# Amer Sports Second Quarter 2024

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# Strong Second Quarter 2024

- Very strong quarter beat on all metrics. Q2 revenue, adjusted operating margin, and adjusted diluted EPS above guidance
- Q2 revenues increased 16% to \$1.0 billion led by Technical Apparel segment and flagship Arc'teryx brand (+18% ex-Fx)
- Nearly 3% adj. operating margin well above expectations
- Strong gross margin expansion reflecting mix shift toward highestmargin brands, channels, and regions
- Our global end markets are healthy and growing, and we are taking market share

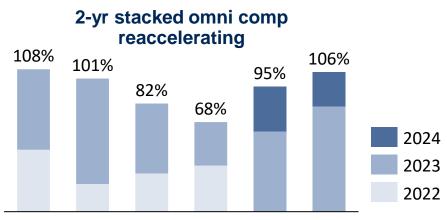


# Confident in Our Future

- Unique portfolio of premium sports & outdoor brands. High consumer engagement, conversion, and satisfaction but still small size.
- Arc'teryx a breakout brand with unprecedented growth and profitability for the outdoor industry, disruptive DTC model, and very strong competitive position.
- Salomon, Wilson, other brands are healthy, with leading share in heritage equipment businesses, but still have small Soft goods franchises with large growth ahead, especially Salomon footwear.
- Although other consumer companies face challenges in China, Amer delivered best-in-class performance (sales +54% in Q2), well outperforming peers. Premium sports & outdoor market is a white space category in China, with strong demand across young, female, and luxury consumers.



## Technical Apparel Q2 Highlights



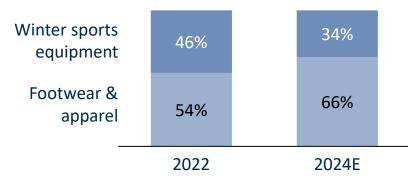
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# **Outdoor Performance** Q2 Highlights

