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# FOURTH QUARTER AND FISCAL YEAR 2023 FINANCIAL RESULTS

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### **Today's Call**

- Opening remarks: recent changes, actions, and initial impressions
- Priorities and Focus Areas
- FY24 Outlook and Longer-Term Expectations
- Q4 and FY23 Financial Results
- Q&A

#### First 45 Days – Changes and Actions

- Concluded strategic alternatives review; refreshed Board; appointed CFO; named permanent President and CEO.
- Conducted deep dive review of business.
- Took immediate and initial actions to right-size Company, remedy challenged programs, and improve profitability.

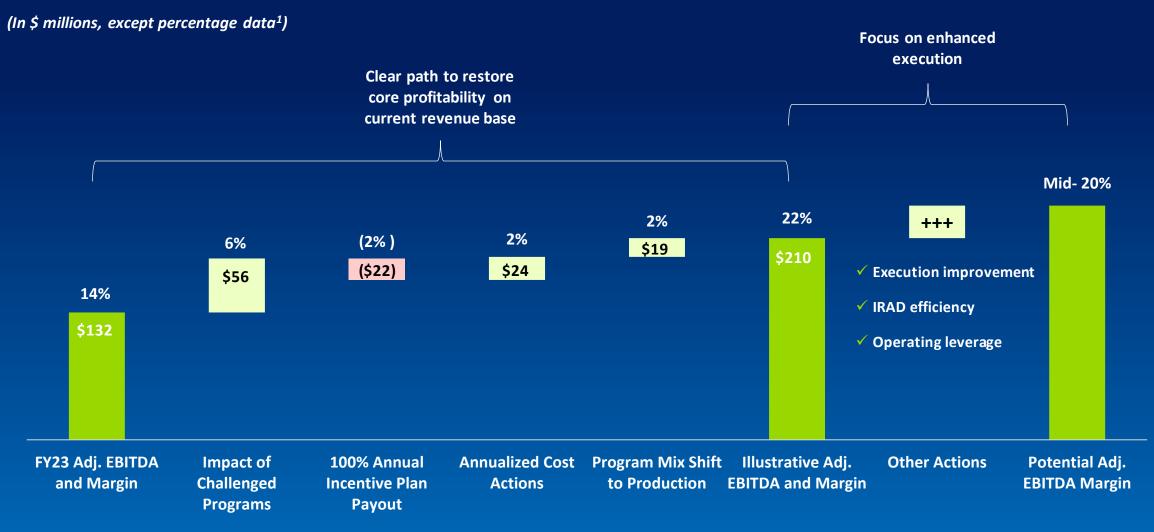
#### **Initial Impressions**

- Mercury's strategy is sound. We are a National Asset in the defense industrial base, wellpositioned to benefit from strong secular growth in the market.
- Inorganic growth into strategically attractive areas outpaced maturity of processes and management systems leading to forecasting and execution challenges; maturation is underway.
- Majority of business is performing well and predictably; profitable core business obscured by atypical program mix and temporary, resolvable program cost challenges.

#### **Our Four Focus Areas**

- Enhancing execution to deliver predictable performance.
- Building a thriving organic growth engine.
- Addressing our cost structure to improve margin expansion.
- Driving free cash flow release and improved conversion.

#### We Have Confidence in Our Business Model



(1) Rounded amounts used.

#### FY24 Outlook Reflects Progress Against Enhanced Execution Plan

- FY24 a transition year, taking conservative approach to guidance.
- Expecting revenue flat at the midpoint, with core margin improvement throughout the year.
- Outlook reflects benefit of actions offset by the potential for unknown risk materializing.
- As we work through execution challenges, anticipating improved profitability in second half and positive cash flow for the year.
- Business model is sound challenges resolvable with focus, execution mindset, and enhanced management processes and systems.

