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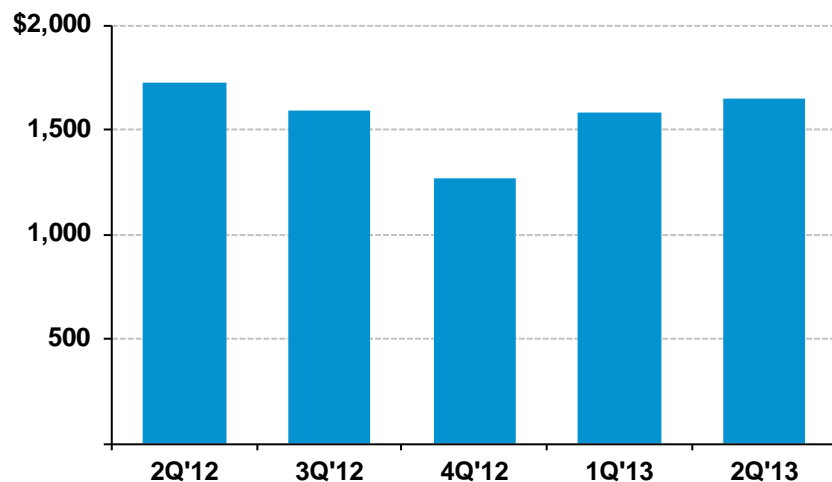
# LYB Highlights

(\$ in millions, except per share data)	LTM June 2013	FY 2012	FY 2011
EBITDA <sup>(1)</sup>	\$6,091	\$5,808	\$5,469
Income from Continuing Operations <sup>(1)</sup>	\$3,325	\$2,858	\$2,472
Diluted Earnings (\$ / share) from Continuing Operations	\$5.76	\$4.96	\$4.32

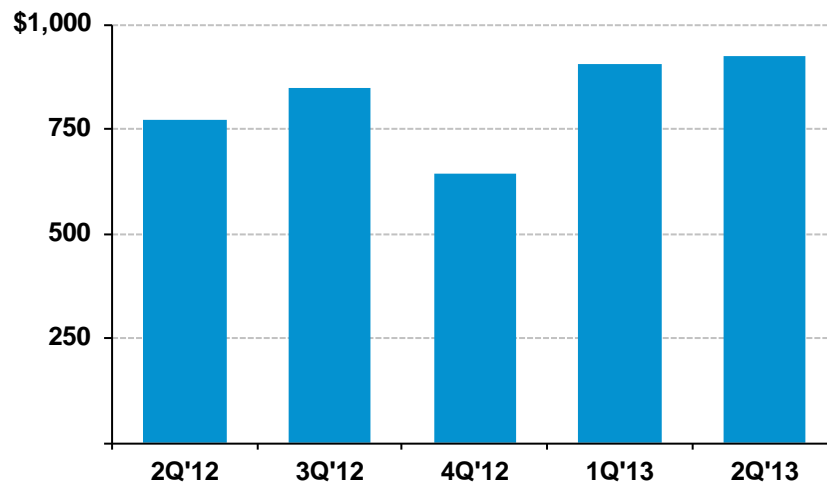
**LTM June 2013 EPS Growth**  
 vs. 2012: 16%                      vs. 2011: 33%

(\$ in millions)

## EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup>



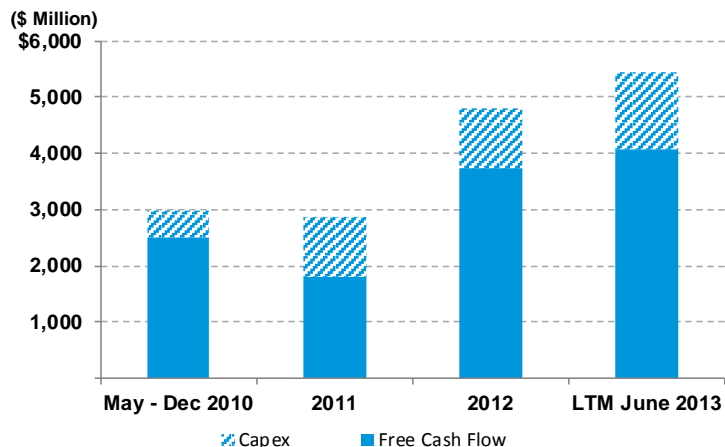
## Income from Continuing Operations<sup>(1)</sup>



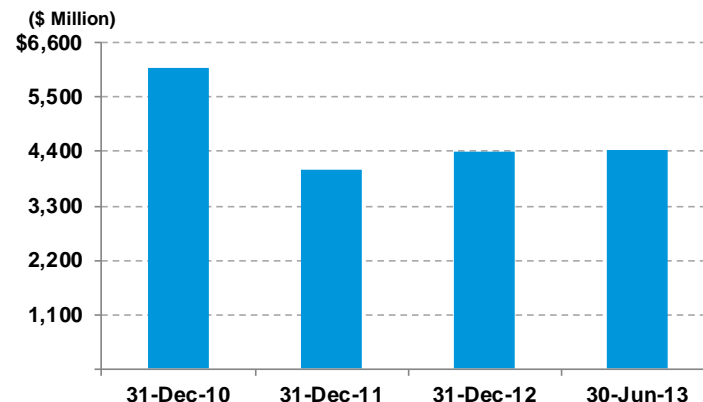
(1) EBITDA and income from continuing operations include a pre-tax lower of cost or market adjustment of \$71 million in the second quarter 2012 which was reversed in the third quarter 2012, due to a recovery in market prices.

# Free Cash Flow Funds Growth and Return to Investors

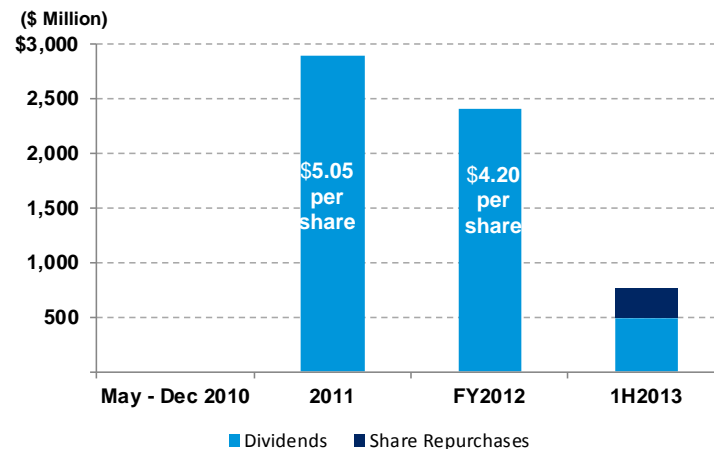
## Cash from Operations



## Total Debt



## Dividends<sup>(1)</sup>



- 10% share buyback over 12 month period approved in May 2013
- Increased interim dividend by 25% to \$0.50 per share
- Repurchased ~ 5.4 Million shares during Q2'13
- Issued 10-yr and 30-yr bonds with an aggregate principal amount of \$1.5 billion in July 2013

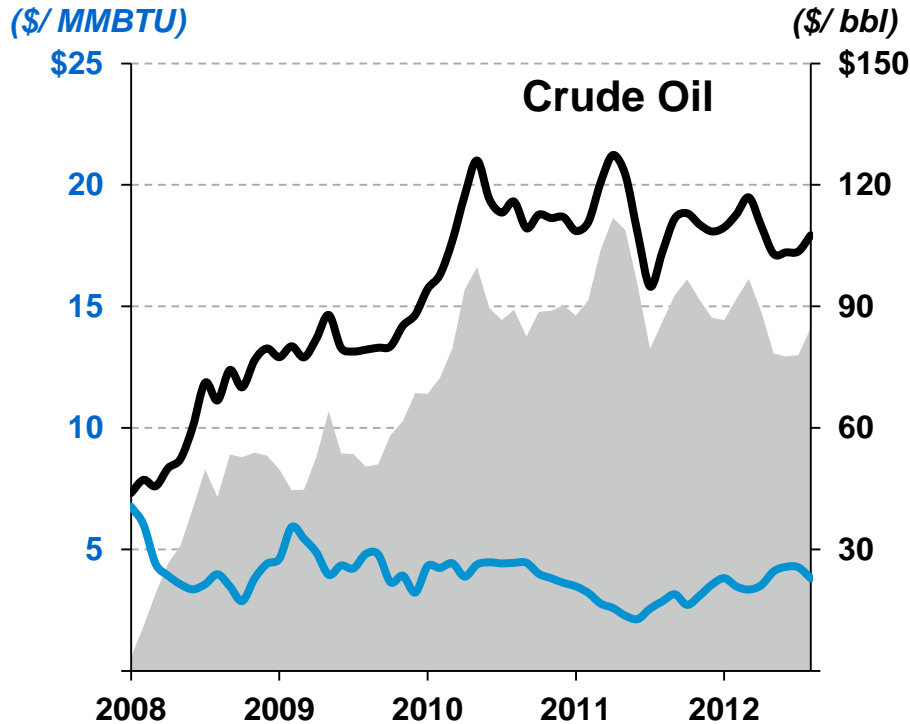
(1) Dividends include interim and special dividends.

# Optimizing Our Businesses

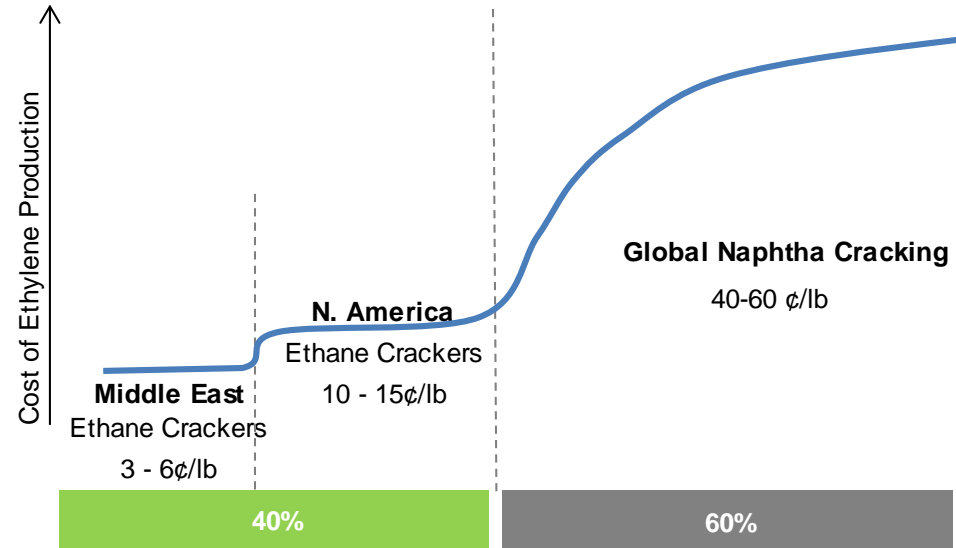
<u>Segment</u>	<u>LYB Market Position</u>	<u>Portfolio Role</u>
Olefins & Polyolefins – Americas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NGL advantage</li> <li>• Cyclical upside</li> </ul>	Invest
Olefins & Polyolefins – EAI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Commodities – naphtha based, with cyclical upside</li> <li>• Differentiated positions in <i>Catalloy</i>, PP compounding, and JVs</li> </ul>	Restructure
Intermediates & Derivatives (I&D)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Proprietary technologies</li> <li>• Natural gas advantage</li> </ul>	Invest
Refining	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Large, heavy crude refinery</li> </ul>	Sustain
Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Strong technology position</li> <li>• Maintain leadership</li> </ul>	Optimize

