UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): May 24, 2023

LiveRamp Holdings, Inc. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 225 Bush Street, Seventeenth Floor San Francisco, CA (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

001-38669 (Commission File Number) 83-1269307

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

94104 (Zip Code)

(888) 987-6764 (Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code) (Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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	Pre-commencement communication	ns pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under t	he Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
provisions:	Pre-commencement communication	ns pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under t	he Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
Securities register	red pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act: Title of each class	Trading Symbol	Name of each exchange on which registered
-	Common Stock, \$.10 Par Value	RAMP	New York Stock Exchange
	growth company, indicate by check mark if		e the extended transition period for complying with any
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Section 2—Financial Information

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On May 24, 2023, LiveRamp Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing the results of its financial performance for its fourth quarter ended March 31, 2023. The Company will hold a conference call at 1:30 PM PDT today to further discuss this information. Interested parties are invited to listen to the webcast, which will be broadcast via the Internet at www.liveramp.com. The press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein.

The information contained in this Item 2.02, including the exhibit attached hereto, is being "furnished" and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of Section 18 of the Exchange Act. The information in this Item 2.02 shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or into any filing or other document pursuant to the Exchange Act, except as otherwise expressly stated in any such filing.

Section 9—Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits	
Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press Release of the Company dated May 24, 2023
104	Cover Page Interactive Data file (formatted as Inline XBRL and contained in Exhibit 101)

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: May 24, 2023

LiveRamp Holdings, Inc.

Ву: /s/ Jerry C. Jones

Name: Jerry C. Jones

Chief Ethics and Legal Officer & Executive Vice President Title:

LIVERAMP ANNOUNCES FOURTH QUARTER AND FISCAL YEAR RESULTS

Q4 Revenue Up 5% and Full Year Revenue Up 13%
Q4 GAAP Gross Margin of 71% and Non-GAAP Gross Margin of 75%
Full Year Operating Cash Flow of \$34 Million
\$150 Million in Shares Repurchased in Full Year

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., May 24, 2023—LiveRamp® (NYSE: RAMP), the leading data collaboration platform, today announced its financial results for the quarter and fiscal year ended March 31, 2023.

Fourth Ouarter Financial Highlights

All metrics compared to the prior year fourth quarter.

- Total revenue was \$149 million, up 5%.
- Subscription revenue was \$121 million, up 5%, and contributed 81% of total revenue.
- Marketplace & Other revenue was \$28 million, up 6%.
- GAAP gross profit was \$105 million, up 3%, and GAAP gross margin of 71% declined by 1 percentage point. Non-GAAP gross profit was \$111 million, up 3%, and non-GAAP gross margin of 75% declined by 2 percentage points.
- GAAP operating loss was \$47 million compared to \$28 million in the prior year period. Non-GAAP operating income was \$14 million compared to \$3 million in the prior year period.
- The Company accelerated the vesting of certain time-vesting restricted stock units that would have otherwise vested over the next six months to take advantage of cash tax savings opportunities. In the fourth quarter, the Company recognized \$23 million of stock-based compensation expense and \$2 million of payroll tax expense related to the accelerated vesting. The accelerated vesting was not contemplated in the Company's financial outlook for the fourth quarter and fiscal 2023. The payroll tax expense impacted both GAAP and non-GAAP operating income, while the stock-based compensation expense only impacted GAAP operating income.
- GAAP diluted loss per share was \$0.48, and non-GAAP diluted earnings per share was \$0.32.
- Net cash provided by operating activities was \$31 million compared to \$59 million in the prior year period.

Fiscal Year Financial Highlights

All metrics compared to the prior fiscal year.

- Total revenue was \$597 million, up 13%.
- Subscription revenue was \$483 million, up 13%, and contributed 81% of total revenue.
- Marketplace & Other revenue was \$114 million, up 14%.
- GAAP gross profit was \$426 million, up 12%, and GAAP gross margin of 71% declined by 1 percentage point. Non-GAAP gross profit was \$450 million, up 11%, and non-GAAP gross margin of 75% declined by 1 percentage point.
- GAAP operating loss was \$126 million compared to \$66 million in the prior year. Non-GAAP operating income was \$61 million compared to \$42 million in the prior year.

- GAAP diluted loss per share was \$1.79, and non-GAAP diluted earnings per share was \$0.86.
- Net cash provided by operating activities was \$34 million compared to \$78 million in the prior year.
- In FY23, LiveRamp repurchased 6.1 million shares for \$150 million. Since inception of the share repurchase program in August 2011, the Company has returned approximately \$1.4 billion in capital to shareholders. To date in FY24, the Company has repurchased 0.5 million shares for \$12 million. There is \$206 million currently available under the share repurchase authorization that expires on December 31, 2024.

A reconciliation between GAAP and non-GAAP results is provided in the schedules to this press release.

LiveRamp CEO Scott Howe said, "We delivered an in-line quarter, hitting our key financial targets. We enter fiscal 2024 as a more efficient company, with a leaner cost structure and encouraging sales momentum, particularly upselling customers to our data collaboration platform. We expect this momentum to build in FY24 as our recently announced integrations and partnerships – such as with Google PAIR, Snowflake and Twilio – gain traction in the market."

GAAP and Non-GAAP Results

The following table summarizes the Company's financial results for its third fiscal quarter (\$ in millions):

		Q4 Fis			Full Year Fiscal 2023					
			sults			Resu				
		GAAP	1	Non-GAAP		GAAP	Non-GAAP			
Subscription revenue	\$	121		_	\$	483	_			
YoY change %		5 %				13 %				
Marketplace & other revenue	\$	28		_	\$	114	_			
YoY change %		6 %				14 %				
Total revenue	\$	149			\$	597	_			
YoY change %		5 %				13 %				
Gross profit	\$	105	\$	111	\$	426 \$	450			
% Gross margin		71 %		75 %		71 %	75 %			
YoY change, pts		(1)pts		(2)pts		(1)pts	(1)pts			
Operating income (loss)	\$	(47)	\$	14	\$	(126) \$	61			
% Operating margin		(32)%		10 %		(21)%	10 %			
YoY change, pts		(12)pts		8pts		(9)pts	2pts			
Net earnings (loss)	\$	(31)	\$	21	\$	(119) \$	58			
Earnings (loss) per share	\$	(0.48)	\$	0.32	\$	(1.79) \$	0.86			
Shares to Calculate EPS		65.1		66.3		66.4	67.1			
YoY change %		(5)%		(3)%		(3)%	(4)%			
Net operating cash flow	\$	31		_	\$	34	_			
Free cash flow to equity	•		\$	31	*	_ \$	30			

Totals may not sum due to rounding.

