



Investor Presentation

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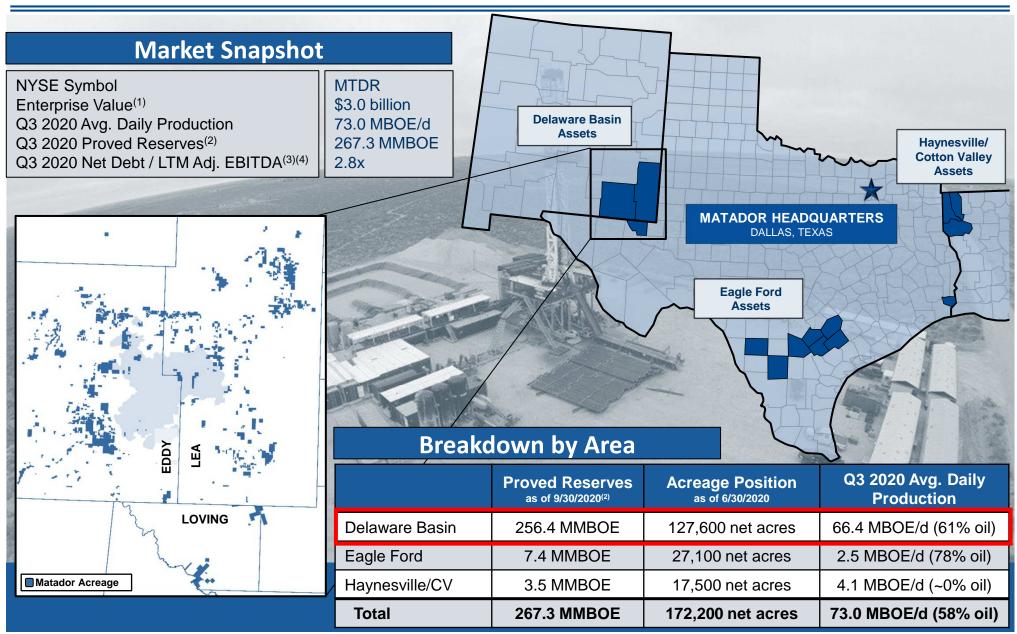




Company Overview and Investment Highlights



Matador Resources Company Overview



(1) Enterprise value calculated as the sum of Matador's market capitalization, consolidated net debt and the value of non-controlling interest in each of San Mateo Midstream, LLC ("San Mateo I") and San Mateo Midstream II, LLC ("San Mateo II," and, together with San Mateo I, "San Mateo"). Effective October 1, 2020, San Mateo II merged with and into San Mateo I. Source: Bloomberg. As of November 9, 2020.

(2) Based on the Company's internal unaudited estimates.

(3) Adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure. Reflects calculation under Matador's reserves-based revolving credit agreement (the "Credit Agreement"). For a definition of Adjusted EBITDA and a reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA (non-GAAP) to net income (loss) (GAAP) and net cash provided by operating activities (GAAP), see Appendix.

(4) For purposes of the Credit Agreement, Net Debt at September 30, 2020 is calculated as (i) \$1.05 billion in senior notes outstanding, plus (ii) \$520 million in debt under the Credit Agreement, including outstanding borrowings and letters of credit, less (iii) \$41.8 million in available cash.

Investment Highlights – Matador Resources Company (NYSE: MTDR)

High Quality E&P Assets and Rapidly Growing Midstream Business

- Matador is achieving strong operating results across its ~128,000 net acre Delaware Basin leasehold and minerals position, acquired for a weighted average cost of ~\$11,000 per net acre⁽¹⁾
- Delaware Basin midstream business (San Mateo JV) has grown its Adjusted EBITDA⁽²⁾ at a ~50% CAGR since its formation⁽³⁾

Strong, Simple Balance Sheet

• At September 30, 2020, Matador had ~\$380 million in potential borrowing capacity⁽⁴⁾ and no bond maturities until 2026

Free Cash Flow in Sight

Expect to generate free cash flow in Q4 2020 and in 2021 at current strip pricing⁽⁵⁾

Step-Change in Capital Efficiency

 Increase in longer laterals, batch drilling and regional sand use expected to drive a 44% reduction in average D&C costs per lateral foot⁽⁶⁾ from 2018 to year-end 2020

Consistent, Predictable Results—"We Do What We Say"

Matador has met or exceeded analysts' consensus financial expectations for 25 consecutive quarters

Interests Aligned with Shareholders

- Matador Named Executive Officers (NEOs) hold on average almost 5x more company stock than NEOs at peer companies⁽⁷⁾
- Matador was the first E&P company to announce salary reductions across the entire staff in March 2020

(3) Compares Q1 2017 actual results of San Mateo I to Q3 2020 combined results of San Mateo I and San Mateo II.

⁽⁷⁾ Source: Meridian Compensation Partners, LLC and 2020 peer group Proxy Statements. "Peer Average" represents the 50th percentile of Matador's 2020 peer group (CDEV, CPE, DVN, FANG, MRO, OAS, PE, SM, WPX and XEC) as determined by the Strategic Planning and Compensation Committee and Independent Board.



⁽¹⁾ Excluding small amounts of production acquired.

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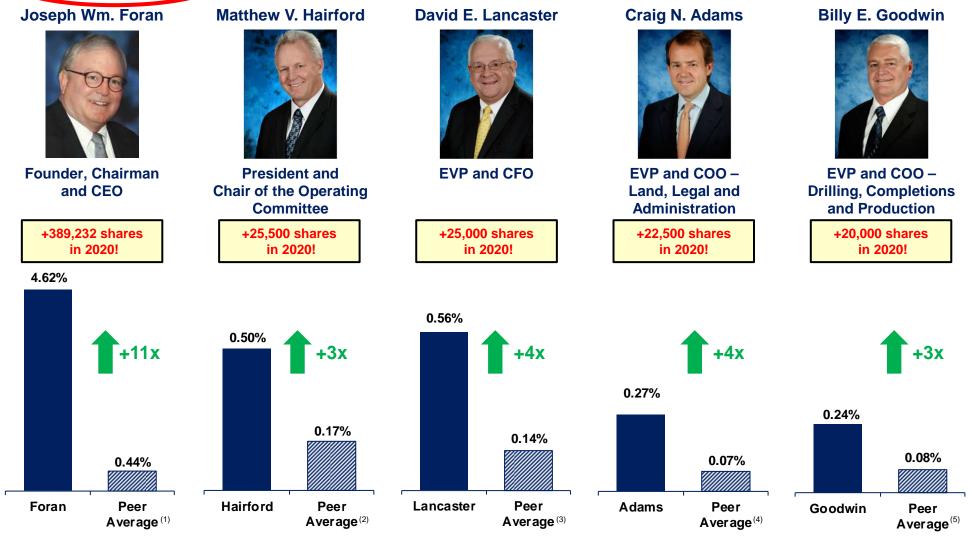
⁽⁴⁾ Potential borrowing capacity of \$380 million under the Credit Agreement at September 30, 2020 assuming full availability of \$900 million borrowing base and accounting for \$475 million in outstanding borrowings and \$45 million in outstanding letters of credit under the Credit Agreement.

⁽⁵⁾ As of late October 2020.

⁽⁶⁾ Cost per foot metric shown represents the drilling and completion (D&C) portion of well costs only. Excludes costs to equip wells, midstream capital expenditures, capitalized G&A or interest expenses and certain other capital expenditures. As of and as provided on October 27, 2020.

Matador's Significant Officer % Ownership vs. Peer Group Interests Aligned with Shareholders





Source: Meridian Compensation Partners, LLC, 2020 Proxy Statements and Form 4s.

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Committee and Independent Board.

(1) Average among Chief Executive Officers.

(2) Average among Chief Operating Officers.

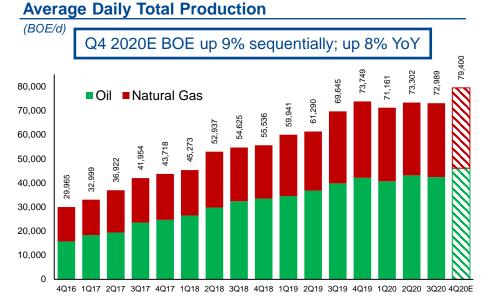
(3) Average among Chief Financial Officers.

(4) Average among General Counsels.

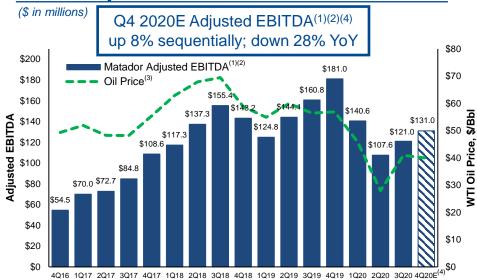
(5) Average among top Production/Operations Executives.



A Tightly Integrated Strategy: Growing E&P and Midstream Together



Matador Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾



Note: All Q420E estimates are at the midpoint of the company's guidance as of and as provided on October 27, 2020.

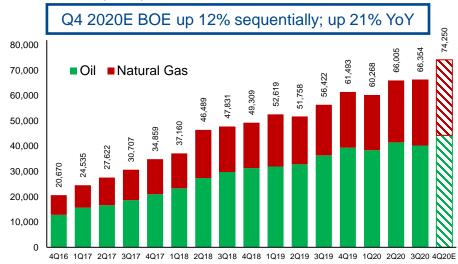
(1) Attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholders.

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- (3) Average settlement price for West Texas Intermediate ("WTI") crude oil for the period.
- (4) Expected to be between \$128 and \$134 million, based upon estimated realized oil and natural gas prices of \$37.67 per Bbl and \$2.96 per Mcf, respectively (assumes strip pricing as of late October 2020).
- (5) Expected to be between \$31 and \$34 million, based upon estimates for increased throughput and processing services in Q4 2020.

Average Daily Total Delaware Production

Delaware Basin (BOE/d)



San Mateo Adjusted EBITDA⁽²⁾

(\$ in millions) Q4 2020E San Mateo Adjusted EBITDA⁽²⁾⁽⁵⁾ \$35 \$32.5 up 16% sequentially; up 23% YoY \$30 \$28.0 \$26.3 \$26.5 \$26.2 \$25 \$22.7 \$20.8 \$19.1 \$20 \$17.4 \$14.0 \$15 \$11.5 \$9.6 \$10 \$7.5 \$6.7 \$5 \$0 1017 2017 3017 4017 1018 2018 3018 4018 1019 2019 3019 4019 1020 2020 3020 4020F^b



2018 New Mexico Oil & Gas Association Production Rankings

2018 New Mexico Oil Production Ranking

Ranking	Company		
1	EOG Resources		
2	Concho Operating		
3	Occidental Petroleum		
4	Devon Energy	1	
5	Mewbourne Oil	T	Should improve in 2019 rankings!
6	ExxonMobil	L	III 2019 Fallkillys:
7	Cimarex Energy		Matador #8 top
8	Matador Production		oil producer in
9	Apache Corp.		New Mexico!
10	Chevron USA		
11	Marathon Oil		
12	WPX Energy		
13	ConocoPhillips		
14	Legacy Reserves		
15	Enduring Resources		
16	BTA Oil Producers		
17	Chisolm Energy		
18	Percussion Petroleum		
19	Centennial Resource		
20	DJR (Encana USA)		

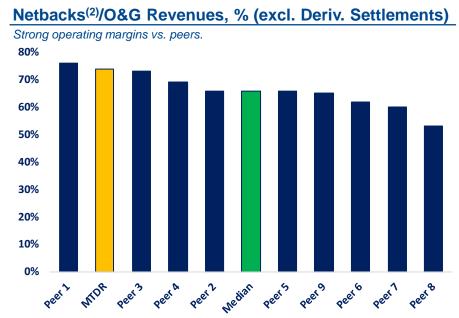
2018 New Mexico Natural Gas Production Ranking

Ranking	Company	
1	Hilcorp Energy	
2	Concho Operating	
3	EOG Resources	
4	BP America	
5	Mewbourne Oil	
6	Devon Energy	
7	Occidental Petroleum	
8	Chevron USA	Should improve in
9	Cimarex Energy	2019 rankings!
10	ExxonMobil	Matador #11 top
11	Matador Production	natural gas producer
12	Logos Operating	in New Mexico!
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Source: New Mexico Oil & Gas Association - 2018 statistics (most recent year for which data have been published).

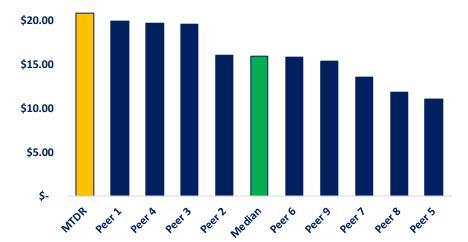
Matador's Strong Q3 2020 Operating Efficiency vs. Peers⁽¹⁾



Netbacks⁽²⁾/BOE, \$/BOE (excl. Deriv. Settlements)

Peer-leading netbacks from operations.

\$25.00



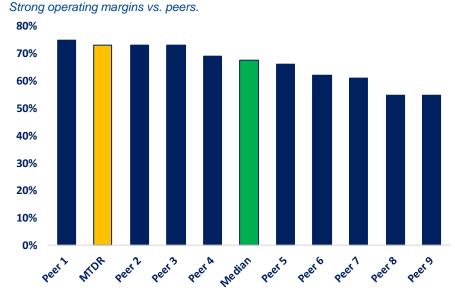
Source: Data compiled from Matador and peer Company financial statements for the three months ended September 30, 2020.

(1) "Peers" include CDEV, CPE, DVN, FANG, MRO, PE, SM, WPX and XEC.

(2) Netbacks defined as oil and natural gas revenues less (1) production taxes, transportation and processing expenses and (2) lease operating expenses.

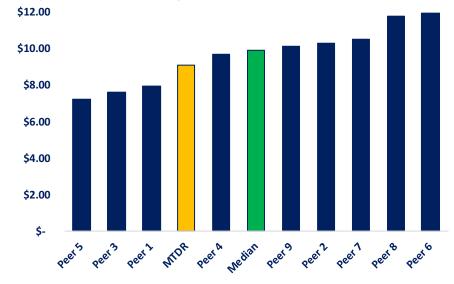
(3) Cash operating expenses defined as (1) production taxes, transportation and processing expenses plus (2) lease operating expenses plus (3) general and administrative expenses less non-cash, stock-based compensation expenses of \$3.4 million..

