



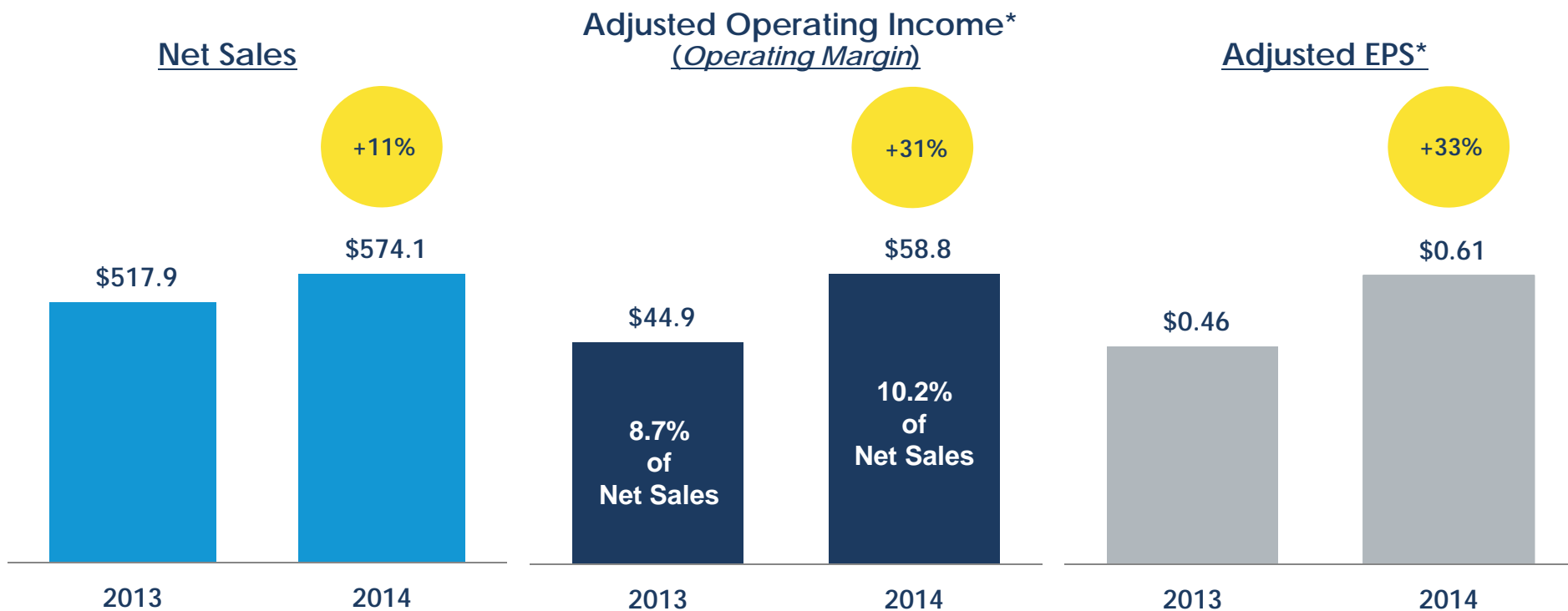
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Second Quarter 2014
Business Update

