PATTERSON COMPANIES REPORTS FISCAL 2024 THIRD QUARTER OPERATING RESULTS

- Third quarter reported net sales increased 1.0 percent year-over-year to \$1.62 billion.
- Internal sales increased 0.3 percent year-over-year, driven by dental consumables growth of 6.3 percent; excluding certain infection control products, internal sales of dental consumables increased 7.2 percent year-over-year.
- Delivered third quarter GAAP earnings of \$0.52 per diluted share and adjusted earnings of \$0.59 per diluted share.
- Returned \$148.8 million to shareholders through dividends and share repurchases.
- Revises fiscal 2024 GAAP earnings guidance to \$1.99 to \$2.04 per diluted share and adjusted earnings¹ guidance to \$2.30 to \$2.35 per diluted share.

St. Paul, Minn. — February 28, 2024 — Patterson Companies, Inc. (Nasdaq: PDCO) today reported operating results for its fiscal 2024 third quarter ended January 27, 2024.

"Patterson navigated a dynamic environment during our fiscal third quarter to deliver sales growth and gross margin expansion," said Don Zurbay, President and CEO of Patterson Companies. "Our dental consumables and production animal businesses both continued to generate above-market sales growth, demonstrating the deep, differentiated value proposition we provide customers across the markets we serve.

"We have revised our guidance to reflect current expectations for the fourth quarter, including continued headwinds in the dental equipment market. During the fiscal third quarter, we remained focused on enhancing our long-term performance, including strategic investments in our capabilities and additional actions to enhance profitability. Our continued commitment to return capital to shareholders – including nearly \$150 million during the fiscal third quarter – further underscores our confidence in the resilience of our end markets and Patterson's value creation potential."

Third Quarter Fiscal 2024 Results

Consolidated net sales were \$1.62 billion (see attached Sales Summary for further details), an increase of 1.0 percent compared to the same period last year. Internal sales, which are adjusted for the effects of currency translation, contributions from recent acquisitions and the net impact of an interest rate swap, increased 0.3 percent over the prior year period.

Reported net income attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc. for the third quarter of fiscal 2024 was \$47.7 million, or \$0.52 per diluted share, compared to \$53.9 million, or \$0.55 per diluted share, in the third quarter of fiscal 2023. Adjusted net income¹ attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc., which excludes deal amortization, totaled \$55.0 million for the third quarter of fiscal 2024, or \$0.59 per diluted share, compared to \$61.1 million, or \$0.62 per diluted share, in the third quarter of fiscal 2023. The year-over-year decrease in reported and adjusted net income attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc. in the third quarter of fiscal 2024 was primarily due to lower sales of dental equipment and increased operating expenses compared to the prior year period.

Patterson Dental

Reported net sales in the Dental segment for the third quarter of fiscal 2024 were \$637.1 million. Internal sales increased 2.5 percent compared to the fiscal 2023 third quarter. Internal sales of consumables increased 6.3 percent year-over-year. Excluding the deflationary impact of certain infection control products, internal sales of consumables increased 7.2 percent year-over-year. Compared to the prior year period, internal sales of equipment decreased 2.4 percent and internal sales of value-added services decreased 0.2 percent.



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Patterson Animal Health

Reported net sales in the Animal Health segment for the third quarter of fiscal 2024 were \$967.3 million. Internal sales decreased 1.5 percent year-over-year as positive growth in the production animal business was more than offset by reduced sales in the companion animal business. Within the Animal Health segment, internal sales of consumables decreased 2.0 percent, internal sales of equipment decreased 5.9 percent and internal sales of value-added services increased 44.2 percent.

Balance Sheet and Capital Allocation

During the first nine months of fiscal 2024, Patterson Companies used \$719.8 million of cash from operating activities and collected deferred purchase price receivables of \$770.3 million, generating \$50.5 million in cash, compared to generating \$29.8 million in the prior year period. Free cash flow (see definition below and attached free cash flow table) during the first nine months of fiscal 2024 improved by \$11.9 million compared to the first nine months of fiscal 2023 due to a decreased level of working capital during the first nine months of fiscal 2024.

