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Forward-Looking Statements



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AAM is a Leading Global Driveline Supplier



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A global leader in design, engineering and manufacturing of automotive propulsion systems and technologies to support electric, hybrid and ICE vehicles



\$6.1B 2024 Sales



~19,000 Employees¹



15 Countries



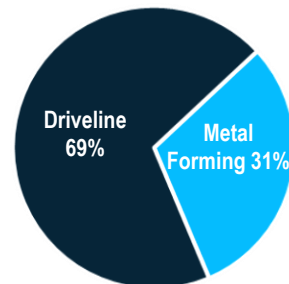
Over 75 Locations



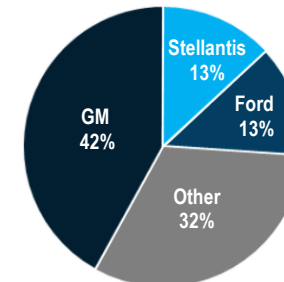
11 Engineering and Tech Centers



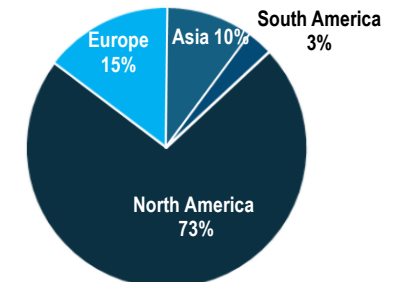
2024 Sales By Business Unit



2024 Sales By Customer



2024 Sales By Geography²



¹Includes temporary and contract employees. ²May not sum to 100% due to rounding

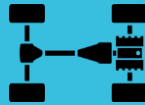
AAM Business Segments



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DRIVELINE

2024 SALES ≈ \$4.25B¹



A Leading
Supplier to
Attractive
North
American
Pick-Up
Truck
Market

- Full-size Pickup Truck and SUV Driveline Systems
- AWD Systems for Crossover Vehicles
- Damped Gears, Viscous Dampers and Rubber Isolation Pulleys
- Pioneer of Disconnecting AWD Systems
- One of the leaders in hybrid and electric driveline solutions

Forged
Components
Provide
Vertical
Integration
Advantage

METAL FORMING

2024 SALES ≈ \$1.87B¹



- Forged Gears & Shafts
- CVT Pulleys
- Powdered Metal Connecting Rods
- Aluminum Valve Bodies
- Machined Helical Gears
- Differential Assemblies
- Strong position in electrified propulsion components

¹Represents AAM net external sales

3Q 2025 AAM Financial Highlights



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\$1.51B

Quarterly
Net Sales

\$194.7M

Quarterly
Adjusted EBITDA
(12.9% of Sales)

\$98.1M

Adjusted Free
Cash Flow

AAM Delivered Year-Over-Year Adjusted EBITDA Margin Growth



DOWLAIS

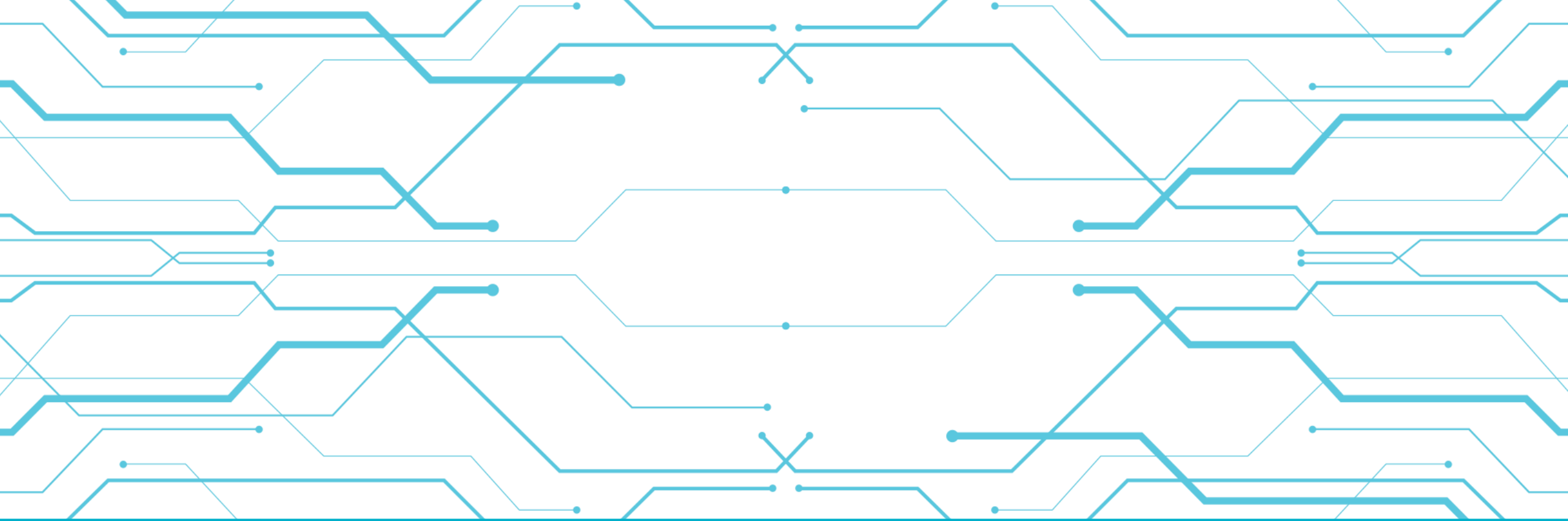


Transaction Update

- Both AAM and DWL Stockholders approved the combination in July
- AAM completed permanent financing for the transaction in October
- Combination has now been cleared under antitrust laws in nine out of ten jurisdictions
- Anticipated to close in the first quarter of 2026

Business Wins

Awarded multiple new, replacement and extension programs. These awards are for both driveline and metal forming products that support heavy duty trucks, other ICE and electric vehicle programs.



