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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 2, 2018

NOVELIS INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Canada

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-32312

(Commission File No.)

98-0442987

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

3560 Lenox Road, Suite 2000, Atlanta, Georgia 30326 (Address of Principal Executive Offices)
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ndicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).
Emerging growth company
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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

The following information is furnished pursuant to Item 2.02, "Results of Operations and Financial Condition." Consequently, it is not deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. It may only be incorporated by reference in another filing under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Securities Act of 1933 if such subsequent filing specifically references this Form 8-K.

On November 2, 2018, Novelis Inc. issued a press release reporting the company's financial results for its fiscal quarter ended September 30, 2018. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein in its entirety. A copy of investor presentation materials relating to such financial results is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2 and is incorporated by reference herein in its entirety. The presentation materials use the following non-GAAP financial measures: Adjusted EBITDA, Free Cash Flow, Net Income (Loss) Excluding Special Items and Liquidity.

Adjusted EBITDA. EBITDA consists of earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization. Adjusted EBITDA further adjusts EBITDA by measures commonly used in the company's industry. The company defines Adjusted EBITDA as: earnings before (a) "Depreciation and amortization"; (b) "Interest expense and amortization of debt issuance costs"; (c) interest income; (d) "Unrealized gains (losses) on change in fair value of derivative instruments, net", except for foreign currency remeasurement hedging activities, which are included in segment income; (e) impairment of goodwill; (f) gain or loss on extinguishment of debt; (g) noncontrolling interests' share; (h) adjustments to reconcile our proportional share of "Adjusted EBITDA" from nonconsolidated affiliates to income as determined on the equity method of accounting; (i) "Restructuring and impairment, net"; (j) gains or losses on disposals of property, plant and equipment and businesses, net; (k) other costs, net; (l) litigation settlement, net of insurance recoveries; (m) sale transaction fees; (n) provision or benefit for taxes on income (loss); (o) cumulative effect of accounting change, net of tax; (p) metal price lag; and (q) business acquisition and other integration costs. The company presents Adjusted EBITDA to enhance investors' understanding of the company's operating performance. Novelis believes that Adjusted EBITDA is an operating performance measure, and not a liquidity measure, that provides investors and analysts with a measure of operating results unaffected by differences in capital structures, capital investment cycles and ages of related assets among otherwise comparable companies.

Adjusted EBITDA is not a measurement of financial performance under GAAP, and the company's Adjusted EBITDA may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of other companies. Adjusted EBITDA has important limitations as analytical tools, and investors should not consider it in isolation, or as a substitute for analysis of the company's results as reported under GAAP. For example, Adjusted EBITDA:

- does not reflect the company's cash expenditures or requirements for capital expenditures or capital commitments;
- · does not reflect changes in, or cash requirements for, the company's working capital needs; and
- · does not reflect any costs related to the current or future replacement of assets being depreciated and amortized.

Management believes that investors' understanding of the company's performance is enhanced by including non-GAAP financial measures as a reasonable basis for comparing the company's ongoing results of operations. Many investors are interested in understanding the performance of the company's business by comparing its results from ongoing operations from one period to the next and would ordinarily add back items that are not part of normal day-to-day operations of the company's business. By providing non-GAAP financial measures, together with reconciliations, the company believes it is enhancing investors'

understanding of its business and its results of operations, as well as assisting investors in evaluating how well it is executing strategic initiatives.

Additionally, the company's senior secured credit facilities, 6.25% senior notes and 5.875% senior notes provide for adjustments to EBITDA, which may decrease or increase Adjusted EBITDA for purposes of compliance with certain covenants under such facilities and notes.

The company also uses Adjusted EBITDA:

- as a measure of operating performance to assist the company in comparing its operating performance on a consistent basis because it removes the impact of items not directly resulting from the company's core operations;
- for planning purposes, including the preparation of the company's internal annual operating budgets and financial projections;
- to evaluate the performance and effectiveness of the company's operational strategies; and
- to calculate incentive compensation payments for the company's key employees.

