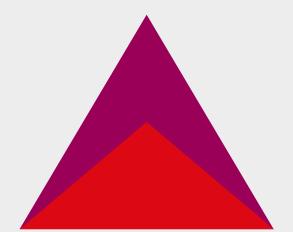




CAPITAL MARKETS DAY

Vision 2015 and "Drive for 2020"



AGENDA



1. Vision 2015 and "Drive for 2020"

- Vision 2015 progress report
- Next steps and "Drive for 2020"
- M&A strategy
- Summary

2. Drive for 2020 - SBUs

- Distribution
- Filter Products
- Specialist Technologies
- Health & Personal Care Packaging

3. Drive for 2020 - Regions

- Europe
- Asia
- Americas

4. Drive for 2020 - Summary

5. Q&A

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VISION 2015 PROGRESS REPORT

Colin Day
Chief Executive

VISION 2015 – OUR KEY PLATFORMS

Above industry average revenue growth

- Focus on volume
- Improve go-tomarket
- Pipeline innovations
- White space opportunities
- Existing market penetration

Continued margin improvement

- Operational gearing
- Gross and operating margin efficiencies
- Partial reinvestment in Sales, Marketing & Innovation (SM&I)
- Business reconfiguration

Disciplined use of capital

- Net Working Capital prioritisation
- Capex investment to support revenue growth
- Strategic M&A
- Tax efficiency

Unified culture

- Leverage talent across divisions
- Appropriate and stretching KPIs
- Effective remuneration programmes
- Motivated, strategic growth-thinking organisation

Balanced profitable growth in existing & new markets

VISION 2015 – OUR FINANCIAL OBJECTIVES



Progressive dividend

≥100% profit conversion to cash

Volume leverage to drive GM expansion

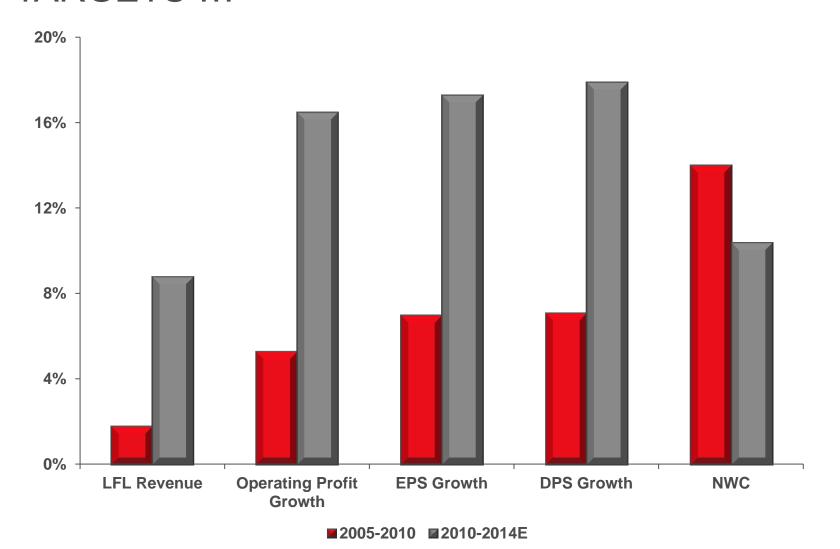
c. 50% conversion to OM

LFL revenue growth: ≥ mid single-digit CAGR

A "virtuous cycle" organic model ...

VISION 2015 – WE WILL DELIVER OUR TARGETS ...







... complemented by value-creating acquisitions

WE HAVE COMPLEMENTED OUR ORGANIC GROWTH ...

12 Acquisitions in the last c. three years

c. £660m Total transaction value

c. £530m Incremental revenue

>4,500 Employees added

16 Divisional business markets entered

C. 60 Additional sites

A complement to our balanced organic growth strategy

WE HAVE REBRANDED ...















































WE HAVE REORGANISED ...





ESSENTRA

- 1 Commercial: Category management, KAM, innovation
- (2) Operational: Footprint, best practice, excellence
- 3 HR: Talent development, talent import / export
- 4 Finance & IT: Common platform
- **5** Legal: Policy deployment, risk, compliance

Specialist Technologies

2014 PF* revenue: £153m

Health & Personal Care Packaging

2014 PF* revenue: £462m

Filter Products

2014 PF* revenue: £281m

Distribution

2014 PF* revenue: £268m

Americas

2014 PF* revenue: 35%

Europe

2014 PF* revenue: 49%

Asia Pacific

2014 PF* revenue: 16%

^{* 2014} PF based on latest consensus estimates plus 2014E revenue for Clondalkin SPD and Abric Note: Geographic revenue is by origin

