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Second Quarter 2018
Financial Results

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Gerry Smith
Chief Executive Officer

Second Quarter 2018 Summary

- Sales of \$2.6 billion, up 11% versus 2Q17
- Improving sales trends in all three divisions:
 - ✓ Business Solutions Division (BSD) up 4%
 - ✓ CompuCom Division up 3%⁽¹⁾
 - ✓ Retail Division Comparable Store Sales down 2%
- Service revenue doubles year-over-year to 16% of total sales
- Operating income of \$48 million; diluted EPS from continuing operations of \$0.03
 - ✓ Adjusted operating income (AOI)⁽²⁾ of \$63 million in-line with prior year
 - ✓ Adjusted EBITDA⁽²⁾ of \$115 million up \$11 million versus prior year
 - ✓ Adjusted diluted EPS⁽²⁾ from continuing operations of \$0.05
- Generated \$177 million of free cash flow⁽³⁾ year-to-date in 2018

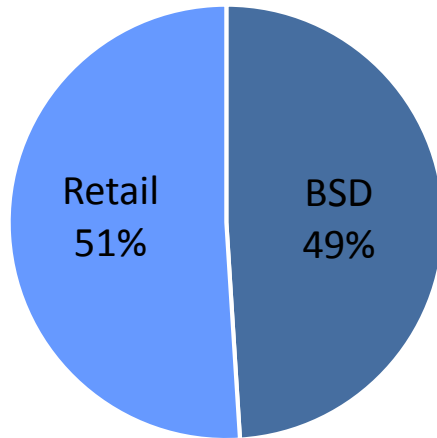
(1) Based on unaudited adjusted historical results for the second quarter of 2017. Because CompuCom was not part of Office Depot until November 2017, historical results for the second quarter 2017 for this business have not been subject to audit or the Company's internal control processes. Comparable sales performance provided for reference only.

(2) Non-GAAP measure. A reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP measures can be found at investor.officedepot.com.

(3) Free Cash Flow is defined as cash flows from operating activities of continuing operations less capital expenditures.

