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# **Executive Team Update**



#### **Terry Campbell, President & CEO**







"As one of the leading tier-1 parts suppliers in North America for the last 50 years, ABC has great potential for growth. We have the people, the customer relationships and the innovative drive to continue this leadership for the next 50 years and more as lightweighting becomes even more important to our OEM customers. I am excited to be embarking on this opportunity alongside our talented ABC employees who will be the engine of our ambitious plans for the future. "

# **Business Overview**





#### **Strong Top-Line Growth Offset by Continued Cost Pressures**

- ABC demonstrated stronger-than-industry top-line growth as a result of improved sales to a number of significant customers due to favorable product mix relative to the industry
- Continued industry-wide inflationary pressures related to labor, freight, resin, glass, rubber, paint and steel affecting ABC financial performance, resulting in compressed margins
- Contribution from dlhBowles and Karl Etzel acquisitions improved consolidated operational results but not enough to offset continued production pressures in core ABC operations
- The Company is implementing a variety of measures, controls and actions in response to the above-noted exogenous factors, as well as production pressures within core ABC
- ABC entered into an agreement to acquire Continental's Washer Systems product line for €20.5 million just prior to the end of the quarter

(All figures \$USD) Q4 2022 Sales \$319 Million

Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(1)(2)</sup> \$15 Million



1) See Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted Free Cash Flow reconciliations in Supplemental Data

2) See "Definition of Non-IFRS Measures" in Supplemental Data



### **Challenging Year for Core ABC, but M&A and Business Wins Demonstrate Focus on the Future**

(All figures \$USD)

- Fiscal 2022 financial results were significantly impacted by inflation and global OEM production disruptions and shortages in the supply of critical components and materials, primarily semiconductors
- These macroeconomic developments resulted in higher labor and freight costs, as well as increased raw material prices, especially in commodities used heavily by ABC - primarily resin
- ABC leveraged the challenging macroenvironment to strengthen its business for the long term through the acquisitions of dlhBowles and Karl Etzel in Q3 and the recent agreement to acquire Continental's Washer Systems business



The company achieved a record \$2.2 billion in estimated LoP Revenue, and benefited from the largest year ever of EV wins with \$435 million in lifetime revenue

 \$13 million of Adjusted Free Cash Flow generation between Q2 and Q4 offset a very weak first quarter during the height of the chip crisis Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(1)(2)</sup>

FY 2022 Sales

\$972 Million

\$46 Million



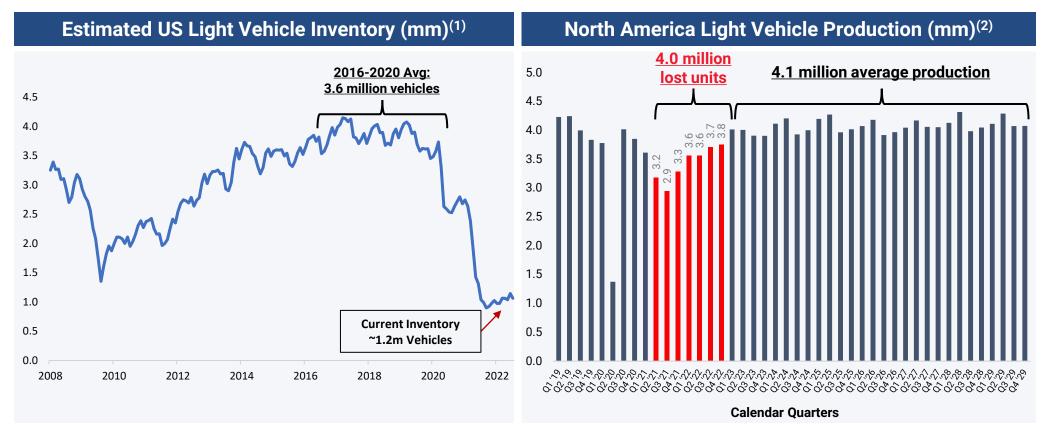
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### **Industry Outlook**



#### **Ongoing Shortages and Logistics Issues Extend Constraints and Hinder Market**



- US LV inventory has remained depressed, though on a slight increasing trend since October 2021
- Supply on hand remains near record lows at an estimated 24 days
- Lost production continues to grow with an estimated ~4.0 million units of production volume lost between 2021 and 2022, according to IHS Markit data. We expect this to lead to years of elevated recovery volumes
- Normal production expected to resume in CY 2023 with inventory build anticipated in late CY 2023

### **Fiscal 2022 Launches and Wins**



(All figures \$USD)

