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Ron Nelson

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Share price increased
64%

Company's stock added
to the Dow Jones
Transportation Average

Record Full-Year Results

- ▶ Increased North America volume and pricing for second consecutive year
- ▶ Expanded our global footprint organically and through acquisitions
- ▶ Reported record revenue, Adjusted EBITDA and earnings per share
- ▶ Repurchased \$300 million of common stock

AVIS[®]

 **Budget**[®]

Payless[®] CAR RENTAL

 **apex** car rentals

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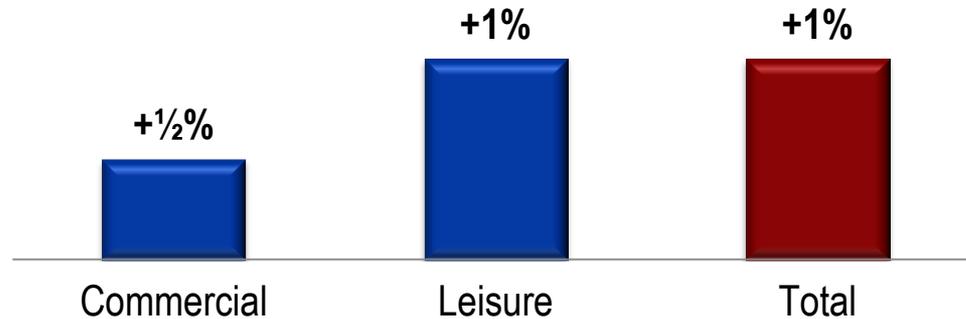
NORTH AMERICA – PRICING

Full-year pricing increased 2% in constant currency

Approximately 75% of our corporate contract renewals in 2014 were at flat or higher rates

Positive Pricing Trends Continued in Fourth Quarter

North America Pricing^(a)



- ▶ **Strategic efforts contributing to increased pricing**
- ▶ **Positive pricing both on- and off-airport and in each brand**
- ▶ **First phase of integrated yield-management system now deployed in nearly 120 markets**

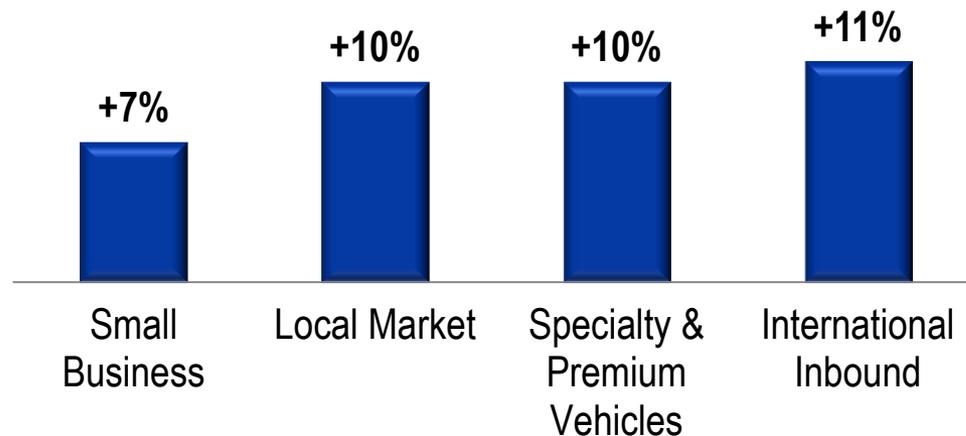
(a) Year-over-year growth in the fourth quarter

Shifted volume toward
higher-margin
proprietary websites
and mobile apps

Robust Demand Environment

- ▶ Rental days increased 6% in the fourth quarter
- ▶ Ancillary revenue per day increased 5%
- ▶ Strong local market growth driven by general-use leisure and commercial rentals

Strategic Initiatives Driving Growth^(a)



(a) Year-over-year revenue growth in the fourth quarter, excluding Payless

Transaction expected to add roughly \$100 million of revenue and \$25 million of Adjusted EBITDA in 2015

