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The image shows a man in a white hard hat with the "MRC Global" logo, safety glasses, and a tan work shirt. He is holding a handheld electronic device up to his eye, looking at it. The background is a blurred industrial setting. A red diagonal line runs from the top left towards the bottom right, passing behind the worker.

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# Global Leader in PVF Distribution

**Largest pipe, valves and fittings (PVF) distributor – TTM Sales of \$4.1B**

## 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 with ~\$375M in annual revenue

**Upstream 30%**



**Midstream 41%**



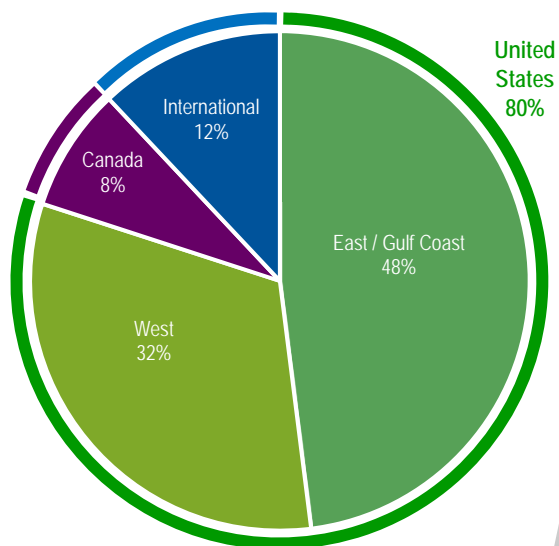
**Downstream 29%**



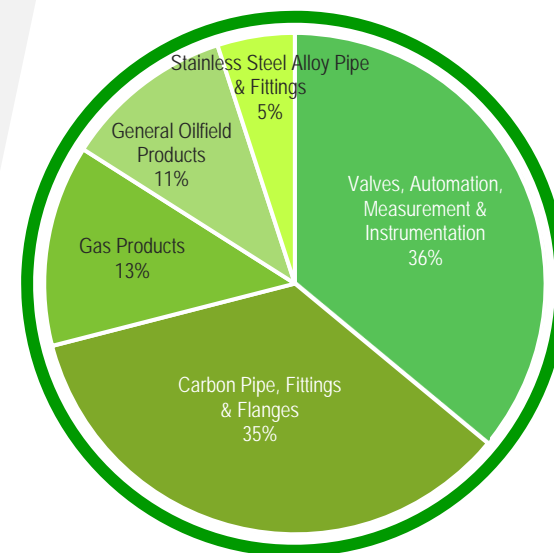
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## Diversified by Region, Industry Sector and Product Line - Well Positioned Through Cycle

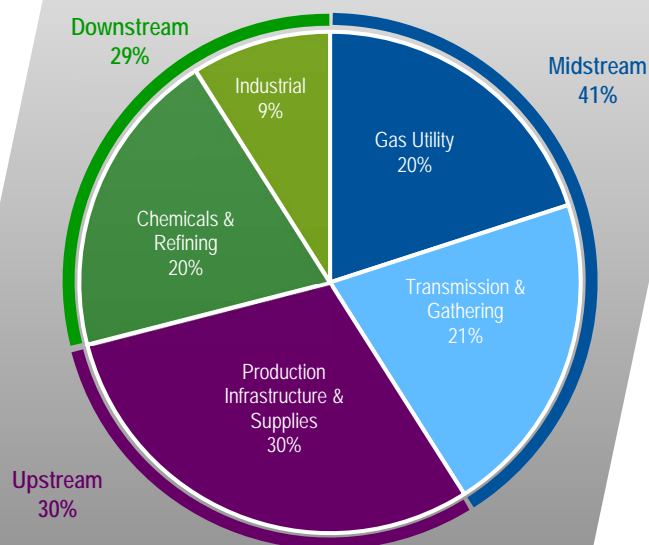
Revenue by Geography



Revenue by Product Line



Revenue by Industry Sector



Note: Percentage of sales are for the twelve months ended September 30, 2018.

Industrial includes metals & mining, fabrication, pulp & paper, power generation and general industrial.



## 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 exploration & production (E&P) operators including Shell, Chevron, Anadarko, California Resources Corporation 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 & gas production areas
- Located in all major basins - revenue follows basin market activity levels
- Permian basin is our largest upstream position representing 7% of total first nine months of 2018 revenue and with growth of 66% in the first nine months of 2018 over the same in 2017



# Serving Midstream Customers

## Gas Utilities

- Provide PVF & integrated supply services
- Business drivers:
  - integrity projects & pipeline enhancement projects
  - independent of commodity prices
  - residential & commercial, new & upgrade installations
- Relatively stable, steady growth
- Contracts or sales with 8 of the 10 largest gas utilities in the U.S. (e.g. PG&E, NiSource, Atmos, Duke, Southern Company Gas)



## Transmission & Gathering

- Provide PVF to midstream gathering customers
- Provide PVF bulks & shorts and logistical services to long-haul transmission customers
- Benefit from recent pipeline approvals & modernization projects replacing older pipelines
- Customers include TransCanada, DCP Midstream, Energy Transfer, Williams Partners, Equitable, Enable Midstream Partners

# Serving Downstream Customers

## Refining

- Recurring MRO revenue from planned & unplanned maintenance
- Provide on-location “zone store” inventory
- Contracts or sales with all of the 10 largest refiners in the U.S. (e.g. Shell, Chevron, Marathon Petroleum Company, Valero, Phillips 66, ExxonMobil)



