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The aggregate market value of voting and non-voting common equity held by non-affiliates of the Registrant on June 30, 2023 (the last business day of the Registrant's most recently completed second quarter), based on the closing price of \$10.66 for shares of the Registrant's common stock, par value \$0.0001, as reported by the New York Stock Exchange, was approximately \$1,010.9.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act). Yes  $\square$  No  $\boxtimes$ 

As of February 23, 2024, 146,871,908 shares of the Registrant's common stock were issued and outstanding.

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#### CAUTIONARY NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

Statements contained in this Annual Report on Form 10-K (this "Annual Report") that reflect our current views with respect to future events and financial performance, business strategies, expectations for our business and any other statements of a future or forward-looking nature, constitute "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act").

These forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, statements about our financial condition, results of operations, earnings outlook and prospects or regarding our or our management's expectations, hopes, beliefs, intentions or strategies regarding the future. These forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties that could cause our actual results to differ materially from those contemplated in the forward-looking statements, including, without limitation, the risks set forth in Part I, Item 1A, "Risk Factors" in this Annual Report and in our other filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. We do not assume any obligation to update any forward-looking statements after the date of this Annual Report, except as required by law

In addition, any statements that refer to projections, forecasts or other characterizations of future events or circumstances, including any underlying assumptions, are forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements are typically identified by words such as "plan," "believe," "expect," "anticipate," "intend," "outlook," "estimate," "forecast," "project," "continue," "could," "may," "might," "possible," "potential," "predict," "should," "would" and other similar words and expressions, but the absence of these words does not mean that a statement is not forward-looking.

The forward-looking statements contained in this Annual Report are based on our current expectations and beliefs concerning future developments and their potential effects on us. We cannot assure you that future developments affecting us will be those that we have anticipated. These forward-looking statements involve a number of risks, uncertainties (some of which are beyond our control) or other assumptions that may cause actual results or performance to be materially different from those expressed or implied by these forward-looking statements. Should one or more of these risks or uncertainties materialize, or should any of our assumptions prove incorrect, actual results may vary in material respects from those projected in these forward-looking statements. Some factors that could cause actual results to differ include, but are not limited to:

- · changes adversely affecting the business in which we are engaged;
- geopolitical risks and changes in applicable laws or regulations;
- the possibility that Janus may be adversely affected by other economic, business, and/or competitive factors;
- operational risk;
- any failure to effectively manage, and receive anticipated returns from, acquisitions, divestitures, investments, joint ventures and other portfolio actions;
- fluctuations in the demand for our products and services;
- the impact of supply chain disruptions and inflation and our ability to recoup rising costs in the rates we charge to our
- the possibility that we may impair our long-lived assets and other assets, including inventory, property and equipment, intangibles and investments in unconsolidated affiliates;
- our ability to maintain the listing of our securities on a national securities exchange;
- the possibility of significant changes in foreign exchange rates and controls;
- litigation and regulatory enforcement risks, including the diversion of management time and attention and the additional costs and demands on Janua's resources;
- general economic conditions, including the capital and credit markets;
- the possibility of political instability, war or acts of terrorism in any of the countries where we operate; and
- other risks and uncertainties, including those described in this Annual Report set forth in Part I, Item 1A, "Risk Factors."

All subsequent written and oral forward-looking statements concerning the matters addressed in this Annual Report and attributable to us or any person acting on our behalf are expressly qualified in their entirety by the cautionary statements contained or referred to in this Annual Report. Except to the extent required by applicable law or regulation, we undertake no obligation to update these forward-looking statements to reflect events or circumstances after the date of this Annual Report or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events.

#### SUMMARY RISK FACTORS

#### Risks Relating to Janus's Business

- Janus's continued success is dependent upon its ability to hire, retain, and utilize qualified personnel.
- Janus engages in a highly competitive business. If Janus is unable to compete effectively, it could lose market share and its business and results of operations could be negatively
- Janus's business strategy relies in part on acquisitions to sustain its growth. Acquisitions of other companies present certain risks and uncertainties.
- Our dependence on, and the price and availability of, raw materials (such as steel coil) as well as purchased components may adversely affect our business, results of operations, and financial condition
- The outcome of pending and future claims and litigation could have a material adverse impact on Janus's business, financial condition, and results of operations.
- We may be subject to liability if we breach our contracts, and our insurance may be inadequate to cover our losses.
- We are potentially subject to taxation-related risks in multiple jurisdictions, and changes in U.S. tax laws, in particular, could have a material adverse effect on our business, cash flow, results of operations, or financial condition.
- Unanticipated changes in effective tax rates or adverse outcomes resulting from examination of our income or other tax returns could adversely affect our financial condition and results of operations.
- We may experience negative or unforeseen tax consequences.
- Fluctuations in foreign currency could have an effect on our reported results of operations.
- Any significant disruption in or unauthorized access to our computer systems or those of third parties that we utilize in our operations, including those relating to cybersecurity or arising from cyber-attacks, could result in a loss or degradation of service, unauthorized disclosure of data, including user and corporate information, or theft of intellectual property, including digital assets, which could adversely impact our financial condition or harm our reputation.
- We face system security risks as we depend upon automated processes and the Internet, and our reputation could be damaged, we could incur substantial additional costs and become subject to litigation if our systems are penetrated.
- Our brand is integral to our success. If we fail to effectively maintain, promote, and enhance our brand in a cost-effective manner, our business and competitive advantage may be harmed
- Economic uncertainty or downturns, particularly as it impacts specific industries, could adversely affect our business and results of operations.
- If we are unable to develop new product or service offerings, achieve increased consumer adoption of those offerings, or penetrate new vertical markets, our business and financial results could be materially adversely affected.
- Our corporate culture has contributed to our success and if we are unable to maintain it as we grow our business, financial condition, and results of operations could be harmed.
- Our past growth may not be indicative of our future growth, and our revenue growth rate may decline in the future.
- We may require additional capital to pursue our business objectives and respond to business opportunities, challenges, or unforeseen circumstances. If capital is not available to us, our business, operating results and financial condition may be harmed.
- We may not be able to generate sufficient cash to service our obligations and any debt we incur.
- We may not be able to adequately protect our proprietary and intellectual property rights in our data or technology.
- We may in the future be sued by third parties for various claims, including alleged infringement of proprietary intellectual property rights.
- Rising operating expenses for our customers could indirectly reduce our cash flow and funds available for future distributions.
- Certain of our customers have negotiating leverage, which may require that we agree to terms and conditions that result in increased cost of revenues, decreased revenue, and lower average selling prices and gross margins, all of which could harm our results of operations.
- Our business is subject to complex and evolving U.S. and foreign laws and regulations regarding privacy and data protection.
- Privacy concerns could result in regulatory changes that may harm our business.
- Extensive environmental regulation to which we are subject creates uncertainty regarding future environmental expenditures and liabilities.
- Our manufacturing facilities are subject to unexpected equipment failures, operational interruptions, and casualty losses.
- Our business and operations are subject to risk related to climate change.

  If employees violate our policies or we fail to maintain adequate record-keeping and internal accounting practices to accurately record our transactions, we may be subject to regulatory sanctions.
- Disruptions in the worldwide economy (including inflation) may adversely affect our business, results of operations, and financial condition.

# Risks Relating to Ownership of our Common Stock

- The Company may be not be able to pay dividends or make distributions or obtain loans to enable us to pay any dividends on our common stock or satisfy our other financial obligations.
- Provisions in our amended and restated certificate of incorporation and Delaware law may inhibit a takeover of us, which could limit the price investors might be willing to pay in the future for our common stock and could entrench management.
- Our amended and restated certificate of incorporation provides, subject to limited exceptions, that the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware is the sole and exclusive forum for certain stockholder litigation matters, which could limit stockholders' ability to obtain a favorable judicial forum for disputes with us or our directors, officers, employees, or stockholders
- We have and may continue to incur increased costs and obligations as a result of complying with public company requirements.

- As a public reporting company, we are subject to rules and regulations established from time to time by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and NYSE regarding our internal control over financial reporting. If we fail to establish and maintain effective internal control over financial reporting and disclosure controls and procedures, we may not be able to accurately report our financial results, or report them in a timely manner.
- We may issue additional shares of common stock or other equity securities without stockholder approval, which would dilute existing stockholders' ownership interest in us and may depress the market price of our common stock.
- If our performance does not meet market expectations, the price of our securities may decline.
- We cannot guarantee that our recently authorized share purchase program will be fully consummated or that it will enhance stockholder value, and any share repurchases could affect the trading price of our common stock.
- Our ability to successfully operate the Company's business depends largely upon the efforts of certain key personnel, including Janus's executive officers. The loss of such key personnel could adversely affect the operations and profitability of our business.
- The Company's ability to meet expectations and projections in any research or reports published by securities or industry analysts, or a lack of coverage by securities or industry analysts, could result in a depressed market price and limited liquidity for our common stock.
- Future sales of common stock, by our existing Stockholders, including the Selling Stockholders, may reduce the market price of the common stock that investors might otherwise obtain.
- The Company's amended and restated certificate of incorporation renounced any interest or expectancy that the Company has in corporate opportunities that may be presented to the Company's officers, directors, or stockholders or their respective affiliates, other than those officers, directors, stockholders, or affiliates who are the Company's or the Company's subsidiaries' employees. As a result, these persons are not required to offer certain business opportunities to the Company and may engage in business activities that compete with the Company.
- · Our reported financial results may be affected by changes in accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

# PART I

#### Item 1. BUSINESS

#### Overview

Janus International Group, Inc. ("we," "us," "Group," "Janus" or the "Company"), headquartered in Temple, Georgia with ten domestic and three international manufacturing facilities is a leading global manufacturer, supplier, and provider of turn-key self-storage, commercial, and industrial building solutions. The Company provides facility and door automation and access control technologies, roll-up and swing doors, hallway systems, and relocatable storage "MASS" (Moveable Additional Storage Structures) units (among other solutions). The Company is fundamental to its customer's success throughout every phase of a project by providing solutions spanning from facility planning and design, construction, technology, and the restoration, rebuilding, and replacement ("R3") of damaged or end-of-life products.

#### Company History

Founded in 2002, Janus is a leading global manufacturer and supplier of turn-key self-storage, commercial, and industrial building solutions, including roll-up and swing doors, hallway systems, relocatable storage units, and facility and door automation technologies. Over the past 20 years, Janus has expanded its operations to serve several U.S. and international locations. Our common stock is listed and traded on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") under the ticker symbol "JBI."

#### Competitive Strengths

We believe the following competitive strengths have been instrumental in our growth and position the Company for continued success:

Strong Share in Growing, Well-Structured Markets. Management estimates the Company serves over 50% of the market for interior building solutions through both institutional REITs and non-institutional operators. REITs comprise approximately 35% of the overall self-storage market, and have grown significantly over the past decade and at a higher rate than the non-institutional market. Within the commercial industrial sector, we are a smaller participant within a larger addressable market, which provides the Company significant opportunity for market share growth within a sector that is well positioned for future growth driven by the rising growth of e-commerce. We have achieved this success within the self-storage and commercial industrial sectors by being a full solution provider to our customers, providing expertise, and a full suite of products to solve our customers' problems.

Mission Critical Solutions for a Small Fraction of Facility Costs. Our self-storage products are typically the last items installed on site before an operator can generate income from its properties. This results in a high cost of failure for our suite of product solutions and a reliance by customers on our extensive domestic and international manufacturing and distribution networks. We focus on finding solutions to obstacles that arise long before a unit or facility is complete and customers place a premium on our efficiency, reliability, and ability to deliver. Our products also represent a small portion of the overall cost of a facility or an R3 retrofit. Our value-added services, such as site pre-work planning, site drawings, installation and general contracting, project management, and third-party security, as well as our ability to differentiate ourselves from the competition through on-time delivery, efficient installation, reliable service, and a reputation for high quality products, has allowed us to gain a significant competitive advantage.

Complete Offering of Products, Solutions, and Services along with Maintenance, Fabrication, and Installation. We provide a full suite of products, services and maintenance, fabrication, and installation offerings that meet a wide-range of client demands including management of third-party installation, architect drawings, R3 solutions, self-storage doors, hallway systems, relocatable systems, electronic locks, commercial doors, self-storage maintenance and servicing, and custom facility gate fabrication and installation, all of which are realized through a large network of third-party installers, as well as our ten strategically placed manufacturing and service facilities in the United States of America. Our current manufacturing, service, and distribution footprint enables us to serve customers globally, minimize lead times, and reduce freight expense. Our ability to provide a full suite of products, services, fabrication, installation and maintenance routines across a nationwide network enables us to compete for complex, marquee contract opportunities and deliver highly customized solutions at both the global and local level.

First Mover with Proprietary High ROI Technology Solutions. The Company and Nokē, Inc. ("NOKE") (which we acquired in 2018) have been working for several years to develop proprietary access control technologies, software, and solutions focused on the self-storage sector where limited technologies or products currently exist. We are actively selling and developing a platform with multiple adjacencies including hardware (i.e., purpose-built locks), software (i.e., applications and a web portal) and back-end integration (i.e., APIs and a cloud platform) to provide ROI improvement opportunity for our client's new facilities and R3 retrofits. Our proprietary hardware and smart locking systems have helped businesses manage physical security and have laid the ground work for Janus to integrate an enhanced wireless network within a self-storage facility, thereby creating a segment of our business with limited competition and high barriers to entry.

**Proven and Experienced Management Team.** Our management team has deep industry expertise and a deep bench of supporting talent. Janus is led by our Chief Executive Officer, Ramey Jackson, who has been with the Company since 2002 and has extensive experience in the industry. Mr. Jackson is supported by an executive leadership team that also has an average of over 20 years of experience. Our management team has a long track record of demonstrating an ability to produce robust and consistent organic and inorganic growth.

Our Acquisition Strategy. Our management team has a proven track record of identifying, executing, and integrating acquisitions to support our strategic growth initiatives. In order to achieve this growth, we utilize a disciplined, highly accretive acquisition strategy that prioritizes portfolio diversification into logical adjacencies, geographic expansion, and technological innovation. We continue to actively review a number of acquisition opportunities that fit this framework.

#### Acquisitions

#### ACT Acquisition

In August 2021, the Company, through its wholly owned subsidiary Janus International Group, LLC ("Janus Core") acquired 100% of the equity of Access Control Technologies, LLC ("ACT"). Through this acquisition, the Company also acquired all assets and certain liabilities of Phoenix Iron Worx, LLC ("Phoenix"), a company incorporated in North Carolina. ACT is a low-voltage/security systems integrator, who specializes in the self-storage and multi-family industries. With dedicated installation and service divisions, ACT has one of the largest addressable footprints in technology in the self-storage industry and has specialized in protecting critical assets in the self-storage and industrial building industries.

#### **DBCI** Acquisition

In August 2021, the Company, through Janus Core, acquired 100% of the equity of DBCI, LLC ("DBCI"), a company incorporated in Delaware. DBCI is a manufacturer of exterior building products in North America, with over 25 years experience of servicing self-storage, commercial, residential, and repair markets. As a result of the acquisition, the Company has an opportunity to increase its customer base of both the commercial and self-storage industries and expand its product offerings in the North American market.

#### G & M Stor-More Pty Ltd. Acquisition

In January 2021, the Company acquired the assets of G & M Stor-More Pty Ltd ("G&M"). G&M has over 23 years' experience across the world in self-storage building, design, construction, and consultation. As a result of the acquisition, Janus has an opportunity to increase its customer base of the self-storage industry and expand our geographical reach in the Australian market.

#### **Industry Overview**

#### Self-Storage

Approximately 68% of our total revenues are attributable to the self-storage market. The self-storage industry refers to properties that offer do-it-yourself, storage space rental for personal or business use. Self-storage provides a convenient way for individuals and businesses to store their belongings, whether due to a life event or the need for extra storage.

According to management estimates, there are approximately 56,000 self-storage facilities located in the United States. Self-storage facilities can be classified into two general categories: institutional and non-institutional. Institutionally owned facilities typically include multi-story, climate-controlled facilities located in prime locations owned and/or managed by a REIT or other returns-driven operators of scale. These institutional facilities are typically located in a top 50 U.S. Metropolitan Statistical Area ("MSA"). Non-institutional facilities are typically comprised of single-story, non-climate-controlled facilities, often located outside of city centers, owned and/or managed by smaller private operators.

The self-storage market is highly fragmented with REITs comprising approximately 35% of the overall self-storage market, having grown significantly over the past decade and at a higher rate than the non-institutional market. REITs often achieve growth via acquisition of existing self-storage facilities, which creates demand for remodeling solutions to conform branding to the acquirer's colors, logos, and aesthetic.

The self-storage market benefits from unique and attractive demand and supply attributes. Growth in self-storage demand has been driven by favorable long-term macroeconomic trends, including rising storable consumption per capita, population growth, and rising home ownership rates. There are also several other demand drivers within the self-storage industry that create demand including disasters, dislocation, death, divorce, decluttering and commercial customers utilizing self-storage for storage and/or operations of their business. Available supply of self-storage is well below long-term levels, as exhibited by the key self-storage REITs operating at over 90% occupancy rates based upon publicly available information as of the third quarter of 2023. In addition to ongoing tight supply conditions, management estimates that approximately 60% of existing self-storage facilities are over 20 years old, which creates the potential need for replacement and refurbishment of an aging installed base.

Given high existing occupancy rates and expected rising demand, investment in additional self-storage capacity may be required in the future. New self-storage capacity can be created in several ways, including greenfield construction, expansions of existing self-storage facilities, conversions of existing buildings into self-storage facilities (for example: mothballed Big Box retail locations), or via facility acquisitions and upgrades. Janus is the market leader in building solutions for the self-storage market, offering institutional and non-institutional operators the broadest product offering and unique end-to-end solutions.

### Commercial Door

Approximately 32% of our total revenues are attributable to the commercial industrial door market. Commercial doors are primarily composed of metal, plastic, and wood and used in industrial facilities, office, retail, and lodging establishments, institutional buildings, and other non-residential infrastructure.

We compete within the metal commercial doors sub-sector with a focus on commercial roll-up sheet doors and rolling steel doors. Roll-up sheet doors are constructed of lighter gauge steel, are less durable, and less expensive than rolling steel doors. These doors are used in pre-engineered buildings and for applications where insulation is less important. Rolling steel doors are constructed of heavier gauge steel, are more durable and more expensive than roll-up sheet and sectional doors, and are primarily used in facilities such as warehouses, particularly in heavy industrial applications (carrying with them the ability to better trap hot/cool air inside the facility).

The metal commercial door market has experienced solid growth driven by: (1) an increase in construction spending, (2) aging infrastructure, and (3) efforts to improve security, appearance, and the energy efficiency of buildings.

Within the commercial industrial sector, we are a smaller participant within a larger addressable market, which provides the Company with significant opportunity for market share growth within a sector that is well positioned for future growth driven by the rising growth of e-commerce.

#### **Competitive Conditions**

We are subject to competition in substantially all product and service areas. Although our competition can vary by local market, both the industries and markets we compete in are highly competitive and fragmented as a whole.

Our industries and markets include global, national, regional, and local providers for our products, services, and solutions, including manufacturers, distributors, service providers, online commerce providers, as well as newer entrants to the market with non-traditional business and customer service models or disruptive technologies and products.

We believe that participants in our industry compete on the basis of customer relationships, product quality and availability, reliability, delivery speed, value added products and services, service capabilities, product and technological innovation, pricing, and overall ease of doing business. We typically compete with one or more local providers in all of our markets, as well as a number of national and regional companies.

#### Raw Materials

The principal raw material used by the Company is steel (steel coil). The Company purchases raw materials from commercial sources on a fixed and variable basis. The Company's practice is to seek cost savings and enhanced quality by purchasing from a limited number of suppliers.

The steel industry is highly cyclical and prices for the Company's raw materials are influenced by numerous factors beyond the Company's control. The steel market continues to be dynamic, with a degree of uncertainty about future pricing trends. Numerous factors may cause steel prices to increase in the future. In addition to increases in steel prices, steel mills may add surcharges for zinc, energy, and freight in response to increases in their costs. See "Item 1A — Risk Factors" and "Item 7 — Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations." While sufficient raw materials are generally available, rising geopolitical challenges may impact the availability, and thereby cause supply constraints, for steel. Depending on relative demand in the raw materials market, the Company may purchase and carry more steel or other raw materials in inventory to meet projected sales demand, as required.

# Patent and Intellectual Property Rights

Generally, the Company, through Janus Core and its subsidiaries, seeks statutory protection for strategic or financially important intellectual property developed in connection with its business. Certain intellectual property, where appropriate, is protected by contracts, licenses, confidentiality or other agreements. From time to time, the Company takes action to protect its businesses by asserting its intellectual property rights against third-party infringers.

The Company maintains various trademarks that are registered or otherwise legally protected in the U.S. and many non-U.S. countries where products and services of the Company are sold. As part of the Company's Nokē Smart Entry platform, the Company provides a limited right for its customers to publicly display certain trademarks of the Company in connection with the customer's use and adoption of the Nokē Smart Entry solution.

The Company has U.S. and foreign patents, the majority of which cover products that the Company currently manufactures and markets. Our patents expire at various dates between 2026 and 2041. These patents, and applications for new patents, cover various design aspects of the Company's products, as well as processes used in their manufacture. The Company continues to develop new potentially patentable products, product enhancements, and product designs.

While the Company believes its intellectual property portfolio is important to its business operations and in the aggregate constitutes a valuable asset, no single patent, trademark, license or other intellectual property, or group of such intellectual property, is critical to the success of the business or any segment. See "Item 1A — Risk Factors."

### Seasonality

Generally, Janua's sales tend to be the slowest in the first and fourth quarters due to more unfavorable weather conditions, customer business cycles, and the timing of renovation and new construction project launches.

### Regulation

Laws, ordinances, or regulations affecting development, construction, operation, upkeep, safety and taxation requirements may result in significant unanticipated expenditures, loss of self-storage sites or other impairments to operations, which would adversely affect our cash flows from operating activities.

Insurance activities are subject to state insurance laws and regulations as determined by the particular insurance commissioner for each state in accordance with the McCarran-Ferguson Act, as well as subject to the Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act and the privacy regulations promulgated by the Federal Trade Commission pursuant thereto.

Under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 ("CERCLA"), and comparable state laws, we may be required to investigate and remediate regulated hazardous materials at one or more of our properties. For additional information on environmental matters and regulation, see "Risk Factors — Risks Related to Our Business — Extensive environmental regulation to which we are subject creates uncertainty regarding future environmental expenditures and liabilities."

#### Greenhouse Gas ("GHG") Emission Related Policies, Regulations, and Legislation

Governments across the globe have announced and implemented various policies, regulations, and legislation to support the transition from fossil fuels to low-carbon forms of energy and the infrastructure around that transition. The operation of our business and our customers' use of our products and solutions and services as well as our digital applications are, and may in the future be, impacted by these various government actions. For example, the United States rejoined the Paris Agreement effective February 19, 2021, an international climate change agreement among almost 200 nations and the European Union, that established a long-term goal of keeping the increase in global average temperature well below 2°C above pre-industrial levels and which calls for countries to set their own GHG emissions targets and be transparent about the measures each country will use to achieve these targets. In August 2022, the United States passed the Inflation Reduction Act of 2022 ("IRA"), which consists of a number of provisions aimed directly at confronting the climate change crisis. The climate-related provisions of the IRA are projected to cut emissions by up to 40% from 2005 GHG levels in the United States by 2030. Among other things, the IRA introduced the Clean Energy Investment Tax Credit ("ITC") for standalone energy storage, which is anticipated to lower capital cost of equipment. The IRA also contains provisions with incentives for grid modernization equipment, including domestic battery cell manufacturing, battery module manufacturing and its components as well as various upstream applications. These types of regulations incentivize the adoption of renewable energy technologies, including energy storage products. Compliance with these policies, regulations, and legislation to support the transition from fossil fuels to low-carbon forms of energy and the infrastructure around that transition may have an impact on the Company.

#### **Human Capital**

# **Workforce Composition and Demographics**

As of December 30, 2023, we had 1,864 full-time and part-time employees worldwide (excluding 441 contract workers).

Approximately 59% of our employees are engaged in manufacturing and production roles, primarily as hourly production associates. The remaining portion of our workforce is comprised of professionals in various roles. Our current worldwide workforce is made up of approximately 89% domestic employees and approximately 11% international employees.

We recognize that our employees are our greatest asset. As a result, the Company strives to create an environment that keeps our employees safe, treats them with dignity and respect, and fosters a culture of performance recognition. The Company does this through the programs summarized below, the objectives and related risks of each are overseen by our Board of Directors or one of its committees

#### **Employee Health and Safety**

Safety is a core value at Janus and is a critical element to our continued growth strategy. We foster a culture that is committed to making safety a personal mission for every employee. Our overall goal is to eliminate workplace injuries. We also promote and foster an environment of empowerment and sharing throughout the company at all levels and at all locations. We engage our employees on safety with a focus on risk identification and elimination through various leading indicators. We track Occupational Safety and Health Administration ("OSHA") recordable injuries and lost time rates by location monthly. We establish safety targets annually, which are tracked and reported to leadership monthly and reviewed with our Board of Directors.

The Company has an Environmental, Health & Safety committee comprised of representatives from across the Company's businesses that share best practices and is responsible for driving our environmental, health and safety strategy. This helps drive our programs designed to reinforce positive behaviors, empower our employees to actively take part in maintaining a safe work environment, to heighten awareness and mitigate risk on critical safety components. Within each of our manufacturing and distribution facilities, we have site-specific safety and environmental goals designed to reduce risk.

### Total Rewards

As part of our compensation philosophy, we believe that we must offer and maintain market a competitive total rewards program for our employees in order to attract and retain superior talent. These programs not only include base wages and performance-based incentives, but also health, welfare, and retirement benefits.

We offer competitive health and wellness benefits to eligible employees and periodically conduct analyses of plan utilization to further tailor our employee benefits to meet their ongoing needs.

# **Talent Development and Succession**

We aim to inspire and equip our employees to be successful in their current role within the organization and help them develop the skills to build on opportunities for future career growth. We understand our most critical roles that serve as points of leverage to deliver value and place our best people in those roles while attracting new talent and capabilities in support of continuous improvement in all we do. The Company uses performance management programs to support a high-performance culture, strengthen our employee engagement, and help retain our top talent.

Succession planning for critical roles is an important part of our development program across the Company. The Company is committed to developing our current talent and has made a significant investment in assessing our talent against the jobs both in the near term and in the future state. We are committed to ensuring our leaders are prepared for greater levels of responsibility and can successfully transition into new roles.

We believe that investing in the long-term development of our employees further solidifies our commitment to recruit, mentor, and retain world-class talent. Through the development and implementation of Janus University, we are continuously expanding learning opportunities for our teams. We strongly believe that this investment in our teams will build upon our employees' existing skills and talents and will allow them to advance in their careers while allow us to achieve our strategic goals.

#### **Available Information**

Our principal office is located at 135 Janus International Blvd. Temple, GA. Our telephone number is (866) 562-2580. Our website address is www.janusintl.com. Our Annual Report on Form 10-K, Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, Current Reports on Form 8-K and all amendments to those reports filed or furnished pursuant to Sections 13(a) and 15(d) of the Exchange Act are available free of charge on our website as soon as reasonably practicable after we electronically file such material with, or furnish it to, the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"). Unless expressly noted, the information on our website or any other website is provided as inactive textual references only and is not incorporated by reference into this Annual Report on Form 10-K and should not be considered part of this Annual Report on Form 10-K or any other information we file with or furnish to the SEC.

#### Information About Our Executive Officers

See "Item 10 — Directors, Executive Officers, and Corporate Governance".

#### Item 1A. RISK FACTORS

Stockholders should carefully consider the following risk factors, together with all of the other information included in this Annual Report. Janus may face additional risks and uncertainties that are not presently known to us, or that we currently deem immaterial. The following discussion should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and notes to the financial statements included elsewhere in this Annual Report and in the section titled "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations." The occurrence of one or more of the events or circumstances described in these risk factors, alone or in combination with other events or circumstances, may have a material adverse effect on Janus's business, reputation, revenue, financial condition, results of operations and future prospects, in which event the market price of Janus's securities could decline, and you could lose part or all of your investment. The risks and uncertainties described below are not intended to be exhaustive and are not the only ones that Janus faces. Additional risks and uncertainties not presently known to us or that we currently deem immaterial may also impair Janus's business operations. Disclosures of risks should not be interpreted to imply that the risks have not already materialized, and there may be additional risks that are not presently material or known. This Annual Report also contains forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. Janus's actual results could differ materially from those anticipated in the forward-looking statements as a result of a number of factors, including the risks described below.

#### Risks Relating to Janus's Business

#### Janus's continued success is dependent upon its ability to hire, retain, and utilize qualified personnel.

The success of Janus's business is dependent upon its ability to hire, retain and utilize qualified personnel, including engineers, craft personnel, and corporate management professionals who have the required experience and expertise at a reasonable cost. The market for these and other personnel is competitive. From time to time, it may be difficult to attract and retain qualified individuals with the expertise, and in the timeframe, demanded by Janus's clients, or to replace such personnel when needed in a timely manner. In certain geographic areas, for example, Janus may not be able to satisfy the demand for its services because of its inability to successfully hire and retain qualified personnel. Loss of the services of, or failure to recruit, qualified technical and management personnel could limit Janus's ability to successfully complete existing projects and compete for new projects.

In addition, if any key personnel leave or retire from Janus, Janus needs to have appropriate succession plans in place and to successfully implement such plans, which requires devoting time and resources toward identifying and integrating new personnel into leadership roles and other key positions. If Janus cannot attract and retain qualified personnel or effectively implement appropriate succession plans, it could have a material adverse impact on its business, financial condition, and results of operations.

# Janus engages in a highly competitive business. If Janus is unable to compete effectively, it could lose market share and its business and results of operations could be negatively impacted.

Janus faces intense competition to provide technical, professional, and construction services to clients. The markets Janus serves are highly competitive, and it competes against many local, regional, and national companies.

The extent of Janus's competition varies by industry, geographic area, and project type. Janus's projects are frequently awarded through a competitive bidding process, which is standard in its industry. Janus is constantly competing for project awards based on pricing, schedule, and the breadth and technical sophistication of its services. Competition can place downward pressure on Janus's contract prices and profit margins, and may force Janus to accept contractual terms and conditions that are less favorable to it, thereby increasing the risk that, among other things, it may not realize profit margins at the same rates as it has seen in the past or may become responsible for costs or other liabilities it has not accepted in the past. If Janus is unable to compete effectively, it may experience a loss of market share or reduced profitability or both, which, if significant, could have a material adverse impact on Janus's business, financial condition and results of operations.

# Janus's business strategy relies in part on acquisitions to sustain its growth. Acquisitions of other companies present certain risks and uncertainties.

Janua's business strategy involves growth through, among other things, the acquisition of other companies. Janua tries to evaluate companies that it believes will strategically fit into its business and growth objectives. If Janua is unable to successfully integrate and develop acquired businesses, including its ability to retain key employees of acquired businesses, it could fail to achieve anticipated synergies and cost savings, including any expected increases in revenues and operating results, which could have a material adverse effect on its financial results.

Janus may not be able to identify suitable acquisition or strategic investment opportunities or may be unable to obtain the required consent of its lenders and, therefore, may not be able to complete such acquisitions or strategic investments. Janus may incur expenses associated with sourcing, evaluating, and negotiating acquisitions (including those that do not get completed), and it may also pay fees and expenses associated with financing acquisitions to investment banks and other advisors. Any of these amounts may be substantial, and together with the size, timing and number of acquisitions Janus pursues, may negatively affect and cause significant volatility in our financial results.

In addition, Janus has assumed, and may in the future assume, liabilities of the company it is acquiring. While Janus retains third-party advisors to consult on potential liabilities related to these acquisitions, there can be no assurances that all potential liabilities will be identified or known to it. If there are unknown liabilities or other obligations, Janus's business could be materially affected.

# Our dependence on, and the price and availability of, raw materials (such as steel coil) as well as purchased components may adversely affect our business, results of operations and financial condition

We are subject to fluctuations in market prices for raw materials, including steel and energy, which could have an adverse effect on our results of operations. In recent years, the prices of various raw materials have increased significantly, and we have been unable to avoid exposure to global price fluctuations and supply limitations, such pricing fluctuations have occurred with the cost and availability of steel coil and related products. Additionally, we anticipate that fluctuations in the price of raw materials will continue in the future and, although most of the raw materials and purchase components we use are commercially available from a number of sources, we could experience disruptions in the availability of such materials, including disruptions attributed to our continued consolidation of raw material suppliers. If we are unable to purchase materials we require or are unable to pass on price increases to our customers or otherwise reduce our cost of goods or services sold, our business, results of operations and financial condition may be adversely affected.

# The outcome of pending and future claims and litigation could have a material adverse impact on Janus's business, financial condition, and results of operations.

Janus is a party to claims and litigation in the normal course of business. Since Janus engages in engineering and construction activities for large facilities and projects where design, construction, or systems failures can result in substantial injury to employees or others or damage to property, it is exposed to claims, litigation, and investigations if there is a failure at any such facility or project. Such claims could relate to, among other things, personal injury, loss of life, business interruption, property damage, worker or public safety, pollution and damage to the environment or natural resources and could be brought by Janus's clients or third-parties, such as those who use or reside near its clients' projects. Janus can also be exposed to claims if it agreed that a project would achieve certain performance standards or satisfy certain technical requirements and those standards or requirements are not met. In addition, while clients and subcontractors may agree to indemnify Janus against certain liabilities, such third-parties may refuse or be unable to pay for the liabilities.

# We may be subject to liability if we breach our contracts, and our insurance may be inadequate to cover our losses.

We are subject to numerous obligations in our contracts with organizations using our products and services, as well as vendors and other companies with which we do business. We may breach these commitments, whether through a weakness in our procedures, systems, and internal controls, negligence, or through the willful act of an employee or contractor. Our insurance policies, including our errors and omissions insurance, may be inadequate to compensate us for the potentially significant losses that may result from claims arising from breaches of our contracts, as well as disruptions in our services, failures or disruptions to our infrastructure, catastrophic events and disasters, or otherwise.

In addition, our insurance may not cover all claims made against us, and defending a suit, regardless of its merit, could be costly and divert management's attention. Further, such insurance may not be available to us in the future on economically reasonable terms, or at all.

# We are potentially subject to taxation related risks in multiple jurisdictions, and changes in U.S. tax laws, in particular, could have a material adverse effect on our business, cash flow, results of operations, or financial condition.

We are a U.S.-based company potentially subject to tax in multiple U.S. and non-U.S. tax jurisdictions. Significant judgment is required in determining our global provision for income taxes, deferred tax assets or liabilities and in evaluating our tax positions on a worldwide basis. While we understand our tax positions to be consistent with the tax laws in the jurisdictions in which we conduct our business, it is possible that these positions may be overturned by jurisdictional tax authorities, which may have a significant impact on our global provision for income taxes.

Tax laws are dynamic and subject to change as new laws are passed and new interpretations of the law are issued or applied.

On December 22, 2017, President Trump signed into law the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act (the "Tax Act"), which significantly revised the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"). On March 27, 2020, the Tax Act was amended by the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act. Certain provisions of the Tax Act, as amended by the CARES Act, may adversely affect us. The Tax Act requires complex computations that were not previously provided for under U.S. tax law. Furthermore, the Tax Act requires significant judgments to be made in interpretation of the law and significant estimates in the calculation of the provision for income taxes. Additional interpretive guidance may be issued by the U.S. Internal Revenue Service, the U.S. Department of the Treasury or another governing body that may significantly differ from the Company's interpretation of the Tax Act, which may result in a material adverse effect on our business, cash flow, results of operations or financial condition.

On August 16, 2022, legislation commonly known as the Inflation Reduction Act (the "IRA") was signed into law. Among other things, the IRA includes a 1% excise tax on corporate stock repurchases, applicable to repurchases after December 31, 2022, and also a new minimum tax based on book income. Our analysis of the effect of the IRA on us is ongoing. It is possible that the IRA (or implementing regulations or other guidance) could adversely impact our current and deferred federal tax liability. Furthermore, other changes that may be enacted in the future, including changes to tax laws enacted by state or local governments in jurisdictions in which we operate, could materially increase the amount of taxes, including state and local taxes, we would be required to pay and could materially adversely affect our financial position and results of operations. Governmental tax authorities are increasingly scrutinizing the tax positions of companies. Many countries in the European Union, as well as a number of other countries and organizations such as the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, are actively considering changes to existing tax laws that, if enacted, could increase our tax obligations in countries where we do business. If U.S. federal, state or local or non-U.S. tax authorities change applicable tax laws, our overall taxes could increase, and our business, financial condition or results of operations may be adversely impacted.

Unanticipated changes in effective tax rates or adverse outcomes resulting from examination of our income or other tax returns could adversely affect our financial condition and results of operations.

We are subject to taxes by U.S. federal, state, and local and non-U.S. tax authorities. Our future effective tax rates could be adversely affected by a number of factors, including changes in the valuation of our deferred tax assets and liabilities, expected timing and amount of the release of any tax valuation allowances, or changes in tax laws, regulations, or interpretations thereof. In addition, we may be subject to audits of our income, sales, and other transaction taxes by U.S. federal, state, and local and non-U.S. taxing authorities. Outcomes from these audits could have an adverse effect on our financial condition and results of operations.

#### We may experience negative or unforeseen tax consequences.

The Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development ("OECD")/G20 and other invited countries developed a global tax framework inclusive of a 15% global minimum tax under the Pillar Two Global Anti-Base Erosion Rules ("Pillar Two"). On December 15, 2022, the Council of the European Union ("EU") formally adopted the OECD's framework to achieve a coordinated implementation amongst EU Member States consistent with EU law. The EU's Pillar Two Directive effective dates are January 1, 2024, and January 1, 2025, for different aspects of the directive. In 2023, the United Kingdom also formally adopted legislation consistent with the OECD framework. Other major jurisdictions are actively considering and implementing changes to their tax laws to adopt certain parts of the OECD's proposals. We have assessed this framework including OECD administrative guidance and determined, based upon available guidance, that these changes will not have a material impact to our results of operations; however, any future changes in OECD guidance or interpretations, including local country tax legislative changes thereof, could impact our initial assessment.

### Fluctuations in foreign currency could have an effect on our reported results of operations.

Our exposure to fluctuations in foreign currency rates results primarily from the translation exposure associated with the preparation of our consolidated financial statements, as well as from transaction exposure associated with transactions in currencies other than our functional currency. While the financial statements are reported in U.S. dollars, our financial statements are prepared using foreign currencies such as the Euro as the functional currency and then translated into U.S. dollars. We cannot accurately predict the nature or extent of future exchange rate variability of the Euro or other currencies or their exchange rates relative to the U.S. dollar. Foreign exchange rates are sensitive to factors beyond our control. Fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates could negatively affect our results of operations and impact reported financial results.

Any significant disruption in or unauthorized access to our computer systems or those of third parties that we utilize in our operations, including those relating to cybersecurity or arising from cyber-attacks, could result in a loss or degradation of service, unauthorized disclosure of data, including user and corporate information, or theft of intellectual property, including digital assets, which could adversely impact our financial condition or harm our reputation.

Our reputation and ability to attract, retain, and serve our users is dependent upon the reliable performance and security of our computer systems, mobile and other user applications, and those of third parties that we utilize in our operations. Although we employ comprehensive measures to prevent, detect, address, and mitigate cybersecurity threats, a cybersecurity incident could potentially result in the misappropriation, destruction, corruption, or unavailability of critical data, personal identifiable information, and other confidential or proprietary data (our own or that of third parties) and the disruption of business operations. Our ability to keep our business operating is highly dependent on the proper and efficient operation of TT service providers. Our systems and those of third parties that we utilize may be subject to cyber incident, damage or interruption from earthquakes, adverse weather conditions, lack of maintenance due to a pandemic, other natural disasters, terrorist attacks, security breach, power loss or telecommunications failures. Additionally, threats to network and data security are constantly evolving and becoming increasingly diverse and sophisticated. Interruptions in, destruction or manipulation of these systems, or with the internet in general, could make our service unavailable or degraded or otherwise hinder our ability to deliver our services. Service interruptions, errors in our software or the unavailability of computer systems used in our operations, delivery or user interface could diminish the overall attractiveness of our user service to existing and potential users.

Our computer systems, mobile and other applications and systems of third parties we use in our operations are vulnerable to cybersecurity risks, including cyber-attacks and loss of confidentiality, integrity or availability, both from state-sponsored and individual activity, such as hacks, unauthorized access, computer viruses, denial of service attacks, physical or electronic break-ins and similar disruptions and destruction. Such systems may periodically experience directed attacks intended to lead to interruptions and delays in our service and operations as well as loss, misuse or theft of data or intellectual property. Any attempt by hackers to obtain our data (including customer and corporate information) or intellectual property, disrupt our service, or otherwise access our systems, or those of third parties we use, if successful, could harm our business, be expensive to remedy and damage our reputation. We have implemented certain systems and processes to thwart hackers and protect our data and systems. There is no assurance that cybersecurity threats may not have a material impact on our Company or our service or systems in the future. Although we have cybersecurity insurance (subject to specified retentions or deductibles), such insurance may not fully cover all damages, fines, and claims arising from cybersecurity incidents or the damages, fines, and claims may exceed the amount of any insurance available or may not be insurable. Any significant disruption to our service or access to our systems could result in a loss of users, liability, and adversely affect our business and results of operation.

