

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION - CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES

(Millions of dollars except per share data) (Unaudited)

We supplement the reporting of our financial information determined under U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) with certain non-GAAP financial measures, some of which we refer to as "ongoing" measures. These measures may include earnings before interest and taxes (EBIT), EBIT margin, ongoing EBIT, ongoing EBIT margin, ongoing earnings per diluted share, adjusted effective tax rate, organic net sales, gross debt leverage (Gross Debt/Ongoing EBITDA), return on invested capital (ROIC) and free cash flow.

Ongoing measures exclude items that may not be indicative of, or are unrelated to, results from our ongoing operations and provide a better baseline for analyzing trends in our underlying businesses.

Sales excluding foreign currency: Current period net sales translated in functional currency, to U.S. dollars using the applicable prior period's exchange rate compared to the applicable prior period net sales. Management believes that sales excluding foreign currency provides stockholders with a clearer basis to assess our results over time, excluding the impact of exchange rate fluctuations.

Organic net sales: Sales excluding the impact of certain acquisitions or divestitures, and foreign currency. Management believes that organic net sales provides stockholders with a clearer basis to assess our results over time, excluding the impact of exchange rate fluctuations and certain acquisitions and/or divestitures.

Ongoing EBIT margin: Ongoing earnings before interest and taxes divided by net sales. Ongoing measures exclude items that may not be indicative of, or are unrelated to, results from our ongoing operations and provide a better baseline for analyzing trends in our underlying businesses.

Ongoing earnings per diluted share: Diluted net earnings per share from continuing operations, adjusted to exclude items that may not be indicative of, or are unrelated to, results from our ongoing operations. Ongoing measures provide a better baseline for analyzing trends in our underlying businesses.

Gross debt leverage: Gross debt to ongoing earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization (EBITDA) ratio is gross debt outstanding, including long-term debt, current maturities of long-term debt, and notes payable, divided by ongoing EBITDA. Management believes that gross debt leverage provides stockholders with a view of our ability to generate earnings sufficient to service our debt.

Return on invested capital: Ongoing EBIT after taxes divided by total invested capital, defined as total assets less non-interest bearing current liabilities (NIBCLS). NIBCLS is defined as current liabilities less current maturities of long-term debt and notes payable. This ROIC definition may differ from other companies' methods and therefore may not be comparable to those used by other companies. Management believes that ROIC provides stockholders with a view of capital efficiency, a key driver of stockholder value creation.

Adjusted effective tax rate: Effective tax rate, excluding pre-tax income and tax effect of certain unique items. Management believes that adjusted tax rate provides stockholders with a meaningful, consistent comparison of the Company's effective tax rate, excluding the pre-tax income and tax effect of certain unique items.

Free cash flow: Cash provided by (used in) operating activities less capital expenditures. Management believes that free cash flow provides stockholders with a relevant measure of liquidity and a useful basis for assessing the company's ability to fund its activities and obligations.

Whirlpool does not provide a non-GAAP reconciliation for its forward-looking long-term value creation goals, such as organic net sales, EBIT, free cash flow conversion, ROIC and gross debt leverage, as these long-term management goals are not annual guidance, and the reconciliation of these long-term measures would rely on market factors and certain other conditions and assumptions that are outside of the company's control.

We believe that these non-GAAP measures provide meaningful information to assist investors and stockholders in understanding our financial results and assessing our prospects for future performance, and reflect an additional way of viewing aspects of our operations that, when viewed with our GAAP financial measures, provide a more complete understanding of our business. Because non-GAAP financial measures are not standardized, it may not be possible to compare these financial measures with other companies' non-GAAP financial measures having the same or similar names. These ongoing financial measures should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for reported net earnings available to Whirlpool per diluted share, net earnings, net earnings available to Whirlpool, net earnings margin, return on assets, net sales, effective tax rate and cash provided by (used in) operating activities, the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures.

We also disclose segment EBIT as an important financial metric used by the Company's Chief Operating Decision Maker to evaluate performance and allocate resources in accordance with ASC 280 - Segment Reporting.

