



# **Elevate for Growth**

**Investor Day | October 17, 2023**

# Forward-Looking Statements and Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

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# Noel Geoffroy

Chief Operating Officer

**Incoming CEO:  
Effective March 1, 2024**



# Helen of Troy

## Agenda:

1. **Opening Remarks: Julien Mininberg, CEO**
2. **Elevate for Growth Strategy: Noel Geoffroy, COO & Incoming CEO**
  - **Ronald Anderskow**                      President, NA RMO
  - **Larry Witt**                                  President, Home & Outdoor
  - **Jay Caron**                                  Chief of Global Operations
3. **Elevate for Growth Financial Review: Brian Grass, CFO**
4. **Innovation Showcase**
5. **Q&A with Global Leadership Team**
6. **Closing Remarks: Noel Geoffroy, COO & Incoming CEO**

*Note: During our presentation we use certain terms and financial definitions that are defined in a Glossary of Terms at the end of this presentation.*

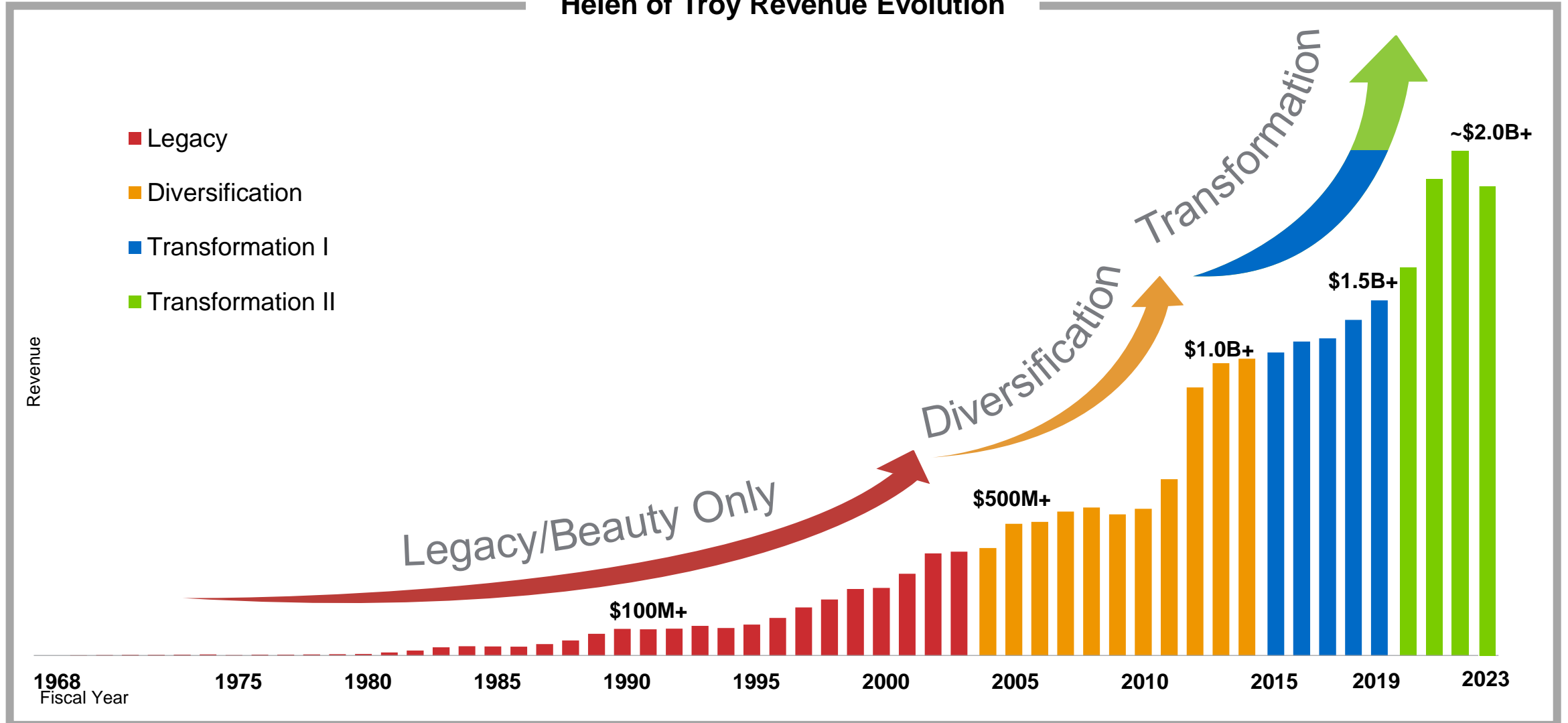
# Julien Mininberg

Chief Executive Officer



# Helen of Troy has Evolved into a \$2+ Billion Consumer Products Company

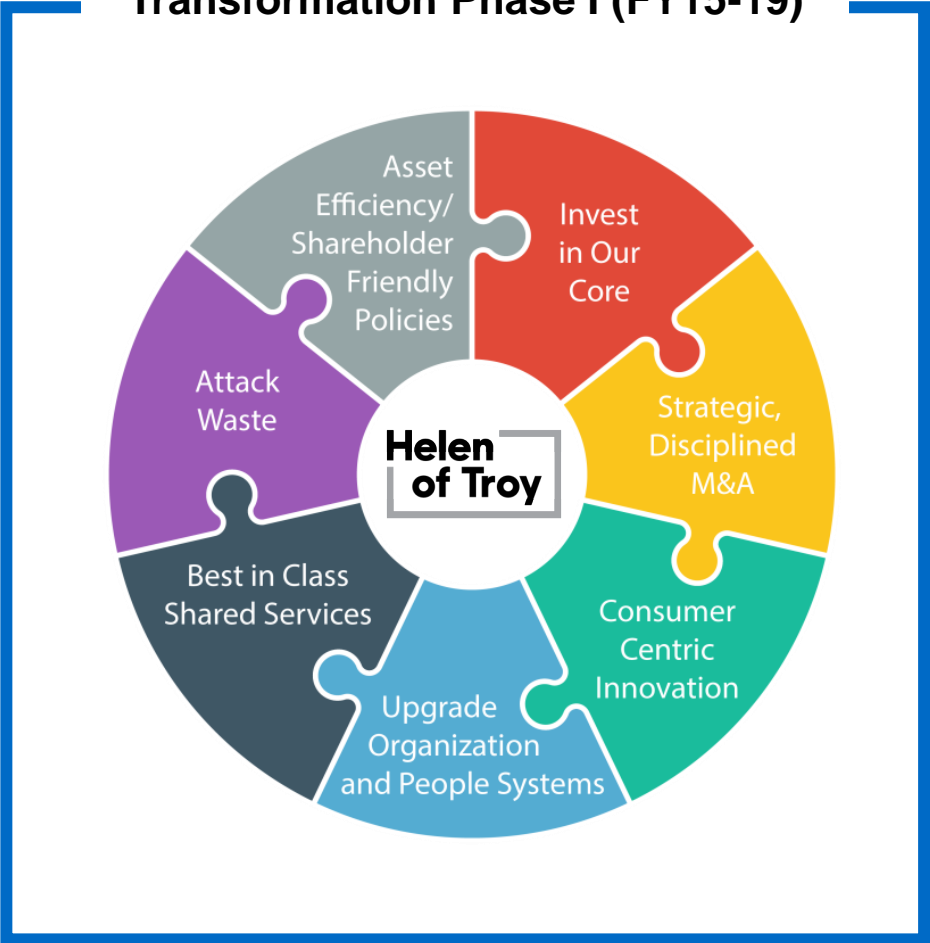
Helen of Troy Revenue Evolution



\* Source: Public Fundamental Data provided by Morningstar, Inc.

# Helen of Troy's Transformation Has Been Guided by Key Strategic Choices

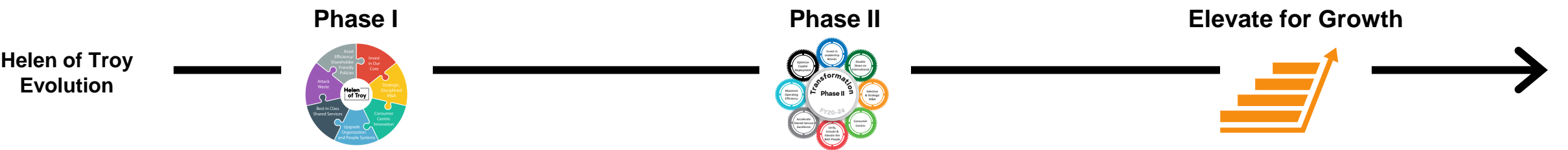
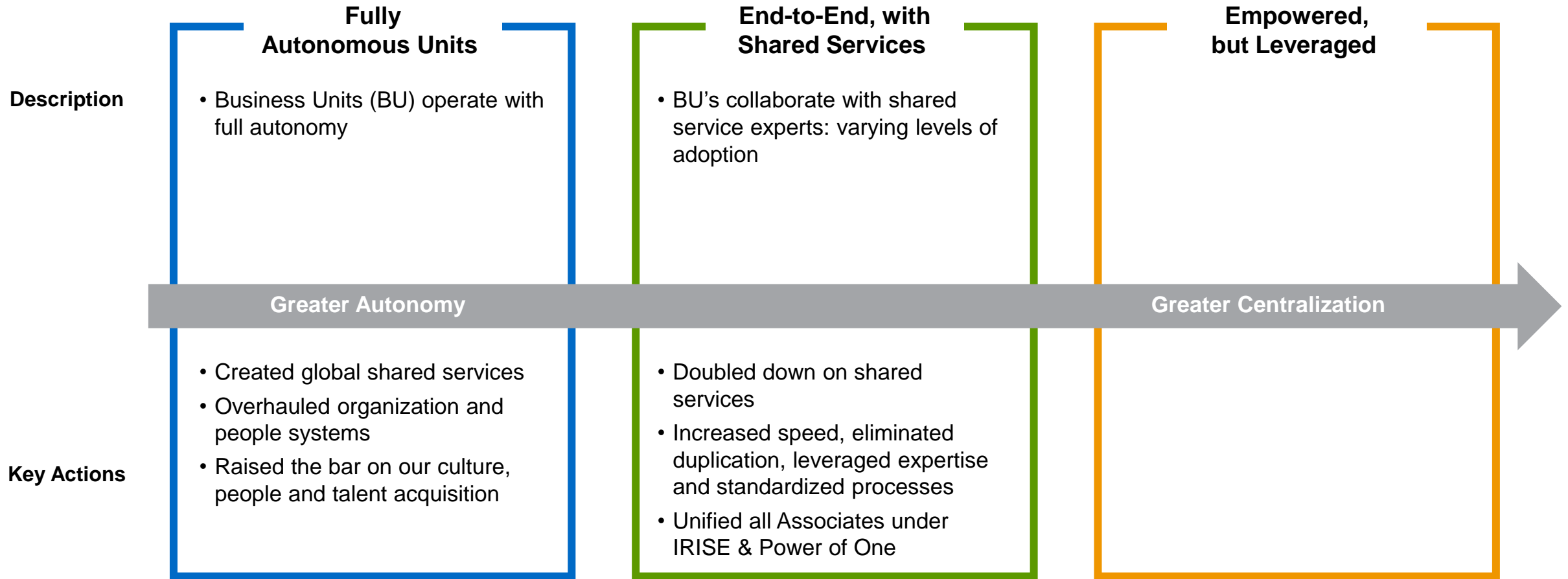
Transformation Phase I (FY15-19)



Transformation Phase II (FY20-24)

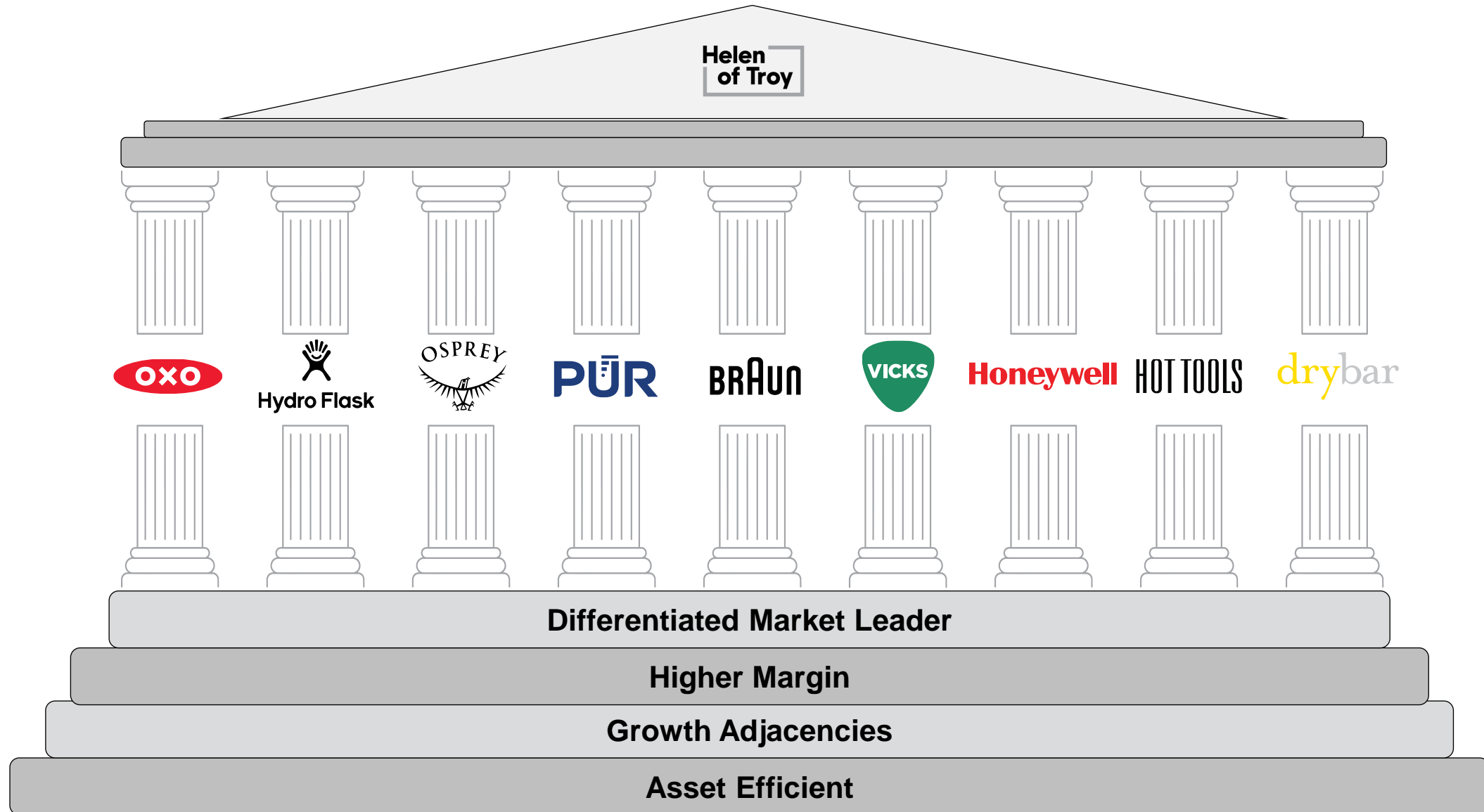


# Our Journey to Centralize and Simplify Our Operating Company

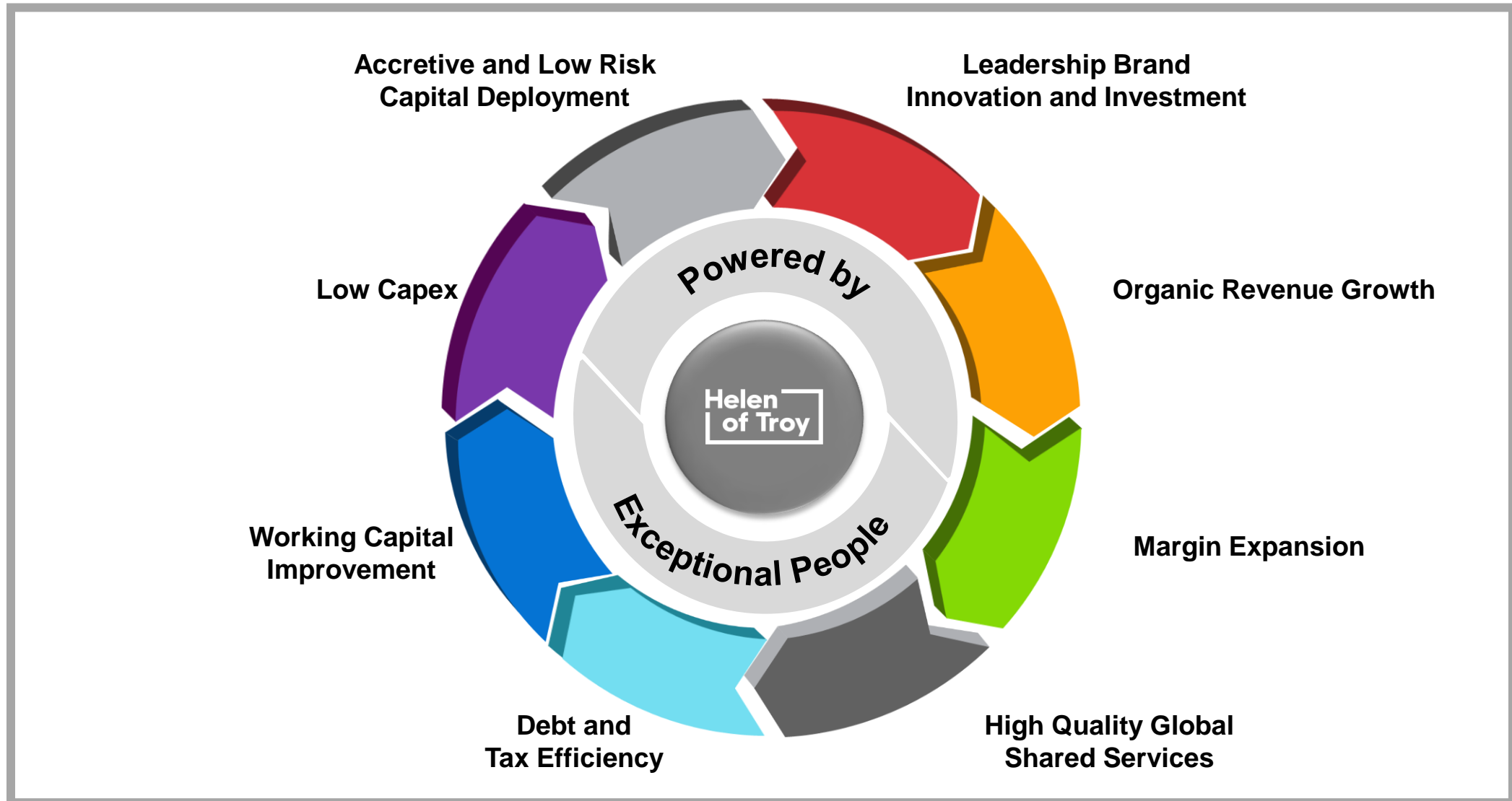




# We Have Built a Strong Family of Leadership Brands



# We Are Driven by Our Value Creation Flywheel

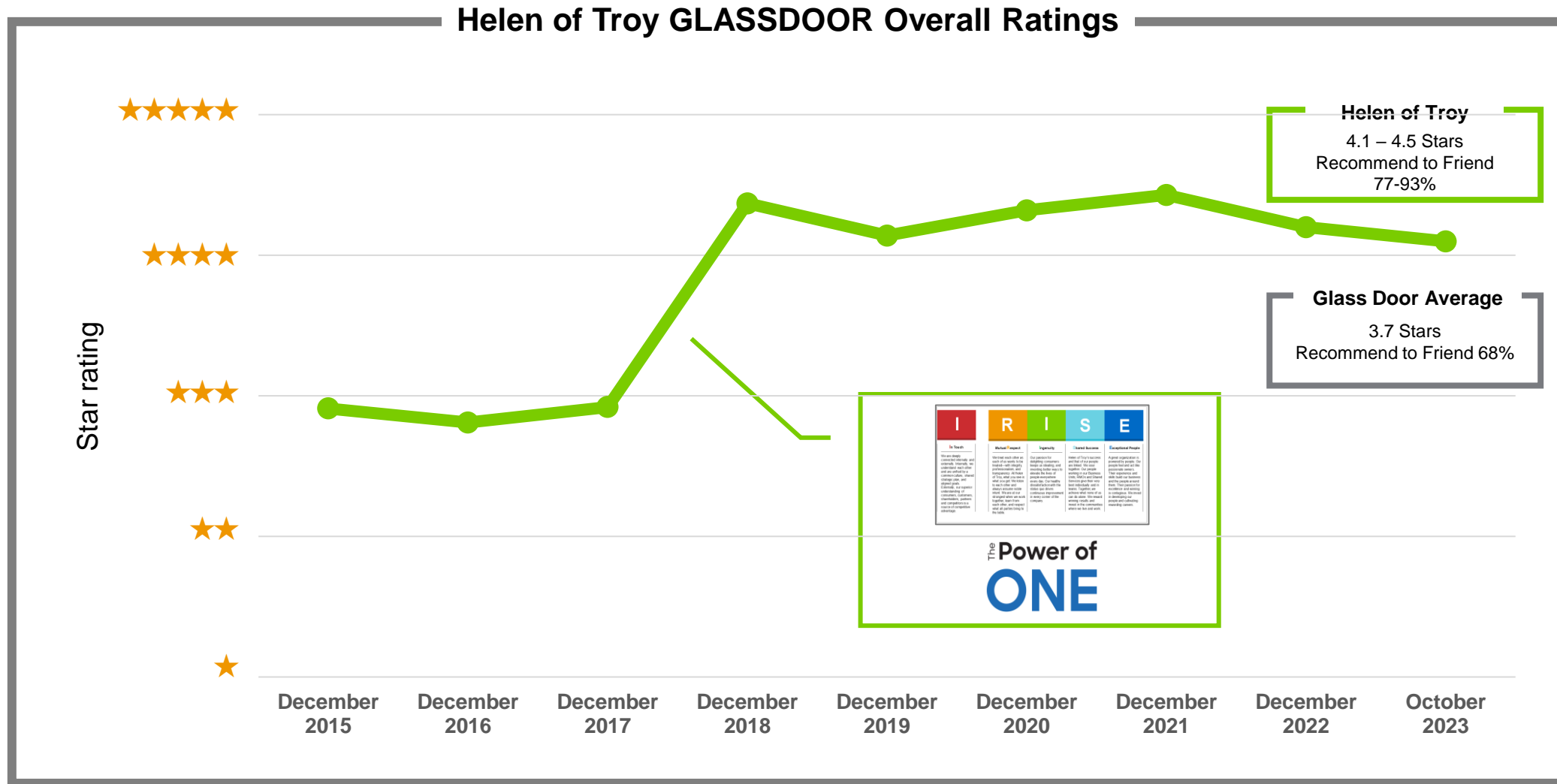


# Strong & Timeless Values Serve as the Foundation of Our Culture

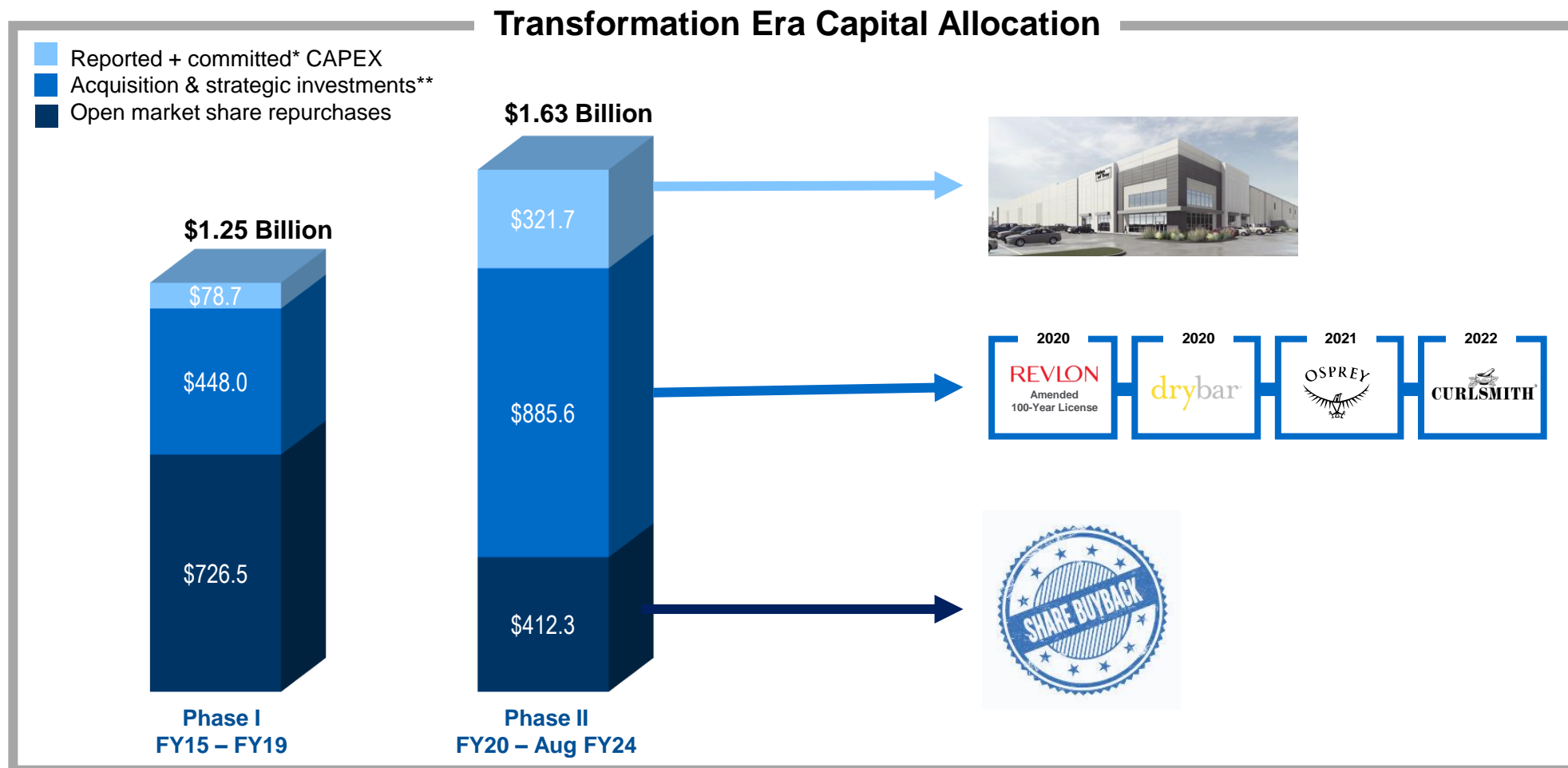
## Company Values

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|---|---|--|--|---|
| <b>I</b>  | <b>R</b>  | <b>I</b>   | <b>S</b>   | <b>E</b>  |
| <p><b>In Touch</b></p> <p>We are deeply connected internally and externally. Internally, we understand each other and are unified by a common culture, shared strategic plan, and aligned goals. Externally, our superior understanding of consumers, customers, shareholders, partners and competitors is a source of competitive advantage.</p> | <p><b>Mutual Respect</b></p> <p>We treat each other as each of us wants to be treated—with integrity, professionalism, and transparency. At Helen of Troy, what you see is what you get. We listen to each other and always assume noble intent. We are at our strongest when we work together, learn from each other, and respect what all parties bring to the table.</p> | <p><b>Ingenuity</b></p> <p>Our passion for delighting consumers keeps us ideating and inventing better ways to elevate the lives of people everywhere every day. Our healthy dissatisfaction with the status quo drives continuous improvement in every corner of the company.</p> | <p><b>Shared Success</b></p> <p>Helen of Troy's success and that of our people are linked. We soar together. Our people working in our Business Units, RMOs and Shared Services give their very best individually and in teams. Together, we achieve what none of us can do alone. We reward winning results and invest in the communities where we live and work.</p> | <p><b>Exceptional People</b></p> <p>A great organization is powered by people. Our people feel and act like passionate owners. Their experience and skills build our business and the people around them. Their effectiveness is multiplied by their diversity. Their passion for excellence and winning is contagious. We invest in developing our people and cultivating rewarding careers.</p> |

