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## **KEY THEMES**



- **\$2B Global Company** with Leading Market Positions
- 2 Leader in Commercial and Residential Water Products
- Industry-leading Brands; Key Market Drivers, Plumbing Codes
- Driving Profitable Growth through Innovation and Smart & Connected Strategy
- Strong Cash Generator; Disciplined Capital Deployment



## **WATTS WATER SNAPSHOT** (NYSE: WTS)



#### **2022 Key Statistics**

With 5 Year Performance

\$7.13 Adj. EPS

+19% CAGR

**16.4% Adj. Operating Margin** 

+450 bps Expansion

**\$1.16 Dividends** 

+9.1% CAGR

115%

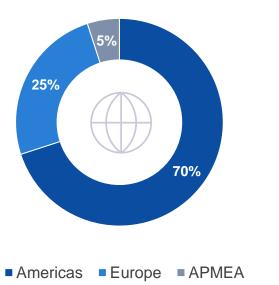
5-yr Avg Free Cash Flow Conversion

23.3% **ROIC (GAAP)** 

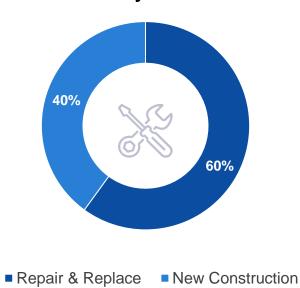
+1540 bps Expansion

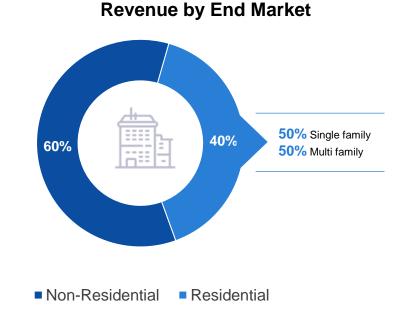
109% 5-yr Avg Reinvestment





### **Revenue by End Market**





See Appendix for reconciliation of non-GAAP measures to their corresponding GAAP measures

Global Leader in Commercial and Residential Water Products; Driving a Performance Culture

## **VALUE PROPOSITION ALIGNED WITH** LONG-TERM SECULAR GROWTH TRENDS





Provide the highest levels of performance in the safeguarding of water systems

- Code and specification driven
- Extensive certification process
- Emerging need globally



Offer the most efficient conversion of energy sources into useful heat and hot water

#### Market Characteristics

- Large and fragmented
- Economic and environmental value proposition
- Application and engineering competencies critical



**Deliver drainage and pre-treatment** systems that meet the design challenges of a water scarce world

- Code and specification driven
- Environmental drivers
- Emerging need globally
- Best-in-class service

Specialty Products and Systems that Conserve and Safeguard the Flow of Fluid and Energy

## LARGE ADDRESSABLE MARKET WITH EXPOSURE TO **DIVERSE END MARKETS**





#### **END MARKETS**



**RESIDENTIAL** 



**MULTI-FAMILY / COMMERCIAL** 



**INSTITUTIONAL / EDUCATIONAL** 



**HEALTHCARE** 



**LIGHT / GENERAL INDUSTRIAL** 



**HOSPITALITY** -HOTEL



**HOSPITALITY** -**FOOD SERVICE** 



**DATA CENTERS** 

## **Balanced Portfolio Providing Tailwind For Growth**

## **COMMERCIAL OFFERINGS**

~60% of Sales; More Complexity / Systems



#### Guestroom









#### **Public Restroom Safety**

Thermostatic Mixing Valves • Floor Drains • Closet and Lavatory Carriers















## **Fire Protection Systems**

Cross Connection Systems • Automatic Control Valves • Isolation Valves









#### **Commercial Kitchens**

Gas Connectors • Point of Use Filtration Systems • Stainless Steel Drains • Backflow Preventers

**Boiler / Mechanical Room** 

Hot Water Heaters / Boilers • Digital Thermostatic Mixing Stations •

Boiler & Pump Controls









#### Water Quality (Point of Entry)

OneFlow Anti-Scale Systems • Water Softeners • SmartStream UV System



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#### Water Safety (Point of Entry)

Backflow Preventers • Automatic Control Valves • Pressure Reducing Valves • Ball, Gate, & Butterfly Valves







#### Irrigation

Backflow Preventers • Pressure Regulating Valves • Isolation Valves







**POWERS** 











tekmar<sup>®</sup>

#### **Driveway / Sidewalk**

Electronic Temperature Controls • Snow Melt Hydronic Systems • Manifolds



#### tekmar<sup>®</sup>







#### **Drainage / Rainwater** Harvesting

Cast Iron and Stainless Drains & Pipe • Rainwater Harvesting • Roofs, Parking Garages, Bathrooms, Kitchens









