

Immediate Release

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# BORGWARNER REPORTS FIRST QUARTER 2017 U.S. GAAP NET EARNINGS OF \$0.89 PER DILUTED SHARE, OR \$0.91 PER DILUTED SHARE EXCLUDING NON-COMPARABLE ITEMS

# MAINTAINS FULL YEAR REVENUE AND MARGIN GUIDANCE RANGE, RAISES FULL YEAR EPS GUIDANCE TO \$3.50 - \$3.60

Auburn Hills, Michigan, April 27, 2017 – BorgWarner Inc. (NYSE: BWA) today reported first quarter results.

#### First Quarter Highlights:

- U.S. GAAP net sales of \$2,407 million, up 6.1% compared with first quarter 2016.
  - On a comparable basis, excluding the impact of foreign currencies and the sale of the Remy light vehicle aftermarket business, net sales were up 12.8% compared with first guarter 2016.
- U.S. GAAP net earnings of \$0.89 per diluted share.
  - Excluding the \$(0.02) per diluted share related to non-comparable item (detailed in the table below), net earnings were \$0.91 per diluted share.
- U.S. GAAP operating income of \$293 million.
  - Operating income was 12.2% of net sales.

**Full Year 2017 Guidance:** The company has reaffirmed its 2017 full year organic growth guidance. Full year net sales are expected to be \$8.81 billion - \$9.04 billion, implying organic sales growth of 3.5% to 6.0%. Foreign currencies are expected to lower sales by \$310 million, due to the depreciation of the Euro, Yuan and Pound. The divested Remy light vehicle aftermarket business contributed net sales of approximately \$255 million in 2016. Net earnings are now expected to be within a range of \$3.50 to \$3.60 per diluted share, with the increase in guidance primarily due to a lower tax rate assumption. Excluding the impact of non-comparable items, operating margin is expected to improve by 40 to 50 basis points.

**Second Quarter 2017 Guidance:** The company expects second quarter 2017 organic net sales growth of 3.0% to 6.5% compared with second quarter 2016 proforma net sales of \$2.25 billion. Foreign currencies are expected to lower sales by \$115 million, or 5.1%. The divested Remy light vehicle

aftermarket business contributed net sales of approximately \$80 million in the second quarter 2016. Net earnings are expected to be within a range of \$0.87 to \$0.91 per diluted share.

**Financial Results:** Net sales were \$2,407 million in first quarter 2017, up 6.1% from \$2,269 million in first quarter 2016. Excluding the impact of foreign currencies and the sale of the Remy light vehicle aftermarket business, net sales were up 12.8% compared with first quarter 2016. Net earnings in first quarter 2017 were \$189 million, or \$0.89 per diluted share, compared with \$164 million, or \$0.75 per diluted share in first quarter 2016. Net earnings in first quarter 2017 included non-comparable items of \$(0.02) per diluted share. Net earnings in the first quarter 2016 included net non-comparable items of \$(0.05) per diluted share. These items are listed in a table below, which is provided by the company for comparison with other results and the most directly comparable U.S. GAAP measures. The impact of foreign currencies decreased net sales by approximately \$49 million and decreased net earnings by approximately \$0.03 per diluted share in first quarter 2017 compared with first quarter 2016. The impact of the sale of the Remy light vehicle aftermarket business decreased net sales by \$90 million in the first quarter 2017 compared with first quarter 2016.

The company believes the following table is useful in highlighting non-comparable items that impacted its U.S. GAAP net earnings per diluted share:

Net earnings per diluted share	_F	First Three Months			
		2017		2016	
U.S. GAAP	\$	0.89	\$	0.75	
Non-comparable items: Restructuring expense Merger and acquisition expense Tax adjustments		  (0.02)		(0.02) (0.03) —	
Non – U.S. GAAP	\$	0.91	\$	0.80	

Net cash provided by operating activities was \$60 million in the first three months of 2017 compared with \$34 million in the first three months of 2016. Investments in capital expenditures, including tooling outlays, totaled \$131 million in the first three months of 2017, compared with \$104 million in the first three months of 2016. Balance sheet debt increased by \$76 million and cash decreased by \$85 million at the end of first quarter 2017 compared with the end of 2016. The company's net debt to net capital ratio was 35.8% at the end of first quarter 2017 compared with 35.0% at the end of 2016.

