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Bridger Aerospace at a Glance

Publicly traded on NASDAQ (BAER)

Full-spectrum Aerial Firefighting and Aerospace Services Provider



01

Suppression:

Largest U.S. owner/operator of the purpose-built "Super Scooper"



02

Aerial Surveillance:

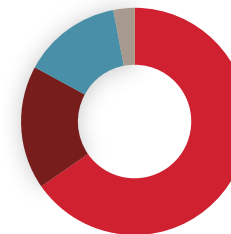
Aircraft for infrared mapping, tactical coordination and immediate data transfer ("Air Attack")



03

Airframe modification & integration solutions:

Instrumentation, flight testing and airworthiness certification



2025 REVENUE | \$122.8M

- Suppression 65%
- Modification and Integration 17.5%
- Surveillance 14%
- Other 3%

HEADQUARTERS
Belgrade, Montana

ENGINEERING
Huntsville, Alabama

100% Renewal Rate in Longstanding Contracts with Federal and State Agencies





Investment Thesis

- 01** Largest Private Fleet of Super Scoopers: **8** of 12 Owned by U.S. Companies
- 02** **20** Aircraft, Including Industry's Most Advanced Sensor Planes
- 03** **48%** Unmet Demand for Super Scooper Requests in 2025
- 04** **6.9%** growth in Aerial Firefighting market from \$1.5B in 2026 to \$2.4B in 2033¹
- 05** Attractive Scooper and Sensor Aircraft Economics: EBTIDA **> 40%**

¹ Aerial Firefighting Market Size, Share, and Growth Forecast 2026-2023; Persistence Market Research





Bridger's Aerial Firefighting Solutions

CL-415EAF SUPER SCOOPER



- (8) Purpose built DeHavilland "Super Scoopers"
- Highly capable and cost-efficient
- Track-record of safety and reliability
- High return on investment

PILATUS PC-12



- (3) Air Attack (2) Sensor Enhanced
- Designed for fire detection, real-time intel, and enhanced situational awareness
- Command & control over fires
- High reliability

KING AIR 350 BLACKHAWK

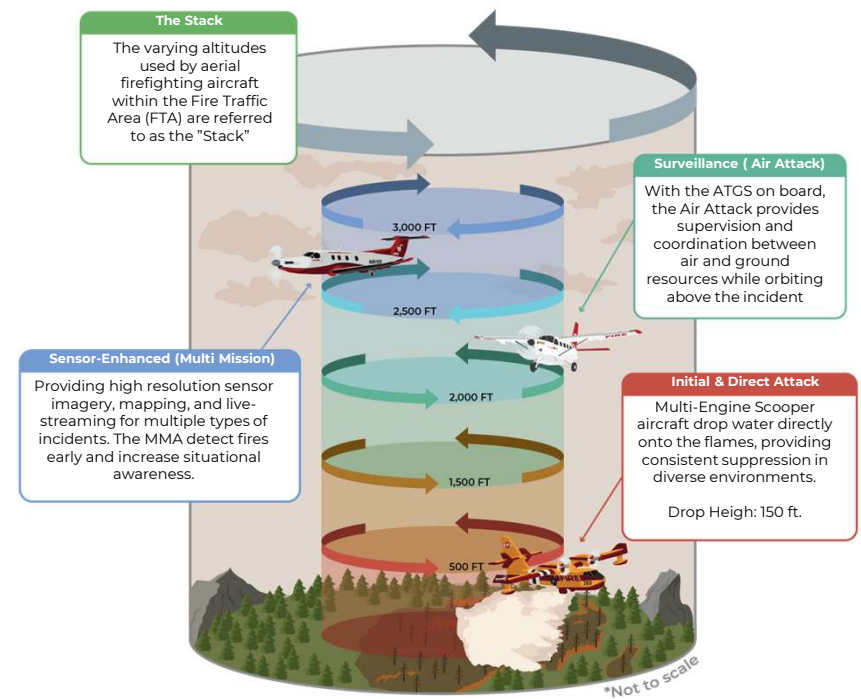


- (2) Sensor Enhanced
- Cutting edge technology with dual sensor capability that lead to high margins
- Cutting edge imaging systems and data transmission
- Command & control over fires

