



ALGOMA

— STEEL INC. —

Investor Presentation

Proposed Transition to Making Greener Steel

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Notice Regarding Algoma Steel Inc.

Algoma Steel Inc. was incorporated in 2018 solely for the purpose of purchasing substantially all of the operating assets and liabilities of Essar Steel Algoma Inc. and its subsidiaries in connection with a restructuring under the Canadian Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act. The purchase transaction was completed on November 30, 2018. Prior to November 30, 2018, the Company had no operations, and was capitalized with 1 common share with a nominal value. Unless otherwise indicated or the context otherwise requires, in this document, all references to the "Company," "us," "we" and "our" refer to Algoma Steel Inc., its parent corporation, and its consolidated subsidiaries and all references to "Essar Steel Algoma" and "Old Steelco" mean Essar Steel Algoma Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries. The Company's and Old Steelco's fiscal year end is as of March 31 of each calendar year. All financial and other data for periods ending as of or prior to November 30, 2018 relate to Old Steelco and all financial and other data for periods subsequent to November 30, 2018 relate to the Company. Financial and other data for the FY 2019, the fiscal year ended March 31, 2019, are a pro forma combination of the financial and other information of Old Steelco for the eight-month period ended November 30, 2018 and the financial and other information of the Company for the four-month period ended March 31, 2019. Neither the combined information or the financial information of Old Steelco are indicative of the results of the Company had the Company acquired Old Steelco on April 1, 2018.

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We have generally used the words "anticipate," "assume," "believe," "budget," "continue," "could," "estimate," "expect," "future," "intend," "may," "plan," "potential," "predict," "project," "will" and similar terms and phrases to identify forward-looking statements in this document. Forward-looking statements reflect our current expectations regarding future events, results or outcomes. These expectations may or may not be realized. Some of these expectations may be based upon assumptions or judgments that prove to be incorrect. In addition, our business and operations involve numerous risks and uncertainties, many of which are beyond our control, which could result in our expectations not being realized or otherwise materially affect our financial condition, results of operations and cash flows. Although management believes that expectations reflected in forward-looking statements are reasonable, such statements involve risks and uncertainties and should not be regarded as a representation by the Company or Legato or any other person that the anticipated results will be achieved. The Company and Legato caution you not to place undue reliance upon any such forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date they are made.

Our forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance, and actual events, results and outcomes may differ materially from our expectations suggested in any forward-looking statements due to a variety of factors. Although it is not possible to identify all of these factors, they include, among others, the following: the risk that the benefits of the transaction may not be realized, the risk that the transaction may not be completed in a timely manner or at all; the failure to satisfy the conditions to the consummation of the transaction, including the failure of Legato's stockholders to approve and adopt the merger agreement or the failure of Legato to satisfy the minimum cash condition following redemptions by its stockholders; the inability to complete the PIPE investment in connection with the transaction; the occurrence of any event, change or other circumstance that could give rise to the termination of the merger agreement; the outcome of any legal proceedings that may be initiated following announcement of the transaction; the effect of the announcement or pendency of the transaction on Algoma's business relationships, operating results and business generally; risks that the proposed transaction could disrupt current plans and operations of Algoma; the risks associated with the steel industry generally; the ability of Algoma to implement and realize its business plans, including Algoma's ability to make investments in electric arc steelmaking; the risk of downturns and a changing regulatory landscape in Algoma's highly competitive and cyclical industry; foreign exchange rates; future results of operations; future cash flow and liquidity; future capital investment; the impact of the foregoing items on our debt service obligations; our ability to operate our business, remain in compliance with debt covenants and make payments on our indebtedness with a substantial amount of indebtedness; restrictive covenants in debt agreements limit our discretion to operate our business; plant operating performance; upgrades to our facilities and equipment; our research and development activities; our ability to source raw materials and other inputs at a competitive cost; debt financing, government or regulatory accommodation for key operational inputs and other current or future compliance requirements, ability to supply to new customers and markets; our ability to effectively manage costs; our ability to attract and retain key personnel and skilled labor; our ability to obtain and maintain existing financing on acceptable terms; changes in laws, rules and regulations, including international trade regulations; growth in steel markets and industry trends; significant domestic and international competition; increased use of competitive products; a protracted fall in steel prices; global and North American product demand; excess capacity, resulting in part from expanded production in China and other developing economies; low-priced steel imports and decreased trade regulation; protracted declines in steel consumption caused by poor economic conditions in North America or by the deterioration of the financial condition of our key customers; increases in annual funding obligations resulting from our under-funded pension plans; supply and cost of raw materials and energy; currency fluctuations, including an increase in the value of the Canadian dollar against the United States dollar; environmental compliance and remediation; unexpected equipment failures and other business interruptions; a protracted global recession or depression; and changes in general economic conditions, including as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic. Any one of these factors or a combination of these factors could materially affect our future results of operations and could influence whether any forward-looking statements ultimately prove to be accurate. Our forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance, and actual results and future performance may differ materially from those suggested in any forward-looking statements. We undertake no obligation to update these statements unless we are required to do so under applicable securities laws.

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This document includes market share, ranking, industry data and forecasts that we obtained from industry publications and surveys, public filings and internal Company sources. Industry publications, surveys and forecasts generally state that the information contained therein has been obtained from sources believed to be reliable, but there can be no assurance as to the accuracy or completeness of included information. We have not independently verified any of the data from third-party sources, nor have we ascertained the underlying economic assumptions relied upon therein. While we are not aware of any misstatements regarding our industry data presented in this document, our estimates involve risks and uncertainties and are subject to change based on various factors, including those discussed under the heading "Forward-Looking Statements" above. Neither the Company nor Legato guarantee the accuracy or completeness of such information contained in this document.

Presentation of Financial Information

All of our financial information is presented in Canadian dollars, except as otherwise indicated. The Company's functional currency is the US Dollar. The Company's financial statements are reported in Canadian Dollars. Assets and liabilities are translated into Canadian Dollars using the prevailing exchange rate at the end of the period. Income and expense items are translated into Canadian Dollars using the average exchange rate over the period. Certain amounts reported in Canadian Dollars have been converted to US Dollars at the exchange rates stated in this presentation. Our and Old Steelco's financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IFRS"). IFRS differs in certain material respects from U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("U.S. GAAP") and, as such, our and Old Steelco's financial statements are not comparable to the financial statements of U.S. companies prepared in accordance with U.S. GAAP.

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In this document we use certain measures not recognized by the IFRS to evaluate the performance of the Company, or Old Steelco. These terms do not have any standardized meaning prescribed within IFRS and therefore may not be comparable to similar measures presented by other companies. The term "EBITDA" and "Adjusted EBITDA" are financial measures utilized by the Company that are not defined by IFRS. As there is no generally accepted method of calculating these financial measures, they may not be comparable to similar measures reported by other companies. Readers are encouraged to consider these financial measures in the context of the Company's and Old Steelco's results under IFRS, as provided in the Company's and Old Steelco's financial statements. EBITDA, as defined by the Company, refers to earnings before interest, taxes, amortization, foreign exchange, interest income, carbon tax expense and certain exceptional items. Adjusted EBITDA, as defined by the Company, refers to EBITDA before tariff expense and capacity utilization adjustment. EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are not recognized measures for financial statement presentation under IFRS. EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are not intended to represent cash flow from operations, as defined by IFRS, and should not be considered as an alternative to net earnings, cash flow from operations, or any other measure of performance prescribed by IFRS. EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA, as defined and used by the Company, may not be comparable to EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA, as defined and used by other companies. We consider EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA to be meaningful measures to assess its operating performance in addition to IFRS measures. They are included because we believe they can be useful in measuring its ability to service debt, fund capital expenditures, and expand its business. EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are also used by analysts and our lenders as measures of our financial performance. EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA have limitations as analytical tools and should not be considered in isolation from, or as alternatives to, net income, cash flow from operations or other data prepared in accordance with IFRS. Some of these limitations are: they do not reflect cash outlays for capital expenditures or contractual commitments; they do not reflect changes in, or cash requirements for, working capital; they do not reflect the finance costs, or the cash requirements necessary to service interest or principal payments on indebtedness; they do not reflect income tax expense or the cash necessary to pay income taxes; although depreciation and amortization are non-cash charges, the assets being depreciated and amortized will often have to be replaced in the future, and EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA do not reflect cash requirements for such replacements; they do not reflect the impact of earnings or charges resulting from matters we believe not to be indicative of our ongoing operations; and other companies, including other companies in our industry, may calculate these measures differently than as presented in by us, limiting their usefulness as comparative measures. Because of these limitations, EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA and the related ratios should not be considered as measures of discretionary cash available to invest in business growth or to reduce indebtedness. We compensate for these limitations by relying primarily on our IFRS results using EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA only supplementally. For a reconciliation of EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA to Net Income, please see page 38.

Cautionary Note Regarding Preliminary Estimated Financial Data

This presentation contains preliminary estimated financial data for the Company's fourth quarter and fiscal year ended March 31, 2021 ("Preliminary Estimates") marked as "Q4 FY2021E," "FY2021E" and other variations thereof. The Preliminary Estimates are subject to change and are not necessarily indicative of the Company's actual financial performance for such periods. Readers are cautioned that actual results may differ materially from the Preliminary Estimates and, accordingly, should not place undue reliance on the Preliminary Estimates. The Preliminary Estimates are based on assumptions, estimates and judgments that have been made with currently available information. Such assumptions, estimates and judgments are inherently uncertain and are subject to a wide variety of risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from the Preliminary Estimates. The inclusion of the Preliminary Estimates is not and should not be regarded as a representation by any person that the Preliminary Estimates will be achieved. The Preliminary Estimates are subject to the closing of the quarter and finalization of accounting procedures, and should not be viewed as a substitute for full quarterly and annual financial statements prepared in accordance with IFRS. Neither the Company's independent auditors nor any other person has compiled, examined or performed any procedures with respect to the Preliminary Estimates and no such person has expressed any opinion or any other form of assurance on the Preliminary Estimates or their achievability, or assumes any responsibility for the Preliminary Estimates. Preliminary estimates of net income (loss) and other amounts necessary to reconcile EBITDA to net income (loss) for the Company's fourth quarter and fiscal year ended March 31, 2021 are not yet available. Consequently, no reconciliation of EBITDA to net income (loss) for such periods is included in this presentation.

Cautionary Note Regarding Projections and Other Financial Data

This presentation contains projected financial and other information for the Company for the years ending December 31, 2021 and 2022 as well as for the fiscal years ending March 31, 2022 through March 31, 2030 which you will find in this document marked as "CY2021P," "CY2022P," "FY2022P," "FY2023P," "FY2024P," "FY2025P," "FY2026P," "FY2027P," "FY2028P," "FY2029P," "FY2030P" and other variations thereof. These periods are not yet complete and all information related to such periods are only projections, are not historical information and do not reflect the Company's actual results for such periods. Such projected financial information constitutes forward-looking information and is for illustrative purposes only, and should not be relied upon as necessarily being indicative of future results. Such projections are based on assumptions, estimates and judgments that have been made with currently available information. Such assumptions, estimates and judgments underlying such projected financial information are inherently uncertain and are subject to a wide variety of significant business, economic, competitive and other risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially. This presentation also contains illustrative financial data based on realized sales prices.

Actual results may differ materially from the results contemplated by the projected financial information, and the inclusion of such information in this presentation should not be regarded as a representation by any person that the results reflected in such projections will be achieved. The independent auditors of the Company have not audited, reviewed, compiled, or performed any procedures with respect to the projections, and accordingly, did not express an opinion or provide any other form of assurance with respect thereto.

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Summary of Proposed Transaction

- Algoma Steel Inc. (“Algoma”) is a leading Canadian flat-rolled steel producer
- Legato Merger Corp (Nasdaq:LEGO) (“Legato”) is a publicly-listed special purpose acquisition company with ~\$236 million cash held in trust; Legato’s management team has:
 - Successfully closed five prior SPAC transactions in the industrials space
 - Deep understanding of the Canadian market having served on the Boards of 17 Canadian public companies
- The business combination of Algoma and Legato will provide cash to fund strategic initiatives for Algoma, including a proposed transformational investment that would convert Algoma from a Blast Furnace producer into an Electric Arc Furnace (“EAF”) producer
 - Provides the flexibility to improve product mix and reduce production costs, driving significant top and bottom-line growth
 - Improves the environmental footprint of Algoma via substantial reduction in carbon emissions to become the cleanest producer of steel in Canada

\$1.7bn⁽¹⁾

Pro Forma
Enterprise
Value (TEV)

1.9x⁽¹⁾

Pro Forma TEV
/ CY2021P
EBITDA

\$150mm

Potential
EBITDA benefit
from \$500mm
EAF Investment

70%

CO2 Reduction
Potential
(~3mm tonnes
per annum)

All figures used throughout the presentation are presented in US\$ terms unless otherwise noted.

(1) TEV includes 37.5 million earnout shares. Based on CY2021P EBITDA of US\$901 million. Refer to pages 5 and 6 for additional details.

