## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

#### FORM 8-K

#### **CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported): January 31, 2013

### **Green Dot Corporation**

(Exact Name of the Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

#### **Delaware**

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-34819 95-4766827

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

3465 East Foothill Blvd. Pasadena, CA 91107

(626) 765-2000

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

#### **Not Applicable**

(Former Name or Former Address, If Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- [] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- [] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2)
- [] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

#### Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On January 31, 2013, Green Dot Corporation issued a press release announcing its financial results for the quarter ended December 31, 2012 and certain other financial information. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.01 to this Current Report and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information furnished in this Current Report, including the exhibit hereto, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "*Exchange Act*"), or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

**Number Description** 99.01 Press release

Press release, dated January 31, 2013

#### **SIGNATURES**

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

#### **GREEN DOT CORPORATION**

By: /s/ JOHN L. KEATLEY

John L. Keatley Chief Financial Officer

Date: January 31, 2013

#### **EXHIBIT INDEX**

Number Description 99.01 Press release, dated January 31, 2013

### Green Dot Reports Fourth Quarter Results with Revenue up 13% along with increases in Active Cards, Direct Deposit Penetration and Cardholder Retention

Pasadena, CA - January 31, 2013 - Green Dot Corporation (NYSE: GDOT), today reported financial results for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2012.

For the fourth quarter of 2012, Green Dot reported a 13% year-over-year increase in non-GAAP total operating revenues<sup>1</sup> to \$138.6 million and non-GAAP diluted earnings per share<sup>1</sup> of \$0.31. GAAP results for the fourth quarter were \$137.3 million in total operating revenues and \$0.24 in diluted earnings per share.

For the full year, Green Dot reported non-GAAP total operating revenues of \$554.5 million, a 15% increase over 2011 and non-GAAP diluted earnings per share were \$1.37. GAAP total operating revenues for the full year in 2012 were \$546.3 million and GAAP diluted earnings per share were \$1.07.

Net cash provided by operating activities totaled \$90.0 million for the full year.

"Our double-digit revenue growth during the fourth quarter is indicative of the strength and resiliency of the Green Dot brand at a time when consumers have greater product choices than ever in prepaid and adjacent categories. We also saw solid advances in the underlying quality of our card portfolio, evidenced by the best direct deposit penetration, cash reloading, spend and revenue per card in our company's history. While our operating margins in the fourth quarter were compressed as a result of acquisitions made in 2012, integration expenses and investments in new products and technologies, we believe that these investments will yield long term efficiencies and growth opportunities going forward," said Steve Streit, Green Dot's Chairman and Chief Executive Officer.

#### GAAP financial results for the fourth quarter of 2012 compared to the fourth quarter of 2011:

- Total operating revenues on a generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) basis increased 15% to \$137.3 million for the fourth guarter of 2012 from \$119.1 million for the fourth guarter of 2011
- GAAP net income was \$10.4 million for the fourth quarter of 2012 versus \$13.6 million for the fourth quarter of 2011
- GAAP basic and diluted earnings per common share were both \$0.24 for the fourth quarter of 2012 versus \$0.32 in each
  case for the fourth quarter of 2011

#### Non-GAAP financial results for the fourth quarter of 2012 compared to the fourth quarter of 2011:1

- Non-GAAP total operating revenues<sup>1</sup> increased 13% to \$138.6 million for the fourth quarter of 2012 from \$122.7 million for the fourth quarter of 2011
- Non-GAAP net income<sup>1</sup> was \$13.7 million for the fourth quarter of 2012 versus \$17.4 million for the fourth quarter of 2011
- Non-GAAP diluted earnings per share<sup>1</sup> were \$0.31 for the fourth quarter of 2012 versus \$0.39 for the fourth quarter of 2011
- EBITDA plus employee stock-based compensation expense and stock-based retailer incentive compensation expense (adjusted EBITDA¹) was \$25.0 million for the fourth quarter of 2012 versus \$31.3 million for the fourth quarter of 2011

<sup>1</sup> Reconciliations of total operating revenues to non-GAAP total operating revenues, net income to non-GAAP net income, diluted earnings per share to non-GAAP diluted earnings per share and net income to adjusted EBITDA, respectively, are provided in the tables immediately following the consolidated financial statements of cash flows. Additional information about the Company's non-GAAP financial measures can be found under the caption "About Non-GAAP Financial Measures" below.

