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## Daktronics Inc. (Nasdaq: DAKT)

# Fix Daktronics: The Alta Fox Path to \$40/Share

Better Governance, Incentives, and Outcomes for Shareholders

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# **About Alta Fox Capital Management**

### Firm Overview

L/S equity focus with a long-term time horizon

8-member team headquartered in Fort Worth, TX

\$500M+ in Assets under Management

Has openly shared investment ideas, research and analysis

### Differentiated Investment Approach

Deep fundamental research in SMID caps, which we see as an increasingly neglected area of the market

Flexible mandate allows us to seek out the best opportunities globally across multiple industries and asset classes

Strong reputation of global shareholder activism including US, Europe, and Australia

### **Activist Key Stats**

Alta Fox has a strong reputation of success in shareholder activism

Alta Fox led campaigns have resulted in over 10 managerial & Board member replacements\*

Founder has served on the Boards of public (MAMA, EML) and private companies, driving significant operational improvements



\*Although Alta Fox believes that changes identified herein are significantly attributable to its efforts, many factors outside of Alta Fox's control may also have contributed to such changes.

# **AFC History of Activist Involvement**

Company Name / Ticker	Years AFC Active	Business Description	AFC Involvement	Outcome: Successful / Unsuccessful	Total Shareholder Return During AFC Campaign*	Board Member Turnover	Management Members Replaced
Collectors Universe: CLCT	2020-2021	business operating in oligopoly	Open letter & nominated slate of directors with mandate to improve capital allocation	Successful	240%	2	CEO
Enlabs: NLAB SS	2020-2021	in the Baltics with 50% market share	Supportive investor presentation     Open letter with blocking stake     demanding higher price following     Entain's lowball take-out offer	Successful	143%	N/A	N/A
Hasbro: HAS	2022	high-quality gaming business	Nominated slate of directors alongside investor presentation with a mandate to spin-off WOTC and improve capital allocation.	Unsuccessful	-8%	2	CFO
Daktronics: DAKT	2023-present	Scoreboard & virtual display manufacturer in the US with nearly 50% market share	Open letter to Board in Jan 2023 calling for managerial and Board accountability     May 2023, Alta Fox made a \$25M convertible notes investment to bolster DAKT's balance sheet, signing a 16-month standstill	TBD	498%	TBD	CFO
EML Payments: EML AU	2023-2024	set to benefit from rising rates, but plagued by poor capital	Alta Fox replaced half the Board with our own directors, replaced the "out of touch" CEO, and EML successfully exited unprofitable businesses	Successful	72%	3	CEO



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## Summary: Why We Are Here Today

- Daktronics ("DAKT") is a high-quality business with market-leading share in a secular growth industry.
- DAKT has underperformed its potential and the S&P 500 by 195%<sup>1</sup> during Chairman Reece Kurtenbach's tenure, operating like a private family business with little accountability to shareholders.
- Alta Fox holds ~5x the number of shares held by the entire Daktronics Board combined, representing ~12% ownership.<sup>2</sup> We are advocating for long-overdue Board refreshment and governance enhancements.
- Alta Fox has tried to work constructively with DAKT's Board for over two years, but governance has
  worsened. The Board seems more focused on protecting the status quo than embracing shareholder ideas.
- With a more aligned Board and improved management team, we believe growth and efficiency at Daktronics will dramatically improve in the years to come.
- We believe that shareholder-led improvements to operations and investor communication can help drive DAKT's share price to >\$40 by FY28, over 100% upside from current levels.



# **DAKT's Board Remains Unwilling to Constructively Engage**

Alta Fox has tried, on numerous occasions, to engage privately with the Board of Directors to result in substantive change.

