

# **Q4 2023 Earnings Call**

February 22, 2024





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New risks emerge from time to time, and it is not possible for management to predict all such risk factors or to assess the impact of such risks on our business. Accordingly, we undertake no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, changes in expectations, future events, or otherwise, except as required by law.





### **Non-GAAP Financial Measures**

We believe that the non-GAAP financial measures (collectively, the "Non-GAAP Measures"), when considered in conjunction with our financial information prepared in accordance with GAAP, are useful to investors to further aid in evaluating the ongoing financial performance of the Company and to provide greater transparency as supplemental information to our GAAP results. Non-GAAP financial measures should not be considered in isolation from, or as a substitute for, financial information prepared in accordance with GAAP. In addition, our presentation of the non-GAAP financial measures may not be comparable to the presentation of such metrics by other companies.

The Non-GAAP Measures exclude acquisition and divestiture related expenses, restructuring charges, impairments, gains or losses on the extinguishment of debt, gains or losses on sale of businesses, integration costs associated with our acquisitions, and non-operating legal settlements primarily because we do not believe they are reflective of our core operating results. We also exclude costs associated with a previously disclosed erroneous bid made in the Finnish power market (the "Finnish bid error") that resulted in the extraordinary losses.

We use the following non-GAAP measures:

- Adjusted net income attributable to World Kinect ("adjusted net income") is defined as net income excluding the impact of acquisition and divestiture related expenses, restructuring charges, impairments, gains or losses on the extinguishment of debt, gains or losses on sale of businesses, integration costs, non-operating legal settlements, and costs associated with the Finnish bid error.
- Adjusted diluted earnings per common share is computed by dividing adjusted net income by the sum of the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding for the period and the number of additional shares of common stock that would have been outstanding if our outstanding potentially dilutive securities had been issued. Potentially dilutive securities include share-based compensation awards, such as non-vested restricted stock units, performance stock units where the performance requirements have been met and settled stock appreciation rights awards.
- Adjusted earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization ("adjusted EBITDA") is defined as net income (loss) excluding the impact of interest, income taxes, and depreciation and amortization, in addition to acquisition and divestiture related expenses, restructuring charges, impairments, gains or losses on sale of businesses, integration costs, non-operating legal settlements, and costs associated with the Finnish bid error.
- Adjusted income from operations is defined as Income from operations excluding the impact of acquisition and divestiture related expenses, restructuring charges, impairments, integration costs, and costs associated with the Finnish bid error.
- Consolidated and Land adjusted gross profit is defined as Gross profit excluding the impact of costs associated with the Finnish bid error.
- Adjusted income from operations as a percentage of adjusted gross profit ("adjusted operating margin") is computed by dividing adjusted income from operations by adjusted gross profit.
- Adjusted operating expenses is defined as Operating expenses excluding the impact of acquisition and divestiture related expenses, restructuring charges, impairments, integration costs, and costs associated with the Finnish bid error.
- Adjusted effective tax rate is computed by dividing the adjusted provision for income taxes by adjusted income before income taxes. Adjusted provision for income taxes is defined as provision for income taxes, determined in accordance with GAAP, excluding the tax impact of the items excluded from our non-GAAP measures. Adjusted income before income tax is defined as income before income tax excluding the impact of acquisition and divestiture related expenses, restructuring charges, impairments, gains or losses on the extinguishment of debt, gains or losses on sale of businesses, integration costs, non-operating legal settlements, and costs associated with the Finnish bid error.
- Net Debt is defined as total debt less cash divided by adjusted EBITDA.

Investors are encouraged to review the reconciliation of these non-GAAP financial measures to their most directly comparable GAAP financial measures in this presentation and on our website.

## **Business Overview**





Michael J. Kasbar Chairman & CEO

# We Expect to Accelerate Growth and Diversify our Earnings Across our Three Segments Through our Three-Pillar Strategic Framework





