

## EZCORP Reports Fourth Quarter and Full Year Fiscal 2023 Results

Nov 15, 2023

## Strong Consumer Demand Driving Record Pawn Loans Outstanding and Revenue to Over \$1 Billion for the Year

AUSTIN, Texas--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Nov. 15, 2023-- EZCORP, Inc. (NASDAQ: EZPW), a leading provider of pawn transactions in the United States and Latin America, today announced results for its fourth quarter and full year ended September 30, 2023.

Unless otherwise noted, all amounts in this release are in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ('GAAP') and comparisons shown are to the same period in the prior year.

## FOURTH QUARTER AND FULL YEAR HIGHLIGHTS

- Pawn loans outstanding (PLO) up $17 \%$ to $\$ 245.8$ million.
- Total revenue increased $16 \%$ for the quarter and $18 \%$ for the full year, while gross profit ${ }^{1}$ increased $16 \%$ for the quarter and $15 \%$ for the full year.
- Merchandise sales gross margin remains within our targeted range at $36 \%$ for both the quarter and full year.
- Net income for the quarter was $\$ 10.3$ million, an increase of $\$ 2.9$ million. Net income for the year was $\$ 38.5$ million, a decrease of $\$ 11.7$ million. The majority of the decrease was driven by our $\$ 26.3$ million (after tax) share of the one-time, non-cash goodwill impairment and other discrete adjustments recognized by Cash Converters International, which we primarily recorded in our second quarter.
- Diluted earnings per share was $\$ 0.15$ for the quarter, up from $\$ 0.11$ and for the year was $\$ 0.53$ down from $\$ 0.70$. On an adjusted basis ${ }^{1}$, diluted earnings per share for the quarter was $\$ 0.23$, compared to $\$ 0.15$, and for the year was $\$ 0.92$, compared to $\$ 0.75$.
- Return on earning assets (ROEA) remains strong at $157 \%$ for the quarter and $161 \%$ for the full year.


## CEO COMMENTARY AND OUTLOOK

Lachie Given, Chief Executive Officer, stated, "Due to our team's relentless focus on superior execution and operational excellence, we achieved another quarter of outstanding financial results. PLO, revenues, and merchandise sales all reached new records for the fourth quarter and for the year.
"We added 21 stores during the quarter, further expanding our store footprint. Two of the new stores were acquired in the U.S. and 19 were opened in Latin America. Ten of those were opened in Mexico, taking our store count there to 549; seven were in Guatemala, expanding our market leadership there to 117 stores; and the remaining 2, in Honduras. In October, we invested an additional $\$ 15$ million into Simple Management Group through Founders LLC, as they acquired another 22 stores in Panama and Costa Rica. This business now operates 95 pawn stores in the US, Caribbean and Central America and continues to develop a significant industry presence.
"Our EZ+ Rewards loyalty program continues to grow rapidly, with 3.8 million members globally, a $15 \%$ increase over the previous quarter, and a $100 \%$ increase over prior year. The strategies we have implemented to win and retain customers and drive customer engagement have been extremely successful, and are important in achieving our strong store metrics.
"We embarked on our next three-year strategic plan in October, advancing our commitment to 'People, Pawn and Passion,' underpinned by a fundamental focus on operating excellence in every store every day. We will continue to invest in our people and technology to expand our customer base and their experiences with us, while ensuring that we employ the most passionate, productive, and tenured team in the industry. We offer a unique and essential service to address our customers' short-term cash needs and provide a wide variety of pre-owned goods for our expanding customer base of environmentally and cost-conscious consumers.
"We maintain a robust acquisition pipeline and our objective is to significantly grow our store footprint in an exciting global industry. We have a strong balance sheet and the liquidity to execute on that strategy.
"The EZCORP team worked hard on behalf of all stakeholders to deliver the prior three-year plan. The business has grown substantially and its operating and financial performance improved materially in that time. I am very excited about the future as we continue to drive value for all shareholders."

## CONSOLIDATED RESULTS

Three Months Ended September 30
in millions, except per share amounts
Total revenues
Gross profit
Income before tax
Net income
Diluted earnings per share
EBITDA (non-GAAP measure)

| As Reported |  |  |  | Adjusted ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2023 |  | 2022 |  | 2023 |  | 2022 |  |
| \$ | 270.5 | \$ | 233.4 | \$ | 261.4 | \$ | 233.4 |
| \$ | 159.4 | \$ | 137.6 | \$ | 154.6 | \$ | 137.6 |
| \$ | 13.1 | \$ | 13.2 | \$ | 22.2 | \$ | 13.1 |
| \$ | 10.3 | \$ | 7.3 | \$ | 17.3 | \$ | 10.7 |
| \$ | 0.15 | \$ | 0.11 | \$ | 0.23 | \$ | 0.15 |
| \$ | 22.4 | \$ | 24.8 | \$ | 31.2 | \$ | 24.8 |

