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Fourth Quarter 2020 Earnings Presentation

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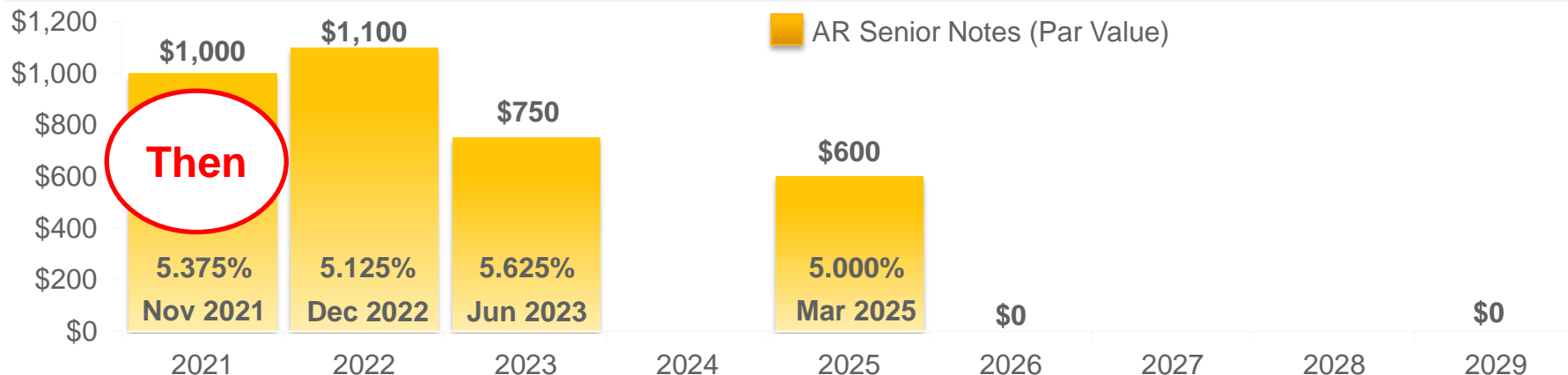
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Much Improved Senior Note Term Structure at AR

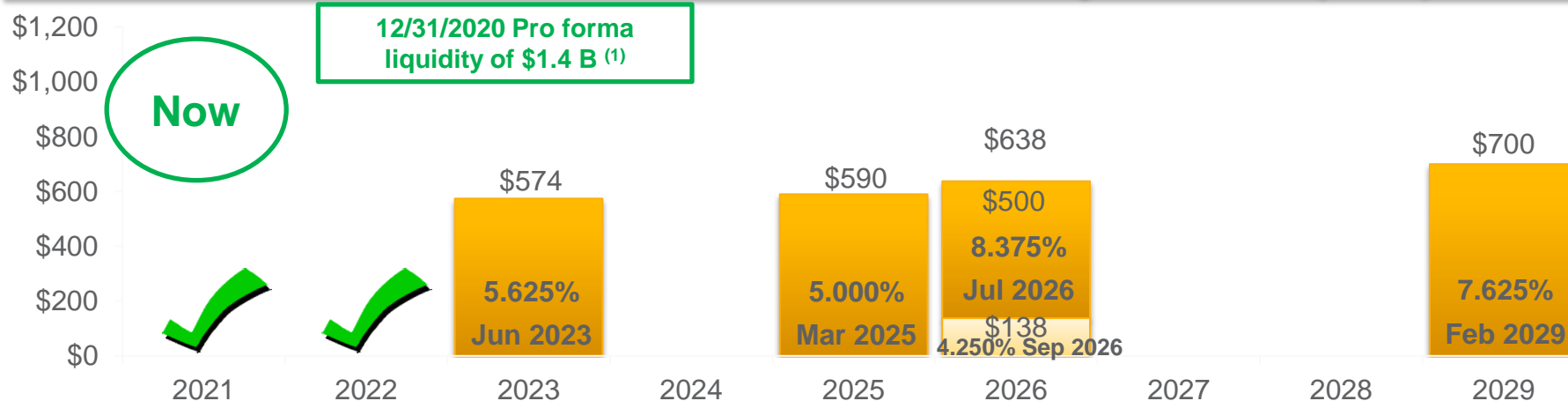
Unsecured Debt Maturity Summary (Pro forma for redemption of remaining 2022s and convert equitization):

- Eliminated ~\$2.3 B of near term maturities: \$1.3 B of open market repurchases and tenders, \$313 MM redemption of 2021 senior notes and \$661 MM redemption of 2022 senior notes

AR 9/30/19 Senior Note Maturity Schedule (\$MM)



AR Pro Forma 12/31/2020 Senior Note Maturity Schedule (\$MM)



1) Pro forma for \$500 MM senior notes issuance on January 4, 2021, \$700 MM senior notes issuance on January 26, 2021, redemption of remaining senior notes due 2022 and \$64 MM credit facility draw to facilitate convertible note equitization. Liquidity represents borrowing availability under AR's credit facility based on \$2.64 B of lender commitments, \$730 MM of letters of credit and \$1 B of borrowings as of 12/31/2020. Includes \$85 MM WGL payment.