Leading North American Steel Producer

- Leading Canadian flat-rolled steel producer, producing ~2.4mm tpa of hot rolled coil and plate steel for Canadian and U.S. markets
- 3rd largest producer of steel in Canada and the sole Canadian producer of plate products
- One of the lowest-cost steel producers in North America; \$245mm EBITDA of avg. from FY'18-'20 with industry leading margin profile
- Benefits from advantaged geographic position, modern equipment, high quality product mix and stable blue-chip customers
- Highly experienced management team that has successfully managed through all market environments and optimized the business

Transformational EAF Investment Achieves ESG Goals

- The proposed \$500 million EAF investment is a transformational opportunity for Algoma with a number of value enhancing characteristics
- Expected to improve EBITDA by ~\$150mm per year (the majority of that benefit realized by 2024)
- Potential to enhance Algoma's capacity to +3mm tons per year, and provide the ability to pursue higher value-add product mix with a more flexible operating footprint
- Would substantially reduce carbon emissions (~70% reduction – equivalent to decommissioning a coal power plant), allowing Algoma to become one of the greenest producers of steel in North America

Numerous Near- and Medium-Term Catalysts

- Highly Attractive Steel Market: Steel prices at all-time highs, with HRC reaching +\$1,500/ton. Market is supported by demand from infrastructure, automotive and construction end markets which are driving expectations for continued strength
 - Expected to generate \$901mm of EBITDA in CY2021P
- Cost Cutting: Cost cutting initiatives launched in 2020 expected to deliver \$44mm of annual savings through CY2021
- LME2 Facility: Completed Feb-2021, provides \$25mm of additional EBITDA by delivering 100kt of new capacity and enhances steel grades
- Plate Mill Modernization: \$35mm of EBITDA by 2022 via 350kt of incremental high-quality plate capacity

Attractive Valuation

- Algoma valued at 1.9x TEV⁽¹⁾ / CY'21E EBITDA, which represents an attractive entry point relative to Algoma's peers that currently trade at 4.2x⁽²⁾
- Well capitalized balance sheet and tax assets position Algoma to generate meaningful cash flow
- EAF transformation could provide catalyst for valuation uplift – EAF producers historically trade at a 1.0x premium to BF producers

Note: All figures shown in US\$, projected figures converted from CAD to USD at a 1.26 FX rate and historical figures converted at average exchange rate over the period.

(1) TEV includes 37.5 million earnout shares. Refer to page 6 for additional details.

(2) Peer group represents North American integrated steel producers: Cleveland-Cliffs, United States Steel and Stelco. Refer to page 7 for further details.

Proposed Transaction Overview

Estimated Sources & Uses (US\$m)

| Sources: | |
|---|----------------|
| Shares Issued to Algoma Shareholders | \$1,125 |
| Estimated SPAC Cash in Trust ⁽¹⁾ | \$236 |
| PIPE ⁽²⁾ | \$100 |
| Total Sources | \$1,461 |
| Uses: | |
| Upfront Equity Consideration to Algoma Shareholders | \$750 |
| Contingent Shares to Algoma Shareholders ⁽³⁾ | \$375 |
| Estimated Fees & Expenses ⁽⁴⁾ | \$30 |
| Cash to Balance Sheet | \$306 |
| Total Uses | \$1,461 |

Illustrative Pro Forma Ownership (mm shares)

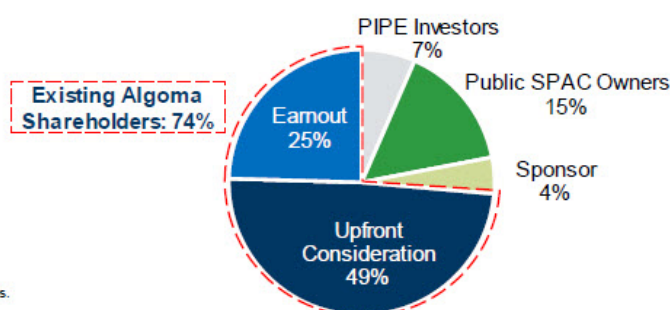
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| Algoma Shareholders (Upfront) | 75.0 |
| Algoma Shareholders (Earnout) ⁽³⁾ | 37.5 |
| Total Algoma Shareholders | 112.5 |
| Sponsor Shareholders ⁽⁵⁾ | 6.7 |
| PIPE Shareholders ⁽²⁾ | 10.0 |
| Public Shareholders ⁽¹⁾ | 23.6 |
| Total Shares Outstanding | 152.8 |

- (1) Cash in Trust and Pro Forma Ownership reflects 23.575m Public Shares issued during Legato's IPO. Assumes no redemptions.
 (2) Reflects private placement of \$100 million at \$10.00/share (10 million shares) to be funded concurrently with closing.
 (3) Transaction structure inclusive of full earn-out consideration based on expected CY2021P EBITDA of \$601mm. See page 6 for details of Algoma's earnout.
 (4) Estimated fees and expenses inclusive of all fees and expenses related to the business combination (including M&A and PIPE fees and expenses).
 (5) Sponsor Ownership inclusive of 5.9m Founder Shares and 0.8m Private Shares and 0.2m Representative Shares.
 (6) Inclusive of \$17 million Algoma cash as of March 31, 2021.

Note: All figures in USD. All shares valued at \$10.00/share. Analysis excludes warrants (Legato has 23.6mm public warrants and 0.6mm private warrants outstanding, all exercisable at \$11.50/share). All balance sheet figures as of March 31, 2021 are converted from CAD to USD at a 1.26 FX rate. All projected figures are converted from CAD to USD at a 1.26 FX rate.

Illustrative Pro Forma Valuation (US\$m, except per share)

| | |
|---|----------------|
| Share Price: | \$10.00 |
| Total Shares Outstanding ⁽³⁾ | 152.8 |
| Equity Value | \$1,528 |
| Less: Pro Forma Cash ⁽⁶⁾ | (\$323) |
| Plus: Debt | \$502 |
| Total Enterprise Value (TEV) | \$1,707 |
| Implied Multiple on CY2021P EBITDA (\$901) | 1.9x |



Algoma Shareholder Contingent Consideration Aligns Incentives with Public Shareholders

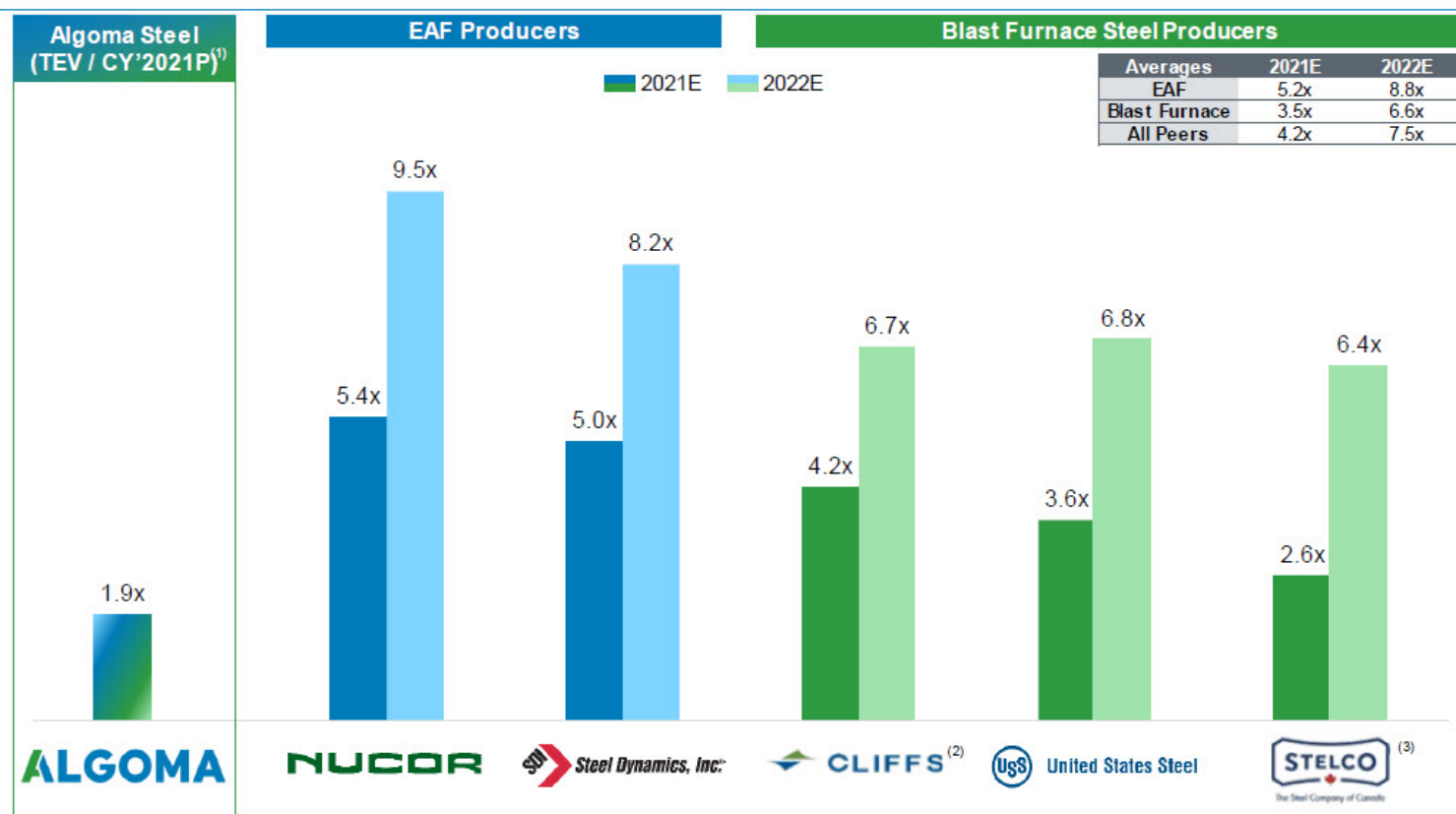
| | Size (Shares) | Structure | Rationale |
|---|---------------|---|---|
| Earnings Based Incentive | 15mm | 100% if CY2021 EBITDA target of \$674 million is reached | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Compensates Algoma shareholders for delivering upon stated earnings targets in CY2021 |
| Incremental Earnings/Share Price Based Incentive | 22.5mm | 33% @ \$12.00/share ⁽¹⁾ or CY2021 EBITDA of \$750 million ⁽²⁾ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides Algoma shareholders with compensation for outperformance of earnings targets in CY2021 |
| | | 33% @ \$15.00/share ⁽¹⁾ or CY2021 EBITDA of \$825 million ⁽²⁾ | |
| | | 33% @ \$18.00/share ⁽¹⁾ or CY2021 EBITDA of \$900 million ⁽²⁾ | |

Algoma and Legato have structured a transaction with an upfront consideration plus two earnout incentives that demonstrates strong conviction in the business and aligns current and prospective shareholders in the long-term through the delivery of key transformational milestones. Algoma's existing shareholders (including Bain, GoldenTree, Barclays and Marathon) will roll 100% of their shares into the PF Algoma.

(1) Subject to the Volume Weighted Average Price ("VWAP") of common stock exceeding the share price target for 20 consecutive trading days during the period beginning with Closing and ending with the five-year anniversary of the Closing.
 (2) Shares issued for EBITDA performance are not "cliff" targets. Algoma shareholders to receive a percentage of shares based on a linear interpolation of actual EBITDA performance between the next lower EBITDA target (for \$750 million EBITDA target, the next lowest being \$674 million) and the earnout target for each bucket.

Attractive Valuation Relative to North American Steel Peers

TEV / EBITDA



Source: Company filings, Bloomberg. Note: Market data as of May 21, 2021. Estimates based on consensus estimates. Refer to page 5 for additional details on transaction structure. (1) TEV includes 37.5 million earnout shares achieved. Refer to page 6 for further details. (2) Preferred stock issued to ArcelorMittal for acquisition of AMUSA valued as 58.3mm shares equivalent. (3) Includes inventory monetization arrangement and mortgage payable as debt.

Emergence from CCAA (Nov-2018)

- Released from legacy environmental liabilities
- Special regulation fixed pension obligations
- Balance sheet restructured to provide sustainable capital structure
- Collective Bargaining Agreement through 2022

Algoma Today

- Investing over \$200 million to update downstream operations: Ladle Metallurgy Furnace 2; DSPC Hot strip mill; Plate Mill Modernization
- New strategic (e.g. iron ore) supply agreements to 2024
- Cost cutting measures
 - ~\$44 million in annual cost savings reductions
 - Fixed cost reductions and process optimization
- Well-positioned to take advantage of current strong steel markets and infrastructure spending programs
- CY2021P EBITDA of \$901 million

EAF Opportunity

- Proposed \$500 million investment in EAF steelmaking
- EAF has potential to provide ~\$150 million of annual EBITDA uplift
 - ~\$46/ton reduction of fixed conversion costs
 - \$10/ton sustaining CapEx savings
- ~70% annual reduction in CO2 emissions from transition to EAF steelmaking
 - 3.0mm tonnes reduction of CO2 per annum
 - Elimination of all coal use in steelmaking over time
- Reduced exposure to iron ore pricing volatility
 - Iron ore would be replaced by readily available regional scrap supply

Source: Company Information. Note: All figures shown in US\$, projected figures converted from CAD to USD at a 1.26 FX rate and historical figures converted at average exchange rate over the period.

(1) At FY18 – FY20 average HRC price of \$685/ton.

(2) Based on FY18 – FY20 average Adjusted EBITDA.

