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Creating sustainable food, feed and fuel ingredients for a growing population

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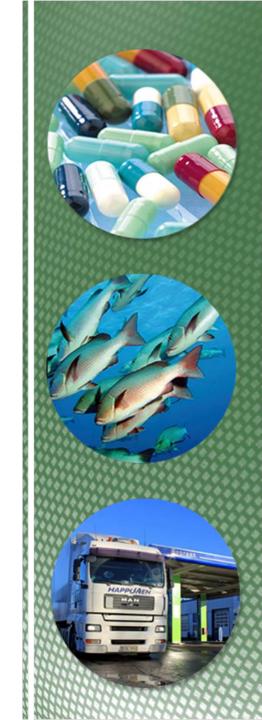
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Company Profile

From Then to Now

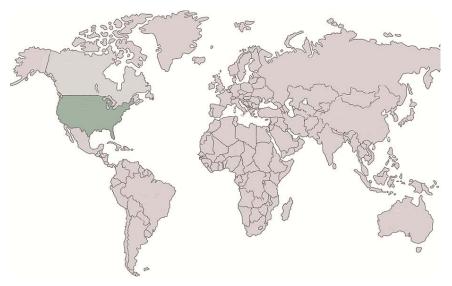


From...

The oldest, largest and most innovative recycling solutions company serving the nation's food industry...

- 120 operating facilities across U.S.
- Approx. 4,000 employees
- Over \$1.7 billion in revenues

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To...

A global growth platform for the development and production of sustainable natural ingredients from edible and inedible bio-nutrients, creating a wide range of products and customized specialty solutions

- Over 200 operation facilities on 5 continents
- Approx. 10,000 employees
- Over \$4 billion in revenues



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The Evolution of Darling International

Pre 2004

COMMODITY BUSINESS

Mixed meat renderer with good used cooking oil business (particularly east/west coasts)

NBP & Griffin 2006 2010 GREW EXISTING BUSINESS ADDING PRODUCT DIVERSIFICATION;
INITIAL MOVE TO VALUE ADD AND REDUCTION OF COMMODITY EXPOSURE

Intro to frozen parts; diversified into poultry offal; incorporated value add concept for proteins; added significant bakery by-product business; developing hexane extraction

DGD

VALUE ADD & REDUCTION OF COMMODITY EXPOSURE (countercyclical)

Higher value use for fats produced by Darling, should be countercyclical to fat prices

TRS

RAW MATERIAL SOURCING EXPANSION- Wastewater value add;
Access to DAF/SPN from food processing plants diversifies commodity exposure

Rothsay

GEOGRAPHIC EXPANSION OF U.S. FOOTPRINT INTO CANADA Increase of both rendering and biodiesel

VION Ingredients 2014 GLOBAL PRESENCE/PRODUCT LINE EXPANSION INTO FOOD INGREDIENTS
Provides access to raw material sourcing in Europe/Australia/Brazil/China
(Brazil and China areas where animal slaughter will increase);
Product segment diversification: Blood/Gelatin/Casings/Specialty Products;
High added value proposition

Our Strengths Today:

- Strong, market leading position to add value to animal by-products worldwide
- Global platform in the key growth areas for expansion into other activities
- Broadest product portfolio with unique focus on R&D/product development
- Significant cash generation
- INTELLECTUAL AND FINANCIAL PROWESS TO CREATE EXPANDING POSITION SUPPORTING THE ANIMAL BY-PRODUCT/BAKERY/RESTAURANT INDUSTRIES