Integration Well Under Way

- ▶ **Completed the acquisition of our Budget licensee for Southern California and Las Vegas in November**
 - **Allows us to operate directly at LAX and Burbank airports**
- ▶ **Several early accomplishments**
 - **Dual-branded 60 existing local market locations**
 - **Added fleet to capture profitable demand**
 - **Deployed our yield-management tools**
- ▶ **Seeing immediate results**
 - **Budget rental days increased 12% year-over-year at acquired locations in January**

Payless rentals generate more than \$10 of ancillary revenue per day on average

Revenue per day increased more than 15% in the fourth quarter

Payless Acquisition Has Expanded Our Brand Portfolio

- ▶ **Acquired Payless in July 2013**
 - Extended Payless to 50 additional markets
 - Revenue more than doubled in 2014, including a 9% increase in price
- ▶ **Key strategic benefits include:**
 - Enables us to provide a “Good-Better-Best” offering to our customers
 - Leveraging existing partnerships
 - “Cascading” cars from Avis and Budget fleet helps manage overall costs



Expect to launch Zipcar in Australia in 2015

Global Leader in Car Sharing

- ▶ **Growth in usage revenue, pricing and membership**
- ▶ **Expanded Zipcar to additional airport locations**
- ▶ **Available at over 400 universities in North America**
- ▶ **Piloted one-way vehicle availability in Boston**
- ▶ **Launched Zipcar in Paris, Madrid and Turkey**



Avis was named
“World’s Leading Car
Rental Company” at the
2014 World Travel
Awards

Increased Revenues, Earnings and Margins

- ▶ **International Adjusted EBITDA grew despite macroeconomic challenges**
- ▶ **Key operational accomplishments:**
 - **European Budget volumes increased 19%**
 - **Ancillary revenue per day increased 13%^(a)**
 - **Reduced SG&A costs by 6%^(a)**
 - **Increased fleet utilization by 100 basis points**



(a) In constant currency

\$1 billion Adjusted EBITDA target remains, but currency headwinds are significant

Expect to Deliver Record Results for 2015

- ▶ **Project record revenue in North America**
 - Full-year pricing projected to increase approximately 2% in constant currency
 - Volume expected to grow 5-7%
- ▶ **International volume also expected to grow**
 - Volume growth will be offset by currency effects
- ▶ **Focused on strategically strengthening our brands, driving efficiencies and capturing more profitable rentals**



David Wyshner

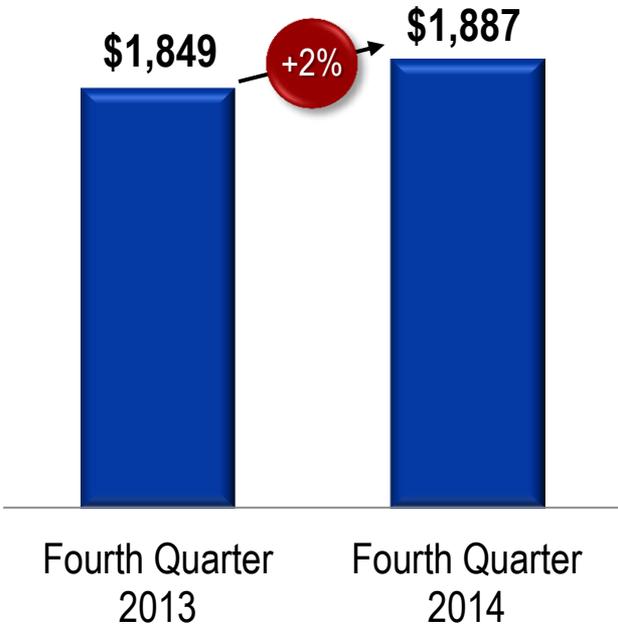
Senior Executive Vice President
and Chief Financial Officer

FOURTH QUARTER 2014 RESULTS

Double-Digit Adjusted EBITDA Growth

(\$ in millions)

Revenue



Adjusted EBITDA



Currency movements impacted revenue growth by minus-three points

Fourth quarter earnings per share increased 53% to \$0.23, excluding certain items

