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Yum! Brands Reports Second-Quarter GAAP Operating Profit Growth of 7%; Second-Quarter Core Operating Profit Decline of (6)%; Maintains Full-Year Guidance

Louisville, KY (August 2, 2018) - Yum! Brands, Inc. (NYSE: YUM) today reported results for the second quarter ended June 30, 2018. Second-quarter GAAP EPS was \$0.97, an increase of 68%. Second-quarter EPS excluding Special Items was \$0.82, an increase of 20%.

GREG CREED COMMENTS

Greg Creed, CEO, said, "We continue to execute against our multi-year transformation strategy and remain on track with our full-year 2018 guidance. Second quarter core operating profit was consistent with our expectations and we are seeing good progress against our plans as we start the second half of the year. Importantly, I remain confident our actions to become more focused, more franchised and more efficient are establishing the foundation required for sustainable, long-term growth that will translate to strong returns for all Yum! Brands stakeholders."

SECOND-QUARTER HIGHLIGHTS

- Worldwide system sales excluding foreign currency translation grew 4%, with KFC at 6%, Taco Bell at 5% and Pizza Hut flat.
- We opened 243 net new units for 4% net new unit growth.
- We refranchised 51 restaurants, including 28 KFC and 23 Pizza Hut units, for pre-tax proceeds of \$47 million. We recorded net refranchising gains of \$29 million in Special Items. As of quarter end, our global franchise ownership mix was 97%.
- We repurchased 7.6 million shares totaling \$643 million at an average price of \$84.
- We reflected the change in fair value of our investment in Grubhub by recording \$25 million of pre-tax investment income, resulting in \$0.06 in EPS.
- Foreign currency translation favorably impacted divisional operating profit by \$8 million.

			% Change		
	System Sales Ex F/X	Same-Store Sales	Net New Units	GAAP Operating Profit	Core Operating Profit
KFC Division	+6	+2	+5	(3)	(6)
Pizza Hut Division	Even	(1)	+2	(5)	(6)
Taco Bell Division	+5	+2	+3	(2)	(2)
Worldwide	+4	+1	+4	+7	(6)

		Second Quar	ter	Year-to-Date				
	2018	2017	% Change	2018	2017	% Change		
GAAP EPS	\$0.97	\$0.58	+68	\$2.25	\$1.34	+67		
Special Items EPS ¹	\$0.15	\$(0.10)	NM	\$0.54	\$0.01	NM		
EPS Excluding Special Items	\$0.82	\$0.68	+20	\$1.71	\$1.33	+29		

¹See Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Measurements to GAAP Results within this release for further detail of Special Items.

All comparisons are versus the same period a year ago. As required, we adopted a new accounting standard on revenue recognition effective January 1, 2018. Prior year results have not been restated for this change. See the Other Items section of this release for further details.

System sales growth figures exclude foreign currency translation ("F/X") and core operating profit growth figures exclude F/X and Special Items. Special Items are not allocated to any segment and therefore only impact worldwide GAAP results. See reconciliation of Non-GAAP Measurements to GAAP Results within this release for further details.

KFC DIVISION

		Secon	d Quarter		Year-to-Date					
	%/ppts Change				%/ppts Change					
	2018	2017	Reported	Ex F/X	2018	2017	Reported	Ex F/X		
Restaurants	21,838	20,854	+5	N/A	21,838	20,854	+5	N/A		
System Sales (\$MM)	6,306	5,771	+9	+6	12,635	11,406	+11	+6		
Same-Store Sales Growth (%)	+2	+3	NM	NM	+2	+3	NM	NM		
Franchise and Property Revenues (\$MM)	310	278	+11	+8	617	535	+15	+10		
Operating Profit (\$MM)	235	243	(3)	(6)	456	450	+1	(3)		
Operating Margin (%)	36.1	31.5	4.6	3.9	34.8	29.9	4.9	4.4		

	Second Quarte	er (% Change)	Year-to-Date (% Change)				
	International	U.S.	International	U.S.			
System Sales Growth Ex F/X	+7	Even	+7	(1)			
Same-Store Sales Growth	+2	+1	+2	Even			

- KFC Division opened 301 gross new international restaurants in 52 countries.
- Operating margin increased 4.6 percentage points driven by refranchising, partially offset by the gross up of advertising fund revenues and offsetting expenses required by the revenue recognition accounting standard and lapping higher renewal and transfer fees.
- Foreign currency translation favorably impacted operating profit by \$7 million.

	Percent of KFC	System Sales Growth Ex F/X					
KFC Markets ¹	System Sales ²	Second Quarter (% Change)	Year-to-Date (% Change)				
China	27%	+5	+7				
United States	18%	Even	(1)				
Asia	12%	+6	+4				
Australia	7%	+6	+5				
Russia & Eastern Europe	7%	+23	+21				
United Kingdom	6%	(6)	(8)				
Latin America	5%	+11	+13				
Western Europe	5%	+10	+12				
Africa	4%	+5	+5				
Middle East / Turkey / North Africa	4%	+15	+11				
Canada	2%	+2	+4				
Thailand	2%	+7	+6				
India	1%	+20	+19				

¹Refer to *investors.yum.com/financial-reports* for a list of the countries within each of the markets.

