

# Management Presentation

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All amounts are in US Dollars, unless otherwise noted





- Strategy and Operations Update
- Q1 FY24 Financial Results
- Outlook and Guidance
- Q&A



Aaron Erter CEO



Jason Miele CFO









### **CEO OPERATIONS UPDATE: MANAGING DECISIVELY TO DELIVER DIFFERENTIATED RESULTS**

### Managed Decisively...



Continue Strong Execution of Our Strategy



Drive Profitable Volume Share Gain



Effectively Balance Our Manufacturing Network

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Manage SG&A for Current Market Environment



**Continue to Invest in Profitable Growth**  ... Delivered Differentiated Results

- Global Adjusted Net Income of US\$174.5 Million up 13% vs pcp
- Record North America EBIT of US\$217.6 Million at record 31.3% EBIT Margin
- North America Volume 5% ahead of top end of guidance and EBIT Margin in line with volume sensitivity
- Operating Cash Flow of US\$252.3 Million



#### **JAMES HARDIE Q1 FY24 RESULTS**

# **GLOBAL STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK**

### Homeowner Focused, Customer and Contractor Driven<sup>™</sup>

# **Strategic Initiatives**

- Profitably grow and take share where we have the right to win
- Bring our customers high valued, 2 differentiated solutions
- Connect and influence all the 3 participants in the customer value chain

### Enabled by

- **Customer Integration**  $\checkmark$
- **Innovative Solutions**  $\checkmark$
- **Brand of Choice**  $\checkmark$
- **Global Capacity Expansion**  $\checkmark$

### Supported by our Foundational Imperatives



**Zero Harm** 

**ESG** 









Hardie **Operating System** 

Our People



## 1. Profitably Grow and Take Share Where We Have The Right to Win



# 2. Bring Our Customers High Valued, Differentiated Solutions





### **3. CONNECT AND INFLUENCE ALL THE PARTICIPANTS IN THE CUSTOMER VALUE CHAIN**



# TAKING SHARE PROFITABLY OVER THE LONG-TERM



**Proven Track Record of Long-Term Profitable Share Gain** 







# **STRONG GLOBAL RESULTS IN Q1**





# **GLOBAL ADJUSTED NET INCOME**



1. Calculated as the change in EBIT for the relevant segment/line item, net of the impact of taxes at current year Adjusted Effective Tax Rate (AETR) of 22.9%.

2. Calculated as the change in EBIT for APAC and Europe adjusted for impact of the change in foreign exchange rates versus pcp and net of the impact of taxes at current year AETR of 22.9%.

3. Calculated as the impact of the increase in AETR vs. pcp multiplied by current year Adjusted income before income taxes.

4. Calculated as the combined impact on APAC and Europe EBIT of the change in foreign exchange rates versus pcp.

Adjusted Net Income of US\$174.5 million increased US\$20.2 million versus prior corresponding period

- North America and APAC EBIT growth contributed US\$29.9 million
- Increased General Corporate Costs lowered Adjusted Net Income by US\$7.5 million, primarily due to higher stockbased compensation expenses
- Adjusted Effective Tax Rate was 22.9 percent and is our best estimate of the full year FY24 tax rate



# NORTH AMERICA SUMMARY

	Q1 FY24
Sales Volume	<b>747.8</b> mmsf -9%
Average Net Sales Price	<b>US\$923</b> /msf +3%
Net Sales	<b>US\$694.8</b> M -6%
EBIT	<b>US\$217.6</b> M +13%
EBIT Margin	<b>31.3</b> % +5.4 pts
EBITDA Margin	<b>36.0</b> % +6.0 pts

All changes presented are versus prior corresponding period

### Net Sales of US\$694.8 Million

- Volume down 9% driven by reduced housing market activity
- Average Net Sales Price up 3%

### EBIT of US\$217.6 Million, up US\$25.8 Million

- Higher Average Net Sales Price
- Lower Freight Costs
- Partially offset by a 76 mmsf decrease in volume

EBIT Margin of 31.3%

### Record EBIT and EBIT Margin



# **APAC SUMMARY**

	Q1 FY24
Sales Volume	<b>138.4</b> mmsf -8%
Average Net Sales Price	<b>A\$1,358</b> /msf +12%
Net Sales	<b>A\$209.7</b> M +5%
EBIT	<b>A\$69.5</b> M +35%
EBIT Margin	<b>33.1</b> % +7.5 pts
EBITDA Margin	<b>36.1</b> % +8.3 pts

