

Q4 2017 EARNINGS CONFERENCE CALL

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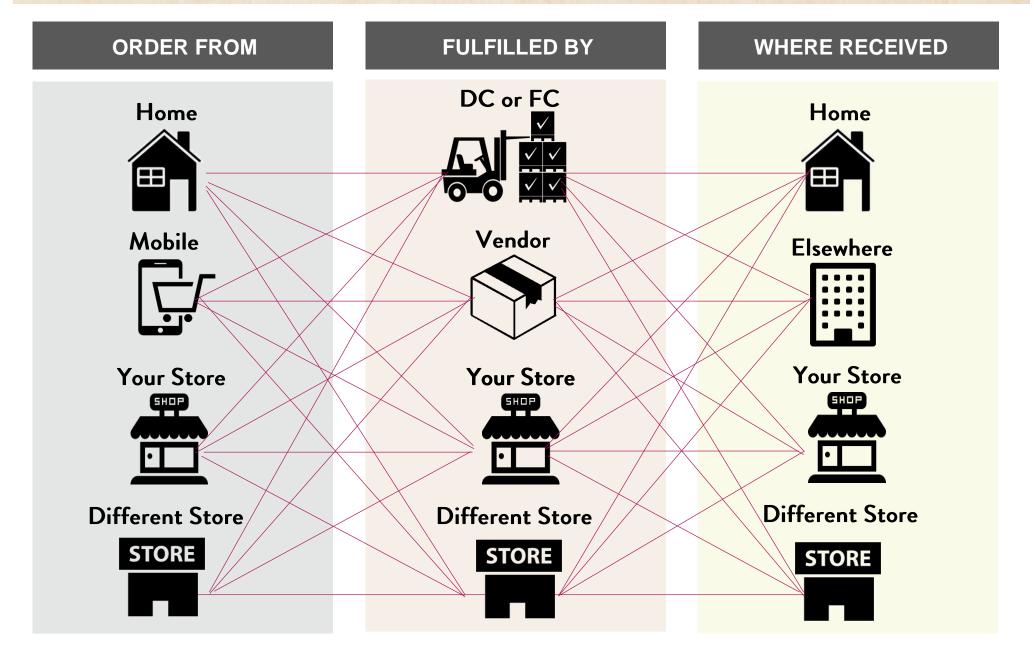
BLAKE NORDSTROM

CO-PRESIDENT

SERVING CUSTOMERS IN MULTIPLE WAYS

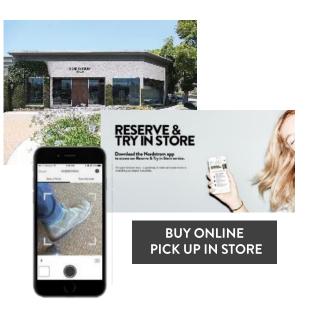


INTEGRATED DIGITAL AND PHYSICAL ASSETS



RECORD SALES OF ~\$15 BILLION IN 2017







33 million

active customers

9 million customers shopped across Nordstrom's multiple touch points

30% digital sales

penetration in Full-price

High-quality store portfolio combined with robust digital platform to serve customers in multiple ways