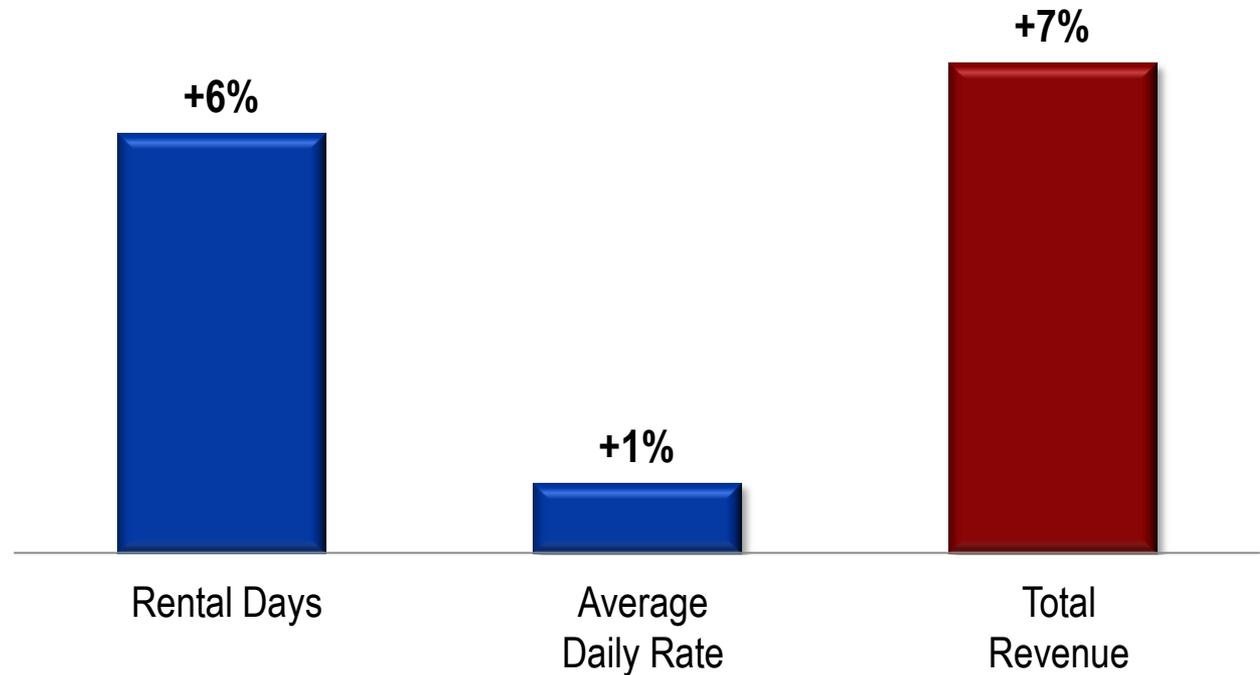
Full-year Adjusted EBITDA increased 14%, to \$876 million, the highest in our history

**FOURTH
QUARTER 2014
RESULTS –
NORTH AMERICA**

Ancillary revenue per
day increased 5%^(b)

Record Quarterly Revenue

North America Revenue Drivers^(a)



(a) Year-over-year growth, excluding Zipcar
(b) Excluding Zipcar, gas and customer recoveries

