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Brady Corporation F'20 Q1 Financial Results

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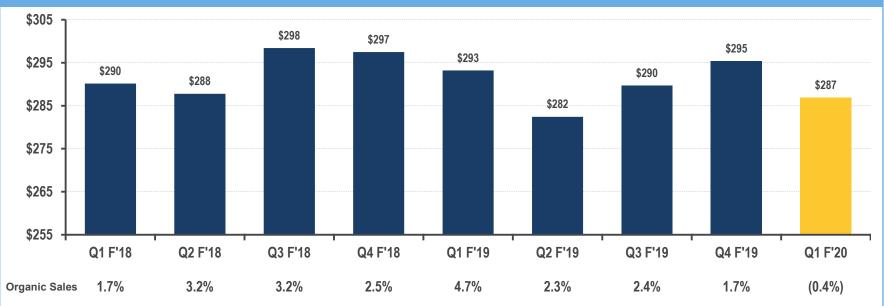
Q1 F'20 Financial Summary

- Sales were \$286.9M in Q1 of F'20 compared with \$293.2M in Q1 of F'19.
 - Organic sales decreased 0.4%.
 - Foreign currency translation decreased sales 1.7%.
- Gross profit margin of 49.3% in Q1 of F'20 compared with 50.0% in Q1 of F'19.
- SG&A expense of \$89.5M (31.2% of sales) in Q1 of F'20 compared with \$94.6M (32.3% of sales) in Q1 of F'19.
- R&D expense of \$11.0M (3.8% of sales) in Q1 of F'20 compared with \$11.3M (3.9% of sales) in Q1 of F'19.
- Income before income taxes of \$41.6M in Q1 of F'20 compared with \$39.9M in Q1 of F'19.
- Income tax rate of 9.8% in Q1 of F'20 compared with 23.2% in Q1 of F'19.
- Net income per Class A Diluted Nonvoting Common Share of \$0.70 in Q1 of F'20 compared with \$0.58 in Q1 of F'19.



Sales Overview

SALES



Q1 F'20 SALES:

- 0.4% decrease in organic sales:
 - ID Solutions Organic sales decreased 0.2%.
 - Workplace Safety Organic sales decreased 0.8%.
- 1.7% decrease due to foreign currency translation.

Q1 F'20 SALES COMMENTARY:

- ID Solutions Organic sales increased in the Americas and decreased in Europe and Asia.
- Workplace Safety The rate of organic sales decline lessened in North America.
- Foreign currency translation had a negative impact on sales in the quarter.

(millions of USD)



Gross Profit Margin

GROSS PROFIT & GPM%



Q1 F'20 – GROSS PROFIT MARGIN:

- Gross profit margin of 49.3% compared to 50.0% in Q1 of F'19.
- Costs increased in certain areas including personnel and raw materials.
- We continue to invest in automation and manufacturing efficiencies to offset cost increases.



(millions of USD)

SG&A Expense



SG&A EXPENSE AND SG&A EXPENSE AS A % of SALES

(millions of USD)

Q1 F'20 – SG&A EXPENSE:

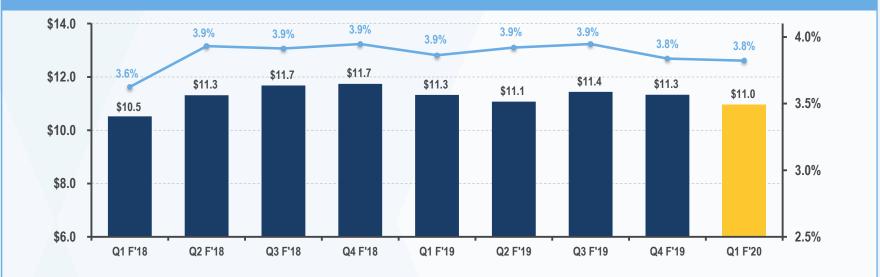
- SG&A expense was \$89.5M (31.2% of sales) in Q1 of F'20 compared to \$94.6M (32.3% of sales) in Q1 of F'19.
- Approximately two-thirds of the decrease in SG&A expense was due to on-going efficiency gains and approximately one-third of the decrease was due to foreign currency translation.
- We continue to drive sustainable efficiency gains in administrative expenses and non-customer facing selling expenses while investing in sales-generating resources.



