The Plan s investments are stated at fair value. Investments in the Common/collective trust funds are valued at fair value based upon the quoted market values of the underlying assets, where available. Loans to Participants are valued at cost, which approximates fair value. All purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded when earned. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments includes realized gains and losses on investments sold during the year as well as net appreciation (depreciation) of the investments held at the end of the year.

(c) Risks and Uncertainties

The assets of the Plan consist primarily of investments held at fair value. These investments are subject to market risks and are influenced by such factors as investment objectives, interest rates, stock market performance, economic conditions, and world affairs. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investments, it is reasonably possible that changes in the values of investments will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants account balances and the amounts reported in the financial statements.

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)

(d) Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with US GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of additions and deductions during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

(e) Payment of Benefits

Benefits are recorded when paid.

(3) Investments

The following table presents the total investments of the Plan segregated by valuation method.

		As of Dec 2007 (In tho	2006
Quoted market price:			
Interest bearing cash	\$	9,276	\$ 5,163
US government securities		30,395	31,518
Common stock		44,164	32,674
Registered investment companies		10,352	9,761
		94,187	79,116
Investments at estimated fair value:			
Common/collective trusts	4	412,328	469,047
Investment contracts]	166,828	183,051
Investments at fair value	(573,343	731,214
Participant loans		9,589	11,575
Total investments	\$ (582,932	\$ 742,789

Investments representing five percent or more of the Plan s net assets as of December 31 are as follows:

	As of Dece	mber 31
	2007 (In thous	2006 sands)
Alliance Collective Investment Trust	154,752	190,003

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BGI Equity Index Fund 1	100,998	112,503
BGI Russell 2000 Alpha Tilts Fund	45,618	58,449
CG International non-US Equity Fund	43,765	39,281
Bank of America, contract no. 02 011	57,175	61,916
Caisse Depots et Consignations, contract no. 1837 01	57,167	61,899
State Street Bank, contract no. 102063	57,175	61,916

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)

Investment Contracts

2007	Investments at Fair Value	Wrapper Contracts at Fair Value (In thousands)	Adjustment to Contract Value
Cash US government securities Interest-bearing cash JP Morgan Intermediate Bond Fund Wrapper	\$ 307 360 166,161	\$	\$ 4,689
	\$ 166,828	\$	\$ 4,689

2006	estments at ir Value	Wrapper Contracts at Fair Value (In thousands)	Con	ment to tract llue
Cash	\$ 19	\$	\$	
US government securities	199			
Interest-bearing cash	673			
JP Morgan Intermediate Bond Fund	182,160			
Wrapper (revised)				2,680
	\$ 183,051	\$	\$	2,680

The fair value of the wrapper is determined by calculating the present value of excess future wrapper fees. When the replacement cost of the wrapper contracts (a re-pricing provided annually by each issuer) is greater than the current wrapper fee, the difference is converted into the implied additional fee payment cash flows for the duration of the holding. The present value of that cash flow stream is calculated using a swap curve yield that is based on the duration of the holding, and adjusted for the holding s credit quality rating. As the replacement costs of the wrapper contracts do not exceed the actual costs, the fair value of the wrapper was valued at zero for the years ended December 31, 2007 and 2006.

In the 2006 audited financial statements, Celanese disclosed the fair value of the wrapper contracts to be \$3,495,000 and the adjustment from fair value to contract value for fully benefit-responsive investments contracts to be

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\$(815,000). Such presentation has been revised in the current financial statements to reflect the fair value of the wrapper at December 31, 2006 to be zero and the adjustment from fair value to contract value for fully benefit-responsive investments contracts to be \$2,680,000. With the revised presentation of the fair value of the wrapper, there is no change in Net Assets Available for Benefits.