### Q4 FY23 vs. Q4 FY22

In \$ millions, except percentage and per share data	Q4 FY22 <sup>(3)</sup>	Q4 FY23 <sup>(3)</sup>	CHANGE
Bookings Book-to-Bill	\$331.5 1.14	\$293.8 1.16	(11%)
Backlog 12-Month Backlog	\$1,037.7 646.7	\$1,139.8 716.4	10%
Revenue Organic Revenue Growth (Decline) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$289.7 9%	\$253.2 (13%)	(13%)
Gross Margin	41.3%	26.6%	(14.7) bps
Operating Expenses Selling, General & Administrative Research & Development Amortization/Restructuring/Acquisition	\$92.0 44.0 24.6 23.4	\$76.3 32.0 27.6 16.7	(17%)
GAAP Net Income (Loss)	\$16.9	(\$8.2)	N.A.
GAAP Earnings (Loss) Per Share Weighted Average Diluted Shares	\$0.30 56.3	(\$0.15) 56.8	N.A.
Adjusted EPS <sup>(2)</sup>	\$0.81	\$0.11	(86%)
Adj. EBITDA <sup>(2)</sup> % of revenue	\$71.6 24.7%	\$21.9 8.7%	(69%)
Operating Cash Flow	(\$19.4)	\$12.6	N.A.
Free Cash Flow <sup>(2)</sup> % of Adjusted EBITDA	(\$27.6) N.A.	\$3.8 17.2%	N.A.

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- (2) Non-GAAP, see reconciliation table.
- (3) All references in this presentation to the fourth quarter of fiscal 2022 are to the quarter ended July 1, 2022. All references to the fourth quarter of fiscal 2023 are to the quarter ended June 30,

#### **FY23 vs. FY22**

In \$ millions, except percentage and per share data	FY22 <sup>(3)</sup>	FY23 <sup>(3)</sup>	CHANGE
Bookings Book-to-Bill	\$1,063.1 1.08	\$1,076.0 1.10	1%
Backlog 12-Month Backlog	\$1,037.7 646.7	\$1,139.8 716.4	10%
Revenue Organic Revenue Decline <sup>(1)</sup>	\$988.2 (5%)	\$973.9 (3%)	(1%)
Gross Margin	40.0%	32.5%	(7.5) bps
Operating Expenses Selling, General & Administrative Research & Development Amortization/Restructuring/Acquisition	\$363.3 157.0 107.2 99.1	\$338.4 160.6 108.8 69.0	(7%)
GAAP Net Income (Loss)	\$11.3	(\$28.3)	N.A.
GAAP Earnings (Loss) Per Share Weighted Average Diluted Shares	\$0.20 55.9	(\$0.50) 56.6	N.A.
Adjusted EPS <sup>(2)</sup>	\$2.19	\$1.00	(54%)
Adj. EBITDA <sup>(2)</sup> % of revenue	\$200.5 20.3%	\$132.3 13.6%	(34%)
Operating Cash Flow	(\$18.9)	(\$21.2)	N.A.
Free Cash Flow <sup>(2)</sup> % of Adjusted EBITDA	(\$46.5) N.A.	(\$60.1) N.A.	N.A.

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### **Balance sheet**

			As of		
(In \$ millions) <sup>(1)</sup>	7/1/22	9/30/22	12/30/22	3/31/23	6/30/23
ASSETS					
Cash & cash equivalents	\$65.7	\$52.0	\$76.9	\$64.4	\$71.6
Accounts receivable, net	447.9	494.7	479.3	502.3	507.3
Inventory, net	270.3	287.6	312.0	342.8	337.2
PP&E, net	127.2	125.9	122.0	119.5	119.6
Goodwill and intangibles, net	1,289.4	1,274.9	1,261.5	1,248.7	1,236.1
Other	103.9	114.0	96.2	106.2	119.6
TOTAL ASSETS	\$2,304.4	\$2,349.0	\$2,348.0	\$2,383.9	\$2,391.4
LIABILITIES AND S/E					
AP and accrued expenses	\$187.5	\$158.8	\$167.5	\$170.4	\$162.8
Other liabilities	128.2	139.8	124.8	141.1	150.4
Debt	451.5	511.5	511.5	511.5	511.5
Total liabilities	767.2	810.1	803.9	823.0	824.7
Stockholders' equity	1,537.2	1,538.9	1,544.1	1,560.9	1,566.7
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND S/E	\$2,304.4	\$2,349.0	\$2,348.0	\$2,383.9	\$2,391.4

