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Exela financial summary and highlights

Financial Summary and Highlights

- Revenue \$390.2M, a decline of 4.9% yoy; \$394.6M on a constant currency⁽¹⁾ basis, a decline of 3.8% yoy
- Adjusted EBITDA of \$69.4M, a decline of 1.0% yoy; \$69.7M on a constant currency⁽¹⁾ basis, as compared to \$70.1M in Q2 2018
- Adjusted EBITDA margin increased 70 bps yoy to 17.8%
- Total liquidity⁽²⁾ of \$97.5M, up \$39.4M sequentially
- Revenue, excluding postage and postage handling with either zero or nominal margins and revenue from the previously announced contract exit, was \$650M in 1H 2019, an increase of 4.0% yoy
- Adjusted EBITDA margin for 1H 2019 was 22% based on the \$650.0M revenue as described above

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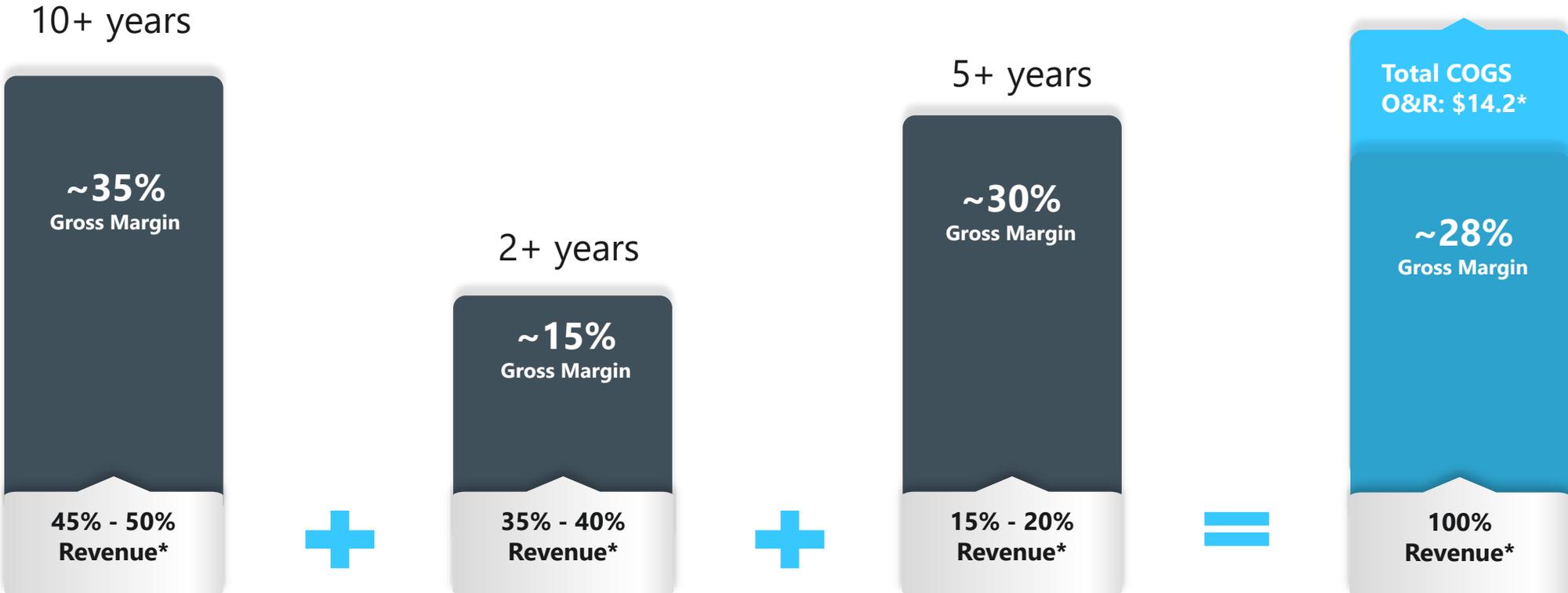
Exela business transformation Q2 2019

Optimization & restructuring (O&R) charges summary:

- O&R charges primarily related to headcount within COGS are \$14.2 million
- SG&A related O&R charges are \$4.5 million primarily due to headcount

	Q2 2019			
(\$ in millions)	People	Facilities	Vendors	Total
M&A	\$0.7	\$0.4	\$0.1	\$1.1
Process Transformation	15.0	0.7	1.8	17.6
Customer Transformation	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total	\$15.8	\$1.1	\$1.8	\$18.7
	P&L Impact			Total
	COGS	SG&A		Total
M&A	\$0.8	\$0.3		\$1.1
Process Transformation	13.4	4.2		17.6
Customer Transformation	0.0	0.0		0.0
Total	\$14.2	\$4.5		\$18.7

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* Revenue excludes postage and postage handling revenue with either zero or nominal margins and revenue from previously announced contract exit.

