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A Leader in Concrete Reinforcement and Soil Stabilization

- Leading provider of concrete reinforcement solutions to the North American and Eastern European construction sectors
- Have become the standard in every market in which we compete
 - Operating structure that optimizes full value chain profitability
 - Leading proprietary technology in soil stabilization applications
- Strong balance sheet and evolved capital allocation strategy, with increased emphasis on returning cash to shareholders
- Robust record of creating shareholder value
- Sustainability leader guided by a commitment to our people, communities, environment, and good governance





We've Built a Global Steel Industry Leader



Market Position in ~80% of the **Finished Products We Sell**



Core EBITDA CAGR (2) 2018 - 2021



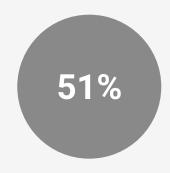
Leader in Environmental Performance Produce 60% Less Greehouse Gas Emissions (1) Use 80% Less Energy (1)



Net Debt to Adjusted EBITDA (2) (TTM)



Return on Invested Capital (2) (TTM)



Return On Incremental Capital Deployed (2) FY 2016 - TTM



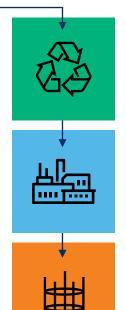
¹ Compared to global steel industry average published by the World Steel Association

Company Overview

2 segments - North America and Europe¹ - share the same vertically integrated operating structure

CMC is a Key Player in the **Circular Steel Economy**

- Recycled content drives process from beginning to end
- 98% of our raw material is recycled steel
- 83% of our waste is recycled into other products



Raw Materials

- 38 U.S. locations, 12 Poland locations
- · Profitable, low-cost source of raw materials for our mills, with additional upside

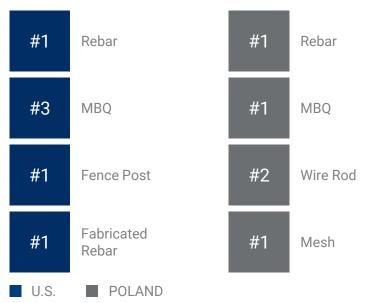
Mill Operations

- 9 U.S. locations, 1 Poland location
- The economic engine of CMC

Downstream Operations

- 57 U.S. locations, 5 Poland locations
- · Demand pull for our mills and insight into end market demand

Strong Positions In All Major Products



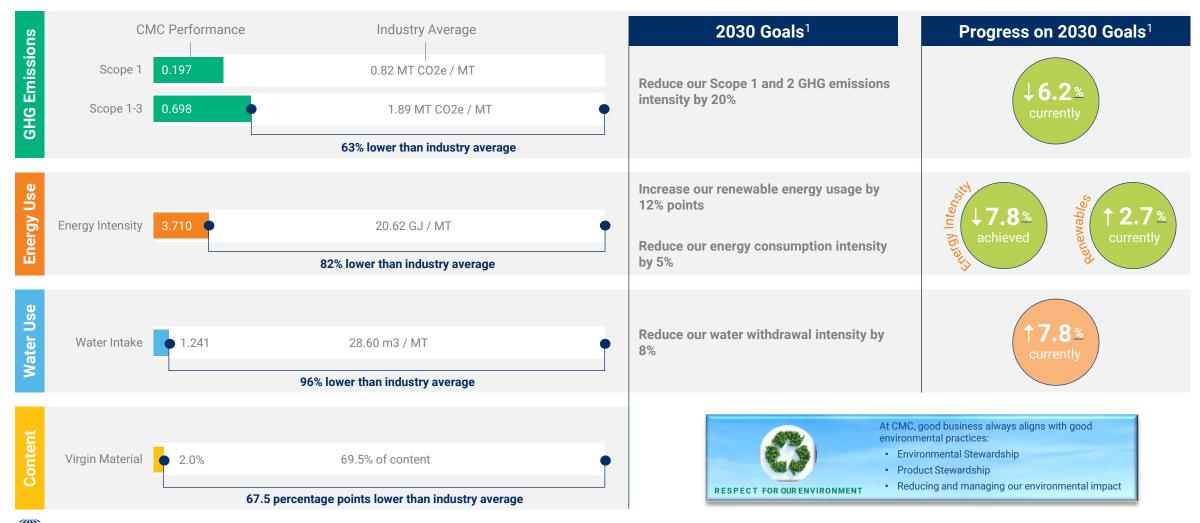






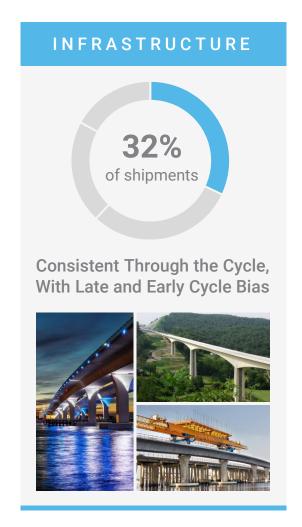
A Clearly Sustainable Future – Proud of Our Progress

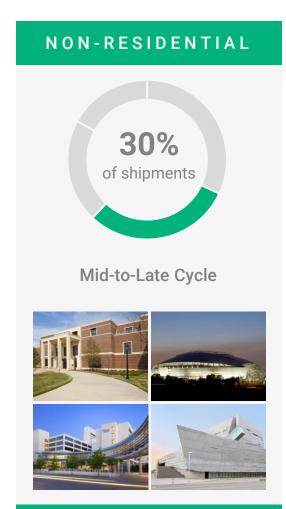
With GHG emissions intensity already below the 2040 Paris Climate Agreement industry target, CMC continues to set new lower emissions targets