Key Investment Highlights



ALGOMA
— STEEL INC. —

1

Premier Canadian Steel Producer and One of the Leading Flat Steel Producers in North America

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Transformational Opportunity: Enhancing Profitability Throughout the Cycle and Meaningfully Improving Environmental Footprint

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Geographic Advantages, Flexible Low-Cost Operations, and High-Value Product Offering that Serves Blue Chip Customers

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Highly Experienced Management Team with Extensive Industry Experience

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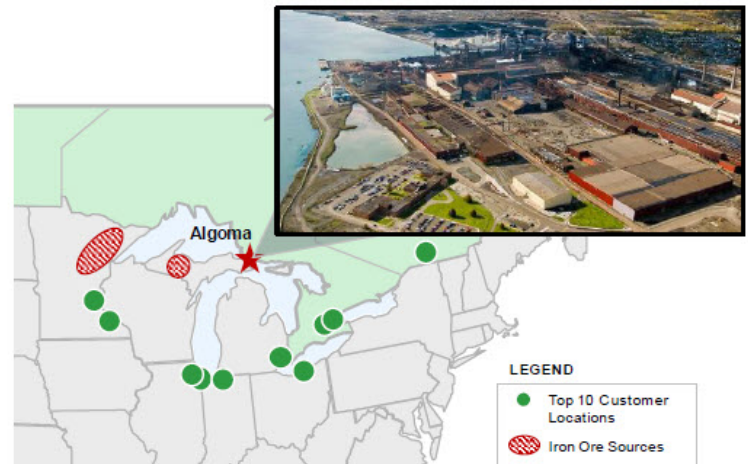
Robust Steel Market Fundamentals and Favorable Long-Term Outlook Combined With Robust Go-to-Market Strategy to Enhance Shipment Potential

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Attractive Valuation Relative to North American Steel Peers

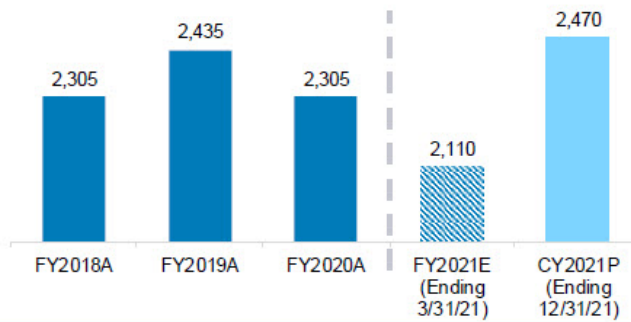
Leading midsized North American Flat-Rolled Producer Located in the Great Lakes Region in Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario

- Raw steel capacity of 2.8mm tons (with incremental 0.9mm tons from idled blast furnace capacity) per year
- Broad range of high-quality finished sheet and plate steel for automotive, construction, energy, infrastructure and manufacturing end markets
- Expanded capabilities versus traditional Blast Furnace / Basic Oxygen Furnace ("BOF") competitors
 - Advanced 2.3mm ton Direct Strip Production Complex ("DSPC") is the new est thin slab caster with direct hot rolling capability in North America coupled to a BOF melt shop
 - Heat-Treated Plate facility provides a complete range of high-quality heat-treated products, including abrasion resistant, ballistic and other specialty plate applications
- Transformational EAF investment expected to improve product mix, reduce fixed costs, increase production capacity and improve environmental footprint
- Several other ongoing investments to boost profitability, including Plate Mill Modernization, LMF No. 2 and cost savings initiatives

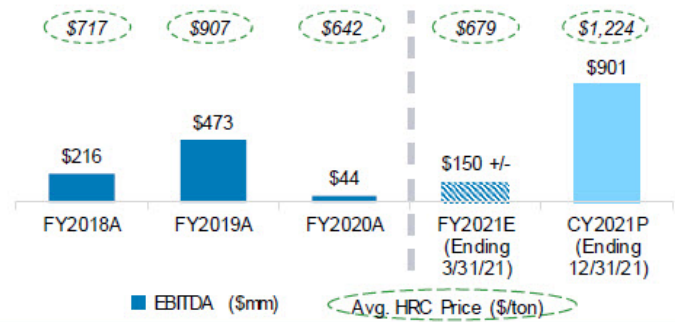


Historical Performance (FY end March 31)

Shipments (kt)



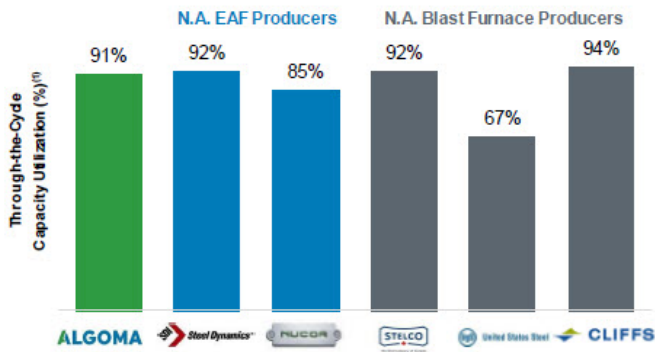
Steel Price (\$/ton) / EBITDA Performance (\$mm)



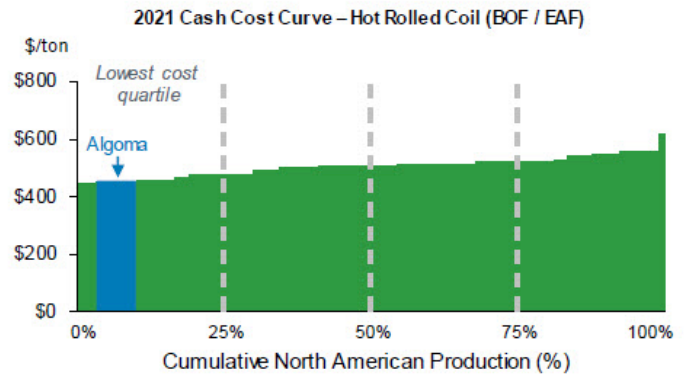
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1 ...and One of the Leading Flat Steel Producers in North America

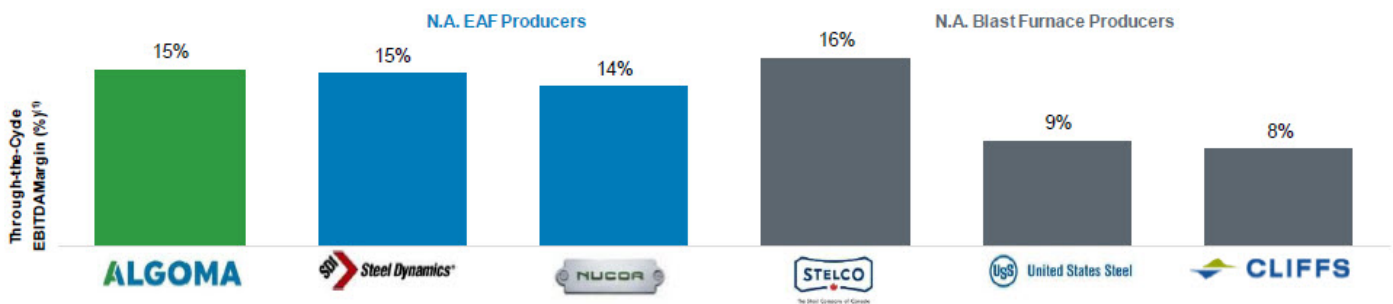
Highly Competitive Capacity Utilization



... Drives Low Cash Cost Position...



... That Underpins High EBITDA Margins

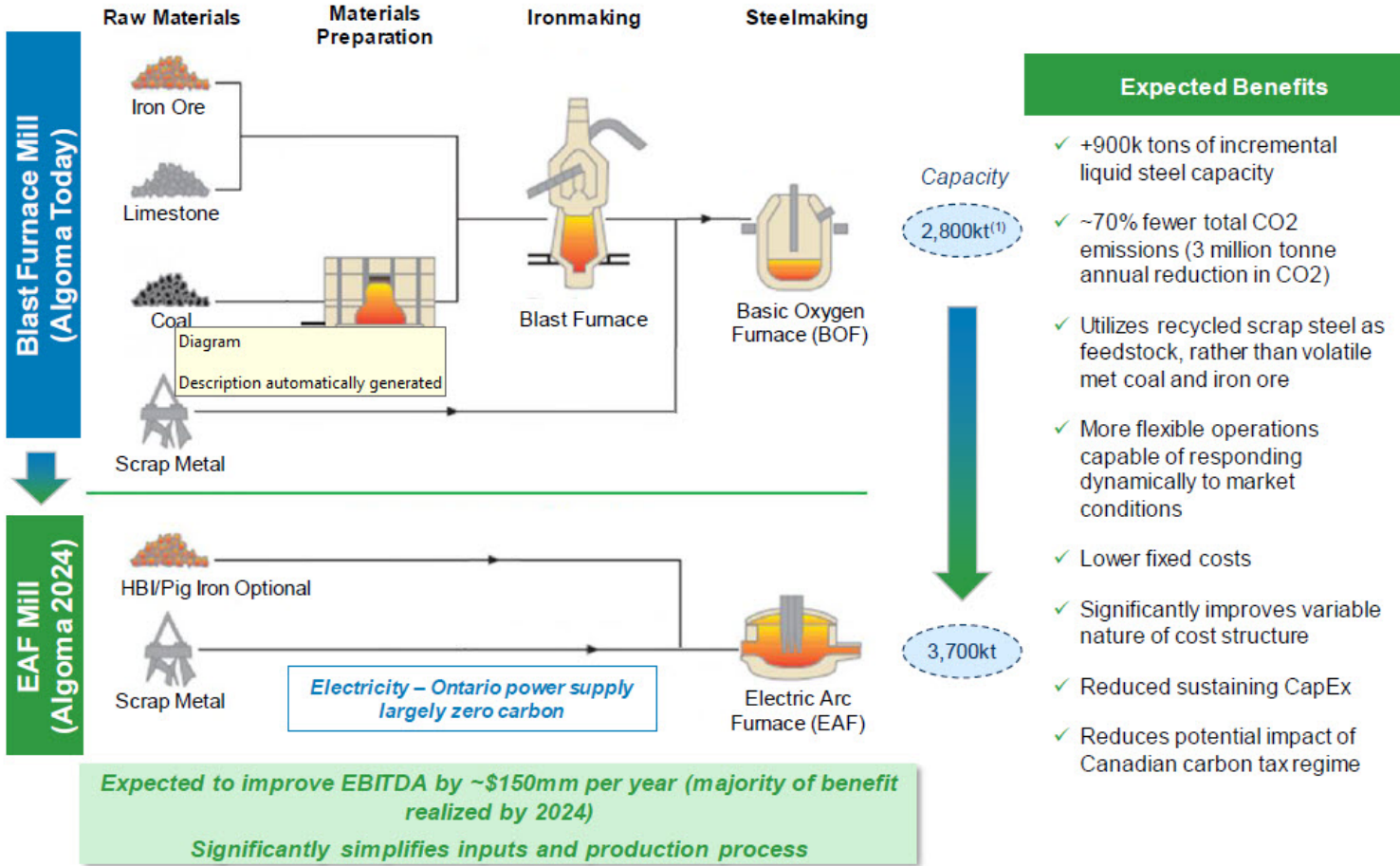


Algoma's independence and strong performance provides flexibility and offers strategic value within the steel industry

Source: Company information, Capital IQ, Bloomberg, Wall Street Research.

(1) Represents CY2017 – CY2019. (2) Cleveland-Cliffs EBITDA Margin % based on Steel and Manufacturing Segment and is pro forma for the acquisitions of AK Steel and ArcelorMittal USA (as represented by ArcelorMittal NAFTA segment).

2 The Proposed EAF Mill Would Transform Algoma's Operations...

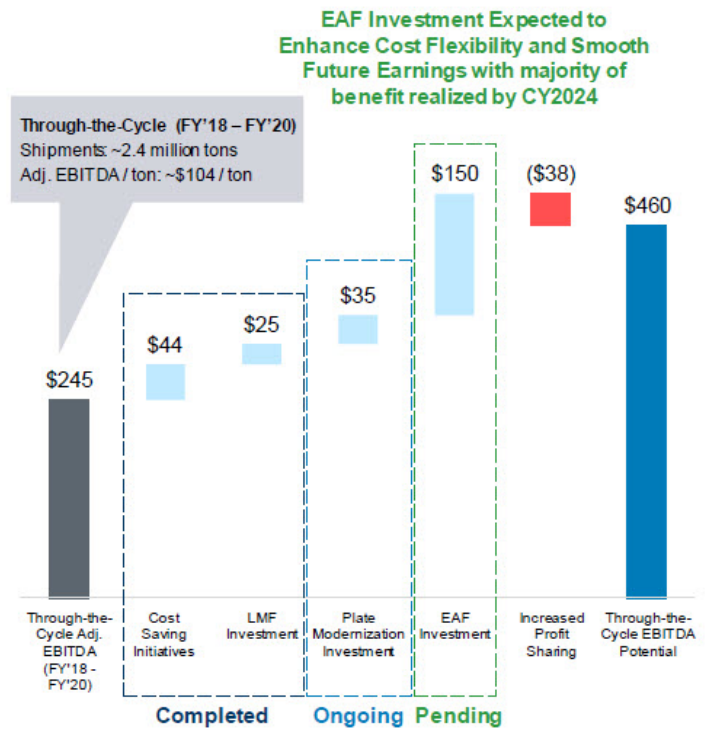


Source: Company information.
(1) Excludes BF#6 which is currently idled.

2 ... Combining with Other High-Return Strategic Initiatives to Meaningfully Enhance Algoma's Profitability...

