



Q1 FY 2021 SUPPLEMENTAL SLIDES

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KEY TAKEAWAYS FROM TODAY'S CALL

- ▶ Controlling the controllables
 - Cost improvements year-over-year in both North America and Europe
- ▶ Continued progress on strategic operational initiatives
 - Network optimization benefits
 - Growth in merchant bar and wire rod shipments
- ▶ Building for the future
 - 3rd Polish rolling line startup on target; Arizona 2 project moving forward as planned
 - Organic projects underway expected to add \$135 million of through-the-cycle EBITDA
- ▶ Ongoing COVID-19 pandemic continues to cause uncertainty
- ▶ Financial position provides flexibility to fund growth, weather economic uncertainty, and pursue opportunistic M&A

Q1 Core EBITDA¹
of \$157M
Down 10% y/y

Q1 Annualized
ROIC² of 10.3%

Best N. America
controllable level
in two years

Notes:

[1] Core EBITDA is a non-GAAP measure. For a reconciliation of non-GAAP financial measures to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, see the appendix to this document.

[2] Return on Invested Capital is defined as After-tax Operating Profit divided by (Total Assets less Cash & Cash Equivalents less Non-Interest Bearing Liabilities)



OPERATIONAL UPDATE

PERFORMANCE DRIVERS

- Strong cost management throughout North America vertical footprint drove benefits on both a sequential and year-over-year basis
 - Mill conversion costs per ton lowest in last two years
- North America Steel Product margins pressured sequentially on higher scrap costs; partial offset from higher selling price
- Volumes for all Steel Product categories increased from prior year, with particular strength in merchant bar and wire rod
- Margins over scrap on Downstream Products remained near historical highs driven by strong pricing in backlog
- Europe rebar volumes supported by resilient construction activity; merchant and wire rod demand benefited from increased industrial activity
- Import pressures remain in Europe

STRATEGIC ITEMS

- Signed agreement to begin receiving renewable solar energy at existing Arizona micro mill
- Completed closure of Steel California with decommissioning of rolling mill
- Further progress in MBQ initiative
 - Increased volumes from prior year despite unchanged industry consumption

UPDATES ON KEY PROJECTS

Second Arizona Micro Mill

- Expected FY '21 capital spend of \$85 million
- Expect to break ground in mid FY '21; target startup FY '23
- Replaces shuttered rebar capacity at Steel CA
- Portion of investment to be funded by sale of land in Southern California
- First in world to produce MBQ via a continuous-continuous process
- Will further optimize our mill network and provide access to large underserved West Coast MBQ market

Danieli 3 - Europe

- Expected FY '21 capital spend of \$20 million
- Targeted commissioning in late FY '21
- 3rd rolling line at Polish mill
- Adds significant production flexibility
- Will utilize current excess melt capacity, adding roughly 200,000 tons of finished steel output
- Helps to leverage fixed costs



CONSOLIDATED OPERATING RESULTS – QUARTERLY

Performance Summary

Units in 000's unless noted otherwise

	Q1 '20	Q2 '20	Q3 '20	Q4 '20	Q1 '21
External Finished Steel Tons Shipped ¹	1,462	1,445	1,475	1,541	1,518
Core EBITDA	\$174,413	\$145,257	\$154,815	\$175,994	\$156,561
Core EBITDA per Ton of Finished Steel Shipped	\$119	\$101	\$105	\$114	\$103
Adjusted Earnings from Continuing Operations	\$87,763	\$63,596	\$70,367	\$95,307	\$69,778

