

# Sonic Automotive Reports Third Quarter 2019 EPS of \$0.66, Up 83%

# EchoPark Revenues Up 67.9% and Tracking \$1.2 Billion for Full Year 2019

# EchoPark Pre-Tax Income Up 138.9%

CHARLOTTE, N.C.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Sonic Automotive, Inc. (NYSE: SAH), one of the nation's largest automotive retailers, today reported financial results for the third quarter of 2019.

- EchoPark revenues of \$312.2 million during the third quarter of 2019, up 67.9% from the third quarter of 2018.
- EchoPark pre-tax profit improved \$7.6 million, or 138.9%, to \$2.1 million in the third quarter of 2019, compared to a pre-tax loss of \$5.5 million in the third quarter of 2018.
- EchoPark generated Adjusted EBITDA\* of \$6.4 million in the third quarter of 2019, improving by \$9.4 million from the third quarter of 2018.
- EchoPark retailed 13,206 pre-owned units during the third quarter of 2019, up 71.6% from the third quarter of 2018.
- Total Sonic consolidated continuing operations earnings per diluted share of \$0.66 in the third quarter of 2019, compared to \$0.36 in the third quarter of 2018, an 83.3% increase from the third quarter of 2018.
- Total Sonic consolidated all-time quarterly record pre-owned retail unit sales of 42,453 units in the third quarter of 2019.
- Total Sonic same store Fixed Operations gross profit increased \$11.4 million in the third quarter of 2019, up 7.3% from the third quarter of 2018.
- Total Sonic consolidated all-time quarterly record F&I gross profit per retail unit of \$1,771 in the third quarter of 2019, an increase of \$266 per unit from the third quarter of 2018.
- Total Sonic consolidated all-time quarterly record F&I gross profit of \$126.8 million in the third quarter of 2019, an increase of 29.3% from the third quarter of 2018.
- SG&A to gross profit ratio of 76.7% in the third quarter of 2019, an improvement of 350 basis points compared to the third quarter of 2018.

\* Adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure. The schedules included in this press release reconcile this non-GAAP financial measure to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measure.

# Third Quarter 2019 Results

Net income from continuing operations for the third quarter of 2019 was \$29.2 million, or \$0.66 per diluted share. Comparatively, net income from continuing operations for the third

quarter of 2018 was \$15.3 million, or \$0.36 per diluted share. Results reported for the third quarter of 2018 include pre-tax charges totaling \$3.1 million related to storm damage, executive transition costs and charges related to the disposal of franchises.

# **Commentary**

David Smith, Sonic's and EchoPark's Chief Executive Officer, commented, "Our franchised stores and our EchoPark stores grew pre-tax income in the double and triple digits, respectively. The franchised stores segment increased pre-tax income in the third quarter of 2019 over the prior year quarter by \$10.3 million, or 36.8%, while the EchoPark segment increased pre-tax income in the third quarter of 2019 over the prior year quarter by \$7.6 million, or 138.9%."

Mr. Smith continued, "Our operations teams delivered yet another outstanding quarter that resulted in an 83% improvement in earnings per diluted share from continuing operations compared to the third quarter of 2018. Our teams delivered a solid combination of gross profit growth and cost control. Consolidated gross profit grew 7.3% while our SG&A to gross profit ratio improved by 350 basis points. These results were achieved in spite of a challenging new vehicle sales environment where our new vehicle unit sales and related gross profit decreased by 2.8% and \$6.3 million, respectively. Our pre-owned, Fixed Operations and F&I results during the quarter exceeded our expectations. We believe these favorable operating trends will continue into the fourth quarter."

Jeff Dyke, Sonic's and EchoPark's President, commented, "Our EchoPark stores had another exceptional quarter. EchoPark grew revenues by 67.9%, gross profit by 107.2% and pre-tax income by 138.9%. As we continue to grow our top-line revenues, a greater amount of incremental gross profit flows through to the bottom line, demonstrating the significant earnings upside potential in this business over the long term. Our path to opening our next EchoPark market in Long Beach, California is becoming clearer and we anticipate an opening in the latter half of the fourth quarter of this year. We are excited to introduce the EchoPark brand to the California market and look forward to continuing to execute on our plans for EchoPark growth, omni-channel selling and other digital initiatives."

# <u>Dividend</u>

Sonic's Board of Directors approved a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.10 per share payable on January 15, 2020 to all stockholders of record on December 13, 2019.

# Third Quarter 2019 Earnings Conference Call

Senior management will host a conference call today at 11:00 A.M. (Eastern) to discuss the quarter's results. To access the live broadcast of the call over the Internet go to: <u>www.sonicautomotive.com</u>, then click on "Our Company," then "Investor Relations," then the "Earnings Conference Calls" link at the bottom of the page.

Presentation materials for the conference call will be accessible beginning the morning of the conference call on the Company's website at <u>www.sonicautomotive.com</u> by clicking on the "Investor Relations" tab under "Our Company" and choosing the "Webcasts & Presentations" link at the bottom of the page.

The conference call will also be available live by dialing in 10 minutes prior to the start of the call at:

Domestic: (877) 450-3867 International: (706) 643-0958 Conference ID: 5598838

A conference call replay will be available one hour following the call for seven days and can be accessed by calling:

Domestic: (855) 859-2056 International: (404) 537-3406 Conference ID: 5598838

# About Sonic Automotive

Sonic Automotive, Inc., a Fortune 500 company based in Charlotte, N.C., is one of the nation's largest automotive retailers. Sonic can be reached on the web at <u>www.sonicautomotive.com</u>. More information about EchoPark Automotive can be found at <u>www.echopark.com</u>.

# Forward-Looking Statements

Included herein are forward-looking statements. There are many factors that affect management's views about future events and trends of the Company's business. These factors involve risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results or trends to differ materially from management's views, including, without limitation, EchoPark revenue estimates, EchoPark unit sales volume, EchoPark profit estimates, economic conditions in the markets in which we operate, new and used vehicle industry sales volume, the success of our operational strategies, the rate and timing of overall economic recovery or decline, and the risk factors described in the Company's other periodic reports and information filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"). The Company does not undertake any obligation to update forward-looking information, except as required under federal securities laws and the rules and regulations of the SEC.

# **Non-GAAP Financial Measures**

This press release and the attached financial tables contain certain non-GAAP financial measures as defined under SEC rules, such as Adjusted EBITDA. As required by SEC rules, the Company provides reconciliations of these non-GAAP financial measures to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures. The Company believes that these non-GAAP financial measures improve the transparency of the Company's disclosures and provide a meaningful presentation of the Company's results.