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)

During 2007 and 2006, the Plan s investments (including investments bought and sold and held during the year) appreciated (depreciated) in value as follows:

	Dece 2007	For the Years Ended December 31 2007 2006 (In thousands)	
Quoted market price:			
US government securities	\$ 1,490	\$ (1,552)	
Common stock	3,231	1,288	
Celanese corporation common stock	5,198	2,014	
Registered investment companies	261	(111)	
Investments of estimated fair values	10,180	1,639	
Investments at estimated fair value: Common/collective trusts	13,483	70,636	
	15,465	70,030	
	\$ 23,663	\$ 72,275	

(4) Plan Termination

Although the Company has not expressed any intent to terminate the Plan, it may do so at any time, subject to the provisions of ERISA. Upon termination of the Plan, any Participant who is then an employee of the Company would become 100% vested in all Company contributions.

(5) Federal Income Taxes

The IRS has determined and informed the Company by a letter dated April 19, 2004, that the Plan and related trust are designed in accordance with applicable sections of the IRC. Although the Plan has been amended since receiving the determination letter, the Plan Administrator believes that the Plan is designed and is currently being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC.

(6) Administrative Expenses

Administrative expenses (principally record keeping costs and legal fees) are accrued and charged against the respective funds of the Plan. Investment management fees, taxes, brokerage commissions, and related fees are paid from the respective funds from which they are levied, assessed, or incurred. Certain administrative expenses of the Plan are paid by the Company. Expenses not paid by the Company are paid by the Plan.

(7) Parties-in-Interest

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Certain Plan investments are shares of common/collective trusts managed by JPMorgan/American Century or State Street Bank & Trust Company. In addition, certain Plan investments are in interest bearing cash accounts managed by Morgan Guaranty Trust Company of New York. JPMorgan Retirement Plan Services is the record keeper and State Street Bank & Trust Company is the Trustee, as defined by the Plan and, therefore, these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions. These transactions are covered by an exemption from the prohibited transaction provisions of ERISA and the IRC. The Plan also invests in the common stock of the Plan Sponsor as well as makes loans to Plan participants, both of which qualify as parties-in-interest to the Plan and are exempt from prohibited transaction rules.

(8) Plan Amendment

During December 2007, the Plan was amended, effective January 1, 2008, to add an automatic enrollment feature and an automatic deferral increase feature. Additionally, the amendment modifies the Plan s vesting

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)

rules and clarifies the default investment provisions. The vesting rules are modified such that Participants are immediately vested in Company contributions.

(9) Reconciliation of Financial Statements to Form 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits per the financial statements at December 31, 2007 to Form 5500.

	(In t	2007 housands)
Net assets available for benefits per the financial statements Add: Administrative payables	\$	688,315 319
Net assets available for benefits per the Form 5500	\$	688,634

The following is a reconciliation of administrative expenses per the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2007, to Form 5500

	20 (In thou	
Administrative expenses per the financial statements Less: Administrative expenses	\$	2,196 319
Administrative expenses per the Form 5500	\$	1,877

Net assets available for benefits and administrative expenses per the financial statements include \$319,000 to accrue for administrative expenses incurred during the year ended December 31, 2007 and paid in 2008.

3) Identity of	Issuer	(C) Description of Investment Shares/Par	Rate	Mat Date (D) Cost
EARING CAS	SH GI MONEY MARKET FD FOR EBT	CASH HELD AT ALEX BROWN		
Б	OF MONE I MARKET FD FOR EDT	11.000		11.00
499B995		6.000		6.00
499B995		5.000		5.00
	ZW PRINCIPAL CASH	21000		0.00
		1.140		1.14
399A986		0.280		0.28
399A986		0.860		0.86
Μ	IORGAN GUARANTY TRUST CO OF NY	LIQUIDITY FUND	0.001	12/31/2007
		3,764,386.69		3,764,386.69
699B004		410,785.35		410,785.35
699B004		177,841.89		177,841.89
699B004		103,336.56		103,336.56
699B004		3,072,422.89		3,072,422.89
Μ	IORGAN GUARANTY TRUST CO OF NY		0.001	12/31/2008
		866,892.75		866,892.75
699B004		866,892.75		866,892.75
Ν	IORGAN GUARANTY TRUST CO OF NY		0.004	12/31/2007
(0000004		189,002.12		189,002.12
699B004 *	STATE STREET BANK & TRUST CO	189,002.12 SHORT TERM INVESTMENT FUND	1.000	189,002.12 12/31/2030
		4,455,608.19		4,455,608.19
74809S8		1,514,024.11		1,514,024.11
74809S8		1,319.28		1,319.28
74809S8		2,828,795.04		2,828,795.04
74809S8		111,469.76		111,469.76
		9,275,901.89		9,275,901.89

