#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

#### FORM 8-K

#### **CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 14, 2019

### Lifetime Brands, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-19254 (Commission File Number) 11-2682486 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1000 Stewart Avenue Garden City, New York (Address of principal executive offices)

11530 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (516) 683-6000

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol	Name of each exchange on which registered	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	LCUT	The Nasdaq Global Select Market	

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company  $\Box$ 

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.  $\Box$ 

#### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

Management of Lifetime Brands, Inc. (the "<u>Company</u>") will make a presentation to investors at an investor day on November 14, 2019. A copy of the slide presentation that management will use at the investor day is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Report and incorporated herein by reference.

The information contained in this Item 7.01 and Exhibit 99.1 hereto shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

See the Exhibit Index below, which is incorporated by reference herein.

#### EXHIBIT INDEX

99.1 Investor Day Slide Presentation

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#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Lifetime Brands, Inc.

By: /s/ Laurence Winoker

Laurence Winoker Senior Vice President – Finance – Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer

Dated: November 14, 2019

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#### **Forward-Looking Statements**

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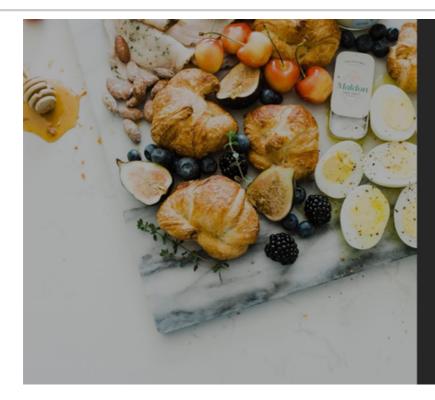
### **Non-GAAP Financial Measures**

This presentation contains non-GAAP financial measures, including consolidated net sales in constant currency, adjusted net loss, adjusted diluted loss per common share, gross margin (excluding non-recurring charges) and adjusted EBITDA. A non-GAAP financial measure is a numerical measure of a company's historical or future financial performance, financial position or cash flows that excludes amounts, or is subject to adjustments that have the effect of excluding amounts, that are included in the most directly comparable measure calculated and presented in accordance with GAAP in the statements of income, balance sheets, or statements of cash flows of a company; or, includes amounts, or is subject to adjustments that have the effect of including amounts, that are excluded from the most directly comparable measure so calculated and presented. As required by SEC rules, the Company has provided reconciliations of the non-GAAP financial measures to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures. These non-GAAP financial measures are provided because management of the Company uses these financial measures in evaluating the Company's on-going financial results and trends, and management believes that exclusion of certain items allows for more accurate comparison of the Company's operating performance by investors and analysts. Management uses these non-GAAP financial measures as indicators of business performance. These non-GAAP financial measures should be viewed as a supplement to, and not a substitute for, GAAP financial measures of performance.



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## Strategy Overview

Rob Kay

### Lifetime Brands: Who We Are

Leading durables consumer products company, with focus on home products

~80% owned/controlled

and ~20% licensed and private label consumer

brands with targeted

Founded in 1945

#### #1 positions in

Barware Accessories, Bath Scales,\* Cutlery,\* Kitchen Tools & Gadgets\*

#2 position across Tabletop categories

Award-winning product design and development team

#### 2 million ft<sup>2</sup>

of warehouse and manufacturing space across United States, Europe, China and Puerto Rico distribution network

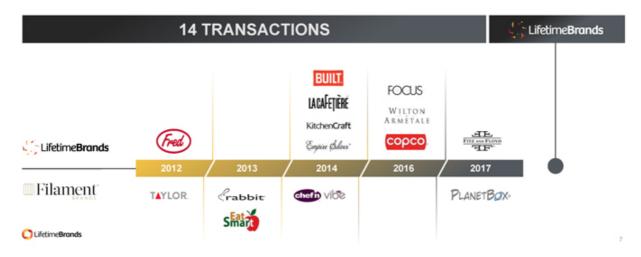
Best-in-class execution and operational capabilities



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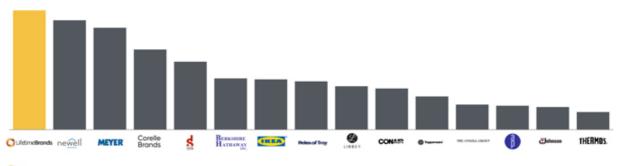
brand equity

## M&A: Accelerating Growth Through Strategic Expansion Lifetime Brands has grown steadily for more than 70 years



### Lifetime Brands Today: Largest Non-Electric Housewares Company

Filament acquisition made Lifetime Brands the industry leader and strengthened brand portfolio



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Source: Euromonitor Retail Sales Data for North America CY2018 Housewares industry, including cooking utensils, dishes, tableware, cutlery, drinkware, and other small articles used in a home.

### Lifetime Brands Investment Highlights

Leading global designer, developer and marketer of a broad range of durable consumer products with a focus on the home



of strong,

recognizable

Leading portfolio

brands with multi-

opportunities in core

channel growth

end markets



Significant opportunities in adjacent durables categories for growth above end market growth rates



Best-in-class innovation engine to strategically drive growth and maintain industry leadership



More efficient global platform with scale and enhanced operational effectiveness



Strong cash flow generation to enable financial flexibility



### Licensed Brands & Private Label Provide Additional Growth Stream

- Enable retailers to develop their own brands, while minimizing their start-up costs
- Support retailers with market analysis, product assortments, promotional and merchandising solutions



### Stable, Diversified Customer Base

Diversified revenue sources and stable end markets result in significant cash flow generation

#### Revenues



### Lifetime Brands International Footprint

Efficient global platform



### We Are a Different Company Today

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#### Lifetime Brands 2017

## Industry consolidator Acquisition strategy focused on short-term accretion

- Sales / transactional approach to products and categories
- Extra layers of management, with culture driven by traditional sales incentives
- · Decentralized international operations
- · Higher exposure to macro trends
- · Low growth investment opportunity
- · No active public company discourse

#### Lifetime Brands Today

#### Broadened market focus

- Pursuing organic growth opportunities in adjacent categories
- Renewed emphasis on digital and E-commercial
   Major initiatives to expand in commercial food service market and direct international sales capability and presence
- Better positioned to weather industry trends and cycles with significant near-term growth opportunity

#### Cash flow return on assets driving management fundamental process

- Streamlined operations and management, with performance / results linked to incentives
- · Consider income statement and balance sheet implications in day-to-day decisions
- · Relate operational decisions to strategic goals

Successful integration of Filament acquisition - ~\$12 million in synergies: above target and fully implemented - Reconstituted Board - Driving institutional ownership

Developing focus on IR and value drivers as public company - Beginning to build professional IR program including establishment of robust research coverage

### Lifetime 2.0: Relaunching an Industry Leader

Taking deliberate, decisive actions to create shareholder value

- Organic growth through product development and data-driven marketing
- SKU rationalization to focus on core products and categories
- Entrance into high growth adjacent categories and markets
- Leverage economies of scale and operational improvements
- Disciplined, accretive M&A