Free Cash Flow. "Free cash flow" consists of: (a) "net cash provided by (used in) operating activities," (b) plus "net cash provided by (used in) investing activities" (c) plus cash used in the "Acquisition of assets under a capital lease", and (d) less "proceeds from sales of assets and business, net of transaction fees, cash income taxes and hedging". Management believes "Free cash flow" is relevant to investors as it provides a measure of the cash generated internally that is available for debt service and other value creation opportunities. Management also uses free cash flow to measure the profitability and financial performance of our business. However, "Free cash flow" does not necessarily represent cash available for discretionary activities, as certain debt service obligations must be funded out of "Free cash flow." Our method of calculating "Free cash flow" may not be consistent with that of other companies.

Net Income (Loss) Excluding Special Items. Net income (loss) excluding special items adjusts net income (loss) for restructuring and impairment charges, loss on extinguishment of debt, metal price lag, gains (losses) on sale of assets held for sale, gains (losses) on sale of a business, business acquisition and other integration related costs, and the tax effect of such items. We adjust for items which may recur in varying magnitude which affect the comparability of the operational results of our underlying business. Novelis believes that net income (loss) excluding special items enhances the overall understanding of the company's current financial performance. Specifically, management believes this non-GAAP financial measure provides useful information to investors by excluding or adjusting certain items, which impact the comparability of the company's core operating results. With respect to gains (losses) on sale of assets held for sale, gains (losses) on sale of a business, business acquisition and other integration related costs, and the tax effect of such special items, management believes these excluded items are not reflective of fixed costs that the company believes it will incur over the long term. Management also adjusts for loss on extinguishment of debt, metal price lag and restructuring and impairment charges to enhance the comparability of the company's operating results between periods. However, the company has recorded similar charges in prior periods. The company may incur additional restructuring charges in connection with ongoing restructuring initiatives announced previously and may also incur additional restructuring initiatives. Net income (loss) excluding special items should be considered in addition to, and not as a substitute for or superior to, results prepared in accordance with US GAAP.

Liquidity. Liquidity consists of cash and cash equivalents plus availability under our committed credit facilities. In addition to presenting available cash and cash equivalents, management believes that presenting Liquidity enhances investors' understanding of the liquidity that is actually available to the company. This

financial measure should be considered in addition to, and not as a substitute for or superior to, results prepared in accordance with US GAAP.

All information in the news release and the presentation materials speak as of the date thereof, and Novelis does not assume any obligation to update said information in the future.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Date: November 2, 2018

Exhibit	
Number	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press release, dated November 2, 2018 (furnished to the Commission as a part of this Form 8-K).
99.2	Presentation materials, dated November 2, 2018 (furnished to the Commission as a part of this Form 8-K).

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

NOVELIS INC.

By: <u>/s/ Leslie J. Parrette, Jr.</u>

Leslie J. Parrette, Jr.

General Counsel, Corporate Secretary and

Compliance Officer

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News Release

Novelis Reports Second Quarter of Fiscal 2019 Results

Optimizing strategic investments in rolling, recycling and automotive finishing capacity

Second Quarter Fiscal Year 2019 Highlights

- · Net income attributable to common shareholder of \$116 million; excluding special items, net income increased 56% YoY
- Adjusted EBITDA increased 18% YoY to \$355 million
- Net Sales increased 12% YoY to \$3.1 billion
- Shipments increased 1% YoY to 807 kilotonnes
- · Generated free cash flow of \$108 million

ATLANTA, November 2, 2018 – Novelis, the world leader in aluminum rolling and recycling, today reported net income attributable to its common shareholder of \$116 million for the second quarter of fiscal year 2019, compared to \$307 million in the prior year period. Excluding taxeffected special items in both periods, the largest item being a \$318 million pre-tax gain related to the Ulsan Aluminum Ltd., joint venture in the prior year, the company reported net income of \$122 million in the second quarter of fiscal 2019, up from \$78 million in the prior year period.

The increase in net income, excluding special items, is largely due to an 18 percent increase in Adjusted EBITDA over the prior year to \$355 million in the second quarter of fiscal 2019. Ongoing efforts to optimize the investments made to increase rolling, automotive finishing and recycling capacity, combined with favorable market conditions, have resulted in higher shipments of premium products, operating cost efficiencies and favorable metal costs. Adjusted EBITDA per ton reached \$440 in the quarter, as compared to \$377 per ton in the prior year period.

