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# Second Quarter Fiscal 2025 Earnings Release and Conference Call

# Forward-Looking Statements



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*or its customers are engaged; competition; cyber-attacks or data security breaches, together with the costs of protecting our systems against such incidents and the possible effects thereof on our operations; increases in capacity in the gypsum wallboard and cement industries; changes in the demand for residential housing construction or commercial construction or construction projects undertaken by state or local governments; the availability of acquisitions or other growth opportunities that meet our financial return standards and fit our strategic focus; risks related to pursuit of acquisitions, joint ventures and other transactions or the execution or implementation of such transactions, including the integration of operations acquired by the Company; general economic conditions, including inflation and recessionary conditions; and changes in interest rates and the resulting effects on the Company and demand for our products. For example, increases in interest rates, decreases in demand for construction materials or increases in the cost of energy (including, without limitation, natural gas, coal and oil) or the cost of our raw materials can be expected to adversely affect the revenue and operating earnings of our operations. In addition, changes in national or regional economic conditions and levels of infrastructure and construction spending could also adversely affect the Company's results of operations. Finally, any forward-looking statements made by the Company are subject to the risks and impacts associated with natural disasters, the outbreak, escalation or resurgence of health emergencies, pandemics or other unforeseen events, including, without limitation, the COVID-19 pandemic and responses thereto designed to contain its spread and mitigate its public health effects, as well as their impact on our operations and on economic conditions, capital and financial markets. These and other factors are described in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2024, and subsequent quarterly and annual reports upon filing. These reports are filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. All forward-looking statements made herein are made as of the date hereof, and the risk that actual results will differ materially from expectations expressed herein will increase with the passage of time. The Company undertakes no duty to update any forward-looking statement to reflect future events or changes in the Company's expectations.*

# Fiscal Year 2025 Second Quarter Highlights



## Strong execution in a challenging environment

- **Delivered solid financial results**
  - Record revenue of \$624 million
  - Gross profit margin of 32.7%
  - Adjusted EPS of \$4.31, up 1%
- **Increased operating cash flow 35% to \$233 million**
- **Advanced long-term growth and sustainability strategies**
  - Conducted 8<sup>th</sup> annual Health, Safety and Environmental Conference
  - Surpassed 90% blended Cement production
  - Initiated construction at the Laramie, WY cement modernization project
  - Commissioning underway at Texas Lehigh JV slag grinding facility
  - Acquired bolt-on aggregates business in Kentucky
- **Returned \$69 million to shareholders**
  - Repurchased 253,000 shares for \$61 million
  - Paid quarterly dividend

# Constructive Macroeconomic Environment, Favorable Medium-to-Long-Term Demand Outlook



Favorable market conditions for construction materials support pricing and demand

## Cement

- **State and Federal infrastructure spending should remain healthy**
- **75% of IIJA funds remaining to be spent, pointing to multiple years of strong public infrastructure spending**
- **Continued growth in heavy industrial projects**
- **Entire Eagle footprint across U.S. Heartland remains tight**

## Gypsum Wallboard

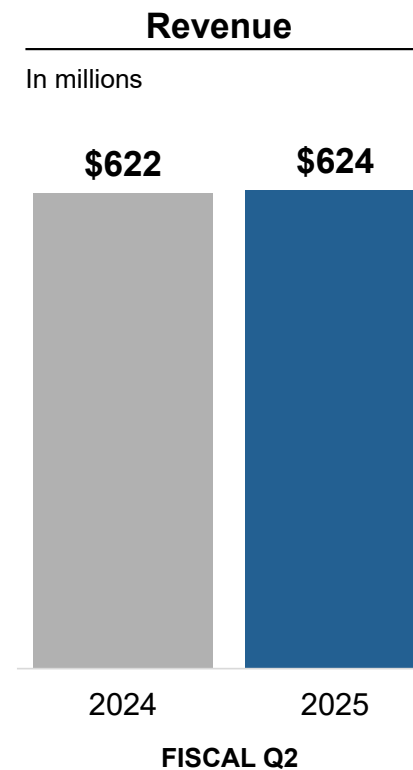
- **Steady residential construction**
  - Chronic housing shortages driven by decade-long underproduction and exacerbated by “rate lock-in”
  - Lower interest rates expected
  - Consumer balance sheets remain healthy
- **Continuing industry capacity constraints**
- **Eagle’s footprint concentrated in fast-growing U.S. Heartland and Sunbelt**

