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

April 29, 2014

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

QUAKER CHEMICAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number 001-12019

PENNSYLVANIA

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

No. 23-0993790 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

One Quaker Park 901 E. Hector Street Conshohocken, Pennsylvania 19428 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On April 29, 2014, Quaker Chemical Corporation announced its results of operations for the first quarter ended March 31, 2014, in a press release, the text of which is included as Exhibit 99.1 hereto. Supplemental information related to the same period is also included as Exhibit 99.2 hereto.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

The following exhibits are included as part of this report:

<u>Exhibit No.</u> 99.1	Press Release of Quaker Chemical Corporation dated April 29, 2014.
99.2	Supplemental Information related to first quarter ended March 31, 2014.

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SIGNATURE

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.

Date: April 29, 2014

QUAKER CHEMICAL CORPORATION Registrant

By: /s/ Margaret m. loebl Margaret M. Loebl Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

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QUAKER CHEMICAL ANNOUNCES FIRST QUARTER 2014 RESULTS

- 3% revenue growth despite impacts from foreign exchange and the U.S. winter
- 11% growth in operating income and adjusted EBITDA
- Stable margin levels continue to contribute to improved operating results

April 29, 2014

CONSHOHOCKEN, PA – Quaker Chemical Corporation (NYSE: KWR) today announced a 3% increase in net sales of \$181.7 million for the first quarter of 2014 compared to the first quarter of 2013 net sales of \$176.2 million. Foreign exchange rate translation negatively impacted net sales by 2%. Operating income increased 11% to \$19.4 million in the first quarter of 2014 from \$17.4 million in the first quarter of 2013. Similarly, the Company's adjusted EBITDA increased 11% to \$23.7 million in the first quarter of 2014 from \$21.4 million in the first quarter of 2013. The Company's earnings per diluted share for the first quarter of 2014 were \$0.96 compared to \$1.04 for the first quarter of 2013 and non-GAAP earnings per diluted share for the first quarter of 2013. Despite strong operating results, the Company's higher effective tax rate was the primary reason its earnings were down compared to the first quarter of 2013.

Michael F. Barry, Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President commented, "We are pleased with our first quarter results especially in light of a continuing uneven global economic environment as well as negative impacts due to foreign exchange and the severe U.S. weather conditions. Our 11% growth in operating income and adjusted EBITDA is an indication that our business model and competitive positioning continue to serve us well. We experienced good growth in Europe and China, modest growth in North America and a decline in South America, primarily due to exchange rates."

Mr. Barry continued, "Looking forward, we expect to see modest growth in most of our major markets, although some countries such as India and Brazil could continue to be challenging. We are also beginning to experience an increase in some of our raw material costs. However, we do believe our track record of increasing our market share and leveraging our recent acquisitions will continue and help offset the market issues we may experience. Overall, I continue to remain confident in our future and expect 2014 to be another good year for Quaker as we strive to increase revenue and earnings for the fifth consecutive year."

First Quarter of 2014 Summary

Net sales for the first quarter of 2014 of \$181.7 million increased approximately 3% from net sales of \$176.2 million for the first quarter of 2013, including a decrease of approximately \$2.7 million, or 2%, due to foreign exchange rate translation. The increase in net sales from the first quarter of 2013 was primarily driven by 6% higher product volumes, including increases across most regions.

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Gross profit increased approximately \$2.5 million, or approximately 4%, from the first quarter of 2013, which was primarily driven by the increased sales volumes, noted above, on stable gross margins of 35.8% and 35.5% for the first quarters of 2014 and 2013, respectively.

Selling, general and administrative expenses ("SG&A") increased approximately \$0.5 million from the first quarter of 2013, primarily driven by higher labor related costs and additional costs related to an amendment to the Company's pension plan in the United Kingdom ("U.K."). The additional pension related costs are non-recurring. Finally, these increases to SG&A were net of lower foreign currency exchange rate translation.