Transformational Combination with Dowlais



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Dowlais Overview



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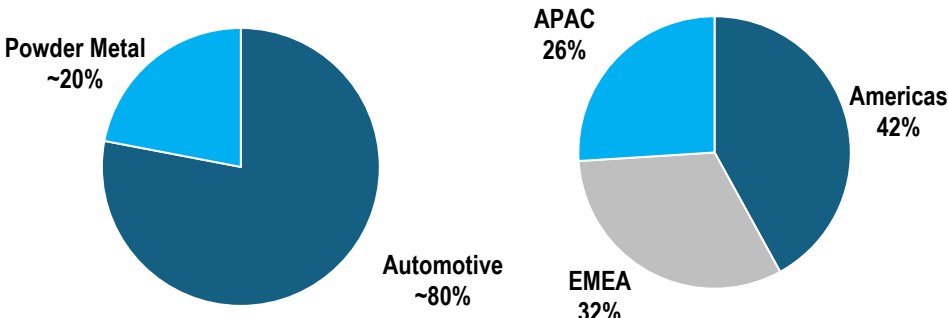
A MARKET LEADING, HIGH-TECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING GROUP

**~\$5.4B 2024 Revenue**

**29,000+ Employees¹**

**22 Countries¹**

**100 Locations¹**



Source: Dowlais Filings
Note: Assumed FX: \$1.2434 / £1.00 for Dowlais as of announcement date on January 29, 2025. ¹Includes JV Operations
^{*}Dowlais in total
^{**}Dowlais in total, typically light vehicle original equipment manufacturers



A Leading Global Driveline Supplier

Present in ~45%* of light vehicles

>90%** of global OEMs served



A Leading Sinter Metals Supplier

~10M Components Produced / Day

>2,000 Global Customers

A Global Leader in Propulsion Agnostic Driveline Solutions
with a Track Record of Innovation

Compelling Strategic Combination



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+ DOWLAIS

Creates a leading global driveline and metal forming supplier with significant size and scale

Comprehensive powertrain agnostic product portfolio with leading technology

More diversified customer base with expanded and balanced geographic presence

Compelling industrial logic with ~\$300M of expected synergies

High margins with strong earnings accretion, cash flow and balance sheet

Creates More Robust Business Model Intended To Accelerate Growth And Value Creation For All Stakeholders

Financial Benefits of the Combination



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DOWLAIS

~\$12B

Pro Forma Revenue¹

~\$300M

Expected Synergies²

~14%+

Combined
Adjusted EBITDA Margin
including synergies³

Increased scale with strong margin profile enabling significant cash generation potential⁴

¹Revenue based on 2024 pro forma financials in AAM's definitive proxy statement.

²Expected run rate synergies intended to be substantially achieved by end of the third year.

³Adjusted EBITDA margin based on AAM's definition of Adjusted EBITDA in the Appendix using 2024 pro forma financials in AAM's definitive proxy statement and certain financial information from both companies' 2024 annual reports and giving effect to the estimated full run rate synergies of approximately \$300 million. Assumed exchange rate is \$1.2778 / £1.00.

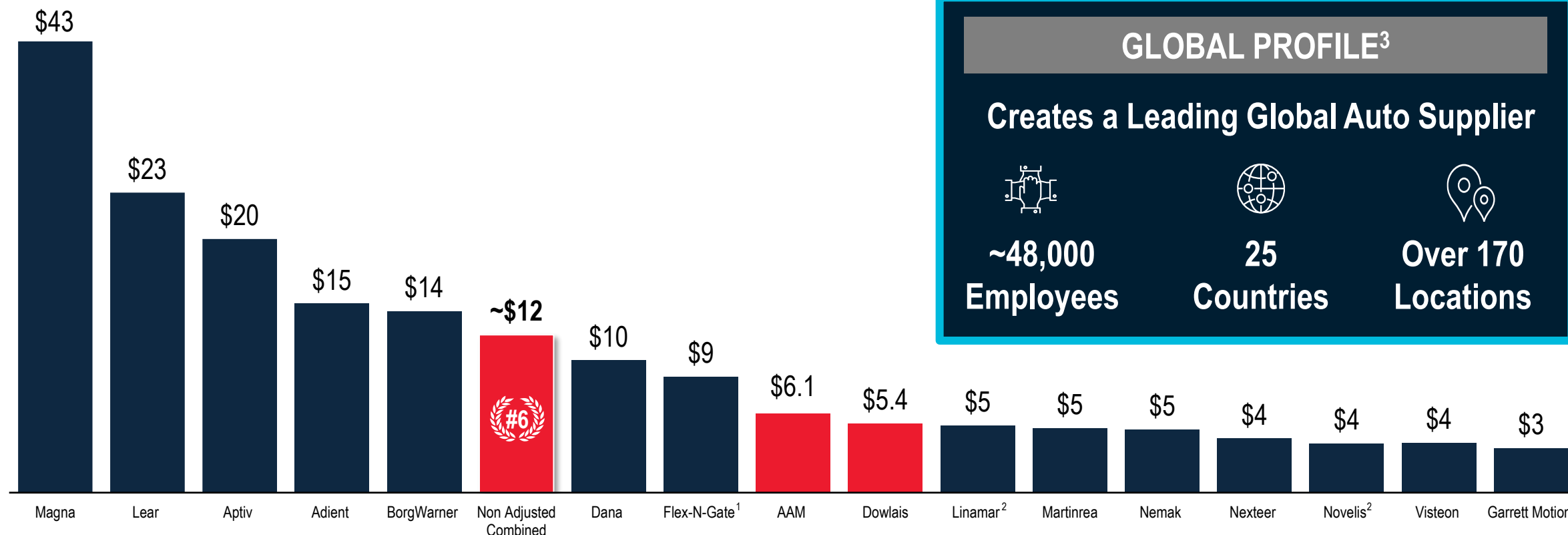
⁴Excludes transaction-related expenses and deal-related amortization.

