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### **Strategic Direction**



Enhance operations, drive organic growth, generate cash



#### Q2 2018 Financial Results

- Sales of \$517.6 million, up 1.7% over prior-year period
  - Positive foreign exchange translation drove higher sales year-over-year
  - FY18 Q1 to Q2 sales improvement in all three business segments
- GAAP EPS¹ of \$0.80 per diluted share
- Book-to-bill of 1.26x
- Year-to-date free cash flow of \$62.0 million\*

<sup>\*</sup> This is a non-GAAP financial measure. See Page 1 and the Appendix of this presentation for more information regarding non-GAAP financial measures.



# Q2 2018 Year-over-Year (YOY) Summary

Dollars in millions, except EPS	Q2 2018	Q2 2017	Change
Sales	\$ 518	\$ 509	\$ 9
Gross Margin	\$ 164	\$ 177	\$ (13)
- % of sales	31.6%	34.8%	(3.2)%
Operating Earnings from Continuing Operations	\$ 34	\$ 55	\$ (21)
- % of sales	6.6%	10.9%	(4.3)%
Earnings from Continuing Operations	\$ 24	\$ 34	\$ (10)
<b>Earnings Per Diluted Share</b> from Continuing Operations	\$ 0.80	\$ 1.15	\$ (0.35)



# Q2 2018 Sales Change (YOY)

Dollars in millions Items	Sales
Q2 2017	\$ 509
Foreign currency translation	19
FX forward contract	8
Sales volume	<u>(18</u> )
Q2 2018	<u>\$ 518</u>



# Q2 2018 Segment Sales Change (YOY)

	Total Change	Organic ¹	FX
<b>Avionics &amp; Controls</b>	(0.2)%	(3.8)%	3.6%
Sensors & Systems	8.4%	(0.6)%	9.0%
Advanced Materials	(5.7)%	(8.2)%	2.5%
Total	1.7%	(3.6)%	5.3%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Organic sales change represents the total reported increase (decrease) within the company's continuing operations less the impact of all foreign currency translation and hedging activities.



# Q2 2018 Gross Margin Change (YOY)

Dollars in millions Items	Gross Margin
Q2 2017	\$ 177
Foreign currency translation	1
FX forward contract	8
Sales volume / mix	(14)
Higher manufacturing costs	(7)
• Other	<u>(1</u> )
Q2 2018	<u>\$ 164</u>



#### YTD Q2 2018 Free Cash Flow\* Reconciliation

Dollars in millions; GAAP results	YTD Q2 2018	YTD Q2 2017
Net Earnings (Loss)	\$ (11)	\$ 51
Depreciation and amortization (Depreciation of \$29M and \$28M in FY18 and FY17, respectively)	54	51
Change in working capital (A/R, Inventory, A/P)	7	(4)
Long-term U.S. income taxes payable	39	_
• Other	1	(7)
Cash flow from operations	\$ 90	\$ 91
Purchase of capital assets (capital expenditures)	(28)	<u>(29)</u>
Free cash flow *	<u>\$ 62</u>	<u>\$ 62</u>
Dollars in millions; Supplemental Information	YTD Q2 2018	YTD Q2 2017
Purchase of capital assets	\$ (28)	\$ (29)
Proceeds from sale of capital assets	1	_
Proceeds from sale of business	48	1
Cash Flows Provided (Used) by Investing Activities	<u>\$ 21</u>	\$ (28)

<sup>\*</sup> This is a non-GAAP financial measure. See Page 1 and the Appendix of this presentation for more information regarding non-GAAP financial measures.



### Q2 2018 EBITDA \*

Dollars in millions **	Q2 2018	Q2 2017
Net Earnings (Loss) Attributable to Esterline	\$ 24	\$ 34
<ul> <li>Loss from discontinued operations **</li> </ul>	0	0
Earnings attributable to noncontrolling interests **	0	1
Income tax expense	2	13
Interest income **	0	0
Interest expense	8	7
Depreciation & amortization <sup>1</sup>	27	<u>25</u>
EBITDA from Continuing Operations *	<u>\$ 61</u>	<u>\$ 80</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excludes debt issuance costs, which are included in interest expense, of \$0.4 million in Q2 2018 and \$0.3 million in Q2 2017.

