

# Creating Sustainable Solutions TOGETHER

Transforming Our Business for a Sustainable Future



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# A Compelling Investment Opportunity



## **Cooper Standard – A Compelling Investment Opportunity**

# **Strong Revenue Growth Outlook**

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#### Value-add Innovation

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# **Key Supplier / Valued Partner**

Strong market share in our product segments

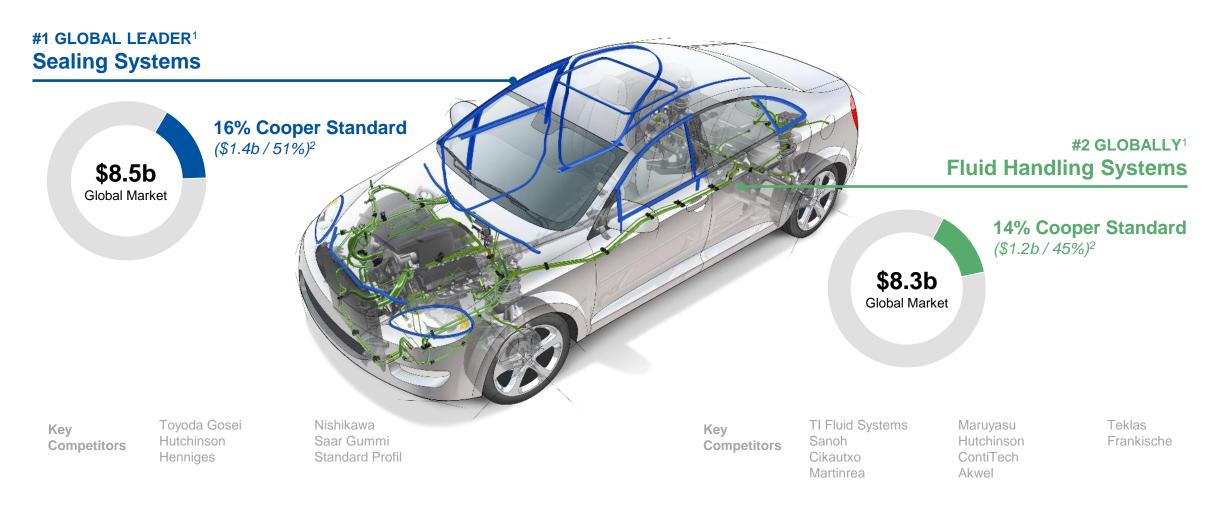
## Laser Focused on ROIC

Achieving and sustaining double-digit ROIC

# Our Foundational Business



#### **Leading Market Position Across Core Product Lines**





### A Trusted Partner With a Strong Global Customer Base























































### **Strong Commitment to Core Values and Sustainability**

Dedicated to Strong Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) Initiatives

- Recognized for world-class integrity and ethics
  - America's Most Responsible Company (5 consecutive years)
  - Ecovadis Silver Status
- Strategic integration of sustainability into the business
  - Committed to doing business the right way
  - Innovating materials, processes and products with reduced environmental impact
  - Executive oversight of sustainability strategy





#### **Commitment to Excellence Drives World-class Results**



#### **WORLD-CLASS SAFETY**

0.38 Total Incident Rate39 Facilities with 0 Incidents

committed to employee safety, safe production and safe products



#### **EXCEPTIONAL QUALITY**

97% Green Customer Scorecards

meeting and exceeding customer expectations with quality products and services



#### **LAUNCH EXCELLENCE**

96% Green Launch Scorecards

enhancing engineering processes to become faster and more efficient with higher accuracy



Results from Q1 2024

# A Trusted Partner Fulfilling Our Customers' Strategic Needs



#### Leveraging More Than Six Decades of Knowledge and Experience

Full-service Supplier Delivering Exceptional Value



#### **Material Science**

Optimizing material compounds to meet and exceed customer performance



#### Design

Developing world-class designs for customers' unique applications



#### **Validation**

A leading authority in testing / advanced analytics



#### Manufacturing

World-class operations / advantaged global footprint

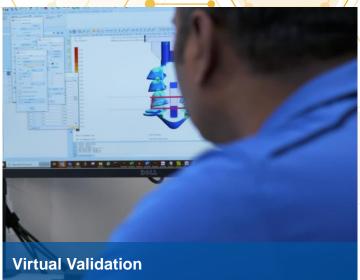


## Harnessing "The Power" of Digital Analytics and A.I.

Applying Advanced Technology to Deliver Exceptional Value

- Leading expert of choice
- Increasing speed to market
- Eliminating physical samples, positively impacting sustainability
- Producing optimal products more efficiently
- Delivering diverse analysis with data-driven insights for better system performance