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### **Cash flow summary**

	For the Fiscal Quarters Ended				
(In \$ millions)(1)	7/1/22	9/30/22	12/30/22	3/31/23	6/30/23
Net Income (Loss)	\$16.9	(\$14.3)	(\$10.9)	\$5.2	(\$8.2)
Depreciation and amortization	23.4	23.7	27.2	23.9	22.5
Other non-cash items, net	14.5	8.8	(8.2)	2.6	(20.2)
Cash settlement for termination of interest rate swap	-	6.0	-	-	-
Changes in Operating Assets and Liabilities					
Accounts receivable, unbilled receivables, and costs in excess of billings	(81.3)	(47.3)	16.4	(22.8)	(5.0)
Inventory	(12.5)	(18.4)	(21.8)	(29.8)	6.0
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	12.8	(17.8)	(11.0)	17.0	(5.0)
Other	6.7	(6.7)	43.7	0.7	22.6
	(74.3)	(90.2)	27.3	(34.9)	18.6
Operating Cash Flow	(19.4)	(66.0)	35.4	(3.2)	12.6
Capital expenditures	(8.2)	(7.3)	(13.2)	(9.4)	(8.8)
Free Cash Flow <sup>(2)</sup>	(\$27.6)	(\$73.4)	\$22.2	(\$12.7)	\$3.8
Free Cash Flow <sup>(2)</sup> / Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(2)</sup>	N.A.	N.A.	62%	N.A.	17%
Free Cash Flow <sup>(2)</sup> / GAAP Net Income (Loss)	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.

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- (2) Non-GAAP, see reconciliation table.

### FY24 annual guidance

In \$ millions, except percentage and per share data	FY23 <sup>(1)</sup>	FY24 <sup>(2)(5)</sup>	CHANGE
Revenue	\$973.9	\$973.9 \$950.0 - \$1,000.0	
GAAP Net Loss	(\$28.3)	(\$13.7) – (\$5.9)	N.A.
GAAP Loss Per Share Weighted-average diluted shares outstanding	(\$0.50) 56.6	(\$0.24) - (\$0.10) 58.0	N.A.
Adjusted EPS <sup>(4)</sup>	\$1.00	\$1.14 - \$1.48	14% - 48%
Adj. EBITDA <sup>(4)</sup> % of revenue	\$132.3 13.6%	\$160.0 - \$185.0 16.8% - 18.5%	21% - 40%

#### Notes

- (1) FY23 figures are as reported in the Company's earnings release dated August 15, 2023.
- (2) The guidance included herein is from the Company's earnings release dated August 15, 2023.
- (3) The effective tax rate in the guidance included herein excludes discrete items.
- (4) Non-GAAP, see reconciliation table.
- (5) All references in this presentation to the full fiscal 2023 are to the 52-week period ended June 30, 2023, and to the full fiscal 2024 are to the 52-week period ending June 28, 2024.

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# **APPENDIX**



#### **Adjusted EPS reconciliation**

				FY24	1 <sup>(2)(4)</sup>	
(In thousands, except per share data) <sup>(2)</sup>	Q4 FY22	Q4 FY23	FY22	FY23	Low	High
Earnings (loss) per share <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 0.30	\$ (0.15)	\$ 0.20	\$ (0.50)	\$ (0.24)	\$ (0.10)
Net Income (Loss)	\$ 16,915	\$ (8,236)	\$ 11,275	\$ (28,335)	\$ (13,700)	\$ (5,900)
Other non-operating adjustments, net	1,351	(1,586)	2,932	(1,589)	(1,100)	(1,100)
Amortization of intangible assets	14,454	12,633	60,267	53,552	47,500	47,500
Restructuring and other charges	5,021	626	27,445	6,981	9,200	9,200
Impairment of long-lived assets	-	-	-	-	-	-
Acquisition, financing and other third party costs	4,363	3,834	13,608	10,019	3,000	3,000
Fair value adjustments from purchase accounting	(294)	177	(2,009)	356	700	700
Litigation and settlement expense (income), net	706	(1,246)	1,908	495	-	-
COVID related expenses	50	5	689	67	-	-
Stock-based and other non-cash compensation expense	12,059	5,859	38,459	43,031	60,000	60,000
Impact to income taxes <sup>(3)</sup>	(9,088)	(5,909)	(32,309)	(27,776)	(39,600)	(27,500)
Adjusted income	\$ 45,537	\$ 6,157	\$ 122,265	\$ 56,801	\$ 66,000	\$ 85,900
Adjusted earnings per share <sup>(1)(5)</sup>	\$ 0.81	\$ 0.11	\$ 2.19	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.14	\$ 1.48
Weighted-average shares outstanding:						
Basic	55,607	56,798	55,527	56,554	57,700	57,700
Diluted	56,261	57,059	55,901	56,874	58,000	58,000

