



# **WEX First Quarter 2019 Earnings**

May 2, 2019



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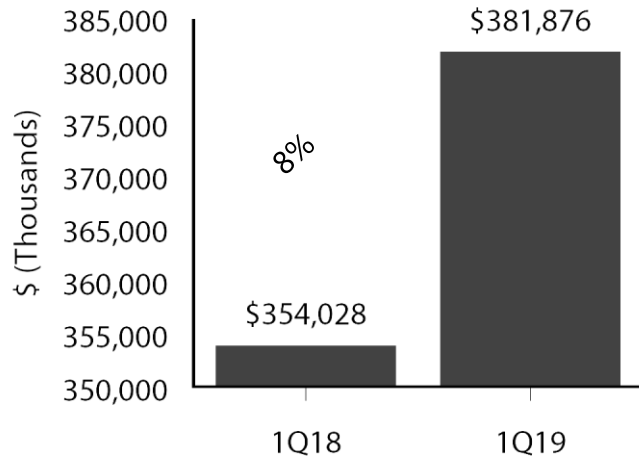
## **Non-GAAP Information:**

For additional important information and disclosure regarding our use of non-GAAP metrics, specifically adjusted net income, please see our most recent earnings release, issued on May 2, 2019. See the Appendix to this presentation for an explanation and reconciliation of non-GAAP adjusted net income (or “ANI”) to GAAP net income, ANI per diluted share to GAAP net income per diluted share, and adjusted operating margin to GAAP operating margin.

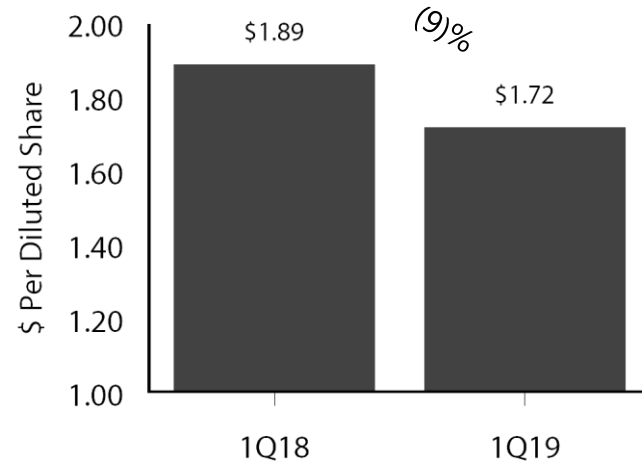


# 1Q2019 Highlights

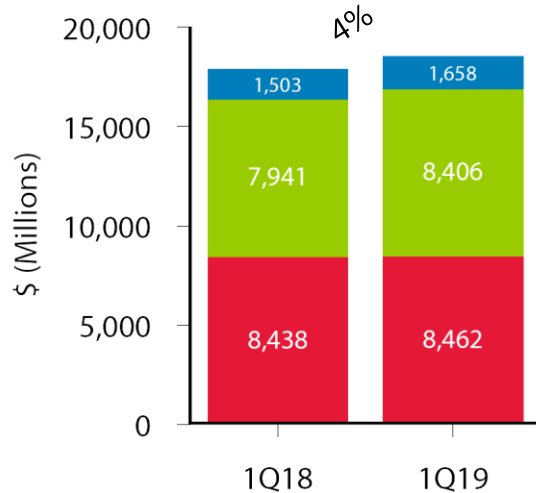
### Revenue



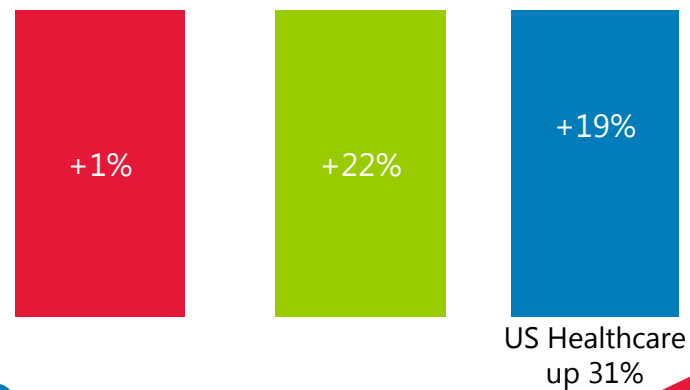
### Adjusted Net Income Per Diluted Share



