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Financial Highlights

Fourth Quarter Results

- Net Exchange Revenues (1): \$369 million (\$403 million in Q408)
- Total Operating Expenses: \$220 million (\$223 million in Q408)
- Net Income Attributable to NASDAQ OMX: \$43 million (\$35 million in Q408)
- Diluted EPS: \$0.20 (\$0.17 in Q408)

Non-GAAP Results⁽²⁾

- Net Exchange Revenues⁽¹⁾: \$369 million (\$403 million in Q408)
- Total Operating Expenses: \$204 million (\$213 million in Q408)
- Net Income Attributable to NASDAQ OMX: \$99 million (\$110 million in Q408)
- Diluted EPS: \$0.46 (\$0.52 in Q408)



⁽¹⁾ Net exchange revenues reflect total revenues less liquidity rebates, brokerage, clearance, and exchange fees.

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Net Exchange Revenues



(In \$millions)

Revenue Statement	Q409	Q309	Q408	Q409 Net Exchange Revenues
Cash Equity Trading	54	49	94	
Derivative Trading and Clearing	57	54	54	U.S. Cash Equity
Access Services	39	36	32	Other: 1% European Cash Equity
Total Transaction Services	150	139	180	Market Technology 12% 8% 7% Derivative Trading
Net U.S. Tape Plans	33	31	37	15% Derivative Trauling
U.S. Market Data Products	30	29	27	22%
European Market Data Products	20	19	21	Issuer Services 13%
Broker Services (1)	6	9	11	5% 8% Broker / Access
Other Market Services	1	3	3	676
Total Market Services	240	230	279	European Market Net Tape Plans Data
Global Listing Services (2)	72	71	75	U.S. Market Data
Global Index Group	10	10	10	
Total Issuer Services	82	81	85	
Market Technology	44	36	35	65% 22% 12%
Other	3	2	4	Technology
Net Exchange Revenues (3)	369	349	403	

- (1) Q409 Broker Services reflects sale of U.K. Broker Services Business, which contributed \$2 million to revenues in Q409, \$3 million in Q309, and \$3 million in Q408.
- (2) Q409 Global Listing Services reflects sale of Carpenter Moore, which contributed \$1 million to revenues in Q409, \$3 million in Q309, and \$4 million in Q408.
- (3) Net exchange revenues reflect total revenues less liquidity rebates, brokerage, clearance, and exchange fees.



Non-GAAP Financial Results®

(In \$millions except for EPS)

Vs. Prior Quarter	Q409	Q309	Change
Net exchange revenues (2)	369	349	6%
Total operating expenses	204	197	4%
Operating income	165	152	9%
Operating margin ⁽³⁾	45%	44%	
Net income Attributable to NASDAQ OMX	99	89	11%
Diluted EPS	\$0.46	\$0.42	10%
Vs. Prior-Year Quarter	Q409	Q408	Change
Vs. Prior-Year Quarter Net exchange revenues (2)	Q409 369	Q408 403	Change (8%)
Net exchange revenues (2)	369	403	(8%)
Net exchange revenues ⁽²⁾ Total operating expenses	369 204	403 213	(8%)
Net exchange revenues ⁽²⁾ Total operating expenses Operating income	369 204 165	403 213 190	(8%)

Net Income grew 11% when compared to Q309:

- Net exchange revenues increased 6% due to higher U.S. cash equities transaction fees; increases in European derivative and clearing revenues, and improvements in Market Technology revenues
- Operating margins increased to 45%, up slightly when compared to Q309

Operating margins declined slightly when compared to Q408:

- Net exchange revenues declined 8% primarily due to lower matched U.S. cash equities volume and lower average net fees
- Total operating expenses decreased 4% when compared to Q408



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⁽³⁾ Operating Margin equals Operating Income divided by Net exchange revenues.

Foreign Currency Exchange Impact

(In \$millions except for EPS and FX rates)

Q409 Results	USD	SEK	EUR	NOK	GBP	DKK	Other	Total
Net exchange revenues (1)	251	44	46	5	3	9	11	369
Total non-GAAP operating expenses (2)	125	46	6	7	5	5	10	204
Non-GAAP operating income (3)	126	-2	40	-2	-2	4	1	165
Average FX to USD in Q409	-	0.143	1.480	0.176	1.630	0.198	-	-

^{*} All values are presented in US dollars.

