# THE TORO COMPANY

Serving Customers Through Superior Innovation and Superior Customer Care

Investor Presentation May 2017

















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#### OUR PURPOSE

To help our customers enrich the beauty, productivity and sustainability of the land. OUR VISION To be the most trusted leader

in solutions for

the outdoor

Every day. Everywhere.

environment.

#### OUR MISSION

To deliver superior innovation and to deliver superior customer care.



#### OUR GUIDING PRINCIPLES

The Toro Company's success is founded on a long history of caring relationships based on trust and integrity. These relationships are the foundation on which we build market leadership with the best in innovative products and solutions to make outdoor environments beautiful, productive, and sustainable. We are entrusted to strengthen this legacy of excellence.

### Help Our Customers

### Most Trusted

Superior Innovation & Superior Customer Care

### Caring Relationships

### INVESTOR THESIS (NYSE: TTC)

#### Summary

- Rich History and Deep Expertise in Solutions for the Outdoor Environment & Development of Distribution and Customer Care Networks
- Diverse Portfolio of Markets & Products
- Innovation & Brand Leadership
- 2014 Centennial—Launched Second Century



#### Opportunities

- Top-Line Growth Potential
- Margin Expansion Opportunity
- Strong Balance Sheet

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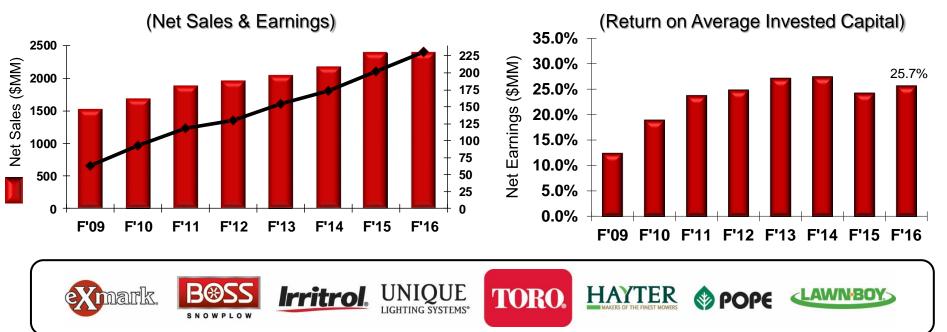
### COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS (NYSE: TTC)

#### Fiscal 2016

- Net sales grew 0.1% to \$2.392 billion dollars
- EPS grew 15.7% to a record \$2.06
- Professional segment sales drove full year positive results

#### 2017 Year to Date

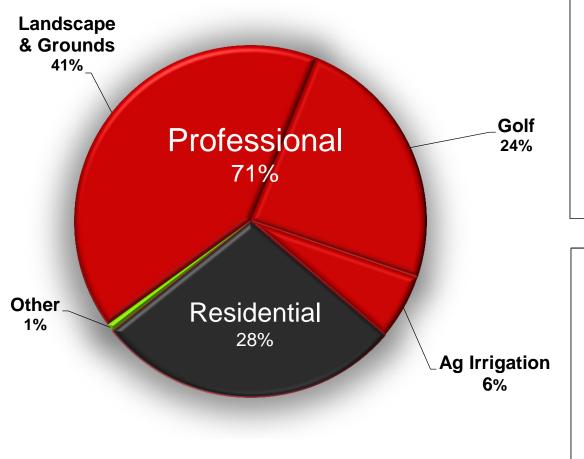
- Net sales grew 5% to \$1,388.6 million dollars
- EPS grew 14.7% to a record \$1.48
- Both Professional and Residential segments driving revenue results



#### **Financial Performance**

### DIVERSE PORTFOLIO F'16 REVENUES—\$2.4 BILLION

## Segments & Markets



#### Professional

F'16 Sales: \$1.71B F'16 Segment Earnings: 20.6%

- Innovation leader
- Performance, productivity & customer care relationships valued by customers
- Planned & more regular customer spending