Net sales increased twelve percent over the prior year to \$3.1 billion for the second quarter of fiscal 2019, driven by higher average aluminum prices, higher total shipments and a more favorable product mix. Shipments of flat rolled products increased one percent to a record high 807 kilotonnes.

"Continued strong customer demand for lightweight, high-strength aluminum has resulted in another strong quarter," said Steve Fisher, President and CEO, Novelis Inc. "Moving forward, we are focusing on safely bringing our recent automotive investments online, enhancing the way we engage with customers and leveraging our R&D capabilities in order to provide solutions that help meet their design, performance and sustainability goals."

The company reported \$108 million of free cash flow for the second quarter of fiscal 2019, net of \$60 million in capital expenditures. Year-to-date free cash flow improved \$80 million over the prior year to \$104 million driven primarily by higher Adjusted EBITDA, partially offset by higher taxes and capital expenditures.

"Our continued strong financial performance and operating cash flow generation has allowed us to strategically add capacity to capture growing demand, while continuing to improve net leverage to 2.8x at the end of the second quarter," said Devinder Ahuja, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer for Novelis.

As of September 30, 2018, the company reported a strong liquidity position of \$1.7 billion.

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Aleris Acquisition

On July 26, 2018, Novelis announced it signed a definitive agreement to acquire Aleris Corporation. The acquisition continues to progress as expected and remains on track to close nine to fifteen months from the date of announcement, as previously communicated, subject to customary closing conditions and regulatory approvals.

On November 1, 2018, Novelis secured financing for the pending Aleris acquisition by entering into commitment letters with a group of banks to provide up to \$775 million of an incremental term loan with a five year maturity, and up to a \$1.5 billion short-term bridge loan with a one year maturity. We expect to replace the bridge loan with permanent financing soon after closing, depending on market conditions.

Second Quarter of Fiscal Year 2019 Earnings Conference Call

Novelis will discuss its second quarter of fiscal year 2019 results via a live webcast and conference call for investors at 7:00 a.m. ET on Friday, November 2, 2018. To view slides and listen only, visit the web at https://cc.callinfo.com/r/1dhhq02imaxpv&eom. To join by telephone, dial toll-free in North America at 800 763 5545, India toll-free at 1800 266 0832 or the international toll line at +1 212 231 2902. Presentation materials and access information may also be found at novelis.com/investors.

About Novelis

Novelis Inc. is the global leader in aluminum rolled products and the world's largest recycler of aluminum. The company operates in ten countries, has approximately 11,000 employees and reported \$11.5 billion in revenue for its 2018 fiscal year. Novelis supplies premium aluminum sheet and foil products to transportation, packaging, construction, industrial and consumer electronics markets throughout North America, Europe, Asia and South America. Novelis is a subsidiary of Hindalco Industries Limited, an industry leader in aluminum and copper, and metals flagship company of the Aditya Birla Group, a multinational conglomerate based in Mumbai, India. For more information, visit novelis.com and follow us on Facebook at facebook.com/NovelisInc and Twitter at twitter.com/Novelis.

Non-GAAP Financial Measures

This news release and the presentation slides for the earnings call contain non-GAAP financial measures as defined by SEC rules. We believe these measures are helpful to investors in measuring our financial performance and liquidity and comparing our performance to our peers. However, our non-GAAP financial measures may not be comparable to similarly titled non-GAAP financial measures used by other companies. These non-GAAP financial measures have limitations as an analytical tool and should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for GAAP financial measures. To the extent we discuss any non-GAAP financial measures on the earnings call, a reconciliation of each measure to the most directly comparable GAAP measure will be available in the presentation slides filed as Exhibit 99.2 to our Current Report on Form 8-K furnished to the SEC concurrently with the issuance of this press release. In addition, the Form 8-K includes a more detailed description of each of these non-GAAP financial measures, together with a discussion of the usefulness and purpose of such measures.

