



**Quarterly Earnings Presentation** 

Q3 | 2024

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We believe the non-GAAP financial measures presented in this document will help investors understand our financial condition and operating results and assess our future prospects. We believe these non-GAAP financial measures, each of which is discussed in greater detail in the appendix, are important supplemental measures because they exclude unusual or non-recurring items as well as non-cash items that are unrelated to or may not be indicative of our ongoing operating results. Further, when read in conjunction with our GAAP results, these non-GAAP financial measures provide a baseline for analyzing trends in our underlying businesses and can be used by management as a tool to help make financial, operational and planning decisions. Finally, these measures are often used by analysts and other interested parties to evaluate companies in our industry by providing more comparable measures that are less affected by factors such as capital structure.

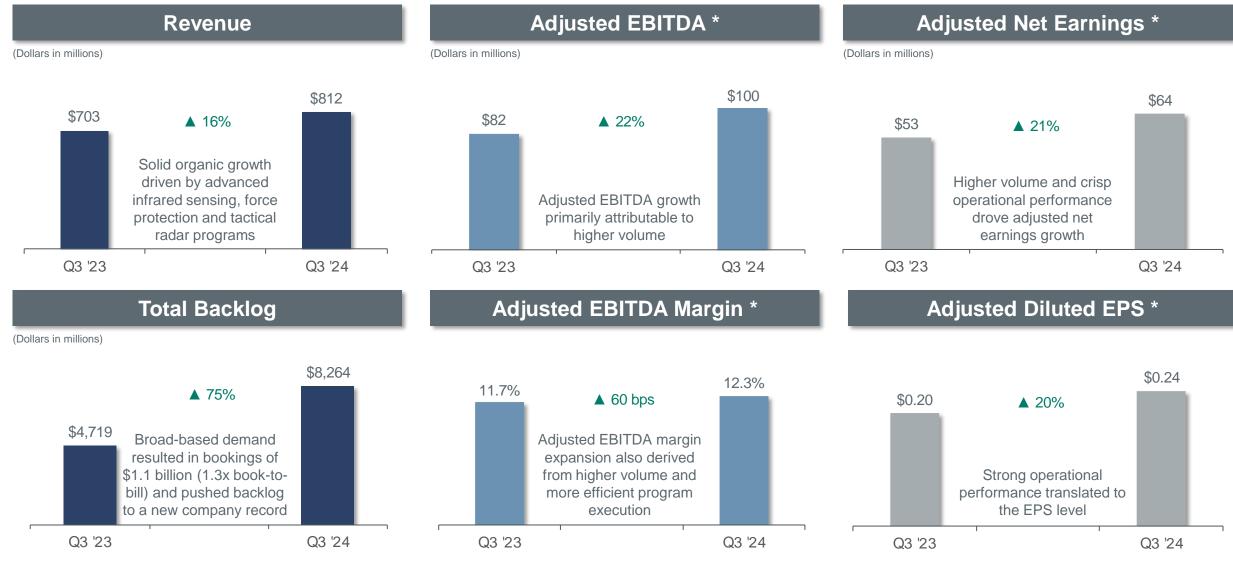
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# Key Messages

1	<ul> <li>Strong operational execution reflected in third quarter results</li> <li>Organic revenue growth of 16%, above internal expectations, aided by steady demand and favorable timing of material receipts</li> <li>Year-over-year adjusted EBITDA and adjusted diluted EPS exceeded the topline at 22% and 20%, respectively</li> <li>Significant increase in free cash flow generation over Q3 2023 on higher profitability and improved working capital efficiency</li> </ul>
2	<ul> <li>Growing total backlog backstopped by continued broad-based customer demand</li> <li>\$1.1 billion of bookings in the quarter resulted in a 1.3x book-to-bill ratio with backlog growing both year-over-year and sequentially</li> <li>Customer appetite evident across the DRS portfolio but most prominent for naval network computing, electric power and propulsion, force protection and advanced infrared sensing technologies in the quarter</li> <li>International orders for our critical technologies and solutions remain a tailwind to bookings</li> </ul>
3	<ul> <li>Our strategy, innovation and technology differentiation are further fortifying our market leading positions</li> <li>Unwavering commitment to innovation excellence – unveiled directed energy version of counter UAS capability, expanding radar portfolio into over-the-horizon applications and progressing next-generation sensing technologies</li> <li>Building on marquee positions in advanced infrared sensing and network computing through sole source follow-on work</li> <li>Diverse and resilient platform agnostic portfolio remains well positioned for long-term growth</li> </ul>
4	<ul> <li>Year-to-date outperformance spurring increase to 2024 guidance and initiation of preliminary 2025 framework</li> <li>2024 revenue growth now expected to be 11% to 13% year-over-year</li> <li>Higher topline reflected in new range for adjusted EBITDA; increased profit range and lower effective tax rate of 19% incorporated into a higher adjusted diluted EPS range</li> <li>Initiating preliminary 2025 framework of 5% to 8% revenue growth (off current 2024 mid-point) at an adjusted EBITDA margin of ~13%</li> </ul>

