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# Leading the Foodservice Industry with Excellence

Dave Flitman | Chief Executive Officer



### **Key Messages**

**Transforming US Foods** with seasoned leadership focused on customer-centric solutions, operational excellence, and strong execution

Leading in a highly fragmented and resilient

**2 industry** with national scale, targeted customer growth, and digital innovation

Driving balanced, profitable growth through

3 our four-pillar strategy to further expand our market position

Leveraging game changing digital investments and utilizing modernized platforms to provide

4 and utilizing modernized platforms to provide industry-leading solutions

**Executing to achieve long-term financial targets**and deliver shareholder value creation with long runway ahead





### **US Foods Sizzle Reel**





### US Foods at a Glance (NYSE: USFD)







(1) As of 01/31/2025. (2) Revenue as of FY 2024.

### Over the Last Two Years, We Have Been Executing a Transformation Focused on Accelerating Excellence

#### 2023

#### **Bolstered Management Team**

- Appointed Dave Flitman as CEO effective Jan 2023
- Reorganized Executive Leadership Team and flattened the organization to drive faster decision making and ownership
- ✓ Aligned sales with operations

### Unveiled Simplified Four-pillar Strategy

 ✓ Focused on culture, service, growth, and profit

#### 2024

#### **Building on Clear Competitive Advantages**

- Leveraging team-based selling approach led by specialized teams
- ✓ Accelerating industry-leading digital technologies (e.g., MOXē<sup>®</sup> and VITALS<sup>®</sup>)
- ✓ Differentiating offerings through innovation (e.g., Scoop<sup>™</sup>)
- ✓ Driving excellence across sales, operations, and digital

#### **Delivering Consistent Execution**

- ✓ Focusing on profitability and margin expansion
- ✓ Accelerating market position in fastest growing target customer types

#### **Supporting Growth with Disciplined Capital Deployment**

- ✓ Investing in the business to drive organic growth
- Maintaining net leverage within target range of 2.0x to 3.0x
- Pursuing accretive tuck-in M&A opportunistically completed four acquisitions since 2023

#### Driving Improved Results through Strategic, Operational, and Financial Discipline



### **Capturing Upside from Favorable Consumer Trend**

**Consumer Spending on Food**<sup>(1)</sup> (% Total U.S. Spend by Type)



#### Growing Consumer Spend on Food Away from Home Presents Significant Opportunity

(1) Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture.



# Significant Market Opportunity in Large, Resilient, and Growing Industry



#### Leading Position in Fastest Growing End Markets with Significant Upside Opportunity

Source: Technomic, Jan 2025. (1) Includes Business and Industry. (2) Source: Company estimates.



### **Our Strategic and Targeted Customer Types**



#### Leveraging Competitive Advantages to Accelerate Profitable Growth with Target Customer Types



(1) Based on USFD 2024 financials.

### What Differentiates US Foods?

Only pure-play, U.S. focused foodservice distributor with national scale

- Proven strategy-driven operational playbook to advance Culture, Service, Growth and Profit strategy pillars
- Differentiated value proposition and scale with the three most profitable customer types in the industry: independent restaurants, healthcare and hospitality
- 3 Proven go-to-market strategy (sellers, product innovation, digital ecosystem)

- 6 Early innings of self-help initiatives to drive sustained profitable growth
  - Fastest P&L growth algorithm, accretive capital allocation to grow Adjusted EPS faster than Adjusted EBITDA and strong balance sheet



Accelerating Cash Flow generation resulting in more than \$4 billion to deploy over the 2025 to 2027 time horizon

Consistently Delivering Balanced Top-line Growth, Margin Expansion, and Double-digit Bottom-line Growth

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#### **US Foods MORE Campaign**





### **Our Customer Value Proposition – Creating a Recipe for Success**



- National leader and one-stop shop for breadth of quality products
- High-quality Exclusive Brands (Private Label) products to drive value and selection
- Industry-leading Scoop<sup>™</sup> platform to launch innovative, on-trend products
- Consistent, high-quality center of plate protein production



- Help customers succeed through team-based selling
  - Restaurant operations consultants
  - Chefs
  - Product/category specialists
- Data and technology support with menu planning and business tools
  - Segment, menu, and category insights



- Best-in-industry MOXē<sup>®</sup> platform enables efficient operations all from one app
- Proprietary technology leverages machine learning and artificial intelligence
- Provide operator insights and support via VITALS<sup>®</sup>



