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Safeguarding Global Health® through our sterilization services, lab testing and advisory services

What we do...

Leader in sterilization services





Leader in lab testing and advisory services



...and how we do it...

- Provide mission-critical services to blue chip customers with multi-year contracts
- Unmatched network of local facilities to support customer requirements and growth
- In an increasingly regulated industry, we are a global leader in technical and regulatory expertise
- Organic and inorganic growth
- Our culture Safety, quality, accountability and excellence

...leads to strong results

- Revenue growth every year since 2005 (including 2008, 2009 and 2020)
- >50% adj. EBITDA margin^{1,2}
- ~\$33bn TAM³ and growing
- Consistent track record of cash flow generation
- Well-positioned for growth in global healthcare market without payor reimbursement risk

Our capabilities, scale and knowhow are not easily replicated...

Our customers depend on our mission-critical services in any economic environment

- 1) Full-year 2020 and six months ended June 30, 2021.
- (2) For a reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP results, please refer to Non-GAAP Financial Measures provided in the Appendix.
- (3) Management estimated total addressable market for terminal sterilization and outsourced medical and pharmaceutical lab testing, 2019.



Our breadth of services touches all key medical device and pharmaceutical categories

Medical device Orthopedic and In-vitro diagnostics and Cardiovascular analytical tools implantables ophthalmic implants **Endoscopy** Collection **Personal protective Swabs** equipment **Drug delivery** Vascular catheters **Surgical kits**

Pharmaceutical Inhalation **Injectables Biologics Ophthalmic** Oral **Topical** Suppository Pharma packaging Non-injectable sterile

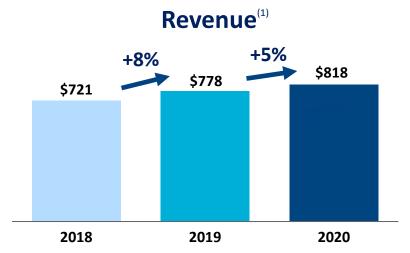
Our sterilization services generally represent a small fraction of the total end product costs

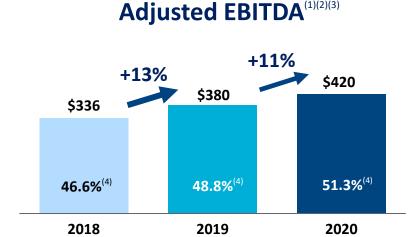


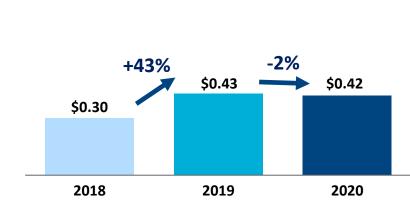
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Consolidated 2018 – 2020 Fiscal Year Financial Results

In millions, except Adjusted EPS







Adjusted EPS(1)(2)(5)

Top-line growth driven by capacity expansion projects coming online and increased demand for services related to personal protective equipment

Over 450 bps of Adjusted EBITDA margin expansion since 2018 driven by the combined impact of price, capacity utilization, favorable mix and operational excellence initiatives

2020 YoY Adj EPS decrease impacted by \$58M interest expense increase

⁶⁾ Adjusted EPS is defined as Adjusted Net Income divided by the weighted average number of diluted shares outstanding.