... AND WE HAVE STRENGTHENED THE BENCH



Matthew Gregory Group Finance Director



Jon Green Company Secretary & General Counsel



Gavin Leathem Group Human Resources Director



Malcolm Waugh Group Commercial Director / MD H & PC Packaging



Alan Richards **Group Operations Director**



Joanna Speed Corporate Affairs Director



Stefan Schellinger Corporate Development



Brett York President, Americas



Hugh Ross Managing Director, Europe



PT Sreekumar Managing Director Filter Products / Asia



Martin Dallas Managing Director, Specialist **Technologies**



Scott Fawcett Managing Director, Distribution



Han Schootstra Managing Director, Extrusion





NEXT STEPS - "DRIVE FOR 2020"

Colin Day
Chief Executive

FROM "VISION 2015" TO "DRIVE FOR 2020"



- Essentra plc evolved its 3-year strategic planning process in 2014:
 - Focus on a market and customer-led approach
 - Review of key strategic drivers, market segments and strategic gaps
 - Develop a portfolio of prioritised strategic initiatives, to be implemented and tracked over plan horizon
 - Strategic Business Units drive planning process, supported by regional teams

Key Group strategic priorities to deliver shareholder value:

- Operate as "One Essentra" Group, creating synergies across regions and functions
- Become more relevant to customers and increase market penetration
- Manage and upgrade the portfolio
- Drive operational excellence
- Develop global talent base and high performance culture

"Drive for 2020" – the next strategic roadmap for continuing to deliver value

EVOLVING OUR VISION STATEMENT





Vision 2015

"A leading international supplier of speciality plastic, fibre, foam and packaging products"



"Drive for 2020"

"Building a leading global provider of essential components and solutions"

Changes to reflect:

- "Building": we are on a journey, and our objective is to continue to improve
- "Global": we have a geographic growth ambition, highlights required organisational mindset and resources
- "Solutions provider": captures the importance of innovation and service across all Essentra's businesses

CONSIDERATIONS FOR "DRIVE FOR 2020"



Operate a global, integrated Essentra Group, generating synergy across all regions, functions and business activities



Drive horizontality and regionalisation across the group to leverage size, scope, infrastructure and talent: Go to market by category, KAM, shared locations, shared services (IT/Finance), global group talent management, strengthen Essentra brand

Increase relevance to customers and market penetration



Re-invest in innovation, technical capabilities, commercial footprint and emerging markets to increase our relevance to customers and our market penetration

Actively manage and upgrade the portfolio



Build a market leading portfolio of attractive, strongly performing essential component businesses focused on attractive existing and adjacent markets by leveraging our key capabilities (service large customers, distribution, innovation). Improve or exit businesses that do not meet financial and strategic attractiveness criteria

Driving operational excellence



Evaluate operational footprint, back office alignment, shared services etc and introduce where appropriate

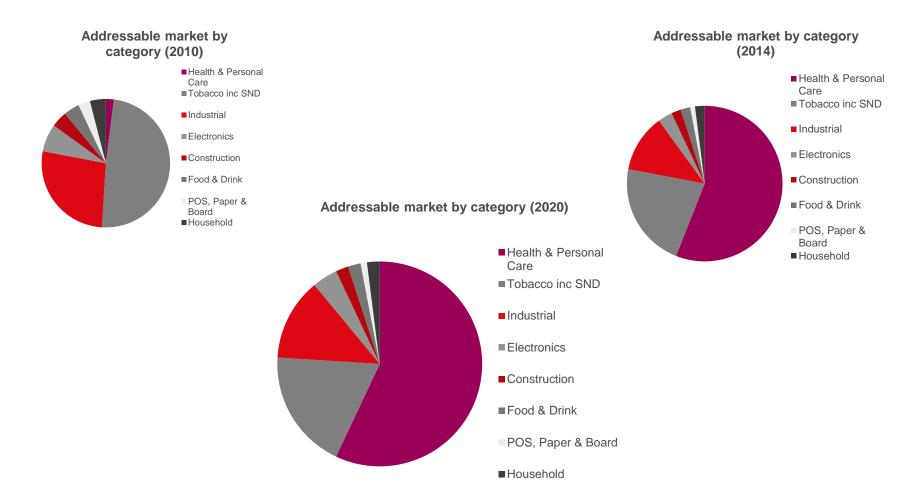
Building a high performing, diverse and global talent base



Implement world class global talent management process. Attract, retain and develop strong global talent. Create high performance culture. Increase internal fill and retention rates