FX Impact on Q409 Results at: (4)	Q309	Q408
FA Impact on Q409 Results at: W	Rates	Rates
Net exchange revenues (1)	5	14
Total non-GAAP operating expenses (2)	-3	-10
Non-GAAP operating income (3)	2	4
Diluted earnings per share	\$0.01	\$0.02

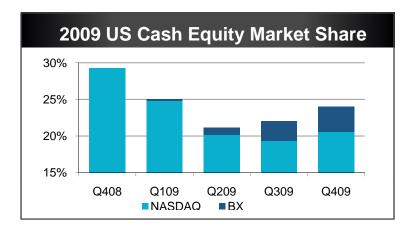
USD	=	US Dollar
SEK	=	Swedish Krona
EUR	=	Euro
NOK	=	Norwegian Krone
GBP	=	British Pound Sterling
DKK	=	Danish Krone

- (1) Net exchange revenues reflect total revenues less liquidity rebates, brokerage, clearance and exchange fees.
- (2) Please refer to slide 20 of this presentation for a complete reconciliation of non-GAAP operating expenses.
- (3) Please refer to slide 19 of this presentation for a complete reconciliation of non-GAAP operating income.
- (4) The impact reflects changes to Q409 results if amounts were translated at the prior period rates.



U.S. Transaction Drivers







(1) Pending SEC approval.

U.S. Cash Equity Market Share

- 24% matched market share in Q409
 - NASDAQ 21%; BX 3%
- Improving net capture rate
- BX: Q409 market share of 3.4%
 - Exceptional growth following Q109 launch
- Plans to introduce new price/size trading venue (1)

Options Volume

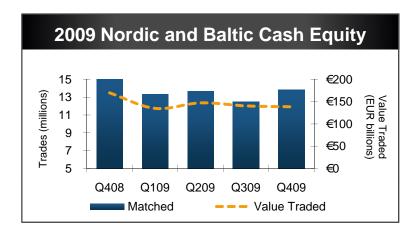
- Q409 combined share increased by 3.8 percentage points from prior-year levels
 - PHLX 19%; NOM 3%
- Q409 volumes increased 30% from Q408 levels.
- Share growth through PHLX's enhanced complex order execution capabilities.

Improving competitive position



European Transaction Drivers





2009 Nordic Derivatives Contracts (1) 30 25 LT IR 20 ■ST IR (millions) 15 Index 10 Stock ■ Eurex Q408 Q109 Q209 Q309 Q409

(1) Excludes volume traded at EDX.

Increases in activity

- 13.8 million trades in Q409, highest level of 2009
- Launched Central Counter Party Clearing
- INET launch in February
- 84% Nordic market share in Q409

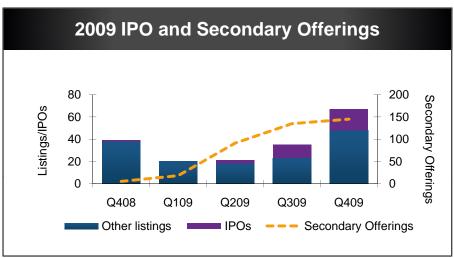
Derivative volume trending higher

- Increasing volumes for Stock and Index options and futures
- 28.3 million contracts traded in Q409
- EDX volumes migrated to NASDAQ OMX in December, 2009

Recovering fundamentals drive volume growth



Issuer Services And Market Technology



IPO and Secondary offerings continue to grow

- IPOs grew to 31 in second half of 2009, registering a total of 34 for the full year, and representing significant growth following the 3 IPOs during the first six months of 2009
- New listings grew to 67 in Q409, registering a total of 143 in 2009
- 33 new Chinese company listings for a total of 124, more than any other exchange
- Secondary offerings are also showing significant growth

Strong customer pipeline

- Reported revenue grew 26% from prior-year results
- Order intake increased in Q409 to \$148 million, far exceeding \$30 million realized in Q408.
- Recent customer wins include Osaka Securities Exchange and Kuwait Stock Exchange



Business Initiatives: Driving Growth



Market Technology

- Osaka Securities Exchange
- Kuwait Stock Exchange





UK Power Market

- Launched January 2010
- Nordic Market Structure
- INET implementation: February launch
- Q409 launch of Central Counter Party (CCP) Clearing
- US Cash Equities
 - Improving capture rate
 - New regulatory developments SEC dark pool proposal
 - New proposed price-size equity trading venue
- Access Services
 - Growing co-location services
- Market Data
- Launching new depth feed for BX and new option data feed
- Interest Rate Swap
 - Pending legislation regarding OTC Derivatives
 - Increasing number of contracts submitted for shadow clearing