# Macroeconomic Background

## U.S. Crude Oil vs. Natural Gas Price



## Ethylene Production Cost Curve

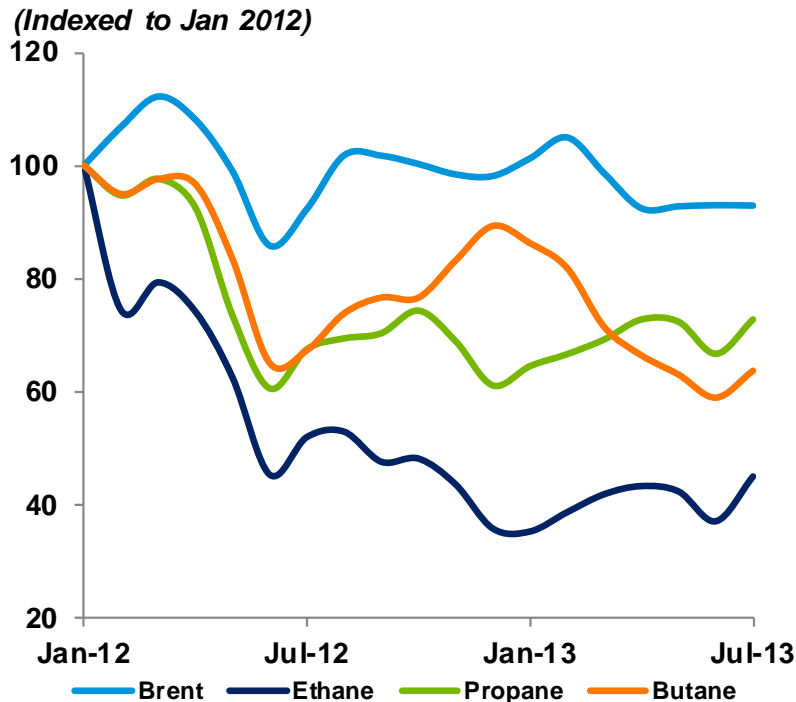


U.S. shale gas revolution significant driver of profitability in North American Olefins and Polyolefins and Intermediate and Derivatives business units

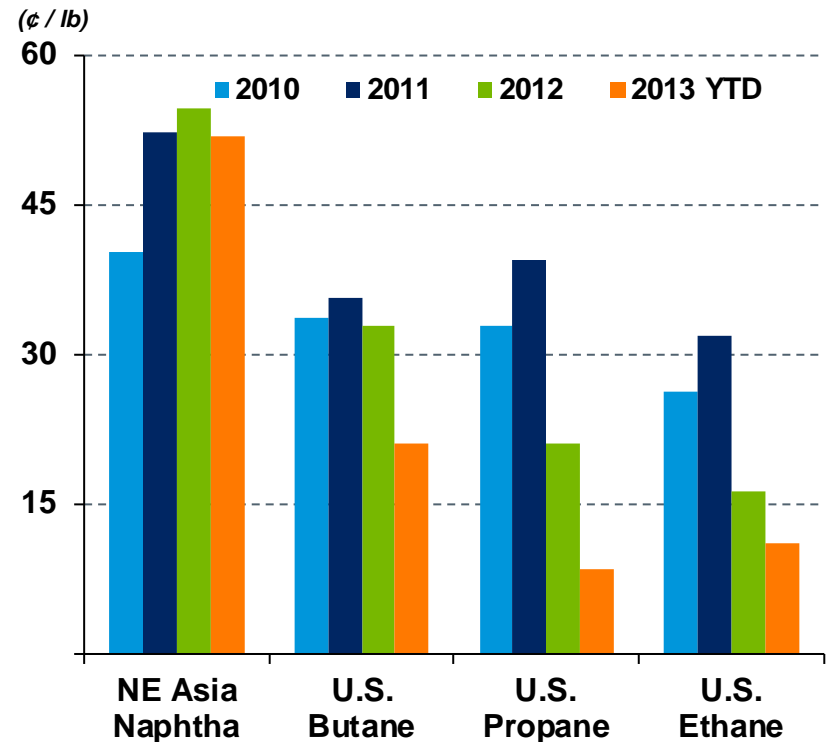
Sources: LYB estimates, third party consultants.

# O&P – Americas: Fundamentals of Natural Gas / NGLs Have Defined the Environment

## U.S. NGL Prices vs. Brent



## Cost of Ethylene Production



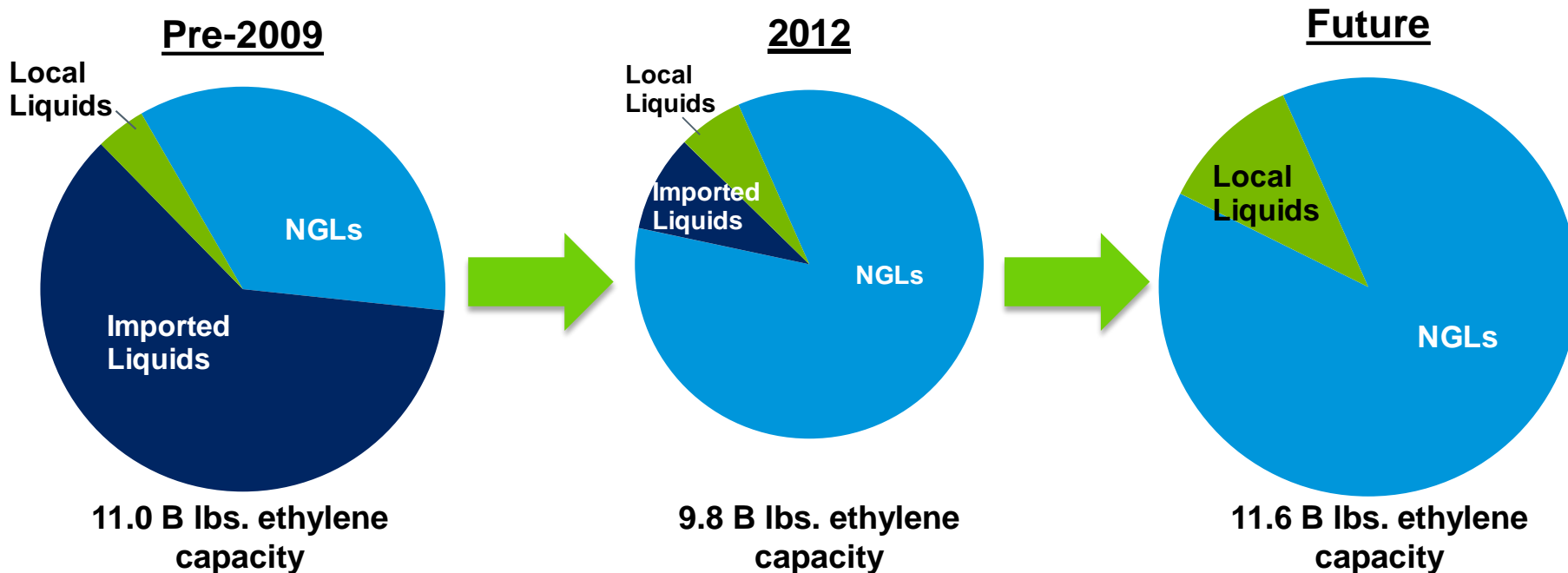
- U.S. NGL advantage has grown steadily
- Cost of ethylene production from naphtha has been high but stable
- LYB has increased NGL cracking capability from ~70% in 2010 to 90% in 2Q'2013

Source: Third party consultants. YTD as of July 2013.



# Feedstock Flexibility Boosts Profitability

## LYB U.S. Ethylene Cracker Feedstock Flexibility



~ 90% of Ethylene Production in Q2'2013 from NGLs

Source: LYB.

Note: Percentages based on volume of feedstock consumed.

# O&P – EAI: Significant Progress Through Restructuring and Improved Operations

Focus business management processes

Segment markets and customers

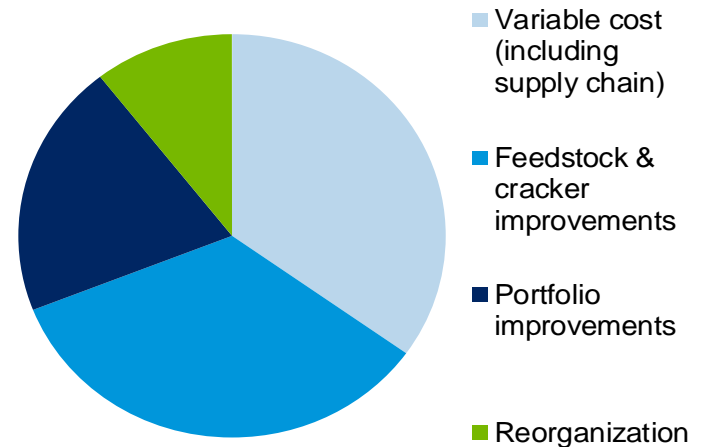
Simplify supply chain processes

Improve feedstock purchasing

Previously announced restructuring

Additional actions taken

## Estimated Efficiency Gains Thru December 2012



### Recent actions:

- Closure of 100KT per year HDPE unit in Germany
- Increase ethylene from LPG from mid 20% in 2012 to mid 30% in Q2'2013
- Butadiene expansion

# I&D: Profitability Drivers for Propylene Oxide

## Key Drivers

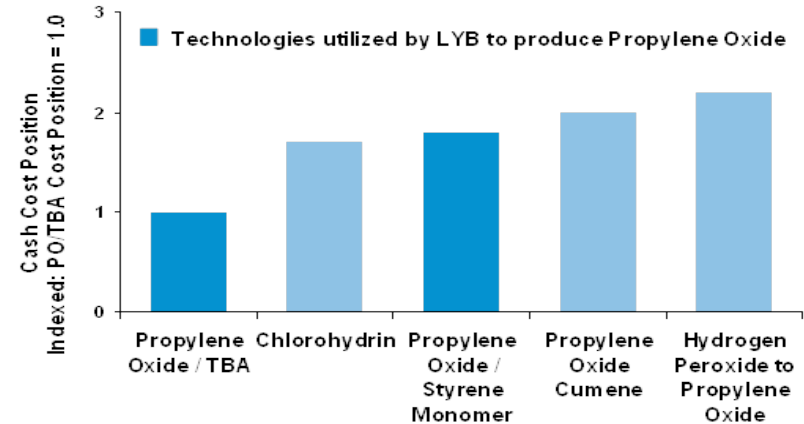
- Propylene oxide demand growth
  - 5% per year globally
  - 9% per year in Asia
- High barrier to entry

## Sources of LYB Competitive Advantage

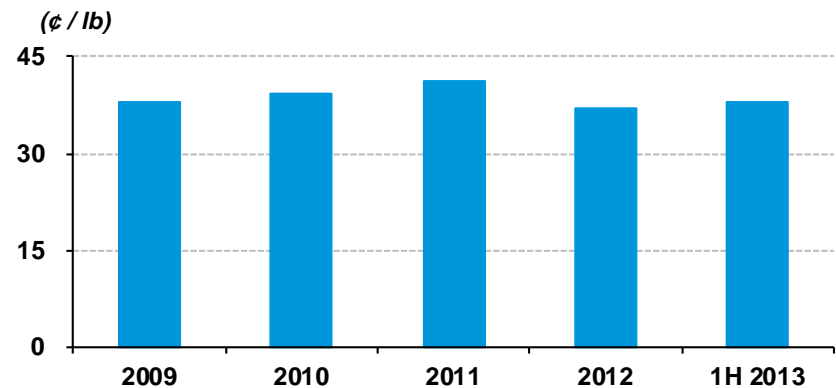
- Large global system
- Proprietary low cost technology

Source: Third party consultants and LYB estimates.

