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Special Note Regarding Currency, Financial Information and Production

All dollar amounts are referenced in millions of Canadian dollars, except where noted otherwise. Production volumes and per unit statistics are presented throughout this document on a "before royalties" or "company gross" basis. In addition, reference is made to crude oil and natural gas in common units called barrel of oil equivalent ("BOE"). A BOE is derived by converting six thousand cubic feet ("Mcf") of natural gas to one barrel ("bbl") of crude oil (6 Mcf:1 bbl). This conversion may be misleading, particularly if used in isolation, since the 6 Mcf:1 bbl ratio is based on an energy equivalency conversion method primarily applicable at the burner tip and does not represent a value equivalency at the wellhead. In comparing the value ratio using current crude oil prices relative to natural gas prices, the 6 Mcf:1 bbl conversion ratio may be misleading as an indication of value.

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This document includes references to non-GAAP measures, which include non-GAAP and other financial measures as defined in National Instrument 52-112 – Non-GAAP and Other Financial Measures Disclosure. "Free cash flow" is a non-GAAP financial measure. The Company considers free cash flow a key measure in demonstrating the Company's ability to generate cash flow to fund future growth through capital investment, to repay debt and to pay returns to shareholders through dividends and share repurchases pursuant to its free cash flow allocation policy. Free cash flow is defined as adjusted funds flow, less capital and dividends.

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Special Note Regarding Reserves Estimates

The total proved and total proved plus probable reserves estimates were determined as of September 1, 2024 and assume US\$75/bbl WTI for 2025 and subsequent years and C\$2.00/GJ AECO for 2025 until September 2025 and C\$3.25/GJ AECO in October 2025 and subsequent years. The reserves estimates have been prepared in accordance with the Canadian Oil and Gas Evaluation Handbook by professional engineers employed by the Company.



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Athabasca Oil Sands Project / Duvernay Acquisitions

Key Messages

- A unique-to-Canadian Natural opportunity to combine high value SCO production and Liquids Rich resource production
- AOSP
 - Increases robustness of Canadian Natural's world class Oil Sands Mining assets
 - Leverages Canadian Natural's strengths and efficiency gains over 7 years of operating AOSP
 - Decades of Zero Risk, Zero Decline, high value SCO production
- Duvernay
 - Premium high value, de-risked, Liquids Rich drill-to-fill resource play with Montney-like capital efficiencies
 - Leverage technology and Canadian Natural's extensive Montney and Deep Basin experience to drive value
 - Complements Canadian Natural's core Deep Basin assets with operational and cost synergies
- Financial
 - Immediate Free Cash Flow Generation, with Significant and Sustainable Free Cash Flow for decades
 - Free Cash Flow Allocation plan targeted to maintain equivalent-to-current returns to shareholders, with future upside
 - Canadian Natural maintains strong balance sheet metrics exiting 2024



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Athabasca Oil Sands Project / Duvernay Acquisitions

Transaction Overview

- Canadian Natural acquires Chevron's interests in AOSP and Duvernay assets
 - 20% WI in AOSP, plus interests in additional undeveloped Oil Sands leases
 - 70% Operated WI in Duvernay light crude oil and liquids rich natural gas
- Canadian Natural uniquely positioned to achieve synergies of a combined transaction which benefits both parties
- Purchase price \$6.5 billion USD (\$8.775 billion CAN, at F/X=1.35)
- Effective date: September 1, 2024
- Targeted closing date: December 6, 2024
- Acquisition cost per BOE/d at 2025 targeted forecast production
 - ~\$71,600/BOE/d
 - Immediately accretive to Canadian Natural flowing metrics



COMBINED TRANSACTION ENHANCED OVERALL VALUE

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Athabasca Oil Sands Project / Duvernay Acquisitions

Transaction Benefits

- **Increases robustness of Canadian Natural's assets**
 - Adds 2025 Forecast production ~ 122,500 BOE/d (~9% increase vs. 2024 Budget mid-point)
 - ~9.3% increase liquids (92,500 bbl/d)
 - ~8.2% increase natural gas (179 MMcf/d)
- **Operational**
 - Will allow additional AOSP efficiencies and synergies between Horizon and AOSP
 - Capital and Operating cost synergies in Duvernay with adjacent Canadian Natural assets
 - Canadian Natural will welcome Chevron's Alberta team and leverage combined expertise
- **Value Growth Opportunities**
 - Increased free cash flow of world class Oil Sands Mining and Upgrading assets
 - Extensive “drill-to-fill” light oil and liquids rich inventory – short cycle times and existing facility/transportation capacity
 - Leverage technology learnings – Duvernay assets similar to Canadian Natural Montney



