UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

DATE OF REPORT (DATE OF EARLIEST EVENT REPORTED): November 1, 2012

TRIPADVISOR, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-35362 (Commission File Number) 80-0743202 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

141 Needham Street
Newton, MA
(Address of principal executive offices)

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

02464 (Zip code)

(617) 670-6300 Registrant's telephone number, including area code

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address if changed since last report)

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On November 1, 2012, TripAdvisor, Inc. issued a press release announcing its preliminary financial results for the quarter ended September 30, 2012. The full text of this press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

TripAdvisor, Inc. makes reference to non-GAAP financial measures in the press release, and includes information regarding such measures in the press release.

Pursuant to General Instruction B.2. to Form 8-K, the information set forth in this Item 2.02 and Exhibit 99.1 shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Number Number	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release of TripAdvisor, Inc. dated November 1, 2012.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

TRIPADVISOR, INC.

/s/ JULIE M. B. BRADLEY

Julie M. B. Bradley
Chief Financial Officer

Dated: November 1, 2012

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit
No. Description

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TripAdvisor Reports Third Quarter 2012 Financial Results

NEWTON, MA, November 1, 2012 — TripAdvisor, Inc. (NASDAQ: TRIP), the world's largest travel site, today reported financial results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2012.

- · Revenue for the third quarter increased to \$212.7 million, up 8% quarter-over-quarter and up 18% year-over-year
- · Net income for the third quarter increased 12% quarter-over-quarter and increased 9% year-over-year to \$59.4 million, or \$0.41 per diluted share
- · Non-GAAP net income for the third quarter increased 12% quarter-over-quarter and 12% year-over-year to \$65.8 million, or \$0.46 per diluted share
- Adjusted EBITDA for the third quarter increased 10% quarter-over-quarter and 15% year-over-year to \$107.1 million, or 50% of revenue
- Cash flow from operations for the third quarter increased 24% quarter-over-quarter and decreased 2% year-over-year to \$76.5 million, or 36% of revenue
- Free cash flow for the third quarter increased 24% quarter-over-quarter and decreased 4% year-over-year to \$69.1 million, or 32% of revenue
 - "As we drive continued traffic and content growth on a global scale, we are making wonderful strides to enhance the TripAdvisor experience for both our traveler community and our advertising partners alike," said Steve Kaufer, President and CEO of TripAdvisor. "These efforts, and TripAdvisor's record third quarter financial performance, put us squarely on track to meet our 2012 objectives."

Discussion of Third Quarter 2012 Results

Revenue for the third quarter of 2012 was \$212.7 million, an increase of \$31.9 million, or 18%, compared to the third quarter of 2011.

- **Click-based advertising** Revenue from click-based advertising totaled \$168.0 million for the third quarter of 2012, an increase of 15% compared to the third quarter of 2011. Click-based advertising revenue represented 79% of total revenue in the third quarter of 2012, compared to 81% in the third quarter of 2011.
- **Display-based advertising** Revenue from display-based advertising totaled \$23.6 million for the third quarter of 2012, an increase of 12% compared to the third quarter of 2011. Display-based advertising revenue represented 11% of total revenue in the third quarter of 2012, compared to 11% in the third quarter of 2011.
- Subscription and other Revenue from subscription and other totaled \$21.1 million for the third quarter of 2012, an increase of 53% compared to the third quarter of 2011. Subscription and other revenue represented 10% of total revenue in the third quarter of 2012, compared to 8% in the third quarter of 2011

For the third quarter of 2012, U.S. revenue totaled \$105.6 million, and represented 50% of total revenue, compared to 53% in the third quarter of 2011.

Revenue from the U.K. totaled \$30.4 million, and represented 14% of total revenue for the third quarter of 2012, compared to 16% in the third quarter of 2011. Revenue from the rest of the world totaled \$76.7 million, and represented 36% of total revenue for the third quarter of 2012, compared to 31% in the third quarter of 2011. Click-based advertising revenue and Display-based advertising revenue by geography are measured by the point-of-sale on which the transaction occurs.