#### **Leak Detection**

Wireless Leak Detection & Notification Systems







### RESIDENTIAL OFFERINGS

~40% of Sales; Product Range Unmatched



#### Kitchen

Undersink Thermostatic Mixing Valves • Reverse Osmosis Water • Filtration Systems • Electric Tile Warming • SmartSense Excess Flow Valve & Thermal Shutoff

**Driveway / Sidewalk** 

Snow Melt Hydronic Systems • Electronic Temperature Controls •

Manifolds • Quick Connect Fittings • Hydrocontrol Panels • PEX Tubing

tekmar\* **Sun**Touch WATTS









#### **Living Room**

Control Panel / Thermostat • Radiant Underfloor Heating



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#### **Leak Detection**

Wireless Leak Detection









#### Water Safety (Point of Entry)

Backflow Preventers • Pressure Reducing Valves







#### Irrigation

Backflow Preventers • Pressure Reducing Valves • Flow Control Valves







#### Water Quality (Point of Entry)

Whole House Filtration Systems • Anti-Scale Systems • Water Softeners • SmartStream **UV Disinfection Systems** 









#### **Bathroom**

Tempering Valves • Electric Tile Warming • Stainless Steel Shower Drains • Hot Water on Demand Recirculation











#### **Laundry Room**

Anti-Scale Systems • Gas Ball Valves & Connectors • SmartSense Excess Flow Valve & Thermal Shutoff • IntelliFlow Automatic Washing Machine Shutoff Valves



DORMONE WWATTS





#### **Boiler / Furnace Room**

T&P Relief Valves • Tempering Valves • Pressure Reducing Valves • Expansion Tanks • Temperature & Pressure Gauges • Air Separators









## WATTS STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK





Continue to Grow Organically



Drive Operational
Efficiencies &
Improvement across
All Key Processes



## **ORGANIC GROWTH INITIATIVES**





## New **Product Development**

- Utilizing single streamlined product development process
- Leveraging Voice of **Customer** to drive product innovation
- Driving Smart & Connected strategy
- Advancing solutions that address market needs



## Geographic **Expansion**

- Cross-selling existing products into new regions
- Targeting countries with well-established plumbing codes
- Influencing plumbing code improvements in developing countries



## **Key Account Management & Commercial Excellence**

- Expanding relationships with large customers
- Leveraging integrated business model to cross sell
- Providing training in 10 stateof-the-art Watts Works **Learning Centers**





## **SMART AND CONNECTED STRATEGY PROGRESS**





**PAST** 

Launched digital journey

Limited use of internal digital

resources

No pipeline of projects



#### **PRESENT**

Dedicated organizational structure deployed to support IoT Strategic alignment with all business units

**100+** Dedicated digital / IoT engineers

20 new smart & connected products introduced in 2022

#### **FUTURE**

Improve use of data to enhance customer experience

> Continue to focus on key customer issues

System Safety | Water Hygiene Energy Efficiency | Leak Detection

Expand subscription-based services

19%

**Smart & Connected** Revenues in 2022



25%

**Smart & Connected** Revenues by end of 2023

**Continuing to Drive Our Smart & Connected Strategy** 

## **DRIVING ONE WATTS PERFORMANCE SYSTEM (OWPS)**



## **OWPS Focus Areas**

- VOC drives new product development
- Gross productivity project funnel growth
- Business process efficiencies
- Locating production close to customers
- Ensuring a "safety first" culture
- Providing world class quality
- Committed to great customer service "On time in full"
- Improving working capital





OWPS is a collection of tools, processes and behaviors that help us grow and develop

## SUSTAINABILITY IS A CORE COMMITMENT



### **Highlights**

- Improved Sustainalytics ESG score by 24%, promoting Watts to low-risk
- Issued Human Rights Policy aligned with UN Global Compact
- Joined CEO Water Mandate, expanding commitment to water stewardship
- Name by Newsweek as one of America's Most **Responsible Companies** for 4<sup>th</sup> consecutive year
- Named by USA Today as one of America's Climate Leaders







**Sustainability** Report

## **Watts ESG Story**

Solving **Sustainability** for Our Customers

#### Aligning our "Triple Play" with secular growth trends

- Safety and Regulation → 74% of products contribute to health and safety
- Energy Efficiency → 24% of products improve energy efficiency
- Water Conservation → 37% of products contribute to water conservation