Event Number	Date	Alta Fox Engagement/Event	Aftermath
1	9/26/2022	Alta Fox visits Daktronics' Headquarters in South Dakota, urges operational improvements and financial discipline, tells Daktronics to call if there is ever a capital concern as we would like to invest additional capital into the business.	Unfortunately, nothing. DAKT did not follow up on any of AFC's suggestions, nor did they call for desperately needed equity capital.
2	12/5/2022	Daktronics files an 8K outlining their auditors have issued "doubt about their ability to operate as a going concern." $^{\rm 1}$	AFC calls Daktronics' main line only to discover that CEO & CFO are both working from home that day.
3	5/11/2023	Daktronics inserts \$25 million in direct financing convertible debt <sup>2</sup> while stock is distressed at a 20-year low.	Alta Fox abides by a punitive ~16-month standstill and offers private, constructive thoughts over the subsequent 1.5 years.
4	6/5/2024	AFC sent a private letter to the Lead Independent Director on the Board. We outlined: a) governance concerns, b) the need for a new CFO, and c) the need for shareholder-appointed Board members.	Daktronics fails to respond to a specific, respectful, private letter from its largest shareholder.
5	9/5/2024	AFC sent a private letter to the entire Board of Directors outlining governance and managerial concerns.	A call was set up with Board members Reece Kurtenbach and Andrew Siegel. No substantive commitments were made.
6	11/11/2024	AFC requests questionnaire to prepare a potential special meeting of shareholders.	Daktronics reduces threshold of their poison pill just days later.
7	11/20/2024	Daktronics issues a press release announcing they have lowered the threshold of their poison pill from 20% to 15%, further entrenching the Board of Directors. <sup>3</sup>	Stock falls 5%+ on the day. Alta Fox prepares for a proxy contest as we have exhausted all avenues for an amicable resolution.



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### About Daktronics

Daktronics is a manufacturer of electronic scoreboards and large screen video displays for sporting, commercial and transportation applications. The company was founded in 1968 and has been public since 1994. The company is known for making the highest quality products due to exceptional engineering prowess. This has led to Daktronics being the market share leader in nearly all its end markets. The company is based in Brookings, South Dakota and at the time of Alta Fox's position initiation, had zero sell side analyst coverage and a ~\$200M market cap. Key Financial Metrics1

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	12/9/24	
Stock Price	\$18.27	
FDSO (including convert)	51.7M	
Market Cap	\$944.6M	
Cash	\$134.4M	
Debt (excluding convert)	\$14.6M	
Enterprise Value	\$824.8M	



1120 Multiples		
FY26 Valuation Metrics	4/30/2026	
PE (+) net cash/share	11.7x	
EV/EBITDA	7.5x	



Intuit Dome Halo Board



1. Source: DAKT Filings



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# **About Daktronics (Cont.)**

Daktronics is the leading electronic scoreboard/video display manufacturer in the US with 46% market share.\* Daktronics serves the secular growth sporting/live events, commercial and transportation end markets.





\*Source: DAKT March 2024 Investor Presentation



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# **Daktronics is a High-Quality Business**

Daktronics' revenues are fueled by the expanding sports and live events market, advancements in LED technology, and a steady stream of replacement demand from a diverse base of thousands of customers.

Attractive industry dynamics	Barriers to entry in the virtual display market are high:
DAKT has dominant market share (46%) in a fast-growing market.*	Relationship oriented direct sales network in Sports/Live Events is difficult to replicate. DAKT's steady maintenance revenues between orders provide consistent lines of dialogue with customers.
Replacement/upgrade demand drives majority of revenues.	Service quality and brand trust are paramount. Daktronics' scale gives them the ability to service key nation-wide accounts using their own employees, something overseas competition cannot offer.
Growing complexity of solutions, along with increasing software integration, should lead to industry consolidation, favoring the largest and most reputable players such as Daktronics.	Mission-critical investment requires choosing a trusted brand.
No significant customer concentration.	Niche market with high fixed costs relative to the size of the market.



\*Source: DAKT March 2024 Investor Presentation



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# **Daktronics Makes Exceptional Products**

For the largest, most advanced, and most spectacular video displays in the world, Daktronics is the industry standard.

For example, Daktronics is a supplier to:



17 out of the 32 NFL teams

including  $\bf 4$  of the top  $\bf 5$  largest video displays



16 out of the 30 MLB teams including  ${\bf 3}$  of the top  ${\bf 5}$  largest video displays



Source: https://www.daktronics.com/en-us/markets/sports/major-league-sports-installation



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# DAKT's Intuit Dome is a Game-Changer for the Sports Industry

The Daktronics-supplied Intuit Dome Halo Board is the largest-ever double-sided arena halo display and a HARBINGER of where the industry is headed.

It is roughly an acre and features 233 million LEDs, ~5x AS MANY AS THE AVERAGE NBA ARENA CENTER-HUNG SCOREBOARD.\*

We believe that in the NEVER-ENDING ARMS RACE of sports, teams & venues will continue to try and "ONE-UP" competitors to generate a superior fan experience.

