

## The Clorox Company

## Supplemental Information – Gross Margin Drivers

The table below provides details on the drivers of the gross margin change versus the prior year.

	Gross Margin Change vs. Prior Year (basis points)								
Driver		FY11					FY12		
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FY	Q1	Q2	Q3	
Cost Savings	+200	+180	+180	+110	+170	+160	+180	+160	
Price Changes	+80	+100	+60	+70	+80	+170	+240	+250	
Market Movement (commodities)	-180	-150	-150	-170	-160	-320	-240	-200	
Manufacturing & Logistics <sup>(1)</sup>	+20	-60	-70	-40	-30	-220	-170	-200	
All other <sup>(2)</sup>	-160	-250	-70	-50	-140	-40	-30	-190	
Change vs prior year	-40	-180	-50	-80	-80	-250	-20	-180	
Gross Margin (%)	44.3%	41.7%	44.1%	43.5%	43.5%	41.7%	41.5%	42.3%	

(1) "Manufacturing & Logistics" includes the change in the cost of diesel fuel.

(2) "All Other" includes all other drivers of gross margin change. Examples of drivers included: volume change, product mix, trade and consumer spending, restructuring and acquisitionrelated costs, foreign currency, etc. If a driver included in all other is deemed to be material in a given period, it will be disclosed as part of the company's earnings release.