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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

Form 10-Q

(Mark One)

x QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2010

OR

o TRANSITION REPORT UNDER SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1934

FOR THE TRANSITION PERIOD FROM TO

Commission file number 001-14775

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DYNAMIC MATERIALS CORPORATION

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware

(State of Incorporation or Organization)

84-0608431 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

5405 Spine Road, Boulder, Colorado 80301

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(303) 665-5700

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant: (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes x No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes o No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of large accelerated filer, accelerated filer and smaller reporting company in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer o

Non-accelerated filer o (Do not check if smaller reporting company) Accelerated filer x

Smaller reporting company o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 under the Act). Yes o No x

The number of shares of Common Stock outstanding was 13,202,177 as of October 28, 2010.

CAUTIONARY NOTE ABOUT FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This quarterly report on Form 10-Q contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. In particular, we direct your attention to Part I, Item 1- Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements; Item 2 - Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations; Item 3 - Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk; and Part II, Item 1A Risk Factors. We intend the forward-looking statements throughout this guarterly report on Form 10-O and the information incorporated by reference herein to be covered by the safe harbor provisions for forward-looking statements. Statements contained in this report which are not historical facts are forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from projected results. All projections, guidance and other statements regarding our expected financial position and operating results, our business strategy and the outcome of any contingencies are forward-looking statements. These statements can sometimes be identified by our use of forward-looking words such as may, believe, plan, anticipate, estimate intend, and other phrases of similar meaning. The forward-looking information is based on information available as of the date of this expect, quarterly report and on numerous assumptions and developments that are not within our control. Although we believe that our expectations as expressed in these forward-looking statements are reasonable, we cannot assure you that our expectations will turn out to be correct. Factors that could cause actual results to differ materially include, but are not limited to, the following: changes in global economic conditions; the ability to obtain new contracts at attractive prices; the size and timing of customer orders and shipment; our ability to realize sales from our backlog; fluctuations in customer demand; fluctuations in foreign currencies; competitive factors; the timely completion of contracts; the timing and size of expenditures; the timely receipt of government approvals and permits; the price and availability of metal and other raw material; the adequacy of local labor supplies at our facilities; current or future limits on manufacturing capacity at our various operations; our ability to successfully integrate acquired businesses; the availability and cost of funds; and general economic conditions, both domestic and foreign, impacting our business and the business of the end-market users we serve. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which reflect management s analysis only as of the date hereof. We undertake no obligation to publicly release the results of any revision to these forward-looking statements that may be made to reflect events or circumstances after the date hereof or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events.

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Part I - FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ITEM 1. Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements

DYNAMIC MATERIALS CORPORATION & SUBSIDIARIES

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(Dollars in Thousands)

		September 30, 2010 (unaudited)		December 31, 2009
<u>ASSETS</u>				
CURRENT ASSETS:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	11,097	\$	22,411
Accounts receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of \$444 and \$390, respectively		27,390		25,807
Inventories		36,797		32,501
Prepaid expenses and other		3,465		2,397
Related party receivables and loans				2,806
Current deferred tax assets		885		2,052
Total current assets		79,634		87,974
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT		66,826		64,944
Less - accumulated depreciation		(26,356)		(22,892)
		10.170		10.050
Property, plant and equipment, net		40,470		42,052
		40 414		42.164
GOODWILL, net		40,414		43,164
DIDCHASED INTANCIDI E ASSETS not		50.962		49,079
PURCHASED INTANGIBLE ASSETS, net		50,902		49,079
DEFERRED TAX ASSETS		940		332
DEFERRED TAX ASSETS		940		552
OTHER ASSETS, net		1.046		1,443
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INVESTMENT IN JOINT VENTURES				1,132
				1,152
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	213.466	\$	225,176
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(Dollars in Thousands, Except Share Data)

	September 30, 2010 (unaudited)	December 31, 2009
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS EQUITY		
CURRENT LIABILITIES:		
Accounts payable	\$ 11,386	\$ 9,183
Accrued expenses	3,613	4,808
Dividend payable	528	515
Accrued income taxes	847	1,485
Accrued employee compensation and benefits	3,185	4,048
Customer advances	5,128	6,528
Lines of credit	6,735	1,777
Current maturities on long-term debt	7,567	13,485
Current portion of capital lease obligations	301	306
Current deferred tax liabilities	23	
Total current liabilities	39,313	42,135
LONG-TERM DEBT	23,541	34,120
	25,511	51,120
CAPITAL LEASE OBLIGATIONS	214	436
DEFERRED TAX LIABILITIES	13,469	15,217
OTHER LONG-TERM LIABILITIES	1,140	1,157
Total liabilities	77,677	93,065
COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES		
STOCKHOLDERS EQUITY:		
Preferred stock, \$0.05 par value; 4,000,000 shares authorized; no issued and outstanding shares		
Common stock, \$0.05 par value; 25,000,000 shares authorized; 13,202,177 and 12,870,363		
shares issued and outstanding, respectively	660	643
Additional paid-in capital	51,332	46,080
Retained earnings	87,424	85,048
Other cumulative comprehensive income (loss)	(3,627)	340
Total stockholders equity	135,789	132,111
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS EQUITY	\$ 213,466	\$ 225,176

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

FOR THE THREE AND NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

(Dollars in Thousands, Except Share Data)

(unaudited)

	Three months ended September 30,					Nine mon Septem		
NET SALES	\$	2010 41,298	\$	2009 34,690	\$	2010 109,913	\$	2009 122,268
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COST OF PRODUCTS SOLD		30,445		25,936		82,819		89,032
Gross profit		10,853		8,754		27,094		33,236
COSTS AND EXPENSES:								
General and administrative expenses		3,487		2,749		9,990		9,318
Selling expenses		3,047		2,212		7,918		6,376
Amortization of purchased intangible assets		1,376		1,293		3,913		3,709
Total costs and expenses		7,910		6,254		21,821		19,403
INCOME FROM OPERATIONS		2,943		2,500		5,273		13,833
OTHER INCOME (EXPENSE):								
Gain on step acquisition of joint ventures						2,117		
Other income (expense), net		(416)		(633)		(402)		(560)
Interest expense		(667)		(752)		(2,473)		(2,521)
Interest income		6		41		71		145
Equity in earnings of joint ventures				91		255		170
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES		1,866		1,247		4,841		11,067
INCOME TAX PROVISION		540		151		891		3,540
NET INCOME	\$	1,326	\$	1,096	\$	3,950	\$	7,527
INCOME PER SHARE:								
Basic	\$	0.10	\$	0.09	\$	0.30	\$	0.59
Diluted	\$	0.10	\$	0.08	\$	0.30	\$	0.58
WEIGHTED AVERAGE NUMBER OF SHARES OUTSTANDING:								
Basic		12,939,274		12,632,406		12,807,826		12,597,023
Diluted		12,951,397		12,645,500		12,820,508		12,621,970
DIVIDENDS DECLARED PER COMMON SHARE	\$	0.04	\$	0.04	\$	0.12	\$	0.08

The accompanying notes are in integral part of these Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF STOCKHOLDERS EQUITY

FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2010

(Amounts in Thousands)

(unaudited)