The Intuit Dome halo display is where the industry is headed: BIGGER, BRIGHTER, BETTER... which results in more revenue for Daktronics.

This same mentality is playing out on a smaller scale at both the COLLEGIATE AND HIGH-SCHOOL LEVELS.





\*Source: https://www.sportsbusinessjournal.com/Articles/2024/11/18/intuit-dome-halo-effect

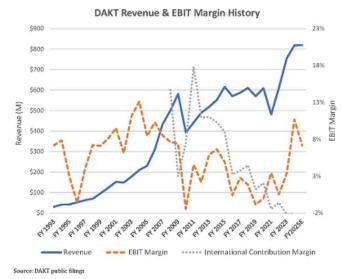


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# Growth has been Secular, Not Cyclical

- DAKT has CAGR'ed revenues at 11% since its earliest reported metrics (1993).
- We believe the biggest issue historically has not been revenue volatility, but rather inconsistent EBIT margins.
   This is a result of poor execution and weak financial planning/pricing.
- Increased shareholder pressure following DAKT's going concern notice in 2022 has led to an improved emphasis on driving higher margins and a focus on generating significant FCF, though significantly more accountability is needed.

History shows that DAKT is a secular growth business. With shareholder-driven leadership improvements, we believe margins can similarly stabilize and grow.



Note that DAKT's International Contribution Margins have gone *negative* in recent years.





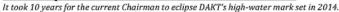
# A Tale of Two Kurtenbachs: The Founder & The Son

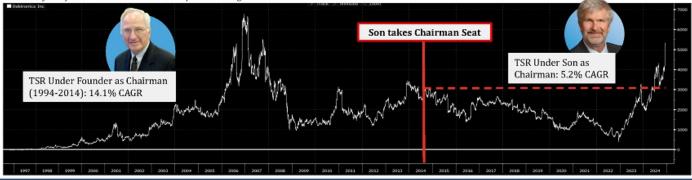
### Daktronics' performance as a public company is a tale of two leaders: the Founder and his Son.

- · Under the Founder, Daktronics delivered strong growth, profitability, and exceptional shareholder returns. Under his Son, growth has stalled, governance has weakened, and returns have languished.
- We believe Daktronics' underlying business quality can support a return to its historic success. With governance reform, the company can reignite growth, restore profitability, and deliver superior shareholder value.

DAKT Generational KPIs	First Generation KPIs: 1993-2014	Second Generation KPIs: 2014-2024
Revenue CAGR	15%	4%
Avg. EBIT Margin	7%	3%

#### DAKT Inception to Date Total Shareholder Return vs Indices









# A Tale of Two Kurtenbachs: The Founder & The Son (Cont.)

Second generation leadership has demonstrated that it would rather run DAKT for the benefit of the Kurtenbach family, rather than for the benefit of all shareholders.

Key Areas of Misalignment	Evidence
Lack of equity ownership limits leaderships incentives to drive shareholder value.	<ul> <li>Board &amp; Named Officers own only ~5% of DAKT.</li> <li>95% of FY24 CEO comp paid in cash.</li> </ul>
Leadership has actively avoided accountability to shareholders.	<ul> <li>No guidance or long-term targets.</li> <li>Sell side coverage has dwindled under CEO's tenure.</li> <li>Lowered poison pill threshold from 20% to 15%.</li> <li>Staggered Board.</li> </ul>
Nepotism results in subpar leadership that continues to underperform. \\	<ul> <li>3/5 named executive officers are directly related.</li> <li>No sales team commissions.</li> </ul>



Source: DAKT public filings, Alta Fox research



## An Important Note about Chairman & CEO Reece Kurtenbach

- Our research suggests that Mr. Kurtenbach is a strong engineer with significant industry knowledge.
- However, there has been a massive disconnect between DAKT's engineering prowess and results for shareholders.
- Mr. Kurtenbach should acknowledge his own limitations and embrace outside perspectives by:
  - Surrendering the Chairman title to an outside
  - Embracing good governance and a commitment to shareholders
  - Setting the internal standard to achieve industryleading growth and profitability.

