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### Introduction

- Nautilus is a provider of fitness equipment in the consumer health and wellness industry.
- The company was founded in 1986 as Bowflex of America
  - Bowflex direct marketing on TV started in 1993
- Expanded into commercial health club market via acquisition of Nautilus, Inc. in 1999
- Further expanded into consumer retail market in 2001
  - Acquisition of Schwinn Fitness in 2001
  - Added Bowflex and Nautilus branded strength and cardio products to the retail mix
- Economic downturn in 2008/2009 negatively affected consumer discretionary purchases
- Restructured in 2009-2010 to refocus on the consumer segment
  - Direct to consumer via TV / Internet
  - Retail via both traditional store placement and leading e-commerce sites

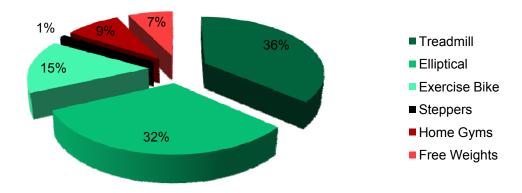
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## **Fitness Equipment Market**

#### **2009 Consumer Fitness Equipment Market Size**

Retail (Wholesale)*	\$3.2B
Direct to Consumer**	\$1B
Total	\$4.2B

### 2009 Retail – Sales by Product Type\*



• Cardio machines constitute 84% of retail equipment sales in the major categories



<sup>\*</sup>Source: SGMA 2010 – Tracking the Fitness Movement Annual Report

<sup>\*\*</sup>Source: TouchPoint Communications 2009 Media Survey and Nautilus internal research

# **Nautilus Cardio Product Lines**



TreadClimber

**Schwinn Fitness** 



Nautilus



# **Nautilus Strength Product Lines**



Bowflex / Nautilus SelectTech Dumbbells



Bowflex Revolution and Rod Based Home Gyms



**Universal Strength Accessories** 

## **Background to Restructuring**

- 2008 recession severely affected all business lines
  - Retail consumer discretionary expenditures deferred
  - Direct consumer credit availability contracted
  - Commoditization of commercial health equipment market accelerated
- Restructuring Plan
  - Radically reduced fixed operating expenses
  - Exited commercial equipment business
  - Refocused consumer business on the larger cardio equipment market opportunity
  - Upgraded consumer finance program with a new, more aggressive, provider



## **Brand Strength**

Nautilus owns four of the premier brands in the fitness industry











### **Consumer Reach - Direct**

- Direct to Consumer
  - Our direct to consumer business utilizes television and online advertising to drive sales via our websites and within our internal call center.









### **Consumer Reach - Retail**

#### Retail

 Distributes products via multiple locations in the US and Canada, as well as through leading e-commerce sites such as Amazon.com.



















### **Innovation**

- Throughout our restructuring and cost cutting, Nautilus has continued to invest in research and development
- Key areas of focus for future products
  - Further enhancements to proprietary TreadClimber cardio machine
  - Low cost / single area targeted strength products
  - New resistance mechanisms and consoles in exercise bikes
  - International market ready versions of products to allow for growth outside the US and Canada



### **Near Term Cardio Focus**

# U.S. Fitness Participation (2010)\* **Home Gym** 24.8 Million Cardio: Yoga / Pilates **Elliptical / Treadmill** Stretching 77.9 Million 26.5 Million TreadClimber Opportunity Indoor Bike 34.8 Million **Walking for Fitness** 110 Million

• The most popular fitness activity in the U.S. is **walking** (110M participants)

\*Source: SGMA 2010 - Tracking the Fitness Movement



### **TreadClimber**

- Allows the user to <u>walk</u> during use, resulting in low impact to joints and knees.
- Machine's combined motion of <u>walking</u> with the <u>calorie burn</u> of running at 6mph.\*
- Proprietary product
  - Significant patent protection







<sup>\*</sup>Source: Independent research at Adelphi University and University of Wisconsin - LaCrosse

### **TreadClimber in the Direct Channel**

- Television and Online Media Target High Value Consumers
  - Creative and network placement allow for tailoring the product message to a specific audience
  - Improved buyer demographics
  - TreadClimber product line appeals an incremental customer base of the long standing home gym product line:

Gender Profile						
	Male	Female				
Rod Based Gym	71%	29%				
TreadClimber	43%	57%				

Age Profile							
	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55+		
Rod Based Gym	15%	24%	27%	22%	12%		
TreadClimber	4%	14%	26%	35%	18%		

- High Operating Leverage
  - Relatively high gross margins
- Low Capital Requirements for Growth
  - Negative working capital model



