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Accelerating the growth of Popeyes



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Who is our primary customer?

Guest

Employees

Franchisees

Shareholders

Vendors



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Invite the Guest

Delight the Guest

Make Money Expand
Our Footprint

Engage the Team











Superior affordable food so good you can't wait to eat at Popeyes A service experience so good you can't wait to come back to Popeyes

Profits so good that you are thrilled to own Popeyes

Returns so good you can't wait to build more Popeyes

A culture so engaging you can't wait to come to work at Popeyes



Creating a legacy of results





DICK LYNCH

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GOAL:



Grow AUVs by keeping bone-in business strong, while growing portable, on-the-go meals.





RUN GREAT

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CREATE A CULTURE OF SERVANT LEADERS

ONLY CUISINE INDIGENOUS TO U.S.



7 Nations

- ★ Africa
- * England
- ♣ France
- **☆ Germany**
- ♠ Italy
- ♠ Native American
- Spain



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BEFORE



AFTER



Popeyes



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FOUR MENU PLATFORMS

BONAFIDE®

BONELESS

SEAFOOD

DISTINCTIVE LOUISIANA SIDES



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Marinated in Louisiana Seasonings

* Hand-Battered

* Made Fresh





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GARIFIC PEPPER ILLUSTRATE CHICKEN

REDIHOT POPCORN CHICKEN





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SEAFOOD





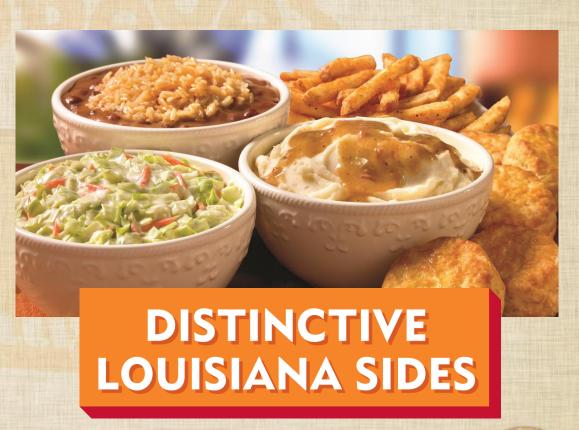
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- * Red Beans & Rice
- **★ Cajun Fries**
- Mashed Potatoes with Cajun Gravy
- Dirty Rice
- * Cole Slaw & Others





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MESSAGE: "ANNIE"





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MEDIA

TV Media BEFORE SPOT TV Less than 50% of Markets



TV Media AFTER National TV

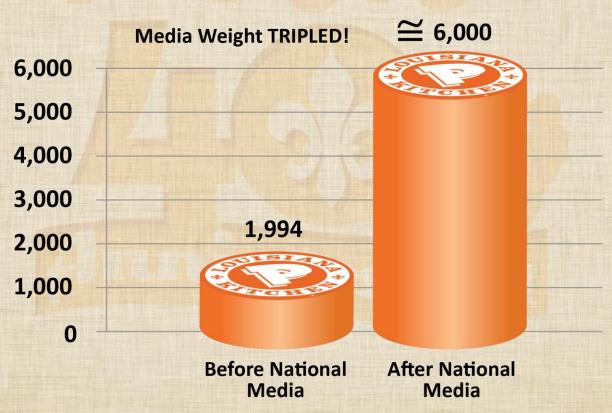




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MEDIA IMPACT (Target Rating Points)





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LOUISIANA KITCHEN PLUS NEW IMAGE









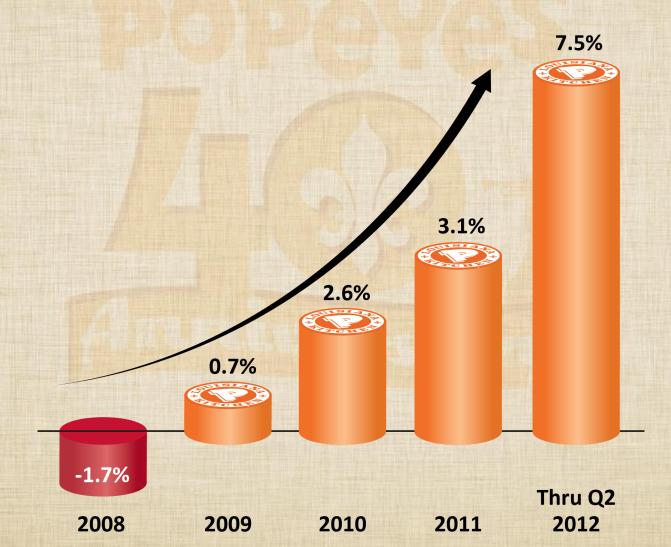




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GLOBAL SAME-STORE SALES GROWTH



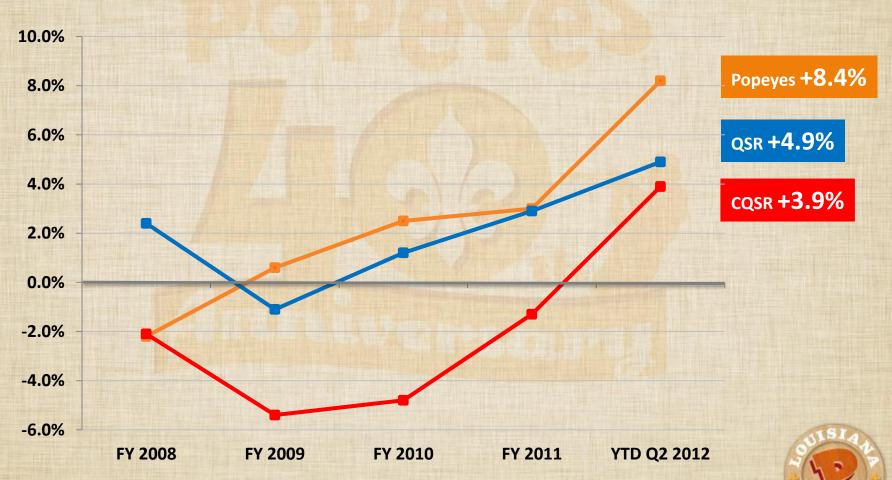


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Outperforming category



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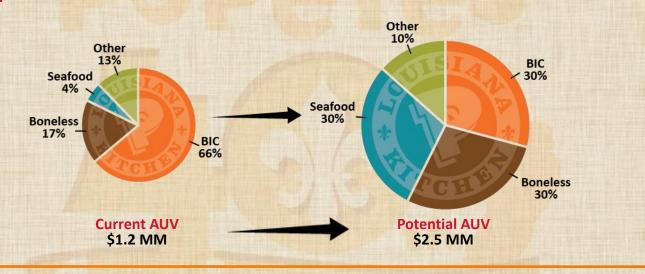
GROWING MARKET SHAREPopeyes Share of Domestic C-QSR



