

2008 Earnings Conference

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Agenda

- Overview
- Market Outlook
- Strategic Direction
- Conclusion
- Financial Discussion
 - Q2 2008 Results
 - Q3 and FY 2008 Outlook
- Q&A Session



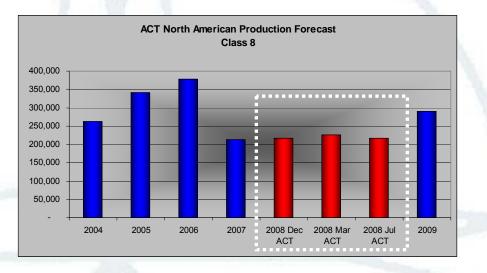
Overview

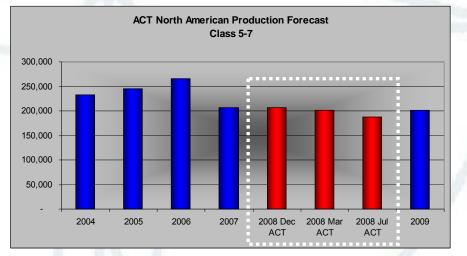
- Q2 2008
 - Key Results:
 - EPS within the lower end of guidance
 - Revenue \$6 million below mid-point of guidance
 - > Electronics Group revenue increased 13% sequentially
 - 15% increase in Aerospace & Defense
 - 9% increase in Test & Measurement
 - Industrial Group revenue remained steady at \$69 million, \$5 million below internal expectations
 - Test & Measurement gross profit increased 18% year over year
 - Electronics Group orders remained strong at \$33 million, with high expectations for second half growth
 - Free cash flow reflected a usage of \$13 million \$2 million better than guidance

EPS Outlook Achieved Despite Revenue Shortfall



Market Outlook





Heavy-Duty Vehicles

- July forecast for 2008 down 4% from March forecast
- Reflects impact of rising crude oil
- Current view shows modest 2% increase over 2007
- 2009 rebounds 34%; but down from the 45% increase expected in March

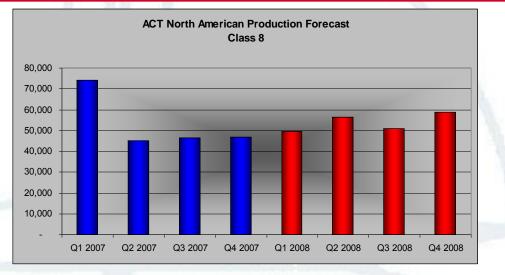
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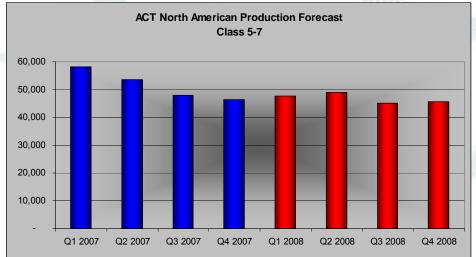
- July forecast for 2008 down from March forecast by 7%
- Revised view 9% lower than 2007
- 2009 grows 7%; but still lower than 2007 levels

Latest Industry Projections Reflect Softening Demand



Market Outlook





Heavy-Duty Vehicles

- Q308 9% higher than Q307, but 9% lower than Q208
- Economy and fuel prices placing pressure on recovery forecast
- Q408 up 26% vs. prior year period and 15% sequentially

Medium-Duty Vehicles

- Outlook for medium duty is bearish
- Q308 6% lower than Q307 and 10% lower than Q208
- Recreational vehicle demand is forecasted to decline 34%
- School and urban buses forecasted to decline 14%

Recovery Outlook Mixed

Market Outlook

- Industrial Group
 - The outlook for the production of trailers continues to weaken, with 2008 volume now expected to decline 30% from 2007 levels
 - The road to recovery in class 5-7 production has slowed considerably, driven largely by the economy
 - Light truck production has fallen significantly, resulting in a 25% reduction in outlook for this segment – representing just over 7% of consolidated revenue for 2008
- Electronics Group
 - Aerospace & Defense is expected to show continued top line growth through 2008
 - Secure communications products and new programs driving the change
 - Markets for intelligence and secure communications expected to remain positive for years – exception: funding issues appear to be impacting missile ranges
 - Test & Measurement outlook remains positive for the year
 - Expanded R&D budget expected to feed demand for additional new products in 2009
 - Orders for Q3 2008 are forecast to reach a multi-year high



