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Yum China Holdings, Inc.

百勝中國控股有限公司 (Incorporated in the State of Delaware of the United States of America) (Stock Code: 9987)

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE 2023 Q3 FINANCIAL RESULTS

Yum China Holdings, Inc. (the "**Company**") hereby announces its unaudited results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2023 (the "**2023 Q3 Results Announcement**"). The 2023 Q3 Results Announcement is available for viewing on the website of the Hong Kong Stock Exchange at www.hkexnews.hk and the Company's website at http://ir.yumchina.com.

By order of the Board Yum China Holdings, Inc. Joey WAT Director and Chief Executive Officer

Hong Kong, November 1, 2023

As of the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Dr. Fred HU as the chairman and an independent director, Ms. Joey WAT as a director, and Mr. Peter A. BASSI, Mr. Edouard ETTEDGUI, Mr. David HOFFMANN, Ms. Ruby LU, Mr. Zili SHAO, Mr. William WANG, Ms. Min (Jenny) ZHANG and Ms. Christina Xiaojing ZHU as independent directors.



Yum China Reports Third Quarter 2023 Results

Total Revenues grew 9%, or 15% in constant currency; System Sales grew 15% in constant currency; Operating Profit grew 2% to \$323 million, or 9% in constant currency, Adjusted Operating Profit of \$327 million reached a record; Record year-to-date store openings of 1,155 net new adds, on track for full-year net new store target

Shanghai, China (November 1, 2023) – Yum China Holdings, Inc. (the "Company" or "Yum China") (NYSE: YUMC and HKEX: 9987) today reported unaudited results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2023.

Third Quarter Highlights

- Total revenues increased 9% year over year to \$2.91 billion from \$2.68 billion (a 15% increase in constant currency).
- **Total system sales** increased 15% year over year, with increases of 15% at KFC and 13% at Pizza Hut in constant currency. Growth was mainly attributable to new unit contribution, same-store sales and lapping of temporary closures in the prior year.
- Same-store sales increased 4% year over year, with increases of 4% at KFC and 2% at Pizza Hut in constant currency.
- Opened 500 **net new stores** during the quarter; total store count reached 14,102, as of September 30, 2023.
- **Operating Profit** increased 2% year over year to \$323 million from \$316 million (a 9% increase in constant currency), primarily driven by sales leveraging.
- Adjusted Operating Profit increased 3% year over year to \$327 million from \$318 million (a 10% increase in constant currency).
- **Restaurant margin** was 17.0%, compared with 18.8% in the prior year period, mainly due to lapping of austerity measures and temporary relief in the prior year.
- Effective tax rate was 27.5%.
- Net Income increased 18% to \$244 million from \$206 million in the prior year period, primarily due to the increase in Operating Profit and higher interest income.
- Adjusted Net Income increased 19% to \$248 million from \$208 million in the prior year period (a 27% increase in constant currency). Adjusted Net Income includes the net losses of \$3 million and \$12 million in the third quarter of 2023 and 2022, respectively, from the mark-to-market equity investment in Meituan. Excluding such losses, Adjusted Net Income increased 14% year over year (a 21% increase in constant currency).
- **Diluted EPS** increased 18% to \$0.58 from \$0.49 in the prior year period.
- Adjusted Diluted EPS increased 20% to \$0.59 from \$0.49 in the prior year period (a 29% increase in constant currency). Excluding the net losses from the mark-to-market equity investments in the third quarter of 2023 and 2022, as aforementioned, Adjusted Diluted EPS increased 15% year over year (a 21% increase in constant currency).

Key Financial Results

		Third Qua	rter 2023		Year to Date Ended 9/30/2023								
	% Change					% Change							
	System Sales	Same-Store Sales	Net New Units	Operating Profit	System Sales	Same-Store Sales	Net New Units	Operating Profit					
Yum China	+15	+4	+14	+2	+20	+8	+14	+69					
KFC	+15	+4	+14	+4	+21	+9	+14	+54					
Pizza Hut	+13	+2	+14	(5)	+19	+7	+14	+52					

	_		Third Quarter						Year to Date Ended 9/30					
(in US\$ million, except					% Ch	ange					% Ch	ange		
per share data and percentages)		2023		2022	Reported	Ex F/X		2023		2022	Reported	Ex F/X		
Operating Profit	\$	323	\$	316	5 +2	+9	\$	996	\$	588	+69	+79		
Adjusted Operating Profit ⁽¹⁾	\$	327	\$	318	3 +3	+10	\$	1,005	\$	593	+69	+79		
Net Income	\$	244	\$	206	5 +18	+26	\$	730	\$	389	+88	+98		
Adjusted Net Income ⁽¹⁾	\$	248	\$	208	8 +19	+27	\$	739	\$	394	+88	+98		
Basic Earnings Per Common Share	\$	0.59	\$	0.49	+20	+27	\$	1.75	\$	0.92	+90	+101		
Adjusted Basic Earnings														
Per Common Share ⁽¹⁾	\$	0.60	\$	0.49	+22	+27	\$	1.77	\$	0.93	+90	+101		
Diluted Earnings Per Common Share	\$	0.58	\$	0.49	+18	+27	\$	1.73	\$	0.92	+88	+99		
Adjusted Diluted Earnings														
Per Common Share ⁽¹⁾	\$	0.59	\$	0.49	+20	+29	\$	1.75	\$	0.93	+88	+99		

¹See "Reconciliation of Reported GAAP Results to non-GAAP Adjusted Measures" included in the accompanying tables of this release for further details.

Note: All comparisons are versus the same period a year ago. Percentages may not recompute due to rounding.

System sales and same-store sales percentages exclude the impact of F/X. Effective January 1, 2018, temporary store closures are normalized in the same-store sales calculation by excluding the period during which stores are temporarily closed.

