

McCormick & Company, Inc. 2nd Quarter 2015 Financial Results and Business Outlook July 1, 2015

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Alan Wilson Chairman & CEO

2Q 2015 Financial results

Results demonstrate effectiveness of sales and profit growth strategies

Net sales

- Sales grew 5% in constant currency; constant currency sales increases in both segments
- Growth led by higher volume and product mix
- Reaffirming fiscal year 4% to 6% constant currency sales growth

Operating income

- Excluding special charges, adjusted operating income rose 7% in constant currency
- Sequential improvement from 1Q 2015 as cost savings build and with additional pricing actions
- Reaffirming fiscal year 6% to 7% constant currency adjusted operating income growth

Earnings per share

- Excluding special charges, adjusted earnings per share grew to \$0.75 from \$0.64 in 2Q 2014
- Increase led by lower tax rate; also favorable impact from adjusted operating income, JV income, lower shares outstanding
- Raising guidance for earnings per share based on latest 2015 estimated tax rate

Cash flow

- Generating strong cash flow from operations
- Returning cash to shareholders and investing in growth

Adjusted operating income and adjusted EPS exclude the impact of items affecting comparability in 2Q 2015 and 2Q 2014. See reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP financial measures on slides 38 to 40, including the impact of constant currency.





Lawrence Kurzius

Chief Operating Officer & President



Grew sales 3% in constant currency

Double-digit increase in China in constant currency

- Strong demand for McCormick brand herbs and spices, condiments, seasoning blends
- Brand building activities, geographic expansion and in-store execution
- Introducing McCormick brand into central China

EMEA constant currency sales up 4%

- Increase in France with brand marketing and distribution gains
- Distribution gains drove increases in Poland and Russia

Double-digit increase in Australia

• Distribution gains and product innovation



Second half 2015 EMEA and Asia/Pacific region product launches include ...

Full range of grilling needs: Dry marinades

Dry seasonings

Wet marinades

Wet sauce

Build out BBQ products in U.K., France, Poland, Russia and Belgium

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Burger range in France, Belgium, Spain, Portugal

Dry recipe mixes and wet sauces



Australia



Aeroplane Jelly lite tea infusions

Aeroplane mousse mixes





Keene's curry recipe bases





Further progress in improving performance in U.S.

- On-trend spices and seasoning category grew 5% and McCormick brand consumption rose 1%
- Gained 50 basis points share in recipe mix category; 20th consecutive month of share gain
- Grew sales of Zatarain's 5%; outpacing rice mix category growth in consumption data
- Skillet Sauces category share exceeds 10%
- McCormick Gourmet relaunch driving 4% increase in consumption data





Second half 2015 Americas region product launches include ...







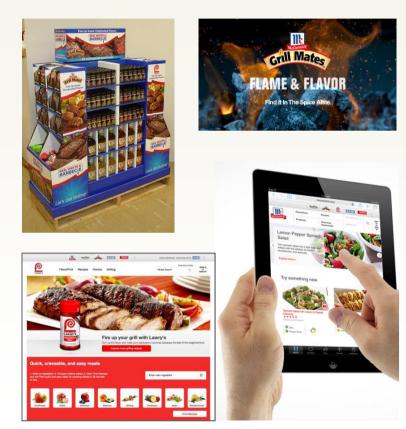
Further progress in improving performance in U.S.

Building brand equity

- Grill Mates campaign grew sales 9%
- McCormick.com is now a top 40 recipe destinations, up from 175 in 2012
- Largest on-line grilling community; connecting with users of Old Bay, Zatarain's, Lawry's, other distinctive brands

Partnering with retailers to drive category growth and engage consumers

- Sharper focus on retail price points; encouraged by results
- Prepared to launch new comprehensive category tool; creating dedicated team



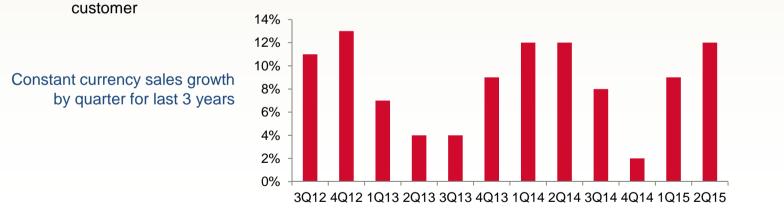


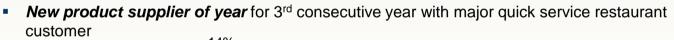
Industrial business update

Grew sales 7% in constant currency

Europe, Middle East, Africa (EMEA)