2008 Priorities

- Complete Phase 1 of SIG restructuring...prepare for market upturn
 - New business transfers are on track
 - Exiting non-core lines of business on schedule
 - New leadership team populated and driving commercial and operating improvements
 - Productivity results beginning to show from enterprise-wide efforts

Decline in expected volume masking short-term impact – expect substantial leverage with upturn

- Achieve double digit Electronics growth
 - New President of Sypris Electronics is in place...strong technical, operational and industry background
 - Next generation of link encryption product certified and shipping
 - Next generation secured communications product under development and through preliminary design tollgate
 - New magnetic product offering under development offering entrance to new markets in 2009
 - Markets emerging for new receiver offerings

Expect to represent 40% of portfolio revenue for 2008, up from 36% in 2007

Improve business processes...continued focus on integration and automation

- Factory scheduling...some progress...more to come
- Bid/Order processing...enhancements being finalized for implementation
- Enhanced working capital management...turns improved year-over-year

Reduce inventory days by 47% by year end; double working capital turns; generate lasting free cash flow

On Track – More to Come



Strategic Review

- NAFTA economic environment challenging
 - Housing and industrial production are down
 - Energy prices are on the front end of placing a real drag on the economy
 - Credit continues to tighten across all industry and market segments
 - Consumer confidence continues to be at risk
- Result is that the macroeconomic outlook for 2009 is less than certain at best
- As a result, we have initiated actions to review all operations with the intent to:
 - Eliminate unnecessary waste
 - Reduce fixed overhead
 - Accelerate, where possible, integration efficiencies during periods of reduced demand
 - Challenge the existence of any major program if it inhibits consolidation
- Objective is to generate significant improvement in operating earnings to offset potential economic risks
- Expect to report on outcome of the analysis in Q4

Savings to Exceed Risks



Conclusion

- The second quarter results met guidance for EPS despite a material shortfall in revenue from our Industrial Group
- The outlook for Electronics remains positive, while our Industrial Group continues to fight short-term reductions in demand – especially for light, medium and trailer components
- 2008 Priorities remain on track, with major progress being made in productivity, working capital turns and inventory days
- Increased efficiencies, growing electronics shipments and a recovery in commercial vehicle sales are expected to combine to drive a vast improvement in 2009 financial performance
- But the outlook for 2009 is not without substantial risk commercial vehicle production is forecast to increase 15% to 20% (class 5-8), which would result in significant financial leverage for Sypris – but energy prices, credit availability and industrial production could impact this forecast
- As a result, we are conducting a strategic review with the intent of driving significant costs out of the business to buffer this risk – the analysis is expected to be completed during Q4

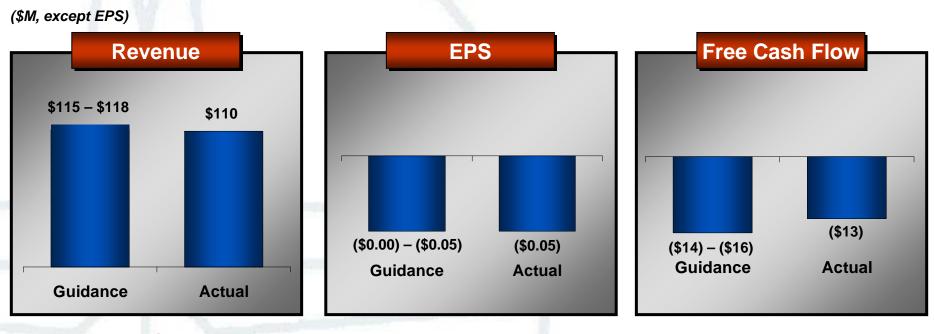
Improved 2008 Leading to Strong 2009



Q2 2008 / Outlook



Q2 2008 Results



Revenue below guidance

- SIG volumes decline in light, medium and heavy truck; trailer volume softness continues
- SEG delays for certification testing and government funding shortfalls
- SEG orders were stronger than anticipated and 7% above the same period in 2007

PBT and EPS within guidance

- Industrial gross profit at \$5.3 was just short of guidance as productivity nearly offset drop in volume
- SEG gross profit at \$5.7 was below guidance driven by revenue miss
- SG&A expenses were better than forecast for the period and interest costs were lower on reduced borrowings