Leading **Employer &** Community **Partner** 

#### Making people and communities safe, healthy and strong

- Prioritizing a culture of safety at all facilities
- Investing in global leadership and inclusivity training for all employees
- Improving communities by expanding water stewardship, conserving energy and by reducing waste and emissions at our sites

**Earning the Trust of Our Stakeholders** 

#### Operating ethically, responsibly and sustainably

- Adhering to highest level of ethical standards, with robust governance
- Acting with integrity in every facet of our operations
- Managing our supply chain for conformance to our ESG standards

**Sustainability Is A Core Commitment** 

## **ENGAGED AND ACCOUNTABLE BOARD OF DIRECTORS**





**Craig Kissel Lead Independent Director** Retired President of Trane Commercial Systems, American Standard Joined: 2011



**Christopher Conway** Retired President, CEO and Chairman of the Board. CLARCOR Inc. 2015



**Michael Dubose** Retired President, Fisher Healthcare Division. Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc. 2020



**David Dunbar** President and CEO. Standex International Corp. 2017



**Merilee Raines** Retired CFO. IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. 2011



**Louise Goeser** Retired President and CEO. Grupo Siemens S.A. de C.V. 2018



Joseph Noonan eCommerce Entrepreneur: Horne Family Member 2013



**Bob Pagano** CEO. President and Chairperson of the Board Watts Water 2014



**Joseph Reitmeier** EVP and CFO. Lennox International Inc. 2016

### **Board Skillsets** and Attributes

- Operational and C-Suite Experience
- International Markets Exposure
- Public Company Board Experience
- Global Manufacturing
- Relevant End Market Exposure
- **Business Ethics**
- eCommerce / Digital
- Finance / M&A

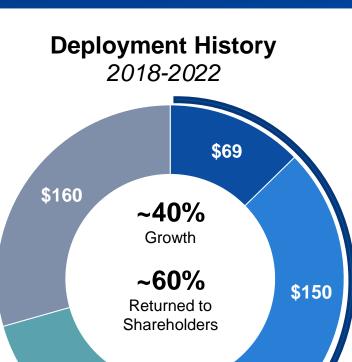
62 YEARS Avg. Age

8 YEARS Avg. Tenure

**Director Skillsets and Attributes Support Our Long-term Strategy** 

### **BALANCED CAPITAL DEPLOYMENT**







\$165

#### **Priorities**

### Strategic M&A

Disciplined valuation / screening process

#### **Investing in High ROI Capex**

- ~70% of Capex invested in growth and productivity initiatives
- Reinvestment ratio 100%+

## Competitive Dividend

- 9.1% 5-year CAGR through 2022
- Increased dividend 20% effective June 2023 to \$1.44/share annual dividend, 0.8% yield <sup>1</sup>

## **Stable Share Buyback**

- Offset stock dilution at minimum
- New repurchase program announced in August 2023 for \$150M

## **Strong Cash Flow Generation Provides Flexibility**

<sup>1</sup> Yield as of 11/1/23 WTS Investor Presentation | 15

## **M&A STRATEGY**



#### STRATEGIC CRITERIA



Core or Related **Complementary Markets** 



**Entry into New Markets** and Geographies



**Addresses Macro Themes** 

- Safety and Regulation
- Energy Efficiency
- Water Conservation



**Brand Name Products, Market Leadership** 



**Increase in Shelf Space** with Existing Customers



**Product Offering Expansion, Including New / Improved Technology** 

#### FINANCIAL CRITERIA



ROIC > Cost of Capital



**Accretive to EPS** in Year 1



Accretive to EBITDA Margin within 3 – 5 Years

## **FLEXIBLE BALANCE SHEET**

\$M	September 24, 2023
Cash	\$363
Other Current Assets	679
Non-Current Assets	976
TOTAL ASSETS	\$2,018
Current Liabilities, excl. Short-term Debt	\$380
Non-Current Liabilities	88
Debt	98
Equity	1,452
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	\$2,018
Net Debt / Capitalization Ratio	(22.3%)

Unused and available credit capacity ~ \$688M on September 24, 2023



**Capacity to Execute on Strategic Growth** 

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## **Q4 AND FULL YEAR 2023 OUTLOOK\***