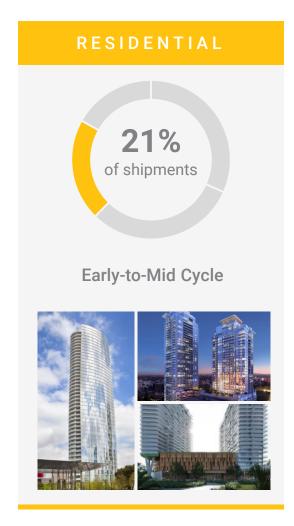


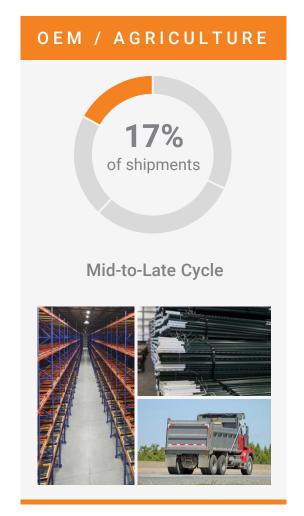


North America End Markets We Serve











Vertical Integration Drives Our Success

Our Business is Managed Vertically to Maximize Returns

ROLE OF EACH LINK



Raw Materials

- 1. Economically supply Mills
- 2. Ensure scrap availability in certain competitive markets
- 3. Return cost of capital through-the-cycle
- 4. Investment in non-ferrous separation technology is unlocking value of shredder operations



Mill Operations

- 1. Fconomic heart of our value chain
- 2. Most profitable at high operating rates
- 3. Significantly over-earn cost of capital



Downstream Operations

- 1. Create baseload for Mills
- 2. CMC volumes protected from imports
- 3. Direct connection to customers
- 4. Forward visibility
- 5. Internal price hedge



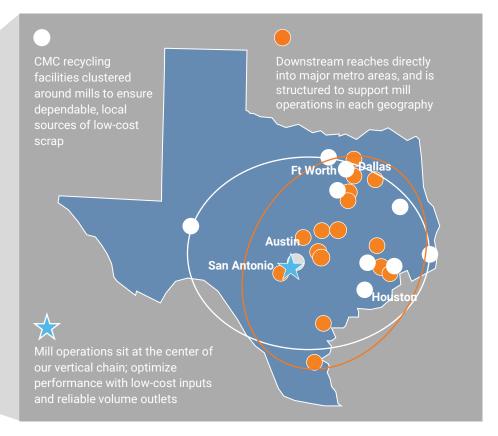
Synergistic Operations Located in Strong Markets

CMC operates coast-to-coast in the United States with vertically integrated operations that focus on maximizing profit through the value chain.

CMC U.S. FACILITIES

West CMC recycling Central CMC mills East CMC fabrication

ZOOM-IN OF INTEGRATED VALUE CHAIN

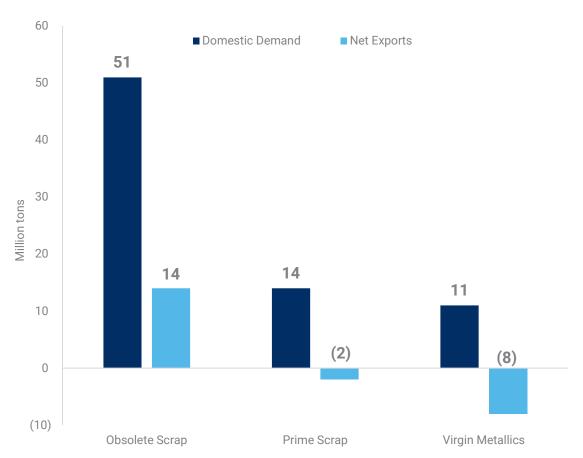




Stable Supply Outlook For CMC's Feedstock

The U.S. Has a Large and Stable Reservoir of Obsolete Scrap, the Primary Raw Material CMC Uses

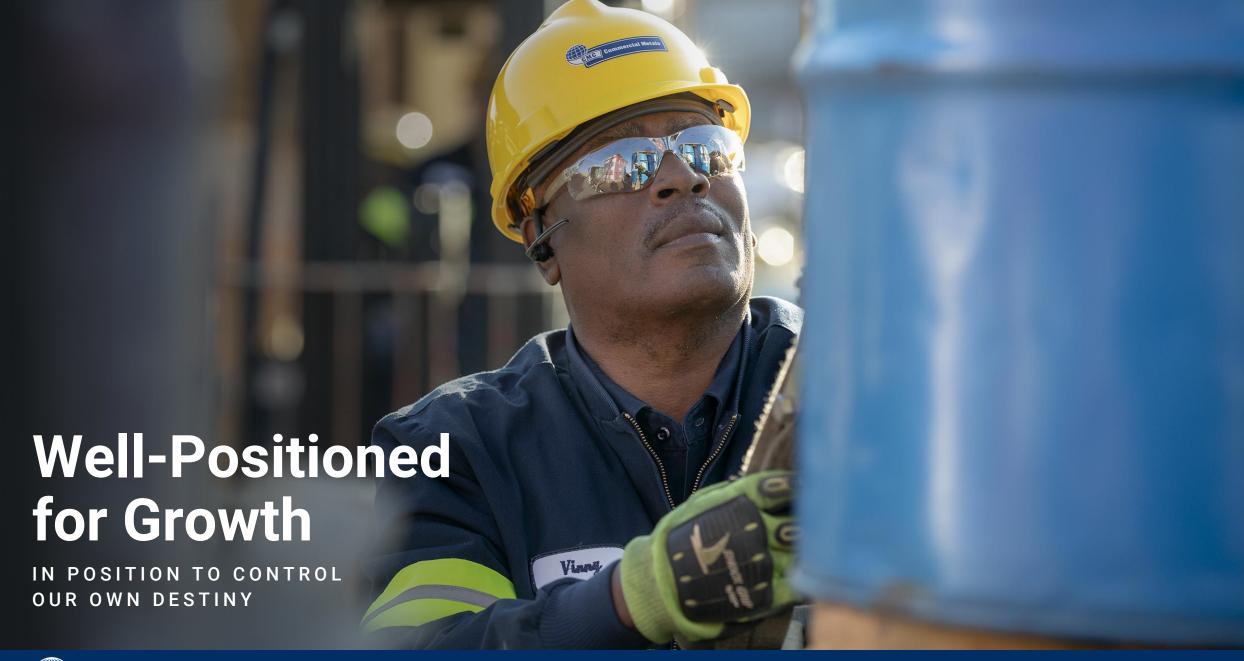
STEELMAKING METALLICS - 5 YEAR AVERAGE (2015 TO 2019)