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July 24, 2014

Second Quarter 2014 Highlights*

\$ in millions, except EPS

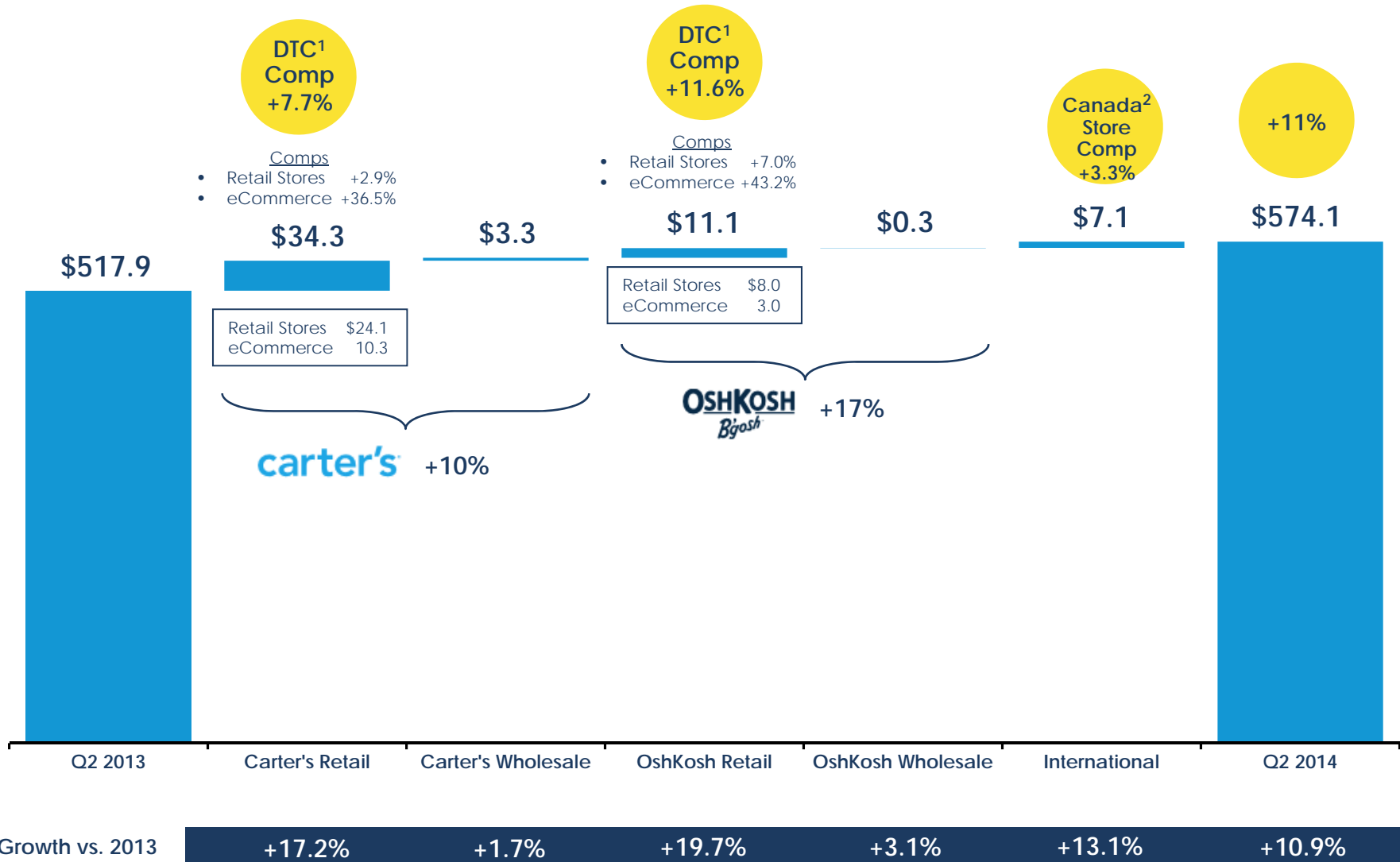


- Strong sales growth (+11%) with growth in all segments
 - U.S. +11%
 - Carter's +10%
 - OshKosh +17%
 - International +13% (constant currency +18%)
- Earnings growth vs. LY driven by strong sales and expense leverage

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Second Quarter 2014 Net Sales

\$ in millions



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Second Quarter 2014 Adjusted Results*

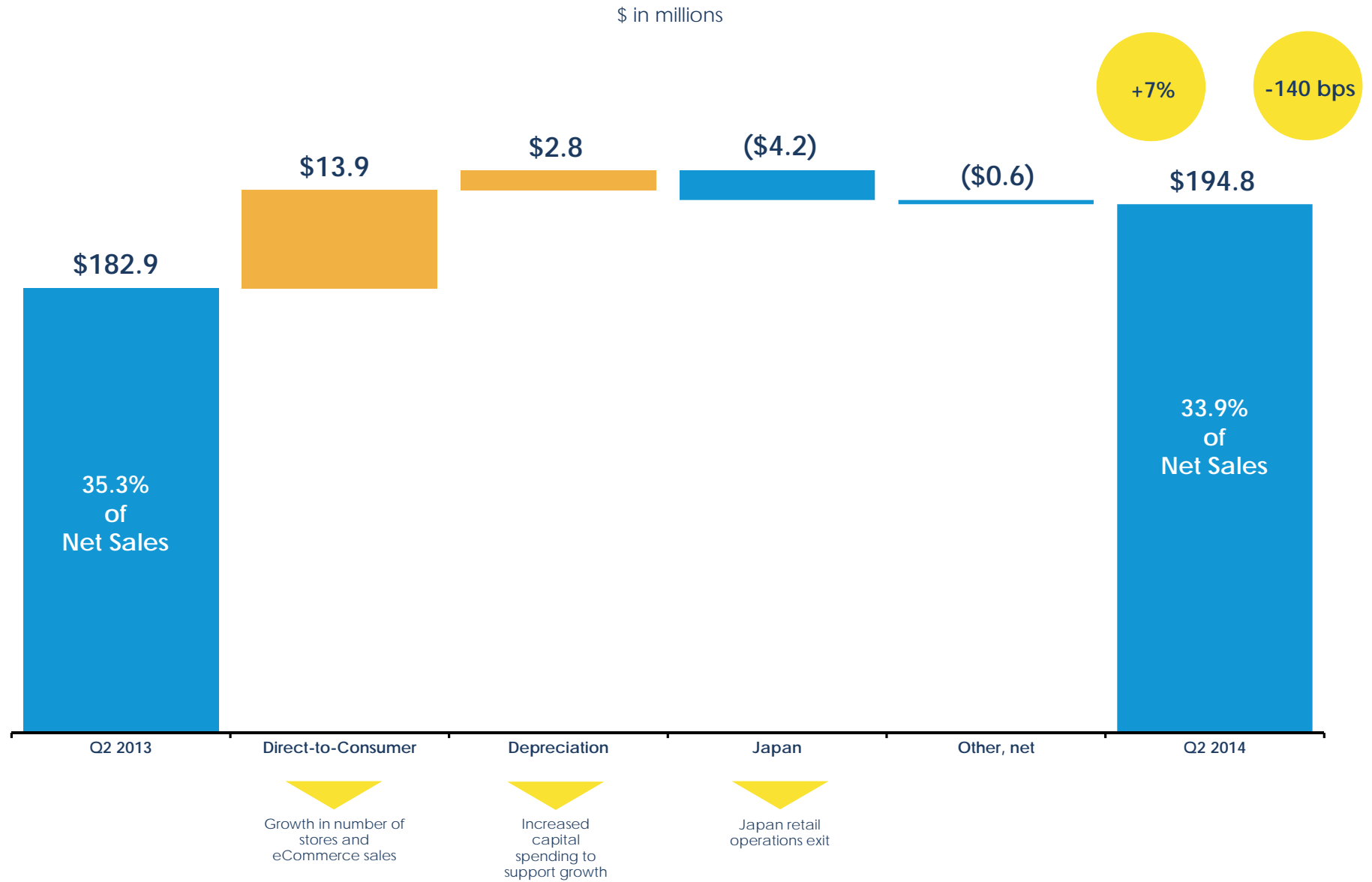


\$ in millions, except EPS

	<u>Q2 2014</u>	<u>% of Sales</u>	<u>Q2 2013</u>	<u>% of Sales</u>	<u>Increase / (Decrease)</u>
Net sales	\$574.1		\$517.9		11%
Gross profit	245.5	42.8%	220.2	42.5%	11%
Adjusted SG&A*	194.8	33.9%	182.9	35.3%	7%
Royalty income	(8.2)	(1.4%)	(7.5)	(1.4%)	9%
Adjusted operating income*	58.8	10.2%	44.9	8.7%	31%
Interest and other, net	6.6	1.1%	1.6	0.3%	312%
Income taxes	19.1	3.3%	15.6	3.0%	23%
Adjusted net income*	<u>\$33.1</u>	5.8%	<u>\$27.7</u>	5.3%	20%
Adjusted diluted EPS*	<u>\$0.61</u>		<u>\$0.46</u>		33%
Weighted average shares outstanding	53.3		59.2		(10%)
Adjusted EBITDA*	\$73.0	12.7%	\$55.5	10.7%	32%