l	(B) Identity of	of Issuer	(C) Description of In Shares/Par		Rate	Mat Date (D) Cost	(E) Currer Value
GOV	VERNMENT SE	ECURITIES					
 I		UNITED STATES TREAS BDS	BD 28/11/15 5.250		5.250	11/15/2008	ļ
I				3,000,000.00		3,047,219.89	3,300,702
MA	912810FFO			3,000,000.00		3,047,219.89	3,300,702
1		UNITED STATES TREAS BDS		,,.	5.250	02/15/2029	- ,- ,
1				5,875,000.00	-	17,052,446.12	18,563,816
MA	912810FG8			5,875,000.00		17,052,446.12	18,563,816
I	-	UNITED STATES TREAS BDS	,	,,	5.375	02/15/2031	· · ·
I				140,000.00	-	148,842.97	157,729
MA	912810FP8			140,000.00		148,842.97	157,729
1	-	UNITED STATES TREAS BDS		/	4.750	02/15/2037	-
1				3,000,000.00		7,961,477.98	8,372,496
MA	912810PT9			3,000,000.00		7,961,477.98	8,372,496
			28	3,015,000.00		28,209,986.96	30,394,743
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(A) Fund	(B) Identity	of Issuer	(C) Description of Shares/P		Rate	Mat Date (D) Cost	(E) Current Value
CORPORA	ATE STOCKS	COMMON TRANSOCEAN INC	SHS NEW				
				8,420.000	C	1,147,400.18	1,205,323.00
05MV	G90073100			8,420.000	C	1,147,400.18	1,205,323.00
		AT+ T INC	COM				
				17,888.000		728,709.43	743,425.28
05MV	00206R102			17,888.000	C	728,709.43	743,425.28
		AIR PRODS + CHEMS					
		INC	COM		_		
				3,000.000		271,491.92	295,890.00
05MV	009158106			3,000.000	C	271,491.92	295,890.00
		AMERICA MOVIL	SPONS ADR REPS	TG SER L			
		SAB DE CV	SHS		-		
				10,421.000		336,649.70	639,745.19
05MV	02364W105			10,421.000)	336,649.70	639,745.19
		AMYLIN PHARMACEUTICALS INC					
				8,816.00)	331,438.39	326,192.00
05MV	032346108			8,816.000		331,438.39	326,192.00
		APPLE INC	COM NPV	-,			
				6,888.000	C	951,571.53	1,364,375.04
05MV	037833100			6,888.000		951,571.53	1,364,375.04
		BOEING CO	COM	-		·	
				2,907.000	C	260,763.24	254,246.22
05MV	097023105			2,907.000	C	260,763.24	254,246.22
		CVS CAREMARK					
		CORP	COM				
				17,110.000	C	671,462.28	680,122.50
05MV	126650100			17,110.000	C	671,462.28	680,122.50
		CAMERON INTL					
		CORP	COM				
				4,008.000	C	132,417.47	192,905.04
05MV	13342B105			4,008.000	C	132,417.47	192,905.04

		* CELANESE CORP DE	COM SER A		
			297,882.000	7,650,897.48	12,606,366.24
05MW	150870103		297,882.000	7,650,897.48	12,606,366.24
		CHINA MOBILE LTD	SPONSORED ADR		
			1,000.000	46,144.10	86,870.00
05MV	16941M109		1,000.000	46,144.10	86,870.00
			14		

