

# 2016 Analyst & Investor Meeting

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#### Value Proposition for a Disciplined, Returns-Focused E&P

**Ryan Lance** Chairman & CEO

#### **Financial Priorities**

**Don Wallette** EVP, Finance, Commercial & CFO

#### **Portfolio Choices**

**Al Hirshberg** EVP, Production, Drilling & Projects

#### **Strategic Flexibility**

**Matt Fox** EVP, Strategy, Exploration & Technology

#### **Closing Comments**

**Ryan Lance** Chairman & CEO

Question & Answer Session



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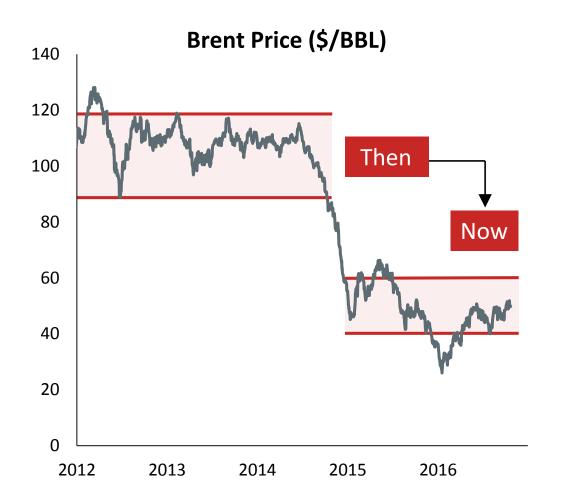
# Value Proposition for a Disciplined, Returns-Focused E&P

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**Ryan Lance** *Chairman & CEO* 



# Can an E&P company create value through price cycles with a disciplined, returns-focused value proposition?



#### Our Answer, Yes.

- Starts with a view that prices will be lower and more volatile
- Requires positioning the business for cycles, but not chasing them up or down
- Mindset shift to manage the business for free cash flow generation
- Must set clear free cash flow allocation priorities that include attractive distributions to shareholders
- Performance driven by strong balance sheet, low cost of supply resource base and strategic flexibility

# Value Proposition on a Page – Clear Priorities, No Waiting

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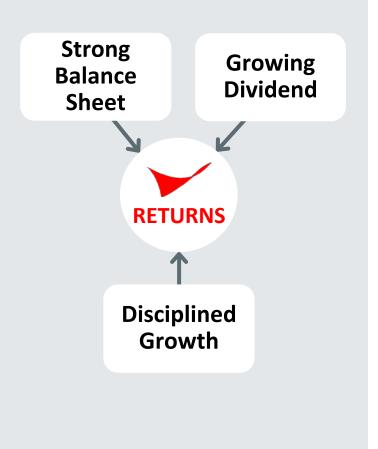
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#### **Value Proposition Principles**



#### **Cash Allocation Priorities**

Invest capital to maintain production and pay existing dividend

Annual dividend growth

Reduce debt to \$20B and target 'A' credit rating

20-30% of CFO total shareholder payout

Disciplined growth capital

#### **Acceleration Actions**

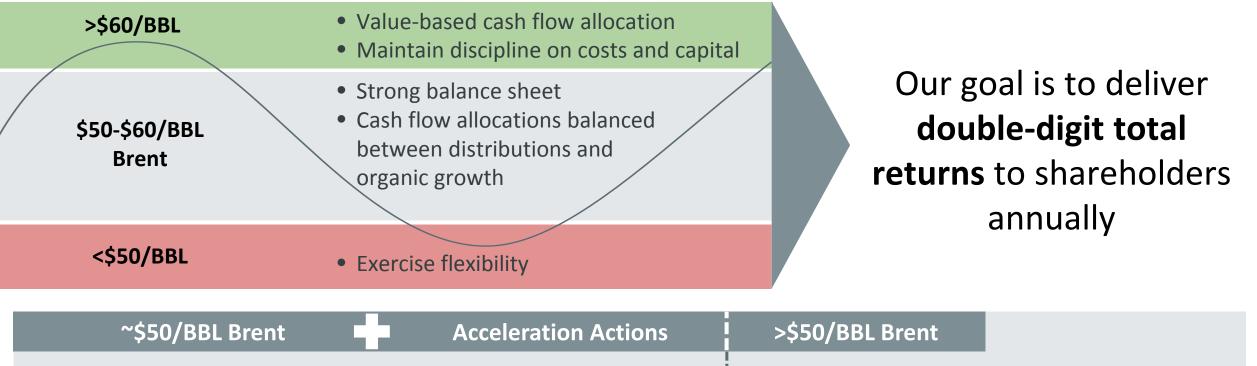
- \$3B share repurchase authorization
- \$5-8B asset sale program
- Capital shift to short-cycle unconventional programs
- Announcing 2017 operating plan guidance
  - Capital expenditures: \$5B
  - Adjusted operating costs: \$6B
  - Production range<sup>1</sup>: flat to +2%

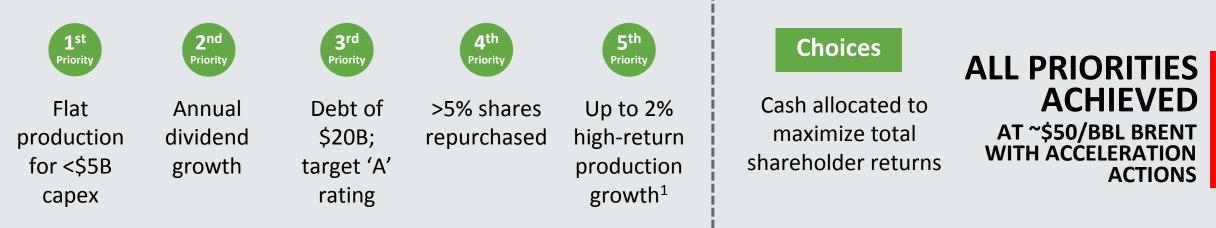
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<sup>1</sup> 2017 production range is estimated off of 2016 production, adjusted for the full-year impact of 2016 expected dispositions, and does not include adjustments for expected 2017 dispositions.

# Strategy on a Page – Disciplined and Resilient, Yet Flexible







<sup>1</sup> Production is normalized for the full-year impact of 2016 expected dispositions.

# The Case For ConocoPhillips



#### **Transformation**

- Reduced breakeven price from >\$75/BBL to <\$50/BBL</li>
- Lowered capital intensity to stay-flat capital of <\$5B
- Created significant capital flexibility post megaprojects
- Resource base includes 18 BBOE with average cost of supply <\$40/BBL</li>

#### Acceleration

- \$5-8B asset sale program funds debt reduction and buybacks
- Asset sales improve underlying margins
- Expect to initiate share buyback program this quarter
- Peer-leading cash flow upside as prices recover

#### Differentiation

- Focused on free cash flow generation and returns, not absolute growth
- Top-tier target payout to shareholders via dividend and buybacks
- Unique, low cost of supply portfolio drives double-digit returns with low execution risk

# What You'll Hear Today



**\$** Financial Priorities

#### **Don Wallette**

- Low breakeven price drives free cash flow generation
- Advantaged capital intensity versus peers
- Viable plan for debt reduction
- Priority on distributions via dividend and buybacks



Choices

# **Al Hirshberg**

- Highly focused investment portfolio aligned with strategy
- Every asset class plays a role in cash flow generation
- Low cost of supply resource base holds decades of investment



#### Matt Fox

- High degree of capital flexibility creates advantages through cycles
- Per-share growth competes with absolute growth
- ConocoPhillips' strategy is resilient under a wide range of prices

# Financial Priorities

**Don Wallette** *EVP, Finance, Commercial & CFO* 

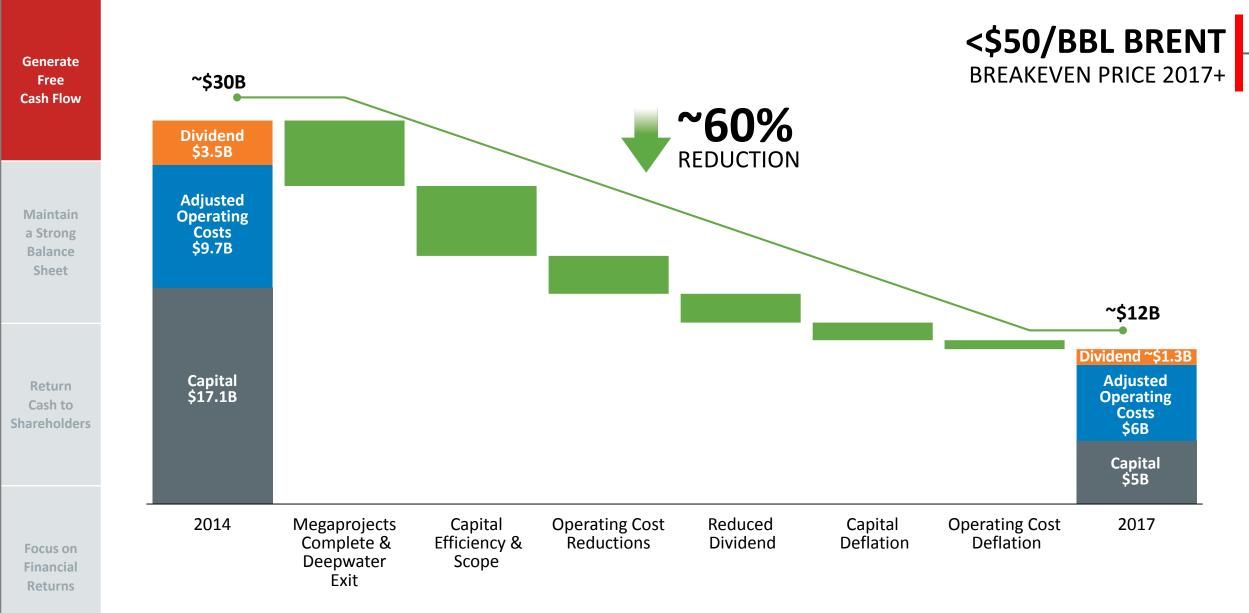


Generate Free	Generate free cash flow	<ul> <li>Low breakeven price</li> </ul>
Cash Flow		<ul> <li>Low capital intensity</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Differential upside as prices recover</li> </ul>
Maintain a Strong Balance Sheet	Maintain a strong balance sheet	<ul> <li>Balance sheet a competitive advantage through the cycles; target 'A' credit rating</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Viable plan to reduce debt to \$20B by year-end 2019</li> </ul>
Return	Return cash to shareholders	<ul> <li>Provide distinctive shareholder distributions</li> </ul>
Cash to Shareholders		<ul> <li>Target 20-30% total payout of CFO to shareholders</li> </ul>
	Focus on financial returns	<ul> <li>Improve absolute and relative return on capital</li> </ul>
Focus on Financial Returns		employed (ROCE)

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#### In a Commodity Business, a Low Breakeven Price Wins



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# Low Capital Intensity is a CFO's Best Friend



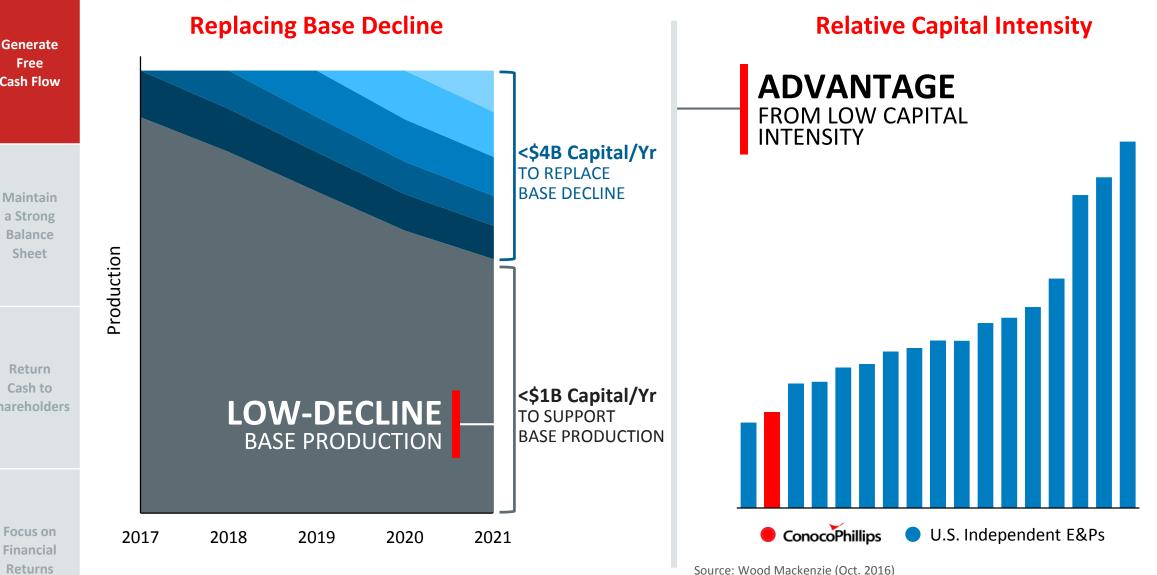
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Capital for Flat Production/ Available Cash Flow<sup>1</sup>

Generate Free **Cash Flow** 

Maintain a Strong Balance Sheet

Return Cash to Shareholders



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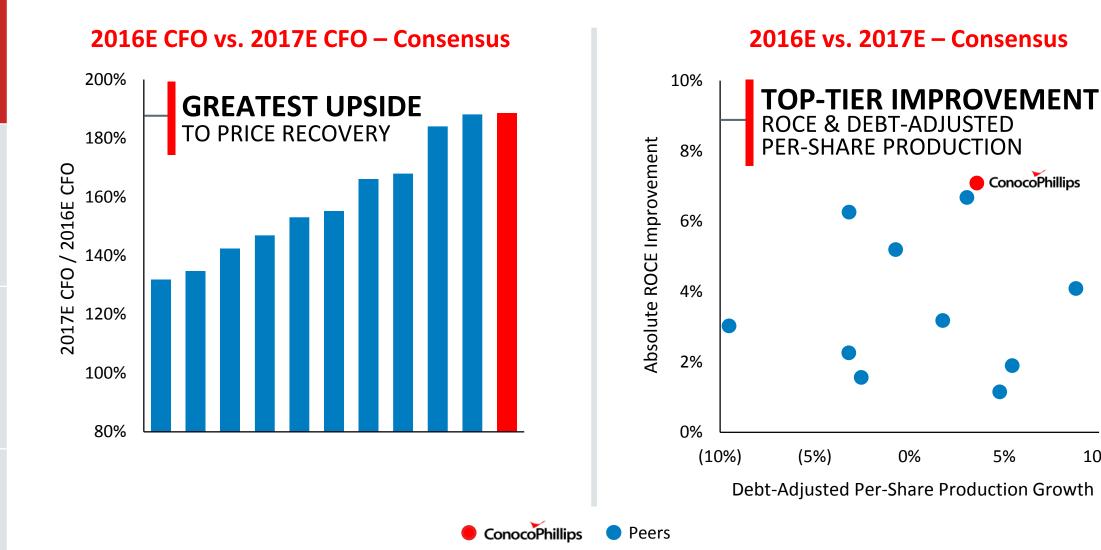
<sup>1</sup>Available cash flow = cash flow from operations less dividend, plus any hedging benefit.