## Economics of PO Technologies

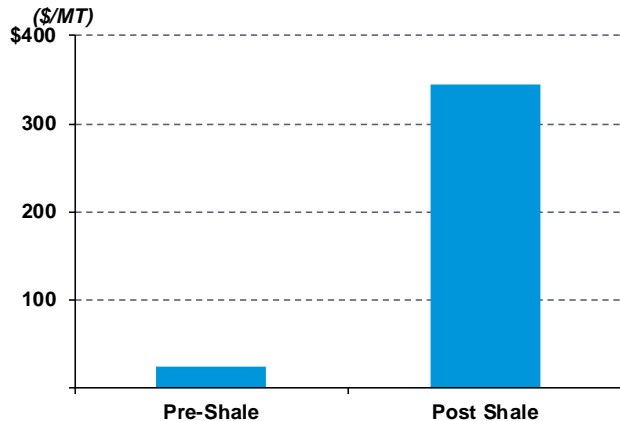


## Propylene Glycol Raw Material Margin

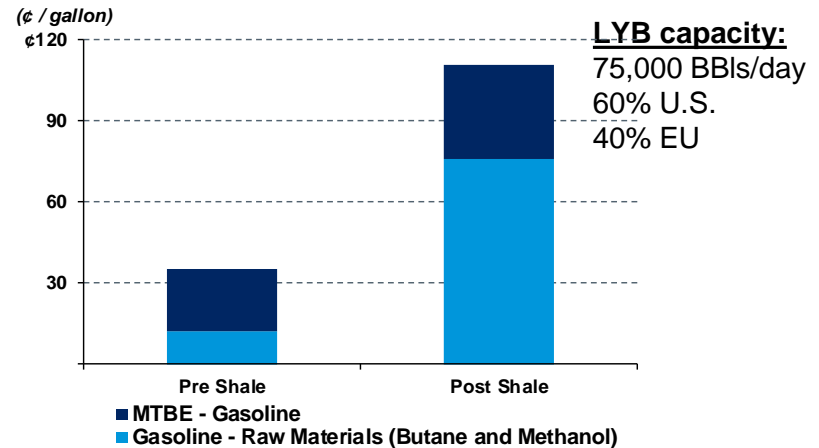


# I&D Benefits from Shale Gas Development – Methanol & Oxyfuels

## Methanol Cash Margins



## MTBE Spread Factors



## Methanol Restart

- Location: Channelview, TX
- Start-up: Q4'13
- Cost: \$150 Million
- Potential Growth Value<sup>(1)</sup>: \$250 Million/yr
- Project Status: permitted, construction underway
- Product Marketing: complete

Sources: Third party consultants.

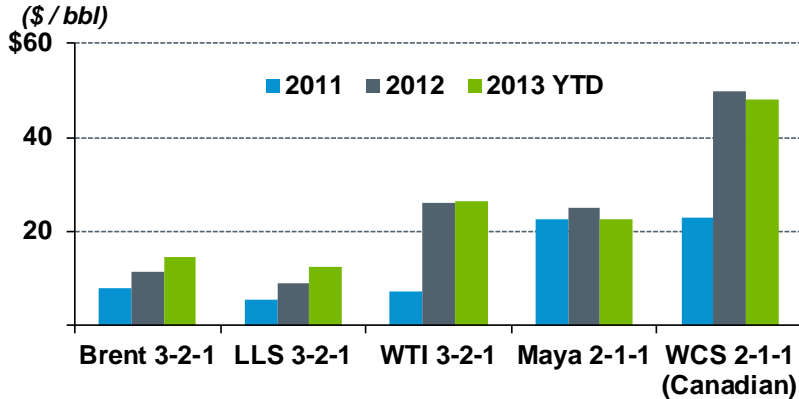
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## PO/TBA Sinopec JV

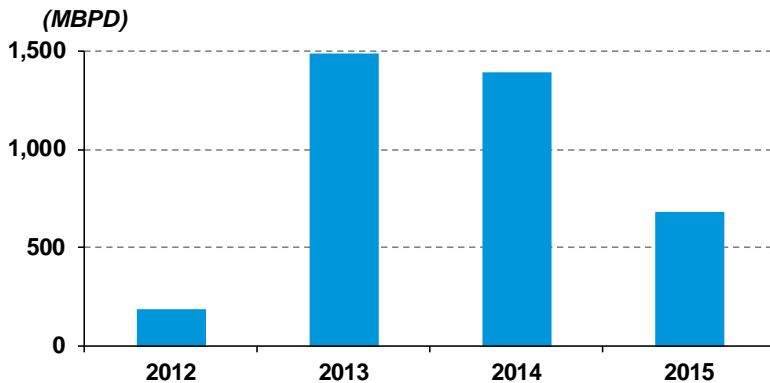
- Location: China
- Start-up: 2016
- Potential JV Dividends: \$70 - \$90 Million/yr
- Project Status: signed "Memorandum of Understanding"

# Refining: Profitability Has Been Driven by Geography and Complexity

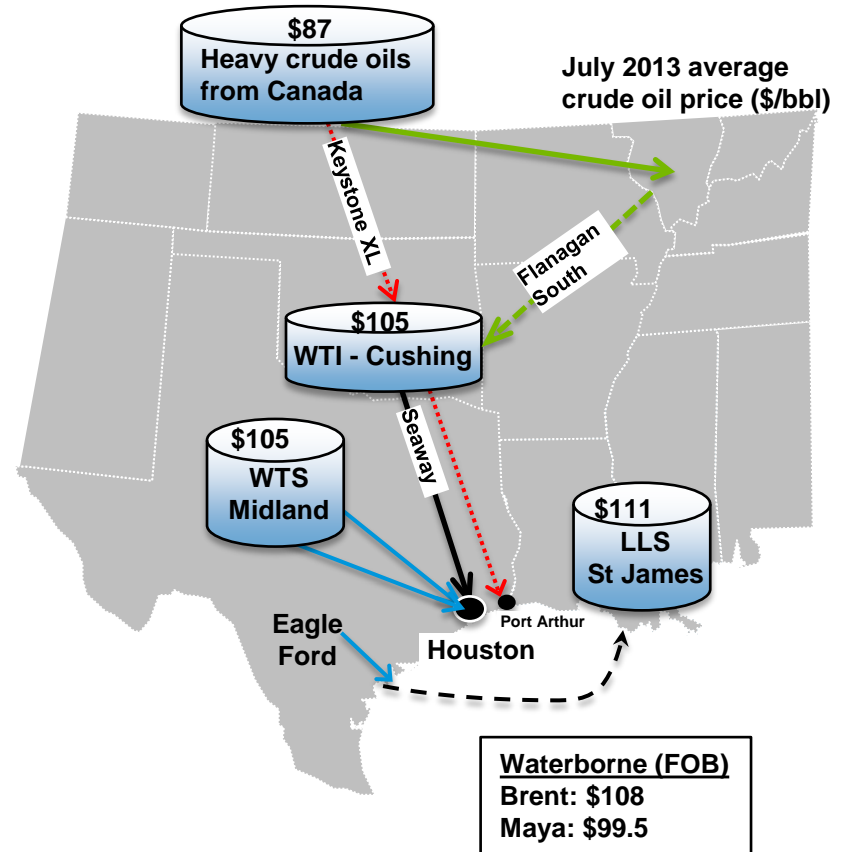
## Refining Spreads



## Pipeline Capacity Increase



## New Pipeline Capacity to Houston



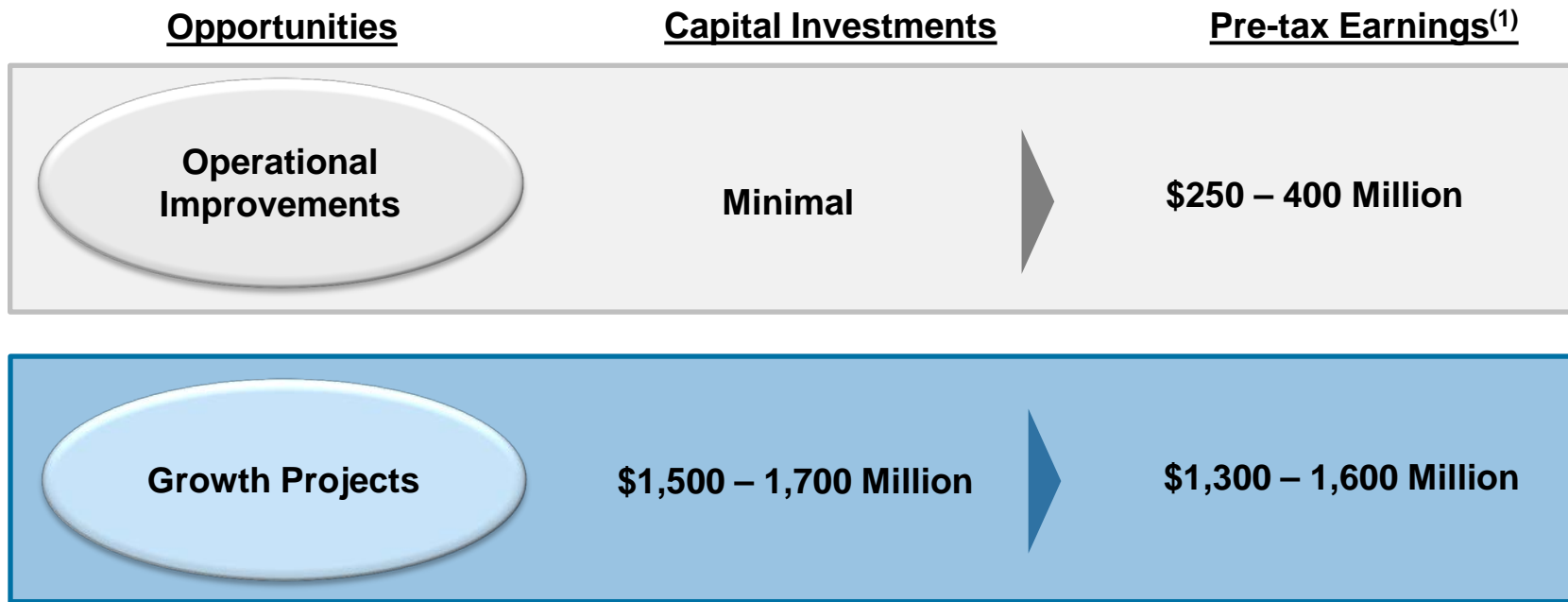
Source: Bloomberg and Wall Street research.