All changes presented are versus prior corresponding period

### Net Sales of A\$209.7 Million

- Average Net Sales Price up 12%
- Volume down 8%

EBIT of A\$69.5 Million, up 35% and A\$18.2 million vs pcp

- Higher Net Sales
- Relatively flat cost of goods sold per unit
- Lower SG&A

EBIT Margin of 33.1%

Record Net Sales, EBIT and EBIT Margin



# **EUROPE SUMMARY**

	Q1 FY24
Sales Volume	<b>187.0</b> mmsf -18%
Average Net Sales Price	<b>€478</b> /msf +22%
Net Sales	<b>€109.7</b> M -1%
EBIT	<b>€10.8</b> M -5%
EBIT Margin	<b>9.8</b> % -0.5 pts
EBITDA Margin	<b>15.7</b> % -0.2 pts

All changes presented are versus prior corresponding period

### Net Sales of €109.7 Million

- Average Net Sales Price up 22%
- Volume down 18%

### EBIT down 5% to €10.8 Million

- Relatively flat Net Sales
- Higher input and production costs
- Increase investment in growth initiatives

EBIT Margin of 9.8%, in-line with pcp

Managed Decisively to Deliver Q1 EBIT Margin of 9.8%



#### **JAMES HARDIE Q1 FY24 RESULTS**

# LIQUIDITY, CASH FLOW, CAPITAL ALLOCATION & CAPITAL EXPENDITURE

### Liquidity

- US\$580.7 million of liquidity at 30 June 2023
- 0.85x leverage ratio at 30 June 2023
- Strong liquidity position to navigate current market conditions

### **Capital Allocation**

#### Framework

- Invest in Organic Growth
- Maintain Flexible Balance Sheet
- Deploy Excess Capital to Shareholders

#### Share Buy-Back

 Purchased 5.8 million shares for total consideration of US\$127.4 million through Q1 FY24

### **Cash Flow**

- Q1 FY24 Operating Cash Flow of US\$252.3 million
- Working Capital reduced by US\$51.8 million
- FY24 AICF payments of A\$137.5 million

### **Capital Expenditure**

- Q1 FY24 total Capital Expenditures of US\$125.6 million
- Expect FY24 total capital expenditures of approximately US\$550 million
- Cancellation of greenfield in Australia





#### **JAMES HARDIE Q1 FY24 RESULTS**

# **REFINED APPROACH TO APAC CAPACITY**

- Creation of central capital/engineering team
- Existing capacity potential increased by HMOS
- Announced Rosehill pilot plant cancellation in May
- Brownfield Expansion > Greenfield Expansion
- Pilot Plant cancellation enables ability to add brownfield capacity
- Additional brownfield opportunities identified in Carole Park
- Decision made to cancel Greenfield Expansion in Truganina, Australia

- No change in ability to meet share gain goals for ANZ business for 15+ years
- Better use of capital dollars
  - A\$400+ million greenfield project cancelled
  - Brownfield expansion in APAC can be executed over longer time horizon

### **Decisive Management to Improve ROCE While Meeting Share Gain Objectives**







# FY24 MARKET OUTLOOK: NORTH AMERICA<sup>1</sup>



Average of 3 data providers and the range of their growth forecasts/estimates for Calendar 2023 as of 3 August 2023.

# NORTH AMERICA – FY24 QUARTERLY VOLUME SENSITIVITY



Given the uncertain nature of the US housing market, we have modeled our expected quarterly EBIT margin outcomes at a variety of quarterly volume scenarios. This sensitivity analysis assumes our current range of expectations on average net sales price, raw material costs, freight rates and assumes we continue to invest in growth as currently planned.

These volumes are simply to provide context to our EBIT Margin sensitivity to volume, in North America, and do not represent volume guidance for any quarter in Fiscal Year 2024.



# **GUIDANCE: Q2 FISCAL YEAR 2024**

North America Volume	740 – 770 million standard feet
North America EBIT Margin	30% - 32%
Adjusted Net Income	US\$ 170 – 190 million

**Positioned for a Strong Second Quarter** 



# JAMES HARDIE – A GLOBAL GROWTH COMPANY











This Management Presentation forms part of a package of information about the company's results. It should be read in conjunction with the other parts of this package, including the Management's Analysis of Results, Media Release and Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements

#### Financial Measures – GAAP Equivalents

This document contains the financial statement line item EBIT, which is considered to be non-GAAP, but is consistent with the term used by Australian companies. Because we prepare our consolidated financial statements under GAAP, the equivalent GAAP financial Statement line item description used in our condensed consolidated financial statements is Operating income (loss).

**EBIT** – Earnings before interest and tax

**<u>EBIT margin</u>** – EBIT margin is defined as EBIT as a percentage of net sales

#### Definitions

ASP – Average net sales price per msf ("ASP") – Total net sales of fiber cement and fiber gypsum products, excluding accessory sales, divided by the total volume of products sold

**Working Capital** – The working capital calculation used in our cash provided by operating analysis includes the change in: (1) Accounts and other receivables, net; (2) Inventories; and (3) Accounts payable and accrued liabilities.