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# Progress on Lifetime 2.0 Initial Self Report Card

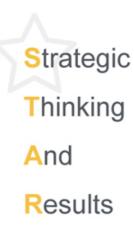
Increased revenues 32% and EBITDA 63%	<ul> <li>Pivoting strategy from sales / transactional to strategic product / marketing data driven</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Exceeded expected synergies / cost efficiencies from Filament acquisition</li> </ul>	Analyzing portfolio assets and
<ul> <li>Successfully reorganized international business</li> </ul>	rationalizing SKU's
<ul> <li>Launched commercial food service initiative</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Achieving better and more cost efficient product delivery</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Launched international sales / distribution initiative</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Offering enhanced service level such as next day drop ship</li> </ul>
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### Building the Core: Investments in Brand Equity

- · Change focus from transactional to strategic
- · Drive business through data-driven approach
- · Portfolio rationalization and prioritization
- · Focus on core brands and product categories
- · Invest in brand equity with consumers and retailers
- · Scale as a competitive advantage
  - Cost advantage
  - Marketing advantage
  - Sales advantage



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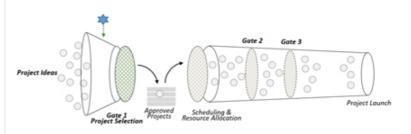
 Systematic way for each business unit to develop a unique strategic plan

- Helps identify challenges and opportunities along with plans to maximize sales
- Once executive management signs off, it becomes a blueprint for product development



### **Strategic Brand and Product Approach**

- Strategic portfolio planning program implementation
- New stage-gate product development process
- Emphasis on key consumer brands and products in core categories
- Focus on core brands and product lines that align with positive consumer and market trends
- Effectively allocate human and financial capital
- · Make better product launch decisions



### **Investments in Brand Building: Traditional Media**

Trusted brands and innovative products receive over

#### 12 billion annual consumer impressions



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### Investments in Brand Building: Social Media Influencers

### 150+

category-specific influencers reach over

17 million targeted consumers annually





chicago metallic



### Portfolio / SKU Rationalization

Refocusing resources on brands and products that fit our profitable growth strategy

Eliminated product offerings that do not provide adequate returns

Identified non-core assets to divest near-term

Will continue to evaluate portfolio to ensure alignment with profitable growth

7,000+ SKUs eliminated

\$30M - \$45M

Expected cash generation from divestiture and SKU rationalization

### **Incremental Growth Opportunities Summary**



#### **Food Service**

- · Entered market in mid 2019
- Expect to start seeing incremental revenue contribution in 2020
- Target 10% market share in N.A. and E.U. within 5 years
- Plan to add future category additions including:
  - Glassware
  - Buffet and hospitality service
  - Expanded smallwares

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#### International Expansion

- · Presence in over 100 markets currently
- Approach each new market with tailored plan to best realize the individual opportunity
  - Europe: Introducing country managers
  - Asia: Targeting Chinese market through E-commerce
  - Australia / New Zealand: Expanding product offering
  - UK: Expanding through E-commerce, drop-ship and direct-to consumer opportunities
- Expanding Food Service internationally in 2020

### **Efficient Global Platform to Drive Growth**

Leverage shared services and economies of scale to provide competitive advantages

#### Sourcing / Supply Chain

- Sourcing products in Far East for 60 years
- Network of several hundred suppliers
- Long-term relationships with key vendors
- Three offshore sourcing offices
- Provide engineering, logistics, material safety, QC and QA
- · 200+ professionals in Asia
- Efficient distribution using the latest technologies

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#### Distribution

- Well invested, state-ofthe-art distribution facilities on East and West coasts
- Domestic distribution, direct import and port-of-entry distribution capabilities provides flexibility for customers

#### **U.S. Sales Force**

- In-house sales force represents about 80% of net sales and eliminates use of third party sales representatives and associated commission expense
- Strong controls on training, customer relationships and cost
- Lifetime's in-house sales force enables direct communication with customers and enhanced profitability

### **Efficient Global Platform to Drive Growth**

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#### IT

- SAP platform designed to scale and rapidly integrate acquisitions
- Latest technology provides deep business insight

#### E-commerce

- Enables us to reach consumers directly through branded, company-owned sites and all major retailers
- 12-person team dedicated to pure-play e-commerce

#### **Creative/Marketing**

- In-house packaging and photography reduces costs and allows us to control product visual/messaging to consumers
- Social media to communicate directly with consumers and expand reach to influencers with dedicated fans
- Public relations gets our brand exposure in major publications and online outlets

### **Experienced Management Team**

Right leaders in place to execute Lifetime 2.0



# Multiple Paths to Value Creation

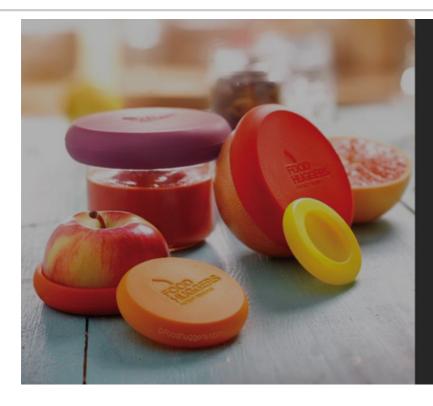
## Path to \$90+ million in Adj. EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup> in next five years

- · Leverage leadership positions and growth opportunities in core markets
- · Drive end market growth through digital investment opportunities
- Opportunity to grow / positioned to win in commercial food service
- Opportunity to grow / positioned to win in international markets
- · Realize benefits of international reorganization
- · Prudent and accretive M&A opportunities



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Go-to-Market / Innovation / Product Development

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### **Channel Strategy**

Mass Market	Off-Price	Department Stores	Specialty Stores	Warehouse Clubs
Walmart : TARGET FredMeyer:	TJ-MOX ROSS BIGLOTS! Tuesday Morning Durlington	*MOCYS Dillard's ROHES Voek bizmingobies	BED BATH & WILLIAMS-SONOMA Crate&Barrel Sus la fuble	Costco BIS Costco
E-commerce/TV	Supermarkets	Independent Retailers	Commercial	DTC
amazon.com *wayfair	meijer 💽 🎯	Over 7,000 independent retailers	🚯 🍪 US. 👧	Lifetime has e-commerce sites for direct-to- consumer sales.