Significantly Enhanced Scale



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N.A. AUTO SUPPLIER RANKINGS BY 2024A TOTAL REVENUE (\$B)



Doubles Scale and Creates Global Automotive Supplier with ~\$12 Billion in Pro Forma Revenue

Source: Company filings and Automotive News Research & Data Center

Note: Select Auto Suppliers depicted for comparison purposes only. Chart not to scale; Assumed FX: \$1.2434 / £1.00 for Dowlais as of announcement date on January 29, 2025

¹FY 23 figures. ²Only mobility and automotive sales reflected for Linamar and Novelis. ³Includes JV operations of Dowlais

Improved Customer Diversification

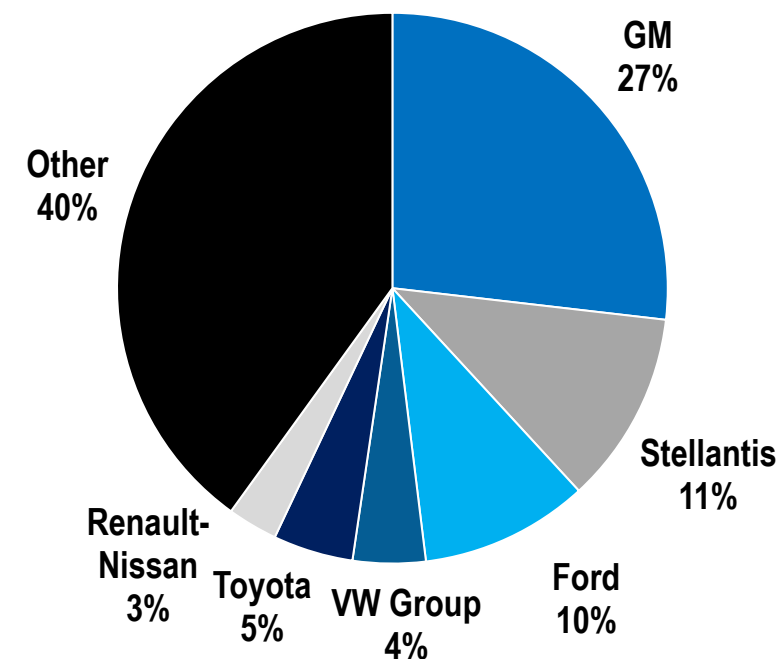
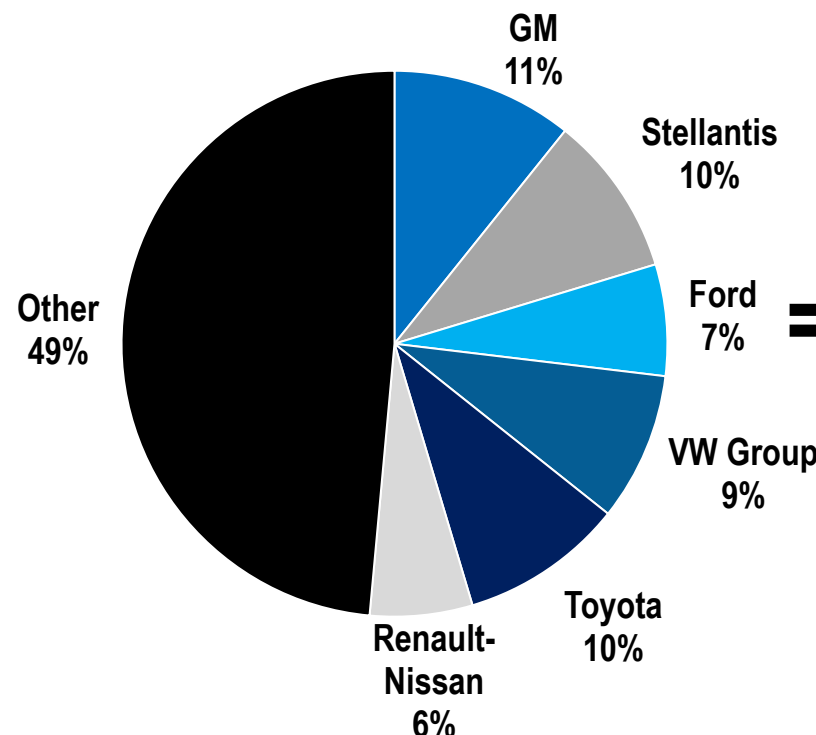
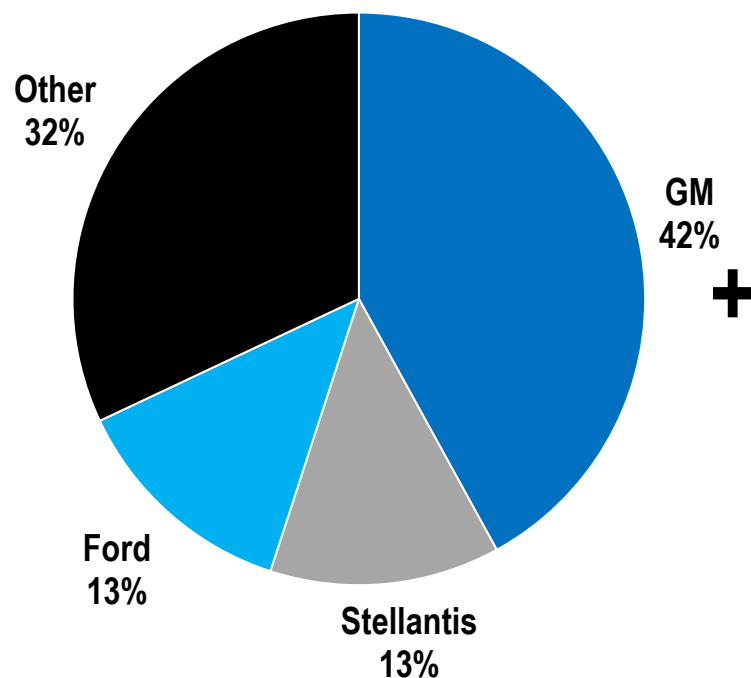


