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WHO WE ARE



AutoCanada Overview

A Leading North American Multi-Location Automobile Dealership Group



- One of Canada's largest multi-location automobile dealership groups with 3,700 employees
- Only publicly listed auto dealership group in Canada (TSX:ACQ)
- Attractive mix of luxury, domestic, and import brands
- Geographically diversified across 8 provinces in Canada and a group in Illinois, U.S.
- Five inter-related business operations:
 - New Vehicle Sales
 - Used Vehicle Sales
 - Parts and Service
 - Collision Repair
 - Finance & Insurance (F&I)

At a Glance¹

49

Franchises in Canada

17

Franchises in Illinois, U.S.²

27

Automotive Brands²

758K

Service & collision repair orders

36K

New vehicles sold

29K

Used vehicles sold
+9% YoY

\$3.3B

Revenue

\$93M

Adjusted EBITDA

¹For the trailing twelve months ended Q3 2020

²Includes recently acquired luxury dealership Autohaus Peoria

Investment Highlights



Large and Highly
Fragmented Canadian
Market with Significant
Consolidation Opportunities



Resilient
Business Model



Strong Stewards
of Capital

Accelerated Growth Through Complete Business Model



Significant
Organic Growth
Opportunities



Experienced
Leadership
Team



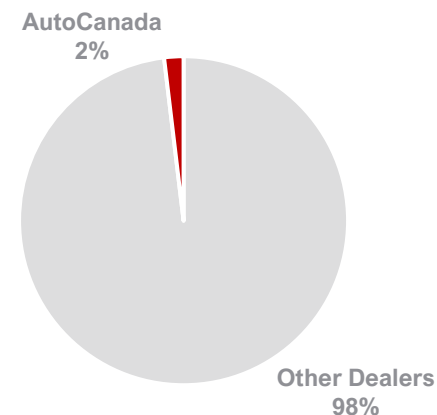
First Mover Advantage
with Canadian Digital
Retail Platform

Attractive Canadian Market

3,357 Dealerships in Canada



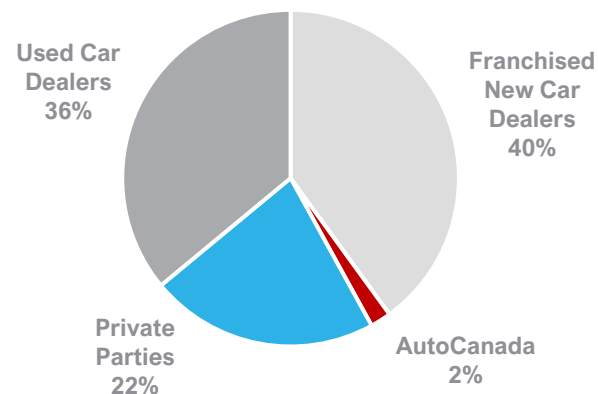
NEW VEHICLE MARKET



**\$246 BILLION +
MARKET**

1.9 Million New Vehicles
3.2 Million Used Vehicles

USED VEHICLE MARKET SHARE

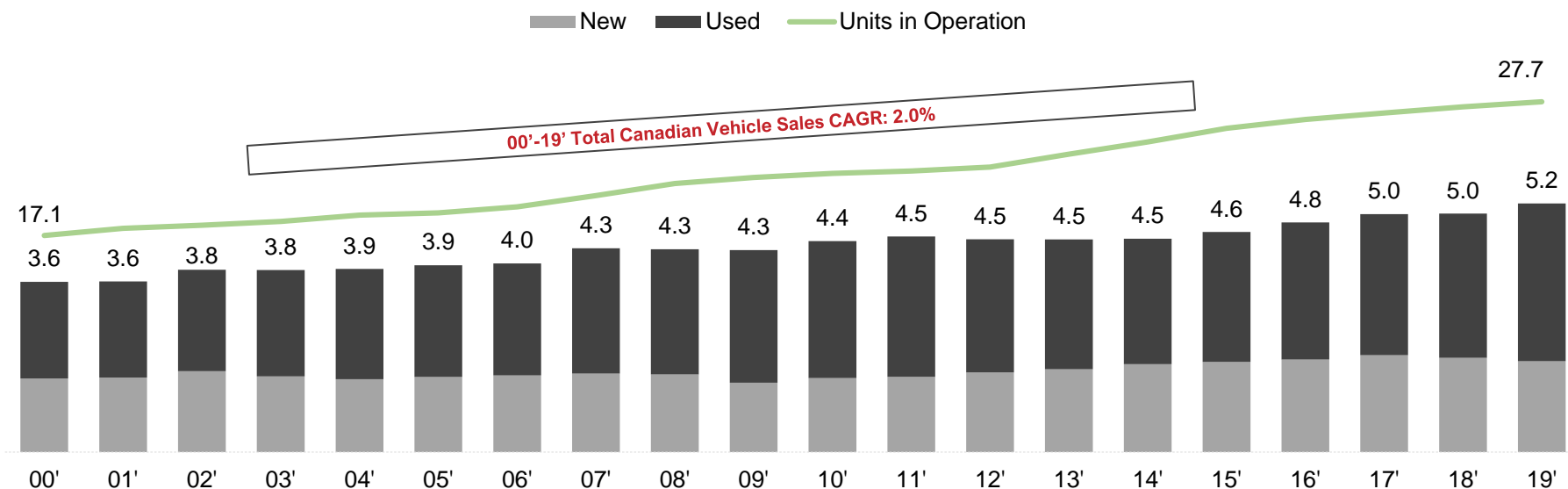


Stable Canadian Automotive Markets

Resilient Business Model



Historically Stable Growing New and Used Retail Vehicle Sales in Canada¹ (\$M)



- Consumers continue to buy more vehicles every year, further supporting our continued growth
- Overall Canadian market CAGR for vehicle sales has grown steadily by 2.0% from 2000 to 2019
- Optimism within industry due to increasing demand for vehicle ownership resulting from the current pandemic
- Increase in first-time buyers supports used vehicles