AR Drilling Partnership Announcement (2/17/2021)



Announced Drilling Partnership With QL Capital Partners (“QL”), an Affiliate of Quantum Energy Partners

- Entered into Drilling Partnership to fund drilling of 60 incremental wells between 2021 and 2024, enabling Antero to fill unutilized firm transportation and achieve LP incentive fee rebates from Antero Midstream
- QL will fund 20% of total development capital spending in 2021 and between 15% to 20% of development capital on an annual basis from 2022 through 2024, \$500 MM to \$550 MM of capital to QL, in exchange for a proportionate working interest percentage in each well spud
- QL will pay a drilling carry to Antero if certain return thresholds are achieved
- Antero’s net capital spending, wells drilled and completed and net production will remain unchanged from maintenance capital level**

2021 Development Program ⁽¹⁾

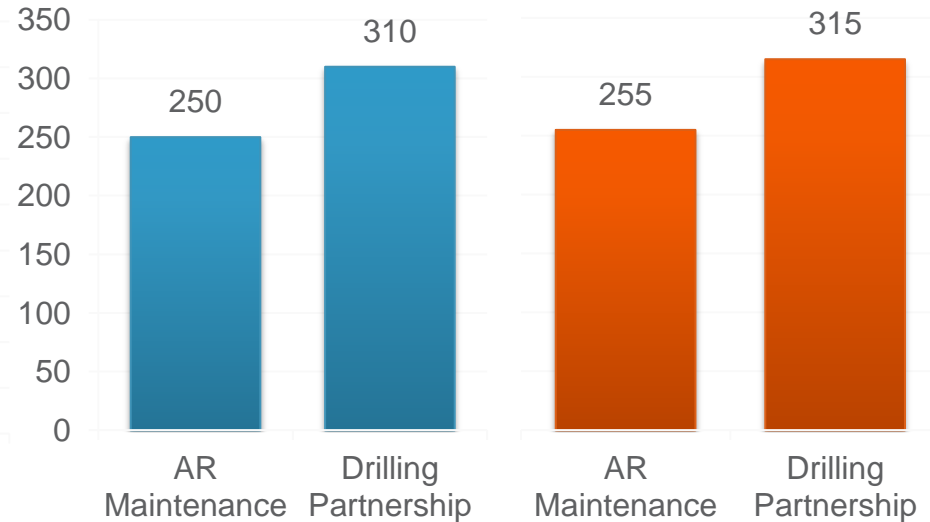
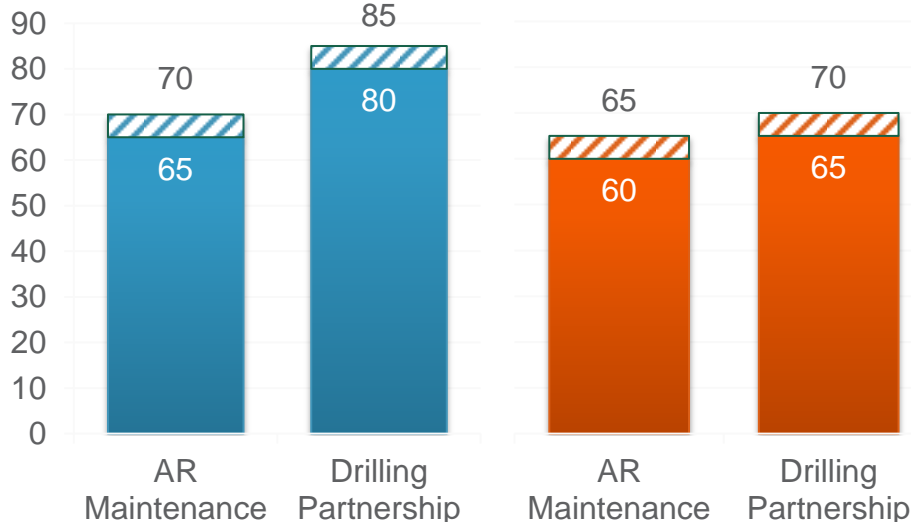
2021-2024 Development Program ⁽¹⁾

Drilled

Completed

Drilled

Completed








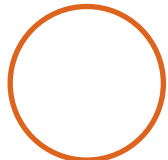


Note: Assumes, among other things, current strip pricing and full participation by QL in the drilling partnership. Please see appendix for additional disclosures, definitions, and assumptions.

1) Drilling Partnership wells represent gross wells to the Partnership. On a net to Antero basis, wells drilled and completed will have no impact to the AR maintenance plan.

