## NOVELIS Q2 FISCAL YEAR 2022 EARNINGS CONFERENCE CALL

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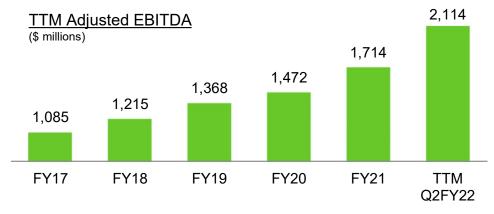
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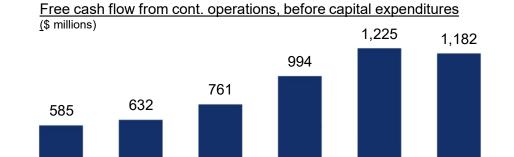
#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

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- Top priority remains the safety, health and well-being of our employees, facilities and communities
- Navigating near-term supply chain challenges and inflationary cost pressures
- Strong underlying demand fundamentals for aluminum FRP
- Generating strong cash flow and improved net leverage position to 2.4x
- Investing in strategic organic capital expansion projects to capture market growth and achieve sustainability targets







FY20

**FY19** 

**FY17** 

FY18

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FY21

#### **CAPITAL PROJECTS UPDATE**

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- Recently completed organic growth projects ramping up
  - Pinda rolling & recycling expansion already in production
  - New Guthrie & China CASH lines increase total automotive finishing capacity to approximately 1 million tonnes



Casting pit in Pinda, Brazil

- Recently announced new investments to begin early 2022
  - \$375 million China rolling & recycling expansion
    - Upgrades to the existing hot mill, a new cold mill, and a new recycling and casting center
    - Expansion fully integrates automotive business and add closed loop recycling in Asia
    - Provides over \$100 million in acquisition strategic synergies
  - \$130 million plant upgrades in Oswego, US
    - Debottleneck hot mill rolling capacity at Oswego, New York plant by 124kt
    - Enhance finishing capabilities for automotive sheet

#### **NEAR-TERM END MARKET OUTLOOK**

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Be	verage Can	2021 market demand*	% of YTDFY22 Shipments
	Customers continue to request increased volumes in all regions		
•	Demand driven by ongoing high at-home consumption and package mix shift driven by preference for sustainable beverage packaging options		58%
•	Significant canmaker capacity expansions announced next 2-3 years across all regions	3-6%	
Au	tomotive		
•	Short-term uncertainty created by semi-conductor shortage into CY2022		
	Strong underlying demand driven by new program adoption and increased consumer preference for SUVs, pick-up trucks, electric and premium vehicles	20-25%	16%
Spo	Favorable housing fundamentals in the US and Europe driving strong B&C demand Strong demand across markets, including electronics, container and painted products	5-10%	24%
Aeı	ospace	3-1070	
•	Do not expect significant improvement in CY21 as consumer air travel remains restricted		
•	Bookings improving but recovery could be prolonged and uneven	5-10%	2%

\*CY 2021 vs 2020 estimated end market growth, Novelis internal estimates

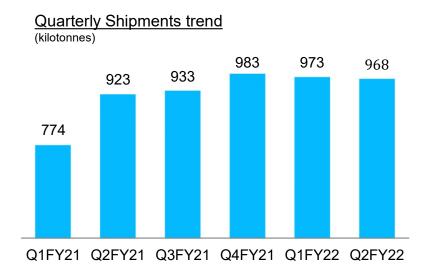
## FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

#### **Q2 FISCAL 2022 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS**

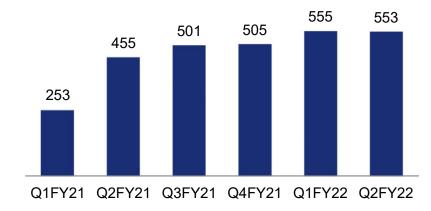


Q2FY22 vs Q2FY21

- Net income from continuing operations up 66% to \$239 million
  - Excluding tax-effected special items\*, net income of \$244 million up 54%
- Sales up 38% to \$4.1 billion
- Total FRP Shipments up 5% to 968kt
  - Record Can and Specialty shipments
  - Automotive shipments impacted by semiconductor shortage
- Adjusted EBITDA up 22% to \$553 million
- Adjusted EBITDA per ton increased to \$571, compared to prior year \$493



