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- conservation measures and technological advances could reduce demand for natural gas and oil;
- negative public perceptions of our industry;
- competition in the natural gas and oil exploration and production industry:
- the volatility of natural gas, oil and NGL prices, which are affected by general economic and business conditions, as well as increased demand for (and availability of) alternative fuels and electric vehicles;
- risks from regional epidemics or pandemics and related economic turmoil, including supply chain constraints;
- write-downs of our natural gas and oil asset carrying values due to low commodity prices;
- significant capital expenditures are required to replace our reserves and conduct our business;
- our ability to replace reserves and sustain production:
- uncertainties inherent in estimating quantities of natural gas, oil and NGL reserves and projecting future rates of production and the amount and timing of development expenditures;
- drilling and operating risks and resulting liabilities;
- our ability to generate profits or achieve targeted results in drilling and well operations;
- leasehold terms expiring before production can be established;
- risks from our commodity price risk management activities;
- uncertainties, risks and costs associated with natural gas and oil operations:
- our need to secure adequate supplies of water for our drilling operations and to dispose of or recycle the water used:
- pipeline and gathering system capacity constraints and transportation interruptions;
- our plans to participate in the LNG export industry;
- terrorist activities and/or cyber-attacks adversely impacting our operations;
- risks from failure to protect personal information and data and compliance with data privacy and security laws and regulations:
- disruption of our business by natural or human causes beyond our control;
- a deterioration in general economic, business or industry conditions:
- the impact of inflation and commodity price volatility, including as a result of armed conflict and instability in Europe and the Middle East, along with the effects of the current global economic environment, on our business, financial condition, employees, contractors, vendors and the global demand for natural gas and oil and on U.S. and global financial markets;
- our inability to access the capital markets on favorable terms;
- the limitations on our financial flexibility due to our level of indebtedness and restrictive covenants from our indebtedness;
- our actual financial results after emergence from bankruptcy may not be comparable to our historical financial information;
- risks related to acquisitions or dispositions, or potential acquisitions, or potential acquisitions, or dispositions, or potential acquisitions or dispositions, including risks related to the pending Southwestern Merger, such as the occurrence of any event, change or other circumstances that could give rise to the termination of the merger agreement for the Southwestern Merger, the risk that we or Southwestern may be unable to obtain governmental and regulatory approvals required for the proposed transaction, or required governmental and regulatory approvals required for the proposed transaction, or required governmental and regulatory approvals may delay the Southwestern Merger: the risk that the parties to abandon the Southwestern Merger or result in the imposition of conditions that could cause the parties to abandon the Southwestern Merger. timely manner or at all; risks related to limitation on our ability to pursue alternatives to the Southwestern Merger; risks related to change in control or other provisions in certain agreement's restrictions on business activities prior to the effective time of the Southwestern Merger; risks related to loss of management personnel, other key employees, customers, suppliers, vendors, landlords, joint venture partners and other business partners following the Southwestern Merger; risks related to disruption of management time from ongoing business operations due to the proposed transaction; the risk that any announcements relating to the proposed transaction could have adverse effects on the market price of our common stock; the risk of any unexpected costs or expenses resulting from the proposed transaction; the risk of any litigation relating to the proposed transaction; the risk that problems may arise in successfully integrating the businesses of the companies, which may result in the combined company not operating as effectively and efficiently as expected; and the risk that the combined company may be unable to achieve synergies or other anticipated benefits of the proposed transaction or it may take longer than expected to achieve those synergies or benefits;
- our ability to achieve and maintain ESG certifications, goals and commitments;
- legislative, regulatory and ESG initiatives, addressing environmental concerns, including initiatives addressing the impact of global climate change or further regulating hydraulic fracturing, methane emissions, flaring or water disposal;
- federal and state tax proposals affecting our industry:
- risks related to an annual limitation on the utilization of our tax attributes, which is expected to be triggered upon the completion of the Southwestern Merger, as well as trading in our common stock, and certain other stock transactions, which could lead to an additional, potentially more restrictive, annual limitation; and
- other factors that are described under Risk Factors in Item 1A of our 2023 Form 10-K.

