



## Investor Presentation *May 2022*

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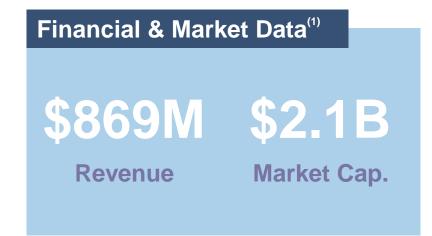


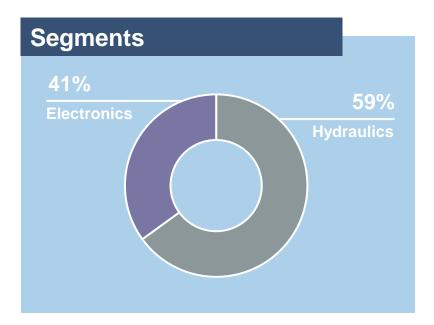
## Growing, Global Industrial Technology Leader

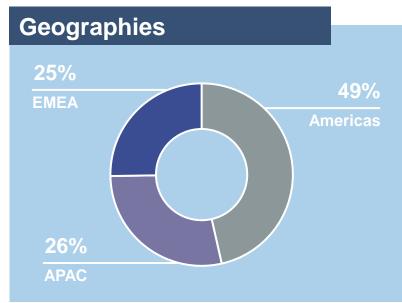
## **Helios Technologies (NYSE: HLIO)**

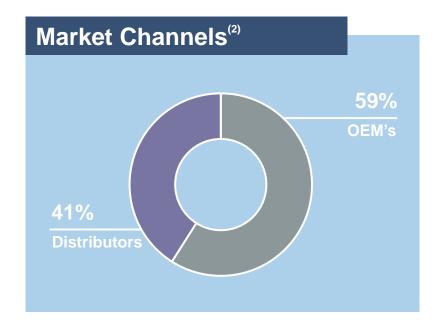
Global leader in highly engineered motion control and electronic controls technology for diverse end markets

- Outsized growth driven by diversification and innovation
- Strong financials with pathway to grow
- Paid consistent quarterly dividends over 25 years





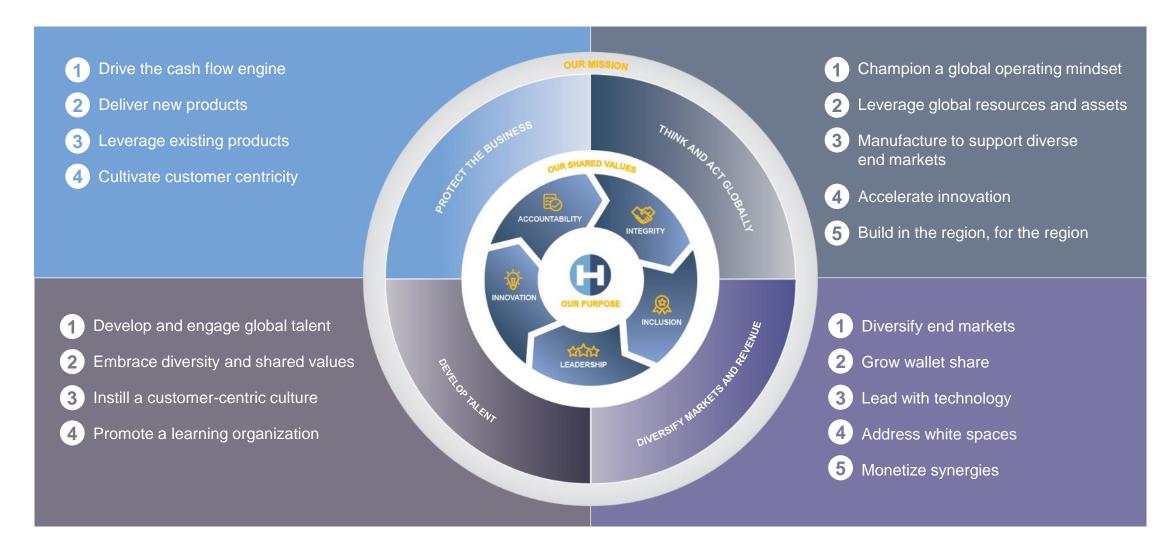






- (1) Note: Market data as of May 11, 2022; Financial data represents FY ended January 1, 2022.
- (2) Market channels data as of FY ended January 1, 2022.