Netbacks⁽²⁾/O&G Revenues, % (incl. Deriv. Settlements)



Cash Operating Expenses⁽³⁾/BOE, \$/BOE

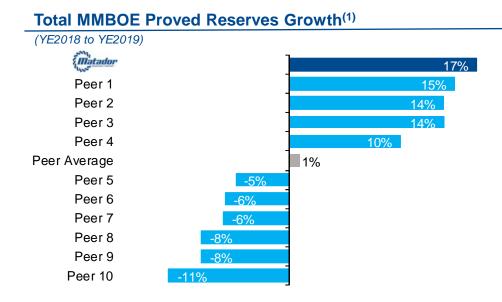
Among leaders in cash operating expenses per unit-of-production.



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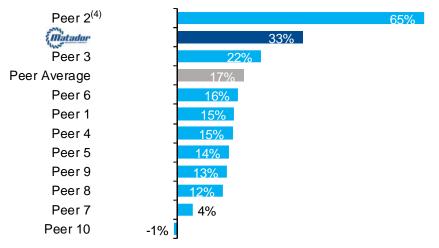
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Strong, Organic Growth Coupled With Peer-Leading Financial Returns

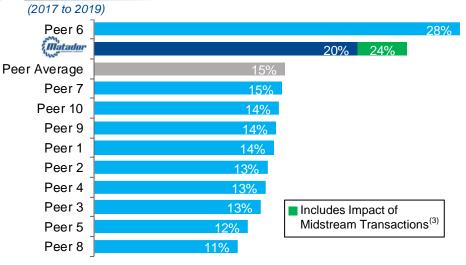


Average Daily Total Equivalent Production Growth

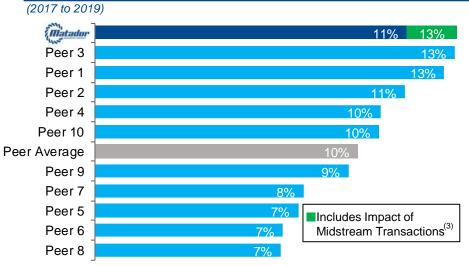
(Q4 2018 to Q4 2019)



E&P and Total Return on Capital Employed⁽²⁾ 3-Year Average



Cash Return on Cash Invested⁽⁵⁾ 3-Year Average



Source: Company filings and Bloomberg. Peers included: CPE, CDEV, DVN, FANG, MRO, OAS, PE, SM, WPX and XEC. CPE, FANG and XEC closed significant M&A transactions in 2018 and 2019.

(2) E&P Return on Average Capital Employed ("ROACE") and Total ROACE are non-GAAP financial measures. For a reconciliation of E&P ROACE and Total ROACE to the corresponding GAAP financial measures, see Appendix.

(3) Includes gain on the receipt of a special distribution of \$172 million in connection with the formation of San Mateo I in 2017 and \$14.7 million in performance incentives paid by an affiliate of Five Point Energy LLC ("Five Point") in each of 2018 and 2019 in connection with the formation of San Mateo I.

(4) Significant acquisition occurred mid-Q4 2018.

(5) Cash Return on Cash Invested ("CROCI") and Total CROCI are non-GAAP financial measures. For a reconciliation of CROCI and Total CROCI to the corresponding GAAP financial measures, see Appendix.

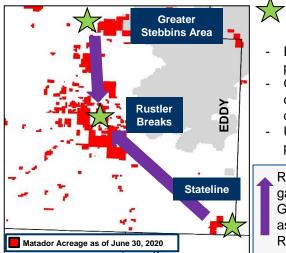


2020 Priorities – Protecting the Balance Sheet is First Priority

Balance Sheet Improvements

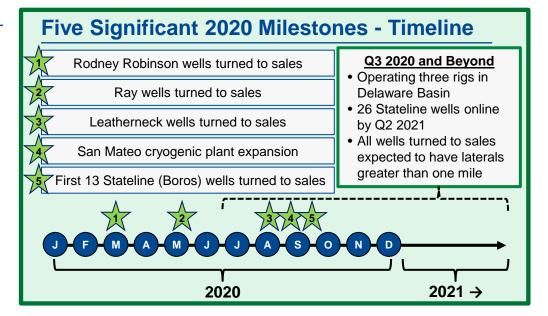


San Mateo Expansion – In Service!

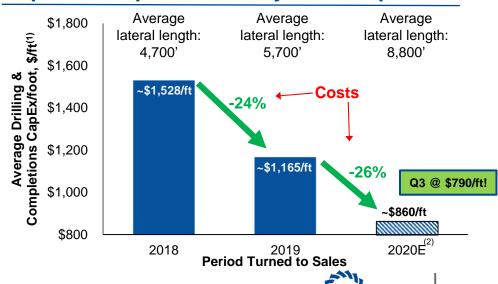


New San Mateo II Infrastructure

- Expansion of gas processing plant by additional 200 MMcf/d
- Gas, oil and water gathering, oil transportation and water disposal infrastructure
- Up to \$150 million in deferred performance incentives
- Represents large-diameter natural gas gathering lines connecting Greater Stebbins Area and Stateline asset area to the expanded Black River Processing Plant



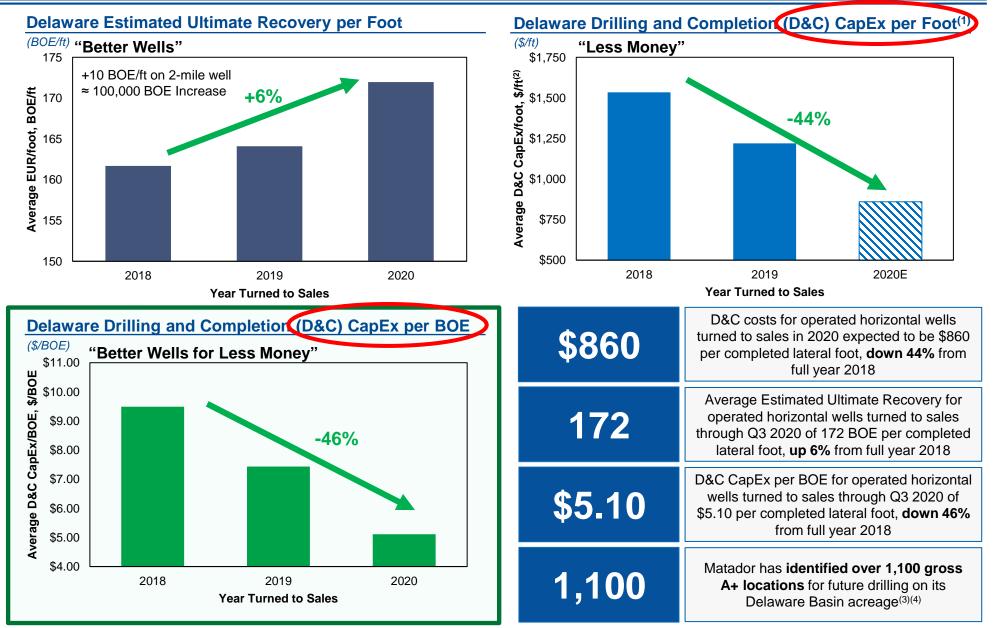
Improved Capital Efficiency: D&C CapEx/ft



(1) Cost per foot metric shown represents the D&C portion of well costs only. Excludes costs to equip wells, midstream capital expenditures, capitalized G&A or interest expenses and certain other capital expenditures.

(2) As of and as provided on October 27, 2020.

Improved Capital Efficiency Translating to Better Wells for Less Money



Note: All footage and percentage of lateral types shown are based on gross operated horizontal wells

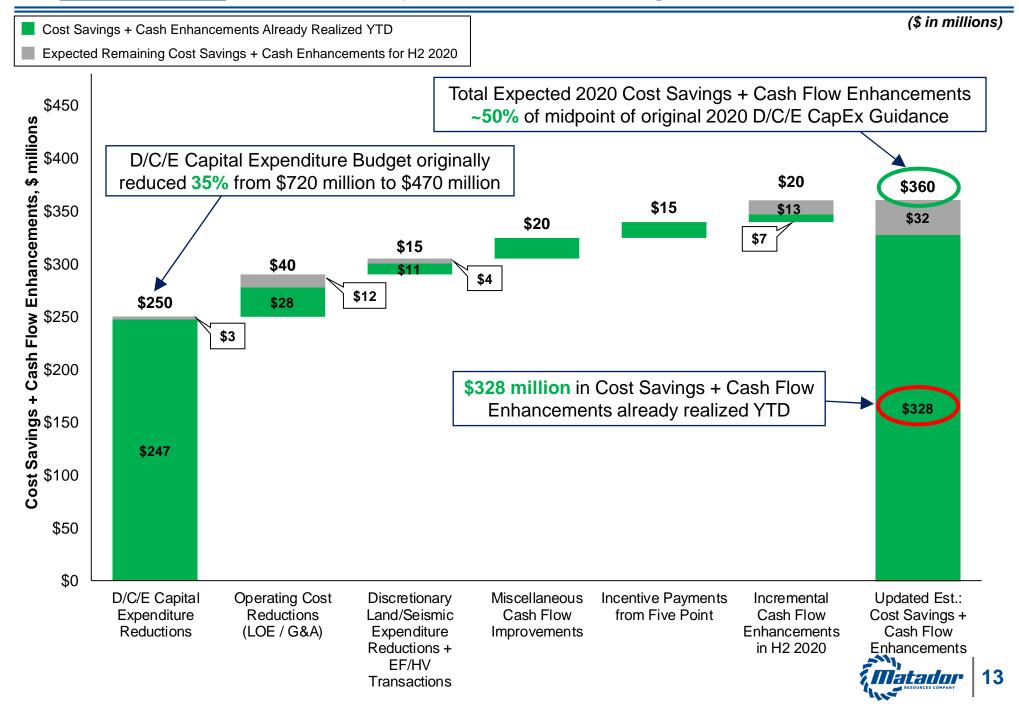
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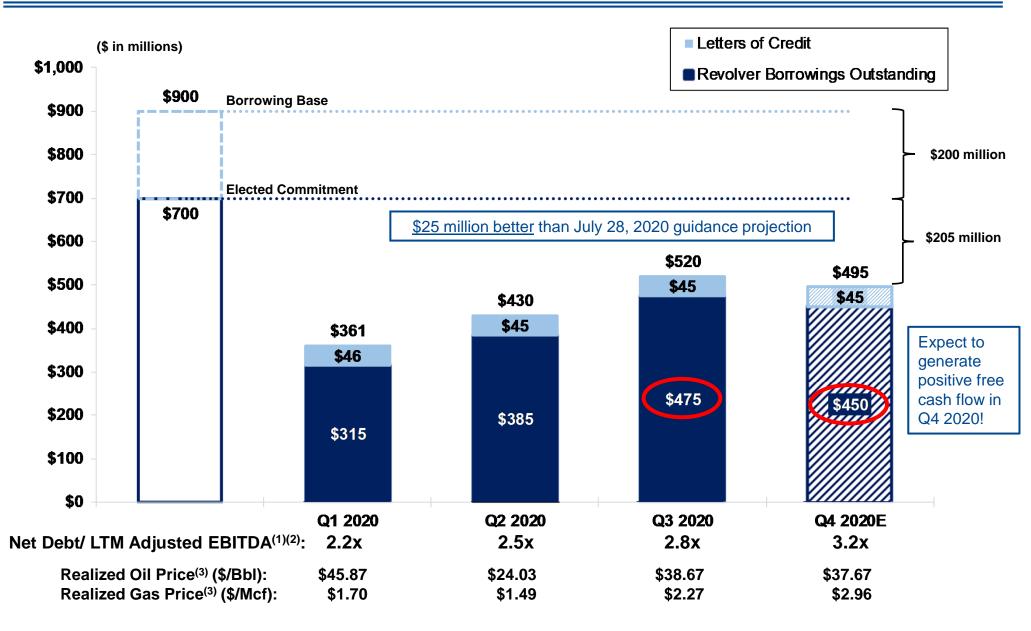
(3) A+ engineered locations for future drilling and completion, including specified production units, costs and well spacing using objective criteria for designation. Locations identified as of June 30, 2020.

(4) A+ engineered locations are future drilling locations with projected minimum 15% rate of return at \$40 WTI oil and \$1.75/Mcf natural gas pricing.

Elements of 2020 Cost Savings & Cash Flow Enhancements <u>\$360 Million</u> Potential Improvement vs. Original Guidance



Revolver Borrowings Outstanding – Quarterly Estimates for Q4 2020



Assumes strip pricing as of late October 2020 and no significant transactions in 2020.

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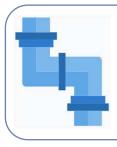
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(3) Without realized derivatives. Q4 values shown above are estimated realized oil and natural gas prices used in making borrowing projections.



Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG)





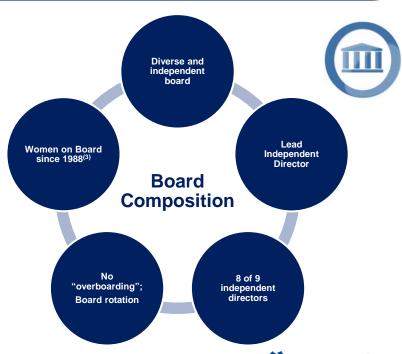
~66% of oil and ~96% of water produced from the Delaware Basin is transported on pipe⁽¹⁾

Forward Looking Infrared **\$FLIR** gas imaging cameras used to help identify potential leaks for repair



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For additional details on Matador's ESG initiatives, please see ESG section in this presentation.

(1) Represents Matador's average gross operated oil and water transported on pipe in the Delaware Basin in Q2 2020.

(2) Percentage reductions are based on the Company's calculations reported in 2019 under the Greenhouse Gas Reporting Program.

(3) Dating to inception of predecessor company, Matador Petroleum Corporation.





