



# **Q1 2021 Earnings Call**

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**Hudson Global, Inc.**

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# Q1 2021: Consolidated Financial Results

US\$ in Millions, except EPS

	'+ / - (1)		CC (2)	Q1 2021	Q1 2020
Revenue	+	42.8%		\$34.5	\$24.1
	+	26.6%	CC		
Adjusted net revenue	+	29.8%		\$12.7	\$9.8
	+	19.4%	CC		
SG&A (3)(4)	+	21.2%		\$12.0	\$9.9
	+	12.9%	CC		
Adjusted EBITDA (5)		N/M (6)		\$0.8	\$(0.1)
		N/M	CC		
Net Income (Loss)	+	60.3%		\$(0.2)	\$(0.5)
Basic and Diluted EPS				\$(0.07)	\$(0.17)
Adjusted Diluted EPS (5)				\$0.07	\$(0.08)

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(2) CC represents constant currency.

(3) Excludes stock compensation expense of \$0.3 million and \$0.1 million for the three months ending March 31, 2021 and 2020, respectively.

(4) Excludes non-recurring expenses of \$0.3 million for each of the three months ending March 31, 2021 and 2020.

(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.

(6) N/M = Not Meaningful.

# Q1 2021: Hudson Asia Pacific

US\$ in Millions, except EPS

	'+ / - (1)		CC (2)	Q1 2021	Q1 2020
Revenue	+	49.5%		\$25.3	\$17.0
	+	28.5%	CC		
Adjusted net revenue	+	27.6%		\$5.8	\$4.5
	+	11.7%	CC		
SG&A <sup>(3)</sup>	+	16.9%		\$4.6	\$4.0
	+	3.0%	CC		
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(4)</sup>	+	103.5%		\$1.1	\$0.6
	+	73.7%	CC		
Adjusted EBITDA, as a % of Adjusted net revenue				19.5%	12.2%

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# Q1 2021: Hudson Americas

US\$ in Millions

	'+ / - <sup>(1)</sup>	CC <sup>(2)</sup>	Q1 2021	Q1 2020
Revenue	+	43.0%	\$4.6	\$3.2
	+	42.2% CC		
Adjusted net revenue	+	47.2%	\$4.2	\$2.9
	+	46.2% CC		
SG&A <sup>(3)</sup>	+	44.2%	\$4.0	\$2.8
	+	43.1% CC		
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(4)</sup>	+	147.5%	\$0.2	\$0.1
	+	154.6% CC		
Adjusted EBITDA, as a % of Adjusted net revenue			4.8%	2.9%

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<sup>(5)</sup> N/M = Not Meaningful.

# Q1 2021: Hudson Europe

US\$ in Millions

	'+ / - (1)		CC (2)	Q1 2021	Q1 2020
Revenue	+	14.2%		\$4.6	\$4.0
	+	6.1%	CC		
Adjusted net revenue	+	13.3%		\$2.8	\$2.4
	+	5.3%	CC		
SG&A <sup>(3)</sup>	+	7.1%		\$2.5	\$2.4
		—%	CC		
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(4)</sup>	+	240.8%		\$0.2	\$0.1
	+	173.8%	CC		
Adjusted EBITDA, as a % of Adjusted net revenue				8.3%	2.8%

