

ArcBest

Earnings Presentation

1Q'22



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For additional information regarding known material factors that could cause our actual results to differ from our projected results, please see our filings with the SEC, including our Annual Report on Form 10-K, Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, and Current Reports on Form 8-K.

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ArcBest Announces Record First Quarter 2022 Results – Supporting a Solid Three-Point Strategy



Accelerating growth through a customer focus and investment in people, solutions and technology – generating enhanced shareholder value

STRONG PERFORMANCE ENABLES INVESTMENT FOR GROWTH

Double-Digit Revenue Growth

YOY daily revenue growth in Asset-Based 26% and Asset-Light 115% segments

High Demand

From customers for all solutions

INVESTMENT IN:

People

Solutions

Technology

Future Growth

Integration

MoLo integration progressing well and on track for previously shared financial goals

Innovation

Partnership with Phantom Auto progressing well with 2H22 customer pilots scheduled

Q1 2022

Key Metrics

ARCBEST
CONSOLIDATED

- 1) First quarter 2022 comparisons are to first quarter 2021.
- 2) See non-GAAP reconciliation in the Additional Information section of this presentation.

ArcBest

\$1.3B

Revenue

 **60% per day
YOY ⁽¹⁾**

\$108.6M

Non-GAAP
Operating Income ⁽²⁾

 **166% YOY ⁽¹⁾**

\$3.08/diluted share

Non-GAAP Net Income ⁽²⁾

 **191% YOY ⁽¹⁾**

Q1 2022

Key Metrics

ASSET-BASED

- 1) First quarter 2022 comparisons are to first quarter 2021.
- 2) See non-GAAP reconciliation in the Additional Information section of this presentation.

ArcBest

\$705M

Revenue

↑ 26% per day
YOY⁽¹⁾

\$87.0M

Non-GAAP Operating Income⁽¹⁾

↑ 136% YOY⁽¹⁾

87.7%

Non-GAAP Operating Ratio⁽²⁾

↑ 570 bps YOY
improvement ⁽¹⁾

Daily
Tonnage

↑ 3.6%
YOY⁽¹⁾

Daily
Shipments

↑ 0.2%
YOY⁽¹⁾

Total Billed
Rev/Cwt

↑ 21.1%
YOY⁽¹⁾

9.0%

Average Increase on
Contract Renewals
and Deferred Pricing
Agreements

↑ 340 bps ⁽¹⁾

APRIL 2022

Key Metrics

ASSET-BASED

1) April 2022 comparisons are to April 2021.

ArcBest

APRIL 2022
PRELIMINARY

**Daily Billed
Revenue**

↑ 23% YOY⁽¹⁾

**Total Billed
Rev/CWT**

↑ 21% YOY⁽¹⁾

**Total Billed
Rev/Shipment**

↑ 22% YOY⁽¹⁾

**Daily
Tonnage**

↑ 2% YOY⁽¹⁾

**Daily
Shipments**

↑ 1% YOY⁽¹⁾

**Total
Weight/Shipment**

↑ 1% YOY⁽¹⁾

Q1 2022

Key Metrics

ASSET-LIGHT⁽¹⁾

- 1) The ArcBest and FleetNet reportable segments, combined, represent Asset-Light operations.
- 2) First quarter 2022 comparisons are to first quarter 2021.
- 3) See non-GAAP reconciliation in the Additional Information section of this presentation.
- 4) Asset-Light ArcBest Operating Segment, excluding FleetNet. April 2022 comparisons are to April 2021.

ArcBest

\$674M

Revenue

↑ 115% per day YOY⁽²⁾

\$26.9M

Non-GAAP Operating Income⁽³⁾

↑ 163% YOY⁽²⁾

\$29.3M

Adjusted EBITDA⁽³⁾

↑ 142% YOY⁽²⁾

APRIL 2022 PRELIMINARY YOY⁽⁴⁾

Daily Revenue ↑ 124% YOY

BALANCED CAPITAL ALLOCATION

INVESTMENTS IN GROWTH AND OPERATING INITIATIVES

- **Capital investments consistent with organic growth strategy**

2022 Projected Net Capital Expenditures: \$270M - \$290M

- Revenue equipment (tractors and trailers), dock equipment and technology to maintain optimal total cost of ownership and to increase growth capacity
- Asset-Based network and facility upgrades, expansion and additions. Multi-year investment plan to increase growth capacity, improve energy efficiency and enhance work environment for employees
- **Innovation and technology investments, partnerships and pilots for revenue growth and cost optimization**
- **Continual evaluation of M&A Opportunities**

