

The AES Corporation

Second Quarter 2022
Financial Review



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Reconciliation to U.S. GAAP Financial Information

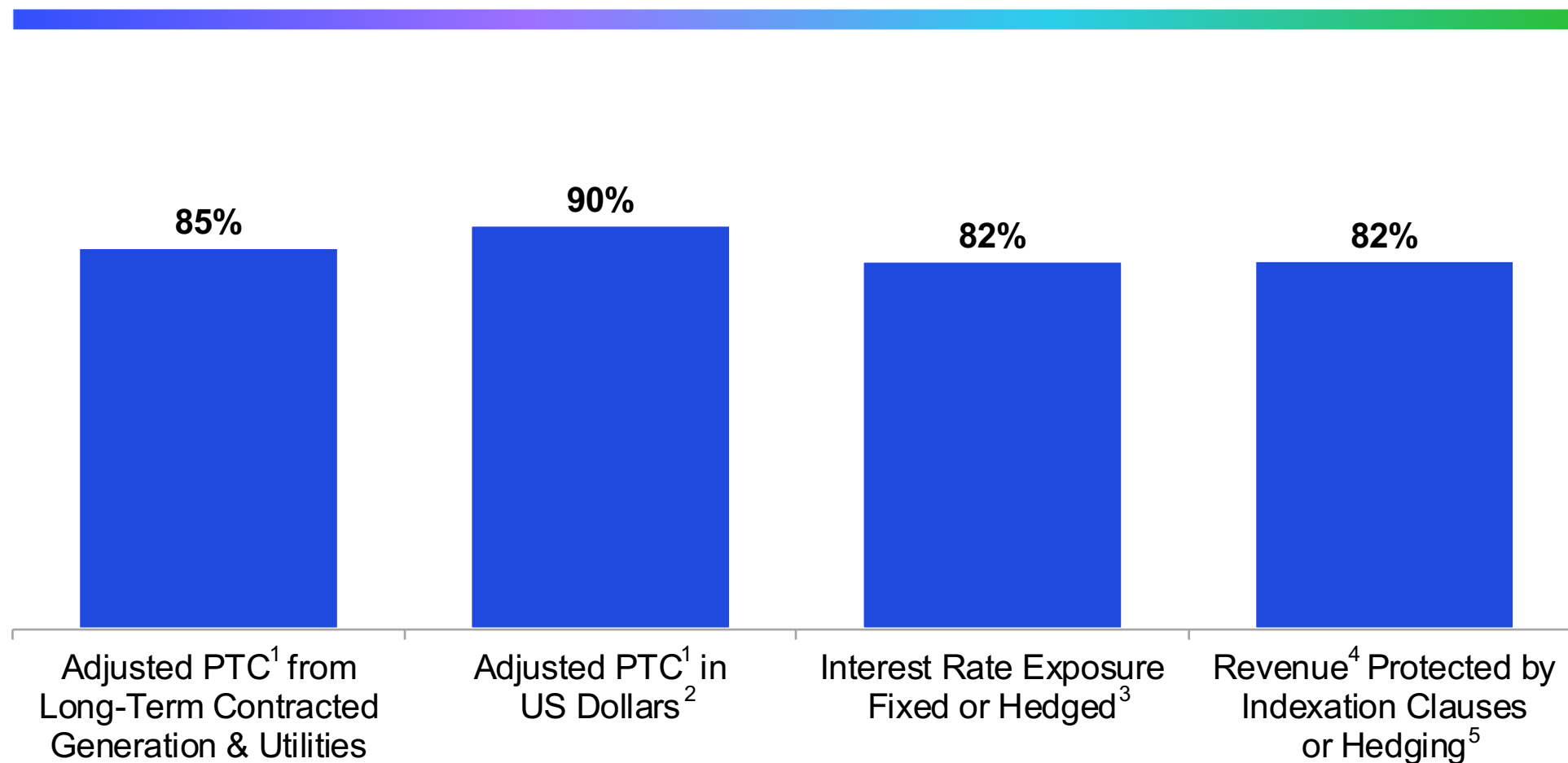
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Strategic and Financial Highlights

- Reaffirming 2022 guidance and 7% to 9% annualized growth target for Adjusted EPS¹ and Parent Free Cash Flow¹ through 2025, off a base year of 2020
 - Does not include the potential benefit from proposed US climate legislation
- Signed or awarded 531 MW of PPAs² for new renewable energy projects in Q2 2022, for a total of 1.6 GW in year-to-date 2022, increasing backlog to 10.5 GW
- Resumed importing US solar panels and formed the US Solar Buyer Consortium to incentivize manufacturing solar panels in the US
- Remain on track to complete 6.4 GW of renewable energy projects globally in 2022 and 2023
- Year-to-date, signed agreements that will redirect excess LNG from our business in Panama to international customers

1. A non-GAAP financial measure. See Appendix for definition and reconciliation to the nearest GAAP measure.
2. Power Purchase Agreement.

AES is Largely Insulated from Macroeconomic Volatility



1. A non-GAAP financial measure. See Appendix for definition.

2. Includes FX hedging.

3. Outstanding debt as of June 30, 2022. Does not include temporary drawings under revolvers of \$810 million at the Parent Company and \$120 million at US utilities. Remaining 18% is primarily in Brazil, where revenues are indexed to inflation, and at AES Clean Energy, where much of the interest related to construction is capitalized.

4. Revenue is based on 2022 expectations.

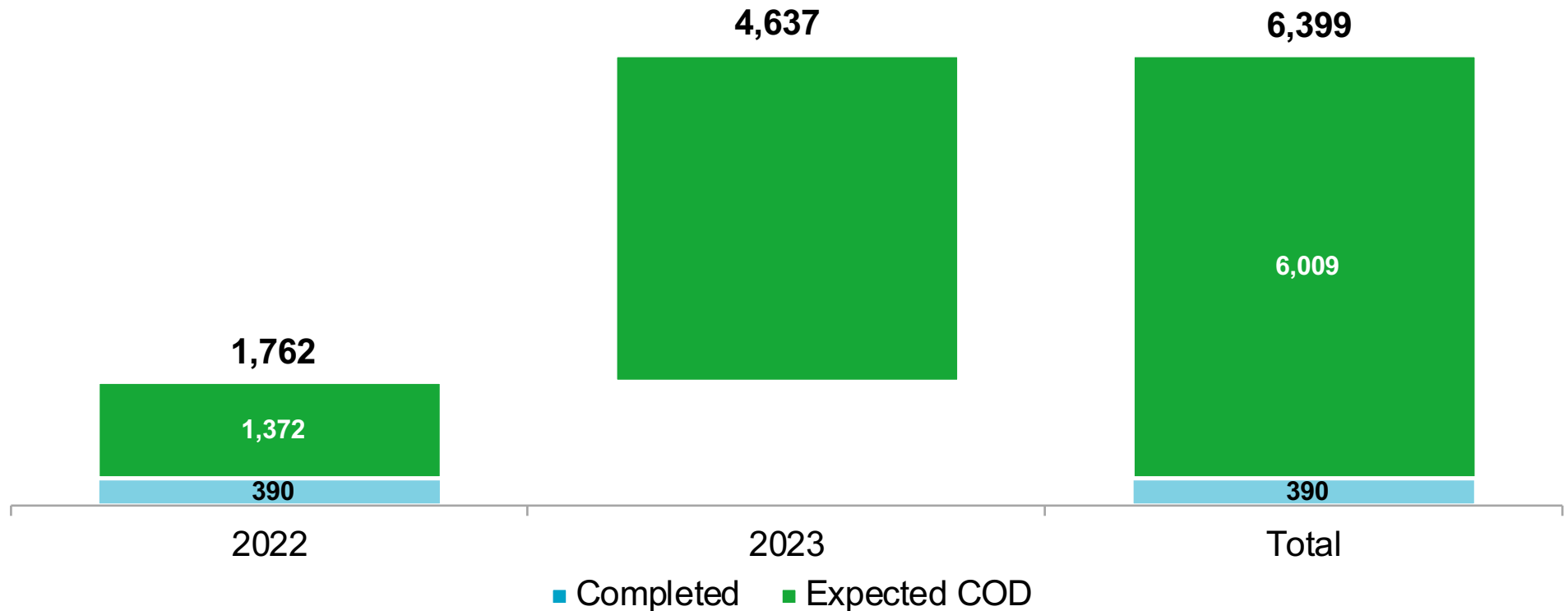
5. Remaining 18% includes renewables with no fuel costs and known cost structure.

Taking Proactive Steps to Create a More Robust Domestic Solar Supply Chain

- Ensured all solar panels required for our 2022 projects were in the US earlier this year
- Worked to quickly resume imports following the Biden administration's June Executive Order
- In June we launched the US Solar Buyer Consortium, along with three other solar developers
 - Will help drive significant expansion of domestic solar manufacturing
 - Collectively committed to purchase more than \$6 billion of solar panels made in the US starting from 2024

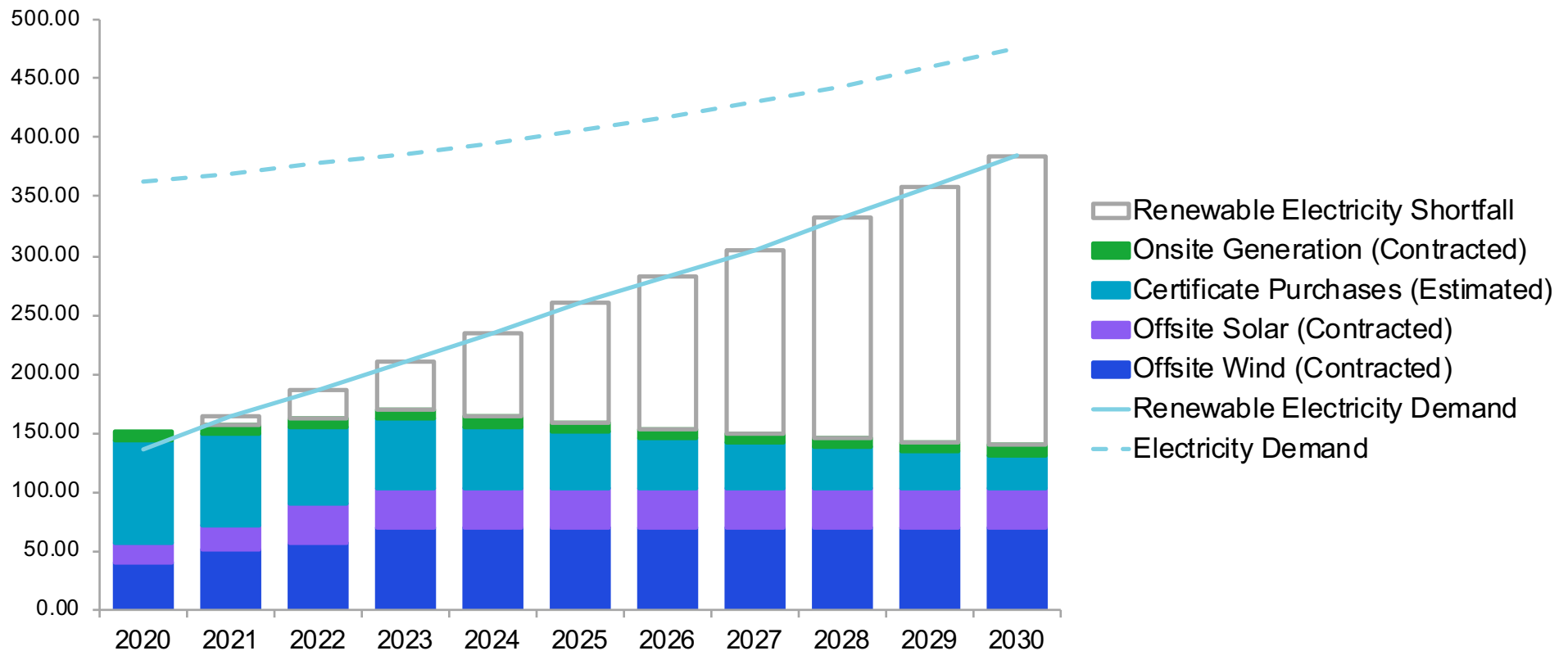


Expect to Complete an Additional 6.4 GW of Renewables Backlog in 2022-2023



Projected Renewables Demand from RE100 Members in the US Highlights Significant Market Opportunity

Generation in TWh

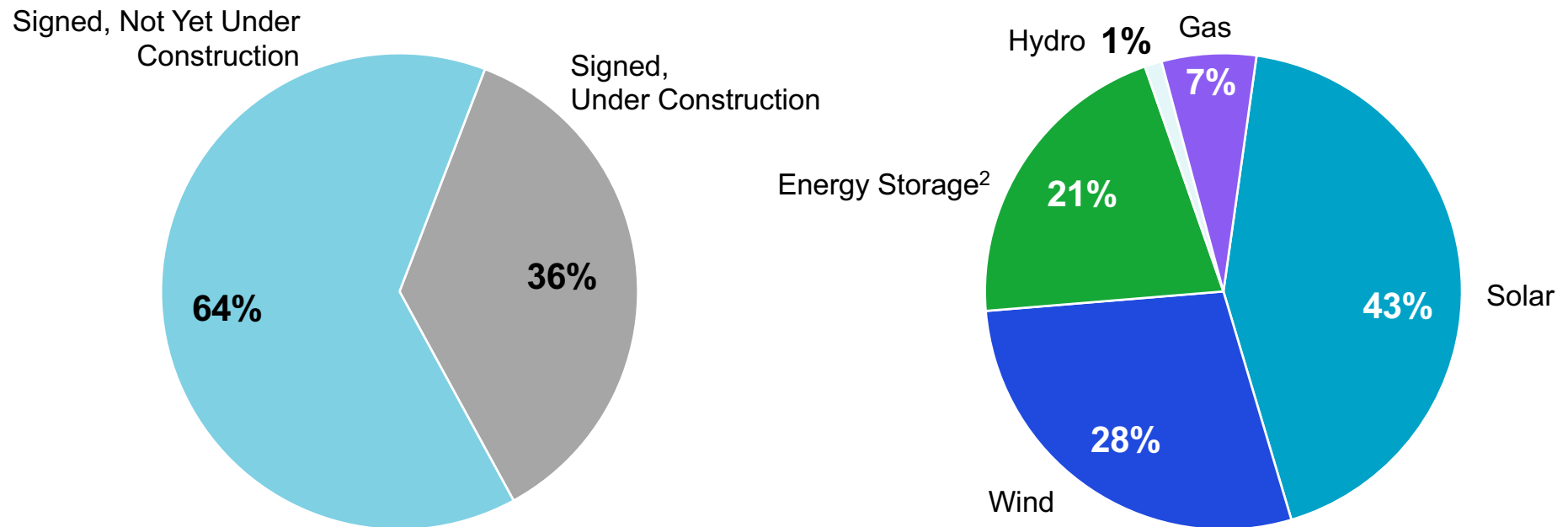


Source: Bloomberg New Energy Finance, Bloomberg Terminal, The Climate Group, company sustainability reports.

10.5 GW Backlog¹ a Key Source of Expected Future Growth

Capacity in MW

10.5 GW Backlog¹ Under Long-Term PPAs Expected Online Through 2025



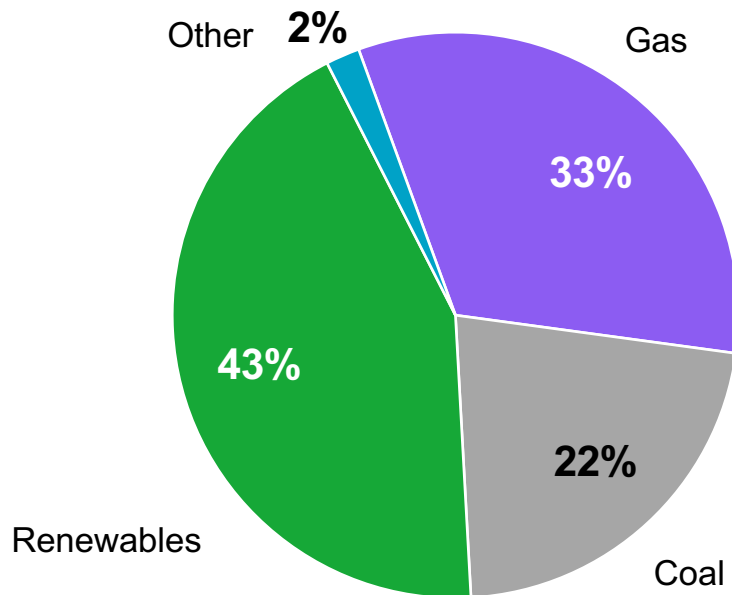
1. As of August 4, 2022. US & Utilities: 5,912 MW; South America: 3,076 MW; MCAC: 1,481 MW. Incorporates almost 5 GW signed in 2021, which includes more contracts signed with C&I customers than anyone else in the world according to Bloomberg New Energy Finance.