## Sonic Automotive, Inc. Results of Operations (Unaudited)

## **Results of Operations**

		Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Mont Septem		Better / (Worse) %
	2019	2018	% Change	2019	2018	76 Change
	(In t	thousands, e	except per	share amou	unts)	
Revenues:						
New vehicles		3 \$1,235,094		\$3,529,106		(3.4)%
Used vehicles	914,272				2,217,616	18.2%
Wholesale vehicles	51,542		-	156,351	167,726	(6.8)%
Total vehicles		2 2,029,670		6,305,721	6,039,852	4.4%
Parts, service and collision repair	352,047	,		1,048,789		0.7%
Finance, insurance and other, net	126,84		29.3%	351,429	295,890	18.8%
Total revenues	2,702,720	0 2,470,849	9.4%	7,705,939	7,377,372	4.5%
Cost of Sales:						
New vehicles	<b>X</b> · · ·	) (1,173,453)		(3,363,603)	( ,	(3.3)%
Used vehicles	(877,444			(2,509,699)		
Wholesale vehicles	(52,648	<u>, (; )</u>		(159,437)	(176,806)	(9.8)%
Total vehicles	<b>、</b> · · ·	) (1,934,011)		(6,032,739)	. ,	4.7%
Parts, service and collision repair	(183,107			(546,067)	(538,135)	1.5%
Total cost of sales		) (2,110,313)		(6,578,806)	( )	4.4%
Gross profit	386,81			1,127,133		4.8%
Selling, general and administrative expenses	(296,826	, , , ,		(838,453)	(871,410)	
Impairment charges	(1,124		(100.0)%	(3,076)	(13,961)	78.0%
Depreciation and amortization	(23,665			(70,120)	(71,067)	1.3%
Operating income (loss)	65,196	6 48,137	35.4%	215,484	118,972	81.1%
Other income (expense):						
Interest expense, floor plan	(11,638	, ( : ,		(37,382)	(34,815)	(7.4)%
Interest expense, other, net	(13,013			(39,494)	(40,144)	1.6%
Other income (expense), net	(5		(100.0)%	90	107	15.9%
Total other income (expense)	(24,656			(76,786)	(74,852)	(2.6)%
Income (loss) from continuing operations before taxes	40,540	22,632	79.1%	138,698	44,120	214.4%
Provision for income taxes for continuing operations - benefit (expense)	(11,372	) (7,331)	(55.1)%	(40,430)	(13,711)	(194.9)%
Income (loss) from continuing operations	29,168	3 15,301	90.6%	98,268	30,409	223.2%
Discontinued operations:						
Income (loss) from discontinued operations before taxes	(223	) (252)	11.5%	(616)	(797)	22.7%
Provision for income taxes for discontinued operations - benef (expense)	6	5 69	(5.8)%	179	218	(17.9)%
Income (loss) from discontinued operations	(158		13.7%	(437)	(579)	24.5%
	\$ 29,010		91.9%	/		228.0%
Net income (loss)	φ 23,010	<u>φ 13,110</u>	31.370	φ 37,001	φ 23,000	220.070
Basic earnings (loss) per common share:	<b>•</b> • • •	o <b>(</b> ) o o o o	00.00/	<b>^</b>	<b>A</b> 0.74	004 40/
Earnings (loss) per share from continuing operations	\$ 0.6					221.1%
Earnings (loss) per share from discontinued operations	(0.01			(0.01)	(0.01)	-%
Earnings (loss) per common share	\$ 0.6	-				224.3%
Weighted-average common shares outstanding	43,078	3 42,673	(0.9)%	42,995	42,708	(0.7)%
Diluted earnings (loss) per common share:						
Earnings (loss) per share from continuing operations	\$ 0.6	6\$ 0.36	83.3%	\$ 2.26	\$ 0.71	218.3%
Earnings (loss) per share from discontinued operations		- (0.01)	100.0%	(0.01)	(0.02)	50.0%
Earnings (loss) per common share	\$ 0.6	6 \$ 0.35	88.6%	\$ 2.25	\$ 0.69	226.1%
Weighted-average common shares outstanding	44,203	3 42,994	(2.8)%	43,456	42,964	(1.1)%
Dividends declared per common share	\$ 0.1					66.7%

#### New Vehicles - Consolidated

	Three Months Ended September 30,					Better / (Worse)		
	 2019	2018		Change		% Char		
	 (In th	er uni	it data)					
Reported new vehicle:								
Revenue	\$ 1,258,018	\$	1,235,094	\$	22,924	1.		
Gross profit	\$ 55,308	\$	61,641	\$	(6,333)	(10.:		
Unit sales	30,147		31,009		(862)	(2.8		
Revenue per unit	\$ 41,729	\$	39,830	\$	1,899	4		
Gross profit per unit	\$ 1,835	\$	1,988	\$	(153)	(7.5		
Gross profit as a % of revenue	4.4%		5.0%		(60) b	ps		

	Nine Months Ended September 30,			Better / (Worse)		
	 2019		2018		Change	% Char
	 (In th	ousar	nds, except unit and pe	er un	it data)	
Reported new vehicle:						
Revenue	\$ 3,529,106	\$	3,654,510	\$	(125,404)	(3.4
Gross profit	\$ 165,503	\$	175,708	\$	(10,205)	(5.8
Unit sales	83,540		91,386		(7,846)	(8.6
Revenue per unit	\$ 42,245	\$	39,990	\$	2,255	5
Gross profit per unit	\$ 1,981	\$	1,923	\$	58	3
Gross profit as a % of revenue	4.7%		4.8%		(10) t	ops

	Three Months End	Better / (Worse)		
	 2019	2018	Change	% Char
	 (In th	er unit data)		
Same store new vehicle:				
Revenue	\$ 1,253,233	\$ 1,174,705	\$ 78,528	3 6
Gross profit	\$ 54,823	\$ 58,425	\$ (3,602	) (6.2
Unit sales	30,046	29,139	90	7 3
Revenue per unit	\$ 41,710	\$ 40,314	\$ 1,39	6 3
Gross profit per unit	\$ 1,825	\$ 2,005	\$ (180	) (9.(
Gross profit as a % of revenue	4.4%	5.0%	(60	) bps

	Nine Months Ended September 30,					Better / (Worse)		
	 2019	2018		Change		% Char		
	 (In thousands, except unit and pe							
Same store new vehicle:								
Revenue	\$ 3,487,153	\$	3,429,897	\$	57,256	1		
Gross profit	\$ 163,128	\$	167,188	\$	(4,060)	(2.4		
Unit sales	82,301		84,352		(2,051)	(2.4		
Revenue per unit	\$ 42,371	\$	40,662	\$	1,709	4		
Gross profit per unit	\$ 1,982	\$	1,982	\$	—	-		
Gross profit as a % of revenue	4.7%		4.9%		(20) b	ps		

Used Vehicles - Consolidated

 Intree Months Ended September 30,
 Better / (Worse)

