# **3Q21** Earnings Call

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### **Forward-Looking Statements and Non-GAAP Reconciliations**



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### **Diluted EPS**





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**Carol B. Tomé** Chief Executive Officer



### MOVING OUR WORLD FORWARD BY DELIVERING WHAT MATTERS

# Thank you UPSers



### **Customer First, People Led, Innovation Driven**

Through a better not bigger framework



#### **Key Focus Areas**

- Improve revenue quality, including growing SMB volume
- Reduce our cost to serve through productivity and cost take-out initiatives
- Effectively allocate capital to create a better customer experience, happier UPSers, and higher returns on the capital we deploy



#### **Consolidated Results**

### GAAP

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Revenue	\$23,184	\$21,238	9.2%
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Operating Margin	12.5%	11.1%	140 bps
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Operating Margin*	12.8%	11.3%	150 bps
Diluted EPS*	\$2.71	\$2.28	18.9%

\* Non-GAAP financial measure. See Appendix for reconciliation to GAAP financial measure.



### **Better Not Bigger Strategic Framework**

**Three focus areas** 





#### We are Ready for Peak

- Collaborating with our customers to match their needs to our available capacity
- Leveraging proven tools to ensure network flexibility and control
- Digitized our job application process, enabling qualified candidates to receive a job offer within 30 minutes

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# **Brian Newman** Chief Financial Officer

### **Macro Environment**

#### **Global economic environment remains strong**



Strong growth in global economy in 3Q21 despite:

- COVID-19
- Inflation
- Inventory and labor shortages



Demand for UPS services remains high and the pricing environment in the industry was firm in the third quarter



Fourth-quarter global GDP expected to finish up **3.8%**; U.S. GDP is expected to grow **4.9%** 

Source: IHS Markit



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U.S. Domestic

## **Unique YoY Comparisons Visible in Volume Mix**

**B2B** volume continued to recover



• Ground ADV decrease of 418K, includes SurePost decline of 576K



#### U.S. Domestic

#### **Revenue Increased 7.4% to \$14.2B**

Driven by 12% increase in revenue per piece







- Fuel drove 270 basis points of the revenue per piece growth rate
- Double-digit percentage revenue per piece growth in both Ground and Next Day Air products vs. LY

## **U.S. Domestic Operating Profit and Margin Increased YoY**

Revenue growth above expense growth

**Operating Profit (In Millions)** 



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- Productivity improvements, led by inside sort operations and on-road, helped offset market rate adjustments and expansion of Saturday delivery
- Adjusted operating expense\* grew 5.8%, with fuel driving 180 basis points of the year-over-year expense growth rate
- Adjusted operating margin\* expanded 140 basis points to 10.0%

#### International

#### Average Daily Volume Up 1.9%; Up 14% on a 2-year Stack B2B ADV grew 3.8%



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#### International

## **International Generated \$1.1B in Operating Profit**

Fourth consecutive quarter of operating profit over \$1B



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- Revenue up 15.5% to \$4.7B
- Revenue per piece increased 14.0%
  - Includes 500 basis point benefit from fuel
  - Utilized surcharges to match demand with available capacity
- Adjusted operating margin<sup>\*</sup> of 23.5%



### **Delivered Record Third-Quarter Top- and Bottom-Line Results**



**Operating Profit (In Millions)** 

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- All major business categories contributed to profit growth, led by Forwarding and Logistics
- Adjusted operating margin<sup>\*</sup> of 10.5%
- First full quarter without UPS Freight results

#### **Cash Flow and Debt Maturities**



3Q21 YTD Cash from Operations of \$11.8B; YTD Free Cash Flow<sup>\*</sup> of \$9.3B

\*Non-GAAP financial measure. See Appendix for reconciliation to GAAP financial measure. Note: 2020 results include \$1.1B benefit from CARES Act payroll tax deferral and total pension contributions of \$3.1B. **Debt Maturities** 



\* Includes ESOP and excludes finance lease obligations of \$542M at 09/30/21.

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### The UPS dividend is a hallmark of our financial strength



\*\* Estimated based on 1Q21, 2Q21 and 3Q21 dividends declared per share.

# As announced in June, UPS's dividend policy will target a payout ratio of ~50% of prior year adjusted net income

## **Raising Full-year 2021 Outlook**

- Paying close attention to:
  - COVID-19
  - Inflationary pressures
  - Inventory and labor shortages
- Consumer demand is expected to be strong during peak season and in the fourth quarter
- Due to our strong 3Q21 performance, the progress we are making with our strategic initiatives and our increased 4Q forecast, *UPS is raising full-year* guidance

#### Full-year 2021 Outlook

- Consolidated:
  - Revenue growth ~13.8%
  - Adjusted operating margin\* ~13%
  - Free cash flow\* ~\$10.5B
  - Adjusted Return on Invested Capital<sup>\*</sup> ~29%
  - Capital expenditures ~\$4.2B
- U.S. Domestic:
  - Revenue growth ~12.7%; adjusted operating margin<sup>\*</sup> ~10.5%
- International:
  - Revenue growth ~20.7%; adjusted operating margin<sup>\*</sup> ~23.9%
- Supply Chain Solutions:
  - Revenue growth ~10.3%; adjusted operating margin<sup>\*</sup> ~10%