Notes: Maya 2-1-1 based on LLS pricing. WCS refers to west Canadian select vs. Gulf Coast products. 2013 YTD as of July 2013.

# Cash Deployment Hierarchy

		Current Status	Comments
Foundation	Base Capex	\$700 - \$800 million/yr	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• First priorities for cash</li> </ul>
	Interest	~\$330 million/yr	
	Interim Dividend	\$0.50/share Per Quarter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fund through the cycle with cash flow from operations</li> </ul>
Discretionary Opportunities	Growth Capex	~\$750 million per year over next 2 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• High-return in advantaged businesses</li> </ul>
	Special Dividends / Share Repurchases / Acquisitions	Balance of cash generated	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discretionary cash returned to shareholders</li> <li>• M&amp;A if strategic and meaningfully accretive</li> </ul>

# Growth and Operational Improvement Programs



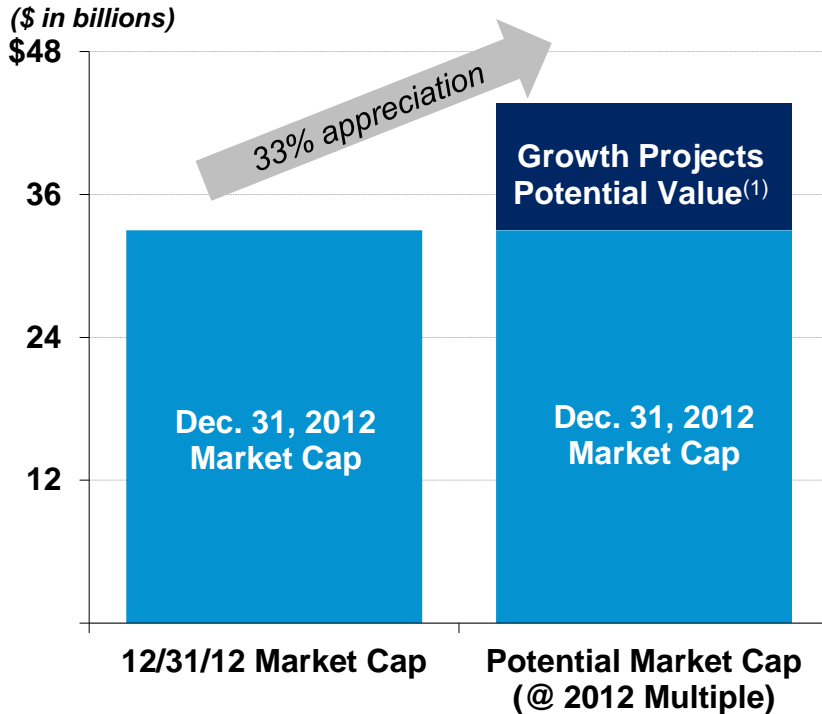
At 2012 conditions, our growth and improvement programs are expected to generate an additional \$1.5 – 2.0 billion pre-tax earnings per year by 2016

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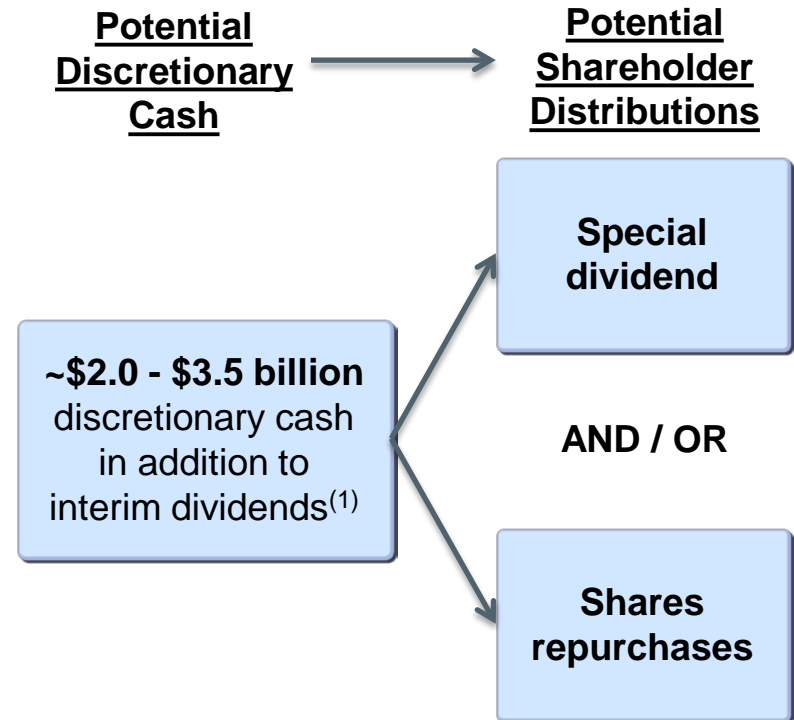
# Value from Both Growth and Cash Distributions



## Growth Projects Value Potential



## Annual Discretionary Cash Potential



Significant potential shareholder return from both growth investments and discretionary cash distributions

(1) Assuming growth projects potential value at constant 2012 margins.





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# Reconciliation of Segment Information to Consolidated Financial Information

Table 8 - Reconciliation of Segment Information to Consolidated Financial Information

(Millions of U.S. dollars)	2012					2013		
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Q1	Q2	YTD
<b>Sales and other operating revenues:</b>								
Olefins & Polyolefins - Americas	\$ 3,349	\$ 3,283	\$ 3,217	\$ 3,085	\$ 12,934	\$ 3,244	\$ 3,251	\$ 6,495
Olefins & Polyolefins - Europe, Asia, International	3,898	3,575	3,448	3,600	14,521	3,800	3,708	7,508
Intermediates & Derivatives	2,485	2,285	2,637	2,251	9,658	2,282	2,217	4,499
Refining	3,203	3,496	3,272	3,320	13,291	2,468	3,077	5,545
Technology	119	115	124	140	498	134	132	266
Other	(1,320)	(1,506)	(1,425)	(1,299)	(5,550)	(1,259)	(1,282)	(2,541)
Continuing Operations	\$ 11,734	\$ 11,248	\$ 11,273	\$ 11,097	\$ 45,352	\$ 10,669	\$ 11,103	\$ 21,772
<b>Operating income (loss):</b>								
Olefins & Polyolefins - Americas	\$ 519	\$ 700	\$ 738	\$ 693	\$ 2,650	\$ 821	\$ 872	\$ 1,693
Olefins & Polyolefins - Europe, Asia, International	3	203	15	(94)	127	93	189	282
Intermediates & Derivatives	370	390	424	246	1,430	323	285	608
Refining	10	124	114	86	334	(17)	(16)	(33)
Technology	38	30	31	23	122	50	39	89
Other	--	2	6	5	13	(3)	(5)	(8)
Continuing Operations	\$ 940	\$ 1,449	\$ 1,328	\$ 959	\$ 4,676	\$ 1,267	\$ 1,364	\$ 2,631
<b>Depreciation and amortization:</b>								
Olefins & Polyolefins - Americas	\$ 65	\$ 71	\$ 69	\$ 76	\$ 281	\$ 75	\$ 69	\$ 144
Olefins & Polyolefins - Europe, Asia, International	69	69	63	84	285	77	76	153
Intermediates & Derivatives	47	48	49	50	194	48	50	98
Refining	38	37	36	37	148	36	37	73
Technology	18	19	18	18	73	17	20	37
Other	--	--	1	1	2	--	2	2
Continuing Operations	\$ 237	\$ 244	\$ 236	\$ 266	\$ 983	\$ 253	\$ 254	\$ 507
<b>EBITDA: <sup>(a)</sup></b>								
Olefins & Polyolefins - Americas	\$ 595	\$ 781	\$ 814	\$ 778	\$ 2,968	\$ 898	\$ 951	\$ 1,849
Olefins & Polyolefins - Europe, Asia, International	115	305	102	26	548	225	295	520
Intermediates & Derivatives	417	432	475	297	1,621	373	338	711
Refining	48	160	150	123	481	20	20	40
Technology	56	50	49	42	197	66	59	125
Other	(4)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(7)	3	(11)	(8)
Continuing Operations	\$ 1,227	\$ 1,727	\$ 1,589	\$ 1,265	\$ 5,808	\$ 1,585	\$ 1,652	\$ 3,237
<b>Capital, turnarounds and IT deferred spending:</b>								
Olefins & Polyolefins - Americas	\$ 102	\$ 135	\$ 126	\$ 105	\$ 468	\$ 122	\$ 122	\$ 244
Olefins & Polyolefins - Europe, Asia, International	60	39	60	95	254	63	46	109
Intermediates & Derivatives	18	24	44	73	159	106	141	247
Refining	38	27	24	47	136	93	67	160
Technology	9	8	12	14	43	7	6	13
Other	2	3	1	(1)	5	--	5	5
Total	229	236	267	333	1,065	391	387	778
Deferred charges included above	(1)	(3)	(1)	--	(5)	--	--	--
Continuing Operations	\$ 228	\$ 233	\$ 266	\$ 333	\$ 1,060	\$ 391	\$ 387	\$ 778

(a) See Table 9 for EBITDA calculation.

# Reconciliation of EBITDA to Income from Continuing operations

Table 9 - EBITDA Calculation

(Millions of U.S. dollars)	2012					2013		
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Q1	Q2	YTD
Net income attributable to the Company shareholders	\$ 600	\$ 770	\$ 846	\$ 632	\$ 2,848	\$ 901	\$ 929	\$ 1,830
Net loss attributable to non-controlling interests	(1)	(2)	(2)	(9)	(14)	(1)	(2)	(3)
(Income) loss from discontinued operations, net of tax	(5)	-	7	22	24	6	(4)	2
<b>Income from continuing operations</b>	<b>594</b>	<b>768</b>	<b>851</b>	<b>645</b>	<b>2,858</b>	<b>906</b>	<b>923</b>	<b>1,829</b>
Provision for income taxes	301	306	435	285	1,327	357	410	767
Depreciation and amortization	237	244	236	266	983	253	254	507
Interest expense, net	95	409	67	69	640	69	65	134
<b>EBITDA</b>	<b>\$ 1,227</b>	<b>\$ 1,727</b>	<b>\$ 1,589</b>	<b>\$ 1,265</b>	<b>\$ 5,808</b>	<b>\$ 1,585</b>	<b>\$ 1,652</b>	<b>\$ 3,237</b>

2011 EBITDA Calculation

(Millions of U.S. dollars)	2011				
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
Net income (loss) attributable to the Company shareholder	\$ 663	\$ 804	\$ 895	\$ (215)	\$ 2,147
Net loss attributable to non-controlling interests	(3)	(1)	-	(3)	(7)
Loss from discontinued operations, net of tax	22	48	17	245	332
<b>Income from continuing operations</b>	<b>682</b>	<b>851</b>	<b>912</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>2,472</b>
Provision for (benefit from) income taxes	263	388	506	(98)	1,059
Depreciation and amortization	215	224	237	255	931
Interest expense, net	156	163	146	542	1,007
<b>EBITDA</b>	<b>\$ 1,316</b>	<b>\$ 1,626</b>	<b>\$ 1,801</b>	<b>\$ 726</b>	<b>\$ 5,469</b>

