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## Forward-Looking Statements

Statements contained herein, other than statements of historical fact, particularly those anticipating future financial performance, business prospects, growth, strategies, business operations and similar matters, results of operations, liquidity and financial condition, and those relating to cost reductions and anticipated pre-tax savings and restructuring costs are "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements are based on the beliefs and assumptions of management based on information available to us at the time such statements are made. These statements, which are generally identifiable by the use of the words "will," "believe," "expect," "intend," "anticipate," "forecast," "project," "plan," and similar expressions, are subject to certain risks and uncertainties, are made as of the date hereof, and we undertake no duty or obligation to update them. Forward-looking statements are subject to the occurrence of events outside the Company's control and actual results and the timing of events may differ materially from those suggested or implied by such forward-looking statements due to numerous factors that involve substantial known and unknown risks and uncertainties. Investors and others are cautioned not to place undue reliance on forward-looking statements when deciding whether to buy, sell or hold the Company's securities.

Our outlook is based on certain assumptions which we believe to be reasonable under the circumstances. These include, without limitation, assumptions regarding consumer demand, tariffs, global geopolitical and economic uncertainties, and fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates; and the other factors described below.

Among the factors that could cause our actual results to differ materially from our forward-looking statements are: changes in trade policy and regulations, including changes in trade agreements and the imposition of tariffs, and the resulting consequences; global political and economic uncertainties; a limited number of large customers account for a significant percentage of our sales; sales of our products are affected by general economic and business conditions globally and in the countries in which we operate; risks associated with foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations; challenges related to the highly competitive business environment in which we operate; our ability to develop and market innovative products that meet consumer demands and to expand into new and adjacent product categories; our ability to successfully expand our business in emerging markets and the exposure to greater financial, operational, regulatory, compliance and other risks in such markets; the continued decline in the use of certain of our products; risks associated with seasonality, the sufficiency of investment returns on pension assets, risks related to actuarial assumptions, changes in government regulations and changes in the unfunded liabilities of a multi-employer pension plan; any impairment of our intangible assets; our ability to secure, protect and maintain our intellectual property rights, and our ability to license rights from major gaming console makers and video game publishers to support our gaming accessories business; our ability to grow profitably through acquisitions, and successfully integrate them; our ability to successfully execute our multi-year restructuring and cost savings program and realize the anticipated benefits; continued disruptions in the global supply chain; risks associated with inflation and other changes in the cost or availability of raw materials, transportation, labor, and other necessary supplies and services and the cost of finished goods; risks associated with outsourcing production of certain of our products, information technology systems and other administrative functions; the failure, inadequacy or interruption of our information technology systems or its supporting infrastructure; risks associated with a cybersecurity incident or information security breach, including that related to a disclosure of personally identifiable information; risks associated with our indebtedness, including limitations imposed by restrictive covenants, our debt service obligations, and our ability to comply with financial ratios and tests; a change in or discontinuance of our stock repurchase program or the payment of dividends; product liability claims, recalls or regulatory actions; the impact of litigation or other legal proceedings; the impact of additional tax liabilities stemming from our global operations and changes in tax laws, regulations and tax rates; our failure to comply with applicable laws, rules and regulations and self-regulatory requirements, the costs of compliance and the impact of changes in such laws; changes in trade policy and regulations, including changes in trade agreements and the imposition of tariffs, and the resulting consequences; our ability to attract and retain qualified personnel; the volatility of our stock price; risks associated with circumstances outside our control, including those caused by telecommunication failures, labor strikes, power and/or water shortages, public health crises, such as the occurrence of contagious diseases, severe weather events, war, terrorism and other geopolitical incidents; and other risks and uncertainties described in "Part I, Item 1A. Risk Factors" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2024, and in other reports we file with the Securities and Exchange Commission.





## Reg. G Non-GAAP Financial Measures

An explanation of how we calculate each of our Non-GAAP financial measures and a reconciliation of our current period and historical non-GAAP financial measures to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures can be found at the end of this presentation.

We use our non-GAAP financial measures both to explain our results to stockholders and the investment community and in the internal evaluation and management of our business. We believe our non-GAAP financial measures provide management and investors with a more complete understanding of our underlying operational results and trends, facilitate meaningful period-to-period comparisons and enhance an overall understanding of our past and future financial performance.

Our non-GAAP financial measures exclude certain items that may have a material impact upon our reported financial results such as restructuring charges, the impact of foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations, unusual tax items, goodwill and intangible asset impairment charges, and other non-recurring items that we consider to be outside of our core operations. On an interim basis, we also calculate adjusted income tax expense using our estimated annual income tax rate. These measures should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for, or superior to, the directly comparable GAAP financial measures and should be read in connection with the Company's financial statements presented in accordance with GAAP.