Operations and Delaware Basin Update



Delaware Basin Multi-Year Inventory of "A+ Locations"

A+ Criteria	 Future drilling locations with projected minimum 15% rate of return at \$30 - \$40 WTI oil and \$1.75/Mcf natural gas pricing Most A+ locations are expected to achieve EURs of at least 900,000 barrels of oil or two million BOE
A+ Inventory	 Matador has identified over 1,100 gross A+ locations for future drilling on its Delaware Basin acreage⁽¹⁾ Matador anticipates operating at least 517 gross operated A+ locations⁽²⁾ Represents approximately ten years of operated inventory with a three-rig drilling program Number of operated locations could increase significantly as operatorship is established in undeveloped units* Almost all intervals assume 160-acre well spacing
Highlights	 Of these A+ locations, almost all are 1.5-mile or longer and the majority have lateral lengths of two miles or greater Acquisition of Stateline and Rodney Robinson tracts in the September 2018 BLM lease sale added at least 86 A+ locations in proven productive formations. This number could increase significantly with future testing of new zones.

Delaware Basin A+ Locations by Formation

\$30 oil / \$1.75 gas

\$40 oil / \$1.75 gas

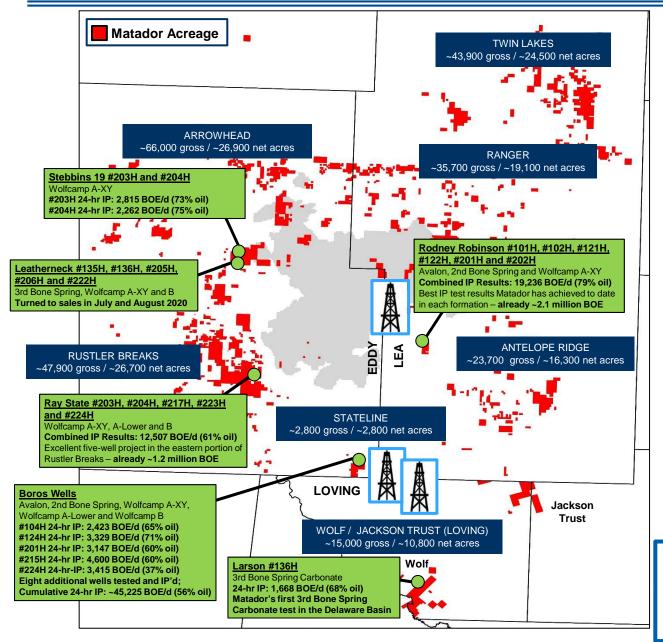
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Total Gross Undrilled A+ Locations ⁽¹⁾	Potential Gross Operated A+ Locations ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	Total Gross Undrilled A+ Locations ⁽¹⁾	Potential Gross Operated A+ Locations ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾
20	19	20	19
112	55	156	79
246	115	339	148
134	67	182	99
156	53	199	74
91	37	116	47
111	38	127	51
870	384*	1,139	517 *

A+ engineered locations for future drilling and completion, including specified production units, costs and well spacing using objective criteria for designation. Locations identified as of June 30, 2020.
 Includes any identified gross locations for which Matador's working interest is expected to be at least 25%.

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Delaware Basin – Continuing to Deliver Strong Well Results!



Reduced operated rigs in Delaware Basin from six to <u>three</u> at the end of Q2 2020 – expect to run <u>three</u> rigs for remainder of 2020

During remainder of 2020:

- <u>Stateline</u>: Two rigs drilling the first 13 wells on the western portion of the leasehold (Voni wells), all with lateral lengths up to 2.5 miles – expected online in early Q2 2021
- Antelope Ridge: Began drilling the next four wells on the Rodney Robinson tract in late September 2020 – expected online in late Q1 2021
- <u>Rustler Breaks</u>: Expect to complete five gross wells in Q4 2020, including two additional Ray State wells
- <u>Arrowhead/Ranger/Twin Lakes</u>: Five Leatherneck wells, all two-mile laterals, recently turned to sales; no additional activity planned for 2020
- Wolf/Jackson Trust: Two Wolfcamp A-XY wells, each 1.5-mile laterals, recently turned to sales; no additional activity planned for 2020

In second half of 2020, all wells completed and turned to sales expected to be two-mile laterals, with the exception of the two Marsh wells at Wolf – **transition to two-mile laterals has gone very well!**



Note: All acreage as of June 30, 2020. Some tracts not shown on map.

Matador Federal Acreage and Permitting Update

Delaware Asset Area	County	Delaware Leasehold (<i>net acres</i>)	Federal Leasehold (<i>net acres</i>)	% of Total Delaware Leasehold
Antelope Ridge	Lea	16,300	8,500	7%
Rustler Breaks	Eddy	26,700	3,900	3%
Stateline	Eddy	2,800	2,800	2%
Arrowhead	Eddy	26,900	13,500	11%
Ranger	Lea	19,100	7,200	6%
Twin Lakes	Lea	24,500	400	—
Wolf/Jackson Trust	Loving	10,800	_	_
Other	—	500	—	—
TOTAL		127,600	36,300	28%

Delaware Asset Area	County	Undrilled Permits Approved and Received	Undrilled Permits in Progress	•
Antelope Ridge (Rodney Robinson) ⁽¹⁾	Lea	19	2	
Antelope Ridge (All other)	Lea	31	10	
Arrowhead	Eddy	48	43	
Ranger	Lea	23	6	•
Rustler Breaks	Eddy	28	35	
Stateline (Boros) ⁽¹⁾	Eddy	31	—	
Stateline (Voni) ⁽¹⁾	Eddy	30	1	
TOTAL		210	97	

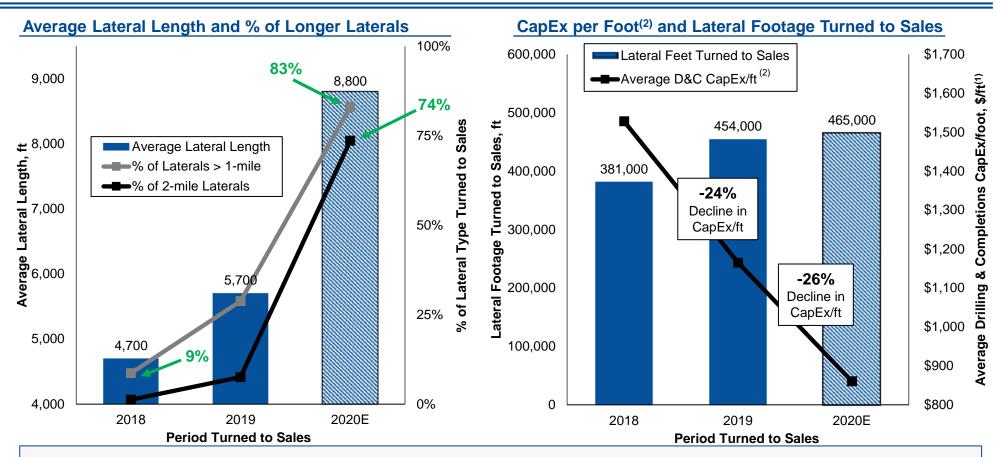
At June 30, 2020, Matador held approximately 127,600 net leasehold and mineral acres in the Delaware Basin in Eddy and Lea Counties, New Mexico and in Loving County, Texas, of which approximately 36,300 net acres, or about 28%, were on federal lands

- At October 27, 2020, Matador had secured 210 federal drilling permits and has 97 additional permits currently under review by the BI M
- Matador expects to have secured almost 300 approved permits to drill on its federal properties prior to the end of 2020.



(1) Does not include permits approved for eight Rodney Robinson, 13 Boros and 13 Voni wells that have already been drilled or are currently in progress.

A Step Change in Capital Efficiency: Updated 2020 Expectations⁽¹⁾



 By combining longer laterals with increased pad development, Matador has significantly reduced development costs per foot between 2018 and 2020

- 83% of laterals expected to be greater than one mile in 2020, as compared to 29% in 2019 and 9% in 2018

- In 2019, Matador's drilling and completion costs for all horizontal wells turned to sales averaged approximatels \$1,165/ft, a decrease of ~24% from an average of \$1,528/ft achieved in full year 2018, saving ~\$160 million in gross D&C CapEx as compared to 2018 costs
- In Q3 2020, Matador's drilling and completion costs for all horizontal wells turned to sales averaged \$790/ft, a cecrease of ~32% from full year 2019 and a decrease of ~48% from full year 2018, saving ~\$142 million in gross D&C CapEx as compared to 2018 costs

Note: All footage and percentage of lateral types shown are based on gross operated horizontal wells.

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Marketing and Takeaway Overview

Three-Stream Takeaway

<u>Oil</u>

- Matador has ~75% of its operated Delaware Basin oil production on pipe
- Market optionality to Midland, Gulf Coast (LLS), Houston, Corpus Christi and Cushing
- Unhedged, Delaware realized oil price per barrel \$3.24/Bbl better than Permian peers in Q2 2020 and \$0.68/Bbl better in Q3 2020⁽¹⁾

Residue Natural Gas

- Long-term, firm transport to Waha, the Gulf Coast and West Coast markets for substantially all Delaware Basin natural gas production
- Sufficient firm capacity for expected production volumes from future drilling

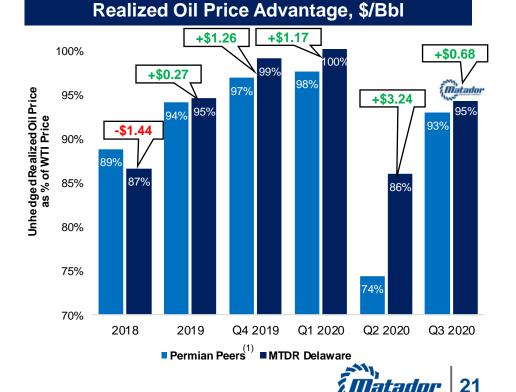
Natural Gas Liquids ("NGL")

 Long-term, firm transport for NGL sold at the tailgate of the expanded Black River Processing Plant with ability to handle the increased designed inlet capacity of 460 MMcf/d

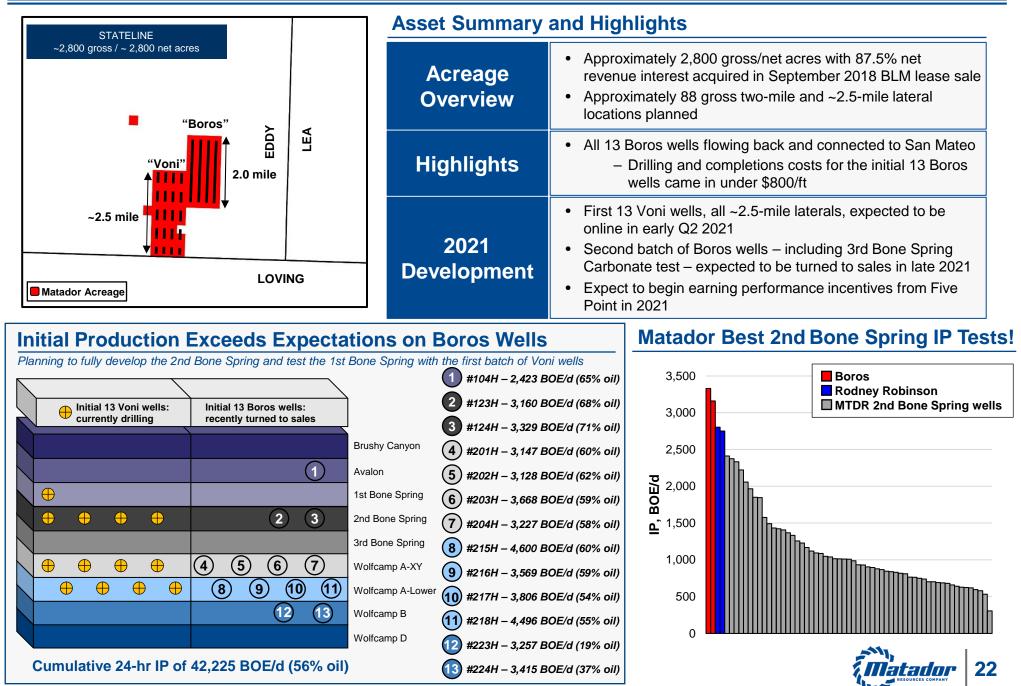
Marketing and Midstream Adding Value

The combined efforts of Matador's marketing and midstream teams have significantly increased realized pricing by:

- **V** Lowering transportation costs
- Transporting to premium markets
- 🗹 Reducing marketing fees
- Minimizing West Texas Light (WTL) oil discounts

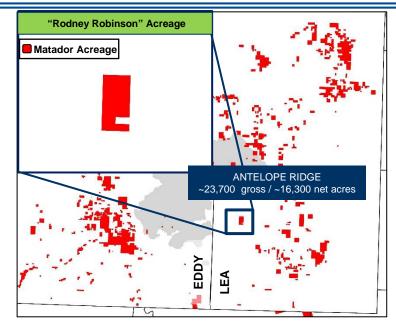


Stateline Asset Area – Eddy County, New Mexico

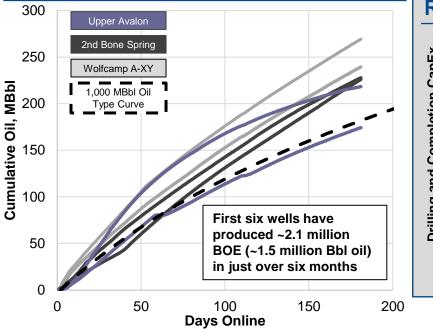


All acreage as of June 30, 2020. Some tracts not shown on map. Note: IP = initial potential.

First Six Rodney Robinson Wells Online – Results Above Expectations!



