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Looking Forward: The New SONOCO

Proforma 2025

Sales

\$7.8 - \$7.9B*

Employees

22,500**

Plants

270**

Countries

40



*Includes 1Q of TFP and full year ThermoSafe **Excluding ThermoSafe

Q3 2025 Results Summary

Strong SMP & IPP Results Drive Record Quarter



Revenue



\$2.13B

Up 57%*

Total Adj. Operating Profit



\$308M

Up 78%*

Total Adj. EBITDA



\$386M

Up 37%**

Record 18.1% Margin

Total Adj. Earnings Per Share



\$1.92

Up 29%

*Percentages are calculated based on 2024 Continuing Operations

**Based on 2024 including Discontinued Operations

Q3 Highlights

- Record top-line and bottom-line results
 - Driven by strong Sonoco Metal Packaging and Industrial Paper Products results
 - Despite global macroeconomic pressures
 - Higher than projected interest expense (~\$7 million)
- Consumer Packaging Segment sales up 117%, Segment Operating Profit up 117%, Segment Adj. EBITDA up 112%
- IPP Segment Operating Profit up 28%, Segment Adj. EBITDA up 21%

Q3 Business Drivers

- Revenue for Continued Operations up 57% driven by SMP EMEA acquisition, favorable price and FX
- Adjusted Operating Profit for Continued Operations up 78% driven by favorable SMP EMEA acquisition, favorable price/cost and productivity

SONOCO THERMOSAFE®



Sale of ThermoSafe Closed



Transaction Overview

- ▶ Up to \$725 million consideration
 - ▶ \$650 million in cash at closing (13X EV/EBITDA)
 - ▶ \$75 million earnout based on 2025 performance
- ▶ 2024: ~\$240 million in sales; ~\$50 million adj. EBITDA
- ▶ Proceeds to reduce debt
 - ▶ ~3.4X pro forma net leverage*

* Third quarter total debt less cash and expected net proceeds of ThermoSafe divestiture divided by midpoint of Adj. EBITDA guidance range less ThermoSafe's pro forma Adj. EBITDA

Completing the Transformation Journey



- **Close ThermoSafe Divestiture in Q4**

- Further debt paydown to ~3.4X end of 2025

- **Optimize Operations Network**

- Atizapan closure – Balances NA mill network
- EMEA footprint actions
- Further restructuring actions in 2026



- **Drive SMP EMEA Integration and Synergy Execution**

- \$40 million to \$50 million run-rate savings 2025
- Line of sight to ~\$100 million run-rate savings 2026

- **Lower Cost Structure to Serve Fewer, Bigger Businesses**

- ~\$25 million in actioned annual cost savings against stranded costs
- Support organization transformation
- Further SG&A actions in 2026

Next Steps | New Leadership for a Simplified Structure



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SMP US

Successfully drive
share gains

IPP

Purposeful share
gain and new
product
development

Growth in Pet Food,
Powered Nutrition
and Seafood

SMP EMEA

Reignite Global
Stacked Chips,
Drive New Products
and Markets

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**Driving
Organic
Growth**



SMP US Growth, EMEA Acquisition Drives Strong Consumer Results

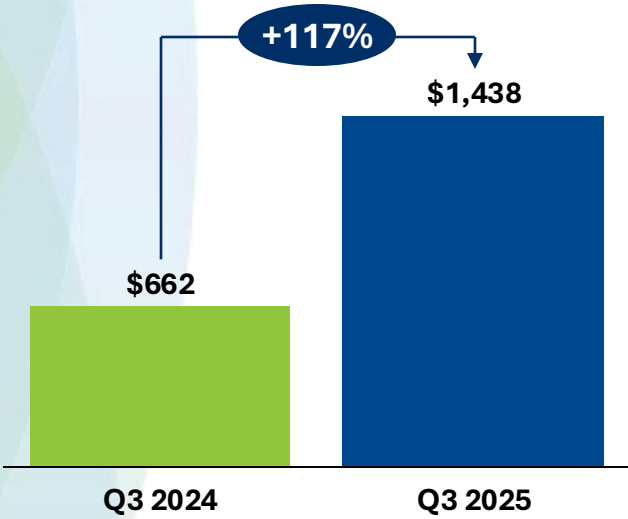
Consumer Segment: Q3-25 Results

- U.S. food can units increased 5%, aerosol slightly down (vs strong 2024)
 - Price drove strong performance
 - Global Rigid Paper Containers volumes continued to be soft

