

# AZZ Inc. Investor Presentation NYSE:AZZ

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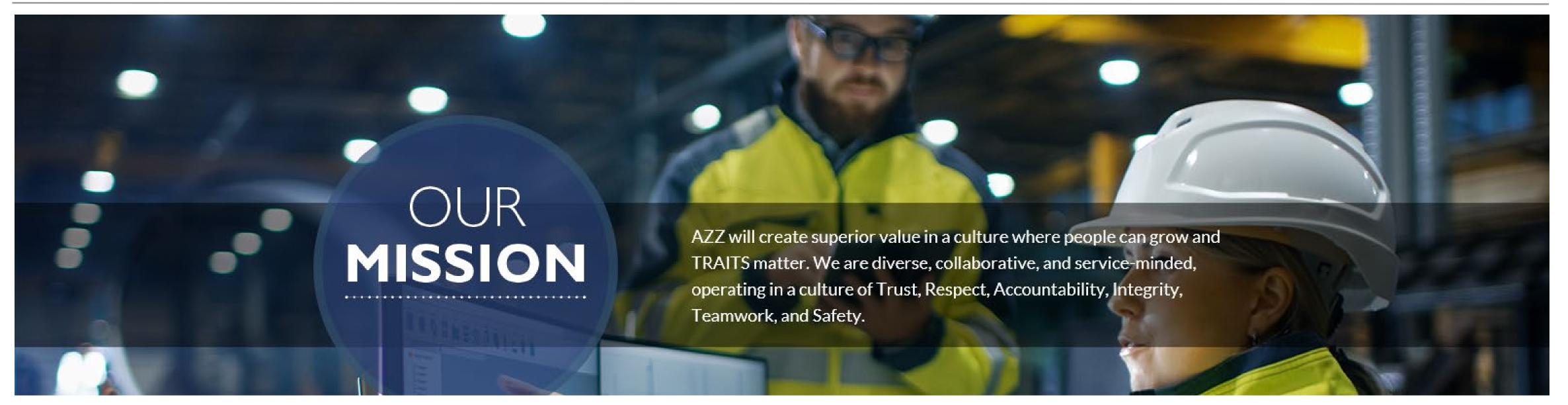


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# Vision and Values



# **GUIDING VALUES**

- We Value Our Dedicated Employees and their communities by fully training and equipping them, and providing a safe environment to grow
- We Value Our Customers by reliably providing highquality products and services with outstanding customer service
- We Value Our Shareholders by striving to consistently provide solid returns



# **Environmental, Social and Governance "ESG"**

- Formed Sustainability Council with Board oversight
- Integrating Sustainability into our operations and Company culture
- Continued Commitment to Employee Safety, Development and Diversity
- Experienced Board from a range of relevant backgrounds



# Strategic and Financial Initiatives to Enhance Shareholder Value

## Metal Coatings

## Focus on Driving Profitable Growth

- #1 in hot-dip galvanizing
- Strategic plant network with superior service
- Highly attractive margins and returns
- Pipeline of synergistic Metal Coatings acquisitions in North America
- Resilient performance through COVID-19 uncertainty

## Infrastructure Solutions

## **Conducting Comprehensive Review**

- More severely impacted by COVID-19
- Drive cost and margin improvement
- Exit of low performing and low value creation businesses underway
- Maintaining competitive position to maximize value in post COVID-19 recovery
- Evaluating opportunities to accelerate becoming a focused Coatings company

## **Strengthened Management Team**

- Appointed CFO with deep accounting, controls and compliance experience
- Appointed SVP of Investor Relations to enhance investor communication
- Filled Segment Chief Operating Officer roles with internal promotions in FY2021