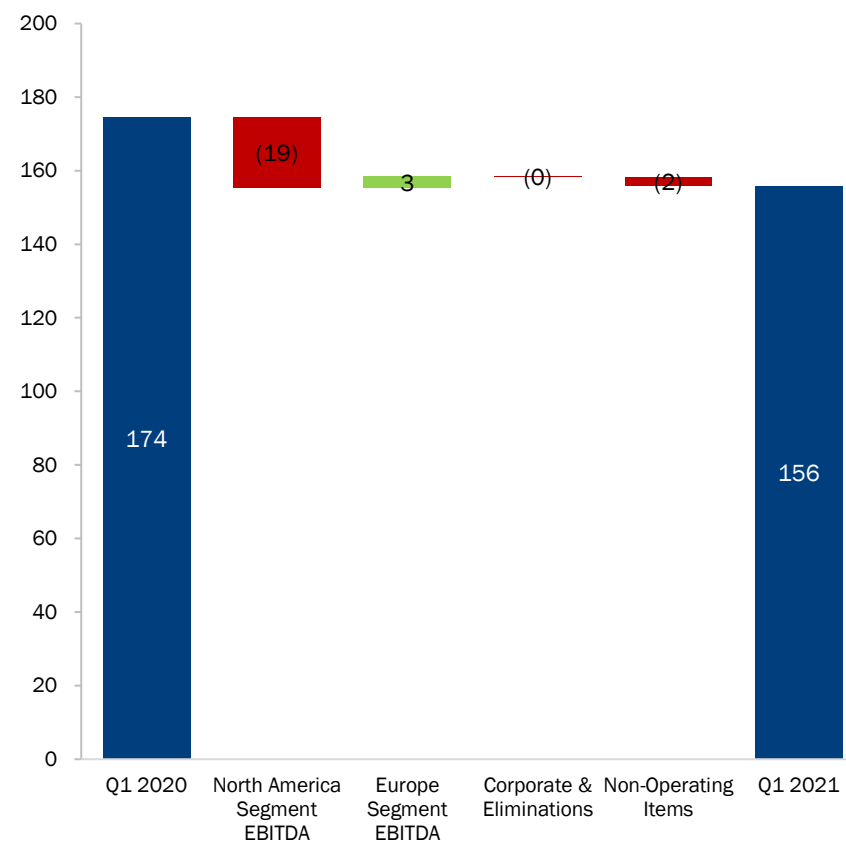
Non-Operating Charges / Benefits

Figures are pre-tax for Q1 2021 in \$ millions

- Primarily due to \$5.2 million facility closure costs related to employee and contract termination expenses at Steel California
- Primarily due to \$3.6 million impairment costs related to write-down of assets at Steel California
- \$1.3 million benefit related to a labor cost government refund in Europe

Core EBITDA Bridge – Q1 2020 to Q1 2021

\$ Millions



[1] External Finished Steel Tons Shipped equal to shipments of Steel Products plus Downstream Products

Other Note: Core EBITDA and Adjusted earnings from continuing operations are non-GAAP measures. For a reconciliation of non-GAAP financial measures to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, see the appendix to this document.



NORTH AMERICA – QUARTERLY

Performance Summary

Units in 000's unless noted otherwise

	Q1 '20	Q2 '20	Q3 '20	Q4 '20	Q1 '21
External Finished Steel Tons Shipped ¹	1,124	1,065	1,101	1,161	1,121
Adjusted EBITDA	\$174,732	\$152,831	\$159,394	\$174,219	\$155,634
Adjusted EBITDA per Ton of Finished Steel Shipped	\$155	\$144	\$145	\$150	\$139
Adjusted EBITDA Margin	14.4%	13.2%	13.7%	14.2%	13.0%

Key Performance Drivers

Q1 2021 vs Q1 2020

- Reduction in controllable costs within vertically integrated chain
 - Biggest drivers were mill conversion costs and downstream operating costs
- Negatively impacted by narrowing of margins on Steel Products
- Primarily due to Segment incurred \$5.2 million of facility closure costs related to Steel California

Notes:

[1] External Finished Steel Tons Shipped equal to shipments of Steel Products plus Downstream Products

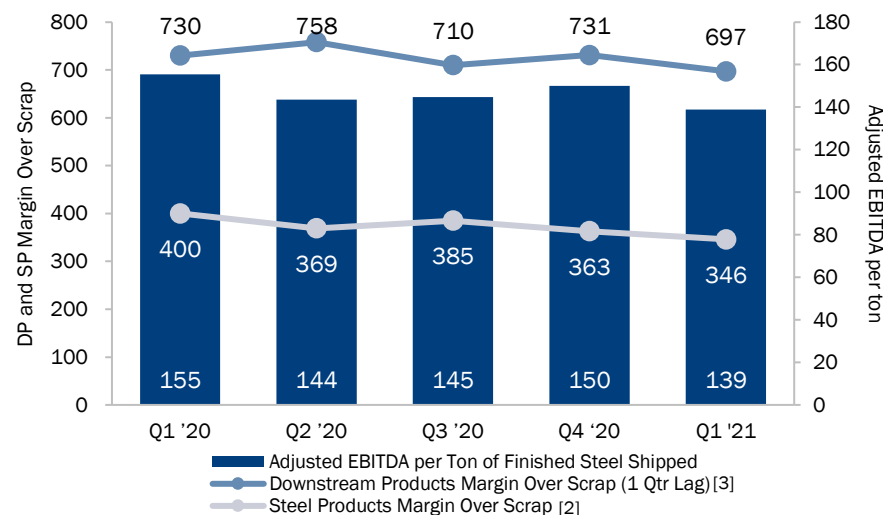
[2] Steel Products Margin Over Scrap equals Average Selling Price minus Cost of ferrous scrap utilized

[3] Downstream Products Margin Over Scrap equals Average Selling Price minus Cost of ferrous scrap utilized