We caution you not to place undue reliance on the forward-looking statements contained in this presentation, which speak only as of the filing date, and we undertake no obligation to update this information. We urge you to carefully review and consider the disclosures in this presentation and our filings with the SEC that attempt to advise interested parties of the risks and factors that may affect our business.

2Q24 Operational and Financial Highlights

Cash and cash equivalents balance as of 6/30/24

~\$1.0B

2Q24 adjusted EBITDAX⁽¹⁾

~\$360mm

Base dividend of

\$0.575

per share payable to shareholders of record as of 8/15/24

~\$3.5B

returned to shareholders since 2021

Decreasing FY24 capital guide to

\$1.2 — \$1.3B

Decreasing FY24 production expense guide to

\$0.21 — **\$0.26**/mcf

2Q24 production

~2.75 bcfe/d

with capital below low end of quarter guide

Building productive capacity with

46 DTILS and 29 DUCS

available at the end of 2Q24

Released 2023

Sustainability Report

outlining our commitment to transparency and enhanced disclosures

(1) A non-GAAP measure as defined and reconciled in the appendix

Our Strategic Pillars Remain Unchanged

Superior Capital Returns

Most efficient operator, returning more cash to shareholders than domestic gas peers

~\$3.5B returned to shareholders via dividends and share repurchases since 2021

Deep, Attractive Inventory

Premium rock, returns, runway with best-in-class execution

Pending merger with SWN would create >5,000 pro forma gross locations across Appalachia and Haynesville

Premier Balance Sheet

Investment grade-quality balance sheet provides strategic through-cycle advantages

~\$1.0B of cash and cash equivalents⁽¹⁾ and hedge-the-wedge preserves financial strength

Sustainability Leadership

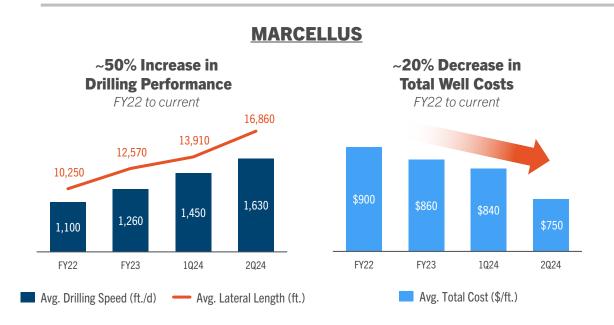
Consistent and measurable progress on our path to net zero

Achieved peer-leading combined TRIR of 0.14 in 2023, tracking similar performance in 1H24

Operational Efficiency Gains Drive Improved Outlook

Lowering FY24 Capital Guidance \$50mm to \$1.2B - \$1.3B

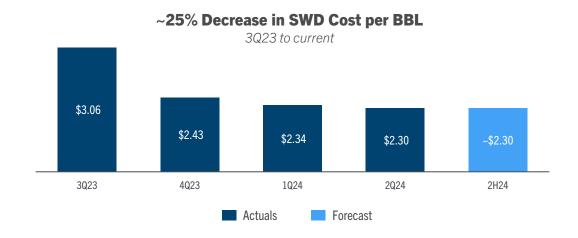
Lowering FY24 Production Expense Guidance ~8% to \$0.21 — \$0.26/mcf



- Improved capital efficiency driven by:
 - High-grading inventory enabling longer laterals
 - Optimized engineering designs and drilling execution
 - Realizing ~10% YOY deflation
- Targeting ~\$800/ft for FY24

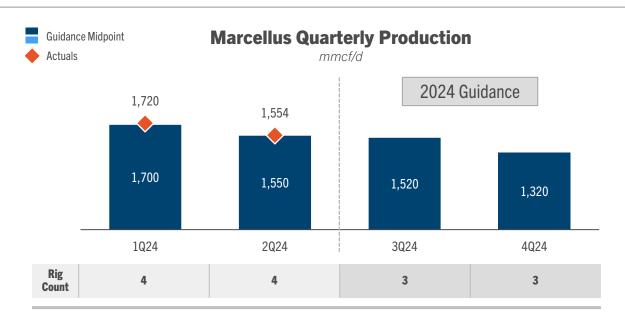
HAYNESVILLE

- Saltwater disposal spend trending lower YOY due to:
 - Route optimization and increased utilization of owned assets
 - Strategic partnerships with vendors
 - Realization of deflation
- Majority of savings expected to be durable through cycles