The change from other income of \$0.3 million in the first quarter of 2013 to other expense of \$0.5 million in the first quarter of 2014 was primarily the result of approximately \$0.8 million of net foreign exchange losses in the current quarter.

Interest expense was lower in the first quarter of 2014 compared to the first quarter of 2013, primarily due to decreases in average borrowings and interest rates. Interest income was higher in the first quarter of 2014 compared to the first quarter of 2013, primarily due to an increase in the level of the Company's cash on hand.

The Company's effective tax rates for the first quarters of 2014 and 2013 were 34.8% and 24.1%, respectively. The primary contributors to the increase in the current quarter's effective tax rate were lower changes in reserves related to uncertain tax positions and certain one-time items that increased the current quarter's effective tax rate. Although the tax rate is inflated in the first quarter of 2014, we continue to estimate the full year 2014 effective tax rate to approximate 30%.

Equity in net income of associated companies ("equity income") was generally consistent between the first quarter of 2014 and the first quarter of 2013. The primary component of equity income is the Company's interest in a captive insurance company, which was higher in the prior year, including an out-of-period adjustment. Also, a first quarter of 2013 charge due to the devaluation of the Venezuelan Bolivar Fuerte affected the equity income comparison.

Changes in foreign exchange rates negatively impacted the first quarter of 2014 net income by approximately \$0.6 million, or \$0.05 per diluted share.

Balance Sheet and Cash Flow Items

The Company had net operating cash outflows of approximately \$1.8 million for the first quarter of 2014. The net cash outflow relates to an increase in cash invested in the Company's working capital during the current quarter, which was primarily the result of increased sales at the end of the first quarter of 2014, reestablishing inventory safety stock levels that were low at year end 2013 and higher annual incentive compensation payouts related to an improvement in the Company's prior year performance. Historically, the Company's first quarter cash flows are the weakest of the year, primarily due to the factors mentioned above. Overall, the Company's liquidity remains strong, as its cash position continued to exceed its debt at March 31, 2014, with no borrowings outstanding on its credit facility, and, also, the Company's consolidated leverage ratio continued to be less than one times EBITDA.

Non-GAAP Measures

Included in this public release are non-GAAP financial measures of non-GAAP earnings per diluted share and adjusted EBITDA. The Company believes these non-GAAP financial measures provide meaningful supplemental information as they enhance a reader's understanding of the financial performance of the Company, are more indicative of future operating performance of the Company, and facilitate a better comparison among fiscal periods, as the non-GAAP financial measures exclude items that are not considered core to the Company's operations. Non-GAAP results are presented for supplemental informational purposes only and should not be considered a substitute for the financial information presented in accordance with GAAP.

The following are reconciliations between the non-GAAP (unaudited) financial measures of non-GAAP earnings per diluted share and adjusted EBITDA to their most directly comparable GAAP (unaudited) financial measures:

	Three Months Ended March 31,			
		2014		2013
GAAP earnings per diluted share attributable to Quaker Chemical Corporation Common Shareholders		0.96	\$	1.04
Equity income in a captive insurance company per diluted share		(0.06)		(0.11)
UK pension plan amendment per diluted share		0.05		<u> </u>
Devaluation of the Venezuelan Bolivar Fuerte per diluted share	. <u></u>			0.03
Non-GAAP earnings per diluted share	\$	0.95	\$	0.96
		Three Mor Mar	nded	
		2014		2013
Net income attributable to Quaker Chemical Corporation	\$	12,730	\$	13,619
Depreciation and amortization		3,888		3,935
Interest expense		525		744
Taxes on income before equity in net income of associated companies		6,546		4,133
Equity income in a captive insurance company		(846)		(1,435)
UK pension plan amendment		902		—
Devaluation of the Venezuelan Bolivar Fuerte	<u>.</u>		<u> </u>	357
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	23,745	\$	21,353

Forward-Looking Statements

This release contains "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. These forward looking statements are subject to certain risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those projected in such statements. A major risk is that the Company's demand is largely derived from the demand for its customers' products, which subjects the Company to downturns in a customer's business and unanticipated customer production shutdowns. Other major risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to, significant increases in raw material costs, customer financial stability, worldwide economic and political conditions, foreign currency fluctuations, future terrorist attacks and other acts of violence. Other factors could also adversely affect us. Therefore, we caution you not to place undue reliance on our forward-looking statements. This discussion is provided as permitted by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995.

