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# Second Quarter Results and 2008 Financial Outlook

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## **Company Overview**



### **Business Conditions Very Challenging\***

- North American industry production down sharply:
  - Second quarter down 15% from a year ago
  - Full-year outlook lowest since the early 1990s
- Dramatic shift away from full-size pickups and large SUVs in North America:
  - Second quarter down 37% from a year ago
  - Full-year outlook down 42% from peak in 2004
- Continued restructuring at major North American customers
- High raw material and energy prices persist
- European production relatively stable
- Continued strong growth in emerging markets

### Challenging Conditions Likely To Continue Into 2009

<sup>\*</sup> Please see slide titled "Forward-Looking Statements" at the end of this presentation for further information.



## Lear is Proactively Addressing the Challenges\*

- Maintained solid operating fundamentals globally
- Accelerating progress on global restructuring initiative
- Winning significant new business globally
- Continuing to diversify our sales mix
- Investing in our electrical and electronic business
- Proactively managing our liquidity position

## Maintaining Solid Operating Results As We Aggressively Restructure And Reposition The Company

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#### Sales Growth and Diversification\*

- Net new business wins since January total about \$600 million:
  - $\approx $60$  million in 2009
  - ≈ \$300 million in 2010
  - ≈ \$240 million beyond 2010
- Composition of net new business further diversifies sales:
  - Primarily outside of North America
  - 55% in electrical and electronics
  - 25% Domestic Three and 75% European and Asian automakers
- In addition, non-consolidated new business wins total approximately \$150 million

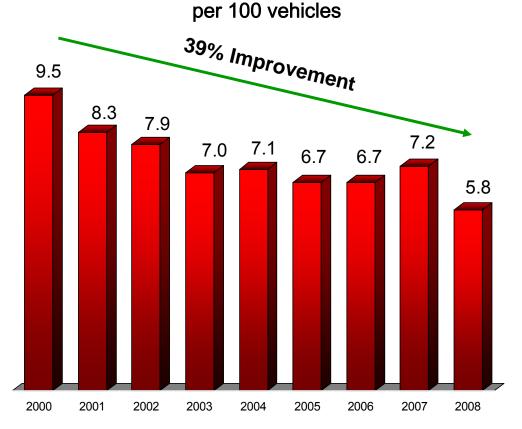
### Continuing To Grow And Diversify Global Sales

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### Leadership in Seat Quality





## Lear's Highlights from 2008 J.D. Power Survey

- ▶ 19% Year-Over-Year Improvement in TGW
- → 39% Improvement since 2000 in TGW
- >> Lear leads the industry in key segments:
  - Best Compact Premium Seat Quality—Porsche Cayman
  - Best Midsize Premium Sporty Seat Quality–Chevrolet Corvette Coupe
  - Best Midsize Utility Seat Quality–Dodge Durango
  - Best Large Pickup Seat Quality–Dodge Ram HD
  - Best Midsize CUV Seat Quality—Hyundai Santa Fe

Source: 2008 J.D. Power Seat Quality and Satisfaction Report

## Highest Quality Major Seat Manufacturer For 7 Of Last 8 Years



### **Operating Priorities**

- Business conditions in North America have deteriorated rapidly this year and are likely to remain challenging into 2009
- In response, the Lear team is focused on:
  - Maintaining operational excellence
  - Further diversifying our sales outside of North America
  - Implementing structural cost reduction actions
  - Selectively investing in growth opportunities
  - Proactively managing our liquidity position
- We are well positioned to weather the downturn and to emerge even stronger when external factors improve

Improving Our Business Structure For Long-Term Success



# Second Quarter Results and 2008 Financial Outlook

## Second Quarter 2008 Financial Summary\*



#### Major Factors Impacting Second-Quarter 2008 Results

- Difficult North American production environment, with industry down 15% and Domestic Three down 21% from a year ago
- Raw material and energy prices remained high
- Continued benefits of restructuring actions

#### Second-Quarter 2008 Results Solid

- Net sales of \$4.0 billion
- Core operating earnings of \$164 million\*\*
- Free cash flow of \$16 million\*\*

