# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## FORM 8-K

# CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

October 24, 2023

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

## **ChampionX Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-38441

(Commission File Number)

82-3066826

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2445 Technology Forest Blvd Building 4, 12th Floor The Woodlands, Texas 77381 (Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(281) 403-5772

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

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	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the	Securities Act (17 CFR 230.42	25)
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	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 1-	4d-2(b) under the Exchange Ac	et (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 1.	3e-4(c) under the Exchange Ac	rt (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
Securiti	es registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:		
	Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
	Common stock, \$0.01 par value	CHX	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC
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#### Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On October 24, 2023, ChampionX Corporation issued a news release announcing its financial results for the quarter ended September 30, 2023. A copy of the news release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

The information furnished pursuant to this Item 2.02 (including Exhibit 99.1) shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, ("Exchange Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, and shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into any filing made by ChampionX Corporation under the Exchange Act or the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, regardless of any general incorporation language in any such filing, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d)	Exh	ibits
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Exhibit
No. Description

99.1 News Release issued by ChampionX Corporation dated October 24, 2023

#### **SIGNATURES**

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

### **ChampionX Corporation**

Date: October 24, 2023 By: /s/ KENNETH M. FISHER

Kenneth M. Fisher

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer



### **ChampionX Reports Third Quarter 2023 Results**

- Revenue of \$939.8 million, decreased 8% year-over-year and increased 1% sequentially
- Net income attributable to ChampionX of \$77.7 million, increased 237% year-over-year
- · Adjusted net income of \$80.9 million, increased 19% year-over-year
- Adjusted EBITDA of \$189.5 million, increased 14% year-over-year
- Income before income taxes margin of 11.7%, increased 802 basis points year-over-year
- Adjusted EBITDA margin of 20.2%, increased 391 basis points year-over-year
- Cash from operating activities of \$163.0 million and free cash flow of \$114.6 million
- Repurchased \$68.1 million of common stock
- Returned 52% of cash from operating activities and 74% of free cash flow to shareholders

THE WOODLANDS, TX, October 24, 2023 - ChampionX Corporation (NASDAQ: CHX) ("ChampionX" or the "Company") today announced third quarter of 2023 results. Revenue was \$939.8 million, net income attributable to ChampionX was \$77.7 million, and adjusted EBITDA was \$189.5 million. Income before income taxes margin was 11.7% and adjusted EBITDA margin was 20.2%. Cash from operating activities was \$163.0 million and free cash flow was \$114.6 million.

#### **CEO Commentary**

"We delivered adjusted EBITDA growth and robust free cash flow generation during the third quarter and once again demonstrated our commitment to return excess cash to our shareholders through our regular cash dividend and share repurchases. Our ongoing focus on price realization and productivity contributed to strong year-over-year profitability improvement. We remain focused on shareholder value creation and our disciplined framework of capital allocation. I am grateful to our employees around the world for their tireless dedication to serving our customers and communities well," ChampionX's President and Chief Executive Officer Sivasankaran "Soma" Somasundaram said.

"During the third quarter of 2023, we generated revenue of \$940 million, which decreased 8% year-over-year, and increased 1% sequentially. Both North America and international revenue increased sequentially, led by our Production Chemical Technologies business. Strong sequential growth in international and offshore markets was largely offset by lower than expected drilling and completions activity in U.S. land, which impacted Production & Automation Technologies and Drilling Technologies revenues during the period. We generated net income attributable to ChampionX of \$78 million, which increased 237% year-over-year and decreased 19% sequentially, and adjusted EBITDA of \$190 million, which increased 14% year-over-year and 2% sequentially and included approximately \$7 million of foreign exchange loss related to the devaluation of our peso exposure in Argentina during the period. Our income before income taxes margin improved by approximately 802 basis points year-over-year and was flat sequentially, and our adjusted EBITDA margin expanded by approximately 391 basis points year-over-year and 7 basis points sequentially in the third quarter.

"Cash flow from operating activities was \$163 million during the third quarter, which represented 210% of net income attributable to ChampionX, and we generated strong free cash flow of \$115 million during the period, which represented 60% of our adjusted EBITDA for the period. Through our regular cash dividend of \$17 million and \$68 million of ChampionX share repurchases, we returned 52% of cash from operating activities and 74% of our free cash flow in the third quarter to our shareholders. Our balance sheet and financial position remain strong, ending the third quarter with \$954 million of liquidity, including \$285 million of cash and \$669 million of available capacity on our revolving credit facility.