We utilize our own communications and computer hardware systems located either in our facilities or in that of a third-party provider. In addition, we utilize third-party "cloud" computing services in connection with our business operations. Problems faced by us or our third-party web hosting, "cloud" computing, or other network providers, including technological or business-related disruptions, as well as cybersecurity threats, could adversely impact the experience of our users.

# We face system security risks as we depend upon automated processes and the Internet, and our reputation could be damaged, we could incur substantial additional costs and become subject to litigation if our systems are penetrated.

We are increasingly dependent upon automated information technology processes, and many of our new customers come from the telephone or over the Internet. Moreover, the nature of our business involves the receipt and retention of personal information about our customers. We also rely extensively on third-party vendors to retain data, process transactions and provide other systems and services. These systems, are subject to damage or interruption from power outages, computer and telecommunications failures, computer viruses, malware, and other destructive or disruptive security breaches and catastrophic events, such as a natural disaster or a terrorist event or cyber-attack. In addition, experienced computer programmers and hackers may be able to penetrate our security systems and misappropriate our confidential information, create system disruptions, or cause shutdowns. Such data security breaches as well as system disruptions and shutdowns could result in additional costs to repair or replace such networks or information systems and possible legal liability, including government enforcement actions and private litigation. In addition, our customers could lose confidence in our ability to protect their personal information, which could cause them to discontinue our services.

If we are unable to attract and retain team members or contract with third parties having the specialized skills or technologies needed to support our systems, implement improvements to our customer-facing technology in a timely manner, quickly and efficiently fulfill our customers products and payment methods they demand, or provide a convenient and consistent experience for our customers regardless of the ultimate sales channel, our ability to compete and our results of operations could be adversely affected.

### Our brand is integral to our success. If we fail to effectively maintain, promote, and enhance our brand in a cost-effective manner, our business and competitive advantage may be harmed.

Maintaining and enhancing our reputation and brand recognition is critical to our relationships with existing customers, providers and strategic partners, and to our ability to attract new customers, providers, and strategic partners. The promotion of our brand may require us to make substantial investments, and we anticipate that, given the highly competitive nature of our market, these marketing initiatives may become increasingly difficult and expensive. Brand promotion and marketing activities may not be successful or yield increased revenue, and to the extent that these activities yield increased revenue, the increased revenue may not offset the expenses we incur and our results of operations could be harmed. In addition, any factor that diminishes our reputation or that of our management, including failing to meet the expectations of our customers, providers, or partners, could harm our reputation and brand and make it substantially more difficult for us to attract new customers, providers, and partners. If we do not successfully maintain and enhance our reputation and brand recognition in a cost-effective manner, our business may not grow and we could lose our relationships with customers, providers, and partners, which could harm our business, financial condition and results of operations.

#### Economic uncertainty or downturns, particularly as it impacts specific industries, could adversely affect our business and results of operations.

In recent years, the United States and other significant markets have experienced cyclical downturns and worldwide economic conditions remain uncertain. Economic uncertainty and associated macroeconomic conditions make it extremely difficult for our partners, suppliers, and us to accurately forecast and plan future business activities, and could cause our customers to slow spending on our offerings, which could adversely affect our ability to complete current projects and attract new customers.

We are susceptible to the indirect effects of adverse macroeconomic events that can result in higher unemployment, shrinking demand for products, large-scale business failures, and tight credit markets. Specifically, if adverse macroeconomic and business conditions significantly affect self-storage and commercial market rental rates and occupancy levels, our customers could reduce spending surrounding our products and services, which could have a negative effect on our business and therefore our results of operations. Thus, our results of operations are sensitive to changes in overall economic conditions that impact consumer spending, including discretionary spending, as well as to increased bad debts due to recessionary pressures. Adverse economic conditions affecting disposable consumer income, such as employment levels, business conditions, interest rates, tax rates, and fuel and energy costs, could reduce consumer spending or cause consumers to shift their spending to other products and services. A general reduction in the level of discretionary spending or shifts in consumer discretionary spending could adversely affect our growth and profitability. Also, competitors may respond to challenging market conditions by lowering prices and attempting to lure away our customers.

We cannot predict the timing, strength, or duration of any economic slowdown, financial market disruptions or any subsequent recovery, generally or any industry in particular. We also cannot predict the many ways in which they may affect our customers and our business in general. Nonetheless, financial and macroeconomic disruptions could have a significant adverse effect on our revenues, profitability, and results of operations. If the conditions in the general economy and the markets in which we operate worsen from present levels, our business, financial condition, and results of operations could be materially adversely affected.

# If we are unable to develop new product or service offerings, achieve increased consumer adoption of those offerings or penetrate new vertical markets, our business and financial results could be materially adversely affected.

Our success depends on our continued innovation to provide product and service offerings that make our products and service offerings useful for consumers. Accordingly, we must continually invest resources in product, technology, and development in order to improve the comprehensiveness and effectiveness of our products and service offerings and effectively incorporate new technologies into them. These product, technology and development expenses may include costs of hiring additional personnel and of engaging third-party service providers and other research and development costs.

Without innovative products and service offerings, we may be unable to attract additional consumers or retain current consumers, which could adversely affect our ability to attract and retain customers, which could, in turn, harm our business and financial results. In addition, while we have historically concentrated our efforts on the self-storage and commercial markets, we may penetrate additional vertical markets in order to aid in our long-term growth goals. Our success in the self-storage and commercial markets depends on our deep understanding of these industries. In order to penetrate new vertical markets, we will need to develop a similar understanding of those new markets and the associated business challenges faced by participants in them. Developing this level of understanding may require substantial investments of time and resources and we may not be successful. In addition, these new vertical markets may have specific risks associated with them.

# Our corporate culture has contributed to our success and, if we are unable to maintain it as we grow, our business, financial condition and results of operations could be harmed.

We have experienced and may continue to experience rapid expansion of our employee ranks. Our corporate culture has been a key element of our success. However, as our organization grows, it may be difficult to maintain our culture, which could reduce our ability to innovate and operate effectively. The failure to maintain the key aspects of our culture as our organization grows could result in decreased employee satisfaction, increased difficulty in attracting top talent, increased turnover and could compromise the quality of our client service, all of which are important to our success and to the effective execution of our business strategy. In the event we are unable to maintain our corporate culture as we grow to scale, our business, financial condition and results of operations could be harmed.

# Our past growth may not be indicative of our future growth, and our revenue growth rate may decline in the future.

The growth in revenue we have experienced in recent years may not be indicative of our future growth, if any, and we will not be able to grow as expected, or at all, if we do not accomplish the following:

- · increase the number of customers:
- further improve the quality of our products and service offerings, and introduce high-quality new products;
- timely adjust expenditures in relation to changes in demand for the underlying products and services offered;
- · maintain brand recognition and effectively leverage our brand; and
- · attract and retain management and other skilled personnel for our business.

Our revenue growth rates may also be limited if we are unable to achieve high market penetration rates as we experience increased competition. If our revenue or revenue growth rates decline, investors' perceptions of our business may be adversely affected and the market price of our common stock could decline.

# We may require additional capital to pursue our business objectives and respond to business opportunities, challenges, or unforeseen circumstances. If capital is not available to us, our business, operating results and financial condition may be harmed.

We intend to continue to make investments to support our growth and may require additional capital to pursue our business objectives and respond to business opportunities, challenges, or unforeseen circumstances, including to increase our marketing expenditures to improve our brand awareness, develop new product and service offerings and existing product and service offerings, enhance our operating infrastructure and acquire complementary businesses and technologies. Accordingly, we may need to engage in equity or debt financings to secure additional funds. However, additional funds may not be available when we need them, on terms that are acceptable to us, or at all. Volatility in the credit markets also may have an adverse effect on our ability to obtain debt financing.

If we raise additional funds through further issuances of equity or convertible debt securities, our existing stockholders could suffer significant dilution, and any new equity securities we issue could have rights, preferences and privileges superior to those of holders of our common stock. If we are unable to obtain adequate financing or financing on terms satisfactory to us, when we require it, our ability to continue to pursue our business objectives and to respond to business opportunities, challenges or unforeseen circumstances could be significantly limited, and our business, operating results, financial condition and prospects could be materially adversely affected.

# We may not be able to generate sufficient cash to service our obligations and any debt we incur.

Our ability to make payments on our obligations and any debt we incur in the future will depend on our financial and operating performance, which is subject to prevailing economic and competitive conditions and to certain financial, business and other factors beyond our control. We may be unable to attain a level of cash flows from operating activities sufficient to permit us to pay our obligations, including amounts due under our obligations, and the principal, premium, if any, and interest on any debt we incur.

If we are unable to service our obligations and any debt we incur from cash flows, we may need to refinance or restructure all or a portion of such obligations prior to maturity. Our ability to refinance or restructure obligations and any debt we incur will depend upon the condition of the capital markets and our financial condition at such time. Any refinancing or restructuring could be at higher interest rates and may require us to comply with more onerous covenants, which could further restrict our business operations. If our cash flows are insufficient to service our then-existing debt and other obligations, we may not be able to refinance or restructure any of these obligations on commercially reasonable terms or at all and any refinancing or restructuring could have a material adverse effect on our business results of operations or financial condition

If our cash flows are insufficient to fund our obligations and any debt we incur in the future and we are unable to refinance or restructure these obligations, we could face substantial liquidity problems and may be forced to reduce or delay investments and capital expenditures or to sell material assets or operations to meet our then-existing debt and other obligations. We cannot assure you that we would be able to implement any of these alternative measures on satisfactory terms or at all or that the proceeds from such alternatives would be adequate to meet any debt or other obligations then due. If it becomes necessary to implement any of these alternative measures, our business, results of operations or financial condition could be materially and adversely affected.

# We may not be able to adequately protect our proprietary and intellectual property rights in our data or technology.

Our success is dependent, in part, upon protecting our proprietary information and technology. We may be unsuccessful in adequately protecting our intellectual property. No assurance can be given that confidentiality, non-disclosure, or invention assignment agreements with employees, consultants, or other parties will not be breached and will otherwise be effective in controlling access to and distribution of our platform or solutions, or certain aspects of our platform or solutions, and proprietary information. Further, these agreements do not prevent our competitors from independently developing technologies that are substantially equivalent or superior to our platform or solutions. Additionally, certain unauthorized use of our intellectual property may go undetected, or we may face legal or practical barriers to enforcing our legal rights even where unauthorized use is detected.

Current law may not provide for adequate protection of our platform or data. Further, the laws of some countries do not protect proprietary rights to the same extent as the laws of the United States, and mechanisms for enforcement of intellectual property rights in some foreign countries may be inadequate. To the extent we expand our international activities, our exposure to unauthorized copying and use of our data or certain aspects of our platform, or our data may increase. Competitors, foreign governments, foreign government-backed actors, criminals, or other third parties may gain unauthorized access to our proprietary information and technology.

Accordingly, despite our efforts, we may be unable to prevent third parties from infringing upon or misappropriating our technology and intellectual property. To protect our intellectual property rights, we may be required to spend significant resources to monitor and protect these rights, and we may or may not be able to detect infringement by our customers or third parties. Litigation has been and may be necessary in the future to enforce our intellectual property rights and to protect our trade secrets. Such litigation could be costly, time consuming, and distracting to management and could result in the impairment or loss of portions of our intellectual property. Furthermore, our efforts to enforce our intellectual property rights may be met with defenses, counterclaims, and counter suits attacking the validity and enforceability of our intellectual property rights. Our inability to protect our proprietary technology against unauthorized copying or use, as well as any costly litigation or diversion of our management's attention and resources, could delay further sales or the implementation of our platform or solutions, impair the functionality of our platform or solutions, delay introductions of new features, integrations, and capabilities, result in our substituting inferior or more costly technologies into our platform or solutions, or injure our reputation. In addition, we may be required to license additional technology from third parties to develop and market new features, integrations, and capabilities, and we cannot be certain that we could license that technology on commercially reasonable terms or at all, and our inability to license this technology could harm our ability to compete.

# We may in the future be sued by third parties for various claims, including alleged infringement of proprietary intellectual property rights.

There is considerable patent and other intellectual property development activity in our market, and litigation, based on allegations of infringement or other violations of intellectual property, is frequent in software and internet-based industries. We may receive communications from third parties, including practicing entities and non-practicing entities, claiming that we have infringed their intellectual property rights.

In addition, we may be sued by third parties for breach of contract, defamation, negligence, unfair competition, or copyright or trademark infringement or claims based on other theories. We could also be subject to claims based upon the services that are accessible from our website through links to other websites or information on our website supplied by third parties or claims that our collection of information from third-party sites without a license violates certain federal or state laws or website terms of use. We could also be subject to claims that the collection or provision of certain information breached laws or regulations relating to privacy or data protection. As a result of claims against us regarding suspected infringement, our technologies may be subject to injunction, we may be required to pay damages, or we may have to seek a license to continue certain practices (which may not be available on reasonable terms, if at all), all of which may significantly increase our operating expenses or may require us to restrict our business activities and limit our ability to deliver our products and services and/or certain features, integrations, and capabilities of our platform. As a result, we may also be required to develop alternative non-infringing technology, which could require significant effort and expense and/or cause us to alter our products or services, which could negatively affect our business. Further, many of our subscription agreements require us to indemnify our customers for third-party intellectual property infringement claims, so any alleged infringement by us resulting in claims against such customers would increase our liability. Our exposure to risks associated with various claims, including the use of intellectual property or the care taken to safeguard against infringement risks with respect to the acquired company or technology. In addition, third parties may make infringement and similar or related claims after we have acquired technology that had not been asserted prior to our a

# Rising operating expenses for our customers could indirectly reduce our cash flow and funds available for future distributions.

Our customers' self-storage and commercial market facilities and any other facilities they acquire or develop in the future are and will be subject to operating risks common to real estate in general, any or all of which may negatively affect our customers, and in turn, negatively affect us. Our customers' self-storage and commercial market facilities are subject to increases in operating expenses such as real estate and other taxes, personnel costs including the cost of providing specific medical coverage to their employees, utilities, insurance, administrative

expenses, and costs for repairs and maintenance. If our customers' operating expenses increase without a corresponding increase in revenues, they may decrease discretionary spending, which could diminish our profitability and limit our ability to make distributions to our stockholders.

Certain of our customers have negotiating leverage, which may require that we agree to terms and conditions that result in increased cost of revenues, decreased revenue, and lower average selling prices and gross margins, all of which could harm our results of operations.

Some of our customers have bargaining power when negotiating new projects or renewals of existing agreements and have the ability to buy similar products from other vendors or develop such systems internally. These customers have and may continue to seek advantageous pricing and other commercial and performance terms that may require us to develop additional features in the products we sell to them or add complexity to our customer agreements. We have been required to, and may continue to be required to, reduce the average selling price of our products in response to these pressures. If we are unable to avoid reducing our average selling prices or otherwise negotiate renewals with certain of our customers on favorable terms, our results of operations could be harmed.

#### Our business is subject to complex and evolving U.S. and foreign laws and regulations regarding privacy and data protection.

The regulatory environment surrounding data privacy and protection is constantly evolving and can be subject to significant change. Laws and regulations governing data privacy and the unauthorized disclosure of confidential information, including the European Union General Data Protection Regulation (the "GDPR"), pose increasingly complex compliance challenges and potentially elevate our costs. The U.K. may enact data privacy laws similar to the GDPR following Brexit, in order to maintain harmony with GDPR requirements, but this is not yet settled. Any failure, or perceived failure, by us to comply with applicable data protection laws could result in proceedings or actions against us by governmental entities or others,

#### Privacy concerns could result in regulatory changes that may harm our business.

Personal privacy has become a significant issue in the jurisdictions in which we operate. Many jurisdictions in which we operate, including California, Canada, and certain European Union member states, have imposed restrictions and requirements on the use of personal information by those collecting such information. The regulatory framework for privacy issues is rapidly evolving and future enactment of more restrictive laws, rules, or regulations and/or future enforcement actions or investigations could have a materially adverse impact on us through increased costs or restrictions on our business or our customers businesses. Failure to comply with such laws and regulations could result in consent orders or regulatory penalties and significant legal liability, including fines, which could damage our reputation and have an adverse effect on our results of operations or financial condition.

We must comply with increasingly complex and rigorous regulatory standards enacted to protect businesses and personal data, including the GDPR and the California Consumer Privacy Act ("CCPA"). GDPR is a comprehensive European Union privacy and data protection reform, effective in 2018, which applies to companies that are organized in the European Union or otherwise provide services to consumers who reside in the European Union, and imposes strict standards regarding the sharing, storage, use, disclosure, and protection of end user data and significant penalties (monetary and otherwise) for non-compliance. The CCPA, effective in 2020, together with the California Privacy Rights Act, provides consumers with expansive rights and control over personal information obtained by or shared with certain covered businesses. Any failure to comply with GDPR, the CCPA, or other regulatory standards, could subject the Company to legal and reputational risks. Misuse of or failure to secure personal information could also result in violation of data privacy laws and regulations, proceedings against us by governmental entities or others, damage to our reputation and credibility, and could have a material adverse effect on our business and results of operations.

# Extensive environmental regulation to which we are subject creates uncertainty regarding future environmental expenditures and liabilities.

We are subject to various federal, state, and local environmental laws, ordinances, and regulations. Under environmental statutes such as CERCLA, also known as the Superfund law, owners of real estate or operators of a facility may be liable for the costs of investigating and remediating certain hazardous substances or other regulated materials on or in such property or facility. Such laws often impose strict, joint and several liability, without regard to knowledge or fault, for removal or remediation of hazardous substances or other regulated materials upon owners and operators of contaminated property, even after they no longer own or operate the property. Moreover, the past or present owner or operator of a property from which a release emanates could be liable for any personal injuries or property damages that may result from such releases, as well as any damages to natural resources that may arise from such releases. Remediation may be required in the future as a result of spills or releases of petroleum products or hazardous substances or the discovery of unknown environmental conditions at our properties, or implementation of more stringent standards regarding existing contamination. The presence of such substances or materials, or the failure to properly remediate such substances for which we are liable, may adversely affect our ability to lease, sell or rent such property or to borrow using such property as collateral.

We cannot predict what environmental legislation or regulations will be enacted in the future, how existing or future laws or regulations will be administered or interpreted, or what environmental conditions may be found to exist at our facilities or at third party sites for which we may be liable. Enactment of stricter laws or regulations, stricter interpretations of existing laws and regulations or the requirement to undertake the investigation or remediation of currently unknown environmental contamination at sites we own or third-party sites may require us to make additional expenditures, some of which could be material.

#### Our manufacturing facilities are subject to unexpected equipment failures, operational interruptions, and casualty losses.

Our manufacturing facilities are subject to risks that may limit our ability to manufacture and sell our products, including unexpected equipment failures, operational interruptions, and catastrophic losses due to other unanticipated events such as fires, explosions, accidents, adverse weather conditions, and transportation interruptions. Any such equipment failures or events can subject us to plant shutdowns and periods of reduced production or unexpected downtime. Furthermore, the resolution of certain operational interruptions may require significant capital expenditures. Although our insurance coverage could offset the losses or expenditures relating to some of these events, our results of operations and cash flows would be negatively impacted to the extent that such claims were not covered or only partially covered by our insurance.

#### Our business and operations are subject to risks related to climate change.

The long-term effects of global climate change could present both physical risks and transition risks (such as regulatory or technology changes), which are expected to be widespread and unpredictable. These changes could over time affect, for example, the availability and cost of raw materials, commodities, and energy (including utilities), which in turn may impact our ability to procure goods or services required for the operation of our business at the quantities and levels we require. Additionally, we have facilities located in areas that may be impacted by the physical risks of climate change, and we face the risk of losses incurred as a result of physical damage to our facilities and inventory as well as business interruption caused by such events. Furthermore, periods of extended inclement weather or associated flooding may inhibit construction activity utilizing our products and delay shipments of our products to customers.

We also use natural gas, diesel fuel, gasoline, and electricity in our operations, all of which could face increased regulation as a result of climate change or other environmental concerns. Additionally, we may face increased costs to respond to future water laws and regulations, and operations in areas with limited water availability may be impacted if droughts become more frequent or severe. Any such events could have a material adverse effect on our costs or results of operations.

# If employees violate our policies or we fail to maintain adequate record-keeping and internal accounting practices to accurately record our transactions, we may be subject to regulatory sanctions.

We are subject to various anti-corruption laws that prohibit improper payments or offers of payments to foreign governments and their officials by a U.S. person for the purpose of obtaining or retaining business. We operate in countries that may present a more corruptible business environment than the U.S. Such activities create the risk of unauthorized payments or offers of payments by one of our employees or agents that could be in violation of various laws, including the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977 ("FCPA"). We have implemented policies to discourage these practices by our employees and agents. However, existing safeguards and any future improvements may prove to be ineffective and employees or agents may engage in conduct for which we might be held responsible.

If employees violate our policies or we fail to maintain adequate record-keeping and internal accounting practices to accurately record our transactions, we may be subject to regulatory sanctions. Violations of the FCPA or other anti-corruption laws may result in severe criminal or civil sanctions and penalties, and we may be subject to other liabilities which could materially adversely affect our business, results of operations and financial condition. We are also subject to similar anti-corruption laws in other jurisdictions.

#### Disruptions in the worldwide economy (including inflation) may adversely affect our business, results of operations, and financial condition.

The global economy can be negatively impacted by a variety of factors such as the spread of fear, the occurrence of man-made or natural disasters, severe weather, actual or threatened hostilities or war, terrorist activity, political unrest, civil strife, and other geopolitical events of uncertainty. Such adverse and uncertain economic conditions may impact demand for our products generally. Furthermore, in connection with continued tensions related to the ongoing conflict between Russia and Ukraine, governments in the United States, United Kingdom, and the European Union have each imposed export controls on certain products as well as financial and economic sanctions on certain industry sectors and parties within Russia. Further escalation of geopolitical tensions (such as those between Israel and Gaza and between Taiwan and China) could generate a broader impact, which could expand into other markets where we do business and could adversely affect our business and/or our supply chain, our international subsidiaries, business partners, or customers in the broader region. This could include potentially destabilizing effects for the European continent or the global oil and natural gas markets.

Additionally, increases in inflation, along with the uncertainties surrounding geopolitical developments and global supply chain disruptions, have caused, and may in the future cause, global economic uncertainty and uncertainty about the interest rate environment. A failure to adequately respond to these risks could have a material adverse impact on our financial condition, results of operations, or cash flows. In response to high levels of inflation and recession fears, the U.S. Federal Reserve, the European Central Bank, and the Bank of England have raised, and may continue to raise, interest rates and implement fiscal policy interventions. Even if these interventions lower inflation, they may also reduce economic growth rates, create a recession, and have other similar effects. The U.S. debt ceiling and budget deficit concerns have increased the possibility of credit-rating downgrades and economic slowdowns, or a recession in the United States.

In addition, our ability to manage normal commercial relationships with our suppliers, distributors, and customers may suffer. As a result, certain customers may shift purchases to lower-priced or other perceived value-offerings during economic downturns as a result of various factors, including: job losses, inflation, higher taxes, reduced access to credit, change in federal economic policy, and recent international trade disputes. Our suppliers and distributors may become more conservative in response to these conditions and seek to reduce their inventories. The effects of current and future economic and political conditions and other events beyond our control on us, our suppliers, distributors, and customers could severely disrupt our operations and have a material adverse effect on our business, results of operations, financial condition, and prospects. Our results of operations depend upon, among other things, our ability to maintain and increase sales

volumes with our existing customers, our ability to attract new consumers, the financial condition of our customers, and our ability to provide products that appeal to customers at the right price. Decreases in demand for our products without a corresponding decrease in costs would put downward pressure on margins and would negatively impact our financial results. Prolonged unfavorable economic conditions or uncertainty may have an adverse effect on our revenues and profitability and may result in customers making long-lasting changes to their discretionary spending behavior on a more permanent basis.

#### Risks Relating to Ownership of our Common Stock

The Company may not be able to pay dividends or make distributions or obtain loans to enable us to pay any dividends on our common stock or satisfy our other financial obligations.

We have no direct operations and no significant assets other than our ownership of Janus Core and its respective subsidiaries, which operates Janus's business. We depend on profits generated by Janus's business for distributions and other payments to generate the funds necessary to meet our financial obligations, including our expenses as a publicly traded company, and to pay any dividends with respect to our capital stock. Legal and contractual restrictions in agreements governing our indebtedness, as well as our financial condition and operating requirements, may limit our ability to receive distributions from Group.

Provisions in our amended and restated certificate of incorporation and Delaware law may inhibit a takeover of us, which could limit the price investors might be willing to pay in the future for our common stock and could entrench management.

Our amended and restated certificate of incorporation and bylaws contain provisions to limit the ability of others to acquire control of the Company or cause us to engage in change-of-control transactions, including, among other things:

- provisions that authorize the board of directors of the Company (the "Board"), without action by our stockholders, to authorize by resolution the issuance of shares of preferred stock and to establish the number of shares to be included in such series, along with the preferential rights determined by the Board; provided that, the Board may also, subject to the rights of the holders of preferred stock, authorize shares of preferred stock to be increased or decreased by the approval of the Board and the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority in voting power of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the corporation;
- · provisions that impose advance notice requirements and other requirements and limitations on the ability of stockholders to propose matters for consideration at stockholder meetings; and
- · a staggered board whereby our directors are divided by three classes, with each class subject to retirement and reelection once every three years on a rotating basis.

With our staggered Board, at least two annual meetings of stockholders will generally be required in order to effect a change in a majority of our directors. Our staggered Board can discourage proxy contests for the election of directors and purchases of substantial blocks of our shares by making it more difficult for a potential acquirer to gain control of the Board in a relatively short period of time.

Our amended and restated certificate of incorporation provides, subject to limited exceptions, that the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware is the sole and exclusive forum for certain stockholder litigation matters, which could limit stockholders' ability to obtain a favorable judicial forum for disputes with us or our directors, officers, employees or stockholders.

Our amended and restated certificate of incorporation provides that, unless the Company consents in writing to the selection of an alternative forum, the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware is the sole and exclusive forum for (1) any derivative action or proceeding brought on our behalf, (2) any action asserting a claim of breach of a fiduciary duty owed by any current or former of the Company's directors, officers, stockholders, agents or other employees to the Company or its shareholders, or any claim for aiding and abetting such alleged breach, (3) any action asserting a claim against the Company or any director, officer, stockholder, agent or other employee of the Company arising pursuant to any provision of the Delaware General Corporation Law ("DGCL"), our certificate of incorporation or our bylaws or as to which the DGCL confers jurisdiction on the Court of Chancery or (4) any other action asserting a claim against the Company or any director, officer, stockholder, agent or other employee of the Company that is governed by the internal affairs doctrine; provided that for the avoidance of doubt, the forum selection provision that identifies the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware as the exclusive forum for certain litigation, including any "derivative action," will not apply to any claim (a) as to which the Delaware Court of Chancery determines that there is an indispensable party not subject to the jurisdiction of the Delaware Court of Chancery (and the indispensable party does not consent to the personal jurisdiction of the Court of Chancery within ten days following such determination), (b) which is vested in the exclusive jurisdiction of a court or forum other than the Delaware Court of Chancery, or (c) arising under federal securities laws, including the Securities Act as to which the federal district courts of the United States of America shall, to the fullest extent permitted by law, be the sole and exclusive forum. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the provisions of Article XI of the Company's amended and restated certificate of incorporation will not apply to suits brought to enforce any liability or duty created by the Exchange Act, or any other claim for which the federal district courts of the United States of America shall be the sole and exclusive forum. Any person or entity purchasing or otherwise acquiring any interest in shares of the Company's capital stock shall be deemed to have notice of and consented to the forum provisions in its amended and restated certificate of incorporation. If any action the subject matter of which is within the scope of the forum provisions is filed in a court other than a court located within the State of Delaware (a "foreign action") in the name of any stockholder, such stockholder shall be deemed to have consented to: (x) the personal jurisdiction of the state and federal courts located within the State of Delaware in connection with any action brought in any such court to enforce the forum provisions (an "enforcement action"); and (y) having service of process made upon such stockholder in any such enforcement action by service upon such stockholder's counsel in the foreign action as agent for such stockholder.

This choice of forum provision may limit a stockholder's ability to bring a claim in a judicial forum that it finds favorable for disputes with the Company or any of its directors, officers, other employees or stockholders, which may discourage lawsuits with respect to such claims. Alternatively, if a court were to find the choice of forum provision contained in Janus's amended and restated certificate of incorporation to be inapplicable or unenforceable in an action, the Company may incur additional costs associated with resolving such action in other jurisdictions, which could harm its business, operating results and financial condition.

#### We have and may continue to incur increased costs and obligations as a result of complying with public company requirements.

The obligations associated with being a public company involve significant expenses and require significant resources and management attention, which may divert from our business operations.

We are subject to the reporting requirements of the Exchange Act and the Sarbanes-Oxley Act. The Exchange Act requires that we file annual, quarterly and current reports with respect to our business, financial condition and results of operations. The Sarbanes-Oxley Act requires, among other things, that we establish and maintain effective internal control over financial reporting. As a result, we incur significant legal, accounting and other expenses that we did not previously incur. Our entire management team and many of our other employees will need to devote substantial time to compliance and may not effectively or efficiently manage our transition into a public company.

In addition, the need to establish the corporate infrastructure demanded of a public company may also divert management's attention from implementing our business strategy, which could prevent us from improving our business, financial condition, cash flows and results of operations. We have made, and will continue to make, changes to our internal control over financial reporting, including information technology controls, and procedures for financial reporting and accounting systems to meet our reporting obligations as a public company. However, the measures that we take may not be sufficient to satisfy our obligations as a public company. If we do not continue to develop and implement the right processes and tools to manage our changing enterprise and maintain our culture, our ability to compete successfully and achieve our business objectives could be impaired, which could negatively impact our business, financial condition, cash flows and results of operations. In addition, we cannot predict or estimate the amount of additional costs we may incur to comply with these requirements. We anticipate that these costs will continue to increase our general and administrative expenses.

As a public reporting company, we are subject to rules and regulations established from time to time by the SEC and NYSE regarding our internal control over financial reporting. If we fail to establish and maintain effective internal control over financial reporting and disclosure controls and procedures, we may not be able to accurately report our financial results, or report them in a timely manner.

We are a public reporting company subject to the rules and regulations established from time to time by the SEC and NYSE. These rules and regulations require, among other things, that we establish and periodically evaluate procedures with respect to our internal control over financial reporting. Public company reporting obligations place a considerable burden on our financial and management systems, processes and controls, as well as on our personnel.

In addition, as a public company we are required to document and test our internal control over financial reporting pursuant to Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act so that our management can certify as to the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting by the time our second annual report is filed with the SEC and thereafter, which has required us to document and make significant changes to our internal control over financial reporting. In addition, our independent registered public accounting firm is required to provide an attestation report on the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting since we no longer qualify as an "emerging growth company," as defined in the JOBS Act.

We expect to continue to incur costs related to our internal control over financial reporting in the upcoming years to further improve our internal control environment. If we identify additional deficiencies in our internal control over financial reporting or if we are unable to comply with the requirements applicable to us as a public company, including the requirements of Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act, in a timely manner, we may be unable to accurately report our financial results, or report them within the timeframes required by the SEC. If this occurs, we also could become subject to sanctions or investigations by the SEC or other regulatory authorities. In addition, if we are unable to assert that our internal control over financial reporting is effective, or if our independent registered public accounting firm is unable to express an opinion as to the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting, or express an adverse opinion, investors may lose confidence in the accuracy and completeness of our financial reports, we may face restricted access to the capital markets and our stock price may be adversely affected.

We may issue additional shares of common stock or other equity securities without stockholder approval, which would dilute existing stockholders' ownership interest in us and may depress the market price of our common stock.

We may issue additional shares of common stock or other equity securities in the future in connection with, among other things, future acquisitions, repayment of outstanding indebtedness or grants under the Janus International Group, Inc. 2021 Omnibus Incentive Plan without stockholder approval in a number of circumstances.

The issuance of additional common stock or other equity securities could have one or more of the following effects:

- · our existing stockholders' proportionate ownership interest will decrease;
- the amount of cash available per share, including for payment of dividends in the future, may decrease;
- the relative voting strength of each previously outstanding share of common stock may be diminished; and
- the market price of our common stock may decline.

#### If our performance does not meet market expectations, the price of our securities may decline.

If our performance does not meet market expectations, the price of our common stock may decline. In addition, fluctuations in the price of our common stock could contribute to the loss of all or part of your investment. In an active market, the trading price of our common stock may be volatile and subject to wide fluctuations in response to various factors, some of which are beyond our control. Any of the factors listed below could have a material adverse effect on your investment in our common stock and our common stock may trade at prices significantly below the price you paid for them.

Factors affecting the trading price of our common stock may include:

- actual or anticipated fluctuations in our financial results or the financial results of companies perceived to be similar to us;
- changes in the market's expectations about our operating results;
- our operating results failing to meet market expectations in a particular period;
- · changes in financial estimates and recommendations by securities analysts concerning us or the self-storage and commercial industry and market in general;
- operating and stock price performance of other companies that investors deem comparable to us;
- our ability to market new and enhanced products on a timely basis;
- · changes in laws and regulations affecting our business;
- commencement of, or involvement in, litigation involving us;
- changes in our capital structure, such as future issuances of securities or the incurrence of additional debt;
- the volume of shares of our common stock available for public sale;
- · any significant change in the Board or management;
- · sales of substantial amounts of common stock by our directors, executive officers or significant stockholders or the perception that such sales could occur; and
- general economic and political conditions such as recessions, interest rates, fuel prices, international currency fluctuations and acts of war or terrorism.

Broad market and industry factors may depress the market price of our common stock irrespective of our operating performance. The stock market in general and NYSE have experienced price and volume fluctuations that have often been unrelated or disproportionate to the operating performance of the particular companies affected. The trading prices and valuations of our securities, may not be predictable. A loss of investor confidence in the market for industrial technology stocks or the stocks of other companies which investors perceive to be similar to us could depress our stock price regardless of our business, prospects, financial conditions or results of operations. A decline in the market price of our common stock also could adversely affect our ability to issue additional securities and our ability to obtain additional financing in the future.

# We cannot guarantee that our recently announced share purchase program will be fully consummated or that it will enhance stockholder value, and share repurchases could affect the trading price of our common stock.

In February 2024, our board of directors authorized a \$100 million share repurchase program. Although our board of directors has authorized a share repurchase program, the share repurchase program does not obligate us to repurchase any specific dollar amount or to acquire any specific number of shares. The share repurchase program could affect the price of our common stock, increase volatility and diminish our cash reserves. In addition, it may be suspended or terminated at any time, which may result in a decrease in the price of our common stock.

# Our ability to successfully operate the Company's business depends largely upon the efforts of certain key personnel, including Janus's executive officers. The loss of such key personnel could adversely affect the operations and profitability of our business.

Our ability to successfully operate the Company's business depends upon the efforts of certain key personnel of Janus, including Janus's executive officers. The unexpected loss of key personnel may adversely affect our operations and profitability. In addition, our future success depends in part on our ability to identify and retain key personnel to succeed senior management. Furthermore, while we have closely scrutinized the skills, abilities and qualifications of the key Janus personnel that are or will be employed by us, our assessment may not prove to be correct. If such personnel do not possess the skills, qualifications or abilities we expect or those necessary to manage a public company, the operations and profitability of our business may be negatively impacted.

# The Company's ability to meet expectations and projections in any research or reports published by securities or industry analysts, or a lack of coverage by securities or industry analysts, could result in a depressed market price and limited liquidity for our common stock.

The trading market for our common stock is influenced by the research and reports that industry or securities analysts may publish about us, our business, our market, or our competitors. If no securities or industry analysts commence coverage of the Company, our stock price would likely be less than that which would be obtained if we had such coverage and the liquidity, or trading volume of our common stock may be limited, making it more difficult for a stockholder to sell shares at an acceptable price or amount. If any analysts do cover the Company, their projections may vary widely and may not accurately predict the results we actually achieve. The Company's share price may decline if our actual results do not match the projections of research analysts covering us. Similarly, if one or more of the analysts who write reports on the Company downgrades our stock or publishes inaccurate or unfavorable research about our business, our share price could decline. If one or

more of these analysts ceases coverage of the Company or fails to publish reports on it regularly, our share price or trading volume could decline.

# Future sales of common stock, by our existing Stockholders, including the Selling Stockholders, may reduce the market price of the common stock that you might otherwise obtain.

In connection with the consummation of the Business Combination (defined below) and the PIPE Investment, certain stockholders (the "Selling Stockholders") received approximately 70,270,400 shares of common stock and 10,150,000 warrants. On November 18, 2021, the Company completed its redemption of all outstanding warrants. The Company also granted certain registration rights to the Selling Stockholders pursuant to an amendment to the Registration and Stockholder Rights Agreement, by and among Juniper, Juniper Industrial Sponsor, LLC (the "Sponsor") and Midco, the Investor Rights Agreement, by and among CCG, the Sponsor, certain stockholders of Juniper and equity holders of Midco (the "Investor Rights Agreement") and the PIPE Subscription Agreements. The Selling Stockholders or their affiliates may sell large amounts of common stock in the open market, in privately negotiated transactions or in underwritten public offerings. The registration and availability of such a significant number of shares of common stock for trading in the public market may increase the volatility in the prices of the common stock or put significant downward pressure on such prices.

The Company's amended and restated certificate of incorporation renounced any interest or expectancy that the Company has in corporate opportunities that may be presented to the Company's officers, directors, or stockholders or their respective affiliates, other than those officers, directors, stockholders, or affiliates who are the Company's or the Company's subsidiaries' employees. As a result, these persons are not required to offer certain business opportunities to the Company and may engage in business activities that compete with the Company.

Our non-employee directors and certain of their affiliates, may engage in activities where their interests conflict with Janus's interests, such as investing in or advising businesses that directly or indirectly compete with certain portions of Janus's business. Janus's amended and restated certificate of incorporation provides that it does not have an interest or expectancy in corporate opportunities that may be presented to Janus's directors or their respective affiliates, other than those directors who are Janus's employees. Accordingly, Janus's non-employee directors do not have any duty to refrain from engaging, directly or indirectly, in the same business activities or similar business activities or lines of business in which the Company operates. Non-employee directors and their affiliates also may pursue acquisition opportunities that may be complementary to Janus's business, and, as a result, those acquisition opportunities may not be available to us.

# Our reported financial results may be affected by changes in accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

Generally accepted accounting principles in the United States ("GAAP" or "U.S. GAAP") are subject to interpretation by the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") the SEC and various bodies formed to promulgate and interpret appropriate accounting principles. A change in these principles or interpretations could have a significant effect on our reported financial results, and could affect the reporting of transactions completed before the announcement of a change. Any difficulties in implementing any future changes to accounting principles could cause us to fail to meet our financial reporting obligations, which could result in regulatory discipline and harm investors' confidence in us.

#### Item 1B UNRESOLVED STAFF COMMENTS

None.

#### Item 1C. CYBERSECURITY

Organizations in our industry are frequently confronted with a broad range of cybersecurity threats, ranging from uncoordinated, individual attempts to gain unauthorized access to an organization's information technology ("IT") environment to sophisticated and targeted cyberattacks sponsored by foreign governments and criminal enterprises. Although we employ comprehensive measures to prevent, detect, address, and mitigate these threats, a cybersecurity incident could potentially result in the misappropriation, destruction, corruption, or unavailability of critical data, personal identifiable information, and other confidential or proprietary data (our own or that of third parties) and the disruption of business operations. The potential consequences of a material cybersecurity incident include remediation and restoration costs, reputational damage, litigation with third parties, and diminution in the value of our investment in research and development, which in turn could adversely affect our competitiveness and results of operations. Accordingly, cybersecurity is an important part of our Enterprise Risk Management ("ERM") program, and the Company seeks to address cybersecurity risks through a comprehensive, cross-functional approach.

The Company's cybersecurity policies, standards, processes, and practices for assessing, identifying, and managing material risks from cybersecurity threats and responding to cybersecurity incidents are based on recognized frameworks established by the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the International Organization for Standardization, and other applicable industry standards. The Company has established certain controls and procedures, including an Incident Response Plan, that provide for the identification, analysis, notification, escalation, communication, and remediation of data security incidents at appropriate levels so that decisions regarding the public disclosure and reporting of such incidents can be made by management in a timely manner. In particular, the Company's Incident Response Plan: (i) is designed to identify and detect information security threats through various mechanisms, such as through security controls and third-party disclosures; and (ii) sets forth a process to (a) analyze any such threats detected within the Company's IT environment or within a third-party's IT environment, (b) contain cybersecurity threats under various circumstances, and (c) better ensure the Company can recover from cybersecurity incidents to a normal state of business operations. The Company has established and maintains other incident response and recovery plans that address the Company's response to a cybersecurity incident.

