## Forrester 2020 Investor Summary

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Forrester creates <u>research</u> that enables companies to grow profit and revenue in an age of tech-empowered customers.



### Research drives client profitability

## +34%

Forrester clients are 34% more profitable than non-clients.

# +52%

Forrester's most engaged clients are 52% more profitable than non-clients.

### Total Available Research Market

Vision: Strategy: Execution: \$9 Billion\$21 Billion\$52 Billion

Total: \$82 Billion

### Forrester 2019 Revenue: \$486.5 Million

### Forrester's Competitive Position



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### Forrester's Global Reach

### **18 offices in 10 countries**

# 13 channel partners in 18 countries

**Over 1,800 employees** 

2,880 clients



### The Forrester Growth Engine

# Forrester grows through...

Renewing contracts Enriching contracts New business

### Improving existing products Introducing new products

**Acquisitions** 

Growth from renewals, enrichment and new business

#### **Customer Engagement Model**

#### **Sales force effectiveness**

### Sales Force Effectiveness

### Client Enrichment finished 2019 at 106%

12 consecutive quarters of increased Salesperson productivity through yearend 2019

### Growth from product innovation

# Continual improvement of existing products -- CXi

One new product introduced every 24 months --Certification

## Growth from acquisitions

# Forrester's acquisitions have had a meaningful impact on our growth



\* 2019 revenue reflects midpoint of full year guidance and is not actual or final

