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# Third Quarter 2015 Financial Results

October 23, 2015

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#### **Agenda**

- Third Quarter 2015 Financial Results / 2015 Outlook
  - Jeff Vanneste, SVP and CFO
- Summary Comments
  - Matt Simoncini, President and CEO
- Q and A Session





# Third Quarter 2015 Financial Results

### Third Quarter 2015 Highlights

- Sales of \$4.3 billion
  - Sales growth of 11% excluding currency impact
  - Organic growth of 6% excluding currency impact and Eagle Ottawa
- Record core operating earnings of \$320 million, up 27%
- Adjusted earnings per share of \$2.56, up 33%
- Improved margins in both business segments
- Acquired intellectual property and technology from Autonet Mobile
- Returned \$167 million to shareholders through share repurchases and dividends

Increasing Full Year Outlook For Earnings And Free Cash Flow



### **Third Quarter 2015 Global Vehicle Production**

Units (in millions)	Third Quarter 2015					
	Actual	Change From Prior Year				
Europe and Africa	4.9	up 6%				
China	4.7	down 6%				
North America	4.4	up 5%				
Japan	2.1	down 4%				
India	1.0	up 6%				
Brazil	0.6	down 25%				
Global	20.3	flat				
<u>Key Currency</u> Euro	\$ 1.11 / €	down 16%				

Source: IHS Automotive October 2015

## **Third Quarter 2015 Reported Financials**

(\$ in millions, except per share amounts)		Third G	2015 B/(W)		
		2014	2015	2014	
Net Sales					
North America	\$	1,679.2	\$ 1,896.6		13 %
Europe and Africa		1,616.5	1,568.8		(3)%
Asia		735.4	746.3		1 %
South America		201.6	118.6		(41)%
Global	\$	4,232.7	\$ 4,330.3		2 %
Pretax Income Before Equity Income,					
Interest and Other Expense	\$	224.5	\$ 302.6		35 %
Pretax Income Before Equity Income	\$	197.7	\$ 259.5		31 %
Net Income Attributable to Lear	\$	140.1	\$ 181.0		29 %
Diluted Earnings per Share Attributable to Lear	\$	1.72	\$ 2.34		36 %
SG&A % of Net Sales		3.0%	3.2%		
Equity Income	\$	(7.8)	\$ (9.9)	\$	2.1
Interest Expense	\$	15.7	\$ 21.4	\$	(5.7)
Other Expense, Net	\$	11.1	\$ 21.7	\$	(10.6)
Depreciation / Amortization	\$	79.9	\$ 88.0	\$	(8.1)



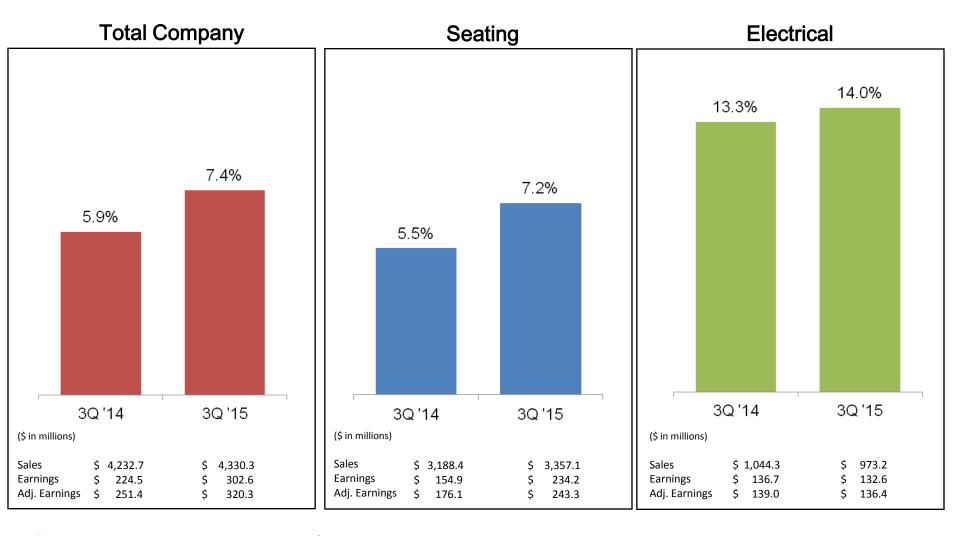
## Third Quarter 2015 Impact of Restructuring and Other Special Items