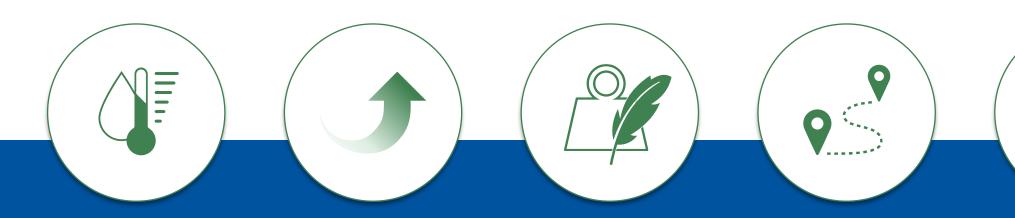




#### Vehicle Powertrain Market Shift Creating New Opportunities

\$66m Net New Business Wins (1Q 2024)

- \$34m related to Hybrid platforms
- \$19m related to EV platforms



Greater need for optimized fluid handling architectures

More demand for differentiated sealing solutions and enhanced aesthetics

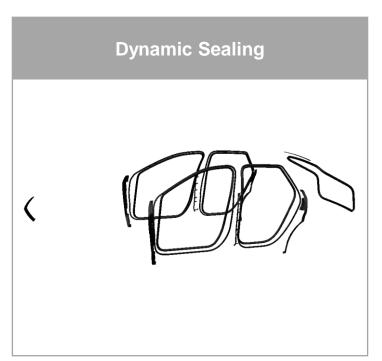
Increasing demand for lightweight solutions

Helping customers increase vehicle range

Generating opportunities for additional CPV



### **EV Transition Increasing OEM Complexity, CPV Growth**











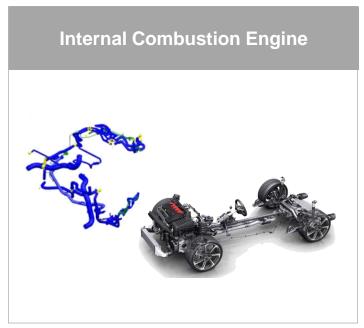
#### **Powertrain Evolution Generating Increased CPV Opportunities**

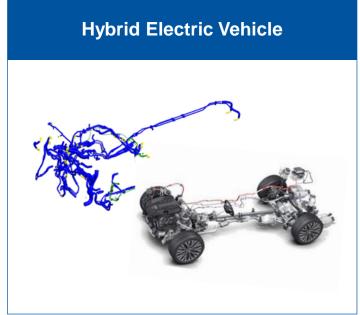
Increased Complexity Requires More Content

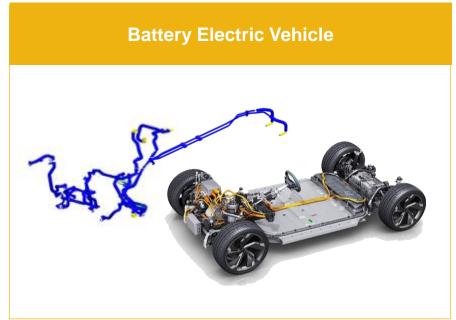
**8 Part Numbers** 

**28 Part Numbers** 

20 Part Numbers +20% CPV







# **Sealing Innovations Enhancing Customer Value**

- Enhanced aesthetics
  - FlushSeal™ movable glass sealing system
  - Frameless sealing system
  - Hidden outer waist belt
- Sustainable / lightweight options
  - EPDM MicroDense (dynamic and static)
  - TP MicroDense
  - Fortrex<sup>®</sup> materials platform













