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Accelerating Growth in Power Control

August 28, 2017



### Additional Information

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IXYS, Littelfuse and certain of their directors, executive officers and employees may be deemed participants in the solicitation of proxies from IXYS stockholders in connection with the proposed transaction. Information regarding the persons who may be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of IXYS stockholders in connection with the proposed transaction, including a description of their direct or indirect interests, by security holdings or otherwise, will be set forth in the proxy statement/prospectus when it is filed with the SEC. Information about the directors and executive officers of Littelfuse and their ownership of Littelfuse common stock is set forth in Littelfuse's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2016, which was filed with the SEC on February 27, 2017, and its definitive proxy statement for the Littelfuse 2017 annual meeting of stockholders, which was filed with the SEC on March 16, 2017. Information about the directors and executive officers of IXYS and their ownership of IXYS common stock is set forth in IXYS' Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2017, which was filed with the SEC on June 12, 2017, and the definitive proxy statement for IXYS' 2017 annual meeting of stockholders, which was filed with the SEC on July 28, 2017. Free copies of these documents may be obtained as described in the paragraphs above.



### Additional Information cont'd

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Management believes that Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA margin provide useful information to investors regarding operational performance because they enhance an investor's overall understanding of core financial performance and facilitate comparisons to historical results of operations, by excluding items that are not related directly to the underlying performance of fundamental business operations or were not part of business operations during a comparable period. Management believes that these non-GAAP financial measures are commonly used by financial analysts and others in the industries in which Littelfuse operates, and thus further provide useful information to investors. Management additionally uses these measures when assessing the performance of the business and for business planning purposes. Note that definitions of these non-GAAP financial measures differ from those terms as defined or used by IXYS Corporation and may differ from those terms as defined or used by other companies.



# **Transaction Summary**

#### Purchase Price

- IXYS stockholders receive, for each IXYS share, \$23.00 in cash or 0.1265 of a Littelfuse common share
- Transaction Equity Value of ~\$750M plus assumption of net cash position of \$95M (Enterprise Value of ~\$655M) (1)
- Enterprise Value / Adjusted TTM EBITDA (2) of ~14.5x, and <9.0x pro forma with annualized cost synergies (3)</li>

### Consideration

- 50% of IXYS stock will be converted into the cash election and 50% converted to the equity election
- Post-acquisition, IXYS stockholders to own ~9% of Littelfuse outstanding shares

### **Synergies**

- \$30M+ annualized cost synergies within 2 years after close
- Revenue synergies and tax rate reduction provide additional longer term upside

# Financial Impact

- Immediately accretive to adjusted EPS (4) and free cash flow (5)
- Synergized adjusted operating and EBITDA margins align to Littelfuse long-term financial model

### **Financing**

- Cash portion of consideration will be funded through a mix of cash on hand and additional debt
- Littelfuse maintains strong balance sheet with Gross Debt / Adjusted TTM EBITDA of 2.4x (6)

### Closing

- Expected to close in Q1 2018
- Subject to satisfaction of customary closing conditions, including regulatory and IXYS stockholder approvals



- (1) Based on Littelfuse's closing stock price on August 25, 2017 per Bloomberg.
- (2) IXYS Adjusted TTM EBITDA as of 6/30/17. See appendix for Trailing Twelve Month (TTM) EBITDA calculation
- (3) Reflects expected Adjusted EBITDA after the effect of \$30 million in annualized cost synergies
- (4) Including amortization of acquired intangibles and adjusting for one-time acquisition and integration related charges, and the fair value inventory step-up
- (5) Free Cash Flow is defined as cash flow from operations less capital expenditures, adjusting for one-time acquisition and integration related charges
- (6) Based on Pro Forma Adjusted TTM EBITDA estimate as of transaction close

# **IXYS Snapshot**

### **Global Player in Power Semiconductors**

#### **Key Highlights**

- Multi-market, integrated high power semiconductor company
- FY 2017 sales \$322 million
- Worldwide operations with ~1,000 employees
- Primary manufacturing facilities in US, England and Germany
- Multi-disciplined technology with 450+ global patents
- Diverse customer base of 3.500+