²Reflects Full Year 2017.

PIZZA HUT DIVISION

		Secon	d Quarter		Year-to-Date					
			%/ppts Change				%/ppts Change			
	2018	2017	Reported	Ex F/X	2018	2017	Reported	Ex F/X		
Restaurants	16,823	16,452	+2	N/A	16,823	16,452	+2	N/A		
System Sales (\$MM)	2,894	2,827	+2	Even	5,926	5,699	+4	+1		
Same-Store Sales Growth (%)	(1)	(1)	NM	NM	Even	(2)	NM	NM		
Franchise and Property Revenues (\$MM)	140	141	(1)	(3)	289	285	+1	(1)		
Operating Profit (\$MM)	81	85	(5)	(6)	169	168	+1	(2)		
Operating Margin (%)	34.6	38.1	(3.5)	(3.8)	34.8	36.8	(2.0)	(2.4)		

	Second Quarte	er (% Change)	Year-to-Date (% Change)				
	International	U.S.	International	U.S.			
System Sales Growth Ex F/X	+1	(1)	+2	+1			
Same-Store Sales Growth	(2)	Even	(2)	+2			

- Pizza Hut Division opened 176 gross new international restaurants in 47 countries.
- Operating margin decreased 3.5 percentage points driven by the gross up of advertising fund revenues and offsetting expenses required by the revenue recognition accounting standard, partially offset by refranchising and lower G&A related to litigation costs.
- Foreign currency translation favorably impacted operating profit by \$1 million.

1	Percent of Pizza	System Sales Growth Ex F/X					
Pizza Hut Markets ¹	Hut System Sales ²	Second Quarter (% Change)	Year-to-Date (% Change)				
United States	46%	(1)	+1				
China	18%	(1)	(1)				
Asia	13%	+4	+5				
Europe	10%	(1)	+1				
Latin America	6%	(1)	Even				
Middle East / Turkey / North Africa	4%	+3	+2				
Canada	2%	+1	+1				
India	1%	+22	+22				
Africa	<1%	+43	+35				

¹Refer to *investors.yum.com/financial-reports* for a list of the countries within each of the markets.

²Reflects Full Year 2017.

TACO BELL DIVISION

		Secon	d Quarter		Year-to-Date					
	%/ppts Change					%/ppts (Change			
	2018	2017	Reported	Ex F/X	2018	2017	Reported	Ex F/X		
Restaurants	6,905	6,686	+3	N/A	6,905	6,686	+3	N/A		
System Sales (\$MM)	2,489	2,373	+5	+5	4,836	4,635	+4	+4		
Same-Store Sales Growth (%)	+2	+4	NM	NM	+1	+6	NM	NM		
Franchise and Property Revenues (\$MM)	134	120	+12	+12	262	234	+12	+12		
Operating Profit (\$MM)	149	152	(2)	(2)	281	293	(4)	(4)		
Operating Margin (%)	30.8	33.4	(2.6)	(2.6)	29.7	32.3	(2.6)	(2.6)		

- Taco Bell Division opened 43 gross new restaurants, including 9 new international restaurants.
- Operating margin decreased 2.6 percentage points driven by the gross up of advertising fund revenues and offsetting expenses required by the revenue recognition accounting standard, higher restaurant-level costs and lapping lower litigation costs, partially offset by refranchising and same-store sales growth.

OTHER ITEMS

• Effective January 1, 2018, we adopted the new accounting standard on revenue recognition. As a result, we are now required to recognize upfront fees, such as initial and renewal fees we receive from franchisees, as revenue over the term of the related franchise agreement. We also record incentive payments we may make to franchisees (e.g., equipment funding provided under the KFC U.S. Acceleration Agreement) as a reduction of revenue over the period of expected cash flows from the franchise agreements to which the payment relates. Under our historical accounting, we recognized upfront fees from franchisees in full upon commencement of the related franchise agreements and incentive payments made to franchisees when we were obligated to make the payment.

Additionally, the new accounting standard requires us to begin recording other revenues we receive from franchisees and the related expenses on a gross basis within our Income Statement. Previously, these revenues and expenses, the largest of which relate to franchisee contributions to and subsequent expenditures from advertising cooperatives we consolidate, were reported on a net basis within our Income Statement. We have reported these revenues and expenses in our Income Statement on the two new line items of Franchise contributions for advertising and other services and Franchise advertising and other services expense.

