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# Lifetime**Brands**A COMPELLING INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY







Lifetime Brands is one of the world's leading designers, developers, and marketers of a broad range of nationally branded consumer products used in the home.

- Leading portfolio of stable brands with multi-channel growth opportunities
- Unmatched scale to create a platform to maximize sales growth and operational effectiveness
- Best-in-class innovation engine to strategically drive growth in core categories
- Strong cash flow generation to enable financial flexibility

## CORE FOCUS ON OWNED & CONTROLLED BRANDS

Lifetime Brands focuses on owned brands that provide flexibility domestically and can be marketed internationally.











































# STRATEGIC USE OF LICENSED BRANDS & PRIVATE LABEL EXPANDS MARKET SHARE

The Company supports licensed and private label brands by leveraging product development and sourcing expertise.

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









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### STRONG INVESTMENT IN MEDIA

Lifetime's products are regularly featured in major print, broadcast & online media outlets, and social media channels.











BuzzFeed

THE GOOD LIFE Cooking delish every day the knot Southern Living

FOOD & WINE epicurious POPSUGAR. bon appétit Woman's Day REALSIMPLE GIZMODO













Chicago Tribune Weddings MENS JOURNAL

## **DIVERSIFIED CUSTOMER BASE**

Supplying every major retailer.



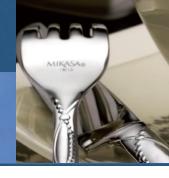
Mass Market	Off-Price	Department Stores	Specialty Stores	Warehouse Clubs
Walmart :	T-J-MODÁ	⋆macys	BED BATH & BEYOND	COSTCO
<b>O</b> TARGET	ROSS	Dillard's <b>KOHUS</b>	Pier1 imports	BIS WHITESALE CLIRA
Fred Meyer.	BIGLOTS!  Tuesday Morning	<b>&gt;belk</b> blæmingdales	WILLIAMS-SONOMA  Crate&Barrel	WHOLESALE
	<b>Durlington</b>	jcp <mark>enney</mark>	kitchencollection	CAN'S

Online/TV	Supermarkets	Independent Retailers	Commercial	Retail Direct
amazon.com  *wayfair  OVC  on ty & online	meijer.  Publix.  SAFEWAY	Over 7,000 independent retailers	US. Don	Lifetime has ecommerce sites for direct-to-consumer sales.

Augmented position through March 2018 Filament Brands acquisition

## INTERNATIONAL CUSTOMER BASE

Well positioned to drive growth.



Department Stores	Specialty Retailers	Supermarkets	Garden Center Groups	Online/TV
DEBENHAMS	LAKELAND	TESCO	Wyevale	amazon.co.uk
John Lewis	Robert Dyas	Sainsbury's Try something new today	Notcuffs Haping worders year 1897.	amazon.de
SELFRIDGES & CD	steamer trading COOKSHOP	Waitrose		ideal WORLD
<b>O</b> ISCO	Range		Dobbies GARDEN CENTRES	bid
Cervera	ZÔDIO	ocado	BLUE DIAMOND	Discount Retailers
GALERIA	20010	Migros	•	Discourt Neturiers
El Corle Inglés	<u>Dunelm</u>	MORRISONS	GARDEN LEISURE	Walmart :
§M&S	↔ cook&co	<b>HEMA</b>	LEISURE	wilko
KARSTADT	TOK&STOK	blokker.		MATALAN

# PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT & INNOVATION PROVIDE TRUE POINTS OF DIFFERENTIATION

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Focused on identifying and investing in major consumer trends, new technologies, materials, and designs.

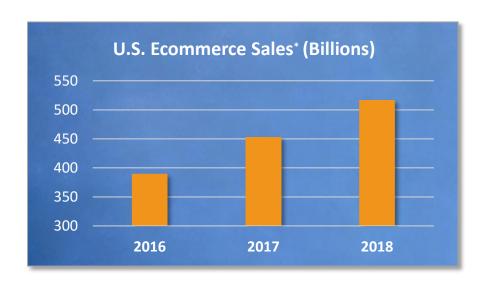
- Over 120 professionals in the U.S., China, and the U.K.
- Over 1,000 design and utility patents
- Open Innovation program connects us with thousands of independent inventors
- Recent Filament acquisition enhances robust innovation capabilities by adding award-winning product design and development team



## ECOMMERCE INVESTMENTS DRIVING GROWTH

Investing to more efficiently promote our products and brands online.