# We Have Transformed Into an Industry-Leading Employer of Choice



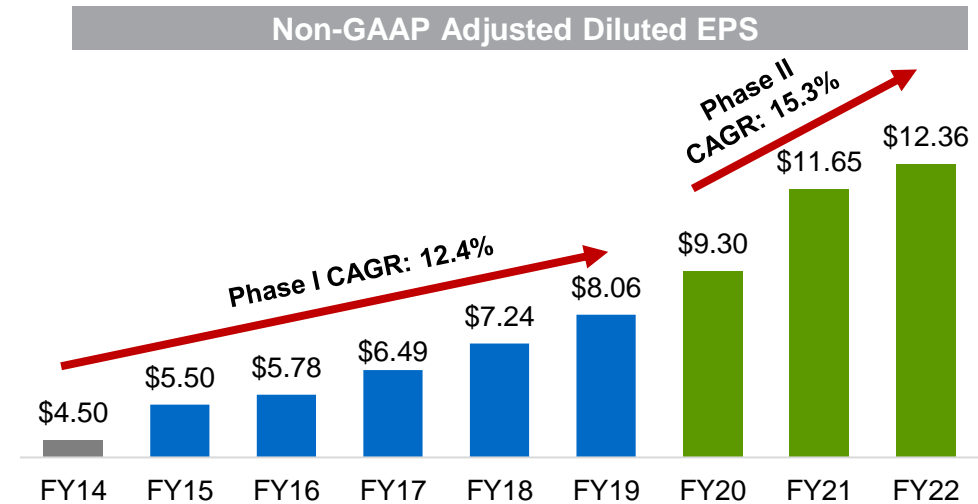
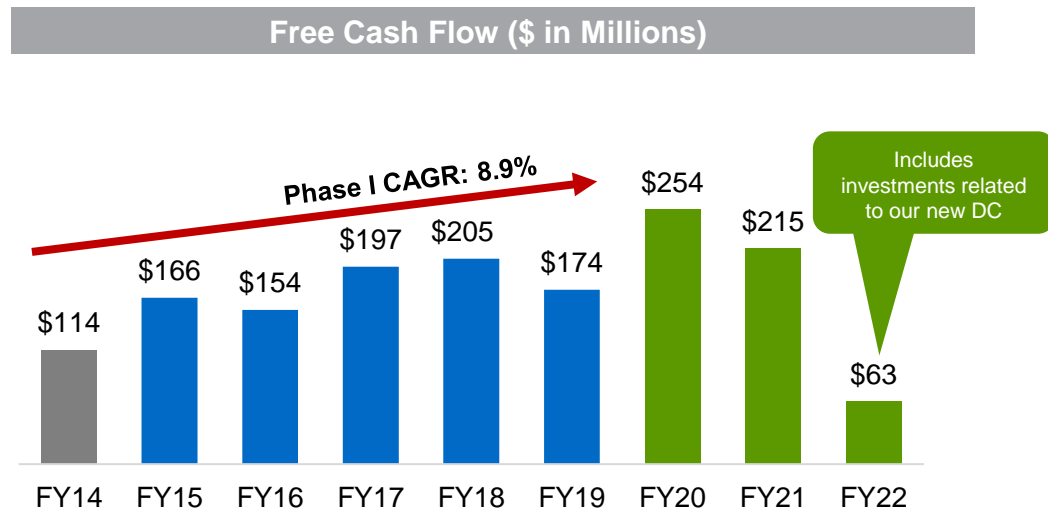
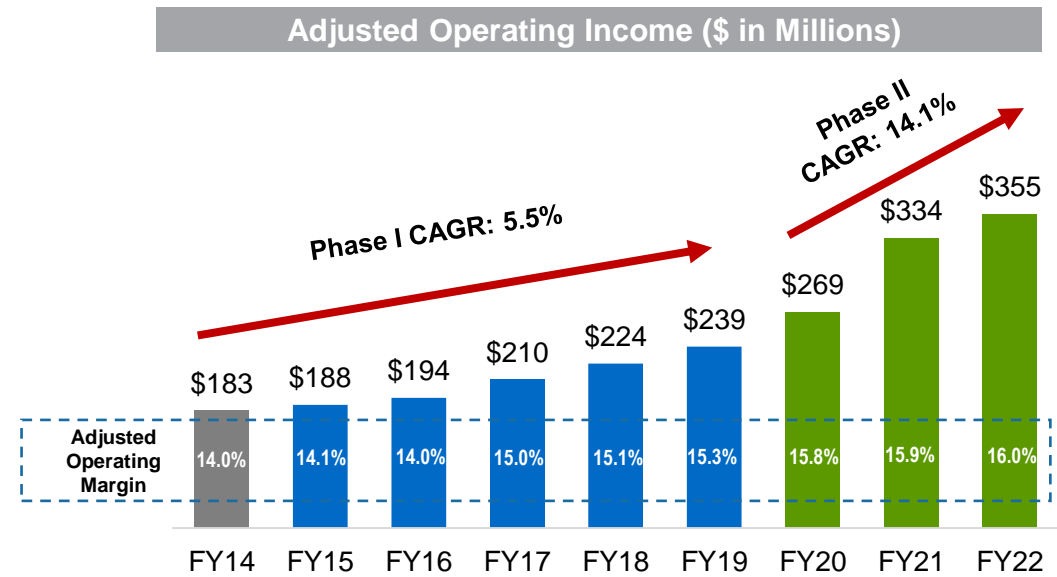
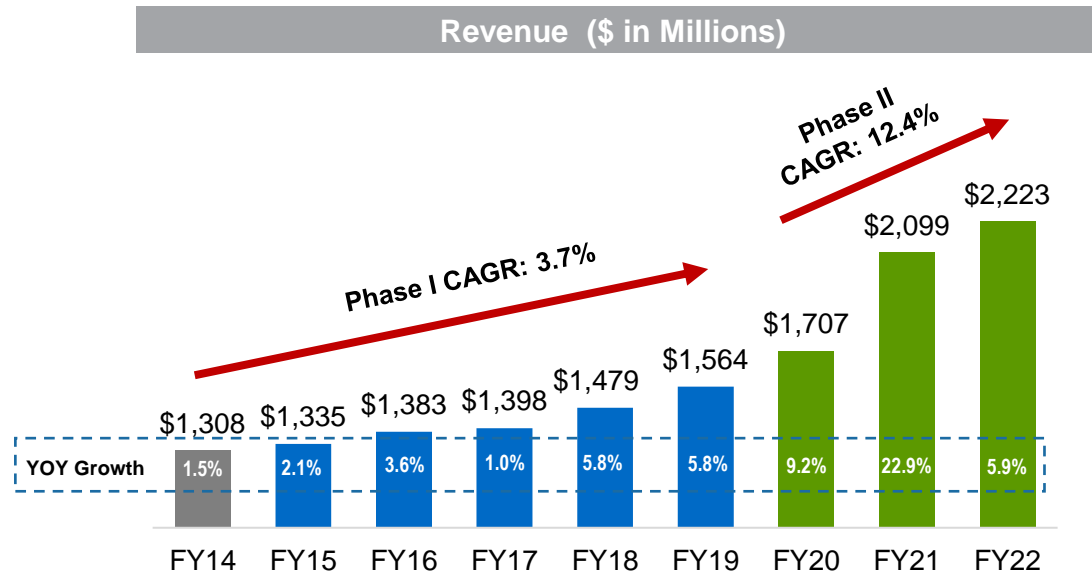
# The Company Allocated Nearly \$3 Billion of Capital Over the Past 10 Years



\* Committed includes expected capital expenditures related to the previously announced new two million square foot distribution facility with state-of-the-art automation. The Company expects capital expenditures for the new distribution center and equipment to be in the range of \$215 million to \$225 million spread over fiscal years 2022, 2023, and 2024.

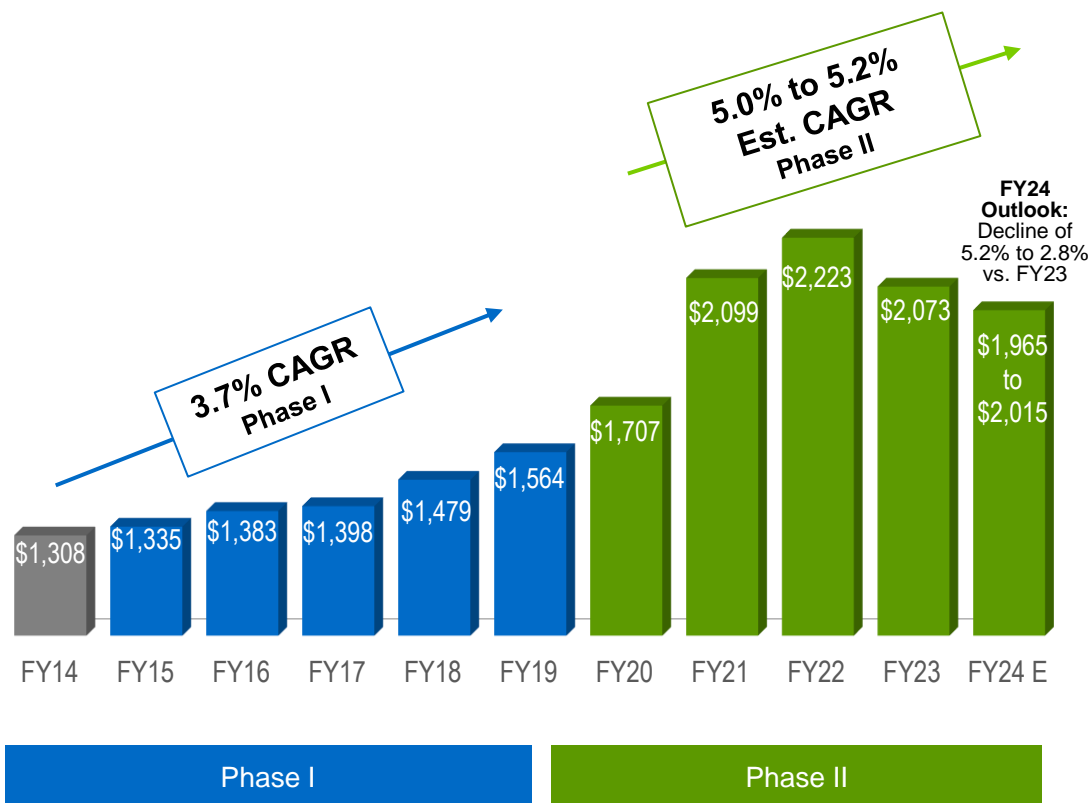
\*\* Strategic investment includes the Revlon License, for an exclusive, global, fully paid-up license to use the Revlon trademark to manufacture, sell and distribute licensed merchandise through December 31, 2060 with, at our option, three additional 20-year auto renewal periods.

# We Generated Excellent Results in Phase I and Started Off Strong in Phase II

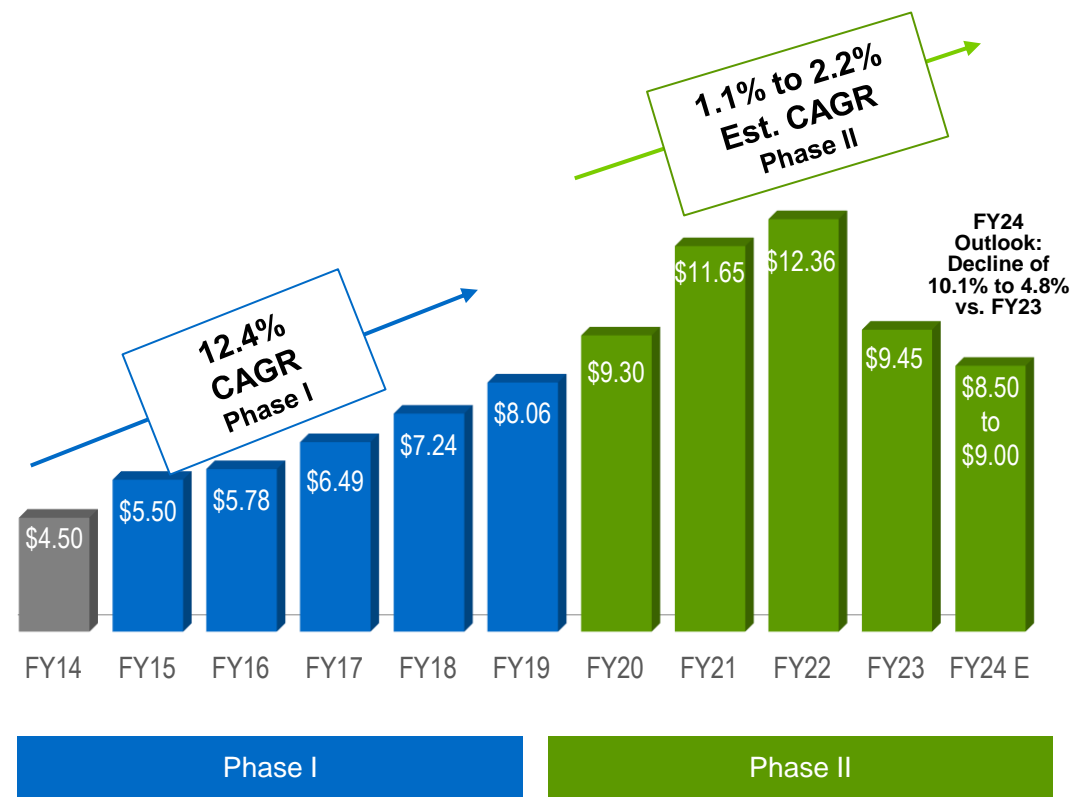


# Phase II Revenue CAGR Exceeds Phase I Including FY23 & FY24 Post-Covid Years, but Adj EPS CAGR Slowed Considerably

Revenue in millions \*^



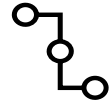
Non-GAAP Adjusted Diluted EPS \*^



\* FY22 includes approximately nine weeks of operating results from Osprey, acquired on December 29, 2021, and FY23 includes a full year of operating results. FY23 includes approximately forty-five weeks of operating results from Curlsmith, acquired on April 22, 2022.

^ FY23 did not include any non-core activity, and none is expected in FY24. For these periods, core equals consolidated.

# We Have Worked to Overcome Major Both External and Internal Challenges Over the Past Two Years



## Supply Chain Disruptions

### Action

- Secured supply despite shortages
- Built inventory to manage uncertainty



## Cost Inflation

### Action

- Project Pegasus Restructuring Plan
- Selectively raised prices



## Weakening Consumer Demand

### Action

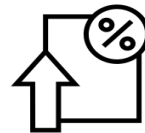
- Project Pegasus Restructuring Plan



## Historic Levels of Retailer Inventory Rebalancing

### Action

- Rapidly adjusted our supply plans
- Upgraded supply/demand planning capability
- Significantly lowered our own inventory



## Increased Capital Deployment Ahead of Rising Interest Rates

### Action

- Prioritized cash flow to reduce debt
- Converted 75% of debt to fixed rate
- Maximize benefits of new DC, acquisitions and extended global Revlon® license



## EPA Matter

### Action

- Rapid response to address concerns about packaging for water and air purification and humidifier packaging and quickly restart shipping



# Strong Reasons to Believe the Best is Yet to Come for Helen of Troy



**Proven track  
record of success**



**Ambitious targets  
we believe will  
create significant  
value**



**Strategic plan  
has the right  
balance of  
newness and  
continuity**



**Senior Team is  
highly engaged in  
plan design and  
execution**



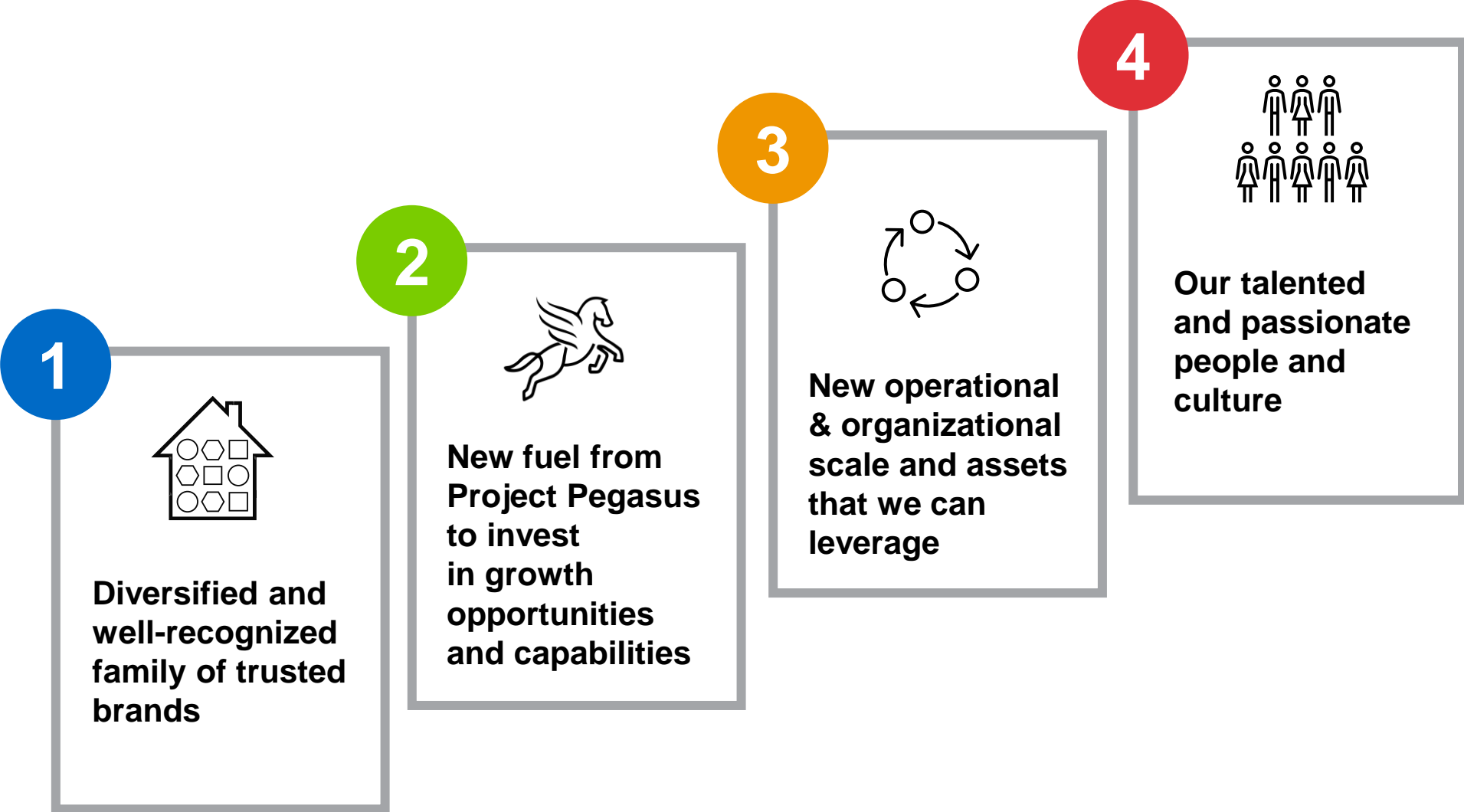
**Proven culture  
drives our  
highly talented  
& passionate  
people**

# Noel Geoffroy

Chief Operating Officer



# Why I Am Excited About the Future of Helen of Troy



# We Re-affirmed Our Purpose, Vision, and Values

## *Elevating Lives, Soaring Together*

### PURPOSE

*Why we exist and how we improve the world*

**Elevating lives  
in moments  
that matter  
everywhere,  
every day**

### VISION

*Who we want to be and where we want to go*

**To curate and build  
a distinguished  
family of highly  
trusted brands  
that delight  
consumers in their  
everyday lives**

### VALUES

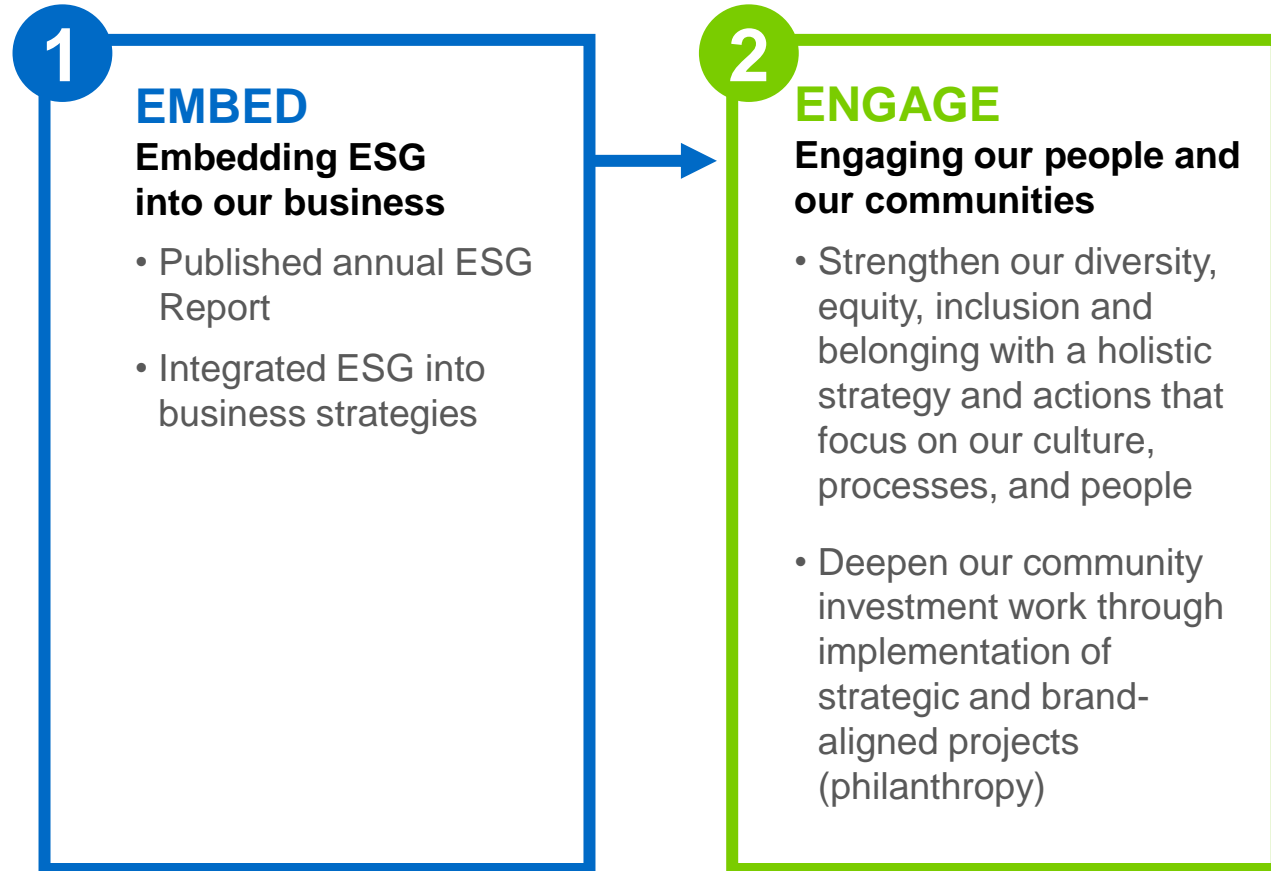
*What we believe at our core and how we operate*

- I** In Touch
- R** Mutual **R**espect
- I** ngenuity
- S** hared Success
- E** xceptional People

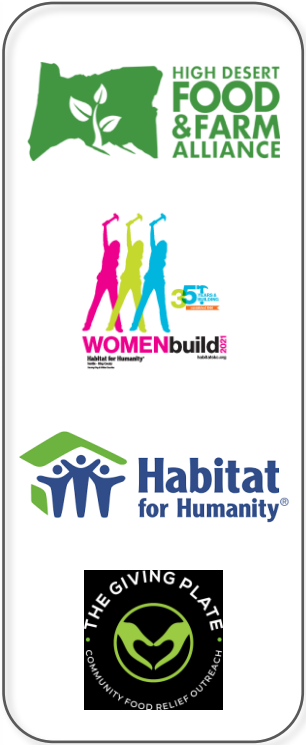
# ESG is Integrated into Our Businesses



# Our Commitment to the Environment and Society Continues in this Next Phase



# Engage: Each Associate Receives Two Paid Charitable Leave Days Annually



Days of Service – Select Charities Chosen by Our Associates

# Our Commitment to the Environment and Society Continues in this Next Phase







**Elevate  
for Growth**

# Our Elevate for Growth Leadership Team is a Balance of Helen of Troy Experience and Fresh Perspective

 = new  = continuity



**Noel Geoffroy**  
Chief Executive Officer



**Brian Grass**  
Chief Financial Officer



**Tessa Judge**  
Chief Legal Officer



**Larry Witt**  
President of Home & Outdoor



**Mauricio Troncoso**  
President of Beauty & Wellness



**Nicolas Lanus**  
President of International



**Ronald Anderskow**  
President of North America RMO



**Jay Caron**  
Chief of Global Operations



**Chris Osner-Hackett**  
Global Chief  
Marketing Officer



**Tim Grace**  
SVP, Head of  
People and Culture



**Michael Korona**  
Interim Chief  
Information Officer



**Nick Judson**  
Head of Strategy  
& Transformation



**Jack Jancin**  
SVP, Corporate  
Business Development

# We Believe We Can Achieve Success Across Several Key Metrics

## Average Annual Targets

**Net Sales  
Growth<sup>(1)</sup>**

**3.0% - 4.0%**

**Adjusted  
EBITDA Margin  
Expansion**

**30 - 40 bps**

**Adjusted  
EPS  
Growth<sup>(2)</sup>**

**≥10%**

(1) Excludes acquisitions, divestitures and material currency fluctuations

(2) Excludes acquisitions, divestitures, and material currency fluctuations; includes share repurchases

# Delivering on Our Ambition Offers Strong Value for Each of Our Stakeholders



# We Have a Set of Clear and Compelling Strategic Choices

## Where to Play

-  Shape and Invest in a Growth Portfolio
-  Win with Winning Customers
-  Strategically Grow International
-  Continue *Better Together* M&A

## How to Win

- ▶ Foster a winning culture
- ▶ Strengthen end-to-end M&A capabilities
- ▶ Embrace next-level data and analytics
- ▶ Fully leverage operational scale & assets
- ▶ Be and win where the shopper shops
- ▶ Strategically extend our brands
- ▶ Be consumer obsessed

# Where to Play



**Shape and Invest in a Growth Portfolio**



**Win with Winning Customers**



**Strategically Grow International**



**Continue *Better Together* M&A**

# Shape and Invest in a Growth Portfolio



# Our Brands Hold Leadership Positions Across Multiple Categories

**BRAUN**<sup>1</sup>

| Rank | Country | Segment                               |
|------|---------|---------------------------------------|
| 1    |         | Branded Noninvasive & Ear Thermometry |
| 1    |         | Branded Thermometry                   |
| 1    |         | Ear Thermometry                       |
| 2    |         | Branded Thermometry                   |

**OSPREY**<sup>2</sup>

| Rank | Country | Segment            |
|------|---------|--------------------|
| 1    |         | Technical Backpack |
|      |         | Travel Packs       |
| 2    |         | Hydration Packs    |

**OXO**<sup>1</sup>

| Rank | Country | Segment               |
|------|---------|-----------------------|
| 1    |         | Canister Food Storage |
| 1    |         | Kitchen Utensils      |
| 1    |         | Bake/Mix/Measure      |
| 1    |         | Chop/Slice/Core       |
| 1    |         | Kitchen Tools         |
| 1    |         | Serving Gadget        |
| 1    |         | Specialty Gadgets     |
| 1    |         | Entertaining Gadgets  |
| 1    |         | Grate Peel Clean      |

**PUR**<sup>1</sup>

| Rank | Country | Segment                       |
|------|---------|-------------------------------|
| 1    |         | Faucet Mount                  |
| 2    |         | Point-of-Use Water Filtration |

**Honeywell**<sup>1</sup>

| Rank | Country | Segment              |
|------|---------|----------------------|
| 1    |         | Air Purifiers        |
| 1    |         | Seasonal Humidifiers |
| 2    |         | Portable Fans        |
| 2    |         | Portable Heaters     |

**REVLON**<sup>1</sup>

| Rank | Country | Segment        |
|------|---------|----------------|
| 2    |         | Hot Air Styler |

**Hydro Flask**<sup>2</sup>

| Rank | Country | Segment                |
|------|---------|------------------------|
| 1    |         | Insulated Bottles      |
| 3    |         | Insulated Beverageware |

**VICKS**<sup>1</sup>

| Rank | Country | Segment                      |
|------|---------|------------------------------|
| 2    |         | Branded Thermometry          |
| 1    |         | Branded Digital Thermometer  |
| 1    |         | Rx Humidifiers & Accessories |
| 2    |         | Rx Humidifiers & Accessories |

**HOT TOOLS**<sup>1</sup>

| Rank | Country | Segment              |
|------|---------|----------------------|
| 2    |         | Curling Brush & Iron |

**Helen of Troy**<sup>1</sup>

| Rank | Country | Segment             |
|------|---------|---------------------|
| 1    |         | Branded Thermometry |
| 1    |         | Specialty Stylers   |
| 3    |         | Branded Hair Tools  |
| 2    |         | Curling Brush/Irons |
| 2    |         | Hot Air Stylers     |



