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For the fiscal year ended February 1, 2020
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For the transition period from to

## Commission File Number: 1-4365 <br> OXFORD INDUSTRIES, INC. <br> (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)



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Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the registrant's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date.

## Documents Incorporated by Reference

Portions of our proxy statement for our Annual Meeting of Shareholders to be held on June 16, 2020 are incorporated by reference into Part III of this Form 10-K.

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## CAUTIONARY STATEMENTS REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

Our SEC filings and public announcements may include forward-looking statements about future events. Generally, the words "believe," "expect," "intend," "estimate," "anticipate," "project," "will" and similar expressions identify forward-looking statements, which generally are not historical in nature. We intend for all forward-looking statements contained herein, in our press releases or on our website, and all subsequent written and oral forward-looking statements attributable to us or persons acting on our behalf, to be covered by the safe harbor provisions for forwardlooking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 and the provisions of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (which Sections were adopted as part of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995). Such statements are subject to a number of risks, uncertainties and assumptions including, without limitation, the effect of the current coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak; demand for our products, which may be impacted by competitive conditions and/or evolving consumer shopping patterns; macroeconomic factors that may impact consumer spending for apparel and related products; costs of products as well as the raw materials used in those products; expected pricing levels; costs of labor; the timing of shipments requested by our wholesale customers; changes, and the impact on our business operations of such changes, in international, federal or state tax, trade and other laws and regulations, including the imposition of additional duties, tariffs, taxes or other charges or barriers to trade and our ability to implement mitigating sourcing strategies; weather; fluctuations and volatility in global financial markets; retention of and disciplined execution by key management; the timing and cost of store and restaurant openings and remodels as well as other capital expenditures; acquisition and disposition activities, including our ability to timely recognize expected synergies from acquisitions; expected outcomes of pending or potential litigation and regulatory actions; the impact of any restructuring initiatives we may undertake in one or more of our business lines; access to capital and/or credit markets; changes in accounting standards and related guidance; and factors that could affect our consolidated effective tax rate. Forward-looking statements reflect our expectations at the time such forward looking statements are made, based on information available at such time, and are not guarantees of performance. Although we believe that the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are reasonable, these expectations could prove inaccurate as such statements involve risks and uncertainties, many of which are beyond our ability to control or predict. Should one or more of these risks or uncertainties, or other risks or uncertainties not currently known to us or that we currently deem to be immaterial, materialize, or should underlying assumptions prove incorrect, actual results may vary materially from those anticipated, estimated or projected. Important factors relating to these risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to, those described in Part I, Item 1A. Risk Factors and elsewhere in this report and those described from time to time in our future reports filed with the SEC. We caution that one should not place undue reliance on forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date on which they are made. We disclaim any intention, obligation or duty to update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by law.

## DEFINITIONS

As used in this report, unless the context requires otherwise, "our," "us" or "we" means Oxford Industries, Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries; "SG\&A" means selling, general and administrative expenses; "SEC" means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission; "FASB" means the Financial Accounting Standards Board; "ASC" means the FASB Accounting Standards Codification; "GAAP" means generally accepted accounting principles in the United States; "discontinued operations" means the assets and operations of our former Ben Sherman operating group which we sold in Fiscal 2015; "TBBC" means The Beaufort Bonnet Company; and "U.S. Tax Reform" means the United States

Tax Cuts and Jobs Act as enacted on December 22, 2017. Additionally, the terms listed below reflect the respective period noted:

| Fiscal 2020 | 52 weeks ending January 30, 2021 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Fiscal 2019 | 52 weeks ended February 1, 2020 |
| Fiscal 2018 | 52 weeks ended February 2, 2019 |
| Fiscal 2017 | 53 weeks ended February 3, 2018 |
| Fiscal 2016 | 52 weeks ended January 28, 2017 |
| Fiscal 2015 | 52 weeks ended January 30, 2016 |
| Fiscal 2014 | 52 weeks ended January 31, 2015 |
| Fourth quarter Fiscal 2019 | 13 weeks ended February 1, 2020 |
| Third quarter Fiscal 2019 | 13 weeks ended November 2, 2019 |
| Second quarter Fiscal 2019 | 13 weeks ended August 3, 2019 |
| First quarter Fiscal 2019 | 13 weeks ended May 4, 2019 |
| Fourth quarter Fiscal 2018 | 14 weeks ended February 2, 2019 |
| Third quarter Fiscal 2018 | 13 weeks ended November 3, 2018 |
| Second quarter Fiscal 2018 | 13 weeks ended August 4, 2018 |
| First quarter Fiscal 2018 | 13 weeks ended May 5, 2018 |

## PART I

## Item 1. Business

## BUSINESS AND PRODUCTS

## Overview

We are a global apparel company that designs, sources, markets and distributes products bearing the trademarks of our Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and Southern Tide lifestyle brands and other owned and licensed brands as well as private label apparel products. During Fiscal 2019, $93 \%$ of our net sales were from products bearing brands that we own and $97 \%$ of our net sales were in the United States.

Our business strategy is to develop and market compelling lifestyle brands and products that evoke a strong emotional response from our target consumers. We consider lifestyle brands to be those brands that have a clearly defined and targeted point of view inspired by an appealing lifestyle or attitude. Furthermore, we believe lifestyle brands that create an emotional connection, like Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and Southern Tide, can command greater loyalty and higher price points at retail and create licensing opportunities. We believe the attraction of a lifestyle brand depends on creating compelling product, effectively communicating the respective lifestyle brand message and distributing products to consumers where and when they want them.

We believe the principal competitive factors in the apparel industry are reputation, value, and image of brand names; design; consumer preference; price; quality; marketing; product fulfillment capabilities; and customer service. Our ability to compete successfully in styling and marketing is directly related to our proficiency in foreseeing changes and trends in fashion and consumer preference and presenting appealing products for consumers. Our design-led, commercially informed lifestyle brand operations strive to provide exciting, differentiated products each season.

To further strengthen each lifestyle brand's connections with consumers, we directly communicate with consumers through digital and print media on a regular basis. We believe our ability to effectively communicate the images, lifestyle and products of our brands and create an emotional connection with consumers is critical to the success of our brands. Advertising for our brands often attempts to convey the lifestyle of the brand as well as a specific product.

During Fiscal 2019, 70\% of our net sales were through our direct to consumer channels of distribution, which consists of our 189 brand-specific full-price retail stores, our e-commerce websites, our Tommy Bahama food and beverage operations and our 35 Tommy Bahama outlet stores. During Fiscal 2019, our retail, e-commerce and restaurant operations represented $39 \%, 23 \%$ and $8 \%$, respectively, of our net sales. Our direct to consumer operations provide us with the opportunity to interact directly with our customers, present to them a broad assortment of our current season products and immerse them in the theme of the lifestyle brand. We believe that presenting our products in a setting specifically designed to showcase the lifestyle on which the brands are based enhances the image of our brands. Our retail stores provide high visibility for our brands and products and allow us to stay close to the preferences of our consumers, while also providing a platform for long-term growth for the brands. We also operate 16 Tommy Bahama restaurants, including Marlin Bars, generally adjacent to a Tommy Bahama full-price retail store location, which we believe further enhance the brand's image with consumers and 35 Tommy Bahama outlet stores, which play an important role in overall inventory and brand management. Our e-commerce websites provide the opportunity to increase revenues by reaching a larger population of consumers and at the same time allow our brands to provide a broader range of products.

The remaining 30\% of our net sales in Fiscal 2019 were generated from our wholesale distribution channels. Our wholesale operations include sales of our lifestyle brands, which complement our direct to consumer operations and provide access to a larger group of consumers, and also represents substantially all the net sales of the Lanier Apparel operating group. Our wholesale operations include sales to various specialty stores, Signature Stores, better department stores, multi-branded e-commerce retailers and other retailers. As we seek to maintain the integrity of our lifestyle brands by limiting promotional activity in our retail stores and e-commerce websites, we generally target wholesale customers that follow this same approach in their stores.

Each of our Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer, Lanier Apparel and Southern Tide operating groups operates in highly competitive apparel markets. No single apparel firm or small group of apparel firms dominates the apparel industry, and our direct competitors vary by operating group and distribution channel. The apparel industry is cyclical and very dependent upon the overall level and focus of discretionary consumer spending, which changes as consumer preferences and regional, domestic and international economic conditions change. Increasingly, consumers are choosing to spend less of their discretionary spending on certain product categories, including apparel, while spending more on services and other product categories. Further, negative economic conditions often have a longer and more severe impact on the apparel industry than on other industries.

We believe the retail apparel market is evolving very rapidly and in ways that are having a disruptive impact on traditional fashion retailing. The application of technology, including the internet and mobile devices, to fashion retail provides consumers increasing access to multiple, responsive distribution platforms and an unprecedented ability to communicate directly with brands and retailers. As a result, consumers have more information and greater control over information they receive as well as broader, faster and cheaper access to goods than ever before. This is revolutionizing the way that consumers shop for fashion and other goods, which continues to be evidenced by weakness and store closures for certain department stores and mall-based retailers, decreased consumer retail traffic, a more promotional retail environment, expansion of off-price and discount retailers, and a shift from bricks and mortar to internet purchasing. These changes may require that brands and retailers approach their operations, including marketing and advertising, very differently than historical practices and may result in increased operating costs and capital investments to generate growth or even maintain their current sales levels.

## Investments and Opportunities

While this evolution in the fashion retail industry presents significant risks, especially for traditional retailers who fail or are unable to adapt, we believe it also presents a tremendous opportunity for brands and retailers to capitalize on the changing consumer environment. We believe our lifestyle brands have true competitive advantages in this new retailing paradigm, and we are leveraging technology to serve our consumers when and where they want to be served. We continue to believe that our lifestyle brands, with their strong emotional connections with consumers, are well suited to succeed and thrive in the long term while managing the various challenges facing our industry. However, we must be diligent in our effort to avoid compromising the integrity of our brands by maintaining or growing sales with wholesale customers that may not be aligned with our long-term strategy. This is particularly important with the challenges in the department store channel, which represented 11\% of our consolidated net sales in Fiscal 2019.

In order to maximize the success of our brands, we believe we must continue to invest in our lifestyle brands to take advantage of their long-term growth opportunities. Future investments include capital expenditures primarily related to the direct to consumer operations, such as technology enhancements, e-commerce initiatives and retail store and restaurant build-out for new, relocated or remodeled locations, as well as distribution center and administrative office expansion initiatives.

While we have made progress in recent years on improving the profitability of our Tommy Bahama operating group, which is our largest operating group, this initiative remains a focus area for the long-term prospects of the business and has generally focused on increasing gross margin and operating margin through: product cost reductions; selective price increases; reducing inventory purchases; redefining our approach to inventory clearance; effectively managing controllable and discretionary operating expenses; and taking a more conservative approach to retail store openings and lease renewals.

While we believe we have significant opportunities to appropriately deploy our capital and resources in our existing lifestyle brands, we will continue to evaluate opportunities to add additional lifestyle brands to our portfolio if we identify appropriate targets that meet our investment criteria. However, in light of the COVID-19 outbreak, we are reassessing our capital allocation priorities in the near term.

Important factors relating to certain risks, many of which are beyond our ability to control or predict, which could impact our business are described in Part I, Item 1A. Risk Factors of this report.

## Operating Groups

Our business is primarily operated through our Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer, Lanier Apparel and Southern Tide operating groups. We identify our operating groups based on the way our management organizes the components of our business for purposes of allocating resources and assessing performance. Our operating group structure reflects a brandfocused management approach, emphasizing operational coordination and resource allocation across each brand's direct to consumer, wholesale and licensing operations, as applicable.

Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and Southern Tide each design, source, market and distribute apparel and related products bearing their respective trademarks and license their trademarks for other product categories, while Lanier Apparel designs, sources and distributes branded and private label men's tailored clothing, sportswear and other products. Corporate and Other is a reconciling category for reporting purposes and includes our corporate offices, substantially all financing activities, the elimination of inter-segment sales and any other items that are not allocated to the operating groups including LIFO inventory accounting adjustments. Because our LIFO inventory pool does not correspond to our operating group definitions, LIFO inventory accounting adjustments are not allocated to the operating groups. Corporate and Other also includes the operations of other businesses which are not included in our operating groups, including the operations of TBBC and our Lyons, Georgia distribution center.

For additional information about each of our operating groups, see Part II, Item 7. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations, and Note 2 to our consolidated financial statements, each included in this report. The table below presents certain financial information about each of our operating groups, as well as Corporate and Other (in thousands).

${ }^{(1)}$ Corporate and Other included a LIFO accounting charge of $\$ 1$ million, $\$ 1$ million and $\$ 8$ million in Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017, respectively.

The table below presents the total assets of each of our operating groups (in thousands)

|  | February 1, 2020 |  | February 2, 2019 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Assets |  |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama ${ }^{(1)}$ | \$ | 668,197 | \$ | 439,353 |
| Lilly Pulitzer ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 199,913 |  | 152,113 |
| Lanier Apparel ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 43,533 |  | 54,369 |
| Southern Tide ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 99,667 |  | 97,939 |
| Corporate and Other ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 22,059 |  | $(16,520)$ |
| Consolidated Total Assets | \$ | 1,033,369 | \$ | 727,254 |

${ }^{(1)}$ The increase in total assets for Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and Southern Tide were primarily a result of the recognition of operating lease assets in Fiscal 2019 due to the adoption of the revised lease accounting guidance, while the decrease in Lanier Apparel was primarily due to lower inventories and receivables partially offset by operating lease assets.
(2) Total assets for Corporate and Other include LIFO reserves of $\$ 63$ million and $\$ 62$ million as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, respectively. The change in total assets for Corporate and Other from February 2, 2019 was primarily due to the increased cash as of February 1, 2020.

## Tommy Bahama

Tommy Bahama designs, sources, markets and distributes men's and women's sportswear and related products. Tommy Bahama's typical consumer is older than 45 years old, has a household annual income in excess of $\$ 100,000$, lives in or travels to warm weather and resort locations and embraces a relaxed and casual approach to daily living. Tommy Bahama products can be found in our Tommy Bahama stores and on our Tommy Bahama e-commerce website, tommybahama.com, as well as at better department stores, independent specialty stores and multi-branded e-commerce retailers. We also operate Tommy Bahama restaurants and license the Tommy Bahama name for various product categories. During Fiscal 2019, $95 \%$ of Tommy Bahama's sales were to customers within the United States, with the remaining sales in Canada, Australia and Asia.

We believe that the attraction to our consumers of the Tommy Bahama brand, which was founded in 1992, is a reflection of our efforts over many years to maintain appropriate quality and design of our Tommy Bahama apparel, accessories and licensed products, limit the distribution of Tommy Bahama products to a select tier of retailers, and effectively communicate the relaxed and casual Tommy Bahama lifestyle. We expect to continue to follow this approach for the brand in the future. We believe that the retail sales value of all Tommy Bahama branded products sold during Fiscal 2019 , including our estimate of retail sales by our wholesale customers and other third party retailers, exceeded $\$ 1.2$ billion.

We believe there are ample opportunities to expand the direct to consumer reach of the Tommy Bahama brand in the future, while maintaining its historically select distribution. In order to take advantage of opportunities for long-term growth, we must continue to invest in the Tommy Bahama brand. These investments include capital expenditures and ongoing expenses to enhance e-commerce and other technology capabilities; open new stores and restaurants; remodel and/or relocate existing stores and restaurants; maintain and upgrade our distribution and other facilities; and enhance our marketing efforts to communicate the lifestyle to existing and targeted new consumers.

In recent years, an important initiative for us has been to increase the profitability of the Tommy Bahama business. While we have made progress in recent years on improving the profitability of our Tommy Bahama operating group, this initiative remains a focus area for the long-term prospects of the business and has generally focused on increasing gross margin and operating margin through: product cost reductions; selective price increases; reducing inventory purchases; redefining our approach to inventory clearance; effectively managing controllable and discretionary operating expenses; and taking a more conservative approach to retail store openings and lease renewals.

During Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018, we incurred certain charges related to the restructure of our Tommy Bahama Japan operations, which we plan to exit entirely during the first half of Fiscal 2020. These charges included in Tommy Bahama are discussed in Note 13 to our consolidated financial statements. We expect that operating results in our Tommy Bahama Asia-Pacific operations, which now consists of our Tommy Bahama operations in Australia, should be profitable going forward.

## Design, Sourcing, Marketing and Distribution

Tommy Bahama products are designed by product specific teams who focus on the target consumer. The design process includes feedback from buyers, consumers and sales agents, along with market trend research. Our Tommy Bahama apparel products generally incorporate fabrics made of cotton, silk, linen, nylon, leather, tencel and other natural and man-made fibers, or blends of two or more of these materials.

We operate a buying office located in Hong Kong to manage the production and sourcing of the substantial majority of our Tommy Bahama products. During Fiscal 2019, we used approximately 150 suppliers to manufacture our Tommy Bahama products with $63 \%$ and $13 \%$ of Tommy Bahama's product purchases from manufacturers in China and Vietnam, respectively. The largest 10 suppliers of Tommy Bahama products provided $48 \%$ of the products acquired during Fiscal 2019, with no individual supplier providing more than $10 \%$.

Advertising and marketing are an integral part of the long-term strategy for the Tommy Bahama brand, and we therefore devote significant resources to these efforts. Tommy Bahama's advertising, which emphasizes the brand's image and lifestyle, attempts to engage individuals within the target consumer demographic and guide them on a regular basis to our retail stores, e-commerce websites or wholesale customers' stores and websites in search of our products. The marketing of the Tommy Bahama brand includes email, internet and social media advertising and traditional media such as catalogs, print and other communications, as well as moving media and trade show initiatives. As a lifestyle brand, we believe that it is very important that Tommy Bahama communicate regularly with consumers about product offerings or other brand events in order to maintain and strengthen Tommy Bahama's guest connections.

We also believe that highly visible full-price retail store locations with creative design, broad merchandise selection and brand appropriate visual presentation are key enticements for customers. We intend for our full-price retail stores to enhance our guests' shopping experience, which we believe will increase brand loyalty. Marketing initiatives at our full-price retail stores may include special event promotions and a variety of public relations activities designed to create awareness of our products, including those that support worthwhile causes in local communities.

In addition, we use loyalty award cards, Flip Side events and Friends \& Family events to drive traffic to our stores and websites. These initiatives are effective in increasing traffic as the proportion of our sales that occur during our marketing initiatives have increased in recent years, which puts some downward pressure on our direct to consumer gross margins. We believe our traditional and digital media communications increase the sales of our own full-price retail stores and e-commerce operations, as well as the sales of our products for our wholesale customers.

For certain wholesale customers, we also provide point-of-sale materials and signage to enhance the presentation of our products and/or participate in cooperative advertising programs.

We operate a Tommy Bahama distribution center in Auburn, Washington, which serves our North America direct to consumer and wholesale operations. Activities at the distribution center include receiving finished goods from suppliers, inspecting the products and shipping the products to our Tommy Bahama stores, our wholesale customers and our ecommerce customers. We seek to maintain sufficient levels of Tommy Bahama inventory at the distribution center to support our direct to consumer operations, as well as pre-booked orders and some limited replenishment ordering for our wholesale customers. We use local third party distribution centers for our Asia-Pacific operations.

## Direct to Consumer Operations

A key component of our Tommy Bahama growth strategy is to operate our own stores, restaurants and ecommerce websites, which we believe permits us to develop and build brand awareness by presenting our products in a setting specifically designed to showcase the aspirational lifestyle on which the products are based. Our Tommy Bahama direct to consumer channels, which consist of retail store, e-commerce and restaurant operations, in the aggregate, represented $80 \%$ of Tommy Bahama's net sales in Fiscal 2019. Retail store, e-commerce and restaurant net sales accounted for $48 \%, 20 \%$ and $12 \%$, respectively, of Tommy Bahama's net sales in Fiscal 2019.

Our direct to consumer strategy for the Tommy Bahama brand includes locating and operating full-price retail stores in upscale malls, lifestyle shopping centers, resort destinations and brand-appropriate street locations. Generally, we seek to locate our full-price retail stores in shopping areas and malls that have high-profile or upscale consumer brand adjacencies. As of February 1, 2020, the majority of our Tommy Bahama full-price retail stores were in street-front locations or lifestyle centers with the remainder primarily in regional indoor malls, with a number of those regional indoor locations in resort travel destinations. Our full-price retail stores allow us the opportunity to carry a full line of current season merchandise, including apparel, home products and accessories, all presented in an aspirational, island-inspired atmosphere designed to be relaxed, comfortable and unique. We believe that the Tommy Bahama full-price
retail stores provide high visibility for the brand and products and allow us to stay close to the preferences of our consumers. Further, we believe that our presentation of products and our strategy to operate the full-price retail stores with limited in-store promotional activities are good for the Tommy Bahama brand and, in turn, enhance business with our wholesale customers. Generally, we believe there are opportunities for additional full-price retail stores in both warmer and colder climates, as we believe the more important consideration is whether the location attracts the affluent consumer that we are targeting. We believe that we have opportunities for continued direct to consumer sales growth for our Tommy Bahama women's business, which represented $31 \%$ of sales in our full-price direct to consumer operations in Fiscal 2019. In Fiscal 2019, approximately one-fourth of the sales of women's product in our full-price direct to consumer operations were swimwear, cover-ups and swim-related products.

Disposal of discontinued or end of season inventory is an ongoing part of any apparel business and Tommy Bahama uses its outlet stores, sales to off-price retailers and selected initial markdowns in our full-price retail stores and on our e-commerce websites to sell its end of season or excess inventory. Our Tommy Bahama outlet stores, which generated $9 \%$ of our total Tommy Bahama net sales in Fiscal 2019, are generally located in outlet shopping centers that include upscale retailers and serve an important role in overall inventory management by often allowing us to sell discontinued and out-of-season products at better prices than are otherwise available from outside parties. We believe that this approach has helped us protect the integrity of the Tommy Bahama brand by allowing our full-price retail stores to limit promotional activity while controlling the distribution of discontinued and out-of-season product. To supplement the clearance items sold in Tommy Bahama outlets, some of the product sold in our Tommy Bahama outlets are made specifically for our outlets. We anticipate that we would generally operate one outlet for approximately every three full-price retail stores. In Fiscal 2019, we closed two outlets at the expiration of their respective lease term.

For Tommy Bahama's domestic full-price retail stores and retail-restaurant locations operating for the full Fiscal 2019 year, sales per gross square foot, excluding restaurant sales and restaurant space, were approximately $\$ 615$ during Fiscal 2019. In Fiscal 2019, our domestic outlet stores generated approximately $\$ 335$ of sales per square foot for outlets open for the entire 2019 fiscal year.

As of February 1, 2020, we operated 16 Tommy Bahama restaurants including Marlin Bar locations, generally adjacent to a Tommy Bahama full-price retail store location. These retail-restaurant locations, which generate approximately $25 \%$ of Tommy Bahama's net sales, provide us with the opportunity to immerse customers in the ultimate Tommy Bahama experience. We do not anticipate that the majority of our retail locations will have an adjacent restaurant; however, in select high-profile brand appropriate locations we have determined that an adjacent restaurant can further enhance the image or exposure of the brand. The net sales per square foot in our domestic full-price retail stores that are adjacent to a restaurant are on average twice the sales per square foot of our other domestic full-price retail stores. We believe that the customer immersing themselves into the Tommy Bahama lifestyle by having a meal or a drink at the Tommy Bahama restaurant and visiting the adjacent retail store may entice the customer to purchase additional Tommy Bahama merchandise and potentially provide a memorable consumer experience that further enhances the relationship between Tommy Bahama and the consumer. The Marlin Bar concept, like our traditional restaurant locations, is adjacent to one of our retail locations and serves food and beverages, but in a smaller space and with food options more focused on small plate offerings rather than entrees. We believe that with the smaller footprint, reduced labor requirements and lower required capital expenditure for build-out, the Marlin Bar concept provides us with the long-term potential for opening retail-restaurant locations in sites that otherwise may not have been suitable or brand appropriate for one of our traditional retail-restaurant locations.

As of February 1, 2020, the total square feet of space used for our Tommy Bahama full-price retail store and outlet store operations was 0.6 million with another 0.1 million of total square feet used in our Tommy Bahama restaurant operations. The table below provides certain information regarding Tommy Bahama retail stores and restaurants operated by us as of February 1, 2020.

|  | Full-Price Retail Stores | Outlet Stores | Retail-Restaurant Locations ${ }^{(1)}$ | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Florida | 20 | 5 | 5 | 30 |
| California | 16 | 4 | 3 | 23 |
| Texas | 7 | 4 | 2 | 13 |
| Hawaii | 5 | 1 | 3 | 9 |
| Nevada | 4 | 1 | 1 | 6 |
| Maryland | 3 | 2 | - | 5 |
| New York | 2 | 2 | 1 | 5 |
| Other states | 36 | 12 | 1 | 49 |
| Total domestic | 93 | 31 | 16 | 140 |
| Canada | 7 | 2 | - | 9 |
| Total North America | 100 | 33 | 16 | 149 |
| Australia | 10 | 2 | - | 12 |
| Japan | 1 | - | - | 1 |
| Total | 111 | 35 | 16 | 162 |
| Average square feet per store ${ }^{(2)}$ | 3,400 | 4,700 | 4,300 |  |
| Total square feet at year end ${ }^{(2)}$ | 380,000 | 165,000 | 70,000 |  |

(1) Consists of 14 retail-restaurant locations of our traditional island format and two Marlin Bar retail-restaurant locations.
(2) Square feet for retail-restaurant locations consists of retail space square feet and excludes square feet used in the associated restaurant operations.

The table below reflects the changes in store count for Tommy Bahama stores during Fiscal 2019.

|  | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Full-Price Retail } \\ \text { Stores }\end{array}$ <br> 113 | Outlet Stores | $\begin{aligned} & \begin{array}{c} \text { Retail-Restaurant } \\ \quad \text { Locations } \end{array} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Open as of beginning of fiscal year | 113 | 37 | 17 | 167 |
| Opened | 1 | - | - | 1 |
| Closed | (3) | (2) | (1) | (6) |
| Open as of end of fiscal year | 111 | 35 | 16 | 162 |

We anticipate that our store count at the end of Fiscal 2020 will be comparable to our store count at the end of Fiscal 2019. Our initial Fiscal 2020 plan included opening six Marlin Bars, of which two are relocations and expansions of existing retail store locations, one is a conversion of a retail-restaurant location to a Marlin Bar and three are entirely new locations, and a very limited number of openings of full-price retail locations. As of March 30, 2020, we have completed two of these Marlin Bars, while the other locations are scheduled for later in the year and being reassessed due to the COVID-19 outbreak.

The operation of full-price retail stores, outlet stores and retail-restaurant locations require a greater amount of initial capital investment than wholesale operations, as well as greater ongoing operating costs. We estimate that we will spend approximately $\$ 1$ million on average in connection with the build-out of a domestic full-price retail store. However, individual locations, particularly those in urban locations, may require investments greater than these amounts depending on a variety of factors, including the location and size of the full-price retail store. The cost of a traditional Tommy Bahama retail-restaurant location and a Marlin Bar is significantly more than the cost of a full-price retail store and can vary significantly depending on a variety of factors. Historically, the cost of our retail-restaurant locations has been approximately $\$ 5$ million; however, we have spent significantly more than that amount for certain locations and significantly less than this amount for our two Marlin Bar locations. For most of our retail stores and restaurants, the landlord provides certain incentives to fund a portion of our capital expenditures.

Additionally, we incur capital expenditure costs related to periodic remodels of existing stores, particularly when we renew or extend a lease beyond the original lease term, or otherwise determine that a remodel of a store is appropriate. We also incur capital expenditures when a lease expires, and we determine it is appropriate to relocate to a new location in the same vicinity as the previous store. Alternatively, when a lease expires we may decide to close the store rather than relocating the store to another location or renewing the lease. The cost of store relocations is generally comparable to the costs of opening a new full-price retail store or outlet store. We anticipate that the capital expenditures for relocations and remodels, in the aggregate, may continue to increase in future periods.

In addition to our full-price retail stores and outlet stores, our direct to consumer approach includes various ecommerce websites, including the tommybahama.com website. During Fiscal 2019, e-commerce sales represented 20\% of Tommy Bahama's net sales, compared to $18 \%$ in Fiscal 2018. Our Tommy Bahama websites allow consumers to buy Tommy Bahama products directly from us via the internet. These websites also enable us to increase our database of consumer contacts, which allows us to communicate directly and frequently with consenting consumers. As we reach more customers in the future, we anticipate that our e-commerce distribution channel for Tommy Bahama will continue to grow at a faster pace than our domestic full-price retail store operations or wholesale operations.

## Wholesale Operations

To complement our direct to consumer operations and have access to a larger group of consumers, we continue to maintain our profitable wholesale operations for Tommy Bahama. Tommy Bahama's wholesale customers include better department stores, specialty stores and multi-brand e-commerce retailers that generally follow a retail model approach with limited discounting. We value our long-standing relationships with our wholesale customers and are committed to working with them to enhance the success of the Tommy Bahama brand within their stores.

Wholesale sales for Tommy Bahama accounted for 20\% of Tommy Bahama's net sales in Fiscal 2019. Approximately $55 \%$ of Tommy Bahama's wholesale business reflects sales to major department stores with the remaining wholesale sales primarily sales to specialty stores. Tommy Bahama men's products are available in more than 1,800 retail locations in North America, while Tommy Bahama women's products are available in more than 1,100 retail locations in North America. During Fiscal 2019, 15\% of Tommy Bahama's net sales were to Tommy Bahama's 10 largest wholesale customers, with its largest customer representing 5\% of Tommy Bahama's net sales.

We believe that the integrity and continued success of the Tommy Bahama brand, including its direct to consumer operations, is dependent, in part, upon controlled wholesale distribution, with careful selection of the retailers through which Tommy Bahama products are sold. As a result of our approach to limiting our wholesale distribution, we believe that sales growth in our men's apparel wholesale business, which represented approximately $86 \%$ of Tommy Bahama's domestic wholesale sales in Fiscal 2019, may be somewhat limited. However, we believe that we may have opportunities for wholesale sales increases for our Tommy Bahama women's business in the future, with its appeal evidenced by women's product representing $31 \%$ of sales in our full-price retail stores and e-commerce websites in Fiscal 2019.

We maintain Tommy Bahama apparel sales offices and showrooms in New York and Seattle, as well as other locations, to facilitate sales to our wholesale customers. Our Tommy Bahama wholesale operations use a sales force consisting of a combination of Tommy Bahama employees and independent commissioned sales representatives.

## Licensing Operations

We believe licensing is an attractive business opportunity for the Tommy Bahama brand. For an established lifestyle brand, licensing typically requires modest additional investment but can yield high-margin income. It also affords the opportunity to enhance overall brand awareness and exposure. In evaluating a licensee for Tommy Bahama, we typically consider the candidate's experience, financial stability, sourcing expertise and marketing ability. We also evaluate the marketability and compatibility of the proposed licensed products with other Tommy Bahama products.

Our agreements with Tommy Bahama licensees are for specific geographic areas and expire at various dates in the future, and in limited cases include contingent renewal options. Generally, the agreements require minimum royalty
payments as well as royalty payments based on specified percentages of the licensee's net sales of the licensed products as well as obligations to expend certain funds towards marketing the brand on an approved basis. Our license agreements generally provide us the right to approve all products, advertising and proposed channels of distribution. Third party license arrangements for our Tommy Bahama products include the following product categories:

| Men's and women's headwear | Watches | Outdoor furniture and related products |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Footwear | Belts, leather goods and gifts | Indoor furniture |
| Men's hosiery | Handbags | Mattresses and box springs |
| Sleepwear | Luggage | Bedding and bath linens |
| Shampoo, soap and bath amenities | Fabrics | Table top accessories |
| Cigar accessories | Fragrances | Distilled spirits |

In addition to our license arrangements for the specific product categories listed above, we may enter into certain international distributor agreements which allow those parties to distribute Tommy Bahama apparel and other products on a wholesale and/or retail basis within certain countries or regions. As of February 1, 2020, we have agreements for distribution of Tommy Bahama products in the Middle East, Greater China and parts of Latin America. The products sold by the distributors generally are identical to the products sold in our own Tommy Bahama stores. In addition to selling Tommy Bahama goods to wholesale accounts, the distributors may, in some cases, operate their own retail stores. As of February 1, 2020, we have licensed Tommy Bahama stores located in the Middle East, Greater China and Central America. None of these agreements are expected to generate growth that would materially impact the operating results of Tommy Bahama in the near term.

## Seasonal Aspects of Business

Tommy Bahama's operating results are impacted by seasonality as the demand by specific product or style, as well as by distribution channel, may vary significantly depending on the time of year. Typically, the demand in the direct to consumer operations, including sales at our own stores and e-commerce sites, for Tommy Bahama products in our principal markets is generally higher in the spring, summer and holiday seasons and lower in the fall season. However, wholesale product shipments are generally shipped prior to each of the retail selling seasons. As the timing of certain unusual or nonrecurring items, economic conditions, wholesale product shipments or other factors affecting the business may vary from one year to the next, we do not believe that net sales or operating income (loss) for any particular quarter or the distribution of net sales and operating income (loss) for Fiscal 2019 are necessarily indicative of anticipated results for the full fiscal year or expected distribution in future years. The following table presents the percentage of net sales and operating income (loss) for Tommy Bahama by quarter for Fiscal 2019:

|  | First Quarter | Second Quarter | Third Quarter | Fourth Quarter |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 24 \% | 28 \% | 19 \% | 29 \% |
| Operating income (loss) | 29 \% | 44 \% | (15)\% | 42 \% |

## Lilly Pulitzer

Lilly Pulitzer designs, sources, markets and distributes upscale collections of women's and girl's dresses, sportswear and related products. The Lilly Pulitzer brand was originally created in the late 1950s by Lilly Pulitzer and is an affluent brand with a heritage and aesthetic based on the Palm Beach resort lifestyle. The brand is somewhat unique among women's brands in that it has demonstrated multi-generational appeal, including among young women in college or recently graduated from college; young mothers with their daughters; and women who are not tied to the academic calendar. Lilly Pulitzer products can be found in our owned Lilly Pulitzer stores, in Lilly Pulitzer Signature Stores, which are described below, and on our Lilly Pulitzer website, lillypulitzer.com, as well as in better department and independent specialty stores. During Fiscal 2019, $50 \%$ and $35 \%$ of Lilly Pulitzer's net sales were for women's sportswear and dresses, respectively, with the remaining sales consisting of Lilly Pulitzer accessories, including scarves, bags, jewelry and belts, children's apparel, footwear and licensed products.

We believe that there are opportunities to expand the reach of the Lilly Pulitzer brand in the future, while at the same time maintaining its historically select distribution. We believe that in order to take advantage of opportunities for long-term growth, we must continue to invest in the Lilly Pulitzer brand. These investments include enhancing e-commerce and other technology capabilities; opening and operating full-price retail stores; remodeling and/or relocating existing stores; and increasing employment, advertising and other functions to support the business. While we believe that these investments will generate long-term benefits, the investments may have a short-term negative impact on Lilly Pulitzer's operating margin, particularly if there is insufficient sales growth to absorb the incremental costs in a particular year.

We believe the attraction of the Lilly Pulitzer brand to our consumers is a reflection of years of maintaining appropriate quality and design of the Lilly Pulitzer apparel, accessories and licensed products, restricting the distribution of the Lilly Pulitzer products to a select tier of retailers and effectively communicating the message of Lilly Pulitzer's optimistic Palm Beach resort chic lifestyle. We believe this approach to quality, design, distribution and communication has been critical in allowing us to achieve the current retail price points for Lilly Pulitzer products. We believe that the retail sales value of all Lilly Pulitzer branded products sold during Fiscal 2019, including our estimate of retail sales by our wholesale customers and other third party retailers, exceeded $\$ 325$ million.

## Design, Sourcing, Marketing and Distribution

Lilly Pulitzer's products are developed by our dedicated design teams located at the Lilly Pulitzer headquarters in King of Prussia, Pennsylvania as well as in Palm Beach, Florida. Our Lilly Pulitzer design teams focus on the target consumer, and the design process combines feedback from buyers, consumers and our sales force, along with market trend research. Lilly Pulitzer apparel products are designed to incorporate various fiber types, including cotton, silk, linen and other natural and man-made fibers, or blends of two or more of these materials.

Lilly Pulitzer uses a combination of in-house employees in our King of Prussia and Hong Kong offices and third party buying agents primarily based in Asia to manage the production and sourcing of its apparel products. Through its buying agents and direct sourcing, Lilly Pulitzer used approximately 60 vendors, with no individual supplier providing more than $10 \%$ and the largest 10 suppliers providing $55 \%$, of the products acquired during Fiscal 2019. In Fiscal 2019, $45 \%$ of Lilly Pulitzer's product purchases were from manufacturers located in China.

Advertising and marketing are an integral part of the long-term strategy of the Lilly Pulitzer brand, and we therefore devote significant resources to advertising and marketing. Lilly Pulitzer's advertising attempts to engage individuals within the brand's consumer demographic and guide them on a regular basis to our full-price retail stores, ecommerce websites and wholesale customers' stores and websites in search of our products. The marketing of the Lilly Pulitzer brand includes email, internet, social media and influencer advertising, as well as traditional media such as catalogs, print and other communications and moving media and trade show initiatives. We believe that it is very important that a lifestyle brand effectively communicate with consumers on a regular basis about product offerings or other brand events in order to maintain and strengthen the brand's connections with guests.

In addition to our ongoing Lilly Pulitzer marketing initiatives, on occasion we also enter into collaborations with third parties to increase brand awareness or create additional brand excitement. Often these collaborations do not generate material direct revenue for Lilly Pulitzer, but instead provide significant press or social media exposure and excitement for the brand that complement our ongoing advertising and marketing initiatives. We believe in today's environment it is important to continue to find new, creative ways to advertise in order to differentiate the brand.

We believe that highly visible full-price retail store locations with creative design, broad merchandise selection and brand appropriate visual presentation are key enticements for customers to visit and buy merchandise. We believe that full-price retail stores enhance the shopping experience of our customers, which will increase consumer brand loyalty. Marketing initiatives at certain of our full-price retail stores may include special event promotions and a variety of public relations activities designed to create awareness of our stores and products and in some cases including "shop and share" events benefiting local charities. At certain times during the year, an integral part of the direct to consumer marketing plan for Lilly Pulitzer includes certain gift with purchase programs where the consumer earns the right to a Lilly Pulitzer gift product if certain spending thresholds are achieved. We believe that our full-price retail store
operations, as well as our traditional and digital media communications and periodic collaborations with others, enhance brand awareness and increase the sales of Lilly Pulitzer products in all channels of distribution.

For certain of our wholesale customers, we also provide point-of-sale materials and signage to enhance the presentation of our branded products at their retail locations and/or participate in cooperative advertising programs.

Lilly Pulitzer operates a distribution center in King of Prussia, Pennsylvania. Activities at the distribution center include receiving finished goods from suppliers, inspecting the products and shipping the products to wholesale customers, Lilly Pulitzer full-price retail stores and our e-commerce customers. We seek to maintain sufficient levels of inventory at the distribution center to support our direct to consumer operations, as well as pre-booked orders and some limited replenishment ordering for our wholesale customers.

## Direct to Consumer Operations

A key component of our Lilly Pulitzer growth strategy is to operate our own stores and e-commerce website, which we believe permits us to develop and build brand awareness by presenting products in a setting specifically designed to showcase the aspirational lifestyle on which they are based. Lilly Pulitzer's direct to consumer distribution channel, which consists of full-price retail store and e-commerce operations, represented 79\% of Lilly Pulitzer's net sales in Fiscal 2019.

Our direct to consumer strategy for the Lilly Pulitzer brand includes operating full-price retail stores in higher-end malls, lifestyle shopping centers, resort destinations and brand-appropriate street locations. Sales at our full-price retail stores represented $41 \%$ of Lilly Pulitzer's net sales during Fiscal 2019. As of February 1, 2020, about 40\% of our Lilly Pulitzer stores were located in outdoor regional lifestyle centers and approximately one-third of our Lilly Pulitzer stores were located in indoor regional malls, with the remaining locations in resort or street locations. In certain resort locations such as Nantucket and Watch Hill, our stores are only open during the resort season. Additionally, we may open temporary pop-up stores in certain locations.

Each full-price retail store carries a wide range of merchandise, including apparel, footwear and accessories, all presented in a manner intended to enhance the Lilly Pulitzer image, brand awareness and acceptance. Our Lilly Pulitzer full-price retail stores allow us to present Lilly Pulitzer's full line of current season products. We believe our Lilly Pulitzer full-price retail stores provide high visibility for the brand and products and enable us to stay close to the needs and preferences of consumers. We also believe that our presentation of products and our strategy to operate the full-price retail stores with limited promotional activities complement our business with our wholesale customers. Generally, we believe there are opportunities for full-price retail stores in both warmer and cooler climates, as we believe the more important consideration is whether the location attracts the affluent consumer that we are targeting.

Lilly Pulitzer＇s full－price retail store sales per gross square foot for Fiscal 2019 were approximately $\$ 720$ for the full－price retail stores which were open the full Fiscal 2019 year．The table below provides certain information regarding Lilly Pulitzer full－price retail stores as of February 1， 2020.

|  | Number of <br> Full－Price Retail <br> Stores |
| :--- | ---: |

The table below reflects the changes in store count for Lilly Pulitzer stores during Fiscal 2019.

|  | Full－Price Retail <br> Stores |
| :--- | ---: |
| Open as of beginning of fiscal year | 62 |
| Opened | 2 |
| Closed | $(3)$ |
| Open as of end of fiscal year | 61 |

During Fiscal 2019，we opened Lilly Pulitzer stores in Newport Beach，California，and Wilmington，North Carolina，and closed three stores which were no longer deemed appropriate locations for the brand．In Fiscal 2020，we anticipate that Lilly Pulitzer＇s store opening pace will be comparable to or less than the store opening pace in Fiscal 2019. The operation of full－price retail stores requires a greater amount of initial capital investment than wholesale operations，as well as greater ongoing operating costs．We anticipate that most future full－price retail store openings will generally be less than 2,500 square feet on average；however，the determination of actual size of the store will depend on a variety of criteria． To open a 2,500 square foot Lilly Pulitzer full－price retail store，we anticipate capital expenditures of approximately $\$ 1$ million on average．For most of our full－price retail stores，the landlord provides certain incentives to fund a portion of our capital expenditures．

In addition to new store openings，we also incur capital expenditure costs related to remodels，expansions or downsizing of existing stores，particularly when we renew or extend a lease beyond the original lease term，or otherwise determine that a remodel of a store is appropriate．We may also incur capital expenditures if we determine it is appropriate to relocate a store to a new location．The cost of store relocations，if any，will generally be comparable to the cost of opening a new store．Alternatively，when a lease expires we may decide to close the store rather than relocating the store to another location or renewing the lease．

In addition to operating Lilly Pulitzer full－price retail stores，another key element of our direct to consumer strategy is the lillypulitzer．com website，which represented 38\％of Lilly Pulitzer＇s net sales in Fiscal 2019．The Lilly Pulitzer e－commerce business has experienced significant growth in recent years，and we anticipate that the rate of growth of the e－commerce business will remain strong in the future．We also use the Lilly Pulitzer website as an effective means of liquidating discontinued or out－of－season inventory in a brand appropriate manner and at gross margins in excess of $40 \%$ via e－commerce flash clearance sales．These sales are brand appropriate events that create a significant amount of excitement with loyal Lilly Pulitzer consumers，who are looking for an opportunity to purchase Lilly Pulitzer products at a discounted price．These e－commerce flash clearance sales typically run for three days during the summer clearance period in September and for two days during the post－holiday clearance period in January，
allowing the Lilly Pulitzer website to remain full-price for the remaining 360 days of the year. During Fiscal 2019, approximately $44 \%$ of Lilly Pulitzer's e-commerce sales were e-commerce flash clearance sales.

## Wholesale Operations

To complement our direct to consumer operations and have access to a larger group of consumers, we continue to maintain our profitable wholesale operations for Lilly Pulitzer. These wholesale operations are primarily with independent specialty stores, Signature Stores, better department stores and multi-branded e-commerce retailers that generally follow a retail model approach with limited discounting. During Fiscal 2019, approximately 21\% of Lilly Pulitzer's net sales were sales to wholesale customers. During Fiscal 2019, about one-third of Lilly Pulitzer's wholesale sales were to Lilly Pulitzer's Signature Stores, one-fourth of Lilly Pulitzer's wholesale sales were to specialty stores and one-fourth of Lilly Pulitzer's wholesale sales were to department stores. The remaining wholesale sales were primarily to national accounts, including on-line retailers, and off-price retailers. Lilly Pulitzer's net sales to its 10 largest wholesale customers represented $12 \%$ of Lilly Pulitzer's net sales in Fiscal 2019 with its largest customer representing less than $5 \%$ of Lilly Pulitzer's net sales.

An important part of Lilly Pulitzer's wholesale distribution is sales to Signature Stores. For these stores, we enter into agreements whereby we grant the other party the right to independently operate one or more stores as a Lilly Pulitzer Signature Store, subject to certain conditions, including designating substantially all the store specifically for Lilly Pulitzer products and adhering to certain trademark usage requirements. We sell products to these Lilly Pulitzer Signature Stores on a wholesale basis and do not receive royalty income associated with these sales. As of February 1, 2020, there were 53 Lilly Pulitzer Signature Stores.