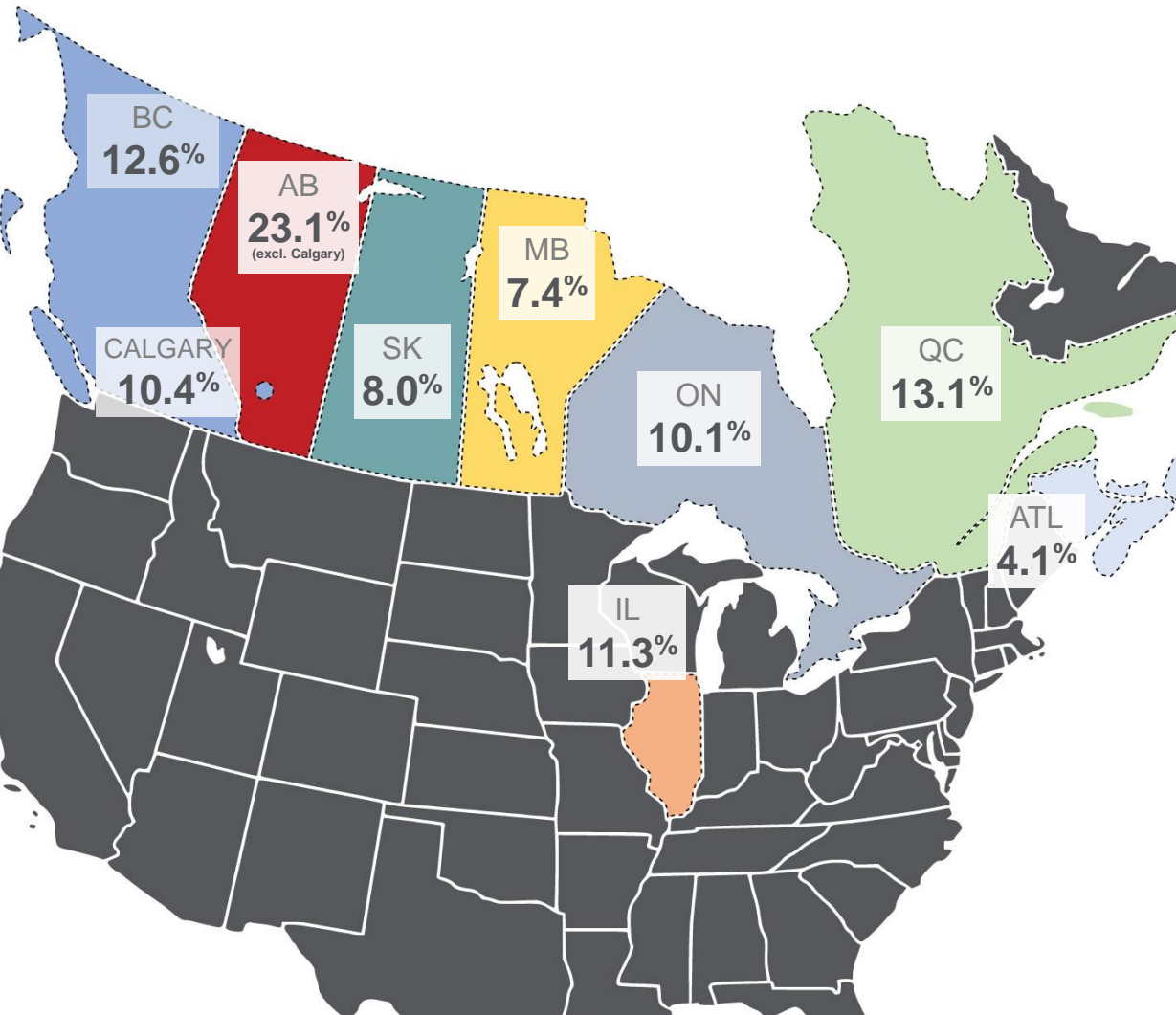
¹Source: DesRosiers Automotive Consultants

Revenue Diversity Across Brands and Geographies

Resilient Business Model



% of AutoCanada Revenue by Region ¹



AUTOCANADA CANADIAN NEW VEHICLE MIX

Segment	Segment %	Brand	Brand Revenue %
Import	26%	Hyundai	8%
		Nissan	6%
		Infiniti	1%
		Mazda	1%
		Subaru	1%
		Volkswagen	8%
Domestic	55%	FCA	44%
		Ford	2%
		GM	11%
Luxury	19%	Mercedes	6%
		BMW/MINI	10%
		Audi	2%

¹ TTM as of September 30, 2020

Dealership Locations and Brands

Resilient Business Model



AutoCanada Owns Some of the Best Performing Dealerships in Canada

British Columbia

Abbotsford Volkswagen
Chilliwack Volkswagen
Island GM
Maple Ridge Chrysler
Maple Ridge Volkswagen
Northland Dodge
Northland Hyundai
Northland Nissan
Okanagan Dodge

Alberta

Airdrie Dodge
Capital Jeep Dodge
Courtesy Chrysler
Crosstown Auto Centre
Crowfoot Hyundai
Fish Creek Nissan
Grande Prairie Chrysler
Grande Prairie Hyundai
Grande Prairie Nissan
Grande Prairie Subaru
Grande Prairie Volkswagen
Hyatt Infiniti
Mercedes-Benz Heritage Valley
Northland Volkswagen
Parkland Dodge
Ponoka Chrysler
Sherwood Park Hyundai
Sherwood Park Volkswagen
Tower Chrysler

Saskatchewan

Dodge City Auto
Mann-Northway
Bridges GM
Saskatoon Motor Products

Manitoba

Audi Winnipeg
Eastern Chrysler
McNaught Cadillac
St. James Volkswagen

Ontario

401 Dixie Hyundai
417 Nissan
Cambridge Hyundai
Guelph Hyundai
Hunt Club Nissan
Rose City Ford
Wellington Motors

Québec

BMW / MINI Montreal
BMW / MINI Laval
Mercedes-Benz
Rive-Sud
Planète Mazda

New Brunswick

Moncton Chrysler

Nova Scotia

Dartmouth Dodge

Illinois

Autohaus Peoria
Bloomington/Normal Auto Mall
Chevrolet of Palatine
Hyundai of Lincolnwood
Hyundai of Palatine
Kia of Lincolnwood
North City Honda
Toyota of Lincoln Park
Toyota of Lincolnwood