Lifetime restructured ecommerce operations in Q4 2018:

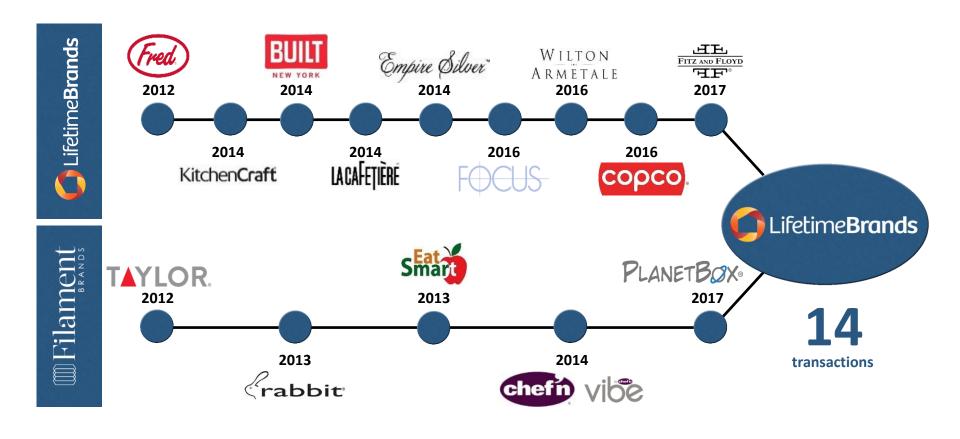
- Designed to grow our ecommerce revenues, product recognition, and ratings
- Efforts are already showing results in Q1 2019
- Growth will be generated in pure play ecommerce, omni channel, and direct-to consumer

<sup>\*</sup>Source: Internet Retailer

# LEADING HOUSEWARES CONSOLIDATION PLATFORM

Substantial collective experience identifying and executing acquisitions. Growth through M&A.





### STRATEGIC INITIATIVES

Breadth of offerings, increased efficiencies, and restructuring position the company for future growth.



#### Reorganization of EU operations

• Will create an unrivaled kitchenware and tabletop business; 2019 completion date

#### International sales

Sell recognized brands directly to major international retailers by bypassing costly distributors

#### Portfolio assessment

Rationalizing SKUs and strategically de-emphasizing periphery categories

#### **Commercial food service**

 Investing in infrastructure; long-term opportunity will provide revenue in 2019 and accelerate in subsequent years

#### Mine benefits from 2018 integration

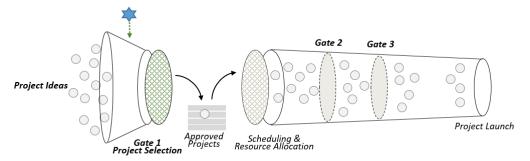
- \$11+ million of savings
- · Leveraging expanded portfolio of brands, products, and distribution platforms

### PRODUCT PORTFOLIO & BRAND INVESTMENT

Shifting to strategic vs. transactional approach will drive growth.



- Emphasis on key consumer brands and products in core categories
- Strategic portfolio planning program implementation
- Focus on core brands and product lines that resonate with consumers and market trends
- New stage gate product development process



 Investment in brand building through public relations, social media, and marketing content for our retail partners

# **KEY LINES OF BUSINESS**





## **KITCHENWARE**



















KitchenAid Chefp (rabbit the chicago metallic FARBERWARE)

MISTO TAYLOR Instant Pot



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- Launch of Instant Pot line of tools & gadgets, and bakeware accessories
- Expand KitchenAid brand into sinkware and bakeware categories, and international markets
- Expand penetration of industry-leading Rabbit portfolio across all channels
- Walmart and Costco penetration for industry-leading Taylor measurement line
- Expand patented Edgekeeper cutlery assortment across key retailers
- Major push into grocery channel