# Second Quarter 2013 and Last-Twelve-Months (LTM) Segment EBITDA

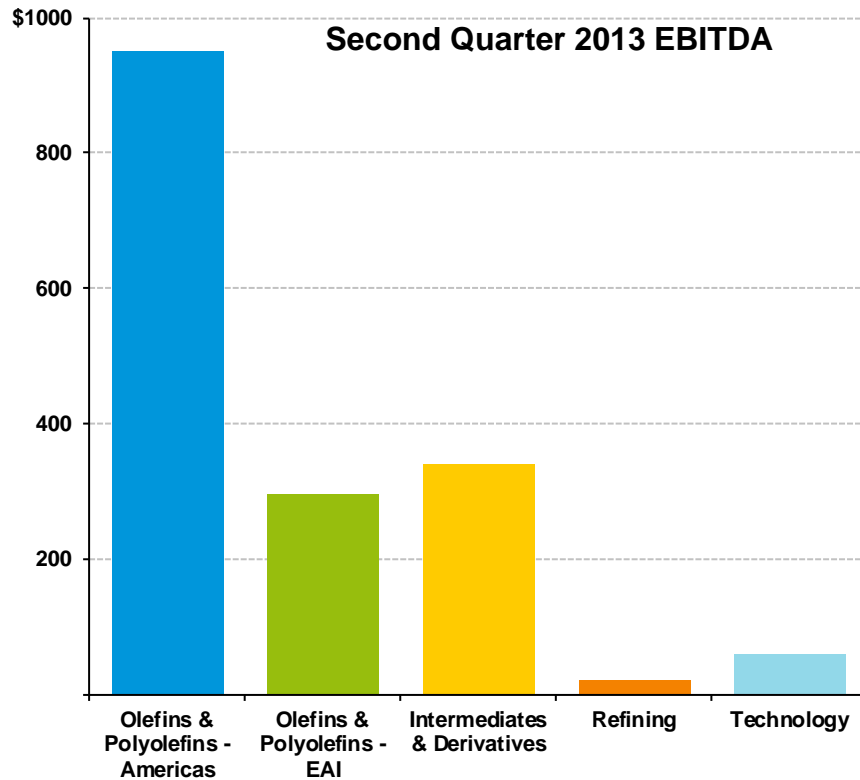
**Q2'13 EBITDA**  
\$1,652 million

**Q2'13 Operating Income**  
\$1,364 million

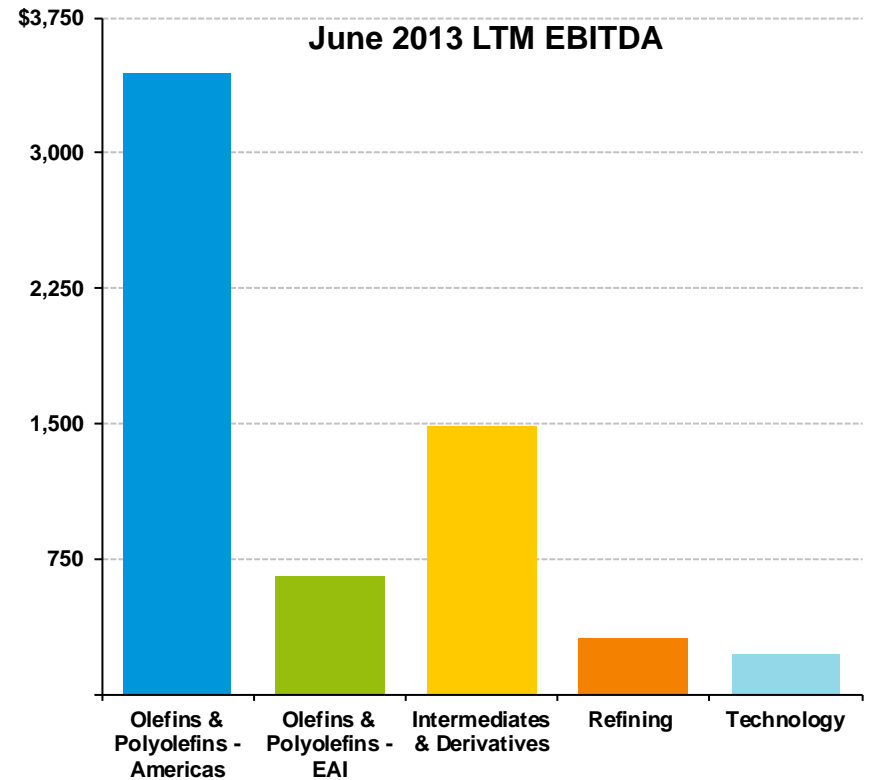
**LTM June EBITDA**  
\$6,091 million

**LTM Operating Income**  
\$4,918 million

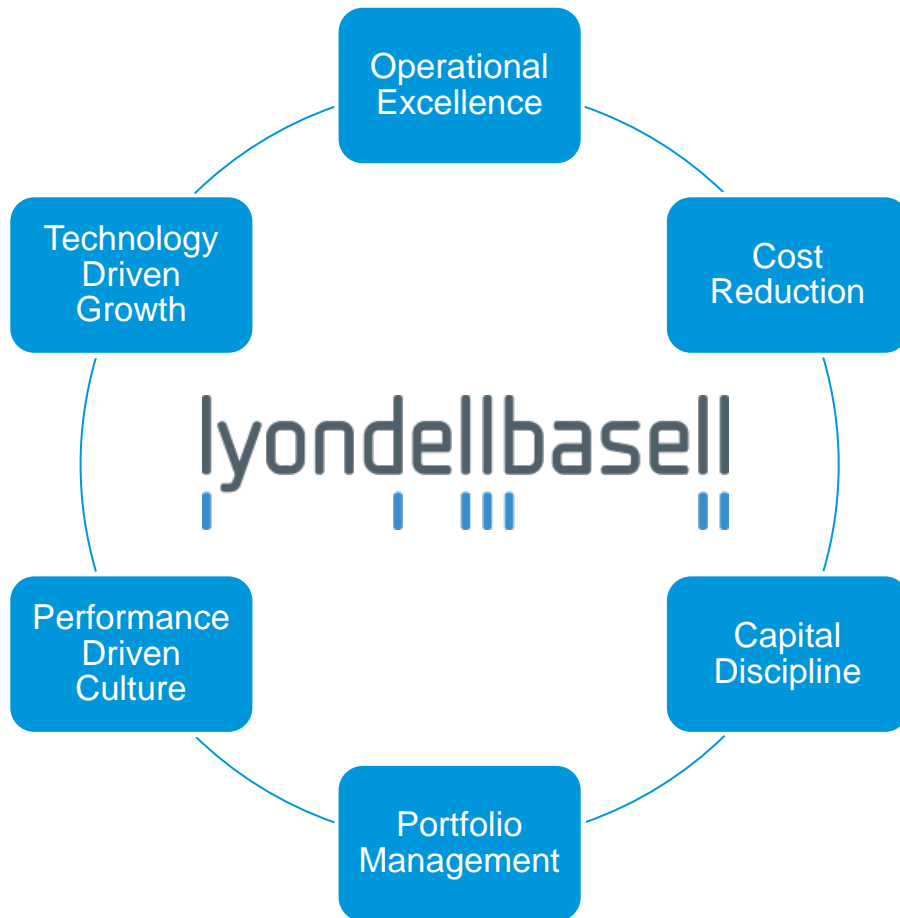
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# “Back-To-Basics” Strategy Drives Value

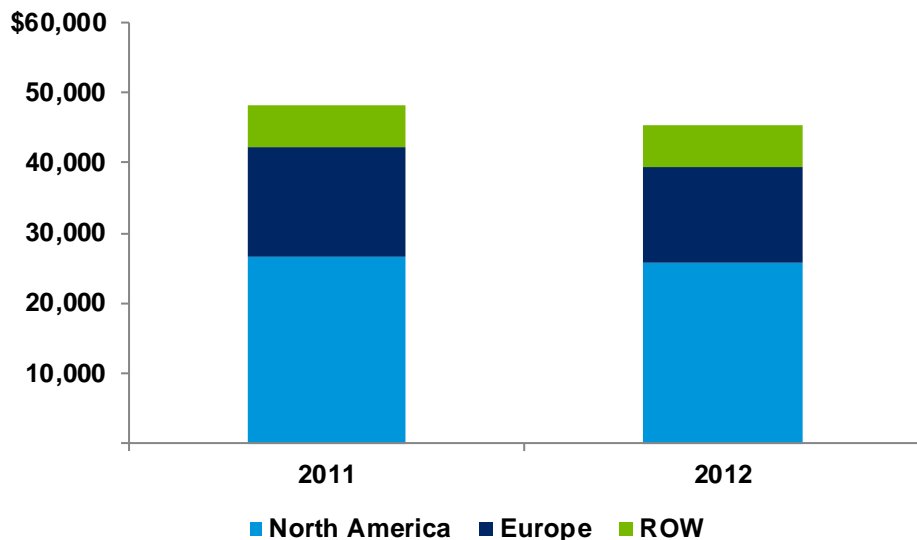


## Our Results

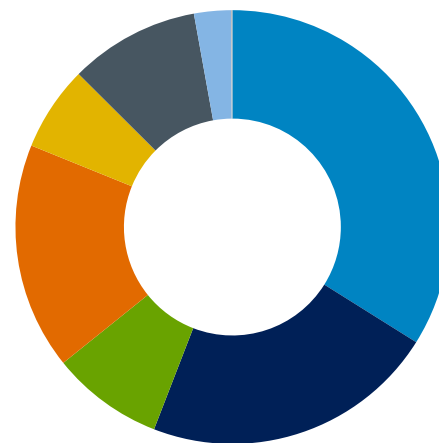
- Excellent safety and environmental performance combined with reliable operations
- Maintained fixed costs flat
- Completed numerous turnarounds
- Exited lagging businesses
- Growing where advantaged through high-return, low-risk projects

# LYB Has Diverse Footprint and End Uses

## Sales by Region



## 2012 Chemical Sales by End Use<sup>(1)</sup>



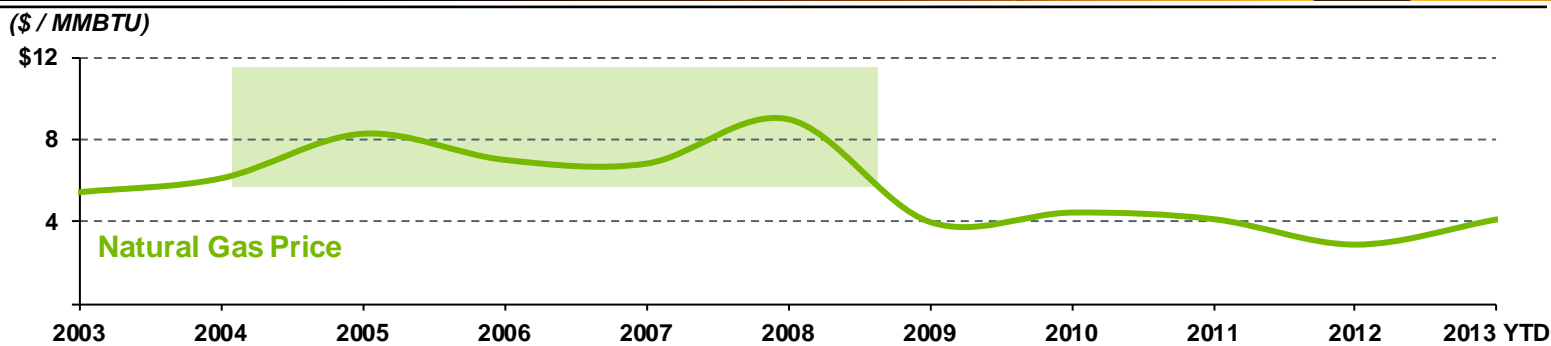
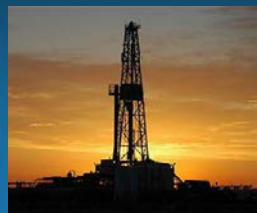
- packaging
- building & construction
- Coatings
- Electronics
- consumer
- Transportation
- Textiles & Furnishings
- Other