### **Go-to-Market Strategy**

- Adaptive approach to fit rapidly changing retail landscape
- · Shift from transactional to strategic sales focus
- Vendor consolidation
- Best-in-class sales force
- Scale provides competitive advantage
- Development of brand equity targeted towards particular retail channels



### Mikasa

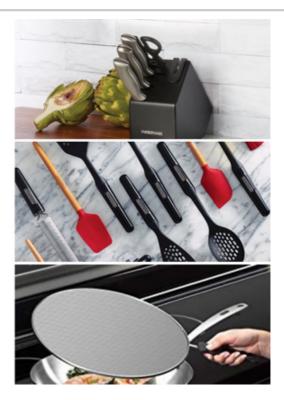
- Largest tabletop brand at Lifetime Brands
- Over 200 million annual impressions
   through social media and public relations
- Luxury brand embraced by key retailers



### Farberware

- Over \$200 million of retail sales per year
- Leading brand in kitchen tools & gadgets and cutlery
- 89% consumer brand recognition
- Better brand with key distribution and excellent retail sell-through





### Built

- 49% CAGR since 2015
- Gaining significant market share in bottles, bentos and bags
- #1 social media lifestyle brand for company; 60+ influencer partners



# Taylor

- #1 market share in measurement\*
  - Gap between #1 and #2 is vast
- High-margin, high-performing category for retailers
- Known for innovation in precision measurement. Most technology comes from food service and moves into consumer



# **Instant Pot**

- · Best selling small appliance
- Huge need in market for accessories to work with Instant Pots
- Lifetime is the only official Instant Pot accessory licensee
- Capitalized on the trend and brought to market 50 items that work specifically with the appliance
- · All sales are completely incremental



# AllRecipes

- · Connecting digital to brick and mortar
- Over 40 million Americans visit AllRecipes.com monthly
- Displacing competition with a fresh new concept that will excite and enhance the Kroger guest

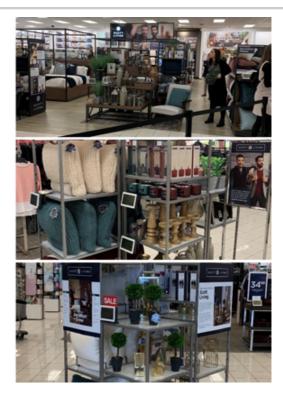






# Scott Living

- Identified the popularity of Scott Brothers and potential for retail
- Added meaningful brand to what has traditionally been an unbranded category
- Created a big concept and launched with Kohl's
- Quote from Doug Howe, CMO Kohl's, "The addition of Scott Living reinforces our continued strategy to drive a constant pipeline of relevant new brands."



## Industry Leading Design & Engineering

#### Largest In-House Design Team in Industry Creates Competitive Advantage

- Scalable model with strong senior leadership in key design centers
- · 150 designers and engineers
- Unique skill set across multiple locations (Garden City, NY; Oakbrook, IL; Seattle, WA; Medford, MA)
- · Fully integrated with Asia



# State-of-the-Art Technology and Capabilities

- 15 3D printers, 3D scanners, Niton XRF analyzers, CDC reductive machine
- Failure Mode and Effects Analysis predicts when a product will fail
- · Full model shop





Continuous, incremental improvements to existing products

- Case Study: Farberware Can
   Opener
- Interior updates to improve performance
- Updated colors to appeal to consumers





Adding products to existing lines of products

- Case Study: KitchenAid Dish Rack
- Added new features to expand product line and category





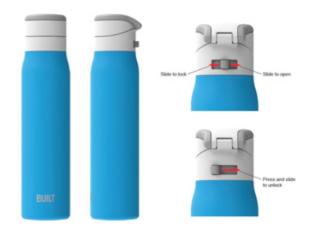
Creating new lines of products and/or categories

- Case Study: Instant Pot
- Created new line from scratch



Developing products that are new to the world

- Case Study: Built Bottle
- Patented technology with new slide lock



# **Open Innovation**

- Connection with thousands of individual inventors
  - Example: Full-time consultant who is prior president of United Inventors Association
- Ability to tap into 300+ million people



## **Capitalizing on Industry Trends**



#### Market research

By partnering with global trend service groups we are able to hone in on macro trends and report down to the micro level for product development.

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#### Retail landscape

Consistent shopping allows us to keep a pulse on the market, understanding both in-store and online experience and innovation.



#### Trade shows

We attend trade shows yearround, from international hubs to regional craft fairs. The findings are reported back to product divisions.



#### Surface design

We are able to showcase surface artwork from concept through commercialization. Material, color and pattern is developed by brand and fine tuned for each account and target cost.

# Color, Materials & Finish (CMF)

- Focuses on differentiating our products through color design, pattern design, and custom illustration
- Driven by trend and materials research that is conducted throughout the world
- Presented to our customers via mood boards and presentations tailored to their needs
- Able to create products that are new to customers and consumers with limited tooling, industrial design and engineering investment
- Existing products are also given a longer shelf-life by keeping them seasonal and trend-relevant through CMF



### Research and Data-Driven Approach

- Competitive advantage vs. smaller players
- Significant spend on point-of-sale information
- Fact-based selling versus anecdotal information
- Larger retailers rely on this data and expect it; category advisor to Walmart
- Shared costs for acquired companies within the same classifications (e.g. hydration)



# **Showrooms Provide Competitive Advantage**

#### Showrooms

- · 42,000 ft<sup>2</sup> main showroom in Garden City, NY
- NYC tabletop showroom is epicenter of tabletop
- Additional showrooms in Medford and Seattle



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#### SWOT Room

- · Gives retailers one-stop shop
- · Shows actual plan-o-grams and competitive gaps





# E-Commerce / DTC Opportunity

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# **E-Commerce**

Three Distinct Categories

Pure Play	Omni Channel	Direct to Consumer
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*wayfair amazon.com	<b>COSTCO O TARGET</b> Walmart >;WILLIAMS-SONOMA, INC.	BUILT. MIKASA. PLANETBOX-

# **Pure Play**

- Strategic commitment to grow internally and with Amazon and Wayfair
- Key relationships at top level
- SVS advantage
- · Prime certified

14% of Lifetime's sales

28.8% Amazon 3 year CAGR

22.3% Wayfair 3 year CAGR



### **Amazon Overview**

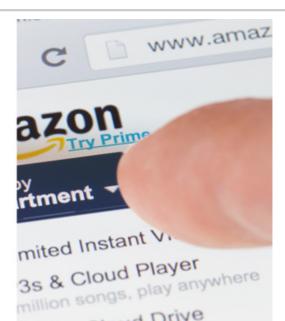
### 1P & 3P

#### Year-over-year sales

· Estimated 27% increase from 2018 to 2019

#### New team structure

- SVP Sales takes over 1P/3P/advertising
- SVP Marketing takes over content and analysis
- · Scalable team can layer on additional business



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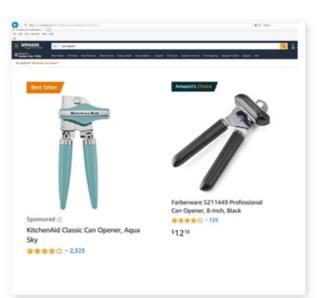
nazon Cloud Drive GB of free storage

### Amazon: Current Strategic Initiatives

- Focus (hero) item program to enhance conversions; 10,000 active SKUs
- Constantly updating content utilizing enriched photography and most relevant key words in product descriptions
- Utilize Pacvue to manage and optimize advertising



65% to 82% Fill Rate Improvement



# Amazon A+ Pages



# Omni Channel

Highly focused on developing best-in-class copy and service to our traditional customers to support e-commerce sites

