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**CURRENT REPORT
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): August 2, 2017

Kennametal Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Pennsylvania

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-5318

(Commission File Number)

25-0900168

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

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Suite 5100
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

15219-2706

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(412) 248-8000**

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On August 2, 2017, Kennametal Inc. (Kennametal or the Company) issued an earnings announcement for its fiscal fourth quarter and fiscal year ended June 30, 2017.

The press release contains certain non-generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) financial measures. The following GAAP financial measures have been presented on an adjusted basis: sales, gross profit and margin, operating expense, operating expense as a percentage of sales, operating income (loss) and margin, effective tax rate, net income (loss), earnings per diluted share (EPS) and loss per diluted share (LPS), Industrial operating income and margin, Widia operating (loss) income and margin and Infrastructure operating income (loss) and margin. Adjustments for the three months ended June 30, 2017 include restructuring and related charges. Adjustments for the three months ended June 30, 2016 include: (1) restructuring and related charges, (2) tax impact of prior impairment charges, (3) fixed asset disposal charges, (4) loss on divestiture and (5) U.S. deferred tax valuation allowance. Adjustments for the twelve months ended June 30, 2017 include: (1) restructuring and related charges and (2) Australia deferred tax valuation allowance. Adjustments for the twelve months ended June 30, 2016 include: (1) restructuring and related charges, (2) goodwill and other intangible asset impairment charges, (3) loss on divestiture and related charges, (4) fixed asset disposal charges, (5) operations of divested businesses and (6) U.S. deferred tax valuation allowance. Management adjusts for these items in measuring and compensating internal performance and to more readily compare the Company's financial performance period-to-period. The press release also contains free operating cash flow (FOCF) and earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) and margin, which are non-GAAP measures and are defined below.

Management believes that presentation of these non-GAAP financial measures provides useful information about the results of operations of the Company for the current and past periods. Management believes that investors should have available the same information that management uses to assess operating performance, determine compensation and assess the capital structure of the Company. These non-GAAP measures should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for the most comparable GAAP measures. Investors are cautioned that non-GAAP financial measures utilized by the Company may not be comparable to non-GAAP financial measures used by other companies.

Free Operating Cash Flow (FOCF)

FOCF is a non-GAAP financial measure and is defined by the Company as cash provided by operations (which is the most directly comparable GAAP measure) less capital expenditures plus proceeds from disposals of fixed assets. Management considers FOCF to be an important indicator of Kennametal's cash generating capability because it better represents cash generated from operations that can be used for dividends, debt repayment, strategic initiatives (such as acquisitions) and other investing and financing activities.

EBITDA

EBITDA are a non-GAAP financial measure and are defined as net income attributable to Kennametal (which is the most directly comparable GAAP measure), with interest expense, interest income, provision for income taxes, depreciation and amortization added back. However, we believe that EBITDA are widely used as a measure of operating performance and are an important indicator of the Company's operational strength and performance. Nevertheless, the measure should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for operating income, cash flows from operating activities or any other measure for determining liquidity that is calculated in accordance with GAAP. Additionally, Kennametal will adjust EBITDA. Management uses this information in reviewing operating performance.

Additionally, during our quarterly earnings teleconference we may use various non-GAAP financial measures to describe the underlying operating results. Accordingly, we have compiled below certain reconciliations as required by Regulation G. These non-GAAP measures should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for the most comparable GAAP measures. Investors are cautioned that non-GAAP financial measures utilized by the Company may not be comparable to non-GAAP financial measures used by other companies.

Primary Working Capital

Primary working capital is a non-GAAP financial measure and is defined as accounts receivable, net plus inventories, net minus accounts payable. The most directly comparable GAAP measure is working capital, which is defined as current assets less current liabilities. We believe primary working capital better represents Kennametal's performance in managing certain assets and liabilities controllable at the segment level and is used as such for internal performance measurement.

PRIMARY WORKING CAPITAL (UNAUDITED)