2. Includes Energy Storage component of Solar + Storage facilities.

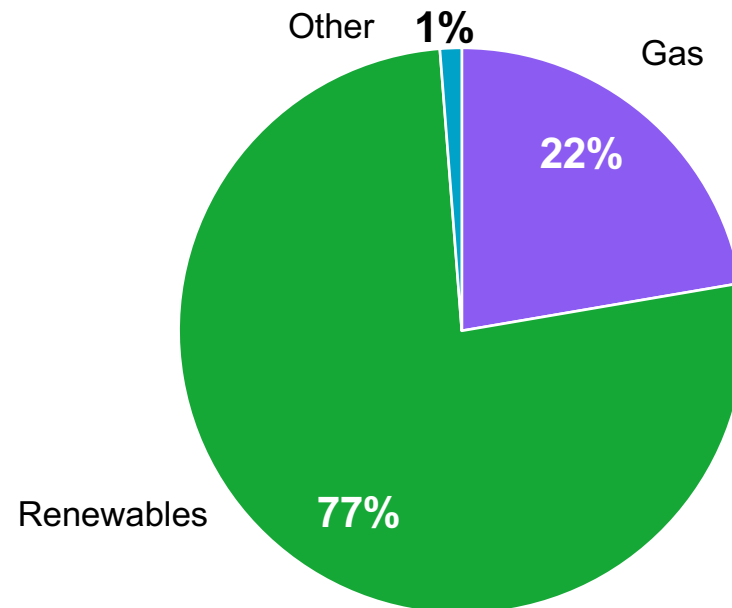
Combination of Growth in Renewables & Decarbonization Drives Expected Substantial Transformation by 2025

Capacity in GW

31.6 GW as of August 2022

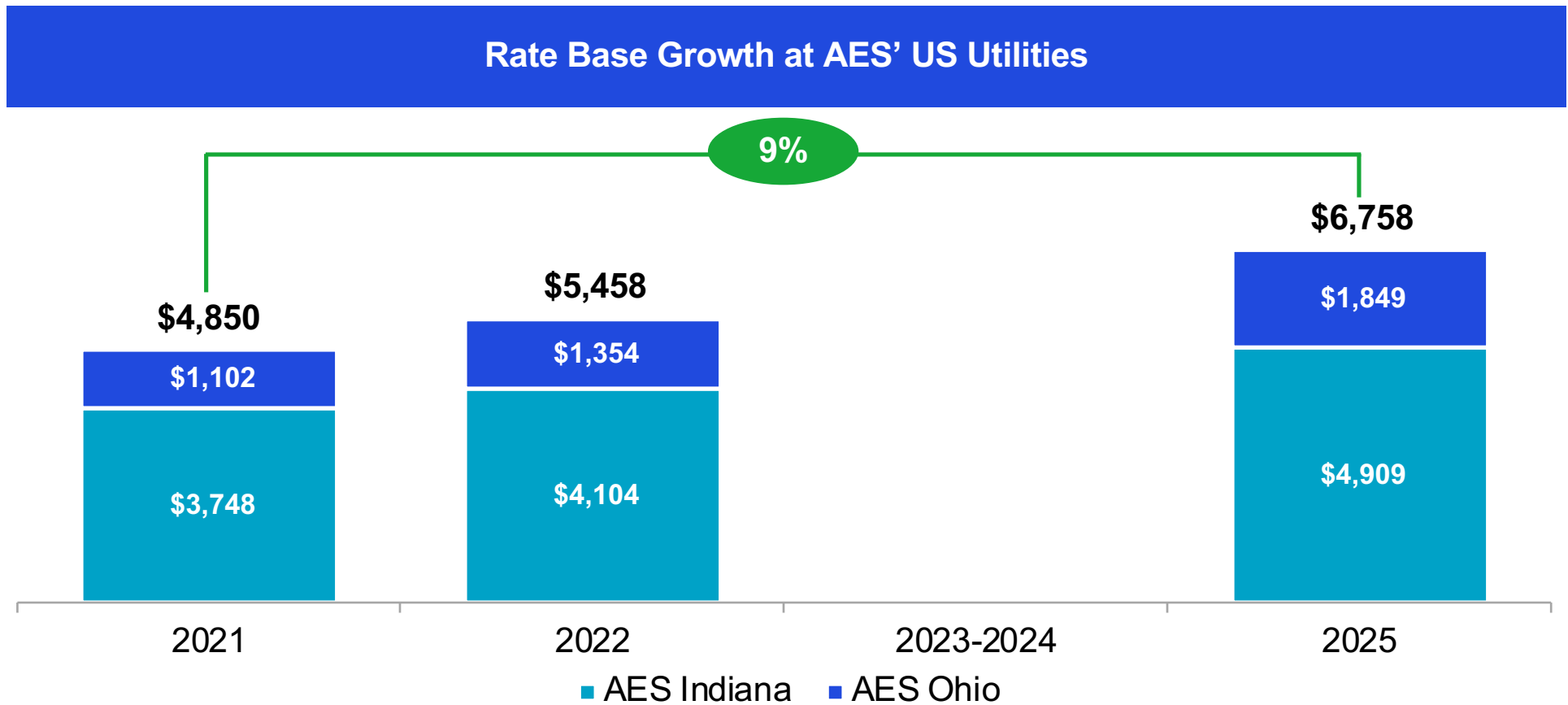


49.3 GW as of Year-End 2025



Expect Earnings at US Utilities to Increase in Line with 9% Annual Rate Base Growth

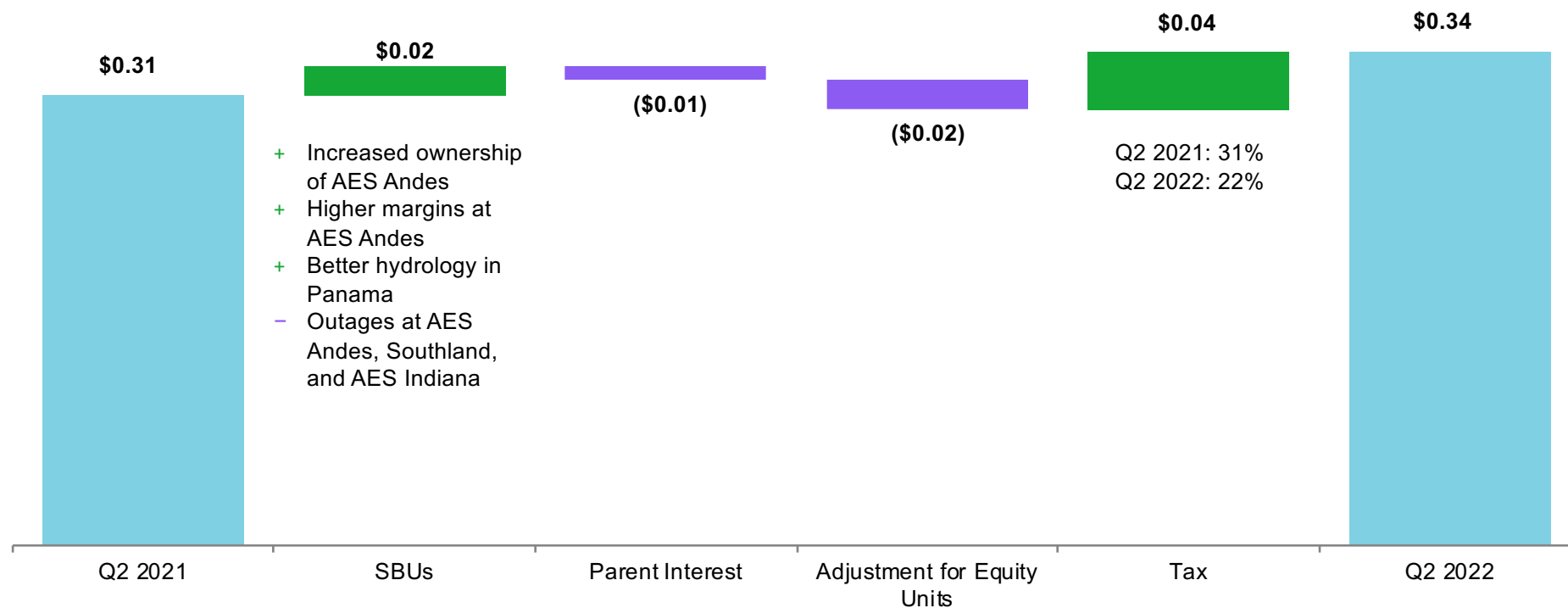
\$ in Millions



Q2 2022 Financial Review

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- Q2 2022 results
 - 2022 Parent capital allocation
 - 2022 guidance

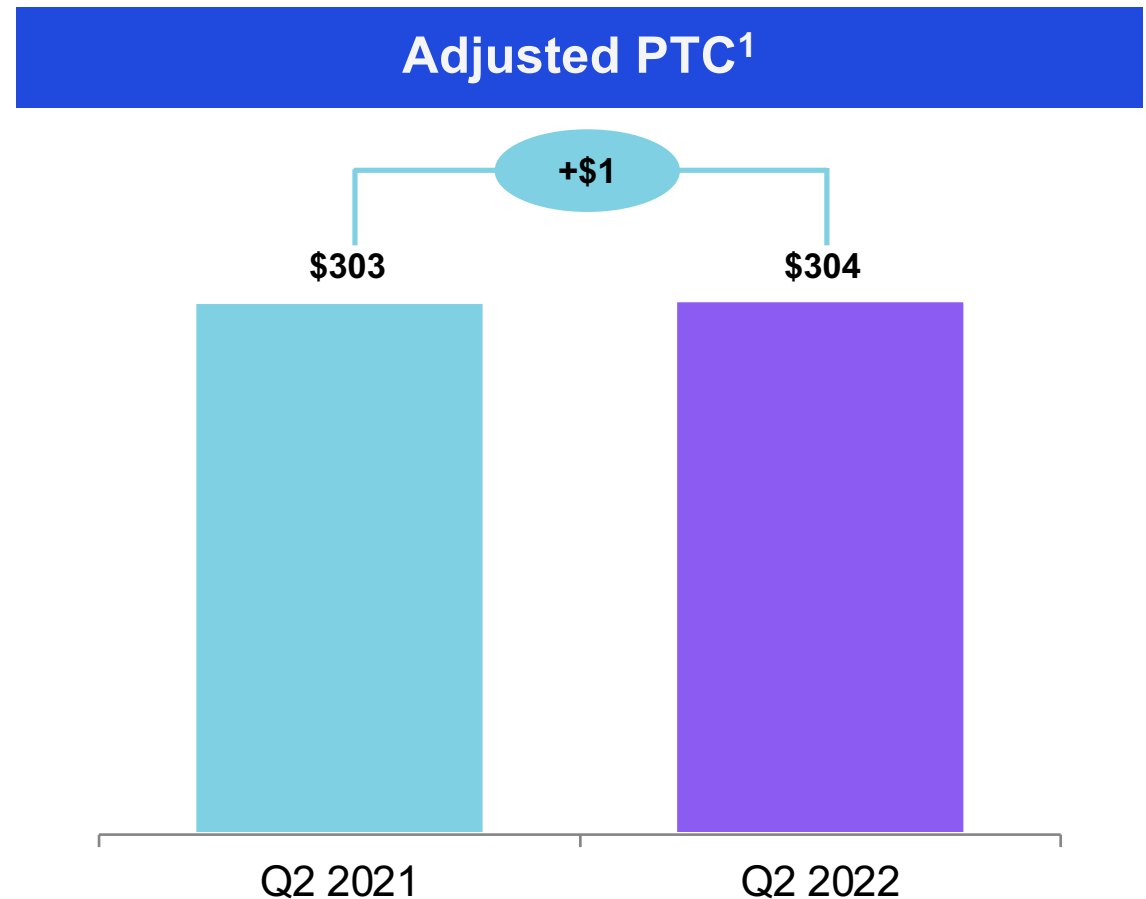
Q2 2022 Adjusted EPS¹ Increased \$0.03



Q2 2022 Financial Results

\$ in Millions

- Relatively flat Adjusted PTC¹ driven primarily by:
- Increased ownership of AES Andes;
 - Higher margins at AES Andes; and
 - Better hydrology in Panama
- Partially offset by:
- Outages at AES Andes, Southland, and AES Indiana
 - Higher Parent interest



Q2 Financial Results: US & Utilities SBU

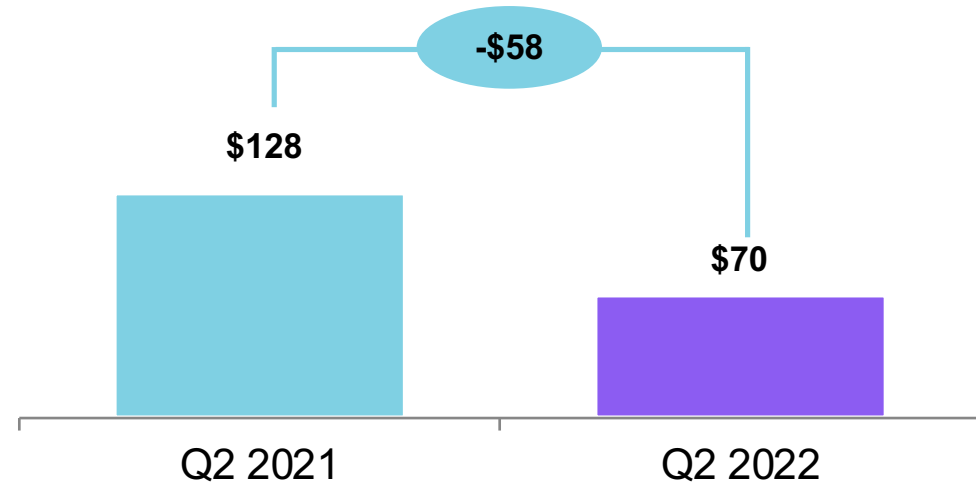
\$ in Millions

→ Lower Adjusted PTC¹

driven primarily by:

- Outages at Southland and AES Indiana; and
- Lower contributions from AES Clean Energy due to increased investments in renewables development

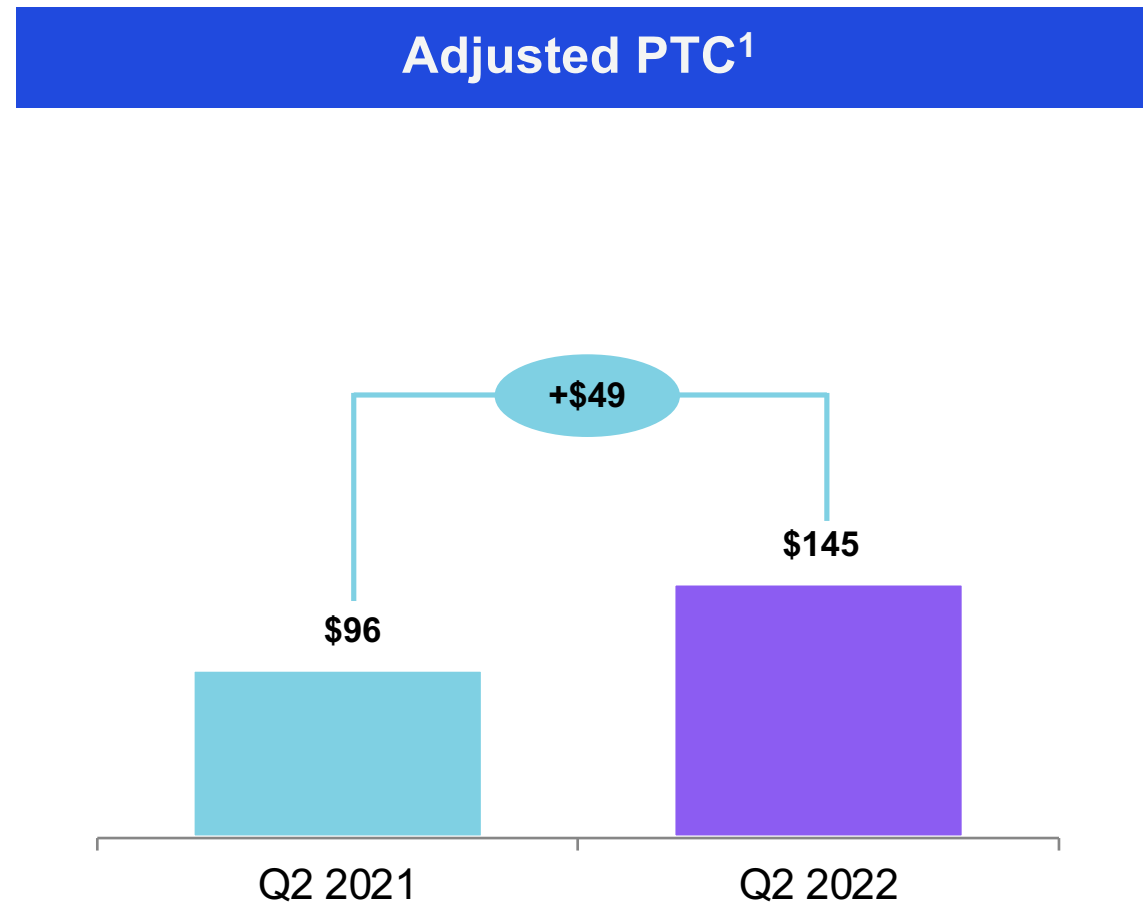
Adjusted PTC¹



Q2 Financial Results: South America SBU

\$ in Millions

- Higher Adjusted PTC¹ driven primarily by:
 - Increased ownership of AES Andes; and
 - Higher margins at AES Andes
- Partially offset by outages at AES Andes

