## NOVELIS Q1 FISCAL YEAR 2023 EARNINGS CONFERENCE CALL

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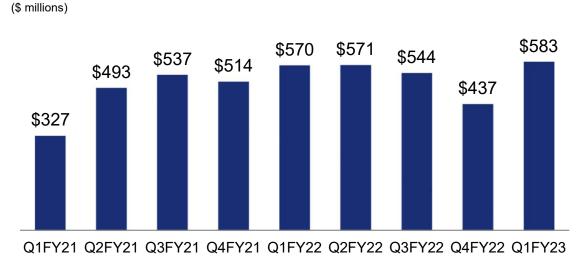
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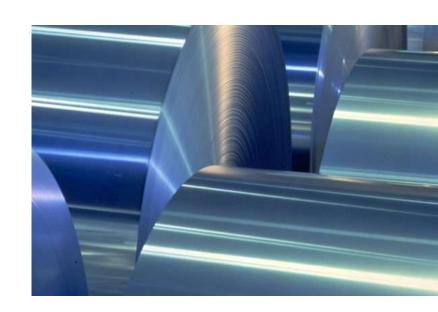
## **Q1 HIGHLIGHTS**



- Q1FY23 Adjusted EBITDA per ton at \$583 strongly bouncing back after challenging Q4FY22
- Broad, stable product portfolio capitalizing on solid demand across end markets
- Mitigating rising operating and energy costs through favorable pricing environment, hedging, and recycling strategy
- Focus on maintaining high performance standards, while also delivering on our growth and sustainability commitments

#### **Quarterly Adjusted EBITDA per ton trend**





## **FOSTERING A CIRCULAR ECONOMY**

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## Leading decarbonization of the aluminum industry

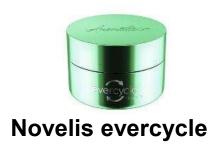
- Support low carbon & low energy production processes
- Design high-recycled-content alloys and simplifying alloy solutions
- Optimize quality and sorting of materials at end-of-life
- Foster a circular economy with increased recycling
- Partner with companies throughout the entire value chain











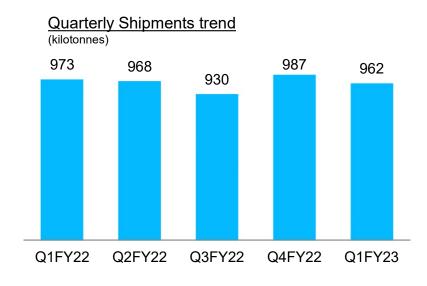
# FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

## **Q1 FISCAL 2023 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS**



Q1FY23 vs Q1FY22

- Net Income from Continuing Operations
   \$307 million, compared to \$303 million
  - Excluding tax-effected special items\*, net income of \$307 million compared to \$260 million
- Sales up 32% to \$5.1 billion
- Total FRP Shipments down 1% to 962kt
  - Strong market demand but continued supply chain constraints
- Adjusted EBITDA up 1% to record \$561 million
  - Up 10% excluding a \$47 million favorable decision in Brazil tax litigation in prior year
- Record Adjusted EBITDA per ton \$583, compared to \$570 prior year



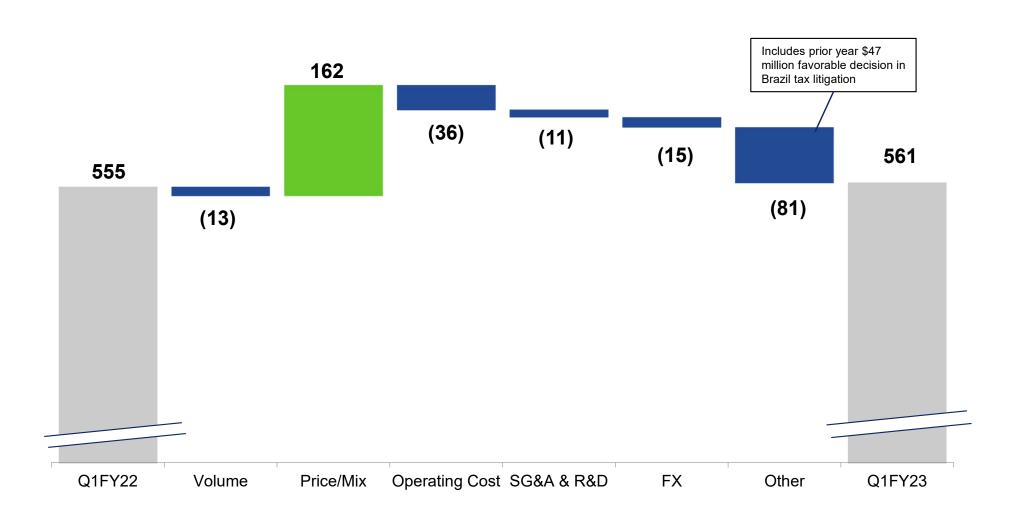
## Quarterly Adjusted EBITDA trend (\$ millions)