 2019
 2018
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 (In thousands, except unit and per unit data)
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Reported used vehicle:				
Revenue	\$	914,272	\$ 745,998 \$168,274	22.6%
Gross profit	\$	36,828	\$ 35,317 \$ 1,511	4.3%
Unit sales		42,453	34,952 7,501	21.5%
Revenue per unit	\$	21,536	\$ 21,343 \$ 193	0.9%
Gross profit per unit	\$	868	\$ 1,010 \$ (142)	(14.1)%
Gross profit as a % of reve	nue	4.0%	4.7% (70) b	ps

	Nin	e Months End	Better / (Worse)							
		2019	2018	Change	% Change					
		(In thousands, except unit and per unit data)								
Reported used vehicle:										
Revenue	\$	2,620,264	\$	2,217,616	\$402,648	18.2%				
Gross profit	\$	110,565	\$	109,397	\$ 1,168	1.1%				
Unit sales		122,374		104,470	17,904	17.1%				
Revenue per unit	\$	21,412	\$	21,227	\$ 185	0.9%				
Gross profit per unit	\$	904	\$	1,047	\$ (143)	(13.7)%				
Gross profit as a % of reve	enue	4.2%		4.9%	(70)	bps				

	Thre	e Months End	Better / (Worse)			
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
		(In thousan	ds,	except unit and	per unit	data)
Same store used vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	855,900	\$	713,677	\$142,223	19.9%
Gross profit	\$	33,764	\$	33,088	\$ 676	2.0%
Unit sales		39,521		33,128	6,393	19.3%
Revenue per unit	\$	21,657	\$	21,543	\$ 114	0.5%
Gross profit per unit	\$	854	\$	999	\$ (145)	(14.5)%
Gross profit as a % of reven	ue	3.9%	)	4.6%	(70)	bps

	Nin	e Months End	Better / (Worse)						
		2019		2018	Change	% Change			
		(In thousands, except unit and per unit data)							
Same store used vehicle:									
Revenue	\$	2,440,633	\$	2,102,425	\$338,208	16.1%			
Gross profit	\$	101,638	\$	100,248	\$ 1,390	1.4%			
Unit sales		113,224		98,028	15,196	15.5%			
Revenue per unit	\$	21,556	\$	21,447	\$ 109	0.5%			
Gross profit per unit	\$	898	\$	1,023	\$ (125)	(12.2)%			
Gross profit as a % of reven	ue	4.2%		4.8%	(60)	bps			

#### Wholesale Vehicles - Consolidated

	Three Months Ended September 30,			Better / (Worse)		
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
		(In thousan	ds,	except unit and	per unit o	data)
Reported wholesale vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	51,542	\$	48,578	\$ 2,964	6.1%
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(1,106)	\$	(1,299)	\$ 193	14.9%
Unit sales		8,961		7,831	1,130	14.4%
Revenue per unit	\$	5,752	\$	6,203	\$ (451)	(7.3)%
Gross profit (loss) per unit	\$	(123)	\$	(166)	\$ 43	25.9%
Gross profit (loss) as a % of revenue		(2.1)%		(2.7)%	60	bps

	Nine Months Ende	Nine Months Ended September 30,				
	2019	2018	Change	% Change		
	(In thousand	ls, except unit and	l per unit	data)		
Reported wholesale vehicle:						

Revenue	\$	156,351	\$ 167,726 \$(11,375) (6	.8)%
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(3,086)	\$ (9,080) \$ 5,994 6	6.0%
Unit sales		26,254	25,953 301	1.2%
Revenue per unit	\$	5,955	\$ 6,463 \$ (508) (7	.9)%
Gross profit (loss) per unit	\$	(118)	\$ (350) \$ 232 6	6.3%
Gross profit (loss) as a % of reve	enue	(2.0)%	(5.4)% 340 bps	

	Thre	e Months End	Better / (Worse)			
	2019		2018		Change	% Change
		(In thousand	ds,	except unit and	per unit o	data)
Same store wholesale vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	49,791	\$	45,144	\$ 4,647	10.3%
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(1,009)	\$	(1,324)	\$ 315	23.8%
Unit sales		8,559		7,173	1,386	19.3%
Revenue per unit	\$	5,817	\$	6,294	\$ (477)	(7.6)%
Gross profit (loss) per unit	\$	(118)	\$	(185)	\$67	36.2%
Gross profit (loss) as a % of revenue	Э	(2.0)%		(2.9)%	90	bps

	Nine	Nine Months Ended September 30,								
			,	Better / (Worse)						
		2019		2018	Change	% Change				
		(In thousands, except unit and per unit data)								
Same store wholesale vehicle:										
Revenue	\$	150,890	\$	152,934	\$ (2,044)	(1.3)%				
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(2,746)	\$	(8,224)	\$ 5,478	66.6%				
Unit sales		25,081		23,367	1,714	7.3%				
Revenue per unit	\$	6,016	\$	6,545	\$ (529)	(8.1)%				
Gross profit (loss) per unit	\$	(109)	\$	(352)	\$ 243	69.0%				
Gross profit (loss) as a % of rev	enue	(1.8)%		(5.4)%	360	bps				

#### Fixed Operations - Consolidated

	Three Months Ended September 30,				Better / (Worse)			
		2019		2018	С	hange	% Change	
			(	(In thousands)				
Reported:								
Revenue								
Customer pay	\$	140,146	\$	139,642	\$	504	0.4%	
Warranty		69,894		66,730		3,164	4.7%	
Wholesale parts		38,345		39,419	(	1,074)	(2.7)%	
Internal, sublet and other		103,662		97,327		6,335	6.5%	
Total	\$	352,047	\$	343,118	\$	8,929	2.6%	
Gross profit								
Customer pay	\$	76,625	\$	74,994	\$	1,631	2.2%	
Warranty		38,235		38,563		(328)	(0.9)%	
Wholesale parts		6,651		6,784		(133)	(2.0)%	
Internal, sublet and other		47,429		46,475		954	2.1%	
Total	\$	168,940	\$	166,816	\$	2,124	1.3%	
Gross profit as a % of revenue	•							
Customer pay		54.7%		53.7%		100	ops	
Warranty		54.7%		57.8%		(310)ł	ops	
Wholesale parts		17.3%		17.2%		10	ops	
Internal, sublet and other		45.8%		47.8%		(200)ł	ops	
Total		48.0%		48.6%		(60)ł	ops	

Nine Months Ended September 30, Better / (Worse)