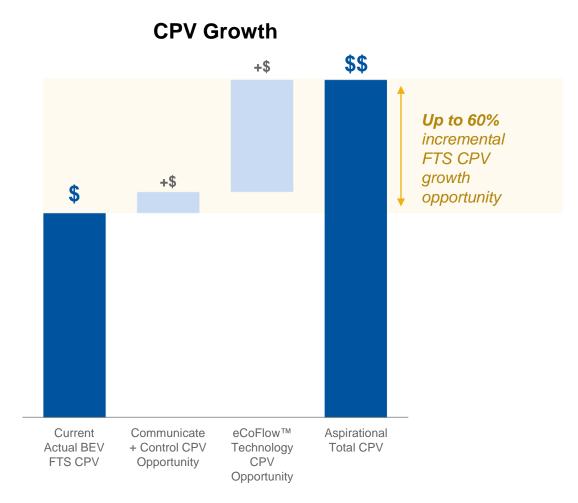


## Revolutionary Integrated Fluid Systems Increasing Value

eCoFlow™ Technology Reduces Complexity, Improves Efficiency, Increases CPV Opportunity



- Eliminates independent valves
- Reduced system pressure drop
- Optimized tube and adaptor routing
- 14 patents pending



# Leveraging Manufacturing and Materials Expertise in Adjacent Markets

- Diverse markets and industrial sales 6% of revenue<sup>1</sup>
  - Building and construction
  - Appliances and consumer goods
  - Commercial truck
  - Power sports and recreational vehicles
- Fortrex<sup>™</sup> technology licensed and in production with Nike, Inc
- Additional technology and business development work for new Fortrex<sup>™</sup> applications is ongoing



# Strong Foundation Enabling Business Transformation



## Relentless Focus on Our Strategic Imperatives



#### FINANCIAL STRENGTH

Execute our business plans achieving and sustaining double-digit EBITDA margins, ROIC and strong free cash flow generation.



## WORLD-CLASS EXECUTION

Attain world-class results across all our business allowing the Company to Be the First Choice of the Stakeholders We Serve.



## PROFITABLE GROWTH DRIVEN BY INNOVATION

Leverage our materials science and product knowledge, innovation and manufacturing expertise across our product groups in the pursuit of organic and inorganic growth.



## CORPORATE RESPONSIBILITY

Deliver value to all our stakeholders through our environmental, social and governance initiatives to ensure the long-term sustainability of the Company.



#### **Optimized Operating Management Structure**

Transition to Product Line-based Organization



- Provide complete P&L (profit and loss) ownership for each product line to drive profitable growth and increased shareholder value
- Reinforce pricing discipline to protect program margins
- Prioritize capital allocation to help optimize resources
- Streamline operations and engineering execution to increase efficiencies
- Deliver customer-focused innovations faster to the market



#### **Aggressive Lean Initiatives to Further Optimize Costs**



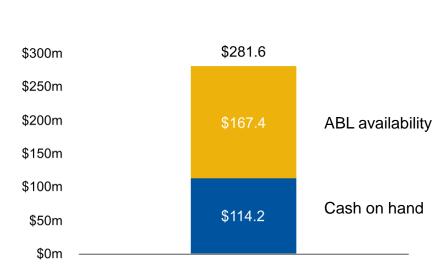
- Streamlined operations and engineering execution enabled by product-line structure
  - Immediate reduction in salaried workforce
  - Expected cost savings of \$20 \$25 million in 2024
  - Full annualized cost savings of \$40 \$45 million expected in 2025
  - Payback of restructuring costs in approximately 6 months
- Further footprint rationalization under consideration

Successful Implementation and Realized Savings Represent Potential Upside to Original Guidance

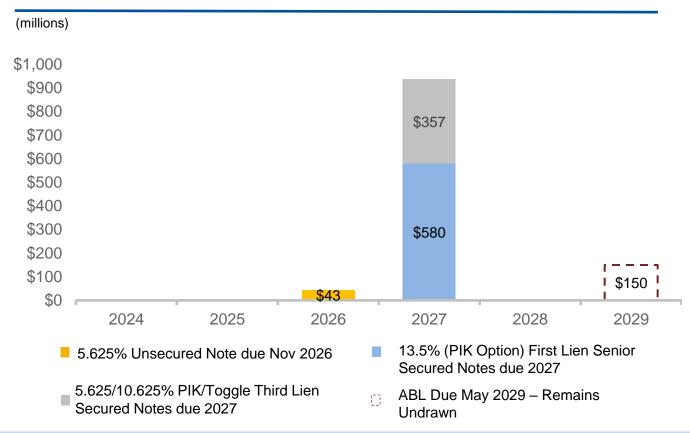
### Solid Liquidity, Flexible Capital Structure

#### Liquidity – March 31, 2024

(millions)



#### **Debt Maturities**<sup>1</sup>



**Current Liquidity Remains Sufficient to Support Ongoing Operations and Strategic Execution** 



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