CEO Example Strengths	CEO Example Weaknesses
Product development & engineering	Objectively evaluating employees and business unit performance
Industry expertise	Capital allocation
Passion for Daktronics	Investor communication
	Building and motivating a high functioning sales team

As Chairman, Reece Kurtenbach has an opportunity to do the right thing for shareholders by embracing shareholder feedback and Board representation to take Daktronics to the next level.

However, if he continues to waste shareholder capital for the sole purpose of maintaining worst-inclass governance practices, he should expect to be held accountable.





### An Assessment of Recent Additions to the Daktronics Board

- There have been two additions to the DAKT Board over the last two years. However, it required activism to force these
  changes into action. Andrew Siegel was a large investor and signed a cooperation agreement in June 2022<sup>1</sup> that led to his
  appointment and the later appointment of Howard Atkins to the Board.<sup>2</sup> Alta Fox always welcomes shareholder-driven
  input.
  - It is worth noting that Daktronics spent significant shareholder capital defending against this previous form of activism as well. In fact, Andrew Siegel had to go as far as hiring a proxy solicitor before Daktronics begrudgingly agreed to a settlement agreement.
- However, Siegel is no longer a large shareholder (he recently divested 87% of his equity stake),<sup>3</sup> and the Board once again is bereft of any significant equity owners. Following his divestment, governance at DAKT has worsened with the Board lowering the poison pill threshold from 20% to 15% in recent weeks.
- · Despite these changes to the Board, shareholder communication gaffes continue to plague the investor narrative:
  - For example, DAKT still does not provide any type of guidance (annual or medium-term), did not even provide a
    functional webcast link on their investor relations page for the last conference call, and leadership continues to
    mention ROIC targets below FY24 levels, etc.
- Alta Fox owns ~5x the number of shares of the entire Daktronics Board combined. Alta Fox input at the Board level would
  radically transform the attention given to shareholders.

Alta Fox's expertise, as the largest investor in DAKT, is needed to properly represent minority shareholder interests.



DAKT July 27, 2022 Press Release
DAKT December 7, 2022 Press Release
DAKT Form 4 Filing July 22, 2024



# Complacency Has Infected the Board of Directors of Daktronics

The Board has failed to set adequate targets for a management team that owns minimal stock.\*

- · There are no medium-term or long-term targets management is incentivized to achieve.
- · The Board has not changed management's non-equity-based bonus targets in over a decade. Management's EBIT margin targets are the same in 2024 that they were in 2012 (this accounts for ~100% of performance-based compensation).
- Management has not been explicitly incentivized to grow the business (revenue or
- · There is similarly no explicit % of compensation tied to total shareholder return.

When reviewing the incentives of the team, it should come as no surprise why consistent revenue growth, margin expansion, and EPS growth have not been the norm under current leadership.



The various payout percentages based on operating margins are as follows:

Percentage of Targeted Non-equity

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Percentage of Targeted Non-equity Incentive Compensation			
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0.0 to 25.0 %			
25.0 to 60.0 %			
60.0 to 100.0 %			
100.0 to 120.0 %			

FY24 Proxy Non-Equity Incentive Target

Operating Mar	gin	Incentive Compensation
I	ess than 2.5%	
	2.5% to 5.0%	0.0% to 25.0%
	5.0% to 7.5%	25.1% to 60.0%
	7.5% to 10.0%	60.1% to 100.0%
10	0.0% to 12.5%	100.1% to 120.0%

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The CEO owns only 1.5% of the company (including options)



# **Employee Reviews Support Alta Fox's Alignment Concerns**

Don't just take our word for it - long tenured employees share our concerns.					
Date	Notable DAKT Employee Commentary	Employee Background			
11.7.24	"Daktronics is a great organization, with a great product, but they are stuck in their old ways and not open to change The Kurtenbach family fills much of the leadership, and they became stagnant over the years from not listening to ideas and being open to change. They are very rigid in their ways and the culture is to travel and "see the world" which is pretty glamorous but not much thought about being frugal."	Former employee, more than 10 years			
9.27.24	"Everyone at the C-Suite is related to the company's original founder, so nothing is ever going to change."	Former employee, tenure not disclosed			
11.24.23	"Middle management is stuck in their ways, which is bleeding the company dry by hiring more employees to do unnecessary data entry. The answer is always to hire more people, opposed to automation Most upper management seems to be related – nepotism runs strong."	Current employee, more than 10 years			
4.10.23	"For anyone trying to advance their sales career, save your time. There is an anti-sales culture. O upward mobility. No commissions or even any sort of concrete comp plan Nepotism runs very deep."	Former employee, more than 5 years			
7.7.23	"No pay for performance. Received a minuscule bonus (1 out of 4 years) based on a very subjective review. Engineering rules the roost; sales is an afterthought."	Former employee, more than 3 years			
1.27.23	"The company has many talented employees but upper management is pretty bad."	Current employee, more than 5 years			