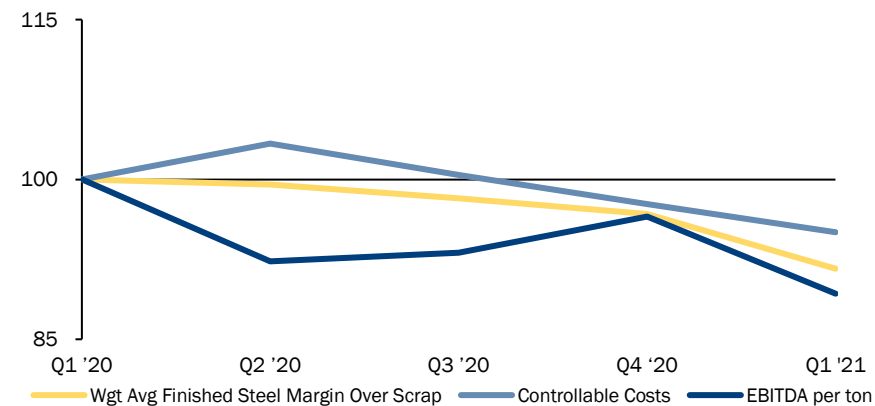
North America – Key Margins

\$ / ton



North America Indexed Margins and Controllable Cost

\$ / ton of external finished steel shipped



EUROPE- QUARTERLY

Performance Summary

Units in 000's unless noted otherwise

	Q1 '20	Q2 '20	Q3 '20	Q4 '20	Q1 '21
External Finished Steel Tons Shipped ¹	338	380	374	380	397
Adjusted EBITDA	\$11,359	\$13,451	\$14,270	\$22,927	\$14,470
Adjusted EBITDA per Ton of Finished Steel Shipped	\$34	\$35	\$38	\$60	\$36
Adjusted EBITDA Margin	6.9%	7.5%	8.2%	12.7%	7.4%

Key Performance Drivers

Q1 2021 vs Q1 2020

- Strong volumes driven by increased industrial demand for merchant product and wire rod
- Reduced controllable costs; strong mill conversion cost performance
- Negatively impacted by narrowing of margins on Steel Products
 - Imports into Central Europe created challenging price environment
- \$1.3 million benefit related to a labor cost government refund in Europe

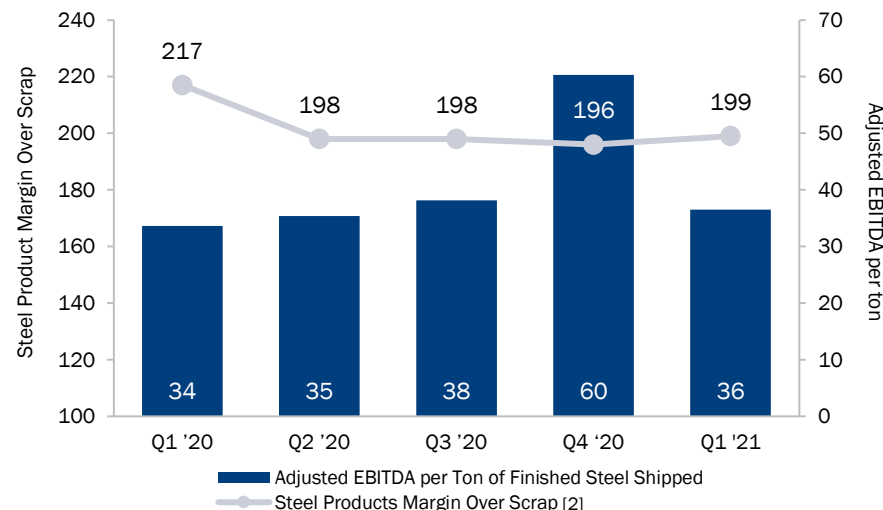
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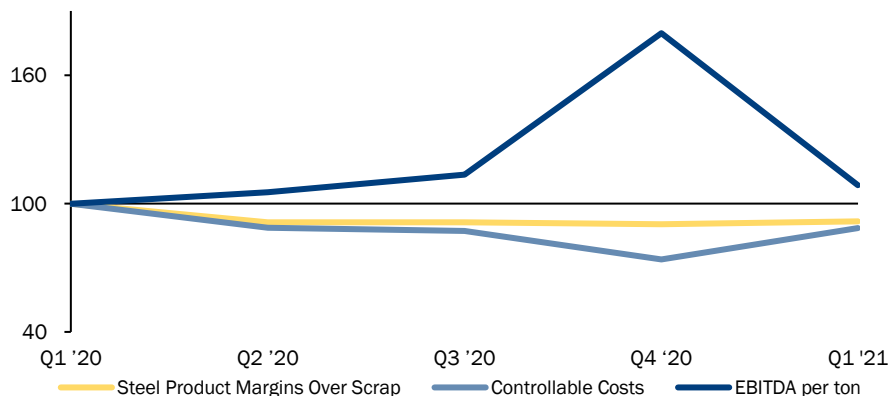
Europe – Key Margins

