## 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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 6, 2014

### **Colfax Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware001-3404554-1887631(State or other jurisdiction<br/>of incorporation)(Commission<br/>File Number)(I.R.S. Employer<br/>Identification No.)

8170 Maple Lawn Boulevard, Suite 180 Fulton, MD 20759

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(301) 323-9000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:
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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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

On February 6, 2014, Colfax Corporation issued a press release reporting financial results for the fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2013. A copy of Colfax Corporation's press release is attached to this report as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated in this report by reference. Colfax Corporation has scheduled a conference call for 8:00 a.m. EST on February 6, 2014 to discuss its financial results, and slides for that call are attached to this report as Exhibit 99.2 and are incorporated in this report by reference.

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

#### (d) Exhibits

- 99.1 Colfax Corporation press release dated February 6, 2014, reporting financial results for the fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2013.
- 99.2 Colfax Corporation slides for February 6, 2014 conference call reporting financial results for the fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2013.

#### SIGNATURES

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

Colfax Corporation Date: February 6, 2014 By: /s/ C. Scott Brannan

Name: C. Scott Brannan

Title: Senior Vice President, Finance and Chief

Financial Officer

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#### **COLFAX REPORTS RECORD FOURTH QUARTER 2013 RESULTS**

- Fourth quarter net income per dilutive share of \$0.31, adjusted net income per share of \$0.61
- Fourth quarter net sales increased 14.0% (10.2% organically) to \$1.171 billion
- Gas- and fluid-handling finished the period with record backlog of \$1.577 billion

FULTON, MD - February 6, 2014 - Colfax Corporation (NYSE: CFX) today announced its financial results for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2013.

For the fourth quarter, net income was \$32.0 million, or \$0.31 per dilutive share. Adjusted net income (as defined below) was \$70.1 million, or \$0.61 per share, which includes a 2 cent per share gain related to the reduction of an uncertain tax position.

Net sales were \$1.171 billion in the fourth quarter, an increase of 14.0% from the prior year. Net sales increased 10.2% organically. Fourth quarter operating income was \$119.6 million, with adjusted operating income (as defined below) of \$124.4 million, an increase of 40%.

Fourth quarter gas- and fluid-handling orders were \$547.8 million compared to orders of \$520.3 million in the prior year, an increase of 5.3%. Gas- and fluid-handling finished the period with record backlog of \$1.577 billion.

Full year net income was \$158.2 million, or \$1.54 per dilutive share, with adjusted net income (as defined below) of \$229.8 million, or \$2.04 per share. Net sales for 2013 were \$4.207 billion, an increase of 7.5% compared to net sales for 2012; this reflects a 2.7% increase organically. Full year operating income was \$406.4 million, with adjusted operating income (as defined below) of \$431.4 million, an increase of 29%.

Full year gas- and fluid-handling orders were \$2.061 billion, an increase of 3.3% over the prior year.

Adjusted net income, adjusted net income per share, adjusted operating income, organic sales growth and organic order growth (decline) are not financial measures calculated in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the U.S. ("GAAP"). See below for a description of the measures' usefulness and a reconciliation of these measures to their most directly comparable GAAP financial measures.

Steve Simms, President and Chief Executive Officer, stated, "We are pleased to finish the year with another solid quarter of operating performance. Our fabrication technology group saw year-on-year organic growth this quarter, as well as continued strong operational performance. Gas- and fluid-handling also out performed our revenue expectations this quarter, but the dilutive impact of acquisitions in the quarter left overall segment margins relatively flat. Integration of these acquisitions is progressing well, and these businesses are expected to significantly increase our 2014 earnings. The deployment of CBS across this organization has reduced working capital, fundamentally changed our cost structure and is positioning us for future organic growth. We exit the year confident in our ability to deliver our previously stated 2014 guidance."

#### Non-GAAP Financial Measures and Other Adjustments

Colfax has provided in this press release financial information that has not been prepared in accordance with GAAP. These non-GAAP financial measures are adjusted net income, adjusted net income per share, adjusted operating income, organic sales growth and organic order growth (decline). Adjusted net income, adjusted net income per share and adjusted operating income exclude asbestos coverage litigation expense, restructuring and other related charges, expenses related to the Charter acquisition, fair value adjustments related to the ESAB and Howden inventory and backlog amortization expense, write-off of certain deferred financing fees and original issue discount associated with the refinancing of Colfax's credit agreement and gain recorded on acquisition of remaining ownership interest of a less than wholly owned subsidiary in which Colfax did not hold a controlling interest, to the extent they impact the periods presented. The effective tax rates used to calculate adjusted net income and adjusted net income per share are 27.6% and 26.6% for the fourth quarter and full year ended December 31, 2013, respectively, and 15% and 25% for the fourth quarter and full year ended December 31, 2012, respectively. Organic sales growth and organic order decline exclude the impact of acquisitions and foreign exchange rate fluctuations. These non-GAAP financial measures assist Colfax in comparing its operating performance on a consistent basis because, among other things, they remove the impact of asbestos insurance coverage issues, expenses and significant year-one fair value adjustment amortization expense related to the Charter acquisition and major restructuring programs.

Non-GAAP financial measures should not be considered in isolation from, or as a substitute for, financial information calculated in accordance with GAAP. Investors are encouraged to review the reconciliation of these non-GAAP measures to their most directly comparable GAAP financial measures. A reconciliation of non-GAAP financial measures presented above to GAAP results has been provided in the financial tables included in this press release.

#### Conference Call and Webcast

Colfax will host a conference call to provide details about its results on Thursday, February 6, 2014 at 8:00 a.m. EST. The call will be open to the public through 877-303-7908 (U.S. callers) or 678-373-0875 (international callers) and referencing the conference ID number 35304030, or through webcast via Colfax's website at <a href="https://www.colfaxcorp.com">www.colfaxcorp.com</a> under the "Investors" section. Access to a supplemental slide presentation can also be found at the Colfax website under the same heading. Both the audio of this call and the slide presentation will be archived on the website later today and will be available until the next quarterly call.