U.S. market has maintained a consistent obsolete scrap reservoir in excess of 1 billion tons over the past 20 years

- CMC uses exclusively obsolete scrap, of which the U.S. currently generates a large surplus
- Domestic reservoir of obsolete scrap has been stable for decades (i.e. annual replenishment roughly equals annual consumption plus exports)
- We are confident in our future ability to source adequate levels of scrap inputs
 - High degree of internal sourcing
 - Long-standing relationships with external vendors
 - Good regional supply dynamics around our mills







CMC's Growth Strategy

Execute on Attractive Organic and Inorganic Opportunities That Complement Our Critical Competencies and Leverage Our Leadership Position in Concrete Reinforcement

WHO WE ARE:

Critical Competencies

- Operational excellence
- Customer relationships & service
- Innovation
- Value chain optimization
- Disciplined capital allocation
- Sustainable business model

HOW WE VIEW THINGS:

Strategic Priorities

- Adjacent markets we know well
- Strengthen vertical value chain
- Accretive to through-the-cycle ROIC
- Broaden product offerings

DESTINATION:

Growth Initiatives

- ✓ Arizona 2
- ✓ Micro Mill 4
- ✓ Tensar and adjacencies
- ✓ Downstream products
- ✓ MBQ growth
- ✓ Poland expansion
- ✓ Wire rod



Building for the Future – Executing on a Disciplined Growth Plan

Now Operating



Polish Expansion

- Utilizes previous excess melt capacity to add 200,000 tons of higher-margin finished product output
- Leverages fixed cost over larger revenue base
- Provides significant commercial and operational flexibility
- Has significantly outperformed expectations during first four quarters of operation

Closed April 2022



Tensar Acquisition

- An industry leader in specialty earlyphase construction reinforcement
- Strong and stable margins with unparalleled innovation capabilities, best-in-class customer value proposition
- Meaningfully extends CMC's growth runway; creates a platform for further expansion in complementary highmargin engineered solutions
- Under-penetrated markets provide significant growth upside
- Acquisition creates a unique provider of reinforcement solutions for the domestic and international construction markets

Early CY 2023



Arizona 2

- CMC's 3rd micro mill second at Mesa, AZ site
- First merchant bar-capable micro mill in the world
- Replaces rebar production from highercost former Steel CA plant
- Will further optimize mill network and provide access to large West Coast MBQ market
- Significant portion of capital investment offset by sale of former Steel CA site
- One of the greenest steel plants in the world

Fiscal 2025



Micro Mill 4 (MM4)

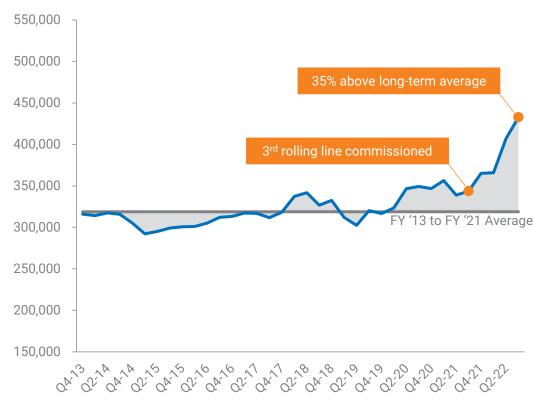
- State-of-the-art micro mill to serve the Northeast, Mid-Atlantic, and Mid-Western markets
- Will complement CMC's existing operational footprint – significant benefits expected from enhanced production flexibility, customer service capabilities, and logistical efficiencies
- Expected to be one of the most environmentally friendly steel mills in the world
- Site selection process is underway

CMC is targeting significant growth through a disciplined approach of 1) expanding in markets we know well; 2) growing with a customer base we know well; and 3) adding complementary solutions for applications we know well

Building for the Future – Polish Expansion

CMC Europe Finished Goods Shipments

(Quarterly average volumes on a trailing 4-quarter basis)



The addition of CMC's third rolling line in Europe has significantly increased output of finished products. This has allowed CMC to capitalize on strong market conditions, leverage fixed costs, and enhance margins via product mix.

