

carter's, inc.

Second Quarter 2015 Business Update

July 29, 2015

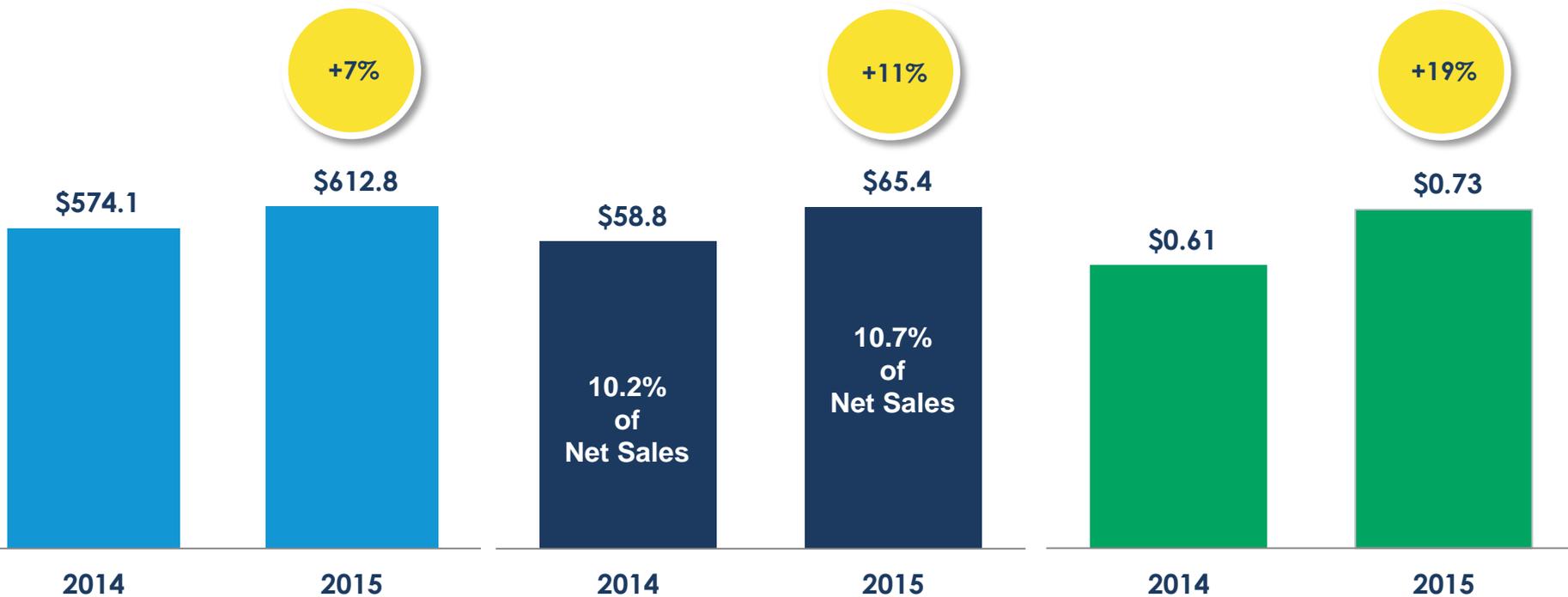


\$ in millions, except EPS

Net Sales

Adjusted Operating Income* (Adjusted Operating Margin)

