

Premium Rock, Returns, Runway

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Premium Rock, Returns, Runway

STRATEGIC PILLARS	
Superior Capital Returns	Most efficient operator, returning more cash to shareholders than any other gas peer in the U.S.
Deep, Attractive Inventory	Premier natural gas portfolio with >15 years of inventory⁽¹⁾ >2,200 gas locations at \$4.00 flat pricing >100% IRR
Premier Balance Sheet	~0.5x net debt-to-NTM-EBITDAX ratio⁽²⁾
ESG Excellence	Achieved Grade “A” MiQ and EO100™ certification Highest available grade for legacy Marcellus and Haynesville operations

(1) Assume 88 wells per year in Marcellus and Haynesville each

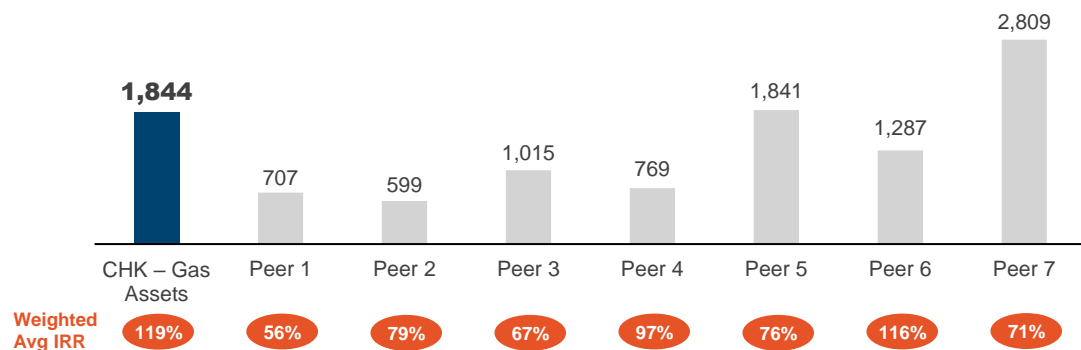
(2) 6/30/2022 net debt balance as a ratio to consensus NTM EBITDAX

Leading Our Peers: Better Rock, Better Returns, Better Runway

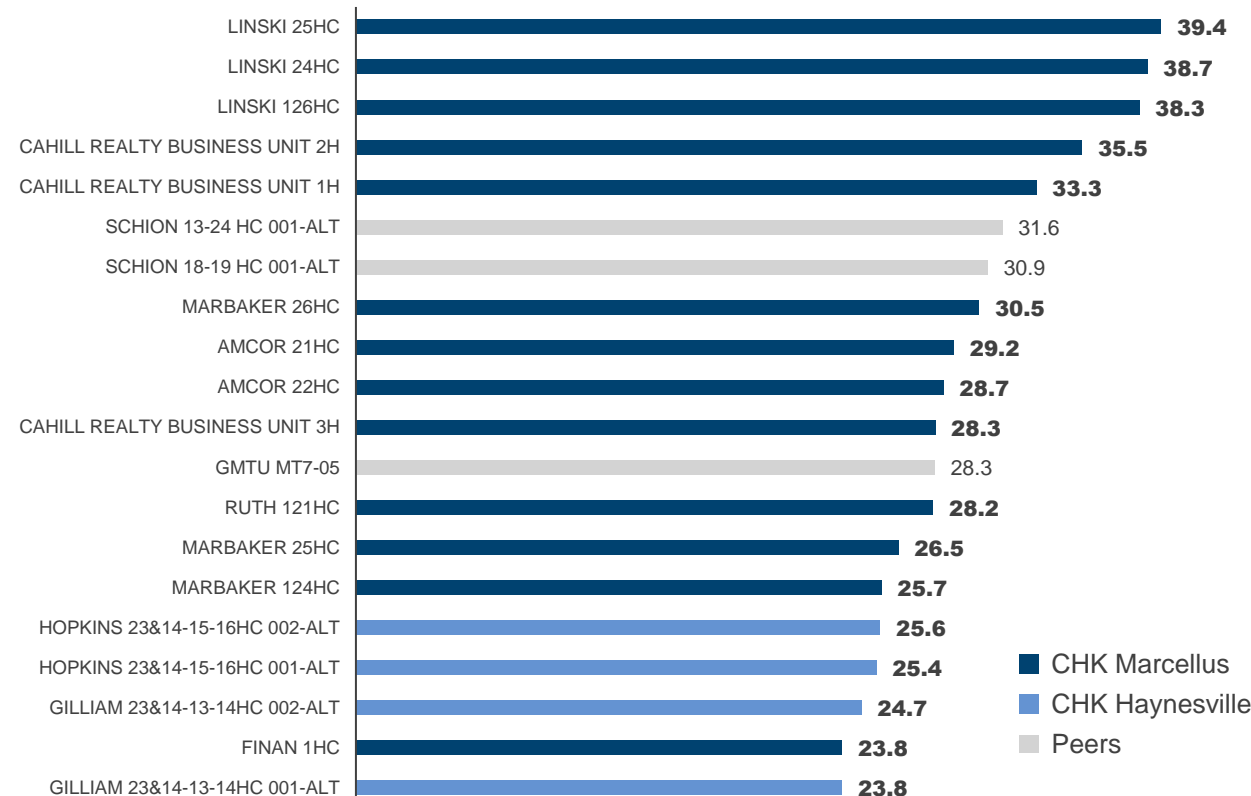
Leading Depth of Inventory – Enverus Net Locations⁽¹⁾

2022 Wells, First 3-Month Gas Production – Enverus mmcf/d⁽³⁾

CHK is #1 in quality and #2 highest inventory

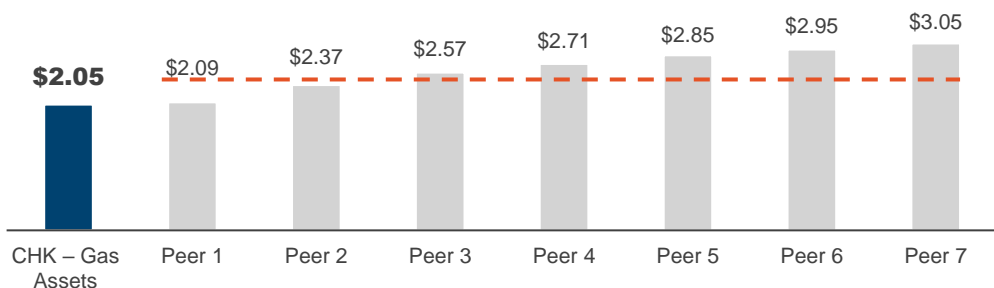


CHK has 17 of highest 20 IP90s in North America



Best Capital Efficiency – Enverus \$/mcf⁽²⁾

CHK wells are ~25% more capital efficient than peers



Peer group includes: AR, CNX, CRK, CTRA (Marcellus only), EQT, RRC, SWN.

(1) Source: Public filings and Enverus. Net inventory locations per Enverus estimates; Oil to gas price ratio of 20:1.

(2) Source: Enverus: 2018 – 2021 average single well capex/12-month production.