6 million new customers in Off-price

One-third of Off-price customers cross-shop Nordstrom Full-price over time

STRATEGIC BRAND PARTNERSHIPS

PRODUCT **BREADTH**

Wide range of brands across categories and price points

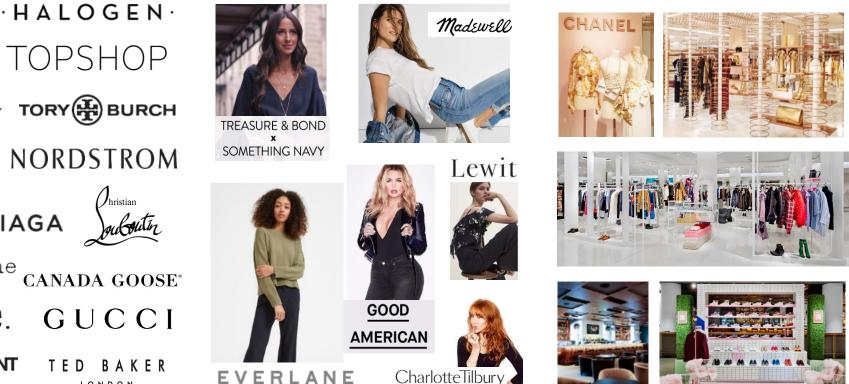


LIMITED **DISTRIBUTION BRAND** PARTNERSHIPS

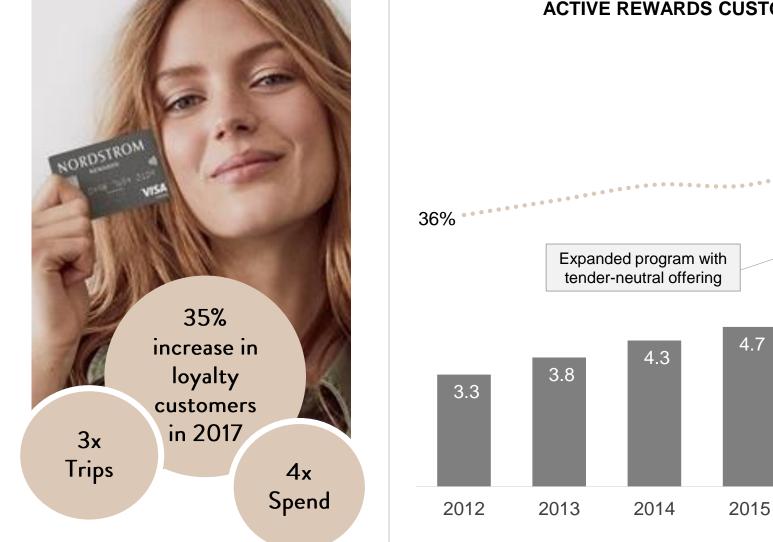
Brands and products that inspire our customers and which are not widely available

NEW CONCEPTS

New and innovative product concepts to our customers



NORDSTROM REWARDS DRIVING LOYALTY



ACTIVE REWARDS CUSTOMERS (M)

51% **OF SALES**

10.5

2017

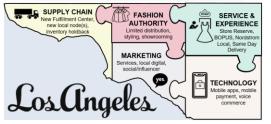
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2016

2018 INITIATIVES









Opening Nordstrom Men's Store NYC April 12, 2018

Executing market strategy beginning in Los Angeles

Introducing Nordstrom Rack in Canada

Continuing growth of limited distribution product

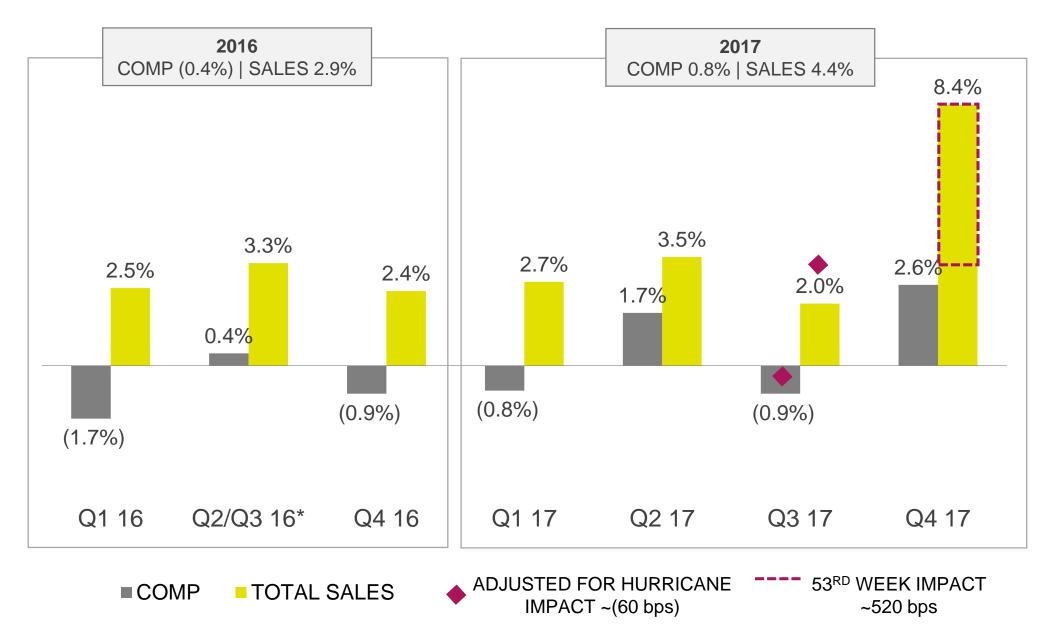
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CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