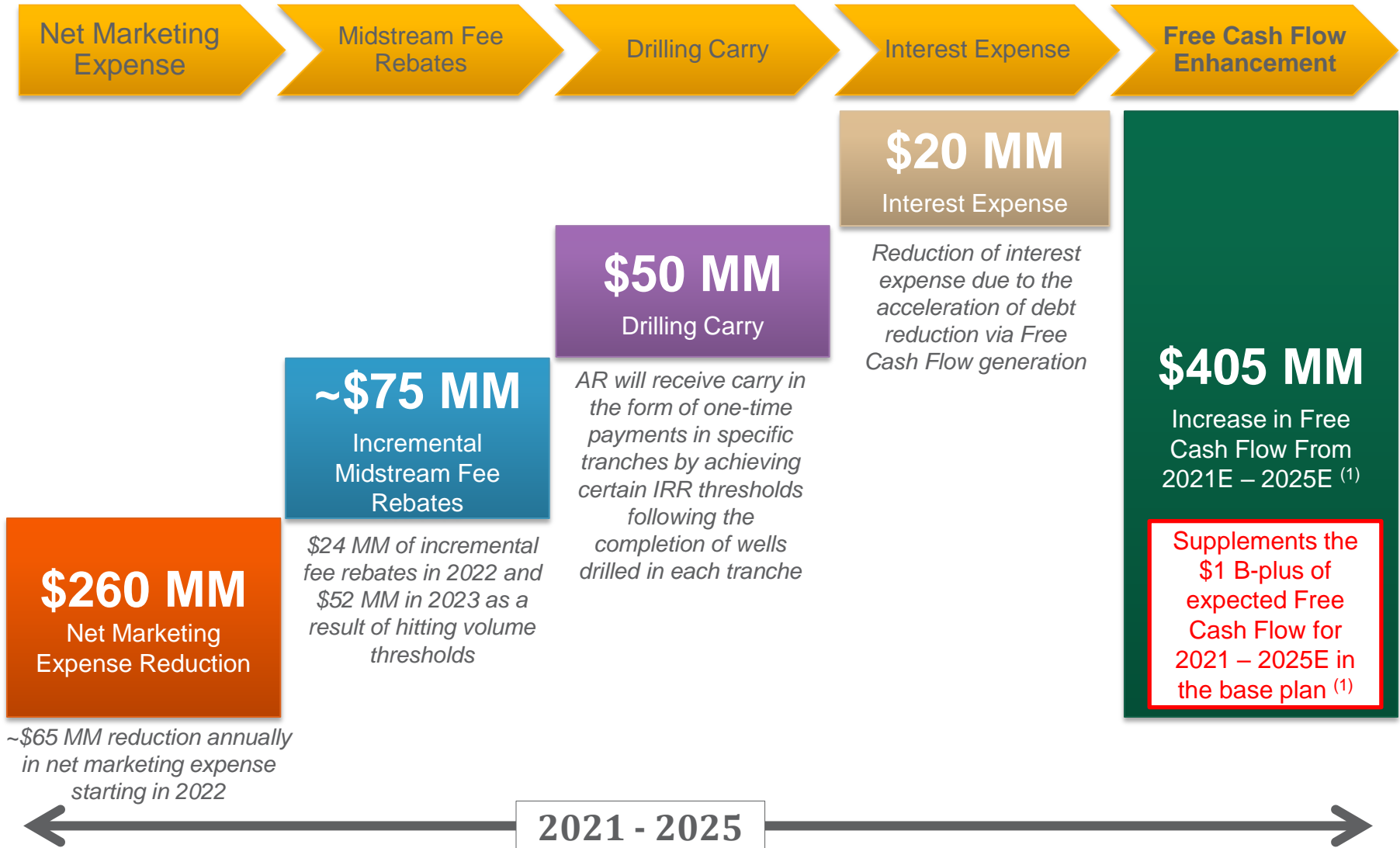
AR is uniquely positioned to enhance its Free Cash Flow profile with the incremental gross production generated by a drilling partnership, by leveraging its dominant liquids-rich resource and unutilized premium FT



Appalachian Peers

	Antero Resources	Appalachian Peers
Substantial <u>Core</u> Inventory		
Dominant <u>Liquids</u> Position		
Unutilized <u>Premium</u> Firm Transport		
Midstream <u>Integration</u> and Fee Incentives		

Through the Drilling Partnership, Antero expects to increase its forecasted 2021 – 2025 Free Cash Flow by ~\$400 MM



Note: Free Cash Flow information is shown before Changes in Working Capital, which is a Non-GAAP metric. Baseline Free Cash Flow is based on a maintenance capital program at AR that results in approximately flat net production through 2025. Please see appendix for additional disclosures, definitions, and assumptions.

1) Assumes strip pricing as of 2/15/2021. NYMEX natural gas average price of \$2.65/MMBtu, WTI oil price of \$51.78/Bbl and Mont Belvieu C3+ NGL pricing of ~\$31.38/Bbl.

AM Free Cash Flow Enhancements: 2021-2025



The drilling partnership is expected to result in ~\$200MM of incremental AM free cash flow from 2021 through 2025 compared to the AR maintenance capital program

Incremental Completions

Low single digit annual throughput growth

Just-in-time capital investment

Free Cash Flow Enhancement

\$(75)MM LP Earn-outs

~\$225 MM

Gathering & Compression EBITDA
(Net after LP gathering Earn-outs achieved)

~\$175 MM

Incremental Capital from 2021-2025E

~\$150 MM

Fresh Water & Water Handling EBITDA

AM's 2021 capital budget increased by \$65 MM to \$240 to \$260 MM to accelerate infrastructure to serve additional well completions from the drilling partnership

~\$200 MM

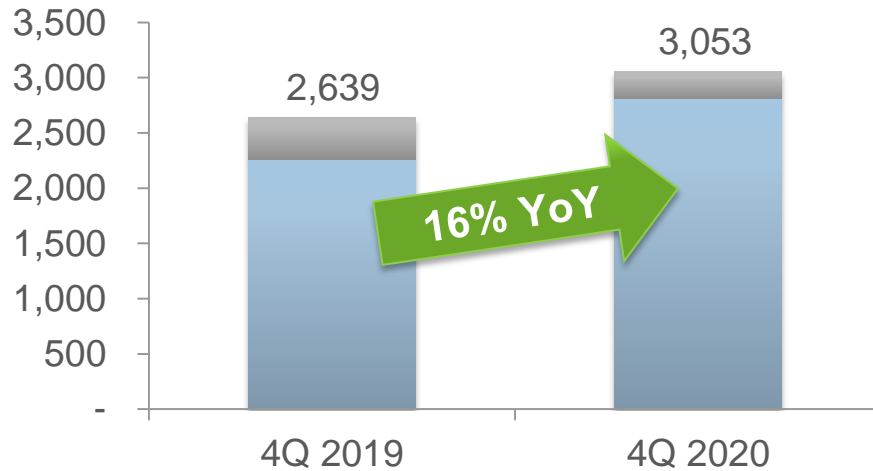
Increase in Free Cash Flow from 2021E - 2025E