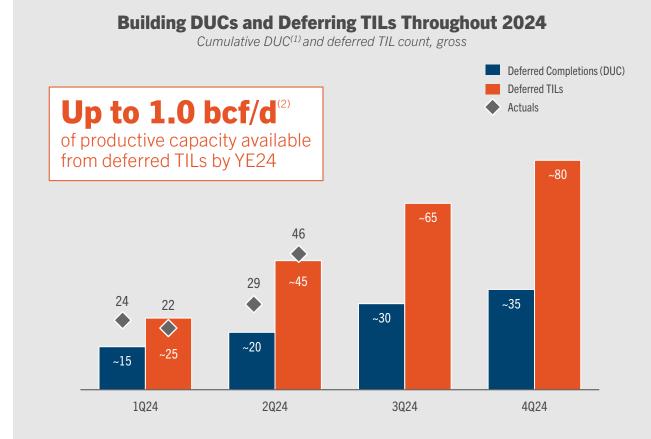


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Disciplined Program Designed for Current Market Conditions



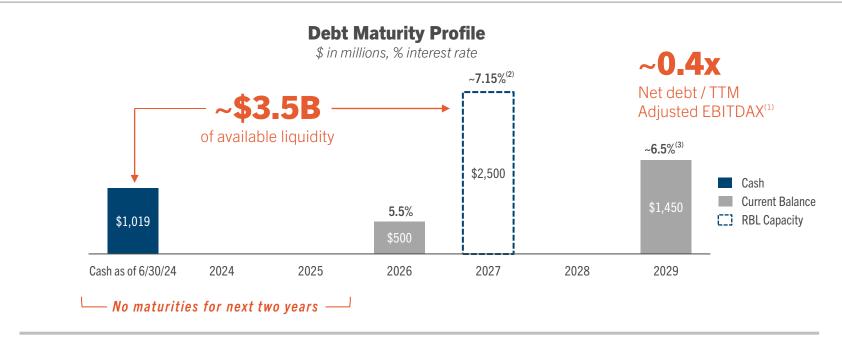


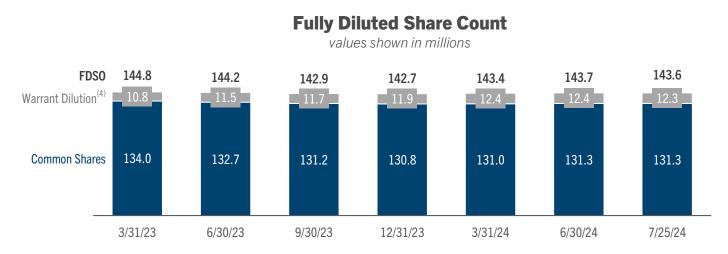


- Reducing rig/frac activity as planned
- Improved drilling efficiencies creating larger DUC count

