



**Kraton Performance Polymers,  
Inc.**

**Second Quarter 2016 Earnings  
Presentation**

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# Second Quarter 2016 Highlights

**Strong volume growth in  
Polymers and stable  
performance in Chemicals**

**Solid Q2 and YTD<sup>(2)</sup> Adjusted  
EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup> for Polymer and  
Chemical Segments**

**Cost reduction and synergy  
capture  
programs remain on  
track**

**On trend for 2016 debt  
reduction target**

- Polymers sales volume up 17.9%, with growth in all three businesses
- Chemicals sales volume in line with Q2'15 and up 14.7% sequentially
- Polymer segment Q2'16 operating income was \$17.3 million, with Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup> of \$39.2 million; H1'16 operating income was \$31.2 million, with Adjusted EBITDA of \$91.4 million
- Chemical segment Q2'16 operating income was \$29.5 million, with Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup> of \$53.5 million; H1'16 operating income<sup>(2)</sup> was \$18.8 million, with Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup> of \$94.4 million
- Expect \$25-\$28 million of cost reductions in 2016 and \$70 million by 2018
  - *\$3.1 million in Q2'16; \$6.8 million in H1'16*
- Integration synergies of \$21-\$27 million expected in 2016
  - *\$6.9 million in Q2'16; \$9.8 million in H1'16*
- Mailiao HSBC expansion capital cost expected at \$185 million, below original \$200+ million estimate
- Kraton net debt reduced by \$48 million since March 31, 2016; expect Kraton net debt of approximately \$1.6 billion by year end

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(2) Chemical segment results for the period January 6, 2016 (the date of the Acquisition Chemical acquisition) through June 30, 2016.

# Polymer Segment – Second Quarter and YTD Financial Review

(\$ millions)	Q2'16	Q2'15	Change	H1'16	H1'15	Change
Volume (kT)	89.8	76.2	13.6	164.9	150.6	14.3
Revenues:						
Cariflex™	\$ 43.2	\$ 33.2	\$ 10.0	\$ 81.2	\$ 68.0	\$ 13.2
Specialty Polymers	\$ 82.1	\$ 84.6	\$ (2.5)	\$ 167.1	\$ 176.3	\$ (9.2)
Performance Products	\$ 144.8	\$ 138.1	\$ 6.7	\$ 264.7	\$ 272.9	\$ (8.2)
Other	\$ 0.1	\$ 0.0	\$ 0.1	\$ 0.1	\$ 0.2	\$ (0.0)
Total	\$ 270.1	\$ 255.9	\$ 14.2	\$ 513.2	\$ 517.3	\$ (4.2)
Operating income	\$ 17.3	\$ 0.6	\$ 16.7	\$ 31.2	\$ (3.0)	\$ 34.2
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 39.2	\$ 25.1	\$ 14.1	\$ 91.4	\$ 74.4	\$ 17.1
Margin	14.5%	9.8%	469 bps	17.8%	14.4%	344 bps

Note: May not foot due to rounding

- **Cariflex** – volume up 30.2% in Q2'16 and 20.8% for H1'16 on higher sales into surgical glove applications. Growth in surgical glove applications led by North America, driven by ongoing shift to powder-free surgical gloves
- **Specialty Polymers** - volume up 10.5% in Q2'16 on higher sales into industrial, lubricant additive and personal care applications, partially offset by lower sales into protective film and medical applications. H1'16 volume up 5.7%, on higher sales into industrial and personal care applications, partially offset by lower sales into protective film, adhesive & coating and lubricant additive applications
- **Performance Products** – Q2'16 volume up 19.2% and H1'16 volume up 9.8% on higher sales into paving, roofing and personal care applications, partially offset by lower sales into packaging and industrial adhesive applications. The increase in paving volume reflects strong fundamentals in North American paving markets and recovery vs. Q2'15, in which sales were impacted by production constraints
- 59% of the portfolio comprised of differentiated grades as of the TTM period ended June 30, 2016, compared to 57% in the TTM period ended June 30, 2015

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# Chemical Segment – Second Quarter and YTD<sup>(2)</sup> Financial Review

(\$ millions)	Q2'16	Q2'15 <sup>(3)</sup>	Change	H1'16 <sup>(2)</sup>	H1'15 <sup>(3)</sup>	Change
Volume (kT)	108.9	110.5	(1.6)	203.7	210.6	(6.9)
Revenues:						
Adhesives	\$ 63.2	\$ 67.9	\$ (4.7)	\$ 126.1	\$ 139.5	\$ (13.4)
Roads & Construction	\$ 16.4	\$ 15.1	\$ 1.3	\$ 27.1	\$ 25.7	\$ 1.4
Tires	\$ 10.9	\$ 11.3	\$ (0.4)	\$ 19.9	\$ 21.0	\$ (1.1)
Chemical Intermediates	\$ 94.1	\$ 115.2	\$ (21.1)	\$ 188.4	\$ 227.3	\$ (38.9)
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 184.5</b>	<b>\$ 209.5</b>	<b>\$ (25.0)</b>	<b>\$ 361.4</b>	<b>\$ 413.5</b>	<b>\$ (52.1)</b>
Operating Income	\$ 29.5			\$ 18.8		
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 53.5			\$ 94.4		
Margin	29.0%			26.1%		