Attached to this news release are tables showing the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations, Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets, Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows, Reconciliation to Adjusted EBITDA, Free Cash Flow, Reconciliation to Liquidity, Reconciliation to Net Income excluding Special Items, and Segment Information.

Forward-Looking Statements

Statements made in this news release which describe Novelis' intentions, expectations, beliefs or predictions may be forward-looking statements within the meaning of securities laws. Forward-looking statements include statements preceded by, followed by, or including the words "believes," "expects."

"anticipates," "plans," "estimates," "projects," "forecasts," or similar expressions. Examples of forward looking statements in this news release are statements about our ability to safely bring automotive investments online. Novelis cautions that, by their nature, forward-looking statements involve risk and uncertainty and Novelis' actual results could differ materially from those expressed or implied in such statements. We do not intend, and we disclaim any obligation, to update any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. Factors that could cause actual results or outcomes to differ from the results expressed or implied by forward-looking statements include, among other things: changes in the prices and availability of aluminum (or premiums associated with such prices) or other materials and raw materials we use; the capacity and effectiveness of our hedging activities; relationships with, and financial and operating conditions of, our customers, suppliers and other stakeholders; fluctuations in the supply of, and prices for, energy in the areas in which we maintain production facilities; our ability to access financing including in connection with potential acquisitions and investments; risks relating to, and our ability to consummate, pending and future acquisitions, investments or divestitures, including the pending acquisition of Aleris Corporation; changes in the relative values of various currencies and the effectiveness of our currency hedging activities; factors affecting our operations, such as litigation, environmental remediation and clean-up costs, labor relations and negotiations, breakdown of equipment and other events; the impact of restructuring efforts in the future; economic, regulatory and political factors within the countries in which we operate or sell our products, including changes in duties or tariffs; competition from other aluminum rolled products producers as well as from substitute materials such as steel, glass, plastic and composite materials; changes in general economic conditions including deterioration in the global economy, particularly sectors in which our customers operate; changes in government regulations, particularly those affecting taxes, derivative instruments, environmental, health or safety compliance; changes in interest rates that have the effect of increasing the amounts we pay under our credit facilities and other financing agreements; the effect of taxes and changes in tax rates; and our ability to generate cash. The above list of factors is not exhaustive. Other important risk factors included under the caption "Risk Factors" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2018 are specifically incorporated by reference into this news release.

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Novelis Inc. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (unaudited) (in millions)

	Thi	ree Months E	Ended 30,	September	Six	Months End	ed Sep	tember 30,
	2018			2017		2018	2017	
Net sales	\$	3,136	\$	2,794	\$	6,233	\$	5,463
Cost of goods sold (exclusive of depreciation and amortization)		2,657		2,354		5,248		4,610
Selling, general and administrative expenses		127		118		244		219
Depreciation and amortization		86		91		172		181
Interest expense and amortization of debt issuance costs		68		64		134		128
Research and development expenses		17		16		32		31
Restructuring and impairment, net		_		7		1		8
Gain on sale of a business, net		_		(318)		_		(318)
Equity in net (income) loss of non-consolidated affiliates		(1)		1		(1)		1
Other (income) expenses, net		(6)		38		23		36
Business acquisition and other integration related costs		8		_		10		_
		2,956		2,371		5,863		4,896
Income before income taxes		180		423	_	370		567
Income tax provision		64		116		117		159
Net income		116		307	_	253		408
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests		_		_		_		_
Net income attributable to our common shareholder	\$	116	\$	307	\$	253	\$	408

Novelis Inc. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (unaudited) (in millions, except number of shares)