	2019			2018	Change	% Change
				(In thousands)		
Reported:						
Revenue						
Customer pay	\$	419,980	\$	422,348	\$(2,368)	(0.6)%
Warranty		208,676		198,219	10,457	5.3%
Wholesale parts		117,669		122,763	(5,094)	(4.1)%
Internal, sublet and other		302,464		298,300	4,164	1.4%
Total	\$	1,048,789	\$	1,041,630	\$ 7,159	0.7%
Gross profit						
Customer pay	\$	228,604	\$	226 443	\$ 2,161	1.0%
Warranty	Ψ	115,682	Ψ	112,335		
Wholesale parts		20,319		20,949	-	
Internal, sublet and other		138,117		143,768	、 /	(3.9)%
Total	\$	502,722	\$	503,495	\$ (773)	(0.2)%
Gross profit as a % of revenue	)					
Customer pay		54.4%		53.6%	80	bps
Warranty		55.4%		56.7%	(130)	ops
Wholesale parts		17.3%		17.1%	20	bps
Internal, sublet and other		45.7%		48.2%	(250)	ops
Total		47.9%		48.3%	(40)	ops

#### Fixed Operations - Consolidated

	Thre	e Months Ende	d S	eptember 30,	Better	/ (Worse)
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
			(In	thousands)		
Same Store:						
Revenue						
Customer pay	\$	139,807	\$		\$ 8,272	
Warranty		69,438		64,048	.,	
Wholesale parts		38,018		38,016		
Internal, sublet and other		101,610		92,849		
Total	\$	348,873	\$	326,448	\$22,425	6.9%
Gross profit						
Customer pay	\$	76,453	\$	70,227	\$ 6,226	8.9%
Warranty		37,982		35,569	2,413	6.8%
Wholesale parts		6,594		6,468	126	1.9%
Internal, sublet and other		47,061		44,410	2,651	6.0%
Total	\$	168,090	\$	156,674	\$11,416	7.3%
Gross profit as a % of revenue	Э					
Customer pay		54.7%		53.4%		bps
Warranty		54.7%		55.5%	(80)	bps
Wholesale parts		17.3%		17.0%	30	bps
Internal, sublet and other		46.3%		47.8%	(150)	bps
Total		48.2%		48.0%	20	bps
	Nin	e Months Endeo	d Se	ptember 30,	Better	/ (Worse)
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
			(In	thousands)		
Same Store:						
Revenue						
Customer pay	\$	414,704	\$	393,934	\$20,770	5.3%

Warranty		206,691	190,080	16,611	8.7%
Wholesale parts		116,148	116,866	(718)	(0.6)%
Internal, sublet and other		294,735	281,068	13,667	4.9%
Total	\$	1,032,278	\$ 981,948	\$50,330	5.1%
Gross profit					
Customer pay	\$	225,671	\$ 210,013	\$15,658	7.5%
Warranty		114,596	106,074	8,522	8.0%
Wholesale parts		20,019	19,770	249	1.3%
Internal, sublet and other		135,472	134,944	528	0.4%
Total	\$	495,758	\$ 470,801	\$24,957	5.3%
Gross profit as a % of revenue	)				
Customer pay		54.4%	53.3%	110bp	S
Warranty		55.4%	55.8%	(40)bp	S
Wholesale parts		17.2%	16.9%	30bp	S
Internal, sublet and other		46.0%	48.0%	(200)bp	S
Total		48.0%	47.9%	10bp	S

## F&I - Consolidated

-	Three Months Ended September 30,		Better / (Worse)			
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
-		(In thousand	s, e	xcept unit and	per unit	data)
Reported:						
Revenue	\$	126,841	\$	98,061	\$28,780	29.3%
Unit sales		71,636		65,168	6,468	9.9%
Gross profit per retail unit (excludes fleet)	\$	1,771	\$	1,505	\$ 266	17.7%

	Nine Months Ended September 30,		Better / (Worse)			
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
		(In thousand	s, e	except unit and	per unit	data)
Reported:						
Revenue	\$	351,429	\$	295,890	\$55,539	18.8%
Unit sales		204,230		194,322	9,908	5.1%
Gross profit per retail unit (excludes fleet)	\$	1,721	\$	1,523	\$ 198	13.0%

-	Three I	hree Months Ended September 30,			Better / (Worse)		
	2	2019		2018	Change	% Change	
	(	n thousand	s, e	cept unit and	per unit	data)	
Same Store:							
Revenue	\$	116,881	\$	92,376	\$24,505	26.5%	
Unit sales		68,603		61,474	7,129	11.6%	
Gross profit per retail unit (excludes fleet)	\$	1,704	\$	1,503	\$ 201	13.4%	

	Nine	e Months Ende	ed S	September 30,	В	etter /	(Worse)
		2019		2018	Cha	ange	% Change
-		(In thousand	s, e	except unit and	per	unit	data)
Same Store:							
Revenue	\$	322,130	\$	272,688	\$49	9,442	18.1%
Unit sales		193,841		180,891	12	2,950	7.2%
Gross profit per retail unit (excludes fleet)	\$	1,662	\$	1,507	\$	155	10.3%

	Thre	e Months End	Better / (Worse)						
		2019		2018	Change	% Change			
		(In thousands, except unit and per unit data)							
Reported new vehicle:									
Revenue	\$	1,258,018	\$	1,235,094	\$ 22,924	1.9%			
Gross profit	\$	55,308	\$	61,641	\$ (6,333)	(10.3)%			
Unit sales		30,147		31,009	(862)	(2.8)%			
Revenue per unit	\$	41,729	\$	39,830	\$ 1,899	4.8%			
Gross profit per unit	\$	1,835	\$	1,988	\$ (153)	(7.7)%			
Gross profit as a % of reve	enue	4.4%		5.0%	(60)	bps			

Nine	e Months End	Better / (Worse)			
	2019		2018	Change	% Change
	(In thousar	ıds	, except unit and	d per unit o	lata)
\$	3,529,106	\$	3,654,510	\$(125,404)	(3.4)%
\$	165,503	\$	175,708	\$ (10,205)	(5.8)%
	83,540		91,386	(7,846)	(8.6)%
\$	42,245	\$	39,990	\$ 2,255	5.6%
\$	1,981	\$	1,923	\$ 58	3.0%
ue	4.7%		4.8%	(10)	bps
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	Thre	e Months End	Better / (Worse)			
		2019	2018	Change	% Change	
		(In thousar	per unit data)			
Same store new vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	1,253,233	\$ 1,174,705	\$ 78,528	6.7%	
Gross profit	\$	54,823	\$ 58,425	\$ (3,602)	(6.2)%	
Unit sales		30,046	29,139	907	3.1%	
Revenue per unit	\$	41,710	\$ 40,314 \$	\$ 1,396	3.5%	
Gross profit per unit	\$	1,825	\$ 2,005 \$	\$ (180)	(9.0)%	
Gross profit as a % of reve	nue	4.4%	5.0%	(60)	bps	

