



Fourth Quarter 2025 Financial Highlights

March 11, 2026



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2025

Key Accomplishments

Advanced organizational capabilities and set the foundation for healthier growth ahead

- Completed senior leadership team buildout
- Strengthened operational base and successfully executed across Phase 1 and Phase 2 of operational plan
- Developed strategy across four growth pillars: compelling product, trusted store experience, services at scale and an integrated omni-channel platform

Economic model prioritizing earnings and cash flow has resulted in greater liquidity and financial flexibility

- Exceeded profitability goals in 2025; increased gross margin rate and operational efficiency drove operating margin expansion
- Higher profitability, focus on tight inventory management and ROIC focus for investment drove material free cash flow¹ increases
- Extent of profitability enabled opportunistic debt paydown and lowered the leverage ratio¹ to 3.0x from 4.2x
- Successfully refinanced debt, extending maturities (transaction closed February 2nd)



Financial Highlights

Continued execution in Q4, exceeding outlook:

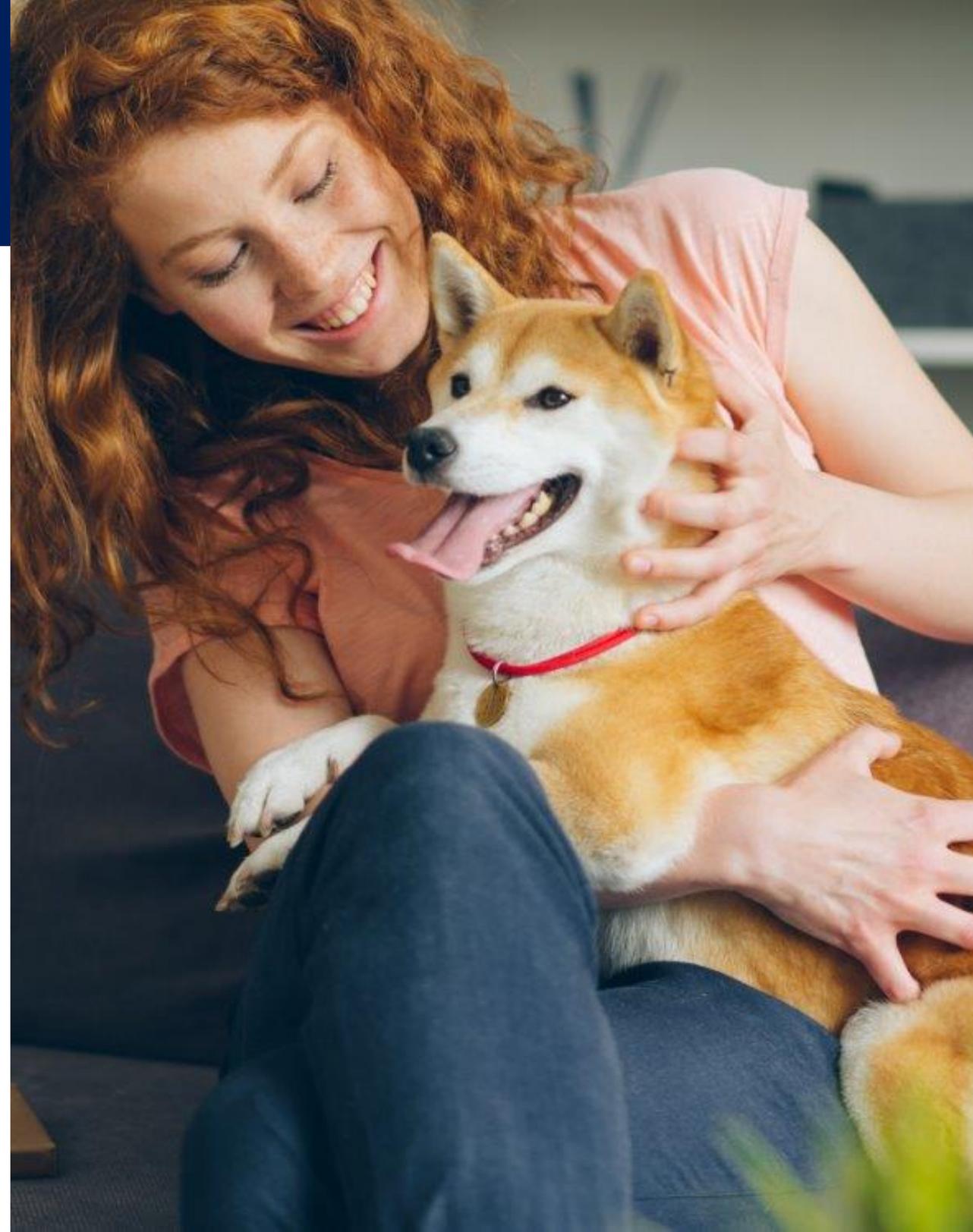
- Operating income increased 83.2% to \$31.9M and operating margin rose 98 bps to 2.1%, with gross margin rate and SG&A ratio improving
- Adj. EBITDA¹ increased 10.6% to \$106.3M

