

Spectrum Brands, Inc.
Form 8-K
October 22, 2012

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): October 22, 2012

SPECTRUM BRANDS, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	001-13615 (Commission File No.)	22-2423556 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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601 Rayovac Drive
Madison, Wisconsin 53711
(Address of principal executive offices)

(608) 275-3340

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A
(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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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))
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Item 2.02.

Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

The following information in this Item 2.02, to the extent the information discusses financial results of Spectrum Brands, Inc. (“Spectrum Brands”) is being furnished pursuant to this Item 2.02 and shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Spectrum Brands estimates that for the year ended September 30, 2012, net sales were \$3.25 billion, net income was \$52.8 million and Adjusted EBITDA was \$485.7 million.

Net cash for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2012 provided from operating activities after purchases of property, plan and equipment (free cash flow) was approximately \$208 million.

Non-GAAP Measurements

Management believes that certain non-GAAP financial measures may be useful in certain instances to provide additional meaningful comparisons between current results and results in prior operating periods. For example, excluding the impact of currency exchange rate fluctuations may provide additional meaningful reflection of underlying business trends. In addition, within this Current Report on Form 8-K, including the tables, reference is made to adjusted earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA). See, “Reconciliation of GAAP Net Income (Loss) to Adjusted EBITDA,” for a reconciliation of GAAP Net Income (Loss) to adjusted EBITDA for the twelve months ended September 30, 2012 on a consolidated basis and for each of Spectrum Brands’ business segments. Adjusted EBITDA is a metric used by management and frequently used by the financial community which provides insight into an organization’s operating trends and facilitates comparisons between peer companies, since interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization can differ greatly between organizations as a result of differing capital structures and tax strategies. Adjusted EBITDA can also be a useful measure of a company’s ability to service debt and is one of the measures used for determining Spectrum Brands’ debt covenant compliance. Adjusted EBITDA excludes certain items that are unusual in nature or not comparable from period to period. Spectrum Brands’ management believes that free cash flow is useful to both management and investors in their analysis of Spectrum Brands’ ability to service and repay its debt and meet its working capital requirements. Free cash flow should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for pretax income (loss), net income (loss), cash provided by (used in) operating activities or other statement of operations or cash flow statement data prepared in accordance with GAAP or as a measure of profitability or liquidity. In addition, the calculation of free cash flow does not reflect cash used to service debt and therefore, does not reflect funds available for investment or discretionary uses. Spectrum Brands provides this information to investors to assist in comparisons of past, present and future operating results and to assist in highlighting the results of on-going operations. While Spectrum Brands’ management believes that non-GAAP measurements are useful supplemental information, such

adjusted results are not intended to replace Spectrum Brands' GAAP financial results and should be read in conjunction with those GAAP results.

Table A
SPECTRUM BRANDS, INC.
Reconciliation of GAAP Net Income (Loss) to Adjusted EBITDA
for the twelve months ended September 30, 2012
(Unaudited)
(\$ in millions)

	Global Batteries & Appliances	Global Pet Supplies	Home & Garden	Corporate	Unallocated Items (a)	Consolidated Spectrum Brands, Inc.
Net income (loss), as adjusted (a)	\$221.6	\$69.8	\$70.6	\$(56.8)	\$(252.4)	\$ 52.8
Income tax expense	–	–	–	–	60.4	60.4
Interest expense	–	–	–	–	192.0	192.0
Acquisition and integration related charges	14.9	5.4	2.1	8.6	–	31.1
Restructuring and related charges	7.6	10.1	0.9	1.0	–	19.6
Adjusted EBIT	244.1	85.3	73.6	(47.2)	–	355.8
Depreciation and amortization (b)	63.6	27.7	13.3	25.2	–	129.8
Adjusted EBITDA	\$307.7	\$113.1	\$86.9	\$(22.0)	\$–	\$ 485.7

Note: Amounts calculated prior to rounding

- (a) It is the Company's policy to record Income tax expense and Interest expense on a consolidated basis. Accordingly, such amounts are not reflected in the results of the operating segments and presented within Unallocated Items.
(b) Included within depreciation and amortization is amortization of unearned restricted stock compensation.