# Press Releases Highlight Disconnect Between Board and Shareholders

Even the company's latest press releases, meant to inspire market confidence, instead highlight just how disconnected the Board is from shareholder priorities. A recent example of the disconnect between the Board vs investor priorities is illustrated in Daktronics' press release announcement of their Business Transformation Office ("BTO")<sup>1</sup> on October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2024:

Announcement Topic	Daktronics BTO Office Message/Target	The Problem
Returns on Invested Capital Metric	Mid-to-High Teens % ROIC Target	These return "targets" are far too low and below FY24 results. <sup>2</sup> Is this newly formed Transformation Office really saying the goal of this committee is to lower returns on invested capital, or do they not understand their own metrics?
CFO, Sheila Anderson  She will be moving away from the and into a newly created role of "Cl and Analytics Officer." The Board h a search for her CFO replacement.		A: It is unacceptable that the Board took nearly <u>two years</u> to start a search for a CFO replacement when, in 2022, 1) poor financial planning led to a going concern notice and 2) the company was found to have material weaknesses.  B: Ms. Anderson is deeply unqualified for her new "Chief Data and Analytics" role. If that is a priority, DAKT should run a real search process and hire the most qualified candidate.
CEO, Reece Kurtenbach	He will serve on the BTO	Part of the BTO's role should be to deeply scrutinize the CEO's performance, which is long overdue. Realistically, that will not happen if the CEO is on the BTO.
"Increase Margins"	The BTO makes a vague reference to increasing operating margins	DAKT has a history of throwing out vague language instead of specific guidance. In doing this, the Board and management can avoid accountability for failing to miss targets. What level do you expect to increase EBIT margins to? By what year? This is table stakes for a public company.
Refusing to Engage with Shareholders/Wasting Shareholder Money	DAKT has hired multiple expensive advisors using shareholder capital to intimidate its largest investor and prevent accountability from entering the Board room	It is unacceptable to issue a conversion notice via press release instead of a simple call or email. This disregard for constructive communication disrespects all shareholders—especially your largest, who has avoided airing governance concerns publicly for years. Daktronics' refusal to implement basic governance improvements is now forcing all shareholders into an unnecessary fight, when the focus should be on creating shareholder value.



 $<sup>1. \</sup>quad https://investor.daktronics.com/news-releases/news-release-details/daktronics-inc-announces-next-steps-ongoing-business$ 

We note that the company had a 22.8% Return on Capital in FY24 according to Bloomberg.



(3) THE CASE FOR ADDING SHAREHOLDER REPRESENTATION TO DAKT'S BOARD

## Market Reactions Validate Alta Fox's Case

The market has spoken: it does not have faith in the BTO, it has low tolerance for further governance setbacks, and it welcomes shareholder-driven change.

Announcement Topic	DAKT Share Price Day Movement	S&P 500 Average Price Day Movement	DAKT Relative Performance	Alta Fox's Interpretation of Market Reaction
10.21.24 Business Transformation Office	0.1%	-0.2%	~0%	Investors are not assigning any credibility to the Board's transformation plan. The skepticism is unsurprising as the CEO is on the transformation committee.
11.20.24 Reducing Poison Pill Threshold from 20% to 15%	(5.4)%	0.0%	~(5)%	DAKT's corporate governance discount grew in real time, and investors are increasingly asking the question of if they can continue to invest alongside this Board of Directors and management team.
12.2.24 Alta Fox Files 13D Showing 11.7% Ownership in DAKT	2.1%	0.1%	~2%	The market has welcomed Alta Fox's willingness to engage on behalf of all shareholders.

Shareholder activism is required to drive significant improvement to governance and strategic direction that will help eliminate DAKT's valuation discount, benefiting all shareholders.





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# Shareholder Representation Needed to Ensure Accountability

Given the Board's historical inability to properly assess the CFO's performance, we have serious concerns about this same Board's ability to run an effective CFO search process.