Sizable profitability gains in 2025, swung to positive net income:

- Expanded gross margin by 66 bp to 38.7%.
- Operating income increased to \$120.4M from \$7.1M
- Net income increased to \$9.1M profit versus a loss of \$101.8M last year
- Adjusted EBITDA¹ increased 21.3% to \$408.2M

Significantly healthier cash flow in 2025:

- Cash grew by \$91.0 million to \$256.7 million after voluntarily paying down \$95 million in debt
- Cash from operations rose 76.8% to \$314.1 million
- Generated free cash flow¹ of \$187.0 million, an increase of \$137.3 million or 276.3% versus last year



Phase 1 – Strengthening Fundamentals

- Strengthening operating and economic model
- Completed build out of senior leadership team with proven retail executives

Phase 2 – Implementing and Executing

- Continued progress on improving retail fundamentals focused on merchandising excellence, enhanced customer experience, driving efficiencies and increased productivity of services offering

Phase 3 – Return to Growth: "Reach for the Sky"

- Taking action to return to offense and drive sustainable profitable growth over the long-term
- Increase relevance in the marketplace, bolster competitive positioning, improve fleet productivity, enhance omni-channel & digital experience, invest behind services

Four Pillars Supported by our Strengthened Economic Model

Compelling Product



A regular stream of product newness complementing our evergreen assortment with fresh and trend-driven items featuring Petco Owned and National brands

Trusted Store Experience



Passionate partners and strong customer engagement that fosters a memorable and differentiated in-store experience that champions pet parenthood

Services at Scale



A nationwide network of dedicated Petco groomers, trainers, veterinarians, and pet professionals working in tandem for a comprehensive pet care experience

Integrated Omni-Channel



Enhanced digital capabilities encompassing a revamped membership offering, repeat delivery, and seamless digital-to-store engagement

Pivoting to Growth in 2026:

Reach for the Sky

Reach for the Sky in 2026 is about looking up and driving forward

- Vision: leveraging store-based model to bolster competitive positioning, increase relevance and improve store productivity

Offer Product Newness and Differentiation:

- Expanding Fresh food, launching new national brands, ramping owned-brands in food and supplies
- Increasing product frequency

Growing Wholly Owned Services Business:

- Committed to vet business: optimizing productivity, then ramping
- Unique opportunity to capitalize on retail traffic and cross-selling

Strengthening Community: In-Store Experiences & Integrated Omni Model

- Basket size focus
- Loyalty program relaunch
- Leveraging omni-channel for BOPUS & repeat delivery



Supported by Economic Model

Our number-one financial priority is clear: restoring the health of our longer-term economic model which, in turn, will improve our earnings power and set the foundation for sustainable, profitable growth over the long term.