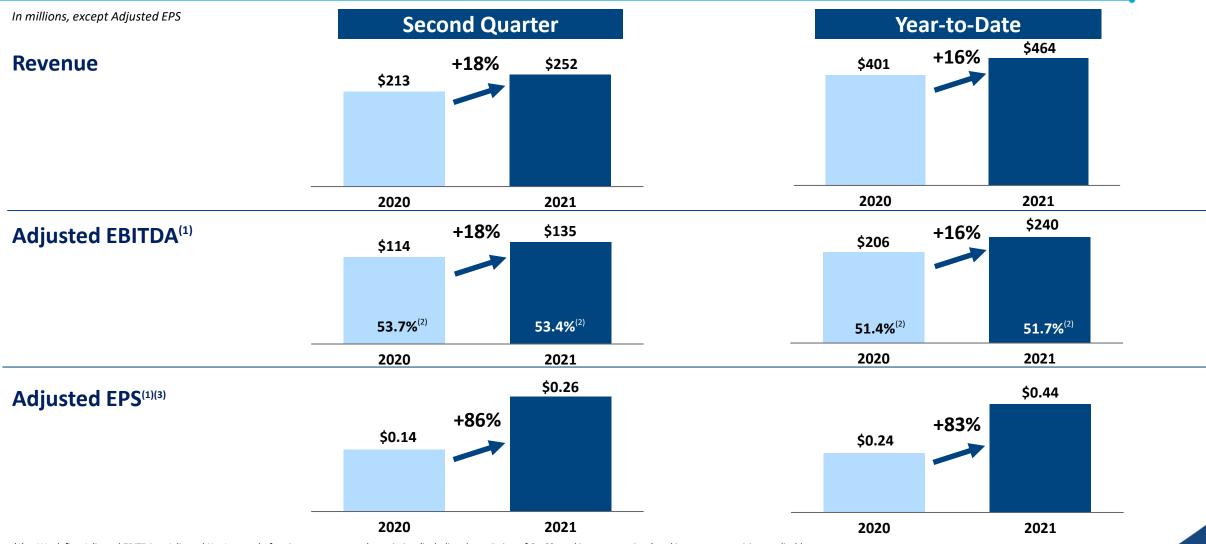
^{(1) 2018} revenue, Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA margin, and Adjusted EPS exclude Medical Isotopes business which was divested in July 2018 (denoted as "Other" in the notes to the Company's financials) - Revenue of \$25.4M in 2018, Adjusted EBITDA of \$4.9M in 2018, and Adjusted EPS of \$0.02 in 2018.

⁽²⁾ For a reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP results, please refer to Non-GAAP Financial Measures provided in the Appendix.

⁽³⁾ We define Adjusted EBITDA as Adjusted Net Income before interest expense, depreciation (including depreciation of Co-60 used in our operations) and income tax provision applicable to Adjusted Net Income.

⁽⁴⁾ Adjusted EBITDA margin, which is equal to Adjusted EBITDA divided by net revenues.

Q2 & YTD 2021 Financial Performance - Consolidated



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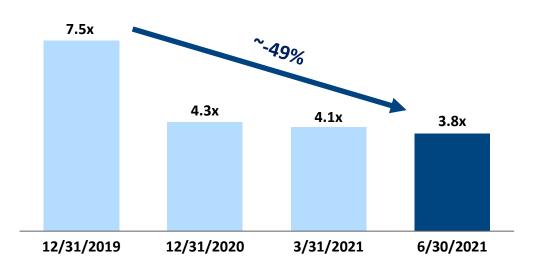
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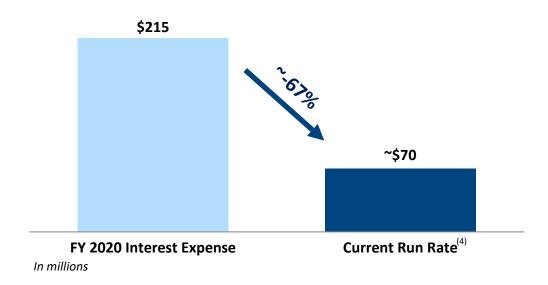
Deleveraging and Capital Markets





- Net leverage reduction of 3.7x since Q4 2019
- Achieved top-end of long-term target net leverage range of $2.0x 4.0x^{(3)}$
- Continuing focus on deleveraging

Expected Annual Interest Expense Reduction(2)



- Reduction of approximately \$145M of annual interest expense
- 2H 2021 pay-off of \$100M Notes will drive annual interest expense savings of \$7M

⁽⁴⁾ At current LIBOR levels. Current run rate includes impact of Q4 2020 debt paydown, Q1 2021 Term Loan repricing, and 2H 2021 payoff of \$100M Notes.



⁽¹⁾ For a reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP results, please refer to Non-GAAP Financial Measures provided in the Appendix.

²⁾ Sotera Health incurred \$14M of expense in connection with the repricing of the Term Loan in January 2021, \$11M of which was non-cash.