	Nine	e Months End	Better / (Worse)			
		2019	2018	Change	% Change	
		(In thousar	l per unit o	per unit data)		
Same store new vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	3,487,153	\$ 3,429,897	\$ 57,256	1.7%	
Gross profit	\$	163,128	\$ 167,188	\$ (4,060)	(2.4)%	
Unit sales		82,301	84,352	(2,051)	(2.4)%	
Revenue per unit	\$	42,371	\$ 40,662	\$ 1,709	4.2%	
Gross profit per unit	\$	1,982	\$ 1,982	\$ —	—%	
Gross profit as a % of reve	nue	4.7%	4.9%	(20)	bps	

#### Used Vehicles - Franchised Dealership Segment

	Thre	e Months End	September 30,	Better / (Worse)		
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
		(In thousan	ds,	except unit and	per unit o	data)
Reported used vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	648,006	\$	585,300	\$ 62,706	10.7%
Gross profit	\$	37,623	\$	37,480	\$ 143	0.4%
Unit sales		29,247		27,254	1,993	7.3%
Revenue per unit	\$	22,156	\$	21,476	\$ 680	3.2%
Gross profit per unit	\$	1,286	\$	1,375	\$ (89)	(6.5)%
Gross profit as a % of reven	ue	5.8%		6.4%	(60)	bps

## Nine Months Ended September 30, Better / (Worse)

		2019		2018	Change	% Change
		(In thousand	ds,	except unit and	per unit o	data)
Reported used vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	1,889,045	\$	1,794,403 \$	\$ 94,642	5.3%
Gross profit	\$	111,815	\$	112,965 \$	\$ (1,150)	(1.0)%
Unit sales		85,530		83,795	1,735	2.1%
Revenue per unit	\$	22,086	\$	21,414 \$	672	3.1%
Gross profit per unit	\$	1,307	\$	1,348 \$	6 (41)	(3.0)%
Gross profit as a % of reven	ue	5.9%		6.3%	(40)	bps

	Thre	e Months End	Better / (Worse)			
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
		(In thousan	ds,	except unit and	per unit	data)
Same store used vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	643,945	\$	564,190	\$ 79,755	14.1%
Gross profit	\$	35,873	\$	34,665	\$ 1,208	3.5%
Unit sales		29,050		26,067	2,983	11.4%
Revenue per unit	\$	22,167	\$	21,644	\$ 523	2.4%
Gross profit per unit	\$	1,235	\$	1,330	\$ (95)	(7.1)%
Gross profit as a % of reve	enue	5.6%		6.1%	(50)	bps

	Nin	e Months End	Better / (Worse)			
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
		(In thousan	ds,	except unit and	per unit o	data)
Same store used vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	1,866,976	\$	1,713,247	\$153,729	9.0%
Gross profit	\$	105,904	\$	102,760	\$ 3,144	3.1%
Unit sales		84,374		79,173	5,201	6.6%
Revenue per unit	\$	22,127	\$	21,639	\$ 488	2.3%
Gross profit per unit	\$	1,255	\$	1,298	\$ (43)	(3.3)%
Gross profit as a % of rev	enue	5.7%		6.0%	(30)	bps

## Wholesale Vehicles - Franchised Dealership Segment

	Three Months Ended September 30,			Better / (Worse)		
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
		(In thousand	ls, e	except unit and	per unit	data)
Reported wholesale vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	44,517	\$	43,381	\$ 1,136	2.6%
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(971)	\$	(1,260)	\$ 289	22.9%
Unit sales		7,123		6,906	217	3.1%
Revenue per unit	\$	6,250	\$	6,282	\$ (32)	(0.5)%
Gross profit (loss) per unit	\$	(136)	\$	(182)	\$ 46	25.3%
Gross profit (loss) as a % of revenue		(2.2)%		(2.9)%	70	bps

	Nine Months Ended September 30,			Better / (Worse)		
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
		(In thousand	ls, e	except unit and	per unit	data)
Reported wholesale vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	140,770	\$	148,037	\$(7,267)	(4.9)%
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(2,845)	\$	(9,708)	\$ 6,863	70.7%
Unit sales		22,231		22,454	(223)	(1.0)%
Revenue per unit	\$	6,332	\$	6,593	\$ (261)	(4.0)%
Gross profit (loss) per unit	\$	(128)	\$	(432)	\$ 304	70.4%
Gross profit (loss) as a % of revenue		(2.0)%		(6.6)%	460	bps

Three Months Ended	September 30,	Better / (Worse)
2019	2018	Change % Change

		(In thousands, except unit and per unit data)					
Same store wholesale vehicle:		•		· ·		•	
Revenue	\$	44,219	\$	41,526 \$	2,693	6.5%	
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(890)	\$	(1,239) \$	349	28.2%	
Unit sales		7,088		6,553	535	8.2%	
Revenue per unit	\$	6,239	\$	6,337 \$	(98)	(1.5)%	
Gross profit (loss) per unit	\$	(126)	\$	(189) \$	63	33.3%	
Gross profit (loss) as a % of reve	enue	(2.0)%		(3.0)%	100 k	ops	

	Nine Months Ended September 30,			Better / (Worse)		
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
		(In thousand	s, e	xcept unit and	per unit	data)
Same store wholesale vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	138,614	\$	137,838	\$ 776	0.6%
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(2,531)	\$	(8,849)	\$ 6,318	71.4%
Unit sales		21,901		20,758	1,143	5.5%
Revenue per unit	\$	6,329	\$	6,640	\$ (311)	(4.7)%
Gross profit (loss) per unit	\$	(116)	\$	(426)	\$ 310	72.8%
Gross profit (loss) as a % of revenue		(1.8)%		(6.4)%	460	bps

Fixed Operations - Franchised Dealership Segment

	Thre	ee Months End	l September 30,	Better / (Worse)			
		2019		2018	С	hange	% Change
				(In thousands)			
Reported:							
Revenue							
Customer pay	\$	139,969	\$	139,504	\$	465	0.3%
Warranty		69,894		66,730		3,164	4.7%
Wholesale parts		38,345		39,419	(	(1,074)	(2.7)%
Internal, sublet and other		95,612		93,413		2,199	2.4%
Total	\$	343,820	\$	339,066	\$	4,754	1.4%
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Gross profit							
Customer pay	\$	76,607	\$	74,983	\$	1,624	2.2%
Warranty		38,235		38,563		(328)	(0.9)%
Wholesale parts		6,651		6,784		(133)	(2.0)%
Internal, sublet and other		47,665		45,995		1,670	3.6%
Total	\$	169,158	\$	166,325	\$	2,833	1.7%
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Gross profit as a % of revenue	Э						
Customer pay		54.7%		53.7%		100b	ops
Warranty		54.7%		57.8%		(310)t	ops
Wholesale parts		17.3%		17.2%		10b	ops
Internal, sublet and other		49.9%		49.2%		70k	ops
Total		49.2%		49.1%		10	ops
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	Nine Months End			September 30,	Better	/ (Worse)			
	2019			2018	Change	% Change			
		(In thousands)							
Reported:									
Revenue									
Customer pay	\$	419,482	\$	421,484	\$(2,002)	(0.5)%			
Warranty		208,676		198,219	10,457	5.3%			
Wholesale parts		117,669		122,763	(5,094)	(4.1)%			
Internal, sublet and other		281,555		285,893	(4,338)	(1.5)%			
Total	\$	1,027,382	\$	1,028,359	\$ (977)	(0.1)%			