FROM PRODUCT TO MARKET & CATEGORY FOCUSED GTM



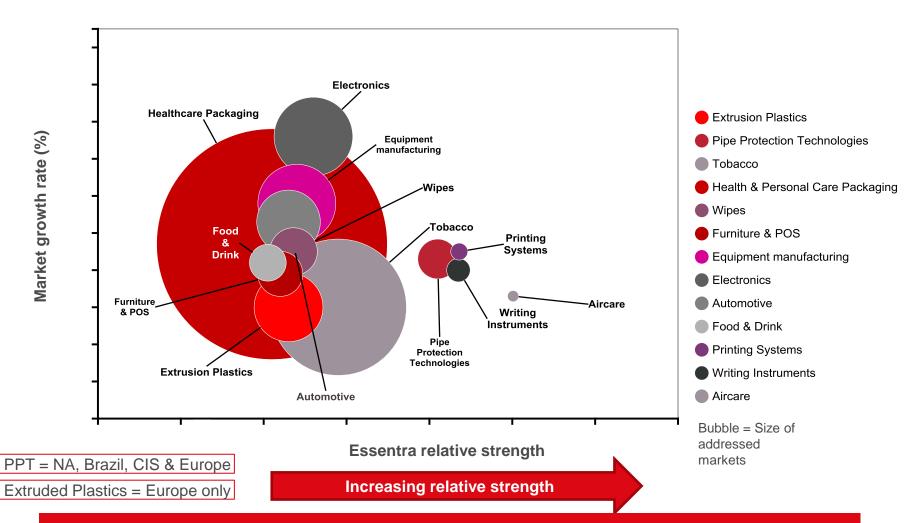


Identifying the shape of our opportunities and where we need to focus

END-MARKET EXPOSURE

GLOBAL: MARKET GROWTH VS ESSENTRA RELATIVE STRENGTH

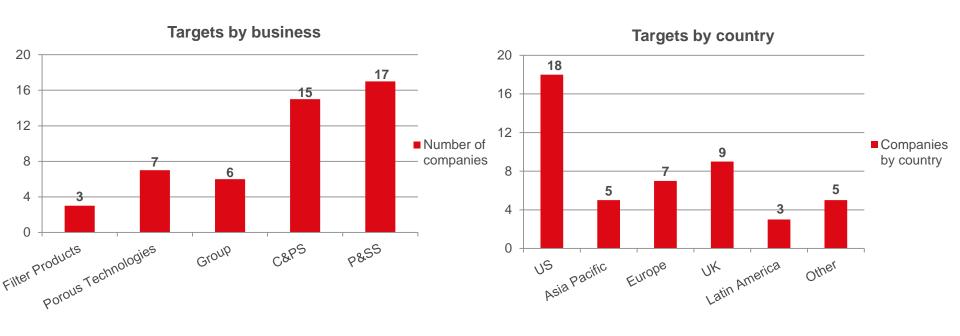


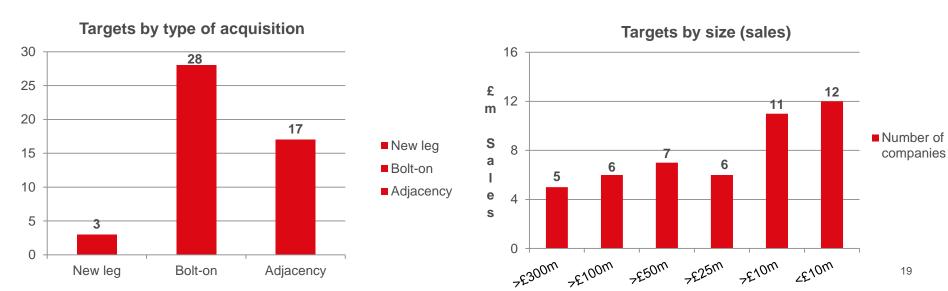


DRIVE FOR 2020 M&A STRATEGY

Stefan Schellinger Corporate Development Director

M&A – WE HAVE LOOKED AT 48 PROJECTS





"DRIVE FOR 2020" – THE ROLE OF M&A

COMMENTS

LARGER
SCALE M&A TO
BUILD
LEADING
STRATEGIC
PLATFORMS

- Build sizeable, globally leading businesses in attractive markets
- Larger acquisitions in the "core" of our activity, or sizeable adjacencies to complement existing businesses that form the building blocks for our strategic platforms
- Strategically and financially "move the needle"



PACKAGING





BOLT ONS

- Complement strategic acquisitions
- Helpful to build emerging markets footprint and to fill product and technology gaps
- Potential to deliver high ROIC through available synergy
- Need to be disciplined and prioritise







PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT.