### Softgoods growing faster than hardgoods









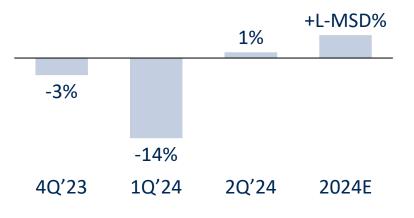


Le Marais footwear-only concept store



## Ball & Racquet Q2 Highlights

#### **Returned to Growth in Q2**











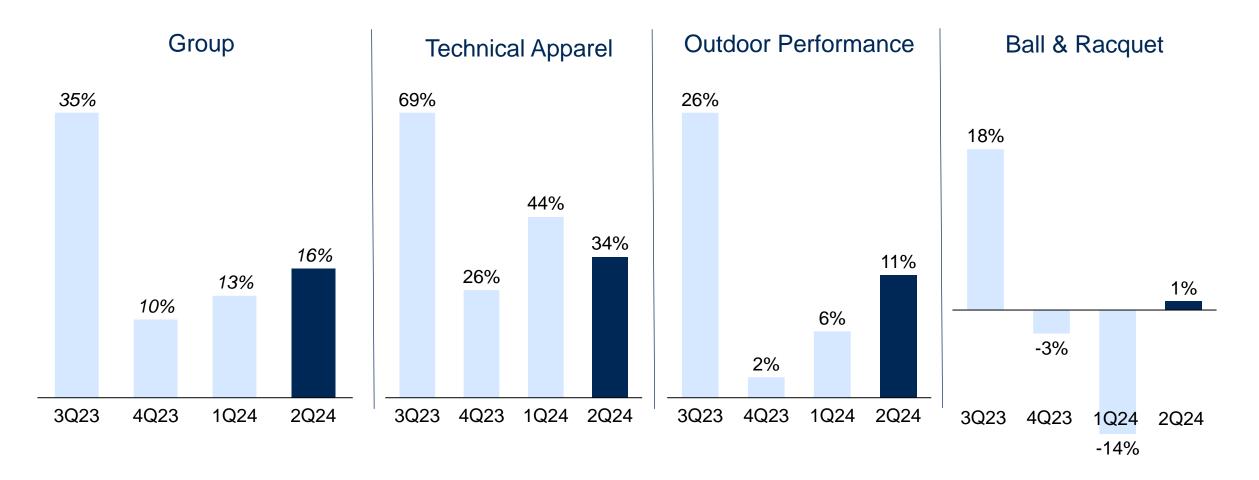




Wilson Intrigue: first women'sonly performance tennis shoe

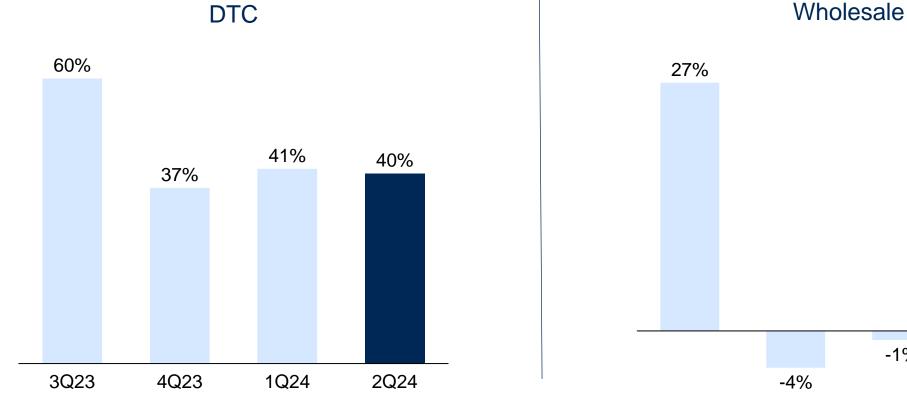
# Financial Review

# Last four Quarters Revenue Trends by Segment





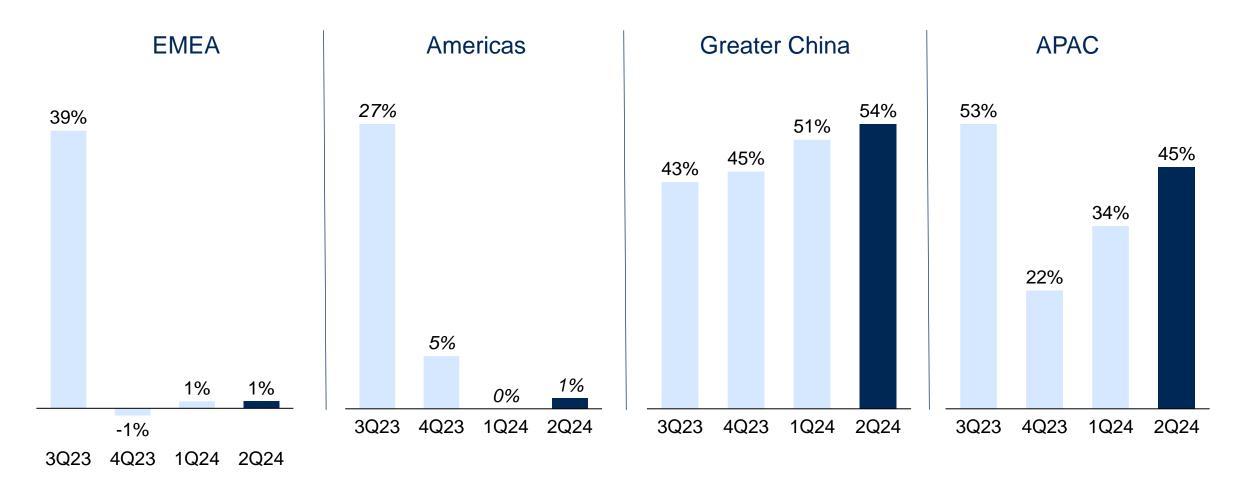
## Last four Quarters Revenue Trends by Channel