Drop ship to:

BEUILS	BED BATH & BEYOND	belk	bloomingdales
Costco	Crate&Barrel	Dillard's	HSN
JCPenney	KOHĽS	Kroger	★macy <sup>*</sup> s
QQVC	Sur la table	<b>O</b> TARGET	Walmart >

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# **Omni Channel**

### 56.4%

Costco.com YOY growth rate

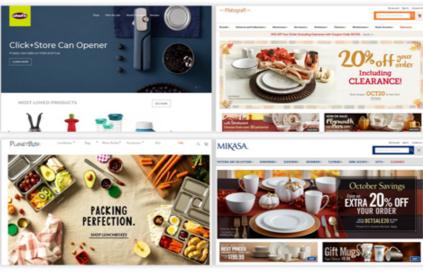
10.1% Walmart.com YOY growth rate Omni channel is experiencing significant growth

Brands and items as a path to brick and mortar stores



### **Direct to Consumer**

**3.6%** Of Lifetime's sales (\$25+ million)



# **Direct to Consumer**

- Investment in moving sites to Shopify
- Former CMO of Filament taking over all DTC business
- Focus on growing this channel and making brands more consumer focused
- Flagship store site for our key brands, each with its distinct essence and unique brand identity

Current		Future	
Magento"	Chefn		Built
Version 1.9	Rabbit		
Version 2.3 Commerce Cloud	Pfaltzgraff		Chefn
	Mikasa	a chanify	Mikasa
	Fred & Friends	shopify	Fitz & Floyd
	SpideRefills	shopifyplus	Pfaltzgraff
WORDPRESS	Built		Rabbit /Houdini/ RBT
	d.stil		Taylor
	EatSmart		PlanetBox
	Fitz & Floyd	WORDPRESS	Lifetime Corporate
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# Case Study: PlanetBox

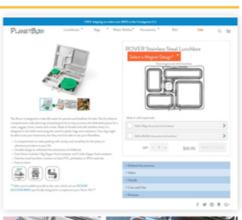
Incubation of a challenger brand

### 89%

of sales come from Planetbox.com

25% 3 year growth rate

\$88 Average order value





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# Food Service

Rob Kay

### Commercial Food Service Initiative

Leveraging Lifetime's consumer leadership to grow into adjacent markets

- Entered market in 2019 with launch of Mikasa Hospitality
- Focused on developing a complete front-of-house product line similar in scope and quality to the top existing names
- Target 10% market share in N.A. and E.U. within 5 years



## **Food Service Market Overview**

## \$11.4B

U.S. Commercial Food Service Market

# ~\$5M

Expected Commercial Food Service Revenue in 2020

# **\$2B**

Target Lifetime Addressable Commercial Food Service Market \$1.3B Mikasa Hospitality Addressable Tabletop Market

# **\$2 Billion Food Service Addressable Market**

	MARKET (%)	FORECAST MARKET SIZE (\$000)	NOMINAL GROWTH RATE (%)
Equipment	77	8,700	4.6
Smallwares	6	707	4.7
Tabletop	11	1,300	4.5
Furnishings	6	723	4.3

### **Commercial Product Launch Strategy**

#### GOOD

Towle Hospitality

Flatware: 18/0

Private brand end-user dinnerware

Commodity melamine (-300 gr)

Commodity SAN drinkware

Commodity dinnerware

Commodity metal ware

#### BETTER

Mikasa Hospitality

Flatware: 18/10 light gauge

Dinnerware: porcelain and melamine

National Account PL Flatware

National Account PL Dinnerware

Glass Stemware and Barware

Tabletop accessories

Heatwave microwavable plastic

#### BEST

Mikasa Hospitality

Flatware: 18/10 heavy gauge

Dinnerware, bone & durakasa

Crystal stemware and barware

Metal barware

Melamine dinnerware

Tritan drinkware and outdoor

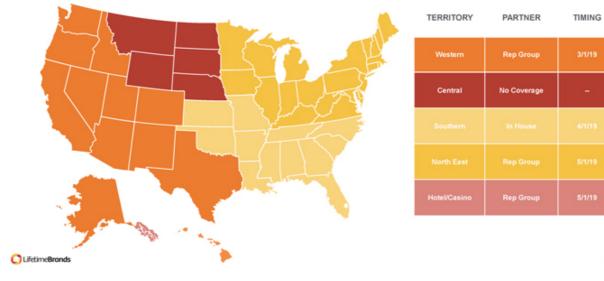
Serve

Steak knives

# **Future Category Additions**



# Food Service U.S. Sales Coverage



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# Food Service Target Account Examples

SEGMENT	END USER	DISTRIBUTOR
Resort/Casino	мдм	Wasserstrom
Hotel	SLS Hotel Group	Edward Don
Fine Dining	Morton's / Landry's	Edward Don
Casual Dining	Cheesecake Factory	Edward Don
Fast Casual	Zoe's Kitchen	Tri Mark
Rental	Party Rental, LTD	Sold directly

# Commercial Food Service Initiative Summary

### ~\$5M

Expected Commercial Food Service Revenue in 2020

#### 10%

Potential Market Penetration

#### \$2B

Target Lifetime Addressable Commercial Food Service Market





## International

Matthew Canwell



**Built Leading Portfolio Through Opportunistic M&A** 

Transformed three underperforming brands to create competitive international player



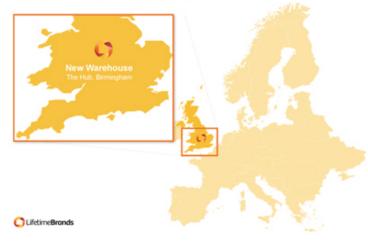
### International Transformation Overview

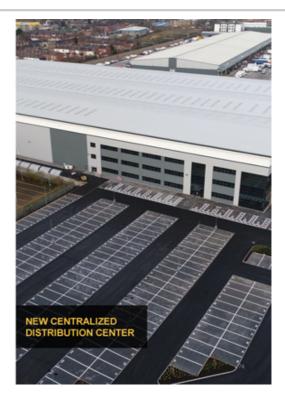
- Repositioned international business to thrive and compete in the new retail environment
- Consolidating 8 warehouses into 1
- Rightsized workforce and sourcing
- Refreshed leadership team
- Realigned our product portfolio to enable the right to win in international markets
- Re-evaluated our international market approach



# Purpose Built Distribution Center

Planned and executed move from low bay, inefficient operation to a state-of-the art European hub





## **Rightsized Workforce and Sourcing**

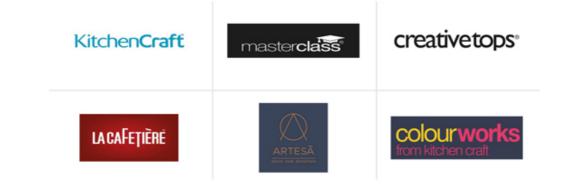
Restructured teams to increase efficiency and drive cost savings