N. America sales represent ~ 55% of total company revenues

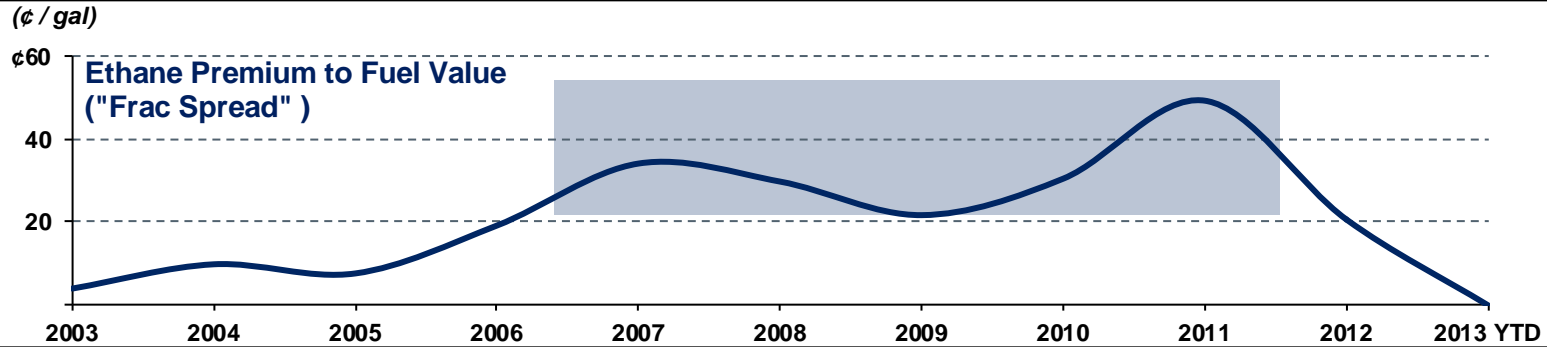
(1) Estimated based on LYB 2012 chemical sales (O&P and Intermediates & Derivatives segments excluding olefin fuel products and oxyfuel sales) and third party industry estimates of products end uses.

# Evolution of Shale Gas Value Chain

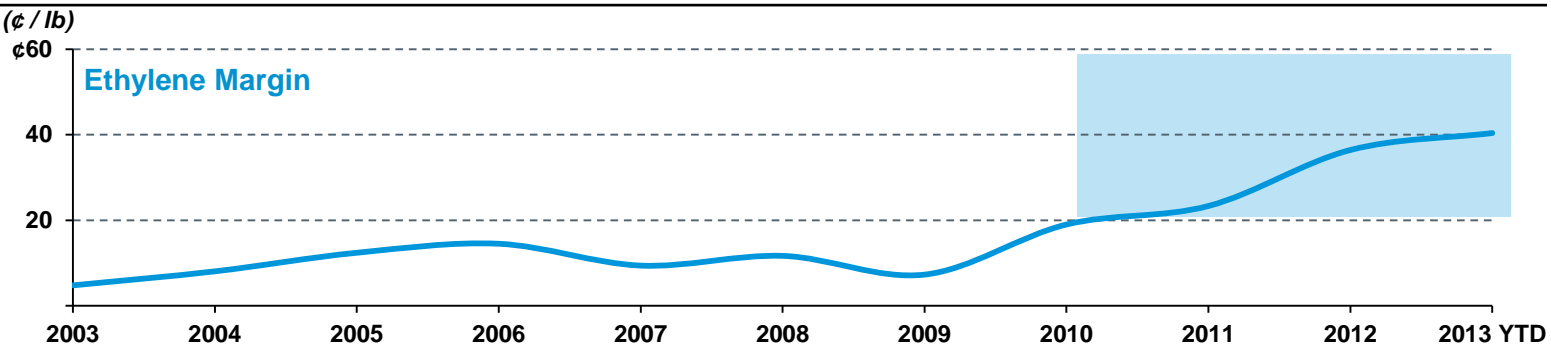
## Upstream (Natural Gas E&P)



## Midstream (Fractionation & Pipelines)



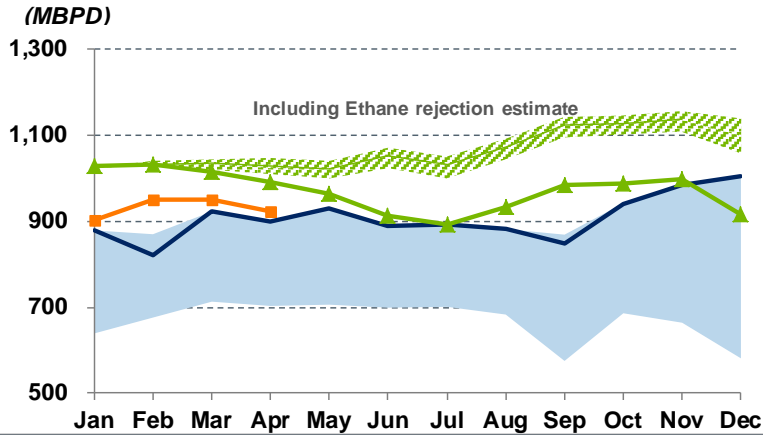
## Chemicals (Ethylene Crackers)



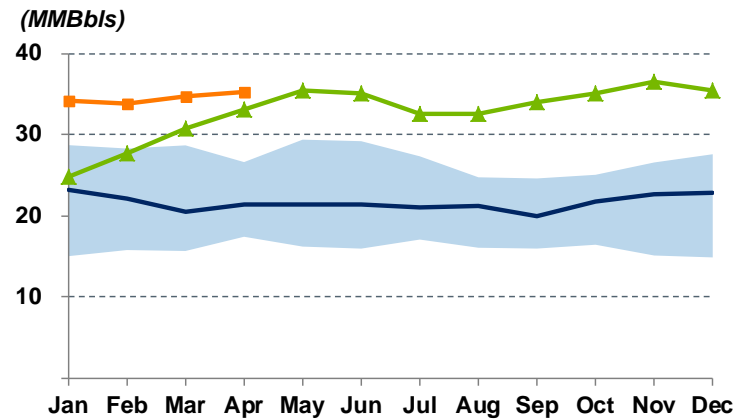
Source: Third party consultants. YTD as May 2013.

# Production and Inventories Remain at Record Levels

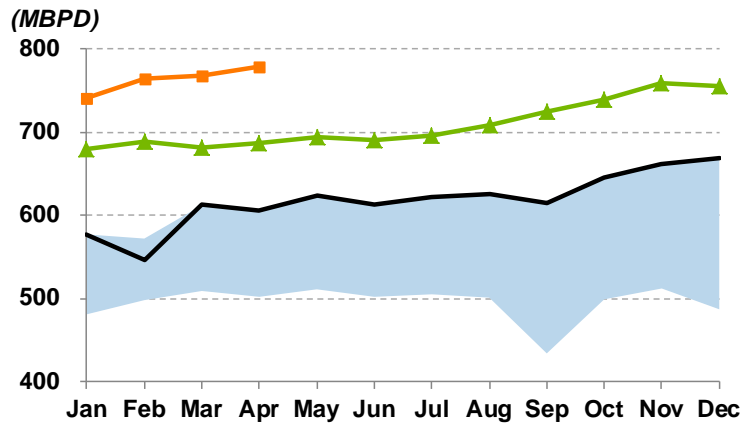
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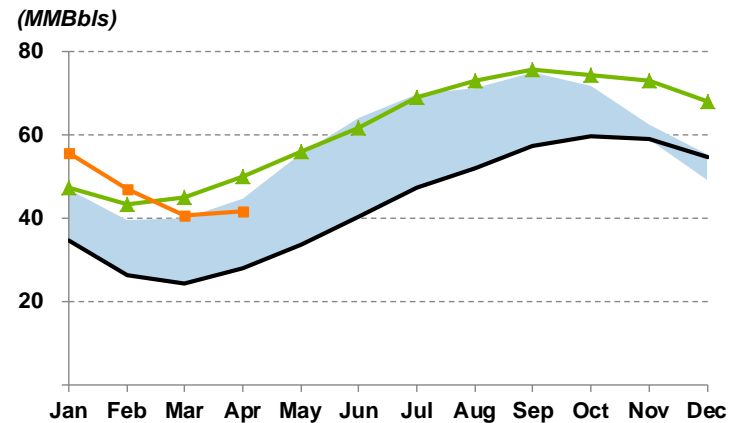
## Historical Ethane Inventory



## Historical Propane Production



## Historical Propane Inventory



2007 - 2011 Range

2011

2012

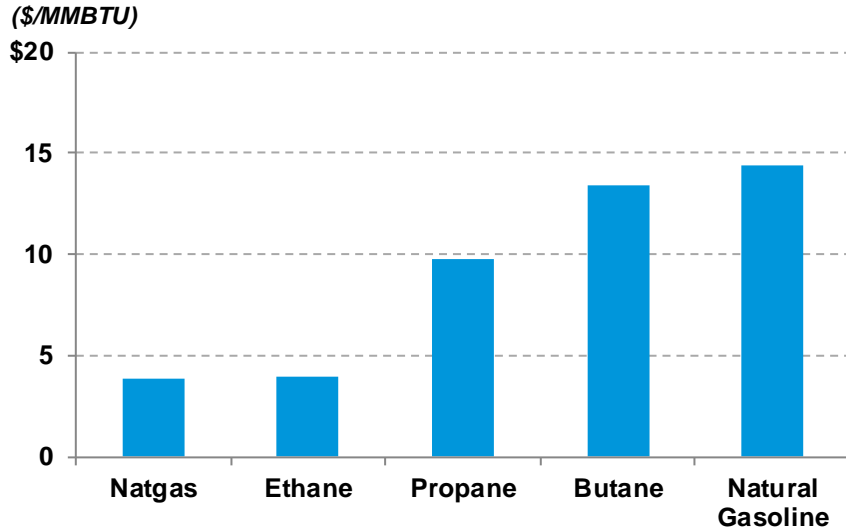
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Sources: EIA and LYB estimates.