Prior results have not been restated for the impact of this accounting change and therefore remain reported as they have been historically. However, the adoption was done on a modified retrospective basis resulting in the current year impact being reported as if the now-required accounting had been in place since the inception of currently active franchise agreements or when franchise incentive payments were originally made. On a full-year basis we anticipate that the non-cash impacts of adopting the new revenue recognition standard will negatively impact core operating profit growth by 2 to 3 percentage points. As a result of the new standard, core operating profit growth was negatively impacted by two percentage points during the second quarter and one percentage point year-to-date through June 30, 2018. The lower first half impact was expected as the majority of our new unit development for which we receive upfront fees, which will now be spread versus recognized upfront, is expected to occur later in the year.

• Disclosures pertaining to outstanding debt in our Restricted Group capital structure will be provided at the time of the filing of the second-quarter Form 10-Q.

CONFERENCE CALL

Yum! Brands, Inc. will host a conference call to review the company's financial performance and strategies at 8:15 a.m. Eastern Time August 2, 2018. The number is 877/815-2029 for U.S. callers and 706/645-9271 for international callers, conference ID 6389106.

The call will be available for playback beginning at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time August 2, 2018 through September 13, 2018. To access the playback, dial 855/859-2056 in the U.S. and 404/537-3406 internationally, conference ID 6389106.

The webcast and the playback can be accessed via the internet by visiting Yum! Brands' website, *investors.yum.com/events-and-presentations* and selecting "Q2 2018 Yum! Brands, Inc. Earnings Call."

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ONLINE

Quarter end dates for each division, restaurant count details, definitions of terms and Restricted Group financial information are available at *investors.yum.com*. Reconciliation of non-GAAP financial measures to the most directly comparable GAAP measures are included within this release.

FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This announcement may contain "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. We intend all forward-looking statements to be covered by the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements generally can be identified by the fact that they do not relate strictly to historical or current facts and by the use of forward-looking words such as "expect," "expectation," "believe," "anticipate," "may," "could," "intend," "belief," "plan," "estimate," "target," "predict," "likely," "seek," "project," "model," "ongoing," "will," "should," "forecast," "outlook" or similar terminology. These statements are based on and reflect our current expectations, estimates, assumptions and/ or projections, our perception of historical trends and current conditions, as well as other factors that we believe are appropriate and reasonable under the circumstances. Forward-looking statements are neither predictions nor guarantees of future events, circumstances or performance and are inherently subject to known and unknown risks, uncertainties and assumptions that could cause our actual results to differ materially from those indicated by those statements. There can be no assurance that our expectations, estimates, assumptions and/or projections, including with respect to the future earnings and performance or capital structure of Yum! Brands, will prove to be correct or that any of our expectations, estimates or projections will be achieved.

Numerous factors could cause our actual results and events to differ materially from those expressed or implied by forward-looking statements, including, without limitation: food safety and food borne-illness issues; health concerns arising from outbreaks of viruses or other diseases; the success of our franchisees and licensees, and the success of our transformation initiatives, including our refranchising strategy; our significant exposure to the Chinese market; changes in economic and political conditions in countries and territories outside of the U.S. where we operate; our ability to protect the integrity and security of individually identifiable data of our customers and employees; our increasing dependence on digital commerce platforms and information technology systems; the impact of social media; our ability to secure and maintain distribution and adequate supply to our restaurants; the success of our development strategy in emerging markets; changes in commodity, labor and other operating costs; pending or future litigation and legal claims or proceedings; changes in or noncompliance with government regulations, including labor standards and anti-bribery or anti-corruption laws; recent Tax Legislation (defined below) and other tax matters, including disagreements with taxing authorities; consumer preferences and perceptions of our brands; changes in consumer discretionary spending and general economic conditions; competition within the retail food industry; and risks relating to our significant amount of indebtedness. In addition, other risks and uncertainties not presently known to us or that we currently believe to be immaterial could affect the accuracy of any such forward-looking statements. All forward-looking statements should be evaluated with the understanding of their inherent uncertainty.

Information regarding the impact of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017 ("Tax Legislation") consists of preliminary estimates which are forward-looking statements and are subject to change. Information regarding the impact of Tax Legislation is based on our current calculations, as well our current interpretations, assumptions and expectations relating to Tax Legislation, which are subject to further ongoing change.

The forward-looking statements included in this announcement are only made as of the date of this announcement and we disclaim any obligation to publicly update any forward-looking statement to reflect subsequent events or circumstances. You should consult our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission (including the information set forth under the captions "Risk Factors" and "Forward-Looking Statements" in our most recently filed Annual Report on Form 10-K and Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q) for additional detail about factors that could affect our financial and other results.