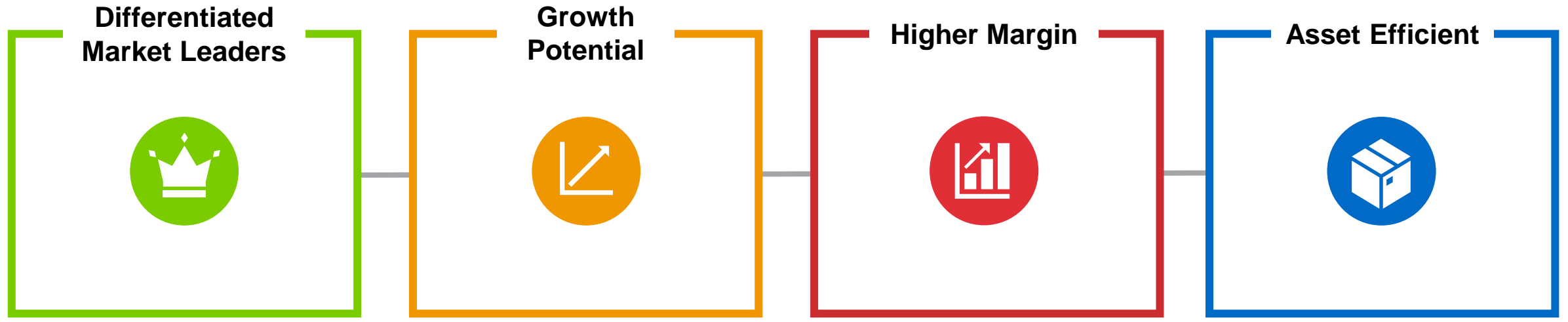
1 Leading 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Syndicated Service – Latest 12 Months Ending July 2023, Total US  
 2 Leading 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Syndicated Service – Latest 12 Months Ending July 2023, Sports Channel

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# Shape and Invest in a Growth Portfolio



*New Brand Portfolio Classifications*

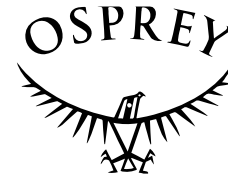
**Invest to Grow**

**Stronghold**

**Optimize**

# Investing Back in Our Brands

Helen  
of Troy



# Win with Winning Customers



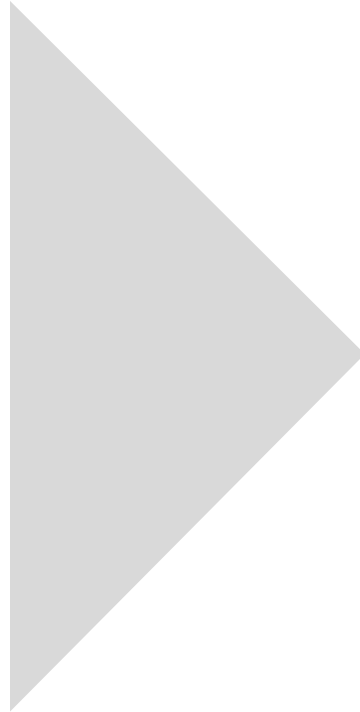
# Win with Winning Customers

## North America Sales

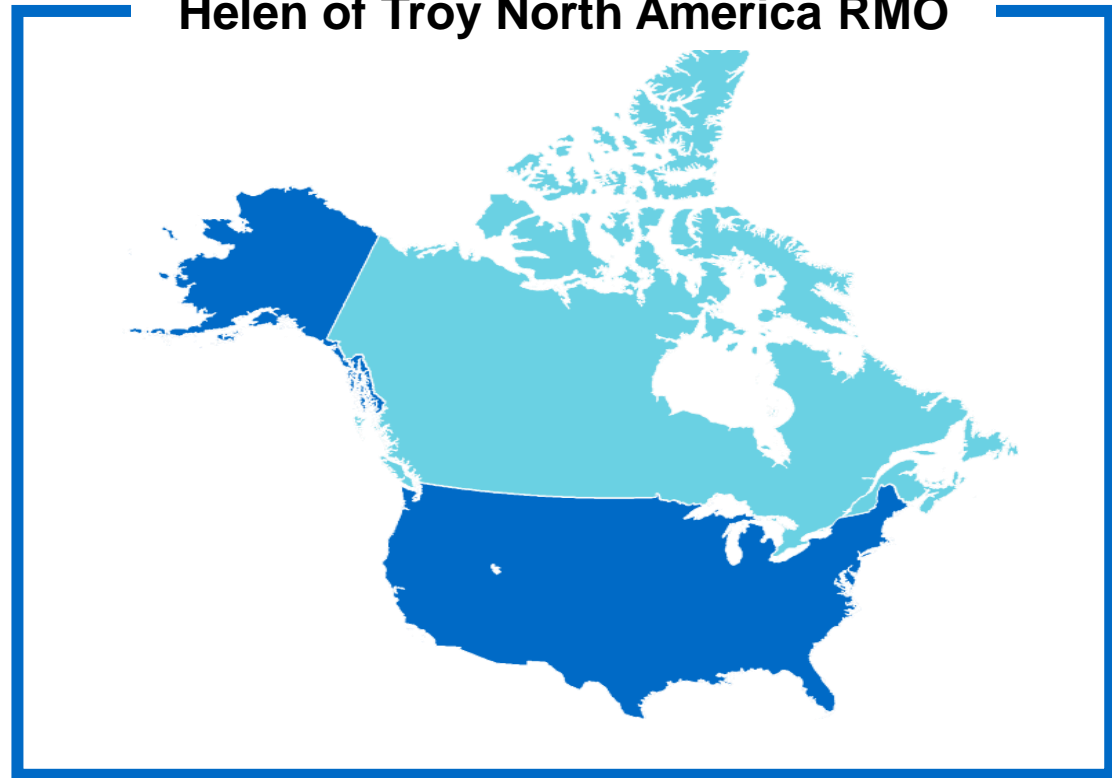
US/Canada  
Beauty Sales

US/Canada  
Home & Outdoor  
Sales

US/Canada  
Health & Wellness  
Sales



## Helen of Troy North America RMO



RMO: Regional Market Organization

# Ron Anderskow

President,  
North America RMO



# Align Our Strategies and Customer Strategies to Deliver Superior Business Results



REVLON

## Working Together to Deliver the Right Value to the Shopper



1% FOR THE PLANET



SoftWorks



Lock & Go Can Opener

Locks tight to reduce hand strain



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1% FOR THE PLANET



SoftWorks

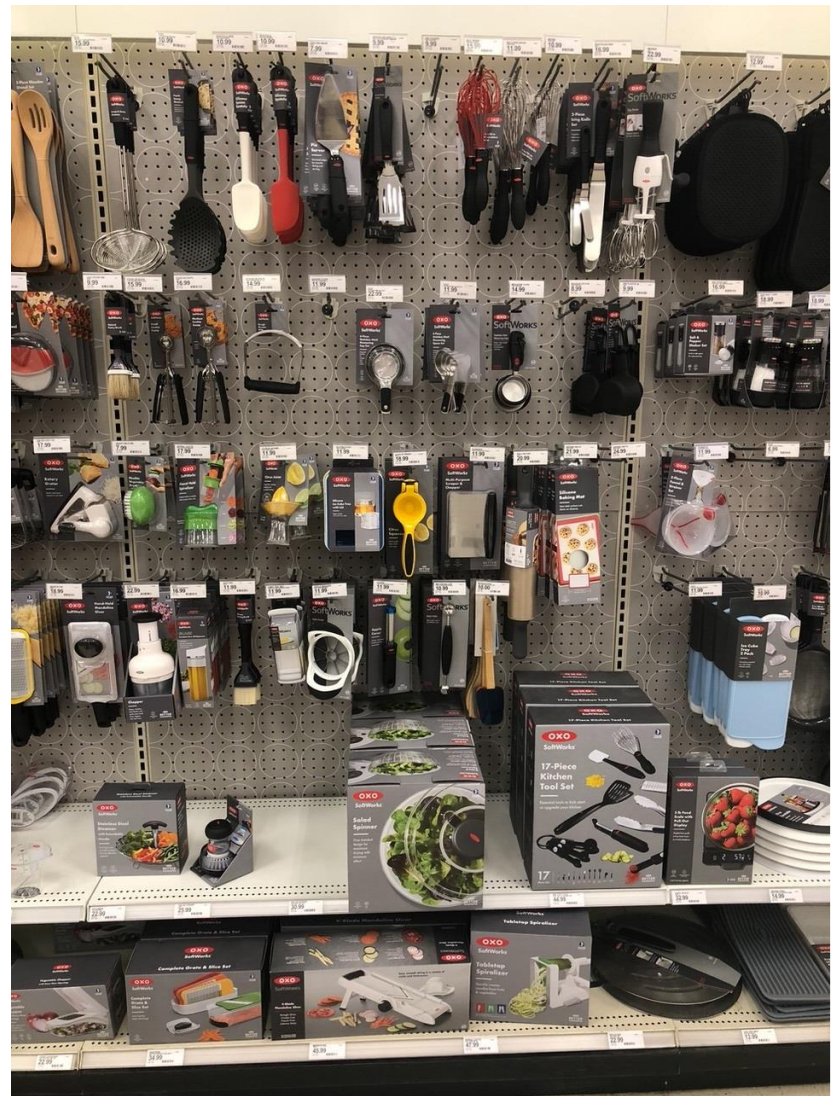
Swivel Peeler

Comfort-engineered handle and sharp efficient blade.



BETTER GUARANTEE

# Bringing Our Winning Brands to Winning Customers







# Customer-Specific Innovation With Winning Customers

**Beautiful**  
by **PUR**

Superior PUR technology.  
Design inspired by  
Drew Barrymore.

**Beautiful**  
by **PUR**

12 Cup  
PUR Pitcher  
With Filter

Make Something Beautiful of Dream

Certified to Reduce  
**2x More**  
Chlorine and Pesticide Residues  
From Water

Like other leading brands,  
it's 30 times more than most!



# Optimizing Inventory During Seasonal Spikes



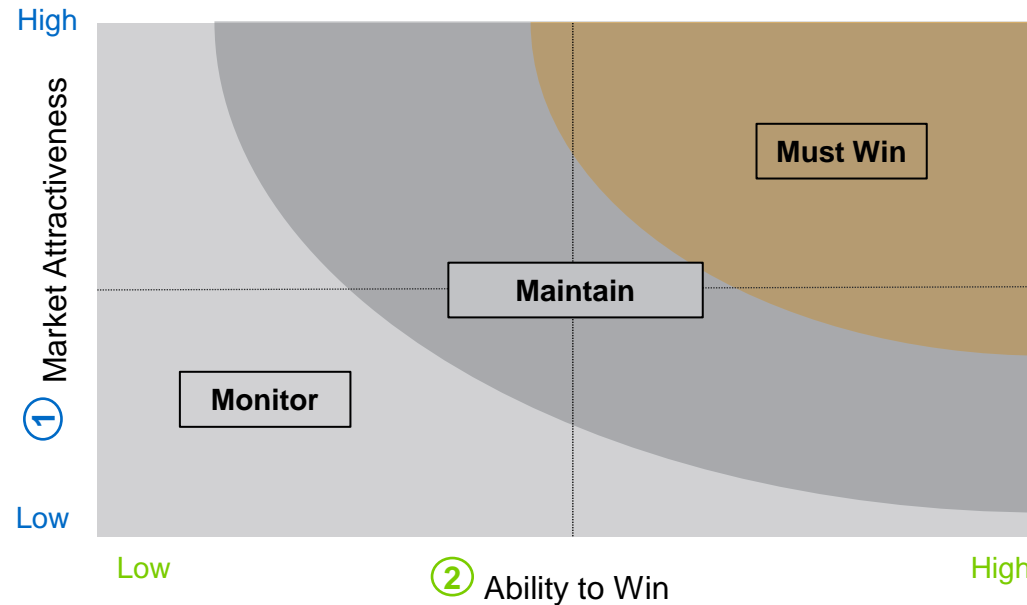
# Strategically Grow International



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## How we assessed brand-market combinations

- 1 Market Attractiveness**
- Current Market Size
  - Expected Growth
  - Profitability
  - Ease of doing business



- 2 Ability to Win**
- Current Market Share
  - Competitive Intensity
  - Talent & Team
  - Innovation
  - Growth Story
  - Distributor Network

## Next big opportunities to pursue

- Disproportionately resource highest potential and most financially attractive brand + market combinations
- Assess annually through planning process to identify next big opportunities to pursue

**Continue**  
***Better***  
***Together***  
**M&A**



# Continue *Better Together* M&A



We expect to **continue our String of Pearls strategy**, looking for brands that complement our portfolio

## *Better Together*

- **Better for Helen of Troy:** accretive to fleet average
- **Better for the acquired brand:** we can add value and scale

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# How to Win



**Be consumer obsessed**



**Strategically extend our brands**



**Be and win where the shopper shops**



**Fully leverage our scale and assets**



**Embrace next-level data and analytics**



**Strengthen end-to-end M&A capabilities**



**Champion a winning culture**

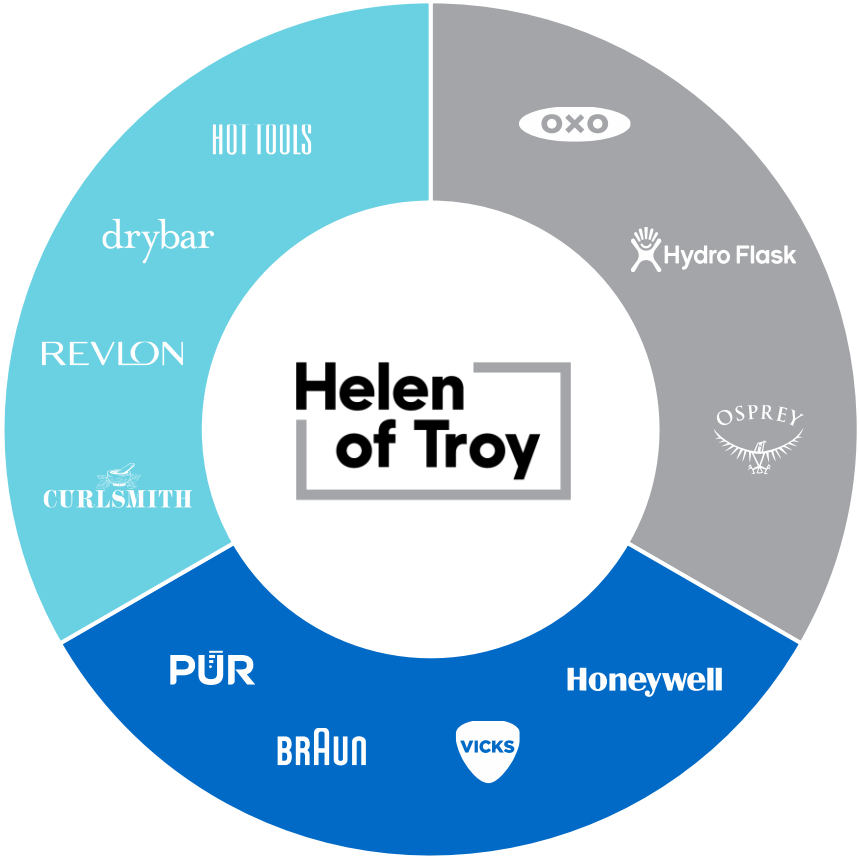


**Be  
Consumer  
Obsessed**



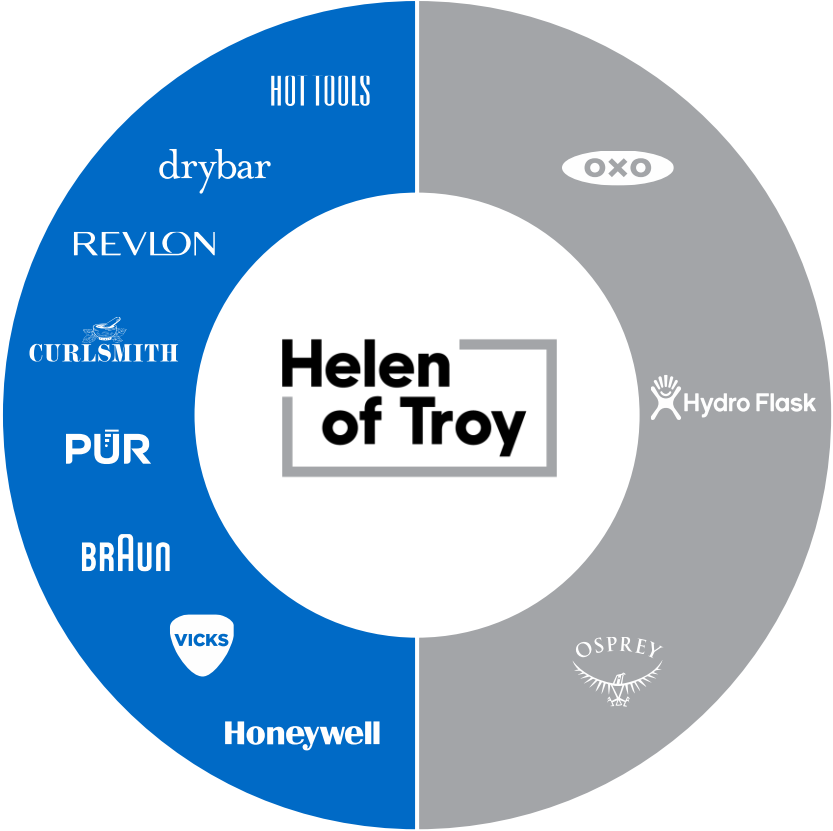
# Consolidated from Three Business Segments to Two

Business Segments



Beauty Health & Wellness Home & Outdoor

Business Segments



Beauty & Wellness Home & Outdoor

# Consumer Obsession Leading to New Capabilities to Drive Outcomes

## PEOPLE

- Deeply consumer connected, in every corner of the Company
- Shared passion and dedication for always delighting the consumer
- New Global CMO with a central team to boost our capability

## NEW TOOLS

- Sharp, distinctive and INSPIRING brand equities
- End-to-end consumer journeys across our brands
- Enhanced marketing ROI tools to optimize spend
- Social listening and ratings & reviews tools

## DESIRED OUTCOMES

- Stronger Brand Advocacy
- Market Share Gains
- Improved Marketing ROI

# Strategically Extend Our Brands









**HOT TOOLS™**

**PRO ARTIST™  
RESTORATIVE  
HEAT CARE**

CLEANS AND REPAIR SHAMPOO

8.5 Fl. Oz. / 250 ml

**HOT TOOLS™**

**PRO ARTIST™  
RESTORATIVE  
HEAT CARE**

REPAIR AND PROTECT  
CONDITIONER

8 Fl. Oz. / 236 ml

**HOT TOOLS™**

**PRO ARTIST™  
HEAT DEFENSE**

INSTANT DETANGLING MIST

6.4 Fl. Oz. / 189 ml

**HOT TOOLS™**

**PRO ARTIST™  
HEAT BONDING  
STYLER**

RECOVERY STYLING CREAM

3.4 Fl. Oz. / 100 ml

**HOT TOOLS™**

**PRO ARTIST™  
HEAT COMPLETE**

PROACTIVE FLEXIBLE HAIRSPRAY

sets, finishes, and helps protect  
from heat & UV rays

Net Wt. 7 Oz. / 198.5 g

# Larry Witt

President,  
Home & Outdoor







**Make everyday better, every day.**



OXO  
3.5" / 10.5cm Santoku Knife  
Stainless Steel 42012 MMY





# Be and Win Where the Shopper Shops



# Leverage NA RMO to Strategically Expand Distribution

## How we assessed North America white space opportunities

| Category                       | Drug  | Food  | Club  | Dept Store | Home  | Mass  | Speciality | Value |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------------|-------|-------|------------|-------|
| <b>Wellness</b>                |       |       |       |            |       |       |            |       |
| Thermometry                    | Grey  | Grey  | Grey  | Grey       | Grey  | Grey  | Grey       | Grey  |
| Humidification                 | Grey  | Grey  | Grey  | Grey       | Grey  | Grey  | Grey       | Grey  |
| Nasal Aspirator                | White | White | White | White      | White | White | White      | White |
| Blood Pressure Monitors        | White | White | White | White      | White | White | White      | White |
| <b>Home / Seasonal</b>         |       |       |       |            |       |       |            |       |
| Water Filtration               | Grey  | White | Grey  | White      | Grey  | Grey  | White      | White |
| <b>Beauty</b>                  |       |       |       |            |       |       |            |       |
| Hair Appliances/Tools          | Grey  | Grey  | Grey  | Grey       | Grey  | Grey  | Grey       | Grey  |
| Prestige Hair Appliances/Tools | Grey  | Grey  | Grey  | Grey       | Grey  | Grey  | Grey       | Grey  |
| Hair Liquids                   | White | White | White | White      | White | White | White      | White |
| Prestige Hair Liquids          | White | White | White | White      | White | White | White      | White |
| <b>OXO</b>                     |       |       |       |            |       |       |            |       |
| Kitchen Gadgets                | White | White | White | White      | White | White | White      | White |
| Food Storage                   | White | White | White | White      | White | White | White      | White |
| Kitchen Org                    | White | White | White | White      | White | White | White      | White |
| Insulated Bottles              | White | White | White | White      | White | White | White      | White |
| Bath                           | White | White | White | White      | White | White | White      | White |
| Cleaning                       | White | White | White | White      | White | White | White      | White |
| TOT / Baby                     | White | White | White | White      | White | White | White      | White |
| Coffee                         | White | White | White | White      | White | White | White      | White |
| <b>Outdoor</b>                 |       |       |       |            |       |       |            |       |
| Insulated Bottles              | Grey  | Grey  | Grey  | Grey       | Grey  | Grey  | Grey       | Grey  |
| Packs                          | Grey  | Grey  | Grey  | Grey       | Grey  | Grey  | Grey       | Grey  |

= Current distribution or customer does not carry the category
  = Potential distribution opportunity

## What we plan to do next

- Leverage our NA RMO to continue to identify new distribution opportunities at existing customers
- Use a shopper mindset to identify new customers for expansion

# Upping Our Game in How We Execute In-Store and Online

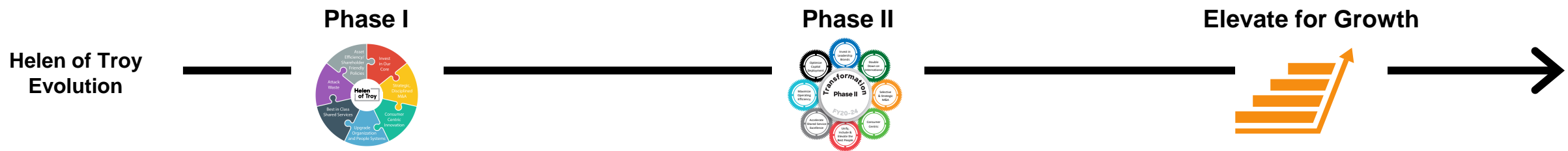
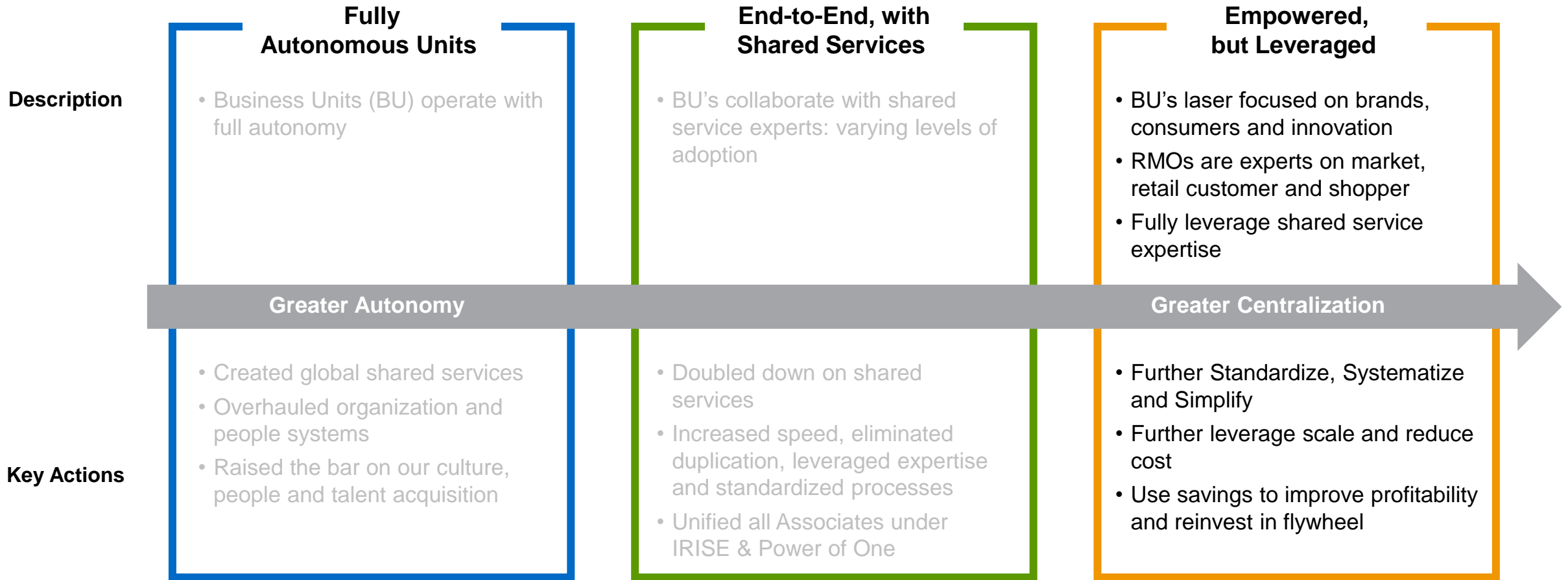


# Fully Leverage Operational Scale and Assets





# Embrace and Leverage Our New Operating Model



# Jay Caron

Chief of Global  
Operations



# Opened Our World Class Facility with Advanced Systems and Automation



## Operational

Completed construction  
March 2023; Operational  
Q1 FY24

State-of-the-art automation  
equipment is expected to  
be completed by end of  
FY24

## Built for Growth

Enables consolidation  
across distribution  
network (2M sq. ft.)

