

Acquisition of Finishing Businesses from ITW

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<u>Agenda</u>



- Transaction Overview
- Overview of Finishing Businesses
- Financial Summary
- Questions

Transaction Overview



- Graco to acquire the Finishing Businesses of ITW, a global manufacturer of liquid and powder finishing technologies
 - Combined pro forma company 2010 net sales of \$1,049 million*
 - Purchase price of \$650 million in cash for the assets of the businesses, including 100% of the shares of certain international subsidiaries
 - EBITDA⁻ multiple TTM 10.7X and peak 8.7X
- Transaction funding through:
 - New fully committed revolving credit facility of \$450 million, replacing previous revolving credit facility of \$250 million
 - Long-term private placement debt of \$300 million, previously announced
- Anticipated closing date June 2011, at the earliest, subject to customary closing conditions and regulatory approvals
 - \$20 million termination fee

* Based on information prepared by ITW management

Compelling Strategic Acquisition



- Strengthens Graco's highly successful Finishing business
- Expands Graco's position in a key, core business with high quality, well-established brands
- Increases global distributor base and end-user exposure
- Provides scale in rapidly developing economies, including China, India and South America
- Grows revenues through cross-selling select, complementary product lines
- Establishes leadership position in powder finishing equipment
- Expands Graco's global manufacturing capabilities / capacity
- Cash accretive in first year

Global group of companies with widely recognized strong brands
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Gema **DEVILBISS** Ransburg

BGK Finishing Systems

- 12 month trailing revenues through March 2011 of \$320 million
- Competes at premium level of the market
- Sells primarily through independent distribution
- 60% of revenues outside of the Americas
- Significant patented technologies and strong R&D capabilities
- Global manufacturing capabilities (US, UK, Switzerland, Japan, Brazil, Mexico)
- Large installed end-user base with strong recurring parts stream



Industrial Liquid Finishing



Ransburg











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Finishing Systems Business

Develop, manufacture and market branded, premium level paint systems and equipment which coat or improve surfaces.



Substrates

- Asphalt & Concrete
- Ceramic
- Electronics
- Fiberglass
- Leather
- Metal
- Plastic
- Textiles
- Wood





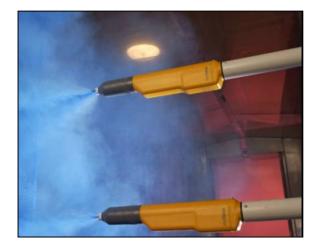


Gema Worldwide

Global leader in superior powder coating technology

- Setter powder utilization
 - Lower labor costs
- % Repeatable, consistent performance
 - Reduced powder consumption
- Note: The second second
 - More color changes with less downtime
 - > Over 1200 color change systems installed globally
- Norldwide leader in number of guns sold















Automotive Refinish Worldwide

Sell spray guns and accessories to the automotive repair market

♦ Comprised of two Business Units located in NA & Europe

- > 100% of sales through distribution
- > Brands include Devilbiss, Binks, Tekna & Camair



Product Summary



Category	Graco	ITW Industrial Finishing
Powder Equipment		A Leading Manufacturer
Proportioners	A Leading Manufacturer	
Air Operated Piston Pumps	A Leading Manufacturer	
AODD	Full Line	
Manual Electrostatic Spray Guns	A Leading Manufacturer	
Automatic Electrostatic Spray Guns		A Leading Manufacturer
Conventional Spray Guns		A Leading Manufacturer

Integration Strategy



- Align acquired businesses with Graco's Finishing business
- Operate acquired businesses largely on a stand-alone basis, with no plans to integrate facilities, sales forces or distribution
 - Will work towards strategic sourcing and supply chain synergies
 - Selected cross-selling opportunities
- Commitment to build upon current strong brands
- ROI driven investments in growing, profitable business
 - Opportunity to expand machining capabilities and reduce product cost
- Capitalize on scale and leverage in developing markets

Financial Summary



- Acquired businesses 12 month trailing revenues of \$320 million⁻
 - Peak revenue of \$385 million⁻
- Acquired businesses 12 month trailing EBITDA of \$61 million*
 - Peak EBITDA of \$75 million*
- Initial pro forma net debt/trailing EBITDA of less than 2.9x with rapid improvement from strong combined free cash flow
- Modestly accretive starting in 2012
- Asset transaction provides cash tax deduction up to \$20 million/year for 15 years
- Expected 2011 combined capital expenditures of \$35 million

