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# FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

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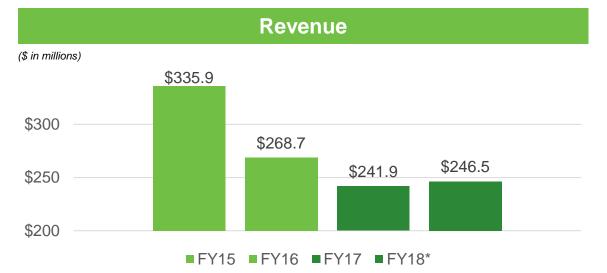
# AVIAT NETWORKS: AN INTRODUCTION TO OUR COMPANY

### Aviat is the trusted expert in microwave networking

Best in class TCO and proven mission-critical microwave networking solutions

HIGH-PERFORMANCE PRODUCTS		DESIGN AND	DEPLOYMENT	CUSTOMER CARE	
Global Microwave Portfolio Highest Performance Integrated IP/MPLS Proven Reliability		Automation and Professional Services for Planning, Deployment Software-Delivered Functions Ease of Network Migration		Cloud-Enabled Services Network Operations and Customer Service	
Leading Player in Delivering Mission- Critical Networks for Public Safety, Utility and Government Agencies	in ( Ser	ined Presence Global Tier 1 vice Provider stomer Base	History of Innovating Solutions for Wireless Networks		Headquartered in Silicon Valley; Global Footprint Aligned with our Key Customers' Networks

# A LOOK BACK: OUR BUSINESS TRANSFORMATION



 Operating Expenses

 (\$ in millions)
 \$99.3
 \$85.0

 \$80
 \$85.0
 \$74.0
 \$73.8

 \$60
 \$40
 \$74.0
 \$73.8

 \$40
 \$20
 \$FY15
 \$FY16
 \$FY17
 \$FY18\*



**Gross Profit** 

#### **Adjusted EBITDA**



Note: Aviat has a June 30<sup>th</sup> fiscal year end.

\* FY18 estimates based on mid-point of quidance provided on Fiscal 2018 third quarter conference call/webcast.

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# **FISCAL 2018 YTD PERFORMANCE**

Income Statement Summary (Non-GAAP)							
(\$'s in millions)	FY18 9-Month Results YTD	FY18 Q4 Outlook (Mid-Point)	FY18 Outlook (Mid-Point)	FY17 Actual Results	YOY Change (Mid-Point)		
Revenue	\$180.0	\$66.5	\$246.5	\$241.9	\$4.6M 1.9%		
Gross Margin (as a %)	31.8%	~31.0%	~31.5%	31.4%	~10 Bps		
Operating Expenses	\$54.8	~\$19.0	~\$73.8	\$74.0	In line with PY		
Operating Income	\$2.3	~\$1.6	~\$3.9	\$1.9	\$2.0M 1 <i>0</i> 5.3%		
Adjusted EBITDA	\$5.7	~\$2.8	~\$8.5	\$7.6	\$0.9M 11.8%		

\* FY18 estimates based on mid-point of guidance provided on fiscal 2018 third quarter conference call/webcast.

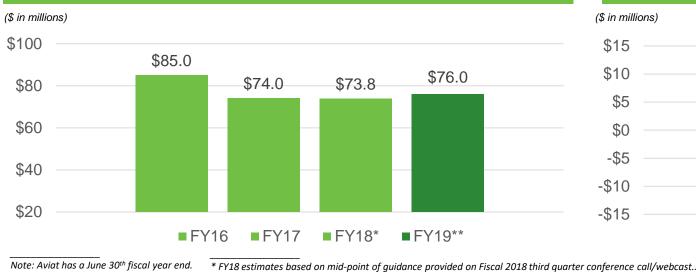
Continued Y-O-Y Improvements, Strong FQ4 Anticipated