#### **About Colfax Corporation**

Colfax Corporation is a diversified global manufacturing and engineering company that provides gas- and fluid-handling and fabrication technology products and services to commercial and governmental customers around the world under the Howden, Colfax Fluid Handling and ESAB brands. Colfax believes that its brands are among the most highly recognized in each of the markets that it serves. Colfax is traded on the NYSE under the ticker "CFX." Additional information about Colfax is available at www.colfaxcorp.com.

#### CAUTIONARY NOTE CONCERNING FORWARD LOOKING STATEMENTS:

This press release may contain forward-looking statements, including forward-looking statements within the meaning of the U.S. Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, statements concerning Colfax's plans, objectives, expectations and intentions and other statements that are not historical or current fact. Forward-looking statements are based on Colfax's current expectations and involve risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed or implied in such forward-looking statements. Factors that could cause Colfax's results to differ materially from current expectations include, but are not limited to factors detailed in Colfax's reports filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission including its 2012 Annual Report on Form 10-K under the caption "Risk Factors." In addition, these statements are based on a number of assumptions that are subject to change. This press release speaks only as of the date hereof. Colfax disclaims any duty to update the information herein.

The term "Colfax" in reference to the activities described in this press release may mean one or more of Colfax's global operating subsidiaries and/or their internal business divisions and does not necessarily indicate activities engaged in by Colfax Corporation.

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#### Colfax Corporation Consolidated Statements of Operations Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended			Year	Ended			
	December 31, 2013		Γ	December 31, 2012		ecember 31, 2013	D	ecember 31, 2012
Net sales	\$	1,171,378	\$	1,027,397	\$	4,207,209	\$	3,913,856
Cost of sales		813,997		719,827		2,900,987		2,761,731
Gross profit		357,381		307,570		1,306,222		1,152,125
Selling, general and administrative expense		219,159		234,261		860,994		895,452
Charter acquisition-related expense		_		_		_		43,617
Restructuring and other related charges		18,074		16,994		35,502		60,060
Asbestos coverage litigation expense		533		4,147		3,334		12,987
Operating income		119,615		52,168		406,392		140,009
Interest expense <sup>(1)</sup>		44,718		23,290		103,597		91,570
Income before income taxes		74,897		28,878		302,795		48,439
Provision for income taxes <sup>(2)</sup>		30,704		3,812		93,652		90,703
Net income (loss)		44,193		25,066		209,143		(42,264)
Less: income attributable to noncontrolling interest, net of taxes		7,067		5,330		30,515		22,138
Net income (loss) attributable to Colfax Corporation		37,126		19,736		178,628		(64,402)
Dividends on preferred stock		5,142		5,072		20,396		18,951
Net income (loss) available to Colfax Corporation common shareholders	\$	31,984	\$	14,664	\$	158,232	\$	(83,353)
Net income (loss) per share- basic	\$	0.31	\$	0.14	\$	1.56	\$	(0.92)
Net income (loss) per share- diluted	\$	0.31	\$	0.13	\$	1.54	\$	(0.92)

<sup>(0)</sup> Includes noncash charges associated with the write-off of original issue discount and deferred costs in connection with the refinancings of our primary credit facility of \$26.9 million and \$29.4 million for the fourth quarter and full year ended December 31, 2013, respectively.

<sup>(2)</sup> Provision for income taxes for the year ended December 31, 2012 was significantly impacted by the reassessment of certain deferred tax assets as of the date of the Charter acquisition, which resulted in an increase in the Company's valuation allowance, and the Charter acquisition-related expenses that are either not deductible for tax purposes or were incurred in jurisdictions where no tax benefit can be recognized.

## Colfax Corporation Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP Financial Measures Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts (Unaudited)

		Three Mo	nths	Ended	Year Ended			
	]	December 31, 2013	Γ	December 31, 2012	_	December 31, 2013	I	December 31, 2012
Adjusted Operating Income								
Operating income	\$	119,615	\$	52,168	\$	406,392	\$	140,009
Restructuring and other related charges		18,074		16,994		35,502		60,060
Charter acquisition-related expense		_		_		_		43,617
Fair value adjustments - ESAB/Howden backlog and inventory amortization expense		_		15,614		_		78,196
Asbestos coverage litigation expense		533		4,147		3,334		12,987
Gain on revaluation of Sicelub investment		(13,784)		_		(13,784)		_
Adjusted operating income	\$	124,438	\$	88,923	\$	431,444	\$	334,869
Adjusted operating income margin		10.6%		8.7%		10.3%		8.6%
Adjusted Net Income and Adjusted Net Income Per Share								
Net income (loss) attributable to Colfax Corporation		37,126	\$	19,736	\$	178,628	\$	(64,402)
Restructuring and other related charges		18,074		16,994		35,502		60,060
Charter acquisition-related expense		_		_		_		43,617
Fair value adjustments - ESAB/Howden backlog and inventory amortization expense		_		15,614		_		78,196
Asbestos coverage litigation expense		533		4,147		3,334		12,987
Gain on revaluation of Sicelub investment		(13,784)		_		(13,784)		_
Debt extinguishment charges- Refinancing of credit agreement		26,860		_		26,860		_
Tax adjustment <sup>(1)</sup>		1,309		(6,022)		(759)		29,297
Adjusted net income		70,118		50,469		229,781		159,755
Adjusted net income margin		6.0%		4.9%		5.5%		4.1%
Dividends on preferred stock		5,142		5,072		20,396		18,951
Adjusted net income available to Colfax Corporation common shareholders		64,976		45,397		209,385		140,804
Less: adjusted net income attributable to participating securities <sup>(2)</sup>		_		5,831		4,571		18,087
	\$	64,976	\$	39,566	\$	204,814	\$	122,717
Weighted-average shares outstanding - diluted		115,634,088	_	94,978,755	_	100,366,455	_	91,918,513
Adjusted net income per share	\$	0.61	\$	0.42	\$	2.04	\$	1.34
Net income (loss) per share— diluted (in accordance with GAAP)	\$	0.31	\$	0.13	\$	1.54	\$	(0.92)

<sup>(</sup>i) The effective tax rates used to calculate adjusted net income and adjusted net income per share are 27.6% and 26.6% for the fourth quarter and full year ended December 31, 2013, respectively, and 15% and 25% for the fourth quarter and full year ended December 31, 2012.