## Helios Business System





# Existing End Markets and New Diversified Opportunities

Industrial



Mobile



Agriculture



Recreational



Health & Wellness

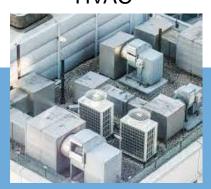


**End Markets** 

Specialty Vehicle



Commercial **HVAC** 



Commercial Food Service



**Pharmaceutical** Manufacturing



Off Road **Vehicles** 

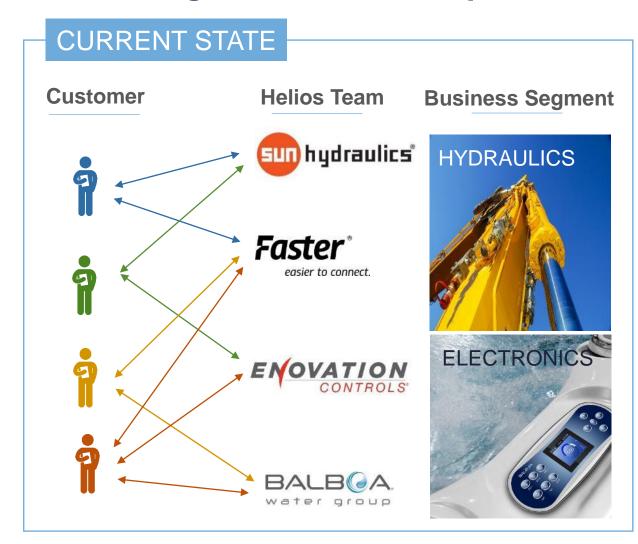


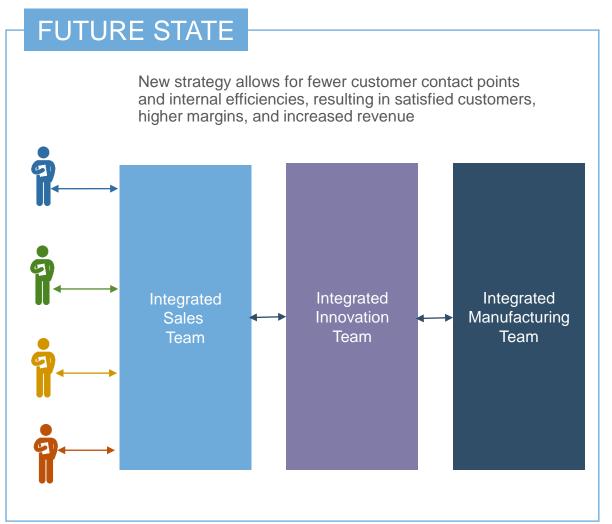
New Applications



# Think and Act Global

## Streamlining the Customer Experience Lifecycle







# M&A Flywheel Acquisition Strategy At Work



## Taimi Hydraulics

Innovative hydraulics component designer and manufacturer

- Founded 2005 -- manufacturer of innovative hydraulic components
  - Ball-less design swivel products
  - Improves hydraulic reliability of equipment
  - Increases service life of components
  - Helps protect the environment by reducing leakage
- **HISTORICAL PARTNERSHIP:** started working with Faster S.r.l. in October 2020 in a collaborative distribution arrangement
- STRONG ENGINEERING: proprietary, scalable technology and solutions-based offerings distributed in 34 countries
- STRONG BRAND RECOGNITION: swivels translate to higher productivity and lower operating costs
- **BOLT ON TO HELIOS' HYDRAULICS PLATFORM: expanding** solutions offerings and enabling accelerated path into forestry and mining
- Expected to close in the third quarter of 2022 or as soon as practicable

