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## Overview of First Quarter 2012

- Ninth consecutive quarter of earnings per share growth
- Increase in EPS demonstrates continuing success of business strategy
- As anticipated, consolidated sales were modestly lower due to specific factors affecting our Marine Engine and Life Fitness segments
- Gross margin of 24.2 percent reflects increase of 20 basis points from prior year
- Selling, general and administrative expense, combined with research and development expense, increased by 3 percent
- Preliminary U.S. retail boat demand was up, with strong improvements continuing in aluminum and fiberglass outboard product categories
- Lower net interest expense and a reduced income tax provision contributed to higher net earnings

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Q1 Net sales decreased 1%

<u>Segment (\$'s in millions)</u>	<u>Net Sales</u>		
	<u>Three Months Ended</u>		
	<u>March 31,</u> <u>2012</u>	<u>April 2,</u> <u>2011*</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Marine Engine	\$ 489.4	\$ 501.1	(2)%
Boat	306.4	303.5	1 %
Marine eliminations	(68.6)	(62.4)	
<b>Total Marine</b>	<b>727.2</b>	<b>742.2</b>	<b>(2)%</b>
Fitness	157.1	156.4	0 %
Bowling & Billiards	89.9	87.3	3 %
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 974.2</b>	<b>\$ 985.9</b>	<b>(1)%</b>

\* Amounts reflect changes in segment reporting

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Lower sales led to modest decline in operating earnings, excluding charges

Segment (\$'s in millions)	Operating Earnings (Loss)		
	Three Months Ended		
	March 31, 2012	April 2, 2011*	Change
Marine Engine	\$ 47.9	\$ 57.7	\$ (9.8)
Boat	2.8	(4.8)	7.6
<b>Total Marine</b>	<b>50.7</b>	<b>52.9</b>	<b>(2.2)</b>
Fitness	23.7	23.4	0.3
Bowling & Billiards	14.4	14.2	0.2
Pension - non-service costs	(5.7)	(7.6)	1.9
Corp/Other	(15.5)	(15.9)	0.4
<b>Total - with charges</b>	<b>67.6</b>	<b>67.0</b>	<b>0.6</b>
Restructuring charges	0.2	5.3	(5.1)
<b>Total - excluding charges</b>	<b>\$ 67.8</b>	<b>\$ 72.3</b>	<b>\$ (4.5)</b>
<b>Operating margin - excluding charges</b>	<b>7.0%</b>	<b>7.3%</b>	<b>-30 bps</b>

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Q1 Diluted EPS, as adjusted, increased by \$0.05

	<b>Earnings Per Share</b>	
	<b>Three Months Ended</b>	
	<b>March 31, 2012</b>	<b>April 2, 2011</b>
Diluted earnings per common share	\$ 0.43	\$ 0.30
Restructuring, exit and impairment charges*	0.00	0.05
Loss on early extinguishment of debt*	0.00	0.05
Special tax items	0.02	0.00
Diluted earnings per common share, as adjusted	<u>\$ 0.45</u>	<u>\$ 0.40</u>

\* Assumes no tax benefit

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## Q1 Marine Engine segment – sales by region



2011 FY revenue by region: U.S. 60%, Europe 15%, Asia Pacific 9%, Latin America 8%, Canada 5%, Africa & Middle East 3% (note: revised to reflect changes in segment reporting)

\*Exclusive of sales to Boat segment

<u>Region</u>	<u>Q1 - 2012 % of sales*</u>	<u>Change vs prior year</u>
<b>U.S. Markets</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>0 %</b>
<b>Non-U.S. Markets</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>(7)%</b>
	<b>100%</b>	<b>(2)%</b>

- U.S. sales continued to experience growth from outboard and parts and accessories businesses, offset by declines in sterndrive engines
- European market down, with overall trends challenging throughout region; Asian markets continue to be healthy



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## Q1 - Outboard engines:



- Solid U.S. growth, reflecting improving aluminum and fiberglass outboard boat marketplace, as well as market share gains
- Launched new 150 FourStroke engine in Q1 - - positive market response

## Q1 - Sterndrive engines:



- Global sales decreased due to sterndrive production ramp-up issues and overall weaker global market demand
- Volume declines partially offset by market share gains

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## Q1 – Marine Engine segment's Parts & Accessories

Boating Accessories



Service Parts



Oil & Lubes



Rigging



- Solid increase in revenues in U.S. markets due to stable boat participation, market share gains and favorable weather
- Modest decline in revenues in non-U.S. markets due primarily to unfavorable weather in certain regions



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## Factors affecting Marine Engine segment's Q1 operating earnings