Dealership Awards¹

Dealership

Award



BMW Laval

#1 BMW Dealership in Canada for Q2



#1 FCA Dealership in Western Canada



#1 in BC for New and Certified Pre-Owned



#1 FCA Dealership in Region



#1 FCA Dealership in Atlantic Canada



#1 FCA Dealership in Alberta



#1 FCA Dealership in Saskatchewan

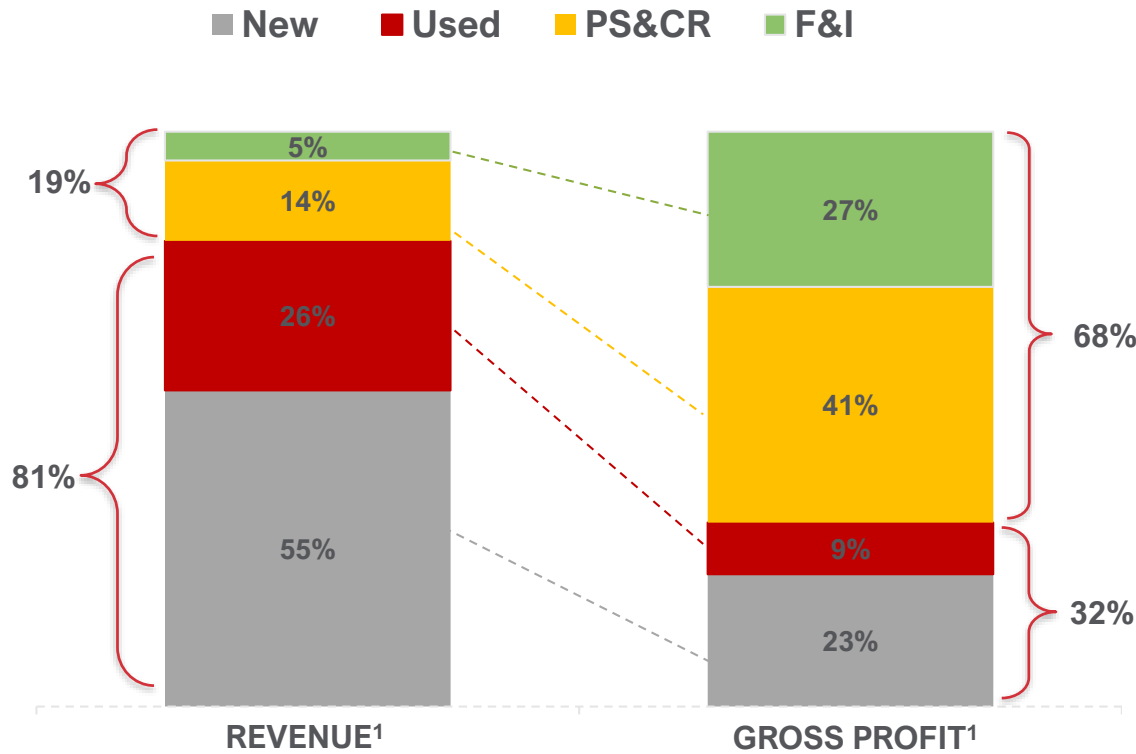


#1 Nissan Dealership in Ottawa

¹As of September 30, 2020

Profitable Product Mix & Diverse Earnings Streams Provide Stability

Resilient Business Model



Go Forward initiatives
focused on higher margin
segments

~20% of our revenue drives ~70% of gross profit

¹Data reflects FY 2019 as COVID-19 impacts distort mix in 2020

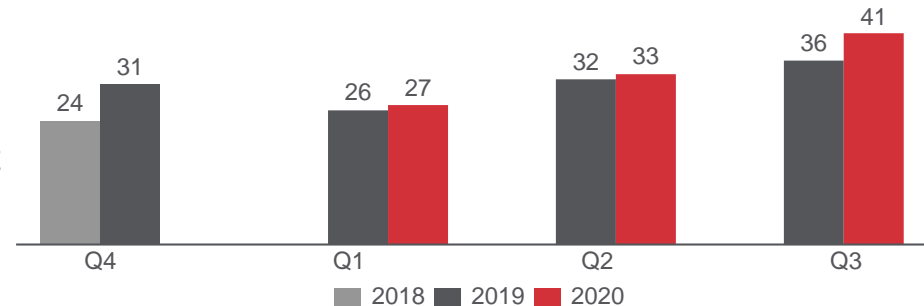
Drive Growth Through Optimization of Finance & Insurance

Significant Organic Growth Opportunities



- Dedicated F&I team with in-house training team to educate dealership network on standardized product portfolio and sales process
- Eight consecutive quarters of year-over-year growth in Same Store F&I Gross Profit / Retail Unit

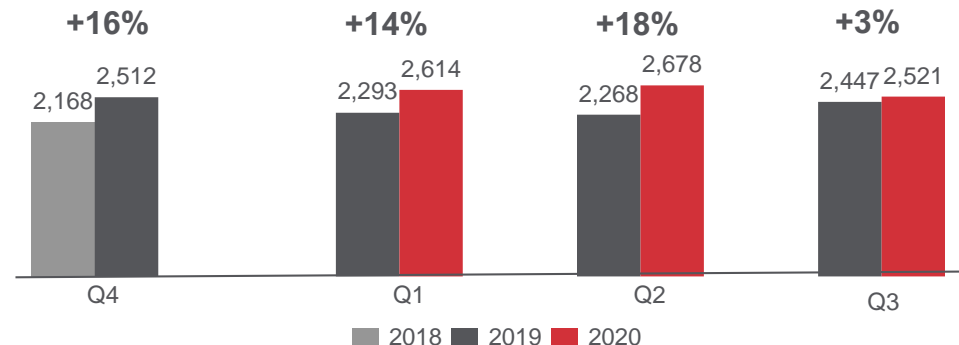
Same Store F&I Gross Profit (\$M)



**F&I
Gross Margins
+90%**



Same Store F&I Gross Profit / Retail Unit (\$ / Unit)



OPPORTUNITY:

Capture additional high margin F&I revenue through best in class operational performance

Service Bay Occupancy & Business Development Centre (BDC)

Significant Organic Growth Opportunities



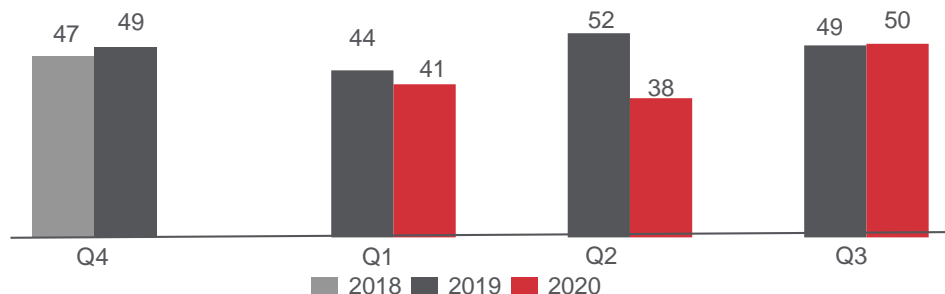
- BDC is a call centre dedicated to handle all service work appointment bookings across our Canadian dealerships

**PS&CR
Gross Margins
~50%**

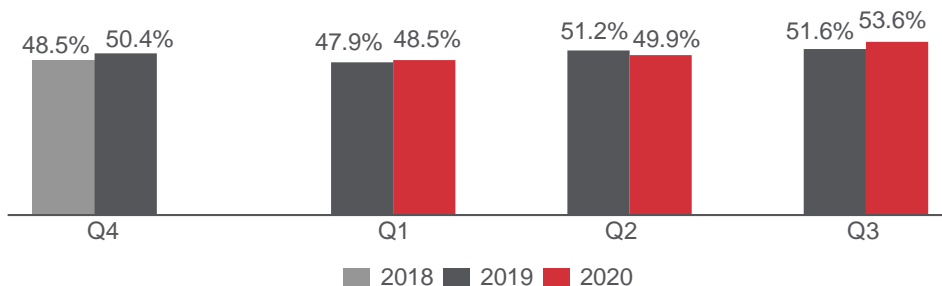


- Performance in 2020 impacted by COVID-19 with less kilometers driven

Same Store Parts, Service & Collision Repair Gross Profit (\$M)



Same Store Parts, Service & Collision Repair Gross Profit Margin %



OPPORTUNITY:

Increase service bay occupancy across our dealership network to drive stability of revenues and strengthen gross margin

RightRide – Fueling Organic Growth

Significant Organic Growth Opportunities



- Operate within 4 dealerships and opened 3 standalone locations as at Q3 2020
- Ability to offer attractive financing products to credit-challenged customers
- No credit risk retained by AutoCanada
- Geared to today's economy as well as in a declining economy
 - Drives stability of revenues and adds to counter-cyclical nature of business
- Incremental benefits across multiple business segments