**Products** Swivel Cartridges to complete multiline packages



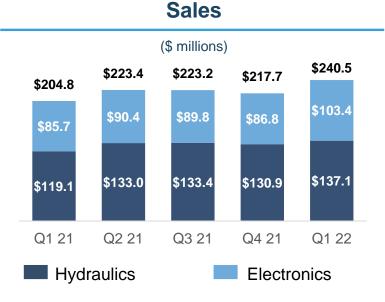








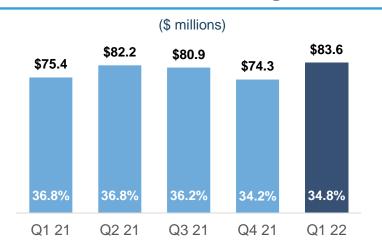
## Q1 2022 - Consolidated Results



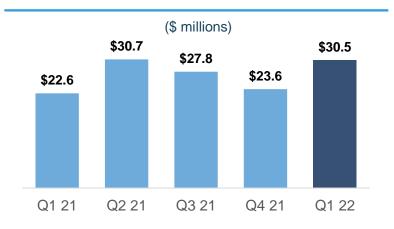
### Operating / Adj. Op. Margin<sup>(1)</sup>



### **Gross Profit & Margin**



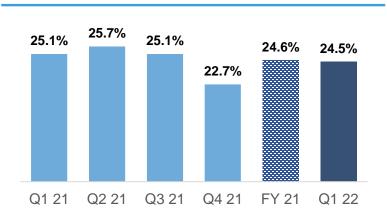
### **Net Income**





## Q1 2022 - Consolidated Results





### **Diluted GAAP EPS**



### **Adjusted EBITDA Margin Drivers**

Top tier industry performance despite challenging macro environment highlighting business model leverage

### **Diluted Earnings Drivers**

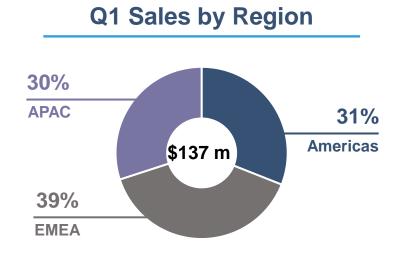
Strong operating leverage dropping to the bottom line reflecting higher sales and manufacturing and operational efficiencies being partially masked by tough macroenvironment

### Diluted Non-GAAP Cash EPS(1)





# Q1 2022 – Hydraulics Segment





### **First Quarter Highlights**

### **Sales Drivers**

- Growth as end markets rebound, especially mobile and industrial equipment markets. Improved demand seen in the Americas and FMFA
- Acquisitions added \$6.4 million, with organic revenue growth of 10% YoY
- Unfavorable FX impact of \$4.5M

### **Gross Margin Drivers**

100 basis point reduction reflects increases in material, logistics, labor costs and unfavorable FX offsetting benefits from price increases and fixed cost leverage on higher volume

### **Operating Income and Margin**

- Growth in operating income driven by strong leverage and cost discipline
- 50 basis point decline in margin reflects gross margin contraction



# Hydraulics Segment Overview















Screw-in hydraulic cartridge valves, electro-hydraulics, manifolds, integrated packages for the industrial & mobile hydraulics markets







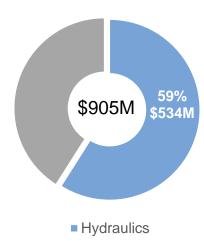
Distribution of hydraulic, pneumatic, filtration, lubrication and electronic products; system design & installation, servicing & repairs



Our trusted global brands deliver technology solutions that ensure safety, reliability, connectivity & control

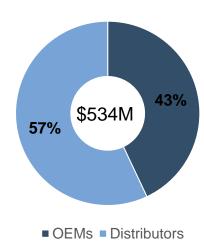
## **Segment Revenue as % of Total**





## **Hydraulics Revenue by Channel**

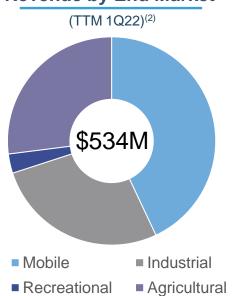
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## Hydraulics End Markets Today

## **Revenue by End Market**



### **Current Total Addressable Market**(1)

\$32-35B Global **Hydraulics Market** \$14B Valve & **Coupling Market** \$4B Addressable

## **Defining End Markets**

- Channels to market are decades strong
- A material "off-balance sheet asset"
- Conduit for growth and expansion









