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- Sales of \$144 million, up 6% over prior year
 - Custom Fluidpower: \$12.6 million
 - Organic business sales declined 2%, excluding currency
 - Excluding currency, Hydraulics segment organic sales were flat, Electronics segment sales declined 7%
- Net income of \$17.3 million; non-GAAP cash net income of \$20.7 million, up 5%
 - Non-GAAP cash EPS of \$0.65 per share, up 3%
- Adjusted operating income of \$30.9 million, 21.5% of sales
- Adjusted EBITDA of \$34.7 million, 24.1% of sales
- Net debt increased \$10.5 million during Q2 vs 3/30/19, impacted by final Enovation Controls contingent consideration payment of \$17.8 million
 - Net debt/Adjusted EBITDA of 2.4x⁽¹⁾ at 6/29/2019

⁽¹⁾ Based on pro forma adjusted EBITDA on a trailing twelve months basis, including Custom Fluidpower results for its pre-acquisition period



- Electronics segment driving margin expansion despite lower sales
- Increased CVT capacity from consolidating Sarasota manufacturing facilities
 - Realized sequential margin improvement
 - Sales level lower than anticipated, impacted by mix
- New China facility opened ahead of schedule
 - Started shipping products to customers in June
 - Expect to increase output through the year
 - Strengthens 'in the region, for the region' initiative to support demand in growing China market
- Acquisition synergy realization continues
 - Began production of CVT components at Faster facilities in Europe and US

Vision 2025: \$1 billion in sales, superior profitability and financial strength



Financial Overview

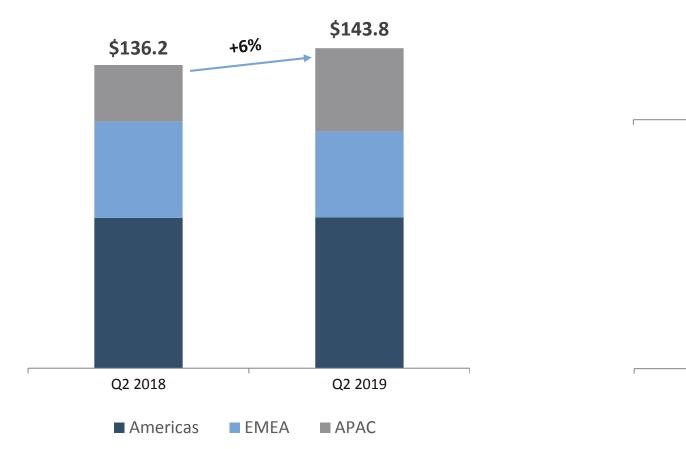
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(\$ in millions, except Adjusted EPS)

Sales



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Q2 – Consolidated Results

Adjusted EBITDA

& Margin⁽¹⁾

+/-0%

-150 bps

Non-GAAP Cash EPS⁽²⁾

+3%

\$34.9

25.6%

Q2 2018

\$0.63

Q2 2018

\$34.7

24.1%

Q2 2019

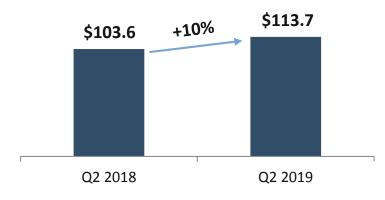
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Q2 2019

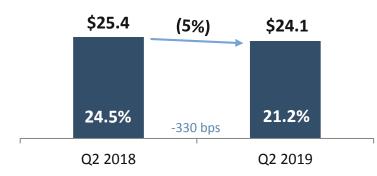


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Sales

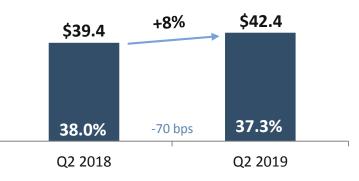


Operating Income & Margin



Q2 – Hydraulics Segment

Gross Profit & Margin

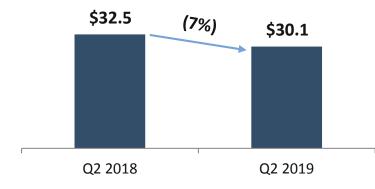


- Revenue growth driven by CFP acquisition
 - > 2019 Q2 includes \$12.6 million for acquisition revenue
 - Organic sales were flat, excluding \$2.5 million unfavorable Fx
- Gross margin slightly declined quarter over quarter
 - Improved organic gross margin was offset by the impact of CFP's value-add integrator business model
- SEA expense increase includes \$2.3 million for CFP, and investments to support growth and Helios structural changes