#### GAAP financial results for the full year 2012 compared to 2011:

- Total operating revenues on a GAAP basis increased 17% to \$546.3 million for in 2012 from \$466.8 million in 2011
- GAAP net income was \$47.2 million for 2012 versus \$51.7 million for 2011
- GAAP diluted earnings per common share were \$1.07 for 2012 versus \$1.18 in 2011

#### Non-GAAP financial results for the full year 2012 compared to the full year 2011:1

- Non-GAAP total operating revenues<sup>1</sup> increased 15% to \$554.5 million for the fourth quarter of 2012 from \$484.2 million for the fourth quarter of 2011
- Non-GAAP net income<sup>1</sup> was \$60.2 million for 2012 versus \$68.4 million for 2011
- Non-GAAP diluted earnings per share<sup>1</sup> were \$1.37 for 2012 versus \$1.55 for 2011
- EBITDA plus employee stock-based compensation expense and stock-based retailer incentive compensation expense (adjusted EBITDA¹) was \$111.3 million for 2012 versus \$122.1 million for 2011

The foregoing GAAP and non-GAAP financial measures for the fourth quarter of 2011 reflect revisions to correct an error relating to the calculation of overdrawn account balances. Revisions were also made to the reported results in each of the first three quarters of 2012. Please refer to Summary of Revised Prior Quarters schedule for further details.

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#### Key business metrics for the quarter ended December 31, 2012:

- Number of general purpose reloadable (GPR) debit cards activated was 1.85 million for the fourth quarter of 2012, a
  decrease of 0.13 million, or 7%, over the fourth quarter of 2011. Excluding the discontinued TurboTax program in both
  periods, activations increased 6% over the fourth quarter of 2011
- Number of cash transfers was 11.04 million for the fourth quarter of 2012, an increase of 1.90 million, or 21%, over the fourth quarter of 2011
- Number of active cards at quarter end was 4.37 million, an increase of 0.17 million, or 4%, over the fourth quarter of 2011. Excluding the discontinued TurboTax program in both periods, the increase was 6% over the fourth quarter of 2011
- Gross dollar volume (GDV) was \$4.3 billion for the fourth quarter of 2012, an increase of more than 13% versus the fourth quarter of 2011. Excluding the discontinued TurboTax program in both periods, GDV increased 18% over the fourth quarter of 2011
- Purchase volume was \$3.2 billion for the fourth quarter of 2012, an increase of \$0.4 billion, or 13%, over the fourth quarter of 2011. Excluding the discontinued TurboTax program in both periods, purchase volume increased 16% over the fourth quarter of 2011

Please refer to the Company's latest Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for a description of the key business metrics described above. The following table shows the Company's quarterly key business metrics for each of the last eight calendar quarters:

	 2012								
	Q4	Q3	Q2	Q1		Q4	Q3	Q2	Q1
				(In mi	llion	s)			
Number of GPR cards activated	1.85	2.01	1.98	2.23		1.98	1.96	1.82	2.21
Number of cash transfers	11.04	10.52	10.14	10.09		9.14	8.87	8.28	7.98
Number of active cards at quarter end	4.37	4.42	4.44	4.69		4.20	4.15	4.10	4.28
Gross dollar volume	\$ 4,279 \$	4,070 \$	3,980 \$	4,823	\$	3,771 \$	4,109 \$	3,632 \$	4,609
Purchase volume	\$ 3,233 \$	2,966 \$	2,943 \$	3,487	\$	2,857 \$	2,738 \$	2,535 \$	3,003

#### **Select Business Updates**

- Green Dot has entered into a new multi-year contract extension with Kroger. Green Dot products have been sold at Kroger's supermarkets since 2007 and the new agreement involves additional placement inside various convenience stores owned and operated by Kroger.
- Green Dot successfully completed the migration of its Green Dot-branded products into Green Dot Bank, thereby completing the integration of its bank acquisition and delivering the ability to more effectively roll out new products, realize cost efficiencies, and generate new revenue streams via interest income on balances held at the bank.
- Green Dot recently launched the public beta of GoBank. GoBank is the first bank account designed from scratch for the smartphone generation. GoBank provides users with a fast, fair and feature-rich banking experience-all on a smart phone. Green Dot plans to roll out GoBank to the general public in the first half of 2013, and is optimistic about GoBank's potential to serve a complementary segment of customers through new distribution channels.

"2012 was another year of solid growth and profitability with very strong cash generation. Green Dot has no debt and ended the year with nearly half a billion dollars of total cash and investment securities, inclusive of nearly \$200 million in unencumbered cash. While we are pleased with Green Dot's Q4 performance, there still remains a great deal of uncertainty in our business going into 2013 as we expect continued headwinds from enhanced risk controls and competition to play out through much of the year before we can expect stabilization. While our company has performed well thus far in this new environment, this ongoing uncertainty is reflected in our 2013 guidance," said John Keatley, Green Dot's Chief Financial Officer.

#### **Outlook for 2013**

Green Dot also announced its Outlook for 2013 anticipated results. This Outlook is based on a number of assumptions that Green Dot believes are reasonable at the time of this earnings release. Information regarding potential risks that could cause the actual results to differ from these forward-looking statements is set forth below and in Green Dot's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

For 2013, Green Dot expects full year non-GAAP total operating revenues<sup>2</sup> to be in the range of \$510 million to \$540 million.

Adjusted EBITDA<sup>2</sup> is expected to be between \$85 million and \$100 million. Non-GAAP diluted EPS<sup>2</sup> for the full year is expected to be between \$0.95 and \$1.20.

