

**Q2 2020 Financial Results** 

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### Constant Currency

Constant currency or ex-FX percentages are calculated by excluding the change in average exchange rates between the current and comparable period by currency denomination exposure of the comparable period amount.

### **Organic Growth**

Organic growth or ex-M&A percentages are calculated by excluding the impact of recent acquisitions and divestitures.

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Due to rounding the tables presented may not foot.

### **Introduction and Q2 Financial Highlights**



### **Second Quarter 2020 Highlights**

- Net sales down 39.7% ex-FX and M&A impacts
- Notable net sales recovery in sequential months during Q2; June net sales 82% higher than April 2020
- Loss from operations of \$65 million versus income of \$158 million in Q2 2019
- Adjusted EBIT of \$(12) million versus \$197 million in Q2 2019; includes \$45 million in COVID-19 related accounting charges in Q2 2020
- ~\$1.5 billion in total liquidity available, including \$500 million of 4.750% senior notes issued in June
- Global restructuring announced; \$50 million in structural cost savings

### **Business Conditions**

- COVID-19 impacts drove lower volumes across all end-markets
- Continued signs of demand improvement into July globally, as traffic data continues to improve in sequential weeks and auto production normalizes to current demand







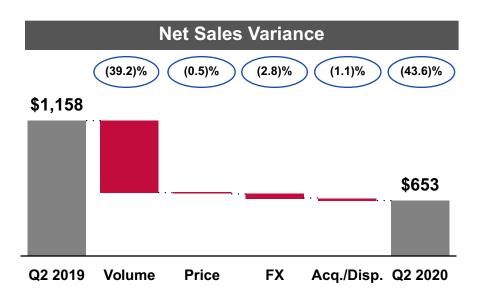


### **Q2 Consolidated Results**



### **Financial Performance**

(\$ in millions, except	Q2		% Change			
per share data)	2020	2019	Incl. F/X	Excl. F/X		
Performance	482	757	(36.3)%	(33.9)%		
Transportation	171	401	(57.4)%	(53.7)%		
Net Sales	653	1,158	(43.6)%	(40.8)%		
(Loss) income from ops	(65)	158	(140.8)%			
Adjusted EBIT	(12)	197	(105.9)%			
Diluted EPS	(0.35)	0.42	(183.3)%			
Adjusted EPS	(0.15)	0.52	(128.8)%			



### Commentary

# Net sales significantly impacted by COVID-19 during Q2

- Volume reductions globally from COVID-19 due to reduced miles driven, reduced industrial production, and lower new vehicle builds; June saw substantial recovery post April-May lows
- Q2 impacted by COVID-19 related accounting charges of \$45 million
- Product mix saw modest weakening in Refinish and Industrial; continued price recovery within Transportation
- FX pressure driven by the Real, Euro, Mexican Peso, and Renminbi
- M&A-related impact from 2019 China JV disposition

### **Q2 Performance Coatings Results**



### **Financial Performance**

	Q2		% Ch	ange
(\$ in millions)	2020	2019	Incl. F/X	Excl. F/X
Refinish	262	447	(41.4)%	(38.7)%
Industrial	220	309	(28.8)%	(27.1)%
Net Sales	482	757	(36.3)%	(33.9)%
Adjusted EBIT	2	128	(98.8)%	
% margin	0.3%	16.9%		

# Net Sales Variance (29.7)% (2.6)% (2.4)% (1.6)% (36.3)% \$757 Q2 2019 Volume Price FX Acq./Disp. Q2 2020

### Commentary

# Substantial COVID-19 impact on volumes, but improvement in June

- Volume down globally due to lower vehicle miles driven in Refinish; Industrial sub-businesses impacted variably
- Low-single-digit price-product mix decline across both end-markets;
   Refinish mix weaker
- Unfavorable FX impact driven by the Euro, Mexican Peso, Renminbi, and Brazilian Real
- M&A-related impact of 1.6% from 2019 China JV disposition

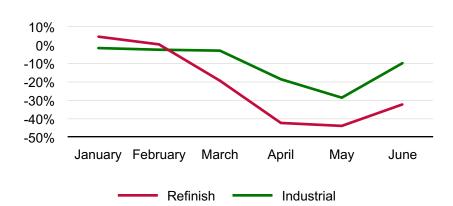
# Break-even adjusted EBIT despite volume reductions

- Positive earnings aided by cost savings actions to offset volume weakness
- Profit also impacted by costs recorded for underutilized manufacturing sites

### **COVID-19 Impact: Performance Demand Environment**







(1) % change from 2019 ex. FX and acq./disp.