<sup>(2)</sup> Adjusted net income per share for periods prior to April 23, 2013 was calculated consistently with the two-class method in accordance with GAAP as the Series A preferred stock were considered participating securities. Subsequent to April 23, 2013, adjusted net income per share was calculated consistently with the if-converted method in accordance with GAAP as the Series A preferred stock were no longer participating securities. Adjusted net income per share for the full year ended December 31, 2013 excludes the impact of 12,173,291 common stock equivalent shares as their inclusion would be anti-dilutive.

#### Colfax Corporation Change in Sales, Orders and Backlog Dollars in millions (Unaudited)

		Net Sa	ales		Orde	rs		
		\$	%		\$	%		
For the three months ended December 31, 2012	\$	1,027.4		\$	520.3			
Components of Change:								
Existing Businesses		105.1	10.2 %		(12.8)	(2.5)%		
Acquisitions <sup>(1)</sup>		66.7	6.5 %		50.2	9.6 %		
Foreign Currency Translation		(27.8)	(2.7)%		(9.9)	(1.8)%		
Total		144.0	14.0 %		27.5	5.3 %		
For the three months ended December 31, 2013	\$	1,171.4		\$	547.8			
	_							
	_	Net Sa	ales		Orde	rs	Backlog at Pe	eriod End
	_	Net Sa	ales %	_	Orde	rs %	Backlog at Pe	eriod End %
	_ _ _			_				
As of and for the year ended December 31, 2012	\$			\$				
	\$	\$		\$	\$		<u> </u>	
As of and for the year ended December 31, 2012	\$	\$		\$	\$		<u> </u>	%
As of and for the year ended December 31, 2012  Components of Change:	\$	<b>\$</b> 3,913.9	%	\$	\$ 1,996.0	%	\$ \$ 1,431.5	
As of and for the year ended December 31, 2012  Components of Change:  Existing Businesses	\$	\$ 3,913.9 107.5	<b>%</b> 2.7 %	\$	\$ 1,996.0 (15.3)	(0.8)%	\$ 1,431.5 (58.6)	% (4.1)%
As of and for the year ended December 31, 2012  Components of Change:  Existing Businesses  Acquisitions <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	\$ 3,913.9 107.5 246.9	% 2.7 % 6.3 %	\$	\$ 1,996.0 (15.3) 96.4	% (0.8)% 4.8 %	\$ 1,431.5 (58.6) 231.2	% (4.1)% 16.2 %

<sup>(1)</sup> Represents the incremental sales and orders as a result of our acquisitions of Charter, Soldex, Co-Vent, Clarus, CKD Kompressory, Flakt Woods, TLT-Babcock, Alphair, and Sicelub. The full year impact related to the Charter Acquisition represents 12 days of activity for ESAB and Howden as the acquisition closed on January 13, 2012. Represents the incremental order backlog as a result of our acquisitions of Clarus, CKD Kompressory, Flakt Woods, TLT-Babcock, Alphair and Sicelub.

## Colfax Corporation Consolidated Balance Sheets Dollars in thousands, except share amounts (Unaudited)

		Decen	ıber 31	.,
		2013		2012
ASSETS				
CURRENT ASSETS:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	311,301	\$	482,449
Trade receivables, less allowance for doubtful accounts of \$31,282 and \$16,464		1,030,892		873,382
Inventories, net		445,752		493,649
Other current assets		350,401		282,266
Total current assets		2,138,346		2,131,746
Property, plant and equipment, net		757,140		688,570
Goodwill		2,384,522		2,098,836
Intangible assets, net		832,553		779,049
Other assets		470,292		450,086
Total assets	\$	6,582,853	\$	6,148,287
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY				
CURRENT LIABILITIES:				
Current portion of long-term debt	\$	29,449	\$	34,799
Accounts payable		860,380		699,626
Accrued liabilities		485,261		447,220
Total current liabilities	_	1,375,090	_	1,181,645
Long-term debt, less current portion		1,457,642		1,693,512
Other liabilities		1,009,006		1,116,844
Total liabilities		3,841,738		3,992,001
Equity:				
Preferred stock, \$0.001 par value; 20,000,000 shares authorized; 13,877,552 issued and outstanding		14		14
Common stock, \$0.001 par value; 400,000,000 shares authorized; 101,921,613 and 94,067,418 issued and outstanding		102		94
Additional paid-in capital		2,541,005		2,197,694
Retained earnings (accumulated deficit)		19,376		(138,856)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(46,608)		(146,594)
Total Colfax Corporation equity		2,513,889		1,912,352
Noncontrolling interest		227,226		243,934
Total equity		2,741,115		2,156,286
Total liabilities and equity	\$	6,582,853	\$	6,148,287