#### **Conference Call**

The Company will host a conference call to discuss fourth quarter 2012 financial results today at 5:00 pm ET. In addition to the conference call, there will be a webcast presentation of accompanying slides accessible on the Company's investor relations website. Hosting the call will be Steve Streit, Chief Executive Officer, and John Keatley, Chief Financial Officer. The conference call can be accessed live over the phone by dialing (866) 524-3160, or (412) 317-6760 for international callers. A replay will be available approximately two hours after the call concludes and can be accessed by dialing (877) 870-5176 or (858) 384-5517 for international callers; the conference ID is 10024092. The replay of the webcast will be available until Thursday, February 7, 2013. The live call and the replay, along with supporting materials, can also be accessed through the Company's investor relations website at http://ir.greendot.com/.

2 Reconciliations of forward-looking guidance for these non-GAAP financial measures to their respective, most directly comparable projected GAAP financial measures are provided in the tables immediately following the reconciliation of Net Income to Adjusted EBITDA.

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

This earnings release contains forward-looking statements, which are subject to the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements include, among other things, statements regarding the Company's fullyear 2013 guidance, including all the statements under "Outlook for 2013," and other future events that involve risks and uncertainties. Actual results may differ materially from those contained in the forward-looking statements contained in this earnings release, and reported results should not be considered as an indication of future performance. The potential risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ from those projected include, among other things, the Company's dependence on revenues derived from Walmart and three other retail distributors, impact of competition, the Company's reliance on retail distributors for the promotion of its products and services, demand for the Company's new and existing products and services, continued and improving returns from the Company's investments in new growth initiatives, potential difficulties in integrating operations of acquired entities and acquired technologies, the Company's ability to operate in a highly regulated environment, changes to existing laws or regulations affecting the Company's operating methods or economics, the Company's reliance on third-party vendors and card issuing banks, changes in credit card association or other network rules or standards, changes in card association and debit network fees or products or interchange rates, instances of fraud developments in the prepaid financial services industry that impact prepaid debit card usage generally, business interruption or systems failure, and the Company's involvement litigation or investigations. These and other risks are discussed in greater detail in the Company's Securities and Exchange Commission filings, including its most recent annual report on Form 10-K and guarterly report on Form 10-O, which are available on the Company's investor relations website at http://ir.greendot.com/ and on the SEC website at www.sec.gov. All information provided in this release and in the attachments is as of January 31, 2013, and the Company assumes no obligation to update this information as a result of future events or developments.

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

To supplement the Company's consolidated financial statements presented in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP), the Company uses measures of operating results that are adjusted to exclude net interest income; income tax expense; depreciation and amortization; employee stock-based compensation expense; and stock-based retailer incentive compensation expense. This earnings release includes non-GAAP total operating revenues, non-GAAP net income, non-GAAP earnings per share, non-GAAP weighted-average shares issued and outstanding and adjusted EBITDA. It also includes full-year 2013 guidance for non-GAAP total operating revenues and adjusted EBITDA. These non-GAAP financial measures are not calculated or presented in accordance with, and are not alternatives or substitutes for, financial measures prepared in accordance with GAAP, and should be read only in conjunction with the Company's financial measures prepared in accordance with GAAP. The Company's non-GAAP financial measures may be different from similarly-titled non-GAAP financial measures used by other companies. The Company believes that the presentation of non-GAAP financial measures provides useful information to management and investors regarding underlying trends in its consolidated financial condition and results of operations. The Company's management regularly uses these supplemental non-GAAP financial measures internally to understand, manage and evaluate the Company's business and make operating decisions. For additional information regarding the Company's use of non-GAAP financial measures and the items excluded by the Company from one or more of its historic and projected non-GAAP financial measures, investors are encouraged to review the reconciliations of the Company's historic and projected non-GAAP financial measures to the comparable GAAP financial measures, which are attached to this earnings release, and which can be found by clicking on "Financial Information" in the Investor Relations section of the Company's website at http://ir.greendot.com/.

#### **About Green Dot**

Green Dot is a publicly traded bank holding company regulated by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System. The Company provides widely distributed, low cost banking and payment solutions to a broad base of U.S. consumers. Green Dot's products and services include its market leading category of General Purpose Reloadable (GPR) prepaid cards and its industry-leading cash transfer network which are available directly to consumers online and through a network of approximately 60,000 retail stores nationwide where 95% of Americans shop. Green Dot is headquartered in the greater Los Angeles area. For more details, visit www.greendot.com.