	Commo	 	A	Additional Paid-In		Retained	С	Other Cumulative omprehensive	T ()	Comprehensive Loss
D-1	Shares	ount	¢	Capital	¢	Earnings		ncome/(loss)	Total	for the Period
Balances, December 31, 2009	12,870	\$ 643	\$	46,080	\$	85,048	\$	340 \$	132,111	
Shares issued for AECO acquisition	222	11		3,290					3,301	
Shares issued in connection with										
stock compensation plans	110	6		64					70	
Tax impact of stock-based										
compensation				(639)					(639)	
Stock-based compensation				2,537					2,537	
Dividends						(1,574)			(1,574)	
Net income						3,950			3,950	3,950
Derivative valuation, net of tax of										
\$248								365	365	365
Change in cumulative foreign										
currency translation adjustment								(4,332)	(4,332)	(4,332)
Balances, September 30, 2010	13,202	\$ 660	\$	51,332	\$	87,424	\$	(3,627) \$	135,789	\$ (17)

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

(Dollars in Thousands)

(unaudited)

	2010	2009
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:		
Net income	\$ 3,950	\$ 7,527
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation (including capital lease amortization)	3,908	3,701
Amortization of purchased intangible assets	3,913	3,709
Amortization of capitalized debt issuance costs	489	215
Stock-based compensation	2,537	2,657
Deferred income tax benefit	(953)	(1,875)
Equity in earnings of joint ventures	(255)	(170)
Gain on step acquisition of joint ventures	(2,117)	
Change in (excluding assets acquired):		
Accounts receivable, net	2,465	13,632
Inventories	1,198	3,334
Prepaid expenses and other	321	496
Accounts payable	(2,075)	(5,980)
Customer advances	(1,327)	246
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	(1,800)	(4,078)
Net cash provided by operating activities	10,254	23,414
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:	(2.(20))	
Acquisition of Austin Explosives Company	(3,620)	
Step acquisition of joint ventures, net of cash acquired	(2,065)	(2.22)
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment	(2,309)	(3,238)
Change in other non-current assets	(59)	42
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Net cash used in investing activities	(8,053)	(3,196)

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 AND 2009

(Dollars in Thousands)

(unaudited)

2010	2009
(15,374)	(3,912)
(593)	(653)
4,682	
(215)	(132)
(1,561)	(513)
	(58)
70	373
(639)	90
(13,630)	(4,805)
115	258
(11,314)	15,671
22,411	14,360
11,097	\$ 30,031
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

DYNAMIC MATERIALS CORPORATION & SUBSIDIARIES

NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(Currency Amounts in Thousands, Except Share and Per Share Data)

(unaudited)

1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The information included in the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements is unaudited but includes all normal and recurring adjustments which, in the opinion of management, are necessary for a fair presentation of the interim periods presented. These Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements should be read in conjunction with the financial statements that are included in the Company s Annual Report filed on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2009.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Principles of Consolidation

The Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements include the accounts of the Company and its controlled subsidiaries. Only subsidiaries in which controlling interests are maintained are consolidated. The equity method is used to account for our ownership in subsidiaries where we do not have a controlling interest. All significant intercompany accounts, profits, and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

Foreign Operations and Foreign Exchange Rate Risk

The functional currency for the Company s foreign operations is the applicable local currency for each affiliate company. Assets and liabilities of foreign subsidiaries for which the functional currency is the local currency are translated at exchange rates in effect at period-end, and the statements of operations are translated at the average exchange rates during the period. Exchange rate fluctuations on translating foreign currency financial statements into U.S. Dollars that result in unrealized gains or losses are referred to as translation adjustments. Cumulative translation adjustments are recorded as a separate component of stockholders equity and are included in other cumulative comprehensive income (loss). Transactions denominated in currencies other than the local currency are recorded based on exchange rates at the time such transactions arise. Subsequent changes in exchange rates result in transaction gains and losses which are reflected in income as unrealized (based on

period-end translations) or realized upon settlement of the transactions. Cash flows from the Company s operations in foreign countries are translated at actual exchange rates when known or at the average rate for the period. As a result, amounts related to assets and liabilities reported in the consolidated statements of cash flows will not agree to changes in the corresponding balances in the consolidated balance sheets. The effects of exchange rate changes on cash balances held in foreign currencies are reported as a separate line item below cash flows from financing activities.

In September 2010, the Company s German subsidiary, DYNAenergetics, entered into a currency swap agreement with its bank to hedge the currency risk associated with a large U.S. Dollar order (\$2,700) that was recently awarded to the Company. Under the agreement, DYNAenergetics will exchange \$2,700 for Euros at an exchange rate of 1.269 U.S. Dollars per Euro between January 18, 2011 and February 15, 2011 (the date range of expected payment settlement on this order). The Company has not designated this derivative as an effective cash

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flow hedge and as such, gains and losses related to changes in its valuation will be recorded in the statement of operations. During the three months and nine months ended September 30, 2010, the Company recorded a gain on this currency swap agreement of \$185 based on the U.S. Dollar to Euro exchange rate as of September 30, 2010. The gain is classified in other income in the Company s statement of operations.

Revenue Recognition

Sales of clad metal products and welding services are generally based upon customer specifications set forth in customer purchase orders and require us to provide certifications relative to metals used, services performed, and the results of any non-destructive testing that the customer has requested be performed. All issues of conformity of the product to specifications are resolved before the product is shipped and billed. Products related to the oilfield products segment, which include detonating cords, detonators, bi-directional boosters, and shaped charges, as well as seismic related explosives and accessories, are standard in nature. In all cases, revenue is recognized only when all four of the following criteria have been satisfied: persuasive evidence of an arrangement exists; the price is fixed or determinable; delivery has occurred; and collection is reasonably assured. For contracts that require multiple shipments, revenue is recorded only for the units included in each individual shipment. If, as a contract proceeds toward completion, projected total cost on an individual contract indicates a probable loss, the Company will account for such anticipated loss.

Fair Value of Financial Instruments

The carrying values of cash and cash equivalents, trade accounts receivable and payable, and accrued expenses are considered to approximate fair value due to the short-term nature of these instruments. Based upon the 150 basis point increase in our LIBOR/EURIBOR basis borrowing spread negotiated in the October 21, 2009 amendment to our syndicated credit agreement, we believe the fair value of our long-term debt approximates its carrying value at September 30, 2010. The majority of the Company s debt was incurred in connection with the acquisition of DYNAenergetics.

Additionally, the Company has an interest rate swap agreement (see Note 9) and a foreign currency hedge agreement (see disclosure above in Note 2), which are recorded at fair value. Fair value is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The Company is required to use an established hierarchy for fair value measurements based upon the inputs to the valuation and the degree to which they are observable or not observable in the market. The three levels in the hierarchy are as follows:

• Level 1 Inputs to the valuation based upon quoted prices (unadjusted) for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that are accessible as of the measurement date.

• Level 2 Inputs to the valuation include quoted prices in either markets that are not active, or in active markets for similar assets or liabilities, inputs other than quoted prices that are observable, and inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data.

• Level 3 Inputs to the valuation that are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

The highest priority is assigned to Level 1 inputs and the lowest priority to Level 3 inputs.

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The Company s interest rate swap and foreign currency hedge agreements are not exchange listed and are therefore valued with models that use Level 2 inputs. The degree to which the Company s credit worthiness impacts the value requires management judgment but as of September 30, 2010 and December 31, 2009, the impact of this assessment on the overall value of the outstanding interest rate swap was not significant and the Company s valuation of the agreement is classified within Level 2 of the hierarchy.