- Exceptional constant currency sales growth for past 3 years; 9% increase in volume and product mix 2Q 2015
- Winning with quick service restaurants and other customers through innovation, distribution gains, geographic expansion







Industrial business update

Grew sales 7% in constant currency

Americas

- Increase in snacking and demand for snack seasonings, led by Latin America in 2Q
- U.S. included solid sales of branded food service products and incremental sales from Brand Aromatics acquisition
- Continued weakness in demand from quick service restaurants

Asia/Pacific

- Further recovery in sales to quick service restaurants in China
- Added benefit of innovation with limited time offers and export









Alan Wilson Chairman & CEO

Acquisition of Stubb's

Leading premium BBQ sauces

- #1 brand of premium, authentic BBQ sauces in U.S.
- For total BBQ sauce category, Stubb's moved to #5 from #8 in past five years
- Other products include marinades, rubs and skillet sauces
- Aligns to top 2 BBQ purchase drivers
 - 1. Nostalgia/Authenticity
 - 2. Clean ingredients
- Annual sales approximately \$30 million, growing at double-digit rate
- Privately held company located in Austin, Texas





See June 24, 2015 press release for more details



Acquisition of Stubb's

Establishes McCormick as the clear grilling leader

- Stubb's complements McCormick's current range of leading grilling products
- Expect to expand retail distribution and increase consumer awareness and household penetration

Attractive financial transaction

- Agreement to purchase stock for ~\$100 million subject to regulatory approval and normal purchase price adjustments
- Plan to achieve significant synergies and reach at least \$10 million of incremental EBITDA by 2017



The grilling leader inBlendsDry marinadesWet marinadesDry rubsGarlic saltSeasoned saltBlack pepperPremium BBQ sauce

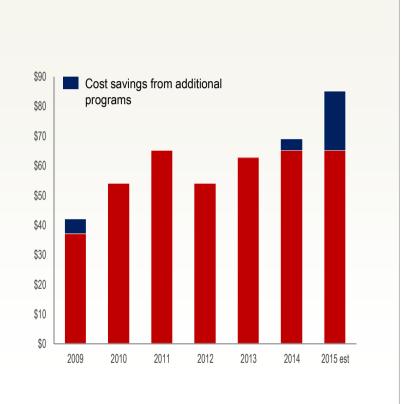
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Progress with CCI and streamlining actions

Making significant progress with CCI and streamlining actions

- Reaffirming goal to deliver at least \$85 million in 2015 cost savings
- Will bring cumulative annual cost savings since inception of CCI to >\$400 million
- Announced additional reorganization plans in EMEA region with estimated cost savings of \$16 million by end of 2017
- Recently increased resources to drive further productivity improvement throughout McCormick





Leadership changes

Board of Directors

- Michael Conway President, Global Channel Development, Starbucks
- J. Michael Fitzpatrick Former Chairman & CEO, Citadel Plastics
- Freeman Hrabowski President, University of MD Baltimore Co.
- Patricia Little Sr VP & CFO, The Hershey Company
- Michael Mangan
 Former President Worldwide Power Tools & Accessories, The Black & Decker Corp

- Maritza Montiel Former Deputy CEO & Vice Chairman, Deloitte
- Margaret Preston Managing Director Private Wealth Management, TD Bank
- Gordon Stetz
 Exec VP & CFO, McCormick
- Jacques Tapiero Former Sr. VP & President, Emerging Markets, Eli Lilly
- Alan Wilson Chairman & CEO, McCormick



Leadership changes

Management Committee

- Brendan Foley
 President North America
- Lawrence Kurzius
 COO & President
 President Global Consumer
- Lisa Manzone
 Sr VP Human Relations

- Gordon Stetz
 Exec VP & CFO
- Malcolm Swift
 President, EMEA and Asia Pacific
 President Global Industrial
- Alan Wilson
 Chairman & CEO, McCormick