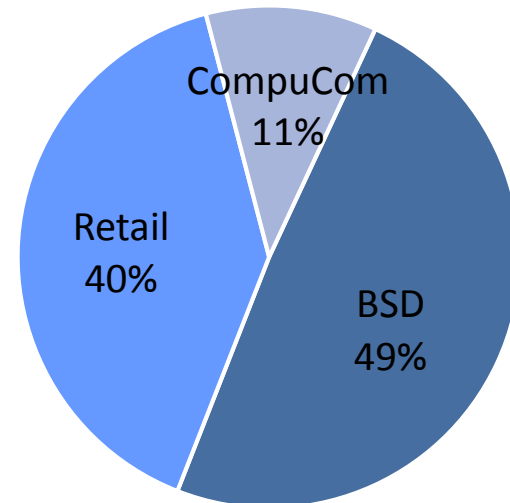
Transformation Well Underway

2017 Q1



Services 8%

2018 Q2

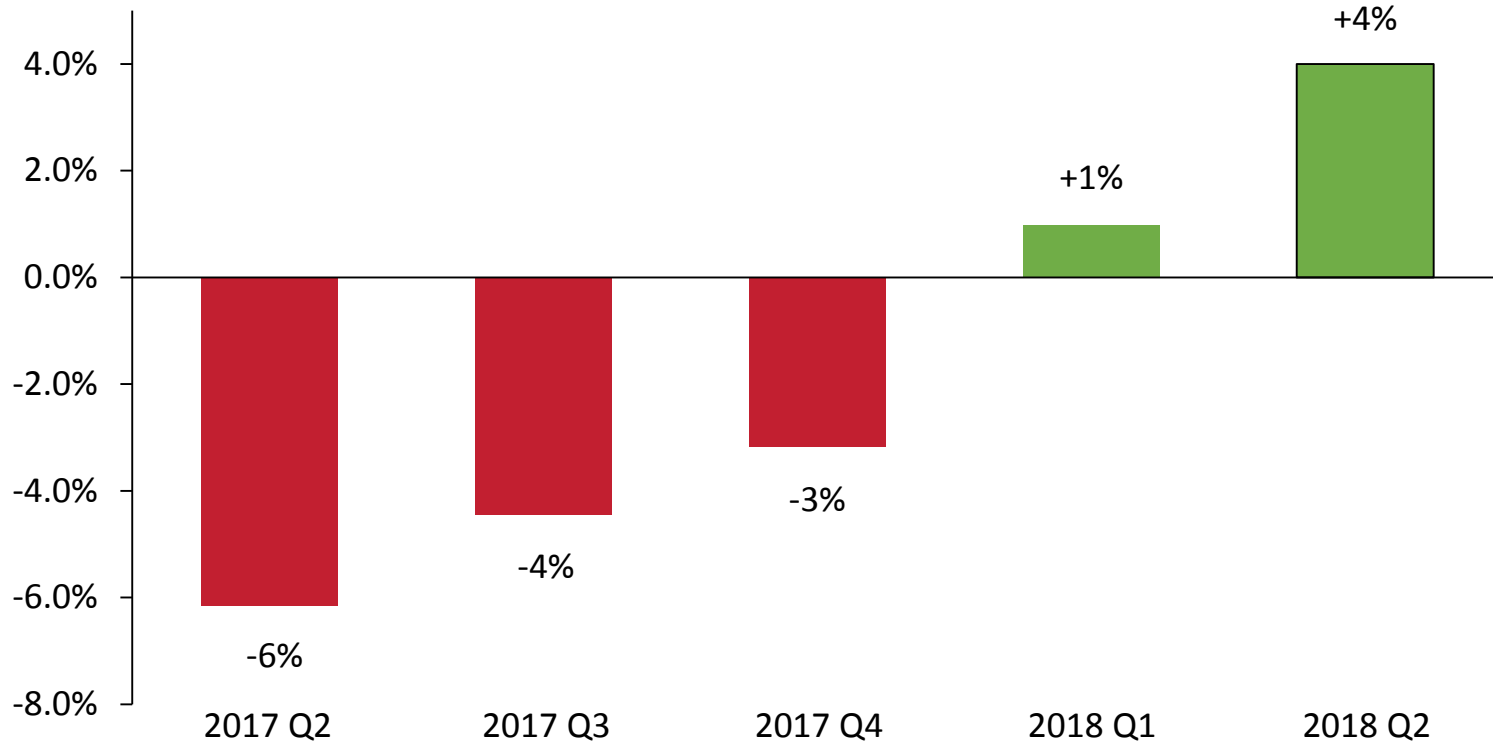


Services 16%



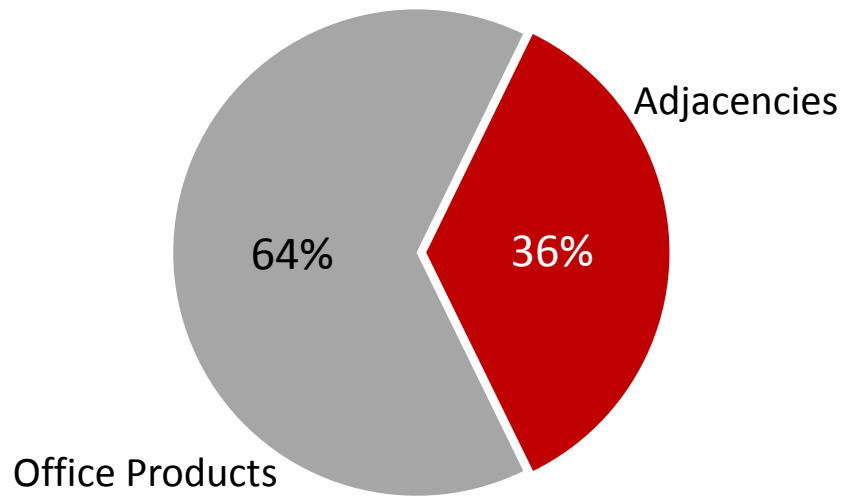
Continued Growth in BSD Sales

Quarterly Reported Year-Over-Year Sales Change for BSD Division



*Excludes 53rd week impact

BSD Growing Beyond Office Products



Adjacency categories growing ~10% YTD 2018



Cleaning & Breakroom



Copy & Print



Furniture



Technology

Keys to Changing the Retail Experience

- Engaged customers
- Knowledgeable and passionate associates
- Innovative assortment of products and services
- Increase traffic, conversion and average order value
- Utilize services and subscriptions to drive recurring customer relationships