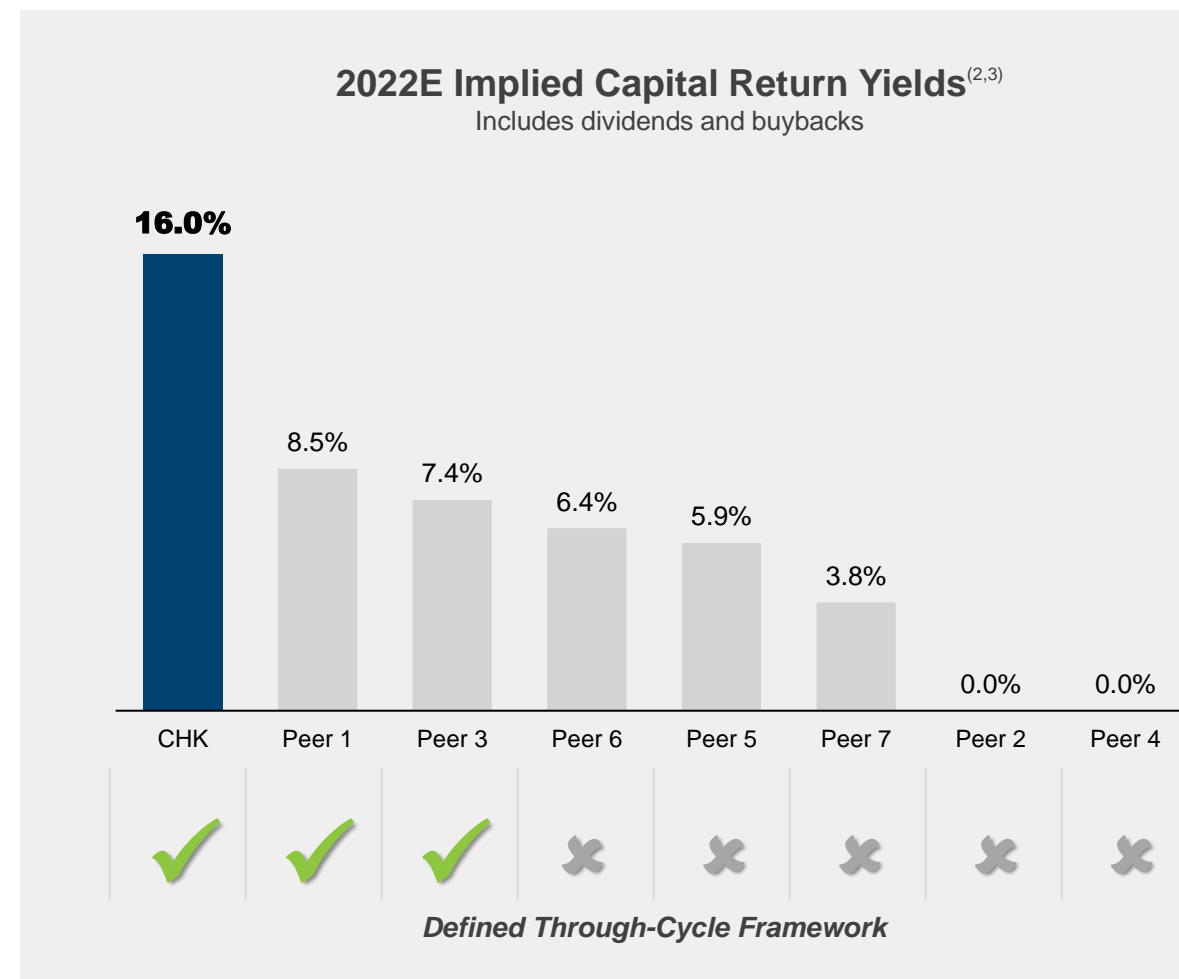
(3) Source: Enverus: North American wells with first production date after 1/1/2022 and 3 months of production. Well set as of 8/1/2022. Daily rates are 3-month cumulative gas production divided by 90.

Best-in-Class Shareholder Return Program

- ▶ **#1 returns program of any gas peer**
 - Largest commitment and payout percentage
 - Proof of discipline by increasing base dividend and aggressively executing buyback program

- ▶ **Anticipate paying \$1.1B – \$1.3B in total dividends in 2022 (~8% current yield)⁽¹⁾**
 - 1Q'22 total dividends paid: \$210mm
 - 2Q'22 total dividends paid: \$298mm
 - 3Q'22 total dividends paid: \$280mm

- ▶ **Completed 1/3rd of \$2B share and warrant repurchase program**
 - 7.6mm common shares purchased through 7/31 at a weighted average price of ~\$88 per share for a total of ~\$670mm



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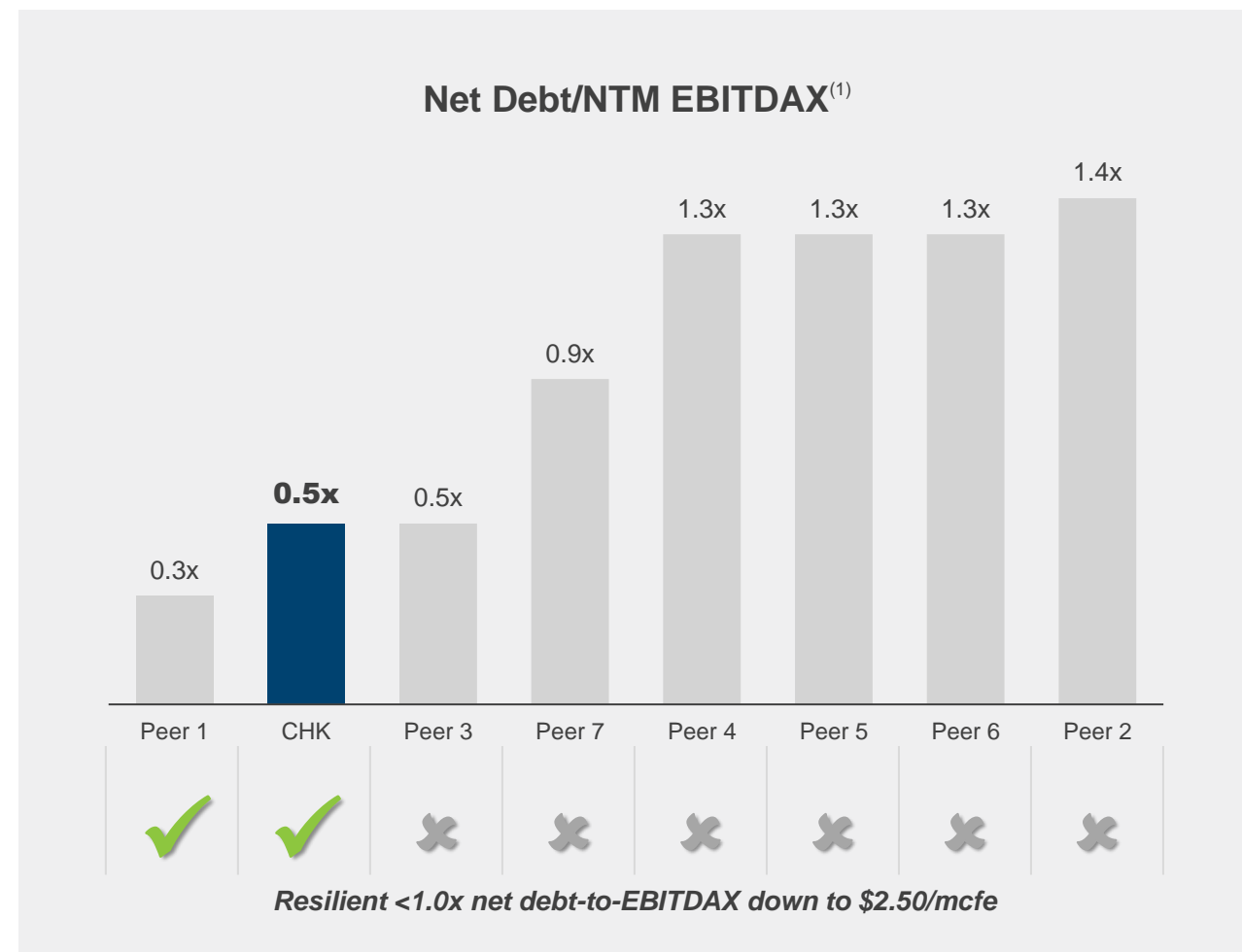
(1) Assumes projections and outlook as of 8/2/2022 and share price data as of 8/31/2022.

(2) CHK assumes \$1 billion of common shares repurchased during 2022.

(3) Based on consensus estimates as of 7/25 and share price data as of 8/31/2022; Through-cycle framework defined as peers with a committed percent of FCF or CFO return.

