

BIOLASE, Inc.

Strong Q4 revenue growth and 2022 outlook positive. We remain positive on long-term growth potential. Lowering P/T to \$3.00.

COMPANY UPDATE

Rating: BUY

Ticker: BIOL

Price: \$0.35

Target: \$3.00
(from \$3.25)

Strong Q4 revenue growth: BIOLASE recently (on March 17) reported its Q4 2021 (ending December) results. Total revenue was \$12.4 million (+46% y-o-y), compared with our and consensus estimates of \$11 - 12 million. Pro forma EPS was \$(0.03), compared with our and consensus estimates of \$(0.02) - (0.03). Q4 revenue guidance was to be above \$10.2 million ("Q4 2019 revenues"), and in January, the company preannounced Q4 revenue of \$12.2 - 12.5 million.

Q4 rebounds continues: Revenue was up (+46% y-o-y and same as Q3's growth), due to the recovery from the negative coronavirus impact in 2020 (which bottomed out in Q2 2020). We note that Q4 2021 revenue was +22% compared with Q4 2019 (pre-pandemic).

Broad sales strength: U.S. laser sales were +39% (y-o-y) and International laser sales were +87% (y-o-y).

2022 guidance for growth: Management provided Q1 revenue guidance to be above \$9.0 million (+11% y-o-y), and 2022 revenue to be above \$43 million (+10% y-o-y).

Adjusting estimates: We are raising our 2022 revenue estimates to \$43 million, from \$41 million, but maintaining our EPS estimate of \$(0.06).

Large market opportunities: The company estimates that with every one percentage point increase in market adoption of laser technology in the U.S. alone, BIOLASE will generate an additional \$50 million in revenue (based on current BIOLASE market share).

Marketing opportunities: BIOLASE continues to make progress in expanding to Dental Services Organizations (DSOs). In addition, the company is expanding its various marketing programs especially to dental specialists (periodontist, endodontist, and hygienist).

We still remain positive: We believe BIOLASE is progressing (even if slow and lumpy at times) in its return to growth and profitability. We expect further improvement in 2022 after a strong 2021 (+72% y-o-y) which should drive momentum. BIOLASE has a solid line of innovative products, and should benefit from the recovery in the dental market, consistent sales execution, and new sales opportunities.

Strong balance sheet: The company has \$30 million in cash and \$14 million in debt. We believe it has enough cash through 2023.

Preferred stock distribution to assist in shareholder vote: In March, BIOLASE declared a dividend of one one-thousandth of a share of newly-designated Series G Preferred Stock for each outstanding share of BIOLASE common stock. This distribution is aimed to get the required votes necessary for the company to get approval for a reverse stock split.

Valuation positive: Maintaining our BUY, but lowering our 12-month price target to \$3.00 from \$3.25 which is based on an NPV analysis. We believe that BIOLASE represents a compelling investment story as the company continues to ramp up product sales. We believe the large market potentials presents a high reward for the high risks.

Company Description

Based in Foothill Ranch, CA, BIOLASE is a medical device company that markets laser systems (Waterlase and diode dental laser systems) for dentistry and medicine in the U.S. and internationally.

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Stock Data

Exchange:	NasdaqCM
52-week Range:	\$0.31 - 1.03
Shares Outstanding (million):	154
Market cap (\$million):	\$54
EV (\$million):	\$38
Debt (\$million):	\$14
Cash (\$million):	\$30
Avg. Daily Trading Vol. (\$million):	\$1
Float (million shares):	150
Short Interest (million shares):	4
Dividend, annual (yield):	\$0 (NA%)

Revenues (US\$ million)

	<u>2022E</u> (Cur.)	<u>2022E</u> (Old)	<u>2023E</u> (Cur.)	<u>2023E</u> (Old)
Q1 Mar	9E		10E	
Q2 Jun	10E		11E	
Q3 Sep	10E		11E	
Q4 Dec	<u>14E</u>	<u>12E</u>	<u>15E</u>	
Total	43E	41E	46E	
EV/Revs	0.9x		0.8x	

Earnings per Share (pro forma)