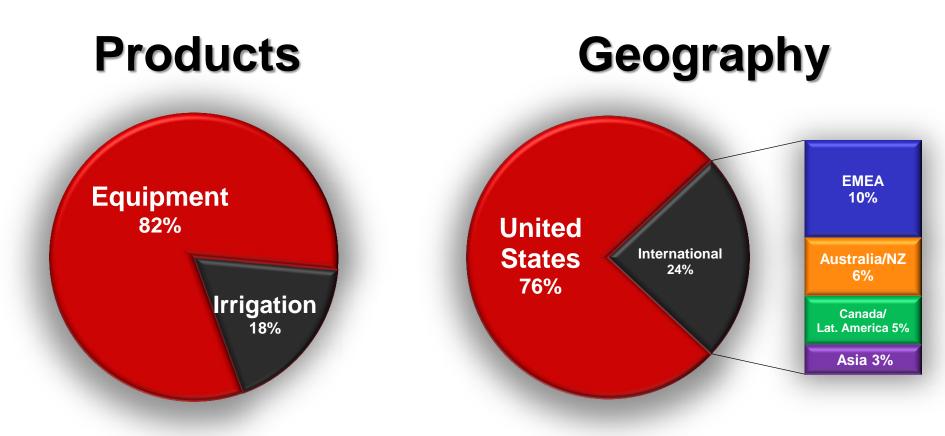
• Higher margins

#### Residential

F'16 Sales: \$669M F'16 Segment Earnings: 11.0%

- Powerful brands
- Strong sales channel & service network
- Innovation, quality & durability rewarded by customers

### **DIVERSE PORTFOLIO** F'16 REVENUES—\$2.4 BILLION





## **PROFESSIONAL - GOLF**

Worldwide Market

~15,500 Golf Courses



- Turf Equipment & Irrigation Systems
- Fundamentals & Opportunities
  - Existing Courses Replacing Equipment & Aging Irrigation Systems
  - International New Golf Course Development

### • TTC Advantage



- Powerful Brand
- Innovation & Performance—Share Gain & Margin Expansion
- Strong Network of Distributors, Relationships & Customer Care

### Key Competitors

- Worldwide Competitors
  - Equipment—Deere, Jacobsen (Textron)
  - Irrigation—Rainbird



### **PROFESSIONAL - LANDSCAPE & GROUNDS**





# PROFESSIONAL—LANDSCAPE & GROUNDS

### **Turf Equipment**

#### Worldwide Market

 Professional Landscape Maintenance, Sports Fields, Municipalities, Universities & Schools

### Fundamentals & Opportunities

- Heavy Use Drives Replacement & Parts
- Rural, Municipal & International Opportunities

#### TTC Advantage



– ZTR Leadership

- Product Innovation, Durability & Quality
- Toro & Exmark Channel Strength

### Key Competitors

- Scag, Deere, Hustler, Kubota
  - + Many Smaller Competitors

### **Snow & Ice Management**

### Worldwide Market

- Professional Snow Removal, Municipalities

### Fundamentals & Opportunities

- Critical Products for Event Driven Non-Discretionary Services
- Severe Environments Drive Replacement & Parts
- Product Expansion & International Opportunities

### TTC Advantage



- Strong Brand & Market Leadership
- Product Innovation, Durability & Quality
- Regional Channel Strength



- Key Competitors
  - Douglas Dynamics (Western, Fisher, Blizzard), Meyer, Sno-Way, Curtis, Buyer's, Hiniker



# PROFESSIONAL—LANDSCAPE & GROUNDS (CONTINUED)

### **Irrigation & Lighting**

#### Worldwide Market

- Residential & Commercial Applications
- Contractor Installed

### Fundamentals & Opportunities

- Housing / Commercial Construction Recovery
- Share Expansion Opportunities
- Increasing Demand for Efficient Water Solutions

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### TTC Advantage

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Innovation Leadership for Irrigation & Lighting Systems

### Key Competitors

- Irrigation—Rainbird, Hunter
- Lighting—FX, Vista



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### **Rental & Specialty Construction**

### Worldwide Market

- Rental—Rental Companies & Contractors
- Construction—Utility Contractors & Public Works

### Fundamentals & Opportunities

- Rental—Heavy Use Drives Replacement & Parts; Customer Rent & Buy Opportunities
- Construction—Infrastructure Development & Utility Improvements

### TTC Advantage





Leverage Brand & Product Leadership



- Innovation & International Opportunities
- Key Competitors
  - Rental—Vermeer, Ditch Witch, Wacker, Multi Quip, + Various Others



- Construction—Vermeer, Ditch Witch

### PROFESSIONAL— AGRICULTURE IRRIGATION

Worldwide Market

### Micro-Irrigation Solutions

- Drip Tape—High Value Row Crops (*e.g.* Onions, Strawberries)
- Drip Line—Permanent Crops (e.g. Vineyards, Fruit Trees)

### Fundamentals & Opportunities

- Efficient Water Use & Higher Demand for Food Production
- Increase Yields & Reduce Resources (e.g. Water, Energy, Fertilizer)

