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FORM 8-K **CURRENT REPORT** Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the **Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): February 1, 2018

JNSWI **BRUNSWICK CORPORATION**

(Exact Name of Registrant Specified in Charter)

Delaware

001-01043 (Commission File

Number)

(State or Other Jurisdiction of **Incorporation**)

26125 N. Riverwoods Blvd., Suite 500, Mettawa, Illinois

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (847) 735-4700

N/A

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

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company \Box

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. \Box

(I.R.S. Employer **Identification No.)**

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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 1, 2018, Brunswick Corporation ("Brunswick") announced its financial results for the fourth quarter and full-year 2017. The news release Brunswick issued announcing its fourth quarter and full-year 2017 earnings is incorporated herein by reference and is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

In the news release, Brunswick uses non-GAAP financial measures. A "non-GAAP financial measure" is a numerical measure of a registrant's historical or future financial performance, financial position, or cash flows that excludes amounts, or is subject to adjustments that have the effect of excluding amounts, that are included in the most directly comparable measure calculated and presented in accordance with GAAP in the statements of operations, balance sheets, or statements of cash flows of the issuer; or includes amounts, or is subject to adjustments that have the effect of including amounts, that are excluded from the most directly comparable measure so calculated and presented. Operating and statistical measures and certain ratios and other statistical measures are not non-GAAP financial measures. GAAP refers to generally accepted accounting principles in the United States.

Brunswick has used certain of the financial measures that are included in the news release for several years, both in presenting its results to shareholders and the investment community and in its internal evaluation and management of its businesses. Brunswick's management believes that these measures (including those that are non-GAAP financial measures) and the information they provide are useful to investors because they permit investors to view Brunswick's performance using the same tools that Brunswick uses and to better evaluate Brunswick's ongoing business performance. The measure diluted earnings per common share (EPS), as adjusted, is believed to be useful to investors because it represents a measure of Brunswick's earnings, without the impact of pension settlement charges, restructuring, exit, integration, and impairment charges, charges for certain product field campaigns, special tax items, and the results of discontinued operations. Brunswick defines this measure as diluted earnings (loss) per common share from continuing operations, excluding the earnings per share impact of pension settlement charges, restructuring, exit, integration, and impairment charges, charges for certain product field campaigns, impairment charges for an equity method investment, loss on early extinguishment of debt, special tax items, the results of discontinued operations, or other applicable charges. Brunswick's management also believes that the measures adjusted operating earnings and adjusted pretax earnings are useful to investors because they provide a necessary and important perspective on Brunswick's operating performance and improve comparability of performance against prior periods. Brunswick defines adjusted operating earnings as operating earnings, excluding the earnings impact of pension settlement charges, restructuring, exit, integration, and impairment charges, and charges for certain product field campaigns. Brunswick defines adjusted pretax earnings as earnings (loss) before income taxes, excluding the earnings impact of pension settlement charges, restructuring, exit, integration, and impairment charges, charges for certain product field campaigns, impairment charges for an equity method investment, loss on early extinguishment of debt, and other applicable charges. Brunswick's management believes that the non-GAAP financial measure free cash flow is useful to investors because it is an indication of cash flow that may be available to fund investments in future growth initiatives. Brunswick defines free cash flow as cash flow from operating and investing activities (excluding cash provided by or used for acquisitions, investments, purchases or sales/maturities of marketable securities, and other investing activities) and the effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents. Brunswick does not provide forward-looking guidance for certain financial measures on a GAAP basis because it is unable to predict certain items contained in the GAAP measures without unreasonable efforts. These items may include pension settlement charges, restructuring, exit, integration, and impairment charges, special tax items, and certain other unusual adjustments.

To reflect the impact of changes in currency exchange rates on net sales, Brunswick may use constant currency reporting. To present this information, net sales transacted in currencies other than U.S. dollars are translated to U.S. dollars using prior year exchange rates for the comparative period, using the average exchange rates in effect during that period. The percentage change in net sales expressed on a constant currency basis may better reflect changes in the underlying business trends, excluding the impact of translation arising from foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations.

The information in this report and the exhibit attached hereto shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01.	Financial Statements and Exhibits.
(d) Exhibits:	
<u>Exhibit No.</u>	Description of Exhibit
	News Release, dated February 1, 2018, of Brunswick Corporation, announcing its fourth quarter and full-year 2017 earnings.99.1

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.