"As we look to the fourth quarter, we expect continued positive momentum in our international and offshore businesses, offset by seasonal declines in our North American businesses into the year-end holidays. We expect our Drilling Technologies business to experience a sequential revenue decline similar to the fourth quarter of 2022 as some of our customers act to manage their working capital into year end. On a consolidated basis, in the fourth quarter, we expect revenue to be between \$930 million and \$970 million. We expect adjusted EBITDA of \$187 million to \$197 million. Our cash generation remains strong, and for the full year, we still expect to convert at least 50% of our adjusted EBITDA to free cash flow, and we remain committed to returning at least 60% of our free cash flow to our shareholders for the year.

"As we look into 2024 and beyond, we remain excited about the constructive market fundamentals as the oil and gas industry is benefiting from a multi-year growth cycle. As the leading provider of production optimization solutions for the industry, we are well positioned to benefit from this trend as the growth cycle unfolds. We expect continued revenue and adjusted EBITDA growth, margin expansion, and strong capital returns consistent with our capital allocation framework."

#### **Production Chemical Technologies**

Production Chemical Technologies revenue in the third quarter of 2023 was \$604.3 million, an increase of \$30.0 million, or 5%, sequentially, due to higher demand both in North America and internationally.

Segment operating profit was \$94.6 million and adjusted segment EBITDA was \$125.1 million. Segment operating profit margin was 15.6%, an increase of 47 basis points, sequentially, and adjusted segment EBITDA margin was 20.7%, an increase of 37 basis points, sequentially. The increase in segment operating profit margin and adjusted segment EBITDA margin reflects higher sales volumes, offset by \$7.2 million of foreign exchange loss related to the devaluation of our peso exposure in Argentina during the period.

#### **Production & Automation Technologies**

Production & Automation Technologies revenue in the third quarter of 2023 was \$256.1 million, an increase of \$2.0 million, or 1%, sequentially, due to higher demand in our businesses internationally.

Revenue from digital products was \$58.0 million in the third quarter of 2023, down 4% sequentially, and up 17% year-over-year.

Segment operating profit was \$28.3 million and adjusted segment EBITDA was \$59.3 million. Segment operating profit margin was 11.0%, a decrease of 202 basis points, sequentially, and adjusted segment EBITDA margin was 23.2%, a decrease of 73 basis points, sequentially. The decrease in segment operating profit margin and adjusted segment EBITDA margin was driven by product mix.

#### **Drilling Technologies**

Drilling Technologies revenue in the third quarter of 2023 was \$54.9 million, a decrease of \$2.5 million, or 4%, sequentially, driven by lower U.S. rig count and customer activity.

Segment operating profit was \$12.3 million and adjusted segment EBITDA was \$13.8 million. Segment operating profit margin was 22.3%, an increase of 25 basis points, sequentially, and adjusted segment EBITDA margin was 25.1%, an increase of 5 basis points, sequentially, in each case due to improved processing costs.

#### **Reservoir Chemical Technologies**

Reservoir Chemical Technologies revenue in the third quarter 2023 was \$25.1 million, an increase of \$1.2 million, or 5%, sequentially, driven by higher sales volumes.

Segment operating profit was \$2.5 million and adjusted segment EBITDA was \$4.2 million. Segment operating profit margin was 9.8%, an increase of 64 bps basis points, sequentially, and adjusted segment EBITDA margin was 16.6%, a decrease of 110 basis points, sequentially. The decrease in adjusted segment EBITDA margin was driven by product mix.

#### **Q3 2023 Other Business Highlights**

#### **Chemical Technologies**

- · Secured a multi-year performance-based contract extension with an Oil Major in U.S. land.
- Won a two-year contract extension with an independent E&P operator in Colombia.
- Secured a multi-year contract extension with a global energy company in Australia, which affords opportunities for additional business growth in the next several years.
- Received safety performance and supplier quality recognition from multiple customers in the Middle East and North Africa region.
- Deployed its first nano-particle technology squeeze in Europe.
- · Converted production enhancement chemical treatment to continual application for a customer in the UK North Sea.