Ability to scale and bolt  
in new acquisitions

## Built for Agility

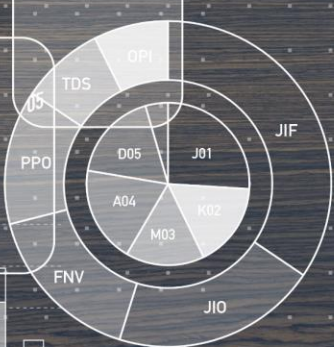
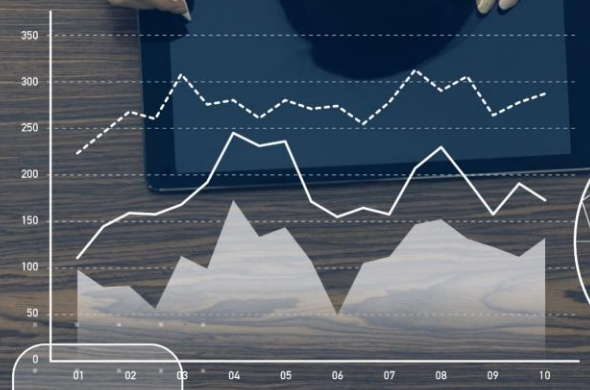
Automation and robotics  
are faster and more  
efficient at processing  
large order volumes

Designed to be agile  
and flex to our needs

## LEED Compliant

Leadership in **E**nergy  
and **E**nvironmental  
**D**esign is a green  
building certification  
program used worldwide

# Embrace Next-Level Data and Analytics



|                 |                  |                |                 |                  |                 |                  |
|-----------------|------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| AIU             | HJI              | WWE            | PLO             | EER              | QRT             | OPY              |
| 1,822<br>(-35)  | 20,369<br>(+580) | 890<br>(-20)   | 6,350<br>(-200) | 10,985<br>(+580) | 665<br>(-15)    | 6,800<br>(-115)  |
| MBC             | LJH              | MJB            | PON             | NFR              | UGH             | OMJ              |
| 3,605<br>(+210) | 9,542<br>(-128)  | 2,609<br>(+35) | 7,654<br>(+169) | 6,522<br>(+122)  | 1,632<br>(-54)  | 3,652<br>(+182)  |
| YBV             | QMN              | MMJ            | IIT             | KLM              | CCX             | EMH              |
| 3,204<br>(-33)  | 5,211<br>(+156)  | 7,100<br>(-60) | 7,150<br>(-150) | 782<br>(+74)     | 1,901<br>(+101) | 3,280<br>(-120)  |
| MBR             | WFF              | HJM            | OLC             | LSD              | SDH             | GHS              |
| 3,920<br>(+120) | 712<br>(+12)     | 134<br>(+5)    | 2,022<br>(-18)  | 631<br>(+40)     | 6,287<br>(-57)  | 12,630<br>(+330) |

# Turning Data and Insights into Intelligence

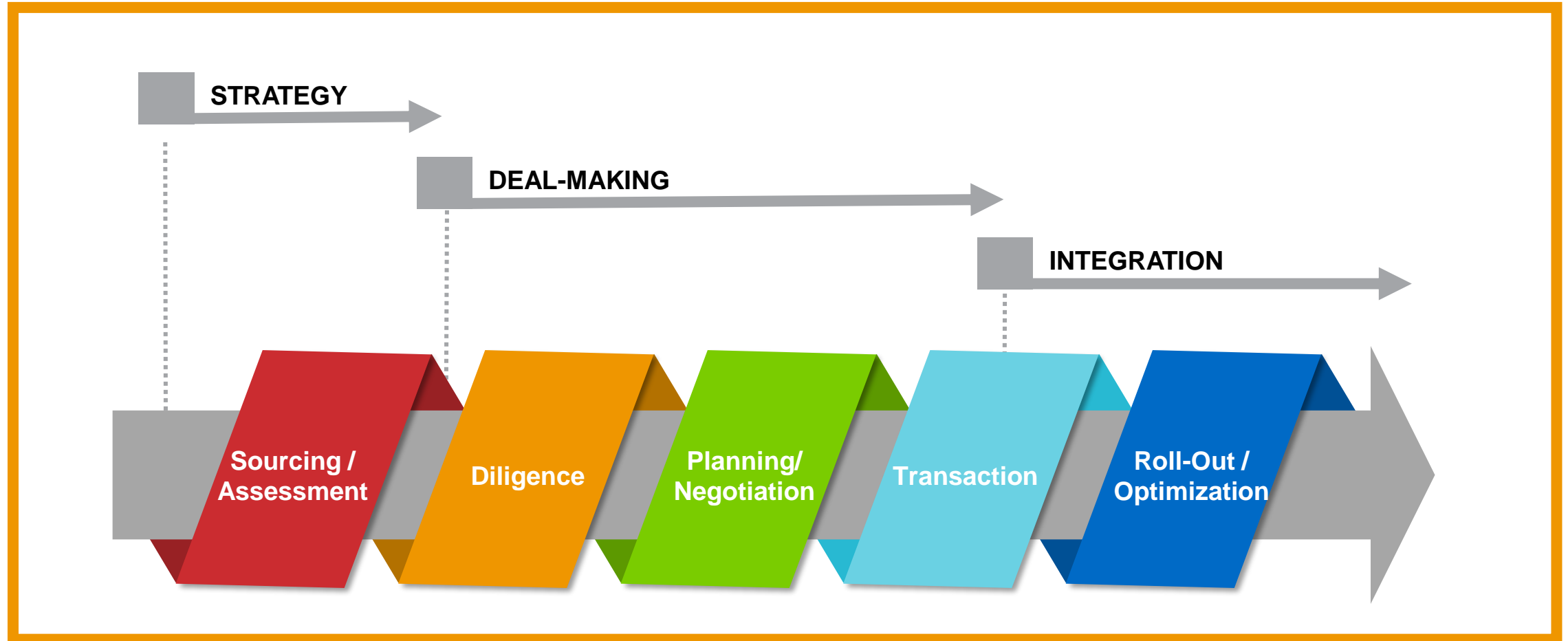


# Data Driven Activation Drives Results

# Strengthen End-to-End M&A Capabilities



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# Foster a Winning Culture



# Foster a Winning Culture that Develops and Coaches an Agile, Accountable, and Unified Team



In Touch



Mutual  
Respect



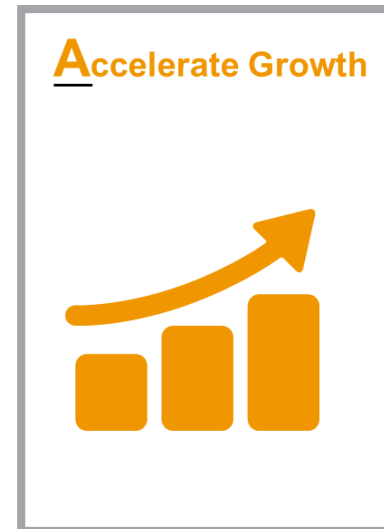
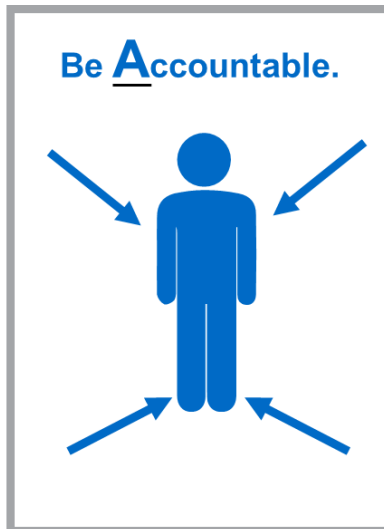
Ingenuity



Shared  
Success



Exceptional  
People



# We Have a Set of Clear and Compelling Strategic Choices

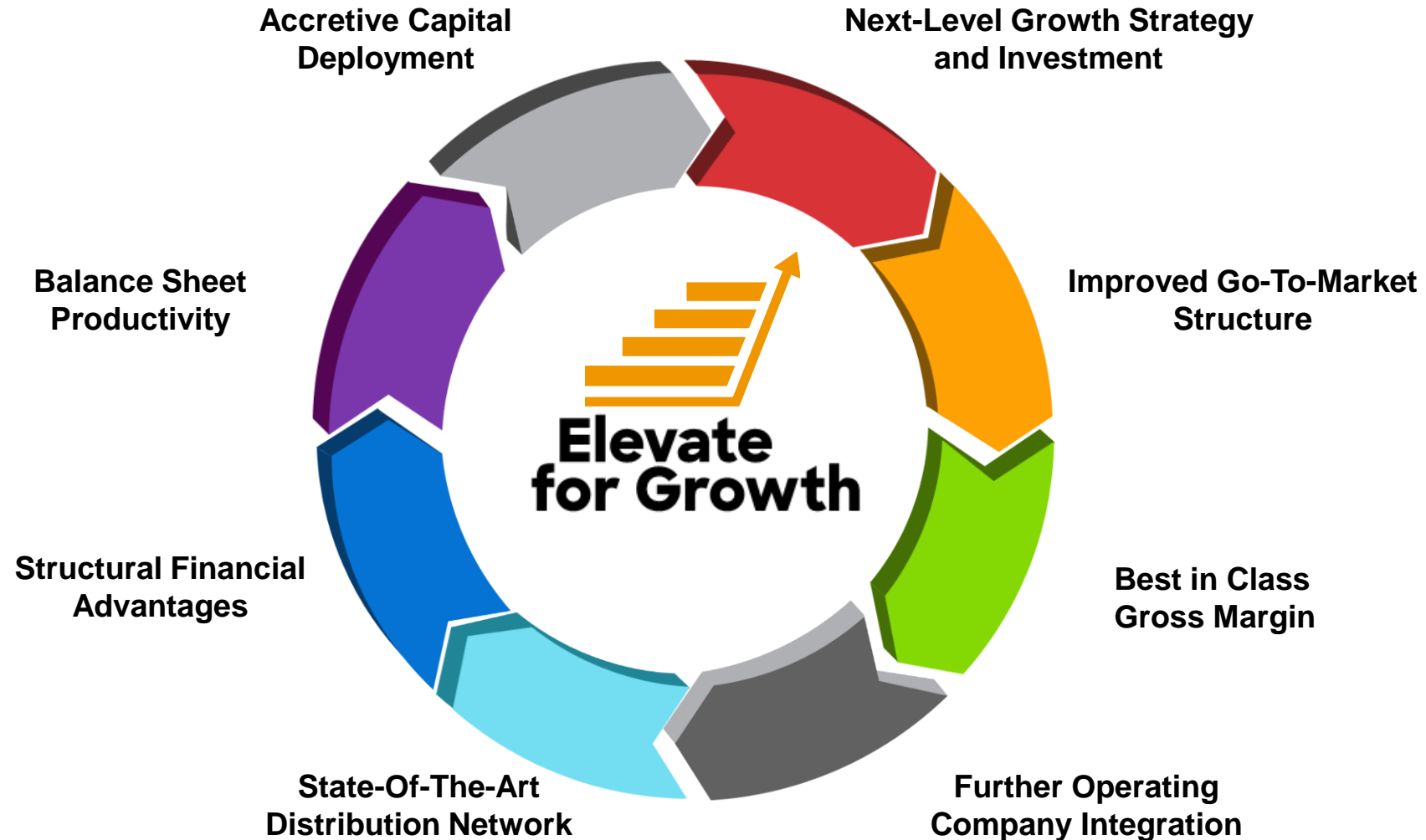
## Where to Play

-  Shape and Invest in a Growth Portfolio
-  Win with Winning Customers
-  Strategically Grow International
-  Continue *Better Together* M&A

## How to Win

- ▶ Foster a winning culture
- ▶ Strengthen end-to-end M&A capabilities
- ▶ Embrace next-level data and analytics
- ▶ Fully leverage operational scale & assets
- ▶ Be and win where the shopper shops
- ▶ Strategically extend our brands
- ▶ Be consumer obsessed

# Next-Level Flywheel Creates the Next Virtuous Cycle



# Brian Grass

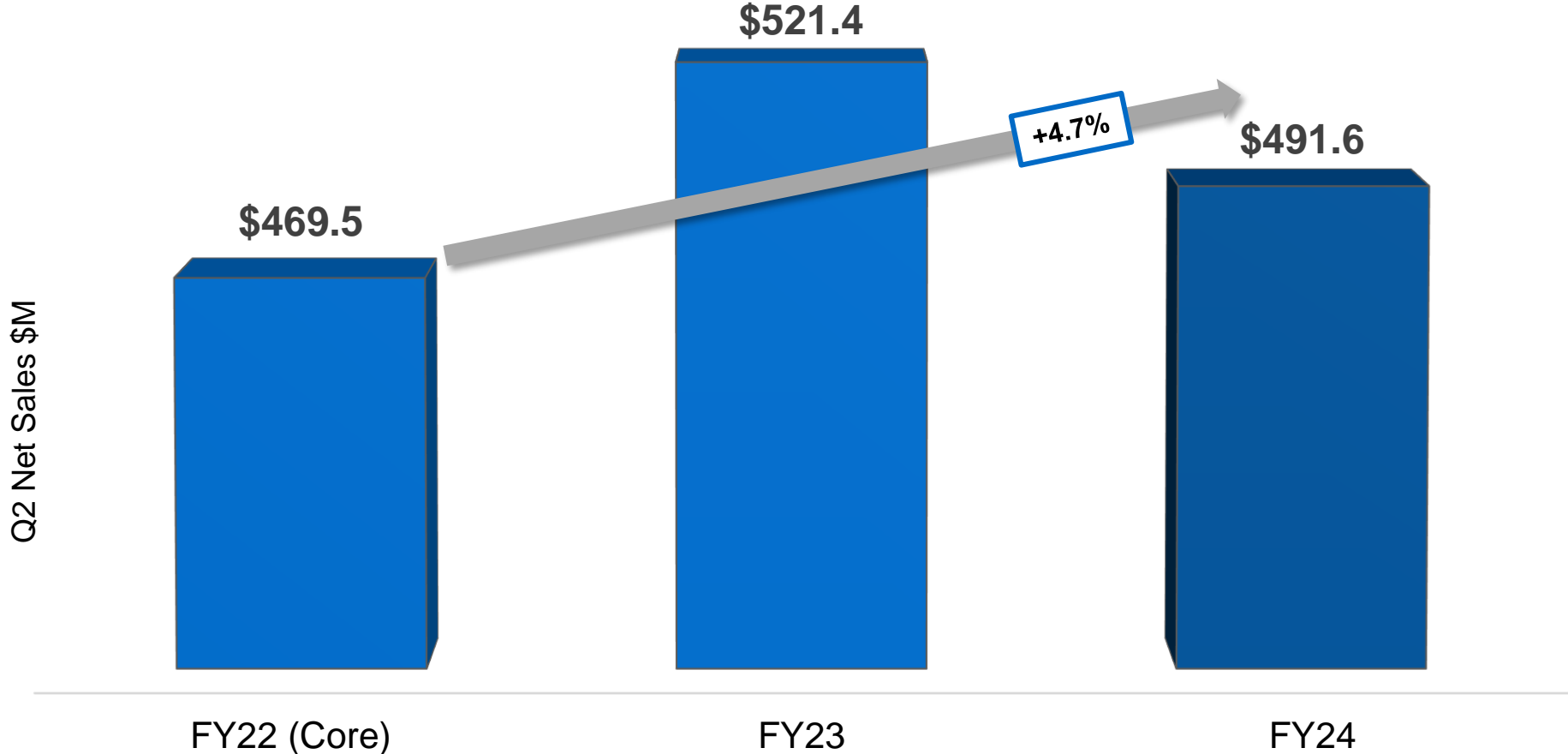
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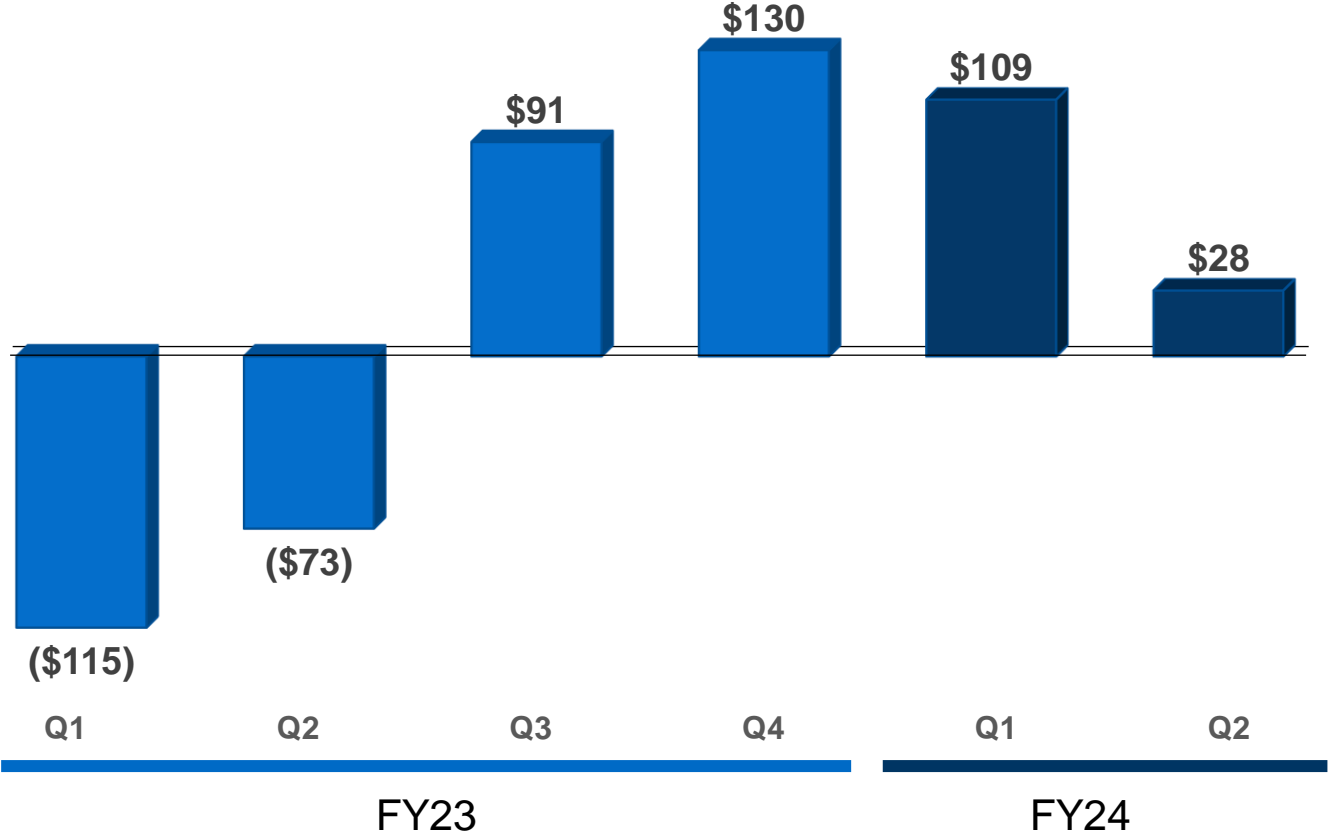
- Fiscal Year 24 Performance Perspective
- Transformation Phase II Highlights and Takeaways
- *Elevate for Growth* Illustrations and Long-Term Targets
- Next-Level Value Creation
  - Next-Level Strategy Meets Next-Level Flywheel
  - Why Invest in Helen of Troy

# FY24 Q2 Net Sales – Solid Growth on a Two-Year Stack

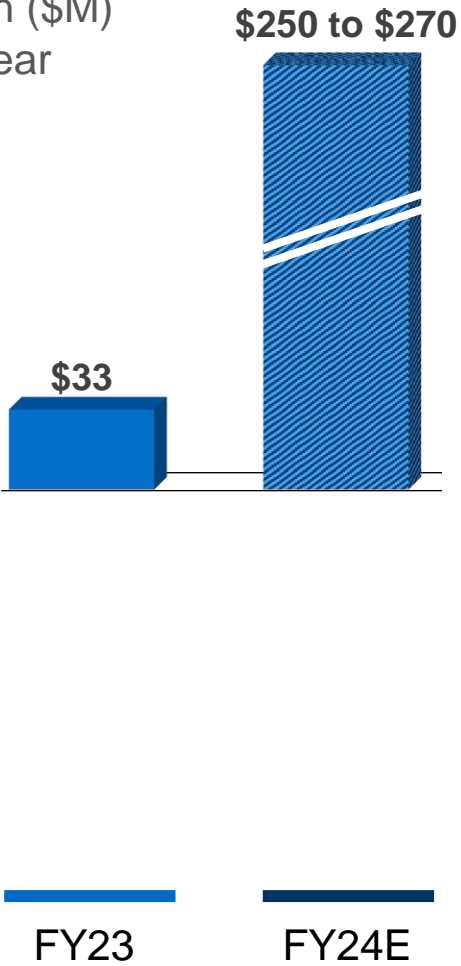


# Free Cash Flow Progression – Back on Track

Quarterly Cash Flow\* Progression (\$M)



Full-Year Cash Flow Progression (\$M) by Fiscal Year



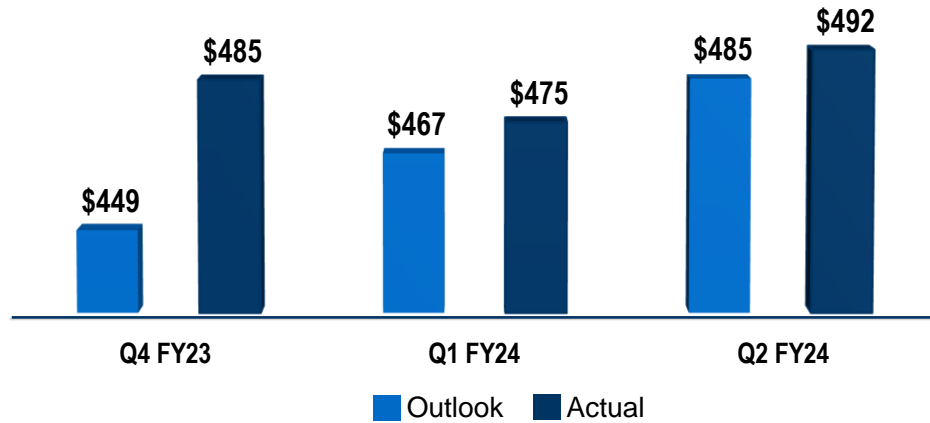
\* Includes expected capital expenditures related to the previously announced new two million square foot distribution facility with state-of-the-art automation referred to as "Iron Giant". The Company expects capital expenditures for the new distribution center and equipment to be in the range of \$215 million to \$225 million spread over fiscal years 2022, 2023, and 2024.



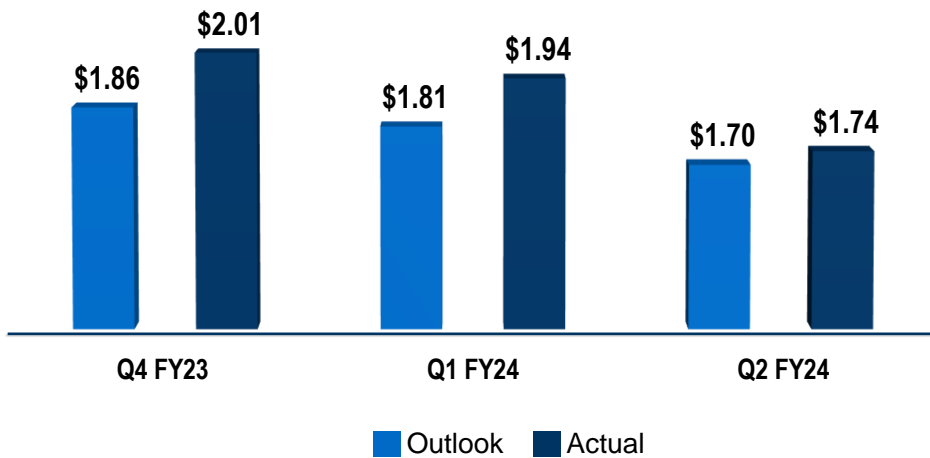
# Consistency of Performance *with* Margin Expansion and Cash Flow Growth

Consistency of Performance vs. Outlook Midpoint

## Net Sales (\$M)

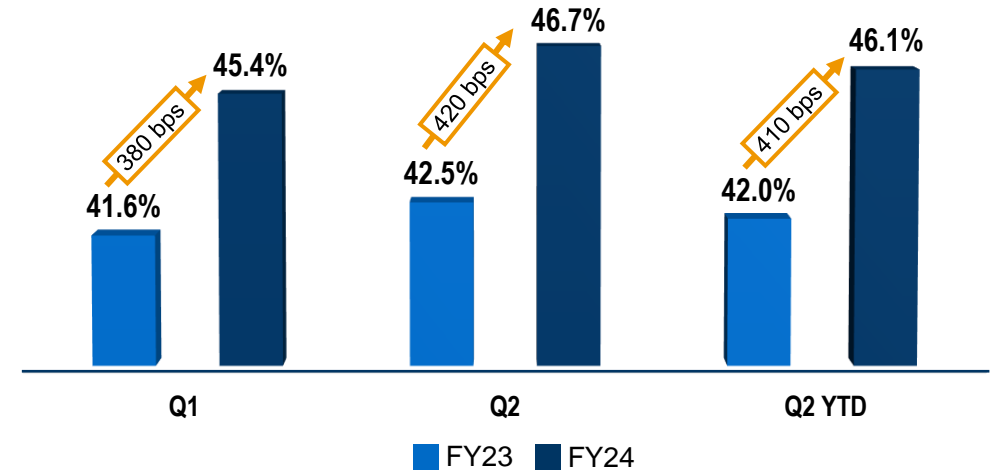


## Adjusted EPS

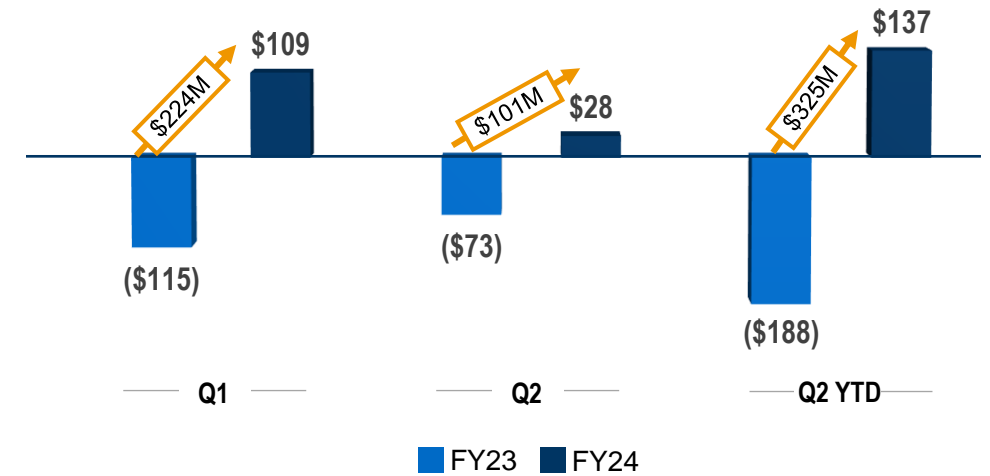


Year-Over-Year Improvement

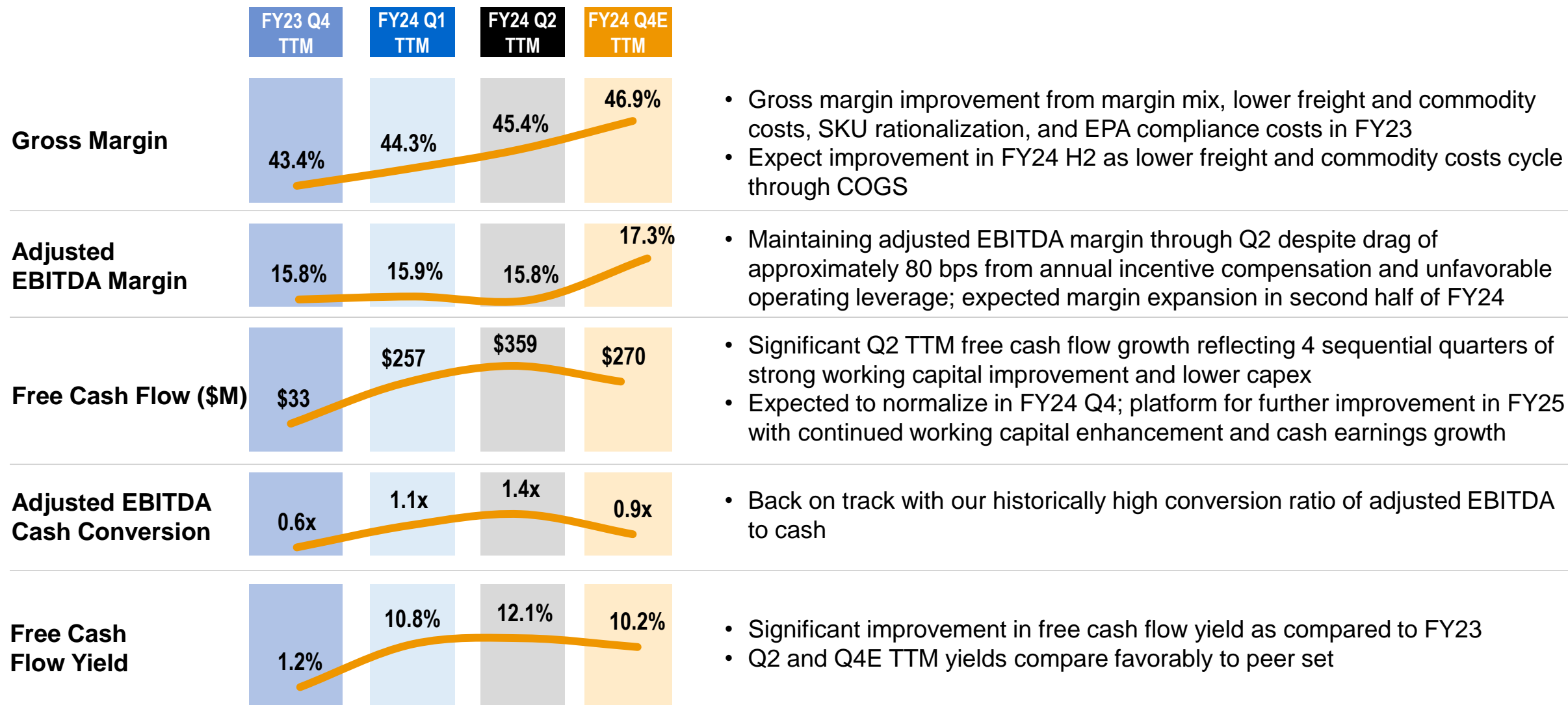
## Gross Margin Rate



## Free Cash Flow (\$M)



# Trailing 12 Month (TTM) Trends and FY24 Outlook Signal an Inflection Point



# Pegasus Restructuring and Asset Optimization Progress

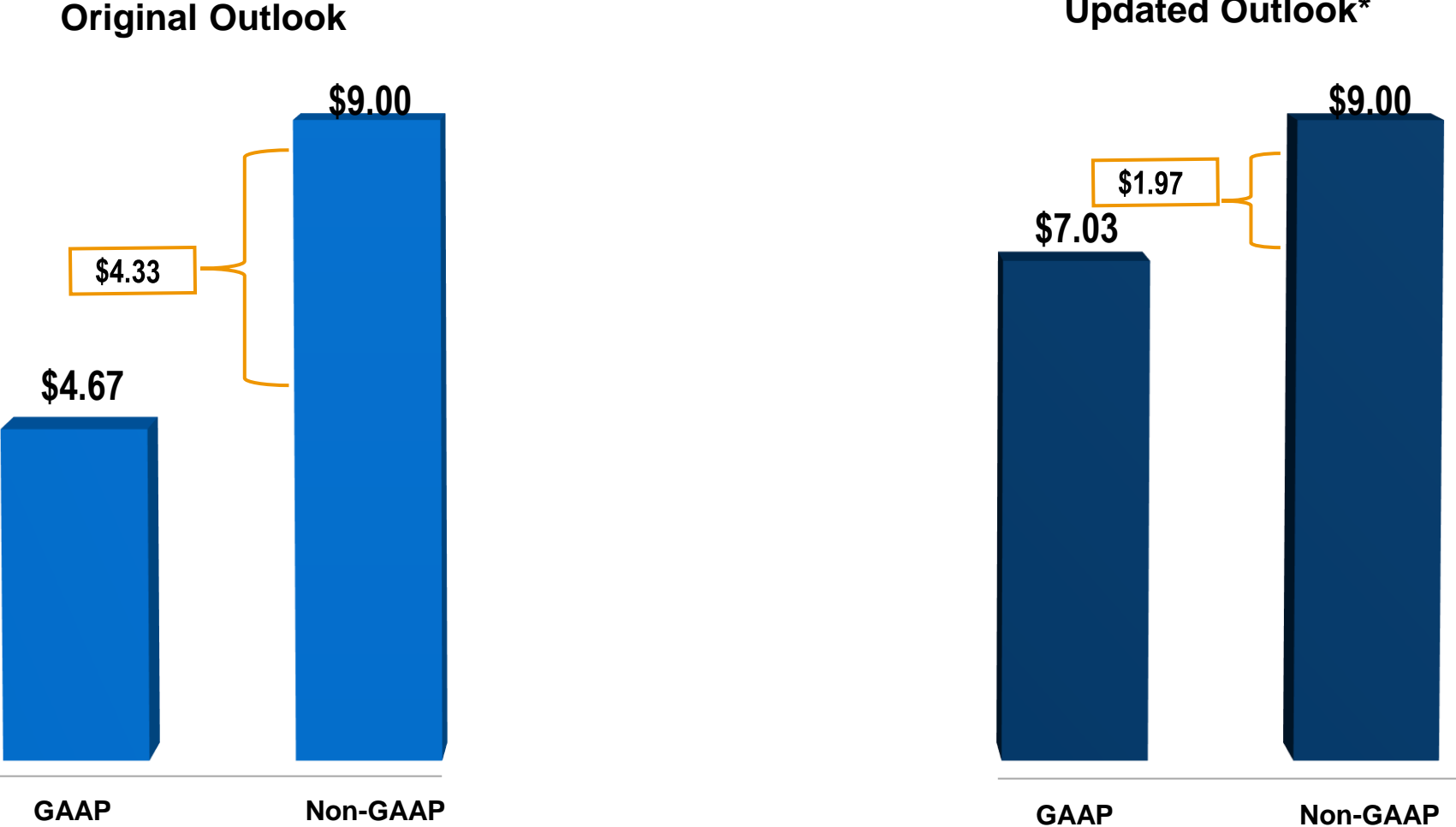
## Restructuring Plan

- We continue to make significant progress with Project Pegasus
- Reduction in estimated restructuring charges due a favorable revision in our assessment of the impact of a potential exit from one of our businesses
- Plan now includes the geographic consolidation of U.S. Beauty with Wellness in the greater Boston area:
  - Consolidation allows for greater synergies, collaboration and access to talent
  - Long execution horizon minimizes risk of disruption
  - These changes result in a net reduction in total estimated restructuring charges of \$25 to \$30 million over the duration of the plan
- We now expect restructuring charges to be completed during FY25
- Pegasus expected to provide significant savings in FY25 and FY26
- Ongoing operational discipline and savings initiatives to carry on past restructuring plan completion