Drive Growth & Efficiencies in our Core Distribution Platform



Increase Availability
of Renewable Energy
and Lower-Carbon
Fuels



Expand Our Suite of Energy-Management Solutions



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## **Financial Overview**

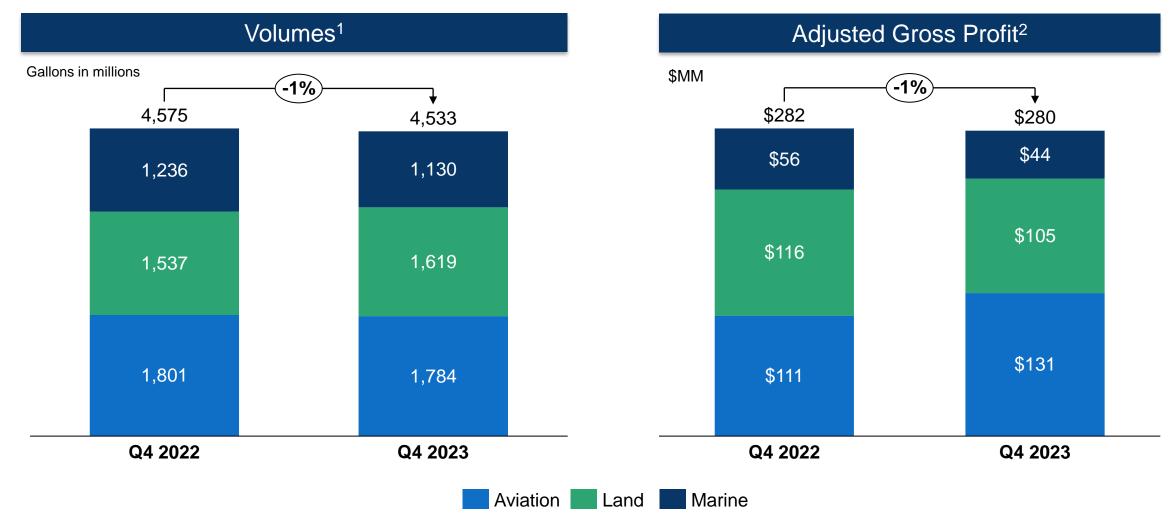




Ira M. Birns
Executive Vice President &
CFO

### Q4 2023 Results





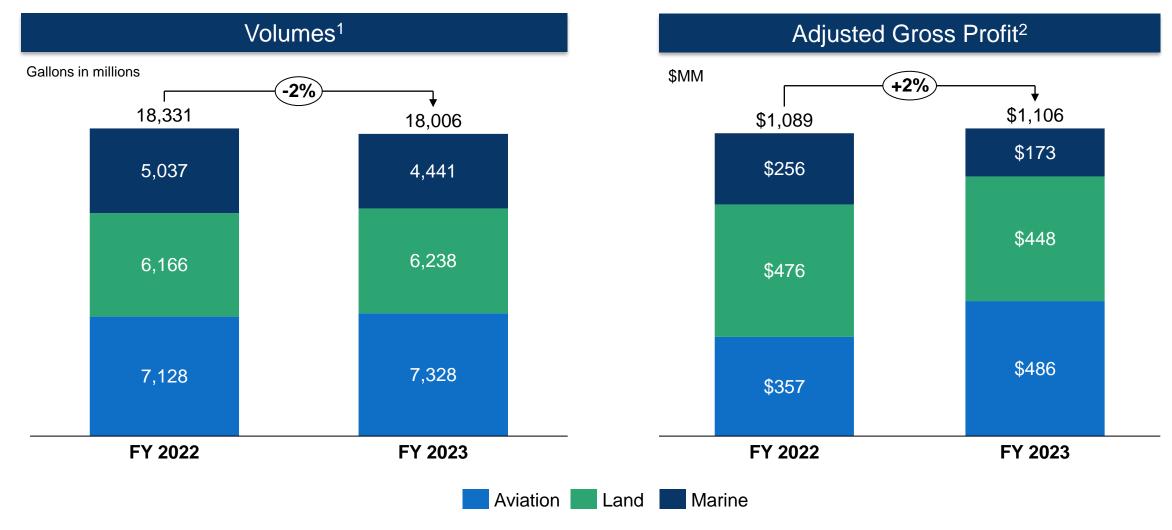
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### **Full Year 2023 Results**