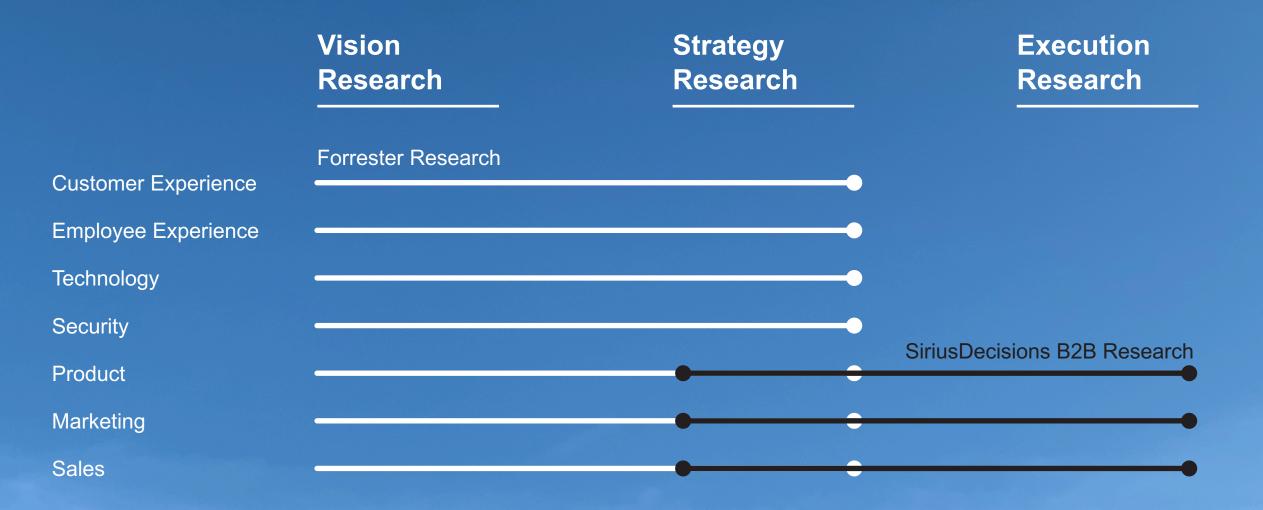
### SiriusDecisions

Operational research for B2B marketers, sales leaders, and product leaders

**\$91M in revenue** 

Average yearly growth of 15% over the last five years

# Forrester and Sirius create a complete research portfolio to deliver client success in the AOC



### FeedbackNow



### \$4.5M in revenue Growing 270%

### The Forrester Growth Engine



Invest in: Salesforce Product Innovation Acquisitions

#### **Generate Cash**

## Pandemic Impact on Forrester

#### **Events**

### **Analyst Advisory**

General economic slowdown

### Actions We Have Taken

### **Cut \$60 million in cost**

# In-depth pandemic research

### Successfully pivoted Events to virtual

Financial Overview

### Products by 2019 Revenue

Re	search Revenue	Consulting & Events Revenue			
Forrester <sup>®</sup> research	Forrester <sup>®</sup> connect	Forrester <sup>®</sup> analytics	Forrester <sup>®</sup> consulting	Forrester <sup>®</sup> <b>events</b>	
48%	12%	6%	28%	6%	
<ul> <li>AoC Research</li> <li>Decision frameworks</li> <li>B2B Marketing</li> <li>CMO</li> <li>CSO</li> <li>Product</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Peer connections</li> <li>Executive coaches</li> <li>Community</li> <li>Certification</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CX Index</li> <li>Consumer Technographics</li> <li>Business Technographics</li> <li>ForecastView</li> <li>FeedbackNow</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Advisory</li> <li>Strategy consulting</li> <li>Content marketing</li> <li>Operations consulting</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>SiriusDecisions Summits</li> <li>CX Forums</li> <li>Digital Transformation Forums</li> <li>Marketing Forums</li> <li>Strategy and Insights Forum</li> </ul>	

### Adjusted Income Statement – Q2 2020

(in \$M)		Q2-20	PY	Y/Y \$Δ	Υ/Υ %Δ	
Revenue		113.7	133.1	-19.4	-15%	
Expense		94.5	113.1	-18.6	-16%	
Operating Income		19.2	20.0	-0.8	-4%	
Operating Margin		16.9%	15.0%	1.9%	12%	
Other Income/(Expense)		-1.5	-2.2	0.7	-32%	
Net Income		12.2	12.3	-0.1	-1%	
EPS		\$0.65	\$0.65	-\$0.01	-1%	
WASO		18.8	18.8	0.1	0%	
Guidance Margin		Revenue		103.0 - 108.0		
		1	8% -	8% - 10%		
		EPS		\$0.26 - \$0.34		

### Client Metrics – Q2 2020

Client metrics showing the impact of the pandemic

	Q2-18	Q2-19	Q2-20	Q1-20
Agreement Value (in \$M)	249.5	348.9	339.4	354.9
AV y/y growth	5.4%	39.8%	-2.7%	2.8%
AV q/q growth	1.3%	1.0%	-4.4%	-0.9%
Deferred Revenue (in \$M)	142.9	180.9	170.8	195.4
Y/Y growth	-1.7%	26.6%	-5.6%	2.4%
Sequential qtrly growth	-8.0%	-5.2%	-12.6%	9.0%
12 mo. Rolling Client Retention	71.2%	73.1%	65.7%	68.9%
12 mo. Rolling Dollar Retention	89.1%	90.0%	88.1%	89.1%
12 mo. Rolling Enrichment	107.3%	108.4%	98.2%	102.2%
Client Count	2,355	2,875	2,679	2,805
Y/Y growth	-2.6%	22.1%	-6.8%	-1.6%

#### 2020 Full Year Guidance – Adjusted

Revenue: \$420MM to \$430MM

Performance vs. PY: -9% to -11%

Op. Margin: 8.5% to 10.5%

Performance vs. PY: -1pt to -3pts

• EPS: \$1.15 to \$1.40

• Performance vs. PY: -15% to -30%

### Forrester's Pandemic Pivot

We are experiencing near-term pressure, like most businesses, that will impact revenue and operating profit in 2020.

On our Q1 call, we reduced our revenue and EPS guidance: Significantly beat revenue and EPS guidance for Q2 as Events and Consulting performed better than expected. On our Q2 call we tightened full year revenue guidance towards upper end of previous guidance and increased full year EPS guidance

Our balance sheet is in good shape and we have a \$75 million revolving line of credit available

We will manage through this as we have past recessions. The pandemic has created opportunities to help our clients improve their digital business models