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Second Quarter 2014 Adjusted SG&A*



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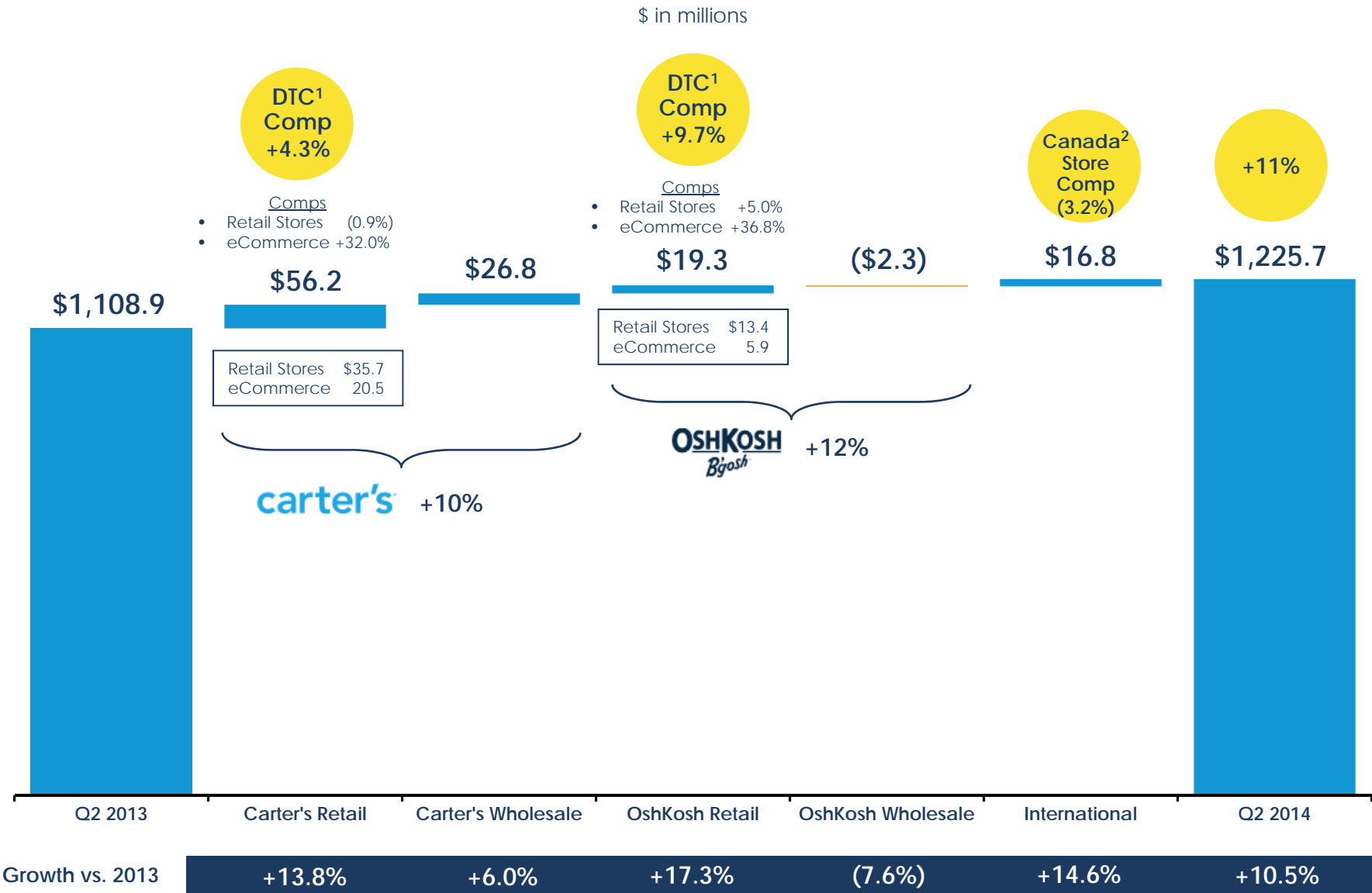
First Half 2014 Adjusted Results*

\$ in millions, except EPS

	First Two Quarters 2014	% of Sales	First Two Quarters 2013	% of Sales	Increase / (Decrease)
Net sales	\$1,225.7		\$1,108.9		11%
Gross profit	506.2	41.3%	463.3	41.8%	9%
Adjusted SG&A*	395.4	32.3%	358.8	32.4%	10%
Royalty income	(18.1)	(1.5%)	(16.7)	(1.5%)	8%
Adjusted operating income*	128.9	10.5%	121.3	10.9%	6%
Interest and other, net	13.9	1.1%	3.3	0.3%	326%
Income taxes	42.0	3.4%	42.6	3.8%	(1%)
Adjusted net income*	\$73.0	6.0%	\$75.4	6.8%	(3%)
Adjusted diluted EPS*	\$1.35		\$1.26		7%
Weighted average shares outstanding	53.5		59.2		(10%)
Adjusted EBITDA*	\$157.3	12.8%	\$142.3	12.8%	11%

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First Half 2014 Net Sales



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Balance Sheet and Cash Flow

\$ in millions

Balance Sheet (at Q2 end)