We believe that the integrity and continued success of the Lilly Pulitzer brand, including its direct to consumer operations, is dependent, in part, upon controlled wholesale distribution with careful selection of the retailers through which Lilly Pulitzer products are sold. We continue to value our long-standing relationships with our wholesale customers and are committed to working with them to enhance the success of the Lilly Pulitzer brand within their stores. Lilly Pulitzer apparel products are available in approximately 300 wholesale doors.

We maintain Lilly Pulitzer apparel sales offices and showrooms in Palm Beach, Florida, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania and New York City. Our wholesale operations for Lilly Pulitzer use a sales force consisting of salaried sales employees.

## Licensing Operations

We license the Lilly Pulitzer trademark to licensees in categories beyond Lilly Pulitzer's core product categories. In the long term, we believe licensing may be an attractive business opportunity for the Lilly Pulitzer brand, particularly once our direct to consumer presence has expanded. Once a brand is established, licensing requires modest additional investment but can yield high-margin income. It also affords the opportunity to enhance overall brand awareness and exposure. In evaluating a potential Lilly Pulitzer licensee, we consider the candidate's experience, financial stability, manufacturing performance and marketing ability. We also evaluate the marketability and compatibility of the proposed products with other Lilly Pulitzer branded products.

Our agreements with Lilly Pulitzer licensees are for specific geographic areas and expire at various dates in the future. Generally, the agreements require minimum royalty payments as well as royalty and advertising payments based on specified percentages of the licensee's net sales of the licensed products. Our license agreements generally provide us the right to approve all products, advertising and proposed channels of distribution.

Third party license arrangements for Lilly Pulitzer products include the following product categories: stationery and gift products; home furnishing products; and eyewear.

## Seasonal Aspects of Business

Lilly Pulitzer's operating results are impacted by seasonality as the demand by specific product or style as well as demand by distribution channel may vary significantly depending on the time of year. Typically, the demand in the direct to consumer operations for Lilly Pulitzer products is generally higher in the spring, summer and resort seasons and lower in the fall season. However, wholesale product shipments are generally shipped prior to each of the retail selling seasons. Further, in the third and fourth quarters of our fiscal year, which have not historically been strong full-price direct to consumer or wholesale quarters for Lilly Pulitzer, Lilly Pulitzer has held significant e-commerce flash clearance sales which partially offsets the impact of seasonality on Lilly Pulitzer's sales, but to a lesser degree on operating income. As the timing of certain unusual or non-recurring items, economic conditions, wholesale product shipments, the magnitude of ecommerce flash clearance sales or other factors affecting the business may vary from one year to the next, we do not believe that net sales or operating income for any particular quarter or the distribution of net sales for Fiscal 2019 are necessarily indicative of anticipated results for the full fiscal year or expected distribution in future years. The following table presents the percentage of net sales and operating income for Lilly Pulitzer by quarter for Fiscal 2019:

|  | First Quarter | Second Quarter | Third Quarter | Fourth Quarter |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | 25 \% | 27 \% | 25 \% | 23 \% |
| Operating income | 29 \% | 40 \% | 21 \% | 10 \% |

## Lanier Apparel

Lanier Apparel designs, sources and distributes branded and private label men's apparel, including tailored clothing, casual pants and sportswear, across a wide range of price points, but primarily at moderate price points. The majority of our Lanier Apparel products are sold under certain trademarks licensed to us by third parties. Lanier Apparel's licensed brands for certain product categories include Kenneth Cole ${ }^{\circledR}$, Dockers $®^{\circledR}$, Cole Haan ${ }^{\circledR}$ and Nick Graham $®$. Additionally, we design and market products for our owned Billy London $\circledR$, Oxford $®$, Duck Head $\circledR$ and Strong Suit $\circledR$ brands. Sales of branded products licensed to us or owned by us represented $65 \%$ and $15 \%$, respectively, of Lanier Apparel's net sales during Fiscal 2019.

In addition to these branded businesses, Lanier Apparel designs and sources private label apparel products for certain customers, including tailored clothing and pants programs for large department stores, warehouse clubs, and other retailers. Sales of private label products represented $20 \%$ of Lanier Apparel's net sales in Fiscal 2019. For our large retail customers, the private label programs offer the customer product exclusivity, generally at higher gross margins than they would achieve on branded products, while allowing us the opportunity to leverage our design, sourcing, production, logistics and distribution infrastructure. For other customers, we may perform any combination of design, sourcing, production, logistics or distribution services for a brand owner. In these cases, the brand owner may have determined it is more efficient to outsource certain functions, may be a smaller company that lacks such functional expertise or may want to focus their energies on the other aspects of their brand. Lanier Apparel is an efficient operator that excels in sourcing, production, logistics, distribution and design and can leverage its infrastructure by providing services and resources to these smaller brand owners.

Our Lanier Apparel products are primarily sold through large retailers including department stores, discount and off-price retailers, warehouse clubs, national chains, specialty retailers, multi-branded e-commerce retailers and others. Lanier Apparel's products are sold in more than 5,000 retail locations. In Lanier Apparel, we have long-standing relationships with some of the United States' largest retailers, including department stores which represented $30 \%$ of Lanier Apparel's sales in Fiscal 2019. During Fiscal 2019, Lanier Apparel's four largest customers represented $24 \%, 18 \%$, $14 \%$ and $13 \%$ respectively, of Lanier Apparel's net sales. Sales to Lanier Apparel's 10 largest customers represented more than $85 \%$ of Lanier Apparel's net sales during Fiscal 2019. The amount and percentage of net sales attributable to an individual customer in future years may be different than Fiscal 2019 as sales to wholesale customers are not tied to longterm contracts.

As certain of Lanier Apparel's private label and branded sales are program based, where Lanier Apparel must bid for a program on a case-by-case and season-by-season basis, an individual customer could increase, decrease or
discontinue its purchases from us at any time. Thus, significant fluctuations in Lanier Apparel's operating results from one year to the next may result, particularly if a program is not renewed, the customer decides to use another vendor, we determine that the return on the program is not acceptable to us, a new program is initiated, there is a significant increase in the volume of the program or otherwise.

The moderate price point tailored clothing and sportswear markets are extremely competitive sectors, with significant retail competition as well as gross margin pressures due to retail sales price pressures and production cost increases. We believe that our Lanier Apparel business has historically excelled at bringing quality products to our large big box customers at competitive prices and managing inventory risk appropriately while requiring minimal capital expenditure investments.

In order to better align Lanier Apparel's operations with its historical operational strength of focusing on larger customers, we have decided to exit certain unprofitable or smaller customers and reduce infrastructure costs related to its sportswear business. We believe these changes will allow Lanier Apparel to focus on large volume programs and customers, where it has historically been successful.

## Design, Manufacturing, Sourcing, Marketing and Distribution

We believe that superior customer service and supply chain management, as well as the design of quality products, are all integral components of our strategy in the branded and private label tailored clothing and sportswear markets in which Lanier Apparel operates. Our Lanier Apparel design teams, which are primarily located in New York City and Atlanta, focus on the target consumer for each brand and product. The design process combines feedback from buyers and sales agents along with market trend research and input from manufacturers. Our various Lanier Apparel products are manufactured from a variety of fibers, including wool, silk, linen, cotton and other natural fibers, as well as synthetics and blends of these materials.

Lanier Apparel manages production in Asia and Latin America through the efforts of our Lanier Apparel offices in Atlanta and Hong Kong as well as third party buying agents. Lanier Apparel's sourcing operations are also supplemented, as appropriate, by third party contractors who may provide certain sourcing functions or in-country quality assurance to further enhance Lanier Apparel's global sourcing operations. During Fiscal 2019, 70\% of Lanier Apparel's product purchases were from manufacturers located in Vietnam. Lanier Apparel purchased goods from approximately 125 suppliers in Fiscal 2019. The 10 largest suppliers of Lanier Apparel provided $90 \%$ of the finished goods and raw materials Lanier Apparel acquired from third parties during Fiscal 2019, with $30 \%$ of our product purchases acquired from Lanier Apparel's largest third party supplier. In addition to purchasing products from third parties, Lanier Apparel operates a manufacturing facility, located in Merida, Mexico, which produced $10 \%$ of our Lanier Apparel products during Fiscal 2019.

The advertising efforts of Lanier Apparel are much more product specific than the advertising for our owned lifestyle brands. For Lanier Apparel's licensed branded products, advertising primarily consists of cooperative advertising with our larger customers, contributions to the licensor based on a specified percentage of our net sales to fund the licensor's general brand advertising initiatives and attending brand appropriate trade shows. As a provider of private label apparel, Lanier Apparel is generally not responsible for advertising for private label brands. For its owned brands, Lanier Apparel engages in marketing activities to increase the recognition and appeal of the brands.

For Lanier Apparel, we use a distribution center located in Toccoa, Georgia, a distribution center in Lyons, Georgia and certain third party distribution centers for our product shipments, where we receive goods from our suppliers, inspect those products and ship the goods to our customers. We seek to maintain sufficient levels of inventory to support programs for pre-booked orders and to meet customer demand for at-once ordering. For certain standard product styles, which represents about one-half of Lanier Apparel's net sales, we maintain in-stock replenishment programs, providing shipment to customers and consumers within just a few days of receiving the order. These types of programs generally require higher inventory levels. Lanier Apparel uses various off-price retailers to sell excess prior-season inventory.

We maintain apparel sales offices and showrooms for our Lanier Apparel products in several locations, including New York City and Atlanta and employ a sales force consisting primarily of salaried employees. Lanier Apparel operates websites for certain of its businesses and also ships orders directly to consumers who purchase products from the websites of certain of its wholesale customers. Sales to our customers where the consumer orders from the website of Lanier Apparel's wholesale customers, e-commerce retailers and catalog retailers as well as sales on Lanier Apparel's own websites represented 20\% of Lanier Apparel's sales in Fiscal 2019.

## Seasonal Aspects of Business

Lanier Apparel's operating results are impacted by seasonality as the demand by specific product or style may vary significantly depending on the time of year. As a wholesale apparel business, in which product shipments generally occur prior to the retail selling seasons, the seasonality of Lanier Apparel often reflects stronger spring and fall wholesale deliveries which typically occur in our first and third quarters; however, in some fiscal years this will not be the case due to certain of Lanier Apparel's operations resulting from program-driven businesses. The timing of certain unusual or nonrecurring items, economic conditions, wholesale product shipments, the introduction of new programs, the loss of programs or customers or other factors affecting the business may vary significantly from one year to the next. For example, in the Fourth Quarter of Fiscal 2019, Lanier Apparel incurred significant inventory markdown charges which along with lower net sales, resulted in an operating loss for the quarter. Therefore, we do not believe that net sales or operating income of Lanier Apparel for any particular quarter or the distribution of net sales and operating income for Fiscal 2019 are necessarily indicative of anticipated results for the full fiscal year or expected distribution in future years. The following table presents the percentage of net sales and operating income for Lanier Apparel by quarter for Fiscal 2019:

|  | First Quarter |  | Second Quarter |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Third Quarter |  | Fourth Quarter |  |  |
| Net sales | $27 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $133 \%$ |
| Operating income | $81 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $(131) \%$ |  |

## Southern Tide

We acquired the Southern Tide lifestyle apparel brand in Fiscal 2016. Southern Tide designs, sources, markets and distributes high-quality apparel bearing the distinctive Skipjack logo. Southern Tide offers an extensive selection of men's shirts, pants, shorts, outerwear, ties, swimwear, footwear and accessories, as well as women's and youth collections. Launched in 2006, Southern Tide combines the modern design elements of today's youthful trends with love for the Southern culture and lifestyle. The brand has an appeal to all ages who have an appreciation for classic design, vibrant colors and a great fit and an affection for the coast. Southern Tide products can be found in independent specialty retailers, better department stores, Southern Tide Signature Stores as described below, and on our Southern Tide website, southerntide.com. During Fiscal 2019, 79\% of Southern Tide's sales were wholesale sales and $21 \%$ of Southern Tide's sales were e-commerce sales.

We believe that there is significant opportunity to expand the reach of the Southern Tide brand by further increasing the wholesale presence of the brand, and growing the direct to consumer business including e-commerce and retail sales. We believe that the wholesale growth and expansion will be at a prudent pace as we believe that the integrity and success of the Southern Tide brand is dependent, in part, upon controlled wholesale distribution with careful selection of the retailers through which Southern Tide products are sold. We anticipate that the direct to consumer operations will grow at a faster pace than wholesale operations fueled by the addition of more owned Southern Tide retail stores in future years, after opening the first owned Southern Tide retail store in the Fourth Quarter of Fiscal 2019, as well as continued growth in our Southern Tide e-commerce operations.

We believe that in order to take advantage of opportunities for long-term growth, we must continue to invest in the Southern Tide brand. While we believe that these investments will generate long-term benefits, the investments may have a short-term negative impact on Southern Tide's operating margin given the current size of the Southern Tide business. We believe that the retail sales value of all Southern Tide branded products sold during Fiscal 2019, including our estimate of retail sales by our wholesale customers and other third party retailers, exceeded $\$ 85$ million.

## Design, Sourcing, Marketing and Distribution

Southern Tide's products are developed by our dedicated design teams located at the Southern Tide headquarters in Greenville, South Carolina. Our Southern Tide design teams focus on the target consumer, and the design process combines feedback from buyers, consumers and our sales force, along with market trend research. Southern Tide apparel products are designed to incorporate various fiber types, including cotton and other natural and man-made fibers, or blends of two or more of these materials.

During Fiscal 2019, Southern Tide used our Hong Kong-based sourcing office to manage the production and sourcing of a majority of its apparel product purchases with the remaining product purchases via third party buying agents. Southern Tide used approximately 60 suppliers with the largest individual supplier providing $20 \%$ of the Southern Tide products in Fiscal 2019. Also, the largest 10 suppliers of Southern Tide provided $70 \%$ of the Southern Tide products acquired. Approximately $35 \%$, $25 \%$ and $25 \%$ of Southern Tide apparel products were sourced from China, Vietnam and Indonesia, respectively.

Advertising and marketing are an integral part of the long-term strategy for the Southern Tide brand, and we therefore devote significant resources to advertising and marketing. Southern Tide's advertising attempts to engage individuals within the brand's consumer demographic and guide them on a regular basis to our e-commerce website and wholesale customers' stores and websites in search of our products. The marketing of the Southern Tide brand includes email, internet and social media advertising as well as traditional media such as catalogs, print and other correspondence with customers and moving media and trade show initiatives. We believe that it is very important that a lifestyle brand effectively communicate with consumers on a regular basis about product offerings or other brand events in order to maintain and strengthen the brand's connections with consumers. For certain of our wholesale customers, we also provide point-of-sale materials and signage to enhance the presentation of our branded products at their retail locations and/or participate in cooperative advertising programs. Additionally, Southern Tide enters into certain sponsorship or co-branding arrangements, which may be for a particular cause or non-profit organization, that the Southern Tide team believes will resonate with its target consumers.

Southern Tide used our owned distribution center in Lyons, Georgia for its warehouse and distribution center operations. Activities at the distribution center include receiving finished goods from suppliers, inspecting the products and shipping the products to wholesale customers and our e-commerce customers as well as embroidery of certain collegiate, corporate and golf related products. We seek to maintain sufficient levels of inventory at the distribution center to support our direct to consumer operations, as well as pre-booked orders and some limited replenishment ordering for our wholesale customers.

## Wholesale Operations

At this time, Southern Tide's business is predominantly a wholesale business with sales to independent specialty stores, department stores and Southern Tide Signature Stores. Southern Tide's wholesale operations provide an opportunity to grow our business and have access to a large group of consumers. During Fiscal 2019, approximately 19\% of Southern Tide's sales were to department stores and $10 \%$ of net sales were to Southern Tide Signature Stores. Southern Tide's net sales to its 10 largest wholesale customers represented $38 \%$ of Southern Tide's net sales in Fiscal 2019, with its largest customer representing $15 \%$ of Southern Tide's net sales. Southern Tide products are available in more than 1,000 retail locations.

A component of Southern Tide's plans for growth in wholesale distribution is sales to Signature Stores. For Signature Stores, we enter into license agreements whereby we grant the other party the right to independently operate one or more stores as a Southern Tide Signature Store, subject to certain conditions, including designating substantially all the store specifically for Southern Tide products and adhering to certain trademark usage requirements. We sell products to these Southern Tide Signature Stores on a wholesale basis and do not receive royalty income associated with these sales. As of February 1, 2020, there were 15 Signature Stores including stores in Florida, Massachusetts, South Carolina and North Carolina. We anticipate some additional Signature Stores opening in Fiscal 2020. In addition, we believe there is opportunity for wholesale growth for Southern Tide in women's apparel, which represented $15 \%$ of Southern Tide's net sales in Fiscal 2019.

We maintain Southern Tide apparel sales offices and showrooms in Greenville, South Carolina. Our wholesale operations for Southern Tide use a sales force consisting of a combination of salaried sales employees and commissioned agents.

## Direct to Consumer Operations

A key component of our Southern Tide growth strategy is to expand our direct to consumer operations, which consists of the Southern Tide website and retail store operations. The Southern Tide website markets a full line of merchandise, including apparel and accessories, all presented in a manner intended to enhance the Southern Tide image, brand awareness and acceptance. We believe our Southern Tide website enables us to stay close to the needs and preferences of consumers. In addition to off-price retailers, we also use the Southern Tide website as a means of liquidating discontinued or out-of-season inventory in a brand appropriate manner. During the year, we have a number of e-commerce flash clearance sales per year, which are typically in industry end of season promotional periods.

In the Fourth Quarter of Fiscal 2019, we opened our first owned Southern Tide retail store in Jacksonville, Florida. During the year, we prepared for this retail store opening and roll-out by adding retail management leadership to the Southern Tide team. We anticipate opening retail stores in Fort Lauderdale and Destin, Florida during Fiscal 2020, and we continue to look at additional opportunities for locations that may open later in the year.

The operation of full-price retail stores requires a greater amount of initial capital investment than wholesale operations, as well as greater ongoing operating costs. We anticipate that most future full-price retail store openings will generally be approximately 2,000 square feet on average; however, the determination of actual size of the store will depend on a variety of criteria. To open a 2,000 square foot Southern Tide full-price retail store, we anticipate capital expenditures of less than $\$ 1$ million per store. We anticipate that for most of our full-price retail stores, the landlord will provide certain incentives to fund a portion of our capital expenditures, which is consistent with our other operating groups.

## Licensing Operations

We currently license the Southern Tide trademark to licensees for certain bed, bath and tie product categories. The agreements require minimum royalty payments as well as royalty payments based on specified percentages of the licensee's net sales of the licensed products and provides us the right to approve all products, advertising and proposed channels of distribution. In the long term, we believe licensing may be an attractive business opportunity for Southern Tide, but opportunities may be somewhat limited until the sales volume and distribution of the Southern Tide brand expands. Once the brand is more fully established, licensing requires modest additional investment but can yield high-margin income. It also affords the opportunity to enhance overall brand awareness and exposure.

## Seasonal Aspects of Business

Southern Tide's operating results are impacted by seasonality as the demand by specific product or style as well as the demand by distribution channel may vary significantly depending on the time of year. Southern Tide is primarily a wholesale apparel business and currently has a heavier concentration of Spring/Summer product category offerings. Thus, the seasonality of Southern Tide generally reflects stronger sales in the first half of the fiscal year. The timing of certain unusual or non-recurring items, economic conditions, wholesale product shipments or other factors affecting the business may vary from one year to the next. Therefore, we do not believe that net sales or operating income of Southern Tide for any particular quarter or the distribution of net sales and operating income for Fiscal 2019 are necessarily indicative of anticipated results for the full fiscal year or expected distribution in future years. The following table presents the percentage of net sales and operating income for Southern Tide by quarter for Fiscal 2019:

|  | First Quarter | Second Quarter | Third Quarter | Fourth Quarter |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | $30 \%$ | 27 \% | 20 \% | 23 \% |
| Operating income | 45 \% | 33 \% | 10 \% | 12 \% |

## Corporate and Other

Corporate and Other is a reconciling category for reporting purposes and includes our corporate offices, substantially all financing activities, the elimination of inter-segment sales and any other items that are not allocated to the operating groups including LIFO accounting adjustments. Because our LIFO inventory pool does not correspond to our operating group definitions, LIFO inventory accounting adjustments are not allocated to the operating groups. Corporate and Other also includes the operations of other businesses which are not included in our operating groups. The operations of TBBC and our Lyons, Georgia distribution center are included in Corporate and Other. TBBC, which we acquired in December 2017, designs, sources, markets and distributes premium childrenswear including bonnets, hats, apparel, swimwear and accessories through the TBBC e-commerce website, thebeaufortbonnetcompany.com, as well as wholesale specialty retailers.

## TRADEMARKS

We own trademarks, many of which are very important and valuable to our business including Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and Southern Tide. Generally, our trademarks are subject to registrations and pending applications throughout the world for use on apparel and, in some cases, apparel-related products, accessories, home furnishings and beauty products, as well as in connection with retail services. We continue to evaluate our worldwide usage and registration of our trademarks. In general, trademarks remain valid and enforceable as long as the trademarks are used in connection with our products and services in the relevant jurisdiction and the required registration renewals are filed. Important factors relating to risks associated with our trademarks include, but are not limited to, those described in Part I, Item 1A. Risk Factors.

## PRODUCT SOURCING AND CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

We intend to maintain flexible, diversified, cost-effective sourcing operations that provide high-quality apparel and related products. Our operating groups, either internally or through the use of third party buying agents, source virtually all of our apparel and related products from non-exclusive, third party producers located in foreign countries, with a significant concentration in Asia. During Fiscal 2019, approximately $49 \%$ and $18 \%$ of our apparel and related products, excluding restaurant products, acquired directly by us or via buying agents, were from producers located in China and Vietnam, respectively, with no other country representing more than $10 \%$ of such purchases. We expect that the percentage of our products sourced from producers located in China will decrease in Fiscal 2020 and possibly in future years. Although we place a high value on long-term relationships with our suppliers of apparel and related products and have used many of our suppliers for a number of years, generally we do not have long-term contracts with our suppliers. Instead, we conduct business on an order-by-order basis. Thus, we compete with other companies for the production capacity of independent manufacturers. We believe that this approach provides us with the greatest flexibility in identifying the appropriate manufacturers while considering quality, cost, timing of product delivery and other criteria. We generally acquire products sold in our restaurant operations from various third party domestic suppliers. During Fiscal 2019, no individual third party manufacturer, licensee or other supplier provided more than $10 \%$ of our product purchases.

We purchase virtually all of our apparel and related products from third party producers as package purchases of finished goods, which are manufactured with oversight by us or our third party buying agents and to our design and fabric specifications. The use of contract manufacturers reduces the amount of capital investment required by us, as operating manufacturing facilities can require a significant amount of capital investment. We depend on the ability of third party producers to secure a sufficient supply of specified raw materials, adequately finance the production of goods ordered and maintain sufficient manufacturing and shipping capacity. We believe that purchasing substantially all of our products as package purchases allows us to reduce our working capital requirements as we are not required to purchase, or finance the purchase of, the raw materials or other production costs related to our apparel and related product purchases until we take ownership of the finished goods, which typically occurs when the goods are shipped by the third party producers. In addition to purchasing products from third parties, our Lanier Apparel operating group operates an owned manufacturing facility located in Merida, Mexico, which produced 2\% of our total company products during Fiscal 2019.

As the design, manufacture and transportation of apparel and related products for our brands may take as many as six months for each season, we typically make commitments months in advance of when products will arrive in our retail stores or our wholesale customers' stores. We continue to seek ways to reduce the time required from design and ordering to bringing products to our customers. As our merchandising departments must estimate our requirements for finished goods purchases for our own retail stores and e-commerce sites based on historical product demand data and other factors, and as purchases for our wholesale accounts must be committed to prior to the receipt of customer orders, we carry the risk that we have purchased more inventory than will ultimately be desired or that we will not have purchased sufficient inventory to satisfy demand, resulting in lost sales opportunities.

As part of our commitment to source our products in a lawful, ethical and socially responsible manner, each of our operating groups has implemented a code of conduct program applicable to vendors from whom we purchase apparel and related products, which includes provisions related to abiding by applicable laws as well as compliance with other business or ethical standards, including related human rights, health, safety, working conditions, environmental and other requirements. We require that each of our vendors and licensees comply with the applicable code of conduct or substantially similar compliance standards. All of our vendors from whom we purchase goods are also required by us to adhere to the United States Customs and Border Protection's Customs-Trade Partnership Against Terrorism program, including standards relating to facility, procedural, personnel and cargo security. On an ongoing basis we assess vendors’ compliance with the applicable code of conduct and applicable laws and regulations through audits performed by either our employees or our designated agents. The assessment of compliance by vendors is directed by our corporate leadership team. In the event we determine that a vendor is not abiding by our required standards, we work with the vendor to remediate the violation. If the violation is not satisfactorily remediated, we will discontinue use of the vendor. For more information on our initiatives with respect to corporate social responsibility, please visit our website at oxfordinc.com.

## IMPORT RESTRICTIONS AND OTHER GOVERNMENT REGULATIONS

We are exposed to certain risks as a result of our international operations as substantially all of our merchandise, as well as the products purchased by our licensing partners, is manufactured by foreign suppliers. During Fiscal 2019, approximately $49 \%$ and $18 \%$ of our apparel and related products, excluding restaurant products, acquired directly by us or via buying agents, were from producers located in China and Vietnam, respectively, with no other country representing more than $10 \%$ of such purchases. Products imported by us, or imported by others and ultimately sold to us, are subject to customs, trade and other laws and regulations governing their entry into the United States and other countries where we sell our products, including various federal, state and local laws and regulations that govern any of our activities that may have adverse environmental, health and safety effects. Noncompliance with these laws and regulations may result in significant monetary penalties.

Substantially all of the merchandise we acquire is subject to certain duties which are assessed on the value of the imported product. These amounts represent a component of the inventories we sell and are included in cost of goods sold in our consolidated statements of operations. We paid total duties of more than $\$ 45$ million on products imported into the United States directly by us in Fiscal 2019, with the average duty rate on those products of approximately $16 \%$ of the value of the imported product. Duty rates vary depending on the type of garment, fiber content and country of origin and are subject to change in future periods. In addition, while the World Trade Organization's member nations have eliminated quotas on apparel and textiles, the United States and other countries into which we import our products are still allowed in certain circumstances to unilaterally impose "anti-dumping" or "countervailing" duties in response to threats to their comparable domestic industries.

Although we have not been materially inhibited from doing business in desired markets in the past, we cannot assure that significant impediments will not arise in the future as we expand product offerings and brands and enter into new markets. In recent years the United States government has implemented additional duties on certain product categories across various industries and during Fiscal 2019 higher tariffs on apparel and related products manufactured in China were implemented. It is possible that additional duty increases could occur in future years, which could have a significant unfavorable impact on the apparel retail industry and our cost of goods sold, operations, net sales, net earnings and cash flows. Our management regularly monitors proposed regulatory changes and the existing regulatory environment, including any impact on our operations or on our ability to import products. As a result of these changes
and increased costs of production in certain countries that unfavorably impact our cost of goods sold, we continue to make changes in our supply chain, including exiting certain factories and sourcing those apparel or related products from a factory in a different foreign country. We anticipate that the proportion of our products sourced from China will decrease in Fiscal 2020 as a result of our ongoing efforts to shift production from China.

In addition, apparel and other related products sold by us are subject to stringent and complex product performance and security and safety standards, laws and other regulations. These regulations relate principally to product labeling, certification of product safety and importer security procedures. We believe that we are in material compliance with those regulations. Our licensed products and licensing partners are also generally subject to such regulation. Our agreements require our licensing partners to operate in compliance with all laws and regulations.

Important factors relating to risks associated with government regulations include those described in Part I, Item 1A. Risk Factors.

## INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES

We believe that sophisticated information systems and functionality are important components of maintaining our competitive position and supporting continued growth of our businesses, particularly in the ever-changing consumer shopping environment. Our information systems are designed to provide effective retail store, e-commerce, restaurant and wholesale operations while emphasizing efficient point-of-sale, distribution center, design, sourcing, order processing, marketing, customer relationship management, accounting and other functions. We regularly evaluate the adequacy of our information technologies and upgrade or enhance our systems to gain operating efficiencies, to provide additional consumer access and to support our anticipated growth as well as other changes in our business. We believe that continuous upgrading and enhancements to our information systems with newer technology that offers greater efficiency, functionality and reporting capabilities is critical to our operations and financial condition.

## SEASONAL ASPECTS OF BUSINESS

Each of our operating groups is impacted by seasonality as the demand by specific product or style, as well as by distribution channel, may vary significantly depending on the time of year. For details of the impact of seasonality on each of our operating groups, see the business discussion of each operating group above.

As the timing of certain unusual or non-recurring items, economic conditions, wholesale product shipments, weather or other factors affecting our operations may vary from one year to the next, we do not believe that net sales or operating income for any particular quarter or the distribution of net sales and operating income for Fiscal 2019 are necessarily indicative of anticipated results for the full fiscal year or expected distribution in future years. Our third quarter has historically been our smallest net sales and operating income quarter based on the appeal and assortment of our brands' product collections. The following table presents our percentage of net sales and operating results by quarter for Fiscal 2019:

|  | First Quarter |  | Second Quarter |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Third Quarter |  | Fourth Quarter |  |  |
| Net sales | $25 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $26 \%$ |
| Operating income | $32 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $22 \%$ |

## ORDER BACKLOG

As two-thirds of our sales are direct to consumer sales, which are not reflected in an order backlog, and the order backlog for wholesale sales may be impacted by a variety of factors, we do not believe that order backlog information is necessarily indicative of sales to be expected for future periods. Therefore, we believe the order backlog is not material for an understanding of our business taken as a whole. Further, as our sales continue to shift towards direct to consumer rather than wholesale sales, the order backlog will continue to be less meaningful as a measure of our future sales and results of operations.

## EMPLOYEES

As of February 1, 2020, we employed approximately 6,100 persons, of whom approximately $85 \%$ were employed in the United States. Approximately 70\% of our employees were retail store and restaurant employees. We believe our employee relations are good.

## INFORMATION

Oxford Industries, Inc. is a Georgia corporation originally founded in 1942. Our corporate headquarters are located at 999 Peachtree Street, N.E., Ste. 688, Atlanta, Georgia 30309. Our internet address is oxfordinc.com. Copies of our annual report on Form 10-K, proxy statement, quarterly reports on Form 10-Q and current reports on Form 8-K, and amendments to those reports filed or furnished pursuant to Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, are available free of charge on our website the same day that they are electronically filed with the SEC. The information on our website is not and should not be considered part of this Annual Report on Form 10-K and is not incorporated by reference in this document.

## Item 1A. Risk Factors

The risks described below highlight some of the factors that could materially affect our operations. If any of these risks actually occurs, our business, financial condition, prospects and/or operating results may be adversely affected. These are not the only risks and uncertainties we face. Additional risks and uncertainties that we currently consider immaterial or are not presently known to us may also adversely affect our business.

The COVID-19 pandemic has adversely affected, and will continue to adversely affect, our business, revenues, financial condition and results of operations.

Actual or threatened epidemics, pandemics, outbreaks, or other public health crises may adversely affect our business, revenues, financial condition and results of operations. The risk of a pandemic, or public perception of the risk, could cause customers to avoid public places, including retail stores and restaurants, and could cause temporary or longterm disruptions in our supply chains and/or delays in our receipt or delivery of inventory.

The outbreak of COVID-19 identified in Wuhan, China in December 2019 and subsequently recognized as a pandemic by the World Health Organization in March 2020 has severely restricted the level of economic activity around the world. In response to this pandemic, the governments and public health officials of many countries, states, cities and other geographic regions have taken preventative or protective actions to mitigate the spread and severity of the coronavirus, such as imposing restrictions on travel and business operations and advising or requiring individuals to limit or forego their time outside of their homes. Temporary closures of businesses have been ordered and numerous other businesses have temporarily closed voluntarily. Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, we saw reduced consumer traffic starting in early March 2020 and temporarily closed all our retail and restaurants in North America on March 17, 2020. Subsequent to those closures, we also temporarily closed all of our retail locations in Australia. This pandemic and the related preventative and protective actions have significantly impacted our business and the business operations of other apparel retailers, including our wholesale customers, and has had, and will continue to have, a significant effect on our sales and results of operations for Fiscal 2020.

Our business is particularly sensitive to reductions in discretionary consumer spending, and we cannot predict the degree to, or the time period over, which our business will be affected by this coronavirus pandemic. There are numerous uncertainties associated with this outbreak, including the number of individuals who will become infected, whether a vaccine or cure that mitigates the effect of the virus will be synthesized, and, if so, when such vaccine or cure will be ready to be used, the extent of the protective and preventative measures that have been put in place by both governmental entities and other businesses and those that may be put in place in the future, whether the coronavirus' impact will be seasonal, the duration of store and restaurant closures, the impact on the U.S. and world economy and numerous other uncertainties. Further, even after containment of the virus or after some or all of our stores and restaurants are able to resume operations, any significant reduction in consumer willingness to visit malls and shopping
centers, the levels of consumer discretionary spending or employee willingness to work in our stores and restaurants would result in a further loss of revenues of cash flows.

The coronavirus pandemic has also impacted, and may continue to impact, our office locations and distribution centers, including through the effects of facility closures, reductions in operating hours, staggered shifts and other social distancing efforts, labor shortages and decreased productivity. These effects may negatively impact our ability to meet consumer demand and may increase our costs of production and distribution.

For the reasons set forth above and other reasons that may come to light if this coronavirus outbreak and any associated protective or preventative measures expand, we cannot reasonably estimate the impact to our business, revenues, financial condition or results of operations; however, the adverse impact of this event will be significant.

## We operate in a highly competitive industry which is evolving very rapidly; our ability to execute our direct to consumer and portfolio-level strategies and/or transform our operations in light of shifts in consumer shopping behavior subjects us to risks that could adversely affect our financial results and operations.

We operate in a highly competitive industry in which the principal competitive factors are the reputation, value and image of brand names; design; consumer preference; price; quality; marketing; product fulfillment capabilities; and customer service. We believe that our ability to compete successfully is directly related to our proficiency in foreseeing changes and trends in fashion and consumer preference, including the manner in which retail consumers seek to transact business and access products, and presenting appealing products for consumers when and where they seek it.

The highly competitive apparel industry is characterized by highly reduced barriers to entry. There is an abundant number of domestic and foreign apparel designers, manufacturers, distributors, importers, licensors and retailers, some of whom are also our customers, and some of whom may be significantly larger, are more diversified and/or have significantly greater financial resources than we do. Competitive factors within the apparel industry may result in reduced sales, increased costs, lower prices for our products and/or decreased margins.

One of our key initiatives has been to grow our branded businesses through distribution strategies that allow our consumers to access our brands whenever and wherever they choose to shop. Our success depends to a large degree on our ability to design and deliver compelling products; introduce new retail, restaurant and other concepts; identify suitable locations with the proper consumer demographics and suitable economic structures; establish the infrastructure necessary to support growth; source appropriate levels of inventory; hire and train qualified personnel; anticipate and implement innovations in sales and marketing technology to align with our consumers' shopping preferences; maintain brand specific websites, mobile applications and other social media presence that offer the functionality and security customers expect; and enhance our advertising and marketing activities effectively to maintain our current customers and attract and introduce new ones to our brands and offerings.

The retail apparel market has been evolving very rapidly and in ways that are having a disruptive impact on traditional fashion retailers. This includes greater transparency for consumers in product pricing and competitive offerings from competing brands as a result of technological advances; continued declines in retail traffic for traditional fashion retailers, as consumers find new ways to shop; the entry by large e-commerce retailers and others with significant financial resources and enhanced distribution capabilities into the fashion retail space; increased investment in technology and multichannel distribution strategies by large, traditional bricks and mortar and big box retailers; ongoing success in off-price and fast fashion channels of distribution, in particular those who offer brand label products at clearance; an increased emphasis by consumers on purchasing products that incorporate sustainable materials and practices in the supply chain; and increased promotional activities, both online and in-store, by department stores and traditional fashion retailers seeking to remain competitive, and in some cases viable.

Any inability on our part to properly manage the competitive challenges in our industry and effectively adapt to the evolving consumer shopping behavioral trends may result in lost sales, increase our costs and/or adversely impact our results of operations, financial condition, reputation and credibility.

## Our success depends on the reputation and value of our brands; any failure to maintain the reputation or value of our brands and/or to offer innovative, fashionable and desirable products could adversely affect our business operations and financial condition.

Our success depends on the reputation and value of our brand names. The value of our brands could be diminished by actions taken by us or by our wholesale customers or others who have an interest in the brands. Actions that could cause harm to our brands include failing to respond to emerging fashion trends or meet consumer quality expectations; selling products bearing our brands through distribution channels that are inconsistent with the retail channels in which our customers expect to find those brands; becoming overly promotional; or setting up consumer expectations for promotional activity for our products. Customer activation, retention and acquisition in today's technology-driven retail environment is critical and becoming more costly. As a result, we are becoming more reliant on social media as one of our marketing strategies, and the value of our brands could be adversely affected if we do not effectively communicate our brand message through social media vehicles that interface with existing and potential customers in "real-time."

During Fiscal 2019, Tommy Bahama's and Lilly Pulitzer's net sales represented $60 \%$ and $25 \%$, respectively, of our consolidated net sales. The significant concentration in our portfolio heightens the risks we face if one of these brands fails to meet our expectations and/or is adversely impacted by actions we or third parties take with respect to that brand or by competitive conditions in the apparel industry.

Although certain of our products carry over from season to season, the apparel industry is subject to rapidly changing fashion trends and shifting consumer demands. Due to the competitive nature of the apparel industry, there can be no assurance that the demand for our products will not decline or that we will be able to successfully evaluate and adapt our products to align with consumer preferences and changes in consumer demographics. Any failure on our part to develop and market appealing products could harm the reputation and desirability of our brands and products and/or result in weakened financial performance.

We also license many of our brand names to third party licensees, including for purposes of developing and marketing products outside of our core categories; for purposes of retail and/or wholesale distribution of our products, including our Lilly Pulitzer Signature Stores and Southern Tide Signature Stores; and to introduce new concepts outside our core expertise. While we enter into comprehensive license and similar collaborative agreements with these third parties covering product design, product quality, brand standards, sourcing, social compliance, distribution, operations, manufacturing and/or marketing requirements and approvals, there can be no guarantee our brands will not be negatively impacted through our association with products or concepts outside of our core apparel products, by the market perception of the third parties with whom we associate and/or due to the actions of a licensee. The improper or detrimental actions of a licensee could significantly impact the perception of our brands.

In addition, we cannot always control the marketing and promotion of our products by our wholesale customers, licensees or other third parties, and actions by such parties that are inconsistent with our own marketing and distribution efforts and practices or that otherwise adversely affect the appeal of our products could diminish the value or reputation of one or more of our brands and have an adverse effect on our sales and business operations.

We have a robust legal and social compliance program for our third party manufacturers and vendors, including codes of conduct and vendor compliance standards. The reputation of our brands could be harmed if these third parties, substantially all of which are located outside the United States, fail to meet appropriate product safety, product quality and social compliance (including labor practices and human rights) standards. Despite our efforts, we cannot ensure that our manufacturers and vendors will at all times conduct their operations in accordance with ethical practices or that the products we purchase will always meet our safety and quality control standards. Any violation of our applicable codes of conduct, social compliance programs or local laws by our manufacturers or vendors or other actions or failures by us or such parties may result in a negative public perception of our brands or products, as well as disrupt our supply chain, which may adversely affect our business operations.

## Our business and financial condition are heavily influenced by general economic conditions, which are outside of our control.

We are a consumer products company and are highly dependent on consumer discretionary spending and retail traffic patterns. The demand for apparel products changes as regional, domestic and international economic conditions change and may be significantly impacted by trends in consumer confidence and discretionary consumer spending patterns, which may be influenced by employment levels; recessions; inflation; fuel and energy costs; interest rates; tax rates; personal debt levels; savings rates; stock market and housing market volatility; shifting social ideology; natural disasters, public health issues (such as the impact of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic) and/or weather patterns; and general uncertainty about the future. The factors impacting consumer confidence and discretionary consumer spending patterns are outside of our control and difficult to predict, and, often, the apparel industry experiences longer periods of recession and greater declines than the general economy. In addition, as the growth in our direct to consumer operations continues to outpace our other operations, we have increased exposure to the risks associated with a volatile and unpredictable economic environment. Any decline in consumer confidence or change in discretionary consumer spending patterns could reduce our sales and/or adversely affect our business and financial condition.

Additionally, significant changes in the operations or liquidity of any of the parties with which we conduct our business, including suppliers, customers, trademark licensees and lenders, among others, now or in the future, or in the access to capital markets for any such parties, could result in lower demand for our products, lower sales, higher costs, greater credit risk on our sales or other disruptions in our business.

## The loss of one or more of our key wholesale customers, or a significant adverse change in a customer's financial performance or financial position, could negatively impact our net sales and profitability.

We generate a significant percentage of our wholesale sales from a few key customers. For example, during Fiscal $2019,44 \%$ of our consolidated wholesale sales, or $13 \%$ of our consolidated net sales, were to our five largest customers. Over the last several years, there have been significant levels of store closures and bankruptcies and financial restructurings by department stores and other large retailers, particularly as the retail industry has transitioned more towards online and mobile transactions; increased prevalence and emphasis on private label products at large retailers; direct sourcing of products by large retailers; consolidation of a number of retailers; and increased competition experienced by our wholesale customers from online competitors. A decrease in the number of stores that carry our products, restructuring of our customers' operations, continued store closures by major department stores and other large retailers, increased direct sourcing and greater leverage by customers, realignment of customer affiliations or other factors could negatively impact our net sales and profitability.

We generally do not have long-term contracts with our wholesale customers. Instead, we rely on long-standing relationships with these customers, the appeal of our brands and our position within the marketplace. As a result, purchases generally occur on an order-by-order basis, and each relationship can typically be terminated by either party at any time. A decision by one or more of our key wholesale customers to terminate its relationship with us or to reduce its purchases from us, whether motivated by competitive considerations, quality or style issues, financial difficulties, economic conditions or otherwise, could adversely affect our net sales and profitability, as it would be difficult to immediately, if at all, replace this business with new customers, reduce our operating costs or increase sales volumes with other existing customers. In addition, as department stores and other retailers become more promotional, we continuously evaluate our sales to certain wholesale channels of distribution, for brand protection or otherwise, and in some cases have terminated or curtailed our sales to those customers and may continue to do so, which impacts our net sales and profitability.

We also extend credit to most of our key wholesale customers without requiring collateral, which results in a large amount of receivables from just a few customers. At February 1, 2020, our five largest outstanding customer balances represented $\$ 32$ million, or $55 \%$ of our consolidated receivables balance. Companies in the apparel industry, including some of our customers, may experience financial difficulties, including bankruptcies, restructurings and
reorganizations, tightened credit markets and/or declining sales and profitability, all of which may be exacerbated as a result of the ongoing COVID-19 outbreak and any resulting economic downturn. A significant adverse change in a customer's financial position or ability to satisfy its obligations to us could cause us to limit or discontinue business with that customer, in some cases after we have already made product purchase commitments for inventory; require us to assume greater credit risk relating to that customer's receivables; or limit our ability to collect amounts related to shipments to that customer.

We rely to a large extent on third party producers in foreign countries to meet our production demands, and failures by these producers to meet our requirements, the unavailability of suitable producers at reasonable prices and/or changes in international trade regulation may negatively impact our ability to deliver quality products to our customers on a timely basis, disrupt our supply chain or result in higher costs or reduced net sales.

We source substantially all of our products from non-exclusive, third party producers located in foreign countries, including sourcing approximately $49 \%$ and $18 \%$ of our product purchases from China and Vietnam, respectively, during Fiscal 2019. Although we place a high value on long-term relationships with our suppliers, generally we do not have longterm supply contracts but, instead, conduct business on an order-by-order basis. Therefore, we compete with other companies for the production capacity of independent manufacturers. We also depend on the ability of these third party producers to secure a sufficient supply of raw materials, adequately finance the production of goods ordered and maintain sufficient manufacturing and shipping capacity, and in some cases, the products we purchase and the raw materials that are used in our products are available only from one source or a limited number of sources. Although we monitor production in third party manufacturing locations, we cannot be certain that we will not experience operational difficulties with our manufacturers, such as the reduction of available production capacity, errors in complying with product specifications, insufficient quality control, failures to meet production deadlines or increases in manufacturing costs. In addition, we may experience disruptions in our supply chain as we actively seek to diversify the jurisdictions from which we source products. Any such difficulties may negatively impact our ability to deliver quality products to our customers on a timely basis. This would jeopardize our ability to properly merchandise our direct to consumer channels and service our customers, which may, in turn, have a negative impact on our customer relationships and result in lower net sales and profits.