### • TTC Advantage

- Product Quality & Innovation—Blue Stripe® and AquaTraxx®
- Leverage Investments in New Geographic Markets—Romania & China
- Product Expansion Opportunities (e.g. Controls, Sensors)

### Key Competitors

- Netafim, Jain Irrigation, RIVULIS (acquired from Deere by FIMI)





	Flood	Center Pivot	Micro
Acreage	50%	40%	10%
Efficiency	40%	70%	90%+



### RESIDENTIAL

- Worldwide Market
- Lawn, Garden & Snow Equipment
  - Walk-Behind & ZTR Mowers, Snow Throwers, Handheld Maintenance Products

### Fundamentals & Opportunities

- U.S. WPM Replacement Market (~5M WPMs/Year)
- ZTR Growth Opportunity
- Innovation Rewarded

### TTC Advantage

Powerful Brands





- Leadership in Product Innovation, Quality & Durability
- Strong Home Center Relationship
- Strong Servicing Dealer Network

### Key Competitors

- Craftsman, John Deere, Ariens, Husqvarna, MTD, Briggs & Stratton







### MANAGEMENT DEPTH



### Toro Officer Team

### 22 Year Average

### DRIVING CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT THROUGH EMPLOYEE INITIATIVES



#### <u>F'01 – F'03</u>

✓ Goal to achieve 5%
 PAT



- F'04 F'06
- ✓ Goal to achieve "6%+" PAT
- ✓ Goal to drive 8% 3 year compound revenue growth
- ✓ Began LEAN journey



- <u>F'07 F'09</u>
- Goal to drive 3 year compound revenue growth of 8%
- Goal to achieve "7%+"
  PAT
- ✓ Working capital as % of sales "in the teens"



<u>F'10</u>

 ✓ Singular Goal – 5% PAT



<u>F'11 – F'14</u>

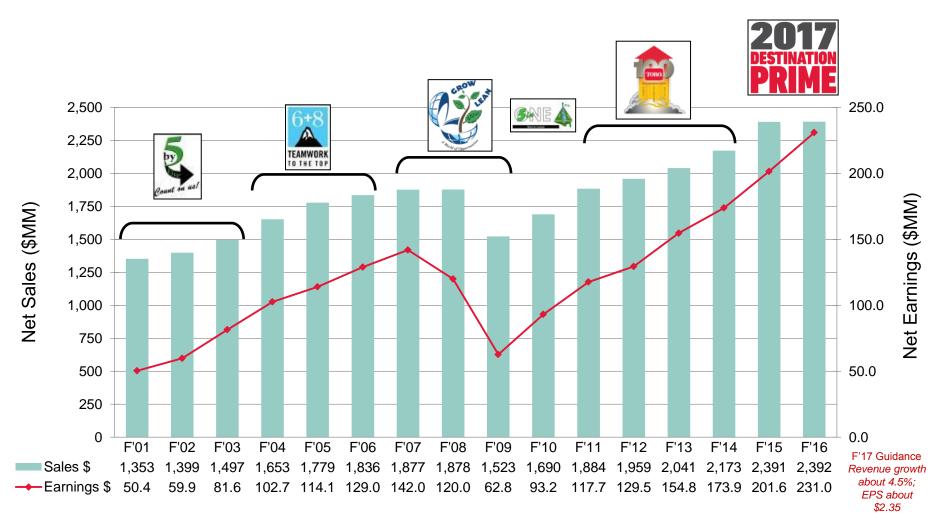
- \$100M+ organic growth each year
- ✓ 12%+ operating earnings by end of F'14



#### <u>F'15 – F'17</u>

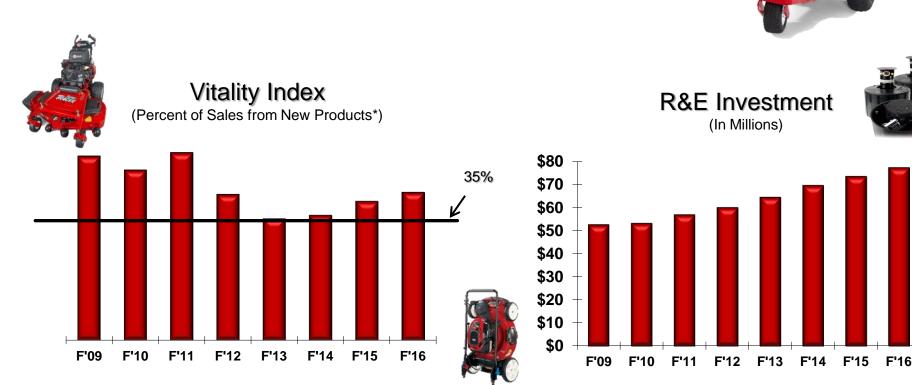
- 5% or more organic growth each year
- 13%+ operating earnings by end of F'17
- Working capital below 13% by end of F'17
- Productivity Relationships Innovation Momentum Excellence

