

D Group INTERIM RESULTS SEP 2023



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FINANCIAL RESULTS & STRATEGY UPDATE

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Financial Results

DELIVERING ON OUR STRATEGY

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Constant Currency

12%

8%

Organic Sales Growth in All Regions

		July 2023	July 2022	Change	Change	Organic Sales Growth	LFL Sales Growth
12% organic sales growth		£m	£m	%	%	%	%
Driven by LFL growth of 8%;	UK & ROI	1,648.3	1,811.0	(9%)	(9%)	5%	4%
growth across all regions Total sales growth reflects UK	Europe	1,379.3	1,116.6	24%	19%	19%	12%
non-core divestments	North America	1,514.2	1,292.6	17%	14%	14%	8%
	Asia Pacific	242.1	197.9	22%	25%	24%	15%

4,783.9

4,418.1

8%

7%



Performance in Line With Our Expectations

Revenue growth of 8%

Gross margins robust at 48% and above pre-pandemic levels

Investment in our cost base for future growth

PBT in line with guidance of c.35% of full year

Raised interim dividend to pre-pandemic dividend cover level

⁽¹⁾ This period reflects the reclassification of delivery income from operating costs to revenue, in line with the FY23 year-end. Zero cash and profit impact and -30bps on operating costs as a % of sales.

Summary	July 2023 ⁽¹⁾	July 2022	Change
	£m	£m	%
Revenue	4,783.9	4,418.1	8%
Gross Profit %	48.0%	48.5%	
Operating Costs	(1,898.6)	(1,722.5)	10%
EBIT	398.4	418.1	(5%)
Interest	(24.9)	(34.6)	
Profit Before Tax & Adjusted Items	373.5	383.5	(3%)
Adjusted Items	1.7	(85.2)	
Profit Before Tax	375.2	298.3	26%
Dividend per share	0.30p	0.13p	



Premium Sports Fashion Driving Revenue Growth

		Premium Sports Fashion	Other Fascias	Other Businesses	Sports Fashion	Outdoor	Total Group
Premium Sports Fashion	Revenue to Jul 2022 (£m)	3,062.6	934.8	146.0	4,143.4	274.7	4,418.1
 Organic sales growth of 15% Opened and converted 83 JD 	Revenue to Jul 2023 (£m)	3,594.2	783.8	783.8 133.9		272.0	4,783.9
stores	Change %	17%	(16%)	(8%)	9%	(1%)	8%
Other Fascias	Constant Currency Change %	16%	(18%)	(8%)	7%	(1%)	7%
 Non-core divestments reduce revenue 	Organic Sales Growth %	15%	6%	(4%)	13%	0%	12%
	LFL Sales Growth %	9%	8%	-	9%	(1%)	8%
Other Businesses							
- Operating profit up 30%	EBIT to Jul 2022 (£m)	353.1	44.7	14.9	412.7	5.4	418.1
Outdoor	EBIT to Jul 2023 (£m)	335.5	43.7	19.4	398.6	(0.2)	398.4
 Store LFL growth offset by online A break-even period 							
	Stores Movement in Year	53	(92)	-	(39)	(4)	(43)
	No. of Stores at End of Period	1,975	1,125	-	3,100	247	3,347

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Premium Revenue Growth in All Regions

UK/ROI

- 8% organic sales growth
- Central future growth investment costs charged here

Europe

- 27% organic sales growth
- Profit impacted by store and DC costs

North America

 Strong period – good revenue and profit growth

Asia Pacific

- South Korea withdrawal reduces store count
- Still delivered revenue and profit growth