BRUNSWICK CORPORATION

Dated: February 1, 2018

By: /S/ DANIEL J. TANNER Daniel J. Tanner

Vice President and Controller

EXHIBIT INDEX:

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News Release

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Brunswick Reports Fourth Quarter and Full-Year Results

Full-Year Results: 9% Growth in Revenue;

GAAP Diluted EPS of \$2.08 and Diluted EPS, as adjusted, of \$3.89;

2018 Guidance: Revenue Growth of 5% to 7% and

Diluted EPS, as adjusted, increased to \$4.45 to \$4.65

METTAWA, III., Feb. 1, 2018 -- Brunswick Corporation (NYSE: BC) today reported results for the fourth quarter and full-year of 2017:

2017 Full-Year Highlights:

- Consolidated net sales increased 9 percent versus 2016. Net sales increased 14 percent in the Boat segment and 8 percent in the Marine Engine . segment.
- On a GAAP basis, operating earnings decreased by 13 percent. Adjusted operating earnings were up 5 percent versus the prior period.
- On a GAAP basis, diluted EPS of \$2.08 decreased by \$0.88 or 30 percent compared to the prior year. Diluted EPS, as adjusted, was \$3.89, up \$0.43 or 12 percent versus 2016.

"Our results in 2017 reflect the continued successful execution of our strategy by our business teams and our emphasis on creating and increasing shareholder value," said Brunswick Chairman and Chief Executive Officer Mark Schwabero. "Our performance

represents the eighth consecutive year of adjusted EPS growth, with this record high EPS resulting from strong operating performance by our marine businesses.

"Our 2017 revenue increased by 9 percent, reflecting strong growth in all three of our primary boat categories and the outboard engine business, along with solid growth in our parts and accessories businesses. Overall demand in global marine markets was strong, as domestic markets continued to grow and international markets benefited from gains in Europe, Canada, and Asia-Pacific, as well as improving conditions in other regions. Successful marine product launches and continued strong market share, combined with an effective acquisition strategy, have positioned our marine businesses for success in 2018 and beyond. Importantly, our collective marine businesses reported a 10 percent increase in both revenue and operating earnings over 2016, reflecting a healthy global marketplace," Schwabero continued.

"Our fitness business is executing against its strategy to address market challenges and enable future growth. Revenue growth was 5 percent for the year, reflecting growth in international markets, while domestic market demand continued to be flat versus 2016," Schwabero continued. "Revenue gains also included the impacts of the Indoor Cycling Group acquisition completed in 2016. Throughout the year, this segment encountered several operating margin headwinds, including higher costs, particularly freight in the fourth quarter, challenging pricing dynamics in certain international markets, and unfavorable changes in sales mix.

"Moving forward, our strategic focus in the fitness business remains on driving product leadership, operational excellence and technology development which we believe positions us for success in the evolving commercial fitness marketplace. The long-term fundamentals of the fitness market are favorable, and we are confident that the plans we have developed and are executing against position this business to capitalize on future market opportunities and deliver earnings growth," Schwabero continued.

"Overall, our consolidated adjusted operating earnings in 2017 increased by 5 percent compared to the prior year, including the impact of planned investments in growth

initiatives. The improvement in adjusted operating earnings, combined with a lower effective tax rate and fewer shares outstanding, resulted in diluted earnings per common share, as adjusted, increasing by 12 percent over the prior year," Schwabero concluded.

Discontinued Operations

On December 5, 2017, Brunswick announced its intention to sell its Sea Ray businesses, including the Meridian brand. Starting with the fourth quarter of 2017, Brunswick is reporting the historical and future results of these businesses as discontinued operations. Therefore, for all periods presented in this release, all figures and outlook statements incorporate this change and reflect continuing operations only, unless otherwise noted.

The Sea Ray businesses reported net sales of \$103.2 million in the fourth quarter and \$387.6 million for full-year 2017. The businesses had adjusted operating losses of \$5.9 million in the fourth quarter and \$17.2 million for the year. These amounts exclude a \$36.0 million impairment loss recorded in the fourth quarter of 2017 in connection with the anticipated sale of the businesses, as well as \$2.2 million and \$9.9 million of other restructuring, exit, integration, and impairment charges for the fourth quarter and full-year respectively.

2017 Full-Year Results

For the year ended Dec. 31, 2017, the Company reported net sales of \$4,510.0 million, up from \$4,153.9 in 2016. On a GAAP basis, diluted EPS was \$2.08, and diluted EPS, as adjusted, was \$3.89. 2017 and 2016 full-year earnings results, including reconciliations of GAAP and as adjusted amounts, are shown below:

	Full-Year											
		Operating Ea	Diluted Earnings (Loss) Per Share									
\$ millions		2017		2016		2017		2016				
GAAP	\$	354.9	\$	406.9	\$	2.08	\$	2.96				
Pension Settlement Charge		96.6		55.1		0.69		0.38				
Restructuring, Exit, Integration, and Impairment Charges		36.6		15.2		0.26		0.10				
Product Field Campaigns Charge		13.5		-		0.10		-				
Special Tax Items		-		-		0.76		0.02				
As Adjusted	\$	501.6	\$	477.2	\$	3.89	\$	3.46				
Percent Increase		5%				12 %						
Adjusted Operating Margin		11.1%		11.5%								
GAAP Operating Margin		7.9%		9.8 %								

As shown above, our 2017 and 2016 results included \$96.6 million and \$55.1 million non-cash pension settlement charges recorded in the fourth quarter of each year, respectively, related to the settlement of plan obligations for certain participants. The special tax items in 2017 include a \$71.8 million charge taken in the fourth quarter related to the impact of U.S. tax reform including an adjustment to our deferred tax balances due to the statutory corporate income tax rate reduction.