Premier Balance Sheet

- **Committed to maintaining strong balance sheet, net debt-to-EBITDAX of <1.0x**
 - Only gas peer publicly targeting resiliency to <\$2.50/mcfe
- **Disciplined and opportunistic use of balance sheet (Vine/Chief)**
- **Current investment grade characteristics**
- **Ongoing public warrant tender offer to simplify capital structure, reduce complexity and dilution resulting in more transparent equity value**



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 (1) FactSet consensus as of 7/25/2022
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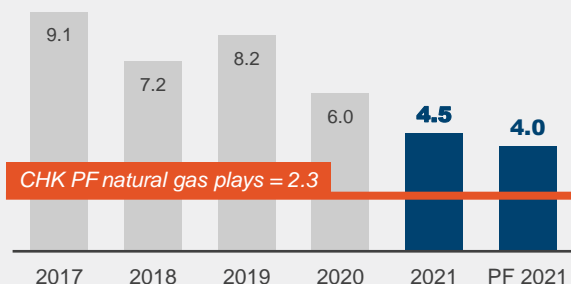
Answering the Call for Affordable, Reliable, Lower Carbon Energy

CHK's natural gas portfolio and commitment to deliver sustainable energy are the optimal solutions for reliable, affordable and lower carbon energy

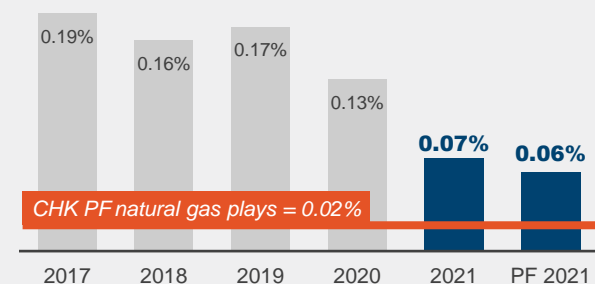
ENVIRONMENTAL

- Achieved Grade “A” MiQ and EO100™ certification for legacy Haynesville and Marcellus
- >2,000 continuous methane monitoring devices operating today paired with periodic Bridger Photonics flyovers
- Zero routine flaring on wells completed in 2021 and beyond, enterprise by 2025
- Net zero direct GHG emissions by 2035

CHK GHG Emissions Intensity
metric tons CO₂e/gross mboe produced



CHK Methane Intensity
volume methane emissions/volume gross natural gas produced



SOCIAL

- Answering today’s energy shortage AND climate concerns
- Culture of transparency, contribution from all employees and respect for diverse perspectives through our DE&I efforts
- Launched Supplier Diversity Program in 2021
- Investing in systems and processes to enhance royalty owner engagement

GOVERNANCE

- Fresh executive leadership with all Board members having less than two years of tenure
- Established an ESG Committee dedicated to sustainability strategy and oversight
- Compensation for all employees directly tied to company performance, shareholder returns and ESG excellence
- Failure to meet ESG performance targets caps bonus payout for all other metrics

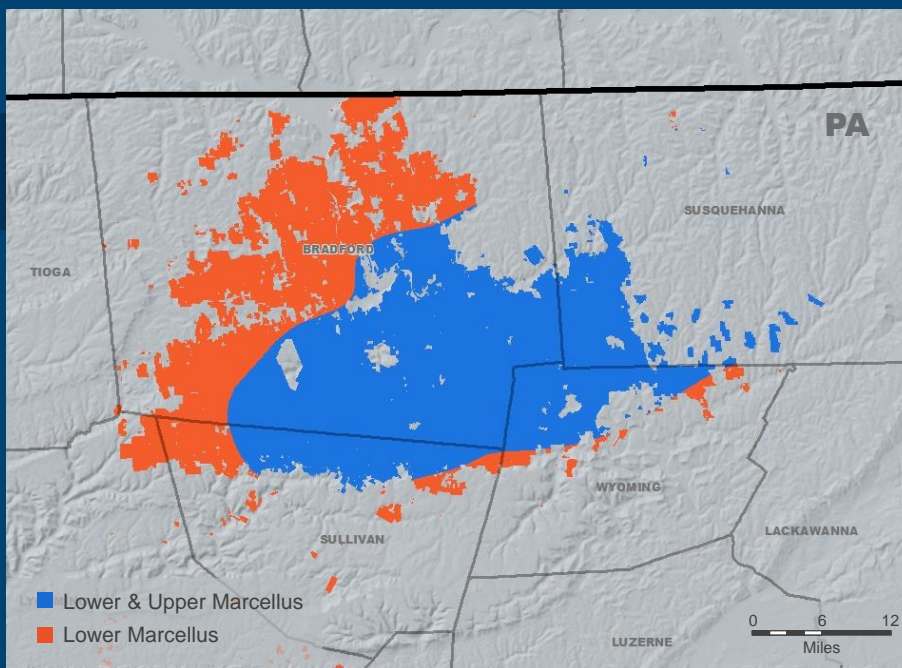
Marcellus: Premium Scale, Leading Returns



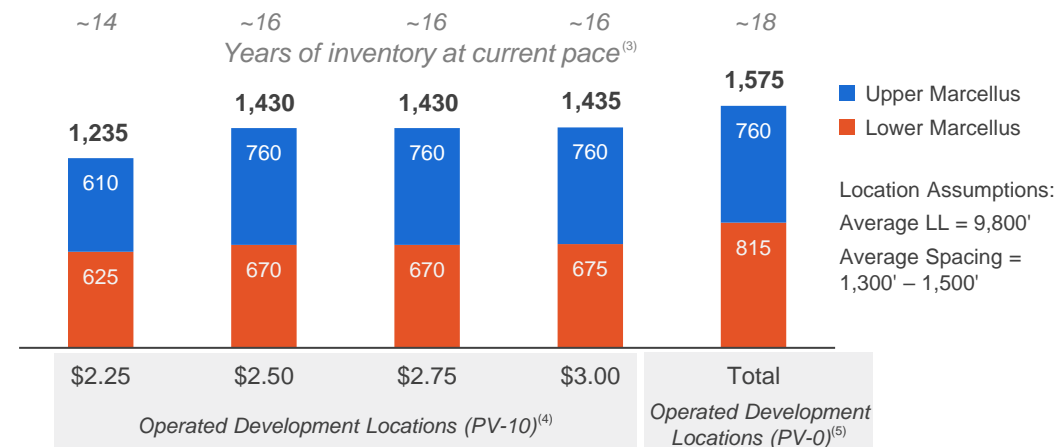
- Basin leading capital efficiency
- ~16 years of drilling using 3 – 5 rigs
- 2022E BU EBITDAX^(1,2) \$4.0B – \$4.1B
- Achieved Grade “A” MiQ and EO100™ certification for legacy Marcellus operations – projected to be 100% RSG certified by YE’22
- Chief integration complete – incremental ~80 gross mmcf/d realized through gathering system optimization to date

\$7B

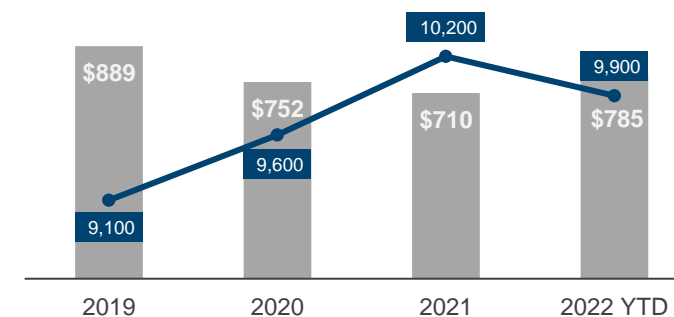
5-year projected FCF⁽²⁾ net of allocated hedges, corporate items and taxes