	<u>2022E</u> (Cur.)	<u>2022E</u> (Old)	<u>2023E</u> (Cur.)	<u>2023E</u> (Old)
Q1 Mar	(0.02)E		(0.01)E	
Q2 Jun	(0.02)E		(0.01)E	
Q3 Sep	(0.01)E	(0.02)E	(0.01)E	
Q4 Dec	<u>(0.01)E</u>	<u>(0.00)E</u>	<u>(0.00)E</u>	
Total	(0.06)E		(0.03)E	
P/E	N/A		N/A	

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Exhibit 1: BIOLASE Company Background and Highlights

BIOLASE at a Glance

Broad Range of Applications

Dental lasers perform a broad range of cosmetic, restorative and surgical applications

Complete Line of Products

For general dentists and specialists

43K+ Laser Systems Sold

In 80 countries to date

Large IP Portfolio

301 issued and 38 pending patents

\$30M in value

Massive Market Growth

Only 7% of U.S. Dental Practices incorporate all tissue lasers

Every additional 1% = \$50M in new revenue

Experienced Management Team

Transitioned the company from R&D focus to commercialization

Full-Spectrum of Laser Systems and Consumables

— 301 Issued + 38 Pending Patents —

ALL TISSUE LASER SOLUTIONS

Waterlase iPlus™

- Best selling All-Tissue dental laser—80 FDA cleared indications
- Replaces scalpel for minimally invasive, minimally bleeding microsurgery for soft tissues
- Replaces drill with substantial reduced need for anesthesia for teeth & bone



Waterlase Express™

- Smallest, easiest most cost-effective Waterlase
- Vivid HD tablet user interface
- Exclusive procedural animations
- Rich on-board reference library and Customer Care Button



TIPS & ACCESSORIES



SOFT TISSUE LASER SOLUTIONS

Epic X™

- Surgery, fast tooth whitening and pain therapy in one device
- Ultra portable for multiple-operator use



Epic H™

- Designed by hygienists, for hygienists
- FDA cleared for laser bacterial reduction ("LBR")



Epic Pro™

- Powerful and capable diode dental laser ever
- Best in class speed, comfort, and precision cutting
- Leverages IPG Medical technology

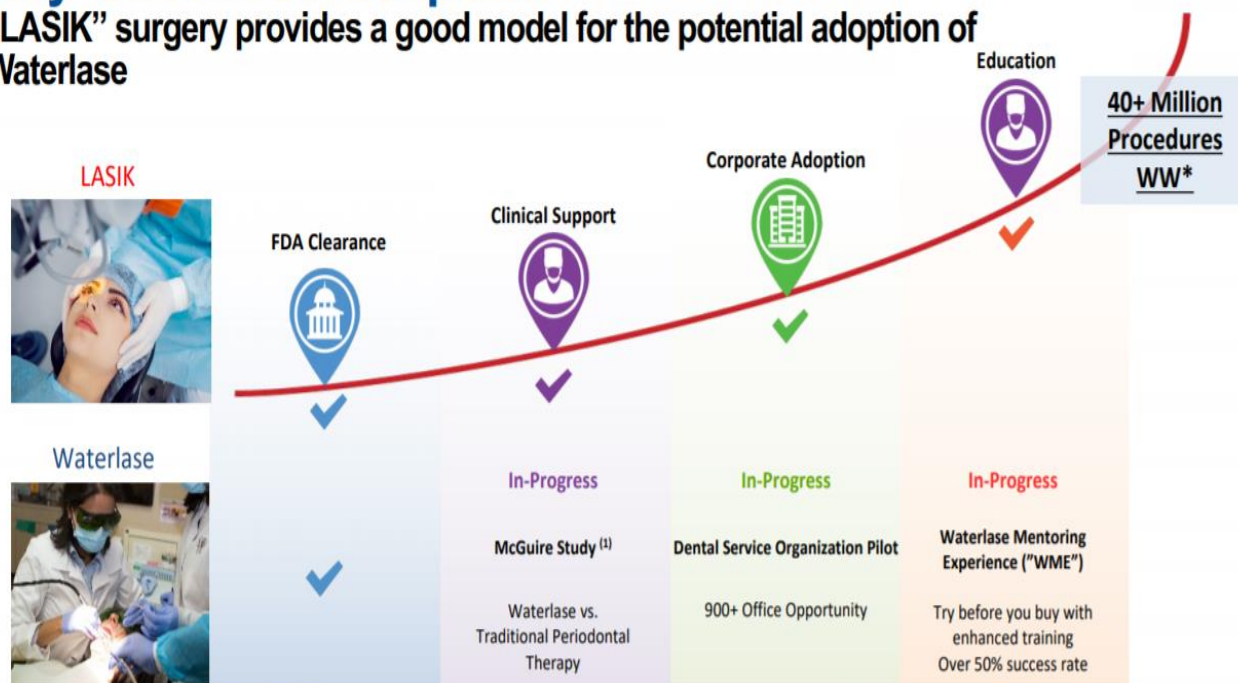


Source: Company report.

