

Progress Financial Results

Q1 2021 Supplemental Data



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- We depend upon our extensive partner channel and we may not be successful in retaining or expanding our relationships with channel partners.
- Our international sales and operations subject us to additional risks that can adversely affect our operating results, including risks relating to foreign currency gains and losses.
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- We have made acquisitions, and may make acquisitions in the future, and those acquisitions may not be successful, may involve unanticipated costs or other integration issues or may disrupt our existing operations.
- Delay or failure to realize the expected synergies and benefits of the Chef acquisition could adversely impact our future results of operations and financial condition.
- The continuing impact of the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) outbreak on our employees, customers, partners, and the global financial markets could adversely affect our business, results of operations
 and financial condition

For further information regarding risks and uncertainties associated with our business, please refer to our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Progress undertakes no obligation to update any forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date of this presentation, except for statements relating to Progress' projected results for the quarter ended February 28, 2021 and fiscal year ended November 30, 2021, which speak only as of March 25, 2021.

Finally, during this presentation we will be referring to non-GAAP financial measures such as non-GAAP revenue, non-GAAP income from operations and operating margin, adjusted free cash flow and non-GAAP diluted earnings per share. These non-GAAP measures are not prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A reconciliation between non-GAAP and the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures appears in our earnings press release for the fiscal quarter ended February 28, 2021 and is available in the Investor Relations section of our Web site.



Conference Call Details

What:	Progress Q1 2021 Financial Results Conference Call
When:	Thursday, March 25 th , 2021
Time:	5:00 p.m. ET
Live Call:	1-800-367-2403, pass code 3276569
Live / Recorded Webcast:	http://investors.progress.com



Summary Highlights

- Strong Financial Results
 - Non-GAAP *Revenue*, non-GAAP *EPS* and *Free Cash Flow* all above high end of guidance range
 - Results driven by top-line strength across all products, most notably OpenEdge
 - Chef exceeding our expectations on the top and bottom line as integration proceeds ahead of plan
 - Stable, durable top line driven by continued increase in recurring revenue mix
 - Top-line strength helped fuel operating margin above 40%
- Products and Customer Experience
 - Portfolio of products fully addresses the application lifecycle of *develop*, *deploy* and *manage*
 - Continued investment to enhance and expand product set to ensure we're delivering superior value to customers
- *M&A efforts* continue unabated; growth in pipeline, expansion of sourcing channels and enhanced capabilities aimed at *large and growing DevOps market opportunity*

Leverage the Cloud Opportunity

Sitefinity

Chef

DataDirect



OpenEdge 0

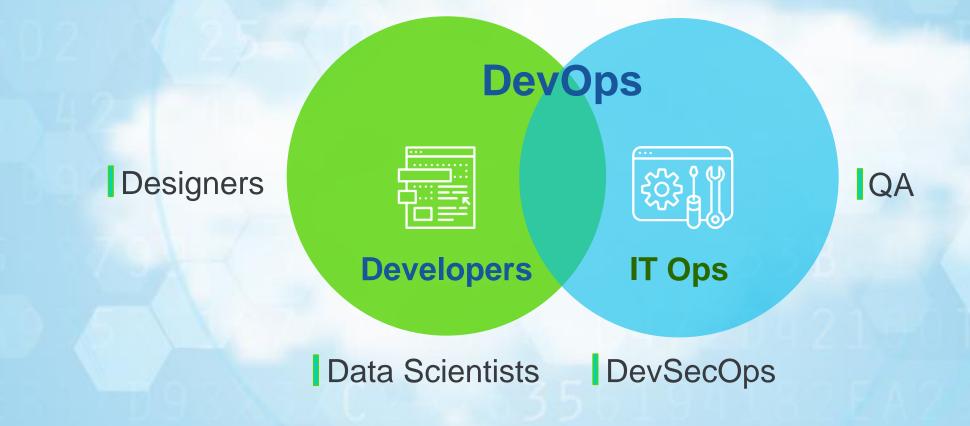
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The Evolving Application / Technology Team

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M&A Framework

--- Goal is to double the size of the company in 5 years ---

Accretive M&A enables us to add scale and cash flows, and generate strong shareholder returns