(in thousands, except percents)	6/30/2017	3/31/2017	12/31/2016	9/30/2016	6/30/2016	Average
Current assets	\$ 1,113,901	\$ 1,043,046	\$ 971,745	\$ 991,837	\$ 1,075,341	
Current liabilities	461,478	426,799	390,151	402,574	427,275	
Working capital, GAAP	\$ 652,423	\$ 616,247	\$ 581,594	\$ 589,263	\$ 648,066	
Excluding items:						
Cash and cash equivalents	(190,629)	(100,817)	(102,001)	(119,411)	(161,579)	
Other current assets	(55,166)	(75,061)	(80,375)	(64,660)	(84,016)	
Total excluded current assets	(245,795)	(175,878)	(182,376)	(184,071)	(245,595)	
Adjusted current assets	868,106	867,168	789,369	807,766	829,746	
Current maturities of long-term debt and capital leases, including notes payable	(925)	(1,591)	(2,263)	(1,381)	(1,895)	
Other current liabilities	(244,831)	(234,367)	(219,008)	(225,189)	(243,341)	
Total excluded current liabilities	(245,756)	(235,958)	(221,271)	(226,570)	(245,236)	
Adjusted current liabilities	215,722	190,841	168,880	176,004	182,039	
Primary working capital	\$ 652,384	\$ 676,327	\$ 620,489	\$ 631,762	\$ 647,707	\$ 645,734

Three Months Ended

	6/30/2017	3/31/2017	12/31/2016	9/30/2016	Total
Sales	\$ 565,025	\$ 528,630	\$ 487,573	\$ 477,140	\$ 2,058,368
Primary working capital as a percentage of sales					31.4%

PRIMARY WORKING CAPITAL (UNAUDITED)

(in thousands, except percents)	6/30/2016	3/31/2016	12/31/2015	9/30/2015	6/30/2015	Average
Current assets	\$ 1,075,341	\$ 1,099,260	\$ 1,062,992	\$ 1,168,511	\$ 1,258,546	
Current liabilities	427,275	421,415	394,983	438,406	482,744	
Working capital, GAAP	\$ 648,066	\$ 677,845	\$ 668,009	\$ 730,105	\$ 775,802	
Excluding items:						
Cash and cash equivalents	(161,579)	(136,564)	(138,978)	(97,199)	(105,494)	
Other current assets	(84,016)	(111,479)	(113,113)	(120,583)	(132,148)	
Total excluded current assets	(245,595)	(248,043)	(252,091)	(217,782)	(237,642)	
Adjusted current assets	829,746	851,217	810,901	950,729	1,020,904	
Current maturities of long-term debt and capital leases, including notes payable	(1,895)	(4,140)	(5,942)	(25,285)	(15,702)	
Other current liabilities	(243,341)	(247,943)	(237,444)	(235,385)	(279,661)	
Total excluded current liabilities	(245,236)	(252,083)	(243,386)	(260,670)	(295,363)	
Adjusted current liabilities	182,039	169,332	151,597	177,736	187,381	
Primary working capital	\$ 647,707	\$ 681,885	\$ 659,304	\$ 772,993	\$ 833,523	\$ 719,082

Three Months Ended

	6/30/2016	3/31/2016	12/31/2015	9/30/2015	Total
Sales	\$ 521,224	\$ 497,837	\$ 524,021	\$ 555,354	\$ 2,098,436
Primary working capital as a percentage of sales					34.3%

Debt to Capital

Debt to capital is a non-GAAP financial measure and is defined by Kennametal as total debt divided by the sum of total equity plus total debt. The most directly comparable GAAP measure is debt to equity, which is defined as total debt divided by total equity. Management believes that debt to capital provides additional insight into the underlying capital structure and performance of the Company.

Net Debt

Net debt is a non-GAAP financial measure and is defined by Kennametal as total debt less cash and cash equivalents. The most directly comparable GAAP measure is total debt. Management believes that net debt aids in the evaluation of the Company's financial condition.

DEBT TO CAPITAL AND NET DEBT (UNAUDITED)

(in thousands, except percents)

	June 30,	June 30,
	2017	2016
Total debt	\$ 695,916	\$ 695,443
Total equity	1,052,653	995,801
Debt to equity, GAAP	66.1%	69.8%
Total debt	695,916	695,443
Total equity	1,052,653	995,801
Total capital	1,748,569	1,691,244
Debt to capital	39.8%	41.1%
Total debt	695,916	695,443
Cash and cash equivalents	190,629	161,579
Net Debt	\$ 505,287	\$ 533,864

Debt to EBITDA

Debt to EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure and is defined by Kennametal as total debt divided by the sum of the four trailing quarters of EBITDA. The most directly comparable GAAP measure is debt to net income attributable to Kennametal. Management believes that debt to EBITDA provides additional insight into the underlying capital structure, liquidity and performance of the Company. Additionally, Kennametal will adjust debt to EBITDA.