GAAP net earnings available to Whirlpool per basic or diluted share (as applicable) and ongoing earnings per diluted share are presented net of tax, while individual adjustments in each reconciliation are presented on a pre-tax basis; the income tax impact line item aggregates the tax impact for these adjustments. The tax impact of individual line item adjustments may not foot precisely to the aggregate income tax impact amount, as each line item adjustment may include non-taxable components. Historical quarterly earnings per share amounts are presented based on a normalized tax rate adjustment to reconcile quarterly tax rates to full-year tax rate expectations. We strongly encourage investors and stockholders to review our financial statements and publicly-filed reports in their entirety and not to rely on any single financial measure.

FOURTH-QUARTER 2023 ONGOING EARNINGS BEFORE INTEREST AND TAXES AND ONGOING EARNINGS PER DILUTED SHARE

The reconciliation provided below reconciles the non-GAAP financial measures ongoing earnings before interest and taxes and ongoing earnings per diluted share, with the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool and net earnings (loss) per diluted share available to Whirlpool, for the three months ended December 31, 2023. Net earnings (loss) margin is calculated by dividing net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool by net sales. Ongoing EBIT margin is calculated by dividing ongoing EBIT by net sales. EBIT margin is calculated by dividing EBIT by net sales. The earnings per diluted share GAAP measure and ongoing measure are presented net of tax, while each adjustment is presented on a pre-tax basis. Our fourth-quarter GAAP tax rate was (58.6)%. The aggregate income tax impact of the taxable components of each adjustment is presented in the income tax impact line item at our fourth-quarter adjusted tax rate (non-GAAP) of (19.0)%.

	Three N	onths Ended
Earnings Before Interest & Taxes Reconciliation:	Decem	ber 31, 2023
Net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool	\$	491
Net earnings (loss) available to noncontrolling interests		1
Income tax expense (benefit)		(191)
Interest expense		92
Earnings before interest & taxes	\$	393
Net sales	\$	5,088
Net earnings (loss) margin		9.7 %

	Results classification	Earnings before interest & taxes		rnings before Ear terest & taxes dilu	
Reported measure		\$	393	\$	8.90
Impact of M&A transactions ^(a)	(Gain) loss on sale and disposal of businesses & Selling, general and administrative & including equity method investment		(123)		(2.23)
Legacy EMEA legal matters ^(b)	Interest and sundry (income) expense		(4)		(0.06)
Total income tax impact					(0.44)
Normalized tax rate adjustment ^(c)					(2.32)
Ongoing measure		\$	266	\$	3.85
Net sales		\$	5,088	'	
Ongoing EBIT margin			5.2 %		

FOURTH-QUARTER 2022 ONGOING EARNINGS BEFORE INTEREST AND TAXES AND ONGOING EARNINGS PER DILUTED SHARE

The reconciliation provided below reconciles the non-GAAP financial measures ongoing earnings before interest and taxes and ongoing earnings per diluted share, with the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool and net earnings (loss) per diluted share available to Whirlpool, for the three months ended December 31, 2022. Net earnings (loss) margin is calculated by dividing net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool by net sales. Ongoing EBIT margin is calculated by dividing ongoing EBIT by net sales. EBIT margin is calculated by dividing EBIT by net sales. The earnings per diluted share GAAP measure and ongoing measure are presented net of tax, while each adjustment is presented on a pre-tax basis. Our fourth-quarter GAAP tax rate was (4.5)%. The aggregate income tax impact of the taxable components of each adjustment is presented in the income tax impact line item at our fourth-quarter adjusted tax rate (non-GAAP) of (101.8)%.