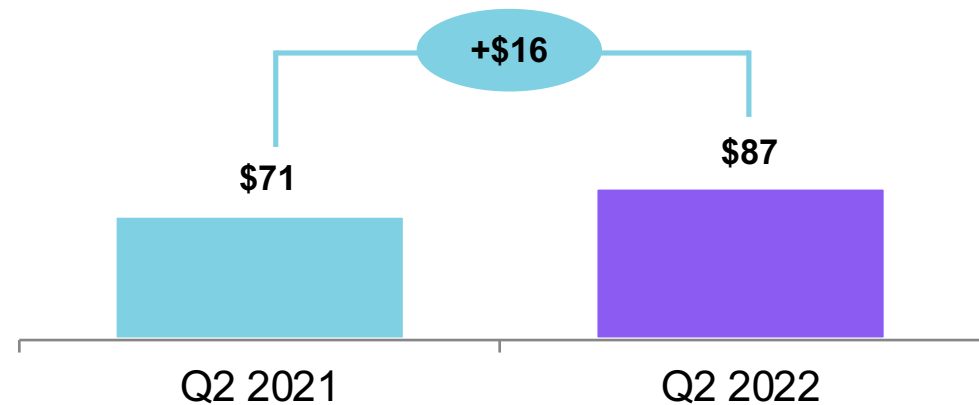


Q2 Financial Results: MCAC SBU

\$ in Millions

- Higher Adjusted PTC¹
driven primarily by favorable
market conditions caused by
better hydrology in Panama

Adjusted PTC¹

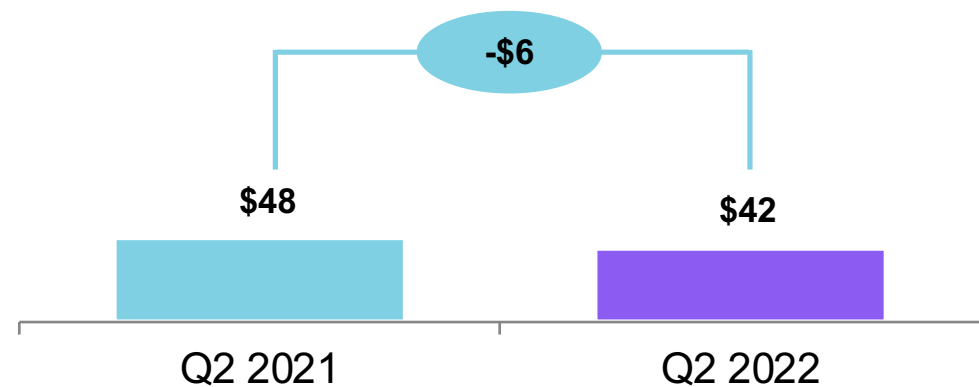


Q2 Financial Results: Eurasia SBU

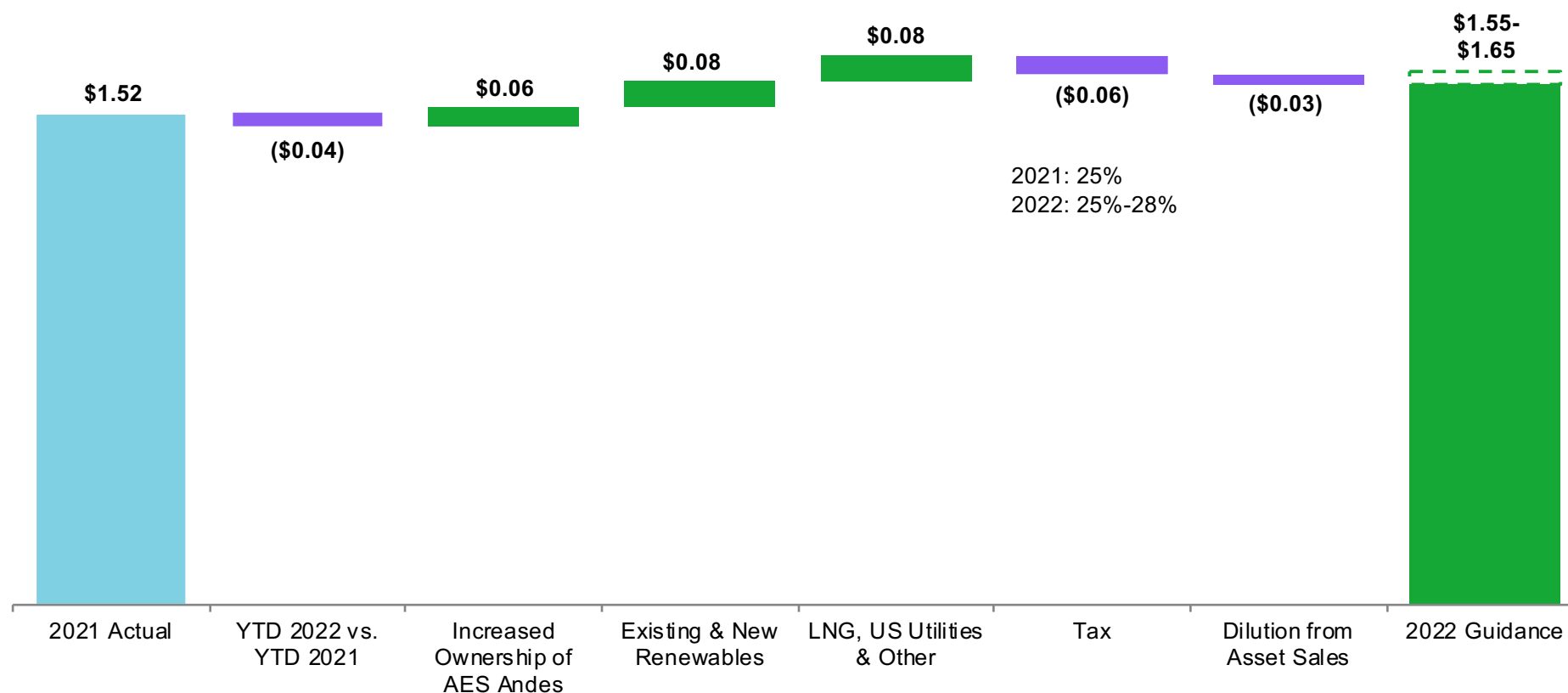
\$ in Millions

→ Lower Adjusted PTC¹
driven primarily by higher
interest expense

Adjusted PTC¹



Reaffirming 2022 Adjusted EPS¹ Guidance

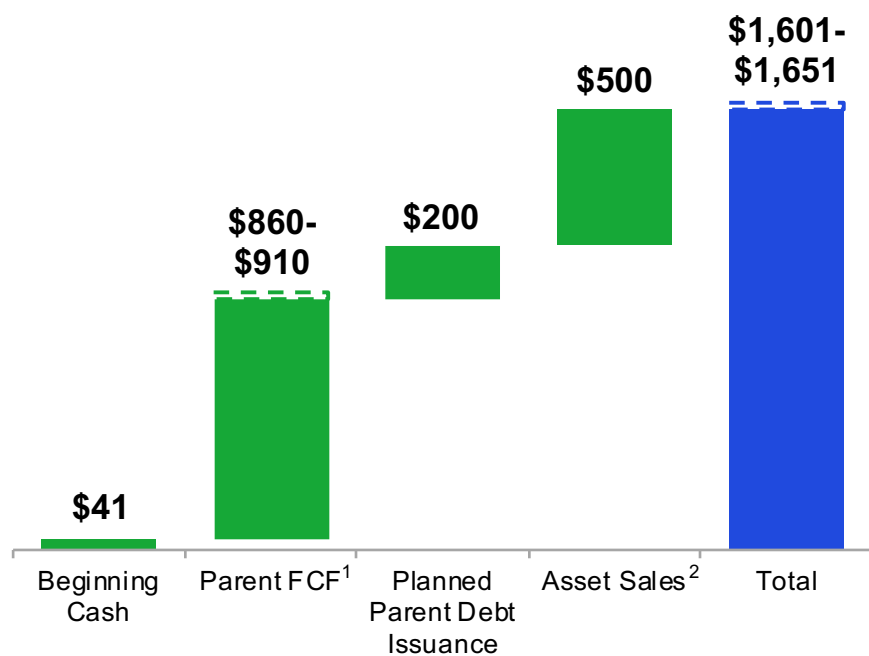


1. A non-GAAP financial measure. The Company is not able to provide a corresponding GAAP equivalent or reconciliation for its Adjusted EPS guidance without unreasonable effort. See Appendix for definition and a description of the adjustments to reconcile Adjusted EPS to diluted EPS for 2021.

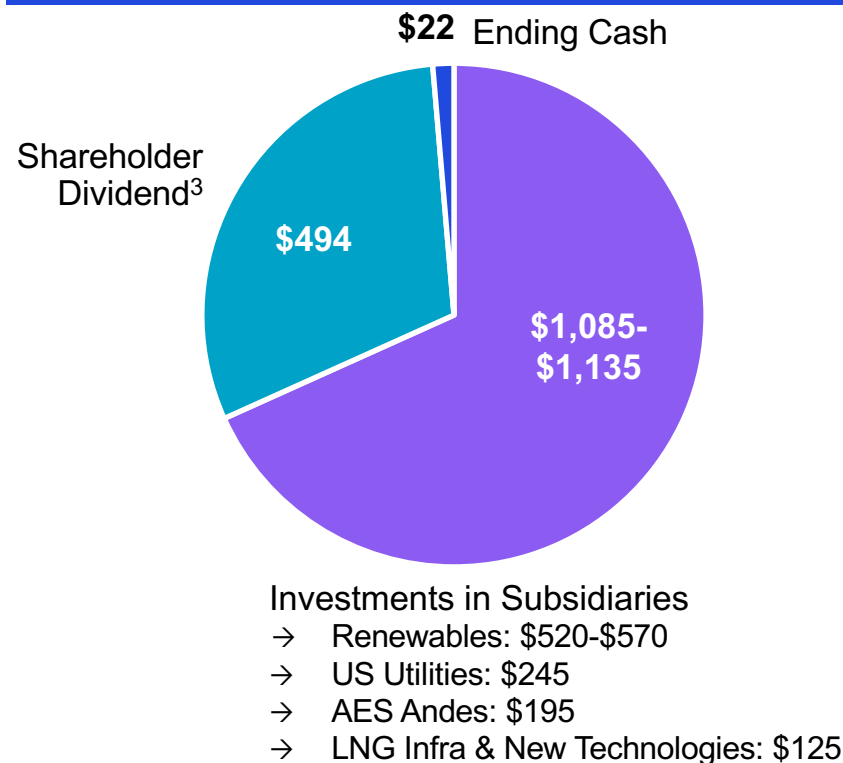
2022 Parent Capital Allocation Plan

\$ in Millions

Discretionary Cash – Sources (\$1,601-\$1,651)



Discretionary Cash – Uses (\$1,601-\$1,651)



1. A non-GAAP financial measure. See Appendix for definition.

2. Announced asset sales in Vietnam and Jordan, as well as unannounced asset sales

3. Includes 2022 payment of \$0.1580 per share each quarter on 667 million shares outstanding as of December 31, 2021, and 6.875% coupon on \$1 billion of equity units issued in March 2021.

Key Takeaways



- We are reaffirming our 2022 guidance and annualized growth rate through 2025
- Our portfolio is resilient to macroeconomic volatility
- Year-to-date, we have signed or been awarded 1.6 GW of new renewables PPAs, and we're targeting 4.5 to 5.5 GW for full year 2022
- To further de-risk solar panel supply chain, we have led a consortium to buy up to 7 GW of US-made solar panels annually starting in 2024
- We see significant upside to our growth should the proposed Inflation Reduction Act legislation be passed, including green hydrogen in the US

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Parent Sources and Uses of Liquidity

\$ in Millions	Q2		YTD	
	2022	2021	2022	2021
Sources				
Total Subsidiary Distributions ¹	\$311	\$164	\$476	\$411
Proceeds from Asset Sales, Net	-	\$65	-	\$65
Financing Proceeds, Net	-	-	-	\$1,017
Increased/(Decreased) Credit Facility Commitments	-	-	-	-
Issuance of Common Stock, Net	-	-	-	-
Total Returns of Capital Distributions & Project Financing Proceeds	-	-	\$487	-
Beginning Parent Company Liquidity ²	\$638	\$1,480	\$878	\$924
Total Sources	\$949	\$1,709	\$1,841	\$2,417
Uses				
Repayments of Debt	-	-	-	-
Shareholder Dividend	(\$123)	(\$113)	(\$247)	(\$213)
Investments in Subsidiaries, Net	(\$304)	(\$243)	(\$949)	(\$689)
Cash for Development, Selling, General & Administrative and Taxes	(\$66)	(\$56)	(\$167)	(\$169)
Cash Payments for Interest	(\$7)	(\$2)	(\$59)	(\$40)
Changes in Letters of Credit and Other, Net	(\$6)	\$19	\$24	\$8
Ending Parent Company Liquidity ²	(\$443)	(\$1,314)	(\$443)	(\$1,314)
Total Uses	(\$949)	(\$1,709)	(\$1,841)	(\$2,417)

1. See "definitions".

2. A non-GAAP financial measure. See "definitions".

Q2 & YTD 2022 Subsidiary Distributions¹

\$ in Millions

Subsidiary Distributions ¹ by SBU		
	Q2 2022	YTD
US & Utilities	\$142	\$262
South America	\$132	\$139
MCAC	\$3	\$27
Eurasia	\$22	\$36
Corporate & Other ²	\$12	\$12
Total	\$311	\$476

Top Ten Subsidiary Distributions ¹ by Business							
Q2 2022				YTD			
Business	Amount	Business	Amount	Business	Amount	Business	Amount
AES Andes (South America)	\$129	Global Insurance (Corp & Other)	\$10	AES Andes (South America)	\$130	Maritza East (Eurasia)	\$25
AES Clean Energy (US & Utilities)	\$68	Mong Duong (Eurasia)	\$9	AES Clean Energy (US & Utilities)	\$83	Los Mina (MCAC)	\$24
IPALCO (US & Utilities)	\$45	AES Brasil (South America)	\$3	Southland (US & Utilities)	\$79	Global Insurance (Corp & Other)	\$10
US Holdco (US & Utilities)	\$27	AES Panama (MCAC)	\$3	IPALCO (US & Utilities)	\$70	Mong Duong (Eurasia)	\$10
Maritza East (Eurasia)	\$11	Southland (US & Utilities)	\$2	US Holdco (US & Utilities)	\$27	AES Brasil (South America)	\$9