#### Notes

- Per share information is presented on a fully diluted basis.
- (2) Rounded amounts used.
- (2) Impact to income taxes is calculated by recasting income before income taxes to include the items involved in determining adjusted income and recalculating the income tax provision using this adjusted income from operations before income taxes. The recalculation also adjusts for any discrete tax expense or benefit related to the items. All references in this presentation to the fourth quarter and full fiscal 2022 are to the quarter and 52-week period ended July 1, 2022.
- (4) All references in this presentation to the fourth quarter and the full fiscal 2023 are to the quarter ended and 52-week period ending June 30, 2023. All references in this presentation to the full fiscal 2024 are to the 52-week period ending June 28, 2024.
- (5) Adjusted earnings per share is calculated using diluted shares whereas Net loss per share is calculated using basic shares. There was a \$0.01 impact to the calculation of adjusted earnings per share as a result of this for the fourth quarter ended June 30, 2023. and no impact to the calculation of adjusted earnings per share as a result of this for the twelve months ended June 30, 2023. There was no impact to the calculation of adjusted earnings per share as a result of this for the forward-looking guidance for the twelve months ended June 28, 2024.

### **Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation**

					FY2	4 <sup>(1)(2)</sup>
(In thousands) <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	Q4 FY22	Q4 FY23	FY22	FY23	Low	High
Net Income (Loss)	\$ 16,915	\$ (8,236)	\$ 11,275	\$ (28,335)	\$ (13,700)	\$ (5,900)
Other non-operating adjustments, net	1,351	(1,586)	2,932	(1,589)	(1,100)	(1,100)
Interest expense, net	2,434	6,587	5,663	24,106	33,800	33,800
Income tax provision (benefit)	5,614	(6,588)	7,120	(20,207)	(23,100)	(6,000)
Depreciation	8,942	9,869	33,150	43,777	43,700	43,700
Amortization of intangible assets	14,454	12,633	60,267	53,552	47,500	47,500
Restructuring and other charges	5,021	626	27,445	6,981	9,200	9,200
Impairment of long-lived assets	-	-	-	-	-	-
Acquisition, financing and other third party costs	4,363	3,834	13,608	10,019	3,000	3,000
Fair value adjustments from purchase accounting	(294)	177	(2,009)	356	700	700
Litigation and settlement expense (income), net	706	(1,246)	1,908	495	-	-
COVID related expenses	50	5	689	67	-	-
Stock-based and other non-cash compensation expense	12,059	5,859	38,459	43,031	60,000	60,000
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 71,615	\$ 21,934	\$ 200,507	\$ 132,253	\$160,000	\$185,000

#### Notes

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#### Free cash flow reconciliation

(In thousands)	Q4 FY22	Q4 FY23	FY22	FY23
Cash (used in) provided by operating activities	\$ (19,435)	\$12,610	\$ (18,869)	\$ (21,254)
Purchases of property and equipment	(8,180)	(8,846)	(27,656)	(38,796)
Free cash flow	\$ (27,615)	\$ 3,764	\$ (46,525)	\$ (60,050)

### Organic revenue reconciliation

(In thousands)	Q4 FY22	Q4 FY23	FY22		FY23
Organic revenue <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 289,729	\$ 253,236	\$	982,153	\$ 948,814
Acquired revenue	-	-		6,044	25,068
Net revenues	\$ 289,729	\$253,236	\$	988,197	\$ 973,882

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