- Building best-in-class supply chain – what customers order, delivered on time
- Convenience and flexibility through Pronto
  - Smaller orders for smaller spaces
  - More frequent deliveries
- More days, more deliveries through flexible scheduling

#### Industry Leader in Providing the Right Tools, Resources, and Products On-time and In Full



### Industry-leading Exclusive Brands (Private Label) Aligned to Customer Needs

#### **BREADTH OF PRODUCTS**

Extensive portfolio that aligns with customer needs

- Full suite of 22 Exclusive Brands (Private Label) with ~9,500 unique products
- GOOD / BETTER / BEST positioning provides solution for all needs
- Specific brands designed to meet unique needs by category

#### **QUALITY PRODUCTS**

As good or better than the leading equivalent at a competitive price

- Align with rich heritage of product development from US Foods origins
- Rigorous product development and sourcing processes ensure high quality standards and consistency

#### **INCREASED VALUE**

Lower price for customers and higher profit for US Foods

- Total Exclusive Brands (Private Label) sales of \$12.3B in 2024
- ~34% of total core sales with higher penetration in targeted customer types
- Designed to deliver 2x the profit of manufacturer brands



Well-positioned to Meet Diverse Needs of Our Customers



### **MOX**ē<sup>®</sup> – **Best-in-class Digital Commerce Platform**



pp: percentage points. (1) Technomic survey 2023. Technomic's survey allowed top three options from customers.



## Significant Achievements Against our Strategy in 2024

	<b>CULTURE</b> Embrace the US Foods <sup>®</sup> culture	<b>SAFE</b> Improved safety performance by 19% across the organization	<b>SUPPORTIVE</b> Donated more than \$14.5 million to support hunger relief, culinary education and disaster relief efforts	<b>RESPONSIBLE</b> Completed delivery of nearly 50 electric vehicles
	SERVICE Deliver world-class service	<b>RELIABLE</b> Improved delivery window accuracy by 30% in pilot markets utilizing AI for MOXē customers	<b>EFFICIENT</b> Delivered our best cases per mile performance in Company history	<b>EASY-TO-USE</b> Drove record Independent e-commerce penetration of 77%, total company of 87%
	<b>GROWTH</b> Grow market share	<b>TARGET</b> Gained market share with Independent Restaurants for 15 consecutive quarters and 17 consecutive quarters with Healthcare	<b>DIFFERENTIATE</b> Grew Pronto to ~\$730 million in annualized run-rate sales	<b>BE FRESH</b> Surpassed \$1 billion in Serve Good <sup>®</sup> product sales for the first time
S	<b>PROFIT</b> Expand EBITDA margin	<b>MARGIN</b> Achieved record Adjusted EBITDA of \$1.74 billion and expanded margin 22 bps	<b>PRODUCTIVITY</b> Drove ~\$120 million in annualized run- rate operating expense savings	OPTIMIZATION Generated more than \$70 million in COGS and \$30 million in indirect spend savings



### Accretive Tuck-in M&A Accelerates Our Strategy

Aligns with overall growth plan

Expands capabilities and footprint

Opportunistic

#### **POTENTIAL TARGETS**

#### **Investment Criteria**

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One or a few locations in a geography that increases density or adds capacity for growth



Externally viewed as well run company



Attractive customer mix with focus on Independent Restaurants





### Solid financial return and funded out of operating cash flow

# 100+

US Foodservice Businesses Totaling

~\$15B in Sales



### **Strong Track Record of Top- and Bottom-line Growth**



Adj. EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup> (\$M) ■ & Adj. Diluted EPS<sup>(1)</sup> ■



#### **Execution-focused Team Delivering Profitable Growth**

Note: (1) Reconciliations of non-GAAP measures are provided for historical results in the Appendix.



### **2025E to 2027E Financial Targets**



#### **Deployable Capital of \$4B+ from 2025E to 2027E**



# **Financial Excellence and** Long-term Outlook

Dirk Locascio | EVP & CFO



#### **Key Messages**

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#### Driving superior financial performance with

differentiated strategy, greater operational rigor, and improved execution

Growing market share, accelerating

**2** productivity, and expanding EBITDA margin to drive strong earnings growth

Increasing Cash Flow generation with

**3 disciplined capital deployment** to accelerate above market growth and profitability

Executing to achieve new long-term financial targets and deliver shareholder value creation with long runway ahead





