



# Fiscal 2024 – 1st Quarter Earnings Presentation

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# Today's Presenters



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# Berry at a Glance

- NYSE ('BERY')
- FY'23 Revenue: \$12.7B
- FY'23 Adj. EPS: \$7.42

- Locations: 250+
- Employees: 40,000+
- Consumer Products: >70%



Global leader in packaging for consumer staples and industrial products



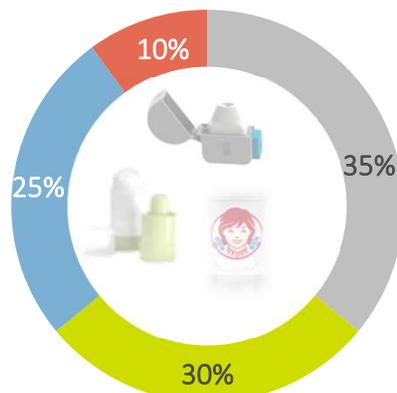
Strong, growing, dependable, and predictable cash flows



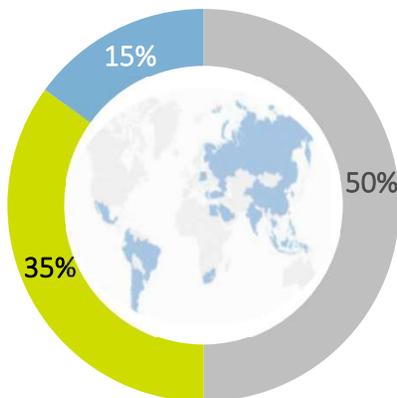
Stable end markets with favorable long-term dynamics



Sustainability Leader



- Home, Health, & Personal Care
- Food & Beverage
- Specialties
- Distribution



- U.S. & Canada
- Western Europe
- Emerging Markets



# Key Takeaways for Today

- Solid 1<sup>st</sup> quarter results despite continued challenging macro environment
- Reaffirming Fiscal 2024 guidance
- Continue to expect both debt repayment and repurchasing of shares in FY'24; ending leverage expected to be 3.5x or lower and within our long-term target of 2.5x-3.5x
- Confident in our long-term growth and value creation strategy
  - Pivot to a stronger focus on customer-focused service and product differentiation
  - Launch Lean Transformation
- Announced plans for tax-free spin-off and merger of the majority of its HH&S segment including its global nonwovens and films business with Glatfelter, in a \$3.6 billion deal; creating a leading global supplier in specialty materials
  - Renamed *Engineered Materials* segment to "*Flexibles*"

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# Industry Trends Driving Organic Growth

These markets offer higher growth (MSD-HSD) and higher margins

## Faster Growth Markets

Healthcare, personal care/beauty, and foodservice

*Targeting 40% of the portfolio*

## Emerging Markets

Continued focus on higher consumption demographics

*Targeting 25% of the portfolio*

## Sustainability Innovation

PCR, circular polymers, light-weighting along with differentiated products

*Targeting 30% circular feedstock*

Grown these select end markets from ~20% to now 30%\*

Grown emerging markets from <2% to now 15%\*

Grown circular resins by ~66% over the past 5 years and expected >20% growth in 2024

*Grow consumer products from ~70% to 80%+*



Cleanstream® PCR Technology Expansion  
Leamington Spa, UK



New Healthcare Site Expansion  
Bangalore, India



\* Compared to FY2013

# Continued Focused Investment for Growth

## Healthcare/Pharmaceutical



## Personal care/Beauty

including dispensing solutions



## Foodservice



## Circular materials/Sustainability

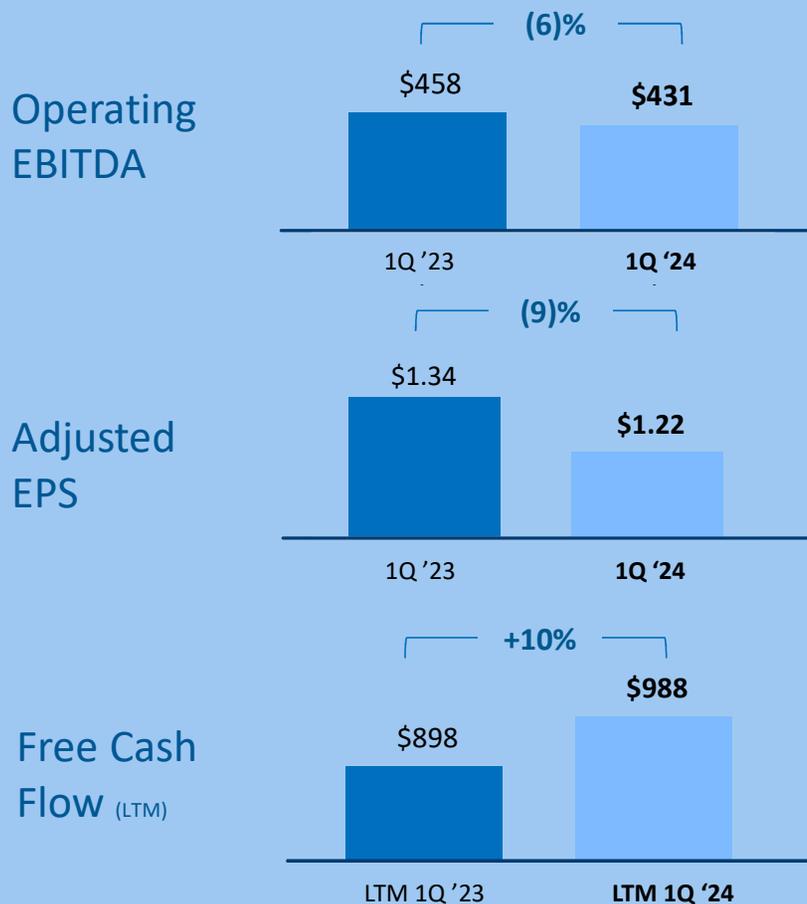
Europe  
(PCR Technology)