Generate Free **Cash Flow** 

Maintain a Strong Balance Sheet

Return Cash to **Shareholders** 



Focus on **Financial** Returns

Source: Thomson Reuters Eikon as of Sept. 30, 2016. Peers include: APA, APC, BP, CVX, DVN, MRO, OXY, RDS, TOT and XOM. Free cash flow is a non-GAAP measure, which is defined in the appendix. 10%

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# A Strong Balance Sheet is NOT Optional



Generate Free Cash Flow

Maintain a Strong Balance Sheet

Return Cash to Shareholders

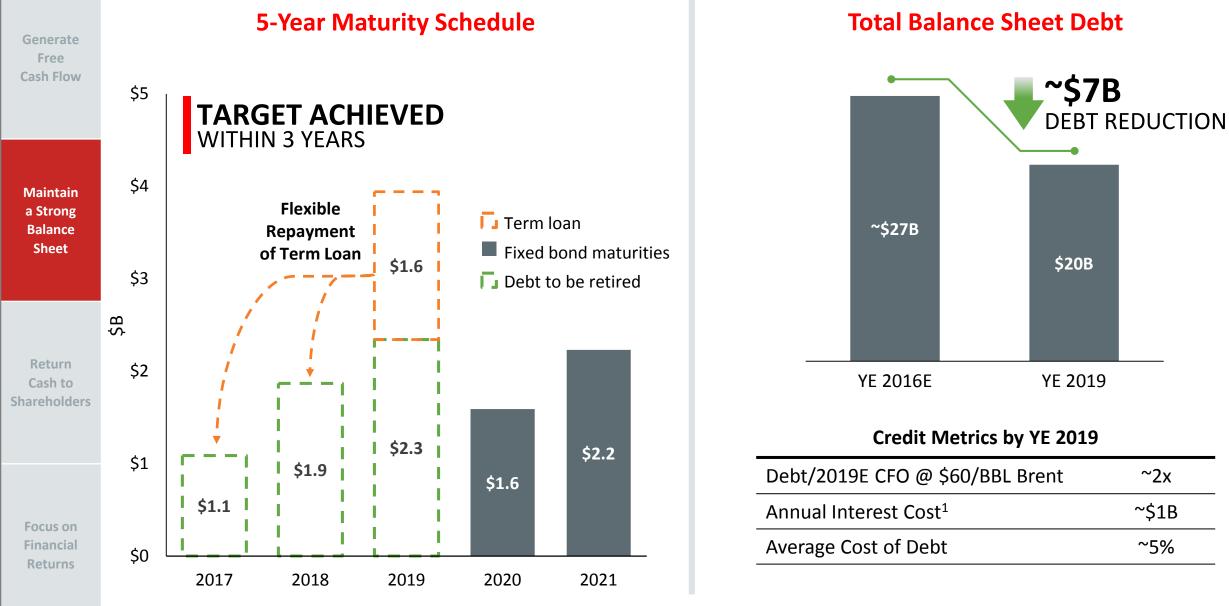
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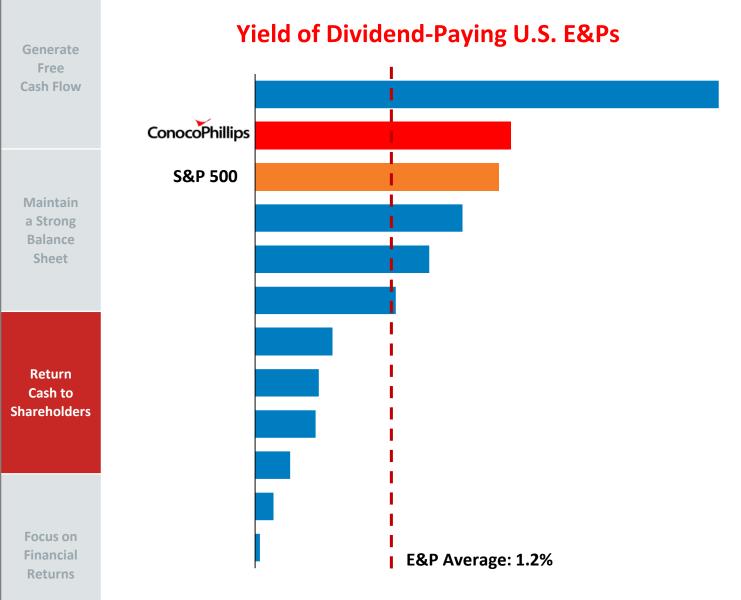
- Strong balance sheet is a competitive advantage in a cyclical business
  - Target 'A' credit rating provides sufficient debt capacity for delivering strategy through cycles
  - Continuous low-cost access to capital markets
  - Low-cost liquidity<sup>1</sup> via undrawn ~\$7B credit facility with no financial covenants
- \$20B debt target by year-end 2019 achievable with CFO at <\$50/BBL Brent and planned asset disposition proceeds

## We Have a Sensible, Executable Plan to Achieve Debt Target









- Current dividend can withstand low prices, with room for annual increases
- Targeting annual growth in per-share dividend rate
- Dividend competitive compared to E&P average and S&P 500
- Plan to supplement dividend with share repurchases to achieve payout target

Dividend yield as of Sept. 30, 2016. Dividend-paying U.S. E&P companies with market capitalization >\$10B: APA, APC, COP, DVN, ECA, EOG, EQT, HES, MRO, OXY and PXD.

# **Buybacks Reinforce Discipline and Boost Payout**



Generate Free Cash Flow

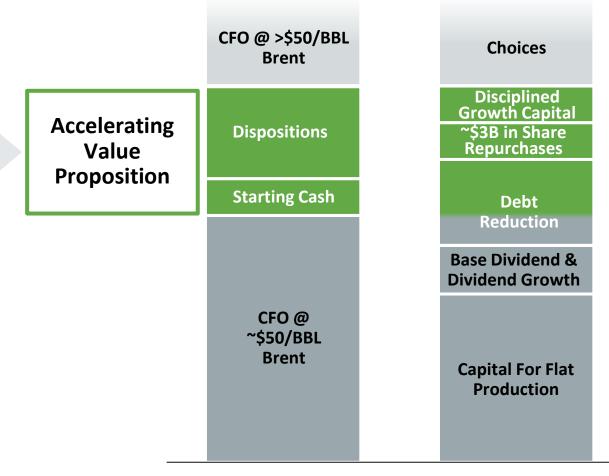
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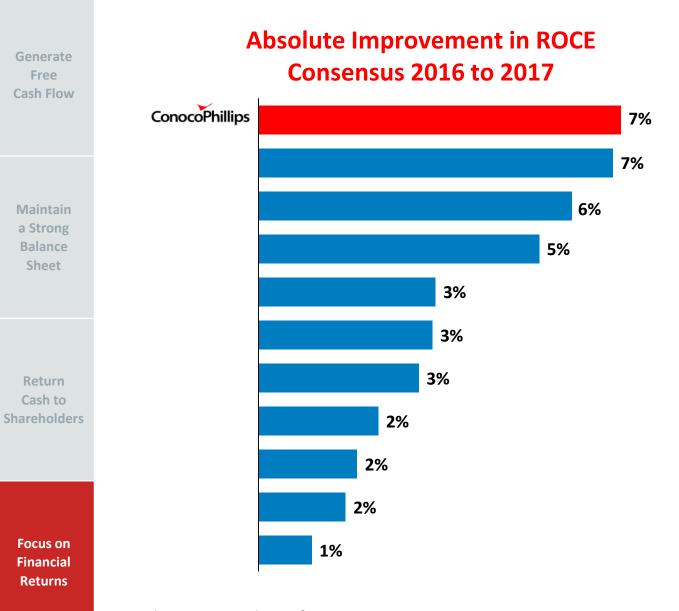
- Demonstrates a commitment to distinctive distributions
- Boosts current distribution by ~80%
- Expect to commence this quarter
- Willing to accelerate repurchases when additional cash flow is available
- 20-30% payout is a "through cycle" target





## Returns Matter. A Lot.





- Differential improvement in returns as prices recover
- Significant, sustainable cost reductions mitigate impact of lower prices
- Returns grow even at flat prices
  - Major project completions improve capital productivity
  - Dispositions expected to be accretive to ROCE
- Focus on returns is core to strategy

# Financial Priorities Make ConocoPhillips Truly Distinctive



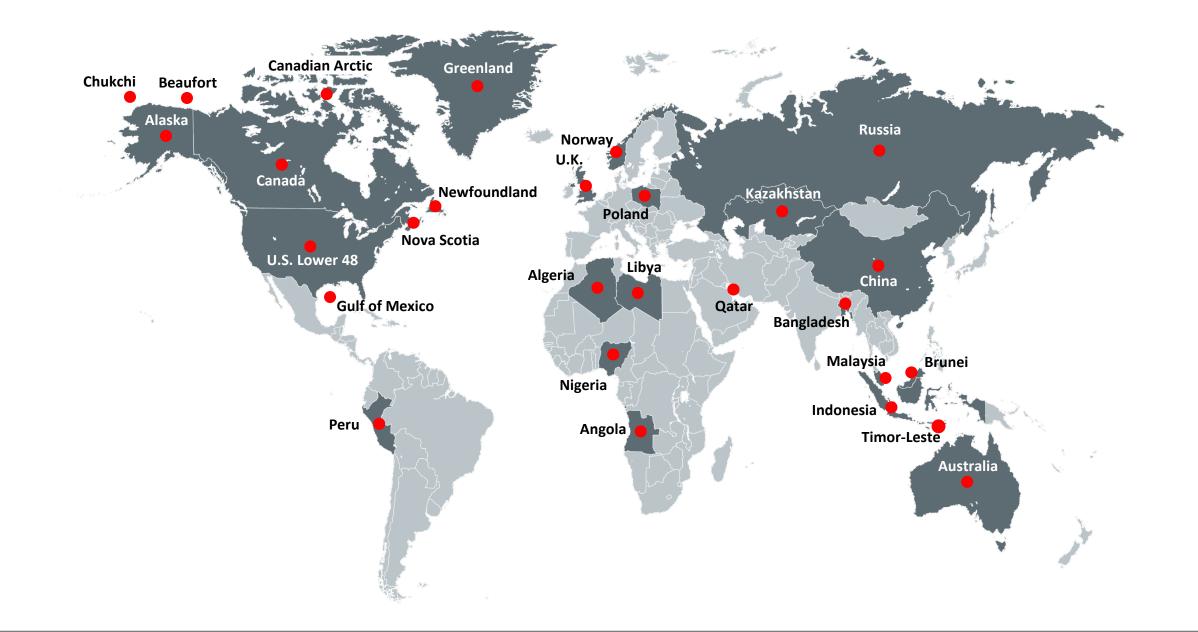


- Managing the business to generate free cash flow
  - Low breakeven price
  - Low capital intensity
  - Significant upside as prices recover
- Viable plan to strengthen balance sheet
  - Achieve target debt of \$20B by year-end 2019
- Top-tier payout to shareholders compared to E&Ps
  - 20-30% payout achievable through dividend and repurchases
- Focused on improving absolute and relative returns, not just growth

Portfolio Choices

**Al Hirshberg** *EVP, Production, Drilling & Projects* 



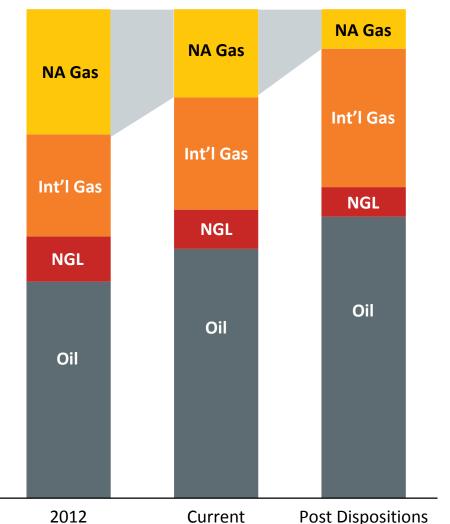


#### Now We Are in About Half the Places









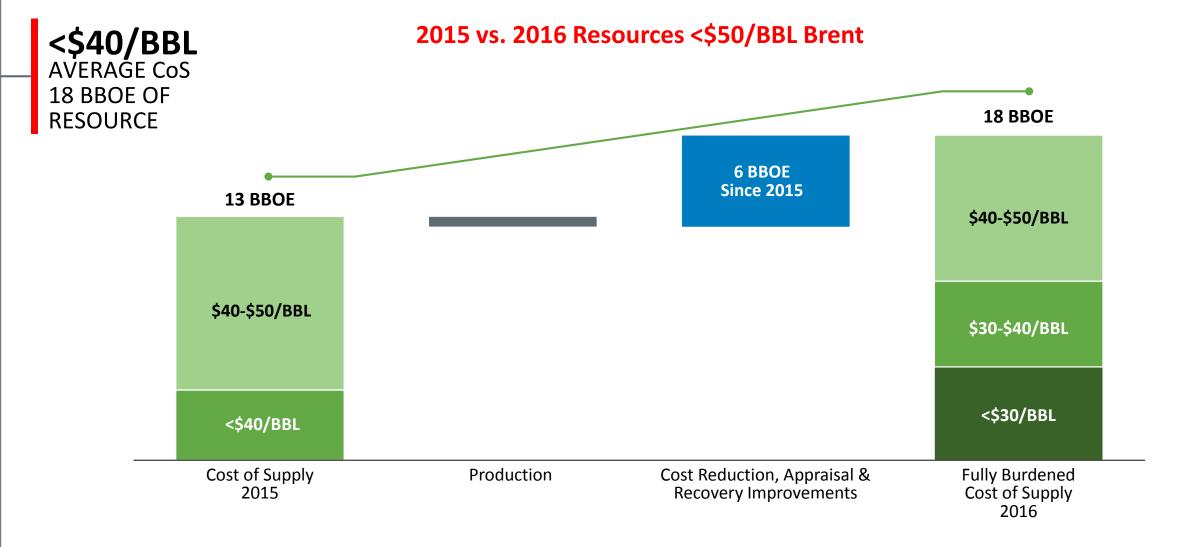
#### Portfolio Product Mix

- Accelerating annual \$1-2B of asset sales
- Strategic decision to drive returns improvement through product mix shift
- Targeting areas with active A&D markets
- Selected assets not attracting development capital in current plan