Yum! Brands, Inc., based in Louisville, Kentucky, has over 45,000 restaurants in more than 140 countries and territories and is one of the Aon Hewitt Top Companies for Leaders in North America. In 2018, Yum! Brands was recognized as part of the inaugural Bloomberg Gender-Equality Index and ranked among the top 100 Best Corporate Citizens by *Corporate Responsibility Magazine*. In 2017, Yum! Brands was named to the Dow Jones Sustainability North America Index. The company's restaurant brands – KFC, Pizza Hut and Taco Bell – are the global leaders of the chicken, pizza and Mexican-style food categories. Worldwide, the Yum! Brands system opens over seven new restaurants per day on average, making it a leader in global retail development.

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YUM! Brands, Inc. **Condensed Consolidated Summary of Results** (amounts in millions, except per share amounts) (unaudited)

	Quarter ended			% Change	Year to date			% Change	
	6/	30/18	6.	/30/17	B/(W)	6/30/1	8	6/30/17	B/(W)
Revenues									
Company sales	\$	512	\$	909	(44)	\$ 1,02	24	\$ 1,811	(43)
Franchise and property revenues		584		539	8	1,16	8	1,054	11
Franchise contributions for advertising and other services		272			N/A	54	17		N/A
Total revenues		1,368	_	1,448	(6)	2,73	39	2,865	(4)
Costs and Expenses, Net									
Company restaurant expenses		421		748	44	85	59	1,506	43
General and administrative expenses		208		247	15	42	27	484	12
Franchise and property expenses		40		54	24	8	37	100	13
Franchise advertising and other services expense		274		_	N/A	54	16	_	N/A
Refranchising (gain) loss		(29)		(19)	58	(18	35)	(130)	42
Other (income) expense		5		(1)	NM		3	2	(82)
Total costs and expenses, net		919	_	1,029	11	1,73	37	1,962	11
Operating Profit		449		419	7	1,00)2	903	11
Investment (income) expense, net		(23)		(1)	NM	(8	9)	(2)	NM
Other pension (income) expense		3		4	30	`	6	32	81
Interest expense, net		112		105	(8)	21	9	215	(2)
Income before income taxes		357		311	15	86	66	658	32
Income tax provision		36		105	67	11	2	172	35
Net Income	\$	321	\$	206	56	\$ 75	54	\$ 486	55
Effective tax rate		9.9%	=	33.8%	23.9 ppts.	12	.9%	26.2%	13.3 ppts.
Basic EPS									
EPS	\$	0.99	\$	0.59	69	\$ 2.3	30	\$ 1.37	67
Average shares outstanding		324		350	8	32	28	354	7
Diluted EPS									
EPS	\$	0.97	\$	0.58	68	\$ 2.2	25	\$ 1.34	67
Average shares outstanding		331	_	358	7	33	36	361	7
Dividends declared per common share	\$	0.36	\$	0.30		\$ 0.7	72	\$ 0.60	

See accompanying notes.
Percentages may not recompute due to rounding.

YUM! Brands, Inc. KFC DIVISION Operating Results (amounts in millions) (unaudited)

	Quarter ended			% Change		Year	ite	% Change		
	6/	/30/18	6.	/30/17	B/(W)	6	/30/18	6/	30/17	B/(W)
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Company sales	\$	241	\$	492	(51)	\$	486	\$	967	(50)
Franchise and property revenues		310		278	11		617		535	15
Franchise contributions for advertising and other services		100			N/A		206			N/A
Total revenues		651		770	(16)		1,309		1,502	(13)
Company restaurant expenses		210		415	49		430		825	48
General and administrative expenses		81		85	5		166		174	5
Franchise and property expenses		25		26	6		54		51	(4)
Franchise advertising and other services expense		101			N/A		205			N/A
Other (income) expense		(1)		1	NM		(2)		2	NM
Total costs and expenses, net		416		527	21		853		1,052	19
Operating Profit	\$	235	\$	243	(3)	\$	456	\$	450	1
Restaurant margin		12.5%		15.7%	(3.2) ppts.	_	11.5%	_	14.7%	(3.2) ppts.
Operating margin	_	36.1%	_	31.5%	4.6 ppts.	_	34.8%		29.9%	4.9 ppts.

See accompanying notes.

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YUM! Brands, Inc. PIZZA HUT DIVISION Operating Results (amounts in millions) (unaudited)

	Quarter ended		% Change	Year to date				% Change		
	6	/30/18	6.	/30/17	B/(W)	6	/30/18	6/	30/17	B/(W)
Company sales	\$	18	\$	81	(78)	\$	42	\$	171	(75)
Franchise and property revenues		140		141	(1)		289		285	1
Franchise contributions for advertising and other services		75			N/A		153			N/A
Total revenues		233		222	5		484		456	6
Company restaurant expenses		19		73	75		43		158	73
General and administrative expenses		46		54	14		96		107	10
Franchise and property expenses		8		10	12		19		23	16
Franchise advertising and other services expense		77			N/A		155			N/A
Other (income) expense		2			NM		2		_	NM
Total costs and expenses, net		152		137	(11)		315		288	(10)
Operating Profit	\$	81	\$	85	(5)	\$	169	\$	168	1
Restaurant margin		(2.4)%		8.5%	(10.9) ppts.		(1.0)%		7.4%	(8.4) ppts.
Operating margin	_	34.6 %		38.1%	(3.5) ppts.		34.8 %		36.8%	(2.0) ppts.