Recreational

Dedicated Sales Force

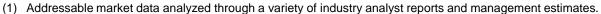
Executive Engagement

Strategic **Positioning** 

Channel Management Integrity

Market-driven Innovation





# Hydraulics Market Expansion Potential

Current **Markets** 



Material Handling











Renewable Energy

Mining















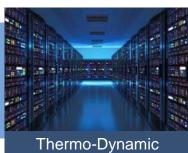


Growth **Markets** 





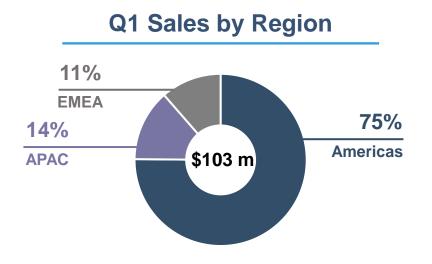




Health & Wellness



## Q1 2022 - Electronics Segment





### **First Quarter Highlights**

### **Sales Drivers**

- Strong demand in health & wellness and recreational markets drove growth in all regions despite approximately \$11 million of delays due to supply chain shortages
- FX and acquisitions were minimal impacts on sales

### **Gross Margin Drivers**

- Gross profit rose on higher volume
- Gross margin impacted by increases in raw material, freight and logistics costs related to supply chain shortages as company maintains timely shipment requirements
- Price increases implemented to meet these challenges

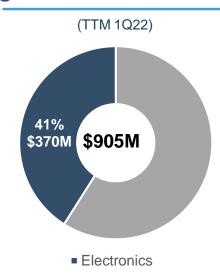
### **Operating Margin**

160 basis point reduction reflects flow through of gross margin impacts and higher personnel costs offset by fixed cost leverage on higher sales



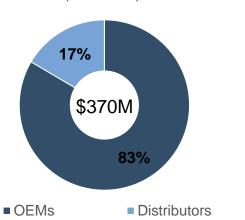
## Electronics Segment Overview

### **Segment Revenue as % of Total**



### **Electronics Revenue by Channel**

(TTM 1Q22)(1)











Control

Solutions





Hydraulic Control Solutions

**GPS Speed Control** for Recreational Marine





**Electronic Controls** and Accessories for Spas, Swimspas & Walk-In Baths



Our trusted global brands deliver technology solutions that ensure safety, reliability, connectivity & control



# Electronics End Markets Today

### **Revenue by End Market**

(FYE 2021)<sup>(2)</sup>



- Industrial & Mobile
- Recreational
- Health & Wellness



Industrial & Mobile

- Off-Highway
- Material Handling
- Agriculture
- Construction
- Lawn and Garden

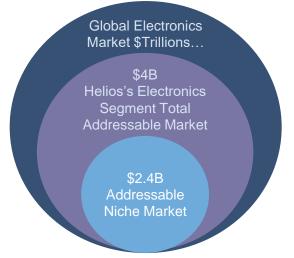


- Marine
- On/Off-Road Vehicles



- · Walk-in Baths
- Spas & Swim Spas
- · Whirlpool Baths

# **Current Addressable Market**(1)





- (1) Addressable market data analyzed through a variety of industry analyst reports and management estimates. End markets include; agriculture, construction, material handling, industrial stationary, recreational marine, recreational vehicle, and lawn and garden. Product categories include; Spa & Swim Spa, Walk-in Baths, and Whirlpool Baths.
- (2) Absolute dollars based on TTM 1Q22; End market mix based on FY 2021 split