Note: May not foot due to rounding

- **Adhesives** – Q2'16 volume essentially flat despite increased availability of low cost C5 hydrocarbon-based tackifier resins. H1'16 volume down 5.5% compared to H1'15, in part due to lower Q1'16 sales vs. Q1'15, in which sales volume benefitted from a competitor outage
- **Roads & Construction** – volume up 14.2% in Q2'16 and 9.4% for H1'16, driven by strong paving activity in North America
- **Tires** – volume essentially flat in Q2'16 and H1'16, as sales growth in Asia, offset by lower volumes into the Americas
- **Chemical Intermediates** – Q2'16 volume down 3.0% vs. Q2'15 with increased sales into coating, mining, lubricant, paper and oilfield applications offset by lower sales into other applications including packaging and flavors & fragrances. H1'16 sales volume down 3.6% vs. H1'15

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(3) The 2015 amounts have been derived from the Arizona Chemical historical operating results and are being included for comparative purposes only.

# Second Quarter 2016 Operating Results

\$ in millions

(\$ millions)	Q2'16 Polymer	Q2'15 Polymer	Q2'16 Chemical	Q2'16 Consolidated	Q2'15 Consolidated
Revenue	\$ 270.1	\$ 255.9	\$ 184.5	\$ 454.6	\$ 255.9
Gross profit	\$ 67.2	\$ 47.4	\$ 64.7	\$ 131.9	\$ 47.4
Operating income	\$ 17.3	\$ 0.6	\$ 29.5	\$ 46.8	\$ 0.6
Net income (loss) attributable to Kraton	-	-	-	\$ 7.4	\$ (5.6)
Adjusted gross profit <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 65.0	\$ 53.2	\$ 70.3	\$ 135.3	\$ 53.2
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 39.2	\$ 25.1	\$ 53.5	\$ 92.7	\$ 25.1
Adjusted EBITDA margin <sup>(1)</sup>	14.5%	9.8%	29.0%	20.4%	9.8%

## Polymer segment:

- Adjusted gross profit<sup>(1)</sup> of \$723 per ton up from \$698 per ton in Q2'15
  - Sequential decline from \$1,052 per ton Q1'16 primarily reflects lower unit margins, including the impact of less favorable sales mix, and the timing associated with changes in inventory levels
- Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup> growth of 56.2% primarily reflects the 17.9% increase in sales volume and lower costs

## Chemical segment:

- Adjusted gross profit<sup>(1)</sup> of \$646 per ton up from \$625 per ton in Q1'16
- Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup> up compared to Q1'16 due to volume growth of 14.7% and lower costs
- Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup> margin of 29.0% up 590 basis points compared to 23.1% in Q1'16

## Consolidated:

- Currency of \$1.3 million negative on Q2'16 Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup>
- \$10.0 million of year-over-year benefit associated with integration synergies and cost reduction initiatives

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# Year-to-Date 2016 Operating Results<sup>(1)</sup>

\$ in millions

	H1'16	H1'15	H1'16	H1'16	H1'15
(\$ millions)	Polymer	Polymer	Chemical <sup>(1)</sup>	Consolidated	Consolidated
Revenue <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 513.2	\$ 517.3	\$ 361.4	\$ 874.6	\$ 517.3
Gross profit <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 132.8	\$ 94.0	\$ 92.9	\$ 225.7	\$ 94.0
Operating income <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 31.2	\$ (3.0)	\$ 18.8	\$ 50.0	\$ (3.0)
Net income (loss) attributable to Kraton	-	-	-	\$ 95.5	\$ (15.0)
Adjusted gross profit <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	\$ 143.9	\$ 133.2	\$ 129.6	\$ 273.5	\$ 133.2
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	\$ 91.4	\$ 74.4	\$ 94.4	\$ 185.8	\$ 74.4
Adjusted EBITDA margin <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	17.8%	14.4%	26.1%	21.2%	14.4%

## Polymer segment:

- Adjusted gross profit<sup>(2)</sup> of \$873 per ton comparable to \$884 per ton in H1'15
- Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(2)</sup> growth of 22.9% results from 9.5% increase in volume, lower costs, partially offset by lower average unit margins, which includes the impact of less favorable sales mix