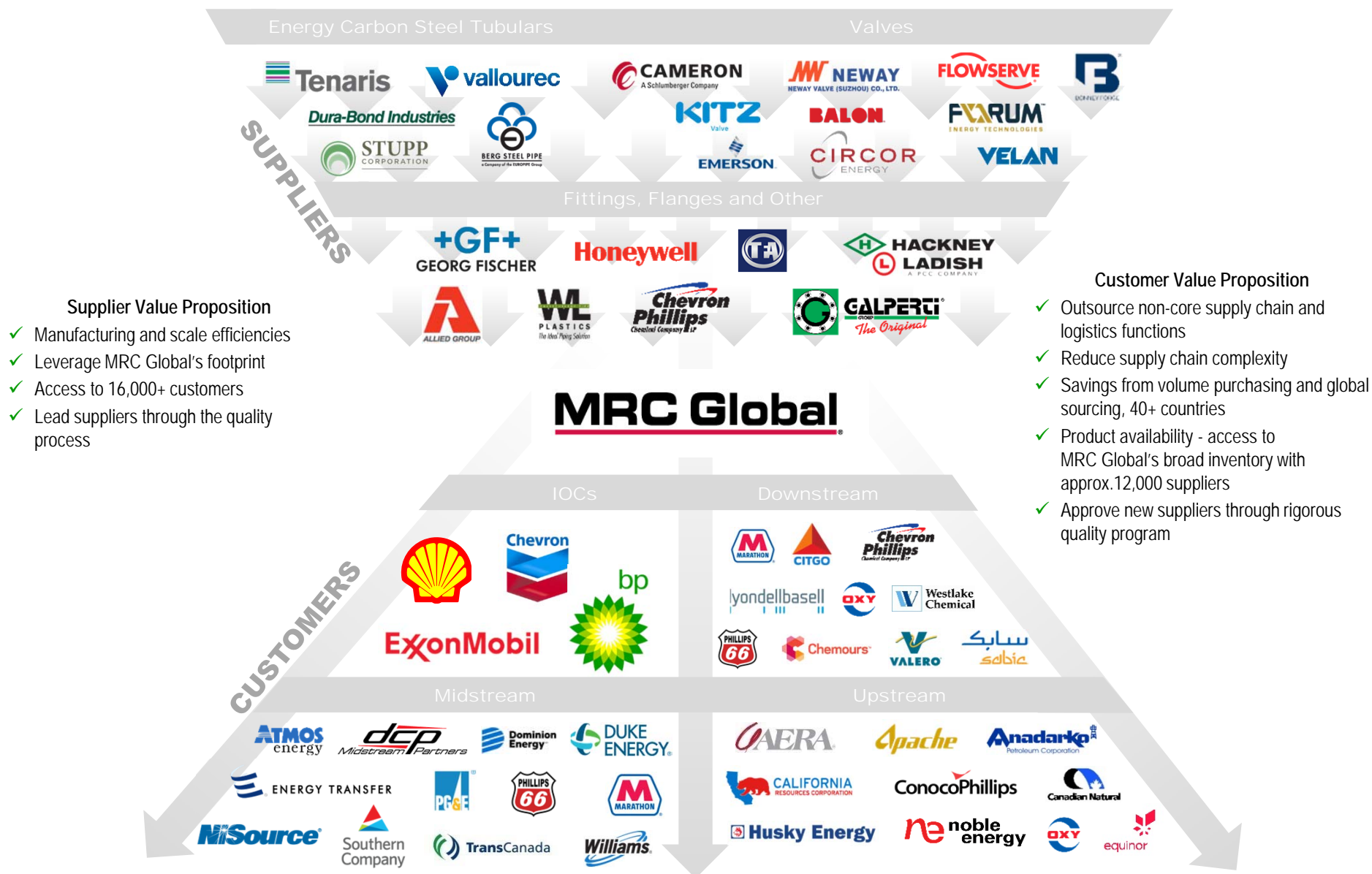
## Chemical & Industrial

- Low gas prices provide stable, advantaged feedstock for plastics
- Positioned to benefit from planned U.S. petrochemical projects





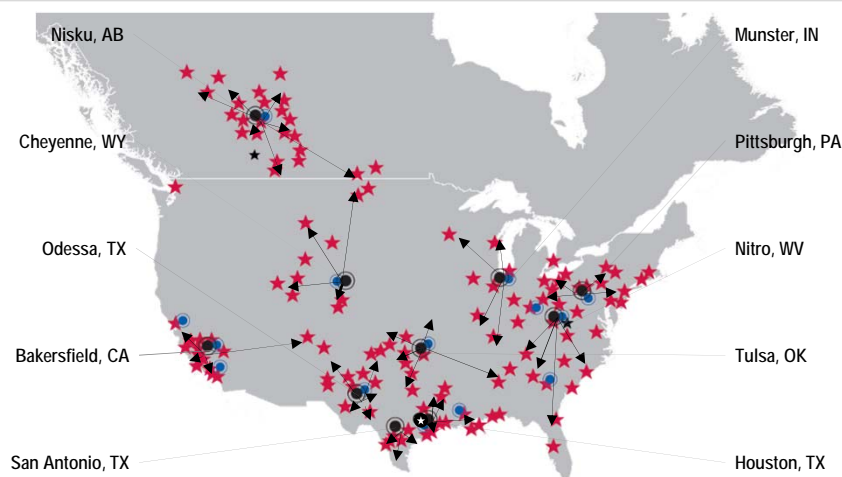
# MRC Global is a Critical Link Between Its Customers & Suppliers





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

## North America



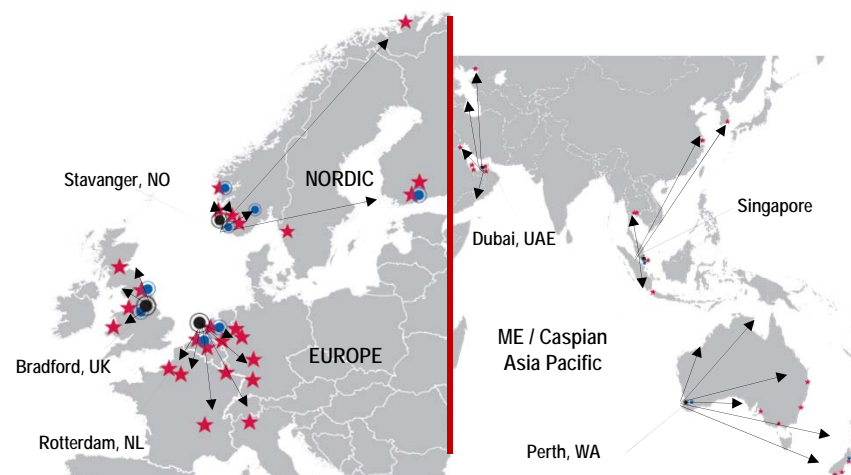
- Valve & Engineering Center (VEC)
- Regional Distribution Center (RDC)
- ★ Branch Location (BR)
- ★ Headquarters (HQ)
- ★ Corporate Office

