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# Creating an even stronger Weir

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### US\$1,285m mining acquisition and intention to sell Flow Control

#### Acquisition of ESCO, the premium brand in Ground Engaging Tools (GET)

• Global market leader with c.40%<sup>1</sup> share of surface mining; c.90% aftermarket

#### Focusing the portfolio on highly abrasive aftermarket-intensive applications

• Increasing exposure to more resilient and higher margin Minerals and Oil & Gas revenues

#### Creating a unique mining services provider

The only provider of mission critical solutions from extraction to concentration

#### Significant value creation opportunities across the combined business

• US\$30m cost synergies in base case; further benefits from leveraging global network & technology

#### **Financial discipline**

• 12.6x 2018E EV/EBITDA<sup>2</sup>; expected EPS accretive in first full year; ROCE > WACC expected in year 3

#### Mix of consideration: 41% equity, 59% cash

• Cash funded through debt and the proceeds from a 7.4% placing; 2018E Net Debt/EBITDA<sup>2</sup> c. 2.0x

#### Weir trading update: Strong Q1 order momentum as expected

• Group orders +22%, Minerals orders +13%; full year expectations unchanged

#### Highly abrasive, aftermarket intensive

### 55% Minerals<sup>1</sup>



- Aligned to structural growth trends
- Strong market shares, high barriers
- High margin; strong returns on capital

## **30% Oil & Gas**<sup>1</sup>



- Aligned to growth in NAM unconventional
- Leading provider: frack pumps & flow iron
- More cyclical but high margin and returns

#### Intention to sell

## **15% Flow Control<sup>1</sup>**



- Growing energy demand
- Niche positions in fragmented market
- Would benefit from prioritisation and scale

Mission critical	$\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$	$\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$	$\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$
Highly engineered	$\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$	$\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$	$\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$
Intensive aftermarket	$\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$	$\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$	
Global support	$\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$	$\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$	$\checkmark$

1. Based on 2017 revenues.

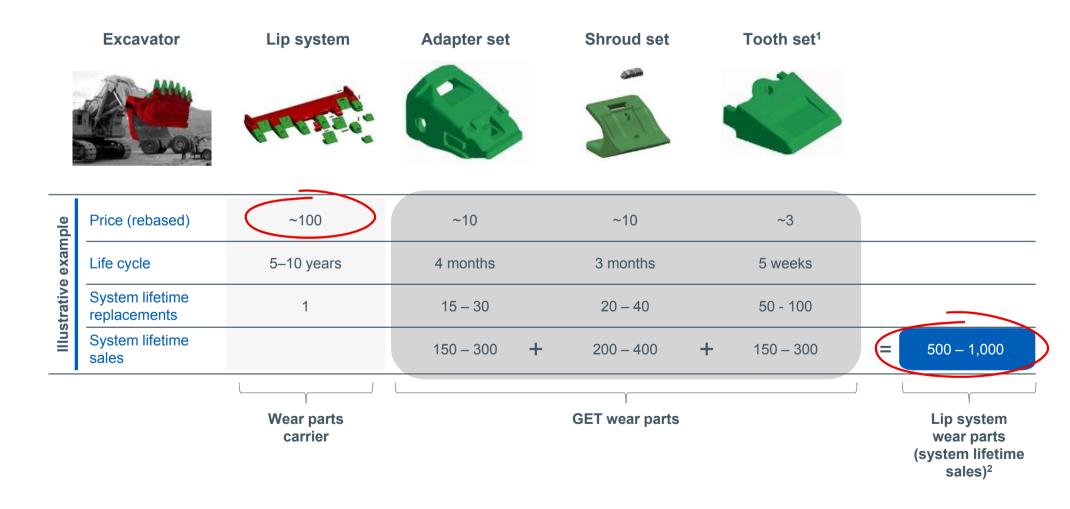
### **Acquisition of ESCO:** Highly engineered Ground Engaging Tools



#### An adjacent business that shares characteristics with Weir Minerals



## ESCO lip system drives **5-10X** its value in aftermarket sales



Source: ESCO Corporation

- 1 Price based on the cost of a set of multiple teeth representing a full complement for a lip system
- 2 Sales may vary depending on application



Family owned with 105 year history

**Commitment to innovation and technology** 

High quality, long standing team

Strong corporate governance

**Continued stake in combined business** 







## Execute

## Grow

## Transform

#### 1. Deliver on our financial criteria

- Forecast mid-single digit GET market growth
- US\$30m annualised synergies
- Opportunity to improve ESCO EBITA margins towards lower end of Weir Minerals range

#### 2. Value creation opportunities

- Leverage unrivalled global network
- Creating a unique mining services
   provider
- Impact of complementary technology

#### 3. Long-term benefits

- Move to optimal organisational model
- Platform for further product extensions
- Realise technology synergies