Healthfulness of spices and herbs

Driving the health message for spices and herbs

- McCormick Science Institute (MSI) supporting scientific research on health benefits of spices and herbs
- Hosted 2014 health and wellness summit to discuss role of spices and herbs in healthy diet
- Dietary Guidelines Advisory Committee recommended to U.S. government that the 2015 dietary guidelines encourage usage of spices and herbs as flavor alternative to sodium
- Australia's Healthy Eating Pyramid now encourages people to enjoy spices and herbs to flavor food, without using salt

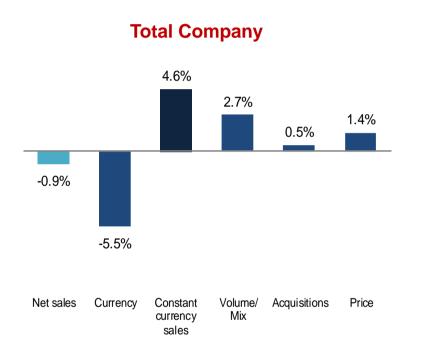






Gordon Stetz *Executive Vice President* & CFO

2Q 2015 Sales results



3.2% 2.9% 0.3% 0.0% -2.5% -5.7% Currency Volume/ Acquisitions Price Net sales Constant Mix currency sales Industrial 6.6% 3.0% 2.5% 1.4% 1.1% -5.2%

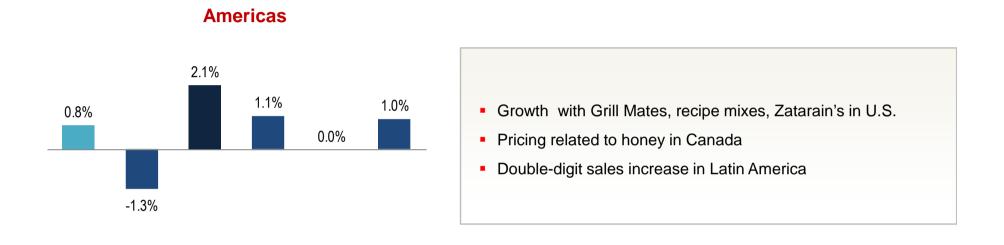
Consumer

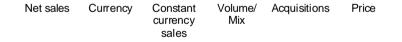
Net sales Currency Constant Volume/ Acquisitions Price currency Mix sales





2Q 2015 Sales results: Consumer business

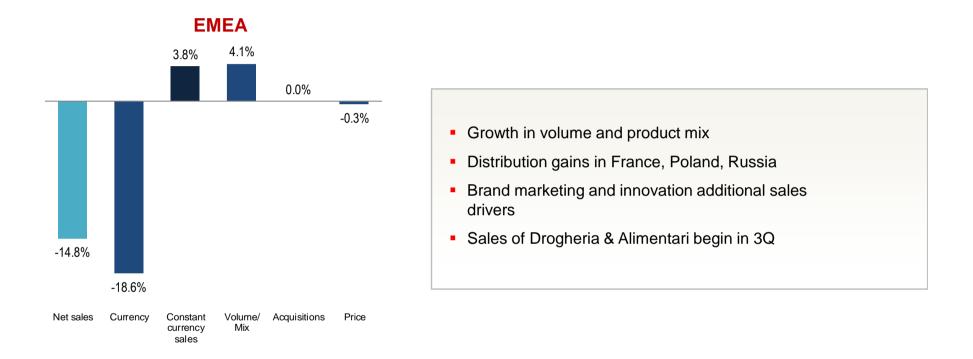








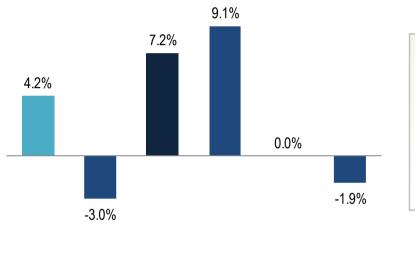
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2Q 2015 Sales results: Consumer business



Asia/Pacific

Grew constant currency sales at double-digit rate in both China and Australia
Lower pricing related to basmati rice in India

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Mix

Volume/ Acquisitions

Price



Total Net

Sales

Currency

Constant

currency sales

2Q 2015 Operating income: Consumer business

| | 2Q 2015 | 2Q 2014 | Fav(Unfav) Change |
|--|---------|---------|----------------------|
| Operating income | \$65.1 | \$85.8 | (24%) |
| Operating income, excluding special charges* | \$80.8 | \$85.8 | (6%) |

- In constant currency, adjusted operating income comparable to year-ago period
- Sales growth and cost savings offset by unfavorable impact of higher material costs, increased retirement benefit expense and product mix
- Brand marketing support comparable to 2Q 2014; recorded \$1 million of transaction costs for acquisitions announced in 2015.