We also provide forward-looking non-GAAP comparable sales, adjusted earnings per share, free cash flow/adjusted free cash flow, adjusted EBITDA, and historical and forward-looking consolidated leverage ratio. We do not provide a reconciliation of these forward-looking and historical non-GAAP measures to GAAP because the GAAP financial measure is not currently available and management cannot reliably predict all the necessary components of such non-GAAP measures without unreasonable effort or expense due to the inherent difficulty of forecasting and quantifying certain amounts that are necessary for such a reconciliation, including adjustments that could be made for restructuring, integration and acquisition-related expenses, the variability of our tax rate and the impact of foreign currency fluctuation and material acquisitions, and other charges reflected in our historical results. The probable significance of each of these items is high and, based on historical experience, could be material.



# 20 2025 Highlights

- Sales and EPS in line with the Company outlook
- North America sales were impacted in April due to tariff announcements, with trends improving in both May and June
- Initial back-to-school sales impacted by tariff-related actions by retailers, which includes the pull forward of sales into 10:2025, delayed purchases, and some order cancellations
- Latin America demand weaker than expected, notably in Mexico
- International rate of sales decline improved sequentially from first quarter
- Sales of gaming accessories grew modestly in both segments, driven by the Nintendo Switch 2 console launch and international expansion
- Executing on \$100 million multi-year cost reduction program, have realized over \$40 million since inception of program
- Gross margin impacted by lower volumes, reduced fixed-cost absorption and impacts from tariffs, more than offsetting productivity
- SG&A costs down versus the prior year, primarily due to cost savings and incentive compensation reductions
- Year-over-year, the Company reduced net debt by \$43 million from debt paydown and an increase in cash balance. This was offset by \$24 million of adverse FX balance sheet translation; therefore, reported net debt was down \$19 million
- Consolidated net leverage ratio of 4.3x, due to lower EBITDA in the Americas segment





#### Well positioned to manage tariff impacts

- o China plus one approach has enabled quick moves to supply partners globally
- Strategic management of supplier base has allowed ACCO Brands to respond appropriately to the evolving tariff landscape
- o Well positioned with pre-tariff inventory to support N.A. back-to-school demand
- o Enhancing global supply chain to ensure flexibility to support U.S. sales by year-end
- $_{\odot}~60\%$  of sales outside of the U.S. and not impacted by U.S. tariffs
- o China remains a strategic sourcing partner

#### • Initiatives to mitigate the impact of tariffs in the U.S.

- Working with customers and suppliers
  - o Announced two rounds of price increases
  - o Continue to negotiate with suppliers on best terms
- Expanding SKU rationalization of slower turning products and mining opportunities for substitutions

# **Tariff Commentary**





## PowerA Supports Nintendo Switch 2 Launch

- PowerA was one of a select few of third-party manufacturers to be officially licensed for the Nintendo Switch 2 at launch
- Initial product offerings at launch included controllers, protective cases and screen protectors and exclusive IP designed accessories
- A strong pipeline of new products are scheduled to enter the market over the next twelve months





## New Product Spotlight







#### **Kensington Thunderbolt 5 Docking Station**

Offering ultra-fast charging, pro-level display support and dedicated functionality to support Apple users

#### Leitz Ergo Sit Stand Foldable Desk

Expanding ergonomics product portfolio to support hybrid work environment

#### **Rapid Work Lights**

Supporting DIYers in the work lights category in Europe with a complete line of lighting products



## Multi-Year Cost Reduction Program

## Total Program Targeting At Least \$100M in Cost Savings

- Total savings of over \$40 million since inception of the program
- Achieved over \$8 million in savings in Q2 2025, on track to deliver \$40 million in pre-tariff savings in 2025
  - Combination of lower headcount, lower discretionary spend and footprint rationalization
  - o Thoroughly planned and executed leadership changes announced during the quarter
- Program to date accomplishments
  - o Rationalized global footprint
  - o Reduced headcount and spend in SG&A
  - o Consolidated supply chain enabling better inventory management
  - Streamlined management structure, focusing on revitalizing sales growth, with leaders that have commercial experience and strong customer relationships





## Financial Results 20 2025

	3 Mc	onths End	ded	6 Months Ended			
\$ in millions	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>	<u>% Chg</u>	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>	% Chg	
Net Sales	\$394.8	\$438.3	(9.9%)	\$712.2	\$797.2	(10.7%)	
Gross Profit	\$129.7	\$152.6	(15.0%)	\$229.3	\$263.0	(12.8%)	
% Margin	32.9%	34.8%		32.2%	33.0%		
SG&A	\$82.6	\$88.0	(6.1%)	\$175.3	\$182.2	(3.8%)	
% Total Revenue	20.9%	20.1%		24.6%	22.9%		
*Adj. Operating Income	\$47.1	\$64.6	(27.1%)	\$54.0	\$80.8	(33.2%)	
% Margin	11.9%	14.7%		7.6%	10.1%		
*Adj. Earnings Per Share	\$0.28	\$0.37	(24.3%)	\$0.25	\$0.40	(37.5%)	

### **20 2025 Commentary**

- Comparable sales down 10.5%,
  - Favorable foreign exchange benefited sales by less than 1%
  - o Tariff announcements impacted sales
  - o Sales trends improved throughout the quarter
  - Gaming accessories grew in the quarter
  - Consumer and business products down globally
- Gross margin rate decline due to lower volumes, reduced fixed-cost absorption and the impacts from tariffs
- Lower SG&A from cost reduction programs and lower incentive compensation expense