2% -1% 3Q23 4Q23 1Q24 2Q24

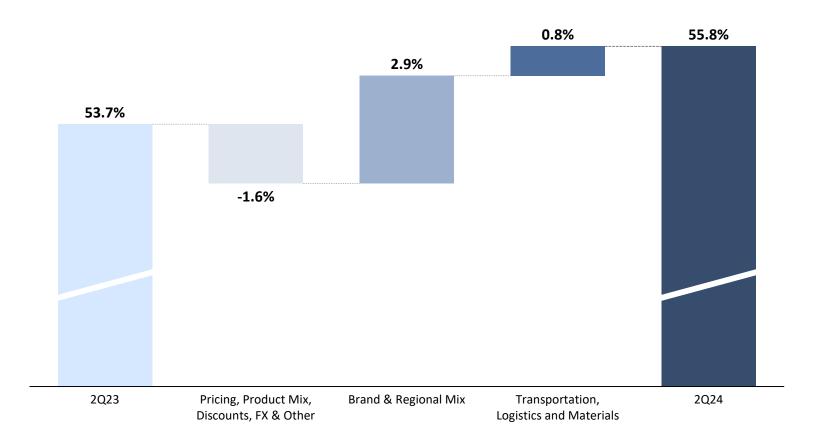


# Last four Quarters Revenue Trends by Region



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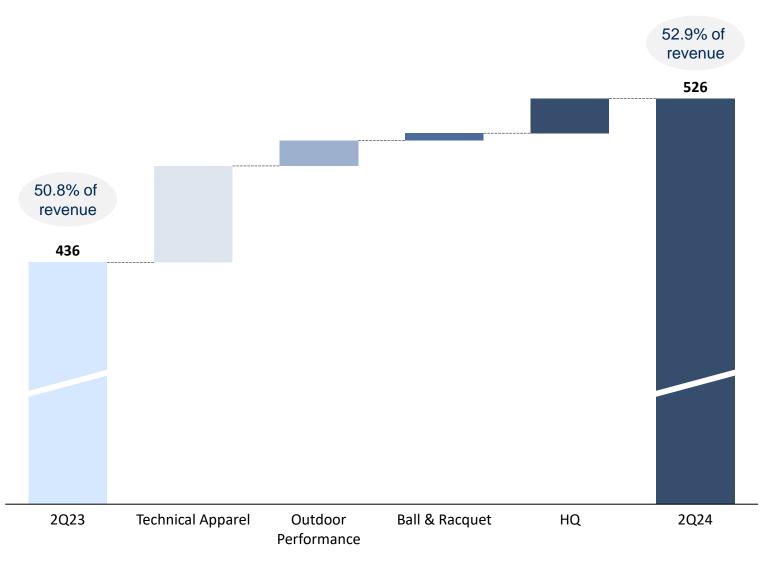
# Adjusted Gross Profit Margin bridge



- Another quarter of strong gross margin expansion (+210bps)
- GM expansion primarily driven by positive brand and regional mix. Lower logistics costs helped.
- Inventory reserves, unfavorable Fx, and other items partially offset these gains



# Adjusted SG&A Bridge



- Adj. SG&A expenses as a percentage of revenues increased 210 bps as expected
- The higher SG&A rate driven by deleveraging at Ball & Racquet
- Both Technical Apparel and Outdoor Performance achieved SG&A leverage
- HQ SG&A increase driven by increased headcount and share-based compensation



## Adjusted P&L

	Q2'23	Q2'24	Previous Q2'24 Guidance
Total Sales (M\$)	857	994	L
Growth%	24%	16%	~10%
Adj. Gross Profit	461	555	5
Adj. Gross Margin%	53.8%	55.8 %	~54.0%
Adj. SG&A	436	526	5
Adj. SG&A%	50.8 %	52.9 %	2
Other operating (loss)/income	(4)	C	)
Adj. Operating Profit	21	29	
Adj. OP Margin%	2.4 %	2.9 %	~0.0%
Adj. Net finance cost	99	45	5 \$45-\$50 million
Adj. Pretax loss	(78)	(16)	)
Adj. Income tax expense/(benefit)	8	(42)	)
Effective tax rate	(10%)	270%	~38%
Adj Net Income	(86)	27	7
Minority interest	0	2	2
Adj NI to Amer Shareholders	(86)	25	5
Adj. Diluted EPS	(0.22)	0.05	5 \$(0.04) to \$(0.08)
Share count	384	508	3 510