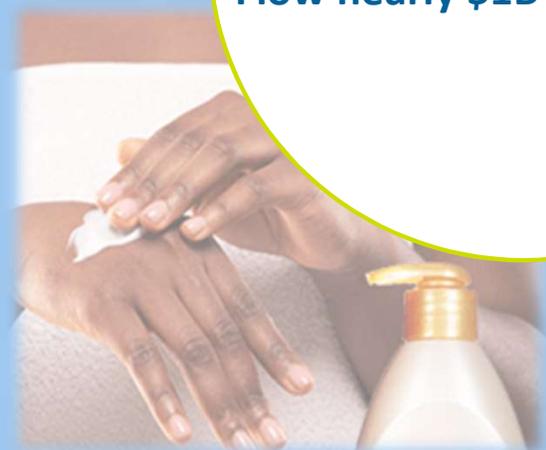
# Fiscal 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Overview



Earnings in-line;  
free cash flow  
ahead of  
expectations



LTM Free Cash Flow nearly \$1B



For comparison purposes, prior year ("PY") metrics are comparable basis adjusted for acquisitions, divested businesses and FX, which are non-GAAP financial measures. See appendix.

# 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Segment Overview

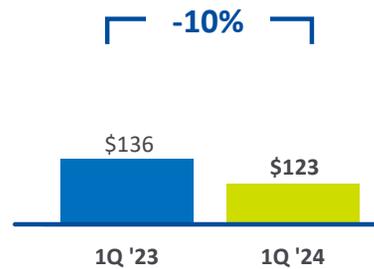
## Consumer Packaging International



Revenue



Op. EBITDA



### Revenue

- Pass-through of lower resin prices and softer consumer and industrial market demand in Europe, partially offset by improved product mix to higher value products

### Op. EBITDA

- Timing of resin pass-through and softer overall customer demand partially offset by cost reduction efforts, along with improved product mix by increasing our presence in healthcare packaging, pharmaceutical devices, and dispensing systems
- Continued focus on high value segments and sustainable product offerings

Note: All dollar amounts in millions.  
Prior year comparable basis adjusted for Fx and divested businesses, which are non-GAAP financial measures. See appendix

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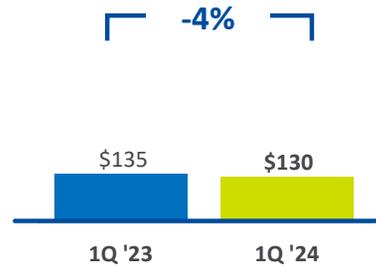
## Consumer Packaging North America



Revenue



Op. EBITDA



### Revenue

- Pass-through of lower resin prices and softer overall customer demand

### Op. EBITDA

- Timing of resin pass-through and softer overall customer demand partially offset by our cost productivity from structural cost reductions and our focus to higher value products such as foodservice, closures, and dispensing systems

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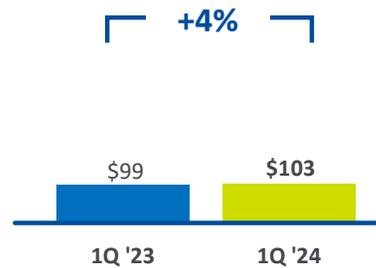
## Flexibles



Revenue



Op. EBITDA



### Revenue

- Pass through of lower resin prices and volume softness primarily in our European industrial markets, partially offset by growth in premium protection film products in North America. Additionally volumes were impacted by our concentrated effort to improve our sales mix to higher value products, such as consumer and transportation films

### Op. EBITDA

- Improved product mix to higher value product categories and structural cost reduction initiatives partially offset by softer customer demand in our European industrial markets
- Continued focus on mix improvement and productivity

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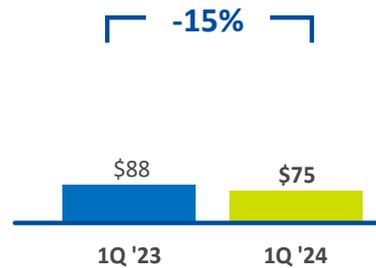
## Health, Hygiene, & Specialties



Revenue



Op. EBITDA



### Revenue

- Pass-through of lower resin prices along with softer demand in hygiene and specialty markets, partially offset by improved demand in our disinfectant wipes markets

### Op. EBITDA

- Timing of resin pass-through and weaker demand in some of our higher value specialty markets and overall soft customer demand was partially offset by structural cost reduction initiatives and positive demand in our wipes markets