Due to our sourcing activities, we are exposed to risks associated with changes in the laws and regulations governing the importing and exporting of apparel products into and from the countries in which we operate. These risks include changes in social, political, labor and economic conditions or terrorist acts that could result in the disruption of trade from the countries in which our manufacturers are located; the imposition of additional or new duties, tariffs, taxes, quota restrictions or other changes and shifts in sourcing patterns as a result of such changes, including lingering uncertainties with respect to the potential imposition or retraction of punitive tariffs on products manufactured in China; public health issues, such as the ongoing COVID-19 outbreak, leading government-imposed restrictions; significant delays in the delivery of our products, due to security or other considerations; fluctuations in sourcing costs; the imposition of antidumping or countervailing duties; fluctuations in the value of the dollar against foreign currencies; changes in customs procedures for importing apparel products; and restrictions on the transfer of funds to or from foreign countries. We cannot predict whether, and to what extent, there may be changes to international trade agreements or whether quotas, duties, tariffs, exchange controls or other restrictions on our products will be changed or imposed. Any of these factors may disrupt our supply chain, and we may be unable to offset any associated cost increases by shifting production to suitable manufacturers in other jurisdictions in a timely manner or at acceptable prices, and future regulatory actions or changes in international trade regulation may provide our competitors with a material advantage over us or render our products less desirable in the marketplace.

## Our operations are reliant on information technology and any interruption or other failure, including an inability to timely upgrade our systems, may impair our ability to provide products to our customers, efficiently conduct our operations and/or meet the needs of our management.

The efficient operation of our business depends on information technology. This requires us to devote significant financial and employee resources to information technology initiatives and operations. Information systems
are used in all stages of our operations and as a method of communication with our customers, service providers and suppliers. Many of our information technology solutions are operated and/or maintained by third parties, including our use of cloud-based solutions. Additionally, each of our operating groups uses e-commerce websites, point-of-sale systems and wholesale ordering systems to acquire, manage and sell goods. Our management also relies on information systems to provide relevant and accurate information in order to allocate resources, manage operations and forecast and report our operating results. Service interruptions may occur as a result of a number of factors, including power outages, consumer traffic levels, computer viruses, hacking or other unlawful activities by third parties, human error, disasters or failures to properly install, upgrade, integrate, protect, repair or maintain our various systems and e-commerce websites. We regularly evaluate upgrades or enhancements to our information systems to more efficiently and competitively operate our businesses, including periodic upgrades to warehouse management, guest relations, omnichannel and/or enterprise order management systems in our businesses. We may experience difficulties during the implementation, upgrade or subsequent operation of our systems and/or not be equipped to address system problems. Any material disruption in our information technology solutions, or any failure to timely, efficiently and effectively integrate new systems, could have an adverse effect on our business or results of operations.

In addition, as our business continues to grow and we face new challenges in the current retail environment, we evaluate our systems on an ongoing basis to ensure they meet our business needs and, as needed, replace and/or upgrade those systems, which may be expensive undertakings. We must, however, be diligent in our evaluation of these systems, as reliance on outdated technology may inhibit our ability to operate efficiently, which could adversely affect our financial condition and results of operations. As we transition to new systems, we may also face certain challenges, including the risk of introducing cybersecurity vulnerabilities into our systems or the loss of certain functionality, information from our legacy systems and efficient interfaces with third party and continuing systems. Temporary processes or solutions, including manual operations, which may be required to be instituted in the short term could also significantly increase the risk of loss or corruption of data and information. All of these events could have a material adverse effect on our financial condition and results of operations.

## We rely on our primary distribution facilities in order to support our direct to consumer and wholesale operations, meet customer expectations, manage inventory, complete sales and achieve operating efficiencies, and any disruption or failure in these facilities may materially adversely affect our business or operations.

We may have a greater risk than our peers due to the concentration of our distribution facilities, as substantially all of our products for each operating group are distributed through one or two principal distribution centers. The primary distribution facilities that we operate are: a distribution center in Auburn, Washington dedicated to our Tommy Bahama products; a distribution center in King of Prussia, Pennsylvania dedicated to our Lilly Pulitzer products; a distribution center in Toccoa, Georgia dedicated to our Lanier Apparel products; and a distribution center in Lyons, Georgia primarily dedicated to our Lilly Pulitzer, Lanier Apparel and Southern Tide products. Each of these distribution centers relies on computer-controlled and automated equipment, which may be subject to a number of risks. Our ability to support our direct to consumer operations, meet customer expectations, manage inventory and achieve objectives for operating efficiencies depends on the proper operation of these distribution facilities, each of which manages the receipt, storage, sorting, packing and distribution of finished goods.

If any of our primary distribution facilities were to shut down or otherwise become inoperable or inaccessible for any reason, including as a result of natural or man-made disasters, pandemics or epidemics (including, for example, the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic), human error, cybersecurity attacks, computer viruses or otherwise, if our distribution facilities fail to upgrade their technological systems to ensure efficient operations or if we are unable to receive goods in a distribution center or to ship the goods in a distribution center, as a result of a technology failure or otherwise, we could experience a substantial loss of inventory, a reduction in sales, higher costs, insufficient inventory at our retail stores to meet consumer expectations and longer lead times associated with the distribution of our products. In addition, for the distribution facilities that we operate, there are substantial fixed costs associated with these large, highly automated distribution centers, and we could experience reduced operating and cost efficiencies during periods of economic weakness. Any disruption to our distribution facilities or in their efficient operation could negatively affect our operating results and our customer relationships.

Cybersecurity attacks and/or breaches of information security or privacy could disrupt our operations, cause us to incur additional expenses, expose us to litigation and/or cause us financial harm.

Cybersecurity attacks continue to become increasingly sophisticated, and experienced computer programmers and hackers may be able to penetrate our network security and misappropriate or compromise our assets, including confidential information, or disrupt our systems. We are regularly subject to attempts by attackers to gain unauthorized access to our networks, systems and data, or to obtain, change or destroy confidential information. In addition, customers may use devices or software that are beyond our control environment to purchase our products, which may provide additional avenues for attackers to gain access to confidential information.

Despite our implementation of security measures, if an actual or perceived data security breach occurs, whether as a result of cybersecurity attacks, computer viruses, vandalism, ransomware, human error or otherwise, or if there are perceived vulnerabilities in our systems, the image of our brands and our reputation and credibility could be damaged, and, in some cases, our continued operations may be impaired or restricted. The costs to prevent, eliminate or mitigate cyber or other security problems and vulnerabilities, including to comply with security or other measures under state, federal and international laws governing the unauthorized disclosure of confidential information, to resolve any litigation or to investigate any actual or perceived breach and to enhance cybersecurity protection through organizational changes, deploying additional personnel and protection technologies, training employees and engaging third party experts and consultants could be significant and result in significant financial losses and expenses, as well as lost sales. In addition, although we have business continuity plans and other safeguards in place, our operations may be adversely affected by an actual or perceived data security breach. While we continue to evolve and modify our business continuity plans, there can be no assurance in an escalating threat environment that they will be effective in avoiding disruption and business impacts, and any insurance we maintain may not be adequate to compensate us for all resulting losses.

As an ongoing part of our business operations, including direct to consumer transactions and marketing through various social media tools, we regularly collect and use sensitive and confidential personal information, including of our customers, employees and suppliers. The routine operation of our business involves the storage and transmission of customer personal information and preferences, and we use social media and other online and technology-driven marketing and related activities to connect with our customers. The regulatory environment governing our use of individually identifiable data of customers, employees and others is complex, and the security of personal information is a matter of public concern.

As part of our routine operations, we also contract with third party service providers to store, process and transmit personal information of our customers and employees. Although we contractually require that these providers implement reasonable security measures, we cannot control third parties and cannot guarantee that a security breach will not occur at their location or within their systems. Privacy breaches of confidential information stored or used by our third party service providers or disruptions in their systems may expose us to the same risks as a breach of our own systems, including negative publicity, potential out-of-pocket costs and adverse effects on our business and customer relationships.

The regulatory environment is constantly changing with new and modified state, federal and international privacy and security laws, such as the General Data Protection Regulation in the E.U. and the California Consumer Privacy Act, which became effective in Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2019, respectively. Compliance with these laws, and any newly enacted laws and regulations, may require us to modify our operations and/or incur costs to make necessary systems changes and implement new administrative processes. Our failure to comply with these laws and regulations could lead to significant fines and penalties or adverse publicity.

In addition, because we process and transmit payment card information, we are subject to the payment card industry data security standard and card brand operating rules, which provides for a comprehensive set of rules relating to the retention and/or transmission of payment card information. If we do not comply with the applicable standards, we
may be subject to fines or restrictions on our ability to accept payment cards, which could have a material adverse effect on our operations.

Our business depends on our senior management and other key personnel, and the unsuccessful transition of key management responsibilities, the unexpected loss of individuals integral to our business, our inability to attract and retain qualified personnel in the future or our failure to successfully plan for and implement succession of our senior management and key personnel may have an adverse effect on our operations, business relationships and ability to execute our strategies.

Our senior management has substantial experience and expertise in the apparel and related industries, with our Chairman and Chief Executive Officer Mr. Thomas C. Chubb III having worked with our company for over 30 years, including in various executive management capacities. Our success depends on disciplined execution at all levels of our organization, including our senior management, and continued succession planning. Competition for qualified personnel is intense, and we compete to attract and retain these individuals with other companies that may have greater financial resources than us. While we believe that we have depth within our management team, the unexpected loss of any of our senior management, or the unsuccessful integration of new leadership, could harm our business and financial performance. In addition, we may be unable to retain or recruit qualified personnel in key areas such as product design, sales, marketing (including individuals with key insights into digital and social media marketing strategies), distribution, technology, sourcing and other support functions, which could result in missed sales opportunities and harm to key business relationships.

We may be unable to grow our business through organic growth, and any failure to successfully execute this aspect of our business strategy may have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, liquidity and results of operations.

One key component of our business strategy is organic growth in our brands. Organic growth may be achieved by, among other things, increasing sales in our direct to consumer channels; selling our products in new markets, such as the opening of Lilly Pulitzer retail stores in Hawaii in Fiscal 2018 and California in Fiscal 2019; increasing our market share in existing markets; expanding the demographic appeal of our brands; expanding our margins through product cost reductions, price increases, or otherwise; expanding the customer reach of our brands through new and enhanced advertising initiatives; and increasing the product offerings and concepts within our various operating groups, such as the opening of additional Marlin Bars at Tommy Bahama and the launch of owned retail stores at Southern Tide. Successful growth of our business is subject to, among other things, our ability to implement plans for expanding and/or maintaining our existing businesses and categories within our businesses at satisfactory levels. We may not be successful in achieving suitable organic growth, and our inability to grow our business may have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, liquidity and results of operations.

We have engaged in a multi-year initiative to improve Tommy Bahama's operating performance and long-term growth prospects, which has included an enhanced outlet and clearance strategy, improving gross margin through selective price increases and reducing product costs, selectively right-sizing our store footprint and controlling overhead and operating expenses. A strategic initiative of this nature is inherently challenging and faces significant potential risks, and any failure may adversely affect our ability to achieve long-term sustainable growth while at the same time detracting from our focus and execution of other strategic initiatives.

In addition, investments we make in technology, advertising and infrastructure, retail stores and restaurants, office and distribution center facilities, personnel and elsewhere may not yield the full benefits we anticipate and/or sales growth may be outpaced by increases in operating costs, putting downward pressure on our operating margins and adversely affecting our results of operations. If we are unable to increase our revenues organically, we may be required to pursue other strategic initiatives, including reductions in costs and/or acquisitions, in order to grow our business. These initiatives may not be available to us on desirable terms, inhibiting our ability to increase profitability.

## The acquisition of new businesses and the divestiture or discontinuation of businesses and product lines have certain inherent risks, including, for example, strains on our management team and unexpected costs and other charges resulting from the transaction.

Growth of our business through acquisitions of lifestyle brands that fit within our business model is a component of our long-term business strategy. Acquisitions involve numerous risks, including: the competitive climate for desirable acquisition candidates, which drives market multiples; the benefits of the acquisition not materializing as planned or not materializing within the time periods or to the extent anticipated; our ability to manage the people and processes of an acquired business; difficulties in retaining key relationships with customers and suppliers; risks in entering geographic markets and/or product categories in which we have no or limited prior experience; the assumption of contractual and other liabilities, some of which may not be known at the time of acquisition; and the possibility that we pay more to consummate an acquisition than the value we derive from the acquired business. Additionally, acquisitions may cause us to incur debt, or make dilutive issuances of our equity securities.

As a result of acquisitions, we may become responsible for unexpected liabilities that we failed or were unable to discover in the course of performing due diligence. Although we may be entitled to indemnification against undisclosed liabilities from the sellers of the acquired business, our recourse may be limited and we cannot be certain that the indemnification, even if obtained, will be enforceable or collectible. Any of these liabilities, individually or in the aggregate, could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations, distract our management or harm our reputation.

Certain acquisitions may also be structured utilizing contingent consideration based on the acquired business' post-closing results. The principals from whom we acquired such a business, many of whom may continue to operate the business as our employees, may have differing interests than those of our shareholders because of such arrangements.

In addition, integrating acquired businesses is a complex, time-consuming and expensive process. The integration process for newly acquired businesses could create a number of challenges and adverse consequences for us associated with the integration of product lines, support functions, employees, sales teams and outsourced manufacturers; employee turnover, including key management and creative personnel of the acquired and existing businesses; disruption in product cycles for newly acquired product lines; maintenance of acceptable standards, controls, procedures and policies; operating business in new geographic territories; diversion of the attention of our management from other areas of our business; and the impairment of relationships with customers of the acquired and existing businesses. Acquisitions are inherently risky, and we cannot be certain that any acquisition will be successful and will not materially harm our business, operating results or financial condition.

As described in Note 1 in our consolidated financial statements included in this report, at the time of an acquisition, we estimate and record the fair value of purchased intangible assets, such as trademarks, reacquired rights and customer relationships, and record goodwill generally to the extent the cost to acquire a business exceeds our assessment of the net fair value of tangible and intangible assets. We test indefinite-lived intangible assets and goodwill for possible impairment as of the first day of the fourth quarter of each fiscal year, or at an interim date if indicators of impairment exist at that date. It is possible that we could have an impairment charge for intangible assets or goodwill associated with an acquired business in future periods if, among other things, economic conditions decline, our strategies for an acquired business change, the results of operations of an acquired business are less than anticipated at the time of acquisition or enterprise values and market multiples of comparable businesses decline. A future impairment charge for intangible assets or goodwill could have a material adverse effect on our consolidated financial statements or results of operations.

As the fashion retail environment evolves, our investment criteria for acquisitions has grown to include smaller brands, such as Southern Tide and TBBC which we acquired in Fiscal 2016 and Fiscal 2017, respectively, in an earlier stage of the brand's life cycle, where we can more fully integrate the brand into our existing infrastructure and shared services functions and better leverage our resources. While acquisitions of these early stage brands may have a smaller upfront purchase price, the limited operating history, less experienced management teams and less sophisticated systems,
infrastructure and relationships generally associated with such brands may heighten the risks associated with acquisitions generally, including the heightened risk that the target company may be unable to achieve the projected financial results anticipated. In addition, we are frequently engaged by burgeoning brands seeking debt or equity financing, as well as strategic direction, about pursuing a non-controlling investment, which we did with TBBC prior to the acquisition. Minority investments, while not requiring the same level of financial commitment as a control transaction, presents additional risks, including the potential disproportionate distraction to our management team relative to the potential financial benefit; the potential for a conflict of interest; the damage to our reputation of associating with a brand which may take actions inconsistent with our values; and the financial risks associated with making an investment in an unproven business model.

From time to time, we also divest or discontinue businesses, product lines and/or programs, including exiting relationships with certain wholesale customers, including department stores, that do not align with our strategy or provide the returns that we expect or desire. Such dispositions and/or discontinuations may result in underutilization of our retained resources if the exited operations are not replaced with new lines of business, either internally or through acquisition. In addition, we may become responsible for unexpected liabilities, some of which may be triggered or increased by a purchaser's operation of the disposed business following the transaction. Those liabilities combined with any other liabilities we contractually retain, individually or in the aggregate, could adversely affect our financial condition and results of operations.

Our business is subject to various federal, foreign, state and local laws and regulations, and the costs of compliance with, or the violation of, such laws and regulations could have an adverse effect on our costs or operations.

In the United States, we are subject to stringent standards, laws and other regulations, including those relating to health, product performance and safety, labor, employment, privacy and data security, anti-bribery, consumer protection, taxation, customs, logistics and other operational matters. In addition, operating in foreign jurisdictions requires compliance with similar laws and regulations. These laws and regulations, in the United States and abroad, are complex and often vary widely by jurisdiction, making it difficult for us to ensure that we are currently or will in the future be compliant with all applicable laws and regulations. We may be required to make significant expenditures or modify our business practices to comply with existing or future laws or regulations, and unfavorable resolution to litigation or a violation of applicable laws and regulations by us, or any of our suppliers or licensees, may restrict our ability to import products, require a recall of our products, lead to fines or otherwise increase our costs, negatively impact our ability to attract and retain employees, materially limit our ability to operate our business or result in adverse publicity. Compliance with these laws and regulations requires us to devote significant time, financial and management resources, and to update our processes and programs, in response to newly implemented or changing regulatory requirements, all of which could affect the manner in which we operate our business or adversely affect our results of operations.

From time to time, we are involved in litigation matters, which may relate to consumer protection, employment practices and intellectual property infringement and which may include a class action, and we are subject to various claims and pending or threatened lawsuits in the ordinary course of our business operations. Often, these cases raise complex factual and legal issues and, due to the inherent uncertainties of litigation, we cannot accurately predict the ultimate outcome of any such proceedings. Regardless of the outcome or whether the claims have merit, legal proceedings may be expensive and require significant management time.

Also, the restaurant industry requires compliance with a variety of federal, state and local regulations. In particular, all of our Tommy Bahama restaurants, including our Marlin Bar concept, serve alcohol and, therefore, maintain liquor licenses. Our ability to maintain our liquor licenses depends on our compliance with applicable laws and regulations. The loss of a liquor license would adversely affect the profitability of that restaurant. Additionally, as a participant in the restaurant industry, we face risks related to food quality, food-borne illness, injury, health inspection scores and labor relations. The negative impact of adverse publicity relating to allegations of actual or perceived violations at one of our restaurants may extend beyond the restaurant involved to affect some or all of the other restaurants, as well as the image of the Tommy Bahama brand as a whole.

Regardless of whether any allegations of violations of the laws and regulations governing our business are valid or whether we ultimately become liable, we may be materially affected by negative publicity associated with these and other issues, such as those relating to our social responsibility and sustainability initiatives.

## Our business could be harmed if we fail to maintain proper inventory levels.

Many factors, such as economic conditions, fashion trends, consumer preferences, the financial condition of our wholesale customers and weather, make it difficult to accurately forecast demand for our products. In order to meet the expected demand for our products in a cost-effective manner, we make commitments for production several months prior to our receipt of these goods and often in advance of firm commitments, if any, from wholesale customers. Depending on the demand levels for our products, we may be unable to sell the products we have ordered or that we have in our inventory, which may result in inventory markdowns or the sale of excess inventory at discounted prices and through offprice channels. These events, many of which could be exacerbated as a result of the ongoing COVID-19 outbreak, could significantly harm our operating results and impair the image of our brands. Conversely, if we underestimate demand for our products or if we are unable to access our products when we need them, for example due to a third party manufacturer's inability to source materials or produce goods in a timely fashion or as a result of delays in the delivery of products to us, we may experience inventory shortages, which might result in unfilled orders, negatively impact customer relationships, diminish brand loyalty and result in lost sales, any of which could harm our business. These risks relating to inventory may also escalate as our direct to consumer sales continue to increase as a proportion of our consolidated net sales, given the absence of purchase commitments for direct to consumer-designated inventory.

## We may be unable to protect our trademarks and other intellectual property.

We believe that our trademarks and other intellectual property, as well as certain contractual arrangements, including licenses, and other proprietary intellectual property rights, have significant value and are important to our continued success and our competitive position due to their recognition by retailers and consumers. In Fiscal 2019, $93 \%$ of our consolidated net sales were attributable to branded products for which we own the trademark. Therefore, our success depends to a significant degree on our ability to protect and preserve our intellectual property. We rely on laws in the United States and other countries to protect our proprietary rights. However, we may not be able to sufficiently prevent third parties from using our intellectual property without our authorization, particularly in those countries where the laws do not protect our proprietary rights as fully as in the United States. The use of our intellectual property or similar intellectual property by others could reduce or eliminate any competitive advantage we have developed, causing us to lose sales or otherwise harm the reputation of our brands.

We devote significant resources to the registration and protection of our trademarks and to anti-counterfeiting efforts. Despite these efforts, we regularly discover products that infringe our proprietary rights or that otherwise seek to mimic or leverage our intellectual property. Counterfeiting and other infringing activities typically increase as brand recognition increases. Counterfeiting and other infringement of our intellectual property could divert away sales, and association of our brands with inferior counterfeit reproductions or third party labels could adversely affect the integrity and reputation of our brands.

Additionally, there can be no assurance that the actions that we have taken will be adequate to prevent others from seeking to block sales of our products as violations of proprietary rights. As we extend our brands into new product categories and new product lines and expand the geographic scope of the manufacture, distribution and marketing of our brands' products, we could become subject to litigation or challenge based on allegations of the infringement of intellectual property rights of third parties, including by various third parties who have acquired or claim ownership rights in some of our trademarks internationally. In the event a claim of infringement against us is successful or would otherwise affect our operations, we may be required to pay damages, royalties, license fees or other costs to continue to use intellectual property rights that we had been using, or we may be unable to obtain necessary licenses from third parties at a reasonable cost or within a reasonable time. Litigation and other legal action of this type, regardless of
whether it is successful, could result in substantial costs to us and diversion of the attention of our management and other resources.

Fluctuations and volatility in the cost and availability of raw materials, labor and freight may materially increase our costs.

We and our third party suppliers rely on the availability of raw materials at reasonable prices. The principal fabrics used in our business are cotton, linens, wools, silk, other natural fibers, synthetics and blends of these materials. The prices paid for these fabrics depend on the market price for raw materials used to produce them. The cost of the materials that are used in our manufacturing process, such as oil-related commodity prices and other raw materials, such as dyes and chemicals, and other costs, can fluctuate. We historically have not entered into any futures contracts to hedge commodity prices, and in recent years, we have seen significant variability in the costs of certain raw materials, including cotton. These pricing fluctuations could continue in future years.

We have also seen increases in the cost of labor at many of our suppliers in recent years, as well as in freight costs, and as a result of the COVID-19 outbreak may experience increases in our supply chain and/or distribution and logistics functions. Although we attempt to mitigate the effect of increases in our cost of goods sold through sourcing initiatives and by selectively increasing the prices of our products, these product costing pressures, as well as other variable cost pressures, may materially increase our costs, and we may be unable to fully pass on these costs to our customers.

As of February 1, 2020, we had approximately 6,100 employees worldwide, of which approximately $70 \%$ are retail store and restaurant employees. The employment and employment-related costs associated with our employees are a significant component in our SG\&A, particularly of our retail store and restaurant operations. Employment costs are affected by labor markets, as well as various federal, state and foreign laws governing matters such as minimum wage rates, overtime compensation and other requirements. In addition, in recent years, there has been significant political pressure and legislative action to increase the minimum wage rate in many of the jurisdictions in which our stores are located. Any increases in our employment costs, as a result of market conditions or otherwise, may materially increase our costs, reduce the profitability of our operations and/or adversely impact our results of operations.

## We are subject to risks associated with leasing real estate for our retail stores and restaurants, which generally consist of long-term leases negotiated at prevailing market rents.

An integral part of our strategy has been to develop and operate retail stores and restaurants for certain of our lifestyle brands. Net sales from our retail stores and restaurants were $47 \%$ of our consolidated net sales during Fiscal 2019.

We lease all of our retail store and restaurant locations. Successful operation of our retail stores and restaurants depends, in part, on our ability to identify desirable, brand appropriate locations; the overall ability of the location to attract a consumer base sufficient to make sales volume profitable; our ability to negotiate satisfactory lease terms and employ qualified personnel; and our ability to timely construct and complete any build-out and open the location in accordance with our plans. A decline in the volume of consumer traffic at our retail stores and restaurants, due to economic conditions, shifts in consumer shopping preferences or technology, a decline in the popularity of malls or lifestyle centers in general or at those in which we operate, the closing of anchor stores or other adjacent tenants or otherwise, could have a negative impact on our sales, gross margin and results of operations. In addition, as and when we seek to open new retail stores and restaurants, we compete with others for favorable locations, lease terms and desired personnel. As consumer shopping patterns continue to negatively impact bricks and mortar retail traffic generally, the competition for premium retail space in long-term sustainable locations continues to increase. Our growth may be limited if we are unable to identify new locations with consumer traffic sufficient to support a profitable sales level or the local market reception to a new retail store opening is inconsistent with our expectations.

Our retail store and restaurant leases generally represent long-term financial commitments, with substantial costs at lease inception for a location's design, leasehold improvements, fixtures and systems installation and recurring fixed costs. On an ongoing basis, we review the financial performance of our retail and restaurant locations in order to determine whether continued operation is appropriate. Even if we determine that it is desirable to exit a particular location, we may be unable to close an underperforming location due to continuous use clauses and/or because negotiating an early termination would be cost prohibitive. In addition, due to the fixed-cost structure associated with these operations, negative cash flows or the closure of a retail store or restaurant could result in write-downs of inventory, impairment of leasehold improvements, impairment of operating lease assets and/or other long-lived assets, severance costs, lease termination costs or the loss of working capital, which could adversely impact our business and financial results. Furthermore, as each of our leases expire, we may be unable to negotiate renewals, either on commercially acceptable terms or at all, which could force us to close retail stores and/or restaurants in desirable locations.

## Our geographic concentration of retail stores, restaurants and wholesale customers for certain of our brands exposes us to certain regional risks.

Our operations and retail and restaurant locations are heavily concentrated in the United States (202 of 224 locations as of February 1, 2020, with $97 \%$ of our consolidated net sales in the United States during Fiscal 2019) and, within the United States in certain geographic areas, including Florida, California, Texas and Hawaii for our Tommy Bahama operations ( 75 of 140 domestic stores and 13 of 16 restaurants, including Marlin Bars, are in these states as of February 1, 2020) and Florida, Massachusetts and Virginia for our Lilly Pulitzer operations (31 of 61 retail stores as of February 1, 2020). Additionally, the wholesale sales for each of Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and Southern Tide are also geographically concentrated, including in geographic areas where we have concentrations of our own retail store locations. Due to these concentrations, we have heightened exposure to factors that impact these regions, including general economic conditions, weather patterns, natural disasters, public health crises, changing demographics and other factors.

## Our operations and those of our suppliers, vendors and wholesale customers may be affected by changes in weather patterns, natural or man-made disasters, public health crises, war, terrorism or other catastrophes.

Our sales volume and operations and the operations of third parties on whom we rely, including our suppliers, vendors and wholesale customers, may be adversely affected by unseasonable or severe weather conditions, natural or man-made disasters, public health crises, war, terrorist attacks, including heightened security measures and responsive military actions, or other catastrophes which may cause consumers to alter their purchasing habits or result in a disruption to our operations. Because of the seasonality of our business, the concentration of a significant proportion of our retail stores and wholesale customers in certain geographic regions, including a resort and/or coastal focus in Tommy Bahama's, Lilly Pulitzer's and Southern Tide's operations, the concentration of our sourcing operations and the concentration of our distribution center operations, the occurrence of such events could disproportionately impact our business, financial condition and operating results.

## We hold licenses for the use of other parties' brand names, and we cannot guarantee our continued use of such brand names or the quality or salability of such brand names.

We have entered into license and design agreements to use certain trademarks and trade names, including Kenneth Cole, Dockers, Cole Haan and Nick Graham in Lanier Apparel, to market some of our products. During Fiscal 2019, sales of products bearing brands licensed to us accounted for $6 \%$ of our consolidated net sales and $65 \%$ of Lanier Apparel's net sales. When we enter into these license and design agreements, they generally provide for short contract durations (typically three to five years); these agreements may include options to extend the term of the contract but, when available, are generally subject to our satisfaction of certain contingencies (e.g., minimum sales thresholds) that may be difficult for us to satisfy. Competitive conditions for the right to use popular trademarks means that we cannot guarantee that we will be able to renew these licenses on acceptable terms upon expiration, that the terms of any renewal will not result in operating margin pressures or reduced profitability or that we will be able to acquire new licenses to use
other desirable trademarks. The termination or expiration of a license agreement would cause us to lose the sales and any associated profits generated pursuant to such license, which could be material, and in certain cases could also result in an impairment charge for related assets, leave us with underutilized overhead and/or adversely impact existing synergies.

Our license agreements generally require us to receive approval from the brand's owner of all design and other elements of the licensed products we sell prior to production, as well as to receive approval from the brand owner of distribution channels in which we may sell and the manner in which we market and distribute licensed products. Any failure by us to comply with these requirements could result in the termination of the license agreement.

In addition to certain compliance obligations, all of our significant licenses provide minimum thresholds for royalty payments and advertising expenditures for each license year, which we must pay regardless of the level of our sales of the licensed products. If these thresholds are not met, our licensors may be permitted contractually to terminate these agreements or seek payment of minimum royalties even if the minimum sales are not achieved. In addition, our licensors produce their own products and license their trademarks to other third parties, and we are unable to control the quality, style or image of these goods. If licensors or others do not maintain the quality of these trademarks or if the brand image deteriorates, or the licensors otherwise change the parameters of design, pricing, distribution or marketing, our sales and any associated profits generated by such brands may decline.

## As a global apparel company, we may experience fluctuations in our tax liabilities and effective tax rate.

As a global apparel company, we are subject to income taxes in the United States and various foreign jurisdictions. We record our income tax liability based on an analysis and interpretation of local tax laws and regulations, which requires a significant amount of judgment and estimation. In addition, we may from time to time modify our operations in an effort to minimize our global income tax exposure. Our effective income tax rate in any particular period or in future periods may be affected by a number of factors, including a shift in the mix of revenues, income and/or losses among domestic and international sources during a year or over a period of years; changes in tax laws and regulations and/or international tax treaties; the outcome of income tax audits in various jurisdictions; the difference between the income tax deduction and the previously recognized income tax benefit related to the vesting of equity-based compensation awards; and the resolution of uncertain tax positions, any of which could adversely affect our effective income tax rate and profitability.

Further, changes to U.S. and foreign tax laws and compliance with new tax laws could have a material adverse effect on our tax expense, cash flows and operations. For example, the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development has published action plans that, if adopted by countries where we do business, could materially impact our tax obligations in those countries.

## Our international direct to consumer and licensing operations may present risks that could have a material adverse effect on our business and financial position.

We operate Tommy Bahama retail stores in Australia and Canada, and are closing our remaining retail operation in Japan during Fiscal 2020. We have limited experience with regulatory environments and market practices related to international operations and there are risks associated with doing business in international markets, including lack of brand recognition in certain markets; understanding fashion trends and satisfying consumer tastes; market acceptance of our products, which is difficult to assess immediately; establishing appropriate market-specific operational and logistics functions; managing compliance with the various legal requirements; staffing and managing foreign operations; fluctuations in currency exchange rates; obtaining governmental approvals that may be required to operate; potentially adverse tax implications; and maintaining proper levels of inventory. If we are unable to properly manage these risks, our business, financial condition and results of operations could be negatively impacted.

We may also elect to enter into retail or wholesale distribution arrangements, or joint ventures, with third parties for certain markets. For example, a third party operates Tommy Bahama retail stores in the United Arab Emirates. Any such arrangements are subject to a number of risks and uncertainties, including our reliance on the
operational skill and expertise of a local operator, the ability of the joint venture or operator to manage its employees and appropriately represent our brands in those markets and any protective rights that we may be forced to grant to the third party, which could limit our ability to fully realize the anticipated benefits of such a relationship.

We are also subject to certain anti-corruption laws, including the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act, in addition to the local laws of the foreign countries in which we operate. If any of our international operations, or our employees or agents, violates such laws, we could become subject to sanctions or other penalties that could negatively affect our reputation, business and operating results.

## We make use of debt to finance our operations, which exposes us to risks that could adversely affect our business, financial position and operating results.

Our levels of debt vary as a result of the seasonality of our business, investments in our operations and working capital needs, and may increase in the future under our existing credit facility or potentially under new facilities, or the terms or forms of our financing arrangements may change.

Our indebtedness includes, and any future indebtedness may include, certain obligations and limitations, including the periodic payment of principal, interest and unused line fees, maintenance of certain covenants and certain other limitations. The negative covenants in our debt agreements limit our ability to incur debt; guaranty certain obligations; incur liens; pay dividends; repurchase common stock; make investments; sell assets; make acquisitions; merge with other companies; or satisfy other debt. These obligations and limitations may increase our vulnerability to adverse economic and industry conditions, place us at a competitive disadvantage compared to any competitors that may be less leveraged and limit our flexibility in carrying out our business plans and planning for, or reacting to, change.

In addition, we have interest rate risk on indebtedness under our variable rate U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement. Our exposure to variable rate indebtedness may increase in the future, based on our debt levels and/or the terms of future financing arrangements. Further, an increase in the interest rate environment would require us to pay a greater amount towards interest, even if the amount of borrowings outstanding remains the same.

A portion of our indebtedness under the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement at any time may be based on LIBOR, which is the subject of recent proposals for reform or elimination. In particular, on July 27, 2017, the United Kingdom's Financial Conduct Authority, which regulates LIBOR, publicly announced that it intends to stop persuading or compelling banks to submit LIBOR rates after 2021. It is unclear what the impact, if any, might be if LIBOR ceases to exist or if the methods of calculating LIBOR change from current methods.

The continued growth of our business also depends on our access to sufficient funds. We rely on cash flow from operations and borrowings under our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement to fund our working capital, capital expenditures and investment activities. As of February 1, 2020, we had $\$ 322$ million in unused availability under our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement. If our cash flow from operations decline significantly, including any such decline related to reduced store traffic and widespread store and restaurant closures as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, or if the need arises in the future to finance expenditures in excess of those supported by the existing credit facility, we may need to seek additional funding, which may be through debt or equity financing. Our ability to obtain that financing will depend on many factors, including prevailing market conditions, our financial condition and, depending on the sources of financing, our ability to negotiate favorable terms and conditions. The terms of any such financing or our inability to secure such financing could adversely affect our ability to execute our strategies.

## Labor-related matters, including labor disputes, may adversely affect our operations.

We may be adversely affected as a result of labor disputes in our own operations or in those of third parties with whom we work. Our business depends on our ability to source and distribute products in a timely manner, and our new retail store and restaurant growth is dependent on timely construction of our locations. While we are not subject to any organized labor agreements and have historically enjoyed good employee relations, there can be no assurance that we
will not experience work stoppages or other labor problems in the future with our non-unionized employees. In addition, potential labor disputes at independent factories where our goods are produced, shipping ports or transportation carriers create risks for our business, particularly if a dispute results in work slowdowns, lockouts, strikes or other disruptions during our peak manufacturing, shipping and selling seasons. Further, we plan our inventory purchases and forecasts based on the anticipated timing of retail store and restaurant openings, which could be delayed as a result of a number of factors, including labor disputes among contractors engaged to construct our locations or within government licensing or permitting offices. Any potential labor dispute, either in our own operations or in those of third parties on whom we rely, could materially affect our costs, decrease our sales, harm our reputation or otherwise negatively affect our operations.

## Our international operations, including foreign sourcing, result in an exposure to fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates.

We are exposed to certain currency exchange risks in conducting business outside of the United States. The substantial majority of our product purchases are from foreign vendors and are denominated in U.S. dollars. If the value of the U.S. dollar decreases relative to certain foreign currencies in the future, then the prices that we negotiate for products could increase and we may be unable to pass this increase on to customers, which would negatively impact our margins. However, if the value of the U.S. dollar increases between the time a price is set and payment for a product, the price we pay may be higher than that paid for comparable goods by competitors that pay for goods in local currencies, and these competitors may be able to sell their products at more competitive prices. Additionally, currency fluctuations could also disrupt the business of our independent manufacturers by making their purchases of raw materials more expensive and difficult to finance.

We received U.S. dollars for $97 \%$ of our product sales during Fiscal 2019, with the remaining sales primarily related to our retail operations during the year in Canada, Australia and Japan. An increase in the value of the U.S. dollar compared to other currencies in which we have sales could result in lower levels of sales and earnings reported in our consolidated statements of operations, even though the sales in foreign currencies could be equal to or greater than amounts in prior periods. In addition, to the extent that a stronger U.S. dollar increases product and other costs, products sold in foreign markets in the local currency may realize lower gross margins.

## Our business could be impacted as a result of actions by activist shareholders or others.

We may be subject, from time to time, to legal and business challenges or disruptions in the operation of our company due to actions instituted by activist shareholders or others. Responding to such actions could be costly and timeconsuming, may not align with our business strategies and could divert the attention of our Board of Directors and senior management from the pursuit of our business strategies. Perceived uncertainties as to our future direction as a result of activism may lead to the perception of a change in the direction of the business or other instability and may adversely affect our relationships with vendors, customers, prospective and current employees and others.

## Item 1B. Unresolved Staff Comments

None.

## Item 2. Properties

We lease and own space for our retail stores and restaurants, distribution centers, sales/administration offices and manufacturing operations in various domestic and international locations. We believe that our existing properties are well maintained, are in good operating condition and will be adequate for our present level of operations.

In the ordinary course of business, we enter into lease agreements for our direct to consumer operations, including leases for retail and restaurant space. Most of the leases require us to pay specified minimum rent, as well as a portion of operating expenses, real estate taxes and insurance applicable to the property, contingent rent based on a percentage of the location's net sales in excess of a specific threshold and in some locations sales tax on rental amounts
paid to the landlord. The leases have varying terms and expirations and may have provisions to extend, renew or terminate the lease agreement, among other terms and conditions. Periodically, we assess the operating results of our direct to consumer locations to assess whether the location provides, or is expected to provide, an appropriate long-term return on investment, whether the location remains brand appropriate and other factors. As a result of this assessment, we may determine that it is appropriate to close certain stores that do not continue to meet our investment criteria, not renew certain leases, exercise an early termination option, or otherwise negotiate an early termination. For existing leases in desirable locations, we anticipate that we will be able to extend our leases, to the extent that they expire in the near future, on terms that are satisfactory to us, or if necessary, locate substitute properties on acceptable terms. The terms and conditions of lease renewals or relocations may not be as favorable as existing leases.

As of February 1, 2020, our direct to consumer locations used approximately 0.9 million square feet of leased space in the United States, Canada, Australia and Japan. Each of our retail stores and restaurants is less than 20,000 square feet, and we do not believe that we are dependent upon any individual retail store or restaurant location for our business operations. Greater detail about the retail space used by each operating group is included in Part I, Item 1, Business included in this report.

As of February 1, 2020, we used approximately 1.6 million square feet of owned or leased distribution, manufacturing and administrative/sales facilities in the United States, Mexico and Hong Kong. In addition to our owned and leased distribution facilities, we may use certain third party warehouse/distribution providers where we do not own or lease any space. Our distribution, manufacturing, administrative and sales facilities provide space for employees and functions used in support of our direct to consumer and wholesale operations.

Details of the principal administrative, sales, distribution and manufacturing facilities used in our operations, including approximate square footage, are as follows:

| Location | Primary Use | Operating Group | Square Footage | $\begin{gathered} \text { Lease } \\ \text { Expiration } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Seattle, Washington | Sales/administration | Tommy Bahama | 115,000 | 2026 |
| Auburn, Washington | Distribution center | Tommy Bahama | 325,000 | 2025 |
| King of Prussia, Pennsylvania | Sales/administration and distribution center | Lilly Pulitzer | 160,000 | Owned |
| Toccoa, Georgia | Distribution center | Lanier Apparel | 310,000 | Owned |
| Merida, Mexico | Manufacturing plant | Lanier Apparel | 80,000 | Owned |
| Greenville, South Carolina | Sales/administration | Southern Tide | 14,000 | 2024 |
| Atlanta, Georgia | Sales/administration | Corporate and Other and Lanier Apparel | 30,000 | 2024 |
| Lyons, Georgia | Distribution center | Various | 420,000 | Owned |

## Item 3. Legal Proceedings

From time to time, we are a party to litigation and regulatory actions arising in the ordinary course of business. These actions may relate to trademark and other intellectual property, licensing arrangements, real estate, importing or exporting regulations, taxation, employee relation matters or other topics. We are not currently a party to any litigation or regulatory action or aware of any proceedings contemplated by governmental authorities that we believe could reasonably be expected to have a material impact on our financial position, results of operations or cash flows. However, our assessment of any litigation or other legal claims could potentially change in light of the discovery of additional factors not presently known or determinations by judges, juries, or others which are not consistent with our evaluation of the possible liability or outcome of such litigation or claims.

## Item 4. Mine Safety Disclosures

Not applicable.

## PART II

Item 5. Market for Registrant's Common Equity, Related Stockholder Matters and Issuer Purchases of Equity Securities

## Market and Dividend Information

Our common stock is listed and traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "OXM." As of March 27, 2020, there were 291 record holders of our common stock.

On March 24, 2020, our Board of Directors approved a cash dividend of $\$ 0.25$ per share payable on May 1, 2020 to shareholders of record as of the close of business on April 17, 2020. Although we have paid dividends in each quarter since we became a public company in July 1960 , including $\$ 25$ million in total or $\$ 1.48$ per common share in Fiscal 2019, we may discontinue or modify dividend payments at any time if we determine that other uses of our capital, including payment of outstanding debt, funding of acquisitions, funding of capital expenditures or repurchases of outstanding shares, may be in our best interest; if our expectations of future cash flows and future cash needs outweigh the ability to pay a dividend; or if the terms of our credit facility, other debt instruments or applicable law limit our ability to pay dividends. We may borrow to fund dividends in the short term subject to the terms and conditions of our credit facility, other debt instruments and applicable law. All cash flow from operations will not be paid out as dividends in all periods. For details about limitations on our ability to pay dividends, see Note 5 of our consolidated financial statements and Part II, Item 7. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations, both contained in this report.

## Recent Sales of Unregistered Securities

We did not sell any unregistered equity securities during Fiscal 2019.

## Purchases of Equity Securities by the Issuer and Affiliated Purchasers

We have certain stock incentive plans as described in Note 8 to our consolidated financial statements included in this report, all of which are publicly announced plans. Under the plans, we can repurchase shares from employees to cover employee tax liabilities related to the vesting of shares of our stock. During the Fourth Quarter of Fiscal 2019, we repurchased the following shares pursuant to these plans:

| Fiscal Month | Total Number of Shares Purchased | Average Paid per Paid perShare |  | Total Number of Shares <br> Purchased as Part of Publicly Announced Plan or Programs | Maximum Number of Shares That May Yet be Purchased Under the Plans or Programs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| November ( $11 / 3 / 19-11 / 30 / 19$ ) | - | \$ | - | - | - |
| December ( $12 / 1 / 19-1 / 4 / 20$ ) | - |  | - |  |  |
| January (1/5/20-2/1/20) | 3,968 |  | 69.40 | - |  |
| Total | 3,968 |  | 69.40 | - | - |

In March 2017, our Board of Directors authorized us to spend up to $\$ 50$ million to repurchase shares of our stock. This authorization superseded and replaced all previous authorizations to repurchase shares of our stock and has no automatic expiration. As of February 1, 2020, no shares of our stock had been repurchased pursuant to this authorization. However, subsequent to the end of Fiscal 2019, in February and March 2020, we repurchased 332,000 shares of our common stock for $\$ 18$ million under an open market stock repurchase program (Rule 10b5-1 plan) pursuant to the Board of Directors' authorization.