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#### Volumes

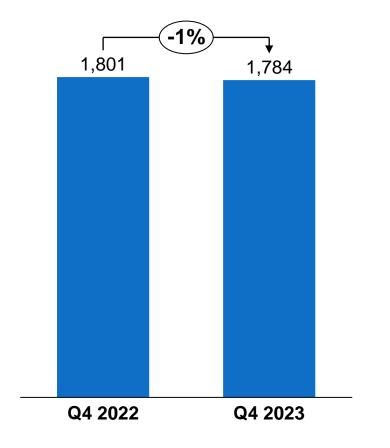
**Gross Profit** 

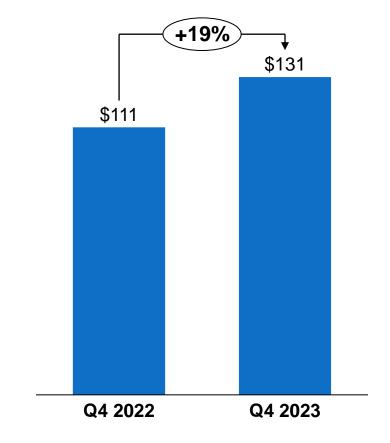
Gallons in millions

\$MM

# Q4 2023 Highlights versus Q4 2022

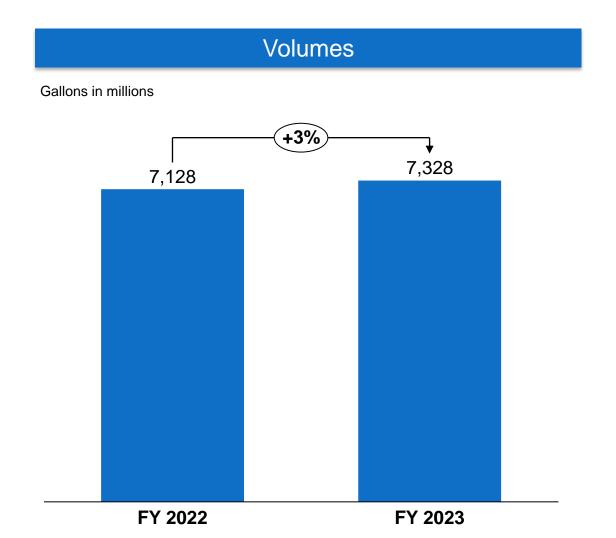
The 19% increase in Gross Profit was driven primarily by our continued focus on improving returns in an elevated interest rate environment.

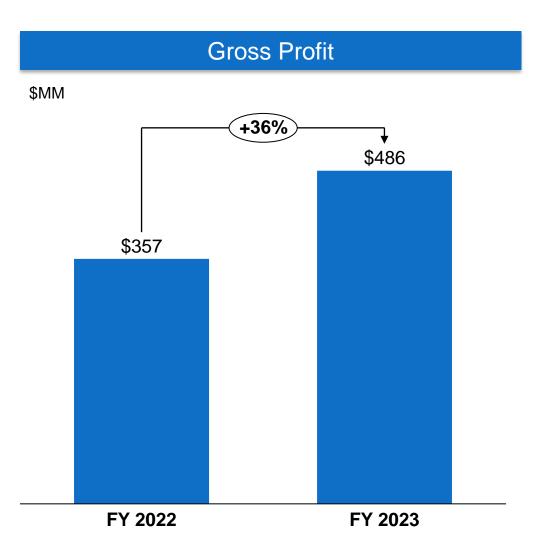












## **Segment Overview: Aviation - Q1 2024 Outlook**



#### Q1 2024 Outlook versus Q1 2023

Expect a year-over-year increase in Gross Profit, driven by continued focus on optimizing margins and profitability across our Aviation business.





#### Volumes<sup>1</sup>

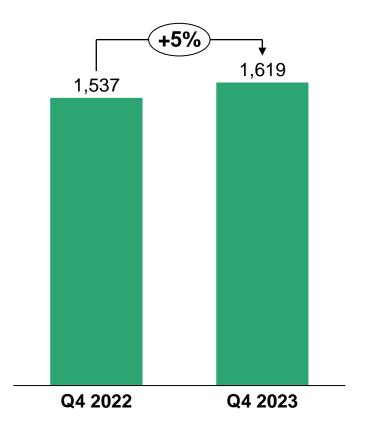
Adjusted Gross Profit<sup>2</sup>

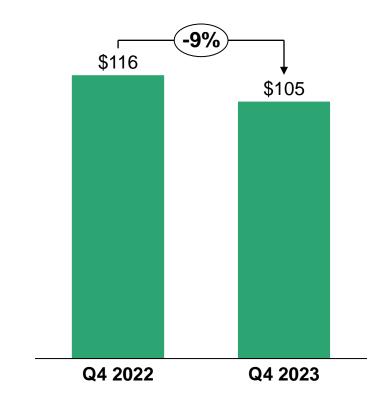
Gallons in millions

\$MM

# Q4 2023 Highlights versus Q4 2022

Adjusted gross profit down largely from margin pressure in the US and lower contributions from the UK, partially offset by strength in our natural gas activities and increased profitability related to our Sustainability offerings.