#### Select Customers and Distributors



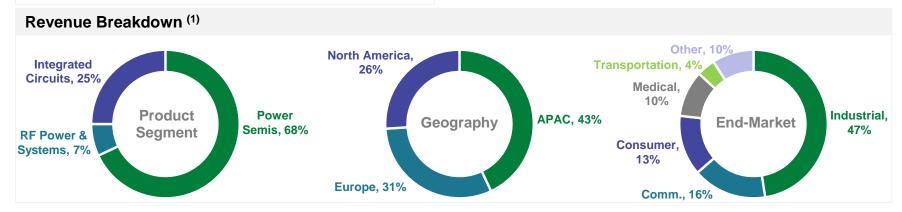
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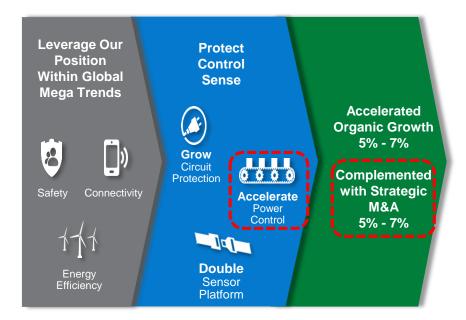






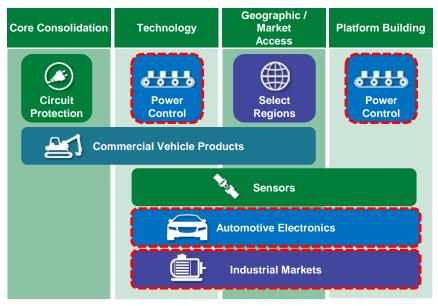
# **Alignment With Strategy and M&A Priorities**

**Strategy to Accelerate Growth in Power Control** 





**Alignment With Strategic M&A Focus Areas** 







Strategic initiatives addressed by acquisition

# **Strategic Rationale**

## **Clear Alignment to Five-Year Littelfuse Strategy**



### **Expanded Footprint in Strategic Markets**

- Significant expansion into industrial and electronics OEM markets
- Increased long-term penetration of power control products into automotive markets
- Strengthened position in Asia resulting from combined operations and salesforce





#### Technology and **Product Expansion**

- Adds significant engineering expertise and IP around power semiconductor technologies
- Capture design-in opportunities in high voltage industrial and automotive applications
- Complements existing investment in silicon carbide



#### **Complementary Customers and** Channels

- IXYS' industrial OEM relationships via direct sales team provide market insight
- Increased content per vehicle through crossselling of power control products in automotive
- Significant overlap in major global electronics distribution partnerships bolsters position in channel



### **Accelerates High** Growth **Opportunities**

- Provides opportunities to capture high growth end markets. such as:
  - Renewable energy
  - Industrial power supplies
  - Electric vehicle charging infrastructure
  - Industrial motor drives



#### Combined **Critical Scale**

- Economies of scale to leverage technology and other investments
- Optimization of customer facing and operational structures. leveraging respective strengths

### **Pro Forma Combination Overview**





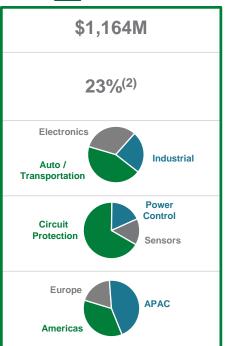


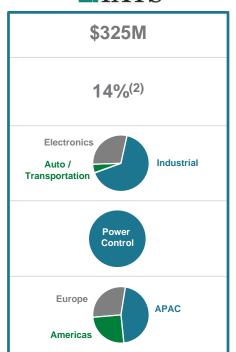


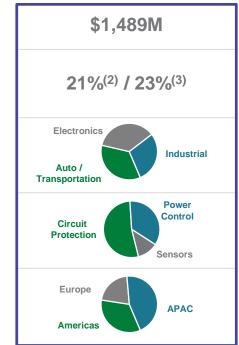


Revenue (1) Adj. EBITDA Margin<sup>(2)</sup> / Synergized Adj. **EBITDA** Margin (3) Revenue by End Market<sup>(4)</sup> Revenue by **Product Technology** Revenue by Geography