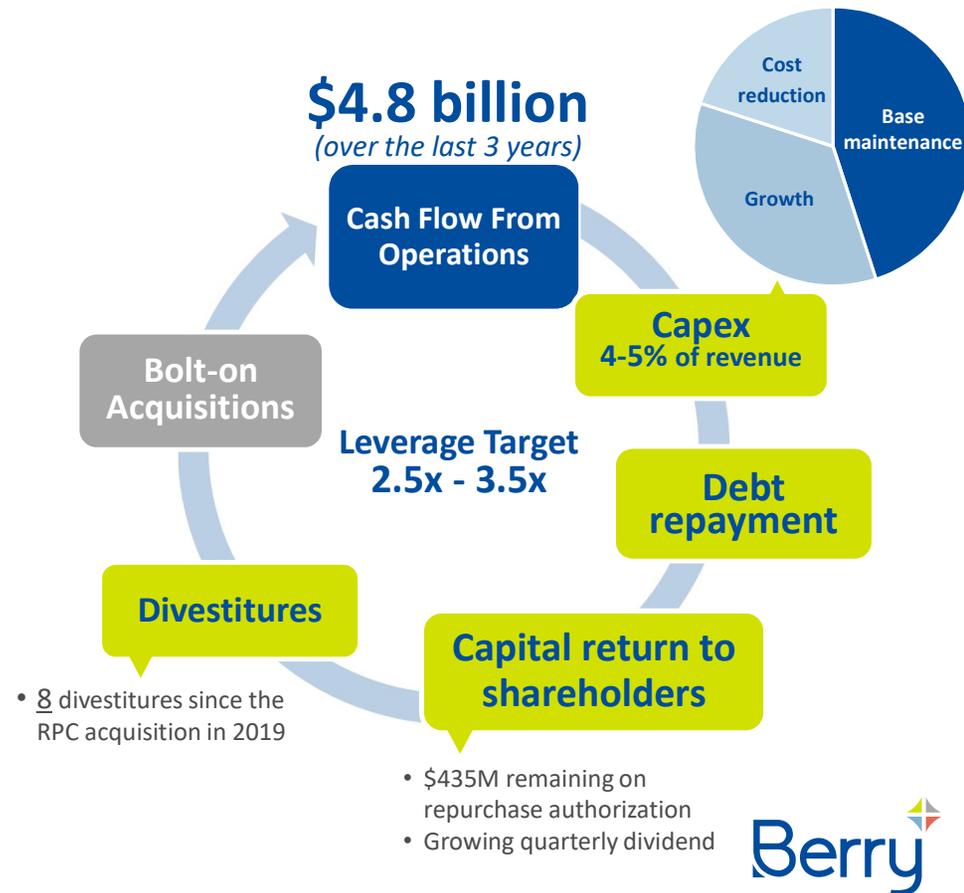
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# Capital Allocation Strategy

## Opportunistic and return-based focus

- ❖ **Investing in growth markets** (Returns well above our WACC)
  - Healthcare
  - Pharmaceutical
  - Beauty care
  - Sustainability-focused products
  - Dispensing solutions
  - Foodservice
- ❖ **Returning capital to shareholders** (>\$1.5B combined in FY22-23)
  - Recently increased quarterly dividend by **10% to \$0.275** per share
- ❖ **Continued focus on reducing leverage**
  - Ended FY23 at 3.7x\*
  - Expect FY24 to be  $\leq 3.5x$

## Strong and Dependable Free Cash Flow



# Maximizing Value Creation

We expect to return over \$5.4B of value to shareholders over 5 years

Cumulative net debt reduction and capital returns:

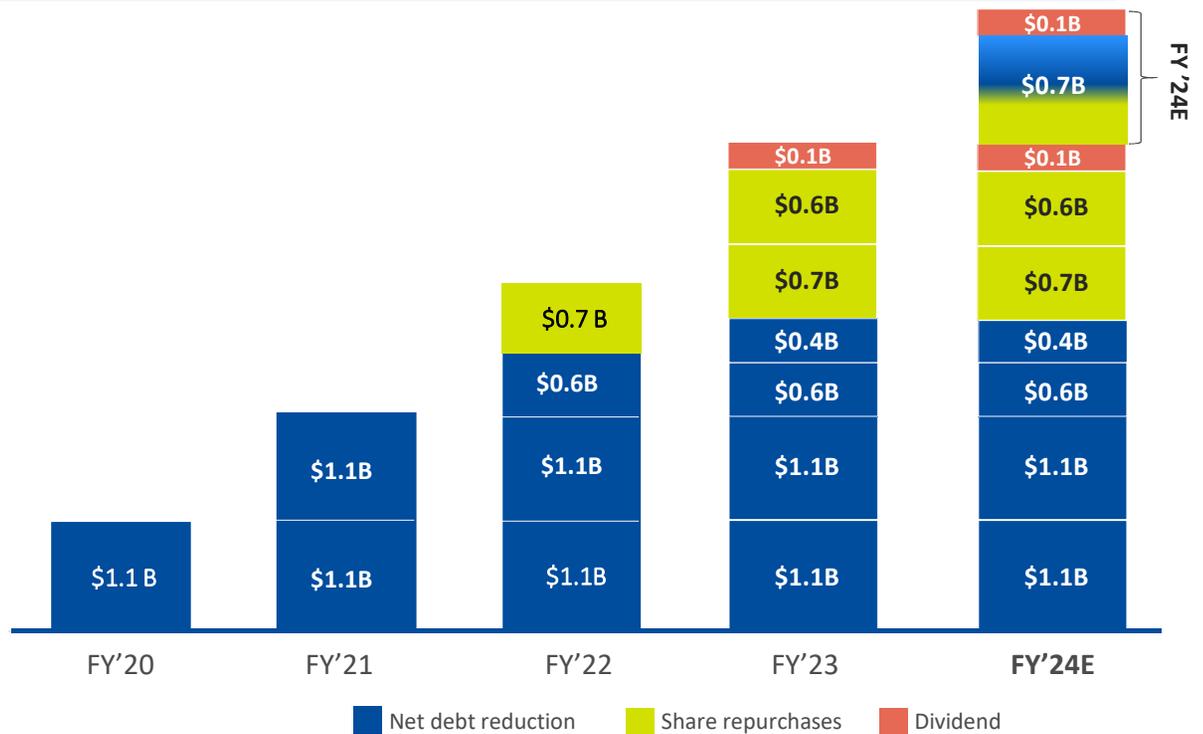
\$1.1B

\$2.2B

\$3.5B

\$4.6B

+\$5.4B



**>\$3 billion**

**Debt Reduction**

Since the RPC acquisition

**>\$1.5 billion**

**Capital Return to Shareholders**

Repurchasing \$1.3B of shares (~18% of s/o) while adding a long-term growing dividend

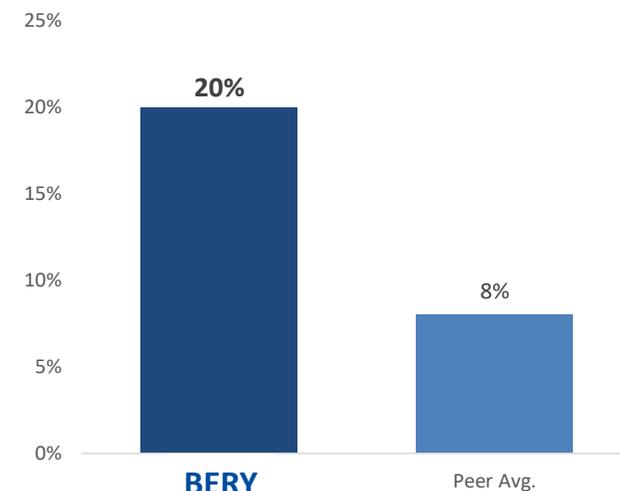


# Proven and Resilient Portfolio

***Resilient results through any economic cycle; Positioned for continued revenue, earnings, and free cash flow growth***

(1)	FY'15	FY'23	CAGR
Revenue (1)	\$4,881	\$12,664	<b>13%</b>
Operating EBITDA (1)	\$815	\$2,053	<b>12%</b>
Adjusted EPS	\$1.70	\$7.42	<b>20%</b>
Free cash flow	\$436	\$926	<b>10%</b>

## Adj. EPS CAGR (FY'15 – FY'23\*)



**Unlike these peers we have grown our annual Adj. EPS every single year**

**\$850M-\$1B of Adjusted FCF every year since RPC acquisition**

Note: All dollar amounts in millions, except per share data.

(1) Non-GAAP financial measures. See appendix.

Peer group includes: Amcor, AptarGroup, Ball Corp., Crown Holdings, Graphic Packaging, Sealed Air, Silgan, and Sonoco. \*Peer EPS for FY'23 is based on actual results, if applicable, or 2023 Company Guidance



# Reaffirmed FY '24 Guidance

*Continued focus on driving long-term shareholder value*

Adjusted EPS

**\$7.35-7.85**

Cash flow from ops  
Capital expenditures

\$ 1.35-1.45B  
\$ 550M

Free cash flow

**\$800-900M**

- Committed to debt reduction along with returning capital to shareholders through share repurchases and dividends

#### Other modeling

- Operating EBITDA: \$2.05-2.15B
- Depreciation expense: \$600M
- Interest expense: \$320M
- Other expense: \$40M
- Effective tax rate: 22%
- Average diluted shares: 117M