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<sup>\*\*</sup> Amounts are rounded to the nearest millions. Zero indicates an amount less than \$1 million.



### YTD Q2 2018 EBITDA \*

Dollars in millions **	YTD Q2 2018	YTD Q2 2017
Net Earnings (Loss) Attributable to Esterline	\$ (11)	\$ 50
<ul> <li>Loss from discontinued operations **</li> </ul>	0	5
Earnings attributable to noncontrolling interests	1	1
Income tax expense	56	13
Interest income **	(1)	0
Interest expense	16	15
Depreciation & amortization <sup>1</sup>	53	51
EBITDA from Continuing Operations *	<u>\$ 114</u>	<u>\$ 135</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excludes debt issuance costs of \$0.7 million, which are included in interest expense.

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#### 2018 Guidance

	Current Guidance
Sales	\$2.00B - \$2.05B
EPS (diluted, continuing ops, excluding one-time tax expenses of \$48.6M, or \$1.62 per share)	\$3.65 - \$3.85
EBITDA *	\$270M - \$290M
Free Cash Flow *	\$115M - \$140M

#### **Guidance Updated**

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### 2018 Guidance Assumptions

- Interest expense ~\$30 million
- Second-half tax rate ~25% 27%
- Average diluted shares outstanding ~30 million
- Depreciation / Amortization expense ~\$105 \$110 million
- Cap Ex ~\$70 million
- Total SG&A expected to be approximately 19% of sales



# **Share Repurchase Update**

	# Shares In thousands	\$ Value In millions	\$ Authorization Remaining
• FY 2014	269	\$ 30.3	
• FY 2015	2,562	259.5	
• FY 2016	305	18.7	
• FY 2017	-	-	
• Q1 2018	287	20.4	
• Q2 2018	314	23.0	
Total since inception <sup>1</sup>	3,737	\$ 351.9	\$ 48

<sup>1 \$400</sup> million total authorization for share repurchase



# **Appendix**



### Q2 2017 Adjusted Gross Margin\* and EBIT \*

**Avionics** 

Sensors

26,357

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GAAP Sales	\$	213,293	\$	182,727	\$ 113,111	\$	509,131	
GAAP Gross Margin	\$	70,796	\$	68,291	\$ 38,119	\$	177,206	
Advanced Displays Integration Costs		29		-	-		29	
Adjusted Gross Margin	\$	70,825	\$	68,291	\$ 38,119	\$	177,235	
	4	<u>Avionics</u>	<u> </u>	<u>Sensors</u>	<u>AM</u>	<u>C</u>	orporate	<u>ESL</u>
GAAP EBIT	\$	20,772	\$	26,357	\$ 28,322	\$	(20,021) \$	55,430
Advanced Displays Integration Costs		336		-	-		-	336
Compliance Costs**		-		-	-		1,468	1,468

Adjusted Gross Margin as a % of Sales	33.2%	37.4%	33.7%	-	34.8%
Adjusted EBIT as a % of Sales	9.9%	14.4%	25.0%	-	11.2%

21,108

28,322

(18,553) \$

In thousands

Adjusted EBIT

57,234

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**ESL** 

(33,546) \$

### YTD 2017 Adjusted Gross Margin\* and EBIT \*

Sensors

44,500

**Avionics** 

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GAAP Sales	\$	405,975	\$	350,483	\$	211,089	\$	967,547	
GAAP Gross Margin	\$	131,284	\$	126,262	\$	62,572	\$	320,118	
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Advanced Displays Integration Costs		330		-		-		330	
Adjusted Gross Margin	\$	131,614	\$	126,262	\$	62,572	\$	320,448	
	4	<u>Avionics</u>	9	Sensors .		<u>AM</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>orporate</u>	<u>ESL</u>
GAAP EBIT	\$	38,689	\$	44,500	\$	38,202	\$	(37,265) \$	84,126
Advanced Displays Integration Costs		973		-		-		-	973
Compliance Costs **		-		-		-		3,719	3,719

Adjusted Gross Margin as a % of Sales	32.4%	36.0%	29.6%	-	33.1%
Adjusted EBIT as a % of Sales	9.8%	12.7%	18.1%	-	9.2%

39,662 \$

38,202

In thousands

Adjusted EBIT

88,818

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