
**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): April 18, 2018

Crown Castle International Corp.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

001-16441

(Commission File Number)

76-0470458

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**1220 Augusta Drive, Suite 600
Houston, TX**

(Address of principal executive offices)

77057

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(713) 570-3000**

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

ITEM 2.02 — RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On April 18, 2018, Crown Castle International Corp. ("Company") issued a press release disclosing its financial results for first quarter 2018. The April 18, 2018 press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

ITEM 7.01 — REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

The press release referenced in Item 2.02 above refers to certain supplemental information that was posted as a supplemental information package on the Company's website on April 18, 2018. The supplemental information package is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.2.

ITEM 9.01 — FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit Index

As described in Item 2.02 and 7.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K ("Form 8-K"), the following exhibits are furnished as part of this Form 8-K:

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release dated April 18, 2018
99.2	Supplemental Information Package for period ended March 31, 2018

The information in this Form 8-K and Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2 attached hereto shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended ("Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall such information be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

SIGNATURES

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.

CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP.

By: /s/ Kenneth J. Simon

Name: Kenneth J. Simon

Title: Senior Vice President
and General Counsel

Date: April 18, 2018



NEWS RELEASE
April 18, 2018

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CROWN CASTLE REPORTS FIRST QUARTER 2018 RESULTS AND RAISES OUTLOOK FOR FULL YEAR 2018

April 18, 2018 - HOUSTON, TEXAS - Crown Castle International Corp. (NYSE: CCI) ("Crown Castle") today reported results for the quarter ended March 31, 2018.

"After another quarter of very good financial and operating performance in the first quarter, we remain excited about the opportunities for our business to support growing data demand in the U.S.," stated Jay Brown, Crown Castle's Chief Executive Officer. "We continue to see tremendous activity across our unique portfolio of infrastructure assets. In our tower business, we have recently signed comprehensive leasing agreements with several of our largest customers, which we believe signals the beginning of a sustained period of infrastructure investments by our customers. In our fiber business, the volume of small cell bookings in the first quarter was comparable to what we booked during all of 2016, resulting in an increase in our contracted pipeline to more than 30,000 nodes. We also continue to make very good progress on integrating our recent fiber acquisitions. We believe our unique value proposition as a shared communications infrastructure provider will allow us to translate the growing demand for data into growth in cash flows and, thus, deliver on our 7% to 8% annual growth target in dividends per share."

RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER

The table below sets forth select financial results for the three month period ended March 31, 2018 and 2017. For further information, refer to the financial statements and non-GAAP, segment and other calculation reconciliations included in this press release.

<i>(in millions)</i>	Actual				Midpoint Q1 2018 Outlook ^(b)	Actual Compared to Outlook
	Q1 2018	Q1 2017	\$ Change	% Change		
Site rental revenues	\$1,153	\$857	+\$296	+35%	\$1,137	+\$16
Net income (loss)	\$114	\$119	-\$5	-4%	\$129	-\$15
Adjusted EBITDA ^(a)	\$763	\$581	+\$182	+31%	\$750	+\$13
AFFO ^{(a)(c)}	\$558	\$450	+\$108	+24%	\$543	+\$15
Weighted-average common shares outstanding - diluted	410	362	+48	+13%	408	+2

Note: Figures may not tie due to rounding.

(a) See reconciliation of this non-GAAP financial measure to net income (loss) and definition included herein.

(b) As issued on January 24, 2018.

(c) Attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

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HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE QUARTER

- **Site rental revenues.** Site rental revenues grew approximately 35%, or \$296 million, from first quarter 2017 to first quarter 2018, inclusive of approximately \$47 million in Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues plus \$234 million in contributions from acquisitions and other items, plus a \$15 million increase in straight-lined revenues. The \$47 million in Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues represents approximately 5.5% growth, comprised of approximately 8% growth from new leasing activity and contracted tenant escalations, net of approximately 2.5% from tenant non-renewals. Site rental revenues for first quarter 2018 benefited by approximately \$12 million from a long-term agreement signed with AT&T ("AT&T Agreement") that includes contracted new leasing activity across towers and small cells.
- **Net income.** Net income for first quarter 2018 was \$114 million and was impacted by approximately \$71 million of losses on the retirement of long-term obligations.
- **Adjusted EBITDA.** When compared to the prior first quarter 2018 Outlook, Adjusted EBITDA benefited by approximately \$12 million from the AT&T Agreement.
- **AFFO.** When compared to the prior first quarter 2018 Outlook, AFFO for first quarter 2018 benefited from approximately \$11 million of lower sustaining capital expenditures due to timing as those expenditures are expected to occur later in 2018.
- **Capital expenditures and acquisitions.** Capital expenditures during the quarter were approximately \$370 million, comprised of approximately \$14 million of land purchases, approximately \$22 million of sustaining capital expenditures, approximately \$328 million of revenue generating capital expenditures and approximately \$6 million of integration capital expenditures.
- **Common stock dividend.** During the quarter, Crown Castle paid common stock dividends of \$1.05 per common share, an increase of approximately 11% compared to the same period a year ago.
- **Financing activities.** Crown Castle issued \$1.75 billion in aggregate principal amount of senior unsecured notes in January and sold 7.765 million shares of its common stock in March ("March Equity Offering"), resulting in additional gross proceeds of approximately \$850 million. Net proceeds from both transactions were used for general corporate purposes, including the repayment of existing indebtedness.
- **Overall Results.** Adjusted for the benefit associated with the AT&T Agreement and the timing of the sustaining capital expenditures, first quarter 2018 results exceeded the midpoint of the prior first quarter 2018 Outlook for site rental revenues, Adjusted EBITDA and AFFO.

"We believe we remain on track to deliver another year of solid growth in 2018 following another quarter of great execution by our team," stated Dan Schlanger, Crown Castle's Chief Financial Officer. "We are excited about the opportunity we see to generate compelling total returns for our shareholders in the near to medium term through a combination of dividends and growth, while at the same time making significant investments in our business that we believe will generate attractive returns longer term and support future growth in dividends per share."

OUTLOOK

This Outlook section contains forward-looking statements, and actual results may differ materially. Information regarding potential risks which could cause actual results to differ from the forward-looking statements herein is set forth below and in Crown Castle's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC").

The following table sets forth Crown Castle's current Outlook for second quarter 2018 and full year 2018:

<i>(in millions)</i>	Second Quarter 2018	Full Year 2018
Site rental revenues	\$1,153 to \$1,163	\$4,639 to \$4,684
Site rental cost of operations ^(a)	\$348 to \$358	\$1,375 to \$1,420
Net income (loss)	\$139 to \$164	\$589 to \$669
Adjusted EBITDA ^(b)	\$757 to \$767	\$3,097 to \$3,142
Interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs ^(c)	\$154 to \$164	\$616 to \$661
FFO ^{(b)(d)}	\$496 to \$506	\$2,002 to \$2,047
AFFO ^{(b)(d)}	\$539 to \$549	\$2,255 to \$2,300
Weighted-average common shares outstanding - diluted ^(e)	416	415

(a) Exclusive of depreciation, amortization and accretion.

(b) See reconciliation of this non-GAAP financial measure to net income (loss) and definition included herein.

(c) See reconciliation of "components of interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs" herein for a discussion of non-cash interest expense.

(d) Attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

(e) The assumption for second quarter 2018 and full year 2018 diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding is based on the diluted common shares outstanding as of March 31, 2018. For all periods presented, the diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding does not include any assumed conversion of preferred stock in the share count.

- Compared to the first quarter 2018, the midpoint of second quarter 2018 Outlook for Adjusted EBITDA and AFFO are expected to be impacted by certain seasonal or timing items, including approximately \$6 million of higher repair and maintenance expenses, \$6 million of higher sustaining capital expenditures and \$11 million of higher cash tax payments.

Full Year 2018 Outlook

The table below compares the results for full year 2017, midpoint of the current full year 2018 Outlook and the midpoint of the previously provided full year 2018 Outlook for select metrics.

<i>(in millions)</i>	Midpoint of FY 2018 Outlook to FY 2017 Actual Comparison				Previous Full Year 2018 Outlook ^(d)	Current Compared to Previous Outlook
	Current Full Year 2018 Outlook	Full Year 2017 Actual	\$ Change	% Change		
Site rental revenues	\$4,662	\$3,669	+\$993	+27%	\$4,605	+\$57
Net income (loss)	\$629	\$445	+\$184	+41%	\$551	+\$78
Adjusted EBITDA ^(a)	\$3,120	\$2,482	+\$638	+26%	\$3,072	+\$48
AFFO ^{(a)(b)}	\$2,278	\$1,860	+\$418	+22%	\$2,242	+\$36
Weighted-average common shares outstanding - diluted ^(c)	415	383	+32	+8%	408	+7

(a) See reconciliation of this non-GAAP financial measure to net income (loss) and definition included herein.

(b) Attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

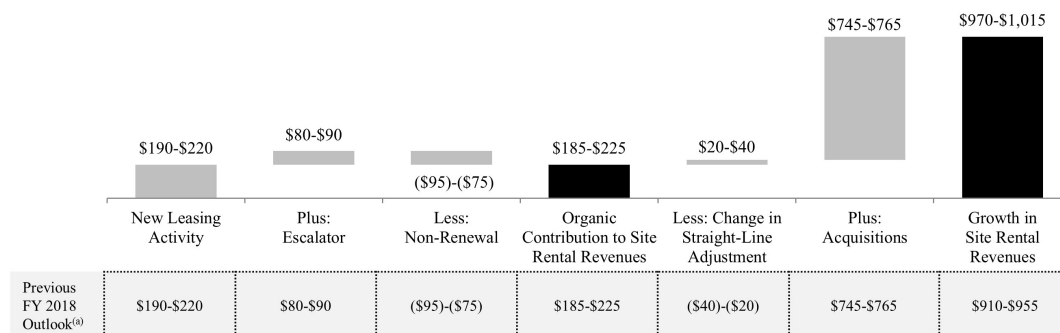
(c) The assumption for full year 2018 diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding is based on diluted common shares outstanding as of March 31, 2018. For all periods presented, the diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding does not include any assumed conversion of preferred stock in the share count.

(d) As issued on January 24, 2018.

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- The increases in full year 2018 Outlook primarily reflect the expected impact of the recently signed customer agreements and the March Equity Offering, as well as lower expected cash taxes, partially offset by higher anticipated expenses and an increase in expected floating interest rates when compared to the rates assumed in the prior Outlook.
- The chart below reconciles the components of expected growth in site rental revenues from 2017 to 2018 of \$970 million to \$1,015 million, inclusive of expected Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues during 2018 of \$185 million to \$225 million.

2018 Outlook for Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues, Growth in Site Rental Revenues (\$ in millions)

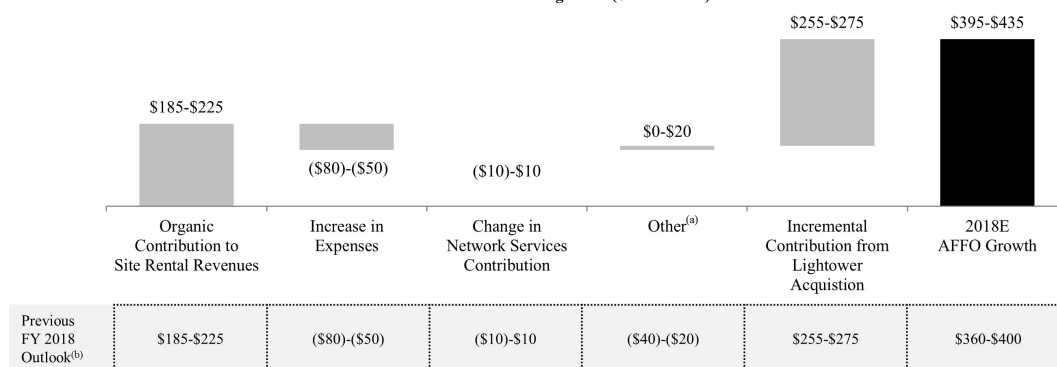


Note: Components may not sum due to rounding
 (a) As issued on January 24, 2018

- For the above chart, the entire expected contribution to full year 2018 Outlook for growth in site rental revenues from Lighttower is included within acquisitions.

- The chart below reconciles the components of expected growth in AFFO from 2017 to 2018 of \$395 million to \$435 million.

2018 Outlook for AFFO growth (\$ in millions)



Note: Components may not sum due to rounding

(a) Includes changes in cash interest expense, changes in sustaining capital expenditures, changes in cash taxes, incremental contributions from acquisitions (excluding Lightower acquisition), and other adjustments

(b) As issued on January 24, 2018

- When compared to the previous full year 2018 Outlook, the increase in expected growth in AFFO primarily reflects the March Equity Offering and lower expected cash taxes, partially offset by higher anticipated expenses and an increase in expected floating interest rates when compared to the rates assumed in the prior Outlook.
- Additional information is available in Crown Castle's quarterly Supplemental Information Package posted in the Investors section of its website.

CONFERENCE CALL DETAILS

Crown Castle has scheduled a conference call for Thursday, April 19, 2018, at 10:30 a.m. Eastern time to discuss its first quarter 2018 results. The conference call may be accessed by dialing 800-239-9838 and asking for the Crown Castle call (access code 3965492) at least 30 minutes prior to the start time. The conference call may also be accessed live over the Internet at <http://investor.crowncastle.com>. Supplemental materials for the call have been posted on the Crown Castle website at <http://investor.crowncastle.com>.

A telephonic replay of the conference call will be available from 1:30 p.m. Eastern time on Thursday, April 19, 2018, through 1:30 p.m. Eastern time on Wednesday, July 18, 2018, and may be accessed by dialing 888-203-1112 and using access code 3965492. An audio archive will also be available on the company's website at <http://investor.crowncastle.com> shortly after the call and will be accessible for approximately 90 days.

ABOUT CROWN CASTLE

Crown Castle owns, operates and leases more than 40,000 cell towers and approximately 60,000 route miles of fiber supporting small cells and fiber solutions across every major U.S. market. This nationwide portfolio of communications infrastructure connects cities and communities to essential data, technology and wireless service - bringing information, ideas and innovations to the people and businesses that need them. For more information on Crown Castle, please visit www.crowncastle.com.

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Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations

This press release includes presentations of Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted Funds from Operations ("AFFO"), Funds from Operations ("FFO") and Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues, which are non-GAAP financial measures. These non-GAAP financial measures are not intended as alternative measures of operating results or cash flow from operations (as determined in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("GAAP")).

Our measures of Adjusted EBITDA, AFFO, FFO and Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of other companies, including other companies in the communications infrastructure sector or other real estate investment trusts ("REITs"). Our definition of FFO is consistent with guidelines from the National Association of Real Estate Investment Trusts with the exception of the impact of income taxes in periods prior to our REIT conversion in 2014.

In addition to the non-GAAP financial measures used herein, we also provide Segment Site Rental Gross Margin, Segment Network Services and Other Gross Margin and Segment Operating Profit, which are key measures used by management to evaluate our operating segments for purposes of making decisions about allocating capital and assessing performance. These segment measures are provided pursuant to GAAP requirements related to segment reporting. In addition, we provide the components of certain GAAP measures, such as capital expenditures.