DEBT TO ADJUSTED EBITDA**JUNE 30, 2017 (in thousands, except debt to net income and debt to adjusted EBITDA)**

EBITDA	Three Months Ended			
	6/30/2017	3/31/2017	12/31/2016	9/30/2016
Net income (loss) attributable to Kennametal	\$ 24,643	\$ 38,890	\$ 7,262	\$ (21,656)
Add back:				
Interest expense	7,367	7,331	7,151	6,993
Interest income	(246)	(306)	(206)	(248)
Provision for income taxes	7,494	9,301	8,221	4,879
Depreciation	22,709	22,375	22,827	23,167
Amortization	3,912	4,245	4,150	4,271
EBITDA	\$ 65,879	\$ 81,836	\$ 49,405	\$ 17,406
Adjustments:				
Restructuring and related charges	23,165	9,623	11,783	31,657
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 89,044	\$ 91,459	\$ 61,188	\$ 49,063
Total debt			\$ 695,916	
Trailing four quarters net income attributable to Kennametal				49,139
Debt to net income attributable to Kennametal				14.2
Total debt			\$ 695,916	
Trailing four quarters adjusted EBITDA				290,754
Debt to adjusted EBITDA				2.4

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Fiscal 2017 Fourth Quarter Earnings Announcement

Signatures

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

KENNAMETAL INC.

Date: August 2, 2017

By:

/s/ Patrick S. Watson

Patrick S. Watson

Vice President Finance and Corporate
Controller

PRESS RELEASE

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

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**KENNAMETAL ANNOUNCES FOURTH QUARTER AND FISCAL 2017 RESULTS; PROVIDES
FISCAL 2018 OUTLOOK**

PITTSBURGH, (August 2, 2017) – Kennametal Inc. (NYSE: KMT) today announced fiscal 2017 and fourth quarter results. For fiscal 2017, the company reported earnings per diluted share (EPS) of \$0.61, compared with a loss per diluted share (LPS) of \$2.83 in the prior year. Adjusted EPS were \$1.52 in the current year compared to \$1.11 in the prior year. For its fiscal fourth quarter, the company reported EPS of \$0.30, compared with the prior year quarter LPS of \$0.83. The current quarter adjusted EPS were \$0.56, compared to \$0.44 in the prior year quarter.

“Fiscal year 2017 has been a year of substantial change at Kennametal on many levels”, commented Executive Chairman of the Board, Ron De Feo. “After re-organizing the company to allow positive transformation, we focused on simplifying the company, improving sales execution and cost reduction. We have made significant achievements in each of these areas. The markets improved steadily through the year, and in the fourth quarter, organic sales grew at 12 percent - a quarterly rate of growth not seen since the December quarter of fiscal 2012. Total year organic growth was 4 percent, with year-over-year growth in all segments. Furthermore, our cost reduction achievements were significant and we believe that we are well-positioned to improve further as we move steadily forward with our multi-year plans.”

De Feo continued, “Adjusted EPS of \$0.56 for the quarter and \$1.52 for the year compare favorably with prior year, but are at the lower end of our expectations, as margins in the fourth quarter were impacted negatively in the amount of \$0.05 per share due to a LIFO charge, increased variable compensation in addition to productivity challenges as a result of higher than anticipated organic sales.”

“For fiscal year 2018, we expect adjusted EPS between \$2.00 and \$2.30, on organic sales growth of 2 to 4 percent, reflecting further significant achievements in cost reduction and margin improvement. Our capital expenditures are expected to be in the range of \$210 to \$230 million as we aggressively modernize facilities and begin to optimize our end-to-end processes, which is expected to result in slightly positive free operating cash flow.”

Chris Rossi, Kennametal President and CEO commented, “I am honored to be joining the Kennametal team at this exciting time in the Company’s history. There is much to do to finish the work already started on modernization and end-to-end process improvement, and I look forward to working with the team and other stakeholders in the years to come.”

This earnings release contains non-GAAP financial measures. Reconciliations of all non-GAAP financial measures are set forth in the tables attached to this earnings release, and corresponding descriptions are contained in the company’s report on Form 8-K, to which this news release is attached, and which was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on August 2, 2017.