³⁾ Long-term target is forward-looking and reflects expectations as of August 12, 2021. Sotera Health assumes no obligation to update this statement. Results may be materially different and are affected by many factors detailed in Sotera Health's SEC filings, including Sotera Health's 2020 Form 10-K.

Why we are a global leader in our markets

| > Strong financial profile | Revenue growth since 2005 >50% Adjusted EBITDA margin ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ Excellent visibility |
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| Barriers to entry drive attractive returns | Track record Expertise Scale |
| > Large and growing total addressable market | ~\$33bn TAM ⁽³⁾ |
| Strong industry dynamics | Essential and regulated markets |
| > Trusted partner at scale | 50 sterilization and 14 labs global facilities 800+ lab tests |
| Operational excellence | Consistent revenue growth since 2005 |
| Platform geared for continued M&A | 2 transformational and 8 bolt-on acquisitions ⁽⁴⁾ |
| Established and experienced management team | M&A execution Capital deployment |

(1) Full-year 2020 and six months ended June 30, 2021; (2) Please refer to Non-GAAP Financial Measures provided in the Appendix; (3) Management estimates for 2019; (4) Since 2013.



Appendix



Non-GAAP Financial Measures(1)

| (unaudited) (\$'s in thousands, except per share amounts) | | Yea | nded Decembe | Twelve Months Ended March 31, | | Twelve Months Ended June 30, | | | | |
|--|----|----------|--------------|----------------------------------|------|---------------------------------|------|----------|------|----------|
| | | 2018 | 2019 | | 2020 | | 2021 | | 2021 | |
| Net income / (loss) | \$ | (5,876) | \$ | (20,425) | \$ | (37,491) | \$ | (24,440) | \$ | 10,922 |
| Amortization of intangible assets | | 79,906 | | 80,048 | | 80,255 | | 82,624 | | 84,691 |
| Impairment of long-lived assets and intangible assets (a) | | 85,067 | | 5,792 | | _ | | _ | | _ |
| Gain on sale of Medical Isotopes business (b) | | (95,910) | | _ | | _ | | _ | | _ |
| Share-based compensation(c) | | 6,943 | | 16,882 | | 10,987 | | 12,711 | | 14,811 |
| Capital restructuring bonuses ^(d) | | | | 2,040 | | 2,702 | | 2,702 | | 2,702 |
| (Gain) loss on foreign currency and embedded derivatives(e) | | 14,095 | | 2,662 | | (8,454) | | (13,057) | | (10,632) |
| Acquisition and divestiture related charges, net(f) | | 1,168 | | (318) | | 3,932 | | 2,753 | | 2,240 |
| Business optimization project expenses(g) | | 8,805 | | 4,195 | | 2,524 | | 1,736 | | 1,265 |
| Plant closure expenses ^(h) | | _ | | 1,712 | | 2,649 | | 2,420 | | 2,724 |
| Loss on extinguishment of debt(i) | | _ | | 30,168 | | 44,262 | | 58,574 | | 58,575 |
| Professional services relating to EO sterilization facilities ^(j) | | 4,739 | | 11,216 | | 36,671 | | 45,924 | | 47,076 |
| Accretion of asset retirement obligation(k) | | 1,366 | | 2,051 | | 1,946 | | 2,007 | | 2,117 |
| COVID-19 expenses ^(l) | | _ | | _ | | 2,677 | | 2,900 | | 815 |
| Income tax benefit associated with pre-tax adjustments ^(m) | | (24,988) | | (35,637) | | (43,536) | | (49,962) | | (50,172) |
| Adjusted Net Income | | 75,315 | | 100,386 | | 99,124 | | 126,892 | | 167,134 |
| Interest expense, net | | 143,326 | | 157,729 | | 215,259 | | 179,979 | | 143,892 |
| Depreciation ⁽ⁿ⁾ | | 66,910 | | 66,671 | | 63,309 | | 62,578 | | 62,938 |
| Income tax provision applicable to Adjusted Net Income(o) | | 55,086 | | 55,146 | | 42,167 | | 63,845 | | 79,467 |
| Adjusted EBITDA ^(p) | \$ | 340,637 | \$ | 379,932 | \$ | 419,859 | \$ | 433,294 | \$ | 453,431 |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Net Revenues | \$ | 746,149 | \$ | 778,327 | \$ | 818,158 | \$ | 842,106 | \$ | 880,938 |
| Adjusted EBITDA Margin | | 45.7 % | | 48.8 % | | 51.3 % | | 51.5 % | | 51.5 % |
| Weighted average number of shares outstanding | | 232,400 | | 232,400 | | 237,696 | | | | |
| Basic and diluted EPS | \$ | (0.03) | \$ | (0.09) | \$ | (0.16) | | | | |
| Adjusted EPS | \$ | 0.32 | \$ | 0.43 | \$ | 0.42 | | | | |