## Chemical segment:

- Q2'16 adjusted gross profit<sup>(2)</sup> of \$646 per ton up from \$625 per ton in Q1'16, resulting in H1'16 adjusted gross profit<sup>(2)</sup> of \$636 per ton

## Consolidated

- Currency \$4.3 million negative on H1'16 Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(2)</sup>
- \$16.6 million benefit associated with integration synergies and cost reduction initiatives vs. H1'15

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# Reconciliation of EPS to Adjusted EPS

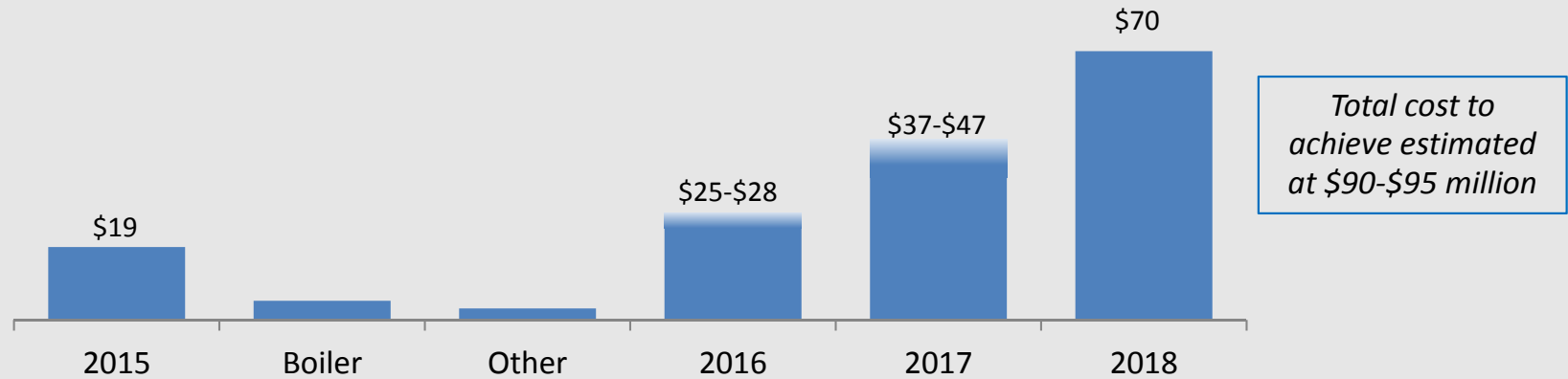
(\$ in thousands, except per share amounts)

	Three months Ended June 30,		Six months Ended June 30,	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
	(In thousands)		(In thousands)	
Earnings (Loss) per Diluted Share	\$ 0.24	\$ (0.18)	\$ 3.07	\$ (0.48)
Transaction, acquisition related costs, restructuring and other costs (a)	0.20	0.02	0.52	0.06
Disposition and exit of business activities	0.11	-	(0.82)	-
Loss on extinguishment of debt	-	-	0.28	-
Production downtime (b)	-	-	-	(0.01)
Effect of purchase price accounting on inventory valuation (c)	-	-	0.63	-
KFPC startup costs (d)	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01
Valuation Allowance (e)	-	-	(2.78)	-
Spread between FIFO and ECRC	0.07	0.17	0.52	1.20
Adjusted Earnings per Diluted Share (non-GAAP)	<u>\$ 0.63</u>	<u>\$ 0.02</u>	<u>\$ 1.44</u>	<u>\$ 0.78</u>

- a) Charges related to the evaluation of acquisition transactions, severance expenses, and other restructuring related charges which are primarily recorded in selling, general, and administrative expenses.
- b) In 2015, the reduction in costs is due to additional insurance recovery related to the Belpre, Ohio, production downtime, which is primarily recorded in cost of goods sold.
- c) Higher costs of goods sold for our Chemical segment related to the fair value adjustment in purchase accounting for their inventory.
- d) Startup costs related to the joint venture company, KFPC, which are recorded in selling, general and administrative expenses.
- e) Reduction of income tax valuation allowance related to the assessment of our ability to utilize net operating losses in future periods.