## Electronics Market Expansion Potential



Material Handling



Specialized Vehicles



Stationary Equipment



Agriculture

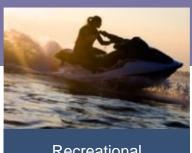




Health & Wellness



Construction



Recreational



Growth **Markets** 



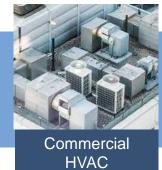
Commercial Food Service



Transportation

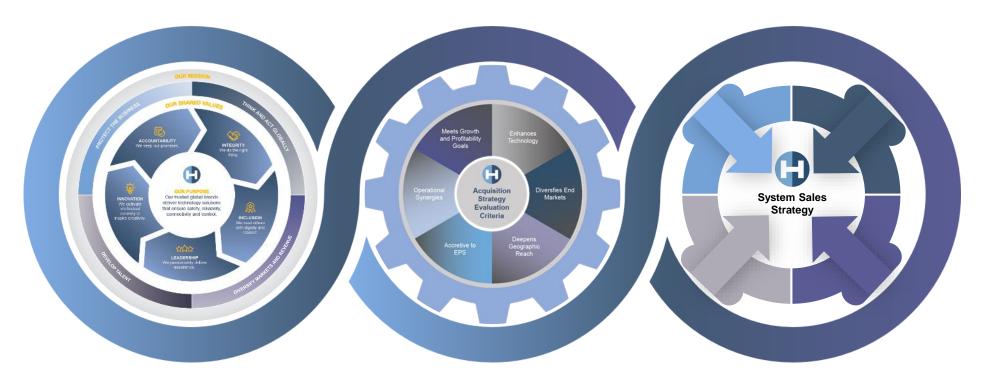


Lawn Equipment





# Value Proposition of Augmented Strategy



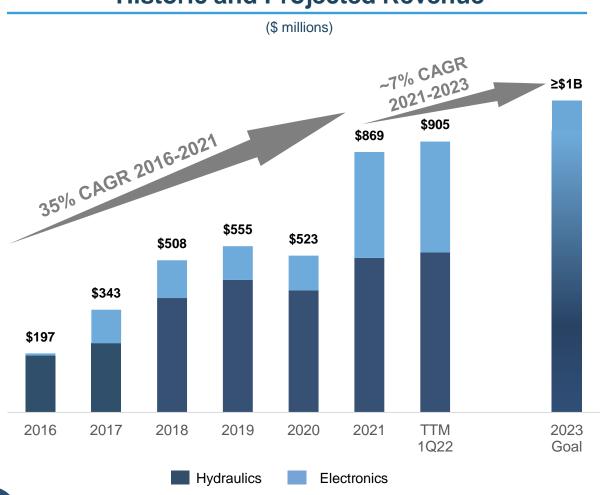
## **How We Win**

- ✓ Increase wallet/market share
- ✓ Create "Sticky Solutions"
- Drive operational efficiencies
- ✓ Develop deeper, more strategic relationships
- Grow diversified markets through R&D cross pollination