⁽¹⁾ See accompanying footnotes for this table on next slide.



Non-GAAP Financial Measures

- (a) Represents impairment charges related to the decision to not reopen the Willowbrook, Illinois facility in September 2019. For 2018, represents impairment charges associated with the withdrawal of the GA-MURR project.
- (b) Represents the gain on the divestiture of the Medical Isotopes business in July 2018.
- (c) Includes non-cash share-based compensation expense. 2019 also includes \$10.0 million of one-time cash share-based compensation expense related to the pre-IPO Class C Units, which vested in the third quarter of 2019.
- (d) Represents cash bonuses for members of management primarily relating to the November 2020 IPO and the December 2019 refinancing.
- (e) Represents the effects of (i) fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates, primarily related to remeasurement of intercompany loans denominated in currencies other than subsidiaries' functional currencies, and (ii) non-cash mark-to-fair value of embedded derivatives relating to certain customer and supply contracts at Nordion.
- (f) Represents (i) certain direct and incremental costs related to the acquisitions of the noncontrolling interests in our China subsidiaries, BioScience Laboratories in 2021, Iotron Industries in July 2020, Gibraltar Laboratories, Inc. ("Nelson Labs Fairfield") in 2018 (including the first quarter 2021 gain on the mandatorily redeemable noncontrolling interest), Toxikon Europe, NV ("Nelson Europe") in 2017, and certain related integration efforts as a result of those acquisitions, (ii) the earnings impact of fair value adjustments (excluding those recognized within amortization expense) resulting from the businesses acquired, and (iii) transition services income and non-cash deferred lease income associated with the terms of the divestiture of the Medical Isotopes business in 2018.
- (g) Represents professional fees, contract termination and exit costs, severance and other payroll costs, and other costs associated with business optimization and cost savings projects relating to the integrations of Nordion and Nelson Labs, including the divestiture of Medical Isotopes, the withdrawal from the GA-MURR project, the Sotera Health rebranding, operating structure realignment and other process enhancement projects.
- (h) Represents professional fees, severance and other payroll costs, and other costs including ongoing lease and utility expenses associated with the closure of the Willowbrook, Illinois facility.
- (i) Represents expenses incurred in connection with the refinancing of our debt capital structure in December 2019, the January 2021 Term Loan repricing, and paydown of debt following the November 2020 IPO, including accelerated amortization of prior debt issuance and discount costs, and premiums paid in connection with early extinguishment.
- (j) Represents professional fees related to litigation associated with our EO sterilization facilities and other related professional fees.
- (k) Represents non-cash accretion of asset retirement obligations related to Co-60 and gamma processing facilities, which are based on estimated site remediation costs for any future decommissioning of these facilities (without regard for whether the decommissioning services would be performed by employees of Nordion, instead of by a third party) and are accreted over the life of the asset.
- (l) Represents non-recurring costs associated with the COVID-19 pandemic, including donations to related charitable causes, special bonuses for front-line personnel working on-site during lockdown periods, and incremental costs to implement workplace health and safety measures.
- (m) Represents the tax benefit or provision associated with the reconciling items between net loss and Adjusted Net Income. To determine the aggregate tax effect of the reconciling items, we utilized statutory income tax rates ranging from 0% to 35%, depending upon the applicable jurisdictions of each adjustment.
- (n) Includes depreciation of Co-60 held at gamma irradiation sites.
- (o) Represents the difference between income tax expense or benefit as determined under U.S. GAAP and the income tax benefit associated with pre-tax adjustments described in footnote (m).
- (p) \$83.8 million, \$86.7 million, \$82.6 million, \$82.3 million, and \$84.5 million of the adjustments for the twelve months ended December 31, 2018, December 31, 2019, December 31, 2020, March 31, 2021 and June 30, 2021, respectively, are included in cost of revenues, primarily consisting of amortization of intangibles, depreciation, and accretion of asset retirement obligations.



