## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

#### FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

June 15, 2015

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

### **Smith & Wesson Holding Corporation**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Nevada (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 001-31552 (Commission File Number) 87-0543688 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

2100 Roosevelt Avenue Springfield, Massachusetts 01104 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

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П	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240 13e-4(c))

#### Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

As described in Item 2.03, on June 15, 2015, we and certain of our direct and indirect Domestic Subsidiaries entered into the Credit Agreement (as defined in Item 2.03). The disclosure provided in Item 2.03 of this Current Report on Form 8-K is hereby incorporated by reference into this Item 1.01.

#### Item 1.02. Termination of a Material Definitive Agreement.

On June 15, 2015 (the "Redemption Date"), utilizing proceeds of the Term Loan (as defined in Item 2.03) and existing cash balances, we completed the redemption of the entire \$100.0 million outstanding principal balance of 5.875% Senior Notes due 2017 (the "Notes") at a redemption price equal to 102.9375% of the principal amount thereof, plus accrued and unpaid interest on the Notes to the Redemption Date. We previously disclosed our intention to redeem the Notes in our Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on May 14, 2015. As a result of the redemption, the indenture, dated as of June 17, 2013, between us and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee, governing the Notes was satisfied and discharged as of the Redemption Date. We did not incur any early termination penalties in connection with the redemption of the Notes beyond the 2.9375% call premium reflected in the redemption price described above.

#### Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

We are furnishing the disclosure in this Item 2.02 in connection with the disclosure of information in the form of the textual information from a press release released on June 18, 2015.

The information in this Item 2.02 (including the exhibit) is furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section.

We do not have, and expressly disclaim, any obligation to release publicly any updates or any changes in our expectations or any change in events, conditions, or circumstances on which any forward-looking statement is based.

The text included with this Current Report on Form 8-K is available on our website located at www.smith-wesson.com, although we reserve the right to discontinue that availability at any time.

#### Item 2.03. Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of a Registrant.

On June 15, 2015, we and certain of our direct and indirect Domestic Subsidiaries entered into an unsecured credit agreement (the "Credit Agreement") with certain lenders; TD Bank, N.A., as administrative agent; TD Securities (USA) LLC, Branch Banking and Trust Company, Regions Business Capital, and Wells Fargo Securities, LLC, as joint lead arrangers and joint Bookrunners; and Branch Banking and Trust Company, Regions Bank, and Wells Fargo Securities, LLC, as co-syndication agents. Capitalized terms not otherwise defined in this Item 2.03 will have the meanings set forth in the Credit Agreement.

The Credit Agreement provides for the following:

- 1. A revolving line of credit in the amount of \$175.0 million at any one time (the "Revolving Line"). Each Loan under the Revolving Line bears interest at either the Base Rate, plus the Applicable Rate or the LIBOR Rate for the Interest Period in effect for such borrowing, plus the Applicable Rate.
- 2. A term loan in the amount of \$105.0 million (the "Term Loan"). Each Loan under the Term Loan bears interest at either the Base Rate, plus the Applicable Rate or the LIBOR Rate for the Interest Period in effect for such borrowing, plus the Applicable Rate; provided, however, that we are required to obtain interest rate protection through a Swap Contract covering not less than 75% of the aggregate outstanding principal amount of the Term Loan prior to September 13, 2015. The Term Loan requires principal payments of 6% per annum paid quarterly. Any remaining outstanding amount on the maturity date will be due in full. As described in Item 1.02, we used the proceeds from the Term Loan to redeem the entire \$100.0 million outstanding principal balance of the Notes, plus accrued and unpaid interest on the Notes to the Redemption Date.
- 3. A swingline facility in the maximum amount of \$5.0 million at any one time (subject to availability under the Revolving Line). Each Swingline Loan bears interest at the Base Rate, plus the Applicable Rate.

Subject to the satisfaction of certain terms and conditions described in the Credit Agreement, we have an option to increase the Revolving Line and/or the Term Loan by an aggregate amount not exceeding \$50.0 million. The Revolving Line and the Term Loan both mature on the earlier of June 15, 2020, or the date that is six months in advance of the earliest maturity of any Permitted Notes under the Credit Agreement (other than our 5.000% Senior Notes due 2018).