## Accelerating Growth: Hitting \$1B Milestone Two Years Early

## **Historic and Projected Revenue**

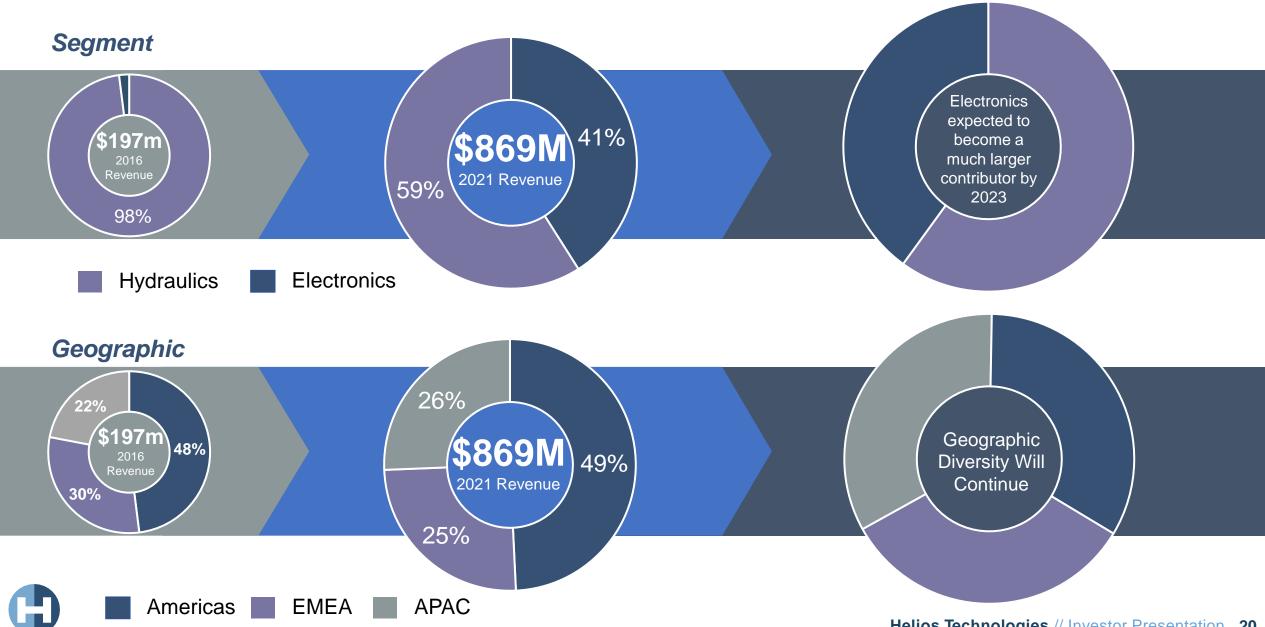


### **Growth Highlights**

- Outpacing market growth by ~2x; Our markets grow on average 3% to 5%
- Diversifying our markets, our products and our applications
- Leveraging a strong pipeline of new innovative products
- Executing well on our disciplined acquisition strategy
- Pivoting to an integrated operating company
- Implementing our strategy through a scalable approach
- Transitioning from component to system sales
- Growth driven by combination of organic growth and flywheel acquisitions



## Revenue Diversification Expected to Continue



## Strong Margins with a Pathway to Grow

### Historic and Projected Adj. EBITDA Margin



### **Growth Highlights**

- Leveraging shared global supply chains
- Integrating manufacturing operations and systems
- Leveraging manufacturing centers in developed and low-cost locations
- Utilizing capacity to achieve manufacturing footprint leverage
- Driving continuous Kaizen manufacturing process improvements
- Targeting capital investments to maximize efficiency with the latest technology
- Exercising a disciplined acquisition strategy with a strong track record of adding accretive businesses with solid operating and EBITDA margins



## Strong Cash Flow

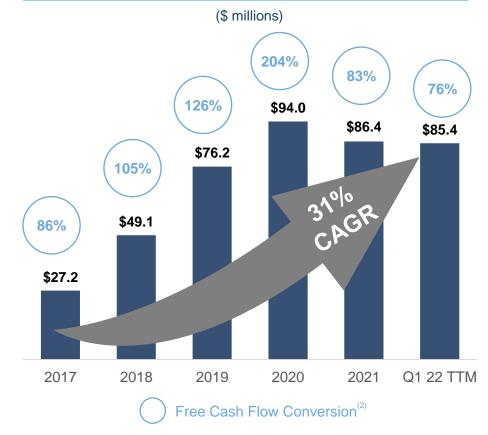
	Three Months Ended						
	<u>4/2/22</u>	<u>4/3/21</u>					
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$14.7	\$15.1					
CapEx	(5.6)	(5.0)					
Free cash flow (FCF) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$9.1 \$10.1						

Note: Components may not add to totals due to rounding

### Strong cash generation and free cash flow in Q1 2022

- Solid profitability despite higher working capital to combat supply chain challenges
- Q1 2022 CapEx of \$5.6 million
- Inventory increased 8.9%, from the end of 2021 driven by focused inventory investments to mitigate supply chain issues, anticipate customer needs and maintain top tier lead times.

## Free Cash Flow<sup>(1)</sup>





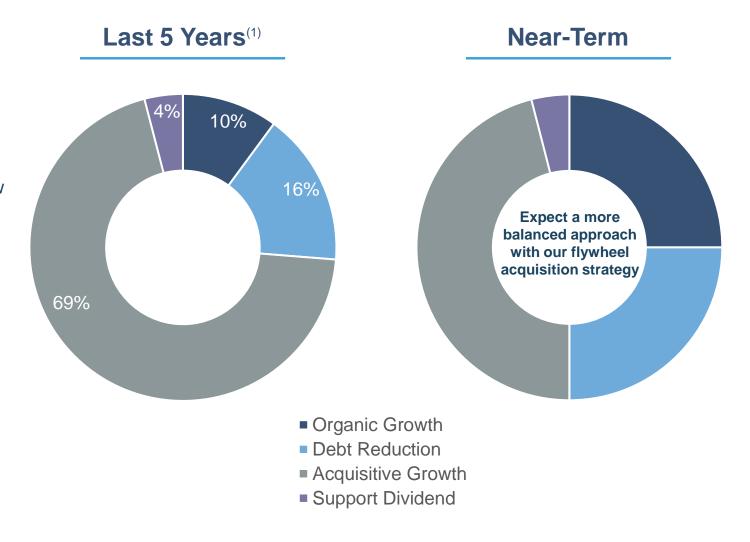
<sup>(1)</sup> Free cash flow is a non-GAAP financial measure and defined as cash provided by operating activities minus capital expenditures. (2) Free cash flow conversion is a non-GAAP financial measure and defined as free cash flow divided by net income