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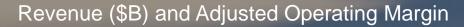
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## **Technical Apparel**



- Technical Apparel revenues increased 34% to \$407 million led by Arc'teryx.
- Growth fueled by 39% DTC expansion, and 26% omnicomp vs. difficult 80% omni-comp last year.
- Regional growth was led by Asia Pacific, followed by Greater China, and the Americas.
- Broad- based strength across categories, including key opportunities in footwear and women's.
- 17 net new Arc'teryx brand store openings in 1H, well positioned store footprint for 2H fall and winter season.
- Segment adjusted operating profit margin expanded 110 basis points to 14.2% driven primarily by gross margin expansion from channel/region shift.





15 Wednesday, June 12, 2024

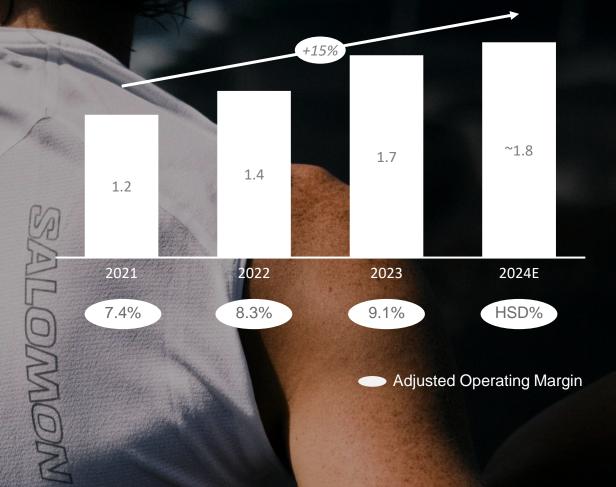
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# **Outdoor Performance**

- Revenue increased 11% to \$304 million driven by strong double-digit sales growth in Salomon footwear & apparel and DTC, partially offset by decline in Winter Sports Equipment.
- DTC grew 55%, while wholesale declined 5%, negatively impacted by slower orders in the North America sporting goods and winter sports equipment channels.
- Regionally, sales growth was led by Greater China, APAC, and EMEA, offset by a decline in the Americas, which has been affected by softer pre-orders, as retailers increasingly rely on replenishment.
- Segment adjusted operating margin rose 380 bps to -2.1% driven by a gross margin gains, and SG&A leverage.

## SALOMON

Revenue (\$B) and Adjusted Operating Margin



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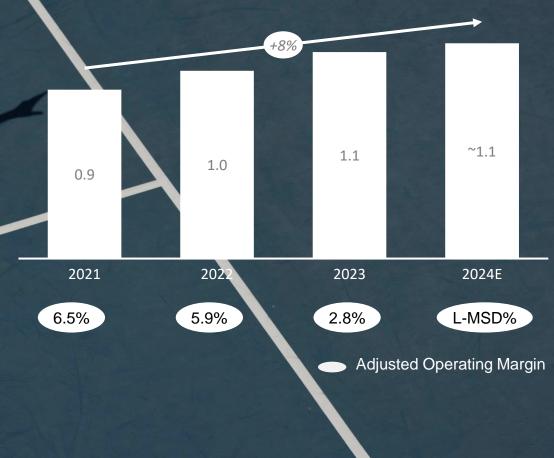
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## Ball & Racquet

- Revenue returned to positive growth, increasing 1% to \$283 million driven by normalizing wholesale replenishment trends as market inventory levels return to healthy levels.
- Growth was driven by Sportswear, Racquet Sports, and Golf, partly offset by declines Baseball and Inflatables
- Segment adjusted operating margin contracted 160 basis points to 1.1% primarily due to deleverage on higher SG&A spend on slight sales growth.
- Higher SG&A spend relative to sales was driven by investments in Softgoods, DTC, of the timing of A&P.
- Several new product launches/initiatives in 2H (Roger Federer, Caitlin Clark, Intrigue tennis shoe, strong soft goods growth, China acceleration).