The Credit Agreement contains customary limitations, including, without limitation, limitations on indebtedness; liens; fundamental changes to business or organizational structure; investments, loans, advances, guarantees, and acquisitions; asset sales; dividends, stock repurchases, stock redemptions, and the redemption or prepayment of other debt; and transactions with affiliates. We are also subject to financial covenants, including, without limitation, a minimum consolidated fixed charge coverage ratio and a maximum consolidated leverage ratio.

The Credit Agreement also contains customary events of default, including, without limitation, nonpayment of principal, interest, fees, or other amounts when due; violation of covenants; breaches of representations or warranties; cross defaults; change of control; insolvency; bankruptcy events; and material judgments. Some of these events of default allow for grace periods or are qualified by materiality concepts. Upon the occurrence of an event of default, the outstanding obligations under the Credit Agreement may be accelerated and become due and payable immediately.

The foregoing is a summary only and does not purport to be a complete description of all of the terms, provisions, covenants, and agreements contained in the Credit Agreement and is subject to and qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Credit Agreement and the exhibits thereto, which will be filed with our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended April 30, 2015, and are hereby incorporated by reference into this Item 2.03.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(a) Financial Statements of Business Acquired.

Not applicable.

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information.

Not applicable.

(c) Shell Company Transactions.

Not applicable.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number

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Exhibits

Number Exhibit

Press release from Smith & Wesson Holding Corporation, dated June 18, 2015, entitled "Smith & Wesson Holding Corporation Reports Fourth Quarter and Full Year Fiscal 2015 Financial Results"

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

#### SMITH & WESSON HOLDING CORPORATION

Date: June 18, 2015

By: /s/ Jeffrey D. Buchanan

Jeffrey D. Buchanan
Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer,

and Treasurer

#### EXHIBIT INDEX

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#### Smith & Wesson Holding Corporation Reports Fourth Quarter and Full Year Fiscal 2015 Financial Results

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., June 18, 2015 — Smith & Wesson Holding Corporation (NASDAQ Global Select: SWHC), a leader in firearm manufacturing and design, today announced financial results for the fiscal fourth quarter and full fiscal year ended April 30, 2015.

#### Fourth Quarter Fiscal 2015 Financial Highlights

- Quarterly net sales were a record \$181.0 million, an increase of 6.2% from the fourth quarter last year. Firearm division net sales of \$166.4 million decreased by 2.4% from the comparable quarter last year, which was more than offset by \$14.6 million of net sales related to the company's new accessories division, which was established in connection with the acquisition of Battenfeld Technologies, Inc. (BTI) on December 11, 2014.
- Quarterly GAAP income from continuing operations was \$21.9 million, or \$0.40 per diluted share, compared with \$24.9 million, or \$0.44 per diluted share, for the fourth quarter last year.
- Quarterly non-GAAP income from continuing operations was \$24.9 million, or \$0.45 per diluted share, compared with \$26.5 million, or \$0.47 per diluted share, for the fourth quarter last year.
- Quarterly non-GAAP Adjusted EBITDAS from continuing operations was \$50.8 million, or 28.1% of net sales.

#### Full Year Fiscal 2015 Financial Highlights

- Full year net sales totaled \$551.9 million, a decrease of 11.9% from last year. Firearm division net sales were \$531.2 million, a decrease of 15.2% from last year, and accessories division net sales were \$20.6 million. The accessories division consists entirely of the recently acquired BTI. Therefore, the accessories division had no sales in the prior year and less than five months of net sales in fiscal 2015.
- Full year GAAP income from continuing operations was \$49.8 million, or \$0.90 per diluted share, compared with \$88.6 million, or \$1.47 per diluted share, last year.
- Full year non-GAAP income from continuing operations was \$1.02 per diluted share, compared with \$1.55 per diluted share last year.
- Full year non-GAAP Adjusted EBITDAS from continuing operations totaled \$132.5 million, or 24.0% of net sales.

James Debney, Smith & Wesson Holding Corporation President and Chief Executive Officer, said, "We are very pleased with our fiscal 2015 results, particularly our fourth quarter performance. During fiscal 2015, we marked a number of achievements as we remained focused on executing our long-term strategy. We moved further into the hunting and shooting accessories market by acquiring BTI and we strengthened our supply chain with the vertical integration of our principal injection molding supplier. Both acquisitions were accretive to gross margins. Our focus on gross margins resulted in a 37.1% gross margin for the fourth quarter (38.4% when the 1.3% accounting-related impact of the BTI acquisition is excluded), which was within our targeted range. Looking forward, we anticipate further sales and earnings growth in fiscal 2016 as we continue to position our company for long-term success."