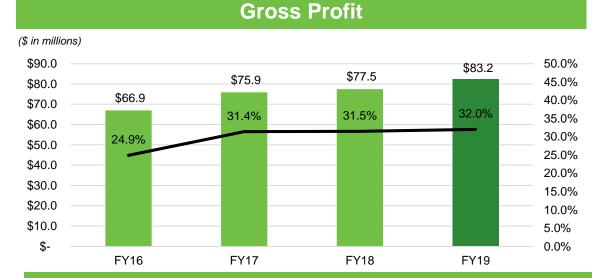
# **MOMENTUM ANTICIPATED TO CARRY INTO FISCAL 2019**



■FY16 ■FY17 ■FY18\* ■FY19\*\*

Operating Expenses





#### Adjusted EBITDA



\*\* Represents preliminary indications provided by management regarding FY19 opportunity.

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## **STRONG BALANCE SHEET**

#### (BALANCE SHEET STRENGTHENED – CASH POSITION INCREASED YEAR-OVER-YEAR)

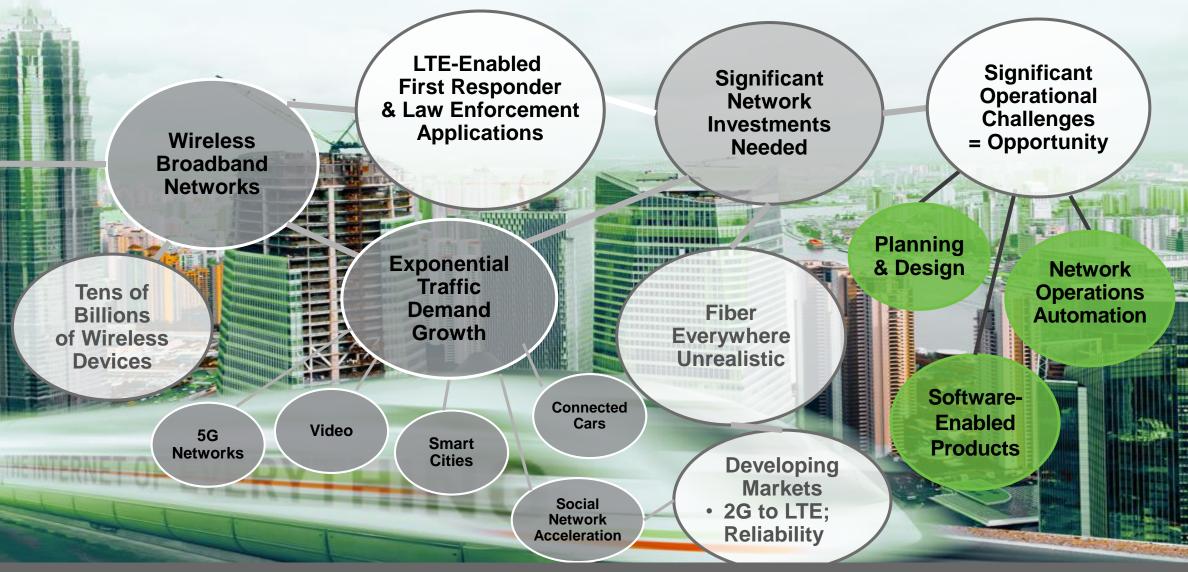
(\$'s in millions)	Q3 FY18	Q2 FY18	Q1 FY18	Q4 FY17	Key Take-Aways	
Cash and Cash Equivalents (and restricted cash)	\$38.5	\$42.1	\$39.6	\$36.2	<ul> <li>Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash position increased \$2.3 mil since FY17 year-end; anticipate further improvements by FY18 year-er</li> </ul>	
Accounts Receivable	\$38.5	\$43.1	\$43.6	\$45.9		
DSO's	77 Days	78 Days	84 Days	74 Days	• DSO's, inclusive of unbilled accounts, continued to improve throughout FY	
Inventory	\$23.7	\$26.2	\$24.8	\$23.7	<ul> <li>Inventory decreased \$2.5 million sequentially due to a reduction in</li> </ul>	
Turns	7.4	6.1	6.3	6.3	project inventories; consistent with prior fiscal year.	
DPO's	66 Days	76 Days	81 Days	82 Days	DPO count fell on timing of payments to major suppliers during the quarte	
Third-Party Debt	\$9.0	\$9.0	\$9.0	\$9.0		
Accounts Payable	\$31.7	\$33.1	\$34.4	\$33.6	Cash conversion cycle remains at a company historical low.	

