

### **ASX Announcement**

25 August 2020

### **Alumina Limited 2020 Half Year Result Presentation**

Attached is a presentation relating to Alumina Limited's Half Year Results for the 6 months ended 30 June 2020.

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## **Alumina Limited 2020 Half-Year Results**

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## **Strength Throughout the Cycle**

### Results

- Interim dividend of 2.8 cps
- NPAT: \$90.5M
- NPAT excl significant items: \$87.5M
- 1H alumina daily production record

### Market

- Global alumina market in small deficit for 2020
- Alumina price risen from the bottom
- Production of primary aluminium increased despite COVID
- Aluminium positive long-term growth outlook

### **COVID** response

- Emphasis on health & safety and protecting the workforce
- Supporting employees with COVID and minimising risk of exposure for others
- Production maintained and safeguarded

### Company

- Strong balance sheet and low gearing
- Consistent and solid shareholder dividends
- Strength to withstand market shocks and benefit from positive market conditions



## AWAC 2020 Half-Year Results

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### 2020 AWAC Half-Year Results\*

### **EBITDA**

\$507M (1H 2019: \$950M)

### **NPAT**

\$246M (1H 2019: \$552M)

### **CFO**

\$319M (1H 2019: \$456M)

### Alumina Realised Price

\$266/t (1H 2019: \$375/t)

# Alumina **Production**

6.4Mt (1H 2019: 6.2Mt)

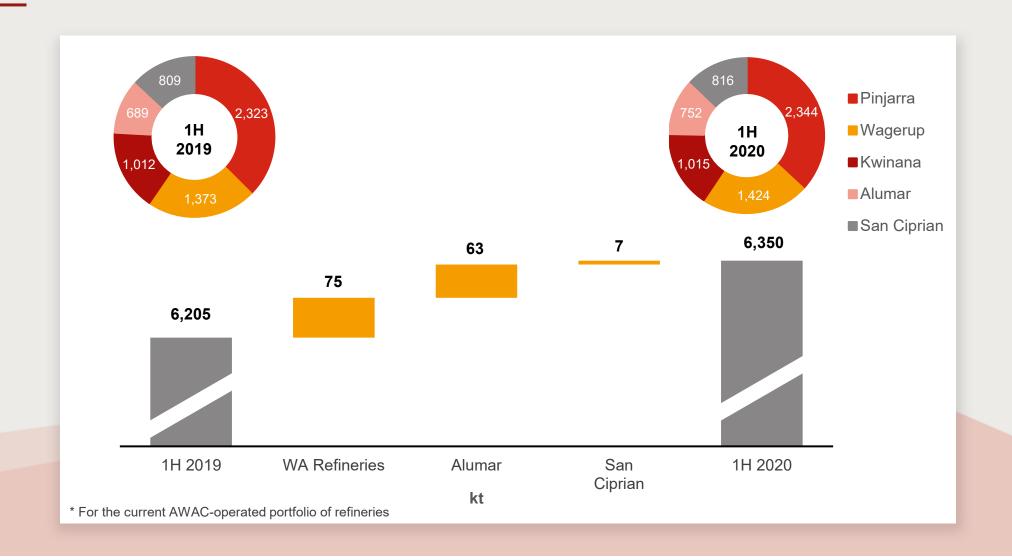
# Alumina Cash Cost

\$193/t (1H 2019: \$218/t)

\*USGAAP



### **AWAC Record Daily Alumina Production in a First Half\***





### **AWAC Margin Strength**



## Recent Pricing & Costing compared to 10 year average

|                     | 1H2020 | 2H2019 | 1H2019 | Average for 2011- 2020 <sup>3</sup> |
|---------------------|--------|--------|--------|-------------------------------------|
| Realised Price      | 266    | 298    | 375    | 321                                 |
| САР                 | 193    | 201    | 218    | 230                                 |
| Margin <sup>2</sup> | 73     | 97     | 157    | 91                                  |
| Platts (1m lag)     | 268    | 301    | 388    | 337                                 |