Year-Over-Year Midstream Throughput Growth



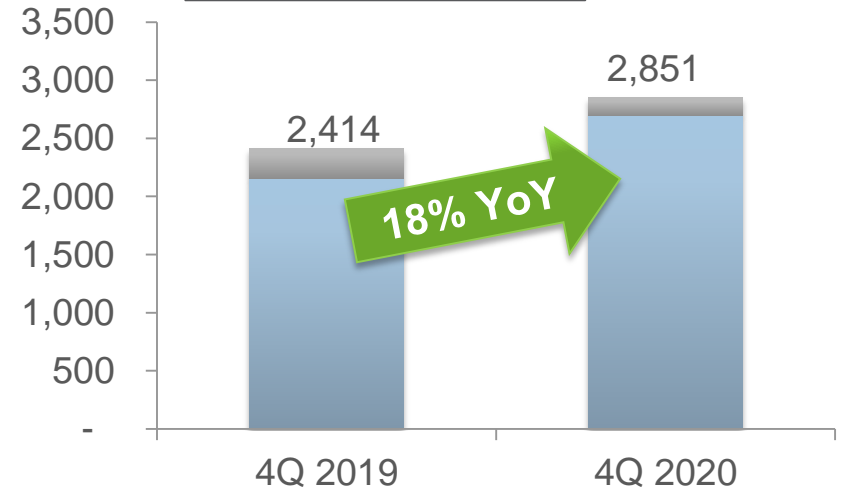
Low Pressure Gathering (MMcf/d)

Fixed Fee: \$0.32/Mcf

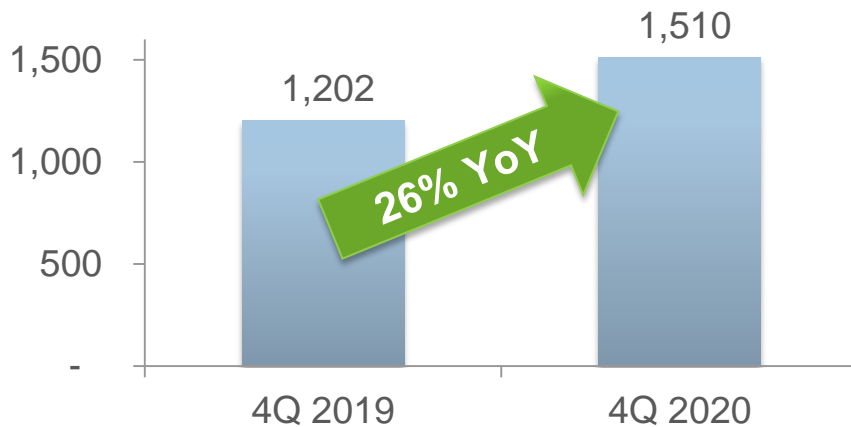


Compression (MMcf/d)

Fixed Fee: \$0.19/Mcf

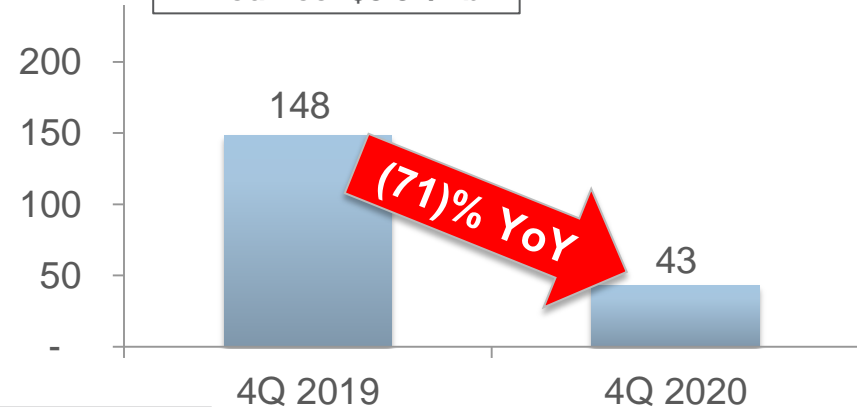


Processing Volumes (MMcf/d)



Fresh Water Delivery (MBbl/d)