# \$150 \$130 \$110 \$90 \$70 \$50 Refinish Industrial

(1) \$ in millions as-reported

### **Performance Market Commentary**

### Refinish

- Refinish sales bottomed in April-May with recovery beginning in June
- Orders in June indicated low inventory on hand for many distributors
- Traffic indicators continue to show improvement
  - Miles driven recovered to pre-COVID-19 levels by early June, though still down around mid-teens seasonally adjusted
  - Congestion levels remain low but are recovering
  - Gas consumption in the U.S. recovering and down 12% compared to last year at the beginning of July

### Industrial

- Industrial demand weakened in April-May, but recovered solidly in June; volumes down mid-single digits in June, while net sales further impacted by negative price-mix
- North America and China net sales both increased in June, offset by weakness in EMEA and Latin America
- Sub-markets including powder, energy solutions and wood seeing better order patterns in June

### **Q2 Transportation Coatings Results**



### **Financial Performance**

	Q2		% Change			
(\$ in millions)	2020	2019	Incl. F/X	Excl. F/X		
Light Vehicle	126	306	(58.7)%	(54.9)%		
Commercial Vehicle	44	95	(53.2)%	(50.1)%		
Net Sales	171	401	(57.4)%	(53.7)%		
Adjusted EBIT	(39)	40	(197.3)%			
% margin	(23.0)%	10.1%				

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### Commentary

# **COVID-19 customer production** shutdowns drove considerable sales impact

- Volumes lower from COVID-19-related customer shutdowns in April and May
- Price-mix remained positive in both endmarkets
- Unfavorable FX impact driven by the Brazilian Real and Renminbi

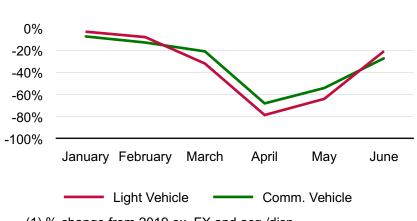
# Adjusted EBIT loss due to volume pressure

- Despite cost savings actions and positive price-mix contribution, lower sales volumes drove earnings loss
- Profit further impacted by charges for underutilized manufacturing sites

### **COVID-19 Impact: Transportation Demand Environment**



### YOY Monthly Net Sales Trends<sup>(1)</sup>



(1) % change from 2019 ex. FX and acq./disp.



### **Transportation Market Commentary**

### **Light Vehicle**

- Light Vehicle net sales tracking customer production by served geography; recovery continues solidly post April shutdowns
- China net sales declined 10% YoY in Q2 ex-FX, but sales increased YoY in June as production recovery was completed
- Global LV production declined 45% in Q2; industry forecasts call for 11% decline in Q3 and 10% in Q4 to finish 2020 down 22%
- North America is somewhat ahead of EMEA in production recovery

### **Commercial Vehicle**

- Commercial Vehicle impacted most severely in truck markets
- Major OEMs restarted production in early May following shut-downs in April
- Q2 global truck production declined 33% and is expected to decline 25% in 2020 with moderate recovery in 2H; Class 8 expected to be down 24%, Class 4-7 down 27%

### **Debt and Liquidity Summary**



### Capitalization

(\$ in millions)	Interest	@	6/30/2020	Maturity
Cash and Cash Equivalents		\$	1,124	
Debt:				
Revolver (\$400 million capacity) <sup>(1)</sup>	Variable		_	2024
First Lien Term Loan (USD)	Variable		2,059	2024
Total Senior Secured Debt		\$	2,059	
Senior Unsecured Notes (USD)	Fixed		493	2024
Senior Unsecured Notes (EUR) (2)	Fixed		373	2024
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Senior Unsecured Notes (USD)	Fixed		492	2027
Finance Leases			64	
Other Borrowings			41	
Total Debt		\$	4,021	
Total Net Debt (3)		\$	2,897	
LTM Adjusted EBITDA			716	
Total Net Leverage (4)			4.0x	
Interest Coverage Ratio (5)			4.7x	