## Revenue (\$B) and Adjusted Operating Margin



Note: Adjusted operating margin is a non-IFRS financial measure. See appendix for a reconciliation to the most directly comparable IFRS measure

## Balance sheet transformation underway

	6/31/2024 (\$M)
EUR term loan	750
USD term loan	499
Secured notes	800
ST bank financing	27
Revolver	0
Total debt	2,076
Cash	256
Net Debt	1,820
2024E adjusted non-IFRS EBITDA	692
Leverage ratio	2.6x

- Net debt in 2Q was 1.8 billion, and cash and equivalents totaled \$256 million
- Deleveraging our balance sheet is a priority

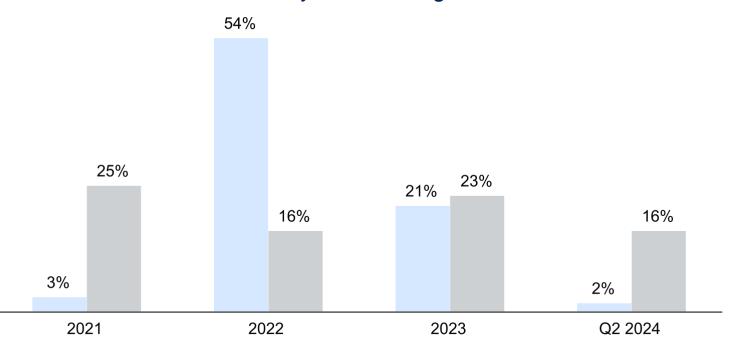


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Note 1: Net debt is defined as loans from financial institutions less cash and cash equivalents Note 2: Adjusted non-IFRS EBITDA is calculated by using the midpoint of our 2024 implied revenue and operating profit guidance

## Inventory

Yearly and quarterly revenue and inventory change (in %)



Inventory and Sales growth

Inventory growth YoY Sales growth YoY  Inventories rose 2% yearover-year, below 16% revenue growth, finishing 2Q24 in healthy position



# Guidance

## **Outlook: Full Year 2024**

### All guidance figures reference adjusted amounts

- Reported revenue growth: 15 17%
- Gross margin: approximately 54.5%
- Operating margin: toward high-end of 10.5 11.0%
- D&A: approx. \$250 million (including approx. \$110 million of ROU depreciation)
- Net finance cost: \$200 \$220 million, including approximately \$15 million of finance costs in the first quarter 2024 that won't be recurring
- Effective tax rate: approx. 38%
- Fully diluted share count: 500 million
- Fully diluted EPS: \$0.40 0.44
- Technical Apparel: greater than 30% revenue growth; segment operating margin slightly above 20%
- Outdoor Performance: mid-to-high-single-digit revenue growth; segment operating margin high-single digit %
- Ball & Racquet: low-to-mid single-digit revenue growth, and segment operating margin low-to-mid single-digit

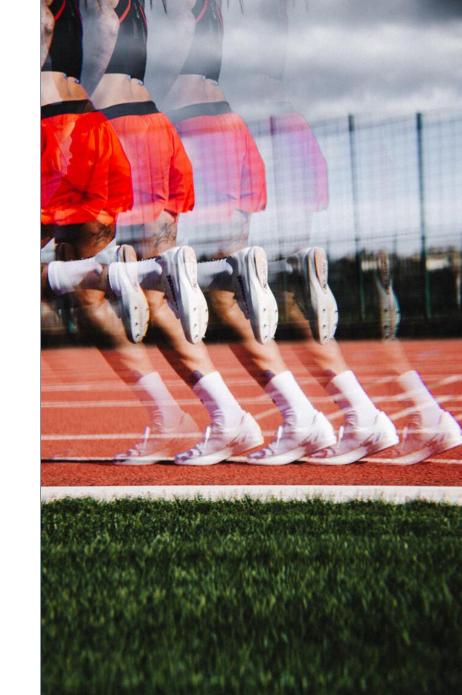


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# **Outlook: Third Quarter 2024**

### All guidance figures reference adjusted amounts

- Reported revenue growth: 12 13%
- Gross margin: approximately 54.0%
- Operating margin: 11.0 12.0%
- Net finance cost: \$45 50 million
- Effective tax rate: between 50 55%
- Fully diluted share count: 510 million
- Fully diluted EPS: \$0.08 to \$0.10