**Engine Segment Results:** Engine segment net sales were \$1,495 million in first quarter 2017 compared with \$1,399 million in first quarter 2016. Excluding the impact of foreign currencies, net sales were up 9.5% from the prior year's quarter. Adjusted earnings before interest, income taxes and non-controlling interest ("Adjusted EBIT") were \$247 million in first quarter of 2017. Excluding the impact of foreign currencies, Adjusted EBIT was \$253 million, up 6.9% from first quarter of 2016.

**Drivetrain Segment Results:** Drivetrain segment net sales were \$925 million in first quarter 2017 compared with \$879 million in first quarter 2016. Excluding the impact of foreign currencies and the sale of the Remy light vehicle aftermarket business, net sales were up 18.8% from the prior year's quarter. Adjusted EBIT was \$105 million in first quarter 2017. Excluding the impact of foreign currencies, Adjusted EBIT was \$106 million, up 23.1% from first quarter 2016.

#### Recent Highlights:

- BorgWarner has committed to take a \$10 million investment in Autotech Ventures,
  a venture capital fund that facilitates partnerships among financial investors,
  strategic corporate investors and startups focused on the future of transportation.
  Through this new investment, BorgWarner receives access and investment
  opportunities with global startups that are revolutionizing ground transportation.
  This investment supports BorgWarner's strategy to evolve company's product
  portfolio.
- BorgWarner provides its advanced DualTronic® clutch and control module with integrated torsional vibration damper for ChangAn's first self-developed dual-clutch transmission (DCT), initially available for the EADO plug-in hybrid, EADO XT and upcoming CS85 SUV.
- BorgWarner launched its new compact cam torque actuated (CTA) variable cam timing (VCT) technology with mid-position lock in the new Subaru 1.6- to 2.0-liter BOXER® engines. Debuting on the 2017 Impreza, BorgWarner's light-weight, compact VCT technology provides precise valve timing with less oil consumption, better fuel economy and improved engine performance.
- BorgWarner supplies HY-VO chains for the Chevrolet Volt plug-in hybrid and Malibu hybrid. Offering greater efficiency and lower noise than gear drives, BorgWarner's HY-VO chains transmit torque from the two-motor electric drive unit to the differential and front axles.
- BorgWarner supplies its proven part-time all-wheel drive (AWD) transfer case for Jiangxi ISUZU Motors Limited, a Chinese-Japanese joint venture. Initially available for the 2016 AWD 2.8-liter diesel Ruimai mid-size pickup truck, BorgWarner's durable high-performance technology will also drive other upcoming pickup trucks from the automaker.

At 10:00 a.m. ET today, a brief conference call concerning first quarter 2017 results will be webcast at: http://www.borgwarner.com/en/Investors/default.aspx.

BorgWarner Inc. (NYSE: BWA) is a global product leader in clean and efficient technology solutions for combustion, hybrid and electric vehicles. With manufacturing and technical facilities in 62 locations in 17 countries, the company employs approximately 27,000 worldwide. For more information, please visit borgwarner.com.

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## Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations (Unaudited)

(millions, except per share amounts)	
	Three Months Ended
	2017 2016
Net sales	\$ 2,407.0 \$ 2,268.6
Cost of sales	1,889.7 1,804.3
Gross profit	517.3 464.3
Selling, general and administrative expenses	218.8 188.4
Other expense, net	5.8 11.7
Operating income	292.7 264.2
Equity in affiliates' earnings, net of tax	(9.7) (9.1)
Interest income	(1.5) (1.6)
Interest expense and finance charges	18.0 21.3
Earnings before income taxes and noncontrolling interest	285.9 253.6
Provision for income taxes	86.3 80.4
Net earnings	199.6 173.2
Net earnings attributable to the noncontrolling interest, net of tax	10.4 9.1
Net earnings attributable to BorgWarner Inc.	\$ 189.2 \$ 164.1
Earnings per share — diluted	\$ 0.89 \$ 0.75
Weighted average shares outstanding — diluted	212.236 218.137
Supplemental Information (Unaudited)	
(millions of dollars)	
	Three Months Ended
	2017 2016
Capital expenditures, including tooling outlays	\$ 130.9 \$ 104.3
Depreciation and amortization	\$ 97.3 \$ 94.4