	Three I	Three Months Ended	
Earnings Before Interest & Taxes Reconciliation:	Decen	nber 31, 2022	
Net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool	\$	(1,605)	
Net earnings (loss) available to noncontrolling interests		1	
Income tax expense (benefit)		69	
Interest expense		64	
Earnings before interest & taxes	\$	(1,471)	
Net sales	\$	4,923	
Net earnings (loss) margin		(32.6)%	

	Results classification	Earnings before interest & taxes		Ear dilu	rnings per uted share	
Reported measure		\$	(1,471)	\$	(29.35)	
Impact of M&A transactions ^(a)	(Gain) loss on sale and disposal of businesses & Selling, general and administrative		1,546		28.27	
Collecte established attacks of			1,540		20.27	
Substantial liquidation of subsidiary ^(a)	Interest and sundry (income) expense		84		1.54	
Impairment of goodwill, intangibles and other intangibles	Equity method investment income (loss), net of tax		12		0.22	
Total income tax impact					30.36	
Normalized tax rate adjustment ^(c)					(27.12)	
Share adjustment*						
					(0.03)	
Ongoing measure		\$	171	\$	3.89	
Net sales		\$	4,923			
Ongoing EBIT margin			3.5 %			

FULL-YEAR 2023 ONGOING EARNINGS BEFORE INTEREST AND TAXES AND ONGOING EARNINGS PER DILUTED SHARE

The reconciliation provided below reconciles the non-GAAP financial measures ongoing earnings before interest and taxes and ongoing earnings per diluted share, with the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool and net earnings (loss) per diluted share available to Whirlpool, for the twelve months ending December 31, 2023. Net earnings (loss) margin is calculated by dividing net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool by net sales. Ongoing EBIT margin is calculated by dividing ongoing EBIT by net sales. EBIT margin is calculated by dividing EBIT by net sales. The earnings per diluted share GAAP measure and ongoing measure are presented net of tax, while each adjustment is presented on a pre-tax basis. Our full-year GAAP tax rate was 13.0%. The aggregate income tax impact of the taxable components of each adjustment is presented in the income tax impact line item at our full-year adjusted tax (non-GAAP) rate of (6.7)%.

	Twelve Months Ended	
Earnings Before Interest & Taxes Reconciliation:	Decem	ber 31, 2023
Net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool	\$	481
Net earnings (loss) available to noncontrolling interests		7
Income tax expense (benefit)		77
Interest expense		351
Earnings before interest & taxes	\$	916
Net sales	\$	19,455
Net earnings (loss) margin		2.5 %

	Results classification	in	ings before terest & taxes*	Earr dilu	nings per ted share
Reported measure		\$	916	\$	8.72
Impact of M&A transactions ^(a)	(Gain) loss on sale and disposal of businesses & Selling, general and administrative & including equity method investment		181		3.27
Legacy EMEA legal matters ^(b)	Interest and sundry (income) expense		94		1.71
Total income tax impact					0.35
Normalized tax rate adjustment ^(c)					2.11
Ongoing measure		\$	1,191	\$	16.16
Net Sales		\$	19,455		
Ongoing EBIT Margin			6.1 %		

FULL-YEAR 2022 ONGOING EARNINGS BEFORE INTEREST AND TAXES AND ONGOING EARNINGS PER DILUTED SHARE

The reconciliation provided below reconciles the non-GAAP financial measures ongoing earnings before interest and taxes and ongoing earnings per diluted share, with the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool and net earnings (loss) per basic share available to Whirlpool, for the twelve months ending December 31, 2022. Net earnings (loss) margin is calculated by dividing net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool by net sales. Ongoing EBIT margin is calculated by dividing ongoing EBIT by net sales. EBIT margin is calculated by dividing EBIT by net sales. The earnings per basic share GAAP measure and ongoing measure are presented net of tax, while each adjustment is presented on a pre-tax basis. Our full-year GAAP tax rate was (21.6)%. The aggregate income tax impact of the taxable components of each adjustment is presented in the income tax impact line item at our full-year adjusted tax (non-GAAP) rate of 4.4%.

		lve Months Ended
Earnings Before Interest & Taxes Reconciliation:	Decen	nber 31, 2022
Net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool	\$	(1,519)
Net earnings (loss) available to noncontrolling interests		8
Income tax expense (benefit)		265
Interest expense		190
Earnings before interest & taxes	\$	(1,056)
Net sales	\$	19,724
Net earnings (loss) margin		(7.7)%