# Long-Term Targets

Low-Single Digit  
Volume Growth

2.5x – 3.5x  
Leverage Ratio  
*(Expect 3.5x or less FY'24)*

4-6%  
Op. EBITDA Growth  
*(5yr avg. +8%)*

10-15%  
TSR Growth

7-12%  
Adj. EPS Growth  
*(5yr avg. +12%)*

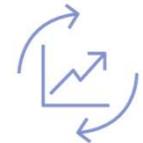
Growing Annual  
Dividend

Delivering on targets – enabled by  
organic growth focus

# Key Investment Highlights



Global leader in  
packaging for  
consumer staples and  
industrial products



Proven growth  
platform



Sustainability  
leader



Low cost manufacturer of  
thousands of products in  
stable end markets



Strong, growing, dependable,  
and predictable cash flows



# Berry's Health, Hygiene & Specialties Global Nonwovens and Films Business to Combine with Glatfelter

## Transaction Summary

<p><i>Deal Structure</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The majority of Berry's HH&amp;S segment to include its Global Nonwovens and Films Business and Glatfelter (GLT) to combine via a Reverse Morris Trust transaction expected to be valued at \$3.6B</li> <li>▪ Transaction expected to be tax-free to Berry, Glatfelter, and their respective shareholders</li> </ul>
<p><i>Ownership</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Berry shareholders to own approximately 90% of the newly combined company or "NewCo"</li> <li>▪ Glatfelter shareholders to own approximately 10% of NewCo</li> </ul>
<p><i>Capital Structure &amp; Financing</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Fully committed financing in place in support of transaction</li> <li>▪ NewCo net leverage of ~4.0x expected post transaction close; facilitating \$1.0B cash distribution to Berry at closing</li> <li>▪ Improves Glatfelter's leverage profile to increase shareholder value</li> <li>▪ Existing Glatfelter senior notes due 2029 expected to remain in place; other debt to be retired</li> <li>▪ Glatfelter to complete a reverse stock split prior to transaction close; ratio to be determined by GLT and BERY <sup>(1)</sup></li> </ul>
<p><i>Management &amp; Governance</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Curt Begle, President of Berry HH&amp;S, to lead NewCo as CEO</li> <li>▪ Senior management team will include combined team of Berry and Glatfelter leaders</li> <li>▪ Board of Directors comprised of 9 members, with 6 designated by Berry and 3 designated by Glatfelter</li> </ul>
<p><i>Closing</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Glatfelter shareholder vote required</li> <li>▪ No shareholder vote required for Berry shareholders</li> <li>▪ Targeted to close in the 2H of CY 2024, subject to customary closing conditions and regulatory approvals</li> </ul>

(1) Prior to closing of the transaction, Glatfelter will complete a reverse stock split of all of its issued and outstanding common stock. The reverse stock split ratio is to be determined by Glatfelter and Berry. Additional information will be provided prior to the effective time of the reverse stock split.

# NewCo expected to have enterprise value of approximately \$3.6 billion

*Culmination of a comprehensive review to determine highest value alternative for Berry shareholders*

## TRANSACTION BENEFITS TO BERRY

- Berry becomes a more focused “pure play” leading supplier of sustainable global packaging solutions
- Unlocks value in Berry; shareholders can participate in potential upside of NewCo.
- Expect more consistent earnings growth and cash flow generation
- Berry to receive net cash distribution of ~\$1.0B and intends to use the proceeds to repay existing debt
- Transaction expected to be tax-free to BERY and GLT shareholders

## TRANSACTION SUMMARY

	NewCo	Value to BERY
Pro forma Adjusted EBITDA	\$455M	
Transfer of GLT notes	\$0.5B	
New Financing <sup>(1)</sup>	\$1.3B	\$1.0B
Equity Value — (BERY 90%; GLT 10%) (assumes ~8x EBITDA)	\$1.8B	\$1.6B
<b>NewCo Enterprise Value</b>	<b>\$3.6B</b>	<b>\$2.6B</b>

(note: New financing uses: \$1B distribution to Berry, \$0.4B retirement of GLT debt, (\$0.1B) cash less expenses)

(note: Expect pro forma leverage for NewCo. to be ~4.0x)

(1) New financing net of contributed cash

**Target close is in the 2H of calendar 2024**

# Berry Global Group, Inc.

*Berry will simplify its portfolio, enhance stability of earnings and long-term growth and maintain its position as a sustainable global packaging solutions leader*