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### Net Sales by Reporting Segment (Unaudited)

(millions of dollars)

	Three Months Ended March 31,
	20172016
Engine	\$ 1,495.4 \$ 1,399.2
Drivetrain	924.9 879.2
Inter-segment eliminations	(13.3) (9.8)
Net sales	\$ 2,407.0 \$ 2,268.6

#### Adjusted Earnings Before Interest, Income Taxes and Noncontrolling Interest ("Adjusted EBIT") (Unaudited)

(millions of dollars)

	Three Months End March 31,			
	2017		2016	
Engine	\$	247.0	\$	236.7
Drivetrain		104.8		86.3
Adjusted EBIT		351.8		323.0
Lease termination settlement		5.3		_
Restructuring expense		_		6.4
Merger and acquisition expense		_		5.8
Corporate, including equity in affiliates' earnings and stock-based compensation		44.1		37.5
Interest income		(1.5)		(1.6)
Interest expense and finance charges		18.0		21.3
Earnings before income taxes and noncontrolling interest		285.9		253.6
Provision for income taxes		86.3		80.4
Net earnings		199.6		173.2
Net earnings attributable to the noncontrolling interest, net of tax		10.4		9.1
Net earnings attributable to BorgWarner Inc.	\$	189.2	\$	164.1

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## Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (Unaudited)

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Cash \$ 358.4 \$	
Receivables, net 1,934.3	1,689.3
Inventories, net 656.9	641.2
Prepayments and other current assets157.7	137.4
Total current assets 3,107.3	2,911.6
Property, plant and equipment, net 2,553.1	2,501.8
Other non-current assets 3,423.3	3,421.3
Total assets \$ 9,083.7 \$	8,834.7
Liabilities and Equity	
Notes payable and other short-term debt \$ 255.1 \$	175.9
Accounts payable and accrued expenses 1,841.3	1,847.3
Income taxes payable 54.8	68.6
Total current liabilities 2,151.2	2,091.8
Long-term debt 2,040.3	2,043.6
Other non-current liabilities 1,412.5	1,397.4
Total BorgWarner Inc. stockholders' equity 3,403.4	3,218.3
Noncontrolling interest 76.3	83.6
Total equity 3,479.7	3,301.9
Total liabilities and equity \$ 9,083.7 \$	8,834.7

(millions of dollars)

	Three Months Ended March 31,			nded
		2017		2016
Operating				
Net earnings	\$	199.6	\$	173.2
Depreciation and amortization		97.3		94.4
Restructuring expense, net of cash paid		_		0.1
Deferred income tax provision		20.6		23.9
Other non-cash items		3.6		(6.1)
Net earnings adjusted for non-cash charges to operations		321.1		285.5
Changes in assets and liabilities		(260.8)		(251.1)
Net cash provided by operating activities		60.3		34.4
Investing				
Capital expenditures, including tooling outlays		(130.9)		(104.3)
Proceeds from asset disposals and other		(0.3)		1.1
Payment for venture capital investment		(1.5)		
Net cash used in investing activities		(132.7)		(103.2)
Financing				
Net increase in notes payable		74.4		19.7
Repayments of long-term debt, including current portion		(6.4)		(8.7)
Payments for purchase of treasury stock		(31.0)		(79.5)
Payments for stock-based compensation items		(1.3)		(7.6)
Dividends paid to BorgWarner stockholders		(29.7)		(28.2)
Dividends paid to noncontrolling stockholders		(21.8)		(20.5)
Net cash used in financing activities		(15.8)		(124.8)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash		2.9		8.2
Net decrease in cash		(85.3)		(185.4)
Cash at beginning of year		443.7		577.7
Cash at end of period	\$	358.4	\$	392.3