Exhibit 2: Market Opportunity

Key Drivers of Adoption

“LASIK” surgery provides a good model for the potential adoption of Waterlase



⁽¹⁾ "A prospective Multicenter Randomized and Controlled Study Comparing Laser and Mist Therapies for Treatment of Moderate to Severe Generalized Periodontitis" sponsored by The McGuire Institute and Biolase

* Source: American Refractive Surgery Council

BIOLASE Opportunity

Targeted Growth Strategy to Further Penetrate the U.S. Market



Source: Company report

Exhibit 3: Waterlase Marketing Programs

Executing Our Growth Strategy

Focused on Education & Training



Increased Marketing & Sales Efforts

Biggest Improvement in the Company Over the Past Couple of Years



BIOLASE Partnership Program (BPP)

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First 6 Months = Customer Revenue

Enables customers to generate revenue without any cash outflow for first 6 months
- ✓

Immediate Cash in Hand

Puts money in the customers pocket now
- ✓

BIOLASE = Compelling Reasons to See Their Dentist

As offices open, it is critical to get patients to come back right away
- ✓







In-office Training

 - + No travel, no need to spend time away from the office, staff can participate
 - + Facilitates true integration throughout the office
 - + Includes ongoing personal coaching

Source: Company report.

Exhibit 4: Waterlase Markets

Minimally invasive perio protocols for the Complete Office.

Gingivitis / Early Periodontitis	Moderate Periodontitis/Implantitis	Severe Periodontitis/Implantitis
 <p>HYGIENIST</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Effectively manage non-surgical Periodontitis Proven clinical protocols, including <i>Pocket Therapy</i> and <i>Perio Debridement</i> Step-by-step training & guidebooks for easy integration <p>GROW REVENUE +\$15 - \$40K per year</p> <p>Epic Hygiene </p>	 <p>DENTIST</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Easily manage moderate Periodontitis & Implantitis Minimally Invasive, Patient-Friendly protocols Excellent clinical results & patient-reported outcomes <p>GROW REVENUE +\$32 - \$64K per year</p> <p>Waterlase Dentistry </p>	 <p>PERIODONTIST</p> <p>Manage Severe, Difficult and Complex Cases</p> <p>Refer Out</p> <p>Waterlase Dentistry </p>
FDA Clearance 12/19 LBR Clearance 03/20	WME 50% Closure	McGuire Release 7/2020

A Significant Growth Opportunity

60M People in the U.S. Alone Have Gum Disease & Increased Health Risk
Due to the Connection Between Oral and Systemic Health

Under-diagnosed, Under-Treated, Under-managed

Peri-Implantitis

Less Frequent Dentist Visits



Source: Company report.

Exhibit 5: 4Q 2021 Financial Results

4Q21 Financial Results

(ended December 31, 2021)

- ✦ **Net revenue grew 46% to \$12.4 million:**
 - ✦ 82% of U.S. laser sales came from new customers, continuing a positive trend
 - ✦ Approximately 47% of U.S. Waterlase sales came from dental specialists
- ✦ **Net revenue was 22% higher than the pre-pandemic revenues during the fourth quarter of 2019, the last pre-pandemic comparable period**
- ✦ **Laser system sales increased 54%**
- ✦ **Consumables and other revenue increased 31%**
- ✦ **U.S. and international revenue increased 37% and 68%, respectively**, as more dental practices were operating during the 2021 fourth quarter compared to the year-ago fourth quarter due to the COVID-19 pandemic
- ✦ **Gross margin was 40%, up 2,070 basis points**, due to the higher year-over-year revenue, favorable revenue mix and higher average selling prices for products sold during the quarter
- ✦ **Maintained strong balance sheet, as cash and cash equivalents totaled \$30 million at quarter end**

Source: Company report.