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AUV POTENTIAL



PIPELINE





















MEDIA

National Media Flights

2010	2011	2012
5	6	8





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GOAL:



Drive an industry-leading, top-tier guest service experience



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Product + Experience + Environment = Value







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Move what you measure

- Metric Moving Scorecard
- Guest Experience Monitor
- Speed of Service training program
- Restaurant data collection



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Metric Moving Scorecard

Guest

% delighted

Friendliness

Service with speed

Order accuracy

People

Certified managers

Servsafe managers

Operations

Assessment total

Food safety score

Quick Check Score

Sales

Net sales vs last year

Transactions vs last yr

Profit

P&L submitted quarterly

5 Key Areas:

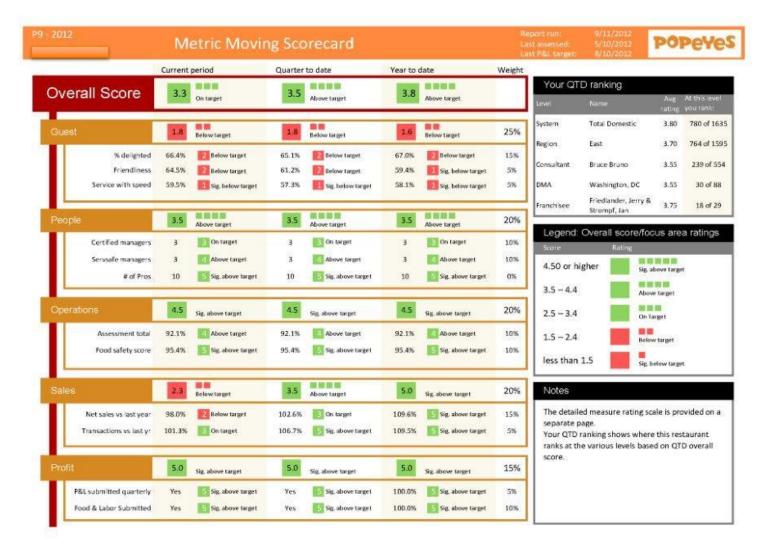
- Guest
- People
- Operations
- Sales
- Profit

Levels Ranked Monthly:

- Restaurant
- DMA
- Territory (Region)
- Franchisee
- Field Personnel



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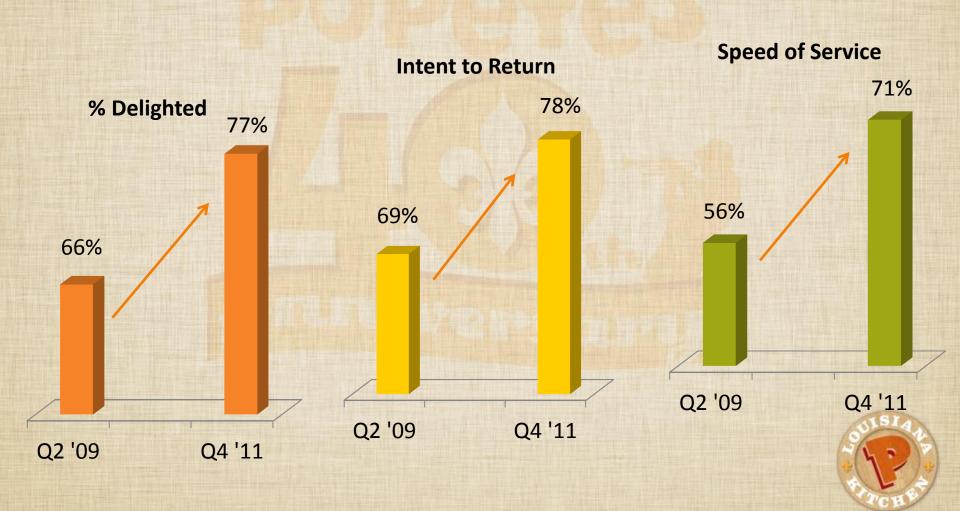


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Optimizing Guest Experience



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But You Ain't Seen Nothing Yet!

We've only just begun to capture the ops excellence potential.

2013 Restaurant Priority Maximize Thru-put to Maximize Sales & Profit

Leverage technology

- Service System
- Back of House

Simplify Operating Systems



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Louisiana Kitchen Plus Image Transformation





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Louisiana Kitchen Plus Image



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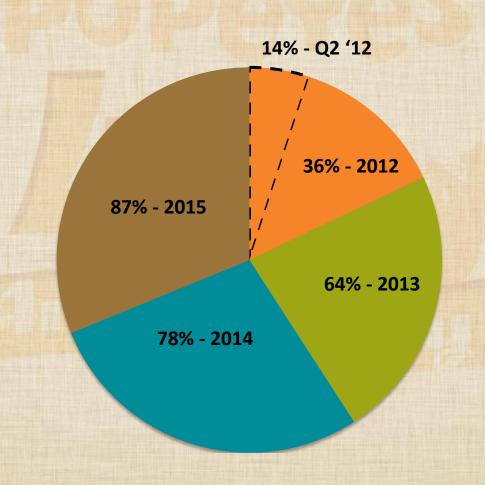
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But You Ain't Seen Nothing Yet!

Within 3 years almost all our restaurants will feature the new image





MEL HOPE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER





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GOAL:



Sustain 22% Restaurant Operating Profit Margins



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- Collect >1,200 P&L's quarterly
- Benchmarking at all levels
 - Franchisee
 - Market
 - Region
 - National





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Inside The Four Walls Strategy

Better decision making, data sharing and field analytics

Software as a Service

- Theoretical food cost
- Production planning
- Labor management

Benchmarking & Analytical

- Integrate all data points
- Field tracking & accountability
- Tracking & resolutions

Menu Mix

- Promotional analysis
- Strategic planning
- Training to drive profitable mix



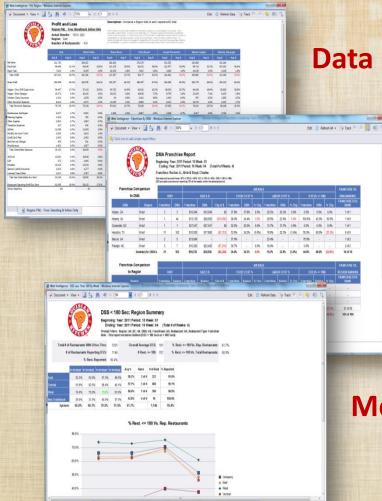
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Benchmarking and Analytics



Data collection, automation & analysis

Benchmarking and rack & stack

Measuring Results



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Outside The Four Walls Strategy

Driving costs **OUT OF** the restaurants by lowering costs coming **INTO** the restaurants

Supply Chain

- Supplier negotiations
- Commodity hedging
- Alternate / Secondary supply
- Logistics & distribution

