# MRC Global

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## We Make Energy Flow



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## **Global Leader in PVF Distribution**

Largest pipe, valves and fittings (PVF) distributor - 2017 Sales of \$3.646B

#### Key Role in Global Supply Chains of Energy Companies

- · Create value for both customers and suppliers
- Closely integrated into customer supply chains
- · Volume purchasing savings and capital efficiencies for customer

#### **Differentiated Global Capabilities**

- Footprint with ~300 service locations in 22 countries
- Premier quality program, material sourcing & customer service
- · Serve broad PVF needs making it convenient and efficient for customers

#### **Diversified Business Mix**

- Balanced portfolio across upstream, midstream & downstream sectors
- Product mix focused on higher margin offerings
- Strategic focus on maintenance, repair and operations (MRO) contracts
- Growing integrated supply & project business
- Serve 200+ fabrication customers and ~\$300M in annual revenue

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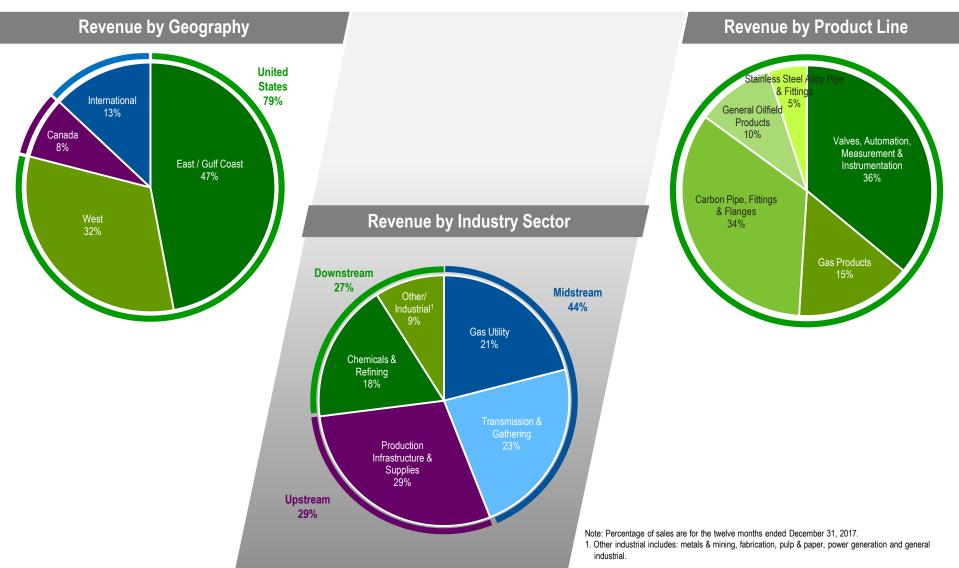


Midstream 44%





# Diversified by Region, Industry Sector and Product Line -Well Positioned Through Cycle



# Upstream – Providing Completion Infrastructure to E&P Operators

- Provide well hook-ups via on-site product trailers, above-ground infrastructure PVF products for flow lines & tank batteries
- Serve E&P operators including Shell, Chevron, Statoil and Canadian Natural Resources
- Primary drivers are customers' capital budgets for well completions & production tank battery upgrades and expansions
- Walk-in counter sales at strategically located branches in active oil and gas production areas
- Located in all major basins
- Upstream revenue follows basin market activity levels





# **Serving Midstream Customers**

## **Gas Utilities**

- Provide PVF and integrated supply services including smart meters
- Business drivers:
  - integrity projects
  - o pipeline enhancement projects
  - o independent of commodity prices
  - residential and commercial, new & upgrade installations
- Relatively stable, steady growth





## **Transmission & Gathering**

- Provide PVF to midstream gathering customers (e.g. MLPs)
- Provide PVF bulks & shorts and logistical services to long-haul transmission customers
- Benefit from recent pipeline approvals & modernization projects replacing older pipelines

## **Serving Downstream Customers**

## Refining

- Recurring MRO revenue from planned & unplanned maintenance
- Provide on-location "zone store" inventory
- Customers include Shell, Chevron, Phillips 66, Marathon Petroleum Company, BP and Valero