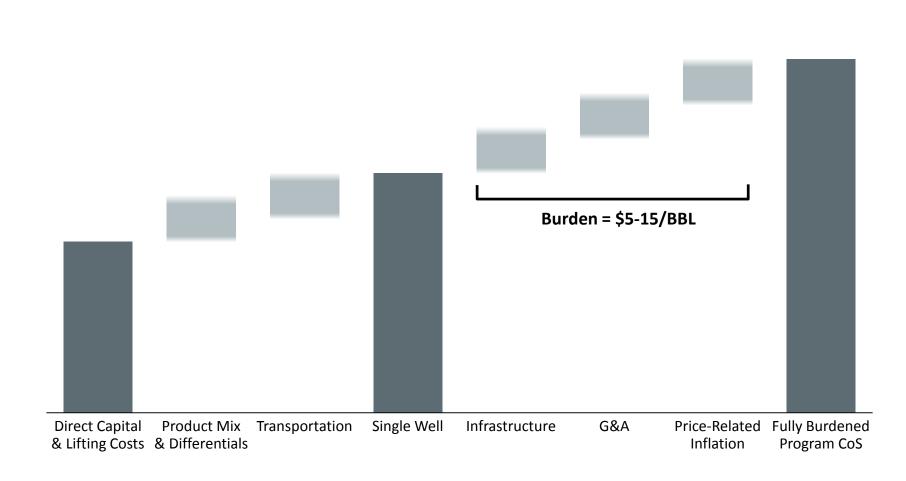


# Growing Where We're Planted – More Low Cost of Supply Resource







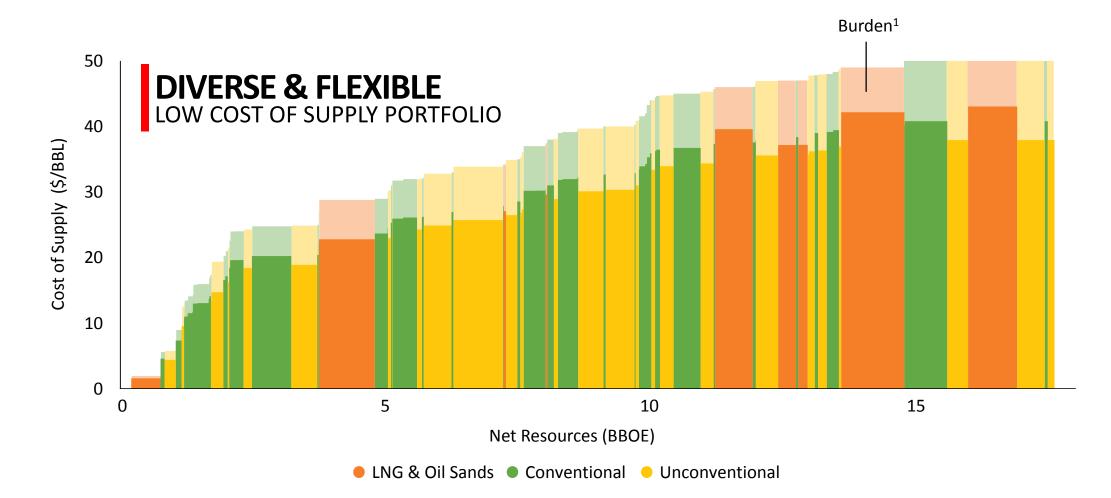


- Cost of supply represents the flat, real commodity price that yields an after-tax return of 10% on a pointforward and fully burdened basis
- A fully burdened cost of supply includes all direct and indirect costs
- Price-related inflation to \$65/BBL Brent and foreign exchange impacts
- Fully burdened cost of supply provides a clearer representation of impacts to corporate returns

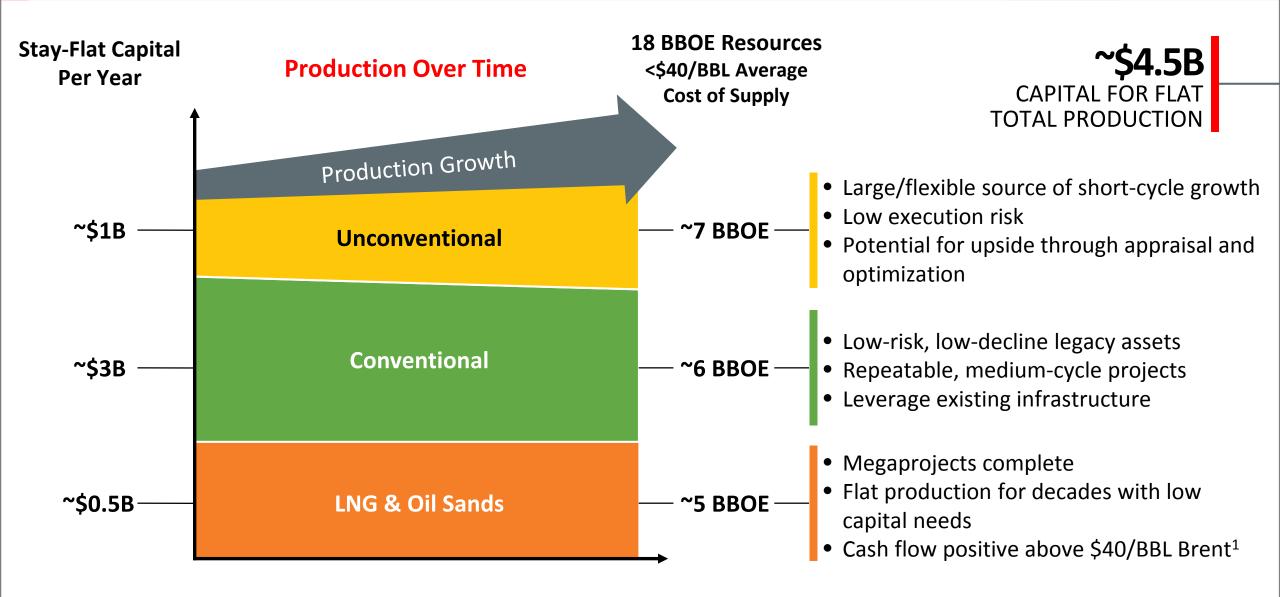
# Match This: 18 BBOE Resource, <\$40/BBL Brent Average CoS



#### <\$50/BBL Cost of Supply Resource (Fully Burdened)

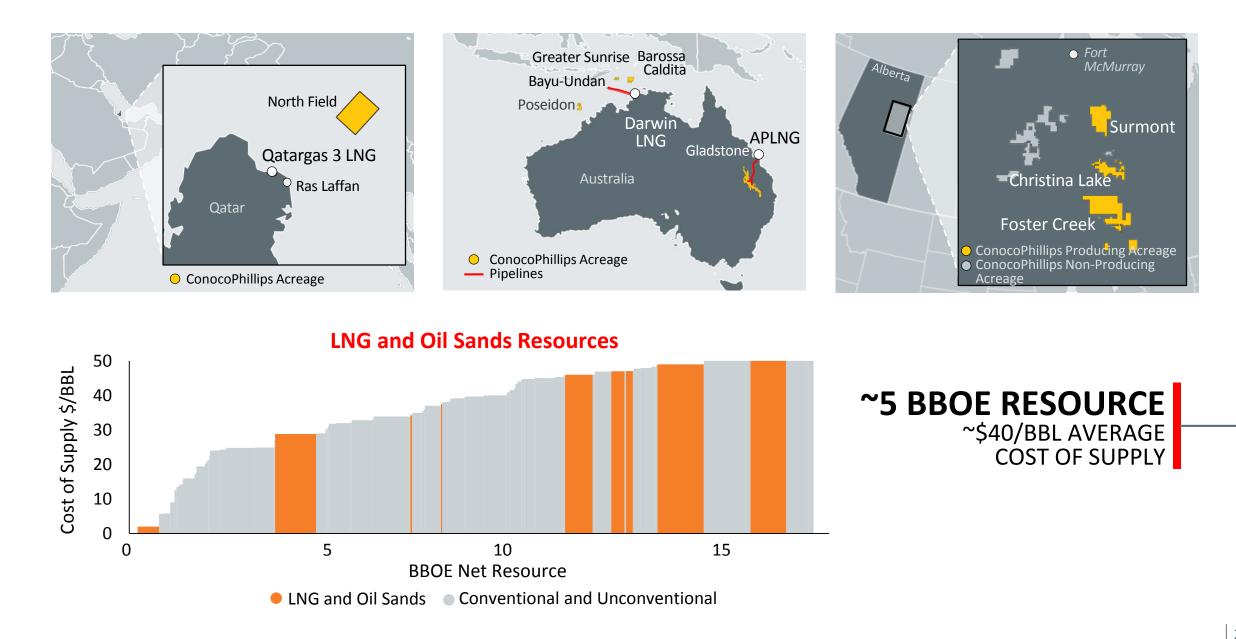


# Power of Diversification: Three Asset Classes, Each Serves a Role



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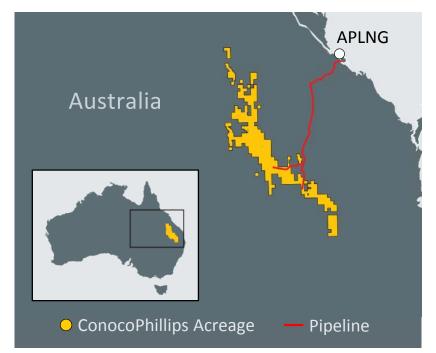
# LNG and Oil Sands: Big and Stable with Price and Technology Upside ConocoPhillips

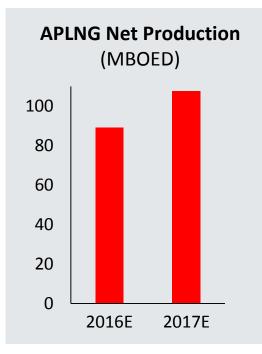


# **APLNG:** Project Exceeding Expectations; All Aboard Train 2





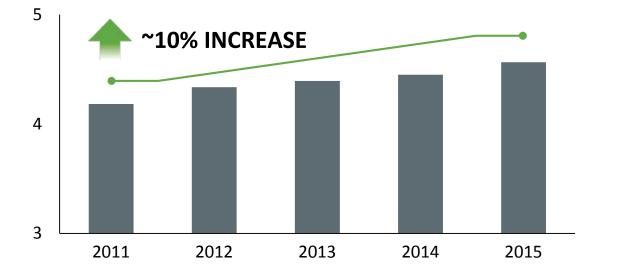




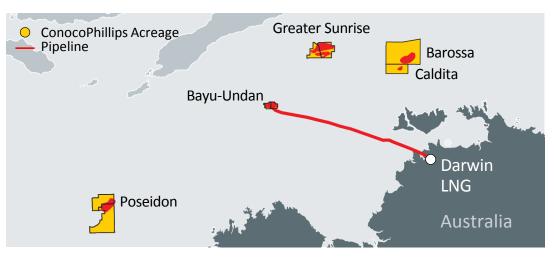
- Train 1 performance exceeding design nameplate capacity
- Train 2 first production achieved in September 2016
- 20-year LNG offtake contracts for 8.6 MTPA
- >1 BBOE net resource
- Point-forward cost of supply <\$30/BBL</li>

# Darwin LNG: Strong Performance and Bright Future

- Multiyear improvement in production capacity through optimization and minor debottlenecking
- Improved uptime with no additional capital expense
- Maximizing capacity utilization by drilling 3 Bayu-Undan infill wells in 2017
- Drilling Barossa appraisal wells in 1H17 to test backfill viability



#### Average Annual LNG Capacity<sup>1</sup> (MTPA)



#### **Darwin LNG Backfill Options**

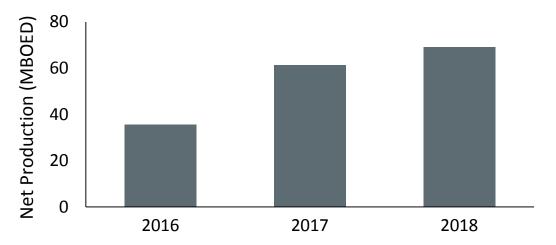
DARWIN LNG BACKFILL

MULTIPLE LOW COST OF SUPPLY OPTIONS

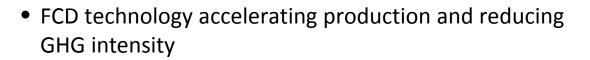


# Surmont: Tomorrow's Legacy Asset is Now Ramping Up

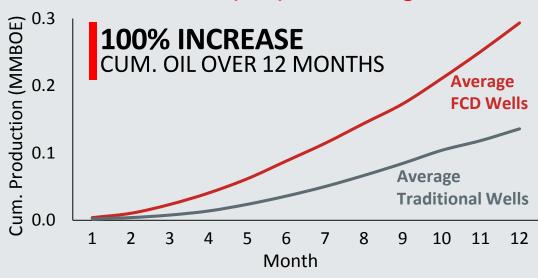




#### **Megaproject Complete – Ramping Up Production**

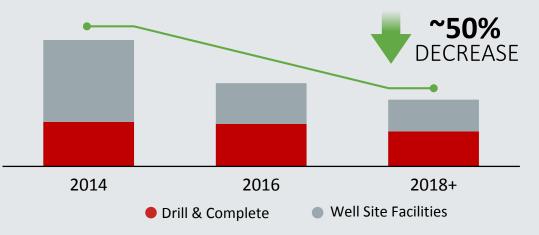


- Standardizing pad/well design to lower costs
- Debottlenecking projects with <\$40/BBL cost of supply can contribute ~25% capacity increase after 2018
- Brownfield projects can contribute an additional ~25% capacity increase after 2018