Q4 FINANCIAL RESULTS

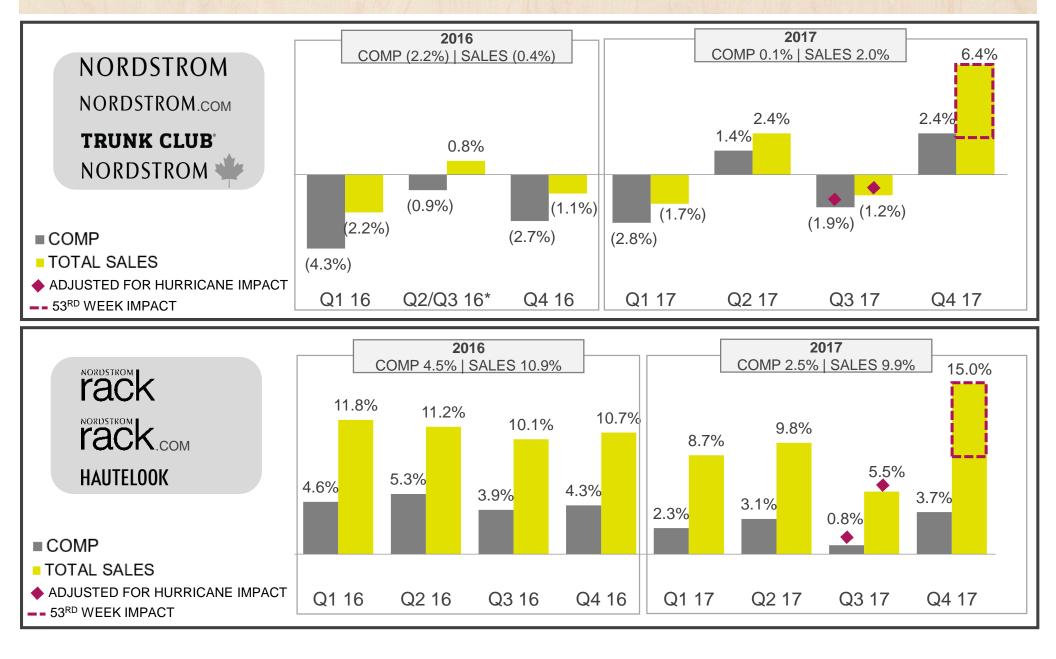
- Holiday execution driving positive results
- Inventory well-positioned heading into 2018
- Strong cash flow generation