CEO and CFO Comments

Joey Wat, CEO of Yum China, commented, "We delivered a record third quarter in total revenues, adjusted operating profit and net new store openings. System sales grew 15% and adjusted operating profit excluding temporary reliefs grew 21% in constant currency. For the first nine months of the year, operating profit and adjusted operating profit also set new records, reaching around \$1 billion. Our robust supply chain, industry-leading digital ecosystem and strong innovation capabilities have enabled us to stay agile in evolving market conditions. We continued to enrich our core menu offerings and launch targeted, engaging campaigns to drive incremental traffic. Beef burger and whole chicken categories combined make up more than 6% of KFC's sales mix, exceeding that of the Original Recipe Chicken. KFC's collaboration with Honkai: Star Rail, a popular e-game, broadened our customer reach and grew our membership base. Furthermore, we are expanding our price range to appeal to a broader customer base, tapping into underserved consumers. At Pizza Hut, we continue to expand pizza selections priced below RMB 50, to capture this very significant segment of the overall pizza market. At KFC, our offers range from premium products such as Ultra Cheese 2.0 Beef Burger to RMB 19.9 3-item value combos to address diverse customer preferences."

"We accelerated new store openings in the quarter, adding 500 net new stores. With 1,155 net new stores in the first three quarters of this year, we are on track to meet our updated full-year target of 1,400 to 1,600. Importantly, our new store payback periods and unit economics remain healthy. At our Investor Day in September, we shared our views on the vast, untapped potential that China continues to offer, even with moderate economic growth. With our "RGM 2.0" strategy, we are focusing on growth while reinforcing resilience and widening our strategic moats. We have set a clear roadmap and growth targets for 2024 to 2026. These include 20,000 stores by 2026 and a return of \$3 billion to shareholders through cash dividends and share repurchases during the same three-year period. We are confident in our capabilities to capture growth opportunities," Wat concluded.

Andy Yeung, CFO of Yum China, added, "In the third quarter, we achieved robust results despite macroeconomic headwinds. Same-store sales growth was solid on a year-over-year basis, and maintained at approximately 90% of the 2019 level in the quarter. But we observed softening consumer demand emerged in late September through October. Looking ahead, the fourth quarter is a seasonally small quarter in terms of sales and profits; hence small fluctuations in sales could have a more pronounced impact on our margins. It is important to highlight that during the fourth quarter last year, we received temporary relief of \$26 million, which is not expected to repeat this year. Last year, we also experienced staffing shortages due to widespread COVID infections. This year, we are returning to more normalized operations and staffing levels at our restaurants. The post-pandemic economic recovery is shaping up to be a "wave-like" and "non-linear" process. So, we will continue to stay agile and take actions to drive sales and cost-efficiency in these evolving market conditions. However, the overall trend towards recovery is evident this year, and many of our performance metrics are setting new records. We remain excited about the significant opportunities China presents and confident in delivering sustainable growth and long-term value to our shareholders. We are proud to report that we returned \$211 million to shareholders in the third quarter, through cash dividends and share repurchases, and are on track to return \$600 to 800 million for the full year."

Share Repurchases and Dividends

- During the third quarter, the Company repurchased approximately 2.9 million shares of Yum China common stock for \$157 million at an average price of \$54.91 per share. As of September 30, 2023, approximately \$870 million remained available for future share repurchases under the current authorization.
- The Board declared a cash dividend of \$0.13 per share on Yum China's common stock, payable on December 19, 2023 to shareholders of record as of the close of business on November 28, 2023.

Digital and Delivery

- KFC and Pizza Hut loyalty programs exceeded 460 million members combined, as of quarter-end. Member sales accounted for approximately 65% of system sales in the third quarter of 2023.
- Delivery contributed approximately 35% of KFC and Pizza Hut's Company sales in the third quarter of 2023, a decrease of 3% compared with the prior year period.
- Digital orders, including delivery, mobile orders and kiosk orders, accounted for approximately 89% of KFC and Pizza Hut's Company sales in the third quarter of 2023.

KFC and Pizza Hut Total	Third (Juarter	Year to Date Ended 9/30				
	2023	2022	2023	2022			
Member count (as of period-end)	460 million+	400 million+	460 million+	400 million+			
Member sales as % of system sales	~65%	~62%	~65%	~62%			
Delivery as % of Company sales	~35%	~38%	~36%	~37%			
Digital orders as % of Company sales	~89%	~91%	~89%	~89%			

New-Unit Development and Asset Upgrade

- The Company opened 500 net new stores in the third quarter of 2023, mainly driven by development of the KFC and Pizza Hut brands.
- The Company remodeled 194 stores in the third quarter of 2023.

	Net Ne	w Units	Restaurant Count				
	Third Quarter	Year to Date	As of Septeml	oer 30			
	2023	Ended 9/30/2023	2023	2022			
Yum China	500	1,155	14,102	12,409			
KFC	355	823	9,917	8,675			
Pizza Hut	130	299	3,202	2,806			
Others ⁽²⁾	15	33	983	928			

²Others include Taco Bell, Lavazza, Little Sheep, Huang Ji Huang, and for 2022, COFFii & JOY.

Restaurant Margin

• Restaurant margin was 17.0% in the third quarter of 2023 compared with 18.8% in the prior year period, driven primarily by lapping of the austerity measures and temporary relief in the prior year, higher promotion costs and wage inflation, partially offset by sales leveraging and favorable commodity prices.

	Т	hird Quarter	Year to Date Ended 9/30						
	2023	2022	ppts change	2023	2022	ppts change			
Yum China	17.0%	18.8%	(1.8)	17.9%	15.1%	+2.8			
KFC	18.6%	20.6%	(2.0)	19.4%	16.6%	+2.8			
Pizza Hut	12.7%	13.4%	(0.7)	13.1%	11.1%	+2.0			

2023 Outlook

The Company's fiscal year 2023 targets were updated at Investor Day on September 14, 2023:

- To open approximately 1,400 to 1,600 net new stores, an increase of 300 stores from the previous target.
- To make capital expenditures in the range of approximately \$700 million to \$900 million, unchanged from the previous target.

Company Updates

- On September 14, 2023, the Company announced the following financial and operating targets at its Investor Day:
 - o To reach total count of 20,000 stores by 2026.
 - o To achieve high-single-to-double-digit CAGR for system sales and operating profit, and double-digit EPS CAGR from 2024 to 2026, compared to base year 2023 and in constant currency.
 - o To return approximately \$3 billion to shareholders through quarterly dividends and share repurchases from 2024 to 2026.
- On September 27, 2023, the Company was named to Fortune's 2023 Change the World list, an annual list that recognizes a select group of companies that have had a positive social impact through activities that are part of their core business strategy. Yum China was one of 59 companies worldwide and the only restaurant company selected for the recognition.