### SALES & PROFIT IMPROVEMENT



### **INVESTMENTS IN GROWTH** DRIVING GROWTH IN THE CORE

- Leadership Through Innovation
  - Sustained 3%+ Investment in Research & Engineering
  - Passion to Address Customers Unmet Needs
  - Drive Market Share Gains & Margin Expansion



### **INVESTMENTS IN GROWTH** DRIVING GROWTH BEYOND THE CORE

Acquisitions

Golf

- Bias for Professional, International & Water Businesses
- Seeking Platforms for Growth—Adjacencies to Core Businesses
- Diligent Process—Right Opportunity & Price

### Underground/Rental

Astec (F'12), Stone (F'12), Lawn Solutions (F'11), US Praxis (F'10)



### CASH DEPLOYMENT PHILOSOPHY

- Cash Conversion to Approximate Net Income
- **Debt-to-EBITDA** Ratio of 1-2x

### Continued Investment in the Business

- Projects to Drive Organic Growth
- Strategic Acquisitions

### Return to Shareholders

- Regular Dividends
- Share Repurchases

# CAPITAL DEPLOYMENT

### Cash From Operations



#### **Operating and Growth Needs**

- Internal Productive Assets
- Acquisitions & Alliances



#### **Return to Shareholders**

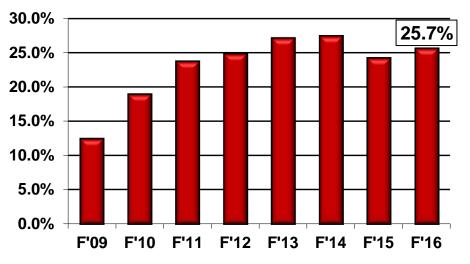
- Regular Dividends (30-40% of 3-Yr Average EPS)
- Share Repurchases

(\$ millions)	F'09	F'10	F'11	F'12	F'13	F'14	F'15	F'16
Operating Cash Flow	\$252	\$194	\$113	\$186	\$222	\$182	\$237	\$362
Capital Expenditures	\$38	\$49	\$57	\$43	\$49	\$71	\$56	\$51
Strategic Acquisitions	\$6	\$10	\$15	\$10	\$2	\$1	\$229	\$0
Dividends Paid	\$21	\$24	\$25	\$26	\$32	\$45	\$56	\$66
Share Repurchases	\$115	\$136	\$130	\$93	\$100	\$103	\$107	\$112
Total Capital Deployed	\$180	\$219	\$227	\$172	\$183	\$220	\$448	\$229
% of Operating Cash Flow	71%	113%	201%	93%	82%	121%	189%	63%

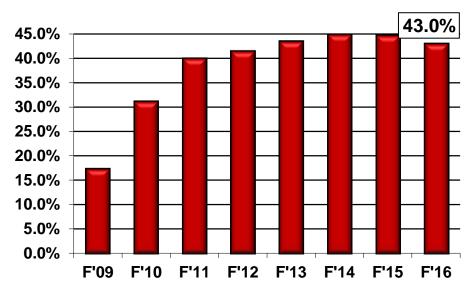
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### **KEY PERFORMANCE MEASURES** DELIVERING STRONG RETURNS