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## GREEN DOT CORPORATION CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

December 31,

December 31,

2012 2011 (Unaudited) (In thousands, except par value) Assets Current assets: Unrestricted cash and cash equivalents \$ 293,590 \$ 223,033 Federal funds sold 3,001 2.400 Investment securities available-for-sale, at fair value 115.244 20.647 Settlement assets 36.127 27.355 Accounts receivable, net 39,861 41,726 Prepaid expenses and other assets 31,793 11,822 Income tax receivable 9,036 3,590 20,559 6,664 Net deferred tax assets Total current assets 549.211 337,237 Restricted cash 12,926 634 Investment securities, available-for-sale, at fair value 68,543 10,563 Accounts receivable, net 10,931 4,147 Loans to bank customers, net of allowance for loan losses of \$472 and \$0 as of December 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011, respectively 7,552 10,036 Prepaid expenses and other assets 1,689 202 27,281 Property and equipment, net 58.376 Deferred expenses 12,510 12,604 Goodwill and intangible assets 30,111 11,501 426,497 Total assets \$ 739,557 \$ Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity Current liabilities: Accounts payable 31,411 15,441 198,451 38,957 Deposits Obligations to customers 46,156 Settlement obligations 27,355 3,639 Amounts due to card issuing banks for overdrawn accounts 43,153 50.724 Other accrued liabilities 29,469 16,248 Deferred revenue 19,557 21,500 Total current liabilities 379,407 162,654 Other accrued liabilities 18,557 6,239 Deferred revenue 19 Net deferred tax liabilities 13,962 4,751 Total liabilities 173,663 411,926 Stockholders' equity: Convertible Series A preferred stock, \$0.001 par value: 10 shares authorized as of December 31, 2012 and December 31, 7 2011, respectively; 7 shares issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011, respectively 7 Class A common stock, \$0.001 par value; 100,000 shares authorized as of December 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011, respectively; 31,435 and 30,162 shares issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011, 31 30 respectively Class B convertible common stock, \$0.001 par value, 100,000 shares authorized as of December 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011, respectively; 4,560 and 5,280 shares issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2012 and December 31, 2011, 5 respectively 4 Additional paid-in capital 158.885 131.383 168,600 121,379 Retained earnings Accumulated other comprehensive income 104 30 Total stockholders' equity 252,834 327,631 \$ 739,557 426.497 Total liabilities and stockholders' equity

# GREEN DOT CORPORATION CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED)

Three Months Ended December 31, Twelve Months Ended December 31,

	2012		2011		2012	2011
		(In	thousands, exc	ept per s	share data)	
Operating revenues:						
Card revenues and other fees	\$ 53,113	\$	50,725	\$	224,745	\$ 208,939
Cash transfer revenues	43,511		35,883		165,232	134,143
Interchange revenues	41,944		36,068		164,559	141,103
Stock-based retailer incentive compensation	 (1,266)		(3,552)		(8,251)	 (17,337)
Total operating revenues	137,302		119,124		546,285	466,848
Operating expenses:						
Sales and marketing expenses	52,354		42,583		209,870	168,747
Compensation and benefits expenses	31,856		23,105		114,930	87,671
Processing expenses	18,777		16,314		77,445	70,953
Other general and administrative expenses	 19,825		15,414		71,900	 56,607
Total operating expenses	 122,812		97,416		474,145	 383,978
Operating income	14,490		21,708		72,140	82,870
Interest income	947		336		4,074	910
Interest expense	 (14)		(144)		(76)	 (346)
Income before income taxes	15,423		21,900		76,138	83,434
Income tax expense	 5,053		8,251		28,919	 31,712
Net income	10,370		13,649		47,219	51,722
Income attributable to preferred stock	 (1,664)		(578)		(7,601)	 (554)
Net income allocated to common stockholders	\$ 8,706	\$	13,071	\$	39,618	\$ 51,168
Basic earnings per common share:						
Class A common stock	\$ 0.24	\$	0.32	\$	1.10	\$ 1.23
Class B common stock	\$ 0.24	\$	0.32	\$	1.11	\$ 1.23
Basic weighted-average common shares issued and outstanding:					_	
Class A common stock	 30,236		24,957		29,686	 22,238
Class B common stock	4,554		13,957		4,801	17,718
Diluted earnings per common share:						
Class A common stock	\$ 0.24	\$	0.32	\$	1.07	\$ 1.18
Class B common stock	\$ 0.24	\$	0.32	\$	1.07	\$ 1.18
Diluted weighted-average common shares issued and outstanding:						
Class A common stock	35,856		40,813		35,921	42,065
Class B common stock	5,590		15,852		6,150	19,822

