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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-K**

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

DATE OF REPORT (DATE OF EARLIEST EVENT REPORTED) February 7, 2008

**NORDSTROM, INC.**

(EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)

WASHINGTON	001-15059	91-0515058
(STATE OR OTHER JURISDICTION OF INCORPORATION)	(COMMISSION FILE NUMBER)	(I.R.S. EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NO.)
1617 SIXTH AVENUE, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON (ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES)		98101 (ZIP CODE)

REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA CODE (206) 628-2111

INAPPLICABLE  
(FORMER NAME OR FORMER ADDRESS IF CHANGED SINCE LAST REPORT)

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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ITEM 7.01 REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

On February 7, 2008, Nordstrom, Inc. issued a press release announcing its preliminary January 2008 sales. A copy of this press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

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SIGNATURE

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 hereunto duly authorized.

NORDSTROM, INC.

By: /s/ Lisa G. Iglesias

Lisa G. Iglesias  
Executive Vice President,  
General Counsel and Corporate  
Secretary

Dated: February 7, 2008

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EXHIBIT INDEX

EXHIBIT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
99.1	Nordstrom January 2008 Preliminary Sales Release, dated February 7, 2008.

For Immediate Release

February 7, 2008

### **NORDSTROM REPORTS JANUARY SALES**

**SEATTLE — February 7, 2008** — Nordstrom, Inc. (NYSE: JWN) today reported preliminary sales of \$486.3 million for the four-week period ended February 2, 2008, compared to sales of \$610.1 million for the five-week period ended February 3, 2007. Same-store sales decreased 6.6 percent and total sales decreased 20.3 percent. Notably, the 2006 fiscal calendar had 53 weeks compared to the company's normal operating calendar of 52 weeks. As a result, both the previous January sales period and the fourth quarter of fiscal 2006 had one additional week compared to the same periods in fiscal 2007. Excluding the extra week of sales in January of fiscal 2006 for comparative purposes, January total sales decreased 1.2% in fiscal 2007. The extra week of sales affects the total sales calculations, but does not affect same-store sales calculations.

Preliminary 2007 fourth quarter sales were \$2.51 billion compared to 2006 fourth quarter sales of \$2.63 billion. Fourth quarter same-store sales decreased 0.7 percent and total sales decreased 4.4 percent. Excluding the extra week of sales in the fourth quarter of 2006, total sales were flat in the fourth quarter of 2007.

Preliminary fiscal year 2007 sales were \$8.83 billion compared to fiscal year 2006 sales of \$8.56 billion. Fiscal 2007 same-store sales increased 3.9 percent and total sales increased 3.1 percent. Excluding the extra week of sales in fiscal 2006, total sales increased 4.6% in fiscal year 2007.

#### **SALES RECORDING**

To hear Nordstrom's pre-recorded January sales message, please dial (402) 220-6036. This recording will be available for one week.

#### **JANUARY SALES RESULTS**

(unaudited; \$ in millions)

	<i>Total Sales<sup>1</sup></i>			<i>Same-store Sales<sup>2</sup></i>		
	<i>Fiscal 2007</i>	<i>Fiscal 2006</i>	<i>Percent Increase/ (Decrease)</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Full-line Stores</i>	<i>Rack Stores</i>
January	\$ 486.3	\$ 610.1	(20.3)%	(6.6)%	(8.2)%	0.8%
Fourth Quarter	\$ 2,514.2	\$ 2,630.9	(4.4)%	(0.7)%	(2.3)%	5.8%
Fiscal Year	\$ 8,828.0	\$ 8,560.7	3.1%	3.9%	2.5%	8.7%
Number of stores <sup>3</sup>						
Full-line	101	98				
Rack and other	55	53				
Façonnable boutiques	—	40				
Total	<u>156</u>	<u>191</u>				
Gross square footage	20,502,000	20,170,000				

1 Due to the 53<sup>rd</sup> week in the fiscal 2006 calendar, the final period last year included a fifth week, which negatively impacts 2007 reported results. Total sales results include sales from the company's international Façonnable boutiques through August 31, 2007 and the company's domestic Façonnable boutiques through October 31, 2007.

2 Same-store sales results exclude sales from Façonnable.

3 On October 31, 2007, the company completed the previously announced sale of Façonnable.

#### **EXPANSION UPDATE**

On February 15, 2008, the company plans to open a full-line store at Aventura Mall in Aventura, Fla.

#### **FUTURE REPORTING DATES**

Nordstrom's financial release calendar for the next three months is currently planned as follows:

Fourth Quarter Earnings Release

Mon., February 25, 2008

February Sales Release  
March Sales Release  
April Sales Release

Thurs., March 6, 2008  
Thurs., April 10, 2008  
Thurs., May 8, 2008

Nordstrom, Inc. is one of the nation's leading fashion specialty retailers, with 156 stores located in 28 states. Founded in 1901 as a shoe store in Seattle, today Nordstrom operates 101 Full-line stores, 50 Nordstrom Racks, two Jeffrey boutiques, one free-standing shoe store, and two clearance stores. In addition, Nordstrom serves customers through its online presence at [www.nordstrom.com](http://www.nordstrom.com) and through its catalogs. Nordstrom, Inc. is publicly traded on the NYSE under the symbol JWN.

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*Certain statements in this news release contain or may suggest "forward-looking" information (as defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995) that involves risks and uncertainties. The company's SEC reports, including its Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended February 3, 2007, contain factors that could affect the company's financial results and cause actual results to differ materially from any forward-looking information the company may provide. The company undertakes no obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements to reflect subsequent events, new information or future circumstances.*