Return on Average Invested Capital (%)\*



#### Return on Average Equity (%)\*

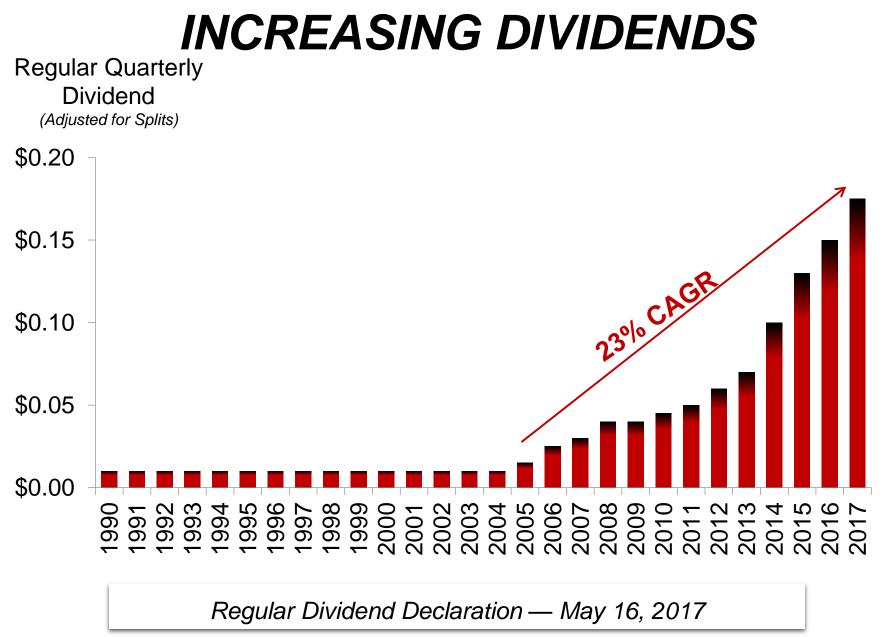


#### **Cash Flow**

	F'09	F'10	F'11	F'12	F'13	F'14	F'15	F'16
Operating Activities Net Cash	\$251.5M	\$193.5M	\$113.9M	\$185.8M	\$221.9M	\$182.4M	\$236.9M	\$361.9M
Cap Ex	(\$37.9M)	(\$48.7M)	(\$57.4M)	(\$43.2M)	(\$49.4M)	(\$71.1M)	(\$56.4M)	(\$50.7M)
Free Cash Flow **	\$213.6M	\$144.8 <b>M</b>	\$56.5M	\$142.6M	\$172.5M	\$111.3M	\$180.5M	\$311.2M

\*Non-GAAP Measures: refer to the Appendix of this presentation for additional information and reconciliation

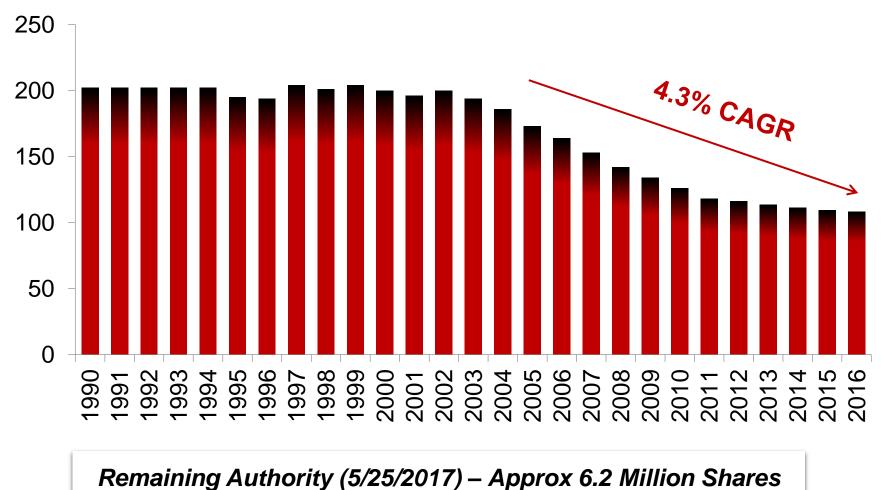
\*\*Free Cash Flow: Reconciliation Shown in Table



# **CONSISTENT SHARE REPURCHASES**

#### **Shares Outstanding In Millions**

(Adjusted for Splits)



### **INCREASING SHAREHOLDER VALUE** STOCK PRICE APPRECIATION

TTC Stock Price (Adjusted for Splits)



# SUMMARY

### Building on a Solid Foundation

- Beginning Our Second Century of Innovation, Relationships & Excellence
- Enduring Company Culture & Effective Employee Initiatives
- Demonstrated Consistent Financial Performance

### Leveraging a High Value Business Model

- Diverse Portfolio with Strong Brands & Market Share
- Solid Financial Returns & Strong Balance Sheet
- Consistent Return of Value to Shareholders

### Driving Growth and Profitability

- Top-Line Growth Potential
- Market Share & Margin Expansion Opportunities
- Disciplined Process & Financial Capacity for Acquisitions



## **APPENDIX**



### The Toro Company NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES

- This presentation contains certain non-GAAP financial measures.
- Management believes that the presentation of the non-GAAP measures provides useful information to investors and that these measures may assist investors in evaluating our operations.
- This Appendix includes a reconciliation of the non-GAAP financial measures used in the presentation to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measure.
- Non-GAAP financial measures have limitations as analytical tools, and should not be considered in isolation, or as a substitute for, our financial results prepared in accordance with U.S. GAAP.
- Investors should note that any non-GAAP financial measure we use may not be the same non-GAAP financial measure, and may not be calculated in the same manner, as that of other companies.

