

Partnership Overview

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Antero Midstream At A Glance



AM Highlights

Market Cap..... \$6.0B

Enterprise Value..... \$7.4B

LTM Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾...... \$619 MM

% Gathering/Compression... 65%

% Water 35%

Net Debt/LTM FBITDA..... 2 3x

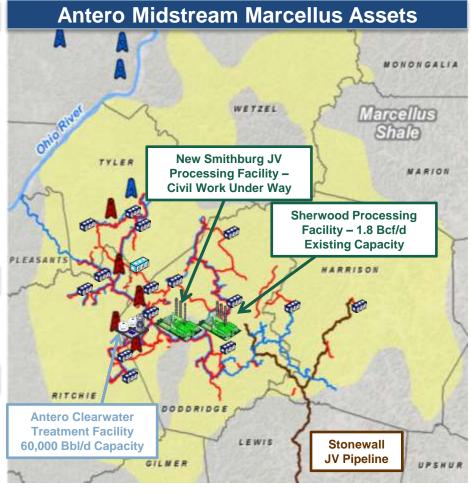
Corporate Debt Rating...... Ba2 / BB+ /BBB-

AMGP Highlights

Market Cap..... \$3.6B

Net Debt/LTM EBITDA.....

Antero Midstream Utica Assets



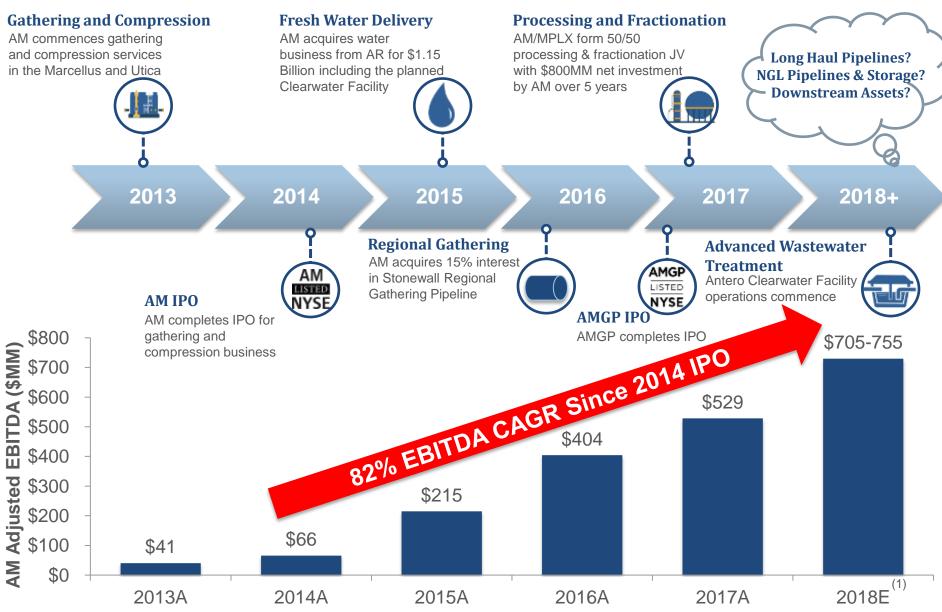


Note: Equity market data as of 8/10/2018. Balance sheet data as of 6/30/2018.

1. LTM Adjusted EBITDA as of 6/30/18. Adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP measure. For additional information regarding this measure, please see "Antero Midstream Non-GAAP Measures" in the Appendix.

Antero Midstream Momentum/Value Chain Evolution





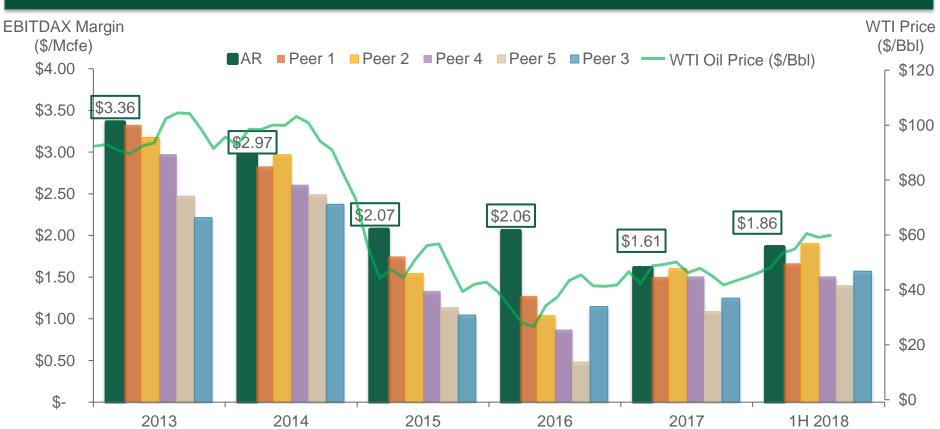
⁽¹⁾ Bar represents midpoint of 2018 guidance of \$705MM to \$755MM.

Driven by Resilient Sponsor Model



Antero's integrated strategy has positioned Antero as a leader in EBITDAX margin for over five years→ Long-term hedges and FT, liquids exposure and ownership in midstream buildout





On a Stand-Alone EBITDAX Margin Basis, Antero has Consistently Outperformed its Appalachian Peers Through Up and Down Commodity Cycles

Source: SEC filings and company press releases. AR 2017 margins exclude \$0.10/Mcfe negative impact from WGL and SJR natural gas contract disputes. Peers include CNX, COG, EQT, RRC & SWN.

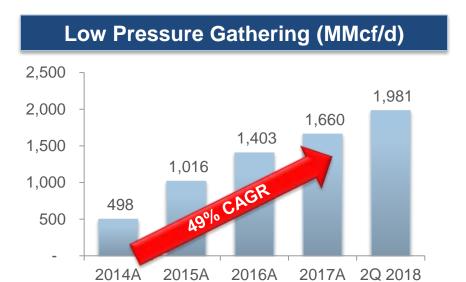
(1) AR and EQT EBITDAX include distributions from midstream ownership. Cash costs for AR and EQT represent stand-alone GPT, production taxes, LOE and cash G&A. Post-hedge and post net marketing expense where applicable.

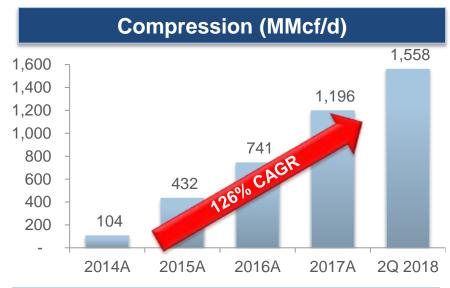


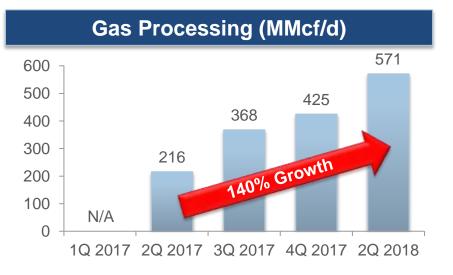
High Growth Midstream Throughput

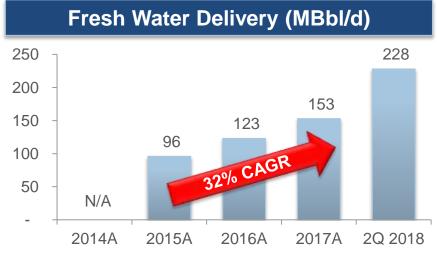


AM high growth throughput driven by AR development plan and resource base









Note: CAGRs represent 2014-2017 growth period where applicable.

Delivering on November 2014 AM IPO Promise



Delivered on distribution growth through the downturn and exceeded 1.15x IPO DCF coverage target by 22%

AM Distribution Per Unit and DCF Coverage



Distributable Cash Flow⁽¹⁾:

Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾:

\$53 MM

IPO Year - 2014

\$67 MM

2018 Guidance

\$575 MM - \$625 MM

\$705 MM - \$755 MM

+990%

+1,032%

^{1.} Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow are non-GAAP measures. For additional information regarding these measures, please see "Antero Midstream Non-GAAP Measures" in the Appendix.

Well Positioned Midstream Family



Elite sponsor (AR) with scale, growth, declining leverage (Ba2/BB+/BBB-) and free cash flow

Longer lateral
development plan
reduces AM 5-year capex
by \$500 MM with same
throughput

AM's organic growth model requires no acquisitions, no drop downs, no new equity

Visibility to provide distribution growth targets through 2022 for AM and AMGP

Sustainable cash flow growth

Generating 5-year free cash flow before distributions of \$2.4 billion

Relentless focus
on returns
Project level returns
averaging 25%

15% to 20% corporate return on invested capital



Self-funding
MLP with
top-tier
distribution
growth, low
leverage, and free
cash flow
generation



Free Cash Flow is a non-GAAP measure. For additional information regarding this measure, please see "Antero Midstream Non-GAAP Measures" in the Appendix.