# **Delivered Continued Sales and Earnings Growth**

	Q4 2024	B/(W) vs. Q4 2023	FY 2024	B/(W) vs. FY 2023
Total Case Volume		+3.5%		+4.2%
Independent Restaurant Case Volume		+3.2%		+4.4%
Healthcare Case Volume		+4.7%		+5.7%
Hospitality Case Volume		+2.4%		+2.1%
Net Sales (\$millions)	\$9,491	+6.2%	\$37,877	+6.4%
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(1)</sup> (\$millions)	\$441	+13.7%	\$1,741	+11.7%
Adjusted EBITDA Margin <sup>(1)</sup>	4.6%	+30 bps	4.6%	+22 bps
Adjusted Diluted EPS <sup>(1)</sup>	\$0.84	+31.3%	\$3.15	+19.8%



### Strong Execution Drove Continued Adjusted EBITDA Rate Improvement







### Achieved Our 2022 to 2024 Long-range Plan

Adj. EBITDA (\$M) & Adj. EBITDA Margin (%)<sup>(1)</sup>





#### **Drove Strong Profitable Growth and Significantly Increased Return on Invested Capital**



#### **Strong Cash Flow Generation Combined With Healthy Leverage Profile**

Operating Cash Flow (\$M)



Net Debt (\$M) and Net Leverage<sup>(1)</sup> (\$M)





### Balance of Volume Growth and Margin Expansion Drive Adj. EBITDA Growth (\$B)



#### Expect GP Growth to Outpace OpEx by 100 to 150bps

#### **Gross Profit**

- COGS improvement
- Next-generation pricing
- Stock Yards<sup>®</sup> growth
- Exclusive Brands (Private Label) mix

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- 3% to 5% productivity improvement annually to offset inflation
- Drive supply chain excellence in key focus areas: standardization, routing, and flexible scheduling
- Optimize indirect spend
- Streamline administrative processes

#### 20bps+ Adj. EBITDA Margin Expansion Annually



#### Adj. Diluted EPS Growth Driven by Continued Strong Adj. EBITDA Growth and Share Repurchases



#### **Key Drivers**

- Primarily driven by Adj. EBITDA growth through our key initiatives
- Expect to repurchase ~\$2 billion shares
- Pursue accretive tuck-in
  acquisitions within our investment
  criteria
- Interest and depreciation expected to be neutral over the period

#### **Return Capital to Shareholders through Share Repurchases and Pursue Tuck-in M&A**



### **Future Capital Deployment**



Deploying Capital Strategically to Enable Growth and Return Value to Shareholders



### **Fiscal Year 2025 Guidance and Modeling Assumptions**

Fiscal Year 2025	Guidance	Modeling Assumptions		
Net Sales Growth	4% to 6%	Total Case Growth	2% to 4%	
	4 /0 10 0 /0	Sales Inflation & Mix	~2%	
Adjusted EBITDA Growth <sup>(1)</sup>		Depreciation	\$410M to \$450M	
	8% to 12%	Interest Expense	\$310M to \$325M	
Adjusted Diluted EPS Growth <sup>(1)</sup>		Tax Rate	~26%	
	17% to 23%	Cash CapEx	\$375M to \$425M	

(1) Non-GAAP financial measures. Refer to the Disclaimer Page on slide 2 for information about forward-looking non-GAAP measures.



# **Building Blocks to 2025 Growth**

**Driving balanced, profitable growth** through our four-pillar strategy to further expand our market position

Harnessing focus on operational excellence and delivering continued strong execution

Enhancing value proposition for our customers through digital leadership, best-in-class service, and modernized platforms

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Leveraging robust cash flow and strong balance sheet to invest towards highest shareholder return

Executing to achieve new long-term financial targets and deliver shareholder value creation with long runway ahead



#### 2025E to 2027E Financial Targets





# Appendix

**Summary Non-GAAP Reconciliations** 



### **Quarterly Case Volume Trend vs. Prior Year**



(1) Independent restaurant case volume is for the Company's broadline business and excludes impact from CHEF'STORE, which is recorded as "All Other" case volume. Prior periods have been revised to conform with the current presentation.