Jeffrey D. Buchanan, Smith & Wesson Holding Corporation Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, said, "Earlier in the fiscal year, we had stated that a company focus was to reduce inventories and we succeeded in reducing those inventories by \$20.2 million during the fourth quarter. As a result, robust cash flow from operations during the fourth quarter of \$84.9 million allowed us to fully pay down the \$100.0 million revolving credit line we had used to facilitate the purchase of BTI and still end the quarter with \$42.2 million in cash. Earlier this week, we redeemed all of our 5.875% Senior Notes using the proceeds of a new \$105.0 million five-year term loan, which has a favorable interest rate. These combined actions are focused on creating value for our shareholders by optimizing our capital efficiency, lowering our weighted average cost of capital, and strengthening our balance sheet to support future growth initiatives."

#### **Financial Outlook**

	Range	for the Three Mo	nths Endir	ng July 31, 2015	Ran	ge for the Year I	Ending A	pril 30, 2016
Net sales (in thousands)	\$	140,000	\$	145,000	\$	605,000	\$	615,000
GAAP income per share - diluted	\$	0.13	\$	0.15	\$	0.85	\$	0.90
Amortization of acquired intangible assets, net of tax		0.03		0.03		0.12		0.12
Debt extinguishment costs, net of tax		0.05		0.05		0.05		0.05
Non-GAAP income per share - diluted	\$	0.21	\$	0.23	\$	1.02	\$	1.07

#### **Conference Call and Webcast**

The company will host a conference call and webcast today, June 18, 2015, to discuss its fourth quarter and full year fiscal 2015 financial and operational results. Speakers on the conference call will include James Debney, President and Chief Executive Officer, and Jeffrey D. Buchanan, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer. The conference call may include forward-looking statements. The conference call will be webcast live and is scheduled to begin at 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time. The live audio broadcast and replay of the conference call can be accessed on Smith & Wesson's website at http://www.smith-wesson.com (Windows Media is required). Those interested in listening to the conference call via telephone may call directly at 617-786-2902 and reference conference code 72152557. No RSVP is necessary. The company will maintain an audio replay of this conference call on its website for a period of time after the call. No other audio replay will be available.

#### Reconciliation of U.S. GAAP to Non-GAAP Financial Measures

In this press release, certain non-GAAP financial measures, including "non-GAAP income from continuing operations" and "Adjusted EBITDAS" are presented. From time-to-time, the company considers and uses these supplemental measures of operating performance in order to provide the reader with an improved understanding of underlying performance trends. The company believes it is useful for itself and the reader to review, as applicable, both (1) GAAP measures that include (i) fair value inventory step-up and backlog expense, (ii) amortization of acquired intangible assets, (iii) acquisition-related costs, (iv) debt extinguishment costs, (v) the tax effect of non-GAAP adjustments, (vi) interest expense, (vii) income taxes, (viii) depreciation and amortization, (ix) stock-based compensation expense, (x) DOJ and SEC costs, (xi) payments for acquisitions, (xii) receipts from note receivables, and (xiii) proceeds from sale of property and equipment; and (2) the non-GAAP measures that exclude such information. The company presents these non-GAAP measures because it considers them an important supplemental measure of its performance. The company's definition of these adjusted financial measures may differ from similarly named measures used by others. The company believes these measures facilitate operating performance comparisons from period to period by eliminating potential differences caused by the existence and timing of certain expense items that would not otherwise be apparent on a GAAP basis. These non-GAAP measures have limitations as an analytical tool and should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for the company's GAAP measures. The principal limitations of these measures are that they do not reflect the company's actual expenses and may thus have the effect of inflating its financial measures on a GAAP basis.

