Omicom

2024 First Quarter

April 16, 2024

Highlights

Revenue

- 4.0% organic revenue growth in Q1 2024
- Advertising & Media +7.0%, Precision Marketing +4.3% in Q1 2024
- Tailwind of +1.5% in Q1 2024 from net acquisitions & dispositions

Business update

- Flywheel Digital is successfully integrating into our Omni platform
- Significant new e-commerce capabilities and data signals allow Omnicom to deliver a unique combination of marketing and sales solutions
- Recent business wins, new business opportunities, the Olympics, and U.S. elections support our 2024 outlook

Income

- Operating income \$478.9 million (13.2% margin). EBITA \$500.4 million (13.8% margin) +4.1% from prior year non-GAAP adjusted EBITA⁽ⁱ⁾
- Reported diluted EPS of \$1.59. Non-GAAP adjusted diluted EPS of \$1.67, up 3.7% from prior year⁽ⁱ⁾

Capital allocation

- Acquisition of Flywheel Digital for \$845 million, financed with \$643 million of debt
- \$180.1 million in share repurchases and \$138.8 million in common dividends paid in Q1 2024
- 44.3% Return on Equity and 22.3% Return on Invested Capital for the 12 months ended March 31, 2024

(i) See Non-GAAP reconciliations on pages 18 - 20.

Income Statement Summary

	First Quarter			
		2024		2023
Revenue	\$	3,630.5	\$	3,443.3
Operating Expenses (a)		3,151.6		3,096.8
Operating Income		478.9		346.5
Net Interest Expense		26.8		19.3
Income Tax Expense ^(b)		116.0		83.4
Income from Equity Method Investments		0.9		0.1
Net Income Attributed to Noncontrolling Interests		18.4		16.4
Net Income - Omnicom Group Inc. (a)(b)	\$	318.6	\$	227.5
Diluted Shares		200.1		204.5
Net Income per Share - Diluted ^{(a)(b)}	\$	1.59	\$	1.11
Non-GAAP Adjusted Net Income per Share - Diluted ^{(a)(b)(5)}	\$	1.67	\$	1.61
Dividends Declared Per Common Share	\$	0.70	\$	0.70

In millions except per share amounts. See Notes on page 13 and non-GAAP reconciliations on pages 17 to 20.

Revenue Change

	First Quarter			
		\$	% ∆	
Prior Period Revenue	\$	3,443.3		
Foreign exchange rate impact ⁽¹⁾		(2.7)	(0.1)%	
Acquisition revenue, net of disposition revenue(2)		53.0	1.5 %	
Organic growth ⁽³⁾		136.9	4.0 %	
Current Period Revenue	\$	3,630.5	5.4 %	

In millions. See Definition (1) through (3) on page 13.

Revenue by Discipline

First Quarter

	Revenue		% of Rev	% Growth	% Organic Growth ⁽³⁾
Advertising & Media	\$	1,906.8	52.5 %	7.3 %	7.0 %
Precision Marketing		438.2	12.1 %	21.7 %	4.3 %
Public Relations		390.3	10.8 %	3.9 %	(1.1)%
Healthcare		323.6	8.9 %	1.6 %	2.1 %
Branding & Retail Commerce		200.2	5.5 %	(4.5)%	(3.8)%
Experiential		159.9	4.4 %	8.2 %	9.5 %
Execution & Support		211.5	5.8 %	(17.2)%	(4.3)%
Total	\$	3,630.5	100.0 %	5.4 %	4.0 %

In millions. See Definition (3) on page 13. Precision Marketing discipline includes Flywheel Digital.

Revenue by Region

First Quarter

	Revenue		Revenue		% of Rev	% Growth	% Organic Growth ⁽³⁾
United States	\$	1,925.9	53.0 %	6.3 %	4.3 %		
Other North America		115.0	3.2 %	0.3 %	1.1 %		
United Kingdom		403.2	11.1 %	8.5 %	3.2 %		
Euro Markets & Other Europe		602.6	16.6 %	3.8 %	3.5 %		
Asia Pacific		407.7	11.2 %	0.5 %	3.0 %		
Latin America		96.5	2.7 %	30.4 %	22.3 %		
Middle East & Africa		79.6	2.2 %	(6.2)%	(4.2)%		
Total	\$	3,630.5	100.0 %	5.4 %	4.0 %		

In millions. See Definition (3) on page 13.