R&D Expense

R&D EXPENSE AND R&D EXPENSE AS A % of SALES

(millions of USD)



Q1 F'20 – R&D EXPENSE:

- Investing in R&D to drive future organic sales growth.
- Improved new product pipeline.
- Focused on ensuring our R&D spend is efficient and effective.



Income Before Income Taxes

INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES



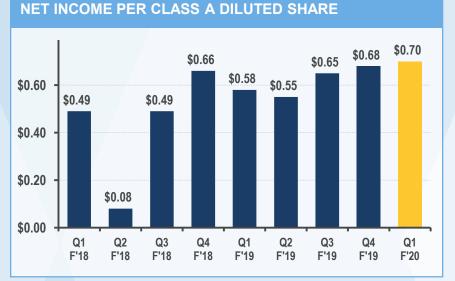


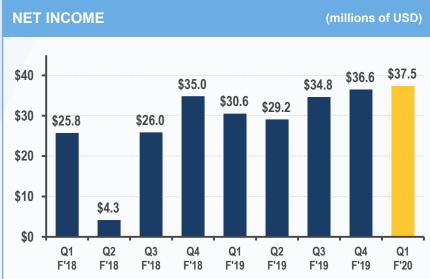
Q1 F'20 - INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES:

- Income before income taxes was \$41.6M in Q1 of F'20 compared to \$39.9M in Q1 of F'19.
- The increase in pre-tax income was primarily driven by on-going efficiency activities.



Net Income & Diluted EPS





Q1 F'20 – NET INCOME & DILUTED EPS:

- Net income was \$37.5M in Q1 of F'20 compared to \$30.6M in Q1 of F'19.
- The income tax rate was 9.8% in Q1 of F'20 compared to 23.2% in Q1 of F'19. The income tax rate in Q1 of F'20 was favorably impacted by the settlement of a tax audit and the positive impact of equity-based compensation activity.
- Diluted EPS was \$0.70 in Q1 of F'20 compared to \$0.58 in Q1 of F'19.



Cash Generation & Uses

CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

\$7.7

Q2

F'18

Q3

F'18

Q4

F'18

\$70

\$60

\$50

\$40

\$30

\$20

\$10

\$0

Q1

F'18



Q1

F'19

Q2

F'19

Q3

F'19

(millions of USD)

Q4

F'19

Q1

F'20

(millions of USD)	3 Mos. Ended Oct. 31, 2019		3 Mos. Ended Oct. 31, 2018	
Cash Balance - Beginning of Period	\$	279.1	\$	181.4
Cash Flow from Operating Activities		38.8		18.8
Capital Expenditures		(7.7)		(6.0)
Dividends		(11.5)		(11.1)
Debt Borrowings (Repayments) - Net		-		3.5
Effect of Exchange Rates on Cash		(0.3)		(3.1)
Other		(3.3)		8.7
Cash Balance - End of Period	\$	295.1	\$	192.2

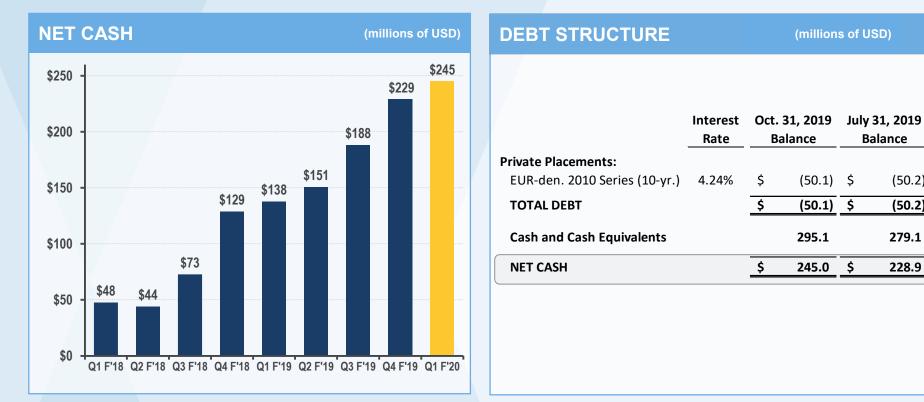
CASH FLOWS IN Q1 OF F'20:

- Cash flow from operating activities was \$38.8M in Q1 of F'20 compared to \$18.8M in Q1 of F'19.
- Free cash flow* was \$31.1M in Q1 of F'20 compared to \$12.8M in Q1 of F'19.
- The increase in cash flow from operating activities was primarily due to the timing of annual incentive compensation payments.
- We returned \$11.5M to our shareholders in the form of dividends in Q1 of F'20.