# Cost Reduction Initiatives Remain on Target

\$ in millions



## Manufacturing Optimization

- HSBC facility in Mailiao reached mechanical completion in Q2'16, expect commercial samples in Q4'16
- Berre expansion design expected to be complete Q3'16 with anticipated mechanical completion by Q4'17

## Asset Productivity

- Continuing favorability in new boilers due to natural gas pricing and electricity cogeneration
- Improvements in solvent recovery, BD unloading and packaging cost reductions
- Other manufacturing projects

## Complexity Reduction

- Cariflex "direct coupling" design underway with expected mechanical completion by Q4'17
- SKU elimination work progressing along with service level optimization activities
- Other inventory reduction initiatives continue

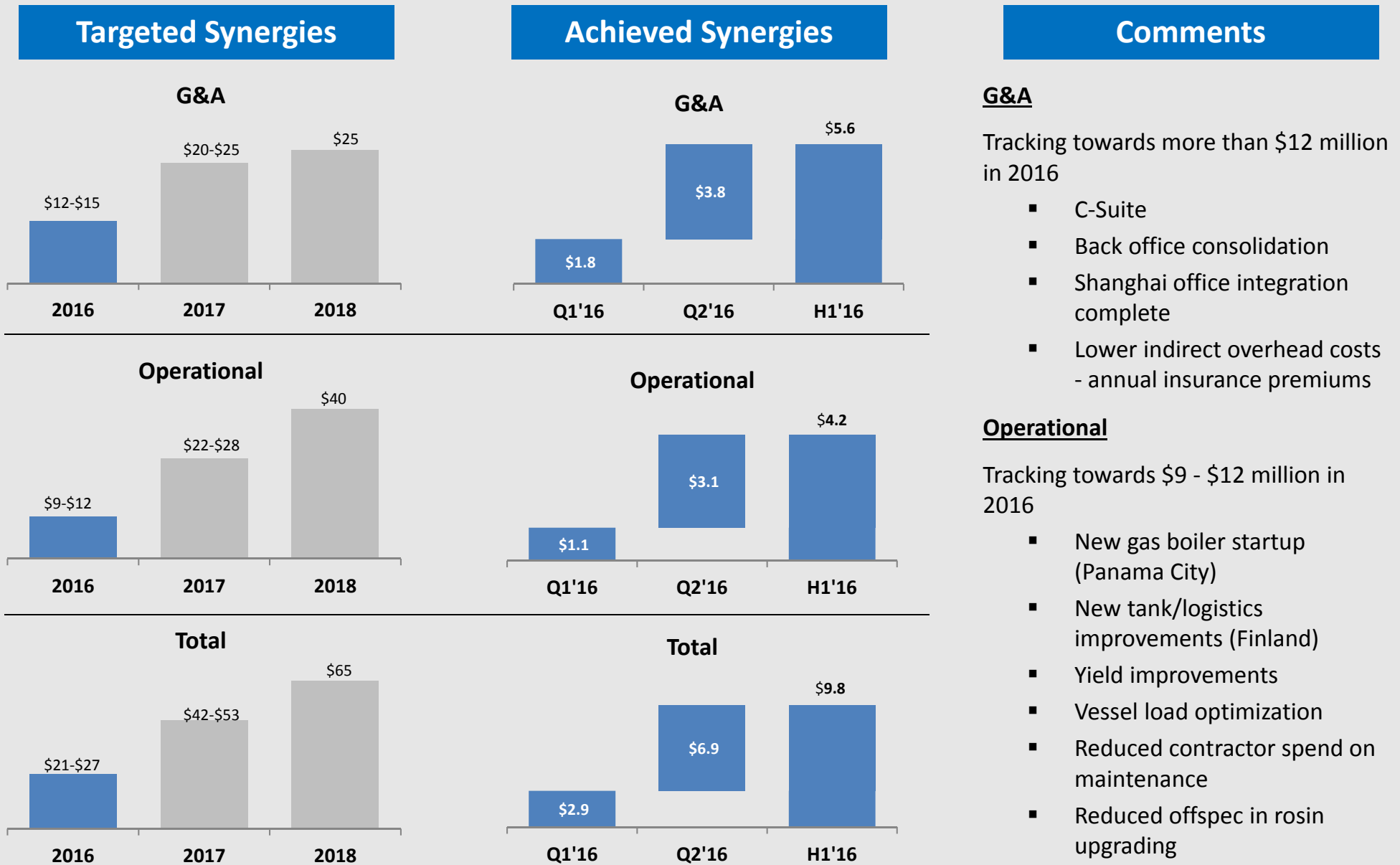
# Mailiao Update



- Kraton Formosa Polymers Corporation (KFPC) – 50/50 joint venture between Kraton and Formosa Petrochemical Corporation established February 2013
- KFPC will own and operate a 30 kiloton hydrogenated styrenic block copolymer facility located in Mailiao, Taiwan
- Construction is mechanically complete, with plant going through commissioning steps
  - Expect to introduce hydrocarbons in Q4'16, with commercial samples by end of Q4'16
- Capital cost now estimated at \$185 million, down from original cost estimates of \$200 - \$215 million