Average Quarterly Shipments by Product Category



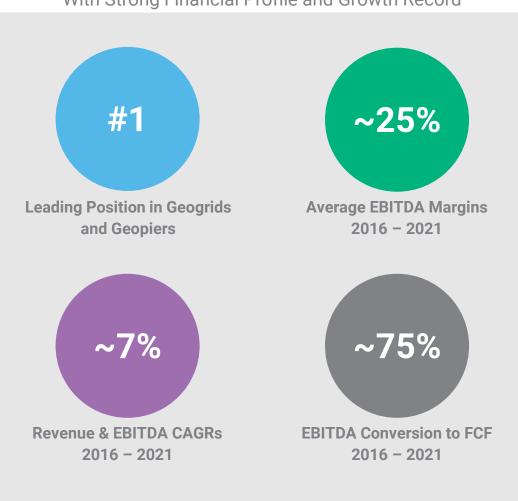


The ability to simultaneously produce all three major finished product categories has improved commercial flexibility, allowing CMC to better address strong demand across several end markets.

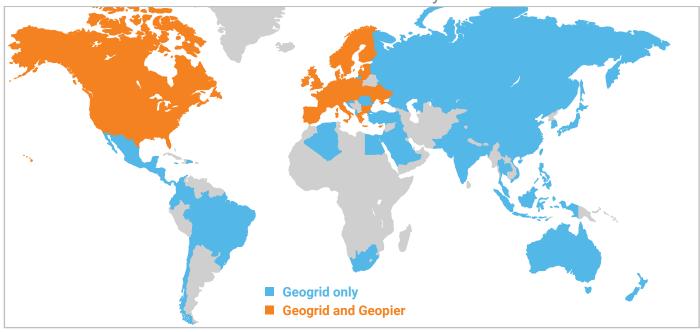


Building for the Future – Tensar Acquisition

Leader in Engineered Ground and Soil Stabilization Solutions With Strong Financial Profile and Growth Record



Diverse Geographical Exposure and Commercial Reach – Tensar Sells Into Over 80 Countries Globally



- ~85% of geogrid sales are served out of facilities in the U.S. and U.K.
- Tensar's geogrid manufacturing footprint is more extensive than competitors and can reach markets around the globe
- Strong logistical capabilities allow Tensar to reliably supply projects
- Team of engineers provide direct support to customers during the design and implementation phases of projects



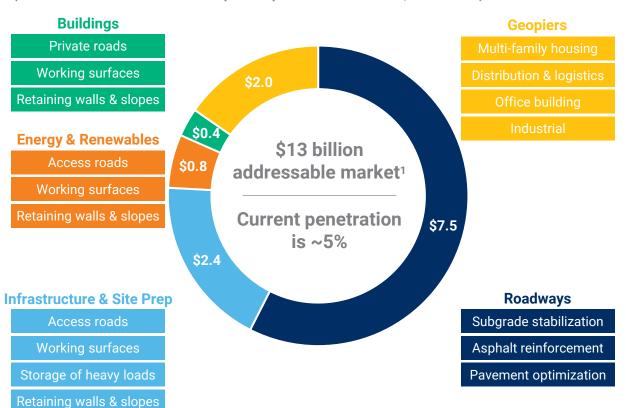
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Attractive End-Use Markets with Significant Product Adoption Potential

Strong Value Proposition to Drive Increased Adoption

Size of Addressable End Markets and Description of Applications

(Defined as estimated sales of comparable products and services, \$ in billions)



Value Proposition and Importance by Project Stakeholder

		Project Sta	ect Stakeholders							
Value Proposition	Governments	Private Owners	Proj. Engineers	Contractors						
Lower Construction Cost										
Faster Construction										
Lower Total Cost of Ownership										
Extended Asset Life										
Lower Environmental Impact										
High F	Priority	Medium Prio	rity O Lov	v Priority						



Favorable Secular Trends Expected to Prolong the Cycle

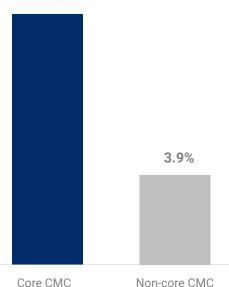
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Population growth between core states and non-core states

(change from 2010 to 2020)

Core = 60% of **US** population

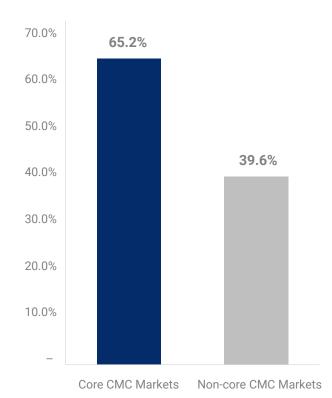
11%



- Population in CMC's core geographical markets continues to outpace other regions, with the pace quickening during the pandemic
- Should lead to increased public and private infrastructure investment over time as metro areas grow to accommodate
- Expected to also have a longterm positive impact on scrap generation and flows in our core markets

Single family housing permits

(change from 2016 to 2021)



- Housing investment in our core markets has far outpaced other regions
- New community formation leads local infrastructure and non-residential investment by 12 to 24 months