In the third quarter of fiscal 2024, Patterson declared a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.26 per share, returning \$24.7 million in cash dividends to shareholders. Also, under an existing share repurchase authorization, the company repurchased approximately \$124.1 million of shares during the third quarter of fiscal 2024. Through the first nine months of fiscal 2024, Patterson Companies returned \$289.6 million to shareholders in the form of cash dividends and share repurchases. At the end of the third quarter of fiscal 2024, Patterson had approximately \$195 million of share repurchase authority remaining on its current share repurchase authorization.

Year-to-Date Results

Consolidated reported net sales for the first nine months of fiscal 2024 totaled \$4.85 billion, a 2.0 percent year-over-year increase. Internal sales for the first nine months of fiscal 2024, which are adjusted for the effects of currency translation, contributions from recent acquisitions and the net impact of an interest rate swap, increased 1.2 percent year-over-year. Through the first nine months of fiscal 2024, Dental segment internal sales increased 1.4 percent, including a 4.6 percent increase in consumables, a 4.7 percent decline in equipment and a 2.9 percent increase in value-added services. Through the first nine months of fiscal 2024, Animal Health segment internal sales increased 0.8 percent, including 0.3 percent growth in consumables, a 3.0 percent decline in equipment and a 59.5 percent increase in value-added services.

Reported net income attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc. was \$118.9 million, or \$1.26 per diluted share, compared to \$132.6 million, or \$1.35 per diluted share in last year's period. Adjusted net income¹ attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc., which excludes deal amortization, totaled \$140.9 million, or \$1.49 per diluted share, compared to \$154.0 million, or \$1.57 per diluted share, in the year-ago period.

Fiscal 2024 Guidance

Patterson Companies today revised its fiscal 2024 earnings guidance, which is provided on both a GAAP and non-GAAP adjusted¹ basis:

- GAAP earnings are expected to be in the range of \$1.99 to \$2.04 per diluted share.
- Non-GAAP adjusted earnings¹ are expected to be in the range of \$2.30 to \$2.35 per diluted share.
- Our non-GAAP adjusted earnings¹ guidance excludes the after-tax impact of:
 - Deal amortization expenses of approximately \$29.3 million (\$0.31 per diluted share).

Our guidance reflects the strength of our business and competitive positioning, as well as our expectations for the North American and international end markets in which we operate, which we expect to be affected by the ongoing challenges of inflationary trends and higher interest rates and additional slow-down in the broader economy.

Beyond macroeconomic and geopolitical uncertainty, our guidance further

assumes that there are no material adverse developments associated with wide-spread public health concerns.

¹Non-GAAP Financial Measures

The term "internal sales" used in this release represents net sales adjusted for the effects of currency translation, contributions from recent acquisitions and the net impact of an interest rate swap. Foreign currency impact represents the difference in results that is attributable to fluctuations in currency exchange rates the company uses to convert results for all foreign entities where the functional currency is not the U.S. dollar. The company calculates the impact as the difference between the current period results translated using the current period currency exchange rates and using the comparable prior period's currency exchange rates. The company believes the disclosure of net sales excluding the impact of foreign currency, an interest rate swap and recent acquisitions provides useful supplementary information to investors in light of fluctuations in these variables that are independent of our period-over-period performance.

The term "free cash flow" used in this release is defined as net cash used in operating activities less capital expenditures plus the collection of deferred purchase price receivables.

The Reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP Measures table appearing behind the accompanying financial information is provided to adjust reported GAAP measures, namely net sales, gross profit, operating expenses, operating income, other income (expense), net, income before taxes, income tax expense, net income, net loss attributable to noncontrolling interests, net income attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc., and diluted earnings per share attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc. for the impact of deal amortization and an interest rate swap along with any related tax effects of these items.