Gross Inventory by Breakeven



Average Cost per Foot and Lateral Length



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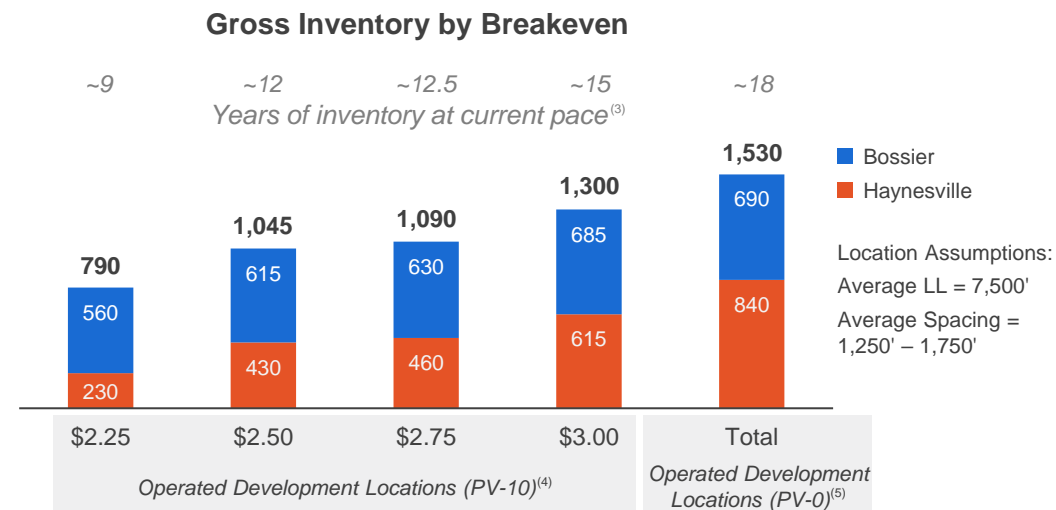
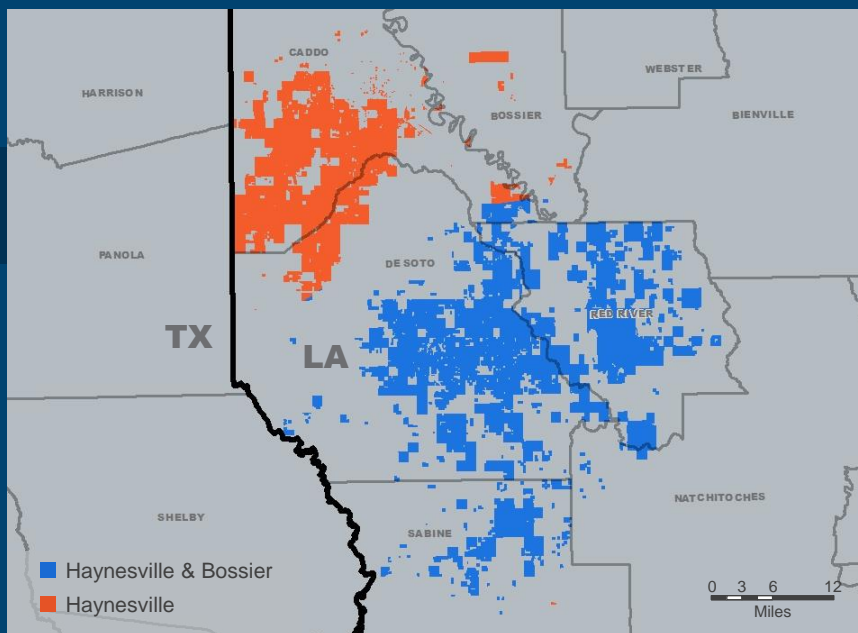
Haynesville: Profitable Growth, Advantaged Markets



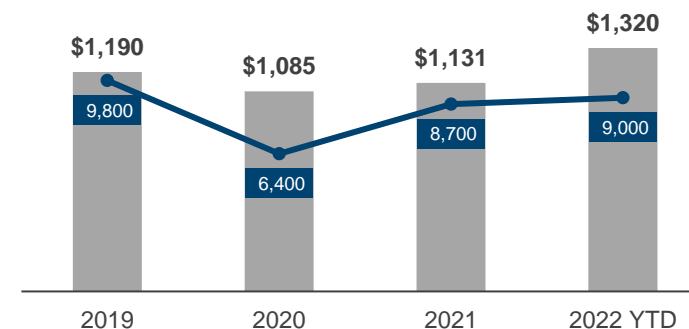
- Basin leading capital efficiency
- ~15 years of drilling using 6 – 9 rigs
- 2022E BU EBITDAX^(1,2) \$3.3B – \$3.4B
- First operator to achieve RSG certification basin-wide
- Vine integration complete, achieved ~\$50mm initial annual synergies
- ~15% increase in gas gathering and treatment capacity by 2H'23
- Focused on firming up gathering, treating, and transport

\$4B

5-year projected FCF⁽²⁾ net of allocated hedges, corporate items and taxes



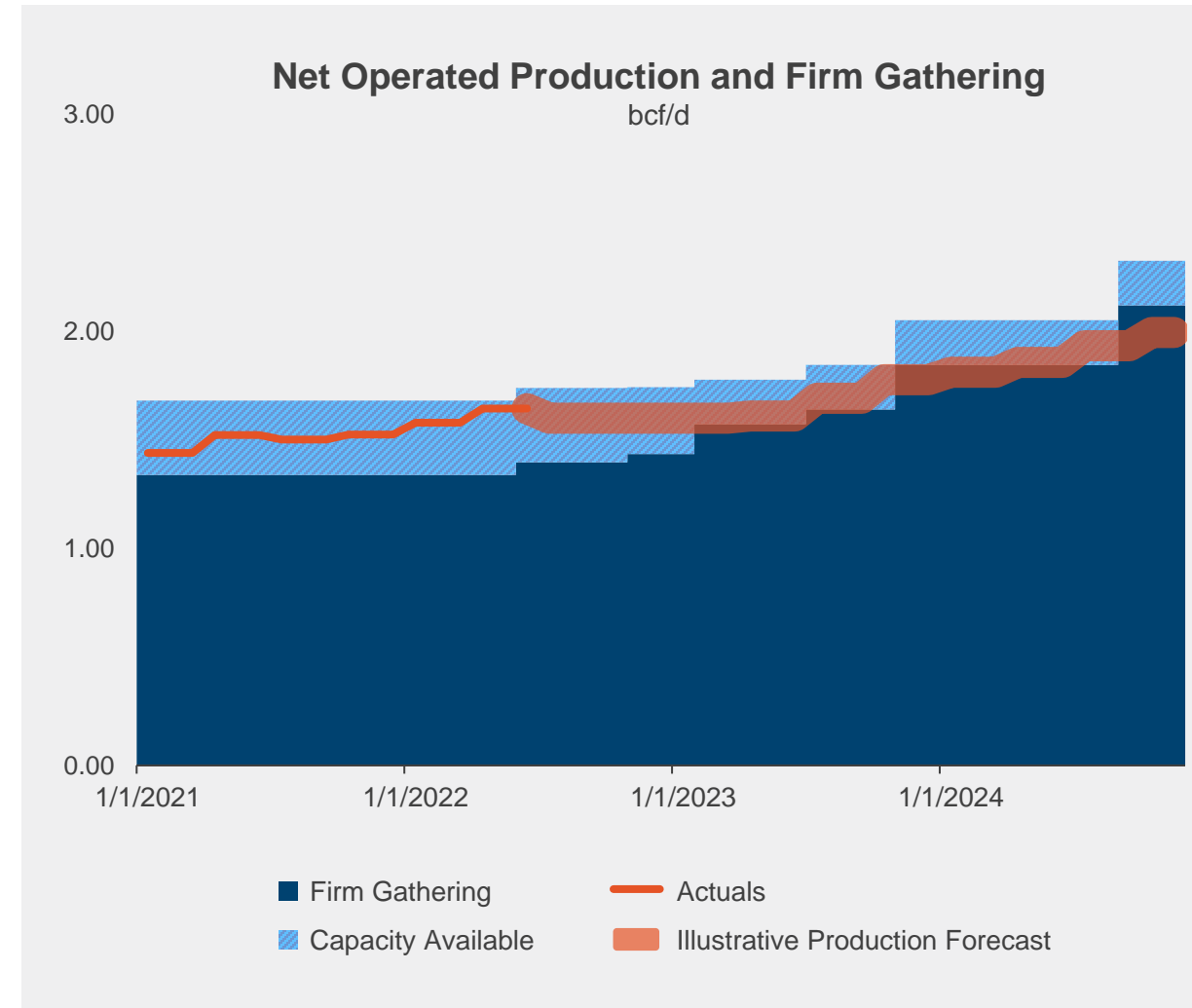
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Haynesville: Poised for Growth

- **Moving from maintenance capital of ~6 rigs to growth with 7 – 8 rigs**
 - 7th rig added by YE'22
- **2023 expected exit rate to increase 5% – 7% YoY**
- **Firming up gathering, treating and transport**
 - 100 mmcf/d of interruptible offload added in 2022
 - 1 bcf/d of signed firm gathering and treating added
 - 600 mmcf/d throughout 2023, 400 mmcf/d in 4Q'24
 - Weighted average of ~\$0.24/mmbtu
 - 1 bcf/d, nearly half of marketed volumes, of transport to Gillis/LNG corridor at market rates added beginning in 2024
 - 300 mmcf/d on Golden Pass
 - 700 mmcf/d on undisclosed pipe and counterparty
 - Opportunities for small equity stakes and CCUS



Foundations for Value Re-Rating

Superior Capital Returns	✓	Unwavering commitment to returning cash flow to shareholders
Deep, Attractive Inventory	✓	Capital efficient assets that sustainably generate returns
Premier Balance Sheet	✓	Resilient credit metrics that de-risk equity returns through commodity price cycles
ESG Excellence	✓	Leading emissions profile, commitment to social initiatives and shareholder-aligned compensation incentives

Appendix

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Non-GAAP Financial Measures

This document includes non-GAAP financial measures. Such non-GAAP measures should not be considered as an alternative to, or more meaningful than, GAAP measures. The Company's management believes that these measures provide useful information to external users of the Company's consolidated financial statements, such as industry analysts, lenders and ratings agencies. Due to the forward-looking nature of adjusted EBITDAX, net debt, projected free cash flow, free cash flow yield and free cash flow per share used herein, management cannot reliably predict certain of the necessary components of the most directly comparable forward-looking GAAP measures. Accordingly, the Company is unable to present a quantitative reconciliation of such forward-looking non-GAAP financial measures to their most directly comparable forward-looking GAAP financial measures without unreasonable effort. Amounts excluded from these non-GAAP measures in future periods could be significant.