Transformation update - people

Headcount expected to increase in Asia, offset by movement from Americas and Europe

- Majority of the increase is in delivery operations driven by our right-shoring model
- Remainder of the increase is through expansion of technology teams in Asia and Europe

Region	FY 2018	Q1' 19	% Mix	Q2' 19	% Mix	Q1'19 - Q2' 19
North America	11,078	11,837	52%	11,816	50%	-21
Asia	8,177	8,427	37%	8,864	38%	437
Europe	2,354	2,321	10%	2,397	10%	76
Africa	438	391	2%	424	2%	33
Total Headcount	22,047	22,976	100%	23,501	100%	525
Change	-503	929		525		

Top 200 and all other customer trends

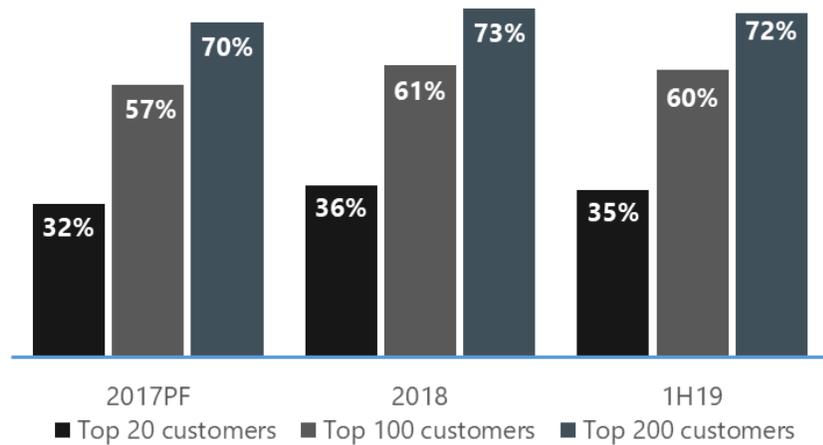
Slowing rate of attrition is partly due to pursuing growth beyond the top 200 customers

(\$ in millions)

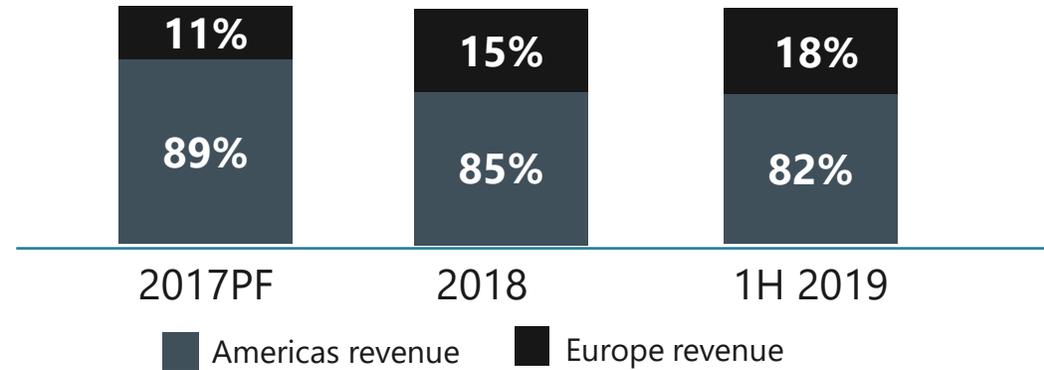
Customers	Reported revenue			Organic basis		Reported revenue	
	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>1H 2019</u>	<u>%</u>
Top 200	\$1,017	\$1,156	73%	\$1,139	75%	\$569	72%
All Others	439	431	27%	381	25%	225	28%
Total	\$1,456	\$1,586	100%	\$1,520	100%	\$794	100%