## Twelve Months Ended September 30

in millions, except per share amounts

Total revenues
Gross profit
Income before tax
Net income

| As Reported |  |  |  | Adjusted ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2023 |  | 2022 |  | 2023 |  | 2022 |  |
| \$ | 1,049.0 | \$ | 886.2 | \$ | 1,026.3 | \$ | 886.2 |
| \$ | 609.8 | \$ | 528.1 | \$ | 598.0 | \$ | 528.1 |
| \$ | 51.6 | \$ | 67.7 | \$ | 92.5 | \$ | 71.8 |
| \$ | 38.5 | \$ | 50.2 | \$ | 69.8 | \$ | 54.4 |
| \$ | 0.53 | \$ | 0.70 | \$ | 0.92 | \$ | 0.75 |
| \$ | 92.8 | \$ | 109.0 | \$ | 129.3 | \$ | 113.1 |

- Diluted earnings per share was $\$ 0.15$ for the fourth quarter, up from $\$ 0.11$. On an adjusted basis, diluted earnings per share was $\$ 0.23$, up from $\$ 0.15$. The primary difference between GAAP and adjusted financial results is attributable to impairments of $\$ 6.9$ million (after tax), unrelated to operations. For the full year, diluted earnings per share was $\$ 0.53$, compared to $\$ 0.70$. On an adjusted basis, diluted earnings per share for the year was $\$ 0.92$, compared to $\$ 0.75$. The primary difference between GAAP and adjusted financial results is attributable to our share of the one-time, non-cash goodwill impairment recognized by Cash Converters International, which we recorded in our second quarter.
- For the fourth quarter, income before taxes decreased to $\$ 13.1$ million from $\$ 13.2$ million, and adjusted EBITDA increased $26 \%$ to $\$ 31.2$ million. For the full year, income before taxes decreased to $\$ 51.6$ million from $\$ 67.7$ million and adjusted EBITDA increased $14 \%$ to $\$ 129.3$ million.
- PLO increased $17 \%$ to $\$ 245.8$ million, up $\$ 35.8$ million. On a same-store basis ${ }^{2}$, PLO increased $14 \%$ due to improved operational performance and continued strong pawn demand.
- In the fourth quarter, total revenues and gross profit increased 16\%, reflecting improved pawn service charge (PSC) revenue, merchandise sales and merchandise sales gross profit. Similarly for the full year, total revenues increased 18\% and gross profit increased $15 \%$.
- PSC increased $19 \%$ in the fourth quarter and $20 \%$ for the full year as a result of higher average PLO and yields.
- Merchandise sales gross margin remains within our target range at $36 \%$. Aged general merchandise was $1.3 \%$ of total general merchandise inventory. This is a 30 bps improvement over the third quarter. For the full year, merchandise sales gross profit margin was $36 \%$, compared to $38 \%$.
- Net inventory increased $10 \%$, as expected with the growth in PLO. Inventory turnover increased to 2.7 x for the quarter, from 2.6 x and was flat at 2.8 x for the year.
- For the fourth quarter, store expenses increased $17 \%$ ( $14 \%$ on a same-store basis ${ }^{2}$ ), primarily due to increased labor in-line with store activity, higher store count and, to a lesser extent, expenses related to our loyalty program. For the full year, store expenses increased $17 \%$ ( $15 \%$ on a same-store basis ${ }^{2}$ ), primarily due to increased labor in-line with store activity, higher store count and, to a lesser extent, expenses related to our loyalty program.
- General and administrative expenses increased $4 \%$ in the fourth quarter, primarily due to an increase in costs related to insurance, our Workday implementation and incentive compensation. For the full year, general and administrative expenses increased $5 \%$, primarily due to an increase in costs related to incentive compensation, insurance and our Workday implementation, partially offset by the litigation accrual charge of $\$ 2.0$ million recorded in prior period.
- Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the quarter was $\$ 220.6$ million, up $7 \%$ year-over-year. The increase was primarily due to cash inflows provided by operating activities and the net cash proceeds associated with the convertible debt refinancing offset by the increase in PLO and inventory, the acquisition of new stores, strategic investments and share repurchases.