# **Strong Operating Cash Flow Yields Financial Flexibility**

**Operating Cash Flow (\$M)** 



	2022	2023	2024
Operating Cash Flow (OCF)	\$765	\$1,140	\$1,174
Change in Net Working Capital <sup>(1)</sup>	\$43	\$117	\$18
OCF less change in NWC <sup>(1)</sup>	\$722	\$1,023	\$1,156





# **Debt Summary**

(\$ in millions)	Maturity	Interest Terms		Carrying Value as of December 28, 2024	
ABL Facility	December 7, 2027	Term SOFR + CSA	6.11%	\$223	-
<b>2019 Incremental Term Loan Facility</b> (net of \$0 and \$11 of unamortized deferred financing costs, respectively)	September 13, 2026	N/A	-	-	\$1,105
<b>2021 Incremental Term Loan Facility</b> (net of \$0 and \$3 of unamortized deferred financing costs, respectively)	November 22, 2028	1M Term SOFR + 1.75%	6.32%	\$610	\$718
<b>2024 Incremental Term Loan Facility</b> (net of \$8 and \$0 of unamortized deferred financing costs, respectively)	October 3, 2031	1M Term SOFR + 1.75%	6.32%	\$717	-
Total Floating Rate Debt				\$1,550	\$1,824
Senior Notes due 2028 (net of \$4 and \$5 of unamortized deferred financing costs, respectively)	September 15, 2028		6.88%	\$496	\$495
Senior Notes due 2029 (net of \$5 and \$6 of unamortized deferred financing costs, respectively)	February 15, 2029		4.75%	\$895	\$894
Senior Notes due 2030 (net of \$3 and \$4 of unamortized deferred financing costs, respectively)	June 1, 2030		4.63%	\$497	\$496
Senior Notes due 2032 (net of \$4 and \$5 of unamortized deferred financing costs, respectively)	January 15, 2032		7.25%	\$496	\$495
Senior Notes due 2033 (net of \$4 and \$0 of unamortized deferred financing costs, respectively)	April 15, 2033		5.75%	\$496	-
Obligations under financing leases <sup>(1)</sup>	2025 - 2037		1.26%-8.31%	\$490	\$463
Other Debt	January 1, 2031		5.75%	\$8	\$8
Total Fixed Rate <sup>(1)</sup>				\$3,378	\$2,851
Total Debt				\$4,928	\$4,674
Less: Cash				(\$59)	(\$269)
Net Debt <sup>(2)</sup>				\$4,869	\$4,405
Net Debt Leverage Ratio <sup>(2)</sup>				2.8x	2.8x
% Floating Rate <sup>(3)</sup>				~32%	~30%

(1) Includes \$26 million and \$34 million of floating rate debt related to synthetic leases as of December 28, 2024 and December 30, 2023, respectively

(2) Reconciliations of these non-GAAP measures are provided in this Appendix

(3) Floating Rate % includes the impact of interest rate caps

(4) The Company's maximum exposure to the variable component of interest against term loans will be 5% on the notional amount covered by interest rate caps

- Maintained net leverage within target range of 2.0 3.0x
- Repurchased \$958M of shares in 2024 and an additional \$23M Q1 to date
- Q4 debt refinancing:
  - > Issued \$500M of senior notes due 2033 and used proceeds to repay a portion of term loan facilities due 2026 and 2028
  - Extended maturity of remaining balance of term loan facility due 2026 to 2031
  - Lowered interest rate margin on both term loan facilities by 25 basis points
  - > Eliminated 11 basis point credit spread adjustment on term loan facility due 2031



## **Fourth Quarter Financial Performance**

	Reported (unaudited) 13 Weeks Ended		Adjusted <sup>(1)</sup> (unaudited)			
			13 Weeks Ended			
(Case volume and \$ in millions, except per share data)	December 28, 2024	December 30, 2023	Change	December 28, 2024	December 30, 2023	Change
Case Volume	208	201	3.5%			
Net Sales	\$9,491	\$8,936	6.2%			
Gross Profit	\$1,666	\$1,590	4.8%	\$1,659	\$1,547	7.2%
% of Net Sales	17.6%	17.8%	(24 bps)	17.5%	17.3%	17 bps
Operating Expenses	\$1,364	\$1,312	4.0%	\$1,217	\$1,161	4.8%
% of Net Sales	14.4%	14.7%	(31 bps)	12.8%	13.0%	(17 bps)
Net Income	\$66	\$147	(55.1%)	\$197	\$160	23.1%
Diluted EPS <sup>(2)</sup>	\$0.28	\$0.59	(52.5%)	\$0.84	\$0.64	31.3%
Adjusted EBITDA				\$441	\$388	13.7%
Adjusted EBITDA Margin <sup>(3)</sup>				4.6%	4.3%	30 bps

(1) Reconciliations of these non-GAAP measures are provided in this Appendix.

(2) Adjusted Diluted EPS is calculated as Adjusted Net Income divided by Non-GAAP weighted average diluted shares outstanding.