\$ / ton



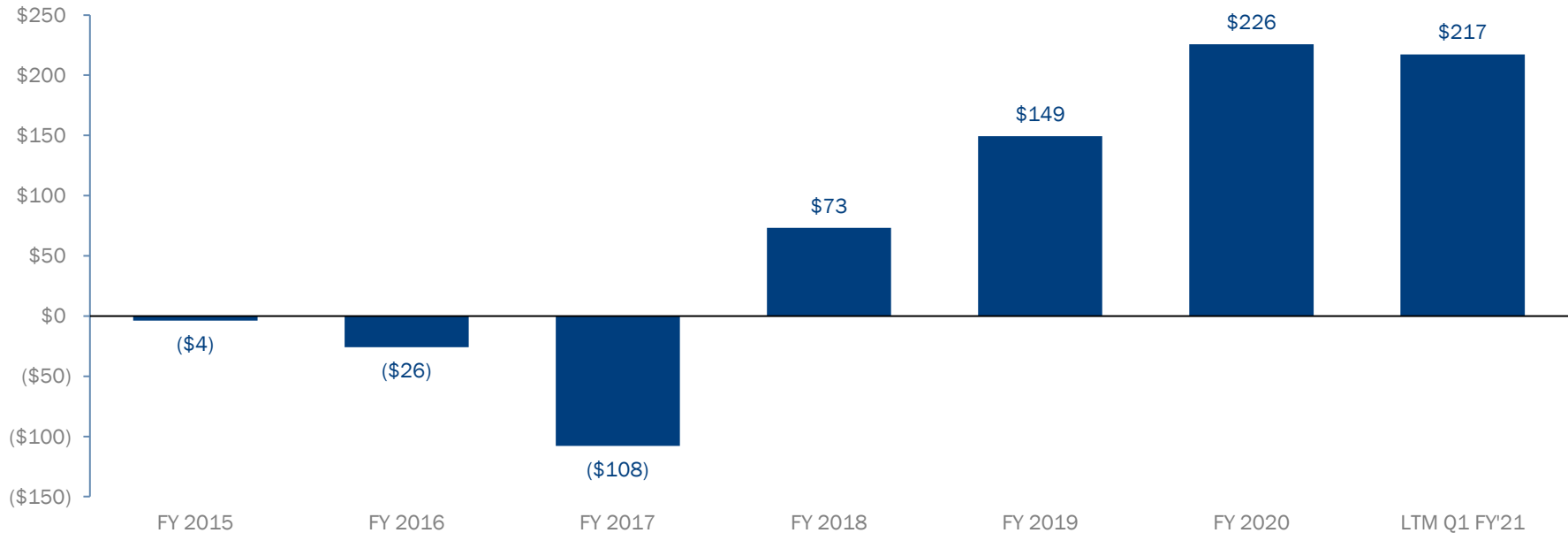
Europe Indexed Margins and Controllable Cost

\$ / ton of finished product shipped



CASH FLOW PROFILE

ADJUSTED EBITDA LESS CAPITAL EXPENDITURES AND DISBURSEMENTS TO STAKEHOLDERS ¹



- ▶ CMC's cash flow capabilities have been greatly enhanced through our strategic transformation
 - Will fund current projects using organic cash generation
- ▶ FY 2021 capital expenditures expected in a range of \$200 million to \$225 million
- ▶ Spend on 2nd Arizona micro mill and Danieli 3 of \$85 million and \$20 million, respectively

Source: Public filings, Internal data

Notes:

1. Adjusted EBITDA less Capital Expenditures and Disbursements to Stakeholders is a non-GAAP financial measure. For a reconciliation of non-GAAP financial measures to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, see the appendix to this document.