RETURN OF CAPITAL TO SHAREHOLDERS

- **Share Repurchase Program:**
 - Completed \$100M ASR in Jan. 2022
 - Repurchased an additional \$17M during 1st Quarter 2022
 - Increased repurchase amount to \$75M – 4/28/22
- **Dividend Program:** \$0.48 per share (annual) – As of 4/28/22

MAINTAIN SOLID FINANCIAL POSITION

- **TTM EBITDA:** \$494M⁽¹⁾
- **Liquidity:** \$303M⁽²⁾
- **Net Debt:** \$158M⁽²⁾
- **Debt Maintenance:** 0.3X Debt⁽²⁾ (net) to EBITDA⁽¹⁾

Strong balance sheet and free cash flow provide flexibility to invest in the business and increase returns for shareholders

1) Trailing 12 months ending March 31, 2022.

2) As of March 31, 2022.

ARCBEST'S CUSTOMER-LED STRATEGY YIELDS RESULTS

5x

Revenue per account is over 5X higher on cross-sold accounts

9%

Retention rates are 9 percentage points higher on cross-sold accounts

>75%

Over 75% of revenue came from digitally connected customers

4x

Profit per account is over 4X higher on cross-sold accounts

>60%

Over 60% of our customers who use asset-light services also utilize our asset-based services

Three-Point Strategy Continues to Deliver Shareholder Value & Drive Business Growth



Q & A

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Reconciliations of GAAP to Non-GAAP Financial Measures (Unaudited)

Note: ArcBest Corporation reports its financial results in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (“GAAP”). However, management believes that certain non-GAAP performance measures utilized for internal analysis provides analysts, investors, and others the same information that we use internally for purposes of assessing our core operating performance and provides meaningful comparisons between current and prior period results, as well as important information regarding performance trends. Accordingly, using these measures improves comparability in analyzing our performance because it removes the impact of items from operating results that, in management's opinion, do not reflect our core operating performance. Non-GAAP financial measures should be viewed in addition to, and not as an alternative for, our reported results. These financial measures should not be construed as better measurements than operating income, operating cash flow, net income or earnings per share, as determined under GAAP.

Reconciliations of GAAP to Non-GAAP Financial Measures (Unaudited)

ARCBEST CORPORATION - CONSOLIDATED	Three Months Ended March 31	
Millions (\$000,000), except per share data	2022	2021
Operating Income		
Amounts on a GAAP basis	\$ 94.9	\$ 32.2
Innovative technology costs, pre-tax ⁽¹⁾	9.7	7.7
Purchase accounting amortization ⁽²⁾	3.2	0.9
Change in fair value of contingent consideration ⁽³⁾	0.8	-
Non-GAAP amounts	\$108.6	\$ 40.8
Net Income		
Amounts on a GAAP basis	\$ 69.6	\$ 23.4
Innovative technology costs, after-tax (includes related financing costs) ⁽¹⁾	7.3	5.8
Purchase accounting amortization ⁽²⁾	2.4	0.7
Change in fair value of contingent consideration ⁽³⁾	0.6	-
Life insurance proceeds and changes in cash surrender value	0.8	(1.3)
Tax benefit from vested RSUs ⁽⁴⁾	(0.9)	(0.1)
Non-GAAP amounts	\$ 79.8	\$ 28.5
Diluted Earnings Per Share		
Amounts on a GAAP basis	\$ 2.68	\$ 0.87
Innovative technology costs, after-tax (includes related financing costs) ⁽¹⁾	0.28	0.22
Purchase accounting amortization ⁽²⁾	0.09	0.03
Change in fair value of contingent consideration ⁽³⁾	0.02	-
Life insurance proceeds and changes in cash surrender value	0.03	(0.05)
Tax benefit from vested RSUs ⁽⁴⁾	(0.03)	(0.01)
Non-GAAP amounts ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 3.08	\$ 1.06

- 1) Represents costs associated with the freight handling pilot test program at ABF Freight and initiatives to optimize our performance through technological innovation, including costs related to our investment in human-centered remote operation software.
- 2) Represents the amortization of acquired intangible assets related to the November 1, 2021 acquisition of MoLo and previously acquired businesses in the ArcBest segment.
- 3) Represents change in fair value of the contingent consideration recorded for the MoLo acquisition. The liability for contingent consideration is remeasured at each quarterly reporting date, and any change in fair value as a result of the recurring assessments is recognized in operating income. As previously disclosed, contingent consideration for the MoLo acquisition will be paid based on achievement of certain targets of adjusted earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization, as adjusted for certain items pursuant to the merger agreement, for years 2023 through 2025.
- 4) The Company recognizes the tax impact for the vesting of share-based compensation resulting in excess tax expense (benefit).
- 5) Non-GAAP amounts are calculated in total and may not foot due to rounding.