#### Full-Year 2008 Earnings Outlook Updated to Reflect

- Lower North American industry production of 13.5 million units vs. 13.8 million units in June 4 outlook
- Core operating earnings reduced to \$550 to \$600 million, reflecting the lower production outlook in North America

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## **Second Quarter 2008 Industry Environment**



	Second Quarter 2008	Second Quarter 2008 vs. 2007		
North American Production				
Industry	3.4 mil	down 15%		
Domestic Three	2.1 mil	down 21%		
Lear's Top 15 Platforms	0.8 mil	down 30%		
European Production				
Industry	5.5 mil	up 4%		
Lear's Top 5 Customers	2.8 mil	up 3%		
Key Commodities (Quarterly Average)	vs. Prior Quarter			
Steel (Hot Rolled)	up 37%	up 64%		
Copper	up 7%	up 10%		
Crude Oil	up 27%	up 91%		
Foam-Related Chemicals	up 3%	up 13%		

## Second Quarter 2008 Reported Financials



(in millions, except net income per share)	Second Quarter 2008	Second Quarter 2007	2Q '08 B/(W) 2Q '07	
Net Sales	\$3,979.0	\$4,155.3	(\$176.3)	
Income Before Interest, Other Expense and Income Taxes*	\$105.5	\$194.8	(\$89.3)	
Pretax Income	\$55.8	\$143.9	(\$88.1)	
Net Income	\$18.3	\$123.6	(\$105.3)	
Net Income Per Share	\$0.23	\$1.58	(\$1.35)	
SG&A % of Net Sales	3.9 %	3.4 %	(0.5) pts.	
Interest Expense	\$45.6	\$51.3	\$5.7	
Depreciation / Amortization	\$77.4	\$75.7	(\$1.7)	
Other Expense, Net	\$4.1	\$0.3	(\$3.8)	

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## Second Quarter 2008 Restructuring Impact\*



(in millions)  Reported Results	Income B Other	nd Quarter efore Intere Expense come Taxes	·	
2008 Total Company	\$	105.5		
			Income Staten	nent Category
Reported Results Include the Followin	g Items:		<u>COGS</u>	SG&A
Costs related to restructuring actions	\$	58.3	\$ 47.9	\$ 10.4
2008 Core Operating Earnings	\$	163.8		

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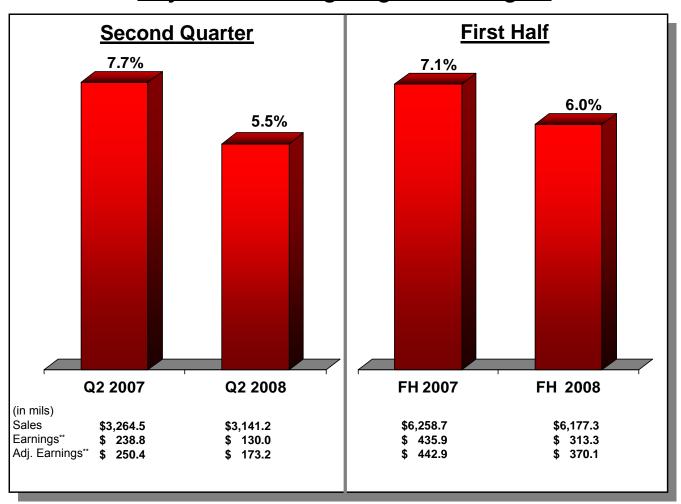
## Second Quarter 2008 Net Sales Changes and Margin Impact

Performance Factor	Net Sales Change (in millions)		erformance Factor Change		Performance Factor Change			Comments			
Industry Production / Platform Mix / Net Pricing	\$	(554)	Negative	Lower production and unfavorable platform mix in North America, including impact of American Axle strike							
Global New Business	64		64		64 Neutral		Neutral	Lincoln MKS and Saturn VUE in North America, Audi A4 in Europe and numerous programs in Asia			
F/X Translation	314		314		Neutral	Euro up 16%, Canadian dollar up 9%					
Performance			Positive	Favorable operating performance, including efficiency actions and benefits from restructuring actions							