Note on Non-GAAP Measures

Reported GAAP results include Special Items, which are excluded from non-GAAP adjusted measures. Special Items are not allocated to any segment and therefore only impact reported GAAP results of Yum China. See "Reconciliation of Reported GAAP Results to Non-GAAP Adjusted Measures" within this release. In addition, for the non-GAAP measures of Restaurant profit and Restaurant margin, see "Reconciliation of GAAP Operating Profit to Restaurant Profit" under "Segment Results" within this release.

Other Information

In this release, the Company has also disclosed the change in adjusted operating profit excluding temporary relief. This temporary relief was provided by landlords and government agencies, and consisted of \$1 million in the third quarter of 2023 and \$30 million in the third quarter of 2022. The temporary relief received primarily related to the COVID-19 pandemic, and is not expected to recur. The Company believes this information is useful to investors because it facilitates greater comparability between periods.

Conference Call

Yum China's management will hold an earnings conference call at 8:00 p.m. U.S. Eastern Time on Tuesday, October 31, 2023 (8:00 a.m. Beijing/Hong Kong Time on Wednesday, November 1, 2023).

A live webcast of the call may be accessed at https://edge.media-server.com/mmc/p/bpvn2yvj.

To join by phone, please register in advance of the conference through the link provided below. Upon registering, you will be provided with participant dial-in numbers, a passcode and a unique access PIN.

Pre-registration link: https://s1.c-conf.com/diamondpass/10033304-ahyd6f.html

A replay of the conference call will be available one hour after the call ends until Wednesday, November 8, 2023 and may be accessed by phone using the following numbers:

U.S.:	1 855 883 1031
Mainland China:	400 1209 216
Hong Kong:	800 930 639
U.K.:	0800 031 4295
Replay access code:	10033304

Additionally, this earnings release, the accompanying slides, as well as the live and archived webcast of this conference call will be available at Yum China's Investor Relations website at http://ir.yumchina.com.

For important news and information regarding Yum China, including our filings with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission and the Hong Kong Stock Exchange, visit Yum China's Investor Relations website at <u>http://ir.yumchina.com</u>. Yum China uses this website as

a primary channel for disclosing key information to its investors, some of which may contain material and previously non-public information.

Forward-Looking Statements

This press release contains "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, including under "2023 Outlook." We intend all forward-looking statements to be covered by the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements generally can be identified by the fact that they do not relate strictly to historical or current facts and by the use of forward-looking words such as "expect," "expectation," "believe," "anticipate," "may," "could," "intend," "belief," "plan," "estimate," "target," "predict," "project," "likely," "will," "continue," "should," "forecast," "outlook," "commit" or similar terminology. These statements are based on current estimates and assumptions made by us in light of our experience and perception of historical trends, current conditions and expected future developments, as well as other factors that we believe are appropriate and reasonable under the circumstances, but there can be no assurance that such estimates and assumptions will prove to be correct. Forward-looking statements include, without limitation, statements regarding the future strategies, growth, business plans, investment, dividend and share repurchase plans, earnings, performance and returns of Yum China, anticipated effects of population and macroeconomic trends, pace of recovery of Yum China's business, the anticipated effects of our innovation, digital and delivery capabilities and investments on growth and beliefs regarding the long-term drivers of Yum China's business. Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of performance and are inherently subject to known and unknown risks and uncertainties that are difficult to predict and could cause our actual results or events to differ materially from those indicated by those statements. We cannot assure you that any of our expectations, estimates or assumptions will be achieved. The forward-looking statements included in this press release are only made as of the date of this press release, and we disclaim any obligation to publicly update any forward-looking statement to reflect subsequent events or circumstances, except as required by law. Numerous factors could cause our actual results or events to differ materially from those expressed or implied by forward-looking statements, including, without limitation: whether we are able to achieve development goals at the times and in the amounts currently anticipated, if at all, the success of our marketing campaigns and product innovation, our ability to maintain food safety and quality control systems, changes in public health conditions, including the COVID-19 pandemic, our ability to control costs and expenses, including tax costs, as well as changes in political, economic and regulatory conditions in China. In addition, other risks and uncertainties not presently known to us or that we currently believe to be immaterial could affect the accuracy of any such forward-looking statements. All forward-looking statements should be evaluated with the understanding of their inherent uncertainty. You should consult our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission (including the information set forth under the captions "Risk Factors" and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K and subsequent Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q) for additional detail about factors that could affect our financial and other results.

About Yum China Holdings, Inc.

Yum China is the largest restaurant company in China with a mission to make every life taste beautiful. The Company has over 400,000 employees and operates over 14,000 restaurants under six brands across 1,900 cities in China. KFC and Pizza Hut are the leading brands in the quick-service and casual dining restaurant spaces in China, respectively. Taco Bell offers innovative Mexican-inspired food. Yum China has also partnered with Lavazza to develop the Lavazza coffee concept in China. Little Sheep and Huang Ji Huang specialize in Chinese cuisine. Yum China has a world-class, digitalized supply chain which includes an extensive network of logistics centers nationwide and an in-house supply chain management system. Its strong digital capabilities and loyalty program enable the Company to reach customers faster and serve them better. Yum China is a Fortune 500 company with the vision to be the world's most innovative pioneer in the restaurant industry. For more information, please visit http://ir.yumchina.com.