# We Remain On Track to Deliver Integration Synergies

\$ in millions



# Capital Structure

(\$ millions)	ABL	Term Loan	10.50% Notes	Capital Lease	6.75% Notes	KRA Cash	KRA Net Debt	JV Debt	JV Cash	Consol. Net Debt
<b>At December 31, 2015</b>	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1.6	\$ 350.0	\$ 60.7	\$ 290.9	\$ 76.9	\$ 9.3	\$ 358.5
Acquisition of Arizona	37.1	1,350.0	440.0	-	(350.0)	36.7	1,440.4	-	-	1,440.4
Pro forma for Arizona	37.1	1,350.0	440.0	1.6	-	97.4	1,731.3	76.9	9.3	1,798.9
Sale of compounding assets	-	(72.0)	-	-	-	-	(72.0)	-	-	(72.0)
Other changes	12.9	-	-	-	-	(29.5)	42.4	14.2	1.2	55.4
<b>At March 31, 2016</b>	\$ 50.0	\$ 1,278.0	\$ 440.0	\$ 1.6	\$ -	\$ 67.9	\$ 1,701.7	\$ 91.1	\$ 10.5	\$ 1,782.3
Adjustments to business acquisition / divestiture	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	(5.9)	-	-	(5.9)
Other changes	(20.0)	-	-	-	-	21.9	(41.9)	11.8	4.3	(34.4)
<b>At June 30, 2016</b>	\$ 30.0	\$ 1,278.0	\$ 440.0	\$ 1.6	\$ -	\$ 95.7	\$ 1,653.8	\$ 102.9	\$ 14.8	\$ 1,741.9

Note: May not foot due to rounding

- Continued progress in reducing Kraton net debt, with Kraton net debt lowered by \$48 million in Q2'16
- Since January 6, Kraton net debt reduced by \$77 million
- December 31, 2016 target Kraton net debt remains \$1.6 billion

# 2016 Modeling Assumptions<sup>(1)</sup>

(\$ in millions)	
Revenue	\$1,800
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(2)</sup>	\$370 - \$380
Non-cash compensation expense	\$10
Depreciation & amortization	\$125 - \$130
Interest expense <i>Includes estimated amortization of DFC and accretion of OID totaling approximately \$14.0 million</i>	\$135 - \$140
Effective tax rate excluding release of valuation allowance in Q1 2016	10% – 15%
Capex <i>Excludes KFPC capex of approximately \$50 million</i> <i>Excludes capitalized interest of \$5 million</i>	\$85 - \$95
Estimated third quarter 2016 positive spread between FIFO and ECRC	Less than \$5
Estimated net debt at December 31, 2016 <i>Excludes estimated KFPC net debt of approximately \$130 million</i>	\$1,600
Anticipated synergies from Arizona Chemical Acquisition in 2016	\$21 - \$27
Cost reset initiative savings in 2016	\$25 - \$28

Note: Non-cash compensation expense is excluded in determining Adjusted EBITDA and included in determining Adjusted EPS.

- (1) Management's estimates. These estimates are forward-looking statements and speak only as of July 28, 2016. Management assumes no obligation to update these estimates in light of new information or future events.
- (2) We have not reconciled Adjusted EBITDA guidance to net income (loss) because we do not provide guidance for net income (loss) or for items that we do not consider indicative of our on-going performance, including, but not limited to, transaction and acquisition costs and costs associated with dispositions, business exits, and production downtime, as certain of these items are out of our control and/or cannot be reasonably predicted. Accordingly, a reconciliation of the non-GAAP financial measure guidance to the corresponding GAAP measures is not available without unreasonable effort.