We have cybersecurity insurance (subject to specified retentions or deductibles) related to cybersecurity incidents that addresses costs, losses, and expenses related to cybersecurity investigations, crisis management, notification processes and credit monitoring services, public relations, and legal advice. Additionally, this cybersecurity insurance may cover certain physical injury to, loss or destruction of tangible property, including loss of use thereof, or loss of use of tangible property which has not been physically injured or destroyed. However, damages, fines, and claims arising from such incidents may not be covered or may exceed the amount of any insurance available or may not be insurable.

As part of its cybersecurity program, the Company deploys comprehensive measures to deter, prevent, detect, respond to and mitigate cybersecurity threats, including firewalls, anti-malware, intrusion prevention and detection systems, identity and access controls, software patching protocols, physical security measures, multi-factor authentication, and other tools to detect data exfiltration. The Company periodically assesses and tests the Company's policies, standards, processes, and practices that are designed to address cybersecurity threats and incidents by assessing current threat intelligence from various sources, including but not limited to, certain key vendors, the United States Cybersecurity & Infrastructure Security Agency ("CISA"), and the open source threat intelligence community via open-source threat intelligence databases. Furthermore, we conduct periodic table top exercises, vulnerability and security testing, and "lessons learned" reviews from internal and industry related cybersecurity incidents. We have a process to report material results of such testing and assessments to the Board and our Audit Committee, and periodical make adjustments to our cybersecurity program based on these exercises and reviews. The Company engages third parties to conduct certain aspects of such testing and to assist with the Managed Detection and Response ("MDR") of security events as well as the collection and reporting of data for cybersecurity key performance indicators (i.e., KPIs). The Company seeks to identify and oversee cybersecurity risks presented by third parties and their systems from a risk-based perspective through a vendor management program, including annual reviews of key vendors' adherence to cybersecurity compliance, the monitoring of alerts from CISA, as well as open-source threat intelligence.

Some of our IT systems and products operate within a hosted architecture or by third-party service providers, and if these third-party IT environments fail to operate properly, our systems and products (including our Nokē Smart Entry System) could stop functioning for a period of time, which could put our users at risk. Accordingly, our ability to keep our business operating is highly dependent on the proper and efficient operation of IT service providers, and our vendor management process is an important part of our risk mitigation strategy. In particular, we review Service Organization Controls ("SOC") reports describing vendors' compliance with cybersecurity best practices when they are available or an appropriate subset of those controls for vendors who do not have a SOC report. Notwithstanding, if there is a catastrophic event, such as an adverse weather condition, natural disaster, terrorist attack, security breach, or other extraordinary event, we, and our service providers, may be unable to provide our services and products for the duration of the event and/or a time thereafter.

In light of the pervasive and increasing threat from cyberattacks, the Board and the Audit Committee, with input from management, assess the Company's cybersecurity threats and the measures implemented by the Company in an effort to mitigate and prevent cyberattacks. The Audit Committee consults with management regarding ongoing cybersecurity initiatives, and requests management to report to the Audit Committee or the full Board regularly on their assessment of the Company's cybersecurity program and risks. Both the Audit Committee (on no less than a quarterly basis) and the full Board (on no less than an annual basis) receive regular reports from our Information Technology Department on cybersecurity risks, timely reports regarding any cybersecurity incident that meets established reporting thresholds, as well as ongoing updates

regarding any such incident until it has been addressed. We anticipate these reporting activities will be overseen by our newly appointed Chief Information Officer ("CIO") moving forward.

The Company's information security and cybersecurity program is managed by a dedicated CIO, whose team is responsible for leading enterprise-wide cybersecurity strategy, policy, standards, architecture, and processes. The CIO provides periodic reports to our Board and Audit Committee as well as our Chief Financial Officer and other members of our senior management as appropriate. We have also established cross-functional teams to collaborate and communicate on cybersecurity-related issues. The reports to management include updates on the Company's cyber risks and threats, the status of projects to strengthen the Company's information security systems, assessments of the information security program, and the emerging threat landscape. Specifically, our management-driven ERM Committee and Incident Response team include executives from key departments across the Company and each work collaboratively to ensure periodic reviews and assessments of the Company's security environment are being observed.

In November 2023, the Company appointed its first CIO, Phil Stevens, who served as both a CIO and Chief Technology Officer in previous roles, prior to joining the Company. Mr. Stevens has more than 25 years of experience in privately held and publicly traded companies and has an established track record of developing and overseeing various cybersecurity programs. Mr. Stevens holds a Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Computer Science from Purdue University, a Master of Science (M.S.) in Information Technology from the Florida Institute of Technology, and specializations in AI Product Management and Machine Learning Operations (MLOps) from Duke University (Online).

As of the date of this report, the Company is not aware of any risks from cybersecurity threats that have materially affected or are reasonably likely to materially affect the Company, including its business strategy, results of operations, or financial condition.

#### Item 2. PROPERTIES

Our headquarters and principal executive office is located in Temple, Georgia and we have ten domestic manufacturing operations in Arizona, Georgia, Indiana, North Carolina, and Texas, in addition to three international manufacturing operations in Australia, Poland and the United Kingdom. All of our manufacturing operations are leased with the exception of one facility located in Georgia, which is owned.

In addition, we have four distribution centers located in Georgia, Florida, California, and Washington, all of which are leased.

We are of the opinion that the properties are suitable to our respective businesses and have production capacities adequate to meet the current needs of our businesses. Additional expansion in plant facilities, distribution centers, or office space is made as appropriate to balance capacity with anticipated demand, improve quality and service, and reduce costs.

#### Item 3. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

From time to time, we are involved in various lawsuits, claims, and legal proceedings that arise in the ordinary course of business. These matters involve, among other things, disputes with vendors or customers, personnel and employment matters, and personal injury. We assess these matters on a case-by-case basis as they arise and establish reserves as required.

We assess our liabilities and contingencies in connection with outstanding legal proceedings utilizing the latest information available. Where it is probable that we will incur a loss and the amount of the loss can be reasonably estimated, we record a liability in our consolidated financial statements. These legal accruals may be increased or decreased to reflect any relevant developments on a quarterly basis. Where a loss is not probable or the amount of the loss is not estimable, we do not record an accrual, consistent with applicable accounting guidance. In the opinion of management, while the outcome of such claims and disputes cannot be predicted with certainty, our ultimate liability in connection with these matters is not expected to have a material adverse effect on our results of operations, financial position or cash flows, and the amounts accrued for any individual matter are not material. However, legal proceedings are inherently uncertain. As a result, the outcome of a particular matter or a combination of matters may be material to our results of operations for a particular period, depending upon the size of the loss or our income for that particular period.

As of the date of this Annual Report on Form 10-K, there were no material pending legal proceedings in which we or any of our subsidiaries are a party or to which any of our property is subject.

### Item 4. MINE SAFETY DISCLOSURES

Not applicable.

#### PART II

#### Item 5. MARKET FOR REGISTRANT'S COMMON EQUITY, RELATED STOCKHOLDER MATTERS AND ISSUER PURCHASES OF EQUITY SECURITIES

#### Common Stock

Our common stock is listed on the NYSE under the symbol "JBI." Our certificate of incorporation authorizes the issuance of 825,000,000 shares of common stock with a par value of \$0.0001 per share. The Company had 146,861,489 shares of common stock issued and outstanding as of December 30, 2023. The outstanding shares of the Company's common stock are duly authorized, validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable.

#### Preferred Stock

Our certificate of incorporation authorizes the issuance of 1,000,000 shares of preferred Stock with a par value of \$0.0001 per share. As of December 30, 2023, no shares of preferred Stock were issued and outstanding, and no designation of rights and preferences of preferred stock had been adopted. Our preferred stock is not quoted on any market or system, and there is not currently a market for our preferred stock.

#### Holders

As of December 30, 2023, there were 12 holders of record of our common stock, and no holders of record of our preferred Stock. The number of holders of record does not include a substantially greater number of "street name" holders or beneficial holders whose common stock are held of record by banks, brokers, and other financial institutions.

#### **Dividend Policy**

We have not declared or paid any cash dividends on our common stock or preferred Stock to date and do not anticipate declaring or paying any cash dividends on our common stock or preferred Stock in the foreseeable future. It is presently intended that we will retain our earnings for use in business operations and, accordingly, it is not anticipated that the Board will declare dividends in the foreseeable future. In addition, the terms of our credit facilities include restrictions on our ability to issue dividends. See "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations — Liquidity and Capital Resources — Overview" for a discussion of our credit facilities' restrictions on our subsidiaries' ability to pay dividends or other payments to us.

#### **Recent Sales of Unregistered Securities**

None.

#### Repurchases

We may repurchase, in the future, our shares in open market transactions from time to time or through privately negotiated transactions in accordance with federal securities laws, at our discretion. As of December 30, 2023, we had no repurchase program in place or authorized by the Board of Directors. On February 28, 2024, our Board of Directors authorized a \$100 million share repurchase program. Although our Board of Directors has authorized a share repurchase program, the share repurchase program does not obligate us to repurchase any specific dollar amount or to acquire any specific number of shares. The Company may repurchase shares from time to time through open market transactions, certain of which may be made pursuant to Rule 10b-18 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, in compliance with applicable state and federal securities laws. The timing, as well as the number and value of shares repurchased under the program, will be determined by the Company at its discretion and will depend on a variety of factors, including our assessment of the intrinsic value of the Company's common stock, the market price of the Company's common stock, general market and economic conditions, available liquidity, compliance with the Company's debt and other agreements, applicable legal requirements, the nature of other investment opportunities available to the Company, and other considerations. The Company is not obligated to purchase any shares under the repurchase program, and the program may be suspended, modified, or discontinued at any time without prior notice. The Company expects to fund the repurchases by using cash on hand and expected free cash flow to be generated in the future.

### **Shareholder Return Performance Graph**

The following line graph compares the yearly change in the Company's cumulative total shareholder return (stock price appreciation plus reinvestment of dividends) on Janus's Common Stock with the cumulative total return of (1) the Russell 2000 Index ("Russell 2000") and (2) the S&P Small Cap 600 Industrial Index ("S&P 600 Industrials Index"). This graph assumes a \$100 investment in each of the Company, the S&P 600 Industrials Index, and the Russell 2000 at the close of trading on June 7, 2021.



This performance graph shall not be deemed "soliciting material" or to be "filed" with the SEC for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act, or otherwise subject to the liabilities under that Section, and shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into any our filings under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act.

# Item 6. RESERVED

#### Item 7. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The following discussion and analysis provides information which Janus's management believes is relevant to an assessment and understanding of the consolidated results of operations and financial condition. You should read the following discussion and analysis of Janus's financial condition and results of operations in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and notes thereto contained in this Annual Report on Form 10-K (this "Annual Report").

See "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K filed on March 29, 2023 for discussion and analysis of results of operations for the year ended December 31, 2022.

Certain information contained in this discussion and analysis or set forth elsewhere in this Annual Report, including information with respect to plans and strategy for Janus's business, includes forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. As a result of many factors, including those factors set forth in the section entitled "Risk Factors," Janus's actual results could differ materially from the results described in or implied by the forward-looking statements contained in the following discussion and analysis. Factors that could cause or contribute to such differences include, but are not limited to, capital expenditures, economic and competitive conditions, regulatory changes and other uncertainties, as well as those factors discussed below and elsewhere in this Annual Report. We assume no obligation to update any of these forward-looking statements.

Unless otherwise indicated or the context otherwise requires, references in this Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations section to "Midco" "Janus," "we," "us," "our," and other similar terms refer to Midco and its subsidiaries prior to the Business Combination and to Janus International Group Inc. (Parent) and its consolidated subsidiaries after giving effect to the Business Combination.

Percentage amounts included in this Annual Report have not in all cases been calculated on the basis of such rounded figures, but on the basis of such amounts prior to rounding. For this reason, percentage amounts in this Annual Report may vary from those obtained by performing the same calculations using the figures in our consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this Annual Report. Certain other amounts that appear in this Annual Report may not sum due to rounding.

Dollar amounts are shown in millions of dollars, unless otherwise noted, and rounded to the nearest million except for share and per share amounts.

#### Introduction

This Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations ("MD&A") is a supplement to the accompanying consolidated financial statements and provides additional information on our business, recent developments, financial condition, liquidity and capital resources, cash flows and results of operations. MD&A is organized as follows:

- Business Overview: This section provides a general description of our business, and a discussion of management's general outlook regarding market demand, our competitive
  position and product innovation, as well as recent developments that are important to understanding our results of operations and financial condition or in understanding anticipated
  future trends.
- Basis of Presentation: This section provides a discussion of the basis on which our consolidated financial statements were prepared.
- Results of Operations: This section provides an analysis of our results of operations for the years ended December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022.
- Liquidity and Capital Resources: This section provides a discussion of our financial condition and an analysis of our cash flows for the years ended December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022. This section also provides a discussion of our contractual obligations, other purchase commitments and customer credit risk that existed at December 30, 2023, as well as a discussion of our ability to fund our future commitments and ongoing operating activities through internal and external sources of capital.
- Critical Accounting Estimates: This section identifies and summarizes those accounting estimates that significantly impact our reported results of operations and financial condition and require significant judgment or estimates on the part of management in their application.

# **Business Overview**

Janus is a leading global manufacturer and supplier of turn-key self-storage, commercial and industrial building solutions including: roll-up and swing doors, hallway systems, relocatable storage units, and facility and door automation technologies with manufacturing operations in Georgia, Texas, Arizona, Indiana, North Carolina, United Kingdom, Australia, and Poland. The Company focuses on providing building solutions to two primary markets, providing building solutions to the self-storage industry and the broader commercial industrial market. The self-storage industry is comprised of institutional and non-institutional facilities. Institutional facilities typically include multi-story, climate-controlled facilities located in prime locations owned and/or managed by large REITs or returns-driven operators of scale and are primarily

located in the top 50 MSAs, whereas the vast majority of non-institutional facilities are single-story, non-climate controlled facilities located outside of city centers owned and/or managed by smaller private operators that are mostly located outside of the top 50 U.S. MSAs. Janus is highly integrated with customers at every phase of a project, including facility planning/design, construction, access control and restore, rebuild, replace of damaged or end-of-life products.

Our business is operated through two geographic regions that comprise our two reportable segments: Janus North America and Janus International. The Janus International segment is comprised of Janus International Europe Holdings Ltd. (UK), whose production and sales are largely in Europe and Australia. The Janus North America segment is comprised of all the other entities including Janus International Group, LLC ("Janus Core"), Betco, Inc. ("BETCO"), Nokē, Inc. ("NOKE"), Asta Industries, Inc. ("ASTA"), DBCI, LLC ("DBCI"), Access Control Technologies, LLC ("ACT"), Janus Door, LLC ("Janus Door"), and Steel Door Depot.com, LLC ("Steel Door Depot").

Furthermore, our business is comprised of three primary sales channels: New Construction-Self-storage, R3-Self-storage (R3), and Commercial and Other. The Commercial and Other category is primarily comprised of roll-up sheet and rolling steel door sales into the commercial marketplace.

New construction consists of engineering and project management work pertaining to the design, building, and logistics of a greenfield new self-storage facility tailored to customer specifications while being compliant with ADA regulations. Any Nokē Smart Entry System revenue associated with a new construction project also rolls up into this sales channel.

The concept of Janus R3 is to remodel self-storage facilities including storage unit doors, hallways, ceilings, offices, optimizing unit mix, utilizing vacant land for movable storage units (JBI MASS relocatable storage units), and adding a more robust security solutions to enable customers to (1) charge higher rental rates and (2) compete with modern self-storage facilities and large operators. In addition, the R3 sales channel also includes new self-storage capacity being brought online through conversions and expansions. R3 transforms facilities through door replacement, facility upgrades, Nokō Smart Entry Systems, and relocatable storage MASS.

Commercial light duty steel roll-up doors are designed for applications that require less frequent and less demanding operations. Janus offers heavy duty commercial grade steel doors (minimized dead-load, or constant weight of the curtain itself) perfect for warehouses, commercial buildings, and terminals, designed with a higher gauge and deeper guides, which combat the heavy scale of use with superior strength and durability. Janus also offers rolling steel doors known for minimal maintenance and easy installation with, but not limited to, the following options for; commercial slat doors, heavy duty service doors, fire doors, fire rated counter shutters, insulated service doors, counter shutters and grilles.

#### **Executive Overview**

Janua's financials reflect the result of the execution of our operational and corporate strategy to penetrate the growth within the commercial storage market, expanding its self-storage market share, as well as capitalizing on the aging self-storage facilities, while continuing to diversify our products and solutions. Janua is a bespoke provider of not only products, but solutions that generate a favorable financial outcome for our clients.

Total revenues was \$1,066.4 for the year ended December 30, 2023, representing an increase of 4.6% from \$1,019.5 for the year ended December 31, 2022.

Net income was \$135.7 for the year ended December 30, 2023, representing an increase of \$28.0 from \$107.7 for the year ended December 31, 2022. Adjusted EBITDA was \$285.6 for the year ended December 30, 2023, representing a 25.9% increase from \$226.9 for the year ended December 31, 2022. Adjusted EBITDA as a percentage of revenue was 26.8% for the year ended December 30, 2023, representing an increase of 4.5% from 22.3% for the year ended December 31, 2022. The increase in Adjusted EBITDA margins is a direct result of increased revenue primarily due to commercial actions taking full effect in third quarter of 2022 which was partially offset by the investments we made in our software center and inflationary costs.

Cash flows from operations was \$215.0 for the year ended December 30, 2023, representing an increase of \$126.5 from \$88.5 for the year ended December 31, 2022. During the year ended December 30, 2023, Free Cash Flow to Non-GAAP Adjusted Net Income was 142%, compared to 73% during the year ended December 31, 2022. Free Cash Flow conversion is higher in 2023 due to higher net income adjusted for non cash items of \$29.0 and changes in net working capital of \$97.5.

During fiscal 2023, we did a voluntary paydown of our debt of \$85.3 and refinanced our Term loan to a new \$625.0 First Lien Note payable. In addition, we opened a new manufacturing facility in Poland as well as opened our new software center in Atlanta.

Information regarding use of Adjusted EBITDA and Free Cash Flow non-GAAP measures, and a reconciliation to the most comparable GAAP measure, is included in "Non-GAAP Financial Measures."

#### **Business Segment Information**

Our business is operated through two geographic regions that comprise our two reportable segments: Janus North America and Janus International.

Janus North America is comprised of eight entities including Janus Core, Janus Door, Steel Door Depot, ASTA, NOKE, BETCO, DBCI, and ACT. Janus North America produces and provides various fabricated components such as commercial and self-storage doors, walls, hallway systems and building components used primarily by owners or builders of self-storage facilities and also offers installation services along with the products. Janus North America represented 92.3% and 92.6% of Janus's revenue for the years ended December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, respectively.

Janus International is comprised solely of one entity, Janus International Europe Holdings Ltd (UK). The Janus International segment produces and provides similar products and services as Janus North America but largely in Europe and Australia. Janus International represented 7.7% and 7.4% of Janus's revenue for the years ended December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, respectively.

# **Key Performance Measures**

Management evaluates the performance of its reportable segments based on the revenue of services and products, gross profit, operating margins, and cash from business operations. We use Adjusted EBITDA, which is a non-GAAP financial metric, as a supplemental measure of our performance in order to provide investors with an improved understanding of underlying performance trends. Please see the section "Non-GAAP Financial Measure" below for further discussion of this financial measure, including the reasons why we use such financial measures and reconciliations of such financial measures to the nearest GAAP financial measures.

Human capital is also one of the main cost drivers of the manufacturing, selling, and administrative processes of Janus. As a result, headcount reflect Janus's operational status, indicating whether the business is expanding or contracting. We expect a continued rise in our workforce as we expand our operations. Additionally, we foresee the need to hire additional software personnel as we continue to expand the software accessibility component of our business. As of December 30, 2023, and December 31, 2022, the headcount was 2,305 (including 441 temporary employees) and 2,247 (including 551 temporary employees), respectively.

The following table sets forth key performance measures for the years ended December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022 (dollar amounts in millions)

	Year	Ende	d	Variance		
	December 30, 2023		December 31, 2022	\$	%	
Total Revenue	\$ 1,066.4	\$	1,019.5	\$ 46.9	4.6 %	
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 285.6	\$	226.9	\$ 58.7	25.9 %	
Adjusted EBITDA (% of revenue)	26.8 %		22.3 %		4.5 %	

Total revenues increased by \$46.9 or 4.6% for the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022, primarily due to commercial actions.

Adjusted EBITDA increased by \$58.7 or 25.9% from the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022, and Adjusted EBITDA as a percentage of revenue increased 4.5% for the year ended December 30, 2023 primarily due to increased revenue due to commercial actions taking full effect in third quarter 2022 which was partially offset by inflationary increases in labor and logistics costs. (See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" section).

### **Basis of Presentation**

The consolidated financial statements have been derived from the accounts of Janus and its wholly owned subsidiaries. Janus's fiscal year follows a 4-4-5 calendar which divides a year into four quarters of 13 weeks, grouped into two 4-week "months" and one 5-week "month." As a result, some monthly comparisons are not comparable as one month is longer than the other two. The major advantage of a 4-4-5 calendar is that the end date of the period is always the same day of the week, making manufacturing planning easier as every period is the same length. Every fifth or sixth year will require a 53rd week and the year ended January 1, 2022 was a year in which we added a 53rd week.

We have presented results of operations, including the related discussion and analysis for the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022.

# Components of Results of Operations

**Product revenues.** Product revenues represent the sale of products, including steel roll-up and swing doors, rolling steel doors, steel structures, as well as hallway systems and facility and door automation technologies for commercial and self-storage customers. Product revenues are recognized upon transfer of control to the customer, which generally takes place at the point of destination. In certain instances, product revenues include all revenues affiliated with erecting an entire structure for our customers, which is recognized over-time. We expect our product revenue may vary from period to period on, among other things, the timing and size of orders and delivery of products and the impact of significant transactions. Revenues are monitored and analyzed as a function of sales reporting within the following sales channels, Self-Storage New Construction, Self-Storage R3, and Commercial and Other.

Service revenues. Service revenue reflects installation services to customers for steel structures, steel roll-up and swing doors, hallway systems, and relocatable storage units which is recognized over time based on the satisfaction of our performance obligation. Janus is highly integrated with customers at every phase of a project, including facility planning/design, construction, access control and R3 of damaged, or end-of-life products or rebranding of facilities due to market consolidation. Service obligations are primarily short term and completed within a one-year time period. We expect our service revenue to increase as we add new customers and our existing customers continue to add more and more content per square foot.

**Product cost of revenues** Product costs of revenues includes the manufacturing cost of our steel roll-up and swing doors, rolling steel doors, steel structures, and hallway systems which primarily consists of amounts paid to our third-party contract suppliers and personnel-related costs directly associated with manufacturing operations as well as overhead and indirect costs. Product costs of revenues also include all costs affiliated with erecting a self storage facility for our customers. We expect cost of revenues to increase in absolute dollars in future periods as we expect our revenues to continue to grow.

Service cost of revenues Cost of services includes third-party installation subcontractor costs directly associated with the installation of our products. Our cost of revenues include purchase price variance, cost of spare or replacement parts, warranty costs, excess and obsolete inventory charges, shipping costs, and an allocated portion of overhead costs, including depreciation. We expect cost of revenues to increase in absolute dollars in future periods as we expect our revenues to continue to grow.

Selling and marketing expense. Selling expenses consist primarily of compensation and benefits of employees engaged in selling activities as well as related travel, advertising, trade shows/conventions, meals and entertainment expenses. We expect selling expenses to increase in absolute dollars in future periods as we expect our revenues to continue to grow.

General and administrative expense. General and administrative ("G&A") expenses are comprised primarily of expenses relating to employee compensation and benefits, travel, meals and entertainment expenses as well as depreciation, amortization, and public company costs. We expect general and administrative expenses to increase in absolute dollars in future periods as we expect our revenues to continue to grow. We also expect G&A expenses to increase in the near term as a result of operating as a public company, including expenses associated with compliance with the rules and regulations of the Commission, and an increase in legal, audit, insurance, investor relations, professional services and other administrative expenses.

Interest expense. Consists of interest expense on short-term and long-term debt and amortization of deferred financing fees (see "Long Term Debt" section).

#### Factors Affecting the Results of Operations

### Key Factors Affecting the Business and Financial Statements

Management understands Janus's performance and future growth depends on a number of factors that present significant opportunities but also pose risks and challenges.

# Factors Affecting Revenues

Janua's revenues from products sold are driven by economic conditions, which impacts new construction of self-storage facilities, R3 of self-storage facilities, and commercial revenue.

Janus periodically modifies sales prices of their products due to changes in costs for raw materials and energy, market conditions, labor and logistics costs and the competitive environment. In certain cases, realized price increases are less than the announced price increases because of project pricing, competitive reactions and changing market conditions. Janus also offers a wide assortment of products that are differentiated by style, design and performance attributes. Pricing and margins for products within the assortment vary. In addition, changes in the relative quantity of products purchased at different price points can impact year-to-year comparisons of net sales and operating income.

Service revenue is driven by the product revenue and the increase in value-added services, such as pre-work planning, site drawings, installation and general contracting, project management, and third-party security. Janus differentiates itself through on-time delivery, efficient installation, best in-class service, and a reputation for high quality products.

#### Factors Affecting Growth Through Acquisitions

Janus's business strategy involves growth through, among other things, the acquisition of other companies. Janus evaluates companies that it believes will strategically fit into its business and growth objectives, including those that will support its overall strategy of portfolio diversification, geographic expansion, and technological innovation, among other areas of focus. While Janus seeks acquisition opportunities that it believes will augment its business and growth objectives, certain factors could prevent acquisition opportunities from materializing, including target-company availability, relative valuation expectations, and certain due diligence considerations, among other factors.

#### Seasonality

Generally, Janua's sales tend to be the slowest in the first and fourth quarters due to more unfavorable weather conditions, customer business cycles and the timing of renovation and new construction project launches.

### Factors Affecting Operating Costs

Janus's operating expenses are comprised of direct production costs (principally raw materials, labor and energy), manufacturing overhead costs, freight, costs to purchase sourced products and selling and marketing, and general and administrative expenses.

Janua's largest individual raw material expenditure is steel coils. Fluctuations in the prices of steel coil are generally beyond Janua's control and have a direct impact on the financial results. From time to time, Janua enters into agreements with large suppliers in order to lock in steel coil prices for part of Janua's production needs and partially mitigate the potential impacts of short-term steel coil price fluctuations. This arrangement allows Janua to purchase quantities of product within specified ranges as outlined in the contracts. Outbound freight costs are driven by Janua's volume of product revenues and are subject to the freight market pricing environment.

# **Results of Operations - Consolidated**

The period to period comparisons of our results of operations have been prepared using the historical periods included in our consolidated financial statements. The following discussion should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and related notes included elsewhere in this document. We have derived this data from our consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this Annual Report. The following tables set forth our results of operations for the periods presented are in dollars.

A detailed discussion of the prior year 2022 to 2021 year-over-year changes is not included herein and can be found in the Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations section in the 2022 Annual Report on Form 10-K filed March 29, 2023.

#### Results of Operations

(dollar amounts in millions)

Unaudited Quarterly Consolidated Results for the quarter ended December 30, 2023 compared to the quarter ended December 31, 2022

	Three Mor	nths I	Ended	Var	Variance	
	 December 30, 2023		December 31, 2022	S	%	
REVENUE	 					
Product revenues <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 223.7	\$	236.4	\$ (12.7)	(5.4)%	
Service revenues(1)	 40.0		43.3	(3.3)	(7.6)%	
Total revenue	\$ 263.7	\$	279.7	\$ (16.0)	(5.7)%	
Product cost of revenues	120.3		138.2	(17.9)	(13.0)%	
Service cost of revenues	29.1		33.9	(4.8)	(14.2)%	
Cost of revenues	\$ 149.4	\$	172.1	\$ (22.7)	(13.2)%	
GROSS PROFIT	\$ 114.3	\$	107.6	\$ 6.7	6.2 %	
OPERATING EXPENSE						
Selling and marketing	16.2		16.1	0.1	0.6 %	
General and administrative	 34.2		32.9	1.3	4.0 %	
Operating Expenses	\$ 50.4	\$	49.0	\$ 1.4	2.9 %	
INCOME FROM OPERATIONS	\$ 63.9	\$	58.6	\$ 5.3	9.0 %	
Interest expense	(14.7)		(13.4)	(1.3)	9.7 %	
Other income (expense)	_		0.1	(0.1)	(100.0)%	
Other Expense, Net	\$ (14.7)	\$	(13.3)	\$ (1.4)	10.5 %	
INCOME BEFORE TAXES	\$ 49.2	\$	45.3	\$ 3.9	8.6 %	
Provision for Income Taxes	13.4		12.6	0.8	6.3 %	
NET INCOME	\$ 35.8	\$	32.7	\$ 3.1	9.5 %	

<sup>(1)</sup> These numbers have been revised for the year ended December 31, 2022. See Note 2 to our consolidated financial statements for additional information.

# For the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022

		Year 1	Ended		Variance		
	De	cember 30, 2023	D	ecember 31, 2022		S	%
REVENUE							
Product revenues <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	909.8	\$	890.9	\$	18.9	2.1 %
Service revenues <sup>(1)</sup>		156.6		128.6		28.0	21.8 %
Total revenue	\$	1,066.4	\$	1,019.5	\$	46.9	4.6 %
Product cost of revenues		500.8		557.1		(56.3)	(10.1)%
Service cost of revenues		115.9		97.5		18.4	18.9 %
Cost of revenues	\$	616.7	\$	654.6	\$	(37.9)	(5.8)%
GROSS PROFIT	\$	449.7	\$	364.9	\$	84.8	23.2 %
OPERATING EXPENSE							
Selling and marketing		65.5		58.3		7.2	12.3 %
General and administrative		138.5		119.1		19.4	16.3 %
Operating Expenses	\$	204.0	\$	177.4	\$	26.6	15.0 %
INCOME FROM OPERATIONS	\$	245.7	\$	187.5	\$	58.2	31.0 %
Interest expense		(60.0)		(42.0)		(18.0)	42.9 %
Loss on extinguishment and modification of debt		(3.9)		_		(3.9)	100.0 %
Other (expense)		1.0		(0.2)		1.2	(600.0)%
Other Expense, Net	\$	(62.9)	\$	(42.2)	\$	(20.7)	49.1 %
INCOME BEFORE TAXES	\$	182.8	\$	145.3	\$	37.5	25.8 %
Provision for Income Taxes		47.1		37.6		9.5	25.3 %
NET INCOME	\$	135.7	\$	107.7	\$	28.0	26.0 %

(1) These numbers have been revised for the period ended December 31, 2022. See Note 2 to our consolidated financial statements for additional information.

#### Revenue

(dollar amounts in millions)	Year Ended					Variance			
	December 30, 2023 December 31, 2022			\$		%			
Product revenues <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	909.8	\$	890.9	\$	18.9	2.1 %		
Service revenues		156.6		128.6		28.0	21.8 %		
Total	\$	1,066.4	\$	1,019.5	\$	46.9	4.6 %		

(1) Product revenues include product revenues transferred at a point in time and product revenues transferred over time.

The \$46.9 revenue increase for the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022 was due to growth in the New Construction and R3 self storage segments, and is 80% attributable to commercial actions. The 21.8% increase in service revenues is primarily attributable to an 11.1% increase in the New Construction and R3 self storage product revenues for the year ended December 30, 2023.

The following table and discussion compares Janus's revenues by sales channel (dollar amounts in millions).

	Ye	ar Ended		Year Ended		Var	iance
	Decem	ber 30, 2023	% of revenues	December 31, 2022	% of revenues	s	%
New Construction - Self Storage	\$	394.9	37.0 %	\$ 323.4	31.7 %	\$ 71.5	22.1 %
R3 - Self Storage		334.9	31.4 %	321.1	31.5 %	13.8	4.3 %
Commercial and Other		336.6	31.6 %	375.0	36.8 %	(38.4)	(10.2) %
Total	\$	1,066.4	100.0 %	\$ 1,019.5	100.0 %	\$ 46.9	4.6 %

New construction revenues increased by \$71.5 or 22.1% for the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022. The increase in the year ended December 30, 2023 is primarily due to commercial actions and increased demand for capacity additions through greenfield sites.

R3 revenues increased by \$13.8 or 4.3% for the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022. The growth was primarily driven by the expansion of storage facilities and strategic adjustments in unit configurations, alongside favorable outcomes from commercial actions.

Commercial and other revenues decreased by \$38.4 or 10.2% for the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022 due to shifts in demand for certain product lines, affecting both the commercial steel roll up door market and the rolling steel product line.

#### Cost of Revenues and Gross Margin

(dollar amounts in millions)

Gross margin increased by 6.4% to 42.2% for the year ended December 30, 2023 from 35.8% for the year ended December 31, 2022 primarily due to the commercial actions and cost containment initiatives taking effect in the second half of 2022, offset by increased labor and logistics costs.

		Year	Ended		Variance			
	Decen	nber 30, 2023	Dece	mber 31, 2022		\$	%	
Product cost of revenues	\$	500.8	\$	557.1	\$	(56.3)	(10.1)%	
Service cost of revenues		115.9		97.5		18.4	18.9 %	
Cost of revenues	\$	616.7	\$	654.6	\$	(37.9)	(5.8)%	

The \$37.9 or 5.8% decrease in cost of revenues for the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022, is attributable to a \$73.4 decrease in material, due to cost containment initiatives, as well as the decrease in the demand for certain products within the commercial sales channel, partially offset by an increase of \$17.1 in labor, freight and other costs of revenues. The \$18.4 increase in installation cost of revenue supports the service revenue growth of \$28.0 for the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022.

#### Operating Expenses - Selling and marketing

Selling and marketing expense increased \$7.2 or 12.3% for the year ended December 31, 2022 compared to the year ended December 30, 2023. The increase is primarily the result of a \$4.1 rise in payroll related expenditures attributable to additional headcount in sales, along with a \$1.2 increase in marketing and advertising expenses, and a \$0.5 increase in travel-related costs.

#### Operating Expenses - General and administrative

General and administrative expenses rose by \$19.4 or 16.3% for the year ended December 31, 2022 compared to the year ended December 30, 2023. This upward trend was primarily driven by a \$13.2 increase in employee wages and benefits for additional headcount to support the continued top line revenue growth and additional expenses associated with the opening of the Atlanta software center. Additionally, there was a \$2.9 uptick in stock-based compensation, and a \$1.4 increase in sales and use taxes.

#### Interest Expense

Interest expense increased \$18.0 or 42.9% for the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022 due to an increase in the LIBOR / SOFR rate in 2023 and the term loan refinancing in August. (See "Liquidity and Capital Resources" section).

#### Income Taxes

Income tax expense increased by \$9.5 or 25.3% to \$47.1 for the year ended December 30, 2023 from \$37.6 for the year ended December 31, 2022, due to the year over year increase of income before taxes.

### Net Income

The \$28.0 or 26.0% increase in net income for the year ended December 31, 2022 compared to the year ended December 30, 2023 is largely due to an increase in revenues and decrease in cost of revenues, offset by the increase in selling and general and administrative expenses, interest expense and income taxes.

# **Segment Results of Operations**

We operate in and report financial results for two segments: North America and International with the following sales channels, Self-Storage New Construction, Self-Storage R3, and Commercial and Other.

Segment operating income is the measure of profit and loss that our chief operating decision maker uses to evaluate the financial performance of the business and as the basis for resource allocation, performance reviews and compensation. For these reasons segment operating income represents the most relevant measure of segment profit and loss. Our chief operating decision maker may exclude certain charges or gains, such as corporate charges and other special charges, to arrive at a segment operating income that is a more meaningful measure of profit and loss upon which to base our operating decisions. We define segment operating margin as segment operating income as a percentage of the segment's Net revenues.

The segment discussion that follows describes the significant factors contributing to the changes in results for each segment included in net earnings.

# Results of Operations - Janus North America

(dollar amounts in millions)

For the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022

		Year Ended			Variance		
	D	December 30, 2023	Dec	ember 31, 2022		\$	%
REVENUE							
Product revenues <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	906.4	\$	897.8	\$	8.6	1.0%
Services revenues <sup>(1)</sup>		122.0		96.5		25.5	26.4%
Total revenue	\$	1,028.4	\$	994.3	\$	34.1	3.4%
Product cost of revenues		511.7		577.6		(65.9)	(11.4)%
Service cost of revenues		90.9		71.4		19.5	27.3%
Cost of revenues	\$	602.6	\$	649.0	\$	(46.4)	(7.1)%
GROSS PROFIT	\$	425.8	\$	345.3	\$	80.5	23.3%
OPERATING EXPENSE							
Selling and marketing		62.2		55.1		7.1	12.9%
General and administrative		125.4		107.1		18.3	17.1%
Operating Expenses	\$	187.6	\$	162.2	\$	25.4	15.7%
INCOME FROM OPERATIONS	\$	238.2	\$	183.1	\$	55.1	30.1%

(1) These numbers have been revised for the year ended December 31, 2022. See Note 2 to our consolidated financial statements for additional information.

#### Revenue

(dollar amounts in millions)		Year	Ended		Variance			
	De	cember 30, 2023	D	ecember 31, 2022		s	%	
Product revenues <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	906.4	\$	897.8	\$	8.6	1.0 %	
Service revenues		122.0		96.5		25.5	26.4 %	
Total revenue	\$	1,028.4	\$	994.3	\$	34.1	3.4 %	

(1) Product revenues include product revenues transferred at a point in time and product revenues transferred over time.

The \$34.1 or 3.4% revenue increase was due to growth in the New Construction and R3 self storage segments and is 86% attributable to impact from our commercial actions for the year ended December 30, 2023. The service revenues increased by \$25.5 or 26.4% due to the increase in the self storage product revenues, as illustrated in the below table, which have a larger service component to those contracts.

The following table and discussion compares Janus North America revenues by sales channel.

(in millions)		Year Ended						Variance		
	Decei	mber 30, 2023	% of total revenues		December 31, 2022	% of total revenues		s	%	
New Construction - Self Storage	\$	336.5	32.7 %	\$	289.4	29.1 %	\$	47.1	16.3 %	
R3 - Self Storage		326.9	31.8 %		304.1	30.6 %		22.8	7.5 %	
Commercial and Other		365.0	35.5 %		400.8	40.3 %		(35.8)	(8.9)%	
Total	\$	1,028.4	100.0 %	\$	994.3	100.0 %	\$	34.1	3.4 %	

New Construction revenues increased by \$47.1 or 16.3% for the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022 primarily due to commercial actions and increased demand for capacity additions through greenfield sites.

R3 revenues increased by \$22.8 or 7.5% for the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022. The growth was primarily driven by the expansion of storage facilities and strategic adjustments in unit configurations, alongside favorable outcomes from commercial actions.

Commercial and Other revenues decreased by \$35.8 or 8.9% for the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022 due to shifts in demand for certain product lines, affecting both the commercial steel roll up door market and the rolling steel product line.

### Cost of Revenues and Gross Margin

(dollar amounts in millions)

Gross Margin increased by 6.7% to 41.4% for the year ended December 30, 2023 from 34.7% for the year ended December 31, 2022 primarily due to the commercial actions and material cost containment initiatives taking effect in the second half of 2022, offset by the continued increased labor and logistics costs.

	Year Ended				Vari	iance	
	December 30, 2023			December 31, 2022	\$	%	
Product cost of revenues	\$	511.7	\$	577.6	\$ (65.9)	(11.4)%	
Service cost of revenues		90.9		71.4	19.5	27.3 %	
Cost of revenues	\$	602.6	\$	649.0	\$ (46.4)	(7.1)%	

The \$46.4 or 7.1% decrease in cost of revenues for the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022 is primarily due to a decrease in material due to cost containment initiatives, as well as the decrease in the demand for certain products within the commercial sales channel, partially offset by an increase in labor, and logistics costs.

# Operating Expenses - Selling and marketing

Selling and marketing expenses increased \$7.1 or 12.9% from \$55.1 for the year ended December 31, 2022 to \$62.2 for the year ended December 30, 2023 primarily due to increased marketing and trade show and payroll related costs for additional headcount to support revenue growth.

#### Operating Expenses - General and administrative

General and administrative expenses increased \$18.3 or 17.1% from \$107.1 for the year ended December 31, 2022 to \$125.4 for the year ended December 30, 2023 primarily due to an increase in employee wages and benefits for additional headcount to support the continued top line revenue growth and additional expenses associated with the opening of the Atlanta software center.

### **Income from Operations**

Income from operations increased by \$55.1 or 30.1% from \$183.1 for the year ended December 31, 2022 to \$238.2 for the year ended December 30, 2023 due to an increase in gross margins offset by an increase in selling and marketing and general and administrative expenses.