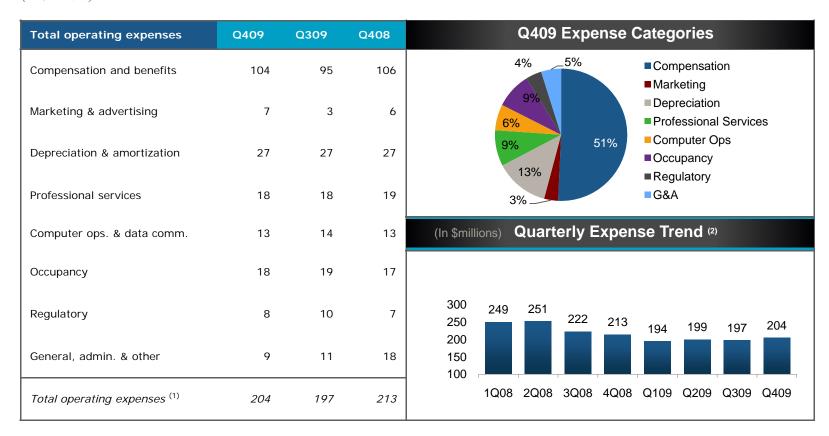
Issuer Services

- Switches/listing wins
- 31 IPOs in second half of 2009 vs. 3 during first half of 2009
- Corporate Services: Key differentiator in attracting IPOs and switches



Non-GAAP Expense Detail

(In \$millions)



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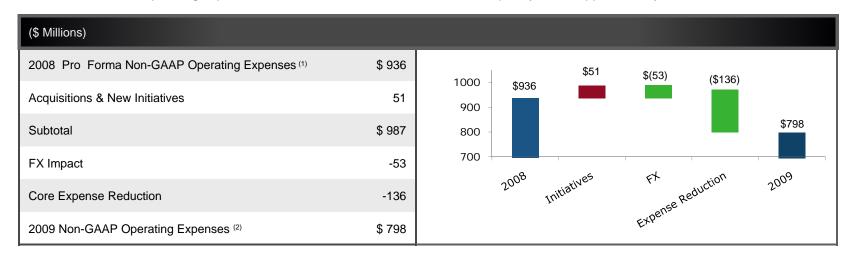
⁽²⁾ Q108 through Q308 results are presented on a pro forma non-GAAP basis that reflect the results of NASDAQ OMX and PHLX as if they were a combined company for the periods presented, and exclude merger expenses and certain other non-recurring items. Please refer to the non-GAAP schedules at the end of this slide presentation for a complete reconciliation.



Ongoing Expense Management

NASDAQ OMX Updated Expense Guidance:

- Total Operating Expenses are expected to be in the range of \$865 million to \$885 million for the full-year 2010, including non-recurring expenses of \$50 million
 - \$50 million in non-recurring charges reflects approximately \$30 million in accelerated non-cash deal amortization expenses associated with credit facility refinancing, \$10 million in losses related to terminating interest rate swap contract, and \$10 million in other non-recurring items.
 - Also included in 2010 expense guidance is \$54 million of discretionary spending on new initiatives.
- Core non-GAAP operating expenses in 2009 were reduced \$136 million from prior year, or approximately 14%



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Refinanced Credit Facility

Recently completed refinancing on very favorable terms

- \$1 billion of senior notes and \$700 million of unsecured term loans
- Provides increased capital management flexibility
- Upgraded by Moody's and Standard & Poor's

(in \$ millions)	Amount Outstanding	Rate	Maturity Date
Senior Unsecured Term Loan (1)	\$ 700.0	LIBOR + 200 bps	1/15/13
5 YR Bond ⁽¹⁾	\$ 400.0	4.00%	1/15/15
10 YR Bond ⁽¹⁾	\$ 600.0	5.55%	1/15/20
2.50% Convert (2)	\$ 427.7	2.50%	8/15/13
3.75 Convert (3)	\$ 0.5	3.75%	10/22/12
Nord Pool Debt (4)	\$ 17.3	6.25%	2/20/17

Ratings	
Moody's (5)	
Outlook	Stable
Issuer Rating	Baa3
Senior Unsecured Debt	Baa3
Standard & Poor's (6)	
Outlook	Stable
LT Foreign Issuer Credit	BBB
LT Local Issuer Credit	BBB