- Gained a substantial win of a competitively held midstream account in the Permian Basin, due to deep knowledge of the customer's operations
  and excellent technical capability and service.
- Awarded the chemicals supply contract for a large independent E&P operator's second frac water reuse facility in the Permian Basin as the
  customer expands its footprint and investment in the area.
- Experienced a successful competitive gain of a scale squeeze in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico, utilizing its XR portfolio of products.

#### **Production & Automation Technologies**

- Achieved a net promoter score of 51% (versus industry average of 41%) and garnered top-tier marks in every category in the most recent Artificial Lift Market Survey by Kimberlite International Oilfield Research.
- Won a large PurePower Pro<sup>TM</sup> order for harmonic filters with a large independent producer in the Permian Basin. This technology significantly reduces distortion, significantly reducing power-generation costs and fees.
- Awarded a contract by an Integrated Oil Company in Latin America to monitor 400 wells with our XSPOC<sup>TM</sup> production optimization software, with the potential for an additional 600 wells.
- Awarded a project for an Oil Major in the Permian Basin to install 150 full chemical injection skid solutions (including pumps and automation technology) on newly drilled unconventional wells.
- Secured a customer commitment in Australia for our newly commercialized ultra-quiet progressing cavity pumping (PCP) system drivehead, which addresses noise pollution concerns of land holders.
- · Received the Shell Quality Recognition Award from Shell's QGC business, one of the top natural gas producers in Australia.

#### **Drilling Technologies**

• 43% of third quarter revenue was generated from products that were less than three years old.

## <u>Other</u>

- ChampionX is honored to be nominated eight times across four categories for the ALLY Energy GRIT Awards for making a positive impact on energy, sustainability, and the climate.
- ChampionX published its second annual Sustainability Report highlighting our initiatives that align with our purpose of Improving Lives and the
  work we are doing to further our customers' carbon-reduction efforts.
- ChampionX opened our newest technology center in Chennai, India. The new ChampionX Global Technology Center India represents a further extension of our focus on developing and delivering a wide range of cross-industry technology solutions and expertise.

#### **Conference Call Details**

ChampionX Corporation will host a conference call on Wednesday, October 25, 2023, to discuss its third quarter 2023 financial results and outlook. The call will begin at 9:00 a.m. Eastern Time. Presentation materials that supplement the conference call will be available on ChampionX's website at investors.championx.com.

To listen to the call via a live webcast, please visit ChampionX's website at investor.championx.com. The call will also be available by dialing 1-888-259-6580 in the United States or 1-416-764-8624 for international calls. Please call approximately 15 minutes prior to the scheduled start time and reference ChampionX conference call number 11375578.

A replay of the conference call will be available for 30 days on ChampionX's website.

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#### **About Non-GAAP Measures**

In addition to financial results determined in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States ("GAAP"), this news release presents non-GAAP financial measures. Management believes that adjusted EBITDA, adjusted EBITDA margin, adjusted segment EBITDA, adjusted segment EBITDA margin, adjusted net income attributable to ChampionX and adjusted diluted earnings per share attributable to ChampionX, provide useful information to investors regarding the Company's financial condition and results of operations because they reflect the core operating results of our businesses and help facilitate comparisons of operating performance across periods. In addition, free cash flow, free cash flow to adjusted EBITDA ratio, and free cash flow to revenue ratio provide useful information to investors because they reflect the core operating results of our businesses and help facilitate comparisons of operating performance across periods. In addition, these measures are used by management to measure our ability to generate positive cash flow for debt reduction and to support our strategic objectives. Although management believes the aforementioned non-GAAP financial measures are good tools for internal use and the investment community in evaluating ChampionX's overall financial performance, the foregoing non-GAAP financial measures should be considered in addition to, not as a substitute for or superior to, other measures of financial

performance prepared in accordance with GAAP. A reconciliation of these non-GAAP measures to the most directly comparable GAAP measures is included in the accompanying financial tables.