## SEGMENT RESULTS

## U.S. Pawn

- PLO continued to increase, ending the year at $\$ 190.6$ million, up $17 \%$ or $13 \%$ on a same store basis due to improved customer service and increased pawn demand.
- In the fourth quarter, total revenue was up $12 \%$ and gross profit increased $13 \%$, primarily due to increased PSC. For the full year, total revenues increased $16 \%$ and gross profit increased $12 \%$, primarily due to increased PSC.
- PSC increased $17 \%$ in the fourth quarter and increased $19 \%$ for the full year as a result of higher average PLO and yields.
- During the fourth quarter, merchandise sales gross margin decreased to $38 \%$ from $40 \%$, within our target range. Aged general merchandise was $0.9 \%$ of total general merchandise inventory which is a 10 bps improvement over the third quarter. For the full year, merchandise sales gross profit margin decreased 300 bps to $38 \%$, reflecting a return to normalized margins.
- Net inventory increased $12 \%$, as expected with the growth in PLO. Inventory turnover decreased to $2.4 x$ from $2.5 x$ in the quarter and was flat at 2.6 x for the full year.
- In the fourth quarter, store expenses increased $11 \%$ ( $9 \%$ on a same store basis), primarily due to increased labor in-line with store activity, higher store count and, to a lesser extent, expenses related to our loyalty program. Similarly for the full year, store expenses increased $12 \%$ ( $10 \%$ on a same store basis).
- Segment contribution increased $20 \%$ to $\$ 37.2$ million in the fourth quarter and increased $14 \%$ to $\$ 146.5$ million for the full year.
- Segment store count increased by 14 due to the acquisition of 12 stores, the addition of 3 de novo stores and the consolidation of 1 store during the full year.
- PLO improved to $\$ 55.1$ million, up 19\% (7\% on constant currency basis). On a same store basis, PLO increased 16\% (4\% on a constant currency basis) as consumer demand increased, reflecting recoveries from the third quarter.
- In the fourth quarter, total revenue was up $28 \%$ ( $13 \%$ on constant currency basis) and gross profit increased $24 \%$ (10\% on a constant currency basis), primarily due to increased PSC, higher merchandise sales and improved gross profit. For the full year, total revenues were up $26 \%$ ( $16 \%$ on a constant currency basis), while gross profit increased by $25 \%$ ( $16 \%$ on a constant currency basis).
- PSC increased in the fourth quarter to $\$ 26.5$ million, up $23 \%$ ( $9 \%$ on a constant currency basis) as a result of higher average PLO and yields. Similarly for the full year, PSC increased $22 \%$ ( $13 \%$ on a constant currency basis).
- Merchandise sales gross margin decreased in the fourth quarter from $31 \%$ to $30 \%$, and for the full year it increased 100 bps to $31 \%$. Aged general merchandise was $2.0 \%$ of total merchandise inventory which is a 40 bps improvement over the third quarter.
- Net inventory increased 2\% (decreased $9 \%$ on a constant currency basis), driven by strong inventory turnover at $3.6 x$, up from 3.1x for the quarter. For the full year inventory turnover was $3.4 x$, down from $3.5 x$.
- In the fourth quarter, store expenses increased $34 \%$ ( $18 \%$ on a constant currency basis), primarily due to increases in minimum wage and headcount, higher store count and, to a lesser extent, expenses related to our loyalty program and rent. Same-store expenses increased $\$ 7.2$ million or $30 \%$ ( $14 \%$ on a constant currency basis). For similar reasons, full year store expenses increased $31 \%$ ( $20 \%$ on a constant currency basis). Same-store expenses increased $26 \%$ ( $15 \%$ on a constant currency basis).
- For the fourth quarter, segment contribution decreased to $\$ 6.4$ million, down $4 \%$ ( $13 \%$ on a constant currency basis). For the full year, segment contribution was up $32 \%$ to $\$ 31.7$ million ( $24 \%$ on a constant currency basis). On an adjusted basis, segment contribution for the fourth quarter was down $12 \%$ to $\$ 5.9$ million. On an adjusted basis, segment contribution for the full year was up $7 \%$ to $\$ 25.5$ million, with the primary adjustment being the reversal of contingent consideration liability in connection with a previously completed acquisition.
- Segment store count increased by 42 due to the addition of 44 de novo stores and the consolidation of 2 stores during the full year.


## FORM 10-K

EZCORP's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended September 30, 2023 has been filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The report is available in the Investor Relations section of the Company's website at http://investors.ezcorp.com. EZCORP shareholders may obtain a paper copy of the report, free of charge, by sending a request to the investor relations contact below.

## CONFERENCE CALL

EZCORP will host a conference call on Thursday, November 16, 2023, at 8:00 am Central Time to discuss Fourth Quarter Fiscal 2023 results. Analysts and institutional investors may participate on the conference call by registering online at: $\mathrm{https}: / /$ register.vevent.com/register /BI9b68b07fa36145dba75f47155a87dcab. Once registered you will receive the dial-in details with a unique PIN to join the call. The conference call will be webcast simultaneously to the public through this link: http://investors.ezcorp.com/. A replay of the conference call will be available online at http://investors.ezcorp.com/ shortly after the end of the call.

## ABOUT EZCORP

Formed in 1989, EZCORP has grown into a leading provider of pawn transactions in the United States and Latin America. We also sell merchandise, primarily collateral forfeited from pawn lending operations and pre-owned and recycled merchandise purchased from customers. We are dedicated to satisfying the short-term cash needs of consumers who are both cash and credit constrained, focusing on an industry-leading customer experience. EZCORP is traded on NASDAQ under the symbol EZPW and is a member of the S\&P 1000 Index and Nasdaq Composite Index.
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## FORWARD LOOKING STATEMENTS

This announcement contains certain forward-looking statements regarding the company's strategy, initiatives and expected performance. These statements are based on the Company's current expectations as to the outcome and timing of future events. All statements, other than statements of historical facts, including all statements regarding the company's strategy, initiatives and future performance, that address activities or results that the company plans, expects, believes, projects, estimates or anticipates, will, should or may occur in the future, including future financial or operating results, are forward-looking statements. Actual results for future periods may differ materially from those expressed or implied by these forward-looking statements due to a number of uncertainties and other factors, including operating risks, liquidity risks, legislative or regulatory developments, market factors, current or future litigation and risks associated with the COVID-19 pandemic. For a discussion of these and other factors affecting the Company's business and prospects, see the Company's annual, quarterly and other reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The Company undertakes no obligation to update or revise forward-looking statements to reflect changed assumptions, the occurrence of unanticipated events or changes to future operating results over time.