	Premium Sports Fashion								
	UK & ROI	Europe	North America	Asia Pacific	Total				
Revenue to Jul 2022 (£m)	1,114.5	585.1	1,174.4	188.6	3,062.6				
Revenue to Jul 2023 (£m)	1,202.5	773.8	1,387.0	230.9	3,594.2				
Change %	8%	32%	18%	22%	17%				
Constant Currency Change %	8%	28%	15%	26%	16%				
Organic Sales Growth &	8%	27%	15%	26%	15%				
LFL Sales Growth %	5%	15%	9%	15%	9%				
EBIT to Jul 2022 (£m)	161.4	38.9	121.5	31.3	353.1				
EBIT to Jul 2023 (£m)	141.9	25.0	136.2	32.4	335.6				
Stores Movement in Period (1)	4	39	14	(4)	53				
No. of Stores at End of Period	448	474	969	84	1,975				

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⁽¹⁾ North America movement net of 3 Finish Line closures. Movement excludes 16 stores converted to JD



Further Growth in Net Cash

Net balance sheet cash +£263m Strong operating cash generation of £193m

Inventory supporting revenue growth

Capex of £209m: on track for target full year investment

	Jul 2023	Jul 2022
	£m	£m
EBIT (Pre Adjusted Items)	398.4	418.1
Depreciation & Amortisation	318.2	309.3
Repayment of Lease Liabilities (Net of Drawdowns)	(187.9)	(189.7)
Lease Interest	(36.8)	(32.1)
Share of Associates & Joint Ventures	(3.1)	(0.8)
Increase in Inventories	(213.1)	(401.0)
Other Working Capital Movements	(82.5)	(37.1)
Net Cash Inflow From Operating Activities	193.2	66.7
Net Taxation	(109.4)	(71.6)
Net Funding Interest	11.9	(2.5)
Capital Expenditure	(209.1)	(156.6)
Deferred Consideration Paid	(3.6)	-
Net Outflow from Acquisition and Disposals	(61.3)	(11.6)
Acquisition and Divestment of Non-Controlling Interests	(12.4)	-
Net Dividends (Paid) / Received	(2.1)	2.8
Utilisation	(192.8)	(172.8)
Net Cash	1,276.5	1,013.1



H1 to July

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Further Capex Investment in International Retail

		£m	£m	£m
Stores	Sports Fashion - UK & ROI	23.4	20.8	31.3
	Sports Fashion - Europe	53.7	25.6	14.1
	Sports Fashion - North America	34.2	24.8	13.3
	Sports Fashion - Asia Pacific	2.9	2.7	2.7
	Outdoor	5.2	13.5	0.8
		119.4	87.4	62.2
Lease Premia, Key Mone	Lease Premia, Key Money & Deposits		5.7	1.5
Warehouse Projects	UK	16.1	35.7	3.8
	Europe	35.7	4.5	1.5
	North America	21.3	5.0	0.3
	Other	0.2		
Systems & Other		12.3	18.3	14.2
Total		209.1	156.6	83.5

H1 to July

2023

H1 to July

2022



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JD Brand First

JD Complementary Concepts

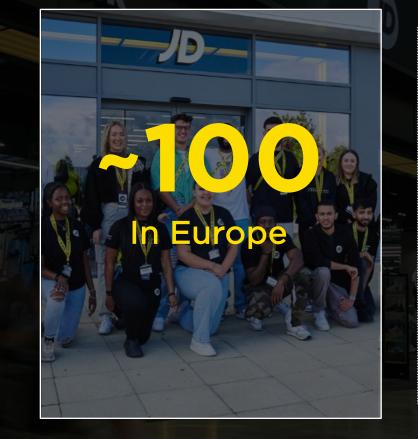
JD Beyond Physical Retail

JD People, Partners & Communities



ON TRACK TO OPEN 200+ NEW DOORS BY JAN 2024







JD Brand First





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MINORITY BUY-OUTS TO ACCELERATE JD DEVELOPMENT AND SIMPLIFY GROUP STRUCTURE

Buyout of remaining minority shareholders of ISRG; will further grow JD position in Iberia/Netherlands Sizeer

Acquisition of remaining 40% minority shareholding in MIG; will further grow position in 15 CEE markets Acquisition of minority interests in Malaysia, Thailand and Singapore