EAF and Other Improvements Anticipated to Meaningfully Increase EBITDA Generation Through-the-Cycle

| (US\$m) | Description | Annualized Benefit | CapEx ⁽¹⁾ | Schedule |
|---------------------------------|---|--------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Cost Saving Initiatives | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ongoing cost-cutting initiatives 200+ projects identified 3rd party hired to review operational efficiency | ~\$44 | -- | 2020: ~60% 2021: 100% |
| LMF No. 2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Completed new 2.1mm ton ladle metallurgy furnace in February 2021 Unlocked 100k tons of additional capacity Adds more advanced grades of steel to product mix | ~\$25 | ~\$35 | Feb-2021 |
| Plate Mill Modernization | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overhaul and optimize plate mill to improve reliability and quality Additional plate capacity of up to 350kt New grades capability unlocks new end markets | ~\$35 | ~\$70 (\$63 remaining) | Quality: Nov-2021 Volume: Oct-2022 |

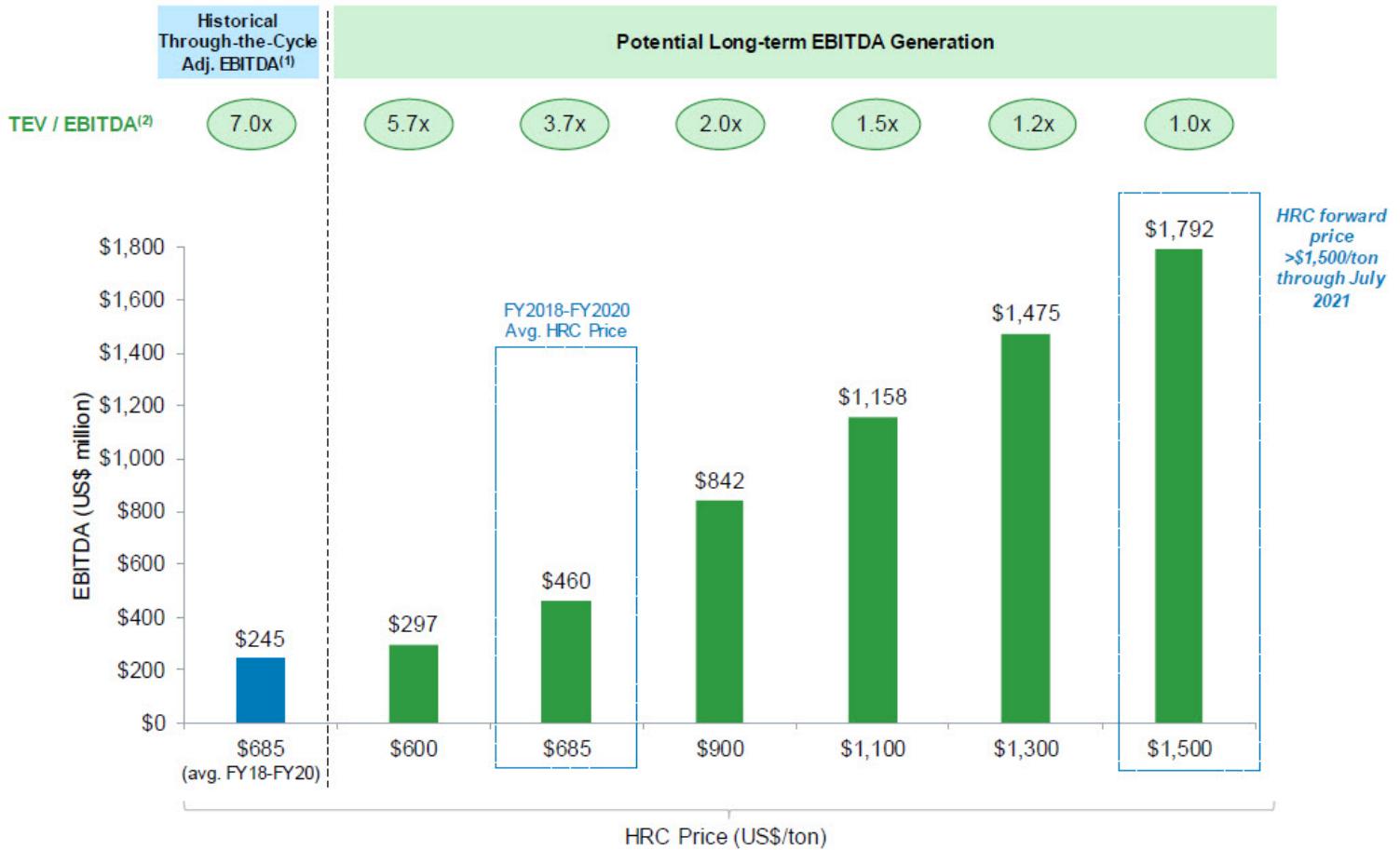


Roadmap to Long-Term Upside

- Eliminate bottlenecks and optimize capacity in the hot end
- Boost rolling mill capacity utilization
- Enhance value-add grades and processing capabilities for sheet and plate
- Provide advanced environmentally-friendly steels to ESG-sensitive market sectors
- Algoma is an excellent platform for M&A, with focus on opportunities to enhance EAF strategy

Source: Company information. Note: FYE 31 March. All figures shown in US\$ and converted from CAD to USD at a 1.26 FX rate.
(1) Net of government support.

2 ... with the Benefit Improving Algoma's Performance Throughout the Steel Price Cycle



Source: Company Information. Note: FYE 31 March. All figures shown in US\$, projected figures converted from CAD to USD at a 1.28 FX rate and historical figures converted at average exchange rate over the period.

(1) FY2018 – FY2020.

(2) Inclusive of \$17 million Algoma cash as of March 31, 2021, \$236 million Legato cash as of January 25, 2021 assuming no redemptions and \$100 million PIPE investment, net of \$30 million in fees and expenses. Includes impact of market changes; refer to page 8 for additional details.

2 EAF Transition Would Materially Improve Algoma's Environmental Footprint

Environmental Strategy

- EAF production would unlock significant environmental benefits – EAF steelmaking generates substantially less CO2 and other air pollutants compared to Blast Furnace producers
- 3.0mm metric tonnes anticipated reduction (~70%) of carbon GHG emissions⁽¹⁾ representing:
 - ✓ 11% of the Canadian Federal 2030 Paris Agreement target
 - ✓ 100% of the provincial 2030 target
 - ✓ 75% reduction in emissions per net ton



Improving Algoma's Environmental Profile Provides Long-Term Advantages

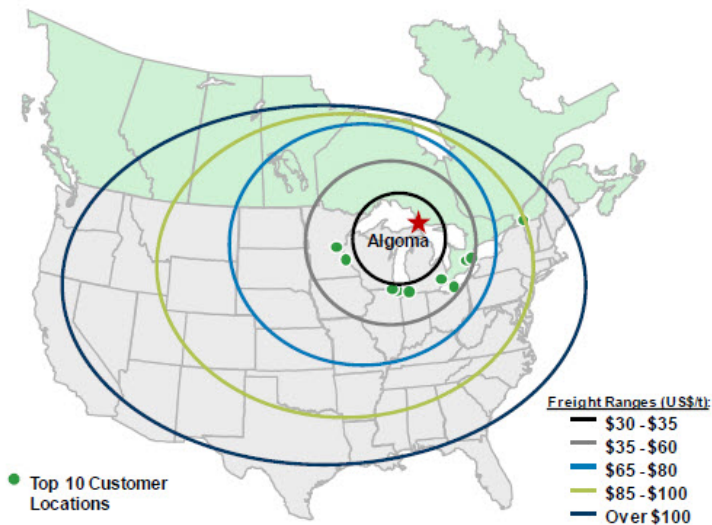
- ✓ Algoma expected to become the cleanest producer of steel in Canada
- ✓ Improves competitiveness for government spending programs where ESG is a criteria
- ✓ Improves profile with select customers who are similarly ESG focused
- ✓ Improves employee engagement

| | | Reduction ⁽¹⁾ | % Reduction |
|------------------------------|-------------------|--|-------------|
| GHG Emissions | CO2 | 3.0mm tonnes | 70% |
| | CO2/NT production | 1.33 tonnes | 75% |
| SOx emissions | | 4,060 tonnes | 82% |
| NOx emissions | | 1,604 tonnes | 52% |
| Stack and Fugitive Emissions | | Complete elimination of Stack and Fugitive Emissions | 100% |

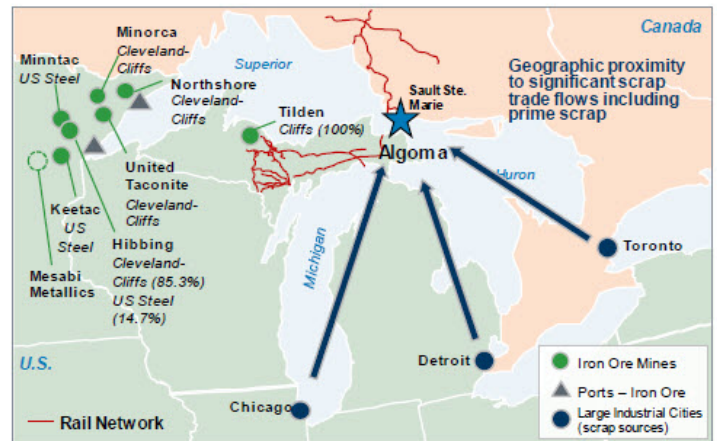
Source: Company information. Note: All years refer to calendar year unless otherwise specified. Expected environmental benefits from the EAF are based on projected estimates for Algoma, using published data sources for similar technologies.
 (1) Based on current production versus forecasted production of 3.0mm tons of steel shipments produced under EAF configuration.

3 Strategically Located on the Great Lakes in Close Proximity to Customers and Suppliers

Location Relative to Key Customers



- Located close to key steel consuming regions of the U.S. - Midwest and Northeast and Canada - Southern Ontario
- ~70% of customers located within a 500-mile radius of Algoma, including an established local service center customer base



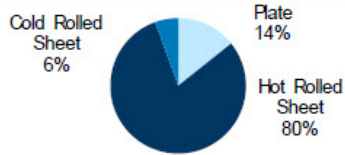
- On-site deep-water port facilitating access to low-cost transportation across Lake Superior
- Access to well-established rail links and multiple forms of transportation which allows it to negotiate competitive rates

Located on Lake Superior with access to barge, rail and road transportation, including an on-site deep-water port, Algoma has several options that allow for cost-effective transportation logistics

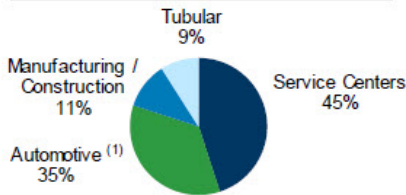
3 High-Quality Products and Diversified Blue Chip Customer Base in Attractive End Markets

- Product width and strength flexibility allows Algoma to serve a broad customer base across various end markets
- Operational flexibility to adjust product mix to align with market pricing and customer demand, and maximize profitability
- R&D investments support higher quality, lower cost products and drive value proposition for customers
- Serves 200+ customers across multiple industries in North America with no single customer making up greater than 10% of sales

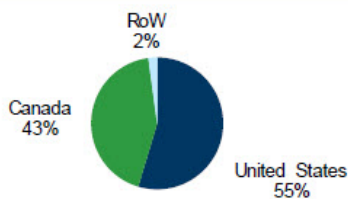
FY2020 Product Shipment Mix






FY2020 End Market Exposure



FY2020 Geographic Sales Mix



Differentiated Product Offering With Flexibility To Meet Customer Needs

| | Product Attributes | End Markets | Width Range | % NSR of CRU Index |
|---|--|--|---|---|
|  Hot Rolled Coil | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ High strength formable hot rolled grades ✓ Broad width and strength capabilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Automotive Hollow structural product and welded pipe manufacturers Transportation Light manufacturing | <u>106" Strip Mill</u> 30"–96" <u>DSPC</u> 32"–63" | Sheet Products: 95-100% ⁽²⁾ |
|  Cold Rolled Coil | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Commercial grades ✓ High strength formable cold roll grades ✓ Full hard grades (not annealed) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Automotive Welded pipe manufacturers Transportation Light manufacturing | 36"–74" | |
|  Plate | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ High strength, low-alloy grades ✓ Abrasion resistant and heat treat grades ✓ Only producer in Canada | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fabrication industry - constructors or manufacturers of railcars, buildings, bridges off-highway equipment, etc. | 72"–152" | Plate Products: 110-120% ⁽³⁾ |

Source: Company information.

(1) Automotive comprised of direct automotive customer sales and estimated service center sales to the automotive industry.

(2) Represents percentage of a trailing 7-year average HRC CRU (USA Midwest Domestic HR Coil) Index, lagged one month.

(3) Represents percentage of a 7 trailing 7-year average AS Rolled CRU Index, lagged one month.

4 Highly Experienced Management Team with Extensive Industry Experience

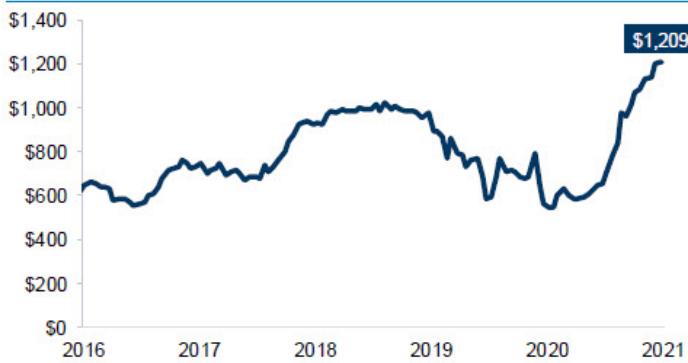
| Name | Title | Joined Algoma | Years of Experience | Bio |
|--|--|---------------|---------------------|---|
|  Michael McQuade | Chief Executive Officer | 2019 | 37 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Previously served as VP, Finance and CFO of Stelco from 2007 to 2016, retiring as President in 2017 Led the restructuring and sale of Stelco / U.S. Steel Canada while Under CCAA |
|  Rajat Marwah | Chief Financial Officer | 2008 | 20 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Joined Algoma as Controller in 2008 Previously served as Financial Controller of ArcelorMittal, Czech Republic and previously worked at KPMG |
|  John Naccarato | Vice President, Strategy and General Counsel | 2019 | 30 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Served as Director of Market and Product Development at Algoma from 2003 to 2007 Prior experience with Dofasco Inc. and as EVP and General Counsel for Bracknell Corporation |
|  Robert Dionisi | Chief Commercial Officer | 1979 | 42 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Joined Algoma in 1979 and has held multiple progressive roles as General Manager of Plate and Shape Product Sales and General Manager of Service Centre and Fabrication Sales and Marketing |
|  Shawn Galey | Vice President, Production | 1980 | 41 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 41 years of experience at Algoma across progressive levels of responsibility spanning superintendent and general manager of cokemaking, ironmaking, direct strip complex and corporate transformation projects |
|  Mark Nogalo | Vice President, Maintenance and Operating Services | 1988 | 33 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 33 years of experience at Algoma service across a variety of positions spanning Operations, Engineering, Maintenance and Energy Management Past Chair of the Algoma University Board |
|  Robert Wesley | Vice President, Human Resources | 2018 | 35 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Previously worked as a consultant to the City of Toronto and held various senior HR positions including Director of Labour Relations for Brewers Distributing Limited, Director of Human Resources for Bombardier Aerospace, and Chief Labour Negotiator for Russell Metals |

Source: Company information.