A detailed discussion of our non-GAAP financial measures and a reconciliation between GAAP and non-GAAP results is provided in the schedules to this press release.

Additional Business Highlights & Metrics

- The Company's Authenticated Traffic Solution (ATS) has reached global scale. There are currently more than 165 supply-side
 platforms (SSPs) and demand-side platforms (DSPs) live or committed to bid on RampID™ and ATS, including The Trade Desk,
 Xander, Amobee, Criteo, Roku Oneview, and MediaMath.
- To date, over 14,000 publisher domains, including 70% of the comScore 100 largest publishers, have integrated ATS worldwide, including Amazon Publisher Services, Microsoft, Hearst, CafeMedia, Leaf Group, Prisma Media and Burda. Through these integrations, LiveRamp is now connected to over 90% of consumer time spent online in the US.
- In February 2023, LiveRamp announced enhanced product capabilities natively built on Snowflake, a leading data cloud warehouse. Last year, LiveRamp's identity solutions were natively integrated into Snowflake. Now LiveRamp's data activation solutions will be natively built into Snowflake, along with an easy-to-use, marketer-friendly user interface, allowing customers to easily activate hundreds of marketing and media destinations directly from Snowflake.
- In March 2023, LiveRamp announced that its activation network now extends to mar-tech capabilities through a new partnership with Twilio. This integration will enable marketers to seamlessly activate their LiveRamp audiences in SMS and Email on Twilio, enabling new audience activation channels, as well as the centralization of measurement across advertising and marketing channels.
- In March 2023, LiveRamp announced a new partnership with Adobe Real-Time Customer Data Platform to natively offer LiveRamp's
 people-based identifier, RampID. Through a new LiveRamp app available in Adobe Exchange, marketers will be able to activate their
 customer data on RampID via downstream activation partners including DSPs, SSPs, CTV destinations, and other premium
 publishers.
- LiveRamp added 10 net new direct subscription customers in the fourth quarter. Customer count at quarter end was 920, up from 905 a year ago.
- At the end of the fourth quarter, LiveRamp had 95 customers whose subscription contracts exceed \$1 million in annual revenue, up from 87 in the prior year period.
- During the fourth quarter, subscription net retention was 97%, and platform net retention was 99%.
- Current remaining performance obligations (CRPO), which is contracted and committed revenue expected to be recognized over the next 12 months, at the end of the fourth quarter was \$338 million, up 9% compared to the prior year period.

Financial Outlook

LiveRamp's non-GAAP guidance excludes the impact of non-cash stock compensation, purchased intangible asset amortization, and restructuring charges.

For the first quarter of fiscal 2024, LiveRamp expects to report:

- Revenue of approximately \$147 million, an increase of 3% year-over-year
- GAAP operating loss of approximately \$8 million
- Non-GAAP operating income of approximately \$15 million

For fiscal 2024, LiveRamp expects to report:

- Revenue of between \$610 million and \$620 million, an increase of between 2% and 4% year-over-year
- GAAP operating income of between \$3 million and \$6 million
- Non-GAAP operating income of between \$90 million and \$93 million.

Conference Call

LiveRamp will hold a conference call at 1:30 p.m. PT today to further discuss this information. Interested parties are invited to listen to the call which will be broadcast via the Internet and can be found on LiveRamp's investor site. A slide presentation will be referenced during the call and can be accessed here.

About LiveRamp

LiveRamp is the data collaboration platform of choice for the world's most innovative companies. A groundbreaking leader in consumer privacy, data ethics, and foundational identity, LiveRamp is setting the new standard for building a connected customer view with unmatched clarity and context while protecting precious brand and consumer trust. LiveRamp offers complete flexibility to collaborate wherever data lives to support the widest range of data collaboration use cases—within organizations, between brands, and across its premier global network of top-quality partners. Hundreds of global innovators, from iconic consumer brands and tech giants to banks, retailers, and healthcare leaders, turn to LiveRamp to build enduring brand and business value by deepening customer engagement and loyalty, activating new partnerships, and maximizing the value of their first-party data while staying on the forefront of rapidly evolving compliance and privacy requirements. LiveRamp is based in San Francisco, California with offices worldwide. Learn more at LiveRamp.com.

Forward-Looking Statements

This press release contains "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, as amended (the "PSLRA"). These statements, which are not statements of historical fact, may contain estimates, assumptions, projections and/or expectations regarding the Company's financial position, results of operations for fiscal 2024 and beyond, market position, product development, growth opportunities, economic conditions, and other similar forecasts and statements of expectation. Forward-looking statements are often identified by words or phrases such as "anticipate," "estimate," "plan," "expect," "believe," "intend," "foresee," or the negative of these terms or other similar variations thereof.

These forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance and are subject to a number of factors and uncertainties that could cause the Company's actual results and experiences to differ materially from the anticipated results and expectations expressed in the forward-looking statements.