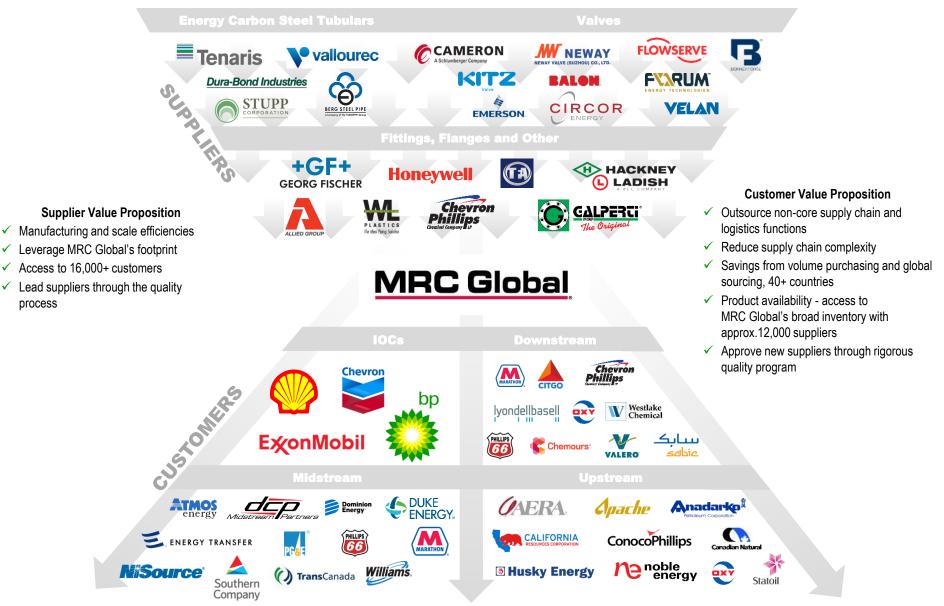
## **Chemical & Industrial**

- Low gas prices provide stable, advantaged feedstock for plastics
- Positioned to benefit from \$185B of planned U.S. petrochemical projects<sup>1</sup>
  - Including: ExxonMobil Gulf Coast

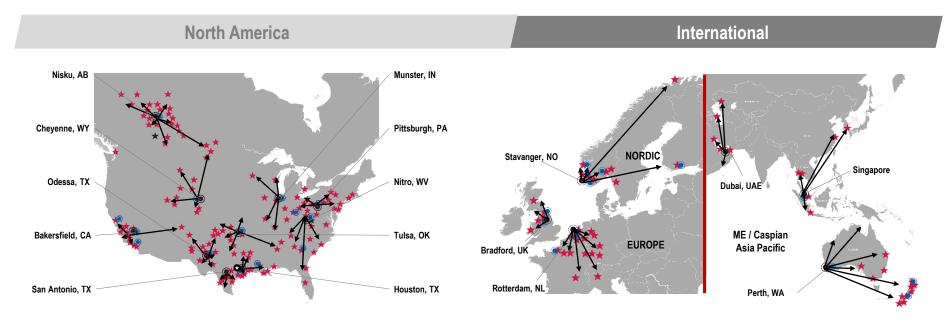
Shell – Franklin, PA LyondellBasell – Gulf Coast

1. Source: Wall Street Journal, "Shale Boom's Impact In One Word: Plastics", June 26, 2017.

# MRC Global is a Critical Link Between Its Customers & Suppliers



# Global Footprint – Strategically Located in Key Geographies to Deliver Solutions to Customers



North America	As of 12/31/2017
Branches	127
RDCs	10
VECs	14
Employees	~2,585



Branches50RDCs6VECs13Countries20Employees~855	lr	nternational	As of 12/31/2017
VECs 13 Countries 20	В	ranches	50
Countries 20	R	DCs	6
	V	ECs	13
Employees ~855	С	ountries	20
	E	mployees	~855

## **MRC Global's Differentiated Value Proposition**



## Strong Record of Customer Contract Wins and Renewals – Yields Growth Opportunities

#### 1. Renew Existing & Obtain New MRO Contract Customers

- Approximately 53% of sales are from our top 25 customers<sup>1</sup>
- 2. Expand Global Chemical and Valve businesses
  - Target 40% of total revenue from valves, automation, measurement and instrumentation