<sup>\*</sup>Comparable Sales, Adjusted Operating Income and Adjusted EPS are Non-GAAP Financial Measures



\$ in millions	<u>20 2025</u>	<u>20 2024</u>	Y/Y Change								
ACCO Brands Americas											
Sales	\$248.5	\$292.3	(15.0%)								
*Comparable Sales	\$251.6	\$292.3	(13.9%)								
*Adjusted Operating Income	\$43.2	\$63.2	(31.6%)								
*Adjusted Operating Margin	17.4%	21.6%	(420 bps)								
ACCO Bra	nds Internationa	ı									
Sales	\$146.3	\$146.0	0.2%								
*Comparable Sales	\$140.6	\$146.0	(3.7%)								
*Adjusted Operating Income	\$12.4	\$11.7	6.0%								
*Adjusted Operating Margin	8.5%	8.0%	50 bps								

<sup>\*</sup>Comparable Sales, Adjusted Operating Income and Adjusted Operating Margin are Non-GAAP Financial Measures.

# 20 Segment Financial Metrics

## **Segment Commentary**

#### **Americas Commentary**

- Tariff announcements disrupted North America sales
- Weak economies in Latin America challenged sales
- Americas adjusted operating income decline due to lower volumes, lower fixed-cost absorption and the impacts from tariffs

#### **International Commentary**

- International rate of sales decline improved sequentially on a quarterly basis
- Buro Seating acquisition successfully integrated
- International adjusted operating margin expansion due to cost initiatives and lower incentive compensation expense



# 20 2025 Margin Reconciliation

	<u>2025</u>	Change vs. <u>Prior Year</u>	Items of Significant Impact	<u>Bps</u>
Gross Profit	\$129.7M	(\$22.9M)	Pricing/Product Cost	(70)
			Cost Savings	170
Gross Margin	32.9%	(190) Bps	Volume	(150)
			Tariff Impact	(80)
			Mix/FX	(60)
SG&A	\$82.6M	(\$5.4M)	Cost Savings	(70)
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SG&A Margin	20.9%	80 bps	Incentive Compensation	(100)
			Investments/Merit Inflation	30



## Capital Structure

Facility	(\$ in millions) <b>Balance</b> <sup>1</sup>	Interest Rate Methodology	<u>Rate</u>
USD Revolver <sup>2</sup>	102	SOFR + CSA <sup>4</sup> + 200 bps	6.41%
EUR Revolver <sup>2</sup>	116	EURIBOR+ 200 bps	3.98%
AUD Revolver <sup>2</sup>	34	Australian BBSR + 200 bps	5.68%
EUR Term Loan A	140	EURIBOR + 200 bps	3.98%
Subtotal Senior secured credit facilities <sup>3</sup>	412	Weighted average	4.76%
Senior unsecured notes	<u> 575</u>	4.25% fixed	4.25%
Total Gross Debt	987	Weighted average interest rate	4.46%

- Capital structure as of June 30, 2025
- Company had cash on hand of \$133M
- No debt maturities until 2029
- Debt is split 58/42 fixed and variable with weighted average rate of 4.46%

- 1 Currencies converted using June 30, 2025 closing spot rates
- Represents amounts outstanding under the \$467.5M multicurrency revolving credit facility
- Includes \$19.3 of other debt and excludes unamortized debt issuance costs.
- 4 Credit Spread Adjustment of 10 bps

• Gross debt up \$2M year-over-year

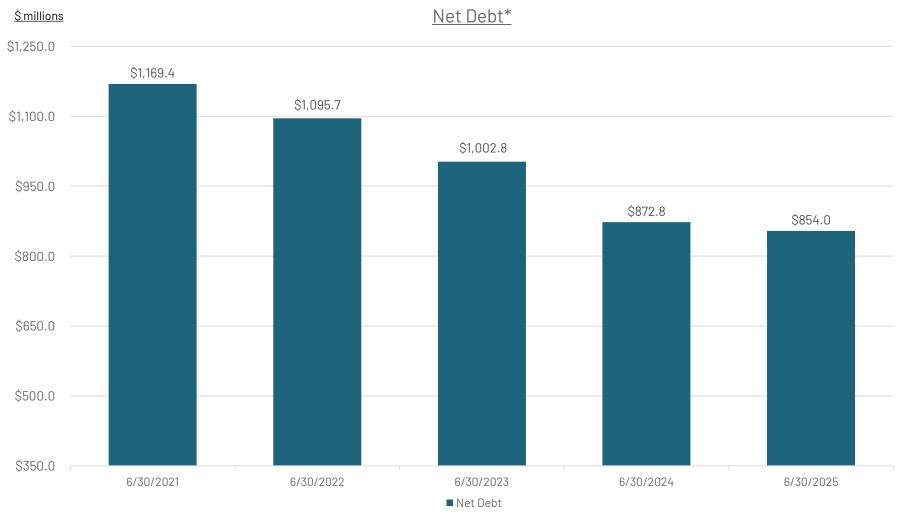
• Cash balance increased \$21M year-over-year