The Company has recorded the fair value of its derivatives as follows:

	September 3	30, 2010			December	31, 2009	
	Balance sheet location		Fair value		Balance sheet location		Fair value
Interest rate swap	Accrued expenses	\$		164	Accrued expenses	\$	820
Foreign currency hedge	Prepaid expenses and other	\$		185	Prepaid expenses and other	\$	

Related Party Transactions

Prior to acquiring the remaining outstanding interests in its unconsolidated joint ventures on April 30, 2010 (See Note 3), the Company had related party transactions with these joint ventures. Additionally the Company had related party transactions with the former owners of LRI Oil Tools Inc. (LRI). The Company also had transactions in the period from January 1 through September 30, 2009 with LRI who, at the time, was the non-controlling interest partner in one of the Company s consolidated joint ventures. A summary of related party balances as of December 31, 2009 is summarized below:

	 nts receivable and loan to
DYNAenergetics RUS	\$ 2,265
Perfoline	466
Former owners of LRI	75
Total	\$ 2,806

A summary of related party transactions for the three months ended September 30, 2009 and the nine months ended September 30, 2010 and 2009 is summarized below:

Three Months Ended September 30, 2009							
	Sales to		Interest income from				
\$	366	\$					
	3		12				
	301						
\$	670	\$	12				
		September 3 Sales to \$ 366 3 301	September 30, 2 Sales to \$ 366 \$ 3 301				

		Nine Mont September		-	Nine Mont September	hs Ended 30, 2009	
	Sa	les to	terest ne from	Sales to			nterest ome from
DYNAenergetics RUS	\$	663	\$:	\$	1,100	\$	
Perfoline		19	13		59		31
Minority Interest Partner					745		
Total	\$	682	\$ 13	\$	1,904	\$	31

Earnings Per Share

Unvested awards of share-based payments with rights to receive dividends or dividend equivalents, such as the Company s restricted stock awards (RSAs), are considered participating securities for purposes of calculating earnings per share (EPS) and require the use of the two class method for calculating EPS. Under this method, a portion of net income is allocated to these participating securities and therefore is excluded from the calculation of EPS allocated to common stock, as shown in the table below.

Computation and reconciliation of earnings per common share are as follows:

			e Three Months E eptember 30, 2010			Three Months E ptember 30, 2009		
	I	ncome	Shares		EPS	Income	Shares	EPS
Basic earnings per share:								
Net income	\$	1,326				\$ 1,096		
Less income allocated to RSAs		(26)				(22)		
Net income allocated to common								
stock for EPS calculation	\$	1,300	12,939,274	\$	0.10	\$ 1,074	12,632,406	\$ 0.09
Adjust shares for Dilutives:								
5			10 102				12.004	
Stock-based compensation plans			12,123				13,094	
Diluted earnings per share:								
Net income	\$	1,326				\$ 1,096		
Less income allocated to RSAs		(26)				(22)		
Net income allocated to common								
stock for EPS calculation	\$	1,300	12,951,397	\$	0.10	\$ 1,074	12,645,500	\$ 0.08

		For the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2010					For the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2009			
	Iı	ncome	Shares		EPS		Income	Shares		EPS
Basic earnings per share:										
Net income	\$	3,950				\$	7,527			
Less income allocated to RSAs		(79)					(148)			
Net income allocated to common										
stock for EPS calculation	\$	3,871	12,807,826	\$	0.30	\$	7,379	12,597,023	\$	0.59
Adjust shares for Dilutives:										
Stock-based compensation plans			12,682					24,947		
Diluted earnings per share:										
Net income	\$	3,950				\$	7,527			
Less income allocated to RSAs		(79)					(148)			
Net income allocated to common										
stock for EPS calculation	\$	3,871	12,820,508	\$	0.30	\$	7,379	12,621,970	\$	0.58

3. ACQUISITIONS

Austin Explosives

On June 4, 2010, the Company completed its acquisition of Texas-based, Austin Explosives Company (AECO), which is now operating under the name DYNAenergetics US, Inc. This business is now part of the Company s Oilfield Products business segment. AECO had been a long-time distributor of DYNAenergetics shaped charges. This acquisition, along with the acquisition of the outstanding interests in our Russian joint ventures (discussed below), further expands the Company s Oilfield Products business, and positions the segment to capitalize on the long-term demand from the oil and gas industry. From June 5, 2010 through September 30, 2010,

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DYNAenergetics US, Inc. contributed incremental net sales of \$2,187 and an incremental net loss of \$10 after the elimination of intercompany sales and the related gross profit. On a standalone basis, DYNAenergetics U.S., Inc. reported sales of \$6,097 and net income of \$290 for the same period.

The acquisition was structured as an asset purchase valued at \$6,921 which was financed by (i) the payment of \$3,620 in cash and (ii) the issuance of 222,445 shares of common stock of the Company (valued at \$3,301).

The purchase price of the acquisition was allocated to the Company s tangible and identifiable intangible assets based on their fair values as determined by appraisals performed as of the acquisition date. The allocation of the purchase price to the assets of AECO was as follows:

Current assets	\$ 5,792
Property, plant and equipment	368
Intangible assets	4,773
Deferred tax assets	7
Other assets	81
Total assets acquired	11,021
Current liabilities	4,100
Total liabilities assumed	4,100
Net assets acquired	\$ 6,921

The Company acquired identifiable finite-lived intangible assets as a result of the acquisition of AECO. The finite-lived intangible assets acquired were classified as customer relationships and were valued at \$4,773 which will be amortized over 11 years. These amounts are included in Intangible Assets and are further discussed in Note 7.

Russian Joint Ventures

On April 30, 2010 the Company purchased the outstanding minority-owned interests in its two Russian joint ventures that were previously majority-owned by the Company s Oilfield Products business segment. These joint ventures include DYNAenergetics RUS, which is a Russian trading company that sells the Company s oilfield products, and Perfoline, which is a Russian manufacturer of perforating gun systems. The Company paid a combined \$2,065 for the respective 45% and 34.81% outstanding stakes in DYNAenergetics RUS and Perfoline. From April 30, 2010 through September 30, 2010, DYNAenergetics RUS and Perfoline contributed incremental net sales of \$2,548 and incremental net income of \$213 after the elimination of intercompany sales and the related gross profit. As standalone companies, these two entities reported sales of \$3,165 and net income of \$311 for the same period.

Prior to the acquisition date, the Company accounted for its 55% and 65.19% interest in DYNAenergetics RUS and Perfoline, respectively, as equity-method investments (See Note 4). The acquisition date fair value of the previous equity interest was \$3,533. The Company recognized a gain of \$2,117 as a result of revaluing its prior equity interest held before the acquisition. The gain is included in the line item gain on step

acquisition of joint ventures in the consolidated statement of operations.

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Appraisals performed as of the acquisition date resulted in a new fair value of the combined entities of \$5,598 which was allocated to the Company s tangible and identifiable intangible assets as follows:

Current assets	\$ 5,243
Property, plant and equipment	411
Intangible assets	3,669
Deferred tax assets	12
Other assets	56
Total assets acquired	9,391
-	
Line of credit	36
Other current liabilities	2,547
Deferred tax liabilities	813
Other long term liabilities	397
Total liabilities assumed	3,793
Fair value of net assets following step	
acquisition	\$ 5,598

The Company acquired identifiable finite-lived intangible assets as a result of acquiring the remaining interests of DYNAenergetics RUS and Perfoline. The finite-lived intangible assets acquired were classified as customer relationships and were valued at \$3,669 which will be amortized over 11 years. These amounts are included in Intangible Assets and are further discussed in Note 7.

LRI Oil Tools Inc.

On October 1, 2009, the Company completed its acquisition of LRI Oil Tools Inc. (LRI), which is part of the Oilfield Products business. LRI produces and distributes perforating equipment for use by the oil and gas exploration and production industry. The business had a long-term strategic relationship with the Company s Oilfield Products segment and had served for several years as its sole Canadian distributor. From January 1, 2010 through September 30, 2010, LRI contributed incremental net sales of \$7,399 and incremental net income of \$525 after the elimination of intercompany sales and related gross profit. On a standalone basis, LRI reported sales of \$10,808 and net income of \$666 for the same period.