Related-party revenue from Expedia increased 2% quarter-over-quarter and decreased 6% year-over-year to \$56.9 million.

GAAP net income for the third quarter of 2012 was \$59.4 million, or \$0.41 per diluted share, compared to GAAP net income of \$54.3 million, or \$0.41 per diluted share, for the third quarter of 2011. For the third quarter ended September 30, 2011, we computed diluted earnings per share using the number of shares of common stock and Class B common stock outstanding immediately following the spin-off from Expedia, as no TripAdvisor equity awards were outstanding prior to the spin-off.

Adjusted EBITDA for the third quarter of 2012 was \$107.1 million, and Adjusted EBITDA margin was 50%, compared to Adjusted EBITDA of \$93.3 million and Adjusted EBITDA margin of 52% for the third quarter of 2011.

Cash flow from operating activities for the third quarter 2012 was \$76.5 million, a decrease of \$1.4 million, or 2%, compared to the third quarter of 2011. Free cash flow for the third quarter of 2012 was \$69.1 million, a decrease of 4% compared to the third quarter of 2011.

As of September 30, 2012, cash and cash equivalents were \$548.4 million.

Other Third Quarter 2012 and Recent Business Highlights

- TripAdvisor's travel community averaged more than 57 million monthly unique visitors for the quarter ended September 30, 2012, according to comScore. At over 10% of the world's monthly unique visitors in online travel, TripAdvisor remains the largest travel website in the world.
- TripAdvisor content collection on approximately 650,000 hotels and accommodations, 980,000 restaurants and 220,000 attractions in more than 120,000 destinations throughout the world accelerated during the third quarter to more than 60 pieces per minute.
- TripAdvisor announced a content syndication and review collection partnership with Wyndham Hotel Group as well as a content syndication agreement with Best Western and now has more than 500 content syndication partnerships with major travel brands throughout the world.
- TripAdvisor averaged more than 34 million monthly Facebook visitors to its website and Facebook app during the third quarter, according to AppData, and now has more than 36 million marketable members, according to company logs.
- TripAdvisor reached more than 26 million downloads of its TripAdvisor, City Guides and SeatGuru mobile apps and average unique monthly visitors via mobile devices grew over 130% year over year to more than 35 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2012, according to company logs.
- · Subsequent to the end of the quarter, TripAdvisor announced the acquisition of travel inspiration site, Wanderfly.

Conference Call

TripAdvisor will host a conference call today, November 1, 2012 at 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time, to discuss TripAdvisor's third quarter 2012 operating results, as well as other forward-looking information about TripAdvisor's business. Domestic callers may access the earnings conference call by dialing (877) 224-9081 (International callers, dial (224) 357-2223). Investors and other interested parties may also go to the Investor Relations section of TripAdvisor's website at http://ir.tripadvisor.com/events.cfm for a live webcast of the conference call. Please access the website at least 15 minutes prior to the call to register, download, and install any necessary audio software. A replay of the conference call will be available on TripAdvisor's website noted above or by phone (dial (855) 859-2056 if domestic, (404) 537-3406 if international, and enter the pass code 28775719) until November 8, 2012 and the webcast will be accessible at http://ir.tripadvisor.com/events.cfm for at least twelve months following the conference call.

About TripAdvisor

TripAdvisor® is the world's largest travel site,* enabling travelers to plan and have the perfect trip. TripAdvisor offers trusted advice from real travelers and a wide variety of travel choices and planning features with seamless links to booking tools. TripAdvisor branded sites make up the largest travel community in the world, with more than 60 million unique monthly visitors*, and over 75 million reviews and opinions. The sites operate in 30 countries worldwide, including China under daodao.com. TripAdvisor also includes TripAdvisor for Business, a dedicated division that provides the tourism industry access to millions of monthly TripAdvisor visitors.