Cash flow above guidance

- 2007 income tax payments of \$10 in Mexico was paid in Q2
- A/R collection ahead of guidance
- Material receipts delayed in response to market decline
- Capital expenditures deferred

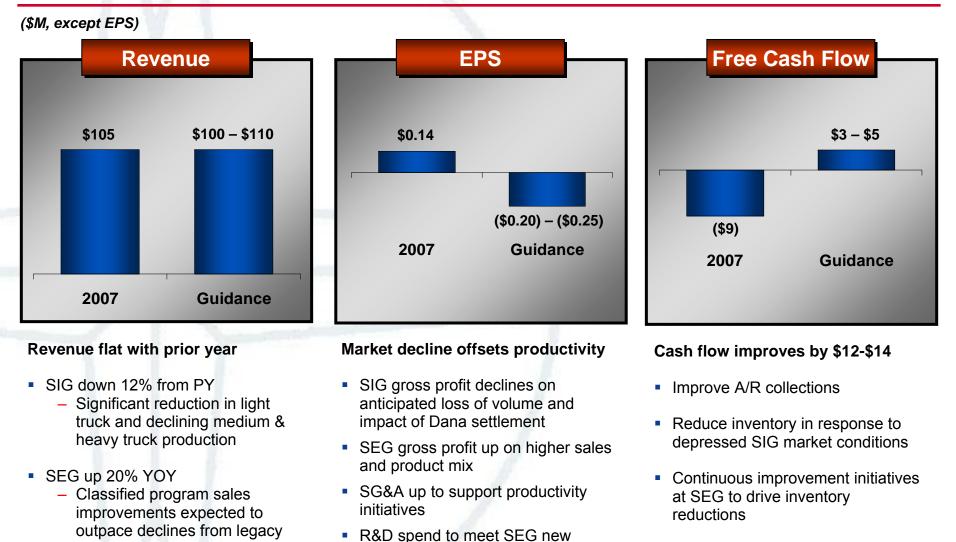


Q3 2008 Outlook

products

higher than 2007

SEG orders expected to be 20%



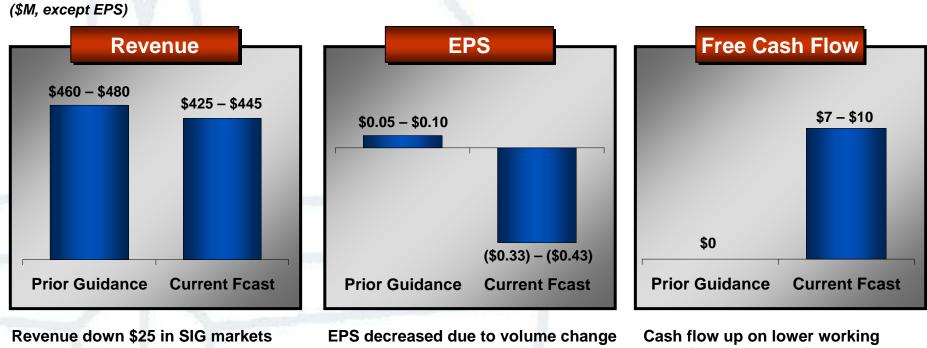
Higher capex investment than 2007



product milestones

Higher interest expense

Total Year 2008 Outlook



- SIG
 - Revenue grows sequentially from Q3 to Q4, but markets expected to remain weak
- SEG
 - Govt funding for data systems products lower than expected
 - Shift in A&D revenue mix within EMS & Products
 - STM continues steady growth
- Orders forecast to be up 3%

- SIG
 - Significant change in volume drops to gross profit
 - Productivity gains partially offset volume decline
 - Acceleration of realignment initiatives under review
- SEG
 - Lower SDS orders and change in mix driving lower gross profit
 - Increased G&A and R&D to transform operations and product offerings

capital and cap ex investments

- Working capital investment reduced to balance with market decline
- Capital investments to support volume are being deferred
- Management tasked with driving further improvements through continuous improvement initiatives.



Wrap-Up

- Missed Q2 revenue but held within EPS range
- Updated Q3 and Q4 guidance to reflect deterioration in market forecasts
- Customer demand down in light truck, class 5-8, and trailer markets
- Operational improvements delivering expected results but overshadowed by revenue decline
- 2009 to benefit from productivity initiatives, Electronics growth and truck market recovery
- Respond to volatile markets with fresh look at the extent and timing of strategic initiatives

Significant Actions will be taken to Restore Profitability