The acquisition was valued at \$5,946 and was financed by (i) the payment of \$284 in cash, net of cash acquired of \$15, (ii) the issuance of 4,875 shares of common stock of the Company (valued at \$94), and (iii) the assumption of \$5,553 (5,982 Canadian Dollars (CAD)) of LRI s debt. The assumed debt consisted of \$2,676 (2,883 CAD) for a line of credit, \$2,445 (2,634 CAD) for loans with the former owners of LRI and \$432 (465 CAD) for capital lease obligations.

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The purchase price of the acquisition was allocated to the Company s tangible and identifiable intangible assets based on their fair values as determined by appraisals performed as of the acquisition date. The allocation of the purchase price to the assets and liabilities of LRI was as follows:

Current assets	\$ 5,430
Property, plant and equipment	2,191
Intangible assets	1,117
Deferred tax assets	298
Other assets	1
Total assets acquired	9,037
Line of credit	2,676
Other current liabilities	2,448
Long term debt	2,877
Deferred tax liabilities	643
Total liabilities assumed	8,644
Net assets acquired	\$ 393

The Company acquired identifiable finite-lived intangible assets as a result of the acquisition of LRI. The finite-lived intangible assets acquired are classified and valued as follows:

	Value	Amortization Period
Core technology	\$ 347	15 years
Customer relationships	770	15 years
Total intangible assets	\$ 1,117	

These amounts are included in Intangible Assets and are further discussed in Note 7.

Pro Forma Statement of Operations

The following table presents the pro-forma combined results of operations for the three months ended September 30, 2009 and the nine months ended September 30, 2010 and September 30, 2009, respectively, assuming (i) the acquisitions of LRI, AECO and the Russian joint ventures had occurred on January 1, 2010 and January 1, 2009; (ii) pro-forma amortization expense of the purchased intangible assets; (iii) pro-forma depreciation expense of the fair value of purchased property, plant and equipment; (iv) reduction of interest expense assuming the Company paid down LRI s debt by 2,200 CAD (1,200 CAD for the loans to former owners of LRI and 1,000 CAD for the line of credit) immediately following the acquisition (net of a related pro forma reduction in interest income); (v) elimination of intercompany sales; and (vi) increase in interest expense for borrowing 1,500 Euros to fund the acquisition of the Russian joint ventures:

	Three Months Ended September 30,			Nine Mo Septe	d	
		2009		2010		2009
Net sales	\$	38,781	\$	117,202	\$	134,613
Income from operations	\$	2,027	\$	5,620	\$	12,646
Net income	\$	527	\$	3,852	\$	6,127
Net income per share:						
Basic	\$	0.04	\$	0.29	\$	0.47
Diluted	\$	0.04	\$	0.29	\$	0.47

Since all acquisitions were completed prior to June 30, 2010, a pro forma statement of operations was not necessary for the three months ended September 20, 2010. The pro-forma results above are not necessarily indicative of the operating results that would have actually occurred if the acquisitions had been in effect on the dates indicated, nor are they necessarily indicative of future results of the combined companies.

4. INVESTMENT IN JOINT VENTURES

As discussed in Note 2, on April 30, 2010, the Company acquired the remaining minority-owned interests in two joint ventures that were previously majority-owned by the Company s Oilfield Product s business segment. Prior to the April 30, 2010 step acquisition, these investments, which include DYNAenergetics RUS and Perfoline, were accounted for under the equity method due to certain non-controlling interest veto rights that allowed the non-controlling interest shareholders to participate in ordinary course of business decisions. Operating results from January 1, 2010 through April 30, 2010 include the Company s proportionate share of income from these unconsolidated joint ventures. Investments in these joint ventures totaled \$1,132 as of December 31, 2009. As a result of the step acquisition, the Company now consolidates the financial statements of these entities.

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Summarized unaudited financial information for the joint ventures accounted for under the equity method as of December 31, 2009 and for the three months ended September 30, 2009 and the nine months ended September 30, 2010 and 2009 is as follows:

	mber 31, 2009
Current assets	\$ 5,350
Noncurrent assets	655
Total assets	\$ 6,005
Current liabilities	\$ 2,892
Noncurrent liabilities	555
Equity	2,558
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 6,005

	Three Months Ended September 30,			Nine Months Ended September 30,			
	2009		2010 (a)		2009		
Net sales	\$ 1,645	\$	2,575	\$		4,427	
Gross Profit	\$ 455	\$	656	\$		1,271	
Operating income	\$ 233	\$	302	\$		596	
Net income	\$ 168	\$	468	\$		310	
Equity in earnings of joint ventures	\$ 91	\$	255	\$		170	

(a) Through April 30, 2010

5. INVENTORY

The components of inventory are as follows at September 30, 2010 and December 31, 2009:

	September 30, 2010	December 31, 2009
Raw materials	\$ 10,262	\$ 10,321
Work-in-process	14,641	15,963
Finished goods	11,164	5,526
Supplies	730	691
	\$ 36,797	\$ 32,501

6. GOODWILL

The changes to the carrying amount of goodwill during the period are summarized below:

	Me	Explosive Metalworking G Group P			Total
Goodwill balance at December 31, 2009	\$	24,577	\$	18,587	\$ 43,164
Adjustment due to recognition of tax benefit of tax					
amortization of certain goodwill		(256)		(327)	(583)
Adjustment due to exchange rate differences		(1,194)		(973)	(2,167)
Goodwill balance at September 30, 2010	\$	23,127	\$	17,287	\$ 40,414

7. PURCHASED INTANGIBLE ASSETS

The following table presents details of our purchased intangible assets, other than goodwill, as of September 30, 2010:

	Gross	Accumulated Amortization	Net
Core technology	\$ 23,147	\$ (3,299)	\$ 19,848
Customer relationships	39,854	(10,154)	29,700
Trademarks / Trade names	2,481	(1,067)	1,414
Total intangible assets	\$ 65,482	\$ (14,520)	\$ 50,962

The following table presents details of our purchased intangible assets, other than goodwill, as of December 31, 2009:

	Gross	Accumulated Amortization	Net
Core technology	\$ 24,347	\$ (2,555)	\$ 21,792
Customer relationships	33,161	(7,657)	25,504
Trademarks / Trade names	2,613	(830)	1,783
Total intangible assets	\$ 60,121	\$ (11,042)	\$ 49,079

The change in the gross value of our purchased intangible assets from December 31, 2009 to September 30, 2010 reflects the additional intangible assets associated with the acquisitions of AECO and the two Russian joint ventures (see Note 3) and by the impact of foreign currency translation adjustments.

8. CUSTOMER ADVANCES

On occasion, customers make advance payments prior to the shipment of their orders in order to help finance the Company s inventory investment on large orders or to keep credit limits at acceptable levels. As of September 30, 2010 and December 31, 2009, customer advances totaled \$5,128 and \$6,528 respectively.

9. DEBT

Lines of credit consisted of the following at September 30, 2010 and December 31, 2009:

	-	mber 30, 2010	Ι	December 31, 2009
HSBC line of credit	\$	81	\$	1,774
Syndicated credit agreement revolving loan		3,403		
Commerzbank line of credit		1,518		3
Nord LB line of credit		1,733		
	\$	6,735	\$	1,777

Long-term debt consists of the following at September 30, 2010 and December 31, 2009:

	Sej	otember 30, 2010	December 31, 2009
Syndicated credit agreement term loan	\$	28,997	\$ 31,005
Syndicated credit agreement Euro term loan			13,826
Nord LB 3,000 Euro term loan		817	1,505
Loans with former owners of LRI		1,294	1,269
		31,108	47,605
Less current maturities		(7,567)	(13,485)
Long-term debt	\$	23,541	\$ 34,120

In March of 2010, the Company made required prepayments of principal under the U.S. Dollar and Euro term loans in the amounts of \$2,008 and 626 Euros (\$868), respectively, from excess cash flow generated in 2009. Additionally, the Company made a March payment of 9,020 Euros (\$12,498) to retire the remaining principal balance outstanding under the Euro term loan, which was scheduled to mature on November 16, 2012.