A World Leader in Bio-Nutrient Transformation

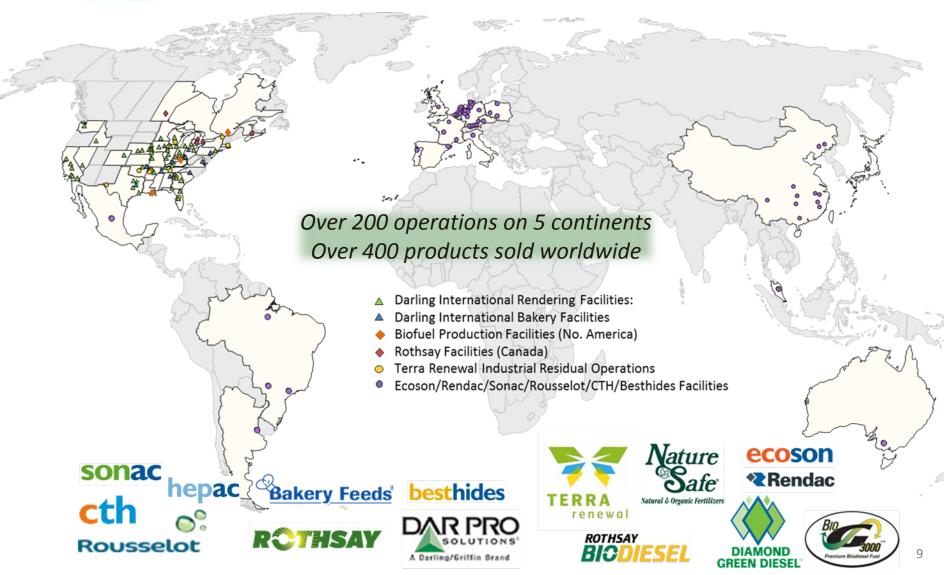
Improvement by Nature

Global footprint: 5 continents Gelatin • Casings **Production facilities:** Over **200 Functional Proteins** Food Founded: 1882 Food Grade Fats Listed: 1994 Heparin **Publicly traded:** NYSE: DAR Proteins • Fats **Principal segments:** Three **Bone China Bodies Products:** 400+ Bakery Feeds • Glue Feed Industries served: Food, pet food, Organic Fertilizers restaurant, feed, Plasmas • Hides pharmaceutical, fuel, fertilizer Biofuels Over \$4.0 billion LTM Sept.'13 pro forma revenue: Fuel Green Gas **Employees:** Approx. **10,000** • Green Electricity **Headquarters:** Irving, Texas, USA



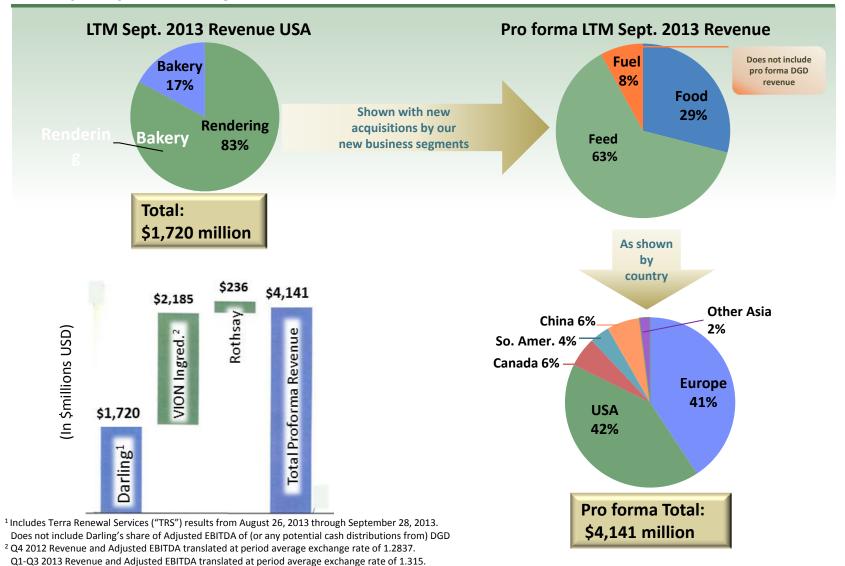


A World Leader in Bio-Nutrient Transformation Improvement by Nature



Year of Tremendous Growth

Uniquely Diversified



Highly Experienced and International Executive Team



Darling International



Continues to explore growth and value creation opportunities

- Entrepreneurship
- Transparency
- Integrity



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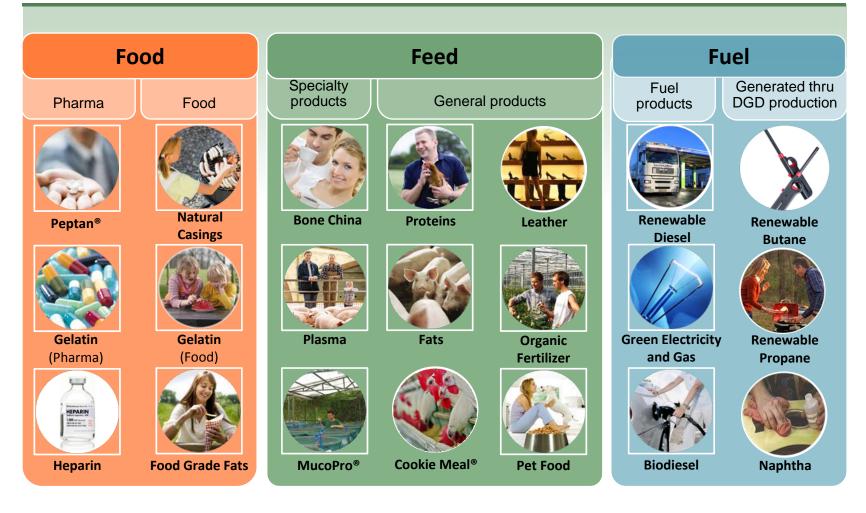
Food, Feed & Fuel