Antero's Integrated Strategy

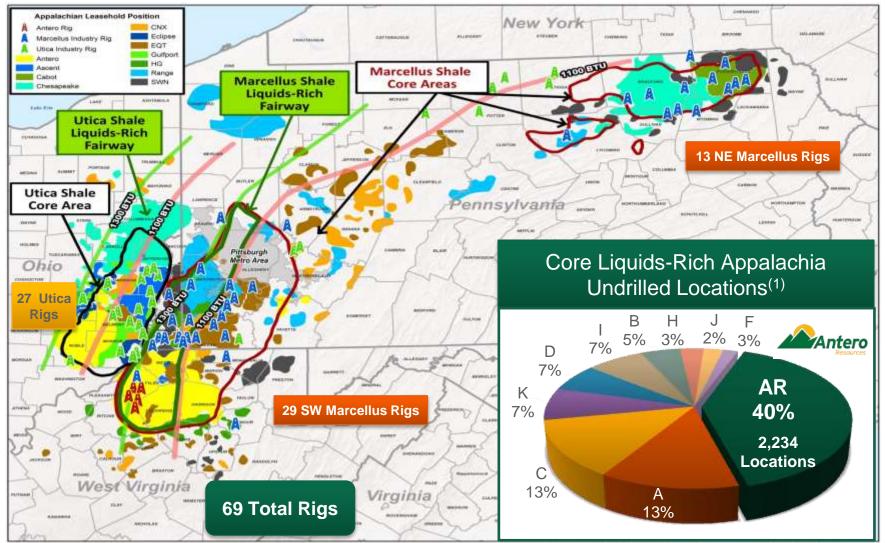


Antero Midstream is an integral part of Antero Resources long-term development plan



Largest Core Liquids-Rich Inventory in Appalachia





40% of Core Undrilled Liquids-Rich Locations are Held by Antero

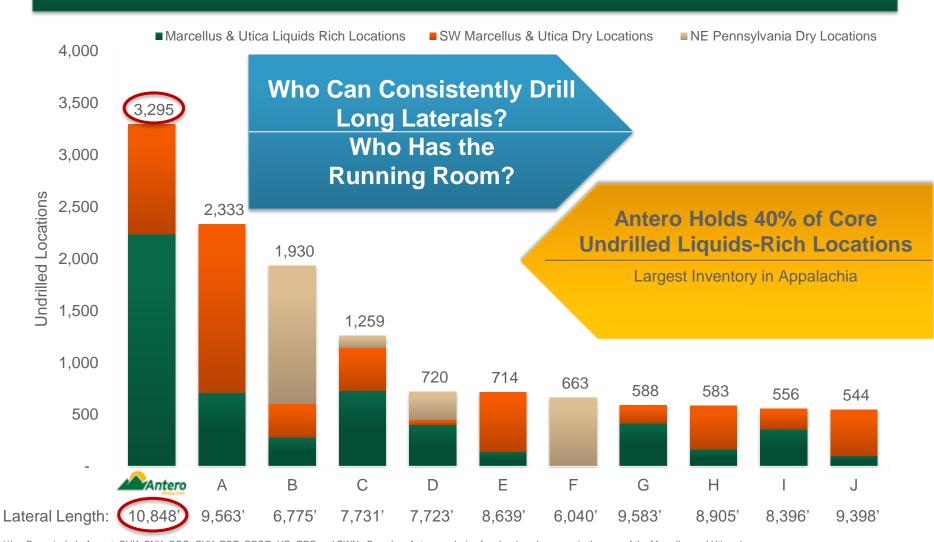
Note: Core outlines are based upon Antero geologic interpretation, well control, drilling activity, well economics and peer acreage positions; undrilled location count net of acreage allocated to publicly disclosed joint ventures. Rig information per RigData as of 8/10/2018.

(1) Peers include Ascent, CHK, CNX, COG, CVX, EQT, GPOR, HG, RRC and SWN.

Largest Undrilled Core Drilling Inventory



Undrilled Core Marcellus & Utica Locations⁽¹⁾



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Long Lateral Development Plan

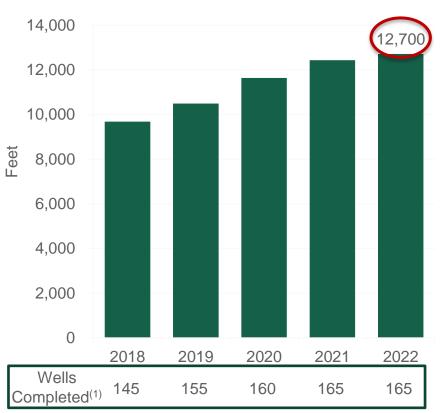


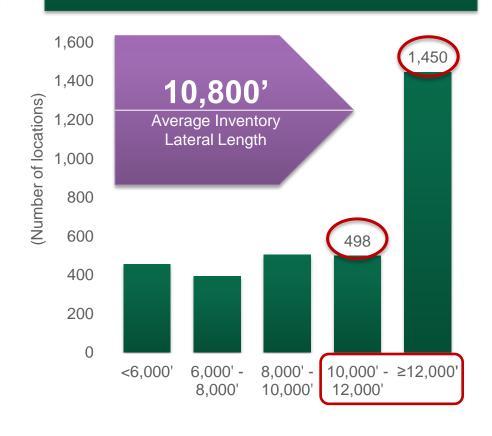
5-Year Plan Averages 11,500'

59% of Inventory Now ≥ 10,000' Lateral Length

Average Lateral Length per Completed Well







⁽¹⁾ Wells completed reflects midpoint of targeted completions per year.



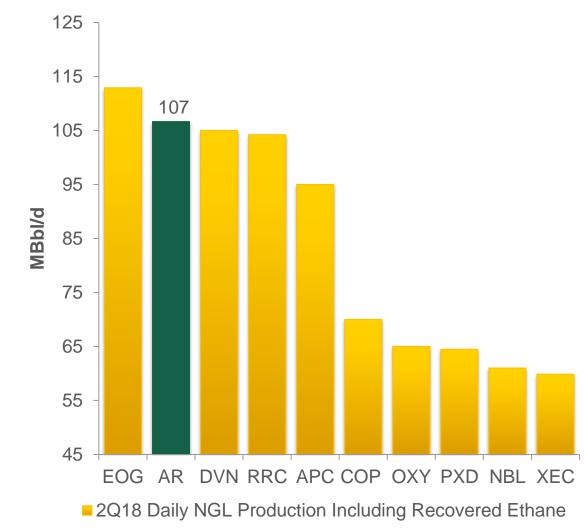
AR is One of the Largest NGL Producers in the U.S.



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AR's significant production and underlying liquids-rich resource base

"seat at the table"
for downstream
liquids projects as
evidenced by the
processing &
fractionation JV



Top U.S. NGL Producers – 2Q18 (MBbl/d)

Outstanding Corporate Level Well Economics



Well Economics Support Investment

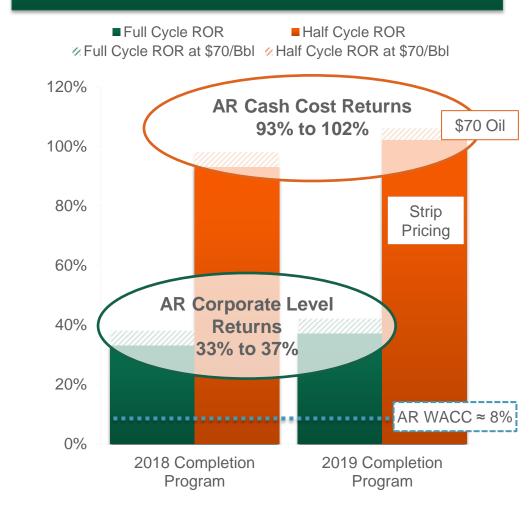
ROR Well in Excess of Cost of Capital

33% - 37% Corporate Level ROR

2018 & 2019 Full Cycle Returns

Assumes 6/30/2018
Strip & Excludes
Hedging Impact

Single Well Economics – Excluding Hedges



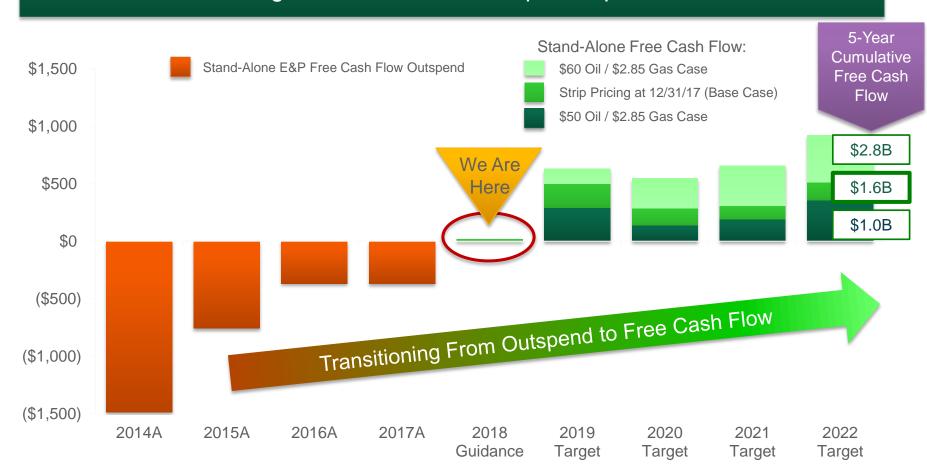
Note: Half cycle ROR burdened with 60% of AM fees to give credit for AM ownership/distributions and firm transportation variable fees. Full cycle ROR burdened with G&A, allocated land costs, 100% of AM fees and full FT costs. See Appendix for detailed assumptions for full cycle and half cycle single well economics; WACC calculated using CAPM.



ARs Lower Capital & Higher Liquids → Free Cash Flow



Over \$1.6B of Targeted Free Cash Flow from 2018 to 2022 at Strip Pricing Including Maintenance Land Capital Expenditures



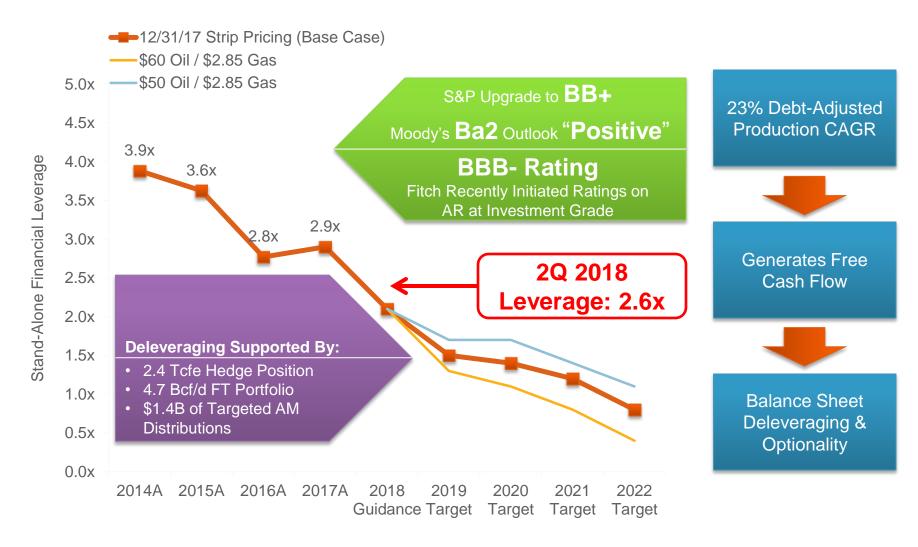
D&C Capital Investment Fully Funded with Cash Flow

Note: See definitions for free cash flow and assumptions behind long-term targets in Appendix; free cash flow definition includes \$200MM maintenance land spending, but excludes \$300MM discretionary land spending.