Loan Covenants and Restrictions

The Company s existing loan agreements include various covenants and restrictions, certain of which relate to the incurrence of additional indebtedness; mortgaging, pledging or disposition of major assets; limits on capital expenditures; and maintenance of specified financial ratios. As of September 30, 2010, the Company was in compliance with all financial covenants and other provisions of its debt agreements.

On November 17, 2008, the Company entered into a two-year interest rate swap agreement with an initial notional amount of \$40,500 (decreasing to \$33,750 in November 2009) that effectively converted the LIBOR based variable rate U.S. borrowings under the syndicated credit agreement to a fixed rate of 4.87% (6.37% effective October 21, 2009 due to an amendment in the Company s syndicated credit facility and the Company s current leverage ratio). The Company had designated the swap agreement as an effective cash flow hedge with matched terms and, as a result, changes in the fair value of the swap agreement were recorded in other comprehensive income with the offset as a swap agreement asset or liability. During March 2009 and March

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2010, the Company made repayments of \$2,744 and \$2,008, respectively, on its variable rate U.S. borrowings and in both cases elected to de-designate the related portion of the cash flow hedge. These principal payments were required under the terms of the Company s syndicated credit facility since certain annually calculated cash flow measures were met. Settlements and changes in the fair value related to the de-designated portion of the cash flow hedge are recorded as realized and unrealized gains/losses on swap agreement within other income in the Company s statement of operations. The Company recorded an immaterial loss of less than \$100 during 2009 and an immaterial gain of approximately \$43 during the nine months ended September 30, 2010.

10. BUSINESS SEGMENTS

The Company is organized in the following three segments: Explosive Metalworking, Oilfield Products, and AMK Welding. The Explosive Metalworking segment uses explosives to perform metal cladding and shock synthesis of industrial diamonds. The most significant product of this group is clad metal which is used in the fabrication of pressure vessels, heat exchangers, and transition joints for various industries, including upstream oil and gas, oil refinery, petrochemicals, hydrometallurgy, aluminum production, shipbuilding, power generation, industrial refrigeration, and similar industries. The Oilfield Products segment manufactures, markets and sells oilfield perforating equipment and explosives, including detonating cords, detonators, bi-directional boosters and shaped charges, and seismic related explosives and accessories. AMK Welding utilizes a number of welding technologies to weld components for manufacturers of jet engine and ground-based turbines.

The accounting policies of all the segments are the same as those described in the summary of significant accounting policies. The Company s reportable segments are separately managed strategic business units that offer different products and services. Each segment s products are marketed to different customer types and require different manufacturing processes and technologies.

Segment information is presented for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2010 and 2009 as follows:

	N	Explosive Ietalworking Group	Oilfield Products	AMK Welding		Total	
For the three months ended September 30, 2010:							
Net sales	\$	24,925	\$ 13,208	\$	3,165	\$	41,298
Depreciation and amortization	\$	1,608	\$ 1,152	\$	120	\$	2,880
Income from operations	\$	1,225	\$ 1,691	\$	861	\$	3,777
Unallocated amounts:							
Stock-based compensation							(834)
Other expense							(416)
Interest expense							(667)
Interest income							6

Consolidated income before income taxes

	Explosive etalworking Group	Oilfield Products	AMK Welding	Total
For the three months ended September 30, 2009:	_		-	
Net sales	\$ 27,327	\$ 5,123	\$ 2,240	\$ 34,690
Depreciation and amortization	\$ 1,527	\$ 912	\$ 114	\$ 2,553
Income (loss) from operations	\$ 3,370	\$ (414)	\$ 441	\$ 3,397
Equity in earnings of joint ventures	\$	\$ 91	\$	91
Unallocated amounts:				
Stock-based compensation				(897)
Other expense				(633)
Interest expense				(752)
Interest income				41
Consolidated income before income taxes				\$ 1,247

	Explosive Metalworking Group		Oilfield Products	AMK Welding		Total
For the nine months ended September 30, 2010:						
Net sales	\$	72,921	\$ 28,868	\$	8,124	\$ 109,913
Depreciation and amortization	\$	4,340	\$ 3,131	\$	350	\$ 7,821
Income from operations	\$	4,408	\$ 1,490	\$	1,912	\$ 7,810
Equity in earnings of joint ventures	\$		\$ 255	\$		255
Unallocated amounts:						
Stock-based compensation						(2,537)
Other income						1,715
Interest expense						(2,473)
Interest income						71
Consolidated income before income taxes						\$ 4,841

\$

1,866

	Explosive etalworking Group	Oilfield Products	AMK Welding	Total
For the nine months ended September 30, 2009:				
Net sales	\$ 102,403	\$ 13,171	\$ 6,694	\$ 122,268
Depreciation and amortization	\$ 4,452	\$ 2,616	\$ 342	\$ 7,410
Income (loss) from operations	\$ 17,381	\$ (2,013)	\$ 1,122	\$ 16,490
Equity in earnings of joint ventures	\$	\$ 170	\$	170
Unallocated amounts:				
Stock-based compensation				(2,657)
Other expense				(560)
Interest expense				(2,521)
Interest income				145
Consolidated income before income taxes				\$ 11,067

During the three months ended September 30, 2010, no sales to any one customer accounted for more than 10% of total net sales. During the nine months ended September 30, 2010, sales to one customer represented \$11,882 (10.8%) of total net sales. During the three months ended September 30, 2009, sales to one customer represented approximately \$4,033 (11.6%) of total net sales. During the nine months ended September 30, 2009, no sales to any one customer accounted for more than 10% of total sales.

11. COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS)

The Company s comprehensive income (loss) for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2010 and 2009 was as follows:

	Three Mon Septem	led	Nine Month Septemb	ed			
	2010		2009		2010		2009
Net income for the period	\$ 1,326	\$	1,096	\$	3,950	\$	7,527
Interest rate swap valuation adjustment, net of							
tax	123		104		365		301
Foreign currency translation adjustment	11,240		3,942		(4,332)		3,747
Comprehensive income (loss)	\$ 12,689	\$	5,142	\$	(17)	\$	11,575

Other cumulative comprehensive income (loss) as of September 30, 2010 and December 31, 2009 consisted of the following:

	Se	eptember 30, 2010	December 31, 2009
Currency translation adjustment	\$	(3,538)	\$ 794
Interest rate swap valuation adjustment, net of tax of \$51 and			
\$299, respectively		(89)	(454)
	\$	(3,627)	\$ 340

ITEM 2. Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

The following discussion should be read in conjunction with our historical consolidated financial statements and notes, as well as the selected historical consolidated financial data that are included in the Company s Annual Report filed on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2009.

Unless stated otherwise, all currency amounts in this discussion are presented in thousands (000 s).

Executive Overview

Our business is organized into three segments: Explosive Metalworking, Oilfield Products, and AMK Welding. For the nine months ended September 30, 2010, Explosive Metalworking accounted for 66% of our net sales and 56% of our income from operations before consideration of stock-based compensation expense, which is not allocated to our business segments. Our Oilfield Products and AMK Welding segments accounted for 26% and 8%, respectively, of our year-to-date 2010 net sales and 19% and 25%, respectively, of our year-to-date income from operations before consideration of stock-based compensation expense.