Notes:

- (1) For additional information please refer to Prospectus Supplement filed with the SEC on January 15, 2010.
- (2) As adjusted for ASC 470.20. For further discussion, see "Adoption of ASC 470.20," of "2.50% Convertible Senior Notes" in our Form 10Q's filed with the SEC.
- (3) Approximately \$0.5 million aggregate principal amount of the 3.75% convertible notes remains outstanding. For further discussion, see "Conversion of 3.75% Convertible Notes," of "3.75% Convertible Notes" in our Form 100's filed with the SEC.
- (4) Represents 100 million NOK of subordinated debt assumed following the acquisitions of certain businesses of Nord Pool. For further discussion please refer to our Form 10Q's and 10K's filed with the SEC.
- (5) Received Moody's upgrade from Ba1 to Baa3 on November 11, 2009.
- (6) Received Standard & Poor's upgrade from BBB- to BBB on January 11, 2010.

Deleveraging quickly



Debt Obligations

(in \$ millions)	12-31-08	Reductions	12-31-09
Term Loan	\$ 1,925	\$ -225	\$ 1,700
3.75% Convertible Note (1)	119	-119	-
2.50% Convertible Note	401	-27	374
Other	79	-61	18
Total Debt Obligations	\$ 2,524	\$ -432	\$ 2,092
Less Current Portion	-225	-	-225
Long Term Portion	\$ 2,299	\$ -432	\$ 1,867

Cash & Investments (2)	\$ 854	\$ 166	\$ 1,020
Less: Restricted Cash and Regulatory Capital	-618	-149	-469
Net Debt Excluding Restricted Cash and Regulatory Capital	\$ 2,288	\$ -747	\$ 1,541

- Reduced total principal amount of debt obligations by \$452 million:
- Repaid \$225 million in principal on \$2.0 billion term loan
- Converted \$119 million of 3.75% convertible notes held by Silver Lake into common equity
- Repurchased \$47 million in principal amount of 2.5% convertible notes:
 - Offset by \$13 million accretion of debt discount and \$7 million reduction in unamortized discount
- Restricted and regulatory capital of \$469 million consists of clearing capital, broker dealer requirements, SEC section 31 fees collected, and other commitments
- Net Debt to EBITDA is 2.02x
 - Net Debt = \$1,541 million
 - LTM EBITDA = \$763 million (reconciliation provided on Slide 22)

Note: All debt is shown at book value

- (1) Approximately \$0.5 million principal amount of the 3.75% convertible notes remain outstanding.
- (2) Includes long-term deposits of \$62 million on 12/31/08 and \$8 million on 12/31/09.