#### **About Smith & Wesson**

Smith & Wesson Holding Corporation (NASDAQ Global Select: SWHC) is a U.S.-based leader in firearm manufacturing and design, delivering a broad portfolio of quality firearms, related products, and training to the global military, law enforcement, and consumer markets. The company's firearm division brands include Smith & Wesson®, M&P®, and Thompson/Center Arms™. As a leading provider of shooting, reloading, gunsmithing, and gun cleaning supplies, the company's accessories division produces innovative, high-quality products under several brands, including Caldwell® Shooting Supplies, Wheeler® Engineering, Tipton® Gun Cleaning Supplies, Frankford Arsenal® Reloading Tools, Lockdown® Vault Accessories, and Hooyman™ Premium Tree Saws. Smith & Wesson facilities are located in Massachusetts, Maine, Connecticut, and Missouri. For more information on Smith & Wesson, call (800) 331-0852 or log on to www.smith-wesson.com.

#### **Safe Harbor Statement**

Certain statements contained in this press release may be deemed to be forward-looking statements under federal securities laws, and we intend that such forward-looking statements be subject to the safe-harbor created thereby. Such forward-looking statements include our belief that we have strengthened our supply chain; our anticipated further sales and earnings growth in fiscal 2016; our belief that we continue to position our company for long-term success; our focus on creating value for our shareholders by optimizing our capital efficiency, lowering our weighted average cost of capital, and strengthening our balance sheet to support future growth initiatives; our expectations for net sales, GAAP earnings per diluted share from continuing operations, and non-GAAP earnings per diluted share for the first quarter of fiscal 2016 as well as net sales, GAAP earnings per diluted share from continuing operations, and non-GAAP earnings per diluted share for fiscal 2016. We caution that these statements are qualified by important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those reflected by such forward-looking statements. Such factors include the demand for our products; the costs and ultimate conclusion of certain legal matters; the state of the U.S. economy in general and the firearm industry in particular; general economic conditions and consumer spending patterns; the potential for increased regulation of firearms and firearm-related products; speculation surrounding fears of terrorism and crime; our growth opportunities; our anticipated growth; our ability to increase demand for our products in various markets, including consumer, law enforcement, and military channels, domestically and internationally; the position of our hunting products in the consumer discretionary marketplace and distribution channel; our penetration rates in new and existing markets; our strategies; our ability to introduce new products; the success of new products; our ability to expand our markets; our ability to integrate acquired businesses in a successful manner; the success of our partnership with General Dynamics Ordnance and Tactical Systems; the general growth of our firearm accessories business; the potential for cancellation of orders from our backlog; and other risks detailed from time to time in our reports filed with the SEC, including our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended April 30, 2014.

## SMITH & WESSON HOLDING CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

	For the Three		For the Years Ended		
	April 30, 2015 (Unaudited)	April 30, 2014 (Unaudited)	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	
		(In thousands, exc	ept per share data)		
Net sales	\$ 180,997	\$ 170,425	\$ 551,862	\$ 626,620	
Cost of sales	113,853	100,680	356,936	367,515	
Gross profit	67,144	69,745	194,926	259,105	
Operating expenses:					
Research and development	2,113	1,529	6,943	5,648	
Selling and marketing	9,149	9,365	36,033	33,515	
General and administrative	18,558	15,770	62,322	68,954	
Total operating expenses	29,820	26,664	105,298	108,117	
Operating income	37,324	43,081	89,628	150,988	
Other (expense)/income:					
Other (expense)/income, net	40	(2,189)	39	(2,154)	
Interest income	119	6	395	149	
Interest expense	(3,248)	(1,771)	(11,330)	(12,261)	
Total other (expense)/income, net	(3,089)	(3,954)	(10,896)	(14,266)	
Income from continuing operations before income taxes	34,235	39,127	78,732	136,722	
Income tax expense	12,295	14,227	28,905	48,095	
Income from continuing operations	21,940	24,900	49,827	88,627	
Discontinued operations:					
Loss from operations of discontinued security solutions division	(52)	(108)	(297)	(456)	
Income tax expense/(benefit)	1	(264)	(83)	(1,134)	
(Loss)/income from discontinued operations	(53)	156	(214)	678	
Net income	\$ 21,887	\$ 25,056	\$ 49,613	\$ 89,305	
Net income per share:					
Basic - continuing operations	\$ 0.41	\$ 0.45	\$ 0.92	\$ 1.51	
Basic - total	\$ 0.41	\$ 0.45	\$ 0.92	\$ 1.52	
Diluted - continuing operations	\$ 0.40	\$ 0.44	\$ 0.90	\$ 1.47	
Diluted - total	\$ 0.40	\$ 0.44	\$ 0.90	\$ 1.49	
Weighted average number of common shares outstanding:					
Basic	53,846	55,112	53,988	58,668	
Diluted	55,074	56,481	55,228	60,114	