#### 3. Continue to Expand the Integrated Supply Business

- Approx. \$900 million in revenue<sup>1</sup>
- 4. Continue to Develop "Next 75" Customers
  - Drive share through focused sales efforts and exceptional customer service

Customer	Type/ Scope	Products	Geography	Term (years)
CNRL	Renewal with added scope	PVF	N.A.	3
Duke	Renewal with added scope	Integrated Supply	U.S.	6
DCP Midstream	Renewal	PVF	U.S.	5
Southern Co Gas	Renewal	Integrated Supply	U.S.	5
Shell	Renewal	PFF, Valves	N.A., Global	5
NiSource	Renewal with added scope	Integrated Supply	U.S.	5
ConocoPhillips	Renewal	PVF	U.S.	2
Chevron	Renewal	PVF	Global	7
Statoil	Additional scope	Valves, Fittings, Manifolds	Denmark, Norway	4 & Projects

Selected Recent Contract Wins and Renewals

## Leader in Executing Global PVF Contracts - a Platform for Growth

Customers prefer a dependable supplier who can offer global procurement capabilities and excellent service everywhere they operate.

MRC Global has executed the only global PVF contracts with IOCs in the industry.

- Shell Global valves & North American PFF
- Chevron Global PVF
- · ExxonMobil Global valves, initially focused on downstream

#### 2017

#### Shell

- 5 year renewal term
- Global valves & North American
   PFF

First global valve contract in 2012

#### 2017

#### Chevron

- 7 year renewal term
- Global PVF
- Leveraged U.S. agreement to add Canada, Europe, Australia, Thailand, Gulf of Mexico, Kazakhstan

Strategic geographic expansion since original 2003 contract

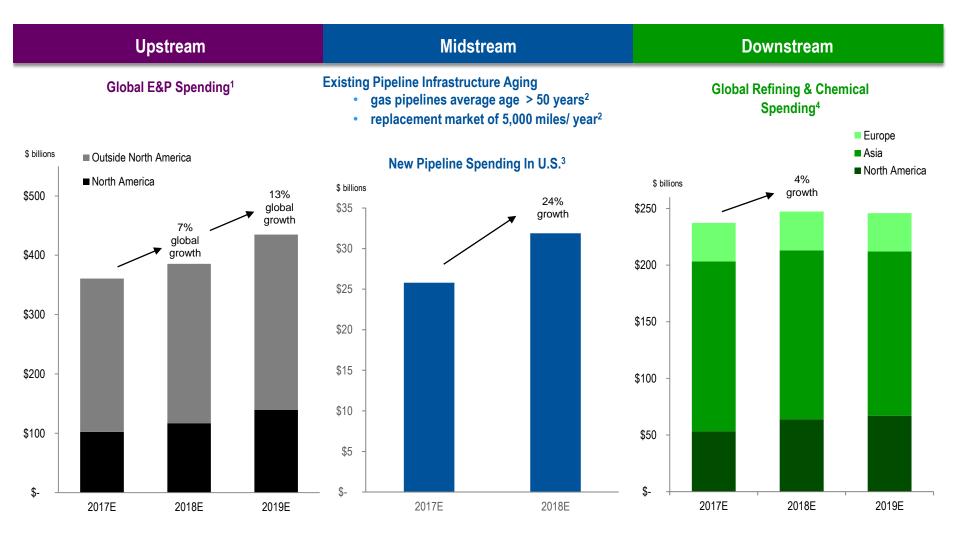
#### 2017

#### ExxonMobil

- 5 year renewal term
- Global valves for MRO & projects. Initially focused on downstream for the U.S., Europe & Asia Pacific

Opportunity to expand

## **End Market Growth Opportunities**



Sources:

1. Evercore ISI, "The 2018 Evercore ISI Global E&P Spending Outlook: A Pivotal Year for E&P Capital Deployment", published December 13, 2017.

2. Pipe Logix Line Pipe Market Review & Outlook, 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2017, Construction Outlook published May 2017.

3. Stifel Diversified Industrials Specialty Engineering and Construction, pipeline database January 2018. All tiers. Probability weighted.