TripAdvisor, Inc. (NASDAQ: TRIP) manages and operates websites under 19 other travel media brands, and together the sites attract more than 74 million unique monthly visitors.** TripAdvisor, Inc.'s travel media brands include www.brands.com, <a href="https://w

- * Source: comScore Media Metrix for TripAdvisor Sites, Worldwide, July 2012
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TripAdvisor, Inc. SELECTED FINANCIAL INFORMATION (in thousands, except for share and per share data)

Consolidated and Combined Statements of Operations (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended					Nine Months Ended				
		mber 30, 2012		ie 30, 2012		mber 30, 2011		nber 30, 2012		ember 30, 2011
Revenue	\$	155,835	\$	141,408	\$	120,384	\$	429,370	\$	325,705
Related-party revenue from Expedia		56,875		55,740		60,417		164,203		173,560
Total revenues		212,710		197,148		180,801		593,573		499,265
Costs and expenses:										
Cost of revenue		2,876		2,926		3,227		8,536		8,193
Selling and marketing (1)		67,647		64,243		60,349		199,279		157,229
Technology and content (1)		23,535		21,574		14,748		62,950		41,216
General and administrative (1)		20,056		18,252		9,194		54,562		25,332
Related-party shared services fee to										
Expedia		_		_		1,980		_		5,940
Depreciation		5,037		4,715		4,630		14,033		13,246
Amortization of intangible assets		1,310		1,760		2,394		4,909		5,643
Spin-off costs						2,211		<u> </u>		3,265
Total costs and expenses:		120,461		113,470		98,733		344,269		260,064
Operating income	92,249		83,678		82,068		249,304			239,201
Total other expense, net	(1,439)		(6,944)		(2,590)		(10,619)			(853)
Income before income taxes	90,810		76,734		79,478		238,685			238,348
Provision for income taxes		(31,275)		(23,569)		(25,185)		(77,814)		(82,574)
Net income		59,535		53,165		54,293	<u></u>	160,871		155,774
Net (income) loss attributable to non-controlling										
interest		(175)		(146)		21		(381)		(118)
Net income attributable to TripAdvisor Inc	\$	59,360	\$	53,019	\$	54,314	\$	160,490	\$	155,656
Earnings per share attributable to TripAdvisor, Inc:			<u> </u>			_				_
Basic	\$	0.42	\$	0.38	\$	0.41	\$	1.16	\$	1.17
Diluted	\$	0.41	\$	0.37	\$	0.41	\$	1.14	\$	1.17
Weighted average common shares outstanding:			-				-			
Basic		142,342,040		139,277,792		133,461,019		138,457,804		133,461,019
Diluted		143,656,985		141,736,894		133,461,019		140,517,184		133,461,019
(1) Includes stock-based compensation as follows:										
Selling and marketing	\$	1,184	\$	923	\$	568	\$	3,185	\$	1,962
Technology and content		3,187		2,426		750		7,125		2,277
General and administrative		4,092		3,419		719		9,613		2,240

Consolidated Balance Sheets (Unaudited)

	September 30, 2012	December 31, 2011
ASSETS		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 548,372	\$ 183,532
Accounts receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of \$2,482 and \$5,370 at September 30, 2012 and		
December 31, 2011, respectively	103,080	67,936
Receivable from Expedia, net	32,549	14,081
Deferred income taxes, net	6,648	6,494
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	8,934	6,279
Total current assets	699,583	278,322
Long-term assets:		
Property and equipment, net	41,133	34,754
Other long-term assets	10,483	11,888
Intangible assets, net	39,399	44,030
Goodwill	468,685	466,892
Total long-term assets	559,700	557,564
Total Assets	\$1,259,283	\$ 835,886
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 20,421	\$ 12,097
Deferred revenue	30,014	19,395
Credit facility borrowings	29,483	26,734
Borrowings, current	35,000	20,000
Taxes payable	14,945	17,229
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	47,662	31,075
Total current liabilities	177,525	126,530
Deferred income taxes, net	13,399	16,004
Borrowings, net of current portion	350,000	380,000
Other	29,715	19,815
Stockholders' equity:		
Preferred stock, \$0.001 par value		
Authorized shares: 100,000,000	_	_
Shares issued and outstanding: 0 and 0		
Common stock \$0.001 par value	130	121
Authorized shares: 1,600,000,000		
Shares issued and outstanding: 129,560,833 and 120,661,808		
Class B common stock \$0.001 par value	13	13
Authorized shares: 400,000,000		
Shares issued and outstanding: 12,799,999 and 12,799,999		
Additional paid-in capital	526,397	293,744
Retained earnings	162,859	2,369
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(755)	(2,710)
Total stockholders' equity	688,644	293,537
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	\$1,259,283	\$ 835,886