	2014	2013
Cash	\$207.9	\$312.1
Accounts Receivable	133.9	133.3
Inventory	538.2	429.2
Accounts Payable	164.2	199.6
Long-term debt	586.0	186.0

Cash Flow (Q2 YTD)

	2014	2013
Operating Cash Flow	\$33.1	\$69.8
Capital Expenditures	(61.3)	(70.6)
Free Cash Flow	(\$28.2)	(\$0.8)

- **Strong liquidity**

- \$208 million cash on hand
- \$181 million revolver availability

- **Inventory increase of +25% reflects business growth, supply chain initiatives, and higher product costs**

- Units +17% vs. Q2 2013
- \$35 million of inventory increase driven by early receipts to mitigate potential West Coast port strike
- Inventory increase consistent with our prior forecast

- **Significant share repurchase in quarter (\$34 million)**

- Ending share count -10% vs. LY
- \$216 million remains under current \$300 million authorization
- Open market purchases:¹

- **Dividend payment of \$10 million in Q2 (\$0.19/share)**

- \$20 million cash dividends paid YTD

2014	Shares	Average Price	Total
Q2	477,551	\$72.10	\$34,431,415
First Half	499,151	\$72.28	36,079,843
Q3 QTD	212,448	\$69.15	14,691,197
YTD	711,599	\$71.35	\$50,771,041

- **Operating cash flow \$37 million lower vs. LY reflecting increased inventory commitments, higher products costs, and timing of inventory purchases / payments**

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¹ Through 7/23/14

Business Segment
Performance



Second Quarter 2014 Business Segment Performance



\$ in millions

	Net Sales			Adjusted Operating Income (Loss)*			Adjusted Operating Margin*	
	2014	2013	\$ Growth	2014	2013	\$ Growth	2014	2013
Carter's Wholesale (a)	\$200	\$197	\$3	\$31	\$32	(\$1)	15.4%	16.1%
Carter's Retail (b)	234	199	34	40	33	7	17.2%	16.7%
Total Carter's	\$434	\$396	\$38	\$71	\$65	\$6	16.4%	16.4%
OshKosh Wholesale	\$12	\$11	\$0	\$1	\$1	\$0	7.4%	7.5%
OshKosh Retail (b)	68	56	11	(2)	(6)	5	(2.5%)	(11.3%)
Total OshKosh	\$79	\$68	\$11	(\$1)	(\$6)	\$5	(1.1%)	(8.1%)
International (c)(d)	\$61	\$54	\$7	\$8	\$8	\$0	13.1%	14.2%
Total before corporate expenses	\$574	\$518	\$56	\$78	\$67	\$11	13.6%	13.0%
Corporate expenses (d)				(\$19)	(\$22)	\$3	(3.4%)	(4.3%)
Total (d)	\$574	\$518	\$56	\$59	\$45	\$14	10.2%	8.7%

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

(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.

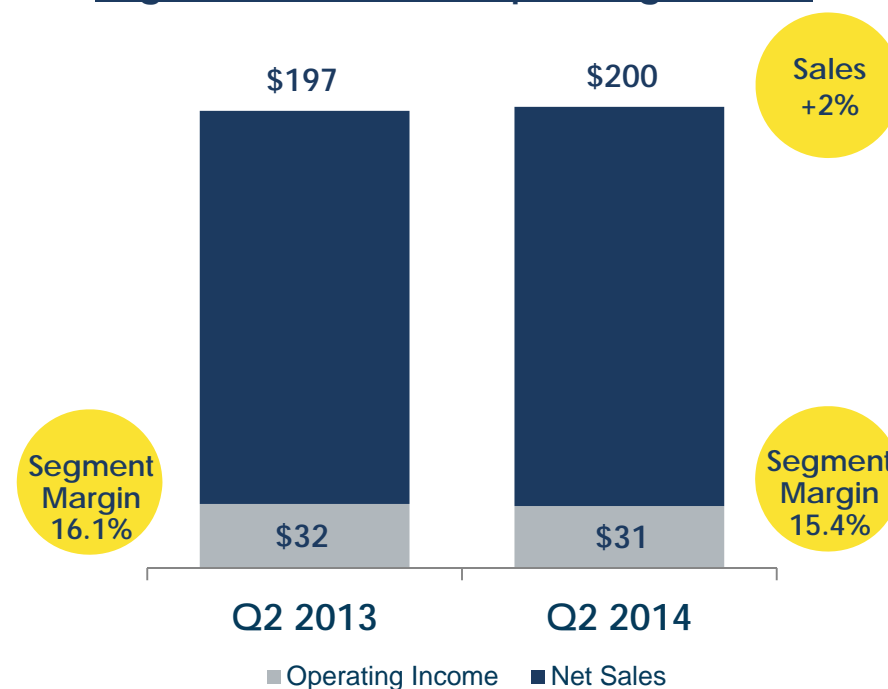
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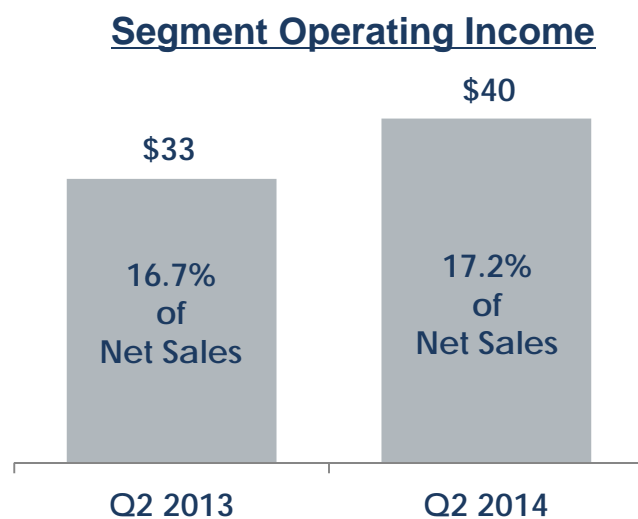
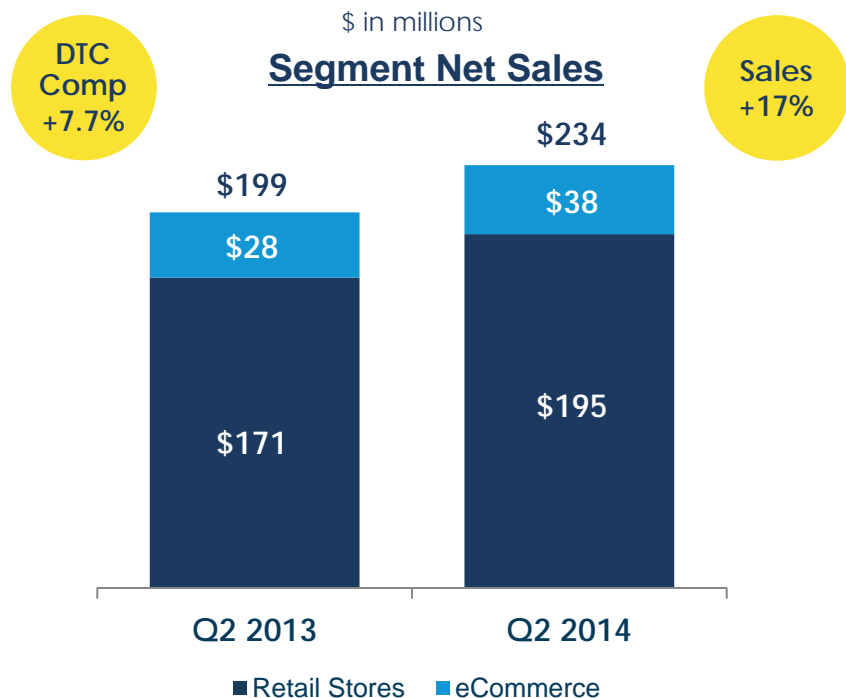
Segment Net Sales & Operating Income