Adjusted EBITDA, AFFO, FFO and Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues are presented as additional information because management believes these measures are useful indicators of the financial performance of our business. Among other things, management believes that:

- Adjusted EBITDA is useful to investors or other interested parties in evaluating our financial performance. Adjusted EBITDA is the primary measure used by management (1) to evaluate the economic productivity of our operations and (2) for purposes of making decisions about allocating resources to, and assessing the performance of, our operations. Management believes that Adjusted EBITDA helps investors or other interested parties meaningfully evaluate and compare the results of our operations (1) from period to period and (2) to our competitors, by removing the impact of our capital structure (primarily interest charges from our outstanding debt) and asset base (primarily depreciation, amortization and accretion) from our financial results. Management also believes Adjusted EBITDA is frequently used by investors or other interested parties in the evaluation of the communications infrastructure sector and other REITs to measure financial performance without regard to items such as depreciation, amortization and accretion which can vary depending upon accounting methods and the book value of assets. In addition, Adjusted EBITDA is similar to the measure of current financial performance generally used in our debt covenant calculations. Adjusted EBITDA should be considered only as a supplement to net income computed in accordance with GAAP as a measure of our performance.
- AFFO is useful to investors or other interested parties in evaluating our financial performance. Management believes that AFFO helps investors or other interested parties meaningfully evaluate our financial performance as it includes (1) the impact of our capital structure (primarily interest expense on our outstanding debt and dividends on our preferred stock) and (2) sustaining capital expenditures, and excludes the impact of our (a) asset base (primarily depreciation, amortization and accretion) and (b) certain non-cash items, including straight-lined revenues and expenses related to fixed escalations and rent free periods. GAAP requires rental revenues and expenses related to leases that contain specified rental increases over the life of the lease to be recognized evenly over the life of the lease. In accordance with GAAP, if payment terms call for fixed escalations, or rent free periods, the revenue or expense is recognized on a straight-lined basis over the fixed, non-cancelable term of the contract. Management notes that Crown Castle uses AFFO only as a performance measure. AFFO should be considered only as a supplement to net income computed in accordance with GAAP as a measure of our performance and should not be considered as an alternative to cash flows from operations or as residual cash flow available for discretionary investment.
- FFO is useful to investors or other interested parties in evaluating our financial performance. Management believes that FFO may be used by investors or other interested parties as a basis to compare our financial performance with that of other REITs. FFO helps investors or other interested parties meaningfully evaluate financial performance by excluding the impact of our asset base (primarily depreciation, amortization and accretion). FFO is not a key performance indicator used by Crown Castle. FFO should be considered only as a supplement to net income computed in accordance with GAAP as a measure of our performance and should not be considered as an alternative to cash flow from operations.

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- Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues is useful to investors or other interested parties in understanding the components of the year-over-year changes in our site rental revenues computed in accordance with GAAP. Management uses the Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues to assess year-over-year growth rates for our rental activities, to evaluate current performance, to capture trends in rental rates, new leasing activities and customer non-renewals in our core business, as well to forecast future results. Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues is not meant as an alternative measure of revenue and should be considered only as a supplement in understanding and assessing the performance of our site rental revenues computed in accordance with GAAP.

We define our non-GAAP financial measures, segment measures and other calculations as follows:

Non-GAAP Financial Measures

Adjusted EBITDA. We define Adjusted EBITDA as net income (loss) plus restructuring charges (credits), asset write-down charges, acquisition and integration costs, depreciation, amortization and accretion, amortization of prepaid lease purchase price adjustments, interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs, (gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations, net (gain) loss on interest rate swaps, (gains) losses on foreign currency swaps, impairment of available-for-sale securities, interest income, other (income) expense, (benefit) provision for income taxes, cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle, (income) loss from discontinued operations and stock-based compensation expense.

Adjusted Funds from Operations. We define Adjusted Funds from Operations as FFO before straight-lined revenue, straight-lined expense, stock-based compensation expense, non-cash portion of tax provision, non-real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion, amortization of non-cash interest expense, other (income) expense, (gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations, net (gain) loss on interest rate swaps, (gains) losses on foreign currency swaps, acquisition and integration costs, and adjustments for noncontrolling interests, and less capital improvement capital expenditures and corporate capital expenditures (i.e., sustaining capital expenditures).

Funds from Operations. We define Funds from Operations as net income plus real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion and asset write-down charges, less noncontrolling interest and cash paid for preferred stock dividends, and is a measure of funds from operations attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues. We define the Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues as the sum of the change in GAAP site rental revenues related to (1) new leasing activity, including revenues from the construction of small cells and the impact of prepaid rent, (2) escalators and less (3) non-renewals of customer contracts.

Segment Measures

Segment Site Rental Gross Margin. We define Segment Site Rental Gross Margin as segment site rental revenues less segment site rental cost of operations, excluding stock-based compensation expense and prepaid lease purchase price adjustments recorded in consolidated site rental cost of operations.

Segment Network Services and Other Gross Margin. We define Segment Network Services and Other Gross Margin as segment network services and other revenues less segment network services and other cost of operations, excluding stock-based compensation expense recorded in consolidated network services and other cost of operations.

Segment Operating Profit. We define Segment Operating Profit as segment site rental gross margin plus segment network services and other gross margin, less general and administrative expenses attributable to the respective segment.

Other Calculations

Discretionary capital expenditures. We define discretionary capital expenditures as those capital expenditures made with respect to activities which we believe exhibit sufficient potential to enhance long-term stockholder value. They consist of expansion or development of existing communications infrastructure, construction of new communications infrastructure, and, to a lesser extent, purchases of land assets under towers as we seek to manage our interests in the land beneath our towers.

Sustaining capital expenditures. We define sustaining capital expenditures as those capital expenditures made with respect to either (1) corporate capital expenditures or (2) capital improvement capital expenditures on our communications infrastructure assets that enable our customers' ongoing quiet enjoyment of the communications infrastructure.

Integration capital expenditures. We define integration capital expenditures as those capital expenditures made specifically with respect to recent acquisitions that are essential to integrating acquired companies into our business.

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The tables set forth below reconcile the non-GAAP financial measures used herein to comparable GAAP financial measures. The components in these tables may not sum to the total due to rounding. The Company has changed its presentation to millions and, as a result, any necessary rounding adjustments have been made to prior year disclosed amounts.

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Reconciliations of Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations to Comparable GAAP Financial Measures:**Reconciliation of Historical Adjusted EBITDA:**

<i>(in millions)</i>	For the Three Months Ended		For the Twelve Months Ended
	March 31, 2018	March 31, 2017	December 31, 2017
Net income (loss)	\$ 114	\$ 119	\$ 445
Adjustments to increase (decrease) net income (loss):			
Asset write-down charges	3	1	17
Acquisition and integration costs	6	6	61
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	374	289	1,242
Amortization of prepaid lease purchase price adjustments	5	5	20
Interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs ^(a)	160	134	591
(Gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations	71	4	4
Interest income	(1)	—	(19)
Other (income) expense	1	(6)	(1)
(Benefit) provision for income taxes	4	4	26
Stock-based compensation expense	26	25	96
Adjusted EBITDA^{(b)(c)}	\$ 763	\$ 581	\$ 2,482

(a) See the reconciliation of "components of interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs" herein for a discussion of non-cash interest expense.

(b) See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" herein for a discussion of our definition of Adjusted EBITDA.

(c) The above reconciliation excludes line items included in our definition which are not applicable for the periods shown.

Reconciliation of Current Outlook for Adjusted EBITDA:

<i>(in millions)</i>	Q2 2018		Full Year 2018	
	Outlook		Outlook	
Net income (loss)	\$139	to \$164	\$589	to \$669
Adjustments to increase (decrease) net income (loss):				
Asset write-down charges	\$9	to \$11	\$28	to \$38
Acquisition and integration costs	\$13	to \$17	\$45	to \$55
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	\$373	to \$393	\$1,517	to \$1,552
Amortization of prepaid lease purchase price adjustments	\$4	to \$6	\$19	to \$21
Interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs ^(a)	\$154	to \$164	\$616	to \$661
(Gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations	\$0	to \$0	\$71	to \$71
Interest income	\$(1)	to \$1	\$(3)	to \$1
Other (income) expense	\$(1)	to \$3	\$3	to \$5
(Benefit) provision for income taxes	\$8	to \$12	\$28	to \$36
Stock-based compensation expense	\$26	to \$30	\$104	to \$112
Adjusted EBITDA^{(b)(c)}	\$757	to \$767	\$3,097	to \$3,142

(a) See the reconciliation of "components of historical interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs" herein for a discussion of non-cash interest expense.

(b) See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" herein for a discussion of our definition of Adjusted EBITDA.

(c) The above reconciliation excludes line items included in our definition which are not applicable for the periods shown.

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Reconciliation of Historical FFO and AFFO:

(in millions)	For the Three Months Ended		For the Twelve Months Ended
	March 31, 2018	March 31, 2017	December 31, 2017
Net income (loss)	\$ 114	\$ 119	\$ 445
Real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion	359	281	1,211
Asset write-down charges	3	1	17
Dividends on preferred stock	(28)	—	(30)
FFO^{(a)(b)(c)(d)(e)}	\$ 447	\$ 401	\$ 1,643
FFO (from above)	\$ 447	\$ 401	\$ 1,643
Adjustments to increase (decrease) FFO:			
Straight-lined revenue	(16)	(1)	—
Straight-lined expense	23	23	93
Stock-based compensation expense	26	25	96
Non-cash portion of tax provision	4	4	9
Non-real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion	15	8	31
Amortization of non-cash interest expense	2	2	9
Other (income) expense	1	(6)	(2)
(Gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations	71	4	4
Acquisition and integration costs	6	6	61
Capital improvement capital expenditures	(13)	(7)	(41)
Corporate capital expenditures	(9)	(9)	(44)
AFFO^{(a)(b)(c)(d)(e)}	\$ 558	\$ 450	\$ 1,860

(a) See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" herein for a discussion of our definitions of FFO and AFFO.

(b) FFO and AFFO are reduced by cash paid for preferred stock dividends during the period in which they are paid.

(c) Diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding were 410 million, 362 million and 383 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017, and the twelve months ended December 31, 2017, respectively. For all periods presented, the diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding does not include any assumed conversion of preferred stock in the share count.

(d) The above reconciliation excludes line items included in our definition which are not applicable for the periods shown.

(e) Attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

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Reconciliation of Current Outlook for FFO and AFFO:

<i>(in millions)</i>	Q2 2018 Outlook	Full Year 2018 Outlook
Net income (loss)	\$139 to \$164	\$589 to \$669
Real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion	\$363 to \$373	\$1,466 to \$1,486
Asset write-down charges	\$9 to \$11	\$28 to \$38
Dividends on preferred stock	\$(28) to \$(28)	\$(113) to \$(113)
FFO^{(a)(b)(c)(d)(e)}	\$496 to \$506	\$2,002 to \$2,047
FFO (from above)	\$496 to \$506	\$2,002 to \$2,047
Adjustments to increase (decrease) FFO:		
Straight-lined revenue	\$(16) to \$(6)	\$(39) to \$(19)
Straight-lined expense	\$17 to \$27	\$77 to \$97
Stock-based compensation expense	\$26 to \$30	\$104 to \$112
Non-cash portion of tax provision	\$(7) to \$3	\$3 to \$18
Non-real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion	\$10 to \$20	\$51 to \$66
Amortization of non-cash interest expense	\$(1) to \$4	\$3 to \$13
Other (income) expense	\$(1) to \$3	\$3 to \$5
(Gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations	\$0 to \$0	\$71 to \$71
Acquisition and integration costs	\$13 to \$17	\$45 to \$55
Capital improvement capital expenditures	\$(19) to \$(9)	\$(67) to \$(52)
Corporate capital expenditures	\$(18) to \$(8)	\$(64) to \$(49)
AFFO^{(a)(b)(c)(d)(e)}	\$539 to \$549	\$2,255 to \$2,300

(a) The assumption for second quarter 2018 and full year 2018 diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding is 416 million and 415 million, respectively, based on diluted common shares outstanding as of March 31, 2018. For all periods presented, the diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding does not include any assumed conversion of preferred stock in the share count.

(b) See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" herein for a discussion for our definitions of FFO and AFFO.

(c) FFO and AFFO are reduced by cash paid for preferred stock dividends during the period in which they are paid.

(d) The above reconciliation excludes line items included in our definition which are not applicable for the periods shown.

(e) Attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

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For Comparative Purposes - Reconciliation of Previous Outlook for Adjusted EBITDA:

<i>(in millions)</i>	Previously Issued Q1 2018 Outlook	Previously Issued Full Year 2018 Outlook
Net income (loss)	\$116 to \$141	\$511 to \$591
Adjustments to increase (decrease) net income (loss):		
Asset write-down charges	\$9 to \$11	\$35 to \$45
Acquisition and integration costs	\$13 to \$17	\$45 to \$55
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	\$380 to \$400	\$1,566 to \$1,601
Amortization of prepaid lease purchase price adjustments	\$4 to \$6	\$19 to \$21
Interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs	\$157 to \$167	\$642 to \$687
(Gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations	\$0 to \$0	\$0 to \$0
Interest income	\$(1) to \$1	\$(2) to \$2
Other (income) expense	\$(1) to \$3	\$3 to \$5
(Benefit) provision for income taxes	\$8 to \$12	\$34 to \$42
Stock-based compensation expense	\$27 to \$31	\$116 to \$124
Adjusted EBITDA^{(a)(b)}	\$745 to \$755	\$3,049 to \$3,094

- (a) See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" herein for a discussion of our definition of Adjusted EBITDA.
(b) The above reconciliation excludes line items included in our definition which are not applicable for the periods shown.

For Comparative Purposes - Reconciliation of Previous Outlook for FFO and AFFO:

<i>(in millions)</i>	Previously Issued Q1 2018 Outlook	Previously Issued Full Year 2018 Outlook
Net income (loss)	\$116 to \$141	\$511 to \$591
Real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion	\$367 to \$377	\$1,500 to \$1,520
Asset write-down charges	\$9 to \$11	\$35 to \$45
Dividends on preferred stock	\$(28) to \$(28)	\$(113) to \$(113)
FFO^{(a)(b)(c)(d)}	\$477 to \$487	\$1,965 to \$2,010
FFO (from above)	\$477 to \$487	\$1,965 to \$2,010
Adjustments to increase (decrease) FFO:		
Straight-lined revenue	\$(7) to \$3	\$21 to \$41
Straight-lined expense	\$17 to \$27	\$72 to \$92
Stock-based compensation expense	\$27 to \$31	\$116 to \$124
Non-cash portion of tax provision	\$3 to \$13	\$(8) to \$7
Non-real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion	\$13 to \$23	\$66 to \$81
Amortization of non-cash interest expense	\$0 to \$5	\$5 to \$15
Other (income) expense	\$(1) to \$3	\$3 to \$5
(Gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations	\$0 to \$0	\$0 to \$0
Acquisition and integration costs	\$13 to \$17	\$45 to \$55
Capital improvement capital expenditures	\$(22) to \$(12)	\$(76) to \$(61)
Corporate capital expenditures	\$(21) to \$(11)	\$(56) to \$(41)
AFFO^{(a)(b)(c)(d)}	\$538 to \$548	\$2,219 to \$2,264

- (a) Previously issued first quarter 2018 and full year 2018 Outlook assumes diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding as of December 31, 2017 of 408 million. For all periods presented, the diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding does not include any assumed conversion of preferred stock in the share count.
(b) See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" herein for a discussion for our definitions of FFO and AFFO.
(c) The above reconciliation excludes line items included in our definition which are not applicable for the periods shown.
(d) Attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

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The components of changes in site rental revenues for the quarters ended March 31, 2018 and 2017 are as follows:

<i>(in millions)</i>	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017
Components of changes in site rental revenues ^(a) :		
Prior year site rental revenues exclusive of straight-lined revenues associated with fixed escalators ^{(b)(c)}	\$ 856	\$ 782
New leasing activity ^{(b)(c)}	49	41
Escalators	20	21
Non-renewals	(22)	(28)
Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues ^(d)	47	34
Straight-lined revenues associated with fixed escalators	16	1
Acquisitions ^(e)	234	40
Other	—	—
Total GAAP site rental revenues	<u>\$ 1,153</u>	<u>\$ 857</u>

Year-over-year changes in revenue:

Reported GAAP site rental revenues	34.5%
Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues ^{(d)(f)}	5.5%

- (a) Additional information regarding Crown Castle's site rental revenues, including projected revenue from customer licenses, tenant non-renewals, straight-lined revenues and prepaid rent is available in Crown Castle's quarterly Supplemental Information Package posted in the Investors section of its website.
- (b) Includes revenues from amortization of prepaid rent in accordance with GAAP.
- (c) Includes revenues from the construction of new small cell nodes, exclusive of straight-lined revenues related to fixed escalators.
- (d) See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" herein.
- (e) Represents the initial contribution of recent acquisitions. The financial impact of recent acquisitions is excluded from Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues until the one-year anniversary of the acquisition.
- (f) Calculated as the percentage change from prior year site rental revenues, exclusive of straight-lined revenues associated with fixed escalations, compared to Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues for the current period.