TripAdvisor, Inc. Consolidated and Combined Statement of Cash Flows (Unaudited)

		Three Months Ended	Nine Months Ended				
	September 30, 2012	June 30, 2012	September 30, 2012 September 3				
Operating activities:							
Net income	\$ 59,535	\$ 53,165	54,293	\$ 160,871	\$ 155,774		
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash							
provided by operating activities:							
Depreciation of property and equipment,							
including internal-use software and website	- 00 -	. = . =	4.630	4.4.000	10.04		
development	5,037	4,715	4,630	14,033	13,240		
Stock-based compensation	8,463	6,768	2,037	19,923	6,479		
Amortization of intangible assets	1,310	1,760	2,394	4,909	5,643		
Amortization of deferred financing costs	208	211	_	683			
Deferred tax benefit	487	(45)	-	413	(17-		
Excess tax benefits from stock-based		(0.5.0)	,a\	(2.42)	a=		
compensation	(178)	(328)	(220)	(2,189)	(1,65)		
Provision for doubtful accounts	(284)	(863)	21	(1,584)	60		
Foreign exchange (gain) loss on cash and cash							
equivalents, net	(544)	2,812	602	1,779	(1)		
Other	(488)	472	1,437	21	215		
Changes in operating assets and liabilities, net of							
effects from acquisitions:							
Accounts receivable	(5,006)	2,185	3,670	(32,461)	(21,48		
Related parties	8,856	(7,951)		(25,500)			
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	(6)	(726)	(249)	(1,885)	(1,77		
Accounts payable	(8,935)	5,732	5,985	8,877	18,21		
Taxes payable	(2,712)	(10,588)	2,064	(4,534)	6,60		
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	7,894	4,333	1,010	14,190	2,93		
Deferred revenue	2,815	106	176	10,383	7,10		
Net cash provided by operating activities	76,452	61,758	77,850	167,929	191,72		
nvesting activities:							
Acquisitions, net of cash acquired	_	_	(3,001)	_	(7,89		
Capital expenditures, including internal-use							
software and website development	(7,338)	(5,910)	(5,605)	(20,587)	(16,02		
Distribution proceeds from Expedia, Inc.							
related to Spin-Off	_	_	_	7,028	_		
Transfers to Expedia Inc., net	_	_	(13,888)	_	(104,01		
Maturity of short-term investments			20,356		20,35		
Net cash used in investing activities	(7,338)	(5,910)	(2,138)	(13,559)	(107,58		
Financing activities:							
Acquisitions funded by Expedia, Inc.	_	_	_	_	5,13		
Proceeds from credit facility	5,171	4,734	1,539	12,798	4,32		
Payments to credit facility	_	_	_	(10,000)			
Principal payments on long-term debt	(5,000)	(5,000)	_	(15,000)	_		
Proceeds from exercise of stock options and							
warrants	482	216,843	_	226,251	_		
Payment of minimum withholding taxes on							
RSU vesting	(654)	(76)	_	(3,689)	_		
Excess tax benefits from stock-based							
compensation	178	328	220	2,189	1,65		
Net cash provided by financing activities	177	216,829	1,759	212,549	11,10		
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash							
equivalents	840	(3,061)	(815)	(2,079)	(
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	70,131	269,616	76,656	364,840	95,24		
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	478,241	208,625	111,724	183,532	93,133		
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 548,372	\$ 478,241	\$ 188,380	\$ 548,372	\$ 188,380		

Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

To supplement the financial measures presented in TripAdvisor's press release and related conference call or webcast in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States ("GAAP"), TripAdvisor also reports Non-GAAP net income and Non-GAAP net income per diluted share, Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA Margin and free cash flow, which are supplemental measures to GAAP and are defined by the Securities and Exchange Commission as non-GAAP financial measures. A "non-GAAP financial measure" refers to a numerical measure of a company's historical or future financial performance, financial position, or cash flows that excludes (or includes) amounts that are included in (or excluded from) the most directly comparable measure calculated and presented in accordance with GAAP in such company's financial statements.