# Results of Operations - Janus International

(dollar amounts in millions)

For the year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022

	Year Ended				Variance				
	December 30, 2023		December 31, 2022		s	%			
_									
\$	46.3	\$	43.4	\$	2.9	6.7 %			
	36.0		32.1		3.9	12.1 %			
\$	82.3	\$	75.5	\$	6.8	9.0 %			
	31.7		29.7		2.0	6.7 %			
	26.4		26.2		0.2	0.8 %			
\$	58.1	\$	55.9	\$	2.2	3.9 %			
\$	24.2	\$	19.6	\$	4.6	23.5 %			
	3.3		3.2		0.1	3.1 %			
	13.1		12.0		1.1	9.2 %			
\$	16.4	\$	15.2	\$	1.2	7.9 %			
\$	7.8	\$	4.4	\$	3.4	77.3 %			
	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	\$ 46.3 36.0 \$ 82.3 31.7 26.4 \$ 58.1 \$ 24.2  3.3 13.1 \$ 16.4	December 30, 2023	December 30, 2023         December 31, 2022           \$         46.3         \$         43.4           36.0         32.1         \$         82.3         75.5           31.7         29.7         26.4         26.2           \$         58.1         \$         55.9           \$         24.2         \$         19.6           3.3         3.2         13.1         12.0           \$         16.4         \$         15.2	December 30, 2023         December 31, 2022           \$         46.3         \$         43.4         \$           36.0         32.1           \$         82.3         \$         75.5         \$           31.7         29.7         26.4         26.2           \$         58.1         \$         55.9         \$           \$         24.2         \$         19.6         \$           3.3         3.2         13.1         12.0           \$         16.4         \$         15.2         \$	December 30, 2023         December 31, 2022         \$           \$         46.3         \$         43.4         \$         2.9           36.0         32.1         3.9           \$         82.3         \$         75.5         \$         6.8           31.7         29.7         2.0         2.0         2.2         2.2         2.2         0.2         0.2         0.2         0.2         0.2         0.2         0.1			

### Revenue

(dollar amounts in millions)

	Year	Ended	Variance			
	December 30, 2023	December 31, 2022	s	%		
Product revenues	\$ 46.3	\$ 43.4	\$ 2.9	6.7 %		
Services revenues	36.0	32.1	3.9	12.1 %		
Total revenues	\$ 82.3	\$ 75.5	\$ 6.8	9.0 %		

The \$6.8 or 9.0% increase in revenues is 48% due to commercial actions instituted.

The following table illustrates the revenues by sales channel for the years ended December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022 (dollar amounts in millions).

	Year Ended							Variance			
	Decen	nber 30, 2023	% of total revenues	Dec	cember 31, 2022	% of total revenues		\$	%		
New Construction - Self Storage	\$	73.2	88.9 %	\$	57.2	75.8 %	\$	16.0	28.0%		
R3 - Self Storage		9.1	11.1 %		18.3	24.2 %		(9.2)	(50.3) %		
Total	\$	82.3	100.0 %	\$	75.5	100.0 %	\$	6.8	9.0 %		

New Construction revenues increased by \$16.0 or 28.0% to \$73.2 for the year ended December 30, 2023 from \$57.2 for the year ended December 31, 2022. The increase was due to increased volumes, commercial actions, and higher occupancy rates at existing facilities, leading to a necessity for an expansion in capacity by operators.

R3 revenues decreased by \$9.2 or 50.3% to \$9.1 for the year ended December 30, 2023 from \$18.3 for the year ended December 31, 2022 primarily due to customers focusing more on New Construction versus expanding their portfolio through expansions and retrofits or utilizing our portable MASS units.

### Cost of revenues and Gross Margin

(dollar amounts in millions)

Gross Margin increased by 3.4% to 29.4% for the year ended December 30, 2023 from 26.0% for the year ended December 31, 2022.

The increase is primarily due to increased revenue resulting in improved absorption.

	Year Ended				Variance			
	December 30, 2023		December 31, 2022		S	%		
Product cost of revenues	\$ 31.	7 \$	29.7	\$	2.0	6.7 %		
Service cost of revenues	26.	4	26.2		0.2	0.8 %		
Cost of revenues	\$ 58.	1 \$	55.9	\$	2.2	3.9 %		

Cost of revenues increased by \$2.2 or 3.9% to \$58.1 for the year ended December 30, 2023 from \$55.9 for the year ended December 31, 2022.

# Operating Expenses - General and administrative

General and administrative expenses increased \$1.1 or 9.2% to 13.1 for the year ended December 30, 2023 from \$12.0 for the year ended December 31, 2022. The increase for the year ended December 30, 2023 is primarily due to the setup costs associated with the Poland plant opening in the fourth quarter of 2023.

# Income from Operations

Income from operations increased by \$3.4 to \$7.8 for the year ended December 30, 2023 from \$4.4 for the year ended December 31, 2022. The increase was primarily due to an increase in revenues offset by the increase in general and administrative expenses.

# **Results of Operations - Eliminations** (dollar amounts in millions)

Eliminations include transactions to account for intercompany activity. The eliminations necessary to arrive at consolidated financial information activity for the years December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022 are as follows:

Revenues	Year Ended				
	December 30, 2023		December 31, 2022		
North America Segment revenues before eliminations	\$ 1,028.4	\$	994.3		
International Segment revenues before eliminations	82.3		75.5		
Eliminations	(44.3)		(50.3)		
Consolidated total revenues	\$ 1,066.4	\$	1,019.5		

Cost of Revenues	Year Ended				
		December 30, 2023		December 31, 2022	
North America Segment cost of revenues before eliminations	\$	602.6	\$	649.0	
International Segment cost of revenues before eliminations		58.1		55.9	
Eliminations <sup>(1)</sup>		(44.0)		(50.3)	
Consolidated total cost of revenues	\$	616.7	\$	654.6	

<sup>1)</sup> Cost of revenues eliminations for the year ended December 30, 2023 includes intercompany profit in inventory eliminations.

# Revenues by Sales Channel

	North America Revenues		International Revenues		ues Eliminations		Consolidated Revenues	
December 30, 2023								
New Construction - Self Storage	\$	336.5	\$	73.2	\$	(14.8)	\$	394.9
R3 - Self Storage		326.9		9.1		(1.1)		334.9
Commercial and Other		365.0		_		(28.4)		336.6
	\$	1,028.4	\$	82.3	\$	(44.3)	\$	1,066.4
December 31, 2022				<u>-</u>				
New Construction - Self Storage	\$	289.4	\$	57.2	\$	(23.2)	\$	323.4
R3 - Self Storage		304.1		18.3		(1.3)		321.1
Commercial and Other		400.8		_		(25.8)		375.0
	\$	994.3	\$	75.5	\$	(50.3)	\$	1,019.5

### **Non-GAAP Financial Measures**

(dollar amounts in millions)

Janus uses measures of performance that are not required by or presented in accordance with GAAP in the United States. Non-GAAP financial performance measures are used to supplement the financial information presented on a GAAP basis. These non-GAAP financial measures should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for the relevant GAAP measures and should be read in conjunction with information presented on a GAAP basis.

# Adjusted EBITDA

Janus presents Adjusted EBITDA which is a non-GAAP financial performance measure, which excludes from reported GAAP results, the impact of certain items consisting of acquisition events and other non-recurring charges. Such expenses, charges, and gains are not indicative of Janus's normal, ongoing operations, and their inclusion in results makes for more difficult comparisons between years and with peer group companies.

Adjusted EBITDA is used by Janus to evaluate its operating performance, generate future operating plans, and make strategic decisions, including those relating to operating expenses and the allocation of internal resources. Accordingly, these measures provide useful information to investors and others in understanding and evaluating Janus's operating results in the same manner as its management and board of directors. In addition, they provide useful measures for period-to-period comparisons of Janus's business, as they remove the effect of certain non-cash items and certain variable charges. Adjusted EBITDA is defined as net income excluding interest expense, income taxes, depreciation expense, amortization, and other non-operational, non-recurring items.

Adjusted EBITDA should not be considered in isolation of, or as an alternative to, measures prepared in accordance with GAAP. There are a number of limitations related to the use of Adjusted EBITDA rather than net income, which is the nearest GAAP equivalent of Adjusted EBITDA. These limitations include that the non-GAAP financial measures:

- · exclude depreciation and amortization, and although these are non-cash expenses, the assets being depreciated may be replaced in the future;
- · do not reflect interest expense, or the cash requirements necessary to service interest on debt, which reduces cash available;
- do not reflect the provision for or benefit from income tax that may result in payments that reduce cash available;
- · exclude non-recurring items which are unlikely to occur again and have not occurred before (e.g., corporate restructuring); and
- may not be comparable to similar non-GAAP financial measures used by other companies, because the expenses and other items that Janus excludes in the calculation of these non-GAAP financial measures may differ from the expenses and other items, if any, that other companies may exclude from these non-GAAP financial measures when they report their operating results.

Because of these limitations, these non-GAAP financial measures should be considered along with other operating and financial performance measures presented in accordance with GAAP.

The following table present a reconciliation of net income to Adjusted EBITDA for the periods indicated:

	Three Mor	nths Ended	Variance			
(dollar amounts in millions)	December 30, 2023	December 31, 2022	s	%		
Net Income	\$ 35.8	\$ 32.7	\$ 3.1	9.5 %		
Interest expense	14.7	13.4	1.3	9.7 %		
Income taxes	13.4	12.6	0.8	6.3 %		
Depreciation	2.7	2.1	0.6	28.6 %		
Amortization	7.5	7.4	0.1	1.4 %		
EBITDA	\$ 74.1	\$ 68.2	\$ 5.9	8.7 %		
Restructuring charges <sup>(3)</sup>	0.2	_	0.2	100.0 %		
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 74.3	\$ 68.2	\$ 6.1	8.9 %		

		Year Ended			 variance				
(dollar amounts in millions)	Decen	nber 30, 2023		December 31, 2022	\$	%			
Net Income	\$	135.7	\$	107.7	\$ 28.0	26.0 %			
Interest expense		60.0		42.0	18.0	42.9 %			
Income taxes		47.1		37.6	9.5	25.3 %			
Depreciation		9.3		7.9	1.4	17.7 %			
Amortization		29.8		29.7	0.1	0.3 %			
EBITDA	\$	281.9	\$	224.9	\$ 57.0	25.3 %			
Loss on extinguishment and modification of debt(1)		3.9		_	3.9	100.0 %			
COVID-19 related expenses <sup>(2)</sup>		_		0.1	(0.1)	(100.0)%			
Restructuring charges <sup>(3)</sup>		1.2		1.1	0.1	9.1 %			
Acquisition expense <sup>(4)</sup>		(1.4)		0.8	(2.2)	(275.0) %			
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	285.6	\$	226.9	\$ 58.7	25.9 %			

- (1) Adjustment for loss on extinguishment and modification of debt regarding the write off of unamortized fees and third-party fees as a result of the debt modification completed in August
- (2) Adjustment consists of signage, cleaning and supplies to maintain work environments necessary to adhere to CDC guidelines during the COVID-19 pandemic.
- (3) Adjustments consist of the following: 1) facility relocations, and 2) severance and hiring costs associated with our strategic transformation, including executive leadership team changes, strategic business assessment and transformation projects.
- (4) Income or expenses related to the transition services agreement and legal settlement for an acquisition.

### Adjusted Net Income

Adjusted Net Income is defined as net income attributable to shareholders, which excludes from reported GAAP results, the impact of certain items consisting of acquisition events and other non-recurring charges. Similar to Adjusted EBITDA, such expenses, charges, and gains are excluded since they are not indicative of Janus's normal, ongoing operations, and their inclusion in results makes for more difficult comparisons between years and with peer group companies.

We use Adjusted Net Income to facilitate a comparison of our operating performance on a consistent basis from period to period that, when viewed in combination with our results prepared in accordance with U.S. GAAP, provides a more complete understanding of factors and trends affecting our business than does U.S. GAAP measures alone. Adjusted net income should not be considered in isolation of, or as an alternative to, measures prepared in accordance with GAAP.

The following table present a reconciliation of net income to adjusted net income for the periods indicated:

		Three Moi	iths Ende	d
		December 30, 2023		December 31, 2022
Net Income	\$	35.8	\$	32.7
Net Income Adjustments <sup>(1)</sup>		0.2		_
Tax Effect Non-GAAP on Net Income Adjustments <sup>(2)</sup>		(0.1)		_
Non-GAAP Adjusted Net Income	<u>\$</u>	35.9	\$	32.7

		Year Ended				
	Decem	ber 30, 2023		December 31, 2022		
Net Income	\$	135.7	\$	107.7		
Net Income Adjustments <sup>(1)</sup>		3.7		2.0		
Tax Effect Non-GAAP on Net Income Adjustments <sup>(2)</sup>		(1.0)		(0.5)		
Non-GAAP Adjusted Net Income	\$	138.4	\$	109.2		

- (1) Refer to the Adjusted EBITDA table above for detailed breakout of adjustment items.
- (2) Tax effected for the net income adjustments. Used effective tax rates 27.2% and 27.8% for the three months ended December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, respectively, and 25.8% and 25.9% for the years ended December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, respectively.

### Free Cash Flow

The Company uses a measure of free cash flow to facilitate an understanding of its ability to generate cash for reinvestment into its businesses. We define "Free Cash Flow" as cash flow from operating of continuing operations, less cash used in purchases of property and equipment. Free Cash Flow is not intended as an alternative measure of cash flow from operations, as determined in accordance with GAAP in the United States. We use this financial measure both in presenting results to shareholders and the investment community and in our internal evaluation and management of our businesses. We believe that this financial measure and the information it provides are useful to investors because it permits investors to view our performance using the same tool that we use to gauge progress in achieving our goals. We believe that the non-GAAP financial measure "Free cash flow" is also useful to investors because it is an indication of cash flow that may be available to fund investments in future growth initiatives. Free cash flow should not be considered in isolation of, or as an alternative to, measures prepared in accordance with GAAP.

The following table present a reconciliation of cash flows provided by operating activities to free cash flow for the periods indicated:

		Three Months Ended					
	Decen	December 30, 2023					
Cash flow from operating activities	\$	68.5	\$	25.9			
Less: capital expenditure		(5.5)		(1.0)			
Free Cash Flow	\$	63.0	\$	24.9			
GAAP Net Income	\$	35.8	\$	32.7			
Non-GAAP Adjusted Net Income	\$	35.9	\$	32.7			
Operating Cash Flow to GAAP Net Income		191 %		79 %			
Free Cash Flow to Non-GAAP Adjusted Net Income ("conversion")		175 %		76 %			

		Year Ended								
	Decem	December 30, 2023								
Cash flow from operating activities	\$	215.0	\$	88.5						
Less: capital expenditure		(19.0)		(8.8)						
Free Cash Flow	\$	196.0	\$	79.7						
GAAP Net Income	\$	135.7	\$	107.7						
Non-GAAP Adjusted Net Income	\$	138.4	\$	109.2						
Operating Cash Flow to GAAP Net Income		158 %		82 %						
Free Cash Flow to Non-GAAP Adjusted Net Income ("conversion")		142 %		73 %						

### **Liquidity and Capital Resources**

We assess our liquidity in terms of our ability to generate cash to fund our operating, investing and financing activities. In doing so, we review and analyze our current cash on hand, days sales outstanding, inventory turns, days payable outstanding, capital expenditure forecasts, interest and principal payments on debt and income tax payments.

Our primary sources of liquidity include cash balances on hand, cash flows from operations, proceeds from equity, debt offerings and borrowing availability under our existing credit facility. Based on the information available as of the date of this Annual Report on Form 10-K, our operating cash flow, along with funds available under the line of credit, adequately support Janus's liquidity and financing needs, including working capital requirements, capital expenditures, debt servicing, and potential acquisitions. The Company believes it will have sufficient working capital to fund operations for at least the next twelve months from the date of issuance of these financial statements.

### Financial Policy

Our financial policy seeks to: (i) selectively invest in organic and inorganic growth to enhance our portfolio, including certain strategic capital investments and (ii) maintain appropriate leverage by using free cash flows to repay outstanding borrowings.

### Liquidity Policy

We maintain a strong focus on liquidity and define our liquidity risk tolerance based on sources and uses to maintain a sufficient liquidity position to meet our obligations under both normal and stressed conditions. At Janus, we manage our liquidity to provide access to sufficient funding to meet our business needs and financial obligations, as well as capital allocation and growth objectives, throughout business cycles.

### Cash Management

Janus manages its operating cash management activities through banking relationships for the domestic entities and international entities. Domestic subsidiaries monitor cash balances on a monthly basis and excess cash is transferred to Janus to pay down intercompany debt, interest on the intercompany debt, and intercompany sales of products and materials and other services. International subsidiaries monitor excess cash balances on a periodic basis and transfer excess cash flow to Janus in the form of a dividend. Janus compiles a monthly standalone business unit and consolidated 13-week cash flow forecast to monitor various cash activities and forecast cash balances to fund operational activities.

### **Holding Company Status**

Janus International Group, Inc. owns no material assets, other than its ownership of Janus Core, and does not conduct any business operations of its own. As a result, Janus International Group, Inc. is largely dependent upon cash dividends and distributions and other transfers from its subsidiaries, such as Janus Core, to meet obligations. The agreements governing the indebtedness of our subsidiaries impose restrictions on our subsidiaries' ability to pay dividends or make other distributions to us.

#### Foreign Exchange

We have operations in various foreign countries, principally the United Kingdom, France, Australia, Poland, and Singapore. Therefore, changes in the value of the related currencies affect our financial statements when translated into U.S. dollars.

# Debt Profile

(dollar amounts in millions)

						 Net Carry	ing Value		
	Pri	ncipal Amount	Issuance Date	Maturity Date	Interest Rate	December 30, 2023		December 31, 2022	
First Lien notes payable	\$	625,000	August 3, 2023	August 3, 2030	8.76% 1	\$ 623.4	\$	714.3	
Financing leases						3.4		1.1	
Total principal debt						\$ 626.8	\$	715.4	
Less: unamortized deferred finance fees						11.8		7.2	
Less: current portion of long-term debt						 7.3		8.3	
Long-term debt, net of current portion						\$ 607.7	\$	699.9	

<sup>(1)</sup> The interest rate on the Amendment No. 6 First Lien term loan as of December 30, 2023, was 8.76%, which is a variable rate based on Adjusted Term SOFR, subject to a 1.00% floor, plus .10% credit spread adjustment ("CSA") and an applicable margin percent of 3.25%

First Lien Term Loan - On June 20, 2023, the Company entered into Amendment No. 5 (the "Amendment No. 5 First Lien") to the First Lien Term Loan. The Amendment No. 5 First Lien, among other things, (i) replaces the interest rate based on the London Interbank Offered Rate ("LIBOR") and related LIBOR-based mechanics applicable to borrowings under the Agreement with an interest rate based on the Secured Overnight Financing Rate ("SOFR") and related SOFR-based mechanics and (ii) updates certain other provisions of the Agreement to reflect the transition from LIBOR to SOFR. As chosen by the Company, the amended loan bears interest at a floating rate per annum consisting of Adjusted Term SOFR, plus .10% CSA and an applicable margin percent. The debt is secured by substantially all business assets. For the year ended December 30, 2023, the Company made voluntary payments of \$85.3 toward the First Lien Term Loan using cash on hand.

On August 3, 2023, the Company refinanced its existing First Lien Term Loan pursuant to the Amendment No. 6 First Lien. The loan was made by a syndicate of lenders, with the aggregate amount of \$625.0. The outstanding loan balance is to be repaid on a quarterly basis of 0.25% of the original balance of the amended loan beginning the last business day of December 2023 with the remaining principal due on the maturity date of August 3, 2030. As chosen by the Company, the amended loan bears interest at a floating rate per annum consisting of Adjusted Term SOFR plus .10% CSA and an applicable margin percent (effective rate of 8.76% as of December 30, 2023). (see Note 9, Long-Term Debt, to our consolidated financial statements in this Form 10-K for a further discussion).

Revolving Credit Facility - On August 18, 2021, the Company increased the existing available LOC Agreement with a domestic bank, from \$50.0 to \$80.0, incurred additional fees for this amendment of \$0.4 and extended the maturity date from February 12, 2023 to August 12, 2024. On August 3, 2023, the Company refinanced the revolving credit facility, pursuant to a new ABL Credit and Guarantee Agreement (the "2023 LOC Agreement"). The 2023 LOC Agreement, among other things, (i) increased the previous aggregate commitments from \$80.0 to \$125.0, (ii) updated the manner in which the previous borrowing base under the 2023 LOC Agreement was determined, and (iii) replaced the administrative agent with a new administrative agent. Interest payments with respect to the 2023 LOC Agreement are due in arrears. The maturity date is August 3, 2028.

As chosen by the Company, the amended revolving credit facility bears interest at a floating rate per annum consisting of SOFR plus .10% CSA and an applicable margin percent that is based on excess availability. There was no outstanding balance on the line of credit as of December 30, 2023, and December 31, 2022. As of December 30, 2023, the Adjusted Term SOFR interest rate for the facility was 6.8%. The line of credit is secured by accounts receivable and inventories. (see Note 8, Line of Credit, to our consolidated financial statements in this Form 10-K for a further discussion)

The 2023 LOC Agreement and Amendment No. 6 First Lien contain affirmative and negative covenants, including limitations on, subject to certain exceptions, the incurrence of indebtedness, the incurrence of liens, fundamental changes, dispositions, restricted payments, investments, transactions with affiliates as well as other covenants customary for financings of these types. The 2023 LOC Agreement also includes a financial covenant, applicable only when the excess availability is less than the greater of (i) 10% of the lesser of the aggregate commitments under the line of credit facility and the borrowing base, and (ii) \$10.0. In such circumstances, we would be required to maintain a minimum fixed charge coverage ratio for the trailing four quarters equal to at least 1.00 to 1.00; subject to our ability to make an equity cure (no more than twice in any four quarter period and up to five times over the life of the facility). As of December 30, 2023, we were compliant with our covenants under the agreements governing our outstanding indebtedness.

As of December 30, 2023, and December 31, 2022, the Company maintained one letter of credit totaling approximately \$0.4 on which there were no balances due.

### Statement of cash flows

(dollar amounts in millions)

The following table presents a summary of cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities for the following comparative periods. For additional detail, please see the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows in the consolidated financial statements.

# Year ended December 30, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022:

						Vari	riance	
	Decen	December 30, 2023		cember 31, 2022	\$		%	
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	215.0	\$	88.5	\$	126.5	142.9 %	
Net cash used in investing activities		(19.9)		(8.7)		(11.2)	128.7 %	
Net cash used in financing activities		(102.4)		(14.7)		(87.7)	596.6 %	
Effect of foreign currency rate changes on cash		0.6		0.1		0.5	500.0 %	
Net increase in cash	\$	93.3	\$	65.2	\$	28.1	43.1 %	

### Net cash provided by operating activities

Net cash provided by operating activities increased by \$126.5 to \$215.0, or 142.9%, for the year ended December 30, 2023, compared to \$88.5 for the year ended December 31, 2022. This was primarily due to a favorable change in the net working capital, resulting in a \$97.5 increase in net cash flows from operating activities, as in the year ended December 31, 2022, changes in net working capital resulted in a cash usage of \$84.8, while there was a \$12.7 cash inflow due to changes in net working capital for the year ended December 30, 2023. Additionally, the increase in net cash provided by operating activities for the year ended December 30, 2023, was attributable to a \$29.0 increase in net income, adjusted for non-cash items.

### Net cash used in investing activities

Net cash used in investing activities increased by \$11.2 for the year ended December 30, 2023 as compared to the year ended December 31, 2022. This increase was driven primarily by a \$10.2 increase in capital expenditures to continue to support our strategic growth initiatives.

### Net cash used in financing activities

Net cash used in financing activities increased by \$87.7 for the year ended December 30, 2023 as compared to the year ended December 31, 2022. This decrease was primarily due to principal repayments of \$428.5 and a payment of deferred financing costs of \$10.8, partially offset by proceeds from borrowings of \$337.6 during the year ended December 30, 2023 in connection with the 2023 debt refinancing. See Note 9, Long-term Debt, to our consolidated financial statements for additional discussion of the transaction.

# Capital allocation strategy

We continually assess our capital allocation strategy, including decisions relating to mergers and acquisitions, share repurchases, capital expenditures, debt pay-downs, etc.

### **Contractual Obligations**

(dollar amounts in millions)

Excluding debt obligations disclosed above, the table below summarizes our approximate contractual obligations as of December 30, 2023 and their expected impact on our liquidity and cash flows in future periods:

	Total		Less than 1 year	1-3 years			3-5 years	Thereafter	
Supply Contracts (1)	\$	5.7	\$ 5.7	\$		\$		\$	_
Operating lease obligations		73.5	8.8		17.0		14.9		32.8
Total	\$	79.2	\$ 14.5	\$	17.0	\$	14.9	\$	32.8

<sup>(1)</sup> Supply Contracts relate to the multiple fixed price agreements.

Operating lease obligations consist of operating lease liabilities for real and personal property leases with various lease expiration dates. The amount listed in the thereafter category is primarily comprised of eleven real property leases with expiration dates ranging from 2029 - 2036. See Note 5, Leases, to our consolidated financial statements for a further discussion.

The table above does not include warranty liabilities because it is not certain when this liability will be funded and because this liability is considered immaterial.

### **Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements**

As of December 30, 2023, we did not have any off-balance sheet arrangements that are material or reasonably likely to be material to our financial condition or results of operations.

### **Related Party Transactions**

See Note 14, Related Party Transactions, to our consolidated financial statements for a discussion of related party transactions.

### **Critical Accounting Estimates**

For the critical Accounting Estimates used in preparing Janus's consolidated financial statements, Janus makes assumptions, judgments and estimates that can have a significant impact on its revenue, results from operations and net income, as well as on the value of certain assets and liabilities on its consolidated balance sheets. Janus bases its assumptions, judgments and estimates on historical experience and various other factors that are reasonable under the circumstances. Actual results could differ materially from these estimates under different assumptions or conditions.

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with GAAP. To prepare these financial statements, Janus makes estimates, assumptions, and judgments that affect what Janus reports as its assets and liabilities, what Janus discloses as contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the consolidated financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the periods presented.

In accordance with Janus's policies, Janus regularly evaluates its estimates, assumptions, and judgments, including, but not limited to, those concerning revenue recognition, lease accounting, income taxes and acquisitions of businesses. The Company bases its estimates, assumptions, and judgments on its historical experience and on factors that are reasonable under the circumstances. The results involve judgments about the carrying values of assets and liabilities not readily apparent from other sources. If Janus's assumptions or conditions change, the actual results Janus reports may differ from these estimates. The following critical accounting estimates affect the more significant estimates, assumptions, and judgments Janus uses to prepare these consolidated financial statements.

### Revenue Recognition

The Company enters into certain contracts with customers that may include multiple performance obligations. Determining whether the performance obligations in these contracts are considered to be distinct within the context of the contract with the customer may require significant judgment. Additionally, it is determined whether the performance obligation(s) will be recognized point in time or over time.

For performance obligations recognized over time, we employ the cost-to-cost input method as we consider it the most accurate measure of when goods and services are transferred to the customer. Under this method, we estimate the costs to complete individual contracts and recognize as revenue the portion of the total contract price deemed complete, based on the relationship of costs incurred to date to total anticipated costs.

It is important to note that, under the cost-to-cost method, the use of estimated costs to complete each contract is a crucial variable in determining recognized revenue. This estimate can change over the course of a contract's duration due to factors such as contract modifications and other elements affecting job completion. Our cost estimation process relies on the expertise, significant experience, and judgment of project management, finance professionals, and operational management. These teams assess various factors, including historical performance, costs of materials and labor, change orders, and the nature of the work to be performed.

To ensure accuracy, we regularly review and reassess our estimates for each uncompleted contract at least quarterly, incorporating the latest reliable information available. It's important to recognize that changes in these estimates could have both favorable and unfavorable impacts on revenues and their related profits.

### Lease Accounting

Judgments made by management for our lease obligations include the determination of our incremental borrowing rate, and the length of the lease term, which includes the determination of renewal options that are reasonably assured. The lease term can affect the classification of a lease as finance or operating for accounting purposes, the amount of the lease liability and corresponding right-of-use lease asset recognized, the term over which related leasehold improvements for each restaurant are amortized and any rent holidays and/or changes in rental amounts for recognizing rent expense over the term of the lease. These judgments may produce materially different amounts of depreciation, amortization and rent expense than would be reported if different assumed lease terms were used.

We use our estimated incremental borrowing rate in determining the present value of lease payments for purposes of determining lease classification and recording lease liabilities and lease assets on our consolidated balance sheet. Our incremental borrowing rate is determined based on a synthetic credit rating, determined using a valuation model, adjusted to reflect a secured credit rating and a developed spread curve, if applicable, applied to a risk-free rate yield curve. If the estimate of our incremental borrowing rate was changed, our operating lease assets and liabilities could differ materially. Changes in the determination of our incremental borrowing rate could also have an impact on the depreciation and interest expense recognized for finance leases. See Note 5, Leases, to our consolidated financial statements.

### **Business Combinations**

Under the acquisition method of accounting, Janus recognizes tangible and identifiable intangible assets acquired and liabilities assumed based on their estimated fair values. Janus records the excess of the fair value of the consideration transferred, plus fair value of noncontrolling interest, plus fair value of preexisting interest in the acquiree over the value of the net assets acquired as goodwill. The accounting for business combinations requires us to make significant estimates and assumptions, especially with respect to intangible assets and the fair value of contingent payment obligations. Janus uses a variety of information sources to determine the value of acquired assets and liabilities including: third-party appraisers for the values and lives of property, identifiable intangibles and inventories; and legal counsel or other advisors to assess the obligations associated with legal, environmental or other claims. Critical estimates in valuing customer relationships, noncompete agreements, trademarks and tradenames, and other intangible assets (e.g., backlog, software, and technology) acquired, include future cash flows that we expect to generate from the acquired assets. If the subsequent actual results and updated

projections of the underlying business activity change compared with the assumptions and projections used to develop these values, we could experience impairment charges which could be material.

We record contingent consideration resulting from a business combination at its fair value on the acquisition date. We generally determine the fair value of the contingent consideration using the Monte Carlo simulation, and Probability-Weighted Payment method. Each reporting period thereafter, we revalue these obligations and record increases or decreases in their fair value as an adjustment to operating expenses within the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income. Changes in the fair value of the contingent consideration can result from changes in assumed discount periods and rates, and from changes pertaining to the achievement of the defined milestones. Significant judgment is employed in determining the appropriateness of these assumptions as of the acquisition date and for each subsequent period. Accordingly, future business and economic conditions, as well as changes in any of the assumptions described above, can materially impact the amount of contingent consideration expense we record in any given period.

### **Recently Issued Accounting Standards**

See Note 2, Summary of Significant Accounting Policies, to our consolidated financial statements for a discussion of recently issued and adopted accounting pronouncements.

# Item 7A. QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURE ABOUT MARKET RISK

### Foreign Currency Exposures

Janus is exposed to foreign currency exchange risk related to currency translation exposure because the operations of its subsidiaries are measured in their functional currency which is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the subsidiary operates; particularly, the United Kingdom and Australia. Any currency balances that are denominated in currencies other than the functional currency of the subsidiary are re-measured into the functional currency, with the resulting gain or loss recorded in the other income (expense) in Janus' income statement. In turn, subsidiary income statement balances that are denominated in currencies other than the U.S. dollar are translated into U.S. dollars, Janus' functional currency, in consolidation using the average exchange rate in effect during each fiscal month during the period, with any related gain or loss recorded as foreign currency translation adjustments in other comprehensive income (loss). The assets and liabilities of subsidiaries that use functional currencies other than the U.S. dollar are translated into U.S. dollars in consolidation using period end exchange rates, with the effects of foreign currency translation adjustments included in accumulated other comprehensive income (loss).

Janus seeks to naturally hedge its foreign exchange transaction exposure by matching the transaction currencies for its cash inflows and outflows and maintaining access to credit in the principal currencies in which it conducts business. Janus does not currently hedge our foreign exchange transaction or translation exposure but may consider doing so in the future. Other comprehensive income (loss) includes foreign currency translation adjustments.

### Commodity/Raw Material Price Exposures and Concentration of Supplier Risk

Janua's biggest commodity Company spend is steel coils, which is subject to price volatility due to external factors, and comprises approximately, 58.3% and 62.2% of commodity spend on a consolidated level for the fiscal year ended December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, respectively. Historically, exposures associated with these costs were primarily managed through terms of the sales and by maintaining relationships with multiple vendors. Prices for spot market purchases were negotiated on a continuous basis in line with the market at the time. Other than short term supply contracts and occasional strategic purchases of larger quantities of certain raw materials, we generally buy materials on an as-needed basis. Periodically, we enter into fixed price and fixed supply agreements to combat fluctuations in the price of steel locking in prices and will continue to do so in the future. We have not entered into hedges with respect to our raw material costs at this time, but we may choose to enter into such hedges in the future.

#### Interest Rate Exposure

As indicated in Note 9, Long-term Debt, of Janus' consolidated financial statements, for the year ended December 30, 2023, outstanding borrowings under its credit facilities include a First Lien term loan. On August 3, 2023, the Company refinanced its existing First Lien Term Loan pursuant to Amendment No. 6 (the "Amendment No. 6 First Lien") to the First Lien Agreement. The loan was made by a syndicate of lenders, with the aggregate amount of \$625.0. As chosen by the Company, the amended loan bears interest at a floating rate per annum consisting of Adjusted Term SOFR plus an applicable margin percent. The interest rate on the Amendment No. 6 First Lien term loan as of December 30, 2023, was 8.76%, which is a variable rate based on Adjusted Term SOFR, subject to a 1.00% floor, and includes a 0.10% CSA and an applicable margin percentage of 3.25%.

As indicated in Note 8, Line of Credit, of Janua's consolidated financial statement, Janua also has a \$125.0 credit facility with a financial institution. On August 3, 2023, the Company refinanced the revolving credit facility, pursuant to a new ABL Credit and Guarantee Agreement (the "2023 LOC Agreement"). Interest payments with respect to the 2023 LOC Agreement are due in arrears. The maturity date is August 3, 2028. As of December 30, 2023, the Adjusted Term SOFR interest rate for the facility was 6.8%.

Janus experiences risk related to fluctuations in the SOFR rate and base rate at any given time. Taking into account the SOFR floor of 1.0%, a hypothetical increase or decrease in 100 basis points of the SOFR rate on the amounts outstanding under the Amendment No. 6 to First Lien term loan as of December 30, 2023, would have led to an approximate \$6.2 increase or \$6.2 decrease in the interest expense of the Amendment No. 6 to First Lien term loan on an annual basis. Management may consider using interest rate hedges in the future to combat potential interest rate exposure. Refer to Item 1A. Risk Factors for further information on the risks associated with our interest rate exposure.

### Credit Risk

As of December 31, 2022 and January 1, 2022, our cash was maintained at major financial institutions in the United States, Europe, Singapore, and Australia, and our current deposits are likely in excess of insured limits. Based on the information available as of the date of this Annual Report on Form 10-K, these institutions have sufficient assets and liquidity to conduct their operations in the ordinary course of business with little or no credit risk to us.

Our accounts receivable primarily relate to revenue from the sale of products and services to established customers. To mitigate credit risk, ongoing credit evaluations of customers' financial condition are performed, deposits are required for select customers, and lien rights on any jobs in which Janus provides subcontracted installation services are available. As of December 30, 2023, one customer accounted for 11% of the account receivable balance. There were no other customers that represented more than 10% of accounts receivable as of December 31, 2022 and January 1,

# Impact of Inflation

Inflationary factors such as increases in the cost of our product and overhead costs may adversely affect our operating results if we are unsuccessful in passing such inflationary increases on to our customers in the form of higher prices.

# Item 8. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

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### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

Shareholders and Board of Directors Janus International Group, Inc. Temple. GA

### **Opinion on the Consolidated Financial Statements**

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of Janus International Group, Inc. (the "Company") as of December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, the related consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income, changes in stockholders' equity, and cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended December 30, 2023, and the related notes (collectively referred to as the "consolidated financial statements"). In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company at December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended December 30, 2023, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

We also have audited, in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) ("PCAOB"), the Company's internal control over financial reporting as of December 30, 2023, based on criteria established in Internal Control – Integrated Framework (2013) issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission ("COSO") and our report dated February 28, 2024, expressed an unqualified opinion thereon.

### **Basis for Opinion**

These consolidated financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's consolidated financial statements based on our audits. We are a public accounting firm registered with the PCAOB and are required to be independent with respect to the Company in accordance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB. We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free of material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud.

Our audits included performing procedures to assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures that respond to those risks. Such procedures included examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. Our audits also included evaluating the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

#### Critical Audit Matter

The critical audit matter communicated below is a matter arising from the current period audit of the consolidated financial statements that was communicated or required to be communicated to the audit committee and that: (1) relates to accounts or disclosures that are material to the consolidated financial statements and (2) involved our especially challenging, subjective, or complex judgments. The communication of critical audit matter does not alter in any way our opinion on the consolidated financial statements, taken as a whole, and we are not, by communicating the critical audit matter below, providing separate opinions on the critical audit matter or on the accounts or disclosures to which it relates.

Revenue Recognition - Identification of Performance Obligations

As described in Notes 2 and 15 to the consolidated financial statements, the Company recognized product revenues transferred over time of \$122.4 million for the year ended December 30, 2023. The Company enters into certain of these contracts with customers that may include multiple performance obligations. Determining whether the performance obligations in these contracts are considered to be distinct within the context of the contract with the customer requires significant judgment.

We identified revenue recognition, specifically related to management's identification of the performance obligations within certain of its contracts with customers, as a critical audit matter. The principal consideration for our determination included the significant judgement involved in management's determination of whether the contracts contain (1) multiple performance obligations that are distinct within the context of the contract and require recognition as separate units of account or (2) a single performance obligation that requires recognition as a single unit of account. Auditing these elements was especially challenging due to the degree of auditor judgment required to address these matters.

The primary procedures we performed to address this critical audit matter included:

- Evaluating management's revenue recognition policy, including the judgments and assumptions used by management related to the identification of performance obligations.
- Testing a sample of certain revenue contracts by obtaining and evaluating underlying source documents relevant to revenue recognition. For those selected contracts, we considered whether the contract contained (1) multiple performance obligations that are distinct within the context of the contract and require recognition as separate units of account or (2) a single performance obligation that requires recognition as a single unit of account.

/s/ BDO USA, P.C.

