

# Filtrona plc

**Strategy Presentation: Protection & Finishing Products Division** 



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# **Agenda**



- 1. About Protection & Finishing Products
- 2. Market trends
- 3. Delivering Vision 2015 objectives

#### What we do



- Global leading manufacturer, distributor and supplier of high volume essential components:
  - Plastic injection and vinyl dip moulded items
  - Metal items
  - Pressure sensitive tapes
- Over 100,000 products, predominantly proprietary NOT customised
  - ➤ Sell > 81 million units per week
- Key competitive advantages:
  - Breadth of range
  - Breadth of customers
  - **Inventory & logistics**
  - Tool library
  - Catalogues & marketing techniques
  - Integrated IT systems



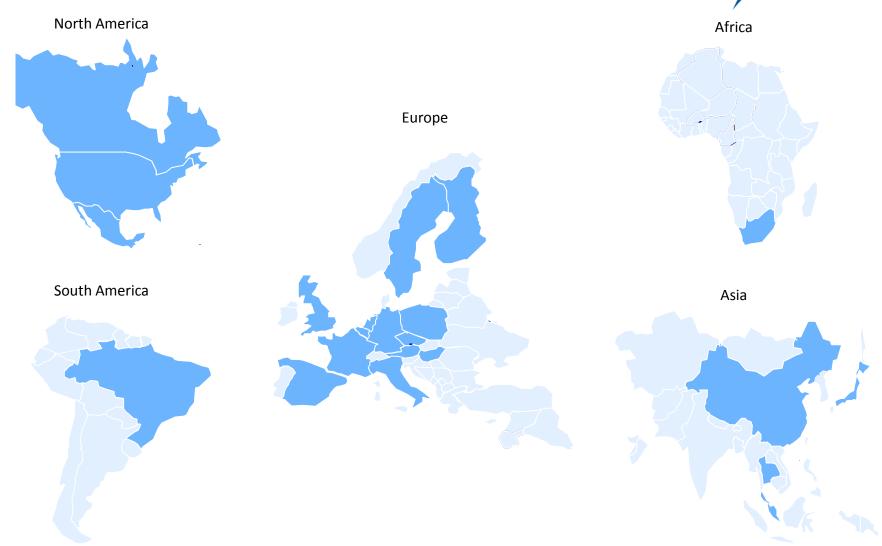






#### Where we do it & who for





**Supplier to >120K live accounts with operations in 21 countries** 

#### **Market trends**





Manufacturing GDP growth rate



Just-in-time delivery



Manufacturing → standardisation



Global market: Est. >£2bn\*

**Increasing labour costs** 



**Industry specification** 

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Large, fragmented, ill-defined market for customers & suppliers

\* Management estimate

#### Identify key new product opportunities





Range expansion c. 1,000 products pa per business



Globalise successful local products
Eg, Stera Tape in the US

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Enter new & adjacent product markets

Eg, Point of Sale



Develop new sectors for existing customer base Eg, hardware



Launch compliant new products
Eg, MaxX range of MSI thread protectors

#### Strengthen organisational structure & talent base



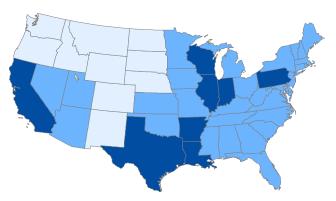


- Common GTM strategies, systems and business philosophy allows free movement of talent
  - Will be facilitated by new divisional HR function
- Regionalisation of Component Distribution post-Reid / Richco acquisitions allows greater focus
- Long-term recruiter and developer of graduate talent
  - Highest ever intake in 2012

Structure reflects focus on key end-market dynamics

## Focus on faster growing markets / economies





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Duraco: Los Angeles, New Jersey

Alliance: Albany

Moss: Xiamen



NOTE: Mid-blue shading denotes existing P&FP countries, dark blue shading represents new markets entered via Richco acquisition and red shading shows recent adjacent territories

- Build in adjacent territories
  - Austria

- Develop completely new territories
  - Eg, Component distribution in India, Australia, Turkey
  - ➤ Eg, MSI in Central Europe

## Identify value-creating, complementary M&A



Filtrona's M&A scorecard	in the context of Protection & Finishing Products
PLACE:	<ul><li>Expand geographic coverage</li><li>Increase penetration in existing markets</li></ul>
PRODUCT & MARKETS:	<ul> <li>Standard product orientation, or the ability to develop one</li> <li>Complementary products to leverage cross-selling opportunities through existing infrastructure</li></ul>
PEOPLE:	<ul> <li>Local knowledge in new markets</li> <li>Product knowledge</li> <li>Technical commercial expertise</li> <li>Eg, e-commerce</li> </ul>

A strong complement to our organic growth strategy

### Invest in improving operational excellence & execution





New 136,000 square-foot MSI facility in Houston

- Concentration of manufacturing on limited well-invested locations
  - Recent opening of new state-of-theart MSI facility in Houston
- Improved service levels through one integrated e-commerce platform
- Supply chain development
  - Common infrastructure for multiple Go To Market strategies
- Systems standardisation and development
- Re-tooling programmes

## **Conclusion**



Vision 2015 objectives	and some examples of what we're doing
Identify key new product opportunities	<ul><li>Continued product range development</li><li>Leverage cross-selling opportunities</li></ul>
Strengthen organisational structure & talent base	<ul> <li>Facilitating greater focus on key endmarkets</li> <li>Divisional HR function being established</li> <li>Continued recruitment and development of graduate talent</li> </ul>
Focus on faster growing markets / economies	<ul> <li>Investment in new site openings re- instated</li> </ul>
Identify value-creating M&A opportunities	<ul> <li>Richco and Reid acquisitions consistent with Filtrona's "3Ps" criteria</li> </ul>
Invest in improving operational excellence & execution	<ul><li>Increased capacity at MSI</li><li>Further development of e-commerce platform</li></ul>



# **Questions**



# **Appendix**

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**Rob Purcell - Managing Director, Protection & Finishing Products** 

Rob Purcell joined Filtrona in 1996 as Managing Director of the Moss plastic parts business from Low and Bonar, where he had been Managing Director of its technical textiles business. Rob was appointed to his current role in 2003, and was a Trustee of the Filtrona Senior Pension Scheme for a number of years.

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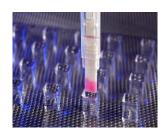
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