## SMITH & WESSON HOLDING CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

			As of	
	A	pril 30, 2015		April 30, 2014
ASSETS		(In thousands, exc	cept par value an	1 share data)
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	42,222	\$	68,860
Accounts receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of \$722 on April 30, 2015 and	Ψ	12,222	Ψ	00,000
\$844 on April 30, 2014		55,280		55,890
Inventories		76,895		86,742
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		6,306		5,958
Deferred income taxes		16,373		17,094
Income tax receivable		_		4,627
Total current assets	_	197,076		239,171
Property, plant, and equipment, net		133,844	<u></u>	120,440
Intangibles, net		73,768		3,425
Goodwill		75,426		J,42J
Other assets		14,878		18,467
Onici assets	\$	494,992	\$	381,503
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LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	32,360	\$	37,688
Accrued expenses		19,021		17,107
Accrued payroll		7,556		15,816
Accrued income taxes		4,224		
Accrued taxes other than income		5,281		5,359
Accrued profit sharing		6,165		11,060
Accrued warranty		6,404		5,513
Total current liabilities		81,011		92,543
Deferred income taxes		33,905		11,418
Notes payable		175,000		100,000
Other non-current liabilities		10,706		10,719
Total liabilities	_	300,622		214,680
Commitments and contingencies	_	300,022	_	21.,000
Stockholders' equity:				
Preferred stock, \$.001 par value, 20,000,000 shares authorized, no shares issued or				
outstanding		_		_
Common stock, \$.001 par value, 100,000,000 shares authorized, 69,625,081 shares issued				
and 54,062,459 shares outstanding on April 30, 2015 and 68,809,986 shares issued and				
55,352,679 shares outstanding on April 30, 2014		70		69
Additional paid-in capital		219,198		211,225
Retained earnings		147,352		97,739
Accumulated other comprehensive income		73		73
Treasury stock, at cost (15,562,622 shares on April 30, 2015 and 13,457,307 shares on				
April 30, 2014)		(172,323)		(142,283)
Total stockholders' equity		194,370		166,823
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### SMITH & WESSON HOLDING CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	For the Years E 2015	nded April 30, 2014
	(In thou	
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net income	\$ 49,613	\$ 89,305
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	30,893	21,704
Loss on sale/disposition of assets	267	150
Provisions for/(recoveries of) losses on accounts receivable	122	(214)
Deferred income taxes	2,341	(1,463)
Stock-based compensation expense	5,808	8,212
Changes in operating assets and liabilities (net effect of acquisitions):		
Accounts receivable	10,983	(9,588)
Inventories	25,662	(23,744)
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	(569)	(1,856)
Income tax receivable/(payable)	8,965	(1,534)
Accounts payable	(7,345)	6,468
Accrued payroll	(9,525)	2,720
Accrued taxes other than income	(86)	10
Accrued profit sharing	(4,895)	1,473
Accrued expenses	1,447	(477)
Accrued warranty	891	(244)
Other assets	(348)	(356)
Other non-current liabilities	583	(360)
Net cash provided by operating activities	114,807	90,206
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Payments for the net assets of Tri-Town Precision Plastics, Inc.	(23,805)	_
Payments to acquire Battenfeld Technologies, Inc., net of cash acquired	(135,437)	_
Refunds of/(payments for) deposits on machinery and equipment	1,431	(9,269)
Receipts from note receivable	81	77
Payments to acquire patents and software	(392)	(243)
Proceeds from sale of property and equipment	264	101
Payments to acquire property and equipment	(28,199)	(53,282)
Net cash used in investing activities	(186,057)	(62,616)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Proceeds from loans and notes payable	175,000	101,584
Cash paid for debt issue costs	(2,558)	(3,791)
Payments on capital lease obligation	(596)	(596)
Payments on notes payable	(100,000)	(45,143)
Proceeds from Economic Development Incentive Program	640	722
Payments to acquire treasury stock	(30,040)	(115,887)
Proceeds from exercise of options to acquire common stock, including employee stock purchase plan	3,103	3,315
Payroll taxes paid as a result of restricted stock unit withholdings	(1,708)	(2,068)
Excess tax benefit of stock-based compensation	771	2,647
Net cash provided by/(used in) financing activities	44,612	(59,217)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(26,638)	(31,627)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period	68,860	100,487
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$ 42,222	
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Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information		
Cash paid for:	Ф 0.64 =	ф. 7.000
Interest	\$ 8,617	\$ 7,688
Income taxes	16,926	48,778