- Consolidated sales into one team, allowing for cross-selling opportunities
- Consolidated finance into one team, increasing effectiveness and accountability
- Integrated Hong Kong and Guangzhou sourcing teams with Lifetime's operations

~\$1.5M Reduction in resource costs

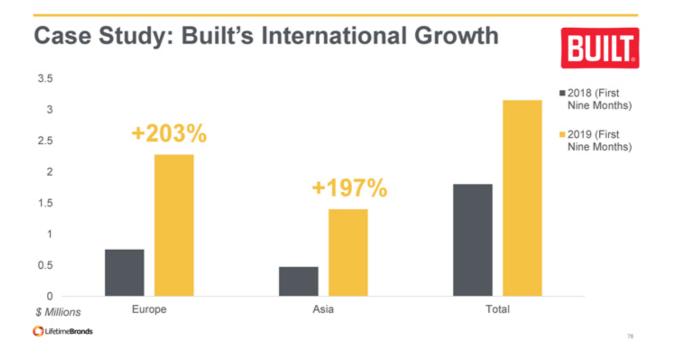
~\$1.3M Reduction in resource costs

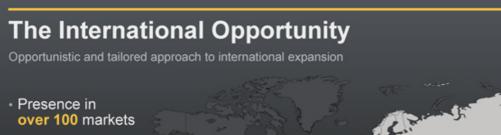
# Realigned Product Portfolio from European Centric...



## ... To an Internationally Desirable Portfolio







Europe

- Approach new market entry with tailored country by country plan
- Total addressable market internationally of \$81.6 billion

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A STRONG PLATFORM FOR FUTURE GROWTH

## **International Growth Initiatives**

### **EUROPE**

Introducing country managers, beginning with France and Germany

### ASIA

Targeting Chinese market through E-commerce

### **AUSTRALIA / NEW ZEALAND**

Expanding product offering in 2019, including introducing KitchenAid

### UK

Expanding through E-commerce, drop-ship and direct-to consumer opportunities

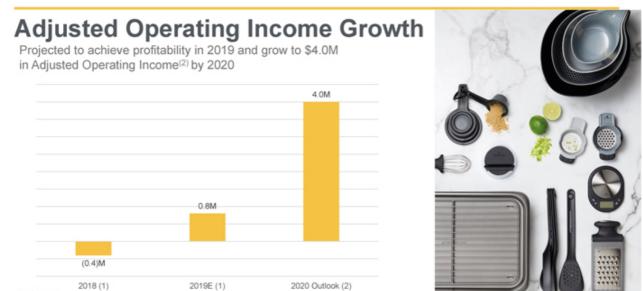
### **FOOD SERVICE**

Launching Mikasa Hospitality and Taylor Professional in 2020

## **Brexit Implications**

- Ongoing challenge for past 3 years
- Uncertainty has caused a 10% decline in 2019
- Clarity on Brexit should allow for normalization of revenues
- Prepared for potential outcomes, including ensuring ability to supply even in a hard Brexit





\$ USD Millions

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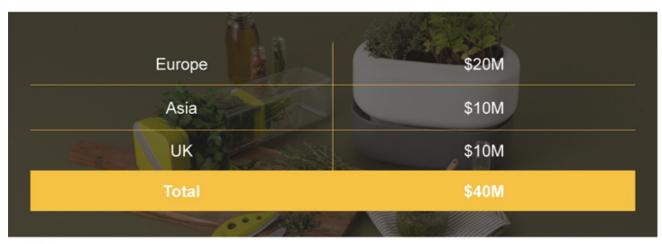
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## 2022 Incremental Sales Targets





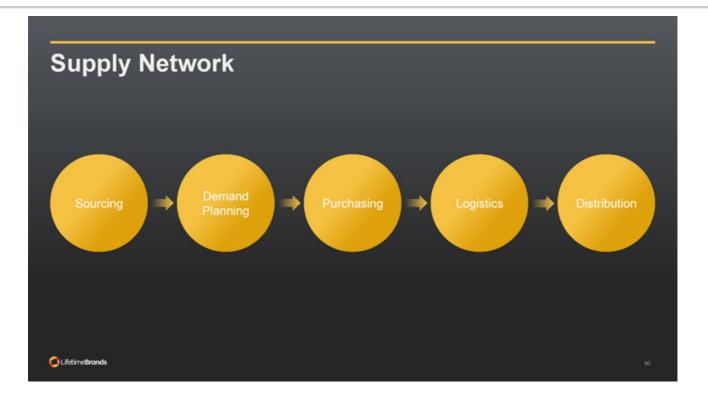
## Sourcing and Operations

Tim Simmone



Centralized Operations group allows streamlined overhead costs, while building "best in class" functions to support our divisions

Structure allows seamless integration of future acquisitions



## **Global Sourcing**

Current sourcing initiatives worldwide balance China tariff risk

1,500+ factories located in 28 countries across the globe

New Global Sourcing VP appointed to explore sourcing opportunities outside China, primarily in Vietnam, India and Mexico



## **China Sourcing**

## 200+

Lifetime China employees provide sourcing services and support

## 1,300+

Factories in China, directly aligned with Lifetime local office divisions

Highly capable group performing diverse functions





\*Lifetime QM

 Quality management application ensures consistent quality assurance and social compliance

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## Demand Planning & Purchasing

Forecasting Details

Forecasting is collaborative and aided by S&OP process

Replenishment done through a standard SAP MRP process

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## Logistics

### **Container Management**

- · LCL is limited to only a handful of containers a year
- Innovative "slip sheet" container loading program implemented to reduce handling labor at warehouses
- Negotiate directly with shipping lines for most competitive container costs

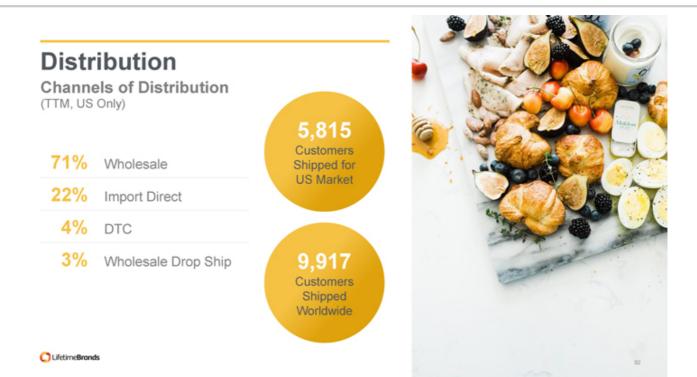
### **Order Tracking**

- Top 15 major suppliers are using SAP SNC to directly coordinate orders, shipments and invoices
- All other orders are tracked and entered by the logistics team in China or local offices

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### 7,300 + containers shipped LTM

China Domestic Warehouse	17
China Warehouse for export to International customers	68
LTBE	934
USA Warehouses	6,109
Point of Entry Shipment USA	196
Grand Total	7,324

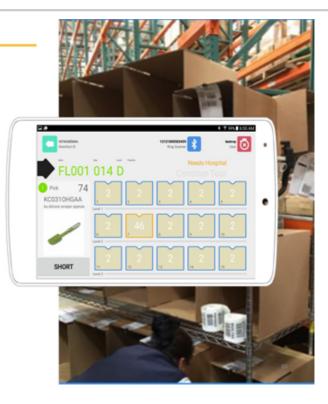


## Distribution

## Visual Pick Pack



Piece picking directed work application drives path efficiency, allows easy training and captures productivity for improved labor management.