	Sep	tember 30, 2018	March 31, 2018			
ASSETS	_					
Current assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	829	\$	920		
Accounts receivable, net						
— third parties (net of uncollectible accounts of \$6 and \$7 as of September 30, 2018 and March 31, 2018, respectively)		1,419		1,353		
— related parties		194		242		
Inventories		1,748		1,560		
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		169		125		
Fair value of derivative instruments		87		159		
Assets held for sale		5		5		
Total current assets		4,451		4,364		
Property, plant and equipment, net		3,254		3,110		
Goodwill		607		607		
Intangible assets, net		381		410		
Investment in and advances to non-consolidated affiliates		817		849		
Deferred income tax assets		84		75		
Other long-term assets						
— third parties		107		97		
— related parties		_		3		
Total assets	\$	9,701	\$	9,515		
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Current liabilities						
Current portion of long-term debt	\$	83	\$	121		
Short–term borrowings	Ψ	147	Ψ	49		
Accounts payable		147		40		
— third parties		2,149		2,051		
— related parties		184		205		
Fair value of derivative instruments		77		106		
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities		565		591		
Total current liabilities		3,205		3,123		
Long-term debt, net of current portion		4,330		4,336		
Deferred income tax liabilities		146		164		
Accrued postretirement benefits		803		825		
Other long-term liabilities		243		244		
Total liabilities		8,727		8,692		
Commitments and contingencies	_	0,121		0,032		
Shareholder's equity						
Common stock, no par value; unlimited number of shares authorized; 1,000 shares issued and outstanding as of September 30, 2018 and March 31, 2018		_		_		
Additional paid-in capital		1,404		1,404		
Accumulated equity (deficit)		22		(283)		
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(416)		(261)		
Total equity of our common shareholder		1,010		860		
Noncontrolling interests		(36)		(37)		
Total equity		974		823		
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Novelis Inc. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (unaudited) (in millions)

	 Six Months Ended S	September 30,
	 2018	2017
OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Net income	\$ 253 \$	408
Adjustments to determine net cash used in operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	172	181
(Gain) loss on unrealized derivatives and other realized derivatives in investing activities, net	(8)	12
Gain on sale of business	_	(318)
Loss on sale of assets	2	2
Impairment charges	_	6
Deferred income taxes	21	47
Equity in net (gain) loss of non-consolidated affiliates	(1)	1
Gain on foreign exchange remeasurement of debt	_	(2
Amortization of debt issuance costs and carrying value adjustments	9	10
Other, net	_	4
Changes in assets and liabilities including assets and liabilities held for sale (net of effects from divestitures):		
Accounts receivable	(70)	(316
Inventories	(237)	(107
Accounts payable	141	163
Other current assets	(49)	26
Other current liabilities	(20)	(31
Other noncurrent assets	(10)	(2
Other noncurrent liabilities	7	4
Net cash provided by operating activities	210	88
INVESTING ACTIVITIES	 	
Capital expenditures	(114)	(82)
Acquisition of assets under a capital lease	(239)	_
Proceeds from sales of assets, third party, net of transaction fees and hedging	2	1
Proceeds from the sale of a business	_	314
Proceeds from investment in and advances to non-consolidated affiliates, net	6	8
(Outflows) proceeds from the settlement of derivative instruments, net	(5)	1
Other	7	6
Net cash (used in) provided by investing activities	 (343)	248
FINANCING ACTIVITIES	-	
Principal payments of long-term and short-term borrowings	(40)	(64
Revolving credit facilities and other, net	103	88
Debt issuance costs	(2)	(4
Net cash provided by financing activities	 61	20
Net (decrease) increase in cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash	(72)	356
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash	(19)	(1
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash — beginning of period	932	604
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash — end of period	\$ 841 \$	959

Reconciliation of Net income attributable to our common shareholder to Adjusted EBITDA (unaudited)

The following table reconciles Net income attributable to our common shareholder to Adjusted EBITDA, a non-GAAP financial measure, for the three and six months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017.

(in millions)	Thre	e Months E	nded : 80,	September	Six Moi	nths End	ed Sept	tember 30,
		2018		2017	20	18		2017
Net income attributable to our common shareholder	\$	116	\$	307	\$	253	\$	408
Income tax provision		64		116		117		159
Interest, net		66		62		129		124
Depreciation and amortization		86		91		172		181
EBITDA		332		576		671		872
Unrealized (gains) losses on change in fair value of derivative instruments, net		(1)		18		3		2
Realized gains on derivative instruments not included in segment income		(1)		_		(1)		(1)
Adjustment to reconcile proportional consolidation		15		8		31		16
(Gain) loss on sale of fixed assets		(1)		1		2		2
Restructuring and impairment, net		_		7		1		8
Gain on sale of a business, net (A)		_		(318)		_		(318)
Metal price lag		(1)		5		(34)		6
Business acquisition and other integration costs (B)		8		_		10		_
Other, net		4		5		6		4
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	355	\$	302	\$	689	\$	591