* Adjusted operating income and adjusted operating income growth rate exclude the impact of items affecting comparability in 2Q 2015 and 2Q 2014. See reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP financial measures on slides 38 to 40.



2Q 2015 Sales results

-5.5%

Currency

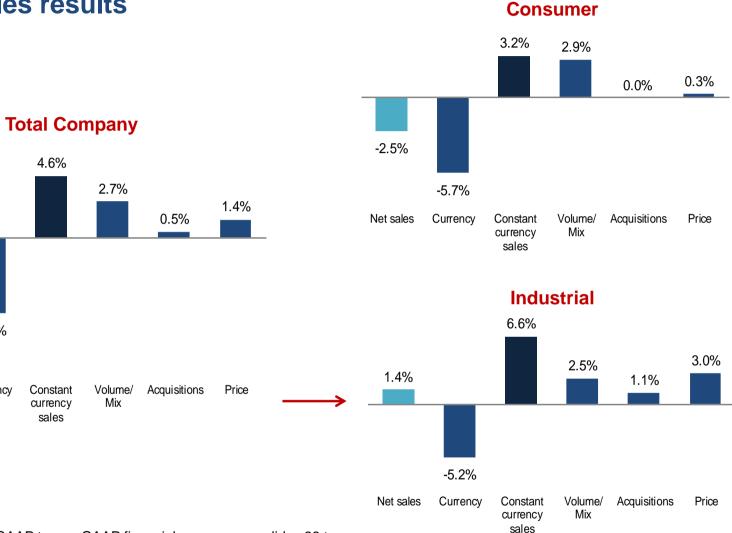
-0.9%

Net sales

4.6%

Constant

currency sales



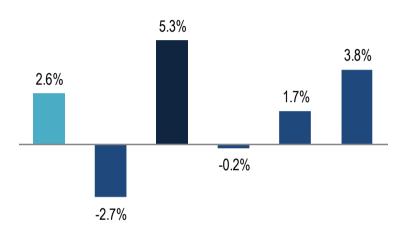
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Mix

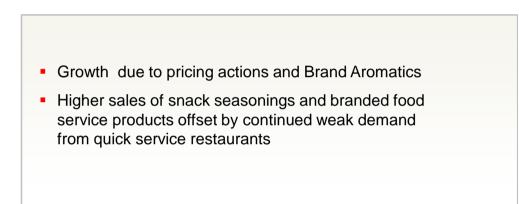
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2Q 2015 Sales results: Industrial business



Americas

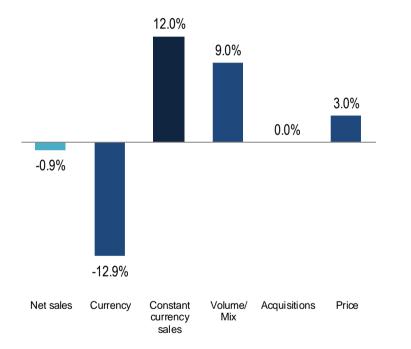


Net sales Currency Constant Volume/ Acquisitions Price currency Mix sales





2Q 2015 Sales results: Industrial business

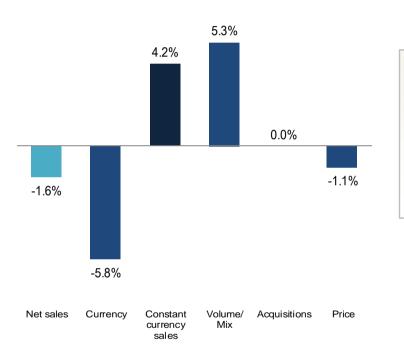


EMEA

- Higher volume and product mix included increased demand from quick service restaurants
- Growth through innovation, distribution gains, geographic expansion across region



2Q 2015 Sales results: Industrial business



Asia/Pacific

- Further recovery in demand from quick service restaurants following weakness in 2014
- Turnaround began in 1Q 2015



2Q 2015 Operating income: Industrial business

| | | Fav(Unfav) | | |
|--|---------|------------|--------|--|
| | 2Q 2015 | 2Q 2014 | Change | |
| Operating income | \$38.7 | \$35.9 | 8% | |
| Operating income, excluding special charges* | \$42.0 | \$35.9 | 17% | |

In constant currency, adjusted operating income grew 24%

 Sales growth and cost savings more than offset unfavorable impact of higher material costs and increased retirement benefit expense

* Adjusted operating income and adjusted operating income growth rate exclude the impact of items affecting comparability in 2Q 2015 and 2Q 2014. See reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP financial measures on slides 38 to 40.