## Stock Price Performance Graph

The graph below reflects cumulative total shareholder return (assuming an initial investment of $\$ 100$ and the reinvestment of dividends) on our common stock compared to the cumulative total return for a period of five years, beginning January 31, 2015 and ending February 1, 2020, of:

- The S\&P SmallCap 600 Index; and
- The S\&P 500 Apparel, Accessories and Luxury Goods.


| Company / Index | INDEXED RETUR |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Base Period } \\ 1 / 31 / 15 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | 1/30/16 | 1/28/17 | Years Ended $2 / 3 / 18$ | 2/2/19 | 2/1/20 |
| Oxford Industries, Inc. | 100 | 126.63 | 99.76 | 148.64 | 147.43 | 135.14 |
| S\&P SmallCap 600 Index | 100 | 95.31 | 128.67 | 146.79 | 147.31 | 157.07 |
| S\&P 500 Apparel, Accessories \& Luxury Goods | 100 | 83.78 | 71.38 | 91.12 | 84.92 | 78.24 |

## Item 6. Selected Financial Data

Our selected financial data included in the table below reflects (1) the acquisition of the Southern Tide operations and assets in April 2016 and (2) the divestiture of the operations and assets of our former Ben Sherman operating group in July 2015, resulting in the classification of Ben Sherman operations as discontinued operations in our consolidated statements of operations for all periods presented. Cash flow, capital expenditures, equity compensation, depreciation and amortization amounts below include amounts for both continuing and discontinued operations as our consolidated statements of cash flow are presented on a consolidated basis including continuing and discontinued operations.

|  | Fiscal 2019 | Fiscal 2018 | Fiscal 2017 | Fiscal 2016 | Fiscal 2015 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (in millions, except per share amounts) |  |  |  |  |
| Net sales | \$ 1,122.8 | \$ 1,107.5 | \$ 1,086.2 | \$ 1,022.6 | \$ 969.3 |
| Cost of goods sold | 477.8 | 470.3 | 473.6 | 442.3 | 412.7 |
| Gross profit | 645.0 | 637.2 | 612.6 | 580.3 | 556.6 |
| SG\&A | 566.1 | 560.5 | 540.5 | 504.6 | 473.5 |
| Royalties and other operating income | 14.9 | 14.0 | 13.9 | 14.2 | 14.4 |
| Operating income | 93.7 | 90.6 | 86.0 | 89.9 | 97.5 |
| Interest expense, net | 1.2 | 2.3 | 3.1 | 3.4 | 2.5 |
| Earnings from continuing operations before income taxes | 92.4 | 88.3 | 82.9 | 86.5 | 95.1 |
| Income taxes | 23.9 | 22.0 | 18.2 | 32.0 | 36.5 |
| Net earnings from continuing operations | 68.5 | 66.3 | 64.7 | 54.5 | 58.6 |
| Income (loss), including loss on sale, from discontinued operations, net of taxes |  | - | 0.4 | (2.0) | (28.0) |
| Net earnings | 68.5 | 66.3 | 65.1 | 52.5 | \$ 30.6 |
| Diluted earnings from continuing operations per share | 4.05 | 3.94 | 3.87 | \$ 3.27 | \$ 3.54 |
| Diluted income (loss), including loss on sale, from discontinued operations per share | \$ - | \$ - | 0.02 | \$ (0.12) | \$ (1.69) |
| Diluted net earnings per share | 4.05 | \$ 3.94 | 3.89 | 3.15 | \$ 1.85 |
| Diluted weighted average shares outstanding | 16.9 | 16.8 | 16.7 | 16.6 | 16.6 |
| Dividends declared and paid | 25.2 | \$ 23.1 | 18.2 | 18.1 | \$ 16.6 |
| Dividends declared and paid per share | 1.48 | 1.36 | 1.08 | 1.08 | \$ 1.00 |
| Total assets, at period-end | \$ 1,033.4 | 727.3 | 699.9 | 685.2 | 582.7 |
| Long-term debt at period-end | \$ - | \$ 13.0 | 45.8 | 91.5 | \$ 44.0 |
| Shareholders' equity, at period-end | 528.6 | 478.4 | 429.8 | 376.1 | 334.4 |
| Cash provided by operating activities | \$ 121.9 | 96.4 | 118.6 | 118.6 | \$ 105.4 |
| Capital expenditures | 37.4 | 37.0 | 38.7 | 49.4 | \$ 73.1 |
| Depreciation and amortization expense | 40.3 | 42.5 | 42.4 | 42.2 | \$ 36.4 |
| Equity compensation expense | 7.6 | 7.3 | 6.4 | 6.4 | \$ 5.2 |
| LIFO accounting charge (credit) | 1.5 | 0.8 | 7.8 | (5.9) | \$ 0.3 |
| Book value per share at period-end | 31 | 28 | 26 | 22 | \$ 20 |
| Stock price per share at period-end | 69 | \$ 77 | 79 | 54 | \$ 70 |

## Item 7. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

The following discussion and analysis of our results of operations, cash flows, liquidity and capital resources compares Fiscal 2019 to Fiscal 2018 and should be read in conjunction with our consolidated financial statements contained in this report.

The results of operations, cash flows, liquidity and capital resources for Fiscal 2018 compared to Fiscal 2017 are not included in this report on Form 10-K. For a discussion of our results of operations, cash flows, liquidity and capital resources for Fiscal 2018 compared to Fiscal 2017 and certain other financial information related to Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017, refer to the "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" in Part II. Item 7 of our 2018 Annual Report on Form 10-K, filed with the SEC on April 1, 2019, which is available on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov and under the Investor Relations section of our website at www.oxfordinc.com.

## OVERVIEW

## Business Overview

We are a global apparel company that designs, sources, markets and distributes products bearing the trademarks of our Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and Southern Tide lifestyle brands and other owned and licensed brands as well as private label apparel products of Lanier Apparel. During Fiscal 2019, $93 \%$ of our net sales were from products bearing brands that we own and $97 \%$ of our net sales were in the United States.

Our business strategy is to develop and market compelling lifestyle brands and products that evoke a strong emotional response from our target consumers. We consider lifestyle brands to be those brands that have a clearly defined and targeted point of view inspired by an appealing lifestyle or attitude. Furthermore, we believe lifestyle brands that create an emotional connection, like Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and Southern Tide, can command greater loyalty and higher price points at retail and create licensing opportunities. We believe the attraction of a lifestyle brand depends on creating compelling product, effectively communicating the respective lifestyle brand message and distributing products to consumers where and when they want them. We believe the principal competitive factors in the apparel industry are reputation, value, and image of brand names; design; consumer preference; price; quality; marketing; product fulfillment capabilities; and customer service. Our ability to compete successfully in styling and marketing is directly related to our proficiency in foreseeing changes and trends in fashion and consumer preference and presenting appealing products for consumers. Our design-led, commercially informed lifestyle brand operations strive to provide exciting, differentiated products each season.

During Fiscal 2019, 70\% of our net sales were through our direct to consumer channels of distribution, which consists of our 189 brand-specific full-price retail stores, our e-commerce websites, our Tommy Bahama food and beverage operations and our 35 Tommy Bahama outlets. The remaining $30 \%$ of our net sales are generated from our wholesale distribution channels. Our wholesale operations include sales of our lifestyle brands, which complement our direct to consumer operations and provide access to a larger group of consumers, and also represents substantially all the net sales of the Lanier Apparel operating group.

## Industry Overview

Each of our Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer, Lanier Apparel and Southern Tide operating groups operates in highly competitive apparel markets that continue to evolve rapidly with the expanding application of technology to fashion retail. No single apparel firm or small group of apparel firms dominates the apparel industry, and our direct competitors vary by operating group and distribution channel. The apparel industry is cyclical and very dependent upon the overall level and focus of discretionary consumer spending, which changes as consumer preferences and regional, domestic and international economic conditions change. Increasingly, consumers are choosing to spend less of their discretionary spending on certain product categories, including apparel, while spending more on services and other product categories. Further, negative economic conditions often have a longer and more severe impact on the apparel industry than on other industries.

The competitive and evolving environment may require that brands and retailers approach their operations, including marketing and advertising, very differently than historical practices and may result in increased operating costs and capital investments to generate growth or even maintain current sales levels. While the competition and evolution in the fashion retail industry presents significant risks, especially for traditional retailers who fail or are unable to adapt, we believe it also presents a tremendous opportunity for brands and retailers to capitalize on the changing consumer environment.

We believe our brands have true competitive advantages in this new retailing paradigm, and we are leveraging technology to serve our consumers when and where they want to be served. We continue to believe that our lifestyle brands, with their strong emotional connections with consumers, are well suited to succeed and thrive in the long term while managing the various challenges facing our industry.

## Recent Events and Trends

During Fiscal 2019, there was a significant amount of uncertainty related to tariffs on products imported into the United States from China, which has resulted in higher tariffs on apparel and related products manufactured in China. Approximately $49 \%$ of our apparel and related products were from producers located in China during Fiscal 2019. As a result of our actions to shift production from China, particularly for goods received in the second half of Fiscal 2019 and thereafter, we expect that the proportion of our apparel and related product sourced from China will decrease in Fiscal 2020. In addition to shifting production to mitigate the incremental tariff costs on our operating results, we negotiated price reductions from certain third party manufacturers and increased direct to consumer and wholesale prices on select products.

In March 2020, the World Health Organization declared the outbreak of a novel coronavirus (COVID-19) as a pandemic. COVID-19 is having a significant effect on overall economic conditions and our operations. While our mission remains the enhancement of long-term shareholder value, our focus during this crisis is and will continue to be the health and well-being of our employees, customers and communities. Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, we saw reduced consumer traffic starting in early March 2020 and temporarily closed all our retail and restaurant locations in North America on March 17, 2020. Subsequent to those closures, we also temporarily closed all our retail locations in Australia.

We believe we have adequate liquidity and the financial discipline to address the near-term challenges related to the COVID-19 outbreak. While the disruption is currently expected to be temporary, there is significant uncertainty around its duration. As a result, we have taken a number of actions to mitigate the impact of this pandemic on our business and operations including: in addition to the retail store and restaurant closures, we are furloughing a significant number of our employees; certain of our salaried employees, including our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, are taking reductions in their base salary; we have drawn down $\$ 200$ million from our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement to increase our cash position and preserve financial flexibility; our Board of Directors reduced the rate of our dividend payable in the first quarter of Fiscal 2020; we are working with suppliers to cancel, delay or suspend future product deliveries; we are working with our wholesale customers to identify suitable changes to our business arrangements; and we are, in many cases, suspending or deferring capital expenditures.

We have established management committees, reporting to the Chief Executive Officer on an ongoing basis, to continue to monitor the COVID-19 outbreak and its impact and are taking the necessary precautionary measures to protect the health and safety of our employees. Given the dynamic nature of these circumstances, and the uncertain duration and severity of business disruption and its impact on discretionary consumer spending, the financial impact of the COVID-19 outbreak cannot be reasonably estimated at this time but will significantly impact our operating results, cash flows and financial position in Fiscal 2020.

For additional information about our business and each of our operating groups, see Part I, Item 1. Business included in this report. Important factors relating to certain risks which could impact our business, including those resulting from the COVID-19 outbreak, are described in Part I, Item 1A. Risk Factors of this report.

## Key Operating Results

The following table sets forth our consolidated operating results from continuing operations (in thousands, except per share amounts) for Fiscal 2019 compared to Fiscal 2018:

|  | Fiscal 2019 |  | Fiscal 2018 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Net sales | $\$ 1,122,790$ | $\$ 1,107,466$ |  |  |
| Operating income | $\$$ | 93,675 | $\$$ | 90,592 |
| Net earnings | $\$$ | 68,493 | $\$$ | 66,291 |
| Net earnings per diluted share | $\$$ | 4.05 | $\$$ | 3.94 |
| Weighted average shares outstanding - diluted |  | 16,914 |  | 16,842 |

The higher net earnings per diluted share in Fiscal 2019 was primarily due to higher operating income in Lilly Pulitzer, the improved operating results in Corporate and Other and lower interest expense partially offset by lower operating income in Lanier Apparel and a higher effective tax rate, each as discussed below.

## OPERATING GROUPS

Our business is primarily operated through our Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer, Lanier Apparel and Southern Tide operating groups. We identify our operating groups based on the way our management organizes the components of our business for purposes of allocating resources and assessing performance. Our operating group structure reflects a brandfocused management approach, emphasizing operational coordination and resource allocation across each brand's direct to consumer, wholesale and licensing operations, as applicable.

Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and Southern Tide each design, source, market and distribute apparel and related products bearing their respective trademarks and license their trademarks for other product categories, while Lanier Apparel designs, sources and distributes branded and private label men's tailored clothing, sportswear and other products. Corporate and Other is a reconciling category for reporting purposes and includes our corporate offices, substantially all financing activities, the elimination of inter-segment sales and any other items that are not allocated to the operating groups including LIFO inventory accounting adjustments. Because our LIFO inventory pool does not correspond to our operating group definitions, LIFO inventory accounting adjustments are not allocated to the operating groups. Corporate and Other also includes the operations of other businesses which are not included in our operating groups, including the operations of TBBC and our Lyons, Georgia distribution center.

For additional information about each of our operating groups, see Part I, Item 1. Business and Note 2 to our consolidated financial statements, both included in this report.

## COMPARABLE SALES

We often disclose comparable sales in order to provide additional information regarding changes in our results of operations between periods. Our disclosures of comparable sales include net sales from our full-price retail stores and ecommerce sites, excluding sales associated with e-commerce flash clearance sales. We believe that the inclusion of both full-price retail stores and e-commerce sites in the comparable sales disclosures is a more meaningful way of reporting our comparable sales results, given similar inventory planning, allocation and return policies, as well as our cross-channel marketing and other initiatives for the direct to consumer channel. For our comparable sales disclosures, we exclude (1) outlet store sales, warehouse sales and e-commerce flash clearance sales, as those clearance sales are used primarily to liquidate end of season inventory, which may vary significantly depending on the level of end of season inventory on hand and generally occur at lower gross margins than our non-clearance direct to consumer sales, and (2) restaurant sales, as we do not currently believe that the inclusion of restaurant sales in our comparable sales disclosures is meaningful in assessing our consolidated results of operations. Comparable sales information reflects net sales, including shipping and handling revenues, if any, associated with product sales.

For purposes of our disclosures, comparable sales consists of sales through e-commerce sites and any physical full-price retail store that was owned and open as of the beginning of the prior fiscal year and which did not have during
the relevant periods, and is not within the current fiscal year scheduled to have, (1) a remodel or other event which would result in a closure for an extended period of time (which we define as a period of two weeks or longer), (2) a greater than $15 \%$ change in the size of the retail space due to expansion, reduction or relocation to a new retail space or (3) a relocation to a new space that is significantly different from the prior retail space. For those stores which are excluded based on the preceding sentence, the stores continue to be excluded from comparable sales until the criteria for a new store is met subsequent to the remodel, relocation, or other event. A retail store that is remodeled will generally continue to be included in our comparable sales metrics as a store is not typically closed for longer than a two-week period during a remodel; however, a retail store that is relocated generally will not be included in our comparable sales metrics until that store has been open in the relocated space for the entirety of the prior fiscal year because the size or other characteristics of the store typically change significantly from the prior location. Any stores that were closed during the prior fiscal year or current fiscal year, or which we expect to close or vacate in the current fiscal year, as well as any pop-up or temporary store locations, are excluded from our comparable sales metrics.

Definitions and calculations of comparable sales differ among retail companies, and therefore comparable sales metrics disclosed by us may not be comparable to the metrics disclosed by other companies

## STORE COUNT

The table below provides store count information for Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and Southern Tide as of the dates specified. The table includes our permanent stores and excludes any pop-up or temporary store locations, which have initial lease terms of less than 12 months.

|  | $\underset{2020}{\text { February 1, }}$ | February 2, 2019 | $\underset{2018}{\text { February } 3,}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { January } 28, \\ 2017 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tommy Bahama retail stores | 111 | 113 | 110 | 111 |
| Tommy Bahama retail-restaurant locations | 16 | 17 | 18 | 17 |
| Tommy Bahama outlets | 35 | 37 | 38 | 40 |
| Total Tommy Bahama locations | 162 | 167 | 166 | 168 |
| Lilly Pulitzer retail stores | 61 | 62 | 57 | 40 |
| Southern Tide retail stores | 1 | - | - | - |
| Total Oxford locations | 224 | 229 | 223 | 208 |

## RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The following table sets forth the specified line items in our consolidated statements of operations both in dollars (in thousands) and as a percentage of net sales. We have calculated all percentages based on actual data, but percentage columns may not add due to rounding. Individual line items of our consolidated statements of operations may not be directly comparable to those of our competitors, as classification of certain expenses may vary by company.

|  | Fiscal 2019 |  |  | Fiscal 2018 |  |  | Fiscal 2017 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales |  | 1,122,790 | 100.0 \% |  | \$ 1,107,466 | 100.0 \% | \$ 1,086,211 | 100.0 \% |
| Cost of goods sold |  | 477,823 | 42.6 \% |  | 470,342 | 42.5 \% | 473,579 | 43.6 \% |
| Gross profit |  | 644,967 | 57.4 \% |  | 637,124 | 57.5 \% | 612,632 | 56.4 \% |
| SG\&A |  | 566,149 | 50.4 \% |  | 560,508 | 50.6 \% | 540,517 | 49.8 \% |
| Royalties and other operating income |  | 14,857 | 1.3 \% |  | 13,976 | 1.3 \% | 13,885 | 1.3 \% |
| Operating income |  | 93,675 | 8.3 \% |  | 90,592 | 8.2 \% | 86,000 | 7.9 \% |
| Interest expense, net |  | 1,245 | 0.1 \% |  | 2,283 | 0.2 \% | 3,109 | 0.3 \% |
| Earnings from continuing operations before income taxes |  | 92,430 | 8.2 \% |  | 88,309 | 8.0 \% | 82,891 | 7.6 \% |
| Income taxes |  | 23,937 | 2.1 \% |  | 22,018 | 2.0 \% | 18,190 | 1.7 \% |
| Net earnings from continuing operations | \$ | 68,493 | 6.1 \% | \$ | \$ 66,291 | 6.0 \% | \$ 64,701 | 6.0 \% |
| Income from discontinued operations, net of taxes |  | - | NM |  | - | NM | 389 | NM |
| Net earnings | \$ | 68,493 | NM | \$ | \$ 66,291 | NM | \$ 65,090 | NM |
| Weighted average shares outstanding diluted |  | 16,914 |  |  | 16,842 |  | 16,734 |  |

The following table presents the proportion of our consolidated net sales by distribution channel for each period presented:

|  | Fiscal 2019 | Fiscal 2018 | Fiscal 2017 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Retail | 39 \% | 40 \% | 39 \% |
| E-commerce | 23 \% | 21 \% | 19 \% |
| Restaurant | 8 \% | 8 \% | 8 \% |
| Wholesale | 30 \% | $31 \%$ | 34 \% |
| Total | 100 \% | 100 \% | 100 \% |

All references to assets, liabilities, revenues, expenses and other information in this report reflect continuing operations and exclude any amounts related to discontinued operations, except that any cash flow information includes continuing operations and discontinued operations as cash flows from discontinued operations have not been segregated from cash flow from continuing operations. Refer to Note 1 in our consolidated financial statements included in this report for additional information about discontinued operations.

## FISCAL 2019 COMPARED TO FISCAL 2018

The discussion and tables below compare certain line items included in our statements of operations for Fiscal 2019 to Fiscal 2018. Each dollar and percentage change provided reflects the change between these fiscal periods unless indicated otherwise. Each dollar and share amount included in the tables is in thousands except for per share amounts.

## Net Sales

|  | Fiscal 2019 |  | Fiscal 2018 |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 676,652 | \$ | 675,358 | \$ | 1,294 | 0.2 \% |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 284,700 |  | 272,299 |  | 12,401 | 4.6 \% |
| Lanier Apparel |  | 97,251 |  | 100,471 |  | $(3,220)$ | (3.2)\% |
| Southern Tide |  | 46,409 |  | 45,248 |  | 1,161 | 2.6 \% |
| Corporate and Other |  | 17,778 |  | 14,090 |  | 3,688 | 26.2 \% |
| Consolidated net sales | \$ | 1,122,790 | \$ | 1,107,466 | \$ | 15,324 | 1.4 \% |

Consolidated net sales increased $\$ 15$ million, or 1\%, in Fiscal 2019. The increase in consolidated net sales was primarily driven by (1) a $\$ 19$ million, or $4 \%$, comparable sales increase to $\$ 539$ million in Fiscal 2019 from $\$ 520$ million
in Fiscal 2018, with strong comparable sales increases in both Tommy Bahama and Lilly Pulitzer and a double-digit comparable sales increase in our smaller brands, and (2) an incremental net sales increase of $\$ 6$ million associated with non-comp retail store operations in Lilly Pulitzer. These increases in net sales were partially offset by (1) a $\$ 9$ million decrease in wholesale sales due to decreases at Tommy Bahama and Lanier Apparel and (2) a $\$ 1$ million decrease in restaurant sales in Tommy Bahama. The changes in net sales by operating group are discussed below.

## Tommy Bahama:

Tommy Bahama net sales increased $\$ 1$ million in Fiscal 2019 due to a $\$ 10$ million, or $3 \%$, increase in comparable sales to $\$ 369$ million in Fiscal 2019 compared to $\$ 359$ million in Fiscal 2018. This increase was partially offset by (1) a $\$ 6$ million decrease in wholesale sales primarily reflecting decreased full-price wholesale sales, (2) a $\$ 2$ million decrease in outlet store sales due to lower sales at existing outlet stores and the net sales impact of outlet store closures, and (3) a $\$ 1$ million decrease in restaurant sales primarily due to the net impact of certain restaurant closures, remodels and openings since the beginning of Fiscal 2018. The following table presents the proportion of net sales by distribution channel for Tommy Bahama for each period presented:

|  | Fiscal 2019 | Fiscal 2018 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Retail | 48 \% | 48 \% |
| E-commerce | 20 \% | 18 \% |
| Restaurant | 12 \% | 13 \% |
| Wholesale | 20 \% | 21 \% |
| Total | 100 \% | $100 \%$ |

## Lilly Pulitzer:

The Lilly Pulitzer net sales increase of $\$ 12$ million, or $5 \%$, in Fiscal 2019 was primarily the result of (1) an incremental net sales increase of $\$ 6$ million associated with non-comp retail store operations, including stores that were opened, closed or remodeled during Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018 as well as pop-up store locations, and increased gift card breakage income, (2) a $\$ 3$ million, or 2\%, increase in comparable sales to $\$ 148$ million in Fiscal 2019 from $\$ 145$ million in Fiscal 2018, including positive comparable sales for full-price e-commerce and negative comparable sales for retail stores, (3) a $\$ 2$ million increase in e-commerce flash clearance sales and (4) a $\$ 1$ million increase in wholesale sales reflecting increased off-price wholesale sales and lower full-price wholesale sales. The following table presents the proportion of net sales by distribution channel for Lilly Pulitzer for each period presented:

|  | Fiscal 2019 | Fiscal 2018 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Retail | 41 \% | 42 \% |
| E-commerce | 38 \% | 36 \% |
| Wholesale | 21 \% | 22 \% |
| Total | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ |

## Lanier Apparel:

The Lanier Apparel net sales decrease of $\$ 3$ million, or 3\%, in Fiscal 2019 was primarily due to (1) decreased sales in various programs, including lower volume in certain programs and the exit of certain other programs and customers, including those who filed for bankruptcy in Fiscal 2018, (2) decreased sales for certain programs that had initial shipments in Fiscal 2018 that did not repeat at the same levels and (3) increased anticipated returns in the future for certain replenishment programs, which will transition to new replenishment programs with the wholesale account. These decreases were partially offset by increased volume in other seasonal, in-stock and replenishment programs, including initial shipments for new programs in Fiscal 2019. While the Cole Haan and Duck Head businesses both had significant sales growth rates in Fiscal 2019, those business still represent a small proportion of Lanier Apparel's net sales.

## Southern Tide:

The Southern Tide net sales increase of $\$ 1$ million, or $3 \%$, in Fiscal 2019 was primarily due to higher sales in the e-commerce channel of distribution. Wholesale sales were generally flat as increased full-price wholesale sales driven by higher department store sales were offset by lower off-price wholesale sales. Southern Tide opened its first owned retail store in November 2019 resulting in a minimal amount of owned retail store sales in Fiscal 2019. The following table presents the proportion of net sales by distribution channel for Southern Tide for each period presented:

|  | Fiscal |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fiscal 2019 | Fiscal 2018 |
| E-commerce | 21 \% | 18 \% |
| Wholesale | 79 \% | 82 \% |
| Total | 100 \% | 100 \% |

## Corporate and Other:

Corporate and Other net sales primarily consist of the net sales of TBBC, which includes e-commerce and wholesale operations, and our Lyons, Georgia distribution center operations. The increase in net sales was due to sales growth in TBBC partially offset by lower sales at the Lyons, Georgia distribution center.

## Gross Profit

The table below presents gross profit by operating group and in total for Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018, as well as the change between those two periods. Our gross profit and gross margin, which is calculated as gross profit divided by net sales, may not be directly comparable to those of our competitors, as the statement of operations classification of certain expenses may vary by company.

|  | Fiscal 2019 |  | Fiscal 2018 |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 413,200 | \$ | 413,455 | \$ | (255) | (0.1)\% |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 174,573 |  | 165,486 |  | 9,087 | 5.5 \% |
| Lanier Apparel |  | 26,273 |  | 28,844 |  | $(2,571)$ | (8.9)\% |
| Southern Tide |  | 22,786 |  | 22,572 |  | 214 | 0.9 \% |
| Corporate and Other |  | 8,135 |  | 6,767 |  | 1,368 | 20.2 \% |
| Consolidated gross profit | \$ | 644,967 | \$ | 637,124 | \$ | $\underline{7,843}$ | 1.2 \% |
| LIFO adjustments in Corporate and Other | \$ | 1,454 | \$ | 773 |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama Japan inventory markdown charges | \$ | 159 | \$ | 461 |  |  |  |
| Inventory step-up charges in Corporate and Other | \$ | - | \$ | 157 |  |  |  |

The table below presents gross margin by operating group an in total for Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018.

|  | Fiscal 2019 | Fiscal 2018 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Tommy Bahama | $61.1 \%$ | $61.2 \%$ |  |
| Lilly Pulitzer | $61.3 \%$ | $60.8 \%$ |  |
| Lanier Apparel | $27.0 \%$ | $28.7 \%$ |  |
| Southern Tide | $49.1 \%$ | $49.9 \%$ |  |
| Corporate and Other | NM | NM |  |
| Consolidated gross margin |  | $57.4 \%$ | $57.5 \%$ |

The increase in consolidated gross profit in Fiscal 2019 was primarily due to increased sales with comparable gross margin. The comparable gross margin includes the impact of lower gross margin in Tommy Bahama, Lanier Apparel and Southern Tide offset by higher gross margin in Lilly Pulitzer. Also, the incremental tariffs on products sourced from China had an unfavorable impact on gross profit of $\$ 2$ million in Fiscal 2019, with the substantial majority
of that amount in Tommy Bahama and Lilly Pulitzer. The changes in gross margin by operating group are discussed below.

## Tommy Bahama:

The modest decrease in gross margin for Tommy Bahama was primarily due to (1) Fiscal 2018 including the favorable outcome of a duty assessment assertion, (2) the unfavorable gross margin impact of the incremental tariffs on products sourced from China in Fiscal 2019 and (3) the impact of an increasing proportion of Tommy Bahama direct to consumer sales occurring during periodic loyalty award card, Flip Side and Friends and Family marketing events. These unfavorable items were partially offset by (1) a change in sales mix as full-price and off-price wholesale sales and outlet stores were a lower proportion of net sales for Tommy Bahama in Fiscal 2019 and (2) improved initial margins reflecting progress in our initiatives to selectively increase prices and reduce product costs.

## Lilly Pulitzer:

The increase in gross margin for Lilly Pulitzer reflects (1) improved gross margin on the e-commerce flash clearance sales resulting from lower markdowns on the product sold and lower freight costs, (2) a change in sales mix as full-price e-commerce sales represented a greater proportion of net sales and (3) the impact of higher gift card breakage income. These favorable items were partially offset by (1) lower gross margin in the Lilly Pulitzer wholesale business primarily due to off-price wholesale sales representing a greater proportion of wholesale sales and lower gross margin on wholesale sales and (2) the unfavorable gross margin impact of the incremental tariffs on products sourced from China in Fiscal 2019.

## Lanier Apparel:

The decrease in gross margin for Lanier Apparel was primarily due to increased inventory markdowns in Fiscal 2019 in the Lanier Apparel tailored clothing business as well as in the Lanier Apparel sportswear business, which was primarily due to our decision to exit certain unprofitable customers and channels of wholesale distribution in Fiscal 2020. These markdowns were partially offset by a change in sales mix as sales of licensed branded products, which typically have a higher gross margin represented a greater proportion of net sales in Fiscal 2019.

## Southern Tide:

The decrease in gross margin for Southern Tide was primarily due to the prior year including an insurance recovery on certain inventory. This was partially offset by a favorable change in sales mix as direct to consumer sales represented a greater proportion of net sales.

## Corporate and Other:

The gross profit in Corporate and Other primarily reflects (1) the gross profit of TBBC, (2) the gross profit of our Lyons, Georgia distribution center and (3) the impact of LIFO accounting adjustments. The increased gross profit primarily reflects the impact of higher net sales in TBBC partially offset by the unfavorable impact of LIFO accounting, which was a charge of $\$ 1$ million in Fiscal 2019 compared to a charge of $\$ 1$ million in Fiscal 2018. The LIFO accounting impact in Corporate and Other in each period primarily reflects (1) a charge in Corporate and Other when inventory that had been marked down to the estimated net realizable value in an operating group in a prior period is ultimately sold or (2) a credit in Corporate and Other when inventory that has been marked down to the estimated net realizable value in an operating group in the current period but has not been sold as of period end.
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|  | Fiscal 2019 |  | Fiscal 2018 |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SG\&A | \$ | 566,149 | \$ | 560,508 | \$ | 5,641 | 1.0 \% |
| SG\&A (as a \% of net sales) |  | 50.4 \% |  | 50.6 \% |  |  |  |
| Amortization of Tommy Bahama Canada intangible assets | \$ | - | \$ | 1,387 |  |  |  |
| Amortization of Lilly Pulitzer Signature Store intangible assets | \$ | 320 | \$ | 378 |  |  |  |
| Amortization of Southern Tide intangible assets | \$ | 292 | \$ | 288 |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama Japan SG\&A charges | \$ | 2,795 | \$ | 3,206 |  |  |  |
| TBBC change in fair value of contingent consideration | \$ | 431 | \$ | 970 |  |  |  |

The increase in SG\&A in Fiscal 2019 was primarily due to (1) increases in SG\&A to support the businesses, including increased salaries, wages, employee benefits, variable costs and other operating expenses in our ongoing operations, and (2) $\$ 1$ million of incremental SG\&A associated with the cost of operating additional retail stores and restaurants. These increases were partially offset by (1) a $\$ 6$ million reduction in incentive compensation expense, (2) a $\$ 4$ million decrease in advertising expense, and (3) a $\$ 1$ million decrease in amortization of Tommy Bahama Canada intangible assets.

## Royalties and other operating income

|  | Fiscal 2019 |  | Fiscal 2018 |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Royalties and other operating income | \$ | 14,857 | \$ | 13,976 | \$ | 881 | 6.3 \% |

Royalties and other operating income primarily reflects income received from third parties from the licensing of our brands. The increase in royalties and other income in Fiscal 2019 primarily resulted from increased royalty income in Tommy Bahama and Lilly Pulitzer.

## Operating income (loss)

|  | Fiscal 2019 |  | Fiscal 2018 |  | S Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 53,207 | \$ | 53,139 | \$ | 68 | 0.1 \% |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 51,795 |  | 47,239 |  | 4,556 | 9.6 \% |
| Lanier Apparel |  | 1,465 |  | 5,057 |  | $(3,592)$ | (71.0)\% |
| Southern Tide |  | 5,554 |  | 5,663 |  | (109) | (1.9)\% |
| Corporate and Other |  | $(18,346)$ |  | $(20,506)$ |  | 2,160 | 10.5 \% |
| Consolidated Operating Income | \$ | 93,675 | \$ | 90,592 | \$ | 3,083 | 3.4 \% |
| LIFO adjustments in Corporate and Other | \$ | 1,454 | \$ | 773 |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama Japan inventory markdown charges | \$ | 159 | \$ | 461 |  |  |  |
| Inventory step-up charges in Corporate and Other | \$ | - | \$ | 157 |  |  |  |
| Amortization of Tommy Bahama Canada intangible assets | \$ | - | \$ | 1,387 |  |  |  |
| Amortization of Lilly Pulitzer Signature Store intangible assets | \$ | 320 | \$ | 378 |  |  |  |
| Amortization of Southern Tide intangible assets | \$ | 292 | \$ | 288 |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama Japan SG\&A charges | \$ | 2,795 | \$ | 3,206 |  |  |  |
| TBBC change in fair value of contingent consideration | \$ | 431 | \$ | 970 |  |  |  |

The increase in operating income primarily resulted from higher sales with comparable gross margin and higher royalty and other operating income partially offset by higher SG\&A. On an operating group basis, the increase in operating income in Fiscal 2019 reflects higher operating income in Lilly Pulitzer and the improved operating results in

Corporate and Other partially offset by lower operating income in Lanier Apparel. Changes in operating income (loss) by operating group are discussed below.

Tommy Bahama:


The increase in operating income in Tommy Bahama was primarily due to higher net sales and increased royalty income partially offset by higher SG\&A and lower gross margin. The higher SG\&A for Fiscal 2019 was primarily due to increased salaries, wages and employee benefits, variable costs and other operating expenses in our ongoing operations. These items were partially offset by (1) a $\$ 6$ million decrease in incentive compensation, (2) a $\$ 5$ million reduction in advertising expense and (3) a $\$ 1$ million reduction in Tommy Bahama Canada amortization charges. Both periods included certain charges related to restructuring charges associated with the Tommy Bahama Japan operations, as included in the table above and as discussed in Note 13.

## Lilly Pulitzer:

|  | Fiscal 2019 |  | cal 2018 |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | \$ | 284,700 | \$ | 272,299 |  | 12,401 | 4.6 \% |
| Gross profit | \$ | 174,573 | \$ | 165,486 |  | 9,087 | 5.5 \% |
| Gross margin |  | 61.3 \% |  | 60.8 |  |  |  |
| Operating income | \$ | 51,795 | \$ | 47,239 |  | 4,556 | 9.6 \% |
| Operating income as \% of net sales |  | 18.2 \% |  | 17.3 |  |  |  |
| Amortization of Lilly Pulitzer Signature Store intangible assets | \$ | 320 | \$ | 378 |  |  |  |

The increase in operating income in Lilly Pulitzer was primarily due to increased net sales, gross margin and royalty income partially offset by higher SG\&A. The higher SG\&A in Fiscal 2019 included (1) $\$ 3$ million of incremental SG\&A associated with the cost of operating non-comp retail stores, (2) a $\$ 1$ million increase in incentive compensation amounts, (3) a $\$ 1$ million increase in advertising expense and (4) SG\&A increases, including additional employment cost, to support ongoing and future business operations.

Lanier Apparel:

|  | Fiscal 2019 |  | Fiscal 2018 |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | \$ | 97,251 | \$ | 100,471 | \$ | $(3,220)$ | (3.2)\% |
| Gross profit | \$ | 26,273 | \$ | 28,844 | \$ | $(2,571)$ | (8.9)\% |
| Gross margin |  | 27.0 \% |  | 28.7 |  |  |  |
| Operating income | \$ | 1,465 | \$ | 5,057 | \$ | $(3,592)$ | (71.0)\% |
| Operating income as \% of net sales |  | 1.5 \% |  | 5.0 |  |  |  |

The decrease in operating income in Lanier Apparel was primarily due to the lower gross margin, lower sales and higher SG\&A. The SG\&A increase in Fiscal 2019 was primarily due to higher sales-related variable expenses for
the increased licensed brand sales, including increased royalties, shipping and advertising expenses. These increases in SG\&A were partially offset by lower incentive compensation amounts.

## Southern Tide:

|  | Fiscal 2019 |  | Fiscal 2018 |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | \$ | 46,409 | \$ | 45,248 | \$ | 1,161 | 2.6 \% |
| Gross profit | \$ | 22,786 | \$ | 22,572 | \$ | 214 | 0.9 \% |
| Gross margin |  | 49.1 \% |  | 49.9 \% |  |  |  |
| Operating income | \$ | 5,554 | \$ | 5,663 | \$ | (109) | (1.9)\% |
| Operating income as \% of net sales |  | 12.0 \% |  | 12.5 \% |  |  |  |
| Amortization of Southern Tide intangible assets | \$ | 292 | \$ | 288 |  |  |  |

The decrease in operating income in Southern Tide was primarily due to higher SG\&A and lower gross margin partially offset by an increase in net sales. The SG\&A increase in Fiscal 2019 was primarily due to (1) SG\&A related to the start-up of Southern Tide's owned retail store operations, including the SG\&A associated with opening and operating the first Southern Tide retail location as well as retail management leadership hired to establish the Southern Tide retail operations, (2) variable selling and shipping costs associated with higher sales and (3) increased advertising expenses. These increases were partially offset by lower incentive compensation amounts in Fiscal 2019.

## Corporate and Other:

|  | Fiscal 2019 |  | Fiscal 2018 |  | S Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales | \$ | 17,778 | \$ | 14,090 | \$ | 3,688 | 26.2 \% |
| Gross profit | \$ | 8,135 | \$ | 6,767 | \$ | 1,368 | 20.2 \% |
| Operating loss | \$ | $(18,346)$ | \$ | $(20,506)$ | \$ | 2,160 | 10.5 \% |
| LIFO adjustments in Corporate and Other | \$ | 1,454 | \$ | 773 |  |  |  |
| Inventory step-up charges in Corporate and Other |  | - |  | 157 |  |  |  |
| TBBC change in fair value of contingent consideration | \$ | 431 | \$ | 970 |  |  |  |

The improved operating results in Corporate and Other was primarily due to (1) higher sales, partially offset by higher SG\&A, resulting in increased operating income of TBBC, (2) lower SG\&A in our Corporate operations, including lower incentive compensation and other amounts, (3) a smaller charge for the change in the fair value of the TBBC contingent consideration and (4) Fiscal 2019 not including any amounts for inventory step-up charges. These items were partially offset by a larger net LIFO accounting charge in Fiscal 2019.

## Interest expense, net

|  | Fiscal 2019 |  | Fiscal 2018 |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Interest expense, net | \$ | 1,245 | \$ | 2,283 | \$ | $(1,038)$ | (45.5)\% |

Interest expense decreased in Fiscal 2019 primarily due to lower average debt outstanding as well as higher interest income. In Fiscal 2019, interest expense consisted of interest charged on borrowings during the first half of the year, unused line fees and amortization expense, partially offset by interest income earned on cash and cash equivalents during the second half of Fiscal 2019.

## Income taxes

|  | Fiscal 2019 |  | Fiscal 2018 |  | S Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Income taxes | \$ | 23,937 | \$ | 22,018 | \$ | 1,919 | 8.7 \% |
| Effective tax rate |  | 25.9 |  | 24.9 |  |  |  |

The higher effective tax rate in Fiscal 2019 was primarily due to Fiscal 2018 benefitting from the favorable impact of the vesting of certain stock awards during the year and other discrete items. Refer to Note 9 for additional information about our income tax expense for Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018.

## Net earnings

|  |  | Fiscal 2019 | Fiscal 2018 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Net sales | $\$$ | $1,122,790$ | $\$$ | $1,107,466$ |
| Operating income | $\$$ | 93,675 | $\$$ | 90,592 |
| Net earnings | $\$$ | 68,493 | $\$$ | 66,291 |
| Net earnings per diluted share | $\$$ | 4.05 | $\$$ | 3.94 |
| Weighted average shares outstanding - diluted | 16,914 | 16,842 |  |  |

The higher net earnings per diluted share in Fiscal 2019 was primarily due to higher operating income in Lilly Pulitzer, the improved operating results in Corporate and Other and lower interest expense partially offset by lower operating income in Lanier Apparel and a higher effective tax rate, each as discussed above.

## FINANCIAL CONDITION, LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

Our primary source of revenue and cash flow is through our design, sourcing, marketing and distribution of branded apparel products bearing the trademarks of our Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and Southern Tide lifestyle brands, other owned and licensed brands, and private label apparel products. We distribute our products to our customers via direct to consumer and wholesale channels of distribution. Our primary uses of cash flow include the purchase of products in the operation of our business from third party contract manufacturers outside of the United States, as well as operating expenses, including employee compensation and benefits, occupancy-related costs, marketing and advertising costs, distribution costs, other general and administrative expenses and the payment of periodic interest and other payments related to our financing arrangements.

Additionally, we use cash for the funding of capital expenditures, dividends and repayment of indebtedness. In the ordinary course of business, we maintain certain levels of inventory, extend credit to our wholesale customers and pay our operating expenses. Thus, we require a certain amount of working capital to operate our business. If cash inflows are less than cash outflows, we have access to amounts under our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement, subject to its terms, which is described below. We may seek to finance our future cash requirements through various methods, including cash flow from operations, borrowings under our current or additional credit facilities, sales of debt or equity securities, and cash on hand.

As of February 1, 2020, we had $\$ 52$ million of cash and cash equivalents on hand, no borrowings outstanding and $\$ 322$ million of availability, which includes the majority of our cash and cash equivalents as eligible assets, under our $\$ 325$ million Fourth Amended and Restated Credit Agreement (as amended, the "U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement"). We believe our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement will provide ample liquidity to fund operating cash flow needs and other ongoing cash requirements.

## Key Liquidity Measures

| (\$ in thousands) | $\underset{2020}{\text { February } 1,}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February 2, } \\ 2019 \end{gathered}$ |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total current assets | \$ | 288,826 | \$ | 269,788 | \$ | 19,038 | 7.1 \% |
| Total current liabilities | \$ | 177,779 | \$ | 142,209 |  | 35,570 | 25.0 \% |
| Working capital | \$ | 111,047 | \$ | 127,579 | \$ | $(16,532)$ | (13.0) $\%$ |
| Working capital ratio |  | 1.62 |  | 1.90 |  |  |  |
| Debt to total capital ratio |  | - |  |  |  |  |  |

Our working capital ratio is calculated by dividing total current assets by total current liabilities. Current assets as of February 1,2020 , increased primarily due to increased cash balances partially offset by lower amounts in all our
other current asset line items. Current liabilities as of February 1, 2020 increased primarily due to the impact of the revised lease accounting guidance which required the recognition of $\$ 50$ million of current operating lease liabilities as of February 1, 2020, as discussed in Note 6 to our consolidated financial statements included in this report, and an increase in other accrued expenses and liabilities, partially offset by reductions in accounts payable and accrued compensation.

For the ratio of debt to total capital, debt is defined as short-term and long-term debt, and total capital is defined as debt plus shareholders' equity. Debt was $\$ 0$ million at February 1, 2020 and $\$ 13$ million at February 2, 2019, while shareholders' equity was $\$ 529$ million at February 1, 2020 and $\$ 478$ million at February 2, 2019. The decrease in debt since February 2, 2019 was primarily due to $\$ 122$ million of cash flow from operations which was partially offset by cash payments of $\$ 37$ million for capital expenditures and $\$ 25$ million for dividends, resulting in $\$ 52$ million of cash and cash equivalents on hand as of February 1, 2020. Shareholders' equity increased from February 2, 2019, primarily as a result of net earnings and increased additional paid in capital related to our employee stock plans less dividends paid during the year. Our debt levels and ratio of debt to total capital in future periods may not be comparable to historical amounts as we continue to assess, and possibly make changes to, our capital structure. Changes in our capital structure in the future, if any, will depend on prevailing market conditions, our liquidity requirements, contractual restrictions, the ultimate impact of the COVID-19 outbreak on our operating results and other factors. The amounts involved may be material.

## Balance Sheet

The following tables set forth certain information included in our consolidated balance sheets (in thousands). Below each table are explanations for any significant changes in the balances from February 2, 2019 to February 1, 2020.

Current Assets:

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February } 1, \\ 2020 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February 2, } \\ 2019 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ | 52,460 | \$ | 8,327 | \$ | 44,133 | 530.0 \% |
| Receivables, net |  | 58,724 |  | 69,037 |  | $(10,313)$ | (14.9)\% |
| Inventories, net |  | 152,229 |  | 160,656 |  | $(8,427)$ | (5.2)\% |
| Prepaid expenses and other current assets |  | 25,413 |  | 31,768 |  | $(6,355)$ | (20.0) ${ }^{7.1}$ |
| Total current assets | \$ | 288,826 | \$ | 269,788 | \$ | 19,038 | 7.1 \% |

Cash and cash equivalents were $\$ 52$ million as of February 1, 2020 compared to $\$ 8$ million as of February 2, 2019. Typical cash amounts maintained on an ongoing basis in our operations generally range from $\$ 5$ million to $\$ 10$ million at any given time if we have debt outstanding. If cash flow from operations exceeds amounts required to pay any outstanding debt amounts, capital expenditures and dividends, cash outstanding may exceed the typical cash amounts. As of February 1, 2020, cash flow from operations has exceeded our cash needs resulting in $\$ 52$ million of cash on hand. Substantially all of the cash on our balance sheet is invested in short-term money market funds.

The decrease in receivables, net as of February 1, 2020 was primarily due to lower trade receivables resulting from lower wholesale sales in the last two months of Fiscal 2019 and an increase in receivable allowance amounts. Inventories, which is net of a $\$ 63$ million and $\$ 62$ million LIFO reserve as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, respectively, decreased as of February 1, 2020. The decrease from February 2, 2019 was primarily due to lower inventory levels at Lanier Apparel and Tommy Bahama partially offset by increased inventories in Lilly Pulitzer, Southern Tide and Corporate and Other. The decrease in Lanier Apparel was primarily due to lower inventories in certain replenishment programs and lower anticipated sales in Fiscal 2020. The lower inventories in Tommy Bahama was primarily due to clearance of certain end of season inventory in Tommy Bahama during Fiscal 2019. Prepaid expenses and other current assets decreased as of February 1, 2020 primarily as a result of lower prepaid rent expense due to the adoption of the revised lease accounting guidance, which resulted in the classification of prepaid rent in operating lease assets in our consolidated balance sheet, as well as lower prepaid income taxes, which was partially offset by higher prepaid expenses for advertising and other operating expense amounts.