## Asset Optimization

- Our asset optimization initiative is a multi-pronged effort to improve the overall productivity of our balance sheet
- As part of the initiative, we completed the sale of our El Paso, Texas distribution and office facility subsequent to the end of the second quarter
  - As part of the sale, we entered into a leaseback of the facility for up to 18 months substantially rent free which allows for a smooth transition to a more optimal facility
  - El Paso to remain our U.S. headquarters and largest shared service hub with key back-office functions such as finance, legal, HR, treasury, IT, customer service, credit and collections and accounts payable
  - Total gross proceeds were \$51 million, which we expect to result in a pre-tax gain of approximately \$34 million
  - Proceeds were used to pay down debt, which allows us to finish FY24 at the better end of our leverage expectations while also repurchasing \$50 million of our shares in Q2
- Expect to take further actions over time to streamline our operations, facility footprint and asset productivity

# Expected Decrease in Restructuring Charges and Gain on Sale of Facility Narrow Delta Between GAAP and Non-GAAP EPS



\*Reflects high end of the Company's FY24 outlook range provided on October 4, 2023

# Honing of Outlook for the Second Half of FY24

## Revenue and Earnings Shift from Q3E to Q4E

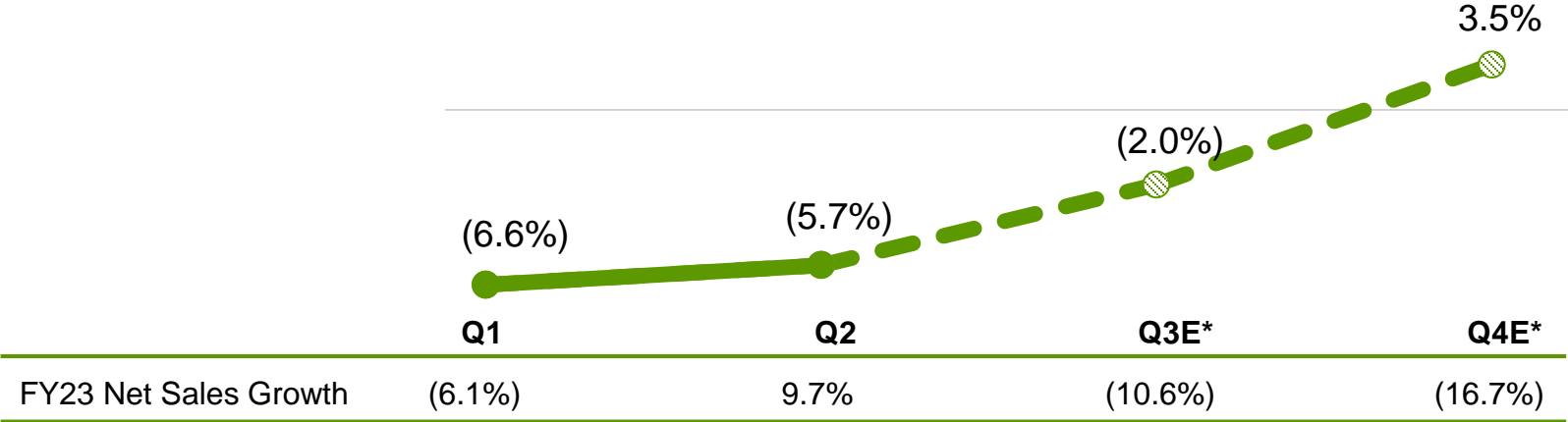
- Reflects greater visibility on the puts and takes that are under our control
  - Distribution gains secured in H1 are more fully weighted in Q4
  - Isolated supply pinch due to demand exceeding original forecast on certain subcomponents we expect to hurt Q3, but help Q4
  - Expect to more fully recognize the revenue drive from increased marketing investments in Q4
- Also factors in some of the visibility from certain key retailer expectations
  - Cautious ordering patterns in short-term as certain retailers factor in student loan impact and manage their year-end inventory levels
  - Retail inventory is generally at low levels; therefore, we expect Q4 ordering patterns more in line with the first half of the year
  - Results in a smoother revenue and earnings growth trajectory and better aligns with prior year comparisons

## Drivers of Second Half Performance

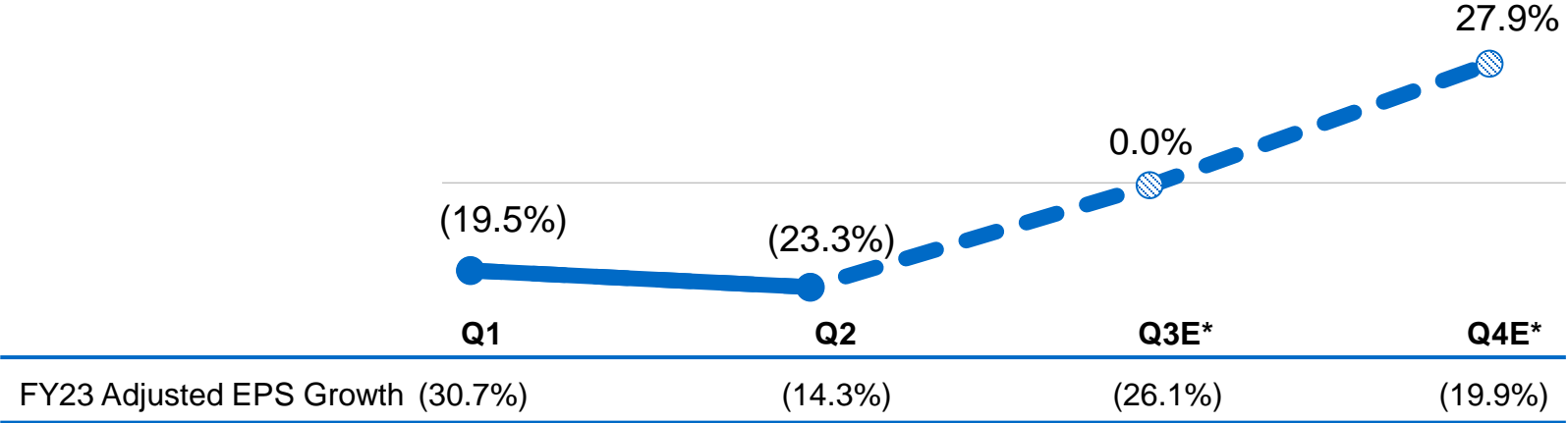
- Club channel phasing – programs are in place
- Better supply position on key products with high demand
- Key retailers have shifted orders for seasonal items from H1 load-in to replenishment orders spread across H2
- Distribution gains secured in H1 layer in to H2 much more fully
- Hydro Flask Travel Tumbler launch will have a heavier weight in H2, and we are spending behind it to drive more revenue
- Our second half outlook assumes average sickness incidence; anything above average would be upside to our outlook

# FY24 Expected Net Sales and Adjusted EPS Growth Trajectory

## FY24 Net Sales Growth by Quarter



## FY24 Adjusted EPS Growth by Quarter



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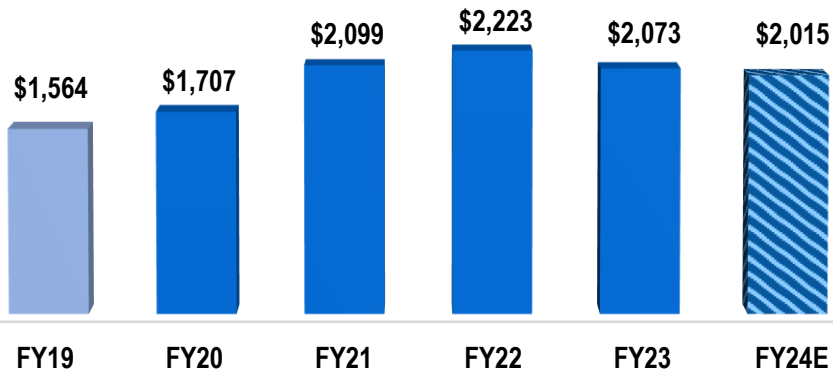
# Transformation Phase II Highlights & Takeaways



# Strong Phase II Performance Despite Significant Macro Disruption Provides Healthy Base as We Enter *Elevate for Growth*

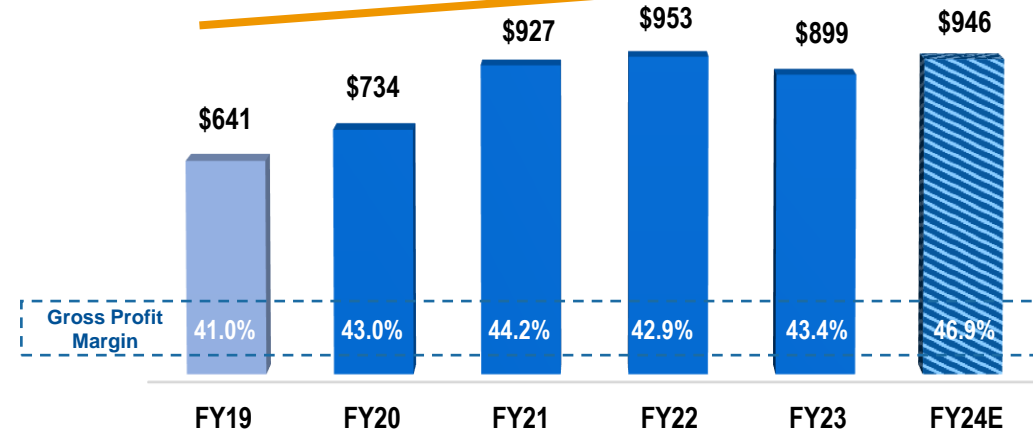
### Net Sales (\$M)

Phase II CAGR 5.2%  
Phase II Core CAGR 6.6%



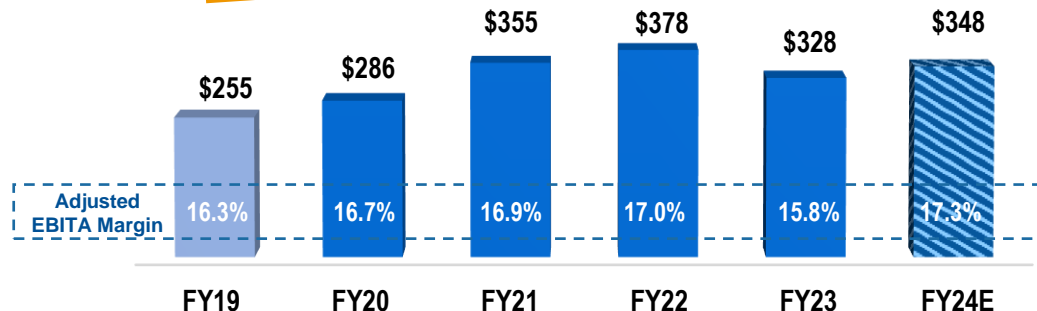
### Gross Profit (\$M)

Phase II CAGR 8.1%



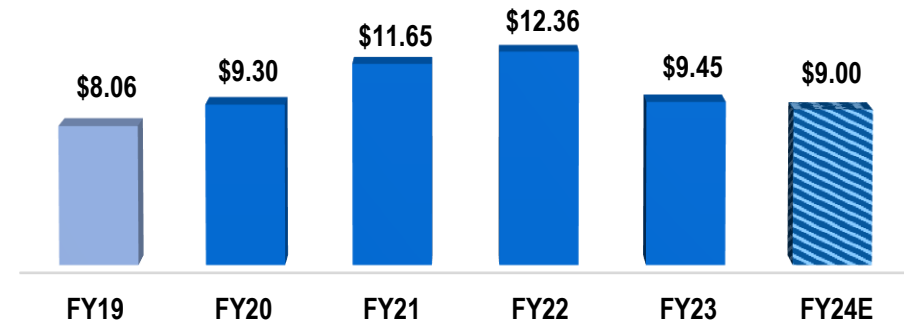
### Adjusted EBITDA (\$M)

Phase II CAGR 6.4%



### Adjusted EPS

Phase II CAGR 2.2%  
Phase II Core CAGR 4.4%



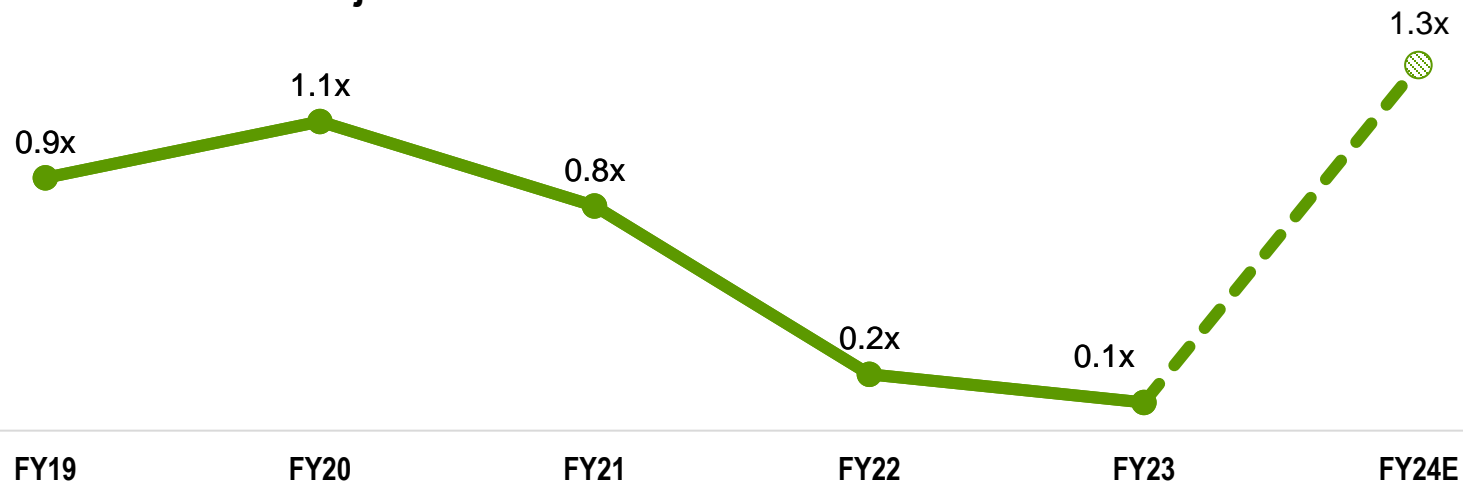
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2) "Core" refers to Core Business Net Sales and Core Business Adjusted EPS as used in SEC filings and as defined in the glossary. It reflects net sales growth excluding the impact of divested business in all relevant periods.

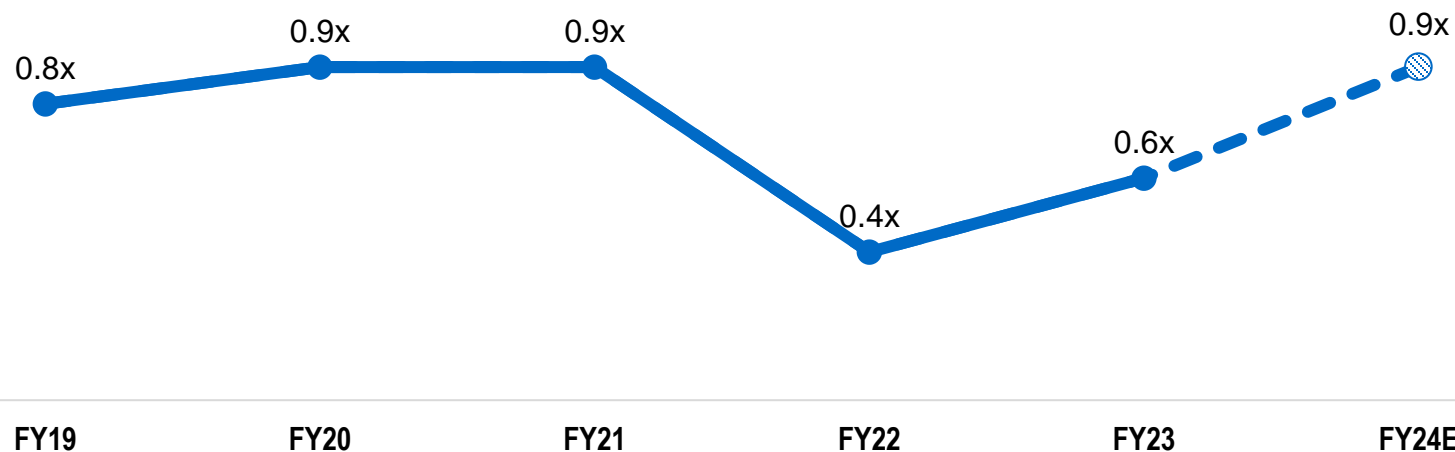


# Adjusted Income and Adjusted EBITDA Cash Conversion Back on Track

## Adjusted Income Conversion to Free Cash Flow



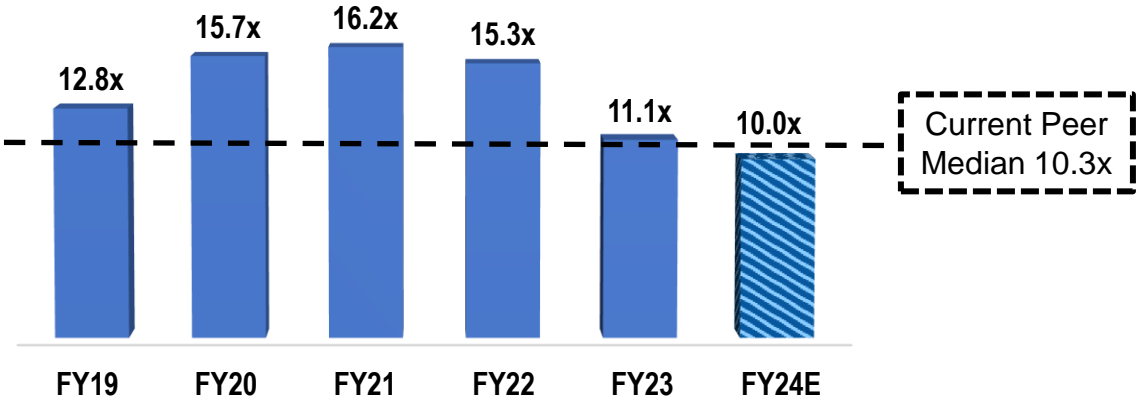
## Adjusted EBITDA Conversion to Cash Flow from Operations



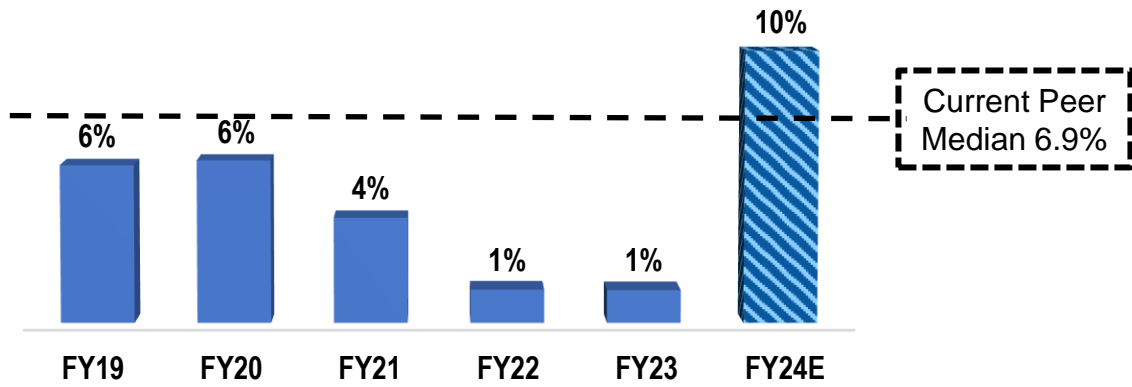
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# Key Metrics Indicate HELE is Undervalued Compared to Peers

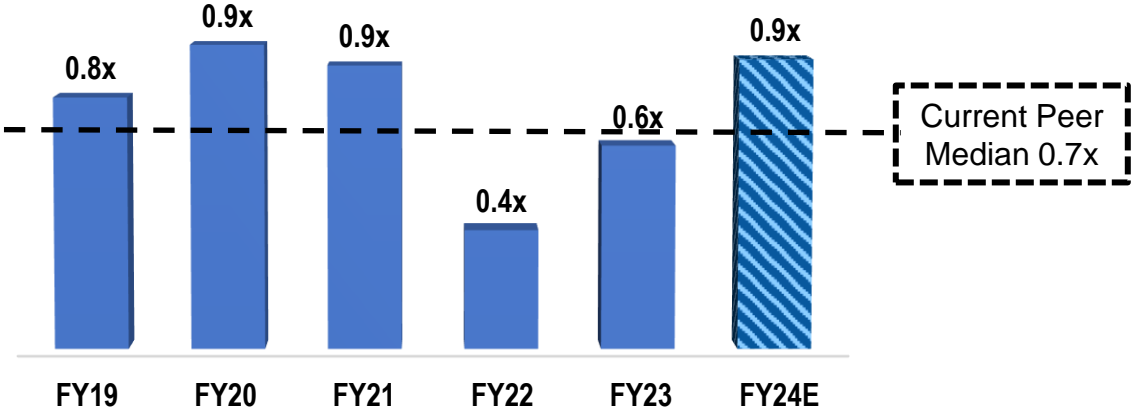
EV/Forward Adjusted EBITDA



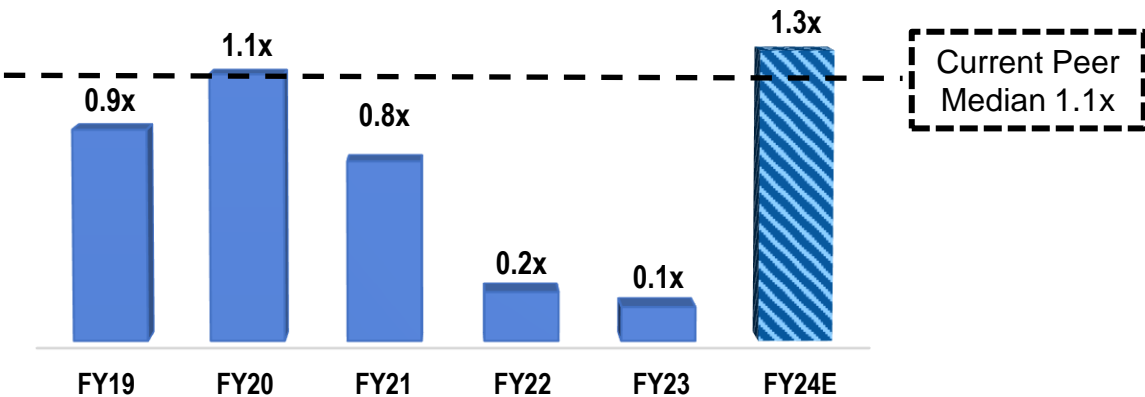
Free Cash Flow Yield



Adjusted EBITDA Conversion to Cash Flow from Operations



Adjusted Income Conversion to Free Cash Flow



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# Despite Challenges and Macro Disruption of the Past Two Years, Recent Strategic Investments Provide Strong Platform for the *Elevate for Growth* Era

## Acquisition of "insurgent" brands at attractive multiples elevates our growth profile and sweetens our mix

**drybar**

- **Drybar** - High growth prestige beauty brand with differentiated portfolio of tools and liquids and halo benefit from salons



- **Osprey** - Outdoor powerhouse and leader in technical packs now capitalizing on strong travel and lifestyle trends with robust product line

**CURLSMITH**

- **Curlsmith** - Premium, fast growing, high margin, and category-leading brand created for curly and wavy hair

## Project Pegasus and further operating integration creates greater efficiency, scale and productivity



- Reset of sourcing cost base through strategic partnership, consolidation, competitive bidding and design to value initiatives
- SKU rationalization and portfolio optimization provide a platform for healthy growth
- North America RMO sales organization allows for better focus and scale for future growth
- Beauty and Wellness consolidation enhances collaboration and eliminates redundancy
- Further supply chain centralization and development of North American sourcing team leverages best practices

## Iron Giant provides next-level distribution capability and expected operating leverage for years to come



- 2 million square foot distribution facility with state-of-the-art automation and artificial intelligence that learns and adapts
- Largely on time and on budget despite Covid and post-Covid disruption
- Future consolidation and footprint optimization will provide even greater operating leverage over time