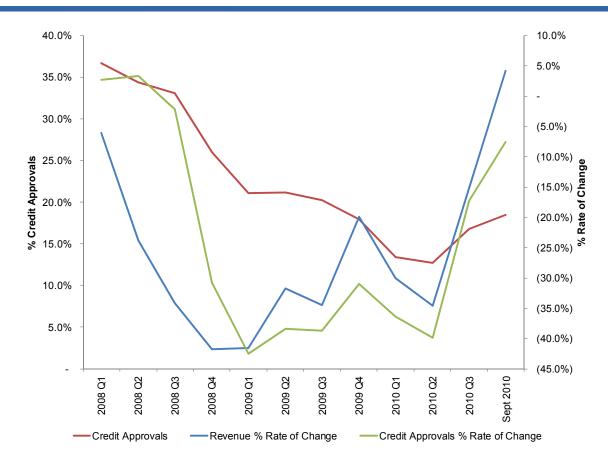
## **Operating Statistics**

Selected data from continuing operations

	2009					2010						
(\$ millions)		Q1		Q2		Q3	Q4		Q1		Q2	Q3
Retail	\$	12.5	\$	11.4	\$	15.7	\$ 24.0	\$	15.9	\$	11.8	\$ 16.1
% growth		(50.3%)		(39.8%)		(33.8%)	(9.4%)		27.0%		4.1%	2.9%
Direct		40.7		28.2		25.3	28.9		28.5		18.4	21.5
% growth		(41.5%)		(31.7%)		(34.5%)	(19.9%)		(30.0%)		(34.6%)	(14.8%)
Corporate		0.9		0.5		0.4	0.8		1.2		0.4	0.9
Total Revenue	\$	54.1	\$	40.1	\$	41.4	\$ 53.7	\$	45.6	\$	30.6	\$ 38.5
% growth		(42.9%)		(33.5%)		(33.7%)	(14.1%)		(15.6%)		(23.6%)	(7.2%)
Gross Profit	\$	30.3	\$	19.8	\$	20.3	\$ 26.1	\$	23.0	\$	13.5	\$ 16.6
as a % of revenue		56.0%		49.4%		49.0%	48.6%		50.4%		44.1%	43.1%
Operating Expenses		34.0		34.7		23.1	33.9		24.9		20.2	19.8
Operating Loss		(3.7)		(14.9)		(2.8)	(7.7)		(1.9)		(6.8)	(3.2)
Adjustments:												
Restructuring Expenses		2.0		11.8		0.2	0.1		-		-	-
Asset Impairment Losses		-		-		2.1	3.8		-		-	-
Adjusted Operating Loss	\$	(1.7)	\$	(3.1)	\$	(0.5)	\$ (3.8)	\$	(1.9)	\$	(6.8)	\$ (3.2)
as a % of revenue		(3.1%)		(7.7%)		(1.2%)	(7.1%)		(4.2%)		(22.2%)	(8.3%)

- Lower fixed operating expenses
- Retail sales level stabilizing and showing signs of improvement
- Direct sales improved in September reflecting new consumer financing relationship
- Adjusted Operating Loss is a non-GAAP measure. Management believes that showing operating loss net of restructuring expenses and asset impairment losses enables more meaningful comparisons of operating results among periods.

# **Rate of Change: Direct Sales versus Credit Approvals**



Strong correlation between financing availability and Direct to consumer sales



## **Balance Sheet Strength**

Improved balance sheet strength during economic downturn

(\$ millions)	Net (D		 oss ash
Actual December 2007	\$	(71)	\$ 8
Less: Acquisition commitment	_	(69)	-
Pro Forma December 2007	\$	(140)	\$ 8
Actual December 2008	\$	(12)	\$ 6
Actual December 2009	\$	7	\$ 7
Actual September 2010	\$	9	\$ 14

- Focus on liquidity results in adequate balance sheet strength
- Permits self-financing in seasonally high working capital quarter (September)
- Working capital performance has improved
  - Exit from Commercial business significantly reduced working capital investment

	A/R DSO	Inventory Turnover
December 2007	54 days	4.9x
December 2008	53 days	3.8x
December 2009	47 days	6.8x
September 2010	29 days	6.5x



### Summary

- Four highly regarded brand names
- Participation in the larger cardio equipment market improving
- Capability to reach end consumers with branded products across multiple distribution channels
- Restructuring in response to recession has significantly reduced breakeven level
- Balance sheet stronger than pre-recession level
  - Cash of \$14.5 million with no pending debt maturities
- Improving market and credit approvals outlook
- Direct model allows for growth with little to no additional capital required