Expand gross margin rate

Leverage expenses through operational excellence & renewed cost discipline

Improve ROIC by instilling new rigor and discipline into capital allocation decisions

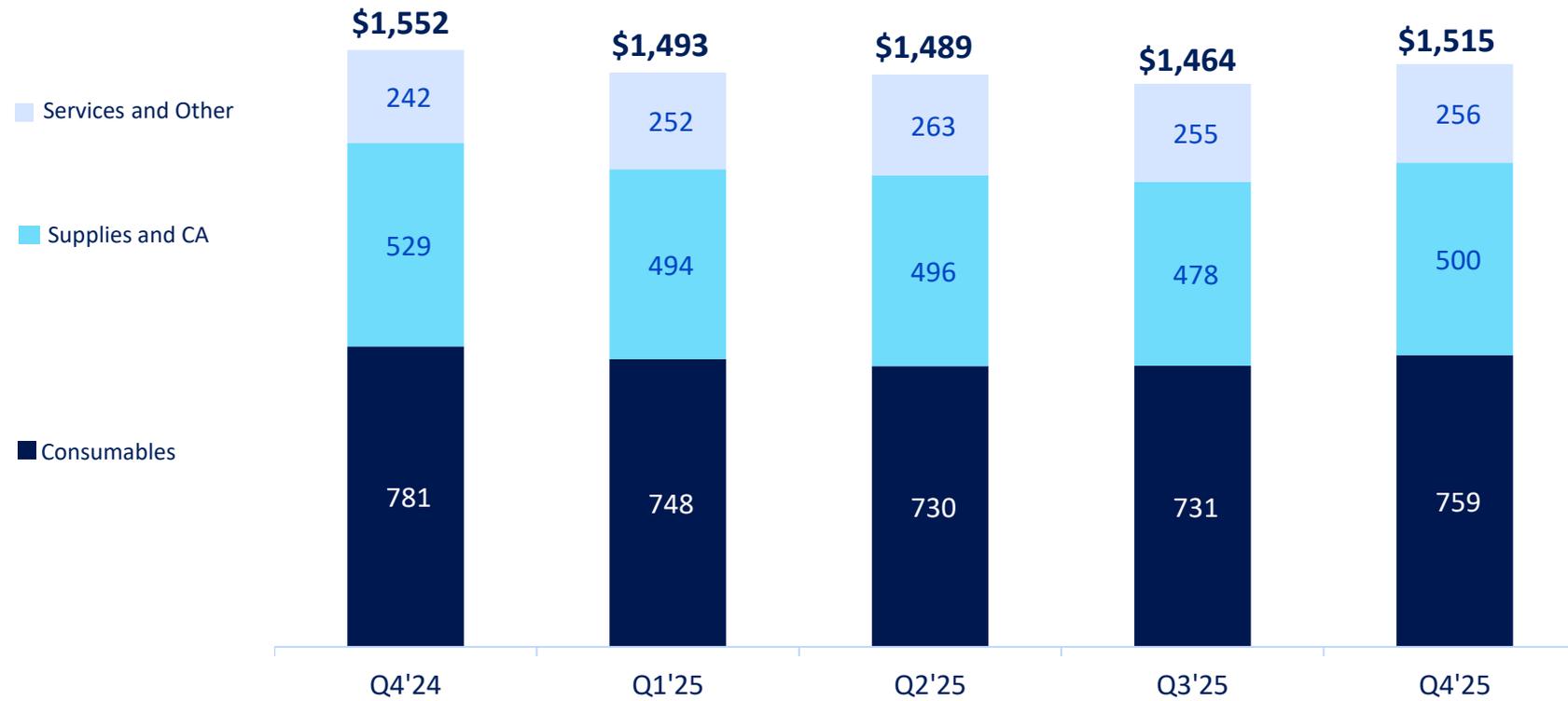
Generate strong and consistent free cash flow¹

Achieve a debt-to-EBITDA¹ leverage ratio below 2 times

(1) Non-GAAP financial measure; see definition and reconciliation at the end of this Presentation.