Customer scorecard for 1H2019, 2018 and 2017

Diversified revenue base

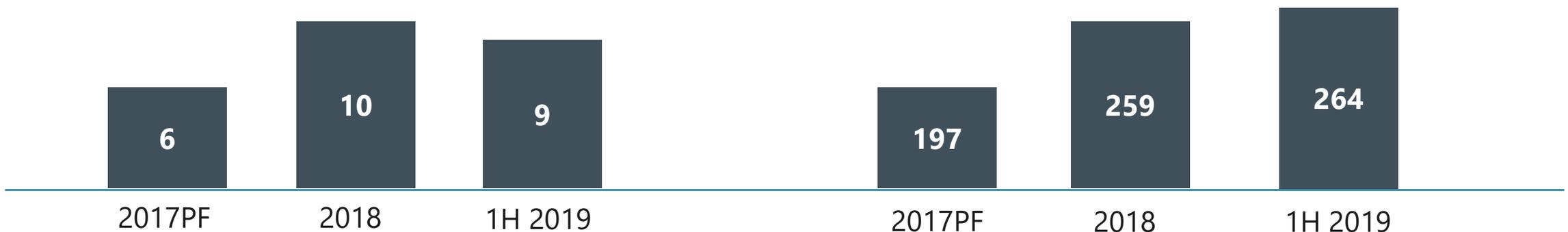


Revenue by geography



10 customers with over \$25M each in annual revenue 9 customers with over \$12.5M each in 1H 2019 revenue

259 customers with over \$1M each in annual revenue 264 customers with over \$0.5M each in 1H 2019 revenue



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Financial Performance

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Q2 2019 P&L and Adjusted EBITDA

\$ in millions	Q2'18	Q2'19	Change (\$)		YTD Q2'18	YTD Q2'19	Change (\$)
			Vs. Q2'18	Vs. Q1'19			
Information and Transaction Processing Solutions	330.1	309.2	(20.9)	(15.4)	642.0	633.8	(8.2)
Healthcare Solutions	56.3	63.4	7.1	2.1	114.9	124.7	9.8
Legal and Loss Prevention Services	23.9	17.6	(6.3)	(0.2)	46.5	35.4	(11.1)
Total Revenue	410.4	390.2	(20.2)	(13.6)	803.5	793.9	(9.5)
<i>% change</i>		<i>-4.9%</i>				<i>-1.2%</i>	
Cost of revenue (exclusive of depreciation and amortization)	314.0	298.0	(15.9)	(8.9)	607.7	604.9	(2.9)
Gross profit	96.4	92.2	(4.3)	(4.7)	195.7	189.0	(6.7)
<i>% change</i>		<i>-4.4%</i>				<i>-3.4%</i>	
<i>as a % of revenue</i>	<i>23.5%</i>	<i>23.6%</i>			<i>24.4%</i>	<i>23.8%</i>	
SG&A	46.7	51.6	4.8	1.6	92.3	101.5	9.2
Depreciation and amortization	36.4	27.2	(9.2)	(0.8)	74.4	55.2	(19.2)
Impairment of goodwill and other intangible assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Related party expense	1.4	1.1	(0.3)	0.1	2.5	2.0	(0.5)
Operating (loss) income	11.9	12.3	0.4	(5.6)	26.5	30.3	3.8
<i>as a % of revenue</i>	<i>2.9%</i>	<i>3.2%</i>			<i>3.3%</i>	<i>3.8%</i>	
Interest expense, net	38.5	39.1	0.6	0.2	76.5	78.0	1.5
Loss on extinguishment of debt	-	1.4	1.4	1.4	-	1.4	1.4
Sundry expense (income) & Other income, net	(3.0)	1.2	4.2	(3.0)	(6.4)	5.4	11.8
Net loss before income taxes	(23.6)	(29.4)	(5.8)	(4.2)	(43.6)	(54.6)	(11.0)
Income tax expense (benefit)	1.6	4.7	3.1	0.0	5.6	9.5	3.8
Net income (loss)	(25.2)	(34.1)	(9.0)	(4.2)	(49.3)	(64.1)	(14.8)
<i>as a % of revenue</i>	<i>-6.1%</i>	<i>-8.8%</i>			<i>-6.1%</i>	<i>-8.1%</i>	
Depreciation and amortization	36.4	27.2	(9.2)	(0.8)	74.4	55.2	(19.2)
Interest expense, net	38.5	39.1	0.6	0.2	76.5	78.0	1.5
Income tax expense (benefit)	1.6	4.7	3.1	0.0	5.6	9.5	3.8
EBITDA	51.3	36.9	(14.4)	(4.8)	107.3	78.6	(28.7)
<i>as a % of revenue</i>	<i>12.5%</i>	<i>9.5%</i>			<i>13.4%</i>	<i>9.9%</i>	
EBITDA Adjustments							
1 Transaction and integration costs	0.8	2.0	1.2	1.0	1.9	3.0	1.2
2 Optimization and restructuring expenses	8.9	18.7	9.8	(5.0)	18.6	42.4	23.7
Process Transformation	8.9	17.6	8.7	(4.4)	18.6	39.5	20.9
Customer Transformation	-	0.0	0.0	(0.1)	-	0.1	0.1
M & A	-	1.1	1.1	(0.5)	-	2.8	2.8
3 Gain / loss on derivative instruments	(0.7)	2.7	3.4	1.0	(4.0)	4.4	8.4
4 Non-Cash and Other Charges	9.7	9.0	(0.7)	3.1	15.8	15.0	(0.8)
Adjusted EBITDA	70.1	69.4	(0.7)	(4.7)	139.6	143.5	3.9
<i>% change</i>		<i>-1.0%</i>				<i>2.8%</i>	
<i>as a % of revenue</i>	<i>17.1%</i>	<i>17.8%</i>			<i>17.4%</i>	<i>18.1%</i>	

