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## Q1 2015 Earnings Call Presentation

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## Q1 2015 Summary

- Net sales of $\$ 1.26$ billion grew $4.1 \%$ compared with $\$ 1.21$ billion in the prior year
- Core sales grew 4.7\%, driven by Writing, Commercial Products and Tools growth of 7.4\%
- Normalized gross margin improved 50 bps to $38.8 \%$ with productivity, input cost deflation and pricing more than offsetting negative impacts of foreign currency and mix from acquisitions
- Normalized operating margin improved 90 bps versus prior year to 12.1\%, despite a 50 bps increase in advertising and promotion
- Normalized EPS increased $5.9 \%$ to $\$ 0.36$, from $\$ 0.34$ in the prior year, despite negative foreign currency impacts of $\$ 0.08$ per share and discrete tax benefits in the prior year of $\$ 0.04$ per share
- Operating cash flow use of $\$ 154.3$ million compared with a use of $\$ 92.1$ million last year, reflecting U.S. voluntary $\$ 70$ million pension contribution in 2015
- Dividends of $\$ 53.2$ million and 1.9 million shares repurchased for $\$ 73.6$ million


## Q1 2015: Core Sales Growth by Segment

|  | Net Sales <br> $\%$ | Currency <br> $\%$ | Acquisitions <br> \& Planned <br> Divestitures \% | Core Sales <br> $\%$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Writing | $(1.8) \%$ | $(10.8) \%$ | -- | $9.0 \%$ |
| Home Solutions | 15.2 | $(1.0)$ | $15.3 \%$ | 0.9 |
| Tools <br> Commercial <br> Products | $(3.9)$ | $(7.1)$ | -- | 3.2 |
|  <br> Parenting | 1.4 | $(3.0)$ | $(4.6)$ | 9.0 |
| Total Company | $4.1 \%$ | $(5.5) \%$ | 10.2 | 0.8 |

## Strong Core Growth in Win Bigger Businesses

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\text { Q1 } 2015 \text { core sales +7.4\% }
$$



Writing
Tools


Commercial Products

Newell Rubbermaid

# Return to Growth in Baby with Core Sales Up High Single-Digits in North America 

## Outstanding Campaign Creative



GROWTH
GAME PLAN INTO ACTION

## Strong Acquisition Performance

## contigo

## bubba:


baby jogger


## Growth Acceleration and Margin Expansion



## Expanded Project Renewal Phase 3

## Project Renewal



NewellRubbermaid

## FY 2015 Outlook

## FY 2015 Outlook*

## Core Sales

3.5\% to 4.5\%

Currency
(4.5)\% to (5.5)\%

Acquisitions, Net of Planned Divestitures
4.0\% to 5.0\%

Net Sales Growth
$3.0 \%$ to $4.0 \%$

## Normalized EPS**

\$2.10 to \$2.18

* Reflects outlook communicated in the May 1, 2015 Q1 2015 Earnings Release and Earnings Call
** See reconciliation included in the appendix

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## Appendix

## Reconciliation: FY 2015 Normalized EPS

Newell Rubbermaid Inc.<br>Reconciliation of Normalized EPS Guidance<br>Year Ending December 31, 2015

Diluted earnings per share
Graco product recall
Restructuring and other Project Renewal costs

| Year Ending |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| December 31, 2015 |  |  |  |
| $\$ 1.63$ | to | $\$$ | 1.81 |
|  |  | $\$ 0.03$ |  |
| $\$ 0.26$ | to | $\$$ | 0.40 |
|  |  | $\$ 0.01$ |  |
| $\$$ | - | to | $\$$ |
| $\$ 2.00$ | to | $\$$ | $2.01)$ |

## Reconciliation: Q1 2015 GAAP \& Non-GAAP Certain Line Items



* Normalized results are financial measures that are not in accordance with GAAP and exclude the above normalized adjustments. See below for a discussion of each of these adjustments.
**Totals may not add due to rounding.
(1) During the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 2014, the Company recognized costs of $\$ 10.2$ million and $\$ 11.0$ million, respectively, associated with the Graco product recall.

 million of restructuring costs incurred in connection with Project Renewal.
(3) During the three months ended March 31, 2015, the Company recognized an increase of $\$ 0.3$ million in cost of products sold resulting from increased costs of inventory due to changes in the exchange rate for the Venezuelan Bolivar
(4) During the three months ended March 31, 2015, the Company incurred $\$ 1.7$ million of acquisition and integration costs associated with the acquisitions of Ignite Holdings, bubba brands and Baby Jogger.
 businesses.