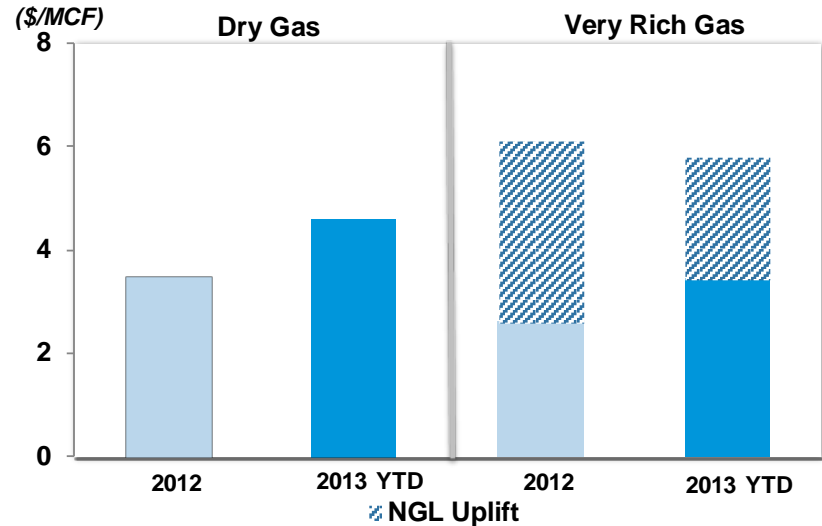


# The Value of NGLs Drives Production Even at Low Natural Gas Prices

## NGL Component Values vs. Natural Gas



## Dry vs. Rich Gas: NGL Uplift (Margin Over Fuel Value)

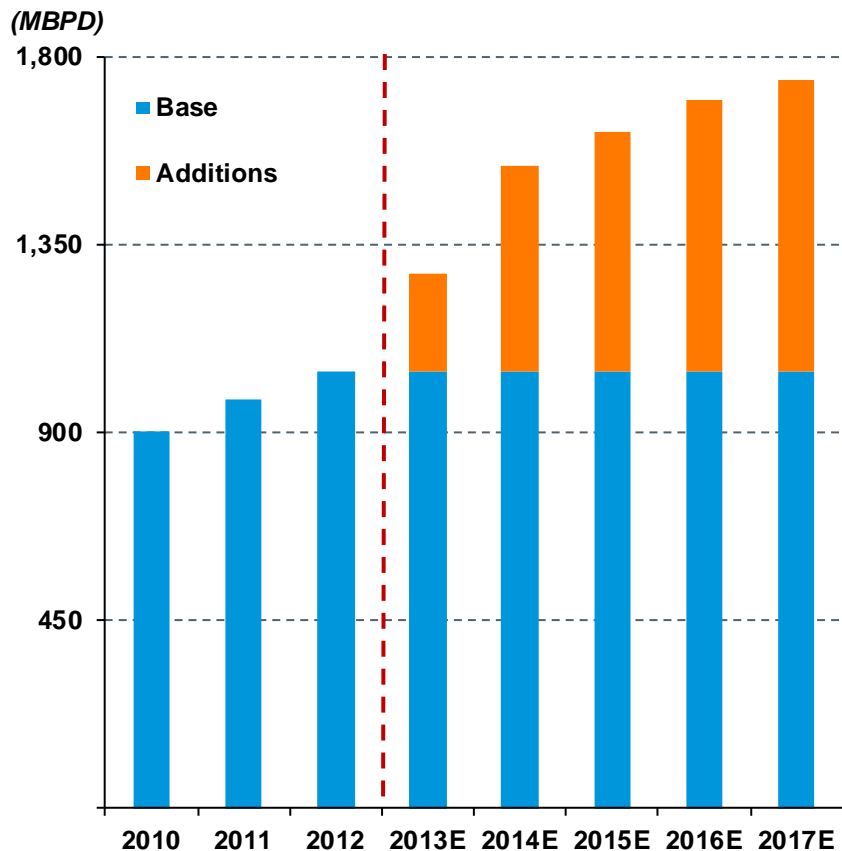


NGLs provide significant additional value to gas producers

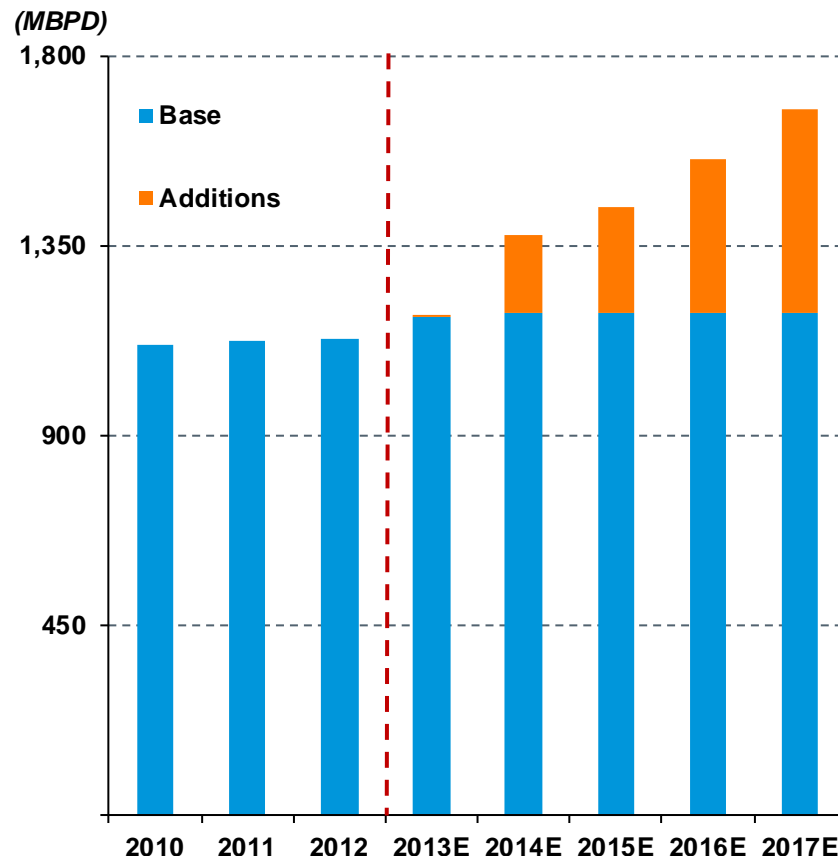
Source: Third party consultants, LYB. Data as of July 2013.

# Ethane Fractionation and Consumption Capacity

## U.S. Ethane Production Capacity



## U.S. Ethane Demand Capacity



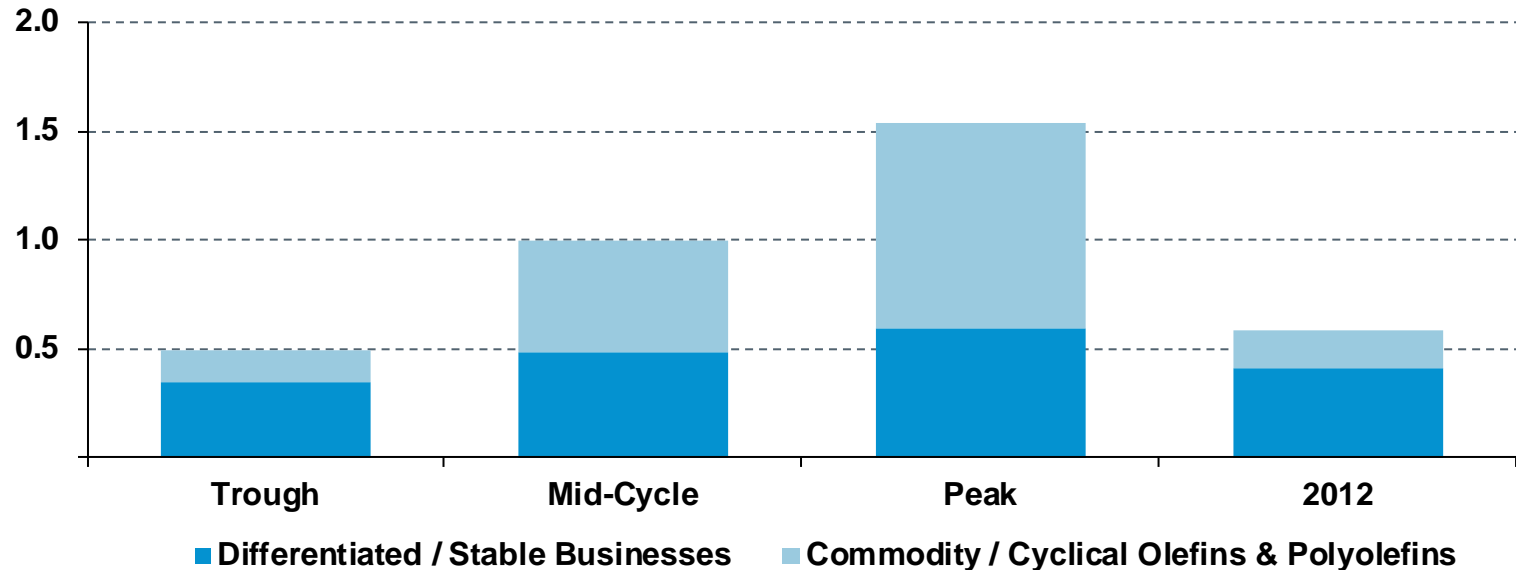
Ethane production is expected to continue exceeding demand

Sources: EIA, EnVantage and LYB estimates.

# O&P – EAI: Our Recent Profits Were Primarily Generated from Our Differentiated Position

## Indexed O&P EAI EBITDA Scenarios

(EBITDA Indexed, Mid-Cycle = 1.0)



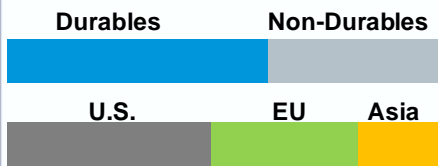
- O&P EAI portfolio is more than European olefins and commodity polyolefins
  - Global polypropylene compounds
  - Middle East and Asian JVs
  - Premium grades of polyolefins (*Catalloy*, Polybutene-1)
- Differentiated products typically represents \$350 - \$550 million per year over the cycle

# I&D: Globally Diversified End Uses

## Propylene Oxide & Derivatives



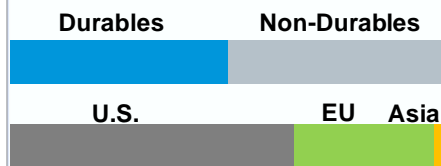
- Home and auto cushioning
- Insulation foams
- Polyester composites
- Coatings
- Automotive parts
- Spandex



## Acetyls



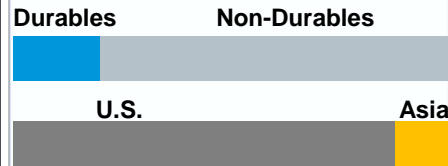
- Food packaging
- Textiles
- Coatings
- Safety glass



## Ethylene Oxide & Derivatives



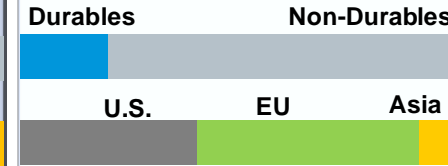
- Surfactants
- Antifreeze
- Industrial coatings
- Polyester



## Co-Products: Oxyfuels, Isobutylene and Styrene



- Gasoline blending
- Lube & fuel additives
- Tires
- Polyester composites
- Food packaging

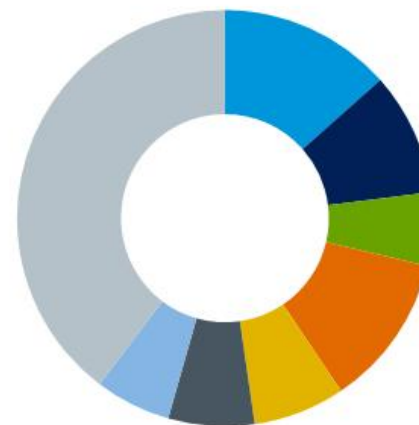


Note: LYB 2011 end-use (durable / non-durable) and revenues by region, %.