2017 Fourth Quarter Results

For the fourth quarter of 2017, the Company reported net sales of \$1,090.9 million, up from \$986.3 in 2016. On a GAAP basis, diluted EPS was \$(1.02), and diluted EPS, as adjusted, was \$0.70. 2017 and 2016 fourth quarter earnings results, including reconciliations of GAAP and as adjusted amounts, are shown below:

			Quarter	Ended	I		
	 Operating Ea	(Loss)	Diluted Earnings (Loss) Per Share				
\$ millions	 24 2017		Q4 2016		Q4 2017		Q4 2016
GAAP	\$ (33.4)	\$	26.9	\$	(1.02)	\$	0.18
Pension Settlement Charge	96.6		55.1		0.70		0.38
Restructuring, Exit, Integration, and Impairment Charges 1	16.7		6.4		0.12		0.04
Product Field Campaigns Charge	13.5		-		0.10		-
Special Tax Items	-		-		0.80		0.06
As Adjusted	\$ 93.4	\$	88.4	\$	0.70	\$	0.66
Percent Increase	6%				6%		
Adjusted Operating Margin	8.6 %		9.0%				
GAAP Operating Margin	(3.1)%		2.7 %				
¹ Charges primarily related to an impairment of the Cybex trade name							

Review of Cash Flow and Balance Sheet

Cash and marketable securities totaled \$459.0 million at the end of the fourth quarter, down \$10.4 million from year-end 2016 levels. The reduction includes net cash provided by operating activities during the year of \$417.2 million, which declined by \$6.3 million versus the prior year. The decrease was the result of higher working capital usage, which more than offset improved operating performance.

In addition, net cash used for investing and financing activities for the year totaled \$367.4 million which included \$189.3 million of capital expenditures, \$130.0 million of common stock repurchases, and \$60.6 million of dividend payments, partially offset by \$35.0 million of proceeds from the sales of marketable securities. Free cash flow for 2017 was \$243.1 million.

Marine Engine Segment

The Marine Engine segment, which manufactures and distributes marine propulsion systems and related parts and accessories, reported net sales of \$564.6 million in the fourth quarter of 2017, up 13 percent from \$500.2 million in the fourth quarter of 2016. International sales, which represented 31 percent of total segment sales in the quarter, were up 6 percent compared to the prior year period. For the quarter, the Marine Engine segment reported operating earnings of \$57.5 million. This compares with operating earnings of \$51.0 million in the fourth quarter of 2016.

Strong growth in the outboard engine business and the parts and accessories businesses led to the sales increases in the quarter. The improvement in operating earnings in the fourth quarter was primarily the result of higher net sales and favorable changes in product mix, partially offset by planned increases in growth investments in advance of new product introductions and unfavorable adjustments related primarily to product warranty and the resolution of litigation.

Boat Segment

The Boat segment, which manufactures and distributes recreational boats, reported net sales of \$283.2 million for the fourth quarter of 2017, up 15 percent from \$245.3 million in the fourth quarter of 2016. International sales, which represented 27 percent of total segment sales in the quarter, increased by 14 percent compared to the prior year period. For the fourth quarter of 2017, the Boat segment reported operating earnings of \$21.9 million. This compares with operating earnings of \$13.1 million in the fourth quarter of 2016.

The Boat segment's revenue reflected strong growth in the aluminum and fiberglass outboard boat businesses. The increase in operating earnings was primarily the result of higher net sales and improved operating efficiencies.

Fitness Segment

The Fitness segment manufactures and distributes commercial strength and cardiovascular fitness equipment and active recreation products. Fitness segment sales in the fourth quarter of 2017 totaled \$304.8 million, an increase of 3 percent from \$294.7 million in the fourth quarter of 2016. International sales, which represented 45 percent of total segment sales in the quarter, increased by 11 percent compared to the fourth quarter of 2016.

For the quarter, the Fitness segment reported adjusted operating earnings of \$38.1 million, which excludes \$16.7 million of restructuring, exit, integration, and impairment charges, primarily related to an impairment of the Cybex trade name, and a \$13.5 million charge for costs related to field campaigns pertaining to certain Cybex products designed prior to the acquisition. This compares with adjusted operating earnings of \$47.9 million in the fourth quarter of 2016, which excluded \$3.9 million of restructuring, exit, integration, and impairment charges.