North America	As of 9/30/2018
Branches	122
RDCs	10
VECs	14
Employees	~2,747

## MRC Global As of 9/30/2018

Branches	171
RDCs	16
VECs	26
Countries	22
Employees	~3,580

## International



International	As of 9/30/2018
Branches	49
RDCs	6
VECs	12
Countries	20
Employees	~833

# Strategy for Creating Shareholder Value

## Grow market share



- Provide superior customer service & cost-saving supply chain solutions
- Focus on blue chip customers who demand value-added service and technical expertise
- Leverage market leadership position and global footprint
- Provide multi-channel engagement to capture buying

## Maximize Profitability



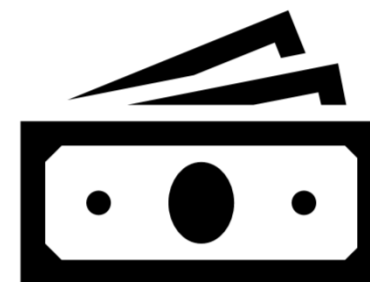
- Focus on higher margin products, end-markets & sales strategies
- Leverage scale & global supply chain
- Expand offering of value-added services to capture enhanced margin
- Focus on controlling costs & operating leverage

## Maximize Working Capital Efficiency



- Reduce cash conversion cycle
- Optimize inventory to maximize turnover and margin
- Continual operational efficiency improvements

## Optimize Capital Structure



- Optimize capital structure with financial flexibility throughout the cycle
  - Invest for growth
  - Return capital to shareholders
- Target leverage ratio ~2-3x net debt to adjusted EBITDA

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

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

- Approximately 54% 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

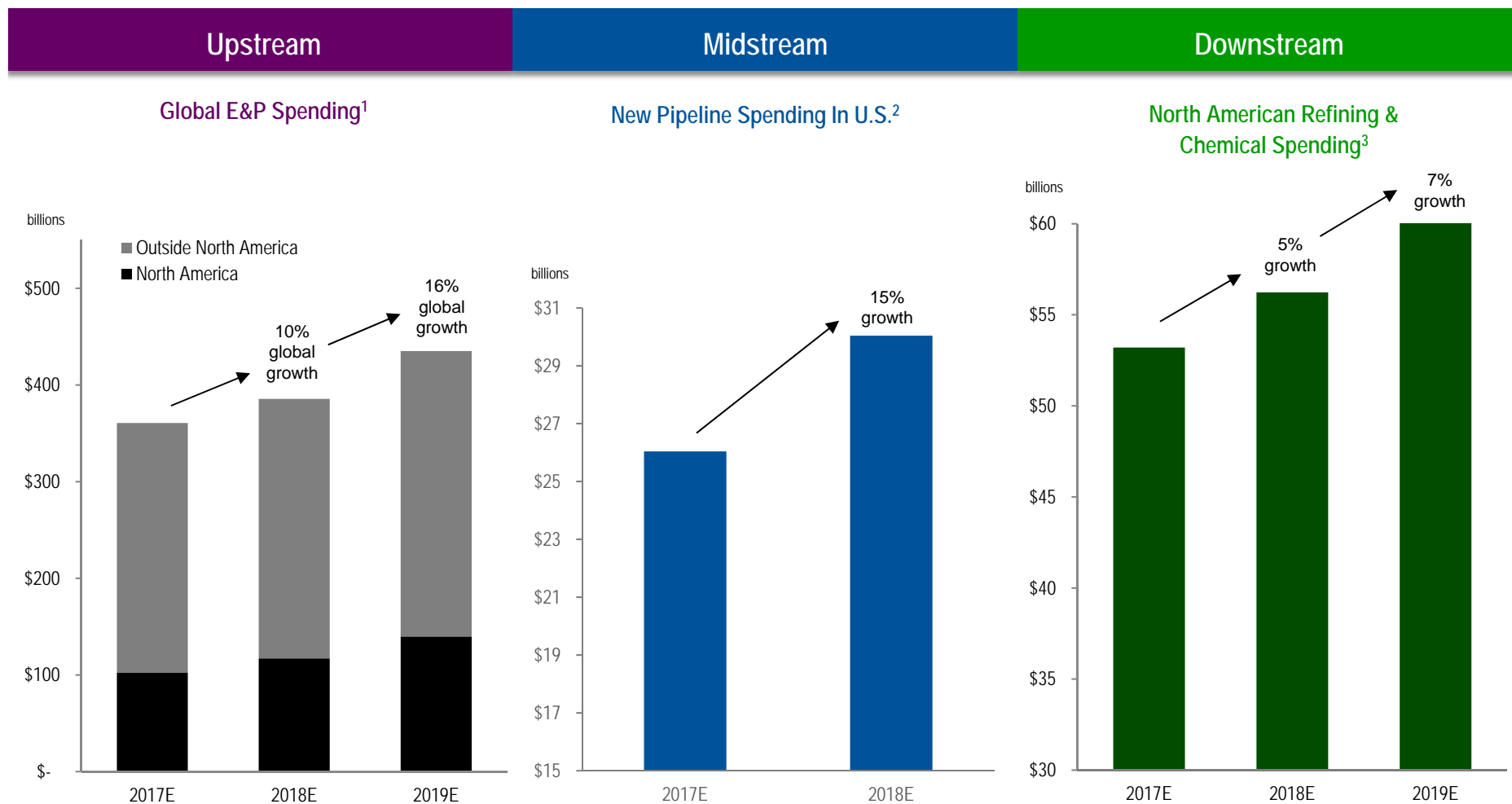
- Approx. \$970 million in revenue<sup>1</sup>