Our net sales for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 decreased by \$12,355 (10.1%) compared to the same period of 2009, reflecting a year-to-year net sales decrease of \$29,482 (28.8%) for our Explosive Metalworking segment, which was partially offset by sales increases of \$15,697 (119.2%) and \$1,430 (21.4%) for our Oilfield Products and AMK Welding segments, respectively. Excluding incremental sales of \$12,134 from the acquisitions of LRI and Austin Explosives on October 1, 2009 and June 4, 2010, respectively, and the step acquisition of two Russian joint ventures that was completed on April 30, 2010, our Oilfield Products segment reported an increase of \$3,563 or 27.1% in its year-to-date 2010 net sales. Our consolidated income from operations decreased to \$5,273 for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 from \$13,833 for the same period of 2009. This \$8,560 decrease reflects a decline in Explosive Metalworking s operating income of \$12,973 which was partially offset by a \$3,503 increase in the operating results reported by our Oilfield Products segment from an operating loss of \$2,013 in 2009 to operating income of \$1,490 for the first nine months of 2010, an increase in operating income for AMK Welding of \$790, and a \$120 decrease in stock-based compensation expense. We recorded net income of \$3,950 for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 compared to net income of \$7,527 for the same period of 2009.

Impact of Current Economic Situation on the Company

The Company was only minimally impacted in 2008 by the global economic slowdown. However, during 2009 and the first nine months of 2010, we experienced a significant slowdown in Explosive Metalworking sales to some of the markets we serve. The explosion-welded clad plate market is dependent upon sales of products for use by customers in a number of heavy industries, including oil and gas, alternative energy, chemicals and petrochemicals, hydrometallurgy, aluminum production, shipbuilding, power generation, and industrial refrigeration. These industries tend to be cyclical in nature and the current worldwide economic downturn has affected many of these markets. Despite the slowdown we have already seen in certain sectors, including chemical, petrochemical and hydrometallurgy, quoting activity in other end markets remains relatively healthy, and we continue to track an extensive list of projects. While timing of new order inflow remains difficult to predict, we believe that our Explosive Metalworking segment is well-positioned to benefit as global economic conditions improve.

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As a result of our Explosive Metalworking backlog decreasing from \$97,247 at December 31, 2008 to \$49,584 at December 31, 2009 and relatively low booking activity during the first nine months of 2010 which further reduced our backlog amount to \$41,154 at September 30, 2010, we currently expect that our 2010 consolidated net sales will decline by approximately 8% from the consolidated net sales that we reported in 2009. In light of the slowdown in order inflow that we have experienced, we continue to manage expenses carefully. Despite the significant sales and net income declines that we reported in the first nine months of 2010, we generated cash flow from operations of \$10,254 and expect to generate positive cash flow from operations for the full year 2010.

Net sales

Explosive Metalworking s revenues are generated principally from sales of clad metal plates and sales of transition joints, which are made from clad plates, to customers that fabricate industrial equipment for various industries, including oil and gas, petrochemicals, alternative energy, hydrometallurgy, aluminum production, shipbuilding, power generation, industrial refrigeration, and similar industries. While a large portion of the demand for our clad metal products is driven by new plant construction and large plant expansion projects, maintenance and retrofit projects at existing chemical processing, petrochemical processing, oil refining, and aluminum smelting facilities also account for a significant portion of total demand.

Oilfield Products revenues are generated principally from sales of shaped charges, detonators and detonating cord, and bidirectional booster sand perforating guns to customers who perform the perforation of oil and gas wells and from sales of seismic products to customers involved in oil and gas exploration activities.

AMK Welding s revenues are generated from welding, heat treatment, and inspection services that are provided with respect to customer-supplied parts for customers primarily involved in the power generation industry and aircraft engine markets.

A significant portion of our revenue is derived from a relatively small number of customers; therefore, the failure to complete existing contracts on a timely basis, to receive payment for such services in a timely manner, or to enter into future contracts at projected volumes and profitability levels could adversely affect our ability to meet cash requirements exclusively through operating activities. We attempt to minimize the risk of losing customers or specific contracts by continually improving product quality, delivering product on time and competing aggressively on the basis of price.

Gross profit and cost of products sold

Cost of products sold for Explosive Metalworking includes the cost of metals and alloys used to manufacture clad metal plates, the cost of explosives, employee compensation and benefits, freight, outside processing costs, depreciation of manufacturing facilities and equipment, manufacturing supplies and other manufacturing overhead expenses.

Cost of products sold for Oilfield Products includes the cost of metals, explosives and other raw materials used to manufacture shaped charges, detonating products and perforating guns as well as employee compensation and benefits, depreciation of manufacturing facilities and

equipment, manufacturing supplies and other manufacturing overhead expenses.

AMK Welding s cost of products sold consists principally of employee compensation and benefits, welding supplies (wire and gas), depreciation of manufacturing facilities and equipment, outside services and other manufacturing overhead expenses.

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Income taxes

Our effective income tax rate decreased to 18.4% for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 from 32.0% for the same period of 2009. After adjusting for the non-recurring gain on the step acquisition of two Russian joint ventures, our effective tax rate on the remaining ordinary pretax income that we reported for the first nine months of 2010 was 30.5%. Based upon existing tax regulations and current federal, state and foreign statutory tax rates, an expected reduction in our 2010 consolidated pre-tax income from that reported in 2009, and the amount of our projected 2010 consolidated pre-tax income that we expect to be generated by our U.S. and foreign operations, respectively, we currently expect our blended effective tax rate for 2010 to range between 22% and 23%. Our full year 2009 effective tax rate was 33.9% and, for 2011 and subsequent years, we expect that our blended effective tax rate will to return to a normalized level of 33% to 35%.

Backlog

We use backlog as a primary means of measuring the immediate outlook for our Explosive Metalworking business. We define backlog at any given point in time as consisting of all firm, unfulfilled purchase orders and commitments at that time. Generally speaking, we expect to fill most backlog orders within the following 12 months. From experience, most firm purchase orders and commitments are realized.

Our backlog with respect to the Explosive Metalworking segment decreased to \$41,154 at September 30, 2010 from \$49,584 at December 31, 2009 and was well below the backlog of \$97,247 that we reported at December 31, 2008. In light of the slowdown in order inflow and decrease in backlog that we have experienced for our Explosive Metalworking segment, we are currently anticipating that our consolidated net sales for fiscal 2010 will be approximately 8% lower than the consolidated net sales that we reported in 2009.

Three and Nine Months Ended September 30, 2010 Compared to Three and Nine Months Ended September 30, 2009

Net sales

	Three Mo Septen	nths End nber 30,	ed		Percentage
	2010		2009	Change	Change
Net sales	\$ 41,298	\$	34,690	\$ 6,608	19.0%
	Nine Mon Septem 2010		d 2009	Change	Percentage Change
Net sales	\$ 109,913	\$	122,268	\$ (12,355)	(10.1)%

Net sales for the third quarter of 2010 increased 19.0% to \$41,298 from \$34,690 for the third quarter of 2009. Explosive Metalworking sales decreased 8.8% to \$24,925 for the three months ended September 30, 2010 (60% of total sales) from \$27,327 for the same period of 2009 (79% of total sales). The decrease in Explosive Metalworking sales reflects a business slowdown in several of the industries that this business

segment serves.