Fiscal 2017 Fourth Quarter Key Developments

- Sales were \$565 million compared with \$521 million in the same quarter last year. Sales increased by 8 percent, reflecting 12 percent organic growth, offset partially by a 2 percent decrease due to fewer business days and a 2 percent unfavorable currency exchange impact.
- On a combined basis, pre-tax restructuring and related charges amounted to \$23 million, or \$0.26 per share, primarily from severance and a facility closure. Pre-tax benefits were approximately \$37 million, or \$0.39 per share in the quarter. In the same quarter last year, pre-tax restructuring and related charges were \$16 million, or \$0.10 per share, and pre-tax benefits were approximately \$10 million, or \$0.10 per share.
- Operating income was \$40 million, compared with \$25 million in the same quarter last year. Adjusted operating income was \$63 million, compared with \$47 million in the prior year quarter. The increase in adjusted operating income was driven by incremental restructuring benefits, organic sales growth and favorable mix, partially offset by higher performance-based compensation, higher raw material costs and a LIFO inventory charge. Adjusted operating margin was 11.2 percent in the current period and 9.0 percent in the prior period.
- The reported effective tax rate (ETR) was 22.6 percent and the adjusted ETR was 16.8 percent. The difference between reported and adjusted ETRs is due to restructuring and related charges. For the fourth quarter of fiscal 2016, the reported ETR was not meaningful due to the \$81 million U.S. deferred tax valuation allowance recorded in the period, and the adjusted ETR was 16.0 percent. The difference between reported and adjusted effective tax rates is mainly related to the U.S. deferred tax valuation allowance, tax impact of prior impairment charges, divestiture and restructuring and related charges. The primary driver of the increase in the adjusted ETR is unfavorable jurisdictional mix of earnings.
- EPS were \$0.30, compared with the prior year quarter LPS of \$0.83. Adjusted EPS were \$0.56 in the current year quarter and \$0.44 in the prior year quarter.
- The company generated year-to-date free operating cash flow of \$79 million compared with \$115 million in the prior year. The decrease in free operating cash flow was driven primarily by the prior year favorable impact of divestiture of \$33 million.
- Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) were \$66 million, compared with \$54 million in the prior year quarter. Adjusted EBITDA were \$89 million in the current quarter and \$76 million in the prior year quarter.

Segment Developments for the Fiscal 2017 Fourth Quarter

- Industrial segment sales of \$300 million increased 5 percent from \$286 million in the prior year quarter due to organic sales growth of 10 percent, partially offset by unfavorable currency exchange of 3 percent and a 2 percent decrease due to fewer business days. Excluding the impact of currency exchange, sales increased approximately 22 percent in energy, 8 percent in general engineering, 6 percent in aerospace and defense and 5 percent in transportation. General engineering sales continue to benefit from growth in the indirect channel, supported by increasing demand in the U.S. energy markets and China transportation markets. Oil and gas drilling and power generation in the Americas contributed to the growth in energy sales. Consistent with recent trends, transportation sales increased in the Asia markets to tiered suppliers and OEMs. Conditions in the aerospace sector were mixed as growth in engine-related sales was partially offset by declines in frames. On a segment regional basis excluding the impact of currency exchange, sales increased 14 percent in Asia, 9 percent in the Americas and 4 percent in Europe.
- Industrial segment operating income was \$21 million compared with \$30 million in the prior year period. Adjusted operating income was \$36 million compared to \$40 million in the prior year quarter, driven primarily by higher performance-based compensation, a LIFO inventory charge, lower productivity and unfavorable currency exchange, partially offset by incremental restructuring benefits and organic sales growth. Industrial adjusted operating margin was 11.9 percent compared with 13.9 percent in the prior year.

- Widia segment sales of \$47 million increased 10 percent from \$43 million in the prior year quarter, driven by organic growth of 14 percent, offset partially by a 3 percent decrease due to fewer business days and an unfavorable currency exchange impact of 1 percent. Contributing to Widia organic growth are increasing demand in the U.S. energy markets in addition to channel partner development, in particular the development of national and regional distribution in Europe. On a segment regional basis excluding the impact of currency exchange, sales increased 15 percent in the Americas, 13 percent in Asia and 2 percent in Europe.
- Widia segment operating loss was \$2 million compared to \$1 million in the prior year. Adjusted operating results were break even, compared to adjusted operating income of \$1 million in the prior year quarter, primarily driven by higher performance-based compensation and a LIFO inventory charge, partially offset by incremental restructuring benefits and organic growth. Widia adjusted operating margin was break even, compared with adjusted operating income margin of 1.7 percent in the prior year.
- Infrastructure segment sales of \$217 million increased 13 percent from \$193 million in the prior year due to 14 percent organic sales growth, offset partially by a decrease of 1 percent due to fewer business days. Excluding the impact of currency exchange, Infrastructure sales increased approximately 41 percent in energy, 8 percent in earthworks and 5 percent in general engineering. Sales have been favorably impacted by the energy markets, which have continued to strengthen. This is in addition to the year-over-year growth in underground mining in all regions. Compared to the prior year, construction sales were down due to softening business in Europe and Asia. On a segment regional basis excluding the impact of currency exchange, sales increased 22 percent in the Americas and 11 percent in Asia, while sales decreased 11 percent in Europe.
- Infrastructure segment operating income was \$18 million compared with operating loss of \$4 million in the prior year period. Adjusted operating income was \$24 million compared to \$6 million in the prior year quarter, driven primarily by incremental restructuring benefits, favorable mix, organic sales growth and higher absorption and productivity, partially offset by higher raw material costs and performance-based compensation. Infrastructure adjusted operating margin was 11.0 percent compared with 3.4 percent in the prior year.