See accompanying notes.

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YUM! Brands, Inc. TACO BELL DIVISION Operating Results (amounts in millions) (unaudited)

		Quarter ended % Change Year to date							te	% Change
	6/	/30/18	6/	30/17	B/(W)	6/	30/18	6/30/17		B/(W)
	ф	2.52	Ф	226	(2.5)	Ф	406	Ф	(72	(2.6)
Company sales	\$	253	\$	336	(25)	\$	496	\$	673	(26)
Franchise and property revenues		134		120	12		262		234	12
Franchise contributions for advertising and other services		97			N/A		188			N/A
Total revenues		484		456	6		946		907	4
Company restaurant expenses		193		260	26		387		523	26
General and administrative expenses		41		39	(6)		81		81	
Franchise and property expenses		6		5	(25)		12		10	(22)
Franchise advertising and other services expense		96		_	N/A		186			N/A
Other (income) expense		(1)			NM		(1)			NM
Total costs and expenses, net		335		304	(11)		665		614	(8)
Operating Profit	\$	149	\$	152	(2)	\$	281	\$	293	(4)
Restaurant margin		24.1%		22.8%	1.3 ppts.		21.9%		22.3%	(0.4) ppts.
Operating margin	_	30.8%	_	33.4%	(2.6) ppts.	_	29.7%		32.3%	(2.6) ppts.

See accompanying notes.

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YUM! Brands, Inc. Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (amounts in millions)

	(un	(unaudited) 6/30/18		2/31/17
ASSETS				
Current Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	313	\$	1,522
Accounts and notes receivable, less allowance: \$30 in 2018 and \$19 in 2017		527		400
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		363		384
Advertising cooperative assets, restricted				201
Total Current Assets		1,203		2,507
Property, plant and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation and amortization of \$1,418 in				
2018 and \$1,480 in 2017		1,533		1,697
Goodwill		502		512
Intangible assets, net		90		110
Other assets		787		346
Deferred income taxes		211		139
Total Assets	\$	4,326	\$	5,311
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT				
Current Liabilities				
Accounts payable and other current liabilities	\$	822	\$	813
Income taxes payable		48		123
Short-term borrowings		54		375
Advertising cooperative liabilities		_		201
Total Current Liabilities		924		1,512
Long-term debt		9,612		9,429
Other liabilities and deferred credits		1,037		704
Total Liabilities		11,573		11,645
Shareholders' Deficit				
Common stock, no par value, 750 shares authorized; 319 shares and 332 shares issued in 2018 and 2017, respectively		_		
Accumulated deficit		(6,965)		(6,063)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(282)		(271)
Total Shareholders' Deficit		(7,247)		(6,334)
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Deficit	\$	4,326	\$	5,311
See accompanying notes.				

YUM! Brands, Inc. Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (amounts in millions) (unaudited)

	Year to date				
	6/30	0/18	6/30/17		
Cash Flows - Operating Activities					
Net Income	\$	754	\$	486	
Depreciation and amortization		71		135	
Refranchising (gain) loss		(185)		(130)	
Investment (income) expense, net		(89)		(2)	
Contributions to defined benefit pension plans		(5)		(12)	
Deferred income taxes		(23)		10	
Share-based compensation expense		27		43	
Changes in accounts and notes receivable		(15)		30	
Changes in prepaid expenses and other current assets		4		3	
Changes in accounts payable and other current liabilities		(160)		(137)	
Changes in income taxes payable		(15)		(83)	
Other, net		17		96	
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities		381		439	
Cash Flows - Investing Activities					
Capital spending		(85)		(150)	
Investment in Grubhub Inc. Common Stock		(200)		_	
Proceeds from refranchising of restaurants		252		321	
Other, net		(9)		2	
Net Cash Provided by (Used in) Investing Activities		(42)		173	
Cash Flows - Financing Activities					
Proceeds from long-term debt		106		1,088	
Repayments of long-term debt		(449)		(360)	
Revolving credit facilities, three months or less, net		202		_	
Short-term borrowings by original maturity					
More than three months - proceeds		51		_	
More than three months - payments		(43)		_	
Three months or less, net		_		_	
Repurchase shares of Common Stock		(1,168)		(856)	
Dividends paid on Common Stock		(236)		(211)	
Debt issuance costs		_		(32)	
Other, net		(42)		(39)	
Net Cash Used in Financing Activities		(1,579)		(410)	
Effect of Exchange Rate on Cash and Cash Equivalents		(19)		23	
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents, Restricted Cash and Restricted Cash Equivalents		(1,259)		225	
Cash, Cash Equivalents, Restricted Cash and Restricted Cash Equivalents - Beginning of Period		1,668	_	831	
Cash, Cash Equivalents, Restricted Cash and Restricted Cash Equivalents - End of Period	\$	409	\$	1,056	

See accompanying notes.

Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Measurements to GAAP Results (amounts in millions, except per share amounts) (unaudited)

In addition to the results provided in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles in the United States of America ("GAAP"), the Company provides the following non-GAAP measurements.

- System sales and System sales excluding the impacts of foreign currency translation ("FX"). System sales include the results of all restaurants regardless of ownership, including Company-owned and franchise restaurants that operate our Concepts. Sales of franchise restaurants typically generate ongoing franchise and license fees for the Company at a rate of 3% to 6% of sales. Franchise restaurant sales are not included in Company sales on the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income; however, the franchise and license fees are included in the Company's revenues. We believe System sales growth is useful to investors as a significant indicator of the overall strength of our business as it incorporates our primary revenue drivers, Company and franchise same-store sales as well as net unit growth.
- Diluted Earnings Per Share excluding Special Items (as defined below);
- Effective Tax Rate excluding Special Items;
- Core Operating Profit. Core Operating Profit excludes Special Items and FX and we use Core Operating Profit for the purposes of evaluating performance internally.

These non-GAAP measurements are not intended to replace the presentation of our financial results in accordance with GAAP. Rather, the Company believes that the presentation of these non-GAAP measurements provide additional information to investors to facilitate the comparison of past and present operations.

Special Items are not included in any of our Division segment results as the Company does not believe they are indicative of our ongoing operations due to their size and/or nature. Our chief operating decision maker does not consider the impact of Special Items when assessing segment performance. The Special Items are described in (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h) and (i) in the accompanying notes.

Certain non-GAAP measurements are presented excluding the impact of FX. These amounts are derived by translating current year results at prior year average exchange rates. We believe the elimination of the FX impact provides better year-to-year comparability without the distortion of foreign currency fluctuations.

		Quarter	end	ed	Year to date			
	6/30/18 6/30/17			6/	30/18	6/30/17		
Detail of Special Items								
Refranchising gain (loss) ^(b)	\$	29	\$	19	\$	185	\$	130
YUM's Strategic Transformation Initiatives ^(c)		_		(4)		(1)		(11)
Costs associated with Pizza Hut U.S. Transformation Agreement ^(d)		(1)		(12)		(2)		(12)
Costs associated with KFC U.S. Acceleration Agreement ^(e)		(2)		(5)		(2)		(8)
Non-cash credits (charges) associated with share-based compensation ^(f)		2		(16)		1		(18)
Other Special Items Income (Expense)		1		(2)		1		(2)
Special Items Income (Expense) - Operating Profit		29		(20)		182		79
Special Items - Other Pension Income (Expense) ^(g)		_		_		_		(22)
Special Items Income (Expense) before Income Taxes		29		(20)		182		57
Tax Benefit (Expense) on Special Items ^(h)		(18)		(17)		(37)		(51)
Tax Benefit (Expense) - U.S. Tax Act ⁽ⁱ⁾		40		_		34		_
Special Items Income (Expense), net of tax		51		(37)		179		6
Average diluted shares outstanding		331		358		336		361
Special Items diluted EPS	\$	0.15	\$	(0.10)	\$	0.54	\$	0.01
Reconciliation of GAAP Operating Profit to Core Operating Profit								
Consolidated								
GAAP Operating Profit	\$	449	\$	419	\$	1,002	\$	903
Special Items Income (Expense)		29		(20)		182		79
Foreign Currency Impact on Divisional Operating Profit		8		N/A		24		N/A
Core Operating Profit	\$	412	\$	439	\$	796	\$	824
KFC Division								
GAAP Operating Profit	\$	235	\$	243	\$	456	\$	450
Foreign Currency Impact on Divisional Operating Profit		7		N/A		20		N/A
Core Operating Profit	\$	228	\$	243	\$	436	\$	450

Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Measurements to GAAP Results (Continued) (amounts in millions, except per share amounts) (unaudited)