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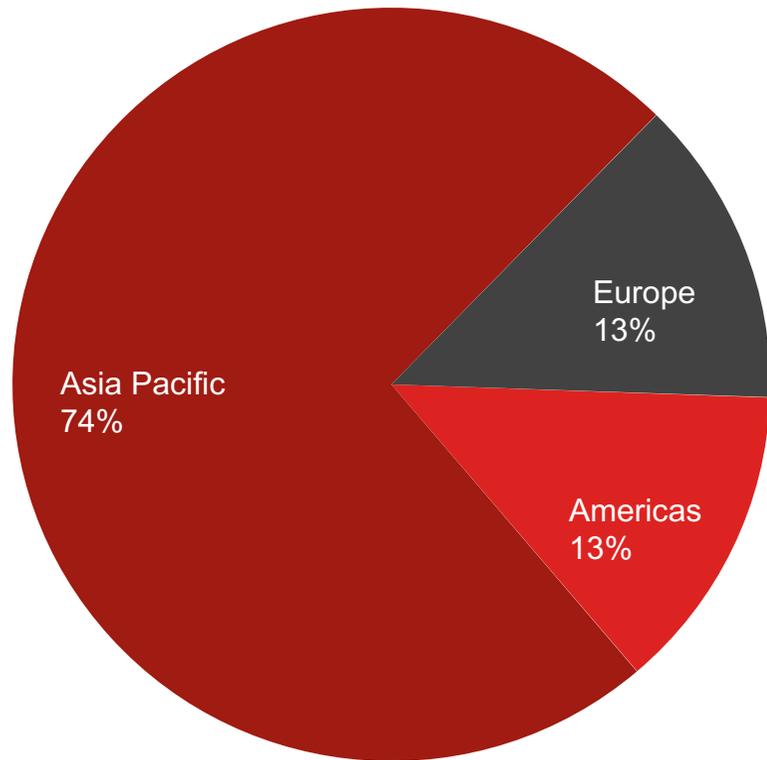
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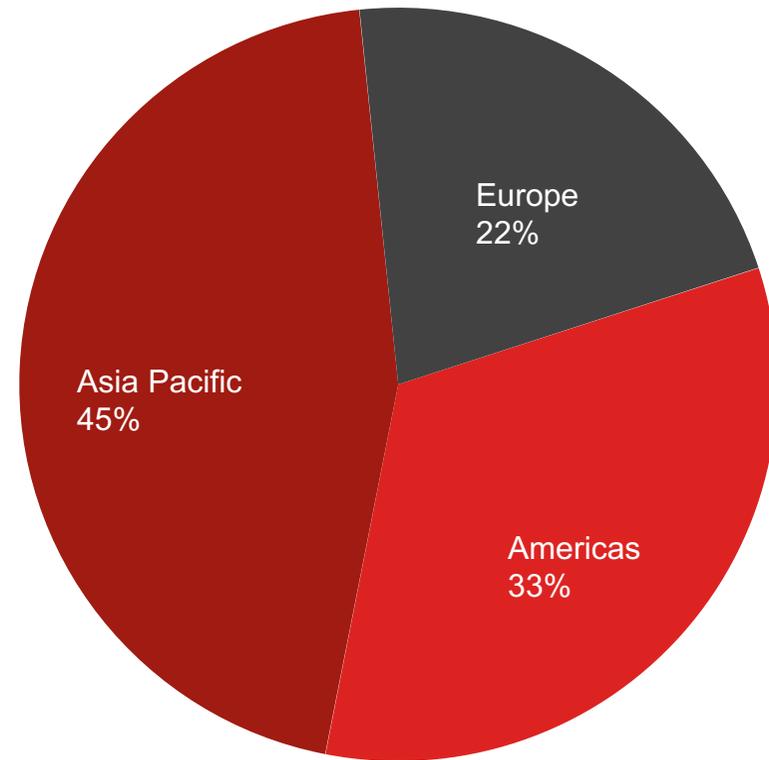
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# Q1 2021 Regional Split