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Yum China Holdings, Inc. Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income (in US\$ million, except per share data) (unaudited)

	Quarter Ended %		% Change	% Change		
	9/30/2023	9/30/2022	B/(W)	Year to Da 9/30/2023	9/30/2022	B/(W)
Revenues	<u>)////////////////////////////////////</u>	713012022	D /(11)	515012025	775012022	D /(11)
Company sales	\$ 2,759	\$ 2,561	8	\$ 8,048	\$ 7,135	13
Franchise fees and income	¢ 2,733 23	¢ 2,301 22	7	¢ 0,010 69	¢ 7,155 65	8
Revenues from transactions with franchisees	100	80	25	282	219	29
Other revenues	32	22	41	86	62	39
Total revenues	2,914	2,685	9	8,485	7,481	13
Costs and Expenses, Net	2,714	2,005	,	0,405	7,401	15
Company restaurants						
Food and paper	858	787	(9)	2,466	2,206	(12)
Payroll and employee benefits	699	603	(16)	2,047	1,819	(12)
Occupancy and other operating expenses	732	691	(6)	2,047	2,034	(12)
Company restaurant expenses	2,289	2,081	(10)	6,611	6,059	(9)
General and administrative expenses	169	2,081	(10)	485	449	(8)
Franchise expenses	9	9	(8)	485 28	27	(8)
Expenses for transactions with franchisees	95	9 76	(24)	28	212	(28)
Other operating costs and expenses	29	18	(62)	270 77	53	
	29	4	NM	17	20	(45) 15
Closures and impairment expenses, net	—	4 24	100	17	20 73	15 98
Other expenses, net	2.501					
Total costs and expenses, net	2,591	2,369	(9)	7,489	6,893	(9)
Operating Profit	323	316	2	996 124	588	69
Interest income, net	46	25	86	124	51	145
Investment loss	(4)	(15)	75	(32)	(32)	(1)
Income Before Income Taxes and						
Equity in Net Earnings (Losses) from			10	1 000		-
Equity Method Investments	365	326	12	1,088	607	79
Income tax provision	(100)	(97)	(3)	(296)	(183)	(62)
Equity in net earnings (losses) from						
equity method investments	2	(2)	NM	2	(4)	NM
Net income – including noncontrolling interests	267	227	18	794	420	89
Net income – noncontrolling interests	23	21	(14)	64	31	(110)
Net Income – Yum China Holdings, Inc.	\$ 244	\$ 206	18	\$ 730	\$ 389	88
Effective tax rate	27.5%	29.9%	2.4 ppts.	. 27.2%	30.1%	2.9 ppts.
Basic Earnings Per Common Share	\$ 0.59	\$ 0.49		\$ 1.75	\$ 0.92	
Weighted-average shares outstanding						
(in millions)	416	420		417	422	
	ф. 0.50	¢ 0.40		ф. 1.72	¢ 0.02	
Diluted Earnings Per Common Share	\$ 0.58	\$ 0.49		<u>\$ 1.73</u>	\$ 0.92	
Weighted-average shares outstanding						
(in millions)	420	424		421	426	
Company sales	100.0%	100.0%		100.0%	100.0%	
Food and paper	31.1	30.7	(0.4) ppts.		30.9	0.3 ppts.
Payroll and employee benefits	25.3	23.5	(1.8) ppts.		25.5	0.1 ppts.
Occupancy and other operating expenses	26.6	27.0	0.4 ppts.		28.5	2.4 ppts.
Restaurant margin	17.0%	18.8%	(1.8) ppts.			2.8 ppts.
Operating margin	11.7%	12.3%	(0.6) ppts.			4.2 ppts.
operating margin	11.7%	12.3%	(0.0) ppts.	12.4%	0.270	4.2 ppts.

Percentages may not recompute due to rounding. NM refers to not meaningful.

Yum China Holdings, Inc. KFC Operating Results (in US\$ million) (unaudited)

		Quarter	Ende	ed	% Change	Year to Date Ended				% Change
	9/3	80/2023	9/3	0/2022	B/(W)	9/3	0/2023	9/.	30/2022	B/(W)
Revenues			· <u> </u>							
Company sales	\$	2,154	\$	1,992	8	\$	6,274	\$	5,554	13
Franchise fees and income		16		15	6		48		44	9
Revenues from transactions with franchisees		12		9	40		33		24	38
Other revenues		4		1	152		13		6	114
Total revenues		2,186		2,017	8		6,368		5,628	13
Costs and Expenses, Net										
Company restaurants										
Food and paper		666		607	(10)		1,914		1,712	(12)
Payroll and employee benefits		528		449	(18)		1,538		1,363	(13)
Occupancy and other operating expenses		560		526	(6)		1,603		1,557	(3)
Company restaurant expenses		1,754		1,582	(11)		5,055		4,632	(9)
General and administrative expenses		68		63	(10)		203		191	(7)
Franchise expenses		8		8	2		24		23	—
Expenses for transactions with franchisees		11		8	(35)		29		22	(33)
Other operating costs and expenses		3		1	(201)		11		4	(159)
Closures and impairment expenses, net		_		3	99		9		11	18
Other expenses, net				24	100		2		75	97
Total costs and expenses, net		1,844		1,689	(9)		5,333		4,958	(8)
Operating Profit	\$	342	\$	328	4	\$	1,035	\$	670	54
Company sales		100.0%		100.0%			100.0%		100.0%	
Food and paper		30.9		30.5	(0.4) ppts.		30.5		30.8	0.3 ppts.
Payroll and employee benefits		24.5		22.5	(2.0) ppts.		24.5		24.5	— ppts.
Occupancy and other operating expenses		26.0		26.4	0.4 ppts.		25.6		28.1	2.5 ppts.
Restaurant margin		18.6%		20.6%	(2.0) ppts.		19.4%		16.6%	2.8 ppts.
Operating margin		15.8%		16.5%	(0.7) ppts.		16.5%		12.1%	4.4 ppts.

Percentages may not recompute due to rounding.

