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2Q21 & YTD Highlights

Financial Highlights

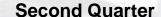
- 2Q21 Sales of \$375.7 million (+8.4% y/y) and Adjusted EBITDA of \$64.5 million (+4.6% y/y)
- YTD Sales of \$717.0 million (+11.6% y/y) and Adjusted EBITDA of \$112.2 million (+8.9% y/y)
- Completed merger with Landcadia III, began trading on NASDAQ under "HLMN" ticker
- Recapitalized balance sheet reducing leverage to 3.8x TTM adjusted EBITDA from 7.1x
- Achieved fill-rates >90%, above competitors
- Implemented initial price increase end of second quarter
- Rolled-out new business wins

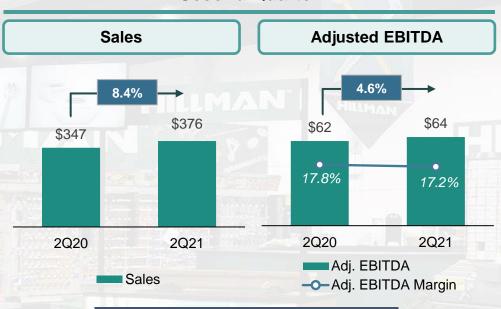
| Outlook (\$ millions) | 2019 | 2020 | 2021E | 2022E |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|
| Revenues | \$1,214.4 | \$1,368.3 | \$1,400 | \$1,500 |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$178.7 | \$221.2 | \$220-\$230 | \$245-\$255 |



Solid Start to 2021

(\$ in millions)





Second Quarter Highlights

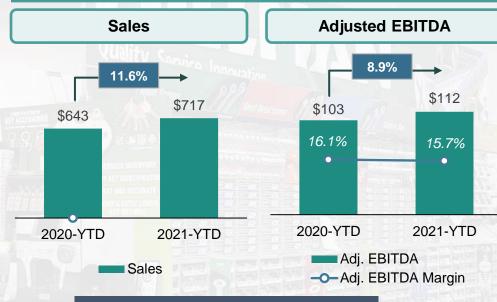
Sales grew 8.4% in 2Q21

HS +5.6%
 PS -21.5%

RDS +57.2% Canada +32.1%

- Adjusted EBITDA grew 4.6% and margin contracted 60 basis points primarily due to mix and higher operating expenses
- 2-Year Growth: Revenue +15.7%, Adjusted EBITDA +19.0%

6-Month YTD



6-Month YTD Highlights

- Sales grew 11.6% 6-month YTD
 - HS +7.9% PS +3.2%
 - RDS +24.1% Canada +31.5%
- Adjusted EBITDA grew 8.9% and margin contracted 40 basis points primarily due to mix and higher operating expenses
- 2-Year Growth: Revenue +17.1%, Adjusted EBITDA +21.1%



2Q21 Segment Results Summary

| \$ Thousands | | THE CAN IN | 14 | |
|-----------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|---|
| Hardware & Protective | 2Q20 | 2Q21 | \$ | |
| For Quarter Ended | 6/27/2020 | 6/26/2021 | Change | Comments |
| Revenues | \$269,499 | \$263,129 | (\$6,370) | Lower gloves & mask sales partially offset by hardware growth |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$45,704 | \$36,114 | (\$9,590) | Lower mask sales, higher operating expenses |
| Margin | 17.0% | 13.7% | (330 bps) | Higher freight & material cost, sales mix |

| Robotics & Digital Solutions | 2Q20 | 2Q21 | \$ | |
|------------------------------|-----------|---------------------|----------|---|
| For Quarter Ended | 6/27/2020 | 6/26/2021 | Change | Comments |
| Revenues | \$42,198 | \$66,351 | \$24,153 | Recovery from weak demand during covid lock-downs |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$12,373 | \$23,696 | \$11,323 | Stronger sales |
| Margin | 29.3% | 35.7 <mark>%</mark> | 640 bps | Operating leverage from stronger sales |

| Canada | 2Q20 | 2Q21 | \$ | |
|-------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|---|
| For Quarter Ended | 6/27/2020 | 6/26/2021 | Change | Comments |
| Revenues | \$35,013 | \$46,235 | \$11,222 | Strong demand from big box retailers |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$3,533 | \$4,662 | \$1,129 | |
| Margin | 10.1% | 10.0% | (10 bps) | Sales leverage offset by higher variable labor & delivery costs |