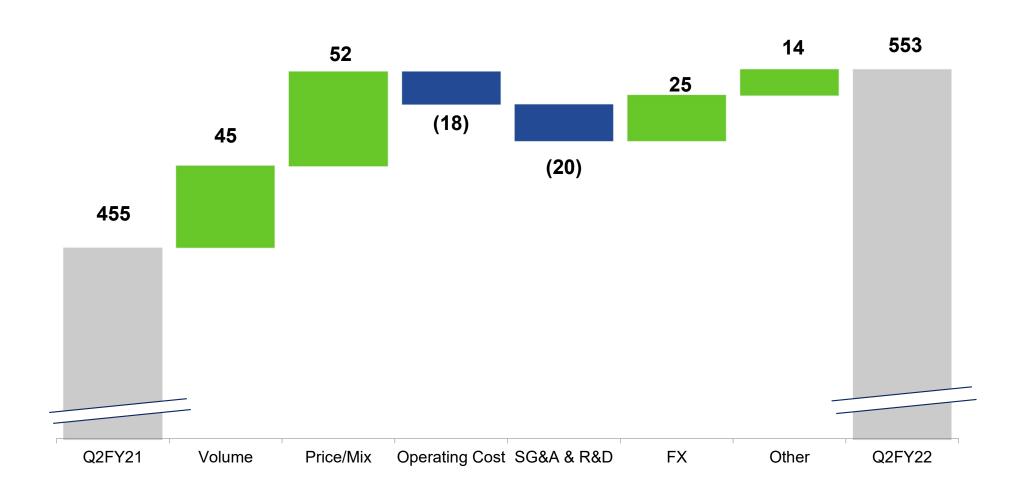
## Quarterly Adjusted EBITDA trend (\$ millions)



## **Q2 ADJUSTED EBITDA BRIDGE**

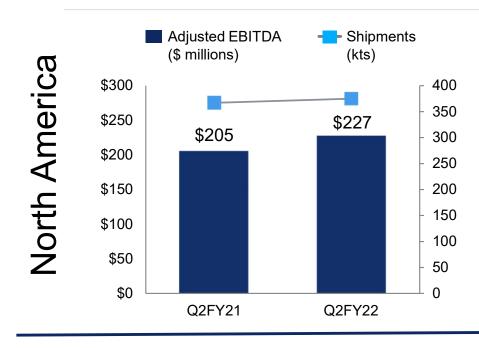


\$ Millions



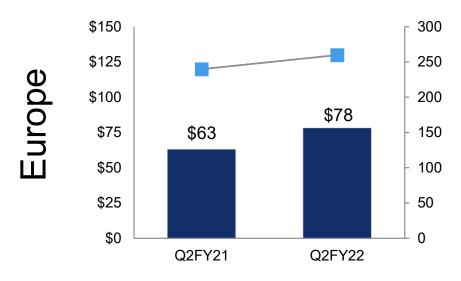
#### **Q2 SEGMENT RESULTS**





#### Q2 Shipments +2% EBITDA +11%

- Record shipments and strong demand for can,
   B&C and specialties
- Automotive shipments impacted by semiconductor shortages
- Favorable pricing and metal costs mitigating inflation

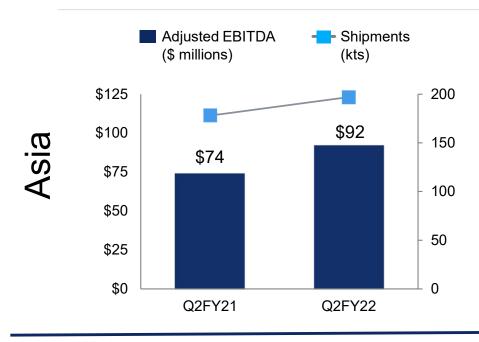


#### Q2 Shipments +8% EBITDA +24%

- Higher shipments across markets excluding automotive semiconductor shortage impact
- Increased production and inflation costs partially offset by favorable metal costs
- Favorable FX translation

#### **Q2 SEGMENT RESULTS**





#### Q2 Shipments +11% EBITDA +24%

- Strong markets, excluding semiconductor constraints
- Favorable price & mix
- Supply chain challenges leading to higher costs (ocean freight)



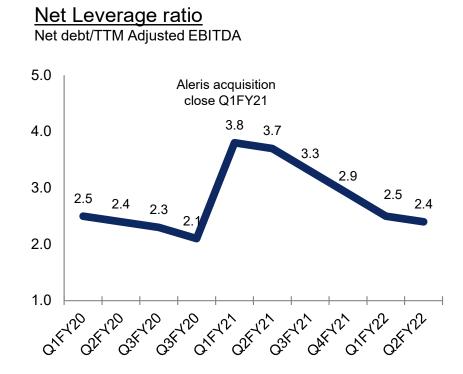
#### Q2 Shipments -1% EBITDA +36%

- Strong end market demand
- Favorable metal benefit
- Favorable FX

#### FREE CASH FLOW AND NET LEVERAGE



\$ Millions	YTD FY22	YTD FY21
Adjusted EBITDA	1,108	708
Interest paid	(124)	(124)
Taxes paid	(117)	(88)
Capital expenditures	(194)	(226)
Metal price lag	113	(35)
Working capital & other*	(628)	(66)
Free cash flow from continuing operations	158	169
Free cash flow from discontinued operations	(5)	(37)
Free cash flow	153	132
Free cash flow from continuing operations before capex	352	395



- Significant working capital pressure from aluminum price increase largely offset by higher Adjusted EBITDA, favorable metal price lag and timing of capital expenditures
- Further improvement in net leverage to 2.4x
- Maintain very strong liquidity of \$2.1 billion at September 31, 2021
- \$100 million return of capital to our common shareholder in August
- Completed \$1.5 billion Senior Notes refinancing in August

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# SUMMARY

#### **SUMMARY**



- Delivered another exceptional quarter
- Integration of Aleris continues, with total synergies forecast to exceed \$220 million
- Strong demand for sustainable aluminum FRP across end markets
- Beginning new investment projects to grow with our customers, with additional opportunities on the horizon
- Working across the supply chain to achieve sustainability goals



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# THANK YOU QUESTIONS?