RightRideTM
 **AutoCanada**



OPPORTUNITY:

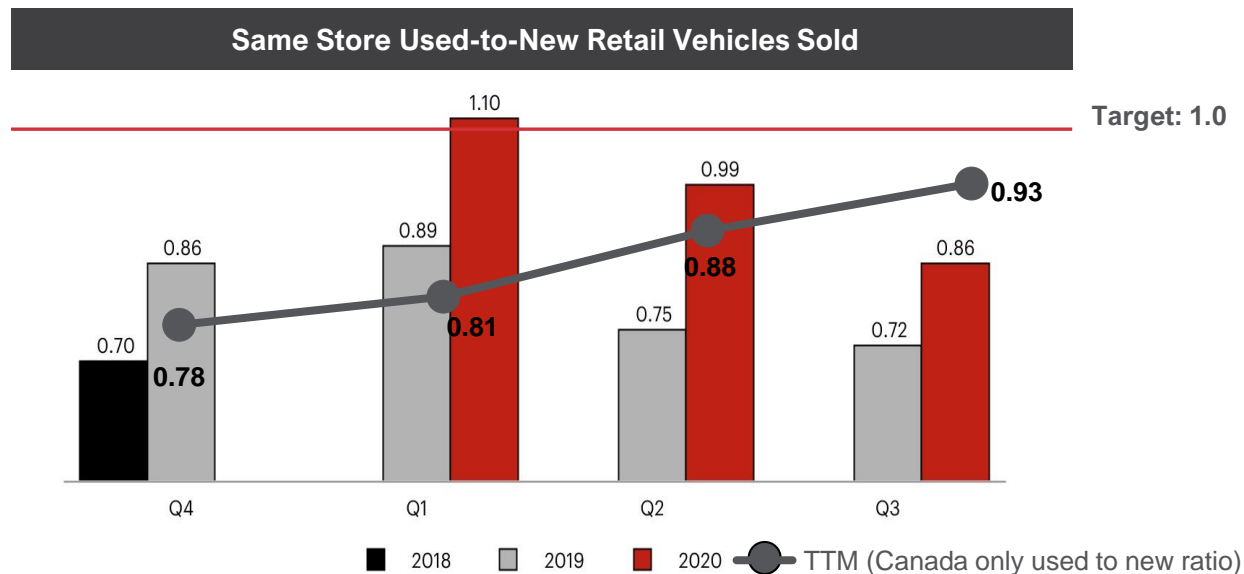
Low capital investment to potentially capture significant growth opportunity within used vehicles

Project 50 – Increasing Used Vehicles Sales

Significant Organic Growth Opportunities



- Additive to new vehicles to grow total unit sales
- Large addressable used market in Canada
- Drives incremental revenues in high margin business segments (F&I and PS&CR)
- Counter-cyclical and protects against recessionary environments



- Canadian market used to new retail unit ratio was 0.5 in 2019¹

OPPORTUNITY:

Drive significant upside potential in the used vehicle business

Collision Centre Expansion

Significant Organic Growth Opportunities



- Currently operating 15 locations, predominantly within dealerships
- Collision centre operations add to stability of revenues, significant growth opportunity in a \$6B market¹
- Initiatives include:
 - Consolidation of existing centres under single dedicated leadership team
 - Alignment with OEM partners to provide OEM-certified repair services
 - Utilization of management system and implementation of best practices



Complimentary
Repair Estimates



Windshield & Glass
Repair



Paint Refinishing



Interior &
Exterior Details



Dent Removal



Valet & Car Rental

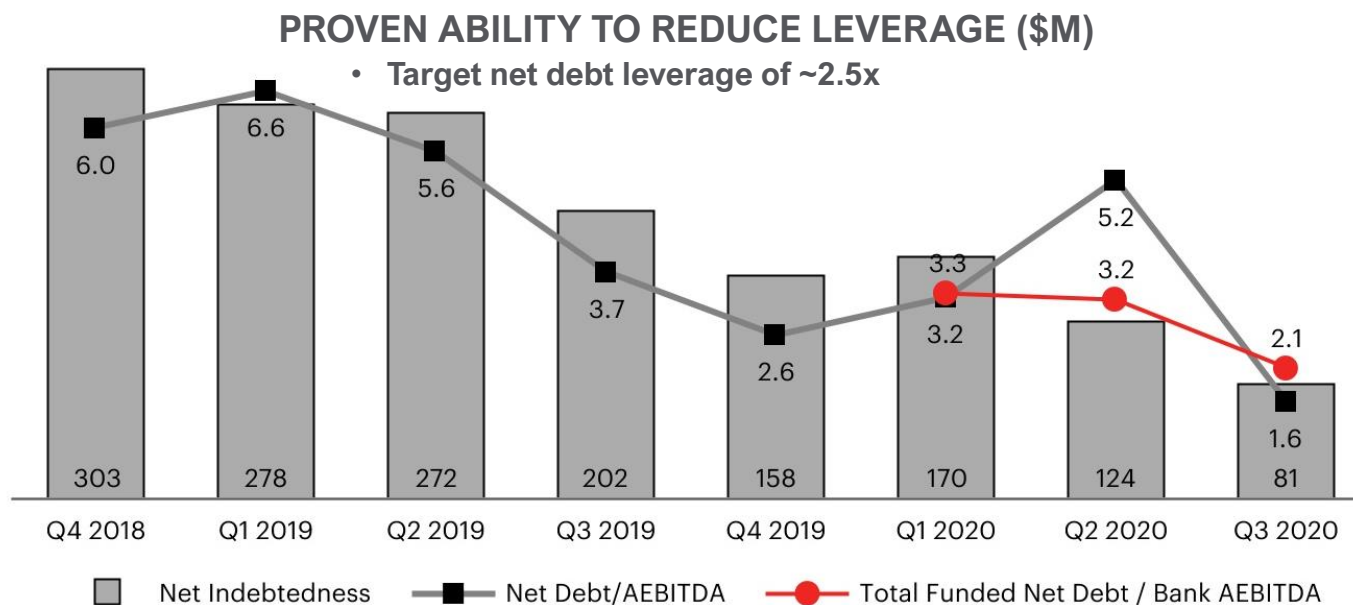
OPPORTUNITY:

Develop a growing, profitable and resilient business segment with longer-term opportunity to expand via acquisition

¹ Source: IBISWorld

Generated \$178M of Free Cash Flow

Increase of ~\$150M TTM Compared to Prior Year



NET DEBT LEVERAGE Q3 2020 (\$M)

Floorplan	632.9
Long Term Debt	192.3
Cash on Hand	(110.9)
Net Debt Plus Floorplan	714.3
Less: Floorplan	632.9
Net Debt	81.4
Adjusted EBITDA ¹ (TTM)	51.3
Net Debt Leverage	1.6x