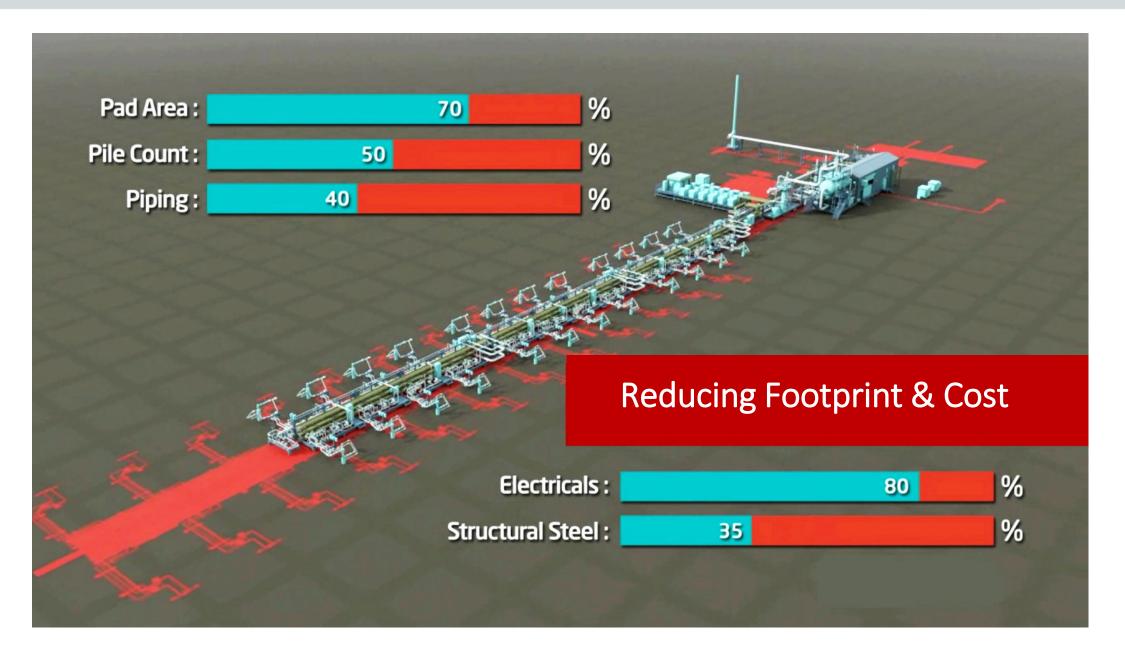
#### **Flow Control Devices (FCD) Accelerating Production**





# Surmont: Picture This





# **Oil Sands Technology:** Unlocking 13 BBOE Resource with >\$50/BBL CoS ConocoPhillips

#### **Efficient Steam Generation and Distribution**

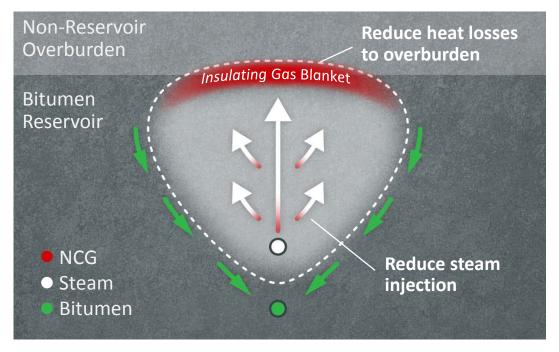
- Steam generation optimization
- Flow control device

#### **Reducing Steam Requirements per Barrel**

- Enhanced SAGD with solvent injection
- Non-Condensable Gas Co-Injection
- Steam additives

- >90% cost of supply reduction target captured
- Anticipate additional ~\$10/BBL reduction over time

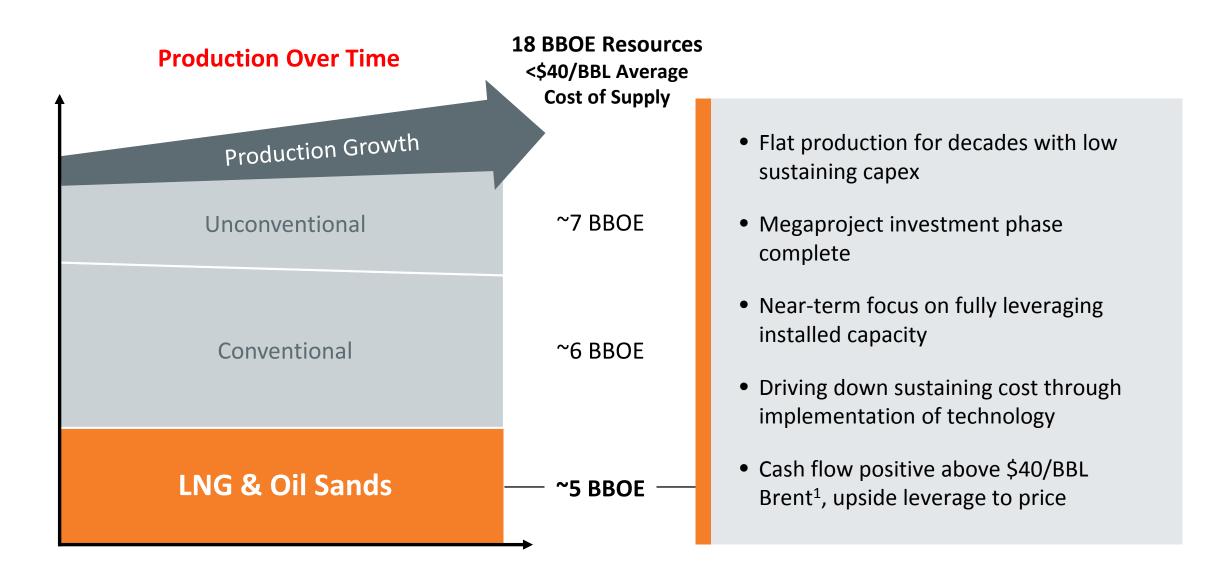
#### 2016 - 2017 Non-Condensable Gas (NCG) Co-Injection Pilot



- Trial to begin 4Q16; results expected in 2017
- Potential SOR & GHG reduction of up to 20%







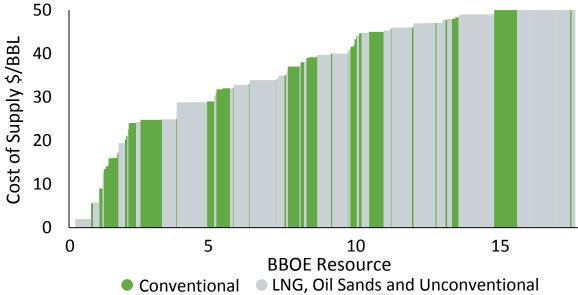
## **Conventional:** The Good Great Stuff No One Asks About







# **Conventional Resources**



~6 BBOE RESOURCE <\$35/BBL AVERAGE COST OF SUPPLY

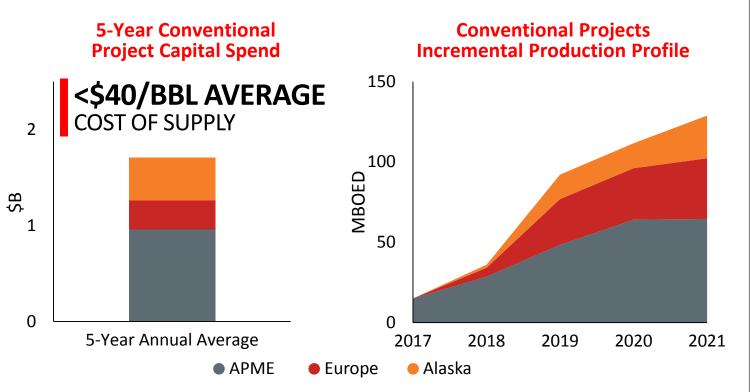
- Continuing to lower costs; ~40% decrease since 2014
- Conventional drilling expected to add ~150 MBOED over next 5 years
- High-quality inventory of conventional projects expected to add ~130 MBOED over next 5 years

## New Conventional Projects: Low-Risk, High-Value, We've Got It





- ~\$5B of projects executed in last 3 years; below budget and ahead of schedule
- Low-risk and repeatable mid-sized projects
- Lowering cost of supply through facility standardization
- Maximizing value from existing infrastructure
- Projects deliver high-margin production

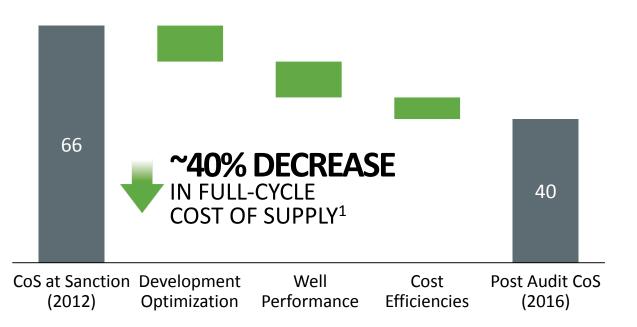


## Alaska: 40% Cost of Supply Reduction Spurs New Activity





**CD5 Project Cost of Supply<sup>1</sup>** (\$/BBL)



- Shifting to performance-based contracts
- Improving operating efficiency through integrated planning and execution
- Collaborating with other operators to maximize utilization of shared resources
- Drilling multi-lateral wells to lower cost and unlock additional resource

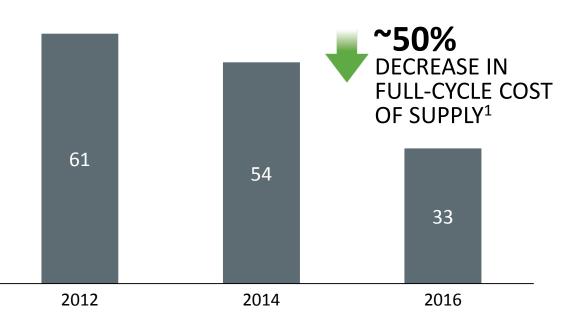
<sup>1</sup> Full-cycle cost of supply is the Brent equivalent price that generates a 10% return on a full-cycle and fully burdened basis.

## Norway: 50% Cost of Supply Reduction on Future Projects





#### Future Projects Cost of Supply<sup>1</sup> (\$/BBL)



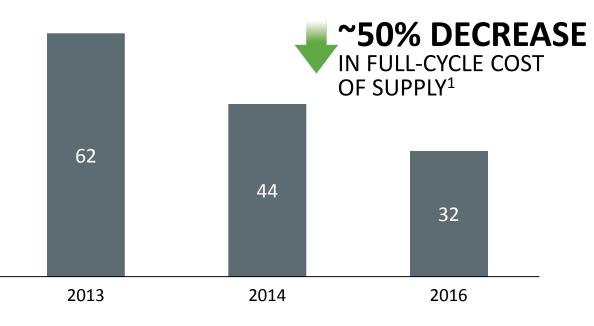
- Minimum facility concept significantly reduces cost and improves project economics
- Standardizing design and functionality
- Leveraging current infrastructure to reduce costs and improve efficiencies
- Developing repeatable short-cycle opportunities with greater flexibility and control

<sup>1</sup> Full-cycle cost of supply is the Brent equivalent price that generates a 10% return on a full-cycle and fully burdened basis. Projects included in full-cycle weighted average cost of supply are Tommeliten Alpha, Tor II and Eldfisk North.

## China: 50% Cost of Supply Reduction Through Continuous Improvement ConocoPhillips



#### **Bohai WHP-J Project Cost of Supply<sup>1</sup>** (\$/BBL)

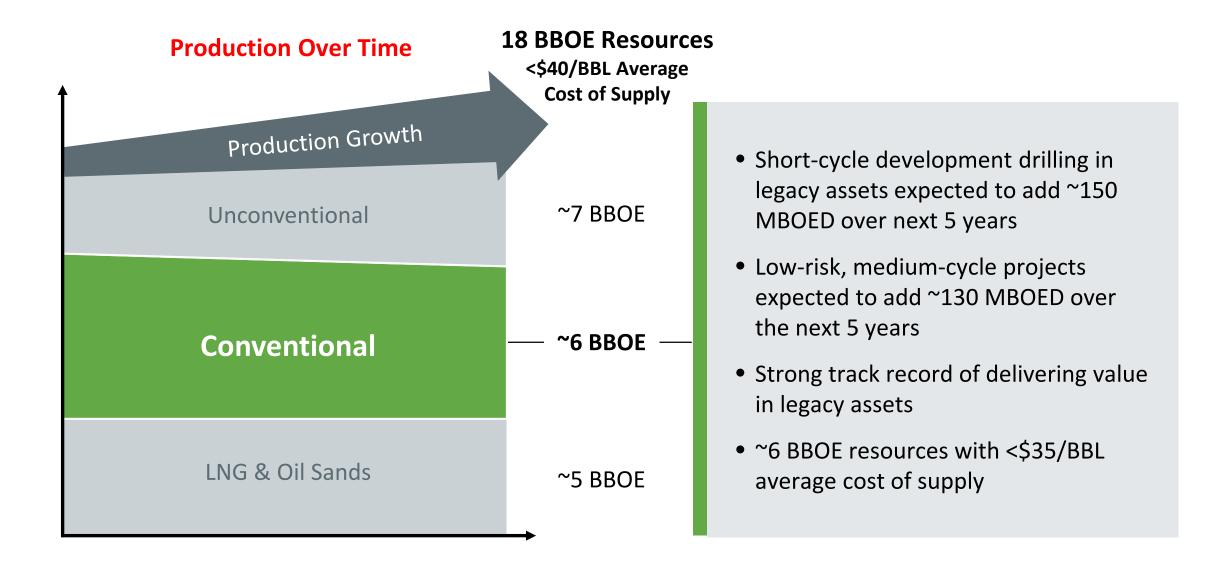


- Capturing structural and cyclical cost savings
- Fit-for-purpose project design
- Optimizing facility construction plans
- \$150MM net savings at Bohai by improving well design

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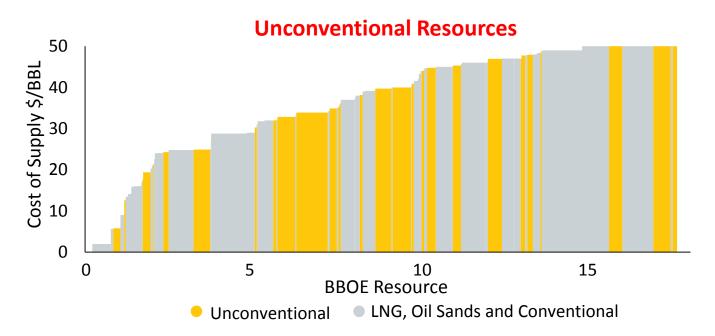
## Power of Diversification: Low-Risk Conventional Portfolio





## **Unconventional:** Top-Tier Resource Base and Growing





- Flexible, short-cycle investments with low execution risk
- High-margin production drives cash flow growth
- Prudent development pace maximizes value

~7 BBOE RESOURCE ~\$35/BBL AVERAGE COST OF SUPPLY



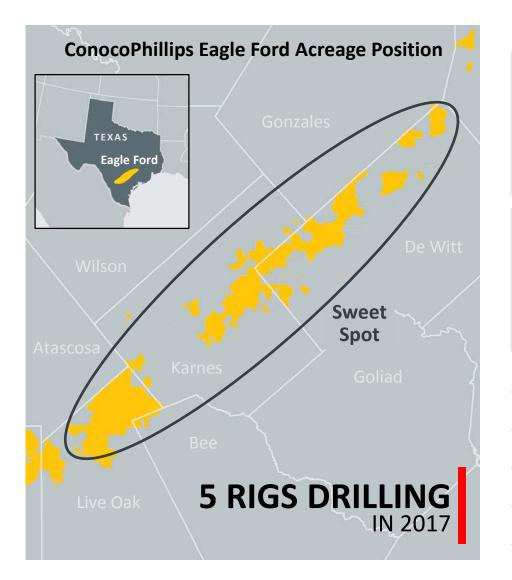
## **Unconventional:** This Will Surprise You!



