## **Oldcastle Architectural Products Group**

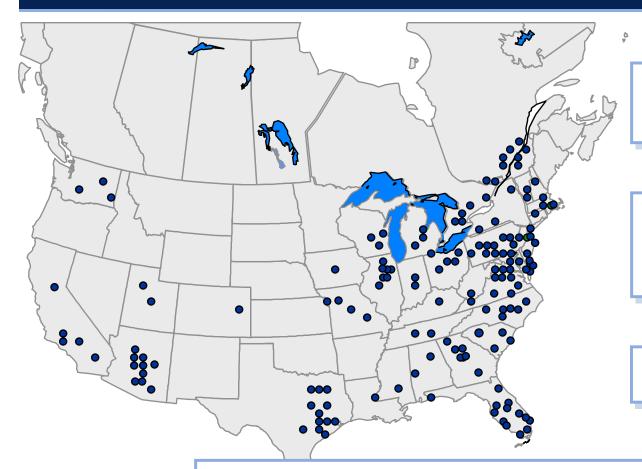
# Doug Black CEO







#### **Overview**



\$1.8bn Sales (2004)

21% 5-yr Sales CAGR

~10% Op. Margin

197 Locations

35 US States

2 Canadian Provinces

+7,500 Employees

60:35:5 Res/Non-res /Infra

60:40 New/RMI

#1 Masonry, Paving, Patio producer in US

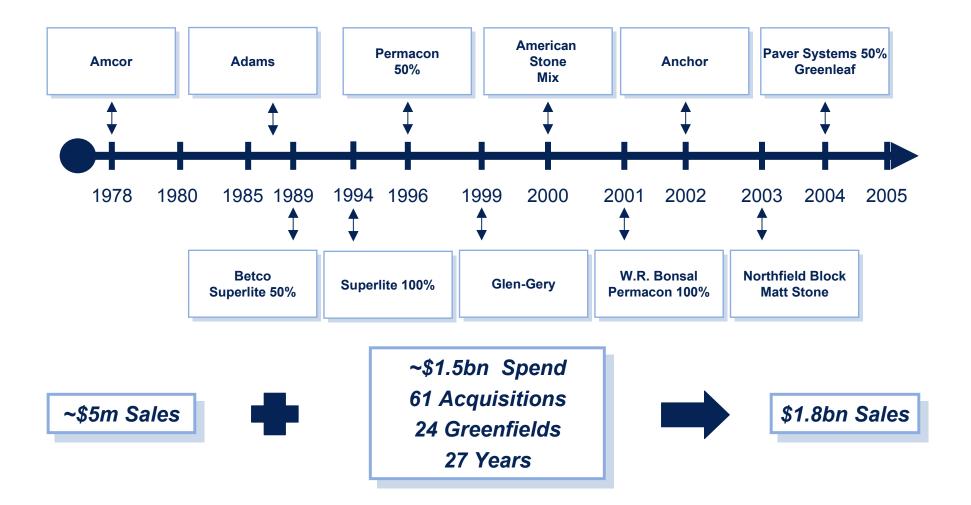
**#1 Brick producer in Northeast US** 

**#1 Paving and Patio producer in Canada** 





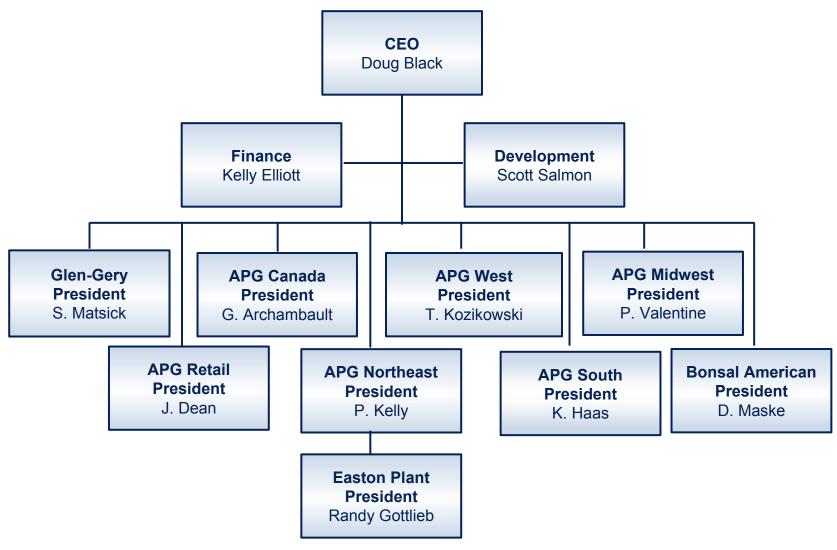
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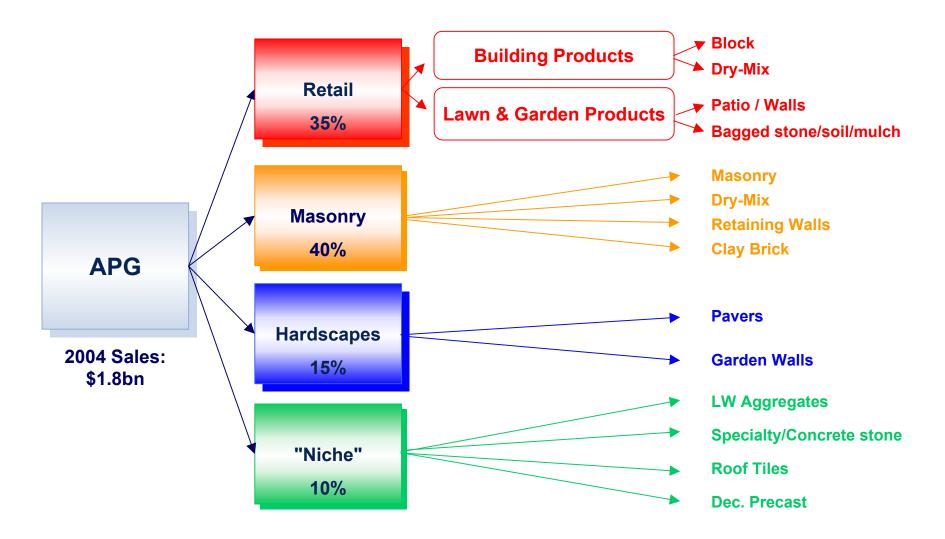


