Second-Quarter 2010 Earnings

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As a result of the company's emergence from Chapter 11 bankruptcy and the application of fresh-start accounting, the company is reporting its second quarter financial information for a predecessor period ending on April 30, 2010, the date of emergence, and a successor period after such date in accordance with GAAP. For purposes of this presentation, we have presented "combined" results of operations for the second quarter and six months ended June 30, 2010. The combined results for the three months ended June 30, 2010 are the sum of (i) the predecessor period of April 1, 2010 through April 30, 2010 and (ii) the successor period of May 1, 2010 through June 30, 2010. For the six months ended June 30, 2010, the combined results are the sum of (i) the first quarter 2010 results of operations; (ii) the predecessor period of April 1, 2010 through April 30, 2010 and (ii) the successor period of May 1, 2010 through June 30, 2010. The results of operations on the combined basis are non-GAAP because they combine two separate reporting entities. We have included the combined financial information because we believe it gives investors a better understanding of the year-over-year and sequential quarter comparisons.

We also include certain other non-GAAP measures, such as EBITDAR and net debt. While we believe that EBITDAR is a measure commonly used by investors, EBITDAR, as presented herein, may not be comparable to a similarly titled measure reported by other companies due to differences in the way the measure is calculated. For purposes of this presentation, EBITDAR means earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, amortization and restructuring costs. EBITDAR should not be considered as an alternative to profit or operating profit for any period as an indicator of our performance, or as an alternative to operating cash flows as a measure of our liquidity. While we also believe that net debt is a measure commonly used by investors, net debt, as presented herein, may not be comparable to a similarly titled measure reported by other companies due to differences in the way the measure is calculated. For purposes of this presentation, net debt means short-term debt plus current maturities of long-term debt plus long-term debt minus cash and cash equivalents.

Prior to emergence from Chapter 11, we utilized a combination of First-In, First-Out and Last In-First Out inventory methods for financial reporting. For purposes of evaluating segment results, management reviewed operating results using current cost, which approximates LIFO. As supplementary information, and for our segment reporting, we also provide EBITDAR information on a current cost basis for periods prior to our emergence from Chapter 11. Since emergence from Chapter 11, we have utilized the LIFO inventory methodology and EBITDAR information for periods after our emergence is on a LIFO basis. The combined financial results and measures that are disclosed in this presentation, including EBITDAR, therefore, use both current cost and LIFO methodologies.

Reference to reconciliations of certain non-GAAP measures to their nearest GAAP financial measures are provided at the end of this presentation.

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Second-Quarter Highlights

• Net income\(^{(1)}\): $203 million excluding $8,640 million after-tax gain on discharge of liabilities subject to compromise and fresh-start accounting adjustments

• EBITDAR\(^{(1),(2)}\): $1,403 million excluding $333 million Lower of Cost or Market (LCM) inventory valuation adjustment

• Generally improved business conditions
  - Very strong North American ethylene results

• Significant cash generation

• Net Debt/LTM EBITDAR\(^{(3)}\): 1.1

• Emergence from bankruptcy

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2) Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, amortization, and restructuring costs

3) LTM EBITDAR figure excludes $333 million LCM inventory charge. Net debt means short-term debt plus current maturities of long-term debt plus long-term debt minus cash and cash equivalents.
LyondellBasell Second-Quarter 2010
Segment EBITDAR

EBITDAR (1), (2)
$1,403 ex LCM charge

Operating Income (2)
$745 million

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1) EBITDAR excludes a $333 million Lower of Cost or Market (LCM) inventory charge which is represented, in aggregate, by the shaded areas in the chart above.

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Cash Flow Since Emergence

- May 1, 2010 Cash Balance: 2,711 USD millions
- Cash Flow from Operations excluding Working Capital
- Working Capital\(^{(1)}\)
- Debt Increase (Euro Securitization)
- Capex\(^{(2)}\)
- Other (primarily FX)
- 2Q10 Ending Cash Balance: 3,753 USD millions

1) Includes inventories, accounts payable, and accounts receivable
2) Includes deferred spending
Working Capital and Liquidity

Working Capital (1)

Liquidity

June 30 Statistics
Liquidity: ~ $5.0 billion
Net Debt: ~ 3.6 billion

1) Second-quarter 2010 working capital accounts reflect the impact of reorganization and “Fresh Start” accounting adjustments
Corporate Items

• Capital spending
• Cost control
• Debt/Interest going forward
• “Fresh-Start” accounting effects
• Supervisory Board members
• NYSE listing
Olefin & Polyolefins – Americas Performance

2Q10 EBITDAR \( \text{1), (3) } \)
$585 million ex LCM charge

2Q10 Operating Income \( \text{1), (3) } \)
$324 million

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YTD EBITDAR \( \text{2), (3) } \)
$859 million ex LCM charge

YTD Operating Income \( \text{2), (3) } \)
$469 million

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4) Dividends

5) Includes an LCM charge of $171 million.