(A) Fund	(B) Identity of Issuer		(C) Description of Investment Shares/Par Rate		Rate	Mat Date (D) Cost	(E) Current Value
		CISCO SYS INC	СОМ				
				4,117.000)	94,132.36	111,447.19
05MV	17275R102			4,117.000)	94,132.36	111,447.19
		COCA COLA CO	COM				
				4,904.000		301,677.82	300,958.48
05MV	191216100		GO 14	4,904.000)	301,677.82	300,958.48
		FEDEX CORP	COM	1 450 000		100 100 07	100 454 04
05101	2140037107			1,452.000		120,100.07	129,474.84
05MV	31428X106	GENENTECH INC	СОМ	1,452.000)	120,100.07	129,474.84
		GENENTECH INC	COM	17,988.000	,	1,070,786.40	1,206,455.16
05MV	368710406			17,988.000		1,070,786.40	1,206,455.16
0.5111	300710400	GENERAL		17,700.000	,	1,070,780.40	1,200,433.10
		DYNAMICS CORP	COM				
		D II (IIIIIO) COI	COM	9,570.000)	519,266.34	851,634.30
05MV	369550108			9,570.000		519,266.34	851,634.30
		GOLDMAN		,		,	,
		SACHS GROUP					
		INC	COM				
				5,910.000)	990,428.09	1,270,945.50
05MV	38141G104			5,910.000)	990,428.09	1,270,945.50
		GOOGLE INC	CL A				
				1,948.000		1,169,415.11	1,347,003.04
05MV	38259P508			1,948.000)	1,169,415.11	1,347,003.04
		HEINEKEN N.V.	ADR				
	100010000			9,540.000		221,287.36	304,803.00
05MV	423012202		0014	9,540.000)	221,287.36	304,803.00
		HESS CORP	COM	10 002 000	,	1 020 606 46	1 000 000 50
05MV	42809H107			10,003.000 10,003.000		1,029,606.46 1,029,606.46	1,008,902.58 1,008,902.58
USIVI V	420090107	HEWLETT		10,005.000	,	1,029,000.40	1,000,902.38
		PACKARD CO	СОМ				
				7,152.000)	344,868.35	361,032.96
				7,152.000	•	511,000.55	501,052.70

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05MV	428236103	INTEL CORP	СОМ		7,152.000	344,868.35	361,032.96
		INTEL COM	COM		25,456.000	558,166.10	678,656.96
05MV	458140100				25,456.000	558,166.10	678,656.96
		LAS VEGAS					
		SANDS CORP	COM				
					7,831.000	464,921.65	806,984.55
05MV	517834107				7,831.000	464,921.65	806,984.55
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(A) Fund	(B) Identity	dentity of Issuer		(C) Description of Investment Shares/Par Rate		Mat Date (D) Cost	(E) Current Value
		LEHMAN BROTHERS HLDGS INC	СОМ				
				11,967.00		690,712.37	783,120.48
05MV	524908100		CO 14	11,967.00		690,712.37	783,120.48
		LOCKHEED MARTIN CORP	COM	10.925.000		021 700 10	1 140 402 10
05MV	539830109			10,835.000 10,835.000		921,788.18 921,788.18	1,140,492.10 1,140,492.10
03101 0	339630109	LOWES COS INC	USDO.50	10,855.000		921,700.10	1,140,492.10
		LOWES COS INC	0500.50	20,937.000		614,889.51	473,594.94
05MV	548661107			20,937.000		614,889.51	473,594.94
		MGM MIRAGEINC	COM				
				7,105.000		269,163.99	596,962.10
05MV	552953101			7,105.000		269,163.99	596,962.10
		MASTERCARD INC	CL A				
				4,421.000		455,261.58	951,399.20
05MV	57636Q104			4,421.000		455,261.58	951,399.20
		MCDONALDS CORP	COM	20.007.000		1 550 000 01	1 501 500 15
05101	500105101			28,887.000		1,570,992.91	1,701,733.17
05MV	580135101	MEDCK + CO INC	СОМ	28,887.000		1,570,992.91	1,701,733.17
		MERCK + CO INC	COM	23,441.000		1,358,164.67	1,362,156.51
05MV	589331107			23,441.000		1,358,164.67	1,362,156.51
0.5111	507551107	MERRILL LYNCH + CO INC	COM	23,441.000		1,550,104.07	1,502,150.51
			0011	2,365.000		136,726.78	126,953.20
O5MV	590188108			2,365.000		136,726.78	126,953.20
		MICROSOFT CORP	COM				
				33,532.000		1,206,544.00	1,193,739.20
05MV	594918104			33,532.000		1,206,544.00	1,193,739.20
		MONSANTO CO NEW	COM				
				9,236.000		416,237.35	1,031,568.84
05MV	61166W101	NODDETDOMINIC	0014	9,236.000		416,237.35	1,031,568.84
		NORDSTROM INC	COM	1056000		155 105 64	140 076 00
05MV	655664100			4,056.000 4,056.000		155,405.64 155,405.64	148,976.88 148,976.88
VIVIV	055004100			4,030.000		155,405.04	140,970.08