The Fitness segment's revenue reflected overall growth in international markets, offset by slight declines in domestic sales. The decline in adjusted operating earnings resulted from lower margins, reflecting several factors including higher freight costs, challenging competitive dynamics in certain international markets and unfavorable changes in sales mix. These factors more than offset benefits from higher sales and cost reduction initiatives.

2018 Outlook

"Our outlook for 2018 is generally consistent with our recently provided three-year strategic plan and indicates another year of strong revenue and earnings growth, with excellent cash flow generation," said Schwabero. "Our recent results reflect the ongoing execution of our strategy, and we believe we are well-positioned to generate increased shareholder returns throughout our three-year plan.

"We expect our marine businesses' top-line performance to benefit from the continuation of solid global growth, along with the success of new products. In the Fitness segment, we are planning for market demand similar to the second half of 2017, while anticipating contributions from new and recently introduced products, particularly in the second half of the year. As a result, absent any significant changes in global macro-economic conditions, our plan reflects overall revenue growth rates in 2018 in the range of 5 to 7 percent, including benefits from completed acquisitions and favorable movements in foreign exchange rates.

"For the full-year, we anticipate improvement in both gross margins and operating margins, as we plan to continue to benefit from new products, volume leverage, cost reductions related to efficiency initiatives, and modestly positive product mix factors. Operating expenses are estimated to increase in 2018 as we continue to fund incremental investments to support growth; however, on a percentage of sales basis, are expected to be slightly lower than 2017 levels. Our guidance for 2018 reflects a diluted EPS, as adjusted, range of \$4.45 to \$4.65, including benefits from recently enacted U.S. tax reform and ongoing execution of our share repurchase program. Finally, for the full-year 2018, we expect to generate free cash flow in excess of \$275 million," Schwabero concluded.

Use of Non-GAAP Financial Information

A reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP financial measures is provided in the reconciliation sections of the consolidated financial statements accompanying this release.

Brunswick does not provide forward-looking guidance for certain financial measures on a GAAP basis because it is unable to predict certain items contained in the GAAP measures without unreasonable efforts. These items may include pension settlement charges, restructuring, exit, integration, and impairment costs, special tax items, and certain other unusual adjustments.

Conference Call Scheduled

Brunswick will host a conference call today at 10 a.m. CST, hosted by Mark D. Schwabero, chairman and chief executive officer, William L. Metzger, senior vice president and chief financial officer, and Ryan M. Gwillim, vice president - investor relations.

The call will be broadcast over the Internet at ir.brunswick.com. To listen to the call, go to the website at least 15 minutes before the call to register, download and install any needed audio software.

See Brunswick's website for slides used to supplement conference call remarks at ir.brunswick.com.

Security analysts and investors wishing to participate via telephone should call 888-771-4371 (passcode: Brunswick Q4). Callers outside of North America should call 847-585-4405 (passcode: Brunswick Q4) to be connected. These numbers can be accessed 15 minutes before the call begins, as well as during the call. A replay of the conference call will be available through midnight EST Thursday, February 8, 2018, by calling 888-843-7419 or international dial 630-652-3042 (passcode: 4626 7131#). The replay will also be available at www.brunswick.com.

Forward-Looking Statements

Certain statements in this news release are forward-looking as defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements are based on current expectations, estimates and projections about Brunswick's business and by their nature address matters that are, to different degrees, uncertain. Words such as "may," "could," "expect," "intend," "target," "plan," "seek," "estimate," "believe," "predict," "outlook" and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements. Such statements are not guarantees of future performance and involve certain risks and uncertainties that may cause actual results to differ materially from expectations as of the date of this news release. These risks include, but are not limited to: adverse general economic conditions, including reductions in consumer discretionary spending; negative currency trends; our ability to complete and integrate targeted acquisitions; our ability to implement our strategic plan and growth initiatives; adequate financing access for dealers and customers and our ability to access capital and credit markets; maintaining effective distribution; retaining our relationships with dealers, distributors and independent boat builders; credit and collections risks; retaining key customers; protecting our brands and intellectual property; absorbing fixed costs in production, managing expansion or consolidation of manufacturing facilities; meeting supply objectives; meeting pension funding obligations; managing our share repurchases; higher energy and fuel costs; competitive pricing pressures; developing new and innovative products at a competitive price, in legal compliance; maintaining product quality and service standards; outages or breaches of technology systems; competitor activity; product liability, warranty and other claims risks; increased costs of legal and regulatory compliance; having to record an impairment to the value of goodwill and other assets; international business risks; attracting and retaining key

Additional risk factors are included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for 2016. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date on which they are made and Brunswick does not undertake any obligation to update them to reflect events or circumstances after the date of this news release or for changes by wire services or Internet service providers.