SALES TRENDS

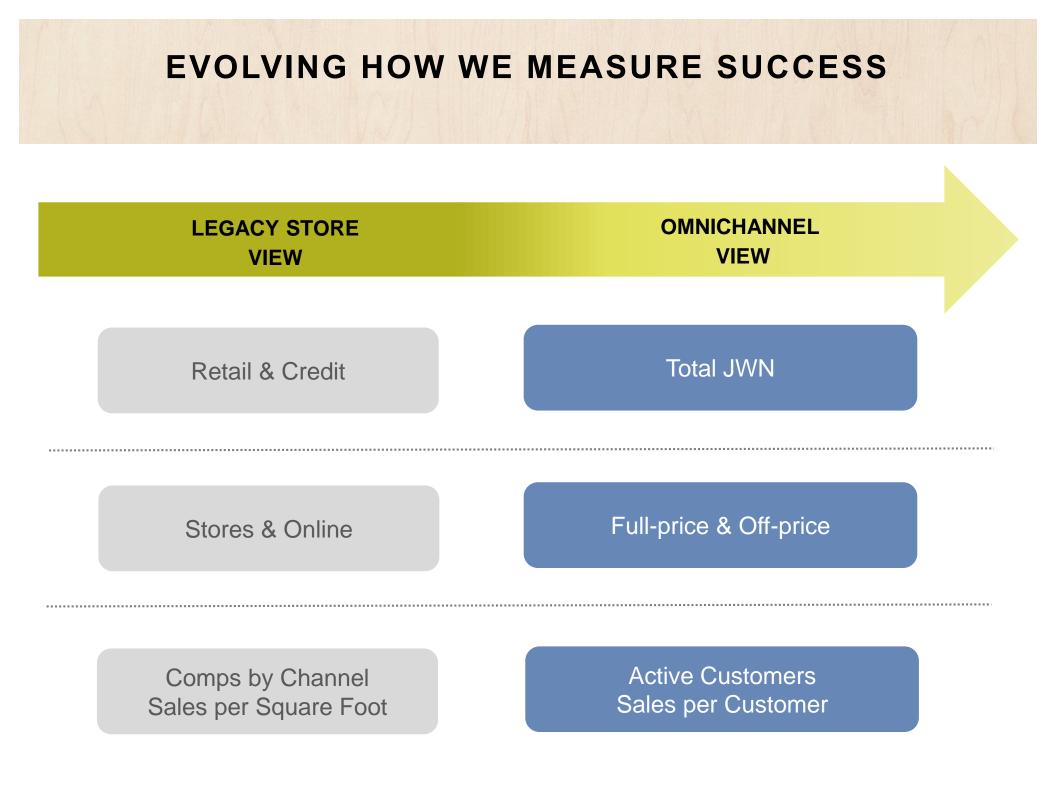


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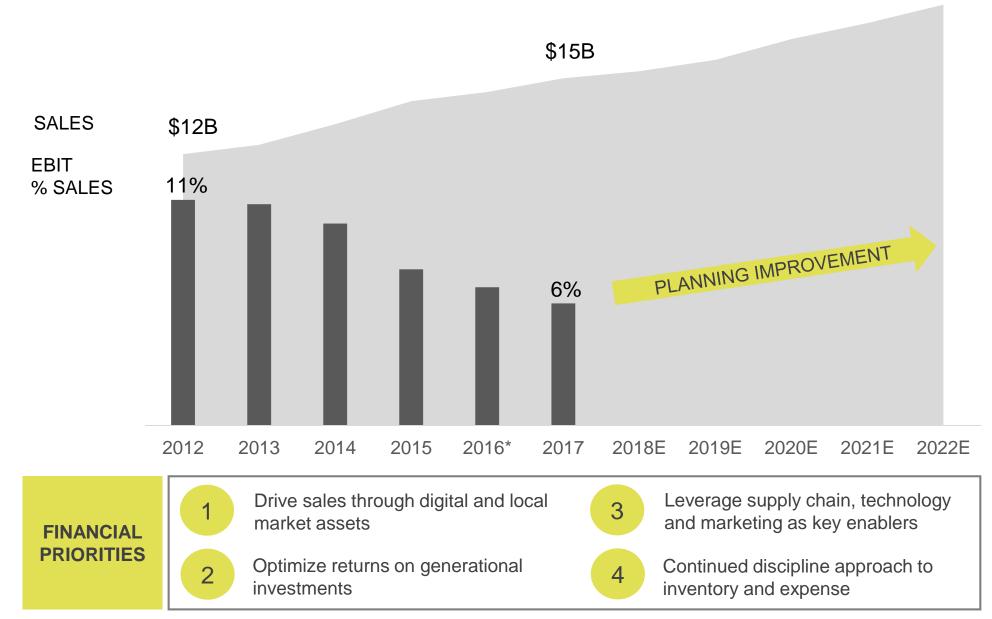
FULL-PRICE AND OFF-PRICE SALES



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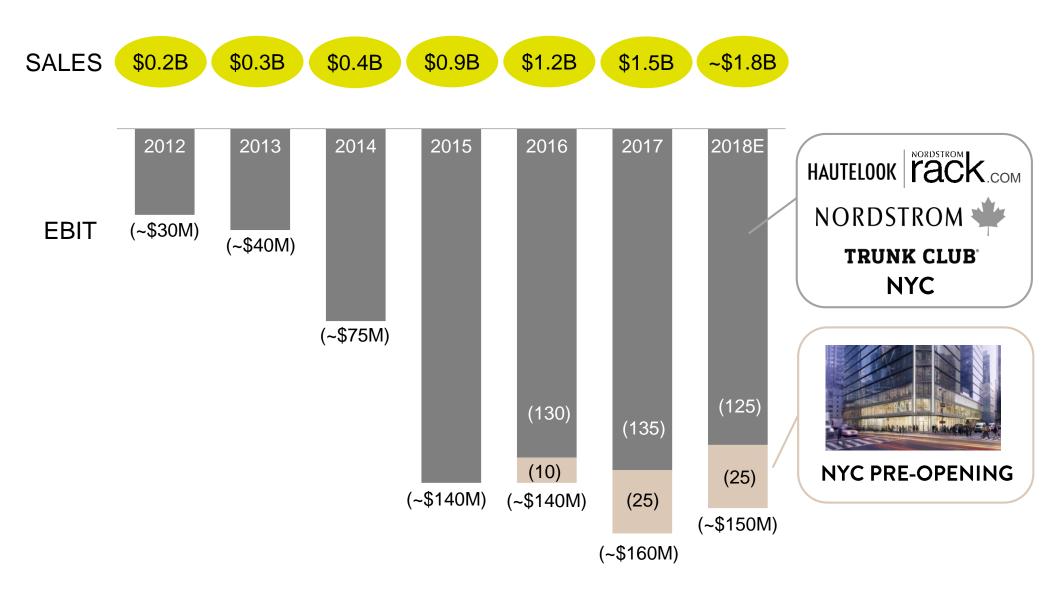