(\$ in millions, except per share amounts)		Memo:								
	Re	ported	Restructuring Costs		Other Special Items		Adjusted		3Q 2014 Adjusted	
Pretax Income Before Equity Income, Interest and Other Expense	\$	302.6	\$	15.5 <sup>*</sup>	\$	2.2*	\$	320.3	\$	251.4
Equity Income		(9.9)						(9.9)		(7.8)
Pretax Income Before Interest and Other Expense	\$	312.5					\$	330.2	\$	259.2
Interest Expense		21.4						21.4		14.7
Other Expense, Net		21.7		1.9				19.8		15.3
Income Before Taxes	\$	269.4					\$	289.0	\$	229.2
Income Taxes		76.1		3.1		(0.9)		78.3		64.5
Net Income	\$	193.3					\$	210.7	\$	164.7
Noncontrolling Interests		12.3						12.3		7.8
Net Income Attributable to Lear	\$	181.0					\$	198.4	\$	156.9
Diluted Earnings per Share	\$	2.34					\$	2.56	\$	1.93

<sup>\*</sup> Restructuring costs include \$10.6 million in COGS and \$4.9 million in SG&A. Other special items include \$2.3 million in COGS and (\$0.1) million in SG&A.



## **Third Quarter 2015 Adjusted Margins**



Reported earnings represents pretax income before equity income, interest and other expense. Adjusted earnings represents reported earnings adjusted for restructuring costs and other special items.

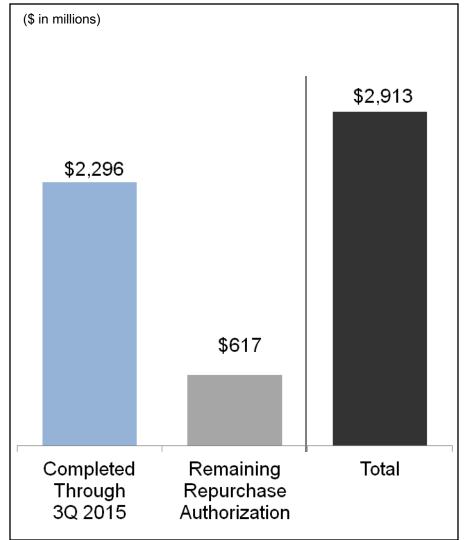


### Third Quarter 2015 Free Cash Flow

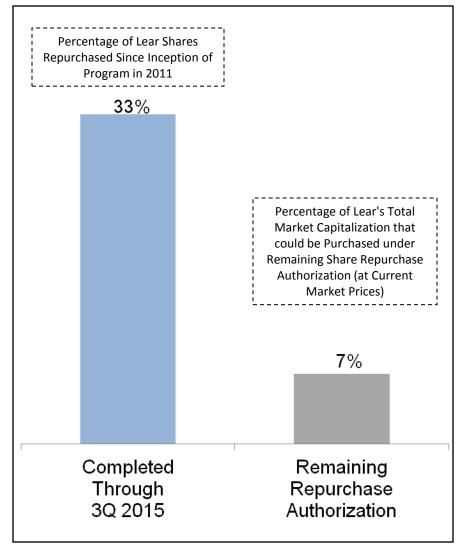
	Third Quarter2015
Net Income Attributable to Lear	\$ 181.0
Depreciation / Amortization	88.0
Working Capital and Other	9.0
Capital Expenditures	(114.8)
Free Cash Flow	\$ 163.2

#### **Share Repurchase Summary**





#### Percentage of Shares Repurchased



### 2015 Outlook

## **2015 Outlook Vehicle Production and Currency**

nits (in millions)		0045	<b></b>	Memo:
		2015	YOY	July
	2014	Outlook	<u>Change</u>	<u>Outlook</u>
China	21.3	21.7	up 2%	22.5
Europe and Africa	20.6	21.3	up 3%	21.1
North America	17.0	17.5	up 3%	17.5
Japan	9.0	8.4	down 6%	8.5
India	3.6	3.8	up 6%	3.8
Brazil	3.0	2.3	down 22%	2.5
Global	85.6	86.1	up 1%	87.2
<u> Key Currency</u>				
Euro	\$ 1.33 / €	\$ 1.11 / €	down 17%	\$ 1.10 / €
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2015 outlook for vehicle production by	pased on IHS Automotive Octo	ber forecast		