	Results classification	Earnings before interest & taxes*		E d	arnings per iluted share
Reported measure		\$	(1,056)	\$	(27.18)
Impairment of goodwill, intangibles and other assets ^(d)	Impairment of goodwill and other intangibles & Equity method investment income (loss), net of tax		396		7.08
Impact of M&A transactions ^(a)	(Gain) loss on sale and disposal of businesses & Selling, general and administrative		1,936		34.63
Substantial liquidation of subsidiary ^(e)	Interest and sundry (income) expense		84		1.51
Total income tax impact	Interest and sundry (income) expense				(1.89)
Normalized tax rate adjustment ^(c)					5.69
Share adjustment					(0.20)
Ongoing measure		\$	1,360	\$	19.64
Net Sales		\$	19,724		
Ongoing EBIT Margin			6.9 %	ó	

^{*}As a result of our current period GAAP earnings loss, the impact of antidilutive shares was excluded from the loss per share calculation on a GAAP basis. The share count adjustment used in the calculation of the full-year ongoing earnings per diluted share includes basic shares outstanding of 55.9 million plus the impact of antidilutive shares of 0.6 million which were excluded on a GAAP basis.

FULL-YEAR 2024 OUTLOOK FOR ONGOING EARNINGS BEFORE INTEREST AND TAXES AND ONGOING EARNINGS PER DILUTED SHARE

The reconciliation provided below reconciles the non-GAAP financial measures ongoing earnings before interest and taxes and ongoing earnings per diluted share, with the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, net earnings available to Whirlpool and net earnings per diluted share available to Whirlpool, for the twelve months ending December 31, 2024. Ongoing EBIT margin is calculated by dividing ongoing EBIT by net sales. EBIT margin is calculated by dividing EBIT by net sales. The earnings per diluted share GAAP measure and ongoing measure are presented net of tax, while each adjustment is presented on a pre-tax basis. Our anticipated full-year GAAP tax rate is approximately 24%. The aggregate income tax impact of the taxable components of each adjustment is presented in the income tax impact line item at our anticipated full-year adjusted tax (non-GAAP) rate of approximately 0.0%.

Twelve Months Ending December 31, 2024

	Results classification	Earnings before interest & taxes*	Earnings per diluted share
Reported measure		~\$1,100	~\$9.50
Restructuring Expense		~50	~1.00
Total income tax impact			_
Normalized tax rate adjustment ^(c)			~3.50
Ongoing measure		~\$1,150	~\$14.00

^{*}Earnings Before Interest & Taxes (EBIT) is a non-GAAP measure. The Company does not provide a forward-looking quantitative reconciliation of EBIT to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measure, net earnings available to Whirlpool, because the net earnings available to noncontrolling interests item of such reconciliation -- which has historically represented a relatively insignificant amount of the Company's overall net earnings -- implicates the Company's projections regarding the earnings of the Company's non wholly-owned subsidiaries and joint ventures that cannot be quantified precisely or without unreasonable efforts.

THIRD-QUARTER 2023 ONGOING EARNINGS BEFORE INTEREST AND TAXES

The reconciliation provided below reconciles the non-GAAP financial measures ongoing earnings before interest and taxes, with the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool, for the three months ended September 30, 2023. Net earnings (loss) margin is calculated by dividing net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool by net sales. Ongoing EBIT margin is calculated by dividing ongoing EBIT by net sales. EBIT margin is calculated by dividing EBIT by net sales.

	Three M	onths Ended
Earnings Before Interest & Taxes Reconciliation:	Septem	ber 30, 2023
Net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool	\$	83
Net earnings (loss) available to noncontrolling interests		2
Income tax expense (benefit)		86
Interest expense		95
Earnings before interest & taxes	\$	266
Net sales	\$	4,926
Net earnings (loss) margin		1.7 %

	Results classification	Earnings l	before interest & taxes
Reported measure		\$	266
Impact of M&A transactions ^(a)	(Gain) loss on sale and disposal of businesses & Selling, general and administrative		56
Ongoing measure		\$	322
Net sales		\$	4,926
Ongoing EBIT margin			6.5 %

THIRD-QUARTER 2022 ONGOING EARNINGS BEFORE INTEREST AND TAXES

The reconciliation provided below reconciles the non-GAAP financial measures ongoing earnings before interest and taxes, with the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool, for the three months ended September 30, 2022. Net earnings (loss) margin is calculated by dividing net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool by net sales. Ongoing EBIT margin is calculated by dividing ongoing EBIT by net sales. EBIT margin is calculated by dividing EBIT by net sales.