TURNING POINT PLANNED IN 2018

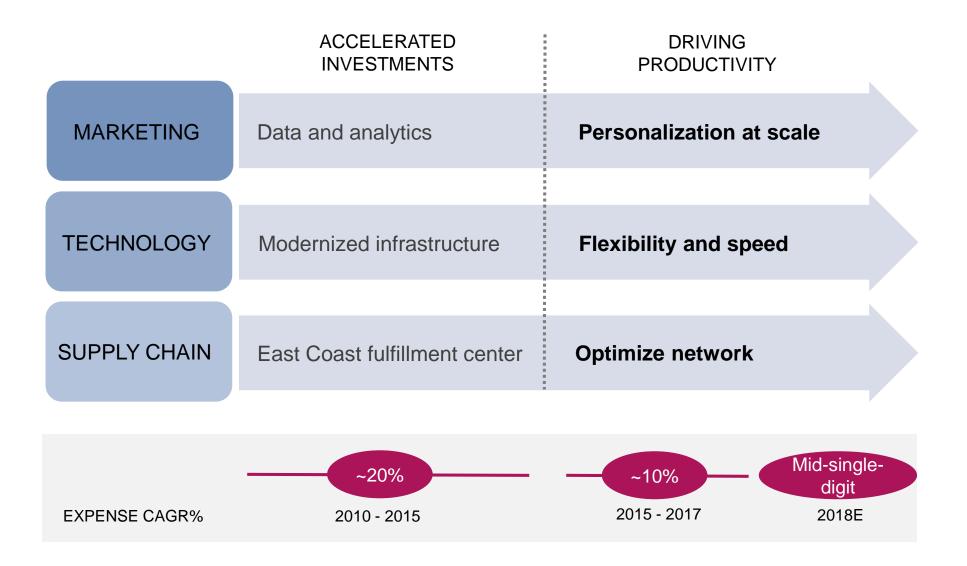


*2016 excludes goodwill impairment charge of \$197M

GENERATIONAL INVESTMENTS



OMNICHANNEL CAPABILITIES



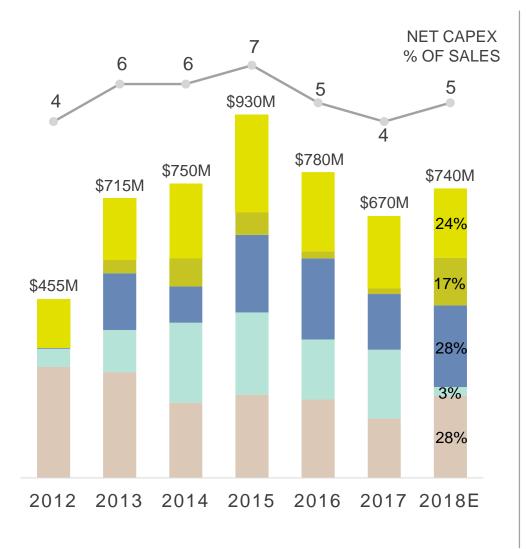
FY 2018 GUIDANCE

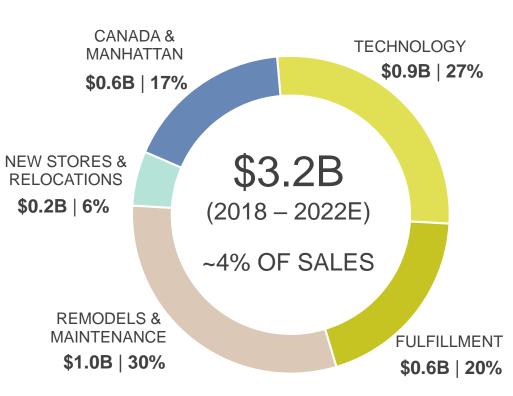
	2017 Actual	2018 Outlook	Assumptions
Total Sales	\$15.1B	\$15.2B to \$15.4B	 2017: ~\$220M related to the 53rd week
Comp Sales	0.8%	0.5% to 1.5%	 2018: consistent sales trends in Full-price and Off-price
EBIT	\$926M	\$885M to \$940M	 2017: \$16M one-time employee investment related to corporate tax reform 2017: ~\$15M estimated 53rd week impact 2018: ~\$30M reduction from revenue recognition accounting changes