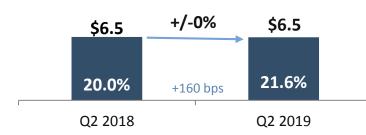


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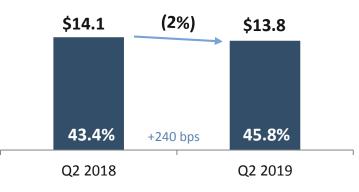


Operating Income & Margin



Q2 – Electronics Segment

Gross Profit & Margin

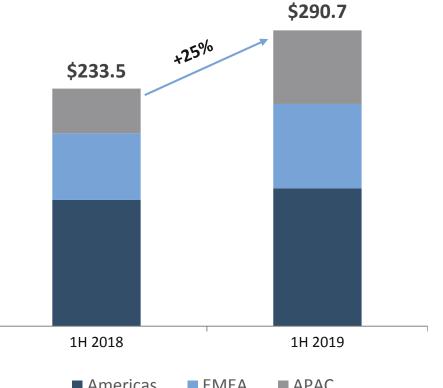


- Sales decreased by 7%, due to softer demand in recreational and oil and gas end markets as well as the impact of releasing certain contractual obligations to offer all products to a broader and more diversified customer base
- Significant year-over-year gross margin and operating margin improvement
 - Driven by cost management efforts, production efficiency, and price increases



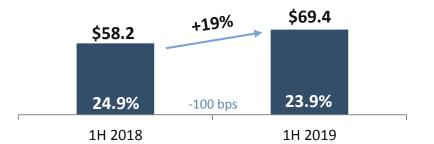
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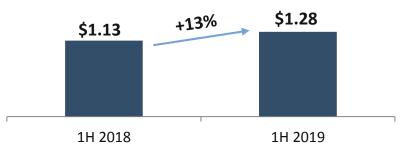




Adjusted EBITDA & Margin⁽¹⁾



Non-GAAP Cash EPS⁽²⁾



Americas EMEA ■ APAC

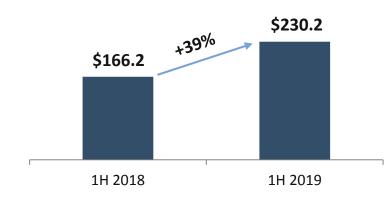
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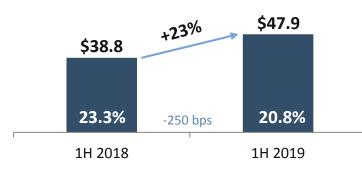


(\$ in millions)

Sales



Operating Income & Margin



1H – Hydraulics Segment

Gross Profit & Margin

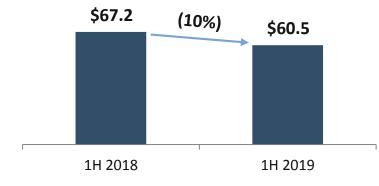


- Revenue growth driven by acquisitions
 - 1H 2019 includes \$61.6 million of Faster and CFP acquisition revenue
 - Organic sales grew \$6.0 million, excluding \$3.6 million unfavorable Fx
- Significant gross profit increase
 - Mainly resulting from acquisitions; organic margin improvement offset by CFP's value-add integrator business model
- SEA expense increase includes \$10.5 million for the CFP and Faster acquisitions

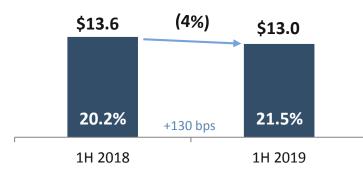


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Sales

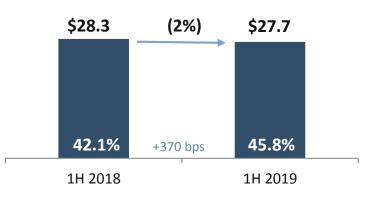


Operating Income & Margin



1H – Electronics Segment

Gross Profit & Margin



- Sales decreased due to
 - Softer demand in recreational and oil and gas markets and timing of model year rollouts
 - Intentional shift in customer base in Q1
- Significant year-over-year gross margin and operating margin improvement
 - Driven by production efficiency and cost management efforts