Ancillary Services

- Service agreements
- National procurement programs
- Energy reduction

Product & Process Controls

- Product spec.
 enhancements
- Supplier process improvements



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Outside the Four Walls Projects

- Alternative suppliers
- Renegotiation of contracts
- Secondary sources
- Case pack changes:
 - Bread
 - Sauces
 - Poultry cases
 - Sugar
- Other packaging enhancements
- Optimizing logistics and distribution
- Volume discounts
- Shortening management
- Credit card processing
- National service contracts



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Restaurant Cost Savings 2010 - 2012

\$34,000,000 ~ 2% ROP





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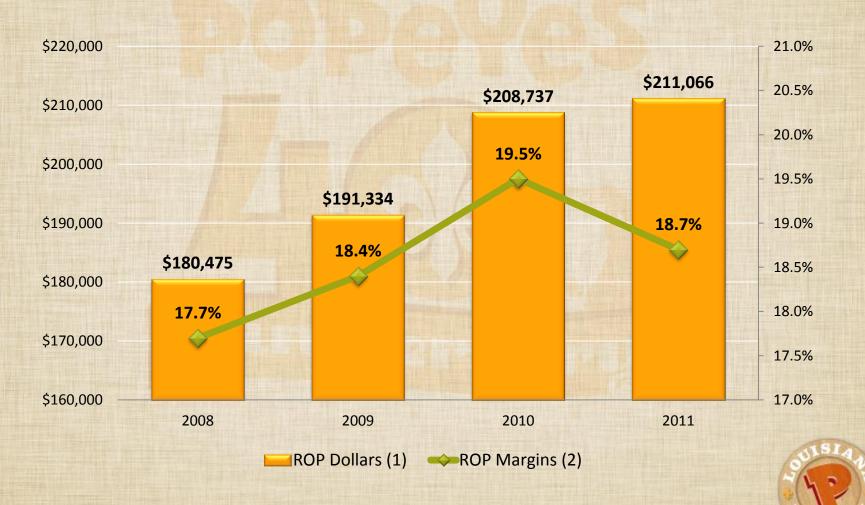
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Track record of increasing absolute profit dollars



- 1) Restaurant Operating Profit, before Rent, or "ROP" is in actual dollars for domestic free-standing restaurants as reported by franchisees
- 2) "ROP Margin" is calculated as ROP as a percentage of restaurant sales.

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2010 Unit Economics

CATEGORY	# of CONCEPTS	EBITDAR %
Casual	7	17.3%
Fast Casual	2	25.1%
Family	4	17.1%
Coffee/Bakery	3	17.2%
Sandwich	13	19.9%
Pizza	3	15.0%
KFC	1	17.0%
Church's Chicken	1	15.0%
Average	35	18.4%





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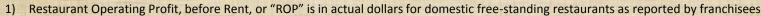
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Stronger ROP Margins and Higher Absolute ROP \$ for Q2 YTD





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You ain't seen nothin yet...

- Drive new reporting requirements DEEP
 - 400 Restaurants on Syrus at year end huge upside
- Better training on use and implications of new data
- Franchisee Motivation: Results Win Converts!

GOAL: <u>22% ROP Sustained</u> even in the face of rising Commodities, Labor and Health Insurance Costs



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GOAL:



Lead QSR category in growth of quality restaurants





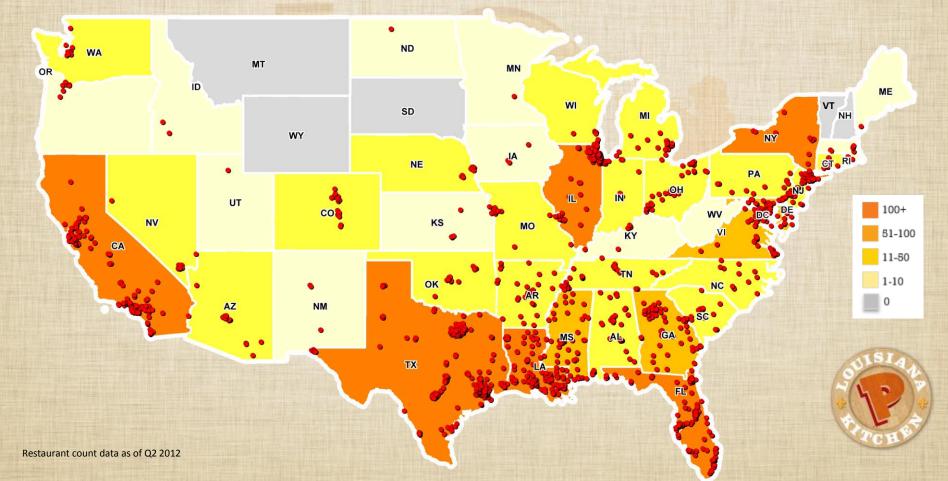
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Established Domestic Footprint with Opportunity to more than Double