* Based on information prepared by ITW management

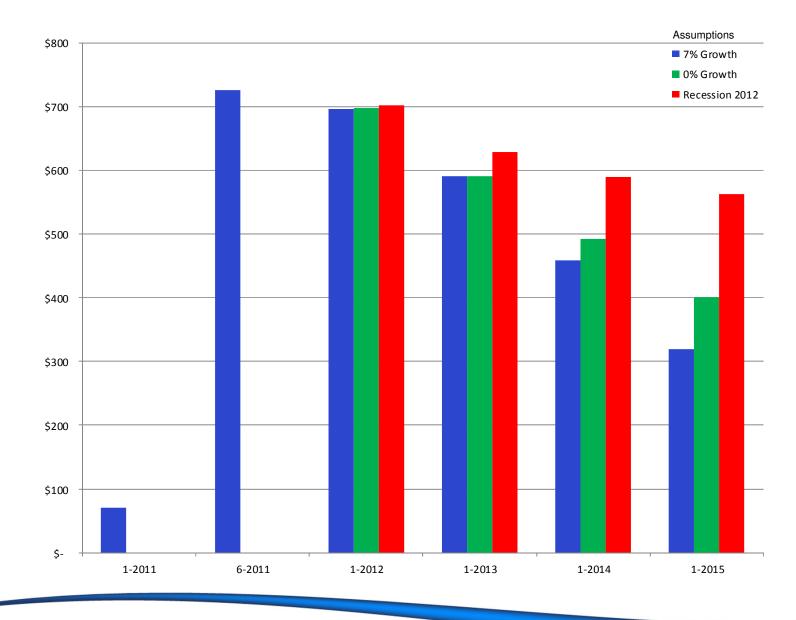
Financing Overview



- New committed \$450 million revolving credit facility
 - Initial rate less than 2.5%
 - 5-year term
- Previously announced \$300 million private placement debt
 - Fixed rate through maturity less than 5.0%
 - Maturities 7 to 15 years
- Cash priorities
 - Debt repayment
 - Organic growth opportunities
 - Acquisitions
 - Dividends / Share repurchases

Net Debt Balance Sensitivity – (in \$Millions)





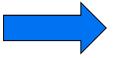
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Acquisition Consistent with Strategic Growth Initiatives



Graco Growth Strategies

- Expand geographically
- Invest in new products
- Target new markets
- Strategic acquisitions



Finishing Acquisition

Strong, global manufacturing sales and distribution capabilities

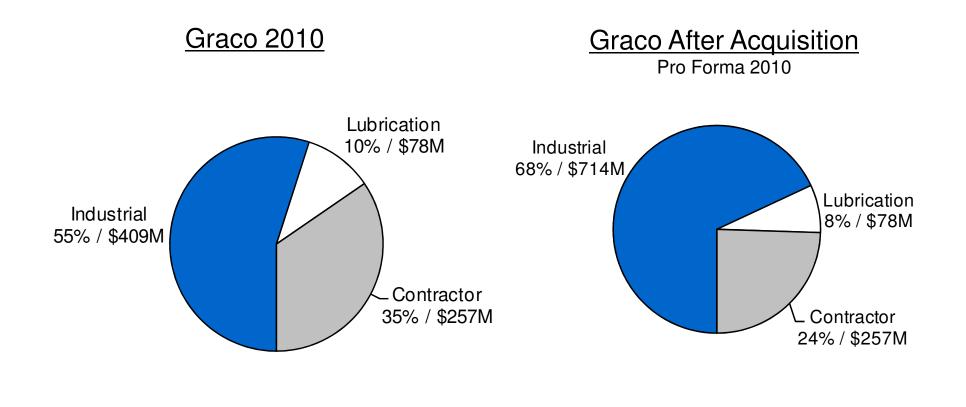
Innovative products and strong R&D capabilities

Market leading powder finishing and automotive refinish equipment

Global business of significant size, strong brands and channel, manufacturing expansion and management capabilities

Graco Reporting Segment Overview





<u>Summary</u>



- Significant size
- Complementary product lines with strong brands in key industrial markets
- Increasingly diversified international scope, with emphasis on emerging markets
- Large installed base with consistent parts and accessories revenue stream
- Key strategic competencies in manufacturing
- Long-term synergy potential
- Rapid de-leveraging following transaction



Measure

Control

Dispense

Spray