LONG LIFE ZERO DECLINE + SHORT CYCLE GROWTH

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AOSP Transaction Summary

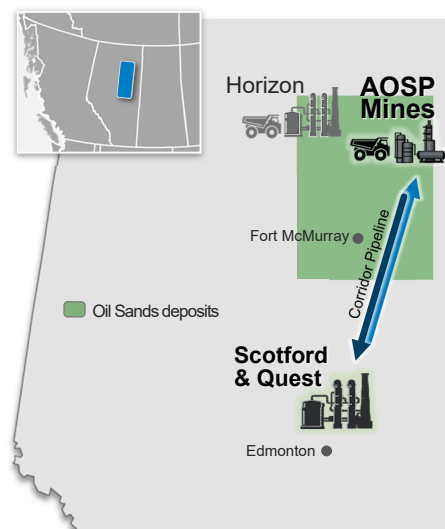
AOSP Transaction Summary

- Canadian Natural purchases Chevron's 20% working interest in AOSP as well as Chevron's interest in additional Oil Sands leases including Pierre River Mine, Ells River, Namur and Saleski
 - Increases Canadian Natural's AOSP working interest to 90%
- Builds on material gains in production, operating cost and commodity price since May 2017 AOSP acquisition

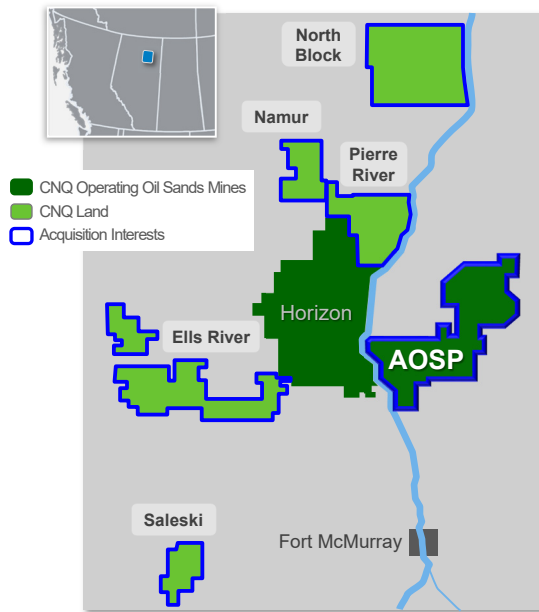


AOSP Transaction Summary (cont'd)

- Canadian Natural acquires 20% additional interest in:
 - AOSP Mines
 - Jackpine
 - Muskeg River
 - Upgrader
 - Adjacent to Shell Scotford Refinery
 - Upgrades AOSP bitumen using LC Finer process (increases volumes by ~3%)



AOSP Transaction Summary (cont'd)



- Increases robustness of Canadian Natural's Long Life, Zero Decline Assets
- Builds on developed synergies with Horizon
- Adds to Canadian Natural's Significant and Sustainable Free Cash Flow
 - Zero Decline Production increase ~13%
 - Zero Decline 1P Reserves increase ~12%⁽¹⁾
 - Zero Decline 2P Reserves increase ~12%⁽¹⁾
- Consolidates Ownership in additional Oil Sands leases with future development potential

(1) Canadian Natural estimate.



MATERIAL INCREASE IN LONG-LIFE LOW DECLINE ASSET BASE

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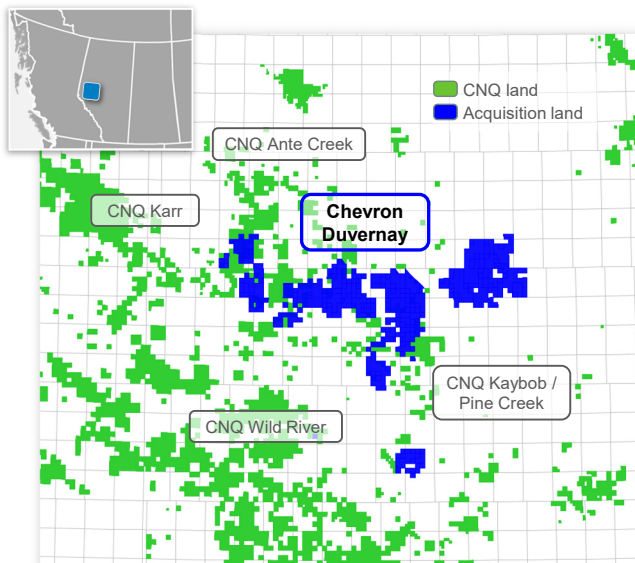
Duvernay Transaction Summary

Duvernay Transaction Summary

- Canadian Natural acquires Chevron Duvernay assets
 - Light crude oil and liquids rich assets
 - 70% Operated WI in the Duvernay Joint Venture
- Production
 - Targeted 2025 production of 179 MMcf/d and 30,000 bbl/d (59,900 BOE/d)
 - Production growth opportunity to 70,000 BOE/d by 2027
- Liquids Rich Drill to Fill Opportunities
 - Greater than 340 net light crude oil and liquids rich locations identified targeting the Duvernay
 - Proven, de-risked resource play, competitive with Montney