## Appendix

# Polymers – Revenue by Geography and Product Group

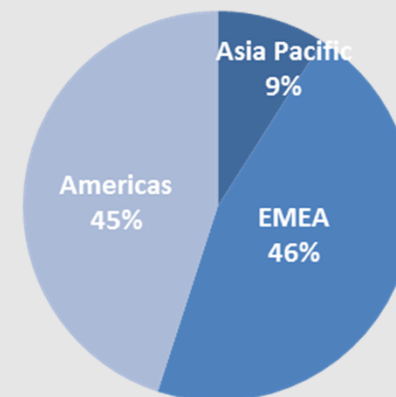
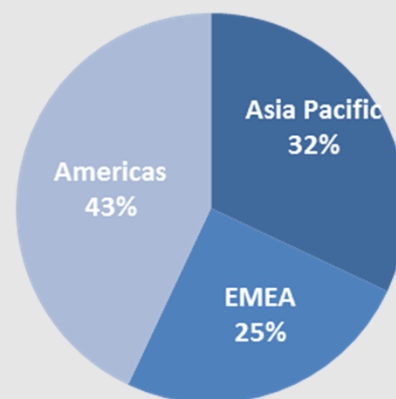
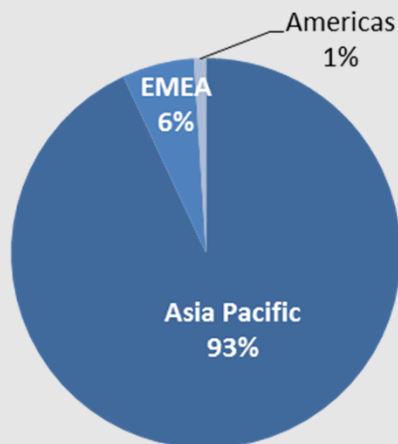
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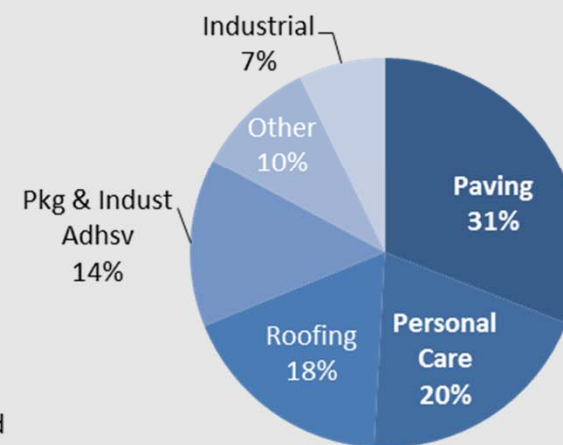
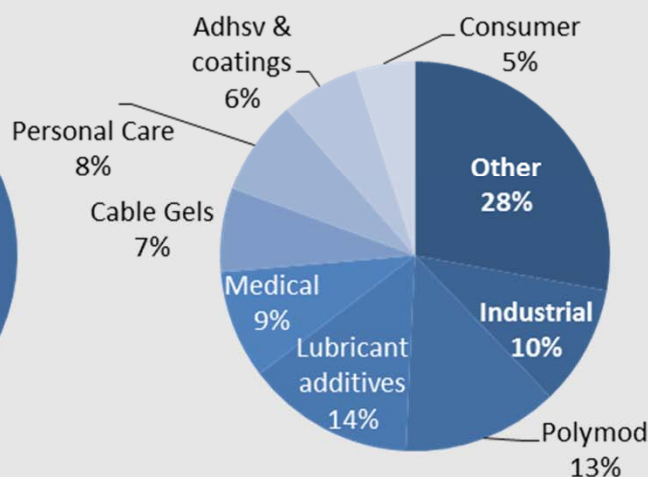
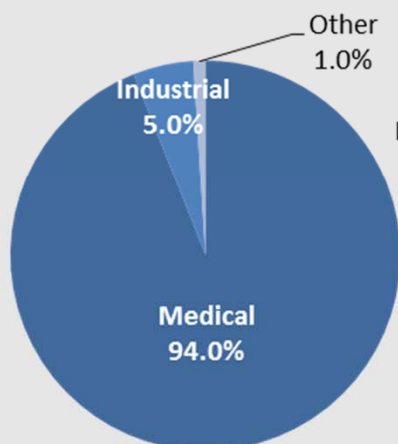
### SPECIALTY POLYMERS

### PERFORMANCE PRODUCTS

Revenue by Geography



Revenue by Product Group



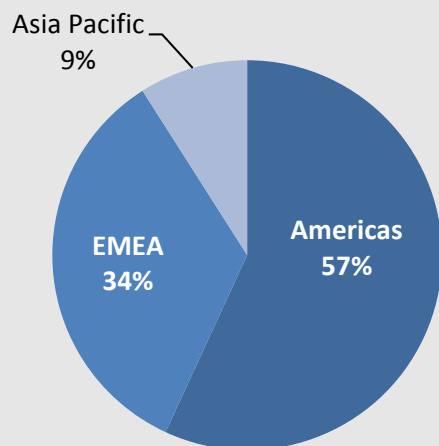
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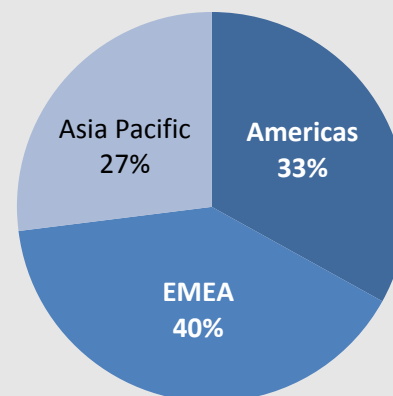
# Chemicals – Revenue by Geography

