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A Seasoned Leadership Team...

Mike Golden, President, CEO Leland Nichols, COO John Kelly, CFO Tom Taylor, VP Marketing Ken Chandler, VP Operations Barbara Hunnicutt, VP Licensing







Company Profile

- 154 Year Old American Company
 - Largest U.S. Manufacturer/Exporter of Handguns
 - Largest U.S. Manufacturer of Handcuffs
 - Market Share: #1 in Revolvers, #3 in Pistols
 - New entrant in Tactical Rifle Market
- 736 Employees
- Union-Free, U.S. Manufacturing:
 - Springfield, Massachusetts
 - Houlton, Maine
- Brand Awareness: 87%





S&W: 87% Brand Awareness

Extremely high in our served markets, and in markets we do not serve today:

A company-sponsored, 2004 survey asked consumers about their purchase intent for the following products & services. S&W ranked as follows:

Revolvers	#1	(served)
Pistols	#1	(served)
Tactical Rifles	#1	(entered 2006)
Hunting Rifles	#3	(not served)
Shotguns	#3	(not served)
Security Systems	#3	(not served)
Ammunition	#4	(not served)

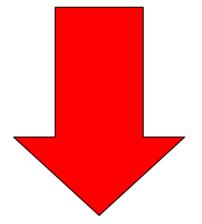
Source: American Sports Data - Nov, 2004





Executing on the Strategy

Yesterday: Selling Handguns in the U.S. Sporting Goods Channel



Today: A Global Leader in Safety...Security...Protection...Sport





Growth Strategy

Use "Safety-Security-Protection-Sport" platform to enter new markets while driving CAGR of 14%-18% in core business in fiscal 2007.

Brand Development

- Re-invent the legacy
- Key to new market entry
- Licensing opportunities
- Marketing initiatives

Existing Handgun Business

- Innovative New Products
- Sporting Goods
- Law Enforcement
- Military/Federal Government
- International

New Market Possibilities

- Long Guns
- Training/Ranges
- Less Lethal
- Ammunition
- Firearms Accessories
- Security Systems
- Criminal Investigation
- Homeland Defense
 Products/Services

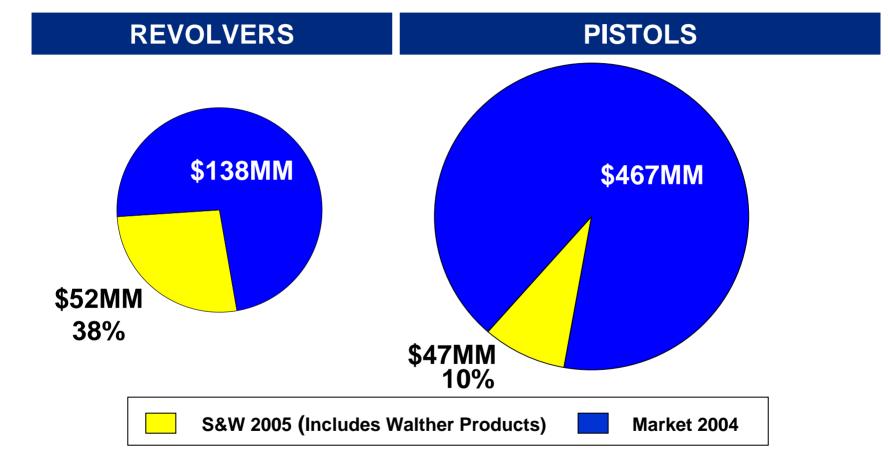






Revolver / Pistol Market: \$605MM

2004 (CALENDAR) U.S. DOMESTIC NON-MILITARY MARKET -2005 (FISCAL) S&W SALES



SOURCE: BATF 2004 Excise Tax Study & Smith & Wesson Management Estimates



Innovative New Products





Pistol Series





Introducing the Smith & Wesson Military & Police Pistol





- Engineered with input from over a dozen LE and military organizations
 - Enhanced versatility, durability, safety
- Competitively priced, feature rich, designed for LE and military markets
- World class product introduction
- First units shipped December 5, 2005
 - 23 LE dept. purchase orders in-hand
 - <u>35 additional LE dept. approvals earned</u>