(3) Represents Adjusted EBITDA as a percentage of Net Sales.


### **Full Year 2024 Financial Performance**

		Reported (unaudited)			Adjusted <sup>(1)</sup> (unaudited)			
		Year Ended			Year Ended			
(Case volume and \$ in millions, except per share data)	December 28, 2024	December 30, 2023	Change	December 28, 2024	December 30, 2023	Change		
Case Volume	841	807	4.2%					
Net Sales	\$37,877	\$35,597	6.4%					
Gross Profit	\$6,534	\$6,148	6.3%	\$6,595	\$6,147	7.3%		
% of Net Sales	17.3%	17.3%	(2 bps)	17.4%	17.3%	14 bps		
Operating Expenses	\$5,435	\$5,131	5.9%	\$4,848	\$4,594	5.5%		
% of Net Sales	14.3%	14.4%	(7 bps)	12.8%	12.9%	(11 bps)		
Net Income	\$494	\$506	(2.4%)	\$770	\$658	17.0%		
Diluted EPS <sup>(2)</sup>	\$2.02	\$2.02	-	\$3.15	\$2.63	19.8%		
Adjusted EBITDA				\$1,741	\$1,559	11.7%		
Adjusted EBITDA Margin <sup>(3)</sup>				4.6%	4.4%	22 bps		

(1) Reconciliations of these non-GAAP measures are provided in this Appendix.

(2) Adjusted Diluted EPS is calculated as Adjusted Net Income divided by Non-GAAP weighted average diluted shares outstanding.

(3) Represents Adjusted EBITDA as a percentage of Net Sales.



#### Non-GAAP Reconciliation – Adjusted Gross Profit per Case, Adjusted Operating Expense per Case, Adjusted EBITDA per Case

	Adjusted <sup>(1)</sup> (unaudited)				
	13 Weeks Ended		Year I	Ended	
(Total cases and \$ in millions, except per case data)	December 28, 2024	December 30, 2023	December 28, 2024	December 30, 2023	
Total Cases	208	201	841	807	
Adjusted GP	\$1,659	\$1,547	\$6,595	\$6,147	
Adjusted GP / Case	\$7.99	\$7.71	\$7.85	\$7.62	
Adjusted OPEX	\$1,217	\$1,161	\$4,848	\$4,594	
Adjusted OPEX / Case	\$5.86	\$5.78	\$5.77	\$5.69	
Adjusted EBITDA	\$441	\$388	\$1,741	\$1,559	
Adjusted EBITDA / Case	\$2.12	\$1.93	\$2.07	\$1.93	

(1) Reconciliations of these non-GAAP measures are provided in this Appendix.



#### Non-GAAP Reconciliation – Adjusted Gross Profit and Adjusted Operating Expenses

	13 Weeks End	led (unaudited)	Year Ended (unaudited)		
(\$ in millions)	December 28, 2024	December 30, 2023	December 28, 2024	December 30, 2023	
Gross Profit (GAAP)	\$1,666	\$1,590	\$6,534	\$6,148	
LIFO reserve adjustment <sup>(1)</sup>	(7)	(43)	61	(1)	
Adjusted Gross Profit (Non-GAAP)	\$1,659	\$1,547	\$6,595	\$6,147	
Operating Expenses (GAAP)	\$1,364	\$1,312	\$5,435	\$5,131	
Adjustments:					
Depreciation expense	(96)	(93)	(384)	(349)	
Amortization expense	(15)	(12)	(54)	(46)	
Restructuring activity and asset impairment charges <sup>(2)</sup>	(3)	(12)	(25)	(14)	
Share-based compensation expense <sup>(3)</sup>	(17)	(13)	(63)	(56)	
Business transformation costs <sup>(4)</sup>	(11)	(12)	(39)	(28)	
Business acquisition, integration related costs and other <sup>(5)</sup>	(5)	(9)	(22)	(44)	
Adjusted Operating Expenses (Non-GAAP)	\$1,217	\$1,161	\$4,848	\$4,594	