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DOWLAIS¹

COMBINED GROUP¹



Balanced and Diversified Customer Base

Source: Dowlais company information

Note: Reflects 2024A revenue splits; Assumed FX: \$1.2434 / £1.00 for Dowlais as of announcement date on January 29, 2025

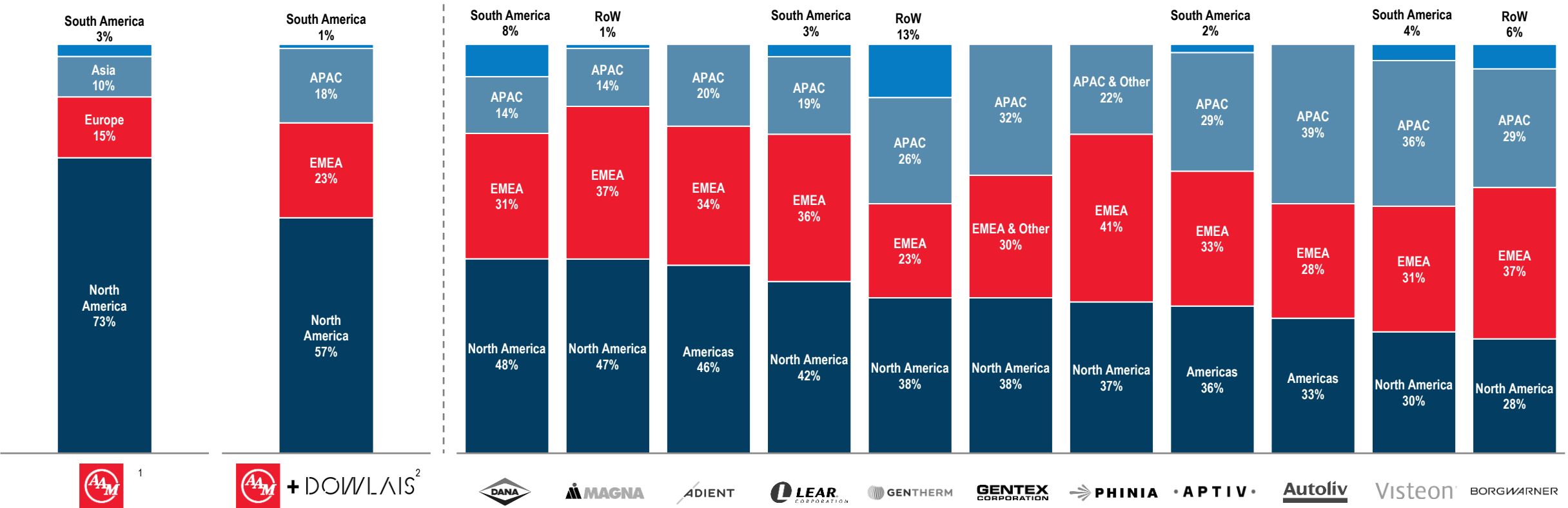
¹Based on 2024A adjusted revenue for Dowlais, may not sum to 100% due to rounding

Improved Geographic Diversification



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Combined AAM and Dowlais Will Have the Highest North American Exposure Among US-listed Auto Part Companies



Creating a More Diversified Global Supplier Still Favorably Exposed to North America