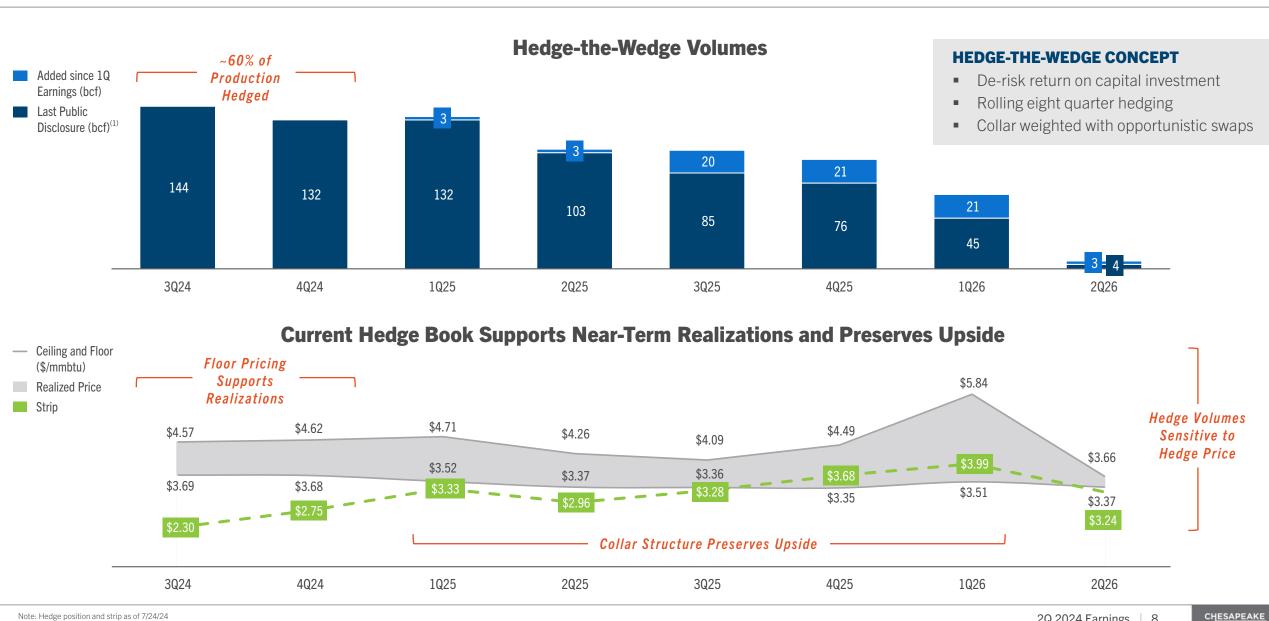
Premier Balance Sheet Underpins Flexible Operating Strategy

- Premier balance sheet provides confidence to deliver sustainable returns through-cycle
- Commitment to strong balance sheet, low leverage (<1.0x net debt / EBITDAX⁽¹⁾)
- Investment Grade characteristics will facilitate lower cost of capital over time
- Hedge book enables CHK to maintain a strong leverage profile even at low commodity prices
- Credit ratings:
 - Moody's (Ba1)
 - Fitch (BB+)
 - S&P(BB)





Continuing to Support Returns with Through-Cycle Hedging



CHK + SWN: Accelerating America's Energy Reach

TRANSACTION OVERVIEW

Combined Enterprise Value
~\$24 billion

Stock-for-Stock Exchange
0.0867

shares of CHK common stock for each share of SWN common stock

Pro Forma Ownership ~60% / ~40% Chesapeake / Southwestern

EXPECTED BENEFITS

- ✓ Premier natural gas portfolio with favorable market access and growth upside to deliver affordable energy for consumers
- ✓ Creates platform to expand marketing and trading business to **reach more markets, mitigate price volatility** and **increase revenue**
- ✓ Significant **synergies** and accretive to all financial metrics including **shareholder returns**
- ✓ **Investment grade-quality** capital structure that handles volatility and buffers returns
- ✓ Sustainability leadership through 100% certified RSG volumes



Management's Guidance as of July 29, 2024

Bold / Italicized = updated guidance range

Production	2Q24A	3Q24E	2024E
Total Natural Gas Production (mmcf/d)	2,745	2,570 – 2,670	2,650 – 2,750
Marcellus	57%	~60%	~55%
Haynesville	43%	~40%	~45%

Capital and Equity Investment Expenditures (\$mm)	2Q24A	3Q24E	2024E
Total D&C	\$224	\$250 – \$270	\$950 - \$1,030
Marcellus	42%	~35%	~35%
Haynesville	58%	~65%	~65%
Other Capex (Field) ⁽²⁾	\$39	\$45 – \$55	\$155 – \$165
Other Capex (Corporate) ⁽³⁾	\$30	~\$25	\$95 – \$105
Total Capital Expenditures	\$293	\$320 – \$350	\$1,200 - \$1,300
Momentum Equity Investment	\$25	\$20 – \$30	\$50 – \$100

Operating Costs (per mcfe of Projected Production)	2Q24A	2024E
Production Expense	\$0.20	\$0.21 – \$0.26
Gathering, Processing and Transportation Expenses	\$0.62	\$0.60 - \$0.70
Severance and Ad Valorem Taxes	\$0.07	\$0.08 - \$0.10
General and Administrative ⁽¹⁾	\$0.19	\$0.14 - \$0.18
Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization Expense	\$1.39	\$1.35 – \$1.45