### Poor Forecasting and Planning

Poor forecasting and planning caused the company's cash balance to dwindle to less than \$7 million in 2022 with limited access to further liquidity.

As a result, on October 31, 2022, DAKT's auditor issued reasonable doubt about Daktronics' ability to operate as a going concern, which led shares to a 20-year low.

#### Material Financial Weaknesses

In December 2022, Daktronics announced the discovery of material weaknesses in its internal controls over financial reporting, which caused the Company to delay its earnings release and the filing of its 10-Q. The stock fell over 50% in the days following the disclosure.

### Inept Investor Messaging

The company has consistently made vague and confusing statement around financial KPIs, including margins, limiting management accountability. For example, the CFO recently guided margins using terminology such as "the mid to upper end of the 5-10% range."\*

Shareholder activism is required to ensure Daktronics hires a proper CFO with the right skillset and incentives to drive operational efficiencies and a clear investor narrative.



\*DAKT Q3 2024 Earnings Call Transcript



(3) THE CASE FOR ADDING SHAREHOLDER REPRESENTATION TO DAKT'S BOARD

## Board Changes Are Needed to Help DAKT Reach Its Potential

**End Governance** Practices that Undermine Shareholder Value

Reversing the entrenched, worst-in-class governance policies that have contributed to years of underperformance for Daktronics' equity holders.

Restore Accountability and Shareholder Representation

Introducing shareholder-nominated and highly qualified Board members who are committed to prioritizing shareholder interests-not rubber stamping the agenda of Reece Kurtenbach and his allies.

Drive a Culture of Excellence Across the Organization

Establishing a high-performance culture starting at the Board level, fostering a more dynamic and effective sales team, and culminating in a clear and compelling investor narrative.





## Alta Fox's Top Priorities

Alta Fox has made every effort to engage constructively and privately, but Daktronics has forced this dispute into the public domain. We believe their costly advisors—motivated to prolong the fight—are steering them toward an unwinnable path. While unfortunate for DAKT shareholders, this should ultimately drive the long-overdue change and accountability the Board of Directors urgently needs.

#### IMPROVED CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

- Elect multiple shareholder-appointed Directors to replace legacy Directors
- · Declassify the Board of Directors
- · Remove the Poison Pill
- Separate the CEO/Chairman title and give the Chairman title to an outside, shareholder-appointed Director with a fresh and unbiased perspective

#### IMPROVED CAPITAL ALLOCATION

- Develop and communicate a coherent capital allocation plan aimed towards maximizing shareholder value
- · Grow the percentage of recurring revenue in the business and clearly break it out for investors (software fees and maintenance contracts)
- · Opportunistic, tuck-in M&A that is accretive for shareholders

#### IMPROVED SHAREHOLDER ENGAGEMENT AND ACCOUNTABILITY

- · Formal annual earnings guidance and a 3-year plan communicated to shareholders
- More focus on investor engagement and outreach (conference attendance, sell side coverage, better disclosure, etc.)
- Long-term revenue, earnings, and free cash flow goals clearly communicated to the market with specific timelines
- Ensure that the new CFO hired is shareholder approved and properly incentivized





(4) THE ALTA FOX PATH TO \$40+/SHARE

# **DAKT Trades at a Substantial Governance Discount vs Comps**

DAKT 2013 Sell Side Coverage	DAKT 2024 Sell Side Coverage
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Needham	Sidoti & Co
Colliers Securities	Singular Research
Griffin Securities	
Sidoti & Company	

- Dominant sports & live events adjacent companies tend to trade at premium multiples.
- · DAKT is exposed to the same underlying themes that drive results for its sports & live events adjacent comps. However, DAKT trades at a greater than 30%+ discount to the peer set.
- We believe that the market ascribes a heavy corporate governance discount to DAKT due to its lack of accountability to shareholders.
  - o Core Example: DAKT's sell side coverage has dwindled from 4 analysts to 2 analysts over the CEO's tenure.
- · Alta Fox values DAKT at a 11x EBITDA multiple (~20x PE), the low end of where comps suggest DAKT should trade and in-line with its own history.