Revenue by Industry Sector

	First Quarter			
	2024	2023		
Pharmaceuticals & Healthcare	16%	16%		
Food & Beverage	16%	16%		
Auto	11%	11%		
Consumer Products	9%	8%		
Technology	7%	8%		
Financial Services	7%	8%		
Travel & Entertainment	7%	7%		
Retail	6%	6%		
Telecommunications	4%	4%		
Government	4%	4%		
Services	3%	3%		
Oil, Gas & Utilities	2%	2%		
Education	1%	1%		
Not-for-Profit	1%	1%		
Other	6%	5%		
Total	100%	100%		

Note: Prior year period amounts conform to the current period presentation.

Operating Expense Detail

	First Quarter					
		% of Rev		2023	% of Rev	
Revenue	\$	3,630.5		\$	3,443.3	
Operating expenses:						
Salary and related costs		1,847.3	50.9 %		1,778.0	51.6 %
Third-party service costs ^(c)		698.2	19.2 %		639.3	18.6 %
Third-party incidental costs ^(d)		147.1	4.1 %		125.6	3.6 %
Total salary and service costs		2,692.6			2,542.9	
Occupancy and other costs		314.1	8.7 %		291.6	8.5 %
Real estate repositioning costs ^(a)		_	— %		119.2	3.5 %
Cost of services		3,006.7			2,953.7	
Selling, general and administrative expenses		85.3	2.3 %		89.2	2.6 %
Depreciation and amortization		59.6	1.6 %		53.9	1.6 %
Total operating expenses		3,151.6	86.8 %		3,096.8	89.9 %
Operating Income ^(a)	\$	478.9		\$	346.5	

In millions. See Notes on page 13.

Income Statement Summary - Non-GAAP Adjusted

First Quarter

	Reported 2024	_	Reported 2023	Non-GAAP Adjustments A	Non-GAAP djusted 2023
Revenue	\$ 3,630.5	\$	3,443.3	\$ — \$	3,443.3
Operating Expenses:					
Real estate repositioning costs ^(a)			119.2	(119.2)	
Operating Expenses ^(a)	3,151.6		3,096.8	(119.2)	2,977.6
Operating Income ^(a)	 478.9		346.5		465.7
Operating Income Margin %	13.2 %		10.1 %		13.5 %
Net Interest Expense	26.8		19.3		
Income Tax Expense ^(b)	116.0		83.4		
Income Tax Rate	25.7 %		25.5 %		
Income from Equity Method Investments	0.9		0.1		
Net Income Attributed to Noncontrolling Interests	18.4		16.4		
Net Income - Omnicom Group Inc. (a)(b)	\$ 318.6	\$	227.5		
Net Income per Share - Diluted ^{(a)(b)}	\$ 1.59	\$	1.11		
Non-GAAP Measures:					
EBITA ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 500.4	\$	361.3	\$ 119.2 \$	480.5
EBITA Margin %	13.8 %		10.5 %		14.0 %
Reported Net Income per Share - Diluted ^{(a)(b)}	\$ 1.59	\$	1.11	\$	1.11
After-tax amortization per diluted share ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 0.08			\$	0.05
Real estate repositioning costs (after-tax) per diluted share ^{(a)(b)}				\$	0.45
Non-GAAP Adjusted Net Income per Share - Diluted ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 1.67			\$	1.61

In millions except per share amounts. See Notes on page 13 and Non-GAAP reconciliations on pages 17 - 20.

Cash Flow Performance

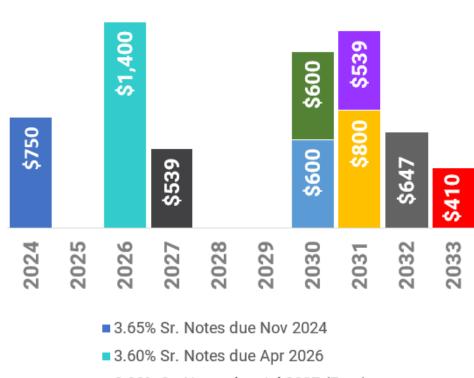
	Т	Three Months March 31,			
		2024	2023		
Free Cash Flow ⁽⁴⁾	\$	415.1	\$	428.9	
Primary Uses of Cash:					
Dividends paid to Common Shareholders		138.8		142.3	
Dividends paid to Noncontrolling Interest Shareholders		13.3		12.5	
Capital Expenditures		23.1		23.1	
Acquisition payments, including payment of contingent purchase price obligations, and acquisition of additional noncontrolling interests		812.4		38.4	
Stock Repurchases, net of Proceeds from Stock Plans		178.0		278.8	
Primary Uses of Cash ⁽⁴⁾		1,165.6		495.1	
Net Free Cash Flow ⁽⁴⁾	\$	(750.5)	\$	(66.2)	

In millions. See Definition (4) on page 13 and Non-GAAP reconciliations on pages 17 - 20.