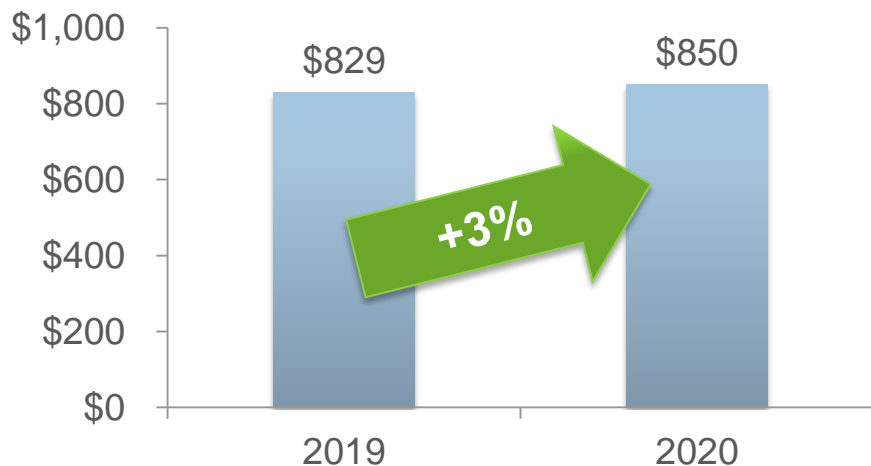
Fixed Fee: \$3.91/Bbl



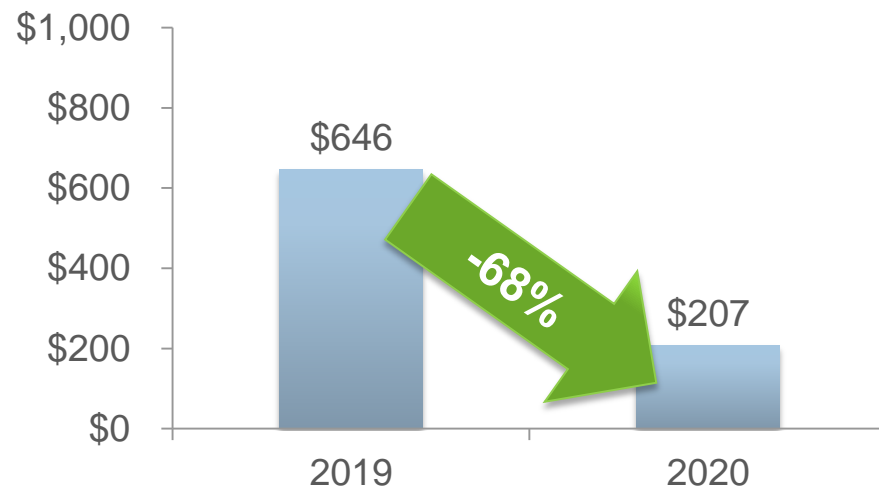
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Adjusted EBITDA



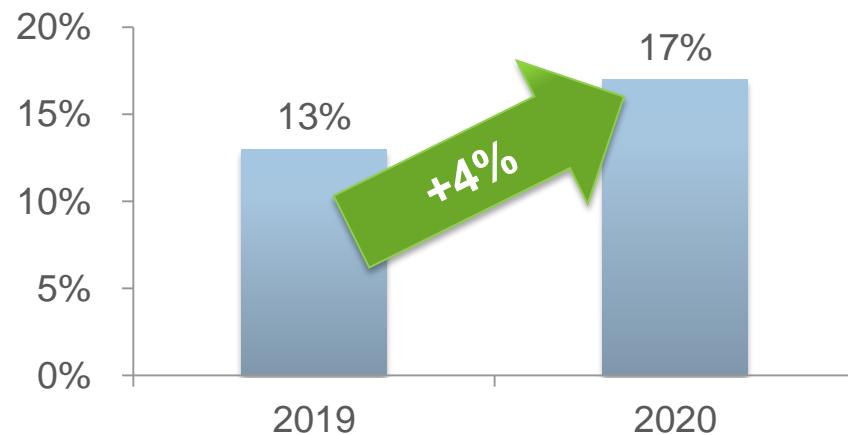
Capital Expenditures (\$MM)



Free Cash Flow Before Dividends (\$MM)



Return on Invested Capital



1. Free Cash Flow before return of capital and changes in working capital

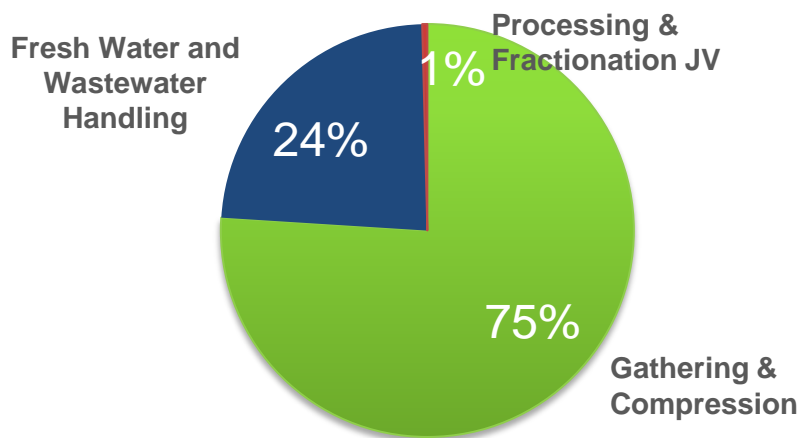
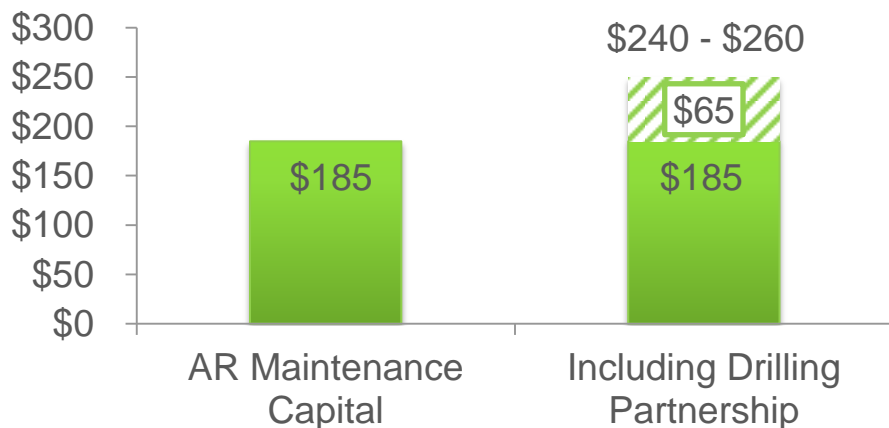
Note: Adjusted EBITDA, Free Cash Flow and Return on Invested Capital are Non-GAAP measures. Please see appendix for additional disclosures and definitions.