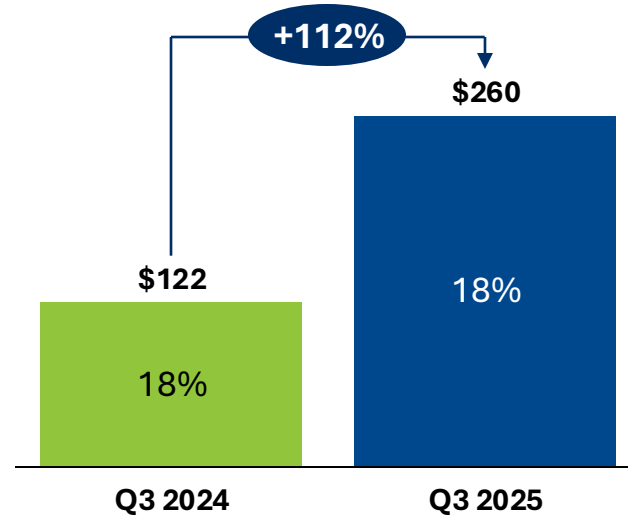
1) 2024 Net Sales excludes \$321M from Discontinued Operations
2) 2024 Adj. EBITDA excludes \$38M from Discontinued Operations



Sales (\$M)¹



Adj. EBITDA (\$M)²



Sales Volume/Mix (y/y)	Q3 2025	Q4 2025 Outlook
Metal Packaging US	-LSD	-LSD
Rigid Paper Containers (RPC)	-LSD	-LSD

SMP North America Overview

Scaled & Advantaged Metal Packaging Business

FY 2025P Results

~\$1.3B

Revenue

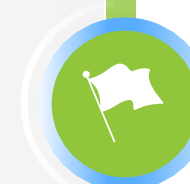
Long Term Outlook

LSD*

Revenue Growth

Business Profile

- SMP North America continues to outpace industry in aerosol volume growth.
- Addressable markets such as Wet Pet and Personal Care are seeing market growth. SMP strategy includes new customer, new volume opportunities.



2022

Established



182

Customers



+1.5k

Employees



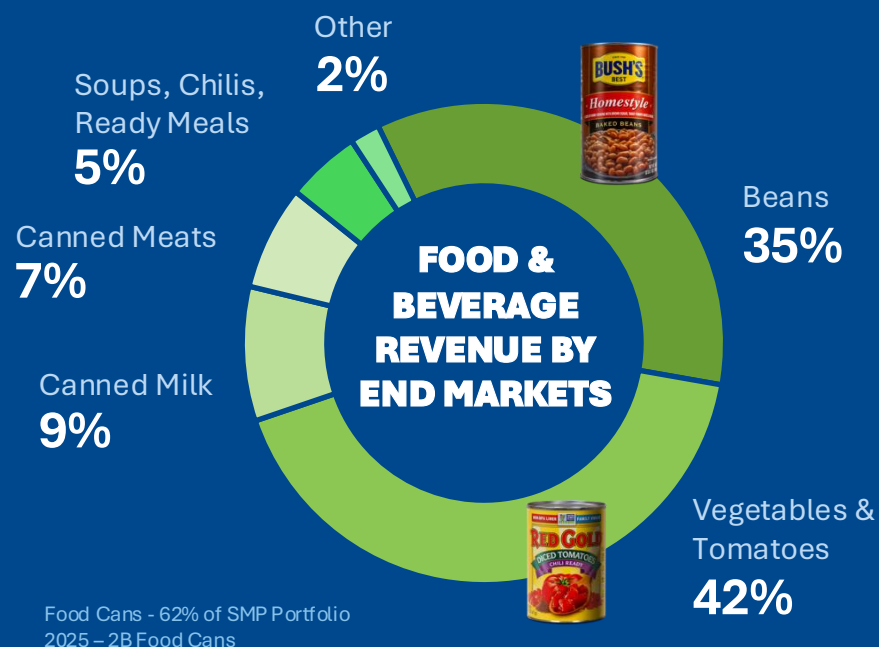
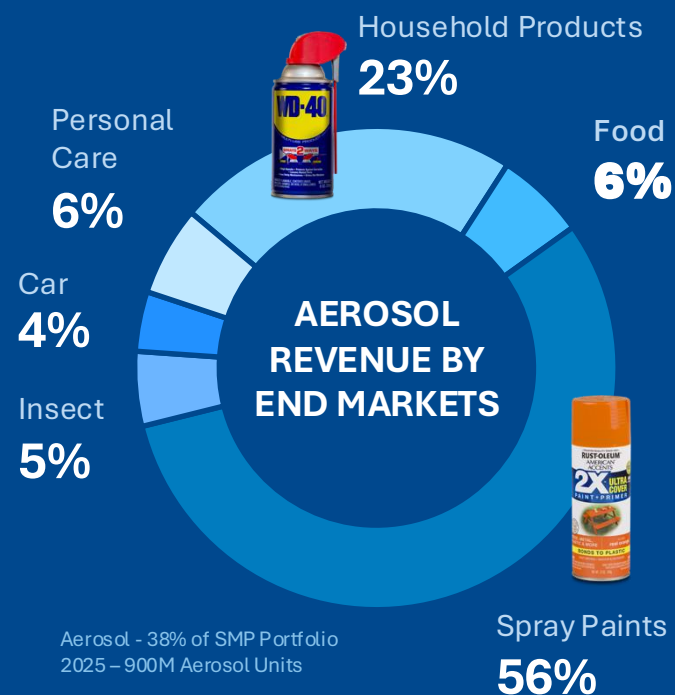
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Facilities