# GREEN DOT CORPORATION CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)

	Twelve Month	Twelve Months Ended Decemb		
	2012		2011	
	(In	thousand	ls)	
Operating activities				
Net income	\$ 47,23	.9 \$	51,722	
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:				
Depreciation and amortization	18,13	1	12,330	
Provision for uncollectible overdrawn accounts	62,34	.5	61,141	
Employee stock-based compensation	12,73	4	9,524	
Stock-based retailer incentive compensation	8,29	1	17,337	
Amortization of premium on available-for-sale investment securities	1,22	.9	251	
Realized gains on investment securities	(2	1)	_	
(Recovery) provision for uncollectible trade receivables	(3:	9)	455	
Impairment of capitalized software	1,02	:9	397	
Deferred income taxes	7,22	4	251	
Excess tax benefits from exercise of options	(2,90	7)	(2,951)	
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:				
Accounts receivable, net	(66,09	9)	(71,508	
Prepaid expenses and other assets	(21,4	6)	(2,838	
Deferred expenses	•	)4	(3,100	
Accounts payable and other accrued liabilities	31,4	'5	(4,489	
Amounts due issuing bank for overdrawn accounts	7,5	<b>1</b>	8,085	
Deferred revenue	(1,90	i <b>2</b> )	4,261	
Income tax receivable	(14,4:	<b>(5)</b>	13,184	
Net cash provided by operating activities	90,0	.3	94,052	
Investing activities				
Purchases of available-for-sale investment securities	(271,9:	.1)	(45,056	
Proceeds from maturities of available-for-sale securities	37,50	i <b>4</b>	20,152	
Proceeds from sales of available-for-sale securities	81,4	<b>'</b> 4	_	
Decrease (increase) in restricted cash	12,29		(7,791	
Payments for acquisition of property and equipment	(40,44	<b>1</b> )	(23,076	
Net principal collections on loans	2,41		245	
Acquisitions, net of cash acquired	(19,9		5,085	
Net cash used in investing activities	(198,5		(50,441	
Financing activities	, ,	•		
Proceeds from exercise of options	3,5!	i2	6,138	
Excess tax benefits from exercise of options	2,90		2,951	
Net increase in deposits	159,58		5,231	
Net increase in obligations to customers	13,58		-	
Net cash provided by financing activities	179,68		14,320	
Net increase in unrestricted cash, cash equivalents, and federal funds sold	71,1!		57,931	
Unrestricted cash, cash equivalents, and federal funds sold, beginning of year	225,4		167,503	
Unrestricted cash, cash equivalents, and federal funds sold, beginning of year	\$ 296,59		225,434	
Chiconistics sash, sash equivalents, and recent failus sold, end of period	230,0	_ *	225,404	
Cash paid for interest	\$	<b>'2</b> \$	108	
Cash paid for income taxes	\$ 24,34	<b>13</b> \$	18,291	

## GREEN DOT CORPORATION Reconciliation of Total Operating Revenues to Non-GAAP Total Operating Revenues (1) (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended December 31,				nded ,			
		2012		2011 †		2012		2011 †
				(In tho	usands)	)		_
Reconciliation of total operating revenues to non-GAAP total operating revenues								
Total operating revenues	\$	137,302	\$	119,124	\$	546,285	\$	466,848
Stock-based retailer incentive compensation (2)(3)		1,266		3,552		8,251		17,337
Non-GAAP total operating revenues	\$	138,568	\$	122,676	\$	554,536	\$	484,185

### Reconciliation of Net Income to Non-GAAP Net Income (1) (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended December 31,			Twelve Months Ended December 31,				
		2012		2011 †		2012		2011 †
			(	(In thousands, exc	ept pe	r share data)		
Reconciliation of net income to non-GAAP net income								
Net income	\$	10,370	\$	13,649	\$	47,219	\$	51,722
Employee stock-based compensation expense, net of tax (4)		2,482		1,547		7,897		5,904
Stock-based retailer incentive compensation, net of tax (2)		851		2,214		5,117		10,747
Non-GAAP net income	\$	13,703	\$	17,410	\$	60,233	\$	68,373
Diluted earnings per share*			<u> </u>					
GAAP	\$	0.24	\$	0.32	\$	1.07	\$	1.18
Non-GAAP	\$	0.31	\$	0.39	\$	1.37	\$	1.55
Diluted weighted-average shares issued and outstanding**								
GAAP		35,856		40,813		35,921		42,065
Non-GAAP		43,814		44,142		44,044		44,221

Reconciliations between GAAP and non-GAAP diluted weighted-average shares issued and outstanding are provided in the next table.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Diluted weighted-average Class A shares issued and outstanding is the most directly comparable GAAP measure for the periods indicated.

The Company identified an error in the fourth quarter of 2012 relating to the calculation of overdrawn account balances that affects the Company's financial results for the fourth quarter of 2011 and the first, second and third quarters of 2012. The Company has determined that the effects of the error were not material to any previously reported period but the cumulative effect of correcting the error in the fourth quarter of 2012 would be material. In accordance with SEC guidance, the Company will revise prior period financial information in its 2012 Annual report on Form 10-K. In this filing, the Company will include more detail on the corrected financial amounts for previous annual and interim periods. Please refer to Summary of Revised Prior Quarters schedule for further details.

## GREEN DOT CORPORATION Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP Diluted Weighted-Average Shares issued and Outstanding (1) (Unaudited)

_	Three Months Ended December 31,		Twelve Month Decembe					
	2012	2011	2012	2011				
<del>-</del>	(In thousands)							
Reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP diluted weighted-average shares issued and outstanding								
Diluted weighted-average shares issued and outstanding*	35,856	40,813	35,921	42,065				
Assumed conversion of weighted-average shares of preferred stock	6,859	1,789	6,859	451				
Weighted-average shares subject to repurchase	1,099	1,540	1,264	1,705				
Non-GAAP diluted weighted-average shares issued and outstanding	43,814	44,142	44,044	44,221				

Represents the diluted weighted-average shares of Class A common stock for the periods indicated.