- (A) In September 2017, Novelis Korea, Ltd, a subsidiary of Novelis, sold a portion of its shares in Ulsan Aluminum, Ltd., which resulted in a gain.
- (B) Effective in the second quarter of fiscal 2019, management removed the impact of business acquisition and other integration costs from Adjusted EBITDA in order to enhance the visibility of the underlying operating performance of the Company. The impact of "Business acquisition and other integration costs", which are costs presented above associated with our pending acquisition of Aleris, is now reported as a separate line item in this reconciliation and on our condensed consolidated statement of operations. This change in presentation does not impact our condensed consolidated financial statements.

Free Cash Flow (unaudited)

The following table shows "Free cash flow" for the six months ended September 30, 2018 and 2017.

(in millions)	-	Six Months Ende	d Septemb	per 30,
		2018		2017
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	210	\$	88
Net cash (used in) provided by investing activities		(343)		248
Plus: Cash used in the acquisition of assets under a capital lease		239		_
Less: Proceeds from sales of assets and business, net of transaction fees, cash income taxes and hedging		(2)		(312)
Free cash flow (A)	\$	104	\$	24

(A) Effective in the second quarter of fiscal 2019, management clarified the definition of "Free cash flow" (a non-GAAP measure) to exclude the impact of cash outflows related to the "Acquisition of assets under a capital lease". This change further enables users of the financial statements to understand cash generated internally by the Company. This change does not impact the condensed consolidated financial statements or prior periods reported.

Cash and Cash Equivalents and Total Liquidity (unaudited)

The following table reconciles the ending balances of cash and cash equivalents to total liquidity as of September 30, 2018 and March 31, 2018.

(in millions)	September 30, 2018	March 31, 2018
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 829	\$ 920
Availability under committed credit facilities	907	998
Total liquidity	\$ 1,736	\$ 1,918

Reconciliation of Net income attributable to our common shareholder to Net income attributable to our common shareholder, excluding special items (unaudited)

The following table presents Net income attributable to our common shareholder excluding special items. We adjust for items which may recur in varying magnitude which affect the comparability of the operational results of our underlying business.

(in millions)	Three		nded :	September	Six Months End	led Sep	otember 30,
	20	18		2017	2018		2017
Net income attributable to our common shareholder	\$	116	\$	307	\$ 253	\$	408
Special Items:							
Business acquisition and other integration related costs		8		_	10		_
Gain loss on sale of a business		_		(318)	_		(318)
Metal price lag		(1)		5	(34)		6
Restructuring and impairment, net		_		7	1		8
Tax effect on special items		(1)		77	7		77
Net income attributable to our common shareholder, excluding special items	\$	122	\$	78	\$ 237	\$	181

Segment Information (unaudited)

The following table shows selected segment financial information (in millions, except shipments which are in kilotonnes).

			Europe		Asia	South America		Eliminations and Other			Total
\$	151	\$	59	\$	47	\$	98	\$	_	\$	355
_											
	295		222		165		125		_		807
	_		7		3		1		(11)		_
	295		229		168		126		(11)		807
				-							
			Europe		Asia		South America				Total
\$	124	\$	51	\$	37	\$	90	\$	_	\$	302
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Selected Operating Results Six Months Ended September 30, 2018	Norti Ameri		Europe				Europe		Europe		Asia			South merica	Eliminations and Other		Total																		
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	270	\$	122	\$	102	\$	195	\$		\$ 689																								
Shipments																																			
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NOVELIS Q2 FISCAL 2019 EARNINGS CONFERENCE CALL

November 2, 2018

Steve Fisher
President and Chief Executive Officer
Dev Ahuja
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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Exhibit 99.2