Exhibit 6: BIOLASE's Stock Price (Five Years)



Source: <https://bigcharts.marketwatch.com/>

Exhibit 7: Consensus Expectations (as of March 17, 2022)

Revenue (mil)			EPS		
	2021E	2022E		2021E	2022E
Q1 Mar	\$8A	\$9E	Q1 Mar	\$(0.05)A	\$(0.03)E
Q2 Jun	\$9A		Q2 Jun	\$(0.02)A	
Q3 Sep	\$10A		Q3 Sep	\$(0.02)A	
Q4 Dec	\$12E		Q4 Dec	\$(0.03)E	
Total	\$39E	\$44E	Total	\$(0.10)E	\$(0.09)E

*Quarterly estimates may not add to annual estimates due to variations in contributing estimates and rounding.

Source: Company report, Refinitiv, and Ascendant Capital Markets estimates

FINANCIAL MODEL

BIOLASE, Inc.

Income Statement (\$ mils)	Mar-20	Jun-20	Sep-20	Dec-20	2020	Mar-21	Jun-21	Sep-21	Dec-21	2021	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	2022	Mar-23	Jun-23	Sep-23	Dec-23	2023
Fiscal Year End: December 31	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	FY-A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	FY-A	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E	FY-E	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E	FY-E
Products and services revenue	4.8	2.9	6.5	8.5	22.8	8.1	9.1	9.5	12.4	39.2	9.0	9.9	10.1	14.0	43.0	9.5	10.5	10.7	15.3	46.0
Other	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Revenue	4.8	2.9	6.5	8.5	22.8	8.1	9.1	9.5	12.4	39.2	9.0	9.9	10.1	14.0	43.0	9.5	10.5	10.7	15.3	46.0
Cost of Revenues	3.4	2.0	4.3	6.9	16.6	5.4	5.1	4.7	7.5	22.7	5.0	4.9	5.1	7.0	21.9	4.3	4.7	4.8	6.9	20.7
Gross Profit	1.4	0.9	2.3	1.6	6.2	2.7	4.0	4.8	4.9	16.5	4.1	4.9	5.1	7.0	21.0	5.3	5.8	5.9	8.4	25.3
Sales and marketing	2.7	2.1	2.7	3.8	11.2	3.6	3.3	3.5	5.0	15.3	3.2	3.4	3.3	4.1	14.0	3.3	3.5	3.4	4.3	14.5
General and administrative	3.0	2.1	2.3	2.3	9.8	3.4	2.8	2.5	2.6	11.3	2.8	3.0	2.8	3.4	11.9	2.9	3.0	2.9	3.5	12.3
Research and development	1.0	0.7	1.0	1.1	3.7	1.8	1.2	1.5	1.5	6.0	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	5.3	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.4	5.7
Excise tax					0.0					0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Restructuring, litigation, and other					0.0		0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total operating expenses	6.7	4.9	5.9	7.1	24.7	8.8	7.3	7.5	9.3	33.0	7.4	7.7	7.5	8.7	31.3	7.6	7.9	7.7	9.2	32.5
Operating income (loss)	(5.4)	(4.0)	(3.7)	(5.5)	(18.5)	(6.1)	(3.3)	(2.7)	(4.4)	(16.4)	(3.3)	(2.8)	(2.4)	(1.7)	(10.2)	(2.4)	(2.2)	(1.8)	(0.8)	(7.2)
Interest income (expense)	(0.6)	(0.6)	(0.6)	(0.6)	(2.4)	(0.6)	(0.6)	(0.6)	(0.5)	(2.2)	(0.5)	(0.5)	(0.5)	(0.5)	(2.0)	(0.5)	(0.5)	(0.5)	(0.5)	(2.0)
Other income (expense)	(0.1)	(0.0)	(13.1)	0.1	(13.2)	(0.7)	3.1	(0.0)	(0.3)	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Income before income taxes	(6.0)	(4.6)	(17.4)	(6.1)	(34.1)	(7.4)	(0.8)	(3.3)	(5.2)	(16.6)	(3.8)	(3.3)	(2.9)	(2.2)	(12.2)	(2.9)	(2.7)	(2.3)	(1.3)	(9.2)
