# Auxly Cannabis Group

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## Established Leader in the Canadian Cannabis Market

Vision to be a global leader in cannabis products

Mission helping consumers live happier lives by providing them with quality cannabis products that they trust and love

- Founded in 2017; headquartered in Toronto, Ontario
- Consistently ranked among the top 10 LPs in national sales since legalization
- Track record of consumer-focused innovation
- Established portfolio of popular brands
- Extensive consumer-tailored product suite
- Focused product development and genetics expansion utilizing its state-of-the-art greenhouse facility

### **Industry Leading Product Development**



Auxly has held a leadership position in national vape sales since legalization



Since introducing its unique genetic strains to the market, Auxly has captured significant market share in the most competitive category in the industry



Industry-leading technology in pre-roll manufacturing has propelled Auxly to the forefront in the pre-roll category

## A Persistent Drive for Excellence



June 2017 **Auxly Founded** 



September 2019 Strategic Investment from Imperial Brands



December 2020 #1 LP for National 2.0 **Product Sales** 

# November 2021

Acquired Auxly Leamington & Strategic Expansion into Cannabis 1.0 Products





5<sup>th</sup> Largest and Fastest Growing LP in Canada



Q4 2023 Achieved record Revenue & Adjusted **EBITDA** Positive



May 2018 **Acquired Auxly** Charlottetown

#### December 2019

Commenced Commercial Sales of Cannabis 2.0 Products in Canada









June 2022 Canadian Licensed Producer of the Year

#### Q1 2023

Achieved Positive Adjusted **EBITDA** 



#### Q2 2024

Launched first branded product into Quebec



#### **Key Strengths**

# Quality Cannabis Products Passionately Crafted for Everyday Happiness







State-of-the-art facilities and equipment that ensure a consistent product that meets our vigorous quality, safety and cost efficiency standards

Carefully curated product suite that speaks directly to each of our targeted consumers

Dedicated team that works
tirelessly to meet ongoing market
demand and ensure continued
executional excellence

#### **Dedicated to Canadian Consumers**

## **Leading the Market in Quality Products**

# Product Development

- Reputation in Canada for producing high quality, safe and effective products
- Best-in-class in-house analytical lab operated by experienced analytical scientists
- Developed proprietary testing methods to monitor and measure product quality, stability and consistency in realtime

#### **Manufacturing**

- Designed sophisticated quality management systems across all areas of operations
- Stringent quality control across all the Company's facilities ensuring the delivery of quality products that have been thoroughly tested and inspected

### **Compliance**

- History of regulatory and compliance excellence with Health Canada
- Auxly has received a "Class A+" Vendor status (highest rating possible) with the Ontario Cannabis Store for inbound quality inspections due to its high compliance record



# Compelling Brands Across All Major Price Points



Back Forty a simple, uncomplicated cannabis brand that already feels familiar. High potency suite of products, consumers don't need to overthink its purpose.



**Kolab Project** offers a refined collection of high-quality cannabis products and design-focused, purposeful goods.



**Foray** is a versatile, modern, and inviting brand, designed for the curious. It's an accessible entry point for anybody and aims to celebrate and guide one's foray into cannabis.



**Dosecann** is a wellness focused brand that embraces science to unlock the therapeutic power of cannabis.



Parcel is an ultra-value brand that delivers quality cannabis at unbeatable prices, disproving the idea that less expensive equals lower quality.

## **Product Summary**

# A Portfolio of Winning Products

Product Categories	BACK FORTY	KOLAB PROJECT	Parcel	Foray	Dosecann
Dried Flower					
Pre-Roll					
Vapes					
Edibles					
Concentrates					
Oils (bottle; capsule)					
Topical					
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# High-Quality, Low-Cost Cultivation Advantage

## **Auxly Leamington**



## **Overview & Capabilities**

- 1.1 million sq. ft. purpose-built, highly automated greenhouse facility in Leamington, Ontario
- Customized growing environment with precision control over lighting, temperature and humidity
- State-of-the-art technology and automation throughout the facility allows for consistent highquality product
  - Moving Table System
  - Climate Controls
  - Craft-At-Scale Post-Harvest Processes
  - Automated Packaging
- Unique genetics portfolio (~200 cultivars) with ongoing R&D program to meet evolving consumer needs
- Significant quality upgrades made in 2023 include hang drying, curing and dry trim

## The Future of Pre-Roll Automation is Here

## **Next-Generation Pre-Roll Capabilities**









#### **Overview**

- World's most advanced high-speed cannabis pre-roll filling and packaging capabilities
- Unrivaled operational and technical knowhow
- Strain-specific primary processes to ensure consistent, high-quality product
- Back Forty is the #1 pre-roll brand in Ontario<sup>1</sup>
- Category expansion through format innovation and portfolio expansion

# Innovation and Manufacturing Excellence

## **Auxly Charlottetown**



## **Overview & Capabilities**

- Purpose-built, 52,000 sq. ft. processing and Cannabis 2.0 product manufacturing facility located in Charlottetown, PEI
- Specializes in research and development, innovation and advanced manufacturing
- Culture of innovation
  - First-to-market innovations across product classes
  - ~100 new SKUs developed over last two years
- Recognized as an industry leader in product quality
- Material product development and manufacturing know-how across all product classes