- Net sales largely in line with our forecast
- Segment margin reflects impact of higher product costs
- Spring 2014 over-the-counter selling at top accounts up modestly with improved AURs
- 2014 full-year net sales outlook: low single-digit growth
- Spring 2015 seasonal bookings planned comparable to 2014

Kohl's – Carter's Baby Shop (Grafton, WI)





Retail Stores

- Comp sales +2.9% vs. +3.9% LY
 - Comp reflects higher transaction counts and improved AUR
 - All regions comped positive except Southeast
 - Boys Playwear, Baby, and Swimwear drove comp improvement
- Opened 20 new stores and closed 2 in Q2
- Q2 ending store count: 509
 - 303 Brand
 - 172 Outlet
 - 34 Side-by-Side¹

eCommerce

- Continued strong growth, +36%
- Q2 net sales 16% of retail segment sales (vs. 14% LY)

Segment Operating Income

- Segment margin reflects increased eCommerce contribution and comp store expense leverage, partially offset by the impact of new store openings

¹ Comprised of 20 Brand stores and 14 Outlet stores
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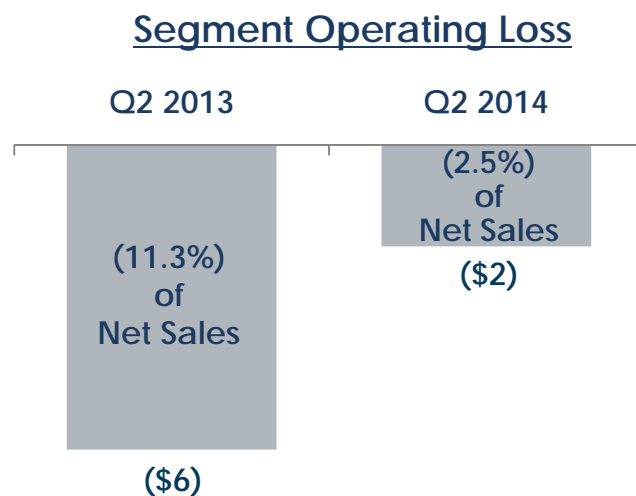
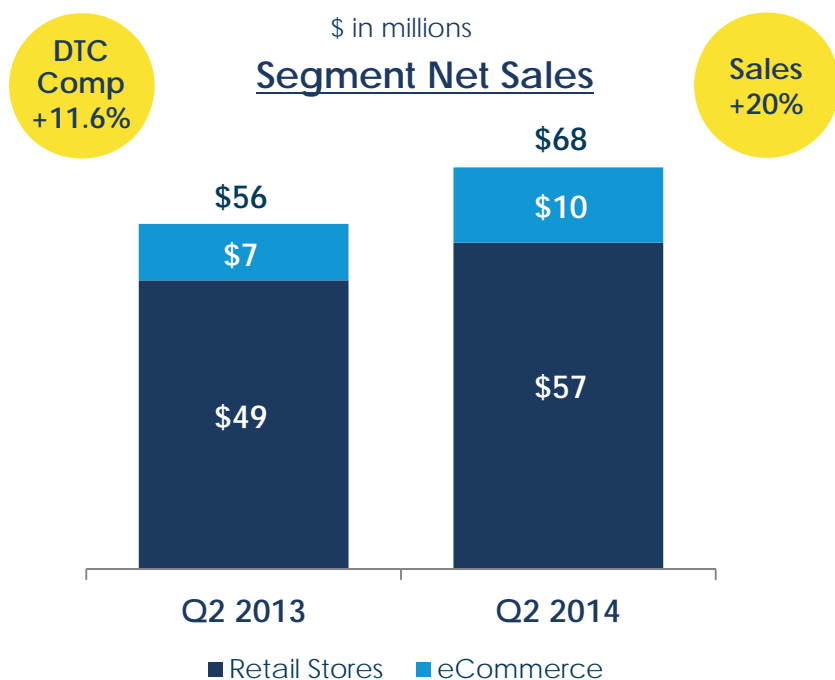
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Jackson Heights, NY