This press release contains certain forward-looking non-GAAP financial measures, including adjusted EBITDA. The Company has not provided projected net income attributable to ChampionX or a reconciliation of projected adjusted EBITDA. Management cannot predict with a reasonable degree of accuracy certain of the necessary components of net income attributable to ChampionX, such as depreciation and amortization expense. As such, a reconciliation of projected adjusted EBITDA to projected net income attributable to ChampionX is not available without unreasonable effort. The actual amount of depreciation and amortization, in particular, and other amounts excluded from adjusted EBITDA will have a significant impact on net income attributable to ChampionX.

#### **About ChampionX**

ChampionX is a global leader in chemistry solutions, artificial lift systems, and highly engineered equipment and technologies that help companies drill for and produce oil and gas safely, efficiently, and sustainably around the world. ChampionX's expertise, innovative products, and digital technologies provide enhanced oil and gas production, transportation, and real-time emissions monitoring throughout the lifecycle of a well. To learn more about ChampionX, visit our website at www.championX.com.

#### **Forward-Looking Statements**

This news release contains statements relating to future actions and results, which are "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such statements relate to, among other things, ChampionX's market position and growth opportunities. Forward-looking statements include statements related to ChampionX's expectations regarding the performance of the business, financial results, liquidity and capital resources of ChampionX. Forward-looking statements are subject to inherent risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from current expectations, including, but not limited to, changes in economic, competitive, strategic, technological, tax, regulatory or other factors that affect the operations of ChampionX's businesses. You are encouraged to refer to the documents that ChampionX files from time to time with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"), including the "Risk Factors" in ChampionX's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022, and in ChampionX's other filings with the SEC. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on ChampionX's forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the day they are made and ChampionX undertakes no obligation to update any forward-looking statement, except as required by applicable law.

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# CHAMPIONX CORPORATION CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (UNAUDITED)

Three Months Ended							Nine Months Ended				
	Septe	September 30,		June 30,		September 30,		September 30,			
(in thousands, except per share amounts)		2023		2023		2022	-	2023		2022	
Revenue	\$	939,783	\$	926,600	\$	1,021,561	\$	2,814,730	\$	2,820,093	
Cost of goods and services		647,923		644,394		825,018		1,957,309		2,204,052	
Gross profit		291,860		282,206		196,543		857,421		616,041	
Costs and expenses:											
Selling, general and administrative expense		162,317		162,484		153,736		485,617		445,447	
Loss (gain) on disposal group		_		_		(6,409)		12,965		16,515	
Interest expense, net		13,744		14,544		11,454		40,754		33,582	
Other expense (income), net		5,998		(3,104)		291		8,189		10,968	
Income before income taxes		109,801		108,282		37,471		309,896		109,529	
Provision for income taxes		29,009		11,656		14,246		69,334		19,235	
Net income		80,792		96,626		23,225		240,562		90,294	
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interest		3,081		829		157		3,522		3,182	
Net income attributable to ChampionX	\$	77,711	\$	95,797	\$	23,068	\$	237,040	\$	87,112	
Earnings per share attributable to ChampionX:											
Basic	\$	0.40	\$	0.49	\$	0.11	\$	1.20	\$	0.43	
Diluted	\$	0.39	\$	0.48	\$	0.11	\$	1.18	\$	0.42	
Weighted-average shares outstanding:											
Basic		195,881		197,034		201,421		197,058		202,600	
Diluted		199,592		200,735		206,522		201,025		208,155	

### CHAMPIONX CORPORATION CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (UNAUDITED)

(in thousands)	September 30, 2023	December 31, 2022
ASSETS		
Current Assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 285,006	\$ 250,187
Receivables, net	520,106	601,061
Inventories, net	588,800	542,543
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	 91,784	 104,790
Total current assets	1,485,696	1,498,581
Property, plant and equipment, net	763,559	734,810
Goodwill	666,108	679,488
Intangible assets, net	256,376	305,010
Other non-current assets	139,465	169,594
Total assets	\$ 3,311,204	\$ 3,387,483
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		
Current Liabilities:		
Current portion of long-term debt	\$ 6,250	\$ 6,250
Accounts payable	500,021	469,566
Other current liabilities	287,605	383,160
Total current liabilities	793,876	858,976
Long-term debt	594,943	621,702
Other long-term liabilities	216,257	229,590
Stockholders' equity:	210,237	223,330
ChampionX stockholders' equity	1,721,479	1,694,550
Noncontrolling interest	(15,351)	(17,335)
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 3,311,204	\$ 3,387,483