NET SALES BY CATEGORY

(\$ in millions)



Revenue growth	(7%) ¹	(2%)	(2%)	(3%)	(2%)
Ending U.S. Store Count	1,398	1,393	1,388	1,389	1,382
1-year comp growth	1%	(1%)	(1%)	(2%)	(2%)
2-year comp growth	0%	(2%)	(1%)	(0%)	(1%)

Q4 2025: Improving Profitability and Liquidity

OPERATING INCOME

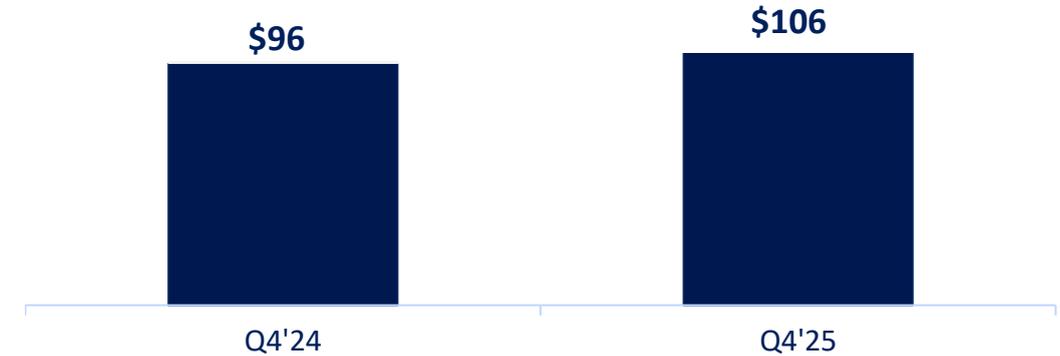
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Operating Income Margin	Q4'24	Q4'25
	1.1%	2.1%

ADJUSTED EBITDA¹

(\$ in millions)



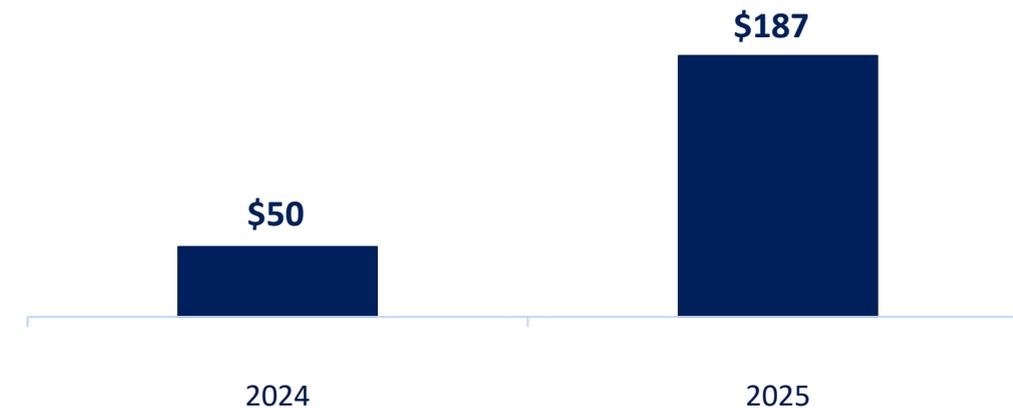
Adj. EBITDA Margin ¹	Q4'24	Q4'25
	6.2%	7.0%

NET DEBT¹ & LIQUIDITY²

	Q4'24	Q4'25	YoY % Change
Net Debt ¹	\$1.43B	\$1.24B	(13)%
Liquidity ²	\$681M	\$724M	6%

FREE CASH FLOW¹

(\$ in millions)



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(2) Cash and cash equivalents and availability on ABL Revolving Credit Facility.