- Ongoing assessment of long term fit and contribution to Essentra
- Prioritisation from a capital allocation standpoint

ESSENTRA'S MARKET DRIVEN M&A APPROACH

Essentra perspective

a group with focus

PHARMA & HEALTHCARE

- Sizeable attractive market
- Robust sustainable growth drivers
- Ability to differentiate

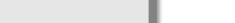
Market position

M&A runway

Multi £bn global market, growing low to mid-single digit

CLONDALKIN

- Growing aging population; regulation
- Customer service, technical skills, quality, innovation, efficiency, global footprint capacity
- Fragmented space; emerging markets



- Product portfolio and capability
- Strong, experienced management
- Essentra ability to add value

- Leading position in secondary packaging for pharma / healthcare in North America and personal care in Europe
- Labels; digital printing; etc.
- Long-standing industry experience and track record
- Drive global expansion; \$16m synergy for year 2



COMPANY

MARKET

- ROIC > WACC year 3
- EPS enhancing
- Within target frame



"DRIVE FOR 2020" - THE ROLE OF M&A



M&A remains a strategic priority to improve the portfolio over time and to complement organic strategy in regards to building leading global strategic platforms



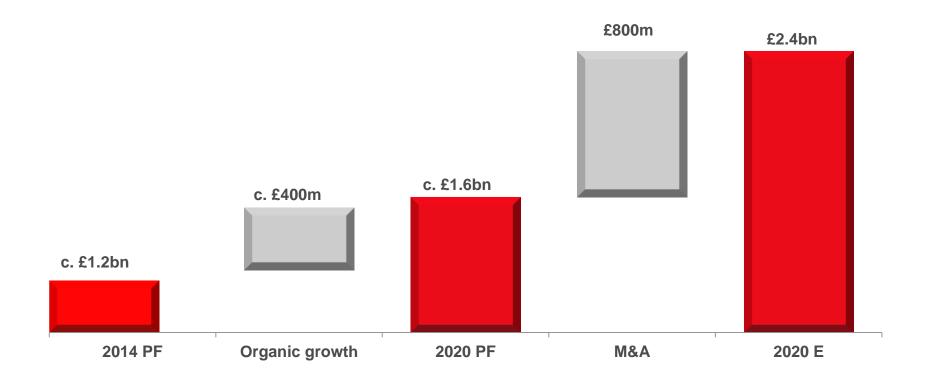
- Create and prioritise the M&A opportunities across the Group and the regions
- Ensure disciplined process in regards to strategic evaluation, origination, execution and valuation
 - M&A pipeline is generated on the back of Strategic Planning Process
 - Standard due diligence and integration planning
 - Clearly stated financial criteria
- M&A to involve all areas of the organisation
 - Regular reviews with Group Management Committee and Board
 - Strategic Business Units support strategic evaluation and pipeline generation
 - Regional Areas and corporate functions support diligence and drive integration

DRIVE FOR 2020 SUMMARY

Colin Day
Chief Executive

DRIVE FOR 2020 - THE DIRECTION OF TRAVEL





Double the size of the business in five years

Chart for illustrative purposes only, does not represent a financial forecast NOTE: 2014PF based on latest consensus estimates plus 2014E revenue for Clondalkin SPD and Abric

DRIVE FOR 2020 – PRIORITIES & OBJECTIVES



OUR STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

INTEGRATION

Operate a global, integrated Essentra group generating synergy across all regions, functions and business activities

RELEVANCE

Increase relevance to customers and market penetration

ACTIVE MANAGEMENT

Actively manage and upgrade the portfolio

EXCELLENCE

Driving operational excellence

HIGH PERFORMANCE

Building a high performing, diverse and global talent base

OUR FINANCIAL OBJECTIVES

- Like-for-like revenue of at least midsingle digit %
 - Consistent outperformance of our underlying markets
- ➤ Operating leverage and continued cost efficiency → operating margin expansion
- NWC discipline to underpin strong cash flow generation
- Adjusted EPS growth at least doubledigit %, at constant FX
- > Progressive dividend

Evolving the business model to deliver the next phase of growth

Q&A

APPENDIX





Colin Day – Chief Executive

Colin Day was appointed Chief Executive Officer of Essentra plc on 1 April 2011, prior to which he was Chief Financial Officer of Reckitt Benckiser Group plc. Before joining Reckitt Benckiser he was Group Finance Director of Aegis Group plc, and previously held a number of senior finance positions with ABB Group plc and De La Rue Group plc.

Colin is currently a Non-Executive Director of WPP Group Plc, of AMEC plc and of FM Global Worldwide.

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Stefan Schellinger – Corporate Development Director

Stefan Schellinger joined Essentra as Corporate Development Director in 2013, before which he was Finance Director - Emerging Markets at Gilbarco Veeder Root from 2011, having initially joined the Danaher Corporation as Director, Corporate Development - Europe in 2005. Prior to this, Stefan worked as Vice President in investment banking at JP Morgan and in accountancy at Arthur Andersen.

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