Corporate Expenses (\$mm)	2Q24A	2024E
Marketing Net Margin and Other	(\$2)	\$0 - \$5
Interest Expense	\$20	\$75 – \$85
Cash Income Taxes / (Refunds)	(\$2)	\$0 – \$50

Basis (excluding hedges)	2Q24A	2024E					
Estimated (E) Basis Deduct to NYMEX Prices, based on 7/24/24 Strip Prices:							
Natural Gas (\$/mcf)	\$0.38	\$0.32 - \$0.42					

2Q 2024 Business Unit Results



Hedging Program Reduces Risk, Protects Returns

		NATUR	AL GAS		ESTI	IMATED NYM	EX GAS SETT	TLEMENT (\$r	nm) ⁽¹⁾	
	SWA	APS		COLLARS			40.00	40.50	40.00	40
Date	Volume bcf	Price \$/mcf	Volume bcf	Bought Put \$/mcf	Sold Call \$/mcf	Date	\$2.00 NYMEX	\$2.50 NYMEX	\$3.00 NYMEX	\$3.50 NYMEX
3Q 2024	58.1	3.53	85.6	3.79	5.27	3Q 2024	242	171	99	32
4Q 2024	47.5	3.45	84.6	3.80	5.27	4Q 2024	222	156	90	28
RM 2024	105.6	\$3.49	170.2	\$3.79	\$5.27	RM 2024	\$464	\$327	\$189	\$60
1Q 2025	38.3	3.28	96.8	3.62	5.28	1Q 2025	206	138	71	11
2Q 2025	38.7	3.45	67.8	3.33	4.73	2Q 2025	146	93	40	(1)
3Q 2025	47.4	3.47	57.0	3.27	4.60	3Q 2025	142	90	38	(1)
4Q 2025	23.7	3.41	73.1	3.34	4.84	4Q 2025	131	83	34	(2)
FY 2025	148.0	\$3.41	294.7	\$3.42	\$4.91	FY 2025	\$625	\$404	\$183	\$7
1Q 2026	_	_	65.7	3.51	5.84	1Q 2026	99	66	34	1
2Q 2026	5.5	3.50	1.8	3.00	4.14	2Q 2026	10	6	3	_
FY 2026	5.5	\$3.50	67.5	\$3.50	\$5.79	FY 2026	\$109	\$72	\$37	\$1

- Added ~71 bcf of NYMEX protection since last public disclosure (1Q24 Earnings)
 - ~83% collars and ~17% swaps
 - Weighted avg. floor of ~\$3.33 and ceiling of ~\$4.75/mmbtu for new hedges

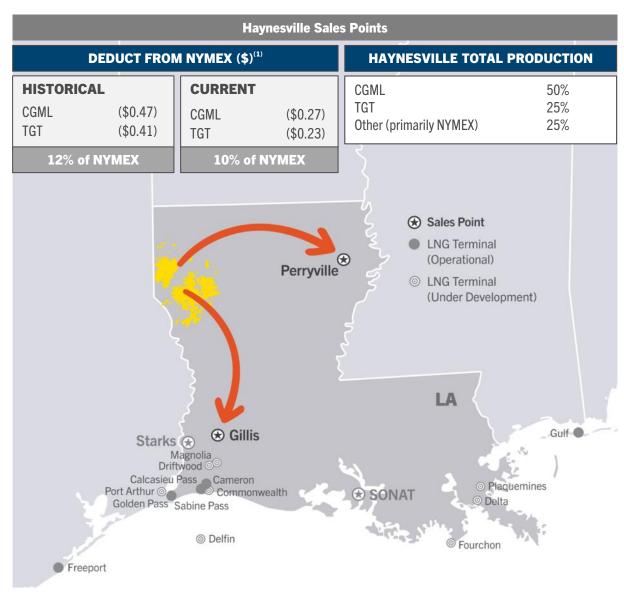
Hedged Financial Basis

- ~31% of Marcellus and ~63% of Haynesville basis financially hedged for RM24
- Since 1Q24 Earnings, CHK has added financial basis protection for:
 - ~0.6 bcf of 2024 gas at an average differential to NYMEX of (\$0.70)
 - ~40.4 bcf of 2025 gas at an average differential to NYMEX of (\$0.72)
 - ~5.0 bcf of 2026 gas at an average differential to NYMEX of (\$0.22)
- CHK has additional in-basin basis protection through physical sales contracts covering ~37% of production for RM24