		PETROLEO BRASILEIRO SA	SPONSORED ADR		
			9,023.000	884,841.74	1,039,810.52
05MV	71654V408		9,023.000	884,841.74	1,039,810.52

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		PRAXAIR INC	СОМ				
				8,238.000		501,087.14	730,792.98
05MV	74005P104			8,238.000	0	501,087.14	730,792.98
		QUALCOMM INC	COM	5 020 000	0	216 260 69	006 115 20
051411	747525102			5,238.000		216,269.68	206,115.30
05MV	747525103	SCHERING PLOUGH		5,238.000	0	216,269.68	206,115.30
		CORP	СОМ				
		COM	COM	18,531.000	n	514,187.23	493,665.84
05MV	806605101			18,531.000		514,187.23	493,665.84
0.5101 V	000002101	SCHLUMBERGER LTD	СОМ	10,001.000	0	511,107.25	199,005.01
				10,080.000	0	715,545.44	991,569.60
05MV	806857108			10,080.000		715,545.44	991,569.60
		TESCO PLC	SPONSORED ADR				
				8,567.000	0	247,728.71	239,876.00
05MV	881575302			8,567.000	0	247,728.71	239,876.00
		TOYOTA MTR CO	ADR 2 COM				
				5,122.000		524,845.41	543,802.74
05MV	892331307			5,122.000	0	524,845.41	543,802.74
		UNION PAC CORP	COM	(707 00)	0	(00 77(10	040 500 04
05MV	907818108			6,707.000		608,776.48	842,533.34
05IVI V	907818108	UNITEDHEALTH		6,707.000	0	608,776.48	842,533.34
		GROUP INC	СОМ				
			COM	23,385.0000	n	752,526.21	1,361,007.00
05MV	91324P102			23,385.0000		752,526.21	1,361,007.00
00101 (<i>y</i> 102 11 102	WELLS FARGO + CO		20,000.0000	0	,02,020.21	1,201,007.00
		NEW	СОМ				
				5,507.000	0	188,580.63	166,256.33
05MV	949746101			5,507.000	0	188,580.63	166,256.33
		WYNN RESORTS LTD	COM				
				3,995.000		260,804.69	447,959.35
05MV	983134107			3,995.000	0	260,804.69	447,959.35
		YUM BRANDS INC	COM				

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05MV	988498101		21,332.000 21,332.000	522,500.58 522,500.58	816,375.64 816,375.64
			766,718.000	33,147,182.75	44,164,220.33
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(A)		(C) Description of Investment		Mat Date	(E) Current
Fund	(B) Identity of Issuer	Shares/Par	Rate	(D) Cost	Value
LOANS TO) PARTICIPANTS OTHER LOANS TO PARTICIPANTS				
05ME	539998985	9,588,989.980 9,588,989.980		9,588,989.98 9,588,989.98	9,588,989.98 9,588,989.98
		9,588,989.980		9,588,989.98	9,588,989.98
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(A) Fund	(B) Identity	of Issuer	(C) Description of Investment Shares/Par	t Rate	Mat Date (D) Cost	(E) Current Value
COMMO	N/ COLLE CT	IVE TRUSTS				
		ALLIANCE COLLECTIVE INVT TR	BERNSTEIN STRATEGIC VALUE COL			
			9,493,956.287		86,443,340.90	154,751,487.45
05MB	018564823		9,493,956.287		86,443,340.90	154,751,487.45
		* JPMCB SPECIAL SITUATION	PROPERTY FUND			
			349.694		314,951.64	610,822.75
05ML	03499B925		49.453		45,258.28	86,379.79
05MN	03499B925		300.241		269,693.36	524,442.96
		BGI EQUITY INDEX FUND I				
			2,196,553.993		69,125,525.05	100,997,552.60
05MP	05799K984		2,196,553.993		69,125,525.05	100,997,552.60
		BGI RUSSEL 2000 ALPHA	TILTS CL F			
			2,876,302.644		38,056,791.48	45,618,159.93
05MU	05999K966		2,876,302.644		38,056,791.48	45,618,159.93