	Quarter ended					Year t	o da	date		
				/30/17	-	5/30/18		5/30/17		
Pizza Hut Division										
GAAP Operating Profit	\$	81	\$	85	\$	169	\$	168		
Foreign Currency Impact on Divisional Operating Profit		1		N/A		4		N/A		
Core Operating Profit	\$	80	\$	85	\$	165	\$	168		
	_		_		_		_			
Taco Bell Division										
GAAP Operating Profit	\$	149	\$	152	\$	281	\$	293		
Foreign Currency Impact on Divisional Operating Profit		_		N/A		_		N/A		
Core Operating Profit	\$	149	\$	152	\$	281	\$	293		
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Reconciliation of Diluted EPS to Diluted EPS excluding Special Items										
Diluted EPS	\$	0.97	\$	0.58	\$	2.25	\$	1.34		
Special Items Diluted EPS		0.15	_	(0.10)		0.54		0.01		
Diluted EPS excluding Special Items	\$	0.82	\$	0.68	\$	1.71	\$	1.33		
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Reconciliation of GAAP Effective Tax Rate to Effective Tax Rate excluding Special Items										
GAAP Effective Tax Rate		9.9 %		33.8%		12.9 %		26.2%		
Impact on Tax Rate as a result of Special Items		(7.5)%		7.5%		(2.9)%		6.1%		
Effective Tax Rate excluding Special Items		17.4 %		26.3%		15.8 %		20.1%		
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Reconciliation of Company sales to System sales										
Consolidated										
GAAP Company sales	\$	512	\$	909	\$	1,024	\$	1,811		
Franchise sales	1	1,177		10,062		22,373		19,929		
System sales		1,689		10,971		23,397		21,740		
Foreign Currency Impact on System sales		263		N/A		729		N/A		
System sales, excluding FX	\$ 1	1,426	\$	10,971	\$ 2	22,668	\$	21,740		
KFC Division										
GAAP Company sales	\$	241	\$	492	\$	486	\$	967		
Franchise sales		6,065	_	5,279	_	12,149		10,439		
System sales		6,306		5,771		12,635		11,406		
Foreign Currency Impact on System sales	_	203	_	N/A	_	566	_	N/A		
System sales, excluding FX	\$	6,103	<u>\$</u>	5,771	\$	12,069	\$	11,406		
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Pizza Hut Division	¢.	1.0	Ф	0.1	d.	42	d.	171		
GAAP Company sales	\$	18	\$	81	\$	42	\$	171		
Franchise sales	_	2,876	_	2,746		5,884		5,528		
System sales Foreign Currency Impact on System sales		2,894 59		2,827 N/A		5,926 159		5,699 N/A		
System sales, excluding FX	•	2,835	•	2,827	\$	5,767	\$	5,699		
System sales, excluding rx	<u> </u>	2,633	<u> </u>	2,027	Ф	3,707	D	3,099		
Taco Bell Division										
GAAP Company sales	\$	253	\$	336	\$	496	\$	673		
Franchise sales	Ψ	2,236	Ψ	2,037	Ψ	4,340	Ψ	3,962		
System sales		2,489	_	2,373		4,836	_	4,635		
Foreign Currency Impact on System sales		1		N/A		4		N/A		
System sales, excluding FX	\$	2,488	\$	2,373	\$	4,832	\$	4,635		
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YUM! Brands, Inc. Segment Results (amounts in millions) (unaudited)

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Quarter Ended 6/30/18	KFC		Pizz	Pizza Hut		o Bell	located	Consolidated	
Total revenues	\$	651	\$	233	\$	484	\$ 	\$	1,368
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Company restaurant expenses		210		19		193	(1)		421
General and administrative expenses		81		46		41	40		208
Franchise and property expenses		25		8		6	1		40
Franchise advertising and other services expense		101		77		96			274
Refranchising (gain) loss				_		_	(29)		(29)
Other (income) expense		(1)		2		(1)	5		5
Total costs and expenses, net		416		152		335	16		919
Operating Profit	\$	235	\$	81	\$	149	\$ (16)	\$	449
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Quarter Ended 6/30/17	KFC		Pizz	za Hut	Taco Bell		Unallocated		Cons	solidated
Total revenues	\$	770	\$	222	\$	456	\$	_	\$	1,448
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Company restaurant expenses		415		73		260				748
General and administrative expenses		85		54		39		69		247
Franchise and property expenses		26		10		5		13		54
Refranchising (gain) loss								(19)		(19)
Other (income) expense		1						(2)		(1)
Total costs and expenses, net		527		137		304		61		1,029
Operating Profit	\$	243	\$	85	\$	152	\$	(61)	\$	419

The above tables reconcile segment information, which is based on management responsibility, with our Condensed Consolidated Summary of Results. Corporate and unallocated expenses comprise items that are not allocated to segments for performance reporting purposes.

The Corporate and Unallocated column in the above tables includes, among other amounts, all amounts that we have deemed Special Items. See Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Measurements to GAAP Results.