## Capital Allocation Priorities

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## **ORGANIC GROWTH**

- Grow at ~2x market
- New product development
- Integrate electronics and hydraulics know-how
- Support product platform
- **DEBT REDUCTION** 
  - Goal of ≤ 2.0x net debt / adjusted EBITDA
- **ACQUISITIVE GROWTH** 
  - Ongoing assessment of M&A opportunities
- **SUPPORT DIVIDEND** 
  - Maintain quarterly dividend



## Capital Structure

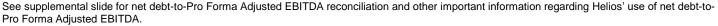
Capitalization								
	4/2/22	4/3/21						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$33.0	\$25.9						
Total debt	452.2							
Total net debt <sup>(1)</sup>	405.1	426.3						
Shareholders' equity	735.6	625.3						
Total capitalization	\$1,173.7	\$1,077.5						
Debt/total capitalization	37.3%	42.0%						

Note: Components may not add to totals due to rounding

### **Financial Flexibility**

- Cash and cash equivalents up \$4.5 million from the end of 2021
- Generated \$14.7 million of operating cash flow in Q1
- Achieved net debt/pro forma Adjusted EBITDA of 1.79x<sup>(2)</sup>:
  - Maintained long-term target level of below 2.0x down from 1.89x<sup>(2)</sup> at the end of 2021
- Company expects to spend between 3% to 5% of sales in capital investments in 2022
- Ended the quarter with total liquidity of \$192 million
- Paid dividends consistently for 101 sequential quarters or over twenty-five years!

<sup>(2)</sup> Pro Forma for the NEM and Joyonway acquisitions.



Net debt is a non-GAAP financial measure and is defined as total debt less cash and cash equivalents; see supplemental slides for a reconciliation to the most comparable GAAP measure.

## Proven M&A Framework

### Goals

- Meets Growth and Profitability Goals
- Enhances Technology
- **Diversifies End Markets**
- Deepens Geographic Reach
- Accretive to EPS
- Operational Synergies

### **Targets**

- Strong management
- Culture supporting innovation
- Superior profitability
- <\$100M "Flywheel" bolt-on</p>
- >\$100M "Transformational"

### **Integration Model**

- Successful on standalone basis
- Retain employees
- Keep customer relationships
- Retain brands
- Leverage engineering expertise
- High emphasis on sales synergies

Segment

Portfolio/ **Technology** 

Brands

Cartridge Valve Technology (CVT)

**Quick Release Couplings** (QRC)











**Electronics** 

**Electronic Controls & Instrumentation** 











## Accelerated Plans





<sup>(1)</sup> Reflects a non-GAAP financial measure; see supplemental slide for Adjusted EBITDA margin reconciliation

# Driving Growth and Delivering Profitability

Strategy Recap









Pivoting to an operating company

Expanding existing markets, adding adjacent markets, diversifying geographic markets

Streamlining sales, innovation, and global manufacturing teams

Growing free cash flow driving growth and leverage reduction

Meeting revenue goals 2 years early, expanding margin profile





## Non-GAAP Reconciliation Tables



# Adjusted Operating Income Reconciliation

(Unaudited)		Three Months Ended				
(\$ in thousands)	Apr	il 2, 2022	Apr	pril 3, 2021		
GAAP operating income	\$	42,887	\$	34,608		
Acquisition-related amortization of intangible assets		6,980		10,198		
Acquisition and financing-related expenses		859		922		
Restructuring charges		268		418		
Officer transition costs		302		-		
Acquisition integration costs		1,119		594		
Non-GAAP adjusted operating income	\$	52,415	\$	46,740		
GAAP operating margin		17.8%		16.9%		
Non-GAAP adjusted operating margin		21.8%		22.8%		