- Deal amortization represents non-cash intangible amortization expense, primarily related to the acquisition of Animal Health International.
- Interest rate swap -- Our customer financing net sales include the impact of changes in interest
 rates on deferred purchase price receivables, as the average interest rate in our contract
 portfolio may not fluctuate at the same rate as interest rate markets, resulting in an increase or
 reduction of gain on contract sales.

We enter into an interest rate swap to hedge a portion of the related interest rate risk. These agreements do not qualify for hedge accounting, and the gains or losses on an interest rate swap are reported in other income and expense in our condensed consolidated statements of operation and other comprehensive income.

We present a non-GAAP adjustment to reclassify the mark-to-market adjustment on the interest rate swap from other income (expense) to net sales to align the swap impact with the impact on customer financing net sales. We believe adjusted net sales, adjusted gross profit and adjusted operating income, which include the gains and losses on the interest rate swap, provides additional comparability from period to period because they present the impact of interest rate fluctuations, net of the mark-to-market swap adjustment, within adjusted net sales. We note the net impact of interest rate fluctuations has a minimal impact on net income.

Management believes that these non-GAAP measures may provide a helpful representation of the company's performance and enable comparison of financial results between periods where certain items may vary independent of business performance. These non-GAAP financial measures are presented solely for informational and comparative purposes and should not be regarded as a replacement for corresponding, similarly captioned, GAAP measures.



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Third Quarter Conference Call and Replay

Patterson Companies' fiscal 2024 third quarter conference call will start at 8:30 a.m. Eastern today. Investors can listen to a live webcast of the conference call at www.pattersoncompanies.com. The conference call will be archived on the Patterson Companies website. A replay of the fiscal 2024 third quarter conference call can be heard for one week at 1-800-770-2030 and by providing the Conference ID 67281 when prompted.

About Patterson Companies Inc.

Patterson Companies Inc. (Nasdaq: PDCO) connects dental and animal health customers in North America and the U.K. to the latest products, technologies, services and innovative business solutions that enable operational and professional success. Our comprehensive portfolio, distribution network and supply chain is equaled only by our dedicated, knowledgeable people who deliver unrivalled expertise and unmatched customer service and support.

Learn more: pattersoncompanies.com

This press release contains, and our officers and representatives may from time to time make, certain "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the safe harbor provisions of the U.S. Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, including statements regarding future financial performance, and the objectives and expectations of management. Forward-looking statements often include words such as "believes," "expects," "anticipates," "estimates," "intends," "plans," "seeks" or words of similar meaning, or future or conditional verbs, such as "will," "should," "could" or "may."

Forward-looking statements are neither historical facts nor assurances of future performance. Instead, they are based only on our current beliefs, expectations and assumptions regarding the future of our business, future plans and strategies, projections, anticipated events and trends, the economy and other future conditions. Because forward-looking statements relate to the future, they are subject to inherent uncertainties, risks and changes in circumstances that are difficult to predict and many of which are outside of our control. Our actual results and financial condition may differ materially from those indicated in the forward-looking statements. Therefore, you should not place undue reliance on any of these forward-looking statements.

Any number of factors could affect our actual results and cause such results to differ materially from those contemplated by any forward-looking statements, including, but not limited to, the following: wide-spread public health concerns as we experienced, and may continue to experience, with the COVID-19 pandemic; our dependence on suppliers to manufacture and supply substantially all of the products we sell; potential disruption of distribution capabilities, including service issues with third-party shippers; our dependence on relationships with sales representatives and service technicians to retain customers and develop business; adverse changes in supplier rebates or other purchasing incentives; risks of selling private label products, including the risk of adversely affecting our relationships with suppliers; the risk of technological and market obsolescence for the products we sell; the risk of failing to innovate and develop new and enhanced software and e-services products; our dependence on positive perceptions of Patterson's reputation; risks associated with illicit human use of pharmaceutical products we distribute; risks inherent in acquiring and disposing of assets or other businesses and risks inherent in integrating acquired businesses; turnover or loss of key personnel or highly skilled employees; risks associated with information systems, software products and cyber-security attacks; risks related to climate change; our ability to comply with restrictive covenants and other limits in our credit agreement; the risk that our governing documents and Minnesota law may discourage takeovers and business combinations; the effects of the highly competitive dental and animal health supply markets in which we compete: the effects of consolidation within the dental and animal health supply markets; exposure to the risks of the animal production business, including changing consumer demand, the cyclical livestock market, weather conditions, the availability of natural resources