DAHER KODIAK 100



- (3) Air Attack (1) Sensor Enhanced
- Backcountry platform responsible for maintaining essential communication & coordination between air & ground resources
- Command & control over fires
- High reliability





Attractive Super Scooper Economics

High ROI per Scooper due to aircraft efficiency, market demand and operational expertise

AVERAGE MARKET VALUE OF SUPER
SCOOPER

\$35M

AVERAGE FIRE YEAR EBITDA
CONTRIBUTION

> 40%

AVERAGE SUPER SCOOPER PAYBACK
PERIOD

< 4 years

AVERAGE USEFUL LIFE

> 30 years



Ability to utilize natural water sources enables **50%** more time-on-duty per mission than other aerial firefighting aircraft¹

¹ Includes seasonal water bodies without regard to season and no adjustments to the suitability of a water source based on its likely size at a given time of year. Also assumes that the Company has permission to draw from these bodies of water.

Note: Average numbers for illustrative purposes



Scooper Increased Revenue and Mix Over Time

	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
OWNED SUPER SCOOPERS	4	6	6	8	8
EXCLUSIVE USE CONTRACT	—	90 Day x2	60 Day x2 90 Day x2	120 Day x4	160 Day x4 90 Day x2
EXCLUSIVE USE REVENUE %					
TOTAL REVENUE	\$38.8M	\$56.0M	\$66.8M	\$79.8M	

ATTRACTIVE CONTRACT DYNAMICS



Long-term contracts (1-5 years)



Annual Price Escalators



Direct cost pass through



Fuel price protection



Flight hours uncapped

2x

**Fleet Revenue
Over 3 Years**

2022-2025



Air Attack and Sensor Enabled Aircraft

Bridger leads the industry in Aerial Surveillance

In **2026** Bridger debuted its dual-sensor **King Air 350** into an expanding market

- Mission Systems & Software expected to grow at **11% CAGR**¹



CAPABILITIES INCLUDE:

- Wide Area Motion Imagery (WAMI)
- Infrared heat maps
- Real time data download

High Performing Aircraft → More Data → Higher Margin Contribution

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IGNIS – The Integrated Command Platform

Fully integrated cross-platform operating tool that empowers teams on the ground to coordinate faster