FOURTH QUARTER 2014 RESULTS – NORTH AMERICA

Adjusted EBITDA
increased 9% to \$81
million

Volume and Pricing Increased

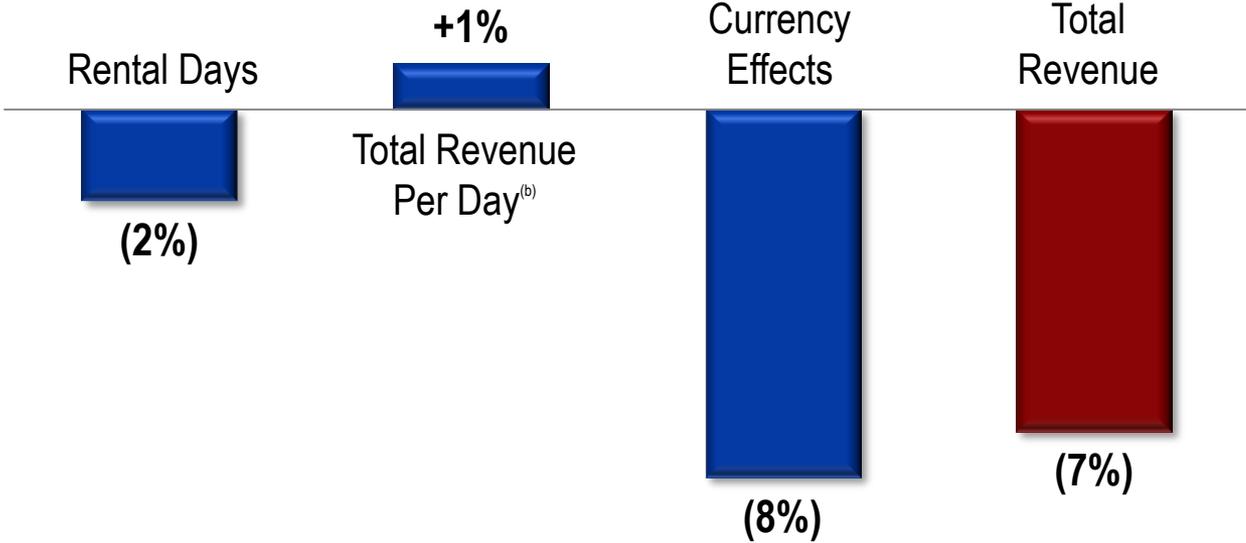
	Fourth Quarter		Full-Year	
<i>(year-over-year changes)</i>	Rental Days	Average Daily Rate	Rental Days	Average Daily Rate
Leisure	+7%	+1%	+8%	+2%
Commercial	+5%	+1½%	+5%	+2%
Total	+6%	+1%	+7%	+2%

Record Fourth Quarter Adjusted EBITDA

**FOURTH
QUARTER 2014
RESULTS –
INTERNATIONAL**

Double-Digit Adjusted EBITDA Growth

International Revenue Drivers^(a)



Currency movements had a \$41 million negative impact on revenue

Ancillary revenue per day increased 13%^(c)

**Adjusted EBITDA Increased 17%
Despite Currency Headwinds**

(a) Year-over-year change, excluding Zipcar
 (b) In constant currency
 (c) Excluding Zipcar, gas, customer recoveries and currency effects

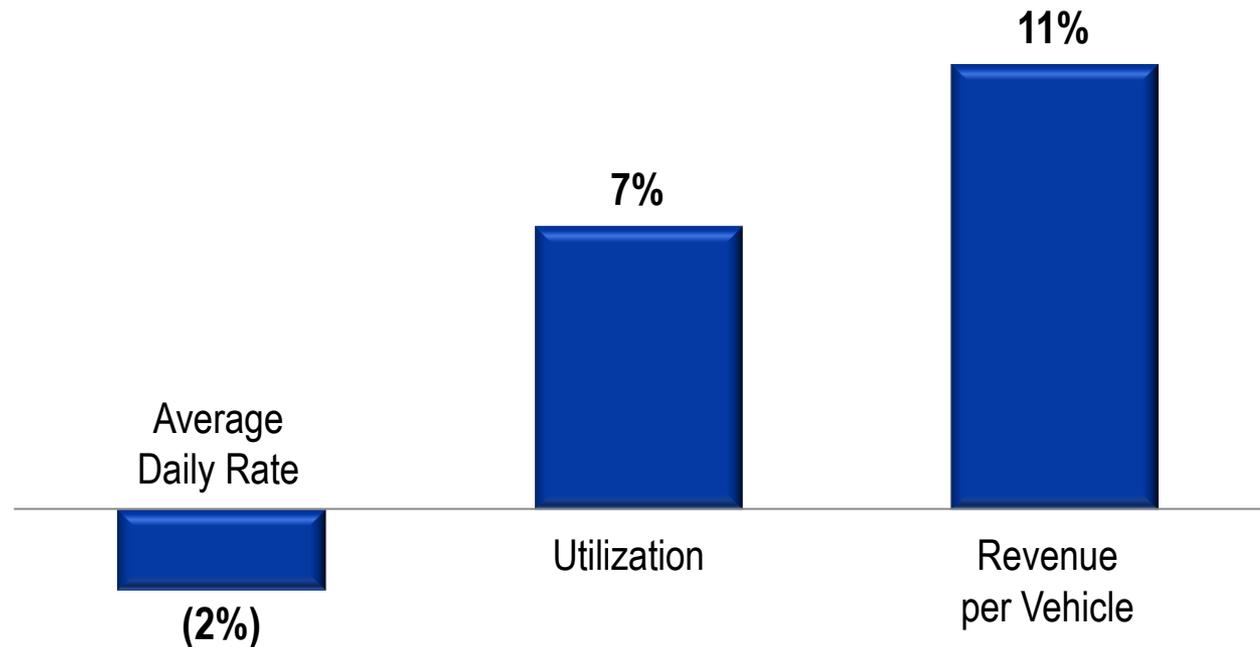
FOURTH QUARTER 2014 RESULTS – TRUCK RENTAL

