

## Earnings Call Presentation Third Quarter 2024

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### Q3 '24 Summary

- Revenue declined year over year due to lower demand in general industrial and in e-mobility markets, but sequential performance was more stable
  - Total revenue decreased 23% YoY mostly due to lower sales in cutting applications in North America and Europe and lower welding sales in China
  - Emerging growth products sales, which accounted for 45% of total revenue, declined sequentially due to lower e-mobility sales and lumpiness in medical revenue
- Gross margin of 23.2% decreased due to higher inventory provisions and underabsorption of manufacturing costs, partially offset by lower import duties and shipping costs. Adjusted gross margin<sup>1</sup> was 36.0%.
  - Inventory provision of \$30 million reduced gross margin by 12.8%, and reduced diluted EPS by \$0.49.
- Loss per diluted share (EPS) was \$5.33 and adjusted EPS was \$0.29<sup>1</sup>
  - Reported EPS included loss on divestitures and asset impairment charges, which reduced EPS by \$5.16 and foreign exchange transaction loss, which reduced EPS by \$0.02.
- Made additional progress reducing inventory and managing operating expenses; continued to generate strong cash flow from operations and returned \$74M million to stockholders through share repurchases
- Acquired cleanLASER to increase penetration into high-growth industrial cleaning applications

<sup>(1)</sup> Refer to supplemental schedule of non-GAAP measures for reconciliation details.



## **Summary by Application**

- Welding was more stable sequentially, but YoY performance was still negatively impacted by lower sales to general industrial and e-mobility applications
- **Cutting** continued to decline due to softer industrial demand and OEM customers managing inventories in North America and Europe
- **Medical** remains uneven with weak sales in Q3, but is expected to grow in Q4
- **Cleaning**\* strengthened our position with acquisition of cleanLASER



Based on full year 2023 revenue by application \*included in Other



#### **Financial Review**

In millions except per share	Q3 '24	Q3 '23	Y/Y	Q2 '24	Q/Q
Revenue	\$233.1	\$301.4	(23)%	\$257.6	(10)%
Gross Margin	23.2%	44.1%		37.3%	
Operating (loss) Income	\$(253.3)	\$55.7	NM	\$12.0	NM
Operating Margin	(108.7)%	18.5%		4.7%	
Net (Loss) Income to IPG	\$(233.6)	\$55.0	NM	\$20.2	NM
Earnings (loss) per diluted share	\$(5.33)	\$1.16	NM	\$0.45	NM
Loss (gain) on FX per share	\$0.02	\$(0.01)		\$0.05	

NM - not meaningful.

- Lower sales, lower gross margin, inventory provision of \$30 million, loss on divestitures of \$198 million and asset impairment charges of \$27 million reduced operating income
- FX transaction loss decreased operating income by \$1 million

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Operating expenses, excluding FX loss, loss on sale of assets and impairment charges, increased compared to the prior year but were flat sequentially



#### **Revenue by Geography**



- Sales declined in North America due to lower revenue in cutting and medical applications, partially offset by growth in welding and marking and engraving applications
- European sales declined primarily due to soft demand in cutting applications as the business remained challenged with a decline in industrial demand due to macroeconomic headwinds
- Revenue declined in China YoY due to lower sales in cutting and welding applications as a result of weakness in general industrial demand and delayed investments EV battery capacity
- · Revenue in Japan decreased slightly YoY, but was up sequentially



#### **Balance Sheet and Cash Flow Summary**

In millions	Q3 '24	
Cash and Short-term Investments	\$1,019	
Inventories	\$321	
Total Debt	\$—	
Net (Loss) Income to IPG	\$(234)	
Cash from Operations	\$66	
Depreciation and Amortization	\$15	
Capital Expenditures	\$23	
Stock Repurchases	\$74	
Days Sales Outstanding	65	

- Strong balance sheet with over \$1 billion in cash and short-term investments
- Continued to focus on inventory control
- Capital Allocation
  - Investing in business to drive future growth
  - Signed an agreement to acquire cleanLASER
  - Opportunistically execute share repurchases
    - Repurchased \$74M in Q3

#### **Balance Sheet and Cash Flow Generation**



• Continued to generate strong cash flow and are maintaining exceptional balance sheet with no debt Free cash flow is defined as cash flow from operations less capital expenditures