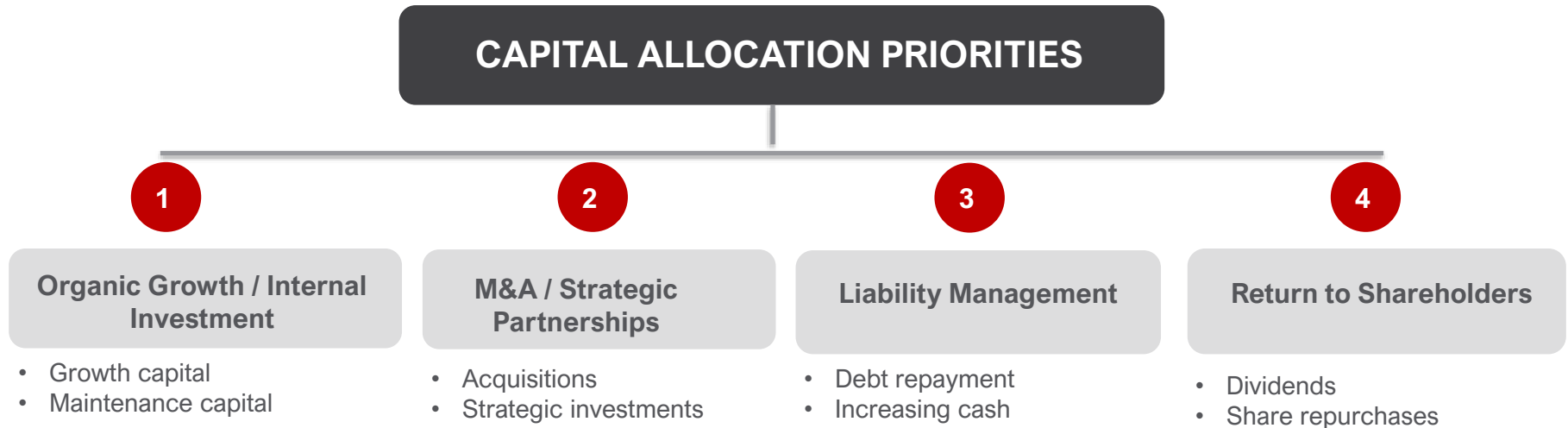
¹Pre-IFRS 16

Capital Allocation Strategy

Strong Stewards of Capital



- AutoCanada capital allocation aligned with business strategy, growth opportunities and free cash flow profile



Well Positioned for Industry Consolidation Through Disciplined M&A Strategy

Significant Consolidation Opportunities



Acquisitions are a key part of capital allocation strategy

Disciplined approach to evaluating acquisitions



Go Forward Initiatives better position AutoCanada as an industry consolidator

Ability to layer initiatives onto future acquisitions to realize incremental value



Strong balance sheet provides dry powder

Elements of Attractive Acquisitions

- Accretive
- Attractive balance sheet metrics
- Brand and geographic diversification

Key Acquisition Considerations

- Level of operational excellence
- Brand / OEM fit
- Geography
- Strength of management team
- Synergy potential



Auto Bugatti Inc., Dorval Quebec

- In October 2020, the Company acquired a controlling interest in Auto Bugatti Inc., a collision repair facility specializing in luxury vehicles
- The acquired collision repair facility is BMW MINI certified and will provide support to AutoCanada's two BMW MINI dealerships in Montreal



Autohaus Peoria (“Peoria”), Peoria Illinois

- In October 2020, the Company purchased the net assets of Peoria, a luxury dealership with franchise rights for Porsche, Audi, Mercedes-Benz, and Volkswagen
- Strategic transaction further bolsters AutoCanada’s presence in southern Illinois and is highly complementary to our existing operations in Bloomington, IL as both dealers are in close proximity of each other and serve similar luxury-brand communities
- More significantly, Peoria represents our first Porsche dealership under management and we are looking forward to further developing our relationship with Porsche





Haldimand Motors, Cayuga, Ontario

- In December 2020, the Company announced that its newly formed Used Digital Retail Division acquired Haldimand Motors, an independent used vehicle dealership located in Cayuga, Ontario, 30 minutes south of Hamilton, Ontario.
- Operating for over 35 years, Haldimand Motors is one of Canada's largest volume used vehicle dealers, with facilities of over 80,000 square feet on 20 acres, 130 shop bays and a full-service department. Haldimand is a consistent winner of Hamilton Spectator's People's Choice Award and Hamilton Consumer's Choice Award for used car dealership and a past winner of AutoTrader's National Best Used Car Dealer.
- The strategic acquisition of Haldimand Motors is part of AutoCanada's previously announced Used Digital Retail Initiative and will be part of the newly formed Used Digital Retail Division.

New Management Team With Proven Track Record Driving Vision & Strategy

Experienced Leadership Team



Paul Antony

Executive Chairman

Joined May 2018

- Assumed duties on Board of Directors and Executive Chair in 2018
- Founder, CEO, and Chairman of CARPROOF Corporation, an auto data software company. Under Paul's leadership, CARPROOF was recognized by Deloitte as a Best Managed Organization for several consecutive years and awarded Fast 50 & 500 Fastest growing tech companies in Canada and North America
- Led the minority sale of CARPROOF to Hellman and Friedman as well as its ultimate sale to IHS/Markit at the end of 2015

20+

Years of Experience



Michael Rawluk

President of Canadian Operations

Joined June 2018

- Execution of Go Forward Operations Plan

18

Years of Experience



Mike Borys

Chief Financial Officer

Joined August 2019

- Focus on strengthening balance sheet and financial flexibility

30+

Years of Experience



Tamara Darvish

President of U.S. Operations

Joined March 2019

- Focus on U.S. business turnaround plan

30+

Years of Experience



Peter Hong

Chief Strategy Officer

Joined August 2018

- Focus on strategic initiatives, M&A and governance matters

20+

Years of Experience



USED DIGITAL RETAIL STRATEGY



COVID-19 Pandemic Accelerating Consumer Shift to Digital



U.S. eCommerce penetration experienced
10 years' growth in 3 months

Increased Focus on Car Ownership and
eCommerce¹



Source: McKinsey; Bank of America; Forrester Analytics; ShawSpring Research; US Dept of Commerce