## Organization





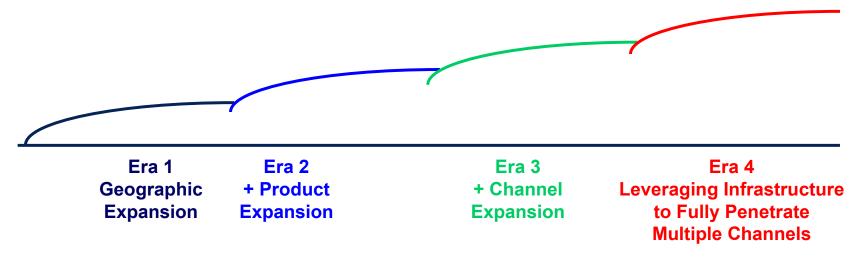
#### **Business Segments**







## **APG Evolution**



End-Use	New Build	+ RMI (Prof)	+ RMI (Retail)	
Segment	Commercial	+ Residential	+ DIY + Infrastructure	+ New Segments
Customers	Contractors	+ Distributors	+ Homebuilders + Homecenters	+ Extend Reach
Market	Local		+ National/Regional	+ Geographic Infill
Brand	Company	+ National	+ Customer	+ Extend Reach
Products	Masonry	+ Hardscapes	+ Patio Products + Packaged Mixes	+ Expand Range





## **APG Retail**





**Dry-Mixes** 



Bagged Stone, Soil & Mulch

Primary customers are Lowe's, Home Depot, Walmart, Independents



## Masonry



**Architectural** 



Structural Retaining Wall



Standard Block



**Glazed Block** 



Clay Brick

**Primary customers are masonry contractors** 





## **Hardscapes**







Walls & Floors for Your Outdoors™

partnerships

Belgard® program = demand creation
+
branded products
+
contractor / dealer

Primary customers are landscaping contractors and dealers





## "Niche"



**Natural Stone** 



**Decorative Precast** 



**Roof Tiles** 



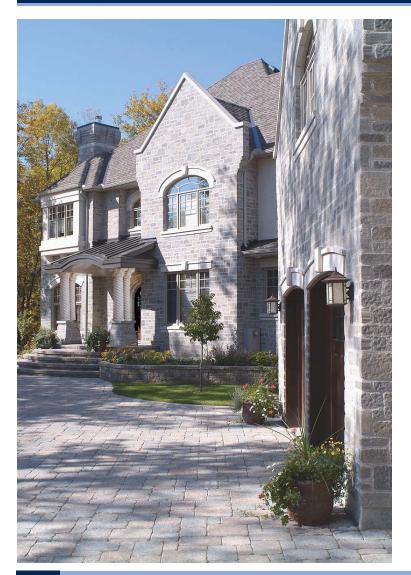
**Counter Tops** 

**Primary customers are specialty subcontractors** 





## **The Belgard Envelope**





## BELGARD®

Walls & Floors for Your Outdoors™







DUFFERIN® Stone



**Hardscapes** 

Value-added product bundles





#### **Strategy**

- Retail maximise value from the retail channel
  - → Dedicated customer teams
  - → Bundled offerings in mixed loads to improve delivery efficiencies
  - → Product innovation and branding
  - → Plant rollout to achieve low cost production
- Masonry expand the core with value-added products
  - → Partner with national customers
  - → Create regional leadership positions
  - → Improve the product mix
- Hardscapes grow and exploit the market opportunity
  - → Aggressive marketing to create demand
  - → Proprietary products and processes
  - → New plant capacity & selective acquisitions
- "Niche" identify platforms for growth that complement masonry, hardscape and retail offerings





## **Compelling Business Proposition**

- Strong US residential fundamentals underpin new build and RMI demand
- Pursue growth through a Balanced & Value-added business mix
- Greenfield development now a core APG skill
- New core platforms: Dry Mix, Decorative Stone, Soil/Mulch
- Significant acquisition opportunities identified in all core businesses

Geography, Product, Channel Mix =

Three tiered growth potential