About Brunswick

Headquartered in Mettawa, Ill., Brunswick Corporation's leading consumer brands include Mercury and Mariner outboard engines; Mercury MerCruiser sterndrives and inboard engines; MotorGuide trolling motors; Attwood, Garelick and Whale marine parts and accessories; Land 'N' Sea, Kellogg Marine, Lankhorst Taselaar, Payne's Marine and BLA parts and accessories distributors; Bayliner, Boston Whaler, Brunswick Commercial and Government Products, Crestliner, Cypress Cay, Harris, Lowe, Lund, Meridian, Princecraft, Quicksilver, Rayglass, Sea Ray, Thunder Jet and Uttern boats; Life Fitness, Hammer Strength, Cybex, Indoor Cycling Group and SCIFIT fitness equipment; and Brunswick billiards tables, accessories and game room furniture. For more information, visit http://www.brunswick.com.

Brunswick Corporation Comparative Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations (in millions, except per share data) (unaudited)

	Three Months Ended		
	December 31, December 31, 2017 2016	% Change	
Net sales		11 %	
Cost of sales		19.4 14 %	
Selling, general and administrative expense		45.2 7 %	
Research and development expense		33.3 8 %	
Pension settlement charge	96.6	55.1 75 %	
Restructuring, exit, integration and impairment charges	16.7	6.4 NM	
Operating earnings (loss)		26.9 NM	
Equity earnings	0.9	1.1 -18 %	
Other income, net	1.0	0.7 43 %	
Earnings (loss) before interest and income taxes	(31.5)	28.7 NM	
Interest expense	(6.6)	(6.6) 0 %	
Interest income	0.8	0.6 33 %	
Earnings (loss) before income taxes	(37.3)	22.7 NM	
Income tax provision	53.1	6.0 NM	
Net earnings (loss) from continuing operations		16.7 NM	
Net earnings (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax	(26.5)	1.0 NM	
Net earnings (loss)	\$ (116.9) \$	17.7 NM	
Earnings (loss) per common share:			
Basic			
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations		0.19	
Earnings (loss) from discontinued operations	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	0.01	
Net earnings (loss)	\$ <u>(1.32)</u> \$	0.20 NM	
Diluted			
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations		0.18	
Earnings (loss) from discontinued operations	(0.30)	0.01	
Net earnings (loss)	\$ (1.32) <u></u> \$	0.19 NM	
Weighted average shares used for computation of:			
Basic earnings per common share	88.4	90.4	
Diluted earnings per common share	88.4	91.2	
Effective tax rate from continuing operations	NM	26.4 %	
Reconciliations			
Continuing Operations:			
Operating earnings (loss)	\$ (33.4) \$	26.9 NM	
Pension settlement charge		55.1 75 %	
Restructuring, exit, integration and impairment charges	16.7	6.4 NM	
Product field campaigns charge ^(A)	13.5	_	
Adjusted operating earnings		88.4 6 %	
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Earnings (loss) before income taxes		22.7 NM 55.1 75 %	
Pension settlement charge			
Restructuring, exit, integration and impairment charges	16.7	6.4 NM	
Product field campaigns charge ^(A)	13.5 \$ 89.5 \$	84.2 6 %	
Adjusted pretax earnings	<u>♦ 89.5</u> ≶	84.2 6 %	
Earnings (loss) per common share:			
Earnings (loss) from continuing operations		0.18	
Pension settlement charge		0.38	
Restructuring, exit, integration and impairment charges		0.04	
Product field campaigns charge (A)	0.10	_	
Special tax items		0.06	
Diluted earnings from continuing operations, as adjusted	\$ 0.70 \$	0.66 6 %	

NM = not meaningful (A) In the fourth quarter of 2017, the Company recorded a \$13.5 million charge for costs related to field campaigns pertaining to certain Cybex products designed prior to the acquisition. The charge consisted of \$8.4 million and \$5.1 million within Cost of sales and Selling, general and administrative expenses, respectively.

Brunswick Corporation Comparative Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations (in millions, except per share data) (unaudited)