## Second Quarter 2008 Seating Performance\*



#### **Adjusted Seating Segment Margins**



## Explanation of Year-to-Year Change Q2

#### **Sales Factors**

Decreased, driven by lower industry production and unfavorable platform mix in North America, partially offset by favorable foreign exchange

#### **Margin Performance**

Declined, reflecting the impact of lower production in North America, offset in part by favorable cost performance, including restructuring savings

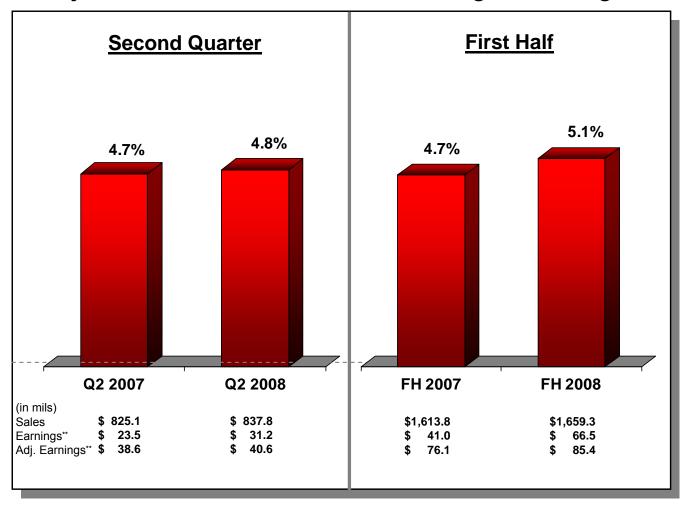
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## Second Quarter 2008 Electrical and Electronic Performance\*



#### Adjusted Electrical and Electronic Segment Margins



## Explanation of Year-to-Year Change Q2

#### **Sales Factors**

Increased, driven by favorable foreign exchange and the addition of new business, partially offset by lower industry production in North America

#### Margin Performance

Improved slightly, reflecting favorable operating performance, including restructuring savings, as well as the recovery of previously-incurred program-related engineering expenditures

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### Second Quarter 2008 Free Cash Flow\*



(in millions)	Second Quarter 2008
Net Income	\$ 18.3
Depreciation / Amortization	77.4
Working Capital / Other	(30.0)
Cash from Operations	\$ 65.7
Capital Expenditures	(50.0)
Free Cash Flow	\$ 15.7

<sup>\*</sup> Free cash flow represents net cash provided by operating activities (\$68.4 million for the three months ended 6/28/08) before net change in sold accounts receivable ((\$2.7) million for the three months ended 6/28/08) (Cash from Operations), less capital expenditures. Please see slides titled "Non-GAAP Financial Information" at the end of this presentation for further information.

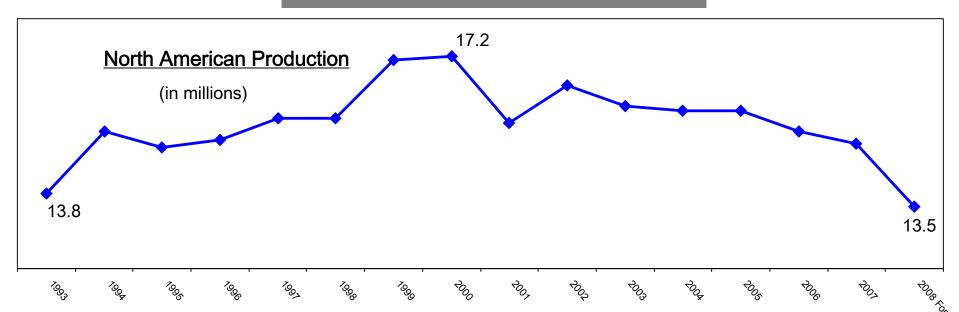
## 2008 Outlook Global Industry Production\*



#### **2008 Industry Production Forecast**

(in millions of vehicles)

Major Market	2008	B/(W) 2007
North America	13.5	(10)%
Europe	20.3	1%
China	7.9	14%
Brazil	3.0	15%
India	2.4	27%
Russia	1.7	11%
Global	≈ 70.0	up 2%