Adjusted EPS*

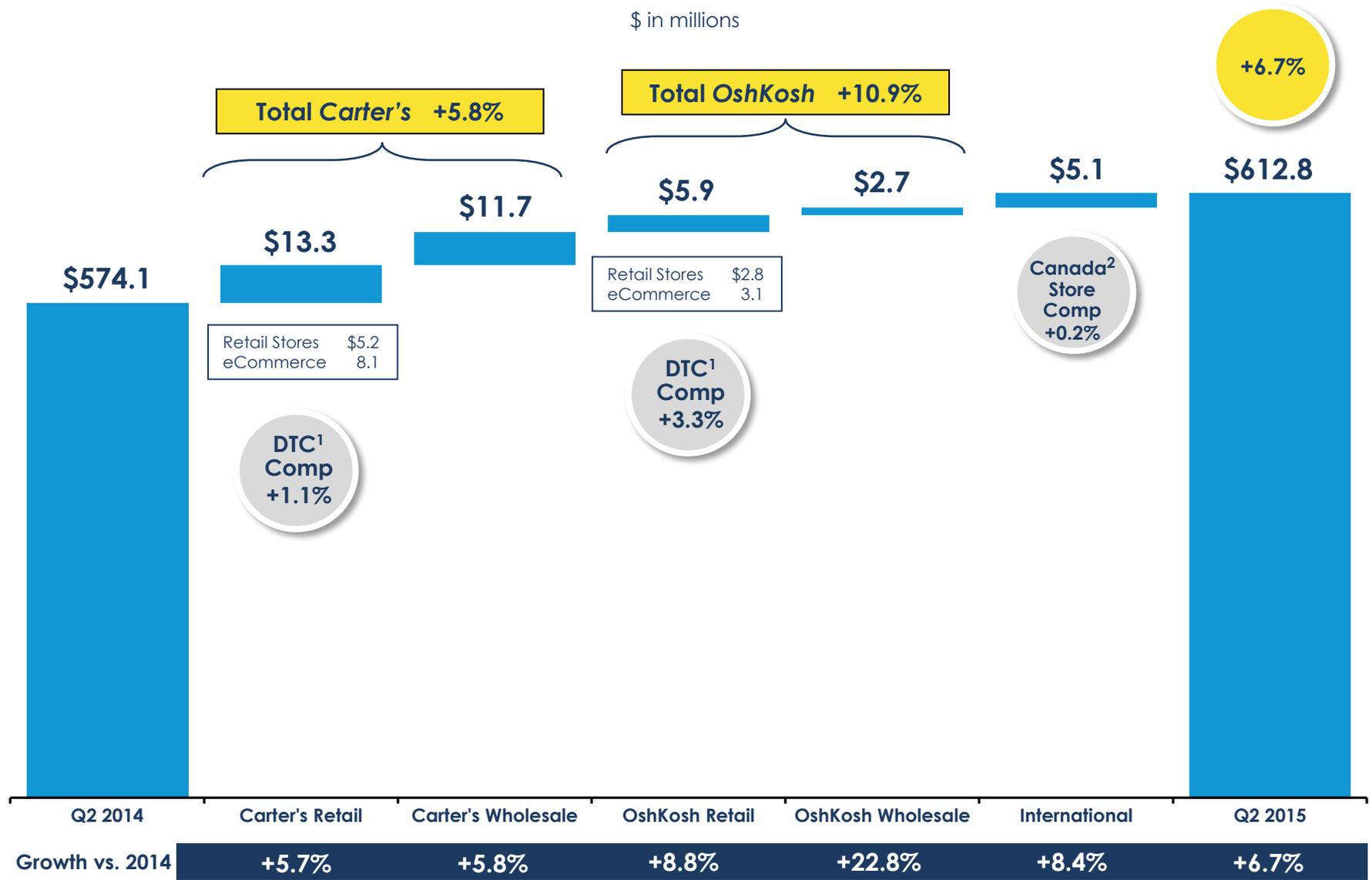


- **Net sales growth +7%**

- Constant currency growth +8% (\$5.6 million unfavorable FX impact)
- Achieved growth in all segments

- **Strong earnings performance reflecting solid sales growth and operating margin expansion**

Second Quarter 2015 Net Sales



¹Direct-to-Consumer ("DTC") Comp is defined as the combination of retail store and eCommerce comparable sales.
²Calculated in constant currency.
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Constant Currency +17.5% +7.7%

Total Net Sales / Comparable Sales – Affected By 52/53 Week Calendar Differences

DTC Net Sales vs. LY



- Fiscal 2014 contained 53 weeks; fiscal 2015 contains 52 weeks
- The weeks comprising each fiscal quarter in 2015 will be slightly different than in 2014 (see Q2 example above)

Q2 Total Net Sales (% vs. LY)

	<u>Carter's</u>	<u>OshKosh</u>
Retail Stores	2.7%	4.9%
eCommerce	21.0%	31.0%
Total DTC	<u>5.7%</u>	<u>8.8%</u>

DTC Comparable Sales vs. LY



- Comparable sales reporting compares fiscal 2015 second quarter to the same weeks a year ago
- The comparable sales period from 2014 differs slightly from the fiscal second quarter in 2014
- These period definition differences create variances in the growth rates reported for total net sales and comparable sales, most notably in our eCommerce businesses

Q2 Comparable Sales (% vs. LY)

	<u>Carter's</u>	<u>OshKosh</u>
Retail Stores	-4.0%	-2.6%
eCommerce	26.5%	36.2%
Total DTC	<u>1.1%</u>	<u>3.3%</u>