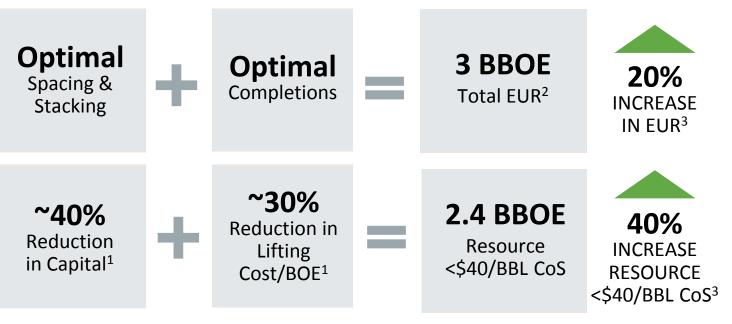


<sup>1</sup> Competitors include: APC, BHP, CLR, CVX, DVN, EOG, MRO, PXD and XOM.





#### Significant Remaining Resource with Low Cost of Supply



- 213 M net acres in the heart of the play
- Reduced completed well costs by ~40% 2016 vs. 2014
- 3,500 net undrilled locations <\$40/BBL cost of supply
- ~25% of remaining resources <\$25/BBL cost of supply
- Initial results from Austin Chalk encouraging

## Eagle Ford: Structural, Not Cyclical, Cost Reductions





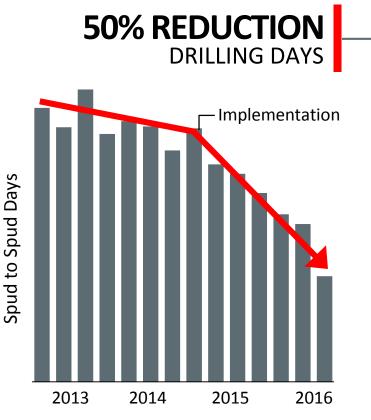


#### **Integrated Operations**

- Increasing workforce productivity with technology integration
- Smart field enables "operate by exception"
- Real-time insight accelerates optimization
- Data-driven defect elimination

## <\$2.0/BOE LIFTING COST

Faster Drilling with Advanced Analytics





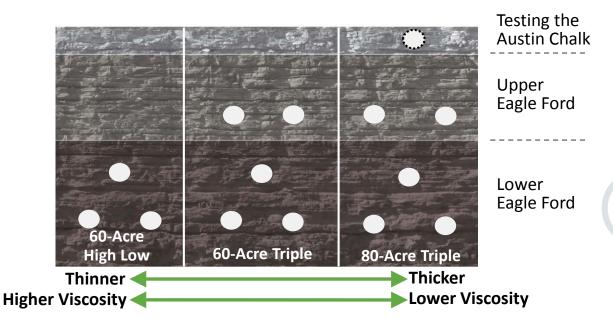
Pilot	Stimulated Rock Vo	lume (SRV)	Time	-Lapse Geochemistry	
What We Did	Utilized cores, image logs, in-well and cross- well monitoring to gain insights on fracture complexity and geometry		Gathered extensive database of oil samples over past 5 years; analyzed cores to tie biomarker fingerprints to stratigraphy		
What We Learned			Upper Eagle Ford Lower Eagle Ford		Production Contribution Over Time
	How the rock fractures	How to optimize completion design	+	What layers contribute to production	How that changes over time

**Increased EUR & Lowered CoS** 

## **Eagle Ford:** NPV of Learning Curve > NPV of Acceleration



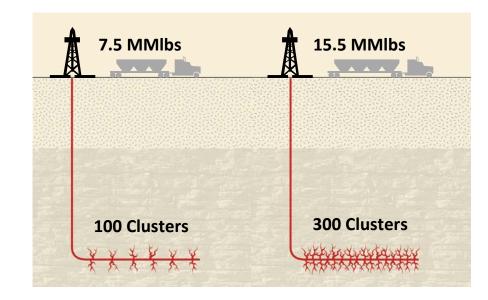
#### **Customized Spacing and Stacking to Geology**



- Optimal spacing and stacking pattern developed through reservoir understanding
- Different well configurations depending on location and geology



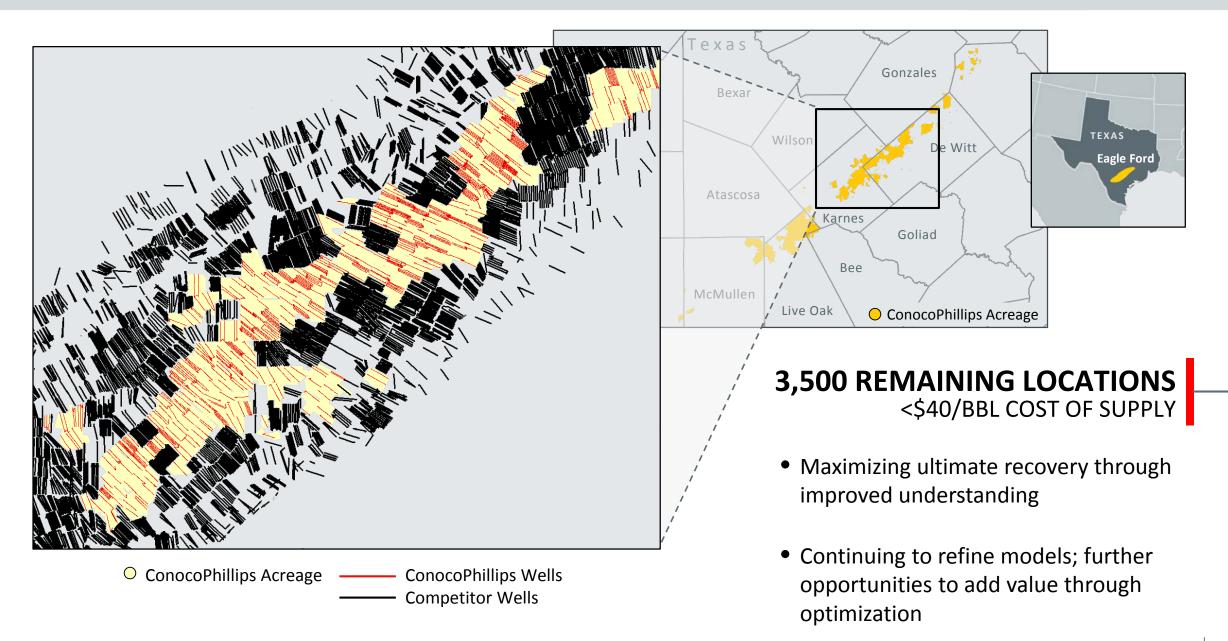
#### 2014 vs. 2016 Completion Design



- Data acquisition and modeling supports tighter cluster spacing and higher proppant loading
- Completion efficiencies resulting in 50% cost reduction vs. 2014, despite larger design

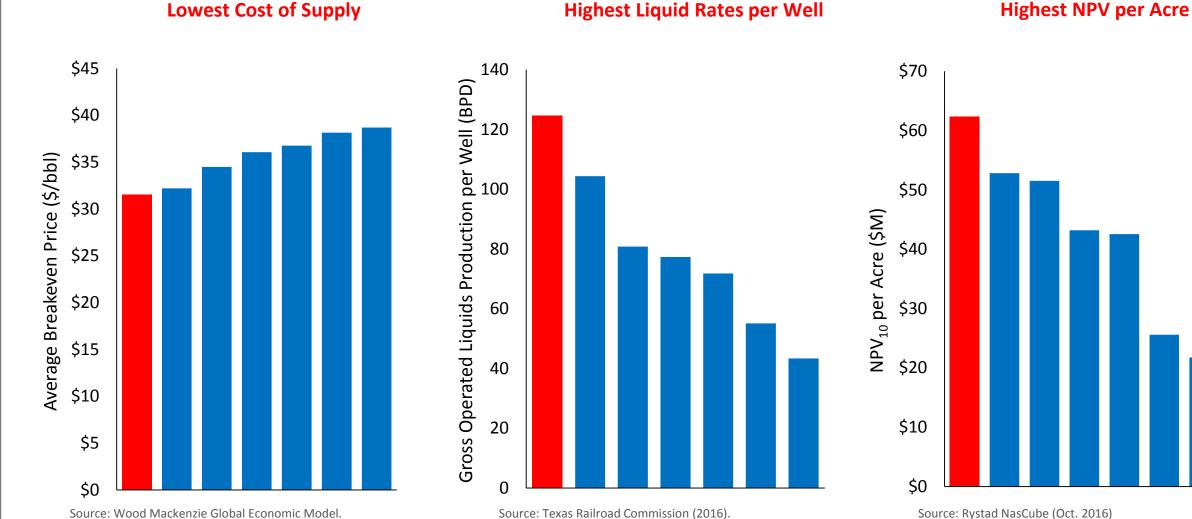
## Eagle Ford: Measured Pace Pays Off





## Eagle Ford: ConocoPhillips is Perennial Champ

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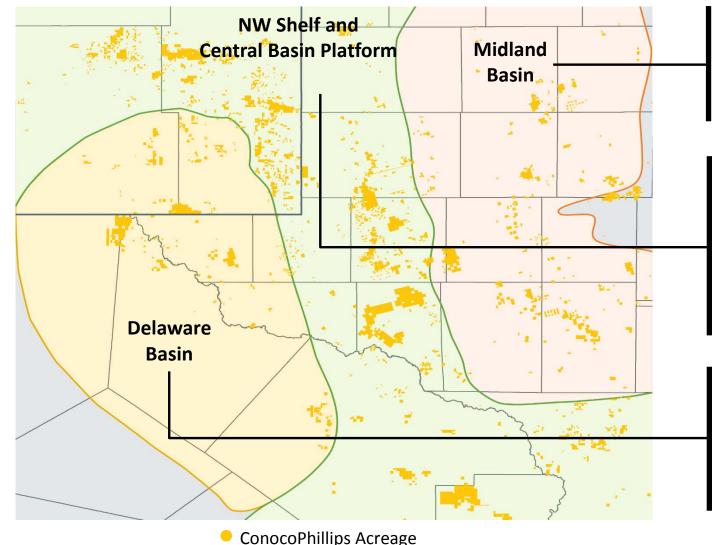
Source: Rystad NasCube (Oct. 2016)



<sup>1</sup>Operators with >100M acres



#### **Competitive Permian Basin Position with 1 MM Acres**



#### **Midland Basin**

- 163 M net acres; 9 MBOED net production<sup>2</sup>
- Legacy conventional position and emerging unconventional potential

### NW Shelf and Central Basin Platform<sup>1</sup>

- 762 M net acres; 40 MBOED net production<sup>2</sup>
- Legacy conventional position
- Evaluating unconventional potential
- Utilizing unconventional technology to develop untapped conventional reservoirs

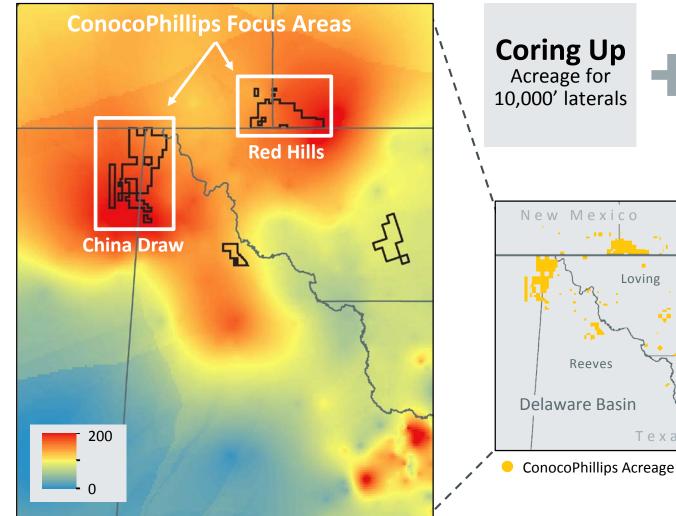
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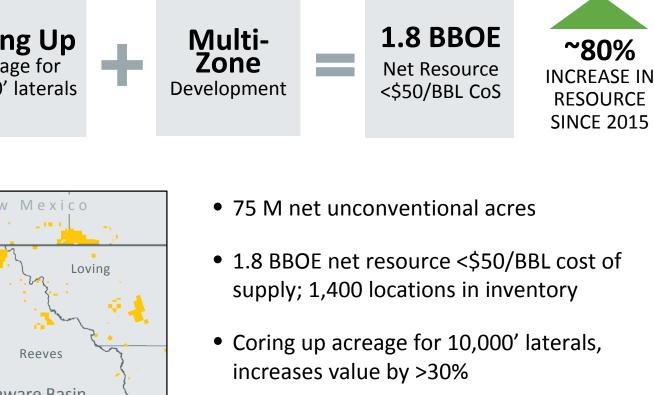
- 75 M net acres; 21 MBOED net production<sup>2</sup>
- Top-tier unconventional acreage position
- Contiguous acreage provides development opportunities for 10,000' laterals

<sup>1</sup> NW Shelf and Central Basin Platform group includes ConocoPhillips acreage in Val Verde, Eastern Shelf and Maverick sub-basins. <sup>2</sup> 3Q16 production.



