

Cooper Standard

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Executive Overview

Fourth Quarter and Full Year 2012

Jeff Edwards
Chief Executive Officer



Executive Overview

- **Strategy**
- **Managing European downturn**
- **Emerging market expansions**
- **Key leadership appointments to facilitate growth**

First 120 Day CEO Plan

Day
0-45

Listen & Learn

- Met with Top 50 management
- Met with plant management teams
- Visited global tech centers
- Visited facilities in 9 countries
- Engaged with 11 customers
- Met with 6 business partners

Day
45-120

Define the Vision / Path Forward

- Determine capabilities
- Analyze current portfolio performance
- Explore organization model
- Determine human capital needs

Day
120+

Unwavering Execution

- Create vision
- Develop strategic priorities
- Install process capabilities
- Create priorities for capital and innovation
- Prioritize organizational resources

Key Elements to Success

- Make **shareholder value creation** our over-arching objective
- Have relentless **focus on our customers** – develop deep insight into their needs and consistently beat our competition in most effectively serving such needs
- Achieve **profitable growth** – grow the top line and expand margins
- Invest in our people and excel in the few **essential capabilities** required to win
- Build an **operating model** that enables and sustains success – transform our people into a distinct competitive advantage

Strategic Priorities

- **Focus on our customers, develop deep insight into their needs and how to most effectively serve them**
- **Finalize product growth strategy**
- **Accelerate profitable growth ... Brazil, India, China, Southeast Asia**
- **North America – continue to invest in infrastructure to support growth**
- **Restructure Europe manufacturing footprint**
 - Serbia, Romania (complete), Turkey and Poland
- **Focus on building centers of excellence within our global functional organizations**
- **Invest in Russia and Indonesia footprint**

Financial Overview

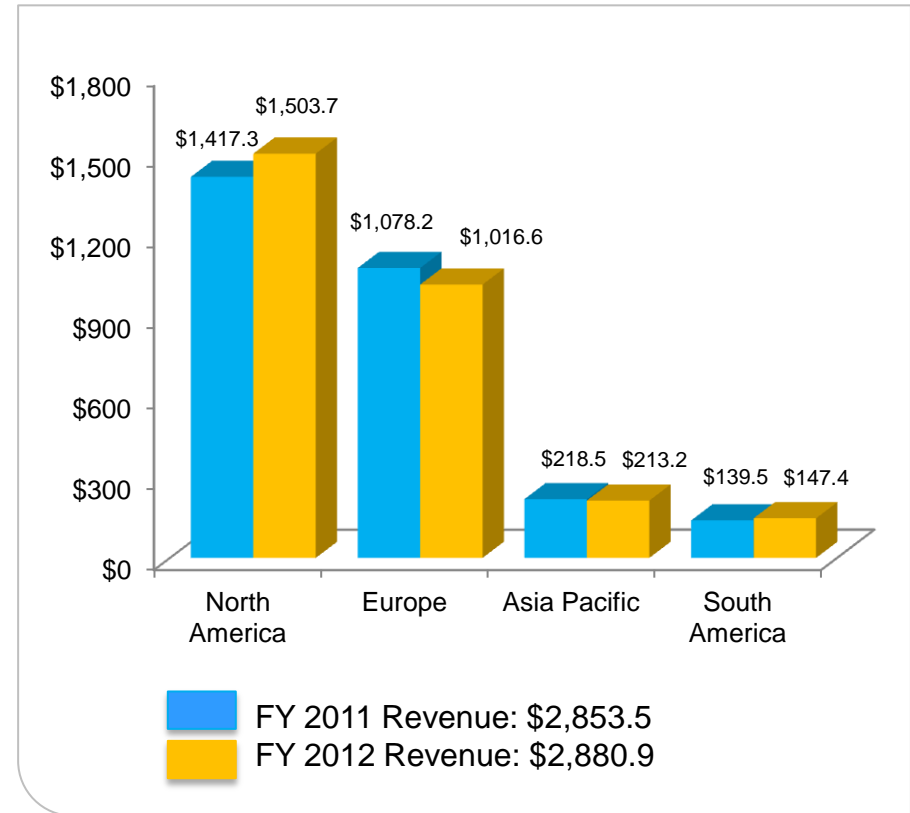
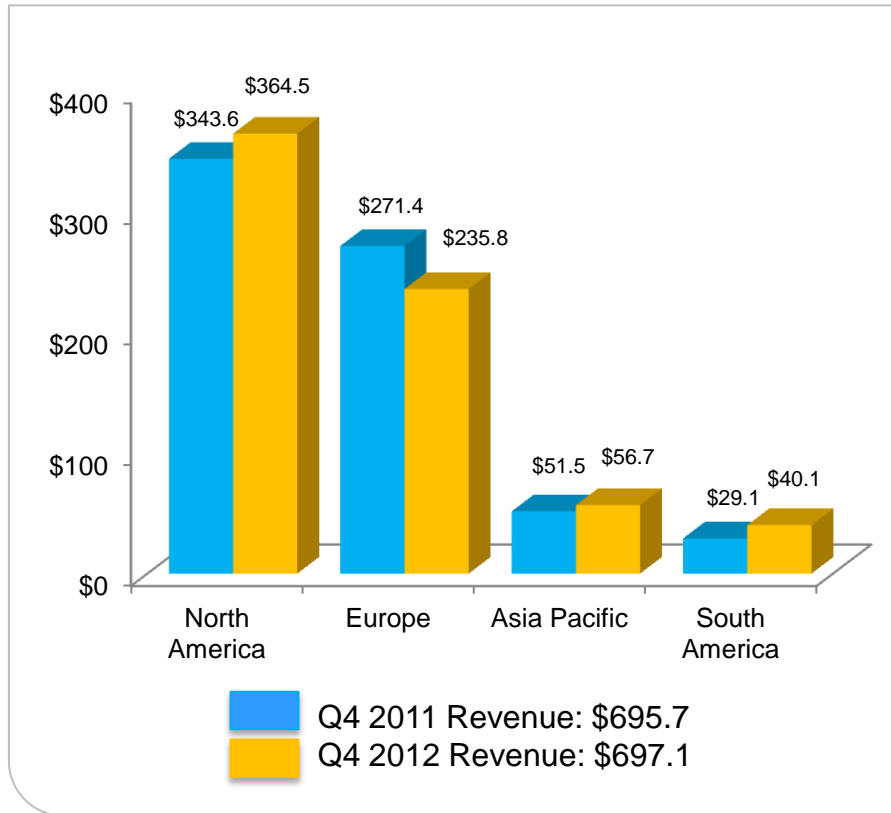
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Allen Campbell
Chief Financial Officer