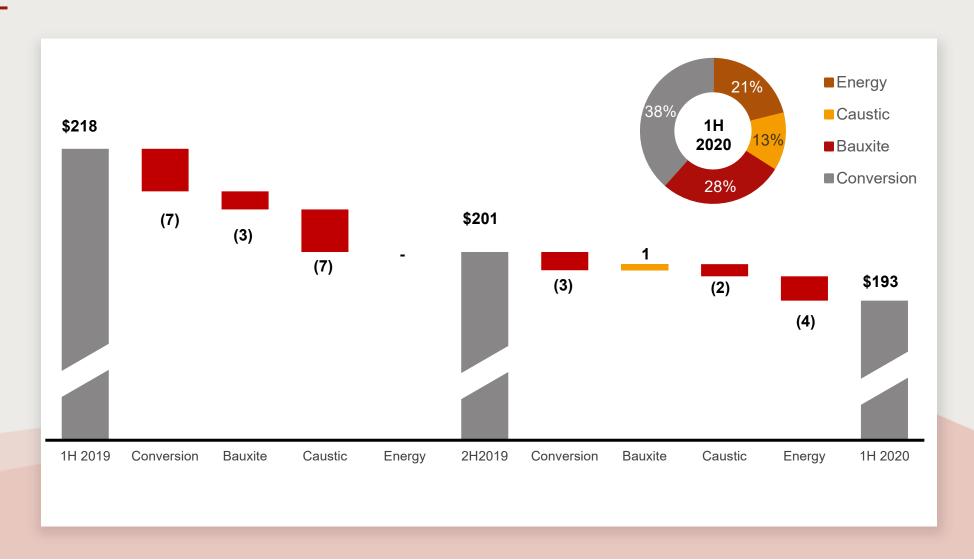
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Prior to 2016 the CAP included high-cost refineries that are no longer part of the portfolio

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Margin calculated as realised price minus cash cost of production

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Average as calculated for 2011-2019 with 1H2020 counted as half a year

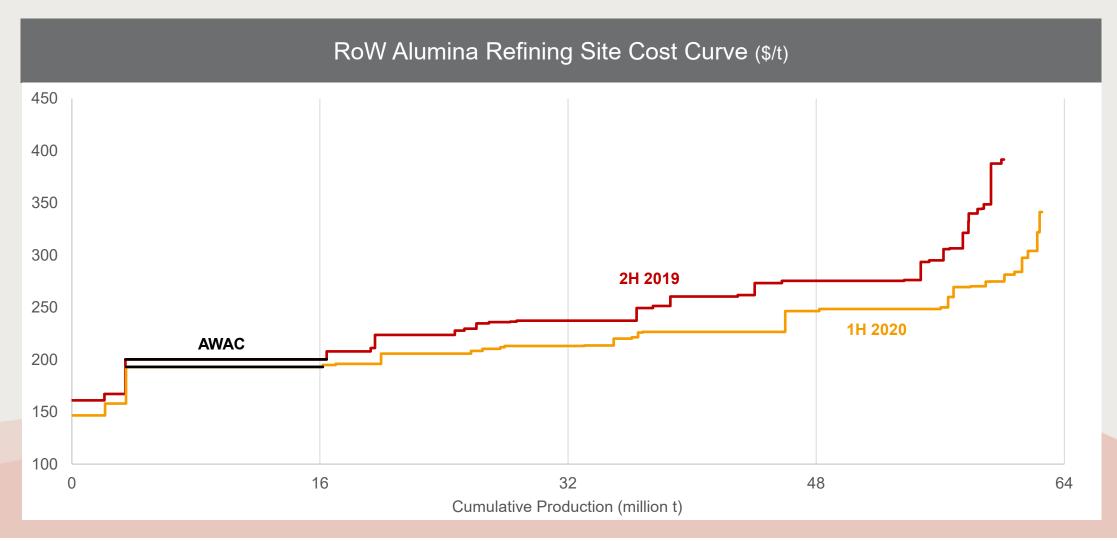


## AWAC Cash Cost of Alumina Production Decreased \$25/t 1H 2019 vs 1H 2020





# RoW Refining Cost Curve fell in 1H AWAC Remains 1st Quartile Refiner



Source: CRU, August 2020



### **AWAC Outlook and Sensitivities**

| Item                   |   | 1H 2020 Actual         | 2020 Outlook             |
|------------------------|---|------------------------|--------------------------|
| Production             | Alumina (Million t)   | 6.4                    | 12.8                     |
| Bauxite<br>(3rd Party) | Sales - Bone Dry Tonnes (Million bdt)                           | 3.0                    | 6.5                      |
| Cash Items             | Sustaining Capex<br>Growth Capex<br>Restructuring-Related Items | \$89M<br>\$9M<br>\$28M | \$200M<br>\$10M<br>\$65M |

| Item                    |   | 2020 Sensitivities                                  |  |
|-------------------------|---|---|--|
| EBITDA<br>Sensitivities | API +/-\$10/t<br>Caustic +/-\$100/dmt<br>+/-1¢ in AUD/USD | approx. +/-\$115M<br>approx/+\$90M<br>approx/+\$22M |  |