Our New Business Segments



Unique Diversified Portfolio

Provides broad stabilized market exposure worldwide





Research and Development

- Research and development are at our Company's strategic core to achieve
 - product leadership by creating the highest value-add for its raw material and end products
 - strong relationships with our customers by co-development of specific products for their end markets
- Efforts focus on product development as well as continuous improvement of existing products

BP-95

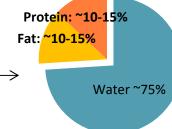
Innovative high functional collagen protein developed for the consumer protein industry

- BP-95 is developed by Darling Ingredients International's R&D team and combines expertise from Sonac and Rousselot activities
- BP-95 is an innovative collagen protein which adds functionality (binding water/ fat) in meat products like hot dogs, salami, cooked hams and luncheon meat
- Main growth areas are the emerging markets
- Strengthens our portfolio of functional proteins for the consumer protein industry

Hexane Extraction

Recovering protein and fat residuals from solids in wastewater for feed and fuel use

- DAF/SPN are solid residuals with nutritional value that are left in the wastewater stream of animal processing and industrial facilities
- Process creates value add products from these recovered fats and protein
- Water is restored at water treatment plants







Our Food Ingredients

Ingredients for living.

Darling's food ingredients are sold to a worldwide market that includes the pharmaceutical, food and cosmetic industries. **Rousselot** is the world's leading supplier of gelatin and collagen peptides to the food and pharmaceutical industries. **Peptan® collagen peptides** have proven their health benefits in nutraceutical and nutricosmetic applications worldwide.

CTH is a turnkey supplier of natural sausage casings on a global scale. **Hepac** delivers heparin to a global pharmaceutical market serving a growing population. **SONAC Fats** holds a leading position in Europe in the production of food grade fats and proteins.









Adding Value in the Food Segment

Source	Raw Material	Activities	Products
ors	Pig skin • Fish skinBovine hides/bonesPorcine bone	Rousselot	 Gelatin Hydrolysates Collagen peptides
Processors	• Fat	sonac	Food grade fatsSchmalz
Meat Pi	Bowel packagesRunners	cth	Natural casings (hanks)Specialty meats
Σ	• Mucosa	hepac	• Heparin



Our Feed Ingredients

Nutrients for growth.

Our feed ingredients compose the largest segment of our business, with sales to feed and pet food manufacturers worldwide or used to produce our own fertilizers. The Company's **DAR PRO Solutions, Rothsay** and **Sonac** brands collect and transform meat and animal by-products into protein meals, fats, minerals and tallows that are value-added nutritional ingredients for the animal feed and pet food industries, as well as bone and blood specialty products.

Bakery Feeds collects residuals from commercial bakery and snack producers, repurposing these materials into Cookie Meal®, a premium, high-energy animal feed ingredient.

Nature Safe manufactures a premium organic fertilizer made from our protein meals; Terra Renewal reclaims the nutritional elements from industrial wastewaters and sludge for agricultural land application.