EZCORP, Inc.
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS
(Unaudited)
(in thousands, except per share amounts)

| Three Months Ended <br> September 30, |
| :---: |
| 2023 |


| Revenues: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Merchandise sales | \$ | 151,172 | \$ | 133,276 | \$ | 615,446 | \$ | 532,886 |
| Jewelry scrapping sales |  | 14,888 |  | 12,231 |  | 49,528 |  | 32,033 |
| Pawn service charges |  | 104,330 |  | 87,866 |  | 383,772 |  | 320,865 |
| Other revenues |  | 89 |  | 34 |  | 295 |  | 441 |
| Total revenues |  | 270,479 |  | 233,407 |  | 1,049,041 |  | 886,225 |
| Merchandise cost of goods sold |  | 97,494 |  | 83,858 |  | 394,779 |  | 329,382 |
| Jewelry scrapping cost of goods sold |  | 13,611 |  | 11,949 |  | 44,424 |  | 28,696 |
| Gross profit |  | 159,374 |  | 137,600 |  | 609,838 |  | 528,147 |
| Operating expenses: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Store expenses |  | 111,570 |  | 95,473 |  | 418,574 |  | 357,417 |
| General and administrative |  | 18,568 |  | 17,855 |  | 67,529 |  | 64,342 |
| Impairment of other assets |  | 4,343 |  | - |  | 4,343 |  | - |
| Depreciation and amortization |  | 8,154 |  | 9,370 |  | 32,131 |  | 32,140 |
| Loss (gain) on sale or disposal of assets and other |  | 180 |  | 18 |  | 208 |  | (674) |
| Other (income) expense |  | - |  | - |  | $(5,097)$ |  | - |
| Total operating expenses |  | 142,815 |  | 122,716 |  | 517,688 |  | 453,225 |
| Operating income |  | 16,559 |  | 14,884 |  | 92,150 |  | 74,922 |
| Interest expense |  | 3,462 |  | 2,321 |  | 16,456 |  | 9,972 |
| Interest income |  | $(2,324)$ |  | (68) |  | $(7,470)$ |  | (817) |
| Equity in net (income) loss of unconsolidated affiliates |  | (935) |  | (322) |  | 28,459 |  | $(1,779)$ |
| Other expense (income) |  | 3,231 |  | (208) |  | 3,072 |  | (167) |
| Income before income taxes |  | 13,125 |  | 13,161 |  | 51,633 |  | 67,713 |
| Income tax expense |  | 2,872 |  | 5,824 |  | 13,170 |  | 17,553 |
| Net income | \$ | 10,253 | S | 7,337 | \$ | 38,463 | \$ | 50,160 |
| Basic earnings per share | \$ | 0.19 | \$ | 0.13 | \$ | 0.69 | \$ | 0.89 |
| Diluted earnings per share | \$ | 0.15 | \$ | 0.11 | \$ | 0.53 | \$ | 0.70 |
| Weighted-average basic shares outstanding |  | 55,020 |  | 56,598 |  | 55,586 |  | 56,498 |
| Weighted-average diluted shares outstanding |  | 87,154 |  | 82,539 |  | 80,865 |  | 82,400 |

## EZCORP, Inc. <br> CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (Unaudited)

| (in thousands, except share and per share amounts) | $\begin{gathered} \text { September 30, } \\ 2023 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { September 30, } \\ 2022 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Assets: |  |  |  |  |
| Current assets: |  |  |  |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ | 220,595 | \$ | 206,028 |
| Restricted cash |  | 8,373 |  | 8,341 |
| Pawn loans |  | 245,766 |  | 210,009 |
| Pawn service charges receivable, net |  | 38,885 |  | 33,476 |
| Inventory, net |  | 166,477 |  | 151,615 |
| Prepaid expenses and other current assets |  | 39,623 |  | 34,694 |
| Total current assets |  | 719,719 |  | 644,163 |
| Investments in unconsolidated affiliates |  | 10,987 |  | 37,733 |
| Other investments |  | 36,220 |  | 24,220 |
| Property and equipment, net |  | 68,096 |  | 56,725 |
| Right-of-use assets, net |  | 234,388 |  | 221,405 |
| Goodwill |  | 302,372 |  | 286,828 |
| Intangible assets, net |  | 58,216 |  | 56,819 |
| Notes receivable, net |  | - |  | 1,215 |
| Deferred tax asset, net |  | 25,702 |  | 12,145 |
| Other assets, net |  | 12,011 |  | 6,625 |
| Total assets | \$ | 1,467,711 | \$ | 1,347,878 |


| Liabilities and equity: |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Current liabilities: |  |  |  |
| Current maturities of long-term debt, net | 34,265 | $\$$ | 84,605 |
| Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other current liabilities | $\mathbf{8 1 , 6 0 5}$ |  |  |
| Customer layaway deposits | 18,920 | 16,023 |  |
| Operating lease liabilities, current | 57,182 | 52,334 |  |
| Total current liabilities | 191,972 | 152,866 |  |
| Long-term debt, net | 325,847 | 312,903 |  |
| Deferred tax liability, net | 435 | 373 |  |