1H 2018

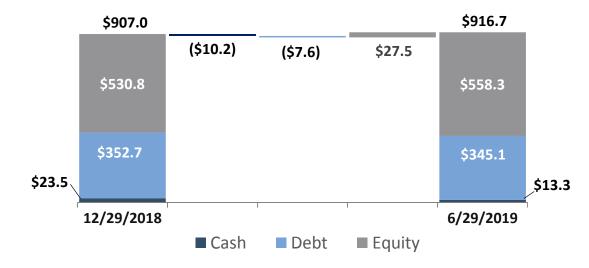
Cash Flow and Capitalization Review

(\$ in millions)



1H 2019

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Cash Flow Review

- Adjusted cash provided by operating activities benefited from improved cash from earnings, partially offset by working capital timing
- 1H 2019 CapEx included manufacturing technology enhancements, completion of CVT manufacturing consolidation project, equipment and leasehold improvements at the new China facility, equipment for new engineering center of excellence
- 2019 CapEx expected to be \$30 million to \$35 million⁽¹⁾

Capitalization Review

- Contingent consideration payment of \$17.8 million impacted cash and debt balances in Q2
- Net debt/Adjusted EBITDA was 2.4x⁽²⁾ at 6/29/2019

⁽¹⁾ Guidance as of August 5, 2019

⁽²⁾ Based on pro forma adjusted EBITDA on a trailing twelve months basis, including Custom Fluidpower results for its pre-acquisition period



Outlook

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- Geopolitical uncertainty impacting economic activity and foreign currency exchange rates
 - US/China trade war
 - Brexit
- Leading US indicators suggest currently slowing growth phase, expect soft landing
 - US Construction residential construction currently weak, single-unit expected to recover later in 2019, multi-unit in 2020
 - US Manufacturing majority trending along backside of cycle, especially automotive, expect to resume to accelerating growth in 2020
 - US Electronics new orders slowing
- Nearly all major global economies in slowing growth or recession phase
 - Western Europe currently in mild recession
 - China currently in slowing growth phase, expect accelerating growth in 2020

Sources: ITR Economics™ TrendsReport™ July 2019 and Institute of Printed Circuits Association



- Q3/Q4 consolidated quarterly revenue expected to be in line with cadence in Q1/Q2
- Oil & gas, agriculture, recreational, construction in APAC, and material handling end markets are softening
- Continuing investments in innovative manufacturing technologies and market-leading new products to drive growth and productivity improvements
- Challenging discretionary spending to adapt and adjust to the current environment
- Hydraulics
 - Changes in Fx rates significant headwind
 - Strong backlog favorably impacts CVT product sales outlook for Q3 and Q4
 - Ramping up production output from new China facility
- Electronics
 - Timing of 2019 OEM customer new model launches impacted by slower ramp-up curve
 - > Amended contractual obligations to provide all products to broader, global and diverse customer base



Updating 2019 Guidance*

	Previous 2019 Guidance	Updated 2019 Guidance	Change vs 2018 Actual
Consolidated revenue	\$580 - \$590 million	\$565 - \$575 million	11% - 13%
Hydraulics segment revenue	\$464 - \$469 million	\$453 - \$458 million	18% - 20%
Electronics segment revenue	\$116 - \$121 million	\$112 - \$117 million	(7)% - (11)%
GAAP EPS	\$2.10 - \$2.20	\$1.95 - \$2.05	31% - 38%
Non-GAAP cash EPS	\$2.55 - \$2.65	\$2.40 - \$2.50	4% - 9%
Adjusted EBITDA margin	24.0% - 24.5%	23.5% - 24.0%	(50) - (100) bps