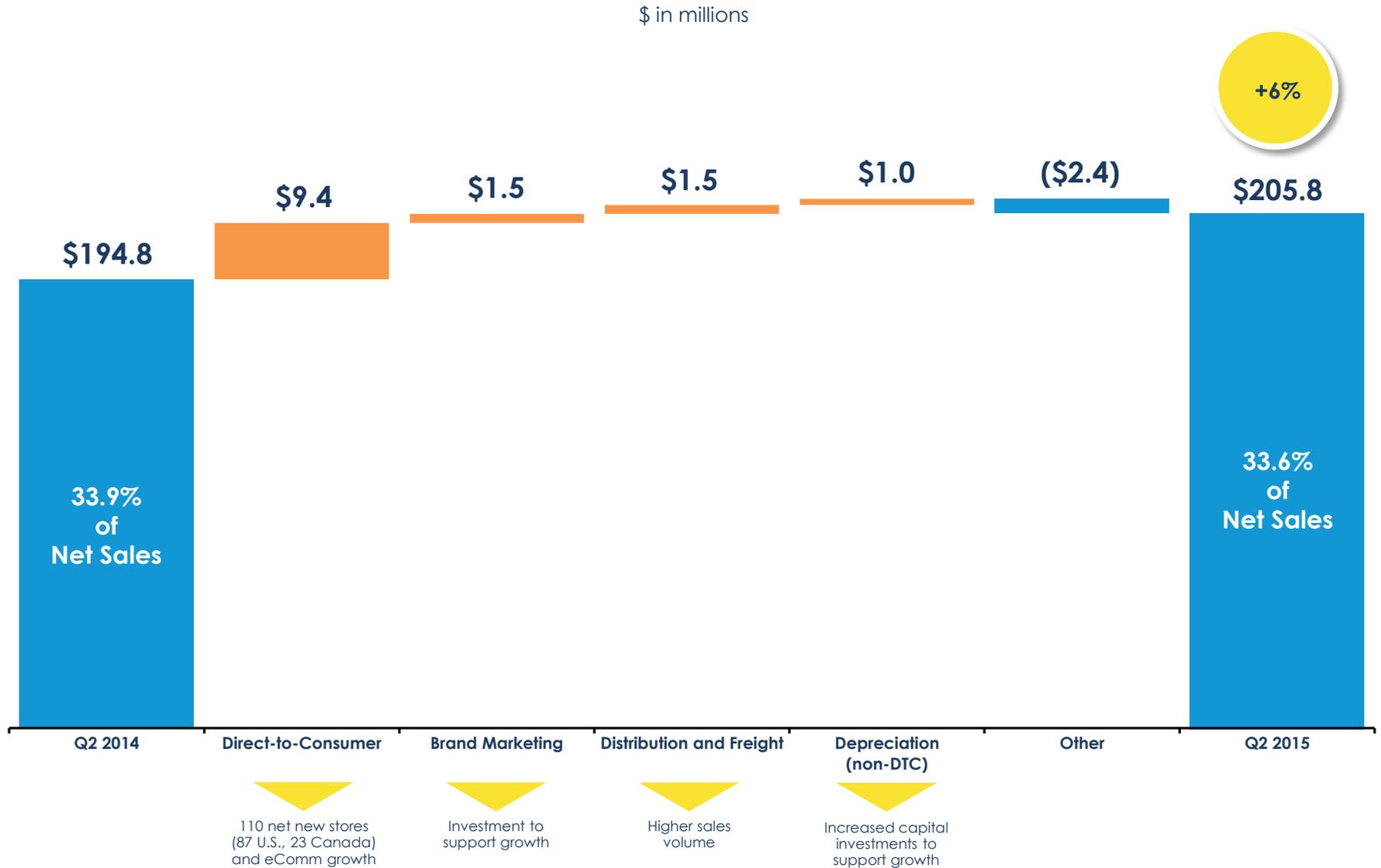
Second Quarter 2015 Adjusted Results*

\$ in millions, except EPS

	Q2 2015	% of Sales	Q2 2014	% of Sales	Increase / (Decrease)
Net sales	\$612.8		\$574.1		7%
Gross profit	262.9	42.9%	245.5	42.8%	7%
Adjusted SG&A*	205.8	33.6%	194.8	33.9%	6%
Royalty income	(8.4)	(1.4%)	(8.2)	(1.4%)	2%
Adjusted operating income*	65.4	10.7%	58.8	10.2%	11%
Interest and other, net	4.9	0.8%	6.6	1.1%	(26%)
Income taxes	21.7	3.5%	19.1	3.3%	14%
Adjusted net income*	\$38.8	6.3%	\$33.1	5.8%	17%
Adjusted diluted EPS*	\$0.73		\$0.61		19%
Weighted average shares outstanding	52.5		53.3		(1%)
Adjusted EBITDA*	\$82.8	13.5%	\$73.0	12.7%	13%

* Results are stated on an adjusted basis; see reconciliation to GAAP on pages 31 – 32, 35.
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Second Quarter 2015 Adjusted SG&A*



+6%

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First Half 2015 Adjusted Results*

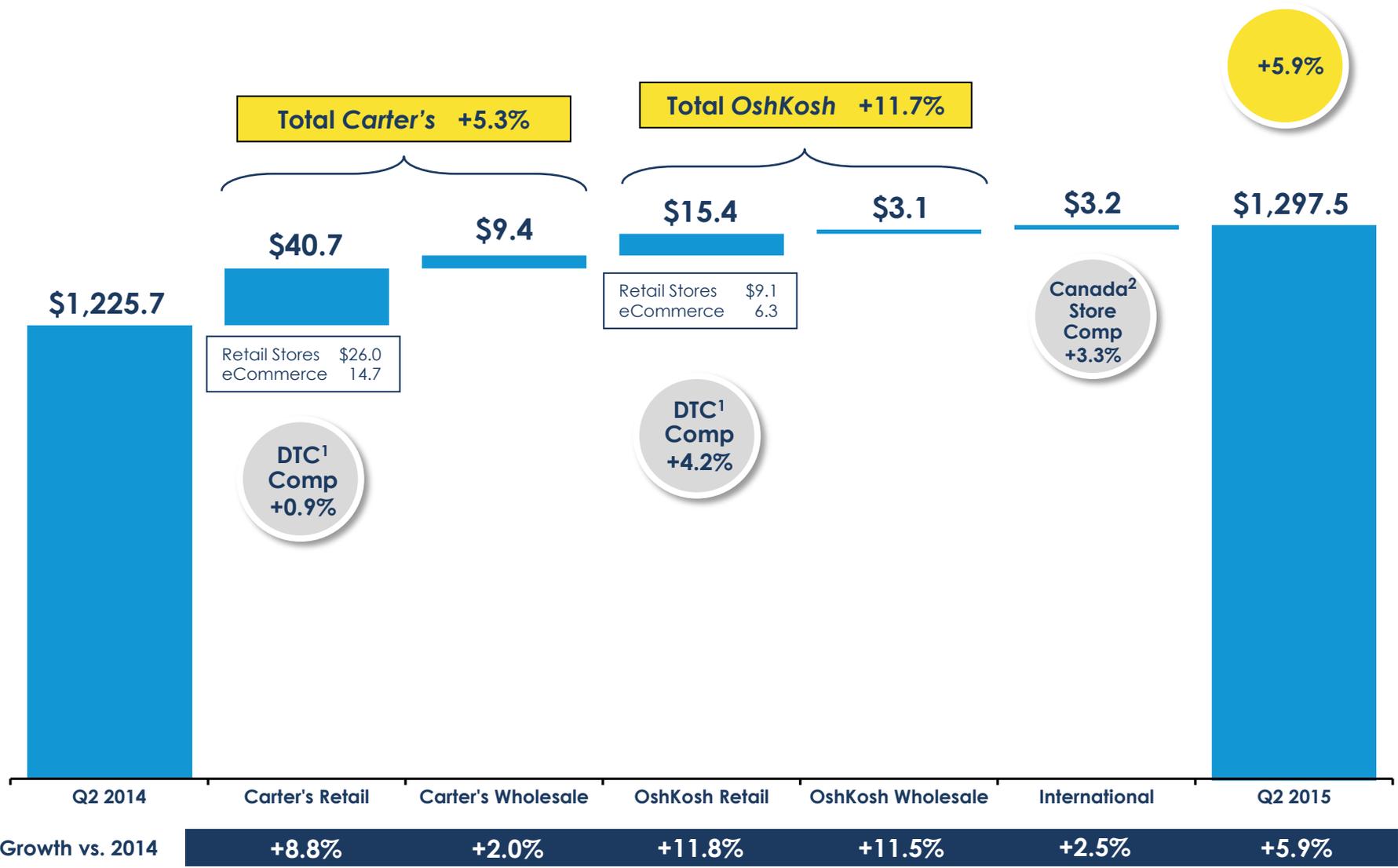
\$ in millions, except EPS

	H1 2015	% of Sales	H1 2014	% of Sales	Increase / (Decrease)
Net sales	\$1,297.5		\$1,225.7		6%
Gross profit	546.9	42.2%	506.2	41.3%	8%
Adjusted SG&A*	414.3	31.9%	395.4	32.3%	5%
Royalty income	(20.0)	(1.5%)	(18.1)	(1.5%)	11%
Adjusted operating income*	152.7	11.8%	128.9	10.5%	18%
Interest and other, net	13.4	1.0%	13.9	1.1%	(4%)
Income taxes	48.8	3.8%	42.0	3.4%	16%
Adjusted net income*	\$90.5	7.0%	\$73.0	6.0%	24%
Adjusted diluted EPS*	\$1.70		\$1.35		27%
Weighted average shares outstanding	52.6		53.5		(2%)
Adjusted EBITDA*	\$183.1	14.1%	\$157.3	12.8%	16%