| Operating lease liabilities | 193,187 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Other long-term liabilities | 10,502 | 180,756 |
| Total liabilities | 721,943 | 655,647 |
| Commitments and Contingencies (Note 13) |  |  |
| Stockholders' equity: |  |  |
| Class A Non-voting Common Stock, par value $\$ 0.01$ per share; shares authorized: 100 million; |  |  |
| $51,869,569$ issued and outstanding as of September 30, 2023; and issued and outstanding of | 519 | 534 |
| $53,454,885$ as of September 30, 2022 |  | 30 |
| Class B Voting Common Stock, convertible, par value $\$ 0.01$ per share; shares authorized: 3 million; | 30 |  |
| issued and outstanding: 2,970,171 as of September 30, 2023 and 2022 | 346,181 | 345,330 |
| Additional paid-in capital | 431,140 | 402,006 |
| Retained earnings | $(32,102)$ | $(55,669)$ |
| Accumulated other comprehensive loss | 745,768 | 692,231 |
| Total equity | $1,467,711$ | $\$$ |
| Total liabilities and equity | $\$ 1,347,878$ |  |

## EZCORP, Inc. <br> CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

## (Unaudited)

| (in thousands) | Twelve Months Ended September 30, |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2023 |  | 2022 |  |
| Operating activities: |  |  |  |  |
| Net income | \$ | 38,463 | \$ | 50,160 |
| Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash flows from operating activities: |  |  |  |  |
| Depreciation and amortization |  | 32,131 |  | 32,140 |
| Amortization of debt discount and deferred financing costs |  | 1,561 |  | 1,433 |
| Non-cash lease expense |  | 56,937 |  | 52,201 |
| Deferred income taxes |  | $(12,802)$ |  | 4,945 |
| Impairment of other assets |  | 4,343 |  | - |
| Other adjustments |  | $(2,890)$ |  | 2,511 |
| Provision for inventory reserve |  | 603 |  | $(2,253)$ |
| Stock compensation expense |  | 9,539 |  | 5,053 |
| Equity in net loss (income) from investment in unconsolidated affiliates |  | 28,459 |  | $(1,779)$ |
| Net loss on extinguishment of debt |  | 3,545 |  | - |
| Changes in operating assets and liabilities, net of business acquisitions: |  |  |  |  |
| Service charges and fees receivable |  | $(4,204)$ |  | $(4,572)$ |
| Inventory |  | $(4,810)$ |  | $(15,341)$ |
| Prepaid expenses, other current assets and other assets |  | $(1,814)$ |  | 3,238 |
| Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities |  | $(61,522)$ |  | $(65,141)$ |
| Customer layaway deposits |  | 1,376 |  | 3,359 |
| Income taxes |  | 12,919 |  | $(2,785)$ |
| Dividends from unconsolidated affiliates |  | - |  | 3,366 |
| Net cash provided by operating activities |  | 101,834 |  | 66,535 |
| Investing activities: |  |  |  |  |
| Loans made |  | $(821,725)$ |  | $(740,057)$ |
| Loans repaid |  | 458,854 |  | 410,523 |
| Recovery of pawn loan principal through sale of forfeited collateral |  | 336,349 |  | 274,423 |
| Capital expenditures, net |  | $(40,446)$ |  | $(31,895)$ |
| Acquisitions, net of cash acquired |  | $(14,874)$ |  | $(1,850)$ |
| Issuance of notes receivable |  | $(15,500)$ |  | $(1,000)$ |
| Investment in unconsolidated affiliate |  | $(2,133)$ |  | $(6,927)$ |
| Investment in other investments |  | $(15,000)$ |  | $(16,500)$ |
| Dividends from unconsolidated affiliates |  | 3,589 |  | - |
| Net cash used in investing activities |  | $(110,886)$ |  | $(113,283)$ |
| Financing activities: |  |  |  |  |
| Taxes paid related to net share settlement of equity awards |  | $(1,148)$ |  | (792) |
| Proceeds from borrowings |  | 230,000 |  | - |
| Debt issuance cost |  | $(7,458)$ |  | - |
| Cash paid on extinguishment of debt |  | $(1,951)$ |  | - |
| Payments on assumed debt and other borrowings |  | $(178,488)$ |  | - |
| Purchase and retirement of treasury stock |  | $(16,988)$ |  | $(2,040)$ |
| Payments of finance leases |  | (275) |  | - |
| Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities |  | 23,692 |  | $(2,832)$ |
| Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents and restricted cash |  | (41) |  | 325 |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash |  | 14,599 |  | $(49,255)$ |
| Cash and cash equivalents and restricted cash at beginning of period |  | 214,369 |  | 263,624 |

EZCORP, Inc.