Cash Flow Growth → Deleveraging Profile



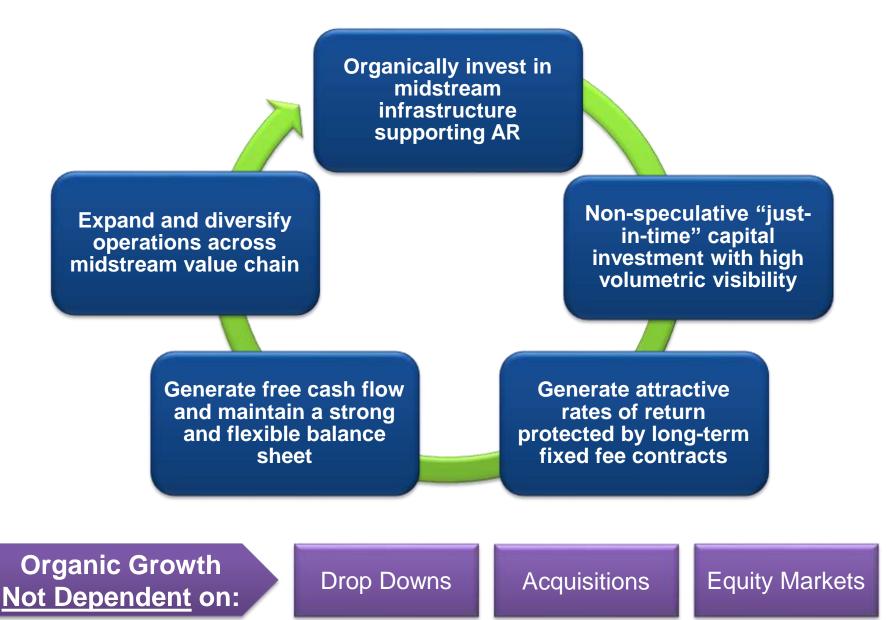


Leverage targets inclusive of \$500 MM of maintenance and discretionary land capex from 2018 - 2022

Note: See Appendix for key definitions and assumptions. Stand-alone financial leverage is calculated by dividing year-end stand-alone debt by last twelve months stand-alone EBITDAX. Note all free cash flow after land spending is assumed to be used for debt reduction.



Antero Midstream's Organic Growth Strategy



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Antero Midstream's Premier Asset Footprint



Antero Midstream provides a customized full value chain midstream solution in the lowest cost natural gas and liquids basins: the Marcellus and Utica Shale

Gathering and Compression

 Integrated system in the core of the Marcellus and Utica Shales delivering wellhead gas directly to key processing plants and long haul pipelines

Processing and Fractionation

 Joint Venture with MPLX (NYSE: MPLX) aligns the largest liquids-rich resource base with the dominant processing and fractionation footprint in Appalachia

Fresh Water Delivery

 Largest freshwater delivery system in Appalachia that has a 100% track record of timely fresh water deliveries to AR's completions

Wastewater Handling and Treatment

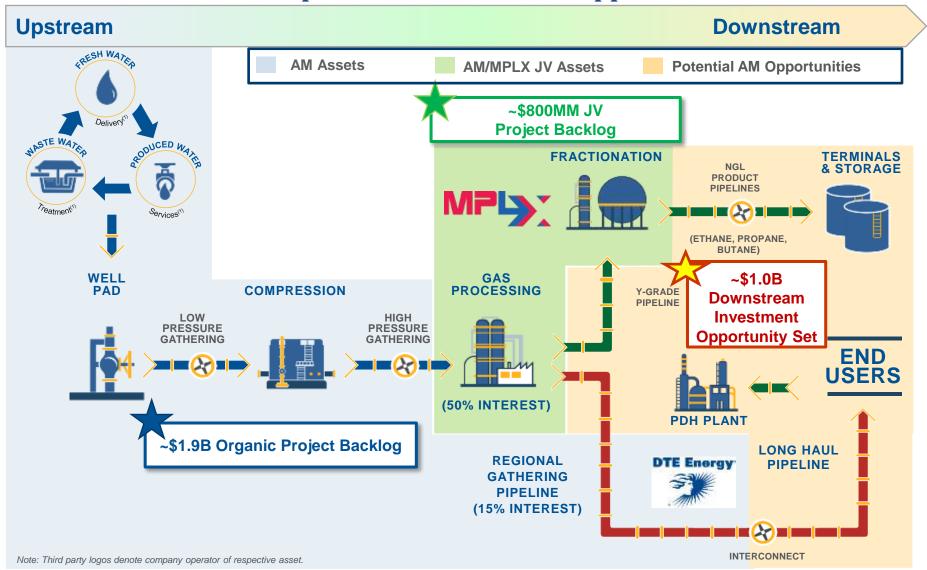
Largest wastewater treatment facility in the world for shale oil and gas operations



Driving Northeast Value Chain Buildout



5-year identified project inventory of \$2.7B plus an additional ~\$1.0B of potential downstream opportunities





Gathering and Compression Asset Overview



Significant long-term volumetric visibility from AR supports efficient gathering and compression infrastructure buildout and attractive project returns

Asset Strategy

- "Just-in-time" capital investment philosophy appropriately sizing infrastructure buildout for visible production growth from AR
- Eliminate "gas waiting on pipe"
- Target high asset utilization rates and continued focus on expense reduction strategies
- 100% fixed fee revenues & MVC's

Historical Compression Utilization Avg. Capacity Volumes **—**% Utilization MMcf/d 92% 1,600 100% 87% 90% 1,400 73% 80% 1,200 70% 1,000 60% 800 50% 40% 600 30% 400 20% 200 10% 0% 2015 2016 2017

2018 & 2019 Gathering & Compression Projects

		Size	In-
Gathering Pipelines	Miles	(Inch)	Service
Rich Gas "West End Loop"	15	30	3Q18
East Mountain LP Trunkline	10	20	4Q18
Tyler/Wetzel Connector	15	30	3Q19
Tyler/Wetzel LP Gathering	15	20	Ongoing

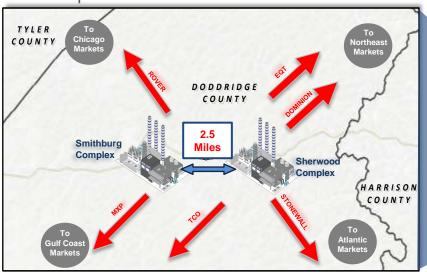
Compressor Station	Location	Capacity (MMcf/d)	In- Service
Madison	Utica	200	1Q18
South Canton	Marcellus	240	1Q18
Wick Expansion	Marcellus	80	3Q18
East Mountain	Marcellus	240	4Q18
Ferrell	Marcellus	160	1Q19
Ferrell Expansion	Marcellus	80	3Q19
Morris	Marcellus	160	4Q19
Total		1,160	

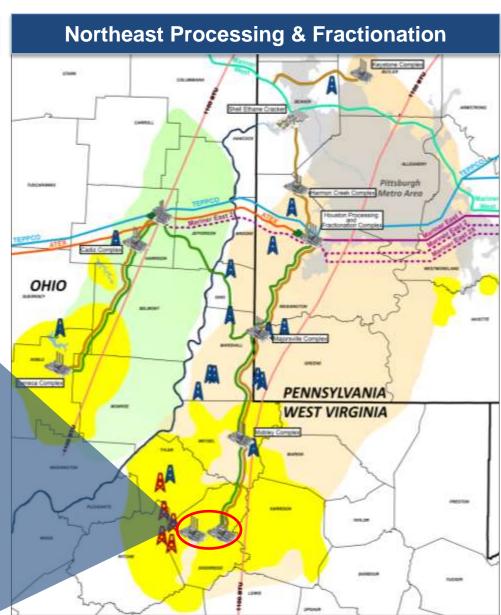
New Joint Venture Processing Site



New Processing Site

- AM and MPLX are beginning civil construction on a new JV processing site named "Smithburg" in Doddridge County, WV
- Strategically located 2.5 miles west of Sherwood with interconnectivity
- Site layout for 6 plants with 1.2 Bcf/d of processing capacity
- Integrated with MPLX's dominant NGL infrastructure footprint
- Connects to major long-haul pipelines including Rover, MXP, TCO, Stonewall, and local firm transportation







Processing and Fractionation Asset Overview



Joint Venture aligns the largest core liquids-rich resource base with largest processing and fractionation footprint in Appalachia

Asset Strategy

- Support rich-gas and C3+ NGL volume growth at AR, investing "Just-in-time" capital along side MPLX
- By year-end 2018, Sherwood is expected to be the largest processing facility in the U.S
- 100% fixed-fee supported by MVC's

2,500 2,000 1,500 1,000 500 YE 2017 YE 2018 Full Buildout (YE 2021)

2018 Processing and Fractionation Projects

Growth Projects	Capacity (MMcf/d)	In- Service
Sherwood 9 Processing Plant	200	1Q18
Sherwood 10 Processing Plant	200	3Q18
Sherwood 11 Processing Plant	200	4Q18
Hopedale 4 Fractionator (MBbl/d)	60,000	4Q18
Sherwood 12 Processing Plant	200	2Q19
Sherwood 13 Processing Plant	200	3Q19

Note: JV owns a 1/3 interest in Hopedale 4 Fractionator, or 20,000 Bbl/d net capacity.