US-only

Countries



* Low Single Digits (LSD)

SMP EMEA Segment Overview

Sonoco Metal Packaging EMEA

FY 2025P Results

~\$2.3B

Revenue

Long Term Outlook

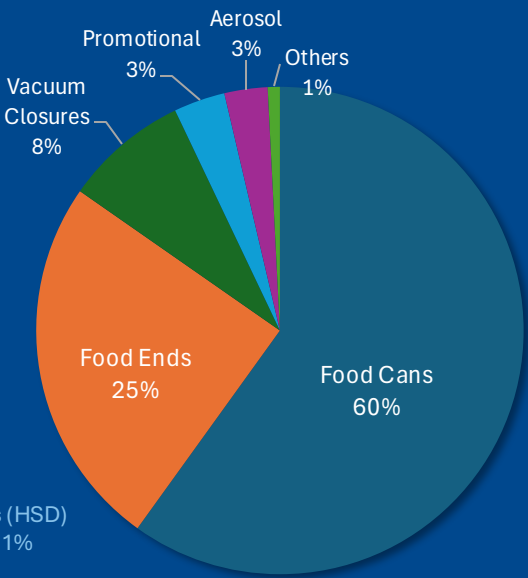
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Revenue Growth

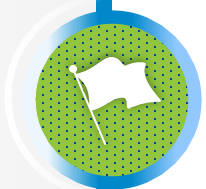
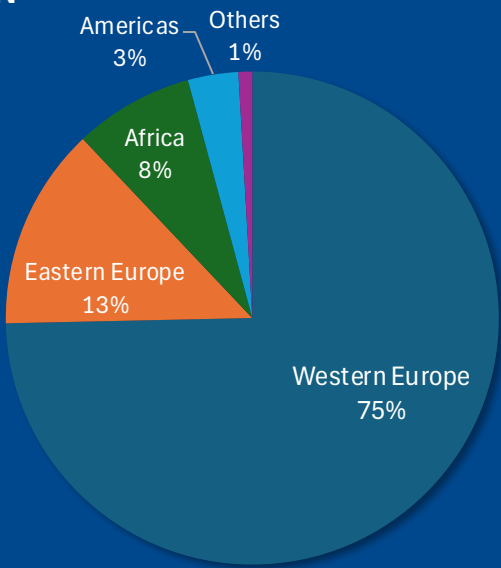
Business Profile

- Leader in metal packaging in EMEA with an extensive and sustainable portfolio including food cans, aerosol cans, closures, and promotional tins.
- Largest local footprint ensures proximity, service and agility. And high satisfaction with 91% customers satisfied.
- Core supported by Strategic partnerships with foundational customers with industry leading quality, customer service and innovation.
- Strong sales pipeline across all regions, in a competitive environment.

