# 3Q 2023 Earnings Conference Call 

October 24, 2023

## Safe Harbor

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## Non-GAAP Financial Measures

Management believes that non-GAAP financial measures enhance investors' understanding and analysis of the company's performance. As such, results and outlook have been adjusted to exclude certain items as indicated in the non-GAAP reconciliations to the comparable GAAP financial measures included in today's earnings release and described in additional information posted on our website (www.kimberly-clark.com/investors). Non-GAAP reconciliations are also found in the appendix of this presentation. The non-GAAP financial measures exclude net benefit related to the acquisition of a controlling interest in Thinx and pension settlement charges in 2022. They exclude impairment charges, impact of the sale of Brazil tissue and professional business and pension settlement charges in 2023.

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## Agenda

1 Continued Healthy Momentum
2 Winning With Consumers
3Q Results

42023 Financial Outlook

## Better Care For A Better World

150 years in business

## 175

countries where our brands are sold

1 in 4
of the world's population use one of our products every day

## 1+ billion

people with half the environmental footprint



Q3/ YTD organic growth

## Continued Healthy Momentum

+5\% with continued sequential improvement in volume and gains in price/mix


New capabilities and improving supply fulfillment driving top line results and sequential share gains

Gross margin exceeds 2019 for the first time since inflationary cycle; focus on productivity to continue the journey


Enabling brand investments to drive top line momentum and deliver better care

## Play to Win

## 2023 Priorities

## Profitable Growth

$\checkmark$ Elevate our categories
Expand our markets
$\checkmark$ Margin recovery
Brand investment and cost discipline

## Driving Top Line Momentum



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## Ultimate Protection For Baby's Skin

## Designed To Meet Varying Needs And Occasions

## Driving distribution gains and SKU velocity



## Andrex Driving Strong Momentum In The UK



New unique 3D Wave design for enhanced clean

## 3Q 23 Results

## $8,0,0$

## Momentum Continues In 3Q 23



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## Strong Year To Date Results



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## Personal Care

## Organic growth ${ }^{1}$



Operating Margin
$\square$ YTD organic growth at $+5 \%$, operating margin at 18.1\%
$\boxed{\square}$ High-single digit organic growth for all sub-categories; volumes turned positive in the third quarter
$\boxed{\boxtimes}$ Market share led gains in Feminine Care driven by innovation and inmarket execution resulting in double digit organic growth YTD

- Benefits from innovation offset lower births with Infant Care growing midsingle digits organic growth YTD

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## Consumer Tissue

Organic growth ${ }^{1}$

$\square$ YTD organic growth at $+4 \%$ and operating margin at $14.9 \%$

- North America sales driven by healthy growth in dry bath and towels
- Strong results in the UK, with Andrex momentum driving share gains to the highest levels in the last three years
$\square$ Operating margin expansion driven by strong revenue growth management execution and improving service levels


## K-C Professional

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Organic growth \({ }^{1}\)
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14.2\% 19.7\%
Operating Margin
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- YTD organic growth at $+10 \%$ and operating margin at 19.9\%
$\square \quad$ Demand for washroom business remains healthy as sector traffic continues to improve
- New commercial programs drive share gains in North America
$\square$ Well positioned to strategically invest in key product initiatives to drive growth

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## Gross Margin Back To Pre-Pandemic Levels

Leveraging all tools to drive sustained margin expansion


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## Returned \$22B In Last 10 Years

YTD 2023
Cash Flow From Operations
\$2.3B vs \$1.7B LY
Strong adjusted operating profit growth and working capital management

YTD 2023
Capital Spending
\$549M vs \$679M LY


## 2023 Outlook

## 4\% - 5\% +170 bps 15\% - 17\% <br> ORGANIC <br> SALES GROWTH ${ }^{1}$ <br> Prev: 3\%-5\% <br> OPERATING MARGIN ${ }^{2}$ <br> ADJUSTED EPS GROWTH ${ }^{2}$ <br> Prev: 10\% - 14\%

Assumes:
Currency impact on sales (-300 bps) and operating profit (~\$450M). Divestitures impact sales (-100 bps) Input cost ( $\sim 50 \mathrm{M}$ ), other manufacturing ( $\sim$ \$250M)
FORCE savings $\$ 300-\$ 350 \mathrm{M}$. Net interest expense down high-single digits. Tax rate 23\%-24\%

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## Summary



V Innovation, brand investments driving healthy organic growth, sequential volume and share gains

Leverage innovation, RGM, productivity to drive continued margin expansion
$\checkmark$ Investing in our brands to meet consumers where they need us

Raising full year sales and earnings outlook

## Appendix <br> GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliations

## GAAP To Non-GAAP Reconciliations

| Millions except per share amounts | Three Months Ended September 30, 2023 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | As Reported | Pension Settlements | As Adjusted Non-GAAP |
| Nonoperating expense | \$ (20) | \$ (4) \$ | \$ (16) |
| Provision for income taxes | (157) | 1 | (158) |
| Effective tax rate | 22.5\% | - | 22.5\% |
| Net Income attributable to Kimberly-Clark Corporation | 587 | (3) | 590 |
| Diluted earnings per share (a) | 1.73 | (0.01) | 1.74 |

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| Millions except per share amounts | Three Months Ended September 30, 2022 |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | As Reported | Pension Settlements |  | As Adjusted Non-GAAP |  |
| Nonoperating expense | \$ (18) | \$ | (10) | \$ | (8) |
| Provision for income taxes | (127) |  | 2 |  | (129) |
| Effective tax rate | 22.4\% |  | - |  | 22.3\% |
| Net Income attributable to Kimberly-Clark Corporation | 467 |  | (8) |  | 475 |
| Diluted earnings per share (a) | 1.38 |  | (0.02) |  | 1.40 |

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## GAAP To Non-GAAP Reconciliations

| Millions except per share amounts | Nine Months Ended September 30, 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | As Reported |  | Sale of Brazil Tissue and K-C Professional Business |  | Impairment of Intangible Assets |  | Pension Settlements |  | As Adjusted Non-GAAP |  |
| Cost of products sold | \$ | 10,166 | \$ | 15 | \$ |  | \$ | - \$ |  | 10,151 |
| Gross profit |  | 5,295 |  | (15) |  | - |  | - |  | 5,310 |
| Marketing, research and general expenses |  | 2,968 |  | 15 |  | - |  | - |  | 2,953 |
| Impairment of intangible assets |  | 658 |  | - |  | 658 |  | - |  | - |
| Other (income) and expense, net |  | (5) |  | (74) |  | - |  | - |  | 69 |
| Operating profit |  | 1,674 |  | 44 |  | (658) |  | - |  | 2,288 |
| Nonoperating expense |  | (78) |  | - |  | - |  | (31) |  | (47) |
| Provision for income taxes |  | (298) |  | (18) |  | 175 |  | 8 |  | (463) |
| Effective tax rate |  | 21.2\% |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | 22.6\% |
| Net (income) loss attributable to noncontrolling interests |  | 3 |  | - |  | 20 |  | - |  | (17) |
| Net Income atributable to Kimberly-Clark Corporation |  | 1,255 |  | 26 |  | (463) |  | (23) |  | 1,715 |
| Diluted earnings per share (a) |  | 3.70 |  | 0.08 |  | (1.36) |  | (0.07) |  | 5.06 |

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## GAAP To Non-GAAP Reconciliations

|  |  | Nine Months Ended September 30, 2022 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

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