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# **APPENDIX**

#### NET INCOME RECONCILIATION TO ADJUSTED EBITDA



(in \$ m)	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FY21	Q1 FY22	Q2 FY22
Net income (loss) attributable to our common shareholder	(79)	(37)	176	176	236	240	237
- Noncontrolling interests	-	_	1	-	1	-	_
- Income tax provision	(29)	68	80	119	238	108	79
- Interest, net	67	69	63	59	258	56	59
- Depreciation and amortization	118	141	137	147	543	134	134
EBITDA	77	241	457	501	1,276	538	509
- Unrealized (gain) loss on derivatives	33	(6)	(13)	(3)	11	4	16
- Realized loss (gain) on derivative instruments not included in segment income	3	1	(2)	(1)	1	(1)	-
- Adjustment to reconcile proportional consolidation	14	15	13	14	56	14	15
- (Gain) loss on sale of fixed assets	(2)	-	2	1	1	-	2
- Loss (gain) on extinguishment of debt	-	-	-	14	14	(2)	64
- Purchase price accounting adjustments	28	1	-	-	29	-	-
- Loss from discontinued operations, net of tax	18	11	18	4	51	63	2
- Loss on sale of discontinued operations, net of tax	-	170	-	-	170	-	-
- Restructuring and impairment, net	1	7	20	1	29	(2)	-
- Metal price lag (income) expense	20	12	-	(26)	6	(54)	(59)
- Business acquisition and other integration costs	11	-	-	-	11	-	-
- Other, net	50	3	6	-	59	(6)	4
Adjusted EBITDA	\$253	\$455	\$501	\$505	\$1,714	\$555	\$553

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#### **FREE CASH FLOW**

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						FY22	FY22
Cash provided by (used in) operating activities – continuing operations  Cash provided by (used in) investing activities – continuing operations  Plus: Cash used in Acquisition of a business, net of cash acquired  Plus: Accrued merger consideration  Less: Proceeds from sale of assets and business, net of transaction fees, cash income taxes and hedging	(123) (2,643) 2,550 70	496 (183) 64 (60) (2)	275 (101) - (10) (2)	561 (152) - - -	1,209 (3,079) 2,614 - (4)	65 (94) - - (1)	274 (87) - - 1
Free cash flow from continuing operations	\$(146)	\$315	\$162	\$409	\$740	\$(30)	\$188
Net cash used in operating activities – discontinued operations  Net cash provided by investing activities – discontinued operations  Less: Proceeds from sale of assets and businesses, net of transaction fees, cash income taxes and hedges - discontinued operations	(15) 10 -	(16) 207 (223)	(47) 140 (180)	(4) - -	(82) 357 (403)	(3) - -	(2) - -
Free cash flow	\$(151)	\$283	\$75	\$405	\$612	\$(33)	\$186

(in \$ m)	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FY21	Q1 FY22	Q2 FY22
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Free cash flow from continuing operations Capital expenditures	<b>\$(146)</b> 112	<b>\$315</b> 114	<b>\$162</b> 107	<b>\$409</b> 152	<b>\$740</b> 485	<b>\$(30)</b> 101	<b>\$188</b> 93
Free cash flow from continuing operations before capex	\$(39)	\$397	\$182	\$557	\$1,097	\$71	\$281

## **NET DEBT AND LIQUIDITY**



	(in \$ m)	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FY21	Q1 FY22	Q2 FY22
Long-term debt, net of current portion		5,671	6,767	6,295	5,653	5,653	4,960	4,942
Current portion of long-term debt		50	55	59	71	71	541	443
Short-term borrowings		2,176	393	151	236	236	359	247
Cash and cash equivalents		(1,729)	(1,627)	(1,164)	(998)	(998)	(872)	(659)
Net debt		\$6,168	\$5,588	\$5,341	\$4,962	\$4,962	\$4,988	\$4,973

(in \$ m)	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FY21	Q1 FY22	Q2 FY22
Cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents of discontinued operations Availability under committed credit facilities	1,729 89 308	1,627 - 1,005	1,164 - 1,226	998 - 1,223	998 - 1,223	872 - 1,380	659 - 1,490
Liquidity	\$2,126	\$2,632	\$2,390	\$2,221	\$2,221	\$2,252	\$2,149