	\$0.25	\$0.06	_	~(\$0.05)	~\$0.13	~(\$0.11)	~\$0.55	
\$2.59			\$2.90		At mid-point of outlook		At mid-point of outlook	\$3.30 TO \$3.55
2017 EPS Reported	Tax Reform	1X Employee Investment	2017 Before Tax Reform Impacts	Estimated 53 rd Week Impact	Planned Operating Performance	Revenue Recognition	Tax Reform	2018 EPS Outlook

EPS bridge presented for comparability of 2018 vs. 2017, including impacts of corporate tax reform and revenue recognition accounting changes

CAPITAL INVESTMENTS





INVESTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

	HIGHLIGHTS	FINANCIAL OUTCOMES
JWN STRATEGY	Innovative omnichannel leader with robust ecommerce platform and high-quality store portfolio in top North American markets, consisting of 122 full-line stores and 232 Nordstrom Racks Industry-leading growth fueled by generational investments in new markets and digital capabilities to expand customer reach and engagement	 Record sales of \$15B, reflecting 5% annualized growth over last five years Digital sales increased to 26% in 2017 from 8% in 2010 Generational investments contributed \$1.5B sales in 2017
FULL-PRICE BUSINESS	 Differentiated product offering through strategic brand partnerships Integrated digital and physical shopping experience to serve customers seamlessly across multiple touch points Focus on top local markets with differentiated and defensible strategy and customer offer 	 Strategic brands delivering outsized sales growth and healthy gross margins Digital sales represented 30% of Full-price sales in 2017; 95% of Full line stores located in "A" or better malls Longer term, market strategy expected to drive increases in sales, market share, profitability and ROIC
OFF-PRICE BUSINESS	Strategic store footprint in high-traffic locations Leading source of customer acquisition, attracting young affluent customers to JWN	 Sales CAGR of 13% over last five years, outpacing market growth Gained 6 million new customers; one-third of Off-price customers cross-shop in Full-price business over time
FINANCIAL OVERVIEW	Operating model positioned for long-term profitable growth through productivity improvements and generational investments Strong financial position supporting healthy cash flow generation	 Planning 2018 as turning point for improved profitability Increased productivity via enterprise capabilities expected to drive moderated expense growth As generational investments near completion, free cash flow expected to increase

APPENDIX

APPENDIX | 2018 GUIDANCE ASSUMPTIONS

In addition to the Company's 2018 guidance (slide 18), the following assumptions are incorporated:

- Credit revenue growth of ~10%
- Revenue recognition accounting changes reduce EBIT by ~\$30M
- Interest expense of ~\$105M
- Depreciation and amortization expense and rent expense are expected to be consistent with 2017
- Effective tax rate of ~27.5%
- Diluted shares outstanding ~171M

The Company is providing the following assumptions of quarterly trends:

- Shift in the Anniversary Sale event to primarily Q2 2018 from Q2 and Q3 in 2017
- Higher occupancy expenses in H1 due to fall 2017 store openings (11 new Racks, 2 full-line relocations, 1 Canada full-line store) and spring 2018 openings (Men's NYC, 4 U.S. Racks, 3 Canada Racks)
- Higher pre-opening expenses in Q1 related to Men's NYC and Rack Canada
- 2017 one-time EBIT items: hurricane impact (Q3 ~\$12M), employee investment associated with tax reform (Q4 \$16M), estimated 53rd week impact (Q4 ~\$15M)

Better (+) / worse (-) in comparison to LY	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FY 2018 YOY%
Anniversary event shift		(+)	(-)		
Occupancy due to new stores (fall 2017 and spring 2018)	(-)	(-)			
Pre-opening expenses	(-)				
2017 1x items			Hurricane (+)	Empl. reinvestment (+) 53 rd week (-)	
EBIT	Below 2018 YOY%	Above 2018 YOY%	20	In-line 018 YOY%	~(4%) – 2%