#### Non-GAAP Reconciliation – Adjusted Gross Profit and Adjusted Operating Expenses

- 1. Represents the impact of LIFO reserve adjustments.
- 2. Consists primarily of severance and related costs, organizational realignment costs and asset impairment charges.
- 3. Share-based compensation expense for expected vesting of stock awards and employee stock purchase plan.
- 4. Transformational costs represent non-recurring expenses prior to formal launch of strategic projects with anticipated long-term benefits to the Company. These costs generally relate to third party consulting and non-capitalizable technology. For the 13 weeks and 52 weeks ended December 28, 2024, business transformation costs related to projects associated with information technology infrastructure initiatives and related workforce efficiencies. For the 13 weeks and 52 weeks ended December 30, 2023, business transformation costs related to projects associated with information technology infrastructure initiatives.
- 5. Includes: (i) aggregate acquisition, integration related costs and planned divestiture costs of \$5 million and \$9 million for the 13 weeks ended December 28, 2024 and December 30, 2023, respectively and \$22 million and \$41 million for the 52 weeks ended December 28, 2024 and December 30, 2023, respectively; (ii) CEO sign on bonus of \$3 million for the 52 weeks ended December 30, 2023; (iii) other gains, losses or costs that we are permitted to addback for purposes of calculating Adjusted EBITDA under certain agreements governing our indebtedness.



## Non-GAAP Reconciliation – Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted Net Income

	13 V	Veeks En	ded (unaudited	d)	Y	ear Ende	<b>d</b> (unaudited)	
(\$ in millions)	December 2	28, 2024	December 3	0, 2023	December 2	28, 2024	December 3	0, 2023
Net income available to common shareholders and net income margin (GAAP)	\$66	0.7%	\$147	1.6%	\$494	1.3%	\$499	1.4%
Series A Preferred Stock Dividends	-		-		-		(7)	
Net income and net income margin (GAAP)	66	0.7%	147	1.6%	494	1.3%	506	1.4%
Interest expense—net	80		80		315		324	
Income tax provision	21		53		150		172	
Depreciation expense	96		93		384		349	
Amortization expense	15		12		54		46	
EBITDA and EBITDA margin (Non-GAAP)	\$278	2.9%	\$385	4.3%	\$1,397	3.7%	\$1,397	3.9%
Adjustments:								
Restructuring activity and asset impairment charges <sup>(1)</sup>	3		12		25		14	
Share-based compensation expense <sup>(2)</sup>	17		13		63		56	
LIFO reserve adjustment <sup>(3)</sup>	(7)		(43)		61		(1)	
Loss on extinguishment of debt <sup>(4)</sup>	10		-		10		21	
Recognition of net actuarial loss for pension settlement <sup>(5)</sup>	124		-		124		-	
Business transformation costs <sup>(6)</sup>	11		12		39		28	
Business acquisition, integration related costs, divestitures and other <sup>(7)</sup>	5		9		22		44	
Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA margin (Non-GAAP)	\$441	4.6%	\$388	4.3%	\$1,741	4.6%	\$1,559	4.4%
Depreciation expense	(96)		(93)		(384)		(349)	
Interest expense—net	(80)		(80)		(315)		(324)	
Income tax impact, as adjusted <sup>(8)</sup>	(68)		(55)		(272)		(228)	
Adjusted Net Income (Non-GAAP)	\$197		\$160		\$770		\$658	

(1) - (8) footnotes located on next slide



## Non-GAAP Reconciliation – Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted Net Income

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# Non-GAAP Reconciliation – Adjusted Diluted Earnings Per Share (EPS)

	13 Weeks Ended (unaudited)		Year Ended	(unaudited)
	December 28, 2024	December 30, 2023	December 28, 2024	December 30, 2023
Diluted EPS (GAAP)	\$0.28	\$0.59	\$2.02	\$2.02
Restructuring activity and asset impairment charges <sup>(1)</sup>	0.01	0.05	0.10	0.06
Share-based compensation expense <sup>(2)</sup>	0.07	0.05	0.26	0.22
LIFO reserve adjustment <sup>(3)</sup>	(0.03)	(0.17)	0.25	-
Loss on extinguishment of debt <sup>(4)</sup>	0.04	-	0.04	0.08
Recognition of net actuarial loss for pension settlement <sup>(5)</sup>	0.53	-	0.51	-
Business transformation costs <sup>(6)</sup>	0.05	0.05	0.16	0.11
Business acquisition, integration related costs, divestitures and $other^{(7)}$	0.02	0.04	0.09	0.18
Income tax provision, as adjusted <sup>(8)</sup>	(0.13)	0.03	(0.28)	(0.04)
Adjusted Diluted EPS (Non-GAAP) <sup>(9)</sup>	\$0.84	\$0.64	\$3.15	\$2.63
Weighted-average diluted shares outstanding (Non-GAAP) <sup>(10)</sup>	235,752,896	248,204,734	244,113,626	249,984,664

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## Non-GAAP Reconciliation – Net Debt and Net Leverage Ratios

	(unaudited)				
(\$ in millions, except ratios)	December 28, 2024	December 30, 2023	December 31, 2022		
Total Debt (GAAP)	\$4,928	\$4,674	\$4,854		
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash	(59)	(269)	(211)		
Net Debt (non-GAAP)	\$4,869	\$4,405	\$4,643		
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(1)</sup>	\$1,741	\$1,559	\$1,310		
Net Leverage Ratio <sup>(2)</sup>	2.8	2.8	3.5		

(2) Net Debt / TTM Adjusted EBITDA.