Q1 and Full Year 2026 Outlook

Q1 2026 Outlook²

Net Sales	-1% to flat
Adjusted EBITDA¹	\$92M to \$94M

Full Year 2026 Outlook²

Net Sales	Flat to 1.5%
Adjusted EBITDA¹	\$415M to \$430M
Net Interest Expense	~\$125M
Capital Expenditures	~\$140M
Depreciation and Amortization	~\$200M
Net Store Closures	15 to 20

- (1) Adjusted EBITDA is non-GAAP financial measure and has not been reconciled to the most comparable GAAP outlook because it is not possible to do so without unreasonable efforts due to the uncertainty and potential variability of reconciling items, which are dependent on future events and often outside of management's control and which could be significant. Because such items cannot be reasonably predicted with the level of precision required, we are unable to provide outlook for the comparable GAAP measure. Forward-looking estimates of Adjusted EBITDA are made in a manner consistent with the relevant definitions and assumptions noted herein and in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.
- (2) The Company's first quarter and full year 2026 guidance assumes that the current or planned tariffs on imports into the U.S. from China and other countries as of Mar 11, 2026 will stay at current levels and do not increase for the remainder of the year. Our guidance also assumes that fuel prices normalize by the end of the quarter.

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The following information provides definitions and reconciliations of the non-GAAP financial measures presented in this Presentation to the most directly comparable financial measures calculated and presented in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). The company has provided this non-GAAP financial information, which is not calculated or presented in accordance with GAAP, as information supplemental and in addition to the financial measures presented in this Presentation that are calculated and presented in accordance with GAAP. Such non-GAAP financial measures should not be considered superior to, as a substitute for or alternative to, and should be considered in conjunction with, the GAAP financial measures presented in this Presentation. The non-GAAP financial measures in this Presentation may differ from similarly-titled measures used by other companies.

Adjusted EBITDA: Adjusted EBITDA is considered a non-GAAP financial measure under the Securities and Exchange Commission's (SEC) rules because it excludes certain amounts included in net income calculated in accordance with GAAP. Management believes that Adjusted EBITDA is a meaningful measure to share with investors because it facilitates comparison of the current period performance with that of the comparable prior period. In addition, Adjusted EBITDA affords investors a view of what management considers to be Petco's core operating performance as well as the ability to make a more informed assessment of such operating performance as compared with that of the prior period. Please see the company's Annual Report on Form 10-K filed on March 31, 2025 with the SEC for additional information on Adjusted EBITDA.

Free Cash Flow: Free Cash Flow is a non-GAAP financial measure that is calculated as net cash provided by operating activities less cash paid for fixed assets. Management believes that Free Cash Flow, which measures the ability to generate additional cash from business operations, is an important financial measure for use in evaluating the company's financial performance.

Net Debt: Net Debt is a non-GAAP financial measure that is calculated as the sum of current and non-current debt, less cash and cash equivalents. Management considers this adjustment useful because it reduces the volatility of total debt caused by fluctuations between cash paid against the company's revolving credit facility and cash held on hand in cash and cash equivalents.

Leverage Ratio: Leverage Ratio is a non-GAAP financial measure calculated by Net Debt divided by Adjusted EBITDA.

Note: Management generally rounds amounts to millions but calculates all percentages and per-share data from underlying whole-dollar amounts. As a result, certain amounts may not foot, cross-foot, or recalculate based on reported numbers due to rounding.