## **TABLETOP**









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2019

- Restructuring of tabletop business will yield growth and cost synergies
- Streamlining supply chain to reduce costs without disrupting the flow of goods or vendor relationships
- Utilizing our distribution, sourcing, and design expertise to find new channels and opportunities
- 21 new flatware patterns introduced to the market
- · Launching Mikasa commercial food service business in May

# **HOME SOLUTIONS**









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- Repositioned offering for 2019 will yield meaningful growth in 2019
- Launching comprehensive line of Scott Living home décor products in conjunction with Property Brothers
- Expansion of successful LED candle assortment into new channels

## INTERNATIONAL









# Kitchen Craft creative tops











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- Reorganization announced in 2018 will be completed by Summer 2019
  - o Eight warehouses and two business units under one roof
  - Customers will be able to order all products from one business
- Emphasis on newly acquired Maxwell & Williams and relaunch of London Pottery tabletop brands
- Continue to build on Mikasa, Chef'n, and Built brands in Europe (from U.S.)
- Consolidating tabletop sourcing to Lifetime Brands China will reduce costs by over 50%
- Rationalizing SKU assortment and eliminating low-margin categories
- Launching strategic brand and product initiative to propel growth

# RECENT FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE





# ACQUISITION OF FILAMENT CREATED CRITICAL MASS

Enhanced business along multiple operational and financial dimensions.





Net Sales:	\$579.5 million <sup>1</sup>	\$730.4 million <sup>2</sup>
EBITDA:	\$40.2 million <sup>1</sup>	\$65.5 million <sup>2,3</sup>
Leading Brands:	5	8
Product Segments Served:	22	27
#1 Positions	5	9
Operational Efficiencies:	Improving	Enhanced
Free Cash Flow:	Strong	Stronger

<sup>1</sup> Numbers reflect Lifetime Brands, Inc. prior to date of acquisition

<sup>2</sup> Includes Filament Brands as if acquired on January 1, 2018

<sup>3</sup> Calculated in accordance with the Company's Debt Agreements without limits

#### FILAMENT INTEGRATION UPDATE

The company is ahead of schedule for both timing and total amount of savings.



#### **Synergy Analysis Summary**

#### **Supply Chain**

Distribution: \$2.0 million Sourcing & Planning: \$1.0 million

#### **Sales & Marketing**

Sales & Commissions: \$2.6 million Marketing: \$1.4 million

#### **Overlapping G&A**

Administration: \$3.1 million
Information Technology: \$1.7 million

\$3.0 Million

\$4.0 Million

\$4.8 Million

Total Synergies: \$11.8 Million

# **RESULTS OF OPERATIONS**

	Year Ended December 31,						
	2018 (1)		2017			2016	
(\$ in millions, except per share amounts)							
Net sales	\$	704.5	\$	579.5	\$	592.6	
Cost of Sales		448.8		364.3		375.7	
Gross Margin		255.8		215.2		216.9	
Distribution Expenses		69.7		58.1		57.0	
Selling, general and administrative expenses	162.9		140.9			130.4	
Impairment of goodwill		2.2					
Restructuring Expenses		2.3		1.0		2.4	
Income from Operations		18.6		15.2		27.1	
Interest Expense		(18.0)		(4.3)		(4.8)	
Loss on early retirement of debt		(0.1)		(0.1)		(0.3)	
Income before income taxes and equity in earnings		0.5		10.8		22.0	
Income tax provision		(2.9)		(9.0)		(7.0)	
Equity in earnings, net of taxes		0.7		0.4		0.7	
NET (LOSS) INCOME	\$	(1.7)	\$	2.2	\$	15.7	
BASIC (LOSS) INCOME PER COMMON SHARE	\$	(0.09)	\$	0.15	\$	1.11	
DILUTED (LOSS) INCOME PER COMMON SHARE	\$	(0.09)	\$	0.14	\$	1.08	