#### Non-GAAP to GAAP Reconciliation – 2021 to 2023 Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted Net Income

			<b>Year Ended</b> (u	inaudited)		
(\$ in millions)	December 30	), 2023	December 31, 2022		January 1, 2022	
Net income available to common shareholders and net income margin (GAAP)	\$499	1.4%	\$228	0.7%	\$121	0.4%
Series A Preferred Stock Dividends	(7)		(37)		(43)	
Net income (GAAP)	506		265		164	
Interest expense—net	324		255		213	
Income tax provision	172		96		50	
Depreciation expense	349		327		323	
Amortization expense	46		45		55	
EBITDA and EBITDA margin (Non-GAAP)	1,397	3.9%	988	3.3%	805	2.7%
Adjustments:						
Restructuring costs and asset impairment charges <sup>(1)</sup>	14		12		11	
Share-based compensation expense <sup>(2)</sup>	56		45		48	
LIFO reserve adjustments <sup>(3)</sup>	(1)		147		165	
Loss on extinguishment of debt <sup>(4)</sup>	21		-		23	
Business transformation costs <sup>(5)</sup>	28		52		22	
Business acquisition and integration related costs and other <sup>(6)</sup>	44		66		(5)	
COVID-19 bad debt (benefit) expense <sup>(7)</sup>	-		-		(15)	
COVID-19 other related expenses <sup>(8)</sup>	-		-		3	
Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA margin (Non-GAAP)	1,559	4.4%	1,310	3.8%	1,057	3.6%
Depreciation expense	(349)		(327)		(323)	
Interest expense—net	(324)		(255)		(213)	
Income tax provision, as adjusted <sup>(9)</sup>	(228)		(190)		(133)	
Adjusted Net Income (Non-GAAP)	\$658		\$538		\$388	



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#### Non-GAAP to GAAP Reconciliation – 2021 to 2023 Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted Net Income

- 1. Consists primarily of non-CEO severance and related costs associated with organizational realignment and other impairment charges. For fiscal year 2022, also consists of the write-off of old leases ROU asset and lease liability of \$9 million associated with entering into new lease agreements for four distribution facilities.
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#### Non-GAAP to GAAP Reconciliation – 2021 to 2023 Adjusted Diluted EPS

	Year Ended (unaudited)				
	December 30, 2023	December 31, 2022	January 1, 2022		
Diluted EPS (GAAP)	\$2.02	\$1.01	\$0.54		
Restructuring costs and asset impairment charges <sup>(1)</sup>	0.06	0.05	0.04		
Share-based compensation expense <sup>(2)</sup>	0.22	0.18	0.19		
LIFO reserve adjustments <sup>(3)</sup>	-	0.59	0.66		
Loss on extinguishment of debt <sup>(4)</sup>	0.08	-	0.09		
Business transformation costs <sup>(5)</sup>	0.11	0.21	0.09		
Business acquisition and integration related costs and other <sup>(6)</sup>	0.18	0.26	(0.02)		
COVID-19 bad debt benefit <sup>(7)</sup>	-	-	(0.06)		
COVID-19 other related expenses <sup>(8)</sup>	-	-	0.01		
Income tax provision, as adjusted <sup>(9)</sup>	(0.04)	(0.16)	0.01		
Adjusted Diluted EPS (Non-GAAP) <sup>(10)</sup>	\$2.63	\$2.14	\$1.55		
Weighted-average diluted shares outstanding (Non-GAAP) <sup>(11)</sup>	249,984,664	251,231,662	249,886,068		



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### Non-GAAP to GAAP Reconciliation – 2021 to 2023 Net Leverage and Adjusted EBITDA per Case & Margin