	Q4 2023	Full Year 2023	_	Other Key Full Year Inputs
Organic Growth	-6% to -1% Acquired sales ~\$9M Enware; ~\$30M Bradley	Flat [Prior -2% to +2%] Acquired sales ~\$26M Enware; ~\$30M Bradley	Corporate Costs	~\$54M
Adj Op Margin	15.0% to 15.6%	<b>Total 17.6% to 17.7%</b> [Prior 16.7% to 17.3%]	Net Interest Expense	<b>~\$2M</b> Bradley acquisition interest ~\$3M
Adj Margin Growth	+70 bps to +130 bps Acquired dilution ~10bps Enware; ~80bps Bradley	+120 bps to +130 bps [Prior +30 bps to +90 bps] Acquired dilution ~20bps Enware; ~20bps Bradley Includes \$22M of incremental investments	Effective Tax Rate	~25%
Free Cash Flow	Seasonally Strong	≥ 100% of Net Income [Prior Same]	CAPEX / D&A	~\$35M / ~\$45M Bradley acquisition D&A ~\$2M to ~\$3M
FX Euro / \$	<b>1.06</b> Sales (~+\$6M); EPS (~+\$0.02)	<b>1.08</b> Sales (~+\$8M); EPS (~+\$0.03)	Share Count	~33.5M Shares

See Appendix for reconciliation of non-GAAP measures to their corresponding GAAP measures

<sup>\*</sup> As of November 1, 2023

## **OUR LONG-TERM ASPIRATIONS**



Organic Growth **1% Above Market** 

**Operating Margin** Expansion 30-50 bps per Year

Emphasis on Growth **Supported by M&A** 

Focus in **Selected Emerging Markets** 

**Build a High Performance "Connected Water and Heating Solutions" Company** 

## **COMPELLING INVESTMENT THESIS**





Recognized Leader

Global reach with leading market positions in commercial and residential water space



Aligned to **Long-term Secular** Trends and **Diverse Markets** 

Addressing global secular macro themes

Large installed base; strong repair and replacement footprint



Focus on Innovation and **Profitable Growth** 

Strong execution drove record 2022 performance

Continuing investment in smart and connected portfolio in 2023



**Accretive Capital Deployment and Strong Balance** Sheet

Targeting >100% cash conversion with efficient capital structure

Balanced capital allocation



Resilient **Business Model Tested Across Economic Cycles** 

2023 outlook reflects challenging global macros and difficult comps

Maintaining long-term strategy



# **Appendix**



## RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP MEASURES



(Unaudited)

	Third Quarter		Nine Months	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
Net Sales	\$504.3	\$487.8	\$1,508.8	\$1,477.6
Operating income - as reported	\$87.1	\$80.4	\$272.2	\$247.8
Operating margin %	17.3%	16.5%	18.0%	16.8%
Adjustments for special items:				
Restructuring	\$0.4	\$1.7	\$1.7	\$4.4
Acquisition related costs	\$3.1	-	\$5.0	_
Operating income - as adjusted	\$90.6	\$82.1	\$278.9	\$252.2
Adjusted operating margin %	18.0%	16.8%	18.5%	17.1%
Net income - as reported	\$65.8	\$58.7	\$206.4	\$182.9
Adjustments for special items - tax effected:				
Restructuring	\$0.3	\$1.3	\$1.2	\$3.3
Acquisition related costs	\$2.3	_	\$3.6	_
Net income - as adjusted	\$68.4	\$60.0	\$211.2	\$186.2
Earnings per share				
Diluted earnings per share - as reported	\$1.96	\$1.75	\$6.15	\$5.43
Adjustments for special items	\$0.08	0.04	\$0.15	0.10
Diluted earnings per share - as adjusted	\$2.04	\$1.79	\$6.30	\$5.53

## **RECONCILIATION OF LONG-TERM DEBT** (INCLUDING CURRENT PORTION) TO NET DEBT TO CAPITALIZATION RATIO



(Unaudited)

	September 24, 2023	December 31, 2022
Current portion of long-term debt	<b>\$</b> -	\$ -
Plus: Long-term debt, net of current portion	98.2	147.6
Less: Cash and cash equivalents	(362.7)	(310.8)
Net debt	(\$264.5)	(\$163.2)
Net debt	(\$264.5)	(\$163.2)
Plus: Total stockholders' equity	1,452.0	1,300.6
Capitalization	\$1,187.5	\$1,137.4
Net debt to capitalization ratio	(22.3%)	(14.3%)

## **RECONCILIATION BETWEEN GAAP AND NON-GAAP MEASURES INCLUDED IN 2023 OUTLOOK\***



	Fourth Quarter 2023	Full Year 2023
Net Sales		
Reported net sales growth	+3% to +8%	+3%
Forecasted impact of acquisition / FX	(9)%	(3)%
Organic net sales growth	-6% to -1%	Flat
Operating Margin		
Operating margin range	14.0% to 14.6%	17.0% to 17.1%
Forecasted restructuring / other costs	1.0%	0.6%
Adjusted operating margin range	15.0% to 15.6%	17.6% to 17.7%

<sup>\*</sup> As of November 1, 2023