Historical Hot Rolled Coil Prices (US\$/ton)

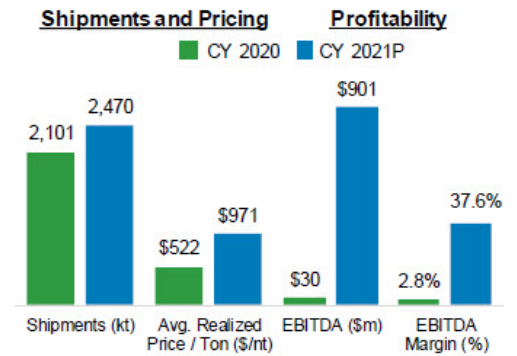


Historical Hot Rolled Plate Prices (US\$/ton)

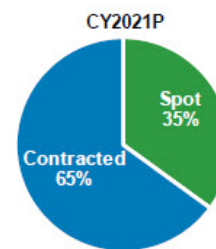


Robust CY 2021 Performance Expected

Algoma has already locked in highly attractive sales prices through September 2021 and is expecting a very strong CY2021



Current High Prices Benefit Future Contracted Volumes



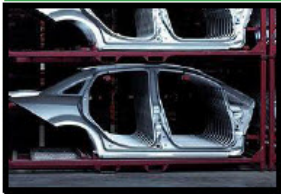
Price Mechanics

- Contracts are volume commitments with CRU index prices on a one- and three-month lag basis
- Given lag, higher prices today will benefit future contracted volumes
- Spot volume is driven by lead time
- Algoma pricing has a strong correlation to the Index on a lagging basis (typically 1-3 months)

Source: SteelBenchmark, CME Group, Fastmarket. Note: Market data as of May 21, 2021. All years refer to calendar year unless otherwise specified. No liquid forward market exists for hot rolled plate. EBITDA and \$/ton figures shown in US\$, figures converted from CAD to USD at a 1.28 FX rate.

Attractive Trends in Key End Markets

Automotive



- Automotive markets are recovering from impact of COVID-19
- Automotive production in North America expected to increase by 24% in 2021
- ~35% of Algoma's sales

Construction



- Significant proposed North American infrastructure spending, including:
 - ~\$2 trillion infrastructure and jobs package in the U.S.
 - \$70 to \$100 billion of federal infrastructure stimulus expected in Canada

Energy

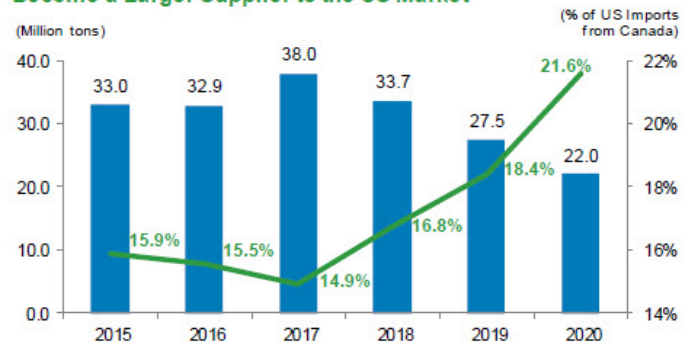


- Use of steel in renewable resource generation (wind) becoming a more important driver of demand
- Global O&G rig counts and energy prices recovering

Strong Tariff Protection for the North American Market

- In March 2018, the U.S. established 25% tariffs on imports of steel, including steel imported from Canada
- In October 2018, Canada put in place similar 25% tariffs to avoid dumping from imports displaced from the U.S. market
- As part of the United States–Mexico–Canada Agreement (“USMCA”), the tariffs on Canadian steel were repealed in May 2019 in exchange for a monitoring mechanism
 - Algoma benefits from access to sell into the protected U.S. market and resulting higher steel prices
 - Additionally, the USMCA put in place “melt & pour” requirements on several products, mandating that steel is North American-sourced to qualify for duty-free treatment
 - For example, motor vehicles must now contain +70% North American steel content, providing Algoma additional protection in North America for its single largest end market

Tariffs Have Reduced Overall U.S. Imports, while Canada has Become a Larger Supplier to the US Market



Note: Press Releases, IHS, Baker Hughes, EIA, US Census.

5 ...Combined With Robust Go-To-Market Strategy to Enhance Shipment Potential

Algoma Strategy / Advantages

- ✓ Displacement of imports in the plate and sheet markets
- ✓ Drive sales into tubular and automotive end markets via robust commercial relationships
- ✓ Enhance value proposition for customers
- ✓ Expanded plate mill capacity and capabilities as part of the modernization program
- ✓ Cut-to-length (CTL) line under review to broaden plate product offerings

Underpinned by Strong Growth in Key End Markets

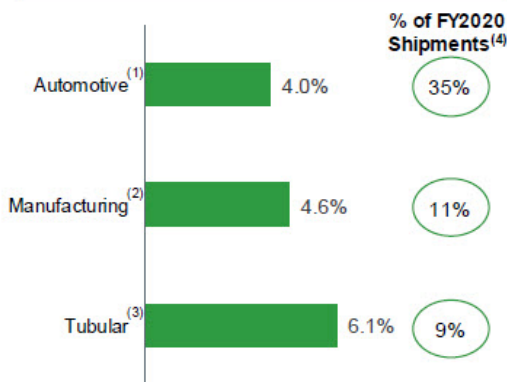
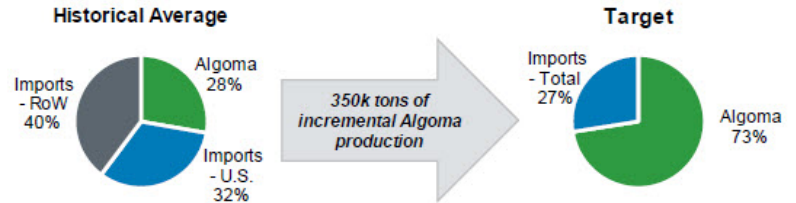


Plate Strategy: Algoma is Well Positioned to Displace Plate Imports into Canada

- Market opportunity unlocked by plate mill modernization program:
 - ✓ Adds incremental 350k tons of plate capacity
 - ✓ Enhances grades and qualities – expanding end market opportunity

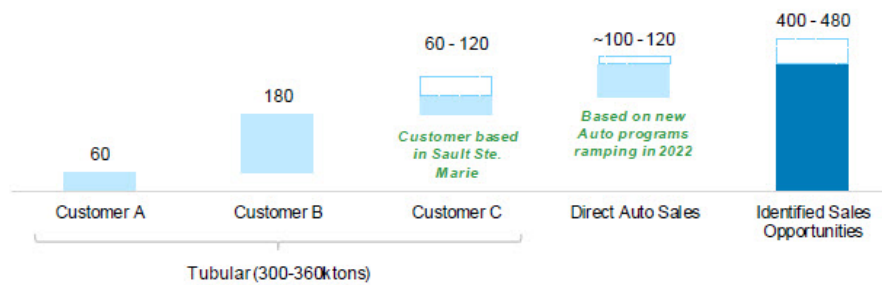
Canadian Steel Plate Demand by Source (~782k ton, annually)⁽⁵⁾



Sheet Strategy: Targeted Approach to Expand Sheet Sales

- Focused approach to expand sales to key tubular customers and direct Automotive sales

Expected Incremental Demand by Customer (k tons, annually)



- Strong growth in key end markets and large market size (US/Canada HRC market of 31.6 million tons in 2019⁽⁶⁾, of which Algoma is only ~6%)

Source: Fish Solutions, BMI, EIA, Fastmarkets, Company Information.

(1) Based on forecasted Canadian light vehicle production from 2020 to 2029. North American light vehicle production over the same period forecasted to grow at 2.7% CAGR. (2) Canadian construction value-add from 2020 to 2030. North American construction value-add over the same period forecasted to grow at 4.5% CAGR. (3) North American petroleum and other liquids consumption from 2020 to 2022. (4) Remaining 45% of shipments are sold to service centers, which may resell to manufacturing or tubular end markets. (5) Based on Canadian market for 2019. (6) US / Canadian apparent consumption of HRC.

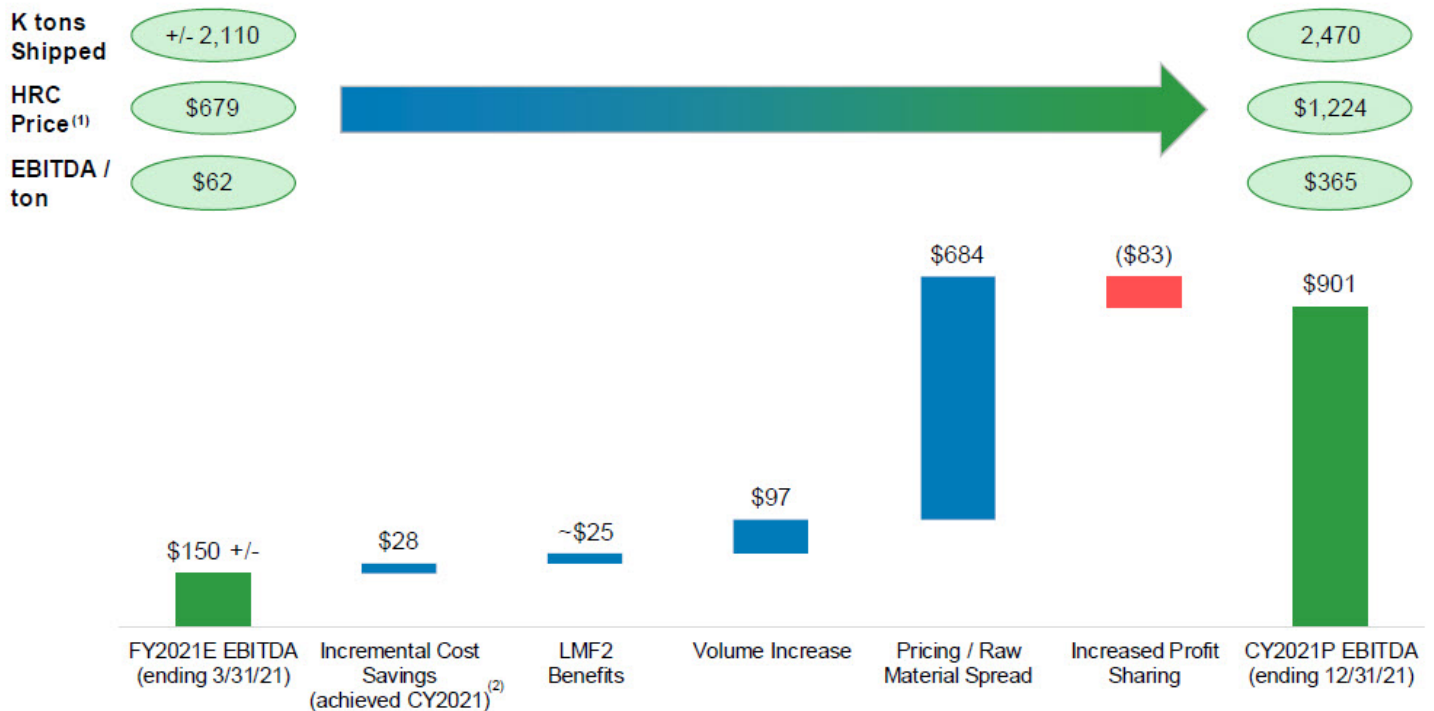
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Strong Steel Market and Strategic and Cost-Cutting Initiatives Expected to Strengthen Algoma's Performance

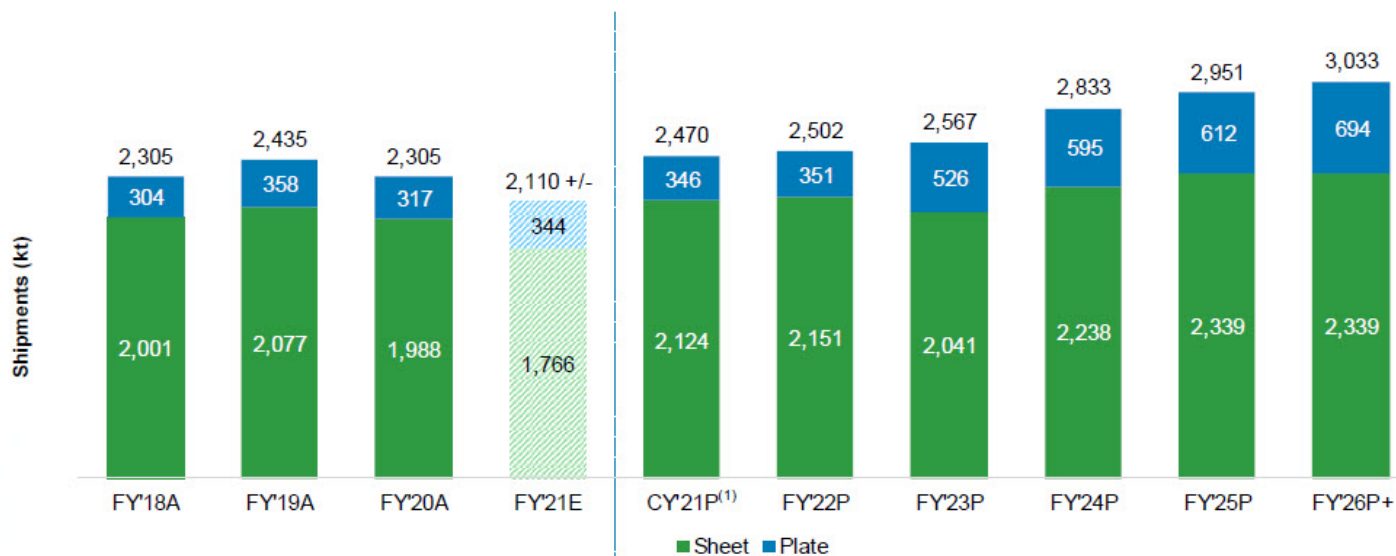
FY2021 to CY2021 EBITDA Bridge (US\$ millions)



Further improvement to be achieved upon realization of Plate Mill Modernization (~\$35 million) and EAF development (~\$150 million)

Note: All figures are in USD converted from CAD to USD at a 1.26 FX rate. FY Q4 2021E performance is preliminary and subject to change.
 (1) Historical prices based on period average. Projections based on contract book and CRU projections / Future curve for HRC.
 (2) \$16 million of Cost Savings already achieved in FY 2021.