Selected Recent Contract Wins and Renewals

Customer	Type/ Scope	Products	Geography	Term (years)
Enterprise Products	New	PVF	U.S.	1
Pioneer Natural Resources	New	PVF	U.S.	1
Dominion	Renewal	PVF	US	3
Marathon Petroleum	Renewal	PVF	U.S.	3
BP (downstream)	Renewal	PVF	U.S.	2
TransCanada	Renewal	PVF	U.S.	3
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

1. For the twelve months ended September 30, 2018

# End Market Growth Opportunities



Sources:

1. Evercore ISI, "The 2018 Evercore ISI Global E&P Mid-Year Spending Outlook", published July 18, 2018.
2. Stifel Diversified Industrials Specialty Engineering and Construction, pipeline database July 2018. All tiers. Probability weighted.
3. Industrial Info Resources: September 2018



# Valve, Actuation, Measurement & Instrumentation (VAMI)

Value-Added Services: Positioning Offerings to Higher Margin Products & Services with Broad Capabilities

## Value-added offerings:

- **Valve actuation/automation** – allow customer to mix & match manufacturers to maximize functionality and minimize cost
- **Engineered Solutions** – engineering & design of actuation and control packages
- **Traceability** – unique serialization of entire valve actuation package
- **Testing** – Fugitive emission testing, material identification (e.g. metallurgy), x-ray, magnetic particle examination, pressure testing
- **ValveWatch®** – patented technology that monitors valves for indicative repairs reducing downtime & preventing failures

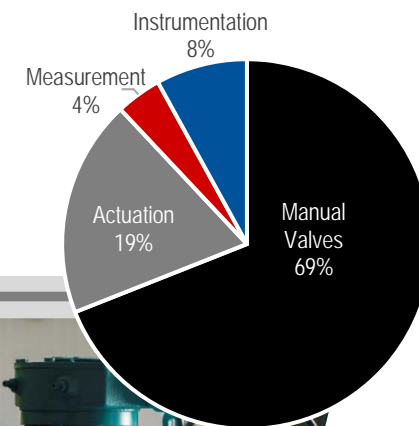


# Largest Global Distributor of Valve Products & Services in Oil & Gas



**26** Valve & Engineering Centers  
Worldwide

2017 VAMI Sales



# Impact of Tariffs – Work Closely with Customers to Optimize the Global Supply Chain

In general, inflation is a positive

## Summary:

- Section 232 - effective 3/23/18. Tariffs & quotas substituted for tariffs, various countries affected differently
- Section 301 - tariffs affect certain valves, valve parts, fittings and flanges manufactured in China
  - List 3 items (totaling \$200B in products) will incur an additional 15% tariff 1/1/19
- Directly or indirectly impacts all stainless & carbon products including pipe, fittings and flanges
  - Approx. 40% of revenue affected
  - Inventory: Carbon ~70% domestic, 30% imported. Stainless~40% domestic, 60% imported.
- Valves are also being impacted by Chinese regulations, resulting in the closure of steel manufacturers and casting foundries. Actions lead to inflationary pricing & extended lead times
- Steel products have been experiencing increased raw material costs leading to price increases and the potential for additional increases due to anti-dumping and countervailing duty investigations exists
- Rising prices – 3Q18 average price of pipe is 29% greater than the 3Q17 average price (per Pipelogix)

## Impact:

- Contract structure – cost plus pricing with 90 day re-pricing terms
- Revenue – higher cost products from inflation result in higher revenue and higher LIFO expense
- Margin dollars – more expensive materials with the same percentage mark-up result in more margin dollars

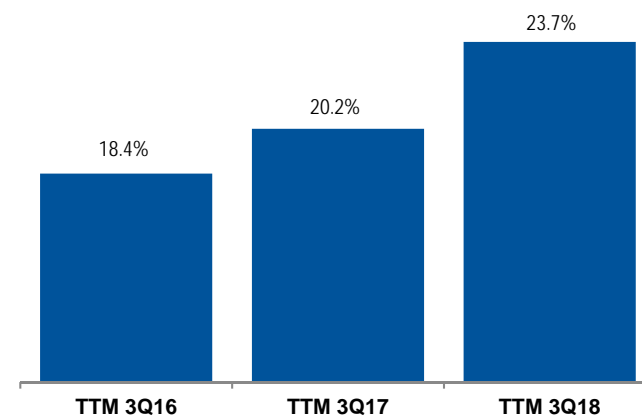
MRC Global is well-positioned with carbon, stainless and valve suppliers

## Focus on Optimizing Operations

### Working Capital Management

- Increased working capital as a percentage of revenue due to an investment in inventory ahead of inflationary pricing pressures as well as growth in the business.
- Investments in working capital are weighted to higher margin products

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

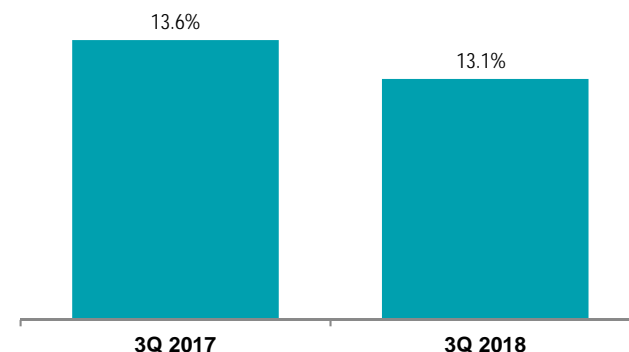


### Actively Managing Costs

- High operating leverage - SG&A as a percentage of sales is declining as sales increase and operating costs are controlled

### Actively Managing SG&A Costs

Declining SG&A as % of Revenue



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



## New Houston Operations Complex at La Porte - 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 enter (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