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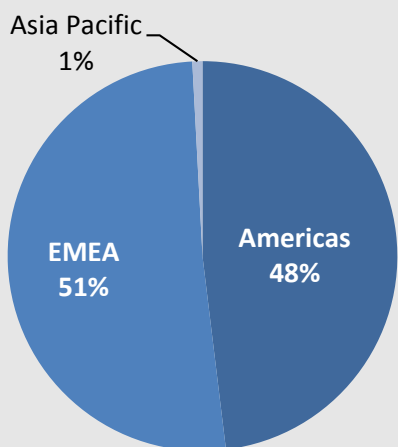
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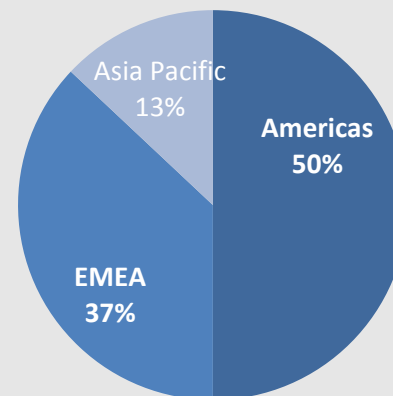
### TIRES



### ROADS & CONSTRUCTION



### CHEMICAL INTERMEDIATES



# Reconciliation of Gross Profit to Adjusted Gross Profit – Q2 2016

(\$ in thousands)	Three Months Ended June 30, 2016			Three Months Ended June 30, 2015
	Polymer	Chemical	Total	Total
Gross profit	\$ 67,241	\$ 64,656	\$ 131,897	\$ 47,436
Add (deduct):				
Restructuring and other charges	11	(149)	(138)	53
Production downtime (a)	—	—	—	(171)
Non-cash compensation expense	123	—	123	117
Spread between FIFO and ECRC	(2,420)	5,812	3,392	5,810
Adjusted gross profit	<u>\$ 64,955</u>	<u>\$ 70,319</u>	<u>\$ 135,274</u>	<u>\$ 53,245</u>
Sales volume (Kilotons)	<u>89.8</u>	<u>108.9</u>	<u>198.7</u>	<u>76.2</u>
Adjusted gross profit per ton	<u>\$723</u>	<u>\$646</u>	<u>\$681</u>	<u>\$698</u>

- a) In 2015, the reduction in costs is due to additional insurance recovery related to the Belpre, Ohio, production downtime.

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# Reconciliation of Gross Profit to Adjusted Gross Profit – Q1 2016

(\$ in thousands)	Three Months Ended March 31, 2016			Three Months Ended March 31, 2015
	Polymer	Chemical	Total	Total
Gross profit	\$ 65,525	\$ 28,293	\$ 93,818	\$ 46,561
Add (deduct):				
Restructuring and other charges	31	149	180	28
Effect of purchase price accounting on inventory valuation	—	24,719	24,719	—
Production downtime	—	—	—	(157)
Non-cash compensation expense	185	—	185	157
Spread between FIFO and ECRC	13,228	6,097	19,325	33,408
Adjusted gross profit	<u>\$ 78,969</u>	<u>\$ 59,258</u>	<u>\$ 138,227</u>	<u>\$ 79,997</u>
Sales volume (Kilotons)	<u>75.1</u>	<u>94.9</u>	<u>170.0</u>	<u>74.4</u>
Adjusted gross profit per ton	<u>\$1,052</u>	<u>\$625</u>	<u>\$813</u>	<u>\$1,075</u>

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# Reconciliation of Gross Profit to Adjusted Gross Profit – YTD 2016

(\$ in thousands)	Six Months Ended June 30, 2016			Six Months Ended June 30, 2015
	Polymer	Chemical	Total	Total
Gross profit	\$ 132,766	\$ 92,949	\$ 225,715	\$ 93,997
Add (deduct):				
Restructuring and other charges (a)	42	—	42	81
Effect of purchase price accounting on inventory valuation (b)	—	24,719	24,719	—
Production downtime (c)	—	—	—	(328)
Non-cash compensation expense	308	—	308	274
Spread between FIFO and ECRC	10,808	11,909	22,717	39,218
Adjusted gross profit	<u>\$ 143,924</u>	<u>\$ 129,577</u>	<u>\$ 273,501</u>	<u>\$ 133,242</u>
Sales volume (Kilotons)	<u>164.9</u>	<u>203.7</u>	<u>368.7</u>	<u>150.6</u>
Adjusted gross profit per ton	<u>\$873</u>	<u>\$636</u>	<u>\$742</u>	<u>\$884</u>

- a) Severance expenses and other restructuring related charges.
- b) Higher costs of goods sold for our Chemical segment related to the fair value adjustment in purchase accounting for their inventory.
- c) In 2015, the reduction in costs is due to additional insurance recovery related to the Belpre, Ohio, production downtime.