* Guidance as of August 5, 2019

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Supplemental Information

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Segment Data

(\$ in thousands)		Three Mor	nths En	ded	Six Months Ended				
	J	·		une 30, 2018				une 30, 2018	
	(U	naudited)	(U	(Unaudited)		(Unaudited)		naudited)	
Sales:									
Hydraulics	\$	113,710	\$	103,634	\$	230,173	\$	166,243	
Electronics		30,132		32,534		60,520		67,243	
Consolidated	\$	143,842	\$	136,168	\$	290,693	\$	233,486	
Gross profit and margin:									
Hydraulics	\$	42,407	\$	39,422	\$	85,040	\$	62,870	
		37.3%		38.0%		36.9%		37.8%	
Electronics		13,820		14,107		27,695		28,276	
		45.8%		43.4%		45.8%		42.1%	
Corporate and other		-		(3,125)		-		(3,125)	
Consolidated	\$	56,227	\$	50,404	\$	112,735	\$	88,021	
		39.1%		37.0%		38.8%		37.7%	
Operating income and margin:									
Hydraulics	\$	24,123	\$	25,401	\$	47,885	\$	38,844	
		21.2%		24.5%		20.8%		23.3%	
Electronics		6,488		6,532		13,000		13,639	
		21.6%		20.0%		21.5%		20.2%	
Corporate and other		(4,238)		(14,930)		(8,681)		(18,226)	
Consolidated	\$	26,373	\$	17,003	\$	52,204	\$	34,257	
		18.4%		12.5%		18.0%		14.7%	



Sales by Geographic Region & Segment

2019 Sales by Geographic Region and Segment

(\$	in	millions)
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		%		%		%
	Q1	of Total	Q2	of Total	2019	of Total
Americas:						
Hydraulics	\$ 41.6		\$ 41.2		\$ 82.9	
Electronics	26.1		26.6		52.7	
Consol. Americas	67.7	46%	67.8	47%	135.6	47%
EMEA:						
Hydraulics	41.8		36.8		78.5	
Electronics	2.5		1.8		4.3	
Consol. EMEA	44.3	30%	38.6	27%	82.8	28%
APAC:						
Hydraulics	33.1		35.7		68.8	
Electronics	1.8		1.7		3.5	
Consol. APAC	34.9	24%	37.4	26%	72.3	25%
Total	\$ 146.9	-	\$ 143.8	-	\$ 290.7	

2018 Sales by Geographic Region and Segment

(\$ in millions)										
		%		%		%		%		%
	Q1	of Total	Q2	of Total	Q3	of Total	Q4	of Total	2018	of Total
Americas:										
Hydraulics	\$ 26.4		\$ 39.7		\$ 38.4		\$ 44.2		\$ 148.7	
Electronics	30.1		27.9		27.4		23.5	_	108.9	
Consol. Americas	56.5	58%	67.6	50%	65.8	48%	67.7	49%	257.6	51%
EMEA:										
Hydraulics	19.6		40.5		34.6		34.9		129.6	
Electronics	2.7		2.7		2.7		2.0		10.1	_
Consol. EMEA	22.3	23%	43.2	32%	37.3	28%	36.9	27%	139.7	27%
APAC:										
Hydraulics	16.6		23.4		31.1		32.4		103.5	
Electronics	1.9		2.0		1.6		1.7		7.2	_
Consol. APAC	18.5	19%	25.4	18%	32.7	24%	34.1	24%	110.7	22%
Total	\$ 97.3	-	\$ 136.2		\$ 135.8		\$ 138.7		\$ 508.0	



Adjusted Operating Income Reconciliation

(Unaudited)

(\$ in thousands)	Three Months Ended					Six Months Ended				
	June 29, June 30, 2019 2018		•	J	une 29, 2019	J	une 30, 2018			
GAAP operating income	\$	26,373	\$	17,003	\$	52,204	\$	34,257		
Acquisition-related amortization of intangible assets		4,484		8,015		8,945		10,004		
Acquisition-related amortization of inventory step-up		-		3,125		-		3,125		
Acquisition and financing-related expenses		-		3,731		11		4,927		
Restructuring charges		-		59		-		170		
Non-GAAP adjusted operating income	\$	30,857	\$	31,933	\$	61,160	\$	52,483		
GAAP operating margin		18.3%		12.5%		18.0%		14.7%		
Non-GAAP Adjusted operating margin		21.5%		23.5%		21.0%		22.5%		

Non-GAAP Financial Measure:

Adjusted operating margin is adjusted operating income divided by sales. Adjusted operating income and adjusted operating margin are not measures determined in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States, commonly known as GAAP. Nevertheless, Helios believes that providing non-GAAP information such as adjusted operating income and adjusted operating margin are important for investors and other readers of Helios's financial statements, as they are used as analytical indicators by Helios's management to better understand operating performance. Because adjusted operating income and adjusted operating margin are thus susceptible to varying calculations, adjusted operating income and adjusted operating income and adjusted operating income margin, as presented, may not be directly comparable to other similarly titled measures used by other companies.