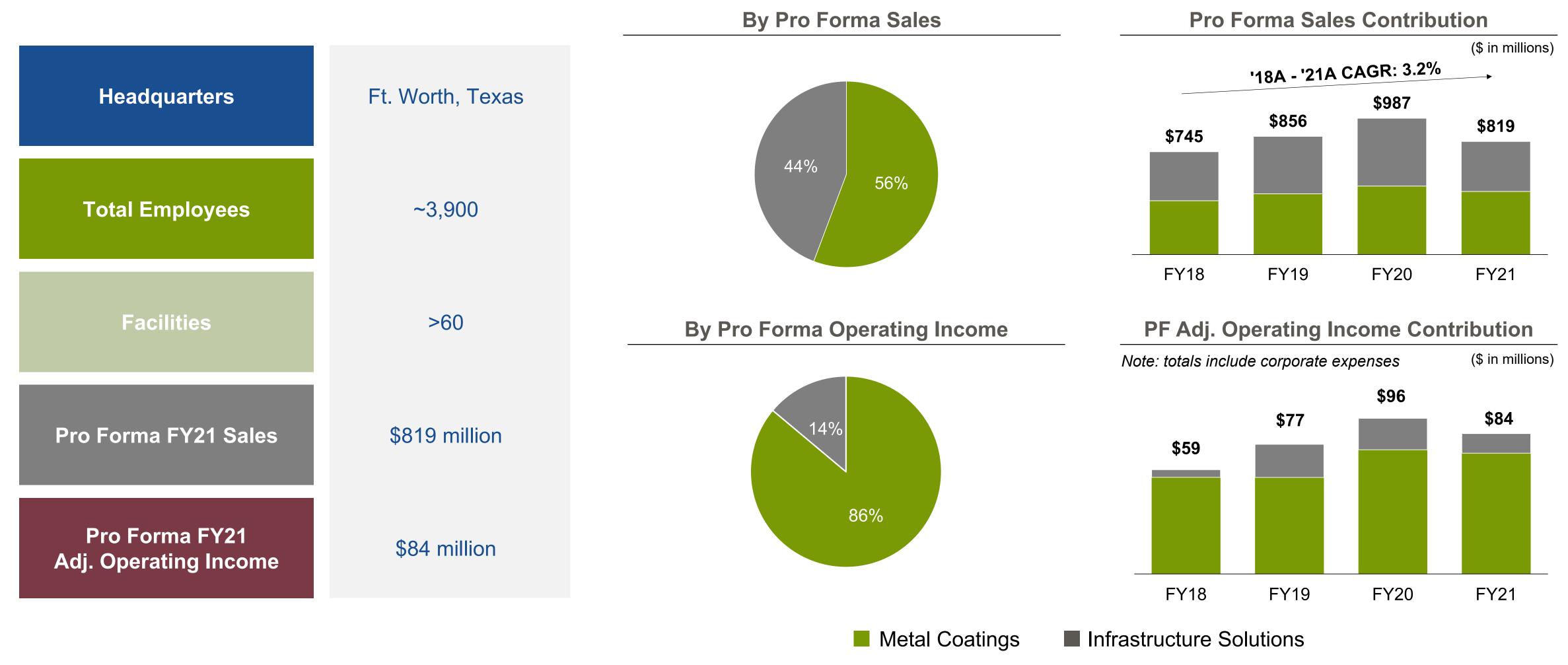
## **Capital Allocation**

### Increased Returns to Shareholders

- Deploy balance sheet targeting a net leverage ratio of 2.5x
- Board authorized \$100M share repurchase program – 1.2 million shares - \$48.3 million purchased FY21
- Continued prioritization of coatings acquisitions
- Grow dividend over time
- Subject to macro environment



# AZZ at a Glance (NYSE: AZZ)



Note: Financials pro forma for divestitures of Galvabar, NLI and SMS and one-time expenses. See appendix for reconciliation to reported GAAP financials