Among the factors that may cause actual results and expectations to differ from anticipated results and expectations expressed in forwardlooking statements are uncertainties related to rising interest rates, cost increases, the possibility of a recession, general inflationary pressure, and the associated impacts of these potential events on our suppliers, customers and partners; the Company's dependence upon customer renewals; new customer additions and upsell within our subscription business; our reliance upon partners, including data suppliers; competition; and attracting and retaining talent. Additional risks include maintaining our culture and our ability to innovate and evolve while operating in a hybrid work environment, with some employees working remotely at least some of the time within a rapidly changing industry, while also avoiding disruption from reductions in our current workforce as well as disruptions resulting from acquisition, divestiture and other activities affecting our workforce. Our international operations are also subject to risks, including the performance of third parties as well as impacts from war and civil unrest, that may harm the Company's business. The risk of a significant breach of the confidentiality of the information or the security of our or our customers', suppliers', or other partners' data and/or computer systems, or the risk that our current insurance coverage may not be adequate for such a breach, that an insurer might deny coverage for a claim or that such insurance will continue to be available to us on commercially reasonable terms, or at all, could be detrimental to our business, reputation and results of operations. Other business risks include unfavorable publicity and negative public perception about our industry; interruptions or delays in service from data center or cloud hosting vendors we rely upon; and our dependence on the continued availability of third-party data hosting and transmission services. Our clients' ability to use data on our platform could be restricted if the industry's use of third-party cookies and tracking technology declines due to technology platform changes, regulation or increased user controls. Changes in regulations relating to information collection and use represents a risk, as well as changes in tax laws and regulations that are applied to our customers which could cause enterprise software budget tightening. In addition, third parties may claim that we are infringing their intellectual property or may infringe our intellectual property which could result in competitive injury and / or the incurrence of significant costs and draining of our resources.

For a discussion of these and other risks and uncertainties, please refer to LiveRamp's Annual Report on Form 10-K for our fiscal year 2022 ended March 31, 2022, and LiveRamp's Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q issued in fiscal year 2023.

The financial information set forth in this press release reflects estimates based on information available at this time.

LiveRamp assumes no obligation and does not currently intend to update these forward-looking statements.

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LIVERAMP HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

,	For the three months ended March 31,										
		2023	2022		,	\$ Variance	% Variance				
Revenues Cost of revenue	\$	148,626 43,472	\$	141,725 39,476	\$	6,901 3,996	4.9 % 10.1 %				
Gross profit % Gross margin		105,154 70.8 %		102,249 72.1 %		2,905	2.8 %				
Operating expenses: Research and development		52,220		45,501		6,719	14.8 %				
Sales and marketing		52,220		54,951		2,555	4.6 %				
General and administrative		32,832		29,583		3,249	11.0 %				
Gains, losses and other items, net		9,723		183		9,540	NA				
Total operating expenses		152,281	-	130,218		22,063	16.9 %				
Loss from operations % Margin		(47,127) (31.7)%		(27,969) (19.7) %		(19,158)	(68.5)%				
Total other expense, net		4,735		(47)		4,782	10,174.5 %				
Loss from continuing operations before income taxes		(42,392)		(28,016)	\$	(14,376)	(51.3)%				
Income tax expense		(6,460)		1,376	\$	(7,836)	(569.5)%				
Net loss from continuing operations		(35,932)		(29,392)	\$	(6,540)	(22.3)%				
Earnings from discontinued operations, net of tax		4,568			\$	4,568	n/a				
Net loss	\$	(31,364)	\$	(29,392)	\$	(1,972)	(6.7)%				
Basic earnings (loss) per share											
Continuing operations	\$	(0.55)	\$	(0.43)		(0.12)	(28.2)%				
Discontinued operations		0.07				0.07	n/a				
Basic loss per share	\$	(0.48)	\$	(0.43)		(0.05)	(11.9)%				
Diluted earnings (loss) per share											
Continuing operations	\$	(0.55)	\$	(0.43)		(0.12)	(28.2)%				
Discontinued operations		0.07				0.07	n/a				
Diluted loss per share	\$	(0.48)	\$	(0.43)		(0.05)	(11.9)%				
Basic weighted average shares		65,126		68,283							
Diluted weighted average shares		65,126		68,283							
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Totals may not sum due to rounding.

LIVERAMP HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

(For the twelve months ended March 31,								
						\$	%		
		2023		2022	\	/ariance	Variance		
Revenues	\$	596,583	\$	528,657	\$	67,926	12.8 %		
Cost of revenue		170,084		147,427		22,657	15.4 %		
Gross profit		426,499		381,230		45,269	11.9 %		
% Gross margin		71.5 %		72.1 %					
Operating expenses:									
Research and development		189,195		157,935		31,260	19.8 %		
Sales and marketing		202,437		182,763		19,674	10.8 %		
General and administrative		125,351		104,591		20,760	19.8 %		
Gains, losses and other items, net		35,316		1,479		33,837	2,287.8 %		
Total operating expenses		552,299		446,768		105,531	23.6 %		
Loss from operations		(125,800)		(65,538)		(60,262)	(91.9)%		
% Margin		(21.1)%		(12.4)%					
Total other income, net		6,946		30,463		(23,517)	(77.2)%		
Loss from continuing operations before income taxes		(118,854)		(35,075)		(83,779)	(238.9)%		
Income tax expense (benefit)		5,252		(1,242)		6,494	522.9 %		
Net loss from continuing operations		(124,106)		(33,833)		(90,273)	(266.8)%		
Earnings from discontinued operations, net of tax		5,404				5,404	n/a		
Net loss	\$	(118,702)	\$	(33,833)		(84,869)	(250.8)%		
Basic earnings (loss) per share									
Continuing operations	\$	(1.87)	\$	(0.50)		(1.37)	(277.1)%		
Discontinued operations		0.08				0.08	n/a		
Basic loss per share	\$	(1.79)	\$	(0.50)		(1.29)	(260.7)%		
Diluted earnings (loss) per share									
Continuing operations	\$	(1.87)	\$	(0.50)		(1.37)	(277.1)%		
Discontinued operations		0.08				0.08	n/a		
Diluted loss per share	\$	(1.79)	\$	(0.50)		(1.29)	(260.7)%		
Basic weighted average shares		66,352		68,211					
Diluted weighted average shares		66,352		68,211					
Totals may not sum due to rounding.									