01 KEY FEATURES AND CAPABILITIES



Real-Time Mobile Situational Awareness



Ground Resource Tracking



Fire Mapping Re-Imagined



Interoperable Across Organization



Fire Modelling & Behavior Analysis



Intuitive & Dynamic Mobile & Desktop Interface

INTEGRATED COMMAND PLATFORM



02 PRODUCT HIGHLIGHTS



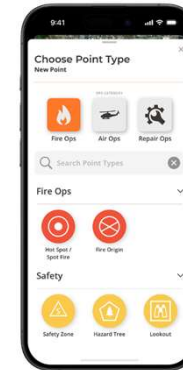
Map First Interface



Dynamic Intelligence



Incident Coordination



Real-Time Mapping



Bridger Growth Roadmap

01

**Fleet
Expansion**

02

**Contract
Evolution**

03

**Leader in
Technology**

04

**Revenue
Diversification**



2026 Adjusted EBITDA on Track to Grow 20%

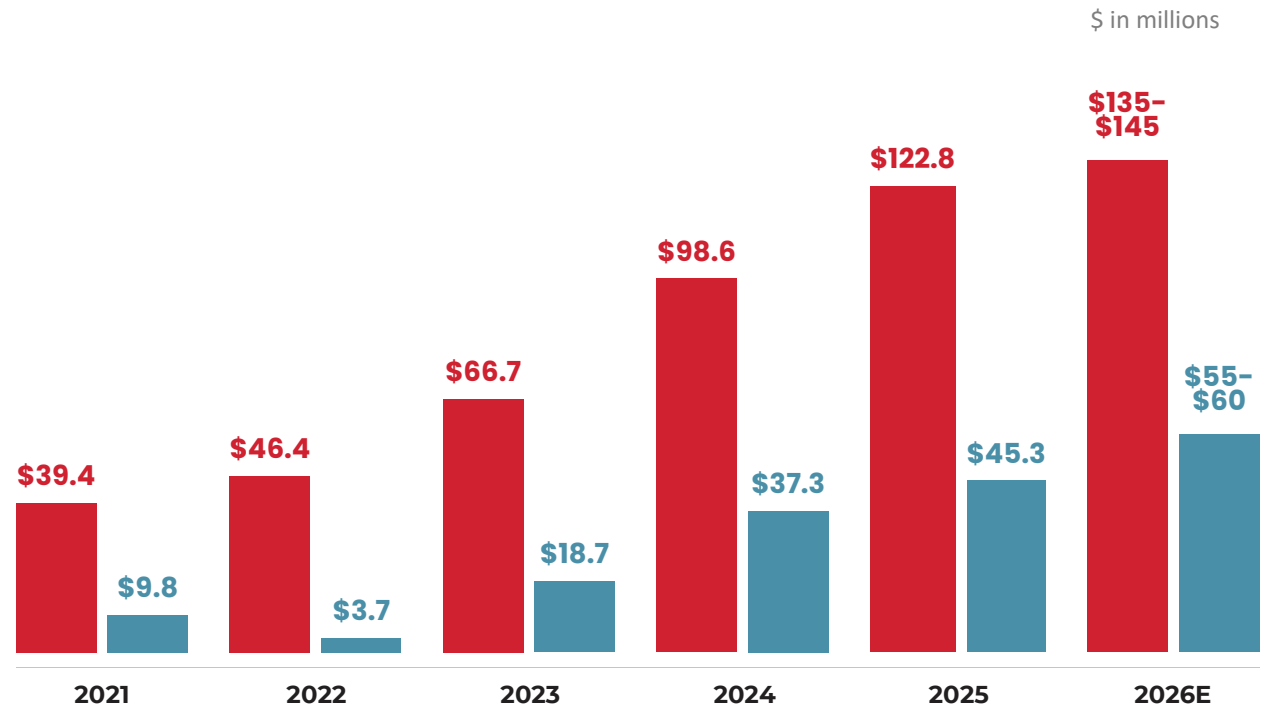
Fleet Growth Helps Drive Revenue and Adjusted EBITDA

Operational Leverage and Expanded Utilization Contributed to 2025 EBITDA Gains

56%

5YR CAGR in Revenue (2020-2025)

■ Revenue ■ Adjusted EBITDA



Source: Bridger management.

Guidance as provided in Q4'25 earnings release on March 6, 2026 - See slide #28 for a reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to Net Income



Full Year 2026 Outlook

2026 Guidance Reflects Continued Growth and Margin Expansion

REVENUE

\$135–\$145 million

ADJUSTED EBITDA

\$55–\$60 million

FLEET

20 airplanes



Revenue:

\$135–145 million, up from \$122.8 million in 2025



Adjusted EBITDA:

\$55–60 million, up ~20% versus \$45.3 million in 2025, with margin expanding to approximately 41%



Fleet:

Suppression fleet growing to 8 Super Scoopers in 2026, addition of most advanced sensor aircraft, 2 Multi Mission King Airs