# Our Current Portfolio

# Metal Coatings (PF FY21 Sales: \$457 million)

#1 in Hot-Dip Galvanizing of Fabricated Steel

## Galvanizing





 Protects, extends and enhances critical infrastructure

## Surface Technologies



- Powder coatings
- Plating
- Anodizing





- Corrosion + cosmetic benefits
- ı Highly automated

# Infrastructure Solutions (PF FY21 Sales: \$362 million)

Diverse portfolio of Electrical and Industrial businesses

## **Electrical Products**



**Enclosure Systems** 



High Voltage Bus



**Tubular Products** 



Switchgear



Medium Voltage Bus



Lighting Systems

## **Industrial Solutions**





Specialty weld overlay services for critical component maintenance & repair

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# Our Leading Metal Coatings Business

**Key Facts** 

Pro Forma FY21 Adj. Operating Income

**Pro Forma** 

**FY21 Sales** 

(% Margin)

**Facilities** 

57

\$457 million

\$108 million

45

## **Service Offerings**



23.5%

Includes powder coating, anodizing and plating

Technologies

### **Business Highlights**

- Highly attractive margins and returns
- Unmatched protection and corrosion resistance for prefabricated steel
- Strategic footprint offers significant advantage
- Essential service to critical infrastructure
- Highly fragmented landscape with diverse end markets
- Addresses cosmetic as well as corrosion needs for metal coatings and finishing
- Significant runway for profitable expansion