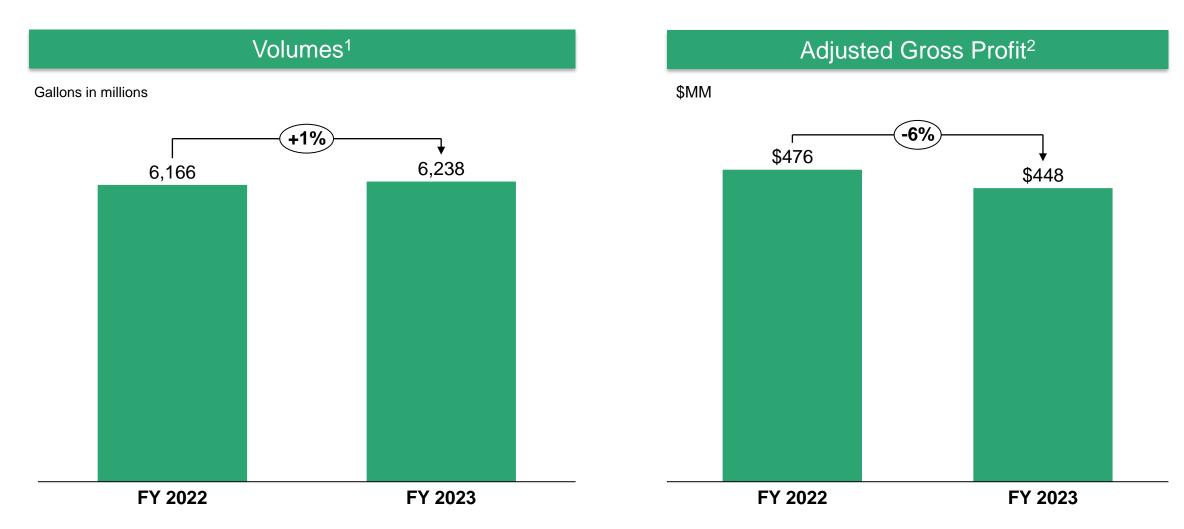
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## **Segment Overview: Land – FY 2023**





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### **Segment Overview: Land - Q1 2024 Outlook**



#### Q1 2024 Outlook versus Q1 2023

- Gross profit is expected to be up modestly, as commercial and industrial fuel sales are expected to rebound from weather-related weakness in Q1 2023.
- Stronger commercial & industrial sales are expected to be partially offset by reductions in in natural gas activity, driven in part by severe cold weather-related disruptions in mid-January.





#### Volumes

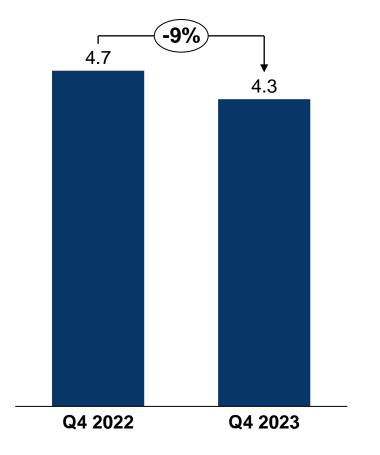
**Gross Profit** 

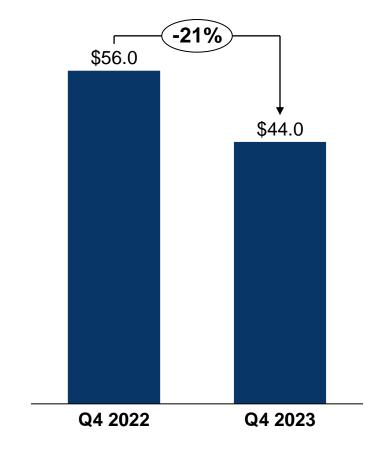
Metric tons in millions

\$MM

# Q4 2023 Highlights versus Q4 2022

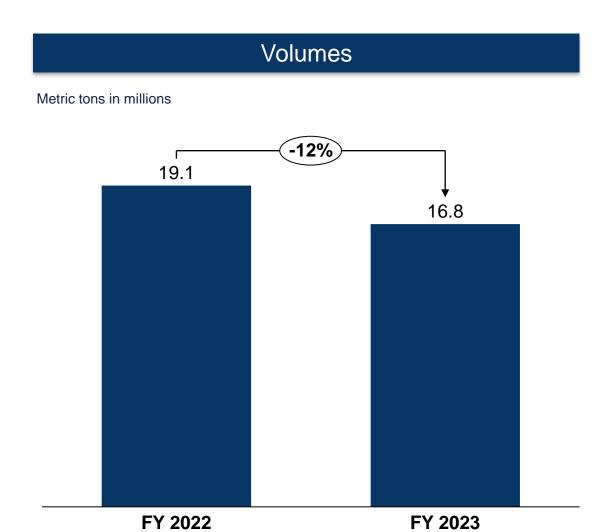
Primary drivers of the 21% reduction in Gross Profit were lower volumes and bunker prices, coupled with a decline from higher volatility levels in the fourth quarter of 2022.