#### **Execute:** A global business of scale



#### **ESCO** Facilities

- **10** manufacturing sites
- 6 foundries:
  - 2x US, Canada, Chile, 2x China
- 22 service centres

#### **ESCO Customers**

- Top **10** global mining companies
- No customer >5% revenue
- c. 33% of revenues from construction, aggregates and infrastructure

#### **Right time in the mining cycle**

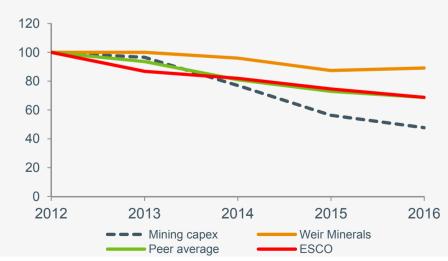
Multi-year growth forecast as industry shifts back to investment and growth

Aftermarket supported by market fundamentals; increasing production and declining ore grades

Multi year mining capex growth forecasted<sup>1</sup>



#### **Right time in the development of ESCO**



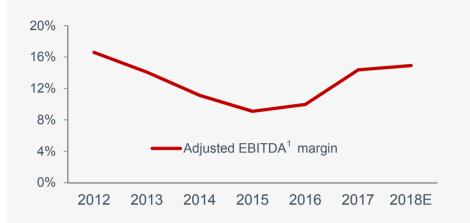
Revenue traded in line with peers during downturn<sup>2,3</sup>



**Revenue<sup>4</sup> growing strongly in the recovery** 

1 CRU February 2018. 2. Constant currency revenue trend, rebased to 100. 3. Peers include Atlas Copco, Sandvik, Metso, FLSmidth, Outotec. 4. Constant currency.

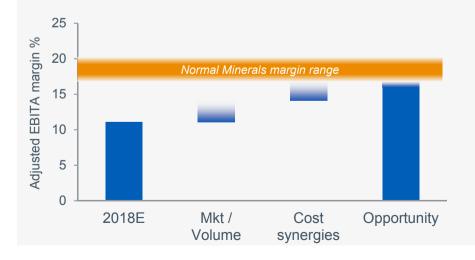
#### **Historic performance (EBITDA %)**



- EBITDA<sup>1</sup> margins impacted by volume
- Significant restructuring undertaken
- Strong start to 2018

#### Base case: future opportunity

**Opportunity to improve EBITA margins towards lower end of Weir Minerals range** 



- Market growth: mid-single digit %
- Cost synergies US\$30m by year 3
- Costs to achieve c.1.5x

1. Adjusted EBITDA is operating profit from continuing operations before exceptional items, intangibles amortisation and depreciation. 2017 and 2018 are adjusted to align with Weir's accounting policies as they will apply going forward.

Transaction value	•	Equity Value: US\$1,051m Enterprise Value: US\$1,285m est.				
EV/EBITDA <sup>1</sup>		2018E (pre-synergies): 12.6x 2018E (post-synergies): ~10x incl. run rate synergies				
Cost synergies	•	US\$30m annualised in third full year				
EPS	•	Expected to be accretive in first full year				
ROCE	•	Expected to exceed Group's WACC in third full year				



#### **Acquisition Mechanics**

ESCO shareholders to receive 41% of consideration in Weir shares

•  $\sim 6\%^3$  pro forma ownership of Weir; >50% locked up for 6 months post completion

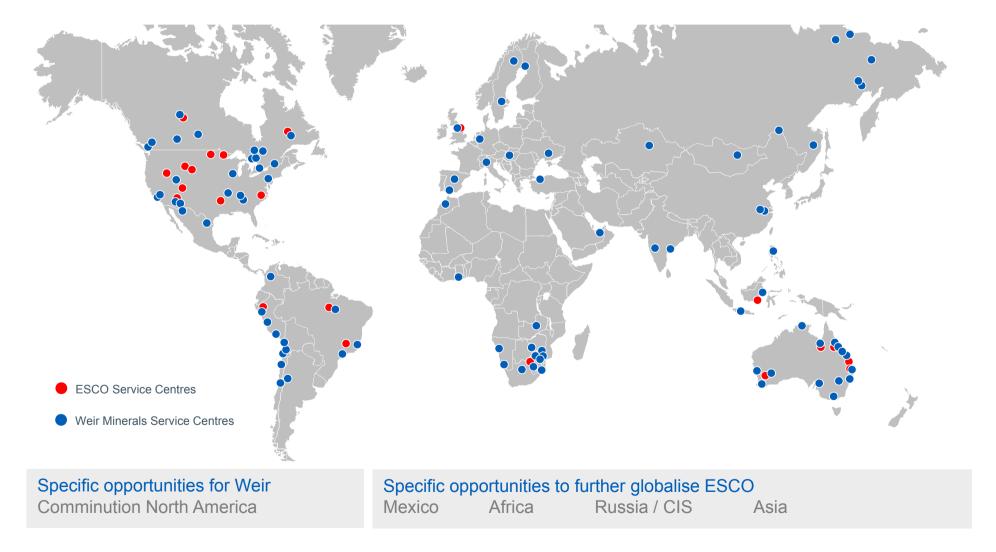
Unanimously approved by the ESCO board

- Voting undertakings received from the required majority of shareholders
- ESCO shareholder vote on or around 7 May 2018
- Customary deal protection