### **End Markets Served**







Construction: 25%



**OEM:** 15%



Utility: 16%



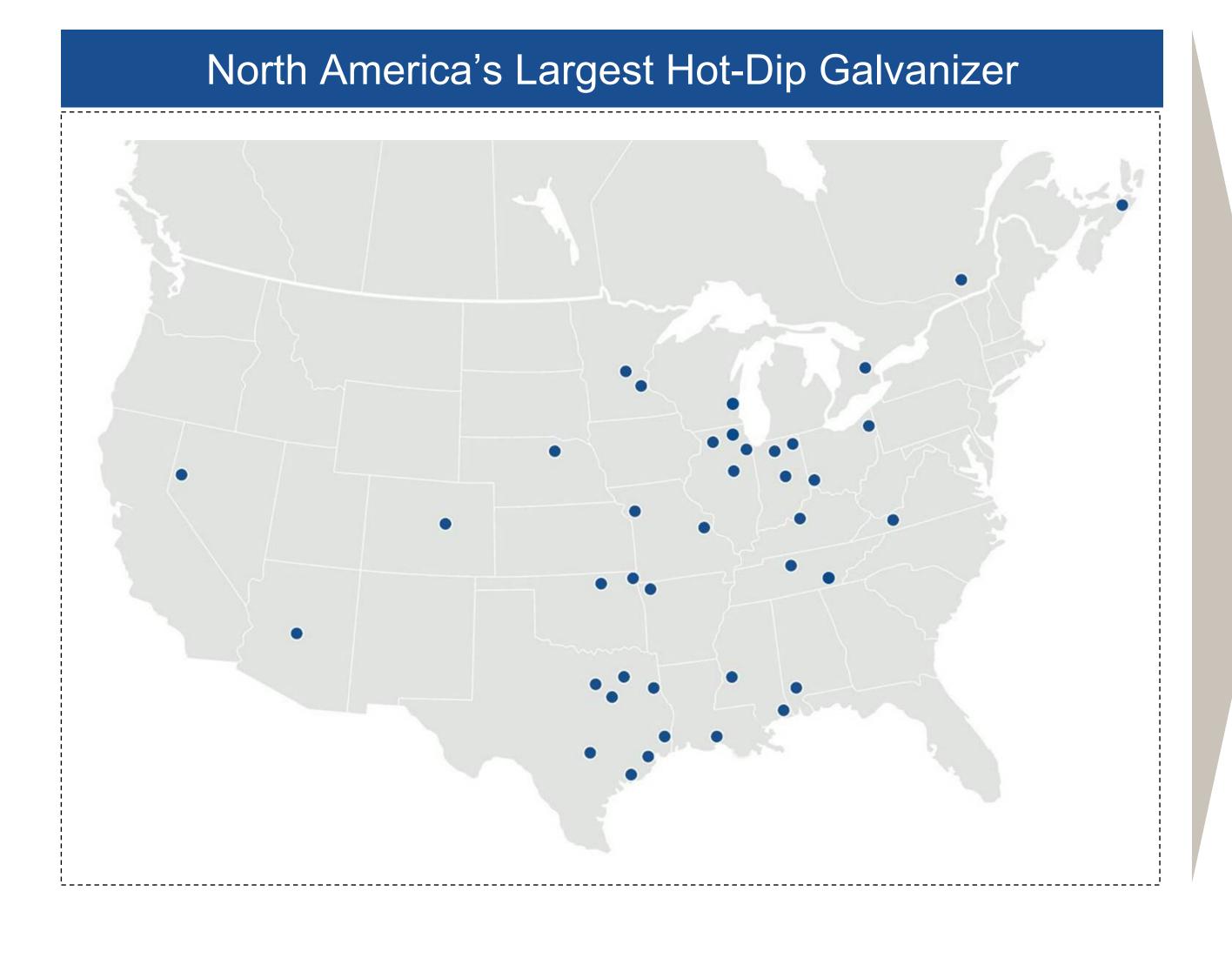
Petrochem: 4%



**Other: 14%** 



# # 1 Hot-Dip Galvanizing Market Position in North America



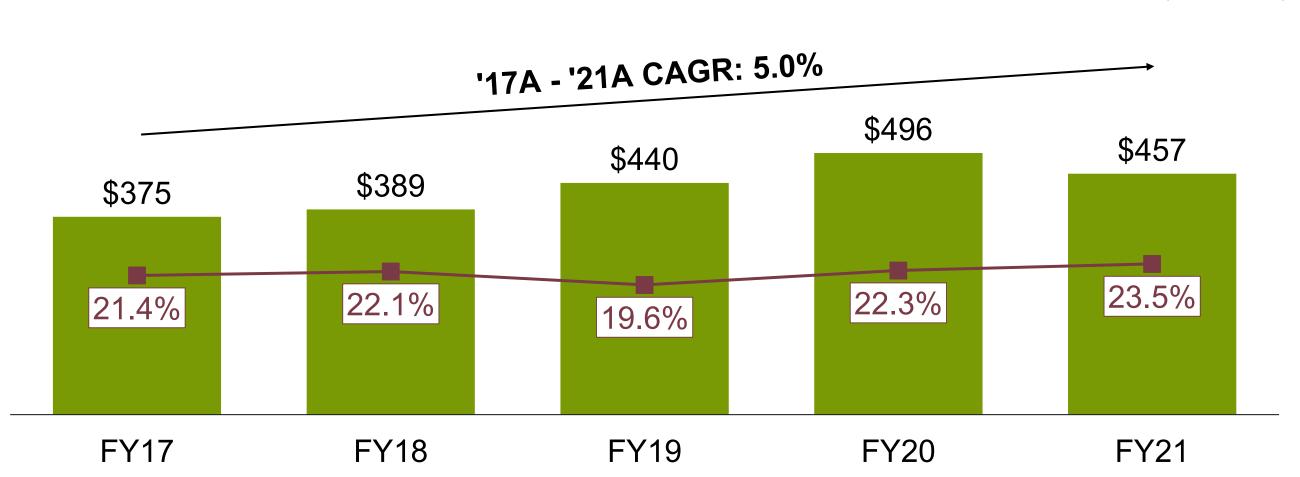
- Expansive footprint with 39 galvanizing locations throughout the U.S. and Canada
  - Proximity to customers offers competitive advantage
  - Strong back-office and logistics network drive sales and operational efficiencies
  - Facilities differentiated on services and quality
- Compelling platform poised for growth
  - Geographic expansion
  - Adjacency opportunities in corrosion protection
  - Digital Galvanizing System driving greater operational efficiency, productivity and customer service