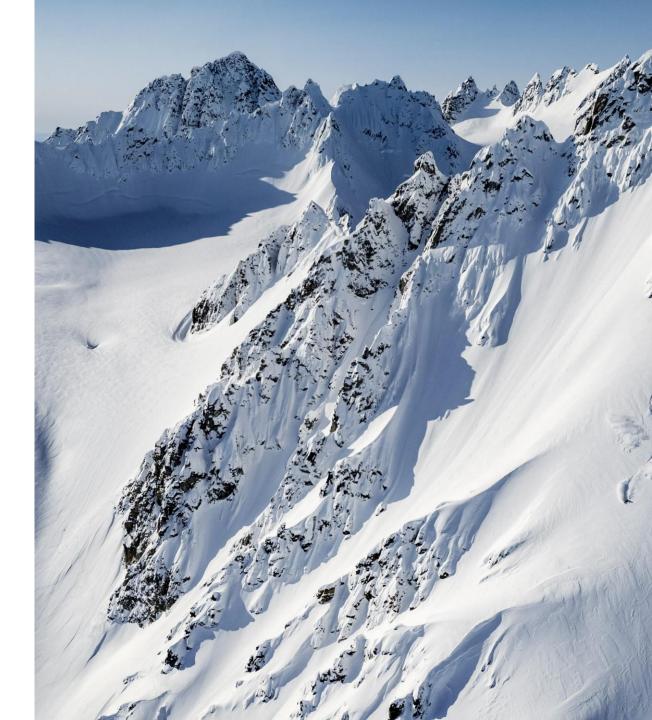






# Appendix

- 1. Adjusted gross profit reconciliation
- 2. Adjusted SG&A reconciliation
- 3. Adjusted operating profit reconciliation
- 4. EBITDA, adjusted EBITDA and adjusted EBITDA margin reconciliation



## ADJUSTED GROSS PROFIT RECONCILIATION

For the Three and Six Months Ended June 30, 2024 and 2023 (Unaudited; \$ in millions)

	Three months ended June 30,					Six months ended June 30,			
(\$ in millions)	2024		2023		2024		2023		
Gross Profit	\$ 551	\$	457	\$	1,190	\$	1,012		
PPA	4		4		7		7		
Adjusted Gross Profit	\$ 555	\$	461	\$	1,197	\$	1,019		

## **ADJUSTED SG&A RECONCILIATION (1)**

For the Three and Six Months Ended June 30, 2024 and 2023

(Unaudited; \$ in millions)

		nths ∋ 30,	Six months ended June 30,					
(\$ in millions)		2024		2023		2024		2023
Selling, general and administrative expenses	\$	(560)	\$	(445)	\$	(1,094)	\$	(868)
Restructuring expenses		9		_		10		_
PPA		7		7		14		14
Expenses related to transaction activities		12		3		18		3
Share-based payments		6		_		9		_
Adjusted SG&A expenses	\$	(526)	\$	(436)	\$	(1,043)	\$	(851)

(1) The presented figures and percentages are subject to rounding adjustments, which may cause discrepancies between the sum of the individual figures and the presented aggregated column and row totals.



## **ADJUSTED OPERATING PROFIT RECONCILIATION (1)**

For the Three and Six Months Ended June 30, 2024 and 2023 (Unaudited; \$ in millions)

		Six months ended June 30,					
(\$ in millions)		2024	2023		2024		2023
Loss before tax	\$	(54)	\$ (92)	\$	(39)	\$	(46
PPA		11	11		21		21
Restructuring expenses		9	_		10		_
Expenses related to transaction activities (2)		12	3		18		3
Share-based payments		6	_		9		_
Finance costs		48	101		130		187
Loss on debt extinguishment		_	_		14		_
Finance income		(3)	(2)		(5)		(3
Adjusted operating profit	\$	29	\$ 21	\$	159	\$	162

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## EBITDA, ADJUSTED EBITDA, AND ADJUSTED EBITDA MARGIN RECONCILIATION<sup>(1)</sup>