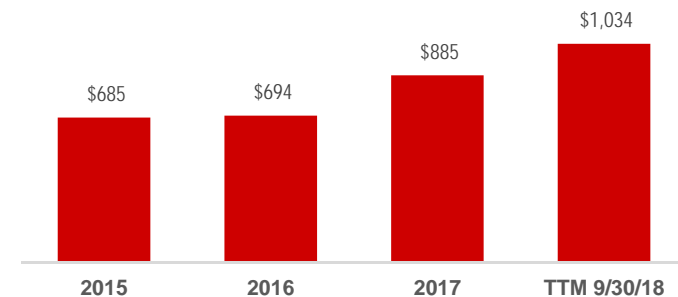
## MRCGO™ online catalog - Broadening the Customer Experience

- 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
- \$1 billion of revenue transacted via e-commerce on a TTM basis as of September 30, 2018
- \$137 million of revenue generated through MRCGO™ on a TTM basis as of September 30, 2018



Revenue Generated via E-Commerce

\$ millions



**~40%** of the **top 36** customers' TTM revenue or approximately \$840 million was transacted through e-commerce (e.g. catalog, EDI)

# Strategic Capital Decisions Support Growth

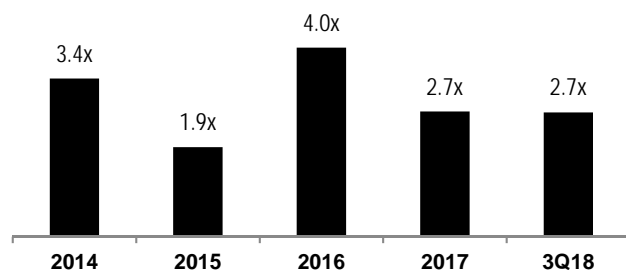
## Effectively Positioned the Balance Sheet ...

- Advantageous debt agreements with favorable terms, low interest rate and maturities 2022+
- Liquidity of \$447 million – sufficient to cover working capital and M&A
- Net leverage expected to decrease as EBITDA increases in 2018
- 1Q18 – entered into a 5 year interest rate swap fixing \$250 million notional at 6.21%
- 2Q18 – repriced Term Loan lowering interest rate 50bps

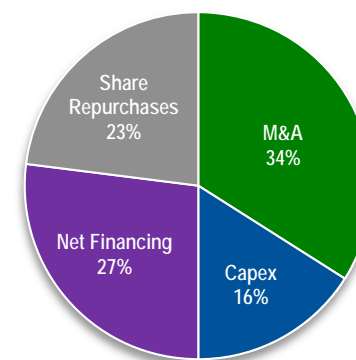
## ... For Capital Deployment Opportunities

- Organic growth initiatives - Investments to drive share gains & efficiencies
- New \$150 million share repurchase authorization approved in October 2018
- Executed share repurchases of \$225 million :
  - \$125 million authorization completed in 1Q 2017
  - \$100 million authorization completed in 2Q 2018
- Debt repayment \$1.12 billion in 2015 & 2016

### Net Leverage



### Use of Cash Flow (2013 – 3Q 2018<sup>1</sup>)

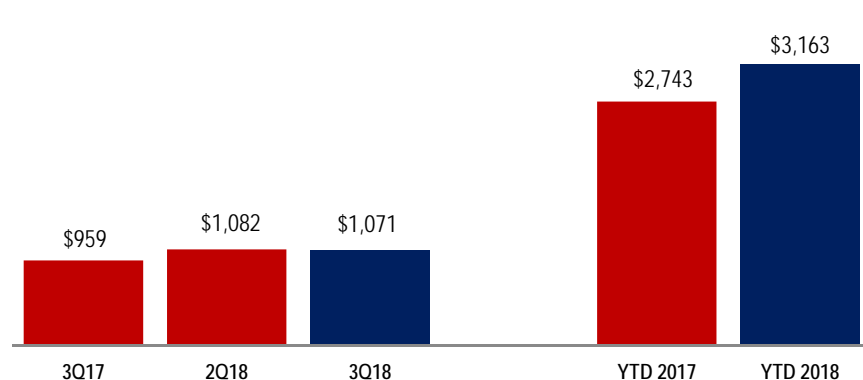


1. Investing and Financing cash flows from 2013 through 3Q18. Net Financing equals the total issuance less repayment of debt and equity excluding share repurchases.

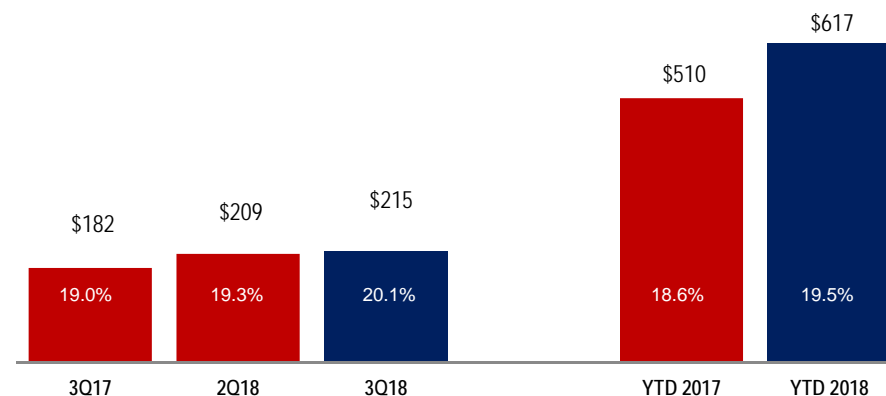
# Quarterly & YTD Financial Performance

(\$ millions, except per share data)