### Purchase Volume



### 1Q2019 Segment Revenue Growth Vs. 1Q2018



● Fleet   
 ● Travel & Corporate   
 ● Health & Employee Benefits

US Healthcare up 31%



# Strategic Pillars



## HIGHLIGHTS FOR THE QUARTER

- Great start to 2019 on heels of record results in 2018
- Transition of Shell portfolio completed; Chevron on track to complete by end of Q2
- Completed acquisitions of Discovery Benefits and Noventis; announced EG Fleet
- Continued rollout of Clearview Snap analytics now at more than 6,000 customers
- Driver Dash mobile payment app in testing with another large oil company
- Impressive corporate payments volume growth of nearly 50%
- Robust enrollment season leads to strong revenue growth in US Health business
- Large focus on onboarding new employees from recent acquisitions

# Executing on the WEX Strategy

## BUILDING UPON OUR BEST-IN-CLASS GROWTH ENGINE



## LEADING WITH SUPERIOR PRODUCTS AND TECHNOLOGY

### FLEET

- Onboarding Shell portfolio completed
- Onboarding Chevron portfolio on track for Q2 completion
- Driver Dash pilot with large merchant
- 45% increase in SmartHub mobile app utilization
- Optimization of marketing tools leading to small fleet growth

### TRAVEL & CORPORATE

- Completed acquisition of Noventis expanding our capabilities in corporate payments market
- Progress on Noventis product integration
- Signed Mondee Travel, one of the largest airline aggregators
- Launched new UI enhancing and modernizing experience for both direct clients and partners

### HEALTH & EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

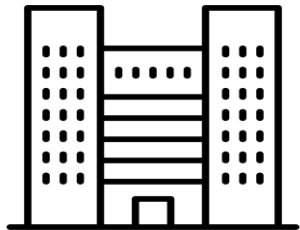
- Enhanced HSA usability and guidance
- Advanced consumer analytics including proprietary healthcare financial index
- New electronic provider payment capability allows providers to choose preferred payment method



# Corporate Payments Spotlight

Optimize payment workflows for buyers and suppliers

End Customers



U.S. Businesses

## MARKET SIZE

**\$7.5B**  
in revenue

## NEEDS AND DESIRES ADDRESSED

- Operational burden managing Accounts Payable
- Cash flow optimization
- Security and fraud concerns
- A/P department from cost center to profit center

Channels

Direct to Corporate

Financial Institutions

Technology Partners

WEX Value

**Scale**  
\$60B in spend volume

**Optionality**  
Networks and products

**Agility**  
Modern technology

**Global Reach**  
Settlements in more than 20 currencies

**Expertise**  
Deep industry expertise

# WEX First Quarter 2019 Financial Results



# Company Results - Q1 2019

First quarter results building a solid foundation for remainder of the year

	1Q19	1Q18	\$ Δ Yr/Yr	% Δ Yr/Yr
Total Revenue	\$381,876	\$354,028	\$27,848	7.9%
Net income attributable to shareholders	\$16,134	\$51,970	\$(35,836)	(69.0)%
Net income attributable to WEX Inc. per diluted share	\$0.37	\$1.20	\$(0.83)	(69.2)%
Adjusted net income attributable to shareholders	\$74,824	\$82,018	\$(7,194)	(8.8)%
Adjusted net income attributable to shareholders per diluted share	\$1.72	\$1.89	\$(0.17)	(9.0)%

In thousands except per share data





# Revenue Breakdown - Q1 2019

Double digit growth rate for Travel and Corporate Solutions and Health and Employee Benefit Solutions Segments