- Target acquisition profile:
 - Complementary to our business (product, audience, and growth profile)
 - Significant recurring revenue and excellent retention rates
 - Cost synergistic and accretive
 - Operating margins after synergies that are consistent with our overall margins
 - ROIC above our weighted average cost of capital

Progress Investment Highlights



Durable, predictable financial model



High-quality revenue base and highly recurring revenue model



Accretive M&A and operational efficiencies driving margin improvement



Track record of successful acquisition integration and synergy achievement



Delivering meaningful earnings per share and free cash flow growth



Disciplined and shareholder-friendly capital allocation strategy



Summary Q1 2021 Financial Results

	Q1 2021 Results	Q1 2021 Outlook (1/14/2021)
GAAP Revenue	\$121 M	\$109 M - \$113 M
Non-GAAP Revenue	\$132 M	\$119 M - \$123 M
GAAP earnings per share (Diluted)	\$0.42	\$0.21 - \$0.25
Non-GAAP earnings per share (Diluted)	\$0.95	\$0.72 - \$0.76
GAAP Operating Margin	23%	Not guided
Non-GAAP Operating Margin	43%	Not guided
Adjusted Free Cash Flow	\$47 M	Not guided



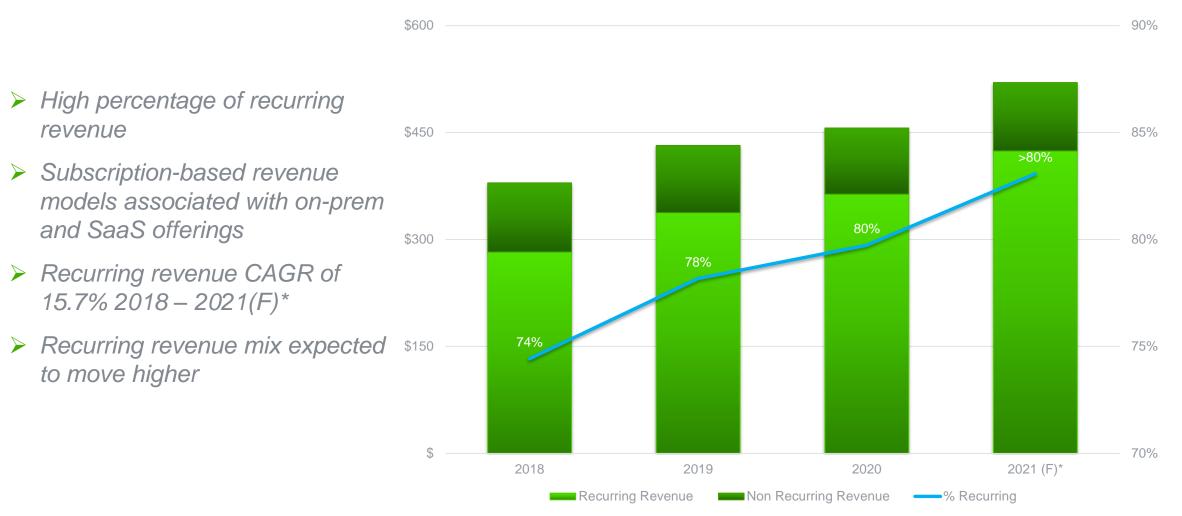
Driving Total Growth



* Represents our 2021 guidance or the mid-point of our 2021 guidance range

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Increasing Mix of Recurring Revenue