# We Expect to Continue our Outperformance in Metal Coatings







- Pro Forma Sales
- Adj. Operating Income Margin

## **Growth Drivers**

- Digital Galvanizing System
- Reconfigured salesforce
- 8 bolt-on acquisitions since 2017
- Expand Spin Galvanizing
- Focused growth on other coatings applications

## **Near Term Priorities**

- Maintain strong performance despite COVID challenges
- Target GDP+ growth driven by value-added services and M&A
- Continue to target 21 23% operating margins for the segment

Note: Financials pro forma for divestiture of Galvabar. See appendix for reconciliation to reported GAAP financials



# Considerations for Maximizing Value of Infrastructure Solutions

## **Portfolio Analysis**

- Group of legacy businesses with minimal overlap or synergies
- Businesses that do not currently meet margin / return criteria
- Actively pruning portfolio divested NLI and SMS
- End-markets more severely impacted by COVID-19
- Maintain operating focus and cash conservation in current environment

## **Segment Overview**









margin

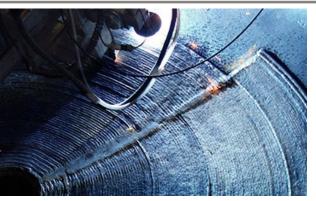




Geography mix







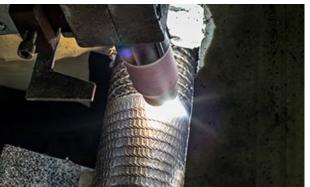






**PF Sales** 





**End-markets** 

~60% Refining ~40% Other

**Geography** mix

~72% North America ~28% Other

Note: Represents Fiscal Year 2020 financials pro forma for divestitures of NLI and SMS and one-time expenses. See appendix for reconciliation to reported GAAP financials



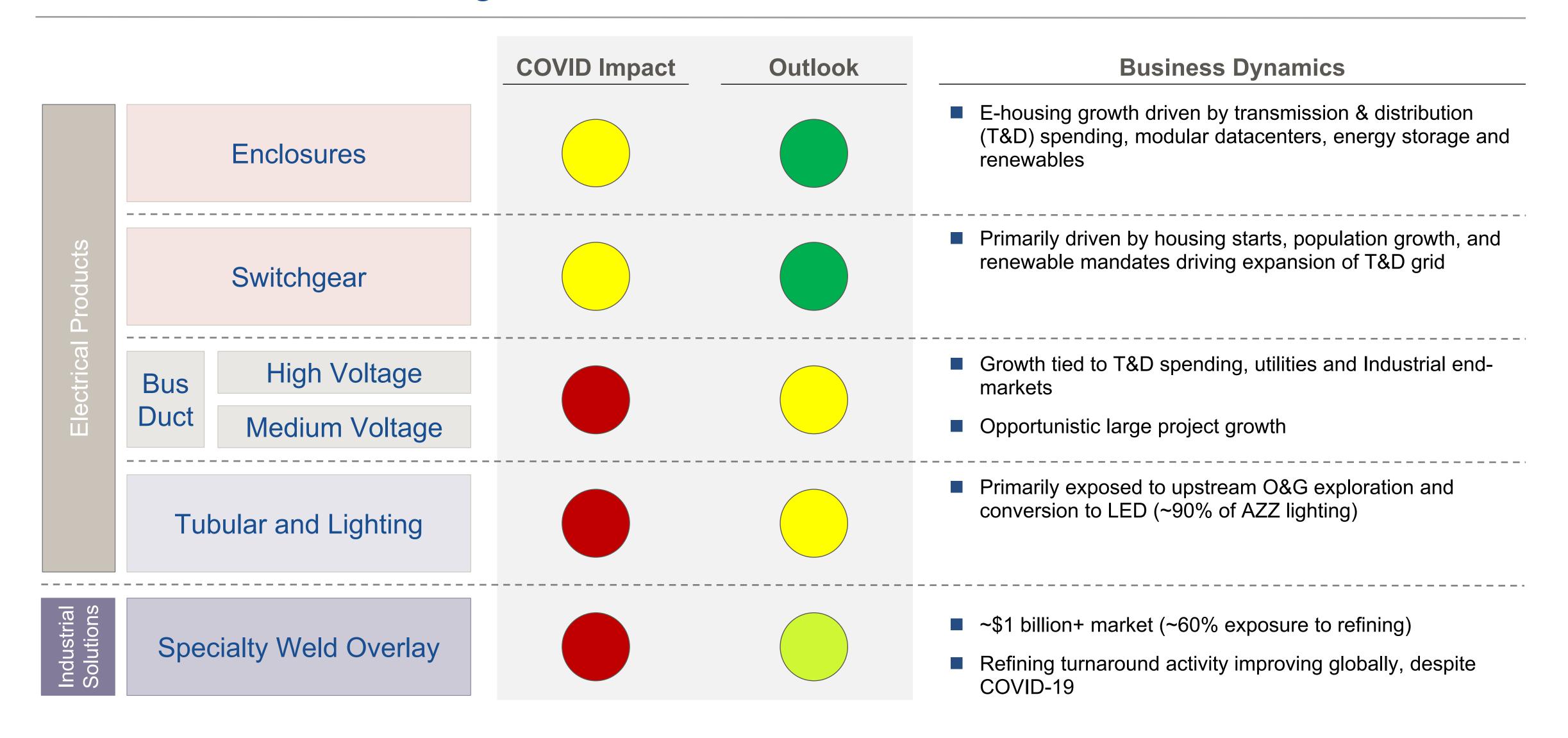
# Infrastructure Solutions is a Portfolio of Diverse Businesses