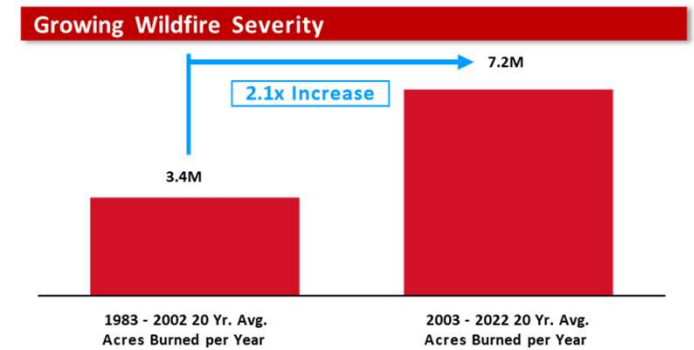
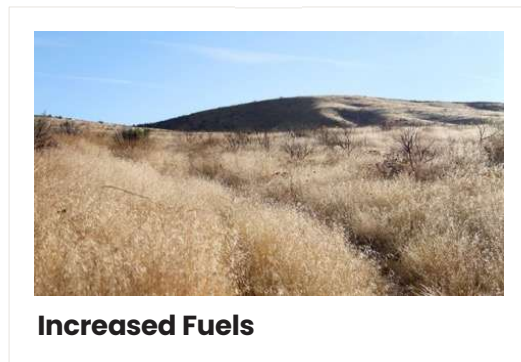
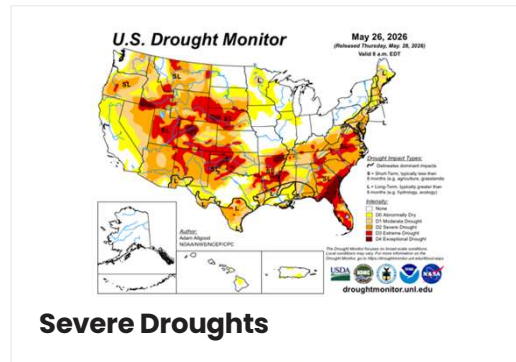
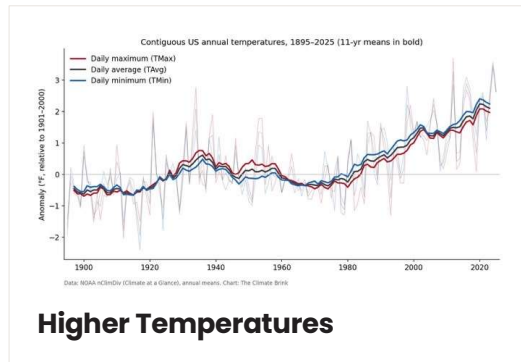
Guidance Basis:

as provided in Bridger's Q4 2025 earnings release (March 6, 2026); see slide 20 for the Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation



Wildfire Trends Increasing

Yearly trends increasing aviation demand in a market with resource constraints



Sources: National Interagency Fire Center and United States Environmental Protection Agency.



Wildfire Legislation has become a Federal Priority

Recent Wildfire-Mitigation Legislation

SIGNED INTO LAW

Aerial Firefighting Enhancement Act of 2025

Authorizes the DoD to sell excess aircraft and parts to contractors, including aircraft capable of delivering water and fire retardant

IN COMMITTEE

Wildfire Response and Preparedness Act of 2025

Reduces response time for wildfires and centralizes wildfire management for faster suppression by expanding the role of aviation

INTRODUCED

Fit For Purpose Wildfire Readiness Act

Proposes the creation of a National Wildland Firefighting Service to centralize wildfire suppression and recovery efforts

PASSED HOUSE

Fix Our Forests Act

Aims to improve forest health and wildfire resilience by designating high-risk areas as fireshed management zones and establishing an interagency center for wildfire assessment and prediction

IN COMMITTEE

Tim Hart Wildland Firefighter Classification and Pay Parity Act

Enhances Pay, health benefits and support programs for federal wildland firefighters to improve recruitment and retention

INTRODUCED

Wildfire Response and Readiness Act

Comprehensive legislative package of 25 bills that outline a cohesive plan for response to wildfires. The act outlines from protecting lands and preparing communities to firefighter benefits.

Another Active Wildfire Year: A historically aggressive start to 2026, with 2.3+ million acres burned across ~29,000 wildfires by late May—roughly 190%+ of the 10-year average, with drought gripping ~60% of the U.S.