1. See "definitions".

2. Corporate & Other includes Global Insurance.

Reconciliation of Subsidiary Distributions¹ and Parent Company Liquidity¹

\$ in Millions

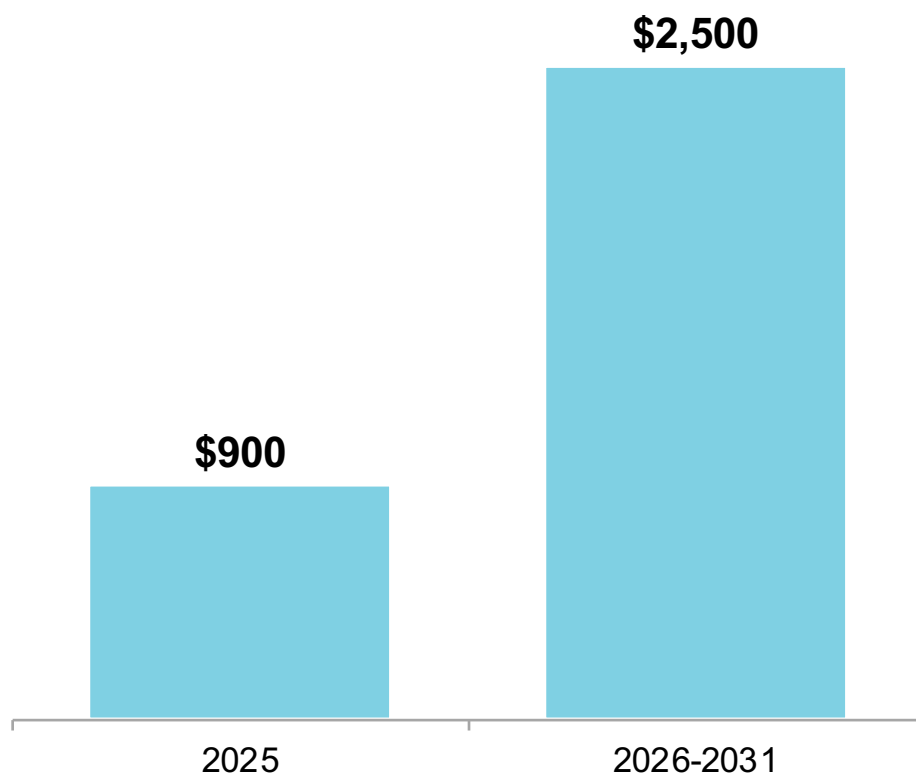
	Quarter Ended			
	June 30, 2022	March 31, 2022	December 31, 2021	September 30, 2021
Total Subsidiary Distributions ¹ to Parent & QHCs ²	\$311	\$165	\$477	\$278
Total Return of Capital Distributions to Parent & QHCs ²	-	-	\$1	-
Total Subsidiary Distributions ¹ & Returns of Capital to Parent	\$311	\$165	\$478	\$278

	Balance as of			
	June 30, 2022	March 31, 2022	December 31, 2021	September 30, 2021
Cash at Parent & QHCs ²	\$29	\$17	\$41	\$338
Availability Under Credit Facilities	\$414	\$621	\$837	\$1,175
Ending Liquidity	\$443	\$638	\$878	\$1,513

1. A non-GAAP financial measure. See "definitions".
2. Qualified Holding Company. See "assumptions".

All Recourse Debt¹ Maturities in 2025 and Beyond

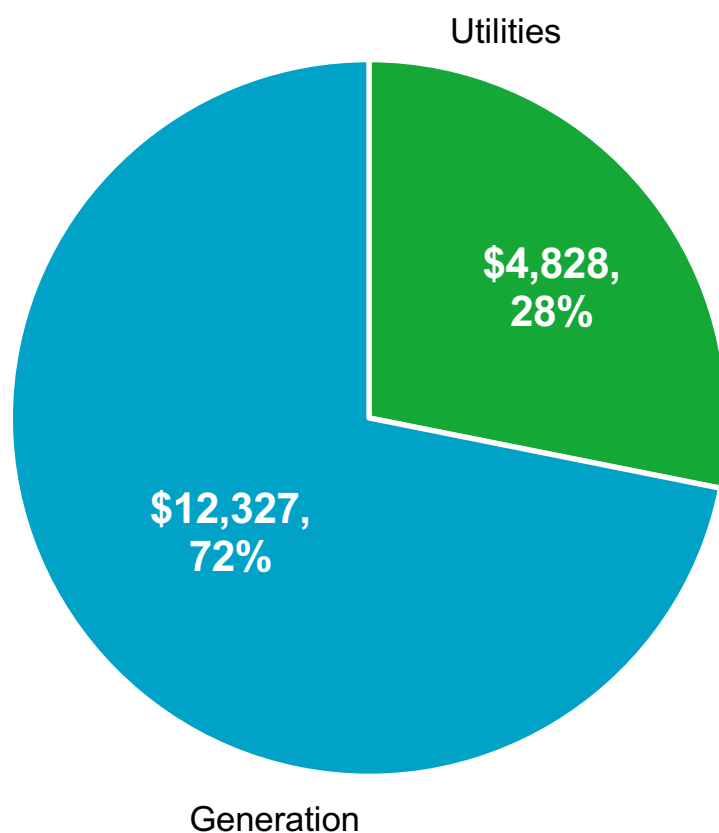
\$ in Millions, as of June 30, 2022



Recourse Debt	
Weighted Average All-in Cost	2.73%
Weighted Average Maturity	6.0 years
Percentage Fixed or Hedged	100%
Percentage in Functional Currency	100%

\$17.2 Billion of Non-Recourse Debt¹

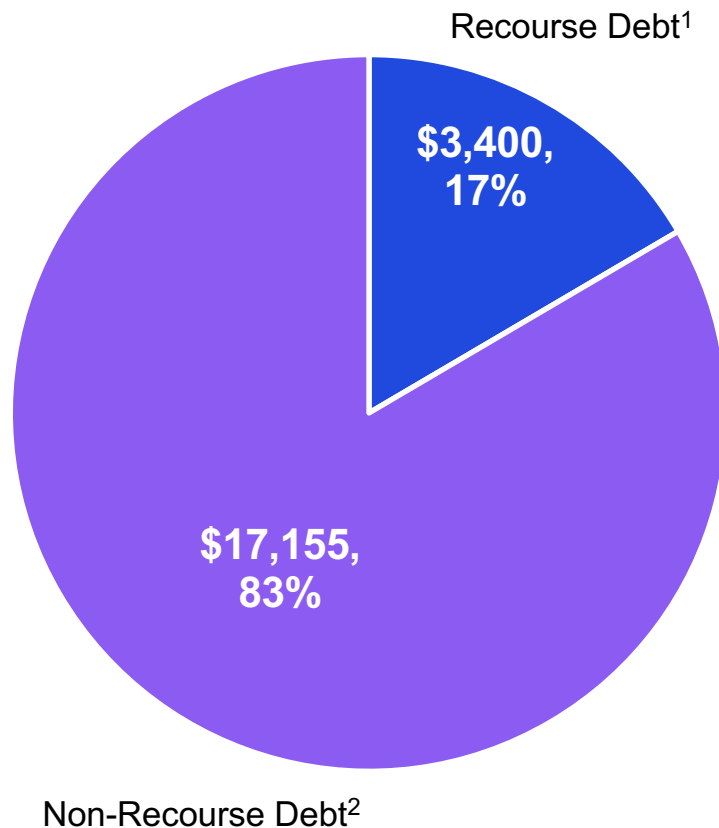
\$ in Millions, as of June 30, 2022



Non-Recourse Debt	
Weighted Average All-in Cost	4.79%
Weighted Average Maturity	10.2 years
Percentage Fixed or Hedged	~79%
Percentage in Functional Currency	~100%

Vast Majority of Interest Rate Exposure is Hedged Through Swaps or Contractual Arrangements

\$ in Millions, as of June 30, 2022



	Recourse Debt	Non-Recourse Debt
Weighted Average All-in Cost	2.73%	4.79%
Weighted Average Maturity	6.0 years	10.2 years
Percentage Fixed or Hedged	100%	~79%
Percentage in Functional Currency	100%	~100%

1. Does not include temporary drawings under revolvers of \$810 million at Parent Company.
2. Does not include temporary drawings under revolvers of \$120 million at US Utilities.

Q2 & YTD Adjusted EPS¹ Roll-Up

\$ in Millions, Except Per Share Amounts

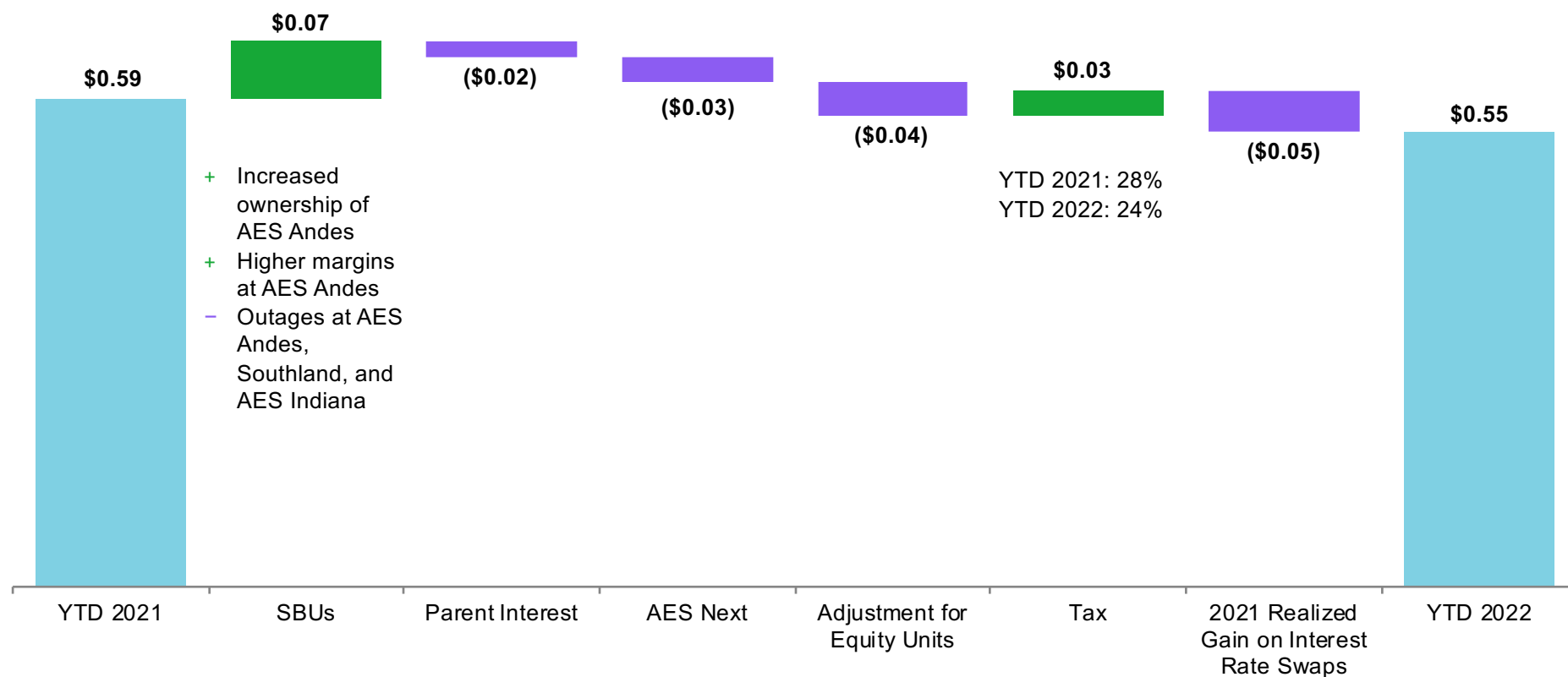
	Q2 2022	Q2 2021	Variance	YTD 2022	YTD 2021	Variance
Adjusted PTC ¹						
US & Utilities	\$70	\$128	(\$58)	\$127	\$172	(\$45)
South America	\$145	\$96	\$49	\$273	\$184	\$89
MCAC	\$87	\$71	\$16	\$124	\$132	(\$8)
Eurasia	\$42	\$48	(\$6)	\$107	\$99	\$8
Total SBUs	\$344	\$343	\$1	\$631	\$587	\$44
Corp/Other ²	(\$40)	(\$40)	-	(\$120)	(\$37)	(\$83)
Total AES Adjusted PTC ^{1,3}	\$304	\$303	\$1	\$511	\$550	(\$39)
Adjusted Effective Tax Rate	22%	31%		24%	28%	
Diluted Share Count	711	671		711	671	
Adjusted EPS ¹	\$0.34	\$0.31		\$0.55	\$0.59	

1. A non-GAAP financial measure. See Slides 49-50 for reconciliation to the nearest GAAP measure and "definitions".

2. Includes \$28 million and \$26 million of losses from AES Next for the three months ended June 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively, and \$66 million and \$36 million of losses for the six months ended June 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

3. Includes \$15 million of adjusted after-tax equity in earnings for three months ended June 30, 2022 and 2021, and \$9 million and \$14 million of adjusted after-tax equity in losses for the six months ended June 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

YTD 2022 Adjusted EPS¹ Decreased \$0.04



YTD 2022 Financial Results

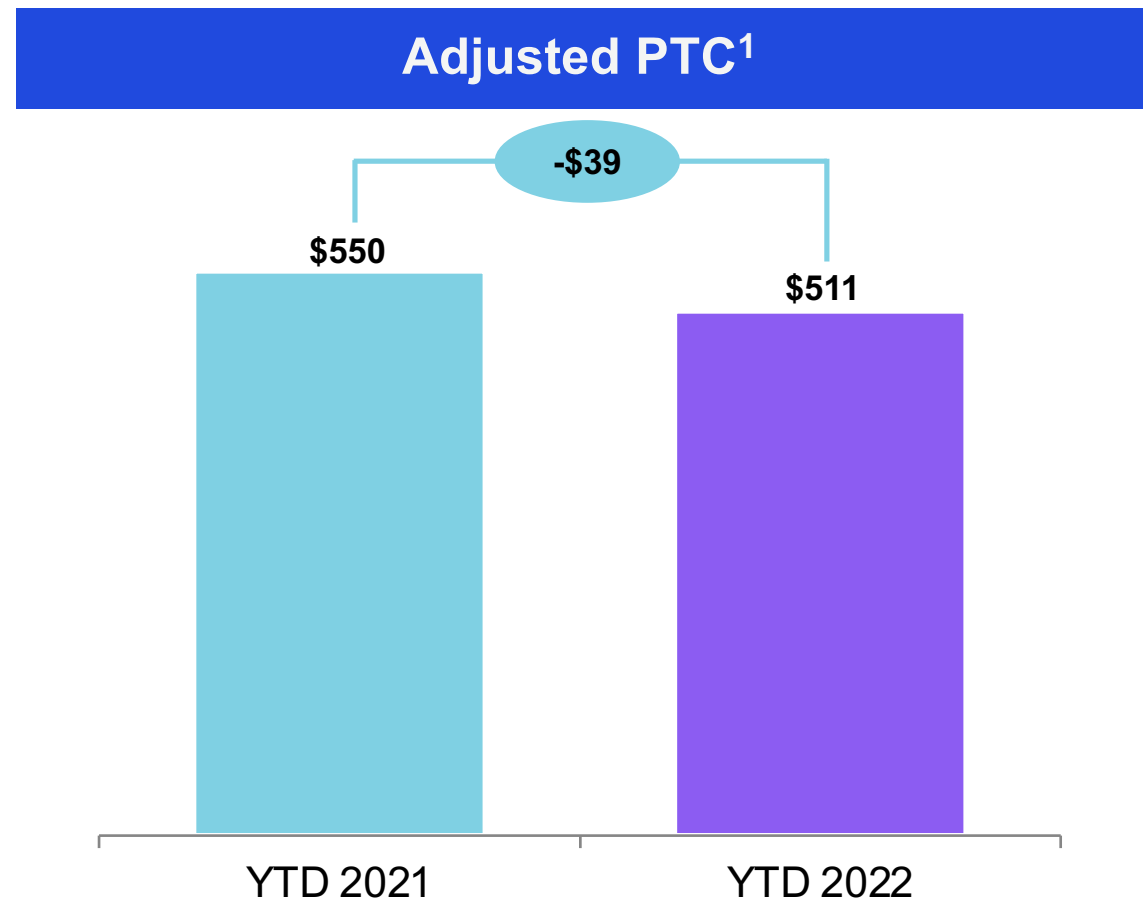
\$ in Millions

→ Lower Adjusted PTC¹
driven primarily by:

- Prior year realized gain on interest rate swaps;
- Outages at AES Andes, Southland, and AES Indiana;
- Higher losses at AES Next; and
- Higher parent interest