Year-To-Date Segment Results

| \$ Thousands | | | | |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---|
| Hardware & Protective | YTD | YTD | \$ | |
| For Six Months Ended | 6/27/2020 | 6/26/2021 | Change | Comments |
| Revenues | \$482,676 | \$514,058 | \$31,382 | Strong hardware demand and PPE contribution |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$71,366 | \$65,146 | (\$6,220) | |
| Margin | 14.8% | 12.7% | (210 bps) | Inflation costs and negative mix |

| Robotics & Digital Solutions | YTD | YTD | \$ | |
|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|--|
| For Six Months Ended | 6/27/2020 | 6/26/2021 | Change | Comments |
| Revenues | \$98,505 | \$122,230 | \$23,725 | Recovery in key and engraving sales post Covid |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$29,943 | \$41,113 | \$11,170 | |
| Margin | 30.4% | 33.6% | 320 bps | Operating leverage from sales growth |

| Canada | YTD | YTD | \$ | |
|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------|----------|--------------------------------------|
| For Six Months Ended | 6/27/2020 | 6/26/2021 | Change | Comments |
| Revenues | \$61,365 | \$80,708 | \$19,343 | Strong demand from big box retailers |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$ <mark>1,822</mark> | \$6,019 | \$4,197 | |
| Margin | 3.0% | 7.5% | 450 bps | Operating leverage from sales growth |



2Q21 Two-Year Growth Comparison

| \$ Millions | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|--------|
| Hardware & Protective | 2Q19 | 2Q21 | % | YTD 2019 | YTD 2021 | % |
| For Quarter Ended | 6/29/2019 | 6/26/2021 | Change | 6/29/2019 | 6/26/2021 | Change |
| Revenues | \$226.4 | \$263.1 | 16.2% | \$428.0 | \$514.1 | 20.1% |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$31.4 | \$36.1 | 15.0% | \$51.6 | \$65.1 | 26.2% |
| Margin | 13.9% | 13.7% | (30 bps) | 12.1% | 12.7% | 60 bps |

| Robotics & Digital Solutions | 2Q19 | 2Q21 | % | YTD 2019 | YTD 2021 | % |
|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|---------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| For Quarter Ended | 6/29/2019 | 6/26/2021 | Change | 6/29/2019 | 6/26/2021 | Change |
| Revenues | \$60.2 | \$66.4 | 10.3% | \$117.6 | \$122.2 | 3.9% |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$18.6 | \$23.7 | 27.4% | \$35.9 | \$41.1 | 14.5% |
| Margin Margin | 31.0% | 35.7% | 470 bps | 30.5% | 33.6% | 310 bps |

| Canada | 2Q19 | 2Q21 | % | YTD 2019 | YTD 2021 | % |
|-------------------|---------------------|-----------|---------|-----------|-----------|----------|
| For Quarter Ended | 6/29/2019 | 6/26/2021 | Change | 6/29/2019 | 6/26/2021 | Change |
| Revenues | \$38.0 | \$46.2 | 21.5% | \$66.7 | \$80.7 | 19.9% |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$4.2 | \$4.7 | 11.9% | \$5.2 | \$6.0 | 15.4% |
| Margin | 11 <mark>.1%</mark> | 10.0% | 110 bps | 7.8% | 7.5% | (30 bps) |

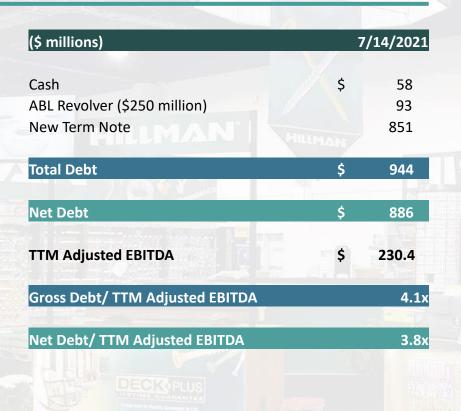
| Consolidated | 2Q19 | 2Q21 | % | YTD 2019 | YTD 2021 | % |
|-------------------|-----------|-----------|--------|-----------|-----------|--------|
| For Quarter Ended | 6/29/2019 | 6/26/2021 | Change | 6/29/2019 | 6/26/2021 | Change |
| Revenues | \$324.6 | \$375.7 | 15.7% | \$612.3 | \$717.0 | 17.1% |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$54.2 | \$64.5 | 19.0% | \$92.7 | \$112.3 | 21.1% |
| Margin | 16.7% | 17.2% | 50 bps | 15.1% | 15.7% | 60 bps |