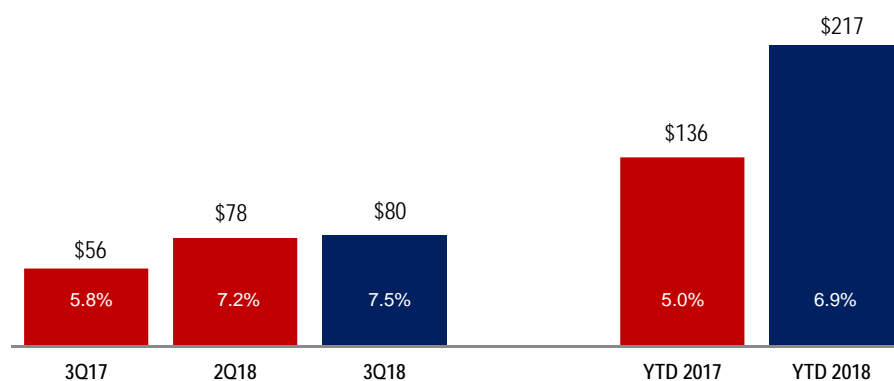
## Sales



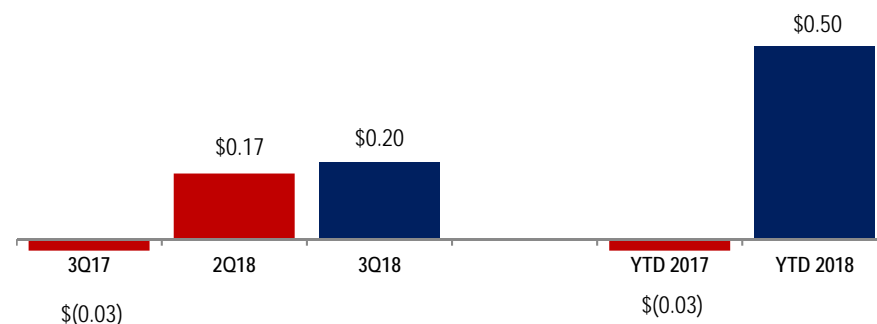
## Adjusted Gross Profit and % Margin<sup>1</sup>



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



## Diluted EPS



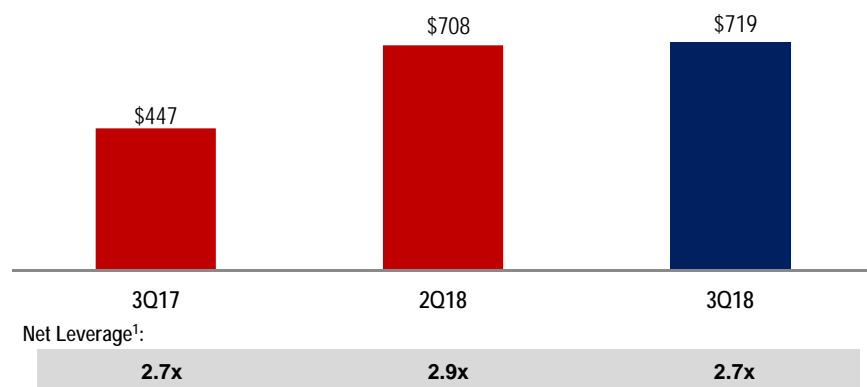
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# Strong Balance Sheet Provides Financial Flexibility

(\$ millions)

## Total Debt

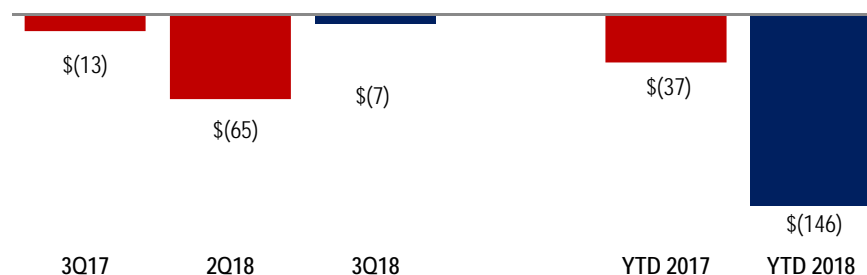


## Capital Structure

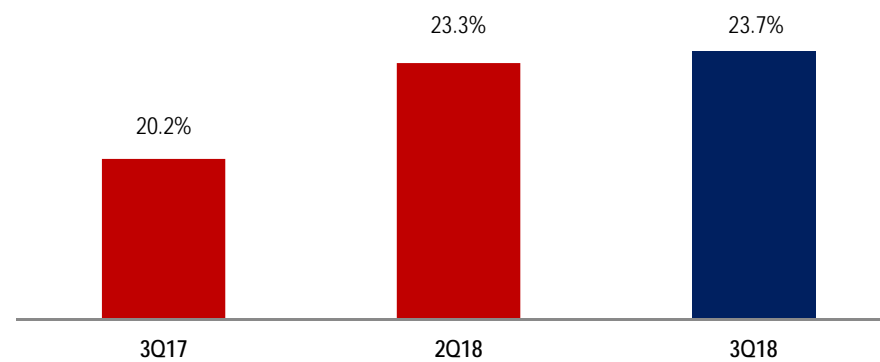
Sept 30, 2018

Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 29
Total Debt (including current portion):	
Term Loan B due 2024 (net of discount & deferred financing costs)	\$ 394
Global ABL Facility due 2022	325
Total Debt	\$ 719
Preferred stock	355
Common stockholders' equity	773
Total Capitalization	\$ 1,847
Liquidity	\$ 447

## Cash Flow from Operations



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



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.

## Favorable Trends Lead to Continued Growth

### POSITIVE MACROECONOMIC CONDITIONS

- Increased production in U.S. requiring additional oil & gas facility (e.g. tank battery) expansions and pipeline infrastructure
- Deregulation of new pipeline installations and multi-year investments in replacement pipeline for aging infrastructure & pipeline integrity projects
- Stable supply of low-cost natural gas providing secure feedstock for petrochemical processing along with increasing demand for plastics leads to higher petrochemical facility investment
- Favorable economics for gas exporting, pipelines to Mexico & Canada, LNG to rest of world
- Drilled but Uncompleted well (DUC) count represents backlog of future upstream completion revenue



### MRC GLOBAL

- Multi-year contract wins and renewals represent an increase in market share
- Higher margin product mix strategy
- Lower operating cost model from 2015 & 2016 provides a competitive advantage