REVENUE BY PRODUCT LINE



REVENUE BY REGION



200+

Years of expertise



1.2K

Customers



6.4K

Employees



46

Facilities



17

Countries

• Mid Single Digits (HSD)
CAGR 25-28 +6.1%

Global Leader in a Growing Space

Rigid Paper Containers

FY 2025P Results

\$1.5B

Revenue

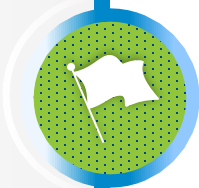
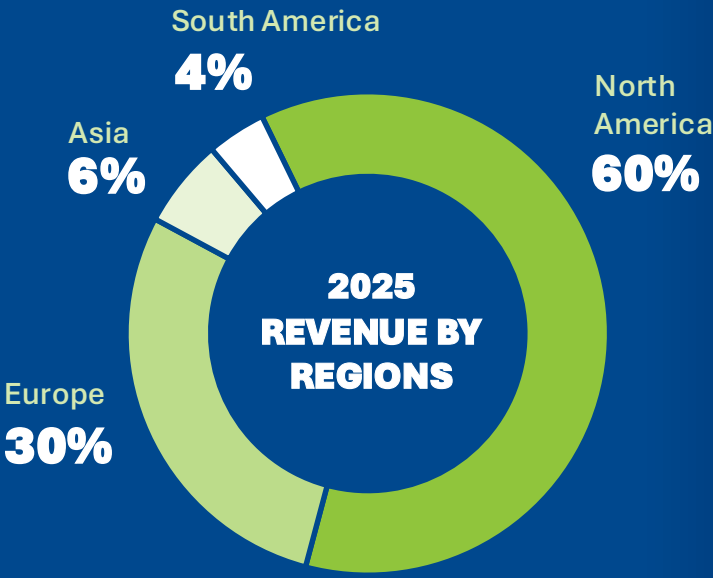
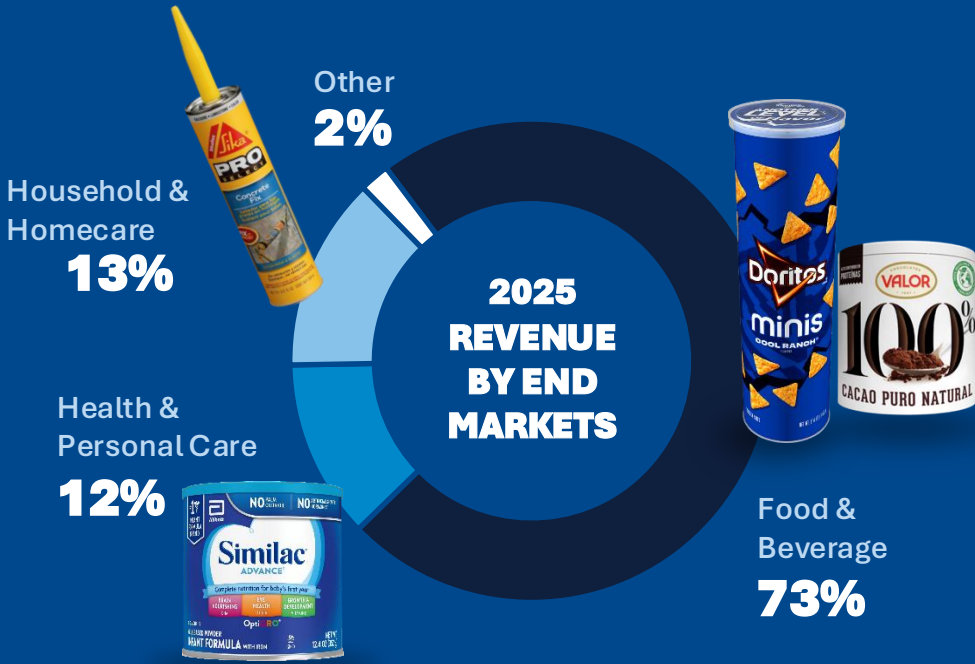
Long-Term Outlook

MSD*

Revenue Growth

Business Profile

- Leading Positions in Markets with Outstanding Brands
- Existing Products in New Geographies & New Products in New Markets
- Strong Innovation Pipeline
- Technology & Automation for Efficiency and Quality



1961
Established



1.2k
Customers



3.6K
Employees



39
Facilities



14
Countries



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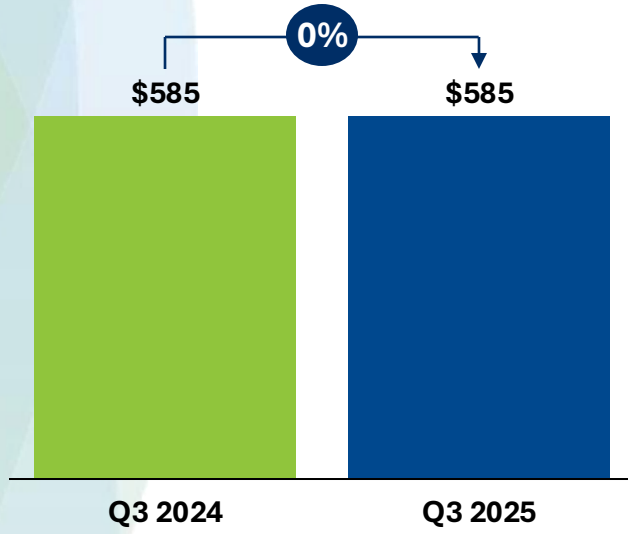
Strong Margin Protection Drives Record Industrial Results

Industrial Segment: Q3-25 Results

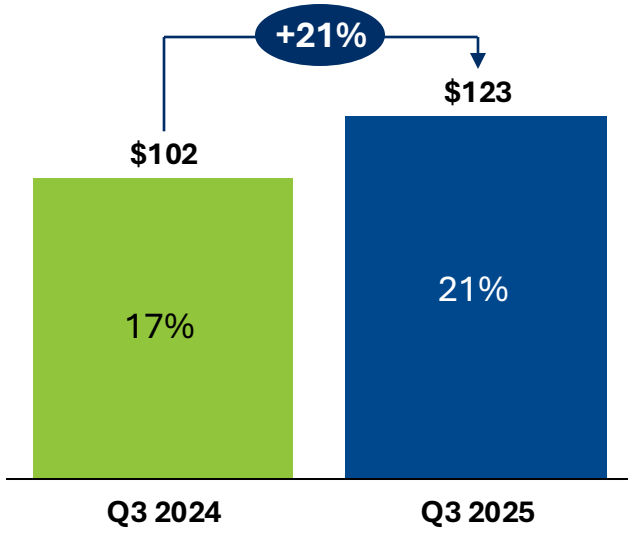
- Pricing discipline offset by unfavorable volume/mix
- Selling prices increased resulting in favorable price/cost for the segment
- Favorable productivity by **\$7.3 million**