#### Major Fiscal 2022 Launches



#### Ford Bronco

- Exterior Systems
- Fluid Management



- US OEM Truck
- +\$1.2 billion LoP Revenue
- Air Induction
- Interior Systems
- Fluid Management

#### US OEM EV SUV

- \$140M LoP Revenue
- Interior Systems
- Exterior Systems
- HVAC

#### **Electric Vehicle Wins**

Key Fiscal Year 2022 Program Wins(1)

Record \$2.2B Estimated LoP Revenue <sup>(2)</sup> with 84

distinct programs and 15 OEMs

Largest year of EV wins with 32 distinct programs on 19 vehicles

\$435 million in LoP revenue<sup>(2)</sup>

Represents ~25% of total awarded annual and ~20% LoP revenue



#### <u>Honda Civic</u>

Exterior Systems





#### **GMC Hummer EV**

**Cadillac Lyric EV** 

**Interior Systems** 

HVAC Systems

1) ABC lifetime revenue estimates based on IHS Markit volume projections for each platform in their respective month of award

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2) Represents both ABC wins and proportionate share of JV wins; "LoP" = Life of Program

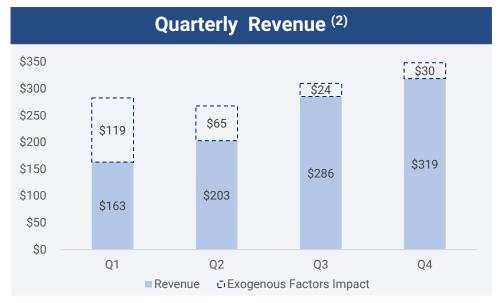
### Q4 and Fiscal Year 2022 Financial Details

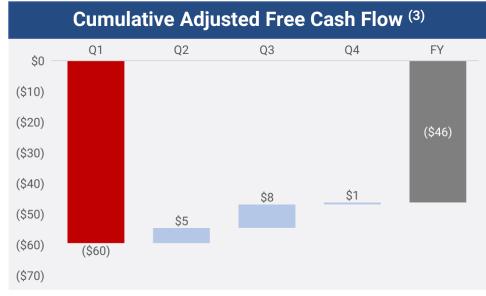


### Fiscal Year 2022 Key Financials<sup>(1)</sup>



#### **Continued Improvement in Revenue, but Adjusted EBITDA and Free Cash Flow Challenges Persist**

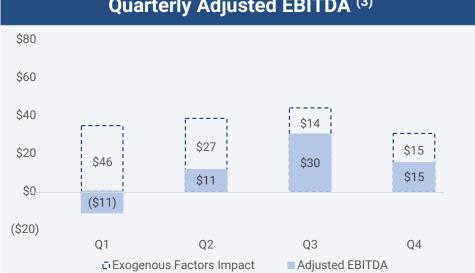




1) Results may not add due to rounding

2) Does not include JV revenue

3) See Adjusted EBITDA, and Adjusted Free Cash Flow reconciliation in Supplemental Data;



#### Cumulative Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(3)</sup>



### Quarterly Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(3)</sup>



#### **Stabilizing Cash Flow, Significant Improvement Since Q1**

							(Millions \$U	SD)
	<u>Q4 FY22</u>		<u>Q3 FY22</u>		<u>Q2 FY22</u>		<u>Q1 FY22</u>	
Cash From (Used In) Operating Activities	\$	19	\$	23	\$	27	\$ (4	42)
Purchases of PP&E		(13)		(12)		(8)	(1	11)
Additions to Intangible Assets <sup>(1)</sup>		(7)		(4)		(5)	(	(5)
Dividends from JVs		1		-		1		-
Principal Payments of Lease Liabilities		(3)		(3)		(3)	(	(3)
One-time advisory, bonus and other costs		3		3		3		1
Net impact of hedge monetization		1		1		(10)		-
Adjusted Free Cash Flow	\$	1	\$	8	\$	5	\$ (6	50)

- Adjusted Free Cash Flow has improved significantly since Q1 FY2022 as customer volumes returned
- Continued working capital tailwind expected to normalize throughout FY23
- Disciplined capital spending focused on new program needs and general maintenance



### **Liquidity Levels Remain Strong Despite Challenging Industry Environment**

		(Millions \$USD)
Capitalization as of June 30, 2022		
Revolver (\$550m Facility)	\$	400
	Ŷ	100
Cash		25
Proportionate share of cash at JVs		5
Total Cash		31
Net Debt	\$	369
Liquidity as of June 30, 2022		
Cash	Ś	25
Undrawn Revolver	Ŧ	150
Letters of Credit		(2)
		(-)
Total Liquidity	\$	173