Non-current Assets:

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February } 1, \\ 2020 \end{gathered}$ |  | February2019 |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Property and equipment, net | \$ | 191,517 | \$ | 192,576 | \$ | $(1,059)$ | (0.5)\% |
| Intangible assets, net |  | 175,005 |  | 176,176 |  | $(1,171)$ | (0.7)\% |
| Goodwill |  | 66,578 |  | 66,621 |  | (43) | (0.1)\% |
| Operating lease assets |  | 287,181 |  | - |  | 287,181 | N/A |
| Other non-current assets, net |  | 24,262 |  | 22,093 |  | 2,169 | 9.8 \% |
| Total non-current assets | \$ | 744,543 | \$ | 457,466 | \$ | $\underline{287,077}$ | 62.8 \% |

Property and equipment, net as of February 1, 2020 decreased primarily as a result of depreciation expense exceeding capital expenditures in Fiscal 2019. The decrease in intangible assets, net as of February 1, 2020 was primarily due to amortization of intangible assets in Fiscal 2019. The operating lease assets amount as of February 1, 2020 was a result of the adoption of the revised lease accounting guidance during Fiscal 2019. Other non-current assets, net as of February 1, 2020 increased primarily due to increases in assets set aside for potential deferred compensation obligations and unamortized deferred financing costs partially offset by reductions in real estate security deposits.

## Liabilities:

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February } 1, \\ 2020 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February 2, } \\ 2019 \end{gathered}$ |  | \$ Change |  | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total current liabilities | \$ | 177,779 | \$ | 142,209 | \$ | 35,570 | 25.0 \% |
| Long-term debt |  | - |  | 12,993 |  | $(12,993)$ | (100.0)\% |
| Non-current operating lease liabilities |  | 291,886 |  | - |  | 291,886 | N/A |
| Other non-current liabilities |  | 18,566 |  | 75,286 |  | $(56,720)$ | (75.3)\% |
| Deferred taxes |  | 16,540 |  | 18,411 |  | $(1,871)$ | (10.2)\% |
| Total liabilities | \$ | 504,771 | \$ | 248,899 | \$ | 255,872 | 102.8 \% |

Current liabilities increased as of February 1, 2020 primarily due to the $\$ 50$ million of current lease liabilities recognized as of February 1, 2020, as a result of the adoption of the revised lease accounting guidance during Fiscal 2019 and an increase in other accrued expenses and current liabilities partially offset by reductions in accounts payable and accrued compensation. The increase in other accrued expenses and other liabilities was primarily due to a $\$ 5$ million increase in income taxes payable. The lower accounts payable was primarily due to a reduction of inventory in transit amounts while the lower accrued compensation was primarily due to a reduction in incentive compensation amounts. The decrease in long-term debt since February 1, 2020 was primarily due to $\$ 122$ million of cash flow from operations which was partially offset by cash payments of $\$ 37$ million for capital expenditures and $\$ 25$ million for dividends.

The non-current operating lease liabilities amount as of February 1, 2020 was a result of the adoption of the revised lease accounting guidance during Fiscal 2019. Other non-current liabilities decreased as of February 1, 2020 primarily due to other non-current liabilities as of February 2, 2019 including $\$ 59$ million of deferred rent and deferred rent tenant improvement allowance liabilities that were reclassified as operating lease assets as a result of the adoption of the revised lease accounting guidance during Fiscal 2019. This reduction in other non-current liabilities was partially offset by increases in amounts for deferred compensation liabilities. Deferred taxes decreased as of February 1, 2020 primarily due to timing differences associated with depreciation partially offset by timing differences associated with amortization of intangible assets.

## Statement of Cash Flows

The following table sets forth the net cash flows, including continuing and discontinued operations, resulting in the change in our cash and cash equivalents (in thousands):

|  | Fiscal 2019 |  | Fiscal 2018 |  | Fiscal 2017 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cash provided by operating activities |  | \$ 121,926 | \$ | 96,377 | \$ | 118,593 |
| Cash used in investing activities |  | $(37,421)$ |  | $(37,397)$ |  | $(54,277)$ |
| Cash used in financing activities |  | $(41,298)$ |  | $(56,765)$ |  | $(64,712)$ |
| Net change in cash and cash equivalents |  | \$ 43,207 | \$ | 2,215 | \$ | (396) |

Cash and cash equivalents on hand were $\$ 52$ million and $\$ 8$ million at February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, respectively. Changes in cash flows in Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018 related to operating activities, investing activities and financing activities are discussed below.

## Operating Activities:

In Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018, operating activities provided $\$ 122$ million and $\$ 96$ million, respectively, of cash. The cash flow from operating activities for each period was primarily the result of net earnings for the relevant period adjusted, as applicable, for non-cash activities including depreciation, amortization and equity-based compensation, as well as the net impact of changes in deferred taxes and our working capital accounts. In Fiscal 2019 working capital account changes had a favorable impact on cash flow from operations, while in Fiscal 2018 working capital account changes had an unfavorable impact on cash flow from operations. In Fiscal 2019, the more significant changes in working capital, after considering the non-cash impact of certain reclassifications that resulted from the adoption of the revised lease accounting guidance, were a decrease in receivables and inventories, which increased cash flow from operations, partially offset by decreases in current liabilities, which reduced cash flow from operations. In Fiscal 2018, the more significant changes in working capital were an increase in inventories, which decreased cash flow from operations, partially offset by an increase in current liabilities and a decrease in prepaid and other current assets, each of which increased cash flow from operations.

## Investing Activities.

In each of Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018, investing activities used $\$ 37$ million of cash. On an ongoing basis, our cash flow used in investing activities primarily consists of our capital expenditure investments in our existing brands and acquisitions of new businesses. Our capital expenditures primarily consist of costs associated with information technology initiatives, including e-commerce capabilities; opening, relocating and remodeling retail stores and restaurants; and facilities enhancements for distribution centers and offices.

## Financing Activities:

In Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018, financing activities used $\$ 41$ million and $\$ 57$ million, respectively, of cash. During Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018, we decreased debt and increased cash as our cash flow from operations was greater than our capital expenditures and payment of dividends. During Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018 we paid $\$ 25$ million and $\$ 23$ million of dividends, respectively. During Fiscal 2019 we also paid $\$ 1$ million for the payment of certain amounts related to previous acquisitions including the payment of certain holdback and contingent consideration amounts and $\$ 1$ million related to the refinancing of our revolving credit agreement. Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018 included certain amounts related to the issuance of equity pursuant to our employee stock purchase plan and the repurchase of equity awards for employee tax withholding liabilities due to the vesting of equity awards during the period.

If we are in a debt position, we may borrow or pay down debt depending on whether our cash flow from operating activities exceeds our capital expenditures, dividend payments, acquisitions and any other investing or financing activities. Generally, we anticipate that excess cash, if any, will be used to repay any debt on our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement. However, due to our March 2020 draw down on our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement
due to the uncertainty related to the COVID-19 outbreak, in Fiscal 2020 we anticipate that we may concurrently have cash on hand as well as a significant amount of debt outstanding on our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement. If we have cash and cash equivalents in excess of cash used in our ongoing operations, we will generally invest the excess cash in short term money market investments.

## Liquidity and Capital Resources

In July 2019, we amended our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement by entering into the First Amendment to the Fourth Amended and Restated Credit Agreement to (1) extend the maturity of the facility to July 2024 and (2) modify certain provisions including a reduction of interest rates on certain borrowings and a reduction in unused line fees. We had no amounts outstanding as of February 1, 2020 under our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement, but we did borrow $\$ 200$ million under our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement in March 2020 due to the uncertainty related to the COVID-19 outbreak. The U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement generally (1) is limited to a borrowing base consisting of specified percentages of eligible categories of assets, (2) accrues variable-rate interest, unused line fees and letter of credit fees based upon average unused availability or utilization, (3) requires periodic interest payments with principal due at maturity (July 2024) and (4) is secured by a first priority security interest in substantially all of the assets of Oxford Industries, Inc. and its domestic subsidiaries, including accounts receivable, books and records, chattel paper, deposit accounts, equipment, certain general intangibles, inventory, investment property (including the equity interests of certain subsidiaries), negotiable collateral, life insurance policies, supporting obligations, commercial tort claims, cash and cash equivalents, eligible trademarks, proceeds and other personal property.

To the extent cash flow needs exceed cash flow provided by our operations we will have access, subject to its terms, to our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement to provide funding for operating activities, capital expenditures and acquisitions, if any. Our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement is also used to establish collateral for certain insurance programs and leases and to finance trade letters of credit for product purchases, which reduce the amounts available under our line of credit when issued. As of February 1, 2020, $\$ 3$ million of letters of credit were outstanding against our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement. After considering these limitations and the amount of eligible assets in our borrowing base, as applicable, as of February 1,2020 , we had $\$ 322$ million in unused availability under the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement, subject to certain limitations on borrowings.

## Covenants, Other Restrictions and Prepayment Penalties

The U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement is subject to a number of affirmative covenants regarding the delivery of financial information, compliance with law, maintenance of property, insurance requirements and conduct of business. Also, the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement is subject to certain negative covenants or other restrictions including, among other things, limitations on our ability to (1) incur debt, (2) guaranty certain obligations, (3) incur liens, (4) pay dividends to shareholders, (5) repurchase shares of our common stock, (6) make investments, (7) sell assets or stock of subsidiaries, (8) acquire assets or businesses, (9) merge or consolidate with other companies or (10) prepay, retire, repurchase or redeem debt.

Additionally, the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement contains a financial covenant that applies only if excess availability under the agreement for three consecutive business days is less than the greater of (1) $\$ 23.5$ million or (2) $10 \%$ of availability. In such case, our fixed charge coverage ratio as defined in the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement must not be less than 1.0 to 1.0 for the immediately preceding 12 fiscal months for which financial statements have been delivered. This financial covenant continues to apply until we have maintained excess availability under the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement of more than the greater of (1) $\$ 23.5$ million or (2) $10 \%$ of availability for 30 consecutive days.

We believe that the affirmative covenants, negative covenants, financial covenants and other restrictions under the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement are customary for those included in similar facilities entered into at the time we amended the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement. During Fiscal 2019 and as of February 1, 2020, no financial covenant testing was required pursuant to our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement as the minimum availability threshold was met at all times. As of February 1, 2020, we were compliant with all covenants related to the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement.

## Other Liquidity Items:

We anticipate that we will be able to satisfy our ongoing cash requirements, which generally consist of working capital and other operating activity needs, capital expenditures, interest payments on our debt and dividends, if any, primarily from borrowings under our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement and positive cash flow from operations, in the long term. Our need for working capital is typically seasonal with the greatest requirements generally in the fall and spring of each year. Our capital needs will depend on many factors including our growth rate, the need to finance inventory levels and the success of our various products. We anticipate that at the maturity of the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement or as otherwise deemed appropriate, we will be able to refinance the facility or obtain other financing on terms available in the market at that time. The terms of any future financing arrangements may not be as favorable as the terms of the current agreement or current market terms.

On March 24, 2020, our Board of Directors approved a cash dividend of $\$ 0.25$ per share payable on May 1,2020 to shareholders of record as of the close of business on April 17, 2020. Although we have paid dividends in each quarter since we became a public company in July 1960, including $\$ 25$ million in total, or $\$ 1.48$ per common share, in Fiscal 2019, we may discontinue or modify dividend payments at any time if we determine that other uses of our capital, including payment of outstanding debt, funding of acquisitions, funding of capital expenditures or repurchases of outstanding shares, may be in our best interest; if our expectations of future cash flows and future cash needs outweigh the ability to pay a dividend; or if the terms of our credit facility, other debt instruments or applicable law limit our ability to pay dividends. We may borrow to fund dividends in the short term, subject to the terms and conditions of our credit facility, other debt instruments and applicable law. All cash flow from operations will not be paid out as dividends in all periods. For details about limitations on our ability to pay dividends, see the discussion of the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement above.

## Contractual Obligations

The following table summarizes our contractual cash obligations, as of February 1, 2020, by future period (in thousands):

|  | Payments Due by Period |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Less Than } \\ 1 \text { year } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | 1-3 Years | 3-5 Years | $\begin{gathered} \text { More Than } \\ 5 \text { Years } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Total |
| Contractual Obligations: |  |  |  |  |  |
| U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement ${ }^{(1)}$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| Operating leases ${ }^{(2)}$ | 64,141 | 130,461 | 105,416 | 96,914 | 396,932 |
| Minimum royalty and advertising payments pursuant to royalty agreements | 5,621 | 3,590 | - | - | 9,211 |
| Letters of credit | 3,132 | - | - | - | 3,132 |
| Other ${ }^{(3)(4)(5)}$ | 450 | - | - | - | 450 |
| Total | \$73,344 | \$134,051 | \$ 105,416 | \$96,914 | \$409,725 |

(1) Principal, interest, unused line fees and letter of credit fees and amounts payable in future periods on our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement have been excluded from the table above, as the principal amount that will be outstanding and interest rate during any fiscal year will be dependent upon future events which are not known at this time. During Fiscal 2019, we paid $\$ 1$ million of interest, unused line fees and letter of credit fees.
(2) Amounts included reflect the rent amounts included in determining the operating lease liabilities. Amounts to be paid in future periods for real estate taxes, sales tax, insurance, other operating expenses and contingent rent applicable to the properties pursuant to the respective operating leases have been excluded from the table above, as the amounts payable in future periods are, in most cases, not quantified in the lease agreements or are dependent on factors which may not be known at this time. Such amounts incurred in Fiscal 2019 totaled $\$ 34$ million. Refer to Note 6 for disclosures about our operating lease agreements.
(3) Amounts totaling $\$ 15$ million of deferred compensation obligations, which are included in other non-current liabilities in our consolidated balance sheet as of February 1, 2020, have been excluded from the table above, due to
the uncertainty of the timing of the payment of these obligations, which are generally at the discretion of the individual employees or upon the death of the individual.
${ }^{(4)}$ Non-current deferred taxes, which is the net amount of deferred tax liabilities and deferred tax assets, of $\$ 17$ million included in our consolidated balance sheet as of February 1, 2020 and discussed in Note 9 to our consolidated financial statements included in this report have been excluded from the above table, as deferred income tax liabilities are calculated based on temporary differences between the tax basis and book basis of assets and liabilities, which will result in taxable amounts in future years when the amounts are settled at their reported financial statement amounts. As the results of these calculations do not have a direct connection with the amount of cash taxes to be paid in any future periods, scheduling deferred income tax amounts by period could be misleading.
(5) Includes an estimated amount for the Fiscal 2019 contingent consideration payment to be paid in Fiscal 2020 associated with the TBBC contingent consideration arrangement. Additional amounts totaling $\$ 1$ million of contingent consideration amounts, which are included in other non-current liabilities in our consolidated balance sheet as of February 1, 2020, have been excluded from the table above, due to the uncertainty of the amount or timing of these potential obligations, which are dependent upon future earnings of TBBC over the next two years.

Our anticipated capital expenditures for Fiscal 2020, which are excluded from the table above as we are generally not contractually obligated to pay these amounts as of February 1, 2020, are expected to be less than the Fiscal 2019 capital expenditure amounts. Due to the uncertainty created by the COVID-19 outbreak we are reassessing and deferring many capital expenditures that were originally planned for Fiscal 2020, including direct to consumer location openings and remodels as well as information technology projects.

## Off Balance Sheet Arrangements

We have not entered into agreements which meet the SEC's definition of an off balance sheet financing arrangement, other than operating leases, and have made no financial commitments to or guarantees with respect to any unconsolidated subsidiaries or special purpose entities.

## CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The discussion and analysis of our financial condition and results of operations are based upon our consolidated financial statements, which have been prepared in accordance with GAAP in a consistent manner. The preparation of these financial statements requires the selection and application of accounting policies. Further, the application of GAAP requires us to make estimates and judgments about future events that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses and related disclosures. On an ongoing basis, we evaluate our estimates, including those discussed below. We base our estimates on historical experience, current trends and various other assumptions that we believe are reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis for making judgments about the carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources.

Actual results may differ from these estimates under different assumptions or conditions. We believe it is possible that other professionals, applying reasonable judgment to the same set of facts and circumstances, could develop and support a range of alternative estimated amounts. We believe that we have appropriately applied our critical accounting policies. However, in the event that inappropriate assumptions or methods were used relating to the critical accounting policies below, our consolidated statements of operations could be misstated.

A detailed summary of significant accounting policies is included in Note 1 to our consolidated financial statements contained in this report. The following is a brief discussion of the more significant estimates, assumptions and judgments we use or the amounts most sensitive to change from outside factors.

## Revenue Recognition and Accounts Receivable

Our revenue consists of direct to consumer sales, including our retail store, e-commerce and restaurant operations, and wholesale sales, as well as royalty income, which is included in royalties and other income in our consolidated statements of operations. We recognize revenue when performance obligations under the terms of the
contracts with our customers are satisfied. Our performance obligations generally consist of delivering our products to our direct to consumer and wholesale customers. Control of the product is generally transferred upon providing the product to consumers in our bricks and mortar retail stores and restaurants, upon physical delivery of the products to consumers in our e-commerce operations and upon shipment from the distribution center to customers in our wholesale operations. Once control is transferred to the customer, we have completed our performance obligations related to the contract and have an unconditional right to consideration for the products sold as outlined in the contract. Our receivables resulting from contracts with customers in our direct to consumer operations are generally collected within a few days, upon settlement of the credit card transaction. Our receivables resulting from contracts with our customers in our wholesale operations are generally due within one quarter, in accordance with established credit terms.

In the ordinary course of our wholesale operations, we offer discounts, allowances and cooperative advertising support to some of our wholesale customers for certain products. Wholesale sales are recorded net of such discounts, allowances, cooperative advertising support, operational chargebacks and provisions for estimated wholesale returns. As certain allowances, other deductions and returns are not finalized until the end of a season, program or other event which may not have occurred yet, we estimate such discounts, allowances and returns on an ongoing basis to estimate the consideration from the customer that we expect to ultimately receive. We only recognize revenue to the extent that it is probable that we will not have a significant reversal of revenue in a future period. Significant considerations in determining our estimates for discounts, allowances, operational chargebacks and returns for wholesale customers may include historical and current trends, agreements with customers, projected seasonal or program results, an evaluation of current economic conditions, specific program or product expectations and retailer performance. Actual discounts and allowances to our wholesale customers have not differed materially from our estimates in prior periods. As of February 1, 2020, our total reserves for discounts, returns and allowances for our wholesale businesses were $\$ 9$ million and, therefore, if the allowances changed by $10 \%$ it would have had a pre-tax impact of $\$ 1$ million on earnings in Fiscal 2019. The substantial majority of these reserves as of February 1, 2020 relate to our Lanier Apparel business.

We extend credit to certain wholesale customers based on an evaluation of the customer's financial capacity and condition, usually without requiring collateral. We recognize estimated reserves for bad debts based on our historical collection experience, the financial condition of our customers, an evaluation of current economic conditions and anticipated trends, each of which is subjective and requires certain assumptions. Actual charges for bad debts have not differed materially from our estimates in prior periods. As of February 1,2020 , our allowance for bad debts was $\$ 1$ million, and therefore, if the allowance for bad debts changed by $10 \%$ it would have had a pre-tax impact of less than $\$ 1$ million on earnings in Fiscal 2019. While the amounts deemed uncollectible have not been significant in recent years if, in the future, amounts due from significant customer(s) were deemed to be uncollectible as a result of events that occur subsequent to February 1, 2020, including the impact of the COVID-19 outbreak, this could result in a material charge to our consolidated statements of operations in future periods.

In our direct to consumer operations, consumers have certain rights to return product within a specified period and are eligible for certain point of sale discounts, thus retail store, e-commerce and restaurant revenues are recorded net of estimated returns and discounts, as applicable. We make estimates of reserves for products which were sold prior to the balance sheet date but that we anticipate may be returned by the consumer subsequent to that date. The determination of direct to consumer return reserve amounts requires judgment and consideration of historical and current trends, evaluation of current economic trends and other factors. Our historical estimates of direct to consumer return reserves have not differed materially from actual results. As of February 1,2020 , our direct to consumer return reserve was $\$ 3$ million. A $10 \%$ change in the direct to consumer sales return reserve as of February 1,2020 would have had a less than $\$ 1$ million impact on gross profit and pre-tax earnings in Fiscal 2019.

## Inventories, net

For operating group reporting, inventory is carried at the lower of the first-in, first-out (FIFO) cost or market. We evaluate the composition of our inventories, substantially all of which is finished goods inventory, for identification of distressed inventory at least quarterly. In performing this evaluation, we consider slow-turning products, an indication of lack of consumer acceptance of particular products, prior seasons' fashion products, broken assortments, discontinued products and current levels of replenishment program products as compared to expected sales. We estimate the amount of goods that we will not be able to sell in the normal course of business and write down the value of these goods as
necessary. As the amount to be ultimately realized for the goods is not necessarily known at period end, we must use certain assumptions considering historical experience, inventory quantity, quality, age and mix, historical sales trends, future sales projections, consumer and retailer preferences, market trends, general economic conditions and our anticipated plans to sell the inventory. Also, we provide an allowance for shrinkage, as appropriate, for the period between the last physical inventory count and each balance sheet date. Historically, our estimates of inventory markdowns and inventory shrinkage have not varied significantly from actual results.

For consolidated financial reporting, $\$ 145$ million, or $95 \%$, of our inventories were valued at the lower of the lastin, first-out (LIFO) cost or market after deducting the $\$ 63$ million LIFO reserve as of February 1, 2020. The remaining $\$ 7$ million of our inventories are valued at the lower of FIFO cost or market as of February 1, 2020. LIFO reserves are based on the Producer Price Index (PPI) as published by the United States Department of Labor. We write down inventories valued at the lower of LIFO cost or market when LIFO cost exceeds market value. We deem LIFO accounting adjustments to not only include changes in the LIFO reserve, but also changes in markdown reserves which are considered in LIFO accounting. As our LIFO inventory pool does not correspond to our operating group definitions, LIFO inventory accounting adjustments are not allocated to the respective operating groups. Thus, the impact of accounting for inventories on the LIFO method is reflected in Corporate and Other for operating group reporting purposes.

As of February 1, 2020, we had recorded a reserve of $\$ 2$ million related to inventory on the lower of FIFO cost or market method and for inventory on the lower of LIFO cost or market method with markdowns in excess of our LIFO reserve. A $10 \%$ change in the amount of such markdowns would have a pre-tax impact of less than $\$ 1$ million on earnings in Fiscal 2019. A change in the markdowns of our inventory valued at the lower of LIFO cost or market method that is not marked down in excess of our LIFO reserve typically would not be expected to have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements. A change in inventory levels, or the mix by inventory category, at the end of future fiscal years compared to inventory balances as of February 1, 2020 could result in a material impact on our consolidated financial statements as such a change may erode portions of our earlier base year layers for purposes of making our annual LIFO computation. Additionally, a change in the PPI as published by the United States Department of Labor as compared to the indexes as of February 1, 2020 could result in a material impact on our consolidated financial statements as inflation or deflation would change the amount of our LIFO reserve.

Given the significant amount of uncertainty surrounding the year-end LIFO calculation, including the estimate of year-end inventory balances, the proportion of inventory in each inventory category and the year-end PPI, we typically do not adjust our LIFO reserve in the first three quarters of a fiscal year. This policy may result in significant LIFO accounting adjustments in the fourth quarter of the fiscal year resulting from the year over year changes in inventory levels, the PPI and markdown reserves. On a quarterly basis during each of the first three quarters of the fiscal year, we do recognize changes in markdown reserves as those amounts can be estimated on a quarterly basis.

Accounting for business combinations requires that assets and liabilities, including inventories, are recorded at fair value at the acquisition date. In accordance with GAAP, the definition of fair value of inventories acquired generally will equal the expected sales price less certain costs associated with selling the inventory, which may exceed the actual cost of producing the acquired inventories. Based on the inventory turn of the acquired inventories, amounts are recognized as additional cost of goods sold in the periods subsequent to the acquisition as the acquired inventory is sold in the ordinary course of business. In determining the fair value of the acquired inventory, as well as the appropriate period to recognize the charge in our consolidated statements of operations as the acquired inventory is sold, we must make certain assumptions regarding costs incurred prior to acquisition for the acquired inventory, an appropriate profit allowance, estimates of the costs to sell the inventory and the timing of the sale of the acquired inventory. Such estimates involve significant uncertainty, and the use of different assumptions could have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements.

## Goodwill and Intangible Assets, net

The cost of each acquired business is allocated to the individual tangible and intangible assets acquired and liabilities assumed or incurred as a result of an acquisition based on their estimated fair values. The assessment of the estimated fair values of assets and liabilities acquired requires us to make certain assumptions regarding the use of the
acquired assets, anticipated cash flows, probabilities of cash flows, discount rates and other factors. As a result of our prior acquisitions, significant intangible assets and goodwill were acquired resulting in $\$ 175$ million of intangible assets and $\$ 67$ million of goodwill in our consolidated balance sheet as of February 1, 2020.

Our intangibles assets primarily consist of trademarks, reacquired rights and customer relationships. Goodwill is recognized as the amount by which the cost to acquire a company or group of assets exceeds the fair value of assets acquired less any liabilities assumed at acquisition. See Note 4 in our consolidated financial statements included in this report for further details about our various intangible assets and goodwill amounts.

The fair values and useful lives of these acquired intangible assets and goodwill are estimated based on our assessment as well as independent third party appraisals in some cases. Such valuations, which are dependent upon a number of uncertain factors, may include a discounted cash flow analysis of anticipated revenues and expenses or cost savings resulting from the acquired intangible asset using an estimate of a risk-adjusted market-based cost of capital as the discount rate. The valuation of intangible assets and goodwill requires significant judgment due to the variety of uncertain factors, including planned use of the intangible assets as well as estimates of net sales, royalty income, operating income, growth rates, royalty rates for the trademarks, discount rates and income tax rates, among other factors. The use of different assumptions related to these uncertain factors at acquisition or a later date could result in a material change to the amounts of intangible assets and goodwill initially recorded at acquisition, which could result in a material impact on our consolidated financial statements.

Trademarks with indefinite lives and goodwill are not amortized but instead evaluated, either qualitatively or quantitatively, for impairment annually as of the first day of the fourth quarter of our fiscal year or more frequently if events or circumstances indicate that the intangible asset or goodwill might be impaired. The evaluation of the recoverability of trademarks with indefinite lives and goodwill includes valuations based on a discounted cash flow analysis which is typically similar to the analysis performed at acquisition. This approach is dependent upon a number of uncertain factors, including those used in the initial valuation of the intangible assets and goodwill listed above. Such estimates involve significant uncertainty, and if our plans or anticipated results change, the impact on our financial statements could be significant. If this analysis indicates an impairment of a trademark with an indefinite useful life, the amount of the impairment is recognized in the consolidated financial statements based on the amount that the carrying value exceeds the estimated fair value of the asset.

Amortization of intangible assets with finite lives, which primarily consist of trademarks, reacquired rights and customer relationships, is recognized over their estimated useful lives using the straight line method of amortization or another method of amortization that reflects the pattern in which the economic benefits of the intangible assets are consumed or otherwise realized. We amortize our intangible assets with finite lives for periods of up to 20 years. The determination of an appropriate useful life for amortization is based on the remaining contractual period, as applicable, our plans for the intangible asset as well as factors outside of our control, including expected customer attrition. Intangible assets with finite lives are reviewed for impairment periodically if events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. If expected future discounted cash flows from operations are less than their carrying amounts, an asset is determined to be impaired and a loss is recorded for the amount by which the carrying value of the asset exceeds its fair value. Amortization related to intangible assets with finite lives totaled $\$ 1$ million during Fiscal 2019 and is anticipated to be $\$ 1$ million in Fiscal 2020.

Goodwill is quantitatively evaluated for possible impairment by comparing the estimated fair value of the goodwill to its carrying value. The quantitative test includes valuations of each applicable underlying business using fair value techniques and market comparables, which may include a discounted cash flow analysis or an independent appraisal. Significant estimates, some of which may be very subjective, considered in such a discounted cash flow analysis are future cash flow projections of the business, a risk-adjusted market-based cost of capital as the discount rate, income tax rates and other assumptions. The estimates and assumptions included in the evaluation of the recoverability of goodwill involve significant uncertainty, and if our plans or anticipated results change, the impact on our financial statements could be significant. If an annual or interim analysis indicates an impairment of goodwill balances, the impairment is recognized in our consolidated financial statements as the amount that the carrying value of the goodwill exceeds the estimated fair value of the goodwill.

Intangible assets and goodwill acquired in recent transactions are naturally more susceptible to impairment, primarily since they are recorded at fair value based on recent operating plans and macroeconomic conditions present at the time of acquisition. Consequently, if operating results, plans for the acquired business and/or macroeconomic conditions change after an acquisition, it could result in the impairment of the acquired intangible assets or goodwill. A change in macroeconomic conditions may not only impact the estimated operating cash flows used in our cash flow models but may also impact other assumptions used in our analysis, including but not limited to, the risk-adjusted market-based cost of capital and/or discount rates. Additionally, we are required to ensure that assumptions used to determine fair value in our analyses are consistent with the assumptions a hypothetical market participant would use. Therefore, the cost of capital discount rates used in our analyses may increase or decrease based on market conditions and trends regardless of whether our actual cost of capital changed. As we acquired Southern Tide in Fiscal 2016 and TBBC in Fiscal 2017 and recorded a significant amount of intangible assets and goodwill related to these reporting units, those assets recognized are more sensitive to changes in assumptions than our other intangible assets and goodwill amounts.

In Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017, no impairment charges related to intangible assets or goodwill were recognized.

## Other Fair Value Measurements

For many assets and liabilities, the determination of fair value may not require the use of many assumptions or other estimates. However, in some cases the assumptions or inputs associated with the determination of fair value as of a measurement date may require the use of many assumptions and may be internally derived or otherwise unobservable. We use certain market-based and internally derived information and make assumptions about the information in
(1) determining the fair values of assets and liabilities acquired as part of a business combination, (2) adjusting recognized assets and liabilities to fair value and (3) assessing recognized assets for impairment, including intangible assets, goodwill and property and equipment.

As noted above, the cost of each acquired business is allocated to the individual tangible and intangible assets acquired and liabilities assumed or incurred as a result of the acquisition based on its estimated fair value. The assessment of the estimated fair values of assets and liabilities acquired requires us to make certain assumptions regarding the use of the acquired assets, anticipated cash flows, probabilities of cash flows, discount rates and other factors. To the extent information to revise the allocation becomes available during the allocation period the allocation of the purchase price will be adjusted. Should information become available after the allocation period indicating that adjustments to the allocation are appropriate, those adjustments will be included in operating results.

For the determination of fair value for assets and liabilities acquired as part of a business combination, adjusting recognized assets and liabilities to fair value and assessing, and possibly adjusting, recognized assets for impairment, the assumptions, or the timing of changes in these assumptions, that we make regarding the valuation of these assets could differ significantly from the assumptions made by other parties. The use of different assumptions could result in materially different valuations for the respective assets and liabilities, which would impact our consolidated financial statements.

In connection with certain acquisitions, we have entered into contingent consideration arrangements to compensate the sellers if certain targets are achieved. For a contingent consideration arrangement as of the date of acquisition we must determine the fair value of the contingent consideration which would estimate the discounted fair value of any expected payments. Such valuation requires assumptions regarding anticipated cash flows, probabilities of cash flows, discount rates and other factors, each requiring a significant amount of judgment. Subsequent to the date of acquisition, we are required to periodically adjust the liability for the contingent consideration to reflect the fair value of the contingent consideration by reassessing any valuation assumptions as of the balance sheet date.

From time to time, we may recognize charges related to certain leased space associated with exiting retail or office space. In these cases, we must determine the net loss related to the space if the anticipated cash outflows for the space exceed the estimated cash inflows related to the space. While estimated cash outflows are generally known since there is an underlying lease, the estimated cash inflows for sublease rental income, if any, and other costs are often very
subjective if there is not a sub-lease agreement in place at that time since those amounts are dependent upon many factors including, but not limited to, whether a sub-tenant will be obtained and the time required to obtain the sub-tenant as well as the rent payments and any tenant allowances agreed with the sub-tenant as part of the future lease negotiations. Also, it is possible that we could negotiate a lease termination in the future that would differ from the amount of the required payments pursuant to the lease agreement. Thus, our estimate of a charge related to a lease obligation could change significantly as we obtain better information in the future or if our current assumptions do not materialize. The assumptions made by another party related to such leases could be different than the assumptions made by us.

## Income Taxes

Income taxes included in our consolidated financial statements are determined using the asset and liability method. Under this method, income taxes are recognized based on amounts of income taxes payable or refundable in the current year as well as the impact of any items that are recognized in different periods for consolidated financial statement reporting and tax return reporting purposes. As certain amounts are recognized in different periods for consolidated financial statement and tax return reporting purposes, financial statement and tax bases of assets and liabilities differ, resulting in the recognition of deferred tax assets and liabilities. The deferred tax assets and liabilities reflect the estimated future tax effects attributable to these differences, as well as the impact of net operating loss, capital loss and federal and state credit carry-forwards, each as determined under enacted tax laws and rates expected to apply in the period in which such amounts are expected to be realized or settled.

We recognize deferred tax assets to the extent we believe it is more likely than not that these assets will be realized. In making such a determination, we consider all available positive and negative evidence, including future reversals of existing taxable temporary differences, projected future taxable income, taxable income in carryback years, tax-planning strategies, and results of recent operations. Valuation allowances are established when we determine that it is more-likely-than-not that some portion or all of a deferred tax asset will not be realized.

Valuation allowances, which total $\$ 5$ million as of February 1, 2020, are analyzed periodically and adjusted as events occur or circumstances change that would indicate adjustments to the valuation allowances are appropriate. Valuation allowance amounts could have a material impact on our consolidated statements of operations in the future if assumptions related to realizability of the deferred tax assets changed significantly. Additionally, the timing of recognition of a valuation allowance or any reversal of a valuation allowance requires a significant amount of judgment to assess all the positive and negative evidence, particularly when operating results in the respective jurisdiction have changed or are expected to change from losses to income or from income to losses. As realization of deferred tax assets and liabilities is dependent upon future taxable income in specific jurisdictions, changes in tax laws and rates and shifts in the amount of taxable income among state and foreign jurisdictions may have a significant impact on the amount of benefit ultimately realized for deferred tax assets and liabilities.

As a global company, we are subject to income taxes in a number of domestic and foreign jurisdictions. Our income tax provision involves many uncertainties due to not only the timing differences of income for financial statement reporting and tax return reporting, but also the application of complex tax laws and regulations, which are subject to interpretation and judgment. The use of different assumptions or a change in our assumptions related to book to tax timing differences, our determination of whether foreign investments or earnings are permanently reinvested, the ability to realize uncertain tax positions, the appropriateness of valuation allowances, transfer pricing practices, the impact of our tax planning strategies or a shift in earnings among jurisdictions each could have a significant impact on our income tax rate. Additionally, factors impacting income taxes, including changes in tax laws or interpretations, court case decisions, statute of limitation expirations or audit settlements, could have a significant impact on our income tax rate. An increase in our consolidated income tax rate from $25.9 \%$ to $26.9 \%$ during Fiscal 2019 would have reduced net earnings by $\$ 1$ million.

Income tax expense recorded during interim periods is generally based on the expected tax rate for the year, considering projections of earnings and book to tax differences as of the balance sheet date, subject to certain limitations associated with separate foreign jurisdiction losses in interim periods. The tax rate ultimately realized for the year may increase or decrease due to actual operating results or book to tax differences varying from the amounts on which our
interim calculations were based. Any changes in assumptions related to the need for a valuation allowance, the ability to realize an uncertain tax position, changes in enacted tax rates, the expected operating results in total or by jurisdiction for the year, or other assumptions are accounted for in the period in which the change occurs. As certain of our foreign operations are in a loss position and realization of a future benefit for the losses is uncertain, a significant variance in losses in such jurisdictions from our expectations can have a significant impact on our expected annual tax rate. The recognition of the benefit of losses expected to be realized may be limited in an interim period and may require adjustments to tax expense in the interim period that yield an effective tax rate for the interim period that is not representative of the expected tax rate for the full year.

See Note 1 and Note 9 in our consolidated financial statements included in this report for further discussion of income taxes.

## RECENT ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

Refer to Note 1 in our consolidated financial statements included in this report for a discussion of recent accounting pronouncements issued by the FASB that we have not yet adopted that may have a material effect on our financial position, results of operations or cash flows.

## SEASONALITY

Each of our operating groups is impacted by seasonality as the demand by specific product or style, as well as by distribution channel, may vary significantly depending on the time of year. For information regarding the impact of seasonality on individual operating groups and for our total company, see Part I, Item 1, Business, included in this report.

## Item 7A. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

## Interest Rate Risk

As of February 1, 2020, we had no debt outstanding and $\$ 45$ million of money market investments. However, as a result of the COVID-19 outbreak in March 2020 we drew down $\$ 200$ million from our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement to increase our cash position and help preserve our financial flexibility. As of March 30, 2020, the interest rate on the borrowings range from $2.2 \%$ to $3.5 \%$ depending on whether the borrowings are pursuant to LIBOR rate or prime rate borrowings.

We are exposed to market risk from changes in interest rates on our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement if we have any borrowings outstanding which could impact our financial condition and results of operations in future periods. Our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement accrues interest based on variable interest rates while providing the necessary borrowing flexibility we require due to the seasonality of our business and our need to fund certain product purchases with trade letters of credit. Additionally, for the amounts of unused credit under the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement we pay unused line fees, which are based on a specified percentage of the unused line amounts.

We may attempt to limit the impact of interest rate changes on borrowings, primarily through a mix of variablerate and fixed-rate debt, although at times all of our debt may be either variable-rate or fixed-rate debt. Further, at times we may enter into interest rate swap arrangements related to certain of our variable-rate debt in order to fix the interest rate if we determine that our exposure to interest rate changes is higher than optimal. Our assessment also considers our need for flexibility in our borrowing arrangements resulting from the seasonality of our business, anticipated future cash flows and our expectations about the risk of future interest rate changes, among other factors. We continuously monitor interest rates to consider the sources and terms of our borrowing facilities in order to determine whether we have achieved our interest rate management objectives. We do not enter into debt agreements or interest rate hedging transactions on a speculative basis.

Further, when we have cash and cash equivalents on hand, we are exposed to market risk from changes in interest rates on our cash and cash equivalents, including those invested in money market investments. A reduction in interest rates could reduce interest income on our cash and cash equivalents.

During Fiscal 2019, our interest expense, net of interest income and including any unused line fees, was $\$ 1$ million. Based on the average amount of variable-rate debt outstanding in Fiscal 2019, a 100 basis point increase in interest rates would not have increased our interest expense, net materially. Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, we anticipate that our average borrowings outstanding will be higher in Fiscal 2020 than Fiscal 2019 resulting in us having increased interest expense and an increased exposure to interest rate changes.

## Foreign Currency Risk

To the extent that we have assets, liabilities, revenues or expenses denominated in foreign currencies that are not hedged, we are subject to foreign currency transaction and translation gains and losses. As of February 1, 2020, our foreign currency exchange risk exposure primarily results from transactions of our businesses operating outside of the United States, which is primarily related to (1) our Tommy Bahama operations in Canada, Australia and Japan purchasing goods in U.S. dollars or other currencies which are not the functional currency of the business, which is less than $5 \%$ of our net sales, and (2) certain other transactions, including intercompany transactions.

Substantially all of our net sales and our inventory purchases from our contract manufacturers in Fiscal 2019 were denominated in U.S. dollars. Purchase prices for our products may be impacted by fluctuations in the exchange rate between the U.S. dollar and the local currencies of the contract manufacturers, which may have the effect of increasing our cost of goods sold in the future even though our inventory is purchased on a U.S. dollar denominated arrangement. Additionally, to the extent that the exchange rate between the U.S. dollar and the currency that the inventory will be sold in (e.g. the Canadian dollar, Australian dollar or Japanese Yen) changes, the gross margins of those businesses could be impacted, particularly if we are not able to increase sales prices to our customers.

While we may enter into short-term forward foreign currency exchange contracts in the ordinary course of business from time to time in order to mitigate a portion of the risk associated with foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations related to purchases of inventory or selling goods in currencies other than the functional currencies by certain of our foreign operations as of February 1, 2020 and during Fiscal 2019, we were not a party to any foreign currency forward exchange contracts. However, if our international operations expand, it may be appropriate in the future to enter into hedging arrangements for certain operations. At this time, we do not anticipate that the impact of foreign currency changes on our international operations would have a material impact on our operating income or our net earnings in the near term given the proportion of our operations in international markets.

In addition to foreign currency risks related to specific transactions listed above, we also have foreign currency exposure risk associated with translating the financial statements of our foreign operations with a functional currency other than the U.S. dollar into U.S. dollars for financial reporting purposes. A strengthening U.S. dollar could result in lower levels of sales and earnings in our consolidated statements of operations in future periods although the sales and earnings in the foreign currencies could be equal to or greater than amounts as reported in the prior year. Alternatively, if foreign operations have operating losses, then a strengthening U.S. dollar could result in lower losses although the losses in foreign currencies could be equal to or greater than amounts as previously reported. As of February 1, 2020, accumulated other comprehensive loss in our consolidated balance sheets related to our Canada and Australia investments and operations were $\$ 3$ million and $\$ 1$ million, respectively, after the amounts related to Japan were recognized in our consolidated statement of operations in Fiscal 2019.

We view our foreign investments as long term and we generally do not hedge such foreign investments. Also, we do not hold or issue any derivative financial instruments related to foreign currency exposure for speculative purposes.

## Commodity and Inflation Risk

We are affected by inflation and changing prices through the purchase of full-package finished goods from contract manufacturers, who manufacture products consisting of various raw material components. Inflation/deflation risks are managed by each operating group, when possible, through negotiating product prices in advance, selective price increases and cost containment initiatives. We have not historically entered into significant long-term sales or purchase contracts or engaged in hedging activities with respect to our commodity risk.

## Item 8. Financial Statements and Supplementary Data

## OXFORD INDUSTRIES, INC CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS <br> (\$ in thousands, except par amounts)

|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February } 1, \\ 2020 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { February 2, } \\ 2019 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ASSETS |  |  |  |  |
| Current Assets |  |  |  |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ | 52,460 | \$ | 8,327 |
| Receivables, net |  | 58,724 |  | 69,037 |
| Inventories, net |  | 152,229 |  | 160,656 |
| Prepaid expenses and other current assets |  | 25,413 |  | 31,768 |
| Total Current Assets | \$ | 288,826 | \$ | 269,788 |
| Property and equipment, net |  | 191,517 |  | 192,576 |
| Intangible assets, net |  | 175,005 |  | 176,176 |
| Goodwill |  | 66,578 |  | 66,621 |
| Operating lease assets |  | 287,181 |  | - |
| Other non-current assets, net |  | 24,262 |  | 22,093 |
| Total Assets |  | 1,033,369 | \$ | 727,254 |
| LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY |  |  |  |  |
| Current Liabilities |  |  |  |  |
| Accounts payable | \$ | 65,491 | \$ | 81,612 |
| Accrued compensation |  | 19,363 |  | 24,226 |
| Current operating lease liabilities |  | 50,198 |  | - |
| Other accrued expenses and liabilities |  | 42,727 |  | 36,371 |
| Total Current Liabilities | \$ | 177,779 | \$ | 142,209 |
| Long-term debt |  | - |  | 12,993 |
| Non-current operating lease liabilities |  | 291,886 |  | - |
| Other non-current liabilities |  | 18,566 |  | 75,286 |
| Deferred taxes |  | 16,540 |  | 18,411 |
| Commitments and contingencies |  | - |  | - |
| Shareholders' Equity |  |  |  |  |
| Common stock, \$1.00 par value per share |  | 17,040 |  | 16,959 |
| Additional paid-in capital |  | 149,426 |  | 142,976 |
| Retained earnings |  | 366,793 |  | 323,515 |
| Accumulated other comprehensive loss |  | $(4,661)$ |  | $(5,095)$ |
| Total Shareholders' Equity | \$ | 528,598 | \$ | 478,355 |
| Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity |  | 1,033,369 | \$ | 727,254 |

See accompanying notes.

## OXFORD INDUSTRIES, INC.

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (\$ and shares in thousands, except per share amounts)

|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Fiscal } \\ 2019 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Fiscal } \\ 2018 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Fiscal 2017 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales |  | \$ 1,122,790 |  | 1,107,466 |  | ,086,211 |
| Cost of goods sold |  | 477,823 |  | 470,342 |  | 473,579 |
| Gross profit |  | 644,967 | \$ | 637,124 | \$ | 612,632 |
| SG\&A |  | 566,149 |  | 560,508 |  | 540,517 |
| Royalties and other operating income |  | 14,857 |  | 13,976 |  | 13,885 |
| Operating income | \$ | 93,675 | \$ | 90,592 | \$ | 86,000 |
| Interest expense, net |  | 1,245 |  | 2,283 |  | 3,109 |
| Earnings before income taxes | \$ | 92,430 | \$ | 88,309 | \$ | 82,891 |
| Income taxes |  | 23,937 |  | 22,018 |  | 18,190 |
| Net earnings from continuing operations | \$ | 68,493 | \$ | 66,291 | \$ | 64,701 |
| Income from discontinued operations, net of taxes |  | - |  | - |  | 389 |
| Net earnings |  | 68,493 | \$ | 66,291 | \$ | 65,090 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net earnings from continuing operations per share: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Basic | \$ | 4.09 | \$ | 3.97 | \$ | 3.90 |
| Diluted | \$ | 4.05 | \$ | 3.94 | \$ | 3.87 |
| Income from discontinued operations, net of taxes, per share: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Basic | \$ | \$ - | \$ | - | \$ | 0.02 |
| Diluted | \$ | \$ - | \$ | - | \$ | 0.02 |
| Net earnings per share: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Basic | \$ | 4.09 | \$ | 3.97 | \$ | 3.92 |
| Diluted | \$ | 4.05 | \$ | 3.94 | \$ | 3.89 |
| Weighted average shares outstanding: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Basic |  | 16,756 |  | 16,678 |  | 16,600 |
| Diluted |  | 16,914 |  | 16,842 |  | 16,734 |
| Dividends declared per share |  | 1.48 | \$ | 1.36 | \$ | 1.08 |

See accompanying notes.