and other factors outside our control, and the risks of the companion animal

business, including the possibility of disease adversely affecting the pet population; exposure to the risks of the health care industry, including changes in demand due to political, economic and regulatory influences and other factors outside our control; increases in over-the-counter sales and ecommerce options; risks from the formation or expansion of GPOs, provider networks and buying groups that may place us at a competitive disadvantage; risks of litigation and government inquiries and investigations, including the diversion of management's attention, the cost of defending against such actions, the possibility of damage awards or settlements, fines or penalties, or equitable remedies (including but not limited to the revocation of or non-renewal of licenses) and inherent uncertainty; failure to comply with health care fraud or other laws and regulations; change and uncertainty in the health care industry; failure to comply with existing or future U.S. or foreign laws and regulations including those governing the distribution of pharmaceuticals and controlled substances; failure to comply with evolving data privacy laws and regulations; tax legislation; risks inherent in international operations, including currency fluctuations; and uncertain macro-economic conditions, including inflationary pressures.

The order in which these factors appear should not be construed to indicate their relative importance or priority. We caution that these factors may not be exhaustive, accordingly, any forward-looking statements contained herein should not be relied upon as a prediction of actual results.

You should carefully consider these and other relevant factors, including those risk factors in Part I, Item 1A, ("Risk Factors") in our most recent Form 10-K and information which may be contained in our other filings with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, or SEC, when reviewing any forward-looking statement.

Investors should understand it is impossible to predict or identify all such factors or risks. As such, you should not consider the foregoing list, or the risks identified in our SEC filings, to be a complete discussion of all potential risks or uncertainties.

Any forward-looking statement made by us in this press release is based only on information currently available to us and speaks only as of the date on which it is made. We do not undertake any obligation to release publicly any revisions to any forward-looking statements whether written or oral, that may be made from time to time, whether as a result of new information, future developments or otherwise.

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PATTERSON COMPANIES, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (In thousands, except per share amounts)

(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended				Nine Months Ended						
	Ja	anuary 27, 2024	J:	anuary 28, 2023	J	anuary 27, 2024		anuary 28, 2023			
Net sales	\$	1,616,095	\$	1,600,850	\$	4,845,612	\$	4,750,319			
Gross profit		351,006		342,962		1,009,087		983,184			
Operating expenses		280,994		267,040		843,950		812,323			
Operating income		70,012		75,922		165,137		170,861			
Other income (expense):											
Other income, net		3,653		3,096		22,650		23,079			
Interest expense		(11,725)		(9,731)		(31,879)		(22,838)			
Income before taxes		61,940		69,287		155,908		171,102			
Income tax expense		14,347		15,440		37,330		39,346			
Net income		47,593		53,847		118,578		131,756			
Net loss attributable to noncontrolling interests		(110)		(82)		(317)		(836)			
Net income attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc.	\$	47,703	\$	53,929	\$	118,895	\$	132,592			
Earnings per share attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc.:											
Basic	\$	0.52	\$	0.55	\$	1.26	\$	1.37			
Diluted	\$	0.52	\$	0.55	\$	1.26	\$	1.35			
Weighted average shares:											
Basic		92,009		97,327		94,088		96,957			
Diluted		92,519		97,977		94,704		97,881			
Dividends declared per common share	\$	0.26	\$	0.26	\$	0.78	\$	0.78			



