

# YOUR NETWORK RUNS ON COMMSCOPE



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

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## Agenda



- First quarter 2016 results
- Segment review
- Cash flow, liquidity and capital structure
- Second quarter and calendar year 2016 outlook

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## Q1 2016 Results





#### Sales & Orders:

- Sales of \$1.14 billion, consistent with guidance
  - Excluding BNS and FX, down 6% YOY
- Orders of \$1.34 billion
  - Book-to-bill ratio of 1.17



#### **Operating Results:**

- Gross margin of 39 percent
- GAAP Operating Income of \$91 million
- Adjusted Operating Income<sup>(1)</sup> increased 35% YOY to \$211 million, or 18% of sales
  - BNS cost synergy realization and favorable geographic mix
  - Excluding BNS & Airvana, stable YOY

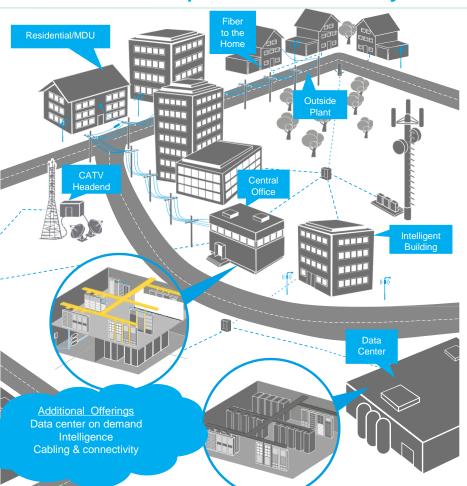


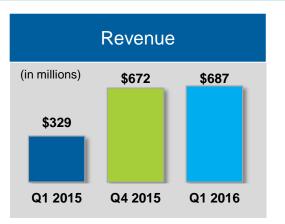
#### Net Income & EPS:

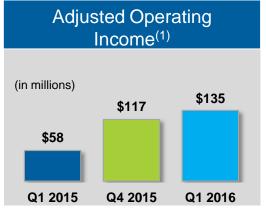
- GAAP Net Income of \$13 million, or \$0.06 per diluted share
- Adjusted Net Income<sup>(1)</sup> of \$94 million, or \$0.48 per diluted share, up 14% YOY

## CommScope Connectivity Solutions (CCS)





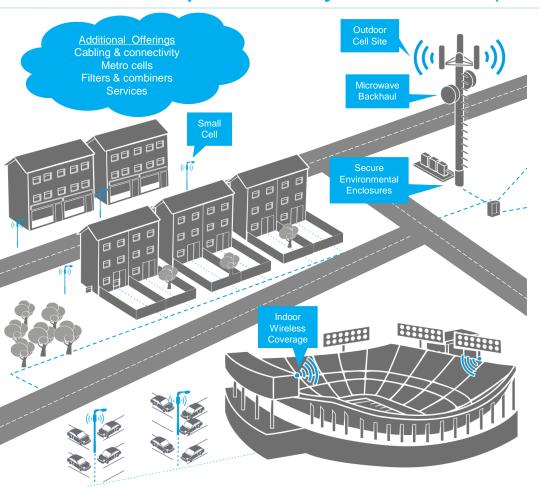


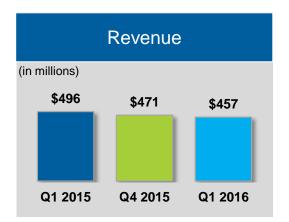


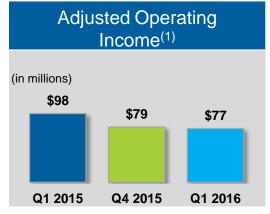
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## CommScope Mobility Solutions (CMS)









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## Cash Flow and Liquidity



#### Cash Flow Highlights

(in millions)	Q1 2015		5 Q1 2016		LTM Q1 2015		LTM Q1 2016	
Cash flow from operations	\$	1	\$	118	\$	326	\$	419
Capital expenditures, net of capital expenditures related to BNS integration		(8)		(14)		(38)		(49)
Cash paid for transaction & integration costs		7		16		7		105
Debt redemption premium						94		
Adjusted free cash flow	\$	0	\$	120	\$	388	\$	475
Cash taxes paid	\$	34	\$	15	\$	117	\$	104
Cash interest paid	\$	7	\$	16	\$	140	\$	216