LIVERAMP HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP EPS (1)

(Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

	For the three months ended March 31,				For the twelve months ended March 31,			
		2023		2022		2023		2022
Loss from continuing operations before income taxes	\$	(42,392)	\$	(28,016)	\$	(118,854)	\$	(35,075)
Income tax expense (benefit)		(6,460)		1,376		5,252		(1,242)
Net loss from continuing operations		(35,932)		(29,392)		(124,106)		(33,833)
Earnings from discontinued operations, net of tax		4,568				5,404		
Net loss	\$	(31,364)	\$	(29,392)	\$	(118,702)	\$	(33,833)
Loss per share:								
Basic	\$	(0.48)	\$	(0.43)	\$	(1.79)	\$	(0.50)
Diluted	\$	(0.48)	\$	(0.43)	\$	(1.79)	\$	(0.50)
Excluded items:								
Purchased intangible asset amortization (cost of revenue)	\$	3,336	\$	4,807	\$	16,825	\$	18,711
Non-cash stock compensation (cost of revenue and operating		44.650		05.700		105.000		07.057
expenses)		44,658		25,782		125,800		87,257
Transformation costs (general and administrative) Restructuring and merger charges (gains, losses, and other)		3,663 9,723		183		9,025 35,316		1,479
Gain on retained profits interest (other income)		9,723		103		35,310		(30,235)
Total excluded items, continuing operations		61,380		30,772		186,966		77,212
Total excluded items, continuing operations	===	01,000	_	00,112	_	100,000		
Income from continuing operations before income taxes and		40.000		0.750		00.440		40.407
excluding items		18,988		2,756		68,112		42,137
Income tax expense (2)	φ.	(2,141) 21,129	\$	3,391	\$	10,121 57,991	\$	8,515 33,622
Non-GAAP net earnings from continuing operations	\$	21,129	Ψ	(635)	Φ	57,991	Φ	33,022
Non-GAAP earnings per share from continuing operations:								
Basic	\$	0.32	\$	(0.01)	\$	0.87	\$	0.49
Diluted	\$	0.32	\$	(0.01)	\$	0.86	\$	0.48
Basic weighted average shares		65,126		68,283		66,352		68,211
Diluted weighted average shares		66,268		68,283		67,097		69,560

⁽¹⁾ This presentation includes non-GAAP measures. Our non-GAAP measures are not meant to be considered in isolation or as a substitute for comparable GAAP measures, and should be read only in conjunction with our consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP. For a detailed explanation of the adjustments made to comparable GAAP measures, the reasons why management uses these measures and the material limitations on the usefulness of these measures, please see Appendix A.

⁽²⁾ Income taxes were calculated by applying the estimated annual effective tax rate to year-to-date pretax income or loss and adjusting for discrete tax items in the period. The differences between our GAAP and non-GAAP effective tax rates were primarily due to the net tax effects of the excluded items, coupled with larger pre-tax losses for GAAP purposes versus smaller pre-tax losses or income for non-GAAP purposes.

LIVERAMP HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP INCOME (LOSS) FROM OPERATIONS (1) (Unaudited)

	For the three months ended March 31,			For the twelve months ended March 31,				
		2023		2022		2023	-	2022
Loss from continuing operations	\$	(47,127)	\$	(27,969)	\$	(125,800)	\$	(65,538)
Excluded items:								
Purchased intangible asset amortization (cost of revenue)		3,336		4,807		16,825		18,711
Non-cash stock compensation (cost of revenue and operating								
expenses)		44,658		25,782		125,800		87,257
Restructuring and merger charges (gains, losses, and other)		9,723		183		35,316		1,479
Transformation costs (general and administrative)		3,663				9,025		_
Total excluded items		61,380		30,772		186,966		107,447
Income from continuing operations before excluded items	\$	14,253	\$	2,803	\$	61,166	\$	41,909

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LIVERAMP HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF ADJUSTED EBITDA (1) (Unaudited)

	For the three months ended March 31,			For the twelve months ended March 31,				
		2023		2022		2023		2022
Net loss from continuing operations	\$	(35,932)	\$	(29,392)	\$	(124,106)	\$	(33,833)
Income tax expense (benefit)		(6,460)		1,376		5,252		(1,242)
Other expense (income)		(4,735)		47		(6,946)		(30,463)
Loss from operations		(47,127)		(27,969)		(125,800)		(65,538)
Depreciation and amortization		4,226		6,017		20,787		24,248
EBITDA	\$	(42,901)	\$	(21,952)	\$	(105,013)	\$	(41,290)
Other adjustments: Non-cash stock compensation (cost of revenue and operating expenses) Restructuring and merger charges (gains, losses, and other) Transformation costs (general and administrative)	\$	44,658 9,723 3,663	\$	25,782 183 —	\$	125,800 35,316 9,025	\$	87,257 1,479 —
Other adjustments		58,044		25,965		170,141		88,736
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	15,143	\$	4,013	\$	65,128	\$	47,446

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LIVERAMP HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

	 March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022		\$ Variance		% Variance
Assets						
Current assets: Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 464,448	\$	600,162	\$	(135,714)	(22.6)%
Short-term Investments	32,807		7,500		25,307	337.4 %
Trade accounts receivable, net	157,379		148,343		9,036	6.1 %
Refundable income taxes, net	28,897		30,354		(1,457)	(4.8)%
Other current assets	31,028		29,475		1,553	5.3 %
Total current assets	714,559		815,834		(101,275)	(12.4)%
Property and equipment	39,393		45,001		(5,608)	(12.5)%
Less - accumulated depreciation and amortization	32,308		33,470		(1,162)	(3.5)%
Property and equipment, net	7,085		11,531		(4,446)	(38.6)%
Intangible assets, net	9,868		26,718		(16,850)	(63.1)%
Goodwill	363,116		363,845		(729)	(0.2)%
Deferred commissions, net	37,030		30,594		6,436	21.0 %
Other assets, net	 41,045		85,214		(44,169)	(51.8)%
	\$ 1,172,703	\$	1,333,736	\$	(161,033)	(12.1)%
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity Current liabilities:						
Trade accounts payable	\$ 86,568	\$	83,197	\$	3,371	4.1 %
Accrued payroll and related expenses	33,434		39,188		(5,754)	(14.7)%
Other accrued expenses	35,736		46,067		(10,331)	(22.4)%
Deferred revenue	19,091		16,114		2,977	18.5 %
Total current liabilities	174,829		184,566		(9,737)	(5.3)%
Other liabilities	71,798		86,110		(14,312)	(16.6)%
Stockholders' equity:						
Preferred stock			_		_	— %
Common stock	15,399		14,984		415	2.8 %
Additional paid-in capital	1,855,916		1,721,118		134,798	7.8 %
Retained earnings	1,302,291		1,420,993		(118,702)	(8.4)%
Accumulated other comprehensive income	4,504		5,730		(1,226)	(21.4)%
Treasury stock, at cost	 (2,252,034)		(2,099,765)		(152,269)	7.3 %
Total stockholders' equity	 926,076		1,063,060		(136,984)	(12.9)%
	\$ 1,172,703	\$	1,333,736	\$	(161,033)	(12.1)%

(Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands)

For the three months ended March 31,

	31			⊥ ,		
		2023		2022		
Cash flows from operating activities:						
Net loss	\$	(31,364)	\$	(29,392)		
Earnings from discontinued operations		(4,568)				
Non-cash operating activities:						
Depreciation and amortization		4,226		6,017		
Loss on disposal or impairment of assets		16		41		
Lease-related restructuring charges		9,380				
Provision for doubtful accounts		48		1,090		
Deferred income taxes		(89)		(1,084)		
Non-cash stock compensation expense		44,658		25,782		
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:						
Accounts receivable, net		15,048		7,265		
Deferred commissions		(4,313)		(1,111)		
Other assets		6,117		4,786		
Accounts payable and other liabilities		(6,060)		11,321		
Income taxes, net		(6,371)		32,971		
Deferred revenue		3,937		1,258		
Net cash provided by operating activities		30,665		58,944		
Cash flows from investing activities:						
Capital expenditures		(103)		(1,880)		
Proceeds from sale of strategic investment		994				
Cash paid in acquisitions, net of cash received		_		(8,731)		
Purchases of investments		(25,197)				
Net cash used in investing activities		(24,306)		(10,611)		
Cash flows from financing activities:						
Proceeds related to the issuance of common stock under stock and employee benefit plans		4		83		
Shares repurchased for tax withholdings upon vesting of stock-based awards		(218)		(410)		
Acquisition of treasury stock		<u> </u>		(9,397)		
Net cash used in financing activities		(214)		(9,724)		
		-				

(Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands)

For the three months ended March

	 3	1,	
	 2023		2022
Cash flows from discontinued operations:	 _		_
From operating activities	 4,568		
Net cash provided by discontinued operations	4,568		_
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash	 219		(137)
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	10,932		38,472
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	 453,516		561,690
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 464,448	\$	600,162
Supplemental cash flow information:			
Cash paid (received) for income taxes, net from continuing operations	\$ 1,076	\$	(30,101)
Cash paid (received) for income taxes, net from discontinued operations	(7,025)		_
Cash paid (received) for operating lease liabilities	2,510		2,591
Operating lease assets obtained in exchange for operating lease liabilities	_		3,280
Purchases of property, plant and equipment remaining unpaid at period end	47		696

(Unaudited) (Dollars in thousands)

For the twelve months ended March 31,

		3	1,		
		2023		2022	
Cash flows from operating activities:					
Net loss	\$	(118,702)	\$	(33,833)	
Earnings from discontinued operations		(5,404)		_	
Non-cash operating activities:					
Depreciation and amortization		20,787		24,248	
Loss on disposal or impairment of assets		4,137		183	
Lease-related restructuring charges		27,545		_	
Gain on sale of strategic investments		(194)		_	
Gain on distribution from retained profits interest		_		(30,235)	
Provision for doubtful accounts		1,776		4,217	
Deferred income taxes		115		(1,540)	
Non-cash stock compensation expense		125,800		87,257	
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:					
Accounts receivable, net		(12,123)		(38,611)	
Deferred commissions		(6,436)		(7,975)	
Other assets		7,705		26,863	
Accounts payable and other liabilities		(15,369)		8,850	
Income taxes, net		596		33,969	
Deferred revenue		4,208		4,684	
Net cash provided by operating activities	·	34,441		78,077	
Cash flows from investing activities:	<u> </u>				
Capital expenditures		(4,696)		(4,499)	
Proceeds from sale of strategic investment		1,394		_	
Cash paid in acquisitions, net of cash received		_		(19,107)	
Distribution from retained profits interest		_		31,184	
Purchases of investments		(28,197)		_	
Proceeds from investments		3,000		_	
Purchases of strategic investments		(500)			
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities		(28,999)		7,578	
Cash flows from financing activities:	<u> </u>				
Proceeds related to the issuance of common stock under stock and employee benefit plans		6,259		6,266	
Shares repurchased for tax withholdings upon vesting of stock-based awards		(2,272)		(14,626)	
Acquisition of treasury stock		(149,997)		(58,621)	
Net cash used in financing activities		(146,010)		(66,981)	
		<u> </u>			

(Unaudited) (Dollars in thousands)

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		2023		2022				
Cash flows from discontinued operations:								
From operating activities		5,404		<u> </u>				
Net cash provided by discontinued operations		5,404		_				
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash		(550)		(199)				
Net change in cash and cash equivalents		(135,714)		18,475				
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		600,162		581,687				
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$	464,448	\$	600,162				
Supplemental cash flow information:								
Cash paid (received) for income taxes, net - continuing operations	\$	5,801	\$	(32,916)				
Cash (received) for income taxes, net - discontinued operations		(8,332)		_				
Cash paid for operating lease liabilities		8,243		10,108				
Operating lease assets obtained in exchange for operating lease liabilities		69		56,182				
Operating lease assets, and related lease liabilities, relinquished in lease terminations		(6,781)		_				
Purchases of property, plant and equipment remaining unpaid at period end		47		696				

LIVERAMP HOLDINGS, INC AND SUBSIDIARIES CALCULATION OF FREE CASH FLOW TO EQUITY (1)

(Unaudited) (Dollars in thousands)

	6/30/2021 9/	/30/2021 1	2/31/2021	3/31/2022	FY2022	6/30/2022	9/30/2022 1	2/31/2022	3/31/2023	FY2023
Net Cash Provided by (Used in) Operating Activities	\$(17,241)\$	10,901 \$	25,473	\$ 58,944	\$ 78,077	\$(33,369)	\$ 21,375 \$	15,770	\$ 30,665	\$ 34,441
Less: Capital expenditures	(427)	(876)	(1,316)	(1,880)	(4,499)	(1,741)	(2,673)	(179)	(103)	(4,696)
Free Cash Flow to Equity	\$(17,668) \$	10,025 \$	24,157	\$ 57,064	\$ 73,578	\$(35,110) \$	18,702 \$	15,591	\$ 30,562	\$ 29,745