## OXFORD INDUSTRIES, INC.

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME <br> (\$ in thousands)

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Fiscal } \\ 2019 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Fiscal } \\ 2018 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Fiscal } \\ & 2017 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net earnings | \$ | 68,493 | \$ | 66,291 | \$ | 65,090 |
| Other comprehensive income (loss), net of taxes: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net foreign currency translation adjustment |  | 434 |  | $(1,021)$ |  | 1,202 |
| Comprehensive income | \$ | 68,927 | \$ | 65,270 | \$ | 66,292 |

See accompanying notes.

OXFORD INDUSTRIES, INC.

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (\$ in thousands)

|  | Common Stock | Additional Paid-In Capital Capital | Retained Earnings |  | mulated rehensive Income | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| January 28, 2017 | \$16,769 | \$131,144 | \$ 233,493 | \$ | $(5,276)$ | \$376,130 |
| Net earnings and other comprehensive income | - | - | 65,090 |  | 1,202 | 66,292 |
| Shares issued under equity plans | 110 | 1,273 | - |  | - | 1,383 |
| Compensation expense for equity awards | - | 6,413 | - |  | - | 6,413 |
| Repurchase of shares | (40) | $(2,166)$ | - |  | - | $(2,206)$ |
| Cash dividends declared and paid | - | - | $(18,188)$ |  | - | $(18,188)$ |
| February 3, 2018 | \$16,839 | $\overline{\text { \$ 136,664 }}$ | \$ 280,395 | \$ | $(4,074)$ | \$ 429,824 |
| Net earnings and other comprehensive income | - | - | 66,291 |  | $(1,021)$ | 65,270 |
| Shares issued under equity plans | 150 | 1,306 | - |  | - | 1,456 |
| Compensation expense for equity awards | - | 7,327 | - |  |  | 7,327 |
| Repurchase of shares | (30) | $(2,321)$ | - |  | - | $(2,351)$ |
| Cash dividends declared and paid | - | - | $(23,054)$ |  | - | $(23,054)$ |
| Cumulative effect of change in accounting standard |  |  | (117) |  |  | (117) |
| February 2, 2019 | \$ 16,959 | $\overline{\$ 142,976}$ | \$ 323,515 | \$ | $(5,095)$ | \$ 478,355 |
| Net earnings and other comprehensive income (loss) | - | - | 68,493 |  | 434 | 68,927 |
| Shares issued under equity plans | 116 | 1,523 | - |  | - | 1,639 |
| Compensation expense for equity awards | - | 7,620 | - |  | - | 7,620 |
| Repurchase of shares | (35) | $(2,693)$ | - |  | - | $(2,728)$ |
| Cash dividends declared and paid | - | - | $(25,215)$ |  | - | $(25,215)$ |
| Cumulative effect of change in accounting standard | - | - | - |  | - | - |
| February 1, 2020 | \$ 17,040 | \$149,426 | \$ 366,793 | \$ | $\underline{(4,661)}$ | \$ 528,598 |

See accompanying notes.

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## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

 (\$ in thousands)|  | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Fiscal } \\ 2019 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Fiscal } \\ 2018 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Fiscal } \\ 2017 \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cash Flows From Operating Activities: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net earnings | \$ | 68,493 | \$ | 66,291 | \$ | 65,090 |
| Adjustments to reconcile net earnings to net cash provided by operating activities: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Depreciation |  | 39,116 |  | 39,880 |  | 39,998 |
| Amortization of intangible assets |  | 1,171 |  | 2,610 |  | 2,404 |
| Equity compensation expense |  | 7,620 |  | 7,327 |  | 6,413 |
| Amortization of deferred financing costs |  | 384 |  | 424 |  | 431 |
| Change in fair value of contingent consideration |  | 431 |  | 970 |  |  |
| Deferred income taxes |  | $(1,973)$ |  | 2,927 |  | 1,817 |
| Changes in working capital, net of acquisitions and dispositions: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Receivables, net |  | 10,271 |  | $(1,560)$ |  | $(8,270)$ |
| Inventories, net |  | 8,187 |  | $(36,518)$ |  | 19,504 |
| Prepaid expenses and other current assets |  | 606 |  | 5,848 |  | $(10,479)$ |
| Current liabilities |  | $(14,282)$ |  | 5,081 |  | 1,287 |
| Other non-current assets, net |  | $(283,335)$ |  | 2,286 |  | (642) |
| Other non-current liabilities |  | 285,237 |  | 811 |  | 1,040 |
| Cash provided by operating activities | \$ | 121,926 | \$ | 96,377 | \$ | 118,593 |
| Cash Flows From Investing Activities: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Acquisitions, net of cash acquired |  | - |  | (354) |  | $(15,529)$ |
| Purchases of property and equipment |  | $(37,421)$ |  | $(37,043)$ |  | $(38,748)$ |
| Cash used in investing activities | \$ | $(37,421)$ | \$ | $(37,397)$ | \$ | $(54,277)$ |
| Cash Flows From Financing Activities: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Repayment of revolving credit arrangements |  | $(122,241)$ |  | $(290,526)$ |  | $(295,326)$ |
| Proceeds from revolving credit arrangements |  | 109,248 |  | 257,710 |  | 249,625 |
| Deferred financing costs paid |  | (952) |  | - |  | - |
| Proceeds from issuance of common stock |  | 1,639 |  | 1,456 |  | 1,383 |
| Repurchase of equity awards for employee tax withholding liabilities |  | $(2,728)$ |  | $(2,351)$ |  | $(2,206)$ |
| Cash dividends declared and paid |  | $(25,215)$ |  | $(23,054)$ |  | $(18,188)$ |
| Other financing activities |  | $(1,049)$ |  | - |  |  |
| Cash used in financing activities | \$ | $(41,298)$ | \$ | $(56,765)$ | \$ | (64,712) |
| Net change in cash and cash equivalents | \$ | 43,207 | \$ | 2,215 | \$ | (396) |
| Effect of foreign currency translation on cash and cash equivalents |  | 926 |  | (231) |  | 407 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of year |  | 8,327 |  | 6,343 |  | 6,332 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period | \$ | 52,460 | \$ | 8,327 | \$ | 6,343 |

See accompanying notes.

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## Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

## Principal Business Activity

We are a global apparel company that designs, sources, markets and distributes products bearing the trademarks of our Tommy Bahama ${ }^{\circledR}$, Lilly Pulitzer $\circledR$ and Southern Tide ${ }^{\circledR}$ lifestyle brands and other owned and licensed brands as well as private label apparel products. We distribute our owned lifestyle branded products through our direct to consumer channel, consisting of retail stores and e-commerce sites, and our wholesale distribution channel, which includes better department stores, specialty stores, multi-branded e-commerce retailers and other retailers. Additionally, we operate Tommy Bahama restaurants, including Marlin Bars, generally adjacent to a Tommy Bahama retail store location. Our branded and private label apparel products of Lanier Apparel are distributed through department stores, national chains, warehouse clubs, specialty stores, specialty catalogs, multi-branded e-commerce retailers and other retailers.

## Fiscal Year

We operate and report on a $52 / 53$ week fiscal year. Our fiscal year ends on the Saturday closest to January 31. As used in our consolidated financial statements, the terms Fiscal 2017, Fiscal 2018, Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2020 reflect the 53 weeks ended February 3, 2018; 52 weeks ended February 2, 2019; 52 weeks ended February 1, 2020 and 52 weeks ending January 30, 2021, respectively.

## Principles of Consolidation

Our consolidated financial statements include the accounts of Oxford Industries, Inc. and any other entities in which we have a controlling financial interest, including our wholly-owned domestic and foreign subsidiaries, or variable interest entities for which we are the primary beneficiary. Generally, we consolidate businesses that we control through ownership of a majority voting interest. Additionally, there are situations in which consolidation is required even though the usual condition of consolidation (ownership of a majority voting interest) does not apply. In determining whether a controlling financial interest exists, we consider ownership of voting interests, as well as other rights of the investors which might indicate which investor is the primary beneficiary. The primary beneficiary has both the power to direct the activities of the entity that most significantly impact the entity's economic performance and the obligation to absorb losses or the right to receive benefits from the entity that could potentially be significant to the entity.

We account for investments in which we exercise significant influence, but do not control via voting rights and were determined to not be the primary beneficiary, using the equity method of accounting. Generally, we determine that we exercise significant influence over a corporation or a limited liability company when we own $20 \%$ or more or $3 \%$ or more, respectively, of the voting interests unless the facts and circumstances of that investment do not indicate that we have the ability to exhibit significant influence. Under the equity method of accounting, original investments are recorded at cost, and are subsequently adjusted for our contributions to, distributions from and share of income or losses of the entity. Investments accounted for using the equity method of accounting are included in other non-current assets in our consolidated balance sheets, while the income or loss related to investments accounted for using the equity method of accounting is included in royalties and other operating income in our consolidated statements of operations.

All significant intercompany accounts and transactions are eliminated in consolidation.

## Business Combinations

The cost of each acquired business is allocated to the individual tangible and intangible assets acquired and liabilities assumed or incurred as a result of an acquisition based on their estimated fair values. The assessment of the estimated fair values of assets and liabilities acquired requires us to make certain assumptions regarding the use of the

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acquired assets, anticipated cash flows, probabilities of cash flows, discount rates and other factors. Additionally, the definition of fair value of inventories acquired generally will equal the expected sales price less certain costs associated with selling the inventory, which may exceed the actual cost of the acquired inventories resulting in an inventory step-up to fair value at acquisition, which would be recognized in our consolidated statements of operations as the acquired inventory is sold. The purchase price allocation may be revised during an allocation period as necessary when, and if, information becomes available to revise the fair values of the assets acquired and the liabilities assumed. The allocation period will not exceed one year from the date of the acquisition. Should information become available after the allocation period indicating that an adjustment to the purchase price allocation is appropriate, that adjustment will be included in our consolidated statements of operations. The results of operations of acquired businesses are included in our consolidated statements of operations from the respective dates of the acquisitions. Transaction costs related to business combinations are included in SG\&A in our consolidated statements of operations as incurred.

## Revenue Recognition and Receivables

In May 2014, the FASB issued guidance, as revised through supplemental guidance, which provided a single, comprehensive accounting model for revenue arising from contracts with customers. Under the new guidance, which we adopted as of the first day of Fiscal 2018, revenue is recognized at an amount that reflects the consideration expected to be received for those goods and services pursuant to a five-step approach: (1) identify the contracts with the customer; (2) identify the separate performance obligations in the contracts; (3) determine the transaction price; (4) allocate the transaction price to separate performance obligations; and (5) recognize revenue when, or as, each performance obligation is satisfied. This new revenue recognition guidance superseded most of the prior revenue recognition guidance, which generally specified that revenue should be recognized when risks and rewards transfer to a customer.

At adoption in Fiscal 2018, we used the modified retrospective method, applying the guidance only to contracts that were not completed prior to Fiscal 2018. There was no adjustment to retained earnings for the cumulative effect of applying the guidance upon adoption as there was no change in the timing or amount of revenue recognition for any of our revenue streams. Our accounting policies and practices for Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2019, pursuant to the new guidance, are discussed below, followed by a brief description of our historical accounting policies and practices for Fiscal 2017, pursuant to the prior revenue recognition guidance.

Our revenue consists of direct to consumer sales, including our retail store, e-commerce and restaurant operations, and wholesale sales, as well as royalty income, which is included in royalties and other income in our consolidated statements of operations. The table below quantifies the amount of net sales by distribution channel (in thousands) for each period presented.

|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Fiscal } \\ 2019 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Fiscal } \\ 2018 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\overline{\text { Fiscal }}$ $2017$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Retail | \$ | 440,803 | \$ | 439,556 | \$ | 427,439 |
| E-commerce |  | 262,283 |  | 239,034 |  | 205,475 |
| Restaurant |  | 83,836 |  | 84,530 |  | 83,900 |
| Wholesale |  | 333,986 |  | 341,615 |  | 366,123 |
| Other |  | 1,882 |  | 2,731 |  | 3,274 |
| Net sales |  | 1,122,790 | \$ | 1,107,466 | \$ | 1,086,211 |

Pursuant to the new revenue recognition guidance, we recognize revenue when performance obligations under the terms of the contracts with our customers are satisfied. Our performance obligations generally consist of delivering our products to our direct to consumer and wholesale customers. Control of the product is generally transferred upon providing the product to consumers in our bricks and mortar retail stores and restaurants, upon physical delivery of the products to consumers in our e-commerce operations and upon shipment from the distribution center to customers in our wholesale operations. Once control is transferred to the customer, we have completed our performance obligations related to the contract and have an unconditional right to consideration for the products sold as outlined in the contract.

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Our receivables resulting from contracts with customers in our direct to consumer operations are generally collected within a few days, upon settlement of the credit card transaction. Our receivables resulting from contracts with our customers in our wholesale operations are generally due within one quarter, in accordance with established credit terms. All of our performance obligations under the terms of our contracts with customers in our direct to consumer and wholesale operations have an expected original duration of one year or less. Our revenue, including any freight income, is recognized net of applicable taxes in our consolidated statements of operations.

In our direct to consumer operations, consumers have certain rights to return product within a specified period and are eligible for certain point of sale discounts, thus retail store, e-commerce and restaurant revenues are recorded net of estimated returns and discounts, as applicable. The sales return allowance is recognized on a gross basis as a return liability for the amount of sales estimated to be returned and a return asset for the right to recover the product estimated to be returned by the customer. The value of inventory associated with a right to recover the goods returned in our direct to consumer operations are included in prepaid expenses and other current assets in our consolidated balance sheets. The changes in the return liability are recognized in net sales and the changes in the return asset are recognized in cost of goods sold in our consolidated statements of operations.

In the ordinary course of our wholesale operations, we offer discounts, allowances and cooperative advertising support to some of our wholesale customers for certain products. Some of these arrangements are written agreements, while others may be implied by customary practices or expectations in the industry. As certain allowances, other deductions and returns are not finalized until the end of a season, program or other event which may not have occurred yet, we estimate such discounts, allowances and returns on an ongoing basis to estimate the consideration from the customer that we expect to ultimately receive. We only recognize revenue to the extent that it is probable that we will not have a significant reversal of revenue in a future period. Significant considerations in determining our estimates for discounts, allowances, operational chargebacks and returns for wholesale customers may include historical and current trends, agreements with customers, projected seasonal or program results, an evaluation of current economic conditions, specific program or product expectations and retailer performance. We record the discounts, returns, allowances and operational chargebacks as a reduction to net sales in our consolidated statements of operations and as a reduction to receivables, net in our consolidated balance sheets, with the estimated value of inventory expected to be returned in prepaid expenses and other current assets in our consolidated balance sheets. As of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, reserve balances recorded as a reduction to receivables related to these items were $\$ 9$ million and $\$ 7$ million, respectively.

We extend credit to certain wholesale customers based on an evaluation of the customer's financial capacity and condition, usually without requiring collateral. In circumstances where we become aware of a specific wholesale customer's inability to meet its financial obligations, a specific reserve for bad debt is taken as a reduction to accounts receivable to reduce the net recognized receivable to the amount reasonably expected to be collected. Such amounts are written off at the time that the amounts are not considered collectible. For all other wholesale customer receivable amounts, we recognize estimated reserves for bad debts based on our historical collection experience, the financial condition of our customers, an evaluation of current economic conditions and anticipated trends, each of which is subjective and requires certain assumptions. We include such charges and write-offs in SG\&A in our consolidated statements of operations and as a reduction to receivables, net in our consolidated balance sheets. As of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, our bad debt reserve balance was $\$ 1$ million.

In addition to trade and other receivables, income tax receivables of $\$ 1$ million and $\$ 1$ million and tenant allowances due from landlord of $\$ 1$ million and $\$ 0$ million are included in receivables, net in our consolidated balance sheet, as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, respectively. Substantially all other amounts recognized in receivables, net represent receivables related to contracts with customers. As of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, prepaid expenses and other current assets included $\$ 3$ million and $\$ 2$ million, respectively, representing the estimated value of inventory for wholesale and direct to consumer sales returns. An estimated sales return liability of $\$ 3$ million for expected direct to consumer returns is classified in other accrued expenses and liabilities in our consolidated balance sheet as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019. We did not have any significant contract assets related to contracts

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with customers, other than receivables and the value of inventory associated with reserves for expected sales returns, as of February 1, 2020 or February 2, 2019.

In addition to our estimated return amounts, our contract liabilities related to contracts with customers include gift cards and merchandise credits issued by us, which do not have an expiration date, but are redeemable on demand by the holder of the card. Historically, substantially all gift cards and merchandise credits are redeemed within one year of issuance. Gift cards and merchandise credits are recorded as a liability until our performance obligation is satisfied, which occurs when redeemed by the consumer, at which point revenue is recognized. However, we recognize estimated breakage income for certain gift cards and merchandise credits using the redemption recognition method, subject to applicable laws in certain states. Contract liabilities for gift cards purchased by consumers and merchandise credits received by customers but not yet redeemed, less any breakage income recognized to date, is included in other accrued expenses and liabilities in our consolidated balance sheets and totaled $\$ 12$ million as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019. Gift card breakage, which is included in net sales in our consolidated statements of operations, was $\$ 2$ million, $\$ 0$ million and $\$ 1$ million in Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017, respectively.

Royalties from the license of our owned brands, which are generally based on the greater of a percentage of the licensee's actual net sales or a contractually determined minimum royalty amount, are recognized over the period that licensees are provided access to our trademarks and benefit from such access through their sales. Payments are generally due quarterly, and depending on time of receipt, may be recorded as a liability until recognized as revenue. Royalty income is based upon the guaranteed minimum royalty obligations and adjusted as sales data, or estimates thereof, is received from licensees. Royalty income, which is included in royalties and other operating income in our consolidated statements of operations, were $\$ 15$ million, $\$ 14$ million and $\$ 14$ million during Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017, respectively.

During Fiscal 2017, pursuant to the previous revenue recognition guidance, we considered revenue realized or realizable and earned when the following criteria were met: (1) persuasive evidence of an agreement existed, (2) delivery had occurred, (3) our price to the buyer was fixed or determinable and (4) collectability was reasonably assured. Retail store, e-commerce and restaurant revenues were recognized at the time of sale to consumers, which was at the time of purchase for retail and restaurant transactions and the time of delivery to consumers for e-commerce sales. Retail store, ecommerce and restaurant revenues were recorded net of estimated returns and discounts, as applicable. In Fiscal 2017, for substantially all of our wholesale sales, our products were considered sold and delivered at the time of shipment from our distribution center and recorded net of related discounts, cooperative advertising support, operational chargebacks and provisions for estimated returns. As certain allowances and other deductions were not finalized until the end of a season, program or other event which may not have had occurred yet, we estimated such discounts and allowances on an ongoing basis.

## Cost of Goods Sold

We include in cost of goods sold all sourcing, procurement and other costs incurred prior to or in association with the receipt of finished goods at our distribution facilities, as well as freight from our warehouse to our own retail stores, wholesale customers and e-commerce consumers. The costs prior to receipt at our distribution facilities include product cost, inbound freight charges, import costs, purchasing costs, internal transfer costs, direct labor, manufacturing overhead, insurance, duties, brokers' fees, consolidators' fees and depreciation and amortization expense associated with our manufacturing, sourcing and procurement operations. We generally classify amounts billed to customers for freight in net sales, and classify freight costs for shipments to customers in cost of goods sold in our consolidated statements of operations. Our gross profit and gross margins may not be directly comparable to those of our competitors, as statement of operations classifications of certain expenses may vary by company.

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## SG\&A

We include in SG\&A costs incurred subsequent to the receipt of finished goods at our distribution facilities, such as the cost of inspection, stocking, warehousing, picking and packing, and all costs associated with the operations of our retail stores, e-commerce sites, restaurants and concessions, such as labor, occupancy costs, store and restaurant preopening costs (including rent, marketing, store set-up costs and training expenses) and other fees. SG\&A also includes product design costs, selling costs, royalty expense, advertising, promotion and marketing expenses, professional fees, other general and administrative expenses, our corporate overhead costs and amortization of intangible assets.

Distribution network costs, including costs associated with preparing goods to ship to customers and our costs to operate our distribution facilities, are included as a component of SG\&A. We consider distribution network costs to be the costs associated with operating our distribution centers, as well as the costs paid to third parties who perform those services for us. In Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017, distribution network costs included in SG\&A totaled \$30 million, \$28 million and $\$ 25$ million, respectively.

All costs associated with advertising, promotion and marketing of our products are expensed in SG\&A during the period when the advertisement is first shown. Costs associated with cooperative advertising programs under which we agree to make general contributions to our wholesale customers' advertising and promotional funds are generally recorded as a reduction to net sales as recognized. Advertising, promotion and marketing expenses recognized in SG\&A, including employment costs for our advertising and marketing employees, for Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017 were $\$ 60$ million, $\$ 64$ million and $\$ 55$ million, respectively. Prepaid advertising, promotion and marketing expenses included in prepaid expenses in our consolidated balance sheets as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019 were $\$ 5$ million.

Royalty expense related to our license of third party brands, which are generally based on the greater of a percentage of our actual net sales for the brand or a contractually determined minimum royalty amount, are recorded based upon the guaranteed minimum levels and adjusted based on our net sales of the licensed products, as appropriate. In some cases, we may be required to make certain up-front payments for the license rights, which are deferred and recognized as royalty expense over the term of the license agreement. Royalty expenses recognized as SG\&A in Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017 were $\$ 7$ million, $\$ 6$ million and $\$ 6$ million, respectively.

## Cash and Cash Equivalents

We consider cash equivalents to be short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less for purposes of our consolidated statements of cash flows. As of February 1, 2020, our cash and cash equivalents included \$45 million of amounts invested in money market funds.

## Supplemental Cash Flow Information

During Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017, cash paid for income taxes was $\$ 17$ million, $\$ 14$ million and $\$ 21$ million, respectively. During Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017, cash paid for interest, net of interest income was $\$ 1$ million, $\$ 2$ million and $\$ 3$ million, respectively. Non-cash investing activities included capital expenditures incurred but not yet paid, which were included in accounts payable in our consolidated balances sheets, of $\$ 3$ million, $\$ 2$ million and $\$ 1$ million as of Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017, respectively. Additionally, during Fiscal 2019, we recorded a noncash net change in operating lease assets and corresponding operating lease liability amounts of $\$ 40$ million related to new, modified and terminated operating lease amounts.

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## Inventories, net

Substantially all of our inventories are finished goods inventories of apparel, accessories, footwear and other related products. Inventories are valued at the lower of cost or market.

For operating group reporting, inventory is carried at the lower of FIFO cost or market. We evaluate the composition of our inventories for identification of distressed inventory at least quarterly. In performing this evaluation, we consider slow-turning products, an indication of lack of consumer acceptance of particular products, prior-seasons' fashion products, broken assortments, discontinued products and current levels of replenishment program products as compared to expected sales. We estimate the amount of goods that we will not be able to sell in the normal course of business and write down the value of these goods as necessary. As the amount to be ultimately realized for the goods is not necessarily known at period end, we must use certain assumptions considering historical experience, inventory quantity, quality, age and mix, historical sales trends, future sales projections, consumer and retailer preferences, market trends, general economic conditions and our anticipated plans and costs to sell the inventory. Also, we provide an allowance for shrinkage, as appropriate, for the period between the last physical inventory count and each balance sheet date.

For consolidated financial reporting, as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, \$145 million, or 95\%, and $\$ 150$ million, or $93 \%$, of our inventories were valued at the lower of LIFO cost or market after deducting our LIFO reserve. The remaining $\$ 7$ million and $\$ 11$ million of our inventories were valued at the lower of FIFO cost or market as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, respectively. Generally, inventories of our domestic operations are valued at the lower of LIFO cost or market, and our inventories of our international operations are valued at the lower of FIFO cost or market. Our LIFO reserves are based on the estimated Producer Price Index as published by the United States Department of Labor. We write down inventories valued at the lower of LIFO cost or market when LIFO cost exceeds market value. We deem LIFO accounting adjustments to not only include changes in the LIFO reserve, but also changes in markdown reserves which are considered in LIFO accounting. As our LIFO inventory pool does not correspond to our operating group definitions, LIFO inventory accounting adjustments are not allocated to the respective operating groups. Thus, the impact of accounting for inventories on the LIFO method is reflected in Corporate and Other for operating group reporting purposes included in Note 2.

There were no LIFO inventory layer liquidations that had a material impact on our net earnings in Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 or Fiscal 2017. As of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, the LIFO reserve included in our consolidated balance sheets were $\$ 63$ million and $\$ 62$ million, respectively.

## Property and Equipment, net

Property and equipment, including leasehold improvements that are reimbursed by landlords as a tenant improvement allowance and assets under capital leases, if any, is carried at cost less accumulated depreciation. Additions are capitalized while repair and maintenance costs are charged to our consolidated statements of operations as incurred. Depreciation is calculated using both straight-line and accelerated methods generally over the estimated useful lives of the assets as follows:

| Leasehold improvements | Lesser of remaining life of the asset or lease term |
| :--- | :--- |
| Furniture, fixtures, equipment and technology | $2-15$ years |
| Buildings and improvements | $7-40$ years |

Property and equipment is reviewed periodically for impairment if events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. Events that would typically result in such an assessment would include a change in the estimated useful life of the assets, including a change in our plans of the anticipated period of operating a leased retail store or restaurant location, the discontinued use of an asset and other factors. This review includes the

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evaluation of any under-performing stores and assessing the recoverability of the carrying value of the assets related to the store. If the estimated fair value of the property and equipment, utilizing the age-life method, is less than the carrying amount of the asset, an asset is determined to be impaired and a loss is recorded for the amount by which the carrying value of the asset exceeds its estimated fair value.

Substantially all of our depreciation expense is included in SG\&A in our consolidated statements of operations, with the only depreciation included elsewhere within our consolidated statements of operations is depreciation associated with our manufacturing, sourcing and procurement processes, which is included in cost of goods sold. During Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017, \$1 million of property and equipment impairment charges were recognized in each period in SG\&A primarily related to retail store assets and information technology assets. Depreciation expense as disclosed in our consolidated statements of cash flows and Note 2 includes the property and equipment impairment charges.

## Intangible Assets

At acquisition, we estimate and record the fair value of purchased intangible assets, which primarily consist of trademarks, reacquired rights and customer relationships. The fair values and useful lives of these intangible assets are estimated based on our assessment as well as independent third party appraisals in some cases. Such valuations, which are dependent upon a number of uncertain factors, may include a discounted cash flow analysis of anticipated revenues and expenses or cost savings resulting from the acquired intangible asset using an estimate of a risk-adjusted market-based cost of capital as the discount rate. Any costs associated with extending or renewing recognized intangible assets are generally expensed as incurred.

Intangible assets with indefinite lives, which consist of our Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and Southern Tide trademarks, are not amortized but instead evaluated for impairment annually or more frequently if events or circumstances indicate that the intangible asset might be impaired. The evaluation of the recoverability of trademarks with indefinite lives includes valuations based on a discounted cash flow analysis utilizing the relief from royalty method, among other considerations. Like the initial valuation, the evaluation of recoverability is dependent upon a number of uncertain factors which require certain assumptions to be made by us, including estimates of net sales, royalty income, operating income, growth rates, royalty rates, discount rates and income tax rates, among other factors.

We have the option to first assess qualitative factors to determine whether it is more likely than not that an indefinite-lived intangible asset is impaired as a basis for determining whether it is necessary to perform the quantitative impairment test. We also have the option to bypass the qualitative assessment for any indefinite-lived intangible asset in any period and proceed directly to performing the quantitative impairment test. Bypassing the qualitative assessment in any period does not prohibit us from performing the qualitative assessment in any subsequent period.

We test, either quantitatively or qualitatively, intangible assets with indefinite lives for impairment as of the first day of the fourth quarter of our fiscal year, or at an interim date if indicators of impairment exist at that date. If an annual or interim analysis indicates an impairment of a trademark with an indefinite useful life, the amount of the impairment is recognized in our consolidated financial statements based on the amount that the carrying value exceeds the estimated fair value of the asset. No impairment of intangible assets with indefinite lives was recognized during any period presented.

We recognize amortization of intangible assets with finite lives, which primarily consist of certain owned trademarks of The Beaufort Bonnet Company, which we refer to as TBBC, and Lanier Apparel, reacquired rights and customer relationships, over the estimated useful life of the related intangible asset using the straight line method or a method of amortization that reflects the pattern in which the economic benefits of the intangible asset are consumed or otherwise realized. Certain of our intangible assets with finite lives may be amortized over periods of up to 20 years. The determination of an appropriate useful life for amortization considers our plans for the intangible assets, the remaining contractual period of the reacquired right, and factors outside of our control, including expected customer attrition.

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Amortization of intangible assets is included in SG\&A in our consolidated statements of operations. Intangible assets with finite lives are reviewed for impairment periodically if events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. If expected future discounted cash flows resulting from the intangible assets are less than their carrying amounts, an asset is determined to be impaired and a loss is recorded for the amount by which the carrying value of the asset exceeds its fair value. No impairment of intangible assets with finite lives was recognized during any period presented.

## Goodwill, net

Goodwill is recognized as the amount by which the cost to acquire a business exceeds the fair value of identified tangible and intangible assets acquired less any liabilities assumed at acquisition. Thus, the amount of goodwill recognized in connection with a business combination is dependent upon the fair values assigned to the individual assets acquired and liabilities assumed in a business combination. Goodwill is allocated to the respective reporting unit at the time of acquisition. Goodwill is not amortized but instead is evaluated for impairment annually or more frequently if events or circumstances indicate that the goodwill might be impaired.

We test, either qualitatively or quantitatively, goodwill for impairment as of the first day of the fourth quarter of our fiscal year or when impairment indicators exist. The qualitative factors that we use to determine the likelihood of goodwill impairment, as well as to determine if an interim test is appropriate, include: (a) macroeconomic conditions, (b) industry and market considerations, (c) cost factors, (d) overall financial performance, (e) other relevant entity-specific events, (f) events affecting a reporting unit, (g) a sustained decrease in share price, or (h) other factors as appropriate. In the event we determine that we will bypass the qualitative impairment option or if we determine that a quantitative test is appropriate, the quantitative test includes valuations of each applicable underlying reporting unit using fair value techniques, which may include a discounted cash flow analysis or an independent appraisal, as well as consideration of any market comparable transactions. Significant estimates, some of which may be very subjective, considered in a discounted cash flow analysis are future cash flow projections of the business, an estimate of the risk-adjusted market-based cost of capital as the discount rate, income tax rates and other assumptions. The estimates and assumptions included in the evaluation of the recoverability of goodwill involve significant uncertainty, and if our plans or anticipated results change, the impact on our financial statements could be significant.

If an annual or interim analysis indicates an impairment of goodwill balances, the impairment is recognized in our consolidated financial statements. No impairment of goodwill was recognized during any period presented.

All goodwill for the Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and TBBC reporting units is deductible for income tax purposes, while the majority of the goodwill included in the balance sheet for Southern Tide reporting unit is deductible for income tax purposes.

## Prepaid Expenses and Other Non-Current Assets, net

Amounts included in prepaid expenses and other current assets primarily consist of prepaid operating expenses, including advertising, taxes, maintenance and other services contracts, royalties, insurance, samples and retail supplies as well as the estimated value of inventory for anticipated wholesale and direct to consumer sales returns. Other non-current assets primarily consist of assets set aside for potential liabilities related to our deferred compensation plan as discussed below, assets related to certain investments in officers' life insurance policies, security deposits, deferred financing costs related to our revolving credit agreement, non-current deferred tax assets and investments in unconsolidated entities.

Officers' life insurance policies that are owned by us, substantially all of which are included in other non-current assets, net, are recorded at their cash surrender value, less any outstanding loans associated with the life insurance policies that are payable to the life insurance company with which the policy is outstanding. As of February 1,

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2020 and February 2, 2019, officers' life insurance policies, net, recorded in our consolidated balance sheets totaled $\$ 4$ million.

Deferred financing costs for our revolving credit agreements are included in other non-current assets, net in our consolidated financial statements. Deferred financing costs are amortized on a straight-line basis, which approximates the effective interest method over the term of the related debt. Amortization of deferred financing costs is included in interest expenses in our consolidated statements of operations. Unamortized deferred financing costs included in other non-current assets, net totaled $\$ 2$ million and $\$ 1$ million at February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, respectively.

## Deferred Compensation

We have a non-qualified deferred compensation plan offered to a select group of highly compensated employees and our non-employee directors. The plan provides participants with the opportunity to defer a portion of their cash compensation in a given plan year, of which a percentage may be matched by us in accordance with the terms of the plan. We make contributions to rabbi trusts or other investments to provide a source of funds for satisfying these deferred compensation liabilities. Investments held for our deferred compensation plan consist of insurance contracts and are recorded based on valuations which generally incorporate unobservable factors. A change in the value of the underlying assets would substantially be offset by a change in the liability to the participant resulting in an immaterial net impact on our consolidated financial statements. These securities approximate the participant-directed investment selections underlying the deferred compensation liabilities.

The total value of the assets set aside for potential deferred compensation liabilities, substantially all of which are included in other non-current assets, net, as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019 was $\$ 15$ million and $\$ 13$ million, respectively, substantially all of which are held in a rabbi trust. Substantially all the assets set aside for potential deferred compensation liabilities are life insurance policies recorded at their cash surrender value, less any outstanding loans associated with the life insurance policies that are payable to the life insurance company with which the policy is outstanding. The liabilities associated with the non-qualified deferred compensation plan are included in other non-current liabilities in our consolidated balance sheets and totaled $\$ 15$ million and $\$ 13$ million at February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, respectively.

## Accounts Payable, Accrued Compensation and Other Accrued Expenses and Liabilities

Liabilities for accounts payable, accrued compensation and other accrued expenses and liabilities are carried at cost, which reflects the fair value of the consideration expected to be paid in the future for goods and services received, whether or not billed to us as of the balance sheet date. Accruals for employee insurance and workers' compensation, which are included in other accrued expenses and liabilities in our consolidated balance sheets, include estimated settlements for known claims, as well as accruals for estimates of incurred but not reported claims based on our claims experience and statistical trends.

## Legal and Other Contingencies

We are subject to certain claims and assessments in the ordinary course of business. The claims and assessments may relate, among other things, to disputes about intellectual property, real estate and contracts, as well as labor, employment, environmental, customs and tax matters. For those matters where it is probable that we have incurred a loss and the loss, or range of loss, can be reasonably estimated, we have recorded reserves in other accrued expenses and liabilities or other non-current liabilities in our consolidated financial statements for the estimated loss and related expenses, such as legal fees. In other instances, because of the uncertainties related to both the probable outcome or amount or range of loss, we are unable to make a reasonable estimate of a liability, if any, and therefore have not recorded a reserve. As additional information becomes available or as circumstances change, we adjust our assessment and estimates of such liabilities accordingly. Additionally, for any potential gain contingencies, we do not recognize the gain until the period that all contingencies have been resolved and the amounts are realizable. We believe the outcome of

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outstanding or pending matters, individually and in the aggregate, will not have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements, based on information currently available.

In connection with acquisitions, we may enter into contingent consideration arrangements, which provide for the payment of additional purchase price consideration to the sellers if certain performance criteria are achieved during a specified period. We recognize the fair value of the contingent consideration based on its estimated fair value at the date of acquisition. Such valuation requires assumptions regarding anticipated cash flows, probabilities of cash flows, discount rates and other factors. Each of these assumptions may involve a significant amount of uncertainty. Subsequent to the date of acquisition, we periodically adjust the liability for the contingent consideration to reflect the fair value of the contingent consideration by reassessing our valuation assumptions as of that date. A change in assumptions related to contingent consideration amounts could have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements. Any change in the fair value of the contingent consideration is recognized in SG\&A in our consolidated statements of operations.

A change in the fair value of contingent consideration of less than $\$ 1$ million and $\$ 1$ million associated with the acquisition of TBBC was recognized in our consolidated statements of operations in Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018, respectively, with no such amounts recognized in our consolidated statement of operations in Fiscal 2017. As of February 1, 2020 and February 2, $2019 \$ 1$ million of contingent consideration related to the TBBC acquisition was recognized as a liability in our consolidated balance sheet, with the majority of those amounts included in other non-current liabilities.

## Other Non-current Liabilities

As of February 1, 2020, amounts included in other non-current liabilities primarily consist of deferred compensation amounts. As of February 2, 2019, other non-current liabilities include $\$ 59$ million of deferred rent and tenant improvement allowance amounts related to our operating lease agreements, which were reclassified as operating lease assets in Fiscal 2019 upon the adoption of the new lease accounting guidance.

## Leases

In the ordinary course of business, we enter into real estate lease agreements for retail, food and beverage, office and warehouse/distribution space, as well as leases for certain equipment. Our leases have varying terms and expirations and may have provisions to extend, renew or terminate the lease agreement at our discretion, among other terms and conditions. Our real estate lease terms are typically for a period of ten years or less and typically require rent payments with specified rent escalations periodically during the lease term. Our real estate leases usually provide for payments of our pro rata share of real estate taxes, insurance and other operating expenses applicable to the property, and certain of our leases require payment of sales taxes on rental payments. Our retail and restaurant leases often provide for contingent rent based on sales if certain sales thresholds are achieved. For many of our lease agreements, we obtain lease incentives from the landlord for tenant improvement or other allowances. Our lease agreements do not include any material residual value guarantees or material restrictive financial covenants.

Substantially all of our leases are classified as long-term operating leases, which prior to Fiscal 2019 were not recognized as assets and liabilities in our consolidated balance sheets. When a non-cancelable long-term operating lease includes fixed escalation clauses or lease incentives for rent holidays, rent expense is generally recognized on a straightline basis over the initial term of the lease from the date that we take possession of the space and assumes that any termination options or renewal options included in the lease will not be exercised. Contingent rents, including those based on a percentage of retail sales over stated levels and rental payment increases based on a contingent future event as well as lease-related payments for real estate taxes, sales taxes, insurance and other operating expenses are recognized as the expense is incurred. Prior to Fiscal 2019, the difference between the rent payable under the lease and the amount recognized on a straight-line basis was recorded in other non-current liabilities in our consolidated balance sheets, with the exception of certain amounts recognized in other accrued expenses and liabilities. Also, any tenant improvement allowance amounts received from the landlord are deferred and, prior to Fiscal 2019, were recognized in other non-

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current liabilities in our consolidated balance sheets. The tenant improvement allowances are then recognized in our consolidated statements of operations as a reduction to rent expense over the term of the lease agreement on a straight-line basis. Deferred rent in our consolidated balance sheets, including tenant improvement allowances and all amounts in noncurrent and current liabilities, as of February 2, 2019 was $\$ 61$ million.

Pursuant to the revised lease accounting guidance adopted at the beginning of Fiscal 2019, we determine if an arrangement is a lease at contract inception. Operating lease liabilities are recognized at the lease commencement date based on the present value of lease payments over the lease term. The significant judgments in calculating the present value of lease obligations include determining the lease term and lease payment amounts, which are dependent upon our assessment of the likelihood of exercising any renewal or termination options that are at our discretion, as well as the discount rate applied to the unpaid lease payments. Pursuant to the new lease accounting guidance, operating leases are included in operating lease assets, current operating lease liabilities and non-current operating lease liabilities in our consolidated balance sheet. The operating lease asset at commencement reflects the operating lease liability reduced for any lease incentives, including tenant improvement allowances. Lease expense for operating leases is recognized on a straight-line basis over the lease term, which is consistent with the previous guidance. Variable rental payments for real estate taxes, sales taxes, insurance, other operating expenses and contingent rent based on a percentage of net sales or adjusted periodically for inflation are not included in lease expense used to calculate the present value of lease obligations recognized in our consolidated balance sheet, but instead are recognized as incurred.

We account for the underlying operating lease asset at the individual lease level. Typically, we do not include any renewal or termination options at our discretion in the underlying lease term as the probability of exercise is not reasonably certain at the time of lease commencement. The revised lease guidance requires us to discount unpaid lease payments using the interest rate implicit in the lease or, if that rate cannot be readily determined, our incremental borrowing rate. As our leases do not provide an implicit rate, we use an estimated incremental borrowing rate based on information available at commencement date, or as of February 3, 2019 for any leases in place at adoption of the revised lease accounting guidance. Our incremental borrowing rate for a lease is the rate of interest we would have to pay on a collateralized basis over the lease term to borrow an amount equal to the lease payments. Finance leases are not material to our consolidated financial statements.

## Foreign Currency

We are exposed to foreign currency exchange risk when we generate net sales or incur expenses in currencies other than the functional currency of the respective operations. The resulting assets and liabilities denominated in amounts other than the respective functional currency are re-measured into the respective functional currency at the rate of exchange in effect on the balance sheet date, and income and expenses are re-measured at the average rates of exchange prevailing during the relevant period. The impact of any such re-measurement is recognized in our consolidated statements of operations in that period. Net losses (gains) included in our consolidated statements of operations related to foreign currency transactions recognized in Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017 were $\$ 1$ million, $\$ 0$ million and $\$ 0$ million, respectively.

Additionally, the financial statements of our operations for which the functional currency is a currency other than the U.S. dollar are translated into U.S. dollars at the rate of exchange in effect on the balance sheet date for the balance sheet and at the average rates of exchange prevailing during the relevant period for the statements of operations. The impact of such translation is recognized in accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) in our consolidated balance sheets and included in other comprehensive income (loss) in our consolidated statements of comprehensive income resulting in no impact on net earnings for the relevant period.

As of February 1, 2020, our foreign currency exchange risk exposure primarily results from our businesses operating outside of the United States, which are primarily related to (1) our Tommy Bahama operations in Canada, Australia and Japan purchasing goods in U.S. dollars or other currencies which are not the functional currency of the business and (2) certain other transactions, including intercompany transactions. During Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and

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Fiscal 2017 we did not enter into and were not a party to any foreign currency exchange contracts intended to mitigate the risk associated with the foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations related to our business operations or for trading or speculative purposes.

## Derivative Financial Instruments

Derivative financial instruments, if any, are measured at their fair values in our consolidated balance sheets. The accounting for changes in the fair value of derivative instruments depends on whether the derivative has been designated and qualifies for hedge accounting. For any derivative financial instrument that is designated and qualifies for hedge accounting treatment and has not been settled as of period-end, the unrealized gains (losses) on the outstanding derivative financial instrument is recognized, to the extent the hedge relationship has been effective, as a component of comprehensive income in our consolidated statements of comprehensive income and accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) in our consolidated balance sheets. For any financial instrument that is not designated as a hedge for accounting purposes, or for any ineffective portion of a hedge, the unrealized gains (losses) on the outstanding derivative financial instrument is included in net earnings. Cash flows related to hedging transactions, if any, are classified in our consolidated statements of cash flows and consolidated statements of operations in the same category as the items hedged. Unrealized gains and losses on derivative financial instruments are recognized as prepaid expenses or accrued expenses, respectively. We do not use derivative financial instruments for trading or speculative purposes.

## Interest Rate Risk

We are exposed to market risk from changes in interest rates on any variable-rate indebtedness under our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement. If we have significant borrowings, we may attempt to limit the impact of interest rate changes on earnings and cash flow, primarily through a mix of variable-rate and fixed-rate debt, although at times all of our debt may be either variable-rate or fixed-rate debt. At times we may enter into interest rate swap arrangements related to certain of our variable-rate debt in order to fix the interest rate if we determine that our exposure to interest rate changes is higher than optimal. Our assessment also considers our need for flexibility in our borrowing arrangements resulting from the seasonality of our business, anticipated future cash flows and our expectations about the risk of future interest rate changes, among other factors. As of February 1, 2020, we are not a party to any interest rate swap agreements.

## Fair Value Measurements

Fair value, in accordance with GAAP, is defined as the exchange price that would be received for an asset or paid to transfer a liability (an exit price) in the principal or most advantageous market for the asset or liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. As such, fair value is a market-based measurement that should be determined based on assumptions that market participants would use in pricing an asset or liability. Valuation techniques include the market approach (comparable market prices), the income approach (present value of future income or cash flow), and the cost approach (cost to replace the service capacity of an asset or replacement cost). These valuation techniques may be based upon observable and unobservable inputs.

The three levels of inputs used to measure fair value pursuant to the guidance are as follows: (1) Level 1—Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities; (2) Level 2-Observable inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1, such as quoted prices for similar assets and liabilities in active markets; quoted prices for identical or similar assets and liabilities in markets that are not active; or other inputs that are observable or can be corroborated by observable market data; and (3) Level 3-Unobservable inputs that are supported by little or no market activity and that are significant to the fair value of the assets or liabilities, which includes certain pricing models, discounted cash flow methodologies and similar techniques that use significant unobservable inputs.