Key Markets for Feed Ingredients



Adding Value in the Feed Segment

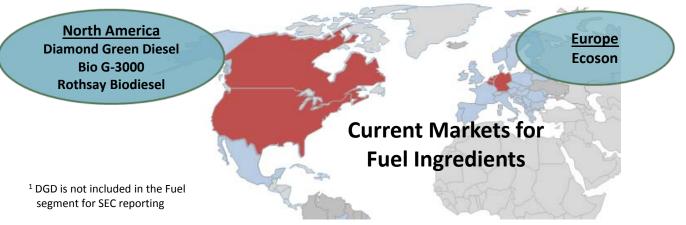
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Source	Raw Material	Activities	Products
Farmers/Meat Processors	Blood • HairMucosa • HidesSoft byproducts	Nature Safe Nature Safe Natural & Organic Fertilizers Darling/Griffin Brand Desthides	 Fats, protein meals, tallow Fertilizer • Prepared hides Bone ash, glue, chips Pet food Plasma
Restaurants/ Grocers	 Used cooking oil Meat processing or butchery by-products Expired grocery meats 	A Darling/Griffin Brand	 Used cooking oil Yellow Grease Fats and tallow Protein meals Pet food
Industrial Facilities	WastewaterSludge material	TERRA renewal	Land applied organic fertilizerResiduals for our extraction facility
Commercial Bakeries	 Residuals from production of cereals, breads, crackers, cookies, etc. Packaging materials 	Bakery Feeds®	• Cookie Meal®, a high-energy ingredient for animal feed

Our Fuel Ingredients

Energy for today's world.

For the past two decades, Darling has led the way in biofuel innovation and development. **Diamond Green Diesel**¹, a partnership with Valero Energy Corp., is the Company's most innovative and largest-scale effort to meet the growing demand for renewable energy. Located in Norco, LA, the facility recycles animal fats and used cooking oils into 137 million gallons per year (or 9,300 barrels per day) of renewable diesel.

Our **Bio-G 3000**, **Rothsay Biodiesel** and **Ecoson** brands also produce biofuels, green electricity and gas, biophosphate and other green energy from organic residuals, manure, animal by-products, fats and cooking oils.







Adding Value in the Fuel Segment

Source	Raw Material	Activities	Products
ırs	 Organic Sludges Drain fat Manure Catering remains 	ecoson	Refined fats • Green gasGreen electricityBiophosphate
Farmers/ it Processors	Fallen stockBy-product residuals	₹ Rendac	Fats & meals for industrial energy production
Fari Meat P	• Animal fats	ROTHSAY BIODIESEL DIAMOND GREEN DIESEL	BiodieselRenewable diesel
	Animal fats	VERSAGEN.	 Specialty methyl-esters Solvents, glycerides

Restaurants/

- Used cooking oil
- Greases and fats
- Animal fats







- Biodiesel
- Renewable diesel



Leader in Biofuel Innovation





Pioneering in 1998

Began the first continuousrunning bio-diesel plant in the U.S. utilizing used cooking oils and animal fats, located in Butler, KY

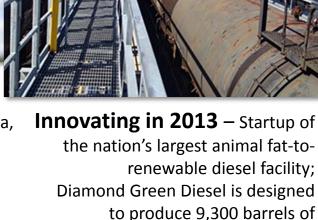


First in Canada- 2001

The first commercial facility in Canada, located near Montreal, Quebec, producing premium biodiesel from used cooking oils and animal fats



Note: Our **Ecoson** and **Rendac** brands also provide biofuel and green energy to segments of the European market

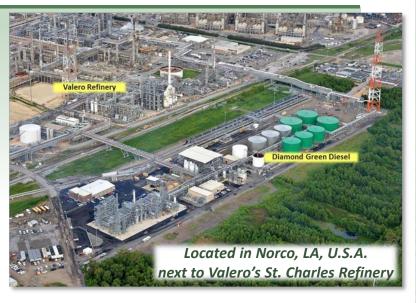






What is Diamond Green Diesel?

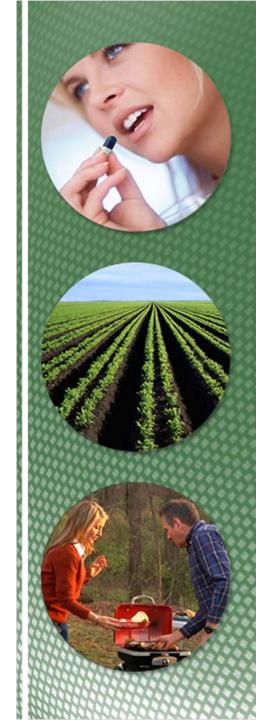
- \$445 million joint venture between Valero Energy Corporation and Darling International to fulfill nearly 15% of the national biomass-based diesel mandate (under RFS2)
- Most economical feedstock available –
 1.135 billion lbs annually
- A low cost producer of biomass-based diesel to the U.S. market
- Annual production of 137 million gallons (or 9,300 barrels/day)
- Advantage of multiple synergies due to location next to Valero's St. Charles refinery –
 Valero markets the renewable diesel, distributing via pipeline using its distribution network
- Renewable butane, renewable propane and NAPTHA are valuable co-products of DGD process