Sales (\$M)



Adj. EBITDA (\$M)



Sales Volume/Mix (y/y)	Q3 2025	Q4 2025 Outlook
Americas	-LSD	-LSD
EMEA	-MSD	-MSD
Reels	+DD	+HSD

Strong Industrial Market Leader

Industrial Paper Packaging

FY 2025P Results

~\$2.4B

Revenue

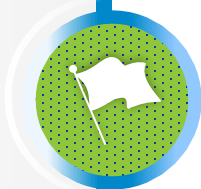
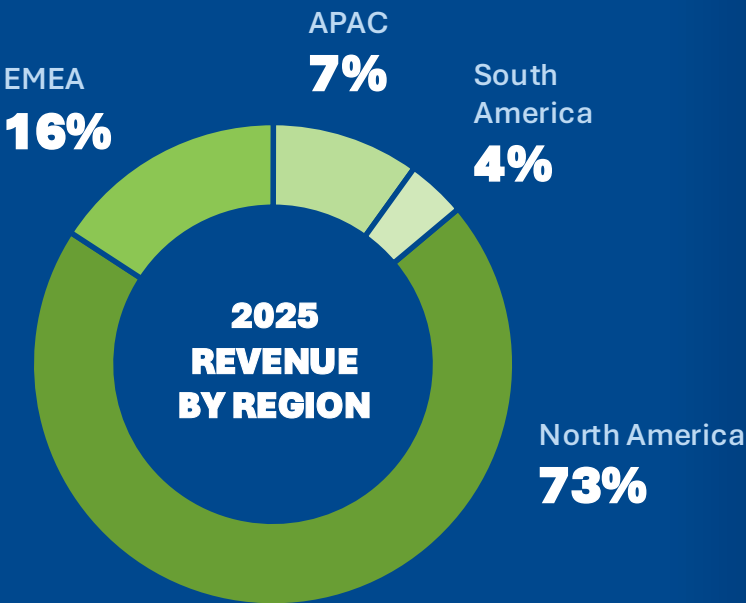
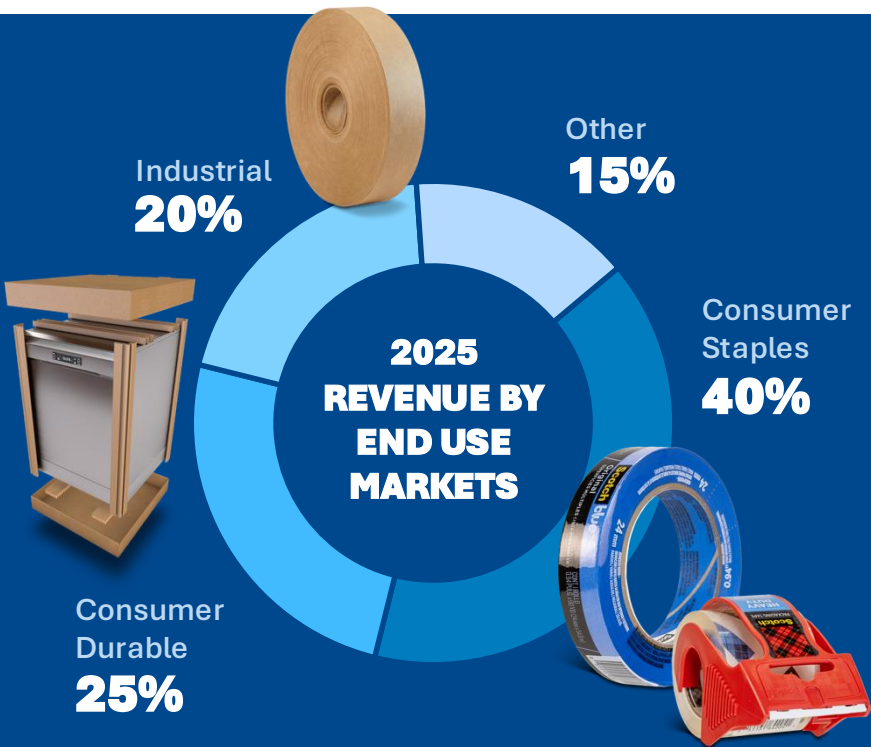
Long Term Outlook

LSD*

Revenue Growth

Business Profile

- Technical Service Leadership
- Superior Quality and Performance
- Leading Positions in Target Markets with Market Leaders
- Organic and Geographic Growth