• \*Consolidated leverage ratio of 4.3x at end of 2Q 2025

<sup>\*</sup>Consolidated leverage ratio is a Non-GAAP financial measure



# Historical Net Debt 2Q



<sup>1 \*</sup>Net debt is a Non-GAAP financial measure



#### 1H 10 20 \$ in millions\* 2025 2025 2025 1H 2024 Change vs 2024 Net cash provided by operations 5 (39)(33)3 (36)(2) (5) (5) (7)(2) Additions to PP&E Free Cash Flow 3 (44) (40)(2) (38) 17 Proceeds from the sale of assets 17 17 3 (24)\*Adjusted free cash flow (28)(2) (22) (7)(7)(14)(14)Dividends paid Share repurchase (15)(15)(15)Cost of acquisitions, net of cash (10)(10)(10)acquired Other, net\*\* 2 21 23 (2) 25 Increase/(decrease) in debt 87 29 115 68 47 60 (1) 59 47 Increase in cash on hand 12

Debt/Cash Reconciliation	Debt	Cash
\$ in millions*		
Beginning of period 12/31/2024	840	74
Increase	115	52
FX	32	7
End of period 06/30/2025	987	133

<sup>\*</sup>Numbers may not foot due to rounding; Free cash flow and Adjusted free cash flow are a Non-GAAP financial measures

# Adjusted Free Cash Flow

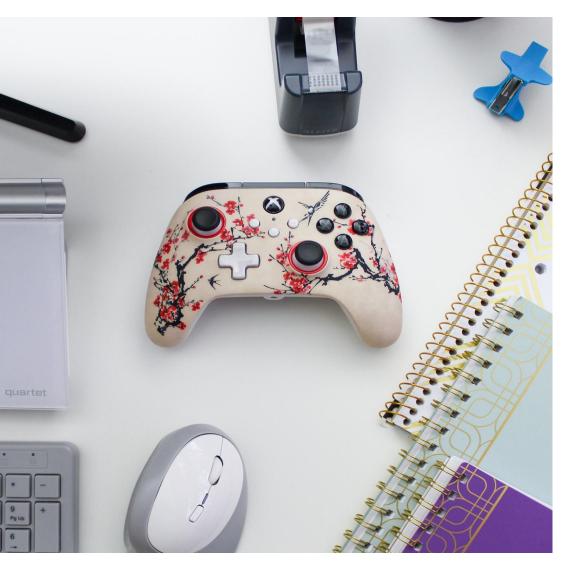
# Adjusted Free Cash Flow Commentary

- Cash flow seasonally weighted toward second half of the year
- Year-to-date adjusted free cash outflow of (\$24M) in line with expectations
- \$17M from proceeds from the sale of assets
- \$14M in dividends paid
- \$15M in share repurchases

<sup>\*\*</sup>Includes FX impact on debt and cash offset by net proceeds from exercise of stock options



## 3Q 2025 Outlook



Guidance	30 2025
Reported Net Sales	\$387 to \$400 million
Reported Net Sales Growth	(5.0%) to (8.0%)
Foreign Exchange	1%
Comparable Sales*	(6.0%)to(9.0%)
Adjusted EPS	\$0.21 to \$0.24

#### **30 Sales Commentary:**

 High level of uncertainty for demand due to tariffs and the impact on consumer and business discretionary spending

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<sup>\*</sup>Comparable Sales is a Non-GAAP financial measure



## Full Year 2025 Outlook



Guidance	Full Year 2025
Reported Net Sales	\$1,525 to \$1,550 million
Reported Net Sales Growth	(7.0%) to (8.5%)
Foreign Exchange	1%
Comparable Sales*	(8.0%) to (9.5%)
Adjusted EPS	\$0.83 to \$0.90
Adjusted Free Cash Flow*	Approximately \$100 million
Adjusted Tax Rate	Approximately 30%

<sup>\*</sup>Comparable Sales and Adjusted Free Cash Flow are Non-GAAP financial measures



## Capital Allocation

# Capital AllocationDebt ReductionShareholder ReturnsAdjusted free cash flow of (\$24M)\*Year-over-year, reduced net debt by \$19M; \$43M excluding \$24M of FX translation\*Announced \$0.075 per share quarterly dividend on July 25thClosed on small, strategic acquisition during 10 202520 2025 consolidated leverage ratio of 4.3x\*Share repurchases of \$15M in 10 2025

<sup>\*</sup>Adjusted Free Cash Flow, Net Debt and Consolidated Leverage Ratio are Non-GAAP financial measures



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## ACCO Brands (NYSE: ACCO) Snapshot

#### **Collection of Iconic Brands**

AT-A-GLANCE®







Kensington



- 12 brands account for 75% of net sales
- #1 or #2 market position in key categories
- Three diversified product groups:
  - Technology Accessories
  - Learning & Creative
  - Business Essentials
- Value to premium product offering