SAFE HARBOR STATEMENT

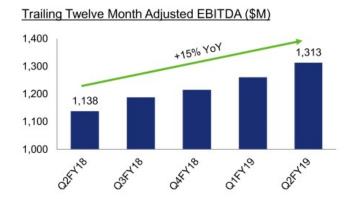


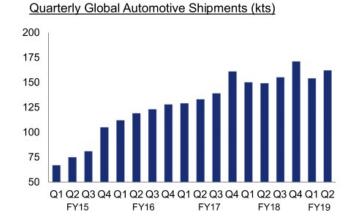
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HIGHLIGHTS

- Achieved record total shipments and Adjusted EBITDA in Q2, supported by:
 - Increasing customer preference for sustainable beverage packaging options driving Can growth
 - Automotive shipments growth 9% YoY
 - Positive metal mix and scrap spreads due to favorable market conditions
 - Continued operational efficiencies
- Aleris acquisition remains on track to close 9-15 months from announcement
- Secured financing for the pending Aleris acquisition





SUPPORTING AUTOMOTIVE CUSTOMER GROWTH



 Previously announced automotive finishing line capacity expansions in North America and Asia on track



- Bay construction is underway
- Adding ~200kt of automotive finishing capacity in North America



- Recently hosted ground-breaking ceremony
- Adding ~100kt of automotive finishing capacity for Asian customers

PROVIDING INNOVATIVE CUSTOMER SOLUTIONS



- Establishing a global network of Customer Solution Centers
 - Fosters collaborative innovation between Novelis and automakers for next generation vehicle design
 - Will be located in close proximity to customer manufacturing sites in North America, Asia and Europe
 - Provides an environment to help customers innovate with lightweight, highstrength aluminum at the right cost
 - Demonstrate product concepts
 - Simulate customer processes and performance in use
 - Recommend processes to allow for higher recycled content to help meet sustainability goals

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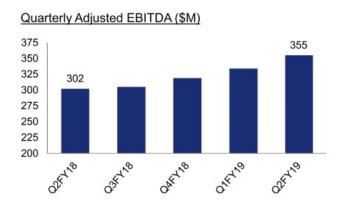
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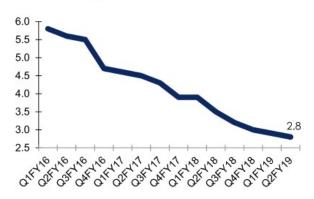
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Q2FY19 vs Q2FY18

- Net income of \$116 million
 - Prior year included \$318 million pretax gain on sale of business related to Ulsan Aluminum joint venture
 - Excluding tax-effected special items*, net income up 56% from \$78 million to \$122 million
- Adjusted EBITDA up 18% from \$302 million to \$355 million
- Sales up 12% to \$3.1 billion
- Total FRP Shipments up 1% to record 807 kilotonnes
- Strong liquidity position at \$1.7 billion
- Net leverage ratio further improved to 2.8x





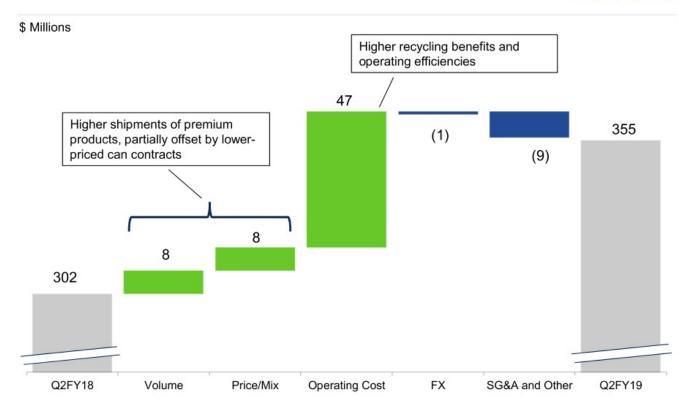


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*Tax-effected special items may include restructuring & impairment, metal price lag, gain/loss on assets held for sale, loss on extinguishment of debt, loss on sale of business, business acquisition and other integration costs.