Revenue: Revenue for our Information and Transaction Processing Solutions segment declined 6.3% year-over-year, driven primarily by the exit of a low margin contract partially offset by growth from acquisitions and existing customers. Healthcare Solutions revenue grew by 12.6% year-over-year and was consistent with expectations. Results in Legal and Loss Prevention Services are event driven and were negatively impacted by projects that generated lower revenue.

COGS: Gross margins improved by 10 bps primarily due to continued transformation and cost saving initiatives.

SG&A: SG&A increased on a year-over-year basis, primarily driven by higher expense related to stock compensation, investments for growth and one-time customer exit costs, offset by savings realization.

D&A: Higher amortization charges as a result of accelerated write off of trade names in the prior year is the key driver for the difference in the comparative period.

Sundry: Includes expenses and changes to foreign currency gain/loss and interest-rate swaps.

Profitability: Adjusted EBITDA margin for the second quarter of 2019 was 17.8%, an increase of 70 basis points as compared to an Adjusted EBITDA margin of 17.1% in the second quarter of 2018.

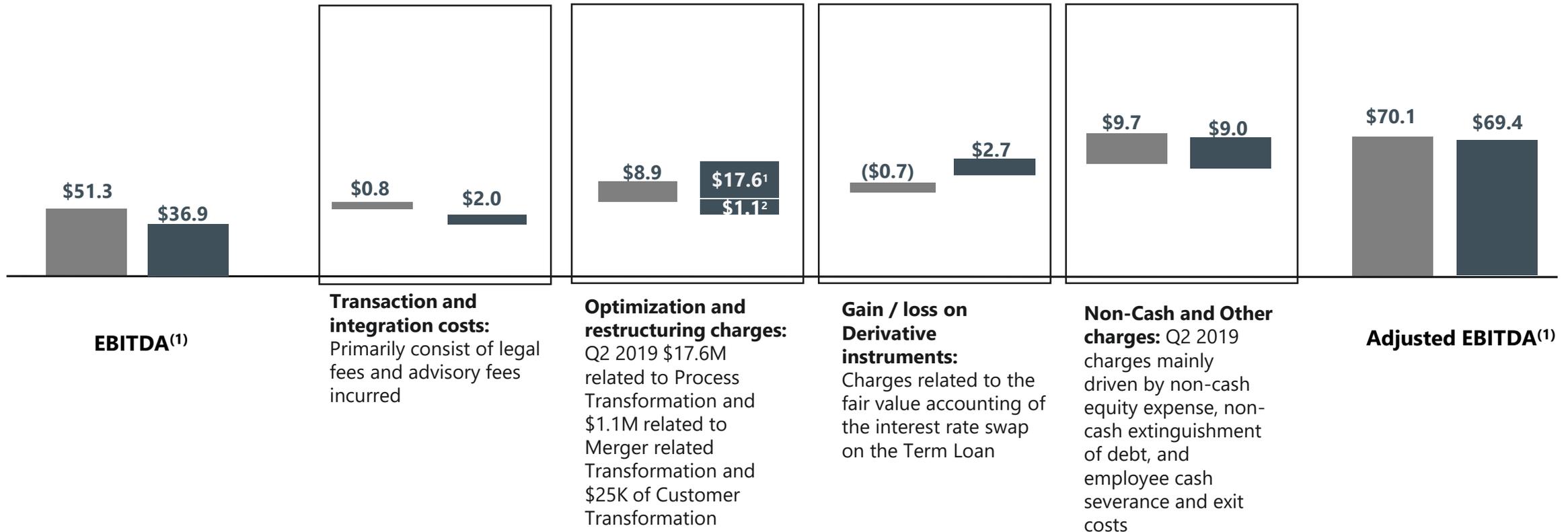
Note : Adjustments for optimization and restructuring expenses have been adjusted for comparability purposes in the table above. EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA for the reported periods remain unchanged.