Conference Call

As previously announced, Quaker Chemical's investor conference call to discuss the first quarter of 2014 results is scheduled for April 30, 2014 at 8:30 a.m. (ET). A live webcast of the conference call, together with supplemental information, can be accessed through the Company's Investor Relations website at http://www.quakerchem.com. You can also access the conference call by dialing 877-269-7756.

About Quaker

Quaker Chemical is a leading global provider of process fluids, chemical specialties, and technical expertise to a wide range of industries, including steel, aluminum, automotive, mining, aerospace, tube and pipe, cans, and others. For nearly 100 years, Quaker has helped customers around the world achieve production efficiency, improve product quality, and lower costs through a combination of innovative technology, process knowledge, and customized services. Headquartered in Conshohocken, Pennsylvania USA, Quaker serves businesses worldwide with a network of dedicated and experienced professionals whose mission is to make a difference.

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Quaker Chemical Corporation Condensed Consolidated Statement of Income (Dollars in thousands, except per share data and share amounts)

		(Unaudited)			
	Т	Three Months Ended March 31,			
		2014	2013		
Net sales	\$	181,674	\$	176,193	
Cost of goods sold		116,560	<u>.</u>	113,585	
Gross profit		65,114		62,608	
%		35.8%		35.5%	
Selling, general and administrative expenses		45,741		45,197	
Operating income		19,373		17,411	
%		10.7%		9.9%	
Other (expense) income, net		(473)		346	
Interest expense		(525)		(744)	
Interest income		453		169	
Income before taxes and equity in net income of associated companies		18,828		17,182	
Taxes on income before equity in net income of associated companies		6,546		4,133	
Income before equity in net income of associated companies		12,282		13,049	
Equity in net income of associated companies		1,027		1,142	
Net income		13,309		14,191	
Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interest		579		572	
Net income attributable to Quaker Chemical Corporation	\$	12,730	\$	13,619	
%	<u>Ψ</u>	7.0%	<u> </u>	7.7%	
<u>Per share data:</u> Net income attributable to Quaker Chemical Corporation Common Shareholders - basic	\$	0.96	\$	1.04	
Net income attributable to Quaker Chemical Corporation Common Shareholders - diluted	\$	0.96	\$	1.04	

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Quaker Chemical Corporation Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet (Dollars in thousands, except par value and share amounts)

		(Unaudited)			
	March 31, 2014		December 31, 2013		
ASSETS					
Current assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	60,450	\$	68,492	
Accounts receivable, net		178,945		165,629	
Inventories		78,014		71,557	
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		22,735		23,169	
Total current assets		340,144		328,847	
Property, plant and equipment, net		83,854		85,488	
Goodwill		58,633		58,151	
Other intangible assets, net		30,472		31,272	
Investments in associated companies		20,494		19,397	
Deferred income taxes		19,936		24,724	
Other assets		36,174		36,267	
Total assets	\$	589,707	\$	584,146	
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY					
Current liabilities					
Short-term borrowings and current portion of long-term debt	\$	1,267	\$	1,395	
Accounts and other payables		81,367		75,580	
Accrued compensation		12,188		20,801	
Other current liabilities		33,141		33,080	
Total current liabilities		127,963		130,856	
Long-term debt		17,215		17,321	
Deferred income taxes		6,459		6,729	
Other non-current liabilities		80,062		84,544	
Total liabilities		231,699		239,450	
Equity					
Common stock, \$1 par value; authorized 30,000,000 shares; issued 13,226,717		13,227		13,196	
Capital in excess of par value		100,429		99,038	
Retained earnings		267,707		258,285	
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(33,015)		(34,700)	
Total Quaker shareholders' equity		348,348		335,819	
Noncontrolling interest		9,660		8,877	
Total equity		358,008	_	344,696	
Total liabilities and equity	\$	589,707	\$	584,146	
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<u>Quaker Chemical Corporation</u> <u>Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows</u> <u>For the three months ended March 31,</u> <u>(Dollars in thousands)</u>