Income taxes	(0.0)	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	(0.1)	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net income (loss)	(6.0)	(4.7)	(17.4)	(6.1)	(34.2)	(7.4)	(0.7)	(3.3)	(5.3)	(16.7)	(3.8)	(3.3)	(2.9)	(2.2)	(12.2)	(2.9)	(2.7)	(2.3)	(1.3)	(9.2)
Nonrecurring/noncash adjustments	2.5	1.8	14.9	1.5	20.7	2.2	(2.0)	0.8	0.9	2.0	0.8	0.8	0.8	1.0	3.3	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.5	4.5
Net income (pro forma)	(3.6)	(2.9)	(2.5)	(4.6)	(13.6)	(5.3)	(2.7)	(2.5)	(4.3)	(14.7)	(3.0)	(2.5)	(2.2)	(1.2)	(8.9)	(1.9)	(1.7)	(1.3)	0.2	(4.7)
EBITDA	(4.5)	(2.9)	(2.5)	(4.5)	(14.3)	(5.3)	(2.7)	(2.5)	(4.3)	(14.7)	(2.9)	(2.3)	(2.0)	(1.2)	(8.4)	(1.9)	(1.7)	(1.4)	(0.3)	(5.4)
Shares, Basic	31.5	38.0	81.3	93.2	61.1	134.6	150.7	151.9	153.5	147.7	153.5	153.6	153.7	153.8	153.6	153.8	153.9	154.0	154.1	153.9
Shares, Diluted	31.5	38.0	81.3	93.2	61.1	134.6	150.7	151.9	153.5	147.7	153.5	153.6	153.7	153.8	153.6	153.8	153.9	154.0	154.1	153.9
EPS Basic (Pro forma)	(\$0.11)	(\$0.08)	(\$0.03)	(\$0.05)	(\$0.22)	(\$0.04)	(\$0.02)	(\$0.02)	(\$0.03)	(\$0.10)	(\$0.02)	(\$0.02)	(\$0.01)	(\$0.01)	(\$0.06)	(\$0.01)	(\$0.01)	(\$0.01)	\$0.00	(\$0.03)
EPS Diluted (Pro forma)	(\$0.11)	(\$0.08)	(\$0.03)	(\$0.05)	(\$0.22)	(\$0.04)	(\$0.02)	(\$0.02)	(\$0.03)	(\$0.10)	(\$0.02)	(\$0.02)	(\$0.01)	(\$0.01)	(\$0.06)	(\$0.01)	(\$0.01)	(\$0.01)	\$0.00	(\$0.03)
Margins																				
Gross margin	28%	32%	35%	19%	27%	34%	44%	51%	40%	42%	45%	50%	50%	50%	49%	55%	55%	55%	55%	55%
Sales and marketing	57%	71%	41%	44%	49%	44%	36%	36%	40%	39%	36%	34%	33%	29%	33%	35%	33%	32%	28%	32%
General and administrative	63%	73%	35%	27%	43%	42%	30%	26%	21%	29%	31%	30%	28%	24%	28%	30%	29%	27%	23%	27%
Research and development	21%	23%	15%	12%	16%	22%	13%	16%	12%	15%	15%	14%	13%	9%	12%	15%	14%	13%	9%	12%
Operating margin	-112%	-135%	-56%	-65%	-81%	-75%	-36%	-28%	-36%	-42%	-37%	-28%	-24%	-12%	-24%	-25%	-21%	-17%	-5%	-16%
Tax rate, GAAP	0%	-1%	0%	-1%	0%	-1%	10%	0%	-1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Net margin	-126%	-160%	-266%	-72%	-150%	-92%	-8%	-34%	-43%	-43%	-43%	-33%	-29%	-16%	-28%	-30%	-26%	-22%	-8%	-20%
Y/Y % change																				
Total Revenue	-54%	-66%	-24%	-16%	-40%	70%	211%	46%	46%	72%	11%	8%	6%	13%	10%	6%	6%	6%	9%	7%
Gross margin	-62%	-72%	-23%	-64%	-57%	103%	329%	113%	206%	168%	48%	22%	4%	43%	27%	30%	17%	17%	20%	20%
Sales and marketing	-30%	-36%	-24%	1%	-22%	31%	58%	29%	33%	36%	-9%	1%	-3%	-19%	-9%	3%	3%	3%	5%	4%
General and administrative	26%	-15%	-28%	-12%	-9%	15%	30%	8%	14%	16%	-19%	6%	14%	27%	5%	3%	2%	2%	4%	3%
Research and development	-30%	-39%	-14%	-4%	-23%	82%	68%	60%	47%	64%	-25%	19%	-15%	-18%	-12%	6%	6%	6%	9%	7%
Operating income (loss)	23%	19%	-25%	82%	19%	13%	-17%	-28%	-20%	-11%	-45%	-16%	-9%	-62%	-38%	-28%	-21%	-25%	-55%	-30%
Net income (loss)	23%	20%	217%	72%	92%	24%	-85%	-81%	-14%	-51%	-48%	360%	-11%	-59%	-27%	-25%	-17%	-21%	-42%	-25%
EPS Diluted (Pro forma)	-26%	-42%	-76%	2%	-50%	-65%	-77%	-47%	-43%	-55%	-50%	-7%	-13%	-73%	-42%	-38%	-33%	-39%	-120%	-48%