Liquidity of \$1.0 billion at March 31, 2016

Cash and Cash Equivalents: \$688m

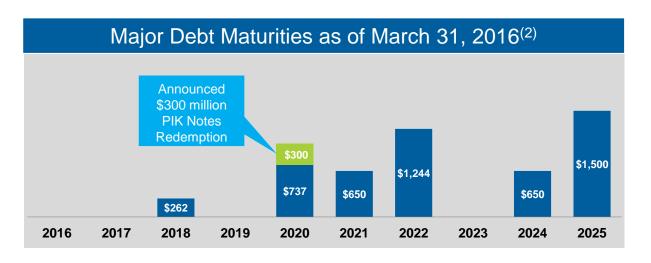
Availability Under Revolver: \$322m

## **Capital Structure**



## Capital Summary & Net Leverage Ratio

	Actual		
(dollars in millions)	3/	31/2016	
5.00% and 5.50% Notes	\$	1,300.0	
PIK Notes		536.6	
Term Loans		1,505.6	
6.00% Notes		1,500.0	
Secured Notes		500.0	
Revolver		-	
Other Debt		-	
Less: OID & DFF		(98.2)	
Total Debt	\$	5,244.0	
Cash & Cash Equivalents		688.4	
Net Debt (excluding OID & DFF)	\$	4,653.9	
Stockholders' Equity		1,288.5	
Total Capitalization	\$	6,532.5	
LTM Adjusted EBITDA			
CommScope	\$	853.3	
Acquisitions (1)		106.4	
Combined - no synergies	\$	959.7	
Net Leverage Ratio		4.8x	



Expect net leverage ratio in the low 4x by the end of 2016

<sup>(1)</sup> Includes pro forma adjusted EBITDA for BNS and Airvana for April 1, 2015 to the close of each acquisition

<sup>(2)</sup> Excludes mandatory prepayments of \$12.5 million annually for \$1.25 billion term loan due 2022

### Outlook<sup>(1)</sup>



## Q2 2016 Guidance

- Sales of \$1.275 billion \$1.325 billion
- Adjusted operating income of \$270 million \$290 million
- Adjusted earnings per diluted share of \$0.67 \$0.72, based on 196 million weighted average diluted shares, up 42% YOY at the midpoint
- Adjusted effective tax rate of 34% 35%

### Full Year 2016 Outlook

- Sales of \$4.95 billion 5.05 billion
- Adjusted operating income of \$990 million \$1.035 billion
- Adjusted earnings per diluted share of \$2.40 \$2.50, based on 196 million weighted average diluted shares and up 32% YOY at the midpoint
- Adjusted effective tax rate of 34% 35%
- Adjusted free cash flow of more than \$425 million

<sup>(1)</sup> Excludes impact of amortization of purchased intangibles, asset impairments, restructuring costs, transaction and integration costs, purchase accounting and other special items. Assumes relatively stable business conditions.

## **Appendix**



#### Non-GAAP Financial Measures

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#### Pro Forma Results

The unaudited pro forma amounts are presented as though the BNS acquisition had been completed as of January 1, 2015. This pro forma information has not been prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Accordingly, the pro forma financial information should not be relied upon as being indicative of the results that would have been realized.