Table B
SPECTRUM BRANDS, INC.
Selected Financial Data
(Unaudited)
(\$ millions)

for the year ended September 30, 2012	
Cash	\$ 158
Total Debt	\$ 1,665
for the twelve months ended September 30, 2012	

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Gross Profit	\$	1,116
Capital expenditures	\$	47
Capital interest	\$	154

Table C
SPECTRUM BRANDS, INC.
Reconciliation of Cash Flow from Operating Activities to Free Cash Flow
for the twelve months ended September 30, 2012
(Unaudited)
(\$ millions)

Net Cash provided from Operating Activities	\$255
Purchases of property, plant and equipment	(47)
Free Cash Flow	\$208

Spectrum Brands has not yet finalized the financial results for its fiscal year ended September 30, 2012. The preliminary estimated financial results described herein are unaudited and subject to revision pending the completion of the accounting and financial reporting processes necessary to complete Spectrum Brands' financial closing procedures and financial statements for the fiscal 2012 year. The foregoing preliminary estimates of Spectrum Brands' financial results were prepared by its management. Spectrum Brands' management believes that such preliminary estimates have been prepared on a reasonable basis, and such preliminary estimates are based upon a number of assumptions, estimates and business decisions that are inherently subject to significant business fluctuations, economic conditions and competitive uncertainties and contingencies, many of which are beyond Spectrum Brands' management's control, and represent, to the best of Spectrum Brands' management's knowledge, its expected results. However, because this information is preliminary, it should not be relied on as indicative of Spectrum Brands' future actual results. Spectrum Brands does not intend to update or otherwise revise the preliminary estimates to reflect future events.

Forward Looking Statements

Certain matters discussed in this report and other oral and written statements by representatives of Spectrum Brands regarding matters such as Spectrum Brands' estimates of its unaudited fiscal 2012 results may be forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995.

These statements are subject to a number of risks and uncertainties that could cause results to differ materially from those anticipated as of the date of this report. Actual results may differ materially as a result of (1) Spectrum Brands' ability to manage and otherwise comply with its covenants with respect to its significant outstanding indebtedness, (2) the inability to integrate, and to realize synergies from, the combined businesses of Spectrum Brands and its acquired companies, including HHI, FURminator, Russell Hobbs and other acquisitions, (3) changes and developments in external competitive market factors, such as introduction of new product features or technological developments, development of new competitors or competitive brands or competitive promotional activity or spending, (4) changes in consumer demand for the various types of products Spectrum Brands offers, (5) unfavorable developments in the global credit markets, (6) the impact of overall economic conditions on consumer spending, (7) fluctuations in commodities prices, the costs or availability of raw materials or terms and conditions available from suppliers, (8) changes in the general economic conditions in

countries and regions where Spectrum does business, such as stock market prices, interest rates, currency exchange rates, inflation and consumer spending, (9) Spectrum Brands' ability to successfully implement manufacturing, distribution and other cost efficiencies and to continue to benefit from its cost-cutting initiatives, (10) Spectrum Brands' ability to identify, develop and retain key employees, (11) unfavorable weather conditions and various other risks and uncertainties, including those discussed herein and those set forth in Spectrum Brands' securities filings, including the most recently filed Annual Report on Form 10-K for Spectrum or Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q. Spectrum also cautions the reader that its estimates of trends, market share, retail consumption of its products and reasons for changes in such consumption are based solely on limited data available to Spectrum Brands and management's reasonable assumptions about market conditions, and consequently may be inaccurate, or may not reflect significant segments of the retail market.

Spectrum Brands also cautions the reader that undue reliance should not be placed on any forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date of this report. Spectrum Brands undertakes no duty or responsibility to update any of these forward-looking statements to reflect events or circumstances after the date of this report or to reflect actual outcomes.

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On October 22, 2012, Spectrum Brands also provided potential lenders with a presentation relating to the previously announced acquisition of the residential hardware and home improvement business from Stanley Black & Decker. A copy of the lender presentation is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein.

Spectrum Brands is furnishing the information in this Current Report on Form 8-K to comply with Regulation FD. Such information shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, and shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into any of Spectrum Brands, Inc.'s filings under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, whether made before or after the date hereof and regardless of any general incorporation language in such filings, except to the extent expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (a) Not applicable.
- (b) Not applicable.
- (c) Not applicable.
- (d) Exhibits.

The following exhibits are being filed with this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	<u>Lender Presentation, dated October 22, 2012</u>

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report on Form 8-K to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

SPECTRUM BRANDS, INC.

By:	/s/ Nathan E. Fagre
Name:	Nathan E. Fagre
Title:	Secretary and General Counsel

Dated: October 22, 2012