## OPERATING SEGMENT RESULTS

| (in thousands) | Three Months Ended September 30, 2023(Unaudited) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | U.S. Pawn |  | Latin America Pawn |  | Other Investments |  | Total Segments |  | Corporate Items |  | Consolidated |  |
| Revenues: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Merchandise sales | \$ | 103,347 | \$ | 47,825 | \$ | - | \$ | 151,172 | \$ | - | \$ | 151,172 |
| Jewelry scrapping sales |  | 13,217 |  | 1,671 |  | - |  | 14,888 |  | - |  | 14,888 |
| Pawn service charges |  | 77,874 |  | 26,456 |  | - |  | 104,330 |  | - |  | 104,330 |
| Other revenues |  | 35 |  | 46 |  | 8 |  | 89 |  | - |  | 89 |
| Total revenues |  | 194,473 |  | 75,998 |  | 8 |  | 270,479 |  | - |  | 270,479 |
| Merchandise cost of goods sold |  | 64,176 |  | 33,318 |  | - |  | 97,494 |  | - |  | 97,494 |
| Jewelry scrapping cost of goods sold |  | 11,842 |  | 1,769 |  | - |  | 13,611 |  | - |  | 13,611 |
| Gross profit |  | 118,455 |  | 40,911 |  | 8 |  | 159,374 |  | - |  | 159,374 |
| Segment and corporate expenses (income): |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Store expenses |  | 78,680 |  | 32,890 |  | - |  | 111,570 |  | - |  | 111,570 |
| General and administrative |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | 18,568 |  | 18,568 |
| Impairment of other assets |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | 4,343 |  | 4,343 |
| Depreciation and amortization |  | 2,562 |  | 2,341 |  | - |  | 4,903 |  | 3,251 |  | 8,154 |
| Loss (gain) on sale or disposal of assets and other |  | 31 |  | (233) |  | - |  | (202) |  | 382 |  | 180 |
| Interest expense |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | 3,462 |  | 3,462 |
| Interest income |  | - |  | (416) |  | $(1,500)$ |  | $(1,916)$ |  | (408) |  | $(2,324)$ |
| Equity in net income of unconsolidated affiliates |  | - |  | - |  | (935) |  | (935) |  | - |  | (935) |
| Other (income) expense |  | - |  | (90) |  | 11 |  | (79) |  | 3,310 |  | 3,231 |
| Segment contribution | \$ | 37,182 | \$ | 6,419 | \$ | 2,432 | \$ | 46,033 |  |  |  |  |
| Income (loss) before income taxes |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | 46,033 | \$ | $(32,908)$ | \$ | 13,125 |

Three Months Ended September 30, 2022
(Unaudited)

| (in thousands) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | U.S. Pawn |  | Latin America Pawn |  | Other Investments |  | Total Segments |  | Corporate Items |  | Consolidated |  |
| Revenues: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Merchandise sales | \$ | 95,811 | \$ | 37,465 | \$ | - | \$ | 133,276 | \$ | - | \$ | 133,276 |
| Jewelry scrapping sales |  | 11,875 |  | 356 |  | - |  | 12,231 |  | - |  | 12,231 |
| Pawn service charges |  | 66,331 |  | 21,535 |  | - |  | 87,866 |  | - |  | 87,866 |
| Other revenues |  | 16 |  | - |  | 18 |  | 34 |  | - |  | 34 |
| Total revenues |  | 174,033 |  | 59,356 |  | 18 |  | 233,407 |  | - |  | 233,407 |
| Merchandise cost of goods sold |  | 57,911 |  | 25,947 |  | - |  | 83,858 |  | - |  | 83,858 |
| Jewelry scrapping cost of goods sold |  | 11,476 |  | 473 |  | - |  | 11,949 |  | - |  | 11,949 |
| Gross profit |  | 104,646 |  | 32,936 |  | 18 |  | 137,600 |  | - |  | 137,600 |
| Segment and corporate expenses (income): |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Store expenses |  | 70,897 |  | 24,576 |  | - |  | 95,473 |  | - |  | 95,473 |
| General and administrative |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | 17,855 |  | 17,855 |
| Depreciation and amortization |  | 2,685 |  | 2,055 |  | - |  | 4,740 |  | 4,630 |  | 9,370 |
| Gain on sale of disposal of assets and other |  | 51 |  | (33) |  | - |  | 18 |  | - |  | 18 |
| Interest expense |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | 2,321 |  | 2,321 |
| Interest income |  | (1) |  | (189) |  | - |  | (190) |  | 122 |  | (68) |
| Equity in net income of unconsolidated affiliates |  | - |  | - |  | (322) |  | (322) |  | - |  | (322) |
| Other (income) expense |  | - |  | (185) |  | 37 |  | (148) |  | (60) |  | (208) |
| Segment contribution | \$ | 31,014 | \$ | 6,712 | \$ | 303 | \$ | 38,029 |  |  |  |  |
| Income (loss) before income taxes |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | 38,029 | \$ | $(24,868)$ | \$ | 13,161 |