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First Half 2015 Net Sales

\$ in millions



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Constant Currency +10.9% +6.8%

First Half 2015 Business Segment Performance

\$ in millions

	Net Sales			Adjusted Operating Income (Loss)*			Adjusted Operating Margin*	
	2015	2014	\$ Growth	2015	2014	\$ Growth	2015	2014
Carter's Wholesale (a)	\$481	\$472	\$9	\$98	\$78	\$20	20.4%	16.5%
Carter's Retail (b)	505	464	41	83	83	(0)	16.4%	17.9%
Total Carter's	986	936	50	181	161	20	18.4%	17.2%
OshKosh Wholesale	30	27	3	5	3	2	17.2%	10.6%
OshKosh Retail (b)	146	131	15	(3)	(6)	3	(1.9%)	(4.7%)
Total OshKosh	177	158	19	2	(3)	6	1.4%	(2.1%)
International (c)(d)	135	132	3	15	12	3	10.8%	9.1%
Total before corporate expenses	1,298	1,226	72	198	170	28	15.3%	13.8%
Corporate expenses (d)				(45)	(41)	(5)	(3.5%)	(3.3%)
Total (d)	\$1,298	\$1,226	\$72	\$153	\$129	\$24	11.8%	10.5%

(a) Includes U.S. wholesale sales of Carter's, Child of Mine, Just One You, and Precious Firsts.

(b) Includes U.S. retail stores and eCommerce results.

(c) Includes international retail, eCommerce and wholesale sales. Adjusted operating income includes international licensing income.

(d) See reconciliation of reported (GAAP) results to adjusted results.

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\$ in millions

Balance Sheet (at Q2 end)

	2015	2014
Cash	\$244	\$208
Accounts Receivable	157	134
Inventory	544	538
Accounts Payable	146	164
Long-Term Debt	586	586

Cash Flow (Q2 YTD)

	2015	2014
Operating Cash Flow	\$27	\$33
Capital Expenditures	(50)	(61)
Free Cash Flow	<u>(\$23)</u>	<u>(\$28)</u>

- **Strong liquidity**

- \$244 million cash on hand
- \$182 million revolver availability

- **Inventory +1% vs. LY; quality remains high**

- **\$35 million in share repurchase in Q2; \$49 million H1**

- Ending share count (-2%) vs. LY
- ~\$126 million remains under current \$300 million authorizations
- Open market purchases:

	2015	Shares	Average Price	Total
Q1		157,900	\$89.43	\$14,120,944
Q2		346,325	\$100.40	\$34,772,589
Q3 QTD		98,200	\$106.99	\$10,506,437
YTD		602,425	\$98.60	\$59,399,970

- **Dividend payment of \$12 million in Q2 (\$0.22/share); H1 total dividend payments of \$23 million**

- **Free cash flow¹ improved principally due to lower CapEx vs. LY**

¹ Non-GAAP measure
Note: Results may not be additive due to rounding.

Business Segment Performance



Second Quarter Business Segment Performance*

\$ in millions

	Net Sales			Adjusted Operating Income (Loss)*			Adjusted Operating Margin*	
	2015	2014	\$ Growth	2015	2014	\$ Growth	2015	2014
Carter's Wholesale (a)	\$212	\$200	\$12	\$40	\$31	\$9	19.0%	15.4%
Carter's Retail (b)	247	234	13	38	40	(2)	15.5%	17.2%
Total Carter's	459	434	25	79	71	7	17.1%	16.4%
OshKosh Wholesale	14	12	3	2	1	1	15.7%	7.4%
OshKosh Retail (b)	73	68	6	(2)	(2)	(0)	(2.5%)	(2.5%)
Total OshKosh	88	79	9	0	(1)	1	0.5%	(1.1%)
International (c)(d)	66	61	5	8	8	(0)	11.5%	13.1%
Total before corporate expenses	613	574	39	87	78	8	14.1%	13.6%
Corporate expenses (d)				(21)	(19)	(2)	(3.5%)	(3.4%)
Total (d)	\$613	\$574	\$39	\$65	\$59	\$7	10.7%	10.2%

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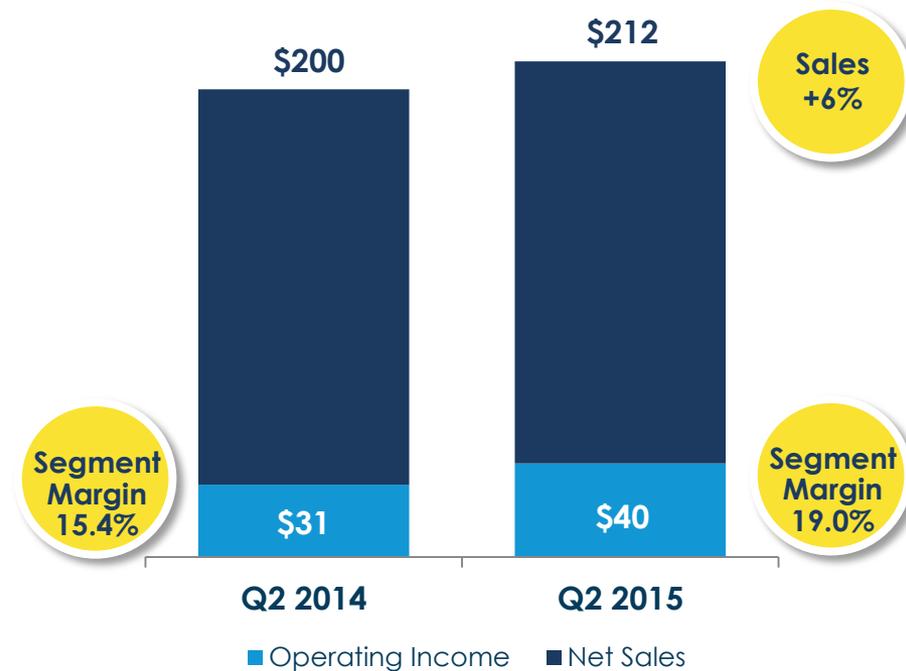
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\$ in millions
Segment Net Sales & Operating Income