(as of 7/24/24)			MARC	ELLUS		HAYNE	SVILLE			
	TETO	O M3	TGP Z	4 300L	LE	IDY	CGT MA	AINLINE	TGT Z1	
Date	Volume bcf	Avg. Price \$/mcf								
3Q 2024	14.7	(0.71)	3.0	(1.14)	26.7	(1.05)	41.9	(0.29)	27.1	(0.27)
4Q 2024	12.9	(0.08)	3.4	(1.08)	25.2	(0.88)	27.5	(0.29)	36.7	(0.25)
RM 2024	27.6	(\$0.42)	6.4	(\$1.11)	51.8	(\$0.97)	69.4	(\$0.29)	63.9	(\$0.26)
1Q 2025	15.8	1.03	0.9	(0.75)	15.8	(0.66)	5.4	(0.21)	35.3	(0.24)
2Q 2025	5.5	(0.92)	_	_	11.8	(1.02)	0.9	(0.23)	28.4	(0.24)
3Q 2025	5.5	(0.92)	-	_	12.0	(1.02)	0.9	(0.23)	28.8	(0.24)
4Q 2025	1.9	(0.92)	_	_	6.5	(0.92)	0.3	(0.23)	19.8	(0.23)
FY 2025	28.6	\$0.15	0.9	(\$0.75)	46.0	(\$0.88)	7.5	(\$0.22)	112.3	(\$0.24)
1Q 2026	_	_	_	_	3.6	(\$0.75)	_	_	14.9	(0.22)
2Q 2026	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
FY 2026	-	_	-	_	3.6	(\$0.75)	-	_	14.9	(\$0.22)

Marcellus and Haynesville Sale Points





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Non-GAAP Financial Measures

As a supplement to the financial results prepared in accordance with U.S. GAAP, Chesapeake's quarterly earnings presentations contain certain financial measures that are not prepared or presented in accordance with U.S. GAAP. These non-GAAP financial measures include Adjusted EBITDAX, Free Cash Flow, Adjusted Free Cash Flow, Net Debt and Total Capitalization. A reconciliation of each financial measure to its most directly comparable GAAP financial measure is included in the following tables. Management believes these adjusted financial measures are a meaningful adjunct to earnings and cash flows calculated in accordance with GAAP because (a) management uses these financial measures to evaluate the company's trends and performance, (b) these financial measures are comparable to estimates provided by certain securities analysts, and (c) items excluded generally are one-time items or items whose timing or amount cannot be reasonably estimated. Accordingly, any guidance provided by the company generally excludes information regarding these types of items. Due to the forward-looking nature of projected Adjusted EBITDAX, projected Free Cash Flow, and projected Adjusted Free Cash Flow used herein, management cannot reliably predict certain of the necessary components of the most directly comparable forward-looking GAAP measures. Accordingly, the Company is unable to present a quantitative reconciliation of such forward-looking non-GAAP financial measures to their most directly comparable forward-looking GAAP financial measures without unreasonable effort. Amounts excluded from these non-GAAP measures in future periods could be significant.

Chesapeake's definitions of each non-GAAP measure presented herein are provided below. Because not all companies or securities analysts use identical calculations, Chesapeake's non-GAAP measures may not be comparable to similar titled measures of other companies or securities analysts.

Adjusted EBITDAX: Adjusted EBITDAX is defined as net income (loss) before interest expense, income tax expense (benefit), depreciation, depletion and amortization expense, exploration expense, unrealized (gains) losses on natural gas and oil derivatives, separation and other termination costs, (gains) losses on sales of assets, and certain items management believes affect the comparability of operating results. Adjusted EBITDAX is presented as it provides investors an indication of the company's ability to internally fund exploration and development activities and service or incur debt. Adjusted EBITDAX should not be considered an alternative to, or more meaningful than, net income (loss) or net cash provided by (used in) operating activities as presented in accordance with GAAP.