	(Unaudited)			
		2014		2013
Cash flows from operating activities				
Net income	\$	13,309	\$	14,191
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash (used in) provided by operating activities:				
Depreciation		3,075		3,056
Amortization		813		879
Equity in undistributed earnings of associated companies, net of dividends		(927)		921
Deferred compensation and other, net		2,944		(861
Stock-based compensation		1,388		1,040
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment		(48)		(2
Insurance settlement realized		(337)		
Pension and other postretirement benefits		(1,665)		(2,52)
(Decrease) increase in cash from changes in current assets and current liabilities, net of acquisitions:				
Accounts receivable		(13,387)		(3,977
Inventories		(6,389)		(1,837
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		(29)		(45)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		(544)		874
Net cash (used in) provided by operating activities		(1,797)		11,306
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Cash flows from investing activities				
Investments in property, plant and equipment		(3,057)		(2,723
Payments related to acquisitions, net of cash acquired		-		(647
Proceeds from disposition of assets		58		13
Insurance settlement interest earned		11		14
Change in restricted cash, net		326		(14
Net cash used in investing activities		(2.662)		(3,357
		(2,002)		(3,33)
Cash flows from financing activities				
Net increase in short-term borrowings		-		594
Repayment of long-term debt		(232)		(2,438
Dividends paid		(3,300)		(3,208
Stock options exercised, other		(205)		(59
Excess tax benefit related to stock option exercises		239		369
Net cash used in financing activities		(3,498)		(4,742
		(3,478)		(4,742
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash		(85)		(498
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents		(8,042)		2,709
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period		68,492		32,547
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	\$	60,450	\$	35,250
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Regulation G

The attached charts include Company information that does not conform to generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). Management believes that an analysis of this data is meaningful to investors because it provides insight with respect to ongoing operating results of the Company and allows investors to better evaluate the financial results of the Company. These measures should not be viewed as an alternative to GAAP measures of performance. Furthermore, these measures may not be consistent with similar measures provided by other companies.

This data should be read in conjunction with the Company's first quarter earnings news release dated April 29, 2014, which has been furnished to the SEC on Form 8-K, and the Company's Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended M arch 31, 2014, which has been filed with the SEC.

Forward-Looking Statements

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Speakers



Michael F. Barry Chairman of the Board, Chief Executive Officer & President

Margaret M. Loebl Vice President, Chief Financial Officer & Treasurer

Robert T. Traub

First Quarter 2014 Headlines



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- 11% growth in operating income and adjusted EBITDA
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Chairman Comments

First Quarter 2014



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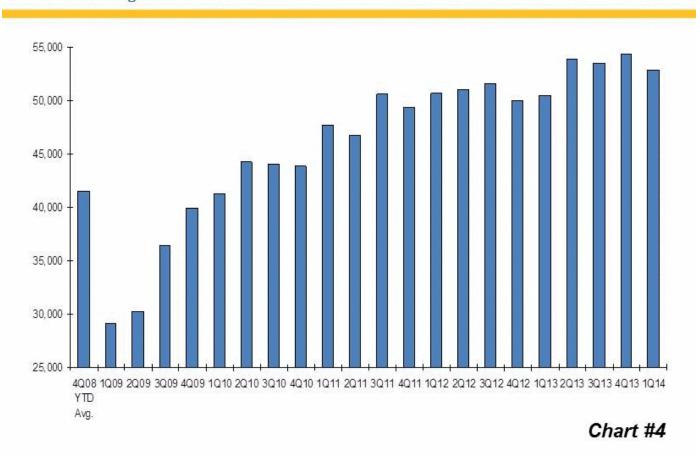
- ✓ Solid volume levels across most regions
- ✓ Stable margins despite select market challenges
- ✓ Strong operating results
- ✓ Effective business model and competitive position
- Liquidity remains a Company strength
- 2014 Outlook
 - ✓ Modest growth with challenges in Brazil & India
 - ✓ Furthering share gains and leverage from acquisitions
 - ✓ Some increases in raw material costs
 - Continue to actively pursue acquisitions