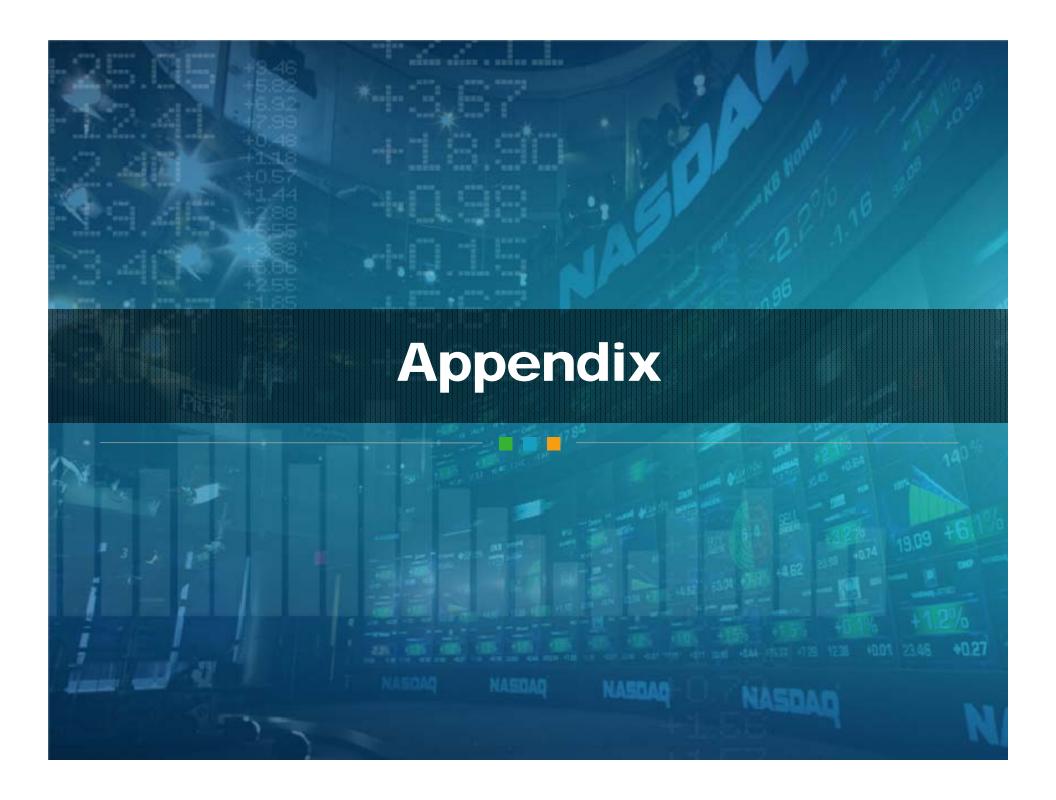
Balance Sheet Highlights

(in \$ millions)	12-31-09	12-31-08
<u>Assets</u>		
Cash, Restricted Cash & Short Term Investments	\$ 1,012	\$ 792
Receivables, net	301	339
Market value, outstanding derivative positions	2,054	4,122
Goodwill	4,800	4,492
Intangible assets, net	1,631	1,583
Other assets	924	1,424
Total assets	\$10,722	\$12,752
<u>Liabilities and stockholders' equity</u>		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ 119	\$ 242
Market value, outstanding derivative positions	2,054	4,122
Debt obligations	2,092	2,524
Non-current deferred tax liabilities	683	696
Other liabilities	815	865
Total liabilities	5,763	8,449
Series A convertible preferred stock	15	-
Total equity	4,944	4,303
Total liabilities, series A convertible preferred stock and equity	\$10,722	\$12,752

Balance Sheet & Cash Flow Highlights

- Operating Cash Flow
 - \$583 million for the full year 2009
- Debt Obligations
 - Principal amount of outstanding debt obligations reduced by \$452 million in 2009
- Capital Spending
 - Purchases of property and equipment totaled \$13 million for Q409 and \$59 million for the full year 2009
- Market Value Outstanding Derivative Positions
 - As legal counterparty for Nordic clearing transactions, NASDAQ OMX reports gross market value of derivative positions, net of customer positions
- Decrease in Other Assets Related to:
 - Sale of investment in Orc Software AB;
 - Squeeze out payment for remaining 1.2% shares of OMX;
 - Sale of available for sale investment in Oslo Bors;
 - A decline in non-current deferred tax assets of \$155 million





Net Income:

Reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP

(in \$ millions)	Q409	Q309	Q408
GAAP net income:	\$43	\$60	\$35
Adjustments:			
Professional	2	2	-
Technology	3	-	-
Occupancy	8	-	-
Regulatory	-3	-	-
Gain on sales of businesses	-12	-	-
Impairment of unconsolidated investee s	87	-	-
Workforce reductions	6	4	-
Asset retirements	-	10	-
Debt conversion expense	-	25	-
Merger expenses	-	5	10
Asset impairment charges	-	-	35
Loss on foreign currency contracts, net	-	-	47
Total Adjustments	91	46	92
Adjustment to income tax provision to reflect non-GAAP adj.	-37	-7	-17
Non-recurring tax items, net	2	-10	-
Total adjustments, net of tax	56	29	75
Non-GAAP net income attributable to NASDAQ OMX	\$99	\$89	\$110



EPS:Reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP

	Q409	Q309	Q408
GAAP diluted earnings per common share:	\$0.20	\$0.28	\$0.17
Total other adjustments from non-GAAP net income (Slide 17)	\$0.26	0.14	0.35
Non-GAAP diluted earnings per common share	\$0.46	\$0.42	\$0.52



Operating Income:

Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP

(in \$ millions)	Q409	Q309	Q209	Q109	Q408
GAAP operating income:	\$149	\$131	\$159	\$166	\$180
Other adjustments:					
Professional	2	2	-	-	-
Technology	3	-	1	-	-
Occupancy	8	-	-	-	-
Regulatory	-3	-	-	-	-
Workforce reductions	6	4	3	3	-
Asset retirements	-	10	3	-	-
Merger expenses	-	5	3	8	10
Loss on sale of business	-	-	-	2	-
Gain on debt extinguishment	-	-	-1	-4	-
Total adjustments	16	21	9	9	10
Non-GAAP operating income	\$165	\$152	\$168	\$175	\$190
Net exchange revenues (1)	\$369	\$349	\$367	\$369	\$403
Non-GAAP operating margin (2)	45%	44%	46%	47%	47%



⁽¹⁾ Net exchange revenues reflect total revenues less liquidity rebates, brokerage, clearance, and exchange fees.