				elve Months Ended			
		December 31, 2017		December 31, 2016	% Change		
Net sales	\$	4,510.0	\$	4,153.9	9 %		
Cost of sales		3,275.3		2,973.6	10 %		
Selling, general and administrative expense		608.1		572.1	6 %		
Research and development expense		138.5		131.0	6 %		
Pension settlement charge		96.6		55.1	75 %		
Restructuring, exit, integration and impairment charges		36.6		15.2	NM		
Operating earnings		354.9		406.9	-13 %		
Equity earnings		6.1		4.3	42 %		
Equity earnings Other income, net		6.1		3.2	42 %		
		367.1		414.4			
Earnings before interest and income taxes					-11 %		
Interest expense		(26.4)		(27.2)	-3 %		
Interest income		2.6		1.8	44 %		
Earnings before income taxes		343.3		389.0	-12 %		
Income tax provision		156.0		116.4	34 %		
Net earnings from continuing operations		187.3		272.6	-31 %		
Net earnings (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax		(40.9)		3.4	NM		
	s	146.4	\$	276.0	-47 %		
Net earnings	<u>\$</u>	140.4	Ф	278.0	-47 %		
Earnings per common share:							
	•	0.40	¢	2.99			
Earnings from continuing operations	\$	2.10	\$				
Earnings (loss) from discontinued operations		(0.46)		0.04			
Net earnings	<u>\$</u>	1.64	\$	3.03	-46 %		
Diluted							
Earnings from continuing operations	\$	2.08	\$	2.96			
Earnings (loss) from discontinued operations		(0.46)		0.04			
Net earnings	\$	1.62	\$	3.00	-46 %		
Weighted average shares used for computation of:							
Basic earnings per common share		89.4		91.2			
Diluted earnings per common share		90.1		92.0			
		30.1		52.0			
Effective tax rate from continuing operations		45.4 %		29.9 %			
Reconciliations							
Continuing Operations:							
Operating earnings	\$	354.9	\$	406.9	-13 %		
Pension settlement charge		96.6		55.1	75 %		
Restructuring, exit, integration and impairment charges		36.6		15.2	NM		
Product field campaigns charge (A)		13.5		_			
Adjusted operating earnings	\$	501.6	\$	477.2 —	5 %		
Earnings before income taxes	s	343.3	\$	389.0	-12 %		
Pension settlement charge	•	96.6	2	55.1	75 %		
Restructuring, exit, integration and impairment charges		96.6 36.6		15.2	NM		
		36.6		15.2	NM		
Product field campaigns charge ^(A)	-						
Adjusted pretax earnings	<u>\$</u>	490.0	\$	459.3	7 %		
Earnings per common share:							
Earnings from continuing operations	\$	2.08	\$	2.96			
Pension settlement charge		0.69		0.38			
Restructuring, exit, integration and impairment charges		0.26		0.10			
Product field campaigns charge (A)		0.10		-			
Special tax items		0.76		0.02			

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Brunswick Corporation Selected Financial Information (in millions) (unaudited)

Segment Information - Continuing Operations

				Three Mo	onths	Ended				
		Net Sales		Ор	eratir	ng Earnings (Loss) (1)	Operating Margin		
	Dec 31, 2017	Dec 31, 2016	% Change	Dec 31, 2017		Dec 31, 2016	% Change	Dec 31, 2017	Dec 31, 2016	
Marine Engine	\$ 564.6	\$ 500.2	13%	\$ 57.5	\$	51.0	13 %	10.2 %	10.2%	
Boat	283.2	245.3	15%	21.9		13.1	67 %	7.7 %	5.3%	
Marine eliminations	(61.7)	(53.9)	14%	-		-				
Total Marine	786.1	691.6	14%	79.4		64.1	24 %	10.1 %	9.3 %	
Fitness	304.8	294.7	3%	7.9		44.0	-82 %	2.6 %	14.9%	
Pension costs	_	-		(98.9)		(58.8)	-68 %			
Corporate/Other	_	_		(21.8)		(22.4)	3 %			
Total	\$ 1,090.9	\$ 986.3	11%	\$ i (33.4)	\$	26.9	NM	-3.1 %	2.7%	

					Year	Ende	d			
	Net Sales			Ор	eratin	g Earnings (Loss) (2)		Operating Margin		
 Dec 31, 2017		Dec 31, 2016	% Change		Dec 31, 2017		Dec 31, 2016	% Change	Dec 31, 2017	Dec 31, 2016
\$ 2,631.8	\$	2,441.1	8%	\$	407.0	\$	377.1	8 %	15.5%	15.4%
1,103.0		963.7	14%		71.1		59.4	20 %	6.4%	6.2%
(258.5)		(231.3)	12%		-		-			
 3,476.3		3,173.5	10%		478.1		436.5	10 %	13.8%	13.8%
1,033.7		980.4	5%		64.1		117.3	-45 %	6.2%	12.0%
_		_			(105.9)		(69.8)	-52 %		
 					(81.4)		(77.1)	-6 %		
\$ 4,510.0	\$	4,153.9	9%	\$	354.9	\$	406.9	-13 %	7.9%	9.8%
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(1) Operating earnings (loss) for the three months ended December 31, 2017, includes a \$96.6 million pension settlement charge in Pension costs and \$30.2 million of pre-tax charges in the Filness segment. The \$30.2 million of charges consists of \$16.7 million of pretax restructuring, exil, integration and impairment charges and \$13.5 million charge tor costs related to field campaign pertaining to certain Cybex products designed prior to the acquisition. Operating earnings (loss) for the three months ended December 31, 2016, includes a \$55.1 million pension settlement charge in Pension costs and \$6.4 million of pretax estructuring, exil, integration and million of pretax estructuring, exil, integration and settlement charge in Pension costs and \$6.4 million of pretax estructures are settlement. The \$30.2 million in the \$64 million charge consist of \$3.5 million in the Pensies segment. \$23 million in the Pensies segment. \$24 million of pretax persite and \$20 million in the Pensies segment. \$24 million of pretax million of pretax million of pretax persite and \$20 million in the Pensies segment. \$24 million of pretax persite and \$25 million in the Pensies segment. \$24 million of pretax persite and \$25 million in the Pensies segment. \$25 million of pretax persite and \$25 million in the Pensies segment. \$25 million of pretax persite and \$25 million in the Pensies segment. \$25 mill