## **Q1 ADJUSTED EBITDA BRIDGE**

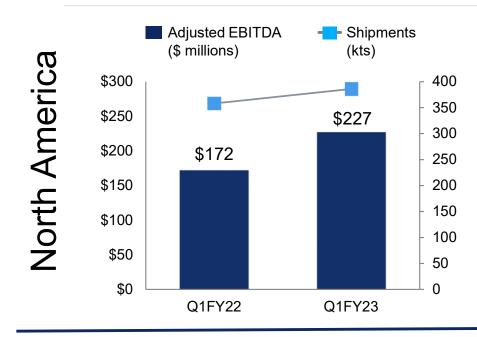


\$ Millions



## **Q1 SEGMENT RESULTS**

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#### Q1 Shipments +8%, Adjusted EBITDA +32%

- Record shipments on strong can demand and improved automotive shipments with improving semiconductor supply
- Favorable pricing environment and metal benefits partly offset by inflationary cost pressures

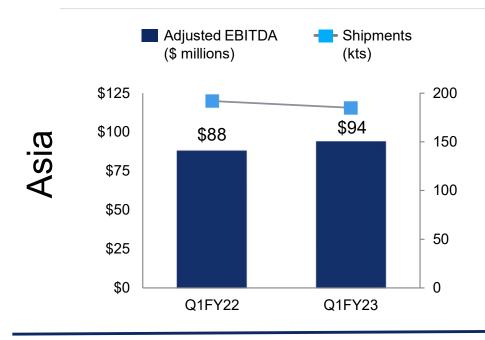


## Q1 Shipments -3%, Adjusted EBITDA -18%

- Favorable pricing environment and metal benefits
- Improving aerospace & strong can, but automotive
   & specialty impacted by semiconductor shortages
- Unfavorable foreign currency translation
- Inflation, including significant energy cost increase largely at German plants from Ukraine conflict

## **Q1 SEGMENT RESULTS**





#### Q1 Shipments -4%, Adjusted EBITDA +7%

- Higher can & aerospace shipments on strong demand, despite some supply chain disruption
- Lower automotive shipments due to COVIDlockdowns in China
- Favorable pricing environment, product mix and metal benefit offsetting inflationary pressures



## Q1 Shipments -6%, Adjusted EBITDA -19%

- Underlying Adjusted EBITDA +7% excluding prior year \$47 million tax litigation benefit
- Favorable pricing and metal benefit mitigating cost inflation
- Favorable foreign exchange

#### ADJUSTED FREE CASH FLOW AND NET LEVERAGE



\$ Millions	Q1 FY23	Q1 FY22
Adjusted EBITDA	561	555
Interest paid	(43)	(52)
Taxes paid	(41)	(61)
Capital expenditures	(110)	(101)
Metal price lag	3	54
Working capital & other	(442)	(425)
Adjusted free cash flow from continuing operations	(72)	(30)
Adjusted free cash flow from disc. operations	(1)	(3)
Adjusted free cash flow	(73)	(33)
Adjusted free cash flow from continuing operations before capex	38	73

Net Leverage ratio (Net debt/TTM Adjusted EBITDA)



- Adjusted free cash flow impacted by seasonal working capital increase and high aluminum prices
- Maintaining strong liquidity position, \$2.4 billion at June 30, 2022
- Expect FY23 total capital expenditures on the lower end of previously guided range of \$1.3 billion to \$1.6 billion; total includes approximately \$300 million for maintenance capital

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# **OUTLOOK & SUMMARY**

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



		CY2022 market demand*	% of Q1FY23 Shipments**
Be	verage Can		
•	Stable, strong demand for recession-resistant beverage can sheet		58%
•	Customers continue to request increased volumes in all regions driven by package mix shift driven by preference for sustainable beverage packaging options	~5%	3070
Au	tomotive		
	High levels of pent-up vehicle demand and low dealer inventory, following low automotive build rates impacted by COVID lockdowns and semi-conductor shortages		17%
1	Semi-conductor shortage appears to be easing but still some constraints	~10%	11 70
Sp	ecialty		
Ť	Near-term order book remains strong across end markets	~4%	22%
Ae	rospace		
Ť	Consumer air travel and order bookings continue to improve towards pre-COVID levels		3%
		~30%	<b>3</b> 70