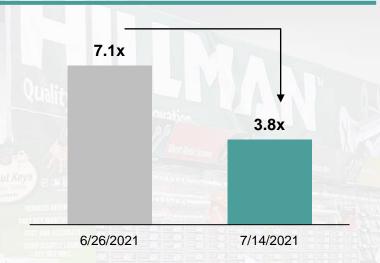


Strong Capital Structure Supports Growth

Total Leverage Based on TTM Adj. EBITDA

Total Net Leverage Based on TTM Adj. EBITDA







Outlook

| Outlook (\$ millions) | 2019 | 2020 | 2021E | 2022E |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|
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Long-term Growth

- Revenue +6%
- Adj EBITDA +10%

Other

- SGA 25% fixed, 75% driven by revenues
- Interest Expense ~\$30 million/year
- Income Tax cash taxpayer late 2022, then ~25% effective tax rate
- Capital Expenditures ~\$60 million/year, \$40 million growth
- Shares outstanding 187.6 million, 24.7 million warrants outstanding at \$11.50 strike price



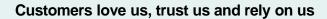


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Investment Highlights



Indispensable partner embedded with winning retailers







Market and innovation leader across compelling categories



Large, predictable, growing and non-cyclical end markets



Significant runway for incremental growth: organic and via M&A



Management team with proven operational and M&A expertise



Strong financial profile with 56-year track record



Hillman at a Glance

| Business Description | By the Numbers |
|----------------------|----------------|
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|--|--------|------------|----|----|-------|-------|--------|---|

- The leading distributor of hardware and home improvement products, personal protective equipment and robotic kiosk technologies to a broad range of winning retailers in the U.S., Canada and Mexico
- The predominance of our sales come from Hillman-owned brands
- Highly attractive ~\$6 billion direct addressable market with strong secular tailwinds
- Long-standing strategic partnerships with winning retailers including Home Depot, Lowes, Walmart, Tractor Supply, ACE and independent hardware stores
- Provide highly complex logistics, inventory, category management and differentiated in-store merchandising services via ~1,100 person field sales and service team
- ~3,600 non-union employees across corporate HQ,
 22 N.A. distribution centers, and Taiwan sourcing office

| ~20 billion Fasteners Sold per Year | ~575 million Pairs of Gloves Sold per Year | ~116 million Keys Duplicated per Year |
|-------------------------------------|--|---|
| ~112,000 | ~42,000 | ~32,500 |
| SKUs | Store Direct | Kiosks in |
| Managed | Locations | Retail Locations |
| #1 Position Across Core Categories | 10% Long-Term Historical Sales CAGR | 55 Years Sales Growth in 56-Year History |
| ~\$1.4bn | 22% | 16% |
| 2020E | 2017A-2020 Adj. | 2020 Adj. |
| Sales | EBITDA Growth | EBITDA Margin |

Note: Figures may not tie due to rounding and corporate eliminations.

Adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP measure. Please see page 14 for a reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to Net Income.

Operational metrics based on 2020 management estimates.



Our Primary Business Segments

Hardware & Protective Solutions Hardware Solutions Protective Solutions Robotics and Digital Solutions Segment Position #1 #1 #1 **Fasteners** Construction **Key and Fob Duplication** &Specialty **Fasteners Work Gear Gloves** HILLMAN **MINUTE** © KeY **POWERPRO® DECK** PLUS Fas-n-Tite® Hillman-Owned Brands **Builders Hardware** Personalized Knife **Picture** Safety / PPE Sharpening & Metal Shapes Hanging Tags STEELWORKS FIRM GRID HILLMAN' TagW@rks.













Source: Third party industry report.



Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation

| Thousands For Period Ending | 2Q20 6/27/20 | 2Q21 6/26/21 | 1H20 6/27/20 | 1H21 6/26/21 |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Income from Operations | \$20,728 | \$19,509 | \$30,174 | \$25,289 |
| D&A | 32,095 | 30,684 | 64,460 | 61,934 |
| EBITDA | \$52,823 | \$50,193 | \$94,634 | \$87,223 |
| Stock Compensation | 1,524 | 1,796 | 2,669 | 3,537 |
| CCMP Management Fees | HILMAN 196 | 88 | 321 | 214 |
| Facility Exits | 433 | O O A (We Cut Reys) | 433 | /// |
| Restructuring | 980 | Marine Marine Marine | 2,710 | 109 |
| Litigation Fees | 1,893 | 6,322 | 2,674 | 10,282 |
| Acquisition & Integration | 661 | 3,299 | 990 | 8,139 |
| Buy-back Expense | | 1,350 | | 1,350 |
| Anti-Dumping Expense | · · | 2,636 | · 清景、置盖英 | 2,636 |
| Change in Fair Value | 3,100 | (1,212) | (1,300) | (1,212) |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$ <mark>61,610</mark> | \$64,472 | \$103,131 | \$112,278 |

- 1 Stock compensation
- 2 CCMP management fees
- 3 Costs associated with the closure of facility in San Antonio, Texas
- Inventory write-offs, severance, rent, labor costs, etc. related to restructuring initiatives
- Professional fees related to non-recurring litigation

- Professional fees, non-recurring bonuses, severance and other costs related to merger and acquisition activity including merger with LCY
- Remove infrequent buy-backs associated with new business wins
- 8 Prior year anti-dumping duties related to nail business
- Change in fair value of contingent consideration for acquisitions



2021 Segment Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliations

| Thirteen Weeks Ended June 26, 2021 | HPS | RDS | Canada | Consolidated |
|--|----------|-----------|------------|--------------|
| Operating Income (Loss) | \$9,995 | \$6,546 | \$2,968 | \$19,509 |
| Depreciation & Amortization | \$17,397 | \$11,593 | \$1,694 | \$30,684 |
| Stock Compensation Expense | \$1,552 | \$244 | | \$1,796 |
| Management Fees | \$76 | \$12 | <u> </u> | \$88 |
| Restructuring | | | | <u>Inna</u> |
| Litigation Expense | | \$6,322 | | \$6,322 |
| Acquisition & Integration Expense | \$3,108 | \$191 | e | \$3,299 |
| Buy-Back Expense | \$1,350 | | ye culleys | \$1,350 |
| Anti-dumping Duties | \$2,636 | | | \$2,636 |
| Change in Fair Value of Contingent Consideration | | (\$1,212) | 131 124444 | (\$1,212) |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$36,114 | \$23,696 | \$4,662 | \$64,472 |

| Twenty-Six Weeks Ended June 26, 2021 | HPS | RDS | Canada | Consolidated |
|--|-----------------|-----------|---------|--------------|
| Operating Income (Loss) | \$16,045 | \$6,700 | \$2,544 | \$25,289 |
| Depreciation & Amortization | \$34,520 | \$23,974 | \$3,440 | \$61,934 |
| Stock Compensation Expense | \$3,056 | \$481 | | \$3,537 |
| Management Fees | \$185 | \$29 | | \$214 |
| Restructuring PEGK PLUS | \$64 | \$10 | \$35 | \$109 |
| Litigation Expense | | \$10,282 | | \$10,282 |
| Acquisition & Integration Expense | \$7,290 | \$849 | | \$8,139 |
| Buy-Back Expense | \$1,350 | | | \$1,350 |
| Anti-dumping Duties | \$2,636 | | | \$2,636 |
| Change in Fair Value of Contingent Consideration | [- | (\$1,212) | | (\$1,212) |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$65,146 | \$41,113 | \$6,019 | \$112,278 |