4. Industrial Info Resources: February 2018. Asia excludes China.

# New Houston Regional Distribution Center -Supporting Growth & Continued Operational Efficiencies

- Consolidates four locations including three Houston locations, Galena Park, Darien & East Park
  - Large project staging capabilities
  - Easily scalable for growth
- Strategically located near refining and petrochemical customers
  - Supports growth from recent multi-year downstream customer contracts including ExxonMobil, BASF, LyondellBasell and The Chemours Company
- Largest global valve & engineering center (VEC) with expanded capabilities including valve testing services

Largest regional distribution center in global footprint with **415,000 ft<sup>2</sup>** including a **40,000 ft<sup>2</sup>** VEC



# **Investing in Technology for Long-Term Growth & Efficiency**

## Benefits of implementing ERP system in International segment:

- Moves from 14 systems to one
- Makes interaction with customers streamlined and efficient
- Provides one view of inventory, procurement and strategic inventory management
- Standardization of processes resulting in lower costs
- Completed in 2017

#### MRCGO<sup>™</sup> online catalog increased functionality added

- B-2-B for contract customers allows for easy and efficient ordering
- Customized for each customer's contract terms, part numbers, commonly ordered items
- Real-time inventory, pricing and order status
- Over \$110 million of YTD revenue generated through MRCGO™



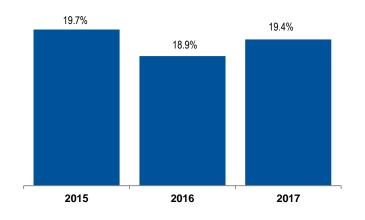


## **Focus on Optimizing Operations**

#### Working Capital Management

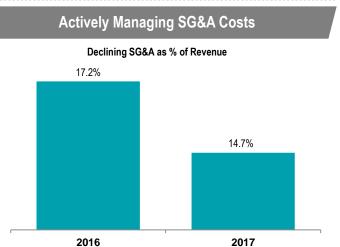
- Expect to maintain capital efficiency with working capital as a percentage of revenue at approximately 20%
- Reduced the gap between days sales outstanding and days payable outstanding over the past two years
- Investments in working capital are weighted to higher margin products

Optimizing Net Working Capital<sup>1</sup>



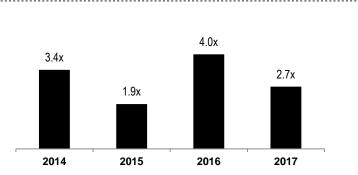
Actively Managing Costs

- High operating leverage SG&A as a percentage of sales is declining as sales increase and operating costs are controlled
- International headcount reductions in 4Q 2017 are expected to result in International profitability in 2018.
- Successfully executed cost reduction measures in downturn with ~\$200M of annual savings realized from 2014
- Expect 11% revenue growth (at mid-point) with a modest increase in SG&A in 2018 as compared to 2017



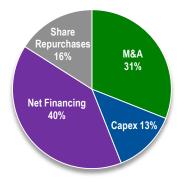
## **Strategic Capital Decisions Support Growth**

Effectively Positioned the Balance Sheet	For Capital Deployment Opportunities					
<ul> <li>Advantageous debt agreements with favorable terms, low interest rate and maturities 2022+</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Organic growth initiatives - Investments to drive share gains &amp; efficiencies</li> </ul>					
<ul> <li>Liquidity of \$485 million – sufficient to cover working capital and M&amp;A</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Share repurchases:</li> <li>\$125 million authorization completed in 1Q 2017</li> </ul>					
<ul> <li>Net leverage expected to continue to decrease as EBITDA increases in 2018</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>\$100 million authorization in Oct 2017 – 50% complete as of 12/31/17</li> </ul>					
	<ul> <li>Strategic M&amp;A - 31% of cash flow deployed on M&amp;A from 2013-2017</li> </ul>					
	<ul> <li>Debt repayment \$1.12 billion in 2015 &amp; 2016</li> </ul>					



#### Net Leverage

#### Use of Cash Flow (2013 - 2017<sup>1</sup>)



#### 1. Investing and Financing cash flows from 2010 through 2017. Net Financing equals the total issuance less repayment of debt and equity excluding share repurchases.