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## Reconciliation: Q1 2014 GAAP \& Non-GAAP Certain Line Items

Newell Rubbermaid Inc.
RECONCILIATION OF GAAP AND NON-GAAP INFORMATION
CERTAIN LINE ITEMS
in millions, except per share data)

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Months | End | ch 31, |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | GAAP Measure |  | Product recall costs (1) |  | Restructuring and restructuring-related costs (2) |  | Charge resulting from the devaluation of the Venezuelan Bolivar (7) |  | Discontinued operations (5) |  | Non-GAAP Measure |  |  |
|  | Reported |  |  |  |  | alized* |  |  | Percentage of Sales |
| Cost of products sold | \$ | 757.3 | \$ | (8.6) |  |  | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | 748.7 | 61.7\% |
| Gross margin | \$ | 457.0 | \$ | 8.6 | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | 465.6 | 38.3\% |
| Selling, general \& administrative expenses | \$ | 340.3 | \$ | (2.4) | \$ | (7.7) | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | 330.2 | 27.2\% |
| Operating income | \$ | 104.7 | \$ | 11.0 | \$ | 19.7 | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | 135.4 | 11.2\% |
| Nonoperating expenses | \$ | 54.4 | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | (38.7) | \$ | - | \$ | 15.7 |  |
| Income before income taxes | \$ | 50.3 | \$ | 11.0 | \$ | 19.7 | \$ | 38.7 | \$ | - | \$ | 119.7 |  |
| Income taxes (6) | \$ | (1.5) | \$ | 4.0 | \$ | 5.5 | \$ | 13.9 | \$ | - | \$ | 21.9 |  |
| Net income from continuing operations | \$ | 51.8 | \$ | 7.0 | \$ | 14.2 | \$ | 24.8 | \$ | - | \$ | 97.8 |  |
| Net income | \$ | 52.9 | \$ | 7.0 | \$ | 14.2 | \$ | 24.8 | \$ | (1.1) | \$ | 97.8 |  |
| Diluted earnings per share** | \$ | 0.19 | \$ | 0.02 | \$ | 0.05 | \$ | 0.09 | \$ | (0.00) | \$ | 0.34 |  |

* Normalized results are financial measures that are not in accordance with GAAP and exclude the above normalized adjustments. See below for a discussion of each of these adjustments.
**Totals may not add due to rounding
(1) During the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 2014, the Company recognized costs of $\$ 10.2$ million and $\$ 11.0$ million, respectively, associated with the Graco product recall.

 million of restructuring costs incurred in connection with Project Renewal
 businesses.




## Reconciliation: Q1 2015/2014 Segment Normalized Operating Income/Margin

Q1:
Q1:
Writing
Home Solutions
Tools

| 2015 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Sales | Reconciliation (1,2,3,4) |  |  |  |  |  | Operating Margin |
|  |  | If | Excluded Items |  |  |  |  |
| \$ 341.8 | \$ | 82.4 | \$ | 0.6 | \$ | 83.0 | 24.3\% |
| 364.5 |  | 38.5 |  | 0.1 |  | 38.6 | 10.6\% |
| 180.4 |  | 22.2 |  | - |  | 22.2 | 12.3\% |
| 185.2 |  | 17.0 |  | 0.6 |  | 17.6 | 9.5\% |
| 192.1 |  | 0.5 |  | 11.8 |  | 12.3 | 6.4\% |
| - |  | (27.3) |  | 27.3 |  | - |  |
| - |  | (35.1) |  | 14.0 |  | (21.1) |  |
| \$ 1,264.0 | \$ | 98.2 | \$ | 54.4 | \$ | 152.6 | 12.1\% |


| 2014 |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Reconciliation (1,2) |  |  |  |
| Net Sales | Reported OI | Excluded Items | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Normalized } \\ \text { OI } \end{gathered}$ | Operating <br> Margin |


| Year-over-year changes |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Net Sales |  | Normalized OI |  |  |
|  | \$ | \% |  | \$ | \% |
| \$ | (6.4) | (1.8)\% | \$ | 6.9 | 9.1\% |
|  | 48.1 | 15.2\% |  | 11.8 | 44.0\% |
|  | (7.4) | (3.9)\% |  | 0.8 | 3.7\% |
|  | 2.6 | 1.4\% |  | 3.8 | 27.5\% |
|  | 12.8 | 7.1\% |  | (4.1) | (25.0)\% |
|  | - |  |  | - |  |
|  | - |  |  | (2.0) | (10.5)\% |
| \$ | 49.7 | 4.1\% | \$ | 17.2 | 12.7\% |