Historical and Projected Steel Shipments by Product



Algoma Capacity Additions

- EAF investment would provide +900kt of incremental liquid steel production, or 700kt of finished products
- Plate Mill Optimization – completed by October 2022 – provides 700kt of plate capacity (350kt incremental capacity)
- LMF2 completed in February 2021 unlocks ~100kt of DSPC capacity

Commentary

- FY2022P reflects recovery to pre-COVID demand levels
- Algoma expected to gain market share in plate from US producers – Algoma is sole producer in Canada and Canada is net importer of 400 – 600kt of plate annually
- Ability to capture incremental sheet sales based on:
 - Strong infrastructure spending
 - Normalization of trade relations within USMCA
 - DSPC's attractive cost position relative to other NA producers

Note: FYE March 31. FY Q4 2021E performance is preliminary and subject to change.
(1) Represents calendar year ending December 31, 2021.

Strong Medium-Term Earnings Potential

(based on CY2022E for Illustrative Purposes)

Broker expectations for 2022 HRC range from \$650/ton to \$900/ton, with average of ~\$728/ton

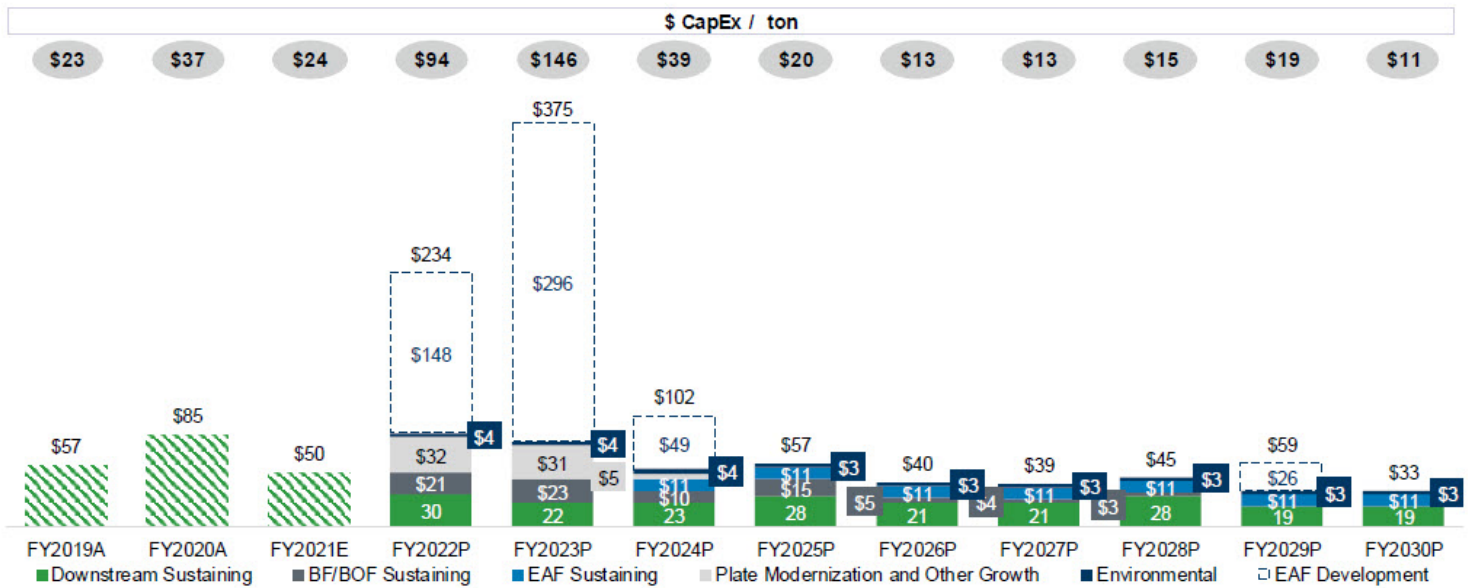
| Assumed HRC Price (US\$/ton) | \$600 | FY2018-FY2020 Avg. Price | | | CY2022 Avg. Steel Futures Price: +\$1,025/ton ★ \$1,100 | Current Price Environment ⁽⁶⁾ |
|---|--------------|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|--|--|
| | | \$685 | \$700 | \$900 | | |
| CY2022E Sales Volume (mm ton) | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.5 |
| Metal Margin (\$/ton)⁽¹⁾ | \$296 | \$378 | \$393 | \$588 | \$781 | \$1,166 |
| Illustrative Spread over Raw Materials (\$ mm) | \$753 | \$963 | \$1,002 | \$1,497 | \$1,989 | \$2,971 |
| (-) Fixed Costs (\$ mm) ⁽²⁾ | (\$339) | (\$339) | (\$339) | (\$339) | (\$339) | (\$339) |
| (-) Energy Costs (\$ mm) | (\$111) | (\$111) | (\$111) | (\$111) | (\$111) | (\$111) |
| (-) Other (\$ mm) ⁽³⁾ | (\$141) | (\$153) | (\$155) | (\$183) | (\$212) | (\$268) |
| CY2022E EBITDA (\$ mm) | \$162 | \$359 | \$396 | \$863 | \$1,326 | \$2,252 |
| Implied Multiple (TEV / CY'22E EBITDA)⁽⁴⁾ | 10.5x | 4.7x | 4.3x | 2.0x | 1.3x | 0.8x |

Note: Figures are illustrative and shown in US\$, converted from CAD to USD at a 1.26 FX rate. (1) Illustrative metal margin is calculated as Net Sales Realization minus raw material costs. (2) Fixed Costs include Labor, Consumables & Repairs, SG&A. (3) Includes outside processing, property taxes, variable consumables, profit sharing and other expenses. (4) Based on pro forma enterprise value of \$1,707mm including contingent consideration shares. Refer to page 5 for additional details. (5) Sustaining CapEx of \$33mm reflects long-term expectation of sustaining CapEx for the EAF and downstream finishing lines. (6) Based on current future pricing for June and July as of May 21, 2021.

Projected Capital Expenditure Summary

(US\$ millions, except per ton figures)

Projected Capital Expenditure Breakdown to Support Proposed EAF Transformation



Commentary

- Major one-time capital expenditures of ~\$500 million from FY2022P – FY2024P related to EAF investment
 - Largest one-time capital outlay in FY2023P in order to start dual-alternating EAFs in FY2024P
 - Final \$26 million in one-time CapEx to complete full transformation to EAF (initially targeted for FY2029P, but timing to be determined)
- \$67 million for Plate Mill modernization from FY2022P – FY2024P
- Maintenance CapEx is comprised of downstream sustaining, sustaining primary and EAF sustaining
- EAF investment expected to lower average annual maintenance CapEx after implementation in FY2025P

Note: FYE March 31. Historical figures converted at average exchange rate over the period. Projections converted from CAD to USD at a 1.26 FX rate.

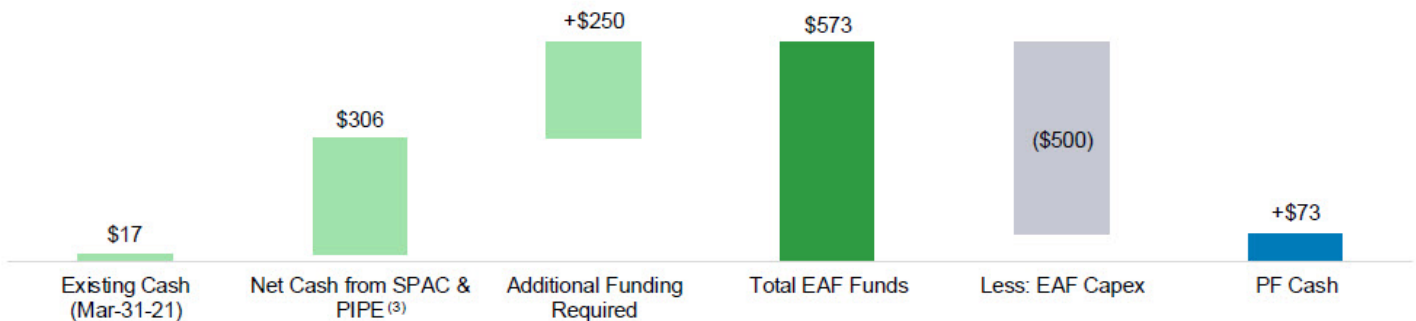
Capital Structure Overview

(US\$ millions)

Pro Forma Capital Structure⁽¹⁾

| | Current (3/31/21E) | xCY2021P EBITDA | Transaction Adjustment (+ / -) | Pro Forma | xCY2021P EBITDA | Effective Rate | Maturity |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| ABL Revolver (\$250.0) | \$71 | 0.1x | -- | \$71 | 0.1x | 2.29% | Nov. 30, 2023 |
| Secured Term Loan ⁽²⁾ | 304 | 0.4x | -- | 304 | 0.4x | 10.00% | Nov. 30, 2025 |
| Algoma Docks Term Loan Facility | 61 | 0.5x | | | 0.5x | 5.26% | May. 31, 2025 |
| Government Loans | 66 | 0.6x | | | 0.6x | 0.00% - 2.50% | 2028 - 2031 |
| Total Debt | \$502 | 0.6x | | | 0.6x | | |
| Less: Cash ⁽³⁾ | (17) | | | | | | |
| Net Debt | \$485 | 0.5x | | | 0.5x | | |
| CY2021P EBITDA | \$901 | | | | | | |

SPAC Proceeds to Substantially Fund the Proposed EAF



Note: FY Q4 2021E performance is preliminary and subject to change.

(1) Figures converted at a 1.26 FX rate.

(2) Libor Floor of 1.5% for Secured Term Loan. Secured Term Loan includes option to PIK at L + 950.

(3) Inclusive of \$236 million EAF cash as of January 25, 2021 and \$100 million PIPE investment net of \$30 million in fees and expenses, assuming no redemptions.