### 2015 Outlook Financial Summary

#### 2015 Financial Outlook

≈ \$18.2 billion Net Sales

**\$1.27 to \$1.30 billion** Core Operating Earnings

≈ \$365 million Depreciation and Amortization

≈ \$90 million Interest Expense

\$1.17 to \$1.20 billion Pretax Income

before restructuring costs and other special items

≈ 28% Effective Tax Rate

excluding restructuring costs and other special items

**\$800 to \$820 million** Adjusted Net Income Attributable to Lear

≈ \$85 million Restructuring Costs

≈ \$500 million Capital Spending

≈ \$650 million Free Cash Flow

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### **Summary Comments**

#### **Major Industry Trends**



Global platforms and direct component sourcing by customers



Consumer demand for additional comfort, convenience and safety features



Stricter fuel economy and emissions standards



China is the largest major automotive market in the world



Connectivity, adaptive safety and autonomous vehicles

Uniquely Positioned In Both Business Segments To Take
Advantage Of Industry Growth And Major Trends

## **Lear is Well Positioned for Profitable Growth in Both Business Segments**

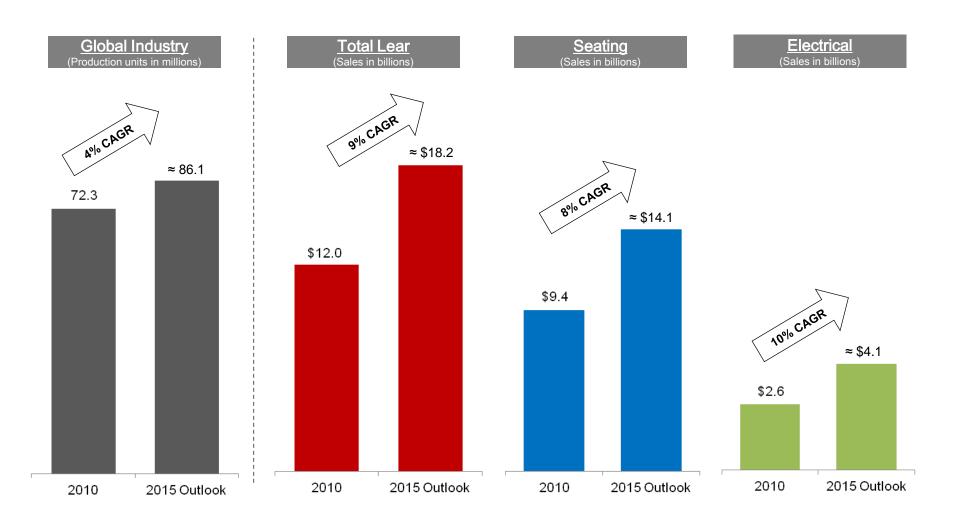
#### Seating

- Sales growing faster than industry
- Low-cost producer
- World leader in luxury and performance automotive seating
- Most complete component capabilities
- Uniquely positioned with a competitive advantage in seat design and craftsmanship

#### **Electrical**

- Sales growing faster than industry
- Low-cost producer
- Developed 15 first-to-market innovations over the past 36 months
- Complete component capabilities
- Uniquely positioned to capitalize on vehicle connectivity mega-trend