## SMITH & WESSON HOLDING CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES TO NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES (Dollars in thousands, except per share data) (Unaudited)

	For the Three Months Ended April 30, 2015 2014				For the Year Ended April 30,				
			20		20:		20:		
GAAP gross profit	\$ \$67,144	% of Sales 37.1%	\$69,745	% of Sales 40.9%	\$ \$194,926	% of Sales 35.3%	\$ \$259,105	% of Sales 41.3%	
Fair value inventory step-up and backlog	\$07,144	37.1%	\$09,745	40.9%	\$194,920	33.3%	\$259,105	41.5%	
expense	2,398	1.3%	_		4,404	0.8%			
			\$69,745	40.00/			#DE0 10E	41.20/	
Non-GAAP gross profit	\$69,542	38.4%		40.9%	\$199,330	36.1%	\$259,105	41.3%	
GAAP operating expenses	\$29,820	16.5%	\$26,664	15.6%	\$105,298	19.1%	\$108,117	17.3%	
Amortization of acquired intangible assets	(2,324)	-1.3%		_	(3,748)	-0.7%		_	
Acquisition-related costs	(48)	0.0%	(471)	-0.3%	(2,090)	-0.4%	(471)	-0.1%	
SEC settlement costs	_	_	(2,000)	-1.2%	_	_	(2,000)	-0.3%	
Debt extinguishment costs							(5,080)	-0.8%	
Non-GAAP operating expenses	\$27,448	15.2%	\$24,193	14.2%	\$ 99,460	18.0%	\$100,566	16.0%	
GAAP operating income from continuing									
operations	\$37,324	20.6%	\$43,081	25.3%	\$ 89,628	16.2%	\$150,988	24.1%	
Fair value inventory step-up and backlog									
expense	2,398	1.3%	_	_	4,404	0.8%	_	_	
Amortization of acquired intangible assets	2,324	1.3%	_		3,748	0.7%			
Acquisition-related costs	48	0.0%	471	0.3%	2,090	0.4%	471	0.1%	
SEC settlement costs	_	_	2,000	1.2%		_	2,000	0.3%	
Debt extinguishment costs							5,080	0.8%	
Non-GAAP operating income from continuing									
operations	\$42,094	23.3%	\$45,552	26.7%	\$ 99,870	18.1%	\$158,539	25.3%	
GAAP income from continuing operations	\$21,940	12.1%	\$24,900	14.6%	\$ 49,827	9.0%	\$ 88,627	14.1%	
Fair value inventory step-up and backlog	. ,								
expense	2,398	1.3%	_	_	4,404	0.8%		_	
Amortization of acquired intangible assets	2,324	1.3%	_	_	3,748	0.7%	_	_	
Acquisition-related costs	48	0.0%	471	0.3%	2,090	0.4%	471	0.1%	
SEC settlement costs	_	_	2,000	1.2%	_	_	2,000	0.3%	
Debt extinguishment costs	_	_	_	_	_	_	5,080	0.8%	
Tax effect of non-GAAP adjustments	(1,765)	-1.0%	(914)	-0.5%	(3,790)	-0.7%	(2,794)	-0.4%	
Non-GAAP income from continuing operations	\$24,945	13.8%	\$26,457	15.5%	\$ 56,279	10.2%	\$ 93,384	14.9%	
GAAP income from continuing operations per		<del></del>							
share - diluted	\$ 0.40		\$ 0.44		\$ 0.90		\$ 1.47		
Fair value inventory step-up and backlog	Ψ 01.0		Ψ 0111		Φ 0.00		Ψ 1		
expense	0.04		_		0.08				
Amortization of acquired intangible assets	0.04		_		0.07		_		
Acquisition-related costs	0.00		0.01		0.04		0.01		
SEC settlement costs	_		0.04		_		0.03		
Debt extinguishment costs	_		_		_		0.08		
Tax effect of non-GAAP adjustments	(0.03)		(0.02)		(0.07)		(0.05)		
Non-GAAP income from continuing operations per									
share - diluted	\$ 0.45		\$ 0.47		\$ 1.02		\$ 1.55		