CG INTL NON US EQUITY

			1,131,161.500	34,935,604.21	43,764,638.44
05MH	12599Q971		1,131,161.500	34,935,604.21	43,764,638.44
		INTREPID AMERICA	COMMINGLED PENSION T	'R	
			9719929		
			357,478.917	6,809,337.54	7,020,885.93
05MD	46299E961		45,196.890	862,079.51	887,666.92
05ML	46299E961		97,861.920	1,854,528.07	1,922,008.11
05MN	46299E961		214,420.107	4,092,729.96	4,211,210.90
		* JPMCB STRATEGIC PROPERTY	FND		
			1,412.767	1,518,083.76	2,607,840.73
05MD	46599C921		424.264	394,970.74	783,153.16
05ML	46599C921		408.065	450,951.88	753,251.26
05MN	46599C921		580.438	672,161.14	1,071,436.31
		* JPMCB EAFE REI FUND			
			21,521.026	338,565.57	437,307.27
05MD	46799F989		21,521.026	338,565.57	437,307.27
		* JPMBC EMERGING MARKETS EQUITY	REF 29803779		
			25,656.610	435,586.78	1,034,217.94
05ML	46799G953		10,487.691	144,126.26	422,758.82
05MN	46799G953		15,168.919	291,460.52	611,459.12
		* JPMBC US ACTIVE FIXED CORE FD	REF 29803773		
			342,868.218	9,109,649.16	9,915,748.87

05MD 46799G961

172,803.196 4,458,477.57 4,997,468.43

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05ML	46799G961		112,908.955		3,064,813.26	3,265,326.98	
05MN	46799G961		57,156.067		1,586,358.33	1,652,953.46	
		* JPMCB US					
		QDV SMALL					
		CAP CORE EQ	97199691		1 107 000 00	1 052 502 04	
05MD	467005091		60,632.658		1,127,290.80	1,052,582.94	
05MD 05ML	46799S981 46799S981		14,434.818 9,850.961		275,116.87 183.818.93	250,588.44 171,012.68	
05ML 05MN	467998981		36,346.879		668,355.00	630,981.82	
0210111	107770701	* JPMCB US	30,310.075		000,555.00	050,901.02	
		SMARTINDEX					
		FUND					
			343,724.668		9,636,977.20	10,019,574.07	
05MD	467997987		133,006.853		3,736,256.66	3,877,149.76	
05ML	467997987		109,128.720		3,072,082.27	3,181,102.19	
05MN	467997987		101,589.095		2,828,638.27	2,961,322.12	
		* JPMBC EAFE EQUITY OPP					
		FD	REF 29803782				
			182,829.033		2,550,096.22	4,349,502.70	
05MD	467999926		22,345.767		284,231.68	531,605.80	
05ML	467999926		46,971.522		630,532.83	1,117,452.51	
05MN	467999926		113,511.744		1,635,331.71	2,700,444.39	
		* JPMBC US					
		REAL ESTATE					
		SECS FD	REF 29803783		1 1 (((57 2)	1 (42 4(2 (7	
05ML	467999934		46,862.380 14,530.763		1,166,657.38 336,077.63	1,643,463.67 509,593.86	
05ML 05MN	467999934		32,331.617		830,579.75	1,133,869.81	
0.51011	+0777773+	* JPMBC EAFE	52,551.017		050,577.75	1,155,007.01	
		PLUS FUND	REF 29803781				
			163,874.061		2,777,937.16	3,654,391.56	
05ML	467999942		45,242.805		797,703.86	1,008,914.55	

