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Washington, D.C. 20549



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FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Issuer
Pursuant To Rule 13a-16 Or 15d-16
Of The
Securities Exchange Act of 1934



For the month of May 2002

Commission File Number 1-11854

NATUZZI INDUSTRIES S.p.A.

(Translation of Registrant's name into English)

Via Iazzitiello 47
70029 Santeramo, Italy
(Address of principal office)

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(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.)

(Check One) Form 20-F Form 40-F

(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.)

(Check One) Yes No

(If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b). 82-__.)



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Natuzzi S.p.A. First Quarter 2002 Financial Results and Conference Call

BARI, Italy, May 13 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Natuzzi S.p.A. (NYSE: NTZ) announces that FIRST QUARTER 2002 FINANCIAL RESULTS will be released on Tuesday, May 21, 2002 at 4:00 p.m. New York time (9:00 p.m. London time - 10:00 p.m. Italian time).

Pasquale Natuzzi, Chief Executive Officer and Chairman, Giuseppe Desantis, Vice Chairman, Fred Starr, Chief Executive Officer and President Natuzzi Americas, and Nicola Dell'Edera, Finance Director will discuss financial results, followed by a question and answer session, in a teleconference at 10:00 a.m. New York time (3:00 p.m. London time - 4:00 p.m. Italian time) on May 22, 2002.

Webcast of this event available at: <http://www.natuzzi.com> .

About Natuzzi S.p.A.

Founded in 1959 by Pasquale Natuzzi, Natuzzi S.p.A. designs and manufactures a broad collection of leather upholstered residential furniture. Italy's largest furniture manufacturer, Natuzzi is the global leader in the leather segment, exporting its innovative, high-quality sofas and armchairs to 123 markets on 5 continents. Cutting-edge design, superior Italian craftsmanship, and advanced, vertically-integrated manufacturing operations underpin the Company's market leadership.

Since 1990, Natuzzi has sold its furnishings in Italy through the popular Divani & Divani by Natuzzi chain of 115 stores, which it licenses to qualified furniture dealers. Outside Italy, the Company sells to various furniture retailers, as well as through 52 licensed Divani & Divani by Natuzzi and Natuzzi branded stores.

Natuzzi S.p.A. was listed on the New York Stock Exchange on May 13, 1993. The Company is ISO 9001 and 14001 certified.

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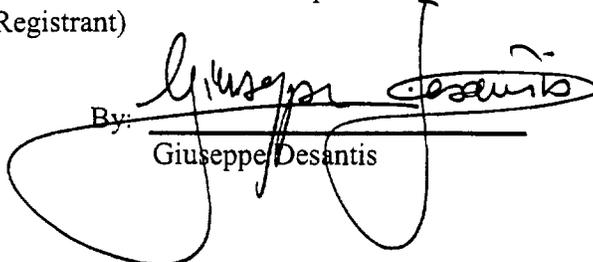
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SIGNATURES

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.

INDUSTRIE NATUZZI S.p.A.
(Registrant)

Date: May 15, 2002

By: 
Giuseppe Desantis