Q4 and FY 2012 Revenue

\$ USD Millions



Note: Numbers subject to rounding

Q4 and FY 2012 Performance

\$ USD Millions, except per share amounts

	<u>Q4 2011</u>	<u>Q4 2012</u>	<u>FY 2011</u>	<u>FY 2012</u>
Sales	695.7	697.1	2,853.5	2,880.9
Gross Profit	97.6	99.7	450.6	438.9
SGA	66.7	74.8	257.6	281.3
Operating Profit	22.9	(2.1)	125.2	103.3
Net Income	23.2	(9.9)	102.8	102.8
<i>Fully Diluted EPS</i>	<i>\$0.84</i>	<i>(\$0.70)</i>	<i>\$3.93</i>	<i>\$4.14</i>
Adjusted EBITDA	66.6	70.9	324.1	298.0
% Margin	9.6%	10.2%	11.4%	10.3%

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EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation

Twelve Months Ended Dec 31, 2012

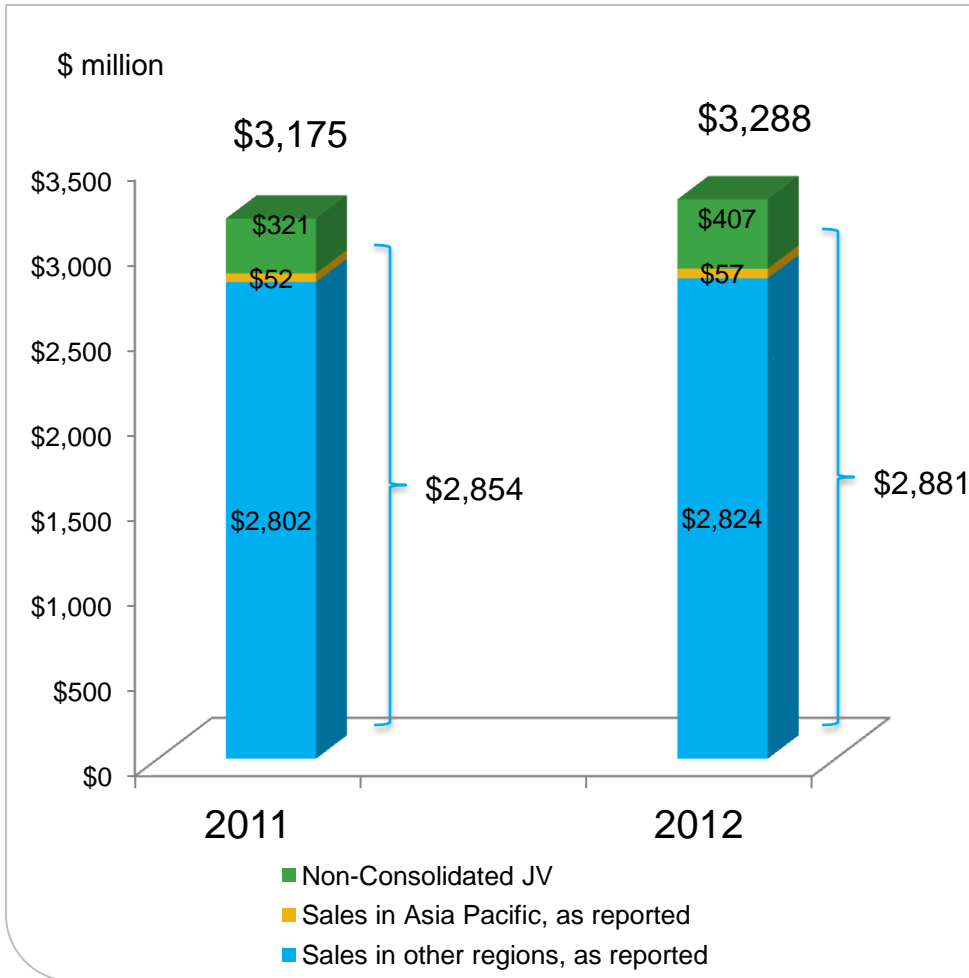
\$ USD Millions

Net income	102.8
Provision (benefit) for income tax expense	(31.5)
Net interest expense	44.8
Depreciation and amortization	122.7
EBITDA	238.8
Restructuring	25.8
Net gain on partial sale of joint venture	-
Inventory fair value	-
Acquisition costs	-
Impairment charges	10.1
Payments to former CEO and transition cost	11.5
Stock based compensation	9.8
Noncontrolling interest deferred tax valuation reversal	2.0
Others	-
Adjusted EBITDA	298.0

EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are Non-GAAP measures. Reference comments on slide 20

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Cooper Standard Non-Consolidated Joint Venture Sales



Joint Venture	Partner	Product	Country
Huayu-Cooper Sealing	SAIC/HASCO	Sealing	China
Nishikawa Cooper	Nishikawa Rubber	Sealing	U.S.
Nishikawa Tachaplalert Cooper	Nishikawa Rubber	Sealing	Thailand
Sujan CSF India	Magnum Elastomers	AVS	India



Non-Consolidated Sales up 27%

Q4 and FY 2012 Cash Flow and Key Financial Ratios

(\$ USD Millions)	<u>Q4 2012</u>	<u>FY 2012</u>
Cash from business	\$38.9	\$204.3
Pension funding - US	(3.3)	(30.1)
Changes in operating assets & liabilities	<u>70.8</u>	<u>(89.8)</u>
Cash from operations	106.4	84.4
Capital expenditures	<u>(39.6)</u>	<u>(131.1)</u>
Cash from (used) in operations including CAPEX	66.8	(46.7)
Acquisition of business, net cash acquired	-	(1.1)
Purchase of noncontrolling interest	(2.0)	(2.0)
Proceeds from sale of assets	5.6	14.6
Dividends – Preferred Stock	(1.7)	(6.8)
Financing activities	1.6	(5.5)
Repurchase of preferred stock	(1.9)	(6.8)
Repurchase of common stock	(16.3)	(36.9)
Foreign exchange/other	<u>0.7</u>	<u>0.1</u>
Net cash used	<u>\$52.8</u>	<u>\$(91.1)</u>