Operating income, gross profit, SG&A

| | 2Q 2015 | 2Q 2014 | Fav(Unfav) Change |
|--|---------|---------|----------------------|
| Operating income | \$103.8 | \$121.7 | (15%) |
| Operating income, excluding special charges* | \$122.8 | \$121.7 | 1% |
| Gross profit margin | 39.4% | 39.9% | (50 bps) |
| Selling, general & administrative expenses as percent of net sales | 27.5% | 28.1% | 60 bps |

• Excluding impact from both special charges and currency, operating income rose 7%

 Decrease in gross profit margin due to timing of material cost increases vs pricing actions and cost savings; expect impact of pricing actions and costs savings to continue to build in second half of 2015

• Special charges were \$19 million in 2Q 2015 and estimated at \$54 million for fiscal year

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Income taxes

| | 2Q 2015 | 2Q 2014 |
|-----------------|---------|---------|
| Income taxes | \$14.5 | \$31.2 |
| Income tax rate | 15.9% | 28.5% |

• Tax rate of 15.9% below guidance and 2Q 2014 due to \$13.4 million discrete tax benefits:

- Reversal of previously established valuation allowance on foreign deferred tax asset due to change in facts with respect to recoverability of that asset
- o Reversal of tax reserves due to expiration of statute of limitations
- Mainly as result of 2Q 2015 discrete tax benefits, lowered 2015 effective tax rate to approximately 27% from range of 27% to 28%; assumes underlying tax rate of approximately 29%
- In second half 2015, expected tax rate of 29% compares to tax rate of 21.4% in 3Q 2014 and 25.9% in 4Q 2014



Income from unconsolidated operations

| | 2Q 2015 | 2Q 2014 | Fav(Unfav) Change |
|--|---------|---------|----------------------|
| Income from unconsolidated operations | \$7.4 | \$6.2 | 19.4% |

- Increase led by continued strength in performance of joint venture in Mexico
- Result is net of unfavorable currency rate impact



Earnings per share

| | 2Q 2015 | 2Q 2014 | Fav(Unfav) Change | |
|--|---------|---------|----------------------|--|
| Earnings per share | \$0.65 | \$0.64 | 2% | |
| Adjusted earnings per share* | \$0.75 | \$0.64 | 17% | |
| Increased adjusted operating income | | 0.01 | | |
| Lower tax rate | | 0.08 | | |
| Higher income from unconsolidated operations | | 0.01 | | |
| Reduction in shares outstanding | | 0.01 | | |
| Increase in adjusted EPS* | | 0.11 | | |

* Adjusted earnings per share excludes the impact of items affecting comparability in 2Q 2015 and 2Q 2014. See reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP financial measures on slides 38 to 40.



Balance sheet and cash flow

- First half cash flow from operations \$186 million vs \$182 million in 1H 2014
- Used \$70 million of cash to repurchase shares in 1H 2015; \$46 million remains on current \$400 million share repurchase authorization; authorized new \$600 million authorization in March 2015
- Used \$112 million of cash and short-term borrowings in 1H 2015 to acquire Brand Aromatics and Drogheria & Alimentari
- Balance sheet remains strong and well-positioned to fund investments to drive growth