# **Global Platform For Continued M&A**

North American Consolidation



Global Acquisitions

#### Differentiated Position

#### **Targeted Sectors**

- Merger in 2007 created the largest PVF distributor to energy companies in North America
- Augmented North American platform through seven bolt-on acquisitions and organic growth
- Acquired an international valve company in 2009 as a platform for international expansion
- Expanded markets served and enhanced product portfolio through several subsequent acquisitions
- Acquired leading Norwegian supplier in 2014, which added a differentiated offshore production facility capability and provided expertise to grow in offshore production facility markets
- Global service capability enables expanded relationships with customers and organic growth opportunity
- Diversified across the energy infrastructure complex, serving upstream, midstream and downstream customers
- Focus in 2015 -2017 was on debt reduction & share repurchases
- In 2018, continue to target global assets and build scale with a focus on valves & alloys

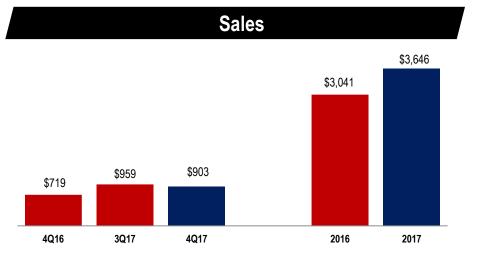
Strategic Acquisitions										
Date	Company Acquired	Country	Revenue (\$ million) <sup>?</sup>							
Jun-14	HypTeck	Norway	\$ 38							
May-14	MSD Engineering	Singapore & SE Asia	26							
Jan-14	Stream	Norway	271							
Dec-13	Flangefitt Stainless	United Kingdom	24							
Jul-13	Flow Control Products	U.S.	28							
Dec-12	Production Specialty Services	U.S.	127							
Jun-12	Chaparral Supply	U.S.	71							
Mar-12	OneSteel Piping Systems	Australia	174							
Jul-11	Valve Systems and Controls	U.S.	13							
Jun-11	Stainless Pipe and Fittings	Australia & SE Asia	91							
Aug-10	Dresser Oil Tools Supply	U.S.	13							
May-10	South Texas Supply	U.S.	9							
Oct-09	Transmark	Europe & Asia	346							
Oct-08	LaBarge	U.S.	233							

#### \$ 1.46+ Billion

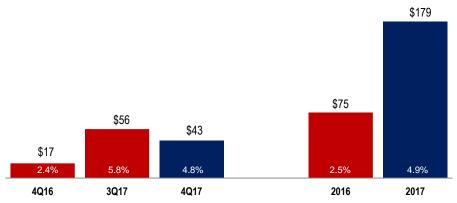
Reflects reported revenues for the year of acquisition or 2013 for Stream, MSD and HypTeck.

# **Quarterly & YTD Financial Performance**

(\$ millions, except per share data)



#### Adjusted EBITDA and % Margin<sup>1</sup>



1. See reconciliation of non-GAAP measures to GAAP measures in the appendix

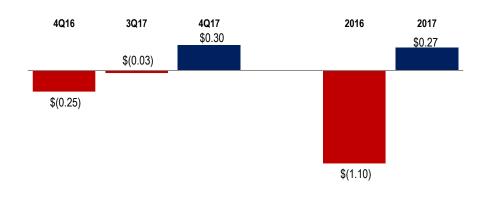
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Adjusted Gross Profit and % Margin<sup>1</sup> \$677 \$523

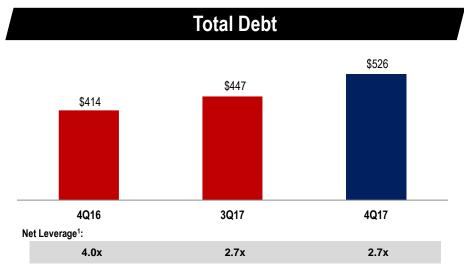
# \$182 \$167 \$133 19.0% 18.5% 17.2% 4Q16 3Q17 4Q17<sup>2</sup> 2016<sup>3</sup>

## Diluted EPS



# **Strong Balance Sheet Provides Financial Flexibility**

(\$ millions)