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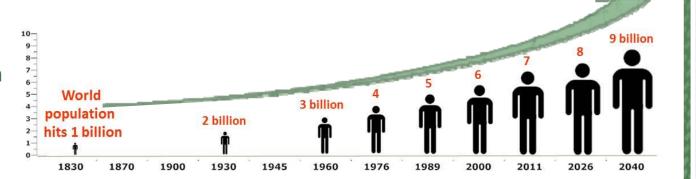
Growth Strategy

How We Will Grow and Sustain Our Business

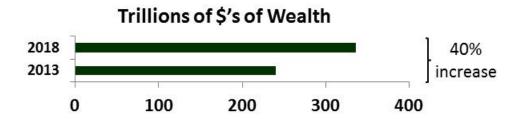


Our growth is a response to our growing world

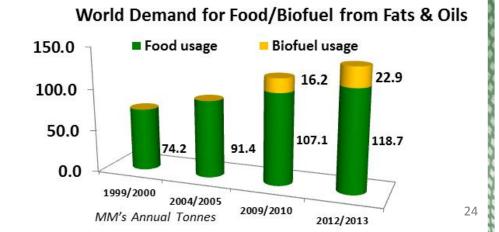
Strong growth in world population...



...and more wealth created in key growth areas (Asia and Latin America)...



...exponentially increases the demand for food, feed and fuel... thus increasing the need for our innovative ingredients and customized services which provide a sustainable means of meeting the world's consumption needs



Darling's growth strategy is centered on...





Strengthen Current Position

- Operational excellence:
 - Optimizing integration of global supply chains
 - Consolidation and realignment across brands of current raw materials, products and services
 - Use advanced and sustainable technology
- Product innovation: Continue to research and evaluate new ideas and uses for our raw materials and develop new products & applications (R&D)
 - **Customer intimacy:** Build strong customer loyalty with increased products and services

Capture Growth Opportunities

- **Greenfield:** Expand our operation facilities in new growing markets through our global platforms
- Acquisitions: Strategically grow our business through acquisitions in growing and fragmented areas
- Expansions: Expansions of our existing operating facilities

...while holding to our core values:

Entrepreneurship, Transparency and Integrity

Darling targets employing capital at a 15% or higher rate while maintaining a conservative balance sheet

How we accomplish our growth goals...

Identify the world population's challenging food, feed and fuel needs

Maximize the valuation of our raw materials by focusing on their highest and best possible use

Develop new products and applications and grow geographically to answer these needs

Success

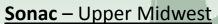
is consistently providing maximum value to the supply chain



Capture Growth Opportunities

North America





- Expansion of blood plants in US/Canada
- Grow hemoglobin/plasma business

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Rothsay - Canada

- Grow the used cooking oil/ restaurant services and Terra Renewal Services
- Optimize finished product margins
- Potential investment in new bone facilities

Diamond Green Diesel - Norco, LA

Renewable diesel expansion

sonac



Rousselot

 Continued USA expansion of gelatin business



Capture Growth Opportunities

North America



Currently operating one plant in Hampton, FL

Hexane Extraction

What is it?

- Protein and fat recovery process from industrial residuals
- Discovering additional value and products
- Restoring water stream to water treatment plants

Growth Opportunities

 Explore new extraction plant construction

Combine Synergies:

 Solid and semi-solid residuals from Terra's processing will be further refined through our Hexane extraction process

Current Terra Renewal operations

Terra Renewal

Permitted and active for land application in blue states

What is it?

- Repurposing nutrient-rich industrial residuals into eco-friendly fertilizer
- Professional service and equipment
- 250,000 acres permitted
- Environmentally sound

Growth Opportunities

- Grow wastewater solids recovery
- Expand across **USA & Canada**
- Bundle services with key customers