YUM! Brands, Inc. Segment Results (amounts in millions) (unaudited)

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Year to Date 6/30/18	KFC		Pizz	a Hut	Taco Bell		Unallocated		Con	solidated
Total revenues	\$	1,309	\$	484	\$	946	\$		\$	2,739
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Company restaurant expenses		430		43		387		(1)		859
General and administrative expenses		166		96		81		84		427
Franchise and property expenses		54		19		12		2		87
Franchise advertising and other services expense		205		155		186				546
Refranchising (gain) loss								(185)		(185)
Other (income) expense		(2)		2		(1)		4		3
Total costs and expenses, net		853		315		665		(96)		1,737
Operating Profit	\$	456	\$	169	\$	281	\$	96	\$	1,002

Year to Date 6/30/17	I	KFC	Pizz	za Hut	Tac	o Bell	rporate and llocated	Consolidated	
Total revenues	\$	1,502	\$	456	\$	907	\$	\$	2,865
Company restaurant expenses		825		158		523	_		1,506
General and administrative expenses		174		107		81	122		484
Franchise and property expenses		51		23		10	16		100
Refranchising (gain) loss				_		_	(130)		(130)
Other (income) expense		2		_		_			2
Total costs and expenses, net		1,052		288		614	8		1,962
Operating Profit	\$	450	\$	168	\$	293	\$ (8)	\$	903

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Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Summary of Results, Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets and Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (amounts in millions) (unaudited)

- (a) Amounts presented as of and for the quarters and years to date ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 are preliminary.
- (b) In connection with our previously announced plans to have at least 98% franchise restaurant ownership by the end of 2018, we recorded net refranchising gains during the quarters ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 of \$29 million and \$19 million, respectively, that have been reflected as Special Items. During the years to dated ended June 30, 2018 and 2017, we recorded net refranchising gains of \$185 million and \$130 million, respectively, that have been reflected as Special Items.
 - The second quarter 2018 net refranchising gains relate primarily to refranchising KFC restaurants in the UK. The second quarter 2017 net refranchising gains relate primarily to refranchising Taco Bell restaurants in the U.S., partially offset by charges associated with the refranchising of certain international markets.
- (c) In the fourth quarter of 2016, we announced our plan to transform our business. Major features of the Company's strategic transformation plans involve being more focused on development of our three brands, increasing our franchise ownership and creating a leaner, more efficient cost structure ("YUM's Strategic Transformation Initiatives"). During the quarters ended June 30, 2018 and 2017, we recognized Special Item charges of less than \$1 million and \$4 million, respectively, related to these initiatives. During the years to date ended June 30, 2018 and 2017, we recognized Special Item charges of \$1 million and \$11 million, respectively, related to these initiatives. These costs primarily related to severance and relocation costs that were recorded within G&A.
- (d) On May 1, 2017, we reached an agreement with Pizza Hut U.S. franchisees that will improve brand marketing alignment, accelerate enhancements in operations and technology and includes a permanent commitment to incremental advertising contributions by franchisees beginning in 2018. During the quarters ended June 30, 2018 and 2017, we recorded Special Item charges of \$1 million and \$12 million, respectively, for these investments. During the years to date ended June 30, 2018 and 2017, we recorded Special Item charges of \$2 million and \$12 million, respectively, for these investments. The majority of these costs were recorded within Franchise and property expenses.
- (e) During the first quarter of 2015, we reached an agreement with our KFC U.S. franchisees that gave us brand marketing control as well as an accelerated path to improved assets and customer experience. In connection with this agreement, we recognized Special Item charges of \$2 million and \$5 million for the quarters ended June 30, 2018 and 2017, respectively. During the years to date ended June 30, 2018 and 2017, we recognized Special Item charges of \$2 million and \$8 million, respectively. The majority of these costs were recorded within Franchise and property expenses.
- (f) In connection with the separation of Yum China, we modified certain share-based compensation awards held as part of our Executive Income Deferral Plan in YUM stock to provide one Yum China share-based award for each outstanding YUM share-based award. These Yum China awards may now be settled in cash, as opposed to stock, which requires recognition of the fair value of these awards each quarter within G&A in our Consolidated Statements of Income. During the quarter and year to date ended June 30, 2018, we recorded Special Item credits of \$2 million and \$1 million, respectively, due to depreciation in the market price of Yum China's stock. During the quarter and year to date ended June 30, 2017, we recorded Special Item charges of \$16 million and \$18 million, respectively, related to these awards.
- (g) We recorded a non-cash charge of \$22 million related to the adjustment of certain historical deferred vested liability balances in our qualified U.S. plan during the first quarter of 2017. This charge was recorded in Other pension (income) expense.
- (h) Tax Benefit (Expense) on Special Items was determined based upon the impact of the nature, as well as the jurisdiction of the respective individual components within Special Items. Additionally, during the quarter ended June 30, 2018, we recorded a \$19 million increase to our Income tax provision for the correction of an error associated with the tax recorded on a prior year divestiture, the effects of which were previously recorded as a Special Item.

(i)	During the quarter and year to date ended June 30, 2018 we recorded \$32 million and \$16 million decreases, respectively related to our provisional deemed repatriation tax expense recorded in the fourth quarter of 2017 associated with the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017 ("Tax Act") that was reported as a Special Item. We also recorded benefit in the quarter and year to date ended June 30, 2018 related to current year U.S. foreign tax credits that became realizable directly as a result of the impact of the deemed repatriation.