Hudson Global, Inc.

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Q1 2023: Consolidated Financial Results

US\$ in Millions, except EPS

	'+ / - ⁽¹⁾		CC ⁽²⁾	Q1 2023	Q1 2022
Revenue	-	17.0%		\$43.1	\$51.9
	-	13.4%	CC		
Adjusted net revenue	-	14.9%	00	\$21.8	\$25.6
	-	12.2%	CC	* 22.2	* 22.2
SG&A ⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾	+	1.4%		\$20.6	\$20.3
	+	5.0%	CC		
Adjusted EBITDA ⁽⁵⁾	-	78.1%		\$1.1	\$5.2
	-	77.3%	CC		
Net Income (Loss)	-	88.3%		\$0.4	\$3.0
Basic EPS				\$0.12	\$1.02
Diluted EPS				\$0.11	\$0.97
Adjusted Diluted EPS (5)				\$0.22	\$1.23

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⁽²⁾ CC represents constant currency.

⁽³⁾ Excludes stock compensation expense of \$0.5 million for each of the three months ending March 31, 2023 and 2022.

⁽⁴⁾ Excludes non-recurring expenses of \$0.3 million and \$0.8 million for the three months ending March 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

⁽⁵⁾ Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted Diluted EPS are non-GAAP financial measures. Please reference slide 12 of this presentation for a reconciliation of these non-GAAP measures.

Q1 2023: Hudson Americas

US\$ in Millions

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Revenue	-	36.5%		\$9.3	\$14.6
	-	36.3%	CC		
Adjusted net revenue	-	34.9%		\$8.9	\$13.7
	-	34.8%	CC		
SG&A ⁽³⁾	-	12.2%		\$8.9	\$10.2
	-	11.2%	CC		
Adjusted EBITDA ⁽⁴⁾	-	100.2%		\$—	\$3.5
	-	100.2%	CC		
Adjusted EBITDA, as a %	o of Adjusted	(0.1)%	25.8%		

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Q1 2023: Hudson Asia Pacific

US\$ in Millions, except EPS

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Revenue	-	12.4%		\$27.3	\$31.1
	-	7.6%	CC		
Adjusted net revenue	+	3.0%		\$8.5	\$8.2
	+	8.7%	CC		
SG&A ⁽³⁾	+	15.1%		\$6.7	\$5.8
	+	21.4%	CC		
Adjusted EBITDA ⁽⁴⁾	-	25.8%		\$1.7	\$2.4
	-	21.6%	CC		
Adjusted EBITDA, as a %	20.7%	28.7%			

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Q1 2023: Hudson Europe

US\$ in Millions

	'+ / - ⁽¹⁾		CC ⁽²⁾	Q1 2023	Q1 2022
Revenue	+	5.7%		\$6.5	\$6.2
	+	16.1%	CC		
Adjusted net revenue	+	19.8%		\$4.4	\$3.7
	+	31.3%	CC		
SG&A ⁽³⁾	+	14.4%		\$3.8	\$3.3
	+	25.5%	CC		
Adjusted EBITDA ⁽⁴⁾	+	70.2%		\$0.5	\$0.3
	+	85.2%	CC		
Adjusted EBITDA, as a %	12.1%	8.5%			

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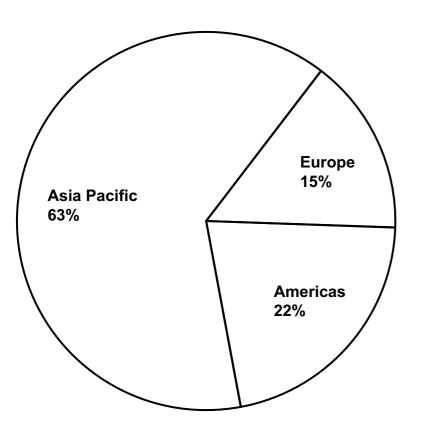
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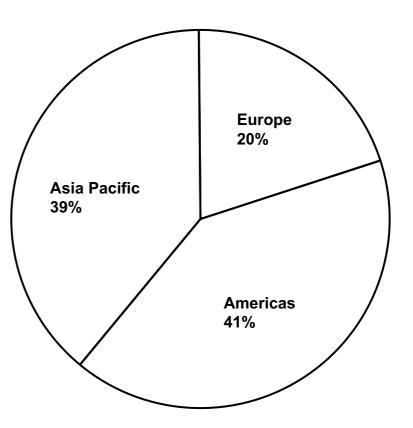
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Q1 2023 Regional Split