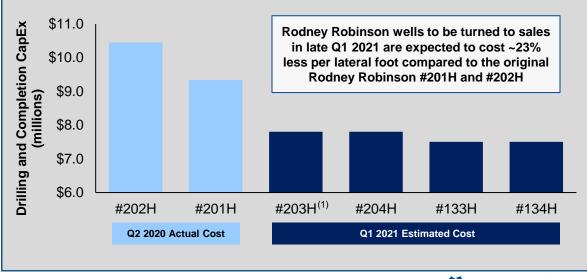
First Six Wells Start Off Strong



Acreage Overview First six wells turned to sales on the Rodney Robinson tract in western Antelope Ridge in late Q1 2020 Matador acquired this 1,200 gross/net acre tract in the September 2018 BLM lease sale Highlights Five out of six Rodney Robinson wells are in Matador's top 10 list of highest 6-month cumulative oil production Have already produced in aggregate more than ~2.1 million BOE in just over six months on production

 Future
 Currently drilling four wells on the Rodney Robinson tract and expect to turn to sales by late Q1 2021 (two Wolfcamp A-XY and two 3rd Bone Spring Sand 2-mile laterals)
 Expected online in late Q1 2021

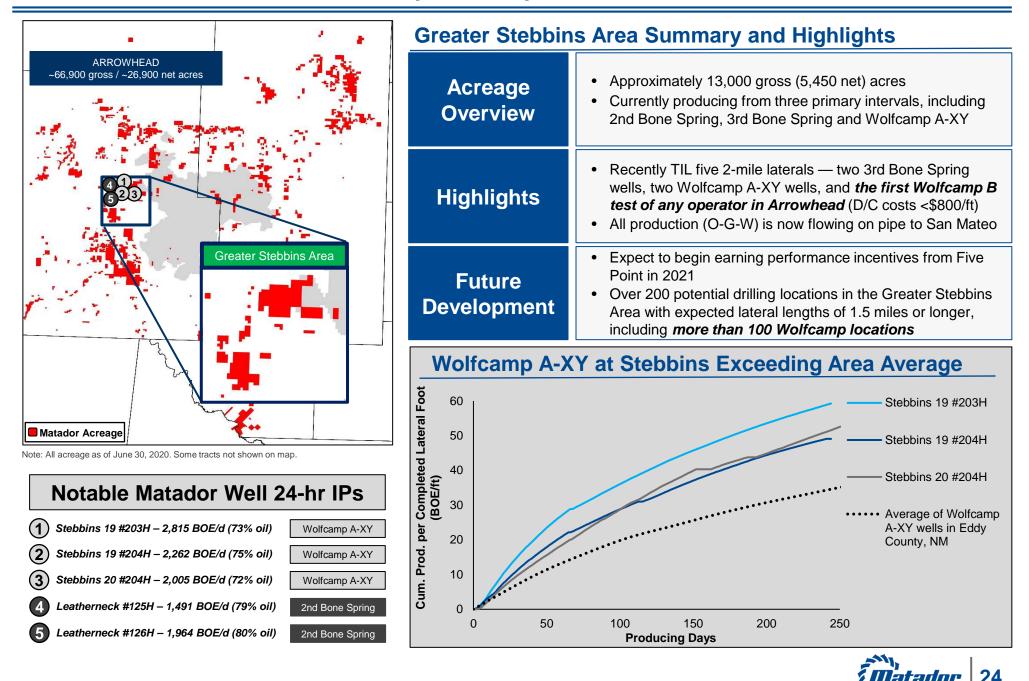
Rodney Robinson D&C⁽¹⁾ Costs: Low and Getting Lower



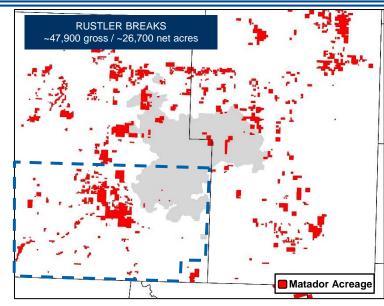


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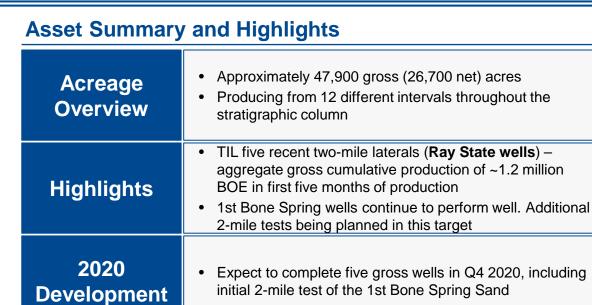
Greater Stebbins Area – Eddy County, New Mexico



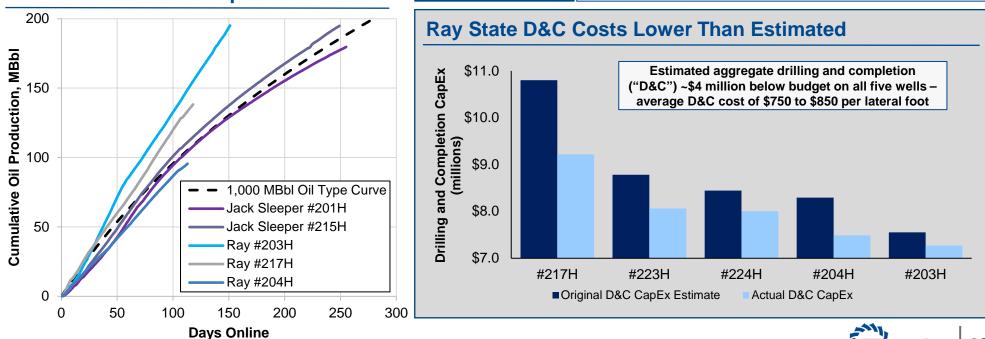
Rustler Breaks Asset Area – Eddy County, New Mexico



Recent 2-mile Wolfcamp A Results



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San Mateo Midstream Operations and Plans

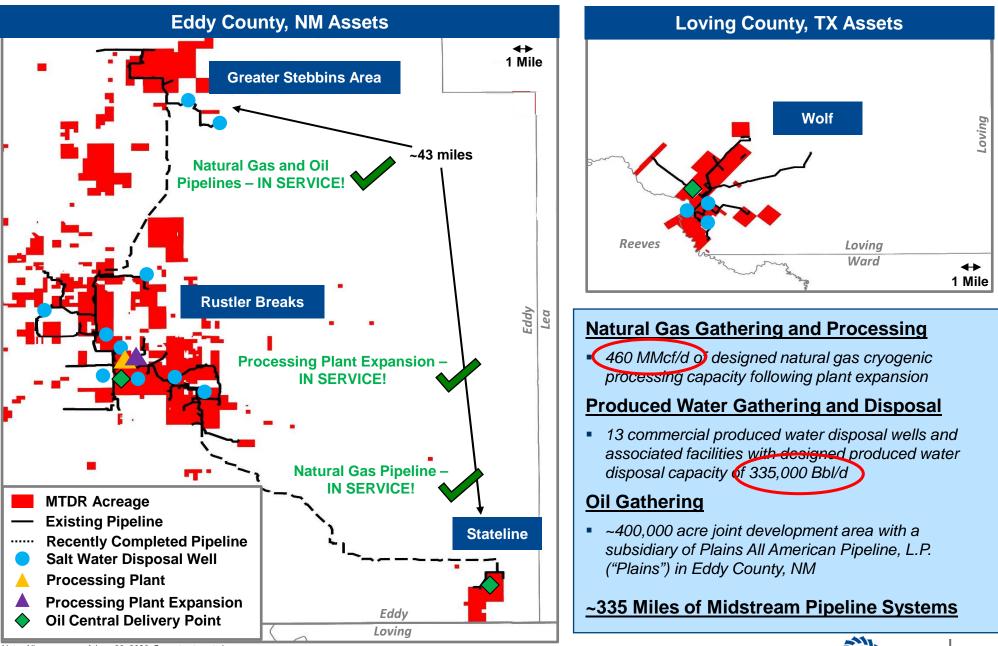




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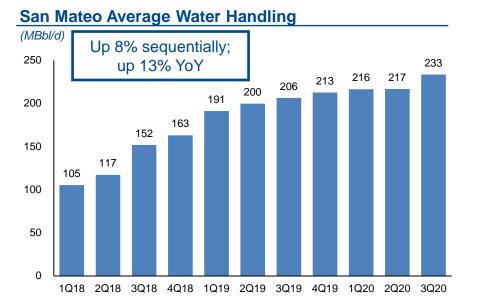
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San Mateo⁽¹⁾ Assets and Operations – "Three-Pipe" Offering

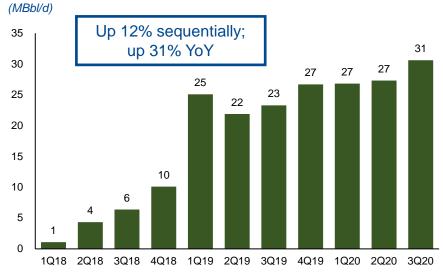


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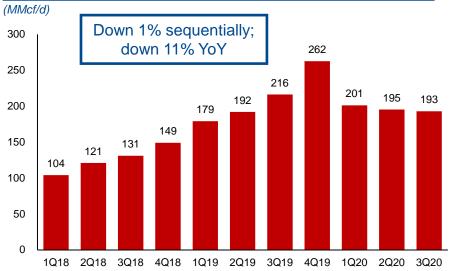
Continued Progress in All Parts of San Mateo's Delaware Midstream Business (51% Owned by Matador)



San Mateo Average Oil Gathering

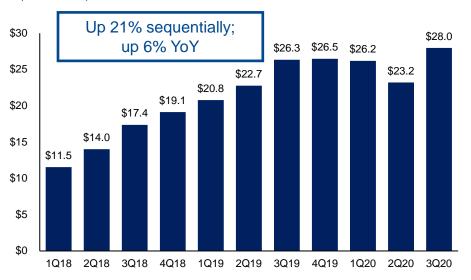


San Mateo Average Natural Gas Gathering⁽¹⁾



San Mateo Adjusted EBITDA⁽²⁾

(\$ in millions)



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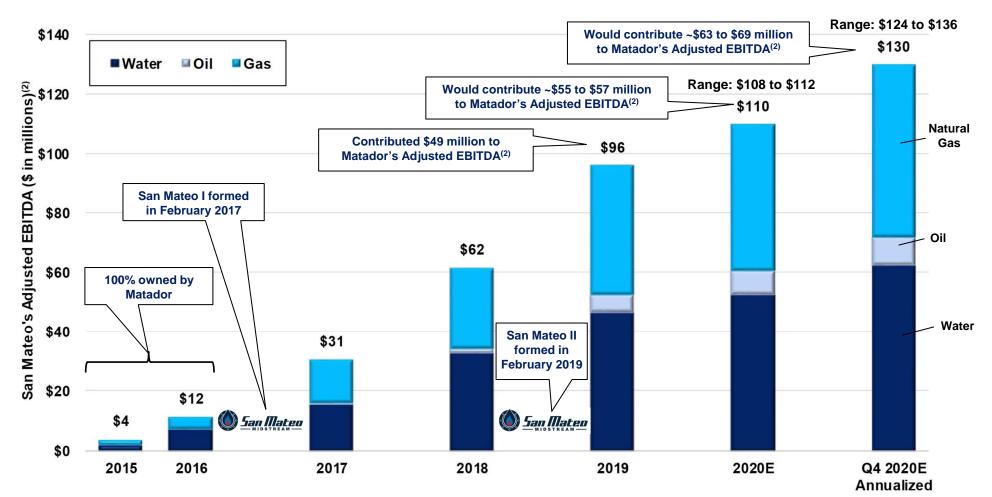
(1) Natural gas gathering and processing volumes declined in Q1, Q2 and Q3 2020 as compared to Q4 2019, as anticipated, primarily as a result of reduced natural gas volumes being provided by a significant third-party customer.

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San Mateo – Recent Highlights and Performance

- October 2020 Matador and Five Point⁽¹⁾ completed the successful merger of San Mateo I and San Mateo II into a single entity
- <u>Q3 2020</u> San Mateo II expansion projects completed, including:
 - Expansion of the Black River Processing Plant to designed inlet capacity of 460 MMcf of natural gas per day
 - 43 miles of large-diameter natural gas pipelines connecting Stateline and the Greater Stebbins Area to the Black River Processing Plant
 - 19 miles of various diameter crude oil pipelines connecting the Greater Stebbins Area to existing interconnect with Plains in Eddy County, NM



Note: Figures (i) reflect the combined Adjusted EBITDA for San Mateo I and San Mateo II, including allocations for general and administrative expenses, (ii) are pro forma for February 2017 San Mateo I transaction and the purchase of the non-controlling interest in Fulcrum Delaware Water Resources, LLC not previously owned by Matador and (iii) exclude assets sold to EnLink in October 2015. (1) Five Point Energy LLC ("Five Point") is Matador's joint venture partner in San Mateo. Matador and Five Point own 51% and 49%, respectively, of San Mateo.

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Updated Full Year 2020 Guidance



Summary and Updated 2020 Guidance (as Provided on October 27, 2020)

- Three rigs operating in the Delaware Basin during Q4 2020 expect 53 gross (45.7 net) operated wells in 2020
 - Operating three rigs in the Delaware Basin during Q4 2020, two of which are anticipated to be operating in the Stateline asset area
 - Third rig is currently drilling four additional wells on the Rodney Robinson tract in the western portion of the Antelope Ridge asset area
 - Matador expects to complete and turn to sales five gross (2.7 net) operated wells in Q4 2020, all of which will be two-mile laterals in the Rustler Breaks asset area
- Non-operated drilling activity expect 40 gross (2.2 net) wells in 2020, primarily in the Delaware Basin

Production expected to increase in Q4 2020

- Oil equivalent production expected to increase 8 to 10% sequentially in Q4 2020 as the first full quarter of production is realized from the Leatherneck wells and all of the initial 13 Boros wells
- Oil and natural gas production are also expected to increase 8 to 10% sequentially in Q4 2020

	Actual 2019 Results	July 28, 2020 2020 Guidance ⁽¹⁾	%YoY Change ⁽²⁾	Updated 2020 Guidance ⁽³⁾	%YoY Change ⁽⁴⁾
Total Oil Production	14.0 million Bbl	15.35 to 15.65 million Bbl	+ 11%	15.7 to 15.8 million Bbl	+ 13%
Total Natural Gas Production	61.1 Bcf	65.5 to 68.5 Bcf	+ 10%	68.0 to 69.0 Bcf	+ 12%
Total Oil Equivalent Production	24.2 million BOE	26.3 to 27.1 million BOE	+ 10%	27.0 to 27.3 million BOE	+ 12%
D/C/E CapEx ⁽⁵⁾	\$671 million	\$440 to \$500 million	- 30%	\$455 to \$475 million	- 31%
San Mateo Midstream CapEx ⁽⁶⁾	\$77 million	\$85 to \$105 million	+ 23%	\$90 to \$100 million	+ 23%

(1) As of and as provided on July 28, 2020.

(2) Represents percentage change from 2019 actual results to the midpoint of previous 2020 guidance, as provided on July 28, 2020.