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LIVERAMP HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

				(Dollars II	i iliousarius, e	vcehi hei siid	ire amounts)				FY23 to	FY22
	6/30/2021	9/30/2021	12/31/2021	3/31/2022	FY2022	6/30/2022	9/30/2022	12/31/2022	3/31/2023	FY2023	%	\$
Revenues	\$119,038	, ,		\$ 141,725	\$ 528,657	\$142,243	, , ,	\$158,615	\$148,626	\$596,583		\$ 67,926
Cost of revenue	34,315	35,079	38,557	39,476	147,427	41,021	42,304	43,287	43,472	170,084	15.4 %	22,657
Gross profit	84,723	92,211	102,047	102,249	381,230	101,222	104,795	115,328	105,154	426,499	11.9 %	45,269
% Gross margin	71.2 %	72.4 %	72.6 %	72.1 %	72.1 %	71.2 %	71.2 %	72.7 %	70.8 %	71.5 %		
Operating expenses Research and												
development	34,776	35,788	41,870	45,501	157,935	47,661	46,139	43,175	52,220	189,195	19.8 %	31,260
Sales and marketing	41,979	39,509	46,324	54,951	182,763	51,280	45,949	47,702	57,506	202,437	10.8 %	19,674
General and administrative	24,291	23,078	27,639	29,583	104,591	27,144	28,718	36,657	32,832	125,351	19.8 %	20,760
Gains, losses and other items, net	1,278	18	_	183	1,479	739	13,111	11,743	9,723	35,316	2,287.8 %	33,837
Total operating expenses	102,324	98,393	115,833	130,218	446,768	126,824	133,917	139,277	152,281	552,299	23.6 %	105,531
Loss from operations % Margin	(17,601) (14.8) %	(6,182) (4.9)%	(13,786) (9.8) %	(27,969) (19.7) %	(65,538) (12.4)%	(25,602) (18.0)%	(29,122) (19.8)%	(23,949) (15.1) %	(47,127) (31.7)%	(125,800) (21.1)%	(91.9)%	(60,262)
Total other income (expense), net	30,601	150	(241)	(47)	30,463	699	2,248	(736)	4,735	6,946	(77.2)%	(23,517)
Loss before income taxes	13,000	(6,032)	(14,027)	(28,016)	(35,075)	(24,903)	(26,874)	(24,685)	(42,392)	(118,854)	(238.9)%	(83,779)
expense (benefit)	(4,365)	399	1,348	1,376	(1,242)	2,315	3,562	5,835	(6,460)	5,252	522.9 %	6,494
Net loss from continuing operations	17,365	(6,431)	(15,375)	(29,392)	(33,833)	(27,218)	(30,436)	(30,520)	(35,932)	(124,106)	(266.8)% \$	\$(90,273)

LIVERAMP HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

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													FY23 to F	Y22
	6	/30/2021	9/30/2021	12/31/2021	3/31/2022	FY2022		6/30/2022	9/30/2022	12/31/2022	3/31/2023	FY2023	%	\$
Earnings from discontinued operations, net of tax				_				_		836	4,568	5,404	n/a \$	5,404
operations, net of tax	_						_			030	4,300	3,404	πα φ	5,404
Net earnings (loss)	\$	17,365	\$ (6,431)	\$ (15,375) \$	(29,392) \$	(33,833)	\$	(27,218) \$	(30,436) \$	(29,684) \$	(31,364)	\$ (118,702)	(250.8)% \$ (84,869)
Diluted earnings (loss) per share	\$	0.25	\$ (0.09)	(0.23) \$	(0.43) \$	(0.50)	\$	(0.40)	(0.45)	(0.46)	(0.48)	(1.79)	(260.7)%\$	(1.29)

Some earnings (loss) per share amounts may not add due to rounding.

LIVERAMP HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP EPS (1)

(Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

	6/	30/2021 9/	30/2021 12	2/31/2021 3	/31/2022	FY2022	6	/30/2022 9	9/30/2022	12/31/2022	3/31/2023	FY2023
Income (loss) before income taxes	\$	13,000 \$	(6,032) \$	(14,027) \$	(28,016) \$	(35,075)	\$	(24,903)	(26,874)	(24,685)	(42,392)	(118,854)
Income taxes (benefit)		(4,365)	399	1,348	1,376	(1,242)		2,315	3,562	5,835	(6,460)	5,252
Net earnings (loss)		17,365	(6,431)	(15,375)	(29,392)	(33,833)		(27,218)	(30,436)	(30,520)	(35,932)	(124,106)
Earnings from discontinued operations, net of tax		_	_	_	_	_		_	_	836	4,568	5,404
Net earnings (loss)	_	17,365	(6,431)	(15,375)	(29,392)	(33,833)	_	(27,218)	(30,436)	(29,684)	(31,364)	(118,702)
Earnings (loss) per share:	Φ.	0.05 ф	(0,00) ¢	(0.22) ((0.42) ¢	(0.50)	Φ.	(0.40)	(0.45)	(0.46)	(0.40)	(1.70)
Basic	\$	0.25 \$	(0.09) \$	(0.23) \$	(0.43) \$	(0.50)	\$	(0.40)	(0.45)	(0.46)	(0.48)	(1.79)
Diluted	\$	0.25 \$	(0.09) \$	(0.23) \$	(0.43) \$	(0.50)	\$	(0.40)	(0.45)	(0.46)	(0.48)	(1.79)
Excluded items: Purchased intangible asset amortization (cost of revenue)		4,645	4.612	4.647	4.807	18.711		4.643	4,637	4,209	3,336	16,825
Non-cash stock compensation (cost of revenue and operating expenses)		18,496	19,221	23,758	25,782	87,257		24,225	27,293	29,624	44,658	125,800
Restructuring and merger charges (gains, losses, and other)		1,278	18	_	183	1,479		739	13,111	11,743	9,723	35,316
Transformation costs (general and administrative)		_	_	_	_	_		_	1,250	4,112	3,663	9,025
Gain on retained profits interest (other income)		(30,052)	_	(183)	_	(30,235)		_	_	_	_	_
Total excluded items	\$	(5,633) \$	23,851 \$	28,222 \$	30,772 \$	77,212	\$	29,607 \$	46,291	\$ 49,688	\$ 61,380	186,966
Income before income taxes and excluding items Income taxes expense (benefit)	\$	7,367 \$ 865 6,502 \$	17,819 \$ (12) 17,831 \$	14,195 \$ 4,271 9,924 \$	2,756 \$ 3,391	42,137 8,515 33,622	\$	4,704 \$ 1,237 3,467 \$	4,557	6,468	(2,141)	10,121
Non-GAAP net earnings (loss)	\$	0,502 \$	11,831 \$	9,924 \$	(635) \$	33,022	\$	3,401 \$	14,800 3	P 10,035	Φ Z1,1Z9 \$	166,16

