# RESULTS FOR THE NINE MONTHS TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2019

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#### Nine months ended 30 September 2019: Key results and highlights

Retail unit sales +13% as gain market share in our segment; Total wholesales down 3%

Q3 wholesales down 16% as anniversary near doubling of wholesale units in Q3 2018

Revenue of £657m driven lower year-on-year by fewer wholesales, the impact of greater mix of Vantage and fewer Specials

Adjusted EBITDA of £70m due to retail financing, lower ASP, planned costs of expansion, fewer specials, and the £19m provision

Q3 adjusted EBITDA of £48m benefitted from Specials, offset by core model mix, geographic mix and retail financing

Net cash from operations of £69m, of which £48m in Q3; Capex at £255m with the majority of DBX spend now complete

Net debt of £800m; Issuance of \$150m Senior Secured Notes post the quarter end, option to draw an additional \$100m

First production trial of DBX completed; Vantage Roadster revealed; DB4 GT Zagato Continuations planned for delivery this year

## Retails up 13% YTD; Continued wholesale growth in the Americas



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Note: See Appendix for more detail on APMs; Certain financial data within this presentation have been rounded

## Profit impacted by product mix and cost increases





Adjusted operating expenses of £247m up £31m; Over 70% of increase due to higher D&A; Balance primarily reflects DBX and St Athan costs, higher marketing and motorsport spend, and first-time PLC related costs 3

Adjusting operating items of  $\pounds 5m$ ,  $\pounds 3m$  for pre-IPO LTIPs, disclosed previously, and  $\pounds 2m$  of re-structuring costs. Adjusted operating loss year-to-date  $\pounds 22m$  (2018:  $\pounds 91m$  profit)



Adjusted net financing costs of £59m resulted in adjusted loss before tax of £80m; The tax credit of £19m reflects tax on adjusting items as appropriate; Adjusted diluted EPS was negative 29p

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## Cash balance of £110m and debt increased following April bond issue





## Cash generation from operating activities of £69m, with inflow of £48m in Q3

Net working capital movements broadly neutral: Receivables inflow offset by £91m inventory outflow relating to higher finished goods and stock in plant ahead of expected Q4 deliveries in addition to stock held in anticipation of Brexit

## Capital expenditure was £255m<sup>1</sup>; Overall cash outflow of £35m with a cash balance of £110m at 30-Sep-19

Majority of DBX and St Athan spend now complete; Cash outflow down year-on-year from £81m, and cash at the end of the period up from £87m at 30-Sep-18

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Net debt of £800m<sup>2</sup> up from £560m as at 31-Dec-18, but down from £811m as at 30-Sep-18; Leverage of 5.5x<sup>3</sup>

Leverage up from 2.3x as at 31-Dec-18 reflects additional financing raised in April and short-term borrowings alongside a lower LTM adjusted EBITDA

## Issuance of \$150m of 12% SSNs due Apr-22 closed post period end; Option for an additional \$100m DDNs

Proceeds have been used to repay £90m of short-term borrowings, related transaction fees, and to improve short-term liquidity in this intense period of ongoing investment

#### Note: See Appendix for more detail on APMs; Certain financial data within this presentation have been rounded (1) Cash used in investing activities also includes an inflow of £4.1m from interest received; (2) Excluding IRFS 16 adjustment; Net debt including £116m lease liabilities as per IFRS 16 first time adoption is £915m; (3) LTM adjusted EBITDA excludes the £10m benefit from first time adoption of 1FRS 16 as at 30 Sep 2019

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## Outlook



As we head into the peak delivery period for both core and Specials, despite lower volumes and continuing macro uncertainties, we expect to meet market financial expectations for FY 2019



We see pressure on volumes continuing into the end of the year and now expect total wholesales to be lower than previously guided, but within the range of market expectations



We are taking actions to control our costs through an efficiency programme



As we review our plans, we continue to plan prudently for FY 2020 and will provide a further update when we report our FY 2019 results in February 2020



FY 2019 net interest expense guidance: c.£83m<sup>1</sup> FY 2019 capex: c.£300m FY 2020 capex: no more than £350m



## Product expansion continues



## Update on the DBX and St Athan



The first production trial, building cars end-to-end, at St Athan is complete

Second production trial to commence later this month, in-line with plan



First production trial cars completing extensive testing regime and being used for customer events



Over 300 employees now based at St Athan, with these numbers planned to double ahead of the start of production in Q2 2020