- (1) \$361 million available on our undrawn revolver net of letters of credit
- (2) Assumes exchange rate of \$1.125 USD/Euro
- (3) Total Net Debt = Total Debt minus Cash and Cash Equivalents
- (4) Total Net Leverage = Total Net Debt / LTM Adjusted EBITDA
- (5) Interest Coverage Ratio = LTM Adjusted EBITDA / LTM Interest Expense

### **Comments**

- June issuance of \$500 million in aggregate principal amount of 4.750% Senior Notes
- ~\$1.5 billion in liquidity at the end of Q2
  - June debt issuance brought total cash to \$1,124 million
  - \$361 million undrawn revolver
- Net leverage of 4.0x increased from Q1 2020 due to lower LTM Adjusted EBITDA
- No affirmative financial covenants on our outstanding long-term debt
- No maturities on outstanding long-term debt until 2024
- Long term debt interest rates are effectively 87% fixed
  - \$250 million of term loan debt protected from rising interest rates with 3 month USD LIBOR capped at 1.50%
  - \$1.375 billion of term loan debt fixed with interest rate swaps at weighted average of 1.84%

### **COVID-19 Impact and Response**



### **Mitigation Actions**

- Exceeded expected savings and cash flow from actions during Q2
- Expect to deliver over \$130 million in temporary cost actions in 2020; achieved \$75 million savings in Q2; Q3 savings expected to be greater than Q4
- Expect to deliver over \$140 million in incremental cash flows in 2020; \$70 million achieved in Q2 from reduced capital expenditures and working capital savings

### **Global Restructuring**

- Announced a global restructuring to align our cost structure to market demand and to remain competitive in the markets we serve.
  - Net 5% reduction of global workforce, or approximately 550 employees with potential for additional reductions within Europe
  - Expected annualized cost savings of approximately \$50 million expected to be largely achieved over next 24 months
  - Company expects to incur cash costs of \$55-65 million inclusive of capital expenditures

### **Financial Guidance Update**



Given limited current forecast visibility, we are not offering full year guidance, other than those discrete elements below:

- Q3 net sales: Expected to be down ~15-20% compared to Q3 2019 including -1% FX impact
- FY diluted shares: ~236 million
- FY capex: ~\$80 million (50% lower than January guidance)
- FY interest expense: ~\$150 million





**Appendix** 

### **Full Year 2020 Assumptions**



### **Macroeconomic Assumptions**

- Global GDP decline of approximately ~(5.5%)
- Global industrial production decline of approximately ~ (7.7%)
- Global auto build decline of approximately ~(21.9%)
- Demand destruction due to COVID-19 has driven lower oil and related feedstock prices. Due to lower customer demand and inventory reductions, flow-through of pricing tailwinds has been very limited during 1H 2020

### **Currency Assumptions**

Currency	2019 % Axalta Net Sales	2019 Average Rate	2020 Average Rate Assumption	USD % Impact of FX Rate Change
US\$ per Euro	~28%	1.12	1.12	0.0%
Chinese Yuan per US\$	~9%	6.91	7.05	(2.0%)
Brazilian Real per US\$	~3%	3.94	5.06	(22.1%)
US\$ per British Pound			1.26	(1.6%)
Mexican Peso per US\$			21.88	(12.0%)
Canadian Dollar per US\$			0.74	1.4%
Indian Rupee per US\$	~2% 70.41		74.69	(5.7%)
Other	~52%	N/A	N/A	2.8%

# **Adjusted EBIT Reconciliation**



Q	2 2020	Q2 2019
\$	(65) \$	158
	(2)	(1)
\$	(62) \$	159
	_	_
	15	3
	7	1
	_	_
	3	(1)
	(1)	_
	_	7
	26	29
\$	(12) \$	197
\$	2 \$	128
	(39)	40
\$	(38) \$	168
	26	29
\$	(12) \$	197
	\$ \$ \$	\$ (62) \$

### Adjusted EBIT Reconciliation (cont'd)



- A Represents expenses and associated changes to estimates related to the prepayment, restructuring, and refinancing of our indebtedness, which are not considered indicative of our ongoing operating performance.
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- E Represents expenses and associated changes to estimates related to the sale of our interest in a joint venture business and other impairments, which are not considered indicative of our ongoing operating performance.
- F Represents certain defined benefit pension costs associated with special events, including pension curtailments, which we do not consider indicative of our ongoing operating performance.
- G Represents incremental depreciation expense resulting from truncated useful lives of the assets impacted by our manufacturing footprint assessments, which we do not consider indicative of our ongoing operating performance.
- Represents the incremental step-up depreciation and amortization expense associated with the acquisition of DuPont Performance Coatings by Axalta. We believe this will assist investors in performing meaningful comparisons of past, present and future operating results and better highlight the results of our ongoing operating performance.