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The components of the changes in site rental revenues for the year ending December 31, 2018 are forecasted as follows:*(dollars in millions)*Components of changes in site rental revenues^(a):

	Full Year 2017	Full Year 2018 Outlook
Prior year site rental revenues exclusive of straight-lined revenues associated with fixed escalators ^{(b)(c)}	\$3,186	\$3,669
New leasing activity ^{(b)(c)}	166	190-220
Escalators	84	80-90
Non-renewals	(90)	(95)-(75)
Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues ^(d)	160	185-225
Straight-lined revenues associated with fixed escalators	—	20-40
Acquisitions ^(e)	323	745-765
Other	—	—
Total GAAP site rental revenues	<u>\$3,669</u>	<u>\$4,639-\$4,684</u>

Year-over-year changes in revenue:Reported GAAP site rental revenues^(f)

27.1%

Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues^{(d)(f)(g)}

5.6%

(a) Additional information regarding Crown Castle's site rental revenues, including projected revenue from customer licenses, tenant non-renewals, straight-lined revenues and prepaid rent is available in Crown Castle's quarterly Supplemental Information Package posted in the Investors section of its website.

(b) Includes revenues from amortization of prepaid rent in accordance with GAAP.

(c) Includes revenues from the construction of new small cell nodes, exclusive of straight-lined revenues related to fixed escalators.

(d) See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" herein.

(e) Represents the contribution from recent acquisitions. The financial impact of recent acquisitions is excluded from Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues until the one-year anniversary of the acquisition, with the exception of the impact of Lightower, which has been reflected as a contribution from acquisitions for the full year 2018.

(f) Calculated based on midpoint of Full Year 2018 Outlook.

(g) Calculated as the percentage change from prior year site rental revenues, exclusive of straight-lined revenues associated with fixed escalations, compared to Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues for the current period.

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Components of Historical Interest Expense and Amortization of Deferred Financing Costs:

	For the Three Months Ended	
	March 31, 2018	March 31, 2017
<i>(in millions)</i>		
Interest expense on debt obligations	\$ 158	\$ 132
Amortization of deferred financing costs and adjustments on long-term debt, net	5	4
Other, net	(3)	(2)
Interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs	\$ 160	\$ 134

Components of Current Outlook for Interest Expense and Amortization of Deferred Financing Costs:

	Q2 2018	Full Year 2018
	Outlook	Outlook
<i>(in millions)</i>		
Interest expense on debt obligations	\$155 to \$160	\$620 to \$640
Amortization of deferred financing costs and adjustments on long-term debt, net	\$3 to \$6	\$18 to \$23
Other, net	\$(4) to \$(2)	\$(15) to \$(10)
Interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs	\$154 to \$164	\$616 to \$661

Debt balances and maturity dates as of March 31, 2018 are as follows:

<i>(in millions)</i>	Face Value	Final Maturity
Bank debt - variable rate:		
2016 Revolver	\$ 100	Aug. 2022
2016 Term Loan A	2,386	Aug. 2022
Total bank debt	2,486	
Securitized debt - fixed rate:		
Secured Notes, Series 2009-1, Class A-1 ^(b)	28	Aug. 2019
Secured Notes, Series 2009-1, Class A-2 ^(b)	70	Aug. 2029
Tower Revenue Notes, Series 2010-6 ^(a)	1,000	Aug. 2040
Tower Revenue Notes, Series 2015-1 ^(a)	300	May 2042
Tower Revenue Notes, Series 2015-2 ^(a)	700	May 2045
Total securitized debt	2,098	
Bonds - fixed rate:		
5.250% Senior Notes	1,650	Jan. 2023
3.849% Secured Notes	1,000	Apr. 2023
4.875% Senior Notes	850	Apr. 2022
3.400% Senior Notes	850	Feb. 2021
4.450% Senior Notes	900	Feb. 2026
3.700% Senior Notes	750	June 2026
2.250% Senior Notes	700	Sept. 2021
4.000% Senior Notes	500	Mar. 2027
4.750% Senior Notes	350	May 2047
3.200% Senior Notes	750	Sept. 2024
3.650% Senior Notes	1,000	Sept. 2027
3.150% Senior Notes	750	July 2023
3.800% Senior Notes	1,000	Feb. 2028
Total bonds	11,050	
Capital leases and other obligations	228	Various
Total Debt	\$ 15,862	
Less: Cash and Cash Equivalents ^(c)	\$ 220	
Net Debt	\$ 15,642	

(a) The Senior Secured Tower Revenue Notes, Series 2010-6, Series 2015-1 and 2015-2 have anticipated repayment dates in 2020, 2022 and 2025, respectively.

(b) The Senior Secured Notes, Series 2009-1, Class A-1 principal amortizes during the period beginning in January 2010 and ending in 2019 and the Senior Secured Notes, 2009-1, Class A-2 principal amortizes during the period beginning in 2019 and ending in 2029.

(c) Excludes restricted cash.

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Net Debt to Last Quarter Annualized Adjusted EBITDA is computed as follows:

<i>(dollars in millions)</i>	For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2018
Total face value of debt	\$ 15,862
Ending cash and cash equivalents ^(a)	220
Total Net Debt	\$ 15,642
Adjusted EBITDA for the three months ended March 31, 2018	\$ 763
Last quarter annualized Adjusted EBITDA	3,052
Net Debt to Last Quarter Annualized Adjusted EBITDA	5.1x

(a) Excludes restricted cash.

Components of Capital Expenditures:

<i>(in millions)</i>	For the Three Months Ended							
	March 31, 2018				March 31, 2017			
	Towers	Fiber	Other	Total	Towers	Fiber	Other	Total
Discretionary:								
Purchases of land interests	\$ 14	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 14	\$ 21	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 21
Communications infrastructure construction and improvements	75	253	—	328	74	151	—	225
Sustaining:								
Capital improvement and corporate	7	9	6	22	6	3	7	16
Integration	—	—	6	6	—	—	—	—
Total	\$ 96	\$ 262	\$ 12	\$ 370	\$ 101	\$ 154	\$ 7	\$ 262

Note: See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" herein for further discussion of our components of capital expenditures.

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Cautionary Language Regarding Forward-Looking Statements

This press release contains forward-looking statements and information that are based on our management's current expectations. Such statements include our Outlook and plans, projections, and estimates regarding (1) potential benefits, returns, opportunities and customer and shareholder value which may be derived from our business, assets, investments, acquisitions and dividends, including on a long-and short-term basis, (2) our strategy, strategic position, business model and capabilities and the strength of our business, (3) our customers' investments and the demand from our customers, and the benefits which may be derived therefrom, (4) growth in demand for data and the benefits which may be derived therefrom, (5) our growth, including our revenue growth, long-term prospects and the trends impacting our business, (6) the impact of and the benefits and contributions that may be derived from the recent execution of leasing agreements with our customers, including the AT&T Agreement, (7) integration of our recent acquisitions, including Lightower, the status thereof and the potential benefits and contributions which may be derived therefrom, including the contribution to or impact on our financial or operating results, including site rental revenues, Adjusted EBITDA, AFFO and Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues, (8) anticipated impact of the March Equity Offering, (9) leasing environment and activity, (10) our investments in our business and communications infrastructure assets and the potential growth, returns and benefits therefrom, (11) our dividends and our dividend growth rate and targets, (12) strategic position of and demand for our communications infrastructure (including fiber solutions and small cells) and services, (13) cash flows, (14) tenant non-renewals, including the impact thereof, (15) capital expenditures, including sustaining capital expenditures, (16) straight-line adjustments, (17) site rental revenues and estimated growth thereof, (18) site rental cost of operations, (19) net income (loss), (20) Adjusted EBITDA, including the impact thereon of seasonal and timing items, (21) expenses, including interest expense and repair and maintenance expenses, and amortization of deferred financing costs, (22) cash tax payments, (23) floating interest rates, (24) FFO, (25) AFFO (including the impact thereon of seasonal and timing items) and estimated growth thereof, (26) Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues, (27) our weighted-average common shares outstanding, including on a diluted basis, (28) network services contribution and (29) the utility of certain financial measures, including non-GAAP financial measures. Such forward-looking statements are subject to certain risks, uncertainties and assumptions prevailing market conditions and the following:

- Our business depends on the demand for our communications infrastructure, driven primarily by demand for data, and we may be adversely affected by any slowdown in such demand. Additionally, a reduction in the amount or change in the mix of network investment by our customers may materially and adversely affect our business (including reducing demand for tenant additions and network services).
- A substantial portion of our revenues is derived from a small number of customers, and the loss, consolidation or financial instability of any of such customers may materially decrease revenues or reduce demand for our communications infrastructure and network services.
- The expansion or development of our business, including through acquisitions, increased product offerings or other strategic growth opportunities may cause disruptions in our business, which may have an adverse effect on our business, operations or financial results. Additionally, we may fail to realize all of the anticipated benefits of the Lightower acquisition, or those benefits may take longer to realize than expected.
- Our fiber segment has expanded rapidly, and the fiber business model contains certain differences from our towers business model, resulting in different operational risks. If we do not successfully operate our Fiber business model or identify or manage the related operational risks, such operations may produce results that are less than anticipated.
- Failure to timely and efficiently execute on our construction projects could adversely affect our business.
- Our substantial level of indebtedness could adversely affect our ability to react to changes in our business, and the terms of our debt instruments and our 6.875% Mandatory Convertible Preferred Stock limit our ability to take a number of actions that our management might otherwise believe to be in our best interests. In addition, if we fail to comply with our covenants, our debt could be accelerated.
- We have a substantial amount of indebtedness. In the event we do not repay or refinance such indebtedness, we could face substantial liquidity issues and might be required to issue equity securities or securities convertible into equity securities, or sell some of our assets to meet our debt payment obligations.
- Sales or issuances of a substantial number of shares of our common stock or securities convertible into shares of our common stock may adversely affect the market price of our common stock.
- As a result of competition in our industry, we may find it more difficult to negotiate favorable rates on our new or renewing tenant contracts.
- New technologies may reduce demand for our communications infrastructure or negatively impact our revenues.
- If we fail to retain rights to our communications infrastructure, including the land interests under our towers and the right-of-way and other agreements related to our small cells and fiber solutions, our business may be adversely affected.

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- Our network services business has historically experienced significant volatility in demand, which reduces the predictability of our results.
- New wireless technologies may not deploy or be adopted by customers as rapidly or in the manner projected.
- If we fail to comply with laws or regulations which regulate our business and which may change at any time, we may be fined or even lose our right to conduct some of our business.
- If radio frequency emissions from wireless handsets or equipment on our communications infrastructure are demonstrated to cause negative health effects, potential future claims could adversely affect our operations, costs or revenues.
- Certain provisions of our restated certificate of incorporation, amended and restated by-laws and operative agreements, and domestic and international competition laws may make it more difficult for a third party to acquire control of us or for us to acquire control of a third party, even if such a change in control would be beneficial to our stockholders.
- We may be vulnerable to security breaches that could adversely affect our business, operations, and reputation.
- Future dividend payments to our stockholders will reduce the availability of our cash on hand available to fund future discretionary investments, and may result in a need to incur indebtedness or issue equity securities to fund growth opportunities. In such event, the then current economic, credit market or equity market conditions will impact the availability or cost of such financing, which may hinder our ability to grow our per share results of operations.
- Remaining qualified to be taxed as a REIT involves highly technical and complex provisions of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code. Failure to remain qualified as a REIT would result in our inability to deduct dividends to stockholders when computing our taxable income, which would reduce our available cash.
- If we fail to pay scheduled dividends on our 6.875% Mandatory Convertible Preferred Stock, in cash, common stock, or any combination of cash and common stock, we will be prohibited from paying dividends on our common stock, which may jeopardize our status as a REIT.
- Complying with REIT requirements, including the 90% distribution requirement, may limit our flexibility or cause us to forgo otherwise attractive opportunities, including certain discretionary investments and potential financing alternatives.
- REIT related ownership limitations and transfer restrictions may prevent or restrict certain transfers of our capital stock.

Should one or more of these or other risks or uncertainties materialize, or should underlying assumptions prove incorrect, actual results may vary materially from those expected. More information about potential risk factors which could affect our results is included in our filings with the SEC. As used in this release, the term "including," and any variation thereof, means "including without limitation."

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CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP.
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET (UNAUDITED)
(Amounts in millions, except par values)

	March 31, 2018	December 31, 2017
ASSETS		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 220	\$ 314
Restricted cash	120	121
Receivables, net	402	398
Prepaid expenses	175	162
Other current assets	157	139
Total current assets	1,074	1,134
Deferred site rental receivables	1,304	1,300
Property and equipment, net	13,051	12,933
Goodwill	10,075	10,021
Other intangible assets, net	5,854	5,962
Long-term prepaid rent and other assets, net	892	879
Total assets	\$ 32,250	\$ 32,229
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 248	\$ 249
Accrued interest	104	132
Deferred revenues	465	457
Other accrued liabilities	240	339
Current maturities of debt and other obligations	130	115
Total current liabilities	1,187	1,292
Debt and other long-term obligations	15,616	16,044
Other long-term liabilities	2,615	2,554
Total liabilities	19,418	19,890
Commitments and contingencies		
CCIC stockholders' equity:		
Common stock, \$0.01 par value; 600 shares authorized; shares issued and outstanding: March 31, 2018—415 and December 31, 2017—406	4	4
6.875% Mandatory Convertible Preferred Stock, Series A, \$0.01 par value; 20 shares authorized; shares issued and outstanding: March 31, 2018—2 and December 31, 2017—2; aggregate liquidation value: March 31, 2018—\$1,650 and December 31, 2017—\$1,650	—	—
Additional paid-in capital	17,690	16,844
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	(4)	(4)
Dividends/distributions in excess of earnings	(4,858)	(4,505)
Total equity	12,832	12,339
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 32,250	\$ 32,229

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CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP.
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED)
(Amounts in millions, except per share amounts)

	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017
Net revenues:		
Site rental	\$ 1,153	\$ 857
Network services and other	146	159
Net revenues	1,299	1,016
Operating expenses:		
Costs of operations (exclusive of depreciation, amortization and accretion):		
Site rental	347	265
Network services and other	86	99
General and administrative	134	101
Asset write-down charges	3	1
Acquisition and integration costs	6	6
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	374	289
Total operating expenses	950	761
Operating income (loss)	349	255
Interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs	(160)	(134)
Gains (losses) on retirement of long-term obligations	(71)	(4)
Interest income	1	—
Other income (expense)	(1)	6
Income (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes	118	123
Benefit (provision) for income taxes	(4)	(4)
Net income (loss)	114	119
Dividends on preferred stock	(28)	—
Net income (loss) attributable to CCIC common stockholders	\$ 86	\$ 119
Net income (loss) attributable to CCIC common stockholders, per common share:		
Net income (loss) attributable to CCIC common stockholders, basic	\$ 0.21	\$ 0.33
Net income (loss) attributable to CCIC common stockholders, diluted	\$ 0.21	\$ 0.33
Weighted-average common shares outstanding:		
Basic	409	361
Diluted	410	362