# Record Revenue Up Slightly



## INCREASE DRIVEN BY:

- Higher Cement sales prices
- Higher Wallboard sales prices and volume

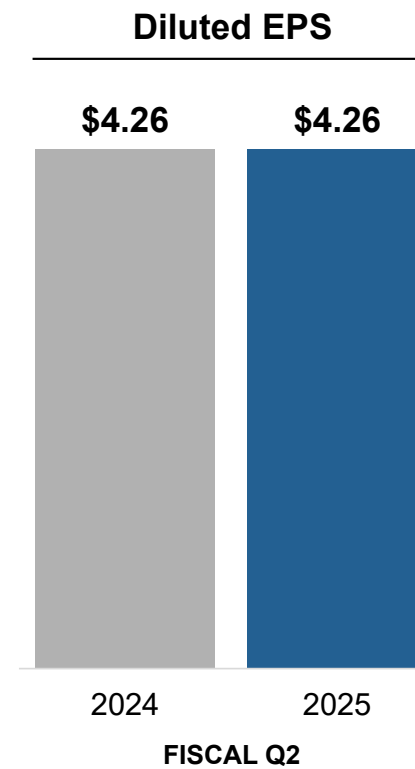


EPS of \$4.26



**SECOND QUARTER REFLECTS:**

- Lower net earnings
- Reduced share count due to share buybacks

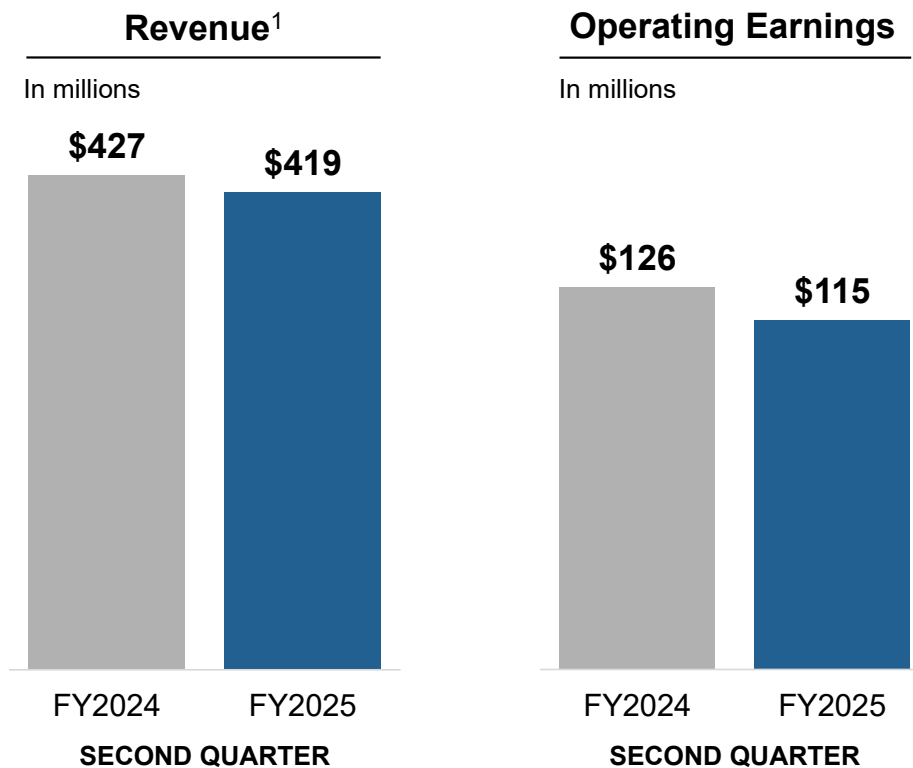


# Heavy Materials Second Quarter Results Reflect Continued Pricing Momentum



## SECOND QUARTER CEMENT

- Net sales prices +3%
- Sales volume -5%



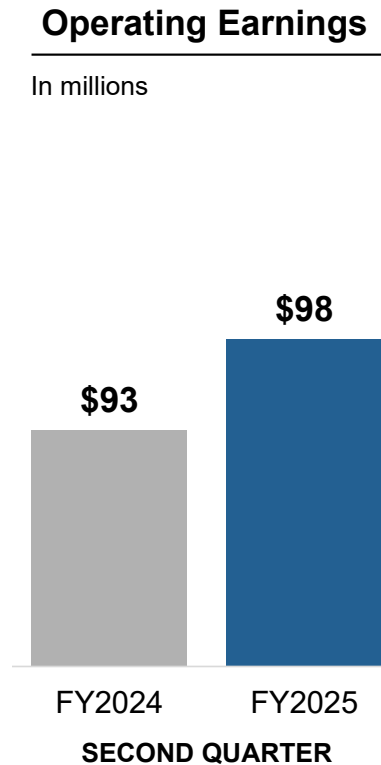
<sup>1</sup> Includes Cement, Concrete and Aggregates and Cement Intersegment revenue, and our proportionate share of the Joint Venture.