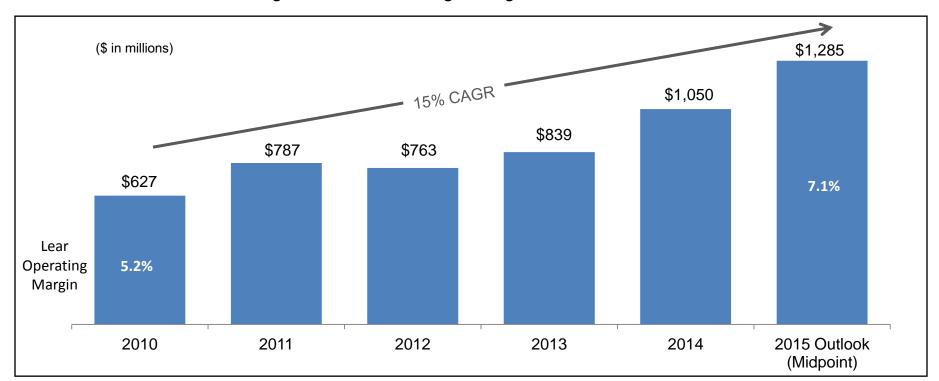
#### **Lear Sales Growing Faster than Industry Production**



2015 outlook for vehicle production based on IHS Automotive October forecast

#### **Improving Core Operating Earnings Trend**

- Our strategy is working
  - Sales and core operating earnings are growing significantly faster than industry vehicle production
  - Earnings growth has accelerated since 2013
- Fully committed to Seating and Electrical businesses
  - Both businesses are performing well
  - Committed to investing in and further strengthening both businesses



#### Summary

- Continued positive momentum in the Third Quarter, with record core operating earnings
- Seating and Electrical are both growing faster than the industry and performing at sustainable margins
- Investments in the business have strengthened our competitiveness, which is driving market share gains and record financial results
- Uniquely positioned to take advantage of major industry trends
- Increasing our full year earnings and free cash flow outlook for 2015

Balanced Strategy Is Delivering Superior Value
To Our Customers And Our Shareholders

#### **Non-GAAP Financial Information**

In addition to the results reported in accordance with GAAP included throughout this presentation, the Company has provided information regarding "pretax income before equity income, interest, other expense, restructuring costs and other special items" (core operating earnings, adjusted earnings or adjusted segment earnings), "pretax income before restructuring costs and other special items," "adjusted net income attributable to Lear," "adjusted diluted net income per share attributable to Lear" (adjusted earnings per share), "tax expense excluding the impact of restructuring costs and other special items" and "free cash flow" (each, a non-GAAP financial measure). Other expense includes, among other things, non-income related taxes, foreign exchange gains and losses, gains and losses related to certain derivative instruments and hedging activities, gains and losses on the extinguishment of debt and gains and losses on the disposal of fixed assets. Adjusted net income and adjusted earnings per share represent net income attributable to Lear and diluted net income per share attributable to Lear, respectively, adjusted for restructuring costs and other special items, including the tax effect thereon. Free cash flow represents net cash used in operating activities less capital expenditures.

Management believes the non-GAAP financial measures used in this presentation are useful to both management and investors in their analysis of the Company's financial position and results of operations. In particular, management believes that pretax income before equity income, interest and other expense, core operating earnings, pretax income before restructuring costs and other special items, adjusted net income attributable to Lear, adjusted earnings per share and tax expense excluding the impact of restructuring costs and other special items are useful measures in assessing the Company's financial performance by excluding certain items that are not indicative of the Company's core operating performance or that may obscure trends useful in evaluating the Company's continuing operating activities. Management also believes that these measures are useful to both management and investors in their analysis of the Company's results of operations and provide improved comparability between fiscal periods. Management believes that free cash flow is useful to both management and investors in their analysis of the Company's ability to service and repay its debt. Further, management uses these non-GAAP financial measures for planning and forecasting future periods.

Pretax income before equity income, interest and other expense, core operating earnings, pretax income before restructuring costs and other special items, adjusted net income attributable to Lear, adjusted earnings per share, tax expense excluding the impact of restructuring costs and other special items and free cash flow should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for pretax income before equity income, net income attributable to Lear, diluted net income per share attributable to Lear, cash used in operating activities or other income statement or cash flow statement data prepared in accordance with GAAP or as a measure of profitability or liquidity. In addition, the calculation of free cash flow does not reflect cash used to service debt and, therefore, does not reflect funds available for investment or other discretionary uses. Also, these non-GAAP financial measures, as determined and presented by the Company, may not be comparable to related or similarly titled measures reported by other companies.

Set forth on the following slides are reconciliations of these non-GAAP financial measures to the most directly comparable financial measures calculated and presented in accordance with GAAP. Given the inherent uncertainty regarding special items and other expense in any future period, a reconciliation of forward-looking financial measures to the most directly comparable financial measures calculated and presented in accordance with GAAP is not feasible. The magnitude of these items, however, may be significant.