→ Partially offset by:

- Increased ownership of AES Andes; and
- Higher margins at AES Andes

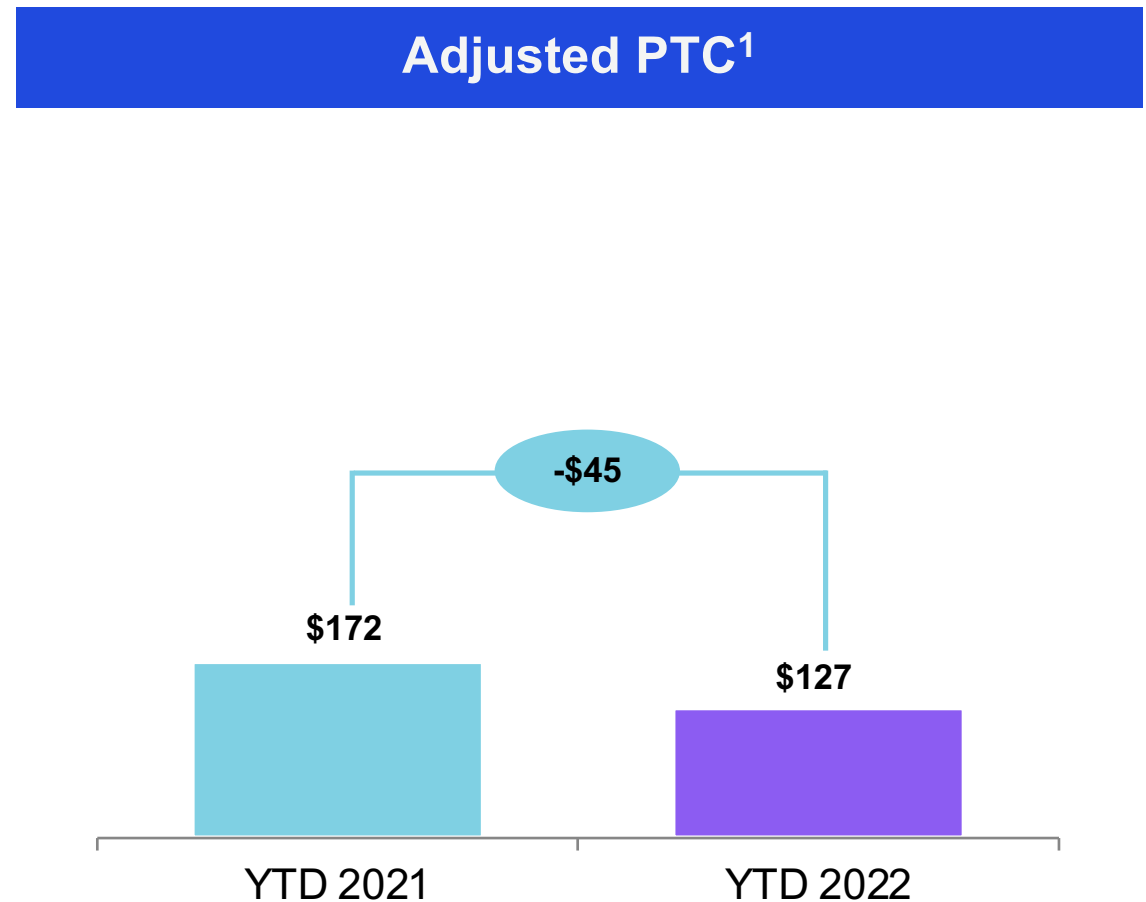


YTD Financial Results: US & Utilities SBU

\$ in Millions

→ Lower Adjusted PTC¹
driven primarily by:

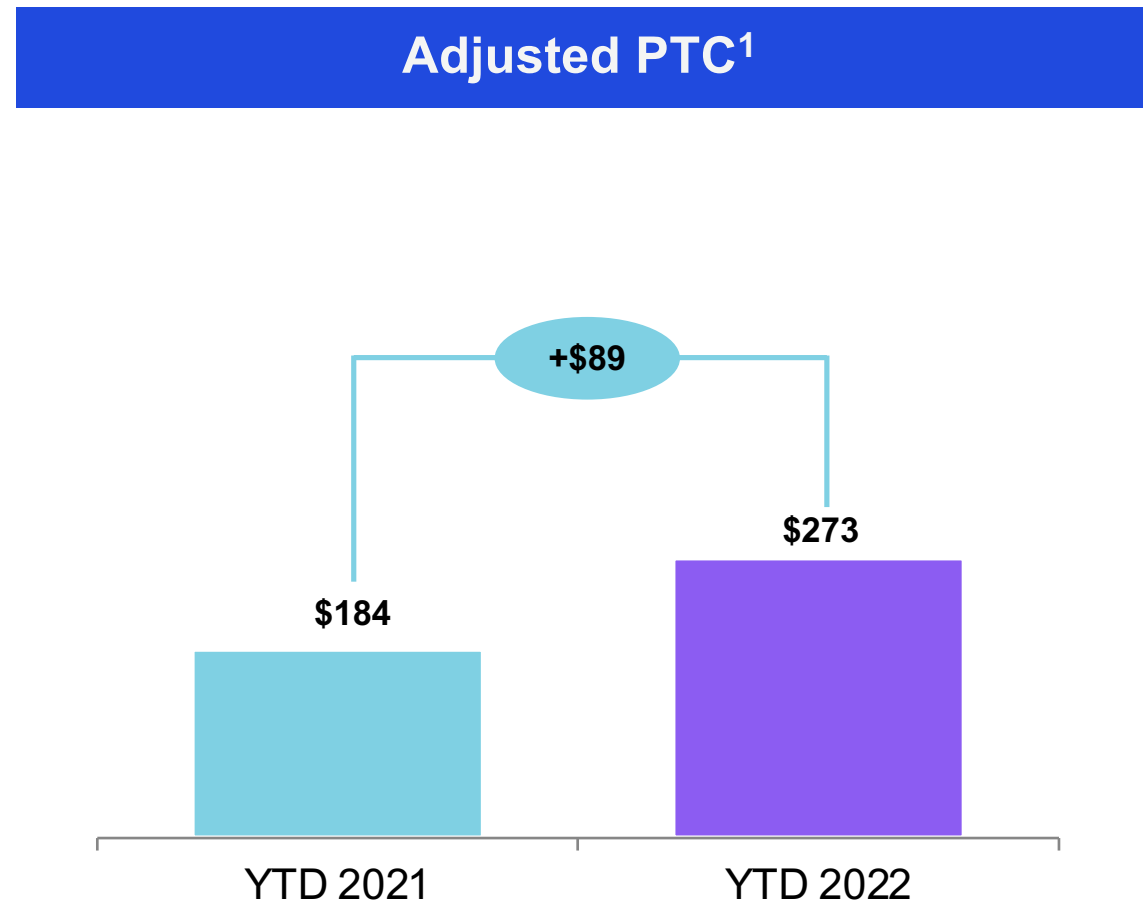
- Outages at Southland and AES Indiana; and
- Lower contributions from AES Clean Energy due to increased investments in renewables development



YTD Financial Results: South America SBU

\$ in Millions

- Higher Adjusted PTC¹ driven primarily by:
 - Increased ownership of AES Andes; and
 - Higher margins at AES Andes
- Partially offset by outages at AES Andes

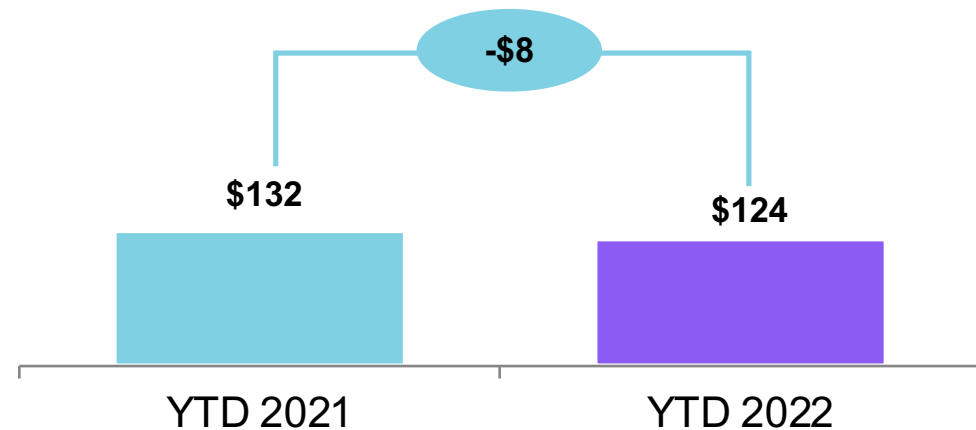


YTD Financial Results: MCAC SBU

\$ in Millions

→ Lower Adjusted PTC¹
driven primarily by the sale of
the Itabo coal plant in the
Dominican Republic in 2021

Adjusted PTC¹

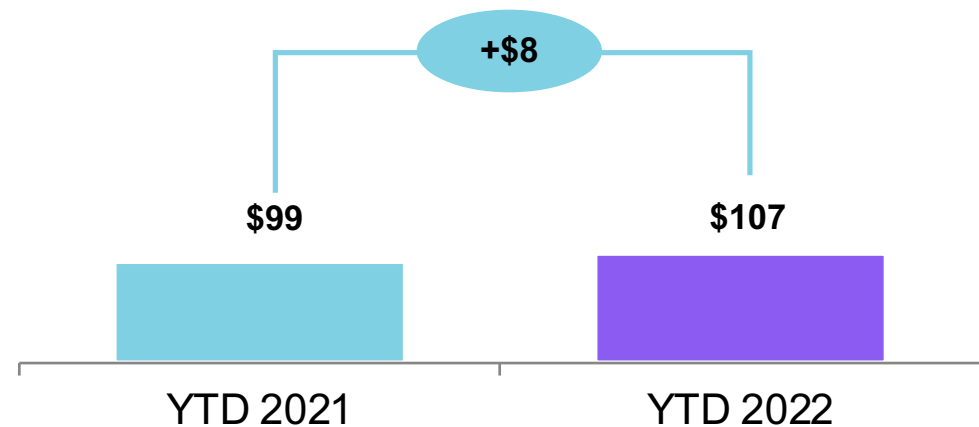


YTD Financial Results: Eurasia SBU

\$ in Millions

→ Higher Adjusted PTC¹
driven primarily by higher
power prices at Bulgaria wind

Adjusted PTC¹



Q2 Adjusted PTC¹: Reconciliation to Public Financials of Listed Subsidiaries & Public Filers

AES SBU/Reporting Country	US & Utilities/US				South America/Chile		South America/Brazil	
AES Company	IPL		DPL		AES Andes ²		AES Brasil ²	
\$ in Millions	Q2 2022	Q2 2021	Q2 2022	Q2 2021	Q2 2022	Q2 2021	Q2 2022	Q2 2021
US GAAP Reconciliation								
AES Business Unit Adjusted Earnings ^{1,3}	(\$1)	\$12	\$1	(\$1)	\$90	\$31	(\$3)	\$1
Adjusted PTC ^{1,3} Public Filer (Stand-alone)	(\$1)	\$15	-	-	\$128	\$73	(\$3)	-
Impact of AES Differences from Public Filings	-	-	-	-	\$1	\$4	-	-
AES Business Unit Adjusted PTC ¹	(\$1)	\$15	-	-	\$129	\$77	(\$3)	-
Unrealized Derivatives and Equity Security Gains (Losses)	-	-	-	\$1	\$9	\$4	\$6	(\$15)
Unrealized Foreign Currency Gains (Losses)	-	-	-	-	(\$15)	(\$3)	(\$12)	\$11
Impairment Expense	-	-	-	-	-	(\$540)	-	-
Disposition/Acquisition Gains (Losses)	\$1	-	-	-	-	-	-	(\$1)
Losses on Extinguishment of Debt	-	-	-	-	(\$2)	(\$1)	-	-
Net gains from early contract terminations at Angamos	-	-	-	-	-	\$110	-	-
Non-Controlling Interest before Tax	\$2	\$7	-	-	\$11	(\$166)	(\$9)	-
Income Tax Expenses	-	(\$5)	\$1	(\$1)	(\$39)	\$139	\$4	\$3
US GAAP Income from Continuing Operations ⁴	\$2	\$17	\$1	-	\$93	(\$380)	(\$14)	(\$2)
Adjustment to Depreciation & Amortization ⁵					(\$10)	(\$10)	(\$2)	(\$2)
Adjustment to Taxes					\$3	\$22	(\$3)	(\$1)
Other Adjustments					(\$8)	(\$69)	\$17	\$9
IFRS Net Income					\$78	(\$437)	(\$2)	\$4
BRL-USD Implied Exchange Rate							4.8462	5.3904

This table provides financial data of those operating subsidiaries of AES that are publicly listed or have publicly filed financial information on a stand-alone basis. The table provides a reconciliation of the subsidiary's adjusted PTC as it is included in AES consolidated adjusted PTC with the subsidiary's income/(loss) from continuing operations under US GAAP and the subsidiary's locally IFRS reported net income, if applicable. Readers should consult the subsidiary's publicly filed reports for further details of such subsidiary's results of operations.

1. A non-GAAP financial measure. Reconciliation provided above. See "definitions" for descriptions of adjustments.
2. The listed subsidiary is a public filer in its home country and reports its financial results locally under IFRS. Accordingly certain adjustments presented under IFRS Reconciliation are required to account for differences between US GAAP and local IFRS standards.
3. Total Adjusted PTC, US GAAP Income from continuing operations and intervening adjustments are calculated before the elimination of inter-segment transactions such as revenue and expenses related to the transfer of electricity from AES generation plants to AES utilities.
4. Represents the income/(loss) from continuing operations of the subsidiary included in the consolidated operating results of AES under US GAAP.
5. Adjustment to depreciation and amortization expense represents additional expense required due primarily to basis differences of long-lived and intangible assets under IFRS for each reporting period.

Q2 2022 Modeling Disclosures

\$ in Millions

	Adjusted PTC ¹	Interest Expense			Interest Income			Depreciation & Amortization		
		Consolidated	Attributable to NCI	Ownership-Adjusted	Consolidated	Attributable to NCI	Ownership-Adjusted	Consolidated	Attributable to NCI	Ownership-Adjusted
US & Utilities	\$70	\$76	(\$15)	\$61	\$15	(\$5)	\$10	\$141	(\$28)	\$113
DPL	-	\$17	-	\$17	-	-	-	\$67	(\$20)	\$47
IPL	(\$1)	\$32	(\$9)	\$23	-	-	-	\$3	(\$1)	\$2
South America	\$145	\$96	(\$32)	\$64	\$41	(\$10)	\$31	\$63	(\$20)	\$43
AES Andes	\$129	\$37	(\$5)	\$32	\$7	-	\$7	\$34	(\$7)	\$27
AES Brasil	(\$3)	\$47	(\$25)	\$22	\$17	(\$9)	\$8	\$22	(\$13)	\$9
MCAC	\$87	\$37	(\$3)	\$34	\$1	-	\$1	\$39	(\$6)	\$33
Eurasia	\$42	\$26	(\$7)	\$19	\$38	(\$19)	\$19	\$17	(\$1)	\$16
Subtotal	\$344	\$235	(\$57)	\$178	\$95	(\$34)	\$61	\$260	(\$55)	\$205
Corp/Other	(\$40)	\$44	-	\$44	-	-	-	\$4	-	\$4
Total	\$304	\$279	(\$57)	\$222	\$95	(\$34)	\$61	\$264	(\$55)	\$209

Q2 2022 Modeling Disclosures

\$ in Millions

	Total Debt			Cash & Cash Equivalents, Restricted Cash, Short-Term Investments, Debt Service Reserves & Other Deposits		
	Consolidated	Attributable to NCI	Ownership-Adjusted	Consolidated	Attributable to NCI	Ownership-Adjusted
US & Utilities	\$8,964	(\$1,820)	\$7,144	\$610	(\$68)	\$542
DPL	\$1,585	-	\$1,585	\$60	-	\$60
IPL	\$2,940	(\$882)	\$2,058	\$15	(\$4)	\$11
South America	\$4,198	(\$1,122)	\$3,076	\$930	(\$411)	\$519
AES Andes	\$2,697	(\$334)	\$2,363	\$187	(\$18)	\$169
AES Brasil	\$1,475	(\$788)	\$687	\$696	(\$383)	\$313
MCAC	\$2,780	(\$116)	\$2,664	\$193	(\$17)	\$176
Eurasia	\$806	(\$36)	\$770	\$271	(\$25)	\$246
Subtotal	\$16,748	(\$3,094)	\$13,654	\$2,004	(\$521)	\$1,483
Corp/Other	\$4,628	-	\$4,628	\$242	-	\$242
Total	\$21,376	(\$3,094)	\$18,282	\$2,246	(\$521)	\$1,725