#### 'Wolfcamp 1' -- 6 Month Cum. (MBOE)





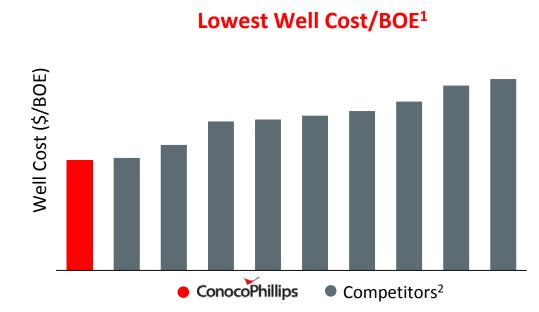
Texas

- Reduced completed well cost by ~50% since 2014
- Stacking to maximize NPV per acre

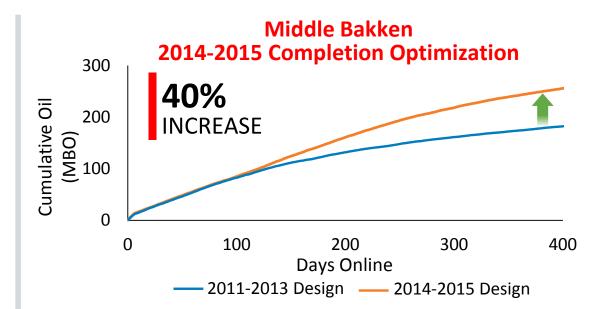
Source: IHS Enerdeq and ConocoPhillips.

## Bakken: Increasing EUR While Driving Down Costs

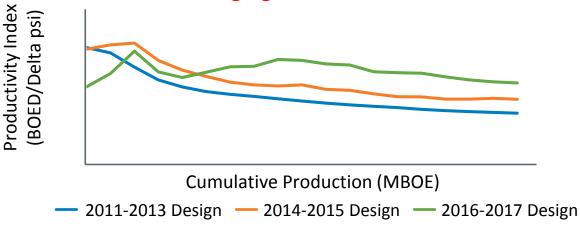




- ~620 M net acres; 0.7 BBOE resource <\$35/BBL average CoS
- Optimizing recovery through improved completion design
- Pilot program confirmed spacing and infill potential of Middle Three Forks
- Reduced completed well costs by ~45% 2016 vs. 2014

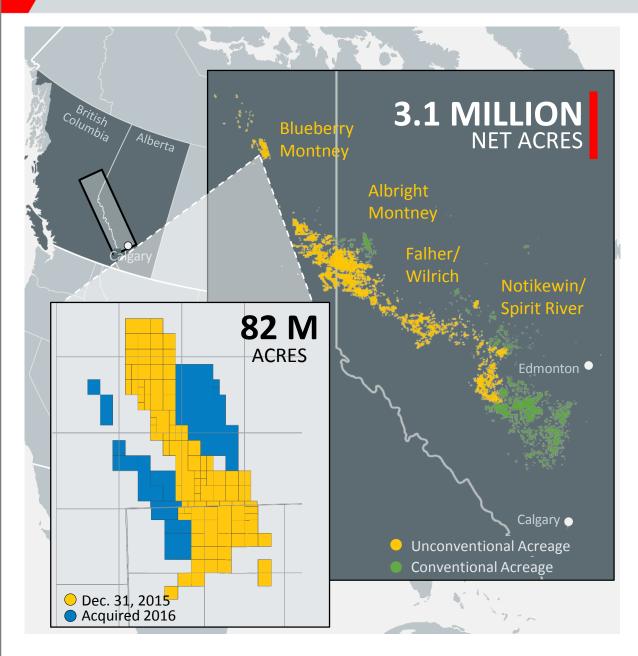


#### 2016-2017 Completion Optimization Provides Encouraging Results in Middle Bakken



## Western Canada: 1 BBOE Today, But Watch This Resource Grow





- 1 BBOE unconventional resource <\$50/BBL cost of supply
- ~100 MBOED production expected in 2017
- Reduced production and operating expense per BOE by ~30% since 2014
- Midstream infrastructure with >1 BCFD net capacity in proximity to key plays
- Expanding position in liquids-rich plays through non-cash land swaps
- Appraising Montney potential in 2016 and 2017



THROUGH ONGOING APPRAISAL

## Future Unconventionals: Pipeline of Low Cost of Supply Possibilities ConocoPhillips



#### Niobrara

- ~100 M net acres
- Sustained performance from longer laterals
- Continue drilling and piloting in 2017

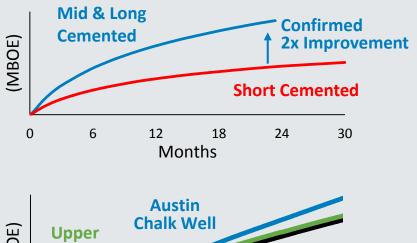
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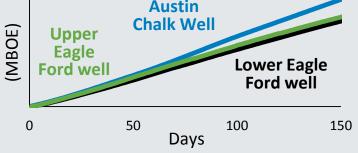
- Encouraging well results
- Resource potential not yet assessed
- Continue drilling and piloting in 2017

### Colombia

- ~70 M net acres
- Picoplata #1 well test late 2016/early 2017
- Additional drilling opportunities 2017+

#### **Cumulative Production vs. Time**

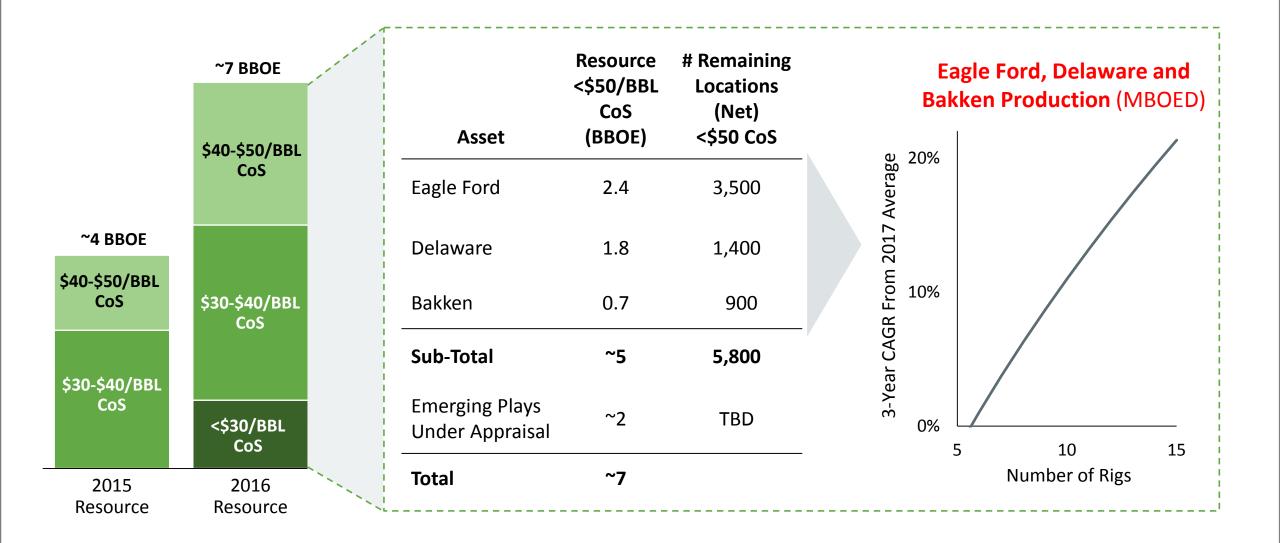




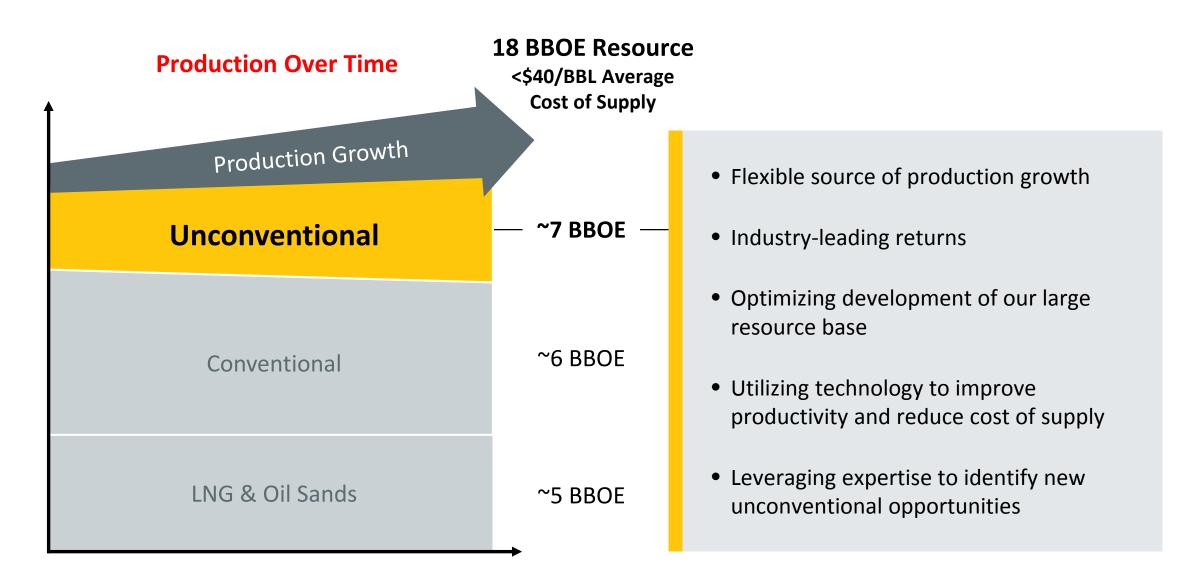
#### Chile

- ~200 M net acres
- Significant running room with stacked pay potential
- Opportunity to leverage existing infrastructure





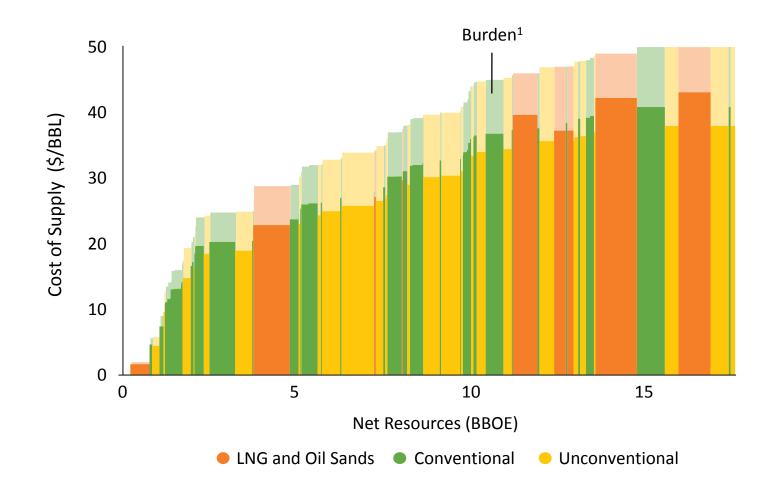
## Power of Diversification: Low-Risk Unconventional Portfolio







#### <\$50/BBL Cost of Supply Resource (Fully Burdened)

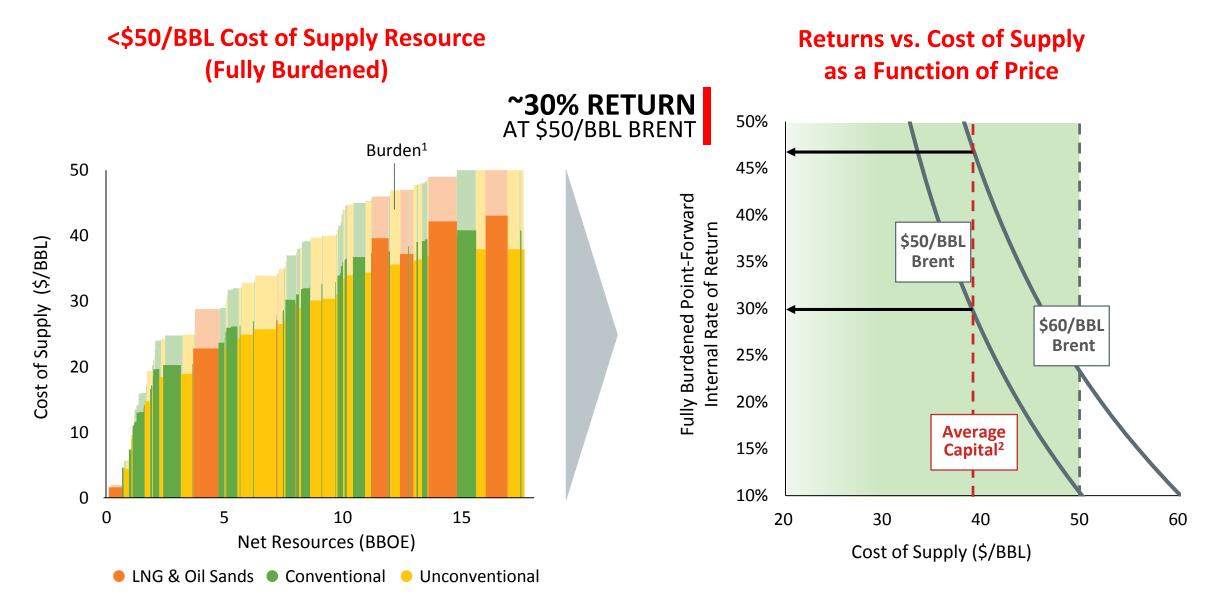


- Large, low cost of supply resource base
- Diverse, low-decline base production
- Flexible, short-cycle investment options
- Decades of drilling inventory
- Repeatable low-risk, mid-sized conventional projects
- Technology utilization to enhance production and lower costs