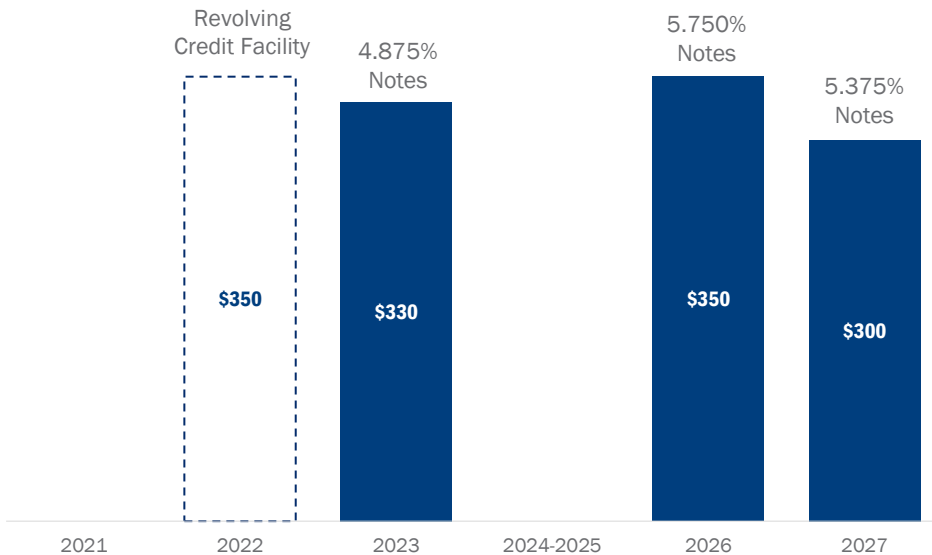


BALANCE SHEET STRENGTH

DEBT MATURITY PROFILE PROVIDES STRATEGIC FLEXIBILITY

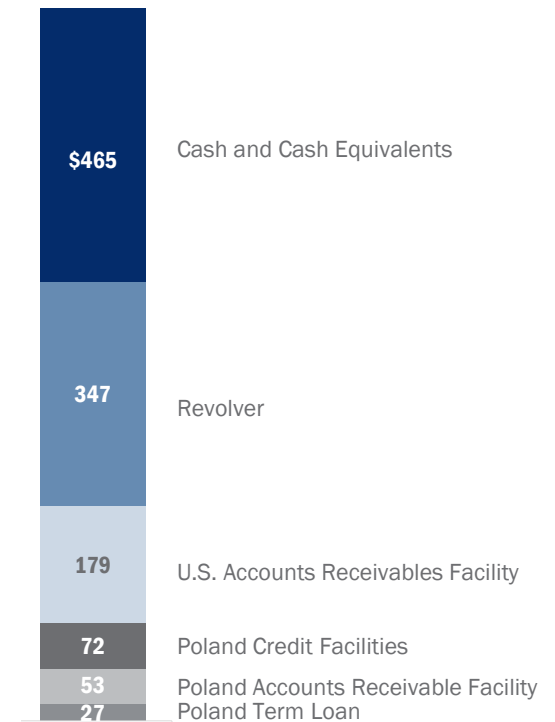
DEBT MATURITY SCHEDULE

(US\$ in millions)



Q1 FY'21 LIQUIDITY

(US\$ in millions)

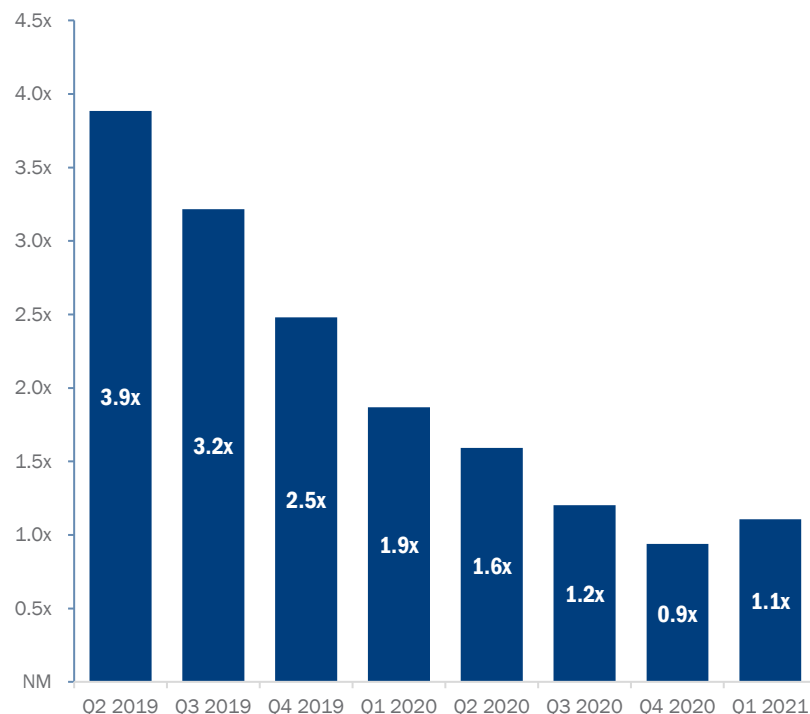


Source: Public filings

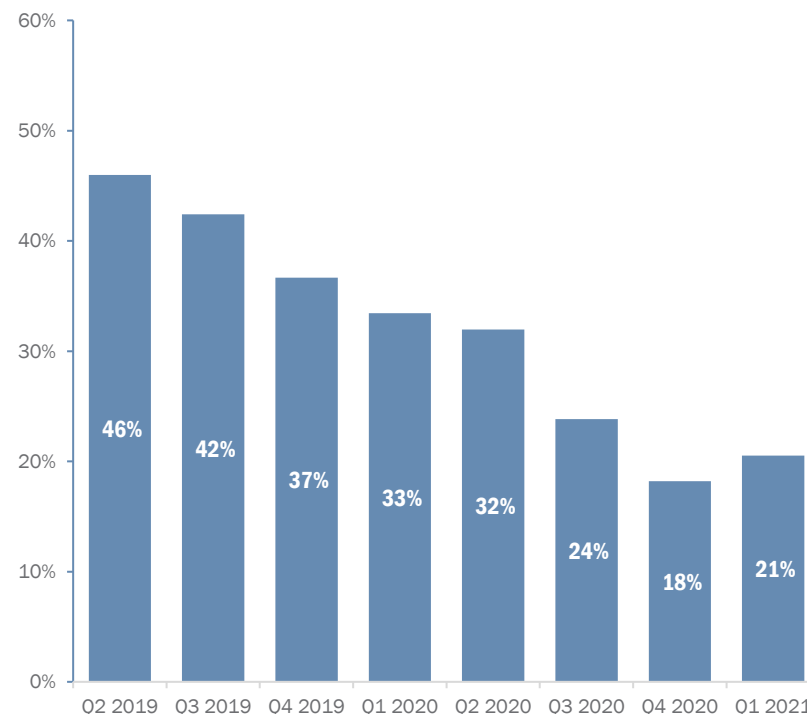


LEVERAGE PROFILE

NET DEBT^{1,2} / EBITDA³



NET DEBT-TO-CAPITALIZATION⁴



Financial strength gives us the flexibility to fund our announced projects, navigate current economic uncertainties, and pursue opportunistic M&A

Source: Public filings, Internal data

Notes:

1. Total debt is defined as long-term debt plus current maturities of long-term debt and short-term borrowings.
2. Net Debt is defined as total debt less cash & cash equivalents.
3. EBITDA depicted is adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations on a trailing 12 month basis.
4. Net debt-to-capitalization is defined as net debt on CMC's balance sheet divided by the sum of total debt and shareholders' equity
5. Net Debt to EBITDA and Net Debt to Capitalization are non-GAAP financial measures. For a reconciliation of non-GAAP financial measures to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, see the appendix to this document





APPENDIX: NON-GAAP RECONCILIATIONS



CORE EBITDA FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS RECONCILIATION

(\$ in thousands)

	3 MONTHS ENDED						12 MONTHS ENDED				
	11/30/2020	8/31/2020	5/31/2020	2/29/2020	11/30/2019	8/31/2019	11/30/2020	8/31/2020	8/31/2019	8/31/2018	8/31/2017
Earnings from continuing operations	\$63,911	\$67,782	\$64,169	\$63,596	\$82,755	\$85,880	\$259,458	\$278,302	\$198,779	\$135,237	\$50,175
Interest expense	14,259	13,962	15,409	15,888	16,578	17,702	59,518	61,837	71,373	40,957	44,151
Income taxes	21,593	18,495	23,804	22,845	27,332	16,826	86,737	92,476	69,681	30,147	15,276
Depreciation and amortization	41,799	41,654	41,765	41,389	40,941	41,051	166,607	165,749	158,653	131,508	124,490
Asset impairments	3,594	1,098	5,983	-	530	369	10,675	7,611	384	14,372	1,730
Amortization of acquired unfavorable contract backlog	(1,523)	(10,691)	(4,348)	(5,997)	(8,331)	(16,582)	(22,559)	(29,367)	(74,784)	-	-
Non-cash equity compensation	9,062	9,875	6,170	7,536	8,269	7,758	32,643	31,850	25,106	24,038	21,469
Facility closure	5,214	2,903	1,863	-	6,339	-	9,980	11,105	-	-	-
Labor cost government refund	(1,348)	(2,985)	-	-	-	-	(4,333)	(2,985)	-	-	-
Acquisition settlement	-	32,123	-	-	-	-	32,123	32,123	-	-	-
Debt extinguishment costs	-	1,778	-	-	-	-	1,778	1,778	-	-	22,672
Acquisition and integration related costs and other	-	-	-	-	-	6,177	-	-	41,958	25,507	-
Purchase accounting effect on inventory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,315	-	-
Mill operational start-up costs ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,471	-
CMC Steel Oklahoma incentives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(3,000)	-
Severance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,129
Core EBITDA from continuing operations²	\$156,561	\$175,994	\$154,815	\$145,257	\$174,413	\$159,181	\$632,627	\$650,479	\$501,465	\$412,237	\$288,092

Source: Public filings

Notes:

1. Net of interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization, impairments, and non-cash equity compensation

2. See page 17 for definitions of non-GAAP financial measures



ADJUSTED EARNINGS FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS RECONCILIATION

(\$ in thousands)

	3 MONTHS ENDED						12 MONTHS ENDED				
	11/30/2020	8/31/2020	5/31/2020	2/29/2020	11/30/2019	8/31/2019	11/30/2020	8/31/2020	8/31/2019	8/31/2018	8/31/2017
Earnings from continuing operations	\$63,911	\$67,782	\$64,169	\$63,596	\$82,755	\$85,880	\$259,458	\$278,302	\$198,779	\$135,237	\$50,175
Facility closure	5,214	2,903	1,863	-	6,339	-	9,980	11,105	-	-	-
Asset impairments	3,594	1,098	5,983	-	-	-	10,675	7,081	-	12,136	-
Labor cost government refund	(1,348)	(2,985)	-	-	-	-	(4,333)	(2,985)	-	-	-
Acquisition settlement	-	32,123	-	-	-	-	32,123	32,123	-	-	-
Debt extinguishment costs	-	1,778	-	-	-	-	1,778	1,778	-	-	17,799
Acquisition and integration related costs and other	-	-	-	-	-	6,177	-	-	41,958	25,507	-
CMC Steel Oklahoma incentives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(3,000)	-
Purchase accounting effect on inventory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,315	-	-
Mill operational start-up costs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18,016	-
Severance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,129
Total adjustments (pre-tax)	\$7,460	\$34,917	\$7,846	-	\$6,339	\$6,177	\$50,223	\$49,102	\$52,273	\$52,659	\$25,928
Tax impact											
TCJA impact	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$7,550	\$10,600	-
International reorganization	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(9,200)	-
Related tax effects on adjustments	(1,593)	(7,392)	(1,648)	-	(1,331)	(1,297)	(10,633)	(10,371)	(10,977)	(13,236)	(9,075)
Total tax impact	(\$1,593)	(\$7,392)	(\$1,648)	-	(\$1,331)	(\$1,297)	(\$10,633)	(\$10,371)	(\$3,427)	(\$11,836)	(\$9,075)
Adjusted earnings from continuing operations¹	\$69,778	\$95,307	\$70,367	\$63,596	\$87,763	\$90,760	\$299,048	\$317,033	\$247,625	\$176,060	\$67,028
Adjusted earnings from continuing operations per diluted share	\$0.58	\$0.79	\$0.59	\$0.53	\$0.73	\$0.76	\$2.47	\$2.64	\$2.08	\$1.49	\$0.57