LIVERAMP HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP EPS (1)

(Unaudited)

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

	6/3	30/2021	9/30/2021	12/31/2021	3/31/2022	FY2022	6/30/20	22	9/30/2022	12/31/2022	3/31/2023	FY2023
Non-GAAP earnings (loss) per share: Basic	\$	0.10	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.15	\$ (0.01)	\$ 0.49	\$ 0	.05	\$ 0.22	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.32 \$	§ 0.87
Diluted	\$	0.09	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.14	\$ (0.01)	\$ 0.48	\$ 0	.05	\$ 0.22	\$ 0.28	\$ 0.32 \$	0.86
Basic weighted average shares Diluted weighted average shares		68,328 69,605	68,042 69,333	68,190 69,938	68,283 68,283	68,211 69,560	68,4 69,1		67,096 67,568	64,784 65,356	65,126 66,268	66,352 67,097

Some totals may not add due to rounding

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LIVERAMP HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP EXPENSES (1)

(Unaudited) (Dollars in thousands)

	-6	5/30/2021	,	9/30/2021	1	2/31/2021		3/31/2022		FY2022	_	6/30/2022	g	/30/2022	1	2/31/2022	3	3/31/2023		FY2023
Expenses:	_										-									
Cost of revenue	\$	34,315	\$	35,079	\$	38,557	\$	39,476	\$	147,427	\$	41,021	\$	42,304	\$	43,287	\$	43,472	\$	170,084
Research and development		34,776		35,788		41,870		45,501		157,935		47,661		46,139		43,175		52,220		189,195
Sales and marketing		41,979		39,509		46,324		54,951		182,763		51,280		45,949		47,702		57,506		202,437
General and administrative		24,291		23,078		27,639		29,583		104,591		27,144		28,718		36,657		32,832		125,351
Gains, losses and other items, net		1,278		18		_		183		1,479		739		13,111		11,743		9,723		35,316
not		1,270		10				100		1,475		700		10,111		11,740		3,723		00,010
Gross profit:		84,723		92,211		102,047		102,249		381,230		101,222		104,795		115,328		105,154		426,499
% Gross margin		71.2 %	6	72.4 %	ó	72.6 %	6	72.1 %	6	72.1 %		71.2 %		71.2 %)	72.7 %)	70.8 %	ó	71.5 %
Excluded items:																				
Purchased intangible asset amortization (cost of revenue)		4,645		4,612		4,647		4,807		18,711		4,643		4,637		4,209		3,336		16,825
Non-cash stock compensation (cost of revenue)		790		948		1,168		1,205		4,111		1,163		1,293		1,208		2,653		6,317
Non-cash stock compensation (research and development)		5,348		7,184		9,264		10,316		32,112		11,656		12,360		10,654		20,737		55,407
Non-cash stock compensation (sales and marketing)		6,793		6,749		7,329		7,715		28,586		5,884		6,116		5,871		11,558		29,429
Non-cash stock compensation (general and administrative)		5,565		4,340		5,997		6,546		22,448		5,522		7,524		11,891		9,710		34,647
Restructuring and merger charges (gains, losses, and																				
other)		1,278		18		_		183		1,479		739		13,111		11,743		9,723		35,316
Transformation costs (general and administrative)		_		_		_		_		_		_		1,250		4,112		3,663		9,025
Gain on retained profits interest (other income)	\$	(30,052)	\$	_	\$	(183)	\$	_		(30,235)		_		_				_		_
Total excluded items	\$	(5,633)	\$	23,851	\$	28,222	\$	30,772	\$	3 77,212	\$	29,607	\$	46,291	\$	49,688	\$	61,380	\$	186,966

LIVERAMP HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP EXPENSES (1) (Continued) (Unaudited)

	(6/30/2021	ć	9/30/2021	1	12/31/2021		3/31/2022		FY2022	6/30/2022		9/30/2022	1	2/31/2022	3/31/2023		FY2023
Expenses, excluding items:																		
Cost of revenue	\$	28,880	\$	29,519	\$	32,742	\$	33,464	\$	124,605	\$ 35,215	\$	36,374	\$	37,870	\$ 37,483	\$	146,942
Research and development		29,428		28,604		32,606		35,185		125,823	36,005		33,779		32,521	31,483		133,788
Sales and marketing		35,186		32,760		38,995		47,236		154,177	45,396		39,833		41,831	45,948		173,008
General and administrative		18,726		18,738		21,642		23,037		82,143	21,622		19,944		20,654	19,459		81,679
Gross profit, excluding items:	\$	90,158	\$	97,771	\$	107,862	\$	108,261	\$	404,052	\$ 107,028	\$	110,725	\$	120,745	\$ 111,143	\$	449,641
% Gross margin		75.7 %	6	76.8 %	, 1	76.7 %	6	76.4	%	76.4 %	75.2 9	6	75.3 %	ń	76.1 %	74.8 %	6	75.4 %

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LIVERAMP HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP OPERATING INCOME(LOSS) GUIDANCE (1) (Unaudited) (Dollars in thousands)

	For the quarter ending June 30, 2023			For the year er March 31, 20	•
				Low	High
GAAP income (loss) from operations	\$	(8,000)	\$	3,000 \$	6,000
Excluded items:					
Purchased intangible asset amortization		3,000		7,000	7,000
Non-cash stock compensation		18,000		78,000	78,000
Transformation costs		2,000		2,000	2,000
Total excluded items		23,000		87,000	87,000
Non-GAAP income from operations	\$	15,000	\$	90,000 \$	93,000

⁽¹⁾ This presentation includes non-GAAP measures. Our non-GAAP measures are not meant to be considered in isolation or as a substitute for comparable GAAP measures, and should be read only in conjunction with our condensed consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP. For a detailed explanation of the adjustments made to comparable GAAP measures, the reasons why management uses these measures, the usefulness of these measures and the material limitations on the usefulness of these measures, please see Appendix A.