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CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP.
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)^(a)
(In millions of dollars)

	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net income (loss)	\$ 114	\$ 119
Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to net cash provided by (used for) operating activities:		
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	374	289
(Gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations	71	4
Amortization of deferred financing costs and other non-cash interest	2	2
Stock-based compensation expense	23	22
Asset write-down charges	3	1
Deferred income tax (benefit) provision	1	—
Other non-cash adjustments, net	2	(3)
Changes in assets and liabilities, excluding the effects of acquisitions:		
Increase (decrease) in liabilities	(90)	(60)
Decrease (increase) in assets	(48)	68
Net cash provided by (used for) operating activities	<u>452</u>	<u>442</u>
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Payments for acquisitions of businesses, net of cash acquired	(14)	(1,497)
Capital expenditures	(370)	(262)
Other investing activities, net	—	(4)
Net cash provided by (used for) investing activities	<u>(384)</u>	<u>(1,763)</u>
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Proceeds from issuance of long-term debt	1,743	998
Principal payments on debt and other long-term obligations	(32)	(29)
Purchases and redemptions of long-term debt	(1,318)	—
Borrowings under revolving credit facility	170	1,405
Payments under revolving credit facility	(1,050)	(1,070)
Payments for financing costs	(15)	(7)
Net proceeds from issuance of common stock	843	22
Net proceeds from issuance of preferred stock	—	—
Purchases of common stock	(33)	(22)
Dividends/distributions paid on common stock	(443)	(348)
Dividends paid on preferred stock	(28)	—
Net cash provided by (used for) financing activities	<u>(163)</u>	<u>949</u>
Net increase (decrease) in cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash	<u>(95)</u>	<u>(372)</u>
Effect of exchange rate changes	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash at beginning of period^(a)	<u>440</u>	<u>697</u>
Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash at end of period^(a)	<u>\$ 345</u>	<u>\$ 325</u>
Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information:		
Interest paid	185	144
Income taxes paid	—	1

(a) Effective January 1, 2018, the Company is required to explain the change in restricted cash in addition to the change in cash and cash equivalents in its condensed consolidated statement of cash flows. The Company has applied this approach for all periods presented.



CROWN CASTLE INTERNATIONAL CORP.
SEGMENT OPERATING RESULTS (UNAUDITED)
(In millions of dollars)

SEGMENT OPERATING RESULTS

	Three Months Ended March 31, 2018				Three Months Ended March 31, 2017			
	Towers	Fiber	Other	Consolidated Total	Towers	Fiber	Other	Consolidated Total
Segment site rental revenues	\$ 764	\$ 389		\$ 1,153	\$ 717	\$ 140		\$ 857
Segment network services and other revenue	142	4		146	150	9		159
Segment revenues	906	393		1,299	867	149		1,016
Segment site rental cost of operations	211	126		337	209	47		256
Segment network services and other cost of operations	82	2		84	89	8		97
Segment cost of operations ^(a)	293	128		421	298	55		353
Segment site rental gross margin ^(b)	553	263		816	508	93		601
Segment network services and other gross margin ^(b)	60	2		62	61	1		62
Segment general and administrative expenses ^(a)	26	43		69	24	18		42
Segment operating profit ^(b)	587	222		809	545	76		621
Unallocated general and administrative expenses ^(a)			\$ 46	46			\$ 39	39
Stock-based compensation expense			26	26			25	25
Depreciation, amortization and accretion			374	374			289	289
Interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs			160	160			134	134
Other income (expenses) to reconcile to income (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes ^(c)			85	85			11	11
Income (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes				\$ 118				\$ 123

(a) Segment cost of operations excludes (1) stock-based compensation expense of \$7 million and \$5 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively and (2) prepaid lease purchase price adjustments of \$5 million for both of the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017. General and administrative expenses exclude stock-based compensation expense of \$19 million and \$20 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

(b) See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" herein for a discussion of our definitions of segment site rental gross margin, segment network services and other gross margin and segment operating profit.

(c) See condensed consolidated statement of operations for further information.

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Cautionary Language Regarding Forward-Looking Statements

This supplemental information package ("Supplement") contains forward-looking statements and information that are based on our management's current expectations as of the date of this Supplement. Statements that are not historical facts are hereby identified as forward-looking statements. Words such as "Outlook," "guide," "forecast," "estimate," "anticipate," "project," "plan," "intend," "believe," "expect," "likely," "predicted," and any variations of these words and similar expressions are intended to identify such forward looking statements. Such statements include, but are not limited to, our Outlook for the second quarter 2018 and full year 2018.

Such forward-looking statements are subject to certain risks, uncertainties and assumptions, including, but not limited to, prevailing market conditions. Should one or more of these or other risks or uncertainties materialize, or should underlying assumptions prove incorrect, actual results may vary materially from those expected. More information about potential risk factors which could affect our results is included in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Crown Castle assumes no obligation to update publicly any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

The components of financial information presented herein, both historical and forward looking, may not sum due to rounding. Definitions and reconciliations of non-GAAP financial measures, segment measures and other calculations are provided in the Appendix to this Supplement. Unless otherwise indicated, the Company has changed its presentation to millions and, as a result, any necessary rounding adjustments have been made to prior year disclosed amounts.

As used herein, the term "including" and any variation thereof, means "including without limitation." The use of the word "or" herein is not exclusive.

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COMPANY PROFILE

Crown Castle International Corp. (to which the terms "Crown Castle," "CCIC," "we," "our," "our Company," "the Company" or "us" as used herein refer) owns, operates and leases shared communications infrastructure, including: (1) towers and other structures, such as rooftops (collectively, "towers"), and (2) fiber primarily supporting small cell networks ("small cells") and fiber solutions. Our towers, fiber and small cells assets are collectively referred to herein as "communications infrastructure," and our customers on our communications infrastructure are referred to herein as "tenants." Our towers have a significant presence in each of the top 100 basic trading areas, and the majority of our fiber is located in major metropolitan areas, including a presence within every major U.S. market. Crown Castle owns, operates and leases shared communications infrastructure that has been acquired or constructed over time and is geographically dispersed throughout the U.S., and which consists of (1) approximately 40,000 towers and (2) approximately 60,000 route miles of fiber primarily supporting small cells and fiber solutions.

Our core business is providing access, including space or capacity, to our shared communications infrastructure via long-term contracts in various forms, including licenses, subleases and lease agreements (collectively, "contracts"). We seek to increase our site rental revenues by adding more tenants on our communications infrastructure, which we expect to result in significant incremental cash flows due to our low incremental operating costs.

We operate as a Real Estate Investment Trust ("REIT") for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

STRATEGY

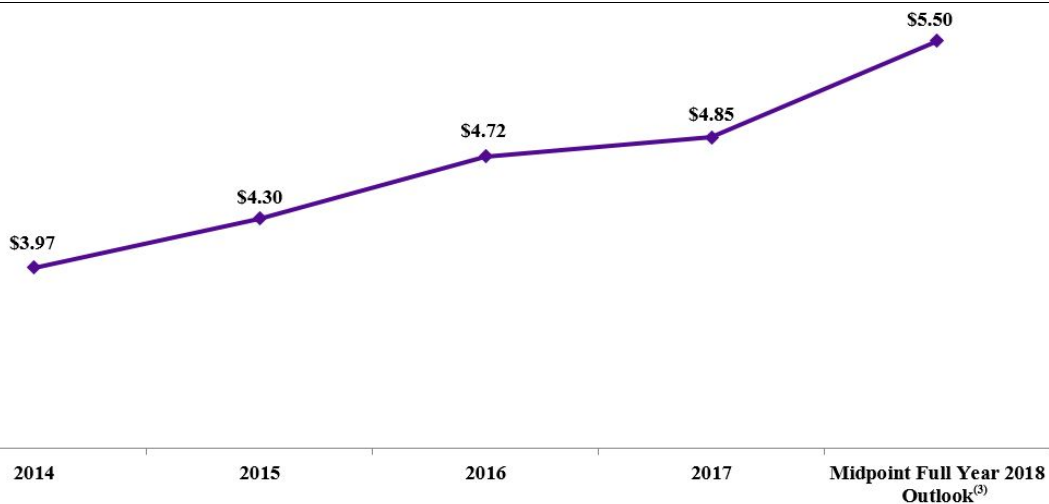
As a leading provider of shared communications infrastructure in the U.S., our strategy is to create long-term stockholder value via a combination of (1) growing cash flows generated from our portfolio of communications infrastructure, (2) returning a meaningful portion of our cash provided by operating activities to our stockholders in the form of dividends and (3) investing capital efficiently to grow cash flows and long-term dividends per share. Our U.S. focused strategy is based, in part, on our belief that the U.S. is the most attractive market for shared communications infrastructure investment with the greatest long-term growth potential. We measure our efforts to create "long-term stockholder value" by the combined payment of dividends to stockholders and growth in our per share results. The key elements of our strategy are to:

- *Grow cash flows from our communications infrastructure.* We seek to maximize our site rental cash flows by working with our customers to provide them quick access to our communications infrastructure and entering into associated long-term contracts. Tenant additions or modifications of existing customer equipment (collectively, "tenant additions") enable our customers to expand coverage and capacity in order to meet increasing demand for data, while generating high incremental returns for our business. We believe our product offerings of towers and small cells provide a comprehensive solution to our wireless customers' growing network needs through our shared communications infrastructure model, which is an efficient and cost-effective way to serve our customers. Additionally, we believe our ability to share our fiber assets across multiple customers to deploy both small cells and offer fiber solutions allows us to generate cash flows and increase stockholder return. We also believe that there will be considerable future demand for our communications infrastructure based on the location of our assets and the rapid growth in demand for data.
- *Return cash provided by operating activities to stockholders in the form of dividends.* We believe that distributing a meaningful portion of our cash provided by operating activities appropriately provides stockholders with increased certainty for a portion of expected long-term stockholder value while still retaining sufficient flexibility to invest in our business and deliver growth. We believe this decision reflects the translation of the high-quality, long-term contractual cash flows of our business into stable capital returns to stockholders.
- *Invest capital efficiently to grow cash flows and long-term dividends per share.* We seek to invest our available capital, including the net cash provided by our operating activities and external financing sources, in a manner that will increase long-term stockholder value on a risk-adjusted basis. Our historical investments have included the following (in no particular order):
 - acquisitions or construction of towers, fiber and small cells;
 - acquisitions of land interests under towers;
 - improvements and structural enhancements to our existing communications infrastructure;
 - purchases of shares of our common stock from time to time; and
 - purchases, repayment or redemption of our debt.

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Our strategy to create long-term stockholder value is based on our belief that additional demand for our communications infrastructure will be created by the expected continued growth in the demand for data. We believe that such demand for our communications infrastructure will continue, will result in growth of our cash flows due to tenant additions on our existing communications infrastructure, and will create other growth opportunities for us, such as demand for new communications infrastructure.

AFFO PER SHARE⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾

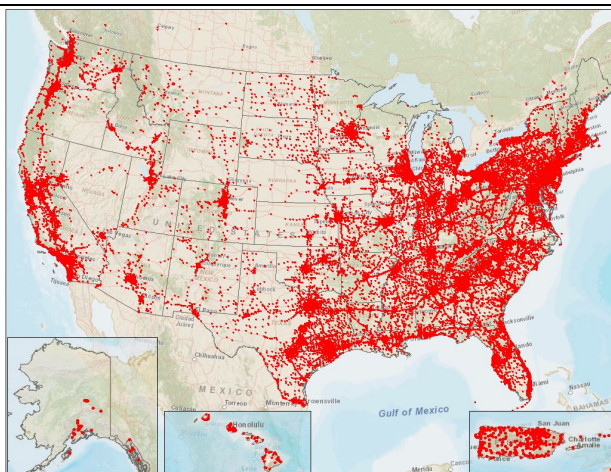


(1) See reconciliations and definitions provided herein.

(2) Attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

(3) Represents the midpoint of the full year 2018 Outlook as issued on April 18, 2018.

TOWER PORTFOLIO FOOTPRINT



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GENERAL COMPANY INFORMATION

Principal executive offices	1220 Augusta Drive, Suite 600, Houston, TX 77057
Common shares trading symbol	CCI
Stock exchange listing	New York Stock Exchange
Fiscal year ending date	December 31
Fitch - Long Term Issuer Default Rating	BBB-
Moody's - Long Term Corporate Family Rating	Baa3
Standard & Poor's - Long Term Local Issuer Credit Rating	BBB-

Note: These credit ratings may not reflect the potential risks relating to the structure or trading of the Company's securities and are provided solely for informational purposes. Credit ratings are not recommendations to buy, sell or hold any security, and may be revised or withdrawn at any time by the issuing organization in its sole discretion. The Company does not undertake any obligation to maintain the ratings or to advise of any change in the ratings. Each agency's rating should be evaluated independently of any other agency's rating. An explanation of the significances of the ratings can be obtained from each of the ratings agencies.

EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT TEAM

Name	Age	Years with Company	Position
Jay A. Brown	45	18	President and Chief Executive Officer
Daniel K. Schlanger	44	2	Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer
James D. Young	56	12	Senior Vice President and Chief Operating Officer - Fiber
Robert C. Ackerman	65	19	Senior Vice President and Chief Operating Officer - Towers and Small Cells
Kenneth J. Simon	57	2	Senior Vice President and General Counsel
Michael J. Kavanagh	49	7	Senior Vice President and Chief Commercial Officer
Philip M. Kelley	45	20	Senior Vice President - Corporate Development and Strategy

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Name	Position	Committees	Age	Years as Director
J. Landis Martin	Chairman	NCG ⁽¹⁾	72	22
P. Robert Bartolo	Director	Audit, Compensation	46	4
Cindy Christy	Director	Compensation, NCG ⁽¹⁾ , Strategy	52	10
Ari Q. Fitzgerald	Director	Compensation, NCG ⁽¹⁾ , Strategy	55	15
Robert E. Garrison II	Director	Audit, Compensation	76	12
Andrea J. Goldsmith	Director	NCG ⁽¹⁾ , Strategy	53	< 1
Lee W. Hogan	Director	Audit, Compensation, Strategy	73	17
Edward C. Hutcheson Jr.	Director	Strategy	72	22
Robert F. McKenzie	Director	Audit, Strategy	74	22
Anthony J. Melone	Director	NCG ⁽¹⁾ , Strategy	57	2
W. Benjamin Moreland	Director		54	11
Jay A. Brown	Director		45	1

(1) Nominating & Corporate Governance Committee

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HISTORICAL COMMON STOCK DATA

(in millions, except per share amounts)	Three Months Ended				
	3/31/18	12/31/17	9/30/17	6/30/17	3/31/17
High price ⁽¹⁾	\$ 113.41	\$ 112.84	\$ 105.89	\$ 101.17	\$ 91.99
Low price ⁽¹⁾	\$ 99.79	\$ 97.47	\$ 90.42	\$ 89.75	\$ 80.01
Period end closing price ⁽²⁾	\$ 109.61	\$ 109.97	\$ 98.11	\$ 97.42	\$ 90.99
Dividends paid per common share	\$ 1.05	\$ 1.05	\$ 0.95	\$ 0.95	\$ 0.95
Volume weighted average price for the period ⁽¹⁾	\$ 107.57	\$ 105.78	\$ 98.86	\$ 94.99	\$ 85.76
Common shares outstanding, at period end	415	406	406	366	361
Market value of outstanding common shares, at period end ⁽³⁾	\$ 45,468	\$ 44,679	\$ 39,859	\$ 35,666	\$ 32,880

(1) Based on the sales price, adjusted for common stock dividends, as reported by Bloomberg.