# Strategic Flexibility

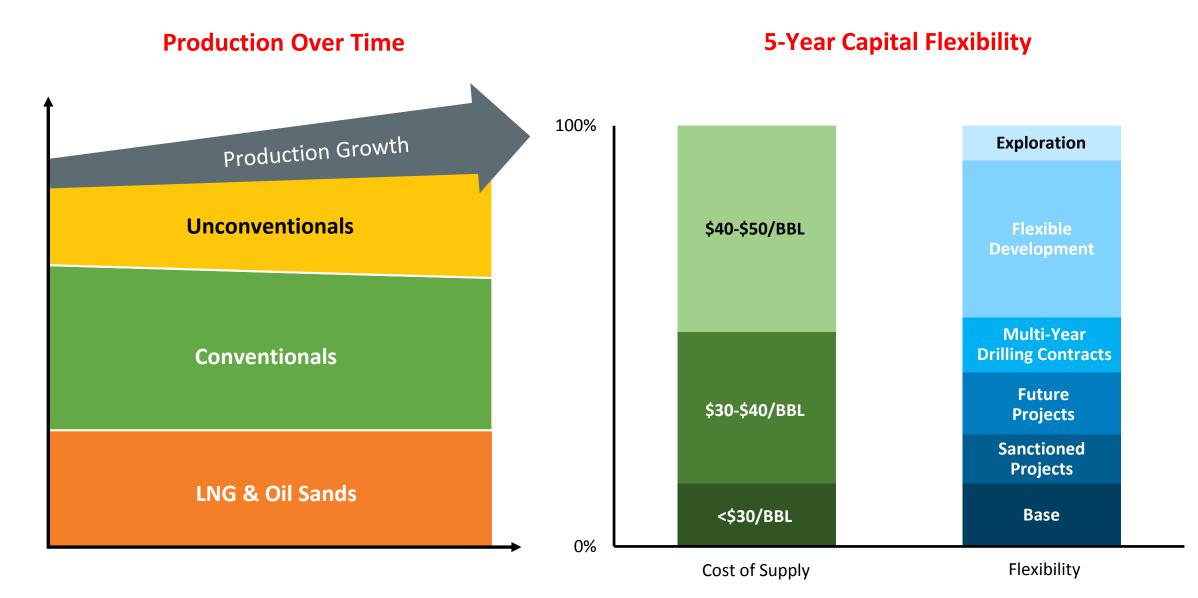
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<sup>1</sup> Burden = capital infrastructure + foreign exchange + price-related inflation + G&A. <sup>2</sup> Represents 5-year capital weighted cost of supply. Our Portfolio is Designed to Create Strategic Flexibility...





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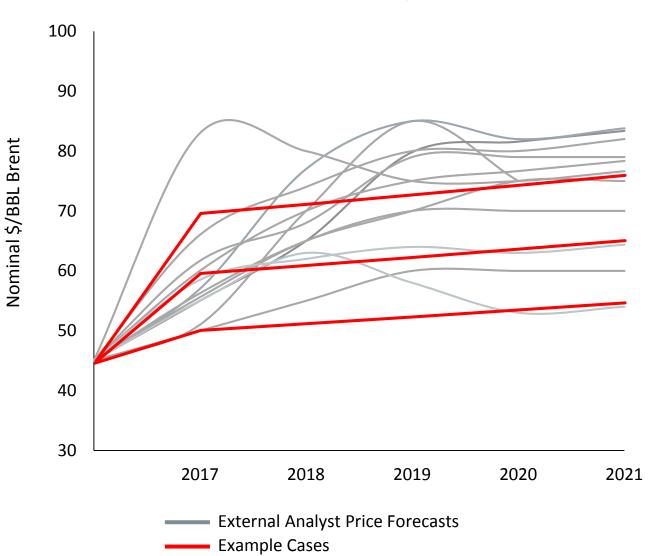


#### **Potential Scenarios**

<b>Unrelenting</b>	<b>Robust</b>
<b>Unconventionals</b>	<b>Recovery</b>
High pace of unconventional	Global economic
development in the face of	recovery supports high
low economic growth	oil & gas supply
Demand Destruction Carbon constraints and/or technology advances reduce oil and natural gas demand	<b>Resource</b> <b>Restriction</b> High economic growth with limitations on unconventional development

- Scenarios describe broad sector environments
- Each scenario embeds key drivers of supply and demand fundamentals
- Signposts identified within each scenario
- Over 150 signposts monitored by internal and external experts and web-crawling algorithm
- Process enables dynamic tracking of scenario shifts
- Key advantage of scenario-based process is to test strategies against emerging trends



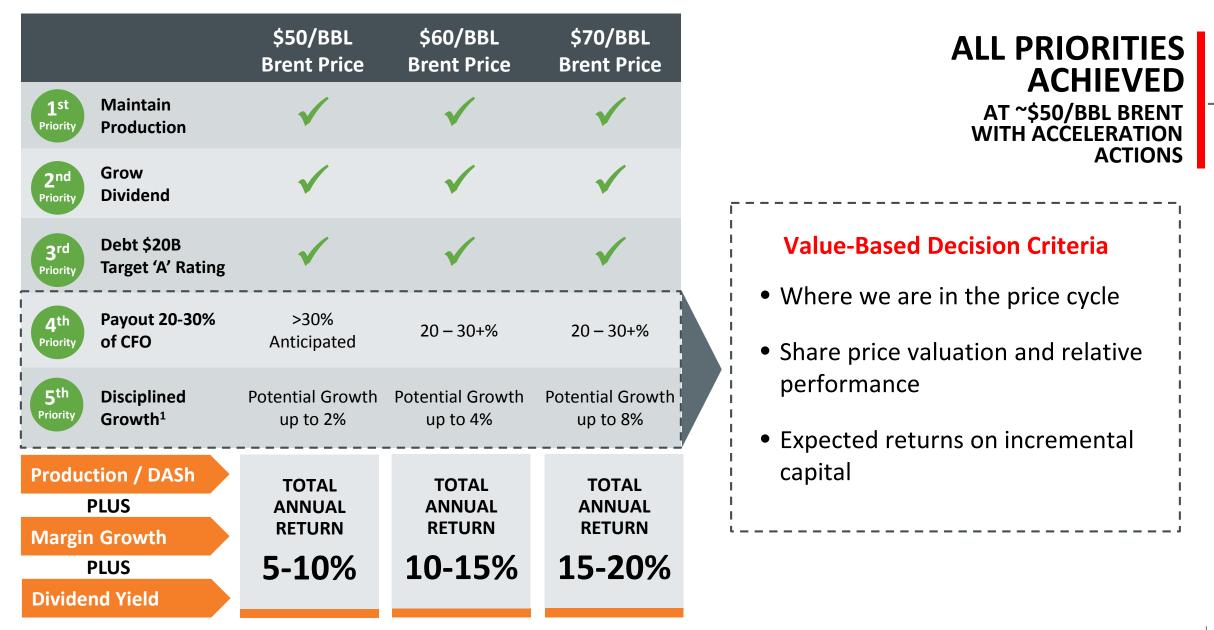


#### **Oil Price Projections**

- General consensus around nearterm price recovery
- Absolute price and degree of cyclicality varies
- Wide range of long-term price projections
- Examples to demonstrate viability of ConocoPhillips' strategy across a range of prices

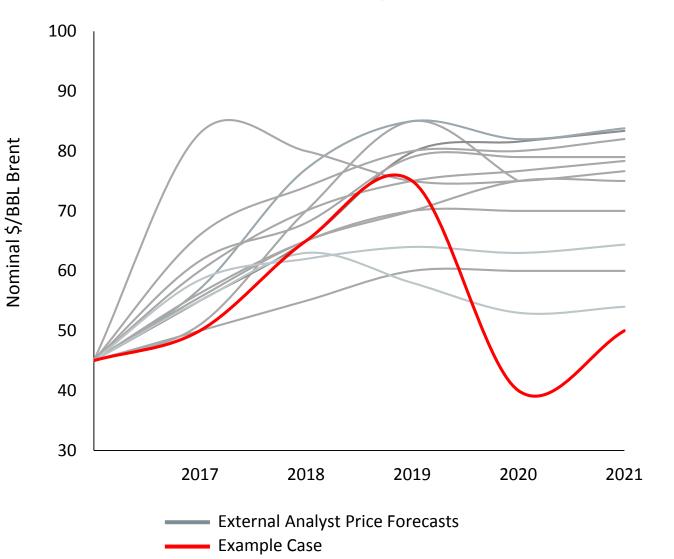


## Flexible Strategy Delivers Across a Range of Prices



<sup>1</sup> Production is normalized for the full-year impact of dispositions expected to occur in 2017+.

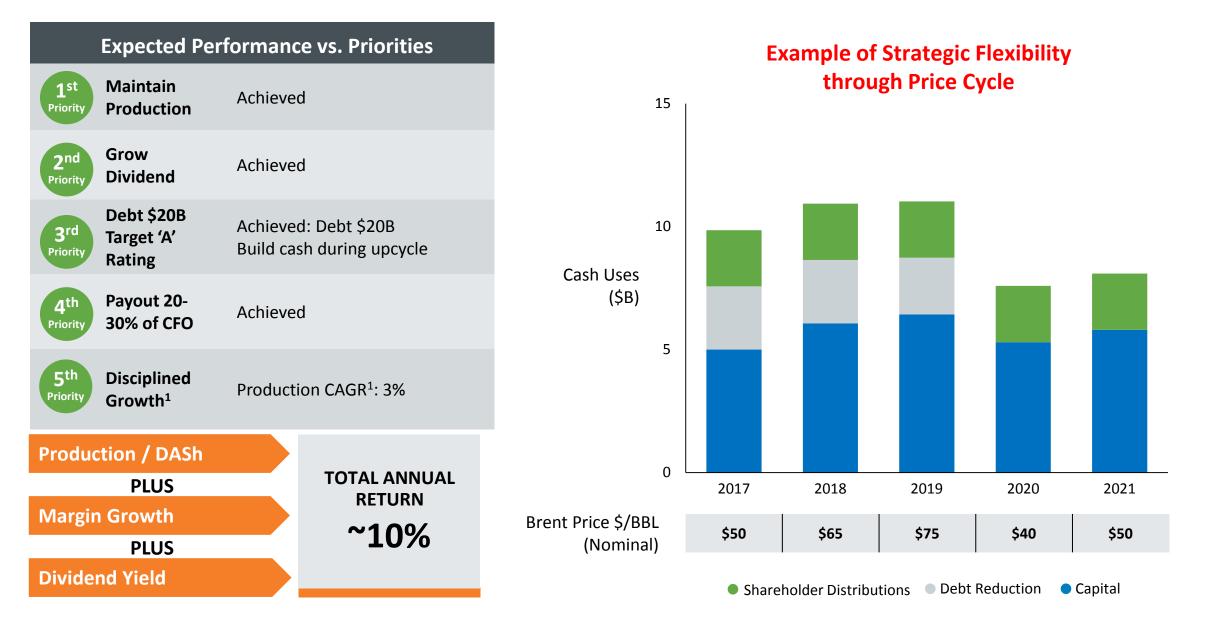




#### **Oil Price Projections**

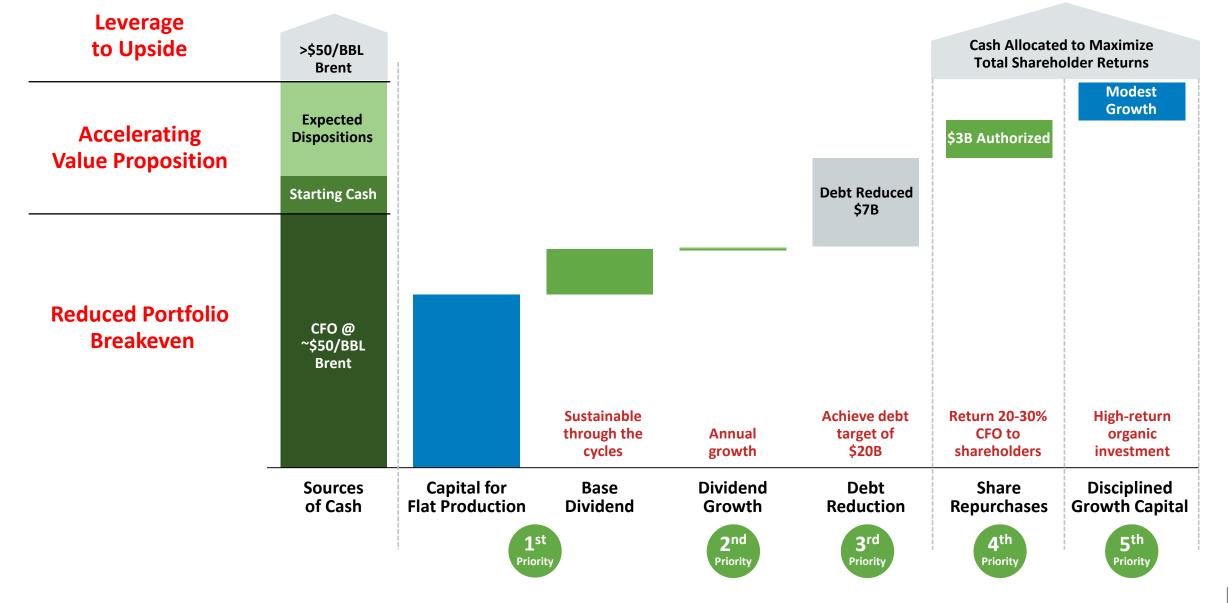
• Example to demonstrate viability of ConocoPhillips' strategy across a price cycle



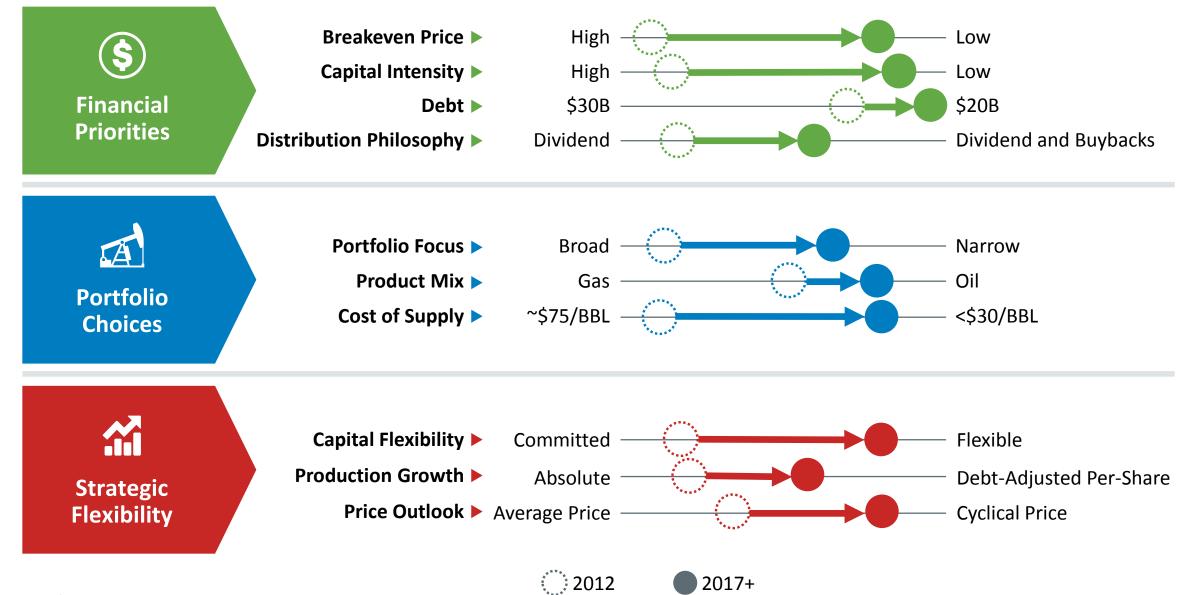


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## We Have Transformed Our Strategy and Increased Strategic Flexibility ConocoPhillips



Note: Location of boxes and arrows is illustrative. Breakeven price is a non-GAAP measure, which is defined in the appendix.