Source: Public Company Filings
Note: Reflects 2024A figures as reported. ¹May not sum to 100% due to rounding. ²Includes Dowlais JV Operations

~\$300M of Synergy Potential



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CATEGORY	DESCRIPTION		
SG&A	• Eliminating duplicate public company and other costs • Optimization of the combined workforce • Streamlining of engineering, research, and development expenses • Elimination of duplicate business and technical offices	~30%	TIMING AND COST TO ACHIEVE Targeting 60% of expected annual run rate savings by the end of the second full year and run-rate savings expected to be substantially achieved by end of the third year. We estimate the costs required to achieve our synergy plan are approximately equal to one year of savings.
Purchasing	• Leveraging enhanced economies of scale and spend to reduce supply costs • Utilizing vertical integration capabilities to deliver insourcing initiatives • Achieving global freight and logistical savings through increased scale, utilization and benefits from third-party logistics suppliers	~50%	
Operations	• Increasing operating efficiencies through the implementation of a best-of-best operating system • Optimizing the combined global manufacturing footprint	~20%	

Joint plan developed to realize ~\$300M of expected annual run-rate cost synergies

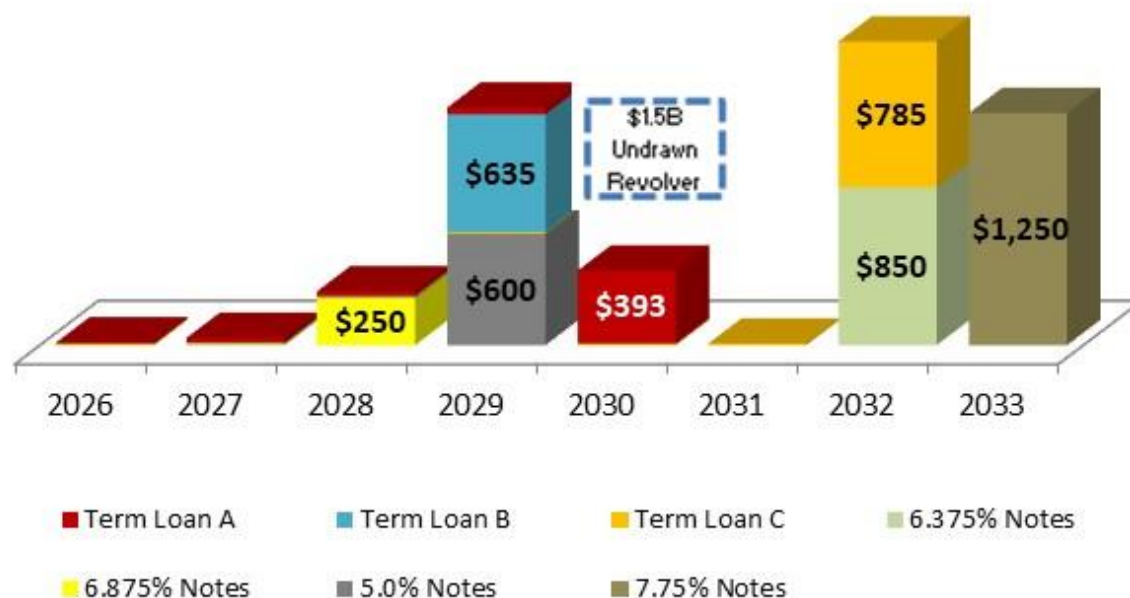
Debt Maturity Profile



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Senior Debt Maturities

Pro Forma for the Acquisition
As of October 3, 2025
(in \$ millions)