	For the Year Ended (unaudited)					
s in millions, except ratios)	December 30, 2023	December 31, 2022	January 1, 2022			
otal Debt (GAAP)	\$4,674	\$4,854	\$5,011			
ash, cash equivalents and restricted cash	(269)	(211)	(148)			
et Debt (Non-GAAP)	\$4,405	\$4,643	\$4,863			
djusted EBITDA <sup>(1)</sup>	1,559	1,310	1,057			
et Leverage Ratio <sup>(2)</sup>	2.8	3.5	4.6			
ase Count (in millions)	807	773	760			
djusted Gross Profit (Non-GAAP)	\$6,147	\$5,639	\$4,820			
djusted Gross Profit per Case	\$7.62	\$7.29	\$6.34			
djusted Operating Expenses (Non-GAAP)	\$4,594	\$4,351	\$3,789			
djusted Operating Expenses per Case	\$5.69	\$5.63	\$4.98			
djusted EBITDA <sup>(1)</sup>	\$1,559	\$1,310	\$1,057			
let Sales (GAAP)	35,597	34,057	29,487			
djusted EBITDA per Case	\$1.93	\$1.69	\$1.39			
djusted EBITDA Margin % <sup>(1)</sup>	4.4%	3.8%	3.6%			





### Non-GAAP to GAAP Reconciliation – 2021 to 2023 Net Leverage and Adjusted EBITDA per Case & Margin

- 1. EBITDA is defined as net income, plus interest expense—net, income tax provision, and depreciation and amortization. Adjusted EBITDA is defined as EBITDA adjusted for: (1) restructuring costs and asset impairment charges; (2) share-based compensation expense; (3) the impact of LIFO reserve adjustments; (4) loss on extinguishment of debt; (5) business transformation costs; and (6) other gains, losses, or costs as specified in the agreements governing our indebtedness. Adjusted EBITDA Margin is Adjusted EBITDA divided by total net sales. Adjusted Net Income is defined as net income excluding the items used to calculate Adjusted EBITDA listed above and further adjusted for the tax effect of the exclusions and discrete tax items. EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA, and Adjusted Net Income as presented are supplemental measures of our performance that are not required by, or presented in accordance with, GAAP. They are not measurements of our performance under GAAP and should not be considered as alternatives to net income or any other performance measures derived in accordance with GAAP.
- 2. Net Debt/TTM Adjusted EBITDA.



#### Non-GAAP to GAAP Reconciliation – 2021 to 2024 ROIC

	For the Year Ended (unaudited)					
(\$ in millions)	December 28, 2024	December 30, 2023	December 31, 2022	January 1, 202		
Operating Income (GAAP)	\$1,099	\$1,017	\$594	\$424		
Other income	(6)	6	22	26		
Loss on extinguishment of debt <sup>(1)</sup>	(10)	(21)	-	(23)		
Recognition of net actuarial loss for pension settlement <sup>(5)</sup>	(124)	-	-	-		
Adjustments:						
Restructuring costs and asset impairment charges <sup>(2)</sup>	25	14	12	11		
Share-based compensation expense <sup>(3)</sup>	63	56	45	48		
LIFO reserve adjustments <sup>(4)</sup>	61	(1)	147	165		
Loss on extinguishment of debt <sup>(1)</sup>	10	21	-	23		
Recognition of net actuarial loss for pension settlement <sup>(5)</sup>	124					
Business transformation costs <sup>(6)</sup>	39	28	52	22		
Business acquisition and integration related costs and other <sup>(7)</sup>	22	44	66	(5)		
COVID-19 bad debt benefit <sup>(8)</sup>	-	-	-	(15)		
COVID-19 other related expenses <sup>(9)</sup>	-	-	-	3		
Adjusted Operating Income (Non-GAAP)	\$1,303	\$1,164	\$938	\$679		
Income tax provision, as adjusted (@ 25.5%)	(332)	(297)	(239)	(173)		
Tax adjusted amortization	40	34	34	41		
Adjusted Operating Income after tax excluding amortization (Non-GAAP)	\$1,011	\$901	\$732	\$547		
Invested Capital:						
Average of Total Assets (excluding operating right of use assets)	12,992	12,702	12,381	12,196		
Average of Adjustments:						
Cash	(165)	(240)	(180)	(488)		
Non-Interest bearing current liabilities	(3,044)	(2,802)	(2,532)	(2,113)		
Intangible Assets	(819)	(794)	(808)	(861)		
Goodwill	(5,739)	(5,661)	(5,625)	(5,631)		
Average Invested Capital	\$3,225	\$3,205	\$3,236	\$3,103		
Return on Invested Capital	31%	28%	23%	18%		
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