Gross profit			
Customer pay	\$	228,584	\$ 226,207 \$ 2,377 1.1%
Warranty		115,682	112,335 3,347 3.0%
Wholesale parts		20,319	20,949 (630) (3.0)%
Internal, sublet and other		138,726	141,618 (2,892) (2.0)%
Total	\$	503,311	\$ 501,109 \$ 2,202 0.4%
Gross profit as a % of revenue	Э		
Customer pay		54.5%	53.7% 80bps
Warranty		55.4%	56.7% (130)bps
Wholesale parts		17.3%	17.1% 20bps
Internal, sublet and other		49.3%	49.5% (20)bps
Total		49.0%	48.7% 30bps

## Fixed Operations - Franchised Dealership Segment

Warranty

Wholesale parts

Internal, sublet and other

	Thre	e Months Ende	Better / (Worse)			
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
			(In	thousands)		
Same Store:						
Revenue						
Customer pay	\$	139,683	\$	131,413	\$ 8,270	6.3%
Warranty		69,438		64,048	,	8.4%
Wholesale parts		38,018		38,016	2	—%
Internal, sublet and other		95,170		89,303		6.6%
	\$	342,309	\$	322,780	\$19,529	6.1%
Gross profit						
Customer pay	\$	76,435	\$	70.218	\$ 6,217	8.9%
Warranty		37,982		35,569		6.8%
Wholesale parts		6,594		6,468		1.9%
Internal, sublet and other		47,266		43,888	3,378	7.7%
	\$	168,277	\$	156,143	\$12,134	7.8%
Gross profit as a % of revenu	е					
Customer pay		54.7%		53.4%	130	ops
Warranty		54.7%		55.5%	(80)	ops
Wholesale parts		17.3%		17.0%	30	ops
Internal, sublet and other		49.7%		49.1%	60	ops
		49.2%		48.4%	801	ops
	Nine	Months Ende	d Se	ptember 30,	Better	/ (Worse)
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
			(In	thousands)		
Same Store:						
Revenue						
Customer pay	\$	414,369	\$	393,478	\$20,891	5.3%
Warranty		206,691		190,080	16,611	8.7%
Wholesale parts		116,148		116,866	(718)	(0.6)%
Internal, sublet and other		278,176		269,831	8,345	3.1%
	\$	1,015,384	\$	970,255	\$45,129	4.7%
Gross profit						
Customer pay	\$	225,651	\$	209 936	\$15,715	7.5%
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	\$	496,237	\$ 468,717	\$27,520	5.9%
Gross profit as a % of revenue	е				
Customer pay		54.5%	53.4%	110bps	
Warranty		55.4%	55.8%	(40)bps	
Wholesale parts		17.2%	16.9%	30bps	
Internal, sublet and other		48.9%	49.3%	(40)bps	
		48.9%	48.3%	60bps	

## F&I - Franchised Dealership Segment

	Thre	e Months End	Better / (Worse)			
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
		(In thousand	s, e	except unit and	per unit	data)
Reported:						
Revenue	\$	96,142	\$	82,089	\$14,053	17.1%
Unit sales		58,430		57,470	960	1.7%
Gross profit per retail unit (excludes fleet)	\$	1,645	\$	1,428	\$ 217	15.2%

	Nine	e Months Ende	Better / (Worse)			
-		2019 2018		2018	Change % Chang	
-		(In thousand	s, e	except unit and	per unit	data)
Reported:						
Revenue	\$	266,171	\$	254,473	\$11,698	4.6%
Unit sales		167,386		173,647	(6,261)	(3.6)%
Gross profit per retail unit (excludes fleet)	\$	1,590	\$	1,465	\$ 125	8.5%

1	Three	Months End	Better / (Worse)					
	2019		2018		Change	% Change		
-	(In thousands, except unit and per unit data)							
Same Store:								
Revenue	\$	92,252	\$	77,040	\$15,212	19.7%		
Unit sales		58,132		54,413	3,719	6.8%		
Gross profit per retail unit (excludes fleet)	\$	1,587	\$	1,416	\$ 171	12.1%		

	Nin	e Months End	Better / (Worse)						
	2019			2018	Change % Change				
-	(In thousands, except unit and per unit data)								
Same Store:									
Revenue	\$	255,331	\$	234,720	\$20,611	8.8%			
Unit sales		164,991		162,036	2,955	1.8%			
Gross profit per retail unit (excludes fleet)	\$	1,548	\$	1,449	\$ 99	6.8%			

#### Used Vehicles and F&I - EchoPark Segment

-	Three Months Ended September 30,					Better / (Worse)		
		2019		2018	С	hange	% Change	
		(In thousand	ls, (	except unit and	l pe	er unit o	lata)	
Reported used vehicle and F&I:								
Used vehicle revenue	\$	266,266	\$	160,698	\$1	05,568	65.7%	
Used vehicle gross profit (loss)	\$	(795)	\$	(2,163)	\$	1,368	63.2%	
Used vehicle unit sales		13,206		7,698		5,508	71.6%	
Used vehicle revenue per unit	\$	20,163	\$	20,875	\$	(712)	(3.4)%	
F&I revenue	\$	30,699	\$	15,972	\$	14,727	92.2%	
Combined used vehicle gross profit and F&I revenue	\$	29,904	\$	13,809	\$	16,095	116.6%	
Total used vehicle and F&I gross profit per unit	\$	2,264	\$	1,794	\$	470	26.2%	

	Nine	Months Ende	Better / (Worse)				
		2019		2018	Change	% Change	
		(In thousands, except unit and per unit					
Reported used vehicle:							
Used vehicle revenue	\$	731,219	\$	423,213	\$308,006	72.8%	
Used vehicle gross profit (loss)	\$	(1,250)	\$	(3,568)	\$ 2,318	65.0%	
Used vehicle unit sales		36,844		20,675	16,169	78.2%	
Used vehicle revenue per unit	\$	19,846	\$	20,470	\$ (624)	(3.0)%	
F&I revenue	\$	85,258	\$	41,417	\$ 43,841	105.9%	
Combined used vehicle gross profit and F&I reve	enue \$	84,008	\$	37,849	\$ 46,159	122.0%	
Total used vehicle and F&I gross profit per unit	\$	2,280	\$	1,831	\$ 449	24.5%	