Capture Growth Opportunities South America

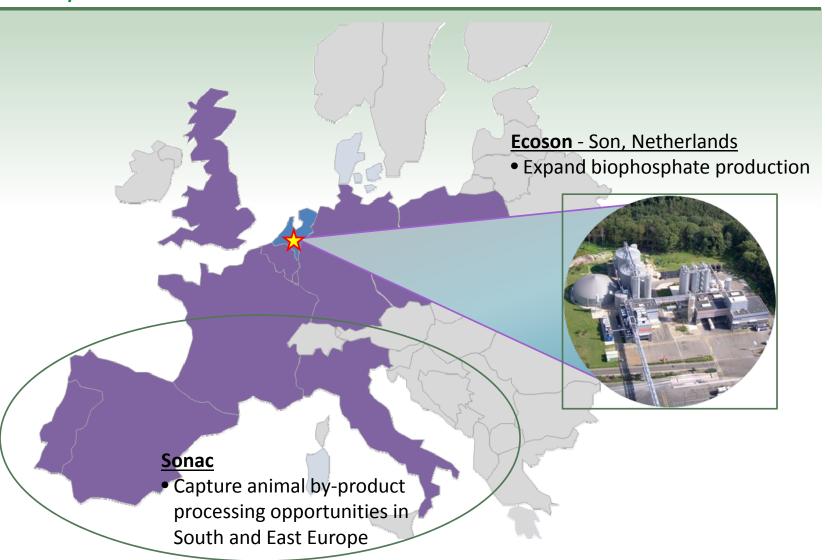




Capture Growth Opportunities

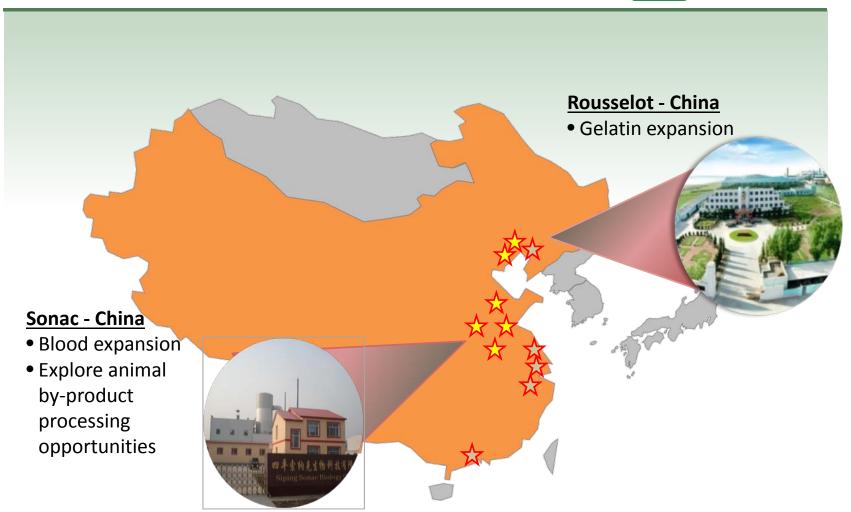
Europe





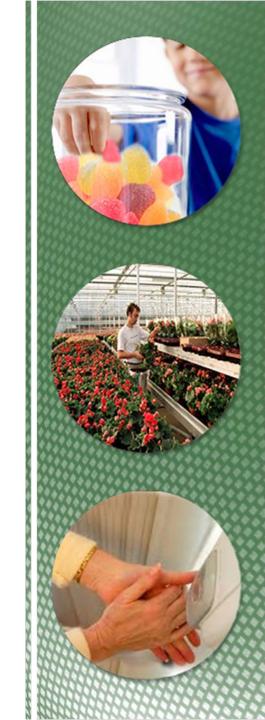
Growth Opportunities *China*





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Financials



Historical Darling Operating Performance



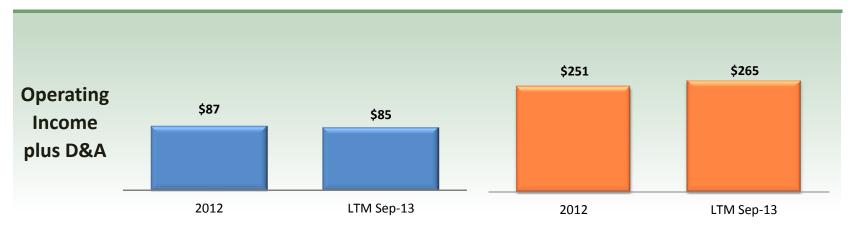


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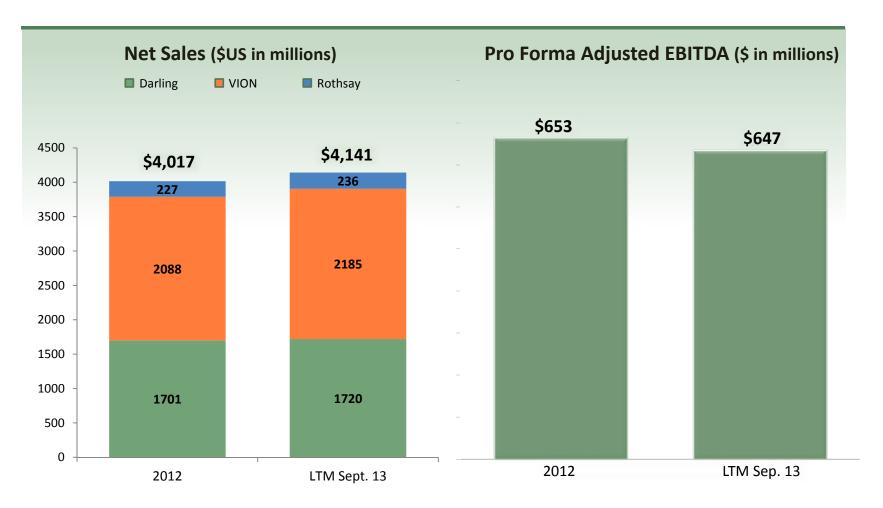
Historical Rothsay and VION Operating Performance







Pro Forma Operating Performance



Note: The 2012 and LTM Sep-13 periods do not include financial impact of Diamond Green Diesel or TRS (other than in the LTM Sep-13 period which includes TRS results from August 26, 2013 through September 28, 2013; for a reconciliation to LTM figures, please see page 39). Numbers may not add to total due to rounding.



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Appendix



Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Items

Darling								
(mm in USD)	Anr	nual	Nine Months En	LTM				
	2011	2012	2012	2013	Sep-2013			
Net Sales	\$ 1,797	\$ 1,701	\$ 1,277	\$ 1,295	\$ 1,720			
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 393	\$ 317	\$ 245	\$ 218	\$ 290			
Capital Expenditures	\$ 60	\$ 115	\$ 84	\$ 86	\$ 117			
VION								

	VION			
(mm in USD)	Annual	Nine Months Er	LTM	
	2012	2012	2013	Sep-2013
Operating Income	\$ 167	\$ 126	\$ 142	\$ 183
Plus: Depreciation and Amortization	\$ 84	\$ 58	\$ 55	\$ 82
Operating Income plus Depreciation and Amortization	\$ 251	\$ 183	\$ 197	\$ 265

Rothsay								
(mm in USD)	Anr	nual	Nine Months Er	LTM				
	2011	2012	2012	2013	Sep-2013			