	1Q19	1Q18	\$ Δ Yr/Yr	% Δ Yr/Yr
Total Revenue	\$381,876	\$354,028	\$27,848	7.9%
Segment Revenue				
Fleet Solutions	\$232,782	\$230,365	\$2,417	1.0%
Travel and Corporate Solutions	\$81,648	\$66,779	\$14,869	22.3%
Health and Employee Benefit Solutions	\$67,446	\$56,884	\$10,562	18.6%

In thousands unless otherwise noted



# Fleet Solutions

Strength in North America Fuel Business offset by international markets and lower fuel prices

	1Q19	1Q18	\$ Δ Yr/Yr	% Δ Yr/Yr
<b>Total Segment Revenue (\$)</b>	<b>232,782</b>	<b>230,365</b>	<b>2,417</b>	<b>1.0%</b>
Payment Processing Revenue (\$)	107,408	106,978	430	0.4%
Finance Fee Revenue (\$)	45,864	43,604	2,260	5.2%
All Other Revenue (\$)	79,510	79,783	(273)	(0.3)%
Payment Processing Transactions	115,404	109,827	5,577	5.1%
Net Payment Processing Rate (%)	1.27%	1.27%	—%	—%
Average US Fuel Price (\$/gallon)	\$2.67	\$2.78	\$(0.11)	(4.0)%
Net Late Fee Rate (%)	0.44%	0.41%	0.03%	7.3%

In thousands unless otherwise noted



# Travel and Corporate Solutions

Corporate payments growth and acquisition of Noventis drive strong revenue growth

	1Q19	1Q18	\$ Δ Yr/Yr	% Δ Yr/Yr
Total Segment Revenue (\$)	81,648	66,779	14,869	22.3%
Payment Processing Revenue (\$)	59,998	44,777	15,221	34.0%
All Other Revenue (\$)	21,650	22,002	(352)	(1.6)%
Purchase Volume (\$)	8,405,661	7,940,543	465,118	5.9%
Net Interchange Rate (%)	0.71%	0.56%	0.15%	26.8%

In thousands unless otherwise noted



# Health and Employee Benefit Solutions

Strong US Health revenue growth bolstered by acquisition of Discovery Benefits

	1Q19	1Q18	\$ Δ Yr/Yr	% Δ Yr/Yr
Total Segment Revenue (\$)	67,446	56,884	10,562	18.6%
Payment Processing Revenue (\$)	19,392	16,699	2,693	16.1%
Account Servicing Revenue (\$)	37,262	27,025	10,237	37.9%
All Other Revenue (\$)	10,792	13,160	(2,368)	(18.0)%
Purchase Volume * (\$)	1,657,588	1,503,400	154,188	10.3%
Average Number of SaaS Accounts*	12,729	10,826	1,903	17.6%

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\* US Only



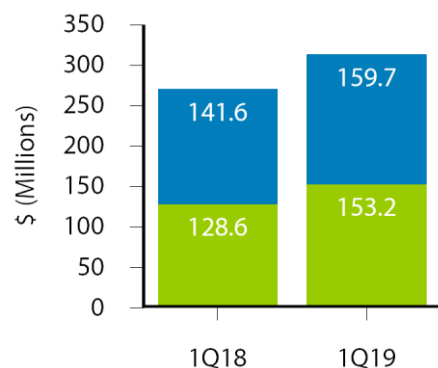
# Selected Operating Expenses and Margins

## Selected Operating Expenses (GAAP)

<i>(In thousands)</i>	1Q19	1Q18	\$ Δ Yr/Yr	% Δ Yr/Yr
Processing costs	\$ 91,119	\$ 73,106	\$ 18,013	24.6%
Service fees	\$ 14,246	\$ 12,326	\$ 1,920	15.6%
Provision for credit losses	\$ 17,791	\$ 14,226	\$ 3,565	25.1%
Operating interest	\$ 9,564	\$ 8,485	\$ 1,079	12.7%
General and administrative	\$ 64,405	\$ 55,309	\$ 9,096	16.4%
Sales and marketing	\$ 64,119	\$ 56,541	\$ 7,578	13.4%