2022 Adjusted PTC Modeling Ranges

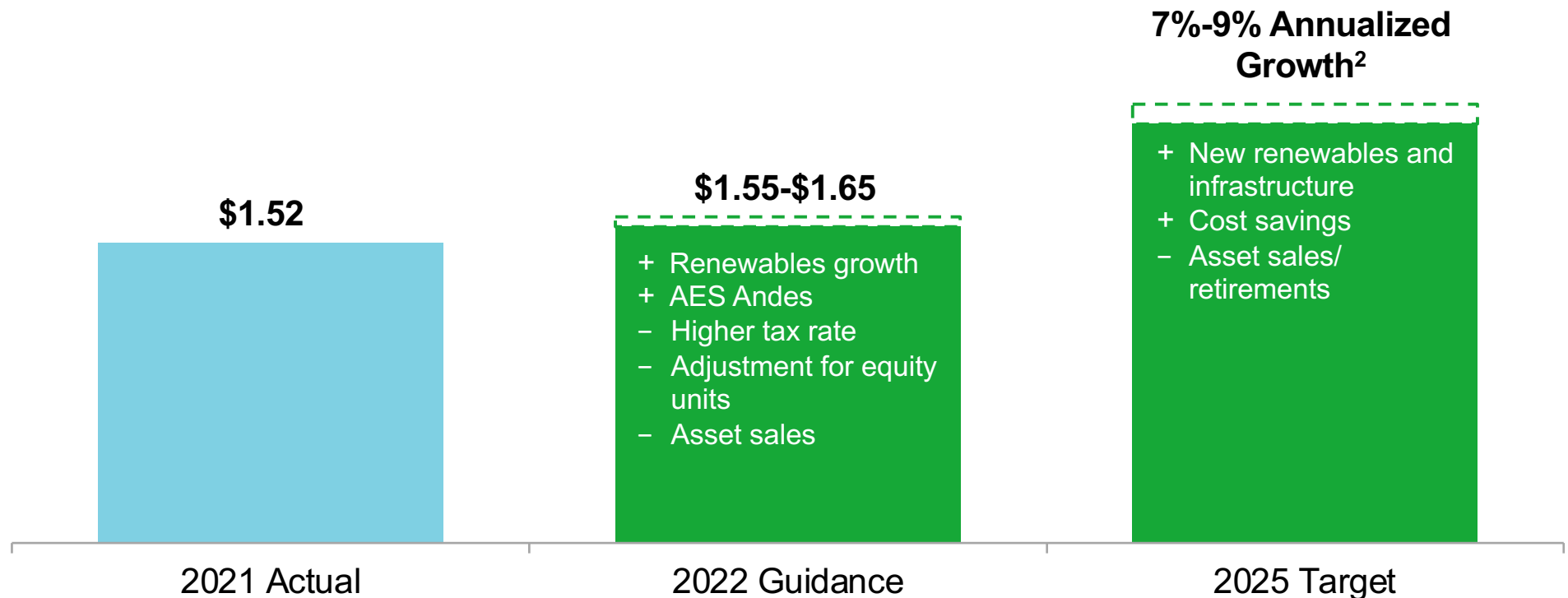
\$ in Millions

SBU	2021 Adjusted PTC ¹	2022 Adjusted PTC Modeling Ranges as of 2/25/22 ¹	Drivers of Growth Versus 2021
US & Utilities	\$660	\$740-\$780	+ Renewables growth + Growth at US utilities
South America	\$423	\$530-\$570	+ Increased ownership of AES Andes + Normalized hydrology + Renewables growth
MCAC	\$314	\$310-\$330	+ Relatively flat YoY
Eurasia	\$196	\$160-\$170	- Announced asset sales - Normalized operations at Bulgaria wind
Total SBUs	\$1,593	\$1,740-\$1,850	
Corporate & Other	(\$175)	(\$220)-(\$230)	- Assumed dilution from additional asset sales - Others
Total AES Adjusted PTC ^{1,2}	\$1,418	\$1,520-\$1,620	

1. A non-GAAP financial metric. See "definitions".

2. Total AES Adjusted PTC includes after-tax adjusted equity in earnings.

Reaffirming 2022 Adjusted EPS¹ Guidance and Annualized Growth Through 2025

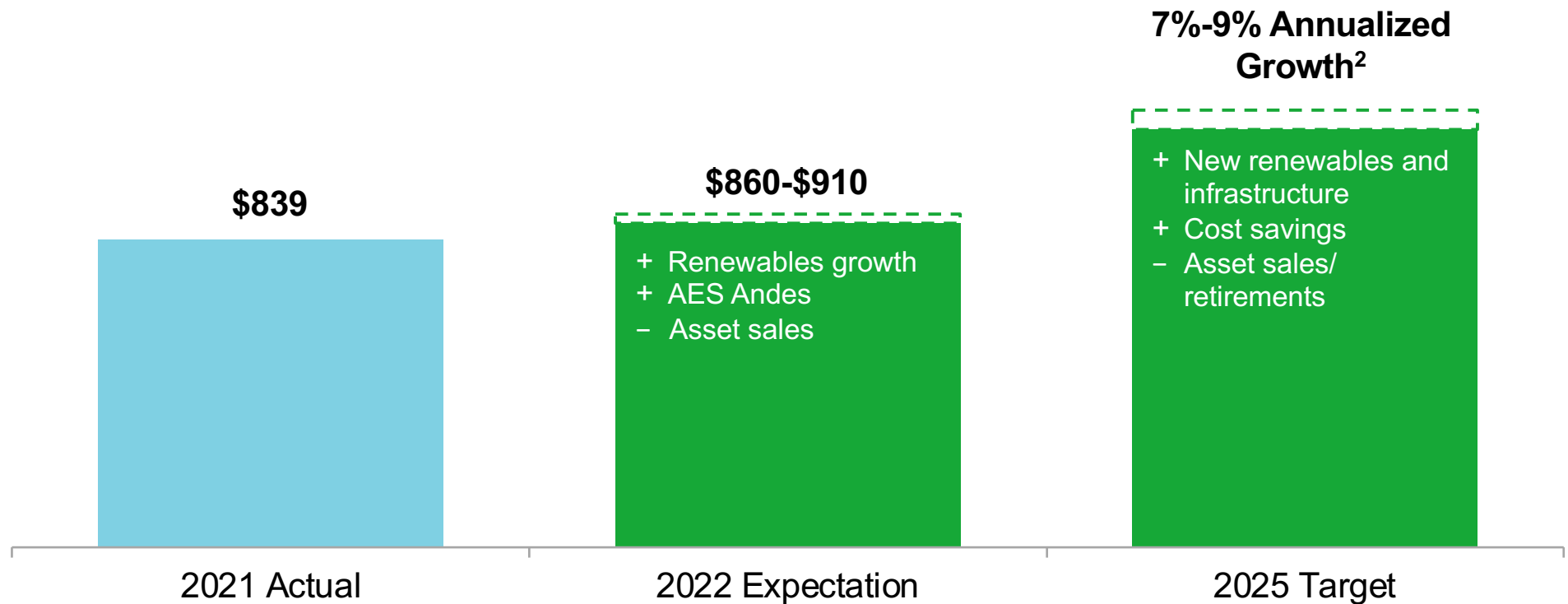


1. A non-GAAP financial measure. The Company is not able to provide a corresponding GAAP equivalent or reconciliation for its Adjusted EPS guidance without unreasonable effort. See "definitions" and Slide 51 for a description of the adjustments to reconcile Adjusted EPS to diluted EPS for 2021.

2. From a base of 2020 Adjusted EPS of \$1.44.

Reaffirming 2022 Parent Free Cash Flow¹ Expectations and Annualized Growth Through 2025

\$ in Millions



1. A non-GAAP financial measure. The Company is not able to provide a corresponding GAAP equivalent or reconciliation for its Parent Free Cash Flow expectation without unreasonable effort. See "definitions" and Slide 52 for a description of the adjustments to reconcile Parent Free Cash Flow to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities at the Parent Company for 2021.

2. From a base of 2020 Parent Free Cash Flow of \$777 million.

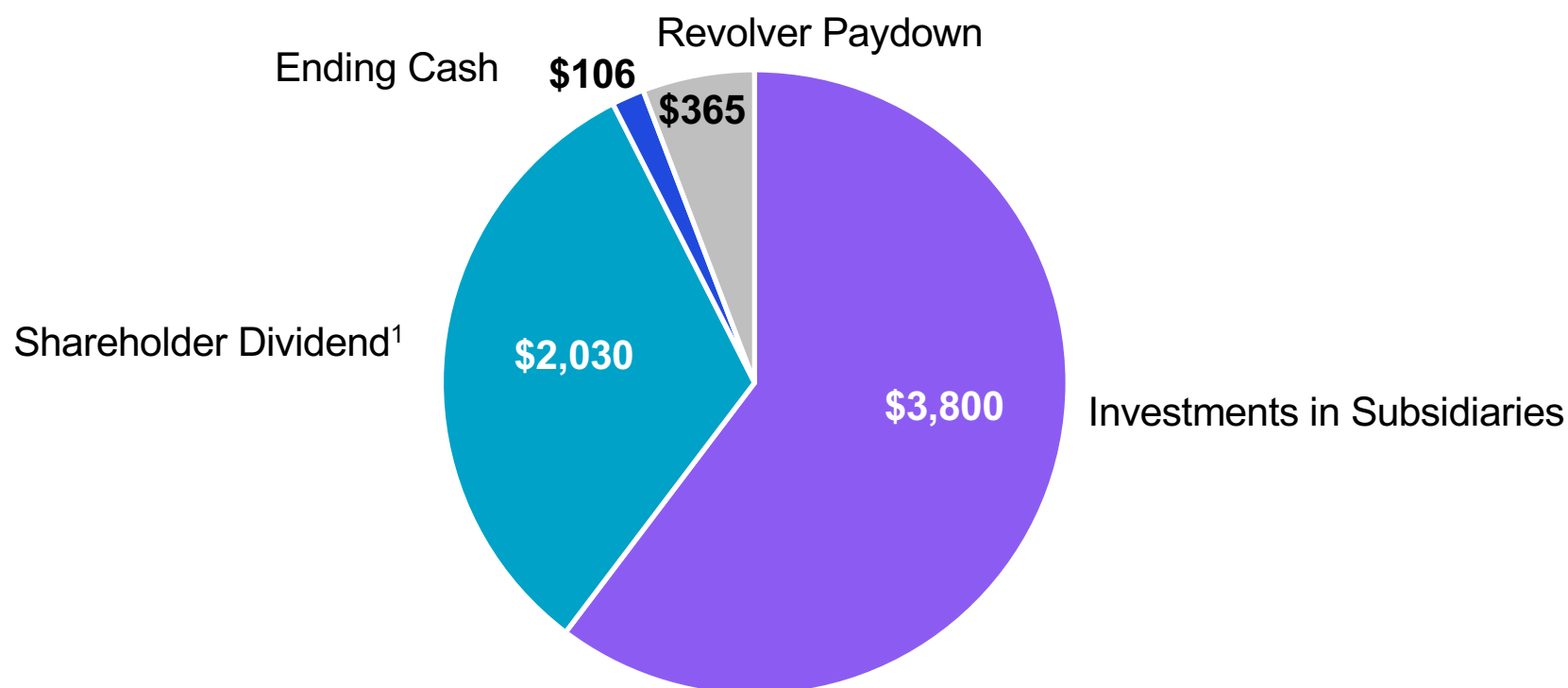
AES Modeling Disclosures

\$ in Millions

	2022
Subsidiary Distributions (a)	\$1,185-\$1,235
Cash Interest (b)	(\$115)
Corporate Overhead	(\$100)
Parent-Funded SBU Overhead	(\$95)
Business Development/Taxes	(\$15)
Cash for Development, General & Administrative and Tax (c)	(\$210)
Parent Free Cash Flow ¹ (a – b – c)	\$860-\$910

2022-2025: Uses of \$6.3 Billion Discretionary Cash

\$ in Millions

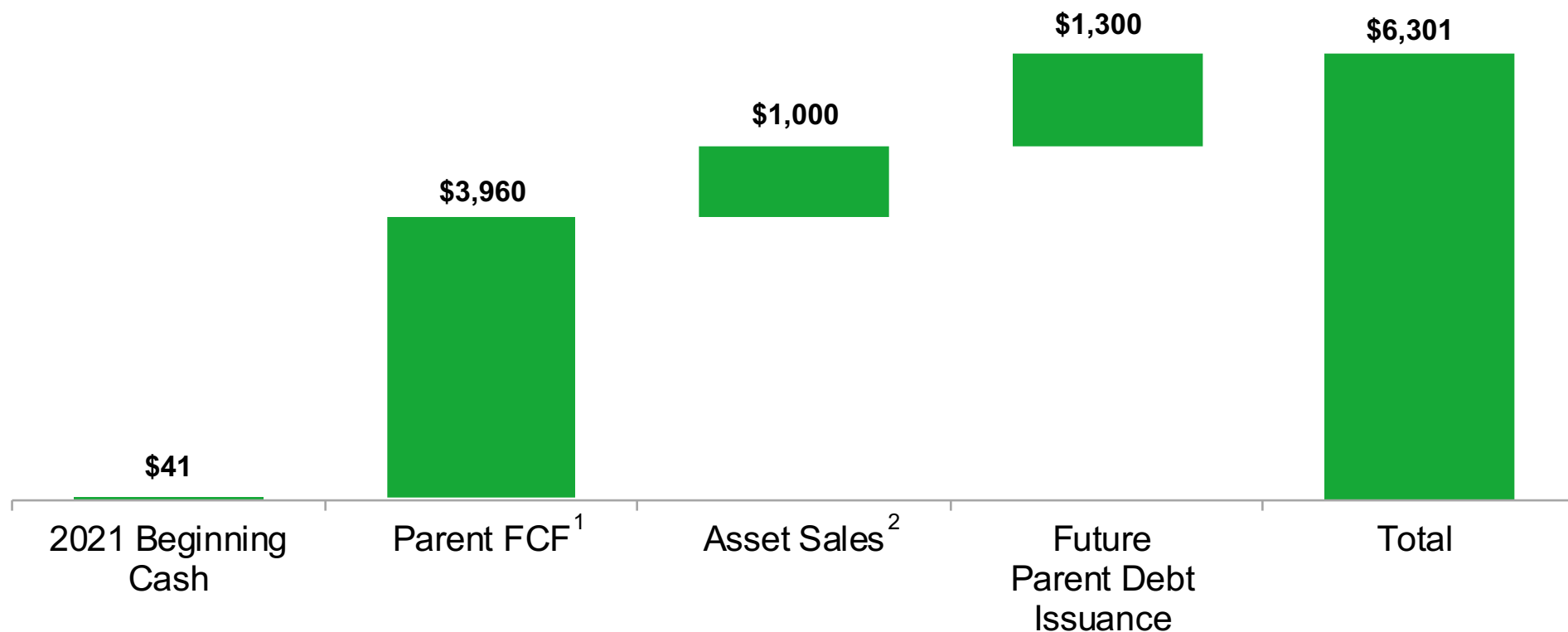


Allocating Capital to Maximize Shareholder Value

1. Assumes 2022 payment of \$0.1580 per share each quarter on 667 million shares outstanding as of December 31, 2021, growing at 4%-6% per year through 2025, subject to Board approval, and 6.875% coupon on \$1 billion of equity units issued in March 2021.

2022-2025: Sources of \$6.3 Billion Discretionary Cash

\$ in Millions



1. A non-GAAP financial measure. See Appendix "definitions". The Company is not able to provide a corresponding GAAP equivalent or reconciliation for its Parent Free Cash Flow expectation without unreasonable effort.