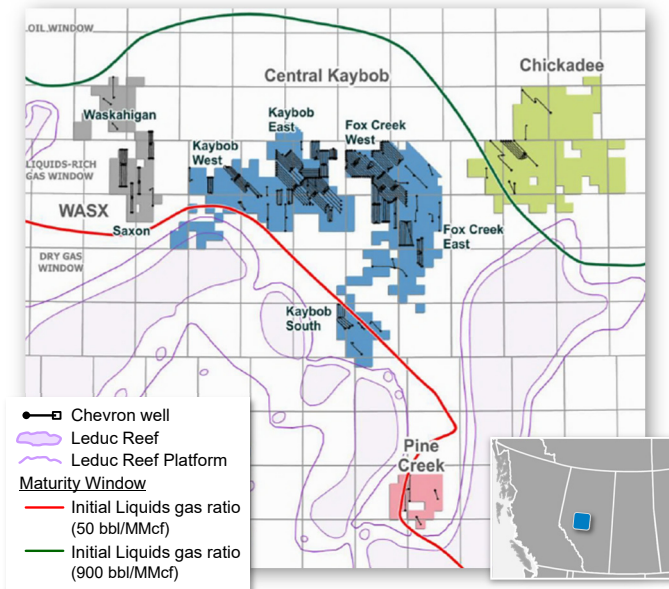
Duvernay Transaction Summary (cont'd)



- Complementary to Canadian Natural's core Deep Basin assets
 - G&A synergy
 - Operating cost improvement
- Extensive infrastructure and transportation enables high value liquids growth



Duvernay Transaction Summary (cont'd)



- De-risked drill-to-fill inventory
 - Greater than 340 net locations identified
 - Majority of upside in liquids rich and light crude oil windows, average ~46% liquids
- Technology and efficiency upside
 - Canadian Natural Montney expertise highly applicable
 - Leverage learnings and program size to drive cost efficiencies



EXTENSIVE DEFINED INVENTORY



Financial Update

Financing Plan

- Availability at end of Q3/24 is ~\$6.2 billion, including cash on hand
 - Committed facilities total \$5.35 billion, excluding \$100 million of demand facility
- Obtained a \$4.0 billion fully committed term loan facility
 - Plan to syndicate to other banks post announcement
- Will fund acquisitions with current availability
 - \$10.2 billion available - ~\$1.5 billion excess availability



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Dividend Increase

- As a result of significant and sustainable free cash flow generation, including targeted additional free cash flow from the acquired assets and Canadian Natural's strong financial position, the Board of Directors has agreed to increase the quarterly dividend by 7% to \$0.5625 per share payable at the next regular quarterly dividend payment in January 2025.
 - 2025 will mark the 25th consecutive year of dividend increases with a 21% CAGR over that period
- Debt metrics remain strong post acquisition
 - Debt to Book Capital targeted to exit 2024 at ~30%
 - Debt to 12 month forward EBITDA targeted at ~1.1x



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Free Cash Flow Allocation

Free Cash Flow Allocation Update

- Free Cash Flow (FCF) is defined as Adjusted Funds Flow less all Capital and Dividends
 - We manage the allocation of FCF on a forward-looking annual basis, while managing working capital and cash management as required
- Post closing of the acquisition, the FCF allocation policy will be the following:
 - 60% of FCF allocated to shareholder returns and 40% to the Balance Sheet until net Debt reaches \$15 billion
 - When net Debt is between \$12 billion and \$15 billion, 75% of FCF allocated to shareholder returns and 25% to the Balance Sheet
 - When net Debt is at or below \$12 billion, 100% of FCF allocated to shareholder returns
- In a US\$70 WTI environment the FCF distribution of 60% to shareholder returns is targeted to be approximately the equivalent absolute returns to shareholders, including dividends, of what was targeted under the 100% FCF allocation to shareholder returns existing prior to the acquisitions
 - Over time, the acquisitions and the new FCF allocation policy will provide additional FCF returns to shareholders exceeding what would have been returned under the current 100% distribution of FCF allocated to shareholder returns



Summary

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- Unique-to-Canadian Natural opportunity to combine high value transactions for SCO and light crude oil and liquids assets
- Immediate, significant and sustainable free cash flow generation
 - Decades of zero decline production at AOSP
 - Near term growth and short development cycle times in Duvernay
- Material production and reserves increase
- Leverages Canadian Natural expertise
- Supports low corporate cost structure and efficiencies developed over past seven years at AOSP
- Complements Canadian Natural Deep Basin assets with operational and cost synergy