Escalating Disaster Damage: Over the last 3 decades, the number of acres burned by wildfires has more than doubled

Soaring Economic Impact: The Jan. 2025 Palisades Fire alone destroyed ~6,800 structures; LA fire rebuild costs run \$1.5M+ per home with total economic losses estimated to be between \$250–275 billion

Threat to National Resources: Wildfire runoff now threatens up to 60% of U.S. drinking water, as toxic metals and chemicals contaminate forested watersheds

Bipartisan Momentum: Over a dozen lawmakers from both parties have co-sponsored wildfire legislation in 2025, and the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law allocated \$5 billion to wildland fire management

(1) Sources: nifc.gov, jec.senate.gov, Congress.gov, epa.gov

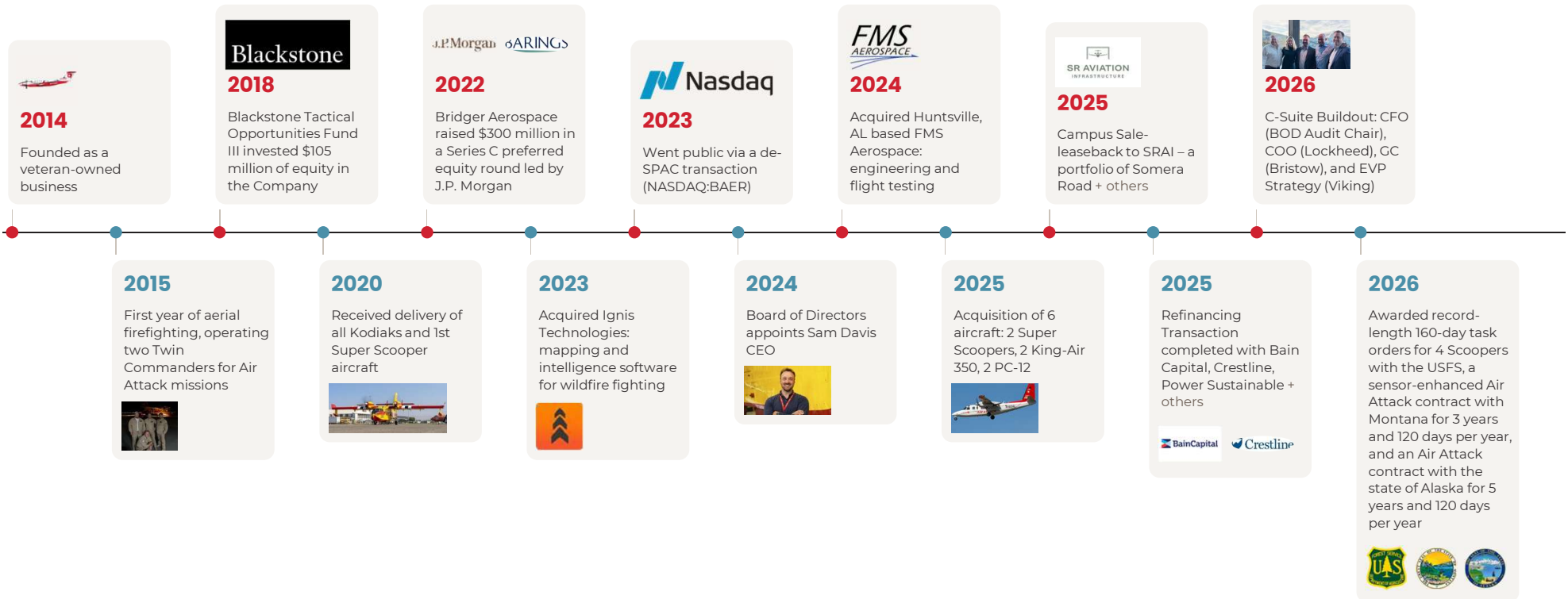


Appendix



Bridger Aerospace History: 10+ Years of Aerial Firefighting

Over the course of a decade, Bridger has become the leading provider of aerial firefighting solutions in the U.S.





Management Team: Track Record of Success

**Sam Davis**

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

- Joined Bridger Aerospace in 2019
- Prior to Bridger, he spent four years at Oracle, Inc. in key roles leading global projects supporting Cloud initiatives, and before that at Meltwater and Natus Medical, Inc., specializing in financial consolidation, reporting and analysis and global financial management
- Mr. Davis holds an MBA from San Jose State University and a BS in Accounting and Finance from Boise State University

**Anne Hayes**

CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

- Joined Bridger Aerospace as CFO in 2026; served on the Board of Directors as Audit Chair since 2023
- Prior to Bridger, spent more than 20 years in private equity and venture capital, most recently as Director at Quadrant Capital Advisors, with earlier experience at PricewaterhouseCoopers
- Ms. Hayes is a Certified Public Accountant and holds a BS in Finance from Villanova University and an MS in Finance from the University of Denver