EBITDAX: Adjusted EBITDAX is a non-GAAP measure used by management to evaluate the Company's operational trends and performance relative to other oil and natural gas producing companies. Adjusted EBITDAX excludes certain items that management believes affect the comparability of operating results. The most directly comparable GAAP measure is net income (loss). Items excluded from net income (loss) to arrive at adjusted EBITDAX include interest expense, income taxes, depreciation, depletion and amortization expense, and exploration expense as well as one-time items or items whose timing or amount cannot be reasonably estimated.

Net Debt: Net debt is defined as total GAAP debt excluding premiums, discounts, and deferred issuance costs less cash and cash equivalents. Net debt is presented as a widely understood measure of liquidity, but should not be considered as an alternative to, or more meaningful than, total debt presented in accordance with GAAP.

Free Cash Flow, Free Cash Flow Yield and Free Cash Flow Per Share:

- Adjusted free cash flow is defined as net cash provided by operating activities (GAAP), less cash capital expenditures.
- Adjusted free cash flow yield is defined as adjusted free cash flow divided by market capitalization.
- Adjusted free cash flow per share is defined as adjusted free cash flow divided by the Company's outstanding shares of common stock.

Adjusted free cash flow, free cash flow yield and adjusted free cash flow per share are non-GAAP supplemental financial measures used by the Company's management to assess liquidity, including the Company's ability to generate cash flow in excess of its capital requirements and return cash to shareholders. Adjusted free cash flow, adjusted free cash flow yield and adjusted free cash flow per share should not be considered as alternatives to, or more meaningful than, net cash provided by operating activities, or any other measure of liquidity presented in accordance with GAAP.

Glossary

BE: Breakeven – the minimum price at which cumulative cash flows are zero

BU: Business Unit

CFFO: Cash flow from Operations

CROCI: Cash Returned on Capital Invested is the 3-year EBITDA – Interest Expense – G&A / Total Net D&C and Non-D&C Capital

D&C: Drilling and Completion expense

ESG: Environmental, Social, Governance

FCF: Free Cash Flow

G&A: General and Administrative expense

G&G: Geological and Geophysical expense

GHG: Greenhouse Gas

GP&T: Gathering, Processing and Transport expense

IP90: Initial production rate for the first 90 days

IRR: Internal Rate of Return is the discount rate at which cumulative cash flows equal to zero

LHC: Leasehold Capital expense

LL: Lateral length is the length from the point at which a wellbore enters the target zone to the terminus point of the wellbore

MVC: Minimum Volume Commitment

NAV: Net Asset Value

NPV: Net Present Value

NRI: Net revenue interest is a share of production after all burdens, such as royalty and overriding royalty, have been deducted from the working interest

PDP: Proved Developed Producing – Reserve classification for a producing well

PIR: Profit Investment Ratio = (PV-10 less capex) / total net capital

PP&E: Property, Plant, and Equipment expense

PV-0: Present Value at a 0% discount rate

PV-10: Present Value at a 10% discount rate

RSG: Responsibly Sourced Gas

SPUD: To start the well drilling process

TIL: Turn-In-Line; a well turned to sales

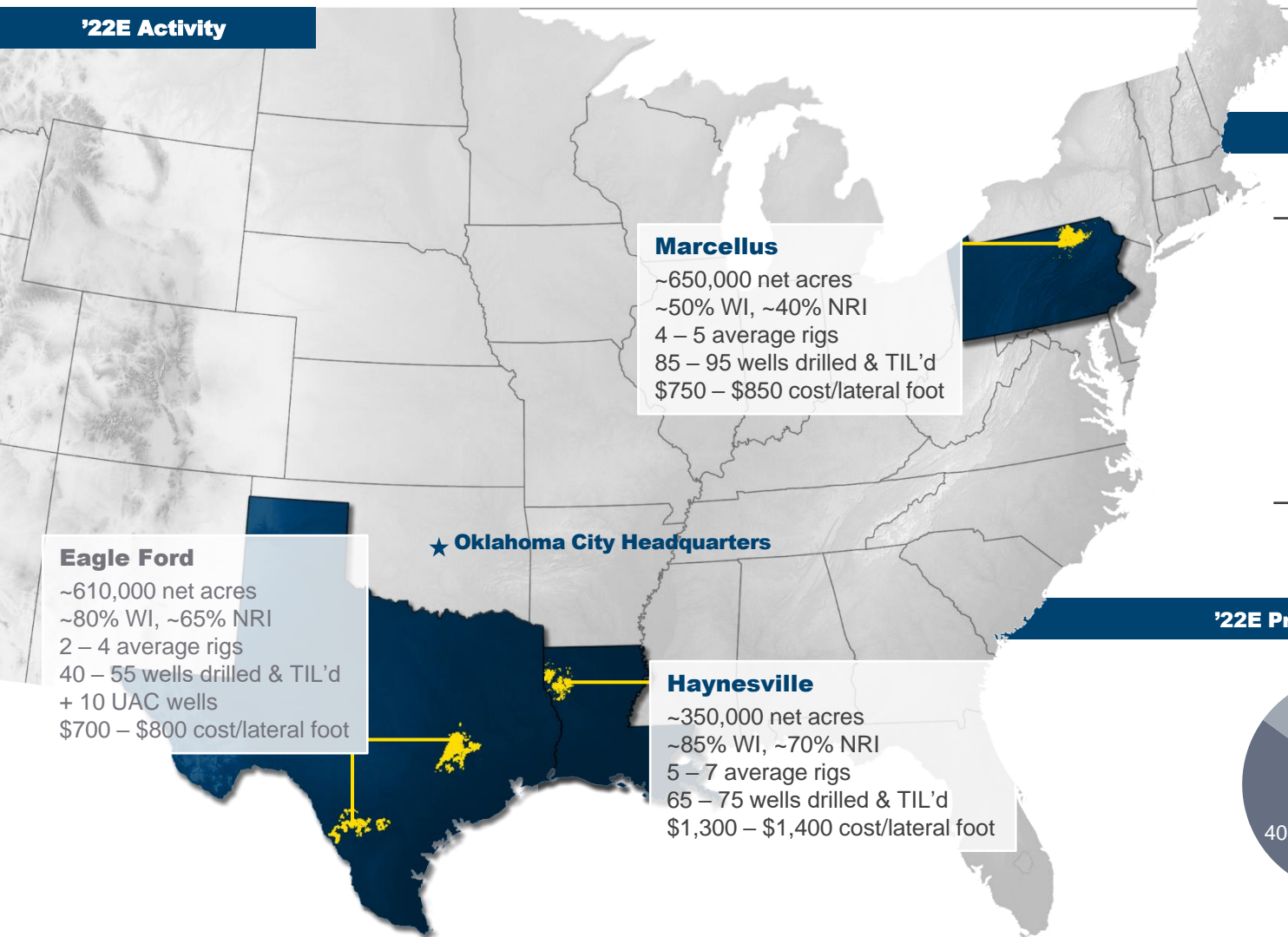
UAC: Upper Austin Chalk

WI: Working Interest is a percentage of ownership in an oil and gas lease granting its owner the right to explore, drill and produce hydrocarbons from a tract of property