Closing expected in early Q3

• Conditional on anti-trust and other customary conditions

## Weir has $\sim 4x$ the service centre coverage



1. Map excludes ESCO and Weir facilities without service centres, i.e. head offices, sales offices, manufacturing centres

#### **Grow:** Complementary technology







## Weir technology objective

## Weir strategic innovation priorities

Increase revenues from new solutions Material science

Digital transformation

Advanced manufacturing

#### **Complementary capabilities**

- Bringing together some of the world's best metallurgists
- Cross fertilisation Weir strength in chrome iron; ESCO strength in steel alloys
- Understanding of wear mechanisms
- Embedded sensors: measuring impact and wear to improve future design
- Aligned big data / analytics strategy at similar stage of implementation
- Foundry expertise in simulation, methoding & casting
- Bringing together emerging capabilities in cladding and laser deposition.

#### Q1 2018 order trends

Group:	+22% with all divisions ahead of the prior year
Minerals:	+13% with strong demand for both OE and AM
Oil & Gas:	+50% driven by pressure pumping demand
Flow Control:	+2% with encouraging growth trends

#### **Full-year expectations unchanged**

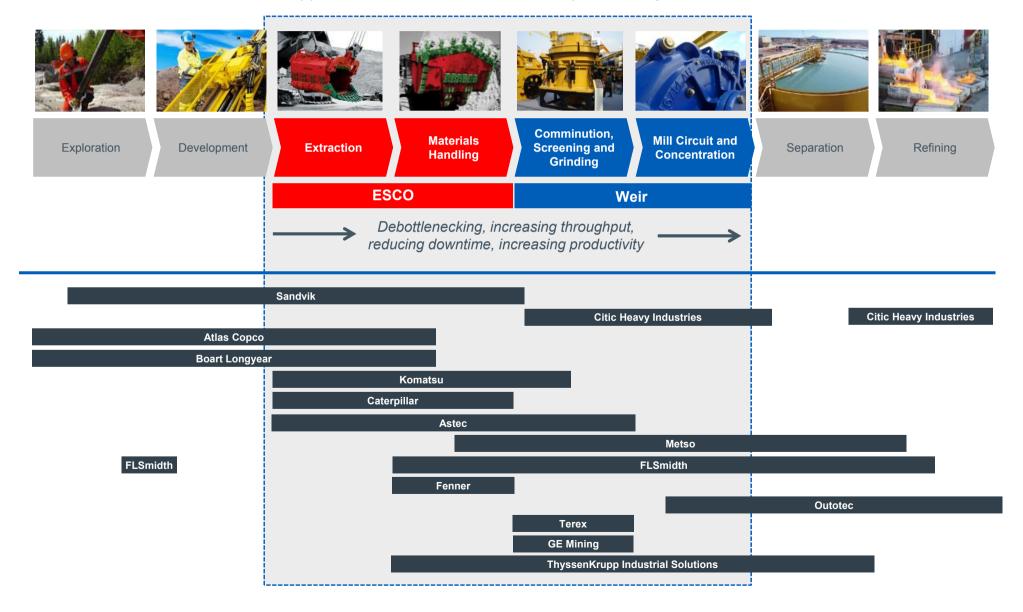
"Our good start to the year reflects our anticipated progress at this stage of 2018 and our full year outlook of strong constant currency revenue and profit growth remains unchanged"

Jon Stanton, Weir Group CEO

#### Transform: Creating a unique mining services provider

### The **ONY** provider from extraction to concentration

Broadens portfolio of solutions to enhance customer productivity Supplier consolidation drives efficiency for mining customers



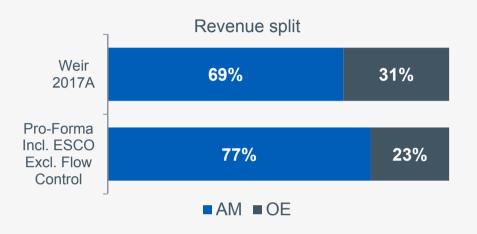
#### A portfolio of global leading brands