**Bill Andrews**

CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER

- Joined Bridger Aerospace as COO in 2026, bringing over three decades of aerospace and aviation leadership across military and commercial platforms
- Prior to Bridger, was VP and Executive Program Manager at Lockheed Martin, managing a \$2 billion portfolio of military aircraft programs
- A former U.S. Air Force C-130 pilot, Mr. Andrews holds an MS from USC and a BS in Civil Engineering from the U.S. Air Force Academy

**Rob Mauracher**

EXECUTIVE VP OF GROWTH

- Joined Bridger Aerospace in 2023
- Prior to joining Bridger, Rob was the EVP/COO of Viking Air and Longview Aviation Asset Management
- Mr. Mauracher holds an extensive background in commercial aviation with positions including CEO of Hawaii Island Air, Air Jamaica and VP of Maintenance & Engineering at Bombardier Aerospace
- Mr. Mauracher is an Aircraft Maintenance Engineer and holds an Airframe & Powerplant license with a BA in Marketing

**Justin Mogford**

GENERAL COUNSEL

- Joined Bridger Aerospace as General Counsel and Corporate Secretary in 2026
- Prior to Bridger, spent over a decade in senior corporate counsel roles at Bristow Group Inc. (NYSE: VTOL), most recently as Division General Counsel, Advanced Air Mobility & Corporate Governance; began his career at Baker Botts L.L.P.
- Mr. Mogford earned his J.D. from Duke University School of Law and a BBA in Management from Texas A&M University



Bridger Aerospace Financial Overview – Income Statement

(\$ In Millions)	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026E
Fire Suppression	\$30.4	\$38.8	\$56.0	\$66.8	\$79.8	
Aerial Surveillance	8.6	7.2	9.7	13.1	17.4	
MRO	-	-	-	13.9	21.5	
Other (UAS, Maintenance, Admin)	0.0	0.0	1.0	4.8	4.1	
Total Revenue	\$39.4	\$46.4	\$66.7	\$98.6	\$122.8	\$135-145
Less: COGS	(26.6)	(33.9)	(41.3)	(57.5)	(71.1)	
Gross Profit	\$12.8	\$12.5	\$25.4	\$41.1	\$51.7	
Gross Profit Margin %	33%	27%	38%	42%	42%	
Less: G&A, Interest Expense, and Other Income	(19.3)	(54.6)	(103.0)	(57.5)	(47.8)	
Net Income (Loss)(4)	\$(6.5)	\$(42.1)	\$(77.4)	\$(15.6)	\$4.1	
Adj. EBITDA (1) (3)	\$9.8	\$3.7	\$18.7	\$37.3	\$45.3	\$55-60
Adj. EBITDA Margin %	25%	8%	28%	38%	37%	41%
# of Fire Suppression Aircraft	4	5(2)	6	6	6	8

Source: Bridger management estimates.
See slide 28 and 29 for a reconciliation of GAAP Net Income to adjusted EBITDA.

Bridger had five CL-415EAF Super Scoopers, though only four Super Scoopers were active for the majority of 2022 fire season. Bridger took delivery of the sixth Super Scooper in Q1 2023.

(4) May not foot due to rounding.

(3) Adjusted EBITDA for 2022 includes (among other items) (i) lower revenue than anticipated due to the delayed arrival of multiple aircraft and the impact of a less intense fire season as compared to the prior two years, (ii) \$3.0 million of costs related to the acquisition of Super Scoopers 5 and 6,