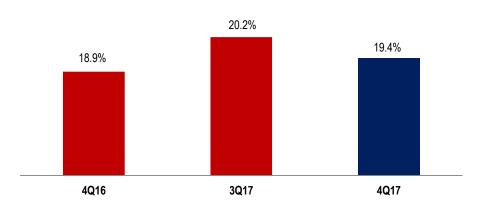


Capital Structure						
	December 31, 2017					
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 48					
Total Debt (including current portion):						
Term Loan B due 2024 (net of discount & deferred financing costs)	\$ 397					
Global ABL Facility due 2022	129					
Total Debt	\$ 526					
Preferred stock	355					
Common stockholders' equity	759					
Total Capitalization	\$ 1,640					

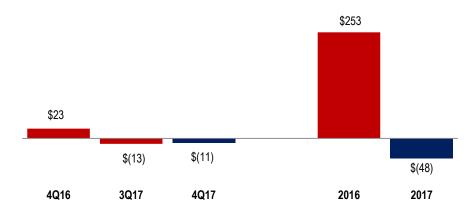
Liquidity

\$ 485

## Net Working Capital as % of Sales<sup>2</sup>



## **Cash Flow from Operations**



1. Multiples represent Net Debt / trailing twelve months Adjusted EBITDA. Net Debt is Total Debt less Cash.

2. Working capital defined as Current Assets (excluding Cash) - Current Liabilities. Sales are on trailing twelve months basis.

Experience

## **Compelling Long-Term Investment**

- Market Leader in PVF Distribution, Serving Critical Function to the Energy Industry
- Diversified Across Sectors, Regions and Customers
- Differentiated Global Platform Creates Customer Value
- Counter-cyclical Cash Flow and Strong Balance Sheet
- Organic Growth Potential via Market Share Gains from Expanded Multi-year MRO Contracts and Long-term Secular Growth from Global Energy Demand
- Proven History of Driving Continuous Productivity Improvements
- Industry Consolidator with Proven Success in Acquiring and Integrating Businesses



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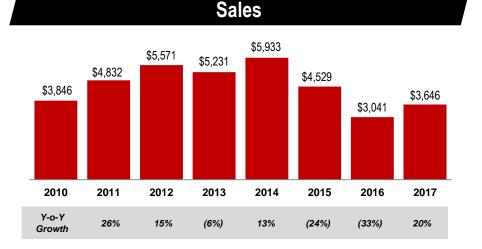
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## **Financial Outlook**

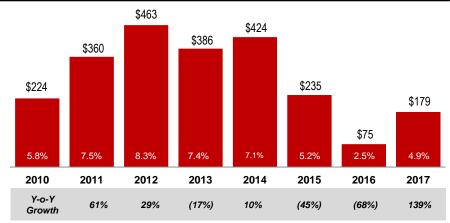
2018 Outlook										
Revenue	<ul> <li>Profitability / Cash flows</li> <li>Adjusted Gross Profit – 19%</li> <li>SG&amp;A – \$525 - \$535 million</li> <li>Tax rate – 27% annual</li> <li>Capital expenditures – \$25 million</li> <li>Cash flow from operations – \$50 million</li> <li>LIFO - \$25 million expense</li> </ul>									
• 2018 annual – \$3,850 - \$4,250 million	Adjusted Gross Profit – 19%									
By sector	• SG&A – \$525 - \$535 million									
• Upstream – up 10 - 20%	Tax rate – 27% annual									
<ul> <li>Midstream – up 5 - 15%</li> </ul>	Capital expenditures – \$25 million									
Downstream – up 5 - 15%	Cash flow from operations – \$50 million									
By segment	LIFO - \$25 million expense									
U.S. & Canada – double digit percentages										
International – mid-single digit percentages										
Sequential										
<ul> <li>1Q18 – up low to mid-single percentages</li> </ul>										

# **Annual Financial Performance**

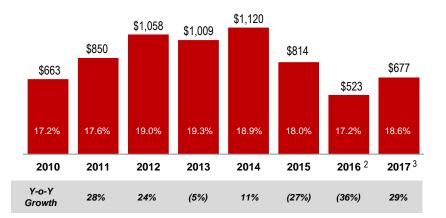
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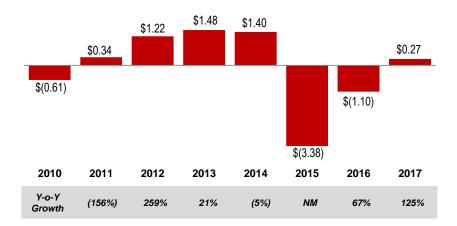
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## Adjusted Gross Profit and % Margin<sup>1</sup>