We have served as the Company's auditor since 2018

Atlanta, GA February 28, 2024

# Janus International Group, Inc.

# **Consolidated Balance Sheets**

(dollar amounts in millions, except share and per share data)

	Decei	mber 30, 2023	December 31, 2022	
ASSETS				
Current Assets				
Cash	\$	171.7	\$ 78.4	
Accounts receivable, less allowance for credit losses of \$3.6 and \$4.6 as of December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, respectively		174.1	155.4	
Contract assets		49.7	39.3	
Inventories		48.4	67.7	
Prepaid expenses		8.4	9.1	
Other current assets		10.8	13.3	
Total current assets	\$	463.1	363.2	
Right of-use assets, net		50.9	44.3	
Property, plant and equipment, net		52.4	42.1	
Intangible assets, net		375.3	404.4	
Goodwill		368.6	368.2	
Deferred tax asset, net		36.8	46.6	
Other assets		2.9	1.8	
Total assets	\$	1,350.0	1,270.6	
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Current Liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$	59.8	52.3	
Billings in excess of costs		26.7	21.4	
Current maturities of long-term debt		7.3	8.3	
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities		80.3	70.6	
Total current liabilities	\$	174.1	§ 152.6	
Long-term debt, net		607.7	699.9	
Deferred tax liability, net		1.7	1.9	
Other long-term liabilities		46.9	40.9	
Total liabilities	\$	830.4	895.3	
Commitments and Contingencies (Note 20)				
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Common Stock, 825,000,000 shares authorized, \$0.0001 par value, 146,861,489 and 146,703,894 shares issued and outstanding at December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, respectively	\$	_ 5	· —	
Treasury stock, at cost, 34,297 and zero shares at December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, respectively		(0.4)	_	
Additional paid in capital		289.0	281.9	
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(2.9)	(4.8)	
Retained earnings		233.9	98.2	
Total stockholders' equity	\$	519.6	375.3	

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

# Janus International Group, Inc.

# Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income

(dollar amounts in millions, except share and per share data)

Year Ended December 30, 2023 December 31, 2022 January 1, 2022 REVENUES Product revenues \$ 909.8 \$ 890.9 \$ 636.8 Service revenues 156.6 128.6 113.3 \$ 1,066.4 1,019.5 750.1 **Total Revenues** \$ \$ Product cost of revenues 500.8 557.1 417.6 115.9 97.5 81.2 Service cost of revenues **Cost of Revenues** 616.7 654.6 498.8 GROSS PROFIT \$ 251.3 449.7 364.9 \$ OPERATING EXPENSE Selling and marketing 65.5 58.3 46.3 General and administrative 138.5 119.1 112.0 Contingent consideration and earnout fair value adjustments 0.7 **Operating Expenses** 204.0 177.4 159.0 INCOME FROM OPERATIONS 245.7 187.5 92.3 Interest expense (60.0)(42.0)(32.9)Loss on extinguishment and modification of debt (3.9)(2.4)Other income (expense) 1.0 (0.2)(0.8)(5.9)Change in fair value of derivative warrant liabilities (42.2) \$ (42.0) Other Expense, Net (62.9)INCOME BEFORE TAXES 182.8 145.3 50.3 \$ \$ 47.1 37.6 6.5 **Provision for Income Taxes** 135.7 107.7 43.8 NET INCOME 1.9 (3.9) (0.7) Other Comprehensive Income (Loss), net of tax \$ \$ 137.6 103.8 43.1 COMPREHENSIVE INCOME \$ 135.7 107.7 43.8 Net income attributable to common stockholders Weighted-average shares outstanding, basic and diluted Basic 146,782,101 146,606,197 107,875,018 Diluted 146,882,057 146,722,866 108,977,811 Net income per share, basic and diluted Basic \$ 0.92 0.73 \$ 0.41 Diluted \$ 0.92 \$ 0.73 \$ 0.40

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

# Janus International Group, Inc.

# Consolidated Statements of Changes in Stockholders' Equity

(dollar amounts in millions, except share data)

	Class Preferred (1,000,000 share par value of	Units authorized	Common Stock		Treası	ıry Stock	Additional paid- in capital	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss	Retained Earnings (Accumulated deficit)	Total
•	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount		-		
Balance as of December 26, 2020	s		66,145,633	<u>s</u> –		<u>s</u> –	s 189.3	\$ (0.2)	\$ (48.2)	\$ 140.9
Vesting of Midco LLC class B units			4,124,767		=		5.3			5.3
Issuance of PIPE Shares	_	_	25,000,000	-		_	250.0	_	_	250.0
Issuance of common stock upon merger, net of transaction costs, earn out, and merger warrant liability	_	_	41,113,850	=		_	226.9	_	_	226.9
Issuance of earn out shares to common stockholders	_	_	2,000,000	-	- –	_	26.5	_	_	26.5
Distributions to Janus Midco, LLC unitholders	_	_	_	=		_	(541.7)	_	_	(541.7)
Distributions to Class A preferred units	_	_	_	-	- –	_	_	_	(4.2)	(4.2)
Deferred tax asset	_	_	_	-		_	78.2	_	_	78.2
Warrant redemption	_	_	8,177,467	-	- –	_	43.2	_	_	43.2
Share-based compensation	_	_	_	_		_	0.1	_	_	0.1
Foreign currency translation adjustment	_	_	_	-	- –	_	_	(0.7)	_	(0.7)
Net income	_	_	_	-		_	_	_	43.8	43.8
Balance as of January 1, 2022	S	_	146,561,717	<b>s</b> –	<u> </u>	s –	\$ 277.8	\$ (0.9)	\$ (8.6)	\$ 268.3
Issuance of restricted units			142,177	_						
Share-based compensation	_	_	_	-	- –	_	4.1	-	_	4.1
Cumulative effect of change in accounting principle (a)	_	_	_	=		_	_	_	(0.9)	(0.9)
Foreign currency translation adjustment	_	_	_	-		_	_	(3.9)	_	(3.9)
Net income	_	_	_	-		_	_	_	107.7	107.7
Balance as of December 31, 2022	s		146,703,894	s -	<u> </u>	s –	\$ 281.9	\$ (4.8)	\$ 98.2	\$ 375.3
Issuance of restricted units		_	191,892							
Shares withheld for taxes upon vesting of restricted units	_	_	(34,297)	-	- 34,297	(0.4)	_	_	_	(0.4)
Share-based compensation	_	_	_	-		_	7.1	_	_	7.1
Foreign currency translation adjustment	_	_	_	-		_	_	1.9	_	1.9
Net income								_	135.7	135.7
Balance as of December 30, 2023	<u> </u>	_	146,861,489	<u>\$</u>	34,297	\$ (0.4)	\$ 289.0	\$ (2.9)	\$ 233.9	\$ 519.6

(a) Effective January 2, 2022, the Company adopted the provisions of Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") 2016-13, Financial Instruments - Credit Losses: Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments (Topic 326) and ASU 2016-02, Leases (Topic 842).

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

# Janus International Group, Inc. Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

# (dollar amounts in millions)

			Year Ended	
		December 30, 2023	December 31, 2022	January 1, 2022
Cash Flows Provided by Operating Activities				
Net income	\$	135.7	\$ 107.7	\$ 43.8
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities				
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment		9.3	7.9	6.5
Noncash lease expense		6.3	5.4	_
(Reversal of) provision for inventory obsolescence		_	(0.7)	0.7
Amortization of intangibles		29.8	29.7	31.6
Deferred finance fee amortization		3.6	3.7	3.2
(Reversal of) provision for losses on accounts receivable		(0.7)	1.7	1.3
Share-based compensation		7.1	4.1	5.3
Loss on extinguishment of debt		1.6	_	2.4
Change in fair value of contingent consideration and earnout		_	_	0.7
Loss (gain) on sale of assets		0.1	(0.1)	_
Loss on abandonment of lease		_	0.6	0.8
Change in fair value of derivative warrant liabilities		_	_	5.9
(Gain) loss on equity method investment		_	(0.2)	0.2
Deferred income taxes, net		9.5	13.5	4.8
Changes in operating assets and liabilities				
Accounts receivable		(17.4)	(50.1)	(24.0)
Contract assets		(10.3)	(16.1)	(11.6)
Inventories		19.4	(10.3)	(22.9)
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		4.1	(8.5)	(6.0)
Other long-term assets		(1.9)	(12.3)	13.5
Accounts payable		7.3	(2.7)	16.6
Billings in excess of costs		5.0	(1.8)	1.7
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities		10.0	7.7	16.6
Other long-term liabilities	<u> </u>	(3.5)	9.3	(16.3)
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	\$	215.0	\$ 88.5	\$ 74.8
Cash Flows Used in Investing Activities				
Proceeds from sale of equipment	\$	0.1	\$ 0.1	\$ 0.1
Purchases of property and equipment		(19.0)	(8.8)	(19.9)
Proceeds from sale leaseback transaction		_	_	9.6
Cash paid for acquisitions, net of cash acquired		(1.0)		(179.7)
Net Cash Used in Investing Activities	\$	(19.9)	\$ (8.7)	\$ (189.9)
Cash Flows (Used in) Provided by Financing Activities				
(Payments on) proceeds from line of credit	\$	_	\$ (6.4)	\$ 6.4
Distributions to Janus Midco LLC unitholders		_	_	(4.2)
Principal payments on long-term debt		(428.5)	(8.1)	(68.9)
Principal payments on finance lease obligations		(0.7)	(0.2)	_
Proceeds from issuance of long-term debt		337.6	_	155.0
Payments for deferred financing fees		(10.8)	_	(4.3)
Proceeds from merger		_	_	334.9
Proceeds from PIPE		_	_	250.0
Payments for transaction costs, net		_	_	(44.5)
Payments to Janus Midco, LLC unitholders at the Business Combination		_	_	(541.7)
Proceeds from warrant exercise				0.1
Cash (Used in) Provided by Financing Activities	\$	(102.4)	\$ (14.7)	\$ 82.8
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash	\$	0.6	\$ 0.1	\$ 0.2
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash	\$	93.3	\$ 65.2	\$ (32.1)
Cash, Beginning of Fiscal Year	\$	78.4	\$ 13.2	\$ 45.3
Cash, End of Fiscal Year	<u>s</u>	171.7	\$ 78.4	§ 13.2

# Janus International Group, Inc. Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

# (dollar amounts in millions)

		Year Ended					
	Dec	ember 30, 2023	Ι	December 31, 2022		January 1, 2022	
Supplemental Cash Flows Information							
Interest paid	\$	43.4	\$	40.9	\$	32.9	
Income taxes paid	\$	33.9	\$	33.4	\$	2.1	
Cash paid for operating leases included in operating activities	\$	8.4	\$	7.7	\$	_	
Non-cash investing and financing activities							
Right-of-use assets obtained in exchange for operating lease obligations	\$	9.5	\$	48.4	\$	_	
Right-of-use assets obtained in exchange for finance lease obligations	\$	3.1	\$	1.2	\$	_	
RSU Shares withheld related to employee taxes	\$	0.4	\$	_	\$	_	
Property, plant and equipment obtained in exchange for operating lease obligations	\$	1.6	\$	_	\$	_	

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

### Janus International Group, Inc. Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

(dollar amounts in millions, except per share data)

# 1. Nature of Operations

Janus International Group, Inc. is a holding company incorporated in Delaware. References to "Janus," "Group," "Company," "we," "our" or "us" refer to Janus International Group, Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries. The Company is a global manufacturer, supplier, and provider of turn-key self-storage, commercial, and industrial building solutions. The Company provides facility and door automation and access control technologies, roll up and swing doors, hallway systems, and relocatable storage "MASS" (Moveable Additional Storage Structures) units, among other solutions, and works with its customers throughout every phase of a project by providing solutions spanning from facility planning and design, construction, technology, and the restoration, rebuilding, and replacement ("R3") of damaged or end-of-life products.

The Company is headquartered in Temple, GA with operations in the United States of America ("United States") ("U.S."), United Kingdom ("U.K."), Australia, France, and Poland. The Company provides products and services through its two reportable segments which are based on the geographic region of its operations: (i) Janus North America and (ii) Janus International. The Janus International segment is comprised of Janus International Europe Holdings Ltd. (U.K.) ("JIE"), whose production and sales are largely in Europe and Australia. The Janus North America segment is comprised of all the other entities including Janus Core together with each of its operating subsidiaries, Betco, Inc. ("BETCO"), Nokē, Inc. ("NOKE"), Asta Industries, Inc. ("ASTA"), DBCI, LLC f'k/a Dingo NewCo, LLC ("DBCI"), Access Control Technologies, LLC ("ACT"), Janus Door, LLC and Steel Door Depot.com, LLC. The Company's common stock is currently traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "JBI".

### 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

### Basis of Presentation

The accompanying consolidated financial statements are presented in U.S. dollars and have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (U.S. GAAP) and pursuant to the applicable rules and regulations of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC").

The Business Combination, completed on June 7, 2021, was accounted for as a reverse recapitalization in accordance with U.S. GAAP. Under this method of accounting, Juniper Industrial Holdings, Inc. ("JIH") was treated as the acquired company and Janus Midco, LLC ("Midco") was treated as the acquirer for financial statement reporting purposes (the "Combined Company"). Midco was determined to be the accounting acquirer. The Combined Company assumed the Janus name.

Accordingly, for accounting purposes, the financial statements of the Combined Company represent a continuation of the financial statements of Midco with the acquisition being treated as the equivalent of Midco issuing stock for the net assets of JIH, accompanied by a recapitalization. The net assets of JIH were stated at historical cost, with no goodwill or other intangible assets recorded. Midco is deemed to be the predecessor of the Company, and the consolidated assets and liabilities and results of operations prior to the Closing Date are those of Midco.

### Principles of Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its wholly owned subsidiaries. All significant intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation

# Reclassification

Certain items have been reclassified in the prior year financial statements to conform to the presentation and classifications used in the current year. These reclassifications had no effect on our previously reported results of operations or retained earnings.

# Prior Period Financial Statement Correction of Immaterial Error

Subsequent to the issuance of the fiscal year 2022 Form 10-K consolidated financial statements, an immaterial error was identified relating to certain contracts that were recognized as revenue based on two performance obligations, but it was subsequently determined that the performance obligations were not distinct within the context of the contract with the customer. The correction of this immaterial error led to a presentation change on the Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income and in Footnote 15 to the consolidated financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2022. These presentation changes had no effect on our previously reported results of operations or retained earnings.

The effect of correcting the immaterial error in the fiscal years 2022 consolidated financial statements is shown in the following table:

(in millions)		As previously reported	Correction		As adjusted
Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income	_				
Year Ended December 31, 2022					
Product Revenues	:	873.1	\$ 17.8	3 \$	890.9
Service Revenues		146.4	(17.8	)	128.6
	:	1,019.5	\$ -	- \$	1,019.5
Year Ended January 1, 2022					
Product Revenues	:	619.9	\$ 16.9	\$	636.8
Service Revenues		130.2	(16.9	)	113.3
		750.1	<b>s</b> –	- \$	750.1
Footnote 15. Revenue Recognition					
Reportable Segments by Timing of Revenue Recognition Year Ended December 31, 2022					
Janus North America					
Product revenues transferred at a point in time		880.0	\$ (85.0	) \$	795.0
Product revenues transferred over time		_	102.8	į.	102.8
Service revenues transferred over time		114.3	(17.8	.)	96.5
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	994.3	<b>s</b> –	- \$	994.3
Reportable Segments by Timing of Revenue Recognition Year Ended January 1, 2022					
Janus North America					
Product revenues transferred at a point in time	5	614.8	\$ (69.9	) \$	544.9
Product revenues transferred over time		_	86.8	į.	86.8
Service revenues transferred over time		100.1	(16.9	)	83.2
	-	714.9	<u> </u>	- \$	714.9

### Use of Estimates in the Consolidated Financial Statements

The preparation of consolidated financial statements in conformity with U.S GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Items subject to such estimates and assumptions include, but are not limited to, income taxes and the effective tax rates, inventory basis adjustments, the fair value of assets and liabilities related to acquisitions, the derivative warrant liability, the recognition and valuation of unit-based compensation arrangements, the useful lives of property and equipment, the commencement date of leases, the incremental borrowing rate used to calculate lease liabilities, estimated progress toward completion for certain revenue contracts, allowance for credit losses, fair values and impairment of intangible assets and goodwill and assumptions used in the accounting for business combinations.

### Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company considers all liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less to be cash equivalents. At December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, the Company did not have any cash equivalents or restricted cash.

The Company maintains cash in bank deposit accounts that, at times, may exceed the insured limits of the local country, which may lead to a concentration of credit risk. Substantially all of the Company's cash balances were deposited with financial institutions which management has determined to be high-credit quality institutions. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts

### Accounts Receivable and Allowance for Credit Losses

Accounts receivable primarily arise from the sale of products and services to established customers. Accounts receivable are recorded at the invoiced amount and do not bear interest. Additionally, accounts receivable are stated at estimated net realizable value, net of allowance for credit losses which is based on the Company's assessment of the collectability of customer accounts.

The Company estimates the allowance for credit losses using the loss-rate method. As the Company determined that its customers at various business units and sales channels share similar risk characteristics, the same loss rate is applied to all accounts receivable. The Company estimates the allowance for credit losses by considering various factors such as historical write-offs, changes in customers' credit ratings, delinquency, payment history, the age of the accounts receivable balances, and current and expected economic conditions that may affect a customer's ability to pay. Account balances are charged off against the allowance when it is determined that internal collection efforts should no longer be pursued.

The summary of activity in the allowance for credit losses for the years ended December 30, 2023, and December 31, 2022 are as follows:

(in millions)	Beginni	ing Balance	CECL Adoption <sup>1</sup>		Write-offs	Provision (Reversal), net	Ending Balance	
2023	\$	4.6	\$ —	- \$	(0.3)	\$ (0.7)	\$	3.6
2022	\$	5.4	\$ 0.4	\$	(2.9)	\$ 1.7	\$	4.6

(1) On January 2, 2022, the Company adopted the provisions of ASU 2016-13, Financial Instruments - Credit Losses: Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments (Topic 326), which introduced a new model known as Current Expected Credit Losses ("CECL").

#### Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost of net realizable value. Cost is determined using actual costs or standard costs (that approximate actual cost) determined on a first-in, first-out basis or average cost. Labor and overhead costs associated with inventory produced by the Company are capitalized into inventories.

### Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Property and equipment acquired in business combinations are recorded at fair value as of the acquisition date and are subsequently stated less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is charged to expense on the straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of each asset. Leasehold improvements are amortized over the shorter of the lease term or their respective useful lives. Maintenance and repairs are charged to expense as incurred.

#### **Business Combinations**

We account for business acquisitions in accordance with ASC 805, "Business Combinations". This standard requires the acquiring entity in a business combination to recognize all the assets acquired and liabilities assumed in the transaction and establishes the acquisition date fair value as the measurement objective for all assets acquired and liabilities assumed in a business combination. Certain provisions of this standard prescribe, among other things, the determination of acquisition date fair value of consideration paid in a business combination (including contingent consideration) and the exclusion of transaction costs from acquisition accounting. The determination of the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed involves assessments of factors such as the expected future cash flows associated with individual assets and liabilities and appropriate discount rates at the acquisition date. For non-observable market values, the Company determines fair value using acceptable valuation principles (e.g., relief from royalty method). Results of operations for acquired companies are included in our consolidated results of operations from the date of acquisition.

### Goodwill and Indefinite-Lived Intangible Assets

Goodwill represents the excess of the consideration transferred over the estimated fair value of the net assets acquired and liabilities assumed in business combination.

Goodwill is not amortized, but instead tested for impairment annually at the beginning of the fiscal year fourth quarter or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that it's more likely than not that the fair value of the reporting unit is below its carrying amount, as set forth in ASC 350, "Intangibles — Goodwill and Other." The Company tests for goodwill impairment at the reporting unit level, which is an operating segment or one level below an operating segment. The amount of goodwill acquired in a business combination that is assigned to one or more reporting units as of the acquisition date is the excess of the purchase price of the acquired businesses (or portion thereof) included in the reporting unit, over the fair value assigned to the individual assets acquired or liabilities assumed from a market participant perspective. Goodwill is assigned to the reporting unit(s) expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination even though other assets or liabilities of the acquired entity may not be assigned to that reporting unit.

ASC 350 allows an optional qualitative assessment as part of annual impairment testing, prior to a quantitative assessment test, to determine whether it is more likely than not that the fair value of a reporting unit exceeds its carrying amount. If a qualitative assessment determines an impairment is more likely than not, the Company is required to perform a quantitative impairment test. Otherwise, no further analysis is required. Alternatively, the Company may elect to proceed directly to the quantitative impairment test.

In conducting a qualitative assessment, the Company analyzes actual and projected growth trends for net sales and margin for each reporting unit, as well as historical performance versus plan and the results of prior quantitative tests performed. Additionally, the Company assesses factors that may impact its business, including macroeconomic conditions and the related impact, market-related exposures, plans to market for sale all or a portion of the business, competitive changes, new or discontinued product lines, changes in key personnel, and any potential risks to projected financial results.

If performed, the quantitative test compares the fair value of a reporting unit with its carrying amount. If the carrying value of the reporting unit exceeds its fair value, the Company recognizes an impairment loss in the amount equal to the excess, not to exceed the total amount of goodwill allocated to that reporting unit. We determine the fair value of each reporting unit by weighting the results of the income approach and the market approach.

Indefinite-lived intangible assets are not amortized, but instead tested for impairment annually at the beginning of the fiscal year fourth quarter or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that it's more likely than not that the fair value of the asset is below its carrying amount, as set forth in ASC 350. "Intangibles — Goodwill and Other."

Based upon our review and analysis, no impairments were deemed to have occurred during any of the years presented. Refer to Note 5, Goodwill and Intangible Assets, for further detail.

#### Intangible Assets

Intangible assets relate to the value associated with our customer relationships, non-compete agreements, software development, and tradenames and trademarks at the time of acquisition through business combinations.

The Company determined the fair value of customer relationships and software development acquired using the excess earnings method under the income approach. Under the excess earnings method, an intangible asset's fair value is equal to the present value of the incremental after-tax cash flows attributable solely to the intangible asset over its remaining economic life. The relief from royalty method was used to determine the fair value of tradenames and trademarks. The valuation models were based on estimates of future operating projections of the acquired business as well as judgments on the discount rates used and other variables. We determined the forecasts based on a number of factors, including our best estimate of near-term sales expectations and long-term projections, which include review of internal and independent market analyses. The discount rate used was representative of the weighted average cost of capital. The Company regularly evaluates the amortization period assigned to each intangible asset to ensure that there have not been any events or circumstances that warrant revised estimates of useful lives. Refer to Note 5, Goodwill and Intangible Assets, for further detail.

#### Leases

The Company leases certain logistics, office, and manufacturing facilities, as well as vehicles, copiers and other equipment under long-term operating and financing leases with varying terms.

We adopted the provisions of the FASB Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") 842 on January 2, 2022 using the modified retrospective approach and, as a result, did not restate prior periods. The Company has recognized the cumulative effect adjustment to the opening balance of retained earnings. The Company elected to adopt the package of practical expedients which apply to leases that commenced before the adoption date. By electing the package of practical expedients, the Company did not reassess whether any expired or existing contracts are or contain leases, the lease classification for any expired or existing leases, and the initial direct costs for any existing leases.

The Company determines whether an arrangement is a lease at inception of the agreement. Lease liabilities and right of use ("ROU") assets are recognized at commencement date. ROU assets represent our right to use an underlying asset for the lease term and lease liabilities represent our obligation to make lease payments arising from the lease. Lease liabilities are measured based on the present value of the total lease payments not yet paid based on the Company's incremental borrowing rate, as the rate implicit in the lease is generally not determinable. Lease payments include only payments that are fixed and determinable at the time of commencement. Rent expense commences when the lessor makes the underlying asset available to us. Lease expense for operating lease payments is recognized on a straight-line basis over the lease term. The Company does not assume renewals or early terminations unless it is reasonably certain to exercise these options at commencement. ROU assets are measured based on the corresponding lease liability adjusted for: (i) payments made to the lessor at or before the commencement date. ROU assets are measured based on the corresponding lease payments is not included in the right-of-use assets or lease liabilities. Rather, variable payments, other than those dependent upon an index or rate, are expensed when the obligation for those payments is incurred. Leases with an initial term of 12 months or less are not recorded on the balance sheet in accordance with the short-term lease recognition exemption.

The Company has elected the practical expedient to not separate non-lease components from the lease components to which they relate, and instead account for each as a single lease component. Accordingly, all expenses associated with a lease contract are accounted for as lease expenses. Non-lease components for real estate leases primarily relate to common area maintenance, insurance, taxes, utilities and non-lease components for equipment, vehicles and leases within supply agreements primarily relate to usage, repairs, and maintenance.

The Company estimates the incremental borrowing rate based on the rates of interest that the Company would have to pay to borrow an amount equal to the lease payments on a collateralized basis, over a similar term, and in a similar economic environment. We use the unsecured borrowing rate and risk-adjust that rate to approximate a collateralized rate, and apply the rate based on the currency of the lease, which is updated on a quarterly basis for measurement of new lease liabilities. See Note 16, Leases, for additional details.

# Accounting for Income Taxes

The Company accounts for income taxes under the asset and liability method. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the expected tax consequences of temporary differences between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their reported amounts. Valuation allowances are recorded to reduce deferred tax assets to the amount that will more likely than not be realized.

The Company accounts for uncertainty in income taxes using a two-step approach to recognizing and measuring uncertain tax positions. The first step is to evaluate the tax position for recognition by determining if the weight of available evidence indicates that it is more likely than not that the position will be sustained on audit, including resolution of related appeals or litigation processes, if any. The second step is to measure the tax benefit as the largest amount that is more than 50% likely of being realized upon settlement. The Company recognizes accrued interest associated with unrecognized tax benefits as part of Interest expense, and penalties associated with unrecognized tax benefits as part of Other expenses on the Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income.

Deferred Income Tax Assets and Liabilities. The carrying values of deferred income tax assets and liabilities reflect the application of our income tax accounting policies in accordance with applicable accounting standards, and are based on management's assumptions and estimates regarding future operating results and levels of taxable income, as well as management's judgment regarding the interpretation of the provisions of applicable accounting standards. The carrying values of liabilities for income taxes currently payable are based on management's interpretations of applicable tax laws, and incorporate management's assumptions and judgments regarding the use of tax planning strategies in various taxing jurisdictions. The use of different estimates, assumptions and judgments in connection with accounting for income taxes may result in materially different carrying values of income tax assets and liabilities and results of operations.

We evaluate the recoverability of these deferred tax assets by assessing the adequacy of future expected taxable income from all sources, including reversal of taxable temporary differences, forecasted operating earnings and available tax planning strategies. These sources of income inherently rely heavily on estimates. We use our historical experience and our short-term and long-term business forecasts to provide insight. Further, our global business portfolio gives us the opportunity to employ various prudent and feasible tax planning strategies to facilitate the recoverability of future deductions. To the extent we do not consider it more likely than not that a deferred tax asset will be recovered, a valuation allowance is established.

### Revenue Recognition

The Company accounts for revenue in accordance with ASC 606, "Revenue from Contracts with Customers" ("ASC 606"). The Company accounts for a contract with a customer when both parties have approved the contract and are committed to perform their respective obligations, each party's rights and payment terms can be identified, the contract has commercial substance, and it is probable that the Company will collect substantially all of the consideration to which it is entitled.

The Company enters into certain contracts with customers that may include multiple performance obligations. The Company determines whether the performance obligations in these contracts are considered to be distinct within the context of the contract with the customer. Additionally, it is determined whether the performance obligation(s) will be recognized point in time or over time.

Revenue is recognized when, or as, performance obligations are satisfied by transferring control of a promised good or service to a customer. A performance obligation is a promise to transfer a distinct good or service to the customer and is the unit of account.

The Company's performance obligations include delivery of products, construction of steel structures, installation services, and subscription services that provide access to the Nokē Smart Entry software and continuing technical support. The Nokē Smart Entry solution provides mobile access for tenants and remote monitoring and tracking for operators. Product revenues are recognized either at a point in time when delivery of the product to the customer takes place or over time as the steel structure is being constructed at the customer site. Installation services revenue and subscription revenue are recognized over time as the customer simultaneously receives and consumes the benefits provided by the company.

For contracts with multiple performance obligations, the transaction price is allocated to each performance obligation based on the standalone selling price. The standalone selling price for products is readily observable, and selling price for installation is estimated by maximizing observable inputs with consideration of market conditions, entity-specific factors, and information about the customer or class of customer. Standalone selling price for recurring software revenue is determined by using the adjusted market assessment approach.

The Company's revenues are generated from contracts with customers and the nature, timing, and any uncertainty in the recognition of revenues is not affected by the type of good, service, customer or geographical region to which the performance obligation relates. The terms of sale are generally on an open account basis with standard commercial terms of net 30 days. Payment terms are short-term, are customary for our industry, and, in some cases, early payment incentives are offered. The Company's contracts typically are less than one year in length and do not have significant financing components.

For performance obligations that are not complete at the reporting date, we recognize contract assets or contract liabilities. Contract assets are the rights to consideration in exchange for goods or services that the Company has transferred to a customer. Unbilled receivables result from revenues recognized at a point-in-time and represent an unconditional right to payment subject primarily to the passage of time. Unbilled receivables are recognized as accounts receivable when they are billed. Costs in excess of billings result from revenues recognized over time and represent the net balance of billings that already occurred. Contract liabilities (billings in excess of costs) represent billings to a customer in excess of revenue that has been recognized over time.

The Company has elected to account for shipping and handling as activities to fulfill the promise to transfer the good rather than a promised service. As a result, shipping and handling costs are recorded as expenses in the same period the revenue is recognized.

Commissions to internal and external sales representatives are considered costs to obtain contracts. As these contracts are less than one year, these costs are expensed as incurred.

### **Product Warranties**

The Company records a liability for product warranties at the time of the related sale of goods. The liability is estimated using historical warranty experience, projected claim rates and expected costs per claim. The Company adjusts its liability for specific warranty matters when they become known and the exposure can be estimated. Product failure rates as well as material usage and labor costs incurred in correcting a product failure affect the Company's warranty liabilities. If actual costs differ from estimated costs, the Company must make a revision to the warranty liability.

The following activity related to product warranty liabilities was recorded in Other accrued expenses during the years ended December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, respectively:

(in millions)	December 30, 2023		December 31, 2022
Balance at beginning of period	\$	.9 \$	0.7
Aggregate changes in the product warranty liability	1	.4	0.2
Balance at end of period	\$ 2	.3 \$	0.9

### Shipping and Handling (Product Revenues & Product Cost of Revenues)

The Company records amounts billed to customers in product revenue transactions, related to shipping and handling, as revenue earned for the goods provided. Shipping and handling costs are included in product cost of revenues. Shipping and handling costs were approximately \$38.1, \$42.7 and \$35.2 for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022, and January 1, 2022 respectively.

### Advertising Costs

The Company records all advertising and tradeshow related costs to the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income during the year they're incurred and they are included in Selling and marketing operating expenses. During the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022, and January 1, 2022, the Company incurred and expensed advertising costs of \$3.8, \$2.6 and \$2.0, respectively.

#### General and Administrative

The Company records corporate and business unit administrative personnel, facilities, professional services, amortization of intangible assets, share-based compensation, and other operating activities in general and administrative expenses on the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income.

### Selling and Marketing

The Company records compensation and benefits of employees engaged in selling activities as well as related travel, advertising, trade shows/conventions, meals and entertainment expenses to selling and marketing expense on the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income.

### Stock Compensation

We recognize expense for share-based compensation plans based on the estimated fair value of the related awards in accordance with ASC 718, "Compensation – Stock Compensation". Pursuant to our incentive stock plans, we can grant stock options, restricted stock units, performance-based restricted stock units ("PSUs") to employees and our non-employee directors. The majority of our awards are restricted stock units granted to employees, with vesting period between one year and four years. We charge compensation expense under the plan to earnings over each award's individual vesting period. Forfeitures are recorded as they occur. See Note 12, Equity Compensation, for additional information.

### Treasury Stock

We account for treasury stock under the cost method pursuant to the provisions of ASC 505-30, Treasury Stock. Under the cost method, the gross cost of the shares reacquired is charged to a contra equity account, treasury stock. The equity accounts that were originally credited for the original share issuance, common stock and additional paid-in capital, remain intact.

If the treasury shares are ever reissued in the future at a price higher than its cost, the difference will be recorded as a component of additional paid-in-capital in our Consolidated Balance Sheets. When treasury stock is re-issued at a price lower than its cost, the difference will be recorded as a component of additional paid-in-capital to the extent that there are previously recorded gains to offset the losses. If there are no treasury stock gains in additional paid-in-capital, the losses upon re-issuance of treasury stock are recorded as a reduction of retained earnings in our Consolidated Balance Sheets. If treasury stock is reissued in the future, a cost flow assumption will be adopted to compute excesses and deficiencies upon subsequent share re-issuance.

### Earnings Per Share

Basic Earnings Per Share is computed by dividing net income by the weighted-average number of common shares outstanding during each period. Diluted Earnings Per Shares assumes the exercise of outstanding stock options and the vesting of performance share awards using the treasury stock method when the effects of such assumptions are dilutive.

### Deferred Finance Fees

Deferred financing fees consist of First Lien Term Loan and the ABL Credit and Guarantee Agreement costs, which are being amortized on the effective interest and straight-line method, respectively, over the life of the related debt. During the year ended December 30, 2023, the Company incurred approximately \$10.8 in deferred finance fees in connection with the 2023 debt refinancing transactions. Debt issuances are more fully described in Note 8, Line of Credit, and Note 9, Long-Term Debt.

### Fair Value Measurement

The Company uses valuation approaches that maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs to the extent possible. A three-tiered hierarchy is established as a basis for considering such assumptions and for inputs used in the valuation methodologies in measuring fair value. This hierarchy requires that the Company use observable market data, when available, and minimize the use of unobservable inputs when determining fair value:

- Level 1, observable inputs such as quoted prices in active markets;
- · Level 2, inputs other than the quoted prices in active markets that are observable either directly or indirectly; and
- · Level 3, unobservable inputs in which there is little or no market data, which requires that the Company develop its own assumptions.

As of December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, the carrying value of the Company's financial instruments including cash, accounts receivable and accounts payable approximate their fair value based on the short-term nature of these instruments

The fair value of the Company's debt approximates its carrying amount as of December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022 due to its variable interest rate that is tied to the current Secured Overnight Financing Rate ("SOFR") rate and London Interbank Offered Rate ("LIBOR") rate, respectively, plus an applicable margin and consistency in our credit rating. To estimate the fair value of the Company's long-term debt, which consists of the First Lien Term Loan and the Revolving Credit Facility, the Company utilized fair value based risk measurements that are indirectly observable, such as credit risk and quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities that fall within Level 2 of the Fair Value hierarchy.

For the year ended January 1, 2022, the public warrants were valued at market price. All of the private and public warrants were exercised or redeemed on November 18, 2021, and therefore there were no warrants issued and outstanding as of January 1, 2022. The fair value of the private warrants contains significant unobservable inputs including the expected term and volatility. Therefore, the private warrant liabilities were evaluated to be a Level 3 fair value measurement. The fair value of private warrants is estimated using a Binomial Lattice in a risk-neutral framework. Specifically, the future stock price of the Company is modeled assuming a Geometric Brownian Motion (GBM) in a risk-neutral framework. For each modeled future price, the warrant payoff is calculated based on the contractual terms, and then discounted at the term-matched risk-free rate. Finally, the fair value of the private warrants was calculated as the probability-weighted present value over all future modeled payoffs. The following assumptions were used for the valuation of the private warrants:

Warrant term (yrs.)	4.7
Volatility	30.4 %
Risk-free rate	0.91 %
Dividend yield	—%
The change in the fair value of warrant liabilities is as follows:  Balance assumed in the Business Combination at June 7, 2021	\$ 37.2
	\$ 37.2 (11.1)
Balance assumed in the Business Combination at June 7, 2021	\$
Balance assumed in the Business Combination at June 7, 2021 Conversion of Private warrants to Public warrants	\$ (11.1)

# Impairment of Long-Lived Assets

The Company reviews long-lived assets and definite-lived intangible assets for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of an asset may not be recoverable. If an evaluation of recoverability is required, the estimated undiscounted future cash flows associated with the asset group are compared to the asset group's carrying amount to determine if an impairment is required.

If the undiscounted cash flows are less than the carrying amount, an impairment loss is recorded to the extent that the carrying amount exceeds the fair value. No impairment was recorded during any of the fiscal years presented.

### Warrant Liability

The Company classifies Private Placement Warrants (defined and discussed in Note 10, Business Combinations) as liabilities. At the end of each reporting period, changes in fair value during the period are recognized as a component of Other Expense, Net within the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income. The Company continued adjusting the warrant liability for changes in fair value until the redemption of the warrants, at which time the warrants were reclassified to additional paid-in capital.

On October 13, 2021, Janus announced that it would redeem all of its outstanding Private and Public warrants to purchase shares of Janus's common stock that were issued pursuant to the Warrant Agreement, dated as of June 7, 2021 by and between Janus and Continental Stock Transfer & Trust Company (the "Warrant Agent") and the Warrant Agreement, dated as of July 15, 2021, by and between Janus and the Warrant Agent, for a redemption price of \$0.10 per Warrant (the "Redemption Price"), that remain outstanding at 5:00 p.m. New York City time on November 12, 2021 (the "Redemption Date"). Since all of the Private Placement Warrants were exercised or redeemed by January 1, 2022, the associated warrant liabilities were reclassified to additional paid-in capital.

### Foreign Currency Translation

The local currency is the functional currency for all of the Company's foreign operations. Assets and liabilities of foreign operations are translated into U.S. dollars using the exchange rates in effect at the balance sheet reporting date, while income and expenses are translated at the average monthly exchange rates during the period. Adjustments from the translating financial statements in foreign currencies into U.S. dollars are recorded in other comprehensive income. The income tax effect of currency translation adjustments related to foreign subsidiaries that are not considered indefinitely reinvested is recorded as a component of deferred taxes with an offset to other comprehensive income. We record gains and losses from changes in exchange rates on transactions denominated in currencies other than the reporting location's functional currency in Other income (expense), in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income.

#### Concentrations of Risk

Financial instruments that are potentially subject to concentration of credit risk consist primarily of cash and accounts receivable. The Company maintains cash in bank deposit accounts that, at times, may exceed the insured limits of the local country. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts. The Company sells its products and services mainly in the United States of America and European regions. The Company performs ongoing evaluations of its customers' financial condition and limits the amount of credit extended when deemed necessary. The Company generally does not require its customers to provide collateral or other security to support accounts receivable.

As of December 30, 2023, one customer accounted for 11% of the account receivable balance. There were no other customers that represented more than 10% of accounts receivable as of December 31, 2022. There were no customers that represented more than 10% of revenues as of December 30, 2023 or December 31, 2022.

### Segments

The Company manages its operations through two operating and reportable segments: Janus North America and Janus International. These segments are structured to align the Company's products and service offerings based on the geographic location between North America and International locations and with how the Company's Chief Operating Decision Maker ("CODM") assesses the Company's operations. The CODM allocates resources and evaluates the financial performance of each operating segment. The Company's segments are strategic businesses that are managed separately because each one develops, manufactures and markets distinct products and services. Refer to Note 20, Segments Information, for further detail.

# Recently Adopted Accounting Pronouncements

On January 1, 2023, the Company adopted ASU 2021-08, Business Combinations (Topic 805) Accounting for Contract Assets and Contract Liabilities from Contracts with Customers ("ASU 2021-08"), which amends ASC 805, Business Combinations (Topic 805), to add contract assets and contract liabilities to the list of exceptions to the recognition and measurement principles that apply to business combinations and to require that an acquiring entity recognize and measure contract assets and contract liabilities acquired in a business combination in accordance with ASC 606, Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606) ("ASC 606"). Janua will be applying the pronouncement prospectively to business combinations occurring on or after the adoption date.

In March 2020, the FASB issued ASU 2020-04, Reference Rate Reform (Topic 848): Facilitation of the Effects of Reference Rate Reform on Financial Reporting and subsequent amendment to the initial guidance: ASU 2021-01, Reference Rate Reform (Topic 848): Scope (collectively, "Topic 848"). Topic 848 provides optional expedients and exceptions for applying GAAP to contracts, hedging relationships, and other transactions affected by reference rate reform if certain criteria are met. The amendments apply only to contracts, hedging relationships, and other transactions that reference LIBOR or another reference rate expected to be discontinued because of reference rate reform. In December 2022, the FASB issued ASU 2022-06, Reference Rate Reform (Topic 848): Deferral of the Sunset Date of Topic 848. ASU 2022-06 defers the sunset date of Topic 848 from December 31, 2022, to December 31, 2024. Effective April 2, 2023, the Company transitioned its credit agreements from LIBOR to the Secured Overnight Financing Rate ("SOFR"). The Company adopted this guidance prospectively on April 2, 2023, and the adoption did not have a material impact on the Consolidated Financial Statements.

### Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements Not Yet Adopted

On August 23, 2023, the FASB issued ASU 2023-05, Business Combinations—Joint Venture Formations (Subtopic 805-60): Recognition and Initial Measurement, under which an entity that qualifies as either a joint venture or a corporate joint venture as defined in the FASB ASC master glossary is required to apply a new basis of accounting upon the formation of the joint venture. Specifically, the ASU provides that a joint venture or a corporate joint venture (collectively, "joint ventures") must initially measure its assets and liabilities at fair value on the formation date. The Company does not believe this will have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial position or results of operations.

In October 2023, the FASB issued ASU 2023-06, Disclosure Improvements - Codification Amendment in Response to the SEC's Disclosure Update and Simplification Initiative. The ASU incorporates several disclosure and presentation requirements currently residing in the SEC Regulations S-X and S-K. The amendments will be applied prospectively and are effective when the SEC removes the related requirements from Regulations S-X or S-K. Any amendments the SEC does not remove by June 30, 2027 will not be effective. As we are currently subject to these SEC requirements, this ASU is not expected to have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements or related disclosures.

In November 2023, the FASB issued ASU 2023-07, Segment Reporting (Topic 280): Improvements to Reportable Segment Disclosures, which expands disclosures about a public entity's reportable segments and requires more enhanced information about a reportable segment's expenses, interim segment profit or loss, and how a public entity's chief operating decision maker uses reported segment profit or loss information in assessing segment performance and allocating resources. The update will be effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2023. We are assessing the effect of this update on our consolidated financial statements and believe the adoption of this standard is likely to add material additional segment disclosures.

In December 2023, the FASB issued ASU 2023-09, Income Taxes (Topic 740): Improvements to Income Tax Disclosures, which expands disclosures in a public entity's income tax rate reconciliation table and other disclosures regarding cash taxes paid both in the U.S. and foreign jurisdictions. The update will be effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2024. We are assessing the effect of this update on our consolidated financial statements and related disclosures.

Although there are several other new accounting pronouncements issued or proposed by the FASB, which have been adopted or will be adopted as applicable, management does not believe any of these accounting pronouncements has had or will have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial position or results of operations.

### 3. Inventories

The major components of inventories are detailed below at:

(in millions)	 December 30, 2023	December 31, 2022
Raw materials	\$ 31.0	\$ 49.8
Work-in-process	1.4	1.6
Finished goods	16.0	16.3
Inventories	\$ 48.4	\$ 67.7

# 4. Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant, and equipment are as follows:

(in millions)	Useful Life	Dece	ember 30, 2023	De	cember 31, 2022
Land	Indefinite	\$	4.5	\$	4.5
Building	39 years		2.5		2.5
Manufacturing machinery and equipment	3-7 years		43.5		38.8
Leasehold improvements	Over the shorter of the lease term or respective useful life		11.4		8.3
Computer and software	3 years		14.5		9.6
Furniture and fixtures, and vehicles	3-7 years		4.9		3.6
Construction in progress			6.2		1.9
		\$	87.5	\$	69.2
Less: accumulated depreciation			(35.1)		(27.1)
		\$	52.4	\$	42.1

For the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022, and January 1, 2022, the Company incurred depreciation of expense of \$9.3, \$7.9 and \$6.5, respectively. Depreciation expense included in cost of revenues for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022, and January 1, 2022, was \$6.9, \$5.7 and \$4.8, respectively. Depreciation expense included in operating expenses for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022, and January 1, 2022, was \$2.4, \$2.2 and \$1.7, respectively.