\*CY 2022 vs 2021 estimated end market growth, Novelis internal estimates

#### CAPITAL PROJECTS UPDATE

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- Novelis is embarking on a fiveyear, transformational organic growth period to further strengthen its industry leading position
- Identified more than \$4.5 billion of potential investment opportunities
- ~\$3.4 billion of planned capital investments underway



#### **Greenfield Rolling Mill**

Location: Bay Minette, Alabama

**Capex**: \$2.5B

Status: Critical equipment ordered



#### **Auto Recycling Plant**

Location: Guthrie, KY

**Capex**: \$365M

Status: Groundbreaking in May



#### Hot mill Debottlenecking

Location: Oswego, NY

**Capex:** \$130M

Status: Critical equipment has been awarded



**UAL Recycling** 

Location: Ulsan, S Korea

Capex: \$50M

Status: Construction to begin Fall 2022



**China Integration & Expansion** 

Location: Zhenjiang, China

**Capex**: \$375M

Status: Estimated project start Fall 2022

**SUMMARY** 

## **Novelis**

- Delivered record Adjusted EBITDA/ton \$583 after a record year
- Supply chain challenges, inflationary pressures, geopolitical instability and foreign exchange volatility limit visibility
- Stable demand for sustainable aluminum solutions across end markets
- Focused on capital investments opportunities to grow with our customers
- Continue working across the value chain to achieve sustainability goals



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# **APPENDIX**

## NET INCOME RECONCILIATION TO ADJUSTED EBITDA



(in \$ m)	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FY22	Q1 FY23
Net income attributable to our common shareholder	240	237	262	215	954	307
- Noncontrolling interests	-	-	-	1	1	(1)
- Income tax provision	108	79	89	5	281	87
- Interest, net	56	59	52	51	218	54
- Depreciation and amortization	134	134	137	145	550	138
EBITDA	538	509	540	417	2,004	585
- Unrealized loss (gain) on derivatives	4	16	(26)	34	28	(42)
- Realized (gain) loss on derivative instruments not included in segment income	(1)	-	-	(1)	(2)	(1)
- Adjustment to reconcile proportional consolidation	14	15	17	10	56	14
- Loss on sale of fixed assets	-	2	3	3	8	1
- (Gain) loss on extinguishment of debt	(2)	64	1	1	64	-
- Loss (gain) from discontinued operations, net of tax	63	2	(3)	1	63	1
- Restructuring and impairment (reversals) expenses, net	(2)	-	3	-	1	1
- Gain on sale of business	-	-	(15)	-	(15)	-
- Metal price lag (income) expense	(54)	(59)	(14)	(39)	(166)	(3)
- Other, net	(5)	4	-	5	4	5
Adjusted EBITDA	\$555	\$553	\$506	\$431	\$2,045	\$56 <sup>2</sup>

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## **ADJUSTED FREE CASH FLOW**

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(in \$ m)	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FY22	Q1 FY23
Cash provided by (used in) operating activities – continuing operations	65	274	164	629	1,132	44
Cash provided by (used in) investing activities – continuing operations	(94)	(87)	(96)	(196)	(473)	(120)
Plus: Cash used in Acquisition of business and other investments, net of cash acquired	-	-	-	-	-	4
Less: Proceeds from sale of assets and business, net of transaction fees, cash income taxes and hedging		1	(9)	(1)	(10)	-
Adjusted free cash flow from continuing operations	\$(30)	\$188	\$59	\$432	\$649	\$(72)
Net cash used in operating activities – discontinued operations		(2)	17	(1)	11	(1)
Adjusted free cash flow	\$(33)	\$186	\$76	\$431	\$660	\$(73)

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	101	93	93	159	446	110
Adjusted free cash flow from continuing operations before capex	\$71	\$281	\$152	\$591	\$1,095	\$38

## **NET DEBT AND LIQUIDITY**



	(in \$ m)	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FY22	Q1 FY23
Long-term debt, net of current portion		4,960	4,942	4,984	4,967	4,967	4,894
Current portion of long-term debt		541	443	340	26	26	59
Short-term borrowings		359	247	373	529	529	603
Cash and cash equivalents		(872)	(659)	(808)	(1,070)	(1,070)	(1,037)
Net debt		\$4,988	\$4,973	\$4,889	\$4,452	\$4,452	\$4,519

	(in \$ m)	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FY22	Q1 FY23
Cash and cash equivalents  Availability under committed credit facilities		872 1,380	659 1,490	808 1,514	1,070 1,499	1,070 1,499	1,037 1,341
Liquidity		\$2,252	\$2,149	\$2,322	\$2,569	\$2,569	\$2,378

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