JV Fractionation Capacity (MBbl/d)



Freshwater Delivery Asset Overview



Due to the reliability of AM's buried fresh water pipeline system, AM has a 100% track record of timely fresh water deliveries to AR's completions

Asset Strategy

- Provide timely service to allow AR to maintain its development pace and flexibility
- Reduce footprint (eliminated >620,000 truck trips and 42,000 tons of CO2 emissions in 2017 alone)
- 100% fixed fee with MVC's
- AM's firm water service at the pad saves AR an estimated \$0.50 per barrel for fresh water

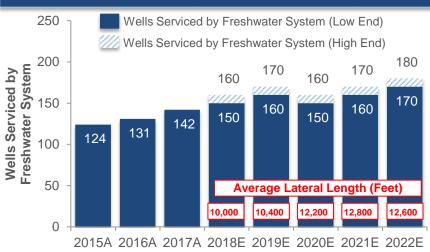
Water Per Foot Used in Completions



2018 & 2019 Fresh Water Projects

Growth Projects	Miles/ Capacity	In- Service
Heaster to Pioneer Buried Line	4 miles	3Q18
Pioneer to Lancaster Buried Line	6 miles	3Q19
Ohio River to Pioneer Buried Line	10 miles	4Q19
Lancaster Fresh Water Impoundment	316,000 Bbls	3Q19
Ohio River Withdrawal Facility	80 Bbl/Min	4Q19
Tyler/Wetzel Surface Line Connects	-	Ongoing

Wells Serviced by Fresh Water System





Antero Clearwater Facility Asset Overview



The Antero Clearwater Facility is the largest advanced wastewater treatment facility in the world for shale oil and gas operations

Asset Strategy

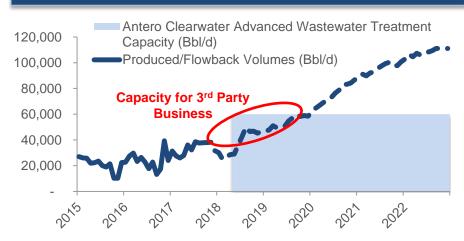
- Veolia will build and operate, and Antero will fund and own the Clearwater facility
- Treat and recycle AR produced and flowback water and deliver it into fresh water system, creating additional year-round water source for completions
- Target third party business until AR volumes utilize 100% of capacity

Clearwater Facility Details

- Currently treating ~20-25 MBbl/d
- 60,000 Bbl/d of capacity
- \$55 \$65MM of Adjusted EBITDA at 100% utilization
- Marketable by-products used in oil and gas operations

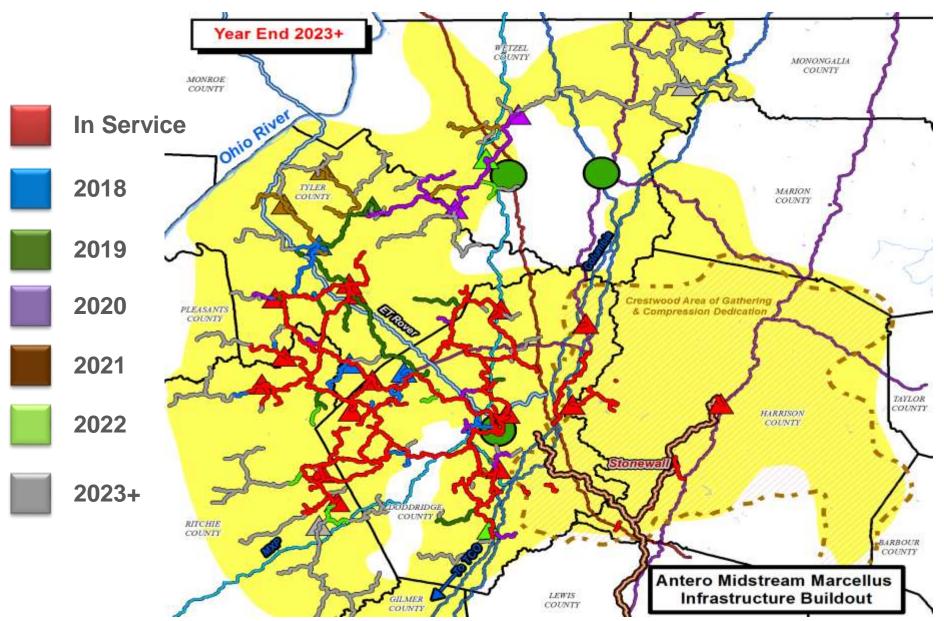


Treatment Capacity & Volumes



Projected Marcellus Midstream Buildout

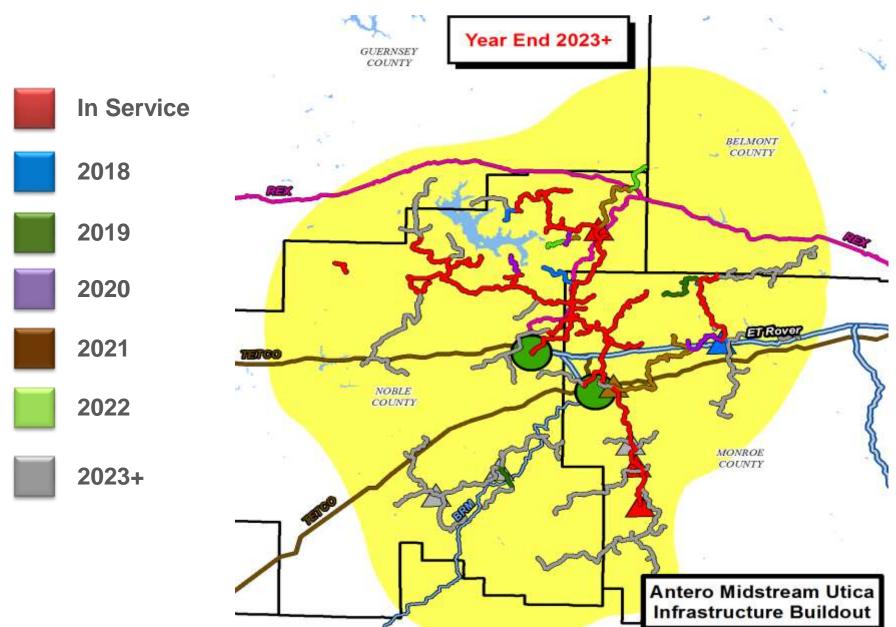






Projected Utica Midstream Buildout





5-year Organic Project Backlog: 2018 - 2022

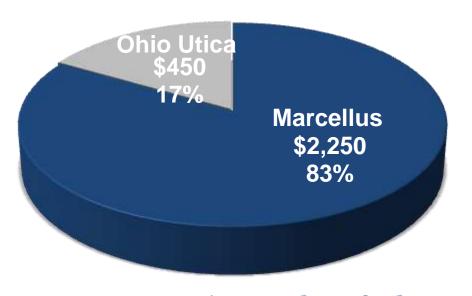


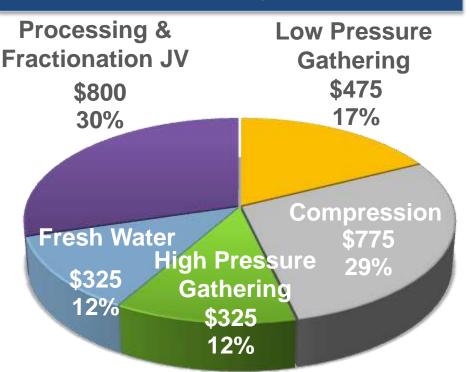
"High-graded" organic project backlog of \$2.7B from 2018 - 2022

Primary focus on rich gas Marcellus infrastructure

\$2.7B Project Backlog – By Area

\$2.7B Project Backlog – By Function





5-year identified project inventory of \$2.7B

Note: Processing and fractionation JV includes \$200MM of capital incremental to original \$800MM investment for additional processing facilities constructed in the 5-year plan.

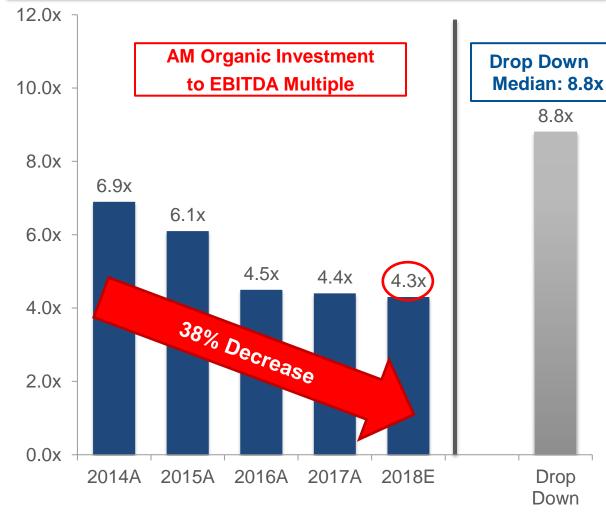
Organic Growth Drives Attractive Rates of Return



\$3.1B invested through 9/30/17 on midstream infrastructure

AM Builds at 3x to 6x EBITDA vs. Other MLPs that Drop Down/Buy at 8x to 12x+ EBITDA

AM Organic EBITDA Buildout Multiples



See appendix for organic EBITDA buildout multiple calculation. Dropdown multiple based on drop-down transactions from 2012 – 2017. per Wall Street research.

Antero Midstream Return on Invested Capital



2017 ROIC of 15% in only fourth year of AM operations

Future organic growth capital leverages existing trunklines and major gathering arteries

Fewer pads to service reduces capital with same throughput

AM Return on Invested Capital (ROIC)



Source: Factset consensus estimates. See appendix for ROIC calculation

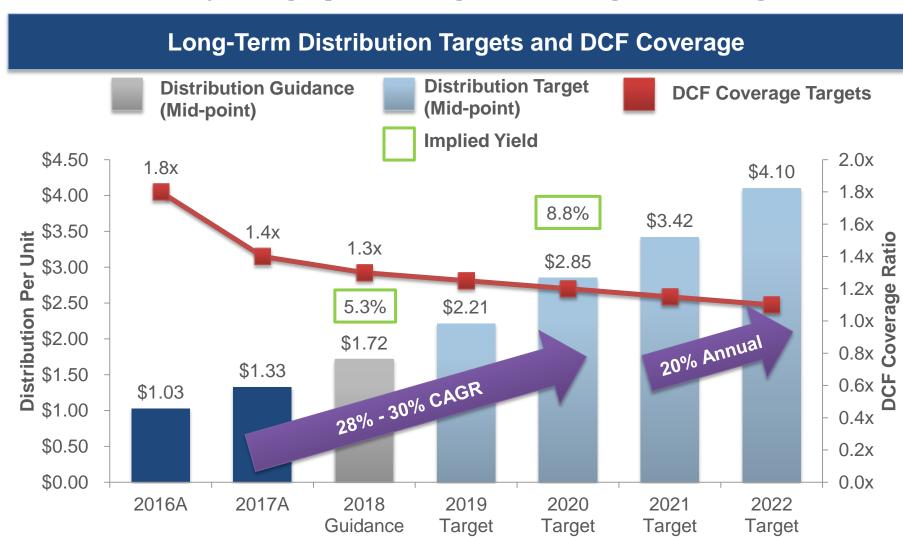
Return on invested capital is a non-GAAP measure. For additional information regarding this measure, please see "Antero Midstream Non-GAAP Measures" in the Appendix.