## Alumina Ltd 2020 Half-Year Results

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### 2020 Alumina Half-Year Results\*

### **Resilient Performance**

### **NPAT:**

\$90.5M

(1H 2019: \$210.9M)

### Dividend:

Interim Dividend 2.8 CPS

### **Dividend Yield:**

3 year avg 8.6%<sup>^</sup>

### **Strong Balance Sheet**

### Gearing:

Very low gearing <5%

### DRP:

Scheme reactivated

### **Strong liquidity:**

Increased cash on hand

\$240m undrawn facilities

### **100% Cash Flow Payout**

### **Dividend Policy Unchanged**

## **Available Dividend Calculation**

Changed to reflect Alumina cash flow for the period

<sup>^</sup>Before franking

# Market Review and Outlook

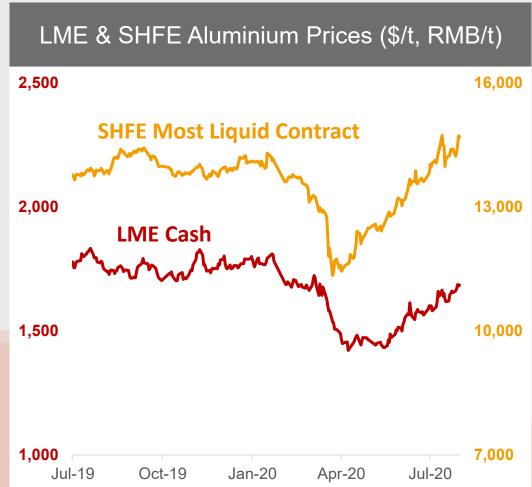
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### **Global Markets Absorb COVID Shock**