#### **Financial Guidance**

Q4 '24 Outlook	
Revenue	\$210M - \$240M
Gross Margin	35% - 38%
Operating Expenses	\$78M - \$80M
EPS	\$0.05 - \$0.35
Tax Rate	~25%
Diluted common shares	~44M

- Q3 book-to-bill was 1
- This guidance excludes Russian operations which were sold in Q3







#### Appendix: Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

#### Use of Non-GAAP Adjusted Financial Information

The following information provides the definition of adjusted gross profit, adjusted gross margin, adjusted net income and adjusted earnings per share (EPS) as presented by the Company, which are financial measures that are not calculated or presented in accordance with GAAP, and reconciliation to the most directly comparable financial measures calculated and presented in accordance with GAAP. The Company has provided adjusted gross profit, adjusted gross margin, adjusted net income and adjusted EPS as supplemental information and in addition to the financial measures presented by the Company that are calculated and presented in accordance with GAAP. Such non-GAAP financial measures should not be considered superior to, as a substitute for or alternative to, and should be considered in conjunction with, the GAAP financial measure presented by the Company.

Management believes that these non-GAAP financial measures provide additional means of evaluating period-over-period operating performance. Specifically, these non-GAAP financial measures provide management with additional means to understand and evaluate the operating results and trends in our ongoing business by eliminating certain non-cash expenses and other items that management believes might otherwise make comparisons of our ongoing business with prior periods more difficult, obscure trends in ongoing operations, or reduce management's ability to make useful forecasts.

In addition, management understands that some investors and financial analysts find this information helpful in analyzing our financial and operational performance and comparing this performance to our peers and competitors. However, these non-GAAP financial measures have limitations as an analytical tool and are not intended to be an alternative to financial measures prepared in accordance with GAAP. In addition, it should be noted that these non-GAAP financial measures may be different from non-GAAP measures used by other companies. Management may, however, utilize other measures to illustrate performance in the future. Investors are encouraged to review the reconciliation of these non-GAAP measures to their most directly comparable GAAP financial measures. A reconciliation of our non-GAAP financial measures to their most directly comparable GAAP measures has been provided below. These non-GAAP measures exclude (a) a one-time adjustment to our inventory provision related to a change in estimate of recoverability due to the current demand environment and (b) one-time adjustments relating to the disposition of our Russian operations, impairment of long-lived assets, loss on foreign currency exchange and tax impacts in the third quarter of 2024.



#### Appendix: Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

(In thousands, except percentages)	Q3 2024	
Gross profit	\$54,089	23.2%
Add: Inventory provision	29,884	
Adjusted gross profit	\$83,973	36.0%

We define adjusted gross profit as gross profit as reported, adjusted for non-recurring, infrequent, or unusual changes, including a one-time inventory provision related to a change in estimate of recoverability due to the current demand environment.

We define adjusted gross margin as adjusted gross profit divided by total revenue.



#### Appendix: Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

	Q3 2024			
(In thousands, except per share data)	Before Tax	Tax Impact	After Tax	Per Diluted Share
Net (loss) income attributable to IPG Photonics Corporation and diluted EPS			\$(233,594)	\$(5.33)
Adjustments to reconcile to adjusted net income:				
Inventory provision	\$29,884	\$(8,407)	21,477	0.49
Long-lived asset impairment	26,566	—	26,566	0.61
Loss on divestitures	197,651	1,824	199,475	4.55
Loss on foreign exchange	1,148	(190)	958	0.02
Discrete tax impacts		(1,981)	(1,981)	(0.05)
Total adjustments	\$255,249	\$(8,754)	\$246,495	\$5.62
Adjusted net income and adjusted EPS			\$12,901	\$0.29

We define adjusted net income as net income as reported, adjusted for non-recurring, infrequent, or unusual changes, including one-time charges incurred in connection with the disposition of our Russian operations, impairment of long-lived assets, loss on foreign currency exchange, tax impacts and a one-time adjustment to inventory provision related to a change in estimate of recoverability due to the current demand environment, and other adjustments that the Company believes appropriate.

We define adjusted EPS as adjusted net income divided by the weighted-average diluted shares outstanding.



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