## Supplemental Detail on Non-GAAP Diluted Weighted-Average Shares Issued and Outstanding (Unaudited)

	Three Months December		Twelve Months December		
	2012	2011	2012	2011	
		(In thousan	ds)		
Supplemental detail on non-GAAP diluted weighted-average shares issued and outstanding					
Stock outstanding as of December 31:					
Class A common stock	31,442	30,162	31,442	30,162	
Class B common stock	4,553	5,280	4,553	5,280	
Preferred stock (on an as-converted basis)	6,859	6,859	6,859	6,859	
Total stock outstanding as of December 31:	42,854	42,301	42,854	42,301	
Weighting adjustment	(106)	(58)	(244)	(189)	
Dilutive potential shares:					
Stock options	1,036	1,895	1,369	2,104	
Restricted stock units	23	4	43	3	
Employee stock purchase plan	7	_	22	2	
Non-GAAP diluted weighted-average shares issued and outstanding	43,814	44,142	44,044	44,221	

## GREEN DOT CORPORATION Reconciliation of Net Income to Adjusted EBITDA (1) (Unaudited)

	 Three Months Ended December 31,				Twelve Mo Decen		
	2012		2011 †		2012	2011 †	
			(In tho	usands)	)		
Reconciliation of net income to adjusted EBITDA							
Net income	\$ 10,370	\$	13,649	\$	47,219	\$ 51,722	
Net interest income	(933)		(192)		(3,998)	(564)	
Income tax expense	5,053		8,251		28,919	31,712	
Depreciation and amortization	5,566		3,556		18,131	12,330	
Employee stock-based compensation expense (3)(4)	3,692		2,482		12,734	9,524	
Stock-based retailer incentive compensation (2)(3)	1,266		3,552		8,251	17,337	
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 25,014	\$	31,298	\$	111,256	\$ 122,061	
Non-GAAP total operating revenues	\$ 138,568	\$	122,676	\$	554,536	\$ 484,185	
Adjusted EBITDA/non-GAAP total operating revenues (adjusted EBITDA margin)	 18.1%		25.5%		20.1%	25.2%	

The Company identified an error in the fourth quarter of 2012 relating to the calculation of overdrawn account balances that affects the Company's financial results for the fourth quarter of 2011 and the first, second and third quarters of 2012. The Company has determined that the effects of the error were not material to any previously reported period but the cumulative effect of correcting the error in the fourth quarter of 2012 would be material. In accordance with SEC guidance, the Company will revise prior period financial information in its 2012 Annual report on Form 10-K. In this filing, the Company will include more detail on the corrected financial amounts for previous annual and interim periods. Please refer to Summary of Revised Prior Quarters schedule for further details.

## Reconciliation of Forward Looking Guidance for Non-GAAP Financial Measures to Projected GAAP Total Operating Revenue (1) (Unaudited)

	Range			
	Low			High
		(In m	illions)	
Reconciliation of total operating revenues to non-GAAP total operating revenues				
Total operating revenues	\$	505	\$	535
Stock-based retailer incentive compensation (2)*		5		5
Non-GAAP total operating revenues	\$	510	\$	540

<sup>\*</sup> Assumes the Company's right to repurchase lapses on 36,810 shares per month during 2013 of the Company's Class A common stock at \$12.20 per share, our market price on the last trading day of the fourth quarter 2012. A \$1.00 change in the Company's Class A common stock price represents an annual change of \$441,720 in stock-based retailer incentive compensation.

# GREEN DOT CORPORATION Reconciliation of Forward Looking Guidance for Non-GAAP Financial Measures to Projected GAAP Net Income (1) (Unaudited)

	 Ra	nge	
	 Low		High
	(In m	illions)	
Reconciliation of net income to adjusted EBITDA			
Net income	\$ 31	\$	42
Adjustments (5)	 54		58
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 85	\$	100
Non-GAAP total operating revenues	\$ 540	\$	510
Adjusted EBITDA / Non-GAAP total operating revenues (Adjusted EBITDA margin)	16%		20%

## Reconciliation of Forward Looking Guidance for Non-GAAP Financial Measures to Projected GAAP Net Income (1) (Unaudited)

	Range			
	Low			High
		(In m	illions)	
Reconciliation of net income to non-GAAP net income				
Net income	\$	31	\$	42
Adjustments (5)		11		11
Non-GAAP net income	\$	42	\$	53
Diluted earnings per share*				
GAAP	\$	0.70	\$	0.95
Non-GAAP	\$	0.95	\$	1.20
Diluted weighted-average shares issued and outstanding**				
GAAP		36		36
Non-GAAP		44		44

<sup>\*</sup> Reconciliations between GAAP and non-GAAP diluted weighted-average shares issued and outstanding are provided in the next table.