#### Colfax Corporation Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows Dollars in thousands (Unaudited)

Year Ended December 31,

	fear Ended December 31,					
		2013		2012		2011
Cash flows from operating activities:						
Net income (loss)	\$	209,143	\$	(42,264)	\$	4,555
Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to net cash provided by operating		200,140	Ψ	(42,204)	Ψ	4,555
activities:						
Depreciation, amortization and fixed asset impairment charges		119,258		183,403		22,598
Stock-based compensation expense		13,334		9,373		4,908
Non-cash interest expense		44,377		16,997		735
Gain on revaluation of Sicelub investment		(13,784)		_		_
Unrealized loss on acquisition-related foreign currency derivative		_		_		21,146
Deferred income tax provision (benefit)		9,946		7,222		(1,722)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities, net of acquisitions:						
Trade receivables, net		(98,912)		(37,338)		(5,972)
Inventories, net		79,987		26,694		10,844
Accounts payable		128,889		88,927		(7,298)
Changes in other operating assets and liabilities		(130,069)		(78,994)		7,359
Net cash provided by operating activities		362,169		174,020		57,153
Cash flows from investing activities:						
Purchases of fixed assets, net		(71,482)		(83,187)		(13,624)
Acquisitions, net of cash received		(372,476)		(1,859,645)		(56,346)
Loans to non-trade creditors		(31,012)		_		_
Other, net		_		1,857		_
Net cash used in investing activities		(474,970)		(1,940,975)		(69,970)
Cash flows from financing activities:						
Borrowings under term credit facility		50,861		1,731,523		_
Payments under term credit facility		(679,755)		(531,415)		(10,000)
Proceeds from borrowings on revolving credit facilities		648,000		13,149		141,203
Repayments of borrowings on revolving credit facilities		(328,133)		(53,414)		(102,180)
Proceeds from issuance of common stock, net		324,153		756,762		3,719
Proceeds from issuance of preferred stock, net		_		332,969		_
Acquisition of shares held by noncontrolling interest		(14,913)		(29,292)		_
Payments of dividend on preferred stock		(20,396)		(17,446)		_
Other		(24,870)		(19,608)		_
Net cash (used in) provided by financing activities		(45,053)		2,183,228		32,742
Effect of foreign exchange rates on Cash and cash equivalents		(13,294)		(8,932)		(5,359)
(Decrease) increase in Cash and cash equivalents		(171,148)		407,341		14,566
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period		482,449		75,108		60,542
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$	311,301	\$	482,449	\$	75,108
Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flow Information:						
Interest payments	\$	58,970	\$	79,857	\$	5,209
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Income tax payments, net

93,856

70,677

16,731



### **FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS**

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### **Q4 2013 HIGHLIGHTS**

- Adjusted net income of \$70.1 million (\$0.61 per share) compared to \$50.5 million (\$0.42 per share) in Q4 2012
- Net sales of \$1.17 billion, an increase of 14% from Q4 2012 net sales of \$1.03 billion (an organic increase of 10.2%)
- Adjusted operating income of \$124.4 million compared to \$88.9 million in Q4 2012
- Fourth quarter gas- and fluid-handling orders of \$547.8 million compared to orders of \$520.3 million in Q4 2012, an increase of 5.3%
- Gas- and fluid-handling backlog of \$1.58 billion at period end



### **FULL YEAR 2013 HIGHLIGHTS**

- Adjusted net income of \$229.8 million (\$2.04 per share) compared to \$159.8 million (\$1.34 per share)
- Net sales of \$4.21 billion, an increase of 7.5% from full year 2012 net sales of \$3.91 billion (an organic increase of 2.7%)
- Adjusted operating income of \$431.4 million compared to \$334.9 million in 2012
- Gas- and fluid-handling orders of \$2.06 billion compared to orders of \$2.0 billion in 2012, an increase of 3.3%

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### **GAS AND FLUID HANDLING Q4 2013 HIGHLIGHTS**

- Net sales of \$650.8 million compared to net sales of \$514.4 million in Q4 2012, an increase of 26.5% (an organic increase of 17.9%)
- Adjusted segment operating income of \$78.1 million and adjusted segment operating income margin of 12.0%
  - Margins flat as compared to Q4 2012
  - 2013 acquisitions diluted margins by approximately 90 bps
- Fourth quarter orders \$547.8 million compared to orders of \$520.3 million in Q4 2012, an increase of 5.3%
- Backlog of \$1.58 billion at period end



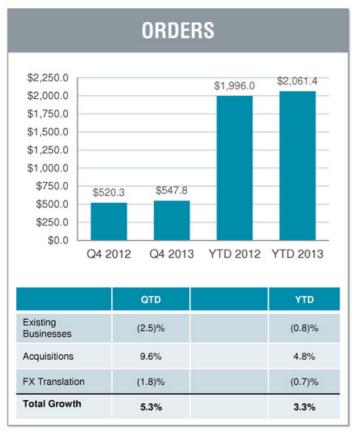
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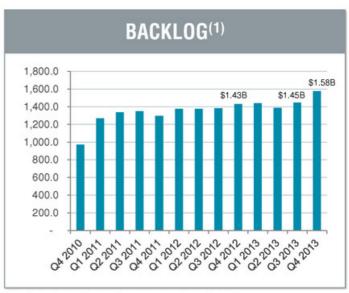
### GAS AND FLUID HANDLING FULL YEAR 2013 HIGHLIGHTS

- Net sales of \$2.104 billion compared to net sales of \$1.901 billion in 2012, an increase of 10.7% (an organic increase of 7.3%)
- Adjusted segment operating income of \$260.3 million and adjusted segment operating income margin of 12.4%
- Orders of \$2.06 billion compared to orders of \$2.0 billion in 2012, an increase of 3.3%



### **ORDERS AND BACKLOG**



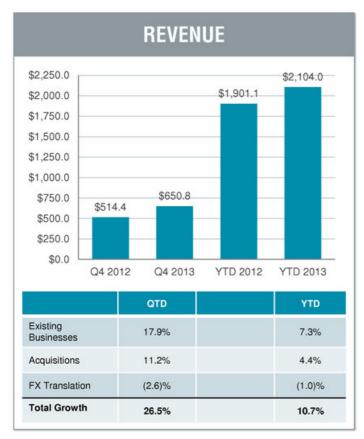


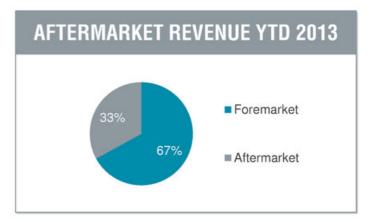
(1) Backlog data for the periods prior to Q1 2012 are presented on a proforma basis.