*Key Segments*



**Kevin Kwilinski**  
President and CEO

*Annual Revenue*  
**\$10.2B**

*Operating EBITDA*  
**\$1.8B**

**Consumer Packaging – International**

**~40%**  
Sales

**~17%**  
Op. EBITDA margin

**Consumer Packaging – North America**

**~30%**  
Sales

**~18%**  
Op. EBITDA margin

**Flexibles**

**~30%**  
Sales

**~15%**  
Op. EBITDA margin

*Global leadership positions; #1 or #2 in over 75% of the markets served*

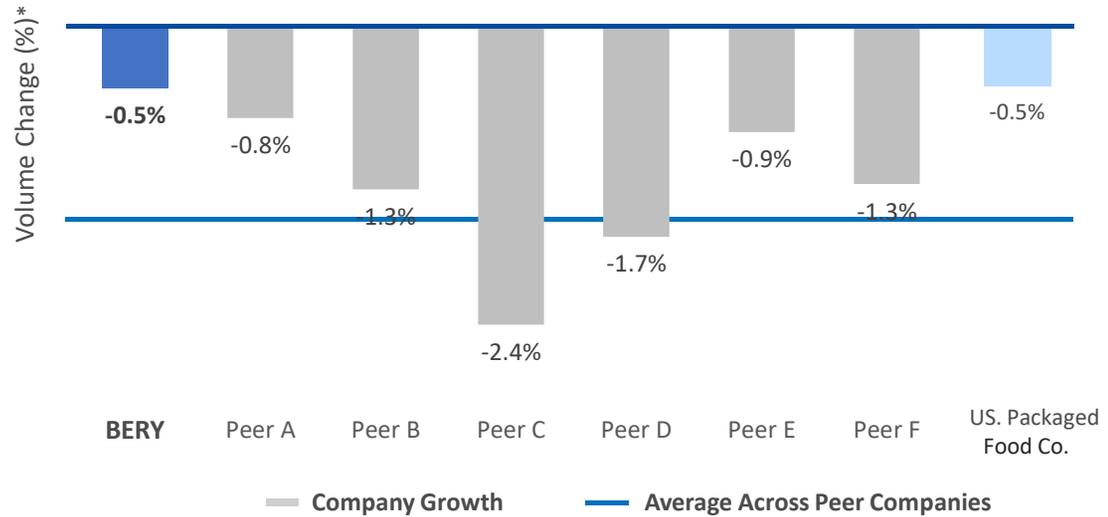


# Attractive Investment Opportunity

## Historical Speculated Valuation Gap Causes

- ✓ Volume growth
- ✓ Share repurchases
- ✓ Dividend
- ✓ Leverage ( $\leq 3.5x$  end of FY24)
- ✓ S&P Index (inclusion on 06/20/23)

Strategy has delivered volumes better than peer average



We believe our valuation gap will continue to shrink

\*Average quarterly volume change from 2019-Sept. 2023.

Sources: Sell-side analyst report and public filings.

Peers include: Amcor, International Paper, Owens-Illinois, Sealed Air, Sonoco, and Westrock.

U.S. Packaged Food Companies include: Campbells Soup, Conagra Brands, Frito-Lay N.A., General Mills N.A. Retail, J.M. Smuckers, Kellogg (N.A.), and Kraft Heinz (U.S.). Selected peers who provide breakout of volumes.





# Q&A

**1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Fiscal Year 2024**

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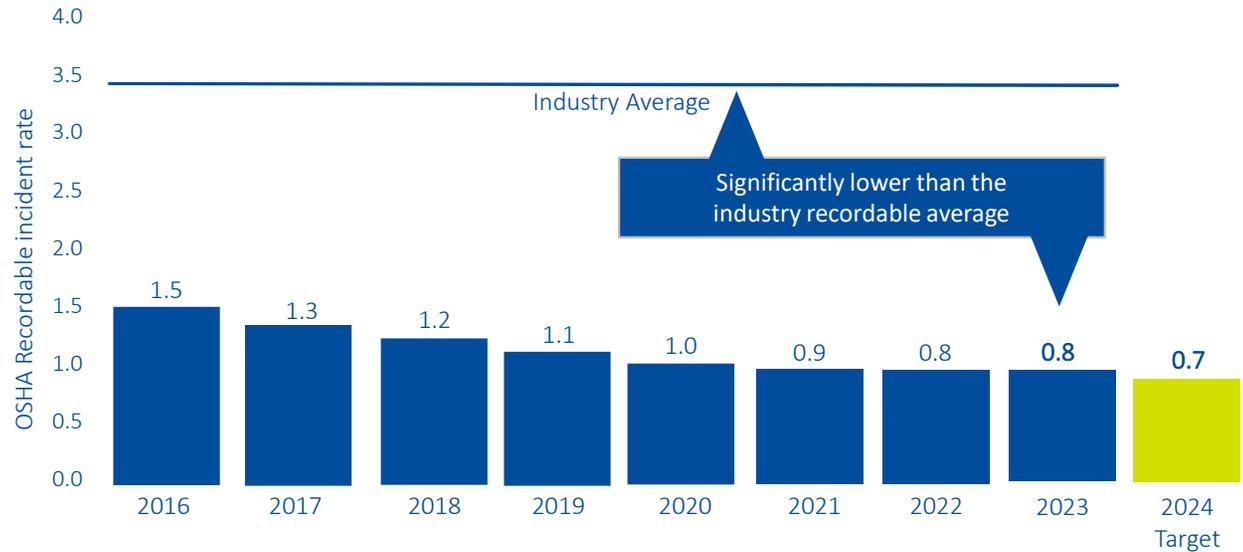