Source: Company reports and Ascendant Capital Markets estimates.

BIOLASE, Inc.

Balance Sheet (\$ mills)	Mar-20	Jun-20	Sep-20	Dec-20	Mar-21	Jun-21	Sep-21	Dec-21	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Jun-23	Sep-23	Dec-23
Fiscal Year End: December 31	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E
Assets																
Cash and cash equivalents	1.5	5.4	18.8	17.6	40.8	37.1	33.4	30.0	31.2	29.0	26.8	27.9	24.5	22.6	21.2	24.2
Short term investments									0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Restricted cash	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Accounts receivable, net	4.7	4.1	3.4	3.1	3.3	3.8	3.6	4.2	7.5	8.2	8.4	11.7	8.0	8.7	8.9	12.7
Inventory	12.2	11.9	12.6	11.2	11.9	12.7	14.1	12.9	6.6	6.6	6.7	9.3	5.7	6.3	6.4	9.2
Prepaid expenses and other	1.2	1.1	0.9	3.0	1.6	1.5	1.4	2.0	0.9	1.0	1.0	0.7	1.0	1.0	1.1	0.8
Total current assets	20.0	22.9	36.0	35.1	57.7	55.3	52.7	49.4	46.4	45.0	43.1	49.9	39.4	38.8	37.9	47.1
Property and equipment, net	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
Goodwill and intangibles	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9
Other	0.6	1.2	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9
Total assets	24.5	27.8	42.0	41.0	63.5	61.2	58.5	55.3	52.3	50.9	49.1	55.8	45.3	44.8	43.8	53.0
Liabilities and stockholders' equity																
Accounts payable	4.1	2.5	2.6	2.7	3.1	3.5	3.6	3.3	7.2	7.9	8.1	12.6	7.6	8.4	8.6	13.8
Accrued expenses	4.1	3.5	4.3	6.7	6.2	6.5	6.2	8.3	4.5	4.9	5.1	8.4	4.8	5.2	5.4	9.2
Customer deposits									0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Deferred revenue	2.0	1.5	1.6	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3
Short term debt	13.6	13.5	12.9			0.7	1.4		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total current liabilities	23.7	21.1	21.4	11.2	11.3	12.7	13.5	13.8	14.0	15.1	15.4	23.3	14.7	15.9	16.2	25.2
Deferred taxes									0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Deferred revenue	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Warranty Accruals	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Other long term liabilities	1.1	1.6	3.0	2.8	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8
Long term debt		3.1	3.1	16.2	16.3	12.7	12.1	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.6	13.6
Total other liabilities	1.7	5.4	6.7	19.8	18.7	15.3	14.7	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2
Preferred stock	4.0		0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Common stock	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Additional paid-in capital	236.4	247.2	259.4	261.6	292.1	292.5	292.9	293.2	293.2	293.2	293.2	293.2	293.2	293.2	293.2	293.2
Retained earnings	(240.6)	(245.3)	(245.2)	(251.4)	(258.3)	(259.0)	(262.3)	(267.5)	(270.6)	(273.1)	(275.2)	(276.4)	(278.3)	(280.0)	(281.3)	(281.1)
Accumulated other comprehensive income	(0.7)	(0.6)	(0.5)	(0.4)	(0.5)	(0.5)	(0.6)	(0.6)	(0.6)	(0.6)	(0.6)	(0.6)	(0.6)	(0.6)	(0.6)	(0.6)
Other									(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.1)
Total stockholders' equity	(0.9)	1.3	13.9	10.0	33.5	33.3	30.3	25.2	22.1	19.6	17.4	16.3	14.4	12.7	11.4	11.6
Total stockholders' equity and liabilities	24.5	27.8	42.0	41.0	63.5	61.2	58.5	55.3	52.3	50.9	49.1	55.8	45.3	44.8	43.8	53.0