2015 Financial outlook

| | | Currency Impact |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Sales growth in constant currency | 4% to 6% | (5ppt) |
| Impact of pricing actions | 2% | |
| Adjusted operating income increase in constant currency * | 6% to 7% | (3ppt) |
| CCI and additional cost savings | At least \$85 million | |
| Material cost inflation | Mid-single digit | |
| Gross profit margin | Comparable | |
| Incremental brand marketing | Up about 5% | |
| Increase in retirement benefit expense | ~ \$10 million | |
| Income from unconsolidated operations | At least 10% increase | |
| Effective tax rate (underlying tax rate approximately 29%) | Approximately 27% | |
| Adjusted earnings per share (includes currency impact) ** | \$3.47 - \$3.54 | |
| Adjusted EPS growth rate in constant currency from \$3.37 in 2014 | 7% to 9% | (4ppt) |
| Capital expenditures | \$130-\$140 million | |
| Shares outstanding | ~ 1% reduction | |
| | | |

* From adjusted operating income of \$608 million in 2014. See reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP financial measures on slides 38 to 40. Projected 2015 adjusted operating income excludes approximately \$54 million in special charges.

** Adjusted EPS guidance excludes the impact of approximately \$0.29 in projected special charges to be recorded in 2015. See reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP financial measures on slides 38 to 40.





Non-GAAP Financial Measures

The tables below includes financial measures of adjusted operating income, adjusted net income and adjusted diluted earnings per share, each excluding the impact of special charges for the periods presented. These represent non-GAAP financial measures which are prepared as a complement to our financial results prepared in accordance with United States generally accepted accounting principles. In our consolidated income statement, we include a separate line item captioned "special charges" in arriving at our consolidated operating income. Special charges consist of expenses associated with certain actions undertaken by the Company to reduce fixed costs, simplify or improve processes, and improve our competitiveness and are of such significance in terms of both up-front costs and organizational/structural impact to require advance approval by our Management Committee, comprised of our Chairman and Chief Executive Officer; Chief Operating Officer and President, and President Global Consumer; Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer; President Global Industrial, and President, EMEA and Asia Pacific; President North America; and Senior Vice President, Human Relations. Upon presentation of any such proposed action (including details with respect to estimated costs, which generally consist principally of employee severance and related benefits, together with ancillary costs associated with the action that may include a non-cash component; impacted employees or operations; expected timing; and expected benefits) to the Management Committee and the Committee's advance approval, expenses associated with the approved action are classified as special charges upon recognition and monitored on an on-going basis through completion.

We believe that these non-GAAP financial measures are important for purposes of comparison to prior periods and development of future projections and earnings growth prospects. This information is also used by management to measure the profitability of our ongoing operations and analyze our business performance and trends.

These non-GAAP financial measures may be considered in addition to results prepared in accordance with GAAP, but it should not be considered a substitute for, or superior to, GAAP results. In addition, these non-GAAP financial measures may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of other companies because other companies may not calculate them in the same manner that we do. We intend to continue to provide these non-GAAP financial measures as part of our future earnings discussions and, therefore, the inclusion of these non-GAAP financial measures will provide consistency in our financial reporting. A reconciliation of these non-GAAP financial measures to the related GAAP financial measures is provided below:

| | Three Months Ended | | | Six Months Ended | | | nded | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|-------|-----------|------------------|-----------|--------|------|--------|
| | 5/31/2015 | | 5/31/2014 | | 5/31/2015 | | 5/3 | 1/2014 |
| Operating income | \$ | 103.8 | \$ | 121.7 | \$ | 197.5 | \$ | 246.3 |
| Impact of special charges | | 19.0 | | - | | 47.4 | | - |
| Adjusted operating income | \$ | 122.8 | \$ | 121.7 | \$ | 244.9 | \$ | 246.3 |
| % decrease versus prior period | | 0.9% | | | | (0.6%) | | |
| Earnings per share | \$ | 0.65 | \$ | 0.64 | \$ | 1.20 | \$ | 1.27 |
| Impact of special charges | | 0.10 | | - | | 0.25 | | - |
| Adjusted earnings per share | \$ | 0.75 | \$ | 0.64 | \$ | 1.45 | \$ | 1.27 |
| % increase versus prior period | | 17.2% | | | | 14.2% | | |

| | Twelve Months Ended | | | |
|-----------------------------|---------------------|-------|--|--|
| | 11/30/2014 | | | |
| Operating income | \$ | 603.0 | | |
| Impact of special charges | | 5.2 | | |
| Adjusted operating income | \$ | 608.2 | | |
| Earnings per share | \$ | 3.34 | | |
| Impact of special charges | | 0.03 | | |
| Adjusted earnings per share | \$ | 3.37 | | |

Non-GAAP Financial Measures

Percentage changes in sales and adjusted operating income expressed in "constant currency" are presented excluding the impact of foreign currency exchange. To present this information for historical periods, current period results for entities reporting in currencies other than the U.S. dollar are translated into U.S. dollars at the average exchange rates in effect during the corresponding period of the prior fiscal year, rather than at the actual average exchange rates in effect during the foreign currency impact is equal to the current year results in local currencies multiplied by the change in the average foreign currency exchange rate between the current fiscal period and the corresponding period of the prior fiscal year.