St Athan official opening on 6 December



## DBX launch imminent and positive customer reception



# CLOSING REMARKS





### Income Statement, Cash Flow and Balance Sheet

£m	YTD 2019	YTD 2018	Q3 2019	Q3 2018
Revenue	657.2	707.3	250.1	282.4
Cost of sales	(413.4)	(420.5)	(154.2)	(176.0)
Gross profit	243.8	286.8	95.9	106.4
Gross margin	37.1%	40.5%	38.3%	37.7%
Operating expenses <sup>1</sup>	(246.6)	(215.3)	(82.5)	(79.3)
of which depreciation & amortisation	91.5	68.8	34.3	27.3
Other (expense) / income	(19.0)	20.0	-	-
Adjusted operating (loss) / profit	(21.8)	91.5	13.4	27.1
Adjusted operating profit margin	(3.3%)	12.9%	5.4%	9.6%
Adjusting operating items	(5.4)	(1.8)	(2.9)	(1.8)
Operating (loss) / profit	(27.2)	89.7	10.5	25.3
Net financing expense	(65.1)	(65.8)	(24.0)	(22.2)
of which adjusting financing items	(6.6)	-	-	-
(Loss) / profit before tax	(92.3)	23.9	(13.5)	3.1
Taxation	19.4	(7.7)	3.4	1.6
(Loss) / profit for the period	(72.9)	16.2	(10.1)	4.7
Adjusted EBITDA	69.7	160.3	47.7	54.4
Adjusted EBITDA margin	10.6%	22.7%	19.1%	19.3%
Adjusted (loss) / profit before tax	(80.3)	25.7	(10.6)	4.9
EPS <sup>2</sup> (pence)	(33.8)	5.1	(5.8)	0.9
Adjusted EPS <sup>2</sup> (pence)	(29.4)	5.9	(4.8)	1.7

£m	YTD 2019	H1 2019	FY 2018	YTD 2018
Cash generated from operating activities	68.9	20.8	222.6	151.5
Cash used in investing activities	(250.5)	(159.0)	(306.3)	(219.8)
Cash inflow from financing activities	147.8	121.0	57.8	(13.2)
Effect of exchange rates on cash and cash equivalents	(0.9)	(0.5)	2.7	0.4
Net cash (outflow) / inflow	(34.7)	(17.7)	(23.2)	(81.1)
Cash balance	109.9	126.9	144.6	86.7
Borrowings	909.7	858.9	704.1	897.3
Preference share adjustment <sup>3</sup>	-	-	-	(287.8)
Net debt <sup>4</sup>	799.8	732.0	559.5	522.8
Adjusted EBITDA LTM	146.5	156.4	247.3	245.7
Adjusted Leverage⁵	5.5x	4.7x	2.3x	2.1x
£m	30-Sep-19	30-Jun-19	31-Dec-18	30-Sep-18
Non current assets	1,674.9	1,601.6	1,418.6	1,332.2
Current assets	563.7	571.3	551.6	424.8
Total assets	2,238.6	2,172.9	1,970.2	1,757.0

944.8

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Current liabilities

**Total liabilities** 

**Total equity** 

Non current liabilities

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861.3

923.1

388.5

1.784.4

790.3

730.5

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12 Note: See Appendix for more detail on APMs; (1) Excludes adjusting items; (2) EPS shown on a diluted basis; (3) Preference shares, which were converted into ordinary shares at IPO, are included in borrowing in 2018; (4) Excluding IRFS 16 adjustment: Net debt as at 30-Sep-19 including £116m lease liabilities as per IFRS 16 first time adoption is £915m (30-Jun-19: £112m, £844m); (5) LTM adjusted EBITDA excludes the £10m benefit from first time adoption of IFRS 16 ast 30 Sep 2019 (30-Jun-19: £77m)

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All metrics and commentary in this presentation exclude adjusting items unless stated otherwise.

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- i. Adjusted EBT is the profit / (loss) before income tax and adjusting items
- ii. Adjusted EBIT is profit / (loss) from operating activities before adjusting items
- iii. Adjusted EBITDA removes depreciation, loss / (profit) on sale of fixed assets and amortisation from adjusted EBIT
- iv. Adjusted Earnings Per Share is (loss) / profit after income tax before adjusting items, divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the reporting period
- v. Normalised Adjusted Earnings Per Share is (loss) / profit after income tax before adjusting items, divided by the closing number of ordinary shares in issue at 31 December 2018
- vi. Net Debt is current and non-current borrowings less cash and cash equivalents, excluding any impact of IFRS 16
- vii. Adjusted leverage is represented by the ratio of Net Debt, adjusted for Preference Shares, to the last 12 months adjusted EBITDA excluding any benefit from the first time adoption of IFRS 16

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