#### **Driving Continued Growth**

## Increasing Breadth and Depth of Distribution

- Auxly has supply arrangements on the recreational side with 10 provincial and territorial boards (BC, AB, MB, ON, NL, NS, NB, PEI, NWT, YT), and one wholesaler (Open Fields – SK market).
- Auxly is present in over 92% of all stores in Canada<sup>1</sup>
- Strategic partnerships in place with 20 retail chains (total of 768 retail stores)
- Auxly has agreements with five major medical distributors

#### **Provincial Cannabis Boards** and Private Wholesalers

**Multi-Provincial** 

#### **Provincial Retail** Chains



















#### ■ OPEN FIELDS DISTRIBUTION ■

- Mix of physical and digital store fronts
- Key account and category management
- Forecasting & demand planning collaboration
- Regional assortment opportunities to deliver against consumer preference

# Chains

















- Merchandising Planning
- In-store merchandising and trade tools
- Ongoing education for budtenders
- Forecasting collaboration















- Opportunities for store level influence through trade tools and budtender engagement
- Manage trade areas and seasonality to support critical times
- Developed the 'Auxly Connect Program' to further reach the independent retailers and sign them into joint partnerships to better service consumers



# Q1 2024 Overview



#### **Financial Performance**

## Q1 2024 Review

- Achieved best Q1 in the Company's history across key metrics of revenue, margin and Adjusted EBITDA<sup>1</sup>
  - Net revenues of \$25.2 million, an increase of 5% compared to prior year
  - Gross Margin on Finished Cannabis Inventory Sold<sup>1</sup> of 38%, a record for historical Q1 periods
  - Adjusted EBITDA<sup>1</sup> of \$2.2 million, an improvement of 1,522% or \$2.1 million YoY
  - Continued reductions in SG&A by over 15% YoY
  - Strengthen the balance sheet with Imperial Brands plc conversion of over \$123 million of debt into shares, resulting in 19.8% ownership of the Company and completed the extension of the Auxly Leamington credit facility to December 31, 2025
- Top 10 LP in Canada, securing 5% share of market
  - Maintained leadership position in the competitive vapour category, growing market share to over 10% and securing the #2 LP position in national sales
  - Back Forty maintained its #1 brand position in Ontario in the pre-roll category and is quickly becoming a consumer favourite brand in dried flower, ranking #6 in national sales
  - Subsequent to quarter end, expanded Back Forty brand into the province of Quebec, with products now available in all Canadian provinces and two territories
  - Subsequent to quarter end, introduced its advanced, fully automated for precision, 0.75g three pack pre-rolls under Back Forty