Retail Stores

- Comp sales +7.0% vs. (5.1%) LY
 - Strong comp performance driven by average transaction value increase with improved AUR
 - All regions comped positive
 - All products categories comped positive led by Girls Playwear and Accessories
 - Positive comps for all store types
- Opened 4 new stores and closed 3 in Q2
 - All new stores in Side-by-Side format
- Q2 ending store count: 187
 - 19 Brand
 - 134 Outlet
 - 34 Side-by-Side¹

eCommerce

- Continued strong growth, +43%
- Q2 net sales 15% of retail segment sales (vs. 13% LY)

Segment Operating Loss

- Segment margin improvement reflects strong product performance and expense leverage

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Atlanta, GA



Plymouth, MN

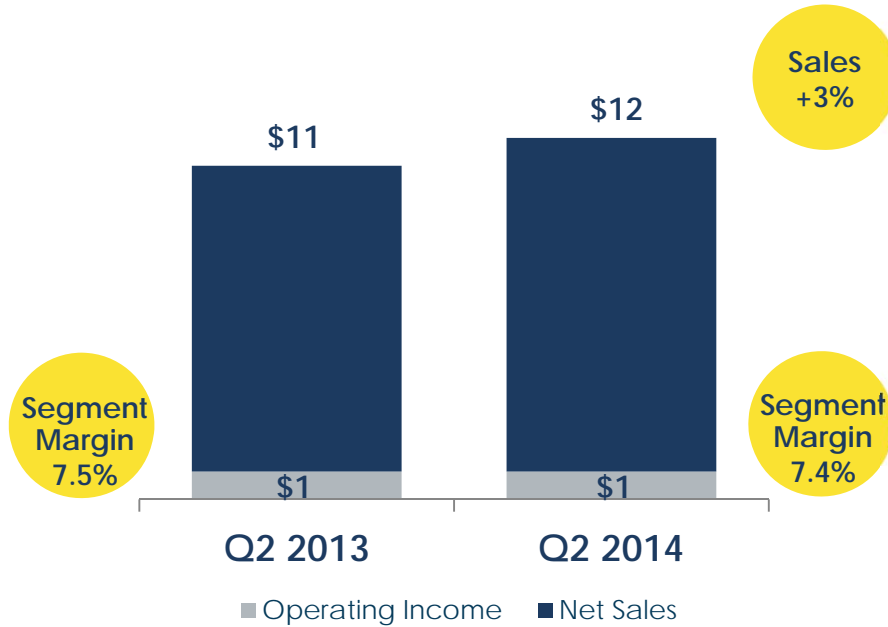
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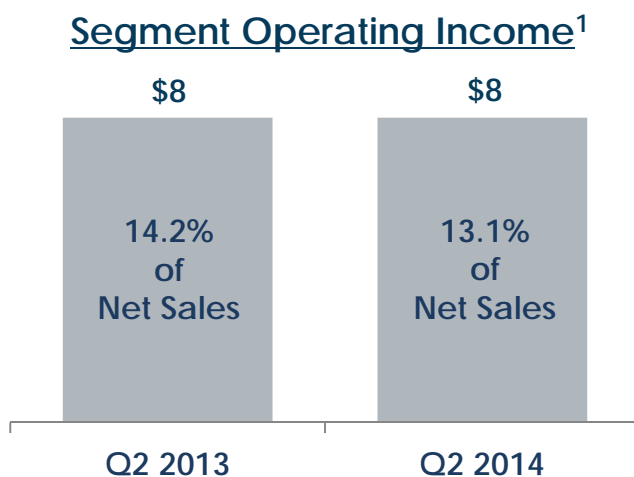
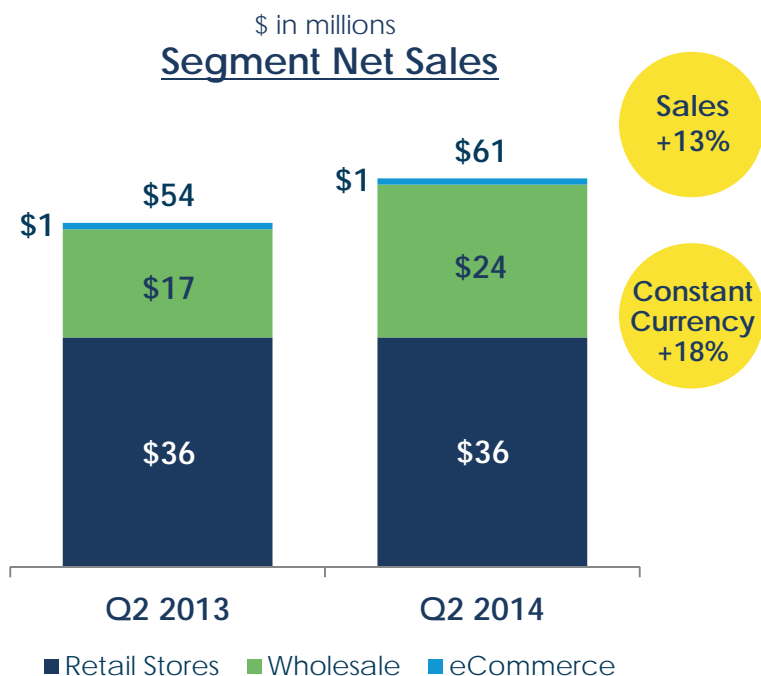
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Segment Net Sales & Operating Income



- Net sales in line with forecast
- Segment margin comparable to LY
- Continued focus on profitability and brand presentation
- Spring 2015 bookings planned down high single-digits