WPS: Wells Per Section

2022 Operating Plan

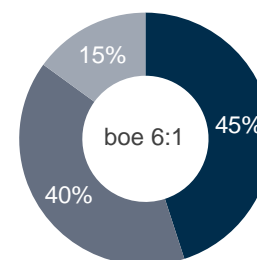
'22E Activity



2Q'22 Actual and 2022E Projected Results

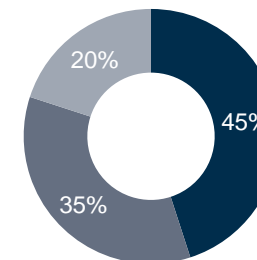
	2Q'22	3Q'22E	FY'22E
Gas Production (bcf/d)	3.7	3.7 – 3.8	3.6 – 3.7
Oil Production (mbo/d)	50	50 – 54	51 – 56
Total Production (mmcf/d)	4,125	4,140 – 4,170	4,020 – 4,140
Adj. EBITDAX (\$mm) ⁽¹⁾	\$1,269	\$1,275 – \$1,375	\$4,800 – \$5,000
Total Capex (\$mm) ⁽²⁾	\$511	\$550 – \$600	\$1,750 – \$1,950
Dividends Paid (\$mm)	\$298	\$275 – \$285	\$1,100 – \$1,300

'22E Production Outlook



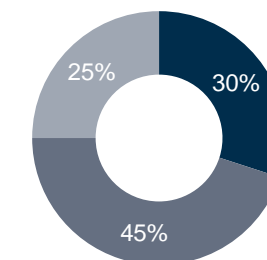
■ Marcellus

'22E EBITDAX Outlook



■ Haynesville

'22E Capital Plan



■ Eagle Ford

Note: All values assume closing of Chief assets on 3/9/2022 and divestiture of Powder River Basin assets on 3/25/2022.

(1) Reflects strip prices as of 7/25/2022. A non-GAAP measure as defined in the appendix.

(2) Total capex FY'22E reconciliation included in appendix.

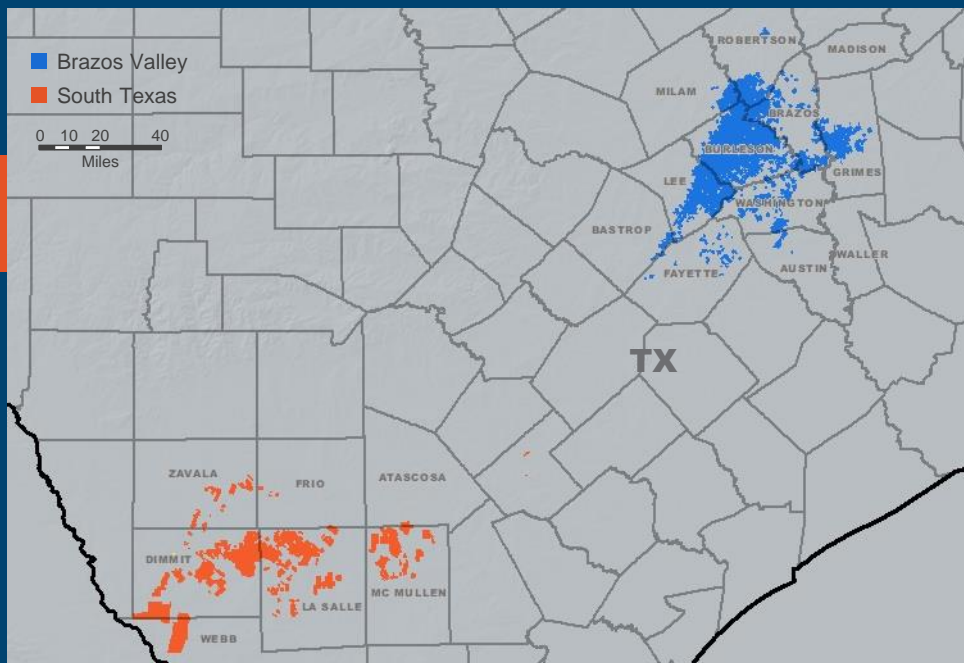
Eagle Ford: Superior Margin, Sustainable Free Cash Flow



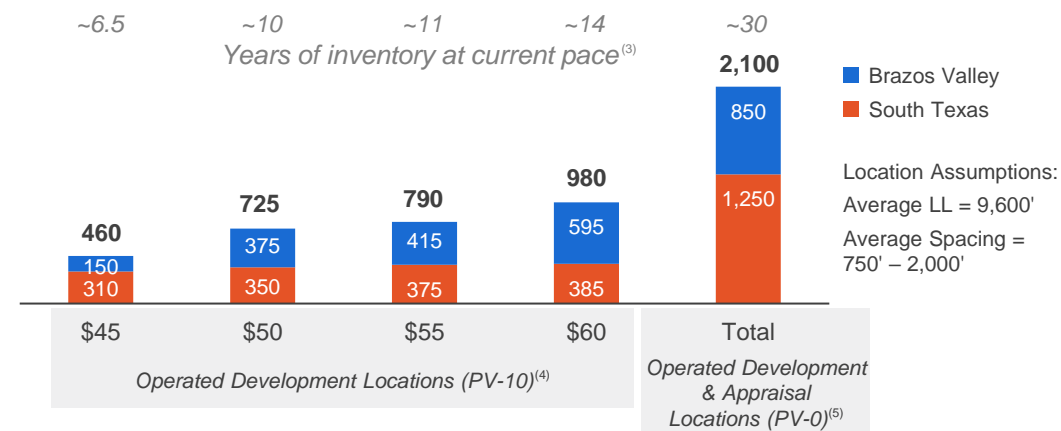
- ~14 years of drilling using 2 – 3 rigs
- 2022E BU EBITDAX^(1,2) \$1.7B – \$1.9B
- Eliminated routine flaring on wells completed 2021+
- Emerging Austin Chalk potential, ~10 wells in 2022 program
- Minimal offtake constraints with access to premium markets
- Gas MVC shortfall projected to decline by 50% YoY

\$3B

5-year projected FCF⁽²⁾ net of allocated hedges, corporate items and taxes

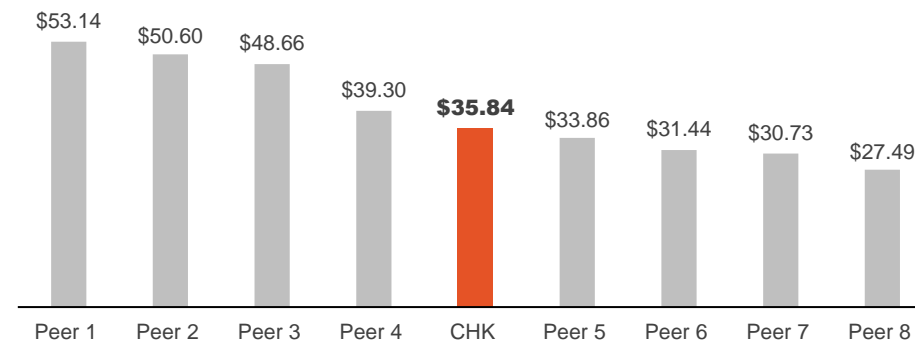


Gross Inventory by Breakeven



2018 – 2021 Eagle Ford-STX Average Capex/12-Month Production

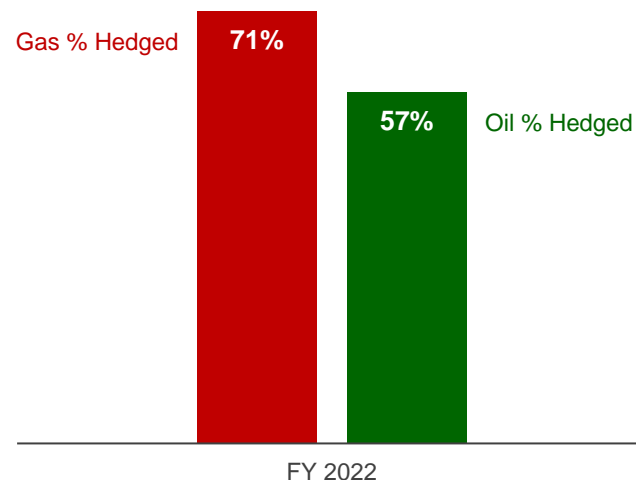
\$/boe⁽⁶⁾



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 (3) Assumes 70 wells per year
 (4) 10% IRR at current spacing assumptions, proven development zones
 (5) Location counts are based on existing acreage and do not include zones still in early evaluation or exploration wells
 (6) Source: Enverus; Peer group includes: CPE, DVN, EOG, Mesquite, MGY, MRO, MUR, SM
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Hedging Program Reduces Risk, Protects Returns