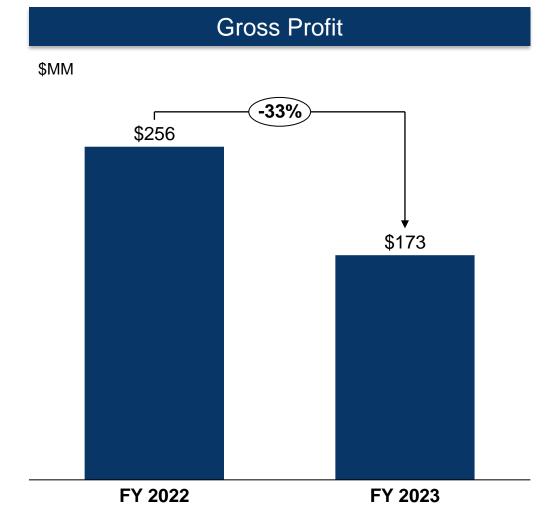




## **Segment Overview: Marine – FY 2023**







## **Segment Overview: Marine - Q1 2024 Outlook**



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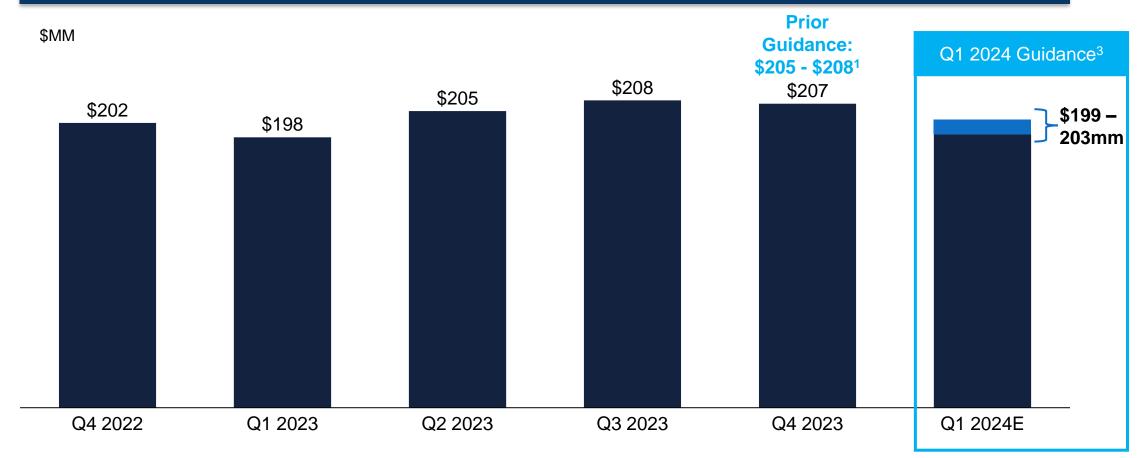
### Q1 2024 Outlook versus Q1 2023

- Results are expected to be flat sequentially with margins holding steady.
- Expect a decline in profitability compared to the first quarter of 2023, when volatility levels remained high.



# Operating Expenses For Q4 2023 Were Below Guidance Range for the Quarter, and are Expected to Be Down Sequentially in Q1 2024





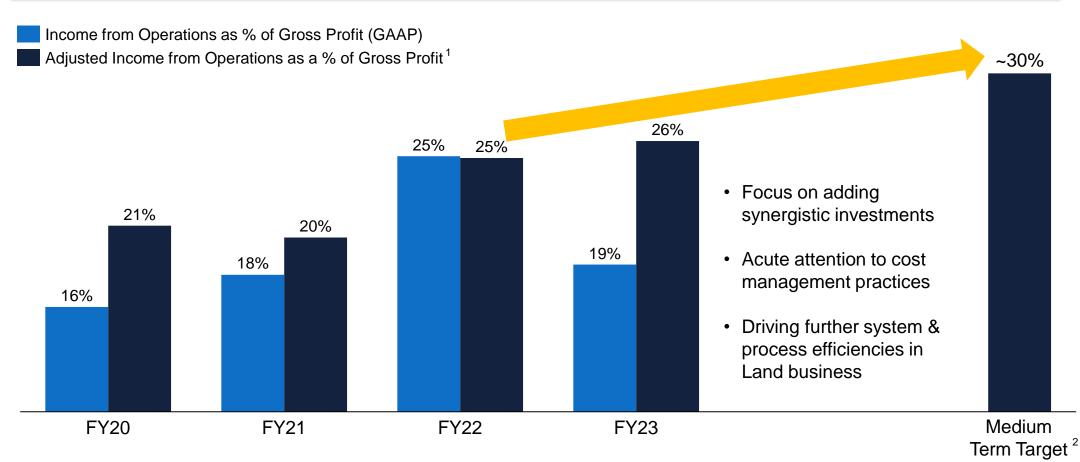
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# We Remain Committed to Achieving our Medium-Term Operating Margin Target established in FY22