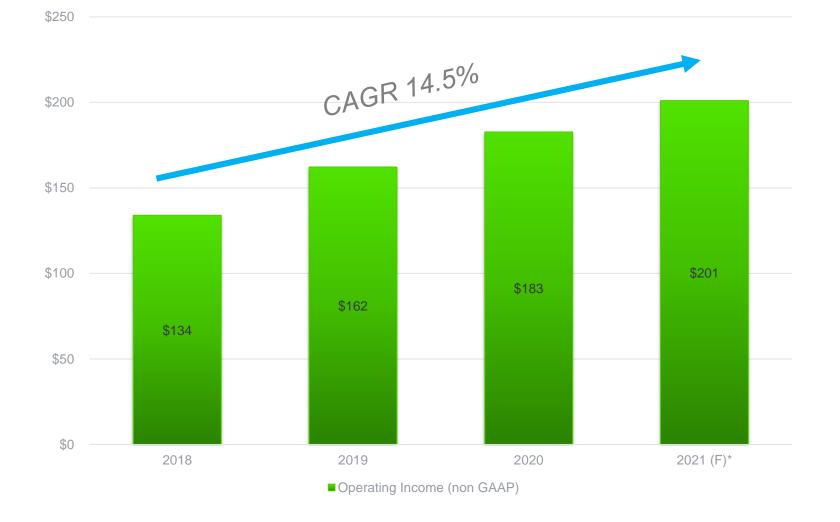
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Growing Profitability

Consistent growth in operating income
 CAGR 14.5% 2018 – 2021(F)*

Best-in-class operating margins consistently above 35%



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Introducing Annualized Recurring Revenue (ARR)

What it is and what it's not

It is:

- The annualized value of all recurring revenue related contracts in place at the end of the period.
- An operating metric that should be viewed independently of revenue and deferred revenue.

It is not:

- Intended to be combined with or replace revenue and deferred revenue
- A forecast of future revenue

What's included and excluded

Included:

- Maintenance Revenue
- Subscription revenue derived from hosted/SaaS solutions and on prem term license arrangements

Excluded:

- Revenue reported as perpetual license
- Non-Recurring professional services

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Introducing Net Dollar Retention Rate

What it is and what it's not

It is:

- A calculation (detailed below) which attempts to capture all potential customer actions
- An operating metric that should be viewed independently of revenue

It is not:

- Intended to be combined with or replace revenue and deferred revenue
- Meant to be a forecast of future revenue

Beginning ARR



Annualized Recurring Revenue (amounts reported in constant currency)





Note: ARR is a Non-GAAP operating metric and does not have a standardized definition. It is therefore unlikely to be comparable to similarly titled measures presented by other companies. ARR should be viewed independently of revenue and deferred revenue and is not intended to be combined with or to replace either of those items. ARR is not a forecast and the active contracts at the end of a reporting period used in calculating ARR may or may not be extended or renewed by our customers.



Capital Allocation Focus



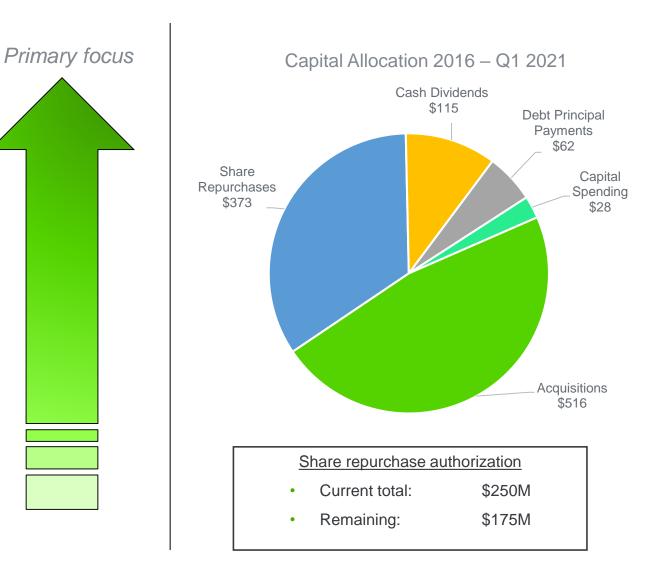
 Continue to return capital to shareholders in the form of dividends



Accretive M&A that meets our disciplined criteria



- Repurchase shares to offset dilution from our equity programs
 - Existing authorization \$250M; \$175M remaining
 - Flexibility to increase, reduce or suspend repurchases, depending on market conditions and size and timing of M&A



Business Outlook (as of March 25, 2021)