As of 7/29/2022



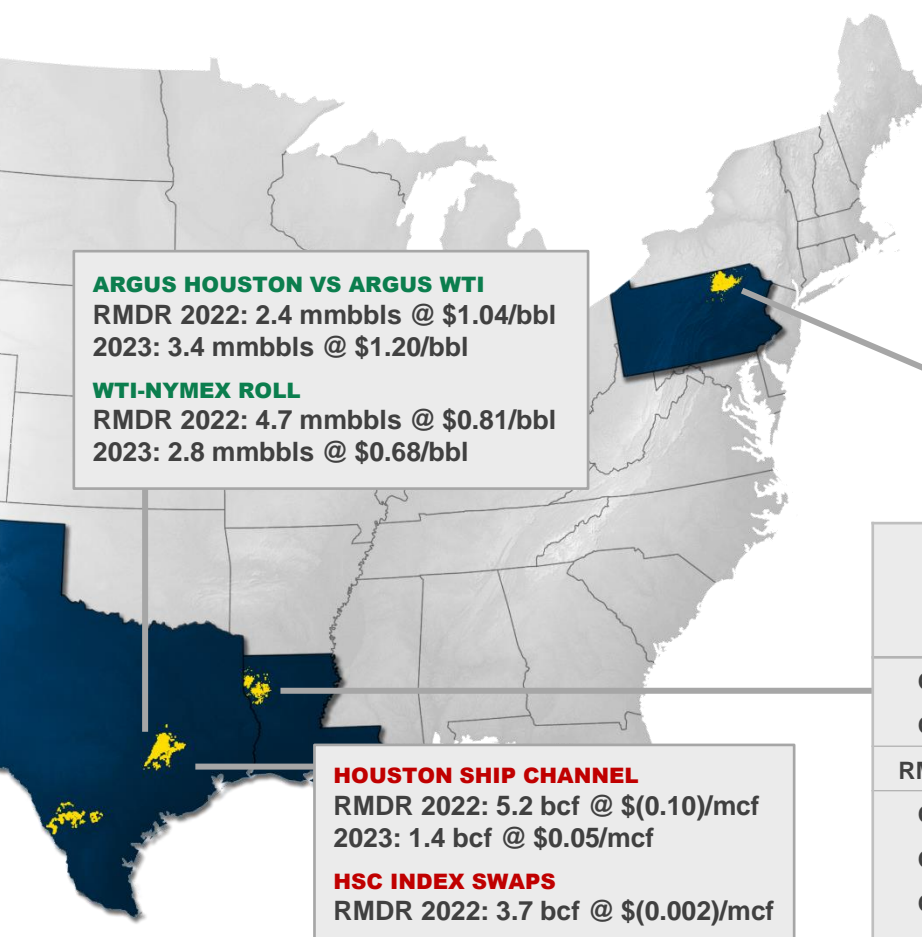
DOWNSIDE PROTECTION LEVELS	RMDR 2022 ⁽¹⁾	2023
Gas, \$/mcf	\$2.91 – \$3.43	\$3.14 – \$4.53
Oil, \$/bbl	\$45.37	\$64.54 – \$75.09

Date	NATURAL GAS												OIL					
	SWAPS		SWAPTIONS		COLLARS			THREE-WAY COLLARS				CALLS		SWAPS		COLLARS		
	Volume bcf	Price \$/mcf	Volume bcf	Price \$/mcf	Volume bcf	Bought Put \$/mcf	Sold Call \$/mcf	Volume bcf	Sold Put \$/mcf	Bought Put \$/mcf	Sold Call \$/mcf	Volume bcf	Sold Call \$/mcf	Volume mmbbl	Price \$/bbl	Volume mmbbl	Bought Put \$/bbl	Sold Call \$/bbl
Q3 2022	134.0	2.63	-	-	93.8	3.41	4.56	6.4	2.41	2.90	3.43	-	-	2.7	44.85	-	-	-
Q4 2022	117.3	2.60	-	-	120.1	3.12	4.27	6.4	2.41	2.90	3.43	-	-	2.6	45.92	-	-	-
RMDR '22	251.3	2.61	-	-	213.9	3.25	4.40	12.9	2.41	2.90	3.43	-	-	5.3	45.37	-	-	-
Q1 2023	114.3	2.64	1.8	2.88	55.7	3.48	6.32	0.9	2.50	3.40	3.79	18.0	3.29	1.9	47.17	0.7	76.09	91.21
Q2 2023	28.7	2.73	1.8	2.88	119.8	3.39	5.47	0.9	2.50	3.40	3.79	-	-	-	-	2.2	68.45	82.72
Q3 2023	27.2	2.75	1.8	2.88	121.2	3.39	5.47	0.9	2.50	3.40	3.79	-	-	-	-	1.9	69.12	82.23
Q4 2023	33.3	2.69	1.8	2.88	96.2	3.31	5.47	0.9	2.50	3.40	3.79	-	-	-	-	1.4	70.63	84.25
FY 2023	203.5	2.67	7.3	2.88	392.9	3.38	5.59	3.7	2.50	3.40	3.79	18.0	3.29	1.9	47.17	6.2	69.99	83.86

Note: Hedged volume and price reflect positions as of 7/29/2022
 (1) RMDR 2022 includes 3Q'22 – 4Q'22

Hedged Basis Protection

As of 7/29/2022



ARGUS HOUSTON VS ARGUS WTI

RMDR 2022: 2.4 mmbbls @ \$1.04/bbl
2023: 3.4 mmbbls @ \$1.20/bbl

WTI-NYMEX ROLL

RMDR 2022: 4.7 mmbbls @ \$0.81/bbl
2023: 2.8 mmbbls @ \$0.68/bbl

HOUSTON SHIP CHANNEL

RMDR 2022: 5.2 bcf @ \$(0.10)/mcf
2023: 1.4 bcf @ \$0.05/mcf

HSC INDEX SWAPS

RMDR 2022: 3.7 bcf @ \$(0.002)/mcf

- 19% of Marcellus and 46% of Haynesville basis hedged for the remainder of 2022
- Since 6/22/2022, CHK has added basis protection for:
 - 13.3 bcf of 3Q'22 – 4Q'22 gas at an average differential to NYMEX of \$(0.67)
 - 8.1 bcf of 2023 gas at \$(0.63)

Date	MARCELLUS						HAYNESVILLE				TRANSPORT SPREAD ⁽¹⁾	
	TETCO M3		TGP Z4 300L		LEIDY		CGT MAINLINE		TGT Z1		TETCO M3	
	Volume bcf	Avg. Price \$/mcf	Volume bcf	Avg. Price \$/mcf	Volume bcf	Avg. Price \$/mcf	Volume bcf	Avg. Price \$/mcf	Volume bcf	Avg. Price \$/mcf	Volume bcf	Avg. Price \$/mcf
Q3 2022	12.0	(0.80)	4.5	(1.24)	26.6	(1.16)	60.2	(0.47)	15.6	(0.28)	11.4	0.79
Q4 2022	8.6	0.68	2.8	(1.08)	13.8	(1.04)	59.4	(0.40)	9.8	(0.23)	9.9	0.77
RMDR '22	20.6	(0.18)	7.3	(1.18)	40.4	(1.12)	119.6	(0.43)	25.5	(0.26)	21.3	0.78
Q1 2023	6.8	1.99	4.2	(1.13)	9.5	(0.92)	38.3	(0.27)	6.8	(0.17)	6.8	0.76
Q2 2023	3.6	(0.86)	2.3	(1.33)	3.6	(1.17)	25.5	(0.30)	3.0	(0.25)	6.8	0.76
Q3 2023	3.7	(0.86)	2.3	(1.33)	3.7	(1.17)	25.8	(0.30)	3.0	(0.25)	6.9	0.76
Q4 2023	3.7	0.54	3.8	(1.12)	3.7	(1.09)	22.9	(0.27)	2.4	(0.20)	2.9	0.76
FY 2023	17.8	0.51	12.6	(1.20)	20.5	(1.04)	112.4	(0.28)	15.1	(0.20)	23.4	0.76