Our financial instruments consist primarily of our cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, accounts payable, accrued expenses, other liabilities and debt, if any. Given their short-term nature, the carrying amounts of cash

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and cash equivalents receivables, accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities generally approximate their fair values. The fair value of cash and cash equivalents invested on an overnight basis in money market funds is based upon the quoted prices in active markets provided by the holding financial institutions, which are considered Level 1 inputs in the fair value hierarchy. Additionally, we believe the carrying amounts of our variable-rate borrowings, if any, approximate fair value. We have determined that our property and equipment, intangible assets, goodwill and operating lease assets included in our consolidated balance sheets are non-financial assets measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis. We have determined that our approaches for determining fair values of our property and equipment, intangible assets, goodwill and operating lease assets generally are based on Level 3 inputs. Additionally, for contingent consideration fair value amounts, we have determined that our approaches for determining fair value are generally based on Level 3 inputs.

## Equity Compensation

We have certain equity compensation plans as described in Note 8 , which provide for the ability to grant restricted shares, restricted share units, options and other equity awards to our employees and non-employee directors. We recognize compensation expense related to equity awards to employees and non-employee directors in SG\&A in our consolidated statements of operations based on their fair values on the grant date. The fair values of restricted shares and restricted share units are determined based on the fair value of our common stock on the grant date, regardless of whether the awards are performance or service based.

We use the fair value method to recognize compensation expense related to equity awards, with a corresponding entry to additional paid-in capital. For awards with specified service requirements, the fair value of the equity awards granted to employees is recognized over the respective service period. For performance-based awards, during the performance period we assess expected performance versus the predetermined performance goals and adjust the cumulative equity compensation expense to reflect the relative expected performance achievement. The equity compensation expense is recognized on a straight-line basis over the aggregate performance period and any additional required service period. The impact of stock award forfeitures on compensation expense is recognized at the time of forfeit as no estimate of future stock award forfeitures is considered in our calculation of compensation expense.

## Comprehensive Income and Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss

Comprehensive income consists of net earnings and specified components of other comprehensive income (loss). Other comprehensive income includes changes in assets and liabilities that are not included in net earnings pursuant to GAAP, such as foreign currency translation adjustments between the functional and reporting currencies and certain unrealized gains (losses), if any. For us, other comprehensive income for each period presented includes the impact of the foreign currency translation impact of our Tommy Bahama operations in Canada, Australia and Japan. These other comprehensive income (loss) amounts are deferred in accumulated other comprehensive loss, which is included in shareholders' equity in our consolidated balance sheets. As of February 1, 2020, all amounts included in accumulated other comprehensive loss in our consolidated balance sheet reflect the net foreign currency translation adjustment related to our Tommy Bahama operations in Canada and Australia, while prior periods also included amounts related to our Tommy Bahama Japan operations as well.

During Fiscal 2019, we recognized a $\$ 1$ million charge in our consolidated statement of operations that was previously recognized in accumulated other comprehensive loss in our consolidated balance sheet. This charge relates to foreign currency amounts associated with our investment and operations in Tommy Bahama Japan, which in Fiscal 2019 we decided to exit entirely after exiting a significant portion of the business in Fiscal 2018. No material amounts of accumulated other comprehensive loss were reclassified from accumulated other comprehensive loss into our consolidated statements of operations during Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 or Fiscal 2017.

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## Dividends

Dividends are accrued at the time declared by our Board of Directors and typically paid within the same fiscal quarter.

## Concentration of Credit Risk and Significant Customers

We are exposed to concentrations of credit risk as a result of our receivables balances, for which the total exposure is limited to the amount recognized in our consolidated balance sheets. We sell our merchandise to wholesale customers operating in a number of distribution channels in the United States and other countries. We extend credit to certain wholesale customers based on an evaluation of the customer's credit history and financial condition, usually without requiring collateral. Credit risk is impacted by conditions or occurrences within the economy and the retail industry and is principally dependent on each customer's financial condition. As of February 1, 2020, two customers each represented more than $10 \%$ individually, and totaled $35 \%$ in the aggregate, of our receivables included in our consolidated balance sheet.

While no individual customer represented greater than $10 \%$ of our consolidated net sales in Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 or Fiscal 2017, a decision by the controlling owner of a group of stores or any significant customer to decrease the amount of merchandise purchased from us or to cease carrying our products could have an adverse effect on our results of operations in future periods.

Additionally, as of February 1,2020 , we had $\$ 52$ million of cash and cash equivalents, including $\$ 45$ million invested in money market funds. Substantially all of these amounts are with major financial institutions in the United States. Further, we maintain cash deposits with major financial institutions that exceed the insurance coverage limits provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation in the United States.

## Income Taxes

Income taxes included in our consolidated financial statements are determined using the asset and liability method. Under this method, income taxes are recognized based on amounts of income taxes payable or refundable in the current year as well as the impact of any items that are recognized in different periods for consolidated financial statement reporting and tax return reporting purposes. Prepaid income taxes and income taxes payable are recognized in prepaid expenses and other accrued expenses and liabilities, respectively, in our consolidated balance sheets. As certain amounts are recognized in different periods for consolidated financial statement and tax return reporting purposes, financial statement and tax bases of assets and liabilities differ, resulting in the recognition of deferred tax assets and liabilities. The deferred tax assets and liabilities reflect the estimated future tax effects attributable to these differences, as well as the impact of net operating loss, capital loss and federal and state credit carry-forwards, each as determined under enacted tax laws and rates expected to apply in the period in which such amounts are expected to be realized or settled. We account for the effect of changes in tax laws or rates in the period of enactment.

We recognize deferred tax assets to the extent we believe it is more likely than not that these assets will be realized. In making such a determination, we consider all available positive and negative evidence, including future reversals of existing taxable temporary differences, projected future taxable income, taxable income in carryback years, tax-planning strategies, and results of recent operations. Valuation allowances are established when we determine that it is more likely than not that some portion or all of a deferred tax asset will not be realized.

Valuation allowances are analyzed periodically and adjusted as events occur or circumstances change that would indicate adjustments to the valuation allowances are appropriate. If we determine that we are more likely than not to realize our deferred tax assets in the future in excess of their net recorded amount, we will reduce the deferred tax asset valuation allowance, which will reduce income tax expense. As realization of deferred tax assets and liabilities is dependent upon future taxable income in specific jurisdictions, changes in tax laws and rates and shifts in the amount of

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taxable income among jurisdictions may have a significant impact on the amount of benefit ultimately realized for deferred tax assets and liabilities.

We use a two-step approach for evaluating uncertain tax positions. Under the two-step method, recognition occurs when we conclude that a tax position, based solely on technical merits, is more likely than not to be sustained upon examination. The second step, measurement, is only addressed if step one has been satisfied. The tax benefit recorded is measured as the largest amount of benefit determined on a cumulative probability basis that is more likely than not to be realized upon ultimate settlement. Those tax positions failing to qualify for initial recognition are recognized in the first subsequent interim period they meet the more likely than not threshold or are resolved through negotiation or litigation with the relevant taxing authority or upon expiration of the statute of limitations. Alternatively, de-recognition of a tax position that was previously recognized occurs when we subsequently determine that a tax position no longer meets the more likely than not threshold of being sustained. Interest and penalties associated with unrecognized tax positions are recorded within income tax expense in our consolidated statements of operations. As of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, unrecognized tax benefit amounts, including any related penalty and interest expense, included in our consolidated balance sheet was $\$ 1$ million and $\$ 1$ million, respectively, and during each of Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017, we recognized less than $\$ 1$ million in changes in unrecognized tax benefit amounts in our consolidated statements of operations.

In the case of foreign subsidiaries there are certain exceptions to the requirement that deferred tax liabilities be recognized for the difference in the financial statement and tax bases of assets. When the financial statement basis of the investment in a foreign subsidiary, excluding undistributed earnings, exceeds the tax basis in such investment, the deferred tax liability is not recognized if management considers the investment to be essentially permanent in duration. Further, deferred tax liabilities are not required to be recognized for undistributed earnings of foreign subsidiaries when management considers those earnings to be permanently reinvested outside the United States. The Tax Cuts and Jobs Act ("U.S. Tax Reform") as enacted on December 22, 2017 changed the way federal tax is applied to distributions of earnings of foreign subsidiaries. Generally, the aggregate of all post-1986 accumulated undistributed earnings and profits of foreign subsidiaries as of the specified measurement dates was, if positive, subject to a U.S. "transition tax." We calculated the undistributed earnings of foreign subsidiaries as of the measurement dates and determined that no transition tax was due and accordingly did not record a transition tax amount in our consolidated statements of operations. While future distributions of foreign subsidiary earnings are generally not subject to federal tax, there are other possible tax impacts, including state taxes and foreign withholding tax, that must be considered if the earnings are not considered to be permanently reinvested. Further, U.S. Tax Reform did not exempt from federal tax the gain realized upon the sale of a foreign subsidiary and consideration must therefore be given to the impact of differences in the book and tax basis of foreign subsidiaries not arising from earnings when determining whether a liability must be recorded if the investment is not considered permanently reinvested.
U.S. Tax Reform made significant changes in the taxation of our domestic and foreign earnings, including a reduction in the domestic corporate tax rate from $35 \%$ to $21 \%$, the move to a territorial taxation system under which the earnings of foreign subsidiaries will generally not be subject to U.S. federal income tax upon distribution, the increase in bonus depreciation available for certain assets acquired, limitations on the deduction for certain expenses, including executive compensation and interest incurred, a tax on global intangible low-taxed income ("GILTI"), disallowance of deductions for certain payments (the base erosion anti-abuse tax, or "BEAT") and certain deductions enacted for certain foreign-derived intangible income ("FDII"). While the calculations for GILTI, BEAT and FDII are complex calculations, the new provisions did not have a material impact on our effective tax rate in Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018. We recognize the impact of GILTI as a period cost.

In Fiscal 2018 we adopted certain guidance that requires an entity to recognize the income tax consequences of an intra-entity transfer of an asset (other than inventory) when the transfer occurs. The impact of the adoption of this guidance resulted in a $\$ 0.1$ million reduction to retained earnings as of February 4, 2018.

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We file income tax returns in the United States and various state, local and foreign jurisdictions. Our federal, state, local and foreign income tax returns filed for years prior to Fiscal 2016, with limited exceptions, are no longer subject to examination by tax authorities.

## Earnings (Loss) Per Share

Basic net earnings from continuing operations, net earnings from discontinued operations and net earnings per share are each calculated by dividing the respective earnings amount by the weighted average shares outstanding during the period. Shares repurchased, if any, are removed from the weighted average number of shares outstanding upon repurchase and delivery.

Diluted net earnings from continuing operations, net earnings from discontinued operations and net earnings per share are each calculated similarly to the amounts above, except that the weighted average shares outstanding in the diluted calculations also includes the potential dilution using the treasury stock method that could occur if dilutive securities, including restricted share awards or other dilutive awards, were converted to shares. The treasury stock method assumes that shares are issued for any restricted share awards, options or other dilutive awards that are "in the money," and that we use the proceeds received to repurchase shares at the average market value of our shares for the respective period. For purposes of the treasury stock method, proceeds consist of cash to be paid and future compensation expense to be recognized.

## Use of Estimates

The preparation of our consolidated financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires us to make certain estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported as assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses in the consolidated financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

## Discontinued Operations

Amounts included in discontinued operations in our consolidated statements of operations in Fiscal 2017 primarily consist of revisions to our net loss anticipated in connection with certain retained lease obligations related to our former Ben Sherman operating group which we sold in 2015. During Fiscal 2017, we negotiated settlements in respect of these outstanding lease obligations by agreeing to make one-time cash payments lower than the aggregate total outstanding liabilities related to discontinued operations at that time resulting in income from discontinued operations during the period. The final satisfaction of those lease obligations was completed in February 2018.

All references to assets, liabilities, revenues, expenses and other information in this report reflect continuing operations and exclude any amounts related to the discontinued operations of our former Ben Sherman operating group, except that any cash flow information includes continuing operations and discontinued operations as cash flows from discontinued operations have not been segregated from cash flow from continuing operations.

## Accounting Standards Adopted in Fiscal 2019

In February 2016, the FASB issued revised lease accounting guidance. The guidance requires companies to record substantially all leases, including operating leases, as assets and liabilities on the balance sheet. For these leases, we are required to recognize (1) an operating lease asset which represents our right to use, or control the use of, a specified asset for a lease term and (2) a lease liability equal to our obligation to make lease payments arising from a lease, measured on a discounted basis. We adopted the guidance on the first day of Fiscal 2019 using a modified retrospective approach. The modified retrospective approach allows us to apply the new lease accounting guidance to the financial statements for the period of adoption and apply the previous lease accounting guidance in the prior year comparative periods. The adoption of the new lease accounting guidance had a material impact on our consolidated balance sheet as a result of the non-cash recognition of operating lease assets and operating lease liabilities, but did not

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have a material impact on our consolidated statements of operations or cash flows. We elected the transition relief package practical expedients by applying previous lease accounting conclusions to all leases that existed prior to the adoption date. Therefore, we have not reassessed (1) whether existing or expired contracts contain a lease, (2) lease classification for existing or expired leases, or (3) the accounting for initial direct costs that were previously capitalized. We did not elect the practical expedient to use hindsight for leases existing at the adoption date. Refer to "Leases" above and Note 6 for additional disclosures and information about accounting for leases.

Other recently issued guidance that was adopted in Fiscal 2019 did not have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements upon adoption.

## Recently Issued Accounting Standards Applicable to Future Years

In June 2016, the FASB issued guidance, as amended, on the measurement of credit losses on financial instruments. This guidance amends the impairment model by requiring that companies use a forward-looking approach based on expected losses to estimate credit losses on certain financial instruments, including trade receivables. This guidance will be effective in Fiscal 2020, which commenced on February 2, 2020. We are currently assessing the impact that adopting this guidance will have on our consolidated financial statements.

In December 2019, the FASB amended guidance on accounting for income taxes. This guidance amends and simplifies the accounting for income taxes by removing certain exceptions in existing guidance to reduce complexity in certain areas. This guidance will be effective for all years beginning after December 15, 2020, with early adoption permitted. We are currently assessing the impact that adopting this guidance will have on our consolidated financial statements.

Recent accounting pronouncements pending adoption not discussed above are either not applicable or not expected to have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements.

## Note 2. Operating Groups

We identify our operating groups based on the way our management organizes the components of our business for purposes of allocating resources and assessing performance. Our operating group structure reflects a brand-focused management approach, emphasizing operational coordination and resource allocation across each brand's direct to consumer, wholesale and licensing operations, as applicable. Our business is primarily operated through our Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer, Lanier Apparel and Southern Tide operating groups.

Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and Southern Tide each design, source, market and distribute apparel and related products bearing their respective trademarks and license their trademarks for other product categories, while Lanier Apparel designs, sources and distributes branded and private label men's tailored clothing, sportswear and other products. Corporate and Other is a reconciling category for reporting purposes and includes our corporate offices, substantially all financing activities, the elimination of inter-segment sales and any other items that are not allocated to the operating groups including LIFO inventory accounting adjustments. Because our LIFO inventory pool does not correspond to our operating group definitions, LIFO inventory accounting adjustments are not allocated to the operating groups. Corporate and Other also includes the operations of other businesses which are not included in our operating groups, including the operations of TBBC and our Lyons, Georgia distribution center.

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The tables below present certain financial information (in thousands) about our operating groups, as well as Corporate and Other.

|  | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { Fiscal } \\ & 2019 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { Fiscal } \\ & 2018 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  | Fiscal$2017$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net sales |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 676,652 | \$ | 675,358 | \$ | 686,021 |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 284,700 |  | 272,299 |  | 248,931 |
| Lanier Apparel |  | 97,251 |  | 100,471 |  | 106,852 |
| Southern Tide |  | 46,409 |  | 45,248 |  | 40,940 |
| Corporate and Other |  | 17,778 |  | 14,090 |  | 3,467 |
| Consolidated net sales |  | ,122,790 |  | ,107,466 |  | ,086,211 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Depreciation and amortization |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 27,852 | \$ | 29,549 | \$ | 30,998 |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 10,106 |  | 10,605 |  | 9,021 |
| Lanier Apparel |  | 574 |  | 567 |  | 583 |
| Southern Tide |  | 549 |  | 528 |  | 441 |
| Corporate and Other |  | 1,206 |  | 1,241 |  | 1,359 |
| Consolidated depreciation and amortization | \$ | 40,287 | \$ | 42,490 | \$ | 42,402 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Operating income (loss) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 53,207 | \$ | 53,139 | \$ | 55,002 |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 51,795 |  | 47,239 |  | 46,608 |
| Lanier Apparel |  | 1,465 |  | 5,057 |  | 6,546 |
| Southern Tide |  | 5,554 |  | 5,663 |  | 4,504 |
| Corporate and Other |  | $(18,346)$ |  | $(20,506)$ |  | $(26,660)$ |
| Consolidated operating income |  | 93,675 |  | 90,592 |  | 86,000 |
| Interest expense, net |  | 1,245 |  | 2,283 |  | 3,109 |
| Earnings before income taxes | \$ | 92,430 | \$ | 88,309 | \$ | 82,891 |

(1) Corporate and Other included a LIFO accounting charge of \$1 million, $\$ 1$ million and $\$ 8$ million in Fiscal 2019, Fiscal
2018 and Fiscal 2017, respectively.

Purchases of Property and Equipment
Tommy Bahama
Lilly Pulitzer

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|  |  | $\underset{2020}{\text { February 1, }}$ |  | ${ }_{2019}{ }^{2}$ 2, <br> 2019 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Assets |  |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama (1) | \$ | 668,197 | \$ | 439,353 |
| Lilly Pulitzer (1) |  | 199,913 |  | 152,113 |
| Lanier Apparel (1) |  | 43,533 |  | 54,369 |
| Southern Tide (1) |  | 99,667 |  | 97,939 |
| Corporate and Other (2) |  | 22,059 |  | $(16,520)$ |
| Total Assets | \$ | 1,033,369 | \$ | 727,254 |

(1) The increase in total assets for Tommy Bahama, Lilly Pulitzer and Southern Tide were primarily a result of the recognition of operating lease assets in Fiscal 2019 due to the adoption of the revised lease accounting guidance, while the decrease in Lanier Apparel was primarily due to lower inventories and receivables partially offset by operating lease assets.
(2) Total assets for Corporate and Other include LIFO reserves of $\$ 63$ million and $\$ 62$ million as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, respectively. The change in total assets for Corporate and Other from February 2, 2019 was primarily due to the increased cash as of February 1, 2020.

Net book value of our property and equipment and net sales by geographic area are presented in the tables below (in thousands). The other foreign amounts primarily relate to our Tommy Bahama operations in Canada, Australia and Japan.

|  | February 1,$2020$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February } 2, \\ 2019 \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Book Value of Property and Equipment |  |  |  |  |
| United States | \$ | 187,032 | \$ | 186,426 |
| Other foreign |  | 4,485 |  | 6,150 |
|  | \$ | 191,517 | \$ | 192,576 |


|  | Fiscal 2019 | Fiscal 2018 | Fiscal 2017 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Sales |  |  |  |
| United States | \$ 1,086,170 | \$ 1,067,235 | \$ 1,048,619 |
| Other foreign | 36,620 | 40,231 | 37,592 |
|  | \$ 1,122,790 | \$ 1,107,466 | \$ 1,086,211 |

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The tables below quantify, for each operating group and in total, the amount of net sales by distribution channel (in thousands) and as a percentage of net sales for each period presented.

|  | Fiscal 2019 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Net Sales | Retail | E-commerce | Restaurant | Wholesale | Other |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | 676,652 | 48 \% | 20 \% | 12 \% | 20 \% | - \% |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 284,700 | 41 \% | 38 \% | - \% | 21 \% | - \% |
| Lanier Apparel |  | 97,251 | - \% | 1 \% | - \% | 99 \% | - \% |
| Southern Tide |  | 46,409 | - \% | 21 \% | - \% | 79 \% | - \% |
| Corporate and Other |  | 17,778 | - \% | 60 \% | - \% | 32 \% | 8 \% |
| Consolidated net sales |  | 1,122,790 | 39 \% | 23 \% | 8 \% | 30 \% | - \% |


|  | Fiscal 2018 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Net Sales | Retail | E-commerce | Restaurant | Wholesale | Other |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | \$ 675,358 | 48 \% | 18 \% | $13 \%$ | 21 \% | - \% |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 272,299 | 42 \% | 36 \% | - \% | 22 \% | - \% |
| Lanier Apparel |  | 100,471 | - \% | - \% | - \% | 100 \% | - \% |
| Southern Tide |  | 45,248 | - \% | 18 \% | - \% | 82 \% | - \% |
| Corporate and Other |  | 14,090 | - \% | 54 \% | - \% | 30 \% | 16 \% |
| Consolidated net sales |  | \$ 1,107,466 | 40 \% | 21 \% | 8 \% | $31 \%$ | - \% |


|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Net Sales | Retail | E-commerce | Restaurant | Wholesale | Other |
| Tommy Bahama | \$ | \$ 686,021 | 49 \% | $16 \%$ | $12 \%$ | 23 \% | - \% |
| Lilly Pulitzer |  | 248,931 | 38 \% | 34 \% | - \% | 28 \% | - \% |
| Lanier Apparel |  | 106,852 | - \% | - \% | - \% | 100 \% | - \% |
| Southern Tide |  | 40,940 | - \% | 19 \% | - \% | 81 \% | - \% |
| Corporate and Other |  | 3,467 | - \% | 23 \% | - \% | 16 \% | 61 \% |
| Consolidated net sales |  | \$ 1,086,211 | 39 \% | 19 \% | 8 \% | 34 \% | - \% |

## Note 3. Property and Equipment, Net

Property and equipment, carried at cost, is summarized as follows (in thousands):

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February } 1, \\ 2020 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February 2, } \\ 2019 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Land | \$ | 3,166 | \$ | 3,166 |
| Buildings and improvements |  | 39,563 |  | 38,782 |
| Furniture, fixtures, equipment and technology |  | 240,527 |  | 223,666 |
| Leasehold improvements |  | 231,089 |  | 229,141 |
|  |  | 514,345 |  | 494,755 |
| Less accumulated depreciation and amortization |  | $(322,828)$ |  | $(302,179)$ |
| Property and equipment, net | \$ | 191,517 | \$ | 192,576 |

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## Note 4. Intangible Assets and Goodwill

Intangible assets by category are summarized below (in thousands):

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February } 1, \\ 2020 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February } 2, \\ 2019 \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Intangible assets with finite lives | \$ | 51,929 | \$ | 51,929 |
| Accumulated amortization |  | $(41,924)$ |  | $(40,753)$ |
| Total intangible assets with finite lives, net |  | 10,005 |  | 11,176 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Intangible assets with indefinite lives: |  |  |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama Trademarks | \$ | 110,700 | \$ | 110,700 |
| Lilly Pulitzer Trademarks |  | 27,500 |  | 27,500 |
| Southern Tide Trademarks |  | 26,800 |  | 26,800 |
| Total intangible assets, net | \$ | 175,005 | \$ | 176,176 |

Intangible assets, by operating group and in total, for Fiscal 2017, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2019 are as follows (in thousands):

|  | Tommy Bahama | $\begin{gathered} \text { Lilly } \\ \text { Pulitzer } \end{gathered}$ |  | Lanier Apparel |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Southern } \\ \text { Tide } \end{gathered}$ |  | Corporate and Other |  | Tota |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Balance, January 28, 2017 | \$113,625 | \$ | 28,595 | \$ | 3,048 | \$ | 29,977 | \$ | - | \$ | 175,245 |
| Acquisition | - |  | 1,500 |  | - |  | - |  | 4,440 |  | 5,940 |
| Amortization | $(1,580)$ |  | (346) |  | (172) |  | (288) |  | (18) |  | $(2,404)$ |
| Other, including foreign currency | 112 |  | - |  | (35) |  | - |  | - |  | 77 |
| Balance February 3, 2018 | 112,157 |  | 29,749 |  | 2,841 |  | 29,689 |  | 4,422 |  | 178,858 |
| Acquisition | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  |  |
| Amortization | $(1,385)$ |  | (533) |  | (171) |  | (288) |  | (233) |  | $(2,610)$ |
| Other, including foreign currency | (72) |  | - |  | - |  | - |  |  |  | (72) |
| Balance, February 2, 2019 | 110,700 |  | 29,216 |  | 2,670 |  | 29,401 |  | 4,189 |  | 176,176 |
| Acquisition | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  |  |
| Amortization | - |  | (475) |  | (171) |  | (291) |  | (234) |  | $(1,171)$ |
| Other, including foreign currency | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |
| Balance, February 1, 2020 | \$ 110,700 | \$ | 28,741 | \$ | 2,499 | \$ | 29,110 | \$ | 3,955 | \$ | $\xrightarrow{175,005}$ |

Based on the current estimated useful lives assigned to our intangible assets, amortization expense for each of the next five years is expected to be $\$ 1$ million per year.

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Goodwill, by operating group and in total, for Fiscal 2017, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2019 is as follows (in thousands):

|  | Tommy Bahama |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Lilly } \\ \text { Pulitzer } \end{gathered}$ |  | Southern |  | Corporate and Other |  | Total |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Balance, January 28, 2017 | \$ | 775 | \$ | 16,495 | \$ | 42,745 | \$ |  | \$ | 60,015 |
| Acquisition |  | - |  | 3,027 |  | - |  | 3,615 |  | 6,642 |
| Other, including foreign currency |  | 46 |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | 46 |
| Balance February 3, 2018 |  | 821 |  | 19,522 |  | 42,745 |  | 3,615 |  | 66,703 |
| Acquisition |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |
| Other, including foreign currency |  | (67) |  | - |  | - |  | (15) |  | (82) |
| Balance, February 2, 2019 |  | 754 |  | 19,522 |  | 42,745 |  | 3,600 |  | 66,621 |
| Acquisition |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | - |
| Other, including foreign currency |  | (43) |  | - |  | - |  | - |  | (43) |
| Balance, February 1, 2020 | \$ | 711 | \$ | 19,522 | \$ | 42,745 | \$ | 3,600 | \$ | 66,578 |

## Note 5. Debt

In July 2019, we amended our $\$ 325$ million Fourth Amended and Restated Credit Agreement (as amended, the "U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement") by entering into the First Amendment to the Fourth Amended and Restated Credit Agreement to (1) extend the maturity of the facility to July 2024 and (2) modify certain provisions including a reduction of interest rates on certain borrowings and a reduction in unused line fees. We had no amounts outstanding as of February 1, 2020 under the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement, compared to borrowings of $\$ 13$ million as of February 2, 2019. The U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement generally (1) is limited to a borrowing base consisting of specified percentages of eligible categories of assets, (2) accrues variable-rate interest, unused line fees and letter of credit fees based upon average unused availability or utilization, (3) requires periodic interest payments with principal due at maturity (July 2024) and (4) is secured by a first priority security interest in substantially all of the assets of Oxford Industries, Inc. and its domestic subsidiaries, including accounts receivable, books and records, chattel paper, deposit accounts, equipment, certain general intangibles, inventory, investment property (including the equity interests of certain subsidiaries), negotiable collateral, life insurance policies, supporting obligations, commercial tort claims, cash and cash equivalents, eligible trademarks, proceeds and other personal property.

To the extent cash flow needs exceed cash flow provided by our operations we will have access, subject to its terms, to our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement to provide funding for operating activities, capital expenditures and acquisitions, if any. Our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement is also used to establish collateral for certain insurance programs and leases and to finance trade letters of credit for product purchases, which reduce the amounts available under our line of credit when issued. As of February 1, 2020, $\$ 3$ million of letters of credit were outstanding against our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement. After considering these limitations and the amount of eligible assets in our borrowing base, as applicable, as of February 1, 2020, we had $\$ 322$ million in unused availability under the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement, subject to certain limitations on borrowings. See Note 14 for additional information relating to borrowings under the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement made after February 1, 2020.

## Covenants, Other Restrictions and Prepayment Penalties

The U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement is subject to a number of affirmative covenants regarding the delivery of financial information, compliance with law, maintenance of property, insurance requirements and conduct of business. Also, the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement is subject to certain negative covenants or other restrictions including, among other things, limitations on our ability to (1) incur debt, (2) guaranty certain obligations, (3) incur liens, (4) pay dividends to shareholders, (5) repurchase shares of our common stock, (6) make investments, (7) sell assets or stock of subsidiaries, (8) acquire assets or businesses, (9) merge or consolidate with other companies or (10) prepay, retire, repurchase or redeem debt.

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Additionally, the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement contains a financial covenant that applies only if excess availability under the agreement for three consecutive business days is less than the greater of (1) $\$ 23.5$ million or (2) $10 \%$ of availability. In such case, our fixed charge coverage ratio as defined in the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement must not be less than 1.0 to 1.0 for the immediately preceding 12 fiscal months for which financial statements have been delivered. This financial covenant continues to apply until we have maintained excess availability under the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement of more than the greater of (1) $\$ 23.5$ million or (2) $10 \%$ of availability for 30 consecutive days.

We believe that the affirmative covenants, negative covenants, financial covenants and other restrictions under the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement are customary for those included in similar facilities entered into at the time we amended the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement. During Fiscal 2019 and as of February 1, 2020, no financial covenant testing was required pursuant to our U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement as the minimum availability threshold was met at all times. As of February 1, 2020, we were compliant with all covenants related to the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement.

## Note 6. Leases

Substantially all lease expense, which consists of operating lease amounts, is included in SG\&A in our consolidated statements of operations. For Fiscal 2019, operating lease expense, which includes amounts used in determining the operating lease liability and operating lease asset, was $\$ 66$ million and variable lease expense was $\$ 34$ million, resulting in total lease expense of $\$ 99$ million. As of February 1, 2020, the weighted-average remaining operating lease term was seven years and the weighted-average discount rate for operating leases was $4 \%$. Cash paid for lease amounts included in the measurement of operating lease liabilities in Fiscal 2019 was $\$ 70$ million.

As of February 1, 2020, the required lease liability payments, which includes base rent amounts but excludes payments for real estate taxes, sales taxes, insurance other operating expenses and contingent rents incurred under operating lease agreements, for the fiscal years specified below were as follows (in thousands):

|  | Operating lease |
| :--- | ---: |
|  | $\$ 4,141$ |
| 2021 | 67,213 |
| 2022 | 63,248 |
| 2023 | 59,444 |
| 2024 | 45,972 |
| After 2024 | 96,914 |
| Total lease payments | $\$ 396,932$ |
| Less: Difference between discounted and undiscounted lease payments | 54,848 <br> Present value of lease liabilities |

In addition to the lease amounts included above, as of February 1, 2020, we had additional direct to consumer operating lease commitments, excluding variable lease payments, that have not yet commenced of $\$ 4$ million. These leases are expected commence in Fiscal 2020 with lease terms generally of up to 10 years.

## Disclosures related to periods prior to adoption of revised accounting guidance

Total rent expense in Fiscal 2018 was $\$ 96$ million, which includes base rent amounts, real estate taxes, sales taxes, insurance and other operating expenses and contingent rents incurred under all leases. Payments for real estate taxes, sales taxes, insurance, other operating expenses and contingent percentage rent are included in rent expense, but are generally not included in the aggregate minimum rental commitments, as, in most cases, the amounts payable in future periods are not quantified in the lease agreement or may be dependent on future events. The total amount of such charges included in total rent expense above were $\$ 28$ million in Fiscal 2018. As of February 2, 2019, the aggregate

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minimum base rental commitments for all non-cancelable operating leases with original terms in excess of one year were $\$ 68$ million, $\$ 66$ million, $\$ 62$ million, $\$ 59$ million, and $\$ 51$ million for each of the next five years and $\$ 124$ million thereafter.

## Note 7. Commitments and Contingencies

As of February 1, 2020, we are also obligated under certain apparel license and design agreements to make future minimum royalty and advertising payments of $\$ 6$ million, $\$ 4$ million, $\$ 0$ million, $\$ 0$ million, and $\$ 0$ million for each of the next five years and $\$ 0$ thereafter. These amounts do not include amounts, if any, that exceed the minimums required pursuant to the agreements.

During the 1990s, we discovered the presence of hazardous waste on one of our properties. We believe that remedial or other activities may be required, including continued investigation and monitoring of groundwater and soil, although the timing and extent of such activities is uncertain. As of both February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, the reserve for the remediation of this site was less than $\$ 1$ million, which is included in other non-current liabilities in our consolidated balance sheets. The amount recorded represents our estimate of the costs, on an undiscounted basis, to clean up and monitor the site as well as any associated legal and consulting fees, based on currently available information. This estimate may change in future periods as more information on the activities required and timing of those activities become known.

In Fiscal 2016, we recognized a charge of $\$ 1$ million related to an assertion of underpaid customs duties concerning the method used to determine the dutiable value of certain inventory. We appealed this assessment in accordance with the standard procedures of the relevant customs authorities. We obtained a favorable ruling on appeal resulting in the Fiscal 2018 reversal for all amounts previously accrued related to the assertion.

In connection with our Fiscal 2017 acquisition of TBBC, we entered into a contingent consideration agreement which requires us to make cash payments to the sellers of up to $\$ 4$ million in the aggregate subject to TBBC's achievement of certain earnings targets over a four year period subsequent to the acquisition. Pursuant to this contingent consideration agreement, as of February 1, 2020, less than $\$ 1$ million was earned related to Fiscal 2018 and paid in Fiscal 2019, less than $\$ 1$ million was earned related to Fiscal 2019 and is payable in Fiscal 2020. One of the sellers of TBBC is an employee and continues to manage the operations of TBBC.

## Note 8. Shareholders' Equity

## Common Stock

We had 60 million shares of $\$ 1.00$ par value per share common stock authorized for issuance as of February 1 , 2020 and February 2, 2019. We had 17 million shares of common stock issued and outstanding as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019.

## Long-Term Stock Incentive Plan

As of February 1, 2020, less than 1 million shares were available for issuance under our Long-Term Stock Incentive Plan (the "Long-Term Stock Incentive Plan"). The Long-Term Stock Incentive Plan allows us to grant equitybased awards to employees and non-employee directors in the form of stock options, stock appreciation rights, restricted shares and/or restricted share units. No additional shares are available under any predecessor plans.

Restricted share awards granted to officers and other key employees generally vest three or four years from the date of grant if (1) the performance threshold, if any, was met and (2) the employee is still employed by us on the vesting date. At the time that restricted shares are issued, the shareholder is generally, subject to the terms of the respective agreement, entitled to the same dividend and voting rights as other holders of our common stock as long as the restricted

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shares are outstanding. The employee generally is restricted from transferring or selling any restricted shares and generally forfeits the awards upon the termination of employment prior to the end of the vesting period. The specific provisions of the awards, including exercisability and term of the award, are evidenced by agreements with the employee as determined by the compensation committee of our Board of Directors.

The table below summarizes the restricted share award activity for officers and other key employees (in shares) during Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018, and Fiscal 2017:


The following table summarizes information about unvested restricted share awards as of February 1, 2020. The unvested restricted share awards will be settled in shares of our common stock on the vesting date, subject to the employee still being an employee at that time.

| Description | Number of Unvested Share Awards | Average Market Price on Date of Gran |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Service-based \& Performance-based Restricted Share Awards Vesting in April 2020 | 114,003 | \$ | 58 |
| Service-based \& Performance-based Restricted Share Awards Vesting in April 2021 | 83,248 | \$ | 76 |
| Service-based Restricted Share Awards Vesting in April 2022 | 54,673 | \$ | 75 |
| Total | 251,924 |  |  |

Restricted shares pursuant to performance-based awards are not issued until approved by our compensation committee following completion of the performance period. During Fiscal 2019, approximately 40,000 restricted shares were earned by recipients related to the Fiscal 2019 performance period; however, these share awards were not included in the tables above as the awards had not been issued as of February 1,2020. The grant date fair value of these 40,000 awards was $\$ 76$ per share, and the awards vest in April 2022.

As of February 1, 2020, there was $\$ 8$ million of unrecognized compensation expense related to the unvested restricted share awards, which have been granted to employees but have not yet vested, including the Fiscal 2019 performance-based awards issued in the first quarter of Fiscal 2020. As of February 1, 2020, the weighted average remaining life of the outstanding awards was one year.

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In addition, we grant restricted shares to our non-employee directors for a portion of each non-employee director's annual compensation. The non-employee directors must complete certain service requirements; otherwise, the restricted shares are subject to forfeiture. On the date of issuance, the non-employee directors are entitled to the same dividend and voting rights as other holders of our common stock. The non-employee directors are restricted from transferring or selling the restricted shares prior to the end of the vesting period.

## Employee Stock Purchase Plan

There were less than 1 million shares of our common stock authorized for issuance under our Employee Stock Purchase Plan ("ESPP") as of February 1, 2020. The ESPP allows qualified employees to purchase shares of our common stock on a quarterly basis, based on certain limitations, through payroll deductions. The shares purchased pursuant to the ESPP are not subject to any vesting or other restrictions. On the last day of each calendar quarter, the accumulated payroll deductions are applied toward the purchase of our common stock at a price equal to $85 \%$ of the closing market price on that date. Equity compensation expense related to the employee stock purchase plan recognized was less than $\$ 1$ million in each of Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017.

## Preferred Stock

We had 30 million shares of $\$ 1.00$ par value preferred stock authorized for issuance as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019. No preferred shares were issued or outstanding as of February 1, 2020 or February 2, 2019.

## Note 9. Income Taxes

The following table summarizes our distribution between domestic and foreign earnings (loss) before income taxes and the provision (benefit) for income taxes (in thousands):

|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Fiscal } \\ & 2019 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Fiscal } \\ 2018 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Fiscal } \\ 2017 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Earnings from continuing operations before income taxes: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Domestic | \$ | 86,528 | \$ | 85,050 | \$ | 78,707 |
| Foreign |  | 5,902 |  | 3,259 |  | 4,184 |
| Earnings from continuing operations before income taxes | \$ | 92,430 | \$ | 88,309 | \$ | 82,891 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Income taxes: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Current: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Federal | \$ | 18,565 | \$ | 12,543 | \$ | 11,710 |
| State |  | 5,459 |  | 4,474 |  | 3,775 |
| Foreign |  | 1,650 |  | 1,979 |  | 707 |
|  |  | 25,674 |  | 18,996 |  | 16,192 |
| Deferred-Domestic |  | $(1,870)$ |  | 3,141 |  | 1,690 |
| Deferred-Foreign |  | 133 |  | (119) |  | 308 |
| Income taxes | \$ | 23,937 | \$ | 22,018 | \$ | 18,190 |

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## NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

Reconciliations of the United States federal statutory income tax rates and our effective tax rates are summarized as follows:

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Fiscal } \\ 201 \end{gathered}$ | Fiscal $2018$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Fiscal } \\ & 2017 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Statutory tax rate ${ }^{(1)}$ | 21.0 \% | 21.0 \% | 33.7 \% |
| State income taxes-net of federal income tax benefit | 4.4 \% | 4.6 \% | 3.6 \% |
| Impact of foreign operations rate differential ${ }^{(2)}$ | 0.2 \% | 0.7 \% | (0.6)\% |
| Valuation allowance for foreign losses and other carry-forwards ${ }^{(3)}$ | 0.1 \% | (0.1)\% | 1.1 \% |
| Impact of U.S. Tax Reform on deferred tax amounts ${ }^{(4)}$ | - \% | - \% | (14.4)\% |
| Other, net | 0.2 \% | (1.3)\% | (1.5)\% |
| Effective tax rate for continuing operations | 25.9 \% | 24.9 \% | $21.9 \%$ |

(1) The statutory tax rate for Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018 reflects the federal corporate tax rate of $21 \%$. Fiscal 2017 is a blended rate that reflects the reduction of the federal corporate marginal tax rate effective January 1,2018 as a result of U.S. Tax Reform.
(2) Impact of foreign operations rate differential primarily reflects the rate differential between the United States and the respective foreign jurisdictions for any foreign income or losses, and the impact of any permanent differences.
(3) Valuation allowance for foreign losses and other carry-forwards primarily reflects the valuation allowance recorded due to our inability to recognize an income tax benefit related to certain operating loss carry-forwards and deferred tax assets during the period. The benefit in Fiscal 2018 was primarily due to the utilization of certain operating loss carryforward benefits against current year earnings and changes in our assessment of the likelihood of recognition of certain foreign operating loss carryforwards.
(4) Impact of U.S. Tax Reform on deferred tax amounts of $\$ 12$ million consists of our provisional income tax benefit amount related to the revaluation of deferred tax assets and liabilities to reflect the change in the enacted tax rate due to U.S. Tax Reform. During Fiscal 2018 as we completed our calculation of the impact of U.S. Tax Reform in accordance with Staff Accounting Bulletin No. 118, which provided us with up to one year to complete accounting for the impacts of U.S. Tax Reform, we did not recognize any material measurement period adjustments to the provisional amounts recorded in Fiscal 2017.

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## NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

Deferred tax assets and liabilities included in our consolidated balance sheets are comprised of the following (in thousands):

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February } 1, \\ 2020 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February 2, } \\ 2019 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Deferred Tax Assets: |  |  |  |  |
| Inventories | \$ | 13,067 | \$ | 13,210 |
| Accrued compensation and benefits |  | 8,977 |  | 8,096 |
| Receivable allowances and reserves |  | 993 |  | 890 |
| Operating lease liabilities |  | 85,969 |  | 3,371 |
| Operating loss and other carry-forwards |  | 3,171 |  | 2,785 |
| Other, net |  | 1,546 |  | 4,122 |
| Deferred tax assets |  | 113,723 |  | 32,474 |
| Deferred Tax Liabilities: |  |  |  |  |
| Operating lease assets |  | $(82,186)$ |  | - |
| Depreciation and amortization |  | $(8,076)$ |  | $(11,917)$ |
| Acquired intangible assets |  | $(34,019)$ |  | $(32,913)$ |
| Deferred tax liabilities |  | $(124,281)$ |  | $(44,830)$ |
| Valuation allowance |  | $(5,213)$ |  | $(5,103)$ |
| Net deferred tax liability | \$ | $\underline{(15,771)}$ | \$ | $(17,459)$ |

As of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019 our operating loss and other carry-forwards primarily relate to our operations in Canada and Hong Kong, as well as certain states. The majority of these operating loss carry-forwards allow for carry-forward of at least 20 years and in some cases, indefinitely. The substantial majority of our valuation allowance of $\$ 5$ million and $\$ 5$ million as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, respectively, relates to these foreign and state operating loss carry-forwards and the deferred tax assets in those jurisdictions. The recent history of operating losses in certain jurisdictions is considered significant negative evidence against the future realizability of these tax benefits. The amount of the valuation allowance could change in the future if our operating results or estimates of future taxable operating results changes.
U.S. Tax Reform made significant changes to how foreign earnings are taxed. Certain amounts of foreign earnings are subject to U.S. federal tax currently pursuant to the GILTI rules regardless of whether those earnings are distributed, and actual distributions of foreign earnings are generally no longer subject to U.S. federal tax. We continue to assert that our investments in foreign subsidiaries and substantially all of the related earnings are permanently reinvested outside the United States. We believe that any other taxes such as foreign withholding or U.S. state tax payable would be immaterial if we were to repatriate the foreign earnings. Therefore, we have not recorded any deferred tax liabilities related to investments and earnings in our consolidated balance sheets as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019.

Accounting for income taxes requires that we offset deferred tax liabilities and assets within each tax jurisdiction and present the net deferred tax amount for each jurisdiction as a net deferred tax amount in our consolidated balance sheets. The amounts of deferred income taxes included in our consolidated balance sheets are as follows (in thousands):

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February } 1, \\ 2020 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February 2, } \\ 2019 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Assets: |  |  |  |  |
| Deferred tax assets | \$ | 769 | \$ | 952 |
| Liabilities: |  |  |  |  |
| Deferred tax liabilities |  | $(16,540)$ |  | $(18,411)$ |
| Net deferred tax liability | \$ | $(15,771)$ | \$ | $(17,459)$ |

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## NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

## Note 10. Defined Contribution Plans

We have a tax-qualified voluntary retirement savings plan covering substantially all United States employees and other similar plans covering certain foreign employees. If a participant elects to contribute, a portion of the contribution may be matched by us. Additionally, we incur certain charges related to our non-qualified deferred compensation plan as discussed in Note 1. Realized and unrealized gains and losses on the deferred compensation plan investments are recorded in SG\&A in our consolidated statements of operations and substantially offset the changes in deferred compensation liabilities to participants resulting from changes in market values. Our aggregate expense under these defined contribution and non-qualified deferred compensation plans in Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017 was $\$ 5$ million, $\$ 5$ million and $\$ 4$ million, respectively.