Exela Q2 2019 EBITDA to Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾ Bridge

✓ Q2 2019 Adjusted EBITDA of \$69.4M; \$69.7M on a constant currency basis

(\$ in millions)

■ Q2 2018 ■ Q2 2019



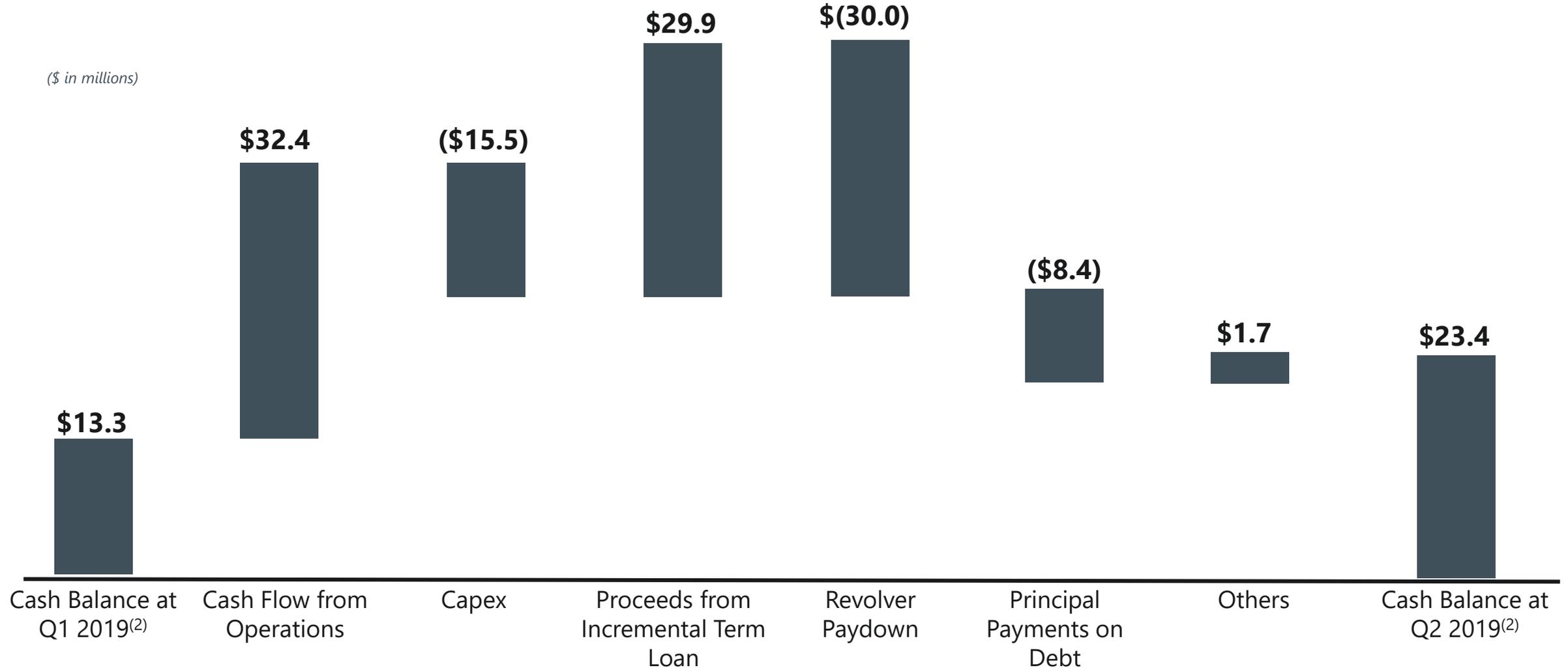
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(1) See appendix for Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation.