·	Three Months Ended September 30,			Better / (Worse)		
	2	2019		2018	Change	% Change
	(	In thousand	ls, e	xcept unit and	per unit o	data)
Same store used vehicle:						
Used vehicle revenue	\$	211,955	\$	149,487	\$ 62,468	41.8%
Used vehicle gross profit (loss)	\$	(2,109)	\$	(1,577)	\$ (532)	(33.7)%
Used vehicle unit sales		10,471		7,061	3,410	48.3%
Used vehicle revenue per unit	\$	20,242	\$	21,171	\$ (929)	(4.4)%
F&I revenue	\$	24,629	\$	15,336	\$ 9,293	60.6%
Combined used vehicle gross profit and F&I revenue	\$	22,520	\$	13,759	\$ 8,761	63.7%
Total used vehicle and F&I gross profit per unit	\$	2,151	\$	1,949	\$ 202	10.4%

	Nine	Months Ende	Better / (Worse)			
-		2019		2018	Change	% Change
		(In thousand	ls, e	except unit and	per unit o	Jata)
Same store used vehicle:						
Used vehicle revenue	\$	573,657	\$	389,178	\$184,479	47.4%
Used vehicle gross profit (loss)	\$	(4,266)	\$	(2,512)	\$ (1,754)	(69.8)%
Used vehicle unit sales		28,850		18,855	9,995	53.0%
Used vehicle revenue per unit	\$	19,884	\$	20,641	\$ (757)	(3.7)%
F&I revenue	\$	66,799	\$	37,968	\$ 28,831	75.9%
Combined used vehicle gross profit and F&I revenue	\$	62,533	\$	35,456	\$ 27,077	76.4%
Total used vehicle and F&I gross profit per unit	\$	2,168	\$	1,880	\$ 288	15.3%

#### Wholesale Vehicles - EchoPark Segment

	Thre	e Months End	ed S	September 30,	Better	/ (Worse)
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
		(In thousand	s, e	xcept unit and	per unit	data)
Reported wholesale vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	7,025	\$	5,197	\$ 1,828	35.2%
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(135)	\$	(39)	\$ (96)	(246.2)%
Unit sales		1,838		925	913	98.7%
Revenue per unit	\$	3,822	\$	5,618	\$(1,796)	(32.0)%
Gross profit (loss) per unit	\$	(73)	\$	(42)	\$ (31)	(73.8)%
Gross profit (loss) as a % of revenue	•	(1.9)%		(0.8)%	(110)	bps

	Nine M	onths Ende	ed Se	ptember 30,	Better /	(Worse)
	2	019		2018	Change	% Change
	(1	n thousand	s, exc	ept unit and	per unit	data)
Reported wholesale vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	15,581	\$	19,689	\$(4,108)	(20.9)%
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(241)	\$	628	\$ (869)	(138.4)%
Unit sales		4,023		3,499	524	15.0%
Revenue per unit	\$	3,873	\$	5,627	\$(1,754)	(31.2)%

Gross profit (loss) per unit	\$ (60)	\$ 179 \$	(239) (133.5)%
Gross profit (loss) as a % of revenue	(1.5)%	3.2%	(470) bps

1	Three	Months End	ed S	eptember 30,	Better	/ (Worse)
-		2019		2018	Change	% Change
	(	In thousand	s, ex	ccept unit and	per unit	data)
Same store wholesale vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	5,572	\$	3,618	\$ 1,954	54.0%
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(119)	\$	(85)	\$ (34)	(40.0)%
Unit sales		1,471		620	851	137.3%
Revenue per unit	\$	3,788	\$	5,835	\$(2,047)	(35.1)%
Gross profit (loss) per unit	\$	(81)	\$	(137)	\$ 56	40.9%
Gross profit (loss) as a % of revenue		(2.1)%		(2.3)%	20	bps

	Nine	e Months Ende	ed S	eptember 30,	Better	(Worse)
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
		(In thousand	s, e	xcept unit and	per unit	data)
Same store wholesale vehicle:						
Revenue	\$	12,277	\$	15,095	\$(2,818)	(18.7)%
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(215)	\$	625	\$ (840)	(134.4)%
Unit sales		3,180		2,609	571	21.9%
Revenue per unit	\$	3,861	\$	5,786	\$(1,925)	(33.3)%
Gross profit (loss) per unit	\$	(68)	\$	240	\$ (308)	(128.3)%
Gross profit (loss) as a % of revenue		(1.8)%		4.1%	(590)	bps
Unit sales Revenue per unit Gross profit (loss) per unit	\$ \$	3,180 3,861 (68)	\$	2,609 5,786 240	571 \$(1,925) \$ (308)	21.9 (33.3 (128.3

## Fixed Operations - EchoPark Segment

	Thre	e Months End	ed S	eptember 30,	Better /	(Worse)
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
			ıl)	n thousands)		
Total reported Fixed Operations:						
Revenue	\$	8,227	\$	4,052	\$ 4,175	103.0%
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(218)	\$	491	\$ (709)	(144.4)%
Gross profit (loss) as a % of revenu	е	(2.6)%		12.1%	(1,470)	bps

	Nine Months Ended September 30,		Better / (Worse)			
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
			(lı	n thousands)		
Total reported Fixed Operations:						
Revenue	\$	21,407	\$	13,271	\$ 8,136	61.3%
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(589)	\$	2,386	\$(2,975)	(124.7)%
Gross profit (loss) as a % of revenue		(2.8)%		18.0%	(2,080)	bps

	Thre	e Months End	ed S	eptember 30,	Better	/ (Worse)
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
			(Ir	n thousands)		
Total same store Fixed Operations:						
Revenue	\$	6,564	\$	3,668	\$ 2,896	79.0%
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(187)	\$	531	\$ (718)	(135.2)%
Gross profit (loss) as a % of revenue	е	(2.8)%		14.5%	(1,730)	bps

	Nine I	Months Ende	ed Se	ptember 30,	Better /	(Worse)
		2019		2018	Change	% Change
			(In	thousands)		
Total same store Fixed Operations:						
Revenue	\$	16,894	\$	11,693	\$ 5,201	44.5%
Gross profit (loss)	\$	(479)	\$	2,084	\$(2,563)	(123.0)%

Three	Months End	Better / (Worse)			
	2019		2018	Change	% Change
		(	n thousands)		
\$	184,089	\$	175,393	\$ (8,696)	(5.0)%
	15,856		14,652	(1,204)	(8.2)%
	12,721		14,881	2,160	14.5%
	84,160		84,096	(64)	(0.1)%
\$	296,826	\$	289,022	\$ (7,804)	(2.7)%
\$	_	\$	(346)		
	—		(1,185)		
	—		(1,581)		
\$	_	\$	(3,112)		
\$	296,826	\$	285,910	\$(10,916)	(3.8)%
	47.6%		48.6%	100	bps
	4.1%		4.1%		bps
	3.3%		4.1%	80	bps
	21.7%		23.4%	170	bps
	76.7%		80.2%	350	bps
	—%		(0.1)%		
	—%		(0.3)%		
	—%		(0.5)%		
	—%		(0.9)%		
	76.7%		79.3%	260	bps
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## Selling, General and Administrative ("SG&A") Expenses - Non-GAAP Reconciliation