## **Income Statements**



(Unaudited -- In thousands)

CommScope Holding Company, Inc.
Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations
(Unaudited -- In thousands, except per share amounts)

#### Three Months Ended

				reh 31,			
	_	2016		2015			
Net sales	\$	1,143,979	\$	825,400			
Operating costs and expenses:							
Cost of sales		696,888		532,196			
Selling, general and administrative		209,197		125,671			
Research and development		52,190		27,736			
Amortization of purchased intangible assets		73,616		44,786			
Restructuring costs, net		6,072		1,871			
Asset impairments		15,293		-			
Total operating costs and expenses		1,053,256		732,260			
Operating income		90,723		93,140			
Other income, net		301		2,627			
Interest expense		(72,562)		(36,329)			
Interest income		2,579		1,029			
Income before income taxes		21,041		60,467			
Income tax expense		(8,461)		(20,991)			
Net income	\$	12,580	\$	39,476			
Earnings per share:							
Basic	\$	0.07	\$	0.21			
Diluted (a)	\$	0.06	\$	0.20			
Bluted (a)	Ψ	0.00	Ψ	0.20			
Weighted average shares outstanding:							
Basic		191,642		188,480			
Diluted (a)		195,456		193,137			
(a) Calculation of diluted earnings per share:							
Net income (basic)	\$	12,580	\$	39,476			
Tot media (basic)	Φ	12,500	φ	32,710			
Weighted average shares (basic)		191,642		188,480			
Dilutive effect of stock options		3,814		4,657			
Denominator (diluted)		195,456		193,137			

## **Balance Sheets**



(Unaudited -- In thousands)

	Ŋ	March 31, 2016	De	cember 31, 2015
Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	688,368	\$	562,884
Accounts receivable, less allowance for doubtful accounts of				
\$18,525 and \$19,392, respectively		924,216		833,041
Inventories, net		464,462		441,815
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		149,925		166,900
Total current assets		2,226,971		2,004,640
Property, plant and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation				
of \$258,890 and \$243,806, respectively		519,931		528,706
Goodwill		2,719,300		2,690,636
Other intangible assets, net		2,077,368		2,147,483
Other noncurrent assets		129,337		131,166
Total assets	\$	7,672,907	\$	7,502,631
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity				
Accounts payable	\$	388,005	\$	300,829
Other accrued liabilities		397,657		371,743
Current portion of long-term debt		12,500		12,520
Total current liabilities		798,162		685,092
Long-term debt		5,231,513		5,231,131
Deferred income taxes		190,941		202,487
Pension and other postretirement benefit liabilities		40,334		37,102
Other noncurrent liabilities		123,503		124,099
Total liabilities		6,384,453		6,279,911
Commitments and contingencies				
Stockholders' equity:				
Preferred stock, \$.01 par value: Authorized shares:				
200,000,000; Issued and outstanding shares: None at March 31, 2016				
or December 31, 2015		_		_
Common stock, \$0.01 par value: Authorized shares:				
1,300,000,000; Issued and outstanding shares: 191,863,546 and		1.020		1.022
191,368,727 at March 31, 2016 and December 31, 2015, respectively		1,929		1,923
Additional paid-in capital Retained earnings (accumulated deficit)		2,227,241		2,216,202
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(799,814) (126,848)		(812,394)
Treasury stock, at cost: 1,094,031 shares and 986,222 shares		(120,848)		(171,678)
at March 31, 2016 and December 31, 2015, respectively		(14,054)		(11,333)
Total stockholders' equity	_	1,288,454		1,222,720
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Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	7,672,907	\$	7,502,631

## Statements of Cash Flows



(Unaudited -- In thousands)

### CommScope Holding Company, Inc. Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (Unaudited -- In thousands)

	Three Months Ended March 31,					
		2016		2015		
Operating Activities:						
Net income	\$	12,580	\$	39,476		
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash						
generated by operating activities:						
Depreciation and amortization		96,938		59,454		
Equity-based compensation		8,835		5,253		
Deferred income taxes		(10,440)		(13,623)		
Asset impairments		15,293		_		
Excess tax benefits from equity-based compensation		(1,381)		(10,414		
Changes in assets and liabilities:						
Accounts receivable		(58,760)		(95,317		
Inventories		(9,863)		5,792		
Prepaid expenses and other assets		(6,378)		(1,134		
Accounts payable and other liabilities		73,019		12,682		
Other		(1,751)		(929)		
Net cash generated by operating activities		118,092		1,240		
Investing Activities:						
Additions to property, plant and equipment		(14,472)		(8,213)		
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment		3,684		125		
Net purchase price adjustment		15,355		_		
Other		474		2,633		
Net cash generated by (used in) investing activities		5,041		(5,455		
Financing Activities:						
Long-term debt repaid		(3,146)		(2,199		
Proceeds from the issuance of common shares under						
equity-based compensation plans		1,490		11,999		
Excess tax benefits from equity-based compensation		1,381		10,414		
Tax withholding payments for vested equity-based						
compensation awards		(2,721)		_		
Net cash generated by (used in) financing activities		(2,996)		20,214		
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and						
cash equivalents		5,347		(10,178)		
Change in cash and cash equivalents		125,484		5,821		
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period		562,884		729,321		
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$	688,368	\$	735,142		