- Credit Agreement amended on February 24 to increase size of Credit Facilities from \$450m to \$550m: maturity of \$500M extended from February 2025 to February 2027 (remaining \$50m matures in February 2023); lower the applicable interest rate
- As of June 30, 2022, ABC was in compliance with all covenants in its credit agreement
- The Company's sources of liquidity and capital provide ongoing flexibility for both operational and growth activities





#### Margin Pressures Offset Relative Top-Line Strength Resulting In Weak 2022



**Production Stability Continues to Improve in NA** Reduced call-off activity in NA, especially at the 11<sup>th</sup> hour, allowed for greater variable cost planning. Europe remains less predictable with significant material and energy cost spikes lingering



#### **Record New Business Wins in FY22**

Large quote packages won for high-volume North America truck and SUV platform, record EV wins and expanded book of business through M&A activity



#### Margin Pressures Persist

Combination of inflationary pressures and production call-offs have resulted in significantly compressed margins



#### **Production Runway Expected to Support Growth** Multiple years of elevated production needed to meet demand and replace lost volumes – strong opportunity for ABC

#### **M&A Pipeline Remains Full**

Following signing the agreement to acquire of Continental's Washer Systems business, ABC expects to continue to evaluate and pursue potential acquisition opportunities that align with its business and growth strategies





# Supplemental Data





"Net Debt" means (i) long-term debt less cash plus (ii) proportionate long-term debt held at joint ventures less proportionate cash held at joint ventures.

**"EBITDA"** means net earnings (loss) before interest expense, income tax expense (recovery), depreciation of property, plant and equipment, depreciation of right-of-use assets, and amortization of intangible assets.

"Adjusted EBITDA" means EBITDA plus: loss on disposal and write-down of assets, unrealized loss (gain) on derivative financial instruments, transactional, recruitment, and other bonuses, acquisitions related cost, initial public offering related costs, business transformation and related costs (which may include severance and restructuring expenses), impairment of nonfinancial assets, Apollo transaction cost less: our share of income of joint ventures, plus the Company's proportionate share of the EBITDA generated by our joint ventures, bargain purchase gain on the acquisition, and share-based compensation expense. We also present Adjusted EBITDA excluding the impact of IFRS 16 by charging the lease payments applicable to those periods to expense as was the case prior to IFRS 16 – Leases ("IFRS 16").

"Adjusted EBITDA Margin" means Adjusted EBITDA divided by sales adjusted to include the proportional share of joint venture sales attributable to ABC.

"Adjusted Free Cash Flow" means Net Cash Flows from Operating Activities less: purchases of property, plant and equipment, additions to intangible assets, lease payments, net impact of hedge monetization, plus: proceeds from disposal of property, plant, and equipment, cash dividends received from joint ventures, and one-time advisory, bonus and other costs.

### **Reconciliation of net income (loss) to Adjusted EBITDA**



	For the three months e	For the three months ended June 30,		
(USD '000)	2022	2021	2022	2021
Reconciliation of net loss to Adjusted EBITDA				
Net loss	\$(13,607)	\$(11,748)	\$(64,540)	\$(11,661)
Adjustments:				
Income tax expense (recovery)	(17,943)	586	(22,448)	413
Interest expense	8,518	6,831	31,582	46,336
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	16,358	11,737	53,344	46,000
Depreciation of right-of-use assets	4,263	3,894	15,570	14,291
Amortization of intangible assets	7,815	4,558	24,612	18,324
EBITDA	\$5,404	\$15,858	\$38,120	\$113,703
Loss on disposal and write-down of assets	1,057	37	1,794	516
Unrealized loss (gain) on derivative financial instruments	(1,854)	255	(2,695)	95
Acquisitions related cost	(219)	—	5,100	-
Transactional, recruitment and other bonuses <sup>1</sup>	-	7,908	2,374	14,653
Business transformation related costs <sup>2</sup>	7,863	459	11,867	6,059
Share of loss (income) of joint ventures	(847)	848	(498)	(5 <i>,</i> 669)
EBITDA from joint ventures <sup>3</sup>	2,020	2,230	3,955	13,161
Impairment of non-financial assets	8,185	_	8,185	_
Initial public offering ("IPO") related costs <sup>4</sup>	-	542	_	8,278
Share-based compensation expense	269	1,044	2,576	1,925
Apollo transaction costs <sup>5</sup>	-	3,553	_	3,553
Lease payments, net of sublease receipts	(6,660)	(5,867)	(25,127)	(22,915)
Adjusted EBITDA	\$15,218	\$26,867	\$45,651	\$133,359

1. These costs include \$2.4 million that was paid by the Company out of the Value Creation Plan ("VCP") in YTD Fiscal 2022 in connection with the Oaktree transaction. Costs incurred in YTD Fiscal 2021 represents transactional and recruitment bonuses including bonuses paid to management related to the IPO and Apollo transaction.