# **NON-GAAP RECONCILIATIONS**

#### Return on Average Invested Capital (%)

(\$ in Millions)	F'09	F'10	F'11	F'12	F'13	F'14	F'15	F'16
Op Earn * (1-Tax Rate)	\$75.6	\$99.8	\$124.2	\$135.7	\$157.5	\$178.4	\$207.2	\$233.7
Avg. Quarterly Capital Utilized	\$606.0	\$526.6	\$522.0	\$544.1	\$579.5	\$649.1	\$852.7	\$910.1
ROIC	12.5%	19.0%	23.8%	24.9%	27.2%	27.5%	24.3%	25.7%

Operating Earnings\* (1-Tax Rate) Avg. Quarterly Capital Utilized = ROIC

#### Return on Average Equity (%)

(\$ in Millions)	F'09	F'10	F'11	F'12	F'13	F'14	F'15	F'16
Net Income	\$62.8	\$93.2	\$117.7	\$129.5	\$154.8	\$173.9	\$201.6	\$231.0
Avg. Quarterly Equity	\$361.3	\$298.6	\$294.4	\$312.4	\$355.8	\$387.1	\$451.0	\$537.6
ROAE	17.4%	31.2%	40.0%	41.5%	43.5%	44.9%	44.7%	43.0%

Net Income Avg. Quarterly Equity = ROAE

### F'17 2Q & YTD RESULTS (RELEASED MAY 25, 2017)

	F'17 2Q	▲ from F'16 2Q	F'17 YTD	▲ from F'17 YTD
Revenues	\$872.8M	4.3%	\$1,388.6M	5.0%
Gross Margin (% of Revenues)	36.2%	0 bps	36.7%	0 bps
SG&A (% of Revenues)	18.0%	30bps	20.9%	0 bps
Operating Earnings	\$159.3M	2.7%	\$219.9M	5.2%
<b>Operating Earnings</b> (% of Revenues)	18.3%	(20 bps)	15.8%	0 bps
EPS	\$1.08	14.9%	\$1.48	14.7%

F'17 2Q Record Results

### **GUIDANCE** (AS OF MAY 25, 2017)

F'17 FY		
EPS:	About \$2.35	
Revenues:	About 4.5%	
Gross Margin: (% of Revenues)	Similar to F'16	
SG&A: (% of Revenues)	Slight improve	ment over F'16
Effective Tax Rate:	About 26.0%	
Effective Tax Rate: (Excluding impact of ASU 2016-09)	About 31.0%	(Excludes an estimated \$18 million discrete tax benefit resulting from adoption of ASU 2016-09)
CapEx:	About \$65M	
Depreciation & Amortization:	About \$70M	
Interest Expense:	Similar to F'16	
Share Repurchases:	Expect to sper	d at least as much as F'16
Free Cash Flow:	About \$225M	
F'17 Q3		

About \$0.56

EPS:

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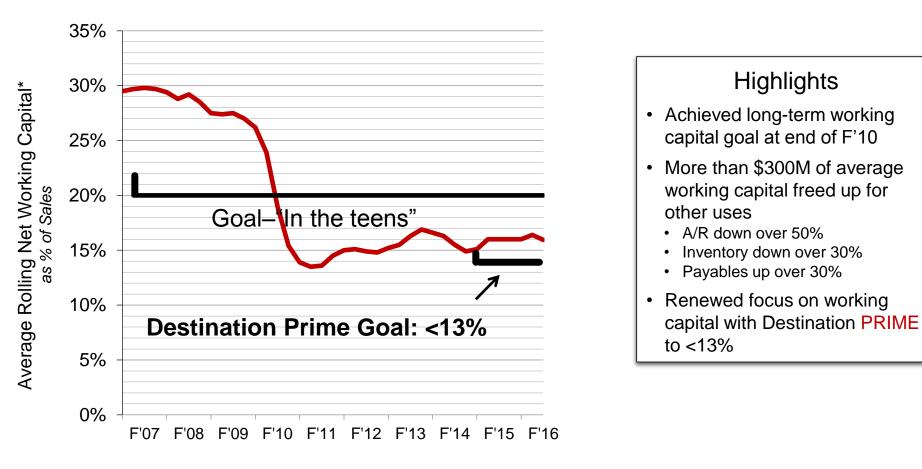
# EARNINGS HISTORY