Long-Term Distribution and Coverage Targets



Unchanged capital investment philosophy with disciplined financial policies result in ability to target peer-leading distribution growth through 2022



Financial Policy Overview



Prudent Leverage

- Maintain conservative leverage profile between 2.0x 2.5x net debt to LTM Adjusted EBITDA
 - With ability to flex up to 3.0x on a short-term basis for accretive transactions

Strong DCF Coverage

- Target distribution coverage average of 1.25x through 2020 and >1.1x thereafter to preserve financial flexibility
 - Organic growth will be the primary focus and 3rd party business / acquisitions will be opportunistic and dependent on Antero Midstream's visibility of throughput volumes

Fund with Cash Flow

- Fund organic growth plan with cash flow and credit facility borrowings
 - Availability to utilize at-the-market equity issuance program to fund accretive acquisitions and growth opportunities

Liquidity

Maintain sufficient liquidity position to fund organic growth opportunities



AMGP Leads the Pack



AR's visible and de-risked development plan

AM's organic growth strategy results in peer-leading LP distribution growth

AMGP is in it's early stage IDR growth phase

100%
"Pure Play"
IDR Vehicle

Debt-free unlevered balance sheet General Partner with unmatched yield growth

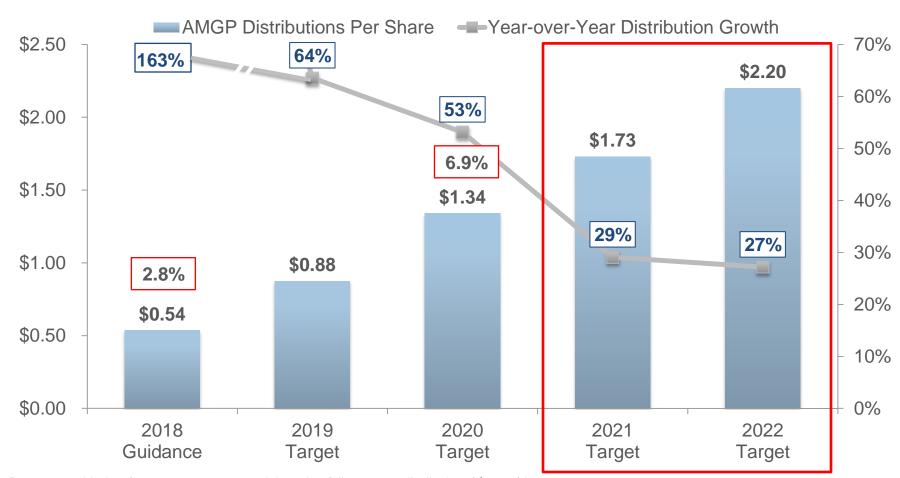


Long-Term Distribution Targets



As a result of AM targeting 20% distribution growth in 2021 and 2022, AMGP is targeting distribution growth of 29% and 27% in 2021 and 2022

AMGP Long-Term Distribution Targets (Midpoint)



Note: Represents midpoint of target range. 2018 growth based on full year 2017 distribution of \$0.205/share. Based on AMGP Share price of \$19.34 as of 8/10/18.

Most Integrated Natural Gas And NGL Story in the U.S.



A Leading Northeast Infrastructure Provider



- Organic "just-in-time" investment strategy with high visibility
- 2 Expanding operations across the midstream value chain
- 3 Strong balance sheet & unmatched visibility
- 4 Best in class distribution growth and coverage



- Unmatched yield growth
- 2 "Pure play" IDR vehicle
- 3 Debt-free balance sheet

World Class Operator in Appalachia



- 1 Multi-decade resource base and largest core drilling inventory in Appalachia
- 2 Long-term development plan anchored by firm transportation, hedge portfolio, liquids exposure and midstream ownership
- 3 Attractive well and corporate level returns driven by low F&D costs and liquids uplift
- 4 Strong and improving balance sheet with free cash flow generation





Guidance Summary - 2018



Guidance	2018 Guidance
Net Income (\$MM)	\$435 - \$480
Adjusted EBITDA (\$MM)	\$705 - \$755
DCF (\$MM)	\$575 - \$625
Distribution Growth	28 – 30%
DCF Coverage	1.25x - 1.35x
Maintenance Capex (\$MM)	\$65
Growth Capex (\$MM)	\$585
Total Capex (\$MM)	\$650

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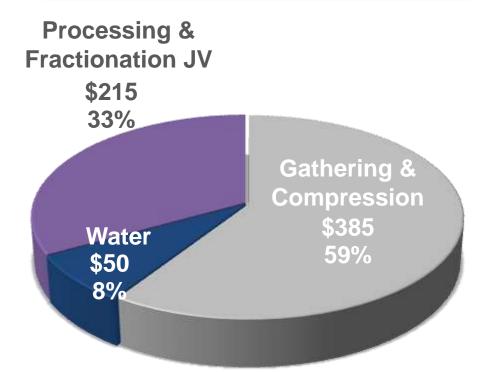
Capital and EBITDA Contribution - 2018



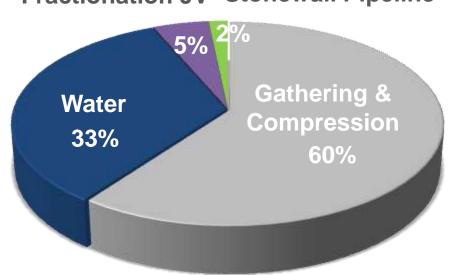
2018 organic capital budget fully funded with retained cash flow and credit facility borrowings, no need for equity financing

Capital Expenditures (\$MM)

Adjusted EBITDA (\$MM)



Processing & Fractionation JV Stonewall Pipeline



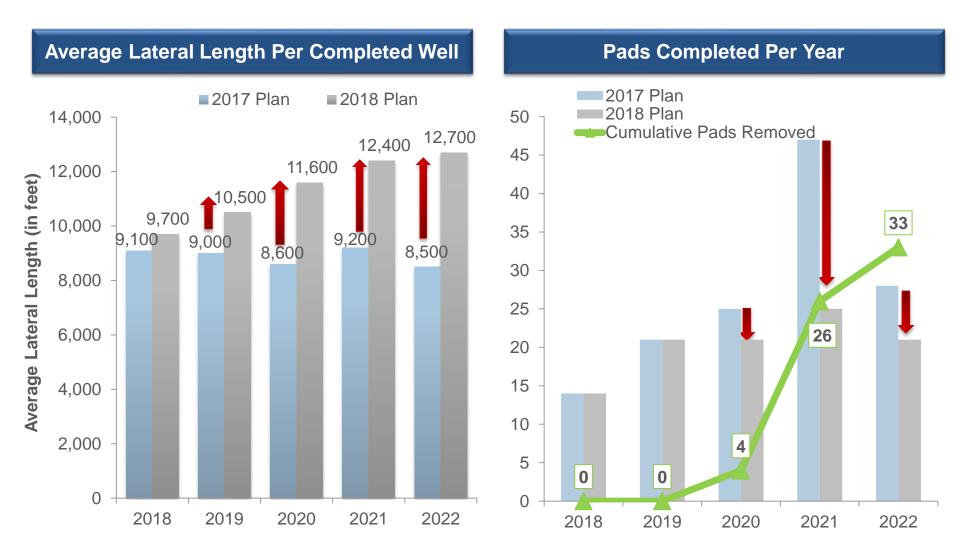
Capital Budget: \$650MM

Adjusted EBITDA Guidance: \$705-755MM

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Pad Efficiency Results in Capital Efficiency





AR's Marcellus-focused development plan with longer laterals results in fewer pad connections and a \$500 million reduction in AM gathering and fresh water capex over five years

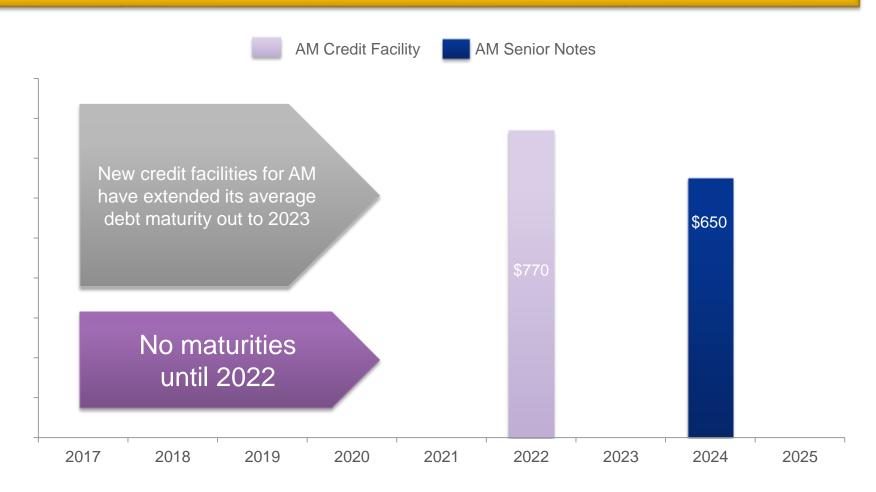
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Liquidity & Debt Term Structure