**Results in mid-cycle Adjusted EBITDA of \$300 - \$350M**

## 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

### **World-class Management Team**

with Significant Distribution and Energy Experience

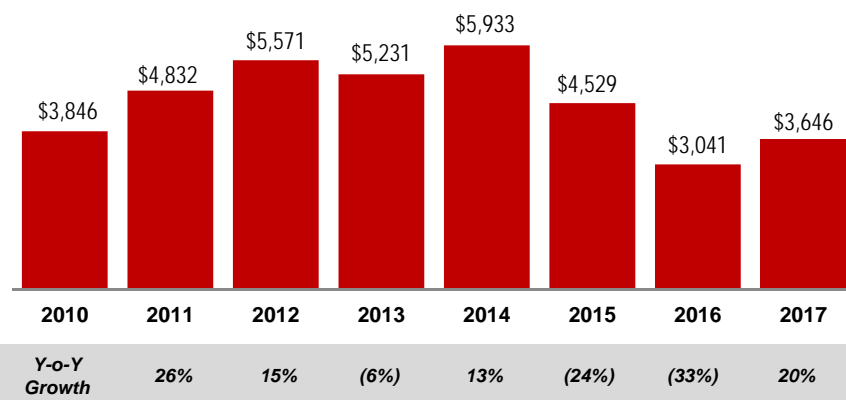


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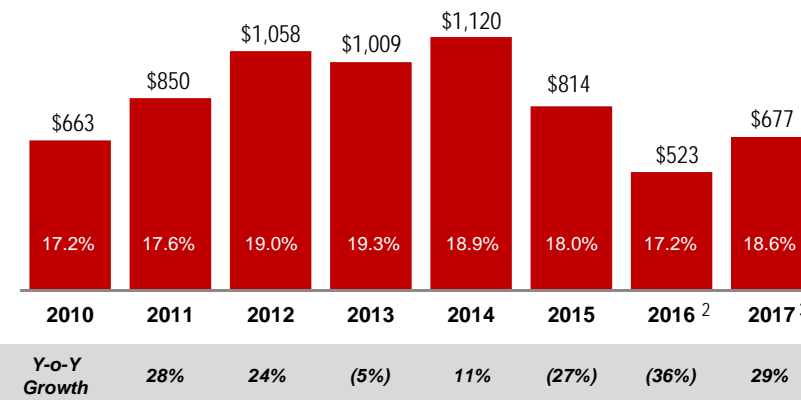
# Annual Financial Performance

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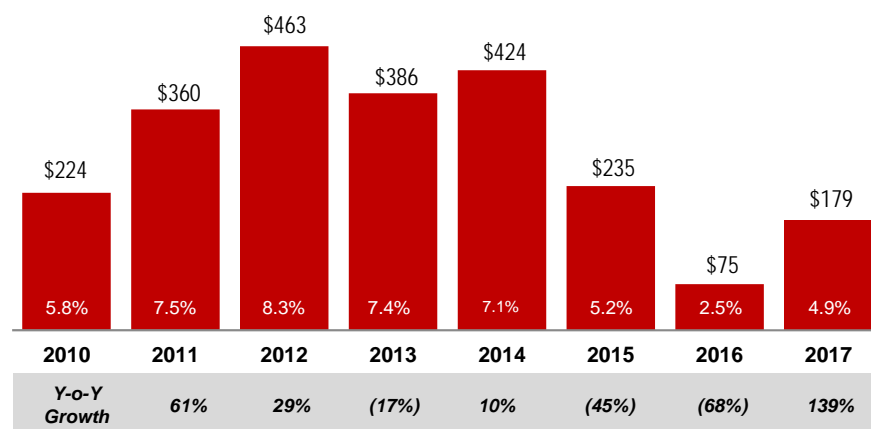
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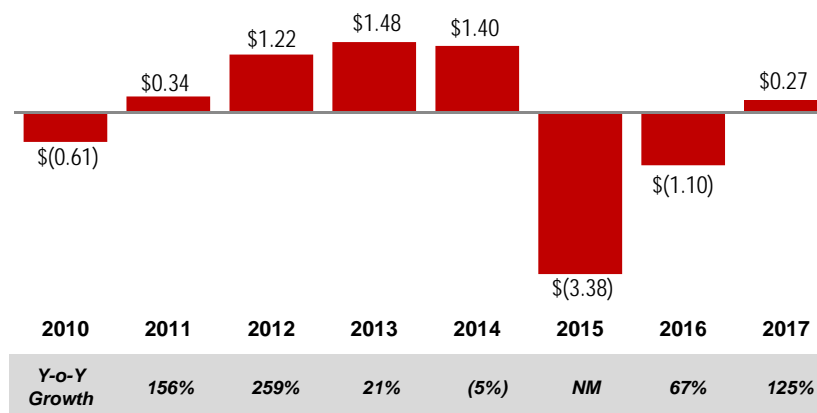
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## Adjusted EBITDA and % Margin<sup>1</sup>



## Diluted EPS



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2. Includes \$45 million of non-cash charges recorded in cost of goods sold & the international segment for the year ended December 31, 2016. Charges relate to a restructuring of our Australian business and market conditions in Iraq as well as an increase in reserves for excess and obsolete inventory in the U.S. and Canada as a result of the market outlook for certain products. Excluding these charges for the year ended December 31, 2016, gross profit, as reported would be \$513 million (16.9%) and adjusted gross profit would be \$568 million (18.7%).