⁽²⁾ Non-GAAP Operating Margin equals non-GAAP Operating Income divided by Net Exchange revenues

Operating Expenses:

Reconciliation of GAAP to Pro Forma and Pro Forma non-GAAP

(in \$ millions)	Q409	Q309	Q209	Q109	Q408	Q308	Q208	Q108
GAAP Operating Expenses	\$220	\$218	\$208	\$203	\$223	\$227	\$225	\$145
Pro forma adjustments:								
OMX operating expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70
PHLX operating expenses	-	-	-	-	-	7	30	31
Amortization of intangibles	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	4
Professional and contract services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Computer ops. and data comm.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total adjustments	-	-	-	-	-	8	32	105
Pro forma operating expenses	\$220	\$218	\$208	\$203	\$223	\$235	\$257	\$250
Other adjustments:								
Professional	-2	-2	-	-	-	-2	-	-
Technology	-3	-	-1	-	-	-	-	-
Occupancy	-8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Regulatory	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Workforce reductions	-6	-4	-3	-3	-	-2	-	-
Asset retirements	-	-10	-3	-	-	-	_	-
Merger expenses	-	-5	-3	-8	-10	-9	-6	-1
Loss on sale of business	-	-	-	-2	-	-	-	-
Gain on debt extinguishment			1	4				-
Total adjustments	-16	-21	-9	-9	-10	-13	-6	-1
PF non-GAAP operating expenses	\$204	\$197	\$199	\$194	\$213	\$222	\$251	\$249

FY09	FY08
\$850	\$820
-	70
-	68
-	7
-	-
-	-
-	145
\$850	\$965
-2	-2
-1	-
-8	-
3	-
-16	-2
-13	-
-17	-25
-2	-
4	-
-52	-29
798	936

Note: Quarterly line items may not add to year-to-date totals due to rounding.



Expense Detail:

Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP

(in \$ millions)	Q409	Q309	Q209	Q109	Q408
Compensation					
GAAP	110	99	105	97	106
Adjustments	-6	-4	-3	-3	_
non-GAAP	\$104	\$95	\$102	\$94	\$106
Depreciation and amortization					
GAAP	27	27	27	24	27
Adjustments	-	-	-2	-	_
non-GAAP	\$27	\$27	\$25	\$24	\$27
Professional and contract services					
GAAP	20	20	17	18	19
Adjustments	-2	-2	-	-	_
non-GAAP	\$18	\$18	\$17	\$18	\$19
Computer Operations and data communications					
GAAP	16	14	14	15	13
Adjustments	-3	-	-	-	_
non-GAAP	\$13	\$14	\$14	\$15	\$13
Occupancy					
GAAP	26	19	18	17	17
Adjustments	-8	-	-	-	-
non-GAAP	\$18	\$19	\$18	\$17	\$17
Regulatory					
GAAP	3	10	10	9	7
Adjustments	5	-	-	-	,
non-GAAP	\$8	\$10	\$10	\$9	\$7
Merger Expenses	Ψ0	ΨΙΟ	ΨΙΟ	Ψ,	Ψ,
GAAP	_	5	3	8	10
Adjustments	-	-5	-3	-8	-10
non-GAAP	-	-	-	-	-
General, administrative and other					
GAAP	11	21	11	13	18
Adjustments	-2	-10	-1	2	-
non-GAAP	<u> </u>	\$11	\$10	<u> </u>	\$18
Total Adjustments	-16	-21	-9	-9	-10



EBITDA

(Earnings Before Interest Taxes Depreciation and Amortization)

(in \$ millions)	LTM	Q409	Q309	Q209	Q109
Non-GAAP operating income (Slide 19)	\$660	\$165	\$152	\$168	\$175
Less:					
Depreciation (Slide 21)	103	27	27	25	24
EBITDA	\$763	\$192	\$179	\$195	\$199

Note: LTM refers to Last Twelve Months