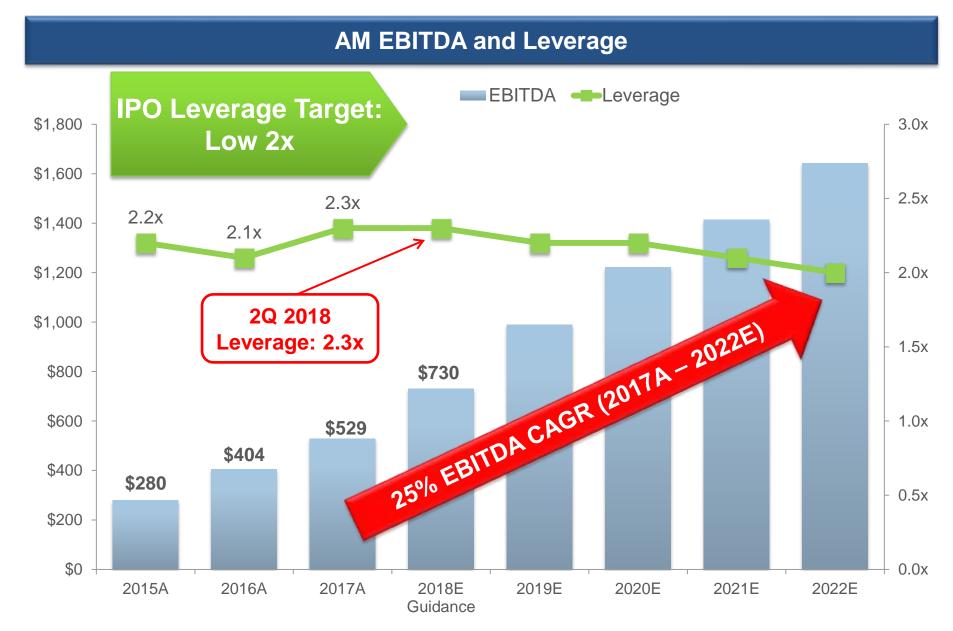






Disciplined EBITDA Growth





5-year Organic Project Backlog Reduction



\$500MM in Capital Efficiencies Reduce 5-Year Backlog to \$2.7B with No Change in Throughput Targets



Capital Efficiency Drives Free Cash Flow Generation

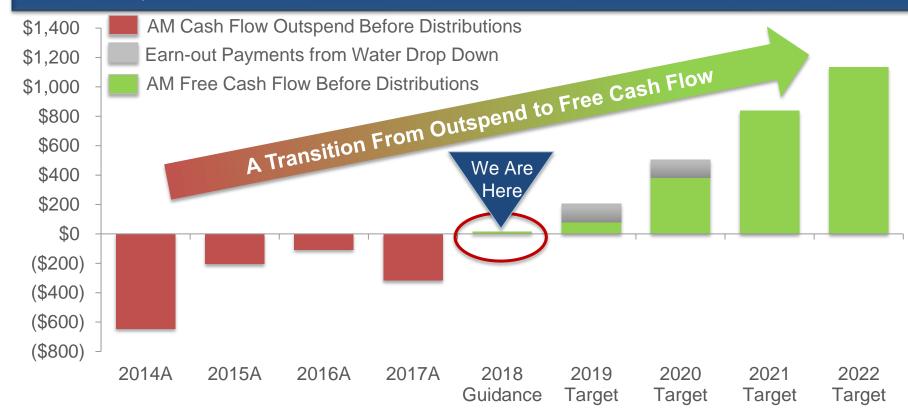


Significant Investment in Gathering, Compression, Fresh Water

Significant Investment in Processing, Fractionation, Wastewater

Leverage existing asset base and realization of "full build-out EBITDA multiples"

Over \$2.4B of Free Cash Flow from 2018 – 2022 Before Distributions



Note: Includes water earnings and capital invested on a recast basis prior to drop down and excludes drop down purchase price

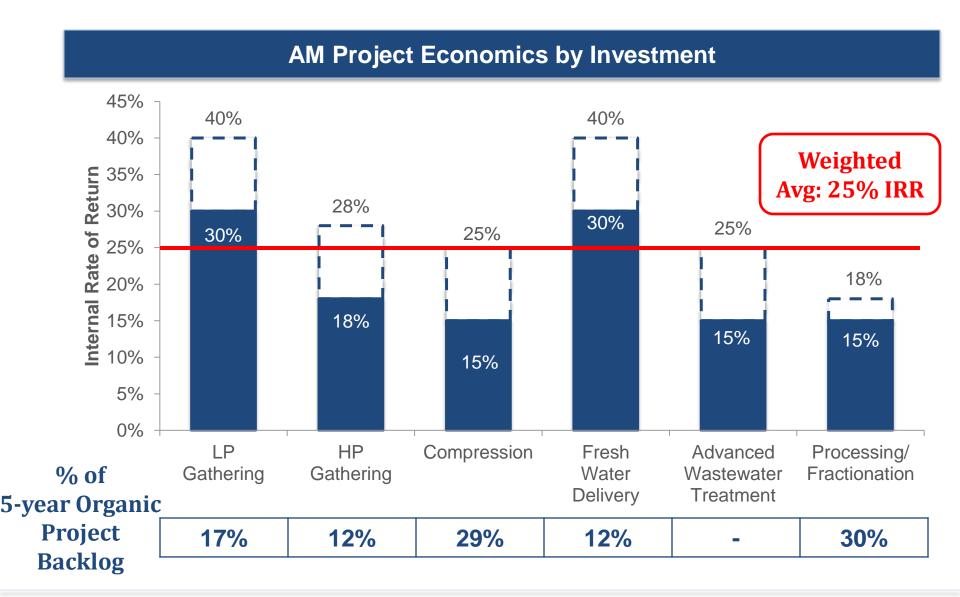
Free Cash Flow is a non-GAAP measure. For additional information regarding this measure, please see "Antero Midstream Non-GAAP Measures" in the Appendix.



Antero Midstream Project Economics



"Just-in-time" capital investment philosophy drives attractive project IRR's



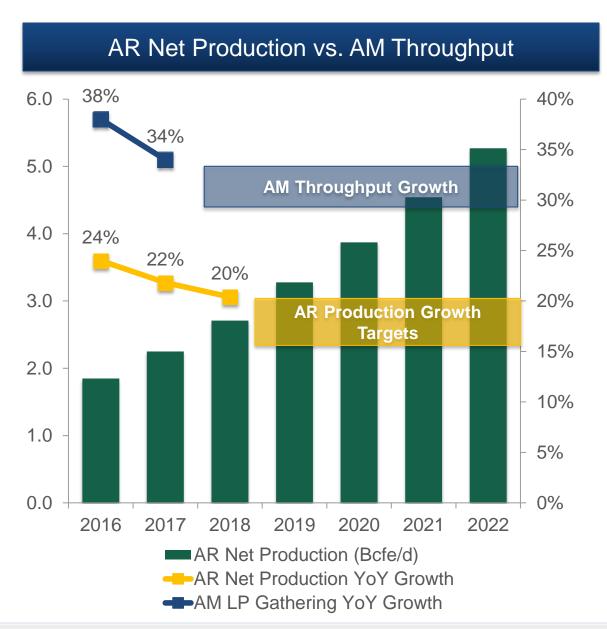
AR Development Focused on AM Dedicated Acreage



Attractive E&P economics on liquids-rich acreage dedicated to AM

5-year development plan focused on AM dedicated acreage

AM throughput growth higher than AR net production growth



Improving Midstream Capital Efficiencies



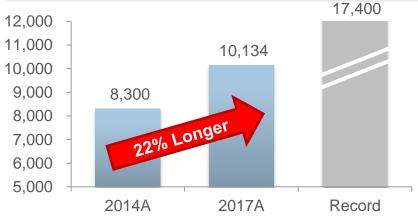


Increasing Recoveries More Wells Per Pad

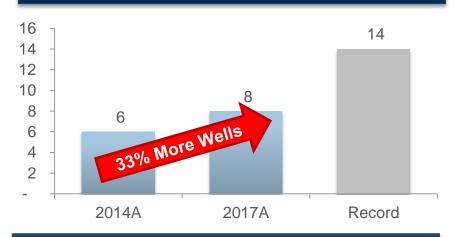


More Efficient
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Investment

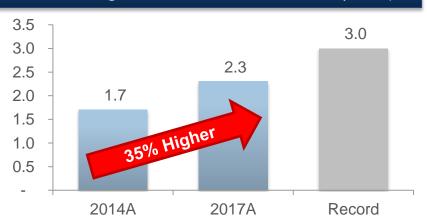
Increasing Lateral Lengths (Feet)



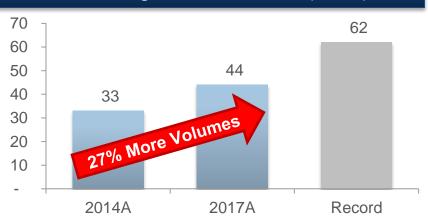
Increasing Wells Per Pad



Increasing Recoveries Per 1,000' (Bcfe)



Increasing Water Per Foot (Bbl/ft)





Antero Midstream Capex Reduction



\$500MM cumulative capital reduction vs.

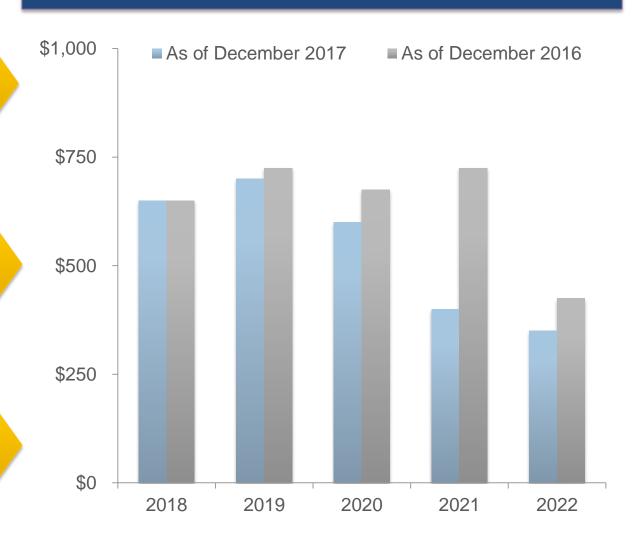
December 2016

budget

Infrastructure plan focused in the Marcellus leverages existing AM assets

10-year identified project backlog of ~\$4.5B

AM Capex (Excluding Earn-outs)





Advanced Completions Utilize More Water



Vintage 1,000 – 1,500 lb/ft proppant completions use 33-34 Bbl/ft of water

AR applies 2,000-2,500 lb/ft completions in 2017 utilizing 25% more water vs. vintage