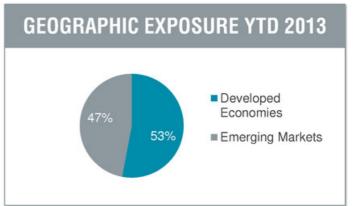
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### **REVENUE**



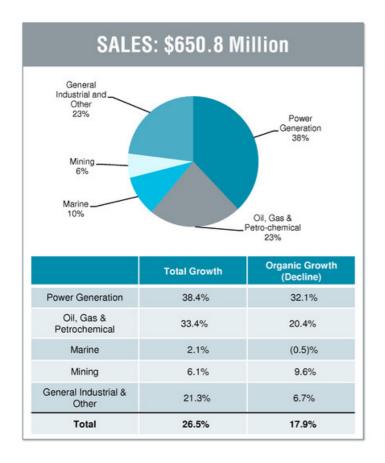


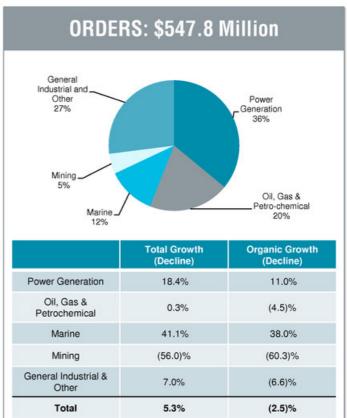


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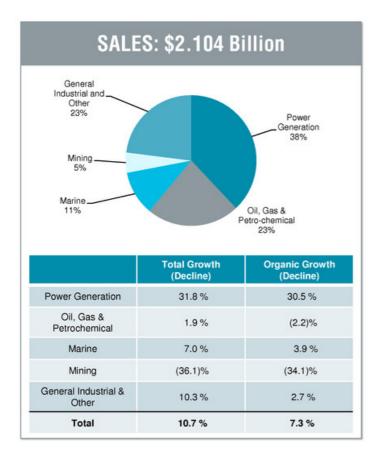
### **Q4 2013 SALES AND ORDERS BY END MARKET**

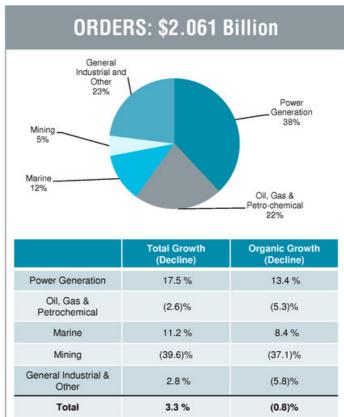






### **FULL YEAR 2013 SALES AND ORDERS BY END MARKET**







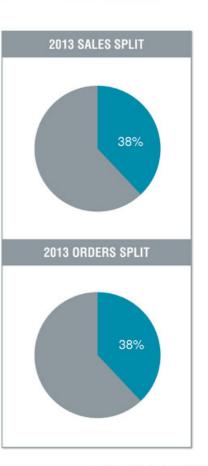
### **POWER GENERATION MARKET PERSPECTIVE**

#### **SALES & ORDERS GROWTH**

	Q4 2013 v	s. Q4 2012	YTD 2013 v	s. YTD 2012
	Total	Organic	Total	Organic
Sales	38.4 %	32.1 %	31.8 %	30.5 %
Orders	18.4 %	11.0 %	17.5 %	13.4 %

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- · Served by both Howden and Colfax Fluid Handling
- · Driven by fundamental global undersupply of electricity
- Growth driven by environmental upgrades in China and the U.S., strong pump sales to natural gas combined cycle power stations, as well as strength in maintenance work in South Africa





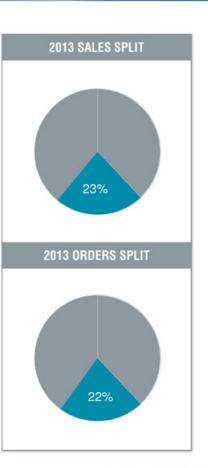
# OIL, GAS & PETROCHEMICAL MARKET PERSPECTIVE

### **SALES & ORDERS GROWTH (DECLINE)**

	Q4 2013 v	s. Q4 2012	YTD 2013 v	s. YTD 2012
	Total	Organic	Total	Organic
Sales	33.4 %	20.4 %	1.9 %	(2.2)%
Orders	0.3 %	(4.5)%	(2.6)%	(5.3)%

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Served by both Howden and Colfax Fluid Handling
- Strong quotation activity in our midstream business, particularly in the Middle East and Southeast Asia
- Benefiting from our previous investments in a local presence in the Middle East, where our selling and technical resources are starting to drive gains





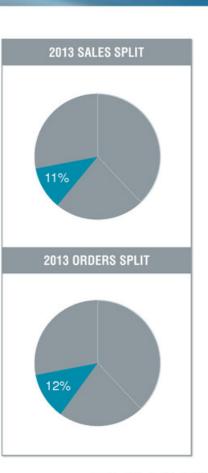
### **MARINE MARKET PERSPECTIVE**

### **SALES & ORDERS GROWTH (DECLINE)**

	Q4 2013 v	s. Q4 2012	YTD 2013 v	s. YTD 2012
	Total	Organic	Total	Organic
Sales	2.1 %	(0.5) %	7.0 %	3.9 %
Orders	41.1%	38.0%	11.2 %	8.4 %

### HIGHLIGHTS

- · Primarily served by Colfax Fluid Handling
- Sales increase driven largely by continued strength in vessels serving the offshore oil & gas industry
- \$4 million of CM-1000 orders in Q4