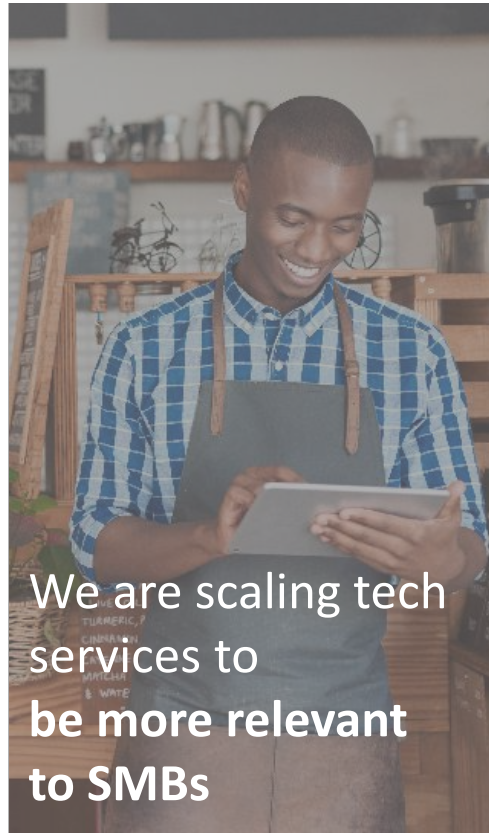
2018 Back-to-School Program

- First to launch in market – Week 20
- Competitive pricing all season long
- Increased focus to K through College
- Expanded omni-channel offerings and capabilities
- New partnerships
- Supporting our communities



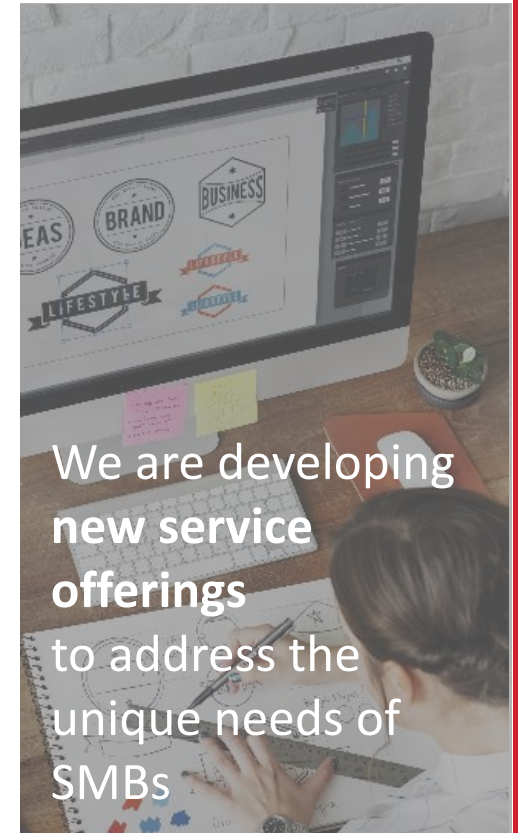
Capitalizing on CompuCom Opportunity

We are working together and **cross selling services and products** with our enterprise customers



We are scaling tech services to **be more relevant to SMBs**

We are deploying our plan to **leverage the ~1,400 ODP store locations**



We are developing **new service offerings** to address the unique needs of **SMBs**