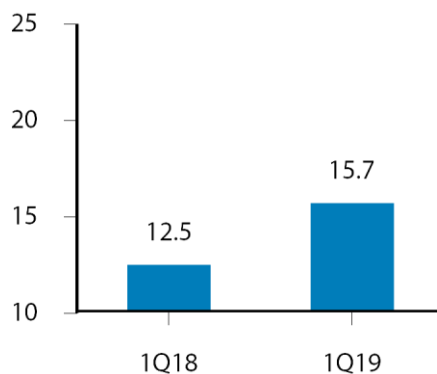
- Processing costs are up mainly due to acquisitions and Shell/Chevron portfolios
- Fleet credit loss was 15.7 basis points from 12.5
- G&A up primarily for acquisitions
- Sales and marketing expenses up mainly due to Shell/Chevron, acquisitions and partner rebates

## Operating Expenses (GAAP)



- Cost of services
- Selling general and administrative

## Fleet Credit Losses (in basis points)

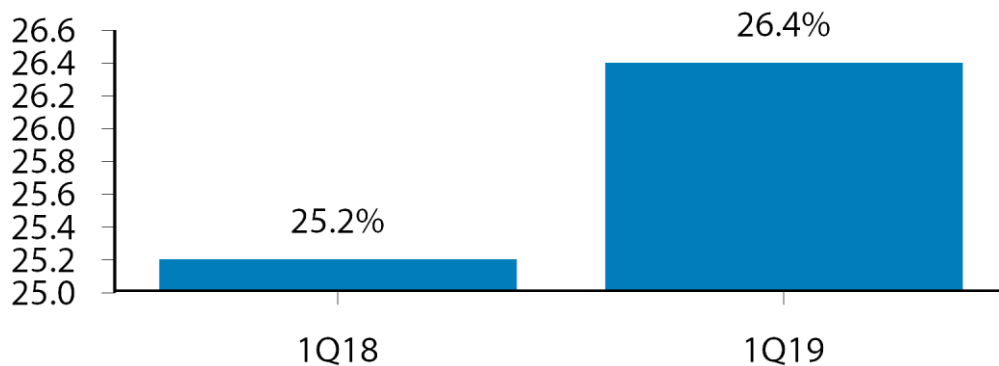


## Operating Income Margin

	1Q19	1Q18	Δ Yr/Yr in basis points
GAAP operating income margin	18.1%	23.7%	(560)
Non-GAAP adjusted operating income margin	34.1%	38.8%	(470)