- Net sales growth reflects strong product demand, a new playwear initiative, and fall product launches
- Spring 2015 season-to-date over-the-counter selling at top accounts up low-single digits with improved AURs vs. LY
- Segment operating margin increase reflects higher product margins, in part driven by lower off-price channel sales
- Fall 2015 bookings up mid-single digits
- 2015 full-year net sales outlook: modest growth vs. 2014 (YOY growth affected by 53rd week, Spring shipment timing)



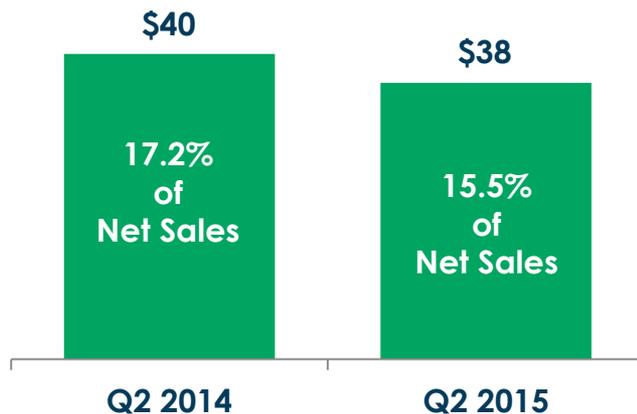


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Segment Net Sales



Segment Operating Income



Retail Stores

- Total sales +3%
 - Opened 13 new stores in Q2
- Comp sales (4.0%)
 - Comp reflects softer consumer traffic trends and earlier Easter (Q1 this year vs. Q2 last year)
 - Monthly comps improved sequentially during quarter
- Q2 ending store count: 562
 - 372 Brand (49 Side-by-Side)
 - 190 Outlet (25 Side-by-Side)

eCommerce

- Strong eCommerce growth, +21% (+26% comp)
- Q2 eCommerce sales 19% of retail segment sales (vs. 16% LY)

Segment Operating Income

- Segment operating margin reflects increased promotional activity, adverse impact of 52/53 week calendar shift, and retail store expense deleverage, partially offset by lower eCommerce fulfillment costs
- 52/53 week calendar shift relates to the unfavorable replacement of a high volume / margin Easter week in Q2 last year with a clearance week in Q2 this year

Note: Results may not be additive due to rounding.



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50%
OFF

plus, 25% off coupon on back

\$6 DOORBUSTER
MIX & MATCH
2 or more
(\$8 for 1)
TEES • PANTS • LEGGINGS • GRAPHIC BODYSUITS

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size **8**
GREAT!
(because growth spurts happen)

GRAPHIC BODYSUITS DOORBUSTER

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2 or more
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(\$8 for 1)

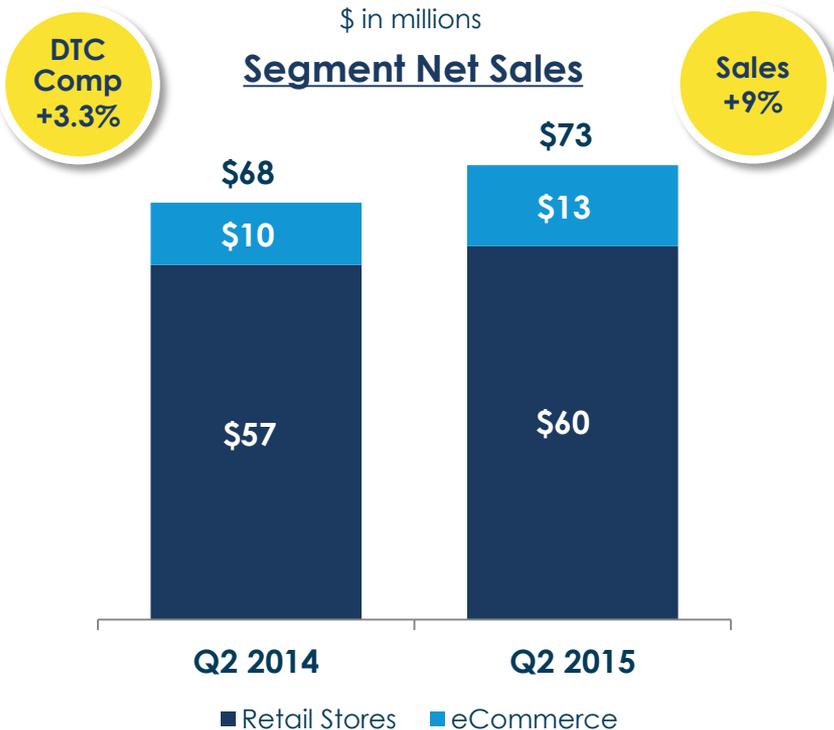


DOORBUSTER
2 OR MORE, \$6 EACH (\$8 FOR 1)
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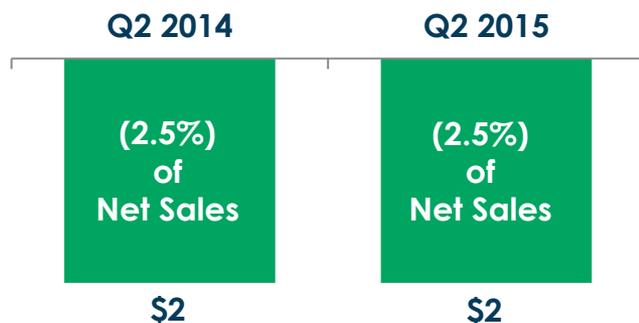


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Segment Operating Loss



Retail Stores

- Total sales +5%
 - Opened 15 new stores and closed 2 in Q2
 - All new stores in Side-by-Side format
- Comp sales (2.6%)
 - Comp reflects softer consumer traffic trends and earlier Easter (Q1 this year vs. Q2 last year)
 - Side-by-Side format stores comped positively
- Q2 ending store count: 221
 - 68 Brand (49 Side-by-Side)
 - 153 Outlet (25 Side-by-Side)

eCommerce

- Strong eCommerce growth, +31% (+36% comp)
- Q2 eCommerce sales 18% of retail segment sales (vs. 15% LY)

Segment Operating Loss

- Segment operating margin reflects increased promotional activity, adverse impact of 52/53 week calendar shift, and retail store expense deleverage, partially offset by lower eCommerce fulfillment costs
- 52/53 week calendar shift relates to the unfavorable replacement of a high volume / margin Easter week in Q2 last year with a clearance week in Q2 this year



BUTTON-FRONT SHIRTS
SALE \$15.60-18
6m-12, MSRP* \$26-30

POPLIN JOGGERS
SALE \$15.60-18
6m-12, MSRP* \$26-30

DON'T MISS THE BUS

The key is a layered look with our boy-friendly button-fronts.