"Overall, I continue to remain confident in our future and expect 2014 to be another good year for Quaker as we strive to increase revenue and earnings for the fifth consecutive year." -- Michael F. Barry, Chairman, CEO & President

Product Volume by Quarter



Thousand Kilograms



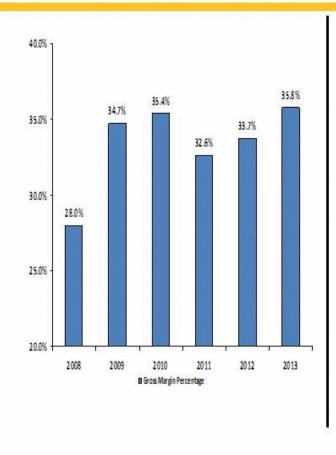
Financial Snapshot

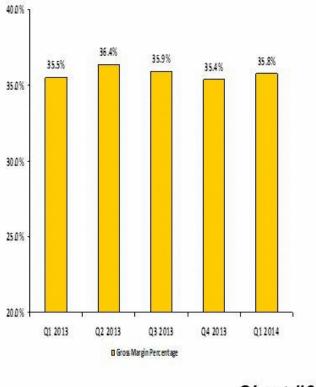


	Q1 2014	Q1 2013	
Net Sales (\$Mils.)	181.7	176.2	
Gross Margin (%)	35.8	35.5	
Operating Margin (%)	10.7	9.9	
Net Income attributable to Quaker Chemical Corporation (\$Mils.)	12.7	13.6	
Adjusted EBITDA (\$Mils.) – Trailing Twelve Months	92.0	81.9	
Adjusted EBITDA Margin (%)	12.5	11.6	
Earnings Per Diluted Share	0.96	1.04	
Non-GAAP Earnings Per Diluted Share	0.95	0.96	
Debt (\$Mils.)	18.5	29.6	
Equity (\$Mils.)	358.0	302.0	
Net Operating Cash Flow (\$Mils.)	(1.8)	11.3	

Gross Margin Percentage







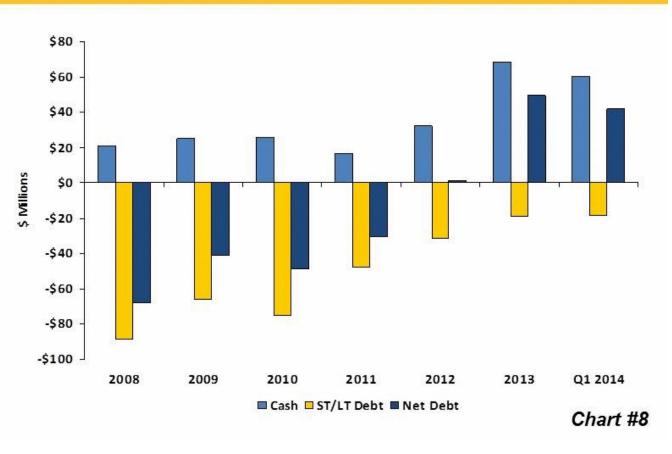
Adjusted EBITDA



Baseline Historical Performance



Balance Sheet Net Cash / (Debt)



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Non-GAAP Earnings Per Diluted Share Reconciliation