5 De-risked Self-Funding Business Model

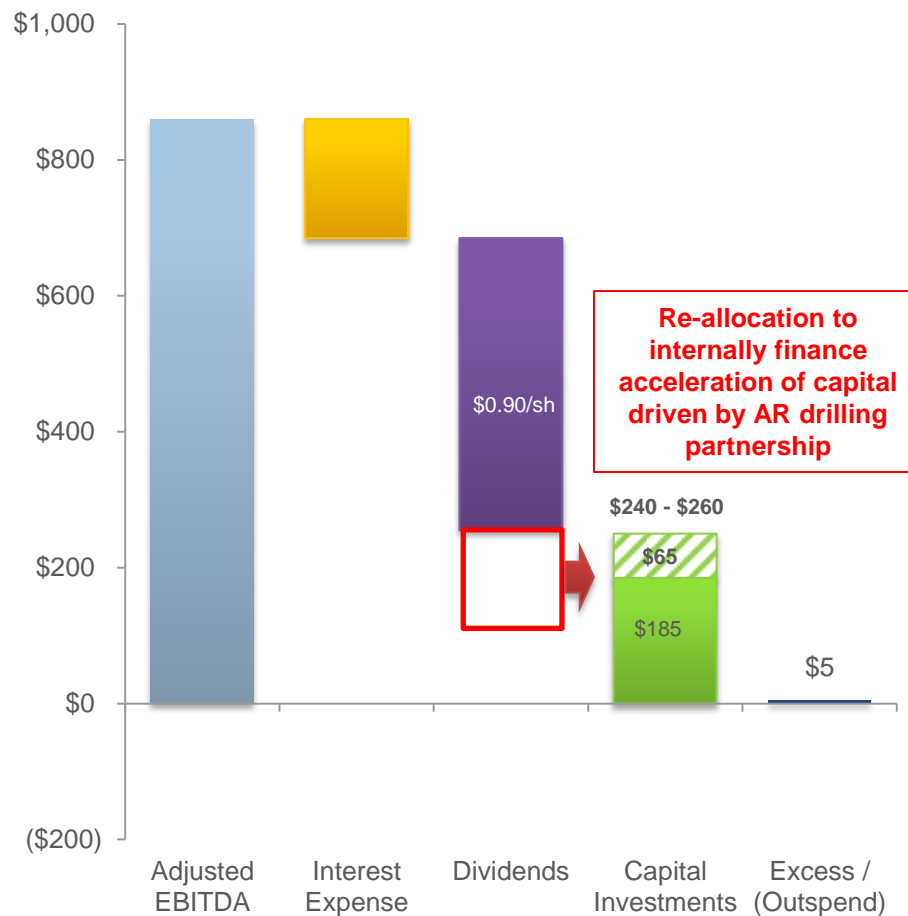


In 2021 AM has transitioned to a self-funding business model where free cash flow internally finances both its capital budget and dividend payments