Channel Management Strategy









Sporting Goods Channel

- Growth in FY 2006:
 - Sporting Goods Revenue: +19.4% (Q4 + 32%)
 - Engraving/Performance Center & Commemoratives: +250%
- Direct Force of 30 U.S. Sales Employees
- New Product Support:
 - SW460
 - M&P40
 - M&P9
 - M&P15 Tactical Rifle Series
- Consumer Promotions Focusing on "Pull"
 - Shooting for Hawaii
 - NASCAR
 - Consistent consumer incentives

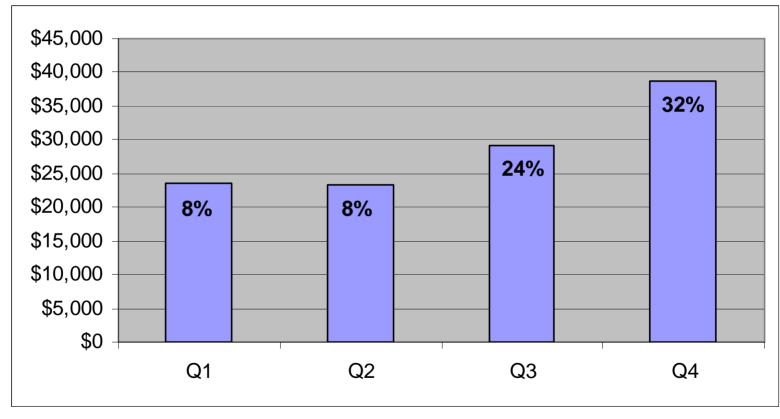






Sales Growth

FY 2006 Sales into Sporting Goods Channel



*In millions







Military/Federal Government Channel

- Growth in FY 2006 :
 - Military/Federal Law Enforcement: \$11.0M versus \$0 in FY 2005
 - Experienced Leadership: Ernest Langdon
 - Highly-regarded in law enforcement & military arena
- Military Orders Received:
 - Four Orders (75K units) from U.S. Government for Afghanistan Army
- Major lobbying firm is driving:
 - Increased visibility in Washington for new contracts
 - Regular CEO & COO visits to Washington, DC
- New Product Support:
 - M&P9 and M&P40 Polymer Pistols
 - M&P15 Tactical Rifles





Law Enforcement Channel

- Experienced Leadership: Bryan James, Dir. Law Enforcement Sales, formerly Glock
- Expanded Sales Organization:
 - 8 Regional Sales Managers, including top Glock sales execs
- New Product Support:
 - M&P40 aimed at domestic law enforcement
 - Orders received from 23 law enforcement agencies
 - Approvals received from 35 additional agencies
 - M&P9 Launched May, 2006:
 - Domestic & international focus
 - M&P15 & M&P15T Providing police with SWAT capability







International Channel

- Growth in FY 2006 : +58%
- Established & expanding sales channel and revenue base
 - Upgrading sales agents to enhance contacts in police/military
 - Europe, Latin America, Asia, Middle East
- New Product Support:
 - M&P9: Domestic & international markets (NATO approved)
- Lobbying focus:
 - Shorten Federal export approval timeline
 - Raise \$1,000,000 Congressional approval export threshold



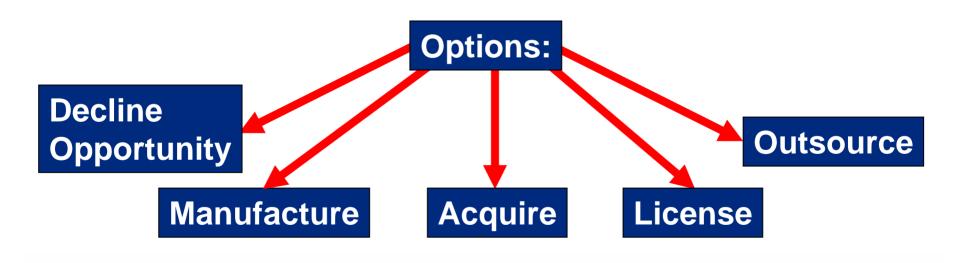


New Market Opportunities & Options

Safety...Security...Protection...Sport

- Long Guns \leq
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- Training/Ranges
- Ammunition
- Security Systems