## Reconciliation of Forward Looking Guidance for Non-GAAP Financial Measures to Projected GAAP Diluted Weighted-Average Shares Issued and Outstanding (1) (Unaudited)

_	Range			
	Low	High		
	(In millions)			
Reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP diluted weighted-average shares issued and outstanding				
Diluted weighted-average shares issued and outstanding*	36	36		
Assumed conversion of weighted-average shares of preferred stock	7	7		
Weighted-average shares subject to repurchase	1	1		
Non-GAAP diluted weighted-average shares issued and outstanding	44	44		

<sup>\*</sup> Represents the diluted weighted-average shares of Class A common stock for the periods indicated.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Diluted weighted-average Class A shares issued and outstanding is the most directly comparable GAAP measure for the periods indicated.

### GREEN DOT CORPORATION SUMMARY OF REVISED PRIOR QUARTERS

## Reconciliation of Total Operating Revenues to Non-GAAP Total Operating Revenues† (Unaudited)

	2011 Q4			2012					
				Q1		Q2		Q3	
	(In thousands)								
Reconciliation of total operating revenues to non-GAAP total operating revenues									
Total operating revenues	\$	119,123	\$	141,181	\$	135,043	\$	132,759	
Stock-based retailer incentive compensation (2)(3)		3,552		3,190		2,594		1,202	
Non-GAAP total operating revenues	\$	122,675	\$	144,371	\$	137,637	\$	133,961	

## Reconciliation of Net Income to Non-GAAP Net Income† (Unaudited)

	2011		2012						
		Q4		Q1		Q2		Q3	
Reconciliation of net income to non-GAAP net income									
Net income ††	\$	13,649	\$	16,368	\$	10,869	\$	9,612	
Employee stock-based compensation expense, net of tax (4)		1,547		2,149		1,860		1,469	
Stock-based retailer incentive compensation, net of tax (2)		2,214		1,965		1,540		730	
Non-GAAP net income	\$	17,410	\$	20,482	\$	14,269	\$	11,811	
Diluted earnings per share*	·						·		
GAAP	\$	0.32	\$	0.37	\$	0.25	\$	0.22	
Non-GAAP	\$	0.39	\$	0.46	\$	0.32	\$	0.27	
Diluted weighted-average shares issued and outstanding**									
GAAP		40,813		35,867		35,746		35,826	
Non-GAAP		44,142		44,156		43,925		43,894	

<sup>\*</sup> Reconciliations between GAAP and non-GAAP diluted weighted-average shares issued and outstanding are provided in the next table.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Diluted weighted-average Class A shares issued and outstanding is the most directly comparable GAAP measure for the periods indicated.

### Reconciliation of Net Income to Adjusted EBITDA† (Unaudited)

	 2011	2012					
	Q4	Q1			Q2		Q3
			(In tho	usand	ls)		
Reconciliation of net income to adjusted EBITDA							
Net income ††	\$ 13,649	\$	16,368	\$	10,869	\$	9,612
Net interest income	(193)		(935)		(1,168)		(962)
Income tax expense	8,250		10,205		7,434		6,227
Depreciation and amortization	3,559		3,651		4,090		4,824
Employee stock-based compensation expense (3)(4)	2,482		3,489		3,132		2,420
Stock-based retailer incentive compensation (2)(3)	3,552		3,190		2,593		1,202
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 31,299	\$	35,968	\$	26,950	\$	23,323
Non-GAAP total operating revenues	\$ 122,675	\$	144,370	\$	137,636	\$	133,961
Adjusted EBITDA/non-GAAP total operating revenues (adjusted EBITDA margin)	 25.5%		24.9%		19.6%		17.4%

<sup>†</sup> The Company identified an error in the fourth quarter of 2012 relating to the calculation of overdrawn account balances that affects the Company's financial results for the fourth quarter of 2011 and the first, second and third quarters of 2012. The Company has determined that the effects of the error were not material to any previously reported period but the cumulative effect of correcting the error in the fourth quarter of 2012 would be material. The Company will revise prior period financial information in its 2012 Annual report on Form 10-K. In this filing, the Company will include more detail on the corrected financial amounts for previous annual and interim periods.

<sup>††</sup> The impact to net income during the quarters ended December 31, 2011, and March, 31, June 30, and September 30, 2012, was \$0.4 million, \$0.7 million, \$1.0 million, \$1.0 million, respectively

(1) To supplement the Company's consolidated financial statements presented in accordance with GAAP, the Company uses measures of operating results that are adjusted to exclude various, primarily non-cash, expenses and charges. These financial measures are not calculated or presented in accordance with GAAP and should not be considered as alternatives to or substitutes for operating revenues, operating income, net income or any other measure of financial performance calculated and presented in accordance with GAAP. These financial measures may not be comparable to similarly-titled measures of other organizations because other organizations may not calculate their measures in the same manner as we do. These financial measures are adjusted to eliminate the impact of items that the Company does not consider indicative of its core operating performance. You are encouraged to evaluate these adjustments and the reasons we consider them appropriate.