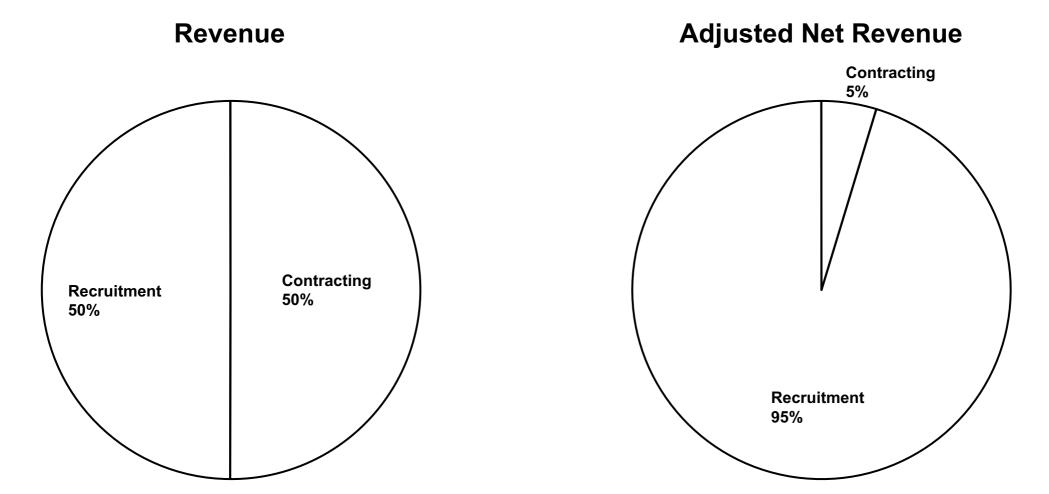
Revenue



Adjusted Net Revenue



Q1 2023 RPO Services Split



Balance Sheet: Selected Items

US\$ in Millions

	Q1 2023	Q4 2022							
Selected Assets									
Cash	\$21.9	\$27.1							
Restricted Cash	\$0.4	\$0.4							
Accounts Receivable	\$27.4	\$26.3							
Sharehold	Shareholders' Equity								
Stockholders' Equity	\$46.4	\$45.8							
Working	g Capital								
Current Assets	\$52.4	\$55.5							
Current Assets ex-cash	\$30.4	\$28.4							
Current Liabilities	\$17.7	\$21.1							
Working Capital	\$34.6	\$34.4							
Working Capital ex-cash	\$12.7	\$7.3							

2023: Cash Flow Summary

US\$ in Millions	QTD March-23			
Net income	\$	0.4		
Depreciation and amortization		0.3		
Benefit from deferred income taxes		(0.3)		
Stock-based compensation		0.5		
Change in accounts receivable		(1.1)		
Change in prepaid and other assets		(0.9)		
Change in accounts payable and other liabilities		(3.8)		
Cash flow from operations		(5.0)		
Capital expenditures		_		
Free cash flow		(5.0)		
Cash paid for net settlement of employee restricted stock units Effect of exchange rates		(0.2)		
Change in cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash	\$	(5.2)		

Appendix

Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

Q1 2023	Am	ericas	Asia Pacific	Europe	Corpora	ite '	Total	Q1 2022	An	nericas	Asia Pacific	Europe	Corp	orate	Total
Revenue	\$	9.3	\$ 27.3	\$ 6.5	\$	- \$	43.1	Revenue	\$	14.6	\$ 31.1	\$ 6.2	\$	— \$	51.9
Adjusted net revenue ⁽¹⁾	\$	8.9	\$ 8.5	\$ 4.4	\$	- \$	21.8	Adjusted net revenue ⁽¹⁾	\$	13.7	\$ 8.2	\$ 3.7	\$	— \$	25.6
Net income						\$	0.4	Net income						\$	3.0
Provision for income taxes							(0.1)	Provision for income taxes							0.5
Interest income, net							(0.1)	Interest income, net							
Depreciation and amortization							0.3	Depreciation and amortization							0.3
EBITDA (loss) ⁽²⁾	\$	(0.4)	\$ 1.4	\$ 0.4	\$ (0	.9) \$	0.5	EBITDA (loss) ⁽²⁾	\$	2.4	\$ 2.0	\$ 0.1	\$	(0.7) \$	3.9
Non-operating expense (income), including corporate administration								Non-operating expense (income), including corporate administration							
charges		0.1	0.2		· ((.5)	(0.1)	charges		0.2	0.3	0.1		(0.5)	—
Stock-based compensation expense		0.2	0.1	0.1	(.2	0.5	Stock-based compensation expense		0.2	0.1			0.3	0.5
Non-recurring items					· (.2	0.2	Non-recurring items							
Compensation expense related to acquisitions ⁽³⁾		0.1	_				0.1	Compensation expense related to acquisitions ⁽³⁾		0.7			-		0.7
Adjusted EBITDA (loss) ⁽²⁾	\$		\$ 1.7	\$ 0.5	\$ (1	.1) \$	1.1	Adjusted EBITDA (loss) ⁽²⁾	\$	3.5	\$ 2.4	\$ 0.3	\$	(1.0) \$	5.2

⁽¹⁾ Represents Revenue less direct contracting costs and reimbursed expenses.

⁽²⁾ EBITDA is a non-GAAP measure defined as earnings before interest, income taxes, depreciation and amortization. Adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP measure defined as earnings before interest, income taxes, depreciation and amortization, non-operating income, stock-based compensation expense, and other items such as non-recurring severance and professional fees.

		Per Diluted Share Three Months Ended							
	Marc	h 31, 2023	Marc	h 31, 2022					
Net income (loss)	\$	0.11	\$	0.97					
Non-recurring items (after tax)		0.06		0.01					
Compensation expense related to acquisitions (after tax) ⁽³⁾		0.04		0.25					
Adjusted net income (loss) ⁽⁴⁾	\$	0.22	\$	1.23					

⁽³⁾ Represents compensation expense payable per the terms of the Coit acquisition, including a promissory note for \$1.35 million payable over three years, and \$500k of the Company's common stock vesting over 30 months, as well as earn out payments. In addition, in 2022 represents compensation expense payable in the form of a CFO retention payment per the terms of the Karani acquisition.

⁽⁴⁾ Adjusted net income or loss per diluted share is a Non-GAAP measure defined as reported net income or loss per diluted share before items such as acquisition-related costs and non-recurring severance and professional fees after tax that is presented to provide additional information about the company's operations on a basis consistent with the measures which the company uses to manage its operations and evaluate its performance. Management also uses these measurements to evaluate capital needs and working capital requirements. Adjusted net income or loss per diluted share should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for net income or loss per diluted share and other income or cash flow statement data prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or as a measure of the company's profitability or liquidity. Further, Adjusted net income or loss per diluted share as presented above may not be comparable with similarly titled 12 measures reported by other companies.

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