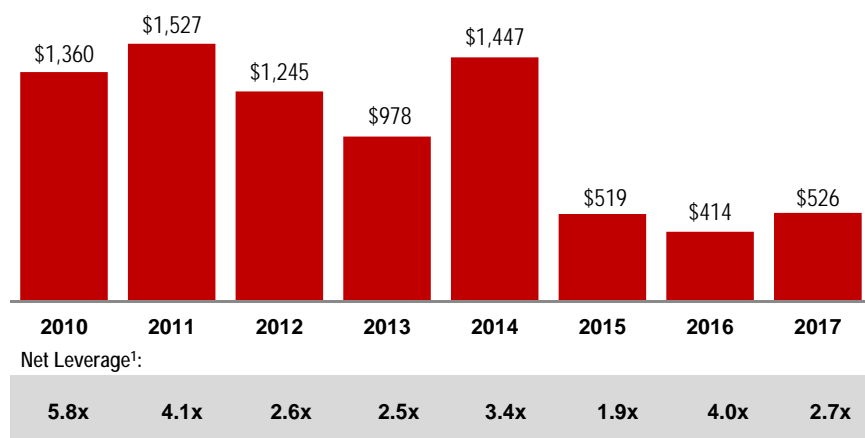
3. Includes \$6 million of non-cash charges recorded in cost of goods sold & in the international segment for the year ended December 31, 2017. Charges are related to reducing our local presence in Iraq. Excluding these charges for the year ended December 31, 2017 gross profit, as reported would be \$588 million (16.1%) and adjusted gross profit would be \$683 million (18.7%).



# Balance Sheet

(\$ millions)

## Total Debt

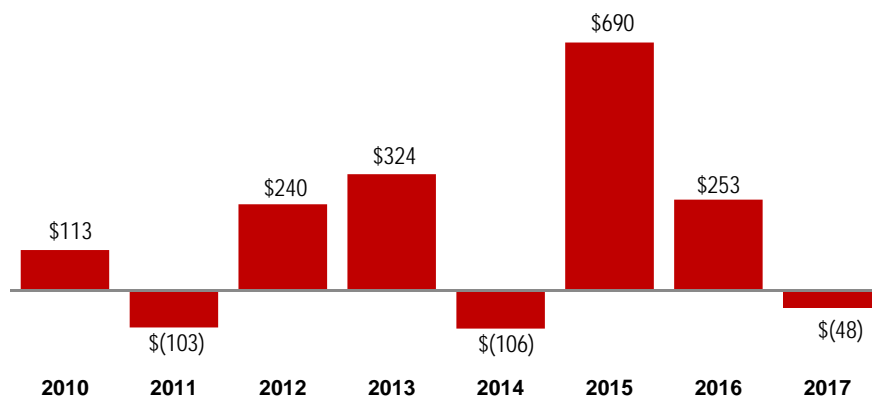


## Capital Structure

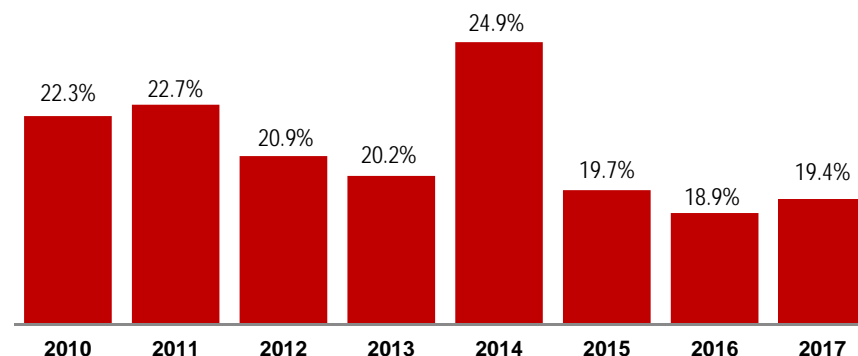
December 31,  
2017

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

## Cash Flow from Operations



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## Adjusted Gross Profit Reconciliation

	Nine months ended Sept 30		Three months ended			Year ended December 31							
(\$ millions)	2018	2017	Sept 30, 2018	June 30, 2018	Sept 30, 2017	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Gross profit	\$ 518	\$ 441	\$ 172	\$ 177	\$ 152	\$ 582	\$ 468	\$ 786	\$ 1,018	\$ 955	\$ 1,014	\$ 708	\$ 518
Depreciation and amortization	17	16	5	6	5	22	22	21	22	22	19	17	17
Amortization of intangibles	34	34	12	11	12	45	47	60	68	52	49	51	54
Increase (decrease) in LIFO reserve	48	19	26	15	13	28	(14)	(53)	12	(20)	(24)	74	74
Adjusted Gross Profit	\$ 617	\$ 510	\$ 215	\$ 209	\$ 182	\$ 677	\$ 523	\$ 814	\$ 1,120	\$ 1,009	\$ 1,058	\$ 850	\$ 663

## Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation

	Nine months ended Sept 30		Three months ended			Year ended December 31							
(\$ millions)	2018	2017	Sept 30, 2018	June 30, 2018	Sept 30, 2017	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Net income (loss)	\$ 64	\$ 15	\$24	\$ 22	\$ 3	\$ 50	\$ (83)	\$ (331)	\$ 144	\$ 152	\$ 118	\$ 29	\$ (52)
Income tax expense (benefit)	15	6	-	8	2	(43)	(8)	(11)	82	85	64	27	(23)
Interest expense	28	24	10	10	9	31	35	48	62	61	113	137	140
Depreciation and amortization	17	16	5	6	5	22	22	21	22	22	19	17	17
Amortization of intangibles	34	34	12	11	12	45	47	60	68	52	49	51	54
Increase (decrease) in LIFO reserve	48	19	26	15	13	28	(14)	(53)	12	(20)	(24)	74	75
Inventory-related charges	-	-	-	-	-	6	40	-	-	-	-	-	-
Goodwill & intangible asset impairment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	462	-	-	-	-	-
Change in fair value of derivative instruments	(1)	1	-	1	1	1	(1)	1	1	(5)	(2)	(7)	5
Equity-based compensation expense	11	12	4	3	3	16	12	10	9	15	8	8	4
Severance & restructuring charges	-	-	-	-	-	14	20	14	8	1	-	1	3
Write-off of debt issuance costs	1	8	-	1	8	8	1	3	-	-	-	-	-
Litigation matter	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
Foreign currency losses (gains)	-	(2)	(1)	1	-	(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	\$ 217	\$ 136	\$ 80	\$ 78	\$ 56	\$ 179	\$ 75	\$ 235	\$ 424	\$ 386	\$ 463	\$ 360	\$ 224