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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20549**

FORM 6-K

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER
PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the month of January 2007

CNH GLOBAL N.V.

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Summary North American Retail Unit Sales Activity
For Selected Agricultural and Construction Equipment
During the Month of December and Cumulative for 12 Months 2006,
and Indicators of North American Dealer Inventory Levels for Selected Agricultural
Equipment at the End of November 2006
Relative to Industry Results or Levels, Compared with Prior Year Periods

The following table summarizes selected agricultural and construction equipment industry retail unit sales results in North America as compared with prior year periods. Industry results for the current periods are expressed as a percentage change from the prior year periods, by major product category. The percentage change reflects only industry retail unit sales results and is derived from flash, or preliminary actual, data of the U.S. Association of Equipment Manufacturers (AEM) and of the Canadian Farm and Industrial Equipment Institute (CFIEI). These industry data are based on unit sales as preliminarily reported by AEM and CFIEI member companies and include most, but not all, of the equipment sold in each of the categories. The data are subject to revision from time to time and caution should be maintained when using the data for any purpose. Actual results will vary and may not be known for some time. Over time, industry results will be adjusted to reflect actual sales differences, reclassifications, or other factors. Retail unit sales will fluctuate from month to month due to several factors, including timing of new products and new product introductions, product availability, and sales programs. CNH Global N.V.'s performance for the same periods is described relative to the change in industry results.

Also included in the table are indicators of North American dealer inventory levels. Industry data are derived from the flash, or preliminary actual, data of the AEM and CFIEI and expressed as the number of months of inventory on hand, based on the simple average of the previous 12 months retail unit sales results. CNH Global N.V.'s dealer's inventory levels for the same periods are described relative to the industry levels.

This information reflects point-in-time data that is not necessarily representative of either the market or of CNH Global N.V.'s relative performance going forward, nor does it reflect or imply any forward-looking information regarding the market or CNH Global N.V.'s relative performance in that market.

Copies of the relevant monthly Agricultural Flash reports from AEM and CFIEI follow the table.

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December N.A. Activity

**SUMMARY OF NORTH AMERICAN RETAIL
ACTIVITY**

CATEGORY	Total North American INDUSTRY	CNH RELATIVE PERFORMANCE (All Brands)
RETAIL UNIT SALES: MONTH of DECEMBER 2006		
Agricultural Tractors: under 40 horsepower (2WD)	+1.5%	up mid single digits
40 to 100 horsepower (2WD)	+7.0%	up moderate double digits
over 100 horsepower (2WD)	(5.0)%	up low double digits
4 wheel drive tractors	+2.7%	up high double digits
Sub total tractors over 40 hp	+3.9%	up moderate double digits
Total Ag tractors	+2.8%	up low double digits
Combines	(6.0)%	down high single digits
Loader/backhoes	down moderate double digits	down low double digits, moderately less than the industry
Skid Steer Loaders	down moderate double digits	down moderate double digits, slightly less than the industry
Total Heavy Construction Equipment	down low double digits	down low double digits, moderately worse than the industry
RETAIL UNIT SALES: 12 MONTHS, 2006		
Agricultural Tractors: under 40 horsepower (2WD)	(2.5)%	down low double digits

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40 to 100 horsepower (2WD)	+0.6%	up low single digits, equal to the industry
over 100 horsepower (2WD)	(13.3)%	down low double digits, slightly less than the industry
4 wheel drive tractors	(14.8)%	down low double digits, slightly less than the industry
Sub total tractors over 40 hp	(3.0)%	down low single digits, equal to the industry
Total Ag tractors	(2.7)%	down mid single digits, slightly worse than the industry
Combines	(6.5)%	down mid single digits, in line with the industry
Loader/backhoes	down low double digits	down high single digits
Skid Steer Loaders	down low double digits	down mid single digits, moderately less than the industry
Total Heavy Construction Equipment	up low single digits	flat

**DEALER
INVENTORIES:
END OF NOVEMBER
2006**

Agricultural Tractors: under 40 horsepower (2WD)	5.9 months supply	in line with the industry
40 to 100 horsepower (2WD)	5.9 months supply	in line with the industry
over 100 horsepower (2WD)	4.6 months supply	1 month higher than the industry
4 wheel drive tractors	3.0 months supply	1 month higher than the industry
Total tractors	5.7 months supply	in line with the industry
Combines	2.4 months supply	> 1 month higher than the industry

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Industry Trends**U.S. Ag Flash Reports****December 2006 Flash Report****U.S. Unit Retail Sales**

(Report released 1/11/2007)

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	December	December	%	Y-T-D	Y-T-D	%	November
	2006	2005	Chg.	2006	2005	Chg.	2006
							U.S. Field
							Inventory
Equipment							
Farm Wheel Tractors - 2 Wheel Drive							
Under 40 HP	7,985	7,971	0.2	122,340	127,403	-4.0	60,099
40 & Under 100 HP	6,580	6,259	5.1	75,555	75,684	-0.2	37,366
100 HP & Over	1,813	1,988	-8.8	16,682	19,771	-15.6	6,249
Total - 2 Wheel Drive	16,378	16,218	1.0	214,577	222,858	-3.7	103,714
Total - 4 Wheel Drive	272	262	3.8	2,988	3,638	-17.9	768
Total Farm Wheel Tractors	16,650	16,480	1.0	217,565	226,496	-3.9	104,482
Combines (Self-Propelled)	809	841	-3.8	6,177	6,733	-8.3	1,155

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These data are, in part, estimates that are subject to revisions when final detail data become available. Because of the seasonal nature of the industry, comparisons of monthly data from one period to another should be done with extreme caution. These data represent most, but not all, of the manufacturers in each product category being sold at retail in the fifty states and the District of Columbia.

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Industry Trends**Canadian Ag Flash Reports****December 2006 Flash Report Canada Unit Retail Sales**

(Report released 1/11/2007)

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Equipment	December			December YTD			November	November
	2006	2005	% Chg.	2006	2005	% Chg.	2006 Canadian (Field) Inventory	2005 Canadian (Field) Inventory
Farm Wheel Tractors - 2 Wheel Drive								
Under 40 HP	706	593	19.1	9,856	8,198	20.2	4,630	3,718
40 & Under 100 HP	735	576	27.6	7,386	6,760	9.3	2,996	2,612
100 HP & Over	378	318	18.9	3,735	3,780	-1.2	1,629	1,445
Total - 2 Wheel Drive	1,819	1,487	22.3	20,977	18,738	11.9	9,255	7,775
Total - 4 Wheel Drive	68	69	-1.4	655	637	2.8	141	216
Total Farm Wheel Tractors	1,887	1,556	21.3	21,632	19,375	11.6	9,396	7,991
Combines (Self-Propelled)	121	148	-18.2	1,583	1,564	1.2	389	373

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SIGNATURES

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, thereunto duly authorized.

CNH Global N.V.

By: /s/ Camillo Rossotto
Camillo Rossotto
Treasurer

January 17, 2007