PATTERSON COMPANIES, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (In thousands) (Unaudited)

	Janu	uary 27, 2024	Ap	oril 29, 2023
ASSETS				
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	123,998	\$	159,669
Receivables, net		484,530		477,384
Inventory		902,733		795,072
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		321,302		351,011
Total current assets		1,832,563		1,783,136
Property and equipment, net		226,013		212,283
Operating lease right-of-use assets, net		108,506		92,956
Goodwill and identifiable intangibles, net		359,593		388,293
Investments		164,459		160,022
Long-term receivables, net and other		248,815		242,456
Total assets	\$	2,939,949	\$	2,879,146
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	683,300	\$	724,993
Other accrued liabilities		234,151		250,949
Operating lease liabilities		31,137		28,390
Current maturities of long-term debt		4,125		36,000
Borrowings on revolving credit		331,000		45,000
Total current liabilities		1,283,713		1,085,332
Long-term debt		448,219		451,231
Non-current operating lease liabilities		80,499		67,376
Other non-current liabilities		155,353		156,672
Total liabilities		1,967,784		1,760,611
Stockholders' equity		972,165		1,118,535
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	2,939,949	\$	2,879,146



PATTERSON COMPANIES, INC. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (In thousands) (Unaudited)

	Nine Months Ended					
	Ja	nuary 27, 2024	Ja	anuary 28, 2023		
Operating activities:						
Net income	\$	118,578	\$	131,756		
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash used in operating activities:						
Depreciation and amortization		65,198		62,298		
Non-cash employee compensation		15,395		11,349		
Non-cash losses (gains) and other, net		4,120		7,227		
Change in assets and liabilities:						
Receivables		(744,275)		(729,039)		
Inventory		(106,328)		(155,184)		
Accounts payable		(43,533)		20,947		
Accrued liabilities		(14,510)		(40,909)		
Other changes from operating activities, net		(14,494)		(36,642)		
Net cash used in operating activities		(719,849)		(728,197)		
Investing activities:						
Additions to property and equipment and software		(51,196)		(42,442)		
Collection of deferred purchase price receivables		770,319		758,001		
Payments related to acquisitions, net of cash acquired		(1,108)		(33,257)		
Payments related to investments				(15,000)		
Net cash provided by investing activities		718,015		667,302		
Financing activities:						
Dividends paid		(75,021)		(75,954)		
Repurchases of common stock		(214,587)		(15,000)		
Payments on long-term debt		(35,250)				
Draw on revolving credit		286,000		146,000		
Other financing activities		4,767		12,866		
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		(34,091)		67,912		
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash		254		(1,741)		
Net change in cash and cash equivalents		(35,671)		5,276		
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		159,669		142,014		
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$	123,998	\$	147,290		



PATTERSON COMPANIES, INC. SALES SUMMARY (Dollars in thousands) (Unaudited)

	J	anuary 27, 2024	J	anuary 28, 2023	Total Sales Growth	Foreign Exchange Impact	Net Interest Rate Swap	Acquisition Impact	Internal Sales Growth
Three Months Ended									
Consolidated net sales									
Consumable	\$	1,262,290	\$	1,250,859	0.9 %	0.6 %	— %	0.1 %	0.2 %
Equipment		245,262		252,671	(2.9)	_	_	_	(2.9)
Value-added services and other		108,543		97,320	11.5	0.4	(1.7)	3.4	9.4
Total	\$	1,616,095	\$	1,600,850	1.0 %	0.5 %	(0.1)%	0.3 %	0.3 %
Dental									
Consumable	\$	350,953	\$	330,199	6.3 %	— %	— %	— %	6.3 %
Equipment		211,352		216,642	(2.4)	_	_	_	(2.4)
Value-added services and other		74,832		74,955	(0.2)				(0.2)
Total	\$	637,137	\$	621,796	2.5 %	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	2.5 %
Animal Health									
Consumable	\$	911,337	\$	920,660	(1.0)%	0.8 %	— %	0.2 %	(2.0)%
Equipment		33,910		36,029	(5.9)	-	_	_	(5.9)
Value-added services and other		22,030		12,689	73.6	3.0		26.4	44.2
Total	\$	967,277	\$	969,378	(0.2)%	0.8 %	%	0.5 %	(1.5)%
Corporate									
Value-added services and other	\$	11,681	\$	9,676	20.7 %	%	(16.8)%	<u> </u>	37.5 %
Total	\$	11,681	\$	9,676	20.7 %	— %	(16.8)%	— %	37.5 %