### Income from Operations as a Percentage of Gross Profit



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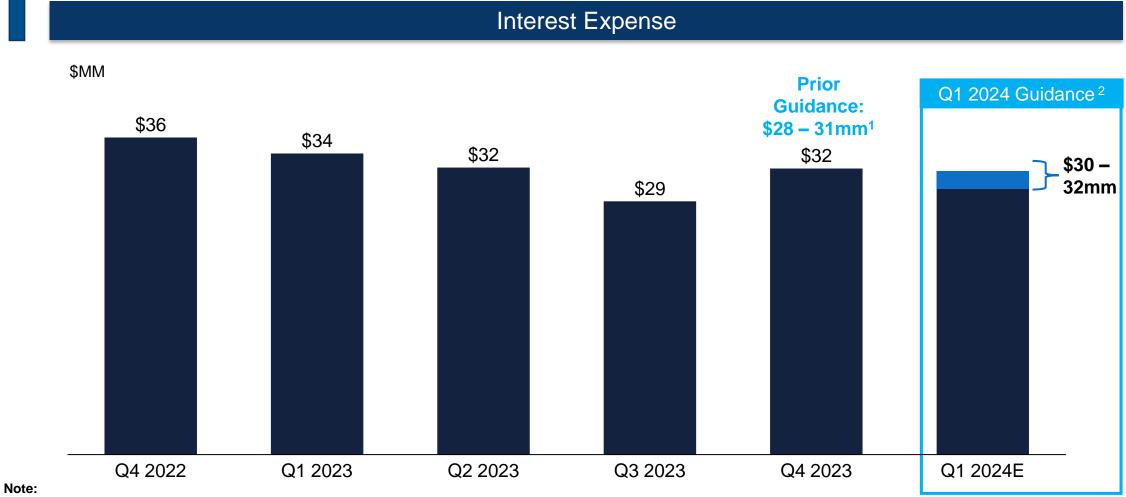
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## Year-over-Year Interest Expense Has Declined from 2022 Highs

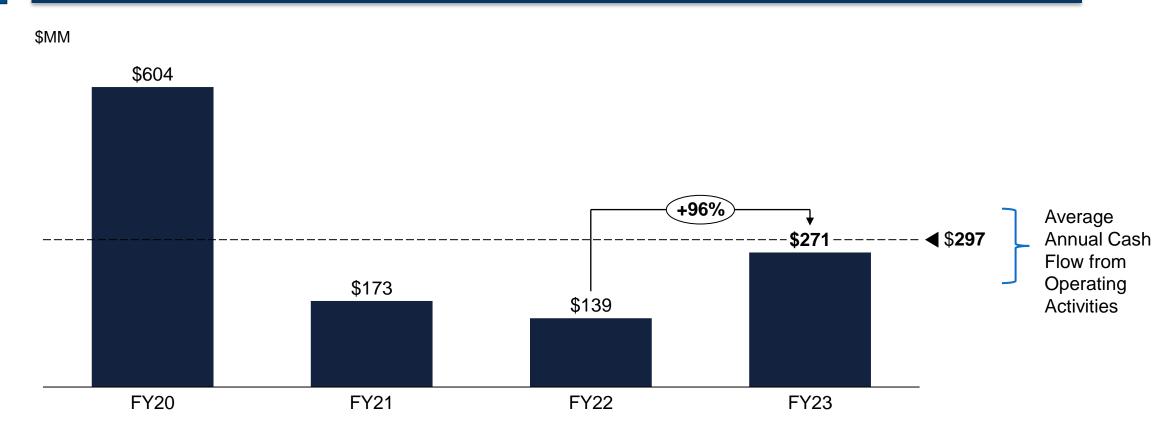


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## **Strong Operating Cash Flow Provides Flexibility**