# Safety

- Safety of our people is our #1 priority
- Best-in-class safety performance

**110+** sites  
With ZERO  
Recordable Incidents

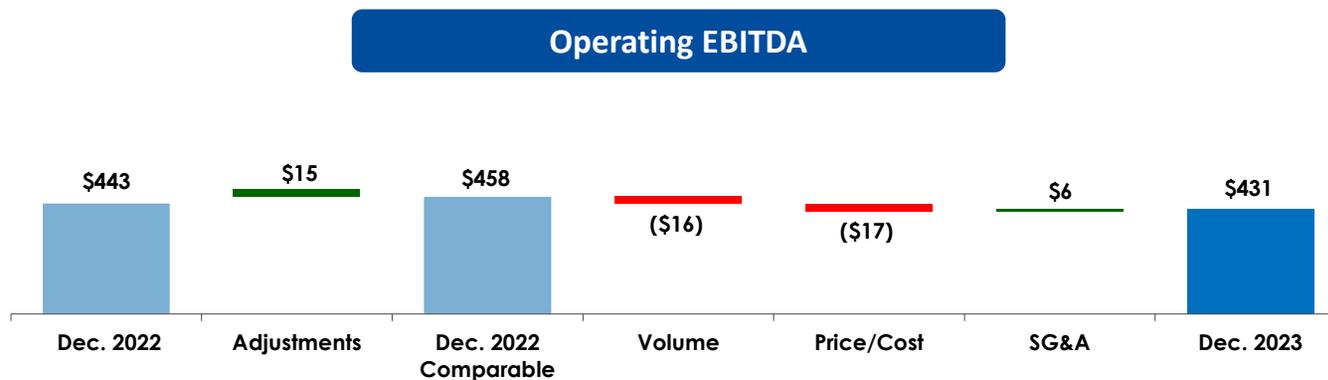
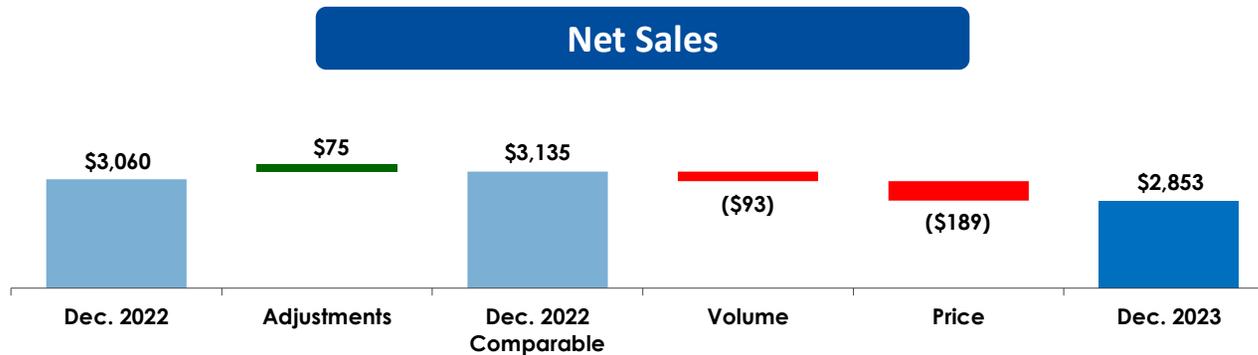
*“Safety doesn’t happen by accident”*



*Never ending commitment to identifying, managing, and minimizing risk*



# Appendix: 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Net Sales and Operating EBITDA Bridge



Note: All dollar amounts in millions  
Adjustments include acquisitions, divestitures and foreign currency

# Non-GAAP Reconciliation

Quarterly Period Ended December 30, 2023					
<i>(in millions of USD)</i>	Consumer Packaging - International	Consumer Packaging- North America	Health, Hygiene & Specialties	Engineered Materials	Total
<b>Net sales</b>	\$ 917	\$ 699	\$ 603	\$ 634	\$ 2,853
Operating income	\$ 31	\$ 63	\$ (3)	\$ 66	\$ 157
Depreciation and amortization	81	57	46	30	214
Restructuring and transaction activities	3	4	13	2	22
Impact of hyperinflation	-	-	15	-	15
Other non-cash charges	8	6	4	5	23
<b>Operating EBITDA</b>	<b>\$ 123</b>	<b>\$ 130</b>	<b>\$ 75</b>	<b>\$ 103</b>	<b>\$ 431</b>

Quarterly Period Ended December 31, 2022					
Reported net sales	\$ 936	\$ 764	\$ 663	\$ 697	\$ 3,060
Foreign currency and divestitures	40	11	17	7	75
<b>Comparable net sales <sup>(1)</sup></b>	<b>\$ 976</b>	<b>\$ 775</b>	<b>\$ 680</b>	<b>\$ 704</b>	<b>\$ 3,135</b>
Operating income	\$ 47	\$ 71	\$ 34	\$ 58	\$ 210
Depreciation and amortization	74	51	44	30	199
Restructuring and transaction activities	3	1	3	5	12
Other non-cash charges	6	7	4	5	22
Foreign currency and divestitures	6	5	3	1	15
<b>Comparable operating EBITDA <sup>(1)</sup></b>	<b>\$ 136</b>	<b>\$ 135</b>	<b>\$ 88</b>	<b>\$ 99</b>	<b>\$ 458</b>

(1) The prior year comparable basis change excludes the impacts of foreign currency, acquisitions, and divestitures. Further details related to non-GAAP measures and reconciliations can be found under our "Non-GAAP Financial Measures and Estimates" section or in reconciliation tables in this release.

# Non-GAAP Reconciliation

Reconciliation of Net Income and earnings per share (EPS) to adjusted operating income, operating earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA), and adjusted EPS  
(in millions of USD, except per share amounts)

	Quarterly Period Ended	
	December 30, 2023	December 31, 2022
<b>Net income</b>	<b>\$ 59</b>	<b>\$106</b>
Add: other expense	12	1
Add: interest expense	72	71
Add: income tax expense	14	32
<b>Operating income</b>	<b>\$157</b>	<b>\$210</b>
Add: restructuring and transaction activities	22	12
Add: impact of hyperinflation	15	-
Add: other non-cash charges	23	22
<b>Adjusted operating income <sup>(2)</sup></b>	<b>\$217</b>	<b>\$244</b>
Add: depreciation	154	139
Add: amortization of intangibles	60	60
<b>Operating EBITDA <sup>(2)</sup></b>	<b>\$431</b>	<b>\$443</b>
Net income per diluted share	<b>\$ 0.50</b>	<b>\$ 0.85</b>
Other expense, net	0.10	0.01
Restructuring and transaction activities	0.19	0.09
Impact of hyperinflation	0.13	—
Amortization of intangibles from acquisitions <sup>(1)</sup>	0.51	0.48
Income tax impact on items above	(0.21)	(0.13)
Foreign currency, acquisitions, and divestitures	—	0.04
<b>Adjusted net income per diluted share <sup>(2)</sup></b>	<b>\$ 1.22</b>	<b>\$ 1.34</b>