MODERN HERITAGE

Flowers, lace and sparkle. Some things never change.



- TOPS**
SALE \$12-18
6m-12, MSRP* \$20-30
- SWEATERS & CARDIGANS***
SALE \$21.60-24
6m-12, MSRP* \$36-40
- JUMPERALLS**
SALE \$24
4-12, MSRP* \$40
- TOMBOY JEANS**
SALE \$20.40-22.80
6m-12, MSRP* \$34-38
- VOILÀ TEES**
SALE \$14.40
4-12, MSRP* \$24
- SUPER SKINNY TWILLS**
SALE \$18-20.40
6m-12, MSRP* \$30-34
- SCALLOPED EYELET SKIRTS***
SALE \$16.80-19.20
6m-12, MSRP* \$28-32
- BELTS**
SALE \$8.40
S, M, L, MSRP* \$14
- BRACELETS**
SALE \$8.75
30% off MSRP \$12.50
- SHOES***
SALE \$26.60-28
5-12, 13-3, 30% off MSRP* \$38-40

*AVAILABILITY VARIES BY STORE



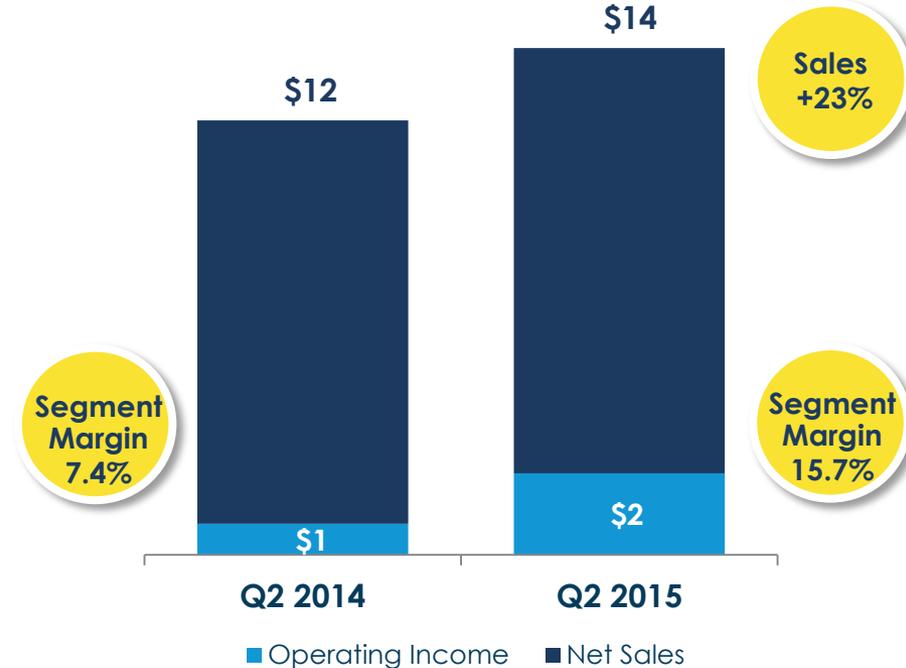






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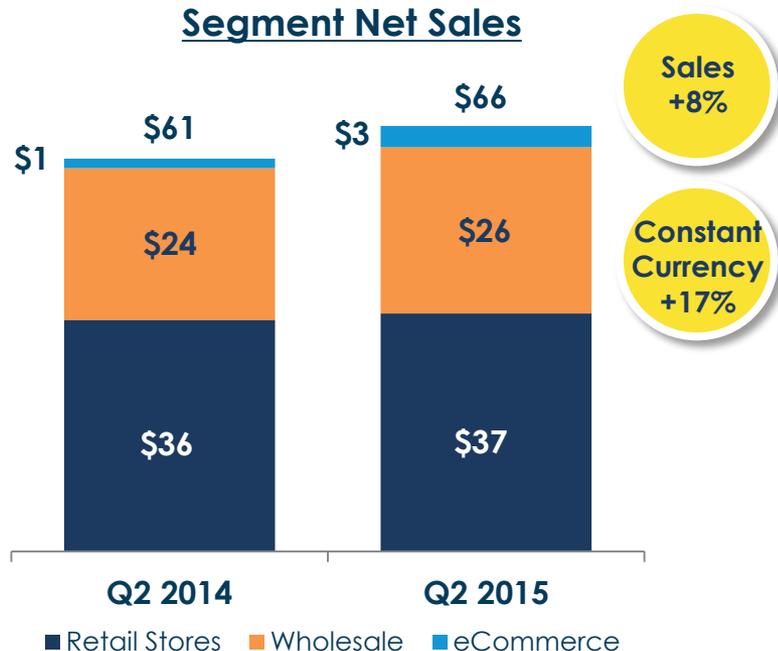
Segment Net Sales & Operating Income



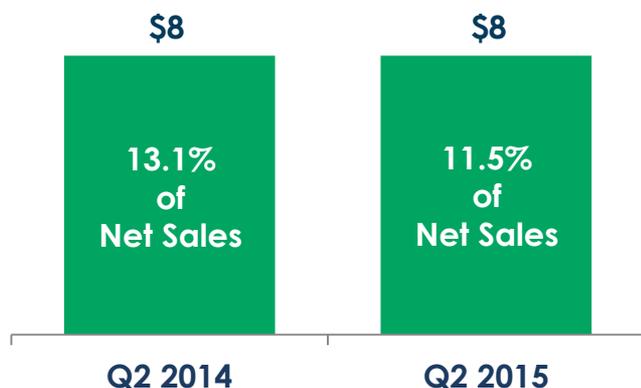
- Q2 sales growth reflects favorable timing of demand vs. LY
- Spring 2015 season-to-date over-the-counter selling at top accounts up high-single digits vs. LY with improved AURs
- Operating margin improvement reflects lower product costs, lower inventory provisions and lower off-price channel sales
- Fall 2015 bookings planned down low-single digits
- 2015 net sales planned down approximately 12%