Credit & Liquidity

\$ Millions	Twelve Months Ended March 31,				
	2024		2023		
EBITDA ⁽⁵⁾	\$	2,453.9	\$	2,294.9	
Total Debt / EBITDA		2.6 x		2.5 x	
Net Debt ⁽⁶⁾ / EBITDA		1.3 x		1.0 x	
Debt					
Bank Loans (Due Less Than 1 Year)	\$	11.2	\$	18.5	
USD-denominated Senior Notes		4,150.0		4,150.0	
EUR-denominated Senior Notes		1,726.1		1,106.0	
GBP-denominated Senior Notes		410.2		413.9	
Other		(35.0)		(60.5)	
Total Debt	\$	6,262.5	\$	5,627.9	
Cash and Equivalents		3,172.8		3,261.5	
Short Term Investments		_		87.4	
Net Debt ⁽⁶⁾	\$	3,089.7	\$	2,279.0	

OMC Maturity Schedule



- 0.80% Sr. Notes due Jul 2027 (Euro)
- 2.45% Sr. Notes due Apr 2030
- 4.20% Sr. Notes due Jun 2030
- ■1.40% Sr. Notes due Jul 2031 (Euro)
- 2.60% Sr. Notes due Aug 2031
- 3.70% Sr. Notes due Mar 2032 (Euro)
- 2.25% Sr. Notes due Nov 2033 (Sterling)

In millions. See Definitions (5) and (6) on page 13 and Non-GAAP reconciliations on pages 17 - 20.

Historical Returns

Return on Invested Capital (ROIC) ⁽⁷⁾		Return on Equity ⁽⁸⁾					
Twelve months ended March 31, 2024	22.3 %	Twelve months ended March 31, 2024	44.3 %				
Twelve months ended March 31, 2023	24.1 %	Twelve months ended March 31, 2023	44.8 %				

In millions. See Definitions (7) and (8) on page 13.

Notes

Financial

- (a) For the three months ended March 31, 2023, operating expenses include \$119.2 million (\$91.0 million after-tax) related to real estate repositioning costs, which decreased diluted net income per share Omnicom Group Inc. by \$0.45.
- (b) Income tax for the three months ended March 31, 2023 includes impacts related to real estate repositioning actions.
- (c) Third-party service costs include third-party supplier costs when we act as principal in providing services to our clients.
- (d) Third-party incidental costs primarily consist of client-related travel and incidental out-of-pocket costs which we bill back to the client directly at our cost and which we are required to include in revenue.
- (e) Constant Dollar ("C\$") expense is calculated by translating the current period's local currency expense using the prior period average exchange rates to derive current period C\$ expense. The foreign exchange rate impact is the difference between the current period expense in U.S. Dollars and the current period C\$ expense.