Note: Marine market comprised of commercial marine and government, or defense, customers



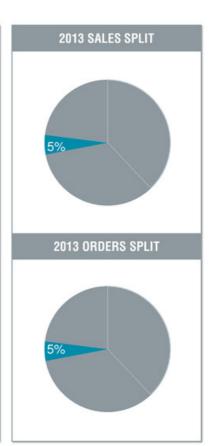
### MINING MARKET PERSPECTIVE

### **SALES & ORDERS GROWTH (DECLINE)**

	Q4 2013 v	s. Q4 2012	YTD 2013 vs	s. YTD 2012
	Total	Organic	Total	Organic
Sales	6.1 %	9.6 %	(36.1)%	(34.1)%
Orders	(56.0)%	(60.3)%	(39.6)%	(37.1)%

### HIGHLIGHTS

- · Primarily served by Howden
- Driven by demand of mined resources, including: coal, iron ore, copper, gold, nickel and potash
- Significant decline in orders driven by decreased industry capital expenditures





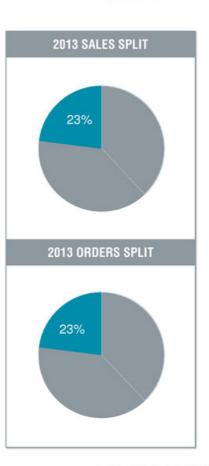
# GENERAL INDUSTRIAL & OTHER MARKET PERSPECTIVE

### **SALES & ORDERS GROWTH (DECLINE)**

	Q4 2013 v	s. Q4 2012	YTD 2013 v	s. YTD 2012
	Total	Organic	Total	Organic
Sales	21.3 %	6.7 %	10.3 %	2.7 %
Orders	7.0 %	(6.6)%	2.8 %	(5.8)%

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- · Includes both Howden and Colfax Fluid Handling
- Quarterly comparisons can be quite volatile due to the lumpiness of large orders
- Environmental upgrades, particularly in China, offering significant opportunity







### **FABRICATION TECHNOLOGY Q4 2013 HIGHLIGHTS**

- Net sales of \$520.6 million compared to net sales of \$513.0 million in Q4 2012, an increase of 1.5% (an organic increase of 2.5%)
- Adjusted segment operating income of \$58.2 million and adjusted segment operating income margin of 11.2%



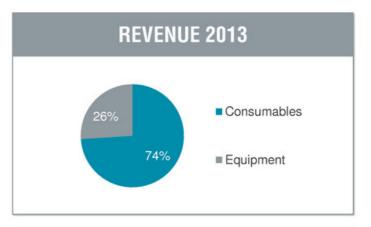
### **FABRICATION TECHNOLOGY FULL YEAR 2013 HIGHLIGHTS**

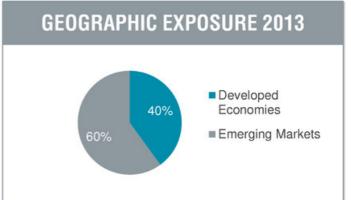
- Net sales of \$2.1 billion compared to net sales of \$2.0 billion in 2012, an increase of 4.5% (an organic decline of 1.5%)
- Adjusted segment operating income of \$219.6 million and adjusted segment operating income margin of 10.4%
  - Improvement of 260 basis points over 2012



### **REVENUE**







Note: Dollars in millions (unaudited).





### **INCOME STATEMENT SUMMARY**

(unaudited)

	10	Three Months Ended				Year Ended				
	Decei	mber 31, 2013	Decei	mber 31, 2012	Decer	mber 31, 2013	Decei	mber 31, 2012		
Net sales	\$	1,171.4	\$	1,027.4	\$	4,207.2	\$	3,913.9		
Gross profit	\$	357.4	\$	307.6	\$	1,306.2	\$	1,152.1		
% of sales		30.5 %		29.9 %		31.0 %		29.4 %		
SG&A expense	\$	219.2	\$	234.3	\$	861.0	\$	895.5		
% of sales		18.7 %		22.8 %		20.5 %		22.9 %		
Adjusted operating income	\$	124.4	\$	88.9	\$	431.4	\$	334.9		
% of sales		10.6 %		8.7 %		10.3 %		8.6 %		
Adjusted net income	\$	70.1	\$	50.5	\$	229.8	\$	159.8		
% of sales		6.0 %		4.9 %		5.5 %		4.1 %		
Adjusted net income per share	\$	0.61	\$	0.42	\$	2.04	\$	1.34		

Refer to Appendix for Non-GAAP reconciliation and footnotes. Note: Dollars in millions, except per share amounts.





### **DISCLAIMER**

Colfax has provided financial information that has not been prepared in accordance with GAAP. These non-GAAP financial measures are adjusted net income, adjusted net income per share, projected adjusted net income per share, adjusted operating income, organic sales growth (decline) and organic order growth (decline). Adjusted net income, adjusted net income per share, projected adjusted net income per share and adjusted operating income exclude asbestos coverage litigation expense, expenses related to major restructuring programs and expenses, significant year-one fair value adjustment amortization expense related to the Charter acquisition, write-off of certain deferred financing fees and original issue discount associated with the refinancing of Colfax's credit agreement and gain recorded on acquisition of remaining ownership interest of Sicelub, a less than wholly owned subsidiary, in which Colfax did not hold a controlling interest, to the extent they impact the periods presented. The effective tax rates used to calculate adjusted net income and adjusted net income per share are 27.6% and 26.6% for the fourth quarter and full year ended December 31, 2013, respectively, and 15% and 25% for fourth quarter and full year ended December 31, 2012. Organic sales growth (decline) and organic order growth (decline) exclude the impact of acquisitions and foreign exchange rate fluctuations. These non-GAAP financial measures assist Colfax in comparing its operating performance on a consistent basis because, among other things, they remove the impact of asbestos insurance coverage issues and expenses, expenses and year-one fair value adjustment amortization expense related to the Charter acquisition and major restructuring programs.