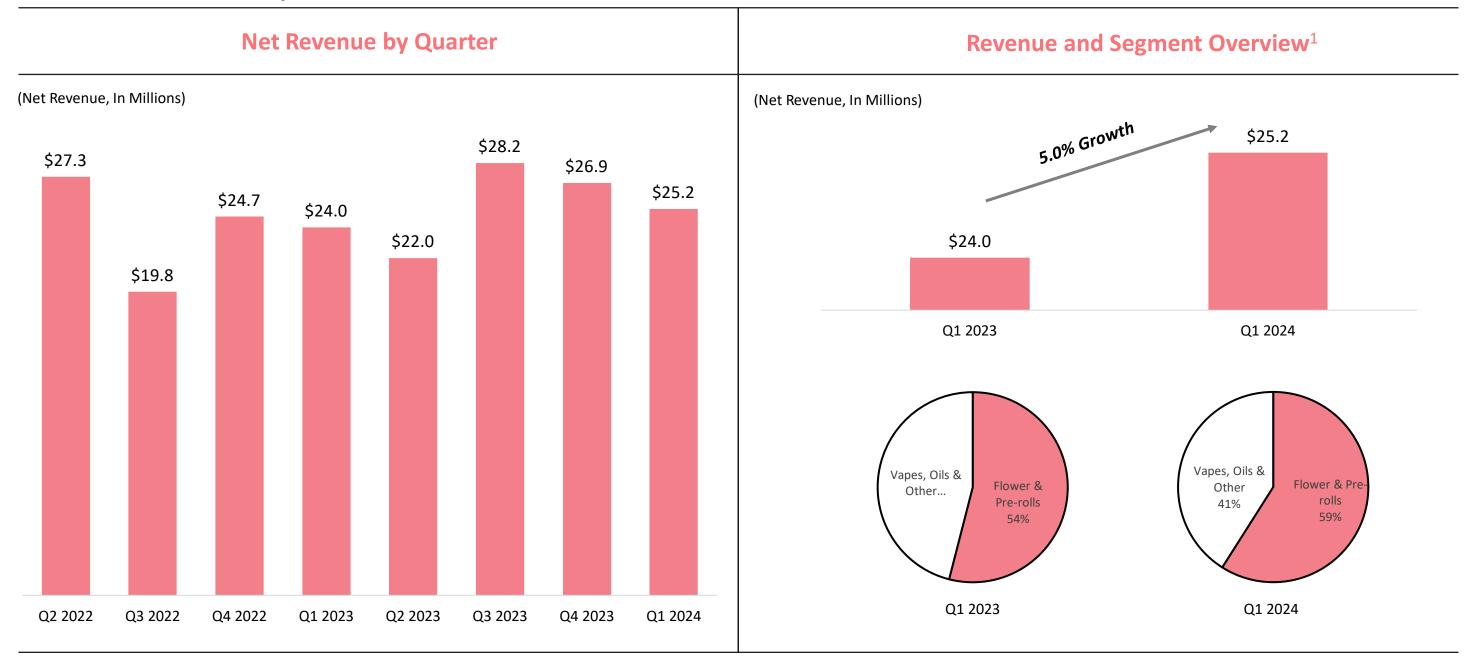


## SPEND MORE TIME IN THE BACK FORTY.

Now you can go the distance with our longer-lasting 0.75g straight cut pre-rolls.

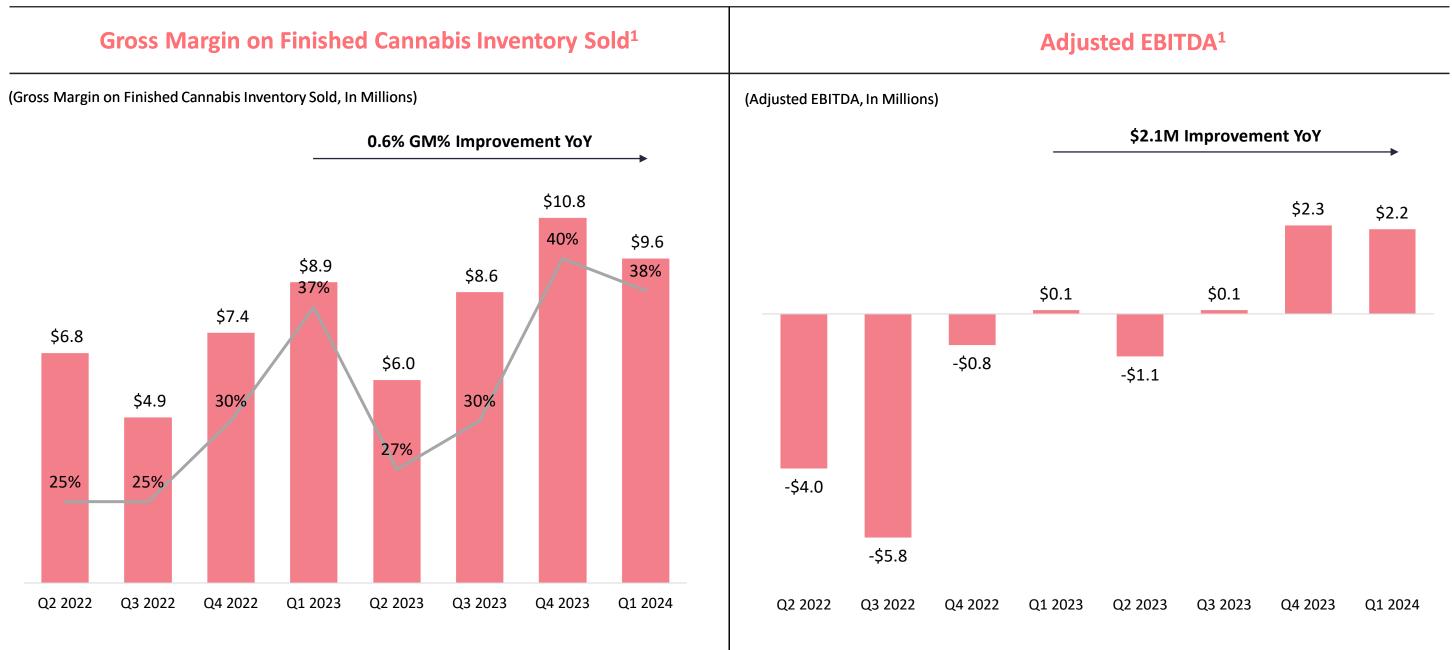
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# Net Revenue Snapshot





# **Key Profitability Metrics**





#### **Financial Performance**

# Q1 2024 Key Financial Metrics

(In Millions unless otherwise indicated)

	Q1 2024	Q1 2023	% Change
Gross revenue	38.3	37.5	2%
Excise taxes	13.1	13.5	-3%
Net revenue	25.2	24.0	5%
Gross margin on finished cannabis inventory sold <sup>1</sup>	9.6	8.9	7%
Gross margin on finished cannabis inventory sold (%) <sup>1</sup>	38%	37%	1%
Selling, general and administrative expenses	8.6	10.1	-15%
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	2.2	0.1	1523%
Net income/(loss)	(26.0)	(10.2)	-154%





#### Summary

# A Market Leader Poised for Profitability and Growth

- Top 10 LP in Canada
- Experienced and committed management team
- Industry-leading cultivation and manufacturing capabilities
- Established portfolio of brands and products with broad distribution
- Deep cannabis product development and innovation knowhow
- Track-record of quality and safety











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