(2) Based on the period end closing price, adjusted for common stock dividends, as reported by Bloomberg.

(3) Period end market value of outstanding common shares is calculated as the product of (a) shares of common stock outstanding at period end and (b) closing share price at period end, adjusted for common stock dividends, as reported by Bloomberg.

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SUMMARY PORTFOLIO HIGHLIGHTS

(as of March 31, 2018)	
Towers	
Number of towers ⁽¹⁾	40,053
Average number of tenants per tower	2.2
Remaining contracted customer receivables (\$ in billions) ⁽²⁾	\$ 18
Weighted average remaining customer contract term (years) ⁽³⁾	5
Percent of towers in the Top 50 / 100 Basic Trading Areas	56% / 71%
Percent of ground leased / owned (by Towers segment site rental gross margin)	62% / 38%
Weighted average maturity of ground leases (years) ⁽⁴⁾	34
Fiber	
Number of route miles of fiber (in thousands)	60
Remaining contracted customer receivables (\$ in billions) ⁽²⁾	\$ 5
Weighted average remaining customer contract term (years) ⁽³⁾	4

SUMMARY FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

(dollars in millions, except per share amounts)	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017
Operating Data:		
Net revenues		
Site rental	\$ 1,153	\$ 857
Network services and other	146	159
Net revenues	<u>\$ 1,299</u>	<u>\$ 1,016</u>
Costs of operations (exclusive of depreciation, amortization and accretion)		
Site rental	\$ 347	\$ 265
Network services and other	86	99
Total cost of operations	<u>\$ 433</u>	<u>\$ 364</u>
Net income (loss) attributable to CCIC common stockholders	\$ 86	\$ 119
Net income (loss) attributable to CCIC common stockholders per share—diluted ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 0.21	\$ 0.33
Non-GAAP Data⁽⁶⁾:		
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 763	\$ 581
FFO ⁽⁷⁾	447	401
AFFO ⁽⁷⁾	558	450
AFFO per share ⁽⁵⁾⁽⁷⁾	\$ 1.36	\$ 1.24

(1) Excludes small cells, fiber and third-party land interests.

(2) Excludes renewal terms at customers' option.

(3) Excludes renewal terms at customers' option, weighted by site rental revenues.

(4) Includes renewal terms at the Company's option, weighted by Towers segment site rental gross margin.

(5) Based on diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding of 410 million and 362 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

(6) See reconciliations of Non-GAAP financial measures provided herein. See also "Definitions of Non-GAAP Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" in the Appendix for a discussion of our definitions of Adjusted EBITDA, FFO and AFFO.

(7) Attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

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SUMMARY FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (CONTINUED)

(dollars in millions)	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017

Summary Cash Flow Data⁽¹⁾:

Net cash provided by (used for) operating activities	\$	452	\$	442
Net cash provided by (used for) investing activities ⁽²⁾		(384)		(1,763)
Net cash provided by (used for) financing activities		(163)		949

(dollars in millions)	March 31, 2018	December 31, 2017
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Balance Sheet Data (at period end):

Cash and cash equivalents	\$	220	\$	314
Property and equipment, net		13,051		12,933
Total assets		32,250		32,229
Total debt and other long-term obligations		15,746		16,159
Total CCIC stockholders' equity		12,832		12,339

**Three Months Ended March 31,
2018**

Other Data:

Net debt to last quarter annualized Adjusted EBITDA		5.1x
Dividend per common share	\$	1.05

OUTLOOK FOR SECOND QUARTER 2018 AND FULL YEAR 2018

(dollars in millions, except per share amounts)	Second Quarter 2018	Full Year 2018
Site rental revenues	\$1,153 to \$1,163	\$4,639 to \$4,684
Site rental cost of operations ⁽³⁾	\$348 to \$358	\$1,375 to \$1,420
Net income (loss)	\$139 to \$164	\$589 to \$669
Net income (loss) per share—diluted ⁽⁴⁾⁽⁵⁾	\$0.33 to \$0.39	\$1.42 to \$1.61
Adjusted EBITDA ⁽⁶⁾	\$757 to \$767	\$3,097 to \$3,142
Interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs ⁽⁷⁾	\$154 to \$164	\$616 to \$661
FFO ⁽⁵⁾⁽⁶⁾	\$496 to \$506	\$2,002 to \$2,047
AFFO ⁽⁶⁾⁽⁸⁾	\$539 to \$549	\$2,255 to \$2,300
AFFO per share ⁽⁴⁾⁽⁶⁾⁽⁸⁾	\$1.29 to \$1.32	\$5.44 to \$5.55

(1) Includes impacts of restricted cash. See the condensed consolidated statement of cash flows for further information.

(2) Includes net cash used for acquisitions of approximately \$14 million and \$1.5 billion for the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

(3) Exclusive of depreciation, amortization and accretion.

(4) The assumption for second quarter 2018 and full year 2018 diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding is 416 million and 415 million, respectively, based on diluted common shares outstanding as of March 31, 2018. For all periods presented, the diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding does not include any assumed conversion of preferred stock in the share count.

(5) Calculated using net income (loss) attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

(6) See reconciliation of this non-GAAP financial measure to net income (loss) and definition included herein.

(7) See the reconciliation of "components of interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs" in the Appendix.

(8) Attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

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OUTLOOK FOR FULL YEAR 2018 COMPONENTS OF CHANGES IN SITE RENTAL REVENUES

(dollars in millions)	Full Year 2017	Full Year 2018 Outlook
Components of changes in site rental revenues⁽¹⁾:		
Prior year site rental revenues exclusive of straight-lined revenues associated with fixed escalators ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	\$3,186	\$3,669
New leasing activity⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	166	190-220
Escalators	84	80-90
Non-renewals	(90)	(95)-(75)
Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues ⁽⁴⁾	160	185-225
Straight-lined revenues associated with fixed escalators	—	20-40
Acquisitions ⁽⁵⁾	323	745-765
Other	—	—
Total GAAP site rental revenues	\$3,669	\$4,639-\$4,684

Year-over-year changes in revenue:

Reported GAAP site rental revenues ⁽⁶⁾	27.1%
Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues ⁽⁴⁾⁽⁶⁾⁽⁷⁾	5.6%

(1) See additional information regarding Crown Castle's site rental revenues including projected revenue from customer licenses, tenant non-renewals, straight-lined revenues and prepaid rent herein.

(2) Includes revenues from amortization of prepaid rent in accordance with GAAP.

(3) Includes revenues from the construction of new small cell nodes, exclusive of straight-lined revenues related to fixed escalators.

(4) See definitions provided herein.

(5) Represents the contribution from recent acquisitions. The financial impact of recent acquisitions is excluded from Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues until the one-year anniversary of the acquisition, with the exception of the impact of Lighttower, which has been reflected as a contribution from acquisitions for the full year 2018.

(6) Calculated based on midpoint of Full Year 2018 Outlook.

(7) Calculated as the percentage change from prior year site rental revenues, exclusive of straight-lined revenues associated with fixed escalations, compared to Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues for the current period.

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET (Unaudited)

(amounts in millions, except par values)	March 31, 2018	December 31, 2017
ASSETS		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 220	\$ 314
Restricted cash	120	121
Receivables, net	402	398
Prepaid expenses	175	162
Other current assets	157	139
Total current assets	1,074	1,134
Deferred site rental receivables	1,304	1,300
Property and equipment, net	13,051	12,933
Goodwill	10,075	10,021
Other intangible assets, net	5,854	5,962
Long-term prepaid rent and other assets, net	892	879
Total assets	\$ 32,250	\$ 32,229
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 248	\$ 249
Accrued interest	104	132
Deferred revenues	465	457
Other accrued liabilities	240	339
Current maturities of debt and other obligations	130	115
Total current liabilities	1,187	1,292
Debt and other long-term obligations	15,616	16,044
Other long-term liabilities	2,615	2,554
Total liabilities	19,418	19,890
Commitments and contingencies		
CCIC stockholders' equity:		
Common stock, \$0.01 par value; 600 shares authorized; shares issued and outstanding: March 31, 2018—415 and December 31, 2017—406	4	4
6.875% Mandatory Convertible Preferred Stock, Series A, \$0.01 par value; 20 shares authorized; shares issued and outstanding: March 31, 2018—2 and December 31, 2017—2; aggregate liquidation value: March 31, 2018—\$1,650 and December 31, 2017—\$1,650	—	—
Additional paid-in capital	17,690	16,844
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	(4)	(4)
Dividends/distributions in excess of earnings	(4,858)	(4,505)
Total equity	12,832	12,339
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 32,250	\$ 32,229

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS (Unaudited)

(amounts in millions, except per share amounts)	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017
Net revenues:		
Site rental	\$ 1,153	\$ 857
Network services and other	146	159
Net revenues	1,299	1,016
Operating expenses:		
Costs of operations (exclusive of depreciation, amortization and accretion):		
Site rental	347	265
Network services and other	86	99
General and administrative	134	101
Asset write-down charges	3	1
Acquisition and integration costs	6	6
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	374	289
Total operating expenses	950	761
Operating income (loss)	349	255
Interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs	(160)	(134)
Gains (losses) on retirement of long-term obligations	(71)	(4)
Interest income	1	—
Other income (expense)	(1)	6
Income (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes	118	123
Benefit (provision) for income taxes	(4)	(4)
Net income (loss)	114	119
Dividends on preferred stock	(28)	—
Net income (loss) attributable to CCIC common stockholders	\$ 86	\$ 119
Net income (loss) attributable to CCIC common stockholders, per common share:		
Net income (loss) attributable to CCIC common stockholders, basic	\$ 0.21	\$ 0.33
Net income (loss) attributable to CCIC common stockholders, diluted	\$ 0.21	\$ 0.33
Weighted-average common shares outstanding:		
Basic	409	361
Diluted	410	362

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SEGMENT OPERATING RESULTS

(dollars in millions)	Three Months Ended March 31, 2018				Three Months Ended March 31, 2017			
	Towers	Fiber	Other	Consolidated Total	Towers	Fiber	Other	Consolidated Total
Segment site rental revenues	\$ 764	\$ 389		\$ 1,153	\$ 717	\$ 140		\$ 857
Segment network services and other revenue	142	4		146	150	9		159
Segment revenues	906	393		1,299	867	149		1,016
Segment site rental cost of operations	211	126		337	209	47		256
Segment network services and other cost of operations	82	2		84	89	8		97
Segment cost of operations ⁽¹⁾	293	128		421	298	55		353
Segment site rental gross margin ⁽²⁾	553	263		816	508	93		601
Segment network services and other gross margin ⁽²⁾	60	2		62	61	1		62
Segment general and administrative expenses ⁽¹⁾	26	43		69	24	18		42
Segment operating profit ⁽²⁾	587	222		809	545	76		621
Unallocated general and administrative expenses ⁽¹⁾			\$ 46	46			\$ 39	39
Stock-based compensation expense			26	26			25	25
Depreciation, amortization and accretion			374	374			289	289
Interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs			160	160			134	134
Other income (expenses) to reconcile to income (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes ⁽³⁾			85	85			11	11
Income (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes				<u>\$ 118</u>				<u>\$ 123</u>

(1) Segment cost of operations excludes (1) stock-based compensation expense of \$7 million and \$5 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively and (2) prepaid lease purchase price adjustments of \$5 million for both of the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017. General and administrative expenses exclude stock-based compensation expense of \$19 million and \$20 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

(2) See "Definitions of Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" in the Appendix for a discussion of our definitions of segment site rental gross margin, segment network services and other gross margin and segment operating profit.

(3) See condensed consolidated statement of operations for further information.

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FFO AND AFFO RECONCILIATIONS

(amounts in millions, except per share amounts)	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017
Net income (loss)	\$ 114	\$ 119
Real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion	359	281
Asset write-down charges	3	1
Dividends on preferred stock	(28)	—
FFO⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾	\$ 447	\$ 401
Weighted average common shares outstanding—diluted ⁽⁵⁾	410	362
FFO per share⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾	\$ 1.09	\$ 1.11
FFO (from above)	\$ 447	\$ 401
Adjustments to increase (decrease) FFO:		
Straight-lined revenue	(16)	(1)
Straight-lined expense	23	23
Stock-based compensation expense	26	25
Non-cash portion of tax provision	4	4
Non-real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion	15	8
Amortization of non-cash interest expense	2	2
Other (income) expense	1	(6)
(Gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations	71	4
Acquisition and integration costs	6	6
Capital improvement capital expenditures	(13)	(7)
Corporate capital expenditures	(9)	(9)
AFFO⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾	\$ 558	\$ 450
Weighted average common shares outstanding—diluted ⁽⁵⁾	410	362
AFFO per share⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾	\$ 1.36	\$ 1.24

(1) See "Definitions of Non-GAAP Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" in the Appendix for a discussion of our definitions of FFO and AFFO.

(2) FFO and AFFO are reduced by cash paid for preferred stock dividends during the period in which they are paid.

(3) The above reconciliation excludes line items included in our definition which are not applicable for the periods shown.

(4) Attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

(5) Based on the diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding for the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017. For all periods presented, the diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding does not include any assumed conversion of preferred stock in the share count.

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (Unaudited)⁽¹⁾

(dollars in millions)	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net income (loss)	\$ 114	\$ 119
Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to net cash provided by (used for) operating activities:		
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	374	289
(Gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations	71	4
Amortization of deferred financing costs and other non-cash interest	2	2
Stock-based compensation expense	23	22
Asset write-down charges	3	1
Deferred income tax (benefit) provision	1	—
Other non-cash adjustments, net	2	(3)
Changes in assets and liabilities, excluding the effects of acquisitions:		
Increase (decrease) in liabilities	(90)	(60)
Decrease (increase) in assets	(48)	68
Net cash provided by (used for) operating activities	452	442
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Payments for acquisitions of businesses, net of cash acquired	(14)	(1,497)
Capital expenditures	(370)	(262)
Other investing activities, net	—	(4)
Net cash provided by (used for) investing activities	(384)	(1,763)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Proceeds from issuance of long-term debt	1,743	998
Principal payments on debt and other long-term obligations	(32)	(29)
Purchases and redemptions of long-term debt	(1,318)	—
Borrowings under revolving credit facility	170	1,405
Payments under revolving credit facility	(1,050)	(1,070)
Payments for financing costs	(15)	(7)
Net proceeds from issuance of common stock	843	22
Net proceeds from issuance of preferred stock	—	—
Purchases of common stock	(33)	(22)
Dividends/distributions paid on common stock	(443)	(348)
Dividends paid on preferred stock	(28)	—
Net cash provided by (used for) financing activities	(163)	949
Net increase (decrease) in cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash	(95)	(372)
Effect of exchange rate changes	—	—
Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash at beginning of period⁽¹⁾	440	697
Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted cash at end of period⁽¹⁾	\$ 345	\$ 325
Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information:		
Interest paid	185	144
Income taxes paid	—	1

(1) Effective January 1, 2018, the Company is required to explain the change in restricted cash in addition to the change in cash and cash equivalents in its condensed consolidated statement of cash flows. The Company has applied this approach for all periods presented.

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COMPONENTS OF CHANGES IN SITE RENTAL REVENUES

(dollars in millions)	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017
Components of changes in site rental revenues ⁽¹⁾ :		
Prior year site rental revenues exclusive of straight-lined revenues associated with fixed escalators ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	\$ 856	\$ 782
New leasing activity ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾		
Escalators	49	41
Non-renewals	20	21
	(22)	(28)
Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues ⁽⁴⁾	47	34
Straight-lined revenues associated with fixed escalators	16	1
Acquisitions ⁽⁵⁾	234	40
Other	—	—
Total GAAP site rental revenues	\$ 1,153	\$ 857

Year-over-year changes in revenue:

Reported GAAP site rental revenues	34.5%
Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues ⁽⁴⁾⁽⁶⁾	5.5%

(1) See additional information regarding Crown Castle's site rental revenues including projected revenue from customer licenses, tenant non-renewals, straight-lined revenues and prepaid rent herein.