Definitions

- (1) Foreign exchange rate impact: calculated by translating the current period's local currency revenue using the prior period average exchange rates to derive current period constant currency revenue. The foreign exchange rate impact is the difference between the current period revenue in U.S. Dollars and the current period constant currency revenue.
- Acquisition revenue, net of disposition revenue: Acquisition revenue is calculated as if the acquisition occurred twelve months prior to the acquisition date by aggregating the comparable prior period revenue of acquisitions through the acquisition date. As a result, acquisition revenue excludes the positive or negative difference between our current period revenue subsequent to the acquisition date, and the comparable prior period revenue and the positive or negative growth after the acquisition date is attributed to organic growth. Disposition revenue is calculated as if the disposition occurred twelve months prior to the disposition date by aggregating the comparable prior period revenue of disposals through such date. The acquisition revenue and disposition revenue amounts are netted in the presentation on page 4.
- (3) Organic growth: calculated by subtracting the foreign exchange rate impact, and the acquisition revenue, net of disposition revenue components from total revenue growth.
- (4) See page 17 for the reconciliation of non-GAAP financial measures, which reconciles Free Cash Flow to the Net Cash Used in Operating Activities and Net Free Cash Flow to the Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents for the periods presented on page 10. The Free Cash Flow, Primary Uses of Cash and Net Free Cash Flow amounts presented on page 10 are non-GAAP liquidity measures. See page 22 for the definition of Net Free Cash Flow.
- (5) EBITA and EBITDA are non-GAAP performance measures. Beginning with the three months ended March 31, 2024, EBITA is defined as operating income before amortization of acquired intangible assets and internally developed strategic platform assets. As a result, we reclassified the prior year to be consistent with the revised definition, which reduced EBITA from previously reported amounts. Non-GAAP Adjusted Net Income per share Diluted reflects the after-tax effects of amortization of acquired intangible assets and internally developed strategic platform assets. We use EBITA and EBITA margin as additional operating performance measures, which exclude the non-cash amortization expense of acquired intangible assets and internally developed strategic platform assets and allows for comparability of the periods presented. See page 22 for the definition of these measures and page 18 and 19 for the reconciliation of Non-GAAP financial measures.
- (6) Net Debt is a non-GAAP liquidity measure. See page 22 for the definition of this measure, which is reconciled in the table on page 11.
- (7) Return on Invested Capital is After Tax Reported Operating Income (a non-GAAP performance measure see page 22 for the definition of this measure and page 17 for the reconciliation of non-GAAP financial measures) divided by the average of Invested Capital at the beginning and the end of the period (book value of all long-term liabilities, including those related to operating leases, short-term interest bearing debt, the short-term liability related to operating leases plus shareholders' equity less cash, cash equivalents, short-term investments, and operating lease right of use assets).
- (8) Return on Equity is Reported Net Income for the given period divided by the average of shareholders' equity at the beginning and end of the period.
- (9) The Free Cash Flow amounts presented on page 15 are non-GAAP liquidity measures. See page 22 for the definition of this measure and page 17 for the reconciliation of the non-GAAP financial measures, which reconciles Free Cash Flow to the Net Cash Used in Operating Activities for the periods presented on page 15.

Appendix

Free Cash Flow

	2024		2023	
Net Income	\$	337.0	\$	243.9
Depreciation and Amortization of Intangible Assets		59.6		53.9
Share-Based Compensation		22.1		20.7
Real estate repositioning costs		_		119.2
Other Items to Reconcile to Net Cash Used in Operating Activities, net		(3.6)		(8.8)
Free Cash Flow ⁽⁹⁾	\$	415.1	\$	428.9

Three Months Ended March 31,

In millions. See Definition (9) on page 13 and non-GAAP reconciliations on pages 17 - 20.

Operating Expense Detail - Constant \$

	First Quarter					
	2024	2024 C\$ ^(e)	2023			
Operating expenses:						
Salary and related costs	\$ 1,847.3	\$ 1,844.1	\$ 1,778.0			
Third-party service costs ^(c)	698.2	703.1	639.3			
Third-party incidental costs ^(d)	147.1	148.1	125.6			
Total salary and service costs	2,692.6	2,695.3	2,542.9			
Occupancy and other costs	314.1	313.7	291.6			
Real estate repositioning costs ^(a)	_	_	119.2			
Cost of services	3,006.7	3,009.0	2,953.7			
Selling, general and administrative expenses	85.3	85.3	89.2			
Depreciation and amortization	59.6	59.3	53.9			
Total operating expenses ^(a)	\$ 3,151.6	\$ 3,153.6	\$ 3,096.8			

In millions. See Notes on page 13.

		2024	2023		
Net Cash Used in Operating Activities	\$	(618.5)	\$	(522.1)	
Operating Activities items excluded from Free Cash Flow:					
Changes in Operating Capital		(1,033.6)		(951.0)	
Free Cash Flow	\$	415.1	\$	428.9	
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	(1,259.2)	\$	(1,020.3)	
Cash Flow items excluded from Net Free Cash Flow:					
Changes in Operating Capital		(1,033.6)		(951.0)	
Proceeds from borrowings		645.9		_	
Proceeds from (purchase of) short-term investments				_	
Other investing, net		(13.7)		(14.5)	
Changes in Short-term Debt, net		0.3		1.0	
Other financing, net		(21.8)		(8.0)	
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents		(85.8)		18.4	
Net Free Cash Flow	\$ (750.5) \$ (66.2)				

Twelve Months Ended March 31,

Three Months Ended March 31,

			2023		
Reported Operating Income	\$	2,237.1	\$	2,076.8	
Effective Tax Rate for the applicable period		26.3 %			
Income Taxes on Reported Operating Income		588.4		544.1	
After Tax Reported Operating Income	\$	1,648.7	\$	1,532.7	