## Focus on Operational Efficiency

Fine-tuned practices for sourcing, demand planning, purchasing, logistics and distribution create competitive advantage in global supply network

- Centralized Operation group minimizes overhead and provides "best practice" support to all lines of business
- Global sourcing supported by capable, dedicated organization that leverages buying power for lower product costs
- Industry leading Quality Management system through our proprietary Quality app
- LTB Sales Portal for Sales, Marketing and Operations collaboration for better Customer fill rates and lower inventory
- Efficient container management through consolidation and competitive container rates due to direct steamship contracts
- Flexible distribution centers for efficient order processing of both wholesale and direct to consumer orders





# Financial Platform to Drive Growth

Larry Winoker

## **Summary of Recent Operating Results**

	Three Mon Septen		1	Nine Months End September 30	ł
	2019	2018	2019	2018	Pro forma 2018 (2
	(\$ in millions, except per share amounts)			amounts)	
Net sales	\$215.5	\$209.4	\$508.0	\$476.3	\$502.1
Income (loss) from operations before charges	17.0	15.1	3.0	(0.8)	2.8
Impairment of goodwill	(9.7)	(2.2)	(9.7)	(2.2)	(2.2)
Income tax (provision) benefit	(15.1)	(0.9)	(6.8)	4.7	4.3
Net (loss) income	\$(13.5)	\$6.0	\$(29.9)	\$(11.7)	\$(10.7)
Diluted (loss) income per common share	\$(0.66)	\$ 0.29	\$(1.46)	\$ (0.61)	\$(0.52)
Adjusted diluted (loss) income per common share (1)	\$(0.13)	\$0.41	\$ (0.55)	\$(0.30)	
Adjusted EBITDA (1)	\$25.8	\$22.7			

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 Pro forma 2018 includes Filament, acquired on March 2, 2018, as if it was acquired on January 1, 2018.

## **Company Generates Strong Cash Flow While** Maintaining Low CapEx

#### (\$ in millions) Consistent Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup> Low CapEx<sup>(3)</sup> Generation \$69.6 \$68.0 \$65.5 \$2.5 \$10.1 \$10.0 \$7.9 2018 PF LTM Sep 2019 2019 E 2018 PF LTM Sep 2019 2019 E

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 Includes move to new distribution facility in U.S. for 2018 and U.K. in 2019. Maintenance CapEx is approximately \$6-7 million
 Free cash from, a non-GAAP financial measure, is calculated as Adjusted EBITDA minus Capex.

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#### Strong Free Cash Flow<sup>(4)</sup>



Note: 2018 PF – Pro forma 2018 includes Filament, acquired on March 2, 2018, as if it was acquired on January 1, 2018. 2019 E – mid-range of outlook published on November 7, 2019

## Attractive Credit Facility with Limited Financial Risk

- Term Loan Agreement has no negative financial maintenance covenants
- Minimal required Term Loan amortization (\$2.75 million per year)

	September 30, 2019	June 30, 2019	March 31, 2019	December 31, 2018	September 30, 2018
			(\$ in millions)		
Credit Facility due 2023	\$91.2	\$44.9	\$26.5	\$42.1	\$ 87.2
Senior Secured Term Loan due 2025	270.9	271.6	272.2	272.9	273.6
Less: Cash	(4.8)	(10.5)	(6.1)	(7.6)	(5.8)
Net Debt	357.3	306.0	292.6	307.4	355.0
LTM Adjusted EBITDA (1)	\$69.6	\$68.8	\$69.7	\$65.5	\$65.3
Leverage Ratio	5.1x	4.4x	4.2x	4.7x	5.4x

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## **2019 Financial Outlook**

(\$ in millions — except per share amounts)

	Outlook 2019	Proforma 2018 <sup>(2)</sup>
Net sales	\$745 to \$750	\$730.4
Income from operations	\$13.6 to \$17.6	\$22.7
Income from operations, excluding SKU rationalization and impairment of goodwill	\$31.8 to \$35.8	\$24.9
Net loss	\$(8.8) to \$(5.8)	(\$0.3)
Basic loss per common share	\$(0.43) to \$(0.28)	(\$0.01)
Adjusted net income (1)	\$9.6 to \$12.6	-
Adjusted diluted income per common share (1)	\$0.47 to \$0.61	-
Adjusted EBITDA (1) before unrealized synergy savings and limitation	\$66 to \$70	\$57.0
Adjusted EBITDA, before limitation (1)	\$66 to \$70	\$65.5

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(2) Pro forma 2018 includes Filament, acquired on March 2, 2018, as if it was acquired on January 1, 2018.

## **Impact of Tariffs and Mitigating Actions**

Actively monitoring the changing tariff environment and have strategies in place to mitigate the impact of tariffs on goods manufactured in China

#### Lists 1-3 Impact

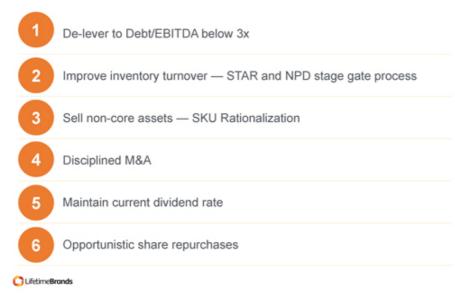
- Experienced marginal reduction in shipment as higher prices have reduced demand; to date, this has not been significant
- Believe we will continue to see some temporary negative impact on margins until mitigating actions are fully realized

#### List 4: Products affected yet to be determined

- · Objective of actions is to neutralize impact on gross profits
- Strategies include achieving reductions to costs of goods, reducing costs to supply chain, reducing administrative costs and discretionary spending activity
- · Pursuing price increases where appropriate
- Applying for exemptions already received exemptions for certain products
- While the financial impact from tariffs is immediate upon implementation, there is a lag in realizing the financial benefits from mitigating actions

Revenues continue to be consistent with our expectations

## **Capital Allocation Priorities**



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## Path to \$90+ Million in Adj. EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup> in Next 5 Years

### **Key Drivers**

Low single digit growth in core business

Expand sales in international markets

Leverage distribution and administrative infrastructure the commercial food service market

Develop meaningful position in

Stable gross margin — normalization of tariff effects

Own 30% of Grupo Vasconia, which is non-core and has a current trading value of \$33 million

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## **Five Year Financial Objectives**