PATTERSON COMPANIES, INC. SALES SUMMARY (Dollars in thousands) (Unaudited)

	Ja 	nuary 27, 2024	Ji	anuary 28, 2023	Total Sales Growth	Foreign Exchange Impact	Net Interest Rate Swap	Acquisition Impact	Internal Sales Growth
Nine Months Ended								-	
Consolidated net sales									
Consumable	\$	3,897,378	\$	3,813,884	2.2 %	0.6 %	— %	0.2 %	1.4 %
Equipment		639,526		670,502	(4.6)	(0.1)	_	_	(4.5)
Value-added services and other		308,708		265,933	16.1	0.4	(1.2)	5.2	11.7
Total	\$	4,845,612	\$	4,750,319	2.0 %	0.5 %	(0.1)%	0.4 %	1.2 %
Dental									
Consumable	\$	1,049,492	\$	1,005,528	4.4 %	(0.2)%	— %	— %	4.6 %
Equipment		549,028		577,158	(4.9)	(0.2)	_		(4.7)
Value-added services and other		232,298		225,950	2.8	(0.1)			2.9
Total	\$	1,830,818	\$	1,808,636	1.2 %	(0.2)%	<u> </u>	— %	1.4 %
Animal Health									
Consumable	\$	2,847,886	\$	2,808,356	1.4 %	0.9 %	— %	0.2 %	0.3 %
Equipment		90,498		93,344	(3.0)	_	_		(3.0)
Value-added services and other		64,505		31,044	107.8	4.0		44.3	59.5
Total	\$	3,002,889	\$	2,932,744	2.4 %	0.9 %	— %	0.7 %	0.8 %
Corporate									
Value-added services and other	\$	11,905	\$	8,939	33.2 %	%	(35.7)%	— %	68.9 %
Total	\$	11,905	\$	8,939	33.2 %	— %	(35.7)%	— %	68.9 %



PATTERSON COMPANIES, INC. OPERATING INCOME BY SEGMENT

(In thousands) (Unaudited)

		Three Mor	nths	Ended	Nine Months Ended						
	Ja	January 27, 2024			Ja	nuary 27, 2024	J	anuary 28, 2023			
Operating income (loss)											
Dental	\$	53,630	\$	60,302	\$	147,577	\$	158,147			
Animal Health		32,104		30,197		88,143		80,372			
Corporate		(15,722)		(14,577)		(70,583)		(67,658)			
Total	\$	70,012	\$	75,922	\$	165,137	\$	170,861			



PATTERSON COMPANIES, INC. RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP MEASURES

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts) (Unaudited)

For the three months ended January 27, 2024	GAAP	an	Deal nortization	In	terest rate swap	Non-GAAP
Net sales	\$ 1,616,095	\$	_	\$	(3,474)	\$ 1,612,621
Gross profit	351,006		_		(3,474)	347,532
Operating expenses	 280,994		(9,630)			 271,364
Operating income	70,012		9,630		(3,474)	76,168
Other income (expense), net	 (8,072)				3,474	 (4,598)
Income before taxes	61,940		9,630		_	71,570
Income tax expense	 14,347		2,304			 16,651
Net income	47,593		7,326		_	54,919
Net loss attributable to noncontrolling interests	 (110)					 (110)
Net income attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc.	\$ 47,703	\$	7,326	\$		\$ 55,029
Diluted earnings per share attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc.*	\$ 0.52	\$	0.08	\$		\$ 0.59
Gross margin	21.7 %					21.6 %
Operating margin	4.3 %					4.7 %
Effective tax rate	23.2 %					23.3 %