(1) Excluded items include project-related costs and restructuring costs associated with Project Renewal. Project-related costs of $\$ 14.9$ million and restructuring costs of $\$ 27.3$ million incurred during 2015 relate to Project Renewal. For 2014, project-related costs of $\$ 7.7$ million and restructuring costs of $\$ 12.0$ million relate to Project Renewal.
(2) Baby \& Parenting normalized operating income for 2015 and 2014 excludes charges of $\$ 10.2$ and $\$ 11.0$ million, respectively, relating to the Graco product recall.
(3) Writing normalized operating income for 2015 excludes $\$ 0.3$ million of cost of products sold resulting from increased costs of inventory due to changes in the exchange rate for the Venezuelan Bolivar.
(4) Home Solutions normalized operating income for 2015 excludes $\$ 0.1$ million of acquisition and integration costs associated with the acquisitions of Ignite Holdings, LLC and bubba brands, and Baby \& Parenting normalized operating income for 2015 excludes $\$ 1.6$ million of costs associated with the acquisition of Baby Jogger.

## Reconciliation: Q1 2015 Core Sales

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Newell Rubbermaid Inc.
Three Months Ended March 31, 2015
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In Millions

| $\square$ |
| :---: |
| Currency Analysis |
| $\square$ By Segment |


|  | Net Sales, As Reported |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Core } \\ \text { Sales (1) } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Currency } \\ \text { Impact } \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  | Currency Impact | Acquisitions | $\begin{gathered} \text { Planned } \\ \text { Divestitures } \end{gathered}$ | Core Sales Growth (1) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2015 |  | 2014 |  | $\begin{gathered} \begin{array}{c} \text { Increase } \\ \text { (Decrease) } \end{array} \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | 2015 |  | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Less } \\ \text { Planned } \\ \text { Divestitures } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Less } \\ \text { Acquisitions } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} 2015 \\ \text { Core Sales } \end{gathered}$ |  | 2014 |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Less } \\ \text { Planned } \\ \text { Divestitures } \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} 2014 \\ \text { Core Sales } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | Constant Currency Inc. (Dec.) |  | Inc. (Dec.) Excl. Planned Divest. \& Acquisitions |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Increase (De } \\ & \hline \text { Excluding } \\ & \text { Currency } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | Decrease) Including Currency |  |  |  |  |
| Writing | \$ | 341.8 | \$ | 348.2 | \$ | (6.4) | \$ | 369.4 | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | 369.4 | \$ | 339.0 | \$ |  | \$ | 339.0 | \$ | 30.4 | \$ | 30.4 | \$ | (36.8) | 9.0\% | (1.8)\% | (10.8)\% | 0.0\% | 0.0\% | 9.0\% |