(2) Includes revenues from amortization of prepaid rent in accordance with GAAP.

(3) Includes revenues from the construction of new small cell nodes, exclusive of straight-lined revenues related to fixed escalators.

(4) See definitions provided herein.

(5) Represents the initial contribution of recent acquisitions. The financial impact of recent acquisitions is excluded from Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues until the one-year anniversary of the acquisition.

(6) Calculated as the percentage change from prior year site rental revenues, exclusive of straight-lined revenues associated with fixed escalations, compared to Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues for the current period.

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SUMMARY OF SITE RENTAL STRAIGHT-LINED REVENUES AND EXPENSES ASSOCIATED WITH FIXED ESCALATORS⁽¹⁾

(dollars in millions)	Three Months Ended March 31,					
	2018			2017		
	Towers	Fiber	Total	Towers	Fiber	Total
Site rental straight-lined revenue	\$ 16	\$ —	\$ 16	\$ (1)	\$ 2	\$ 1
Site rental straight-lined expenses	23	—	23	23	—	23

SUMMARY OF PREPAID RENT ACTIVITY⁽²⁾

(dollars in millions)	Three Months Ended March 31,					
	2018			2017		
	Towers	Fiber	Total	Towers	Fiber	Total
Prepaid rent received	\$ 28	\$ 52	\$ 80	\$ 30	\$ 37	\$ 67
Amortization of prepaid rent	32	47	79	27	26	53

(1) In accordance with GAAP accounting, if payment terms call for fixed escalations, or rent free periods, the revenue is recognized on a straight-line basis over the fixed, non-cancelable term of the contract. Since the Company recognizes revenue on a straight-line basis, a portion of the site rental revenue in a given period represents cash collected or contractually collectible in other periods.

(2) Reflects up front payments received from long-term tenant contracts and other deferred credits (commonly referred to as prepaid rent), and the amortization thereof for GAAP revenue recognition purposes.

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SUMMARY OF CAPITAL EXPENDITURES

(dollars in millions)	Three Months Ended March 31,							
	2018				2017			
	Towers	Fiber	Other	Total	Towers	Fiber	Other	Total
Discretionary:								
Purchases of land interests	\$ 14	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 14	\$ 21	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 21
Communications infrastructure construction and improvements	75	253	—	328	74	151	—	225
Sustaining:								
Capital improvement and corporate	7	9	6	22	6	3	7	16
Integration	—	—	6	6	—	—	—	—
Total	\$ 96	\$ 262	\$ 12	\$ 370	\$ 101	\$ 154	\$ 7	\$ 262

PROJECTED REVENUE FROM CUSTOMER CONTRACTS⁽¹⁾

(as of March 31, 2018; dollars in millions)	Remaining nine months	Years Ending December 31,			
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Components of site rental revenue:					
Site rental revenues exclusive of straight-line associated with fixed escalators	\$ 3,433	\$ 4,671	\$ 4,774	\$ 4,883	\$ 4,980
Straight-lined site rental revenues associated with fixed escalators	4	(66)	(152)	(222)	(265)
GAAP site rental revenue	\$ 3,437	\$ 4,605	\$ 4,622	\$ 4,661	\$ 4,715

PROJECTED GROUND LEASE EXPENSE FROM EXISTING GROUND LEASES⁽²⁾

(as of March 31, 2018; dollars in millions)	Remaining nine months	Years Ending December 31,			
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Components of ground lease expense:					
Ground lease expense exclusive of straight-line associated with fixed escalators	\$ 598	\$ 810	\$ 828	\$ 847	\$ 867
Straight-lined site rental ground lease expense associated with fixed escalators	63	74	62	50	38
GAAP ground lease expense	\$ 661	\$ 884	\$ 890	\$ 897	\$ 905

(1) Based on customer licenses as of March 31, 2018. All customer licenses are assumed to renew for a new term no later than the respective current term end date. CPI-linked customer contracts are assumed to escalate at 3% per annum.

(2) Based on existing ground leases as of March 31, 2018. CPI-linked leases are assumed to escalate at 3% per annum.

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ANNUALIZED RENTAL CASH PAYMENTS AT TIME OF RENEWAL⁽¹⁾

(as of March 31, 2018; dollars in millions)	Remaining nine months	Years Ending December 31,				
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	
AT&T	\$ 36	\$ 41	\$ 52	\$ 82	\$ 65	
Sprint	7	29	17	29	23	
T-Mobile	20	59	25	43	616	
Verizon	22	28	36	35	40	
All Others Combined	146	160	146	83	80	
Total	\$ 231	\$ 317	\$ 277	\$ 272	\$ 824	

CUSTOMER OVERVIEW

(as of March 31, 2018)	Percentage of Q1 2018 LQA Site Rental Revenues	Weighted Average Current Term Remaining ⁽²⁾	Long-Term Credit Rating (S&P / Moody's)
AT&T	22%	5	BBB+ / Baa1
T-Mobile	19%	5	BB+
Verizon	19%	6	BBB+ / Baa1
Sprint	14%	7	B / B2
All Others Combined	26%	3	N/A
Total / Weighted Average	100%	5	

(1) Reflects lease renewals by year by customer; dollar amounts represent annualized cash site rental revenues from assumed renewals or extension as reflected in the table "Projected Revenue from Customer Contracts."

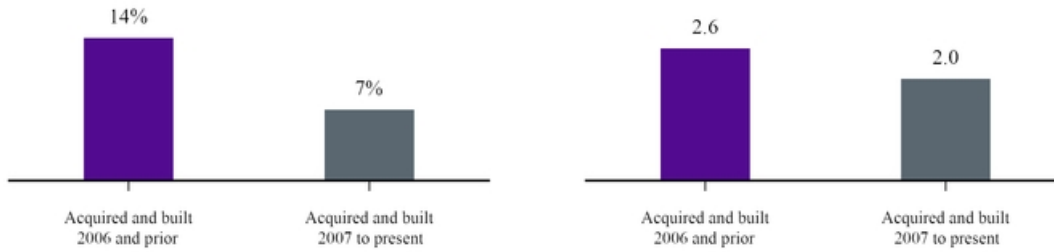
(2) Weighted by site rental revenue contributions; excludes renewals at the customers' option.

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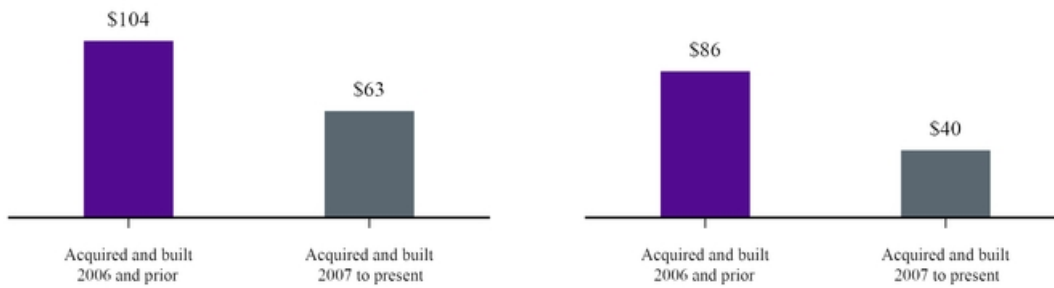
SUMMARY OF TOWER PORTFOLIO BY VINTAGE

(as of March 31, 2018; dollars in thousands)

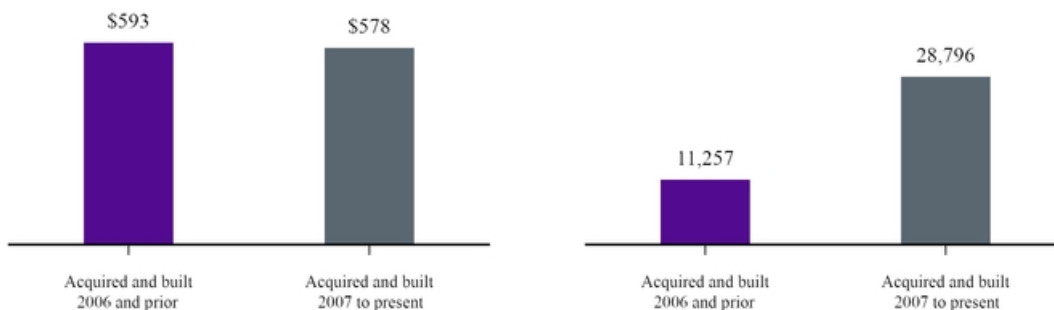
YIELD ⁽¹⁾	NUMBER OF TENANTS PER TOWER
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LQA SITE RENTAL REVENUE PER TOWER	LQA TOWERS SEGMENT SITE RENTAL GROSS MARGIN PER TOWER
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INVESTED CAPITAL PER TOWER ⁽²⁾	NUMBER OF TOWERS
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(1) Yield is calculated as LQA Towers segment site rental gross margin divided by invested capital.

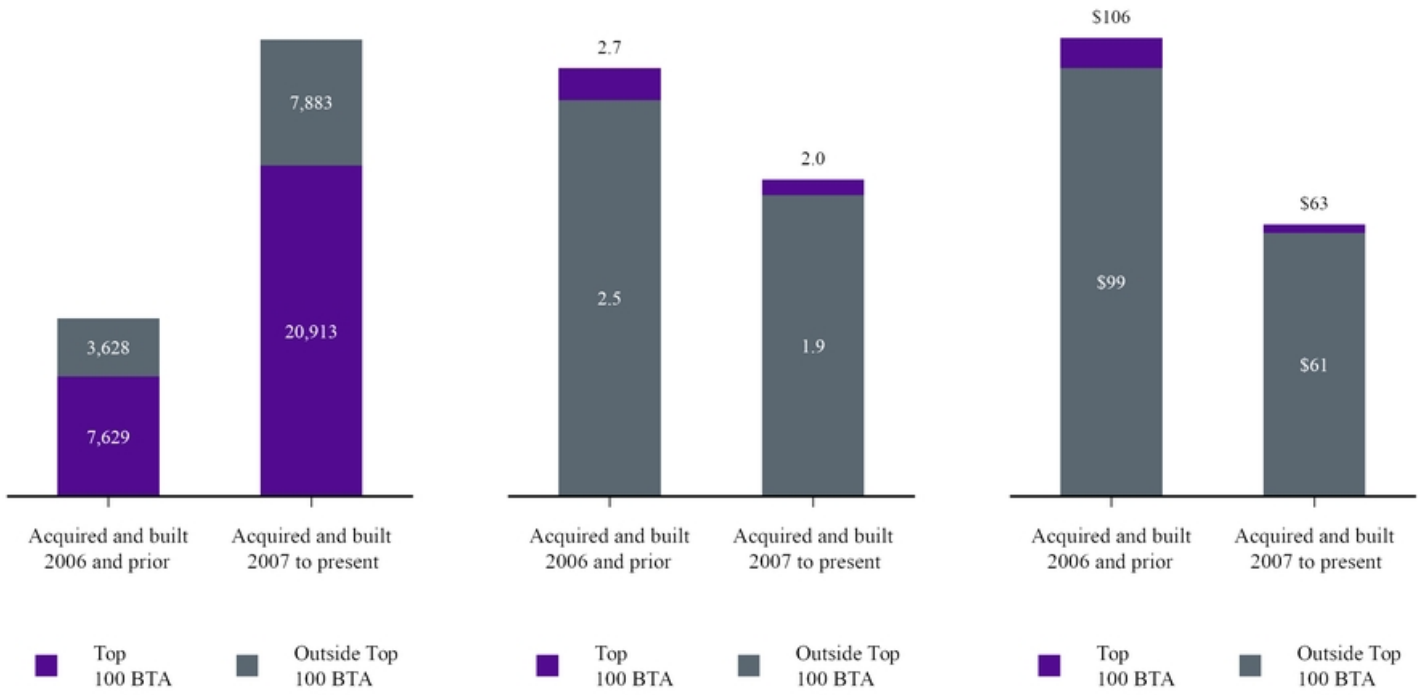
(2) Reflects gross total assets, including incremental capital invested by the Company since time of acquisition or construction completion. Inclusive of invested capital related to land at the tower site.

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PORTFOLIO OVERVIEW⁽¹⁾

(as of March 31, 2018; dollars in thousands)

NUMBER OF TOWERS	TENANTS PER TOWER	LQA SITE RENTAL REVENUE PER TOWER
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(1) Includes towers and rooftops, excludes small cells, fiber and third-party land interests.

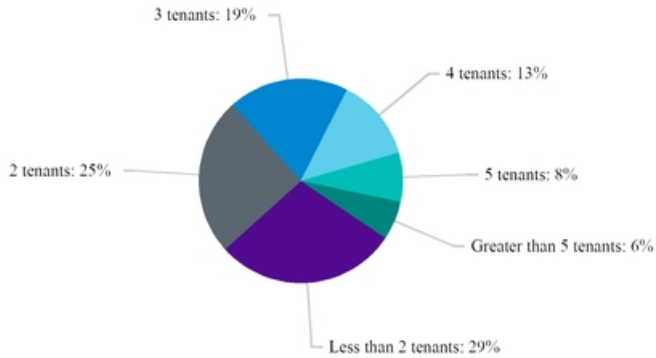
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DISTRIBUTION OF TOWER TENANCY (as of March 31, 2018)

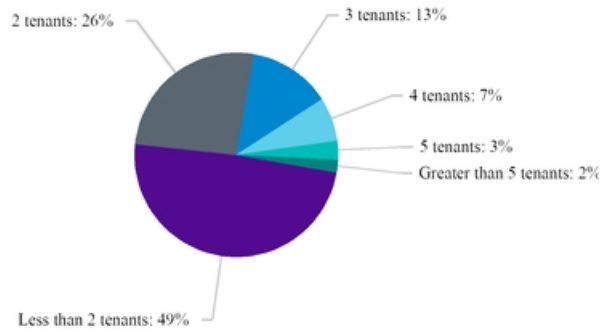
PERCENTAGE OF TOWERS BY TENANTS PER TOWER⁽¹⁾

SITES ACQUIRED AND BUILT 2006 AND PRIOR

SITES ACQUIRED AND BUILT 2007 TO PRESENT



Average: 2.6

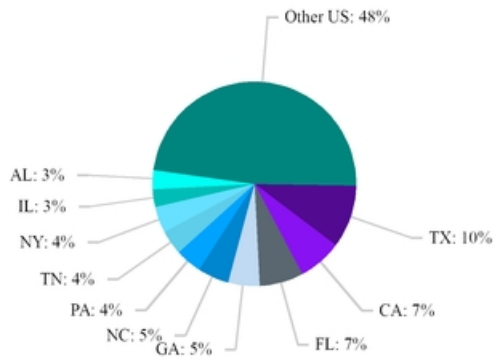
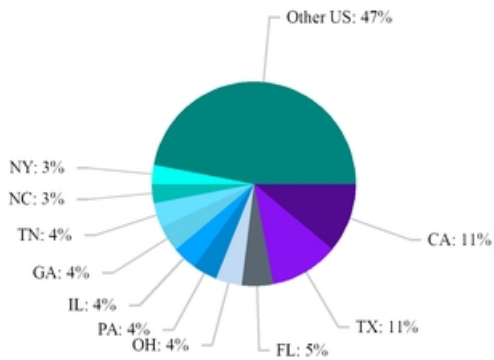


Average: 2.0

GEOGRAPHIC TOWER DISTRIBUTION (as of March 31, 2018)⁽¹⁾

PERCENTAGE OF TOWERS BY GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION

PERCENTAGE OF LQA SITE RENTAL REVENUE BY GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION



(1) Includes towers and rooftops, excludes small cells, fiber and third-party land interests.