93%

Using personal cars
more often

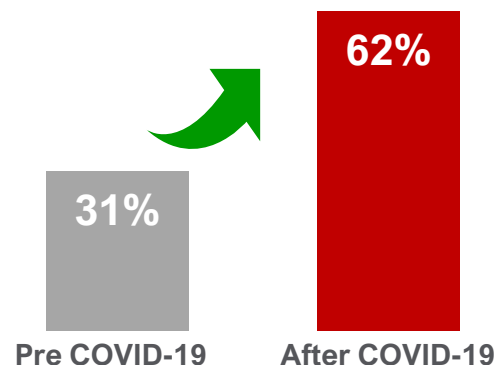
40%

Considering buying a car

33%

Moving faster to buy a
car due to COVID-19

Open to Car Buying Online¹

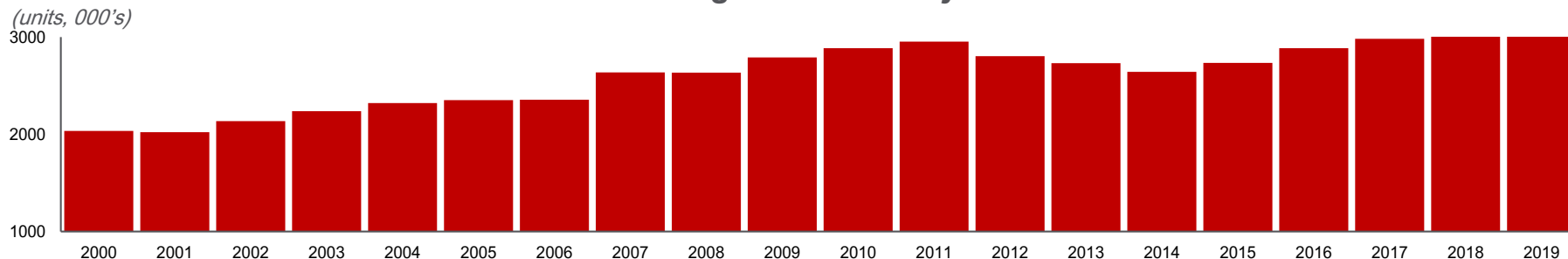


- COVID-19 is driving the transition from offline-to-online at an accelerated rate across all industries – including automotive retail

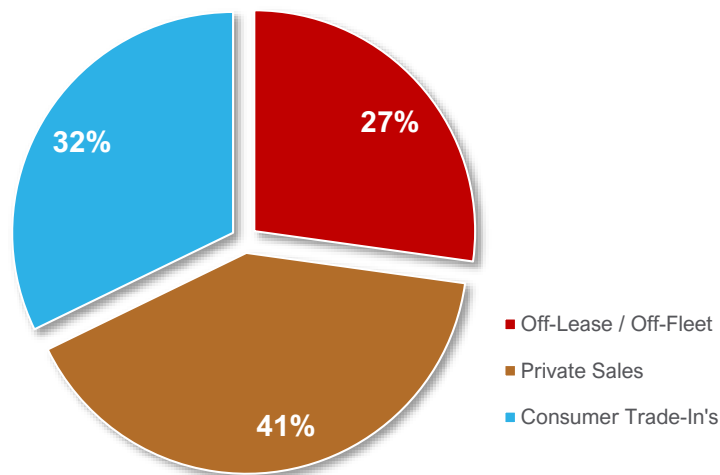
Pandemic Accelerated Trends – Consumers and Peers Increasingly Embracing Digital Vehicle Retail

AutoCanada's Digital Evolution Begins with a Focus on the Stable Canadian Pre-Owned Vehicle Market

Canadian Used Vehicle Market – Stable Through Economic Cycles¹



Sourcing Channels for Used Vehicles in Canada¹



Key Trends & Market Observations

- ✓ Share of private sales have steadily declined over the last four years (from ~44% down to 41%)
- ✓ During the same time, off-lease/off-fleet has continued to grow (from 20% to 27%)
- ✓ New vehicle dealer groups have an advantage in acquiring off-lease / off-fleet vehicles pre-auction

Digital Strategy Acts as Accelerant on Profitable Used Vehicle Base to Drive Incremental EBITDA

Used Digital Retail Initiative



**Embracing
Secular Trends**
Leaning into Digital
Retail



Seamless Omni-Channel
Experience
(Fully Online to In-Store)

Focus on the Canadian
Pre-Owned
Vehicle Market
(Largest Segment of Market)

AutoCanada's Used Digital Retail Strategy

Build-out / Acquire
**Used Car
Superstores**
to Build Foundation



Draw on
AutoCanada's Expertise
across Canada

*Positioned to Benefit from a Significant
First-Mover Advantage in Canada*

Used Digital Retail Strategy Highlights



First-mover with significant structural advantage – scale, AutoCanada leadership and domain expertise

Attractive market entry with low capital intensity

Drive meaningful improvement beyond current ~1:1 Used to New ratio

Attract consumers earlier in car buying lifecycle and serve them across all channels as preferred

Experienced leadership – Paul Antony uniquely qualified in digital space with prior success of CARPROOF

In Conclusion – Key Takeaways



- **Strong progress on building a ‘Complete’ Business Model**
 - Go Forward Plan initiatives taking hold, driving resiliency to deliver top-decile performance in any economic environment
- **Strengthened Balance Sheet and capital structure supports ample liquidity to address any uncertainty with COVID pandemic**
- **We continue to outperform the market – 7 consecutive quarters of same store new retail unit sales performing well above the Canadian market¹**
- **Management pivoting from defense to offense**
 - Building acquisition pipeline
 - First mover advantage building out Digital Platform in Canada
- **Proven leadership with track record of success**

¹Source: DesRosiers Automotive Consultants

Q3 2020 RESULTS



Q3 2020 Results Overview

Record-Setting Quarter, Outperformed Market, Significantly Reduced Net Debt

Third Quarter 2020 Highlights

- Revenue was \$1,017.1 million as compared to \$981.9 million in the prior year, an increase of 3.6% and the first time the Company has exceeded \$1 billion in sales in a single quarter
- Adjusted EBITDA was \$61.1 million versus \$32.5 million in the prior year, an increase of 87.9%; Adjusted EBITDA Pre-IFRS 16 was \$50.2 million versus \$23.0 million, an increase of 118.5%
- Adjusted EBITDA margin of 6.0% versus 3.3% in the prior year, an increase of 2.7 percentage points
- Outperformed the Canadian new retail vehicle market for the seventh consecutive quarter with same store new retail unit sales increasing 3.4% compared to the Canadian market decrease of (4.3)%¹
- Canadian used to new retail units ratio increased to 0.86 from 0.72 last year and the trailing twelve month ratio improved to 0.93 at Q3 2020 as compared to 0.74 at Q3 2019
- Net indebtedness decreased by \$42.8 million from \$124.2 million at the end of Q2 2020 to \$81.4 million at the end of Q3 2020
- Free cash flow of \$53.4 million in the quarter compares to \$54.8 million in the prior year
 - Q3 2020 TTM free cash flow of \$178.0 million as compared to \$29.2 million in Q3 2019