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Sales Growth - Organic (CAGR) <sup>(2)</sup>	2%	Key Assumptions
Sales Growth - with Food Service (CAGR) <sup>(2)</sup>	4%	Sales growth includes channel and geographic expansion
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(1)(2)</sup> Margin	10%	Leverage of existing infrastructure
Capital Expenditures	\$6 – 8 million	Continuous improvement in operating efficiency
Cumulative Cash Flow	\$200 – 215 million	Normalization of tariff effects
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	\$90+ million	No change in foreign exchange rates or interest rates

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## **Strong Financial Foundation for Growth**

Significant cash flows will enable continued delevering, investments in growth, and opportunistic M&A

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### Steady Cash Flows

Strong Free Cash Flow

Proceeds from continued SKU rationalization and sale of non-core assets

Growth initiatives yielding additional cash flows

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Leverage Profile Attractive, low-risk credit facility

Use strong cash flows to pay down debt

Target <3x leverage ratio by 2022



Low CapEx requirements

Strategic and opportunistic M&A strategy

Integration/restructuring costs mostly completed

Maintain dividend rate

### င္စ္တာ Commitment to

### Shareholder Returns

Committed to maintaining dividend

Consider opportunistic share repurchases

Drive share price improvement



## Conclusion

Rob Kay

#### Lifetime Brands 2.0: A Transformational Opportunity



Merged two industry leaders to create a powerhouse in consumer durable products



consumer durable products 2018 successfully focused on

integration of one unified business platform and achievement of a leaner cost structure



2019 strategy focused on optimization

#### Value Creation Drivers

Strong future cash flow from core business lines

Supplement cash flow generation over next couple years through monetarization of stranded assets

Portfolio optimization and focused business model will yield strong results for core

Actively seeking opportunities to engage with consumers in new channels and new ways

Actively looking to enter new adjacencies and categories to increase market share and improve margin and growth profile

Anticipate that LTB Europe restructure will meaningfully improve growth and profitability of this business entity

Expect that International sales effort will bring growth from core in new geographies

Believe that Food Service launch will bring growth and market diversification

#### Value Realization

Increasing float and institutional shareholdings

Expanding investor relations platform

Focused on increasing shareholder value through debt reduction, providing a cash flow return on assets

Growth initiatives yielding additional cash flows

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### Appendix

### **Summary of Recent Operating Results**

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Restructuring expenses	(0.3)	(0.6)	(1.1)	(1.4)	(1.4)
Impairment of goodwill	<u>(9.7)</u>	(2.2)	(9.7)	(2.2)	(2.2)
Income (loss) from operations	6.9	12.3	(7.9)	(4.3)	(0.8)
Interest expense and loss on early retirement of debt	<u>(5.2)</u>	(5.6)	(14.8)	(12.5)	(14.6)
Income (loss) before income taxes and equity in earnings	1.8	6.7	(22.7)	(16.8)	(15.4)
Income tax (provision) benefit	(15.1)	(0.9)	(6.8)	4.7	4.3
Equity in (losses) earnings, net of taxes	(0.2)	0.2	(0.4)	0.4	0.4
Net (loss) income	\$(13.5)	\$6.0	\$(29.9)	\$(11.7)	\$(10.7)
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### Adjusted Net Income — U.S. GAAP Reconciliation

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2019	2018	2019	2018
Net (loss) income as reported	\$(13,519)	\$5,948	\$ (29,899)	\$(11,707)
Adjustments:				
Acquisition related expenses	-	43	151	1,243
Restructuring expenses	338	552	1,119	1,353
Integration charges	235	103	1,104	248
Warehouse relocation	881	55	1,096	2,607
Loss on early retirement of debt	-	-	-	66
Other permitted non-cash charges	-	307	-	1,510
Unrealized gain on foreign currency contracts	-	(190)	-	(1,909)
Impairment of goodwill	9,748	2,205	9,748	2,205
Deferred tax for foreign currency translation for Grupo Vasconia	-	(581)	_	(275)
SKU Rationalization	-	-	8,500	_
Income tax effect on adjustments	(422)	9	(3,027)	(1,080)
Adjusted net (loss) income	\$(2,739)	\$8,451	\$(11,208)	\$(5,739)
Adjusted diluted (loss) income per common share	\$(0.13)	\$0.41	\$(0.55)	\$(0.30)

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### Adjusted Net Income — US GAAP Reconciliation 2019 Outlook

(In millions — except per share data)

Net loss outlook	\$(8.8) to \$(5.8)		
Adjustments:			
Acquisition related expenses	0.2		
Restructuring, warehouse relocation and integration expenses	4.4		
SKU Rationalization	8.5		
Goodwill Impairment	9.7		
Income tax effect on adjustments	(4.4)		
Adjusted net income outlook	\$9.6 to \$12.6		
Adjusted diluted income per common share outlook	\$0.47 to \$0.61		

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#### Adjusted EBITDA — US GAAP Reconciliation 2019 Outlook

(In millions)

loss outlook \$(8.8) to \$(5.8)			
Add back:			
Income tax expense	2 to 3		
Interest expense	20		
Depreciation and amortization	24.6		
Stock compensation expense	5.0		
Acquisition related expenses	0.2		
Goodwill Impairment	9.7		
Undistributed equity earnings	0.4		
Restructuring, warehouse relocation and integration expenses	4.4		
SKU Rationalization	8.5		
Adjusted EBITDA outlook, before limitation	\$66 to \$70		

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## Adjusted EBITDA — U.S. GAAP Reconciliation LTM September 2019

		Twelve Months Ended			
	December 31, 2018	March 31, 2019	June 30, 2019	September 30, 2019	September 30, 2019
			(in thousands)		
Net income (loss) as reported	\$9,987	\$(4,867)	\$(11,513)	\$11,175	\$4,782
Undistributed equity (earnings) losses, net	(128)	116	69	210	267
Income tax provision (benefit)	7,558	(2,458)	(5,795)	121	(574)
Interest expense	5,591	4,922	4,694	5,172	20,379
Depreciation and amortization	6,522	6,359	6,290	6,122	25,293
Impairment of goodwill	_	-	_	_	_
Stock compensation expense	1,108	907	1,193	1,505	4,713
Contingent consideration fair value adjustment	(1,774)	_	_	_	(1,774)
Unrealized gain on foreign currency contracts	(33)	-	-	-	(33)
Other permitted non-cash charges	_	-	-	-	_
SKU Rationalization	-	-	8,500	-	8,500
Acquisition related expenses	523	151	-	-	674
Restructuring expenses	971	608	173	337	2,089
Integration charges	433	174	695	235	1.537
Warehouse relocation	118	215	_	881	1,214
Projected synergies	_	-	-	-	2,523
Adjusted EBITDA, before limitation	\$ 30,876	\$6,127	\$4,306	\$25,758	\$69,590
Permitted non-recurring charge limitation					(8,471)
Adjusted EBITDA					\$61,119

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## Adjusted EBITDA — U.S. GAAP Reconciliation LTM June 2019