Retail Stores

- Canada
 - Store comp +3.3%
 - Opened 7 new stores in Q2; Q2 ending store count 110
 - All legacy *Bonnie Togs* stores have been converted to *Carter's / OshKosh* co-branded nameplate
- Japan
 - Wind down largely complete
 - Immaterial net sales in Q2 2014 vs. \$4.7 million in Q2 2013

Wholesale

- Continued strong growth, +39%
- Sales increase reflects growth with multi-national retailers in Canada and other markets

eCommerce

- Canada eCommerce site launched July 15th

Segment Operating Income

- Segment margin reflects lower Canadian profitability, in part due to unfavorable exchange rates, partially offset by reduced Japanese losses vs. year ago
 - \$1 million operating loss from Japan in prior year

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Q3 2014

- Net sales growth of approximately 4% to 6%
- Adjusted EPS growth of approximately 7% to 10% (vs. \$1.12 LY)

Fiscal Year 2014

- Net sales growth of approximately 8% to 10%
- Raising earnings outlook
 - Adjusted EPS growth of approximately 14% to 16% (vs. \$3.37 LY)
 - Previous guidance: 12% to 15% growth
- New retail store openings:
 - Carter's 60
 - OshKosh 24
 - Canada 22
- Operating Cash Flow \$225 to \$250 million
- CapEx \$100 to \$110 million



thank you.





Appendix

Second Quarter 2014 Reconciliation of Net Income Allocable to Common Shareholders



	Fiscal Quarter Ended	
	June 28, 2014	June 29 2013
Weighted-average number of common and common equivalent shares outstanding:		
Basic number of common shares outstanding	52,836,070	58,567,558
Dilutive effect of equity awards	455,116	588,622
Diluted number of common and common equivalent shares outstanding	<u>53,291,186</u>	<u>59,156,180</u>

	Fiscal Quarter Ended			
	As reported on a GAAP Basis		As adjusted (a)	
	June 28, 2014	June 29, 2013	June 28, 2014	June 29, 2013
<i>\$ in thousands, except EPS</i>				
Basic net income per common share:				
Net income	\$25,897	\$19,673	\$33,120	\$27,668
Income allocated to participating securities	(345)	(265)	(443)	(375)
Net income available to common shareholders	<u>\$25,552</u>	<u>\$19,408</u>	<u>\$32,677</u>	<u>\$27,293</u>
Basic net income per common share	\$0.48	\$0.33	\$0.62	\$0.47
Diluted net income per common share:				
Net income	\$25,897	\$19,673	\$33,120	\$27,668
Income allocated to participating securities	(343)	(263)	(440)	(372)
Net income available to common shareholders	<u>\$25,554</u>	<u>\$19,410</u>	<u>\$32,680</u>	<u>\$27,296</u>
Diluted net income per common share	\$0.48	\$0.33	\$0.61	\$0.46

(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 per share data excluding the adjustments discussed above. The Company has excluded \$7.2 million and \$8.0 million in after-tax net expenses from these results for the second fiscal quarters of 2014 and 2013, respectively.

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Second Quarter 2014 Reconciliation of Reported to Adjusted Earnings



\$ in millions, except EPS

Second Quarter of Fiscal 2014	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)	\$206.3	35.9%	\$47.3	8.2%	\$25.9	\$0.48	\$7.1	11.6%	(\$30.0)	(5.2%)
Amortization of H.W. Carter and Sons tradenames	(5.6)		5.6		3.5	0.07	-		5.6	
Office consolidation costs (a)	(4.6)		4.6		2.9	0.05	-		4.6	
Japan retail operations exit	(0.9)		0.9		0.6	0.01	0.9		-	
Closure of distribution facility in Hogansville, GA	(0.3)		0.3		0.2	0.00	-		0.3	
	<u>(11.5)</u>		<u>11.5</u>		<u>7.2</u>	<u>0.13</u>	<u>0.9</u>		<u>10.6</u>	
As adjusted	\$194.8	33.9%	\$58.8	10.2%	\$33.1	\$0.61	\$8.0	13.1%	(\$19.4)	(3.4%)

Second Quarter of Fiscal 2013	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)	\$195.0	37.7%	\$32.7	6.3%	\$19.7	\$0.33	\$6.7	12.4%	(\$33.5)	(6.5%)
Office consolidation costs (a)	(10.2)		10.2		6.4	0.10	-		10.2	
Revaluation of contingent consideration (b)	(1.0)		1.0		1.0	0.02	1.0		-	
Closure of distribution facility in Hogansville, GA	(1.0)		1.0		0.6	0.01	-		1.0	
	<u>(12.1)</u>		<u>12.1</u>		<u>8.0</u>	<u>0.13</u>	<u>1.0</u>		<u>11.2</u>	
As adjusted	\$182.9	35.3%	\$44.9	8.7%	\$27.7	\$0.46	\$7.6	14.2%	(\$22.3)	(4.3%)

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

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

First Half 2014 Reconciliation of Net Income Allocable to Common Shareholders



	First Two Fiscal Quarters Ended	
	June 28, 2014	June 29, 2013
Weighted-average number of common and common equivalent shares outstanding:		
Basic number of common shares outstanding	53,004,264	58,519,286
Dilutive effect of equity awards	478,426	648,072
Diluted number of common and common equivalent shares outstanding	<u>53,482,690</u>	<u>59,167,358</u>