1899
Established



7.4K
Customers



9K+
Employees



116
Facilities



25
Countries



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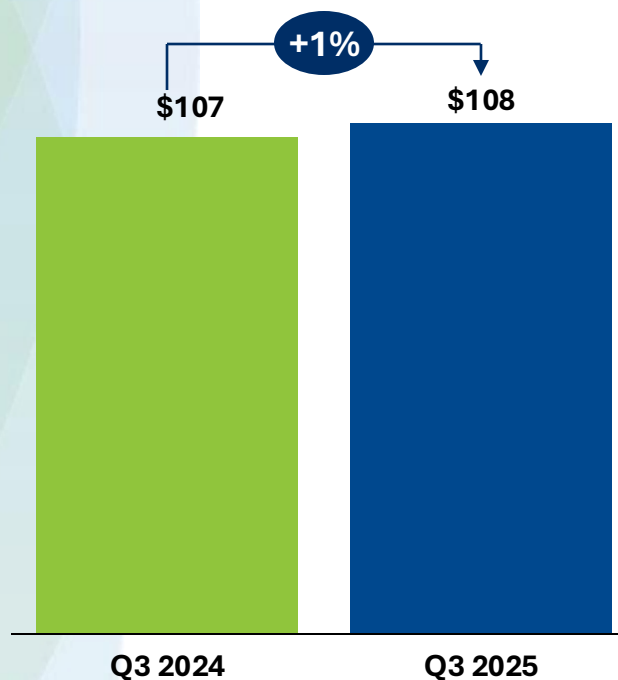
Delivering On Costs Savings

All Other Segment: Q3-25 Results

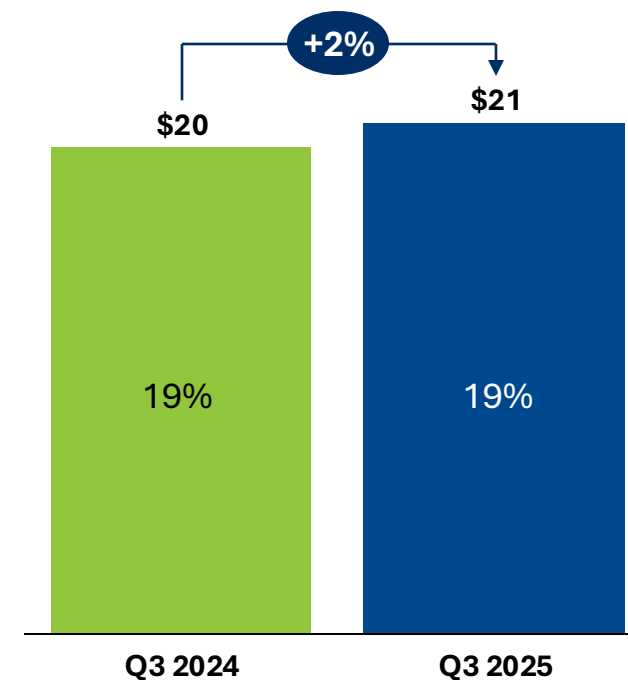
- Announced sale of ThermoSafe to Arsenal Capital Partners
- Higher volumes in ThermoSafe partially offset by volume softness in Industrial Plastics
- Execution on productivity and fixed cost reductions



Sales (\$M)



Adj. EBITDA (\$M)