## Our Strategy Is Distinctive, Interesting, Viable and Achievable



Financial Priorities

- Free cash flow generation with strong balance sheet and low breakeven price
- Focus on absolute and relative returns



Choices

- Accelerating strategy with \$5-8B of dispositions
- More than 30 years of production with average cost of supply <\$40/BBL

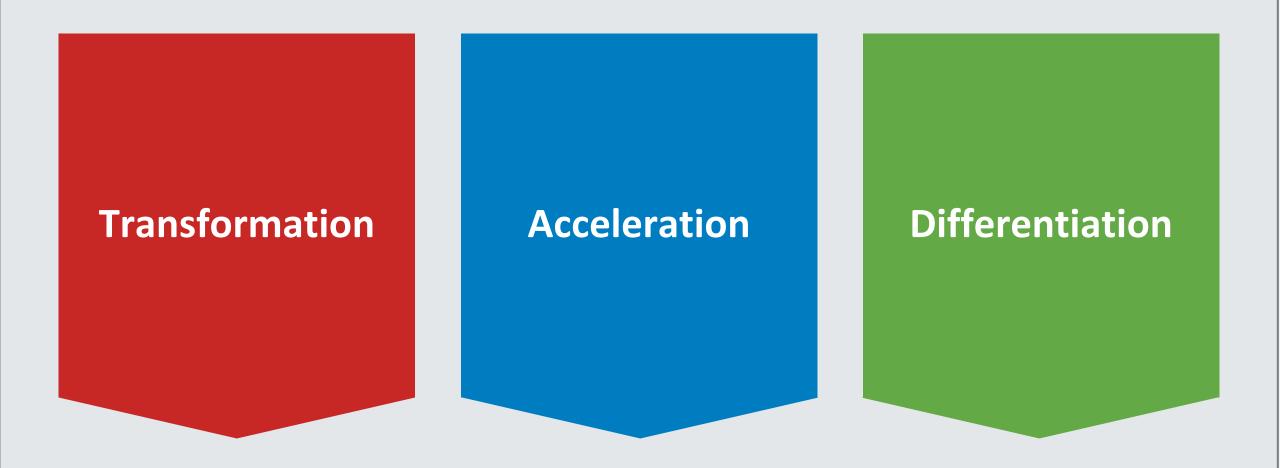
Strategic Flexibility

- Dynamic scenario planning process
- Designed to deliver returns to shareholders across a range of prices and cycles

## **Closing Comments**

**Ryan Lance** *Chairman & CEO* 





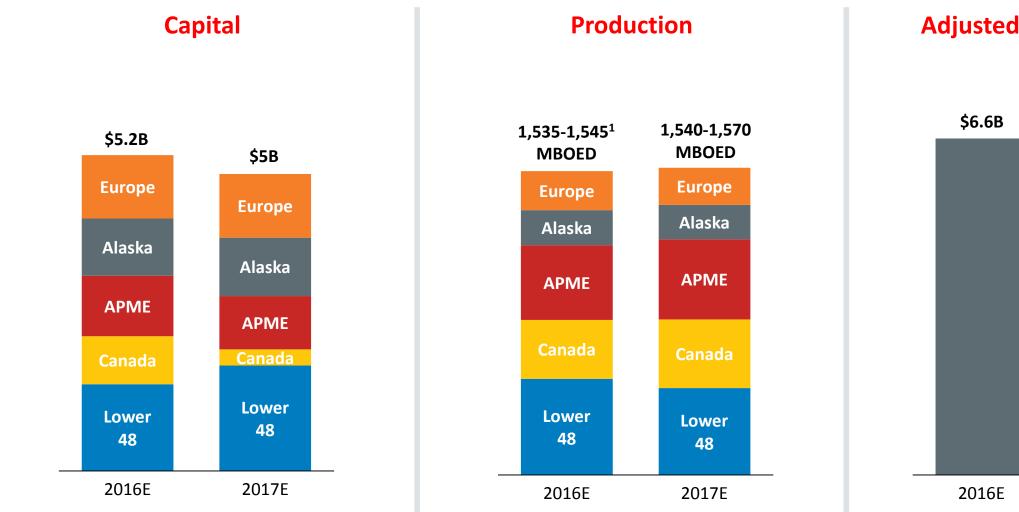
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## 2017 Operating Plan Guidance





#### **Adjusted Operating Costs**



<sup>1</sup>2016 production is adjusted for the full-year estimated impact of 2016 dispositions. Adjusted operating costs is a non-GAAP measure and a non-GAAP reconciliation is provided on our website.

## 2017 Annualized Cash Flow Sensitivities



### Consolidated Operations<sup>1</sup> (\$45-\$65/BBL Brent)

• Crude:

- Brent/ANS: ~\$105-115MM for \$1/BBL change
- WTI: ~\$50-60MM for \$1/BBL change
- WCS: ~\$10-15MM for \$1/BBL change
- Lower 48 NGL
  - **Representative Blend:** ~\$10-15MM for \$1/BBL change
- Natural Gas
  - Henry Hub: ~\$95-105MM for \$0.25/MCF change
  - Int'l Gas: ~\$20-25MM for \$0.25/MCF change

#### Equity Affiliates<sup>2</sup> (\$50-\$65/BBL Brent)

- Expect distributions from all equity affiliates at >\$50/BBL
- \$1/BBL movement in Brent: ~\$55-65MM

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Announced 2017+ disposition program is not reflected in sensitivities.

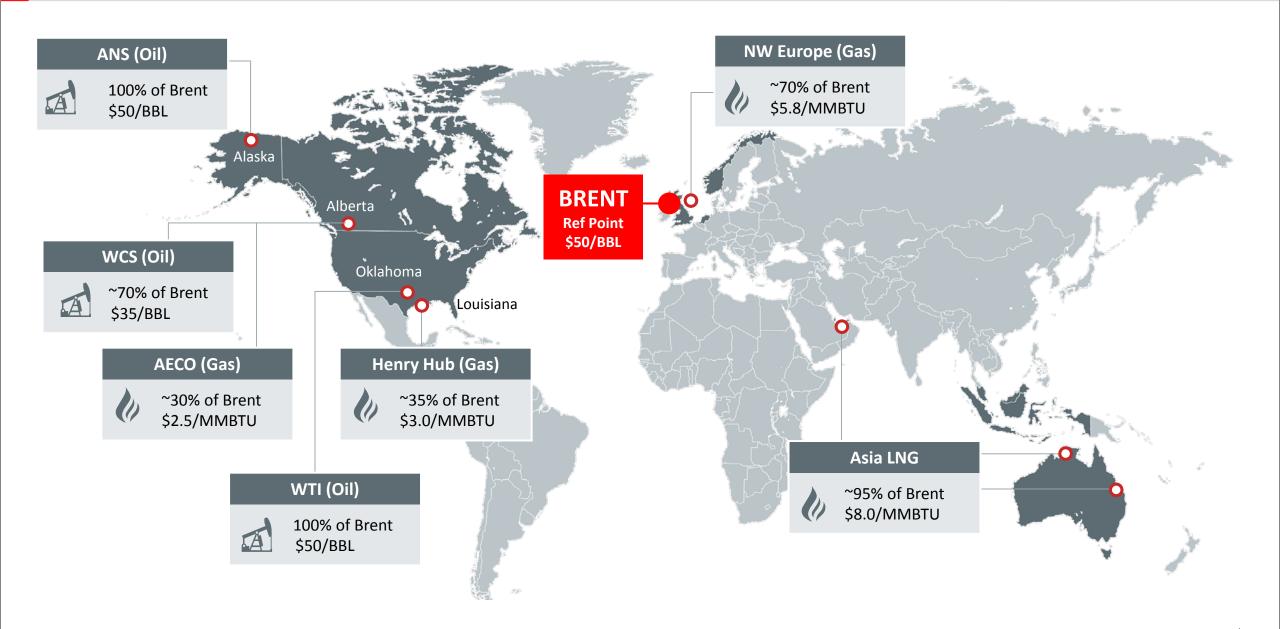
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Representative of CFO within Equity Affiliates, may not all be distributed. Assumes WCS moves proportionally to Brent. Contracted LNG within equity affiliates is subject to a 3-month pricing lag.

The published sensitivities above reflect annual estimates and may not apply to quarterly results due to lift timing/product sales differences, significant turnaround activity or other unforeseen portfolio shifts in production.

Additionally, the above sensitivities apply to a range of commodity price fluctuations as of Nov. 10, 2016, but may not apply to significant and unexpected increases or decreases.

## Current Marker Price Differentials at \$50/BBL Brent





## Abbreviations and Definitions



- A&D: acquisitions and divestitures
- ANS: Alaska North Slope
- B: billion
- BBL: barrel
- **BBOE:** billions of barrels of oil equivalent
- BCFD: billions of cubic feet per day
- BOE: barrels of oil equivalent
- BOED: barrels of oil equivalent per day
- Breakeven Price: breakeven price is the Brent price at which cash from operations equals the capital expenditures and investments required to maintain flat production, working capital changes associated with investing activities and dividends paid.
- CAGR: compound annual growth rate
- CFO: cash from operations
- **Cost of Supply (CoS):** cost of supply is the Brent equivalent price that generates a 10 percent return on a point forward and fully burdened basis.
- **Dividend Yield:** dividend yield is calculated as: annual dividend per share / price per share.
- EUR: estimated ultimate recovery
- FCD: flow control devices
- Free Cash Flow: free cash flow is cash from operations in excess of capital expenditures and investments required to maintain flat production, working capital changes associated with investing activities, and dividends paid. Free cash flow is not a measure of cash available for discretionary expenditures since the company has certain non-discretionary obligations such as debt service that are not deducted from the measure.

- GAAP: generally accepted accounting principles
- GHG: greenhouse gas emissions
- LNG: liquefied natural gas
- M: thousand
- Margin Growth: increase in cash from operations per barrel
- MM: million
- MBO: thousands of barrels of oil
- MBOE: thousands of barrels of oil equivalent
- MBOED: thousands of barrels of oil equivalent per day
- MMBTU: million British Thermal Units
- MMIbs: million pounds
- MTPA: millions of tonnes per annum
- NGL: natural gas liquids
- NPV: net present value
- Production / DASh: production per debt adjusted share is calculated as: production / (((balance sheet debt – balance sheet cash)/share price) + shares outstanding).
- ROCE: return on capital employed
- SAGD: steam-assisted gravity drainage
- SOR: steam oil ratio
- WCS: Western Canada Select
- WTI: West Texas Intermediate

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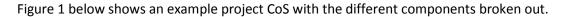
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#### **Cost of Supply Explanation**

Future price uncertainty makes it difficult to rely solely on the traditional measures of merit for investment decisions – NPV, IRR and PI – as they require an explicit price forecast. To reduce our reliance on price forecasts, ConocoPhillips' primary capital allocation decision criterion is the cost of supply metric. Cost of supply (CoS) represents the flat real commodity price that yields an after-tax return of 10% on a point forward and fully burdened basis. By fully burdening CoS we are able to arrive at an economic metric that more closely ties to corporate returns over time. There are three main drivers that impact the CoS:

- Project Costs and Production We account for the scale and timing of capital costs, operating cost and production in the CoS calculation. By discounting costs and production, we reflect the impact of cost and revenue timing in our economics. It includes all direct and indirect costs (capital, lifting costs, transportation, infrastructure and G&A), price-related inflation to \$65/BBL Brent and foreignexchange impacts.
- Government Take Government take increases the CoS because a portion of the revenue must be shared with governments before or after covering costs. Government take costs are discounted in the CoS calculation, similar to project costs and revenues.
- 3. **Product Mix and Differentials** We quote CoS as a Brent equivalent price, but most projects don't produce 100% liquids that can be sold for Brent prices. We account for differences in product mix and marker prices by using a value-based ratio to Brent.



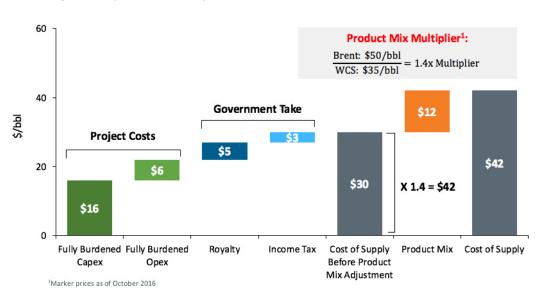


Figure 1: Project with 100% Liquids Sold at WCS Marker Price (Western Canadian Select)