			% Segment <sup>1</sup>	# of Locations		
Products	Enclosures		24%	3	<ul> <li>Manufacturer of custom modular enclosures ("e-houses"), as well as relay panels</li> <li>Integration of customer furnished equipment</li> </ul>	Control Centers  Power Distr. Centers  Centers
	Switchgear		22%	2	<ul> <li>Leading independent provider of 38kV switchgear</li> <li>Padmount and Arc-Resistant Switchgear</li> </ul>	Emergency Mobile Substations  Mining
lectrical Prod	Bus Duct	High Voltage	13%	2	<ul> <li>Global leader in high-voltage SF<sub>6</sub> gas insulated bus products</li> <li>Voltage ranges from 115kV to 1,200kV</li> </ul>	SF <sub>6</sub> Gas Insulated Lines  Cooling Units  High-Current Contact
Elect		Medium Voltage	4%	1	<ul> <li>Innovative medium voltage bus duct products</li> <li>Product line includes isolated phase duct, segregated and non-segregated phase duct</li> </ul>	Isolated Bus Duct System Segregated Bus Duct Systems Non- Segregated Bus Duct Systems Systems
	Tubular and Lighting		4%	2	<ul> <li>Harsh and Hazardous Duty Lighting manufacturer with 75 year history</li> <li>Full length tubing as well as pup-joints</li> </ul>	Oil Field Lighting  Marine Lighting  Full-Length Tubing
Industrial	Specia	alty Weld verlay	33%	5	<ul> <li>Industry leading life extension and repair processes to address low cycle fatigue failure in coke drums and reactors</li> <li>World's largest installed base for the mitigation of fireside corrosion</li> <li>Turnaround driven business</li> </ul>	Water-wall Service  Water-wall Service  Water-wall Service  Service  Pipe & Piping Service  Coke Drum Repair

<sup>1.</sup> Proportion of Fiscal Year 2020 segment sales of \$491mm pro forma for divestitures of NLI and SMS. See appendix for reconciliation to reported GAAP financials