Non-GAAP Cash Net Income Reconciliation

(Unaudited)

(\$ in thousands)

	Three Months Ended					Six Months Ended			
	J	une 29, 2019	J	une 30, 2018	June 29, 2019			une 30, 2018	
Net income	\$	17,265	\$	6,796	\$	33,669	\$	18,707	
Acquisition-related amortization of inventory step-up		-		3,125		-		3,125	
Acquisition and financing-related expenses		-		3,731		11		4,927	
Restructuring charges		-		59		-		170	
Foreign currency forward contract loss		-		2,030		-		2,535	
Change in fair value of contingent consideration		56		251		775		653	
Amortization of intangible assets		4,545		8,076		9,066		10,124	
Tax effect of above		(1,150)		(4,318)		(2,463)		(5,384)	
Non-GAAP cash net income	\$	20,716	\$	19,750	\$	41,058	\$	34,857	
Non-GAAP cash net income per diluted share	\$	0.65	\$	0.63	\$	1.28	\$	1.13	

Non-GAAP Financial Measure:

Adjusted net income per diluted share is adjusted net income divided by diluted weighted average common shares outstanding. Cash net income per share is cash net income divided by diluted weighted average common shares outstanding. Adjusted net income, adjusted net income per diluted share, cash net income and cash net income per diluted share are not measures determined in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States, commonly known as GAAP. Nevertheless, Helios believes that providing non-GAAP information such as adjusted net income, adjusted net income per diluted share, cash net income and cash net income per diluted share is important for investors and other readers of Helios's financial statements, as they are used as analytical indicators by Helios's management to better understand operating performance. Because adjusted net income, adjusted net income per diluted share, cash net income and cash net income per diluted share are non-GAAP measures and are thus susceptible to varying calculations, adjusted net income, adjusted net income per diluted share, cash net income, and cash net income per diluted share, as presented, may not be directly comparable to other similarly titled measures used by other companies.



Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation

(Unaudited) (\$ in thousands)		Three Mor	ths En	ded	Six Months Ended				
		June 29,		June 30,		une 29,	June 30,		
		2019		2018		2019	2018		
Net income	\$	17,265	\$	6,796	\$	33,669	\$	18,707	
Interest expense, net		4,048		4,151		8,433		4,634	
Income tax provision		4,660		2,424		9,315		6,407	
Depreciation and amortization		8,624		12,347		17,195		17,076	
EBITDA		34,597		25,718		68,612		46,824	
Acquisition-related amortization of inventory step-up				3,125				3,125	
Acquisition and financing-related expenses		-		3,731		11		4,927	
Restructuring charges		-		59		-		170	
Foreign currency forward contract loss		-		2,030		-		2,535	
Change in fair value of contingent consideration		56		251		775		653	
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	34,653	\$	34,914	\$	69,398	\$	58,234	
Adjusted EBITDA margin		24.1%		25.6%		23.9%		24.9%	

Non-GAAP Financial Measure:

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(Unaudited) (\$ in thousands)	Six Months Ended						
	Jl	une 29, 2019	June 30, 2018				
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	25,445	\$	31,117			
Contingent consideration payment in excess of acquisition date fair value		10,731		-			
Adjusted net cash provided by operating activities	\$	36,176	\$	31,117			

Non-GAAP Financial Measure:

Adjusted cash from operating activities is cash from operating activities plus the portion of the contingent consideration payment that was in excess of acquisition date fair value relating to the Enovation Controls acquisition. Adjusted cash from operating activities is not a measure determined in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States, commonly known as GAAP. Nevertheless, Helios believes that providing non-GAAP information such as Adjusted cash from operating activities is important for investors and other readers of Helios's financial statements, as it is used as an analytical indicator by Helios's management to better understand operating performance. Because Adjusted cash from operating activities is a non-GAAP measure and is thus susceptible to varying calculations, Adjusted cash from operating activities, as presented, may not be directly comparable to other similarly titled measures used by other companies.



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