AAM has a healthy debt maturity profile

Weighted Average Maturity of Senior Debt of ~6.1 Years

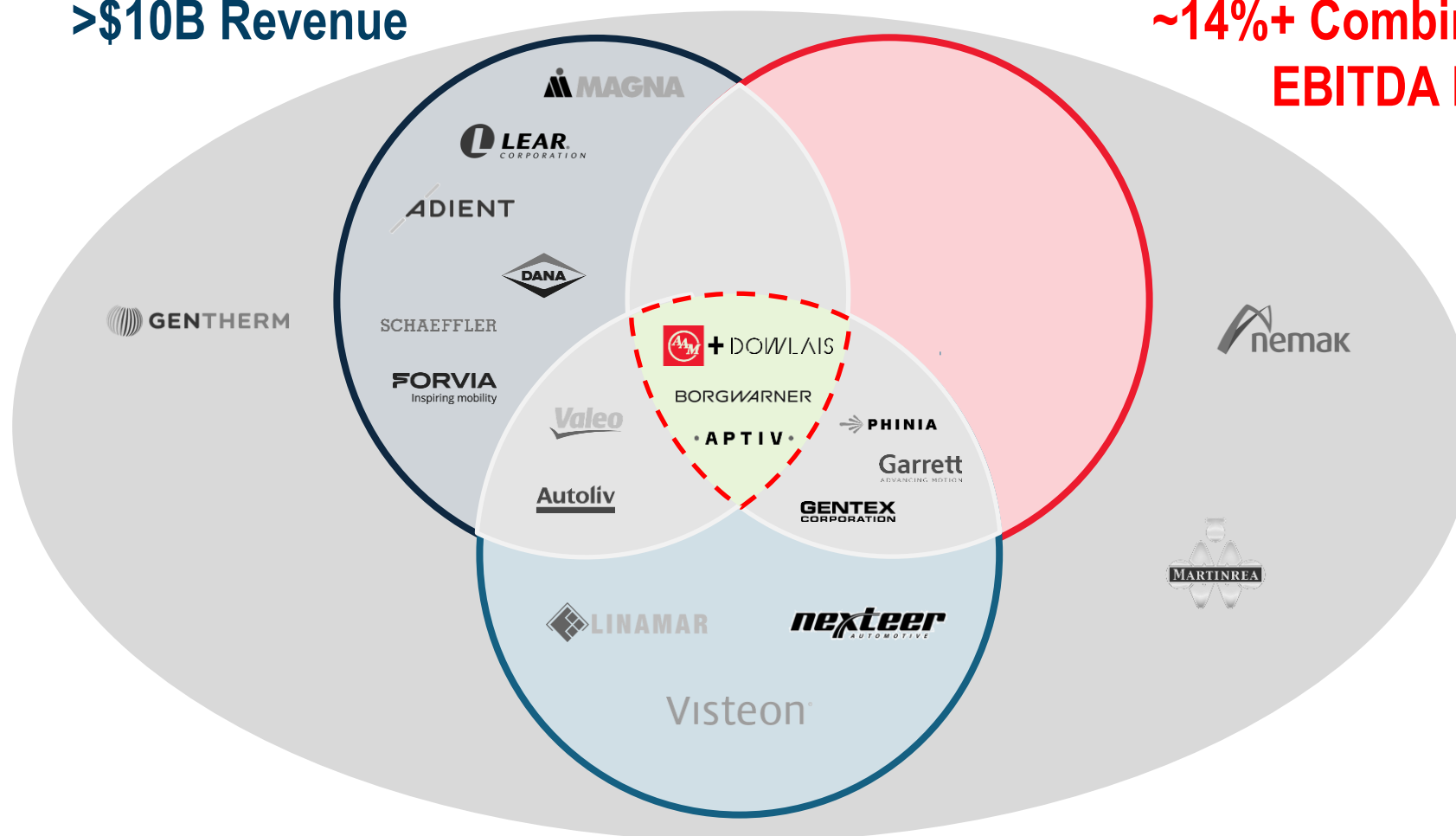
Best-in-Class Pro Forma Financial Metrics



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>\$10B Revenue

~14%+ Combined Adjusted
EBITDA Margin¹

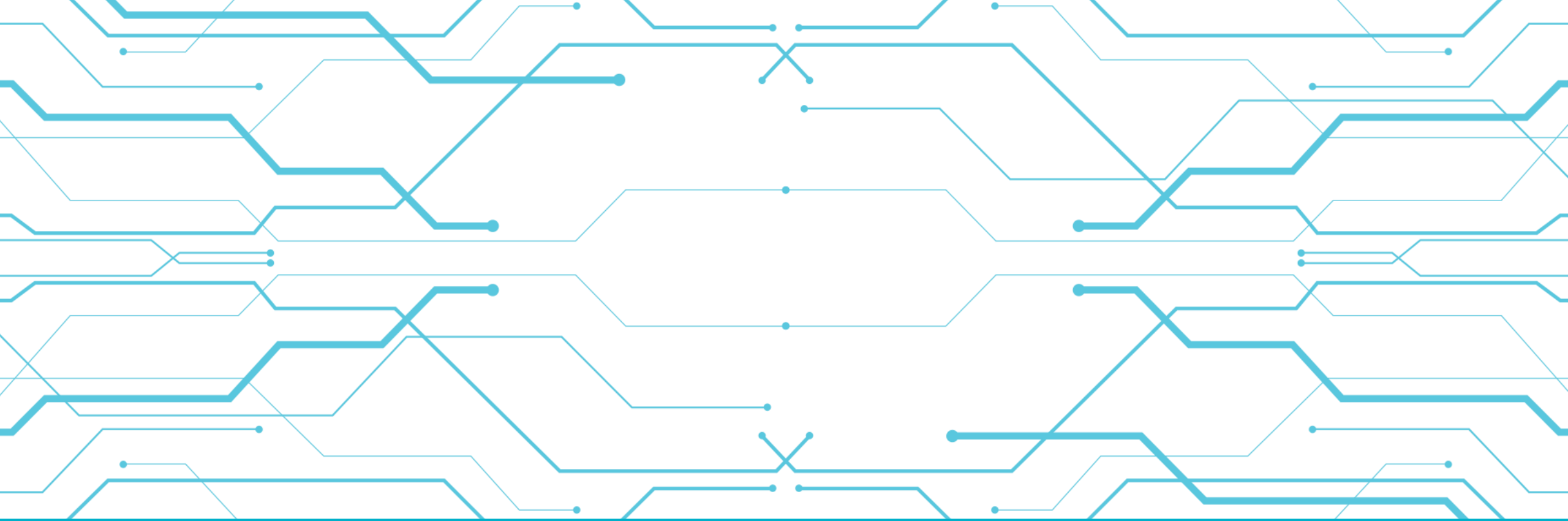


~5% Adj. FCF / Sales

Source: Public Filings

Note: Reflects 2024 figures; See Appendix for Adjusted Free Cash Flow definition. Assumed exchange rate is \$1.2434 / £1.00 for Dowlais as of announcement date on January 29, 2025

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Appendix / Supplemental Data



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Additional Disclosures



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Non-GAAP Financial Information

This presentation refers to certain financial measures, including Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA margin, Earnings per Share, Adjusted Free Cash Flow, Net Debt, Net Leverage Ratio and Liquidity that are not required by, or presented in accordance with, accounting principles generally accepted in the United States, or GAAP. These measures are presented to provide additional useful measurements to review AAM's operations, provide transparency to investors and enable period-to-period comparability of financial performance. These non-GAAP measures should not be considered a substitute for any GAAP measure. Additionally non-GAAP financial measures as presented by AAM may not be comparable to similarly titled measures reported by other companies.