#### **Diluted EPS**

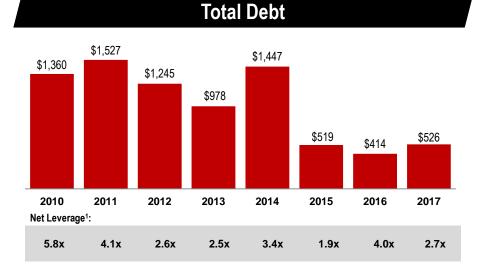


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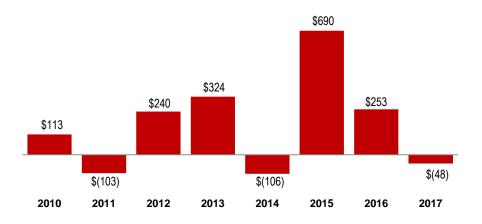
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### **Cash Flow from Operations**



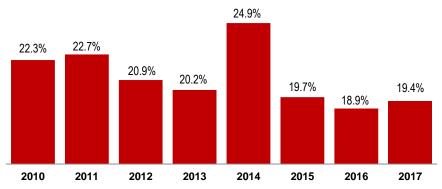
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## **Adjusted Gross Profit Reconciliation**

	Three months ended				Year ended December 31							
(\$ millions)	Dec 31, 2017	Sept 30, 2017	Dec 31, 2016		2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Gross profit	\$ 141	\$ 152	\$ 122		\$ 582	\$ 468	\$ 786	\$ 1,018	\$ 955	\$ 1,014	\$ 708	\$ 518
Depreciation and amortization	6	5	6		22	22	21	22	22	19	17	17
Amortization of intangibles	11	12	12		45	47	60	68	52	49	51	54
Increase (decrease) in LIFO reserve	9	13	(7)		28	(14)	(53)	12	(20)	(24)	74	74
Adjusted Gross Profit	\$ 167	\$ 182	\$ 133		\$ 677	\$ 523	\$ 814	\$ 1,120	\$ 1,009	\$ 1,058	\$ 850	\$ 663

# **Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation**

	Th	ree months end	ded	Year ended December 31							
(\$ millions)	Dec 31, 2017	Sept 30, 2017	Dec 31, 2016	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Net income (loss)	\$ 35	\$ 3	\$ (18)	\$ 50	\$ (83)	\$ (331)	\$ 144	\$ 152	\$ 118	\$ 29	\$ (52)
Income tax (benefit) expense	(49)	2	1	(43)	(8)	(11)	82	85	64	27	(23)
Interest expense	7	9	9	31	35	48	62	61	113	137	140
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Inventory-related charges	6	-	-	6	40	-	-	-	-	-	-
Goodwill & intangible asset impairment	-	-	-	-	-	462	-	-	-	-	-
Change in fair value of derivative instruments	-	1	(1)	1	(1)	1	1	(5)	(2)	(7)	5
Equity-based compensation expense	4	3	3	16	12	10	9	15	8	8	4
Severance & restructuring charges	14	-	8	14	20	14	8	1	-	1	3
Write-off of debt issuance costs	-	8	1	8	1	3	-	-	-	-	-
Litigation matter	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
Foreign currency losses (gains)	-	-	3	(2)	4	3	3	13	(1)	(1)	-
Loss on disposition of non-core product line	-	-	-	-	-	5	10	-	-	-	-
Insurance charge	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Cancellation of executive employment agreement (cash portion)	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-
Expenses associated with refinancing	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	2	9	-
Loss on early extinguishment of debt	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	114	-	-
Pension settlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-
Legal and consulting expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	4
Provision for uncollectible accounts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(2)
Joint venture termination	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Other expense (income)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	(1)	3	(1)
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 43	\$ 56	\$ 17	\$ 179	\$ 75	\$ 235	\$ 424	\$ 386	\$ 463	\$ 360	\$ 224