LIVERAMP HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES Q4 FISCAL 2023 FINANCIAL RESULTS EXPLANATION OF NON-GAAP MEASURES AND OTHER KEY METRICS

To supplement our financial results, we use non-GAAP measures which exclude certain acquisition related expenses, non-cash stock compensation and restructuring charges. We believe these measures are helpful in understanding our past performance and our future results. Our non-GAAP financial measures and schedules are not meant to be considered in isolation or as a substitute for comparable GAAP measures and should be read only in conjunction with our consolidated GAAP financial statements. Our management regularly uses these non-GAAP financial measures internally to understand, manage and evaluate our business and to make operating decisions. These measures are among the primary factors management uses in planning for and forecasting future periods. Compensation of our executives is also based in part on the performance of our business based on these non-GAAP measures.

Our non-GAAP financial measures, including non-GAAP earnings (loss) per share, income (loss) from operations and adjusted EBITDA reflect adjustments based on the following items, as well as the related income tax effects when applicable:

<u>Purchased intangible asset amortization</u>: We incur amortization of purchased intangibles in connection with our acquisitions. Purchased intangibles include (i) developed technology, (ii) customer and publisher relationships, and (iii) trade names. We expect to amortize for accounting purposes the fair value of the purchased intangibles based on the pattern in which the economic benefits of the intangible assets will be consumed as revenue is generated. Although the intangible assets generate revenue for us, we exclude this item because this expense is non-cash in nature and because we believe the non-GAAP financial measures excluding this item provide meaningful supplemental information regarding our operational performance.

Non-cash stock compensation: Non-cash stock compensation consists of charges for associate restricted stock units, performance shares and stock options in accordance with current GAAP related to stock-based compensation including expense associated with stock-based compensation related to unvested options assumed in connection with our acquisitions. As we apply stock-based compensation standards, we believe that it is useful to investors to understand the impact of the application of these standards to our operational performance. Although stock-based compensation expense is calculated in accordance with current GAAP and constitutes an ongoing and recurring expense, such expense is excluded from non-GAAP results because it is not an expense that typically requires or will require cash settlement by us and because such expense is not used by us to assess the core profitability of our business operations.

<u>Restructuring charges:</u> During the past several years, we have initiated certain restructuring activities in order to align our costs in connection with both our operating plans and our business strategies based on then-current economic conditions. As a result, we recognized costs related to termination benefits for employees whose positions were eliminated, lease and other contract termination charges, and leasehold improvement write offs. These items, reported as gains, losses, and other items, net, are excluded from non-GAAP results because such amounts are not used by us to assess the core profitability of our business operations.

<u>Transformation costs:</u> In previous years, we incurred significant expenses to separate the financial statements of our operating segments, with particular focus on segment-level balance sheets, and to evaluate portfolio priorities. Our criteria for excluding transformation expenses from our non-GAAP measures is as follows: 1) projects are discrete in nature; 2) excluded expenses consist only of third-party consulting fees that we would not incur otherwise; and 3) we do not exclude employee related expenses or other costs associated with the ongoing operations of our business. We substantially completed those projects during the third quarter of fiscal year 2018. Beginning in the fourth quarter of fiscal 2018, and through most of fiscal 2019, we incurred transaction support expenses and system separation costs related to the Company's announced evaluation of strategic options for its Marketing Solutions (AMS) business. In the first and second quarters of fiscal 2021 in response to the potential COVID-19 pandemic impact on our business and again during fiscal 2023 in response to macroeconomic conditions, we incurred significant

costs associated with the assessment of strategic and operating plans, including our long-term location strategy, and assistance in implementing the restructuring activities as a result of this assessment. Our criteria for excluding these costs are the same. We believe excluding these items from our non-GAAP financial measures is useful for investors and provides meaningful supplemental information.

Our non-GAAP financial schedules are:

Non-GAAP EPS, Non-GAAP Income from Operations, and Non-GAAP expenses: Our Non-GAAP earnings per share, Non-GAAP income from operations, and Non-GAAP expenses reflect adjustments as described above, as well as the related tax effects where applicable.

Adjusted EBITDA: Adjusted EBITDA is defined as net income from continuing operations before income taxes, other expenses, depreciation and amortization, and including adjustments as described above. We use Adjusted EBITDA to measure our performance from period to period both at the consolidated level as well as within our operating segments and to compare our results to those of our competitors. We believe that the inclusion of Adjusted EBITDA provides useful supplementary information to and facilitates analysis by investors in evaluating the Company's performance and trends. The presentation of Adjusted EBITDA is not meant to be considered in isolation or as an alternative to net earnings as an indicator of our performance.

<u>Free Cash Flow to Equity:</u> To supplement our statement of cash flows, we use a non-GAAP measure of cash flow to analyze cash flows generated from operations. Free cash flow to equity is defined as operating cash flow less cash used by investing activities (excluding the impact of cash paid in acquisitions), less required payments of debt, and excluding the impact of discontinued operations. Management believes that this measure of cash flow is meaningful since it represents the amount of money available from continuing operations for the Company's discretionary spending after funding all required obligations including scheduled debt payments. The presentation of non-GAAP free cash flow to equity is not meant to be considered in isolation or as an alternative to cash flows from operating activities as a measure of liquidity.