### 5. Leases

The Company primarily leases certain office and manufacturing facilities, as well as vehicles, copiers and other equipment. These operating leases generally have an original lease term between 1 year and 20 years, and some include options to extend (generally 5 to 10 years). Lease agreements generally do not include material variable lease payments, residual value guarantees or restrictive covenants.

The components of ROU assets and lease liabilities were as follows:

(in millions)	<b>Balance Sheet Classification</b>	Decemb	per 30, 2023	December 31, 2022
Assets:				
Operating lease assets	Right-of-use assets, net	\$	47.6 \$	43.3
Finance lease assets	Right-of-use assets, net		3.3	1.0
Total leased assets		\$	50.9 \$	44.3
Liabilities:				
Current:				
Operating	Other accrued expenses	\$	5.4 \$	5.3
Finance	Current maturities of long-term debt		1.0	0.3
Noncurrent:				
Operating	Other long-term liabilities	\$	46.9 \$	40.9
Finance	Long-term debt		2.4	0.8
Total lease liabilities		\$	55.7 \$	47.3

The components of lease expense were as follows:

(in millions)	December 30, 2023			December 31, 2022		
Operating lease cost	\$	8.9	\$	8.3		
Variable lease cost		0.7		0.4		
Short-term lease cost		0.9		0.1		
Finance lease cost:						
Amortization of right-of-use assets		0.8		0.2		
Interest on lease liabilities		0.2		_		
Total lease cost	\$	11.5	\$	9.0		

Rental expense for operating leases (as defined prior to the adoption of ASC 2016-02) was approximately \$6.8 for the year ended January 1, 2022.

Other information related to leases was as follows:

	December 30, 2023	December 31, 2022
Weighted Average Remaining Lease Term (in years)		
Operating Leases	8.85	9.66
Finance Leases	3.39	3.37
Weighted Average Discount Rate		
Operating Leases	7.6%	7.1%
Finance Leases	8.4%	6.6%

As of December 30, 2023, future minimum lease payments under noncancellable operating leases with initial or remaining lease terms in excess of one year were as follows:

(in millions)	
2024	\$ 8.8
2025	8.7
2026	8.3
2027	7.4
2028	7.5
Thereafter	 32.8
Total future lease payments	\$ 73.5
Less: imputed interest	\$ (21.2)
Present value of future lease payments	\$ 52.3

As of December 30, 2023, future minimum repayments of finance leases were as follows:

(in millions)	
2024	\$ 1.2
2025	1.2
2026	0.7
2027	0.5
2028	 0.3
Total future lease payments	\$ 3.9
Less: imputed interest	\$ (0.5)
Present value of future lease payments	\$ 3.4

# 6. Acquired Intangible Assets and Goodwill

Intangible assets acquired in a business combination (See Note 10, Business Combinations) are recognized at fair value and amortized over their estimated useful lives. The carrying amount and accumulated amortization of recognized intangible assets at December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, are as follows:

(in millions)				Dec	ember 30, 2023		December 31, 2022					
Intangible Assets	Useful Life	Gross C	arrying Amount		Accumulated Amortization	Net Amount	Gı	oss Carrying Amount		Accumulated Amortization		Net Amount
Customer relationships	10-15 years	\$	409.0	\$	154.1	\$ 254.9	\$	408.2	\$	125.6	\$	282.6
Tradenames and trademarks	Indefinite		107.5		_	107.5		107.4		_		107.4
Software development	10-15 years		20.3		7.5	12.8		20.3		6.1		14.2
Noncompete agreements	3-8 years		0.3		0.2	0.1		0.4		0.2		0.2
Backlog	< 1 year		<u> </u>		<u> </u>	<u> </u>		41.4		41.4		_
		\$	537.1	\$	161.8	\$ 375.3	\$	577.7	\$	173.3	\$	404.4

Changes to gross carrying amount of recognized intangible assets due to translation adjustments include a gain of \$0.8 and a loss of \$2.0 for the years ended December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, respectively. Amortization expense was approximately \$29.8, \$29.7 and \$31.6 for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022, and January 1, 2022, respectively.

The following table summarizes the aggregate expected amortization expense of definite-lived intangible assets as of December 30, 2023 (in millions):

2024	\$ 29.7
2025	29.7
2026	29.7
2027	29.7
2028	29.5
Thereafter	 119.5
Total	\$ 267.8

The changes in the carrying amounts of goodwill for the years ended December 31, 2022 and December 30, 2023 were as follows:

	Janus North America	Janus International	Consolidated	
Balance as of January 1, 2022	356.9	\$ 12.4	\$ 369.3	
Foreign Currency Translation Adjustment		(1.2)	(1.2)	
Access Control Technologies, LLC Acquisition Adjustment	0.1		0.1	
Balance as of December 31, 2022	357.0	\$ 11.2	\$ 368.2	
Foreign Currency Translation Adjustment		0.4	0.4	
Balance as of December 30, 2023	357.0	\$ 11.6	\$ 368.6	

# 7. Other Accrued Expenses

Accrued expenses are summarized as follows:

(in millions)	December 30, 2023	December 31, 2022	
Customer deposits	\$ 29.6	\$ 29.6	
Employee compensation	20.2	16.5	
Interest payable	13.2	0.2	
Current operating lease liabilities	5.4	5.3	
Sales tax payable	3.4	5.1	
Accrued professional fees	0.7	3.6	
Product warranties	2.3	0.9	
Accrued freight	0.8	1.2	
Indemnity holdback liability	_	1.0	
Other liabilities	4.7	7.2	
Total	\$ 80.3	\$ 70.6	

Other liabilities as of December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022 consists primarily of property tax, credit card and various other accruals.

### 8. Line of Credit

Amendment No. 3 to the ABL Credit and Guarantee Agreement - On April 10, 2023, the Company entered into Amendment Number Three to ABL Credit and Guarantee Agreement (the "LOC Amendment No. 3") to that certain ABL Credit and Guarantee Agreement, dated as of February 12, 2018 (the "LOC Agreement"). The LOC Amendment No. 3, among other things, (i) replaced the interest rate based on the LIBOR and related LIBOR-based mechanics applicable to borrowings under the LOC Agreement with an interest rate based on the Secured Overnight Financing Rate ("SOFR") and related SOFR-based mechanics and (ii) updated certain other provisions of the LOC Agreement to reflect the transition from LIBOR to SOFR. The LOC Amendment provided for a revolving line of credit of \$80.0 with interest payments due in arrears. The interest rate on the facility is based on a base rate, unless a SOFR Rate (as defined in the LOC Agreement) of either 1.25% or 1.50%. If the Base Rate (as defined in the LOC Agreement) of either 1.25% or 1.50%. If the Base Rate (as defined in the LOC Agreement) is elected, the interest computation is equal to the Base Rate of the greatest of (a) the federal funds rate plus 0.50%, (b) the SOFR rate for a one month tenor plus 1.00%, (c) the floor (i.e., zero), or (d) the financial institution's Prime Rate (as defined in the LOC Agreement), plus the Base Rate Margin (as defined in the LOC Agreement) of either 0.25% or 0.50%. As of December 31, 2022, the interest rate for the facility was 7.80%. At the beginning of each quarter, the applicable margin is set and determined based on the average net availability on the line of credit for the previous quarter.

2023 ABL Credit and Guarantee Agreement - On August 3, 2023, the Company refinanced the revolving credit facility, pursuant to a new ABL Credit and Guarantee Agreement (the "2023 LOC Agreement"). The 2023 LOC Agreement, among other things, (i) increased the previous aggregate commitments from \$80.0 to \$125.0, (ii) updated the manner in which the previous borrowing base under the 2023 LOC Agreement was determined, and (iii) replaced the administrative agent with a new administrative agent. Interest payments with respect to the 2023 LOC Agreement are due in arrears. The maturity date is August 3, 2028.

The interest rate on the facility is based on a base rate, unless an Adjusted Term SOFR Rate (as defined in the 2023 LOC Agreement) option is chosen by the Company. If the Adjusted Term SOFR Rate is elected, the interest computation is equal to the Adjusted Term SOFR Rate, which is subject to a 10bps flat credit spread adjustment ("CSA") plus the SOFR Margin (as defined in the 2023 LOC Agreement) of either 1.25%, 1.50%, or 1.75%, based on excess availability (as of December 30, 2023, the SOFR Margin Rate was 1.25%). If the Alternate Base Rate (as defined in the 2023 LOC Agreement) is elected, the interest computation is equal to the Alternate Base Rate of the greatest of (a) the federal funds rate plus 0.50%, (b) the Adjusted Term SOFR Rate for a one month tenor plus 1.00%, or (c) the financial institution's Prime Rate (as defined in the 2023 LOC Agreement), plus the Base Rate Margin (as defined in the 2023 LOC Agreement) of either 0.25%, 0.50%, or 0.75% (as of December 30, 2023, the Base Rate Margin was 0.25%). At the beginning of each quarter, the applicable margin is set and determined based on the average net availability on the line of credit for the previous quarter. As of December 30, 2023, the Adjusted Term SOFR interest rate for the facility was 6.76%. The line of credit is collateralized by accounts receivable and inventories. The Company accrues an unused commitment fee to the administrative agent at the varying rate of .25% to .38%, based on the unused portion of the maximum commitment, as defined in the 2023 LOC agreement.

This refinancing amendment was accounted for as a debt extinguishment and a \$0.2 loss on debt extinguishment was recognized for this transaction within Loss on extinguishment and modification of debt on the Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income. The Company incurred \$1.3 of debt issuance costs, which were capitalized and are being amortized over the term of the facility that expires on August 3, 2028, using the straight-line method, and are presented as part of Other assets within our Consolidated Balance Sheet. The amortization of the deferred loan costs is included in Interest expense on the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income.

Amortization of approximately \$0.3, \$0.2 and \$0.3 was recognized for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022 and January 1, 2022, respectively. The unamortized portion of the fees, included in Other assets, as of December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, was approximately \$1.1 and \$0.4, respectively. There were no borrowings outstanding on the line of credit as of December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022.

As of December 30, 2023, and December 31, 2022, the Company maintained one letter of credit totaling approximately \$0.4. The amount available on the revolver as of December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, respectively was approximately \$124.6 and \$79.6, respectively.

# 9. Long-Term Debt

Long-term debt consists of the following:

(in millions)	 December 30, 2023		December 31, 2022	
First Lien Note payable	\$ 623.4	\$	714.3	
Finance leases	3.4		1.1	
	\$ 626.8	\$	715.4	
Less: unamortized deferred finance fees	11.8		7.2	
Less: current maturities	7.3		8.3	
Total long-term debt	\$ 607.7	\$	699.9	

Notes Payable - Amendment No. 3 First Lien - As of February 5, 2021, the Company completed a repricing of its First Lien and First Lien B2 Term Loans, in which the principal terms of the amendment were a reduction in the overall interest rate based upon the loan type chosen and a consolidation of the prior two outstanding tranches into a single tranche of debt with the syndicate. The Amendment No.3 First Lien was comprised of a syndicate of lenders originating on February 5, 2021 in the amount of \$634.6 with interest payable in arrears. The outstanding loan balance was to be repaid on a quarterly basis of 0.25% of the original balance beginning the last day of September 2021 with the remaining principal due on the maturity date of February 12, 2025. As chosen by the Company, the amended loan bears interest at a floating rate per annum consisting of LIBOR, plus an applicable margin percent. The debt was secured by substantially all business assets

As a result of the repricing transaction, the Company recognized a loss on extinguishment of approximately \$1.4. The loss is included in Loss on extinguishment and modification of debt on the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income.

As of June 7, 2021 and as a result of the Business Combination, the Company repaid approximately \$61.6 of debt and recognized a loss on extinguishment of approximately \$1.0. The loss is included in Loss on extinguishment and modification of debt on the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income for the year ended January 1, 2022.

Notes Payable - Amendment No. 4 First Lien - On August 18, 2021, the Company completed a refinancing of its First Lien Amendment No. 3, in which the principal terms of the amendment were new borrowings of \$155.0 which was used to fund the DBCI acquisition. The Amendment No. 4 First Lien was comprised of a syndicate of lenders originating on August 18, 2021 in the amount of \$726.4 with interest payable in arrears. The outstanding loan balance was to be repaid on a quarterly basis of 0.25% of the original balance beginning the last day of September 2021 with the remaining principal due on the maturity date of February 12, 2025. As chosen by the Company, the amended loan bears interest at a floating rate per annum consisting of LIBOR, plus an applicable margin percent (effective interest rate of 7.98% as of December 31, 2022). The debt is secured by substantially all business assets. This refinancing amendment was accounted for as a modification and as such no gain or loss was recognized for this transaction and any third party fees paid in connection with this amendment were expensed. The Company incurred \$3.1 of bank fees, original issue discount and charges associated with this amendment which were capitalized and are being amortized as a component of interest expense over the remaining loan term.

Notes Payable - Amendment No. 5 First Lien - On June 20, 2023, the Company entered into Amendment No. 5 (the "Amendment No. 5 First Lien") to the First Lien Credit and Guarantee Agreement, dated as of February 12, 2018 (the "First Lien Agreement") ("First Lien Term Loan"). The Amendment No. 5 First Lien, among other things, (i) replaced the interest rate based on LIBOR and related LIBOR-based mechanics applicable to borrowings under the First Lien Agreement with an interest rate based on SOFR and related SOFR-based mechanics and (ii) updated certain other provisions of the First Lien Agreement to reflect the transition from LIBOR to SOFR. The Amendment No. 5 First Lien had an aggregate principal balance of \$726.4 with interest payable in arrears. The outstanding loan balance was to be repaid on a quarterly basis of 0.28% of the original principal amount of the loans outstanding on the Fourth Amendment Effective Date (i.e., August 17, 2021) with the remaining principal due on the maturity date of February 12, 2025. For the year ended December 30, 2023, the Company made voluntary payments of \$85.3 toward the First Lien Term Loan. The Company used cash on hand to make the voluntary prepayments.

Notes Payable - Amendment No. 6 First Lien - On August 3, 2023, the Company refinanced its existing First Lien Term Loan pursuant to Amendment No. 6 (the "Amendment No. 6 First Lien") to the First Lien Agreement. The loan was made by a syndicate of lenders, with the aggregate amount of \$625.0. The outstanding loan balance is to be repaid on a quarterly basis of 0.25% of the original balance of the amended loan beginning the last business day of December 2023 with the remaining principal due on the maturity date of August 3, 2030. As chosen by the Company, the amended loan bears interest at a floating rate per annum consisting of Adjusted Term SOFR plus an applicable margin percent. The interest rate on the Amendment No. 6 First Lien term loan as of December 30, 2023, was 8.76%, which is a variable rate based on Adjusted Term SOFR, subject to a 1.00% floor, and includes a 0.10% CSA and an applicable margin percentage of 3.25%. The debt was secured by substantially all business assets. There are no prepayment penalties if the company makes voluntary prepayments on the outstanding principal balance.

The amendment was accounted for in accordance with ASC 470-50, "Debt - Modification and Extinguishment." As discussed above, the amended First Lien Term Loan consists of a syndicate of lenders which were evaluated, for accounting purposes, as individual lenders. Certain lenders exited the Term Loan credit facility, which resulted in extinguishment accounting. There were \$287.4 of borrowings held by lenders in the new agreement, that were also held by lenders in the previous agreement. As a result, the Company wrote off a portion of unamortized debt financing costs associated with the prior First Lien Agreement, that was deemed extinguished and recognized a loss on debt extinguishment of \$1.4 for the year ended December 30, 2023, recognized within Loss on extinguishment and modification of debt on the Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income.

In conjunction with the Amendment No 6, the Company incurred \$2.3 of costs from third parties that did not qualify for capitalization of deferred finance costs, and were expensed within Loss on extinguishment and modification of debt on the Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income. The Company also incurred \$9.5 of additional deferred finance costs, which will be amortized over the remaining term of the modified loan. Deferred finance costs are being amortized using the effective interest method. Amortization of approximately \$3.4, \$3.4, and \$3.0 was recognized for the years ended December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, and January 1, 2022 respectively, as a component of interest expense.

# Finance Leases

During the year ended December 30, 2023, the Company's finance lease obligation primarily consists of vehicle lease agreements. The leases expire at various dates through 2028 with terms between one and five years.

 $Aggregate\ annual\ maturities\ of\ long-term\ debt\ and\ finance\ leases\ at\ December\ 30,\ 2023,\ are:$ 

(in millions)

2024	\$ 7.3
2025	7.3
2026	6.9
2027	6.7
2028	6.4
Thereafter	592.2
Total	\$ 626.8

#### 10. Business Combinations

For the year ended December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, there was no acquisition activity. The following table summarizes the fair values of consideration transferred and the fair values of identified assets acquired, and liabilities assumed at the date of acquisition for the acquisitions that occurred during the year-end January 1, 2022:

	2021 Acquisitions						
(in millions)	Access Cont	rol Technologies		DBCI, LLC			
Date of acquisition	August 31, 2021		August 17, 2021				
Fair Value of Consideration Transferred	·						
Cash	\$	9.4	\$	169.2			
Hold Back Liability		1.0		_			
Total Fair Value of Consideration Transferred	\$	10.4	\$	169.2			
Recognized Amounts of Identifiable Assets Acquired and Liabilities Assumed							
Cash	\$	0.2	\$	0.2			
Accounts receivable		1.1		8.5			
Inventories		_		9.1			
Property and equipment		0.2		7.8			
Other current assets		0.1		_			
Identifiable intangible assets							
Customer relationships		2.5		26.3			
Backlog		0.3		3.1			
Trademark		1.5		20.9			
Recognized amounts of identifiable liabilities assumed							
Accounts payable		(0.5)		(8.0)			
Accrued expenses		(0.2)		(0.6)			
Other liabilities		(1.4)		(0.9)			
Total identifiable net assets	\$	3.8	\$	66.4			
Goodwill	\$	6.6	\$	102.8			

#### Access Control Technologies, LLC Acquisition

On August 31, 2021, Janus Core acquired 100% of the equity interests of ACT and all assets and certain liabilities of Phoenix IronWorx, LLC ("Phoenix") for total consideration of approximately \$10.4 which was comprised of approximately \$9.4 cash plus \$1.0 of hold back liability. The assets and liabilities of this acquisition have been recorded based upon management's estimates of their fair market values as of the date of acquisition. The closing statement was finalized in the fourth quarter of 2021.

The goodwill balance of approximately \$6.6 is attributable to the expansion of our product offerings and expected synergies of the combined workforce, products and technologies with ACT. All of the goodwill was assigned to the Janus North America segment of the business and is deductible for income tax purposes.

The following table sets forth the components of identifiable intangible assets acquired and their estimated useful lives as of the date of acquisition:

(in millions)	Fair	· Value	Useful Lives
Customer Relationships	\$	2.5	15 Years
Backlog		0.3	3 Months
Trade Name		1.5	Indefinite
Identifiable Intangible Assets	\$	4.3	

Customer relationships represent the fair values of the underlying relationships with ACT's customers. Unbilled contracts ("Backlog") represent the fair value of ACT's contracts that have yet to be billed. Trade names represent ACT's trademarks, which consumers associate with the source and quality of the products and services they provide. The weighted-average amortization of acquired intangibles is 13.50 years.

During the year ended January 1, 2022, the Company incurred approximately \$0.3 of third-party acquisition costs. These expenses are included in general and administrative expense in the Company's Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income for the year ended January 1, 2022. For the period from the transaction date of August 31, 2021 through January 1, 2022, there was \$3.6 of ACT revenue and \$0.9 ACT net loss included in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income.

### DBCI, LLC Acquisition

On August 17, 2021, Janus Core acquired 100% of the equity interests of DBCI for total cash consideration of approximately \$169.2. The assets and liabilities of this acquisition have been recorded based upon management's estimates of their fair market values as of the date of acquisition. The purchase price allocation requiring purchase accounting adjustments were finalized in the third quarter of 2022.

The goodwill arising from the acquisition consists largely of the synergies and economies of scale expected from combining the operations of DBCI and Janus Core. All of the goodwill was assigned to Janus North America segment and is deductible for income tax purposes.

The following table sets forth the components of identifiable intangible assets acquired and their estimated useful lives as of the date of acquisition:

(in millions)	Fair Value	Useful Lives
Customer Relationships	\$ 26.3	10 Years
Backlog	3.1	4 Months
Trade Name	20.9	Indefinite
Identifiable Intangible Assets	\$ 50.3	

Customer relationships represent the fair values of the underlying relationships with DBCI's customers. Unbilled contracts ("Backlog") represent the fair value of DBCI's contracts that have yet to be billed. Trade names represent DBCI's trademarks, which consumers associate with the source and quality of the products and services they provide. The weighted-average amortization of acquired intangibles is 8.97 years.

During the year ended January 1, 2022, the Company incurred approximately \$2.7 of third-party acquisition costs. These expenses are included in general and administrative expense in the Company's Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income for year ended January 1, 2022. For the period from the transaction date of August 17, 2021 through January 1, 2022, there was \$33.0 of DBCI revenue and \$2.8 DBCI net income included in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income.

#### **Pro Forma Financial Information**

The following unaudited pro forma information is based on estimates and assumptions that the Company believes to be reasonable. However, this information is not necessarily indicative of the Company's consolidated results of income in future periods or the results that actually would have been realized had the Company and DBCI and ACT been combined companies during the periods presented. These pro forma results exclude any savings or synergies that would have resulted from these business combinations had they occurred on December 27th, 2020. This unaudited pro forma supplemental information includes incremental asset amortization, accounting policy alignment, nonrecurring transaction costs, and other charges as a result of the acquisitions, net of the related tax effects.

The following unaudited pro forma information has been prepared as if the DBCI and ACT acquisitions had taken prior to December 27th, 2020. The Company prepared the table based on certain estimates and assumptions. These estimates and assumptions were made solely for the purposes of developing such unaudited pro forma information and have not been adjusted to provide period over period comparability

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(in millions)	January 1, 2022
Revenue	\$ 809.6
Net Income	\$ 44.6

### Business Combination with Juniper Industrial Holdings, Inc.

On June 7, 2021, Juniper Industrial Holdings, Inc. ("Juniper") consummated a business combination with Midco pursuant to the Business Combination Agreement ("Business Combination"). Pursuant to ASC 805, for financial accounting and reporting purposes, Midco was deemed the accounting acquirer and Juniper was treated as the accounting acquiree, and the Business Combination was accounted for as a reverse recapitalization. Accordingly, the Business Combination was treated as the equivalent of Midco issuing equity for the net assets of Juniper, accompanied by a recapitalization. Under this method of accounting, the consolidated financial statements of Midco are the historical financial statements of Janus International Group, Inc. The net assets of Juniper were stated at historical costs, with no goodwill or other intangible assets recorded in accordance with U.S. GAAP, and are consolidated with Midco's financial statements on the Closing Date. The shares and net income (loss) per share available to holders of the Company's common stock, prior to the Business Combination, have been retroactively restated to reflect the exchange ratio established in the Business Combination Agreement.

At the Closing Date of the Business Combination, each outstanding unit of Midco's Class A Preferred and Class B Common converted into the Company's common stock at the then-effective conversion rate. Each unit of Midco Class A Preferred was converted into approximately 343.98 shares of our common stock, and each unit of Midco Class B Common was converted into approximately 249.59 shares of our common stock.

As a result of the Business Combination, Midco's unitholders received aggregate consideration of approximately \$1,200.0, which consisted of (i) \$541.7 in cash at the closing of the Business Combination and (ii) 70,270,400 shares of common stock valued at \$10.00 per share, totaling \$702.7.

In connection with the closing of the Business Combination, Juniper Industrial Sponsor, LLC (the "Sponsor") received 2,000,000 shares of Janua's common stock (pro rata among the Sponsor shares and shares held by certain affiliates) (the "Earnout Shares") contingent upon achieving certain market share price milestone as outlined in the Business Combination Agreement. The vesting of the Earnout Shares occurred automatically as of the close of the trading on June 21, 2021 in accordance with the terms of the Earnout Agreement, entered into by and between the Company and the Sponsor at the closing of the Transaction. All Earnout Shares were issued or released during the year ended January 1, 2022.

Concurrently with the execution and delivery of the Business Combination Agreement, certain institutional accredited investors (the "PIPE Investors"), entered into subscription agreements (the "PIPE Subscription Agreements") pursuant to which the PIPE Investors purchased an aggregate of 25,000,000 shares of common stock (the "PIPE Shares") at a purchase price of \$10.00 per share (the "PIPE Investment"). One of the Company's directors also purchased an aggregate of 1,000,000 of the PIPE Shares as part of the PIPE Investment. The PIPE Investment was closed on June 7, 2021 and the issuance of an aggregate of 25,000,000 shares of common stock occurred concurrently with the consummation of the Business Combination.

In connection with the Business Combination, the Company incurred direct and incremental costs of approximately \$44.5 related to the equity issuance, consisting primarily of investment banking, legal, accounting and other professional fees. In addition, the Company incurred \$4.5 in transaction bonuses paid to key employees and \$5.2 in non-cash share-based compensation expense due to the accelerated vesting of Midco's legacy share-based compensation plan.

The Sponsor purchased 10,150,000 warrants to purchase Class A common stock of Juniper (the "private placement warrants") for a purchase price of \$1.00 per whole private placement warrant, or \$10.2 in the aggregate, in private placement transactions that occurred simultaneously with the closing of the Juniper IPO and the closing of the over-allotment option for the Juniper IPO (the "private placement"). Each private placement warrant entitled the holder to purchase one share of Class A common stock of Juniper at \$11.50 per share. The private placement warrants were only exercisable for a whole number of shares of Class A common stock of Juniper. The Sponsor transferred 5,075,000 of its private placement warrants to Midco's equityholders as part of the consideration for the Business Combination. Immediately after giving effect to the Business Combination, there were 10,150,000 issued and outstanding private placement warrants. The private placement warrants were liability classified.

Immediately after giving effect to the Business Combination, there were 17,249,995 issued and outstanding public warrants. The public warrants are equity classified. All of the private and public warrants were exercised or redeemed on November 18, 2021 and therefore there are no warrants issued and outstanding as of January 1, 2022.

#### G & M Stor-More Pty Ltd Acquisition

On January 19, 2021, the Company, through its wholly owned subsidiary Steel Storage Australia Pty Ltd. acquired 100% of the net assets of G & M Stor-More Pty Ltd. for total cash consideration of approximately \$1.7. In aggregate, approximately \$0.8 was attributed to intangible assets and approximately \$0.9 was attributable to goodwill. The goodwill arising from the acquisition consists largely of the synergies and economies of scale expected from combining the operations of the Company and Steel Storage. All of the goodwill was assigned to the Janus International segment of the business and is not deductible for income tax purposes. The weighted-average amortization of acquired intangibles is 11.6 years.

During the year ended January 1, 2022, the Company incurred approximately \$0.1 of third-party acquisition costs. These expenses are included in general and administrative expense of the Company's Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income for the year ended January 1, 2022.

Pro forma results of operations for this acquisition have not been presented as the historical results of operations for G & M Stor-More Pty Ltd. are not material to the consolidated results of operations in the prior years.

#### 11. Profit Sharing Plan

The Company has one 401(k) plan for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022 and January 1, 2022 covering substantially all U.S. employees for Janus International Group, LLC, BETCO, NOKE, ASTA and DBCI. Eligible employees may contribute up to the limits established by applicable income tax regulations. The Company made employer matching contributions of approximately \$1.9, \$1.5 and \$1.1 for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022 and January 1, 2022, respectively.

## 12. Equity Compensation

#### 2021 Omnibus Incentive Plan

The Company maintains its 2021 Omnibus Incentive Plan (the "Plan") under which it grants stock-based awards to eligible directors, officers and employees in order to attract, retain and reward such individuals and strengthen the mutuality of interest between such individuals and the Company's stockholders. The Plan allows to issue and grant 15,125,000 shares.

The Company measures compensation expense for stock-based awards in accordance with ASC Topic 718, Compensation – Stock Compensation ("ASC 718"). During the twelve months ended December 30, 2023, the Company granted stock-based awards including restricted stock units ("RSUs"), performance-based restricted stock units ("PSUs") and stock options under the Plan. The grant date value of RSUs are equal to the closing price of the Company's common stock on either: (i) the date of grant; or (ii) the previous trading day, depending on the level of administration required. Forfeitures are recognized as they occur. Any unvested RSUs, PSUs, or stock options are forfeited upon a "Termination of Service", as defined in the Plan, or as otherwise provided in the applicable award agreement or determined by the Company's Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors. In connection with these equity awards, the stock-based compensation expense was \$7.1, \$4.1 and \$0.1 and the income tax benefit from stock-based compensation was \$1.4, \$0.9 and \$—, for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022, and January 1, 2022, respectively.

#### Restricted Stock Unit Grants

RSUs are subject to a vesting period between one and four years. RSUs activity for the years ended December 31, 2022 and December 30, 2023 is as follows:

(dollar amounts in millions, except share and per share data)	RSUs	erage Grant Date ue, per share
Unvested, outstanding at January 1, 2022	275,370	\$ 11.9
Granted	368,777	9.9
Vested	(142,132)	11.6
Forfeited	(36,951)	10.3
Unvested, outstanding at December 31, 2022	465,064	\$ 10.5
Granted	748,198	10.6
Vested	(191,892)	10.9
Forfeited	(76,560)	10.1
Unvested, outstanding at December 30, 2023	944,810	\$ 10.6

Stock-based compensation expense for RSUs is recognized straight line over the respective vesting period, reduced for actual forfeitures, and included in general and administrative in the accompanying Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income. Total compensation expense related to the above awards was approximately \$3.5, \$2.4, and \$0.1 for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022, and January 1, 2022, respectively. As of December 30, 2023, there was an aggregate of \$7.8 of unrecognized expense related to the RSUs granted, which the Company expects to amortize over a weighted-average period of 2.3 years.

## Performance-based Restricted Stock Unit Grants

PSU awards are based on the satisfaction of the Company's three-year cumulative adjusted EBITDA. The number of PSUs that become earned can range between 0% and 200% of the original target number of PSUs awarded for the 2022 and 2023 awards. PSUs are subject to a three-year performance cliff-vesting period.

PSUs activity for the years ended December 31, 2022 and December 30, 2023 is as follows:

Outstanding at January 1, 2022	_
Granted 252,923	9.5
Vested —	_
Forfeited —	_
Unvested, outstanding at December 31, 2022 252,923 \$	9.5
Granted 229,091	10.6
Vested —	_
Forfeited	_
Unvested, outstanding at December 30, 2023 <sup>(1)</sup> 482,014 \$	10.0

(1) This number excludes 252,923 performance stock units, which represents the incremental number of units that would be issued based on performance results from previously-granted PSU awards.

Stock-based compensation expense for PSUs is recognized straight line over the requisite vesting period, reduced for actual forfeitures, and included in general and administrative in the accompanying Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income. Total compensation expense related to the PSUs was approximately \$2.8, \$1.2, and \$— for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022, and January 1, 2022, respectively. As of December 30, 2023, there was an aggregate of \$3.2 of unrecognized expense related to the PSUs granted, which the Company expects to amortize over a weighted-average period of 1.5 years.

The above table represents PSUs assuming 100% of target payout at the time of the grant. The actual payout of the 2022 grants will be in a range of —% to 200%, depending on performance results for the three-year performance period from January 2, 2022, through December 28, 2024. As of December 30, 2023, the Company deemed the estimate of the PSUs granted in fiscal year ended December 31, 2022 to be issued at 200% of target, and have reflected such estimates within the share-based compensation expense.

The actual payout of the 2023 grants will be in a range of —% to 200%, depending on performance results for the three-year performance period from January 1, 2023, through December 27, 2025. As of December 30, 2023, the Company deemed the estimate of the PSUs granted in the year ended December 30, 2023 to be issued at 100% of target, and have reflected such estimates within the share-based compensation expense.

#### Stock Options

Stock options are granted by applying a Black-Scholes valuation model to determine the fair value on the grant date. Stock options are subject to a vesting period of either three or four years. Stock option awards typically vest in 33% or 25% annual installments on each annual anniversary of the vesting commencement date for the duration of the vesting period, and expire ten years from the grant date. The principal assumptions utilized in valuing stock options include the expected option life, the risk-free interest rate (an estimate based on the yield of United States Treasury zero coupon with a maturity equal to the expected life of the option), the expected stock price volatility using the historical and implied price volatility, and the expected dividend yield.

A summary of the assumptions used in determining the fair value of stock options for the years ended December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022 is as follows:

	rears i	Inded
	December 30, 2023	December 31, 2022
Expected life of option (years) (1)	6.00	6.25
Risk-free interest rate (2)	3.7 %	2.9% - 3.0%
Expected volatility of the Company's stock (3)	48.0 %	45.0 %
Expected dividend yield on the Company's stock	<del></del> %	%

- (1) Expected life is the weighted average of mid-point between vesting and expiry.
- (2) The risk-free rate is based on an average of U.S. Treasury yields in effect at the time of grant corresponding with the expected term.
- (3) Expected volatility is based on historical volatilities from a group of comparable entities for a time period similar to that of the expected term.

Stock options activity for the years ended December 31, 2022 and December 30, 2023 is as follows:

(dollar amounts in millions, except share and per share data)	Stock Options	We	eighted-Average Grant Date Fair Value, per share	Weighted-Average Exercise Price, per share	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual Life (in years)	Aggregate Intrinsic Value
Outstanding at January 1, 2022		\$		\$ _		\$
Granted	736,105		4.5	9.4	9.3	0.1
Vested	_		_	_	_	_
Forfeited	(35,376)		4.5	9.5	_	_
Outstanding at December 31, 2022	700,729	\$	4.5	\$ 9.4	9.8	\$ 0.1
Granted	18,796		5.3	10.6	9.2	_
Vested	(175,175)		4.5	9.4	8.3	0.6
Forfeited	_		_	_	_	_
Outstanding at December 30, 2023	544,350	\$	4.5	\$ 9.4	8.4	\$ 2.0
Vested not exercised at December 30, 2023	175,175	\$	4.5	\$ 9.4	8.3	\$ 0.6

The intrinsic value of each option share is the difference between the fair market value of our common stock and the exercise price of such option share to the extent it is "in-the-money". Aggregate intrinsic value represents the value that would have been received by the holders of in-the-money options had they exercised their options on the last trading day of the year and sold the underlying shares at the closing stock price on such day. The intrinsic value calculation is based on the \$13.05 closing stock price of our common stock on December 29, 2023, the last trading day of 2023. As of December 31, 2022, the intrinsic value calculation is based on the \$9.52 closing stock price of our common stock on December 30, 2022, the last trading day of 2022. No options were exercised in the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022, and January 1, 2022.

Stock-based compensation expense for stock options is recognized straight line over the requisite service period, reduced for actual forfeitures, and included in general and administrative in the accompanying Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income. Total compensation expense related to stock options was approximately \$0.8, \$0.5, and \$— for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022, and January 1, 2022, respectively. Total unamortized stock-based compensation expense related to the unvested stock options was approximately \$1.9, which the Company expects to amortize over a weighted-average period of 2.4 years. There were no stock options exercised during the twelve months ended December 30, 2023.

#### Midco - Class B Unit Incentive Plan

Prior to the Business Combination, commencing on March 15, 2018, the Board of Directors of Midco approved the Class B Unit Incentive Plan (the "Class B Plan"), which was a form of long-term compensation that provided for the issuance of ownership units to employees for purposes of retaining them and enabling such individuals to participate in the long-term growth and financial success of Midco.

As a result of the Business Combination, the Board of Directors approved an accelerated vesting for 16,079 units (equivalent to 4,012,873 shares of Company common stock) granted in connection with the Class B Plan, to allow accelerated vesting of the units upon consummation of the Business Combination. The accelerated vesting of Company common stock resulted in \$5.2 of non-cash share-based compensation recorded to general and administrative expenses in the Company's Consolidated Statement of Operations and Comprehensive Income for the year ended January 1, 2022. Effective June 7, 2021, as a result of the Business Combination, the Class B Plan was terminated.

#### 13. Restructuring

During fiscal year 2022 and 2023, the Company initiated a restructuring plan to relocate one of its international facilities and align its ongoing corporate strategy. The Company incurs costs associated with restructuring initiatives intended to improve operating performance, profitability and efficiency of business processes. Restructuring charges can include severance costs, relocations costs, recruiting fees affiliated with hiring new personnel, legal costs, and contract cancellation costs.

The Company records restructuring charges when they are probable and estimable. Restructuring costs are accrued when the Company announces the closure or restructuring event, and the amounts can be reasonably estimated. Restructuring costs are included in general and administrative expenses on the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income.

The Company's restructuring expenses are comprised of the following:

(in millions)		Year Ended		
	Dec	cember 30, 2023		December 31, 2022
Severance and termination benefits	\$	0.3	\$	0.3
Facility related charges		0.1		0.6
Legal, consulting, and other costs		0.8		0.2
Total Restructuring Charges	\$	1.2	\$	1.1

The following table summarizes the changes in the Company's accrued restructuring balance, which are included in accrued expenses and other current liabilities in the accompanying Consolidated Balance Sheets.

Balance at December 31, 2022	\$ _
Restructuring charges	1.2
Payments	 (1.2)
Balance at December 30, 2023	\$ 

### 14. Related Party Transactions

The Group is a party to a lease agreement with ASTA Investment, LLC, for a manufacturing facility in Cartersville, Georgia. ASTA Investment, LLC, is partially owned by a shareholder of the Company. The original lease term began on April 1, 2018 and extended through March 31, 2028 and was amended in December 2022 to extend the term until March 1, 2030, with monthly lease payments of \$0.1 per month with an annual escalation of 2.0%. Rent payments to ASTA Investment, LLC for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022 and January 1, 2022, were approximately \$0.8, \$0.7 and \$0.8, respectively.

#### 15. Revenue Recognition

#### Contract Balances

Contract assets are the rights to consideration in exchange for goods or services that the Company has transferred to a customer. Unbilled receivables result from revenues recognized at a point-intime and represent an unconditional right to payment subject primarily to the passage of time. Unbilled receivables are recognized as accounts receivable when they are billed. Costs in excess of billings result from revenues recognized over time and represent the net balance of billings that already occurred. Contract liabilities (billings in excess of costs) represent billings to a customer in excess of revenue that has been recognized over time.

Contract balances as of December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022 were as follows:

(in millions)	
Costs in excess of billings at January 1, 2022	\$ 13.7
Unbilled receivables at January 1, 2022	9.5
Contract assets at January 1, 2022	\$ 23.1
Costs in excess of billings at December 31, 2022	\$ 22.3
Unbilled receivables at December 31, 2022	17.0
Contract assets at December 31, 2022	\$ 39.3
Costs in excess of billings at December 30, 2023	\$ 17.8
Unbilled receivables at December 30, 2023	31.9
Contract assets at December 30, 2023	\$ 49.7
Contract liabilities, January 1, 2022	\$ 23.2
Contract liabilities, December 31, 2022	\$ 21.4
Contract liabilities, December 30, 2023	\$ 26.7

During the year ended January 1, 2022, the Company recognized revenue of approximately \$19.3 related to contract liabilities at December 26, 2020. During the year ended December 31, 2022, the Company recognized revenue of approximately \$21.2 related to contract liabilities at January 1, 2022. During the year ended December 30, 2023, the Company recognized revenue of approximately \$18.9 related to contract liabilities at December 31, 2022. All remaining performance obligations are expected to be satisfied within one year.

The Company derives subscription revenue from continued software support and through the Nokē Smart Entry System, a product which provides mobile access for tenants and remote monitoring and tracking for operators. The recurring revenue recognized from the Nokē Smart Entry System, included in service revenues, for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022 and January 1, 2022 was \$2.7, \$1.3 and \$0.7, respectively.

### Disaggregation of Revenue

The principal categories we use to disaggregate revenues are by timing and sales channel of revenue recognition. The following disaggregation of revenues depict the Company's reportable segment revenues by timing and sales channel of revenue recognition for the years ended December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022 and January 1, 2022:

## Revenue by Timing of Revenue Recognition

(in millions)	Year Ended					
Reportable Segments by Timing of Revenue Recognition	December 30, 2023 December 31, 2022 Januar			January 1, 2022		
Janus North America						
Product revenues transferred at a point in time <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	784.0	\$	795.0	\$	544.9
Product revenues transferred over time <sup>(1)</sup>		122.4		102.8		86.8
Service revenues transferred over time <sup>(1)</sup>		122.0		96.5		83.2
	\$	1,028.4	\$	994.3	\$	714.9
Janus International						
Product revenues transferred at a point in time	\$	46.3	\$	43.4	\$	38.5
Service revenues transferred over time		36.0		32.1		30.1
	\$	82.3	\$	75.5	\$	68.6
Eliminations	\$	(44.3)	\$	(50.3)	\$	(33.4)
Total Revenue	\$	1,066.4	\$	1,019.5	\$	750.1

(1) These numbers have been revised for the year ended December 31, 2022 and January 1, 2022. See Note 2, Summary of Significant Accounting Policies, for additional information.