Sales and order information by end market are estimates. We periodically update our customer groupings order to refine these estimates.



### **NON-GAAP RECONCILIATION**

(unaudited)

	Three Months Ended			Year Ended				
	Dec	ember 31, 2013	De	cember 31, 2012	De	cember 31, 2013	Dec	ember 31, 2012
Adjusted Net Income and Adjusted Net Income Per Share								
Net income (loss) attributable to Colfax Corporation		37,126	\$	19,736	\$	178,628	\$	(64,402)
Restructuring and other related charges		18,074		16,994		35,502		60,060
Charter acquisition-related expense		_		_		_		43,617
Fair value adjustments - ESAB/Howden backlog and inventory amortization								
expense		_		15,614		_		78,196
Asbestos coverage litigation expense		533		4,147		3,334		12,987
Gain on revaluation of Sicelub investment		(13,784)		_		(13,784)		1 - 1
Debt extinguishment charges- Refinancing of credit agreement		26,860		_		26,860		_
Tax adjustment (1)		1,309		(6,022)		(759)		29,297
Adjusted net income	89	70,118		50,469		229,781		159,755
Adjusted net income margin	88	6.0 %		4.9 %		5.5 %		4.1 %
Dividends on preferred stock		5,142		5,072		20,396		18,951
Adjusted net income available to Colfax Corporation common shareholders	3.3c	64,976	0.00	45,397		209,385		140,804
Less: adjusted net income attributable to participating securities (2)	8	_		5,831	0-	4,571		18,087
	\$	64,976	\$	39,566	\$	204,814	\$	122,717
Weighted-average shares outstanding - diluted	8	115,634,088	de:	94,978,755	Series	100,366,455		91,918,513
Adjusted net income per share	\$	0.61	\$	0.42	\$	2.04	\$	1.34
Net income (loss) per share—diluted (in accordance with GAAP)	\$	0.31	\$	0.13	\$	1.54	\$	(0.92)

<sup>(1)</sup> The effective tax rates used to calculate adjusted net income and adjusted net income per share are 27.6% and 26.6% for the fourth quarter and full year ended December 31, 2013, respectively, and 15.0% and 25.0% for the fourth quarter and full year ended December 31, 2012.

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<sup>(2)</sup> Adjusted net income per share for periods prior to April 23, 2013 were calculated consistently with the two-class method in accordance with GAAP as the Series A preferred stock were considered participating securities. Subsequent to April 23, 2013, adjusted net income per share was calculated consistently with the ifconverted method in accordance with GAAP as the Series A preferred stock were no longer participating securities. Adjusted net income per share for the full year ended December 31, 2013 excludes the impact of 12,173,291 common stock equivalent shares as their inclusion would be anti-dilutive.

## NON-GAAP RECONCILIATION

(unaudited)

	Q4 2013					Q4 2012									
	Gas and l			ication nology	Corporate and Other	Total Co Corpora		Gas and Handl		Fabric Techn			rporate d Other	Total C Corpor	
Net sales	s e	650,820	s	520,558	s –	S 1,	171,378	s	514,433	s	512,964	s	-	\$ 1,0	027,397
Operating income (loss)	85,682	13.2 %	45,	767 8.8 %	(11,834)	119,615	10.2 %	39,405	7.7 %	20,306	4.0 %		(7,543)	52,168	5.1 9
Charter acquisition-related expense	_			_	_	_		_		_			_	_	
Restructuring and other related charges	5,685		12,	389	-	18,074		3,273		13,616			105	16,994	
Asbestos coverage litigation expense	533			_	_	533		4,147		-			_	4,147	
Fair value adjustments - ESAB/Howden backlog and inventory amortization expense	_			_	_	_		15,614		-			_	15,614	
Gain on revaluation of Sicelub investment	(13,784)					(13,784)						_			
Adjusted operating income (loss)	\$ 78,116	12.0 %	S 58,	156 11.2 %	\$ (11,834)	\$ 124,438	10.6 %	\$ 62,439	12.1 %	\$ 33,922	6.6 %	S	(7,438)	\$ 88,923	8.7 9
			10000 10												
	Gas and Handli		Fab	nded Decem ication nology	ber 31, 2013 Corporate and Other	Total Co		Gas and Handl		Year End Fabric Techn	ation	Co	orporate	Total C	
Net sales	Handli		Fab	ication	Corporate	Corpora		Handl		Fabric Techn	ation	Co	rporate	Corpor	ation
Net sales	S 2,	ing 104,048	Fab Tecl	ication nology 2,103,161	Corporate and Other	Corpora	tion	Handl	ing	Fabric Techn	ology ,012,724	Co	rporate	Corpor	ation 913,856
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Net sales  Operating income (loss)	S 2,	ing 104,048	Fab Tecl	ication nology 2,103,161	Corporate and Other	S 4,3	207,209	S 1,	ing 901,132	Fabric Techn	ation ology ,012,724 4.7 %	Co	orporate d Other	\$ 3,9	ation 913,856 3.6 9
Net sales  Operating income (loss)  Charter acquisition-related expense	S 2, 260,279	ing 104,048	Fab Tecl	2,103,161 561 9.3 %	Corporate and Other  \$ (48,448)	S 4,3 406,392	207,209	\$ 1,132,872	ing 901,132	Fabric Techn \$ 2 94,948	ation ology ,012,724 4.7 %	Co	(87,811) 43,617	\$ 3.5 140,009 43,617	ation 913,856 3.6 9
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Note: Dollars in thousands.