Q3 2020 Results Continued

Record Adjusted EBITDA of \$61.1 Million

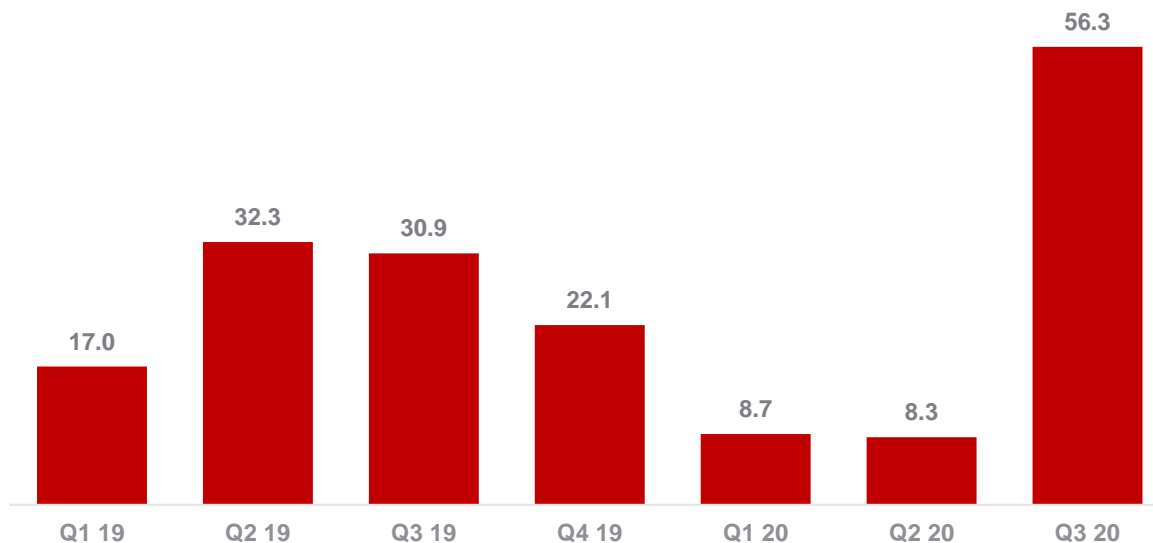
<i>(\$M, unless otherwise noted)</i>	Q3 2020	Q3 2019	Change
Consolidated Revenue	1,017.1	981.9	3.6%
Gross Profit %	17.6%	15.4%	2.2 pts
Adjusted EBITDA	61.1	32.5	87.9%
Adjusted EBITDA %	6.0%	3.3%	2.7 pts
Adjusted EBITDA Pre-IFRS 16	50.2	23.0	118.5%
Adjusted EBITDA Pre-IFRS 16 %	4.9%	2.3%	2.6 pts
Same Store Used to New Ratio	0.86	0.72	
Net Debt	81	202	-\$121
Net Debt / TTM Adj. EBITDA	1.6x	3.7x	-2.1x
Free Cash Flow TTM	178.0	29.2	509.6%

Q3 2020 Results Continued

Canadian Operations Results

- Same store new retail unit sales outperformed market for seventh consecutive quarter, up 3.4% compared to market decrease of 4.3% for brands represented by AutoCanada¹
- Used to new retail units ratio increased to 0.86 from 0.72
- Finance and insurance gross profit per retail unit average increased to \$2,593, up 5.6% or \$137 per unit

CANADIAN OPERATIONS ADJUSTED EBITDA (\$M)

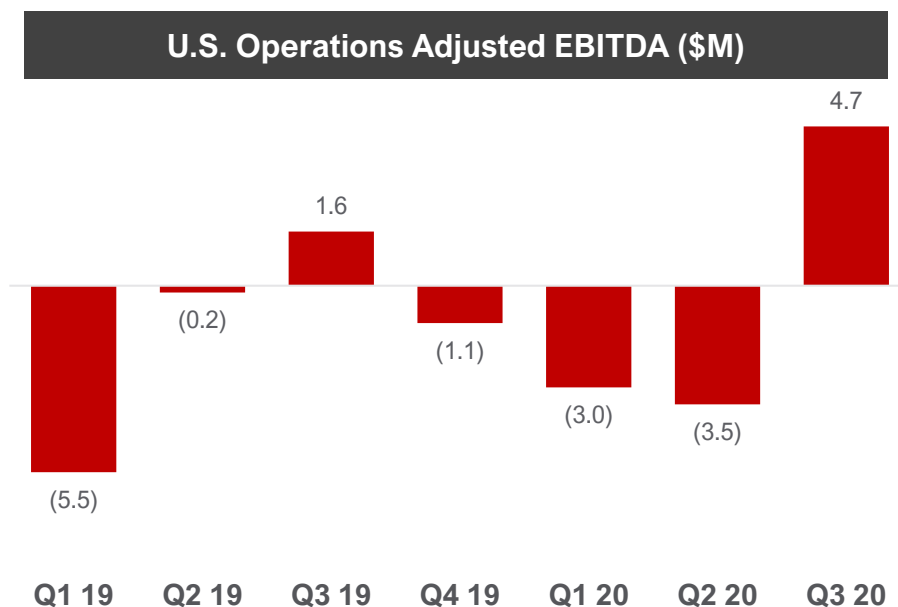


¹Source: DesRosiers Automotive Consultants

Q3 2020 Results Continued

U.S. Operations Results

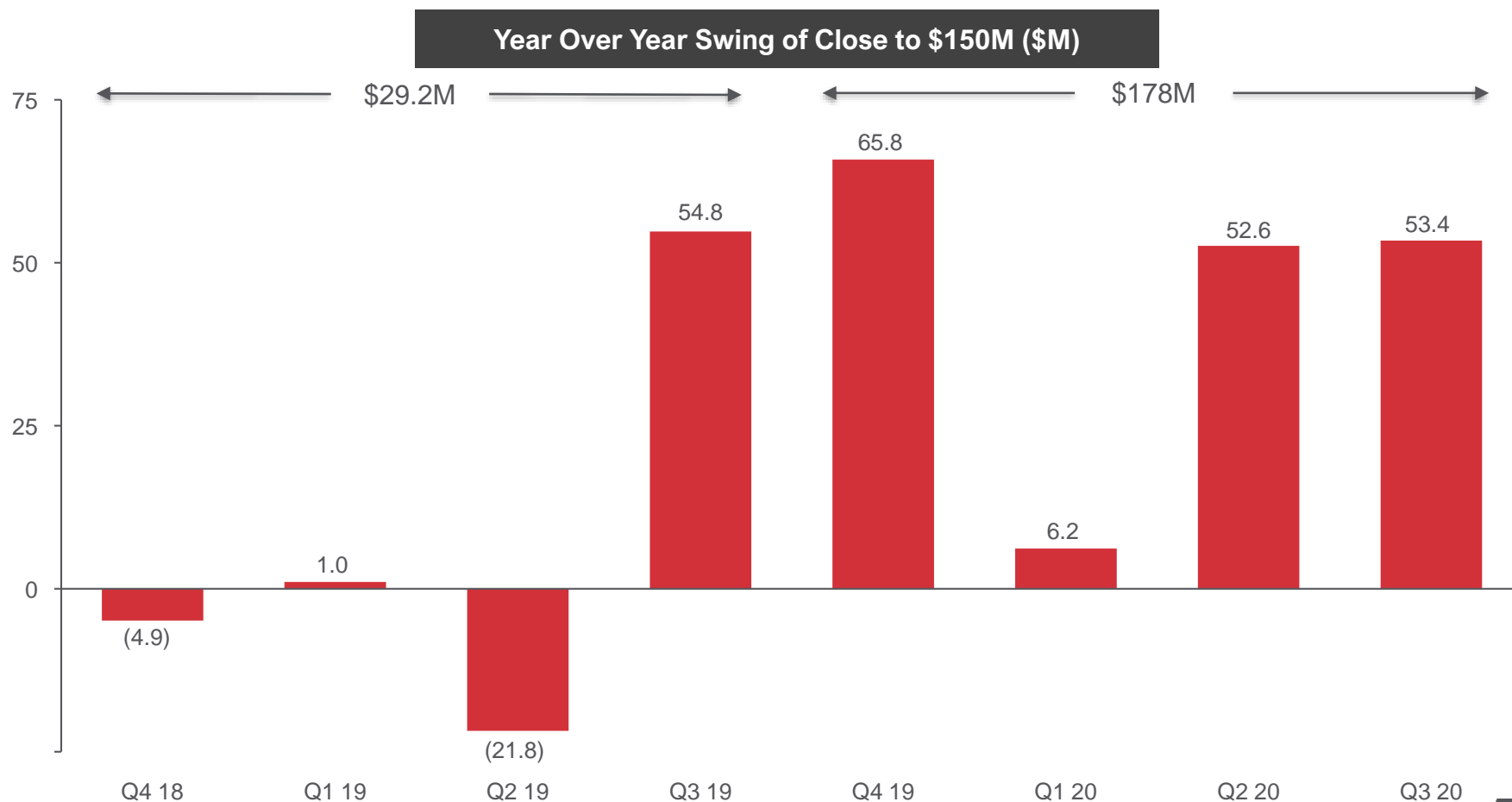
- Continued focus on cost management and profitability along with the easing of government restrictions imposed during Q2 2020, and strong market demand contributed to improved results for the U.S. platform
- Adjusted EBITDA was \$4.7 million, an increase of \$3.2 million from 2019
- New vehicle gross profit increased by \$1.9 million and new vehicle gross profit percentage increased to 5.9%
- Used vehicle revenue increased by 1.7% and used vehicle gross profit percentage increased by 4.8%