| (in thousands) | U.S. Pawn |  | Latin America Pawn |  | Other Investments |  | Total Segments |  | CorporateItems |  | Consolidated |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Merchandise sales | \$ | 432,578 | \$ | 182,868 | \$ | - | \$ | 615,446 | \$ | - | \$ | 615,446 |
| Jewelry scrapping sales |  | 43,305 |  | 6,223 |  | - |  | 49,528 |  | - |  | 49,528 |
| Pawn service charges |  | 285,919 |  | 97,853 |  | - |  | 383,772 |  | - |  | 383,772 |
| Other revenues |  | 119 |  | 121 |  | 55 |  | 295 |  | - |  | 295 |
| Total revenues |  | 761,921 |  | 287,065 |  | 55 |  | 1,049,041 |  | - |  | 1,049,041 |
| Merchandise cost of goods sold |  | 267,874 |  | 126,905 |  | - |  | 394,779 |  | - |  | 394,779 |
| Jewelry scrapping cost of goods sold |  | 37,709 |  | 6,715 |  | - |  | 44,424 |  | - |  | 44,424 |
| Gross profit |  | 456,338 |  | 153,445 |  | 55 |  | 609,838 |  | - |  | 609,838 |
| Segment and corporate expenses (income): |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Store expenses |  | 299,319 |  | 119,255 |  | - |  | 418,574 |  | - |  | 418,574 |
| General and administrative |  | - |  | (3) |  | - |  | (3) |  | 67,532 |  | 67,529 |
| Impairment of other assets |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | 4,343 |  | 4,343 |
| Depreciation and amortization |  | 10,382 |  | 9,191 |  | - |  | 19,573 |  | 12,558 |  | 32,131 |
| Loss (gain) on sale or disposal of assets and other |  | 115 |  | (289) |  | - |  | (174) |  | 382 |  | 208 |
| Other income |  | - |  | $(5,097)$ |  | - |  | $(5,097)$ |  | - |  | $(5,097)$ |
| Interest expense |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | 16,456 |  | 16,456 |
| Interest income |  | (2) |  | $(1,139)$ |  | $(1,500)$ |  | $(2,641)$ |  | $(4,829)$ |  | $(7,470)$ |
| Equity in net loss of unconsolidated affiliates |  | - |  | - |  | 28,459 |  | 28,459 |  | - |  | 28,459 |
| Other (income) expense |  | - |  | (131) |  | 31 |  | (100) |  | 3,172 |  | 3,072 |
| Segment contribution |  | 146,524 |  | 31,658 | \$ | $(26,935)$ | \$ | 151,247 |  |  |  |  |
| Income (loss) before income taxes |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | 151,247 | \$ | (99,614) | \$ | 51,633 |

Twelve Months Ended September 30, 2022
(Unaudited)

| (in thousands) | U.S. Pawn |  | Latin America Pawn |  | Other Investments |  | Total Segments |  | CorporateItems Items |  | Consolidated |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Merchandise sales | \$ | 391,958 | \$ | 140,928 | \$ | - | \$ | 532,886 | \$ | - | \$ | 532,886 |
| Jewelry scrapping sales |  | 25,739 |  | 6,294 |  | - |  | 32,033 |  | - |  | 32,033 |
| Pawn service charges |  | 240,982 |  | 79,883 |  | - |  | 320,865 |  | - |  | 320,865 |
| Other revenues |  | 83 |  | 247 |  | 111 |  | 441 |  | - |  | 441 |
| Total revenues |  | 658,762 |  | 227,352 |  | 111 |  | 886,225 |  | - |  | 886,225 |
| Merchandise cost of goods sold |  | 230,241 |  | 99,141 |  | - |  | 329,382 |  | - |  | 329,382 |
| Jewelry scrapping cost of goods sold |  | 22,755 |  | 5,941 |  | - |  | 28,696 |  | - |  | 28,696 |
| Gross profit |  | 405,766 |  | 122,270 |  | 111 |  | 528,147 |  | - |  | 528,147 |
| Segment and corporate expenses (income): |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Store expenses |  | 266,114 |  | 91,303 |  | - |  | 357,417 |  | - |  | 357,417 |
| General and administrative |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | 64,342 |  | 64,342 |
| Depreciation and amortization |  | 10,552 |  | 7,913 |  | - |  | 18,465 |  | 13,675 |  | 32,140 |
| Loss (gain) on sale or disposal of assets and other |  | 51 |  | (37) |  | - |  | 14 |  | (688) |  | (674) |
| Interest expense |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | 9,972 |  | 9,972 |
| Interest income |  | (2) |  | (815) |  | - |  | (817) |  | - |  | (817) |
| Equity in net income of unconsolidated affiliates |  | - |  | - |  | $(1,779)$ |  | $(1,779)$ |  | - |  | $(1,779)$ |
| Other (income) expense |  | - |  | (148) |  | 52 |  | (96) |  | (71) |  | (167) |
| Segment contribution | \$ | 129,051 | \$ | 24,054 | \$ | 1,838 | \$ | 154,943 |  |  |  |  |
| Income (loss) before income taxes |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | 154,943 | \$ | $(87,230)$ | \$ | 67,713 |