<sup>\*</sup>Adjusted Operating Margin, Free Cash Flow and Consolidated Leverage Ratio

## **2024 Key Statistics**

\$1.7B

**Net Sales** 

11.4% Adj. Operating Margin\*

\$132M

Free Cash Flow\*

3.4x

Consolidated Leverage Ratio\*

**35** 

Countries Operated in

20,000 Customers

1903

Year Founded

5,000 **Employees** 

## Free Cash Flow and Capital Allocation

- Consistent generator of Free Cash Flow\*
- Consolidated leverage ratio of 3.4x at end of 2024 \*
- 2024 dividends of \$28M
- 2024 share repurchases of \$15M
- Balance sheet improvement provides financial flexibility:
  - Dividend
  - Debt reduction
  - o Share repurchases
  - o M&A

are Non-GAAP Financial Measures



## Iconic Collection of Leading Brands

AT-A-GLANCE®



FIVE STAR. \*\*\*\*



Kensington



12 BRANDS **ACCOUNT FOR** \$1.3 BILLION IN ANNUAL SALES\*













#### **AMERICAS**



PowerA Third Party Controllers

#1

Five Star Backto-School Brand #1

**Tilibra** Student Notetaking

#1

Barrilito Backto-School Brand

#### INTERNATIONAL



Leitz Shredding

Leitz and Rapid Stapling



Leitz Organization & Storage



Spirax Student Notetaking

\*Based on 2024 financial results

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# Diversified Product Categories

Product Group	<u>Product Categories</u>	<u>% of 2024</u> <u>Net Sales</u>	<u>Key Brands</u>
Tech Accessories	Gaming and Computer Accessories	19%	Kensington (A) PowerA
Learning & Creative	Note-taking, Boards, Art Products and Writing	29%	FIVE STAR. Mead. tilibra  DERWENT Hibra quartet. Artline
Business Essentials	Stapling, Laminating, Tools, Shredding, Filing and Organization, Storage and Calendars	<b>52</b> %	LEITZ® Swingline AT-A-GLANCE®  GBC @Esselte® Rexel® Rapid

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## About Non-GAAP Financial Measures

Our non-GAAP financial measures include the following:

**Comparable Sales:** Represents net sales excluding the impact of material acquisitions, if any, with current-period foreign operation sales translated at prior-year currency rates. We believe comparable sales are useful to investors and management because they reflect underlying sales and sales trends without the effect of material acquisitions and fluctuations in foreign exchange rates and facilitate meaningful period-to-period comparisons. We sometimes refer to comparable sales as comparable net sales.

Adjusted Operating Income (Loss)/Adjusted Income (Loss) Before Taxes/Adjusted Net Income (Loss)/Adjusted Net Income (Loss) Per Diluted Share: Represents operating income (loss), income (loss) before taxes, net income (loss), and net income (loss) per diluted share excluding restructuring and goodwill and indefinite lived trade name impairment charges, the amortization of intangibles, non-recurring items, other income/expense, adjustments to reflect the estimated annual tax rate and discrete income tax adjustments, including income tax related to the foregoing. We believe these adjusted non-GAAP financial measures are useful to investors and management because they reflect our underlying operating performance before items that we consider to be outside our core operations and facilitate meaningful period-to-period comparisons. Senior management's incentive compensation is derived, in part, using adjusted operating income and adjusted net income per diluted share, which is derived from adjusted net income. We sometimes refer to adjusted net income per diluted share as adjusted earnings per share or adjusted EPS.

Adjusted Income Tax Expense (Benefit): Represents income tax expense (benefit) excluding the tax effect of the items that have been excluded from adjusted income (loss) before taxes, unusual income tax items such as the impact of tax audits and changes in laws, and other discrete tax items. We believe our adjusted income tax expense (benefit) is useful to investors because it reflects our income tax calculated using the estimated annual tax rate before discrete tax items that we consider to be outside our core operations and facilitates meaningful period-to-period comparisons. For interim periods, the income tax expense (benefit) is calculated using the estimated annual income tax rate.

Adjusted EBITDA: Represents net income excluding the effects of depreciation, stock-based compensation expense, amortization of intangibles, interest expense, net, other (income) expense, net, and income tax expense, restructuring and goodwill and indefinite lived trade name charges, and other non-recurring items. We believe adjusted EBITDA is useful to investors because it reflects our underlying cash profitability and adjusts for certain non-cash charges and items that we consider to be outside our core operations and facilitates meaningful period-to-period comparisons. In addition, this calculation of adjusted EBITDA is used in our loan agreement to calculate our leverage ratio covenant.

Free Cash Flow/Adjusted Free Cash Flow: Free cash flow represents cash flow from operating activities less cash used for additions to property, plant and equipment. Adjusted free cash flow is free cash flow plus proceeds of from the disposition of assets. We believe free cash flow and adjusted free cash flow are useful to investors because it measures our available cash flow for paying dividends, reducing debt, repurchasing shares and funding acquisitions.

Net Debt: Represents balance sheet debt plus unamortized debt origination costs and less any cash and cash equivalents.