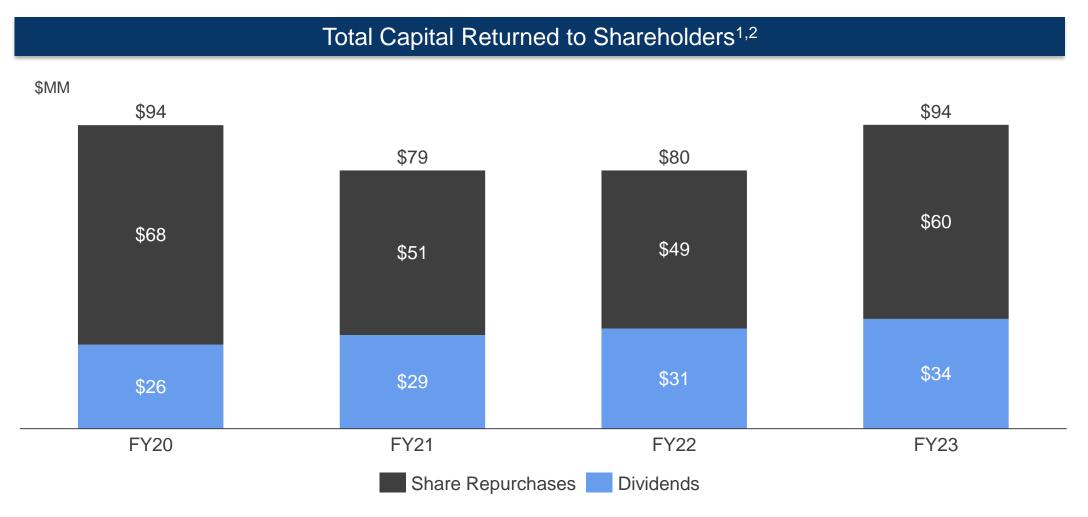
### ... and Optimized Capital Allocation Framework Benefits Shareholders...

# Capital Allocation Framework Supports Growth With Reasonable Leverage While Rewarding Our Shareholders





## ... as Evidenced by Total Capital Returned to Shareholders



#### Note:

- 1. Numbers may not sum due to rounding.
- 2. Capital returned to shareholders through dividends and repurchases of common stock.

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Guidance Period		<b>As of February 22, 2024</b> <sup>3</sup>
04.2024	Adj. Operating Expense <sup>2</sup>	\$199 – 203mm
Q1 2024	Interest Expense	\$30 – 32mm
FY 2024	Adj. Effective Tax Rate <sup>2</sup>	23 – 27%

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# **Appendix**





\$MM

	For the Three Months Ended March 31,		For the Three Mon	ths Ended	For the Three Mor	nths Ended	For the Three Months Ended		For the Twelve Months Ended	
			June 30,		September 30,		December 31,		December 31,	
	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022
Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP Measures:										
Net Income (loss) including noncontrolling interest	\$22.6	\$26.3	\$30.5	\$24.8	\$35.5	\$43.9	(\$34.8)	\$20.9	\$53.7	\$115.9
Interest expense and other financing costs, net	34.3	14.3	32.5	26.5	28.6	34.0	32.3	35.8	127.7	110.6
Provision for income taxes	4.2	6.4	9.8	(2.5)	10.8	18.9	(11.8)	6.5	13.0	29.2
Depreciation and Amortization	25.8	27.2	25.8	26.3	26.1	26.6	26.7	27.6	104.5	107.8
EBITDA	86.9	74.2	98.6	75.1	101.0	123.4	12.4	90.9	298.9	363.5
Acquisition and divestiture related expenses	-	0.4	0.5	0.1	-	-	0.4	0.9	1.0	1.4
Loss (Gain) on sale of business	-	-	(0.6)	-	-	-	(1.6)	7.7	(2.2)	7.7
Non-operating legal settlements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	-	6.5
Finish bid error	-	-	-	-	-	-	48.8	-	48.8	-
Asset impairments	-	-	0.3	-	0.0	-	32.4	0.6	32.8	0.6
Integration costs	-	0.3	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	1.4
Restructuring charges	-					(0.8)	7.2	(0.0)	7.2	(0.8)
Adjusted EBITDA	\$86.9	\$74.9	\$98.8	\$76.4	\$101.0	\$122.5	\$99.8	\$106.5	\$386.4	\$380.3

## Non-GAAP Reconciliation (2/4)



#### \$MM

	Fo	or the Three Months E	nded December 31, 202	3	nded December 31, 202	2		
	Land Segment <sup>1</sup>	Consolidated		Land Segment <sup>1</sup>		Consolidated		
	Gross Profit	Gross Profit	Operating Expenses	Operating Income	Gross Profit	Gross Profit	Operating Expenses	Operating Income
GAAP Measure	\$57.0	\$232.4	\$247.7	(\$15.3)	\$115.8	\$282.4	\$203.5	\$78.8
Acquisition and divestiture related expenses	-	-	0.4	0.4	-	-	0.9	0.9
Finish bid error	48.0	48.0	0.8	48.8	-	-	-	-
Asset impairments	-	-	32.4	32.4	-	-	0.6	0.6
Integration costs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Restructuring charges	-	-	7.2	7.2		-	(0.0)	(0.0)
Adjusted Non-GAAP Measure	105.0	280.4	206.8	73.6	115.8	282.4	202.1	80.3