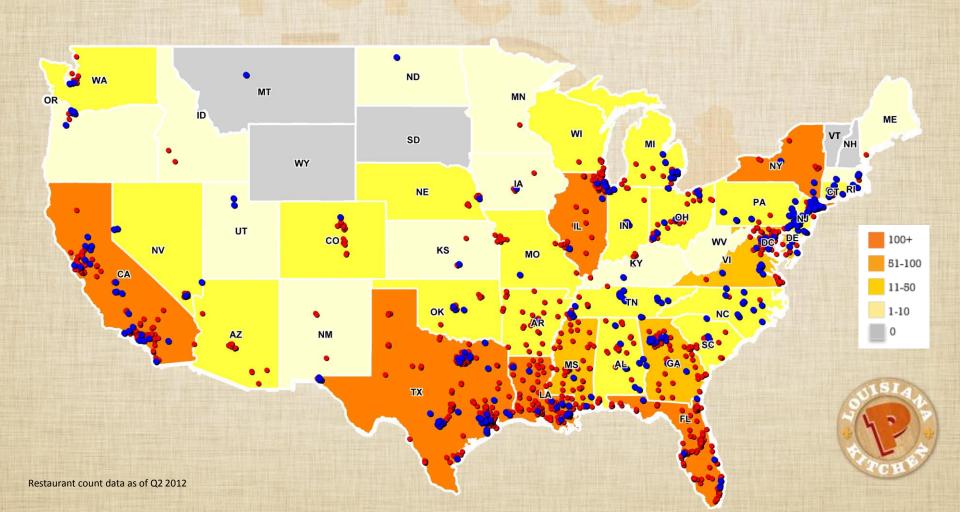
1,637 domestic locations in 45 states



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20% Opened since 2008

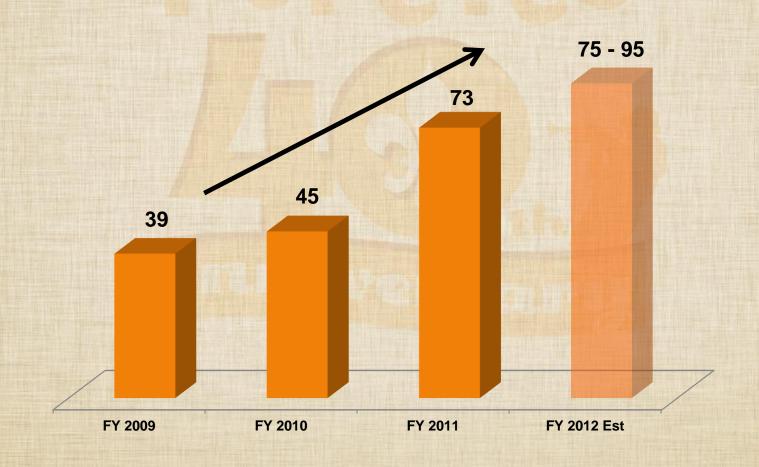


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Strong Growth in Domestic New Openings



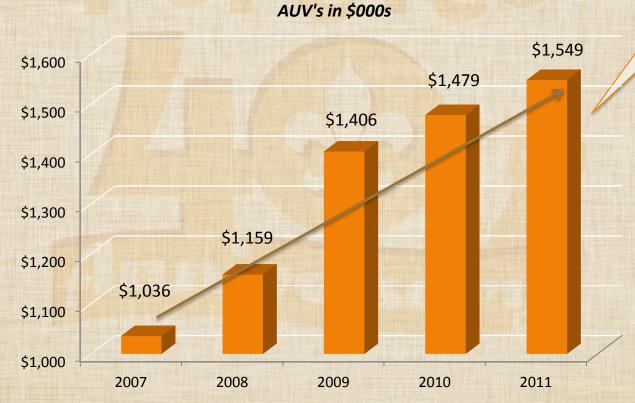


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New Unit Volumes Climbing





2011 domestic system average \$1,134 (3% CAGR)

- Includes only free-standing Popeyes restaurants built in the noted years, including restaurants that were converted from preexisting establishments as follows: 2007: 43; 2008: 39; 2009: 17; 2010: 17, 2011: 26 (restaurants open at least 52 weeks).
- 2 AUV's reflect first 52 weeks of sales. Restaurants typically experience elevated sales in the 12 week period following the grand opening. Please refer to the Popeyes 2012 FDD Item 19 for additional disclosure.



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3 Keys to Discipline & Rigor

- Site Modeling
- DMA Development Plans
- Dominant Real Estate





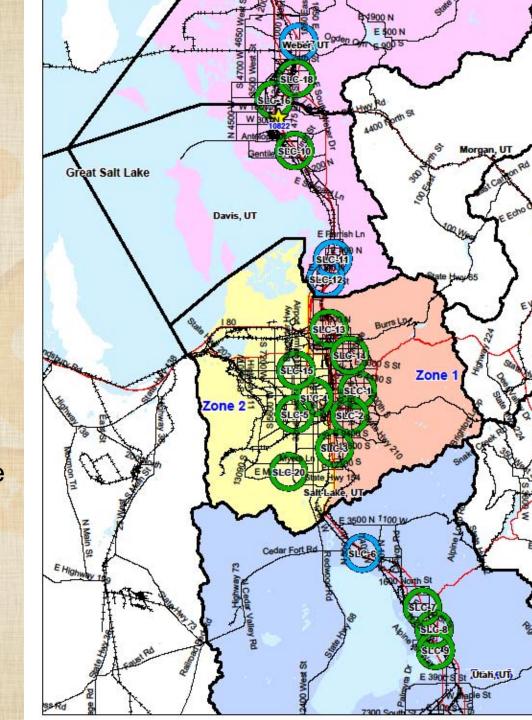
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Salt Lake City, UT DMA Development Zone Map

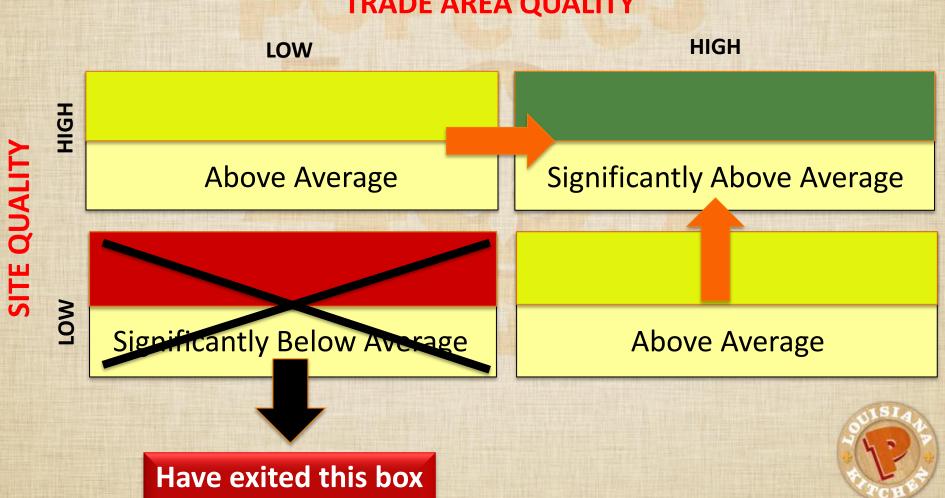
- Zone 1: East Salt Lake County
- Zone 2: West Salt Lake County
- Zone 3: Utah County
- Zone 4: Davis, Weber & Cache Counties



"No More Dogs"

Dominant Real Estate

TRADE AREA QUALITY



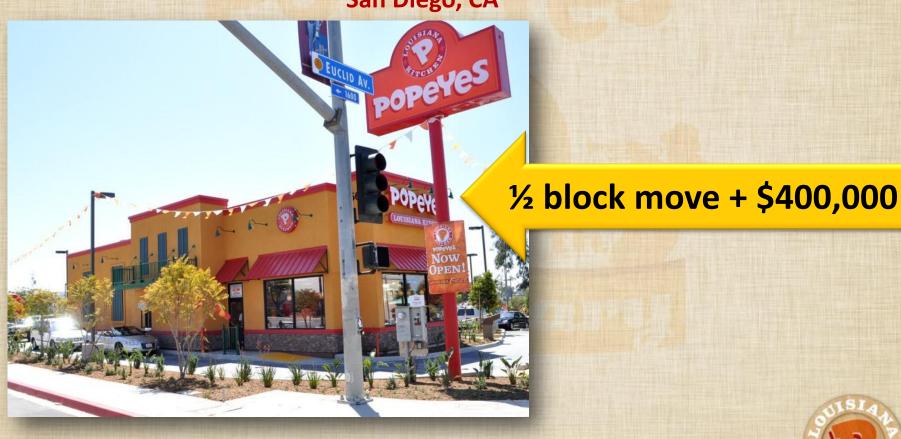
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San Diego, CA