Non-GAAP Financial Measures(1)

| ınaudited) | | ree Months | d June 30, | Six Months Ended June 30, | | | | |
|---|----|------------|------------|---------------------------|------|----------|------|----------|
| (\$'s in thousands, except per share amounts) | | 2021 | | 2020 | 2021 | | 2020 | |
| Net income | \$ | 42,615 | \$ | 7,252 | \$ | 53,680 | \$ | 5,266 |
| Amortization of intangibles | | 21,778 | | 19,711 | | 44,060 | | 39,624 |
| Share-based compensation ^(a) | | 3,493 | | 1,393 | | 6,942 | | 3,118 |
| (Gain) loss on foreign currency and embedded derivatives ^(b) | | (660) | | (3,023) | | (996) | | 1,244 |
| Acquisition and divestiture related charges, net(c) | | 844 | | 1,295 | | 659 | | 2,289 |
| Business optimization project expenses ^(d) | | 275 | | 750 | | 536 | | 1,799 |
| Plant closure expenses ^(e) | | 756 | | 451 | | 1,298 | | 1,222 |
| Loss on extinguishment of debt(f) | | _ | | _ | | 14,312 | | _ |
| Professional services relating to EO sterilization facilities(g) | | 10,644 | | 9,494 | | 24,043 | | 13,640 |
| Accretion of asset retirement obligation ^(h) | | 602 | | 492 | | 1,153 | | 982 |
| COVID-19 expenses ⁽ⁱ⁾ | | 188 | | 2,271 | | 487 | | 2,347 |
| Income tax benefit associated with pre-tax adjustments(j) | | (8,863) | | (8,653) | | (22,996) | | (16,360) |
| Adjusted Net Income | | 71,672 | | 31,433 | | 123,178 | | 55,171 |
| Interest expense, net | | 19,163 | | 55,250 | | 40,445 | | 111,812 |
| Depreciation ^(k) | | 15,683 | | 15,323 | | 31,062 | | 31,433 |
| Income tax provision applicable to Adjusted Net Income ^(l) | | 28,045 | | 12,423 | | 45,195 | | 7,896 |
| Adjusted EBITDA ^(m) | \$ | 134,563 | \$ | 114,429 | \$ | 239,880 | \$ | 206,312 |
| Net Revenues | \$ | 251,917 | \$ | 212.005 | \$ | 464,065 | \$ | 401,285 |
| | Þ | , | Þ | 213,085 | Þ | , | Þ | · · |
| Adjusted EBITDA Margin | | 53.4 % | | 53.7 % | | 51.7 % | | 51.4 % |
| Weighted average number of shares outstanding: Basic | | 270.079 | | 222 400 | | 279.052 | | 232,400 |
| Diluted | | 279,078 | | 232,400 | | 278,953 | | |
| Earnings per share: | | 279,214 | | 232,400 | | 279,078 | | 232,400 |
| Basic | Φ | 0.15 | ¢. | 0.02 | ø | 0.10 | ¢. | 0.02 |
| Diluted | \$ | 0.15 | \$ | 0.03 | \$ | 0.19 | \$ | 0.02 |
| | | 0.15 | | 0.03 | | 0.19 | | 0.02 |
| Adjusted earnings per share: | Φ | 0.26 | ¢. | 0.14 | ф | 0.44 | Ф | 0.24 |
| Basic | \$ | 0.26 | \$ | 0.14 | \$ | 0.44 | \$ | 0.24 |
| Diluted | | 0.26 | | 0.14 | | 0.44 | | 0.24 |