(\$ millions except EPS)	F'07	F'08*	F'09	F'10	F'11	F'12	F'13	F'14	F'15	F'16
Net Sales	\$1,877.0	\$1,878.0	\$1,523.4	\$1,690.4	\$1,884.0	\$1,958.7	\$2,041.4	\$2,172.7	\$2,390.9	\$2,392.2
Percent Growth	5.5%	0.1%	-18.9%	11.0%	11.5%	4.0%	4.2%	6.4%	10.0%	0.1%
Gross Profit	\$678.4	\$652.7	\$511.0	\$576.4	\$636.6	\$673.1	\$724.8	\$773.3	\$835.90	\$874.60
% of Sales	36.1%	34.8%	33.5%	34.1%	33.8%	34.4%	35.5%	35.6%	35.0%	36.6%
SG&A	\$454.7	\$454.3	\$395.8	\$425.1	\$452.2	\$467.5	\$494.1	\$510.1	\$536.8	\$540.2
% of Sales	24.2%	24.2%	26.0%	25.1%	24.0%	23.9%	24.2%	23.5%	22.5%	22.6%
Operating Earnings	\$223.7	\$198.4	\$115.2	\$151.3	\$184.5	\$205.6	\$230.7	\$263.2	\$299.1	\$334.4
% of Sales	11.9%	10.6%	7.6%	9.0%	9.8%	10.5%	11.3%	12.1%	12.5%	14.0%
Other (Inc)/Exp	-\$9.0	-\$2.2	\$1.8	\$7.1	\$7.3	\$7.6	\$12.3	\$8.7	\$10.7	\$15.4
Interest Expense	\$19.4	\$19.3	-\$17.6	-\$17.1	-\$17.0	-\$16.9	-\$16.2	-\$15.4	-\$18.8	-\$19.3
 Pretax Earnings	\$213.2	\$181.3	\$95.8	\$141.3	\$174.8	\$196.3	\$226.7	\$256.4	\$291.0	\$330.5
% of Sales	11.4%	9.7%	6.3%	8.4%	9.3%	10.0%	11.1%	11.8%	12.2%	13.8%
Net Earnings	\$142.4	\$119.7	\$62.8	\$93.2	\$117.7	\$129.5	\$154.8	\$173.9	\$201.6	\$231.0
% of Sales	7.6%	6.4%	4.1%	5.5%	6.2%	6.6%	7.6%	8.0%	8.4%	9.7%
% Growth	24.8%	-15.9%	-47.5%	48.4%	26.3%	10.0%	19.5%	12.3%	15.9%	14.6%
EPS	\$0.85	\$0.78	\$0.44	\$0.70	\$0.93	\$1.07	\$1.31	\$1.51	\$1.78	\$2.06
% Growth	-30.6%	-8.8%	-43.9%	60.9%	32.1%	15.7%	22.4%	15.3%	17.5%	15.7%

# FYE BALANCE SHEET

(\$ millions)	F'08	F'09	F'10	F'11	F'12		F'13		F'14		F'15		F'16
Cash	\$ 99.4	\$ 187.8	\$ 177.4	\$ 80.9	\$ 125.9	\$	183.0	\$	314.9	\$	126.3	\$	273.6
Accts Receivable	\$ 256.3	\$ 143.7	\$ 142.9	\$ 148.1	\$ 147.4	\$	157.2	\$	158.2	\$	177.0	\$	163.3
Inventory	\$ 207.1	\$ 176.3	\$ 194.4	\$ 223.0	\$ 251.1	\$	240.1	\$	274.6	\$	334.5	\$	307.0
Current Assets	\$ 643.9	\$ 582.2	\$ 585.0	\$ 532.9	\$ 612.1	\$	653.3	\$	824.0	\$	710.7	\$	779.0
Total Assets	\$ 932.3	\$ 872.7	\$ 885.6	\$ 870.7	\$ 935.2	\$1	,002.7	\$1	,192.4	\$1	,303.7	\$1	,387.5
Short-Term Debt	\$ 2.3	\$ 4.5	\$ 1.0	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.0	\$	0.0	\$	20.8	\$	0.2	\$	0.0
<b>Total Curr Liabilities</b>	\$ 324.5	\$ 316.8	\$ 368.3	\$ 359.1	\$ 378.1	\$	388.8	\$	400.4	\$	443.7	\$	463.8
Long-Term Debt	\$ 227.5	\$ 228.8	\$ 225.5	\$ 227.2	\$ 225.3	\$	223.5	\$	347.3	\$	354.8	\$	331.4
Equity	\$ 364.7	\$ 315.2	\$ 275.8	\$ 266.8	\$ 312.4	\$	358.7	\$	408.7	\$	462.2	\$	550.0
Total Debt/Capital	39.0%	42.5%	45.1%	46.0%	41.9%		38.4%		47.4%		43.4%		37.6%
Average Debt	\$ 290.2	\$ 243.2	\$ 228.6	\$ 227.3	\$ 231.5	\$	223.8	\$	244.1	\$	399.6	\$	373.0