\$ in millions

Segment Net Sales



Segment Operating Income*



Canada Retail Store Stores

- Net sales +3% (+16% constant currency)
- Store comp +0.2% (H1 comp +3.3%)
- Opened 6 new stores in Q2; new stores meeting expectations
- 133 stores at Q2 end

eCommerce

- Growth driven by Canada (site launched in Q3 2014); Canada eComm sales 5% of total Canada retail sales
- Launched eCommerce business in China

Wholesale

- Sales improvement reflects growth in international markets ex-Canada, partially offset by lost sales related to Target Canada bankruptcy in 2015

Segment Operating Margin

- Operating margin decline reflects unfavorable FX on cost of goods sold and China-related costs

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- Launched June 2015
- \$12 billion total market; ~\$2 billion eCommerce market (children ages 0-7)
- Initial product offering focused on Carter's brand in Baby and Toddler segments
- Marketing focused on digital channels (e.g., Tmall advertising, search, social media)





- Opened Q2 2015
- ~1,300 selling square feet
- Partner operates 11 stores in Saudi Arabia & 31 total stores in the Middle East
- Saudi Arabia represents ~\$2 billion market opportunity (children ages 0-7)



- Opened Q2 2015
- ~450 selling square feet
- Partner operates over 20 stores and 125 shop-in-shop locations in Indonesia
- Indonesia represents ~\$500 million market opportunity (children ages 0-7)

Fiscal Year 2015

- Net sales increase of approximately 5%
 - Unfavorable FX, 53rd week comparison & West Coast port delays are estimated to reduce expected growth by approximately three percentage points
- Adjusted EPS growth of approximately 12% to 15% (vs. \$3.93 LY)
 - Prior guidance: adjusted EPS growth of approximately 10% to 14%
- New retail stores:
 - Carter's ~65
 - OshKosh ~45
 - Canada ~23
- Operating Cash Flow approximately \$275 to \$300 million
- CapEx approximately \$130 million

Q3 2015

- Net sales growth of approximately 7%
- Adjusted EPS growth of approximately 10% to 15% (vs. \$1.27 LY)



thank you.



appendix



Second Quarter Reconciliation of Net Income Allocable to Common Shareholders

	Fiscal Quarter Ended	
	July 4, 2015	June 28, 2014
Weighted-average number of common and common equivalent shares outstanding:		
Basic number of common shares outstanding	52,020,386	52,836,070
Dilutive effect of equity awards	526,016	455,116
Diluted number of common and common equivalent shares outstanding	<u>52,546,402</u>	<u>53,291,186</u>

	Fiscal Quarter Ended			
	As reported on a GAAP Basis		As adjusted (a)	
	July 4, 2015	June 28, 2014	July 4, 2015	June 28, 2014
<i>\$ in thousands, except EPS</i>				
Basic net income per common share:				
Net income	\$ 36,105	\$ 25,897	\$ 38,805	\$ 33,120
Income allocated to participating securities	(305)	(345)	(329)	(443)
Net income available to common shareholders	<u>\$ 35,800</u>	<u>\$ 25,552</u>	<u>\$ 38,476</u>	<u>\$ 32,677</u>
Basic net income per common share	\$0.69	\$0.48	\$0.74	\$0.62
Diluted net income per common share:				
Net income	\$ 36,105	\$ 25,897	\$38,805	\$33,120
Income allocated to participating securities	(303)	(343)	(326)	(441)
Net income available to common shareholders	<u>\$ 35,802</u>	<u>\$ 25,554</u>	<u>\$ 38,479</u>	<u>\$ 32,680</u>
Diluted net income per common share	\$0.68	\$0.48	\$0.73	\$0.61

(a) In addition to the results provided in this earnings release in accordance with GAAP, the Company has provided adjusted, non-GAAP financial measurements that present the information above excluding \$2.7 million and \$7.2 million in after-tax expenses from these results for the fiscal quarters ended July 4, 2015 and June 28, 2014, respectively.

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Second Quarter Reconciliation of Reported to Adjusted Earnings

\$ in millions, except EPS

Second Quarter of Fiscal 2015									Segment Reporting			
	Gross Margin	% of sales	SG&A	% of sales	Operating Income	% of sales	Net Income	Diluted EPS	International Operating Income	% of segment net sales	Corporate Operating Expenses	% of total net sales
As reported (GAAP)	\$262.9	42.9%	\$209.3	34.2%	\$62.0	10.1%	\$36.1	\$0.68	\$6.2	9.4%	(\$23.3)	(3.8%)
Amortization of acquired tradenames (a)	-		(2.1)		2.1		1.3	0.02	-		2.1	
Revaluation of contingent consideration (b)	-		(1.4)		1.4		1.4	0.03	1.4		-	
	-		(3.5)		3.5		2.7	0.05	1.4		2.1	
As adjusted	\$262.9	42.9%	\$205.8	33.6%	\$65.4	10.7%	\$38.8	\$0.73	\$7.6	11.5%	(\$21.2)	(3.5%)

Second Quarter of Fiscal 2014									Segment Reporting			
	Gross Margin	% of sales	SG&A	% of sales	Operating Income	% of sales	Net Income	Diluted EPS	International Operating Income	% of segment net sales	Corporate Operating Expenses	% of total net sales
As reported (GAAP)	\$245.5	42.8%	\$206.3	35.9%	\$47.3	8.2%	\$25.9	\$0.48	\$7.1	11.6%	(\$30.0)	(5.2%)
Amortization of acquired tradenames (a)	-		(5.6)		5.6		3.5	0.07	-		5.6	
Office consolidation costs (c)	-		(4.6)		4.6		2.9	0.05	-		4.6	
Closure of distribution facility in Hogansville, GA	-		(0.3)		0.3		0.2	-	-		0.3	
Japan retail operations exit	-		(0.9)		0.9		0.6	0.01	0.9		-	
	-		(11.5)		11.5		7.2	0.13	0.9		10.6	
As adjusted	\$245.5	42.8%	\$194.8	33.9%	\$58.8	10.2%	\$33.1	\$0.61	\$8.0	13.1%	(\$19.4)	(3.4%)

(a) Amortization of H.W. Carter and Sons tradenames acquired in 2013.