# Tax Rate

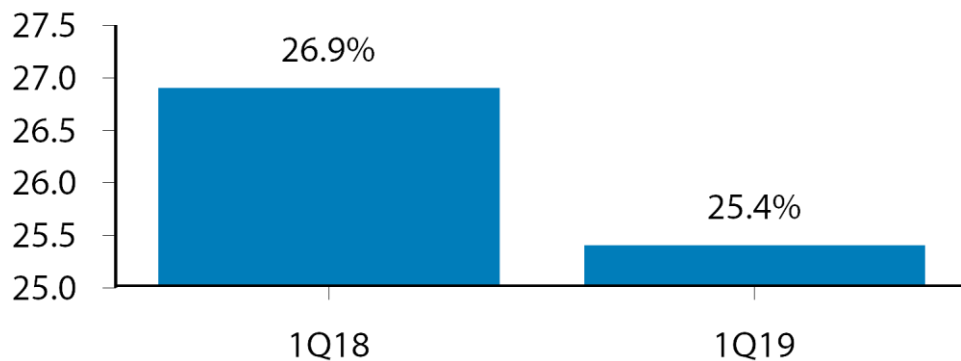
### GAAP Tax Rate



### Key Updates

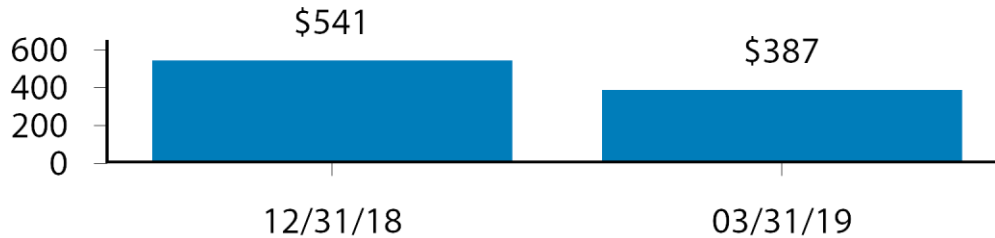
ANI tax rate down slightly from Q1 2018 due to mix of US vs foreign earnings

### ANI Tax Rate

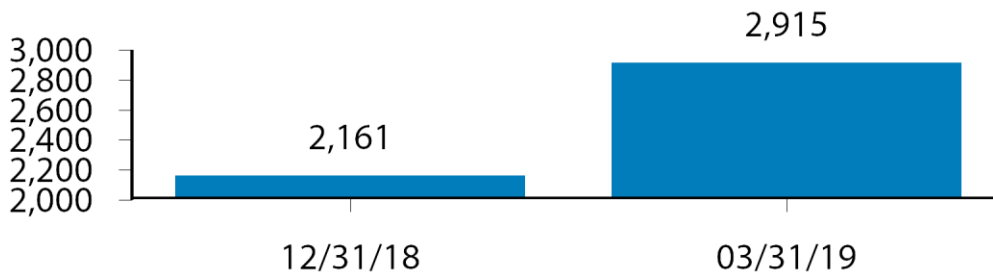


# Additional Balance Sheet Items

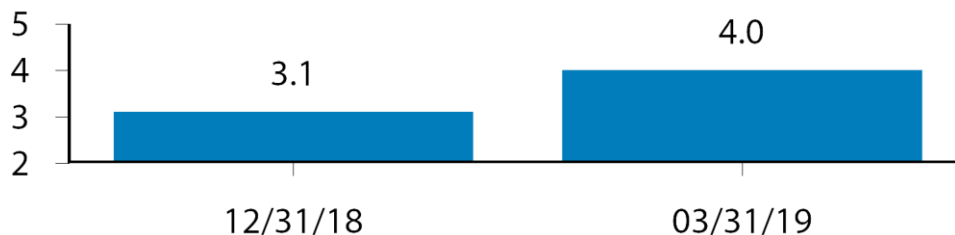
**Total Cash (\$ Millions)**



**Total Financing Debt (\$ Millions)**



**Leverage Ratio**



## Key Updates

- Corporate cash<sup>1</sup> balance was \$96.5 million
- Borrowing capacity of \$547 million on line of credit
- Total financing debt includes \$50 million deferred payment for DBI acquisition which will be paid Jan 2020
- Leverage ratio was 4.0, due to recent acquisition activity
- Increased capacity of Term A and Revolver in January 2019
- Interest rate hedges in place with a market value of \$5.8 million
- Significant mitigation of interest rate risk - approximately 65% of Financing Debt at effectively fixed rates

<sup>1</sup> Corporate cash is calculated in accordance with the terms of our consolidated leverage ratio in the Company's amended 2016 Credit Agreement as filed with the SEC



# Guidance

2019 full year guidance increased to reflect higher fuel prices projected by the market

	<b>2Q2019 OUTLOOK</b>	<b>Δ Yr/Yr</b>	<b>FY2019 OUTLOOK</b>	<b>Δ Yr/Yr</b>
Revenue (in millions)	\$438 - \$443	18% - 19%	\$1,705 - \$1,745	15% - 17%
Adjusted Net Income <sup>1</sup> (in millions)	\$97 - \$100	8% - 11%	\$399 - \$416	12% - 17%
Adjusted Net Income Earnings per Diluted Share <sup>1</sup>	\$2.22 - \$2.28	7% - 10%	\$9.10 - \$9.50	11% - 16%
Domestic Fuel Prices (\$ / Gallon)	\$2.85		\$2.78	
Fleet Credit Loss (Basis Points)	11 - 16		13 - 18	
Adjusted Net Income Tax Rate	24.5% - 26%		24.5% - 26%	
Number of Shares Outstanding	43.8 million		43.8 million	