Markets

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NORTH AMERICA

Impact of Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act

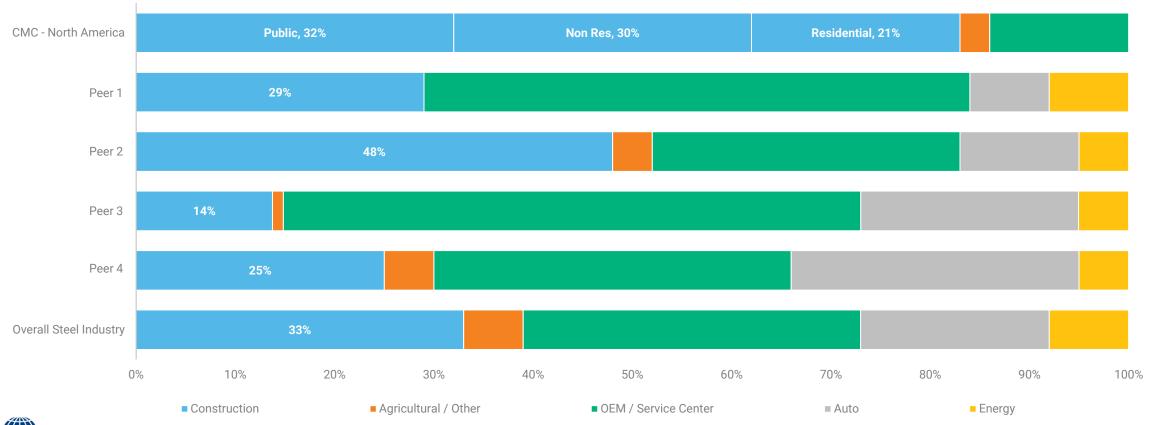


- Newly signed infrastructure bill provides federal funding over 5-year period
- Increases total federal spending by \$550 billion compared to FAST Act over life of program
- Funding level for roads, bridges, and major projects is increased by ~50% vs. prior levels
- Expected to take 12 to 24 months for impact to be strongly felt in on-the-ground activity
- Planned Arizona 2 mill start-up (early calendar 2023) should provide CMC with added ability to benefit

CMC Best Positioned to Capitalize on These Secular Trends

NORTH AMERICA

Breakdown by North American End Market Exposure





Favorable Secular Trends Expected to Prolong the Cycle

EUROPE

European Structural and Investment Funds



- European Union (E.U.) total funding to Poland is expected to increase over the 2021-2027 budgetary period
- A large multiyear COVID recovery program is expected to more than offset lower funds available through E.U. Structural and Investment programs combination of both programs provides strong visibility to infrastructure

Residential Dwelling Permits - Poland

(change Dec 2010 to May 2022, trailing 12-month basis)



- Polish disposable income per capita has increased at 2x the average E.U. rate since 2010
- Construction of dwellings for rental use has grown at nearly 2x the pace of the overall market since 2013
 - Increased from 35%
 of residential new builds
 in 2013 to 60% in 2021



Sources: Eurostat, Statistics Poland

Favorable Secular Trends Expected to Prolong the Cycle

EUROPE

Shifting Steel Long Product¹ Trade Flows Into Europe

Annual Long Product Volumes to Europe (5-year average in short tons)

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	Russia / Belarus	Turkey
To Poland	205,627	2,765
To Neighboring Countries	726,745	115,553
To Other E.U.	676,483	1,145,242
Total E.U.	1,608,856	1,263,560

Percent of Total Imported Long Products (5-year average)

(o year average)		The second second
	Russia / Belarus	Turkey
To Poland	53%	1%
To Neighboring Countries	33%	5%
To Other E.U.	21%	35%
Total E.U.	27%	22%

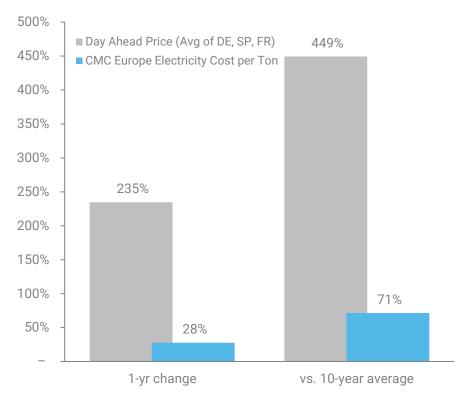
Geopolitical events have caused a significant shift in steel trade flows into Europe

- · Sanctions have resulted in an absence of Russian and Belarussian steel in the E.U. market.
- Turkey, as the natural alternative, is not geographically well-situated to supply Eastern Europe.



Q3 2022 Electricity Costs vs. Historical Periods

(CMC Europe vs. European Spot Pricing)





Evolved Capital Allocation Strategy

17% increase to quarterly dividend to \$0.14 per share

Recent Announcements

\$350 million share repurchase program

CMC intends to distribute a meaningful portion of free cash flow to shareholders with share buybacks supplementing an enhanced dividend stream

Value-Generating Growth

2 Shareholder Distributions

Optimize
Debt Costs

Maintain Strong and Flexible Balance Sheet





Significant Increase in Through-the-Cycle Earnings Capability

Core EBITDA Generation Compared to Rebar Metal Margin

(trailing four quarter basis) \$1.400 \$850 · CMC has significantly increased its earnings and cash flow capabilities \$1.300 Since the beginning of FY 2020, average Core EBITDA has increased \$800 116% compared to the prior three-year period \$1,200 \$750 \$700 s650 s650 \$550 \$500 \$450 \$400 - During those same time periods, average rebar metal margin has increased by only 26% \$1.100 Extensive strategic transformation drove the performance \$1,000 illi \$900 improvement and included the exit of non-core businesses, construction of a state-of-the-art micro mill, and an acquisition that increased CMC's North America operational footprint by over 50% CMC is currently investing in attractive projects that are expected to Core EBITDA Average: \$800 million \$800 drive further value-accretive growth (trailing four quarters) 16% \$700 \$600 Average: \$425/t \$500 Average: \$335/t \$350 Average: \$370 million \$300 \$300 \$250 = \$200 \$100 \$200 \$0 \$150 04.20 0A.27 0310 22 22 Core EBITDA - Trailing 4 Quarters AMM Rebar to Shredded Scrap Spread - Trailing 4 Quarters