Key Financial Ratios

- Net leverage = \$212.8 million
- Net leverage ratio = 0.7
- Interest coverage ratio = 6.7
- No major debt maturity until 2018

Cash Balance as of December 31, 2011	\$ 361.7
Cash used	<u>(91.1)</u>
Cash Balance as of December 31, 2012	\$ 270.6
ABL Revolver	125.0
Letters of Credit	<u>(27.0)</u>
Total Liquidity	\$ 368.6

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2013 Guidance

- Sales growth: 1% to 2%
- Capital expenditures: \$150 million - \$170 million
- Cash restructuring: \$40 million - \$50 million
- Cash taxes: \$35 million - \$45 million

Guidance assumptions:

- North American production: 15.6 million units
- Europe (including Russia) production: 18.7 million units
- Average full exchange rate: \$1.25 / 1 Euro

Questions & Answers

Summary

- **Complete 120 day plan**
- **Align organization to support customer**
- **Leverage footprint and capabilities to win global platforms**
- **Attract and retain key talent to drive growth**
 - Appointed Asian and European Presidents
 - Appointed executive to oversee emerging markets
- **Continue a relentless focus on our customers through global support and innovation**

Appendix

Net Leverage Ratio as of Dec 31, 2012

(\$ USD Millions)	Three Months Ended				Twelve Months Ended
	Mar 31, 2012	Jun 30, 2012	Sep 30, 2012	Dec 31, 2012	Dec 30, 2012
Net income	\$ 23.8	\$ 77.3	\$ 11.6	\$ (9.9)	\$ 102.8
Provision for income tax expense	8.1	(46.2)	5.4	1.2	(31.5)
Interest expense, net of interest income	11.2	10.8	11.3	11.5	44.8
Depreciation and amortization	31.6	30.5	29.1	31.5	122.7
EBITDA	\$ 74.7	\$ 72.4	\$ 57.4	\$ 34.3	\$ 238.8
Restructuring ⁽¹⁾	6.1	(0.5)	10.2	13.0	28.8
Noncontrolling interest restructuring ⁽²⁾	(0.3)	-	(0.2)	(2.5)	(3.0)
Stock-based compensation ⁽³⁾	2.7	2.2	2.4	2.5	9.8
Impairment charges ⁽⁴⁾	-	-	-	10.1	10.1
Payment to former CEO and transition cost ⁽⁵⁾	-	-	-	11.5	11.5
Noncontrolling deferred tax valuation reversal ⁽⁶⁾	-	-	-	2.0	2.0
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 83.2	\$ 74.1	\$ 69.8	\$ 70.9	\$ 298.0
Net Leverage					
Debt payable within one year					32.6
Long-term debt					450.8
Less: cash and cash equivalents					(270.6)
Net Leverage					212.8
Net Leverage Ratio					0.7

(1) Includes cash and non-cash restructuring.

(2) Proportionate share of restructuring costs related to FMEA joint venture.

(3) Non-cash stock amortization expense and non-cash stock option expense for grants issued at emergence from bankruptcy.

(4) Impairment charges related to goodwill (\$2.8 million) and fixed assets (\$7.3 million)

(5) Executive compensation for retired CEO and recruiting costs related to search for new CEO

(6) Noncontrolling interest deferred tax valuation reversal

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Adjusted EBITDA as a Percent of Sales as of Dec 31, 2012

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Non-GAAP Financial Measures

EBITDA and adjusted EBITDA are measures not recognized under Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) which exclude certain non-cash and non-recurring items.

When analyzing the company's operating performance, investors should use EBITDA and adjusted EBITDA in addition to, and not as alternatives for, net income (loss), operating income, or any other performance measure derived in accordance with GAAP, or as an alternative to cash flow from operating activities as a measure of the company's performance. EBITDA and adjusted EBITDA have limitations as analytical tools and should not be considered in isolation or as substitutes for analysis of the company's results of operations as reported under GAAP. Other companies may report EBITDA and adjusted EBITDA differently and therefore Cooper Standard's results may not be comparable to other similarly titled measures of other companies.