Source: Public filings

Notes:

1. Net of interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization, impairments, and non-cash equity compensation
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ADJUSTED SEGMENT EBITDA MARGIN

(\$ in thousands)

	3 MONTHS ENDED				
	11/30/2020	8/31/2020	5/31/2020	2/29/2020	11/30/2019
North America Adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations	\$155,634	\$174,219	\$159,394	\$152,831	\$174,732
North America net sales	1,195,013	1,224,849	1,167,081	1,161,283	1,216,720
North America Adjusted EBITDA Margin	13.0%	14.2%	13.7%	13.2%	14.4%
Europe Adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations	\$14,470	\$22,927	\$14,270	\$13,451	\$11,359
Europe net sales	194,596	179,855	173,817	180,079	165,389
Europe Adjusted EBITDA Margin	7.4%	12.7%	8.2%	7.5%	6.9%

Source: Public filings



ADJUSTED EBITDA LESS CAPITAL EXPENDITURES AND DISBURSEMENTS TO STAKEHOLDERS

(\$ in thousands)

	12 MONTHS ENDED							3 MONTHS ENDED	
	11/30/2020	8/31/2020	8/31/2019	8/31/2018	8/31/2017	8/31/2016	8/31/2015	11/30/2020	11/30/2019
Earnings from continuing operations	\$259,458	\$278,302	\$198,779	\$135,237	\$50,175	\$62,001	\$58,583	\$63,911	\$82,755
Interest expense	59,518	61,837	71,373	40,957	44,151	62,121	76,456	14,259	16,578
Income taxes	86,737	92,476	69,681	30,147	15,276	13,976	36,097	21,593	27,332
Depreciation and amortization	166,607	165,749	158,653	131,508	124,490	127,111	135,559	41,799	40,941
Asset impairments	10,675	7,611	384	14,372	1,730	40,028	2,573	3,594	530
Amortization of acquired unfavorable contract backlog	(22,559)	(29,367)	(74,784)	-	-	-	-	(1,523)	(8,331)
Adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations	\$560,436	\$576,608	\$424,086	\$352,221	\$235,822	\$305,237	\$309,268	\$143,633	\$159,805
Capital expenditures and disbursements to stakeholders									
Capital expenditures	179,260	187,618	138,836	174,655	213,120	163,332	119,580	37,201	45,559
Interest expense	59,518	61,837	71,373	40,957	44,151	62,121	76,456	14,259	16,578
Cash income taxes	47,123	44,499	7,977	7,198	30,963	50,201	61,000	4,743	2,119
Dividends	57,224	57,056	56,537	56,076	55,514	55,342	55,945	14,406	14,238
Total capital expenditures and disbursements to stakeholders	\$343,125	\$351,010	\$274,723	\$278,886	\$343,748	\$330,996	\$312,981	\$70,609	\$78,494
Adjusted EBITDA less capital expenditures and disbursements to stakeholders	\$217,311	\$225,598	\$149,363	\$73,335	(\$107,926)	(\$25,759)	(\$3,713)	\$73,024	\$81,311

Source: Public filings

Note:

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NET DEBT TO EBITDA AND NET DEBT TO CAPITALIZATION RECONCILIATIONS

(\$ in thousands)