	Three M	lonths Ended
Earnings Before Interest & Taxes Reconciliation:	Septem	ber 30, 2022
Net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool	\$	143
Net earnings (loss) available to noncontrolling interests		2
Income tax expense (benefit)		53
Interest expense		40
Earnings before interest & taxes	\$	238
Net sales	\$	4,784
Net earnings (loss) margin		3.0 %

	Results classification	Earnings be	efore interest & taxes
Reported measure		\$	238
Impact of M&A transactions ^(a)	Selling, general and administrative		27
Ongoing measure		\$	265
Net sales		\$	4,784
Ongoing EBIT margin			5.5 %

SECOND-QUARTER 2023 ONGOING EARNINGS BEFORE INTEREST AND TAXES

The reconciliation provided below reconciles the non-GAAP financial measures ongoing earnings before interest and taxes, with the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool, for the three months ended June 30, 2023. Net earnings (loss) margin is calculated by dividing net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool by net sales. Ongoing EBIT margin is calculated by dividing ongoing EBIT by net sales. EBIT margin is calculated by dividing EBIT by net sales.

	Three M	lonths Ended
Earnings Before Interest & Taxes Reconciliation:	June	30, 2023
Net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool	\$	85
Net earnings (loss) available to noncontrolling interests		2
Income tax expense (benefit)		114
Interest expense		89
Earnings before interest & taxes	\$	290
Net sales	\$	4,792
Net earnings (loss) margin		1.8 %

	Results classification	Earnings befor	e interest & taxes
Reported measure		\$	290
Impact of M&A transactions ^(a)	(Gain) loss on sale and disposal of businesses & Selling, general and administrative		26
Legacy EMEA legal matters ^(b)	Interest and sundry (income) expense		36
Ongoing measure		\$	352
Net sales		\$	4,792
Ongoing EBIT margin			7.3 %

SECOND-QUARTER 2022 ONGOING EARNINGS BEFORE INTEREST AND TAXES

The reconciliation provided below reconciles the non-GAAP financial measures ongoing earnings before interest and taxes, with the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool, for the three months ended June 30, 2022. Net earnings (loss) margin is calculated by dividing net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool by net sales. Ongoing EBIT margin is calculated by dividing ongoing EBIT by net sales. EBIT margin is calculated by dividing EBIT by net sales.

Earnings Before Interest & Taxes Reconciliation:	lonths Ended 30, 2022
Net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool	\$ (371)
Net earnings (loss) available to noncontrolling interests	3
Income tax expense (benefit)	37
Interest expense	45
Earnings before interest & taxes	\$ (286)
Net sales	\$ 5,097
Net earnings (loss) margin	(7.3)%

	Results classification	Earnings	before interest & taxes
Reported measure		\$	(286)
Impairment of goodwill and other intangibles ^(d)	Impairment of goodwill and other intangibles		384
Impact of M&A transactions ^(a)	(Gain) loss on sale and disposal of businesses & Selling, general and administrative		363
Ongoing measure		\$	461
Net sales		\$	5,097
Ongoing EBIT margin			9.0 %

FIRST-QUARTER 2023 ONGOING EARNINGS BEFORE INTEREST AND TAXES

The reconciliation provided below reconciles the non-GAAP financial measures ongoing earnings before interest and taxes, with the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool, for the three months ended March 31, 2023. Net earnings (loss) margin is calculated by dividing net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool by net sales. Ongoing EBIT margin is calculated by dividing ongoing EBIT by net sales. EBIT margin is calculated by dividing EBIT by net sales.