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Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Measures



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In addition to the results reported in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) included within this presentation, we have provided certain information, which includes non-GAAP financial measures. Such information is reconciled to its closest GAAP measure in accordance with Securities and Exchange Commission rules and is included in the following slides.

Certain of the forward-looking financial measures included in this earnings release are provided on a non-GAAP basis. A reconciliation of non-GAAP forward-looking financial measures to the most directly comparable forward-looking financial measures calculated and presented in accordance with GAAP has been provided. The amounts in these reconciliations are based on our current estimates and actual results may differ materially from these forward-looking estimates for many reasons, including potential event driven transactional and other non-core operating items and their related effects in any future period, the magnitude of which may be significant.

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EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation (\$ in millions)

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Net income	\$ 9.2	\$ 10.0	\$ 55.6	\$ 48.7
Interest expense	42.7	45.2	128.7	142.1
Income tax expense (benefit)	(10.9)	(12.1)	31.2	21.0
Depreciation and amortization	116.3	116.9	342.0	354.3
EBITDA	157.3	160.0	557.5	566.1
Restructuring and acquisition-related costs	21.4	2.2	57.6	9.7
Debt refinancing and redemption costs	-	0.2	3.3	0.5
Loss (gain) on Business Combination Derivative	16.0	-	(52.2)	-
Impairment charges	-	12.0	8.0	12.0
Loss on equity securities	-	-	-	0.1
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 194.7	\$ 174.4	\$ 574.2	\$ 588.4
Sales	1,505.3	1,504.9	4,452.8	4,744.1
as a % of net sales	12.9%	11.6%	12.9%	12.4%

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EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA for the Last Twelve Months Ended September 30, 2025 (\$ in millions)

	Quarter Ended				Last Twelve Months Ended
	December 31, 2024	March 31, 2025	June 30, 2025	September 30, 2025	September 30, 2025
Net income (loss)	\$ (13.7)	\$ 7.1	\$ 39.3	\$ 9.2	\$ 41.9
Interest expense	43.9	42.9	43.1	42.7	172.6
Income tax expense (benefit)	6.8	14.0	28.1	(10.9)	38.0
Depreciation and amortization	115.4	112.2	113.5	116.3	457.4
EBITDA	152.4	176.2	224.0	157.3	709.9
Restructuring and acquisition-related costs	8.3	19.7	16.5	21.4	65.9
Debt refinancing and redemption costs	0.1	3.3	-	-	3.4
Loss (gain) on Business Combination Derivative	-	(21.9)	(46.3)	16.0	(52.2)
Impairment charges	-	-	8.0	-	8.0
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 160.8	\$ 177.3	\$ 202.2	\$ 194.7	\$ 735.0
Sales	1,380.8	1,411.3	1,536.2	1,505.3	5,833.6
as a % of net sales	11.6%	12.6%	13.2%	12.9%	12.6%

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Adjusted Earnings Per Share Reconciliation

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Diluted earnings per share	\$ 0.07	\$ 0.08	\$ 0.45	\$ 0.40
Restructuring and acquisition-related costs	0.18	0.02	0.47	0.08
Debt refinancing and redemption costs	-	-	0.03	-
Impairment charges	-	0.10	0.06	0.10
Loss (gain) on Business Combination Derivative	0.13	-	(0.42)	-
Non-recurring items:				
Discrete tax impact from enactment of tax law	(0.18)	-	(0.18)	-
Tax effect of adjustments	(0.04)	-	0.05	(0.01)
Adjusted earnings per share	\$ 0.16	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.46	\$ 0.57

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Free Cash Flow and Adjusted Free Cash Flow Reconciliation (\$ in millions)

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 143.3	\$ 143.6	\$ 291.1	\$ 304.2
Less: Capital expenditures net of proceeds from the sale of property, plant and equipment and from government grants	(63.8)	(72.9)	(185.4)	(164.4)
Free cash flow	79.5	70.7	105.7	139.8
Cash payments for restructuring and acquisition-related costs	18.6	3.9	37.2	11.3
Adjusted free cash flow	\$ 98.1	\$ 74.6	\$ 142.9	\$ 151.1

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Segment Financial Information (\$ in millions)