Consolidated Leverage Ratio: Represents net debt divided by trailing twelve months adjusted EBITDA.



## ACCO Brands Corporation and Subsidiaries Reconciliation of GAAP to Adjusted Non-GAAP Information (Unaudited)

The following tables set forth a reconciliation of certain Consolidated Statements of Income (Loss) information reported in accordance with GAAP to Adjusted Non-GAAP Information for the three months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024.

(B)

(C)

(A)

(D)

(E)

(A)

(in millions, except per share data)

Reported GAAP

Reported GAAP diluted loss per share (EPS)

Restructuring

Amortization of intangibles

Gain on sale of property

Brazil tax assessment

Discrete tax items and adjustments to annual tax rate

Adjusted Non-GAAP

Adjusted net income per diluted share (Adjusted EPS)

- 1	hree	Mont	hs l	End	ed	June	30,	2025	5

erating come	% of Sales		ncome ore Tax	% of Sales		Income Tax (Benefit) Expense	Tax Rate	1	Net Income	% of Sales
\$ 33.0	8.4 %	s	22.7	5.7 %	s	(6.5)	(28.6)%			7.4 %
									0.31	
9.4			9.4			2.4		П	7.0	
11.6			11.6			3.1		П	8.5	
(6.9)			(6.9)			(1.7)		П	(5.2)	
_			_			13.4		П	(13.4)	
_			_			0.3		L	(0.3)	
\$ 47.1	11.9 %	S	36.8	9.3 %	\$	11.0	30.0 %	9	\$ 25.8 \$ 0.28	6.5 %

#### (in millions, except per share data)

Reported GAAP

Reported GAAP diluted income per share (EPS)

Restructuring

Goodwill impairment charge

Intangible assets impairment charge

Amortization of intangibles

Pension settlement

Net operating tax gains and losses

Discrete tax items and adjustments to annual tax rate

Adjusted Non-GAAP

#### Three Months Ended June 30, 2024

 perating ss) Income	% of Sales	(Loss) Income before Tax	% of Sales	Income Tax (Benefit) Expense	Tax Rate	Net (Loss) Income	% of Sales
\$(111.2)	(25.4)%	\$(127.4)	(29.1)%	\$(2.2)	1.7 %	\$(125.2)	(28.6)%
	- 1					\$(1.29)	
(0.3)	- 1	(0.3)		(0.1)		(0.2)	
127.5		127.5		_		127.5	
37.7	- 1	37.7		9.6		28.1	
10.9		10.9		2.9		8.0	
_		4.4		1.1		3.3	
_		(0.6)		(0.2)		(0.4)	
_	- 1	_		4.5	.	(4.5)	
\$64.6	14.7 %	\$52.2	11.9 %	\$15.6	30.0 %	\$36.6	8.4 %
						\$0.37	



## ACCO Brands Corporation and Subsidiaries Reconciliation of GAAP to Adjusted Non-GAAP Information (Unaudited)

The following tables set forth a reconciliation of certain Consolidated Statements of Income (Loss) information reported in accordance with GAAP to Adjusted Non-GAAP Information for the six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024.

		erating come	% of Sales	b	Income efore Tax
(in millions, except per share data)					
Reported GAAP		\$ 26.3	3.7 %	S	6.2
Reported GAAP diluted loss per share (EPS)					
Restructuring		11.7			11.7
Amortization of intangibles		22.9			22.9
Gain on sale of property	(B)	(6.9)			(6.9)
Brazil tax assessment	(C)	_			_
Discrete tax items and adjustments to annual tax rate	(A)	 		L	
Adjusted Non-GAAP		\$ 54.0	7.6 %	\$	33.9
Adjusted net income per diluted share (Adjusted EPS)					

	Six	Months Ende	d <u>Ju</u>	ine 30, 2025												
	Income before Tax	% of Sales	Income Tax (Benefit) Expense		Tax		Tax (Benefit)		Tax (Benefit)		Tax Rate	Net Income		Net Income		% of Sales
6	S 6.2	0.9 %	S	(9.8)	(158.1)%	\$	16.0	2.2 %								
						s	0.17									
	11.7			2.9			8.8									
	22.9			6.1			16.8									
	(6.9)			(1.7)			(5.2)									
	_			13.4			(13.4)									
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ó	\$ 33.9	4.8 %	\$	10.2	30.0 %	\$	23.7	3.3 %								
						s	0.25									

(in millions, except per share data)
Reported GAAP
Reported GAAP diluted loss per share (EPS)
Restructuring
Goodwill impairment charge
Intangible assets impairment charge
Amortization of intangibles
Pension settlement
Net operating tax gains and losses
Discrete tax items and adjustments to annual tax rate
Adjusted Non-GAAP
Adjusted net income per diluted share (Adjusted EPS)