## **Quarter Segment Information**



(Unaudited -- In millions)

#### Sales by Segment (1)

							nange	ange		
	Q	1 2016	Q	4 2015	Q	1 2015	Sequent	ial	YOY	
Connectivity Solutions		687.0		671.5		329.1	2.3	%	108.8	%
Mobility Solutions		457.0		471.0		496.3	(3.0)	%	(7.9)	%
Total Net Sales	\$	1,144.0	\$	1,142.5	\$	825.4	0.1	%	38.6	%

#### Non-GAAP Adjusted Operating Income by Segment (1)

								ange		
	Q1	2016	Q4	2015	<b>Q</b> 1	1 2015	Sequent	ial	YOY	
Connectivity Solutions		134.8	•	117.4		58.4	14.8	%	130.8	%
Mobility Solutions		76.6		78.9		98.1	(2.9)	%	(21.9)	%
Total Non-GAAP Adjusted Operating Income	\$	211.4	\$	196.4	\$	156.5	7.6	%	35.1	%

Components may not sum to total due to rounding

See Description of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

<sup>(1)</sup> During the three months ended March 31, 2016, the Company began reporting in two operating segments: CommScope Connectivity Solutions (CCS) and CommScope Mobility Solutions (CMS). All prior period amounts have been restated to reflect these operating segment changes.

## Pro Forma Sales by Segment



(Unaudited -- In millions)

#### Pro Forma Sales by Segment (1)

	Q1 2015			2 2015	Q3 2015		
Connectivity Solutions	\$	717.6	\$	781.2	\$	750.4	
Mobility Solutions		532.7		557.0		496.9	
Total Pro Forma Net Sales	\$	1,250.3	\$	1,338.2	\$	1,247.3	

(1) See Description of Pro Forma Results

## Adjusted Net Income Reconciliation



(Unaudited - In millions)

CommScope Holding Company, Inc.

Reconciliation of GAAP Measures to Non-GAAP Adjusted Measures

(Unaudited -- In millions, except per share amounts)

Three Months Ended

	Three Months Ended					
	March 31,					
	:	2016	2	2015		
Operating income, as reported	\$	90.7	\$	93.1		
Adjustments:						
Amortization of purchased intangible assets		73.6		44.8		
Restructuring costs, net		6.1		1.9		
Equity-based compensation		8.8		5.3		
Asset impairments		15.3		-		
Transaction and integration costs		15.9		11.4		
Purchase accounting adjustments		1.0		_		
Total adjustments to operating income		120.7		63.4		
Non-GAAP adjusted operating income	\$	211.4	\$	156.5		
Income before income taxes, as reported	\$	21.0	\$	60.5		
Income tax expense, as reported		(8.5)		(21.0)		
Net income, as reported	\$	12.6	\$	39.5		
Adjustments:						
Total pretax adjustments to operating income		120.7		63.4		
Pretax amortization of deferred financing costs & OID <sup>(1)</sup>		3.7		3.1		
Pretax gains on sale of equity investment (2)		(0.4)		(2.4)		
Tax effects of adjustments and other tax items (3)		(42.2)		(22.2)		
Non-GAAP adjusted net income	\$	94.4	\$	81.4		
Diluted EPS, as reported	\$	0.06	\$	0.20		
Non-GAAP adjusted diluted EPS	\$	0.48	\$	0.42		

<sup>(1)</sup> Included in interest expense.

<sup>(2)</sup> Included in other income (expense), net.