Supplemental Materials



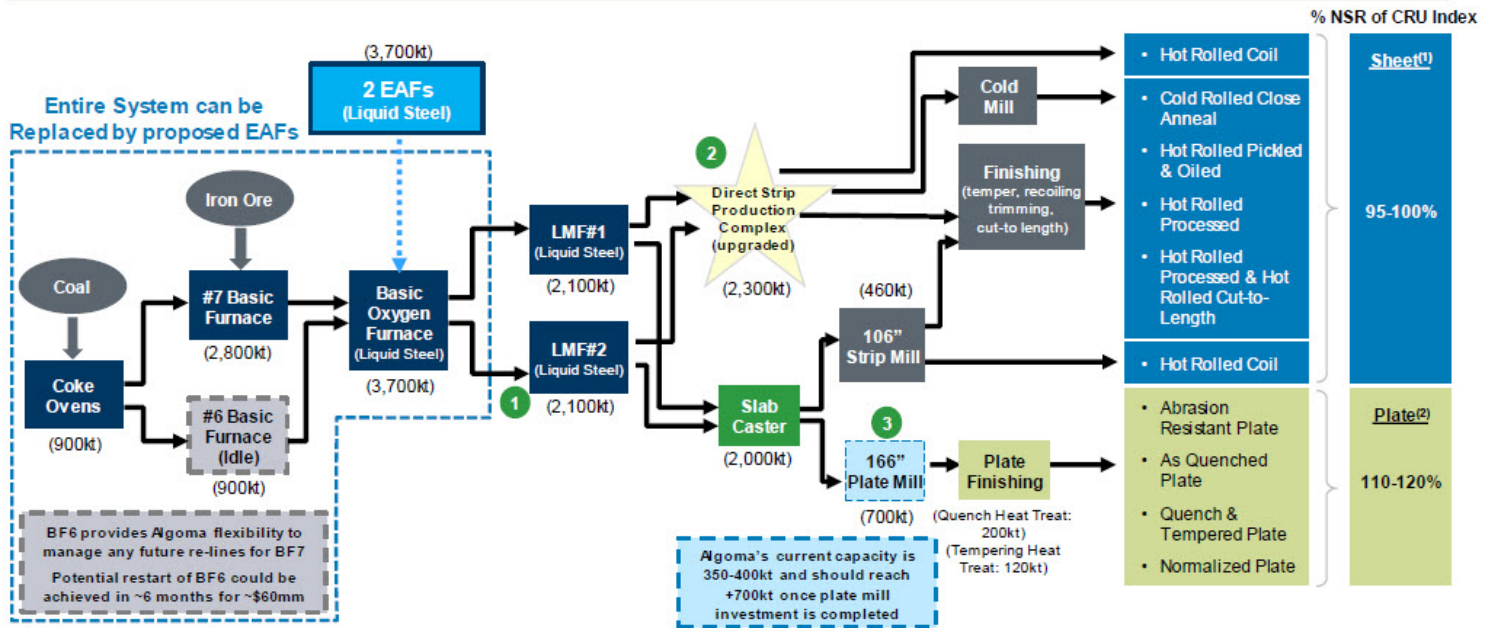
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| | Technical specifications | Age | Competitive advantage | Highlights |
|---|--|--|---|---|
| Coke Making Facilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Comprises 3 batteries: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> #7 battery (60 ovens) #8 battery (60 ovens) #9 battery (57 ovens) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> #7 battery: ~62 years #8 battery: ~52 years #9 battery: ~41 years | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> On-site coke production cater to ~90% of total coke requirement | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annualized production capability of ~0.8mm tons |
| Iron Making Facilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two blast furnaces: BF #7, BF #6 (currently idle) BF #7 Hot metal capacity of ~2.8mm ton BF #6 relining and stove rebuild completed in 2008 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BF #7: ~44 years BF #6: ~65 years | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BF #6 can be re-started within a short period with low-start up costs Continuous investments in BF #7 has improved productivity by ~1,000 tn/day | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Operational flexibility enhanced by two blast furnaces |
| Steelmaking Facilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Comprises two 260k ton Basic Oxygen Furnaces Current liquid steel capacity of ~3.7mm tons annually (including 0.9mm from idle capacity of BF #6) Two twin station Ladle Metallurgy Furnaces | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Basic oxygen furnaces: ~46 years Ladle metallurgy furnace: ~19 years Ladle Metallurgy Furnace #2 – new | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Implementation of LMF#2 will provide improved buffering between casters and Blast Furnace and will avoid DSPC downtime caused by requirements of LMF Slab Caster heats | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Debottlenecking the secondary metallurgy area through the LMF#2 |
| Direct Strip Production Complex (DSPC) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Automated facility Size range: gauges between 0.060" and 0.625" and widths between 32" and 63" Current capacity of ~2.3mm tons annually | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> DSPC: ~22 years | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One of the lowest-cost North American mills in terms of HRC conversion cost per tn ~C\$30-40/nt structural conversion cost advantage over peers due to reduced manpower, lower heating costs and improved yields | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only DSPC attached to a blast furnace in North America Consists of a state-of-the-art thin slab continuous caster which converts liquid blast furnace steel directly into coil |
| Slab Caster | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Comprises two twin strands of 8" thick slabs with a width range of 42" to 86" Current capacity of ~2.0mm ton annually | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Slab caster: ~40 years | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wider steel chemistry processing capabilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ability to cast crack sensitive boron-alloyed and peritectic steel Efficient grade change practice allowing changes to steel chemistry without interrupting the cast |
| Plate and Strip Mills | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 106" Strip Mill: produces strips up to 96" wide 166" Plate Mill: produces plate up to 152" wide Cold Mill Complex comprises: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 0.8mm ton pickling line 0.35mm ton reduction mill 0.25mm ton anneal furnace 0.8mm ton temper mill | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 106" Strip Mill: ~46 years 166" Plate Mill: ~54 years | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only Combination Mill of its kind in North America Both mills are widest of their kind in North America Only heat treatment line in Canada | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 166" Plate Mill features a heat treat facility <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rated annual capacity of 240,000 tons |

Source: Company information.

Algoma's Flexible, Low-Cost Operations Facilitates Optimization Across High Value Products

- ✓ Algoma produces a wide variety of products to serve diverse end-markets
- ✓ Algoma is the only plate producer in Canada with current capacity of 350-400kt and potential capacity of 700kt per year once debottlenecking initiatives are completed
- ✓ Algoma is the only integrated steel producer to operating a DSPC line, which provides a \$30-\$40/t competitive advantage
- ✓ DSPC positions the mill to seamlessly execute installation of EAF mills



Recent and Ongoing Initiatives

- 1** Addition of Ladle Metallurgy Furnace #2 (LMF #2): eliminated the bottleneck between steelmaking and casting facilities, enhances grades – Completed (Feb-2021)
- 2** DSPC upgrade: volume capacity has been increased to 2,300k tons from 2,100k tons with new grades capabilities – Completed
- 3** Plate Mill modernization: volume capacity will be raised to 700k tons from ~350k tons with new grades capabilities – Stage 1 / 2 expected to be completed in October 2021 (Quality) / October 2022 (Volume)

Source: Company information. Note: Current Algoma Steel process flow configuration.
 (1) Represents percentage of a trailing 7-year average HRC CRU (USA Midwest Domestic HR Coil) Index, lagged one month.
 (2) Represents percentage of a 7 trailing 7-year average AS Rolled CRU Index, lagged one month.

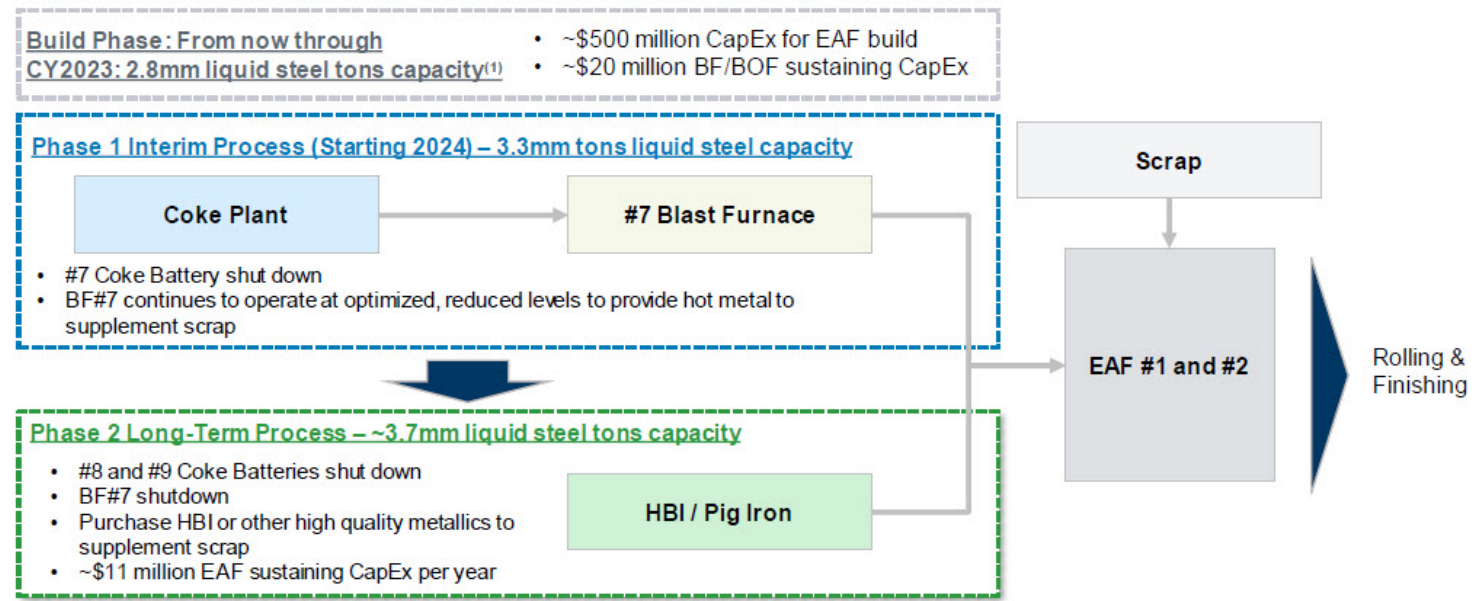
Preliminary EAF Timeline and Capital Requirements

Overview

- The rollout of the EAF strategy would be rolled out based on availability of electricity in two phases:
 - Phase 1 (Interim): from the start of production to grid upgrade completion, the EAF would operate one furnace at a time using on-site cogeneration facility, LSP and local 230kV transmission upgrade
 - Phase 2 (Long-Term): after the completion of a power grid upgrade, the EAF would then operate both furnaces simultaneously
- Anticipate a 30-month construction timeline between permitting and commissioning

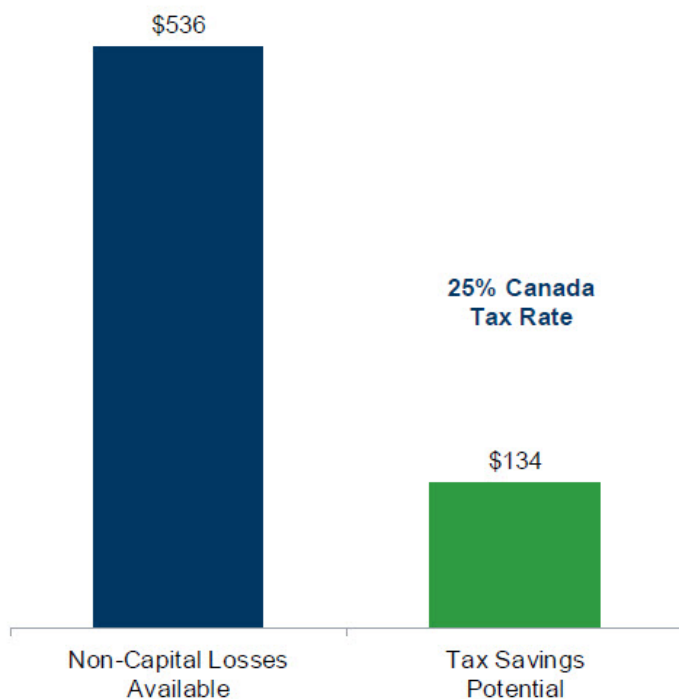
Algoma is Well-Prepared to Integrate the Proposed EAFs

- ✓ Algoma intends to contract with technology suppliers and engineering management consultants who have been active in constructing new EAFs in the United States
- ✓ Algoma currently has internal capabilities in constructing and operating EAF furnaces
- ✓ The Company's current operations will not be disrupted during the construction period, as the area of installation does not overlap our existing steelmaking footprint
- ✓ Decommissioning existing operations is not necessary to complete the construction/installation of the EAF furnaces. Decommissioning would be opportunistic



Source: Company information. Note: All years refer to calendar years. All figures shown in US\$, projected figures converted from CAD to USD at a 1.26 FX rate.

Tax Attributes as of December 31, 2020 (US\$ millions)



- As of December 31, 2020, Algoma has non-capital tax losses available of \$536.4 million, which can potentially be used to reduce cash taxes paid
- Long-dated tax assets with no expirations before 2038⁽¹⁾



Owing to strong steel markets and strong EBITDA generation, Algoma expected to utilize a portion of its tax assets in CY2021

The proposed EAF investment would further reduce Algoma's tax burden through accelerated depreciation

Source: Company information. Note: All figures converted from CAD to USD at a 1.27 FX rate as of December 31, 2020.
 (1) \$382.2 million expire in 2038, \$92.5 million expire in 2039 and \$75.0 million expire in 2040.

Algoma is a Dramatically Improved Operation over the Last 5 Years

| | Algoma Then (circa 2015) | Algoma Steel (Present) |
|---|--|---|
| 1 Operational Improvements | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Volume constraints at LMF, DSPC and Plate Mill with limited grade capability and average quality | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Upgraded DSPC Segment in June 2020 and the LMF#2 in February 2021 ✓ In the process of modernizing the Plate Mill ✓ \$44 million in cost savings initiatives |
| 2 Capital Structure | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Unsustainable leverage with ~\$1.3 billion of total debt ▪ ~\$172 million in annual interest expense | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ ~\$485 million of net debt (<1.0x CY2021P EBITDA) ✓ ~\$35 million in annual cash interest expense⁽¹⁾ ✓ Generating significant cash flow to add liquidity and delever |
| 3 Supply of Raw Materials | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Dispute with key iron ore supplier ▪ Ownership of port transferred via high-cost sale-leaseback arrangement | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ 100% of iron ore requirements secured via long-term contracts with favorable market-linked pricing (3.9mm tons per year through 2024) ✓ Own the Port of Algoma (no sale-leaseback) ✓ Transition to EAF would add flexibility to raw material supply |
| 4 Pension & OPEB Liabilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Substantial cash contributions of ~\$65 million for pension liabilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Contribution of ~\$6 million (C\$8 million) per year following reaching 85% funded on pension plans (achieved on March-1-2021⁽²⁾) |
| 5 Environmental Liabilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Legacy environmental contamination issues | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Release on legacy environmental liabilities |

Future of Algoma Steel

- \$500 million proposed investment in Electric Arc Furnace (EAF) would provide \$150 million EBITDA uplift, make Algoma the cleanest steel producer in Canada by lowering CO2 emissions by ~70%, and enhance stability of Algoma's profitability (reduces fixed costs and labor)
- Long-term through-the-cycle EBITDA of \$460 million (including potential \$150mm improvement from the EAF)

Source: Company information. Note: All figures shown in US\$, unless noted. Projected figures converted from CAD to USD at a 1.28 FX rate and historical figures converted at average exchange rate over the period.

(1) Based on current capital structure. Excludes non-cash interest expense; unwinding of debt issuance costs, accretion on government loans and discounts on environmental liabilities.