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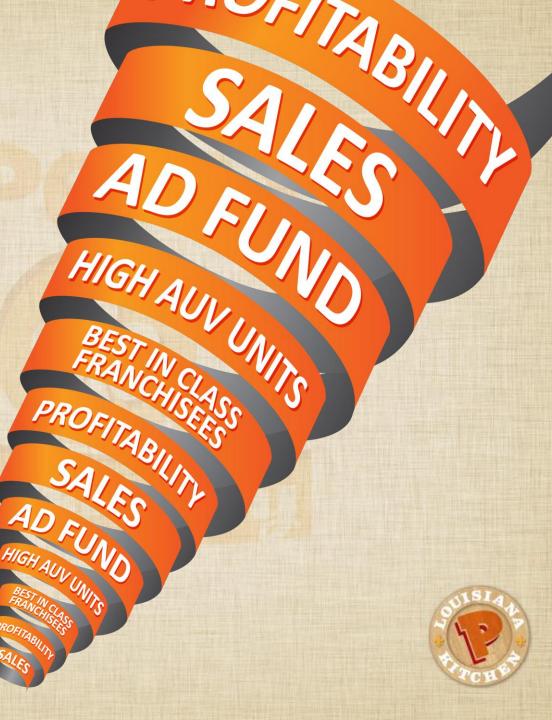




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CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER, INTERNATIONAL

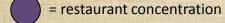




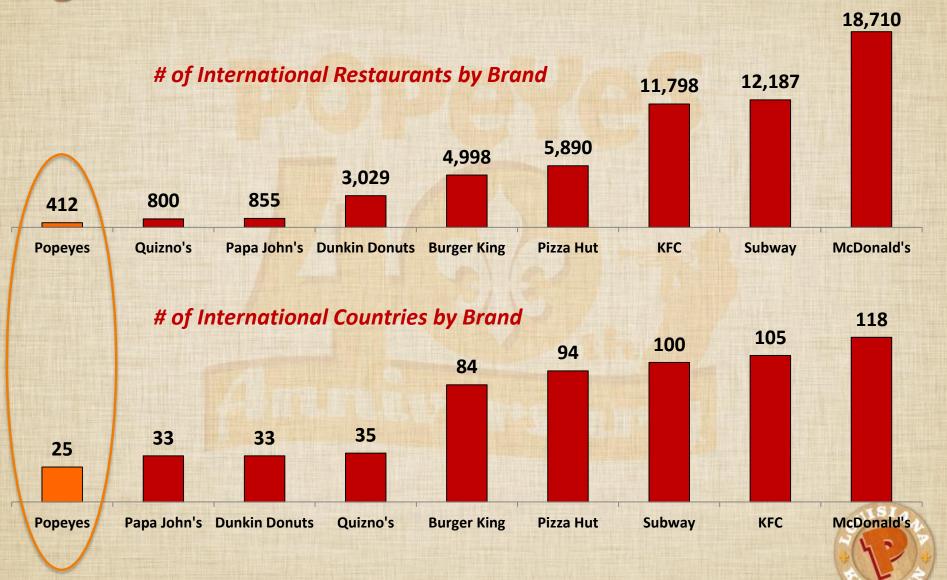
Popeyes International Today



- Restaurants 412
- "Military's Favorite Chicken"
- Outnumber KFC in Turkey, Honduras and Jordan
- Same store sales growth for 13 consecutive quarters



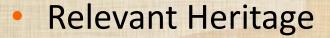
Significant Potential for International Growth



Source: 10K's and other public sources

Popeyes was Born to Travel

- Relevant Menu
 - Chicken and seafood
 - Rice and bean side dishes
 - Bold, spicy, flavorful profile



- Born of 7 nations
- Festival atmosphere
- Proven U.S. success









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Make Money Expand
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Engage The Team

Proven in the U.S. and now applied worldwide



The Model for Growth - Market Selection

Size & Quality

Cost of Doing Business

Ease of Doing Business

Overall Propensity for QSR

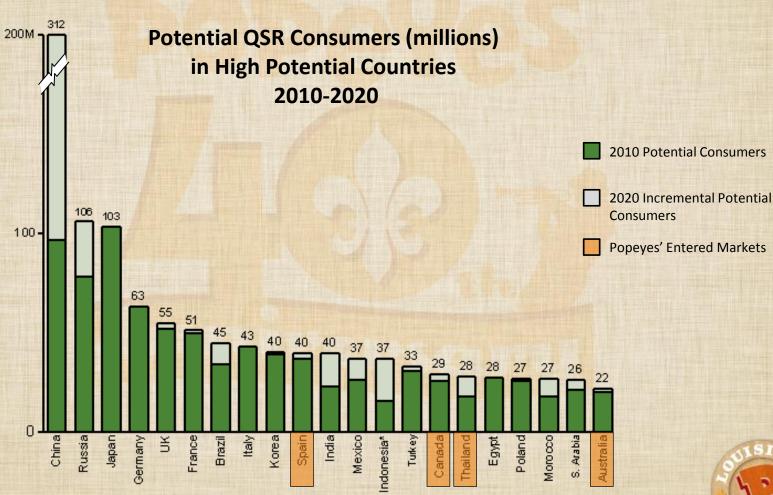
QSR Penetration

Other Qualitative Factors





The Model for Growth - Market Selection





The Model for Growth - Partner Selection

Cultural Fit

Access to Capital

Previous QSR / Retail Experience

People Capabilities





Real Estate Expertise

Supply Chain & Distribution

Marketing Support & Expertise



You ain't seen nothin yet...

- Opportunity is substantial
- Popeyes was born to travel
 - Ideal menu
 - Relevant heritage
- And we know how
 - US model operating principles and practices
 - High potential markets & partners sustainable growth
 - Disciplined expansion 2 to 3 markets per year



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GOAL:



Create a leadership culture that delivers sustainable results.



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Strong and Stable Leadership Team





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Our People



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Strengthening and Transforming our Culture

Make Popeyes Louisiana Kitchen the employer of choice by creating an employee experience so great our teams consistently deliver a uniquely Popeyes guest experience.





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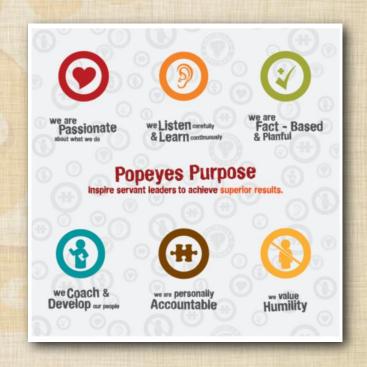
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Strengthening and Transforming our Culture

- Develop Servant Leaders
- Articulate and deliver an employee value proposition
- Define and deliver a branded guest experience





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Develop Servant Leaders

- It all comes back to the leader, the person who
 - Creates the environment
 - Inspires the team
 - Communicates expectations
 - Coaches performance
 - Supports development



The leader is the key to attracting, developing, and retaining great people.