In millions

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		2024		2023	
Net Income - Omnicom Group Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	\$	318.6	\$	227.5	
Net Income Attributed to Noncontrolling Interests		18.4		16.4	
Income From Equity Method Investments		0.9		0.1	
Income Tax Expense		116.0		83.4	
Income Before Income Taxes and Income From Equity Method Investments		452.1		327.2	
Net Interest Expense		26.8		19.3	
Operating Income ^{(a)(b)}		478.9		346.5	
Amortization of acquired intangible assets and internally developed strategic platform assets ⁽⁵⁾		21.5		14.8	
EBITA		500.4		361.3	
Amortization of other purchased and internally developed software		4.3		4.5	
Depreciation		33.8		34.6	
EBITDA	\$	538.5	\$	400.4	
EBITA	\$	500.4	\$	361.3	
Real estate repositioning costs		_		119.2	
EBITA - Adjusted	\$	500.4	\$	480.5	
Revenue	\$	3,630.5	\$	3,443.3	
EBITA	\$	500.4	\$	361.3	
EBITA Margin %		13.8 %		10.5 %	
EBITA - Adjusted	\$	500.4	\$	480.5	
EBITA Margin % - Adjusted		13.8 %		14.0 %	

In millions

The above table reconciles the GAAP financial measure of Net Income – Omnicom Group Inc. to the non-GAAP financial measures of EBITDA and EBITA for the periods presented.

EBITDA and EBITA, which are defined on page 22, are non-GAAP financial measures within the meaning of applicable SEC rules and regulations. Our credit facility defines EBITDA as earnings before deducting interest expense, income taxes, depreciation and amortization, and excludes certain other one-time items. Our credit facility uses EBITDA to measure our compliance with covenants, such as our leverage ratios, as presented on page 11 of this presentation. Adjusted EBITA and Adjusted EBITA Margin are non-GAAP measures, and management believes excluding real estate repositioning costs provides investors with a better picture of performance of the business during the periods presented. See page 22 for definition of non-GAAP financial measures.

Three Months Ended March 31,

Net Income - Omnicom Group Inc Reported						
Net Income Attributed To Noncontrolling Interests						
Income From Equity Method Investments						
Income Tax Expense						
Income Before Income Taxes and Income From Equity Method Investments						
Net Interest Expense						
Operating Income - Reported						
Real estate repositioning costs						
Non-GAAP Operating Income - Adjusted						

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2024	2023			
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\$ 478.9	\$	465.7		

In millions

The above table reconciles the GAAP financial measure of Operating Income to adjusted Non-GAAP financial measure of Non-GAAP Operating Income - Adjusted for the periods presented. Management believes excluding the real estate repositioning costs, provides investors with a better picture of the periods presented.

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Non-GAAP Adjusted Net Income per Share - Omnicom Group Inc. \$ 1.67 \$ 1.61	Real estate repositioning costs - after-tax Amortization of acquired intangible assets and internally developed strategic	\$		\$	0.45	
	Non-GAAP Adjusted Net Income per Share - Omnicom Group Inc.	\$	1.67	\$	1.61	

In millions

The above table reconciles the GAAP financial measure of Net Income-Omnicom Group Inc., to the adjusted Non-GAAP financial measure of Net Income-Omnicom Group Inc.-Adjusted for the periods presented. Management believes these non-GAAP measures are useful for investors to evaluate the comparability of the performance of our business year to year.

Amortization of Intangible Assets

\$ Millions

Acquired intangible assets and internally developed strategic platform assets

Other purchased and internally developed software

Total Amortization Expense

2023						2023			2022
Q1		Q2		Q3		Q4		Full Year	Full Year
\$ 14.8	\$	14.7	\$	15.7	\$	16.6	\$	61.8	\$ 58.8
4.5		4.6		4.6		4.8		18.5	21.5
\$ 19.3	\$	19.3	\$	20.3	\$	21.4	\$	80.3	\$ 80.3

In prior years, we reported total amortization of intangible assets. The above table provides the components of total amortization.

Disclosures

The preceding materials have been prepared for use in the April 16, 2024 conference call on Omnicom's results of operations for the three months ended March 31, 2024. The call will be archived on the Internet at http://investor.omnicomgroup.com

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Non-GAAP Financial Measures

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Other Information

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