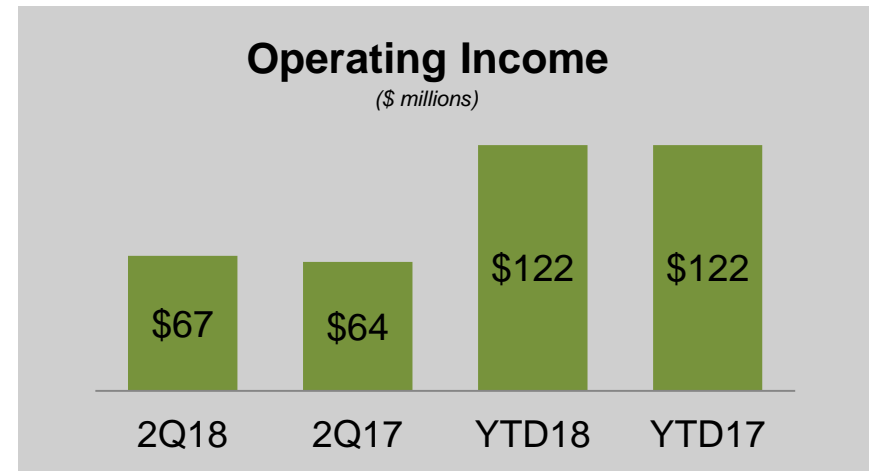
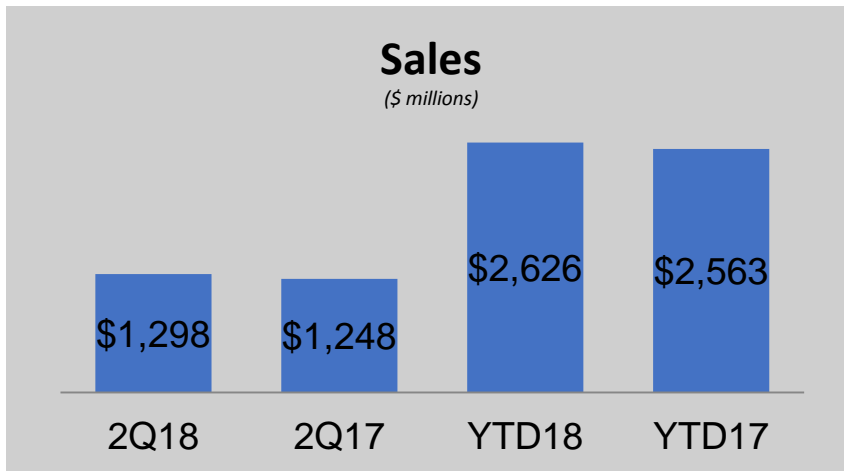
Joe Lower
Chief Financial Officer

Second Quarter 2018 Summary

	Second Quarter		Year-to-Date	
	2018	2017	2018	2017
(\$ in millions, except per share amounts)				
Sales	\$2,628	\$2,363	\$5,458	\$5,039
Operating Income (GAAP)	\$48	\$41	\$125	\$165
Adjusted Operating Income ⁽¹⁾	\$63	\$63	\$156	\$212
Earnings Per Share from Continuing Operations (GAAP)	\$0.03	\$0.04	\$0.09	\$0.18
Adjusted Diluted EPS from Continuing Operations ⁽¹⁾	\$0.05	\$0.06	\$0.13	\$0.23
Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾	\$115	\$104	\$260	\$296
Free Cash Flow from Continuing Operations ⁽²⁾	\$7	\$2	\$177	\$60