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## STORE COUNT ACTIVITY <br> (Unaudited)

|  | Three Months Ended September 30, 2023 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | U.S. Pawn | Latin America Pawn | Consolidated |
| As of June 30, 2023 | 528 | 684 | 1,212 |
| New locations opened | - | 19 | 19 |
| Locations acquired | 2 | - | 2 |


| Locations sold, combined or closed | (1) | (1) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| As of September 30, 2023 | 529 | 702 |


|  | Three Months Ended September 30, 2022 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | U.S. Pawn | Latin America Pawn | Consolidated |
| As of June 30, 2022 | 519 | 644 | 1,163 |
| New locations opened | - | 16 | 16 |
| Locations sold, combined or closed | (4) | - | (4) |
| As of September 30, 2022 | 515 | 660 | 1,175 |


|  | Twelve Months Ended September 30, 2023 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | U.S. Pawn | Latin America Pawn | Consolidated |
| As of September 30, 2022 | 515 | 660 | 1,175 |
| New locations opened | 3 | 44 | 47 |
| Locations acquired | 12 | - | 12 |
| Locations sold, combined or closed | (1) | (2) | (3) |
| As of September 30, 2023 | 529 | 702 | 1,231 |


|  | Twelve Months Ended September 30, 2022 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | U.S. Pawn | Latin America Pawn | Consolidated |
| As of September 30, 2021 | 516 | 632 | 1,148 |
| New locations opened | - | 28 | 28 |
| Locations acquired | 3 | - | 3 |
| Locations sold, combined or closed | (4) | - | (4) |
| As of September 30, 2022 | 515 | 660 | 1,175 |

## Non-GAAP Financial Information (Unaudited)

In addition to the financial information prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States ("GAAP"), we provide certain other non-GAAP financial information on a constant currency ("constant currency") and adjusted basis. We use constant currency results to evaluate our Latin America Pawn operations, which are denominated primarily in Mexican pesos, Guatemalan quetzales and other Latin American currencies. We believe that presentation of constant currency and adjusted results is meaningful and useful in understanding the activities and business metrics of our operations and reflect an additional way of viewing aspects of our business that, when viewed with GAAP results, provide a more complete understanding of factors and trends affecting our business. We provide non-GAAP financial information for informational purposes and to enhance understanding of our GAAP consolidated financial statements. We use this non-GAAP financial information primarily to evaluate and compare operating results across accounting periods.

Readers should consider the information in addition to, but not instead of or superior to, our financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP. This non-GAAP financial information may be determined or calculated differently by other companies, limiting the usefulness of those measures for comparative purposes.

Constant currency results reported herein are calculated by translating consolidated balance sheet and consolidated statement of operations items denominated in local currency to U.S. dollars using the exchange rate from the prior-year comparable period, as opposed to the current period, in order to exclude the effects of foreign currency rate fluctuations. In addition, we have an equity method investment that is denominated in Australian dollars and is translated into U.S. dollars. We used the end-of-period rate for balance sheet items and the average closing daily exchange rate on a monthly basis during the appropriate period for statement of operations items. The end-of-period and approximate average exchange rates for each applicable currency as compared to U.S. dollars as of and for the three and twelve months ended September 30, 2023 and 2022 were as follows:

|  | September 30, |  | Three Months Ended September 30, |  | Twelve Months Ended September 30, |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2023 | 2022 | 2023 | 2022 | 2023 | 2022 |
| Mexican peso | 17.4 | 20.1 | 17.1 | 20.2 | 18.3 | 20.4 |
| Guatemalan quetzal | 7.7 | 7.6 | 7.7 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.5 |
| Honduran lempira | 24.5 | 24.1 | 24.3 | 24.2 | 24.3 | 24.1 |
| Australian dollar | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.4 |

Our statement of operations constant currency results reflect the monthly exchange rate fluctuations and so are not directly calculable from the above rates. Constant currency results, where presented, also exclude the foreign currency gain or loss.

Miscellaneous Non-GAAP Financial Measures

|  | Three Months Ended September 30, |  | Twelve Months Ended September 30, |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (in millions) | 2023 | 2022 | 2023 | 2022 |




| Constant currency Latin America Pawn gross profit | \$ | 36.1 | 10\% | \$ | 141.6 | 16\% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Latin America Pawn PLO | \$ | 55.1 | 19\% | \$ | 55.1 | 19\% |
| Currency exchange rate fluctuations |  | (5.4) |  |  | (5.4) |  |
| Constant currency Latin America Pawn PLO | \$ | 49.7 | 7\% | \$ | 49.7 | 7\% |
| Latin America Pawn PSC revenues | \$ | 26.5 | 23\% | \$ | 97.9 | 22\% |
| Currency exchange rate fluctuations |  | (3.0) |  |  | (7.2) |  |
| Constant currency Latin America Pawn PSC revenues | \$ | 23.5 | 9\% | \$ | 90.7 | 13\% |
| Latin America Pawn merchandise sales | \$ | 47.8 | 28\% | \$ | 182.9 | 30\% |
| Currency exchange rate fluctuations |  | (5.9) |  |  | (15.1) |  |
| Constant currency Latin America Pawn merchandise sales | \$ | 41.9 | 12\% | \$ | 167.8 | 19\% |
| Latin America Pawn segment profit before tax | \$ | 6.4 | (4)\% | \$ | 31.7 | 32\% |
| Currency exchange rate fluctuations |  | (0.6) |  |  | (1.5) |  |
| Constant currency Latin America Pawn segment profit before tax | \$ | 5.8 | (13)\% | \$ | 30.2 | 25\% |

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