For the Three and Six Months Ended June 30, 2024 and 2023 (Unaudited; \$ in millions)

	Three months ended June 30,					Six months ended June 30,			
(\$ in millions)		2024		2023		2024		2023	
Revenue	\$	994	\$	857	\$	2,177	\$	1,907	
Net (loss)/income attributable to equity holders	\$	(4)	\$	(97)	\$	1	\$	(78)	
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests		2		_		4		—	
Income tax (benefit)/expense		(52)		5		(44)		32	
Finance cost (2)		48		101		130		187	
Loss on debt extinguishment		_		_		14		_	
Depreciation and amortization (3)		63		52		125		104	
Finance income		(3)		(2)		(5)		(3)	
EBITDA		54		60		226		242	
Restructuring expenses		9				10			
Expenses related to transaction activities		12		3		18		3	
Share-based payments		6		_		9		_	
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	81	\$	63	\$	263	\$	245	
Net (loss)/income margin		(0.4)%	)	(11.3)%		0.1 %		(4.1)%	
Adjusted EBITDA Margin		8.2 %	•	7.3 %		12.1 %		12.9 %	

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(2) Total interest expense on lease liabilities under IFRS 16, Leases was \$4.9 million and \$2.0 million for the three months ended June 30, 2024, and 2023, and \$9.2 million and \$4.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 2024, and 2023, respectively.

(3) Depreciation and amortization includes amortization expense for right-of-use assets capitalized under IFRS 16, Leases of \$29.2 million and \$19.3 million for the three months ended June 30, 2024, and 2023, and \$55.7 million and \$38.1 million for the six months ended June 30, 2024, and 2023, respectively.

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Adjusted gross profit margin, adjusted SG&A expenses, adjusted operating profit margin, adjusted EBITDA, adjusted net (loss) income, and adjusted diluted (loss) income per share are financial measures that are not defined under IFRS. Adjusted gross profit margin is calculated as adjusted gross profit divided by revenue. Adjusted gross profit is calculated as gross profit excluding amortization related to certain purchase price adjustments (PPA) in connection with the acquisition and delisting of Amer Sports in 2019 and restructuring expenses. Adjusted SG&A also excludes PPA amortization, as well as adjustments to exclude restructuring expenses, expenses related to transaction activities, expenses related to certain legal proceedings, and certain share-based payments. Adjusted operating profit margin is calculated as adjusted operating profit divided by revenue. Adjusted operating profit is calculated as loss before tax with adjustments to exclude PPA amortization, restructuring expenses, impairment losses on goodwill and intangible assets, expenses related to transaction activities, expenses related to certain legal proceedings, certain share-based payments, finance costs, and finance income. Adjusted EBITDA is calculated as EBITDA with adjustments to exclude restructuring expenses, impairment losses on goodwill and intangible assets, expenses related to transaction activities, expenses related to certain legal proceedings and share-based payments. Adjusted net (loss) income is calculated as net (loss) income with adjustments to exclude PPA amortization, loss from discontinued operations, restructuring expenses, impairment losses on goodwill and intangible assets, expenses related to transaction activities, expenses related to certain legal proceedings and share-based payments. Adjusted net (loss) income is calculated as net (loss) income with adjustments to exclude PPA amortization, loss from discontinued operations, restructuring expenses, impairment losses on goodwill and intangible assets, expenses related

The Company believes that these non IFRS measures, when taken together with its financial results presented in accordance with IFRS, provide meaningful supplemental information regarding its operating performance and facilitate internal comparisons of its historical operating performance on a more consistent basis by excluding certain items that may not be indicative of our business, results of operations or outlook. In particular, adjusted EBITDA and adjusted net income (loss) are helpful to investors as they are measures used by management in assessing the health of the business and evaluating operating performance, as well as for internal planning and forecasting purposes. Non-IFRS financial measures however are subject to inherent limitations, may not be comparable to similarly titled measures used by other companies and should not be considered in isolation or as an alternative to IFRS measures. The supplemental tables in the annex provide reconciliations of each non-IFRS financial measure presented to its most directly comparable IFRS financial measure.