Global Automotive Industry Production Up 2% For 2008

Source: CSM Worldwide & Company estimates

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## 2008 Outlook Full-Year Financial Forecast\*



2008 Full-Year
<b>Financial Forecast</b>

Net Sales ≈ \$15.0 billion

Core Operating Earnings \$550 to \$600 million

Income before interest, other expense,

income taxes, restructuring

costs and other special items

Interest Expense \$190 to \$200 million

Pretax Income \$325 to \$375 million

before restructuring costs

and other special items

Estimated Tax Expense ≈ \$125 million \*\*

Pretax Restructuring Costs ≈ \$140 million

Capital Spending \$230 to \$250 million

**Depreciation and Amortization** ≈ \$300 million

Free Cash Flow ≈ \$150 million

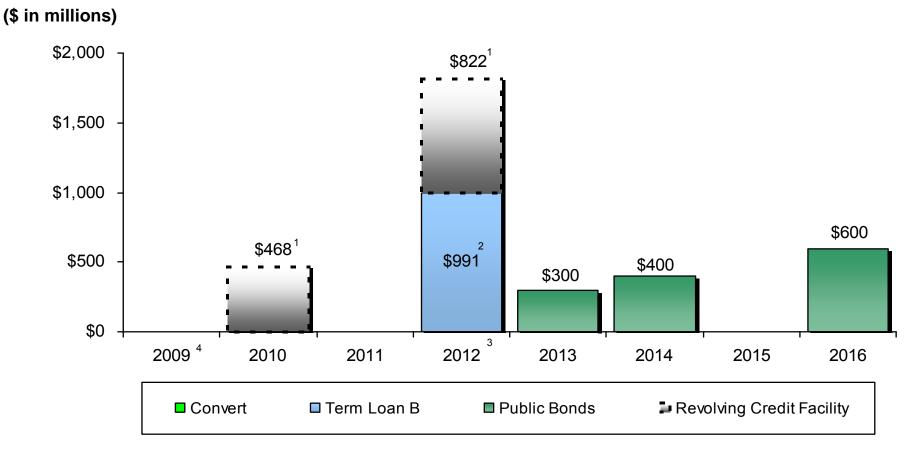
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<sup>\*\*</sup> Subject to actual mix of earnings by country.



## **Committed Liquidity Until 2012\***

#### **Debt Maturities Following July 2008 Bank Amendment**



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Revolving line of credit of \$1.3 billion, \$468 million of which matures on March 23, 2010 and \$822 million of which matures on January 31, 2012.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> \$1.0 billion term loan amortizes at \$6.0m per year, with \$967 million due at maturity in 2012.

<sup>3</sup> Excludes \$0.8M of convertible notes that can be called by Lear at any time.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> An irrevocable call notice for the remaining \$41 million of outstanding bonds due 2009 was executed in connection with the July 2008 bank amendment. These bonds will be retired on August 4, 2008 with cash.

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## Summary and Outlook\*

- Business structure improvements being aggressively implemented to improve long-term competitiveness:
  - Aggressive actions to improve cost structure
  - Continued sales diversification
  - Further low-cost footprint expansion
  - Selective vertical integration
  - Adopted global operating structure for business units
  - Implementing improvement plan for electrical and electronics
- Second quarter 2008 financial results:
  - Net sales of \$4.0 billion
  - Core operating earnings of \$164 million
  - Continued focus on quality, service and innovation
- Lear remains solidly profitable with full-year 2008 outlook for core operating earnings of \$550 to \$600 million
- Recent bank amendment provides committed liquidity until 2012
- Longer-term financial outlook continues to be positive

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#### Non-GAAP Financial Information

In addition to the results reported in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States ("GAAP") included throughout this presentation, the Company has provided information regarding "income before interest, other expense and income taxes," "income before interest, other expense, income taxes, restructuring costs and other special items" (core operating earnings), "pretax income before 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, discounts and expenses associated with the Company's asset-backed securitization and factoring facilities, minority interests in consolidated subsidiaries, equity in net income of affiliates and gains and losses on the sale of assets. Free cash flow represents net cash provided by operating activities before the net change in sold accounts receivable, less capital expenditures. The Company believes it is appropriate to exclude the net change in sold accounts receivable in the calculation of free cash flow since the sale of receivables may be viewed as a substitute for borrowing activity.