Fiscal 2017 Key Developments

- Sales were \$2,058 million, compared with \$2,098 million last year. Sales decreased by 2 percent, driven by divestiture impact of 4 percent and 2 percent unfavorable currency exchange, partially offset by 4 percent organic sales growth.
- Combined restructuring programs delivered full fiscal 2017 year-over-year incremental savings of approximately \$72 million.
- Operating income was \$113 million, compared with operating loss of \$175 million in the same period last year. Adjusted operating income was \$189 million, compared with \$126 million in the prior year. Adjusted operating income increased primarily due to incremental restructuring benefits, better absorption and productivity, organic sales growth and lower raw material costs, partially offset by unfavorable mix and higher employment-related costs. Adjusted operating margin was 9.2 percent, compared to 6.2 percent in the prior year.
- EPS were \$0.61 in the current year, compared with LPS of \$2.83 in the prior year. Adjusted EPS were \$1.52 in the current year and \$1.11 in the prior year.

Restructuring Programs

Restructuring programs are currently expected to produce combined annual ongoing pre-tax permanent savings of \$165-\$180 million. In total, pre-tax charges for these initiatives are expected to be approximately \$165-\$195 million.

Restructuring and related charges and savings (pre-tax)

	Estimated Charges	Current Quarter Charges	Charges To Date	Estimated Annualized Savings	Approximate Current Quarter Savings	Expected Completion Date
Headcount reduction initiatives	\$60M-\$70M	\$14M	\$56M	\$90M	\$20M	12/31/2017
Other	\$105M-\$125M	\$9M	\$92M	\$75M-\$90M	\$17M	12/31/2018
Total	\$165M-\$195M	\$23M	\$148M	\$165M-\$180M	\$37M	

Outlook

The company expects 2018 adjusted EPS between \$2.00 and \$2.30, on organic sales growth of 2 to 4 percent, reflecting further significant achievements in cost reduction and margin improvement. Capital expenditures are expected to be in the range of \$210 to \$230 million as the company continues modernizing facilities and optimizing end-to-end processes, which the company expects will result in slightly positive free operating cash flow.

Dividend Declared

Kennametal also announced that its board of directors declared a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.20 per share. The dividend is payable on August 31, 2017 to shareholders of record as of the close of business on August 18, 2017.

The company will discuss its fiscal 2017 fourth-quarter results in a live webcast at 8:30 a.m. Eastern Time Thursday, August 3, 2017. This event will be broadcast live on the company's website, www.kennametal.com. To access the webcast, select "About Us", "Investor Relations" and then "Events." A recorded replay of this event also will be available on the company's website through September 3, 2017.

Certain statements in this release may be forward-looking in nature, or "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Forward-looking statements are statements that do not relate strictly to historical or current facts. For example, statements about Kennametal's outlook for earnings, sales volumes, cash flow and capital expenditures for fiscal year 2018 and our expectations regarding future growth and financial performance are forward-looking statements. Any forward looking statements are based on current knowledge, expectations and estimates that involve inherent risks and uncertainties. Should one or more of these risks or uncertainties materialize, or should the assumptions underlying the forward-looking statements prove incorrect, our actual results could vary materially from our current expectations. There are a number of factors that could cause our actual results to differ from those indicated in the forward-looking statements. They include: economic recession; our ability to achieve all anticipated benefits of restructuring initiatives; our foreign operations and international markets, such as currency exchange rates, different regulatory environments, trade barriers, exchange controls, and social and political instability; changes in the regulatory environment in which we operate, including environmental, health and safety regulations; potential for future goodwill and other intangible asset impairment charges; our ability to protect and defend our intellectual property; continuity of information technology infrastructure; competition; our ability to retain our management and employees; demands on management resources; availability and cost of the raw materials we use to manufacture our products; product liability claims; integrating acquisitions and achieving the expected savings and synergies; global or regional catastrophic events; demand for and market acceptance of our products; business divestitures; energy costs; commodity prices; labor relations; and implementation of environmental remediation matters. Many of these risks and other risks are more fully described in Kennametal's latest annual report on Form 10-K and its other periodic filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. We can give no assurance that any goal or plan set forth in forward-looking statements can be achieved and readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on such statements, which speak only as of the date made. We undertake no obligation to release publicly any revisions to forward-looking statements as a result of future events or developments.