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GROUND INTEREST OVERVIEW

(as of March 31, 2018; dollars in millions)	LQA Site Rental Revenue	Percentage of LQA Site Rental Revenue	LQA Towers Segment Site Rental Gross Margin	Percentage of LQA Towers Segment Site Rental Gross Margin	Number of Towers ⁽¹⁾	Percentage of Towers	Weighted Average Term Remaining (by years) ⁽²⁾
Less than 10 years	\$ 363	12%	\$ 207	10%	5,654	14%	
10 to 20 years	464	16%	254	12%	7,619	19%	
Greater 20 years	1,266	42%	857	40%	17,007	43%	
Total leased	\$ 2,093	70%	\$ 1,318	62%	30,280	76%	34
Owned	880	30%	813	38%	9,773	24%	
Total / Average	\$ 2,973	100%	\$ 2,131	100%	40,053	100%	

(1) Includes towers and rooftops, excludes small cells, fiber and third-party land interests.

(2) Includes renewal terms at the Company's option; weighted by Towers segment site rental gross margin.

GROUND INTEREST ACTIVITY

(dollars in millions)	Three Months Ended March 31, 2018
Ground Extensions Under Crown Castle Towers:	
Number of ground leases extended	304
Average number of years extended	33
Percentage increase in consolidated cash ground lease expense due to extension activities ⁽¹⁾	0.1%
Ground Purchases Under Crown Castle Towers:	
Number of ground leases purchased	66
Land lease purchases (including capital expenditures, acquisitions and capital leases)	\$ 21
Percentage of Towers segment site rental gross margin from towers residing on land purchased	<1%

(1) Includes the impact from the amortization of lump sum payments.

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CAPITALIZATION OVERVIEW

(dollars in millions)	Face Value as of 3/31/2018	Fixed vs. Variable	Secured vs. Unsecured	Interest Rate ⁽²⁾	Net Debt to LQA EBITDA ⁽³⁾	Maturity
Cash and cash equivalents⁽¹⁾	\$ 220					
Senior Secured Tower Revenue Notes, Series 2010-6 ⁽⁴⁾	1,000	Fixed	Secured	4.9%		2040 ⁽⁴⁾
Senior Secured Tower Revenue Notes, Series 2015-1 ⁽⁴⁾	300	Fixed	Secured	3.2%		2042 ⁽⁴⁾
Senior Secured Tower Revenue Notes, Series 2015-2 ⁽⁴⁾	700	Fixed	Secured	3.7%		2045 ⁽⁴⁾
3.849% Secured Notes	1,000	Fixed	Secured	3.9%		2023
Senior Secured Notes, Series 2009-1, Class A-1	28	Fixed	Secured	6.3%		2019
Senior Secured Notes, Series 2009-1, Class A-2	70	Fixed	Secured	9.0%		2029
Capital leases & other obligations	228	Various	Secured	Various		Various
Total secured debt	\$ 3,326			4.0%	1.1x	
2016 Revolver ⁽⁵⁾	100	Variable	Unsecured	3.3%		2022
2016 Term Loan A	2,386	Variable	Unsecured	3.3%		2022
5.250% Senior Notes	1,650	Fixed	Unsecured	5.3%		2023
4.875% Senior Notes	850	Fixed	Unsecured	4.9%		2022
3.400% Senior Notes	850	Fixed	Unsecured	3.4%		2021
4.450% Senior Notes	900	Fixed	Unsecured	4.5%		2026
3.700% Senior Notes	750	Fixed	Unsecured	3.7%		2026
2.250% Senior Notes	700	Fixed	Unsecured	2.3%		2021
4.000% Senior Notes	500	Fixed	Unsecured	4.0%		2027
4.750% Senior Notes	350	Fixed	Unsecured	4.8%		2047
3.200% Senior Notes	750	Fixed	Unsecured	3.2%		2024
3.650% Senior Notes	1,000	Fixed	Unsecured	3.7%		2027
3.150% Senior Notes	750	Fixed	Unsecured	3.2%		2023
3.800% Senior Notes	1,000	Fixed	Unsecured	3.8%		2028
Total unsecured debt	\$ 12,536			3.8%	4.1x	
Total net debt	\$ 15,642			3.9%	5.1x	
Preferred Stock, at liquidation value	1,650					
Market Capitalization⁽⁶⁾	45,468					
Firm Value⁽⁷⁾	\$ 62,760					

(1) Excludes restricted cash.

(2) Represents the weighted-average stated interest rate.

(3) Represents the applicable amount of debt divided by LQA consolidated Adjusted EBITDA.

(4) If the respective series of such debt is not paid in full on or prior to an applicable date then the Excess Cash Flow (as defined in the indenture) of the issuers of such notes will be used to repay principal of the applicable series, and additional interest (of an additional approximately 5% per annum) will accrue on the respective series. The Senior Secured Tower Revenue Notes, Series 2010-6, 2015-1 and 2015-2 have anticipated repayment dates in 2020, 2022 and 2025, respectively. Notes are prepayable at par if voluntarily repaid six months or less prior to maturity; earlier prepayment may require additional consideration.

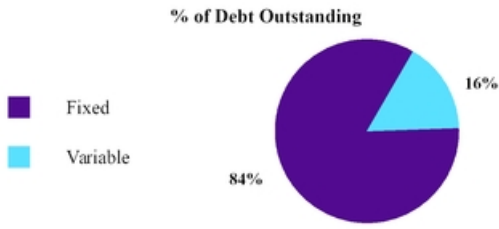
(5) As of March 31, 2018, the undrawn availability under the \$3.5 billion 2016 Revolver is \$3.4 billion.

(6) Market capitalization calculated based on \$109.61 closing price and 415 million shares outstanding as of March 31, 2018.

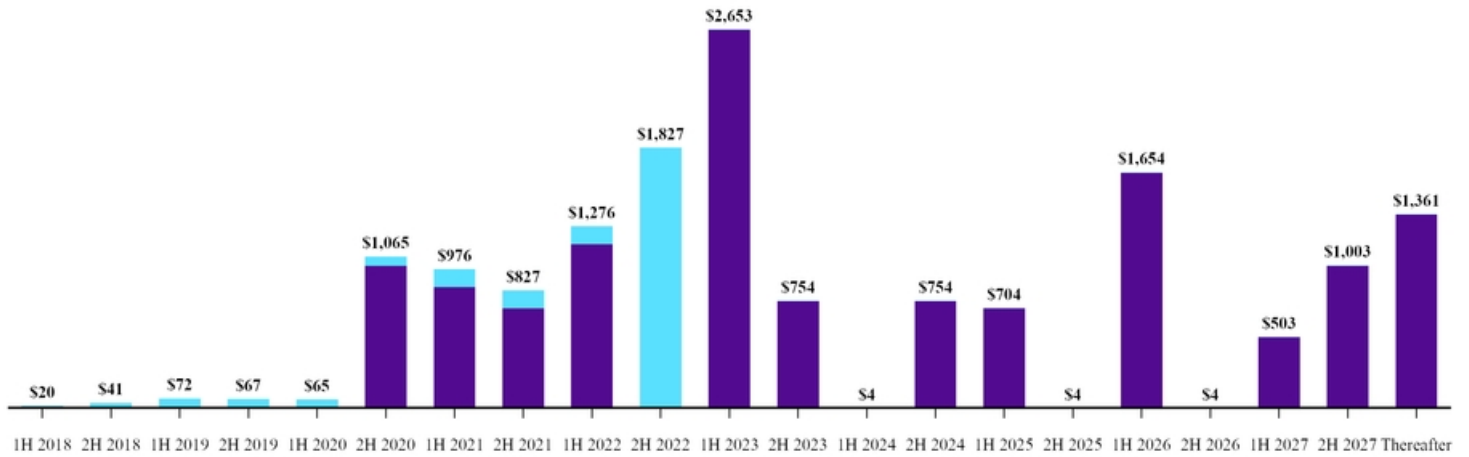
(7) Represents the sum of net debt, preferred stock (at liquidation value) and market capitalization.

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DEBT MATURITY OVERVIEW⁽¹⁾



(as of March 31, 2018; dollars in millions)



(1) Where applicable, maturities reflect the Anticipated Repayment Date as defined in the respective debt agreement; excludes capital leases and other obligations; amounts presented at face value net of repurchases held at CCIC.

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LIQUIDITY OVERVIEW⁽¹⁾

(dollars in millions)	March 31, 2018
Cash and cash equivalents ⁽²⁾	\$ 220
Undrawn 2016 Revolver availability ⁽³⁾	3,381
Restricted cash ⁽⁴⁾	125
Debt and other long-term obligations	15,746
Total equity	12,832

(1) In addition, in April 2018, we established an At-The-Market stock offering program ("ATM Program") through which we may, from time to time, issue and sell shares of our common stock having an aggregate gross sales price of up to \$750 million to or through sales agents. No shares of common stock have been sold under the ATM Program.

(2) Exclusive of restricted cash.

(3) Availability at any point in time is subject to reaffirmation of the representations and warranties in, and there being no default under, our credit agreement governing our 2016 Revolver.

(4) Inclusive of \$5 million included within long-term prepaid rent and other assets, net on our condensed consolidated balance sheet.

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SUMMARY OF MAINTENANCE AND FINANCIAL COVENANTS

Debt	Borrower / Issuer	Covenant ⁽¹⁾	Covenant Level Requirement	As of March 31, 2018
Maintenance Financial Covenants⁽²⁾				
2016 Credit Facility	CCIC	Total Net Leverage Ratio	≤ 6.50x	5.2x
2016 Credit Facility	CCIC	Total Senior Secured Leverage Ratio	≤ 3.50x	1.0x
2016 Credit Facility	CCIC	Consolidated Interest Coverage Ratio ⁽³⁾	N/A	N/A
Restrictive Negative Financial Covenants				
Financial covenants restricting ability to incur additional debt				
2012 Secured Notes	CC Holdings GS V LLC and Crown Castle GS III Corp.	Debt to Adjusted Consolidated Cash Flow Ratio	≤ 3.50x	2.4x
Financial covenants requiring excess cash flows to be deposited in a cash trap reserve account and not released				
2010 Tower Revenue Notes	Crown Castle Towers LLC and its Subsidiaries	Debt Service Coverage Ratio	> 1.75x	⁽⁴⁾ 9.2x
2015 Tower Revenue Notes	Crown Castle Towers LLC and its Subsidiaries	Debt Service Coverage Ratio	> 1.75x	⁽⁴⁾ 9.2x
2009 Securitized Notes	Pinnacle Towers Acquisition Holdings LLC and its Subsidiaries	Debt Service Coverage Ratio	> 1.30x	⁽⁴⁾ 8.1x
Financial covenants restricting ability of relevant issuer to issue additional notes under the applicable indenture				
2010 Tower Revenue Notes	Crown Castle Towers LLC and its Subsidiaries	Debt Service Coverage Ratio	≥ 2.00x	⁽⁵⁾ 9.2x
2015 Tower Revenue Notes	Crown Castle Towers LLC and its Subsidiaries	Debt Service Coverage Ratio	≥ 2.00x	⁽⁵⁾ 9.2x
2009 Securitized Notes	Pinnacle Towers Acquisition Holdings LLC and its Subsidiaries	Debt Service Coverage Ratio	≥ 2.34x	⁽⁵⁾ 8.1x

(1) As defined in the respective debt agreement. In the indentures for the 2010 Tower Revenue Notes, 2015 Tower Revenue Notes and the 2009 Securitized Notes, the defined term for Debt Service Coverage Ratio is "DSCR."

(2) Failure to comply with the financial maintenance covenants would, absent a waiver, result in an event of default under the credit agreement governing our 2016 Credit Facility.

(3) Applicable solely to the extent that the senior unsecured debt rating by any two of S&P, Moody's and Fitch is lower than BBB-, Baa3 or BBB-, respectively. If applicable, the consolidated interest coverage ratio must be greater than or equal to 2.50.

(4) The 2010 Tower Revenue Notes, 2015 Tower Revenue Notes and 2009 Securitized Notes also include the potential for amortization events, which could result in applying current and future cash flow to the prepayment of debt with applicable prepayment consideration. An amortization event occurs when the Debt Service Coverage Ratio falls below 1.45x, 1.45x or 1.15x, in each case as described under the indentures for the 2010 Tower Revenue Notes, 2015 Tower Revenue Notes or 2009 Securitized Notes, respectively.

(5) Rating Agency Confirmation (as defined in the respective debt agreement) is also required.

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INTEREST RATE SENSITIVITY⁽¹⁾

(as of March 31, 2018; dollars in millions)	Remaining nine months		Years Ending December 31,	
	2018		2019	2020
Fixed Rate Debt:				
Face Value of Principal Outstanding ⁽²⁾	\$	13,133	\$ 13,117	\$ 13,110
Current Interest Payment Obligations ⁽³⁾		396	527	527
Effect of 0.125% Change in Interest Rates ⁽⁴⁾		—	—	<1
Floating Rate Debt:				
Face Value of Principal Outstanding ⁽²⁾	\$	2,439	\$ 2,316	\$ 2,193
Current Interest Payment Obligations ⁽⁵⁾		64	93	93
Effect of 0.125% Change in Interest Rates ⁽⁶⁾		2	3	3

(1) Excludes capital lease and other obligations.

(2) Face value net of required amortizations; assumes no maturity or balloon principal payments; excludes capital leases.

(3) Interest expense calculated based on current interest rates.

(4) Interest expense calculated based on current interest rates until the sooner of the (1) stated maturity date or (2) the Anticipated Repayment Date, at which time the face value amount outstanding of such indebtedness is refinanced at current rates plus 12.5 bps.

(5) Interest expense calculated based on current interest rates. Forward LIBOR assumptions are derived from the 1-month LIBOR forward curve as of March 31, 2018. Calculation assumes no changes to future interest rate margin spread over LIBOR due to changes in the Borrower's senior unsecured credit rating.

(6) Interest expense calculated based on current interest rates using the 1-month LIBOR forward curve as of March 31, 2018 plus 12.5 bps.

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DEFINITIONS

Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations

This Supplement includes presentations of Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted Funds from Operations ("AFFO"), Funds from Operations ("FFO") and Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues, which are non-GAAP financial measures. These non-GAAP financial measures are not intended as alternative measures of operating results or cash flow from operations (as determined in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("GAAP")).

Our measures of Adjusted EBITDA, AFFO, FFO and Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of other companies, including other companies in the communications infrastructure sector or other REITs. Our definition of FFO is consistent with guidelines from the National Association of Real Estate Investment Trusts with the exception of the impact of income taxes in periods prior to our REIT conversion in 2014.

In addition to the non-GAAP financial measures used herein, we also provide Segment Site Rental Gross Margin, Segment Network Services and Other Gross Margin and Segment Operating Profit, which are key measures used by management to evaluate our operating segments for purposes of making decisions about allocating capital and assessing performance. These segment measures are provided pursuant to GAAP requirements related to segment reporting. In addition, we provide the components of certain GAAP measures, such as capital expenditures.