TripAdvisor defines "Non-GAAP net income" as net income before expenses related to stock-based compensation and amortization of intangible assets and non-recurring expenses, net of related tax effects.

TripAdvisor defines "Non-GAAP net income per diluted share" as Non-GAAP net income divided by non-GAAP weighted average diluted shares outstanding, which included dilution from options and warrants per the treasury stock method and include all weighted average shares relating to RSUs in shares outstanding for Non-GAAP net income per diluted share.

TripAdvisor defines "Adjusted EBITDA" as operating income (loss), excluding depreciation of property and equipment, which includes internal use software and website development, amortization of intangible assets, stock-based compensation and non-recurring expenses. Adjusted EBITDA is the primary metric by which management evaluates the performance of its business and on which internal budgets are based. In particular, the exclusion of certain expenses in calculating Adjusted EBITDA facilitates operating performance comparisons on a period-to-period basis. Adjusted EBITDA eliminates items that are either not part of TripAdvisor's core operations such as the costs incurred to spin-off from Expedia or those costs that do not require a cash outlay, such as stock-based compensation. Adjusted EBITDA also excludes depreciation and amortization expense, which is based on TripAdvisor's estimate of the useful life of tangible and intangible assets. These estimates could vary from actual performance of the asset, are based on historical costs and other factors and may not be indicative of current or future capital expenditures. We believe that by excluding certain items, such as stock-based compensation and non-recurring expenses, Adjusted EBITDA corresponds more closely to the cash operating income generated from our business and allows investors to gain an understanding of the factors and trends affecting the ongoing cash earnings capabilities of our business, from which capital investments are made and debt is serviced.

TripAdvisor defines "Adjusted EBITDA margin" as Adjusted EBITDA as a percentage of revenue.

TripAdvisor defines "Non-GAAP Selling and Marketing" and "Non GAAP Technology and Content" expenses as GAAP Selling and Marketing and GAAP Technology and Content expenses, respectively, before stock-based compensation expense. The Company defines "Non-GAAP General and Administrative" expense as GAAP General and Administrative expense, including related-party shared services expense and before stock-based compensation expense.

TripAdvisor defines "free cash flow" as net cash provided by (used in) operating activities less capital expenditures, which are purchases of property and equipment, including capitalization of internal-use software development costs. We believe that these non-GAAP financial measures are useful measures for analysts and investors to evaluate our future on-going performance as these measures allow a more meaningful comparison of our projected cash earnings and performance with our historical results from prior periods and to the results of our competitors. Moreover, management uses these measures internally to evaluate the performance of our business as a whole.

TripAdvisor provides these non-GAAP financial measures as additional information relating to TripAdvisor's operating results as a complement to results provided in accordance with GAAP. Management believes that investors should have access to the same set of tools that management uses to analyze our results. The non-GAAP financial information presented here should be considered in conjunction with, and not as a substitute for or superior to the financial information presented in accordance with GAAP and should not be considered measures of TripAdvisor's liquidity. There are significant limitations associated with the use of non-GAAP financial measures. Further, these measures may differ from the non-GAAP information, even where similarly titled, used by other companies and therefore should not be used to compare the Company's performance to that of other companies. TripAdvisor endeavors to compensate for the limitation of the non-GAAP measures presented by also providing the most directly comparable GAAP measures and descriptions of the reconciling items and adjustments to derive the non-GAAP measures.

Pursuant to the requirements of Regulation G, we present a reconciliation of these non-GAAP financial measures to the nearest GAAP measure below.