# CHAMPIONX CORPORATION CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)

Net income         \$ 240,562         \$ 90,294           Depreciation and amortization         177,265         177,676           Loss on disposal group         12,365         16,515           Deferred income taxes         (1,5300)         (37,505)           Gain on disposal of fixed assets         (1,400)         (4,428)           Loss on debt extinguishment         - 4,043           Receivables         (50,011)         (72,298)           Inventories         (50,011)         (72,298)           I receivables         (38,597)         (20,947)           Other assets         (38,597)         (20,947)           Other assets         (7,718)         38,000           Other operating items, net         (49,600)         52,285           Net cash flows provided by operating activities         371,318         218,267           Cash flows from investing activities         (110,965)         (74,752)           Acquisitions, net of cash acquired         (110,965)         (74,752)           Proceeds from sale of fixed assets         (15,20)         (61,526)           Cash flows from financing activities         12,328         16,424           Acquisitions, net of cash acquired         (80,637)         (61,526)		Nine Months Ended September 30,						
Net income         \$ 240,562         \$ 90,294           Depreciation and amortization         177,265         177,676           Loss on disposal group         12,365         16,515           Deferred income taxes         (1,5300)         (37,505)           Gain on disposal of fixed assets         (1,400)         (4,428)           Loss on debt extinguishment         - 4,043           Receivables         (50,011)         (72,298)           Inventories         (50,011)         (72,298)           I receivables         (38,597)         (20,947)           Other assets         (38,597)         (20,947)           Other assets         (7,718)         38,000           Other operating items, net         (49,600)         52,285           Net cash flows provided by operating activities         371,318         218,267           Cash flows from investing activities         (110,965)         (74,752)           Acquisitions, net of cash acquired         (110,965)         (74,752)           Proceeds from sale of fixed assets         (15,20)         (61,526)           Cash flows from financing activities         12,328         16,424           Acquisitions, net of cash acquired         (80,637)         (61,526)	(in thousands)		2023	2022				
Depreciation and amortization         177,266         177,761           Loss on disposal group         12,965         16,515           Deferred income taxes         (15,380)         (37,505)           Gain on disposal of fixed assets         (1,480)         (4,428)           Loss on debt extinguishment         –         4,043           Receivables         85,181         (50,075)           Inventories         (50,011)         (72,298)           Leased assets         (38,597)         (20,947)           Other assets         (7,018)         38,600           Other operating items, net         (49,600)         52,285           Net cash flows provided by operating activities         371,318         218,267           Cash flows from investing activities         110,965         (74,752)           Proceeds from sale of fixed assets         12,238         16,424           Acquisitions, net of cash acquired         –         (3,198)           Net cash used for investing activities         (98,637)         (61,526)           Cash flows from financing activities         (98,637)         (61,526)           Cash flows from financing activities         (98,637)         (61,526)           Det issuance costs         (1,028)         (8,008)	Cash flows from operating activities:							
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Loss on debt extinguishment       4,043         Receivables       85,181       (50,075)         Inventories       (50,011)       (72,298)         Leased assets       (38,597)       (20,947)         Other assets       17,470       24,022         Accounts payable       (70,188)       38,600         Other operating items, net       (49,600)       52,285         Net cash flows provided by operating activities       Total expenditures       110,965       (74,752)         Proceeds from investing activities       12,328       16,424       Acquisitions, net of cash acquired       —       3,198)         Proceeds from sle of fixed assets       12,328       16,424       Acquisitions, net of cash acquired       —       3,198)         Net cash used for investing activities       (98,637)       (61,526)         Cash flows from financing activities         Experienceds from long-term debt       15,500       995,038         Repayment of long-term debt       15,500       995,038         Repayment of long-term debt       (43,625)       (1,071,386)         Debt issuance costs       (10,28)       (8,008)         Repurchases of common stock       (15,730)       (10,009)         Other       (48,309) </td <td>Deferred income taxes</td> <td></td> <td>(15,380)</td> <td>(37,505)</td>	Deferred income taxes		(15,380)	(37,505)				
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	Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$	285,006	\$ 190,972				