Constant currency growth rates

| | Three Months Ended May 31, 2015 | | | | Six Months Ended May 31, 2015 | | | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|--|--|
| | Percentage Change as Reported | Impact of Foreign Currency Exchange | Percentage Change on Constant Currency Basis | | Percentage Change as Reported | Impact of Foreign Currency Exchange | Percentage Change on Constant Currency Basis | |
| Net sales | | | | Net sales | | | | |
| Consumer business | | | | Consumer business | | | | |
| Americas | 0.8% | (1.3%) | 2.1% | Americas | 2.2% | (1.2%) | 3.4% | |
| EMEA | (14.8%) | (18.6%) | 3.8% | EMEA | (12.2%) | (15.3%) | 3.1% | |
| Asia/Pacific | 4.2% | (3.0%) | 7.2% | Asia/Pacific | 5.9% | (2.7%) | 8.6% | |
| Total consumer business | (2.5%) | (5.7%) | 3.2% | Total consumer business | (0.8%) | (4.9%) | 4.1% | |
| Industrial business | | | | Industrial business | | | | |
| Americas | 2.6% | (2.7%) | 5.3% | Americas | 2.7% | (2.3%) | 5.0% | |
| EMEA | (0.9%) | (12.9%) | 12.0% | EMEA | (0.2%) | (10.6%) | 10.4% | |
| Asia/Pacific | (1.6%) | (5.8%) | 4.2% | Asia/Pacific | 3.8% | (5.3%) | 9.1% | |
| Total industrial business | 1.4% | (5.2%) | 6.6% | Total industrial business | 2.3% | (4.4%) | 6.7% | |
| Total net sales | (0.9%) | (5.5%) | 4.6% | Total net sales | 0.4% | (4.7%) | 5.4% | |
| Adjusted operating income | | | | Adjusted operating income | | | | |
| Consumer business | (5.8%) | (5.7%) | (0.1%) | Consumer business | (4.3%) | (4.1%) | (0.2%) | |
| Industrial business | 17.1% | (6.4%) | 23.5% | Industrial business | 9.8% | (5.2%) | 15.0% | |
| Total adjusted operating income | 1.0% | (5.8%) | 6.8% | Total adjusted operating income | (0.6%) | (4.5%) | 3.9% | |

Non-GAAP Financial Measures

To present "constant currency" information for the fiscal year 2015 projection, projected sales and adjusted operating income for entities reporting in currencies other than the U.S. dollar are translated into U.S. dollars at the company's budgeted exchange rate for 2015 and are compared to the 2014 results, translated into U.S. dollars using the same 2015 budgeted exchange rate, rather than at the average actual exchange rates in effect during fiscal year 2014. To estimate the percentage change in adjusted earnings per share on a constant currency basis, a similar calculation is performed to arrive at adjusted net income (however, no adjustment is made for the company's share of income in unconsolidated operations that are denominated in currencies other than the U.S. dollar) divided by historical shares outstanding for fiscal year 2014 or projected shares outstanding for fiscal year 2015, as appropriate.

Fiscal year 2014 actual results and 2015 projection

| | Twelve Months Ended | | | |
|--|---------------------------|----|-------|--|
| | 2015 Projection 11/30/20 | | | |
| Operating income | | \$ | 603.0 | |
| Special charges | | | 5.2 | |
| Adjusted operating income | | \$ | 608.2 | |
| Earnings per share | \$3.18 to \$3.25 | \$ | 3.34 | |
| Impact of special charges | 0.29 | | 0.03 | |
| Adjusted earnings per share | \$3.47 to \$3.54 | \$ | 3.37 | |
| Percentage change in adjusted earnings per sh Impact of foreign currency exchange rates | a 3% to 5% (4%) | | | |
| Percentage change in adjusted earnings per share on constant currency basis | 7% to 9% | | | |