			Six	Months End	ed June 30, 2024			
	Operating (Loss) Income	% of Sales	(Loss) Income before Tax	% of Sales	Income Tax (Benefit) Expense	Tax Rate	Net (Loss) Income	% of Sales
	\$(105.3)	(13.2)%	\$(132.7)	(16.6)%	\$(1.2)	0.9 %	\$(131.5)	(16.5)%
		- 1					\$(1.37)	
	(0.6)	- 1	(0.6)		(0.2)		(0.4)	
	127.5	- 1	127.5		_		127.5	
	37.7	- 1	37.7		9.6		28.1	
	21.5	- 1	21.5		5.8		15.7	
D)	_	- 1	4.4		1.1		3.3	
E)	_	- 1	(1.8)		(0.6)		(1.2)	
A)	_	- 1	_		2.3		(2.3)	
	\$80.8	10.1 %	\$56.0	7.0 %	\$16.8	30.0 %	\$39.2	4.9 %
							\$0.40	



#### Notes to Reconciliations of GAAP to Adjusted Non-GAAP Information and Net Income (Loss) to Adjusted EBITDA (Unaudited)

- A. The income tax impact of discrete tax items. As of June 30, 2025 and 2024, the Company adjusted its tax rate to 30.0%, respectively, which represents its full year non-GAAP estimated annual tax rate remains subject to variation from the mix of earnings across the Company's operating jurisdictions.
- B. Gain related to the sale of facilities in Sidney, New York and Barcelona, Spain.
- C. Settlement and release of uncertain tax positions related to the Brazil Tax Assessments.
- D. Settlement due to the wind-up of the ACCO Brands Canada Salaried and Hourly pension plans.
- E. Includes certain indirect tax credits in Brazil.

## ACCO Brands Corporation and Subsidiaries Reconciliation of Net Income (Loss) to Adjusted EBITDA (Unaudited)

The following table sets forth a reconciliation of net income (loss) reported in accordance with GAAP to Adjusted EBITDA.

	Three Months Ended June 30, Six Months Ended June 30,					
(in millions)	2025	2024	% Change	2025	2024	% Change
Net income (loss)	\$29.2	\$(125.2)	NM .	\$16.0	\$(131.5)	NM
Stock-based compensation	0.5	2.5	(80.0)%	8.3	7.6	9.2 %
Depreciation	6.6	6.7	(1.5)%	13.3	14.1	(5.7)%
Amortization of intangibles	11.6	10.9	6.4 %	22.9	21.5	6.5 %
Restructuring	9.4	(0.3)	NM	11.7	(0.6)	NM
Gain on disposal of assets	(6.9)	_	NM	(6.9)	_	NM
Impairment of goodwill and intangible assets	_	165.2	NM	_	165.2	NM
Pension Settlement	_	4.4	NM	_	4.4	NM
Interest expense, net	8.9	11.6	(23.3)%	17.8	23.0	(22.6)%
Other expense (income), net	0.8	(0.2)	NM	1,2	(0.8)	NM
Income tax benefit	(6.5)	(2.2)	NM_	(9.8)	(1.2)	NM
Adjusted EBITDA (non-GAAP)	\$53.6	\$73.4	(27.0)%	\$74.5	\$101.7	(26.7)%
Adjusted EBITDA as a % of Net Sales	13.6 %	16.7 %		10.5 %	12.8 %	



#### ACCO Brands Corporation and Subsidiaries Reconciliation of Debt to Net Debt (Unaudited) (In millions)

	June 30,								
			2022	2021					
Total debt per balance sheet	\$	1,077.6	\$	1,178.6	\$	1,236.9			
Add debt origination costs		7.6		8.8		10.4			
Less cash and cash equivalents		82.4		91.7		77.9			
Net Debt (non-GAAP)	\$	1,002.8	\$	1,095.7	\$	1,169.4			

#### Reconciliation of Debt to Net Debt (Unaudited)

The following table sets forth a reconciliation of debt reported in accordance with GAAP to Net Debt.

	Six Months End	Six Months Ended June 30,				
(in millions)	2025	2024	\$ Change			
Total debt per balance sheet	\$982.8	\$979.7				
Add debt origination costs	4.5	5.8				
Less cash and cash equivalents	133.3	112.7				
Net Debt (non-GAAP)	\$854.0	\$872.8	\$(18.8)			

#### Reconciliation of Net Cash (Used) Provided by Operating Activities to Free Cash Flow and Adjusted Free Cash Flow (Unaudited)

The following table sets forth a reconciliation of net cash (used) provided by operating activities reported in accordance with GAAP to Free Cash Flow and Adjusted Free Cash Flow.