(2) Based on internal Algoma estimates and is subject to plan audit and confirmation.

Structured Pension Plan Is Contractually Funded as of March 1, 2021

As of March 1st, 2021, Algoma's funded status on its hourly and salaried plans is now expected to be greater than 85%, which would reduce Algoma's pension funding obligations to near zero (required preparation of formal valuation to be delivered to regulators)

- As part of the agreement to emerge from Bankruptcy, Algoma agreed to assume the following pension plans: (i) Hourly DB plan; (ii) Salaried DB plan; and (iii) WRAP plan
- The agreement calls for the following payments with respect to its pension plans:
 - \$24 million (C\$31 million) annual special payments to the Hourly and Salaried DB plans until the plans are 85% funded, following which Algoma will make Pension Benefits Guarantee Fund premium payments of \$1.5 million (C\$2 million) per annum (decreases over time as the underfunded amount and the number of members decreases)
 - Payments to the WRAP plan which constitute the lesser of \$4 million (C\$5 million) in annual special payments and the annual required pay out amount to WRAP pensioners

Estimated Solvency Funded Position by Plan

| (US\$ millions) | March 31, 2020 | | March 1, 2021 | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------|---------------|------------|
| | Hourly | Salaried | Hourly | Salaried |
| Assets | \$627 | \$243 | \$973 | \$381 |
| Liabilities | \$880 | \$351 | \$1,102 | \$446 |
| Net Funded Position | (\$254) | (\$108) | (\$129) | (\$65) |
| Funded % | 71% | 69% | 88% | 85% |






Note: on a going-concern basis, the Pension plans are estimated to be fully funded in the near-term

With the Pension Contractually Funded, Algoma is positioned to begin an EAF Transformation with a balance sheet clean of significant legacy liability payments

Environment

- Algoma has a demonstrated commitment to environmental protection
- Published a Health, Safety and Environment Policy with a focus on continuous improvement

5 Key Areas of Commitment to the Environment

| | |
|---|--|
|  Air | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Algoma has achieved a 65% reduction in particulate emissions since 2002 • Currently focus on cokemaking emissions |
|  Energy | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrated partner in Canada's commitment to the global reduction of CO2 emissions with an overall reduction of 54% in energy intensity per ton of steel since 1993 |
|  Waste | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Steel is the most recycled material in the world and doesn't lose quality through the recycling process • Every steelmaking heat at Algoma contains scrap steel which is recycled through manufacturing for new end-use applications • Algoma recycles or reuses 80%+ of waste materials from operations |
|  Water | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treated process water meets or exceeds requirements set out by the Ontario Ministry of Environment • 45% of water is recycled |
|  Noise | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Algoma has developed a plan to reduce noise emissions from 11 sources throughout the steelworks |

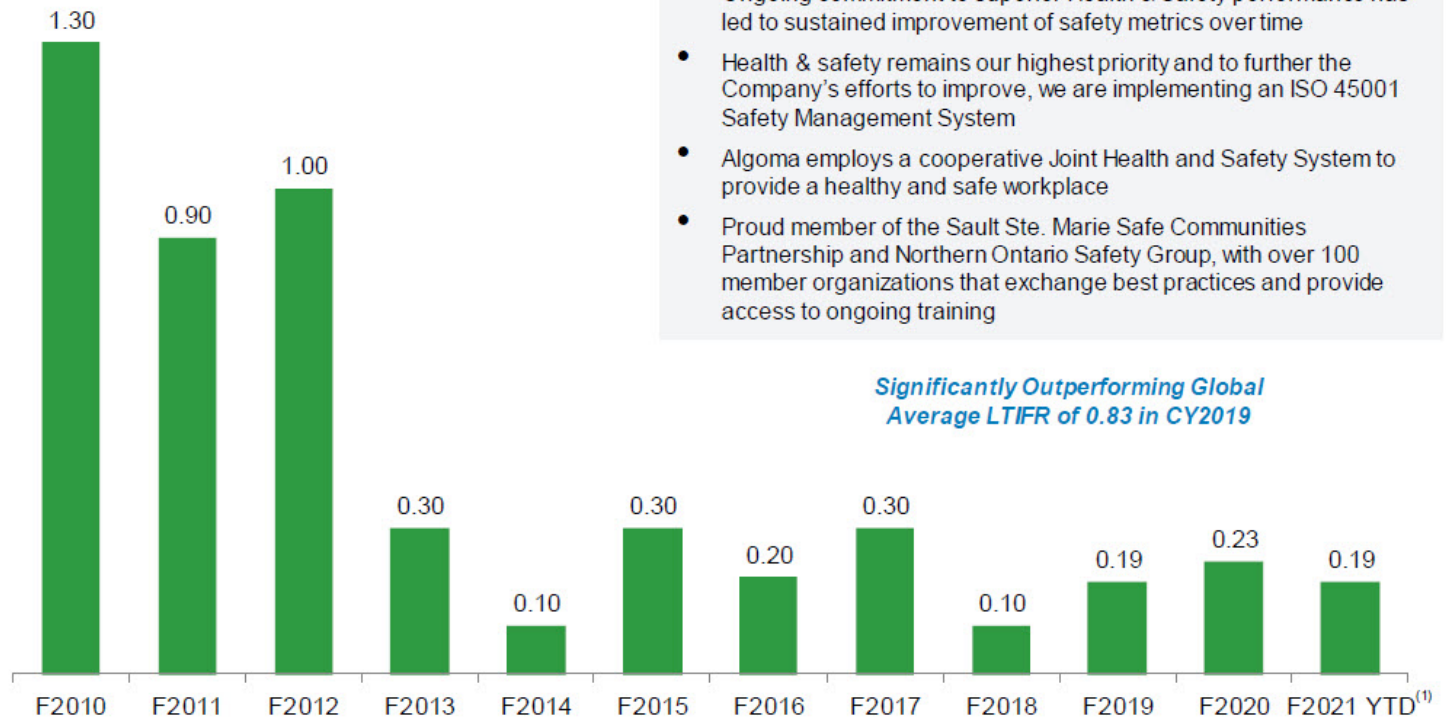
Community Involvement

- As the largest employer in Sault Ste. Marie, Algoma Steel is an active responsible stakeholder and is actively involved in advancing and preserving the quality of life in the community
- Long history of charitable giving and corporate partnerships
 - 50-year partnership with United Way as a founder and leading corporate sponsor
 - Member of Sault Ste Marie Chamber of Commerce
- In addition, Algoma sponsors several scholarships, which are primarily intended for children of Algoma's past and present employees
 - Northern Ontario School of Medicine
 - Sault College: Algoma Award of Excellence
 - Algoma University: Algoma Student Assistance Award



Strong Employee Relations and Company-wide Dedication to Health and Safety

Continued focus and improvement in Lost Time Injury Frequency Rate (LTIFR)



- ### Health & Safety Performance
- Ongoing commitment to superior Health & Safety performance has led to sustained improvement of safety metrics over time
 - Health & safety remains our highest priority and to further the Company's efforts to improve, we are implementing an ISO 45001 Safety Management System
 - Algoma employs a cooperative Joint Health and Safety System to provide a healthy and safe workplace
 - Proud member of the Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership and Northern Ontario Safety Group, with over 100 member organizations that exchange best practices and provide access to ongoing training

Significantly Outperforming Global Average LTIFR of 0.83 in CY2019

Safety is Algoma Steel's top priority

Source: Company information. Note: Lost Time Injury Frequency is calculated as ((Number of lost time injuries in the reporting period x 200,000) / Total hours worked in the reporting period).
 (1) F2021 YTD is as of February 2021.

Historical EBITDA Reconciliation

| C\$ millions, unless noted | 12-month period ending March 31 of the respective year | | | 9-month period ending | | Through-the Cycle Average (FY2018-FY2020) |
|------------------------------------|--|----------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------|---|
| | FY2018 | FY2019 | FY2020 | 12/31/2019 | 12/31/2020 | |
| Net Income / (Loss) | (\$24.2) | \$112.1 | (\$175.9) | (\$195.3) | (\$176.2) | |
| Amortization of PP&E & Intangibles | \$50.2 | \$73.7 | \$128.1 | \$106.1 | \$65.5 | |
| Finance Costs | \$187.8 | \$140.0 | \$63.8 | \$47.0 | \$52.6 | |
| Interest on Pensions and OPEB | \$16.5 | \$19.0 | \$17.3 | \$12.9 | \$12.9 | |
| Income Taxes | (\$4.9) | \$2.4 | (\$4.3) | (\$3.8) | -- | |
| Reorganization Costs | \$29.3 | \$46.2 | -- | -- | -- | |
| Foreign Exchange Gain | \$19.9 | (\$15.3) | (\$35.3) | \$14.9 | \$66.6 | |
| Finance Income | \$1.9 | (\$0.7) | (\$2.6) | (\$1.9) | (\$1.1) | |
| Inventory Write-downs | \$0.1 | \$1.9 | (\$1.6) | \$0.7 | \$0.3 | |
| Carbon Tax | \$0.0 | \$0.0 | \$6.9 | \$4.0 | \$11.6 | |
| Exceptional Items | \$0.0 | \$16.4 | \$1.4 | \$1.4 | -- | |
| EBITDA | \$276.6 | \$395.7 | (\$2.2) | (\$14.0) | \$32.2 | \$223.4 |
| Tariff Expenses | \$0.0 | \$225.5 | \$27.8 | \$27.8 | -- | |
| Capacity Utilization Adjustment | -- | -- | \$32.7 | \$32.7 | -- | |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$276.6 | \$621.2 | \$58.3 | \$46.5 | \$32.2 | \$318.7 |
| Adjusted EBITDA (US\$mm) | \$216.1 | \$473.4 | \$43.8 | \$35.1 | \$24.0 | \$244.7 |

Source: Company information. Note: US\$mm figures converted from CAD to USD at the average historical FX rate of each respective financial period (FY2018: 1.28; FY2019: 1.31; FY2020: 1.33; 9Mos ending 12/31/19: 1.32; 9Mos ending 12/31/20: 1.34).

| (C\$ millions, unless noted) | CY 2021P |
|--|----------------|
| Steel Revenue ⁽¹⁾ | \$3,011 |
| Steel CoGS ⁽¹⁾ | \$1,903 |
| Gross Profit | \$1,108 |
| SG&A | \$63 |
| Operating Income | \$1,045 |
| Plus: D&A | \$78 |
| Plus: Carbon Tax | \$8 |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$1,131 |
| Adjusted EBITDA (US\$ millions) | \$901 |

Source: Company information. Note: EBITDA reconciliation provided from Revenue to EBITDA. US\$mm figures converted from CAD to USD at a 1.26 FX rate.

(1) Excludes freight revenue and expense, and non-steel revenue and non-steel cost of sales (generally related to the sale of by-products). Freight is reflected equally in revenue and costs of goods sold. Non-steel revenue typically approximates non-steel cost of sales.

| Term | Definition | Term | Definition |
|----------------------------|---|--------------------------------|--|
| Basic Oxygen Furnace (BOF) | Vessel used to convert liquid hot metal from a blast furnace into steel | Iron Ore Pellets | Pellets are small balls of iron ore used in the production of steel that are agglomerated from fines |
| Blast Furnace (BF) | Metallurgical furnace combining fuel, ores and flux to smelt iron ore to produce pig iron, which is fed downstream into a BOF | Limestone | Also referred to as flux, limestone is an essential input in a blast furnace |
| Cogeneration | Also known as combined heat and power (CHP), a cogeneration plant uses gas generated from the steelmaking process to create electricity | Ladle Metallurgy Furnace (LMF) | Holding furnace for hot metal coming out of the BOF or EAF, increases capacity of melt shop and allows for improvements to steel grade |
| Coke | Fuel for a Blast Furnace that is made by heating coal in the absence of air | Metallics | Iron ore or similar products that are used to produce raw steel |
| Cold Rolled Sheet | Hot rolled steel that has been further processed to increase its strength and strength-to-weight ratio, providing better overall surface finish | NOx | Nitrous oxide (NOx) is a greenhouse gas that traps heat in the atmosphere |
| Continuous casting | Process whereby molten metal is solidified into a "semi-finished" billet, bloom, or slab for subsequent rolling in the finishing mills | NSR | Net Sales Realization: the average selling price of steel excluding costs of freight |
| Electric Arc Furnace (EAF) | Method for producing steel with primary inputs of scrap steel and electricity. EAFs form new steel by heat charging material with an electric arc | Pig Iron | Intermediate solid input made by smelting iron ore with a high-carbon fuel and reductant, such as coke, with flux for use as a feedstock in the BOF |
| Hard coking coal (HCC) | A category of metallurgical coal that is converted to coke and used as fuel for the blast furnace in an integrated steel mill | Plate | Includes steel sheet metal that is 5mm or thicker used for construction or structural purposes due to its low maintenance versatility (e.g. shipping containers, roofing, heavy equipment) |
| Hot Briquetted Iron (HBI) | Compacted form of direct reduced iron (DRI) that serves as a supplement for pig iron and scrap in electric arc furnace steel mills | Prime Scrap | High quality, clean scrap metal that tends to trade at a premium to lower quality shredded scrap |
| Hot Metal | Blast furnace iron ore that is charged to the BOF in hot liquid form | Slab | Thick semi-finished (intermediate) steel that is further converted into hot rolled sheet or plate |
| Hot Rolled Sheet | Carbon steel product commonly used for applications in which dimensional tolerances and surface finish quality is not critical (e.g. automotive accessories, stampings) | Service center | Wholesalers that may further process steel purchased from manufacturer (e.g. cutting or forming) |
| | | SOx | Sulfur oxide (SOx) is an air pollutant that has negative health consequences |



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