CHORDIANT SOFTWARE INC Form 8-K April 01, 2008

#### **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): April 1, 2008

# CHORDIANT SOFTWARE, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)
Delaware 93-1051328
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

Commission file number:

000-29357

20400 Stevens Creek Boulevard, Suite 400 Cupertino, CA 95014 (Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (408) 517-6100

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[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On April 1, 2008, Chordiant Software, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release (the "Press Release") announcing selected preliminary financial results for the second fiscal quarter ended March 31, 2008. A copy of the Press Release is being filed as exhibit 99.1 hereto.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (c) Exhibits
- 99.1 Press release issued by Chordiant Software, Inc. dated April 1, 2008.

#### Safe Harbor Statement

This current report on Form 8-K includes "forward-looking statements" that are subject to risks, uncertainties and other factors that could cause actual results or outcomes to differ materially from those contemplated by the forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements in this report are generally identified by words, such as "believes," "anticipates," "plans," "expects," "will," "would," "guidance," "projects" and similar expressions which are intended to identify forward-looking statements. There are a number of important factors that could cause the results or outcomes discussed herein to differ materially from those indicated by these forward-looking statements, including, among others, the result of potential changes in accounting estimates associated with percentage of completion projects, related changes in compensation and royalty expenses. Further information on potential factors that could affect Chordiant are included in risks detailed from time to time in Chordiant's SEC filings, including, without limitation, Chordiant's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2007, and Chordiant's most recent quarterly report on Form 10-Q. These filings are available on a Web site maintained by the Securities and Exchange Commission at http://www.sec.gov. Chordiant does not undertake an obligation to update forward-looking or other statements in this report.

## **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.

Dated: April 1, 2008 CHORDIANT SOFTWARE, INC

By: /s/ STEVEN R. SPRINGSTEEL
Steven R. Springsteel
Chairman, President and Chief
Executive Officer