		Q1 2014		
GAAP Earnings Per Diluted Share	\$	0.96	\$	1.04
UK pension plan amendment per diluted share	\$	0.05	\$	•
Devaluation of the Venezuelan Bolivar Fuerte per diluted share	\$	•	\$	0.03
Equity income in a captive insurance company per diluted share	\$	(0.06)	\$	(0.11)
Non-GAAP Earnings Per Diluted Share	\$	0.95	\$	0.96

Annualized Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation



	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	YTD Q1 2014
Net income	9,833	16,058	32, 120	45,892	47,405	56,339	12,730
Depreciation	10,879	9,525	9,867	11,455	12,252	12,339	3,075
Amortization	1,177	1,078	988	2,338	3,106	3,445	813
Interest expense	5,509	5,533	5,225	4,666	4,283	2,922	525
Taxes on income	4,977	7,065	12,616	14,256	15,575	20,489	6,546
Restructuring and related activities	2,916	2,289	-	-	-	-	-
Non-income tax contingency charge	-	-	4,132	-	-	796	-
Equity affiliate out of period charge	÷.	-	564	-	-	-	-
Mineral oil excise tax refund	-	-	-	-	-	(2,540)	-
Transition costs related to key employees	3,505	2,443	1,317	-	609	-	-
Non-cash gain from the purchase of an equity affiliate	-	-	-	(2,718)	-	-	-
Change in acquisition-related earnout liability	-	-	-	(595)	(1,737)	(497)	-
Equity loss (income) from a captive insurance company	1,299	162	(313)	(2, 323)	(1,812)	(5,451)	(846)
Devaluation of the Venezuelan Bolivar	-	-	322	-	-	357	-
U.S customer bankrupt cies	-	-	-		1,254	-	-
Cost streamlining initiatives	-	-	-	-	-	1,419	-
UK pension plan amendment		-	-	-	-	-	902
Adjusted EBITDA	40,095	44,153	66,838	72,971	80,935	89,618	23,745
Adjusted EBITDA M argin	6.9%	9.8%	12.3%	10.7%	11.4%	12.3%	13.1%
Multiply Adjusted EBITDA by Annual Run Rate	1	1	1	1	1	1	4
Annualized Adjusted EBITDA	40,095	44,153	66,838	72,971	80,935	89,618	94,980

Trailing Twelve Months Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation



I = G + HΗ G = F - D F E = C + DD C = B - A В A Last Nine Trailing Last Nine Trailing Months Twelve Months **Twelve Months** Months YTD 2013 YTD 2012 Q1 2012 Q1 2014 Q1 2014 2013 Q1 2013 Q1 2013 2012 Net income 55,450 12,730 42,720 56,339 48,659 13,619 35.040 47,405 12,365 Depreciation 12,358 3,075 9,283 12,339 12,251 3,056 9,195 12,252 3,057 3,379 813 2,566 3,445 3,239 879 2,360 3,106 746 Amortization Interest expense 2,703 525 2,178 2,922 3,853 744 3,109 4,283 1,174 Taxes on income 22,902 6,546 16,356 20,489 16,263 4,133 12,130 15,575 3,445 Non-income tax contingency 796 796 796 . ÷. . -2 -Mineral oil excise tax refund (2,540) (2,540) (2, 540)-2 2 ÷. -Non-cash gain from the purchase of an equity affliate ----_ _ -(497) (497) (497) Change in acquisition-related earnout liability (1,737) (1,737)(1,737)---Equity loss (income) from a captive insurance company (4,862) (846) (4,016) (5,451) (2,828) (1,435) (1,393) (1,812) (419)Devaluation of the Venezuelan Bolivar 357 357 357 --+ U.S. customer bankruptcies 1,254 1,254 1.254 ---. --Transition costs related to key employees 609 609 609 ----. 5 Cost streamlining initiatives 1,419 1,419 1,419 ----UK pension plan amendment 902 902 ---. -Adjusted EBITDA 92,010 23,745 68,265 89,618 81,920 21,353 60,567 80,935 20,368 Adjusted EBITDA Margin 12.5% 13.1% 12.3% 12.3% 11.6% 12.1% 11.4% 11.4% 11.5%