JD Brand First



FRANCHISE MODEL GAINING TRACTION IN REST OF THE WORLD



by 2028

Advanced discussions in Africa & South East Asia

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CONTINUING TO STRENGTHEN OUR COMPLEMENTARY BRANDS PORTFOLIO

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Ongoing progress of Courir acquisition **Complementary brands continuing to deliver**

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HAIRBURST

Ongoing divestment of non-core

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LAUNCH OF JD LOYALTY PROGRAMME



Initial trial in Manchester



Strong support from our people Good engagement from our brands



Positive reaction from customers



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CONTINUED INVESTMENT IN OMNICHANNEL AND TECHNOLOGY



Cyber improvement programme



Replatforming of e-commerce Relaunch of Click & Collect



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SUPPLY CHAIN EXPANSION TO SUPPORT GROWTH



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£45M increase in pay for sales associates



New CFO and CTO appointed – global leadership completed



New HR platform in flight



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Key global partner Largest global partner for lead style

Fast-growing partnerships

new balance

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JD Best for Partners

WOMENS







JD Best for Communities

COMMITMENT TO OUR COMMUNITY



Investing in our community



Changing lives through the JD Foundation



Improving our sustainability



Summary

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Healthy Balance Sheet

Net Assets
Total non-current liabilities
Deferred tax
Other payables
Interest-bearing loans and borrowings
Total current liabilities
Other currency liabilities
Trade and other payables
Interest-bearing loans and borrowings
Total current assets
Trade and other receivables
Cash
Inventories
Total non-current assets
Other non-current assets
Right-of-use assets
Tangible assets
Intangible assets

Jul 2023

£m

1,344.7 963.8 2,071.1 136.5

4,516.1

1,625.1 1,391.1 385.0 **3,401.2**

(82.2)

(1,439.4)

(976.8)

(32.4)

(2,498.4)

(2,772.8)

(2,915.0)

2,503.9

(109.8)

The second s	Jan 2023	Jul 2022	
	£m	£m	
	1,459.4	1,614.8	
	875.6	776.0	
	2,137.0	2,075.1	
	117.0	182.3	
	4,589.0	4,648.2	
	1,466.4	1,428.5	
	1,582.5	1,137.9	
	386.8	497.7	
	3,435.7	3,064.1	
	(75.2)	(83.0)	
	(1,471.2)	(1,406.9)	
	(616.6)	(552.3)	
	(2,163.0)	(2,042.2)	
	(38.0)	(41.8)	
	(3,100.1)	(2,842.5)	
	(90.2)	(124.6)	
	(3,228.3)	(3,008.9)	
	2,633.4	2,661.2	



5 Year History

		Jul 2023	Jul 2022	Jul 2021	Jul 2020	Jul 201
		£m	£m	£m	£m	£m
Revenue	UK & ROI	1,648.3	1,811.0	1,596.7	1,069.6	1,226.3
	Europe	1,379.3	1,116.6	789.0	530.0	636.3
	North America	1,514.2	1,292.6	1,357.7	829.3	725.2
	Asia Pacific	242.1	197.9	142.4	116.O	133.4
		4,783.9	4,418.1	3,885.8	2,544.9	2,721.2
GP%		48.0%	48.5%	48.5%	45.6%	46.9%
EBIT		398.4	418.1	471.7	95.4	199.8
Profit Before Adjusted Iter		373.5	383.5	439.5	61.9	158.6



Other Fascias

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	UK & ROI Europe		North America	Asia Pacific	Total	
Revenue to Jul 2022 (£m)	290.6	525.3	118.2	0.7	934.8	
Revenue to Jul 2023 (£m)	58.1	597.1	127.2	1.4	783.8	
Change %	(80%)	1 4%	8%	100%	(16%)	
Constant Currency Change %	(80%)	10%	5%	88%	(18%)	
Organic Sales Growth %	2%	9%	5%	100%	6%	
LFL Sales Growth %	7%	9%	5%	-	8%	
EBIT to Jul 2022 (£m)	0.1	25.2	19.3	0.1	44.7	
EBIT to Jul 2023 (£m)	6.2	22.1	15.3	0.1	43.6	
Stores Movement in Period	(67)	(14)	(11)	-	(92)	
No. of Stores at End of Period	3	836	278	8	1,125	