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 income before interest, other expense and income taxes, core operating earnings and pretax income before restructuring costs and other special items are useful measures in assessing the Company's financial performance by excluding certain items (including those items that are included in other expense) that are not indicative of the Company's core operating earnings 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 in future periods.

Income before interest, other expense and income taxes, core operating earnings, pretax income before restructuring costs and other special items and free cash flow should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for pretax income, net income, cash provided by 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, other expense and the net change in sold accounts receivable 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 Core Operating Earnings

	Three Months					
(in millions)		Q2 2008				
Pretaxincome	\$	55.8	\$	143.9		
Divestiture of Interior business		-		(0.7)		
Interest expense		45.6		51.3		
Other expense, net *		4.1		0.3		
Income before interest, other expense and income taxes	\$	105.5	\$	194.8		
Restructuring costs and other special items -						
Costs related to restructuring actions		58.3		34.8		
Additional costs related to Interior divestiture (COS and SG&A)		-		1.8		
Costs related to merger transaction		-		2.3		
Less: Interior business				(4.4)		
Income before interest, other expense, income taxes,						
restructuring costs and other special items		163.8	<u>\$</u>	229.3		
(core operating earnings)						

<sup>\*</sup> Includes minority interests in consolidated subsidiaries and equity in net income of affiliates.



## Non-GAAP Financial Information Segment Earnings Reconciliation

		Three	Month	S	Six Months			
(in millions)		2 2008	Q2 2007		Q2 2008		Q2 2007	
Seating Electrical and electronic Interior	\$	130.0 31.2 -	\$	238.8 23.5 (0.6)	\$	313.3 66.5 -	\$	435.9 41.0 8.2
Segment earnings		161.2		261.7		379.8		485.1
Corporate and geographic headquarters and elimination of intercompany activity	_	(55.7)		(66.9)		(111.4)		(105.9)
Income before interest, other expense and income taxes	\$	105.5	\$	194.8	\$	268.4	\$	379.2
Divestiture of Interior business Interest expense Other expense, net		- 45.6 4.1		(0.7) 51.3 0.3		93.0 10.1		24.9 102.8 25.3
Pretax income	\$	55.8	\$	143.9	\$	165.3	\$	226.2



## Non-GAAP Financial Information Adjusted Segment Earnings

		Three Months Q2 2008				Three Mo	nths	Q2 2007			
		Electrical and					Elec	trical and			
(in millions)		Seating		Seating Electro		<u>ectronic</u>	_ ;	Seating		Electronic	
Sales	\$	3,141.2	\$	837.8	\$	3,264.5	\$	825.1			
Segment earnings	\$	130.0	\$	31.2	\$	238.8	\$	23.5			
Costs related to restructuring actions		43.2		9.4		11.6		15.1			
Adjusted segment earnings	\$	173.2	\$	40.6	\$	250.4	\$	38.6			
		Six Mon	ths (	Q2 2008		Six Mon	ths (	Q2 2007			
			Elec	ctrical and			Elec	ctrical and			
(in millions)	;	Seating	EI	ectronic	_ 5	Seating	El	ectronic			
Sales	\$	6,177.3	\$	1,659.3	\$	6,258.7	\$	1,613.8			
Segment earnings	\$	313.3	\$	66.5	\$	435.9	\$	41.0			
Costs related to restructuring actions		56.8		18.9		7.0		35.1			
Costs related to restructuring actions											



## Non-GAAP Financial Information Cash from Operations and Free Cash Flow

(in millions)	 Months 2 2008
Net cash provided by operating activities Net change in sold accounts receivable	\$ 68.4 (2.7)
Net cash provided by operating activities before net change in sold accounts receivable	05.7
(cash from operations) Capital expenditures	<b>65.7</b> (50.0)
Free cash flow	\$ 15.7



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