2. Includes announced pending asset sales in Jordan and Vietnam, as well as unannounced asset sales.

Year-to-Go 2022 Guidance Estimated Sensitivities

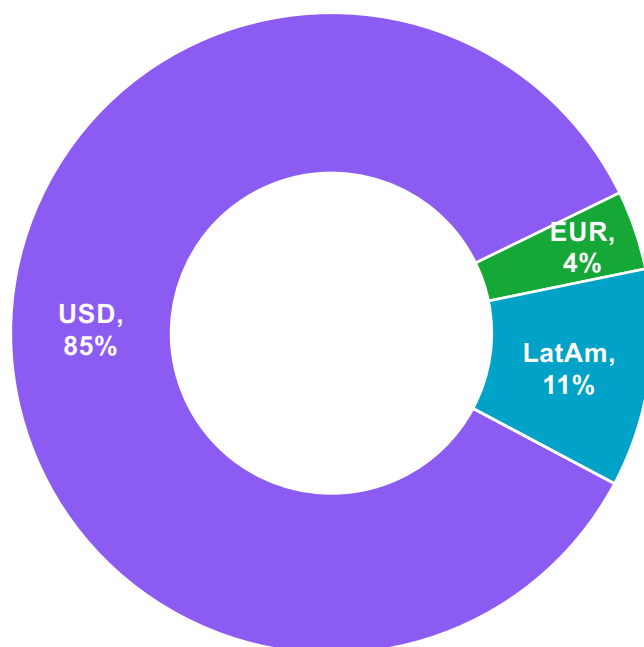
Interest Rates ¹	100 bps increase in interest rates over 2022 is forecasted to have a change in Adjusted EPS of (\$0.015)		
Currencies	10% appreciation of USD against following currencies is forecasted to have the following Adjusted EPS impacts:	YTG 2022	
		Average Rate	Sensitivity
	Argentine Peso (ARS) ²	147.87	Less than (\$0.010)
	Brazilian Real (BRL)	5.41	~ \$0.000
	Chilean Peso (CLP)	934.58	~ \$0.005
	Colombian Peso (COP)	4,217	Less than (\$0.005)
	Dominican Peso (DOP)	54.9	~\$0.020
	Euro (EUR)	1.06	Less than (\$0.005)
Commodities	10% increase in commodity prices is forecasted to have the following Adjusted EPS impacts:	YTG 2022	
		Average Rate	Sensitivity
	IPE Brent Crude Oil ³	\$109.28/bbl	Less than (\$0.005)
	NYMEX Henry Hub Natural Gas ³	\$5.65/mmbtu	Less than (\$0.01)
	Rotterdam Coal (API 2) ³	\$338.11/ton	~ \$0.005
	US Power – SP15	\$83.00/MWh	~\$0.01

Note: Guidance reaffirmed on August 5, 2022. Sensitivities are provided on a standalone basis, assuming no change in the other factors, to illustrate the magnitude and direction of changing key market factors on AES' results. Estimates show the impact on year-to-go 2022 Adjusted EPS. Actual results may differ from the sensitivities provided due to execution of risk management strategies, local market dynamics and operational factors. Full year 2022 guidance is based on currency and commodity forward curves and forecasts as of June 30, 2022. There are inherent uncertainties in the forecasting process and actual results may differ from projections. The Company undertakes no obligation to update the guidance presented. Please see Item 1 of the Form 10-K for a more complete discussion of this topic. AES has exposure to multiple coal, oil, natural gas and power indices; forward curves are provided for representative liquid markets. Sensitivities are rounded to the nearest \$0.005 per share.

1. The move is applied to the floating interest rate portfolio balances as of June 30, 2022.
2. Argentine Peso sensitivities are based on AES internal FX rate assessment.
3. Sensitivity assumes no change in power prices.

Limited Exposure to Fluctuations in Foreign Currency

2022-2024 Cumulative Exposure Composition by Currency



Annualized Impact¹ of 10% USD Appreciation on Adjusted PTC^{2,3} After Hedging

Non-USD Currencies	\$ in Millions
Argentine Peso (ARS)	(\$9.0)
Euro (EUR)	(\$8.0)
Colombian Peso (COP)	(\$5.0)
Chilean Peso (CLP)	\$9.0
Brazilian Real (BRL)	(\$6.0)
Others	<(\$0)
% of Annualized Adjusted PTC ²	1.1%

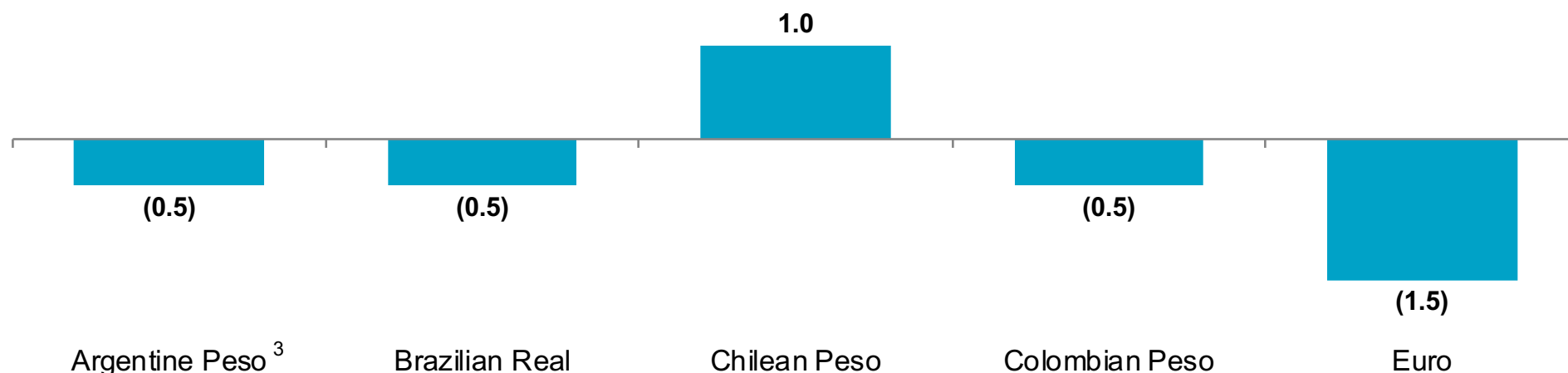
\$0.02 Annualized EPS Impact From 10% Appreciation of USD

1. 10% USD appreciation relative to currency market forward curves as of June 30, 2022. Exception: Argentine Peso and Brazilian Real forward curves are based on AES internal FX rate assessment. Sensitivities are rounded to the nearest \$1 million. Excludes inflation adjustments earned through contracts in Argentina and Colombia in the first 12 months.
2. Annualized values are cumulative exposure as of June 30, 2022.
3. As of June 30, 2022. A non-GAAP financial measure. See "definitions".

Foreign Exchange (FX) Risk Before Hedges

Cents Per Share

Full Year 2024 Adjusted EPS¹ FX Sensitivity²



- 2024 FX risk for 10% US Dollar appreciation against foreign currency, before impact of financial hedge instruments
- Estimated realized FX moves include inflation adjustments earned through contracts in Argentina and Colombia; historic analysis indicates that such adjustments could offset FX risk by at least 60% in Argentina and 80% in Colombia over a 3-year period

1. A non-GAAP financial measure. See "definitions".

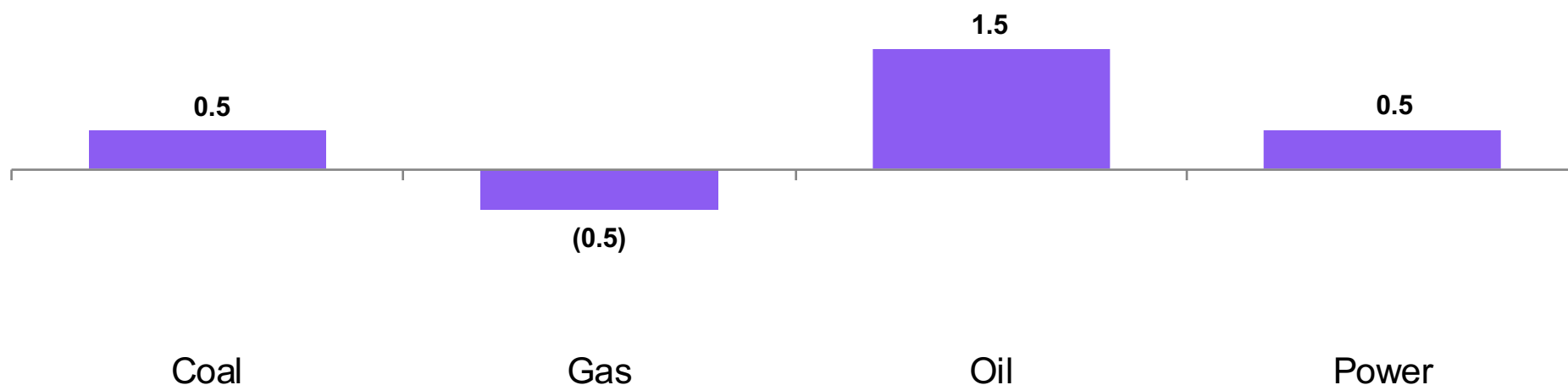
2. Sensitivity represents full year 2024 exposure as of December 31, 2021.

3. Argentine Peso 2024 sensitivity based on AES internal FX rate assessment (Average USD/ARS rate = 180) due to lack of liquidity in forward market.

Commodity Risk

Cents Per Share

Full Year 2024 Adjusted EPS¹ Commodity Sensitivity²



1. A non-GAAP financial measure. See "definitions".

2. Sensitivities assume fuel and power prices move 10% relative to commodities as of December 31, 2021. Adjusted EPS is negatively correlated to gas price movements, and positively correlated to coal, oil and power price movements.

PPAs Signed or Awarded in YTD 2022

Project	Location	Technology	Gross MW	AES Equity Interest	Expected COD ¹	PPA Length (Years)
AES Clean Energy (ACE)	US-Various	Solar	550	50%	1H 2023-2H 2024	19-20
		Energy Storage	137			
AES Puerto Rico	US-PR	Solar	355	100%	1H 2024	25
		Energy Storage	208			
AES Brasil ²	Brazil	Wind	68	23%	1H 2024	20
AES Dominicana	Dominican Republic	Wind	50	85%	In Operation ³	15
AES Panama	Panama	Solar	250	49%	1H 2024-2H 2025	20
Total YTD 2022			1,618			

1. Commercial Operations Date.

2. Announced by AES Brasil in March 2022 for a total of 114 MW signed in December 2021-January 2022.

3. Acquired in June 2022.

Reconciliation of Q2 Adjusted PTC¹ and Adjusted EPS¹

\$ in Millions, Except Per Share Amounts	Q2 2022		Q2 2021	
	Net of NCI ²	Per Share (Diluted) Net of NCI ²	Net of NCI ²	Per Share (Diluted) Net of NCI ²
Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations, Net of Tax, Attributable to AES and Diluted EPS	(\$179)	(\$0.25)	\$24	\$0.03
Add: Income Tax Expense (Benefit) from Continuing Operations Attributable to AES	(\$29)		(\$24)	
Pre-Tax Contribution	(\$208)		-	
Adjustments				
Unrealized Derivative and Equity Securities Losses	(\$35)	(\$0.05) ³	\$8	\$0.01
Unrealized Foreign Currency Losses (Gains)	\$39	\$0.05 ⁴	(\$12)	(\$0.02)
Disposition/Acquisition Losses (Gains)	\$23	\$0.03 ⁵	(\$229)	(\$0.34) ⁶
Impairment Losses	\$479	\$0.68 ⁷	\$628	\$0.94 ⁸
Loss on Extinguishment of Debt	\$6	\$0.01	\$18	\$0.03 ⁹
Net Gains from Early Contract Terminations at Angamos	-	-	(\$110)	(\$0.16) ¹⁰
Less: Net Income Tax Benefit	-	(\$0.13) ¹¹	-	(\$0.18) ¹²
Adjusted PTC ¹ & Adjusted EPS ¹	\$304	\$0.34	\$303	\$0.31

1. A Non-GAAP financial measure. See "definitions".

2. NCI is defined as Noncontrolling Interests.

3. Amount primarily relates to the unrealized gain on remeasurement of our existing investment in 5B, accounted for using the measurement alternative, of \$26 million, or \$0.04 per share.

4. Amount primarily relates to unrealized FX losses in Brazil of \$12 million, or \$0.02 per share, mainly associated with debt denominated in Brazilian reais, and unrealized FX losses of \$9 million, or \$0.01 per share, mainly associated with the devaluation of long-term receivables denominated in Argentine pesos.

5. Amount primarily relates to the recognition of an allowance on the AES Gilbert sales-type lease receivable as a cost of disposition of a business interest of \$20 million, or \$0.03 per share, for the three months ended June 30, 2022.

6. Amount primarily relates to an adjustment on the gain on remeasurement of our equity interest in sPower to acquisition-date fair value of \$176 million, or \$0.26, and gain on Fluence issuance of shares of \$61 million, or \$0.09 per share.

7. Amount primarily relates to asset impairment at Maritza of \$475 million, or \$0.67 per share, for the three months ended June 30, 2022.

8. Amount primarily relates to asset impairments at AES Andes of \$540 million, or \$0.81 per share, at Mountain View of \$67 million, or \$0.10 per share, and at sPower of \$20 million, or \$0.03 per share.

9. Amount primarily relates to loss on early retirement of debt at Andres and Los Mina of \$15 million, or \$0.02 per share, for the three months ended June 30, 2021.

10. Amount relates to net gains at Angamos associated with the early contract terminations with Minera Escondida and Minera Spence of \$110 million, or \$0.16 per share, for the three months ended June 30, 2021.

11. Amount primarily relates to income tax benefits associated with the impairment at Maritza of \$110 million, or \$0.15 per share, partially offset by income tax expense associated with the unrealized gain on remeasurement of our existing investment in 5B of \$6 million, or \$0.01 per share for the three months ended June 30, 2022.

12. Amount primarily relates to income tax benefits associated with the impairments at AES Andes of \$195 million, or \$0.29 per share and at Mountain View of \$21 million, or \$0.03, partially offset by income tax expense related to net gains at Angamos associated with the early contract terminations with Minera Escondida and Minera Spence of \$51 million, or \$0.08 per share, income tax expense related to the gain on remeasurement of our equity interest in sPower to acquisition-date fair value of \$39 million, or \$0.06 per share, and income tax expense related to the gain on Fluence issuance of shares of \$13 million, or \$0.02 per share.

Reconciliation of YTD Adjusted PTC¹ and Adjusted EPS¹

\$ in Millions, Except Per Share Amounts	YTD 2022		YTD 2021	
	Net of NCI ²	Per Share (Diluted) Net of NCI ²	Net of NCI ²	Per Share (Diluted) Net of NCI ²
Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations, Net of Tax, Attributable to AES and Diluted EPS	(\$64)	(\$0.09)	(\$124)	(\$0.19)
Add: Income Tax Expense (Benefit) from Continuing Operations Attributable to AES	\$21		(\$60)	
Pre-Tax Contribution	(\$43)		(\$184)	
Adjustments				
Unrealized Derivative and Equity Securities Losses (Gains)	\$6	\$0.01	\$77	\$0.12 ³
Unrealized Foreign Currency Losses (Gains)	\$20	\$0.03	(\$6)	(\$0.01)
Disposition/Acquisition Losses (Gains)	\$32	\$0.04 ⁴	(\$244)	(\$0.37) ⁵
Impairment Losses	\$480	\$0.68 ⁶	\$1,103	\$1.65 ⁷
Loss on Extinguishment of Debt	\$16	\$0.02	\$24	\$0.04 ⁸
Net Gains from Early Contract Terminations at Angamos	-	-	(\$220)	(\$0.33) ⁹
Less: Net Income Tax Benefit	-	(\$0.14) ¹⁰	-	(\$0.32) ¹¹
Adjusted PTC ¹ & Adjusted EPS ¹	\$511	\$0.55	\$550	\$0.59

1. A Non-GAAP financial measure. See "definitions".

2. NCI is defined as Noncontrolling Interests.

3. Amount primarily relates to unrealized derivative losses in Argentina mainly associated with foreign currency derivatives on government receivables of \$41 million, or \$0.06 per share, and net unrealized derivative losses on power and commodities swaps at Southland of \$32 million, or \$0.05 per share.

4. Amount primarily relates to the recognition of an allowance on the AES Gilbert sales-type lease receivable as a cost of disposition of a business interest of \$20 million, or \$0.03 per share, for the six months ended June 30, 2022.

5. Amount primarily relates to the gain on remeasurement of our equity interest in sPower to acquisition-date fair value of \$212 million, or \$0.32, and gain on Fluence issuance of shares of \$61 million, or \$0.09 per share, partially offset by day-one loss recognized at commencement of a sales-type lease at AES Renewable Holdings of \$13 million, or \$0.02 per share.

