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

For the quarterly period ended January 31, 2010

or

o 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: 0-11306

VALUE LINE, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New York 13-3139843

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

220 East 42nd Street, New York, New York

10017-5891

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(212) 907-1500

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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 "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Website, 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 " Accelerated filer " Non-accelerated filer x Smaller reporting company " (Do not check if a 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

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date.

Class

Outstanding at January 31, 2010

Common stock, \$.10 par value

9,981,600 Shares

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Part I - Financial Information Item 1. Financial Statements

Value Line, Inc. Consolidated Condensed Balance Sheets (in thousands, except share amounts)

Jan. 31, Apr. 30, 2010 2009 (unaudited)

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Assets				
Current Assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents (including short term investments of \$13,805 and \$42,068,	4		Φ.	10.006
respectively)	\$	14,224	\$	42,936
Trading securities		6,375		17,203
Securities available for sale		44,287		46,526
Accounts receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of \$58 and \$47, respectively		2,239		2,353
Receivable from affiliates		1,897		1,312
Prepaid and refundable income taxes		1,920		-
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		1,020		1,047
Deferred income taxes		6,235		493
Total current assets		78,197		111,870
Long term assets				
Property and equipment, net		4,307		4,474
Capitalized software and other intangible assets, net		631		1,211
Deferred income taxes		2,626		-
Total long term assets		7,564		5,685
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Total assets	\$	85,761	\$	117,555
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Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity				
Current Liabilities:				
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$	3,709	\$	2,865
Accrued salaries	Ψ	1,316	Ψ	1,438
Dividends payable		1,996		2,994
Accrued taxes payable		- 1,550		392
Reserve for settlement		4,000		272
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