Yum China Holdings, Inc. Pizza Hut Operating Results (in US\$ million) (unaudited)

		Quarter	End	ed	% Change Year to Date Ended				nded	% Change	
	9/3	30/2023	9/3	0/2022	B/(W)	9/3	0/2023	9/3	30/2022	B/(W)	
Revenues											
Company sales	\$	591	\$	556	6	\$	1,728	\$	1,541	12	
Franchise fees and income		2		2	15		6		6	5	
Revenues from transactions with franchisees		1		1	11		3		3	11	
Other revenues		5		2	126		13		6	132	
Total revenues		599		561	7		1,750		1,556	13	
Costs and Expenses, Net											
Company restaurants											
Food and paper		187		176	(7)		537		481	(12)	
Payroll and employee benefits		167		149	(11)		496		437	(13)	
Occupancy and other operating expenses		162		156	(4)		469		452	(4)	
Company restaurant expenses		516		481	(7)		1,502		1,370	(10)	
General and administrative expenses		30		27	(13)		89		84	(6)	
Franchise expenses		1		1	(13)		3		3	(7)	
Expenses for transactions with franchisees		1		1	(12)		3		3	(11)	
Other operating costs and expenses		4		2	(127)		11		5	(129)	
Closures and impairment expenses, net					19		5		1	NM	
Total costs and expenses, net		552		512	(8)		1,613		1,466	(10)	
Operating Profit	\$	47	\$	49	(5)	\$	137	\$	90	52	
Company sales		100.0%		100.0%			100.0%		100.0%		
Food and paper		31.7		31.6	(0.1) ppts.		31.1		31.2	0.1 ppts.	
Payroll and employee benefits		28.1		26.9	(1.2) ppts.		28.7		28.4	(0.3) ppts.	
Occupancy and other operating expenses		27.5		28.1	0.6 ppts.		27.1		29.3	2.2 ppts.	
Restaurant margin		12.7%		13.4%	(0.7) ppts.		13.1%		11.1%	2.0 ppts.	
Operating margin		7.9%		8.8%	(0.9) ppts.		7.9 ⁻ %		5.9%	2.0 ppts.	

Percentages may not recompute due to rounding. NM refers to not meaningful.

Yum China Holdings, Inc. Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (in US\$ million)

	9/3	30/2023	12	2/31/2022
		audited)		
ASSETS	,	,		
Current Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	1,131	\$	1,130
Short-term investments		2,001		2,022
Accounts receivable, net		62		64
Inventories, net		419		417
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		310		307
Total Current Assets		3,923		3,940
Property, plant and equipment, net		2,117		2,118
Operating lease right-of-use assets		2,083		2,219
Goodwill		1,879		1,988
Intangible assets, net		147		159
Long-term bank deposits and notes		1,237		680
Equity investments		319		361
Deferred income tax assets		106		113
Other assets		259	_	248
Total Assets		12,070		11,826
LIABILITIES, REDEEMABLE NONCONTROLLING INTEREST AND EQUITY				
Current Liabilities				
Accounts payable and other current liabilities		2,129		2,096
Short-term borrowings		2,12)		2,000
Income taxes payable		133		68
Total Current Liabilities		2,472		2,166
Non-current operating lease liabilities		1,787		1,906
Non-current finance lease liabilities		41		42
Deferred income tax liabilities		364		390
Other liabilities		147		162
Total Liabilities		4,811	·	4,666
		4,011		+,000
Redeemable Noncontrolling Interest		13		12
Equity				
Common stock, \$0.01 par value; 1,000 million shares authorized;				
415 million shares and 419 million shares issued and outstanding				
at September 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, respectively.		4		4
Additional paid-in capital		4,382		4,390
Retained earnings		2,526		2,191
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(341)		(103)
Total Yum China Holdings, Inc. Stockholders' Equity		6,571		6,482
Noncontrolling interests		675		666
Total Equity		7,246		7,148
Total Liabilities, Redeemable Noncontrolling Interest and Equity	\$	12,070	\$	11,826

Yum China Holdings, Inc. Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (in US\$ million) (unaudited)

	Year to Date Ended					
	9	/30/2023		9/30/2022		
Cash Flows – Operating Activities						
Net income – including noncontrolling interests	\$	794	\$	420		
Depreciation and amortization		339		467		
Non-cash operating lease cost		301		333		
Closures and impairment expenses		17		20		
Investment loss		32		32		
Equity in net (earnings) losses from equity method investments		(2)		4		
Distributions of income received from equity method investments		8		7		
Deferred income taxes		(6)		(7)		
Share-based compensation expense		46		31		
Changes in accounts receivable		(2)		(6)		
Changes in inventories		(25)		71		
Changes in prepaid expenses, other current assets and VAT assets		(10)		216		
Changes in accounts payable and other current liabilities		112		(19)		
Changes in income taxes payable		71		70		
Changes in non-current operating lease liabilities		(295)		(299)		
Other, net		(46)		(11)		
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities		1,334		1,329		
Cash Flows – Investing Activities		,		,		
Capital spending		(499)		(509)		
Purchases of short-term investments, long-term bank deposits and notes		(3,287)		(4,290)		
Maturities of short-term investments, long-term bank deposits and notes		2,730		4,226		
Acquisition of business, net of cash acquired				(23)		
Other, net		4		3		
Net Cash Used in Investing Activities		(1,052)		(593)		
Cash Flows – Financing Activities		(1,002)		(0)0)		
Proceeds from short-term borrowings		212				
Repurchase of shares of common stock		(280)		(411)		
Cash dividends paid on common stock		(162)		(152)		
Dividends paid to noncontrolling interests		(37)		(29)		
Contributions from noncontrolling interests		35		18		
Payment of acquisition related holdback		(3)		(7)		
Other, net		(5)		(2)		
Net Cash Used in Financing Activities		(240)		(583)		
Effect of Exchange Rates on Cash, Cash Equivalents and Restricted Cash		(41)		(78)		
Net Increase in Cash, Cash Equivalents and Restricted Cash		1		75		
Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash - Beginning of Period		1,130		1,136		
Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash - Beginning of Period	\$	1,130	\$	1,130		
Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash - End of Period	φ	1,131	¢	1,211		

In this press release:

- The Company provides certain percentage changes excluding the impact of foreign currency translation ("F/X"). These amounts are derived by translating current year results at prior year average exchange rates. We believe the elimination of the F/X impact provides better year-to-year comparability without the distortion of foreign currency fluctuations.
- System sales growth reflects the results of all restaurants regardless of ownership, including Company-owned and franchise restaurants that operate our restaurant concepts, except for non-Company-owned restaurants for which we do not receive a salesbased royalty. Sales of franchise restaurants typically generate ongoing franchise fees for the Company at an average rate of approximately 6% of system sales. Franchise restaurant sales are not included in Company sales in the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income; however, the franchise fees are included in the Company's revenues. We believe system sales growth is useful to investors as a significant indicator of the overall strength of our business as it incorporates all of our revenue drivers, Company and franchise same-store sales as well as net unit growth.
- Effective January 1, 2018, the Company revised its definition of same-store sales growth to represent the estimated percentage change in sales of food of all restaurants in the Company system that have been open prior to the first day of our prior fiscal year, excluding the period during which stores are temporarily closed. We refer to these as our "base" stores. Previously, same-store sales growth represented the estimated percentage change in sales of all restaurants in the Company system that have been open for one year or more, including stores temporarily closed, and the base stores changed on a rolling basis from month to month. This revision was made to align with how management measures performance internally and focuses on trends of a more stable base of stores.
- Company sales represent revenues from Company-owned restaurants. Company Restaurant profit ("Restaurant profit") is defined as Company sales less expenses incurred directly by our Company-owned restaurants in generating Company sales, including cost of food and paper, restaurant-level payroll and employee benefits, rent, depreciation and amortization of restaurant-level assets, advertising expenses, and other operating expenses. Company restaurant margin percentage is defined as Restaurant profit divided by Company sales.
- Certain comparative items in the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements have been reclassified to conform to the current period's presentation to facilitate comparison.

Reconciliation of Reported GAAP Results to Non-GAAP Adjusted Measures (in millions, except per share data) (unaudited)

In addition to the results provided in accordance with U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("GAAP") in this press release, the Company provides non-GAAP measures adjusted for Special Items, which include Adjusted Operating Profit, Adjusted Net Income, Adjusted Earnings Per Common Share ("EPS"), Adjusted Effective Tax Rate and Adjusted EBITDA, which we define as net income including noncontrolling interests adjusted for equity in net earnings (losses) from equity method investments, income tax, interest income, net, investment gain or loss, certain non-cash expenses, consisting of depreciation and amortization as well as store impairment charges, and Special Items. We also use Restaurant profit and Restaurant margin (as defined above) for the purposes of internally evaluating the performance of our Company-owned restaurants and we believe Restaurant profit and Restaurant margin provide useful information to investors as to the profitability of our Company-owned restaurants.

The following table set forth the reconciliation of the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures to the non-GAAP adjusted financial measures. The reconciliation of GAAP Operating Profit to Restaurant Profit is presented in Segment Results within this release.

	Quarter Ended				Year to Date Ended			
	9/3	30/2023	9/3	0/2022	9/3	30/2023	9/3	0/2022
Non-GAAP Reconciliations								
Reconciliation of Operating Profit to Adjusted Operating Profit								
Operating Profit	\$	323	\$	316	\$	996	\$	588
Special Items, Operating Profit		(4)		(2)		(9)		(5)
Adjusted Operating Profit	\$	327	\$	318	\$	1,005	\$	593
Reconciliation of Net Income to Adjusted Net Income								
Net Income – Yum China Holdings, Inc.	\$	244	\$	206	\$	730	\$	389
Special Items, Net Income – Yum China Holdings, Inc.		(4)		(2)		(9)		(5)
Adjusted Net Income – Yum China Holdings, Inc.	\$	248	\$	208	\$	739	\$	394
Reconciliation of EPS to Adjusted EPS								
Basic Earnings Per Common Share	\$	0.59	\$	0.49	\$	1.75	\$	0.92
Special Items, Basic Earnings Per Common Share		(0.01)		_		(0.02)		(0.01)
Adjusted Basic Earnings Per Common Share	\$	0.60	\$	0.49	\$	1.77	\$	0.93
Diluted Earnings Per Common Share	\$	0.58	\$	0.49	\$	1.73	\$	0.92
Special Items, Diluted Earnings Per Common Share		(0.01)				(0.02)		(0.01)
Adjusted Diluted Earnings Per Common Share	\$	0.59	\$	0.49	\$	1.75	\$	0.93
Reconciliation of Effective Tax Rate to Adjusted Effective Tax Rate		-		-		-		-
Effective tax rate		27.5%		29.9%		27.2%		30.1%
Impact on effective tax rate as a result of Special Items		0.3%		0.2%		0.2%		0.2%
Adjusted effective tax rate		27.2%		29.7%		27.0%		29.9%

Net income, along with the reconciliation to Adjusted EBITDA, is presented below:

		Quarter	: Ende	Y	nded			
	9/30/2023			0/2022	9/30)/2023	9/3	0/2022
Reconciliation of Net Income to Adjusted EBITDA								
Net Income – Yum China Holdings, Inc.	\$	244	\$	206	\$	730	\$	389
Net income – noncontrolling interests		23		21		64		31
Equity in net (earnings) losses from equity method investments		(2)		2		(2)		4
Income tax provision		100		97		296		183
Interest income, net		(46)		(25)		(124)		(51)
Investment loss		4		15		32		32
Operating Profit		323		316		996		588
Special Items, Operating Profit		4		2		9		5
Adjusted Operating Profit		327		318		1,005		593
Depreciation and amortization		111		150		339		467
Store impairment charges		3		7		24		37
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	441	\$	475	\$	1,368	\$	1,097

Details of Special Items are presented below:

		Quarter	Ende	1	Y	ear to Da	ate Ended			
	9/30/2023			/2022	9/3	0/2023	9/30	/2022		
Share-based compensation expense for Partner PSU Awards ⁽¹⁾	\$	(4)	\$	(2)	\$	(9)	\$	(5)		
Special Items, Operating Profit		(4)		(2)		(9)		(5)		
Tax effect on Special Items ⁽²⁾										
Special Items, net income – including noncontrolling interests		(4)		(2)		(9)		(5)		
Special Items, net income – noncontrolling interests		_								
Special Items, Net Income – Yum China Holdings, Inc.	\$	(4)	\$	(2)	\$	(9)	\$	(5)		
Weighted-average Diluted Shares Outstanding (in millions)		420		424		421		426		
Special Items, Diluted Earnings Per Common Share	\$	(0.01)	\$		\$	(0.02)	\$	(0.01)		

(1) In February 2020, the Company granted Partner PSU Awards to select employees who were deemed critical to the Company's execution of its strategic operating plan. These PSU awards will only vest if threshold performance goals are achieved over a four-year performance period, with the payout ranging from 0% to 200% of the target number of shares subject to the PSU awards. Partner PSU Awards were granted to address increased competition for executive talent, motivate transformational performance and encourage management retention. Given the unique nature of these grants, the Compensation Committee does not intend to grant similar, special grants to the same employees during the performance period. The impact from these special awards is excluded from metrics that management uses to assess the Company's performance.