Balance Sheet Drivers

	Mar-20	Jun-20	Sep-20	Dec-20	Mar-21	Jun-21	Sep-21	Dec-21	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	Mar-23	Jun-23	Sep-23	Dec-23
	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E
Prepaid as % of total rev	25%	37%	14%	35%	19%	17%	14%	16%	10%	10%	10%	5%	10%	10%	10%	5%
Accounts payable as % of total rev	85%	85%	40%	31%	38%	38%	38%	27%	80%	80%	80%	90%	80%	80%	80%	90%
Accrued expenses as % of total rev	85%	121%	65%	78%	77%	71%	65%	67%	50%	50%	50%	60%	50%	50%	50%	60%
Activity Ratios																
A/R Days Sales Outstanding	233	371	176	119	134	127	135	95	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75
Inventory Turns	1.1	0.7	1.4	2.5	1.8	1.6	1.3	2.3	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
A/P Days Payable	106	113	55	35	51	62	69	40	131	144	144	162	160	160	160	180
Book & Cash Value (per share)																
Book Value per Share (diluted)	-\$0.03	\$0.03	\$0.17	\$0.11	\$0.25	\$0.22	\$0.20	\$0.16	\$0.14	\$0.13	\$0.11	\$0.11	\$0.09	\$0.08	\$0.07	\$0.08
Cash per Share (diluted)	\$0.05	\$0.14	\$0.23	\$0.19	\$0.30	\$0.25	\$0.22	\$0.20	\$0.20	\$0.19	\$0.17	\$0.18	\$0.16	\$0.15	\$0.14	\$0.16
Net cash per Share (diluted)	-\$0.38	-\$0.30	\$0.03	\$0.01	\$0.18	\$0.16	\$0.13	\$0.11	\$0.11	\$0.10	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.07	\$0.06	\$0.05	\$0.07

Source: Company reports and Ascendant Capital Markets estimates

BIOLASE, Inc.