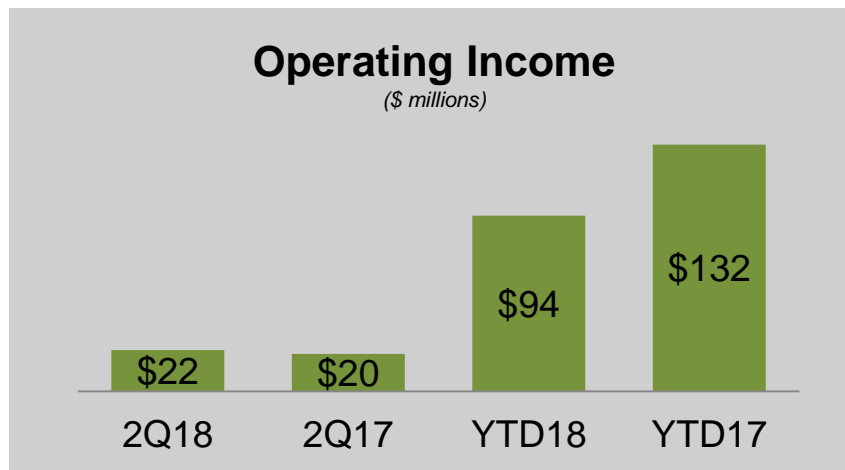
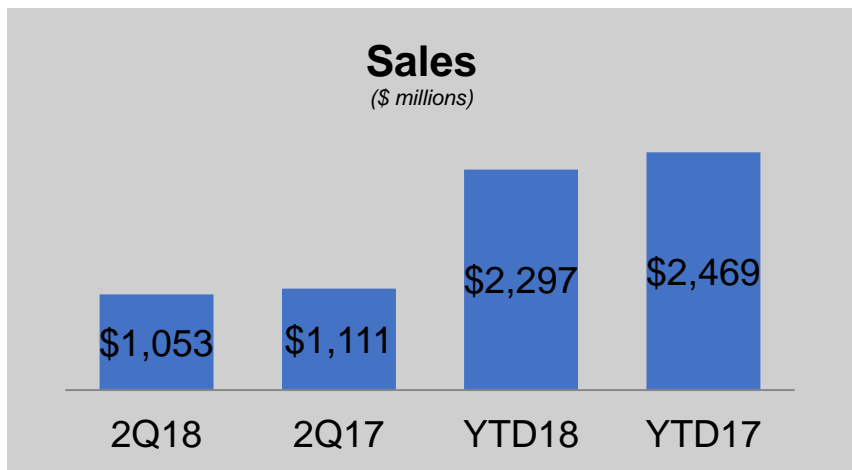
- Total reported Company sales increased 11% compared to 2Q17
 - ✓ Addition of CompuCom's 2Q18 results which were not part of company in 2Q17
 - ✓ Growth in BSD's eCommerce and contract channels
- 2Q18 adjusted operating income⁽¹⁾ of \$63 million vs. \$63 million in prior year
 - ✓ Excludes \$15 million in merger, acquisition, integration-related and restructuring charges
 - ✓ Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾ of \$115 million, up versus 2Q17
- 2Q18 Free Cash Flow⁽²⁾ of \$7 million and \$177 million in YTD18

Business Solutions Division – 2Q18



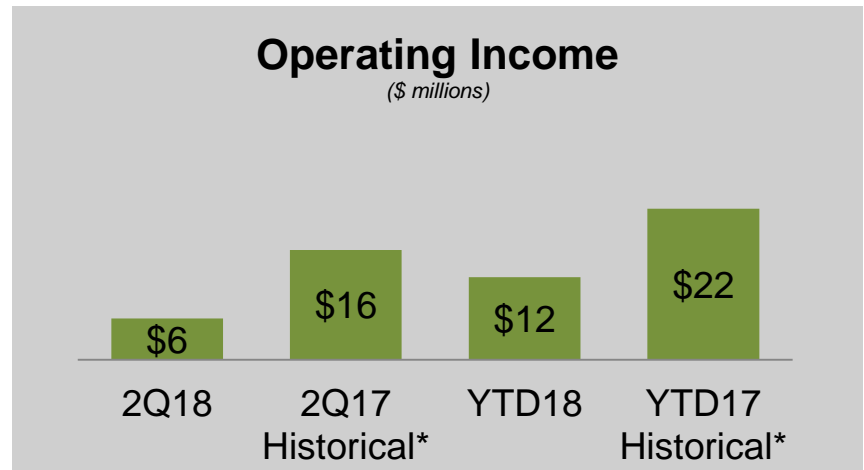
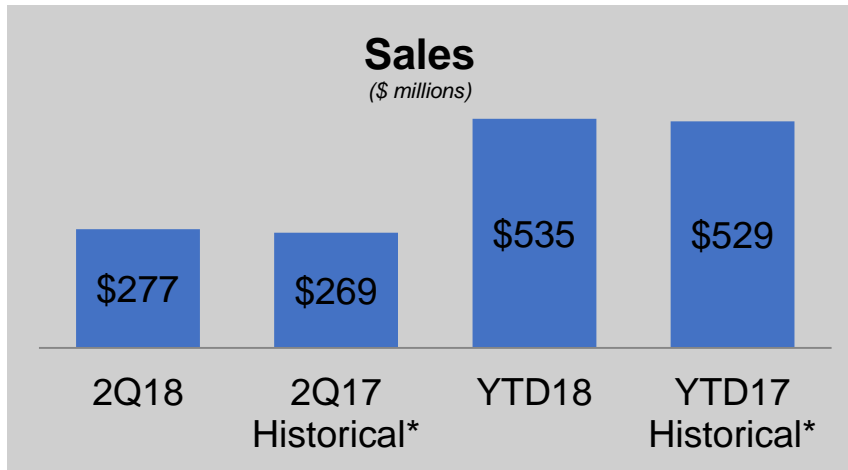
- 2Q18 reported sales increased 4% versus 2Q17
 - ✓ Sequential improvement of 300bps over 1Q18
- Product sales up 3%, Services up 15%
 - ✓ Growth in acquisitions, adjacency categories and eCommerce channel
 - ✓ Core flat excluding acquisition impact, services up strongly
- 2Q18 operating income increased \$3 million compared to prior year
 - ✓ Benefit of higher sales volumes and cost reduction initiatives