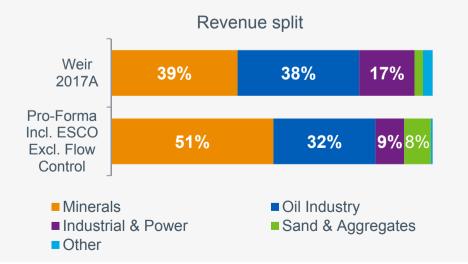




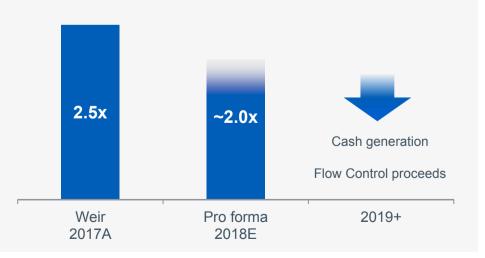
#### **Exposure to resilient aftermarket**



#### Focusing on highly abrasive upstream



#### Financial strength to invest in growth<sup>1</sup>



#### Creating an even stronger Weir

- ✓ Focusing the portfolio on Minerals and Oil & Gas; intention to sell Flow Control
- $\checkmark\,$  ESCO is the right acquisition at the right time
- ✓ Financial criteria achieved under base case assumptions
- ✓ Platform for further growth: revenue synergies first, then transformation
- ✓ Mix of consideration: 41% equity; 59% cash
- ✓ Launching a 7.4% equity placing via accelerated book build

#### **Delivering financial criteria**

Transaction value	Equity Value: US\$1,051m / Enterprise Value: US\$1,285m est.
	• 2017A: 14.3x
EV/EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	<ul> <li>2018E (pre-synergies): 12.6x</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>2018E (post-synergies): ~10x incl. run rate synergies</li> </ul>
Cost synergies	<ul> <li>US\$30m annualised in third full year; cost of delivery ~1.5x</li> </ul>
EPS	Expected to be accretive in first full year
ROCE	Expected to exceed Group's WACC in third full year

#### **Financial discipline**

Consideration mix		ESCO to receive 59% in cash and 41% in Weir shares		
Equity placing as % of Weir market cap	٠	Cash consideration part funded with 7.4% primary placing, executed by ABB		
ESCO pro forma ownership in Weir		ESCO shareholders to own ~6% pro forma ownership of Weir; >50% <sup>2</sup> locked up for 6 months post completion <sup>2</sup>		
Pro forma Net debt / EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	•	2018E pro forma leverage around 2.0x		

#### **Completion mechanics**

ESCO shareholder meeting	٠	Held on or around 7 May 2018
ESCO shareholder vote	٠	Voting undertakings received from the required majority of shareholders
Expected completion	٠	Early Q3 2018
Closing conditions	٠	Conditional on certain anti-trust approvals and other customary conditions

1 EBITDA pro forma adjusted. 2 Based on Weir share price of 2,060p (as at 16-Apr-2018), GBP/USD FX rate of 1.4298. 2 Shareholders owning 42% of ESCO shares have agreed to a lock-up. Estimated 80% of ESCO shareholders are qualified accredited investors

Reported growth <sup>1</sup>						Like for like growth <sup>1, 2</sup>				
Division	2017 Q1	2017 Q2	2017 Q3	2017 Q4	2018 Q1	2017 Q1	2017 Q2	2017 Q3	2017 Q4	2018 Q1
Original Equipment	4%	25%	19%	10%	19%	4%	25%	19%	10%	19%
Aftermarket	13%	7%	9%	8%	11%	13%	7%	9%	8%	11%
Minerals	10%	12%	12%	9%	13%	10%	12%	12%	9%	13%
Original Equipment	56%	143%	92%	130%	91%	56%	143%	82%	97%	84%
Aftermarket	48%	98%	52%	46%	40%	48%	98%	50%	43%	38%
Oil & Gas	50%	106%	59%	60%	50%	50%	106%	56%	52%	47%
Original Equipment	-18%	-33%	-8%	-1%	-3%	-18%	-33%	-8%	-1%	-3%
Aftermarket	-3%	6%	7%	17%	6%	-3%	6%	7%	17%	6%
Flow Control	-11%	-15%	-2%	6%	2%	-11%	-15%	-2%	6%	2%
Original Equipment	5%	19%	21%	23%	27%	5%	19%	20%	18%	26%
Aftermarket	21%	27%	22%	20%	19%	21%	27%	21%	19%	19%
Continuing Ops <sup>1</sup>	15%	24%	21%	21%	22%	15%	24%	21%	19%	21%
Book to Bill	1.14	1.06	0.95	0.94	1.14	1.14	1.06	0.95	0.94	1.14

<sup>1</sup> Continuing operations (excludes American Hydro Corporation and YES which were disposed of in Q2 2016).
 <sup>2</sup> Like-for-like excludes the impact of acquisitions. KOP was acquired on 27 July 2017 and excluded for 2017.

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