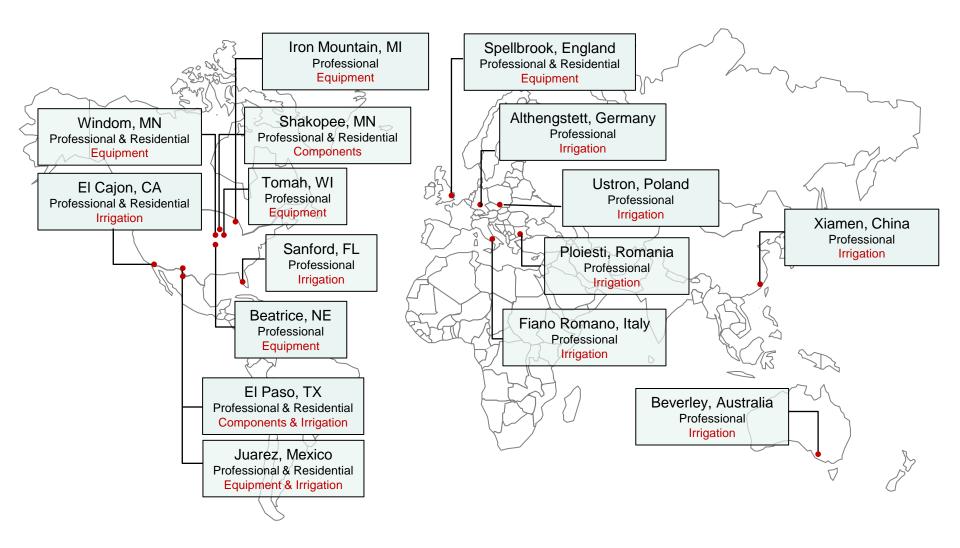
## WORKING CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT



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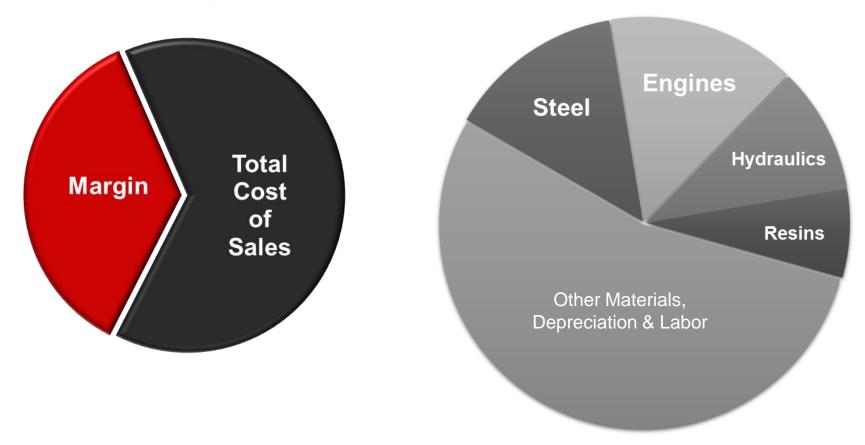
Average net working capital as % of net sales for trailing 12 months Net Working Capital = Accounts Receivable+ Net Inventory – Trade Payables

MANUFACTURING FACILITIES



## **MATERIAL COSTS**

### Major Components of Cost of Goods Sold



# PRIDE IN EXCELLENCE

### **People Values**

- Respect & Trust
- Teamwork/ Partnership
- Empowerment
- Coaching
- Recognition
- Communication

### **Performance Values**

- "Do What We Say We Will Do"
- Building Growth & Profitability
- Be Customer Driven
  With Urgency
- Embrace Risk & Opportunity
- Create & Leverage
  Innovation
- Continuously Improve

# **Environmental & Giving**

### **Environmental Principles**

- Committed to protecting the environment & improving resource management
- Help customers address environment challenges
- Endeavor to adopt sustainable practices & eliminate waste in our global operations
- Part of our design & business strategy, we go beyond just compliance

### Investment in Communities

- Endeavor to give 2% of domestic pretax income to support our communities and industries
- Provide people, products and financial resources to build healthy communities
- Focus on enriching outdoor environments and encouraging efficient use of water

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Differences that matter to growers...

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₽Water ₽Energy ♣Product Failure ₽Fertilizer