*Elevate for  
Growth*  
Illustrations  
and Long-Term  
Targets



# Elevate for Growth

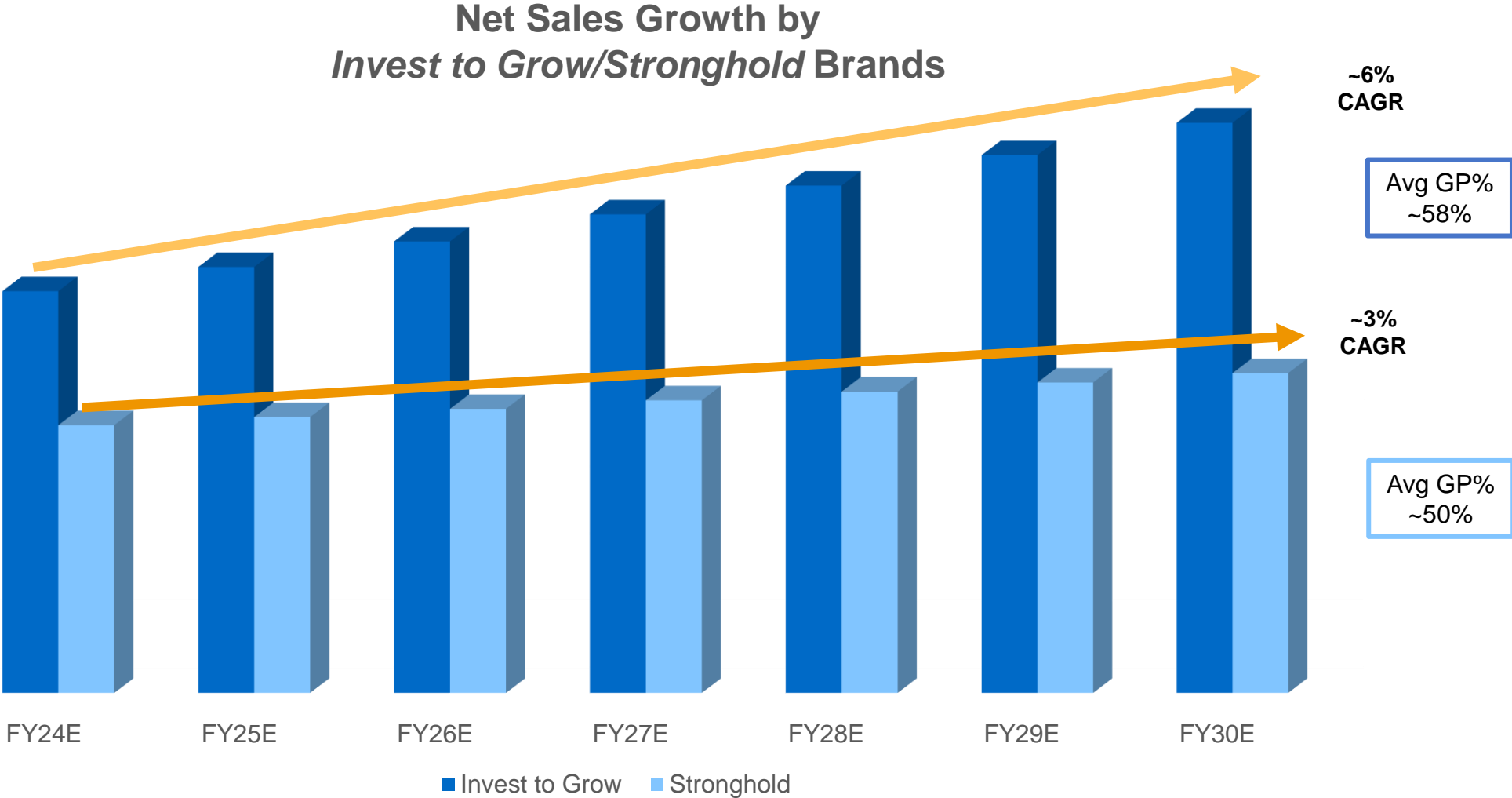
# Introduction to *Elevate for Growth*

## Executive Summary

## Average Annual Organic Target Highlights

- (1) Excludes acquisitions, divestitures and material currency fluctuations
- (2) Excludes acquisitions, divestitures, and material currency fluctuations; includes share repurchases

# Refocusing Investment Spend on *Invest to Grow* Brands while Maintaining Sufficient Investment to Hold Market Position on *Stronghold* Brands



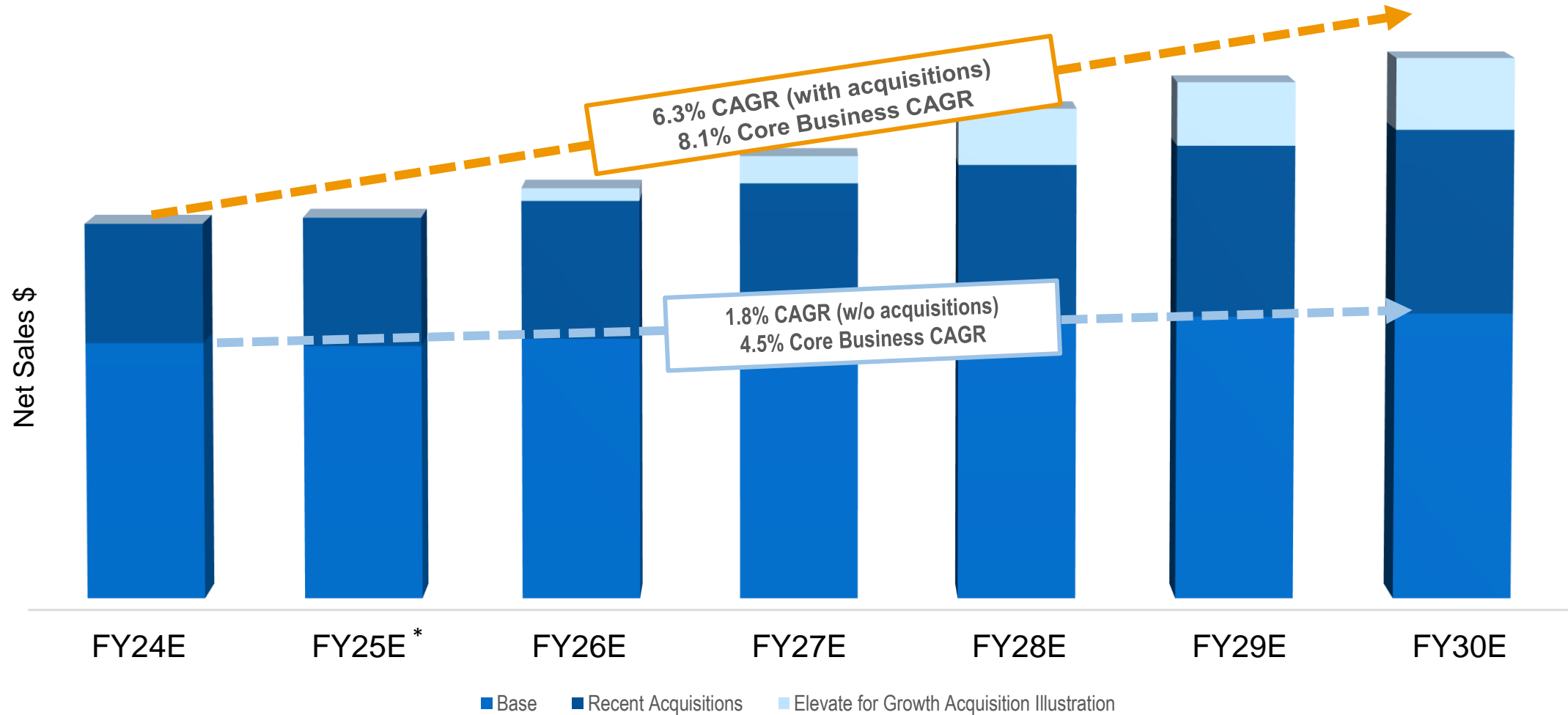
# Recent Acquisitions of High Growth Assets at Attractive Multiples Have Enhanced the *Invest to Grow* Portfolio and Created Significant Value



|                                    |                 |        |        |        |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Purchase Price                     | \$210M          | \$255M | \$414M | \$150M |
| HELE EBITDA Trading Multiple       | 12.0x           | 16.4x  | 17.5x  | 15.0x  |
| Acquisition EBITDA Multiple        | 11.6x           | 13.0x  | 13.5x  | 10.0x  |
| Discount                           | \$7M            | \$67M  | \$128M | \$81M  |
| Realized Sales Growth*             | 33%             | 12%    | 15%    | 41%    |
| Modeled Sales Growth               | 28%             | 10%    | 15%    | 24%    |
| Cumulative Valuation at 12x EBITDA | \$2.213 Billion |        |        |        |
| Cumulative Purchase Price          | \$1.029 Billion |        |        |        |

\*Actual Realized Sales Growth from acquisition date through FY24E for Drybar, Osprey and Curlsmith; Hydro Flask Realized and Modeled Sales growth presented through end of five-year acquisition model FY17-FY21

# Improve the Core and Add More



**Base:** All other brands except "Recent Acquisitions"

**Recent acquisitions:** Hydro Flask, Drybar, Osprey and Curlsmith

\* An Illustrative divestiture is assumed at the beginning of FY25. "Core Business CAGR" excludes the revenue of the divested business from FY24E so that it is excluded from all periods presented (see glossary for full Core Business definition).

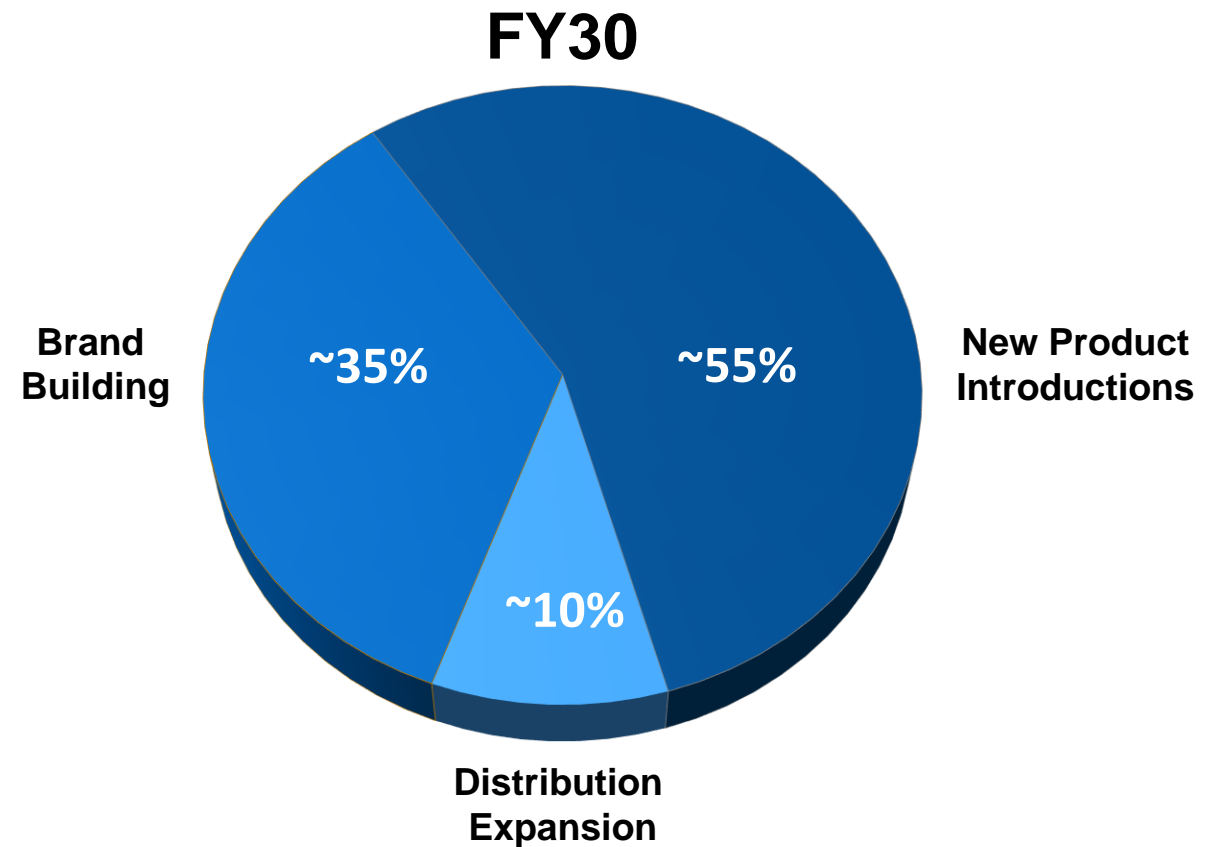
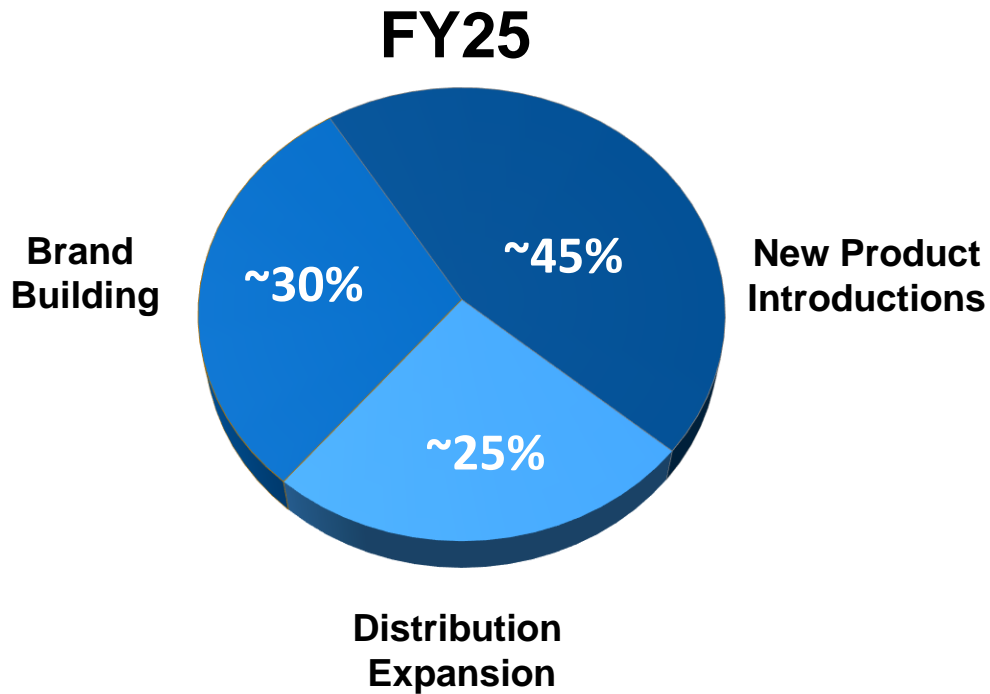
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# We Expect Composition of Growth Drivers to Evolve – Incremental Investments in Product Development and Brand Building Drive L-T Growth

## Composition of Expected Revenue Growth by Driver



# Launched Pegasus to Expand Margins, Create Efficiency and Fuel Growth

- **Objective:**

- Provide new efficiencies to amplify and accelerate growth
- Invest more in growing market share and developing new products
- Expand our operating margins
- Improve our cash flow

- **Targeted annualized pre-tax operating profit improvements:**

- ~ \$75M to \$85M
- Substantially beginning in FY24
- Expect to be substantially achieved by the end of FY26

- **Total profit improvements to be realized:**

- ~ 60% through reduced COGS
- ~ 40% through lower SG&A

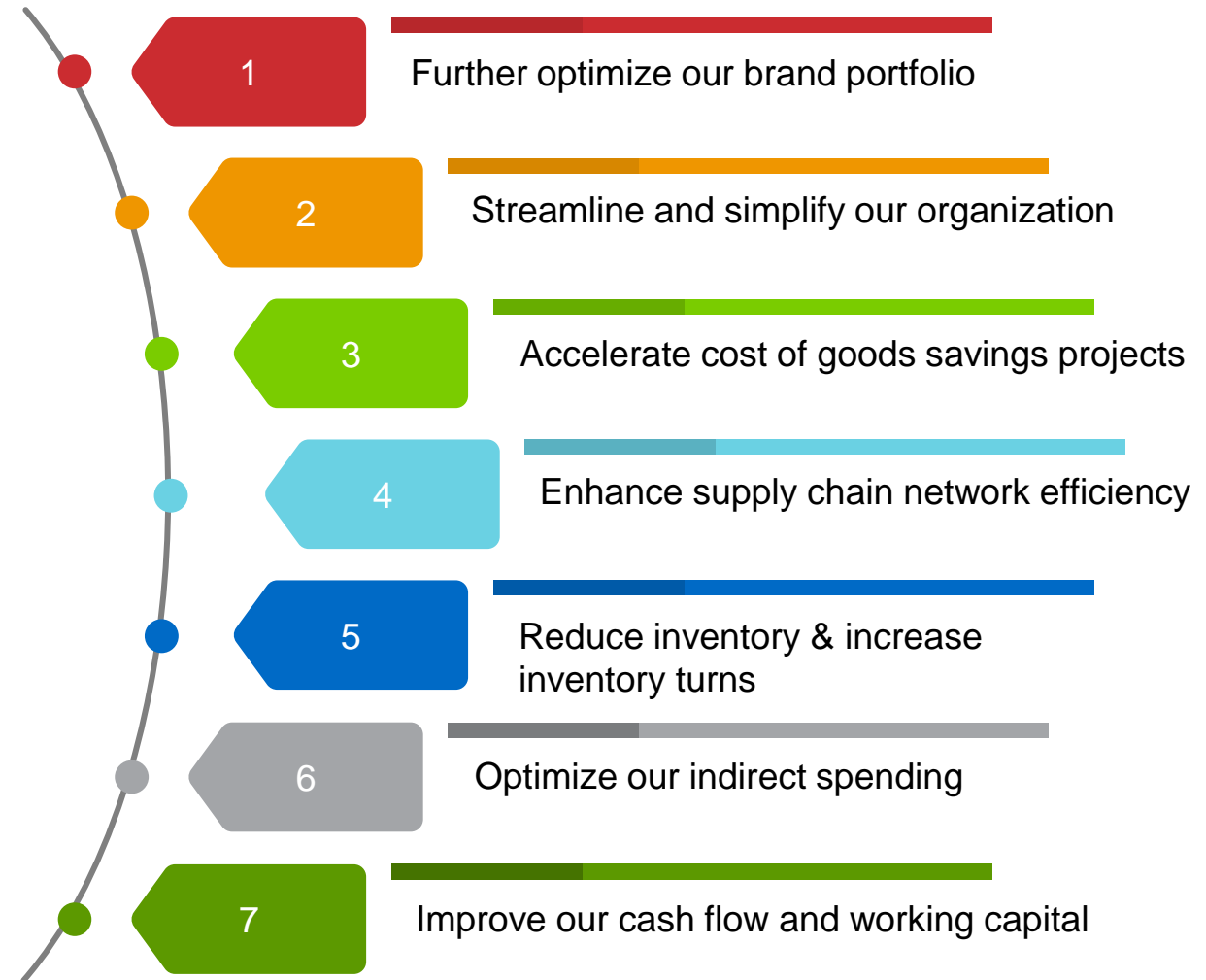
- **Estimated savings recognition cadence:**

- ~ 25% in FY24
- ~ 50% in FY25
- ~ 25% in FY26

- **Total one-time pre-tax restructuring charges\*:**

- ~ \$60M to \$65M over the duration of the plan
- Expected to be completed during FY25

## Project Pegasus Initiatives



\*Primarily severance & employee related costs, professional fees, contract termination costs, and other exit and disposal costs

# Impact of Iron Giant and U.S. Distribution Network Consolidation

## FY23 Network



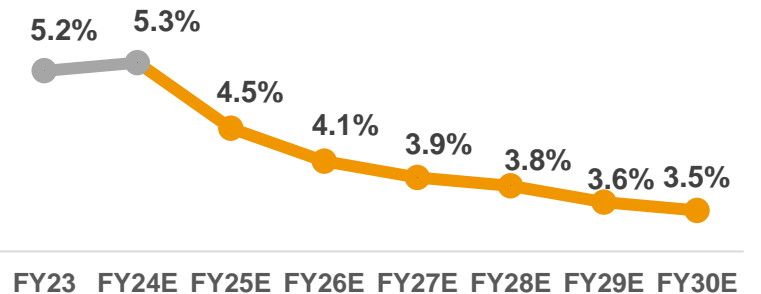
## FY26/FY27 Network



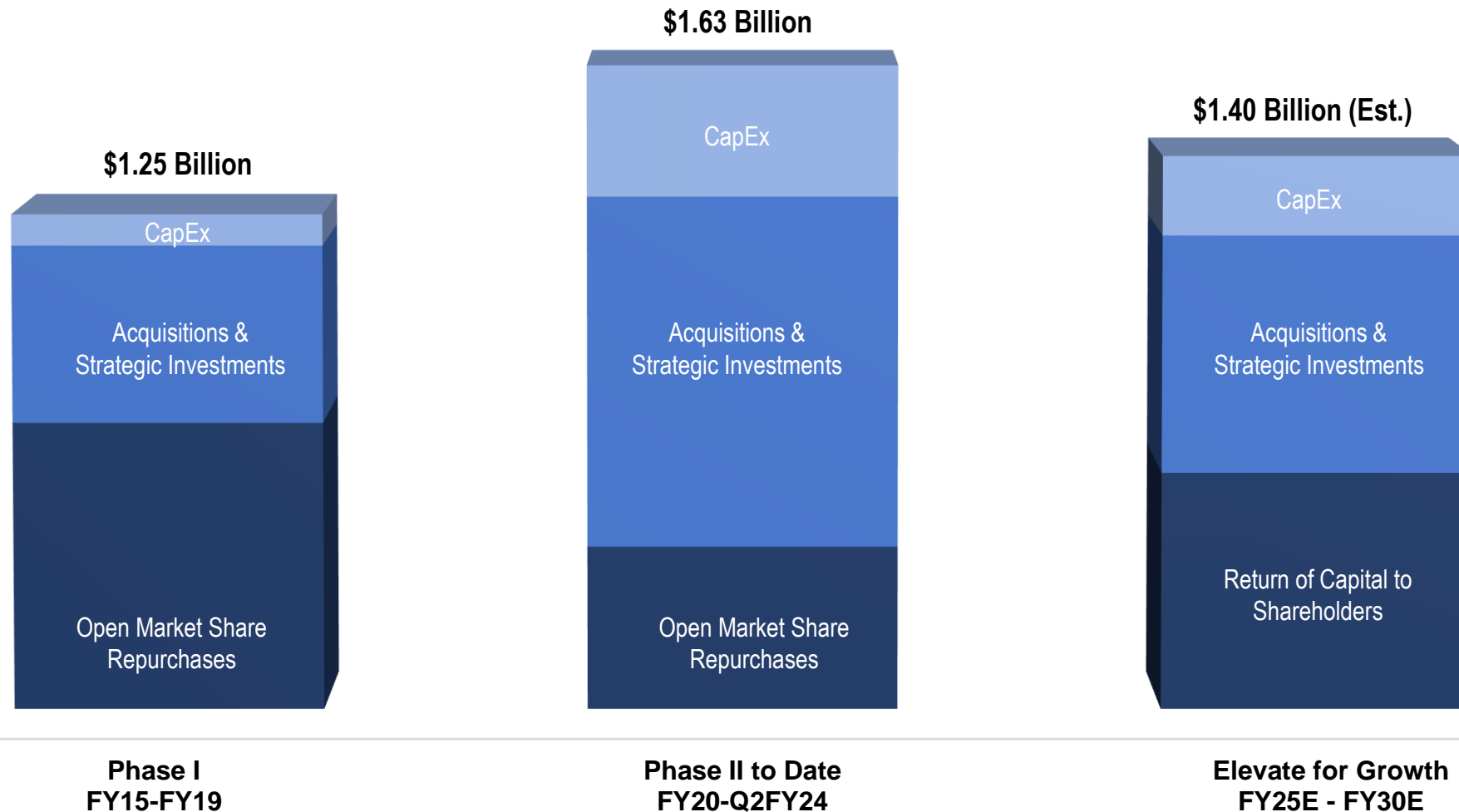
## FY26E Network Cost

|      | Annual Operating Cost | Cost per Net \$ Revenue |
|------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| FY23 | ~\$82 million         | ~5.2%                   |
| FY26 | ~\$71 million Est.    | ~4.1% Est.              |

Elevate for Growth: Distribution Expense % of Net Sales

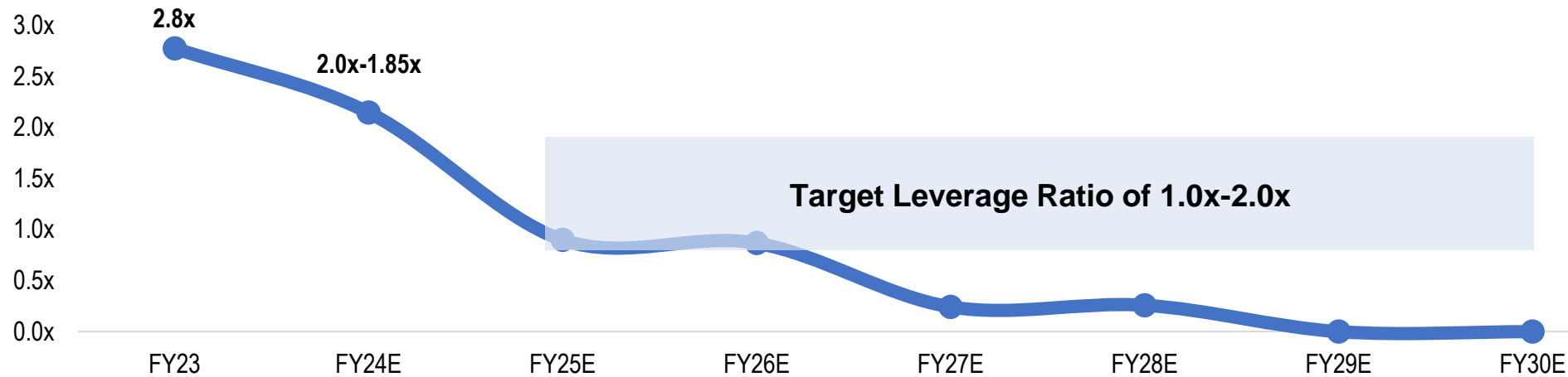
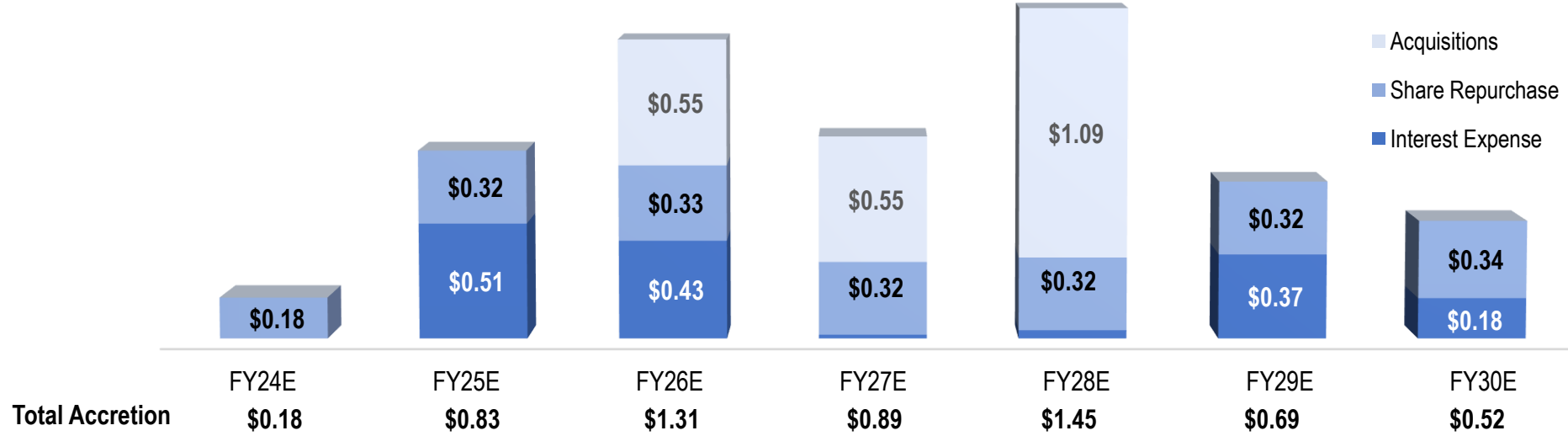