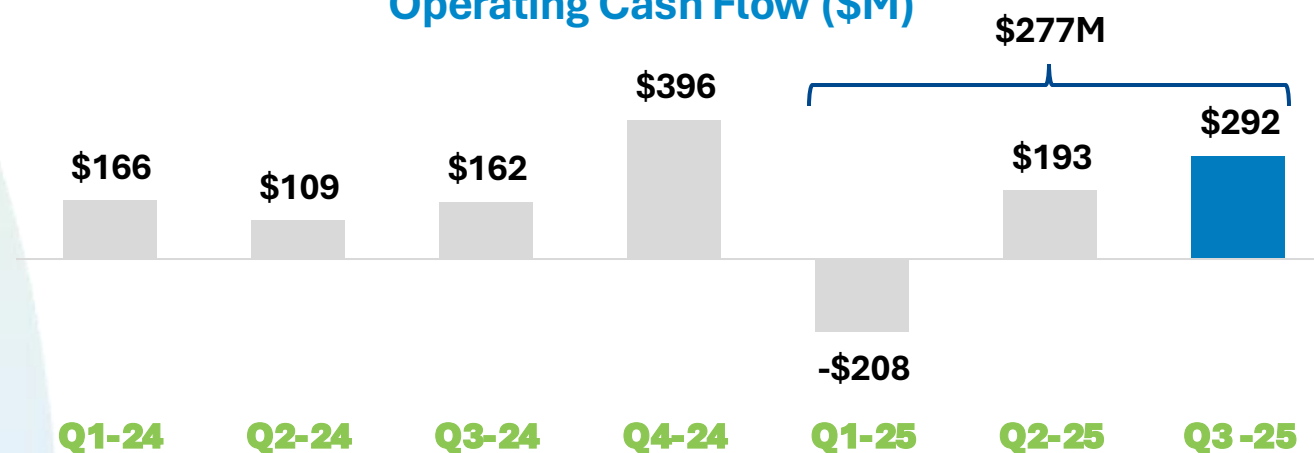
Cash Flow Generation

Cash Flow Overview

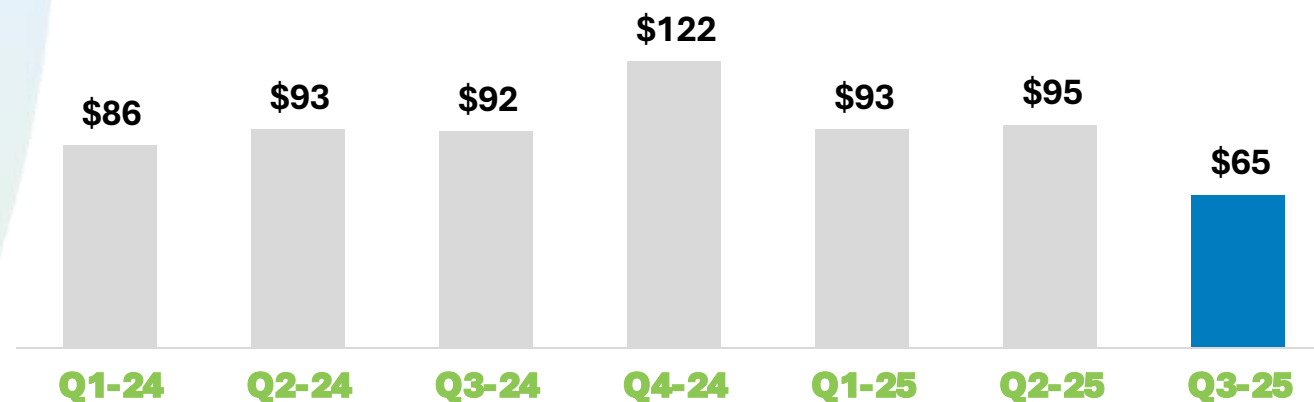
Q3 Results

- Q3 YTD net cash from Operating activities presented source of cash of **\$277M**
- OCF \$292M up 80% YoY
- Expecting strong cash flow performance in Q4
- Capital spending tracking below \$360M target

Operating Cash Flow (\$M)



Gross Capital Investment* (\$M)



*Gross capital investment, not reduced by the proceeds from sales of assets



Full Year Financial Outlook

Upside/Downside Risk

- + Weaker US Dollar
- + Price/Cost Outlook
- + Fixed Cost Controls
- + Capital Spending
- Sales Volumes
- NWC vs Target

\$ in Millions (except EPS)

2025 Guidance

Net Revenue	\$7.8 - \$7.9B
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Adjusted EBITDA	\$1.3B - \$1.35B
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Adjusted EPS	\$5.65 - \$5.75
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Operating Cash Flow	\$700M - \$750M
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NOTE: The full year guidance includes twelve months of projected results from ThermoSafe

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Check sonoco.com/investor for Q4 engagements and more information.



Industrial Paper Packaging



Metal Packaging



Rigid Paper Containers



Appendix

Quarter-ending: September 28, 2025

EPS Summary | 2025 vs. 2024

	Third Quarter		Year To Date	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
GAAP EPS	\$ 1.23	\$ 0.51	\$ 6.74	2.09
Addback for:				
Acquisition, divestiture and integration costs, net	0.07	0.44	0.47	0.64
LIFO Reserve Change	-	0.01	0.01	-
Acquisition intangibles amortization expense	0.39	0.17	1.06	0.52
Restructuring, net	0.37	0.07	0.55	0.48
Loss/Gain on disposition and other	(0.25)	0.31	(4.46)	0.26
Other income/(loss)	-	-	-	(0.06)
Non-operating pension costs	0.02	0.02	0.07	0.08
Other items	0.09	(0.04)	0.22	(0.12)
Adjusted EPS	\$ 1.92	\$ 1.49	\$ 4.66	\$ 3.89

P&L Summary (Adjusted) | Third Quarter: 2025 vs. 2024

(Dollars in millions)