⁽²⁾ The tax expense was determined based upon the nature, as well as the jurisdiction, of each Special Item at the applicable tax rate.

The Company excludes impact from Special Items for the purpose of evaluating performance internally. Special Items are not included in any of our segment results. In addition, the Company provides Adjusted EBITDA because we believe that investors and analysts may find it useful in measuring operating performance without regard to items such as equity in net earnings (losses) from equity method investments, income tax, interest income, net, investment gain or loss, depreciation and amortization, store impairment charges, and Special Items. Store impairment charges included as an adjustment item in Adjusted EBITDA primarily resulted from our semi-annual impairment evaluation of long-lived assets of individual restaurants, and additional impairment evaluation whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value of the assets may not be recoverable. If these restaurant-level assets were not impaired, depreciation of the assets would have been recorded and included in EBITDA. Therefore, store impairment charges were a non-cash item similar to depreciation and amortization of our long-lived assets of restaurants. The Company believes that investors and analyst may find it useful in measuring operating performance without regard to such non-cash item.

These adjusted measures are not intended to replace the presentation of our financial results in accordance with GAAP. Rather, the Company believes that the presentation of these adjusted measures provides additional information to investors to facilitate the comparison of past and present results, excluding those items that the Company does not believe are indicative of our ongoing operations due to their nature.

Unit Count by Brand

KFC

1	2/31/2022	New Build	ls	Closures	Refranchised	9/30/2023
Company-owned	8,214	8	68	(164)	(3)	8,915
Franchisees	880	1	31	(12)	3	1,002
Total	9,094	9	99	(176)		9,917
Pizza Hut						
1	2/31/2022	New Build	ls	Closures	Refranchised	9/30/2023
Company-owned	2,760	3	66	(77)	(2)	3,047
Franchisees	143		12	(2)	2	155
Total	2,903	3	78	(79)		3,202
Others						
	12/31/	2022	New B	uilds	Closures	9/30/2023
Company-owned		187		59	(16)	230
Franchisees		763		84	(94)	753
Total		950		143	(110)	983

Yum China Holdings, Inc. Segment Results (in US\$ million) (unaudited)

			9/30/2023 orporate and								
	KFC	Pizz	a Hut	Seg	ments	Una	llocated ⁽¹⁾	Elin	nination	1	Total
Company sales	\$ 2,154	\$	591	\$	14	\$	_	\$		\$	2,759
Franchise fees and income	16		2		5						23
Revenues from transactions with franchisees ⁽²⁾	12		1		20		67				100
Other revenues	4		5		162		12		(151)		32
Total revenues	\$ 2,186	\$	599	\$	201	\$	79	\$	(151)	\$	2,914
Company restaurant expenses	 1,754		516		20		_		(1)		2,289
General and administrative expenses	68		30		11		60				169
Franchise expenses	8		1				_				9
Expenses for transactions with franchisees ⁽²⁾	11		1		17		66				95
Other operating costs and expenses	3		4		160		12		(150)		29
Total costs and expenses, net	 1,844		552		208		138		(151)		2,591
Operating Profit (Loss)	\$ 342	\$	47	\$	(7)	\$	(59)	\$		\$	323

Reconciliation of GAAP Operating Profit to Restaurant Profit

	Quarter Ended 9/30/2023											
	-					Other		nd				
		KFC	Pizz	a Hut	Seg	gments	Unal	located	Elimination	Total		
GAAP Operating Profit (Loss)	\$	342	\$	47	\$	(7)	\$	(59)	\$	\$ 323		
Less:												
Franchise fees and income		16		2		5				23		
Revenues from transactions with franchisees		12		1		20		67		100		
Other revenues		4		5		162		12	(151)	32		
Add:												
General and administrative expenses		68		30		11		60		169		
Franchise expenses		8		1						9		
Expenses for transactions with franchisees		11		1		17		66		95		
Other operating costs and expenses		3		4		160		12	(150)	29		
Restaurant profit (loss)	\$	400	\$	75	\$	(6)	\$		\$ 1	\$ 470		
Company sales		2,154		591		14				2,759		
Restaurant margin %		18.6%		12.7%		(36.1)%		N/A	N/A	17.0%		

	Quarter Ended 9/30/2022 Corporate											
					All	Other		nd				
		KFC	Pizz	a Hut	Seg	ments	Unallo	ocated ⁽¹⁾	Elim	ination		Total
Company sales	\$	1,992	\$	556	\$	13	\$		\$		\$	2,561
Franchise fees and income		15		2		5						22
Revenues from transactions with franchisees ⁽²⁾		9		1		11		59				80
Other revenues		1		2		157		12		(150)		22
Total revenues	\$	2,017	\$	561	\$	186	\$	71	\$	(150)	\$	2,685
Company restaurant expenses		1,582		481		18		_				2,081
General and administrative expenses		63		27		12		55				157
Franchise expenses		8		1				_		_		9
Expenses for transactions with franchisees ⁽²⁾		8		1		9		58				76
Other operating costs and expenses		1		2		155		10		(150)		18
Closures and impairment expenses, net		3		_		1		_		_		4
Other expenses, net		24		_				_		_		24
Total costs and expenses, net		1,689		512		195		123		(150)		2,369
Operating Profit (Loss)	\$	328	\$	49	\$	(9)	\$	(52)	\$		\$	316