ROCE - Return on Capital Employed; calculated as Adjusted EBIT / Adjusted Gross Capital Employed

AICF - Asbestos Injuries Compensation Fund Ltd

mmsf – sales volume in million square feet, where a square foot is defined as a standard square foot of 5/16" thickness

msf – sales volume in thousand square feet, where a square foot is defined as a standard square foot of 5/16" thickness



#### Adjusted EBIT and Adjusted EBITDA

US\$ Millions	Thr	Three Months Ended 30 Ju		
		FY24		FY23
EBIT	\$	233.9	\$	221.3
Asbestos:				
Asbestos adjustments (gain) loss		(0.1)		(13.2)
AICF SG&A expenses		0.4		0.3
Adjusted EBIT	\$	234.2	\$	208.4
Net sales		954.3		1,000.9
Adjusted EBIT margin		24.5%		20.8%
Depreciation and amortization		44.9		40.5
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	279.1	\$	248.9
Adjusted EBITDA Margin		29.2%		24.9%

#### North America Fiber Cement Segment EBIT and EBITDA

US\$ Millions	Three	Three Months Ended 30 Jun			
	F	-Y24	FY23		
North America Fiber Cement Segment EBIT	\$	217.6	\$	191.8	
North America Fiber Cement Segment net sales		694.8		740.1	
North America Fiber Cement Segment EBIT margin		31.3%		25.9%	
Depreciation and amortization		32.7		30.0	
North America Fiber Cement Segment EBITDA	\$	250.3	\$	221.8	
North America Fiber Cement Segment EBITDA Margin		36.0%		30.0%	



#### Asia Pacific Fiber Cement Segment EBIT and EBITDA

US\$ Millions	Thre	Three Months Ended 30 June			
	1	FY24		FY23	
Asia Pacific Fiber Cement Segment EBIT	\$	46.5	\$	36.6	
Asia Pacific Fiber Cement Segment net sales		140.1		142.8	
Asia Pacific Fiber Cement Segment EBIT margin		33.1%		25.6%	
Depreciation and amortization		4.1		3.1	
Asia Pacific Fiber Cement Segment EBITDA	\$	50.6	\$	39.7	
Asia Pacific Fiber Cement Segment EBITDA Margin		36.1%		27.8%	

#### Europe Building Products Segment EBIT and EBITDA

US\$ Millions	Thre	Three Months Ended 30 June				
	- I	FY24		FY24 F		FY23
Europe Building Products Segment EBIT	\$	11.8	\$	12.1		
Europe Building Products Segment net sales		119.4		118.0		
Europe Building Products Segment EBIT margin		9.8%		10.3%		
Depreciation and amortization		7.0		6.6		
Europe Building Products Segment EBITDA	\$	18.8	\$	18.7		
Europe Building Products Segment EBITDA Margin		15.7%		15.9%		



#### Adjusted interest, net

US\$ Millions	Three Months Ended 30 June			
		FY24	FY23	
Interest, net	\$	5.8	\$	8.8
AICF interest income, net		(2.3)		(0.2)
Adjusted interest, net	\$	8.1	\$	9.0

#### Adjusted net income

US\$ Millions	Thre	Three Months Ended 30 June				
		FY24	FY23			
Net income	\$	157.8	\$	163.1		
Asbestos:						
Asbestos adjustments (gain) loss		(0.1)		(13.2)		
AICF SG&A expenses		0.4		0.3		
AICF interest income, net		(2.3)		(0.2)		
Tax adjustments <sup>1</sup>		18.7		4.3		
Adjusted net income	\$	174.5	\$	154.3		

1 Includes tax adjustments related to the amortization benefit of certain US intangible assets, asbestos, and other tax adjustments



#### Adjusted diluted earnings per share

	Thr	Three Months Ended 30 June			
		FY24		FY23	
Adjusted net income (US\$ Millions)	\$	174.5	\$	154.3	
Weighted average common shares outstanding - Diluted (millions)		442.8		445.9	
Adjusted diluted earnings per share	\$	0.39	\$	0.35	

#### Adjusted effective tax rate

US\$ Millions	Thre	Three Months Ended 30 Jun			
		FY24		FY23	
Income before income taxes	\$	228.4	\$	212.3	
Asbestos:					
Asbestos adjustments (gain) loss		(0.1)		(13.2)	
AICF SG&A expenses		0.4		0.3	
AICF interest income, net		(2.3)		(0.2)	
Adjusted income before income taxes	\$	226.4	\$	199.2	
		70.0			
Income tax expense		70.6		49.2	
Tax adjustments <sup>1</sup>		(18.7)		(4.3)	
Adjusted income tax expense	\$	51.9	\$	44.9	
Effective tax rate		30.9%		23.2%	
Adjusted effective tax rate		22.9%		22.5%	

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