Bridger Aerospace Financial Overview – Balance Sheet

(\$ in Millions, FYE 12/31)	12/31/21	12/31/22	12/31/23	12/31/24	12/31/25
Assets					
Current Assets:					
Cash, Restricted Cash and Marketable Securities	\$17.3	\$97.4	\$37.9	\$53.1	\$31.4
Accounts and Notes Receivable	0.0	0.0	4.1	5.9	3.2
Other Current Assets	4.8	9.4	3.1	4.8	5.6
Total Current Assets	22.1	106.9	45.2	63.8	40.2
PP&E, net	168.7	192.1	196.6	183.8	218.8
Other Noncurrent Assets	4.4	7.0	31.7	43.2	65.3
Total Assets	\$195.1	\$306.0	\$273.5	\$290.8	\$330.3
Liabilities, Equity and Stockholders' Deficit					
Current Liabilities:					
Current Portion of Long-Term Debt, Net of Debt Issuance Costs	2.2	2.4	2.1	2.2	0.9
Other Current Liabilities	70.9	21.9	23.3	21.2	16.5
Total Current Liabilities	73.1	24.3	25.4	23.4	16.5
Long-term Debt, Net of Debt Issuance Costs	58.1	205.5	204.6	202.5	212.4
Other Noncurrent Liabilities	2.1	0.8	16.6	11.4	36.7
Total Liabilities	133.3	230.6	246.5	237.3	265.6
Legacy Series A Preferred	146.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
Series A Preferred	0.0	0.0	354.8	380.2	407.3
Legacy Series C Preferred	0.0	489.0	0.0	0.0	0
Stockholders' Deficit	(84.8)	(413.6)	(327.9)	(326.7)	(342.6)
Total Liabilities, Mezzanine Equity and Stockholders' Deficit	\$195.1	\$306.0	\$273.5	\$290.8	\$330.3



Reconciliation to GAAP

Twelve months ending,					
(\$ in Millions)	12/31/2021	12/31/2022	12/31/2023	12/31/2024	12/31/2025
Net loss	(\$6.5)	(\$42.1)	(\$77.4)	(\$15.6)	\$4.1
Income tax benefit	-	-	(0.3)	(0.8)	(0.2)
Depreciation and amortization	6.7	9.1	11.1	17.5	15.5
Interest expense	9.3	20.0	23.2	23.7	23.3
EBITDA	\$9.4	(\$13.0)	(\$43.4)	\$24.8	\$42.7
Stock-based compensation(1)	-	-	47.8	16.2	7.7
Business development & integration(2)	-	1.0	5.7	1.1	1.6
Offering costs (3)	-	3.0	5.8	0.1	0.4
Loss on disposal (4)	1.0	1.8	2.9	-	-
Change in fair value of earnout consideration(5)	-	-	0.2	(0.4)	(2.3)
Change in fair value of Warrants (6)	-	-	(0.3)	(4.5)	4.3
Non-cash impairment charges (7)	-	-	-	-	0.2
Gain on non-recurring transactions (8)	-	-	-	-	(9.7)
Non-recurring org development costs (9)	-	-	-	-	0.4
(Gain) loss on extinguishment of debt (10)	(0.8)	0.8	-	-	-
Discretionary bonuses to employees and executives(11)	-	10.1	-	-	-
Adjusted EBITDA	\$9.8	\$3.7	\$18.7	\$37.3	\$45.3

Represents non-cash stock-based compensation expense associated with employee and non-employee equity awards.

2. Represents expenses related to integration costs for completed acquisitions and potential acquisition targets and additional business lines.

3. Represents one-time costs for professional service fees related to the preparation for potential offerings that have been expensed during the period.

4. Represents loss on the disposal of an aging aircraft and the non-cash impairment charges on a retired aircraft.

Represents non-cash fair value adjustment for earnout consideration issued in connection with the acquisition of Ignis Technologies, Inc. and Flight Test & Mechanical Solutions, Inc.

Represents the non-cash fair value adjustment for the outstanding warrants.

Represents non-cash impairment charges on aircraft

Represents the net effect from the October debt refinancing and sale-leaseback transactions completed during the period.

Represents expenses associated with the build-out of the executive leadership team.

Represents loss on extinguishment of debt related to the Series 2021 Bond and forgiveness of the PPP loan.

Represents one-time discretionary bonuses to certain employees and executives of Bridger in connection with the issuance of the Legacy Bridger Series C Preferred Shares, issuance of the Series 2022 Bonds, execution of the Transaction Agreements and initial filing of the proxy statement/ prospectus prepared in connection with the business combination.

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