- Criminal Investigation
- Homeland Defense Products/Services
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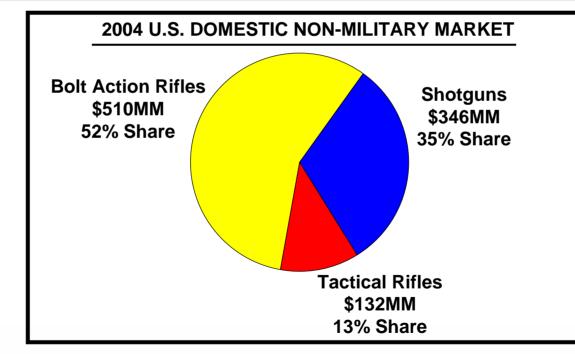


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Entering New Markets: Tactical Rifles

- Consumers say S&W should be in tactical rifles
- Tactical rifles are the fastest growing segment in the long gun market
- Sporting Goods channel is underserved by premium tactical rifles
- M&P15 & M&P15T are expansions of Military & Police family of products



SOURCE: BATF 2004 Excise Tax Study and Smith & Wesson Management Estimates



Smith & Wesson M&P15 Rifle Series



- Concept to first shipment: 6 months
- Test & evaluation unit requests from 80 law enforcement agencies
- 10 LE orders received:

Including Las Vegas Metro P.D.

• Target: 10%-15% market share in year one

"If you're a fan of the M4A1 Carbine, I can assure you that the new M&P Carbine is as good as it gets."

- Gary Paul Johnson, SWAT Magazine, SHOT Show Edition







Driving Brand Value: Licensing

- Upgrading Licensee Portfolio:
 - Sentry Safe
 - Radiator Specialty (gun cleaning products)
 - Hats and Tees
 - Automotive Aftermarket Accessories
 - New Possibilities: Monitored Security Systems, Ammunition
- Focus: Use licensing to enter new markets, serve brand loyalty opportunities, and aggressively pursue initiatives that fall within:

Safety...Security...Protection...Sport & Brand Loyalty

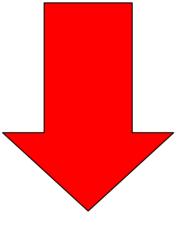






The Brand: Re-Inventing a Legacy

Yesterday: An Inconsistent Message to a Limited Audience



Today: A "Loud" and Visible Brand With a Consistent Message to a Diverse Audience





The Brand: Marketing Initiatives

NASCAR





Customer Affinity Programs:









Enhancing Productivity

- Achievements through FY 2006:
 - Held inventory flat while growing sales +27%
 - On time delivery improved from 60% to 85%
 - Machine uptime improved from 60% to 80%
- Implementing <u>Smith & Wesson Operating System</u>
 - Based on Toyota Production System
 - Problem-Solving Process Development
 - Standardize approach & deliver solutions faster
- Equipment Technology Upgrade
 - Technology Cell Pistol Manufacturing
 - New machining / Equipment re-furbishing
- Strong Team Supporting:
 - Operations and new product development





Legislative Environment

Protection of Lawful Commerce in Arms Act Signed into law October, 2005

• Pursuing Opportunities in Washington to:

- Raise Export Approval Threshold
- Secure U.S. Military Pistol Opportunity
- Supply Iraq / Afghanistan Weapons & Restraints
- Win Federal Agency Orders (FBI, NSA, DEA, etc.)





Income Statement Summary

Year			
	2004	2005	2006
Revenue	\$117.9	\$124.0	\$157.9
Gross Profit	\$39.1	\$40.9	\$49.6
Operating Income	\$4.8	\$11.2	\$14.5
Net Income	\$0.8	\$5.2	\$8.7
EPS	\$0.02	\$0.14	\$0.22

Sales +27%

Net Income +67%

*In millions except for per share data





Balance Sheet Summary

April 30 2006				
Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$0.7			
Accounts Receivable	\$27.4			
Working Capital	\$21.5			
Accounts Payable	\$13.6			
Notes Payable	\$14.3			
Equity	\$41.3			
Total Shares Outstanding	\$39.2			

*In Millions



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Annual Guidance

	FY2007 Guidance	FY2006 Actual	FY2005 Actual
New Product Sales	\$180-\$186MM +14-18%	+157.9MM	\$124.0MM
Income	\$12.5-13.5MM	\$8.7M	\$5.2MM
Earnings per Fully Diluted Share:	\$0.30-\$0.32	\$0.22	\$.14





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