Expertise Applied | Answers Delivered







#### Notes:



- (2) See appendix for Adjusted TTM EBITDA margin calculation
- (3) Reflects Adjusted EBITDA after the effect of \$30 million in annualized cost synergies
  - Industrial: motor drives, utilities, industrial power supply, oil & gas, mining and other heavy industrial markets

### **Transaction Details**

- Financing
  - 50% of IXYS stock will be converted into the cash election and 50% converted to the equity election
  - Total cash funding requirement of ~\$375M
    - Cash funding via cash on hand and additional debt
  - Balance sheet maintains flexibility with pro forma Debt to Adjusted TTM EBITDA of 2.4x and Net Debt to Adjusted TTM EBITDA of 1.3x at close (1)
- Expected to close in Q1 2018, subject to customary closing conditions, including regulatory and IXYS stockholder approvals
- Dr. Nathan Zommer (Chairman and CEO of IXYS) is expected to join the Littelfuse **Board of Directors**



# Summary



- Littelfuse to acquire IXYS for ~\$750M transaction equity value (~\$655M enterprise value) (1)
- IXYS stockholders receive \$23 in cash or 0.1265 of a Littelfuse common share per IXYS share
- Transaction expected to close in Q1 2018



- Aligns with five-year strategy to accelerate growth across power control platform
- Expands access to industrial end market and greater power control auto penetration
- Complementary product portfolio drives cross-selling opportunities across channels



- Immediately accretive to adjusted EPS (2) and free cash flow (3)
- \$30M+ in annualized cost savings achieved within 2 years after close
- Additional upside from revenue synergies and tax rate reduction



- Synergized adjusted operating & EBITDA margins align to Littelfuse long-term financial model
- Balance sheet remains flexible for future strategic acquisitions







# **Appendix – Non-GAAP/Pro Forma Reconciliations**

#### Non-GAAP Adjustments (\$ in millions)

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	July 1, 2017 Littelfuse, Inc.		June 30, 2017 IXYS Corporation			
					Combined	
Restructuring	\$	14.8	\$	-	\$	14.8
Impairments		8.1		1.4		9.5
Acquisitions/purchase accounting adjustments		4.4		-		4.4
Reed switch manufacturing transfer costs		1.2		-		1.2
Stock compensation expense		-		3.5		3.5
Other		-		1.3		1.3
Total non-GAAP adjustments	\$	28.5	\$	6.2	\$	34.7

#### Adjusted EBITDA / Adjusted EBITDA Margin reconciliation / Synergized Adjusted EBITDA Margin:

	Trailing Twelve Months Ended					
	July 1, 2017 Littelfuse, Inc.		June 30, 2017 IXYS Corporation			
					Combined	
Net sales	\$	1,163.6	\$	325.0	\$	1,488.6
GAAP operating income	\$	177.7	\$	32.2	\$	209.9
Total non-GAAP adjustments		28.5		6.2		34.7
Adjusted operating income	\$	206.2	\$	38.4	\$	244.6
Add back depreciation and amortization		58.7		10.2		68.9
As Reported Adjusted EBITDA	\$	264.9	\$	48.6	\$	313.5
As Reported Adjusted EBITDA margin		22.8%		14.9%		21.1%
Less: Stock compensation expense		-		(3.5)		(3.5)
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	264.9	\$	45.1	\$	310.0
Adjusted EBITDA margin		22.8%		13.9%		20.8%
Less: Annualized synergy savings (A)						30.0
Synergized Adjusted EBITDA					\$	340.0
Synergized Adjusted EBITDA margin						22.8%

Note: Totals may not foot due to rounding.

The trailing twelve month amounts disclosed above are calculated from Littelfuse Inc.'s publicly filed financial results and information on Form 8-K filed on August 2, 2017 and February 1, 2017, respectively.

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