(b) Revaluation of contingent consideration liability associated with the Company's acquisition of Bonnie Togs in 2011.

(c) Costs associated with the office consolidation including severance, relocation, accelerated depreciation, and other charges.

First Half 2015 Reconciliation of Net Income Allocable to Common Shareholders

	First Half Ended	
	July 4, 2015	June 28, 2014
Weighted-average number of common and common equivalent shares outstanding:		
Basic number of common shares outstanding	52,069,800	53,004,264
Dilutive effect of equity awards	514,121	478,426
Diluted number of common and common equivalent shares outstanding	<u>52,583,921</u>	<u>53,482,690</u>

	First Half Ended			
	As reported on a GAAP Basis		As adjusted (a)	
	July 4, 2015	June 28, 2014	July 4, 2015	June 28, 2014
<i>\$ in thousands, except EPS</i>				
Basic net income per common share:				
Net income	\$ 85,897	\$ 60,193	\$ 90,518	\$ 72,986
Income allocated to participating securities	(846)	(813)	(893)	(990)
Net income available to common shareholders	<u>\$ 85,050</u>	<u>\$ 59,381</u>	<u>\$ 89,625</u>	<u>\$ 71,997</u>
Basic net income per common share	1.63	1.12	1.72	1.36
Diluted net income per common share:				
Net income	\$ 85,897	\$ 60,193	\$ 90,518	\$ 72,986
Income allocated to participating securities	(840)	(808)	(886)	(983)
Net income available to common shareholders	<u>\$ 85,057</u>	<u>\$ 59,386</u>	<u>\$ 89,632</u>	<u>\$ 72,003</u>
Diluted net income per common share	\$1.62	\$1.11	\$1.70	\$1.35

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First Half 2015 Reconciliation of Reported to Adjusted Earnings

\$ in millions, except EPS

First Half of Fiscal 2015	Gross Margin	% of sales	SG&A	% of sales	Operating Income	% of sales	Net Income	Diluted EPS	Segment Reporting			
									International Operating Income	% of segment net sales	Corporate Operating Expenses	% of total net sales
As reported (GAAP)	\$546.9	42.2%	\$420.5	32.4%	\$146.5	11.3%	\$85.9	\$1.62	\$12.7	9.4%	(\$49.7)	(3.8%)
Amortization of acquired tradenames (a)	-		(4.3)		4.3		2.7	0.05	-		4.3	
Revaluation of contingent consideration (b)	-		(1.9)		1.9		1.9	0.04	1.9		-	
	-		(6.2)		6.2		4.6	0.09	1.9		4.3	
As adjusted	\$546.9	42.2%	\$414.3	31.9%	\$152.7	11.8%	\$90.5	\$1.70	\$14.6	10.8%	(45.4)	(3.5%)

First Half of Fiscal 2014	Gross Margin	% of sales	SG&A	% of sales	Operating Income	% of sales	Net Income	Diluted EPS	Segment Reporting			
									International Operating Income	% of segment net sales	Corporate Operating Expenses	% of total net sales
As reported (GAAP)	\$507.2	41.4%	\$416.4	34.0%	\$108.9	8.9%	\$60.2	\$1.11	\$11.1	8.5%	(\$59.9)	(4.9%)
Office consolidation costs (c)	-		(6.6)		6.6		4.2	0.08	-		6.6	
Amortization of acquired tradenames (a)	-		(11.9)		11.9		7.5	0.14	-		11.9	
Revaluation of contingent consideration (b)	-		(0.5)		0.5		0.5	0.01	0.5		-	
Japan retail operations exit	(1.0)		(1.5)		0.5		0.3	0.01	0.5		-	
Closure of distribution facility in Hogansville, GA	-		(0.6)		0.6		0.4	0.01	-		0.6	
	(1.0)		(21.0)		20.0		12.8	0.24	0.9		19.1	
As adjusted	\$506.2	41.3%	\$395.4	32.3%	\$128.9	10.5%	\$73.0	\$1.35	\$12.0	9.1%	(40.7)	(3.3%)

(a) Amortization of H.W. Carter and Sons tradenames acquired in 2013.

(b) Revaluation of contingent consideration liability associated with the Company's acquisition of Bonnie Togs in 2011.

(c) Costs associated with the office consolidation including severance, relocation, accelerated depreciation, and other charges.

Reconciliation of Net Income to Adjusted EBITDA

\$ in millions

	Second Quarter Ended		First Half Ended		Four Fiscal
					Quarters
	July 4, 2015	June 28, 2014	July 4, 2015	June 28, 2014	Ended July 4, 2015
Net income	\$36.1	\$25.9	\$85.9	\$60.2	\$220.4
Interest expense	6.9	6.9	13.6	13.8	27.5
Interest income	(0.2)	(0.1)	(0.3)	(0.3)	(0.4)
Tax expense	21.0	14.9	47.2	34.8	120.6
Depreciation and amortization (a)	17.6	20.0	34.8	41.6	68.1
EBITDA	\$81.4	\$67.5	\$181.2	\$150.0	\$436.2
Adjustments to EBITDA					
Office consolidation costs (b)(c)	\$ -	\$4.6	\$ -	\$6.5	\$ -
Revaluation of contingent consideration (d)	1.4	-	1.9	0.5	2.8
Closure of distribution facility in Hogansville, GA (c)	-	0.3	-	0.6	0.3
Japan retail operations exit (c)	-	0.6	-	(0.4)	0.1
Adjusted EBITDA	\$82.8	\$73.0	\$183.1	\$157.3	\$439.4

(a) Includes amortization of acquired tradenames.

(b) Costs associated with office consolidation including severance, relocation, and other charges.

(c) Amounts exclude costs related to accelerated depreciation as such amounts are included in the total of depreciation and amortization above.

(d) Revaluation of contingent consideration liability associated with the Company's 2011 acquisition of Bonnie Togs.

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