Oilfield Products contributed \$13,208 to third quarter 2010 sales (32% of total sales), which represents a 157.8% increase from sales of \$5,123 for the third quarter of 2009 (15% of

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total sales). Excluding incremental sales of \$5,194 from our acquisitions of LRI and Austin Explosives and the step acquisition of two Russian joint ventures, the third quarter 2010 sales increase for Oilfield Products was \$2,891 or 56.4%.

AMK Welding contributed \$3,165 to third quarter 2010 sales (8% of total sales), which represents a 41.3% increase from sales of \$2,240 for the third quarter of 2009 (6% of total sales).

Our consolidated net sales for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 decreased 10.1% to \$109,913 from \$122,268 in the same period of 2009. Explosive Metalworking sales decreased 28.8% to \$72,921 for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 (66% of total sales) from \$102,403 for the same period of 2009 (84% of total sales).

Oilfield Products contributed \$28,868 to year-to-date 2010 sales (26% of total sales), which represents a 119.2% increase from sales of \$13,171 for year-to-date 2009 sales (11% of total sales). Excluding incremental sales of \$12,134 from our acquisitions of LRI and Austin Explosives and step acquisition of two Russian joint ventures, the year-to-date 2010 sales increase for Oilfield Products was \$3,563 or 27.1%.

AMK Welding contributed \$8,124 to the first nine months of 2010 sales (8% of total sales), which represents a 21.4% increase from sales of \$6,694 in the same period 2009 (5% of total sales).

Gross profit

	Three Mon Septem	 			Percentage
	2010	2009		Change	Change
Gross profit	\$ 10,853	\$ 8,754	\$	2,099	24.0%
Consolidated gross profit margin rate	26.3%	25.2%)		
	Nine Montl Septemb 2010	 ed 2009		Change	Percentage Change
Gross profit	\$ 27,094	\$ 33,236	\$	(6,142)	(18.5)%
Consolidated gross profit margin rate	24.7%	27.2%			

Gross profit increased by 24.0% to \$10,853 for the three months ended September 30, 2010 from \$8,754 for the three months ended September 30, 2009. Our third quarter 2010 consolidated gross profit margin rate increased to 26.3% from the 25.2% gross margin that we reported for the third quarter of 2009. For the nine months ended September 30, 2010, gross profit decreased by 18.5% to \$27,094 from \$33,236 for the same period of 2009. Our year to date consolidated gross profit margin rate decreased to 24.7% from 27.2% for the first nine months of 2009.

The gross margin for Explosive Metalworking decreased from 25.8% for the third quarter of 2009 to 18.7% for the third quarter of 2010. This 27.5% decrease in the Explosive Metalworking third quarter gross margin rate relates entirely to our U.S. cladding division where the gross margin of 20.1% for the third quarter of 2010 was 37% lower than the gross margin reported for the third quarter of 2009 on a year-to-year sales increase of 1.6%. Despite a 31.4% decline in their third quarter 2010 sales, our European cladding divisions reported a gross margin of 14.0% in the third quarter of 2010 which was higher than the third quarter 2009 gross margin of 12.4%. Our gross margin for the Explosive Metalworking segment decreased to 20.0% for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 from 28.3% for the same period in 2009. This 29.3%

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decrease in the nine-month Explosive Metalworking gross margin rate reflects a 31.4% decrease in our U.S. gross margin from 34.5% in 2009 to 23.7% in 2010 and a decrease in our European gross margin from 19.0% in 2009 to 11.5% in 2010 on year-to-year sales declines of 16.9% and 46.3%, respectively. While lower sales and the resultant less favorable absorption of fixed manufacturing overhead costs have negatively impacted gross margins reported by all of our cladding divisions, the significant decline in our U.S. gross margin rate for the third quarter and first nine months of 2010 compared to the same periods in 2009 relates principally to unfavorable changes in product mix and an extremely competitive pricing environment in certain end markets that comprise a significant portion of our 2010 sales. Historically, gross margins for our European explosion welding divisions have been lower than those reported by our U.S. division due to less efficient fixed manufacturing cost structures associated with our smaller European facilities and this has again been the case during the first nine months of 2010. While our European facilities and this has again been the case during the first nine months of 2010. While our European cladding divisions also face a competitive pricing environment, the principal reason for the large decrease in our European gross margin rate for the first nine months of 2010 compared to the same period in 2009 is the 46.3% decline in sales. As has been the case historically, we expect to see continued fluctuations in Explosive Metalworking s quarterly gross margin rates in the future that result from fluctuations in quarterly sales volume and changes in product mix. Based upon the reported year-to-date gross margin, the composition of our September 30, 2010 backlog and the anticipated mix of new orders that we expect to ship before the end of the year, we expect the full year 2010 gross margin to be in the range of 18% to 20% for our Explosive Metalworking segment.

Oilfield Products reported a gross margin of 39.2% for the third quarter of 2010 compared to a gross margin of 22.4% for the third quarter of 2009. Oilfield Products reported a gross margin of 35.0% for the first nine months of 2010 compared to a gross margin of 21.7% for the first nine months of 2009. The increase in Oilfield Products gross margin for the third quarter and first nine months of 2010 relates principally to the significant sales increases that are discussed above and favorable changes in product/customer mix. Gross margins reported by the Oilfield Products segment also reflect the incremental margin on intercompany sales to recently acquired former distributors in Canada, the U.S. and Russia as these acquired entities sell products through to the end customers. We currently expect Oilfield Products to report full year 2010 sales in excess of \$40,000 and a gross margin in the range of 33% to 35%.

The gross margin for AMK Welding increased to 34.9% for the third quarter of 2010 from 29.7% for the third quarter of 2009. The gross margin for AMK Welding increased to 32.7% in the first nine months of 2010 from 26.5% in the first nine months of 2009. These increases in AMK Welding s gross margin relate principally to the sales increases discussed above and resultant more favorable absorption of fixed manufacturing overhead expenses. AMK Welding sales for the full year 2010 are expected to approximate \$10,500 and its full year gross margin is expected to be in the range of 32% to 34%.

General and administrative expenses

Three Months Ended September 30,						Percentage
	2010		2009		Change	Change
\$	3,487	\$	2,749	\$	738	26.8%
	8.4%		7.9%			
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	Nine Mon Septem	ed		Percentage
	2010	2009	Change	Change
General & administrative expenses	\$ 9,990	\$ 9,318	\$ 672	7.2%
Percentage of net sales	9.1%	7.6%		

General and administrative expenses increased by \$738, or 26.8%, to \$3,487 in the third quarter of 2010 from \$2,749 in the third quarter of 2009. Excluding incremental general and administrative expenses of \$428 that resulted from the acquisitions of LRI, Austin Explosives and the Russian joint ventures, our general and administrative expenses increased by \$310 or 11.3% compared to the prior year third quarter. This increase includes an increase of \$178 in salaries, an increase in accrued incentive compensation of \$121 and a net increase of \$11 in all other spending categories. As a percentage of net sales, general and administrative expenses increased to 8.4% in the third quarter of 2010 from 7.9% in the third quarter of 2009.

General and administrative expenses for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 totaled \$9,990 compared to \$9,318 for the same period of 2009, an increase of \$672 or 7.2%. Excluding incremental general and administrative expenses of \$924 that resulted from the acquisitions of LRI, Austin Explosives and the Russian joint ventures, our general and administrative expenses decreased by \$252 or 2.7%. This decrease includes an increase of \$252 in salaries that was entirely offset by an \$88 decrease in accrued incentive compensation and a net decrease of \$416 in all other expenses categories that reflects the impact of tight controls over discretionary spending. As a percentage of net sales, general and administrative expenses increased to 9.1% in the first nine months of 2010 from 7.6% in the first nine months of 2009.