Cash Flow Statement (\$ mils)	Mar-20	Jun-20	Sep-20	Dec-20	2020	Mar-21	Jun-21	Sep-21	Dec-21	2021	Mar-22	Jun-22	Sep-22	Dec-22	2022	Mar-23	Jun-23	Sep-23	Dec-23	2023
Fiscal Year End: December 31	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	FY-A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	FY-A	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E	FY-E	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E	FY-E
Cash flow from operating activities																				
Net income	(6.0)	(4.7)	0.0	(6.1)	(16.8)	(6.9)	(0.7)	(3.3)	(5.3)	(16.2)	(3.0)	(2.5)	(2.2)	(1.2)	(8.9)	(1.9)	(1.7)	(1.3)	0.2	(4.7)
Depreciation and amortization	0.2	0.3	0.0	(0.0)	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.8
Provision for bad debt	1.0	0.0	0.3	0.2	1.4	(0.0)	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.0)	(0.2)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Inventory reserves			0.1	0.6	0.7	(0.0)	(0.1)	(0.0)	(0.3)	(0.4)										
Amortization of debt	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.5										
Stock comp	0.7	0.8	0.8	1.0	3.4	0.9	0.4	0.4	0.2	1.8	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.0
Other gains/losses					0.0		(3.0)			(3.0)					0.0					0.0
Deferred taxes	(0.0)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Warrant revaluation			(4.2)	0.0	(4.2)					0.0					0.0					0.0
Other					0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.3	(0.3)	(0.3)	(0.3)	(0.3)	(1.0)	(0.3)	(0.3)	(0.3)	(0.3)	(1.0)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:																				
Restricted cash					0.0					0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Accounts receivable	3.0	0.6	0.4	0.3	4.3	(0.2)	(0.5)	0.3	(0.6)	(1.0)	(3.3)	(0.7)	(0.2)	(3.3)	(7.4)	3.7	(0.8)	(0.2)	(3.8)	(1.1)
Inventory	(1.2)	0.3	(0.7)	0.7	(0.9)	(0.7)	(0.8)	(1.3)	1.4	(1.4)	6.3	0.0	(0.2)	(2.6)	3.6	3.6	(0.5)	(0.2)	(2.7)	0.2
Prepaid expenses & other current as	(0.1)	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.6	(0.1)	(0.2)	0.1	0.3	1.1	(0.1)	(0.0)	0.3	1.3	(0.3)	(0.1)	(0.0)	0.3	(0.1)
Other assets					0.0					0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Accounts payable and accrued liability	(1.5)	(2.3)	0.4	1.3	(2.1)	(0.5)	1.0	0.2	1.1	1.8	0.1	1.1	0.3	7.9	9.4	(8.6)	1.2	0.3	9.0	1.9
Deferred revenue	(0.2)	(0.5)	0.1	0.2	(0.4)	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other liabilities					0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Net cash (used in) provided by oper	(4.1)	(5.2)	(2.1)	(1.3)	(12.8)	(6.5)	(3.5)	(3.6)	(3.1)	(16.7)	1.5	(2.0)	(2.0)	1.3	(1.2)	(3.2)	(1.7)	(1.2)	3.2	(2.9)
Cash flow from investing activities																				
Purchases of property and equipment	(0.0)	(0.1)	0.0	(0.0)	(0.1)	(0.0)	(0.3)	(0.1)	(0.3)	(0.7)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.8)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.8)
Purchases of short-term investments					0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Acquisitions					0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Other					0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Net cash used in investing activities	(0.0)	(0.1)	0.0	(0.0)	(0.1)	(0.0)	(0.3)	(0.1)	(0.3)	(0.7)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.8)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.8)
Cash flow from financing activities																				
Issuance of debt	(0.1)	3.2	2.0	(2.8)	2.3		(0.0)	(0.0)		(0.0)					0.0					0.0
Issuance of stock		2.9	16.4	2.7	22.0	13.3	(0.0)	0.0	0.0	13.3					0.0					0.0
Proceeds from stock option exercises		3.0	(3.0)	0.0	0.0	16.5	0.0	0.1	0.1	16.7					0.0					0.0
Other					0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Cash provided by (used in) financing	(0.1)	9.1	15.4	(0.1)	24.3	29.8	(0.0)	0.1	0.1	30.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Effect of exchange rate on cash	(0.0)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	(0.1)	0.1	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.2)					0.0					0.0
Net increase (decrease) in cash and	(4.3)	3.9	13.4	(1.3)	11.8	23.2	(3.8)	(3.7)	(3.4)	12.3	1.3	(2.2)	(2.2)	1.1	(2.0)	(3.4)	(1.9)	(1.4)	3.0	(3.7)
Beginning cash and equivalents	5.9	1.6	5.5	18.9	5.9	17.6	40.8	37.0	33.3	17.6	29.9	31.2	29.0	26.8	29.9	27.9	24.5	22.6	21.2	27.9
Ending cash and equivalents	1.6	5.5	18.9	17.6	17.6	40.8	37.0	33.3	29.9	29.9	31.2	29.0	26.8	27.9	27.9	24.5	22.6	21.2	24.2	24.2

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Report	Date	Rating	Target
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25	3/16/2018	B	5.50
26	5/3/2018	B	5.00
27	8/9/2018	B	3.00
28	11/15/2018	B	2.75
29	1/18/2019	B	2.75
30	3/6/2019	B	3.00
31	5/10/2019	B	3.25
32	8/12/2019	B	2.75
33	11/7/2019	B	1.75
34	1/29/2020	B	2.00
35	3/29/2020	B	1.75
36	5/12/2020	B	1.65
37	8/18/2020	B	1.75
38	10/18/2020	B	1.75
39	11/14/2020	B	1.50
40	3/31/2021	B	1.75
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