<sup>1</sup> The Company's adjusted net income guidance, which is a non-GAAP measure, excludes unrealized gains and losses on financial instruments, net foreign currency remeasurement gains and losses, acquisition related intangible amortization, other acquisition and divestiture related items, stock-based compensation, restructuring and other costs, debt restructuring and debt issuance cost amortization, similar adjustments attributable to our non-controlling interest and certain tax related items. We are unable to reconcile our adjusted net income guidance to the comparable GAAP measure without unreasonable effort because of the difficulty in predicting the amounts to be adjusted, including but not limited to, foreign currency exchange rates, unrealized gains and losses on derivative instruments and acquisition and divestiture related items, which may have a significant impact on our financial results.





# Appendix

# WEX Non-GAAP Reconciliation

	Three Months Ended March 31,			
	2019		2018	
		per diluted share		per diluted share
<i>(in thousands except per share data)</i>				
<b>Net income attributable to shareholders</b>	<b>\$ 16,134</b>	<b>\$ 0.37</b>	\$ 51,970	\$ 1.20
Unrealized losses (gains) on financial instruments	<b>11,912</b>	<b>0.27</b>	(13,508)	(0.31)
Net foreign currency remeasurement losses (gains)	<b>3,885</b>	<b>0.09</b>	(390)	(0.01)
Acquisition-related intangible amortization	<b>33,888</b>	<b>0.78</b>	35,236	0.81
Other acquisition and divestiture related items	<b>9,780</b>	<b>0.23</b>	637	0.01
Stock-based compensation	<b>10,442</b>	<b>0.24</b>	8,955	0.21
Restructuring and other costs	<b>2,755</b>	<b>0.06</b>	5,671	0.13
Debt restructuring and debt issuance cost amortization	<b>6,496</b>	<b>0.15</b>	6,692	0.15
ANI adjustments attributable to non-controlling interest	<b>(573)</b>	<b>(0.01)</b>	(352)	(0.01)
Tax related items	<b>(19,895)</b>	<b>(0.46)</b>	(12,893)	(0.30)
<b>Adjusted net income attributable to shareholders</b>	<b>\$ 74,824</b>	<b>\$ 1.72</b>	\$ 82,018	\$ 1.89



# WEX Non-GAAP Reconciliation

<i>(In thousands)</i>	<b>Three Months Ended March 31,</b>	
	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
Operating income (GAAP)	\$ <b>68,935</b>	\$ 83,859
Acquisition-related intangible amortization	<b>33,888</b>	35,236
Other acquisition and divestiture related items	<b>9,780</b>	637
Debt restructuring	<b>4,400</b>	3,015
Stock-based compensation	<b>10,442</b>	8,955
Restructuring and other costs	<b>2,755</b>	5,671
Adjusted operating income (Non-GAAP)	\$ <b>130,200</b>	\$ 137,373

<i>(In thousands except margin data)</i>	<b>Three Months Ended March 31,</b>	
	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
Operating income (GAAP)	\$ <b>68,935</b>	\$ 83,859
Total Revenue	\$ <b>381,876</b>	\$ 354,028
Operating income margin (GAAP)	<b>18.1%</b>	23.7%
Adjusted operating income (Non-GAAP)	\$ <b>130,200</b>	\$ 137,373
Total Revenue	\$ <b>381,876</b>	\$ 354,028
Adjusted operating income margin (Non-GAAP)	<b>34.1%</b>	38.8%

# WEX Non-GAAP Reconciliation

The Company's non-GAAP adjusted net income excludes unrealized gains and losses on financial instruments, net foreign currency remeasurement gains and losses, acquisition-related intangible amortization, other acquisition and divestiture related items, stock-based compensation, restructuring and other costs, debt restructuring and debt issuance cost amortization, similar adjustments attributable to our non-controlling interests and certain tax related items.