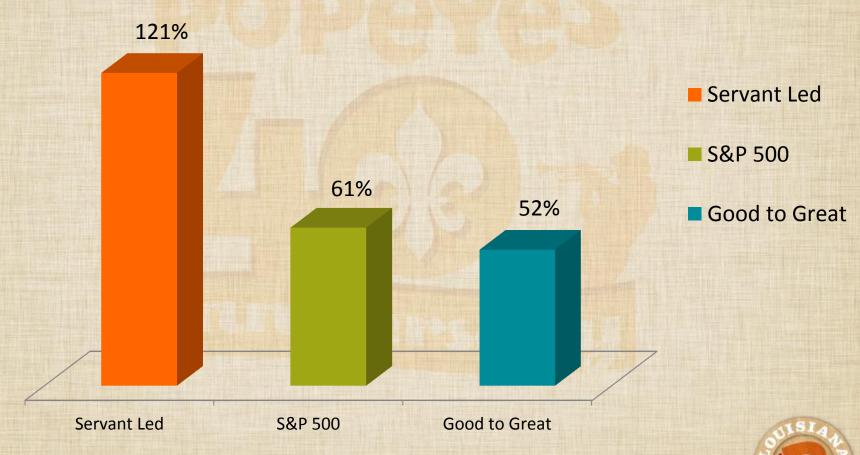
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Servant Leadership is Good for Business



Stock price appreciation 2002-2012

Source: Nasdaq FactSet data

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Articulating and delivering on our employee value proposition

An effective employee value proposition answers key questions:

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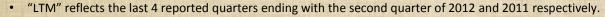
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Second Quarter Financial Highlights

(\$000's, except per share data and unit count)	YTD Q2 2012	YTD Q2 2011
Revenue	\$92.4	\$82.1
Operating Profit	\$25.6	\$22.1
Net Income	\$14.9	\$12.7
Adjusted Earnings per Diluted Share (2)	\$0.62	\$0.50
Global Same Store Sales	7.5%	2.5%
Operating EBITDA	\$28.6	\$24.1
Free Cash Flow	\$18.2	\$14.7



[•] Adjusted Earnings per Diluted Share, Operating EBITDA and Free Cash Flow are non-GAAP measures. Please refer to definition contained in Appendix.



Second Quarter Financial Highlights

YTD Q2 2012	YTD Q2 2011	LTM ⁽¹⁾ Q2 2012	LTM ⁽¹⁾ Q2 2011
\$92.4	\$82.1	\$164.1	\$150.4
\$25.6	\$22.1	\$44.2	\$40.9
\$14.9	\$12.7	\$26.4	\$23.0
\$0.62	\$0.50	\$1.11	\$0.92
7.5%	2.5%	5.8%	3.8%
\$28.6	\$24.1	\$49.9	\$45.0
\$18.2	\$14.7	\$32.0	\$26.5
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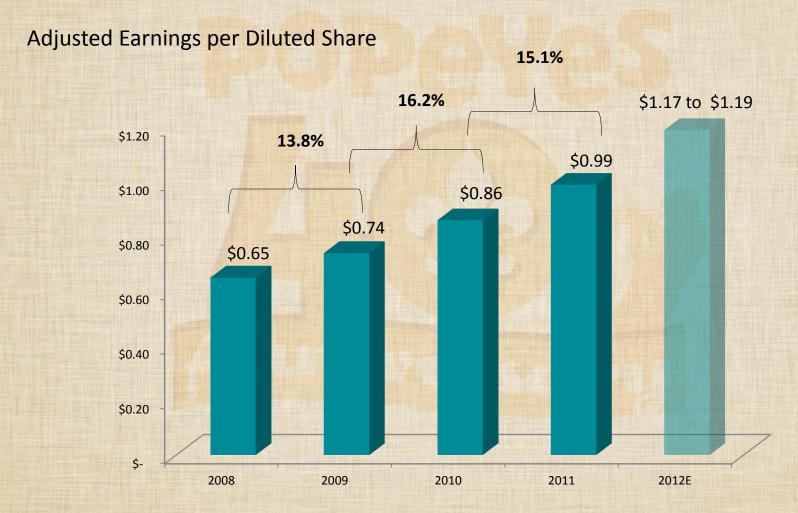
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Second Quarter Financial Highlights

(\$000's, except per share data and unit count)	YTD Q2 2012	YTD Q2 2011	LTM ⁽¹⁾ Q2 2012	LTM ⁽¹⁾ Q2 2011	LTM ⁽¹⁾ % Growth
Revenue	\$92.4	\$82.1	\$164.1	\$150.4	9.1%
Operating Profit	\$25.6	\$22.1	\$44.2	\$40.9	8.1%
Net Income	\$14.9	\$12.7	\$26.4	\$23.0	14.8%
Adjusted Earnings per Diluted Share (2)	\$0.62	\$0.50	\$1.11	\$0.92	20.7%
Global Same Store Sales	7.5%	2.5%	5.8%	3.8%	
Operating EBITDA	\$28.6	\$24.1	\$49.9	\$45.0	10.9%
Free Cash Flow	\$18.2	\$14.7	\$32.0	\$26.5	20.8%

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Consistent EPS Growth





Key Financial Metrics

- Reliable Free Cash Flow
- Industry leading Operating EBITDA margins



¹⁾ Dollars in Millions

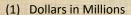


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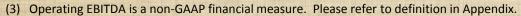
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Stronger YTD Q2 2012





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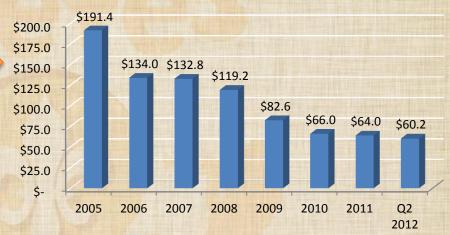
Cash deployed to maximize shareholder returns

At Q2 2012, our TLR was 1.16x and our weighted average interest rate was 3.9%

Share Repurchases



Total Debt



In addition to the special dividend in 2005 of approximately \$350 million, we have repurchased nearly \$120 million of outstanding shares



Company-operated Restaurant Development



- Expect to open between 4 to 6 additional companyoperated restaurants in 2012
- Strategic
 - Demonstrate unit economic impact of our dominant real estate strategy
 - Facilitates menu and marketing innovation
 - Development of employee engagement programs for system-wide application
- Financial:
 - Greater contribution per unit to brand level EBITDA than franchised restaurants
 - Cash engine to fuel future international growth