Non-GAAP Measures: Adjusted EBITDA*

(dollars in thousands)	13 Weeks Ended		52 Weeks Ended	
	January 31, 2026	February 1, 2025	January 31, 2026	February 1, 2025
Reconciliation of Net (Loss) Income Attributable to Class A and B-1 Common Stockholders to Adjusted EBITDA				
Net (loss) income attributable to Class A and B-1 common stockholders	\$ (2,575)	\$ (13,837)	\$ 9,066	\$ (101,816)
Add (deduct):				
Interest expense, net	29,358	32,833	124,894	139,817
Income tax expense (benefit)	11,301	2,504	6,266	(7,481)
Depreciation and amortization	47,567	50,654	196,710	208,517
Income from equity method investees	(6,793)	(5,112)	(20,358)	(18,669)
Loss on debt extinguishment and modification	565	—	565	—
Equity-based compensation expense	7,278	9,507	32,650	50,212
Other non-operating loss (income)	—	1,000	—	(4,800)
Mexico joint venture EBITDA (1)	13,915	11,233	46,135	41,615
Acquisition and divestiture-related integration costs (2)	—	—	—	3,719
Other costs (3)	5,678	7,341	12,239	25,412
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 106,294	\$ 96,123	\$ 408,167	\$ 336,526
Net sales	\$ 1,515,128	\$ 1,552,130	\$ 5,961,467	\$ 6,116,462
Net margin (4)	(0.2%)	(0.9%)	0.2%	(1.7%)
Adjusted EBITDA Margin	7.0%	6.2%	6.8%	5.5%

Non-GAAP Measures: Free Cash Flow

(in thousands)

	13 Weeks Ended		52 Weeks Ended	
	January 31, 2026	February 1, 2025	January 31, 2026	February 1, 2025
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 153,522	\$ 95,993	\$ 314,050	\$ 177,673
Cash paid for fixed assets	(37,137)	(36,949)	(127,097)	(127,990)
Free Cash Flow	\$ 116,385	\$ 59,044	\$ 186,953	\$ 49,683

Non-GAAP Measures: Net Debt & Leverage Ratio

(dollars in thousands)	January 31, 2026	February 1, 2025
Total debt:		
Senior secured credit facilities, net, including current portion	\$ 1,488,527	\$ 1,578,091
Finance leases, including current portion	9,683	13,793
Total debt	<u>1,498,210</u>	<u>1,591,884</u>
Less: cash and cash equivalents	(256,736)	(165,756)
Net Debt	<u>\$ 1,241,474</u>	<u>\$ 1,426,128</u>
Adjusted EBITDA	<u>\$ 408,167</u>	<u>\$ 336,526</u>
Net Debt / Adjusted EBITDA ratio	3.0x	4.2x

Non-GAAP Financial Measures' Footnotes

- (1) Mexico Joint Venture EBITDA represents 50 percent of the entity's operating results for all periods, as adjusted to reflect the results on a basis comparable to Adjusted EBITDA. In the financial statements, this joint venture is accounted for as an equity method investment and reported net of depreciation and income taxes. Because such a presentation would not reflect the adjustments made in the calculation of Adjusted EBITDA, we include the 50 percent interest in the company's Mexico joint venture on an Adjusted EBITDA basis to ensure consistency. Refer to earnings releases, quarterly and annual reports posted to our website for reconciliations of Mexico joint venture net income to Mexico joint venture EBITDA.
- (2) Acquisition and divestiture-related integration costs include direct costs resulting from acquiring, integrating, or divesting businesses. These include third-party professional and legal fees, losses on sales of divestitures, and other integration-related costs that would not have otherwise been incurred as part of the company's operations.
- (3) Other costs include, as incurred: restructuring costs and restructuring-related severance costs; legal reserves associated with significant, non-ordinary course legal or regulatory matters; and costs related to certain significant strategic transactions. In fiscal 2025, other costs were primarily driven by \$9.7 million of severance and \$2.5 million relating to legal matters. In fiscal 2024, other costs were primarily driven by \$15.8 million of severance and \$7.7 million relating to legal matters and strategic initiatives.
- (4) We define net margin as net loss attributable to Class A and B-1 common stockholders divided by net sales and Adjusted EBITDA margin as Adjusted EBITDA divided by net sales.

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