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Non-GAAP Financial Measures

- (a) Represents non-cash share-based compensation expense.
- (b) Represents the effects of (i) fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates, primarily related to remeasurement of intercompany loans denominated in currencies other than subsidiaries' functional currencies, and (ii) non-cash mark-to-fair value of embedded derivatives relating to certain customer and supply contracts at Nordion.
- (c) Represents (i) certain direct and incremental costs related to the acquisitions of the noncontrolling interests in our China subsidiaries and BioScience Laboratories in 2021, Iotron Industries in July 2020 and Nelson Labs Fairfield in 2018 (including the first quarter 2021 gain on the mandatorily redeemable noncontrolling interest), and certain related integration efforts as a result of those acquisitions, (ii) the earnings impact of fair value adjustments (excluding those recognized within amortization expense) resulting from the businesses acquired, and (iii) transition services income and non-cash deferred lease income associated with the terms of the divestiture of the Medical Isotopes business in 2018.
- (d) Represents professional fees, contract termination and exit costs, severance and other payroll costs, and other costs associated with business optimization and cost savings projects relating to the integration of recent acquisitions, the Sotera Health rebranding, operating structure realignment and other process enhancement projects.
- (e) Represents professional fees, severance and other payroll costs, and other costs including ongoing lease and utility expenses associated with the closure of the Willowbrook, Illinois facility.
- (f) Represents expenses incurred in connection with the repricing of our Term Loan in January 2021 including accelerated amortization of prior debt issuance and discount costs.
- (g) Represents professional fees related to litigation associated with our EO sterilization facilities and other related professional fees.
- (h) Represents non-cash accretion of asset retirement obligations related to Co-60 and gamma processing facilities, which are based on estimated site remediation costs for any future decommissioning of these facilities (without regard for whether the decommissioning services would be performed by employees of Nordion, instead of by a third party) and are accreted over the life of the asset.
- (i) Represents non-recurring costs associated with the COVID-19 pandemic, including incremental costs to implement workplace health and safety measures. For the three and six months ended June 30, 2020, costs also included donations to related charitable causes, and special bonuses for front-line personnel working on-site during lockdown periods.
- (j) Represents the tax benefit or provision associated with the reconciling items between net income (loss) and Adjusted Net Income. To determine the aggregate tax effect of the reconciling items, we utilized statutory income tax rates ranging from 0% to 35%, depending upon the applicable jurisdictions of each adjustment.
- (k) Includes depreciation of Co-60 held at gamma irradiation sites.
- (l) Represents the difference between income tax expense or benefit as determined under U.S. GAAP and the income tax benefit associated with pre-tax adjustments described in footnote (j).
- (m) \$21.8 million and \$19.7 million of the adjustments for the three months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively, and \$42.5 million and \$40.7 million of the adjustments for the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively, are included in cost of revenues, primarily consisting of amortization of intangibles, depreciation, and accretion of asset retirement obligations.



Non-GAAP Financial Measures

| (unaudited) | | As of December 31, | | | of March 31, | As of June 30, | | |
|---|----|--------------------|-------------|----|--------------|----------------|-----------|--|
| (\$'s in thousands) | | 2019 | 2020 | | 2021 | 2021 | | |
| Current portion of long-term debt | \$ | 16,331 | \$ - | \$ | - | \$ | - | |
| Long-term debt less current portion | | 2,800,873 | 1,824,789 | | 1,837,580 | | 1,838,133 | |
| Current portion of finance leases | | 1,288 | 1,173 | | 1,108 | | 1,103 | |
| Finance leases less current portion | | 29,883 | 34,939 | | 33,432 | | 33,446 | |
| Total Debt | | 2,848,375 | \$1,860,901 | \$ | 1,872,120 | \$ | 1,872,682 | |
| Add: unamortized debt issuance costs and debt discounts | | 73,677 | 38,761 | | 26,579 | | 25,417 | |
| Less: cash and cash equivalents | | (63,025) | (102,454) | | (108,016) | | (156,224) | |
| Total Net Debt | \$ | 2,859,027 | \$1,797,208 | \$ | 1,790,683 | \$ | 1,741,875 | |
| Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾ | \$ | 379,932 | \$ 419,859 | \$ | 433,294 | \$ | 453,431 | |
| Net Leverage | | 7.5x | 4.3x | | 4.1x | | 3.8x | |

⁽¹⁾ For a reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP results, please refer to Non-GAAP Financial Measures provided in the Appendix.