### Positive Factors

- Strong outboard demand led by market success of new 150 FourStroke engine
- Cost reduction activities and lower variable compensation
- Lower restructuring charges

### Negative Factors

- Lower sales caused by sterndrive production ramp-up issues following recently completed plant consolidation
- Absence of gains on the sale of a distribution facility and a favorable recovery against an insurance policy in Q1, 2011

Excluding charges, Marine Engine segment operating margins at 10.1%

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## Q1 Boat segment – sales by region



2011 FY revenue\* by region: U.S. 63%, Canada 17%, Europe 11%, Asia Pacific 5%, Latin America 3%, Africa & Middle East 1% (note: revised to reflect changes in segment reporting)

Region	Q1 - 2012 % of sales	Change vs prior year	
		as reported	as adjusted*
U.S. Markets	62%	+7%	+7%
Non-U.S. Markets	38%	(7)%	+3%
	<b>100%</b>	<b>+1%</b>	<b>+5%</b>

- U.S. and Canada continue to be relatively stable, with growth experienced in certain segments. Brunswick brands gained market share in most categories
- European marine markets under pressure due to lower consumer confidence levels resulting from macroeconomic concerns

\*Adjusted to exclude sales from divested brand - Sealine (8/30/11)

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## U.S. Industry Retail Powerboats - Percentage Change in Units

Source: Statistical Surveys, Inc. <sup>(a)</sup>

	2011P(a)				Total	2012P(a)
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4		Q1
<b>Fiberglass - SD/IB</b>	-19%	-6%	-8%	-6%	-9%	+0%
<b>Fiberglass - OB</b>	-3%	+4%	+4%	+0%	+2%	+17%
<b>Aluminum &gt;16'</b>	+7%	+9%	+9%	-1%	+8%	+21%
<b>Total Industry - NMMA<sup>(b)</sup></b>	-2%	+2%	+1%	-3%	+0.5%	+16%

Preliminary estimate for 2011 equals 139,500 units

<sup>(a)</sup> 2012 Preliminary data is based on 96% of Jan., 80% of Feb. and 65% of March market reporting

<sup>(b)</sup> Total Industry also includes fiberglass and aluminum lengths outside the ranges stated above, as well as ski boats, but excludes jet boats.

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## Review of Brunswick U.S. Boat segment metrics

- Brunswick retail boat sales growth was greater than that experienced by the overall market - - reflects improving market share in specific market segments
- Unit pipeline is up 11 percent versus the first quarter of 2011
- Quarter ended with 39.5 weeks of product on hand, comparable to Q1, 2011 level
- Pipelines for aluminum product and fiberglass boats under 24 feet are up over last year's level
- Pipeline for fiberglass product 24 feet and larger is down - - and remains at record low levels

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Factors affecting Boat segment's Q1 operating earnings



## Positive Factors

- Sales growth
- Lower restructuring charges (2012 results reflect a gain from sale of property)

## Negative Factors

- Unfavorable shift in product mix

Represents first profitable Q1 since 2007

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## Q1 Life Fitness segment - sales by region



2011 FY revenue by region: U.S. 50%, Europe 23%, Asia Pacific 11%, Africa & Middle East 7%, Latin America 5%, Canada 4%

Region	Q1 - 2012 % of sales	Change vs. prior year	
		as reported	as adjusted*
U.S. Markets	52%	+17%	+17%
Non-U.S. Markets	48%	(13)%	+2%
	<b>100%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>+10%</b>

- U.S. and Canada experienced the greatest percentage of growth
- Sales growth\* achieved in all major distribution channels
- European sales increased modestly

\*Sales growth adjusted to exclude a 2011 large order from one of its customer categories