Net Revenues	\$ 223	\$ 227	\$ 172	\$ 181	\$ 236			
Net Revenues less Direct Costs and Operating Expenses	\$ 87	\$ 73	\$ 58	\$ 57	\$ 72			
Plus: Depreciation	\$ 12	\$ 14	\$ 10	\$ 10	\$ 13			
Operating Income plus Depreciation	\$ 99	\$ 87	\$ 68	\$ 66	\$ 85			



Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation

Historical Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation (\$ millions)

Pro Forma Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation¹ (\$ millions)

	Darling FYE 2005	Darling FYE 2006	Darling FYE 2007	Darling FYE 2008	Darling FYE 2009	Darling FYE 2010	Darling FYE 2011	Darling FYE 2012	Pro Forma Combined FYE 2012	Pro Forma Combined LTM Sep-13
Net Income	\$8	\$5	\$46	\$55	\$42	\$44	\$169	\$131	\$183	\$182
Depreciation	15	21	23	24	25	32	79	85	243	245
Goodwill impairment	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0
Acquisition costs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Interest expense	6	7	5	3	3	9	37	24	125	125
Income tax expense	3	2	29	35	25	26	103	76	99	99
Other, net	(0)	5	1	(0)	1	3	3	(2)	(10)	(8)
Equity in net (income)/loss of unconsolidated subsidiary	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	3	(8)
Non-controlling interest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	10
Adjusted EBITDA - Pro Forma	\$32	\$40	\$104	\$133	\$96	\$114	\$393	\$317	\$653	\$647

Source: Management



¹ Amounts for Rothsay and VION represent their historical results after giving effect to the pro forma adjustments to such amounts reflected in the unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated financial information of Darling International Inc.

Q&A



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