## Revenue by Sales Channel Revenue Recognition

Revenue by Saies Channel Revenue Recognition												
(in millions)		Year Ended										
Reportable Segments by Revenues Channel Revenue Recognition	_	December 30, 2023 December 31, 2022		December 30, 2023 December 31, 2022		December 30, 2023 December 31, 2022		December 30, 2023 December 31, 2022		December 30, 2023 December 31, 2022 J		January 1, 2022
Janus North America	_											
Self Storage-New Construction	\$	336.5	\$	289.4	\$	246.7						
Self Storage-R3		326.9		304.1		210.2						
Commercial and Others		365.0		400.8		258.0						
	\$	1,028.4	\$	994.3	\$	714.9						
Janus International	_		-									
Self Storage-New Construction	\$	73.2	\$	57.2	\$	51.7						
Self Storage-R3		9.1		18.3		16.9						
	\$	82.3	\$	75.5	\$	68.6						
Eliminations	\$	(44.3)	\$	(50.3)	\$	(33.4)						
Total Revenues	\$	1,066.4	\$	1,019.5	\$	750.1						

## 16. Leases - Sale-Leasebacks

For the year ended January 1, 2022, the Company entered into a Sale Leaseback transaction, accounted for under ASC 840, related to a production, warehousing and distribution facility in Houston, Texas. The Company purchased the facility in September of 2021 for approximately \$9.2 and incurred initial improvements of approximately \$0.4 that were made prior to the facility being sold and immediately leased back to a third party for approximately \$9.6 in December 2021. Due to the nature and timing of this transaction there was no gain or loss recognized by the Company for the year ended January 1, 2022.

The resulting lease entered into by the Company is for an initial term of 15 years with an option to renew for 2 additional 10 year periods. The monthly rental payments escalate each year by a market based index or a flat percentage, whichever is higher. The seller has no continuing involvement related to this transaction for the property in question.

#### 17. Income Taxes

Prior to June 7, 2021, the Company was a limited liability company taxed as a partnership for U.S. federal income tax purposes. The Company was generally not directly subject to income taxes under the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code and most applicable state laws. Therefore, taxable income or loss was reported to the members for inclusion in their respective income tax returns

After June 7, 2021, the Company is taxed as a Corporation for U.S. income tax purposes and similar sections of the state income tax laws. The Company's effective tax rate is based on pre-tax earnings, enacted U.S. statutory tax rates, non-deductible expenses, and certain tax rate differences between U.S. and foreign jurisdictions. The foreign subsidiaries file income tax returns in the United Kingdom, France, Australia, and Singapore as necessary. The Company's provision for income taxes consists of provisions for federal, state, and foreign income taxes.

The provision for income taxes for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022 and January 1, 2022 includes amounts related to entities within the Company taxed as corporations in the United States of America, United Kingdom, France, Australia, and Singapore. The Company determines its provision for income taxes for interim periods using an estimate of its annual effective tax rate on year to date ordinary income and records any changes affecting the estimated annual effective tax rate in the interim period in which the change occurs. Additionally, the income tax effects of significant unusual or infrequently occurring items are recognized entirely within the period in which the event occurs.

During the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022 and January 1, 2022, the Company recorded a total income tax provision of approximately \$47.1 and \$37.6 and \$6.5 on pre-tax income of approximately \$182.8 and \$145.3 and \$50.3 resulting in an effective tax rate of 25.8%, 25.9% and 12.9%, respectively. The effective tax rates for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022 and January 1, 2022, were primarily impacted by state income taxes (net of federal benefits), statutory rate differential and permanent differences.

The carrying values of deferred income tax assets and liabilities reflect the application of our income tax accounting policies in accordance with applicable accounting standards, and are based on management's assumptions and estimates regarding future operating results and levels of taxable income, as well as management's judgment regarding the interpretation of the provisions of applicable accounting standards. The carrying values of liabilities for income taxes currently payable are based on management's interpretations of applicable tax laws, and incorporate management's assumptions, and judgments regarding the use of tax planning strategies in various taxing jurisdictions. The use of different estimates, assumptions and judgments in connection with accounting for income taxes may result in materially different carrying values of income tax assets and liabilities and results of operations.

We evaluate the recoverability of these deferred tax assets by assessing the adequacy of future expected taxable income from all sources, including reversal of taxable temporary differences, forecasted operating earnings and available tax planning strategies. These sources of income inherently rely on estimates. We use our historical experience and our short-term and long-term business forecasts to provide insight. Further, our global business portfolio gives us the opportunity to employ various prudent and feasible tax planning strategies to facilitate the recoverability of future deductions. To the extent we do not consider it more likely than not that a deferred tax asset will be recovered, a valuation allowance is established.

For the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022 and January 1, 2022, income before taxes consist of the following:

(in millions)		Year Ended					
	Dec	December 30, 2023 December 31, 2022		December 31, 2022 January 01		January 01, 2022	
US operations	\$	178.7	\$	140.7	\$	54.1	
Foreign operations		4.1		4.6		(3.8)	
Total	\$	182.8	\$	145.3	\$	50.3	

Income tax expense (benefit) attributable to income from operations consists of (in millions):

	Current		Deterred		Total	
Year ended December 30, 2023:						
U.S. federal	\$	27.8	\$	9.5	\$	37.3
State and local		7.6		0.5		8.1
Foreign jurisdiction		2.2		(0.5)		1.7
Total	\$	37.6	\$	9.5	\$	47.1

	Current		Deferred		To	tal
Year ended December 31, 2022:						
U.S. federal	\$	19.4	\$	9.8	\$	29.2
State and local		3.4		3.6		7.0
Foreign jurisdiction		1.3		0.1		1.4
Total	\$	24.1	\$	13.5	\$	37.6

	Current	ent Deferred			Total	
Year ended January 1, 2022:						
U.S. federal	\$ 0.6	\$	4.4	\$	5.0	
State and local	1.6		_		1.6	
Foreign jurisdiction	(0.5)		0.4		(0.1)	
Total	\$ 1.7	\$	4.8	\$	6.5	

Income tax expense (benefit) attributable to income from continuing operations was approximately \$47.1, \$37.6, and \$6.5 for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022, and January 1, 2022, respectively:

(in millions)	Year Ended			
	December 30, 2023	December 31, 2022	January 01, 2022	
Income before taxes	\$ 182.8	\$ 145.3	\$ 50.3	
Computed "expected" tax expense	38.4	30.5	10.6	
Increase (reduction) in income taxes resulting from:				
Statutory rate differential	0.2	0.4	(5.6)	
Permanent difference	0.4	_	1.8	
State income taxes, net of federal benefit	7.8	6.0	1.3	
Change in tax rates	(1.2)	1.2	(1.4)	
Change in estimate	(0.2)	0.8	0.2	
Change in valuation allowance	_	(0.3)	(0.9)	
Tax Credits	(0.6)	(1.3)	_	
U.S. tax on foreign operations	0.9	_	_	
Other, net	1.4	0.3	0.5	
Total	\$ 47.1	\$ 37.6	\$ 6.5	

The tax effects of temporary differences that give rise to significant portions of the deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities at December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022 are presented below (in millions):

	December 30, 2023		December 31, 2022
Deferred tax assets			
Allowance for doubtful accounts	\$	.3 \$	0.1
Other accrued expenses		).9	0.6
Inventories		0.2	0.3
Leases	1	.9	0.6
Tax credits carryforward		).1	0.5
Intangibles	3	5.3	48.2
Stock compensation		.5	0.8
Interest expense carryforward		0.2	0.2
Other		).3	0.1
Total deferred tax assets	\$ 5	2.7 \$	51.4
Deferred tax liabilities			
Property and equipment	\$ (0	(0.0)	(5.7)
Prepaids	((	).7)	(0.7)
Right-of-use assets	(10	1.9)	_
Other		_	(0.3)
Total deferred liabilities	\$ (1)	(.6) \$	(6.7)
Net deferred tax asset	\$ 3	5.1 \$	44.7

The difference between income tax expense recorded in our consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income and income taxes computed by applying the corporate statutory federal income tax rate (21% for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022 and January 1, 2022) to income before income tax expense is due to the fact that the majority of our income was not subject to federal income tax due to our status as a limited liability company prior to June 7, 2021. In general, only the corporate entities in our structure are subject to federal tax at 21%. The Company realized a current tax benefit of \$0.2 from the utilization of state net operating loss carryforwards. We record a tax provision related to the amount of undistributed earnings of our foreign subsidiaries expected to be repatriated.

At December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, the Company had no net operating loss carryforwards for Federal income tax purposes which would be available to offset future federal taxable income, if any, and would not be subject to expiration. At December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, the Company has net operating loss carryforwards for state income tax purposes of \$1.8 and \$4.6 which are available to offset future state taxable income, of which \$0.4 and \$0.6 are subject to expiration beginning in 2030 and 2038, respectively.

In evaluating its ability to realize its net deferred tax assets, the Company considered all available positive and negative evidence, including its past operating results, forecasted earnings, future taxable income, and prudent and feasible tax planning strategies.

ASC 740 clarifies the accounting for uncertainty in income taxes and prescribes a recognition threshold and measurement attributes for financial statement disclosure of income tax positions taken or expected to be taken on an income tax return. As of December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022 there were no accrued interest and penalties associated with unrecognized tax benefits.

Management believes there are no material amounts of tax positions for which there is uncertainty as of December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022. There are no changes expected in the next 12 months

Management of Janus is required to analyze all open tax years, as defined by the statute of limitations, for all major jurisdictions, which includes federal and certain states. For the years before 2019, the Company is no longer subject to U.S. or state income tax examinations. For the years before 2018, the Company is no longer subject to examination by the United Kingdom, French, Australia, and Singapore taxing authorities in those jurisdictions.

#### 18. Net Income Per Share

Prior to the Business Combination, and prior to effecting the reverse recapitalization, the Company's pre-merger LLC membership structure included two classes of units: Class A preferred units and Class B common units. The Class A preferred units were entitled to receive distributions prior and in preference on Class A preferred unit unpaid cumulative dividends ("Unpaid Preferred Yield") followed by Class A preferred unit capital contributions that have not been paid back to the holders (the "Unreturned Capital"). Vested Class B common units participate in the remaining distribution on a pro-rata basis with Class A preferred units if they have met the respective Participation Threshold and, if applicable, the Target Value defined in the respective Unit Grant Agreement. The Class A preferred and Class B common units fully vested at the Business Combination date.

Pursuant to the Restated and Amended Certificate of Incorporation and as a result of the reverse recapitalization, the Company has retrospectively adjusted the weighted average shares outstanding prior to June 7, 2021 to give effect to the exchange ratio used to determine the number of shares of common stock into which they were converted. Basic net income per share is computed based on the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding during the period. Diluted net income per share is computed based on the weighted average number of common shares outstanding plus the effect of dilutive potential common shares outstanding during the period using the treasury stock method. For the year ended January 1, 2022, dilutive potential common shares include stock purchase warrants and contingently issuable shares attributable to the earn-out consideration. Dilutive EPS excludes private placement warrants as the impact is antidilutive. For the year ended December 31, 2022 and December 30, 2023, dilutive potential common shares include stock options and unvested restricted stock units. Dilutive EPS excludes all common shares if their effect is anti-dilutive.

The following table sets forth the computation of basic and diluted EPS attributable to common stockholders for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022 and January 1, 2022: (in millions)

December 30, 2023	December 31, 2022		December 31, 2022		er 31, 2022 January	
\$ 135.7	\$	107.7	\$	43.8		
146,782,101		146,606,197		107,875,018		
99,956		116,669		1,102,793		
146,882,057		146,722,866		108,977,811		
\$ 0.92	\$	0.73	\$	0.41		
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## 19. Segments Information

The Company operates its business and reports its results through two geographic-based reportable segments: Janus North America and Janus International, in accordance with ASC Topic 280, Segment Reporting. The operating segments within the two reporting segments share similar economic characteristics, such as economic policies, trade policies and overall economic conditions, and also similar in the areas such as the nature of products and services, production processes, type of customers and distribution processes. The Janus International reportable segment is comprised of JIE with its production and sales located largely in Europe. The Janus North America segment is comprised of all the other entities including Janus Core, BETCO, NOKE, ASTA, DBCI, ACT, Janus Door and Steel Door Depot.

This segment reporting structure aligns with how the Chief Operating Decision Maker (CODM) assesses the Company's performance and allocates resources. The Company's Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, identified as the CODM, currently make key operating decisions based on financial information and allocate resources at the consolidated company level. The CODM's direct reports are not responsible for the financial performance of any specific product line, sales channel, geographies or divisions and are all working across multiple markets, and have no individual authority to allocate resources or make key operating and strategic decisions for the Company. The CODM regularly reviews operating segments' financial operating results to make resource allocation decisions.

Summarized financial information for the Company's segments is shown in the following tables:

(in millions)		Year Ended								
	_	December 30, 2023		December 31, 2022		January 1, 2022				
Revenue	_									
Janus North America	\$	1,028.4	\$	994.3	\$	714.9				
Janus International		82.3		75.5		68.6				
Eliminations		(44.3)		(50.3)		(33.4)				
Consolidated Revenue	<u>-</u>	1,066.4	\$	1,019.5	\$	750.1				
Income From Operations	_									
Janus North America	\$	238.2	\$	183.2	\$	95.9				
Janus International		7.8		4.4		(3.6)				
Eliminations		(0.3)		(0.1)		_				
<b>Total Segment Operating Income</b>	\$	245.7	\$	187.5	\$	92.3				
Depreciation Expense										
Janus North America	\$	8.3	\$	7.1	\$	6.0				
Janus International		1.0		0.8		0.5				
Consolidated Depreciation Expense	\$	9.3	\$	7.9	\$	6.5				
Amortization of Intangible Assets										
Janus North America	\$	28.4	\$	28.4	\$	30.1				
Janus International		1.4		1.3		1.5				
Consolidated Amortization Expense	\$	29.8	\$	29.7	\$	31.6				
Capital Expenditures										
Janus North America	\$	15.4	\$	7.7	\$	16.2				
Janus International		3.6		1.1		3.7				
Consolidated Capital Expenditures	\$	19.0	\$	8.8	\$	19.9				

	December 30, 2023			December 31, 2022
Property, Plant and Equipment, Net				
Janus North America	\$	46.3	\$	37.9
Janus International		6.1		4.2
Consolidated Property, Plant and Equipment, Net	\$	52.4	\$	42.1
Identifiable Assets				
Janus North America	\$	1,280.0	\$	1,209.9
Janus International		70.0		60.7
Consolidated Assets	\$	1,350.0	\$	1,270.6

Assets held at all foreign locations, including foreign operations within the Janus North America segment, were approximately \$70.5 and \$61.1 as of December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, respectively. Revenues earned at foreign locations totaled approximately \$82.3, \$75.5 and \$68.6 for the years ended December 30, 2023, December 31, 2022, and January 1, 2022, respectively.

## 20. Commitments and Contingencies

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require disclosure of certain significant estimates and current vulnerabilities due to certain concentrations. Those matters include the following:

#### General Litigation

The Company is subject to claims and lawsuits that arise primarily in the ordinary course of business. It is the opinion of management that the disposition or ultimate resolution of such claims and lawsuits will not have a material adverse effect on the consolidated financial position, results of operations and cash flows of the Company.

#### Self-Insurance

Under the Company's workers' compensation insurance program, coverage is obtained for catastrophic exposures under which the Company retains a portion of certain expected losses. The Company has stop loss workers' compensation insurance for claims in excess of \$0.2 as of December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022. Provision for losses expected under this program is recorded based upon the Company's estimates of the aggregate liability for claims incurred and totaled approximately \$0.5 and \$0.4 as of December 30, 2023, and December 31, 2022, respectively. The amount of actual losses incurred could differ materially from the estimates reflected in these consolidated financial statements.

Under the Company's health insurance program, coverage is obtained for catastrophic exposures under which the Company retains a portion of certain expected losses. The Company has stop loss insurance for claims in excess of \$0.3 as of December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022. Provision for losses expected under this program is recorded based upon the Company's estimates of the aggregate liability for claims incurred and totaled approximately \$2.4 and \$2.1 as of December 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, respectively. The amount of actual losses incurred could differ materially from the estimates reflected in these consolidated financial statements.

#### **Unconditional Purchase Obligations**

The Company has entered into certain unconditional purchase obligation with steel suppliers. Those agreements are non-cancellable and specify terms including fixed minimum quantities to be purchased, price provisions and the terms of payment. We enter into these unconditional purchase obligation arrangements in the normal course of business to ensure that adequate levels of sourced product are available to us. As of December 30, 2023, unconditional purchase obligations were \$5.7. Management expects to remit the \$5.7 of unconditional purchase obligations related to the supply contracts in the fiscal year 2024.

#### 21. Subsequent Events

For the consolidated financial statements as of December 30, 2023, the Company has evaluated subsequent events through the issuance date of the financial statements.

On February 28, 2024, the Company announced that the Board of Directors has authorized a share repurchase program, pursuant to which the Company is authorized to purchase up to \$100 million of its common stock. The repurchase authorization does not have an expiration date and may be terminated by the Company's Board of Directors at any time.

#### Item 9. CHANGES IN AND DISAGREEMENTS WITH ACCOUNTANTS ON ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE

None

### Item 9A. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

#### **Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures**

Our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, with the participation of certain members of management (collectively "the management team") evaluated the effectiveness of our disclosure controls and procedures as of December 30, 2023, the end of the period covered by this Annual Report on Form 10-K. The term "disclosure controls and procedures," as defined in Rules 13a15(e) and 15d-15(e) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or the Exchange Act, means controls and other procedures of a company that are designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed by a company in the reports that it files or submits under the Exchange Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported, within the time periods specified in the rules and forms of the Securities and Exchange Commission, or SEC. Disclosure controls and procedures include, without limitation, controls and procedures designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed by a company in the reports that it files or submits under the Exchange Act is accumulated and communicated to the Company's management, including its principal executive and principal financial officers, as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure. Management recognizes that any controls and procedures, no matter how well designed and operated, can provide only reasonable assurance of achieving their objectives and management necessarily applies its judgment in evaluating the cost-benefit relationship of possible controls and procedures.

Based on the evaluation of our disclosure controls and procedures as of December 30, 2023, our management team concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were effective.

#### Management's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

Our management is responsible for establishing and maintaining adequate internal control over financial reporting, as such term is defined in Exchange Act Rule 13a-15(f). Management, including our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, evaluated the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting as of the end of the period covered by this Annual Report on Form 10-K. In making its assessment of the effectiveness of internal control, management used the criteria set forth by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission ("COSO criteria") in Internal Control-Integrated Framework (2013). Our internal control over financial reporting is designed to provide reasonable assurance to management and to our Board of Directors regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Our internal control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that:

- (i) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of our assets;
- (ii) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures are being made only in accordance with authorizations of our management and directors; and
- (iii) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use or disposition of our assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements. Based on this assessment, management has concluded that our internal controls over financial reporting were effective as of December 30, 2023.

BDO USA, P.C., the Company's independent registered public accounting firm has issued its report on the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting as of December 30, 2023, which appears in this Annual Report on Form 10-K.

## Remediation of Previously Identified Material Weaknesses in Internal Control

As previously disclosed under Item 9A. Controls and Procedures, in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2022, management concluded that two material weaknesses in our internal control over financial reporting existed as of December 31, 2022. These material weaknesses related to General Information Technology Controls and Revenue.

In response to the material weakness referred to above, with the oversight of the Audit Committee of our Board of Directors, we implemented the following changes to our internal control over financial reporting.

- General Information Technology Controls During 2023, the Company has designed and implemented controls to monitor user access and segregation of duties in a timely manner to key information systems used in the financial reporting process. Additionally, management designed and implemented detective monitoring processes and review for unauthorized activity.
- Revenue As part of the financial statement close process, management: 1) designated and implemented controls for the review of the job completion progress on open installation projects; 2) designed and implemented management review controls over the stand-alone selling price on contracts with multiple performance obligations; and 3) designed and implemented controls over cutoff for certain point-in-time revenue and maintained adequate documentation of controls which ensure the proper cutoff for point in time revenue.

Management has determined that the remediation actions discussed above were effectively designed, implemented, and operated effectively for a sufficient period of time to enable management to conclude that the previously disclosed material weaknesses related to *General Information Technology Controls* and *Revenue* process have been remediated as of December 30, 2023.

## **Limitations on Effectiveness of Controls and Procedures**

Our disclosure controls and procedures are designed to provide reasonable assurance of achieving their objectives, as specified above. Our management recognizes that any control system, no matter how well designed and operated, is based upon certain judgments and assumptions, and cannot provide absolute assurance that its objectives will be met.

## **Changes in Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

Other than as described above, there have been no changes in the Company's internal control over financial reporting during the quarter ended December 30, 2023, that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the Company's internal control over financial reporting.

#### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM (internal Controls)

Shareholders and Board of Directors Janus International Group, Inc. Temple, Georgia

#### Opinion on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

We have audited Janus International Group, Inc.'s (the "Company's") internal control over financial reporting as of December 30, 2023, based on criteria established in Internal Control – Integrated Framework (2013) issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission (the "COSO criteria"). In our opinion, the Company maintained, in all material respects, effective internal control over financial reporting as of December 30, 2023, based on the COSO criteria.

We also have audited, in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) ("PCAOB"), the consolidated balance sheets of the Company as of December 30, 2023, and December 31, 2022, the related consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income, changes in stockholders' equity, and cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended December 30, 2023, and the related notes and our report dated February 28, 2024, expressed an unqualified opinion thereon.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

The Company's management is responsible for maintaining effective internal control over financial reporting and for its assessment of the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting, included in the accompanying Item 9A, Management's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's internal control over financial reporting based on our audit. We are a public accounting firm registered with the PCAOB and are required to be independent with respect to the Company in accordance with U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB.

We conducted our audit of internal control over financial reporting in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether effective internal control over financial reporting was maintained in all material respects. Our audit included obtaining an understanding of internal control over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. Our audit also included performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

#### Definition and Limitations of Internal Control over Financial Reporting

A company's internal control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A company's internal control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that (1) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company; (2) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the company are being made only in accordance with authorizations of management and directors of the company; and (3) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use, or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

Because of its inherent limitations, internal control over financial reporting may not prevent or detect misstatements. Also, projections of any evaluation of effectiveness to future periods are subject to the risk that controls may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

/s/ BDO USA, P.C. Atlanta. Georgia

February 28, 2024

## Item 9B. OTHER INFORMATION

## **Equity Trading Plan Elections**

During the Company's fiscal quarter ended December 30, 2023, none of our executive officers or directors (as defined in Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended), adopted or terminated a Rule 10b5-1 trading arrangement or a "non-Rule 10b5-1 trading arrangement", as those terms are defined in Item 408 of Regulation S-K."

## Item 9C. DISCLOSURE REGARDING FOREIGN JURISDICTIONS THAT PREVENT INSPECTIONS

Not applicable.

#### PART III

#### Item 10. DIRECTORS, EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The Company expects to file with the SEC in April 2024 (and, in any event, not later than 120 days after the close of the Company's last fiscal year), a definitive proxy statement (the "Proxy Statement"), pursuant to SEC Regulation 14A in connection with our Annual Meeting of Stockholders to be held on June 24, 2024 (the "Annual Meeting"), which involves the election of directors.

The information called for by Item 10, except as set forth in this Item 10, is incorporated herein by reference to the Company's Proxy Statement for the Annual Meeting, pursuant to General Instruction G(3)

The Company has adopted a code of ethics entitled "Code of Ethics" that applies to the Company's directors, officers, and employees (including its principal executive officer, principal financial officer, and principal accounting officer). We have posted our Code of Ethics on our website (https://ir.janusintl.com/governance/governance-documents) and will post on such website any amendments to, or waivers from, a provision of the Code of Ethics applying to an executive officer or director when required by applicable SEC and NYSE rules and regulations.

### **Executive Officers and Board of Directors**

The following table sets forth the name, age (as of February 23, 2024), and title of the persons that serve as our executive officers and directors:

Name	Age	Title
Ramey Jackson	50	Chief Executive Officer, Director
Anselm Wong	51	EVP and Chief Financial Officer
David Vanevenhoven	40	Chief Accounting Officer
Morgan Hodges	59	Executive Vice President
Vic Nettie	56	Vice President of Manufacturing
Peter Frayser	39	Chief Commercial Officer
Rebecca Castillo	50	Vice President of Human Resources
Elliot Kahler	33	General Counsel
Roger Fradin	70	Chair of the Board
David Doll	65	Director
Xavier Gutierrez	50	Director
Thomas Szlosek	60	Director
Heather Harding	55	Director
Tony Byerly	57	Director
Joseph F. Hanna	61	Director
Eileen M. Youds	66	Director

### **Executive Officers**

Ramey Jackson has served as a director and the Chief Executive Officer of the Company since the effective time of the Business Combination in June 2021. Mr. Jackson has been with Janus for over 20 years, having joined the company in 2002 when Janus was founded. Prior to Janus, Mr. Jackson was a sales executive for Doors and Building Components, Inc. and prior to that, a sales and marketing executive with Atlas Door and GA Power.

Anselm Wong has served as EVP and Chief Financial Officer of the Company since July 2022. Prior to Janus, Mr. Wong served as CFO for GE Digital and Deputy CFO for Resideo
Technologies. Prior to that, Mr. Wong spent 20 years at Honeywell, having most recently served as VP of Finance & Spin Leader. In this role, he led the spinoff of the Honeywell Homes Business
(Resideo) in ten months, separating 250+ legal entities, 17 ERP systems and numerous shared locations that included 17 factories, and hundreds of sales and back office locations throughout the
globe. Mr. Wong holds a Bachelor of Commerce degree from University of Toronto in Ontario, Canada and is a CPA as well. He is Six Sigma Green Belt Certified.

David Vanevenhoven has served as Chief Accounting Officer since February 2023. He brings an extensive background in technical accounting, financial reporting, integration of mergers and acquisitions, and back-office process improvement primarily within the manufacturing and industrial sector. Mr. Vanevenhoven joined Janus from Mirion Technologies (NYSE: MIR), where he served as the Global Controller from June 2019 until February 2023, and helped the company through numerous domestic and international transactions, including

a successful SPAC transaction to become a publicly traded company. Prior to Mirion, Mr. Vanevenhoven worked for Fleet Farm, a KKR-owned portfolio company, from October 2016 until June 2019. Mr. Vanevenhoven began his career in public accounting where he became a Senior Manager at KPMG, serving private and public companies in the manufacturing sector. He is also a licensed CPA, and holds a bachelors degree in Accounting from the University of Wisconsin Eau-Claire.

Morgan Hodges has served as Executive Vice President of the Company since the effective time of the Business Combination in June 2021. Mr. Hodges has been with Janus since its inception in 2002. Prior to Janus, Mr. Hodges operated an independent company, CES, which specialized in self-storage construction and prior to that was an estimating executive at Doors and Building Components, Inc.

Vic Nettie has served as Vice President of Manufacturing of the Company since the effective time of the Business Combination in June 2021. Mr. Nettie has been with Janus since its inception in 2002. Prior to Janus, Mr. Nettie was the Manufacturing and Operations Manager for Doors and Building Components, Inc. Mr. Nettie has been involved in the construction of self-storage facilities, in multiple facets, since the late 1980's. Mr. Nettie is a graduate of Michigan State University with a degree in Materials and Logistics Management with an emphasis in Operations.

Peter Frayser serves as Chief Commercial Officer of the Company. Before serving in his current role, Mr. Frayser served as Vice President of Sales and Estimating and served in positions of increasing responsibility since joining Janus in 2016. Prior to Janus, Mr. Frayser worked in real estate development in Valencia, Spain, and later in the international sports industry with the MLB and the NBA in New York City. Mr. Frayser has bachelor's degrees in International Business and Spanish from the University of Georgia and a master's degree in International Trade from the University of Castilla La Mancha (Spain).

Rebecca Castillo serves as the Vice President of Human Resources at the Company. Ms. Castillo joined the Company in 2016 as Director of Human Resources. In September 2022, Ms. Castillo was promoted to Vice President of Human Resources. Prior to joining Janus's team, Ms. Castillo most recently served as a Regional Human Resources Manager where she led the employee relations and compliance functions for a major landscaping firm. Ms. Castillo received her bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Mercer University's Stetson School of Business and Economics where she graduated cum laude.

Elliot Kahler serves as General Counsel for the Company. Mr. Kahler joined the Company as Corporate Counsel in 2018, establishing the Company's in-house Legal department. In September 2022, Mr. Kahler was promoted to General Counsel. Prior to joining Janus, Mr. Kahler was an Atlanta-based attorney, where he focused his practice on corporate and transactional law. Mr. Kahler is an active member of the State Bar of Georgia. He received his Juris Doctor from Emory University School of Law and holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in History from Emory University.

## Directors

Roger Fradin has served as a director of the Company since the effective time of the Business Combination in June 2021 and was appointed Chair of the Board in December 2023. Mr. Fradin has over 40 years of experience acquiring, building, and leading a diverse set of industrial businesses. Mr. Fradin began his career at Pittway Corporation where he held a variety of roles of increasing responsibility, including President and Chief Executive Officer of the Security and Fire Solutions segment, and helped lead an entrepreneurial team which transformed Pittway into a \$2 billion world leader in electronic security and fire systems. In 2000, Pittway was acquired by Honeywell International Inc. (NYSE: HON), or Honeywell. Shortly thereafter, Mr. Fradin assumed the role of President and Chief Executive Officer of Honeywell Automation and Control Solutions, or ACS. In this role, Mr. Fradin transformed ACS from a business with \$7 billion in sales in 2003 focused predominantly on the U.S. market to a \$17 billion in sales (as of 2014) global business leader in the development and manufacture of environmental controls, life safety products, and building and process solutions. From 2000 to 2017, Mr. Fradin oversaw, directed, and integrated the acquisition of 60 companies at Honeywell, aggregating billions of dollars in deal value. Mr. Fradin's strategy and execution for ACS helped create more than \$85 billion of value to Honeywell's shareholders. During his tenure at Honeywell, Mr. Fradin also served as Vice Chairman of Honeywell where he was responsible for acquisition strategy for all of Honeywell. After retiring from Honeywell, Mr. Fradin was named Chairman of Resideo Technologies, Inc. (NYSE: REZI), or Resideo, a leading provider of home comfort and security solutions. At Resideo, Mr. Fradin recruited the Chief Executive Officer, senior management team, and board of directors as well as installed all public company board processes and procedures. In addition to Resideo, Mr. Fradin currently sits on the boards of L3Harris T

David Doll has served as a director of the Company since the effective time of the Business Combination in June 2021. Mr. Doll is a seasoned executive in the self-storage industry. From 2005 through 2017, Mr. Doll was the President of Real Estate for Public Storage Inc., the world's largest owner and operator of self-storage facilities. Prior to Public Storage, Mr. Doll was with Westfield Corporation, an international shopping center developer, owner and operator. Mr. Doll graduated from the Ross School of Business at the University of Michigan with a bachelor's degree in business administration and a major in accounting.

Xavier A. Gutierrez has served as a director of the Company since the effective time of the Business Combination in June 2021. Mr. Gutierrez is President and Chief Executive Officer of the Arizona Coyotes Hockey Club, overseeing all business operations, strategic planning, significant organizational decision-making, and government relations for the club, where he has served since June 2020. Mr. Gutierrez is the first Latino President and CEO in the history of the National Hockey League. Prior to the Coyotes, from June 2017 to June 2020, Mr. Gutierrez was a Managing Director at Clearlake Capital Group, and prior to that, from 2010 to June 2017, Chief Investment Officer of Meruelo Group and Principal & Managing Director with Phoenix Realty Group from 2003 to 2010. Mr. Gutierrez has also held positions with Latham & Watkins, Lehman Brothers and the National Football League. Mr. Gutierrez currently serves on the board of directors of

Commercial Bank of California (CBC). He also serves on the Board and Investment Committee for the Arizona Community Foundation (ACF), the Aspen Institute Latinos & Society Program Advisory Board, the Pro Sports Assembly Advisory Board, the Board of the National Association of the Investment Companies, and the Hispanic Scholarship Fund Advisory Council. Mr. Gutierrez previously served as a voting member of the US Securities Exchange Commission Advisory Committee on Small and Emerging Companies and previously served on the board of directors of several organizations including Sizmek, Inc. (formerly NASDAQ: SZMK), the Investment Committee of the California Community Foundation, and the US Hispanic Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Gutierrez graduated cum laude from Harvard University, where he received a Bachelor of Arts in Government. He received his Doctor of Jurisprudence from Stanford Law School.

Thomas A. Szlosek has served as a director of the Company since the effective time of the Business Combination in June 2021. Mr. Szlosek is Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of AutoNation (NYSE: AN). Mr. Szlosek currently serves on the board of directors of RXO, Inc. (NYSE: RXO). He joined AutoNation in August 2023, having served as Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Avantor (NYSE: AVTR) from December 2018 to August 2023. Prior to joining Avantor, he spent 14 years with Honeywell, including the last five years as Chief Financial Officer. Mr. Szlosek also spent eight years with GE Corporation, including three years as the CFO for GE Medical Systems, based in Asia, and two years as the CFO for GE Consumer Finance, based in Ireland. He is a Certified Public Accountant and graduated from The State University of New York at Geneseo.

Heather Harding has served as a director of the Company since July 2022. Previously, Ms. Harding served as Chief Financial Officer of Luxfer Holdings PLC since January 1, 2018 until March 1, 2022 and had been its Advisor. Over the past 25 years, Mrs. Harding has held finance leadership roles of increasing responsibility in global industrial companies. Most recently, she served as Vice President, Finance, for Eaton Lighting, a business unit of Eaton Corporation. Prior to that, she was Vice President, Finance, for various operating units within Cooper Industries and Emerson Electric. Ms. Harding currently serves on the board of directors of J.M. Huber Corporation. A certified public accountant, Mrs. Harding received a Bachelor of Science in Accounting from Southern Illinois University at Carbondale.

Tony Byerly has served as a director of the Company since December 2023. Mr. Byerly currently serves as Global President of Securitas Technology and Chief Executive Officer of Securitas Technology Corporation, where he has worked since 2016. Mr. Byerly has over 30 years of senior leadership and security experience and has held positions of increasing responsibility in global security companies. Before serving in his current role at Securitas Technology, Byerly was the Executive Vice President of Global Security for Diebold Incorporated where he led global strategy efforts and the successful divestiture of the North America business to Securitas in 2016. Prior to that, Mr. Byerly served as President and Chief Operating Officer at Stanley Security as part of Stanley Black & Decker. Mr. Byerly received a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Social Science and Business from Eureka College.

Joseph F. Hanna has served as a director of the Company since December 2023. Mr. Hanna currently serves as Chief Executive Officer of McGrath RentCorp (Nasdaq: MGRC), a leading business-to-business rental company. Mr. Hanna has served as Chief Executive Officer since 2017. Before serving in his current role at McGrath, Mr. Hanna served as Chief Operating Officer and served in positions of increasing responsibility since 2003. Before joining McGrath, Mr. Hanna served as an artillery officer in the United States Army following his graduation from West Point. Mr. Hanna received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Electrical Engineering from the U.S. Military Academy.

Eileen M. Youds has served as a director of the Company since December 2023. Ms. Youds most recently served as Chief Technology/Information Officer at Global Infrastructure Partners, an independent infrastructure private equity company that invests in high quality assets in the energy, transport and water/waste sectors, where she worked since 2012. Ms. Youds also serves on the boards on a range of corporate, educational and civic organizations, including CyrusOne, the University of Northern Iowa, and the University of St. Thomas. She has over 30 years of senior leadership and technology experience and has held positions of increasing responsibility in multi-billion dollar companies, including Pearson Vue and Honeywell. Ms. Youds completed a Management Executive Program from the Carlson School of Business at the University of Minnesota and holds a Masters of Arts Degree in Math/Computer Science and a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Chemistry/Mathematics from the University of Northern Iowa.

#### Item 11. EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

The information required by this Item 11 is incorporated herein by reference to the Company's Proxy Statement for the Annual Meeting, pursuant to General Instruction G(3).

## Item 12. SECURITY OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN BENEFICIAL OWNERS AND MANAGEMENT AND RELATED STOCKHOLDER MATTERS

The information required by this Item 12 is incorporated herein by reference to the Company's Proxy Statement for the Annual Meeting, pursuant to General Instruction G(3).

## Item 13. CERTAIN RELATIONSHIPS AND RELATED TRANSACTIONS, AND DIRECTOR

The information required by this Item 13 is incorporated herein by reference to the Company's Proxy Statement for the Annual Meeting, pursuant to General Instruction G(3).

## Item 14. PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTANT FEES AND SERVICES

Information required by this Item 14 shall be deemed furnished in this Annual Report on Form 10-K and will not be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The information required by this Item 14, except as set forth in this Item 14, is incorporated herein by reference to the Company's Proxy Statement for the Annual Meeting, pursuant to General Instruction G(3).

The table below sets forth the aggregate fees billed by BDO USA, P.C, our independent registered public accounting firm, for services rendered for each of the last two fiscal years:

(in millions)	20	23	2022
Audit Fees <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	2.3 \$	1.9
Audit-Related Fees <sup>(2)</sup>		_	0.1
Tax Fees <sup>(3)</sup>		0.2	_
Total	\$	2.5 \$	2.0

- (1) Audit fees consist of the aggregate fees billed or expected to be billed for professional services rendered for (i) the audit of annual financial statements, (ii) reviews of our quarterly financial statements, (iii) statutory audits, (iv) research necessary to comply with generally accepted accounting principles and (v) other filings with the SEC, including consents and comfort letters.
- (2) Audit-related fees principally include due diligence fees in connection with acquisitions.
- (3) Tax fees represent professional services rendered by the principal accountant for tax compliance, tax advice, and tax planning.

The charter of the Audit Committee and its pre-approval policy require that the Audit Committee review and pre-approve the plan and scope of our independent registered public accounting firm's audit, audit-related, tax, and other services. During 2023, all Audit Fees were pre-approved by the Audit Committee.