#### Non-GAAP Financial Measure:

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



## Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation

(Unaudited) (\$ in thousands)

					Twe	lve Months
		Three Mon	Ended			
	Apr	il 2, 2022	Apr	il 3, 2021	Ap	ril 2, 2022
Net income	\$ 30,478		\$	\$ 22,587		112,487
Interest expense, net		3,809		4,751		15,929
Income tax provision		8,774		6,807		28,550
Depreciation and amortization		12,554		15,237		51,718
EBITDA	55,615 49,382		208,68			
Acquisition and financing-related expenses		859		922		5,678
Restructuring charges		268		418		323
Officer transition costs		302		-		619
Inventory step-up amortization		-		-		558
Acquisition integration costs		1,119		594		3,374
Change in fair value of contingent consideration		836		-		1,886
Other		-		-		626
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	58,999	\$	51,316	\$	221,748
Adjusted EBITDA margin		24.5%		25.1%		24.5%
Pre-acquisition adjusted EBITDA, 2021 NEM and Joyonway						4,334
TTM Pro forma adjusted EBITDA					\$	226,082

### Non-GAAP Financial Measure:

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## Non-GAAP Cash Net Income Reconciliation

(Unaudited) (\$ in thousands)

	Three Months Ended			
	Apr	il 3, 2021		
Net income	\$ 30,478 \$		22,587	
Amortization of intangible assets		7,105		10,231
Acquisition and financing-related expenses		859		922
Restructuring charges		268		418
Officer transition costs		302		-
Acquisition integration costs		1,119		594
Change in fair value of contingent consideration		836		-
Tax effect of above		(2,622)		(3,041)
Non-GAAP cash net income		38,345	\$	31,711
Non-GAAP cash net income per diluted share	\$	1.18	\$	0.99

### Non-GAAP Financial Measure:

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



## Free Cash Flow Reconciliation

(Unaudited) (\$ in thousands)

(Unaudited)

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(\$ in thousands)	 2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	Q1	2022 TTM
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 49,382	\$ 77,450	\$ 90,480	\$ 108,556	\$ 113,202	\$	112,808
Contingent consideration payment in excess of acquisition date fair value	-	-	10,731	 -	 -		-
Adjusted net cash provided by operating activities	49,382	77,450	101,211	108,556	113,202		112,808
Capital expenditures	22,205	28,380	25,025	14,580	26,794		27,388
Adjusted Free cash flow	\$ 27,177	\$ 49,070	\$ 76,186	\$ 93,976	\$ 86,408	\$	85,420
Net income	31,558	46,730	60,268	14,218	104,596		112,487
Goodwill impairment	 -	-	-	31,871	 -		-
Net income, less goodwill impariment	\$ 31,558	\$ 46,730	\$ 60,268	\$ 46,089	\$ 104,596	\$	112,487
Free cash flow conversion	86%	105%	126%	204%	83%		76%

### Non-GAAP Financial Measure:

Adjusted net cash provided by operating activities is net cash provided by operating activities less contingent consideration payment in excess of acquisition date fair value. Free cash flow is net cash provided by operating activities less capital expenditures. Adjusted free cash flow is adjusted net cash provided by operating activities less capital expenditures. Each of these measures has not been determined in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States, commonly known as GAAP. Nevertheless, Helios believes that providing this non-GAAP information is important for investors and other readers of Helios' financial statements, as they are used as analytical indicators by Helios' management to better understand our liquidity. Because these are non-GAAP measures, they are susceptible to varying calculations, and as presented, may not be directly comparable to other similarly titled measures used by other companies.



## Net Debt to Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation

(Unaudited) (\$ in thousands)

		As of
	Ap	ril 2, 2022
Current portion of long-term non-revolving debt, net	\$	18,141
Revolving lines of credit		240,086
Long-term non-revolving debt, net		179,864
Total debt		438,091
Less: Cash and cash equivalents		33,019
Net debt	\$	405,072
TTM Pro forma adjusted EBITDA*	\$	226,082
Ratio of net debt to TTM pro forma adjusted EBITDA		1.79
*On a pro-forma basis for NEM and Joyonway		

### Non-GAAP Financial Measure:

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