About Kennametal

At the forefront of advanced materials innovation for more than 75 years, Kennametal Inc. is a global industrial technology leader delivering productivity to customers through materials science, tooling and wear-resistant solutions. Customers across aerospace, earthworks, energy, general engineering and transportation turn to Kennametal to help them manufacture with precision and efficiency. Every day approximately 11,000 employees are helping customers in more than 60 countries stay competitive. Kennametal generated nearly \$2.1 billion in revenues in fiscal 2017. Learn more at www.kennametal.com.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (UNAUDITED)

(in thousands, except per share amounts)	Three Months Ended June 30,		Twelve Months Ended June 30,	
	2017	2016	2017	2016
Sales	\$ 565,025	\$ 521,224	\$ 2,058,368	\$ 2,098,436
Cost of goods sold	384,736	354,540	1,400,661	1,482,369
Gross profit	180,289	166,684	657,707	616,067
Operating expense	115,359	121,148	463,167	494,975
Restructuring and asset impairment charges	20,788	15,312	65,018	143,810
Loss on divestiture	—	712	—	131,463
Amortization of intangibles	3,912	4,448	16,578	20,762
Operating income (loss)	40,230	25,064	112,944	(174,943)
Interest expense	7,367	6,857	28,842	27,752
Other (income) expense, net	(243)	(2,541)	2,227	(4,124)
Income (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes	33,106	20,748	81,875	(198,571)
Provision for income taxes	7,494	86,812	29,895	25,313
Net income (loss)	25,612	(66,064)	51,980	(223,884)
Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	969	451	2,842	2,084
Net income (loss) attributable to Kennametal	\$ 24,643	\$ (66,515)	\$ 49,138	\$ (225,968)
PER SHARE DATA ATTRIBUTABLE TO KENNAMETAL SHAREHOLDERS				
Basic earnings (loss) per share	\$ 0.31	\$ (0.83)	\$ 0.61	\$ (2.83)
Diluted earnings (loss) per share	\$ 0.30	\$ (0.83)	\$ 0.61	\$ (2.83)
Dividends per share	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.80	\$ 0.80
Basic weighted average shares outstanding	80,746	79,890	80,351	79,835
Diluted weighted average shares outstanding	81,850	79,890	81,169	79,835

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (UNAUDITED)

(in thousands)	June 30, 2017		June 30, 2016	
ASSETS				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	190,629	\$	161,579
Accounts receivable, net		380,425		370,916
Inventories		487,681		458,830
Other current assets		55,166		84,016
Total current assets		1,113,901		1,075,341
Property, plant and equipment, net		744,388		730,640
Goodwill and other intangible assets, net		491,894		505,695
Other assets		65,313		51,107
Total assets	\$	2,415,496	\$	2,362,783
LIABILITIES				
Current maturities of long-term debt and capital leases, including notes payable	\$	925	\$	1,895
Accounts payable		215,722		182,039
Other current liabilities		244,831		243,341
Total current liabilities		461,478		427,275
Long-term debt and capital leases		694,991		693,548
Other liabilities		206,374		246,159
Total liabilities		1,362,843		1,366,982
KENNAMETAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		1,017,294		964,323
NONCONTROLLING INTERESTS		35,359		31,478
Total liabilities and equity	\$	2,415,496	\$	2,362,783

SEGMENT DATA (UNAUDITED)	Three Months Ended June 30,		Twelve Months Ended June 30,	
(in thousands)	2017	2016	2017	2016
<i>Outside Sales:</i>				
Industrial ⁽¹⁾	\$ 300,318	\$ 285,547	\$ 1,126,309	\$ 1,098,439
Widia ⁽¹⁾	47,477	43,027	177,662	170,723
Infrastructure	217,230	192,650	754,397	829,274
Total outside sales	\$ 565,025	\$ 521,224	\$ 2,058,368	\$ 2,098,436
<i>Sales By Geographic Region:</i>				
North America	\$ 269,507	\$ 234,233	\$ 953,954	\$ 953,212
Western Europe	132,431	142,480	499,435	574,957
Rest of World	163,087	144,511	604,979	570,267
Total sales by geographic region	\$ 565,025	\$ 521,224	\$ 2,058,368	\$ 2,098,436
<i>Operating Income (Loss):</i>				
Industrial ⁽¹⁾	\$ 20,705	\$ 30,469	\$ 82,842	\$ 90,324
Widia ⁽¹⁾	(1,808)	(1,028)	(9,606)	(9,081)
Infrastructure	17,554	(3,888)	40,011	(246,306)
Corporate ⁽²⁾	3,779	(489)	(303)	(9,880)
Total operating income (loss)	\$ 40,230	\$ 25,064	\$ 112,944	\$ (174,943)

⁽¹⁾ Amounts for the three and twelve months ended June 30, 2016 have been restated to reflect the change in reportable operating segments.