The Company believes that the non-GAAP financial measures it presents are useful to investors in evaluating the Company's operating performance for the following reasons:

- stock-based retailer incentive compensation is a non-cash GAAP accounting charge that is an offset to the Company's actual revenues from operations as the Company has historically calculated them. This charge results from the monthly lapsing of the Company's right to repurchase a portion of the 2,208,552 shares it issued to its largest distributor, Walmart, in May 2010. By adding back this charge to the Company's GAAP 2010 and future total operating revenues, investors can make direct comparisons of the Company's revenues from operations prior to and after May 2010 and thus more easily perceive trends in the Company's core operations. Further, because the monthly charge is based on the thencurrent fair market value of the shares as to which the Company's repurchase right lapses, adding back this charge eliminates fluctuations in the Company's operating revenues caused by variations in its stock price and thus provides insight on the operating revenues directly associated with those core operations:
- the Company records employee stock-based compensation from period to period, and recorded employee stock-based compensation expenses of approximately \$3.7 million and \$2.5 million for the three-month periods ended December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively. By comparing the Company's adjusted EBITDA, non-GAAP net income and non-GAAP diluted earnings per share in different historical periods, investors can evaluate the Company's operating results without the additional variations caused by employee stock-based compensation expense, which may not be comparable from period to period due to changes in the fair market value of the Company's Class A common stock (which is influenced by external factors like the volatility of public markets and the financial performance of the Company's peers) and is not a key measure of the Company's operations;
- adjusted EBITDA is widely used by investors to measure a company's operating performance without regard to items, such as interest expense, income tax expense, depreciation and amortization, employee stock-based compensation expense, and stock-based retailer incentive compensation expense, that can vary substantially from company to company depending upon their respective financing structures and accounting policies, the book values of their assets, their capital structures and the methods by which their assets were acquired; and
- securities analysts use adjusted EBITDA as a supplemental measure to evaluate the overall operating performance of companies.

The Company's management uses the non-GAAP financial measures:

- as measures of operating performance, because they exclude the impact of items not directly resulting from the Company's core operations;
- for planning purposes, including the preparation of the Company's annual operating budget;
- to allocate resources to enhance the financial performance of the Company's business;
- to evaluate the effectiveness of the Company's business strategies; and
- in communications with the Company's board of directors concerning the Company's financial performance.

The Company understands that, although adjusted EBITDA and other non-GAAP financial measures are frequently used by investors and securities analysts in their evaluations of companies, these measures have limitations as an analytical tool, and you should not consider them in isolation or as substitutes for analysis of the Company's results of operations as reported under GAAP. Some of these limitations are:

- that these measures do not reflect the Company's capital expenditures or future requirements for capital expenditures or other contractual commitments;
- that these measures do not reflect changes in, or cash requirements for, the Company's working capital needs;
- that these measures do not reflect interest expense or interest income;
- that these measures do not reflect cash requirements for income taxes;
- that, although depreciation and amortization are non-cash charges, the assets being depreciated or amortized will often have to be replaced in the future, and these measures do not reflect any cash requirements for these replacements; and

- that other companies in the Company's industry may calculate these measures differently than the Company does, limiting their usefulness as comparative measures.
- (2) This expense consists of the recorded fair value of the shares of Class A common stock for which the Company's right to repurchase has lapsed pursuant to the terms of the May 2010 agreement under which they were issued to Wal-Mart Stores, Inc., a contra-revenue component of the Company's total operating revenues. Prior to the three months ended June 30, 2010, the Company did not record stock-based retailer incentive compensation expense. The Company will, however, continue to incur this expense through May 2015. In future periods, the Company does not expect this expense will be comparable from period to period due to changes in the fair value of its Class A common stock. The Company will also have to record additional stock-based retailer incentive compensation expense to the extent that a warrant to purchase its Class B common stock vests and becomes exercisable upon the achievement of certain performance goals by PayPal. The Company does not believe these non-cash expenses are reflective of ongoing operating results.
- (3) The Company does not include any income tax impact of the associated non-GAAP adjustment to non-GAAP total operating revenues or adjusted EBITDA, as the case may be, because each of these non-GAAP financial measures is provided before income tax expense.
- (4) This expense consists primarily of expenses for employee stock options. Employee stock-based compensation expense is not comparable from period to period due to changes in the fair market value of the Company's Class A common stock (which is influenced by external factors like the volatility of public markets and the financial performance of the Company's peers) and is not a key measure of the Company's operations. The Company excludes employee stock-based compensation expense from its non-GAAP financial measures primarily because it consists of non-cash expenses that the Company does not believe are reflective of ongoing operating results. Further, the Company believes that it is useful to investors to understand the impact of employee stock-based compensation to its results of operations.
- (5) These amounts represent estimated adjustments for net interest income, income taxes, depreciation and amortization, employee stock-based compensation expense, and stock-based retailer incentive compensation expense. Employee stock-based compensation expense and stock-based retailer incentive compensation expense include assumptions about the future fair market value of the Company's Class A common stock (which is influenced by external factors like the volatility of public markets and the financial performance of the Company's peers).