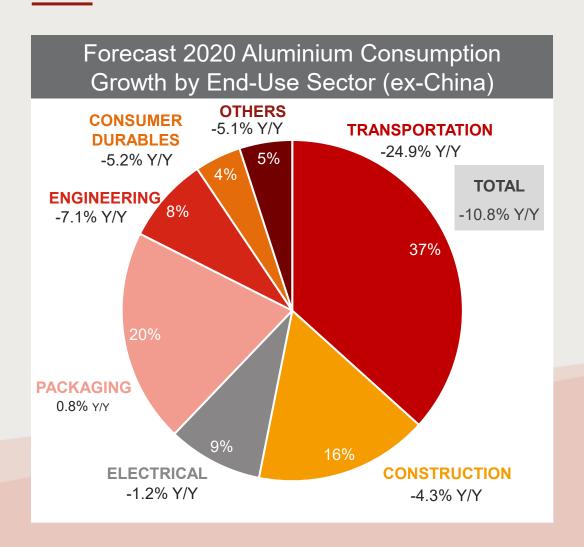


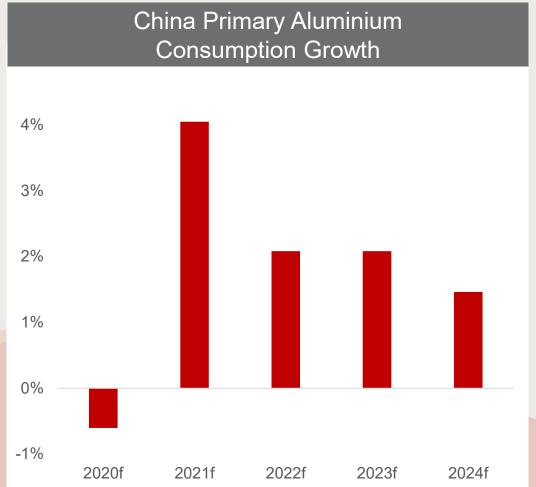


Source: Platts, SHFE, August 2020



### **COVID Impacts on RoW Demand Offset by China Recovery**

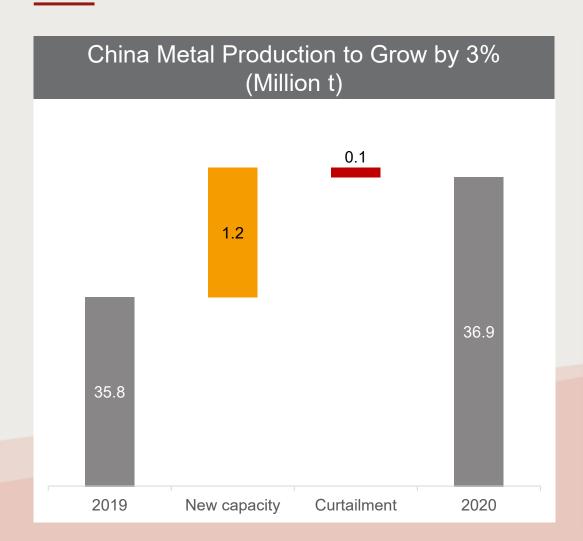


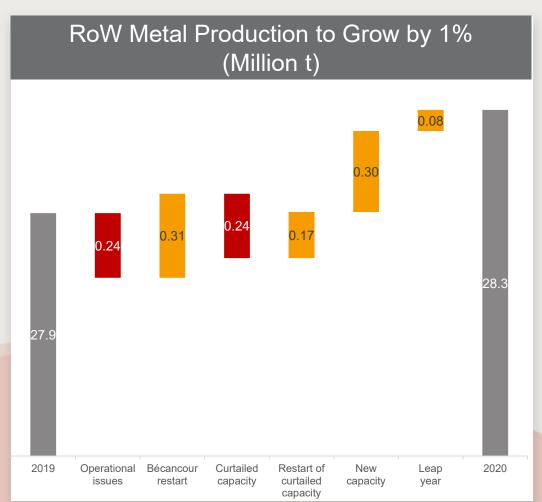


Source: Harbor, August 2020 Source: CRU, July 2020



### **Primary Aluminium Production Robust Despite COVID**

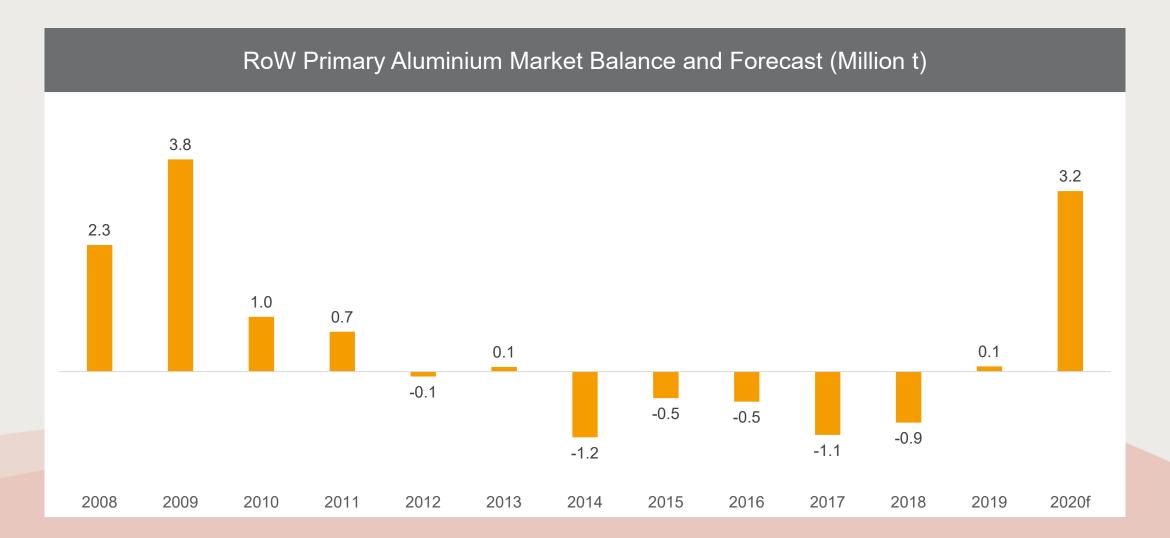