## **Adjusted Net Income Reconciliation**



	(\$ in millions, except per share data)	Q2 2020	Q2 2019
	Net (loss) income	\$ (83) \$	100
	Less: Net (loss) income attributable to noncontrolling interests	_	2
	Net (loss) income attributable to controlling interests	(83)	98
Α	Debt extinguishment and refinancing related costs	_	
В	Termination benefits and other employee related costs	15	3
С	Strategic review and retention costs	7	1
D	Offering and transactional costs	_	_
Ε	Loss (gain) on divestiture and impairment	3	(1)
F	Pension special event	(1)	_
G	Accelerated depreciation	_	7
Н	Step-up depreciation and amortization	26	29
	Total adjustments	\$ 51 \$	39
ı	Income tax provision impacts	3	14
	Adjusted net (loss) income	\$ (35) \$	123
	Diluted adjusted net (loss) income per share	\$ (0.15) \$	0.52
	Diluted weighted average shares outstanding	235	235

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- The income tax impacts are determined using the applicable rates in the taxing jurisdictions in which expense or income occurred and includes both current and deferred income tax expense (benefit) based on the nature of the non-GAAP performance measure. Additionally, the income tax impact includes the removal of discrete income tax impacts within our effective tax rate which were expenses of \$3.4 million and benefits of \$30.5 million, \$5.7 million, and \$4.1 million for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2020 and 2019, respectively. The tax benefits for the six months ended June 30, 2020 include the removal of a significant one-time benefit associated with the recognition of a deferred tax asset related to an intra-entity transfer of certain intellectual property rights. The deferred tax benefit will be ratably amortized into our adjusted income tax rate as the tax attribute is realized.

### **Free Cash Flow Reconciliation**



(\$ in millions)	Q2	2020	Q1 2020	YTD 2020	Q2 2019	Q1 2019	YTD 2019
Cash (used for) provided by operating activities	\$	(2) \$	(1)	\$ (3)	\$ 127	\$ (58)	\$ 69
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(20)	(23)	(42)	(27)	(21)	(47)
Interest proceeds on swaps designated as net investment hedges		4	4	7	4	4	7
Free cash flow	\$	(18) \$	(20)	\$ (38)	\$ 104	\$ (75)	\$ 29

# **Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation**



(\$ in millions)	LTM 60/2020	Q2 2020	Q1 2020	Q2 2019	Q1 2019	FY 2019
Net income (loss)	\$ 78 \$	(83) \$	52 \$	100 \$	44 \$	253
Interest expense, net	153	36	37	41	41	163
(Benefit) provision for income taxes	6	(15)	(25)	18	14	77
Depreciation and amortization	336	77	87	89	92	353
EBITDA	\$ 573 \$	14 \$	151 \$	248 \$	191 \$	846
A Debt extinguishment and refinancing related costs	2	_	2	_	_	_
<b>B</b> Termination benefits and other employee related costs	66	15	20	3	1	35
C Strategic review and retention costs	31	7	12	1	_	13
D Offering and transactional costs	_	_	_	_	1	1
E Loss (gain) on divestiture and impairment	20	3	1	(1)	5	21
F Foreign exchange remeasurement losses	6	_	2	2	2	8
<b>G</b> Long-term employee benefit plan adjustments	(2)	(1)	(1)	_	_	_
H Stock-based compensation	22	6	5	(1)	7	16
I Dividends in respect of noncontrolling interest	(1)	_	(1)	_	(1)	(2)
Total Adjustments	144 \$	30 \$	40 \$	4 \$	15_\$	93
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 717 \$	44 \$	191 \$	251 \$	207 \$	939

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- F Eliminates foreign exchange losses resulting from the remeasurement of assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies, net of the impacts of our foreign currency instruments used to hedge our balance sheet exposures.
- **G** Eliminates the non-cash, non-service cost components of long-term employee benefit costs.
- **H** Represents non-cash impacts associated with stock-based compensation.
- I Represents the payment of dividends to our joint venture partners by our consolidated entities that are not 100% owned, which are reflected to show the cash operating performance of these entities on Axalta's financial statements.



Thank you

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