	First Two Fiscal Quarters Ended			
	As reported on a GAAP Basis		As adjusted (a)	
	June 28, 2014	June 29, 2013	June 28, 2014	June 29, 2013
<i>\$ in thousands, except EPS</i>				
Basic net income per common share:				
Net income	\$60,193	\$61,088	\$72,986	\$75,378
Income allocated to participating securities	(812)	(811)	(989)	(1,002)
Net income available to common shareholders	<u>\$59,381</u>	<u>\$60,277</u>	<u>\$71,997</u>	<u>\$74,376</u>
Basic net income per common share	1.12	1.03	1.36	1.27
Diluted net income per common share:				
Net income	\$60,193	\$61,088	\$72,986	\$75,378
Income allocated to participating securities	(807)	(803)	(983)	(992)
Net income available to common shareholders	<u>\$59,386</u>	<u>\$60,285</u>	<u>\$72,003</u>	<u>\$74,386</u>
Diluted net income per common share	\$1.11	\$1.02	\$1.35	\$1.26

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First Half 2014 Reconciliation of Reported to Adjusted Earnings



\$ in millions, except EPS

First Two Quarters 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%)
Amortization of H.W. Carter and Sons tradenames	-		(11.9)		11.9		7.5	0.14	-		11.9	
Office consolidation costs (a)	-		(6.6)		6.6		4.2	0.08	-		6.6	
Revaluation of contingent consideration (b)	-		(0.5)		0.5		0.5	0.01	0.5		-	
Closure of distribution facility in Hogansville, GA	-		(0.6)		0.6		0.4	0.01	-		0.6	
Japan retail operations exit	(1.0)		(1.5)		0.5		0.3	0.01	0.5		-	
	<u>(1.0)</u>		<u>(21.0)</u>		<u>20.0</u>		<u>12.8</u>	<u>0.24</u>	<u>0.9</u>		<u>19.1</u>	
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%)

First Two Quarters of Fiscal 2013	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)	\$463.3	41.8%	\$380.4	34.3%	\$99.7	9.0%	\$61.1	\$1.02	\$10.9	9.6%	(\$58.7)	(5.3%)
Office consolidation costs (a)	-		(18.2)		18.2		11.4	0.19	-		18.2	
Revaluation of contingent consideration (b)	-		(1.9)		1.9		1.9	0.03	1.9		-	
Closure of distribution facility in Hogansville, GA	-		(0.6)		0.6		0.4	0.01	-		0.6	
Amortization of H.W. Carter and Sons tradenames	-		(1.0)		1.0		0.6	0.01	-		1.0	
	<u>-</u>		<u>(21.6)</u>		<u>21.6</u>		<u>14.3</u>	<u>0.24</u>	<u>1.9</u>		<u>19.7</u>	
As adjusted	\$463.3	41.8%	\$358.8	32.4%	\$121.3	10.9%	\$75.4	\$1.26	\$12.8	11.2%	(\$39.0)	(3.5%)

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

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

First Half 2014 Business Segment Performance



\$ in millions

	Net Sales			Adjusted Operating Income (Loss)*			Adjusted Operating Margin*	
	2014	2013	\$ Growth	2014	2013	\$ Growth	2014	2013
Carter's Wholesale (a)	\$472	\$445	\$26	\$78	\$82	(\$5)	16.5%	18.5%
Carter's Retail (b)	464	408	56	83	73	10	17.9%	17.9%
Total Carter's	\$936	\$853	\$83	\$161	\$155	\$5	17.2%	18.2%
OshKosh Wholesale	\$27	\$29	(\$2)	\$3	\$4	(\$1)	10.6%	12.7%
OshKosh Retail (b)	131	112	19	(6)	(12)	6	(4.7%)	(10.5%)
Total OshKosh	\$158	\$141	\$17	(\$3)	(\$8)	\$5	(2.1%)	(5.7%)
International (c)(d)	\$132	\$114	\$17	\$12	\$13	(\$1)	9.1%	11.2%
Total before corporate expenses	\$1,226	\$1,109	\$117	\$170	\$160	\$9	13.8%	14.5%
Corporate expenses (d)				(\$41)	(\$39)	(\$2)	(3.3%)	(3.5%)
Total (d)	\$1,226	\$1,109	\$117	\$129	\$121	\$8	10.5%	10.9%

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

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(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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Reconciliation of Net Income to Adjusted EBITDA



	\$ in millions				Four Fiscal
	Fiscal Quarter Ended		Two Fiscal Quarters Ended		Quarters
	June 28, 2014	June 29, 2013	June 28, 2014	June 29, 2013	Ended June 28, 2014
Net income	\$25.9	\$19.7	\$60.2	\$61.1	\$159.5
Interest expense	6.9	1.3	13.8	2.5	24.7
Interest income	(0.1)	(0.2)	(0.3)	(0.4)	(0.6)
Tax expense	14.9	11.5	34.8	35.3	88.5
Depreciation and amortization	20.0	13.5	41.6	25.9	84.1
EBITDA	\$67.5	\$45.8	\$150.0	\$124.5	\$356.2
Adjustments to EBITDA					
Office consolidation costs (a)	\$4.6	\$8.9	\$6.5	\$15.6	\$20.3
Revaluation of contingent consideration (b)	-	1.0	0.5	1.9	1.4
Facility related closures (c)	0.3	(0.2)	0.6	0.3	1.5
Japan retail operations exit (d)	0.6	-	(0.4)	-	3.6
Adjusted EBITDA	\$73.0	\$55.5	\$157.3	\$142.3	\$383.1

(a) Costs associated with office consolidation including severance, relocation, and other charges. These amounts exclude costs related to accelerated depreciation as such amounts are included in the total of depreciation and amortization above.

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

(c) Costs related to the closure of a distribution facility located in Hogansville, GA, announced in the first quarter of fiscal 2012. These amounts exclude costs related to accelerated depreciation as such amounts are included in the total of depreciation and amortization above.

(d) Costs incurred to exit the Company's retail business in Japan. First two fiscal quarters and four fiscal quarters ended June 28, 2014 also reflect a favorable recovery of inventory. These amounts exclude costs related to accelerated depreciation as such amounts are included in the total of depreciation and amortization above.

Note: Results may not be additive due to rounding.

Forward-looking Statements and Other Information



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