Note: All dollar amounts in millions, except per share data. Unaudited

- (1) Other non-cash charges is primarily stock compensation.
- (2) Amortization of intangibles from acquisition are added back to better align our calculation of adjusted EPS with peers.
- (3) During the 2022 fiscal year, the Company obtained certain tax benefits of \$18 million deemed as non-comparable.
- (4) Supplemental financial measures that are not required by, or presented in accordance with, accounting principles generally accepted in the United States ("GAAP"). These non-GAAP financial measures should not be considered as alternatives to operating or net income or cash flows from operating activities, in each case determined in accordance with GAAP. Organic sales growth and comparable basis measures exclude the impact of currency translation effects and acquisitions. These non-GAAP financial measures may be calculated differently by other companies, including other companies in our industry, limiting their usefulness as comparative measures. Berry's management believes that adjusted net income and other non-GAAP financial measures are useful to our investors because they allow for a better period-over-period comparison of operating results by removing the impact of items that, in management's view, do not reflect our core operating performance.

We define "free cash flow" as cash flow from operating activities, less net additions to property, plant, and equipment. We believe free cash flow is useful to an investor in evaluating our liquidity because free cash flow and similar measures are widely used by investors, securities analysts, and other interested parties in our industry to measure a company's liquidity. We also believe free cash flow is useful to an investor in evaluating our liquidity as it can assist in assessing a company's ability to fund its growth through its generation of cash.

Adjusted EBITDA is used by our lenders for debt covenant compliance purposes. We also use Adjusted operating income, Adjusted EBITDA, Operating EBITDA, Adjusted EPS and comparable basis measures, among other measures, to evaluate management performance and in determining performance-based compensation. Operating EBITDA is a measure widely used by investors, securities analysts, and other interested parties in our industry to measure a company's performance. We also believe EBITDA and Adjusted operating income are useful to an investor in evaluating our performance without regard to revenue and expense recognition, which can vary depending upon accounting methods.

Leverage (Total net debt / LTM Adj. EBITDA)	
Total current and long-term debt	\$8,980
Less: cash	(1,203)
<b>Total net debt</b>	<b>\$7,777</b>
LTM adjusted EBITDA	\$2,125
<b>Leverage</b>	<b>3.7x</b>



# Non-GAAP Reconciliation

	FY 2015
<b>Net income</b>	<b>\$86</b>
Add: other expense (income), net	95
Add: interest expense, net	191
Add: income tax expense	36
<b>Operating income</b>	<b>\$408</b>
Add: non-cash amortization from 2006 private sale	32
Add: restructuring and transaction activities <sup>(1)</sup>	36
Add: other non-cash charges <sup>(2)</sup>	21
<b>Adjusted operating income <sup>(4)</sup></b>	<b>\$497</b>
Add: depreciation	259
Add: amortization of intangibles <sup>(3)</sup>	59
<b>Operating EBITDA <sup>(4)</sup></b>	<b>\$815</b>
Net income per diluted share	\$0.70
Other expense (income), net	0.77
Non-cash amortization from 2006 private sale	0.26
Restructuring and transaction activities	0.29
Income tax impact on items above	(0.32)
<b>Adjusted net income per diluted share <sup>(4)</sup></b>	<b>\$1.70</b>
Cash flow from operations	637
Net additions to PP&E	(162)
Payment on TRA	(39)
<b>Free cash flow <sup>(4)</sup></b>	<b>\$436</b>

(1) Includes primarily integration expenses and other business optimization costs.

(2) Primarily includes stock compensation expense.

(3) Amortization excludes non-cash amortization from the 2006 private sale of \$32 million for fiscal year ended September 26, 2015.

(4) Supplemental financial measures that are not required by, or presented in accordance with, accounting principles generally accepted in the United States ("GAAP"). These non-GAAP financial measures should not be considered as alternatives to operating or net income or cash flows from operating activities, in each case determined in accordance with GAAP. These non-GAAP financial measures are among the indicators used by management to measure the performance of the Company's operations, and also among the criteria upon which performance-based compensation may be based. Adjusted EBITDA also is used by our lenders for debt covenant compliance purposes. We use Free Cash Flow as a measure of liquidity because it assists us in assessing our Company's ability to fund its growth through its generation of cash. Our projected Free Cash flow for fiscal 2016 assumes \$817 million of cash flow from operations less \$285 million of additions to property, plant, and equipment and \$57 million of payments under our tax receivable agreement.

Similar non-GAAP financial measures may be calculated differently by other companies, including other companies in our industry, limiting their usefulness as comparative measures. Because of these limitations, you should consider the non-GAAP financial measures alongside other performance measures and liquidity measures, including operating income, various cash flow metrics, net income and our other GAAP results.



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