

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

November 23, 2010

Mr. Frederic Villoutreix Chief Executive Officer Schweitzer-Mauduit International, Inc. 100 North Point Center East Alpharetta, GA 30022-8246

Re: Schweitzer-Mauduit International, Inc.

Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2009

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Dear Mr. Villoutreix:

We have completed our review of your filings and do not have any further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

John Reynolds Assistant Director