Strong Cash-on-Cash Returns

2010 Free-standing prototype restaurants

(\$000's)	
Average Sales Volume (1)	\$1,400 to \$1,500
Average Investment Costs (building & equipment)	\$800 to \$900
Average Restaurant EBITDA (1,2)	\$225 to \$240
Restaurant EBITDA Margins	Approximately 16%
Cash on Cash Return (3)	25% to 30%

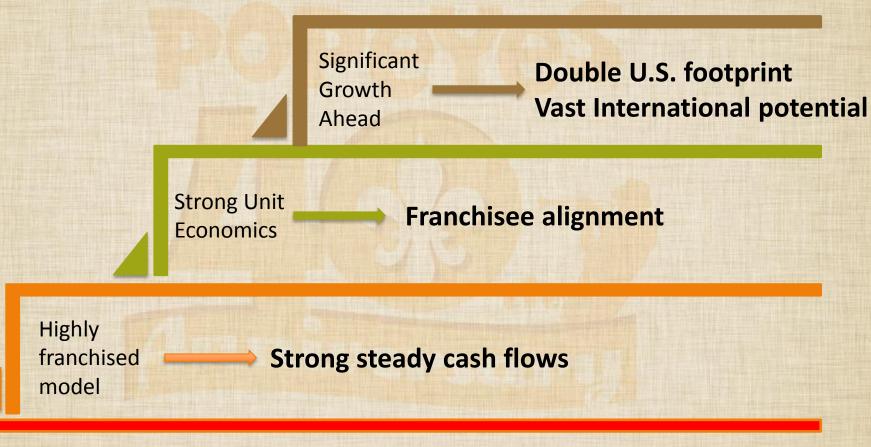


⁽¹⁾ Average FY 2011 sales volume and EBITDA margins for the 10 new free-standing restaurants opened in fiscal 2010 (excluding conversions)

⁽²⁾ Restaurant EBITDA equals restaurant operating profit after rental expense of approximately 7% of sales, and excluding G&A.

⁽³⁾ Cash on cash returns calculated as average restaurant EBITDA divided by average building and equipment investment costs

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Sound Strategic Plan

Foundation for growth



Full Year 2012 Guidance (as of Q2 2012)

Global SSS	Net Unit Opens	G&A	Adjusted Diluted EPS ¹
5.0%-6.0%	60-90 135-155 opens	Approximately \$67-68 million 3.0% of system-wide sales	\$1.17-\$1.19



Management's use of non-GAAP financial measures

Adjusted earnings per diluted share, Operating EBITDA, Company-operated restaurant operating profit and Free cash flow are supplemental non-GAAP financial measures. The Company uses Adjusted earnings per diluted share, Operating EBITDA, Companyoperated restaurant operating profit and Free cash flow in addition to net income, operating profit and cash flows from operating activities, to assess its performance and believes it is important for investors to be able to evaluate the Company using the same measures used by management. The Company believes these measures are important indicators of its operational strength and performance of its business because they provide a link between profitability and operating cash flow. Adjusted earnings per diluted share, Operating EBITDA, Company-operated restaurant operating profit and Free cash flow as calculated by the Company are not necessarily comparable to similarly titled measures reported by other companies. In addition, Adjusted earnings per diluted share, Operating EBITDA, Company- operated restaurant operating profit and Free cash flow: (a) do not represent net income, cash flows from operations or earnings per share as defined by GAAP; (b) are not necessarily indicative of cash available to fund cash flow needs; and (c) should not be considered as an alternative to net income, earnings per share, operating profit, cash flows from operating activities or other financial information determined under GAAP.



Adjusted earnings per diluted share

Adjusted earnings per diluted share: Calculation and Definition

The Company defines "Adjusted earnings" for the periods presented as the Company's reported "Net income" after adjusting for certain non-operating items consisting of the following:

- (i) other expense (income), net, as follow:
 - for second quarter 2012 includes \$0.1 million for impairments and disposals of fixed assets,
 - for second quarter 2011 includes \$0.1 million for impairments and disposals of fixed assets, \$0.2 million of other expenses related to the Company's relocation to a new Global Service Center offset by \$0.1 million for net gain on sales of assets,
 - for second guarter year-to-date 2012 includes \$0.2 million for impairments and disposals of fixed assets offset by \$0.1 million net gain on the sale of assets,
 - for second quarter year-to-date 2011 includes \$0.2 million for impairments and disposals of fixed assets, \$0.2 million of other expenses related to the Company's relocation to a new Global Service Center offset by \$0.7 million for net gain on sales of assets,
 - for the second quarter last twelve months 2012 includes \$0.5 million for impairments and disposals of fixed assets, \$0.6 million in other expenses related to the Company's relocation to a new Global Service Center offset by \$0.2 million for the net gain on sales of assets,
 - for the second quarter last twelve months 2011 includes \$0.7 million for impairments and disposals of fixed assets, \$0.2 million in other expenses related to the Company's relocation to a new Global Service Center offset by \$0.9 million for the net gain on sales of assets,
 - for fiscal 2011 includes \$0.8 million in expenses for the Global Service Center relocation, and \$0.5 million in impairments offset by a \$0.8 million net gain on sales of assets,
 - for fiscal 2010 includes \$0.7 million for impairments and disposals of fixed assets partially offset by \$0.5 million for net gain on sales of assets,
 - for fiscal 2009 includes \$3.3 million net gain on the sale of assets partially offset by \$0.6 million related to impairments and disposals of fixed assets, and \$0.6 million of other expense,
 - for fiscal 2008 includes \$12.9 million from recoveries from directors and officers insurance claims, \$0.9 million in gain on sales of assets and \$0.5 million in insurance recoveries related to property damages, partially offset by \$9.5 million of impairments of fixed assets and goodwill impairment and \$0.2 million of other expenses;
- (ii) for second quarter 2012 year-to-date and second quarter last twelve months approximately \$0.5 million in legal fees related to licensing arrangements;
- (iii) accelerated depreciation related to the Company's relocation to a new Global Service Center;
- (iv) interest charges associated with the refinancing of the Company's credit facility;
- (v) the tax effect of these adjustments at the effective statutory rates;
- (vi) and for fiscal 2010, the tax audit benefit.

"Adjusted earnings per diluted share" provides the per share effect of Adjusted earnings on a diluted basis. The following table reconciles on a historical basis for second quarter 2012, second quarter 2011, second quarter year-to-date 2012, second quarter year-to-date 2011, second quarter 2012 last twelve months, second quarter 2011 last twelve months, fiscal year 2011, fiscal year 2010, fiscal year 2009, and fiscal 2008, the Company's Adjusted earnings per diluted share on a consolidated basis to the line on its Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income entitled "Net income", which the Company believes is the most directly comparable GAAP measure on its Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income to "Adjusted earnings per diluted share."