	3 MONTHS ENDED										
	11/30/2020	8/31/2020	5/31/2020	2/29/2020	11/30/2019	8/31/2019	5/31/2019	2/28/2019	11/30/2018	8/31/2018	5/31/2018
Long-term debt	\$1,064,893	\$1,065,536	\$1,153,800	\$1,144,573	\$1,179,443	\$1,227,214	\$1,306,863	\$1,310,150	\$1,307,824	\$1,138,619	\$1,139,103
Current maturities of long-term debt and short term borrowings	20,701	18,149	17,271	22,715	13,717	17,439	54,895	88,902	29,083	19,746	19,874
Total Debt	\$1,085,594	\$1,083,685	\$1,171,071	\$1,167,288	\$1,193,160	\$1,244,653	\$1,361,758	\$1,399,052	\$1,336,907	\$1,158,365	\$1,158,977
Less: Cash and cash equivalent	465,162	542,103	462,110	232,442	224,797	192,461	120,315	66,742	52,352	622,473	600,444
Net Debt	\$620,432	\$541,582	\$708,961	\$934,846	\$968,363	\$1,052,192	\$1,241,443	\$1,332,310	\$1,284,555	\$535,892	\$558,533
Earnings from continuing operations	\$63,911	\$67,782	\$64,169	\$63,596	\$82,755	\$85,880	\$78,551	\$14,928	\$19,420	\$51,260	\$42,325
Interest expense	14,259	13,962	15,409	15,888	16,578	17,702	18,513	18,495	16,663	15,654	11,511
Income taxes	21,593	18,495	23,804	22,845	27,332	16,826	29,105	18,141	5,609	6,682	13,312
Depreciation and amortization	41,799	41,654	41,765	41,389	40,941	41,051	41,181	41,245	35,176	32,610	32,949
Asset impairments	3,594	1,098	5,983	–	530	369	15	–	–	840	935
Amortization of acquired unfavorable contract backlog	(1,523)	(10,691)	(4,348)	(5,997)	(8,331)	(16,582)	(23,394)	(23,476)	(11,332)	–	–
Adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations	\$143,633	\$132,300	\$146,782	\$137,721	\$159,805	\$145,246	\$143,971	\$69,333	\$65,536	\$107,046	\$101,032
Trailing 12 month Adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations	\$560,436	\$576,608	\$589,554	\$586,743	\$518,355	\$424,086	\$385,886	\$342,947			
Total Debt	\$1,085,594	\$1,083,685	\$1,171,071	\$1,167,288	\$1,193,160	\$1,244,653	\$1,361,758	\$1,399,052	\$1,336,907	\$1,158,365	\$1,158,977
Total stockholders' equity	1,934,899	1,889,413	1,800,662	1,758,055	1,701,697	1,624,057	1,564,195	1,498,496	1,489,027	1,493,583	1,452,902
Total Capitalization	\$3,020,493	\$2,973,098	\$2,971,733	\$2,925,343	\$2,894,857	\$2,868,710	\$2,925,953	\$2,897,548	\$2,825,934	\$2,651,948	\$2,611,879
Net Debt to Trailing 12 month Adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations	1.1x	0.9x	1.2x	1.6x	1.9x	2.5x	3.2x	3.9x			
Net Debt to Capitalization	21%	18%	24%	32%	33%	37%	42%	46%			

Source: Public filings

Note:

1. See page 17 for definitions of non-GAAP financial measures



DEFINITIONS FOR NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES

ADJUSTED EARNINGS FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS

Adjusted earnings from continuing operations is a non-GAAP financial measure that is equal to earnings from continuing operations before certain facility closure costs, asset impairments, labor cost government refunds, acquisition settlements, debt extinguishment costs, acquisition and integration-related costs, CMC Steel Oklahoma incentives, the effect of purchase accounting adjustments on inventory, mill operational start-up costs and severance expenses, including the estimated income tax effects thereof. Adjusted earnings from continuing operations should not be considered as an alternative to earnings from continuing operations or any other performance measure derived in accordance with GAAP. However, we believe that adjusted earnings from continuing operations provides relevant and useful information to investors as it allows: (i) a supplemental measure of our ongoing core performance and (ii) the assessment of period-to-period performance trends. Management uses adjusted earnings from continuing operations to evaluate our financial performance. Adjusted earnings from continuing operations may be inconsistent with similar measures presented by other companies. Adjusted earnings from continuing operations per diluted share is defined as adjusted earnings from continuing operations on a diluted per share basis.

CORE EBITDA FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS

Core EBITDA from Continuing Operations is a non-GAAP financial measure. Core EBITDA from continuing operations is the sum of earnings from continuing operations before interest expense and income taxes. It also excludes recurring non-cash charges for depreciation and amortization and asset impairments. Core EBITDA from continuing operations also excludes amortization of acquired unfavorable contract backlog, non-cash equity compensation, certain facility closure costs, labor cost government refunds, acquisition settlement costs, debt extinguishment costs, acquisition and integration-related costs, the effect of purchase accounting adjustments on inventory, mill operational start-up costs, CMC Steel Oklahoma incentives and severance expenses. Core EBITDA from continuing operations should not be considered an alternative to earnings (loss) from continuing operations or net earnings (loss) as determined by GAAP. However, we believe that Core EBITDA from continuing operations provides relevant and useful information, which is often used by analysts, creditors and other interested parties in our industry as it allows: (i) comparison of our earnings to those of our competitors; (ii) a supplemental measure of our ongoing core performance; and (iii) the assessment of period-to-period performance trends. Core EBITDA from continuing operations may be inconsistent with similar measures presented by other companies.

ADJUSTED EBITDA FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS

Adjusted EBITDA from Continuing Operations is a non-GAAP financial measure. Adjusted EBITDA is the sum of the Company's earnings from continuing operations before interest expense, income taxes, depreciation and amortization expense, impairment expense, and amortization of acquired unfavorable contract backlog. Adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations should not be considered as an alternative to earnings from continuing operations or any other performance measure derived in accordance with GAAP. However, we believe that adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations provides relevant and useful information to investors as it allows: (i) a supplemental measure of our ongoing performance and (ii) the assessment of period-to-period performance trends. Management uses adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations to evaluate our financial performance. Adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations may be inconsistent with similar measures presented by other companies.

ADJUSTED EBITDA LESS CAPITAL EXPENDITURES AND DISBURSEMENTS TO STAKEHOLDERS

Adjusted EBITDA less capital expenditures and disbursements to shareholders is defined as Adjusted EBITDA less capital expenditures less interest expense, less cash income taxes less dividend payments.

NET DEBT

Net debt is defined as total debt less cash and cash equivalents.



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