	QTD		Better / (Worse)	
	2025	2024	\$	%
Net Sales	\$ 2,131	\$ 1,355	\$ 776	57.3 %
Gross Profit	468	301	167	55.5 %
SG&A Expenses, Net of Other Income	159	127	32	25.3 %
Operating Profit	\$ 308	\$ 174	\$ 135	77.6 %
Other non-Operating expense	(8)	-	(8)	
Net Interest	57	25	31	123.8 %
Income from Continued Ops. before Income Taxes	\$ 244	\$ 148	\$ 96	64.7 %
Provision for Income Taxes	56	31	25	78.6 %
Income before Equity in Earnings of Affiliates	\$ 188	\$ 117	\$ 71	61.0 %
Equity in Affiliates and Minority Interest	3	2	0	18.3 %
Net Income from Continuing Operations	\$ 191	\$ 120	\$ 72	59.7 %
Net Income from Discontinued Operations	\$ -	\$ 29	\$ (29)	(100.0)%
ADJ. EBITDA	\$ 386	\$ 281	\$ 105	37.3 %
Gross Profit %	21.9%	22.2 %		
SG&A, Net of Other Income %	7.5%	9.4 %		
Operating profit %	14.5%	12.8 %		
ADJ. EBITDA %*	18.1%	16.8 %		
Effective Tax Rate *	22.9%	21.1 %		

*Adjusted EBITDA % is based upon total company sales including Discontinued Operations *Tax excludes Discontinued Ops

Sales and Adj. EBITDA Bridge | Third Quarter: 2025 vs. 2024

(Dollars in millions)

Sales

	Consumer	Industrial	All Other	Corporate	Total
Q3 2024 Sales	\$662	\$585	\$107	\$0	\$1,355
Volume / Mix	(26)	(15)	2	0	(40)
Price	38	26	0	0	64
Acq / Divestitures	716	(14)	0	0	701
FX / Other	49	3	(1)	0	51
Q3 2025 Sales	\$1,438	\$585	\$108	\$0	\$2,131

Segment Adjusted EBITDA*

Q3 2024 Adj. EBITDA	\$122	\$102	\$20	(\$10)	\$234
Volume / Mix	(15)	(7)	(1)	0	(23)
Price / Cost	24	21	(2)	0	44
Productivity	1	7	2	0	11
Acq / Divestitures	131	0	0	0	132
FX / Other	(5)	(1)	2	(5)	(9)
Q3 2025 Adj. EBITDA	\$260	\$123	\$21	(\$16)	\$386

Due to rounding numbers might not sum properly

*Segment Adjusted EBITDA excludes Discontinued Operations



Segment Analysis | Third Quarter: 2025 vs. 2024

(Dollars in millions)

	Net Sales ⁽¹⁾			Segment Operating Profit ⁽¹⁾		
	2025	2024	% Chg	2025	2024	% Chg
Consumer Packaging	\$ 1,438	\$ 662	117.2%	\$ 209	\$ 96	117.0%
Industrial Paper Packaging	585	585	(0.0)%	90	70	28.0%
All Other	108	107	0.6%	18	17	4.9%
Total Sonoco	\$ 2,131	\$ 1,355	57.3%			

	Segment Operating Profit as a % of Sales		Margin Change
Consumer Packaging	14.5%	14.5%	(0.0)%
Industrial Paper Packaging	15.4%	12.0%	3.4%
All Other	17.0%	16.3%	0.7%

NOTE: Totals are based on unrounded amounts

¹ Excludes discontinued operations

Balance Sheet

(Dollars in millions)

	September 28, 2025	December 31, 2024	Change \$
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 245	\$ 431	(186)
Trade accounts receivable, net of allowances	1,092	908	185
Other receivables	200	176	24
Inventories, net	1,160	1,016	144
Prepaid expenses	137	197	(60)
Assets Held for Sale	322	0	322
Current assets of discontinued operations	0	451	(451)
Current Assets	\$ 3,156	\$ 3,179	(22)
Property, Plant and Equipment, Net	2,786	2,719	67
Goodwill	2,473	2,526	(52)
Other Intangible Assets, Net	2,721	2,587	134
Deferred Income Taxes	86	17	68
Right of Use Asset-Operating Leases	288	308	(19)
Other Assets	205	209	(3)
Non-current assets of discontinued operations	0	964	(964)
Total Assets	\$ 11,716	\$ 12,508	(792)
Payable to suppliers and Others	1,821	1,735	86
Liabilities Held for Sale	65	0	65
Income Taxes Payable	165	7	158
Current liabilities of discontinued operations	0	242	(242)
Total Debt	5,157	7,040	(1,883)
Pension and Other Postretirement Benefits	183	181	2
Noncurrent Operating Lease Liabilities	245	259	(14)
Deferred Income Taxes and Other	762	644	117
Noncurrent Liabilities of Discontinued Operations	0	114	(114)
Total Equity	3,320	2,286	1,033
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	\$ 11,716	\$ 12,508	(792)
Net Debt / Total Capital	59.7 %	74.3 %	
 Net Debt = Total Debt - Cash and Cash Equivalents	 \$ 4,912	 \$ 6,609	
Total Capital = Net Debt + Total Equity	\$ 8,231	\$ 8,895	

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