Free Cash Flow is calculated as Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities less Capital Expenditures.



Net Cash



STRONG BALANCE SHEET:

- October 31, 2019 cash = \$295.1M and debt = \$50.1M. •
- Net cash increased \$16.1M in Q1 of F'20. ٠
- Approximately 56% of our cash is held in the United States. ٠
- Balance sheet provides flexibility for future investments. ٠

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F'20 Diluted EPS guidance range increased to \$2.50 to \$2.60.

(previous guidance range was \$2.45 to \$2.55).

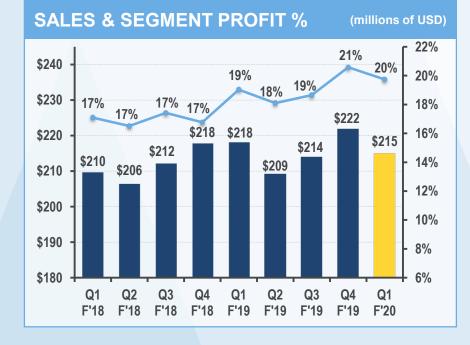
F'20 Guidance Assumptions:

- Organic sales growth of approximately 1.5% 2.5%.
- Depreciation and amortization expense of approximately \$25M.
- Income tax rate of approximately 20%.
- Capital expenditures of approximately \$35M.



Identification Solutions

Q1 F'20 vs. Q1 F'	(millions of USD)		
	Q1 F'20	Q1 F'19	Change
Sales	\$ 215.0	\$ 218.1	- 1.4%
Segment Profit	42.4	41.6	+ 2.1%
Segment Profit %	19.7%	19.1%	+ 60 bps



Q1 F'20 SUMMARY:

- Revenues decreased (1.4%):
 - Organic = (0.2%)
 - Fx = (1.2%)
- Organic sales increased in the low-single digits in the Americas, decreased in the low-single digits in Asia, and decreased in the mid-single digits in EMEA.
- Healthcare identification product line sales were approximately flat.
- Segment profit as a percent of sales increased due to ongoing efficiency gains in our operations and SG&A structure.

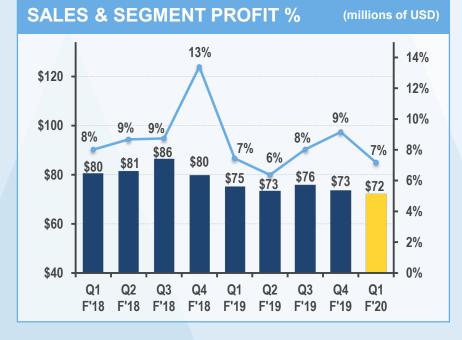
OUTLOOK:

- Expect F'20 organic sales to grow from 2% to 3%.
- Anticipate further investments in innovative new products and efficiencies in operations and our SG&A structure.



Workplace Safety

Q1 F'20 vs. Q1 F'	(millions of USD)		
	Q1 F'20	Q1 F'19	Change
Sales	\$ 72.0	\$ 75.1	- 4.2%
Segment Profit	5.2	5.5	- 6.9%
Segment Profit %	7.2%	7.4%	- 20 bps



Q1 F'20 SUMMARY:

- Revenues decreased (4.2%):
 - Organic = (0.8%)
 - Fx = (3.4%)
- Organic sales decreased in the low-single digits in North America and Australia and increased modestly in Europe.
- North America continues to show improving financial trends.
- Segment profit negatively impacted by the organic sales decline and foreign currency translation.

OUTLOOK:

- Expect F'20 organic sales to be approximately flat.
- Anticipate our North American business to continue to recover.





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