Represents costs including consulting fees associated with enhancing business operations, organizational capability and related processes. These costs include services provided by Cerberus Operations and Advisory LLC and some of ABC's directors in the amount of \$nil for Q4 Fiscal 2022 (Q4 Fiscal 2021: \$0.2 million), and \$0.0 million for YTD Fiscal 2022 (YTD Fiscal 2021: \$1.1 million). Cerberus Operations and Advisory LLC was a related party of the Company until November 10, 2021.

3. Represents 50% of joint ventures' EBITDA, which corresponds to the Company's proportionate share of ownership in the joint ventures.

4. Represents IPO related expenses incurred by the Company consisting mainly of underwriter and professional fees.

5. Represents Apollo transaction costs incurred by the Company consisting mainly of advisory fees paid to unrelated parties.

#### Reconciliation of net income (loss) to net cash flows from operating activities



	For the three mo June 30		For the year ended June 30,		
(USD '000)	2022	2021	2022	2021	
Reconciliation of net loss to net cash flows from operating activities					
Net loss	\$(13,607)	\$(11,748)	\$(64,540)	\$(11,661)	
Adjustments for:					
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	16,358	11,737	53,344	46,000	
Depreciation of right-of-use assets	4,263	3,894	15,570	14,293	
Amortization of intangible assets	7,815	4,558	24,612	18,324	
Loss on disposal and write-down of assets	1,057	37	1,794	516	
Unrealized loss (gain) on derivative financial instruments	(1,854)	255	(2,695)	95	
Interest expense	8,518	6,831	31,582	46,336	
Share of income of joint ventures	(847)	848	(498)	(5,669	
Income tax expense (recovery)	(17,943)	586	(22,448)	413	
Share-based compensation expense	269	1,044	2,576	1,925	
IPO related costs	-	542	_	8,278	
Impairment of non-financial assets	8,185	_	8,185	_	
Changes in:					
Trade and other receivables and prepaid expenses and other	10,715	(30,114)	(10,142)	(40,206	
Inventories	3,922	(5,944)	(15,251)	(10,448	
Trade payables, accrued liabilities and other payables, and provisions	1,928	13,114	38,469	75,534	
Cash generated from (used in) operating activities	\$28,779	\$(4,360)	\$60,558	\$143,728	
Interest received	92	194	445	385	
Income taxes recovered (paid)	(1,440)	(623)	(1,988)	2,784	
Interest paid on leases, net of interest income	(3,338)	(3,378)	(13,629)	(14,115	
Interest paid on long-term debt and other	(4,965)	(2,842)	(18,581)	(17,445	
Net cash flows from (used in) operating activities	\$19,128	\$(11,009)	\$26 <i>,</i> 805	\$115,337	



	For the three mo June 3		For the year ended June 30,		
(USD '000)	2022	2021	2022	2021	
Reconciliation of net cash flows from operating activities to Adjusted Free	e Cash Flow				
Net cash flows from operating activities	\$19,128	\$(11,009)	\$26,805	\$115,337	
Purchases of property, plant and equipment	(12,865)	(10,977)	(44,118)	(36,178)	
Proceeds from disposals of property, plant and equipment	-	-	-	171	
Additions to intangible assets <sup>1</sup>	(7,348)	(4,624)	(21,818)	(16,433)	
Principal payments of lease liabilities	(3,322)	(2,489)	(11,498)	(8,800)	
Dividends received from joint ventures	1,331	1,118	1,884	7,109	
One-time advisory, bonus and other costs <sup>2</sup>	2,798	10,899	10,046	18,078	
Net impact of hedge monetization	894	_	(7,518)	_	
Adjusted Free Cash Flow	\$616	\$(17,082)	\$(46,217)	\$79,284	

1. Represents capitalized development costs under IAS 38 Intangible Assets.

2. Includes \$2.3 million paid from the VCP in connection with the Oaktree transaction, and \$5.9 million paid in connection with the acquisitions, which mainly consisted of professional fees during the year ended June 30, 2022. The amount for the year ended June 30, 2021 included one-time advisory, bonus and other costs associated with IPO and Apollo transaction.