Working Capital Metrics Continue to Be Among the Best in the Company's History



# **Building for the Future** *Well-Positioned for Growth Opportunities*

# LOOKING AHEAD: COMPELLING MARKET DEMAND DRIVERS



Multiple Paths to Drive Growth Globally and Across all Verticals



# **AVIAT PRODUCT STRATEGY**

# **INDUSTRY LEADING PRODUCTS**

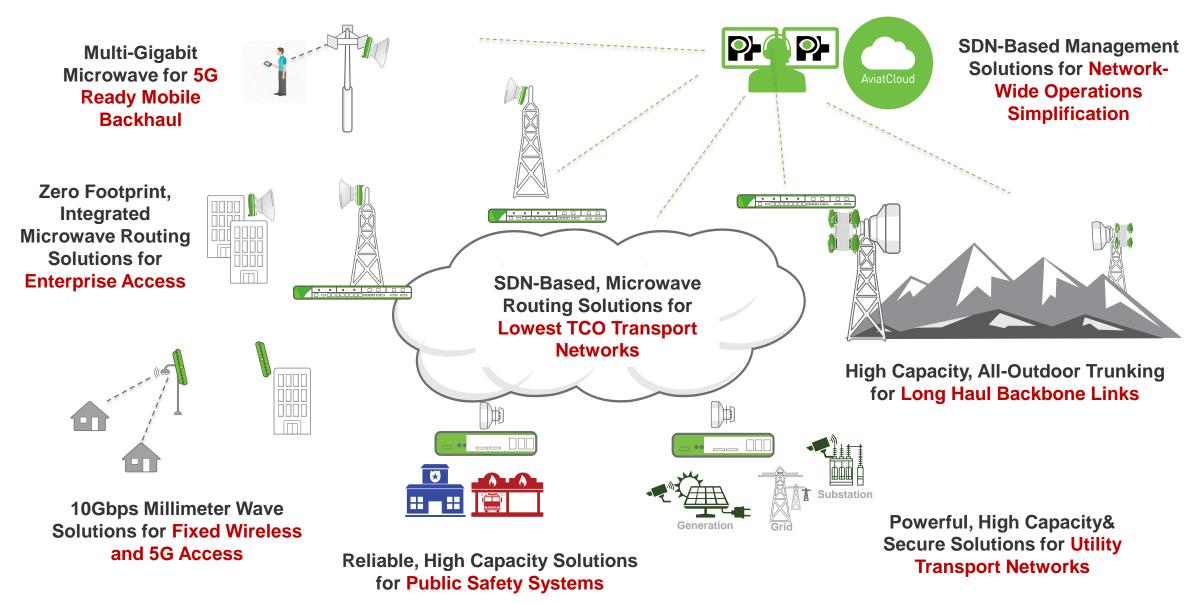


### **INDUSTRY-LEADING SERVICES CAPABILITIES**



Strong Recurring Revenue Streams and Prospects for Growth

### SOLUTIONS FOR MULTIPLE VERTICAL MARKETS



### SPECIALIZATION AND REACH TO DRIVE GROWTH WITHIN PRIVATE NETWORKS VERTICAL

Segment Leader The Clear Choice

Public Safety Presence in all 50 States, With 25 U.S. Statewide Networks

**Energy** More than 50% of Largest U.S. Utilities

USA Federal Departments Multiple Agencies Global Partners in Security & Defense MOTOROLA #1 Supplier

**Expanding Reach** Recent breaking through into transportation vertical National Security Networks France, Middle East, North Africa, Asia Pacific

**Oil & Gas** West Africa, Asia, Europe

Regional Governments Latin America

Sales and Services Strength Direct engagement and deep relationships with end customer

Trusted Expert

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Strengthening Position in a Diverse Private Networks Environment