### Non-GAAP Financial Information Pretax income before equity income, interest and other expense

	Third Quarter				
(\$ in millions)		2014		2015	
Pretax income before equity income	\$	197.7	\$	259.5	
Interest expense		15.7		21.4	
Other expense, net		11.1		21.7	
Pretax income before equity income, interest and other expense	\$	224.5	\$	302.6	



## Non-GAAP Financial Information Core Operating Earnings

	n millions)										Third C		Quarter	
(\$ in millions)			2011	2012		2013		2014		2014		2015		
Pretax income before equity income	\$	448.8	\$	615.7	\$	648.9	\$	610.1	\$	787.4	\$	197.7	\$	259.5
Interest expense		55.4		39.7		49.9		68.4		67.5		15.7		21.4
Other expense, net		34.2		24.2		6.4		58.1		74.3		11.1		21.7
Costs related to restructuring actions		69.0		71.5		55.7		83.8		114.3		21.4		15.5
Costs related to proxy contest		-		-		-		3.0		-		-		-
Acquisition and other related costs		-		-		6.2		-		5.3		2.7		2.3
Losses and incremental costs (insurance recoveries), net														
related to the destruction of assets		-		13.3		(14.6)		7.3		-		-		-
Labor-related litigation claims		-		-		-		7.3		-		-		-
Other		19.9		22.1		10.1		1.4		0.8		2.8		(0.1)
Pretax income before equity income, interest, other expense, restructuring costs and other special items	: <b>\$</b>	627.3	\$	786.5	\$	762.6	\$	839.4	\$	1,049.6	\$	251.4	\$	320.3
(Core operating earnings)	<u> </u>	027.0	<u> </u>		<u> </u>	. 02.0	<u> </u>		<u> </u>	.,01010	<u> </u>	20114	<u> </u>	020.0

### Non-GAAP Financial Information Core Operating Earnings and Adjusted Margins

	Third Quarter 2014						
(\$ in millions)		Total	S	eating	EI	ectrical	
Net sales	\$	4,232.7	\$	3,188.4	\$	1,044.3	
Pretax income before equity income, interest and other expense / segment earnings	\$	224.5	\$	154.9	\$	136.7	
Costs related to restructuring actions Acquisition and other related costs Other		21.4 2.7 2.8		18.6 - 2.6		2.3 - -	
Core operating earnings / adjusted earnings	\$	251.4	\$	176.1	\$	139.0	
Adjusted margins		5.9%		5.5%		13.3%	
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(\$ in millions)	Total			eating	Electrical		
Net sales	¢	4 222 2	¢				
	<u>\$</u>	4,330.3	\$	3,357.1	\$	973.2	
Pretax income before equity income, interest and other expense / segment earnings	\$	302.6	\$	234.2	<b>\$</b> \$	132.6	
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and other expense / segment earnings  Costs related to restructuring actions  Acquisition and other related costs	<u>-</u>	302.6 15.5 2.3		234.2 6.8 2.3		132.6 3.7	

### Non-GAAP Financial Information Adjusted Net Income and Adjusted EPS

	Third Quarter			
(\$ and shares in millions)	2014			2015
Net income attributable to Lear	\$	140.1	\$	181.0
Costs related to restructuring actions		22.4		17.4
Acquisition and other related costs		2.7		2.3
Gain related to affiliate		(5.2)		-
Other		3.8		(0.1)
Tax impact of special items and other				
net tax adjustments <sup>1</sup>		(6.9)		(2.2)
Adjusted net income attributable to Lear	\$	156.9	\$	198.4
Weighted average number of diluted shares outstanding		81.4		77.4
Adjusted earnings per share	\$	1.93	\$	2.56



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Represents the tax effect of restructuring costs and other special items, as well as several discrete tax items. The identification of these tax items is judgmental in nature, and their calculation is based on various assumptions and estimates.

### Non-GAAP Financial Information Free Cash Flow

(\$ in millions)	Third Quarter 2015					
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	278.0				
Capital expenditures		(114.8)				
Free cash flow	\$	163.2				