

EQUITY RESEARCH ALERT

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2Q21 Earnings First Take - Positive

Quick Take: Positive. SLB reported adj. EBITDA of \$1,195M, 6% above Street's \$1,132M est. driven by all segments. The magnitude of beat was higher than BKR and HAL. We est. ~\$1,310M EBITDA for 3Q21, 7% above Street. SLB indicated potential upside to annual 2021 financial targets. This is a surprise beat and raise. Options implied stock price movement is ~4%.

Earnings Reaction: Positive. SLB reported adj. EBITDA of \$1,195M, 6% above Street's \$1,132M est. All segments EBIT were ahead of Street expectations partially offset by Eliminations. FCF of \$869M was above Street's \$591M est. but included \$477M of tax refunds.

3Q21 Potential Earnings: Positive. We est. ~\$1,310M EBITDA for 3Q, 7% above Street, but we think SLB may guide relatively conservatively. We assume NAM revs +7% q/q in 3Q21 while international +5%. We assume Dig. & Int. revs +6% with 40% incrementals, Res. Perf. revs +5% with 30% incrementals, Well Const. revs +3% with 35% incrementals, and Prod. Sys. Revs +5% with 30% incrementals. SLB indicated potential upside to annual 2021 financial targets.

Stock Reaction: Positive. This is a surprise beat and raise vs. expectations. The magnitude of beat at 7% is higher too vs. HAL +2% and BKR +4%.

Positives

- Revs. of \$5,634M were 2% above Street's est. of \$5,509M.
- Adj. EBITDA of \$1,195M, 6% above Street's \$1,132M est.
- We est. ~\$1,310M EBITDA for 3Q21, 7% above Street.
- NAM's q/q 11% revenue growth was above our ~5% growth expectations.
- SLB's international revenues grew 7% in 2Q vs. HAL's 4%, BKR's 5% and our 5% est.
- Beat was driven by all segments.
- Commentary" The quarter marks a leap forward in achieving our full-year financial targets with the potential for further upside given the right conditions." Recall, SLB had laid out full year financial guidance of \$22.5B+ revenues and 20.8-21.3% EBITDA margins.

Negatives

• FCF of \$869M was above Street's \$591M est. but included \$477M of tax refunds. We are not sure how Street accounted for tax refunds, if any.

Questions to Ask

- SLB had indicated last quarter that incremental EBIT margins should be higher in 2H21 as some start up costs were expected in 1H21. Does that still hold vs. strong 38% incrementals q/q in 2Q21?
- How much upside to LDD international revenues growth in 2H21 y/y?
- Were there any one time benefits or revenues pulled forward into 2Q21?

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Exhibit 1: Variance vs Street and Q/Q Changes (US\$M)

	Actual	CPI	Consensus	Actual	Var. vs	Street	Q/Q (Chg	EPS Var.
	2Q21	2Q21		1Q21	%	\$	%	\$	
Geog Revenues (\$M)									
NAM	1,083	1,017		972		1,083	11%	111	0.62
LAM	1,057	1,097		1,038		1,057	2%	19	0.61
ECA	1,453	1,348		1,256		1,453	16%	197	0.84
MEA	2,001	1,996		1,917		2,001	4%	84	1.15
Other	40	40		40		40	0%	0	0.02
Total	5,634	5,498	5,509	5,223	2%	125	8%	411	0.07
Segment Revenues (\$M)						_			
Digital & Integration	817	801	812	773	1%	5	6%	44	0.00
Reservoir Performance	1,117	1,071	1,050	1,002	6%	67	11%	115	0.04
Well Construction	2,110	2,058	2,050	1,935	3%	60	9%	175	0.03
Production Systems	1,681	1,638	1,670	1,590	1%	11	6%	91	0.01
Eliminations	(91)	(70)	(77)	(77)	18%	(14)	18%	(14)	(0.01
Total	5,634	5,497	5,509	5,223	2%	125	8%	411	0.07
EBIT (\$M)									
Digital & Integration	274	258	249	247	10%	25	11%	27	0.01
Reservoir Performance	156	126	122	102	28%	34	53%	54	0.02
Well Construction	272	252	248	209	10%	24	30%	63	0.01
Production Systems	171	150	154	138	11%	17	24%	33	0.01
Eliminations	(66)	(35)	(32)	(32)	106%	(34)	106%	(34)	(0.02
Corporate Expenses	(138)	(145)	(150)	(150)	-8%	12	-8%	12	0.01
Total	669	606	595	514	12%	74	30%	155	0.04
EBIT Margins									
Digital & Integration	33.5%	32.2%	30.7%	32.0%		2.8%		1.6%	
Reservoir Performance	14.0%	11.8%	11.6%	10.2%		2.3%		3.8%	
Well Construction	12.9%	12.2%	12.1%	10.8%		0.8%		2.1%	
Production Systems	10.2%	9.2%	9.2%	8.7%		0.9%		1.5%	
Total	11.9%	11.0%	10.8%	9.8%					
Incremental Margins									
Digital & Integration	61%	40%	6%	40%					
Reservoir Performance	47%	35%	42%	35%					
Well Construction	36%	35%	34%	35%					
Production Systems	36%	25%	20%	25%					
Income Results									
Segment Revenues	5,725	5,567	5,582	5,300	3%	143	8%	425	0.08
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Other/Elim EBIT	(66)	(35)	(32)	(35)					
EBIT	669	606	595	514	12%	74	30%	155	0.04
D&A	526	532	532	532	-1%	(6)	-1%	(6)	
EBITDA	1,195	1,138	1,132	1,046	6%	63	14%	149	0.04
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.00
Interest Expense, net	(127)	(126)		(128)					
EBT	542	480		386					
Tax	(99)	(77)		(74)					
Tax Rate	18%	16%		19%					
Minority Interest	(12)	(10)		(13)					
Clean Net Income	431	393		299					
Other	-	-		0					
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GAAP Net Income	431		1						
GAAP Net Income Diluted Shares	1,421	1,419		1,419					
			\$0.26	1,419 \$0.21	17%	\$0.04	44%	\$0.09	

Source: Bloomberg; Company reports; CPI est.



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