(3) As of and as provided on October 27, 2020.

(4) Represents percentage change from 2019 actual results to the midpoint of updated 2020 guidance, as provided on October 27, 2020.

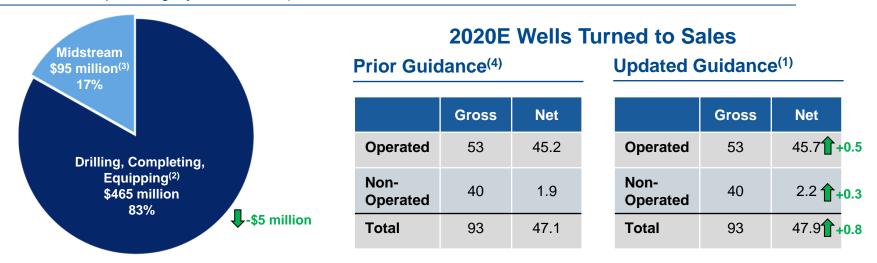
(5) Capital expenditures associated with drilling, completing and equipping wells.

(6) Reflects Matador's proportionate share of capital expenditures for San Mateo, and accounts for remaining portions of the \$50 million capital carry Five Point provided as part of the San Mateo II expansion.



Updated 2020 Capital Investment Plan Summary vs. Prior Guidance

Updated 2020 CapEx Guidance⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾⁽³⁾ – \$560 million (down \$5 million vs. Prior Guidance of \$565 million⁽⁴⁾) (Delaware: Moved from 6 to 3 operated rigs by end of Q2 2020)



Updated 2020E CapEx⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾⁽³⁾ by Quarter

(Delaware: Moved from 6 to 3 operated rigs by end of Q2 2020)



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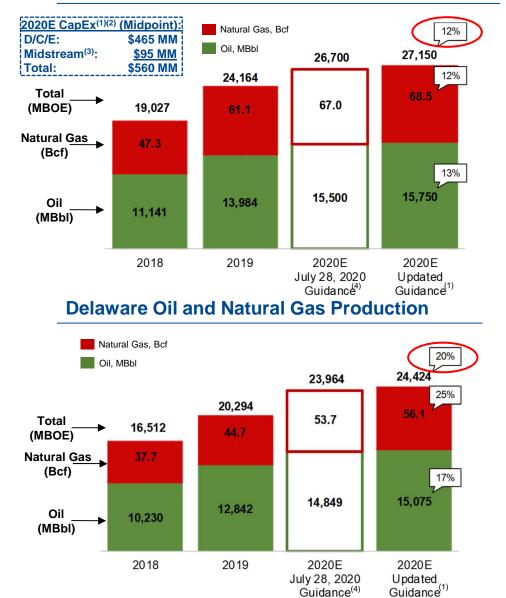
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expenditures for land or seismic acquisitions.
 (3) Reflects Matador's proportionate share of capital expenditures for San Mateo and accounts for the remaining point

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(4) At midpoint of guidance as of and as provided on July 28, 2020

2020 Oil and Natural Gas Production Estimates⁽¹⁾



Total Oil and Natural Gas Production

2020E Oil Production – 13% Growth YoY

- Estimated oil production of 15.7 to 15.8 million barrels
 - 13% increase from 2019 to midpoint of updated 2020 quidance range
- Average daily oil production of 43,000 Bbl/d, up from 38,300 Bbl/d in 2019
 - Delaware Basin ~41,200 Bbl/d (96%) up 17% YoY
- Q4 2020 expected to be up 8 to 10% sequentially •

2020E Gas Production – 12% Growth YoY

- Estimated natural gas production of 68.0 to 69.0 Bcf
 - 12% increase from 2019 to midpoint of updated 2020 guidance range
- Average daily natural gas production of 187.2 MMcf/d, up from 167.4 MMcf/d in 2019
 - Delaware Basin ~153.3 MMcf/d (82%) up 25% YoY
 - Haynesville/Cotton Valley ~30.5 MMcf/d (16%) down 23% YoY
- Q4 2020 expected to be up 8 to 10% sequentially



(1) At midpoint of 2020 guidance as of and as provided on October 27, 2020.

(2) Includes D/C/E capital expenditures and capital expenditures for various midstream projects; does not include any expenditures for land or seismic acquisitions.

Guidance⁽⁴⁾

(3) Reflects Matador's proportionate share of capital expenditures for San Mateo and accounts for the remaining portions of the \$50 million capital carry Five Point provided as part of the San Mateo II expansion.

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Wells Completed and Turned to Sales – 2020 Updated Guidance⁽¹⁾

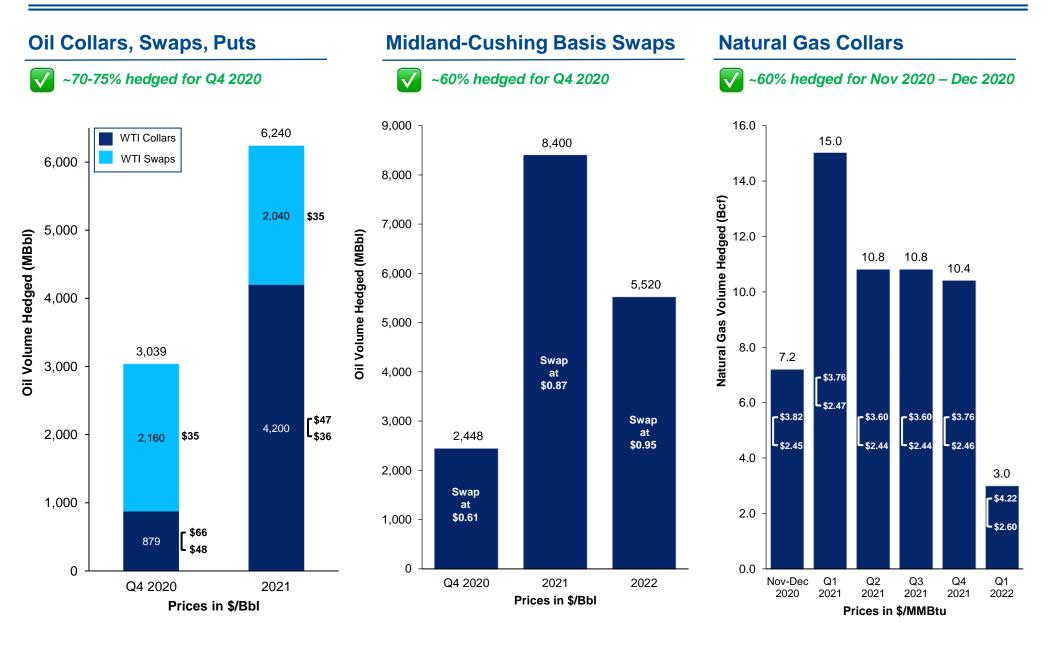
- During full year 2020, Matador expects to complete and turn to sales 93 gross (47.9 net) wells. Matador expects the Delaware Basin to account for 89 gross (47.9 net) wells, including 53 gross (45.7 net) operated and 36 gross (2.2 net) non-operated wells.
- In 2020, Matador expects to continue transitioning its operations to longer laterals greater than one mile.
 - 83% of Matador's gross operated horizontal wells completed and turned to sales in 2020 are expected to have lateral lengths greater than one mile, as compared to 29% in 2019 and 9% in 2018
 - 74% of Matador's gross operated horizontal wells completed and turned to sales in 2020 are expected to have lateral lengths of two miles, as compared to 8% in 2019 and 1% in 2018
 - Matador estimates its average lateral length for operated wells turned to sales in 2020 should be approximately 8,800 feet

	Oper	ated	Non-Op	erated	Total		
Asset/Operating Area	Gross	Net	Gross	Net	Gross	Net	Gross Operated Well Completion Intervals
Antelope Ridge	6	5.4	15	0.3	21	5.7	1-1BS, 2-2BS, 1-3BS, 1-WC A-XY, 1-WC B
Western Antelope Ridge (Rodney Robinson)	6	6.0	-	-	6	6.0	2-AV, 2-2BS, 2-WC A-XY
Arrowhead	5	4.3	-	-	5	4.3	2-3BS, 2-WC A-XY, 1-WC B
Ranger	-	-	-	-	-	-	No Ranger completions in 2020
Rustler Breaks	13	7.8	21	1.9	34	9.7	1-1BS, 1-2BS, 1-3BS, 5-WC A-XY, 2-WC A-Lower, 3- WC B
Stateline	13	13.0	-	-	13	13.0	1-AV, 2-2BS, 4-WC A-XY, 4-WC A-Lower, 2-WC B
Twin Lakes	-	-	-	-	-	-	No Twin Lakes completions in 2020
Wolf/Jackson Trust	10	9.2	-	-	10	9.2	3-2BS, 1-3BS-Carb, 5-WC A-XY, 1-WC A-Lower
Delaware Basin	53	45.7	36	2.2	89	47.9	-
Eagle Ford Shale	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Haynesville Shale	-	-	4	0.0	4	0.0	
Total	53	45.7	40	2.2	93	47.9	

Note: WC = Wolfcamp; BS = Bone Spring; BS-Carb = Bone Spring Carbonate; AV = Avalon. For example, 1-3BS-Carb indicates one Third Bone Spring Carbonate completion and 2-AV indicates two Avalon completions. Any "0.0" values in the table above suggest a net working interest of less than 5%, which does not round to 0.1. (1) As of and as provided on October 27, 2020.



Hedging Profile – Remainder of 2020, 2021 and 2022⁽¹⁾









Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG)





Reducing emissions since 2017⁽¹⁾

Greenhouse Gases 4 (6%)

Emission Intensity Rate 4 (33%)

Methane Intensity Rate 4 (33%)

Natural Gas Average Days 4 (38%) Turned to Sales

Reducing emissions through extensive leak detection and repair (LDAR) program



Reducing greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions using advanced capture and control equipment



Vapor recovery units (VRU) on 100% of newly constructed tank batteries; recovery of flash gas volumes increased ~70% in Q2 2020⁽²⁾



Vapor combustion units (VCU) help reduce 95% of volatile organic compounds (VOC) from tank batteries



"Green completions" – installing pipeline infrastructure ahead of flowback



Vapor balance used during truck loading to combust loading-related emissions



Central tank batteries to facilitate economies of scale; allowing for greater emissions capture

Forward Looking Infrared **\$FLIR s** gas imaging cameras used to help identify potential leaks for repair



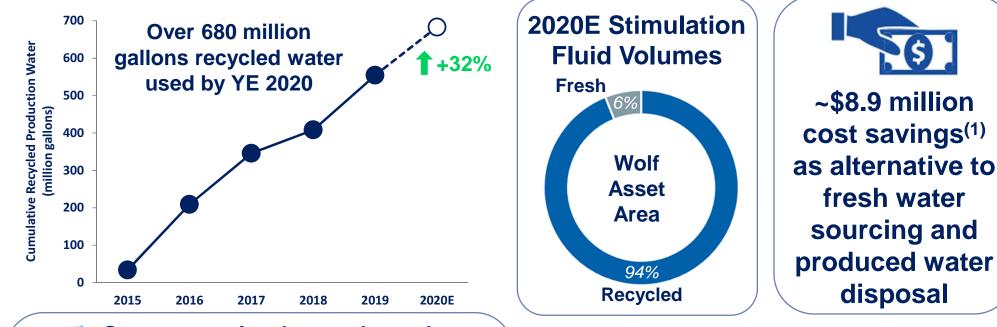
(1) Percentage reductions are based on the Company's calculations reported in 2019 under the Greenhouse Gas Reporting Program.

(2) As compared to average daily gross flash gas recovery during 2019.

(3) Increase in number of facilities on grid power at December 31, 2019 vs. December 31, 2018.

ESG: Environmental – Water





Cement testing beyond regulatory requirements on 100% of wells⁽²⁾



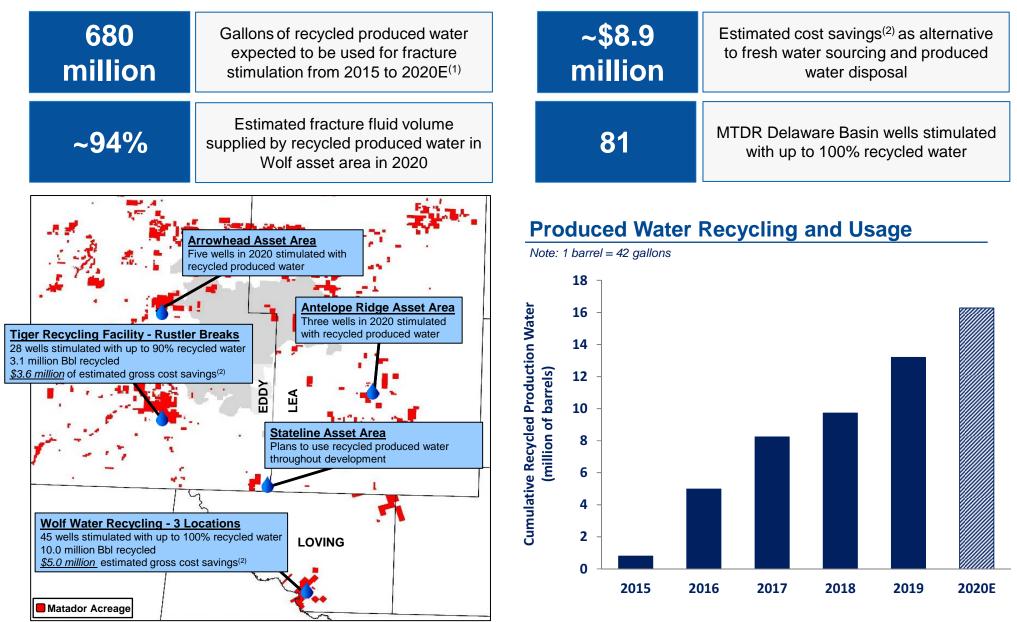
Casing strings tested and inspected above industry standards on 100% of wells⁽²⁾

Protecting ground water by fully cementing surface casing string on 100% of wells⁽²⁾ Above ground closed loop drilling fluid circulation systems used on 100% of New Mexico sites

Report 100% of Delaware Basin wells to publicly-available FracFocus* Chemical Registry



ESG: Increased Use of Recycled Water in Fracturing Operation



Note: All acreage as of June 30, 2020. Some tracts not shown on map Unless otherwise noted, all wells are operated by Matador.