Store Count

		Premium S	Sports Fashio	'n		Other Fascias						
	UK & ROI	Europe	North America ⁽¹⁾	Asia Pacific	UK & ROI	Europe	North America ⁽¹⁾	Asia Pacific	Sports Fashion	Outdoor		
No. of Stores at Start of Period	444	435	955	88	70	850	289	8	3,139	251		
Dpened	8	41	24	4	-	24	-	· -	101	1		
Converted	1	1	-	-	(1)	(1)	-	-	-	-		
Closed	(5)	(3)	(10)	(8)		(37)	(11)	.=	(74)	(5)		
isposals	-	-	-	÷	(66)	-	÷	2 	(66)	-		
lovement	4	39	14	(4)	(67)	(14)	(11)	-	(39)	(4)		
No. of Stores at End of Period	448	474	969	84	3	836	278	8	3,100	247		

⁽¹⁾ Movement excludes 16 stores converted from Finish Line to JD in the period



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		Jan 2023	Cashflow	FX Translation	Held For Sale	Divestments ⁽¹⁾	Jul 2023
		£m	£m	£m	£m	£m	£m
Premium Sports	UK & ROI	256.8	66.0	(0.3)	-		322.5
Fashion	Europe	130.0	25.2	(2.3)	-	-	152.9
	North America	404.1	64.4	(15.0)	-	-	455.5
	Asia Pacific	52.5	0.5	(5.4)	-	-	47.6
Other Fascias	UK & ROI	28.4	(0.2)	-	(18.1)	(4.1)	6.0
	Europe	288.1	53.6	(0.7)	-	-	341.0
	North America	82.7	(2.2)	(2.6)	-	-	77.9
	Asia Pacific	0.6	(0.1)	(0.1)		-	0.4
Other Businesses		38.1	(7.2)	-	(2.9)	(2.9)	25.1
Sports Fashion		1,281.3	202.0	(26.4)	(21.0)	(7.0)	1,428.9
Outdoor		185.1	11.1	-	-	-	196.2
TOTAL INVENTOR	RIES	1,466.4	213.1	(26.4)	(21.0)	(7.0)	1,625.1
Held For Sale		52.7	-	-	21.0	(52.7)	21.0
Total Divested at	July 2023	-	-	-	-	(59.7)	-

⁽¹⁾ Divestments is made up of the value of stock divested in the period of £59.7m less the amounts classified as held-for-sale as at 28 January 2023 of £52.7m

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Adjusted Items

	July 2023	July 2022
	£m	£m
Movement in Present Value of Put & Call Options (1)	(25.0)	40.2
Net Losses on Divestments ⁽²⁾	15.4	8.5
Impairments of Intangibles and Investments (3)	7.9	36.5
Administrative Expenses – Adjusted Items	(1.7)	85.2

⁽¹⁾ Genesis Topco Inc credit of £35.8 million (2022: charge of £28.7 million), Iberian Sports Retail Group charge of £nil (2022: charge of £16.8 million), Marketing Investment Group S.A charge of £14.3 million (2022: £nil) and a credit of £3.5 million (2022: credit of £5.3 million) in relation to the other put and call options held by non-controlling interests.

⁽²⁾ Primarily relates to the loss on disposal of 80s Casual Classics and the losses in respect of the disposal of the non-core fashion businesses to Frasers Group PLC.

⁽³⁾ The current period relates to the impairment of goodwill arising in a prior period on the acquisition of GymNation. The impairment in the prior period primarily relates to the impairment of goodwill and fascia name arising in a prior period on the acquisition of Missy Empire (£10.2 million) and Hairburst (£12.7 million). Also included in the prior period is an impairment charge for the investment in the Group's joint venture, Gym King (£13.6 million).