Selling, General and Administrative ("SG&A") Expenses - Non-GAAP Reconciliation

	Nine	Months Ende	, Better	Better / (Worse)	
		2019	2018	Change	% Change
			(In thousands	5)	
Reported:					
Compensation	\$	549,470	\$ 558,07	1\$ 8,601	1.5%
Advertising		46,308	46,938	3 630	1.3%
Rent		41,308	50,45	1 9,143	18.1%
Other		201,367	215,95	0 14,583	6.8%
Total SG&A expenses	\$	838,453	\$ 871,41	32,957	3.8%
Items of interest:					
Gain (loss) on franchise disposals	\$	46,680	\$ 38,893	3	
Legal and storm damage charges		—	(5,749	)	
Executive transition costs		(6,264)	(1,581	)	
Long-term compensation charges		—	(32,522	)	
Lease exit charges		—	(2,235	)	
Total SG&A adjustments	\$	40,416	\$ (3,194	)	

Adjusted:			
Total adjusted SG&A expenses	\$ 878,869	\$ 868,216	\$(10,653) (1.2)%
Reported:			
SG&A expenses as a % of gross profit:			
Compensation	48.7%	51.9%	320bps
Advertising	4.1%	4.4%	30bps
Rent	3.7%	4.7%	100bps
Other	17.9%	20.0%	210bps
Total SG&A expenses as a % of gross profit	74.4%	81.0%	660bps
Items of interest:			
Gain (loss) on franchise disposals	4.2%	3.7%	
Legal and storm damage charges	—%	(0.5)%	
Executive transition costs	—%	(0.1)%	
Long-term compensation charges	(0.6)%	(3.1)%	
Lease exit charges	—%	(0.2)%	
Total effect of adjustments	3.6%	(0.3)%	
Adjusted:			
Total adjusted SG&A expenses as a % of gross profit	78.0%	80.7%	270bps

## Earnings per Share from Continuing Operations - Non-GAAP Reconciliation

	Three Month	s Ended S 30, 2019	September	Three Mont	September		
	Weighted- Average Shares	Amount	Per Share Amount	Weighted- Average Shares	Amount	Per Share Amount	
-		(In thousa	ands, excep	ot per share a	imounts)		
Diluted earnings (loss) and shares from continuing operations	44,203	\$ 29,168	\$ 0.66	42,994	\$ 15,301	\$ 0.36	
Pre-tax items of interest:							
(Gain) loss on franchise disposals		\$ —			\$ 346		
Storm damage charges					1,185		
Executive transition costs		_			1,581		
Total pre-tax items of interest					3,112		
Tax effect of above items					(848)		
Non-recurring tax items					763		
Adjusted diluted earnings (loss) and shares from continuing operations	44,203	\$ 29,168	\$ 0.66	42,994	\$ 18,328	\$ 0.43	

	Nine Month	ns Ended Se 30, 2019	eptember	Nine Month	ptember		
	Weighted- Average Shares	Amount	Per Share Amount	Weighted- Average Shares	Amount	Sh	Per nare ount
		(In thousa	nds, excep	ot per share a	amounts)		
Diluted earnings (loss) and shares from continuing operations	43,456	\$ 98,268	\$ 2.26	42,964	\$ 30,409	\$	0.71
Pre-tax items of interest:							
(Gain) loss on franchise disposals		\$ (46,680)			\$ (38,893)		
Legal and storm damage charges		_			5,749		
Long-term compensation charges		_			32,522		
Executive transition costs		6,264			1,581		
Impairment charges		1,926			13,958		
Lease exit charges		_			2,235		
Total pre-tax items of interest		(38,490)			17,152		
Tax effect of above items		12,902			(4,674)		
Non-recurring tax items		_			1,313		

#### Adjusted EBITDA - Non-GAAP Reconciliation

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2019						Three Months Ended September 30, 2018							
	Franchised Dealerships EchoPark Discontinued					Franchised Dealerships EchoPark Discontinued								
		gment		gment		erations	Total		Segment		egment	Opera		Total
							(In thou	us	ands)					
Net income (loss)							\$29,010							\$15,118
Provision for income taxes							11,307							7,262
Income (loss) before taxes	\$	38,417	\$	2,123	\$	(223)	\$40,317	\$	\$ 28,087	\$	(5,455)	\$	(252)	\$22,380
Non-floor plan interest		12,011		402		_	12,413		12,279		423		98	12,800
Depreciation & amortization		21,561		2,703		_	24,264		22,140		1,999		_	24,139
Stock-based compensation expense		2,681		_		_	2,681		4,578		_		_	4,578
Loss (gain) on exit of leased dealerships		_		_		_	_		24		4		103	131
Asset impairment charges		_		1,124		_	1,124		_		_		_	_
Loss (gain) on franchise disposals		823					823		88		—		_	88
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	75,493	\$	6,352	\$	(223)	\$81,622	\$	\$ 67,196	\$	(3,029)	\$	(51)	\$64,116

	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2019								Nine Months Ended September 30, 2018							
	Franchised				Fr											
		Dealerships EchoPark						•	EchoPark							
		begment	Se	egment	Op	erations	Total	5	Segment	Segment	Opera	ations	Total			
							(In thoເ	ısa	nds)							
Net income (loss)							\$ 97,831						\$ 29,830			
Provision for income taxes							40,251						13,493			
Income (loss) before taxes	\$	134,701	\$	3,997	\$	(616)	\$138,082	\$	92,094	\$ (47,974)	\$	(797)	\$ 43,323			
Non-floor plan interest		36,440		1,266			37,706		37,097	1,219		319	38,635			
Depreciation & amortization		64,121		7,788		_	71,909		67,771	5,584		_	73,355			
Stock-based compensation																
expense		8,107		—		_	8,107		10,589	_		—	10,589			
Loss (gain) on exit of leased																
dealerships		(170)		—		—	(170)		2,361	18		318	2,697			
Asset impairment charges		25		3,051		—	3,076		13,879	82		—	13,961			
Long-term compensation charges	5	—					_		—	32,522		—	32,522			
Loss (gain) on franchise																
disposals		(45,570)		_			(45,570)		(39,149)				(39,149)			
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	197,654	\$	16,102	\$	(616)	\$213,140	\$	184,642	\$ (8,549)	\$	(160)	\$175,933			

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