⁽²⁾ Represents unallocated corporate expenses.

In addition to reported results under generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America (GAAP), the following financial highlight tables include, where appropriate, a reconciliation of adjusted results including: sales; gross profit and margin; operating expense; operating expense as a percentage of sales; operating income (loss) and margin; effective tax rate; net income (loss); E(L)PS; Industrial sales, operating income and margin; Widia sales, operating (loss) income and margin; Infrastructure sales, operating income (loss) and margin; free operating cash flow; and earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (E(L)BITDA) and margin (which are non-GAAP financial measures), to the most directly comparable GAAP measures. For those adjustments that are presented 'net of tax', the tax effect of the adjustment can be derived by calculating the difference between the pre-tax and the post-tax adjustments presented. The tax effect on adjustments is calculated by preparing an overall tax calculation including the adjustments and then a tax calculation excluding the adjustments. The difference between these calculations results in the tax impact of the adjustments.

Management believes that investors should have available the same information that management uses to assess operating performance, determine compensation and assess the capital structure of the company. These non-GAAP measures should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for the most comparable GAAP measures. Investors are cautioned that non-GAAP financial measures utilized by the company may not be comparable to non-GAAP financial measures used by other companies. Reconciliations of all non-GAAP financial measures are set forth in the attached tables and descriptions of certain non-GAAP financial measures are contained in our report on Form 8-K to which this release is attached, and which was filed with the SEC on August 2, 2017.

THREE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2017 (UNAUDITED)

(in thousands, except percents)	Sales	Gross profit	Operating expense	Operating income	Effective tax rate	Net income ⁽³⁾	Diluted EPS
Reported results	\$ 565,025	\$ 180,289	\$ 115,359	\$ 40,230	22.6 %	\$ 24,643	\$ 0.30
Reported margins		31.9%	20.4%	7.1%			
Restructuring and related charges	—	1,680	(697)	23,165	(5.8)	21,186	0.26
Adjusted results	\$ 565,025	\$ 181,969	\$ 114,662	\$ 63,395	16.8 %	\$ 45,829	\$ 0.56
Adjusted margins		32.2%	20.3%	11.2%			

⁽³⁾ Represents amounts attributable to Kennametal Shareholders.

(in thousands, except percents)	Industrial		Widia		Infrastructure	
	Sales	Operating income	Sales	Operating loss	Sales	Operating income
Reported results	\$ 300,318	\$ 20,705	\$ 47,477	\$ (1,808)	\$ 217,230	\$ 17,554
Reported operating margin		6.9%		(3.8)%		8.1%
Restructuring and related charges	—	15,054	—	1,791	—	6,320
Adjusted results	\$ 300,318	\$ 35,759	\$ 47,477	\$ (17)	\$ 217,230	\$ 23,874
Adjusted operating margin		11.9%		— %		11.0%

THREE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

(in thousands, except percents)	Sales	Gross profit	Operating expense	Operating income	Effective tax rate	Net (loss) income ⁽³⁾	Diluted (LPS) EPS
Reported results	\$ 521,224	\$ 166,684	\$ 121,148	\$ 25,064	418.4 %	\$ (66,515)	\$ (0.83)
Reported margins		32.0%	23.2%	4.8%			
Restructuring and related charges ⁽⁴⁾	—	2,566	(3,041)	15,539	(2.1)	8,244	0.10
Tax impact of prior impairment charges	—	—	—	—	(5.0)	(4,411)	(0.06)
Fixed asset disposal charges	—	—	—	5,380	(0.3)	3,657	0.05
Loss on divestiture	—	—	—	712	(3.6)	12,977	0.16
U.S. deferred tax valuation allowance	—	—	—	—	(391.4)	81,206	1.02
Adjusted results	\$ 521,224	\$ 169,250	\$ 118,107	\$ 46,695	16.0 %	\$ 35,158	\$ 0.44
Adjusted margins		32.5%	22.7%	9.0%			

⁽³⁾ Represents amounts attributable to Kennametal Shareholders.