TripAdvisor, Inc. RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES (in thousands, except for share and per share data) (Unaudited)

			Three 1	Months Ended		Nine Months Ended				
	Sep	ptember 30, 2012		mber 30, 2011				eptember 30, 2011		
Non-GAAP operating expenses:										
GAAP Selling and marketing	\$	67,647	\$	64,243	\$	60,349	\$	199,279	\$	157,229
Subtract: Stock-based compensation										
expense		1,184		923		568		3,185		1,962
Non-GAAP Selling and marketing	\$	66,463	\$	63,320	\$	59,781	\$	196,094	\$	155,267
GAAP Technology and content	\$	23,535	\$	21,574	\$	14,748	\$	62,950	\$	41,216
Subtract: Stock-based compensation										
expense		3,187		2,426		750		7,125		2,277
Non-GAAP Technology and content	\$	20,348	\$	19,148	\$	13,998	\$	55,825	\$	38,939
GAAP General and administrative	\$	20,056	\$	18,252	\$	9,194	\$	54,562	\$	25,332
Add: Related-party shared services fee		_		_		1,980		_		5,940
Subtract: Stock-based compensation										
expense		4,092		3,419		719		9,613		2,240
Non-GAAP General and administrative	\$	15,964	\$	14,833	\$	10,455	\$	44,949	\$	29,032
Non-GAAP net income and net	_		_				_		_	
income per share:										
GAAP net income	\$	59,360	\$	53.019	\$	54,314	\$	160,490	\$	155,656
Add: Stock based compensation	•	22,200	-	55,525	-	0 1,02 1	_		-	
expense		8,463		6,768		2,037		19,923		6,479
Add: Amortization of intangible assets		1,310		1,760		2,394		4,909		5,643
Add: Spin off Costs		_		_		2,211		_		3,265
Subtract: Income tax effect of Non-						, i				-,
GAAP adjustments (1)		3,366		2,619		2,105		8,095		5,330
Non-GAAP net income	\$	65,767	\$	58,928	\$	58,851	\$	177,227	\$	165,713
GAAP diluted shares	_	143,656,985	14	1,736,894	1	33,461,019		140,517,184	_	133,461,019
Add: Additional restricted stock units		560,786	Ι.	598,639	_			604,793		
Non-GAAP diluted shares	_	144,217,771	14	2,335,533	1	.33,461,019		141,121,977		133,461,019
	\$	0.41	\$	0.37	\$	0.41	\$		\$	1.17
GAAP net income per diluted share Non-GAAP net income per diluted	Ф	0.41	Þ	0.57	Þ	0.41	Ф	1.14	Ф	1.1/
share		0.46		0.41		0.44		1.26		1.24
Adjusted EBITDA:		0.40		0.41		0.44		1.20		1,24
Operating Income	\$	92,249	\$	83,678	\$	82,068	\$	249,304	\$	239,201
Add: Depreciation and amortization	Ψ	6,347	Ψ	6,475	Ψ	7,024	Ψ	18,942	Ψ	18,889
Add: Stock-based compensation		0,547		0,475		7,024		10,542		10,003
expense		8,463		6,768		2,037		19,923		6,479
Spin off Costs				—		2,211				3,265
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	107,059	\$	96,921	\$	93,340	\$	288,169	\$	267,834
Divide by:	_		<u> </u>	0 0,0 11	<u> </u>	00,010	_		_	
Revenue	\$	212,710	\$	197,148	\$	180,801	\$	593,573	\$	499,265
Adjusted EBITDA margin	Ψ	50.3%	Ψ	49.2%	Ψ	51.6%	Ψ	48.5%	Ψ	53.6%
Free Cash Flow:	_			13.270		51.070	_	10.570	_	33.070
Net cash provided by operating										
activities	\$	76,452	\$	61,758	\$	77,850	\$	167,929	\$	191,721
Subtract: Capital expenditures	Φ	7,338	Ф	5,910	Φ	5,605	Φ	20,587	Φ	16,029
Free cash flow	\$	69,114	\$	55,848	\$	72,245	\$	147,342	\$	175,692
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⁽¹⁾ Represents the reduction in the income tax benefit recorded for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2012 based on our effective tax rate for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2012, respectively. The non-GAAP adjustments impact on the provision for income taxes recorded for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2012 is immaterial.

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