Retail Division – 2Q18



- 2Q18 comparable store sales declined 2% compared to prior year
 - ✓ Sequential improvement of 200bps over 1Q18
- Product sales down 7%, Services up 12% (excluding revenue recognition change)
 - ✓ Negative impact from prior period store closures
 - ✓ Cleaning & breakroom and copy & print sales increased, technology, supplies and furniture sales declined
- 2Q18 operating income increased \$2 million compared to prior year
 - ✓ Lower SG&A expenses offset negative flow-through impact from lower sales

CompuCom Division – 2Q18



- 2Q18 sales increased 3% versus historical sales in prior year
- Growth in both product sales and services
 - ✓ Fourth consecutive quarter of year-over-year growth in service orders
- 2Q18 operating income down versus adjusted historical prior year results
 - ✓ Lower gross margin on product sales mix, investment expenses to support growth initiatives, incremental depreciation and amortization and acquisition-related expenses, partially offset by cost reduction initiatives

* The CompuCom unaudited historical results for the second quarter and year-to-date for 2017 have been adjusted for historical restructuring and acquisition costs and have been presented for reference purposes only and have not been subject to audit or the Company's internal review process. As such, adjusted historical results may not be comparable to current year results nor indicative of the results of future operations of the CompuCom division or the results that would have been attained had the acquisition been completed on January 1, 2017.

Balance Sheet / Cash Flow Highlights*

Net Cash Position	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Total liquidity of approximately \$1.7 billion at end of 2Q18 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ \$0.7 billion of cash & equivalents ✓ \$1.0 billion available under asset-based lending facility • Debt of \$1.0 billion at end of 2Q18, excluding non-recourse timber notes
Operating Cash Flow	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Operating cash flow of \$44 million in 2Q18, driven by working capital improvements and included cash outflows related to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ \$7 million in OfficeMax merger costs ✓ \$5 million in acquisition and integration-related costs ✓ \$3 million in restructuring costs
Capital Expenditures	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Capital expenditures of \$37 million in 2Q18
Free Cash Flow	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Generated strong free cash flow of \$177 million YTD18
Capital Allocation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Paid cash dividend of \$0.025 per share or approximately \$14 million • Made scheduled debt repayment of \$19 million under Term Loan • Repurchased approximately 3 million shares for \$8 million

2018 Full-Year Outlook*

	Full Year 2018
Sales	~ \$10.8 billion
Adjusted Operating Income	~ \$360 million
Free Cash Flow	~ \$350 million

2018 Pivot to Drive Long-Term Value



Stability in the Core



“Green Shoots” of Demand Improvement



Shift to Recurring / Service Based Model



Free Cash Flow Generation

Creating a unique omni-channel business services platform to drive long-term sustainable growth and shareholder value

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