Average fleet is 10%
smaller than a year
ago

Revenue unchanged
despite lower
average fleet

Restructuring Delivering Positive Earnings Growth

Key Truck Rental Metrics^(a)

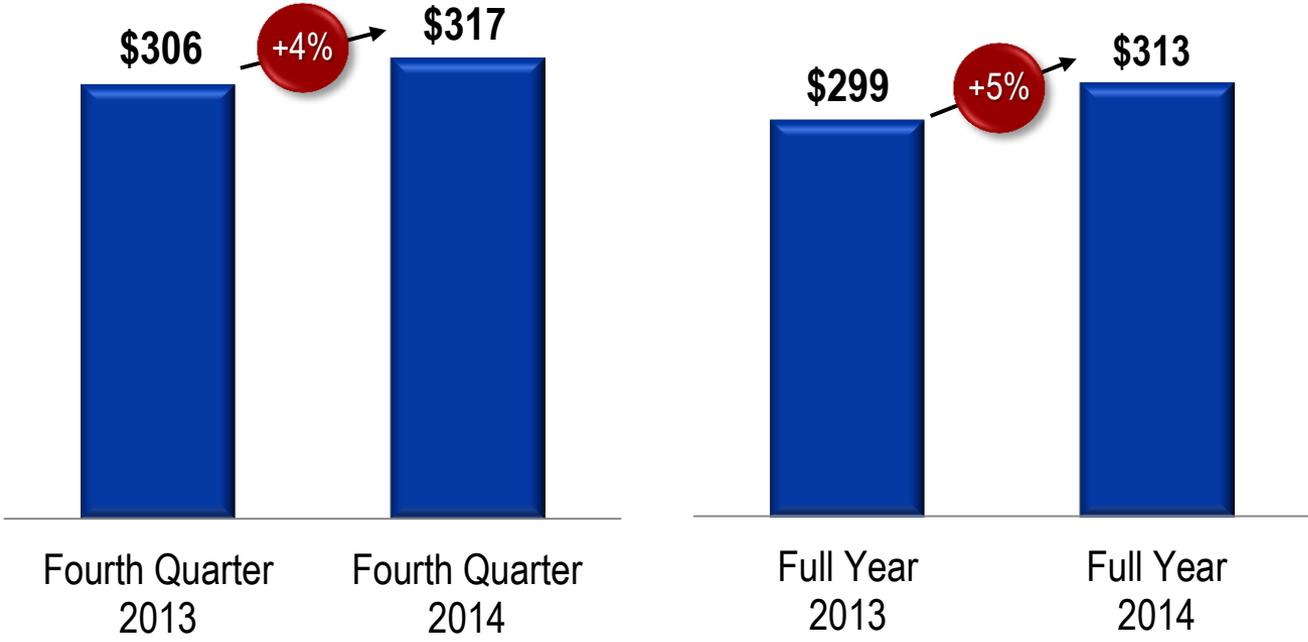


Adjusted EBITDA Increased \$5 Million

(a) Year-over-year change

Fleet Costs in Line with Recent Expectations

Monthly Per-Unit Fleet Costs (North America)