Free Cash Flow

Strong and Consistent Free Cash Flow Generation Over the Past Five Quarters

- Free cash flow was \$53.4 million in Q3 2020 as compared to \$54.8 million in the prior year



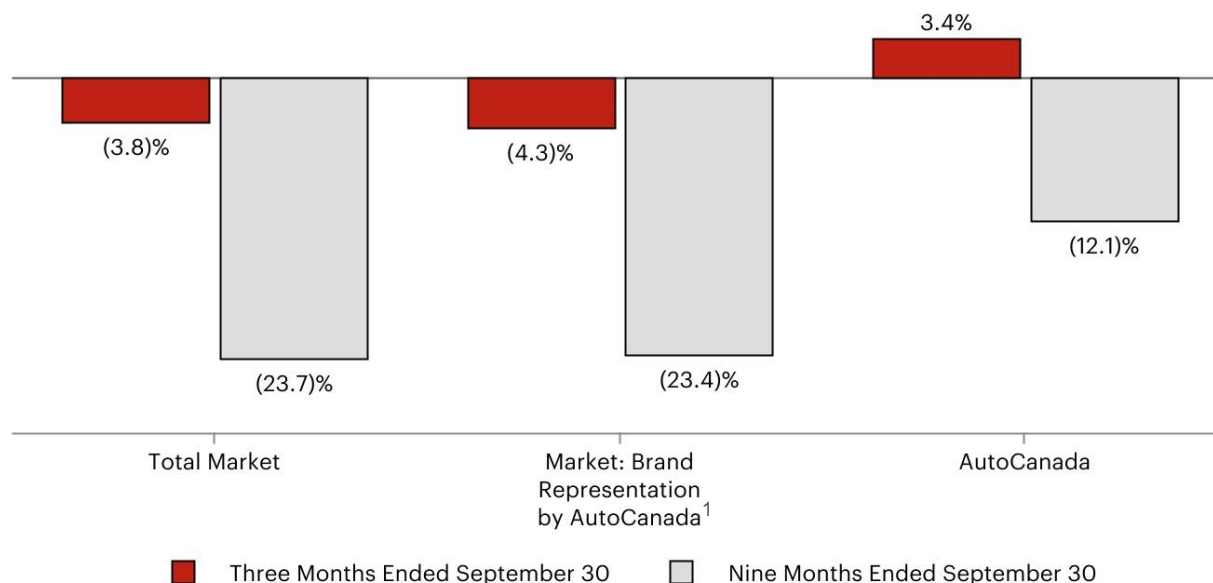
Proven Ability to Outperform in New Vehicle Sales

For Seventh Consecutive Quarter, Outperformed Canadian New Retail Market

- AutoCanada has been able to outperform the Canadian new vehicle market despite the impact of COVID 19 in 2020

Outperformance largely due to increased experience of general managers across dealerships and focus on operational excellence/OEM relationships

New Retail Units % Growth - Market vs AutoCanada Same Store Sales



Managing Through COVID-19

Enhancing Agility and Financial Flexibility

Focus on Preserving Cash and Strengthening the Business

- Actions taken with both an eye to managing range of COVID-19 impacts and ensuring we move forward well positioned to deliver exceptional operating performance

✓ Amended Credit Facility	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Covenant relief through to Q2 2021
✓ Lower G&A and Corporate Costs	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Employee layoffs – at peak of COVID-19 situation, laid off +40% of workforce• Benefit of bias to variable cost structure; reduced discretionary spending
✓ Reduced Capital Expenditures	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reduced capital spend from 2 year average
✓ Suspension of Dividend	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Suspension represents ~\$11 million in annualized cash savings; ~\$8 million for 2020
✓ Non-Core Asset Portfolio	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Since the start of the year, reduced non-core assets from \$14.2 million to \$1.0 million; Realized proceeds of \$8.1 million in Q3 2020 with the sale of three properties and year-to-date proceeds of \$9.2 million
✓ Government Subsidies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Canadian Wage Subsidy Program provided \$32.5 million to date• U.S. Loan Program delivered \$5.4 million USD in Q2 2020 with opportunity for forgiveness; to date, the loan has not been recognized into income
✓ Hedging Actions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Restructured nearly half of interest rate swap portfolio to drive +\$2 million cash savings

Well Positioned to Capitalize on Recovery



APPENDIX



Supplemental Information

EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA

\$M	YTD 2020	FY 2019	FY 2018
Net (loss) income	(31)	(27)	(85)
Addback:			
Income taxes	(3)	1	2
Depreciation and amortization	32	43	20
Interest charges	29	39	20
EBITDA	27	56	(43)
Addback:			
Impairment of non-financial assets, net	36	36	102
Financing and risk management settlements	10	-	-
Corporate reorganization and transition costs	1	2	4
(Gain)/loss on dealership divestitures and closures	-	5	2
(Gain)/loss on capital property transactions	(2)	(2)	(14)
IFRS 16 AEBITDA	72	97	51
Net rental expense adjustment	(32)	(37)	-
Pre-IFRS 16 AEBITDA	40	60	51

A photograph of a modern building facade featuring a large, illuminated Mercedes-Benz logo. Below the logo is a glass-enclosed staircase. The image is partially obscured by a large red diagonal graphic on the left side.

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