Reconciliation of GAAP Operating Profit to Restaurant Profit

	Quarter Ended 9/30/2022												
]	KFC	Pizz	a Hut		Other gments	a	oorate nd ocated	Elimination]	Fotal		
GAAP Operating Profit (Loss)	\$	328	\$	49	\$	(9)	\$	(52)	\$ —	\$	316		
Less:													
Franchise fees and income		15		2		5			—		22		
Revenues from transactions with franchisees		9		1		11		59			80		
Other revenues		1		2		157		12	(150)		22		
Add:													
General and administrative expenses		63		27		12		55	_		157		
Franchise expenses		8		1							9		
Expenses for transactions with franchisees		8		1		9		58	_		76		
Other operating costs and expenses		1		2		155		10	(150)		18		
Closures and impairment expenses, net		3				1					4		
Other expenses, net		24		_							24		
Restaurant profit (loss)	\$	410	\$	75	\$	(5)	\$		\$ —	\$	480		
Company sales		1,992	_	556		13		_			2,561		
Restaurant margin %		20.6%)	13.4%		(30.6)%	1	N/A	N/A		18.8%		

	Year to Date Ended 9/30/2023												
	Corporate												
					All	Other		and					
		KFC	Piz	za Hut	Seg	gments	Unal	located ⁽¹⁾	Eli	mination	,	Total	
Company sales	\$	6,274	\$	1,728	\$	46	\$		\$	—	\$	8,048	
Franchise fees and income		48		6		15				—		69	
Revenues from transactions with franchisees ⁽²⁾		33		3		56		190		—		282	
Other revenues		13		13		468		32		(440)		86	
Total revenues	\$	6,368	\$	1,750	\$	585	\$	222	\$	(440)	\$	8,485	
Company restaurant expenses		5,055		1,502		56		_		(2)		6,611	
General and administrative expenses		203		89		32		161		_		485	
Franchise expenses		24		3		1		—		_		28	
Expenses for transactions with franchisees ⁽²⁾		29		3		50		188		_		270	
Other operating costs and expenses		11		11		463		30		(438)		77	
Closures and impairment expenses, net		9		5		3						17	
Other expenses (income), net		2						(1)		_		1	
Total costs and expenses, net		5,333		1,613		605		378		(440)		7,489	
Operating Profit (Loss)	\$	1,035	\$	137	\$	(20)	\$	(156)	\$		\$	996	

Reconciliation of GAAP Operating Profit to Restaurant Profit

	Year to Date Ended 9/30/2023												
							Со	rporate					
						Other		and					
		KFC	Piz	zza Hut	Seg	ments	Una	allocated	Elin	nination		Total	
GAAP Operating Profit (Loss)	\$	1,035	\$	137	\$	(20)	\$	(156)	\$	—	\$	996	
Less:													
Franchise fees and income		48		6		15						69	
Revenues from transactions with franchisees		33		3		56		190		_		282	
Other revenues		13		13		468		32		(440)		86	
Add:													
General and administrative expenses		203		89		32		161		_		485	
Franchise expenses		24		3		1		_		_		28	
Expenses for transactions with franchisees		29		3		50		188		_		270	
Other operating costs and expenses		11		11		463		30		(438)		77	
Closures and impairment expenses, net		9		5		3				_		17	
Other expenses (income), net		2				_		(1)				1	
Restaurant profit (loss)	\$	1,219	\$	226	\$	(10)	\$	_	\$	2	\$	1,437	
Company sales		6,274		1,728		46		_		_		8,048	
Restaurant margin %		19.4%		13.1%		(21.6)%		N/A		N/A		17.9%	

	Year to Date Ended 9/30/2022											
	Corporate											
					All	Other		and				
		KFC	Piz	za Hut	Seg	gments	Unal	located ⁽¹⁾	Eliı	mination		Fotal
Company sales	\$	5,554	\$	1,541	\$	40	\$		\$		\$	7,135
Franchise fees and income		44		6		15						65
Revenues from transactions with franchisees ⁽²⁾		24		3		29		163		—		219
Other revenues		6		6		407		31		(388)		62
Total revenues	\$	5,628	\$	1,556	\$	491	\$	194	\$	(388)	\$	7,481
Company restaurant expenses		4,632		1,370		55		_		2		6,059
General and administrative expenses		191		84		36		138		_		449
Franchise expenses		23		3		1						27
Expenses for transactions with franchisees ⁽²⁾		22		3		24		163		_		212
Other operating costs and expenses		4		5		406		28		(390)		53
Closures and impairment expenses, net		11		1		8				_		20
Other expenses (income), net		75						(2)		_		73
Total costs and expenses, net		4,958		1,466		530		327		(388)		6,893
Operating Profit (Loss)	\$	670	\$	90	\$	(39)	\$	(133)	\$		\$	588

Reconciliation of GAAP Operating Profit to Restaurant Profit

	Year to Date Ended 9/30/2022												
							Co	rporate					
					All	Other		and					
]	KFC	Piz	zza Hut	Seg	ments	Una	allocated	Eliminati	on		Fotal	
GAAP Operating Profit (Loss)	\$	670	\$	90	\$	(39)	\$	(133)	\$		\$	588	
Less:													
Franchise fees and income		44		6		15						65	
Revenues from transactions with franchisees		24		3		29		163				219	
Other revenues		6		6		407		31	(3	88)		62	
Add:													
General and administrative expenses		191		84		36		138				449	
Franchise expenses		23		3		1						27	
Expenses for transactions with franchisees		22		3		24		163				212	
Other operating costs and expenses		4		5		406		28	(3	90)		53	
Closures and impairment expenses, net		11		1		8						20	
Other expenses (income), net		75				_		(2)				73	
Restaurant profit (loss)	\$	922	\$	171	\$	(15)	\$		\$	(2)	\$	1,076	
Company sales		5,554		1,541		40				_		7,135	
Restaurant margin %		16.6%		11.1%		(36.3)%		N/A	Ν	/A		15.1%	

The above tables reconcile segment information, which is based on management responsibility, with our Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income.

- (1) Amounts have not been allocated to any segment for purpose of making operating decision or assessing financial performance as the transactions are deemed corporate revenues and expenses in nature.
- (2) Primarily includes revenues and associated expenses of transactions with franchisees derived from the Company's central procurement model whereby the Company centrally purchases substantially all food and paper products from suppliers and then sells and delivers to KFC and Pizza Hut restaurants, including franchisees.