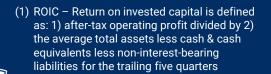
Financial Guidance Framework

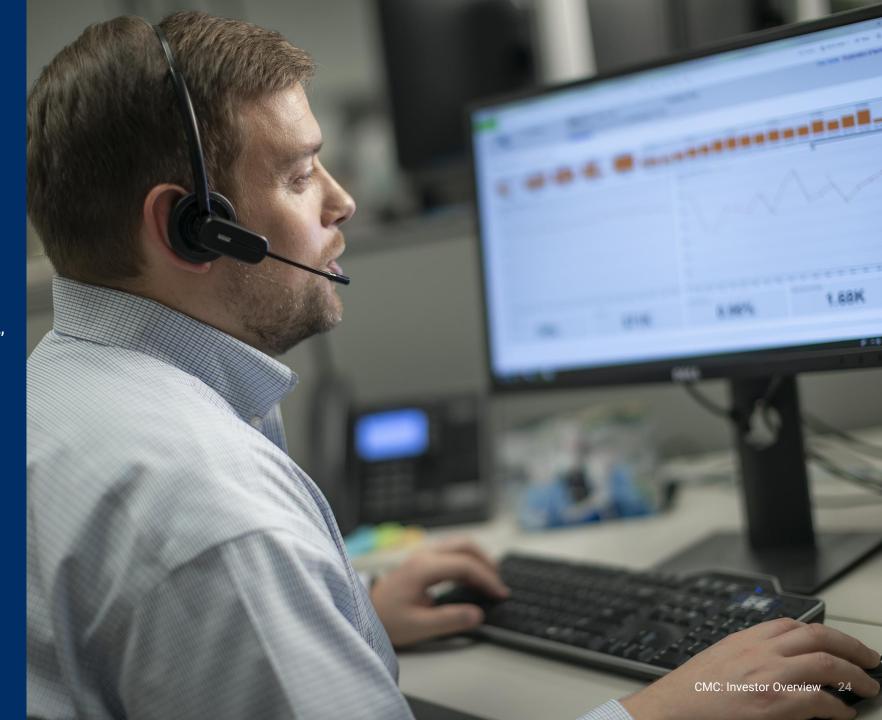
OVER THE CYCLE, CMC SEEKS TO:

- Achieve through-the-cycle ROIC (1) above 10%
- Keep leverage at approximately 2x through-the-cycle Adjusted EBITDA, while flexing to ~3x for compelling acquisitions

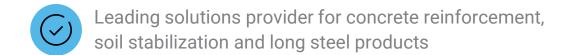
IN ADDITION, CMC SEEKS TO:

 Opportunistically return capital in excess of reinvestment to shareholders, consistent with Capital Allocation Strategy



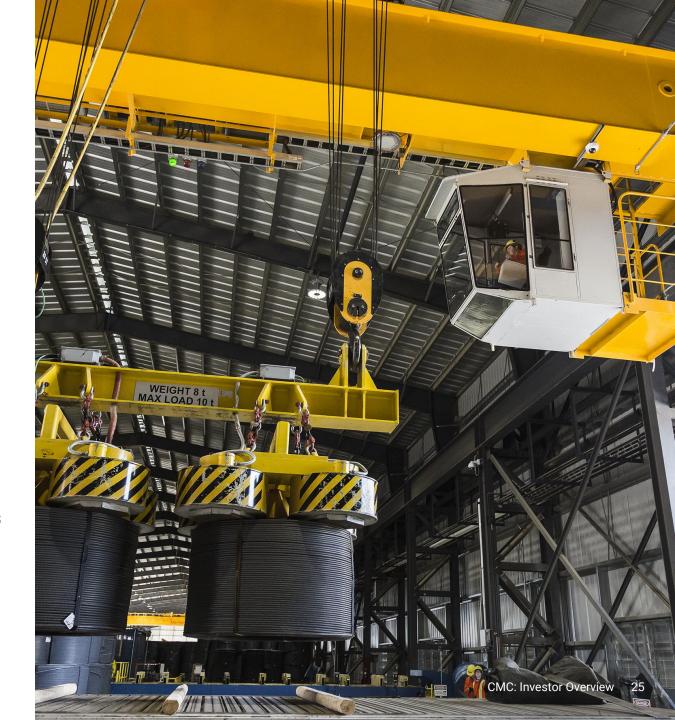


CMC: Key Takeaways



- Benefiting from powerful secular trends
- Executing organic growth strategy, utilizing best-in-class assets
- Disciplined acquirer with "dry powder" and proven integration abilities
- Strong balance sheet and evolved capital allocation strategy, with emphasis on returning cash to shareholders
- Robust record of creating shareholder value









Core EBITDA and Net Debt to Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliations

		12 MONTHS ENDED		6 MONT	HS ENDED
Figures in thousands	5/31/2022	8/31/2021	8/31/2018	5/31/2022	5/31/2021
Earnings from continuing operations	\$1,080,945	\$412,865	\$135,237	\$928,632	\$260,552
Interest expense	48,138	51,904	40,957	36,479	40,245
Income taxes	288,338	121,153	30,147	247,894	80,709
Depreciation and amortization	168,380	167,613	131,508	125,943	125,176
Amortization of acquired unfavorable backlog	(1,495)	(6,035)	-	-	(4,540)
Asset impairments	6,912	6,784	14,372	4,473	4,345
Adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations ¹	\$1,591,218	\$754,284	\$352,221	\$1,343,421	\$506,487
Non-cash equity compensation	45,975	43,677	24,038	37,856	35,558
Gain on sale of assets	(273,315)	(10,334)	_	(273,315)	(10,334)
Loss on extinguishment of debt	16,052	16,841	-	16,052	16,841
Facility closure	_	10,908	-	_	10,908
Labor cost government refund	-	(1,348)	-	-	(1,348)
Purchase accounting effect on inventory	2,169	_	-	2,169	_
Acquisition and integration related costs	7,643	-	25,507	7,643	_
Mill operational start-up costs	_	_	13,471	_	_
CMC Steel Oklahoma incentives	-	-	(3,000)	_	_
Core EBITDA from continuing operations ¹	\$1,389,742	\$814,028	\$412,237	\$1,133,826	\$558,112
Core EBITDA compound annual growth rate (CAGR) from FY '18 to FY '21		25.5%			
Long-term debt	\$1,115,478	\$1,015,415			
Current maturities of long-term debt and short-term borrowings	423,091	54,366	_		
Total debt	\$1,538,569	\$1,069,781			
Less: cash and cash equivalents	410,265	497,745			
Net debt ¹	\$1,128,304	\$572,036	-		
Net debt to Adjusted EBITDA ¹	0.7 x	0.8 x			



Return on Invested Capital and Return on Incremental Invested Capital Deployed Reconciliations

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Figures in thousands	FY16 to TTM Q3 '22		TTM to Q3 '22	Q3 2022	Q2 2022	Q1 2022	Q4 2021	Q3 2021	FY 2016	Q4 2016	Q3 2016	Q2 2016	Q1 2016	Q4 2015
		Earnings from continuing operations before income taxes	\$1,369,373	\$405,109	\$509,746	\$261,761	\$192,757	\$168,583	\$85,190					
		Plus: interest expense	48,138	13,433	12,011	11,035	11,659	11,965	62,231					
		Plus: acquisition and integration related costs	7,643	4,478	-	3,165	-	-	-					
		Plus: loss on extiguishment of debt	16,052	-	16,052	-	-	-	11,480					
		Plus: asset impairments	6,912	3,245	1,228	-	2,439	277	40,028					
		Plus: purchase accounting effect on inventory	2,169	2,169	-	-	-	-	-					
		Less: gain on sale of assets	(273,099)	-	(273,099)	-	-	(4,457)	(2,591)					
		Operating profit - adjusted	\$1,177,188	\$428,434	\$265,938	\$275,961	\$206,855	\$176,368	\$196,338					
		Operating profit - adjusted	\$1,177,188						\$196,338					
		Less: income tax at statutory rate ¹	280,171						46,728					
Incremental net operating profit after tax	\$747,408	Net operating profit after tax	\$897,017						\$149,610					
		Assets		\$6,103,702	\$5,504,220	\$4,725,258	\$4,638,671	\$4,391,075		\$3,130,869	\$3,110,686	\$3,043,511	\$3,302,707	\$3,372,302
		Less: cash and cash equivalents		410,265	846,587	415,055	497,745	443,120		517,544	483,855	381,678	637,188	485,323
		Less: accounts payable		492,947	414,025	424,919	450,723	340,238		243,532	235,385	209,991	222,228	260,984
		Less: accrued expenses and other payables		474,653	383,622	410,305	475,384	456,394		264,112	236,009	210,670	246,238	279,415
Incremental invested capital	\$1,476,204	Invested capital (5 qtr average)	\$3,685,389	\$4,725,837	\$3,859,986	\$3,474,979	\$3,214,819	\$3,151,323	\$2,209,185	\$2,105,681	\$2,155,437	\$2,241,172	\$2,197,053	\$2,346,580
		Annualized net operating profit after tax	\$897,017						\$149,610					
		Invested capital	\$3,685,389						\$2,209,185					
Return on incremental invested capital deployed	50.6%	Return on invested capital	24.3%						6.8%					
		Federal statutory rate plus state / local (FY 2021 rate)	23.8%						23.8%	J				