## Revenue

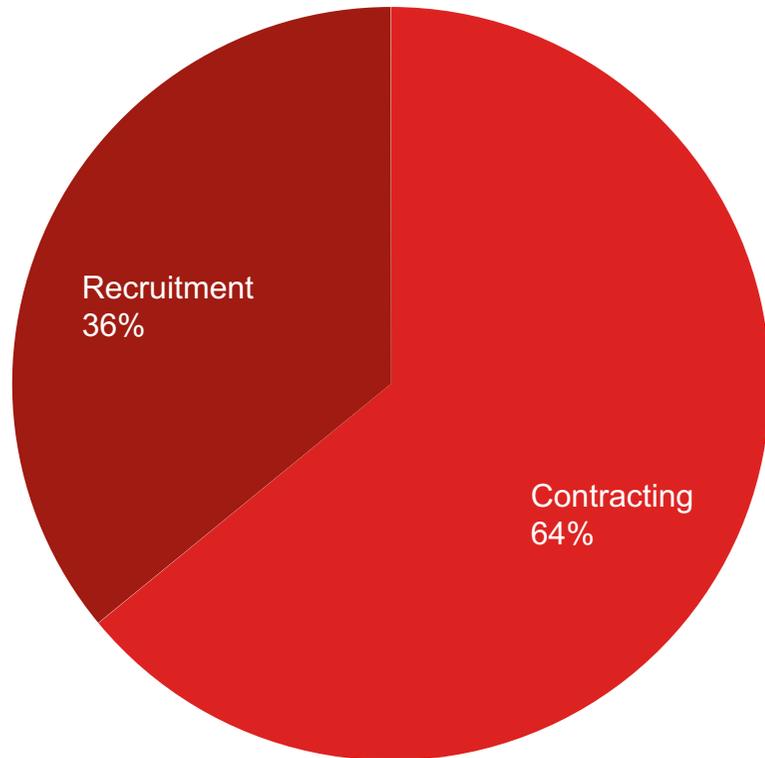


## Adjusted Net Revenue

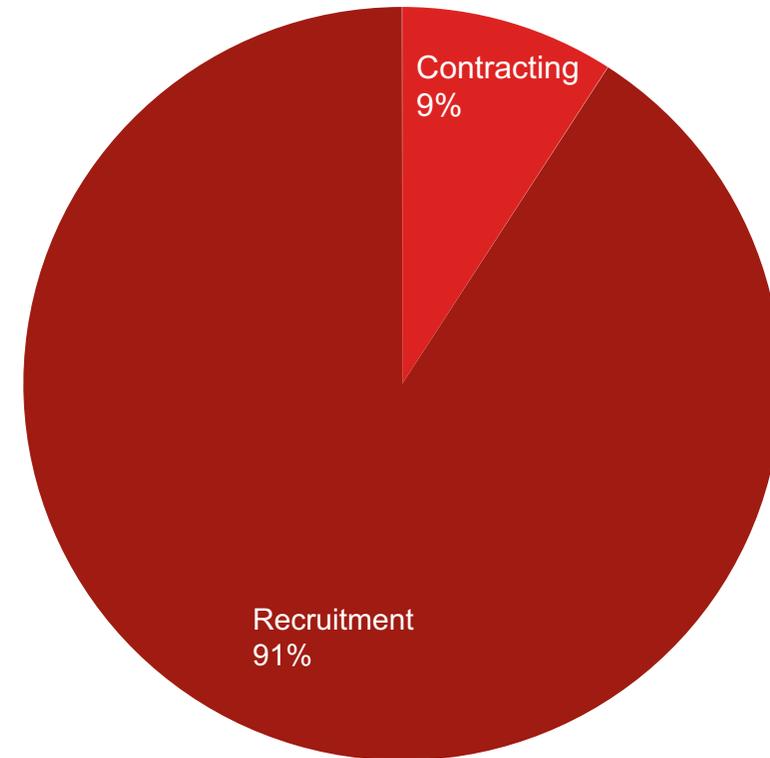


# Q1 2021 RPO Services Split

## Revenue



## Adjusted Net Revenue



# Balance Sheet: Selected Items

*US\$ in Millions*

	Q1 2021	Q4 2020
<b>Selected Assets</b>		
Cash	\$23.2	\$25.8
Restricted Cash	\$0.4	\$0.4
Accounts Receivable	\$17.1	\$13.4
<b>Shareholders' Equity</b>		
Stockholders' Equity	\$34.2	\$34.3
<b>Working Capital</b>		
Current Assets	\$41.4	\$40.3
Current Assets ex-cash	\$18.2	\$14.5
Current Liabilities	\$11.4	\$10.0
Working Capital	\$30.0	\$30.3
Working Capital ex-cash	\$6.8	\$4.5

# 2021: Cash Flow Summary

*US\$ in Millions*

	QTD	
	March-21	
Net loss	\$	(0.2)
Depreciation and amortization		0.1
Benefit from deferred income taxes		(0.1)
Stock-based compensation		0.3
Change in accounts receivable		(3.8)
Change in accounts payable and other liabilities		1.3
<b>Cash used in operations</b>		<b>(2.4)</b>
Capital expenditures		—
<b>Free cash flow</b>		<b>(2.5)</b>
Effect of exchange rates		(0.2)
<b>Change in cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash</b>	\$	<b>(2.6)</b>

# Appendix

# Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

Q1 2021	Asia Pacific	Americas	Europe	Corporate	Total	Q1 2020	Asia Pacific	Americas	Europe	Corporate	Total
Revenue	\$ 25.3	\$ 4.6	\$ 4.6	\$ —	\$ 34.5	Revenue	\$ 17.0	\$ 3.2	\$ 4.0	\$ —	\$ 24.1
Adjusted net revenue <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 5.8	\$ 4.2	\$ 2.8	\$ —	\$ 12.7	Adjusted net revenue <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 4.5	\$ 2.9	\$ 2.4	\$ —	\$ 9.8
Net loss					\$ (0.2)	Net loss					\$ (0.5)
Provision for income taxes					0.2	Provision for income taxes					0.1
Interest income, net					—	Interest income, net					(0.1)
Depreciation and amortization					0.1	Depreciation and amortization					—
EBITDA (loss) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 0.8	\$ (0.3)	\$ 0.1	\$ (0.5)	\$ 0.1	EBITDA (loss) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 0.3	\$ (0.1)	\$ 0.1	\$ (0.8)	\$ (0.5)
Non-operating expense (income), including corporate administration charges	0.3	0.1	0.1	(0.5)	0.1	Non-operating expense (income), including corporate administration charges	0.2	0.1	—	(0.4)	—
Stock-based compensation expense	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.3	Stock-based compensation expense	—	—	—	0.1	0.1
Non-recurring items	—	—	—	—	—	Non-recurring items	—	—	—	0.3	0.3
Compensation expense related to the Coit acquisition	—	0.3	—	—	0.3	Adjusted EBITDA (loss) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 0.6	\$ 0.1	\$ 0.1	\$ (0.8)	\$ (0.1)
Adjusted EBITDA (loss) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 1.1	\$ 0.2	\$ 0.2	\$ (0.8)	\$ 0.8						

<sup>(1)</sup> Represents Revenue less direct contracting costs and reimbursed expenses.

<sup>(2)</sup> 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

	March 31, 2021	March 31, 2020
Net loss	\$ (0.07)	\$ (0.17)
Non-recurring items (after tax)	0.01	0.09
Compensation expense related to the Coit acquisition (after tax) <sup>(3)</sup>	0.13	—
Adjusted net income (loss) <sup>(4)</sup>	\$ 0.07	\$ (0.08)

<sup>(3)</sup> Represents compensation expense payable to the principals of Coit per the terms of the acquisition agreement, including a promissory note, common stock, and earn-out payments.

<sup>(4)</sup> 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 PPP loan forgiveness, 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 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 measures reported by other companies.



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