	& Live Events ent DAKT Comps	EV/FY26 EBITDA	FY26 PE	FY25-27 Rev CAGR	Market Cap (USD M)
1g &	LYTS US	9.5x	15.4x	6.1%	\$604
Lighting & Signage	CCO US	9.9x	N/A	2.8%	\$758
	LAMR US	14.4x	21.4x	3.6%	\$13,437
Live Events	LYVUS	12.8x	41.1x	9.1%	\$31,184
é Ei	SPHR US	16.3x	N/A	7.0%	\$1,355
ź	MSGE US	10.8x	17.7x	3.3%	\$1,800
	Average	12.3x	23.9x	5.3%	\$8,190
	Median	11.8x	19.5x	4.9%	\$1,578
	DAKT US	7.5x	14.4x	6.0%	\$848
	DAKT Discount to				
	Avg	-39%	-40%	0.7%	
	DAKT Discount to Median	-37%	-26%	1.1%	

Source: Bloomberg, AFC DAKT estimates
Note that Alta Fox uses PY26 for comparison purposes to show DAKT on
normalized profitability vs comps



Source: Bloomberg



## Shareholders Have a Clear Opportunity to Choose Progress

### The Daktronics Status Quo

- Worst-in-class governance practices: staggered Board, severely punitive (and recently made worse) "poison pill," and combined CEO/Chairman role.
- Negligent nepotism: 3 out of the 5 named "executive officers" are related family members.
- Complacent sales culture: Daktronics has zero commissions for its sales staff because, "that's the way they have always done it."
- · Irresponsible financial stewardship
- · Unprofessional and confusing investor communications.
- Zero legitimate sell-side research coverage.
- · Lack of accountability for management or the Board:
  - CFO was never fired and just transferred to a new role even 2+ years after the going concern.
  - CEO, Reece Kurtenbach, continues to operate unchecked from a Board that does not care and owns little stock.<sup>1</sup>

DAKT Continues to Trade at a Material "Governance Discount" to Comps

### **The Alta Fox Path Forward**

- A Shareholder-Friendly Board with highly qualified, independent nominees and a history of driving excellent business performance.
- Best-in-Class Governance Practices: remove the staggered board, split the CEO/Chairman role, remove the poison pill, and establish compensation aligned with share price outperformance.
- Establish a merit-based culture: employees succeed or fail at Daktronics based on the merits of their ideas and accomplishments, not on their last name.
- Recruit a highly qualified CFO, well incentivized to drive shareholder value.
- Institute accountability for management initiating shortterm and long-term guidance and a clear capital allocation strategy.
- Greater engagement with the investment community, attendance at sought-after investor conferences, and a clear investor narrative aided by proper sell-side coverage.

DAKT Trades in-line or better than Comps with Accelerating Fundamentals



1. Source: DAKT SEC filings



# Margins have Significant Room to Expand Higher

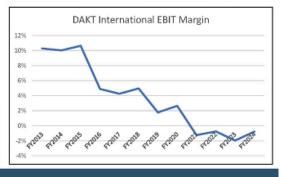
- Since 2012, DAKT's Board has consistently set a 12.5% EBIT margin upper target for management. We question why this outdated margin target has not already been moved higher as both revenues and margins have increased significantly in the last 12 years.
- International margins have collapsed under the CEO's tenure due to execution issues. We believe independent and shareholder-focused nominees could provide a fresh perspective on what has been a losing international strategy.
- With an improved Board and management team laser focused on efficiency, we see no structural reason why EBIT margins cannot expand into the mid-teens over time.
- Our research into private competitors suggests that smaller industry peers are already achieving these elevated levels of profitability.

We expect that the market's perception and valuation of Daktronics would significantly improve if Daktronics demonstrated a credible plan to sustainably achieve mid-teens EBIT margins.

### DAKT EBIT Margin Targets from FY12 to FY24

The various payout percentages based on operating margins are as follows:

Operating Margin	Percentage of Targeted Non-equity Incentive Compensation
Less than 2.5%	_
2.5% to 5.0%	0.0% to 25.0%
5.0% to 7.5%	25.1% to 60.0%
7.5% to 10.0%	60.1% to 100.0%
10.0% to 12.5%	100.1% to 120.0%





Source: DAKT SEC Filings



### (4) THE ALTA FOX PATH TO \$40+/SHARE

# The Alta Fox Path to \$40+/Share

Following shareholder-driven Board turnover and execution improvements we believe the following results are achievable:

- DAKT grows orders ~10% a year (below the industry growing mid-teens according to management) and revenue follows on a lag.1,2 Our revenue growth assumptions are comfortably below DAKT's historical revenue CAGR.
- DAKT sees operating expenses moderate and improves efficiency following its digital investment year in FY25, resulting in significant leverage in FY26.
- Beyond FY26, DAKT demonstrates operating leverage as the business scales its overhead and improves execution. Our confidence is underpinned by studying smaller industry peers that have higher margins despite being a fraction of DAKT's
- We value the business at 20x PE (11x EBITDA), a modest discount to sports/live events derivatives with similar growth characteristics. This valuation is also comparable to DAKT's historical multiple.

	Apr-22	Apr-23	Apr-24	Apr-25	Apr-26	Apr-27	Apr-28
DAKT AFC Valuation	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026	FY2027	FY2028
Revenue	611	754	818	840	874	943	1,038
у/у %		23%	8%	3%	4%	8%	10%
Gross Profit	117	151	222	220	239	265	299
Gross Profit Margin	19.1%	20.1%	27.2%	26.1%	27.3%	28.1%	28.8%
EBIT	4	21	87	65	90	109	134
y/y %		429%	307%	-26%	39%	22%	22%
EBIT Margin	0.7%	2.8%	10.6%	7.7%	10.3%	11.6%	12.9%
Adj EPS*	\$0.01	\$0.15	\$1.10	\$0.91	\$1.27	\$1.54	\$1.88
γ/γ %		1044%	636%	-17%	39%	22%	22%
PE Multiple				20.0x	20.0x	20.0x	20.0x
Target Price				\$18.18	\$25.32	\$30.77	\$37.56
(+) net cash / share				\$2.38	\$3.50	\$4.74	\$6.23
Target Price (+) net cash				\$20.57	\$28.82	\$35.51	\$43.79
Current Price				\$18.27	\$18.27	\$18.27	\$18.27
Upside				13%	58%	94%	140%

Note that this analysis does not assume any benefits from accretive capital allocation decisions that a shareholder-reformed Board could undertake.





# Status Quo Performance Still Delivers Upside

We believe shareholders can still earn a solid return in DAKT under the "status quo" scenario, even without significant governance and operational improvements. However, these returns are far below what is possible with shareholderreformed leadership.

#### Key "status quo" assumptions:

- · Bookings grow MSD and revenue approximates bookings growth after normalizing.
- · Operating margins expand slightly and return to FY24 levels.
- DAKT sustains its current NTM PE multiple of 18x.
- This scenario also conservatively assumes that cash continues to build on DAKT's balance

#### Low hanging fruit that is NOT assumed in the "status quo" case:

- Commission-driven salesforce that accelerates bookings growth closer to market growth.<sup>1</sup>
- Cost discipline focus from new leadership reviewing money-losing segments like international, investing in automation, and prioritizing low-cost manufacturing practices.
- Removal of governance discount following improved investor engagement.

	Apr-28	
DAKT Status Quo Valuation	FY2028	CAGR vs FY24
Revenue	944	3.6%
EBIT	102	4.0%
EBIT Margin	10.5%	
Adj EPS*	\$1.42	6.6%
PE Multiple	18.0x	
Target Price	\$25.56	
(+) net cash / share	\$5.56	_
Target Price (+) net cash	\$31.12	
Current Price	\$18.3	
Upside	70%	
Projected IRR	20%	P.
Current Price	(\$18.3)	
Target Price	\$31.12	
Today	12/9/2024	
Date FV Realized	10/31/2027	



from the change in fair value of convert and assumes a fully diluted share count of \$1.9M for projection periods



## Conclusion

- · Daktronics is a high-quality business with market-leading share in a secular growth industry.
- DAKT has underperformed its potential over the last decade, operating like a private family business with little accountability to shareholders.
- As Daktronics' largest shareholder (~12% ownership),\* Alta Fox is pushing for long-overdue Board refreshment and governance enhancements.
- With a more aligned Board and improved management team, we believe growth and efficiency at Daktronics will dramatically improve in the years to come.
- We believe that shareholder-led improvements to operations and investor communication can help drive DAKT's share price to >\$40 by FY28, over 100% upside from current levels.



\* Fully converted basi

Note: The Target Price on this slide is based on AFC internal estimates and are speculative in nature.

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