Core EBITDA Reconciliation for Slide 23

		THREE MONTHS ENDED													
	05/31/22	02/28/22	11/30/21	08/31/21	05/31/21	02/28/21	11/30/20	08/31/20	05/31/20	02/29/20	11/30/19	08/31/19	05/31/19	02/28/19	11/30/18
Figures in thousands	Q3 2022	Q2 2022	Q1 2022	Q4 2021	Q3 2021	Q2 2021	Q1 2021	Q4 2020	Q3 2020	Q2 2020	Q1 2020	Q4 2019	Q3 2019	Q2 2019	Q1 2019
Earnings from Continuing Operations	312,429	383,314	232,889	152,313	130,408	66,233	63,911	67,782	64,169	63,596	82,755	85,880	78,551	14,928	19,420
Interest Expense	13,433	12,011	11,035	11,659	11,965	14,021	14,259	13,962	15,409	15,888	16,578	17,702	18,513	18,495	16,663
Income Taxes (Benefit)	92,590	126,432	28,872	40,444	38,175	20,941	21,593	18,495	23,804	22,845	27,332	16,826	29,105	18,141	5,609
Depreciation and Amortization	43,583	41,134	41,226	42,437	41,804	41,573	41,799	41,654	41,765	41,389	40,941	41,051	41,181	41,245	35,176
Amortization of Acquired Unfavorable Contract Backlog	0	0	0	(1,495)	(1,508)	(1,509)	(1,523)	(10,691)	(4,348)	(5,997)	(8,331)	(16,582)	(23,394)	(23,476)	(11,332)
Asset Impairments	3,245	1,228	0	2,439	277	474	3,594	1,098	5,983	0	530	369	15	0	0
Adjusted EBITDA from Continuing Operations ¹	465,280	564,119	314,022	247,797	221,121	141,733	143,633	132,300	146,782	137,721	159,805	145,246	143,971	69,333	65,536
Non-cash Equity Compensation	11,986	16,251	9,619	8,119	13,800	12,696	9,062	9,875	6,170	7,536	8,269	7,758	7,342	5,791	4,215
(Gain) / Loss on Sale of Assets	0	(273,315)	0	0	(4,457)	(5,877)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Loss on Debt Extinguishment	0	16,052	0	0	0	16,841	0	1,778	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Facility Closure	0	0	0	0	0	5,694	5,214	2,903	1,863	0	6,339	0	0	0	0
Acquisition and Integration Related Costs	4,478	0	3,165	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,177	2,336	5,475	27,970
Purchase Accounting Effect on Inventory	2,169	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10,315	0
Mill Operational Start-up Costs (net of interest, taxes, and impairments)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CMC Steel Oklahoma Incentives	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Severance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Labor Cost Government Refund	0	0	0	0	0	0	(1,348)	(2,985)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Acquisition Settlement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	32,123	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Core EBITDA from Continuing Operations ¹	483,913	323,107	326,806	255,916	230,464	171,087	156,561	175,994	154,815	145,257	174,413	159,181	153,649	90,914	97,721
Trailing Four-Quarter Core EBITDA from Continuing Operations	1,389,742	1,136,293	984,273	814,028	734,106	658,457	632,627	650,480	633,667	632,500	578,158	501,466	465,917	422,124	417,106

					THREE	MONTHS E	ENDED				
	08/31/18	05/31/18	02/28/18	11/30/17	08/31/17	05/31/17	02/28/17	11/30/16	08/31/16	05/31/16	02/29/16
	Q4 2018	Q3 2018	Q2 2018	Q1 2018	Q4 2017	Q3 2017	Q2 2017	Q1 2017	Q4 2016	Q3 2016	Q2 2016
Earnings from Continuing Operations	51,260	42,325	9,781	31,871	(10,070)	31,567	22,992	4,936	(2,072)	35,111	10,849
Interest Expense	15,654	11,511	7,181	6,611	5,939	12,448	12,439	13,292	12,563	14,737	16,625
Income Taxes (Benefit)	6,682	13,312	1,728	8,425	(5,955)	11,006	7,772	2,100	(11,447)	10,676	2,064
Depreciation and Amortization	32,610	32,949	34,050	31,899	31,880	32,116	30,357	30,282	31,512	31,882	31,550
Amortization of Acquired Unfavorable Contract Backlog	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asset Impairments	840	935	12,136	461	1,182	70	91	462	39,951	15,842	0
Adjusted EBITDA from Continuing Operations ¹	107,046	101,032	64,875	79,267	22,976	87,207	73,651	51,072	70,507	108,248	61,088
Non-cash Equity Compensation	5,679	5,376	8,550	4,433	4,211	3,560	7,911	8,245	6,446	6,783	6,840
(Gain) / Loss on Sale of Assets	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Loss on Debt Extinguishment	0	0	0	0	22,672	0	0	0	0	115	11,365
Facility Closure	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Acquisition and Integration Related Costs	10,907	4,975	5,905	3,720	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Purchase Accounting Effect on Inventory	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mill Operational Start-up Costs (net of interest, taxes, and impairments)	0	1,473	6,565	5,433	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CMC Steel Oklahoma Incentives	0	(3,000)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Severance	0	0	0	0	8,129	0	0	0	0	0	0
Labor Cost Government Refund	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Acquisition Settlement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Core EBITDA from Continuing Operations ¹	123,632	109,856	85,896	92,853	57,988	90,767	81,562	59,317	76,953	115,146	79,293
Trailing Four-Quarter Core EBITDA from Continuing Operations	412,237	346,593	327,504	323,170	289,634	308,599	332,978	330,709	365,358	374,123	380,123



Definitions for non-GAAP financial measures

CORE EBITDA FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS

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 debt extinguishment costs, non-cash equity compensation, certain gains on sale of assets, certain facility closure costs, acquisition settlement costs and labor cost government refunds. Core EBITDA from continuing operations should not be considered an alternative to earnings (loss) from continuing operations or net earnings (loss), or as a better measure of liquidity than net cash flows from operating activities, 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. Additionally, Core EBITDA from continuing operations is the target benchmark for our annual and long-term cash incentive performance plans for management. 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.

NET DEBT

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

RETURN ON INVESTED CAPITAL (or ROIC)

Return on invested capital is defined as: 1) after-tax operating profit divided by 2) the average total assets less cash & cash equivalents less non-interest-bearing liabilities for the trailing five quarters

NET DEBT TO ADJUSTED EBITDA

Net debt to Adjusted EBITDA is defined as: 1) net debt divided by 2) trailing Adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations

RETURN ON INCREMENTAL CAPITAL DEPLOYED

Return on incremental capital deployed is defined as: 1) the change in after-tax operating profit from period 1 to period 2 divided by 2) the change in invested capital from period 1 to period 2