### CHAMPIONX CORPORATION BUSINESS SEGMENT DATA (UNAUDITED)

	Three Months Ended								
	Se		June 30,	Se	eptember 30,				
(in thousands)		2023		2023		2022			
Segment revenue:									
Production Chemical Technologies	\$	604,254	\$	574,302	\$	643,604			
Production & Automation Technologies		256,148		254,156		247,717			
Drilling Technologies		54,869		57,324		60,965			
Reservoir Chemical Technologies		25,093		23,853		35,485			
Corporate and other		(581)		16,965		33,790			
Total revenue	\$	939,783	\$	926,600	\$	1,021,561			
Income before income taxes:									
Segment operating profit (loss):									
Production Chemical Technologies	\$	94,560	\$	87,163	\$	86,649			
Production & Automation Technologies		28,299		33,208		22,485			
Drilling Technologies		12,255		12,660		14,856			
Reservoir Chemical Technologies		2,461		2,186		(61,711)			
Total segment operating profit		137,575		135,217		62,279			
Corporate and other		14,030		12,391		13,354			
Interest expense, net		13,744		14,544		11,454			
Income before income taxes	\$	109,801	\$	108,282	\$	37,471			
Operating profit margin / income before income taxes margin:									
Production Chemical Technologies		15.6 %	)	15.2 %		13.5 %			
Production & Automation Technologies		11.0 %		13.1 %		9.1 %			
Drilling Technologies		22.3 %		22.1 %		24.4 %			
Reservoir Chemical Technologies		9.8 %	)	9.2 %		(173.9)%			
ChampionX Consolidated		11.7 %	)	11.7 %		3.7 %			
Adjusted EBITDA									
Production Chemical Technologies	\$	125,095	\$	116,790	\$	102,848			
Production & Automation Technologies		59,322		60,711		52,101			
Drilling Technologies		13,786		14,376		16,526			
Reservoir Chemical Technologies		4,157		4,213		2,635			
Corporate and other		(12,816)		(9,848)		(7,994)			
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	189,544	\$	186,242	\$	166,116			
Adjusted EBITDA margin									
Production Chemical Technologies		20.7 %	)	20.3 %		16.0 %			
Production & Automation Technologies		23.2 %		23.9 %		21.0 %			
Drilling Technologies		25.1 %		25.1 %		27.1 %			
Reservoir Chemical Technologies		16.6 %	)	17.7 %		7.4 %			
ChampionX Consolidated		20.2 %	)	20.1 %		16.3 %			

# CHAMPIONX CORPORATION RECONCILIATIONS OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES (UNAUDITED)

	Three Months Ended								
	Sep	tember 30,		June 30,	Se	eptember 30,			
(in thousands)		2023		2023	2022				
Net income attributable to ChampionX	\$	77,711	\$	95,797	\$	23,068			
Pre-tax adjustments:									
Loss (gain) on disposal group (1)		_		_		(6,409)			
Russia sanctions compliance and impacts (2)		95		433		(1,620)			
Restructuring and other related charges		1,228		5,353		67,533			
Merger integration costs		_		_		652			
Acquisition costs and related adjustments (3)		_		(2,341)		(3,512)			
Intellectual property defense		220		687		15			
Merger-related indemnification responsibility		722		_		_			
Tulsa, Oklahoma storm damage		1,895		607		_			
Tax impact of adjustments		(925)		(1,478)		(11,898)			
Adjusted net income attributable to ChampionX		80,946		99,058		67,829			
Tax impact of adjustments		925		1,478		11,898			
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interest		3,081		829		157			
Depreciation and amortization		61,839		58,677		60,532			
Provision for income taxes		29,009		11,656		14,246			
Interest expense, net		13,744		14,544		11,454			
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	189,544	\$	186,242	\$	166,116			

<sup>(1)</sup> Amounts represent the loss recorded to properly adjust the carrying value of our Chemical Technologies operations in Russia to the lower of carrying value or fair value less costs to sell.

<sup>(2)</sup> Includes charges incurred related to legal and professional fees to comply with, as well as additional foreign currency exchange losses associated with, the sanctions imposed in Russia.