(1) Recycled water totals estimated through December 31, 2020.

(2) Gross savings as compared to sourcing 100% fresh water and costs associated with trucking and disposal of salt water from 2015 through June 2020.

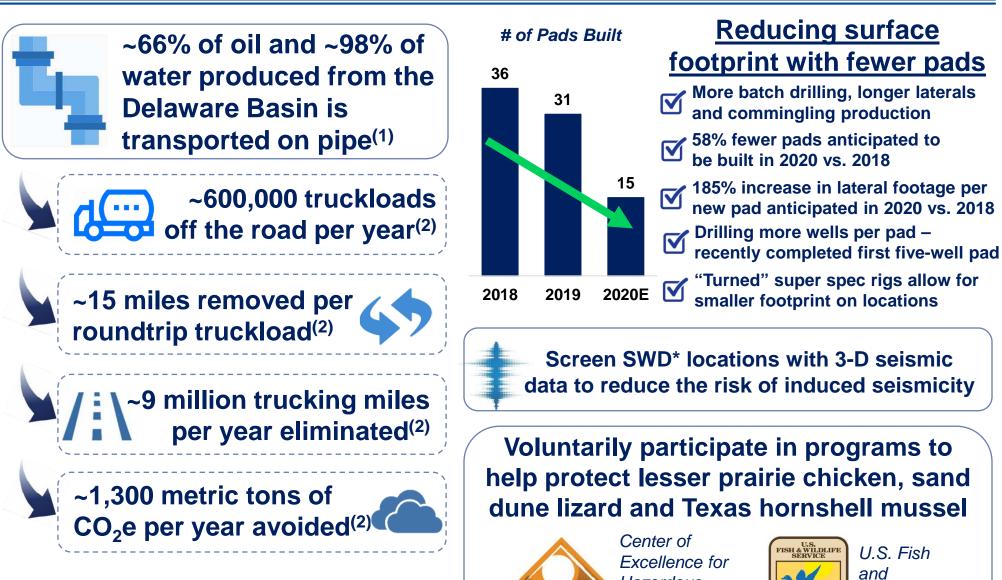
ESG: Environmental – Land



Wildlife

Service

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Hazardous

Management

Materials

ESG: Social



<u>Commitment to a</u> proactive safety culture



No recordable employee injuries since 2014



Over 1.8 million employee man-hours and zero lost time accidents (LTA) since 2017



Over 950 hours of employee training in health and safety during 2019



Conduct vendor safety audits and track safety compliance with ISNetworld

Dedication to inclusive and diverse workforce while valuing "one standard"





Comprehensive compensation package with excellent health insurance program



Support communities and charities where we live, work and operate



ESG: Governance











Appendix



Strong Results for Third Quarter 2020

Strong Production	 Oil production of ~42,300 Bbl/d, up 6% from ~39,800 Bbl/d in Q3 2019 – Above Guidance! Natural gas production of ~183.9 MMcf/d, up 3% from ~179.2 MMcf/d in Q3 2019 – Above Guidance! Total production of ~73,000 BOE/d, up 5% from ~69,600 BOE/d in Q3 2019 – Above Guidance!
Improving Capital Efficiency, LOE & G&A	 D&C costs for operated horizontal wells turned to sales of \$790 per completed lateral foot, down 32% from full year 2019 – All-Time Low! LOE of \$3.48 per BOE, down 25% from \$4.64 per BOE in Q3 2019 – All-Time Low! G&A expenses of \$2.25 per BOE, down 29% from \$3.18 per BOE in Q3 2019 – Near All-Time Low!
Solid San Mateo Results	 San Mateo net income⁽¹⁾ of \$20.3 million, up 2% from \$20.0 million in Q3 2019 San Mateo Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ of \$28.0 million, up 6% from \$26.3 million in Q3 2019 – Above Company Expectations!
Borrowing Base Reaffirmed at \$900 Million	 In October 2020, Matador's lenders reaffirmed the borrowing base under the Credit Agreement at \$900 million and Matador's elected commitment remained constant at \$700 million No changes made to the terms of the Credit Agreement At September 30, 2020, total borrowings outstanding under the Credit Agreement were \$475 million, \$25 million less than the Company's expectations
Exceeded Q3 2020 Guidance	 Average daily total production ~flat sequentially vs. guidance⁽³⁾ of a sequential decline of 5% to 6% D/C/E CapEx of \$95 million vs. estimate of \$117 million Midstream CapEx of \$28 million vs. estimate of \$38 million

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⁽¹⁾ Based on combined net income and Adjusted EBITDA of San Mateo I and San Mateo II.

⁽³⁾ As provided on July 28, 2020.

Q3 2020 Selected Operating and Financial Results

	Three Months Ended									
	Sept	ember 30,		June 30,	Se	ptember 30,				
		2020		2020		2019				
Net Production Volumes: ⁽¹⁾										
Oil (MBbl)		3,895		3,920		3,659				
Natural gas (Bcf)		16.9		16.5		16.5				
Total oil equivalent (MBOE)		6,715		6,670		6,407				
Average Daily Production Volumes: ⁽¹⁾										
Oil (Bbl/d)		42,340		43,074		39,776				
Natural gas (MMcf/d)		183.9		181.4		179.2				
Total oil equivalent (BOE/d)		72,989		73,302		69,645				
Average Sales Prices:										
Oil, without realized derivatives, \$/Bbl	\$	38.67	\$	24.03	\$	54.19				
Oil, with realized derivatives, \$/Bbl	\$	37.28	\$	35.28	\$	54.97				
Natural gas, without realized derivatives, \$/Mcf	\$	2.27	\$	1.49	\$	1.88				
Natural gas, with realized derivatives, \$/Mcf	\$	2.27	\$	1.49	\$	1.91				
Revenues (millions):										
Oil and natural gas revenues	\$	189.1	\$	118.8	\$	229.4				
Third-party midstream services revenues	\$	19.4	\$	14.7	\$	15.3				
Lease bonus - mineral acreage	\$	-	\$	4.1	\$	1.7				
Realized (loss) gain on derivatives	\$	(5.4)	\$	44.1	\$	3.3				
Operating Expenses (per BOE):										
Production taxes, transportation and processing	\$	3.85	\$	2.82	\$	3.86				
Lease operating	\$	3.48	\$	3.92	\$	4.64				
Plant and other midstream services operating	\$	1.40	\$	1.47	\$	1.38				
Depletion, depreciation and amortization	\$	13.11	\$	14.00	\$	14.44				
General and administrative ⁽²⁾	\$	2.25	\$	2.21	\$	3.18				
Total ⁽³⁾	\$	24.09	\$	24.42	\$	27.50				
Other (millions):										
Net sales of purchased natural gas ⁽⁴⁾	\$	2.2	\$	3.1	\$	3.3				
(5)										
Net (loss) income (millions) ⁽⁵⁾	\$	(276.1)	\$	(353.4)	\$	44.0				
(Loss) earnings per common share (diluted) ⁽⁵⁾	\$	(2.38)	\$	(3.04)	\$	0.38				
Adjusted net income (loss) (millions) ⁽⁵⁾⁽⁶⁾	\$	11.6	\$	(3.1)	\$	37.9				
Adjusted earnings (loss) per common share (diluted) ⁽⁵⁾⁽⁷⁾	\$	0.10	\$	(0.03)	\$	0.32				
Adjusted EBITDA (millions) ⁽⁵⁾⁽⁸⁾	\$	121.0	\$	107.6	\$	160.8				
San Mateo net income (millions)	\$	20.3	\$	15.3	\$	20.0				
San Mateo Adjusted EBITDA (millions) ⁽⁸⁾	\$	28.0	\$	23.2	\$	26.3				

(1) Production volumes reported in two streams: oil and natural gas, including both dry and liquids-rich natural gas.

(2) Includes approximately \$0.50, \$0.49 and \$0.73 per BOE of non-cash, stock-based compensation expense in the third guarter of 2020, the second guarter of 2020 and the third guarter of 2019, respectively.

(3) Total does not include the impact of full-cost ceiling impairment charges, purchased natural gas or immaterial accretion expenses.

(4) Net sales of purchased natural gas refers to residue natural gas and natural gas liquids that are purchased from customers and subsequently resold.

(5) Attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholders.

(6) Adjusted net income (loss) is a non-GAAP financial measure. For a definition of adjusted net income (loss) and a reconciliation of adjusted net income (loss) (non-GAAP) to net income (loss) (GAAP), see Appendix.

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Delaware Basin Extended Lateral Well Location Inventory

- Matador has identified up to 4,548 gross (1,600 net) remaining potential locations⁽¹⁾ for future drilling on its Delaware Basin acreage
 - Location counts assume extended lateral lengths whenever viable, and the total locations have an average lateral length of ~8,200', which is much longer than Matador's historical location inventory based on one-mile laterals
 - Updated location counts increase net lateral footage attributable to Matador acreage by ~15% above prior estimates
 - Almost all intervals assume 160-acre well spacing (none less than 100-acre spacing at same true vertical depth)
- Matador anticipates operating up to 2,194 gross (1,374 net) of these potential locations⁽²⁾, which represents **approximately 30 years** of drilling inventory with a three-rig drilling program

					Total	Undrilled Lo	cations Identifi Gross / Net		Length	Potential Matac Operated Location
Brushy Canyon					~5,000'+	~7,500'+	~10,000'+	Total	Avg. Lateral	Gross / Net
Avalon	•	•	•	•	106 / 36	57 / 21	195 / 68	358 / 125	8,100'	177 / 108
1st Bone Spring	(\oplus \oplus		€	114 / 39	68 / 36	242 / 117	424 / 192	8,200'	248 / 177
d Bone Spring	\oplus	\oplus	\oplus	\oplus	131 / 40	95 / 28	479 / 126	705 / 194	8,700'	275 / 152
d Bone Spring	•	•	•	•	145 / 58	104 / 33	474 / 135	723 / 226	8,600'	318 / 186
olfcamp A-XY	$\bigcirc \oplus$	\oplus	\oplus	\oplus	153 / 70	124 / 50	376 / 120	653 / 240	8,300'	328 / 208
amp A-Lower	$\bigcirc \oplus$	\oplus	\oplus	\oplus	137 / 58	68 / 21	200 / 58	405 / 137	7,900'	187 / 115
Wolfcamp B	\bigcirc	\oplus	\oplus	\oplus	153 / 72	75 / 32	193 / 69	421 / 173	7,700'	225 / 156
Wolfcamp D	(\oplus \oplus		$ \oplus \oplus $	175 / 70	79 / 39	268 / 93	522 / 202	7,900'	264 / 179
	•	⊕	•	•	68 / 26	32 / 9	237 / 76	337 / 111	8,700'	172 / 93
	•	—— 1-m	nile —		1,182 / 469	702 / 269	2,664 / 862	4,548 / 1,600	8,200'	2,194 / 1,374

 Identified and engineered locations for potential future drilling and completion, including specified production units, costs and well spacing using objective criteria for designation. Locations identified as of March 31, 2020.
 Includes any identified gross locations for which Matador's working interest is expected to be at least 25%.



Delaware Basin Drilling Records Since MAXCOM Implementation

97 MTDR Drilling Records and \$10.8 Million Estimated Savings Since MAXCOM Implementation Through September 2020

Delaware Drilling Records

- Spud to Total Depth ("TD"): 9.5 days
- Longest Well: 23,992' Total Measured Depth⁽¹⁾
- Largest Daily Horizontal Footage: 4,072 ft

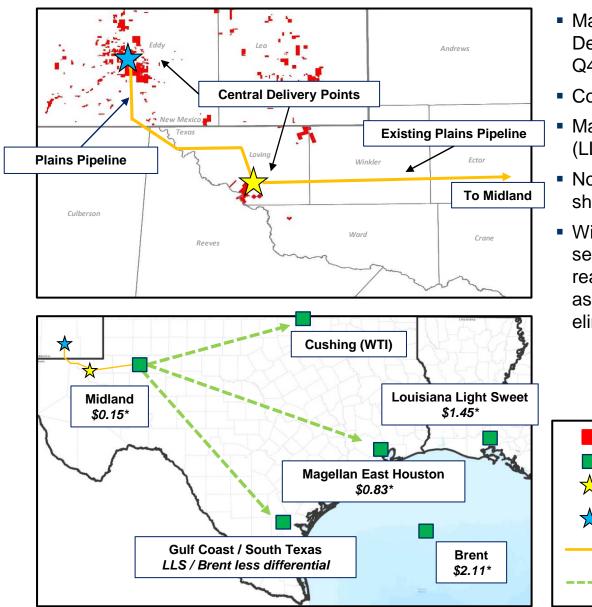
Matador Drilling Records by Area

Recent Spud to TD Drilling Records:

- Ace Stern Vegas #204H 14.7 days 2-mile well
- Ray State #123H 13.4 days 2-mile well
- Jack Sleeper #201H 17.8 days 2-mile well
- Rodney Robinson #122H 18.8 days 2-mile well
- Irvin Wall #113H 12.1 days Antelope Ridge
- SST 6 #122H 9.5 days Arrowhead
- Airstrip #111H 13.9 days Ranger
- Garrett #111H 10.1 days Rustler Breaks
- Newman #2H 6.5 days Eagle Ford

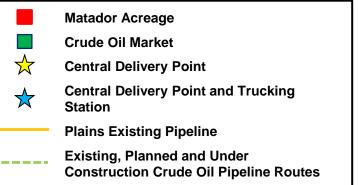
	Antelope Ridge	Rustler Breaks / Stateline	Wolf / Jackson Trust	Arrowhead / Ranger / Twin Lakes	Eagle Ford	Total
Surface	3	5	-	1	-	9
Intermediate 1	4	5	6	1	1	17
Intermediate 2	4	4	3	2	-	13
Curve	8	6	1	1	-	16
Lateral	3	5	5	-	-	13
Spud to TD	8	8	3	4	1	24
Other	-	3	1	1	-	5
Total	30	36	19	10	2	97

Crude Oil Marketing Overview



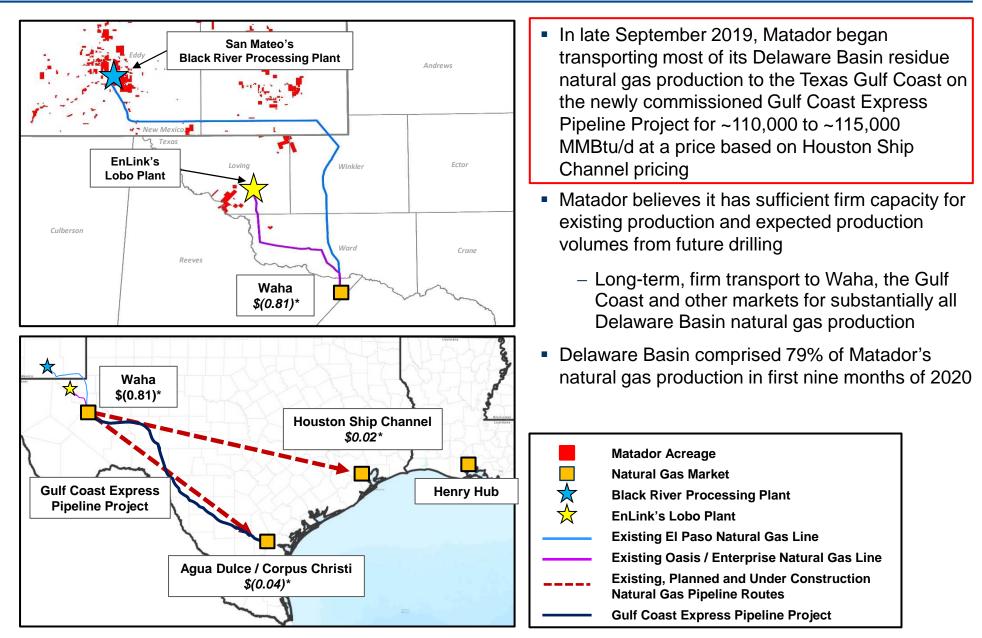
Note: All acreage as of June 30, 2020. Some tracts not shown on map.