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Segment Sales				
Driveline	\$ 1,051.1	\$ 1,042.8	\$ 3,091.0	\$ 3,273.7
Metal Forming	595.0	596.5	1,769.2	1,893.7
Total Sales	1,646.1	1,639.3	4,860.2	5,167.4
Intersegment Sales	(140.8)	(134.4)	(407.4)	(423.3)
Net External Sales	<u>\$ 1,505.3</u>	<u>\$ 1,504.9</u>	<u>\$ 4,452.8</u>	<u>\$ 4,744.1</u>
Segment Adjusted EBITDA				
Driveline	\$ 156.8	\$ 135.7	\$ 431.0	\$ 444.9
Metal Forming	37.9	38.7	143.2	143.5
Total Segment Adjusted EBITDA	<u>\$ 194.7</u>	<u>\$ 174.4</u>	<u>\$ 574.2</u>	<u>\$ 588.4</u>

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EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA for the Last Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2024 (\$ in millions)

	Quarter Ended				Last Twelve Months Ended
	March 31, 2024	June 30, 2024	September 30, 2024	December 31, 2024	December 31, 2024
Net income (loss)	\$ 20.5	\$ 18.2	\$ 10.0	\$ (13.7)	\$ 35.0
Interest expense	49.0	47.9	45.2	43.9	186.0
Income tax expense (benefit)	15.9	17.2	(12.1)	6.8	27.8
Depreciation and amortization	117.8	119.6	116.9	115.4	469.7
EBITDA	203.2	202.9	160.0	152.4	718.5
Restructuring and acquisition-related costs	2.5	5.0	2.2	8.3	18.0
Debt refinancing and redemption costs	-	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.6
Impairment charge	-	-	12.0	-	12.0
Loss (gain) on equity securities	(0.1)	0.2	-	-	0.1
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 205.6	\$ 208.4	\$ 174.4	\$ 160.8	\$ 749.2
Sales	1,606.9	1,632.3	1,504.9	1,380.8	6,124.9
as a % of net sales	12.8%	12.8%	11.6%	11.6%	12.2%

*Please refer to definition of Non-GAAP measures.

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Net Debt and Net Leverage Ratio (\$ in millions)

	December 31, 2024
Current portion of long term debt	\$ 47.9
Long-term debt, net	2,576.9
Total debt, net	2,624.8
Less: Cash and cash equivalents	552.9
Net debt at end of period	2,071.9
Adjusted LTM EBITDA	\$ 749.2
Net Leverage Ratio	2.8x

Net Debt and Net Leverage Ratio (\$ in millions)

	September 30, 2025
Current portion of long term debt	\$ 22.3
Long-term debt, net	2,594.0
Total debt, net	2,616.3
Less: Cash and cash equivalents	714.1
Net debt at end of period	1,902.2
Adjusted LTM EBITDA	\$ 735.0
Net Leverage Ratio	2.6x

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Definition of Non-GAAP Measures



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EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA

We define EBITDA to be earnings before interest expense, income taxes, depreciation and amortization. Adjusted EBITDA is defined as EBITDA excluding the impact of restructuring and acquisition-related costs, debt refinancing and redemption costs, gains or losses on the derivative associated with our business combination with Dowlais, gains or losses on equity securities, pension curtailment and settlement charges, impairment charges and non-recurring items. We believe that EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are meaningful measures of performance as they are commonly utilized by management and investors to analyze operating performance and entity valuation. Our management, the investment community and banking institutions routinely use EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA, together with other measures, to measure our operating performance relative to other Tier 1 automotive suppliers. We also use Segment Adjusted EBITDA as the measure of earnings to assess the performance of each segment and determine the resources to be allocated to the segments. EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are also key metrics used in our calculation of incentive compensation. EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA should not be construed as income from operations, net income or cash flow from operating activities as determined under GAAP. Other companies may calculate EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA differently.

Adjusted Earnings Per Share

We define Adjusted earnings per share to be diluted earnings per share excluding the impact of restructuring and acquisition-related costs, debt refinancing and redemption costs, gains or losses on the derivative associated with our business combination with Dowlais, gains or losses on equity securities, pension curtailment and settlement charges, impairment charges and non-recurring items, including the tax effect thereon. We believe Adjusted earnings per share is a meaningful measure as it is commonly utilized by management and investors in assessing ongoing financial performance that provides improved comparability between periods through the exclusion of certain items that management believes are not indicative of core operating performance and which may obscure underlying business results and trends. Other companies may calculate Adjusted earnings per share differently.

Free Cash Flow and Adjusted Free Cash Flow

We define free cash flow to be net cash provided by operating activities less capital expenditures net of proceeds from the sale of property, plant and equipment and from government grants. Adjusted free cash flow is defined as free cash flow excluding the impact of cash payments for restructuring and acquisition-related costs. We believe free cash flow and Adjusted free cash flow are meaningful measures as they are commonly utilized by management and investors to assess our ability to generate cash flow from business operations to repay debt and return capital to our stockholders. Free cash flow and Adjusted free cash flow are also key metrics used in our calculation of incentive compensation. Other companies may calculate free cash flow and Adjusted free cash flow differently.

Net Debt and Net Leverage Ratio

We define net debt to be total debt, net less cash and cash equivalents. We define Net Leverage Ratio to be net debt divided by the trailing 12 months of Adjusted EBITDA. We believe that Net Leverage Ratio is a meaningful measure of financial condition as it is commonly used by management, investors and creditors to assess capital structure risk. Other companies may calculate Net Leverage Ratio differently.

Liquidity

We define Liquidity as cash on hand plus amounts available on our revolving credit facility and non-U.S. credit facilities.



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