Selling expenses

	Three Mor Septem	 			Percentage
	2010	2009		Change	Change
Selling expenses	\$ 3,047	\$ 2,212	\$	835	37.7%
Percentage of net sales	7.4% Nine Mon Septem		6		Percentage
	 2010	2009		Change	Change
Selling expenses	\$ 7,918	\$ 6,376	\$	1,542	24.2%
Percentage of net sales	7.2%	5.2%	ว		

Selling expenses, which include sales commissions of \$75 in 2010 and \$237 in 2009, increased by 37.7% to \$3,047 in the third quarter of 2010 from \$2,212 in the third quarter of 2009. Excluding incremental selling expenses of \$1,260 that resulted from the acquisitions of LRI, Austin Explosives and the Russian joint ventures, our selling expenses decreased by \$425 or 19.2%. This \$425 decrease in our selling expenses includes increased selling expenses of \$86 at our U.S. divisions that was offset by decreased selling expenses of \$511 at our European divisions. The decrease in European selling expenses relates principally to staff reductions within our European explosion welding facilities and lower sales commissions. The \$86 increase in our U.S. selling expenses reflects increased travel expenses of \$62, a \$57 increase in bad debt expense and a net decrease of \$33 in other spending categories. As a percentage of net sales, selling expenses increased to 7.4% in the third quarter of 2010 from 6.4% in the third quarter of 2009.

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Selling expenses increased by 24.2% to \$7,918 in the nine months ended September 30, 2010 from \$6,376 in the same period of 2009. These selling expenses include sales commissions of \$646 and \$1,045 for 2010 and 2009, respectively. Excluding incremental selling expenses of \$2,489 that resulted from the acquisitions of LRI, Austin Explosives and the Russian joint ventures, our selling expenses decreased by \$947 or 14.9%. This \$947 decrease in our selling expenses includes decreased selling expenses of \$907 and \$40 at our European and U.S. divisions, respectively. The decrease in European selling expenses relates principally to staff reductions within our European explosion welding facilities and lower sales commissions. The \$40 decrease in our U.S. selling expenses reflects decreased sales commissions of \$205, a \$195 decrease in salaries and accrued incentive compensation and a net increase of \$360 in other spending categories. As a percentage of net sales, selling expenses increased to 7.2% in the first nine months of 2010 from 5.2% in the first nine months of 2009.

Amortization expenses

	Three Months Ended September 30,						Percentage	
		2010		2009		Change	Change	
Amortization of purchased intangible assets	\$	1,376	\$	1,293	\$	83	6.4%	
Percentage of net sales		3.3%		3.7%				
		Nine Mont		ed			_	
		Septem 2010	ber 30,	2009		Change	Percentage Change	
Amortization of purchased intangible assets	\$	3,913	\$	3,709	\$	204	5.5%	
Percentage of net sales		3.6%		3.0%				

Amortization expense relates to the amortization of values assigned to intangible assets in connection with the November 15, 2007 acquisition of DYNAenergetics, our October 1, 2009 acquisition of LRI, our April 30, 2010 acquisition of the Russian joint ventures and our June 5, 2010 acquisition of Austin Explosives. Amortization expense for the three months ended September 30, 2010 includes \$1,012, \$276 and \$88 relating to values assigned to customer relationships, core technology and trademarks/trade names, respectively. Amortization expense for the three months ended September 30, 2009 includes \$897, \$299 and \$97 relating to values assigned to customer relationships, core technology and trademarks/trade names, respectively.

Amortization expense for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 includes \$2,799, \$845 and \$269 relating to values assigned to customer relationships, core technology and trademarks/trade names, respectively. Amortization expense for the nine months ended September 30, 2009 includes \$2,572, \$858 and \$279 relating to values assigned to customer relationships, core technology and trademarks/trade names, respectively. Amortization expense (as measured in Euros) associated with the DYNAenergetics acquisition is expected to approximate 3,603 in 2010, and 2010 amortization expense (as measured in Canadian Dollars) associated with the LRI acquisition is expected to approximate 80 CAD. Amortization expense associated with the acquisition of Austin Explosives is expected to approximate \$249 for approximately seven months of 2010 and amortization expense associated with the acquisition of the Russian joint ventures is expected to approximate 185 for eight months of 2010.

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Operating income

	•	nths En 1ber 30,			Percentage
	2010		2009	Change	Change
Operating income	\$ 2,943	\$	2,500	\$ 443	17.7%
	Nine Mont Septem 2010		ed 2009	Change	Percentage Change
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Operating income	\$ 5,273	\$	13,833	\$ (8,560)	(61.9)%

Income from operations (operating income) increased by \$443 to \$2,943 in the third quarter of 2010 from \$2,500 in the third quarter of 2009. For the nine months ended September 30, 2010, operating income decreased by 61.9% to \$5,273 from \$13,833 for the same period of 2009.

Explosive Metalworking reported operating income of \$1,225 in the third quarter of 2010 compared to \$3,370 in the third quarter of 2009. This 63.6% decrease in Explosive Metalworking operating income is largely attributable to the 8.8% decrease in net sales and the 27.5% decline in the gross margin rate as discussed above. Explosive Metalworking reported operating income of \$4,408 in the nine months ended September 30, 2010 compared to \$17,381 in the same period of 2009. This 74.6% decrease in Explosive Metalworking operating income is largely attributable to the 28.8% decrease in net sales and the 29.3% decline in the gross margin rate as discussed above.

Oilfield Products reported operating income of \$1,691 for the third quarter of 2010 as compared to an operating loss of \$414 for the third quarter of 2009. For the nine months ended September 30, 2010, Oilfield Products reported operating income of \$1,490 compared to an operating loss of \$2,013 for the same period of 2009. The significant improvement in operating results for our Oilfield Products segment is attributable to the significant increases in sales and gross profit as discussed above that reflect the incremental sales and gross profit from the acquisitions of LRI, Austin Explosives and the Russian joint ventures as well as an increase in global oil and gas drilling activities, particularly in North America.

AMK Welding reported operating income of \$861 for the three months ended September 30, 2010 as compared to \$441 for the same period of 2009. AMK Welding reporting operating income of \$1,912 for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 compared to \$1,122 for the same nine month period of 2009. The improvement in AMK s operating income is largely attributable to sales increases of 41.3% and 21.4% for the three and nine month periods, respectively,

Operating income for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2010 includes \$834 and \$2,537, respectively, of stock-based compensation. Operating income for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2009 includes \$897 and \$2,657, respectively, of stock-based compensation. This expense is not allocated to our business segments and thus is not included in the above third quarter operating income or loss totals for Explosive Metalworking, Oilfield Products and AMK Welding.

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Gain on step acquisition of joint ventures

		-	nths End 1ber 30,				Percentage
		2010		2009	(Change	Change
Gain on step acquisition of joint ventures	\$		\$		\$		N/A
Gain on step acquisition of joint ventures	\$	Nine Mont Septem 2010 2,117		d 2009	\$	Change 2,117	Percentage Change N/A
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During the second quarter of 2010, we acquired the remaining non-controlling interests in two Russian joint ventures that were previously majority-owned. Prior to the acquisition date, we accounted for the joint ventures as equity investments. As a result of the acquisition of the remaining non-controlling interests, we now consolidate these entities. In accordance with accounting standards applicable to transactions of this nature, we determined the fair value of our interests in these joint ventures immediately prior to the purchase and recognized a resultant gain of \$2,117.

Other income (expense), net

	Three Months Ended September 30,						
	2	2010		2009		Change	Change
Other income (expense), net	\$	(416)	\$	(633)	\$	217	(34.3)%

Nine M	onths Ended	
Sept	ember 30,	Percentage
2010	2009	