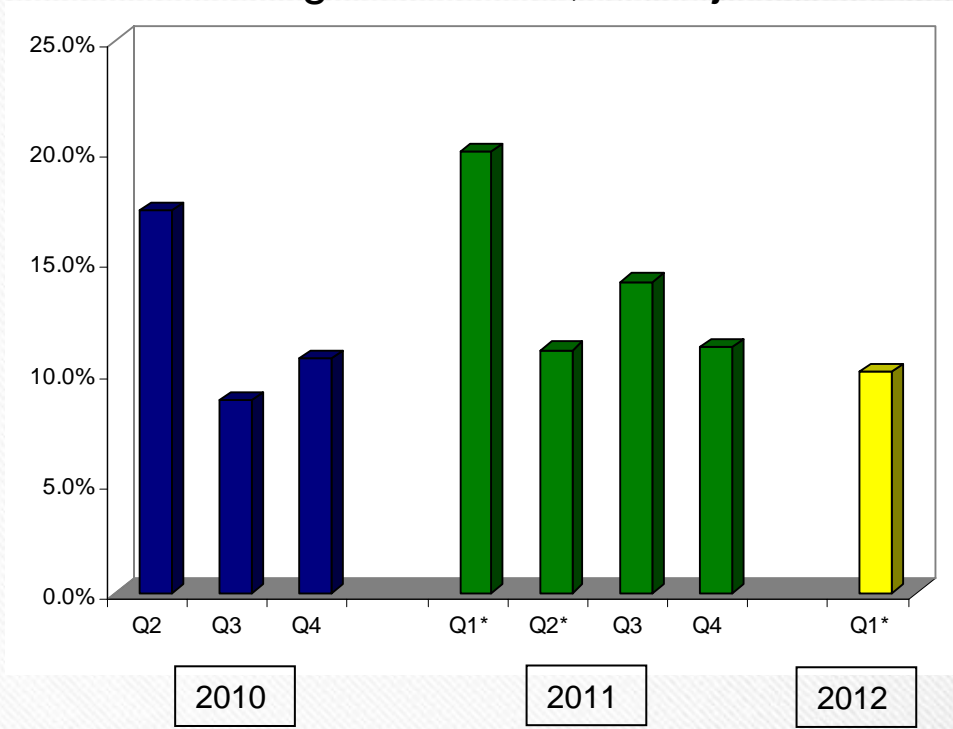


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Q1 Life Fitness segment sales – previous 8 quarters\*



Sales growth trend, as adjusted\*



\*Sales growth adjusted to exclude a 2011 large order from one of its customer categories

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## Life Fitness - New products



LifeCycle GX



Lifescape



Synrgy360



Activate Series

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## Life Fitness segment – operating earnings



- Q1 operating earnings increased by 1% resulting from modestly higher sales
- Operating efficiencies offset by investments in growth initiatives

Operating margins at 15.1%

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## Bowling & Billiards segment sales and operating earnings



- Q1 sales up 3%
  - Bowling products business experienced solid U.S. growth
  - Same-store retail bowling revenues down slightly versus prior year
- Q1 operating earnings increased as a result of modestly higher sales

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## Restructuring charges

<u>(\$'s in millions)</u>	<u>Q1 - 2012</u>	<u>Q1 - 2011</u>	<u>FY - 2012 Current Plan</u>
Restructuring charges	\$ 0.2	\$ 5.3	\$ 5.0 to 10.0

Charges pertain to actions at marine operations

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## Net interest expense

<u>(\$'s in millions)</u>	<u>Q1 - 2012</u>	<u>Q1 - 2011</u>	<u>FY - 2012 Current Plan</u>
Interest expense	\$ 18.1	\$ 23.3	\$70.0 - \$ 68.0
Interest income	(1.0)	(0.8)	(4.0) - (3.0)
Loss on early extinguishment of debt	-	4.3	10.0 - 15.0
Net interest expense	<u>\$ 17.1</u>	<u>\$ 26.8</u>	<u>\$ 76.0 - \$ 80.0</u>

Q1 - 2012 expense lower due to reduced debt levels and lower losses on early extinguishment of debt

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Debt levels (\$'s in millions)

<u>Description</u>	<u>12/31/10</u>	2011		<u>12/31/11</u>	<u>3/31/12</u>
		<u>Debt Reduction</u>			
11.75% due 2013	\$ 117	\$ (44)		\$ 73	\$ 73
11.25% due 2016	342	(54)		288	288
7.375% due 2023	125	(10)		115	115
7.125% due 2027	199	(32)		167	167
Other	48	2		50	53
	<u>\$ 831</u>	<u>\$ (138)</u>		<u>\$ 693</u>	<u>\$ 696</u>

Rating Agencies raised credit ratings in Q2, 2012 to BB-/Ba3

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## Foreign currency impact\*

### First quarter 2012:

- Small negative effect on sales
- Modest positive impact on operating earnings

### 2012 plan:

- Modest unfavorable effect on sales and earnings

\* Includes the impact of hedging activity



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## Tax provision

<u>(\$'s in millions)</u>	<u>Q1 - 2012</u>	<u>Q1 - 2011</u>
Tax provision	\$ 10.5	\$ 13.2
Effective tax rate	21%	32%

2012 effective tax rate estimate = 21%

### Note:

Due to the Company's three years of cumulative "book" losses in various taxing jurisdictions, GAAP requires that the realization of the related deferred tax assets be considered uncertain. Consequently, we continue to adjust our deferred tax valuation allowance – resulting in effectively no recorded federal tax benefit or provision associated with our losses or income from U.S. operations.