⁽⁴⁾ Includes pre-tax restructuring and related charges recorded in corporate of \$117.

(in thousands, except percents)	Industrial		Widia		Infrastructure	
	Sales	Operating income	Sales	Operating (loss) income	Sales	Operating (loss) income
Reported results	\$ 285,547	\$ 30,469	\$ 43,027	\$ (1,028)	\$ 192,650	\$ (3,888)
Reported operating margin		10.7%		(2.4)%		(2.0)%
Restructuring and related charges ⁽⁵⁾	—	6,697	—	1,031	—	7,694
Fixed asset disposal charges	—	2,635	—	746	—	1,999
Operations of divested businesses	—	29	—	—	—	683
Adjusted results	\$ 285,547	\$ 39,830	\$ 43,027	\$ 749	\$ 192,650	\$ 6,488
Adjusted operating Margin		13.9%		1.7 %		3.4 %

⁽⁵⁾ Excludes pre-tax restructuring related charges recorded in corporate of \$117.

TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2017 - (UNAUDITED)

(in thousands, except percents)	Sales	Operating income	Net income ⁽³⁾	Diluted EPS
Reported Results	\$ 2,058,368	\$ 112,944	\$ 49,138	\$ 0.61
Reported Operating Margin		5.5%		
Restructuring and related charges	—	76,229	72,656	0.89
Australia deferred tax valuation allowance	—	—	1,288	0.02
Adjusted Results	\$ 2,058,368	\$ 189,173	\$ 123,082	\$ 1.52
Adjusted Operating Margin		9.2%		

⁽³⁾ Represents amounts attributable to Kennametal Shareholders.

TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2016 - (UNAUDITED)

(in thousands, except percents)	Sales	Operating (loss) income	Net (loss) income (⁽³⁾)	Diluted (LPS) EPS
Reported results	\$ 2,098,436	\$ (174,943)	\$ (225,968)	\$ (2.83)
Reported operating margin		(8.3)%		
Restructuring and related charges	—	53,508	40,220	0.50
Goodwill and other intangible asset impairment charges	—	108,456	77,076	0.96
Loss on divestiture and related charges	—	131,463	111,426	1.39
Fixed asset disposal charges	—	5,381	3,657	0.05
Operations of divested businesses	(82,512)	1,912	1,358	0.02
U.S. deferred tax valuation allowance	—	—	81,206	1.02
Adjusted results	\$ 2,015,924	\$ 125,777	\$ 88,975	\$ 1.11
Adjusted operating margin		6.2 %		

⁽³⁾ Represents amounts attributable to Kennametal Shareholders.

FREE OPERATING CASH FLOW (UNAUDITED)

(in thousands)	Three Months Ended June 30,		Twelve Months Ended June 30,	
	2017	2016	2017	2016
Net cash flow from operating activities	\$ 112,181	\$ 73,908	\$ 192,202	\$ 219,322
Purchases of property, plant and equipment	(23,923)	(27,412)	(118,018)	(110,697)
Proceeds from disposals of property, plant and equipment	1,171	876	5,023	5,978
Free operating cash flow	\$ 89,429	\$ 47,372	\$ 79,207	\$ 114,603

EBITDA (UNAUDITED)

(in thousands)	Three Months Ended June 30,		Twelve Months Ended June 30,	
	2017	2016	2017	2016
Net income (loss) attributable to Kennametal	\$ 24,643	\$ (66,515)	\$ 49,138	\$ (225,968)
Add back:				
Interest expense	7,367	6,857	28,842	27,752
Interest income	(246)	(568)	(1,005)	(1,680)
Provision for income taxes	7,494	86,812	29,895	25,313
Depreciation	22,709	23,407	91,078	96,704
Amortization of intangibles	3,912	4,448	16,578	20,762
EBITDA	\$ 65,879	\$ 54,441	\$ 214,526	\$ (57,117)
Margin	11.7%	10.4%	10.4%	(2.7)%
Adjustments:				
Restructuring and related charges	23,165	15,539	76,229	53,508
Fixed asset disposal charges	—	5,380	—	5,381
Loss on divestiture and related charges	—	712	—	131,463
Goodwill and other intangible asset impairment charges	—	—	—	108,456
Operations of divested businesses	—	—	—	1,912
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 89,044	\$ 76,072	\$ 290,755	\$ 243,603
Adjusted margin	15.8%	14.6%	14.1%	12.1 %