## Note 11. Summarized Quarterly Data (unaudited)

Each of our fiscal quarters consists of thirteen week periods, beginning on the first day after the end of the prior fiscal quarter, except that the fourth quarter in a year with 53 weeks (such as Fiscal 2017) includes 14 weeks. Following is a summary of our Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018, quarterly results (in thousands, except per share amounts):

|  |  | First Quarter |  | Second Quarter |  | Third Quarter |  | Fourth Quarter | Total ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Fiscal 2019 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net sales | \$ | 281,973 | \$ | 302,000 | \$ | 241,221 | \$ | 297,596 | \$ | 1,122,790 |
| Gross profit | \$ | 165,769 | \$ | 179,825 | \$ | 132,980 | \$ | 166,393 | \$ | 644,967 |
| Operating income | \$ | 29,742 | \$ | 40,259 | \$ | 2,594 | \$ | 21,080 | \$ | 93,675 |
| Net earnings | \$ | 21,657 | \$ | 29,836 | \$ | 1,668 | \$ | 15,332 | \$ | 68,493 |
| Net earnings per share: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Basic | \$ | 1.30 | \$ | 1.78 | S | 0.10 | \$ | 0.91 | \$ | 4.09 |
| Diluted | \$ | 1.29 | \$ | 1.76 | \$ | 0.10 | \$ | 0.90 | \$ | 4.05 |
| Weighted average shares outstanding: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Basic |  | 16,713 |  | 16,760 |  | 16,773 |  | 16,779 |  | 16,756 |
| Diluted |  | 16,848 |  | 16,907 |  | 16,934 |  | 16,965 |  | 16,914 |
| Fiscal 2018 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net sales | \$ | 272,628 | \$ | 302,641 | \$ | 233,662 | \$ | 298,535 | \$ | 1,107,466 |
| Gross profit | \$ | 164,146 | \$ | 179,297 | \$ | 129,279 | \$ | 164,402 | \$ | 637,124 |
| Operating income | \$ | 28,373 | \$ | 36,513 | \$ | 3,705 | \$ | 22,001 | \$ | 90,592 |
| Net earnings | \$ | 20,567 | \$ | 27,184 | \$ | 1,861 | \$ | 16,679 | \$ | 66,291 |
| Net earnings per share: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Basic | \$ | 1.24 | \$ | 1.63 | \$ | 0.11 | \$ | 1.00 | \$ | 3.97 |
| Diluted | \$ | 1.23 | \$ | 1.61 | \$ | 0.11 | \$ | 0.99 | \$ | 3.94 |
| Weighted average shares outstanding: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Basic |  | 16,639 |  | 16,683 |  | 16,694 |  | 16,698 |  | 16,678 |
| Diluted |  | 16,769 |  | 16,840 |  | 16,870 |  | 16,890 |  | 16,842 |

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## NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

Note 12. Business Combinations

## Fiscal 2017 Business Combinations

During Fiscal 2017 we completed certain acquisitions which resulted in our acquisition of TBBC and 12 Lilly Pulitzer Signature Stores. TBBC, which we acquired in December 2017, designs, sources, markets and distributes premium childrenswear including bonnets, hats, apparel, swimwear and accessories through the TBBC e-commerce website as well as wholesale specialty retailers. The Lilly Pulitzer Signature Stores that were acquired are located in Massachusetts, Virginia and Maryland. We believe the TBBC acquisition further advances our strategic goal of owning a diversified portfolio of lifestyle brands, while the acquisition of the Lilly Pulitzer Signature Stores allows for growth of Lilly Pulitzer's direct to consumer business, particularly in some key markets. Subsequent to their respective acquisitions, the acquired Lilly Pulitzer Signature Stores are included in our Lilly Pulitzer operating group, while the TBBC operations are included in Corporate and Other.

The purchase price, in the aggregate, of our Fiscal 2017 acquisitions was $\$ 18$ million primarily consisting of cash, subject to adjustment based on net working capital or inventory amounts as of the closing dates of the respective acquisitions. We used borrowings under our revolving credit facility to finance the transactions. Transaction and integration costs related to the acquisitions totaled $\$ 1$ million and are included in SG\&A in Fiscal 2017. The following table summarizes our allocation of the purchase price for the Fiscal 2017 acquisitions, in the aggregate (in thousands):

|  | Fiscal 2017 acquisitions |
| :--- | ---: |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 406 |
| Inventories $^{(1)}$ | 3,910 |
| Prepaid expenses and other current assets | 595 |
| Property and equipment | 682 |
| Intangible assets | 5,940 |
| Goodwill | 6,642 |
| Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities | $(640)$ |
| Purchase price ${ }^{(2)}$ | $\boxed{17,535}$ |

(1) Includes a step-up of acquired inventory from cost to fair value of $\$ 1$ million with substantially all of this step-up amount recognized in Fiscal 2017 in cost of goods sold in our consolidated statement of operations with the remaining amount recognized in Fiscal 2018 in cost of goods sold in our consolidated statement of operations.
(2) In connection with the TBBC acquisition, we entered into a contingent consideration agreement pursuant to which we will be obligated to make cash payments to the sellers of up to $\$ 4$ million in the aggregate subject to TBBC's achievement of certain earnings targets over a four year period subsequent to the acquisition. Estimated fair value of the contingent consideration amount as of the acquisition date was less than $\$ 1$ million.

Intangible assets allocated in connection with our purchase price allocation consisted of the following (in thousands):

|  | Useful life | Fiscal 2017 acquisitions |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Finite lived intangible assets acquired: |  |  |  |
| Trade names and trademarks | 20 years | \$ | 4,220 |
| Other intangible assets including reacquired rights, customer relationships and non-compete agreements | 3-10 years | \$ | 1,720 |
|  |  | \$ | 5,940 |

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## NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

## Note 13. Tommy Bahama Japan Charges

During Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018, we incurred certain charges related to the restructure of our Tommy Bahama Japan operations, which we plan to exit entirely during the first half of Fiscal 2020. In Fiscal 2018 we incurred charges related to the lease termination and closure of the Tommy Bahama Ginza flagship retail-restaurant location, for which the lease was previously scheduled to expire in 2022, as well as other charges associated with downsizing the business. In Fiscal 2019 we incurred charges associated with the shutdown of our remaining retail and concession operations in Japan which is scheduled to be completed in the first half of Fiscal 2020. The substantial majority of the charges in Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018, which are included in Tommy Bahama, were recognized in SG\&A.

The charges in Fiscal 2018 totaled $\$ 4$ million, including $\$ 2$ million of lease termination and premises reinstatement charges, $\$ 1$ million of non-cash asset impairment charges and $\$ 1$ million of inventory markdown, severance and other charges related to the downsizing of the business. The charges in Fiscal 2019 totaled $\$ 3$ million, including a $\$ 1$ million non-cash foreign currency charge associated with our investment in Japan which was previously included in accumulated other comprehensive income in our consolidated balance sheet, $\$ 1$ million of lease termination, premises reinstatement and operating lease asset impairment charges, and charges related to the revision to the estimated Ginza reinstatement charge recognized in the prior year, as well as other items including severance and inventory markdowns related to the pending shutdown of the Tommy Bahama Japan operations.

As of February 1, 2020, obligations related to these charges that are still outstanding total $\$ 1$ million, which primarily consist of monthly retail store lease payments, lease termination payments and premises reinstatement charges requiring payment in the first half of Fiscal 2020 and other amounts related to the pending shutdown of the business. These amounts are included in current liabilities in our consolidated balance sheet as the amounts are expected to be paid in the first half of Fiscal 2020.

## Note 14. Subsequent Events

Subsequent to the end of Fiscal 2019, in February and March 2020, we repurchased 332,000 shares of our common stock for $\$ 18$ million under an open market stock repurchase program (Rule 10b5-1 plan).

In March 2020, the World Health Organization declared the outbreak of a novel coronavirus (COVID-19) as a pandemic, which continues to spread throughout the United States. Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, we saw reduced consumer traffic starting in early March 2020 and temporarily closed all of our retail and restaurant locations in North America on March 17, 2020. Subsequent to those closures, we also temporarily closed all of our retail locations in Australia. These store and restaurant closures, as well as the disruptions in all of our channels of distribution resulting from the COVID-19 outbreak, has had, and will continue to have a negative impact on our net sales during Fiscal 2020. While the disruption is currently expected to be temporary, there is significant uncertainty around the duration of the disruption. Thus, while we expect this matter to negatively impact our business, results of operations and financial position, the related financial impact cannot be reasonably estimated at this time. As a result, we are leveraging our balance sheet and have drawn down $\$ 200$ million from the U.S. Revolving Credit Agreement to increase our cash position and help preserve our financial flexibility.

SCHEDULE II

## Oxford Industries, Inc.

## Valuation and Qualifying Accounts

| Column A | Column B |  | Column C |  | Charged to Other AccountsDescribe | Column D |  | Column E |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Description | Balance at <br> Beginning of Period |  | Additions Charged to Costs and Expenses |  |  |  |  |  | nce at <br> d of <br> riod |
|  | (In thousands) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fiscal 2019 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Deducted from asset accounts: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Accounts receivable reserves ${ }^{(1)}$ | \$ | 6,646 | \$ | 15,802 | - | \$ | $(13,682)^{(3)}$ | \$ | 8,766 |
| Allowance for doubtful accounts ${ }^{(2)}$ | \$ | 661 | \$ | 88 | - | \$ | $(194){ }^{(4)}$ | \$ | 555 |
| Fiscal 2018 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Deducted from asset accounts: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Accounts receivable reserves ${ }^{(1)}$ | \$ | 6,485 | \$ | 9,599 | - | \$ | $(9,438){ }^{(3)}$ | \$ | 6,646 |
| Allowance for doubtful accounts ${ }^{(2)}$ | \$ | 1,659 | \$ | 225 | - | \$ | $(1,223){ }^{(4)}$ | \$ | 661 |
| Fiscal 2017 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Deducted from asset accounts: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Accounts receivable reserves ${ }^{(1)}$ | \$ | 9,301 | \$ | 9,059 | - | \$ | $(11,875)^{(3)}$ | \$ | 6,485 |
| Allowance for doubtful accounts ${ }^{(2)}$ | \$ | 811 | \$ | 1,366 | - | \$ | $(518)^{(4)}$ | \$ | 1,659 |

(1) Accounts receivable reserves includes estimated reserves for allowances, returns and discounts related to our wholesale operations as discussed in our significant accounting policy disclosure for "Revenue Recognition and Receivables" in Note 1 of our consolidated financial statements.
(2) Allowance for doubtful accounts consists of amounts reserved for our estimate of a customer's inability to meet its financial obligations as discussed in our significant accounting policy disclosure for "Revenue Recognition and Receivables" in Note 1 of our consolidated financial statements.
(3) Principally amounts written off related to customer allowances, returns and discounts.
(4) Principally accounts written off as uncollectible.

## Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To the Shareholders and the Board of Directors of Oxford Industries, Inc.

## Opinion on the Consolidated Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of Oxford Industries, Inc. (the Company) as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, the related consolidated statements of operations, comprehensive income, shareholders' equity and cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended February 1, 2020, and the related notes and financial statement schedule listed in the Index at Item 15(a) (collectively referred to as the "consolidated financial statements"). In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company at February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended February 1, 2020, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

We also have audited, in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) (PCAOB), the Company's internal control over financial reporting as of February 1, 2020, based on criteria established in Internal Control-Integrated Framework issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission (2013 framework) and our report dated March 30, 2020 expressed an unqualified opinion thereon.

## Adoption of New Accounting Standards

As discussed in Note 1 to the consolidated financial statements, the Company has changed its method of accounting for leases in fiscal year 2019 due to the adoption of the new leasing standard. The Company adopted the new leasing standard using the modified retrospective approach.

## Basis for Opinion

These consolidated financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's consolidated financial statements based on our audits. We are a public accounting firm registered with the PCAOB and are required to be independent with respect to the Company in accordance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free of material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud. Our audits included performing procedures to assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures that respond to those risks. Such procedures included examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. Our audits also included evaluating the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

## Critical Audit Matter

The critical audit matter communicated below is a matter arising from the current period audit of the financial statements that was communicated or required to be communicated to the audit committee and that: (1) relates to accounts or disclosures that are material to the financial statements and (2) involved our especially challenging, subjective or complex judgments. The communication of the critical audit matter does not alter in any way our opinion on the consolidated financial statements, taken as a whole, and we are not, by communicating the critical audit matter below, providing a separate opinion on the critical audit matter or on the accounts or disclosures to which it relates.

## Annual Impairment Analysis of Goodwill and Indefinite-Lived Intangible Asset of the Southern Tide Reporting Unit

Description of the As disclosed in Note 4 to the consolidated financial statements, at February 1, 2020, the Company's

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Audit goodwill and trademark indefinite-lived intangible asset balances for the Southern Tide reporting unit were approximately $\$ 43$ million and $\$ 27$ million, respectively. As disclosed in Note 1 to the consolidated financial statements, goodwill and indefinite-lived intangible assets are tested for impairment at least annually on the first day of the fourth quarter or whenever changes in circumstances may indicate the carrying amounts may not be recoverable.

Auditing management's annual goodwill and indefinite-lived intangible asset impairment tests for the Southern Tide reporting unit was complex and highly judgmental due to the significant estimation required to determine the fair values of the Southern Tide reporting unit and indefinite-lived intangible asset. In particular, the fair value estimate of the Southern Tide reporting unit for purposes of assessing whether the related goodwill balance was impaired was sensitive to significant assumptions such as projected net sales, projected operating income, and the discount rate. In addition, the fair value estimate of the Southern Tide indefinite-lived intangible asset was sensitive to significant assumptions such as projected net sales, royalty rate for the trademark, and the discount rate. These significant assumptions are affected by expectations about future market and economic conditions.

We obtained an understanding, evaluated the design and tested the operating effectiveness of the Company's controls over the Southern Tide goodwill and indefinite-lived intangible asset impairment process. For example, we tested controls over management's review of the significant assumptions described above.

To test the estimated fair value of the Southern Tide reporting unit and indefinite-lived intangible asset, we performed audit procedures that included, among others, assessing methodologies used by the Company, testing the significant assumptions discussed above, and evaluating the completeness and accuracy of the underlying data used by the Company in its analyses. For example, we compared the significant assumptions described above to current market and economic trends; the assumptions used to value similar assets in acquisitions; historical results of the business; and other guidelines used by companies in the same industry. We involved our valuation specialists to assist in our evaluation of the Company's valuation methodology and certain significant assumptions, including the discount rates and trademark royalty rate. In addition, we assessed the historical accuracy of management's prospective financial information and performed sensitivity analyses on significant assumptions to evaluate the potential changes in the fair value of the Southern Tide reporting unit and indefinite-lived intangible asset that would result from changes in the assumptions.
/s/ Ernst \& Young LLP
We have served as the Company's auditor since 2002.
Atlanta, GA
March 30, 2020

## Item 9. Changes in and Disagreements With Accountants on Accounting and Financial Disclosure

None.

## Item 9A. Controls and Procedures

## Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures

Our company, under the supervision and with the participation of our management, including our principal executive officer and principal financial officer, have evaluated the effectiveness of our disclosure controls and procedures as of the end of the period covered by this report. Based upon that evaluation, our principal executive officer and principal financial officer concluded that, as of the end of the period covered by this report, our disclosure controls and procedures were effective.

## Changes in and Evaluation of Internal Control over Financial Reporting

There have not been any changes in our internal control over financial reporting during the fourth quarter of Fiscal 2019 that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

## Report of Management on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

Our management is responsible for establishing and maintaining adequate internal control over financial reporting (as such term is defined in Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934). Our internal control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of our consolidated financial statements for external purposes in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States. Our internal control over financial reporting is supported by a program of appropriate reviews by management, written policies and guidelines, careful selection and training of qualified personnel, and a written code of conduct.

We assessed the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting as of February 1, 2020. In making this assessment, management used the updated framework issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission ("COSO") in Internal Control-Integrated Framework (2013). Based on this assessment, we believe that our internal control over financial reporting was effective as of February 1, 2020.

Ernst \& Young LLP, our independent registered public accounting firm, has audited our internal control over financial reporting as of February 1, 2020, and its report thereon is included herein.
/s/ THOMAS C. CHUBB III
Thomas C. Chubb III
Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President (Principal Executive Officer)

March 30, 2020

## /s/ K. SCOTT GRASSMYER

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Executive Vice President - Finance, Chief Financial
Officer and Controller
(Principal Financial Officer)

March 30, 2020

## Limitations on the Effectiveness of Controls

Because of their inherent limitations, our disclosure controls and procedures and our internal controls over financial reporting may not prevent or detect misstatements. Projections of any evaluation of effectiveness for future periods are subject to the risks that controls may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate. A control system, no matter how well designed and operated, can provide only reasonable, not absolute, assurance that a control system's objectives will be met.

## Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To the Shareholders and the Board of Directors of Oxford Industries, Inc.

## Opinion on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

We have audited Oxford Industries, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting as of February 1, 2020, based on criteria established in Internal Control-Integrated Framework issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission (2013 framework) (the COSO criteria). In our opinion, Oxford Industries, Inc. (the Company) maintained, in all material respects, effective internal control over financial reporting as of February 1, 2020, based on the COSO criteria.

We also have audited, in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) (PCAOB), the consolidated balance sheets of the Company as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019, the related consolidated statements of operations, comprehensive income, shareholders' equity and cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended February 1, 2020, and the related notes and financial statement schedule listed in the Index at Item 15(a) (collectively referred to as the "consolidated financial statements") and our report dated March 30, 2020 expressed an unqualified opinion thereon.

## Basis for Opinion

The Company's management is responsible for maintaining effective internal control over financial reporting and for its assessment of the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting included in the accompanying Report of Management on Internal Control over Financial Reporting. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's internal control over financial reporting based on our audit. We are a public accounting firm registered with the PCAOB and are required to be independent with respect to the Company in accordance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB.

We conducted our audit in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether effective internal control over financial reporting was maintained in all material respects.

Our audit included obtaining an understanding of internal control over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk, and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

## Definition and Limitations of Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

A company's internal control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A company's internal control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that (1) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company; (2) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the company are being made only in accordance with authorizations of management and directors of the company; and (3) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use, or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

Because of its inherent limitations, internal control over financial reporting may not prevent or detect misstatements. Also, projections of any evaluation of effectiveness to future periods are subject to the risk that controls may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.
/s/ Ernst \& Young LLP
Atlanta, Georgia
March 30, 2020

## Item 9B. Other Information

None.

## PART III

## Item 10. Directors, Executive Officers and Corporate Governance

The following table sets forth certain information concerning the members of our Board of Directors:

| Name | Principal Occupation |
| :---: | :---: |
| Helen Ballard | llard LLC, a home furnishing product design business. |
| Thomas C. Chubb III | Mr. Chubb is our Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President. |
| Thomas C. Gallagher | Mr. Gallagher is the retired Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President of Genuine Parts Company. |
| Virginia A. Hepner | Ms. Hepner is the retired President and Chief Executive Officer of the Woodruff Arts Center. |
| John R. Holder | Mr. Holder is Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Holder Properties, a full-service commercial and residential real estate developer. |
| Stephen S. Lanier | Mr. Lanier is a Managing Partner of Fremantle, Capital LLC, a private investment firm that provides capital growth to mature, lower middle market companies primarily in the southeast and Texas. |
| Dennis M. Love | Mr. Love is the retired Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Printpack Inc. |
| Clarence H. Smith | Mr. Smith is Chairman of the Board, President and Chief Executive Officer of Haverty Furniture Companies, Inc., a home furnishings retailer. |
| Clyde C. Tuggle | Mr. Tuggle is co-founder of Pine Island Capital Partners, a private investment firm. |
| E. Jenner Wood III | Mr. Wood is the retired Corporate Executive Vice President of SunTrust Banks, Inc. |

The following table sets forth certain information concerning our executive officers:

| Name | Position Held |
| :---: | :---: |
| Thomas C. Chubb III | Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President |
| Thomas E. Campbell | Executive Vice President - People \& Technology |
| K. Scott Grassmyer | Executive Vice President - Finance, Chief Financial Officer and Controller |
| J. Wesley Howard, Jr. | President, Lanier Apparel |
| Michelle M. Kelly | Chief Executive Officer, Lilly Pulitzer |
| Suraj A. Palakshappa | Vice President - Law, General Counsel and Secretary |
| Douglas B. Wood | Chief Executive Officer, Tommy Bahama |
| Additional information required by this Item 10 of Part III will appear in our definitive proxy statement under the headings "Corporate Governance and Board Matters-Directors," "Executive Officers," "Common Stock Ownership by Management and Certain Beneficial Owners-Section 16(a) Beneficial Ownership Reporting Compliance," "Corporate Governance and Board Matters-Website Information," "Additional Information-Submission of Director |  |
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Candidates by Shareholders," and "Corporate Governance and Board Matters-Board Meetings and Committees of our Board of Directors," and is incorporated herein by reference.

## Item 11. Executive Compensation

The information required by this Item 11 of Part III will appear in our definitive proxy statement under the headings "Corporate Governance and Board Matters-Director Compensation," "Executive Compensation," "Nominating, Compensation \& Governance Committee Report" and "Compensation Committee Interlocks and Insider Participation" and is incorporated herein by reference.

## Item 12. Security Ownership of Certain Beneficial Owners and Management and Related Stockholder Matters

The information required by this Item 12 of Part III will appear in our definitive proxy statement under the headings "Equity Compensation Plan Information" and "Common Stock Ownership by Management and Certain Beneficial Owners" and is incorporated herein by reference.

## Item 13. Certain Relationships and Related Transactions, and Director Independence

The information required by this Item 13 of Part III will appear in our definitive proxy statement under the headings "Certain Relationships and Related Transactions" and "Corporate Governance and Board Matters-Director Independence" and is incorporated herein by reference.

## Item 14. Principal Accounting Fees and Services

The information required by this Item 14 of Part III will appear in our definitive proxy statement under the heading "Audit-Related Matters-Fees Paid to Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm" and "Audit-Related Matters-Audit Committee Pre-Approval of Audit and Permissible Non-Audit Services of Independent Auditors" and is incorporated herein by reference.

## PART IV

## Item 15. Exhibits, Financial Statement Schedules

(a) 1. Financial Statements

The following consolidated financial statements are included in Part II, Item 8 of this report:

- Consolidated Balance Sheets as of February 1, 2020 and February 2, 2019.
- Consolidated Statements of Operations for Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017.
- Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income for Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017.
- Consolidated Statements of Shareholders’ Equity for Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017.
- Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows for Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017.
- Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements for Fiscal 2019, Fiscal 2018 and Fiscal 2017.

2. Financial Statement Schedules

- Schedule II—Valuation and Qualifying Accounts

All other schedules for which provisions are made in the applicable accounting regulation of the SEC are not required under the related instructions or are inapplicable and, therefore, have been omitted.
(b) Exhibits

| 3.1 | Restated Articles of Incorporation of Oxford Industries, Inc. (filed as Exhibit 3.1 to the Company's Form 10-Q for the fiscal quarter ended July 29, 2017). |
| :---: | :---: |
| 3.2 | Bylaws of Oxford Industries, Inc., as amended. (filed as Exhibit 3.2 to the Company's Form 10-K for Fiscal 2017). |
| 4.1 | Description of Securities Registered under Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934* |
| 10.1 | Amended and Restated Long-Term Stock Incentive Plan, effective as of March 24, 2015 (filed as Exhibit 10.2 to the Company's Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended January 31, 2015) $亠$ |
| 10.2 | Oxford Industries, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan (as amended and rested effective June 13, 2012)_(filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Form 10-Q for the fiscal quarter ended October 27, 2012) $亠$ |
| 10.3 | First Amendment to Oxford Industries, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan dated July 1, 2016 (filed as Exhibit 10.3 to the Company's Form 10-Q/A for the fiscal quarter ended on July 30, 2016) $\pm$ |
| 10.4 | Fourth Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of May 24, 2016, by and among Oxford Industries, Inc.; Tommy Bahama Group, Inc.; the Persons party thereto from time to time as Guarantors, the financial institutions party thereto as lenders, the financial institutions party thereto as Exhibit 2.1: Issuing Banks; and SunTrust Robinson Humphrey, Inc. as a Joint Lead Arranger and a Joint Bookrunner; JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. as a Joint Lead Arranger, a Joint Bookrunner, and the Syndication Agent; and Bank of America, N.A. and KeyBank National Association, as the Co-Documentation Agents (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on May 24, 2016). |
| 10.5 | Fourth Amended and Restated Pledge and Security Agreement, dated as of May 24, 2016, among Oxford Industries, Inc.; Tommy Bahama Group, Inc.; the additional entities grantor thereto, as Grantors, and SunTrust Bank, as administrative agent (filed as Exhibit 10.2 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on May 24, 2016). |


| 10.6 | First Amendment to Fourth Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dates as of July 31, 2019, by and amons Oxford Industries, Inc., Tommy Bahama Group, Inc., the Persons party thereto from time to time as guarantors, the financial institutions party thereto from time to time as lenders, and SunTrust Bank, as administrative agent (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on August 1, 2019). |
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| 21 | Subsidiaries of Oxford Industries, Inc.* |
| 23 | Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm* |
| 24 | Power of Attorney* |
| 31.1 | Certification by Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002* |
| 31.2 | Certification by Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002* |
| 32 | Certification by Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Section 906 of the SarbanesOxley Act of 2002* |
| 101INS | XBRL Instance Document |
| 101SCH | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document |
| 101CAL | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document |
| 101DEF | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document |
| 101LAB | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase Document |
| 101PRE | XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document |
| 104 | Cover Page Interactive Data File (formatted as Inline XBRL and contained in Exhibit 101) |

* Filed herewith
$\dagger$ Management contract or compensation plan or arrangement required to be filed as an exhibit to this form pursuant to Item 15(b) of this report.

We agree to file upon request of the SEC a copy of all agreements evidencing long-term debt omitted from this report pursuant to Item 601(b)(4)(iii) of Regulation S-K.

## Item 16. Form 10-K Summary

None.

## SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) 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.

Oxford Industries, Inc.
By: $\qquad$

Thomas C. Chubb III

Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President
Date: March 30, 2020

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

| Signature | Capacity | Date |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| /s/ THOMAS C. CHUBB III |  |  |
| Thomas C. Chubb III | Chairman of the Board of Directors, Chief Executive Officer and President (Principal Executive Officer) | March 30, 2020 |
| /s/ K. SCOTT GRASSMYER |  |  |
| K. Scott Grassmyer | Executive Vice President — Finance, Chief Financial Officer and Controller (Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer) | March 30, 2020 |
| * |  |  |
| Helen Ballard * | Director | March 30, 2020 |
| Thomas C. Gallagher | Director | March 30, 2020 |
| Virginia A. Hepner | Director | March 30, 2020 |
| John R. Holder <br> * | Director | March 30, 2020 |
| Stephen S. Lanier | Director | March 30, 2020 |
| Dennis M. Love | Director | March 30, 2020 |
| Clarence H. Smith | Director | March 30, 2020 |
| Clyde C. Tuggle /s/ E. Jenner Wood III | Director | March 30, 2020 |
| E. Jenner Wood III | Director | March 27, 2020 |
| *By |  |  |
| /s/ SURAJ A. PALAKSHAPPA <br> Suraj A. Palakshappa as Attorney-in-Fact |  |  |

# Description of the Registrant's Securities Registered Pursuant to Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 

As of February 1, 2020, Oxford Industries, Inc. has one class of securities registered under Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"): our common stock, \$1 par value per share ("Common Stock"). Unless the context otherwise requires, references to "Oxford Industries, Inc.," "us," "we" and "our" are solely to Oxford Industries, Inc. and not to any of its subsidiaries or affiliates.

## General

The following description of our capital stock is a summary and does not purport to be complete. It is subject to and qualified in its entirety by reference to our Restated Articles of Incorporation (the "Articles of Incorporation") and our Bylaws, as amended (the "Bylaws"), each of which is attached as an exhibit to the Annual Report on Form 10-K of which this Exhibit 4.1 is a part. We encourage you to read our Articles of Incorporation and our Bylaws for additional information.

## Authorized Capital Stock

Under our Articles of Incorporation, our authorized capital stock consists of $60,000,000$ shares of our Common Stock and $30,000,000$ shares of preferred stock, $\$ 1$ par value per share ("Preferred Stock").

## Common Stock

## Preemptive Rights

Shares of our Common Stock have no preemptive rights.

## Dividend Rights

Subject to preferences that may be applicable to any outstanding Preferred Stock, the holders of our Common Stock are entitled to dividends when, as and if authorized by our board of directors and declared by us out of funds legally available for that purpose.

## Voting Rights

Holders of our Common Stock are entitled to one vote per share, in person or by proxy, on each matter submitted for their vote at any meeting of our shareholders for each share of our Common Stock held as of the record date for the meeting.

Our board of directors is divided into three classes with staggered three-year terms. Each director is elected by the vote of the majority of the votes cast with respect to the director (number of shares voted "for" a director must exceed the number of votes cast "against" that director) at any meeting of the shareholders at which a quorum is present, provided that if the number of nominees exceeds the number of directors to be elected at such meeting, the directors are elected by the vote of a plurality of the shares represented in person or by proxy at any such meeting and entitled to vote on the election of directors. Holders of our Common Stock are not permitted to cumulate their votes for the election of directors.

## Liquidation Preference

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In the event that we are voluntarily or involuntarily liquidated, dissolved or wound up, the holders of our Common Stock will be entitled to share ratably in any distribution to shareholders, but only after payment or provision for payment of our debts and other liabilities and subject to the rights of the holders of any series of our Preferred Stock that may be outstanding.

## Sinking Fund

Shares of our Common Stock do not have the benefit of any retirement or sinking fund.

## Listing

Shares of our Common Stock are traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "OXM."

## Preferred Stock

Our Articles of Incorporation permit our Board of Directors to issue up to $30,000,000$ shares of Preferred Stock (none of which are outstanding) in one or more series. Our Board of Directors is vested with the authority to divide Preferred Stock into classes or series and to fix and determine the relative rights, preferences, qualifications, and limitations of the shares of any class or series so established, including, but not limited to, whether shares can be redeemed and, if so, the redemption price and the terms and conditions of redemption.

If at any time we fail to pay full cumulative dividends on any shares of Preferred stock or on any other class of stock ranking superior to or in parity with the Preferred Stock, or if at any time we are in default under the requirements with respect to any purchase, retirement or sinking fund or funds applicable to any series of the Preferred Stock or any other class of stock ranking superior to or in parity with the Preferred Stock, thereafter until such dividends have been paid or declared and set apart for payment and any other such default remedied, we may not purchase, redeem, or otherwise acquire for consideration any shares of any class of stock then outstanding and ranking in parity with or junior to the Preferred Stock.

The issuance of Preferred Stock could adversely affect the rights of holders of our Common Stock.

## Anti-Takeover Provisions of our Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws

## Fair Price Provision

Our Articles of Incorporation require that any specified business combinations involving a person or entity that beneficially owns $10 \%$ or more of the outstanding shares of our voting stock, or that is an affiliate of the company who beneficially owned $10 \%$ or more of the outstanding shares of our voting stock within the two-year period preceding the date in question (in either case, an "interested shareholder") must be (a) unanimously approved by the directors who are not affiliated with the interested shareholder (the "continuing directors"), provided that the continuing directors constitute at least three members of our board of directors at the time of such approval, or (b) recommended by at least two-thirds of the continuing directors and approved by a majority of the votes entitled to be cast by holders of shares entitled to vote generally in the election of directors, other than shares beneficially owned by the interested shareholder who is, or whose affiliate is, a party to such business combination.

These requirements do not apply if (i) specific fair price conditions are met that in general provide that the payment received by our shareholders in the business combination is not less than the amount the interested shareholders paid for any shares of our voting stock acquired within two years of the business combination announcement, (ii) the consideration to be received is to be in cash or in the same form as the interested shareholder has previously paid for shares, (iii) certain procedural requirements are met, and (iv) the interested shareholder has not received the benefit, directly or indirectly, except proportionately as a stockholder, of any loans, advances, guarantees, pledges, or other financial assistance, or any tax credits or other tax advantages provided by us or our subsidiaries.

The provisions of our Articles of Incorporation described above may make it more difficult and, thereby, discourage attempts to take control of us, and may make it more difficult to remove incumbent management. None of these provisions, however, prohibit an offer for all of the outstanding shares of our common stock or a merger between us and another entity.

## Articles of Incorporation

Under our Articles of Incorporation, the affirmative vote of $75 \%$ of our capital stock entitled to vote in the election of directors, voting as a single class, is required to amend, alter, change or repeal, or to adopt any provision inconsistent with, the provisions that, among others, (1) set the number of directors serving in our board of directors, (2) designate the classification of our board of directors, (3) control the removal of directors, (4) control the filling of vacancies in our board of directors, and (5) allow special meetings of shareholders to be called under certain circumstances.

Additionally, the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the continuing directors and a majority of the votes entitled to be cast by holders of shares entitled to vote generally, other than shares beneficially owned by any interested shareholder and any of its affiliates and associates, is required to amend, alter, change or repeal, or to adopt any provision inconsistent with, the fair price provision described above.

## Limitation of Directors' Liability

Our Articles of Incorporation eliminate, subject to certain exceptions, the personal liability of a director to us or our shareholders for monetary damages for breaches of such director's duty of care or other duties as a director. Our Articles of Incorporation do not provide for the elimination of, or any limitation on, the liability of a director for (1) any appropriation, in violation of the director's duties, of any business opportunity of ours, (2) acts or omissions not in good faith or which involve intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law, (3) the types of liability set forth in Section 14-2-832 of the Georgia Business Corporation Code (the "Code"), or (4) any transaction from which the director derived an improper personal benefit. These provisions of our Articles of Incorporation will limit the remedies available to a shareholder in the event of breaches of any director's duties to such shareholder or to us.

Under Article VI of our Bylaws, we are required to indemnify any individual who is made a party (as defined in the Code) to a proceeding (as defined in the Code) because he is or was a director or officer (in each case as defined in the Code) against liability (as defined in the Code), incurred in the proceeding, if he or she acted in good faith and, while acting in an official capacity as a director or officer, acted in a manner he or she reasonably believed to be in our best interest,
and in all other cases, acted in a manner he or she reasonably believed was not opposed to our best interest, and with respect to any criminal proceeding, if he or she had no reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was unlawful.

Further, we may indemnify an individual made a party to a proceeding because he or she is or was an employee or agent of ours against liability, incurred in the proceeding, if he or she acted in good faith and, while acting in an official capacity as an employee or agent, acted in a manner he or she reasonably believed to be in our best interest, and in all other cases, acted in a manner he or she reasonably believed was not opposed to our best interest, and with respect to any criminal proceeding, if he or she had no reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was unlawful.

## SUBSIDIARIES OF OXFORD INDUSTRIES, INC.

The following table lists each subsidiary of Oxford Industries, Inc. indented under the name of its immediate parent, the percentage of each subsidiary's voting securities beneficially owned by its immediate parent and the jurisdiction under the laws of which each subsidiary was organized:

| Name | \% of Voting Securities | Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Oxford Industries, Inc. |  |  |
| Camisas Bahia Kino S.A. de C.V. | 100 | Mexico |
| Industrias Lanier de Honduras S. de R.L. | $50^{(1)}$ | Honduras |
| Manufacturera de Sonora, S.A. de CV | $99^{(2)}$ | Mexico |
| Oxford Caribbean, Inc. | 100 | Delaware |
| Oxford de Colon, S.A. | 100 | Costa Rica |
| Oxford Garment, Inc. | 100 | Delaware |
| Oxford Industries (UK1) Limited | 100 | United Kingdom |
| Oxford International, Inc. | 100 | Georgia |
| Oxford of South Carolina, Inc. | 100 | South Carolina |
| Oxford Products (International) Limited | $99.99{ }^{(3)}$ | Hong Kong |
| Servicios de Manufactura de Mérida, S. de R.L. de C.V. | $99.9{ }^{(4)}$ | Mexico |
| Sugartown Worldwide LLC | 100 | Delaware |
| The Beaufort Bonnet Company, LLC | 100 | Kentucky |
| Tommy Bahama Group, Inc. | 100 | Delaware |
| Viewpoint Marketing, Inc. | 100 | Florida |
| Oxford Caribbean, Inc. |  |  |
| Q.R. Fashions S. de R.L. | 100 | Honduras |
| Oxford Industries (UK2) Limited |  |  |
| Oxford Industries (UK3) Limited | 100 | United Kingdom |
| Oxford Products (International) Limited |  |  |
| Industrias Oxford de Merida, S.A. de CV | $99^{(5)}$ | Mexico |
| Oxford Industries (UK2) Limited | $75^{(6)}$ | United Kingdom |
| Oxford Philippines, Inc. | $96.25{ }^{(7)}$ | Philippines |
| Tommy Bahama Global Sourcing Limited | 100 | Hong Kong |
| Oxford of South Carolina, Inc. |  |  |
| GCP Southern Tide Coinvest, Inc. | 100 | Delaware |
| S/T Group Blocker, Inc. | 100 | Delaware |
| S/T Group Blocker, Inc. |  |  |
| S/T Group Holdings, LLC |  |  |
| Southern Tide, LLC | 100 | South Carolina |
| Tommy Bahama Beverages, LLC |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama Texas Beverages, LLC | 100 | Texas |
| Tommy Bahama Global Sourcing Limited |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama Australia Pty Ltd | 100 | Australia |
| Tommy Bahama Canada ULC | 100 | Canada |
| Tommy Bahama K. K. | 100 | Japan |
| Tommy Bahama Limited | 100 | Hong Kong |
| Tommy Bahama Trading (Shenzhen) Co., Ltd. | 100 | China |
| Tommy Bahama Group, Inc. |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama R\&R Holdings, Inc. | 100 | Delaware |
| Tommy Bahama R\&R Holdings, Inc. |  |  |
| Tommy Bahama Beverages, LLC | 100 | Delaware |
| $50 \%$ of the voting securities of Industrias Lanier de Honduras S. de R.L. is owned by Oxford Caribbean, Inc. |  |  |
| $1 \%$ of the voting securities of Manufacturera de Sonora, S.A. de CV is owned by Oxford International, Inc. |  |  |
| One share of the voting securities of Oxford Products (International) Limited is owned by Oxford International, Inc. Oxford Products (International) Limited has 150,000 shares issued and outstanding. |  |  |
| ${ }^{4}$ ) $0.1 \%$ of the voting securities of Servicios de Manufactura de Mérida, S. de R.L. de C.V. is owned by Oxford International, Inc. |  |  |
| 1\% of the voting securities of Industrias Oxford de Merider | Oxford Industries, Inc. |  |

${ }^{(6)}$ Approximately $25 \%$ of the voting securities of Oxford Industries (UK2) Limited is owned by Oxford Industries, Inc.
(7) $3.74 \%$ of the voting securities of Oxford Philippines, Inc. is owned by Oxford Industries, Inc. Nominal ownership interests of certain of the voting securities of Oxford Philippines, Inc. are owned by various individuals.
${ }^{(8)} 48 \%$ of the voting securities of S/T Group Holdings, LLC is owned by Oxford of South Carolina, Inc. and $2 \%$ of the voting securities of S/T Group Holdings, LLC is owned by GCP Southern Tide Coinvest, Inc.

## Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

We consent to the incorporation by reference in the following Registration Statements:
(1) Registration Statements (Form S-8 Nos. 333-121538 and 333-161902) pertaining to the Oxford Industries, Inc. Long-Term Stock Incentive Plan,
(2) Registration Statements (Form S-8 Nos. 333-121535 and 333-161904) pertaining to the Oxford Industries, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan, and
(3) Registration Statement (Form S-8 No. 333-130010) pertaining to the Oxford Industries, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan;
of our reports dated March 30, 2020, with respect to the consolidated financial statements and schedule of Oxford Industries, Inc. and the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting of Oxford Industries, Inc. included in this Annual Report (Form 10-K) of Oxford Industries, Inc. for the year ended February 1, 2020.
/s/ Ernst \& Young LLP
Atlanta, Georgia
March 30, 2020

## POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned, a director of Oxford Industries, Inc. (the "Company"), does hereby constitute and appoint each of Mary Margaret Heaton and Suraj A. Palakshappa, or any one of them, my true and lawful attorneys-in-fact for me and in my name for the purpose of executing on my behalf in any and all capacities the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended February 1, 2020, or any amendment or supplement thereto, and causing such Annual Report or any such amendment or supplement to be filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"). In addition, each such attorney-in-fact shall have full power and authority to execute on my behalf in my capacity as a director of the Company subject to the reporting requirements of the Act, all Forms required to be filed by me under the Act, including Forms 4 and 5, in accordance with the Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. In addition, each such attorney-in-fact shall have full power and authority to do and perform any and all acts on my behalf which may be necessary or desirable to complete, execute and timely file any such Forms with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority.
$\qquad$
Helen Ballard
Date: March 25, 2020

The undersigned, a director of Oxford Industries, Inc. (the "Company"), does hereby constitute and appoint each of Mary Margaret Heaton and Suraj A. Palakshappa, or any one of them, my true and lawful attorneys-in-fact for me and in my name for the purpose of executing on my behalf in any and all capacities the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended February 1, 2020, or any amendment or supplement thereto, and causing such Annual Report or any such amendment or supplement to be filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"). In addition, each such attorney-in-fact shall have full power and authority to execute on my behalf in my capacity as a director of the Company subject to the reporting requirements of the Act, all Forms required to be filed by me under the Act, including Forms 4 and 5, in accordance with the Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. In addition, each such attorney-in-fact shall have full power and authority to do and perform any and all acts on my behalf which may be necessary or desirable to complete, execute and timely file any such Forms with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority.
/s/ Thomas C. Gallagher
Thomas C. Gallagher
Date: March 25, 2020

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/s/ Virginia A. Hepner
Virginia A. Hepner
Date: March 25, 2020

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/s/ John R. Holder
John R. Holder

Date: March 25, 2020

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/s/ Stephen S. Lanier
Stephen S. Lanier
Date: March 25, 2020

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$\frac{\text { /s/ Dennis M. Love }}{\text { Dennis M. Love }}$

Dennis M. Love
Date: March 26, 2020

The undersigned, a director of Oxford Industries, Inc. (the "Company"), does hereby constitute and appoint each of Mary Margaret Heaton and Suraj A. Palakshappa, or any one of them, my true and lawful attorneys-in-fact for me and in my name for the purpose of executing on my behalf in any and all capacities the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended February 1, 2020, or any amendment or supplement thereto, and causing such Annual Report or any such amendment or supplement to be filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"). In addition, each such attorney-in-fact shall have full power and authority to execute on my behalf in my capacity as a director of the Company subject to the reporting requirements of the Act, all Forms required to be filed by me under the Act, including Forms 4 and 5, in accordance with the Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. In addition, each such attorney-in-fact shall have full power and authority to do and perform any and all acts on my behalf which may be necessary or desirable to complete, execute and timely file any such Forms with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority.
/s/ Clarence H. Smith

Clarence H. Smith
Date: March 25, 2020

The undersigned, a director of Oxford Industries, Inc. (the "Company"), does hereby constitute and appoint each of Mary Margaret Heaton and Suraj A. Palakshappa, or any one of them, my true and lawful attorneys-in-fact for me and in my name for the purpose of executing on my behalf in any and all capacities the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended February 1, 2020, or any amendment or supplement thereto, and causing such Annual Report or any such amendment or supplement to be filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"). In addition, each such attorney-in-fact shall have full power and authority to execute on my behalf in my capacity as a director of the Company subject to the reporting requirements of the Act, all Forms required to be filed by me under the Act, including Forms 4 and 5, in accordance with the Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. In addition, each such attorney-in-fact shall have full power and authority to do and perform any and all acts on my behalf which may be necessary or desirable to complete, execute and timely file any such Forms with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority.
/s/ Clyde C. Tuggle
Clyde C. Tuggle
Date: March 25, 2020

## CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-14(a) AND SECTION 302 OF

## THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

## I, Thomas C. Chubb III, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this annual report on Form 10-K of Oxford Industries, Inc.;
2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
4. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
(a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
(b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
(c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
(d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
5. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's Board of Directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
(a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
(b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: March 30, 2020

| /s/ THOMAS C. CHUBB III |
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| Thomas C. Chubb III |
| Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President |
| (Principal Executive Officer) |

## CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-14(a) AND SECTION 302 OF

## THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

## I, K. Scott Grassmyer, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this annual report on Form 10-K of Oxford Industries, Inc.;
2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
4. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
(a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
(b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
(c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
(d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
5. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's Board of Directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
(a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
(b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: March 30, 2020
/s/ K. SCOTT GRASSMYER
/s/ K. SCOTT GRASSMYER
K. Scott Grassmyer
Executive Vice President - Finance, Chief Financial Officer
and Controller
(Principal Financial Officer)

## CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO

## 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350,

## AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO

## SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

In connection with the annual report of Oxford Industries, Inc. (the "Company") on Form 10-K ("Form 10-K") for the fiscal year ended February 1, 2020 as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof, I, Thomas C. Chubb III, Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President of the Company, and I, K. Scott Grassmyer, Executive Vice President - Finance, Chief Financial Officer and Controller of the Company, each certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that, to my knowledge:
(1) The Form 10-K fully complies with the requirements of section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and
(2) The information contained in the Form 10-K fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.
/s/ THOMAS C. CHUBB III
Thomas C. Chubb III
Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President
(Principal Executive Officer)
March 30, 2020
/s/ K. SCOTT GRASSMYER
K. Scott Grassmyer

Executive Vice President - Finance, Chief Financial Officer and
Controller
(Principal Financial Officer)
March 30, 2020


[^0]:    (1) The sum of the quarterly net earnings per share amounts may not equal the amount for the year due to rounding.

    The Fourth Quarters of Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018 included a LIFO accounting charge of $\$ 1$ million and $\$ 1$ million, respectively. The full years of Fiscal 2019 and Fiscal 2018 included a LIFO accounting charge of $\$ 1$ million and $\$ 1$ million, respectively.