Although adjusted net income is not calculated in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP"), this non-GAAP measure is integral to the Company's reporting and planning processes and the chief operating decision maker of the Company uses segment adjusted operating income to allocate resources among our operating segments. The Company considers this measure integral because it excludes the above-specified items that the Company's management excludes in evaluating the Company's performance. Specifically, in addition to evaluating the Company's performance on a GAAP basis, management evaluates the Company's performance on a basis that excludes the above items because:

- Exclusion of the non-cash, mark-to-market adjustments on financial instruments, including interest rate swap agreements and investment securities, helps management identify and assess trends in the Company's underlying business that might otherwise be obscured due to quarterly non-cash earnings fluctuations associated with these financial instruments.
- Net foreign currency gains and losses primarily result from the remeasurement to functional currency of cash, receivable and payable balances, certain intercompany notes denominated in foreign currencies and any gain or loss on foreign currency hedges relating to these items. The exclusion of these items helps management compare changes in operating results between periods that might otherwise be obscured due to currency fluctuations.
- The Company considers certain acquisition-related costs, including certain financing costs, investment banking fees, warranty and indemnity insurance, certain integration related expenses and amortization of acquired intangibles, as well as gains and losses from divestitures to be unpredictable, dependent on factors that may be outside of our control and unrelated to the continuing operations of the acquired or divested business or the Company. In addition, the size and complexity of an acquisition, which often drives the magnitude of acquisition-related costs, may not be indicative of such future costs. The Company believes that excluding acquisition-related costs and gains or losses of divestitures facilitates the comparison of our financial results to the Company's historical operating results and to other companies in our industry.
- Stock-based compensation is different from other forms of compensation as it is a non-cash expense. For example, a cash salary generally has a fixed and unvarying cash cost. In contrast, the expense associated with an equity-based award is generally unrelated to the amount of cash ultimately received by the employee, and the cost to the Company is based on a stock-based compensation valuation methodology and underlying assumptions that may vary over time.
- Restructuring and other costs are related to certain identified initiatives to further streamline the business, improve the Company's efficiency, create synergies and to globalize the Company's operations, all with an objective to improve scale and increase profitability going forward. This also includes other immaterial costs that the Company has incurred and are non-operational and non-recurring. We exclude these items when evaluating our continuing business performance as such items are not consistently occurring and do not reflect expected future operating expense, nor do they provide insight into the fundamentals of current or past operations of our business.
- Debt restructuring and debt issuance cost amortization are unrelated to the continuing operations of the Company. Debt restructuring costs are not consistently occurring and do not reflect expected future operating expense, nor do they provide insight into the fundamentals of current or past operations of our business. In addition, since debt issuance cost amortization is dependent upon the financing method which can vary widely company to company, we believe that excluding these costs helps to facilitate comparison to historical results as well as to other companies within our industry.
- The adjustments attributable to non-controlling interests, including adjustments to the redemption value of a non-controlling interest, have no significant impact on the ongoing operations of the business.
- The tax related items are the difference between the Company's U.S. GAAP tax provision and a pro forma tax provision based upon the Company's adjusted net income before taxes as well as the impact from certain discrete tax items. The methodology utilized for calculating the Company's adjusted net income tax provision is the same methodology utilized in calculating the Company's U.S. GAAP tax provision.

For the same reasons, WEX believes that adjusted net income may also be useful to investors as one means of evaluating the Company's performance. However, because adjusted net income is a non-GAAP measure, it should not be considered as a substitute for, or superior to, net income, operating income or cash flows from operating activities as determined in accordance with GAAP. In addition, adjusted net income as used by WEX may not be comparable to similarly titled measures employed by other companies.