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Includes intradivisional profit elimination and the LCM charge described above.
Olefins & Polyolefins – Americas Highlights and Business Drivers – 2Q10

Second-Quarter 2010 Results (1)
$585 million EBITDAR excluding $171 million LCM charge

U.S. Olefins
• Strong margins
• ~65% of ethylene from NGLs
• Morris, Illinois maintenance turnaround

Polyethylene
• Margin expansion on lower monomer prices

Polypropylene (2)
• Results generally in line with first quarter

1) See footnotes 1 and 3 on page 9
2) Includes Catalloy
Olefins & Polyolefins – Europe, Asia, International Performance

**2Q10 EBITDAR**
- **USD, million:** $257 million ex LCM charge
- **USD, million:** $158 million

**2Q10 Operating Income**
- **USD, million:** $257 million ex LCM charge
- **USD, million:** $158 million

**YTD EBITDAR**
- **USD, million:** $409 ex LCM charge
- **USD, million:** $229 million

**YTD Operating Income**
- **USD, million:** $409 ex LCM charge
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4) Includes an LCM charge of $5 million.
Olefins & Polyolefins – Europe, Asia, International
Highlights and Business Drivers – 2Q10

Second-Quarter 2010 Results (1)
$257 million EBITDAR excluding $5 million LCM charge

EU Olefins
• Butadiene strength
• Competitor outages

Polyethylene
• Tight European LDPE market

Polypropylene (2)
• Automotive demand driving volume improvement

PCMA/PB-1
• Relatively unchanged

1) See footnotes 1 and 3 on page 11
2) Includes Catalloy
Intermediates & Derivatives Performance

Second-Quarter 2010 Results\(^{(1)}, (3)\)

$209 million EBITDAR, excluding $25 million LCM charge, and $143 million Operating Income

Propylene Oxide and Derivatives

- Relatively unchanged from first quarter

Intermediates

- Improved acetyllys volumes and margins

**Second-Quarter 2010 EBITDAR**

![Second-Quarter 2010 EBITDAR Chart]

**Year to Date EBITDAR\(^{(2)}, (3)\)**

$405 million ex LCM charge

**Operating Income\(^{(2)}, (3)\)**

$266 million

**YTD 2010 EBITDAR**

![YTD 2010 EBITDAR Chart]

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4) Includes an LCM charge of $25 million
Refining & Oxyfuels Performance

2Q10 EBITDAR (1), (3)
$229 million ex LCM charge

2Q10 Operating Income (1), (3)
$43 million

YTD EBITDAR (2), (3)
$233 million ex LCM charge

YTD Operating Loss (2), (3)
$85 million

Second-Quarter 2010 EBITDAR

Year-to-Date 2010 EBITDAR

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4) Includes an LCM charge of $132 million.

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Refining & Oxyfuels
Highlights and Business Drivers – 2Q10

Second-Quarter 2010 Results
$229 million EBITDAR excluding $132 million LCM charge

Houston Refining
• Crude throughput: 189 MB/D
• Maya 2-1-1 spread: $19.99/bbl
• Intermediate goods purchases partially offset effects of crude unit outage

Berre Refining
• Crude throughput: 99 MB/D
• Urals 4-1-2-1 spread: $7.33/bbl

Oxyfuels
• Seasonal volume and margin increases

1) See footnotes 1 and 3 on page 14
Technology Performance

Second-Quarter 2010 Results (1), (3)
$43 million EBITDAR
$31 million Operating Income

• Continued strong catalyst volumes
• Licensing unchanged from first quarter

Year to Date
EBITDAR (2), (3)
$90 million

Operating Income (2), (3)
$62 million

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Second-Quarter Summary and Outlook

Second-Quarter Summary

- Emergence from Chapter 11 on April 30, 2010
- Generally improved business conditions
- Strong U.S. ethylene margins driven by competitor supply disruptions, turnarounds
- Continued cost control and generally reliable operations
- Significant cash generation; ~$5.0 billion liquidity, ~$3.8 billion cash, ~3.6 billion net debt
- Ningbo POSM, Münchsmünster HDPE startups

Near-Term Outlook

- Rebalancing of U.S. ethylene industry as competitors restart facilities
- Middle Eastern and Asian plant startups
- Seasonal decline in refining margins with end of driving season
- Continued progress towards reestablishing trade credit
Appendix
Reconciliations of non-GAAP Financial Measures

• For reconciliations of non-GAAP financial measures, please see Table No. 9 of our earnings release which is available on our website, www.lyondellbasell.com/investorrelations