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# **Questions & Answers**







# Appendix

#### **Reconciliation of GAAP and Non-GAAP Financial Measures**

#### **Non-GAAP Financial Measures; Reconciliations**

From time to time we supplement the reporting of our financial information determined under generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") with certain non-GAAP financial measures. These include: "adjusted" compensation and benefits; operating expenses; earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization ("EBITDA"); operating profit; operating margin; other income and (expense); income before income taxes; income tax expense; effective tax rate; net income; and earnings per share. We present revenue and revenue per piece on a constant currency basis. Additionally, we disclose free cash flow, return on invested capital ("ROIC") and the ratio of adjusted total debt to adjusted EBITDA.

We believe that these non-GAAP measures provide meaningful information to assist users of our financial statements in more fully understanding our financial results and cash flows and assessing our ongoing performance, because they exclude items that may not be indicative of, or are unrelated to, our underlying operations and may provide a useful baseline for analyzing trends in our underlying businesses. These non-GAAP measures are used internally by management for business unit operating performance analysis, business unit resource allocation and in connection with incentive compensation award determinations.

Non-GAAP financial measures should be considered in addition to, and not as an alternative for, our reported results prepared in accordance with GAAP. Our adjusted financial information does not represent a comprehensive basis of accounting. Therefore, our adjusted financial information may not be comparable to similarly titled information reported by other companies.

#### Restructuring and Other Charges

Adjusted EBITDA, operating profit, operating margin, income before income taxes, net income and earnings per share may exclude the impact of charges related to any restructuring programs, including transformation costs and asset impairments.

#### Changes in Foreign Currency Exchange Rates and Hedging Activities

Currency-neutral revenue, revenue per piece and operating profit exclude the period over period impact of foreign currency exchange rate changes and any foreign currency hedging activities. These measures are calculated by dividing current period reported U.S. dollar revenue, revenue per piece and operating profit by the current period average exchange rates to derive current period local currency revenue, revenue per piece and operating profit. The derived amounts are then multiplied by the average foreign exchange rates used to translate the comparable results for each month in the prior year period (including the impact of any foreign currency hedging activities). The difference between the current period reported U.S. dollar revenue, revenue per piece and operating profit and the derived current period U.S. dollar revenue, revenue per piece and operating profit is the period over period impact of foreign currency exchange rates and hedging activities.

#### Mark-To-Market Pension and Postretirement Adjustments

We recognize changes in the fair value of plan assets and net actuarial gains and losses in excess of a 10% corridor for our pension and postretirement defined benefit plans immediately as part of other pension income (expense). We supplement our presentation of certain financial data with non-GAAP measures that exclude the impact of gains and losses recognized in excess of the 10% corridor and the related income tax effects. We believe excluding these mark-to-market impacts provides important supplemental information by removing the volatility associated with short-term changes in market interest rates, equity values, and similar factors.

The deferred income tax effects of mark-to-market pension and postretirement adjustments are calculated by multiplying the statutory tax rates applicable in each tax jurisdiction, including the U.S. federal jurisdiction and various U.S. state and non-U.S. jurisdictions, by the adjustments.

#### Free Cash Flow

We calculate free cash flow as cash flows from operating activities less capital expenditures, proceeds from disposals of property, plant and equipment, and plus or minus the net changes in finance receivables and other investing activities. We believe free cash flow is an important indicator of how much cash is generated by our ongoing business operations and we use this as a measure of incremental cash available to invest in our business, meet our debt obligations and return cash to shareowners.

#### Return on Invested Capital

ROIC is calculated as the trailing twelve months ("TTM") of adjusted operating income divided by the average of total debt, non-current pension and postretirement benefit obligations and shareowners' equity, at the current period end and the corresponding period end of the prior year. Because ROIC is not a measure defined by GAAP, we calculate it, in part, using non-GAAP financial measures that we believe are most indicative of our ongoing business performance. We consider ROIC to be a useful measure for evaluating the effectiveness and efficiency of our long-term capital investments.

#### Forward-Looking Non-GAAP Metrics

From time to time when presenting forward-looking non-GAAP metrics, we are unable to provide quantitative reconciliations to the most closely correlated GAAP measure due to the uncertainty in the timing, amount or nature of any adjustments, which could be material in any period.