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05MN	467999942	* JPMCB US ACTIVE CORE		118,631.256	1,980,233.30	2,645,477.01
		PLUS		000 145 051	5 515 452 00	
				377,145.851	5,515,453.00	6,173,877.58
05ML	46899C951			116,511.944	1,705,666.97	1,907,300.52
05MN	46899C951			260,633.907	3,809,786.03	4,266,577.06
		* JPMCB CORE				
		BOND FUND	REF 97199695			
				891,864.637	9,479,186.45	10,051,314.46
05MD	46899E981			450,877.778	4,766,435.50	5,081,392.46
05ML	46899E981			286,133.299	3,044,463.39	3,224,722.28
05MN	46899E981			154,853.560	1,668,287.56	1,745,199.62
		* JPMBC US				
		STRATEGIC				
		SML CO EQ	REF 29803776			
				153,823.799	3,413,862.49	5,140,791.37
05MD	47299X926			20,692.107	328,867.30	691,530.22
05ML	47299X926			55,210.248	1,262,953.89	1,845,126.49
O5MN	47299X926			77,921.444	1,822,041.30	2,604,134.66
			20	1		

(A) Fund	(B) Identity of Issuer		(C) Description of Investment Shares/Par		t Rate	Mat Date (D) Cost	(E) Current Value
		* JPMBC CORP HIGH YIELD FD	REF 29803775				
				62,752.99		939,799.02	1,290,829.01
O5ML	47299X934			28,180.73		413,739.51	579,677.64
05MN	47299X934	* JPMBC EMERGING MKTS FIX		34,572.25	9	526,059.51	711,151.37
		INC FD	REF 29803773				
				42,334.46	0	883,345.05	1,594,739.11
O5ML	47299X942			17,006.14		343,473.61	640,621.37
05MN	47299X942	* JPMBC EMG MKTS FOCUSED		25,328.31	8	539,871.44	954,117.74
		FUND	REF 29803785				
				11,257.90	6	150,608.29	597,457.07
05MN	47299X967			11,257.90	6	150,608.29	597,457.07
				18,784,364.09	9	284,728,649.15	412,327,185.45
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(A) Fund	(B) Identity	of Issuer	(C) Description Share		Rate	Mat Date (D) Cost	(E) Current Value
REGISTE COMPAN	RED INVEST IY						
		PIMCO TOTAL RETURN					
		FD	INSTL CL	968,421.26		10,121,569.65	10,352,423.34
05MG	693390700			968,421.26		10,121,569.65	10,352,423.34
				968,421.26	7	10,121,569.65	10,352,423.34
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COMPOSITE SCHEDULE H, LINE 4I SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)

A) 'und	(B) Identity of I	Issuer	(C) Description of Investment Shares/Par	Rate	Mat Date (D) Cost	(E) Current Value
NSURAI	NCE CO. GENER	AL ACCOUNT				
		BANK OF				
l		AMERICA	CONTRACT NO. 02 011	5.000	12/31/2055	I
l			57,174,888.39		57,174,888.39	57,174,888.39
05MO	05999T9U4		57,174,888.39		57,174,888.39	57,174,888.39
		CAISSE DEPOTS ET			•	
1		CONSIGNATIONS	CONTRACT 1837 01	5.000	12/31/2055	I
l			57,167,052.34		57,167,052.34	57,167,052.34
05MO	1289969F4		57,167,052.34		57,167,052.34	57,167,052.34
		* STATE STREET			- , - ,	, -,
1		BANK	CONTRACT 102063	5.000	12/31/2055	
1			57,174,888.65	- · ·	57,174,888.65	57,174,888.65
05MO	8579939G6		57,174,888.65		57,174,888.65	57,174,888.65
			171,516,829.38		171,516,829.38	171,516,829.38
:	* Party-in-interes	st				

SIGNATURES

The Plan. Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Plan Administrator has duly caused this annual report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Celanese Americas Retirement Savings Plan

By: /s/ Miguel Desdin

Miguel Desdin Vice President and Controller of Celanese Corporation (Principal Accounting Officer) Vice President of Celanese Americas Corporation

Date: June 27, 2008