

DANAHER CORPORATION CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER COMMENTS ON OUTLOOK

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Danaher Corporation announced today that its President and Chief Executive Officer, H. Lawrence Culp, Jr., affirmed the Company's previously given guidance range of \$.61 to \$.66 earnings per share for the 2003 first quarter and \$3.13 to \$3.28 earnings per share for the 2003 full year. Danaher presented today at an investor conference sponsored by Salomon Smith Barney in New York City. A replay of the presentation is available at <http://www.danaher.com/>.

Danaher Corporation is a leading manufacturer of Process / Environmental Controls and Tools and Components. (<http://www.danaher.com/>)

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