(2) Operating earnings (loss) for the year ended December 31, 2017, includes a \$96.6 million pension settlement charge in Pension costs, \$36.6 million of pretax restructuring, exit integration and impairment charges and a \$13.5 million charge in the Fitness segment for costs related to field campaigns pertaining to cartain Cybex products designed prior to the acquisition. The \$36.6 million of pretax restructuring, exit integration and impairment charges consists of \$30.3 million in the Fitness segment and \$2.4 million in Corporate/Other. Operating earnings (loss) for the year ended December 31, 2016, includes a \$55.1 million persion settlement charge in Pension costs and \$15.2 million of pretax restructuring, exit integration and impairment charges consists of \$12.7 million in the Fitness segment, \$2.3 million in the Boat segment. The \$15.2 million of pretax restructuring, exit integration and impairment charges consists of \$12.7 million in the Fitness segment, \$2.3 million in the Boat segment. The \$15.2 million of pretax restructuring, exit integration and impairment charges. The \$15.2 million of charges consists of \$12.7 million in the Fitness segment, \$2.3 million in Corporate/Other and \$0.2 million in the Boat segment.

Brunswick Corporation Selected Financial Information (in millions) (unaudited)

Segment Information - Continuing Operations, As Adjusted

						Three Mo	onths	Ended				
			Net Sales			Ор	eratin	g Earnings (Loss) (1)		Operating Margin		
	 Dec 31, 2017		Dec 31, 2016	% Change	_	Dec 31, 2017		Dec 31, 2016	% Change	Dec 31, 2017	Dec 31, 2016	
Marine Engine	\$ 564.6	\$	500.2	13%	\$	57.5	\$	51.0	13 %	10.2%	10.2%	
Boat	283.2		245.3	15%		21.9		13.3	65 %	7.7%	5.4 %	
Marine eliminations	(61.7)		(53.9)	14%		_		_				
Total Marine	 786.1	_	691.6	14%		79.4		64.3	23 %	10.1%	9.3%	
Fitness	304.8		294.7	3%		38.1		47.9	-20 %	12.5%	16.3%	
Pension costs	_		-			(2.3)		(3.7)	38 %			
Corporate/Other	_		_			(21.8)		(20.1)	-8 %			
Total	\$ 1,090.9	\$	986.3	11%	\$	93.4	\$	88.4	6 %	8.6%	9.0%	

				Year	Ende	d			
		Net Sales		Ор	eratin	g Earnings (Loss) (1)		Operating M	argin
	 Dec 31, 2017	Dec 31, 2016	% Change	Dec 31, 2017		Dec 31, 2016	% Change	Dec 31, 2017	Dec 31, 2016
Marine Engine	\$ 2,631.8	\$ 2,441.1	8%	\$ 407.0	\$	377.1	8 %	15.5%	15.4%
Boat	1,103.0	963.7	14%	74.9		59.6	26 %	6.8%	6.2%
Marine eliminations	(258.5)	(231.3)	12%	-		_			
Total Marine	 3,476.3	3,173.5	10%	 481.9		436.7	10 %	13.9%	13.8%
Fitness	1,033.7	980.4	5%	108.0		130.0	-17 %	10.4%	13.3%
Pension costs	-	-		(9.3)		(14.7)	37 %		
Corporate/Other	-	-		(79.0)		(74.8)	-6 %		
Total	\$ 4,510.0	\$ 4,153.9	9%	\$ 501.6	\$	477.2	5 %	11.1%	11.5%

(1) Operating Earnings (Loss), As Adjusted, excludes pretax Pension settlement charges, Restructuring, exit, integration and impairment charges and a charge related to field campaigns pertaining to certain Cybex products designed prior to the acquisition, as applicable.