Sold more than 25% of our risk vehicles through alternative disposition channels in 2014

Risk cars expected to be approximately 50% of our North America fleet in 2015

Note: Excluding Zipcar

Migrating to a Global Support Structure, Seizing Cost-Saving Opportunities

- ▶ **Capitalizing on the global scale of our organization**
- ▶ **Focus is on transforming internal support structures to benefit our multi-national operations**
- ▶ **Started at the end of 2014**
- ▶ **Will make Avis Budget a more nimble operator and a more consistent global service provider**

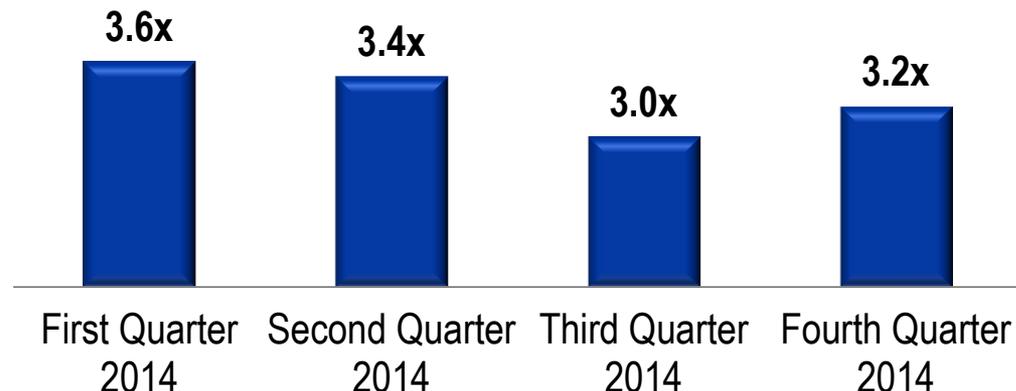
**Expect to Achieve More Than
\$20 Million of Savings in 2015**

Quarter-end cash
balance of \$624 million

Strong Liquidity Position

- ▶ **\$6 billion of available liquidity at year-end**
- ▶ **Net corporate leverage of 3.2x^(a)**
 - Increased slightly due to acquisition of Budget Southern California licensee
- ▶ **Issued \$650 million of asset-backed debt in January with a 2.7% rate**

LTM Net Corporate Leverage^(a)



(a) Net corporate debt to Adjusted EBITDA

CASH FLOW GENERATION AND DEPLOYMENT

Cash taxes were \$45 million in 2014

Repurchased 5.7 million shares in 2014

Significant Free Cash Flow

- ▶ **Generated more than \$450 million of free cash flow, or over \$4.00 per share, in 2014**
- ▶ **Share repurchases**
 - **Repurchased \$300 million of stock in 2014, including \$90 million in the fourth quarter**
- ▶ **Tuck-in acquisitions totaled \$282 million**

Expect cash taxes of \$50 to \$75 million

Expect capital expenditures of approximately \$200 million

Tax rate expected to be 37% to 38%

Diluted share count of approximately 106 million

2015 Estimates

<i>(\$ in millions, except EPS)</i>	<u>Projection^(a)</u>	<u>Growth vs. 2014^(b)</u>
Revenue	\$8,800	4%
Adjusted EBITDA	900 – 1,000	8%
Non-vehicle D&A	165	
Interest expense	200	
Pretax income	<u>535 – 635</u>	13%
Net income	<u>\$335 – \$400</u>	12%
Diluted EPS	<u>\$3.15 – \$3.75</u>	17%

**Expect Free Cash Flow of
Approximately \$450 to \$525 Million^(c)**

(a) Excluding certain items
 (b) Based on midpoint of projections
 (c) Excluding any significant timing differences