Reconciliations of GAAP to Non-GAAP Financial Measures (Unaudited)

ASSET-LIGHT ADJUSTED EBITDA ⁽¹⁾	Three Months Ended March 31	
	2022	2021
<i>(\$ millions)</i>		
Total Asset-Light		
Operating Income	\$ 22.8	\$ 9.3
Depreciation and amortization ⁽²⁾	5.6	2.8
Change in fair value of contingent consideration ⁽³⁾	0.8	-
Adjusted EBITDA ⁽⁴⁾	<u>\$ 29.3</u>	<u>\$ 12.1</u>
CONSOLIDATED ADJUSTED EBITDA ⁽¹⁾	Twelve Months Ended March 31, 2022	
	<i>(\$ millions)</i>	
Net Income	\$ 259.7	
Interest and other related financing costs	8.4	
Income tax provision	78.3	
Depreciation and amortization ⁽²⁾	128.7	
Amortization of share-based compensation	11.8	
Change in fair value of contingent consideration ⁽³⁾	0.8	
Transaction costs ⁽⁵⁾	<u>6.0</u>	
Consolidated Adjusted EBITDA	<u>\$ 493.7</u>	

- 1) Adjusted EBITDA is a primary component of the financial covenants contained in ArcBest Corporation's Amended and Restated Credit Agreement. Management believes Adjusted EBITDA to be relevant and useful information, as EBITDA is a standard measure commonly reported and widely used by analysts, investors, and others to measure financial performance ability to service debt obligations. Furthermore, management uses Adjusted EBITDA as a key measure of performance and for business planning. However, this non-GAAP measure should be viewed in addition to, and not as an alternative for, our reported results. Other companies may calculate EBITDA differently; therefore, our Adjusted EBITDA may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of other companies.
- 2) Includes amortization of intangibles associated with acquired businesses.
- 3) Represents change in fair value of the contingent consideration recorded for the MoLo acquisition. The liability for contingent consideration is remeasured at each quarterly reporting date, and any change in fair value as a result of the recurring assessments is recognized in operating income. As previously disclosed, contingent consideration for the MoLo acquisition will be paid based on achievement of certain targets of adjusted earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization, as adjusted for certain items pursuant to the merger agreement, for years 2023 through 2025.
- 4) Adjusted EBITDA is calculated in total and may not foot due to rounding.
- 5) Transaction costs are associated with the acquisition of MoLo.

Reconciliations of GAAP to Non-GAAP Financial Measures (Unaudited)

Millions (\$000,000)	Three Months Ended March 31			
	2022		2021	
ASSET-BASED SEGMENT				
Operating Income				
Amounts on a GAAP basis	\$ 80.0	88.7%	\$ 30.1	94.6%
Innovative technology costs, pre-tax ⁽¹⁾	7.0	(1.0)	6.9	(1.2)
Non-GAAP amounts ⁽²⁾	\$ 87.0	87.7%	\$ 36.9	93.4%
TOTAL ASSET-LIGHT				
Operating Income				
Amounts on a GAAP basis	\$ 22.8	96.6%	\$ 9.3	97.0%
Purchase accounting amortization ⁽³⁾	3.2	(0.5)	0.9	(0.3)
Change in fair value of contingent consideration ⁽⁴⁾	0.8	(0.1)	-	-
Non-GAAP amounts ⁽²⁾	\$ 26.9	96.0%	\$ 10.2	96.7%

1) Represents costs associated with the freight handling pilot test program at ABF Freight.

2) Non-GAAP amounts are calculated in total and may not foot due to rounding.

3) Represents the amortization of acquired intangible assets related to the November 1, 2021 acquisition of MoLo and previously acquired businesses in the ArcBest segment.

4) Represents change in fair value of the contingent consideration recorded for the MoLo acquisition. The liability for contingent consideration is remeasured at each quarterly reporting date, and any change in fair value as a result of the recurring assessments is recognized in operating income. As previously disclosed, contingent consideration for the MoLo acquisition will be paid based on achievement of certain targets of adjusted earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization, as adjusted for certain items pursuant to the merger agreement, for years 2023 through 2025.