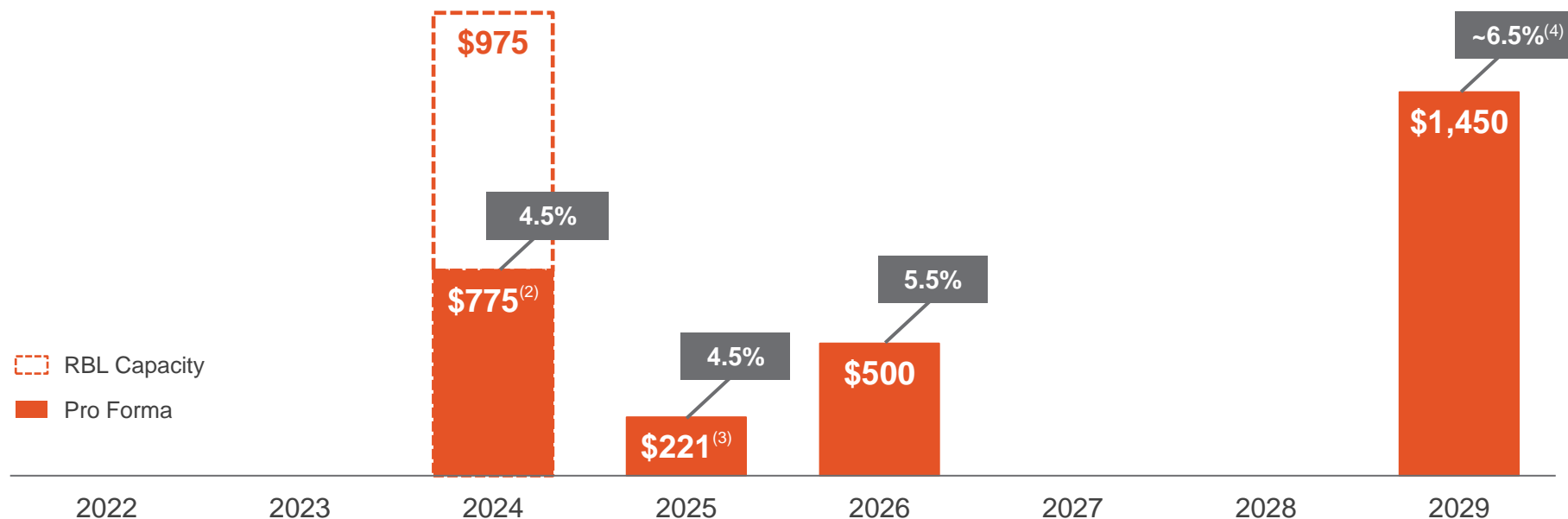
(1) TETCO M3 transport spread vs. TGP Z4 300L

Pro Forma Maturity Profile

Net debt-to-2022E EBITDAX ratio⁽¹⁾

~0.6x

Preserving balance sheet strength



(1) A non-GAAP measure as defined in the appendix. Net debt as of 6/30/2022 over midpoint of 2022 Outlook

(2) Revolver balance as of 6/30/2022

(3) Represents \$221mm of CA-CIB and Natixis Tranche B

(4) \$500mm at 5.875% and \$950mm at 6.75%

Management's Outlook as of August 2, 2022

	2022 Projections
Total production:	
Oil – mbbbls per day	51 – 56
NGL – mbbbls per day	15 – 18
Natural gas – mmcf per day	3,600 – 3,680
Total daily rate – mmcfe per day	4,020 – 4,140
Estimated basis to NYMEX prices, based on 7/25/22 strip prices:	
Oil – \$/bbl	\$1.20 – \$1.60
Natural gas – \$/mcf	(\$0.45) – (\$0.55)
NGL – realizations as a % of WTI	40% – 45%
Operating costs per mcf of projected production:	
Production expense	\$0.29 – \$0.33
Gathering, processing and transportation expenses	\$0.70 – \$0.80
Oil – \$/bbl	\$2.80 – \$3.00
Natural Gas – \$/mcf	\$0.75 – \$0.85
Severance and ad valorem taxes	\$0.16 – \$0.18
General and administrative ⁽¹⁾	\$0.08 – \$0.11
Depreciation, depletion and amortization expense	\$1.17 – \$1.33
Marketing net margin and other (\$ in millions)	\$25 – \$50
Interest expense (\$ in millions)	\$125 – \$135
Cash taxes (\$ in millions)	\$225 – \$275
Cash taxes (as a percent of income before income taxes)	6% – 9%
Adjusted EBITDAX, based on 7/25/22 strip prices (\$ in millions)⁽²⁾	\$4,800 – \$5,000
Total capital expenditures (\$ in millions)	\$1,750 – \$1,950
Marcellus D&C	\$400 – \$440
Haynesville D&C	\$750 – \$800
Eagle Ford D&C	\$375 – \$415
Powder River Basin D&C	\$25
Non-D&C Field (workover, infrastructure and leasehold)	\$115 – \$165
Non-D&C Corporate (PP&E, G&G, capitalized interest and G&A)	\$85 – \$105

(1) Includes ~\$0.01/mcfe of expenses associated with stock-based compensation, which are recorded in general and administrative expenses in Chesapeake's Condensed Consolidated Statement of Operations.

(2) Adjusted EBITDAX is a non-GAAP measure used by management to evaluate the company's operational trends and performance relative to other oil and natural gas producing companies. Adjusted EBITDAX excludes certain items that management believes affect the comparability of operating results. The most directly comparable GAAP measure is net income (loss), but it is not possible, without unreasonable efforts, to identify the amount or significance of events or transactions that may be included in future GAAP net income (loss) but that management does not believe to be representative of underlying business performance. The company further believes that providing estimates of the amounts that would be required to reconcile forecasted adjusted EBITDAX to forecasted GAAP net income (loss) would imply a degree of precision that may be confusing or misleading to investors. Items excluded from net income (loss) to arrive at adjusted EBITDAX include interest expense, income taxes, depreciation, depletion and amortization expense, and exploration expense as well as one-time items or items whose timing or amount cannot be reasonably estimated.

Reconciliation of Net Income (Loss) to Adjusted EBITDAX (unaudited)

	Successor	
	Three Months Ended June 30, 2022	Three Months Ended June 30, 2021
<i>(\$ in millions)</i>		
Net income (loss) (GAAP)	\$ 1,237	\$ (439)
Adjustments:		
Interest expense	36	18
Income tax expense	77	—
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	451	229
Exploration	7	1
Unrealized (gains) losses on oil and natural gas derivatives	(532)	617
Separation and other termination costs	—	11
Gains on sales of assets	(21)	(2)
Other operating expense (income), net	16	(4)
Impairments	—	1
Other	(2)	(3)
Adjusted EBITDAX (Non-GAAP)	\$ 1,269	\$ 429

Adjusted EBITDAX is not a measure of financial performance under GAAP, and should not be considered as an alternative to, or more meaningful than, net income (loss) prepared in accordance with GAAP. Adjusted EBITDAX excludes certain items that management believes affect the comparability of operating results. The company believes this non-GAAP financial measure is a useful adjunct to cash flow provided by operating activities because: (i) Management uses adjusted EBITDAX to evaluate the company's operational trends and performance relative to other oil and natural gas producing companies. (ii) Adjusted EBITDAX is more comparable to estimates provided by securities analysts. (iii) Items excluded generally are one-time items or items whose timing or amount cannot be reasonably estimated. Accordingly, any guidance provided by the company generally excludes information regarding these types of items. Because adjusted EBITDAX excludes some, but not all, items that affect net income (loss), our calculations of adjusted EBITDAX may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of other companies.

Reconciliations of Adjusted Free Cash Flow and Net Debt

ADJUSTED FREE CASH FLOW

	Successor	
	Three Months Ended June 30, 2022	Three Months Ended June 30, 2021
<i>(\$ in millions)</i>		
Net cash provided by operating activities (GAAP)	\$ 909	\$ 394
Cash paid for reorganization items, net	—	47
Cash capital expenditures	(415)	(149)
Adjusted free cash flow (Non-GAAP)	\$ 494	\$ 292

NET DEBT

	Successor
	June 30, 2022
<i>(\$ in millions)</i>	
Total debt (GAAP)	\$ 3,046
Premiums and issuance costs on debt	(100)
Principal amount of debt	2,946
Cash and cash equivalents	(17)
Net debt (Non-GAAP)	\$ 2,929