## SUMMARY OF OPERATING RESULTS

	Quarter Ended December 31,			Year Ended December 31,																																																
	2018	2018 2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		2017		18 (1)		2017
(\$ in millions, except per share amounts)																																																				
Net sales	\$ 22	8.3	\$	182.8	\$	704.5	\$	579.5																																												
Income from operations before charges	2	3.9		11.4		23.1		16.2																																												
Impairment and restructuring charges	(	1.0)		(0.5)		(4.5)		(1.0)																																												
Income from operations	2	2.9		10.9		18.6		15.2																																												
Interest expense and retirement of debt	(	5.6)		(1.2)		(18.1)		(4.4)																																												
Income before income taxes and equity in earnings	1	7.3		9.7		0.5		10.8																																												
Income tax expense	(	7.5)		(8.2)		(2.9)		(9.0)																																												
Equity in earnings (loss), net of taxes		0.2		(0.2)		0.7		0.4																																												
Net income (loss)	\$ 1	0.0	\$	1.3	\$	(1.7)	\$	2.2																																												
Diluted income (loss) per common share	\$ 0	.49	\$	0.09	\$	(0.09)	\$	0.14																																												
Adjusted diluted income per common share (2)	\$ 0	.55	\$	0.47	\$	0.28	\$	0.71																																												

<sup>(1)</sup> Includes Filament from March 2, 2018, the date of acquisition.

<sup>(2)</sup> Adjusted diluted income per common share is a non-GAAP financial measure. It is provided because management uses this financial measure as a business performance indicator in evaluating the Company's on-going financial results and trends.

## OPERATIONS – ADJUSTED BASIS

	Quarter Ended December 31,				Year Ended December 31,			
	2	018	2	2017		2018		2017
(\$ in millions, except per share amounts)								
Net income (loss) as reported	\$	10.0	\$	1.3	\$	(1.7)	\$	2.2
Acquisition related expenses - primarily Filament		0.5		2.4		1.7		2.6
Warehouse relocation, integration and restructuring charges		1.5		1.2		5.7		1.7
Severance expenses and other		0.3		0.1		0.1		0.2
Non-cash charges, purchase accounting and impairment						3.7		-
Unrealized (gain) loss on foreign currency contracts				0.2		(1.9)		2.8
Contingent consideration fair value adjustment		(1.8)				(1.8)		-
Impact of 2017 Tax Act		0.7		3.3		0.7		3.3
Income tax effect on above (except for 2017 Tax Act)				(1.4)		(1.0)		(2.2)
Adjusted net income (1)	\$	11.2	\$	7.1	\$	5.5	\$	10.6
Diluted income (loss) per common share:								
As reported	\$	0.49	\$	0.09	\$	(0.09)	\$	0.14
Adjusted basis	\$	0.55	\$	0.47	\$	0.28	\$	0.71

<sup>(1)</sup> Adjusted net income is a non-GAAP financial measure. It is provided because management uses this financial measure as a business performance indicator in evaluating the Company's on-going financial results and trends.

# **BALANCE SHEET SUMMARY**

	December 31,			
	2018			2017
	(\$ in millions)			
ASSETS				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	7.6	\$	7.6
Accounts receivable		125.3		108.0
Inventory		173.6		132.4
Other current assets		12.3		10.4
Intangible assets, net		338.8		88.5
Other assets		51.0		54.6
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	708.6	\$	401.5
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$	83.6	\$	69.6
Other liabilities		39.5		26.8
Debt, net		306.0		94.8
Stockholders' equity		279.5		210.3
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$	708.6	\$	401.5

# **CREDIT PROFILE**

		mber 31, 2018
	(\$ in	millions)
LTM PROFORMA EBITDA (1)	\$	65.5
Cash	\$	7.6
Debt:		
Credit Facility due 2023		42.1
Senior Secured Term Loan due 2025		272.9
Total Debt <sup>(2)</sup>		315.0
Net Debt	\$	307.4
Leverage Ratio		4.7 x

<sup>(1)</sup> Calculated in accordance with the Company's Debt Agreements without limits. (2) Presented gross of unamortized debt issuance costs.



















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