# Light Materials Second Quarter Results Driven By Higher Wallboard Sales Volume and Prices



## SECOND QUARTER WALLBOARD

- Net sales prices up 1%
- Sales volume up 3%





# Continued Strong Cash Flow Generation



**\$233 million of cash flow from operations**

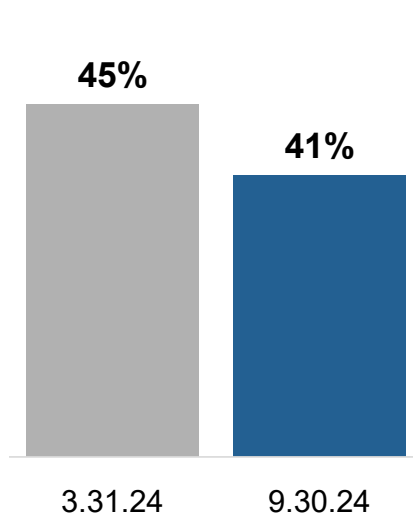
	Three months ended September 30		
	In millions		
	2023	2024	
Operating Cash Flow <sup>1</sup>	\$172	\$233	<b>+35%</b>
Capex, net	(29)	(66)	
Free Cash Flow	\$143	\$167	
Acquisition Spending	-	(25)	
Dividends Paid	(9)	(8)	
Share Repurchases	(77)	(61)	
Change in Debt	(63)	(28)	
Other	-	2	
Net Change in Cash Balance	\$(6)	\$47	

<sup>1</sup> Includes depreciation of \$37 million and \$39 million for the three months ended September 30, 2023 and 2024, respectively.

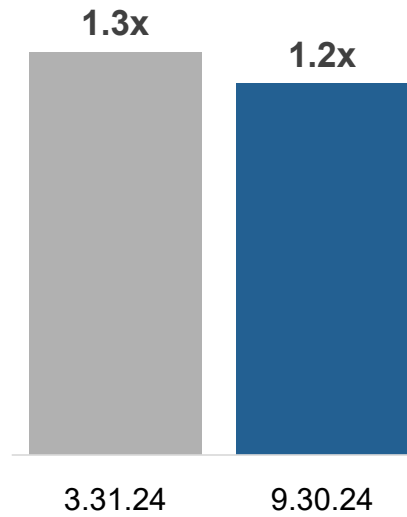
# Strong Capital Structure Further Enhances Financial Flexibility



Net Debt-to-Cap



Net Debt to Adjusted EBITDA <sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> "Net Debt to Adjusted EBITDA" is defined as Net Debt divided by Adjusted EBITDA. Net Debt to Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are non-GAAP financial measures and are described in the Appendix.



## Question & Answer



**Thank you for participating in  
today's conference call web cast.**

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An archive of this web cast will be  
available at [eaglematerials.com](http://eaglematerials.com)  
later today.



# Appendix

# Reconciliation of EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA



	Fiscal Year ended March 31, 2024	TTM September 30, 2024
In millions		
Net Earnings, as reported	\$478	\$484
Income Tax Expense	140	141
Interest Expense	42	41
Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization	150	153
<b>EBITDA</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>819</b>
Acquisition accounting and related expenses <sup>1</sup>	5	2
Litigation loss	-	1
Stock-based Compensation	20	18
<b>Adjusted EBITDA</b>	<b>\$834</b>	<b>\$840</b>

We present Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization (EBITDA) and Adjusted EBITDA to provide additional measures of operating performance and allow for more consistent comparison of operating performance from period to period. EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure that provides supplemental information regarding the operating performance of our business without regard to financing methods, capital structures or historical cost basis. Adjusted EBITDA is also a non-GAAP financial measure that excludes the impact from non-routine items (Non-routine Items) and stock-based compensation. Management uses EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA as alternative bases for comparing the operating performance of Eagle from period to period and for purposes of its budgeting and planning processes. Adjusted EBITDA may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of other companies because other companies may not calculate Adjusted EBITDA in the same manner. Neither EBITDA nor Adjusted EBITDA should be considered in isolation or as an alternative to net income, cash flow from operations or any other measure of financial performance in accordance with GAAP. The table beside shows the calculation of EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA and reconciles them to net earnings in accordance with GAAP for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2024, and the trailing twelve-month period ended September 30, 2024.

<sup>1</sup> Represents the impact of selling acquired inventory after its markup to fair value as part of acquisition accounting and business development costs  
Due to rounding, numbers may not add up precisely to the total provided.

# Reconciliation of Net Debt to Adjusted EBITDA



	As of March 31, 2024	As of September 30, 2024
In millions		
Total debt, excluding debt issuance costs	\$1,103	\$1,083
Cash and cash equivalents	35	94
Net Debt	\$1,068	\$989
Adjusted EBITDA (TTM)	\$834	\$840
Net Debt to Adjusted EBITDA	1.3x	1.2x

GAAP does not define "Net Debt" and it should not be considered as an alternative to debt as defined by GAAP. We define Net Debt as total debt minus cash and cash equivalents to indicate the amount of total debt that would remain if the Company applied the cash and cash equivalents held by it to the payment of outstanding debt. The Company also uses "Net Debt to Adjusted EBITDA," which it defines as Net Debt divided by Adjusted EBITDA, as an alternative metric to assist it in understanding its leverage position. We present this metric for the convenience of the investment community and rating agencies who use such metrics in their analysis, and for investors who need to understand the metrics we use to assess performance and monitor our cash and liquidity positions.

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