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# Reconciliation of Net Income (loss) to Operating Income to Non-GAAP Financial Measures – Q2 2016

(\$ thousands)	Three Months Ended June 30, 2016			Three Months Ended June 30, 2015
	Polymers	Chemicals	Total	Total
Net income (loss) attributable to Kraton			\$ 7,401	\$ (5,564)
Net loss attributable to non-controlling interest			(533)	(429)
Consolidated net income (loss)			<u>6,868</u>	<u>(5,993)</u>
<i>Add (deduct):</i>				
Income tax expense			1,029	993
Interest expense, net			33,742	5,704
Earnings of unconsolidated joint venture			(102)	(102)
Disposition and exit of business activities			5,250	—
Operating income	\$ 17,262	\$ 29,525	<u>46,787</u>	<u>602</u>
<i>Add (deduct):</i>				
Depreciation and amortization	15,630	16,152	31,782	15,411
Disposition and exit of business activities	(5,250)	—	(5,250)	—
Earnings of unconsolidated joint venture	<u>102</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>102</u>	<u>102</u>
EBITDA	<u>27,744</u>	<u>45,677</u>	<u>73,421</u>	<u>16,115</u>
<i>Add (deduct):</i>				
Transaction, acquisition related costs, restructuring and other costs (a)	5,562	2,044	7,606	649
Disposition and exit of business activities	5,250	—	5,250	—
Production downtime (b)	—	—	—	(101)
KFPC startup costs (c)	1,019	—	1,019	698
Non-cash compensation expense (d)	2,048	—	2,048	1,960
Spread between FIFO and ECRC	(2,420)	5,812	3,392	5,810
Adjusted EBITDA	<u>\$ 39,203</u>	<u>\$ 53,533</u>	<u>\$ 92,736</u>	<u>\$ 25,131</u>

- Charges related to the evaluation of acquisition transactions, severance expenses, and other restructuring related charges, which are primarily recorded in selling, general, and administrative expenses.
- In 2015, the reduction in costs is due to additional insurance recovery related to the Belpre, Ohio, production downtime, which is primarily recorded in cost of goods sold.
- Startup costs related to the joint venture company, KFPC, which are recorded in selling, general, and administrative expenses.
- For the three months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively, \$1.7 million and \$1.7 million is recorded in selling, general and administrative expenses, \$0.2 million and \$0.2 million is recorded in research and development expenses, and \$0.1 million and \$0.1 million is recorded in cost of goods sold.

# Reconciliation of Net Income (loss) to Operating Income to Non-GAAP Financial Measures – YTD 2016

(\$ thousands)	Six Months Ended June 30, 2016			Six Months Ended June 30, 2015
	Polymers	Chemicals	Total	Total
Net income (loss) attributable to Kraton			\$ 95,488	\$ (15,020)
Net loss attributable to non-controlling interest			(1,075)	(714)
Consolidated net income (loss)			94,413	(15,734)
<i>Add (deduct):</i>				
Income tax (benefit) expense			(85,222)	1,059
Interest expense, net			67,580	11,824
Earnings of unconsolidated joint venture			(180)	(178)
Loss on extinguishment of debt			13,423	—
Disposition and exit of business activities			(40,001)	—
Operating income (loss)	\$ 31,208	\$ 18,805	50,013	(3,029)
<i>Add (deduct):</i>				
Depreciation and amortization	30,222	31,714	61,936	30,707
Disposition and exit of business activities	40,001	—	40,001	—
Loss on extinguishment of debt	(13,423)	—	(13,423)	—
Earnings of unconsolidated joint venture	180	—	180	178
EBITDA	88,188	50,519	138,707	27,856
<i>Add (deduct):</i>				
Transaction, acquisition related costs, restructuring and other costs (a)	12,039	7,243	19,282	1,796
Disposition and exit of business activities	(40,001)	—	(40,001)	—
Loss on extinguishment of debt	13,423	—	13,423	—
Effect of purchase price accounting on inventory valuation	—	24,719	24,719	—
Production downtime (b)	—	—	—	(209)
KFPC startup costs (c)	1,859	—	1,859	1,150
Non-cash compensation expense (d)	5,131	—	5,131	4,569
Spread between FIFO and ECRC	10,808	11,909	22,717	39,218
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 91,447	\$ 94,390	\$ 185,837	\$ 74,380

- a) Charges related to the evaluation of acquisition transactions , severance expenses, and other restructuring related charges, which are primarily recorded in selling, general, and administrative expenses.
- b) In 2015, the reduction in costs is due to additional insurance recovery related to the Belpre, Ohio, production downtime, which is primarily recorded in cost of goods sold.
- c) Startup costs related to the joint venture company, KFPC, which are recorded in selling, general, and administrative expenses.
- d) For the six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively, \$4.4 million and \$3.9 million is recorded in selling, general and administrative expenses, \$0.4 million and \$0.4 million is recorded in research and development expenses, and \$0.3 million and \$0.3 million is recorded in cost of goods sold.