	Q2 2021 Current Outlook	FY 2021 Prior Outlook (As of 1/14/2021)	FY 2021 Current Outlook
Non-GAAP Revenue	\$119 M – \$123 M	\$513 M – \$521 M	\$519 M – \$527 M 🕇
Non-GAAP EPS	\$0.72 - \$0.74	\$3.22 – \$3.28	\$3.38 - \$3.42
Non-GAAP Operating Margin	Not guided	37%	38%
Non-GAAP Adjusted Free Cash Flow	Not guided	\$150 M – \$155 M	\$155 M – \$160 M
Non-GAAP Effective Tax Rate	Not guided	20%	20%





Supplemental Financial Information *

* The following supplemental financial information is presented on a GAAP basis. A reconciliation of non-GAAP financial measures to the most directly comparable GAAP numbers can be found in the financial results press release that we issued today.

Results of Operations by Segment

(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended					
	February 28,	February 29,	%			
(In thousands)	2021	2020	Change			
Segment revenue:						
OpenEdge	84,603	77,079	109			
Data Connectivity and Intergration	5,528	13,685	(60%			
Application Development and Deployment	31,149	18,919	65%			
Total revenue	121,280	109,683	119			
Segment costs of revenue and operating expenses:						
OpenEdge	18,916	19,750	(4%)			
Data Connectivity and Integration	1,170	2,680	(56%			
Application Development and Deployment	15,410	7,288	1119			
Total costs of revenue and operating expense	35,496	29,718	199			
Segment contribution:						
OpenEdge	65,687	57,329	159			
Data Connectivity and Intergration	4,358	11,005	(60%			
Application Development and Deployment	15,739	11,631	35%			
Total contribution	85,784	79,965	79			
Other unallocated expenses	58,368	49,253	199			
Income from operations	27,416	30,712	(11%			
Other (expense) income, net	(2,652)	(3,397)	229			
Income before provision for income taxes	24,764	27,315	(9%			

⁽¹⁾The following expenses are not allocated to our segments as we manage and report our business in these functional areas on a consolidated basis only: certain product development and corporate sales and marketing expenses, customer support, administration, amortization of acquired intangibles, stock-based compensation, restructuring, and acquisition-related expenses.

Supplemental Revenue Information

(Unaudited)

(in thousands)	(Q1 2020	 22 2020	(23 2020	 24 2020	 Q1 2021
Revenue by Type							
License		30,629	19,663		27,514	37,443	33,31
Maintenance		70,056	71,686		72,764	74,381	76,97
Services		8,998	 9,034		9,421	 10,561	 10,98
Total Revenue	\$	109,683	\$ 100,383	\$	109,699	\$ 122,385	\$ 121,280
Revenue by Region							
North America		65,413	56,564		62,927	76,094	71,50
EMEA		34,988	34,157		37,447	37,162	40,24
Latin America		4,000	3,346		3,547	3,681	3,49
Asia Pacific		5,282	 6,316		5,778	 5,448	 6,04
Total Revenue	\$	109,683	\$ 100,383	\$	109,699	\$ 122,385	\$ 121,280
Revenue by Segment							
OpenEdge		77,079	77,735		85,794	85,836	84,60
Data Connectivity and Integration		13,685	3,662		4,468	12,372	5,52
Application Development and Deployment		18,919	 18,986		19,437	 24,177	 31,14
Total Revenue	\$	109,683	\$ 100,383	\$	109,699	\$ 122,385	\$ 121,28

Other NON-GAAP Financial Measures

(Unaudited)

(in thousands)		Q1 2021		n-GAAP justment	Non-GAAP Revenue		
Revenue by Type							
License		33,317		2,566		35,883	
Maintenance		76,977		7,850		84,827	
Services		10,986		88		11,074	
Total Revenue	\$	121,280	\$	10,504	\$	131,784	
Revenue by Region							
North America		71,505		6,486		77,991	
EMEA		40,240		3,509		43,749	
Latin America		3,493		53		3,546	
Asia Pacific		6,042		456		6,498	
Total Revenue	\$	121,280	\$	10,504	\$	131,784	
Revenue by Segment							
OpenEdge		84,603		705		85,308	
Data Connectivity and Integration		5,528		0		5,528	
Application Development and Deployment		31,149		9,799		40,948	
Total Revenue	\$	121,280	\$	10,504	\$	131,784	

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