## PART IV

## Item 15. EXHIBITS, FINANCIALS STATEMENT SCHEDULES

# a. Listing of Documents

- 1. The financial statements of Janus International Group, Inc. filed as a part of this 2023 Annual Report on Form 10-K is listed in the "Index to Financial Statements and Schedules" on page 46. All other schedules are omitted because they are not applicable, not required, or the information is otherwise included in the financial statements or the notes thereto.
- 2. The financial statements required to be filed pursuant to Item 15 of Form 10-K are: [None.]
- 3. The following exhibits are filed as part of this 2023 Annual Report on Form 10-K:

			Incorporated	by Reference
<b>Exhibit Number</b>	Description	Form	Exhibit No.	Filing Date
2.1	Business Combination Agreement, dated December 21, 2020, by and among Juniper Industrial Holdings, Inc., Janus Parent, Inc., Janus Midco, LLC, Jupiter Management Holdings, LLC, Jupiter Intermediate Holdco, LLC and the other parties named therein.	10-K	2.1	March 29, 2023
2.2	First Amendment to Business Combination Agreement, dated April 6, 2021, by and among Juniper Industrial Holdings, Inc., Janus Midco, LLC, Cascade GP, LLC and the other parties named therein.	10-K	2.2	March 29, 2023
3.1	Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of Janus International Group, Inc., filed with the Secretary of State of Delaware on June 7, 2021.	8-K	3.1	June 11, 2021
3.2	Amended and Restated Bylaws of Janus International Group, Inc.	8-K	3.1	February 1, 2024
4.1*	Description of Janus International Group, Inc.'s Securities	10-K		
4.2	Warrant Agreement, dated June 7, 2021, between Continental Stock Transfer & Trust Company and Janus International Group, Inc.	8-K	4.3	June 11, 2021
4.3	Warrant Agreement, dated July 15, 2021, between Continental Stock Transfer & Trust Company and Janus International Group, Inc.	10-K	4.3	March 29, 2023
10.1	Letter Agreement, dated November 7, 2019, between Juniper Industrial Holdings, Inc. and Juniper Industrial Sponsor, LLC and each of the officers and directors of Juniper Industrial Holdings, Inc.	8-K	10.4	November 13, 2019
10.2	Letter Agreement Amendment, dated June 7, 2021, between Juniper Industrial Holdings, Inc. and Juniper Industrial Sponsor, LLC and each of the officers and directors of Juniper Industrial Holdings, Inc.	8-K	10.1	June 11, 2021
10.3	Registration and Stockholder Rights Agreement, dated November 13, 2019, between Juniper Industrial Holdings, Inc., Juniper Industrial Sponsor, LLC and certain directors of Juniper Industrial Holdings, Inc.	8-K	10.3	November 13, 2019
10.4	Registration and Stockholder Rights Agreement Amendment, dated June 7, 2021, between Juniper Industrial Holdings, Inc., Juniper Industrial Sponsor, LLC and certain directors of Juniper Industrial Holdings, Inc.	8-K	10.2	June 11, 2021
10.5	Form of PIPE Subscription Agreement.	10-K	10.5	March 29, 2023
10.6	Sponsor Lock-Up Agreement, dated June 7, 2021, by and among Janus Parent, Inc. and the other parties named therein.	8-K	10.4	June 11, 2021

10.7	Investor Rights Agreement, dated June 7, 2021, by and among Janus International Group, Inc., Juniper Industrial Sponsor LLC and the other parties named therein.	8-K	10.5	June 11, 2021
10.8	Form of Indemnity Agreement.	10-K	10.8	March 29, 2023
10.9	First Lien Credit and Guarantee Agreement, dated as of February 12, 2018, as amended, by and among Janus International Group, LLC, UBS AG, Stamford Branch, and the other parties thereto.	8-K	10.1	September 29, 2021
10.1	Incremental Amendment No. 1, dated as of March 1, 2019 to that certain First Lien Credit and Guarantee Agreement, as amended, by and among Janus International Group, LLC, UBS AG, Stamford Branch, and the other parties thereto.	8-K	10.2	September 29, 2021
10.11	Incremental Amendment No. 2, dated as of August 12, 2019 to that certain First Lien Credit and Guarantee Agreement, as amended, by and among Janus International Group, LLC, UBS AG, Stamford Branch, and the other parties thereto.	8-K	10.3	September 29, 2021
10.12	Amendment No. 3, dated as of February 5, 2021 to that certain First Lien Credit and Guarantee Agreement, as amended, by and among Janus International Group, LLC, UBS AG, Stamford Branch, and the other parties thereto.	8-K	10.4	September 29, 2021
10.13	Incremental Amendment No. 4, dated as of August 18, 2021 to that certain First Lien Credit and Guarantee Agreement, dated as of February 12, 2018, as amended, by and among Janus International Group, LLC, UBS AG, Stamford Branch, and the other parties thereto.	8-K	10.5	September 29, 2021
10.14	ABL Credit and Guarantee Agreement, dated as of February 12, 2018, by and among, Janus International Group, LLC, Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, and the other parties thereto.	8-K	10.6	September 29, 2021
10.15	Amendment Number One to ABL Credit and Guarantee Agreement, dated as of May 28, 2021, by and among Janus International Group, LLC, Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, and the other parties thereto and the other parties thereto.	8-K	10.7	September 29, 2021
10.16	Amendment Number Two to ABL Credit and Guarantee Agreement, dated as of August 18, 2021, by and among Janus International Group, LLC, Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, and the other parties thereto.	8-K	10.8	September 29, 2021
10.17	Transition and Separation Agreement, dated as of June 22, 2022, by and between Janus International Group, Inc. and Scott Sannes.	8-K	10.1	June 23, 2022
10.18	Offer Letter, dated as of June 16, 2022, by and between Janus International Group, Inc. and Anselm Wong,	8-K	10.2	June 23, 2022
10.19+	Janus International Group, Inc. 2021 Omnibus Incentive Plan.	S-8	10.1	August 13, 2021
10.20+	Form of Restricted Stock Unit Agreement (Directors).	10-K	10.10	March 15, 2022
10.21+	Form of Restricted Stock Unit Agreement (Non-Executive Employees).	10-K	10.21	March 29, 2023
10.22+	Form of Restricted Stock Unit Agreement (Executives)	10-K	10.22	March 29, 2023
10.23+	Form of Performance Stock Unit Grant Notice and Performance Stock Unit Agreement	10-K	10.23	March 29, 2023
10.24+	Form of Stock Option Grant Notice	10-K	10.24	March 29, 2023
10.25	Amendment Number Three to ABL Credit and Guarantee Agreement, dated as of April 10, 2023, by and among Janus International Group, LLC, Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, and the other parties thereto and the other parties thereto.	8-K	10.1	April 12, 2023
10.26	Open Market Sale Agreement, dated as of May 15, 2023, by and among Janus International Group, Inc., Clearlake Capital Partners IV (AIV-Jupiter), L.P., Clearlake Capital Partners IV (Offshore), L.P., Clearlake Capital Partners IV (AIV-Jupiter) USTE, L.P., Clearlake Capital Partners V, L.P., Clearlake Capital Partners V (Offshore), L.P., Clearlake Capital Partners V (USTE), L.P. and Jefferies LLC.	8-K	10.1	May 15, 2023

10.27	Amendment No. 5 to that certain First Lien Credit and Guarantee Agreement, dated as of June 20, 2023, as amended, by and among Janus International Group, LLC, UBS AG, Stamford Branch, and the other parties thereto.	8-K	10.1	June 23, 2023
10.28	Amendment No. 6 to that certain First Lien Credit and Guarantee Agreement, dated as of August 3, 2023, as amended, by and among Janus International Group, LLC, UBS AG, Stamford Branch, and the other parties thereto.	8-K	10.1	August 4, 2023
10.29	ABL Credit and Guarantee Agreement, dated as of August 3, 2023, by and among, Janus International Group, LLC, JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., and the other parties thereto.	8-K	10.2	August 4, 2023
21.1*	Subsidiaries of Janus International Group, Inc.			
23.1*	Consent of BDO USA, P.C., independent registered public accounting firm.			
24.1*	Power of Attorney (included on the signature page hereto).			
31.1*	Certification of Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer) Pursuant to Rules 13a-14(a) and 15d-14(a) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as Adopted Pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.			
31.2*	Certification of Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer) Pursuant to Rules 13a-14(a) and 15d-14(a) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as Adopted Pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.			
32.1**	Certification of Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer) Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as Adopted Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.			
32.2**	Certification of Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer) Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as Adopted Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.			
97.1*	Clawback Policy.			
101.INS^	Inline XBRL Instance Document.			
101.SCH^	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document.			
101.CAL^	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document.			
101.DEF^	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document.			
101.LAB^	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase Document.			
101.PRE^	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document.			
104^	Cover Page Interactive Data File (formatted as inline XBRL and contained in Exhibit 101).			

# \*Filed herewith.

<sup>\*\*</sup>The certifications furnished in Exhibit 32.1 and 32.2 hereto are deemed to accompany this Annual Report on Form 10-K and will not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, except to the extent that the registrant specifically incorporates it by reference.

<sup>+</sup> Management contract or compensatory plan or arrangement.

<sup>^</sup> Submitted electronically with this Report in accordance with the provisions of Regulation S-T.

## Item 16. FORM 10-K SUMMARY

None.

#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: February 28, 2024 By: /s/ Anselm Wong

Name: Anselm Wong

Executive Vice President and Chief

Title: Financial Officer

## POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL BY THESE PRESENTS, that each person whose signature appears below constitutes and appoints Ramey Jackson, Anselm Wong, and Elliot Kahler or any of them, severally, as his attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for such person and in such person's name, place, and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign any and all amendments to this registration statement, and to file the same with all exhibits hereto, and all other documents in connection herewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and any of them, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite or necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as he or she might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents, or any of them, or their substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this registration statement has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Name	Position	Date
/s/ Ramey Jackson	Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)	February 28, 2024
Ramey Jackson	<del></del>	
/s/ Anselm Wong	Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)	February 28, 2024
Anselm Wong		
/s/ David Vanevenhoven	Chief Accounting Officer	February 28, 2024
David Vanevenhoven	(Principal Accounting Officer)	
/s/ Roger Fradin	Chairman	February 28, 2024
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/s/ Tony Byerly	Director	February 28, 2024
Tony Byerly	<del></del>	,
/s/ David Doll	Director	February 28, 2024
David Doll	<u> </u>	
/s/ Joseph F. Hanna	Director	February 28, 2024
Joseph F. Hanna		
/s/ Xavier A. Gutierrez	Director	February 28, 2024
Xavier A. Gutierrez	<del></del>	
/s/ Eileen M. Youds	Director	February 28, 2024
Eileen M. Youds		

/s/ Thomas A. Szlosek	Director	February 28, 2024
Thomas A. Szlosek		
/s/ Heather Harding	Director	February 28, 2024
Heather Harding		

## **DESCRIPTION OF SECURITIES**

#### General

Our authorized capital stock consists of 825,000,000 shares of common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share ("Common Stock"), and 1,000,000 shares of preferred stock, par value \$0.0001 per share. As of February 23, 2024, we had 146,871,908 shares of Common Stock outstanding and no shares of preferred stock outstanding. The following description of our capital stock is intended as a summary only and is qualified in its entirety by reference to our Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation (as amended, the "Certificate of Incorporation") and Amended and Restated Bylaws (as amended, the "Bylaws"), which we have previously filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, and to the applicable provisions of the Delaware General Corporation Law ("DGCL").

## **Common Stock**

## Dividend Rights

Subject to preferences that may apply to shares of preferred stock outstanding at the time and the terms of the Earnout Agreement, dated June 7, 2021, by and between the Company and Juniper Industrial Sponsor, LLC (the "Earnout Agreement"), holders of outstanding shares of Common Stock will be entitled to receive dividends out of assets legally available at the times and in the amounts as the Board may determine from time to time.

## Voting Rights

Each outstanding share of Common Stock is entitled to one vote on all matters submitted to a vote of stockholders. Holders of shares of the Company's Common Stock shall have no cumulative voting rights.

## Preemptive Rights

The Company's Common Stock is not entitled to preemptive or other similar subscription rights to purchase any of the Company's securities.

## Conversion or Redemption Rights

The Company's Common Stock is neither convertible nor redeemable.

# Liquidation Rights

Upon the Company's liquidation, the holders of the Company's Common Stock will be entitled to receive pro rata the Company's assets that are legally available for distribution, after payment of all debts and other liabilities and subject to the prior rights of any holders of preferred stock then outstanding and subject to the terms of the Earnout Agreement.

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## **Preferred Stock**

The Board may, without further action by the Company's stockholders, from time to time, direct the issuance of shares of preferred stock in series and may, at the time of issuance, determine the designations, powers, preferences, privileges and relative participating, optional or special rights as well as the qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof, including dividend rights, conversion rights, voting rights, terms of redemption and liquidation preferences, any or all of which may be greater than the rights of the Common Stock. Satisfaction of any dividend preferences of outstanding shares of preferred stock would reduce the amount of funds available for the payment of dividends on shares of the Company's Common Stock. Holders of shares of preferred stock may be entitled to receive a preference payment in the event of the Company's liquidation before any payment is made to the holders of shares of the Company's Common Stock. Under certain circumstances, the issuance of shares of preferred stock may render more difficult or tend to discourage a merger, tender offer or proxy contest, the assumption of control by a holder of a large block of the Company's securities or the removal of incumbent management. Upon the affirmative vote of a majority of the total number of directors then in office, the Board, without stockholder approval, may issue shares of preferred stock with voting and conversion rights which could adversely affect the holders of shares of the Company's Common Stock and the market value of the Company's Common Stock.

# Anti-Takeover Effects of the Company's Certificate of Incorporation and the Company's Bylaws

Our Certificate of Incorporation, Bylaws and the DGCL contain provisions, which are summarized in the following paragraphs, that are intended to enhance the likelihood of continuity and stability in the composition of the Board. These provisions are intended to avoid costly takeover battles, reduce our vulnerability to a hostile change of control and enhance the ability of the Board to maximize stockholder value in connection with any unsolicited offer to acquire it. However, these provisions may have an anti-takeover effect and may delay, deter or prevent a merger or acquisition of the Company by means of a tender offer, a proxy contest or other takeover attempt that a stockholder might consider in its best interest, including those attempts that might result in a premium over the prevailing market price for the shares of Common Stock held by stockholders.

These provisions include:

## Classified Board

Our Certificate of Incorporation provides that the Board be divided into three classes of directors, with each class consisting, as nearly as possible, of one-third of the total number of directors and with the directors serving three-year terms. As a result, approximately one-third of the Board will be elected each year. The classification of directors will have the effect of making it more difficult for stockholders to change the composition of the Board. Our Certificate of Incorporation also provides that, subject to any rights of holders of preferred stock to elect additional directors under specified circumstances, the number of directors will be fixed exclusively pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board.

Stockholder Action by Written Consent

Our Certificate of Incorporation precludes stockholder action by written consent at any time unless such action is recommended or approved by all directors of the Company then in office, with the exception that actions taken by holders of preferred stock may be taken without a meeting provided that the requisite number of signatures required to authorize or take such action at a meeting are delivered to the Company in compliance with the parameters set forth in our Certificate of Incorporation.

# Special Meetings of Stockholders

Our Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws provides that, except as required by law, special meetings of our stockholders may be called at any time only by or at the direction of the Board, the Chairman of the Board or our Chief Executive Officer, or as otherwise provided in the Bylaws. These provisions may have the effect of deferring, delaying or discouraging hostile takeovers, or changes in control or management of the Company.

## Advance Notice Procedures

Our Bylaws establish an advance notice procedure for stockholder proposals to be brought before an annual meeting of the Company's stockholders, including proposed nominations of persons for election to the Board and director election contests subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission's universal proxy rules. Stockholders at an annual meeting will only be able to consider proposals or nominations specified in the notice of meeting or brought before the meeting by or at the direction of the Board or by a stockholder who was a stockholder of record on the record date for the meeting, who is entitled to vote at the meeting and who has given our Secretary timely written notice, in proper written form, of the stockholder's intention to bring that business before the meeting and must meet all other requirements set forth in the Bylaws and applicable law. Although the Bylaws do not give the Board the power to approve or disapprove stockholder nominations of candidates or proposals regarding other business to be conducted at a special or annual meeting, the Bylaws may have the effect of precluding the conduct of certain business at a meeting if the proper procedures are not followed or may discourage or deter a potential acquirer from conducting a solicitation of proxies to elect its own slate of directors or otherwise attempting to obtain control of the Company.

# Removal of Directors; Vacancies

Our Certificate of Incorporation provides that directors may be removed only for cause upon the affirmative vote of the holders of at least 66 2/3% of the total voting power of all outstanding shares of stock entitled to vote thereon, voting together as a single class. In addition, our Certificate of Incorporation provides that, subject to the rights granted to one or more series of preferred stock then outstanding, any newly created directorship on the Board that results from an increase in the number of directors and any vacancies on the Board will be filled only by the affirmative vote of a majority of the remaining directors, even if less than a quorum, or by a sole remaining director.

## Supermajority Approval Requirements

Our Certificate of Incorporation provides that the Board is expressly authorized to make, alter, amend, change, add to, rescind or repeal, in whole or in part, our Bylaws without a stockholder vote in any matter not inconsistent with the laws of the State of Delaware and our Certificate of Incorporation. Any amendment, alteration, rescission or repeal of our Bylaws by our stockholders will require the affirmative vote of the holders of at least 66 2/3% in voting power of all the then-outstanding shares of stock of the Company entitled to vote thereon, voting together as a single class.

The DGCL provides generally that the affirmative vote of a majority of the outstanding shares entitled to vote thereon, voting together as a single class, is required to amend a corporation's Certificate of Incorporation, unless the Certificate of Incorporation requires a greater percentage.

Our Certificate of Incorporation provides that the following provisions in our Certificate of Incorporation may be amended, altered, repealed or rescinded only by the affirmative vote of the holders of at least 66 2/3% in voting power of all the then-outstanding shares of stock of the Company entitled to vote thereon, voting together as a single class:

- the provision requiring a 66 2/3% supermajority vote for stockholders to amend our Bylaws;
- the provisions providing for a classified board of directors (the election and term of our directors);
- the provisions regarding resignation and removal of directors;
- the provisions regarding filling vacancies on the Board and newly created directorships;
- the provisions regarding stockholder action by written consent;
- the provisions regarding calling special meetings of stockholders;
- the provisions eliminating monetary damages for breaches of fiduciary duty by a director;
- the provision requiring exclusive forum in Delaware; and
- the amendment provision requiring that the above provisions be amended only with a 66 23% supermajority vote.

Our Certificate of Incorporation provides that the provision on competition and corporate opportunity be amended only by an affirmative vote of at least 80% of the voting power of all then-outstanding shares of stock entitled to vote thereon voting together as a single class.

The combination of the classification of the Board, the lack of cumulative voting and the supermajority voting requirements will make it more difficult for our existing stockholders to replace the Board as well as for another party to obtain control of us by replacing the Board.

## Authorized but Unissued Shares

The Company's authorized but unissued shares of Common Stock and preferred stock will be available for future issuance without stockholder approval, subject to stock exchange rules. These additional shares may be utilized for a variety of corporate purposes, including future public offerings to raise additional capital, corporate acquisitions and employee benefit

plans. One of the effects of the existence of authorized but unissued Common Stock or preferred stock may be to enable the Board to issue shares to persons friendly to current management, which issuance could render more difficult or discourage an attempt to obtain control of the Company by means of a merger, tender offer, proxy contest or otherwise, and thereby protect the continuity of our management and possibly deprive our stockholders of opportunities to sell their shares of Common Stock at prices higher than prevailing market prices.

## **Delaware Anti-Takeover Law**

The Company is subject to Section 203 of the Delaware General Corporation Law ("Section 203"), which generally prohibits a public Delaware corporation from engaging in a "business combination" with an "interested stockholder" for a period of three years after the date of the transaction in which the person became an interested stockholder unless:

- prior to the date of the transaction, the board of directors of the corporation approved either the business combination or the transaction that resulted in the stockholder becoming an interested stockholder;
- upon completion of the transaction that resulted in the stockholder becoming an interested stockholder, the interested stockholder owned at least 85% of the voting stock of the corporation outstanding at the time the transaction commenced, excluding for purposes of determining the number of shares outstanding (but not the outstanding voting stock owned by the interested stockholder) those shares owned by (i) persons who are directors and also officers and (ii) employee stock plans in which employee participants do not have the right to determine confidentially whether shares held subject to the plan will be tendered in a tender or exchange offer; or
- on or after such date, the business combination is approved by the board of directors and authorized at an annual or special meeting of stockholders, and not by written consent, by the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the outstanding voting stock that is not owned by the interested stockholder.

In general, Section 203 defines "business combination" to include the following:

- any merger or consolidation involving the corporation and the interested stockholder;
- any sale, lease, exchange, mortgage, pledge, transfer or other disposition (in one transaction or a series of transactions), except proportionately as a stockholder of such corporation, to or with the interested stockholder, of assets of the corporation, which assets have an aggregate market value equal to 10% or more of either the aggregate market value of all the assets of the corporation determined on a consolidated basis or the aggregate market value of all the outstanding stock of the corporation;
- subject to certain exceptions, any transaction that results in the issuance or transfer by the corporation of any stock of the corporation to the interested stockholder;
- subject to certain exceptions, any transaction involving the corporation that has the effect, directly or indirectly, of increasing the interested stockholder's proportionate share of the stock of any class or series, or securities convertible into the stock of any class or series, of the corporation; and

• any receipt by the interested stockholder of the benefit, directly or indirectly (except proportionately as a stockholder of such corporation), of any loans, advances, guarantees, pledges or other financial benefits provided by or through the corporation.

In general, Section 203 defines an "interested stockholder" as an entity or person that, together with the person's affiliates and associates, beneficially owns, or within three years prior to the time of determination of interested stockholder status did own, 15% or more of the outstanding voting stock of the corporation.

# Dissenters' Rights of Appraisal and Payment

Under the DGCL, with certain exceptions, our stockholders have appraisal rights in connection with a merger or consolidation of the Company. Pursuant to the DGCL, stockholders who properly request and perfect appraisal rights in connection with such merger or consolidation have the right to receive payment of the fair value of their shares as determined by the Delaware Court of Chancery.

# **Stockholders' Derivative Actions**

Under the DGCL, any of our stockholders may bring an action in our name to procure a judgment in our favor, also known as a derivative action, provided that the stockholder bringing the action is a holder of our shares at the time of the transaction to which the action relates or such stockholder's stock thereafter devolved by operation of law.

## **Exclusive Forum**

Our Certificate of Incorporation provides that, unless the Company consents in writing to the selection of an alternative forum, the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware will be the sole and exclusive forum for (1) any derivative action or proceeding brought on our behalf, (2) any action asserting a claim of breach of a fiduciary duty owed by any current or former of our directors, officers, stockholders, agents or other employees to us or our stockholders, or any claim for aiding and abetting such alleged breach, (3) any action asserting a claim against the Company or any director, officer, stockholder, agent or other employee of us arising pursuant to any provision of the DGCL, our Certificate of Incorporation or our Bylaws or as to which the DGCL confers jurisdiction on the Court of Chancery or (4) any other action asserting a claim against the Company or any director, officer, stockholder, agent or other employee of us that is governed by the internal affairs doctrine; provided that for the avoidance of doubt, the forum selection provision that identifies the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware as the exclusive forum for certain litigation, including any "derivative action," will not apply to any claim (a) as to which the Delaware Court of Chancery determines that there is an indispensable party not subject to the jurisdiction of the Delaware Court of Chancery (and the indispensable party does not consent to the personal jurisdiction of the Court of Chancery within ten days following such determination), (b) which is vested in the exclusive jurisdiction of a court or forum other than the Delaware Court of Chancery, or (c) arising under federal securities laws, including the Securities Act of 1933 (the "Securities Act") as to which the federal district courts of the United States of America shall, to the fullest extent permitted by law, be the sole and exclusive forum.

Any person or entity purchasing or otherwise acquiring any interest in shares of our capital stock will be deemed to have notice of and to have consented to the provisions of our

Certificate of Incorporation described above. If any action the subject matter of which is within the scope of the forum provisions is filed in a court other than a court located within the State of Delaware (a "foreign action") in the name of any stockholder, such stockholder shall be deemed to have consented to: (x) the personal jurisdiction of the state and federal courts located within the State of Delaware in connection with any action brought in any such court to enforce the forum provisions (an "enforcement action"); and (y) having service of process made upon such stockholder in any such enforcement action by service upon such stockholder's counsel in the foreign action as agent for such stockholder. However, it is possible that a court could find the choice of forum provision contained in our Certificate of Incorporation to be inapplicable or unenforceable. Although the Company believes these provisions benefit us by providing increased consistency in the application of Delaware law for the specified types of actions and proceedings, the provisions may have the effect of discouraging lawsuits against us or our directors and officers.

#### **Conflicts of Interest**

Delaware law permits corporations to adopt provisions renouncing any interest or expectancy in certain opportunities that are presented to the corporation or its officers, directors or stockholders. Our Certificate of Incorporation, to the maximum extent permitted from time to time by Delaware law, renounces any interest or expectancy that the Company has in, or right to be offered an opportunity to participate in, specified business opportunities that are from time to time presented to certain of our directors or their respective affiliates, other than those directors, who are our employees. Our Certificate of Incorporation provides that, to the fullest extent permitted by law, none of the Company or any director who is not employed by us (including any non-employee director who serves as one of our officers in both his director and officer capacities) or his or her affiliates will have any duty to refrain from (1) engaging in a corporate opportunity in the same or similar lines of business in which the Company's affiliates now engage or propose to engage or (2) otherwise competing with the Company's affiliates. In addition, to the fullest extent permitted by law, in the event that the Company or any non-employee director acquires knowledge of a potential transaction or other business opportunity which may be a corporate opportunity for itself or himself or its or his affiliates or for its or his affiliates or for us or our affiliates, such person will have no duty to communicate or offer such transaction or business opportunity to us or any of our affiliates and they may take any such opportunity for themselves or offer it to another person or entity. Our Certificate of Incorporation does not renounce our interest in any business opportunity that is expressly offered to a non-employee director solely in his or her capacity as a director or officer of the Company.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, no business opportunity will be deemed to be a potential corporate opportunity for us unless we would be permitted to undertake the opportunity under our Certificate of Incorporation, we have sufficient financial resources to undertake the opportunity, and the opportunity would be in line with our business.

## Limitations on Liability and Indemnification of Officers and Directors

The DGCL authorizes corporations to limit or eliminate the personal liability of directors to corporations and their stockholders for monetary damages for breaches of directors' fiduciary duties, subject to certain exceptions. Our Certificate of Incorporation includes a provision that eliminates the personal liability of directors for monetary damages for any breach of fiduciary

duty as a director, except to the extent such exemption from liability or limitation thereof is not permitted under the DGCL. The effect of these provisions is to eliminate the rights of us and our stockholders, through stockholders' derivative suits on our behalf, to recover monetary damages from a director for certain breaches of fiduciary duty as a director, including breaches resulting from grossly negligent behavior. However, exculpation will not apply to any director for breaches of the duty of loyalty or if the director has acted in bad faith, knowingly or intentionally violated the law, authorized illegal dividends or redemptions or derived an improper benefit from his or her actions as a director.

Our Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws provide that we must indemnify and advance expenses to our directors and officers to the fullest extent authorized by the DGCL. We will be expressly authorized to carry directors' and officers' liability insurance providing indemnification for our directors, officers and certain employees for some liabilities. We believe that these indemnification and advancement provisions and insurance will be useful to attract and retain qualified directors and officers.

The limitation of liability, indemnification and advancement provisions that are included in our Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws may discourage stockholders from bringing a lawsuit against directors for breaches of their fiduciary duty. These provisions also may have the effect of reducing the likelihood of derivative litigation against directors and officers, even though such an action, if successful, might otherwise benefit us and our stockholders. In addition, your investment may be adversely affected to the extent we pay the costs of settlement and damage awards against directors and officers pursuant to these indemnification provisions.

There is currently no pending material litigation or proceeding involving any of our directors, officers or employees for which indemnification is sought.

### **Rule 144**

Pursuant to Rule 144, a person who has beneficially owned restricted shares of our Common Stock for at least six months would be entitled to sell his, her or its securities provided that (i) such person is not deemed to have been one of our affiliates at the time of, or at any time during the three months preceding, a sale and (ii) we are subject to the Exchange Act periodic reporting requirements for at least three months before the sale and have filed all required reports under Section 13 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act during the 12 months (or such shorter period as we are required to file reports) preceding the sale. However, Rule 144 is not available for the resale of securities initially issued by shell companies (other than business combinations related shell companies) or issuers that have been at any time previously a shell company. Rule 144 does include an important exception to this prohibition if the following conditions are met:

- a. the issuer of the securities that was formerly a shell company has ceased to be a shell company;
- b. the issuer of the securities is subject to the reporting requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act;
- c. the issuer of the securities has filed all Exchange Act reports and material required to be filed, as applicable, during the preceding 12 months (or such shorter period that the issuer was required to file such reports and materials), other than Form 8-K reports; and
- d. at least one year has elapsed from the time that the issuer filed current Form 10 type information with the SEC reflecting its status as an entity that is not a shell company.

As a result, the initial holders, purchasers of placement units, any of their respective affiliates and other third parties will be able to sell their Common Stock, pursuant to and in accordance with Rule 144 without registration one year after the date that we completed our initial business combination. However, if they remain one of our affiliates, they will only be permitted to sell a number of securities that does not exceed the greater of:

- a. 1% of the total number of shares of Common Stock then outstanding, which was 146,871,908 shares as of February 23, 2024; or
- b. the average weekly reported trading volume of the Common Stock during the four calendar weeks preceding the filing of a notice on Form 144 with respect to the sale.

Sales by our affiliates under Rule 144 would also limited be limited by manner of sale provisions and notice requirements and to the availability of current public information about us.

## **Registration Rights**

Investor Rights Agreement

On June 7, 2021, the Company entered into an Investor Rights Agreement (the "Investor Rights Agreement") with Clearlake Capital Group, L.P., Juniper Industrial Sponsor, LLC (the "SPAC Sponsor"), certain stockholders of Juniper Industrial Holdings, Inc., and certain former stockholders of Janus Midco, LLC with respect to the shares of Common Stock issued as partial consideration under that certain Business Combination Agreement dated as of December 21, 2020. The Investor Rights Agreement includes, among other things, the Company's requirement to file a resale shelf registration statement on behalf of the parties to the Investor Rights

Agreement promptly after the closing of the business combination that occurred on June 7, 2021 (the "Business Combination"). The Investor Rights Agreement also provides certain demand rights and piggyback rights to the Selling Stockholders, subject to underwriter cutbacks and issuer blackout periods. The Company was required to bear all costs and expenses incurred in connection with the resale shelf registration statement, any demand registration statement, any underwritten takedown, any block trade, any piggyback registration statement and all expenses incurred in performing or complying with its other obligations under the Investor Rights Agreement, whether or not the registration statement became effective. In satisfaction of our obligation to file such registration statement, we filed a registration statement on Form S-1 (the "2021 Resale Registration Statement") on July 7, 2021 (SEC File No. 333-257731) to register up to 114,045,400 shares of Common Stock, up to 10,150,000 warrants to purchase Common Stock, and up to 10,150,000 shares of Common Stock underlying such warrants which, as amended, was declared effective by the SEC on August 6, 2021.

Amendment to the Registration and Stockholder Rights Agreement

In connection with the closing of the Business Combination, Juniper, the SPAC Sponsor and the other parties to the Registration and Stockholder Rights Agreement, dated November 13, 2019 (the "Registration and Stockholder Rights Agreement"), entered into an amendment to the Registration and Stockholder Rights Agreement (the "Amendment to the Registration and Stockholders Rights Agreement") pursuant to which (i) all references to Common Stock (as defined in the Registration and Stockholder Rights Agreement) were deemed to be references to the Common Stock, (ii) references to the registration rights to which the SPAC Sponsor is entitled were appropriately updated for the transaction structure, and (iii) certain governance rights included in Article V of the Registration and Stockholder Rights Agreement were removed and the governance rights included in the Investor Rights Agreement were deemed to control.

# Transfer Agent

The transfer agent and registrar for our Common Stock is Continental Stock Transfer & Trust Company (the "Transfer Agent"). The Transfer Agent's address is 1 State Street, 30th Floor, New York, New York 10004.

# Listing

Our Common Stock is listed on the NYSE under the symbol "JBI."

## Subsidiaries of Janus International Group, Inc.

Name of Subsidiary

Juniper Industrial Holdings, Inc. Janus Intermediate Holdco, Inc.

Janus Midco, LLC

Janus Intermediate, LLC

Janus International Group, LLC

Access Control Technologies, LLC

Janus International Europe Holdings, Ltd. Janus International Australia Pty Ltd.

Janus International (Storage Solutions) Asia Pte Ltd.

Janus International Europe Ltd Janus International France SARL

U.S. Door & Building Components, LLC

Janus Cobb Holdings, LLC ASTA Industries, Inc.

Noke, Inc.

Betco, Inc. Steel Door Depot.com, LLC

Janus Holdings, LLC Janus Door, LLC

Janus International Brasil Participações LTDA

Janus International Poland sp z.o.o. Janus International Canada, Ltd.

Country (State)

United States (Delaware)

United States (North Carolina)

United Kingdom (England and Wales)

Australia

Singapore United Kingdom (England and Wales)

France

United States (Georgia)

United States (Delaware)

United States (Georgia)

United States (Delaware)

United States (Delaware)

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Brazil Poland Canada

## Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

Janus International Group, Inc. Temple, Georgia

We hereby consent to the incorporation by reference in the Registration Statement Form S-8 (No. 333-258806) and Form S-3 (No. 333-257731) of Janus International Group, Inc. (the Company) of our report dated February 28, 2024, relating to the consolidated financial statements and the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting, which appears on this Annual Report on Form 10-K.

/s/ BDO USA, P.C. Atlanta, Georgia

February 28, 2024

### CERTIFICATION

#### PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-14 AND 15d-14

## UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934, AS AMENDED

- I, Ramey Jackson, certify that:
- 1. I have reviewed this Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 30, 2023 of Janus International Group, Inc.;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: February 28, 2024 By: /s/ Ramey Jackson

Ramey Jackson Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)

### CERTIFICATION

#### PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-14 AND 15d-14

#### UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934, AS AMENDED

I, Anselm Wong, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 30, 2023 of Janus International Group, Inc.;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting;
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: February 28, 2024 By: /s/ Anselm Wong

Anselm Wong Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)

# CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO

### 18 U.S.C. 1350

## (SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002)

In connection with the Annual Report of Janus International Group, Inc. (the "Company") on Form 10-K for the year ended December 30, 2023, as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Report"), I, Ramey Jackson, Chief Executive Officer of the Company, certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §1350, as added by §906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

- 1. The Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and
- 2. To my knowledge, the information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company as of and for the period covered by the Report.

Date: February 28, 2024 By: /s/ Ramey Jackson

Ramey Jackson Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)

## CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO

### 18 U.S.C. 1350

## (SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002)

In connection with the Annual Report of Janus International Group, Inc. (the "Company") on Form 10-K for the year ended December 30, 2023, as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Report"), I, Anselm Wong, Chief Financial Officer of the Company, certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §1350, as added by §906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

- $1. \ \ \, \text{The Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934;} \\ \text{and} \\$
- 2. To my knowledge, the information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company as of and for the period covered by the Report.

Date: February 28, 2024 By: /s/ Anselm Wong

Anselm Wong
Chief Financial Officer
(Principal Financial Officer)

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Exhibit 97.1

## JANUS INTERNATIONAL GROUP, INC. CLAWBACK POLICY

### **PURPOSE**

Janus International Group, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), believes that it is in the best interests of the Company and its shareholders to create and maintain a culture that emphasizes integrity and accountability and that reinforces the Company's pay-for-performance compensation philosophy. The Company's Board of Directors (the "Board") has therefore adopted this policy, which provides for the recoupment of certain executive compensation in the event that the Company is required to prepare an accounting restatement of its financial statements due to material noncompliance with any financial reporting requirement under the federal securities laws (this "Policy"). This Policy is designed to comply with Section 10D of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), the rules promulgated thereunder, and the listing standards of the national securities exchange on which the Company's securities are listed.

### ADMINISTRATION

This Policy shall be administered by the Compensation Committee of the Board (the "<u>Compensation Committee</u>"). Any determinations made by the Compensation Committee shall be final and binding on all affected individuals.

### **COVERED EXECUTIVES**

This Policy applies to the Company's current and former executive officers (as determined by the Compensation Committee in accordance with Section 10D of the Exchange Act, the rules promulgated thereunder, and the listing standards of the national securities exchange on which the Company's securities are listed) and such other senior executives or employees who may from time to time be deemed subject to this Policy by the Compensation Committee (collectively, the "Covered Executives"). This Policy shall be binding and enforceable against all Covered Executives.

### RECOUPMENT; ACCOUNTING RESTATEMENT

In the event that the Company is required to prepare an accounting restatement of its financial statements due to the Company's material noncompliance with any financial reporting requirement under the securities laws, including any required accounting restatement (i) to correct an error in previously issued financial statements that is material to the previously issued financial statements, or (ii) that would result in a material misstatement if the error were corrected in the current period or left uncorrected in the current period (each an "Accounting Restatement"), the Compensation Committee will reasonably promptly require reimbursement or forfeiture of the Overpayment (as defined below) received by any Covered Executive (x) after beginning service as a Covered Executive, (y) who served as a Covered Executive at any time during the performance period for the applicable Incentive-Based Compensation (as defined below), and (z) during the three (3) completed fiscal years immediately preceding the date on which the Company is required to prepare an Accounting Restatement and any transition period

(that results from a change in the Company's fiscal year) within or immediately following those three (3) completed fiscal years.

### INCENTIVE-BASED COMPENSATION

For purposes of this Policy, "<u>Incentive-Based Compensation</u>" means any compensation that is granted, earned, or vested based wholly or in part upon the attainment of a financial reporting measure, including, but not limited to: (i) non-equity incentive plan awards that are earned solely or in part by satisfying a financial reporting measure performance goal; (ii) bonuses paid from a bonus pool, where the size of the pool is determined solely or in part by satisfying a financial reporting measure performance goal; (iii) other cash awards based on satisfaction of a financial reporting measure performance goal; (iv) restricted stock, restricted stock units, stock options, stock appreciation rights, and performance share units that are granted or vest solely or in part based on satisfaction of a financial reporting measure performance goal; and (v) proceeds from the sale of shares acquired through an incentive plan that were granted or vested solely or in part based on satisfaction of a financial reporting measure performance goal.

Compensation that would not be considered Incentive-Based Compensation includes, but is not limited to: (i) salaries; (ii) bonuses paid solely based on satisfaction of subjective standards, such as demonstrating leadership, and/or completion of a specified employment period; (iii) non-equity incentive plan awards earned solely based on satisfaction of strategic or operational measures; (iv) wholly time-based equity awards; and (v) discretionary bonuses or other compensation that is not paid from a bonus pool that is determined by satisfying a financial reporting measure performance goal.

A financial reporting measure is: (i) any measure that is determined and presented in accordance with the accounting principles used in preparing financial statements, or any measure derived wholly or in part from such measure, such as revenues, EBITDA, or net income or (ii) stock price and total shareholder return. Financial reporting measures include, but are not limited to: revenues; net income; operating income; profitability of one or more reportable segments; financial ratios (e.g., accounts receivable turnover and inventory turnover rates); net assets or net asset value per share; earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization; funds from operations and adjusted funds from operations; liquidity measures (e.g., working capital, operating cash flow); return measures (e.g., return on invested capital, return on assets); earnings measures (e.g., earnings per share); sales per square foot or same store sales, where sales is subject to an accounting restatement; revenue per user, or average revenue per user, where revenue is subject to an accounting restatement; any of such financial reporting measures relative to a peer group, where the Company's financial reporting measure is subject to an accounting restatement; and tax basis income.

### OVERPAYMENT: AMOUNT SUBJECT TO RECOVERY

The amount to be recovered will be the amount of Incentive-Based Compensation received that exceeds the amount of Incentive-Based Compensation that otherwise would have been received had it been determined based on the restated amounts, and must be computed without regard to any taxes paid (the "Overpayment"). Incentive-Based Compensation is deemed "received" in the Company's fiscal period during which the financial reporting measure specified

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in the incentive-based compensation award is attained, even if the vesting, payment or grant of the incentive-based compensation occurs after the end of that period.

For Incentive-Based Compensation based on stock price or total shareholder return, where the amount of erroneously awarded compensation is not subject to mathematical recalculation directly from the information in the Accounting Restatement, the amount must be based on a reasonable estimate of the effect of the Accounting Restatement on the stock price or total shareholder return upon which the Incentive-Based Compensation was received, and the Company must maintain documentation of the determination of that reasonable estimate and provide such documentation to the exchange on which the Company's securities are listed.

### METHOD OF RECOUPMENT

The Compensation Committee will determine, in its sole discretion, the method or methods for recouping any Overpayment hereunder which may include, without limitation:

- requiring reimbursement of cash Incentive-Based Compensation previously paid;
- seeking recovery of any gain realized on the vesting, exercise, settlement, sale, transfer, or other disposition of any equity-based awards granted as Incentive-Based Compensation;
- offsetting any or all of the Overpayment from any compensation otherwise owed by the Company to the Covered Executive;
- cancelling outstanding vested or unvested equity awards; and/or
- taking any other remedial or recovery action permitted by law, as determined by the Compensation Committee.

# LIMITATION ON RECOVERY; NO ADDITIONAL PAYMENTS

The right to recovery will be limited to Overpayments received during the three (3) completed fiscal years prior to the date on which the Company is required to prepare an Accounting Restatement and any transition period (that results from a change in the Company's fiscal year) within or immediately following those three (3) completed fiscal years. In no event shall the Company be required to award Covered Executives an additional payment if the restated or accurate financial results would have resulted in a higher Incentive-Based Compensation payment.

### NO INDEMNIFICATION

The Company shall not indemnify any Covered Executives against the loss of any incorrectly awarded Incentive-Based Compensation.

### **INTERPRETATION**

The Compensation Committee is authorized to interpret and construe this Policy and to make all determinations necessary, appropriate, or advisable for the administration of this Policy. It is intended that this Policy be interpreted in a manner that is consistent with the requirements of Section 10D of the Exchange Act and the applicable rules or standards adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission or any national securities exchange on which the Company's securities are listed.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE

This Policy shall be effective as of the date it is adopted by the Board (the "<u>Effective Date</u>") and shall apply to Incentive-Based Compensation (including Incentive-Based Compensation granted pursuant to arrangements existing prior to the Effective Date). Notwithstanding the foregoing, this Policy shall only apply to Incentive-Based Compensation received (as determined pursuant to this Policy) on or after the effective date of Section 303A.14 of the NYSE Listed Company Manual.

#### AMENDMENT; TERMINATION

The Board may amend this Policy from time to time in its discretion. The Board may terminate this Policy at any time.

## OTHER RECOUPMENT RIGHTS

The Board intends that this Policy will be applied to the fullest extent of the law. The Compensation Committee may require that any employment or service agreement, cash-based bonus plan or program, equity award agreement, or similar agreement entered into on or after the adoption of this Policy shall, as a condition to the grant of any benefit thereunder, require a Covered Executive to agree to abide by the terms of this Policy. Any right of recoupment under this Policy is in addition to, and not in lieu of, any other remedies or rights of recoupment that may be available to the Company pursuant to the terms of any similar policy in any employment agreement, equity award agreement, cash-based bonus plan or program, or similar agreement and any other legal remedies available to the Company.

## **IMPRACTICABILITY**

The Compensation Committee shall recover any Overpayment in accordance with this Policy except to the extent that the Compensation Committee determines such recovery would be impracticable because:

- The direct expense paid to a third party to assist in enforcing this Policy would exceed the amount to be recovered;
- Recovery would violate home country law of the Company where that law was adopted prior to November 28, 2022; or
- Recovery would likely cause an otherwise tax-qualified retirement plan, under which benefits are broadly available to employees of the Company, to fail to meet the requirements of 26 U.S.C. 401(a)(13) or 26 U.S.C. 411(a) and regulations thereunder.

### **SUCCESSORS**

This Policy shall be binding and enforceable against all Covered Executives and their beneficiaries, heirs, executors, administrators or other legal representatives