Earnings Before Interest & Taxes Reconciliation:	lonths Ended h 31, 2023
Net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool	\$ (179)
Net earnings (loss) available to noncontrolling interests	3
Income tax expense (benefit)	68
Interest expense	75
Earnings before interest & taxes	\$ (33)
Net sales	\$ 4,649
Net earnings (loss) margin	(3.9)%

	Results classification	Earnings	before interest & taxes
Reported measure		\$	(33)
Impact of M&A transactions ^(a)	(Gain) loss on sale and disposal of businesses & Selling, general and administrative		222
Legacy EMEA legal matters ^(b)	Interest and sundry (income) expense		62
Ongoing measure		\$	251
Net sales		\$	4,649
Ongoing EBIT margin			5.4 %

FIRST-QUARTER 2022 ONGOING EARNINGS BEFORE INTEREST AND TAXES

The reconciliation provided below reconciles the non-GAAP financial measures ongoing earnings before interest and taxes, with the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool, for the three months ended March 31, 2022. Net earnings (loss) margin is calculated by dividing net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool by net sales. Ongoing EBIT margin is calculated by dividing ongoing EBIT by net sales. EBIT margin is calculated by dividing EBIT by net sales.

Earnings Before Interest & Taxes Reconciliation:	lonths Ended h 31, 2022
Net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool	\$ 313
Net earnings (loss) available to noncontrolling interests	3
Income tax expense (benefit)	106
Interest expense	41
Earnings before interest & taxes	\$ 463
Net sales	\$ 4,920
Net earnings (loss) margin	6.4 %

	Results classification	Earnings be	fore interest & taxes
Reported measure		\$	463
Ongoing measure		\$	463
Net sales		\$	4,920
Ongoing EBIT margin			9.4 %

FOOTNOTES

a. IMPACT OF M&A TRANSACTIONS - On January 16, 2023, we signed a contribution agreement to contribute our European major domestic appliance business into a newly formed entity with Arçelik. In connection with the transaction, the Company recorded a non-cash loss on disposal of \$1.5 billion in the fourth-quarter of 2022. The loss includes a write-down of the net assets of \$1.2 billion of the disposal group to a fair value of \$139 million and also includes \$393 million of cumulative currency translation adjustments, \$98 million release of other comprehensive loss on pension and \$18 million of other transaction related costs. Whirlpool's European major domestic appliance business met the criteria for held-for-sale accounting during the fourth-quarter of 2022 and will be included in the Company's results until closing of the transaction. We recorded a loss of \$106 million related to the planned divestiture of our European major domestic appliance business for the twelve months ended December 31, 2023, inclusive of a gain of \$180 million in the fourth quarter of 2023, resulting in a total loss of \$1.6 billion for the transaction.

Additionally, we incurred other identifiable costs related to portfolio transformation, totaling \$75 million in 2023, of which \$57 million was recorded in the fourth quarter. This amount consisted of the following costs: an impairment charge of \$27 million related to the equity method investment in Brazil, which is recorded within Equity method investment income (loss), net of tax, and an impairment charge along with other business closing-related costs of \$20 million in North America, which is primarily recorded in Selling, General and Administrative expenses. Furthermore, during the fourth-quarter 2023, we incurred other unique transaction related costs of \$10 million related to portfolio transformation. These other transaction costs are recorded in Selling, General and Administrative expenses on our Consolidated Statements of Income (Loss).

During the second quarter of 2022, we entered into an agreement to sell our Russia business. We classified this disposal group as held for sale and recorded an impairment loss of \$346 million for the write-down of the assets to their fair value. During the third quarter of 2022, the loss from disposal was adjusted by an immaterial amount resulting in a final loss amount of \$348 million for the twelve months ended December 31, 2022.