Budget plan assumes 2,000 lb/ft completions

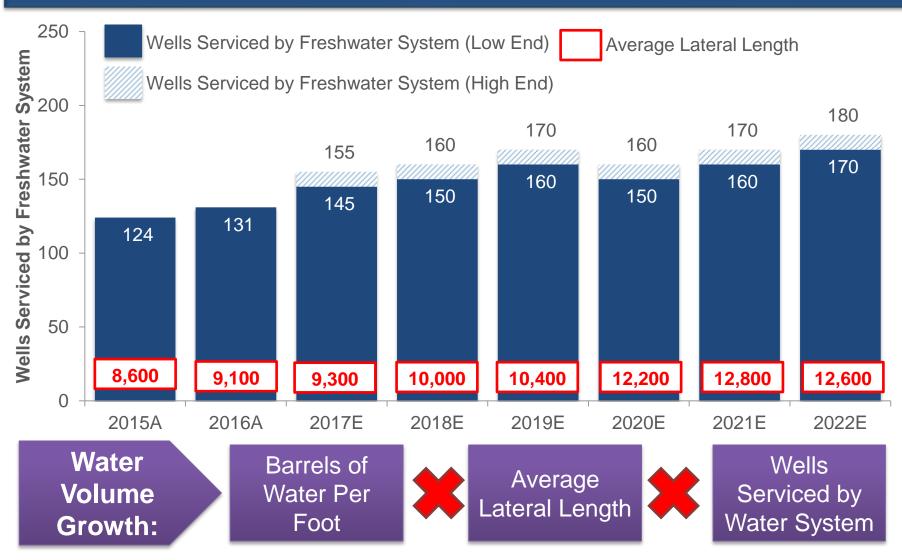
Water Per Foot Used in Completions (Bbl/ft)



Fresh Water Delivery Volume Growth



Wells Serviced by Fresh Water Delivery System and Lateral Length



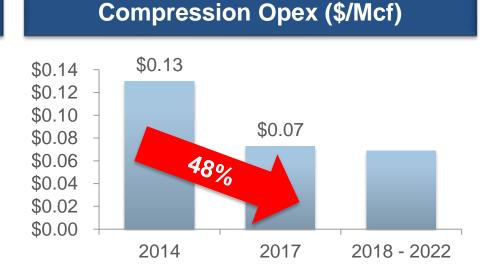
Note: Lateral lengths based on wells serviced by freshwater system and vary slightly vs. AR completions due to timing lag of wells serviced by system vs. tied-in line

Focus on Operating Expense Reduction Since IPO

2018 - 2022







Fresh Water Delivery (\$/Bbl)

2017

2014







Maintenance Capital Methodology



Maintenance Capital Calculation Methodology – Low Pressure Gathering

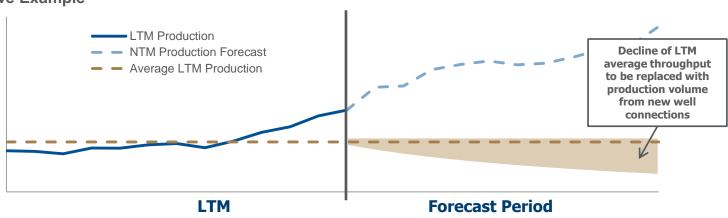
- Estimate the number of new well connections needed during the forecast period in order to offset the natural production decline and maintain the average throughput volume on our system over the LTM period
- (1) Compare this number of well connections to the total number of well connections estimated to be made during such period, and
- (2) Designate an equal percentage of our estimated low pressure gathering capital expenditures as maintenance capital expenditures

Maintenance Capital Calculation Methodology – Fresh Water Distribution

- Estimate the number of wells to which we would need to distribute fresh water during the forecast period in order to maintain the average fresh water throughput volume on our system over the LTM period
- (1) Compare this number of wells to the total number of new wells to which we expect to distribute fresh water during such period, and
- (2) Designate an equal percentage of our estimated water line capital expenditures as maintenance capital expenditures

Maintenance capital expenditures are cash expenditures (including expenditures for the construction or development of new capital assets or the replacement, improvement or expansion of existing capital assets) made to maintain, over the long term, our operating capacity or revenue

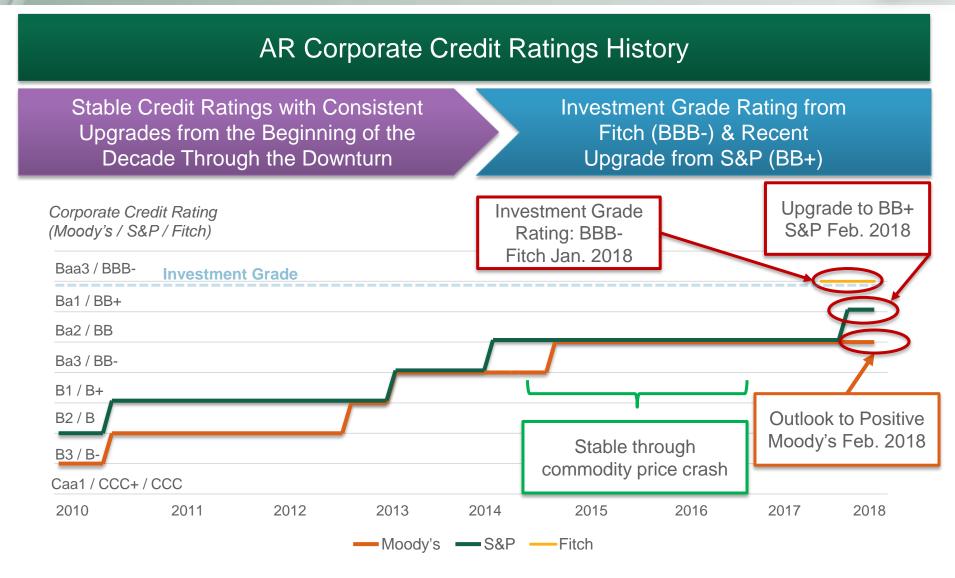
Illustrative Example



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Deleveraging is Driving Ratings Momentum





Credit Markets Have a Strong Appreciation for Antero Momentum



Antero Midstream Non-GAAP Measures



Non-GAAP Financial Measures and Definitions

Antero Midstream views Adjusted EBITDA as an important indicator of the Partnership's performance. Antero Midstream defines Adjusted EBITDA as Net Income before interest expense, depreciation expense, impairment expense, accretion of contingent acquisition consideration, equity-based compensation expense, excluding equity in earnings of unconsolidated affiliates and including cash distributions from unconsolidated affiliates.

Antero Midstream uses Adjusted EBITDA to assess:

- the financial performance of the Partnership's assets, without regard to financing methods in the case of Adjusted EBITDA, capital structure or historical cost basis;
- its operating performance and return on capital as compared to other publicly traded partnerships in the midstream energy sector, without regard to financing or capital structure; and
- the viability of acquisitions and other capital expenditure projects.

The Partnership defines Distributable Cash Flow as Adjusted EBITDA less interest paid, income tax withholding payments and cash reserved for payments of income tax withholding upon vesting of equity-based compensation awards, cash reserved for bond interest and ongoing maintenance capital expenditures paid. Antero Midstream uses Distributable Cash Flow as a performance metric to compare the cash generating performance of the Partnership from period to period and to compare the cash generating performance for specific periods to the cash distributions (if any) that are expected to be paid to unitholders. Distributable Cash Flow does not reflect changes in working capital balances.

The Partnership defines Free Cash Flow as cash flow from operating activities before changes in working capital less capital expenditures. Management believes that Free Cash Flow is a useful indicator of the Partnership's ability to internally fund infrastructure investments, service or incur additional debt, and assess the company's financial performance and its ability to generate excess cash from its operations. Management believes that changes in operating assets and liabilities relate to the timing of cash receipts and disbursements and therefore may not relate to the period in which the operating activities occurred.

The Partnership defines Return on Invested Capital as net income plus interest expense divided by average total liabilities and partners' capital, excluding current liabilities. Management believes that Return on Invested Capital is a useful indicator of the Partnership's return on its infrastructure investments.

The Partnership defines Adjusted Operating Cash Flow as net cash provided by operating activities before changes in current assets and liabilities. See "Non-GAAP Measures" for additional detail.

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Antero Midstream Non-GAAP Measures



The GAAP financial measure nearest to Adjusted Operating Cash Flow is cash flow from operating activities as reported in Antero Midstream's consolidated financial statements. Management believes that Adjusted Operating Cash Flow is a useful indicator of the company's ability to internally fund its activities and to service or incur additional debt. Management believes that changes in current assets and liabilities, which are excluded from the calculation of these measures, relate to the timing of cash receipts and disbursements and therefore may not relate to the period in which the operating activities occurred and generally do not have a material impact on the ability of the company to fund its operations. Management believes that Free Cash Flow is a useful measure for assessing the company's financial performance and measuring its ability to generate excess cash from its operations.

There are significant limitations to using Adjusted Operating Cash Flow and Free Cash Flow as measures of performance, including the inability to analyze the effect of certain recurring and non-recurring items that materially affect the company's net income, the lack of comparability of results of operations of different companies and the different methods of calculating Adjusted Operating Cash Flow reported by different companies. Adjusted Operating Cash Flow does not represent funds available for discretionary use because those funds may be required for debt service, capital expenditures, working capital, income taxes, and other commitments and obligations.

Antero Midstream has not included reconciliations of Adjusted Operating Cash Flow and Free Cash Flow to their nearest GAAP financial measures for 2018 because it would be impractical to forecast changes in current assets and liabilities. Antero Midstream is able to forecast capital expenditures, which is a reconciling item between Free Cash Flow and its most comparable GAAP financial measure. For the 2018 to 2022 period, Antero forecasts cumulative capital expenditures of \$2.7 billion.

Antero Resources non-GAAP measures and definitions are included in the Antero Resources analyst day presentation, which can be found on www.anteroresources.com.

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Antero Midstream Non-GAAP Measures



Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow are non-GAAP financial measures. The GAAP measure most directly comparable to Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow is Net Income. The non-GAAP financial measures of Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow should not be considered as alternatives to the GAAP measure of Net Income. Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow are not presentations made in accordance with GAAP and have important limitations as an analytical tool because they include some, but not all, items that affect Net Income and Adjusted EBITDA. You should not consider Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow in isolation or as a substitute for analyses of results as reported under GAAP. Antero Midstream's definition of Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of other partnerships.