2020 Segment Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliations

| Thirteen Weeks Ended June 27, 2020 | HPS | RDS | Canada | Consolidated |
|--|-----------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|--|
| Operating Income (Loss) | \$24,423 | (\$4,510) | \$815 | \$20,728 |
| Depreciation & Amortization | \$17,608 | \$12,749 | \$1,738 | \$32,095 |
| Stock Compensation Expense | \$1,379 | \$145 | | \$1,524 |
| Management Fees | \$176 | \$20 | | \$196 |
| Restructuring | | | \$980 | \$980 |
| Litigation Expense | | \$1,893 | | \$1,893 |
| Acquisition & Integration Expense | \$498 | \$163 | | \$661 |
| Buy-Back Expense | \$433 | | <u>4</u> | \$433 |
| Anti-dumping Duties | | 0.013 | vecauliers | |
| Change in Fair Value of Contingent Consideration | | \$3,100 | | \$3,100 |
| Corporate & Intersegment Adjustments | \$1, <mark>187</mark> | (\$1,187) | HELDOCEN HAVE HELDY NET TO CH | MEATING TO THE ACTION OF THE A |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$45,704 | \$12,373 | \$3,533 | \$61,610 |

| Twenty-Six Weeks Ended June 27, 2020 | HPS | RDS | Canada | Consolidated |
|--|----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|
| Operating Income (Loss) | \$33,276 | \$1,386 | (\$4,488) | \$30,174 |
| Depreciation & Amortization | \$34,462 | \$26,398 | \$3,600 | \$64,460 |
| Stock Compensation Expense | \$2,330 | \$339 | | \$2,669 |
| Management Fees | \$280 | \$41 | | \$321 |
| Restructuring | | | \$2,710 | \$2,710 |
| Litigation Expense | | \$2,674 | 5請請 | \$2,674 |
| Acquisition & Integration Expense | \$632 | \$358 | <u> </u> | \$990 |
| Buy-Back Expense | \$433 | | <u> </u> | \$433 |
| Anti-dumping Duties | 2 | | | \$0 |
| Change in Fair Value of Contingent Consideration | | (\$1,300) | E | (\$1,300) |
| Corporate & Intersegment Adjustments | (\$47) | \$47 | | <u></u> |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$71,366 | \$29,943 | \$1,822 | \$103,131 |



2019 Segment Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliations

| Thirteen Weeks Ended June 29, 2019 | HPS | RDS | Canada | Consolidated |
|--------------------------------------|----------|-----------|------------------|--------------|
| Operating Income (Loss) | \$10,914 | (\$3,412) | \$1,044 | \$8,546 |
| Depreciation & Amortization | \$16,228 | \$13,405 | \$1,703 | \$31,336 |
| Stock Compensation Expense | \$246 | \$55 | | \$301 |
| Management Fees | \$125 | | | \$125 |
| Restructuring | \$42 | \$9 | \$1,467 | \$1,518 |
| Litigation Expense | | \$297 | | \$297 |
| Acquisition & Integration Expense | \$2,110 | \$1,289 | | \$3,399 |
| Buy-Back Expense | \$2,014 | | | \$2,014 |
| Anti-dumping Duties | | ET LOSS | | |
| Corporate & Intersegment Adjustments | (\$312) | \$312 | | |
| Impairment | | \$6,686 | 401 <u>01161</u> | \$6,686 |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$31,367 | \$18,641 | \$4,214 | \$54,222 |

| Twenty-Six Weeks Ended June 29, 2019 | HPS | RDS | Canada | Consolidated |
|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|-----------------------|--------------|
| Operating Income (Loss) | \$8,361 | (\$384) | \$834 | \$8,811 |
| Depreciation & Amortization | \$32,270 | \$26,696 | \$2,954 | \$61,920 |
| Stock Compensation Expense | \$541 | \$121 | | \$662 |
| Management Fees | \$256 | | | \$256 |
| Restructuring | \$42 | \$9 | \$1 <mark>,403</mark> | \$1,454 |
| Litigation Expense | | \$297 | 加麗 | \$297 |
| Acquisition & Integration Expense | \$4,280 | \$2,248 | <u> </u> | \$6,528 |
| Buy-Back Expense | \$6,083 | | | \$6,083 |
| Anti-dumping Duties | | | 10000 | |
| Corporate & Intersegment Adjustments | (\$205) | \$205 | | |
| Impairment | | \$6,686 | | \$6,686 |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$51,628 | \$35,878 | \$5,191 | \$92,697 |