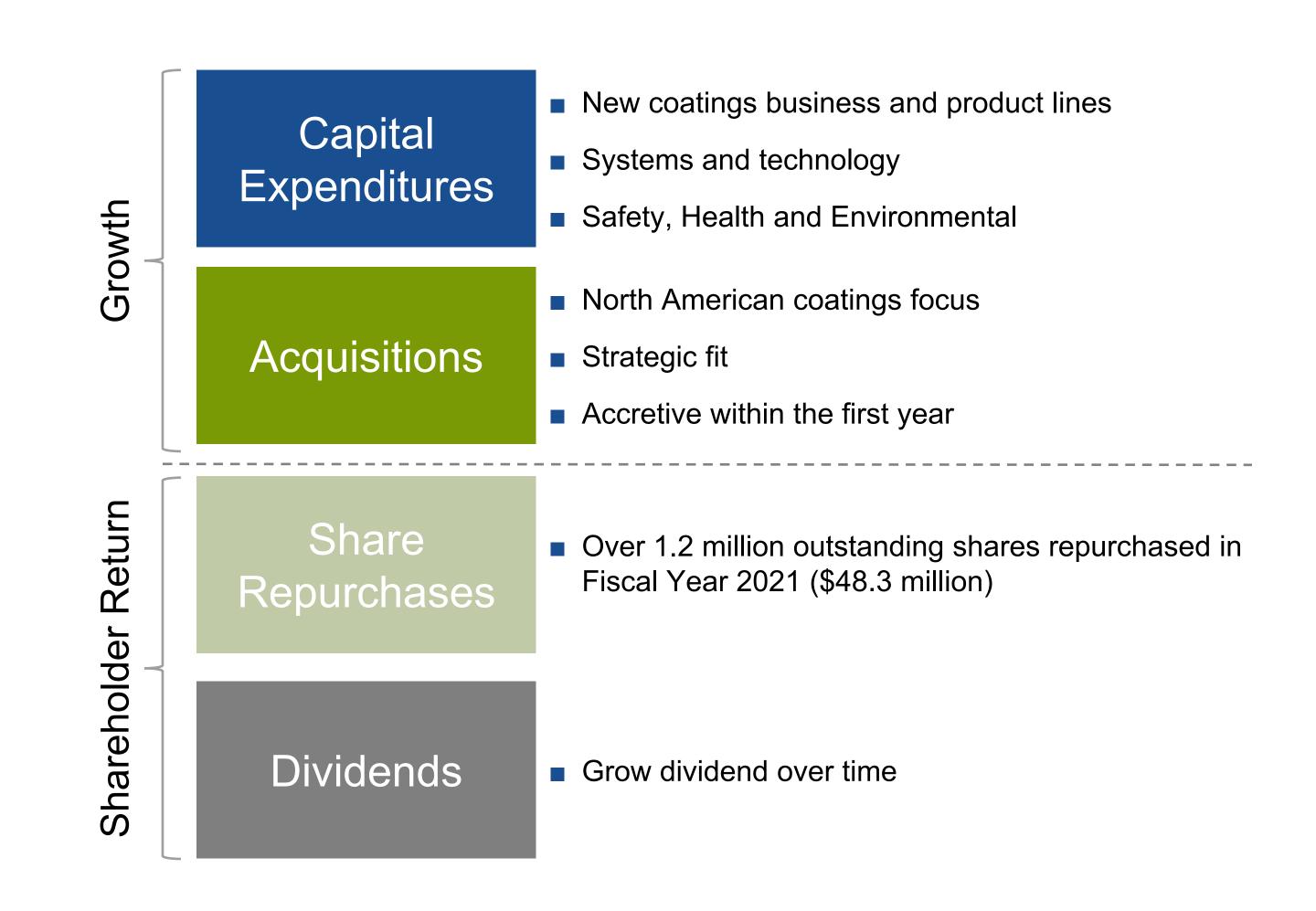
# Infrastructure Solutions Segment: Market and Trends





# Targeting Increased Capital Return to Shareholders

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Q&A

# Appendix and Additional Information



# Reconciliation of Segment Financials

Fiscal Year 2017 Segment					
\$(millions)	As Reported (a)	Adjustment		As Adjusted	
Sales	863.5	(99.9)		763.6	
Metal Coatings	375.5	(0.2)	(1)	375.4	
Infrastructure Solutions	488.0	(99.7)	(2)	388.3	
Operating Profit	98.9	(8.7)		90.2	
Metal Coatings	79.0	1.1	(1)	80.2	
Infrastructure Solutions	52.6	(9.8)	(2)	42.7	
Corporate Expenses	(32.7)	-		(32.7)	