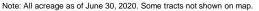
- Matador expects to have almost all its operated Delaware Basin oil production on pipe by late Q4 2020
- Contracted a long-term, fixed transport rate
- Market optionality into Midland, Gulf Coast (LLS), Houston, Corpus Christi and Cushing
- No minimum volume commitment to Plains to ship oil to Midland
- With the Rustler Breaks Oil Pipeline System in service, Matador improved its oil price realizations in the Rustler Breaks asset area by as much as \$1.00 to \$1.50 per barrel through elimination of higher priced trucking costs





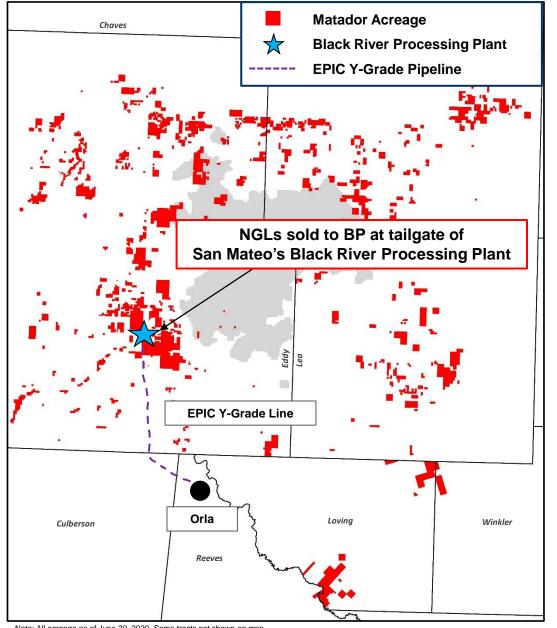
Natural Gas Marketing Overview







Natural Gas Liquids Marketing Overview



- Completed NGL connection at the Black River Processing Plant on EPIC's Y-Grade pipeline in March 2018
 - BP Energy Company has continued to buy NGLs at tailgate of the Black River Processing Plant
- Processing plant operations improved by eliminating need for NGL trucking
 - Potential trucking disruptions: ice storms, road construction, trucking strikes, availability of trucks
- Pipeline allows producers the option to go into full recovery of ethane
- NGL transportation via pipeline improves Matador's realized pricing (netback)
 - Long-term firm market transport at attractive rates
 - Ability to handle expanded designed inlet capacity of 460 MMcf/d during ethane recovery



Note: All acreage as of June 30, 2020. Some tracts not shown on map.

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Matador Resources and San Mateo I Credit Facilities

matal	COMPANY			Matador Credit Agreement Summary Bank group led by Royal Bank of Canada											
Facility Size	<u>Maturity</u> <u>Date</u>	Borrowing Base	<u>Last Reserves</u> <u>Review</u>	Borrowing Outstanding		<u>Letters of Credit</u> <u>Outstanding</u> <u>at 9/30/2020</u>	Financial Covenant: <u>Maximum Net Debt to</u> Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾								
\$1.5 billion	October 2023	\$900 million	9/30/2020	\$700 million	4.00:1.00										
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Facility Size	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	<u>lion Feature</u> dable Up To	<u>Borrowings</u> <u>Outstanding</u> <u>at 9/30/2020</u>	<u>Letters of C</u> Outstandi <u>at 9/30/20</u>	ing Maximum Net Debt to		<u>Financial Covenant:</u> <u>Minimum Interest Coverage</u> <u>Ratio</u>								
\$375 million	\$40	00 million	\$326 million	\$9 millio	1	5.00:1.00	≥ 2.50x								

<u>M</u>	atador Credit Ag	greemen	t Pricing	g Grid	<u>S</u>	<u>an Mateo I Cred</u>	<u>it Facilit</u>	<u>y Pricin</u> g	g Grid
TIER	Borrowing Base <u>Utilization</u>	<u>LIBOR</u> <u>Margin</u>	<u>BASE</u> <u>Margin</u>	<u>Commitment</u> <u>Fee</u>	TIER	<u>Leverage</u> (Total Debt / LTM Adjusted EBITDA)	<u>LIBOR</u> <u>Margin</u>	<u>BASE</u> <u>Margin</u>	<u>Commitment</u> <u>Fee</u>
Tier One	x < 25%	125 bps	25 bps	37.5 bps	Tier One	≤ 2.75x	150 bps	50 bps	30 bps
Tier Two	25% < or = x < 50%	150 bps	50 bps	37.5 bps	Tier Two	> 2.75x to ≤ 3.25x	175 bps	75 bps	35 bps
Tier Three	50% < or = x < 75%	175 bps	75 bps	50 bps	Tier Three	> 3.25x to ≤ 3.75x	200 bps	100 bps	37.5 bps
Tier Four	75% < or = x < 90%	200 bps	100 bps	50 bps	Tier Four	> 3.75x to ≤ 4.25x	225 bps	125 bps	50 bps
Tier Five	90% < or = x < 100%	225 bps	125 bps	50 bps	Tier Five	> 4.25x	250 bps	150 bps	50 bps

(1) Adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure. For purposes of the Credit Agreement, Adjusted EBITDA excludes amounts attributable to San Mateo. For a definition of Adjusted EBITDA and a reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to net income and net cash provided by operating activities, see Appendix.

(2) For purposes of the Credit Agreement, Net Debt is equal to debt outstanding less available cash not exceeding \$50 million and excluding all cash associated with San Mateo.

(3) Adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure. Based on Adjusted EBITDA for San Mateo I. For a definition of Adjusted EBITDA and a reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA (non-GAAP) to net income (GAAP) and net cash provided by operating activities (GAAP), see Appendix.



Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation

This presentation includes the non-GAAP financial measure of Adjusted EBITDA. Adjusted EBITDA is a supplemental non-GAAP financial measure that is used by management and external users of the Company's consolidated financial statements, such as industry analysts, investors, lenders and rating agencies. "GAAP" means Generally Accepted Accounting Principles in the United States of America. The Company believes Adjusted EBITDA helps it evaluate its operating performance and compare its results of operations from period to period without regard to its financing methods or capital structure. The Company defines, on a consolidated basis and for San Mateo, Adjusted EBITDA as earnings before interest expense, income taxes, depletion, depreciation and amortization, accretion of asset retirement obligations, property impairments, unrealized derivative gains and losses, certain other non-cash items and non-cash stock-based compensation expense, prepayment premium on extinguishment of debt and net gain or loss on asset sales and impairment. Adjusted EBITDA for San Mateo includes the financial results of San Mateo Midstream, LLC and San Mateo Midstream II, LLC. Adjusted EBITDA is not a measure of net income (loss) or net cash provided by operating activities as determined by GAAP. All references to Matador's Adjusted EBITDA are those values attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholders after giving effect to Adjusted EBITDA attributable to third-party non-controlling interests, including in San Mateo.

Adjusted EBITDA should not be considered an alternative to, or more meaningful than, net income (loss) or net cash provided by operating activities as determined in accordance with GAAP or as an indicator of the Company's operating performance or liquidity. Certain items excluded from Adjusted EBITDA are significant components of understanding and assessing a company's financial performance, such as a company's cost of capital and tax structure. Adjusted EBITDA may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of another company because all companies may not calculate Adjusted EBITDA in the same manner. The following table presents the calculation of Adjusted EBITDA and the reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to the GAAP financial measures of net income (loss) and net cash provided by operating activities, respectively, that are of a historical nature. Where references are pro forma, forward-looking, preliminary or prospective in nature, and not based on historical fact, the table does not provide a reconciliation. The Company could not provide such reconciliation without undue hardship because such Adjusted EBITDA numbers are estimations, approximations and/or ranges. In addition, it would be difficult for the Company to present a detailed reconciliation on account of many unknown variables for the reconciling items, including future income taxes, full-cost ceiling impairments, unrealized gains or losses on derivatives and gains or losses on asset sales and impairment. For the same reasons, the Company is unable to address the probable significance of the unavailable information, which could be material to future results.



Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation Matador Resources Company, Consolidated

The following table presents our calculation of Adjusted EBITDA and reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to the GAAP financial measures of net income (loss) and net cash provided by operating activities, respectively.

(In thousands)	1Q 2016	2Q 2016	3Q 2016	4Q 2016	1Q 2017	2Q 2017	3Q 2017	4Q 2017	1Q 2018	2Q 2018	3Q 2018	4Q 2018
	1Q 2016	20 2016	3Q 2016	40 2016	10 2017	20, 2017	30 2017	4Q 2017	10 2018	20 2018	30 2018	40 2018
Unaudited Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation to Net (Loss) Income:												
Net (loss) income attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholders	\$ (107,654)	\$ (105,853)	\$ 11,931	\$ 104,154	\$ 43,984	\$ 28,509	\$ 15,039	\$ 38,335	\$ 59,894	\$ 59,806	\$ 17,794	\$ 136,713
Net (loss) income attributable to non-controlling interest in subsidiaries	(13)	106	116	155	1,916	3,178	2,940	4,106	5,030	5,831	7,321	7,375
Net (loss) income	(107,667)	(105,747)	12,047	104,309	45,900	31,687	17,979	42,441	64,924	65,637	25,115	144,088
Interest expense	7,197	6,167	6,880	7,955	8,455	9,224	8,550	8,336	8,491	8,004	10,340	14,492
Total income tax (benefit) provision	-	-	(1,141)	105	-	-	-	(8,157)	-	-	-	(7,691)
Depletion, depreciation and amortization	28,923	31,248	30,015	31,863	33,992	41,274	47,800	54,436	55,369	66,838	70,457	72,478
Accretion of asset retirement obligations	264	289	276	354	300	314	323	353	364	375	387	404
Full-cost ceiling impairment	80,462	78,171	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unrealized loss (gain) on derivatives	6,839	26,625	(3,203)	10,977	(20,631)	(13,190)	12,372	11,734	(10,416)	(1,429)	21,337	(74,577)
Stock-based compensation expense	2,243	3,310	3,584	3,224	4,166	7,026	1,296	4,166	4,179	4,766	4,842	3,413
Net (gain) loss on asset sales and impairment	(1,065)	(1,002)	(1,073)	(104,137)	(7)	-	(16)	-	-	-	196	-
Prepayment premium on extinguishment of debt	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31,226	-
Consolidated Adjusted EBITDA	17,196	39,061	47,385	54,650	72,175	76,335	88,304	113,309	122,911	144,191	163,900	152,607
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to non-controlling interest in subsidiaries	4	(115)	(125)	(164)	(2,216)	(3,683)	(3,471)	(4,690)	(5,657)	(6,853)	(8,508)	(9,368)
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholders	\$ 17,200	\$ 38,946	\$ 47,260	\$ 54,486	\$ 69,959	\$ 72,652	\$ 84,833	\$ 108,619	\$ 117,254	\$ 137,338	\$ 155,392	\$ 143,239
(In thousands)	1Q 2016	2Q 2016	3Q 2016	4Q 2016	1Q 2017	2Q 2017	3Q 2017	4Q 2017	1Q 2018	2Q 2018	3Q 2018	4Q 2018
Unaudited Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation to												
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:												
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 18,358	\$ 31,242	\$ 46,862	\$ 37,624	\$ 61,309	\$ 59,933	\$ 101,274	\$ 76,609	\$ 136,149	\$ 118,059	\$ 165,111	\$ 189,205
Net change in operating assets and liabilities	(8,059)	1,944	(4,909)	9,215	2,455	7,198	(21,481)	36,886	(21,364)	18,174	(11,111)	(50, 129)
Interest expense, net of non-cash portion	6,897	5,875	6,573	7,706	8,411	9,204	8,511	7,971	8,126	7,958	9,900	13,986
Current income tax (benefit) provision	-	-	(1,141)	105	-	-	-	(8,157)	-	-	-	(455)
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to non-controlling interest in subsidiaries	4	(115)	(125)	(164)	(2,216)	(3,683)	(3,471)	(4,690)	(5,657)	(6,853)	(8,508)	(9,368)
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholders	\$ 17,200	\$ 38,946	\$ 47,260	\$ 54,486	\$ 69,959	\$ 72,652	\$ 84,833	\$ 108,619	\$ 117,254	\$ 137,338	\$ 155,392	\$ 143,239



Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation Continued Matador Resources Company, Consolidated

The following table presents our calculation of Adjusted EBITDA and reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to the GAAP financial measures of net income (loss) and net cash provided by operating activities, respectively.