### **DRIVING OUR OPTIMISM: GROWING PRIVATE NETWORKS CUSTOMER BASE**







































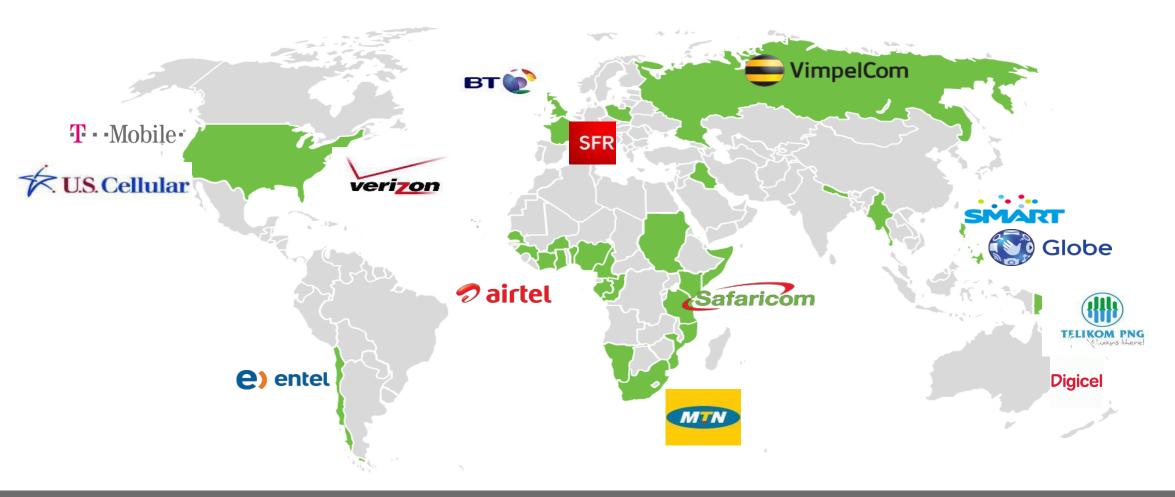






### SAMPLING OF OUR MARQUEE SERVICE PROVIDER CUSTOMERS

Leading Provider in Key Markets Served



Opportunity to Leverage Significant Installed Base Maintaining Customer Base, Adding New Accounts and Well-Positioned for 5G Adoption

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### LOOKING AHEAD: KEY TAKE-AWAYS

**No Longer in a "Turnaround"** *Improved financial performance, profitable and moving into the next growth trajectory* 

#### Growing Private Networks Business New state contracts and increased local

<u>activity;</u> new customer accounts

Significant Gross Margin Improvements 700 bps+ increase over past two years; new products to contribute favorably Improving International Outlook Global network upgrades; 5G deployments on the horizon

Reduction in Operating Expenses 15%+ decline in opex over past two years, greater efficiencies enabled by process improvements

### Multiple Demand Drivers Internet of Things, fiber and microwave codeployments, first responder networks

**Compelling Technology Differentiation** 

Investments in R&D, new WTM platform, enhanced services capabilities open up new channels for growth across both current and new market segments

Well Positioned Moving into Fiscal 2019 / Increased Focus on Value Creation

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# FY18 THIRD QUARTER EXECUTIVE COMMENTARY

"While third quarter results were somewhat mixed, our outlook for the fourth quarter and 2019 fiscal year ("Fiscal 2019") remains very strong. We've added new customers, expanded successfully into new verticals and demand for our recently launched products is building. Our private networks business is strong, with new state contracts and new utility accounts on the horizon. Our international business is expected to return to growth, we have added new Tier-1 accounts, we are expanding our addressable market, and we're well-positioned as 5G adoption begins to build steam over the next 12-18 months."

"I'm pleased to announce that our Board of Directors has authorized a stock repurchase program, enabling us to purchase up to \$7.5 million of our common stock. Based on our improving outlook and the momentum we have built, we believe our stock represents a compelling investment and we intend to be more active on the investor relations front, while taking steps such as the stock repurchase program, to enhance valuation over the long-term."

-- Michael Pangia, President and Chief Executive Officer