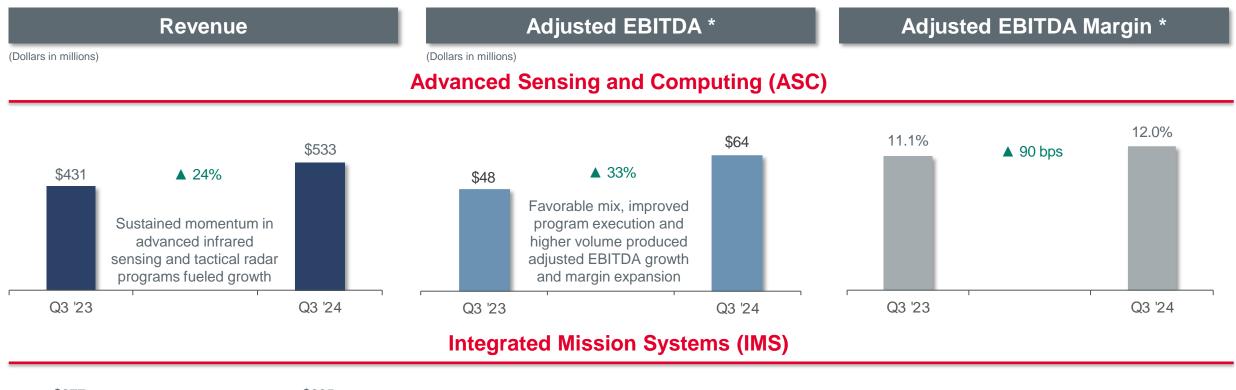
## Q3 2024 Leonardo DRS Results Summary

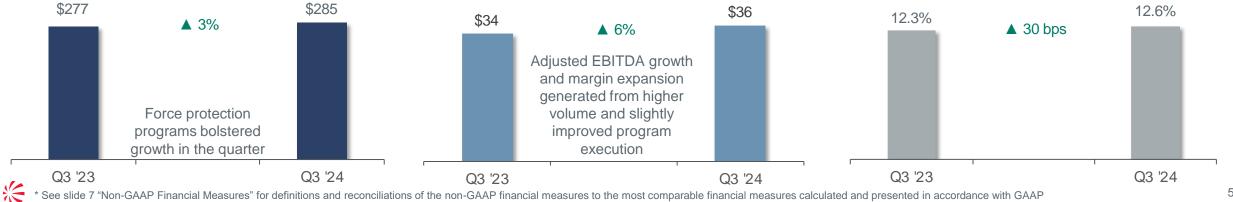
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# **Q3 2024 Segment Results Summary**





## **Increasing 2024 Guidance**

#### Driving Robust Organic Growth and Adjusted EBITDA Margin Expansion

Revenue	<ul> <li>Increasing revenue range and growth on strong continued customer demand and favorable timing of material receipts</li> <li>High visibility into full year guidance however, the variability of performance will be subject to the pace of material receipts and progress of labor inputs in the fourth quarter</li> </ul>
Adjusted EBITDA	<ul> <li>Continue to anticipate healthy margin improvement largely propelled by transition from development to production on Columbia Class and operational leverage from higher volume</li> <li>Maintaining a steadfast operational focus on program execution</li> </ul>
Adjusted Diluted EPS	<ul> <li>Solid operational performance coupled with reduced interest expense and a lower effective tax rate resulting in higher adjusted diluted EPS</li> <li>Effective tax rate now expected to be 19% for the year</li> <li>Diluted shares outstanding held constant from prior guidance</li> </ul>
Other Modeling Items	<ul> <li>Targeting approximately 80% free cash flow conversion of adjusted net earnings</li> <li>Q4 expected to contribute significantly to full year revenue, adjusted EBITDA, adjusted net earnings and free cash flow</li> </ul>

(In millions, except per share amounts)

2024 Guidance	Current	Prior	
Revenue % Δ from 2023	\$3,150 - \$3,200 <i>11% - 13%</i>	\$3,075 - \$3,175 9% - 12%	
Adjusted EBITDA * % Δ from 2023	\$387 - \$397 19% - 23%	\$375 - \$395 16% - 22%	
Tax Rate Diluted Shares Outstanding	19.0% 268.0	20.5% 268.0	
Adjusted Diluted EPS *	\$0.88 - \$0.91	\$0.82 - \$0.88	
% Δ from 2023	21% - 25%	12% - 21%	

<sup>\*</sup> The company does not provide a reconciliation of forward-looking adjusted EBITDA and adjusted diluted EPS, due to inherent difficulty in forecasting and quantifying the non-GAAP exclusions that are necessary for such reconciliation without 6 unreasonable effort. Material changes to any one of these items could have a significant effect on future GAAP results

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

#### **Definitions and Reconciliations**

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Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA Margin are defined as net earnings before income taxes, interest expense, amortization of acquired intangible assets, depreciation, deal-related transaction costs, restructuring costs and other one-time non-operational events (which include non-service pension expense, legal liability accrual reversals and foreign exchange impacts), then in the case of adjusted EBITDA margin dividing adjusted EBITDA by revenues.

Adjusted Net Earnings and Adjusted Diluted EPS are defined as net earnings excluding amortization of acquired intangible assets, deal-related transaction costs, restructuring costs and other one-time non-operational events (which include non-service pension expense, legal liability accrual reversals and foreign exchange impacts), and the related tax impacts, then in the case of adjusted diluted EPS dividing adjusted net earnings by the diluted weighted average number of shares outstanding (WASO).

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Three Months Septembe 2024	
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2024	2023
\$57	\$47
12	1
5	10
6	5
17	16
1	1
0	2
2	0
\$100	\$82
12.3%	11.7%
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		Three Months Ended September 30,	
	2024	2023	
Net earnings	\$57	\$47	
Amortization of intangibles	6	5	
Deal related transaction costs	1	1	
Restructuring costs	0	2	
Other one-time non-operational events	2	0	
Tax effect of adjustments (1)	(2)	(2)	
Adjusted Net Earnings	\$64	\$53	
Diluted WASO	268.299	265.000	
Diluted earnings per share	\$0.21	\$0.18	
Adjusted Diluted EPS	\$0.24	\$0.20	