# Consistent and Balanced Capital Deployment Strategy Focuses on Creating Value through Strategic Choices



# Capital Deployment Illustration - Significant Earnings Accretion with Remaining Dry Powder to Further Deploy

## Adjusted EPS Accretion from Capital Deployment



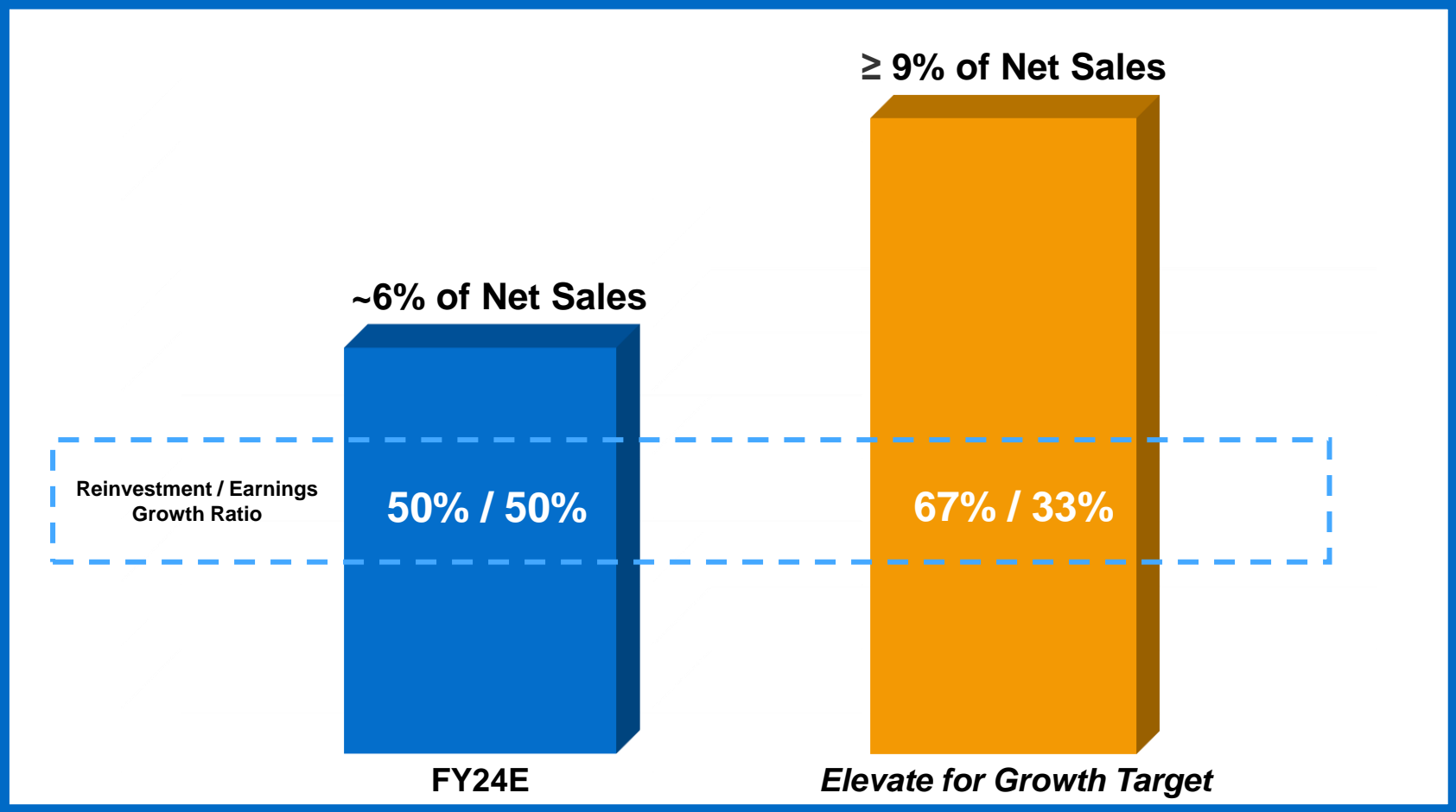
# Earnings Growth Drivers Fuel Significant Reinvestment *and* EPS Accretion

- Annual Adjusted EPS Growth
- Annual Growth Investment

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- Operating Leverage
- Capital Deployment/Tax
- Iron Giant/DC Consolidation
- Portfolio/SKU Optimization
- *Invest to Grow* Mix
- Pegasus/Productivity

# Pegasus Fuels Step-Level Increase in Growth Investment

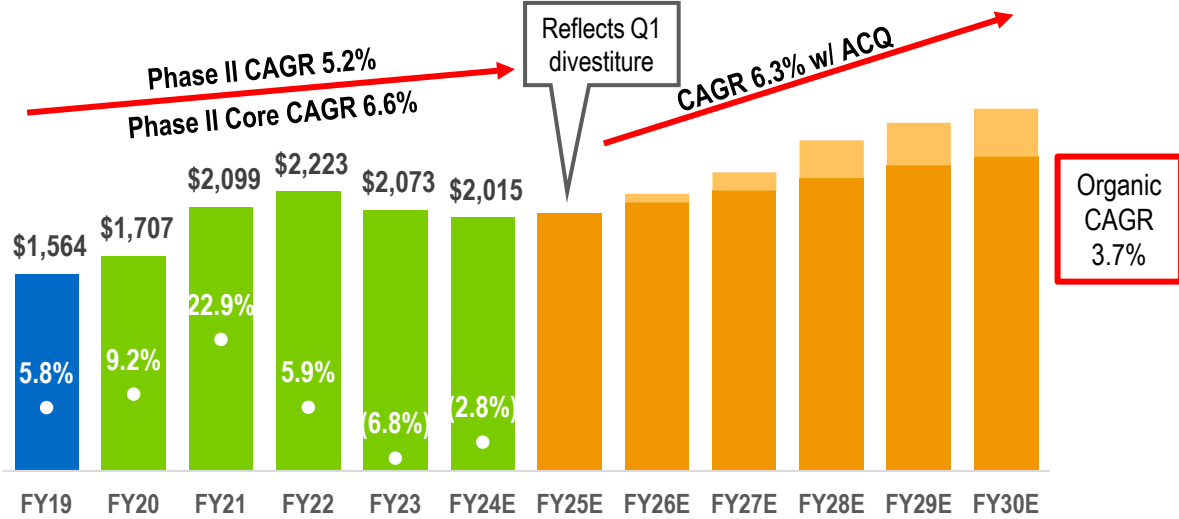


Note: Growth investment as presented does not include trade advertising, promotions and other programs that are recorded as a reduction to sales as required by GAAP.

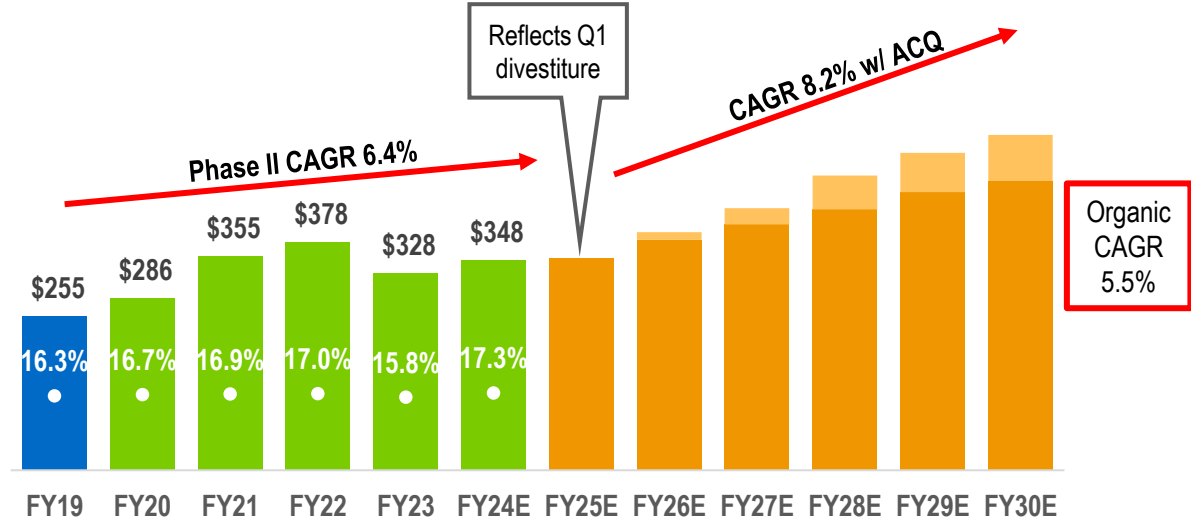
# Summary of *Elevate for Growth* Model



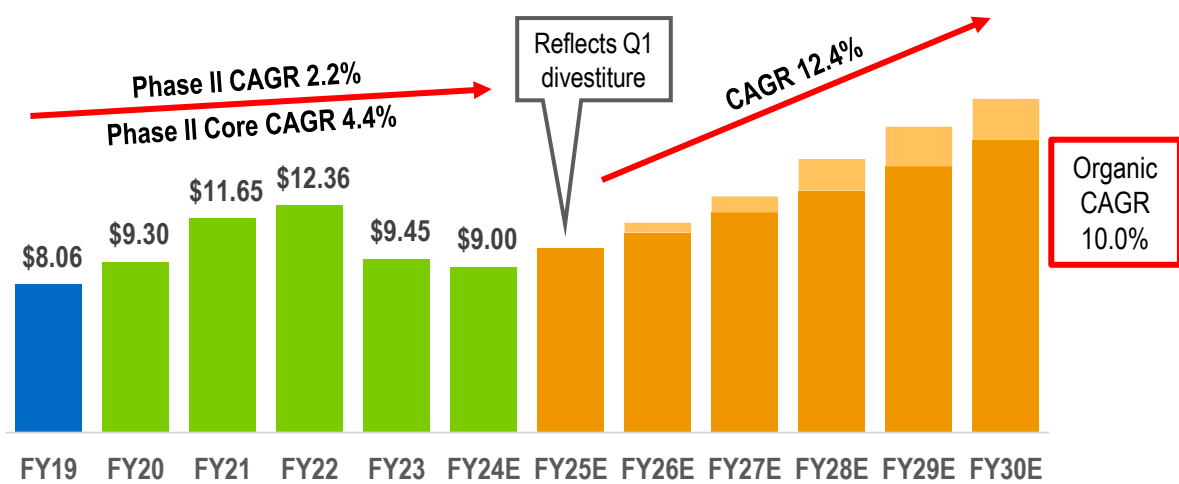
Net Sales Revenue (\$M) and YOY Growth



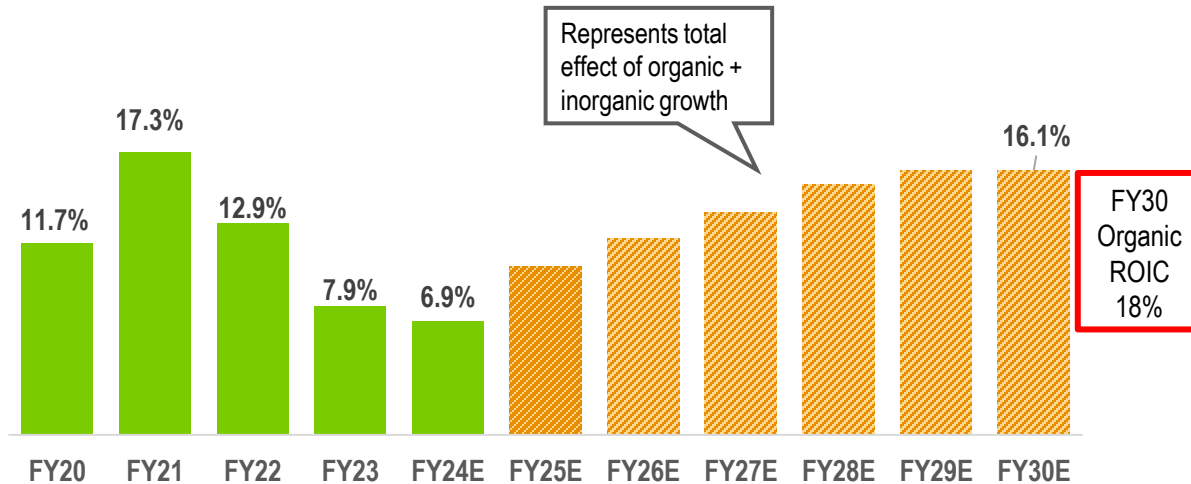
Adjusted EBITDA and Margin



Adjusted EPS



Return on Invested Capital (ROIC)



Note: 1) FY24E represents the implied results at the high end of the Company's FY24 outlook range provided on October 4, 2023  
 2) "Core" refers to Core Business net sales as used in SEC filings and as defined in the glossary, which excludes the impact of divested business.  
 3) Model includes the impact of an illustrative divestiture in the first quarter of FY25.



# Elevate for Growth Targets

| Average Annual Organic Targets     | Phase I     | Phase II      | Elevate for Growth |
|------------------------------------|-------------|---------------|--------------------|
| Net Sales Growth <sup>(1)</sup>    | 2.0% - 3.0% | 2.5% - 3.5%   | 3.0% - 4.0%        |
| Operating Margin Expansion         | 30 - 40 bps | 20 - 30 bps   | --                 |
| Adjusted EBITDA Margin Expansion   | --          | --            | 30 - 40 bps        |
| Adjusted EPS Growth <sup>(2)</sup> | 7%          | ≥8%           | ≥10%               |
| Growth Investment Increase         | --          | ≥10%          | --                 |
| Growth Investment % of Sales       | --          | --            | ≥ 9%               |
| ROIC                               | --          | ≥ 20% by FY24 | ≥ 18% by FY30      |
| Cash Flow from Operations Growth   | --          | ≥ 10%         | 10% - 12%          |
| Capital Expenditures               | --          | \$20M - \$25M | \$25M - \$30M      |

(1) Excludes acquisitions, divestitures, and material currency fluctuations

(2) Excludes acquisitions, divestitures, and material currency fluctuations; includes share repurchases

# Next-Level Value Creation

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# Next-Level Strategy Meets Next-Level Flywheel



# Elevate for Growth



# Next-Level Flywheel Creates the Next Virtuous Cycle

## Accretive Capital Deployment

- Even more *Better Together* M&A
- Amplify the *Invest to Grow* portfolio
- Improve M&A Platform, Process & Capability
- Balanced share repurchase and debt paydown

## Balance Sheet Productivity

- Further working capital efficiency during *Elevate for Growth* era through distribution network consolidation, SKU rationalization, more North American sourcing and portfolio enhancement
- Long-term asset productivity driven by facility rationalization, consolidation and operating company integration, and portfolio enhancement

## Structural Financial Advantages

- Sustainable tax advantage supplements free cash flow and gains efficiency as pre-tax income grows
- Capex and employee light model allows for greater scale and free cash flow
- Product sourcing model and expertise provides a tangible cost advantage

## State-Of-The-Art Distribution Network

- Iron Giant highly automated state-of-the-art distribution capability creates leverage and scale for years to come
- Unlocks opportunity to fully leverage ecommerce upside
- Project largely on time and budget despite significant macro disruption
- Opportunity to fully streamline network by FY26



## Next-Level Growth Strategy and Investment

- Greater focus on higher growth and higher margin brands
- Significantly more brand and product investment fueled by Pegasus
- Improve and shape the core with commercial innovation and portfolio enhancement

## Improved Go-To-Market Structure

- Consolidation of the North American sales organization allows for deeper retailer relationships and helps maximize opportunities across the retail customer base
- Allows segment leadership to focus on new product development and brand building
- Centralized marketing leadership leverages best practices and scale across the Company

## Best in Class Gross Margin

- Best in class margin fueled by Pegasus operating efficiency, supply chain reset and SKU rationalization
- Allows for amplification of brand re-investment *and* robust earnings growth
- Portfolio enhancement and ongoing productivity initiatives to build off platform established by Pegasus

## Further Operating Company Integration

- Next level operating company integration in place as part of Pegasus
- Implementation of North American RMO
- Consolidation of Beauty & Wellness
- Further centralization of supply chain and finance
- Centralized marketing and business insights leadership

# Why Invest in Helen of Troy

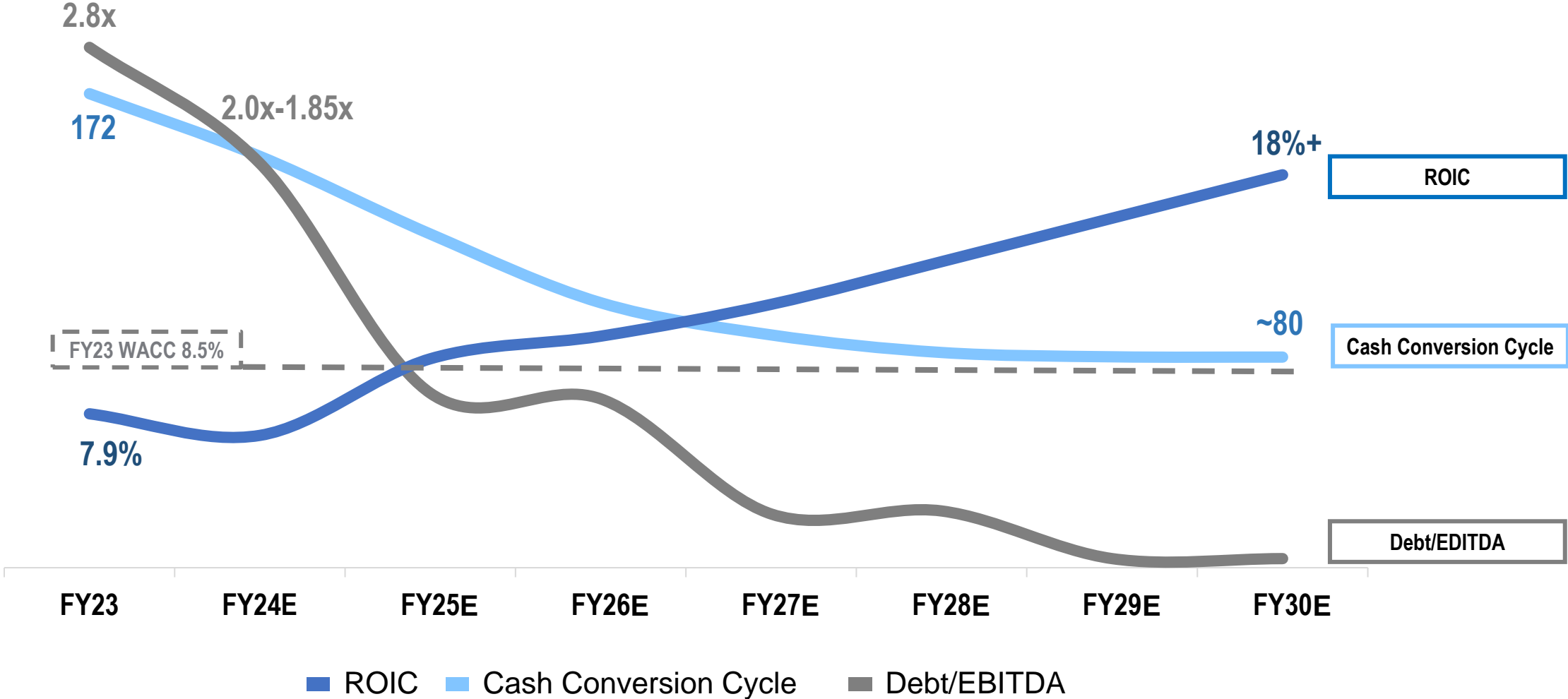
## Why Always

- Diversified portfolio of leading brands
- Asset and employee light model
- Strong cash flow
- Low capex needs
- Disciplined capital allocation
- Proven M&A track record
- Sustainable tax advantage
- Integrated operating company
- Proven ability to grow while expanding margin
- History of thorough and transparent disclosure
- Shareholder friendly approach and focus
- Outstanding people and winning culture

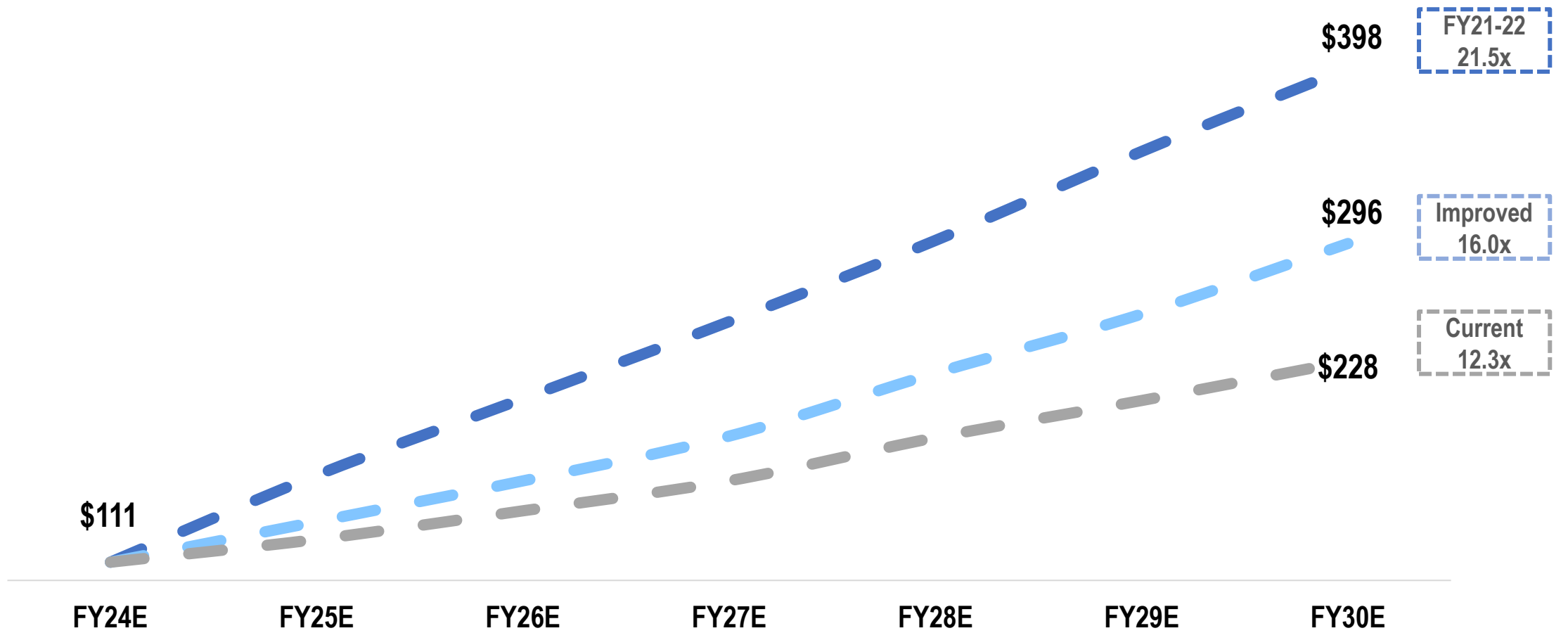
## Why Now

- Business fundamental inflection point; poised for growth
- Growth strategy fueled by Pegasus is a game changer
- Diversified team – balance of continuity and fresh perspective
- Improved portfolio with high growth assets from recent M&A
- Best in class gross margin with opportunity to further improve
- Quickly improving balance sheet and capital deployment opportunities; ability to further optimize WC and asset productivity
- Opportunity to execute divestiture accretive to growth rates, margins and ROIC; utilize proceeds for further debt paydown
- Opportunity to establish even better M&A platform and capabilities
- More fully integrated operating company with greater efficiency, improved capabilities and streamlined footprint
- State-of-the-art distribution capability with significant scale and leverage potential
- Signs of discretionary retail stabilization with lower inventory and healthier order flow
- Key metrics indicate HELE is undervalued vs. peers

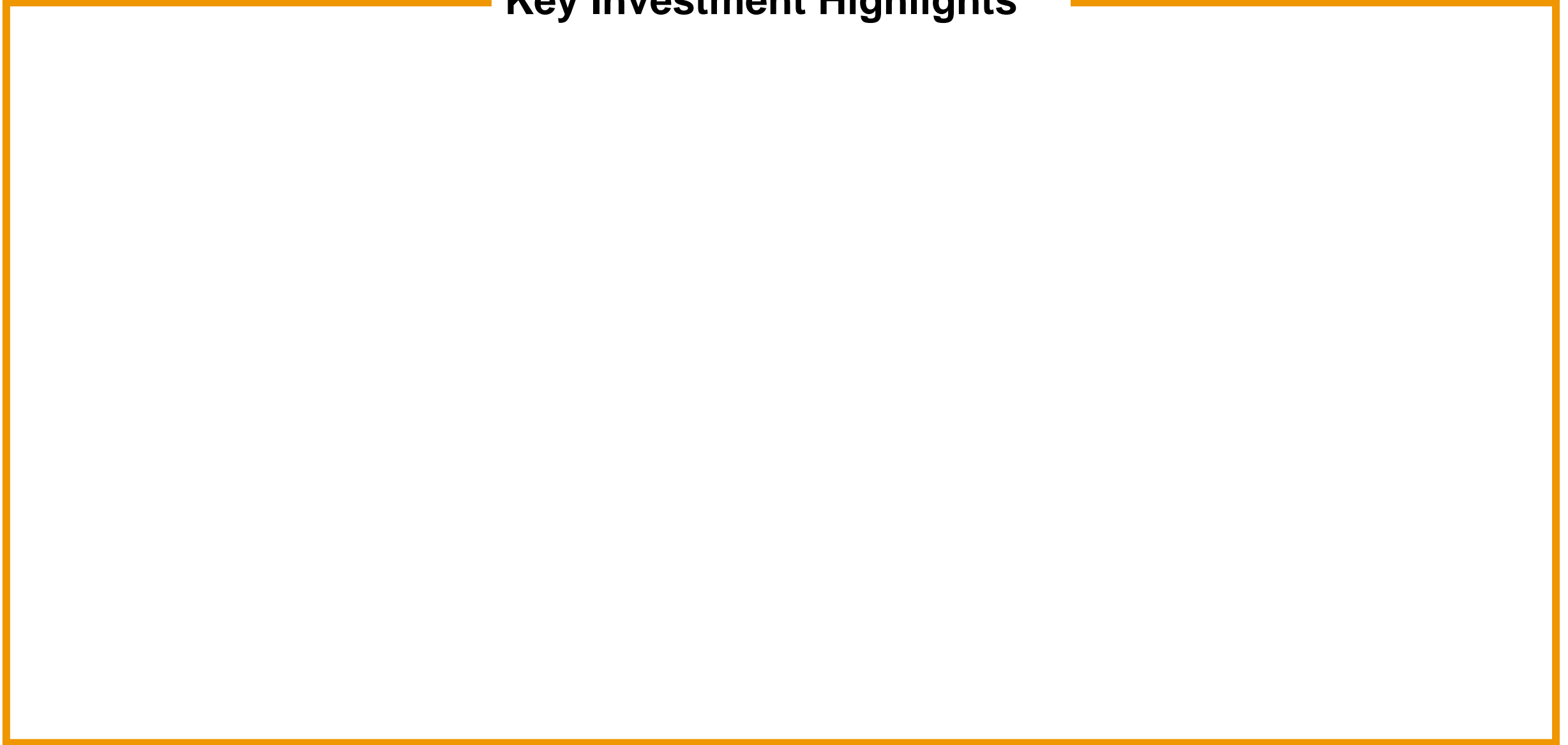
# Operating Profit Growth, Tax Efficiency, Working Capital Improvement and Debt Reduction Combine to Drive Return on Invested Capital



# Illustrative Share Price Impact with Improved Multiple and EPS Growth



## Key Investment Highlights







**Elevate  
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# Innovation Showcase

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# Q&A with Global Leadership Team



**Julien Mininberg**  
Chief Executive Officer



**Noel Geoffroy**  
Chief Operating Officer



**Brian Grass**  
Chief Financial Officer



**Tessa Judge**  
Chief Legal Officer



**Larry Witt**  
President of Home & Outdoor



**Mauricio Troncoso**  
President of Beauty & Wellness



**Nicolas Lanus**  
President of International



**Ronald Anderskow**  
President of North America RMO



**Jay Caron**  
Chief of Global Operations



**Chris Osner-Hackett**  
Global Chief  
Marketing Officer



**Tim Grace**  
SVP, Head of  
People and Culture



**Michael Korona**  
Interim Chief  
Information Officer



**Nick Judson**  
Head of Strategy  
& Transformation



**Jack Jancin**  
SVP, Corporate  
Business Development

# KEY TAKEAWAYS



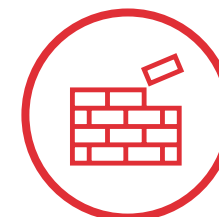
Elevate for Growth builds and improves upon proven themes



Also brings new choices that will help us elevate



Even more consumer obsessed



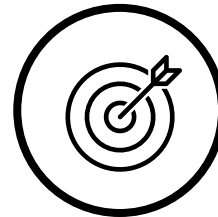
Next-level brand building



More investment dollars and sharper investment choices



Expanded availability, be where the shopper shops



Next-level centralization of shared services and the Helen of Troy way



**Elevate  
for Growth**

**Stepping up  
to a Bright  
Future!**

# Elevating Lives, Soaring Together



# Appendix

## Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures - GAAP Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities to Free Cash Flow (Non-GAAP) (Unaudited) (in thousands)

|  | Outlook Fiscal 2024 |          | Fiscal Years Ended Last Day of February, |               |               |                |                |                |
|--|---------------------|----------|--|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
|  |                     |          | 2023                                     | 2022          | 2021          | 2020           | 2019           |                |
| Net cash provided by operating activities (GAAP) | \$ 300,000          | —        | \$ 315,000                               | \$ 208,242    | \$ 140,823    | \$ 314,106     | \$ 271,293     | \$ 200,568     |
| Less: Capital and intangible asset expenditures  | (50,000)            | —        | (45,000)                                 | (174,864)     | (78,039)      | (98,668)       | (17,759)       | (26,385)       |
| Free cash flow (non-GAAP)                        | <u>\$ 250,000</u>   | <u>—</u> | <u>\$ 270,000</u>                        | <u>33,378</u> | <u>62,784</u> | <u>215,438</u> | <u>253,534</u> | <u>174,183</u> |

# Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures - GAAP Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities to Free Cash Flow (Non-GAAP) (Unaudited) (in thousands)

|   | Six Months Ended August 31, |              |
|---|-----------------------------|--------------|
|   | 2023                        | 2022         |
| Net cash provided (used) by operating activities (GAAP) | \$ 157,732                  | \$ (75,452)  |
| Less: Capital and intangible asset expenditures         | (20,557)                    | (112,635)    |
| Free cash flow (non-GAAP)                               | \$ 137,175                  | \$ (188,087) |



# Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures - GAAP Net Cash (Used) Provided by Operating Activities to Free Cash Flow (Non-GAAP) (Unaudited) (in thousands)

|   | Quarterly Period Ended |                    |                  |                   | Twelve Months Ended<br>February 28, 2023 |
|---|------------------------|--------------------|------------------|-------------------|--|
|   | May                    | August             | November         | February          |  |
| Net cash (used) provided by operating activities (GAAP) | \$ (38,428)            | \$ (37,024)        | \$ 124,975       | \$ 158,719        | \$ 208,242                               |
| Less: Capital and intangible asset expenditures         | (76,202)               | (36,433)           | (33,559)         | (28,670)          | (174,864)                                |
| Free cash flow (non-GAAP)                               | <u>\$ (114,630)</u>    | <u>\$ (73,457)</u> | <u>\$ 91,416</u> | <u>\$ 130,049</u> | <u>\$ 33,378</u>                         |

|   | Quarterly Period Ended |                  |                   |                   | Twelve Months Ended<br>May 31, 2023 |
|---|------------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|
|   | August                 | November         | February          | May               |                                     |
| Net cash (used) provided by operating activities (GAAP) | \$ (37,024)            | \$ 124,975       | \$ 158,719        | \$ 121,056        | \$ 367,726                          |
| Less: Capital and intangible asset expenditures         | (36,433)               | (33,559)         | (28,670)          | (11,877)          | (110,539)                           |
| Free cash flow (non-GAAP)                               | <u>\$ (73,457)</u>     | <u>\$ 91,416</u> | <u>\$ 130,049</u> | <u>\$ 109,179</u> | <u>\$ 257,187</u>                   |

|   | Quarterly Period Ended |                   |                   |                  | Twelve Months Ended<br>August 31, 2023 |
|---|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|--|
|   | November               | February          | May               | August           |  |
| Net cash provided (used) by operating activities (GAAP) | \$ 124,975             | \$ 158,719        | \$ 121,056        | \$ 36,676        | \$ 441,426                             |
| Less: Capital and intangible asset expenditures         | (33,559)               | (28,670)          | (11,877)          | (8,680)          | (82,786)                               |
| Free cash flow (non-GAAP)                               | <u>\$ 91,416</u>       | <u>\$ 130,049</u> | <u>\$ 109,179</u> | <u>\$ 27,996</u> | <u>\$ 358,640</u>                      |

# Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures – GAAP Net Income to EBITDA (Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization), Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA Margin (Non-GAAP) (Unaudited) (in thousands)

|                                   | Fiscal Years Ended Last Day of February |            |            |            |            |
|-----------------------------------|---|------------|------------|------------|------------|
|                                   | 2023                                    | 2022       | 2021       | 2020       | 2019       |
| Net Income, as reported (GAAP)    | \$ 143,273                              | \$ 223,764 | \$ 253,946 | \$ 152,333 | \$ 174,224 |
| Interest Expense                  | 40,751                                  | 12,844     | 12,617     | 12,705     | 11,719     |
| Income Tax Expense                | 28,016                                  | 36,202     | 15,484     | 13,607     | 13,776     |
| Depreciation and amortization     | 44,683                                  | 35,829     | 37,718     | 37,409     | 29,927     |
| EBITDA (non-GAAP)                 | 256,723                                 | 308,639    | 319,765    | 216,054    | 229,646    |
| Add: Acquisition-related expenses | 2,784                                   | 2,424      | —          | 2,546      | —          |
| Asset impairment charges          | —                                       | —          | 8,452      | 41,000     | —          |
| EPA compliance costs              | 23,573                                  | 32,354     | —          | —          | —          |
| Gain on insurance recoveries      | (9,676)                                 | —          | —          | —          | —          |
| Restructuring charges             | 27,362                                  | 380        | 350        | 3,313      | 3,586      |
| Non-cash share-based compensation | 26,753                                  | 34,618     | 26,418     | 22,929     | 22,053     |
| Adjusted EBITDA (non-GAAP)        | \$ 327,519                              | \$ 378,415 | \$ 354,985 | \$ 285,842 | \$ 255,285 |
| Adjusted EBITDA margin (non-GAAP) | 15.8 %                                  | 17.0 %     | 16.9 %     | 16.7 %     | 16.3 %     |

# Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures – GAAP Net Income to EBITDA (Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization), Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA Margin (Non-GAAP) (Unaudited) (in thousands)

|                                    | Quarterly Period Ended |           |           |           | Twelve Months Ended |
|------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------------|
|                                    | November               | February  | May       | August    | August 31, 2023     |
| Net income, as reported (GAAP)     | \$ 51,826              | \$ 36,180 | \$ 22,581 | \$ 27,381 | \$ 137,968          |
| Interest expense                   | 13,149                 | 14,063    | 14,052    | 13,654    | 54,918              |
| Income tax expense                 | 12,223                 | 3,534     | 4,145     | 5,958     | 25,860              |
| Depreciation and amortization      | 11,713                 | 11,353    | 10,715    | 13,891    | 47,672              |
| EBITDA (non-GAAP)                  | 88,911                 | 65,130    | 51,493    | 60,884    | 266,418             |
| Add: Bed, Bath & Beyond bankruptcy | —                      | —         | 4,213     | —         | 4,213               |
| EPA compliance costs               | 2,103                  | 1,472     | —         | —         | 3,575               |
| Gain from insurance recoveries     | (9,676)                | —         | —         | —         | (9,676)             |
| Restructuring charges              | 10,463                 | 12,121    | 7,355     | 3,617     | 33,556              |
| Non-cash share-based compensation  | 7,941                  | (5,302)   | 9,297     | 7,229     | 19,165              |
| Adjusted EBITDA (non-GAAP)         | \$ 99,742              | \$ 73,421 | \$ 72,358 | \$ 71,730 | \$ 317,251          |
| Adjusted EBITDA margin (non-GAAP)  |                        |           |           |           | 15.8 %              |

# Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures – GAAP Net Income to EBITDA (Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization), Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA Margin (Non-GAAP) (Unaudited) (in thousands)

|                                   | Quarterly Period Ended |           |           |           | Twelve Months Ended |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------------|
|                                   | August                 | November  | February  | May       | May 31, 2023        |
| Net income, as reported (GAAP)    | \$ 30,672              | \$ 51,826 | \$ 36,180 | \$ 22,581 | \$ 141,259          |
| Interest expense                  | 9,166                  | 13,149    | 14,063    | 14,052    | 50,430              |
| Income tax expense                | 7,221                  | 12,223    | 3,534     | 4,145     | 27,123              |
| Depreciation and amortization     | 11,119                 | 11,713    | 11,353    | 10,715    | 44,900              |
| EBITDA (non-GAAP)                 | 58,178                 | 88,911    | 65,130    | 51,493    | 263,712             |
| Add: Acquisition-related expenses | 30                     | —         | —         | —         | 30                  |
| Bed, Bath & Beyond bankruptcy     | —                      | —         | —         | 4,213     | 4,213               |
| EPA compliance costs              | 8,354                  | 2,103     | 1,472     | —         | 11,929              |
| Gain from insurance recoveries    | —                      | (9,676)   | —         | —         | (9,676)             |
| Restructuring charges             | 4,776                  | 10,463    | 12,121    | 7,355     | 34,715              |
| Non-cash share-based compensation | 7,495                  | 7,941     | (5,302)   | 9,297     | 19,431              |
| Adjusted EBITDA (non-GAAP)        | \$ 78,833              | \$ 99,742 | \$ 73,421 | \$ 72,358 | \$ 324,354          |
| Adjusted EBITDA margin (non-GAAP) |                        |           |           |           | 15.9 %              |

# Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures - GAAP Diluted Earnings Per Share (“EPS”) to Adjusted Diluted EPS (Non-GAAP) (Unaudited)

|   | Quarterly Period |         |         |
|---|------------------|---------|---------|
|   | Q2 FY24          | Q1 FY24 | Q4 FY23 |
| Diluted EPS, as reported (GAAP)                                       | \$ 1.14          | \$ 0.94 | \$ 1.50 |
| Bed, Bath & Beyond bankruptcy, net of tax                             | —                | 0.17    | —       |
| EPA compliance costs, net of tax                                      | —                | —       | 0.06    |
| Restructuring charges, net of tax                                     | 0.15             | 0.30    | 0.49    |
| Subtotal  | 1.29             | 1.41    | 2.06    |
| Amortization of intangible assets, net of tax                         | 0.17             | 0.17    | 0.16    |
| Non-cash share-based compensation, net of tax                         | 0.28             | 0.36    | (0.21)  |
| Adjusted Diluted EPS (non-GAAP)                                       | \$ 1.74          | \$ 1.94 | \$ 2.01 |
| Weighted average shares of common stock used in computing diluted EPS | 24,041           | 24,134  | 24,103  |

# Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures - GAAP Diluted EPS to Adjusted Diluted EPS (Non-GAAP) (Unaudited)

|   | Fiscal Years Ended Last Day of February, |          |          |         |         |
|---|--|----------|----------|---------|---------|
|   | 2023                                     | 2022     | 2021     | 2020    | 2019    |
| Diluted EPS as reported (GAAP)  | \$ 5.95                                  | \$ 9.17  | \$ 10.08 | \$ 6.02 | \$ 6.62 |
| EPA compliance costs, net of tax                                      | 0.96                                     | 1.31     | —        | —       | —       |
| Gain from insurance recoveries, net of tax                            | (0.40)                                   | —        | —        | —       | —       |
| Tax reform  | —  | —        | (0.37)   | —       | —       |
| Asset impairment charges, net of tax                                  | —  | —        | 0.30     | 1.44    | —       |
| Restructuring charges, net of tax                                     | 1.12                                     | 0.02     | 0.01     | 0.12    | 0.13    |
| Acquisition-related expenses, net of tax                              | 0.12                                     | 0.10     | —        | 0.10    | —       |
| Subtotal  | 7.75                                     | 10.58    | 10.02    | 7.68    | 6.75    |
| Amortization of intangible assets, net of tax                         | 0.67                                     | 0.48     | 0.67     | 0.79    | 0.53    |
| Non-cash share-based compensation, net of tax                         | 1.03                                     | 1.30     | 0.97     | 0.83    | 0.79    |
| Adjusted diluted EPS (non-GAAP)                                       | \$ 9.45                                  | \$ 12.36 | \$ 11.65 | \$ 9.30 | \$ 8.06 |
| Weighted average shares of common stock used in computing diluted EPS | 24,090                                   | 24,410   | 25,196   | 25,322  | 26,303  |

# Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures - GAAP Income and Diluted EPS to Adjusted Income and Adjusted Diluted EPS (Non-GAAP) (Unaudited)

(in thousands, except per share data)

Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2023

|                                   | Income     |           |            | Diluted EPS |         |            |
|-----------------------------------|------------|-----------|------------|-------------|---------|------------|
|                                   | Before Tax | Tax       | Net of Tax | Before Tax  | Tax     | Net of Tax |
| As reported (GAAP)                | \$ 171,289 | \$ 28,016 | \$ 143,273 | \$ 7.11     | \$ 1.16 | \$ 5.95    |
| Acquisition-related expenses      | 2,784      | 2         | 2,782      | 0.12        | —       | 0.12       |
| EPA compliance costs              | 23,573     | 354       | 23,219     | 0.98        | 0.01    | 0.96       |
| Gain from insurance recoveries    | (9,676)    | (121)     | (9,555)    | (0.40)      | (0.01)  | (0.40)     |
| Restructuring charges             | 27,362     | 388       | 26,974     | 1.14        | 0.02    | 1.12       |
| Subtotal                          | 215,332    | 28,639    | 186,693    | 8.94        | 1.19    | 7.75       |
| Amortization of intangible assets | 18,322     | 2,275     | 16,047     | 0.76        | 0.09    | 0.67       |
| Non-cash share-based compensation | 26,753     | 1,830     | 24,923     | 1.11        | 0.08    | 1.03       |
| Adjusted (non-GAAP)               | \$ 260,407 | \$ 32,744 | \$ 227,663 | \$ 10.81    | \$ 1.36 | \$ 9.45    |

Weighted average shares of common stock used in computing diluted EPS 24,090

Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

|                                   | Income     |           |            | Diluted EPS |         |            |
|-----------------------------------|------------|-----------|------------|-------------|---------|------------|
|                                   | Before Tax | Tax       | Net of Tax | Before Tax  | Tax     | Net of Tax |
| As reported (GAAP)                | \$ 259,966 | \$ 36,202 | \$ 223,764 | \$ 10.65    | \$ 1.48 | \$ 9.17    |
| Acquisition-related expenses      | 2,424      | 87        | 2,337      | 0.10        | —       | 0.10       |
| EPA compliance costs              | 32,354     | 485       | 31,869     | 1.33        | 0.02    | 1.31       |
| Restructuring charges             | 380        | 6         | 374        | 0.02        | —       | 0.02       |
| Subtotal                          | 295,124    | 36,780    | 258,344    | 12.09       | 1.51    | 10.58      |
| Amortization of intangible assets | 12,764     | 1,010     | 11,754     | 0.52        | 0.04    | 0.48       |
| Non-cash share-based compensation | 34,618     | 2,965     | 31,653     | 1.42        | 0.12    | 1.30       |
| Adjusted (non-GAAP)               | \$ 342,506 | \$ 40,755 | \$ 301,751 | \$ 14.03    | \$ 1.67 | \$ 12.36   |

Weighted average shares of common stock used in computing diluted EPS 24,410

# Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures - GAAP Income and Diluted EPS to Adjusted Income and Adjusted Diluted EPS (Non-GAAP) (Unaudited)

(in thousands, except per share data)

Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2021

|   | Income     |           |            | Diluted EPS |         |            |
|---|------------|-----------|------------|-------------|---------|------------|
|   | Before Tax | Tax       | Net of Tax | Before Tax  | Tax     | Net of Tax |
| As reported (GAAP)  | \$ 269,430 | \$ 15,484 | \$ 253,946 | \$ 10.69    | \$ 0.61 | \$ 10.08   |
| Asset impairment charges  | 8,452      | 1,009     | 7,443      | 0.34        | 0.04    | 0.30       |
| Restructuring charges   | 350        | 2         | 348        | 0.01        | —       | 0.01       |
| Tax reform  | —          | 9,357     | (9,357)    | —           | 0.37    | (0.37)     |
| Subtotal  | 278,232    | 25,852    | 252,380    | 11.04       | 1.03    | 10.02      |
| Amortization of intangible assets                                     | 17,643     | 865       | 16,778     | 0.70        | 0.03    | 0.67       |
| Non-cash share-based compensation                                     | 26,418     | 1,926     | 24,492     | 1.05        | 0.08    | 0.97       |
| Adjusted (non-GAAP)   | \$ 322,293 | \$ 28,643 | \$ 293,650 | \$ 12.79    | \$ 1.14 | \$ 11.65   |
| Weighted average shares of common stock used in computing diluted EPS |            |           |            |             |         | 25,196     |

Fiscal Year Ended February 29, 2020

|   | Income     |           |            | Diluted EPS |         |            |
|---|------------|-----------|------------|-------------|---------|------------|
|   | Before Tax | Tax       | Net of Tax | Before Tax  | Tax     | Net of Tax |
| As reported (GAAP)  | \$ 165,940 | \$ 13,607 | \$ 152,333 | \$ 6.55     | \$ 0.54 | \$ 6.02    |
| Acquisition-related expenses  | 2,546      | 38        | 2,508      | 0.10        | —       | 0.10       |
| Asset impairment charges  | 41,000     | 4,574     | 36,426     | 1.62        | 0.18    | 1.44       |
| Restructuring charges   | 3,313      | 161       | 3,152      | 0.13        | 0.01    | 0.12       |
| Subtotal  | 212,799    | 18,380    | 194,419    | 8.40        | 0.73    | 7.68       |
| Amortization of intangible assets                                     | 21,271     | 1,245     | 20,026     | 0.84        | 0.05    | 0.79       |
| Non-cash share-based compensation                                     | 22,929     | 1,803     | 21,126     | 0.91        | 0.07    | 0.83       |
| Adjusted (non-GAAP)   | \$ 256,999 | \$ 21,428 | \$ 235,571 | \$ 10.15    | \$ 0.85 | \$ 9.30    |
| Weighted average shares of common stock used in computing diluted EPS |            |           |            |             |         | 25,322     |



# Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures - GAAP Income and Diluted EPS from Continuing Operations to Adjusted Income and Adjusted Diluted EPS from Continuing Operations (Non-GAAP) (Unaudited)

(in thousands, except per share data)

Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2019

|                                   | Income From Continuing Operations |           |            | Diluted EPS From Continuing Operations |         |            |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------|------------|--|---------|------------|
|                                   | Before Tax                        | Tax       | Net of Tax | Before Tax                             | Tax     | Net of Tax |
| As reported (GAAP)                | \$ 188,000                        | \$ 13,776 | \$ 174,224 | \$ 7.15                                | \$ 0.52 | \$ 6.62    |
| Restructuring charges             | 3,586                             | 215       | 3,371      | 0.14                                   | 0.01    | 0.13       |
| Subtotal                          | 191,586                           | 13,991    | 177,595    | 7.28                                   | 0.53    | 6.75       |
| Amortization of intangible assets | 14,204                            | 372       | 13,832     | 0.54                                   | 0.01    | 0.53       |
| Non-cash share-based compensation | 22,053                            | 1,395     | 20,658     | 0.84                                   | 0.05    | 0.79       |
| Adjusted (non-GAAP)               | \$ 227,843                        | \$ 15,758 | \$ 212,085 | \$ 8.66                                | \$ 0.60 | \$ 8.06    |

Weighted average shares of common stock used in computing diluted EPS

26,303

# Fiscal 2024 Outlook for Net Sales Revenue (Unaudited)

(in thousands)

|                           | Fiscal 2023 |           | Outlook for Fiscal 2024 |           |   |    |           |
|---------------------------|-------------|-----------|-------------------------|-----------|---|----|-----------|
| Net sales revenue         | \$          | 2,072,667 | \$                      | 1,965,000 | — | \$ | 2,015,000 |
| Net sales revenue decline |             |           |                         | (5.2)%    | — |    | (2.8)%    |

# Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures - Fiscal 2024 Outlook for GAAP Operating Income to EBITDA (Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization), Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA Margin (Non-GAAP) (Unaudited) (in thousands)

|  | Six Months Ended<br>August 31, 2023 | Outlook for the Balance of the<br>Fiscal Year (Six Months) |   |            | Outlook Fiscal 2024 |   |            |
|--|-------------------------------------|--|---|------------|---------------------|---|------------|
| Operating income, as reported (GAAP)               | \$ 87,486                           | \$ 158,542   | — | \$ 178,313 | \$ 246,028          | — | \$ 265,799 |
| Depreciation and amortization                      | 24,606                              | 37,332   | — | 31,332     | 61,938              | — | 55,938     |
| Non-operating income, net                          | 285                                 | 940  | — | 690        | 1,225               | — | 975        |
| EBITDA (non-GAAP)                                  | 112,377                             | 196,814  | — | 210,335    | 309,191             | — | 322,712    |
| Add: Bed, Bath & Beyond bankruptcy                 | 4,213                               | —  | — | —          | 4,213               | — | 4,213      |
| Gain on sale of distribution and office facilities | —                                   | (34,190)   | — | (34,190)   | (34,190)            | — | (34,190)   |
| Restructuring charges                              | 10,972                              | 13,937   | — | 11,137     | 24,909              | — | 22,109     |
| Non-cash share-based compensation                  | 16,526                              | 17,351   | — | 16,630     | 33,877              | — | 33,156     |
| Adjusted EBITDA (non-GAAP)                         | \$ 144,088                          | \$ 193,912   | — | \$ 203,912 | \$ 338,000          | — | \$ 348,000 |
| Adjusted EBITDA margin (non-GAAP)                  |                                     |  |   |            | 17.2 %              | — | 17.3 %     |

# Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures - Fiscal 2024 Outlook for GAAP Diluted EPS to Adjusted Diluted EPS (Non-GAAP) and GAAP Effective Tax Rate to Adjusted Effective Tax Rate (Non-GAAP) (Unaudited)

|  | Six Months Ended<br>August 31, 2023 | Outlook for the<br>Balance of the<br>Fiscal Year<br>(Six Months) |   |                | Outlook Fiscal 2024 |   |                | Tax Rate Outlook Fiscal 2024 |   |               |
|--|-------------------------------------|--|---|----------------|---------------------|---|----------------|------------------------------|---|---------------|
| Diluted EPS, as reported (GAAP)                    | \$ 2.07                             | \$ 4.29  | — | \$ 4.96        | \$ 6.36             | — | \$ 7.03        | 20.0 %                       | — | 18.0 %        |
| Bed, Bath & Beyond bankruptcy                      | 0.17                                | —  | — | —              | 0.17                | — | 0.17           |                              |   |               |
| Gain on sale of distribution and office facilities | —                                   | (1.42)   | — | (1.42)         | (1.42)              | — | (1.42)         |                              |   |               |
| Restructuring charges                              | 0.46                                | 0.58   | — | 0.46           | 1.04                | — | 0.92           |                              |   |               |
| Amortization of intangible assets                  | 0.38                                | 0.41   | — | 0.38           | 0.79                | — | 0.76           |                              |   |               |
| Non-cash share-based compensation                  | 0.69                                | 0.72   | — | 0.69           | 1.41                | — | 1.38           |                              |   |               |
| Income tax effect of adjustments                   | (0.10)                              | 0.25   | — | 0.26           | 0.15                | — | 0.16           | (5.5)%                       | — | (4.5)%        |
| Adjusted diluted EPS (non-GAAP)                    | <u>\$ 3.67</u>                      | <u>\$ 4.83</u>   | — | <u>\$ 5.33</u> | <u>\$ 8.50</u>      | — | <u>\$ 9.00</u> | <u>14.5 %</u>                | — | <u>13.5 %</u> |

# Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures – Net Leverage Ratio (Non-GAAP) (Unaudited) (in thousands)

|   | Fiscal Year Ended<br>February 28, 2023 |                 |
|---|--|-----------------|
| Adjusted EBITDA (non-GAAP)                                      | \$                                     | 327,519         |
| Plus: Pro forma effect of acquisitions                          |  | 1,985           |
| Adjusted EBITDA per the credit agreement                        | \$                                     | <u>329,504</u>  |
| <br>  |  |                 |
| Total borrowings under the credit agreement, as reported (GAAP) | \$                                     | 936,875         |
| Add: Outstanding letters of credit                              |  | 18,176          |
| Less: Unrestricted cash and cash equivalents                    |  | <u>(28,797)</u> |
| Net debt  | \$                                     | <u>926,254</u>  |
| <br>  |  |                 |
| Net leverage ratio (non-GAAP)                                   |  | 2.81            |

# Glossary of Terms

**H1** – First half of the applicable fiscal year

**H2** – Second half of the applicable fiscal year

**Acquisition-related Expenses** – Expenses associated with the definitive agreement to acquire Drybar Product LLC, Osprey and Curlsmith

**Adjusted Diluted Earnings per Share (Adjusted Diluted EPS or Adjusted EPS)** – Non-GAAP Adjusted Income divided by diluted shares outstanding

**Adjusted EBITDA** - Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, acquisition-related expenses, asset impairment charges, restructuring charges, non-cash share-based compensation expense, intangible asset amortization expense, EPA compliance costs, gain from insurance recoveries, and Bed, Bath & Beyond bankruptcy (as applicable)

**Adjusted EBITDA Conversion to Cash Flow from Operations or Adjusted EBITDA Cash Conversion** – Cash flow from operations divided by Adjusted EBITDA

**Adjusted EBITDA Margin** – Non-GAAP Adjusted EBITDA divided by net sales

**Adjusted EPS Accretion from Capital Deployment** – Represents the estimated impact on Non-GAAP Adjusted EPS from acquisitions for the first year after acquisition, reduced interest expense, and share repurchases.

**Adjusted Income** - GAAP net income excluding acquisition-related expenses, tax reform, asset impairment charges, restructuring charges, non-cash share-based compensation expense, intangible asset amortization expense, EPA compliance costs, gain from insurance recoveries, and Bed, Bath & Beyond bankruptcy (as applicable)

**Adjusted Income Conversion to Free Cash Flow** – Non-GAAP Free Cash Flow divided by Adjusted Income

**Bed, Bath, & Beyond bankruptcy** – Represents a charge for uncollectible receivables due to the bankruptcy of Bed, Bath & Beyond

**Capital Deployment** – Combination of capital used to repurchase shares of common stock and capital used in acquisitions, capital expenditures and in some cases working capital

**Cash Conversion Cycle** – Calculated as days in the year divided by Inventory Turns, plus days sales outstanding, minus days payable outstanding

**Compound Annual Growth Rate (CAGR)** – Implied annual rate of return that would be required for compounded growth from a beginning balance to an ending balance

**Core Business** – Core business is defined as strategic business that the Company expects to be an ongoing part of its operations.

**Core Business Adjusted Diluted EPS (Core Adjusted EPS)** – GAAP and Non-GAAP Core Adjusted Income divided by diluted shares outstanding

**E or Est.** – Represents an estimate

**EBITDA** – Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization expense, as reported

**Enterprise Value** – Market Capitalization, plus total current and long-term debt, and minus cash and cash equivalents

**Enterprise Value to Forward Adjusted EBITDA Multiple** – Enterprise Value divided by current fiscal year Adjusted EBITDA

**EPA** – U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

**EPA Compliance Costs** – Charges incurred in conjunction with EPA packaging compliance for certain products in the air filtration, water filtration and humidification categories within the Beauty & Wellness segment

# Glossary of Terms

**Free Cash Flow (FCF)** – Net cash provided by operating activities less capital and intangible asset expenditures

**Free Cash Flow Yield** – Non-GAAP Free Cash Flow divided by Market Capitalization

**FY** – Fiscal year ending on the last day of February of the respective year

**FY24E** - Represents the results implied at the high end of the Company's outlook range provided on October 4, 2023

**Growth Investment % of Sales** – The percentage of revenue used for growth investments

**Inventory Turns** – Derived by using 12-month trailing cost of goods sold divided by average inventory for the same period. The current and four prior quarters' ending balances of inventory are used for the purposes of computing the average balance.

**Leadership Brands** – Represents the OXO, Hydro Flask, Osprey, Vicks, Braun, Honeywell, PUR, Hot Tools and Drybar brands

**Market Capitalization** – Current stock price multiplied by total shares outstanding

**Net Leverage Ratio** - Calculated as (a) total borrowings under the Company's credit agreement plus outstanding letters of credit, net of unrestricted cash and cash equivalents at the end of the current period, divided by (b) Adjusted EBITDA per the Company's credit agreement (calculated as EBITDA plus non-cash charges and certain allowed addbacks, less certain non-cash income, plus the pro forma effect of acquisitions and certain pro forma run-rate cost savings for acquisitions and dispositions, as applicable for the trailing twelve months ended as of the current period)

**Organic Revenue** - Net sales revenue associated with product lines or brands after the first twelve months from the date the product line or brand was acquired, excluding the impact that foreign currency remeasurement had on reported net sales revenue. Net sales revenue from internally developed brands or product lines is considered Organic business activity.

**Peer, Peers or Peer Set** - Includes Church & Dwight Co., Inc., The Clorox Company, Coty Inc., Edgewell Personal Care Company, Energizer Holdings, Inc., La-Z-Boy Incorporated, Newell Brands Inc., Nu Skin Enterprises, Inc., Prestige Consumer Healthcare Inc., Tempur Sealy International, Inc. and Yeti Holdings, Inc.

**Regional Marketing Organization (RMO)** – Organizations within the Company responsible for sales and go to market strategies for all categories and channels within specific geographic region.

**Reinvestment/Earnings Growth Ratio** – The percentage of earnings reinvested into the business for growth versus the percentage of earnings retained in net income.

**Restructuring Charges** - Charges in connection with the Company's current restructuring plan, Project Pegasus, and its prior restructuring plan, Project Refuel, which was completed during the fourth quarter of fiscal 2022

**Return on Invested Capital (ROIC)** – Net operating profit after tax (NOPAT) divided by average invested capital. NOPAT is defined as annual operating income, as reported, less the effective income tax expense, excluding the tax impact from other income/(loss). Average invested capital is the average of the current and prior fiscal years' ending balances of debt and stockholders' equity, less the average of the current and prior fiscal years' ending balances of cash and cash equivalents.

**Weighted Average Cost of Capital (WACC)** – Calculated by proportionally weighting the Company's cost of equity and after-tax cost of debt based on their respective market values. The cost of equity is estimated using the capital asset pricing model (CAPM) method to determine the Company's systematic risk versus a market proxy.