#### **Reconciliations**

#### **Reconciliation of GAAP and Non-GAAP Income Statement Items** (in millions, except per share amounts):

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#### Three Months Ended September 30, 2021

	Reported GAAP)	ansformation Other Adj. <sup>(1)</sup>	As-Adjusted (Non-GAAP)			
Operating profit: U.S. Domestic Package International Package Supply Chain Solutions <sup>(2)</sup> Total operating profit	\$ 1,407 1,051 <u>438</u> 2,896	\$ 7 57 10 74	\$	1,414 1,108 448 2,970		
Other income and (expense): Other pension income (expense) Investment income and other Interest expense Total other income and (expense)	\$ 285 (11) (177) 97	\$ - - -	\$	285 (11) (177) 97		
Income before income taxes	2,993	74		3,067		
Income tax expense	664	20		684		
Net income	\$ 2,329	\$ 54	\$	2,383		
Basic earnings per share	\$ 2.66	\$ 0.06	\$	2.72		
Diluted earnings per share	\$ 2.65	\$ 0.06	\$	2.71		

<sup>(1)</sup> Transformation & Other of \$74 million reflects other employee benefits costs of \$33 million and other costs of \$41 million. Adjusted operating expenses for U.S. Domestic Package, International Package, and Supply Chain Solutions exclude \$7, \$57, and \$10 million, respectively, of Transformation & Other costs.

<sup>(2)</sup> The divestiture of UPS Freight was completed on April 30, 2021.

### (in millions, except per share amounts):

Three Months Ended September 30, 2020											
		Reported GAAP)		Fransformation & Other Adj. <sup>(1)</sup>	As-Adjusted (Non-GAAP)						
Operating profit:											
U.S. Domestic Package	\$	1,098	\$	35	\$	1,133					
International Package		966		6		972					
Supply Chain Solutions		299		3		302					
Total operating profit	\$	2,363	\$	44	\$	2,407					
Other income and (expense):											
Other pension income (expense)	\$	327	\$	-	\$	327					
Investment income and other		11		-		11					
Interest expense		(176)				(176)					
Total other income and (expense)	\$	162	\$	-	\$	162					
Income before income taxes		2,525		44		2,569					
Income tax expense		568		11		579					
Net income	\$	1,957	\$	33	\$	1,990					
Basic earnings per share	\$	2.25	\$	0.04	\$	2.29					
Diluted earnings per share	\$	2.24	\$	0.04	\$	2.28					

(1) Transformation & Other of \$44 million reflects other employee benefits costs of \$18 million and other costs of \$26 million. Adjusted operating expenses for U.S. Domestic Package, International Package, and Supply Chain Solutions exclude \$35, \$6, and \$3 million, respectively, of Transformation & Other costs.

#### **Reconciliations**

#### Reconciliation of Currency Adjusted Revenue, Revenue Per Piece, and Adjusted Operating Profit (in millions, except per piece amounts):

Three Months Ended September 30,													
		2021 Reported (GAAP)		2020 Reported (GAAP)	% Change (GAAP)	Currency Impact		1	2021 Irrency- Neutral 1-GAAP) <sup>(1)</sup>	% Change (Non-GAAP)			
Average Revenue Per Piece: International Package:													
Domestic Export	\$	7.19 33.56	\$	6.61 28.98	8.8% 15.8%	\$	(0.16) (0.36)	\$	7.03 33.20	6.4% 14.6%			
Total International Package	\$	19.80	\$	17.37	14.0%	\$	(0.26)	\$	19.54	12.5%			
Consolidated	\$	12.50	\$	11.06	13.0%	\$	(0.04)	\$	12.46	12.7%			
Revenue:													
U.S. Domestic Package	\$	14,208	\$	13,225	7.4%	\$	-	\$	14,208	7.4%			
International Package		4,720		4,087	15.5%		(58)		4,662	14.1%			
Supply Chain Solutions (2)		4,256		3,926	8.4%		(12)		4,244	8.1%			
Total revenue	\$	23,184	\$	21,238	9.2%	\$	(70)	\$	23,114	8.8%			

<sup>(1)</sup> Amounts adjusted for period over period foreign currency exchange rate and hedging differences

<sup>(2)</sup> The divestiture of UPS Freight was completed on April 30, 2021.

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As-Adjusted Operating Profit:	•		•	4 400	04.0%	•		•		04.0%
U.S. Domestic Package	\$	1,414	\$	1,133	24.8%	\$	-	\$	1,414	24.8%
International Package		1,108		972	14.0%		(20)		1,088	11.9%
Supply Chain Solutions <sup>(3)</sup>		448		302	48.3%		17		465	54.0%
Total operating profit	\$	2,970	\$	2,407	23.4%	\$	(3)	\$	2,967	23.3%

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### **Reconciliations**

#### Reconciliation of Free Cash Flow (Non-GAAP measure) (in millions):

				20	20		2021							
	Q1	YTD	Q2 YTD		Q3 YTD		Q4 YTD		Q1 YTD		Q2 YTD		Q3 YTD	
Cash flows from operating activities	\$	2,550	\$	5,947	\$	9,283	\$	10,459	\$	4,531	\$	8,454	\$ ´	11,761
Capital expenditures		(933)		(2,065)		(3,219)		(5,412)		(834)		(1,670)		(2,570)
Proceeds from disposals of PP&E		1		2		10		40		10		15		22
Net change in finance receivables		3		16		24		44		11		16		28
Other investing activities		(5)		(6)		(15)		(41)		(6)		(11)		24
Free Cash Flow (Non-GAAP measure)	\$	1,616	\$	3,894	\$	6,083	\$	5,090	\$	3,712	\$	6,804	\$	9,265