2021 AM Capital Budget (\$MM)



2021 Sources & Uses of Capital (\$MM)

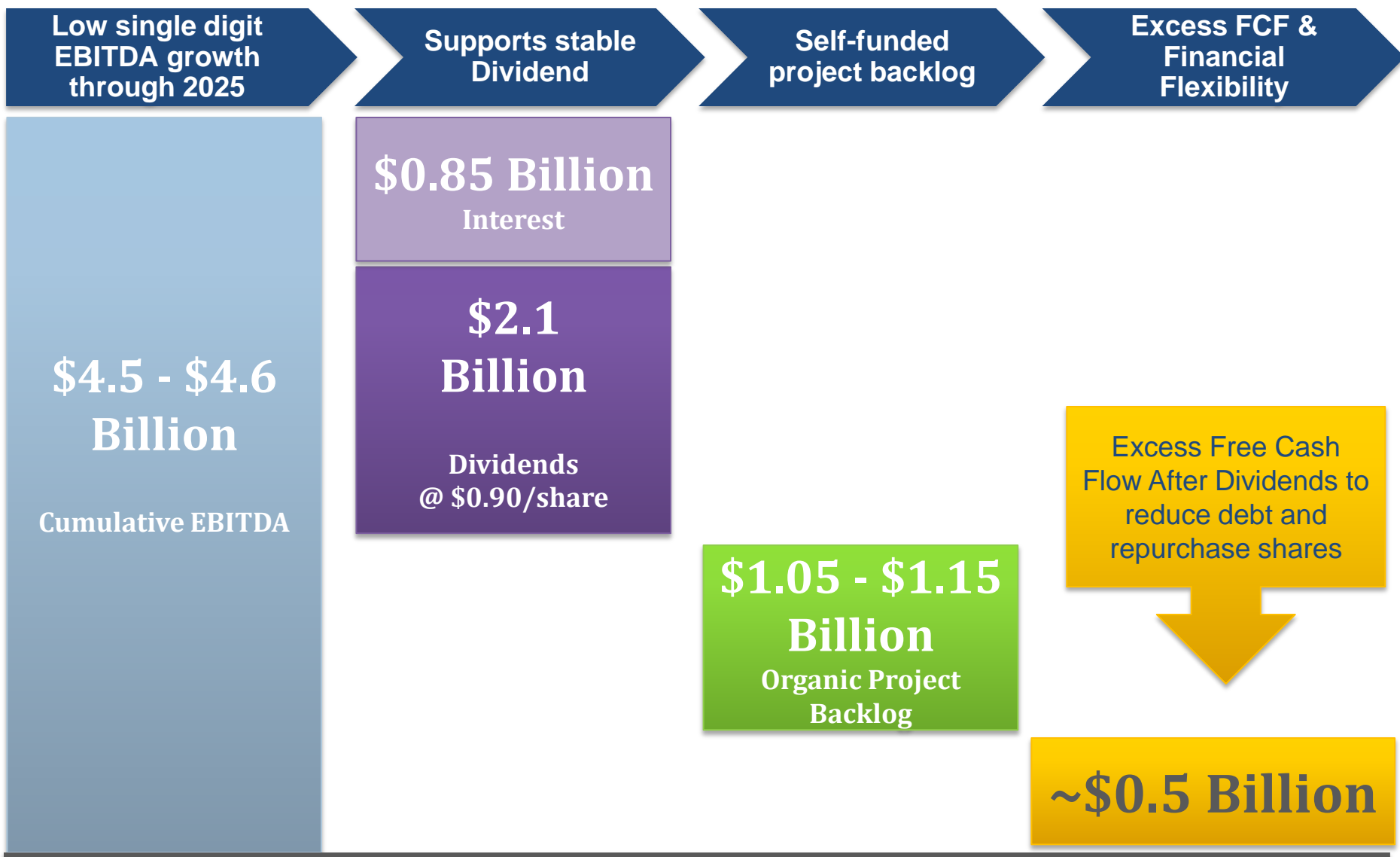


Note: Capital budget, Adjusted EBITDA and interest expense reflect the midpoint of the guidance ranges provided on 2/17/21. Dividends assume \$0.90 per share (subject to Board approval). Adjusted EBITDA is a Non-GAAP measure. Please see appendix for additional disclosures and definitions and assumptions.

Long-term Outlook Through 2025



Capital budgets and return of capital to shareholders internally financed through 2025



Note: Adjusted EBITDA, Free Cash Flow, and Leverage are Non-GAAP measures. . Dividends assume \$0.90 per share held flat through 2025 (subject to Board approval) . Please see appendix for additional disclosures, definitions, and assumptions.

Antero Midstream Outlook Summary



AR Maintenance Capital Program

AR + Drilling Partnership

% Change

➤ 0% to 1%

Annual EBITDA Growth through 2025

➤ 1% to 4%

+2%

➤ \$875 - \$975

Organic Project Backlog through 2025 (\$MM)

➤ \$1,050 - \$1,150

+\$175

➤ \$250 - \$300

Cumulative Free Cash Flow After Dividends (\$MM)

➤ \$450 - \$500

+\$200

➤ 14% - 16%

2021-2025 Average Return on Invested Capital Target (ROIC)

➤ 15% - 17%

+1%

➤ 3.1x - 3.5x

Leverage Target by Year-end 2025

➤ 2.6x - 3.0x

(0.5)x

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APPENDIX

Antero Guidance and Long-Term Target Assumptions



Long-term Outlook Assumptions (Consistent in both Base Plan and Drilling Partnership plans)	2021	2021-2025
NYMEX Henry Hub Natural Gas Price (\$/MMBtu) ⁽¹⁾	\$2.90	\$2.65
NYMEX WTI Oil Price (\$/Bbl) ⁽¹⁾	\$56.96	\$51.78
AR Weighted C3+ NGL Price (\$/Bbl) ⁽¹⁾	\$35.58	\$31.38
Marcellus Well Costs (\$MM / 1,000' assuming 12,000 ft lateral)	\$660 / 1,000'	\$635 / 1,000'
AR ownership in AM (shares) and annual AM dividend per share ⁽²⁾	139 MM shares (\$0.90/share annual dividend)	

Base Plan (Maintenance Capital) Assumptions:	2021	2021-2025
Annual Net Production (MMcfe/d)	3,300 – 3,400	
Wells Drilled	65 - 70	250
Wells Completed	60 - 65	255
Cash Production & Net Marketing Expense (\$/Mcf) ⁽³⁾	\$2.30 - \$2.35	\$2.18 - \$2.23 ⁽⁴⁾
G&A Expense (before equity-based compensation) (\$/Mcf)	\$0.08 - \$0.10	

Drilling Partnership Assumptions:	2021	2021-2025
Annual Production Net to AR (MMcfe/d)	3,300 – 3,400	
Wells Drilled (Gross)	80 - 85	310
Wells Completed (Gross)	65 - 70	315
Cash Production & Net Marketing Expense (\$/Mcf) ⁽³⁾	\$2.28 - \$2.33	\$2.10 – \$2.15 ⁽⁴⁾
G&A Expense (before equity-based compensation) (\$/Mcf)	\$0.08 - \$0.10	

¹⁾ Represents Mont Belvieu strip pricing as of 2/15/2021 assuming C3+ NGL component barrel consists of 56% C3 (propane), 10% isobutane (Ic4), 17% normal butane (Nc4) and 17% natural gasoline (C5+).

²⁾ AM dividend determined quarterly by the Board of Directors of Antero Midstream.

³⁾ Includes lease operating expense, gathering, compression, processing, transportation, production & ad valorem taxes and net marketing expense. Excludes cash G&A.

⁴⁾ Represents average cash production and net marketing expense for 2022 – 2025.