<sup>(3)</sup> The tax rates applied to adjustments reflect the tax expense or benefit based on the tax jurisdiction of the entity generating the adjustment. There are certain items for which we expect little or no tax effect.

## Adjusted Operating Income Reconciliation by Quarter



(Unaudited -- In millions)

	Q	Q1 2016		Q4 2015		Q3 2015		Q2 2015		1 2015
Operating income (loss), as reported	\$	90.7	\$	21.6	\$	(42.5)	\$	109.4	\$	93.1
Amortization of purchased intangible assets		73.6		76.9		54.3		44.6		44.8
Restructuring costs, net		6.1		18.9		6.9		1.9		1.9
Equity-based compensation		8.8		7.6		5.7		10.1		5.3
Asset impairments		15.3		5.5		85.3		-		-
Transaction and integration costs		15.9		14.8		60.8		9.9		11.4
Purchase accounting adjustments		1.0		51.2		30.5				
Non-GAAP adjusted operating income	\$	211.4	\$	196.4	\$	201.0	\$	175.9	\$	156.5
Non-GAAP adjusted operating margin $\%$		18.5%		17.2%		20.7%		20.3%		19.0%
Depreciation		19.6		21.9		15.6		11.5		11.6
Non-GAAP adjusted EBITDA	\$	231.1	\$	218.2	\$	216.6	\$	187.4	\$	168.1

Components may not sum to total due to rounding

See Description of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

## Quarterly Adjusted Operating Income Reconciliation by Segment



(Unaudited -- In millions)

#### First Quarter 2016 Non-GAAP Adjusted Operating Income Reconciliation by Segment (1)

	Connectivity Solutions			Total		
Operating income, as reported	\$ 50.0	\$	40.7	\$	90.7	
Amortization of purchased intangible assets	48.2		25.4		73.6	
Restructuring costs, net	1.1		5.0		6.1	
Equity-based compensation	5.0		3.8		8.8	
Asset impairments	15.3		-		15.3	
Transaction and integration costs	14.1		1.8		15.9	
Purchase accounting adjustments	 1.0				1.0	
Non-GAAP adjusted operating income	\$ 134.8	\$	76.6	\$	211.4	
Non-GAAP adjusted operating margin %	19.6%		16.8%		18.5%	

#### Fourth Quarter 2015 Non-GAAP Adjusted Operating Income Reconciliation by Segment (1)

	Con: So	lobility	Total		
Operating income (loss), as reported	\$	(17.9)	\$ 39.5	\$	21.6
Amortization of purchased intangible assets		49.9	27.0		76.9
Restructuring costs, net		11.8	7.1		18.9
Equity-based compensation		5.7	1.9		7.6
Asset impairments		5.5	-		5.5
Transaction and integration costs		13.7	1.1		14.8
Purchase accounting adjustments		48.9	2.2		51.2
Non-GAAP adjusted operating income	\$	117.4	\$ 78.9	\$	196.4
Non-GAAP adjusted operating margin %		17.5%	16.8%		17.2%

#### First Quarter 2015 Non-GAAP Adjusted Operating Income Reconciliation by Segment (1)

	Connectivity Solutions		Mobility Solutions		Total	
Operating income, as reported	\$	28.7	\$	64.5	\$	93.1
Amortization of purchased intangible assets		21.7		23.1		44.8
Restructuring costs, net		0.1		1.8		1.9
Equity-based compensation		2.4		2.9		5.3
Transaction and integration costs		5.4		6.0		11.4
Non-GAAP adjusted operating income	\$	58.4	\$	98.1	\$	156.5
Non-GAAP adjusted operating margin %		17.7%		19.8%		19.0%

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## Adjusted Free Cash Flow Reconciliation



(Unaudited -- In millions)

	Q1 2016			Q1 2015	
Cash flow from operations	\$	118.1	\$	1.2	
Transaction and integration costs		15.7		6.6	
Capital expenditures		(14.5)		(8.2)	
Capex related to BNS integration		0.6		-	
Adjusted Free Cash Flow	\$	119.9	\$	(0.4)	