(In thousands)	1Q 2019	2Q 2019	3Q 2019	4Q 2019	1Q 2020	2Q 2020	3Q 2020
Unaudited Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation to Net (Loss) Income:							
Net (loss) income attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholders	\$ (16,947)	\$ 36,752	\$ 43,953	\$ 24,019	\$ 125,729	\$ (353,416)	\$ (276,064)
Net (loss) income attributable to non-controlling interest in subsidiaries	7,462	8,320	9,800	9,623	9,354	7,473	9,957
Net (loss) income	(9,485)	45,072	53,753	33,642	135,083	(345,943)	(266,107)
Interest expense	17,929	18,068	18,175	19,701	19,812	18,297	18,231
Total income tax (benefit) provision	(1,013)	12,858	13,490	10,197	39,957	(109,823)	26,497
Depletion, depreciation and amortization	76,866	80,132	92,498	101,043	90,707	93,350	88,025
Accretion of asset retirement obligations	414	420	520	468	476	495	478
Full-cost ceiling impairment	-	-	-	-	-	324,001	251,163
Unrealized loss (gain) on derivatives	45,719	(6,157)	(9,847)	24,012	(136,430)	132,668	13,033
Stock-based compensation expense	4,587	4,490	4,664	4,765	3,794	3,286	3,369
Net (gain) loss on asset sales and impairment	-	368	439	160	-	2,632	-
Prepayment premium on extinguishment of debt	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Consolidated Adjusted EBITDA	135,017	155,251	173,692	193,988	153,399	118,963	134,689
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to non-controlling interest in subsidiaries	(10,178)	(11,147)	(12,903)	(12,964)	(12,823)	(11,369)	(13,701)
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholder	\$ 124,839	\$ 144,104	\$ 160,789	\$ 181,024	\$ 140,576	\$ 107,594	\$ 120,988
(In thousands)	1Q 2019	2Q 2019	3Q 2019	4Q 2019	1Q 2020	2Q 2020	3Q 2020
Unaudited Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation to							
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:							
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 59,240	\$ 135,257	\$ 158,630	\$ 198,915	\$ 109,372	\$ 101,013	\$ 109,574
Net change in operating assets and liabilities	58,491	2,472	(2,488)	(23,958)	24,899	368	7,599
Interest expense, net of non-cash portion	17,286	17,522	17,550	19,031	19,128	17,582	17,516
Current income tax (benefit) provision	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to non-controlling interest in subsidiaries	(10,178)	(11,147)	(12,903)	(12,964)	(12,823)	(11,369)	(13,701)
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholder	\$ 124,839	\$ 144,104	\$ 160,789	\$ 181,024	\$ 140,576	\$ 107,594	\$ 120,988





The following table presents the calculation of Adjusted EBITDA and reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to the GAAP financial measures of net income (loss) and net cash provided by (used in) operating activities, respectively, for San Mateo Midstream, LLC and San Mateo Midstream II, LLC.

		١	December	ember 31,			
(In thousands)	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019		
Unaudited Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation to Net Income:							
Netincome	\$ 2,719	\$ 10,174	\$ 26,391	\$52,158	\$ 71,850		
Total income tax provision	647	97	269	-	_		
Depletion, depreciation and amortization	562	1,739	4,231	9,459	15,068		
Interest expense	-	_	-	333	9,282		
Accretion of asset retirement obligations	16	47	30	61	110		
Adjusted EBITDA (Non-GAAP)	\$ 3,944	\$ 12,057	\$ 30,921	\$62,011	\$ 96,310		
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		1	lear Ended	December	31,		
(In thousands)	2015	2016	2017	December 2018	31, 2019		
(In thousands) Unaudited Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:	2015						
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Unaudited Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities: Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 	2016	2017	2018	2019		
Unaudited Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation to	\$ 13,916	2016 \$ 6,694	2017 \$ 21,308	2018 \$ 35,702	2019 \$ 106,650		
Unaudited Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities: Net cash provided by operating activities Net change in operating assets and liabilities	\$ 13,916	2016 \$ 6,694	2017 \$ 21,308	2018 \$ 35,702 25,989	2019 \$ 106,650 (19,137)		





The following table presents the calculation of Adjusted EBITDA and reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to the GAAP financial measures of net income (loss) and net cash provided by (used in) operating activities, respectively, for San Mateo Midstream, LLC and San Mateo Midstream II, LLC.

								hree Months							
(In thousands)	3/31/2017	6/30/2017	9/30/2017	12/31/2017	3/31/2018	6/30/2018	9/30/2018	12/31/2018	3/31/2019	6/30/2019	9/30/2019	12/31/2019	3/31/2020	6/30/2020	9/30/2020
Unaudited Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation to															
Net Income (Loss):															
Netincome	\$ 5,741	\$ 6,422	\$ 5,937	\$ 8,291	\$ 10,266	\$ 11,901	\$ 14,940	\$ 15,051	\$ 15,229	\$ 16,979	\$ 20,000	\$ 19,642	\$ 19,088	\$ 15,252	\$ 20,323
Total income tax provision	54	64	63	88	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Depletion, depreciation and amortization	951	1,016	1,083	1,181	1,268	2,086	2,392	3,713	3,406	3,565	3,848	4,249	4,600	4,786	5,822
Interest expense	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	333	2,142	2,180	2,458	2,502	2,437	1,854	1,766
Accretion of asset retirement obligations	-	9	10	11	11	12	18	20	-	25	27	58	45	49	50
Net loss on impairment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,261	-
Adjusted EBITDA (Non-GAAP)	\$ 6,746	\$ 7,511	\$ 7,093	\$ 9,571	\$ 11,545	\$ 13,999	\$ 17,350	\$ 19,117	\$ 20,777	\$ 22,749	\$ 26,333	\$ 26,451	\$ 26,170	\$ 23,202	\$ 27,961
							т	hree Months	Ended						
(In thousands)	3/31/2017	6/30/2017	9/30/2017	12/31/2017	3/31/2018	6/30/2018				6/30/2019	9/30/2019	12/31/2019	3/31/2020	6/30/2020	9/30/2020
Unaudited Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation to	5/51/2011	0/00/2011	5/50/2017	12/31/2011	3/31/2010	0/00/2010	5/50/2010	12/01/2010	5/51/2015	0/00/2010	5/50/2015	12/31/2013	5/51/2020	0/00/2020	5/50/2020
Net Cash Provided by (Used in) Operating Activities:															
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	\$ (1,064)	\$ 2.630	\$ 22,509	\$ (2,767)	\$ 10,385	\$ (160)	\$ 2,093	\$ 23.070	\$ 32.616	\$ 18.650	\$ 31.550	\$ 23.834	\$ 25.244	\$ 20.164	\$ 24.795
Net change in operating assets and liabilities	φ (1,004) 7.756	φ 2,030 4.817	(15,479)	12,250	1.160	φ (100) 14.159	φ 2,093 15,257	(4,273)	÷ =,=	+,	(7,468)	· ,	(1,341)	* = / =	^(1,477)
Interest expense, net of non-cash portion	7,750	4,017	(13,473)	12,230	1,100	-+,139	13,237	(4,273)	2,060	2,031	2,251	2.418	2,267	1,334	1,477
	- 54	64	63	88	_	-	-	520	2,000	2,000	2,231	2,410	2,207	1,004	1,009
Current income tax provision	÷.					- -	¢ 47.250	¢ 10117		¢ 00 740	- •	¢ 06.454	¢ 06.470	¢ 22.202	¢ 07.064
Adjusted EBITDA (Non-GAAP)	\$ 6,746	\$ 7,511	\$ 7,093	\$ 9,571	\$ 11,545	\$ 13,999	\$ 17,350	\$ 19,117	\$ 20,777	\$ 22,749	\$ 26,333	\$ 26,451	\$ 26,170	\$ 23,202	\$ 27,961



Adjusted Net (Loss) Income and Adjusted (Loss) Earnings Per Diluted Common Share

This presentation includes the non-GAAP financial measures of adjusted net (loss) income and adjusted (loss) earnings per diluted common share. These non-GAAP items are measured as net (loss) income attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholders, adjusted for dollar and per share impact of certain items, including unrealized gains or losses on derivatives, the impact of full cost-ceiling impairment charges, if any, and non-recurring transaction costs for certain acquisitions or other non-recurring expense items, along with the related tax effect for all periods. This non-GAAP financial information is provided as additional information for investors and is not in accordance with, or an alternative to, GAAP financial measures. Additionally, these non-GAAP financial measures may be different than similar measures used by other companies. The Company believes the presentation of adjusted net (loss) income and adjusted (loss) earnings per diluted common share provides useful information to investors, as it provides them an additional relevant comparison of the Company's performance across periods and to the performance of the Company's peers. In addition, these non-GAAP financial measures reflect adjustments for items of income and expense that are often excluded by industry analysts and other users of the Company's financial statements in evaluating the Company's performance. The table below reconciles adjusted net (loss) income and adjusted (loss) earnings per diluted common share to their most directly comparable GAAP measure of net (loss) income attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholders.

Resources company shareholders.			Th	ree Months Endeo	k	
(In thousands, except per share data)	Septe	mber 30, 2020	Jı	une 30, 2020	Septer	nber 30, 2019
Unaudited Adjusted Net (Loss) Income and Adjusted (Loss) Earnings Per Share Reconciliation to Net (Loss) Income:						
Net (loss) income attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholders	\$	(276,064)	\$	(353,416)	\$	43,953
Total income tax provision (benefit)		26,497		(109,823)		13,490
(Loss) income attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholders before taxes		(249,567)		(463,239)		57,443
Less non-recurring and unrealized charges to (loss) income before taxes:						
Full-cost ceiling impairment		251,163		324,001		-
Unrealized loss (gain) on derivatives		13,033		132,668		(9,847)
Net loss on asset sales and impairment		-		2,632		439
Adjusted income (loss) attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholders before taxes		14,629		(3,938)		48,035
Income tax expense (benefit) ⁽¹⁾		3,072		(827)		10,087
Adjusted net income (loss) attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholders (non-GAAP)	\$	11,557	\$	(3,111)	\$	37,948
Basic weighted average shares outstanding, without participating securities		116,155		116,071		115,721
Dilutive effect of participating securities		685		-		922
Weighted average shares outstanding, including participating securities - basic		116,840		116,071		116,643
Dilutive effect of options and restricted stock units		569		-		333
Weighted average common shares outstanding - diluted		117,409		116,071		116,976
Adjusted earnings (loss) per share attributable to Matador Resources Company shareholders (non-GAAP)						
Basic	\$	0.10	\$	(0.03)	\$	0.33
Diluted	\$	0.10	\$	(0.03)	\$	0.32



Return on Average Capital Employed (ROACE) Reconciliation

The following table presents our calculation of E&P ROACE and Total ROACE and a reconciliation of such measures to the corresponding GAAP financial measures.

Return on Average Capital Employed

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(\$ in thousands)		For the Years Ended December 31,					
	2019		2018		2017		2016
Net income (loss) (GAAP) Adjustments to Net income (see Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation schedule)	\$ 122,982 487,774	\$	299,764 253,459	\$	138,007 198,056	\$	(97,057) 254,949
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to Matador Resources Company Shareholders (Non-GAAP) Cash inflows from midstream transactions	\$ 610,756 14,700	\$	553,223 14,700	\$	336,063 171,500	\$	157,892 -
Total cash inflows from midstream transactions and Adjusted EBITDA (Non-GAAP)	\$ 625,456	\$	567,923	\$	507,563	\$	157,892
Total Assets Less: Total Current Liabilities Total Capitalization	\$ 4,069,676 (399,772) 3,669,904	\$	3,455,518 (330,022) 3,125,496	\$	2,145,690 (282,606) 1,863,084	\$	1,464,665 (169,505) 1,295,160
Average Total Capitalization ⁽¹⁾	\$ 3,397,700	\$	2,494,290	\$	1,579,122		
E&P ROACE = [(a) / (c)]	 18%		22%		21%		
Total ROACE = [(b) / (c)]	 18%		23%		32%		

(1) Average for the current and immediately preceding year.



Cash Return on Capital Invested (CROCI) Reconciliation

The following table presents our calculation of CROCI and Total CROCI and a reconciliation of such measures to the corresponding GAAP financial measures.

Cash Return on Capital Invested									
(\$ in thousands)				For the Years Ended December 31,					
		2019		2018		2017		2016	
Interest expense	\$	73,873	\$	41,327	\$	34,565	\$	28,199	
Tax benefit imputed (based on a 0% tax rate)		-		-		-		-	
After-tax interest expense	\$	73,873	\$	41,327	\$	34,565	\$	28,199	
Net cash provided by operating activities (GAAP)	\$	552,042	\$	608,523	\$	299,125	\$	134,086	
After-tax interest expense		73,873		41,327		34,565		28,199	
Adjusted net cash provided by operating activities (Non-GAAP)	\$	625,915	\$	649,850	\$	333,690	\$	162,285	
Cash inflows from midstream transactions		14,700		14,700		171,500		-	
Total adjusted net cash provided by operating activities (Non-GAAP)	\$	640,615	\$	664,550	\$	505,190	\$	162,285	
Oil and natural gas properties, full-cost method									
Evaluated	\$	4,557,265	\$	3,780,236	\$	3,004,770	\$	2,408,305	
Unproved and unevaluated		1,126,992		1,199,511		637,396		479,736	
Midstream properties and other property and equipment		670,924		450,066		281,096		160,795	
Gross property, plant and equipment	\$	6,355,181	\$	5,429,813	\$	3,923,262	\$	3,048,836	
Average gross property, plant and equipment ⁽¹⁾	\$	5,892,497	\$	4,676,538	\$	3,486,049	\$	2,822,451	
Goodwill	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	
Average goodwill ⁽¹⁾	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	
Total current assets	\$	278,492	\$	305,685	\$	257,170	\$	279,182	
Less: Total current liabilities		(399,772)	-	(330,022)		(282,606)		(169,505)	
Total working capital	\$	(121,280)	\$	(24,337)	\$	(25,436)	\$	109,677	
Average working capital ⁽¹⁾	\$	(72,809)	\$	(24,887)	\$	42,121			
CROCI = [(a) / {(c) + (d) + (e)}]		11%		14%		9%			
Total CROCI = [(b) / {(c) + (d) + (e)}]		<u> </u>		14%		14%			
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