(in millions, except per share data)	Q2 2012	Q2 2011	YTD Q2 2012	YTD Q2 2011	LTM Q2 2012	LTM Q2 2011	Fiscal 2011	Fiscal 2010	Fiscal 2009	Fiscal 2008
Net Income	\$6.6	\$5.5	\$14.9	\$12.7	\$26.4	\$23.0	\$24.2	\$22.9	\$18.8	\$19.4
Other expense (income), net	0.1	0.2	0.1	(0.3)	0.9	-	0.5	0.2	(2.1)	(4.6)
Legal fees related to licensing arrangements	-	-	0.5	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-
Accelerated depreciation related to the Company's										
relocation to a new Global Service Center	-	0.1	-	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.5	-	-	-
Interest charges associated with refinancing credit facility	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	0.6	1.9	- 5
Tax effect	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.3)	(0.1)	(0.7)	(0.3)	(0.5)	(0.3)	0.1	2.0
Tax audit benefit	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1.4)	-	- 1
Adjusted earnings	\$6.6	\$5.7	\$15.2	\$12.6	\$27.3	\$23.4	\$24.7	\$22.0	\$18.7	\$16.8
Adjusted earnings per diluted share	\$0.27	\$0.23	\$0.62	\$0.50	\$1.11	\$0.92	\$0.99	\$0.86	\$0.74	\$0.65
Weighted average diluted shares outstanding	24.4	24.8	24.5	25.4	24.6	25.4	25.0	25.5	25.4	25.7

Operating EBITDA

The Company defines Operating EBITDA as "earnings before interest expense, taxes, depreciation and amortization, and other expenses (income), net and legal fees related to licensing arrangements". The following table reconciles on a historical basis for the second quarter 2012, second quarter 2011, second quarter year-to-date 2012, second quarter year-to-date 2011, second quarter last twelve months 2012, second quarter last twelve months 2011, fiscal years 2011, 2010, 2009, ad 2008, the Company's earnings before interest expense, taxes, depreciation and amortization, and other expenses (income), net ("Operating EBITDA") on a consolidated basis to the line on its Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income entitled net income, which the Company believes is the most directly comparable GAAP measure on its Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income to Operating EBITDA. "Operating EBITDA as a percentage of Total Revenues" is defined as "Operating EBITDA" divided by "Total Revenues".

(dollars in millions)	YTD Q2 2012	YTD Q2 2011	LTM Q2 2012	LTM Q2 2011	Fiscal 2011	Fiscal 2010	Fiscal 2009	Fiscal 2008
Net income	\$14.9	\$12.7	\$26.4	\$23.0	\$24.2	\$22.9	\$18.8	\$19.4
Interest expense, net	2.0	2.0	3.7	5.5	3.7	8.0	8.4	8.1
Income tax expense	8.7	7.4	14.1	12.4	12.8	10.3	11.5	12.8
Depreciation and amortization	2.4	2.3	4.3	4.1	4.2	3.9	4.4	6.3
Other expenses (income), net	0.1	(0.3)	0.9	-	0.5	0.2	(2.1)	(4.6)
Legal fees related to licensing arrangements	0.5	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-
Operating EBITDA	\$28.6	\$24.1	\$49.9	\$45.0	\$45.4	\$45.3	\$41.0	\$42.0
Total Revenues	\$92.4	\$82.1	\$164.1	\$150.4	\$153.8	\$146.4	\$148.0	\$166.8
Operating EBITDA as a percentage of Total Revenues	31.0%	29.4%	30.4%	29.9%	29.5%	30.9%	27.7%	25.2%



Free Cash Flow

The Company defines Free Cash Flow as "net income" plus "depreciation and amortization", plus "stock-based compensation expense", minus "maintenance capital expenditures" which includes for:

- second quarter year-to-date 2012 \$0.6 million in Company restaurant re-images, \$0.4 million of information technology projects, and \$0.6 million in other capital assets to maintain, replace and extend the lives of Company-operated restaurant facilities and equipment
- second quarter year-to-date 2011 \$0.9 million in Company restaurant re-images, \$0.4 million of information technology projects, and \$0.4 million in other capital assets to maintain, replace and extend the lives of Company-operated restaurant facilities and equipment,
- second quarter last twelve months 2012 \$1.2 million in Company restaurant re-images, \$0.8 million of information technology projects, and \$0.7 million in other capital assets to maintain, replace and extend the lives of Company-operated restaurant facilities and equipment
- second quarter last twelve months 2011 \$1.6 million for reopening a Company-operated restaurant in New Orleans, Company restaurant re-images, \$1.4 million of information technology projects, and \$0.5 million in other capital assets to maintain, replace and extend the lives of Company-operated restaurant facilities and equipment
- fiscal 2011, \$1.5 million in company restaurant reimages, \$0.8 million of information technology hardware and software and \$0.5 million in other capital assets to maintain, replace and extend the lives of company-operated restaurant facilities and equipment. (In fiscal 2011, maintenance capital expenditures exclude \$3.3 million related to the construction of the new corporate office, and \$1.5 million for the construction of new company-operated restaurants.),
- fiscal 2010, \$1.4 million for information technology hardware and software, \$1.2 million for reopening a company restaurant in New Orleans and restaurant reimaging and corporate office construction and \$0.6 million in other capital assets to maintain, replace and extend the lives of company-operated facilities and equipment);
- fiscal 2009, \$0.3 million for information technology hardware and software, and \$1.1 million in other capital assets to maintain, replace and extend the lives of company-operated QSR equipment and facilities; and
- fiscal 2008 \$0.4 million for information technology hardware and software, and \$1.6 million in other capital assets to maintain, replace and extend the lives of company-operated QSR equipment and facilities).

The following table reconciles on a historical basis for fiscal years 2011, 2010, 2009 and 2008, the Company's free cash flow on a consolidated basis to the line on its Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income entitled net income, which the Company believes is the most directly comparable GAAP measure on its Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income to free cash flow:

(dollars in millions)	YTD Q2 2012	YTD Q2 2011	LTM Q2 2012	LTM Q2 2011	Fiscal 2011	Fiscal 2010	Fiscal 2009	Fiscal 2008
Net income	\$14.9	\$12.7	\$26.4	\$23.0	\$24.2	\$22.9	\$18.8	\$19.4
Depreciation and amortization	2.4	2.3	4.3	4.1	4.2	3.9	4.4	6.3
Stock-based compensation expense	2.5	1.4	4.0	2.9	2.9	2.7	1.9	2.5
Maintenance capital expenditures	(1.6)	(1.7)	(2.7)	(3.5)	(2.8)	(3.2)	(1.4)	(2.0)
Free cash flow	\$18.2	\$14.7	\$32.0	\$26.5	\$28.5	\$26.3	\$23.7	\$26.2

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