(in millions)	Three Months Ended June 30, 2025	Three Months Ended June 30, 2024	Six Months Ended June 30, 2025	Six Months Ended June 30, 2024
Net cash (used) provided by operating activities	S(38.9)	\$(25.6)	\$(33.4)	\$2.6
Additions to property, plant and equipment	(4.6)	(2.6)	(6.8)	(4.9)
Free Cash Flow (non-GAAP)	\$(43.5)	\$(28.2)	\$(40.2)	\$(2.3)
Proceeds from the disposition of assets	16.5		16.5	
Adjusted Free Cash Flow (non-GAAP)	\$(27.0)	\$(28.2)	\$(23.7)	\$(2.3)



ACCO Brands Corporation and Subsidiaries
Supplemental Business Segment Information and Reconciliation (Unaudited)

			2025					2024					Changes		
	Reported	Reported Operating Income	Adjusted	Adjusted Operating Income	Adjusted Operating Income (Loss)	Reported	Reported Operating Income	Adjusted	Adjusted Operating Income	Adjusted Operating Income (Loss)	Net Sales	Net Sales	Adjusted Operating Income	Adjusted Operating Income	Adjusted Margin
(in millions)	Net Sales	(Loss)	Items	(Loss)	Margin	Net Sales	(Loss)	Items	(Loss)	Margin	S	<u>%</u>	(Loss) \$	(Loss) %	Points
Q1: ACCO Brands Americas ACCO Brands	\$173.9	\$0.9	\$9.1	\$10.0	5.8%	\$197.2	\$6.1	\$6.2	\$12.3	6.2%	\$(23.3)	(11.8)%	\$(2.3)	(18.7)%	(40)
International	143.5	5.1	4.5	9.6	6.7%	161.7	12.8	4.1	16.9	10.5%	(18.2)	(11.3)%	(7.3)	(43.2)%	(380)
Corporate Total	\$317.4	\$(6.7)	\$13.6	\$6.9	2.2%	\$358.9	(13.0) \$5.9	\$10.3	(13.0) \$16.2	4.5%	\$(41.5)	(11.6)%	\$(9.3)	(57.4)%	(230)
Q2: ACCO Brands Americas ACCO Brands	\$248.5	\$40.7	\$2.5	\$43.2	17.4%	\$292.3	\$(108.7)	\$171.9	\$63.2	21.6%	\$(43.8)	(15.0)%	\$(20.0)	(31.6)%	(420)
International	146.3	0.8	11.6	12,4	8.5%	146.0	7.8	3.9	11.7	8.0%	0.3	0.2%	0.7	6.0%	50
Corporate Total	\$394.8	(8.5) \$33.0	\$14.1	(8.5) \$47.1	11.9%	\$438.3	\$(111.2)	\$175.8	(10.3) \$64.6	14.7%	\$(43.5)	(9.9)%	\$(17.5)	(27.1)%	(280)
YTD: ACCO Brands Americas ACCO Brands	\$422.4	\$41.6	\$11.6	\$53.2	12.6%	\$489.5	\$(102.6)	\$178.1	\$75.5	15.4%	\$(67.1)	(13.7)%	\$(22.3)	(29.5)%	(280)
International	289.8	5.9	16.1	22.0	7.6%	307.7	20.6	8.0	28.6	9.3%	(17.9)	(5.8)%	(6.6)	(23.1)%	(170)
Corporate		(21.2)		(21.2)			(23.3)		(23.3)		_		2.1		
Total	\$712.2	\$26.3	\$27.7	\$54.0	7.6%	\$797.2	\$(105.3)	\$186.1	\$80.8	10.1%	\$(85.0)	(10.7)%	\$(26.8)	(33.2)%	(250)

See "Notes to Reconciliations of GAAP to Adjusted Non-GAAP Information and Net Income (Loss) to Adjusted EBITDA (Unaudited)" for further information regarding adjusted items.



#### ACCO Brands Corporation and Subsidiaries Supplemental Net Sales Change Analysis (Unaudited)

	% Change - Net Sales			lГ	\$ Cha	1		
	GAAP	Non-	GAAP	1 [	GAAP Non-GAAP			
	Net Sales Change	Currency Translation	Comparable Sales Change (A)	N	Net Sales Change	Currency Translation	Comparable Sales Change (A)	Comparable Sales
Q1 2025:				1 [				
ACCO Brands Americas	(11.8)%	(3.5)%	(8.3)%	Ш	\$(23.3)	\$(7.0)	\$(16.3)	\$180.9
ACCO Brands International	(11.3)%	(2.9)%	(8.4)%	ΙL	(18.2)	(4.7)	(13.5)	148.2
Total	(11.6)%	(3.3)%	(8.3)%		\$(41.5)	\$(11.7)	\$(29.8)	\$329.1
Q2 2025: ACCO Brands Americas ACCO Brands International	(15.0)%	(1.1)%	(13.9)%		\$(43.8)	\$(3.1)	\$(40.7)	\$251.6
Total	(9.9)%	3.9 % 0.6 %	(3.7)% (10.5)%	╁	0.3 \$(43.5)	\$2.6	\$(46.1)	140.6 \$392.2
2025 YTD: ACCO Brands Americas ACCO Brands International	(13.7)% (5.8)%	(2.1)% 0.3 %	(11.6)% (6.1)%		\$(67.1) (17.9)	\$(10.1) 1.0	\$(57.0) (18.9)	\$432.5 288.8
Total	(10.7)%	(1.1)%	(9.6)%		\$(85.0)	\$(9.1)	\$(75.9)	\$721.3
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<sup>(</sup>A) Comparable sales represents net sales excluding material acquisitions, if any, and with current-period foreign operation sales translated at the prior-year currency rates.































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