Non-GAAP Financial Measures and Definitions

Antero Midstream uses certain non-GAAP financial measures. Antero Midstream defines Adjusted Net Income as net income (loss) plus amortization of customer contracts, loss on asset sale and impairment expenses, net of tax effect of reconciling items. Antero Midstream uses Adjusted Net Income to assess the operating performance of its assets. Antero Midstream defines Adjusted EBITDA as net income (loss) before amortization of customer relationships, impairment expense, interest expense, provision for income tax expense (benefit), depreciation expense, accretion, loss on asset sale, equity-based compensation expense, excluding equity in earnings of unconsolidated affiliates and contract restructuring fees, and including cash distributions from unconsolidated affiliates.

Antero Midstream uses Adjusted EBITDA to assess:

- the financial performance of Antero Midstream's assets, without regard to financing methods, capital structure or historical cost basis;
- its operating performance and return on capital as compared to other publicly traded companies in the midstream energy sector, without regard to financing or capital structure; and
- the viability of acquisitions and other capital expenditure projects.

Antero Midstream defines Free Cash Flow as Adjusted EBITDA less interest paid, increase or decrease in cash reserved for bond interest and capital expenditures. Free Cash Flow is before dividend payments, share repurchases and changes in working capital. Antero Midstream uses Free Cash Flow as a performance metric to compare the cash generating performance of Antero Midstream from period to period.

Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted Net Income, and Free Cash are non-GAAP financial measures. The GAAP measure most directly comparable to such measures is Net Income. Such non-GAAP financial measures should not be considered as alternatives to the GAAP measure of Net Income. The presentations of such measures are not made in accordance with GAAP and have important limitations as analytical tools because they include some, but not all, items that affect Net Income. You should not consider any or all such measures in isolation or as a substitute for analyses of results as reported under GAAP. Antero Midstream's definitions of such measures may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of other companies.

Antero Midstream defines Net Debt as consolidated total debt less cash and cash equivalents. Antero Midstream views Net Debt as an important indicator in evaluating Antero Midstream's financial leverage.

Antero Midstream defines Return on Invested Capital ("ROIC") as earnings before interest and taxes excluding amortization of customer relationships divided by average total liabilities and partners capital, excluding goodwill and intangible assets in order to derive an operating asset driven ROIC calculation.

Antero Midstream Non-GAAP Measures



Antero Midstream has not included a reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA, Free Cash Flow, Net Debt or Return on Invested Capital to the nearest GAAP financial measure for 2021 because it cannot do so without unreasonable effort and any attempt to do so would be inherently imprecise. Antero Midstream is able to forecast the following 2021 reconciling items between such measures and Net Income (in thousands):

\$ in Millions	Low		High
Depreciation Expense	\$110	—	\$115
Equity based compensation expense	10	—	15
Interest expense	170	—	180
Amortization of customer relationships	70	—	75
Distributions from unconsolidated affiliates	105	—	115

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\$ in Millions	Low		High
Depreciation Expense	\$580	—	\$620
Equity based compensation expense	50	—	75
Interest expense	825	—	875
Amortization of customer relationships	350	—	375
Distributions from unconsolidated affiliates	550	—	600

Antero Midstream Non-GAAP Measures



The following table reconciles return on invested capital for the last twelve months as used in this release (in thousands):

\$ in Millions	2019	2020
Net Loss	(\$284,896)	(122,527)
Amortization of customer relationships	\$70,617	70,672
Impairment expense	\$768,942	673,640
Loss on asset sale	-	2,689
Tax effect of reconciling items	-	(196,038)
Adjusted Net Income	\$554,663	428,436
Interest expense	\$130,518	147,007
Provision for income tax expense (benefit)	(\$79,060)	(55,688)
Tax effect of reconciling items	-	196,038
Adjusted EBIT	\$606,121	715,793
Average Invested Capital	\$4,555,313	4,282,26
Return on Invested Capital	13%	17%

The following table reconciles consolidated total debt to consolidated net debt, excluding debt premiums and issuance costs, ("Net Debt") as used in this release (in thousands):

\$ in Millions	December 31, 2020
Bank credit facility	\$613,500
5.375% senior notes due 2024	650,000
7.875% senior notes due 2026	550,000
5.75% senior notes due 2027	650,000
5.75% senior notes due 2028	650,000
Consolidated total debt	\$3,113,500
Cash and cash equivalents	(640)
Consolidated net debt	\$3,112,860

Antero Midstream Non-GAAP Measures



The following table reconciles net income to Adjusted EBITDA and Free Cash Flow (in thousands):

\$ in Millions	2019	2020
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Interest expense	\$130,518	\$147,007
Provision for income tax expense (benefit)	(\$79,060)	(\$55,688)
Amortization of customer relationships	\$70,617	\$70,672
Depreciation expense	\$120,363	\$108,790
Impairment expense	\$768,942	\$673,640
Accretion and change in fair value of contingent acquisition consideration	\$10,254	\$180
Equity-based compensation	\$75,994	\$12,778
Equity in earnings of unconsolidated affiliates	(\$62,394)	(\$86,430)
Distributions from unconsolidated affiliates	\$76,925	\$98,858
Conflicts committee legal & advisory fees and other	\$2,278	\$2,929
Adjusted EBITDA	\$829,541	\$850,209
Interest paid	(\$89,824)	(\$140,732)
Decrease (increase) in cash reserved for bond interest	(\$31,457)	(\$4,267)
Capital Expenditures	(\$646,424)	(\$207,509)
Free Cash Flow	\$61,836	\$497,701