## SMITH & WESSON HOLDING CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF NET OPERATING CASH FLOW TO FREE CASH FLOW (In thousands) (Unaudited)

	For the three r		For the ye	
	<u>April 30, 2015</u>	April 30, 2014	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 84,860	\$ 35,981	\$ 114,807	\$ 90,206
Net cash used in investing activities	(3,410)	(13,941)	(186,057)	(62,616)
Payments for the net assets of Tri-Town Precision Plastics, Inc.	_	_	23,805	_
Payments to acquire Battenfeld Technologies, Inc., net of cash acquired	(715)	_	135,437	_
Receipts from note receivable	(21)	(20)	(81)	(77)
Proceeds from sale of property and equipment	(1)		(264)	(101)
Free cash flow	\$ 80.713	\$ 22,020	\$ 87,647	\$ 27,412

# SMITH & WESSON HOLDING CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP INCOME/(LOSS) FROM OPERATIONS TO ADJUSTED EBITDAS (In thousands) (Unaudited)

	For the Th	For the Three Months Ended April 30, 2015				For the Three Months Ended April 30, 2014			
	Continuing	Disco	ntinued	Total	Continuing	Discontinued		Total	
Income/(loss) from operations	\$ 21,940	\$	(53)	\$ 21,887	\$ 24,900	\$	156	\$ 25,056	
Interest expense	3,248		_	3,248	1,771		_	1,771	
Income tax expense/(benefit)	12,295		1	12,296	14,227		(264)	13,963	
Depreciation and amortization	9,295		_	9,295	5,396		_	5,396	
Stock-based compensation expense	1,560		_	1,560	1,562		_	1,562	
Acquisition-related costs	48		_	48	471		_	471	
Fair value inventory step-up and backlog expense	2,398		_	2,398	_		_	_	
DOJ/SEC costs	4		_	4	2,150		_	2,150	
Adjusted EBITDAS	\$ 50,788	\$	(52)	\$ 50,736	\$ 50,477	\$	(108)	\$ 50,369	
		For the Year Ended April 30, 2015							
							ded April 3		
La como (Gara) fuera caracteria	Continuing	Disco	ntinued	Total	Continuing	Disco	ntinued	Total	
Income/(loss) from operations	Continuing \$ 49,827			Total \$ 49,613	Continuing \$ 88,627			Total \$ 89,305	
Income/(loss) from operations Interest expense	Continuing	Disco	ntinued	Total	Continuing	Disco	ntinued	Total \$ 89,305 12,261	
` '	Continuing \$ 49,827	Disco	ntinued	Total \$ 49,613	Continuing \$ 88,627	Discor \$	ntinued 678	Total \$ 89,305	
Interest expense	Continuing \$ 49,827 11,330	Disco	(214)	Total \$ 49,613 11,330	Continuing \$ 88,627 12,261	Discor \$	ntinued 678 —	Total \$ 89,305 12,261	
Interest expense Income tax expense/(benefit)	Continuing \$ 49,827 11,330 28,905	Disco	(214)	Total \$ 49,613 11,330 28,822	Continuing \$ 88,627 12,261 48,095	Discor \$	ntinued 678 —	Total \$ 89,305 12,261 46,961	
Interest expense Income tax expense/(benefit) Depreciation and amortization	Continuing \$ 49,827 11,330 28,905 29,435	Disco	(214) — (83) —	* 49,613 11,330 28,822 29,435	Continuing \$ 88,627 12,261 48,095 19,758	Discor \$	ntinued 678 —	Total \$ 89,305 12,261 46,961 19,758	
Interest expense Income tax expense/(benefit) Depreciation and amortization Stock-based compensation expense	Continuing \$ 49,827 11,330 28,905 29,435 5,808	Disco	(214) — (83) — —	Total \$ 49,613 11,330 28,822 29,435 5,808	Continuing \$ 88,627 12,261 48,095 19,758 8,212	Discor \$	678 — (1,134) —	Total \$ 89,305 12,261 46,961 19,758 8,212	
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