\$(millions)	As Reported (a)	Adjustment		As Adjusted
Sales	810.4	(65.9)		744.5
Metal Coatings	389.4	(0.1)	(1)	389.3
Infrastructure Solutions	421.0	(65.9)	(2)	355.2
Operating Profit	48.2	10.3		58.5
Metal Coatings	84.3	1.7	(1)	86.1
Infrastructure Solutions	(1.8)	8.5	(3)	6.8
Corporate Expenses	(34.3)	-		(34.3
Corporate Expenses	(54.5)	_		

- (a) Reported in conformity with US GAAP
- (1) Reflects impact of Galvabar divestiture (closed in Jul. 2020)
- (2) Reflects impact of NLI and SMS divestitures (closed in Feb. 2020 and Oct. 2020, respectively)

(a) – Reported in conformity with US GAAP

Fiscal Year 2018 Segment

- (1) Reflects impact of Galvabar divestiture (closed in Jul. 2020)
- (2) Reflects impact of NLI and SMS divestitures (closed in Feb. 2020 and Oct. 2020, respectively) and a \$3.8M one-time adjustment in the electrical business
- (3) Reflects (\$5.4M) impact of NLI and SMS divestitures and add back of \$5.3M non-recurring expenses in electrical business and \$8.6M in industrial business



# Reconciliation of Segment Financials (Cont'd)

Fiscal Year 2019 Segment					
\$(millions)	As Reported (a)	Adjustment		As Adjusted	
Sales	927.1	(71.3)		855.8	
Metal Coatings	440.3	(0.7)	(1)	439.5	
Infrastructure Solutions	486.8	(70.6)	(2)	416.2	
Operating Profit	77.0	0.5		77.4	
Metal Coatings	83.6	2.4	(1)	86.0	
Infrastructure Solutions	31.3	(1.9)	(2)	29.4	
Corporate Expenses	(38.0)	-		(38.0)	

Fiscal Year 2020 Segment					
\$(millions)	As Reported (a)	Adjustment		As Adjusted	
Sales	1,061.8	(74.9)		986.9	
Metal Coatings	499.0	(2.8)	(1)	496.1	
Infrastructure Solutions	562.8	(72.1)	(2)	490.7	
Operating Profit	79.3	16.4		95.8	
Metal Coatings	107.9	2.7	(1)	110.6	
Infrastructure Solutions	32.8	(4.9)	(2)	28.0	
Corporate Expenses	(42.8)	-		(42.8)	
Loss of Disposal of Business	(18.6)	18.6	(3)	_	

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- (2) Reflects impact of NLI and SMS divestitures (closed in Feb. 2020 and Oct. 2020, respectively)
- (3) Reflects add back related to loss on sale of NLI



# Reconciliation of Segment Financials (Cont'd)

Fiscal Year 2021 Segment						
\$(millions)	As Reported (a)	Adjustment		As Adjusted		
Sales	838.9	(19.8)		819.1		
Metal Coatings	457.8	(0.9)	(1)	456.9		
Infrastructure Solutions	381.1	(18.9)	(2)	362.2		
Operating Profit	61.6	22.5		84.1		
Metal Coatings	95.9	11.6	(1)	107.5		
Infrastructure Solutions	6.5	10.9	(2)	17.4		
Corporate Expenses	(40.8)	-		(40.8)		

- (a) Reported in conformity with US GAAP
- (1) Reflects impact of Galvabar divestiture (closed in Jul. 2020) and related restructuring and impairment charges
- (2) Reflects impact of NLI and SMS divestitures (closed in Feb. 2020 and Oct. 2020, respectively) and related restructuring and impairment charges

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