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## Q1 - 2012 Cash flow review

(\$'s in millions)	Three Months Ended		FY 2012E
	March 31, 2012	April 2, 2011	
Net earnings	\$ 39.7	\$ 27.5	\$
<b>Depreciation and amortization</b>	<b>23.9</b>	<b>28.4</b>	<b>95.0</b>
<b>Pension expense, net of funding</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>(51.0) to (61.0)</b>
Gains on sale of property, plant and equipment, net	(1.5)	(7.4)	
Long-lived asset impairment (gains) charges	(1.3)	0.3	
Deferred income taxes	2.8	3.1	
Loss on early extinguishment of debt	-	4.3	
<b>Changes in certain current assets and current liabilities</b>	<b>(150.6)</b>	<b>(169.6)</b>	<b>please see slide 26</b>
Income taxes	3.0	5.2	
Other, net	9.0	17.9	
<b>Net cash used for operating activities</b>	<b>\$ (69.7)</b>	<b>\$ (83.1)</b>	

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## Q1 Cash flow from operations – primary working capital accounts

- Accounts and notes receivable increased by \$106 million
- Inventories increased by \$26 million
- Accrued expenses decreased by \$81 million
- Accounts payable increased by \$59 million

For 2012, we currently believe that changes in working capital should result in a modest usage of cash

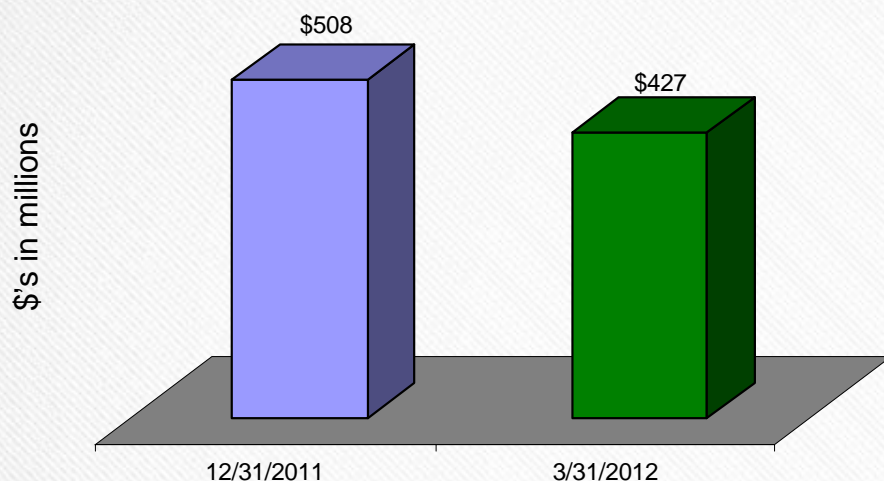
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## 2012 Free Cash Flow

(\$'s in millions)	<u>Three Months Ended</u>		<u>Current Plan December 31, 2012</u>
	<u>March 31, 2012</u>	<u>April 2, 2011</u>	
<b>Net cash used for operating activities</b>	\$ (69.7)	\$ (83.1)	\$
Net cash provided by (used for):			
Capital expenditures	(17.5)	(13.2)	(120.0)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	9.0	10.4	
Other, net	0.0	2.8	
<b>Total free cash flow</b>	<u>\$ (78.2)</u>	<u>\$ (83.1)</u>	

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## Q1 - 2012 Cash and marketable securities



### Factors affecting cash balances

- \$78 million free cash flow usage
- Total available liquidity\* of approximately \$700 million

\*Includes cash and marketable securities plus available unused borrowing capacity under the Company's revolving credit facility

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## Management Outlook: 2012

- GAAP EPS guidance increased to \$1.30 to \$1.50
- Outlook remains consistent with plans described during our February 16, 2012, investor event
- Targeting mid-single digit revenue growth, along with a strong increase in operating earnings
- Stable-to-improving U.S. marine market and a declining European market
- Target gross margin remains at approximately 24 percent
- Capital expenditures, SG&A and R&D expenses will be higher than in 2011 as we fund growth initiatives
- Net income will further benefit from lower restructuring costs and reductions in interest, depreciation and pension expenses

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## Management Outlook: 2012

- Our growth in the second quarter will have some unfavorable comparisons to the prior year, similar to those that affected Q1 results. Specifically:
  - Absence of Sealine's revenues
  - The non-recurrence of the large order from one of Life Fitness' customer categories
  - Negative impact from Mercury's sterndrive ramp-up issues
  - European growth rates in marine segments reflect double-digit declines
- Expectations for the second half of 2012 are for significant sales and earnings increases