6. Amount primarily relates to asset impairment at Maritza of \$475 million, or \$0.67 per share, for the six months ended June 30, 2022.

7. Amount primarily relates to asset impairments at AES Andes of \$540 million, or \$0.81 per share, at Puerto Rico of \$475 million, or \$0.71 per share, at Mountain View of \$67 million, or \$0.10 per share, and at sPower of \$21 million, or \$0.03 per share.

8. Amount primarily relates to loss on early retirement of debt at Andres and Los Mina of \$15 million, or \$0.02 per share, for the six months ended June 30, 2021.

9. Amount relates to net gains at Angamos associated with the early contract terminations with Minera Escondida and Minera Spence of \$220 million, or \$0.33 per share, for the six months ended June 30, 2021.

10. Amount primarily relates to income tax benefits associated with the impairment at Maritza of \$110 million, or \$0.15 per share, partially offset by income tax expense associated with the unrealized gain on remeasurement of our existing investment in 5B of \$6 million, or \$0.01 per share for the six months ended June 30, 2022.

11. Amount primarily relates to income tax benefits associated with the impairments at AES Andes of \$195 million, or \$0.29 per share, at Puerto Rico of \$114 million, or \$0.17 per share, and at Mountain View of \$21 million, or \$0.03, partially offset by income tax expense related to net gains at Angamos associated with the early contract terminations with Minera Escondida and Minera Spence of \$79 million, or \$0.12 per share, income tax expense related to the gain on remeasurement of our equity interest in sPower to acquisition-date fair value of \$46 million, or \$0.07 per share, and income tax expense related to the gain on Fluence issuance of shares of \$13 million, or \$0.02 per share.

Reconciliation of FY Adjusted PTC¹ and Adjusted EPS¹

\$ in Millions, Except Per Share Amounts	FY 2021		FY 2020	
	Net of NCI ²	Per Share (Diluted) Net of NCI ²	Net of NCI ²	Per Share (Diluted) Net of NCI ²
Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations, Net of Tax, Attributable to AES and Diluted EPS	(\$413)	(\$0.59)	\$43	\$0.06
Add: Income Tax Expense from Continuing Operations Attributable to AES	(\$31)		\$130	
Pre-Tax Contribution	(\$444)		\$173	
Adjustments				
Unrealized Derivative and Equity Securities Losses	(\$1)	-	\$3	\$0.01
Unrealized Foreign Currency Losses (Gains)	\$14	\$0.02	(\$10)	(\$0.01)
Disposition/Acquisition Losses	\$861	\$1.22 ³	\$112	\$0.17 ⁴
Impairment Losses	\$1,153	\$1.65 ⁵	\$928	\$1.39 ⁶
Loss on Extinguishment of Debt	\$91	\$0.13 ⁷	\$223	\$0.33 ⁸
Net Gains from Early Contract Terminations at Angamos	(\$256)	(\$0.37) ⁹	(\$182)	(\$0.27) ¹⁰
U.S. Tax Law Reform Impact	-	(\$0.25) ¹¹	-	\$0.02 ¹²
Less: Net Income Tax Benefit	-	(\$0.29) ¹³	-	(\$0.26) ¹⁴
Adjusted PTC ¹ & Adjusted EPS ¹	\$1,418	\$1.52	\$1,247	\$1.44

1. A Non-GAAP financial measure. See "definitions".

2. NCI is defined as Noncontrolling Interests.

3. Amount primarily relates to loss on deconsolidation of Alto Maipo of \$1.5 billion, or \$2.09 per share, loss on Uplight transaction with shareholders of \$25 million, or \$0.04 per share, and a day-one loss recognized at commencement of a sales-type lease at AES Renewable Holdings of \$13 million, or \$0.02 per share, partially offset by gain on initial public offering of Fluence of \$325 million, or \$0.46 per share, gain on remeasurement of our equity interest in sPower to acquisition-date fair value of \$249 million, or \$0.35 per share, gain on Fluence issuance of shares of \$60 million, or \$0.09 per share, and gain on sale of Guacolda of \$22 million, or \$0.03 per share.

4. Amount primarily relates to loss on sale of Uruguaiana of \$85 million, or \$0.13 per share, loss on sale of the Kazakhstan HPPs of \$30 million, or \$0.05 per share, as a result of the final arbitration decision, and advisor fees associated with the successful acquisition of additional ownership interest in AES Brasil of \$9 million, or \$0.01 per share; partially offset by gain on sale of OPGC of \$23 million, or \$0.03 per share.

5. Amount primarily relates to asset impairments at AES Andes of \$540 million, or \$0.77 per share, at Puerto Rico of \$475 million, or \$0.68 per share, at Mountain View of \$67 million, or \$0.10 per share, at our sPower equity affiliate, impacting equity earnings by \$24 million, or \$0.03 per share, at Buffalo Gap of \$22 million, or \$0.03 per share, at Clean Energy of \$14 million, or \$0.02 per share, and at Laurel Mountain of \$7 million, or \$0.01 per share.

6. Amount primarily relates to asset impairments at AES Andes of \$527 million, or \$0.79 per share, other-than-temporary impairment of OPGC of \$201 million, or \$0.30 per share, impairments at our Guacolda and sPower equity affiliates, impacting equity earnings by \$85 million, or \$0.13 per share, and \$57 million, or \$0.09 per share, respectively; impairment at AES Hawaii of \$38 million, or \$0.06 per share, and impairment at Panama of \$15 million, or \$0.02 per share.

7. Amount primarily relates to losses on early retirement of debt at AES Brasil of \$27 million, or \$0.04 per share, at Argentina of \$17 million, or \$0.02 per share, at AES Andes of \$15 million, or \$0.02 per share, and at Andres and Los Mina of \$15 million, or \$0.02 per share.

8. Amount primarily relates to losses on early retirement of debt at the Parent Company of \$146 million, or \$0.22 per share, DPL of \$32 million, or \$0.05 per share, Angamos of \$17 million, or \$0.02 per share, and Panama of \$11 million, or \$0.02 per share.

9. Amount relates to net gains at Angamos associated with the early contract terminations with Minera Escondida and Minera Spence of \$256 million, or \$0.37 per share.

10. Amounts relate to net gains at Angamos associated with the early contract terminations with Minera Escondida and Minera Spence of \$182 million, or \$0.27 per share.

11. Amount relates to the tax benefit on reversal of uncertain tax positions effectively settled upon closure of the Company's 2017 U.S. tax return exam of \$176 million, or \$0.25 per share.

12. Amount represents adjustment to tax law reform remeasurement due to incremental deferred taxes related to DPL of \$16 million, or \$0.02 per share.

13. Amount primarily relates to income tax benefits associated with the loss on deconsolidation of Alto Maipo of \$209 million, or \$0.30 per share, income tax benefits associated with the impairments at AES Andes of \$146 million, or \$0.21 per share, at Puerto Rico of \$20 million, or \$0.03 per share, and at Mountain View of \$15 million, or \$0.02 per share, partially offset by income tax expense associated with the gain on initial public offering of Fluence of \$73 million, or \$0.10 per share, income tax expense related to net gains at Angamos associated with the early contract terminations with Minera Escondida and Minera Spence of \$69 million, or \$0.10 per share, and income tax expense associated with the gain on remeasurement of our equity interest in sPower of \$55 million, or \$0.08 per share.

14. Amount primarily relates to income tax benefits associated with the impairments at AES Andes and Guacolda of \$164 million, or \$0.25 per share, and income tax benefits associated with losses on early retirement of debt at the Parent Company of \$31 million, or \$0.05 per share; partially offset by income tax expense related to net gains at Angamos associated with the early contract terminations with Minera Escondida and Minera Spence of \$49 million, or \$0.07 per share.

Reconciliation of Parent Free Cash Flow¹

\$ in Millions	2021	2020	2019
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities at the Parent Company ²	\$570	\$434	\$583
Subsidiary Distributions to QHCs Excluded from Schedule 1 ³	\$47	\$198	\$183
Subsidiary Distributions Classified in Investing Activities ⁴	\$290	\$238	\$60
Parent-Funded SBU Overhead and Other Expenses Classified in Investing Activities ⁵	(\$69)	(\$85)	(\$97)
Other	\$1	(\$8)	(\$3)
Parent Free Cash Flow ¹	\$839	\$777	\$726

1. Parent Free Cash Flow (a non-GAAP financial measure) should not be construed as an alternative to Consolidated Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities, which is determined in accordance with US GAAP. Parent Free Cash Flow is the primary, recurring source of cash that is available for use by the Parent Company. Parent Free Cash Flow is equal to Subsidiary Distributions less cash used for interest costs, development, general and administrative activities, and tax payments by the Parent Company. Management uses Parent Free Cash Flow to determine the cash available to pay dividends, repay recourse debt, make equity investments, fund share buybacks, pay Parent Company hedging costs and make foreign exchange settlements. We believe that Parent Free Cash Flow is useful to investors because it better reflects the Parent Company's cash available to make growth investments, pay shareholder dividends, and make principal payments on recourse debt. Factors in this determination include availability of subsidiary distributions to the Parent Company and the Company's investment plan.
2. Refer to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities at the Parent Company as reported at Part IV—Item 15—Schedule I—Condensed Financial Information of Registrant included in the Company's most recent 10-K filed with the SEC.
3. Subsidiary distributions received by Qualified Holding Companies ("QHCs") excluded from Schedule 1. Subsidiary Distributions should not be construed as an alternative to Consolidated Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities, which is determined in accordance with US GAAP. Subsidiary Distributions are important to the Parent Company because the Parent Company is a holding company that does not derive any significant direct revenues from its own activities but instead relies on its subsidiaries' business activities and the resultant distributions to fund the debt service, investment and other cash needs of the holding company. The reconciliation of the difference between the Subsidiary Distributions and Consolidated Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities consists of cash generated from operating activities that is retained at the subsidiaries for a variety of reasons which are both discretionary and non-discretionary in nature. These factors include, but are not limited to, retention of cash to fund capital expenditures at the subsidiary, cash retention associated with non-recourse debt covenant restrictions and related debt service requirements at the subsidiaries, retention of cash related to sufficiency of local GAAP statutory retained earnings at the subsidiaries, retention of cash for working capital needs at the subsidiaries, and other similar timing differences between when the cash is generated at the subsidiaries and when it reaches the Parent Company and related holding companies.
4. Subsidiary distributions that originated from the results of operations of an underlying investee but were classified as investing activities when received by the relevant holding company included in Schedule 1.
5. Net cash payments for parent-funded SBU overhead, business development, taxes, transaction costs, and capitalized interest that are classified as investing activities or excluded from Schedule 1.

Assumptions



Forecasted financial information is based on certain material assumptions. Such assumptions include, but are not limited to: (a) no unforeseen external events such as wars, depressions, or economic or political disruptions occur; (b) businesses continue to operate in a manner consistent with or better than prior operating performance, including achievement of planned productivity improvements including benefits of global sourcing, and in accordance with the provisions of their relevant contracts or concessions; (c) new business opportunities are available to AES in sufficient quantity to achieve its growth objectives; (d) no material disruptions or discontinuities occur in the Gross Domestic Product (GDP), foreign exchange rates, inflation or interest rates during the forecast period; and (e) material business-specific risks as described in the Company's SEC filings do not occur individually or cumulatively. In addition, benefits from global sourcing include avoided costs, reduction in capital project costs versus budgetary estimates, and projected savings based on assumed spend volume which may or may not actually be achieved. Also, improvement in certain Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) such as equivalent forced outage rate and commercial availability may not improve financial performance at all facilities based on commercial terms and conditions. These benefits will not be fully reflected in the Company's consolidated financial results.

The cash held at qualified holding companies ("QHCs") represents cash sent to subsidiaries of the Company domiciled outside of the U.S. Such subsidiaries have no contractual restrictions on their ability to send cash to AES, the Parent Company; however, cash held at qualified holding companies does not reflect the impact of any tax liabilities that may result from any such cash being repatriated to the Parent Company in the U.S. Cash at those subsidiaries was used for investment and related activities outside of the U.S. These investments included equity investments and loans to other foreign subsidiaries as well as development and general costs and expenses incurred outside the U.S. Since the cash held by these QHCs is available to the Parent, AES uses the combined measure of subsidiary distributions to Parent and QHCs as a useful measure of cash available to the Parent to meet its international liquidity needs. AES believes that unconsolidated parent company liquidity is important to the liquidity position of AES as a parent company because of the non-recourse nature of most of AES' indebtedness.

Definitions

Adjusted Earnings Per Share, a non-GAAP financial measure, is defined as diluted earnings per share from continuing operations excluding gains or losses of both consolidated entities and entities accounted for under the equity method due to (a) unrealized gains or losses related to derivative transactions and equity securities; (b) unrealized foreign currency gains or losses; (c) gains, losses, benefits and costs associated with dispositions and acquisitions of business interests, including early plant closures, and the tax impact from the repatriation of sales proceeds, and gains and losses recognized at commencement of sales-type leases; (d) losses due to impairments; (e) gains, losses and costs due to the early retirement of debt; (f) net gains at Angamos, one of our businesses in the South America SBU, associated with the early contract terminations with Minera Escondida and Minera Spence; and (g) tax benefit or expense related to the enactment effects of 2017 U.S. tax law reform and related regulations and any subsequent period adjustments related to enactment effects to include the 2021 tax benefit on reversal of uncertain tax positions effectively settled upon the closure of the Company's 2017 U.S. tax return exam.

Adjusted Pre-Tax Contribution, a non-GAAP financial measure, is defined as pre-tax income from continuing operations attributable to The AES Corporation excluding gains or losses of the consolidated entity due to (a) unrealized gains or losses related to derivative transactions and equity securities; (b) unrealized foreign currency gains or losses; (c) gains, losses, benefits and costs associated with dispositions and acquisitions of business interests, including early plant closures, and gains and losses recognized at commencement of sales-type leases; (d) losses due to impairments; (e) gains, losses and costs due to the early retirement of debt; and (f) net gains at Angamos, one of our businesses in the South America SBU, associated with the early contract terminations with Minera Escondida and Minera Spence. Adjusted PTC also includes net equity in earnings of affiliates on an after-tax basis adjusted for the same gains or losses excluded from consolidated entities.

NCI is defined as noncontrolling interests.

Parent Company Liquidity (a non-GAAP financial measure) is defined as cash available to the Parent Company, including cash at qualified holding companies ("QHCs"), plus available borrowings under our existing credit facility. The cash held at qualified holding companies represents cash sent to subsidiaries of the Company domiciled outside of the U.S. Such subsidiaries have no contractual restrictions on their ability to send cash to the Parent Company.

Parent Free Cash Flow (a non-GAAP financial measure) should not be construed as an alternative to Consolidated Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities, which is determined in accordance with US GAAP. Parent Free Cash Flow is the primary, recurring source of cash that is available for use by the Parent Company. Parent Free Cash Flow is equal to Subsidiary Distributions less cash used for interest costs, development, general and administrative activities, and tax payments by the Parent Company. Management uses Parent Free Cash Flow to determine the cash available to pay dividends, repay recourse debt, make equity investments, fund share buybacks, pay Parent Company hedging costs and make foreign exchange settlements. We believe that Parent Free Cash Flow is useful to investors because it better reflects the Parent Company's cash available to make growth investments, pay shareholder dividends, and make principal payments on recourse debt. Factors in this determination include availability of subsidiary distributions to the Parent Company and the Company's investment plan.

Subsidiary Liquidity (a non-GAAP financial measure) is defined as cash and cash equivalents and bank lines of credit at various subsidiaries.

Subsidiary Distributions should not be construed as an alternative to Consolidated Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities which is determined in accordance with GAAP. Subsidiary Distributions are important to the Parent Company because the Parent Company is a holding company that does not derive any significant direct revenues from its own activities but instead relies on its subsidiaries' business activities and the resultant distributions to fund the debt service, investment and other cash needs of the holding company. The reconciliation of the difference between the Subsidiary Distributions and Consolidated Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities consists of cash generated from operating activities that is retained at the subsidiaries for a variety of reasons which are both discretionary and non-discretionary in nature. These factors include, but are not limited to, retention of cash to fund capital expenditures at the subsidiary, cash retention associated with non-recourse debt covenant restrictions and related debt service requirements at the subsidiaries, retention of cash related to sufficiency of local GAAP statutory retained earnings at the subsidiaries, retention of cash for working capital needs at the subsidiaries, and other similar timing differences between when the cash is generated at the subsidiaries and when it reaches the Parent Company and related holding companies.