Antero Midstream has not included a reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to the nearest GAAP financial measure for 2018 because it cannot do so without unreasonable effort and any attempt to do so would be inherently imprecise. Antero Midstream is able to forecast the following reconciling items between Adjusted EBITDA and net income (in thousands):

Twelve months ended December 31, 2018

	 Low		 High
Depreciation expense	\$ 160,000	—	\$ 170,000
Equity based compensation expense	25,000	_	35,000
Accretion of contingent acquisition consideration	15,000		20,000
Equity in earnings of unconsolidated affiliates	30,000		40,000
Distributions from unconsolidated affiliates	40,000		50,000

The Partnership cannot forecast interest expense due to the timing and uncertainty of debt issuances and associated interest rates. Additionally, Antero Midstream cannot reasonably forecast impairment expense as the impairment is driven by a number of factors that will be determined in the future and are beyond Antero Midstream's control currently.



Adjusted EBITDA and DCF Reconciliation



Adjusted EBITDA and DCF Reconciliation (\$ in thousands)

Three months ended June 30,

	June 30,			
		2017		2018
Net income	\$	87,175	\$	109,466
Interest expense		9,015		14,628
Impairment of property and equipment expense		_		4,614
Depreciation expense		30,512		36,433
Accretion of contingent acquisition consideration		3,590		3,947
Accretion of asset retirement obligations		_		34
Equity-based compensation		6,951		5,867
Equity in earnings of unconsolidated affiliates		(3,623)		(9,264)
Distributions from unconsolidated affiliates		5,820		10,810
Gain on sale of assets- Antero Resources		_		(583)
Adjusted EBITDA		139,440		175,952
Interest paid		(2,308)		372
Decrease in cash reserved for bond interest (1)		(8,734)		(8,734)
Income tax withholding upon vesting of Antero Midstream Partners LP equity-based compensation awards ⁽²⁾		(2,431)		(1,500)
Maintenance capital expenditures ⁽³⁾		(16,422)		(16,000)
Distributable Cash Flow	\$	109,545	\$	150,090
Distributions Declared to Antero Midstream Holders				
Limited Partners		59,695		72,943
Incentive distribution rights		15,328		28,461
Total Aggregate Distributions	\$	75,023	\$	101,404
DCF coverage ratio		1.5x		1.3x

¹⁾ Cash reserved for bond interest expense on Antero Midstream's 5.375% senior notes outstanding during the period that is paid on a semi-annual basis on March 15th and September 15th of each year.

²⁾ Estimate of current period portion of expected cash payment for income tax withholding attributable to vesting of Midstream LTIP equity-based compensation awards to be paid in the fourth quarter.

³⁾ Maintenance capital expenditures represent the portion of our estimated capital expenditures associated with (i) the connection of new wells to our gathering and processing systems that we believe will be necessary to offset the natural production declines Antero Resources will experience on all of its wells over time, and (ii) water delivery to new wells necessary to maintain the average throughput volume on our systems.



Antero Resources Cautionary Note



Regarding Hydrocarbon Quantities

The SEC permits oil and gas companies, in their filings with the SEC, to disclose only proved, probable and possible reserve estimates (collectively, "3P"). Antero has provided internally generated estimates for proved, probable and possible reserves in this presentation in accordance with SEC guidelines and definitions. The estimates of proved, probable and possible reserves as of December 31, 2017 included in this presentation have been audited by Antero's third-party engineers. Unless otherwise noted, reserve estimates as of December 31, 2017 assume ethane rejection and strip pricing.

Actual quantities that may be ultimately recovered from Antero's interests may differ substantially from the estimates in this presentation. Factors affecting ultimate recovery include the scope of Antero's ongoing drilling program, which will be directly affected by commodity prices, the availability of capital, drilling and production costs, availability of drilling services and equipment, drilling results, lease expirations, transportation constraints, regulatory approvals and other factors; and actual drilling results, including geological and mechanical factors affecting recovery rates.

In this presentation:

- "3P reserves" refer to Antero's estimated aggregate proved, probable and possible reserves as of December 31, 2016. The SEC prohibits companies from aggregating proved, probable and possible reserves in filings with the SEC due to the different levels of certainty associated with each reserve category.
- "EUR," or "Estimated Ultimate Recovery," refers to Antero's internal estimates of per well hydrocarbon quantities that may be potentially recovered from a hypothetical future well completed as a producer in the area. These quantities do not necessarily constitute or represent reserves within the meaning of the Society of Petroleum Engineer's Petroleum Resource Management System or the SEC's oil and natural gas disclosure rules.
- "Condensate" refers to gas having a heat content between 1250 BTU and 1300 BTU in the Utica Shale.
- "Highly-Rich Gas/Condensate" refers to gas having a heat content between 1275 BTU and 1350 BTU in the Marcellus Shale and 1225 BTU and 1250 BTU in the Utica Shale.
- "Highly-Rich Gas" refers to gas having a heat content between 1200 BTU and 1275 BTU in the Marcellus Shale and 1200 BTU and 1225 BTU in the Utica Shale.
- "Rich Gas" refers to gas having a heat content of between 1100 BTU and 1200 BTU.
- "Dry Gas" refers to gas containing insufficient quantities of hydrocarbons heavier than methane to allow their commercial extraction or to require their removal in order to render the gas suitable for fuel use.

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Antero Resources Stand-Alone Adjusted EBITDAX Reconciliation



AR Stand-Alone Adjusted EBITDAX Reconciliation

(\$ in millions)	Three Months Ended 6/30/2018	LTM Ended 6/30/2018
Net income (loss) including noncontrolling interest	\$(136,385)	\$230,254
Commodity derivative gains	(55,336)	(211,640)
Gains on settled commodity derivatives	95,884	335,252
Marketing derivative (gains) losses	110	(72,730)
Gains (losses) on settled marketing derivatives	(15,884)	94,158
Interest expense	54,388	222,479
Loss on early extinguishment of debt	_	1,205
Income tax expense	(25,573)	(461,669)
Depreciation, depletion, amortization, and accretion	202,283	759,260
Impairment of unproved properties	134,437	302,473
Impairment of gathering systems and facilities	4,470	4,470
Exploration expense	1,471	7,983
Gain on change in fair value of contingent acquisition consideration	(3,947)	(14,181)
Equity-based compensation expense	13,204	65,070
Equity in net income of Antero Midstream	26,926	74,056
Distributions from Antero Midstream	38,559	143,100
Total Adjusted EBITDAX	\$334,607	\$1,479,540



Antero Resources Definitions



Consolidated Adjusted EBITDAX: Represents net income or loss from continuing operations, including noncontrolling interests, before interest expense, interest income, derivative fair value gains or losses (excluding net cash receipts or payments on derivative instruments included in derivative fair value gains or losses), taxes, impairment, depletion, depreciation, amortization, and accretion, exploration expense, franchise taxes, equity-based compensation, gain or loss on early extinguishment of debt, and gain or loss on sale of assets. Consolidated Adjusted EBITDAX also includes distributions from unconsolidated affiliates and excludes equity in earnings or losses of unconsolidated affiliates. See "Non-GAAP Measures" for additional detail.

Consolidated Adjusted Operating Cash Flow: Represents net cash provided by operating activities less changes in current assets and liabilities. See "Non-GAAP Measures" for additional detail.

Consolidated Drilling & Completion Capital: Represents drilling and completion capital as reported in AR's consolidated cash flow statements (i.e., fees paid to AM for water handling and treatment are eliminated upon consolidation and only operating costs associated with water handling and treatment are capitalized).

Debt-Adjusted Shares: Represents ending period debt divided by ending share price plus ending shares outstanding. Forecasted debt-adjusted shares assumes AR share price of \$19.87 per share as of January 12, 2018.

F&D Cost: Represents current D&C cost per 1,000' lateral divided by net EUR per 1,000' lateral assuming 85% NRI in Marcellus and 81% NRI in Utica. There is no directly comparable financial measure presented in accordance with GAAP for F&D Cost and therefore, a reconciliation to GAAP is not practicable.

Free Cash Flow: Represents Stand-alone E&P Adjusted operating cash flow, less Stand-alone E&P Drilling and Completion capital, less Land Maintenance capital. See "Non-GAAP Measures" for additional detail.

Land Maintenance Capital: Represents leasehold capital expenditures required to achieve targeted working interest percentage of 95% for 5-year development plan (i.e. historical average working interest), plus renewals associated with 5-year development plan.

Leverage Ratio: Represents ending period net debt (debt adjusted for cash and cash equivalents) divided by LTM Adjusted EBITDAX. Leverage ratios for future years reflect projected net debt divided by period Adjusted EBITDAX.

Maintenance Capital: Represents stand-alone E&P Drilling & Completion Capital expenditures that are estimated to be necessary to sustain production at current (2017) production levels (2.3 Bcfe/d).

Stand-Alone E&P Adjusted EBITDAX: Represents income or loss from continuing operations as reported in the Parent column of AR's guarantor footnote to its financial statements before interest expense, interest income, derivative fair value gains or losses from exploration and production and marketing (excluding net cash receipts or payments on derivative instruments included in derivative fair value gains or losses), impairment, depletion, depreciation, amortization, and accretion, exploration expense, franchise taxes, equity-based compensation, gain or loss on early extinguishment of debt, gain or loss on sale of assets, and gain or loss on changes in the fair value of contingent acquisition consideration. Stand-alone E&P Adjusted EBITDAX also includes distributions received from limited partner interests in Antero Midstream common units. See "Non-GAAP Measures" for additional detail.

Stand-Alone E&P Adjusted Operating Cash Flow: Represents net cash provided by operating activities as reported in the Parent column of AR's guarantor footnote to its financial statements less changes in current assets and liabilities, plus the AM cash distributions payable to AR, plus the earn out payments expected from Antero Midstream associated with the water drop down transaction that occurred in 2015. See "Non-GAAP Measures" on slide 18 for additional detail.

Stand-Alone Drilling & Completion Capital: Represents drilling and completion capital as reported in the Parent column of AR's guarantor footnote to its financial statements and includes 100% of fees paid to AM for water handling and treatment and excludes operating costs associated with AM's Water Handling and Treatment segment)

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