| Home Solutions |  | 364.5 |  | 316.4 |  | 48.1 |  | 367.6 |  | - |  | 48.4 |  | 319.2 |  | 316.3 |  |  |  | 316.3 |  | 51.3 |  | 2.9 |  | (3.2) | 16.2\% | 15.2\% | (1.0)\% | 15.3\% | (0.0)\% | 0.9\% |
| Tools |  | 180.4 |  | 187.8 |  | (7.4) |  | 192.8 |  | . |  | . |  | 192.8 |  | 186.8 |  |  |  | 186.8 |  | 6.0 |  | 6.0 |  | (13.4) | 3.2\% | (3.9)\% | (7.1)\% | 0.0\% | (0.0)\% | 3.2\% |
| Commercial Products |  | 185.2 |  | 182.6 |  | 2.6 |  | 189.5 |  | 9.8 |  |  |  | 179.7 |  | 181.5 |  | 16.6 |  | 164.9 |  | 8.0 |  | 14.8 |  | (5.4) | 4.4\% | 1.4\% | (3.0)\% | 0.0\% | (4.6) \% | 9.0\% |
| Baby \& Parenting |  | 192.1 |  | 179.3 |  | 12.8 |  | 197.5 |  | - |  | 18.2 |  | 179.3 |  | 177.9 |  |  |  | 177.9 |  | 19.6 |  | 1.4 |  | (6.8) | 11.0\% | 7.1\% | (3.9)\% | 10.2\% | ${ }^{(0.0) \%}$ | 0.8\% |
| Total Company |  | 1,264.0 |  | 1,214.3 | s | 49.7 | \$ | 1,316.8 | \$ | 9.8 | \$ | 66.6 | s | 1,240.4 | \$ | 1,201.5 | \$ | 16.6 | \$ | 1,184.9 | \$ | 115.3 | s | 55.5 | \$ | (65.6) | 9.6\% | 4.1\% | (5.5)\% | 5.5\% | (0.6) \% | 4.7\% |
| Win Bigger Businesses Core Sales Growth (2) | \$ | 707.4 | \$ | 718.6 | S | (11.2) | s | 751.7 | s | 9.8 | \$ | - | \$ | 741.9 | \$ | 707.3 | \$ | 16.6 | \$ | 690.7 | s | 44.4 | \$ | 51.2 | \$ | (55.6) | 6.3\% | (1.6)\% | (7.9)\% | 0.0\% | (1.1)\% | 7.4\% |
| By Geography |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| United States | \$ | 917.2 | \$ | 813.5 | \$ | 103.7 | \$ | 917.2 | \$ | 9.4 | \$ | 66.6 | \$ | 841.2 | \$ | 813.5 | \$ | 15.7 | \$ | 797.8 | \$ | 103.7 | \$ | 43.4 | \$ | - | 12.7\% | 12.7\% | 0.0\% | 8.2\% | (0.9)\% | 5.4\% |
| Canada |  | 46.2 |  | 53.1 |  | (6.9) |  | 51.6 |  | 0.4 |  | . |  | 51.2 |  | 53.0 |  | 0.9 |  | 52.1 |  | (1.4) |  | (0.9) |  | (5.5) | ${ }^{(2.6) \%}$ | (13.0) \% | (10.4)\% | 0.0\% | (0.9)\% | (1.7)\% |
| Total North America |  | 963.4 |  | 866.6 |  | 96.8 |  | 968.8 |  | 9.8 |  | 66.6 |  | 892.4 |  | 866.5 |  | 16.6 |  | 849.9 |  | 102.3 |  | 42.5 |  | (5.5) | 11.8\% | 11.2\% | (0.0)\% | 7.7\% | (0.9)\% | 5.0\% |
| Europe, Middle East and Africa |  | 127.6 |  | 163.9 |  | (36.3) |  | 150.5 |  | - |  | - |  | 150.5 |  | 158.8 |  | - |  | 158.8 |  | (8.3) |  | (8.3) |  | (28.0) | (5.2) \% | (22.1) \% | (16.9) \% | 0.0\% | 0.0\% | (5.2)\% |
| Latin America |  | 89.4 |  | 92.0 |  | (2.6) |  | 106.8 |  | - |  | - |  | 106.8 |  | 85.1 |  |  |  | 85.1 |  | 21.7 |  | 21.7 |  | (24.3) | 25.5\% | ${ }^{(2.8) \%}$ | (28.3) \% | 0.0\% | 0.0\% | 25.5\% |
| Asia Pacific |  | 83.6 |  | 91.8 |  | (8.2) |  | 90.7 |  | . |  | - |  | 90.7 |  | 91.1 |  | . |  | 91.1 |  | (0.4) |  | (0.4) |  | (7.8) | ${ }^{(0.4) \%}$ | (8.9)\% | (8.5)\% | 0.0\% | 0.0\% | ${ }^{(0.4) \%}$ |
| Total International |  | 300.6 |  | 347.7 |  | (47.1) |  | 348.0 |  | - |  | - |  | 348.0 |  | 335.0 |  | - |  | 335.0 |  | 13.0 |  | 13.0 |  | ${ }^{(60.1)}$ | 3.9\% | (13.5) \% | (17.4) \% | 0.0\% | 0.0\% | 3.9\% |
| Total Company |  | 1,264.0 |  | 1,214.3 | \$ | 49.7 | \$ | 1,316.8 | \$ | 9.8 | \$ | 66.6 | s | 1,240.4 | \$ | 1,201.5 | \$ | 16.6 | \$ | 1,184.9 | \$ | 115.3 | s | 55.5 | \$ | (65.0) | 9.6\% | 4.1\% | (5.5)\% | 5.5\% | (0.6)\% | 4.7\% | planned divestiures.