Additionally, during the fourth-quarter 2022, we incurred unique transaction related costs of \$25 million related to portfolio transformation for a total of \$67 million for the twelve months ended December 31, 2022. These transaction costs are recorded in Selling, General and Administrative expenses on our Consolidated Statements of Income (Loss).

b. LEGACY EMEA LEGAL MATTERS - The aggregate amount accrued by the Company related to the France Competition Investigation and other legacy legal matters of our European major domestic appliance business was \$94 million, for the twelve months ended December 31, 2023, respectively. c. NORMALIZED TAX RATE ADJUSTMENT - During the fourth quarter of 2022, the Company calculated ongoing earnings per share using an adjusted tax rate of (101.8)%. During the fourth quarter of 2023, the Company calculated ongoing earnings per share using an adjusted tax rate of (19.0)%. During the full year of 2022, the Company calculated ongoing earnings per share using an adjusted tax rate of 4.4%. During the full-year of 2023, the Company calculated ongoing earnings per share using an adjusted tax rate of (6.7)% which excludes the non-tax deductible impact of M&A transactions of approximately \$25 million recorded in the fourth quarter of 2023 and which reflects certain tax benefits related to legal entity restructuring transactions in the fourth quarter of 2023.

Additionally, in the full-year 2024 outlook, the Company calculated ongoing earnings per share using a full-year adjusted tax (non-GAAP) rate of approximately 0.0%. The company expects to recognize tax benefits, contingent upon the closure of the Europe transaction, that are expected to provide a significant tax benefit. Reconciling from our expected full-year GAAP tax rate of approximately 24%, certain Europe transaction tax impacts have been adjusted from our full-year adjusted tax (non-GAAP) rate of approximately 0.0%.

- d. IMPAIRMENT OF GOODWILL, INTANGIBLES AND OTHER ASSETS During the second quarter of 2022, the carrying value of the EMEA reporting unit and *Indesit* and *Hotpoint* trademarks exceeded their fair values resulting in an impairment charge of \$384 million which is recorded within Impairment of goodwill and other intangibles. Additionally, during the fourth quarter of 2022 we recognized an impairment charge of \$12M related to equity method investment in Brazil which is recorded within Equity method investment income (loss), net of tax.
- e. SUBSTANTIAL LIQUIDATION OF SUBSIDIARY During the fourth-quarter of 2022, the Company liquidated an offshore subsidiary and recorded a one-time charge of \$84 million for a release of other comprehensive income on hedging and cumulative translation adjustments.

ORGANIC NET SALES

The reconciliation provided below reconciles the non-GAAP financial measure organic net sales to GAAP reported net sales, for three months ended December 31, 2022 and 2023 for the Whirlpool business.

	Three Months Ended December 31,				
(Approximate impact in millions)		2022		2023	Change
Net Sales	\$	4,923	\$	5,088	3.4 %
Less: InSinkErator Acquired Business		48		137	
Less: Currency		_		89	
Organic Net Sales	\$	4,875	\$	4,862	(0.3)%

The reconciliation provided below reconciles the non-GAAP financial measure organic net sales to GAAP reported net sales, for twelve months ended December 31, 2022 and 2023 for the Whirlpool business.

	Twelve Months Ended December 31,				
(Approximate impact in millions)		2022		2023	Change
Net Sales	\$	19,724	\$	19,455	(1.4)%
Less: Russia Divested Business		75		_	
Less: InSinkErator Acquired Business		48		533	
Less: Currency		_		62	
Organic Net Sales	\$	19,601	\$	18,860	(3.8)%

ONGOING EBIT EXCLUDING MDA EUROPE SECOND QUARTER THROUGH FOURTH QUARTER

The reconciliation provided below reconciles the impact of removing MDA Europe from our Q2 through Q4 net sales and ongoing EBIT, for twelve months ended December 31, 2023 for the Whirlpool business.

	023 As eported		2-Q4 2023 MDA Europe*	2023 Like for Like
Net Sales (in billions)	\$ 19.5	\$	~2.6	\$ ~16.9
Ongoing EBIT (in millions)	\$ 1,191	\$	~33	\$ ~1,158
Ongoing EBIT Margin	6.1 %	ó	~1.3%	~6.8%

^{*}Q2-Q3 historical segment financial data (unaudited); Q4 estimated as historical segment financial data is not yet available.

Net Debt Leverage

The reconciliation provided below reconciles the non-GAAP financial measure net debt leverage. The company defines Net debt leverage as net debt divided by ongoing earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization (EBITDA). This ratio is net debt outstanding, including long-term debt, current maturities of long-term debt, and notes payable, less cash and cash equivalents, divided by ongoing EBITDA. Management believes that net debt leverage provides stockholders with a view of our ability to generate earnings sufficient to service our debt.

Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization reconciliation:	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
Net earnings (loss) available to Whirlpool	481	(1,519)	\$1,783	\$1,075	\$1,168
Net earnings (loss) available to noncontrolling interests	7	8	23	(10)	14
Income tax expense (benefit)	77	265	518	382	348
Interest expense	351	190	175	189	187
Reported measure (EBIT)*	\$916	\$(1,056)	\$2,499	\$1,636	\$1,717
Brazilian (BEFIEX) tax credits	_	_	_	_	(180)
Corrective action recovery	_	_	_	(14)	_
(Gain) loss on previously held equity interest	_	_	(42)	_	_
(Gain) loss on sale and disposal of businesses	_	_	(107)	(7)	(437)
Impact of M&A Transactions	181	1,936	_	_	_
Impairment of goodwill and intangibles	_	396	_	_	_
Legacy EMEA legal matters	94	_	_	_	_
Product warranty and liability expense	_	_	(9)	(30)	131
Restructuring expense	_	_	38	288	188
Sale leaseback, real estate, and receivable adjustments	_	_	_	(113)	(86)
Substantial liquidation of subsidiary	_	84	_	_	_
Trade customer insolvency	_	_	_	_	59
Ongoing business measure (EBIT)	\$1,191	\$1,360	\$2,379	\$1,760	\$1,392
Depreciation and Amortization	\$361	\$475	\$494	\$568	\$587
Ongoing EBITDA	\$1,552	\$1,835	\$2,873	\$2,328	\$1,979
Gross debt outstanding	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
Long-term debt	\$6,414	\$7,363	\$4,929	\$5,059	\$4,140
Current maturities of long-term debt	800	248	298	298	559
Notes payable	17	4	10	12	294
Gross debt outstanding	\$7,231	\$7,615	\$5,237	\$5,369	\$4,993
Cash & cash equivalents	\$1,570	\$1,958	\$3,044	\$2,924	\$1,952
Net debt to EBITDA ratio	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
Net debt outstanding	\$5,661	\$5,657	\$2,193	\$2,445	\$3,041
Ongoing EBITDA	\$1,552	\$1,835	\$2,873	\$2,328	\$1,979
Net debt to EBITDA ratio	3.6	3.1	0.8	1.1	1.5
*recast for LIEO/EIEO change (2010-2020)					

^{*}recast for LIFO/FIFO change (2019-2020)

^{**}The Company does not provide a forward-looking quantitative reconciliation of Ongoing EBITDA to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measure, net earnings available to Whirlpool, because the net earnings available to noncontrolling interests item of such reconciliation -- which has historically represented a relatively insignificant amount of the Company's overall net earnings -- implicates the Company's projections regarding the earnings of the Company's non wholly-owned subsidiaries and joint ventures that cannot be quantified precisely or without unreasonable efforts.

FREE CASH FLOW

Free cash flow is cash provided by (used in) operating activities after capital expenditures. The reconciliation provided below reconciles twelve months ended December 31, 2023 and 2022 and 2024 full-year free cash flow with cash provided by (used in) operating activities, the most directly comparable GAAP financial measure. Free cash flow as a percentage of net sales is calculated by dividing free cash flow by net sales.

	Twelve Months Ended December 31,			
(millions of dollars)	2023	2022	2024 Outlook	
Cash provided by (used in) operating activities	\$915	\$1,390	\$1,150 - \$1,250	
Capital expenditures	(549)	(570)	(600)	
Free cash flow	\$366	\$820	\$550 - \$650	
Cash provided by (used in) investing activities*	(553)	(3,568)		
Cash provided by (used in) financing activities*	(792)	1,206		

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^{*}Financial guidance on a GAAP basis for cash provided by (used in) financing activities and cash provided by (used in) investing activities has not been provided because in order to prepare any such estimate or projection, the Company would need to rely on market factors and certain other conditions and assumptions that are outside of its control.