Adjusted EBITDA, AFFO, FFO and Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues, are presented as additional information because management believes these measures are useful indicators of the financial performance of our business. Among other things, management believes that:

- Adjusted EBITDA is useful to investors or other interested parties in evaluating our financial performance. Adjusted EBITDA is the primary measure used by management (1) to evaluate the economic productivity of our operations and (2) for purposes of making decisions about allocating resources to, and assessing the performance of, our operations. Management believes that Adjusted EBITDA helps investors or other interested parties meaningfully evaluate and compare the results of our operations (1) from period to period and (2) to our competitors, by removing the impact of our capital structure (primarily interest charges from our outstanding debt) and asset base (primarily depreciation, amortization and accretion) from our financial results. Management also believes Adjusted EBITDA is frequently used by investors or other interested parties in the evaluation of the communications infrastructure sector and other REITs to measure financial performance without regard to items such as depreciation, amortization and accretion, which can vary depending upon accounting methods and the book value of assets. In addition, Adjusted EBITDA is similar to the measure of current financial performance generally used in our debt covenant calculations. Adjusted EBITDA should be considered only as a supplement to net income computed in accordance with GAAP as a measure of our performance.
- AFFO and AFFO per share are useful to investors or other interested parties in evaluating our financial performance. Management believes that AFFO and AFFO per share help investors or other interested parties meaningfully evaluate our financial performance as they include (1) the impact of our capital structure (primarily interest expense on our outstanding debt and dividends on our preferred stock) and (2) sustaining capital expenditures and excludes the impact of our (a) asset base (primarily depreciation, amortization and accretion) and (b) certain non-cash items, including straight-lined revenues and expenses related to fixed escalations and rent free periods. GAAP requires rental revenues and expenses related to leases that contain specified rental increases over the life of the lease to be recognized evenly over the life of the lease. In accordance with GAAP, if payment terms call for fixed escalations, or rent free periods, the revenue or expense is recognized on a straight-lined basis over the fixed, non-cancelable term of the contract. Management notes that the Company uses AFFO and AFFO per share only as a performance measure. AFFO and AFFO per share should be considered only as a supplement to net income computed in accordance with GAAP as a measure of our performance and should not be considered as an alternative to cash flows from operations or as residual cash flow available for discretionary investment.
- FFO and FFO per share are useful to investors or other interested parties in evaluating our financial performance. Management believes that FFO may be used by investors or other interested parties as a basis to compare our financial performance with that of other REITs. FFO and FFO per share help investors or other interested parties meaningfully evaluate financial performance by excluding the impact of our asset base (primarily depreciation, amortization and accretion). FFO and FFO per share are not key performance indicators used by the Company. FFO and FFO per share should be considered only as a supplement to net income computed in accordance with GAAP as a measure of our performance and should not be considered as an alternative to cash flow from operations.
- Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues is useful to investors or other interested parties in understanding the components of the year-over-year changes in our site rental revenues computed in accordance with GAAP. Management uses the Organic

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Contribution to Site Rental Revenues to assess year-over-year growth rates for our rental activities, to evaluate current performance, to capture trends in rental rates, new leasing activities and customer non-renewals in our core business, as well to forecast future results. Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues is not meant as an alternative measure of revenue and should be considered only as a supplement in understanding and assessing the performance of our site rental revenues computed in accordance with GAAP.

We define our non-GAAP financial measures, segment measures and other calculations as follows:

Non-GAAP Financial Measures

Adjusted EBITDA. We define Adjusted EBITDA as net income (loss) plus restructuring charges (credits), asset write-down charges, acquisition and integration costs, depreciation, amortization and accretion, amortization of prepaid lease purchase price adjustments, interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs, (gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations, net (gain) loss on interest rate swaps, (gains) losses on foreign currency swaps, impairment of available-for-sale securities, interest income, other (income) expense, (benefit) provision for income taxes, cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle, (income) loss from discontinued operations and stock-based compensation expense.

Adjusted Funds from Operations. We define Adjusted Funds from Operations as FFO before straight-lined revenue, straight-lined expense, stock-based compensation expense, non-cash portion of tax provision, non-real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion, amortization of non-cash interest expense, other (income) expense, (gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations, net (gain) loss on interest rate swaps, (gains) losses on foreign currency swaps, acquisition and integration costs, and adjustments for noncontrolling interests, and less capital improvement capital expenditures and corporate capital expenditures (i.e., sustaining capital expenditures).

AFFO per share. We define AFFO per share as AFFO divided by diluted weighted average common shares outstanding.

Funds from Operations. We define Funds from Operations as net income plus real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion and asset write-down charges, less noncontrolling interest and cash paid for preferred stock dividends, and is a measure of funds from operations attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

FFO per share. We define FFO per share as FFO divided by the diluted weighted average common shares outstanding.

Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues. We define the Organic Contribution to Site Rental Revenues as the sum of the change in GAAP site rental revenues related to (1) new leasing activity, including revenues from the construction of small cells and the impact of prepaid rent, (2) escalators and less (3) non-renewals of customer contracts.

Segment Measures

Segment Site Rental Gross Margin. We define Segment Site Rental Gross Margin as segment site rental revenues less segment site rental cost of operations, excluding stock-based compensation expense and prepaid lease purchase price adjustments recorded in consolidated site rental cost of operations.

Segment Network Services and Other Gross Margin. We define Segment Network Services and Other Gross Margin as segment network services and other revenues less segment network services and other cost of operations, excluding stock-based compensation expense recorded in consolidated network services and other cost of operations.

Segment Operating Profit. We define Segment Operating Profit as segment site rental gross margin plus segment network services and other gross margin, less general and administrative expenses attributable to the respective segment.

Other Calculations

Discretionary capital expenditures. We define discretionary capital expenditures as those capital expenditures made with respect to activities which we believe exhibit sufficient potential to enhance long-term stockholder value. They consist of expansion or development of existing communications infrastructure, construction of new communications infrastructure, and, to a lesser extent, purchases of land assets under towers as we seek to manage our interests in the land beneath our towers.

Sustaining capital expenditures. We define sustaining capital expenditures as those capital expenditures made with respect to either (1) corporate capital expenditures or (2) capital improvement capital expenditures on our communications infrastructure assets that enable our customers' ongoing quiet enjoyment of the communications infrastructure.

Integration capital expenditures. We define integration capital expenditures as those capital expenditures made specifically with respect to recent acquisitions that are essential to integrating acquired companies into our business.

The tables set forth below reconcile the non-GAAP financial measures used herein to comparable GAAP financial measures. The components in these tables may not sum to the total due to rounding.

Reconciliations of Non-GAAP Financial Measures to Comparable GAAP Financial Measures and Other Calculations:

Reconciliation of Historical Adjusted EBITDA:

(dollars in millions)	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017
Net income (loss)	\$ 114	\$ 119
Adjustments to increase (decrease) net income (loss):		
Asset write-down charges	3	1
Acquisition and integration costs	6	6
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	374	289
Amortization of prepaid lease purchase price adjustments	5	5
Interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs ⁽¹⁾	160	134
(Gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations	71	4
Interest income	(1)	—
Other (income) expense	1	(6)
(Benefit) provision for income taxes	4	4
Stock-based compensation expense	26	25
Adjusted EBITDA⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	\$ 763	\$ 581

(1) See the reconciliation of "components of historical interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs" herein.

(2) See "Definitions of Non-GAAP Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" herein for a discussion of our definition of Adjusted EBITDA.

(3) The above reconciliation excludes line items included in our definition which are not applicable for the periods shown.

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Reconciliation of Current Outlook for Adjusted EBITDA:

(dollars in millions)	Q2 2018		Full Year 2018	
	Outlook		Outlook	
Net income (loss)	\$139	to \$164	\$589	to \$669
Adjustments to increase (decrease) net income (loss):				
Asset write-down charges	\$9	to \$11	\$28	to \$38
Acquisition and integration costs	\$13	to \$17	\$45	to \$55
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	\$373	to \$393	\$1,517	to \$1,552
Amortization of prepaid lease purchase price adjustments	\$4	to \$6	\$19	to \$21
Interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs ⁽¹⁾	\$154	to \$164	\$616	to \$661
(Gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations	\$0	to \$0	\$71	to \$71
Interest income	\$(1)	to \$1	\$(3)	to \$1
Other (income) expense	\$(1)	to \$3	\$3	to \$5
(Benefit) provision for income taxes	\$8	to \$12	\$28	to \$36
Stock-based compensation expense	\$26	to \$30	\$104	to \$112
Adjusted EBITDA⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	\$757	to \$767	\$3,097	to \$3,142

Components of Historical Interest Expense and Amortization of Deferred Financing Costs:

(dollars in millions)	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017
Interest expense on debt obligations	\$ 158	\$ 132
Amortization of deferred financing costs and adjustments on long-term debt, net	5	4
Other, net	(3)	(2)
Interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs	\$ 160	\$ 134

Components of Current Outlook for Interest Expense and Amortization of Deferred Financing Costs:

(dollars in millions)	Q2 2018		Full Year 2018	
	Outlook		Outlook	
Interest expense on debt obligations	\$155	to \$160	\$620	to \$640
Amortization of deferred financing costs and adjustments on long-term debt, net	\$3	to \$6	\$18	to \$23
Other, net	\$(4)	to \$(2)	\$(15)	to \$(10)
Interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs	\$154	to \$164	\$616	to \$661

- (1) See the reconciliation of "components of current outlook for interest expense and amortization of deferred financing costs" herein.
(2) See "Definitions of Non-GAAP Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" herein for a discussion of our definition of Adjusted EBITDA.
(3) The above reconciliation excludes line items included in our definition which are not applicable for the periods shown.

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Reconciliation of Historical FFO and AFFO:

(amounts in millions, except per share amounts)	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017
Net income (loss)	\$ 114	\$ 119
Real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion	359	281
Asset write-down charges	3	1
Dividends on preferred stock	(28)	—
FFO⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾	\$ 447	\$ 401
FFO (from above)	\$ 447	\$ 401
Adjustments to increase (decrease) FFO:		
Straight-lined revenue	(16)	(1)
Straight-lined expense	23	23
Stock-based compensation expense	26	25
Non-cash portion of tax provision	4	4
Non-real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion	15	8
Amortization of non-cash interest expense	2	2
Other (income) expense	1	(6)
Gains (losses) on retirement of long-term obligations	71	4
Acquisition and integration costs	6	6
Capital improvement capital expenditures	(13)	(7)
Corporate capital expenditures	(9)	(9)
AFFO⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾	\$ 558	\$ 450
Weighted average common shares outstanding—diluted ⁽⁵⁾	410	362
AFFO per share⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾	\$ 1.36	\$ 1.24

(1) See "Definitions of Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" herein for a discussion of our definitions of FFO and AFFO.

(2) FFO and AFFO are reduced by cash paid for preferred stock dividends during the period in which they are paid.

(3) The above reconciliation excludes line items included in our definition which are not applicable for the periods shown.

(4) Attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

(5) Based on the diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding for the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017. For all periods presented, the diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding does not include any assumed conversion of preferred stock in the share count.

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Reconciliation of Historical FFO and AFFO:

(amounts in millions, except per share amounts)	Years Ended December 31,			
	2017	2016	2015	2014
Net income (loss)	\$ 445	\$ 357	\$ 525	\$ 346
Real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion	1,211	1,082	1,018	972
Asset write-down charges	17	34	33	14
Dividends on preferred stock	(30)	(44)	(44)	(44)
FFO(1)(2)(3)(4)	\$ 1,643	\$ 1,430	\$ 1,533	\$ 1,288
FFO (from above)	\$ 1,643	\$ 1,430	\$ 1,533	\$ 1,288
Adjustments to increase (decrease) FFO:				
Straight-lined revenue	—	(47)	(111)	(183)
Straight-lined expense	93	94	99	102
Stock-based compensation expense	96	97	67	56
Non-cash portion of tax provision	9	7	(64)	(19)
Non-real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion	31	26	18	14
Amortization of non-cash interest expense	9	14	37	81
Other (income) expense	(2)	9	(57)	(12)
(Gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations	4	52	4	45
Acquisition and integration costs	61	17	16	34
Capital improvement capital expenditures	(41)	(43)	(47)	(31)
Corporate capital expenditures	(44)	(47)	(58)	(50)
AFFO(1)(2)(3)(4)	\$ 1,860	\$ 1,610	\$ 1,437	\$ 1,324
Weighted average common shares outstanding—diluted ⁽⁵⁾	383	341	334	333
AFFO per share(1)(3)(4)	\$ 4.85	\$ 4.72	\$ 4.30	\$ 3.97

(1) See "Definitions of Non-GAAP Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" herein for a discussion of our definitions of FFO and AFFO.

(2) FFO and AFFO are reduced by cash paid for preferred stock dividends during the period in which they are paid.

(3) The above reconciliation excludes line items included in our definition which are not applicable for the periods shown.

(4) Attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

(5) Based on the diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding for the twelve months ended December 31, 2017, 2016, 2015 and 2014.

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Reconciliation of Current Outlook for FFO and AFFO:

(amounts in millions, except per share amounts)	Q2 2018 Outlook	Full Year 2018 Outlook
Net income (loss)	\$139 to \$164	\$589 to \$669
Real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion	\$363 to \$373	\$1,466 to \$1,486
Asset write-down charges	\$9 to \$11	\$28 to \$38
Dividends on preferred stock	\$(28) to \$(28)	\$(113) to \$(113)
FFO⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	\$496 to \$506	\$2,002 to \$2,047
Weighted-average common shares outstanding—diluted ⁽⁴⁾	416	415
FFO per share⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	\$1.19 to \$1.22	\$4.83 to \$4.94
FFO (from above)	\$496 to \$506	\$2,002 to \$2,047
Adjustments to increase (decrease) FFO:		
Straight-lined revenue	\$(16) to \$(6)	\$(39) to \$(19)
Straight-lined expense	\$17 to \$27	\$77 to \$97
Stock-based compensation expense	\$26 to \$30	\$104 to \$112
Non-cash portion of tax provision	\$(7) to \$3	\$3 to \$18
Non-real estate related depreciation, amortization and accretion	\$10 to \$20	\$51 to \$66
Amortization of non-cash interest expense	\$(1) to \$4	\$3 to \$13
Other (income) expense	\$(1) to \$3	\$3 to \$5
(Gains) losses on retirement of long-term obligations	\$0 to \$0	\$71 to \$71
Acquisition and integration costs	\$13 to \$17	\$45 to \$55
Capital improvement capital expenditures	\$(19) to \$(9)	\$(67) to \$(52)
Corporate capital expenditures	\$(18) to \$(8)	\$(64) to \$(49)
AFFO⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	\$539 to \$549	\$2,255 to \$2,300
Weighted-average common shares outstanding—diluted ⁽⁴⁾	416	415
AFFO per share⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	\$1.29 to \$1.32	\$5.44 to \$5.55

(1) See "Definitions of Non-GAAP Financial Measures, Segment Measures and Other Calculations" herein for a discussion of our definitions of FFO and AFFO.

(2) The above reconciliation excludes line items included in our definition which are not applicable for the periods shown.

(3) Attributable to CCIC common stockholders.

(4) The assumption for second quarter 2018 and full year 2018 diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding is 416 million and 415 million, respectively, based on diluted common shares outstanding as of March 31, 2018. For all periods presented, the diluted weighted-average common shares outstanding does not include any assumed conversion of preferred stock in the share count.

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Net debt to Last Quarter Annualized Adjusted EBITDA calculation:

(dollars in millions)	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017
Total face value of debt	\$ 15,862	\$ 13,584
Ending cash and cash equivalents ⁽¹⁾	220	205
Total net debt	\$ 15,642	\$ 13,379
Adjusted EBITDA for the three months ended March 31,	\$ 763	\$ 581
Last quarter annualized Adjusted EBITDA	3,052	2,324
Net debt to Last Quarter Annualized Adjusted EBITDA	5.1x	5.8x

Cash Interest Coverage Ratio Calculation:

(dollars in millions)	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 763	\$ 581
Interest expense on debt obligations	158	132
Interest Coverage Ratio	4.8x	4.4x

(1) Excludes restricted cash.