# I&D: Businesses Key Advantages

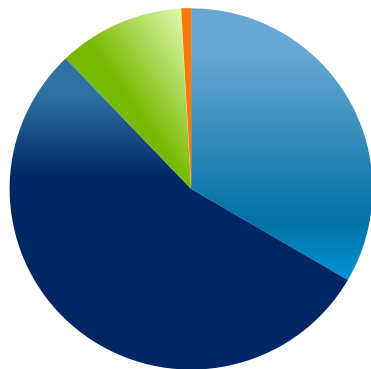
	PO	C4's / Oxyfuels	Acetyls	EO & Derivatives
Proprietary Technology	✓	✓	✓	
Advantaged NGL / Crude Oil Price Ratio		✓	✓	✓

## 2012 Sales by End Use<sup>(1)</sup>



- packaging
- consumer
- building & construction
- Transportation
- Coatings
- Textiles & Furnishings
- Electronics
- Fuel
- Other

## 2012 Intermediates & Derivatives EBITDA



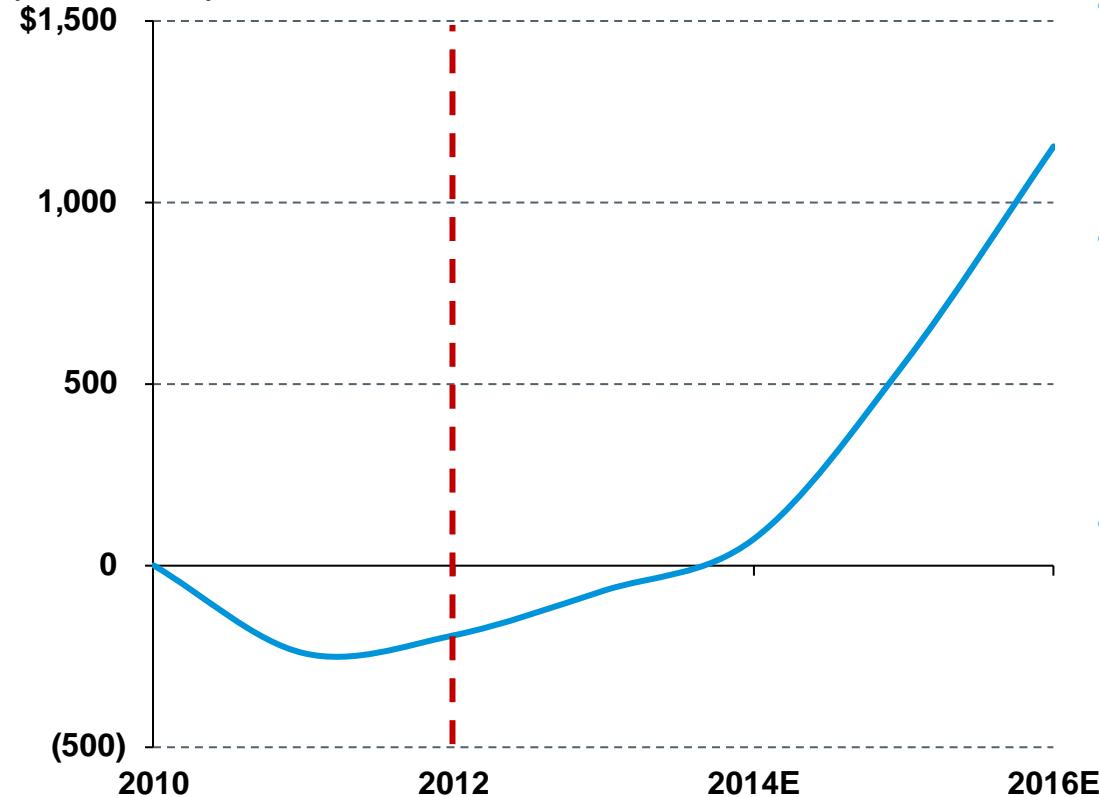
- Proprietary Technology
- Proprietary Technology + Natural gas opportunities
- Natural gas and NGL opportunities
- Undifferentiated

(1) Estimated based on LYB 2012 Intermediates and Derivatives sales, and third party industry estimates of products end uses.

# Importance of Capital Project Selection

## Annual Cash Flow from Announced Growth Projects<sup>(1)</sup>

(\$ in millions)



## Fast Execution & High Returns

- Announced projects expected to be on line by 2016
- \$1.6 billion of announced growth capital expenditures from 2013 to 2016
- Over \$1.5 billion per year of additional EBITDA at 2012 margins by 2017

Capital project portfolio selected for optimum use of cash to maximize returns

(1) EBITDA estimates assume 2012 benchmark margins for future periods. Cash flow defined as EBITDA less depreciation, cash taxes and capital expenditures.

# Future Operational and Financial Improvements

Further O&P – EAI  
Restructuring

Further structural and  
product mix  
improvements

Expected to be  
completed by 2015

Further Houston  
Refinery Flexibility

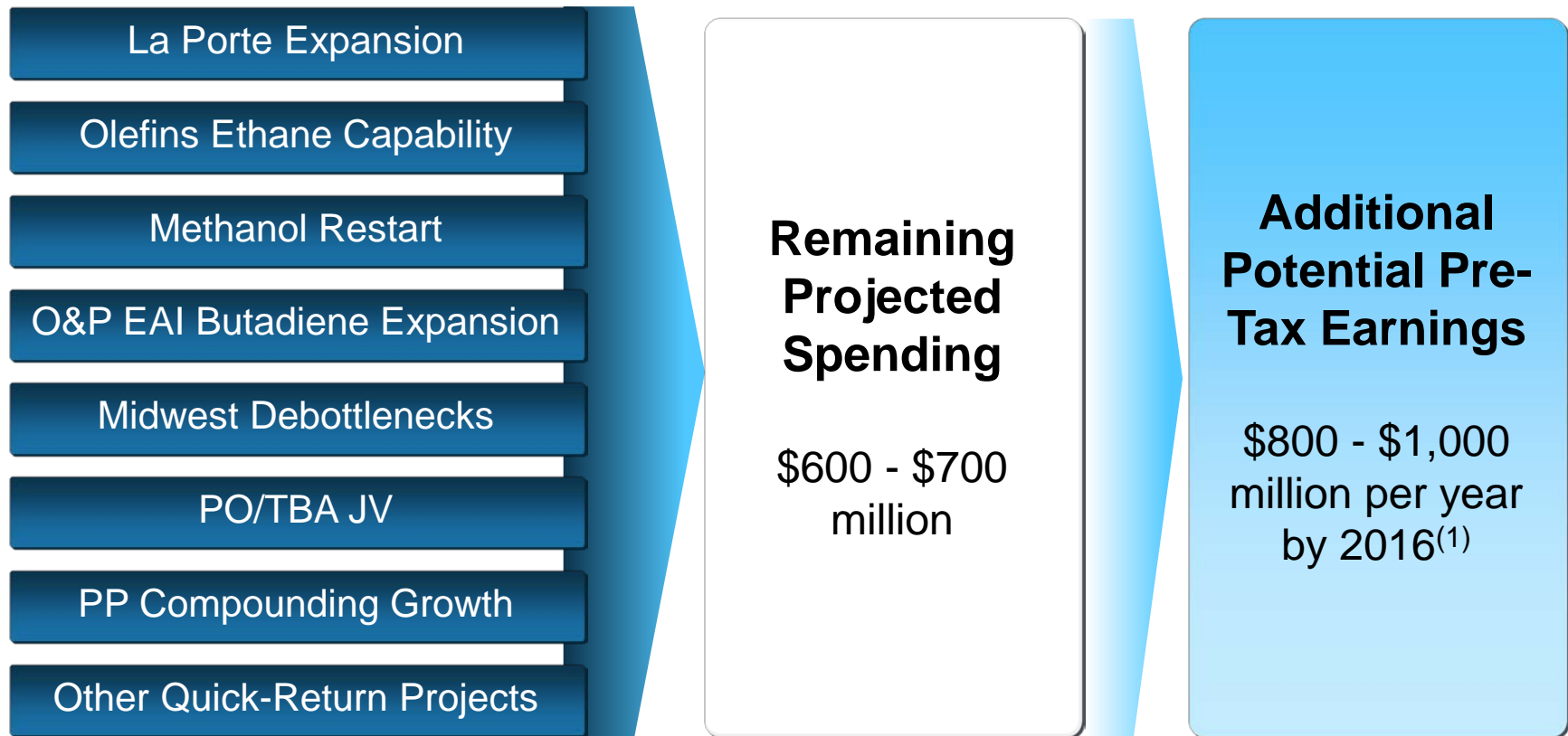
Expand operating  
window / increase  
feedstock capacity for  
lighter Canadian  
crude oil

Expected to be  
completed by 2014

Future improvements are expected to yield an additional \$250 - \$400 million per year by 2015<sup>(1)</sup>

(1) Costs are based on company estimates and values are based on 2012 industry benchmark margins; see Appendix A.

# Previously Announced High-Return Growth Opportunities



Previously announced projects are on track

- \$600 – \$700 million of capital remaining to be spent in the near-future
- \$800 – \$1,000 million of additional annual pre-tax earnings by 2016

(1) Costs are based on company estimates and values are based on 2012 industry benchmark margins; see Appendix A.



# New Growth Opportunities

Channelview Expansion

Corpus Christi Expansion

Olefins NGL Recovery

PE Debottleneck

Potential New PE Line

**Projected  
Spending**

\$900 - \$1,000  
million

**Potential  
Pre-Tax  
Earnings**

\$500 - \$600  
million per year  
by 2016<sup>(1)</sup>

Combined projects expected to have average payback period less than 2 years

(1) Costs are based on company estimates and values are based on 2012 industry benchmark margins; see Appendix A.

# Appendix A

## Details of Assumptions:

- **O&P - Americas:**
  - Growth projects potential values are based on LYB growth projects capacities and 2012 industry benchmark margins data from third party consultants as indicated in the 2013 Investor Day O&P Americas slides.
- **O&P - EAI:**
  - Growth projects potential values are based on LYB growth projects capacities and 2012 industry benchmark margins data from third party consultants as indicated in the 2013 Investor Day O&P EAI slides.
  - Improvements are based on company estimates of restructuring costs and benefits.
- **I&D:**
  - Growth projects potential values are based on LYB growth projects capacities and 2012 industry benchmark margins data from third party consultants as indicated in the 2013 Investor Day I&D slides.
- **Refining:**
  - Improvements potential values are based on data indicated in the 2013 Investor Day Refining slides.

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