		Three Mon	ths Ended		Twelve Months Ende
	September 31, 2018	December 31, 2018	March 31, 2019	June 30, 2019	June 30, 2019
			(in thousands)		
let income (loss) as reported	\$5,978	\$9,987	\$(4,867)	\$(11,513)	\$(445)
Undistributed equity (earnings) losses, net	(185)	(128)	116	69	(128)
Income tax provision (benefit)	906	7,558	(2,458)	(5,795)	211
Interest expense	5,634	5,591	4,922	4,694	20,841
Depreciation and amortization	6,076	6,522	6,359	6,290	25,247
Impairment of goodwill	2,205	_	_	_	2,205
Stock compensation expense	1,268	1,108	907	1,193	4,476
Contingent consideration fair value adjustment	_	(1,774)	-	-	(1,774)
Unrealized gain on foreign currency contracts	(190)	(33)	_	-	(223)
Other permitted non-cash charges	307	-	-	-	307
SKU Rationalization		-	-	8.500	8,500
Acquisition related expenses	43	523	151	_	717
Restructuring expenses	552	971	608	173	2,304
Integration charges	103	433	174	695	1,405
Warehouse relocation	55	118	215	-	388
Projected synergies	_	-	-	-	4,763
fjusted EBITDA, before limitation	\$22,722	\$30,876	\$6,127	\$4,306	\$68,794
Permitted non-recurring charge limitation					(8,008)
Adjusted EBITDA					\$60,786

OLifetimeBrands Adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure which is defined in the Company's debt agreements. Adjusted EBITDA is defined as net income (loss), adjusted to exclude undistributed equity in (earnings) losses, income tax provision (benefit), interest, depreciation and amortization, stock compensation expense, and SKU rationalization expenses 113

## Adjusted EBITDA — U.S. GAAP Reconciliation LTM March 2019

		Twelve Months Ender			
	June 30, 2018	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2018	March 31, 2019	March 31, 2019
			in thousands)		
Net income (loss) as reported	\$(6,057)	\$5.948 \$9.987		\$(4,867)	\$5,011
Subtract out:					
Undistributed equity (earnings) losses, net	(155)	(185)	(128)	116	(352)
Add back:					
Income tax provision (benefit)	(1,765)	906	7,558	(2,458)	4,241
Interest expense	4,676	5,634	5,591	4,922	20,823
Depreciation and amortization	6,422	6,076	6,522	6,359	25,379
Impairment of goodwill	-	2,205	-	-	2,205
Stock compensation expense	921	1,268	1,108	907	4,204
Contingent consideration fair value adjustment	-	-	(1,774)	-	(1,774)
Unrealized gain on foreign currency contracts	(2,112)	(190)	(33)	_	(2,335)
Other permitted non-cash charges	916	307	_	_	1,223
Acquisition related expenses	391	43	523	151	1,108
Restructuring expenses	395	552	971	608	2,526
Integration charges	110	103	433	174	820
Warehouse relocation	168	55	118	215	556
Projected synergies	_	_	_	_	6,063
Adjusted EBITDA	\$3,910	\$22,722	\$30,876	\$6,127	\$69,698

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## Adjusted EBITDA — U.S. GAAP Reconciliation LTM December 2018

			Three Months Ended				
		March 31, 2018	June 30, 2018	September 30, 2018	December 31, 2018	December 31, 201	
				(in thousands	)		
et (loss) income as r	eported	\$(11,598)	(6,057)	\$5,948	\$ 9,987	\$ (1,720)	
Subtract of	put:						
	Undistributed equity (earnings) losses, net	(77)	(155)	(185)	(128)	(545)	
Add back							
	Income tax provision (benefit)	(3,810)	(1,765)	906	7,558	2,889	
	Interest expense	2,103	4,676	5,634	5,591	18,004	
	Loss on early retirement of debt	66	-	-	-	66	
	Depreciation and amortization	4,309	6,422	6,076	6,522	23,329	
	Impairment of goodwill	-	_	2,205	-	2,205	
	Stock compensation expense	838	921	1,268	1,108	4,135	
	Contingent consideration fair value adjustment	-	_	-	(1,774)	(1,774)	
	Unrealized loss (gain) on foreign currency contracts	393	(2,112)	(190)	(33)	(1,942)	
	Other permitted non-cash charges	287	916	307	-	1,510	
	Acquisition related expenses	809	391	43	523	1,766	
	Restructuring expenses	406	395	552	971	2,324	
	Integration charges	35	110	103	433	681	
	Warehouse relocation	2,384	168	55	118	2,725	
	Pro forma Filament adjustment	3,326	_	-	-	3,326	
	Projected synergies		_	_		8,546	
justed EBITDA, bef	ore limitation	\$ (529)	\$3,910	\$22,722	\$30,876	\$65,525	
Permitted	non-recurring charge limitation					(605)	
diusted EBITDA						\$ 64,920	

Adjusted EBITDA

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# Adjusted EBITDA — U.S. GAAP Reconciliation LTM September 2018

	September 30, 2018	June 30, 2018	March 31, 2018	December 31, 2017	Twelve months ended September 30, 2018
Net income (loss) as reported	\$5,948	\$(6.057)	(in thousands) \$(11,598)	\$1,251	\$(10,456)
Subtract out:	90,040	\$(0,001)	\$(11,000)	01,201	Q(10,400)
Undistributed equity in (earnings) losses, net	(185)	(155)	(77)	265	(152)
Add back:	()	()	17		()
Income tax provision (benefit)	906	(1,765)	(3.810)	8,169	3.500
Interest expense	5,634	4,676	2,103	1,177	13,590
Loss on early retirement of debt	_	_	66	_	66
Depreciation and amortization	6,076	6,422	4,309	3,468	20,275
Stock compensation expense	1,268	921	838	908	3,935
Impairment of goodwill	2,205	_	_	_	2,205
Unrealized (gain) loss on foreign currency contracts	(190)	(2,112)	393	169	(1,740)
Other permitted non-cash charges	307	916	287	-	1,510
Permitted acquisition related expenses	43	391	809	2,424	3,667
Permitted non-recurring charges	710	673	2,825	1,331	5,539
Pro forma Filament adjustment	-	_	3,326	10,605	13,931
Twelve Months ended September 30, 2018, Pro forma projected synergies	_	_	_	_	9,423
Adjusted EBITDA, before limitations	\$22,722	\$3,910	\$ (529)	\$29,767	\$65,293
Permitted non-recurring charge limitations					(508)
Adjusted EBITDA					\$ 64,785

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#### International Adjusted Income from Operations — U.S. GAAP Reconciliation 2018 Full Year and 2019 Outlook

	Year Ended December 31, 2018	2019 Outlook	
	(in millio	is)	
U.S. GAAP Income From Operations	\$(5.40)	\$(15.5)	
Add back:			
Restructuring expenses and integration charges	0.20	2.20	
Impairment of goodwill	2.20	9.80	
Depreciation and amortization	4.50	4.30	
Unrealized loss (gain) on foreign currency contracts	(1.90)	=	
Adjusted Income from Operations	\$(0.40)	\$0.80	

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