Purchased our Avis and Budget licensee for Scandinavia in January for roughly \$50 million

Uses of Free Cash Flow

- ▶ **Two priorities for free cash flow continue to be tuck-in acquisitions and share repurchases**
- ▶ **Tuck-in acquisition targets remain:**
 - **Avis Budget Group licensees in or near where we operate corporately**
 - **Independent operators outside the United States**
- ▶ **Expect to exhaust remaining \$285 million of share repurchase authorization in 2015**

Well-Positioned for a Record 2015

- ▶ **Focused on achieving higher prices and greater levels of profitability**
- ▶ **Expect further benefits from fleet optimization and greater use of alternative disposition channels**
- ▶ **Continued roll-out of integrated yield-management system in North America and internationally planned for 2015**
- ▶ **Operational efficiencies expected to provide substantial benefits**

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Adjusted EBITDA

Adjusted EBITDA represents income before non-vehicle related depreciation and amortization, any impairment charge, restructuring expense, early extinguishment of debt costs, transaction-related costs, non-vehicle related interest and income taxes. We believe that Adjusted EBITDA is useful as a supplemental measure in evaluating the aggregate performance of our operating businesses. Adjusted EBITDA is the measure that is used by our management, including our chief operating decision maker, to perform such evaluation. It is also a component of our financial covenant calculations under our credit facilities, subject to certain adjustments. Adjusted EBITDA should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for net income or other income statement data prepared in accordance with GAAP and our presentation of Adjusted EBITDA may not be comparable to similarly-titled measures used by other companies.

Reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to income (loss) before income taxes (in millions):

	Three Months Ended December 31,	
	2014	2013
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 129	\$ 114
Less: Non-vehicle related depreciation and amortization (excluding acquisition-related amortization expense)	38	35
Interest expense related to corporate debt, net (excluding early extinguishment of debt)	48	58
Income before income taxes, excluding certain items	\$ 43	\$ 21
Less certain items:		
Early Extinguishment of Debt	-	16
Transaction-related costs, net	(10)	14
Restructuring expense	10	22
Acquisition-related amortization expense	10	7
Income before income taxes	\$ 33	\$ (38)

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Reconciliation of Net Corporate Debt (in millions):

	March 31, 2014	June 30, 2014	September 30, 2014	December 31, 2014
Corporate debt	\$ 3,696	\$ 3,388	\$ 3,335	\$ 3,420
Less: Cash and cash equivalents	841	537	713	624
Net corporate debt	\$ 2,855	\$ 2,851	\$ 2,622	\$ 2,796

Reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA excluding certain items (in millions):

	LTM Ended March 31, 2014	LTM Ended June 30, 2014	LTM Ended September 30, 2014	LTM Ended December 31, 2014
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 793	\$ 827	\$ 862	\$ 876
Less: Non-vehicle related depreciation and amortization (excluding acquisition-related amortization expense)	133	139	145	147
Interest expense related to corporate debt, net (excluding early extinguishment of debt)	226	225	219	209
Income before income taxes, excluding certain items	\$ 434	\$ 463	\$ 498	\$ 520
Less certain items:				
Early extinguishment of debt	107	72	72	56
Restructuring expense	58	44	38	26
Transaction-related costs, net	51	41	37	13
Acquisition-related amortization expense	26	28	30	33
Impairment	33	33		
Income before income taxes	\$ 159	\$ 245	\$ 321	\$ 392

Free Cash Flow

Represents Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities adjusted to reflect the cash inflows and outflows relating to capital expenditures and GPS navigational units, the investing and financing activities of our vehicle programs, asset sales, if any, and to exclude debt extinguishment costs and transaction-related costs. We believe that Free Cash Flow is useful to management and investors in measuring the cash generated that is available to be used to repurchase stock, repay debt obligations, pay dividends and invest in future growth through new business development activities or acquisitions. Free Cash Flow should not be construed as a substitute in measuring operating results or liquidity, and our presentation of Free Cash Flow may not be comparable to similarly-titled measures used by other companies.