	Fo	r the Twelve Months E	nded December 31, 202	23			
	Land Segment <sup>1</sup>	Consolidated					
	Gross Profit	Gross Profit	Operating Expenses	Operating Income			
GAAP Measure	\$399.8	\$1,058.2	\$860.2	\$198.0			
Acquisition and divestiture related expenses	-	-	1.0	1.0			
Finish bid error	48.0	48.0	0.8	48.8			
Asset impairments	-	-	32.8	32.8			
Integration costs	-	-	=	-			
Restructuring charges		=	7.2	7.2			
Adjusted Non-GAAP Measure	447.9	1,106.2 818.5 28					

For the Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2022								
Land Segment <sup>1</sup>		Consolidated						
Gross Profit	Gross Profit	Operating Expenses	Operating Income					
\$475.9	\$1,089.1	\$815.8	\$273.2					
=	=	1.4	1.4					
=	-	-	-					
=	=	0.6	0.6					
=	-	1.4	1.4					
-	=	(0.8)	(0.8)					
475.9	1,089.1	813.2	275.8					

<sup>1)</sup> Land segment gross profit. There are no adjustments to gross profit made for the aviation or marine segments.





\$MM, except per share data

	For the Three Months Ended December 31,			For the Twelve Months Ended December 31,				
	202	3	2022 2023		202	22		
	Net	Earnings Per	Net	Earnings Per	Net	Earnings Per	Net	Earnings Per
	Income	Share	Income	Share	Income	Share	Income	Share
Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP Measures								
Net Income & Diluted earnings per common share	(\$34.8)	(0.58)	\$20.9	0.33	\$52.9	0.86	\$114.1	1.82
Acquisitions & Divestitures related Expenses	0.4	0.01	0.9	0.01	1.0	0.02	1.4	0.02
Loss (Gain) on Sale of a Business	(1.6)	(0.03)	7.7	0.12	(2.2)	(0.04)	7.7	0.12
Non-operating legal settlements	-	-	6.5	0.10	-	-	6.5	0.10
Finish bid error	48.8	0.81	-	-	48.8	0.79	-	-
Asset Impairments	32.4	0.54	0.6	0.01	32.8	0.53	0.6	0.01
Integration Costs	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	0.02
Restructuring Cost	7.2	0.12	(0.0)	(0.00)	7.2	0.12	(0.8)	(0.01)
Loss on Debt Extinguishment	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.01
Income Tax impact	(20.4)	(0.34)	(3.1)	(0.05)	(20.4)	(0.33)	(3.6)	(0.06)
Adjusted Net Income & Adjusted Diluted earnings per common share	\$32.2	0.54	\$33.5	0.54	\$120.0	1.95	\$127.9	2.04
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# Non-GAAP Reconciliation (4/4)

\$MM	2020	2021	2022	2023
Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP Measures:				
Net Income (loss) including noncontrolling interest	109.6	74.2	115.9	53.7
Interest expense and other financing costs, net	44.9	40.2	110.6	127.7
Provision for income taxes	52.1	25.8	29.2	13.0
Depreciation and Amortization	85.8	81.0	107.8	104.5
EBITDA	292.5	221.2	363.5	298.9
Acquisition and divestiture related expenses	1.8	6.6	1.4	1.0
Loss (Gain) on sale of business	(80.0)	(0.9)	7.7	(2.2)
Non-operating legal settlements	0.0	0.0	6.5	0.0
Finish bid error				48.8
Asset impairments	25.5	4.7	0.6	32.8
Integration costs	0.0	0.0	1.4	0.0
Restructuring charges	10.3	6.6	(0.8)	7.2
Adjusted EBITDA	250.2	238.1	380.3	386.4
Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP Measures:				
Income from Operations	137.9	142.6	273.2	198.0
Acquisition and divestiture related expenses	1.8	6.6	1.4	1.0
Finish bid error	0.0	0.0	0.0	48.8
Asset impairments	25.5	4.7	0.6	32.8
Integration costs	0.0	0.0	1.4	0.0
Restructuring charges	10.3	6.6	(0.8)	7.2
Adjusted Income from Operations	175.5	160.4	275.8	287.7

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