For the three months ended January 28, 2023	GAAP	am	Deal ortization	In	terest rate swap	Non-GAAP
Net sales	\$ 1,600,850	\$		\$	(1,849)	\$ 1,599,001
Gross profit	342,962		_		(1,849)	341,113
Operating expenses	 267,040		(9,482)			257,558
Operating income	75,922		9,482		(1,849)	83,555
Other income (expense), net	 (6,635)		_		1,849	(4,786)
Income before taxes	69,287		9,482		_	78,769
Income tax expense	 15,440		2,272			17,712
Net income	53,847		7,210		_	61,057
Net loss attributable to noncontrolling interests	 (82)		_			(82)
Net income attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc.	\$ 53,929	\$	7,210	\$		\$ 61,139
Diluted earnings per share attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc.*	\$ 0.55	\$	0.07	\$		\$ 0.62
Gross margin	21.4 %					21.3 %
Operating margin	4.7 %					5.2 %
Effective tax rate	22.3 %					22.5 %

^{*} May not sum due to rounding



PATTERSON COMPANIES, INC. RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP MEASURES

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts) (Unaudited)

For the nine months ended January 27, 2024	GAAP	an	Deal nortization	In	terest rate swap	Non-GAAP
Net sales	\$ 4,845,612	\$	_	\$	6,087	\$ 4,851,699
Gross profit	1,009,087		_		6,087	1,015,174
Operating expenses	 843,950		(28,884)			 815,066
Operating income	165,137		28,884		6,087	200,108
Other income (expense), net	 (9,229)				(6,087)	 (15,316)
Income before taxes	155,908		28,884		_	184,792
Income tax expense	 37,330		6,913			 44,243
Net income	118,578		21,971		_	140,549
Net loss attributable to noncontrolling interests	 (317)					 (317)
Net income attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc.	\$ 118,895	\$	21,971	\$		\$ 140,866
Diluted earnings per share attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc.*	\$ 1.26	\$	0.23	\$		\$ 1.49
Gross margin	20.8 %					20.9 %
Operating margin	3.4 %					4.1 %
Effective tax rate	23.9 %					23.9 %

For the nine months ended January 28, 2023	GAAP	ar	Deal nortization	lr	nterest rate swap	Non-GAAP
Net sales	\$ 4,750,319	\$	_	\$	9,275	\$ 4,759,594
Gross profit	983,184		_		9,275	992,459
Operating expenses	 812,323		(28,160)		_	784,163
Operating income	 170,861		28,160		9,275	208,296
Other income (expense), net	241		_		(9,275)	(9,034)
Income before taxes	171,102		28,160		_	199,262
Income tax expense	 39,346		6,746			46,092
Net income	131,756		21,414		_	153,170
Net loss attributable to noncontrolling interests	(836)		_		_	(836)
Net income attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc.	\$ 132,592	\$	21,414	\$		\$ 154,006
Diluted earnings per share attributable to Patterson Companies, Inc.*	\$ 1.35	\$	0.22	\$	_	\$ 1.57
Gross margin	20.7 %)				20.9 %
Operating margin	3.6 %)				4.4 %
Effective tax rate	23.0 %)				23.1 %

^{*} May not sum due to rounding



PATTERSON COMPANIES, INC. FREE CASH FLOW (In thousands) (Unaudited)

	Nine Months Ended						
	Ja	nuary 27, 2024	January 28, 2023				
Net cash used in operating activities	\$	(719,849)	\$	(728,197)			
Additions to property and equipment and software		(51,196)		(42,442)			
Collection of deferred purchase price receivables		770,319		758,001			
Free cash flow	\$	(726)	\$	(12,638)			