<sup>(3)</sup> Includes revenue associated with the amortization of a liability established as part of the merger transaction with Ecolab Inc. to acquire the Chemical Technologies business, representing unfavorable terms under the Cross Supply Agreement, as well as costs incurred for the acquisition of businesses.

	Three Months Ended					
	S	eptember 30,	June 30,	September 30,		
(in thousands)		2023	2023	2022		
Diluted earnings per share attributable to ChampionX	\$	0.39	\$ 0.48	\$ 0.11		
Per share adjustments:						
Loss (gain) on disposal group		_	_	(0.03)		
Russia sanctions compliance and impacts		_	_	(0.01)		
Restructuring and other related charges		0.01	0.03	0.34		
Merger integration costs		_	_			
Acquisition costs and related adjustments		_	(0.01)	(0.02)		
Intellectual property defense		_	_			
Merger-related indemnification responsibility		0.01	_	_		
Tulsa, Oklahoma storm damage		0.01	_	_		
Tax impact of adjustments		(0.01)	(0.01)	(0.06)		
Adjusted diluted earnings per share attributable to ChampionX	\$	0.41	\$ 0.49	\$ 0.33		

# CHAMPIONX CORPORATION RECONCILIATIONS OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES BY SEGMENT (UNAUDITED)

,		Three Months Ended					
	Se	September 30, 2023			S	September 30,	
(in thousands)					2022		
Production Chemical Technologies							
Segment operating profit	\$	94,560	\$	87,163	\$	86,649	
Non-GAAP adjustments		1,073		3,944		(4,551)	
Depreciation and amortization		29,462		25,683		20,750	
Segment adjusted EBITDA	\$	125,095	\$	116,790	\$	102,848	
Production & Automation Technologies							
Segment operating profit	\$	28,299	\$	33,208	\$	22,485	
Non-GAAP adjustments		2,123		1,082		4,281	
Depreciation and amortization		28,900		26,421		25,335	
Segment adjusted EBITDA	\$	59,322	\$	60,711	\$	52,101	
Drilling Technologies							
Segment operating profit	\$	12,255	\$	12,660	\$	14,856	
Non-GAAP adjustments		(8)		212		15	
Depreciation and amortization		1,539		1,504		1,655	
Segment adjusted EBITDA	\$	13,786	\$	14,376	\$	16,526	
Reservoir Chemical Technologies							
Segment operating profit	\$	2,461	\$	2,186	\$	(61,711)	
Non-GAAP adjustments		31		428		60,756	
Depreciation and amortization		1,665		1,599		3,590	
Segment adjusted EBITDA	\$	4,157	\$	4,213	\$	2,635	
Corporate and other							
Segment operating profit	\$	(27,774)	\$	(26,935)	\$	(24,808)	
Non-GAAP adjustments		941		(927)		(3,842)	
Depreciation and amortization		273		3,470		9,202	
Interest expense, net		13,744		14,544		11,454	
Segment adjusted EBITDA	\$	(12,816)	\$	(9,848)	\$	(7,994)	

### Free Cash Flow

	Three Months Ended							
	September 30,			June 30,		September 30,		
(in thousands)		2023		2023		2022		
Free Cash Flow								
Cash flows from operating activities	\$	163,030	\$	115,910	\$	187,152		
Less: Capital expenditures, net of proceeds from sale of fixed assets		(48,469)		(27,143)		(19,719)		
Free cash flow	\$	114,561	\$	88,767	\$	167,433		
Cash From Operating Activities to Revenue Ratio								
Cash flows from operating activities	\$	163,030	\$	115,910	\$	187,152		
Revenue	\$	939,783	\$	926,600	\$	1,021,561		
Cash from operating activities to revenue ratio		17 %	)	13 %	•	18 %		
Free Cash Flow to Revenue Ratio								
Free cash flow	\$	114,561	\$	88,767	\$	167,433		
Revenue	\$	939,783	\$	926,600	\$	1,021,561		
Free cash flow to revenue ratio		12 %	)	10 %		16 %		
Free Cash Flow to Adjusted EBITDA Ratio								
Free cash flow	\$	114,561	\$	88,767	\$	167,433		
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	189,544	\$	186,242	\$	166,116		
Free cash flow to adjusted EBITDA ratio		60 %	)	48 %		101 %		