### **SALES & ORDERS GROWTH**

(unaudited)

		Net Sales	100		Orders	
		\$	%		\$	%
For the three months ended December 31, 2012	\$	1,027.4		\$	520.3	
Components of Change:						
Existing Businesses		105.1	10.2 %		(12.8)	(2.5)%
Acquisitions <sup>(1)</sup>		66.7	6.5 %		50.2	9.6 %
Foreign Currency Translation	19	(27.8)	(2.7)%	92	(9.9)	(1.8)%
Total		144.0	14.0 %		27.5	5.3 %
For the three months ended December 31, 2013	\$	1,171.4		\$	547.8	

	Net Sales				Orders		В	od End	
		\$	%	_	\$	%		\$	%
As of and for the year ended December 31, 2012	\$	3,913.9		\$	1,996.0		\$	1,431.5	
Components of Change:									
Existing Businesses		107.5	2.7 %		(15.3)	(0.8)%		(58.6)	(4.1)%
Acquisitions (1)		246.9	6.3 %		96.4	4.8 %		231.2	16.2 %
Foreign Currency Translation		(61.1)	(1.5)%		(15.7)	(0.7)%		(26.7)	(1.9)%
Total		293.3	7.5 %		65.4	3.3 %		145.9	10.2 %
As of and for the year ended December 31, 2013	\$	4,207.2		\$	2,061.4		\$	1,577.4	

<sup>(1)</sup> Represents the incremental sales and orders as a result of our acquisitions of Charter, Soldex, Co-Vent, Clarus, CKD Kompressory, Flakt Woods, TLT-Babcock, Alphair, and Sicelub. The full year impact related to the Charter Acquisition represents 12 days of activity for ESAB and Howden as the acquisition closed on January 13, 2012. Represents the incremental order backlog as a result of our acquisitions of Clarus, CKD Kompressory, Flakt Woods, TLT-Babcock, Alphair, and Sicelub.

Note: Dollars in millions.



# BALANCE SHEET (unaudited)

	December 31,			1,
		2013		2012
ASSEIS				
CURRENT ASSETS:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	311,301	\$	482,449
Trade receivables, less allowance for doubtful accounts of \$31,282 and \$16,464		1,030,892		873,382
Inventories, net		445,752		493,649
Other current assets		350,401		282,266
Total current assets		2,138,346		2,131,746
Property, plant and equipment, net		757,140		688,570
Goodwill		2,384,522		2,098,836
Intangible assets, net		832,553		779,049
Other assets		470,292		450,086
Total assets	S	6,582,853	\$	6,148,287
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY				
CURRENT LIABILITIES:				
Current portion of long-term debt	S	29,449	\$	34,799
Accounts payable		860,380		699,626
Accrued liabilities		485,261		447,220
Total current liabilities		1,375,090		1,181,645
Long-term debt, less current portion		1,457,642		1,693,512
Other liabilities		1,009,006		1,116,844
Total liabilities		3,841,738		3,992,001
Equity:				
Preferred stock, \$0.001 par value; 20,000,000 shares authorized; 13,877,552				
issued and outstanding		14		14
Common stock, \$0.001 par value; 400,000,000 shares authorized; 101,921,613				
and 94,067,418 issued and outstanding		102		94
Additional paid-in capital		2,541,005		2,197,694
Retained earnings (accumulated deficit)		19,376		(138,856)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(46,608)		(146,594)
Total Colfax Corporation equity		2,513,889		1,912,352
Noncontrolling interest		227,226		243,934
Total equity		2,741,115		2,156,286
Total liabilities and equity	\$	6,582,853	S	6,148,287

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# STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (unaudited)

		Year Ended December			31,		
	_	2013		2012	_	2011	
Cash flows from operating activities:							
Net income (loss)  Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to net cash provided by	\$	209,143	S	(42,264)	S	4,555	
operating activities:							
Depreciation, amortization and fixed asset impairment charges		119,258		183.403		22.598	
Stock-based compensation expense		13,334		9,373		4,908	
Non-cash interest expense		44,377		16,997		735	
Gain on revaluation of Sicelub investment		(13,784)					
Unrealized loss on acquisition-related foreign currency derivative						21.146	
Deferred income tax provision (benefit)		9.946		7,222		(1,722)	
Changes in operating assets and liabilities, net of acquisitions:							
Trade receivables, net		(98,912)		(37,338)		(5,972)	
Inventories, net		79,987		26,694		10.844	
Accounts payable		128,889		88,927		(7,298)	
Changes in other operating assets and liabilities		(130,069)		(78,994)		7,359	
Net cash provided by operating activities		362,169		174,020		57,153	
Cash flows from investing activities:							
Purchases of fixed assets, net		(71,482)		(83,187)		(13,624)	
Acquisitions, net of cash received		(372,476)		(1,859,645)		(56,346)	
Loans to non-trade creditors		(31,012)		_		_	
Other, net				1,857			
Net cash used in investing activities	32	(474,970)		(1,940,975)	8	(69,970)	
Cash flows from financing activities:		70.000.000					
Borrowings under term credit facility		50,861		1,731,523			
Payments under term credit facility		(679,755)		(531,415)		(10,000)	
Proceeds from borrowings on revolving credit facilities		648,000		13,149		141,203	
Repayments of borrowings on revolving credit facilities		(328, 133)		(53,414)		(102,180)	
Proceeds from issuance of common stock, net		324,153		756,762		3,719	
Proceeds from issuance of preferred stock, net		-		332,969		-	
Acquisition of shares held by noncontrolling interest		(14,913)		(29,292)			
Payments of dividend on preferred stock		(20,396)		(17,446)		_	
Other		(24,870)		(19,608)			
Net cash (used in) provided by financing activities		(45,053)		2,183,228		32,742	
Effect of foreign exchange rates on Cash and cash equivalents	_	(13,294)		(8,932)		(5,359)	
(Decrease) increase in Cash and cash equivalents		(171,148)		407,341		14,566	
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period		482,449		75,108		60,542	
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$	311,301	S	482,449	S	75,108	
Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flow Information:							
Interest payments		58,970		79,857		5,209	
Income tax payments, net		93,856		70,677		16,731	

Note: Dollars in thousands.