Brunswick Corporation Comparative Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (in millions) (unaudited)

	December 31 2017	,	December 31, 2016
Assets			
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents, at cost, which approximates fair value	\$	448.8 \$	422.4
Restricted cash		9.4	11.2
Short-term investments in marketable securities		0.8	35.8
Total cash and short-term investments in marketable securities		459.0	469.4
Accounts and notes receivable, net		480.2	411.5
Inventories			
Finished goods		506.9	488.8
Work-in-process		96.8	68.3
Raw materials		161.9	141.9
Net inventories		765.6	699.0
Prepaid expenses and other		73.1	37.1
Current assets held for sale		68.8	71.5
Current assets	1	,846.7	1,688.5
Net property		659.5	569.0
ter biobout			000.0
Dther assets			
Goodwill		425.3	413.8
Other intangibles, net		144.4	413.8
Equity investments		25.0	20.7
Deferred income tax asset		165.6	307.8
Other long-term assets		45.1	43.4
Long-term assets held for sale		45.1	43.4
Other assets		852.0	1,027.2
Other assets		852.0	1,027.2
Fotal assets	\$ 3	,358.2 \$	3,284.7
iabilities and shareholders' equity			
Current liabilities			
Current maturities of long-term debt	S	5.6 \$	5.6
Accounts payable	•	409.7	378.2
Accrued expenses		563.6	521.3
Current liabilities held for sale		56.2	59.8
Current liabilities	1	,035.1	964.9
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Debt		431.8	433.8
Other long-term liabilities		405.7	439.2
Long-term liabilities held for sale		2.7	435.2
Shareholders' equity		,482.9	1,440.1
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity		,402.3	3,284.7
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Supplemental Information			
Debt-to-capitalization rate		22.8 %	23.4

Brunswick Corporation Comparative Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (in millions) (unaudited)

			onths Ended	
	Dee	cember 31, 2017	Dec	ember 31, 2016
Cash flows from operating activities				
Net earnings	\$	146.4	\$	276.0
Less: earnings (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax		(40.9)		3.4
Net earnings from continuing operations		187.3		272.6
Depreciation and amortization		98.2		91.0
Pension expense, net of (funding)		32.2		(4.8)
Other long-lived asset impairment charges		14.0		1.0
Deferred income taxes		104.1		62.5
Equity in earnings of unconsolidated affiliates		(6.1)		(4.3)
Changes in certain current assets and current liabilities		(52.0)		(27.6)
Income taxes		(42.8)		21.3
Other, net		82.3		11.8
Net cash provided by operating activities of continuing operations*		417.2		423.5
Net cash provided by (used for) operating activities of discontinued operations		(16.9)		11.8
Net cash provided by operating activities"		400.3		435.3
Net cash provided by operating activities		400.5		455.5
Cash flows from investing activities				
Capital expenditures		(189.3)		(172.5)
Purchases of marketable securities		-		(35.0)
Sales or maturities of marketable securities		35.0		10.7
Investments		(3.2)		5.1
Acquisition of businesses, net of cash acquired		(15.5)		(276.1)
Proceeds from the sale of property, plant and equipment		8.3		1.9
Other, net		(0.5)		1.3
Net cash used for investing activities of continuing operations		(165.2)		(464.6)
Net cash used for investing activities of discontinued operations		(13.7)		(21.4)
Net cash used for investing activities		(178.9)		(486.0)
Cash flows from financing activities				
Net proceeds from issuances of long-term debt		_		1.0
Payments of long-term debt including current maturities		(3.0)		(2.8)
Common stock repurchases		(130.0)		(120.3)
Cash dividends paid		(60.6)		(55.4)
Proceeds from share-based compensation activity		6.2		14.9
Tax withholding associated with shares issued for share-based compensation		(14.8)		(20.9)
Other, net		(14.0)		(1.9)
Net cash used for financing activities of continuing operations*		(202.2)		(185.4)
Net cash used for financing activities of discontinued operations		(1.5)		(100.4)
Net cash used for financing activities' discontinued operations		(203.7)		(185.8)
Net cash used for infinitely activities	-	(203.7)	-	(105.0)
Effect of exchange rate changes		6.9		0.1
Net increase (decrease) in Cash and cash equivalents and Restricted cash		24.6		(236.4)
Cash and cash equivalents and Restricted cash at beginning of period		433.6		670.0
Cash and cash equivalents and Restricted cash at end of period		458.2		433.6
Less: Restricted cash		9.4		11.2
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$	448.8	\$	422.4
Reconciliation				
Free Cash Flow				
Net cash provided by operating activities of continuing operations*	\$	417.2	\$	423.5
Net cash provided by (used for):				
Capital expenditures		(189.3)		(172.5)
Proceeds from the sale of property, plant and equipment		8.3		1.9
Effect of exchange rate changes		6.9		0.1
Total free cash flow*	\$	243.1	\$	253.0
As a result of adopting new accounting guidance, both years include amounts related to net excess tax benefits or deficiencies resulting from share-based compensation activity.	-			

* As a result of adopting new accounting guidance, both years include amounts related to net excess tax benefits or deficiencies resulting from share-based compensation activity.