Q2 ADJUSTED EBITDA BRIDGE

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Optimizing investments in capacity and favorable market conditions

FREE CASH FLOW Novelis

\$ Millions

	YTD FY19	YTD FY18
Adjusted EBITDA	689	591
Capital expenditures	(114)	(82)
Interest paid	(122)	(135)
Taxes paid	(95)	(68)
Working capital & other	(254)	(282)
Free cash flow*	104	24

^{*} Free cash flow excludes the gain from Ulsan Aluminum JV transaction and Sierre transaction; see definition of Free Cash Flow in Appendix

- YTD free cash flow increased \$80 million:
 - Higher Adjusted EBITDA
 - Positive metal price lag in FY19
 - Partially offset by higher taxes and increased capital expenditures

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SUMMARY

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- Record quarter performance
- FY19 shipments to grow, but nearing capacity constraints
- Geo-political and trade uncertainty may create short-term headwinds but end market demand outlook remains strong over the long term
- Making disciplined strategic investments to diversify our product portfolio and strengthen our business
- Pending Aleris acquisition remains on track and financing now secured







THANK YOU QUESTIONS?

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APPENDIX

NET INCOME RECONCILIATION TO ADJUSTED EBITDA

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(in \$ m)	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FY18	Q1 FY19	Q2 FY19
Net income attributable to our common shareholder	101	307	121	106	635	137	116
- Noncontrolling interests	-	-	(16)	3	(13)	-	-
- Income tax provision	43	116	20	54	233	53	64
- Interest, net	62	62	62	60	246	63	66
- Depreciation and amortization	90	91	86	87	354	86	86
EBITDA	296	576	273	310	1,455	339	332
- Unrealized (gain) loss on derivatives	(16)	18	(15)	(7)	(20)	4	(1)
 Realized (gain) loss on derivative instruments not included in segment income 	(1)	-	1			-	(1)
- Proportional consolidation	8	8	17	18	51	16	15
- Loss (gain) on sale of fixed assets	1	1	2	3	7	3	(1)
- Restructuring and impairment, net	1	7	25	1	34	1	-
- Metal price lag	1	5	(1)	(9)	(4)	(33)	(1)
- Gain on sale of business	-	(318)	15	-	(318)	- 6	-
- Business acquisition and other integration costs (A)	-	-	-	-	- 1	2	8
- Other, net	(1)	5	3	3	10	2	4
Adjusted EBITDA	\$289	\$302	\$305	\$319	\$1,215	\$334	\$355

⁽A) Effective in the second quarter of fiscal 2019, management removed the impact of business acquisition and other integration costs from Adjusted EBITDA in order to enhance the visibility of the underlying operating performance of the Company. The impact of "Business acquisition and other integration costs", which are costs presented above associated with our pending acquisition of Aleris, is now reported as a separate line item in this reconciliation and on our condensed consolidated statement of operations. This change in presentation does not impact our condensed consolidated financial statements.

FREE CASH FLOW AND LIQUIDITY

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(in \$ m)	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FY18	Q1 FY19	Q2 FY19
Cash (used in) provided by operating activities Cash (used in) provided by investing activities	(45) (31)	139 273	143 (72)	349 (87)	586 83	48 (52)	162 (291)
Plus: Cash used in the acquisition of assets under a capital lease	-	-	-	-	-	-	239
Less: (proceeds) outflows from sale of assets, net of transaction fees, cash income taxes and hedging	(1)	(311)	8	41	(263)	-	(2)
Free cash flow	\$(77)	\$101	\$79	\$303	\$406	\$(4)	\$108
Capital expenditures	39	43	54	90	226	54	60

"Free cash flow" consists of: (a) "net cash provided by (used in) operating activities," (b) plus "net cash provided by (used in) investing activities" (c) plus cash used in the "Acquisition of assets under a capital lease", and (d) less "proceeds from sales of assets and business, net of transaction fees, cash income taxes and hedging". All prior periods presented conform to the presentation adopted for the current period.

(in \$ m)	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FY18	Q1 FY19	Q2 FY19
Cash and cash equivalents Availability under committed credit facilities	565 671	949 700	757 967	920 998	920 998	853 1,059	829 907
Liquidity	\$1,236	\$1,649	\$1,724	\$1,918	\$1,918	\$1,912	\$1,736