1 - Process Transformation

2 - M&A Transformation

Exela generated \$10.2 million of net cash flow⁽¹⁾ during Q2 2019



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(1) Net cash flow is defined as the total of net cash (used in) provided by operating activities, net cash (used in) provided by investing activities, net cash (used in) provided by financing obligations and effect of exchange rates on cash.

(2) Includes restricted cash as prepared in accordance with US GAAP.

Capital structure

(\$ in millions)

	<u>Q2 2019</u>
Total liquidity ⁽¹⁾	\$97.5
Total cash	\$23.4
\$100 million revolver (undrawn and net of \$20.9 million in letters of credit)	\$79.1
Net debt	\$1,446

Share buyback plan (authorization for up to 5,000,000 shares)

Total shares purchased during Q2 2019	237,962
Total shares purchased to-date under program	2,787,147

(1) At June 30, 2019, total cash and cash equivalents was \$18.4 million (including restricted cash not subject to legal restriction). The Company has a revolving credit facility of \$100 million, of which an aggregate amount of \$79.1 million was available at June 30, 2019 after \$20.9 million reserved for letters of credit.

Business Outlook⁽¹⁾

2019 Guidance	<u>2018 Actuals</u>	<u>Prior FY 2019 Guidance</u>	<u>Updated FY 2019 Guidance⁽²⁾</u>
Revenue	\$1.586B	\$1.66B to \$1.70B	\$1.59B to \$1.61B
Revenue % growth yoy		5% to 7%	0% to 1%
Adjusted EBITDA	\$283.8M	\$305M to \$335M	\$290M to \$300M
Adjusted EBITDA % growth yoy		7% - 18%	2% - 6%
Capex as % of revenue		2.0% - 2.5%	~ 2.5%
Prioritized capital allocation towards debt pre-payment		Affirmed	Affirmed
Net leverage ratio		5% - 7% reduction	~4.0x

Note: Guidance is based on constant-currency.

(1) Exela has not forecasted net income/(loss) on a forward-looking basis due to the high variability and difficulty in predicting certain items that affect GAAP net income/(loss).

Adjusted EBITDA should not be used to predict net income/(loss) as the difference between the two measures is variable.

(2) Guidance as of August 8, 2019.



Appendix

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Reconciliation of non-GAAP measures – Revenue and Adjusted EBITDA

Non-GAAP constant currency revenue reconciliation

(\$ in millions)	Three months ended		Six months ended	
	30-Jun-19	30-Jun-18	30-Jun-19	30-Jun-18
Revenues, as reported (GAAP)	\$390.2	\$410.4	\$793.9	\$803.5
Foreign currency exchange impact ⁽¹⁾	4.4		10.4	
Revenues, at constant currency (Non-GAAP)	\$394.6	\$410.4	\$804.3	\$803.5

(1) Constant currency excludes the impact of foreign currency fluctuations and is computed by applying the average exchange rates for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2018, to the revenues during the corresponding period in 2019.

Reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA

(\$ in millions)	Three months ended		Six months ended	
	30-Jun-19	30-Jun-18	30-Jun-19	30-Jun-18
Net loss (GAAP)	(\$34.1)	(\$25.2)	(\$64.1)	(\$49.3)
Interest expense	39.1	38.5	78.0	76.5
Taxes	4.7	1.6	9.5	5.6
Depreciation and amortization	27.2	36.4	55.2	74.4
EBITDA (Non-GAAP)	\$36.9	\$51.3	\$78.6	\$107.3
Transaction and integration costs	2.0	0.8	3.0	1.9
Optimization and restructuring expenses	18.7	8.9	42.4	18.6
Gain / loss on derivative instruments	2.7	(0.7)	4.4	(4.0)
Other Charges	9.0	9.7	15.0	15.8
Adjusted EBITDA (Non-GAAP)	\$69.4	\$70.1	\$143.5	\$139.6
Foreign currency exchange impact ⁽¹⁾	0.2		1.1	-
Adjusted EBITDA, at constant currency (Non-GAAP)	\$69.7	\$70.1	\$144.5	\$139.6

(1) Constant currency excludes the impact of foreign currency fluctuations and is computed by applying the average exchange rates for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2018, to the adjusted EBITDA during the corresponding period in 2019.