Free Cash Flow: Free Cash Flow is defined as net cash provided by (used in) operating activities less cash capital expenditures. Free Cash Flow is a liquidity measure that provides investors additional information regarding the company's ability to service or incur debt and return cash to shareholders. Free Cash Flow should not be considered an alternative to, or more meaningful than, net cash provided by (used in) operating activities, or any other measure of liquidity presented in accordance with GAAP.

Adjusted Free Cash Flow: Adjusted Free Cash Flow is defined as net cash provided by (used in) operating activities less cash capital expenditures and cash contributions to investments, adjusted to exclude certain items management believes affect the comparability of operating results. Adjusted Free Cash Flow is a liquidity measure that provides investors additional information regarding the company's ability to service or incur debt and return cash to shareholders and is used to determine Chesapeake's quarterly variable dividend. Adjusted Free Cash Flow should not be considered an alternative to, or more meaningful than, net cash provided by (used in) operating activities, or any other measure of liquidity presented in accordance with GAAP.

Net Debt: Net Debt is defined as GAAP total debt excluding premiums, discounts, and deferred issuance costs less cash and cash equivalents. Net Debt is useful to investors as a widely understood measure of liquidity and leverage, but this measure should not be considered as an alternative to, or more meaningful than, total debt presented in accordance with GAAP.

Total Capitalization: Total Capitalization is defined as Net Debt plus total stockholders' equity and is used in the Net Debt to Capitalization ratio.

Reconciliation of Net Income (Loss) to Adjusted EBITDAX (Unaudited)

	Three Mon June 30		onths Ended 31, 2024	Months Ended ber 31, 2023	Three Months Ende September 30, 202		Trailing Twelve Months	onths Ended 30, 2023
(\$ in millions)								
Net Income (Loss) (GAAP)	\$	(227)	\$ 26	\$ 569	\$	70	\$ 438	\$ 391
Adjustments:								
Interest expense		20	19	22		23	84	22
Income tax expense (benefit)		(68)	7	166		1	106	127
Depreciation, depletion and amortization		348	399	379	3	32	1,508	376
Exploration		3	2	8		4	17	8
Unrealized (gains) losses on natural gas and oil derivatives		262	67	(347)	1	10	92	78
Separation and other termination costs		23	-	2		_	25	3
Gains on sales of assets		(2)	(8)	(139)		_	(149)	(472)
Other operating expense, net		16	19	4		3	42	8
Losses on purchases, exchanges or extinguishments of debt		2	_	_		_	2	_
Other		(19)	(23)	(29)	(1	3)	(84)	(17)
Adjusted EBITDAX (Non-GAAP)	\$	358	\$ 508	\$ 635	\$ 58	30	\$ 2,081	\$ 524

Reconciliation of Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities to Adjusted Free Cash Flow (Unaudited)

	 onths Ended 30, 2024	Three Months Ended June 30, 2023		
(\$ in millions)				
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities (GAAP)	\$ 209	\$	515	
Cash capital expenditures	(302)		(530)	
Free Cash Flow (Non-GAAP)	(93)		(15)	
Cash contributions to investments	(26)		(49)	
Free cash flow associated with divested assets(1)	_		(26)	
Adjusted Free Cash Flow (Non-GAAP)	\$ (119)	\$	(90)	

Reconciliation of Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities to Adjusted EBITDAX (Unaudited)

(\$ in millions)	 nths Ended 30, 2024	 onths Ended 30, 2023	
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities (GAAP)	\$ 209	\$ 515	
Changes in assets and liabilities	131	(96)	
Interest expense	20	22	
Current income tax expense	_	106	
Share-based compensation	(10)	(9)	
Other	8	(14)	
Adjusted EBITDAX (Non-GAAP)	\$ 358	\$ 524	

Reconciliation of Total Debt to Total Capitalization (Unaudited)

(\$ in millions)	June	30, 2024
Total Debt (GAAP)	\$	2,021
Premiums and issuance costs on debt		(71)
Principal Amount of Debt		1,950
Cash and cash equivalents		(1,019)
Net Debt (Non-GAAP)		931
Total stockholders' equity		10,370
Total Capitalization (Non-GAAP)	\$	11,301

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