Source: Aladdiny, Alumina Limited, August 2020



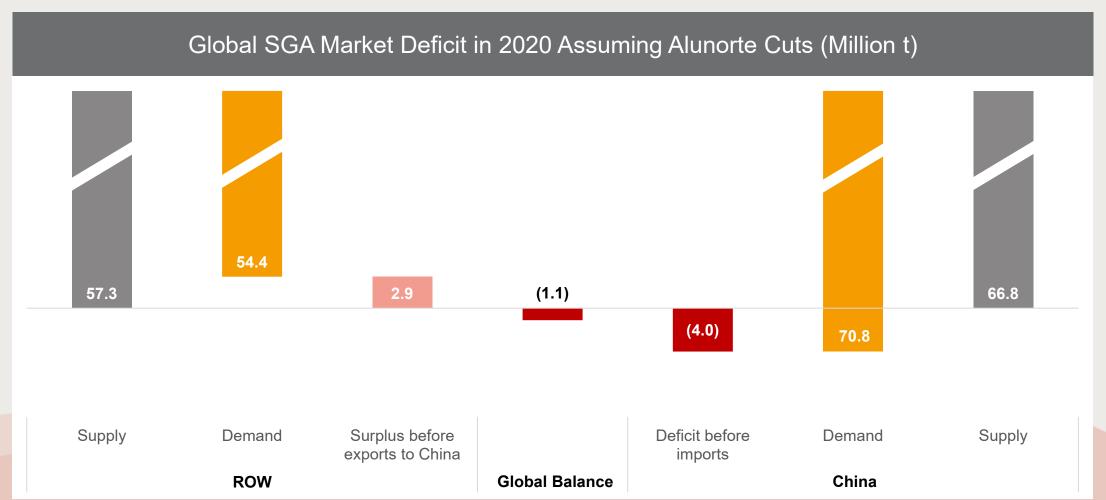
### **RoW Production Boosts Inventories**



Source: Harbor, August 2020



## **RoW SGA\* Surplus to be Exported to China**



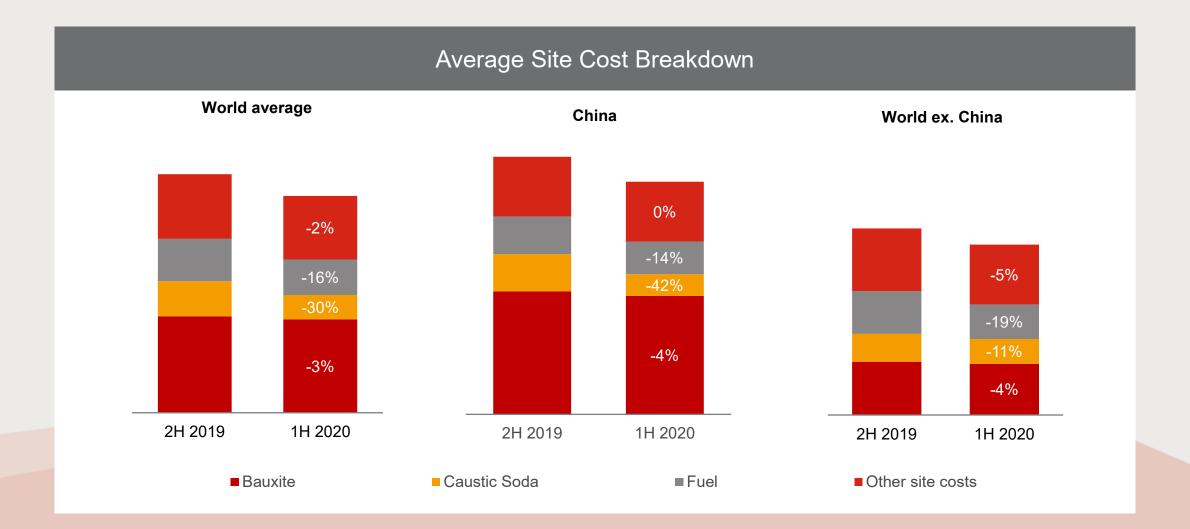
<sup>\*</sup> Smelter Grade Alumina

Note: SGA to primary aluminium ratio – China = 1.92:1, RoW = 1.925:1

Source: Aladdiny, Alumina Limited, August 2020



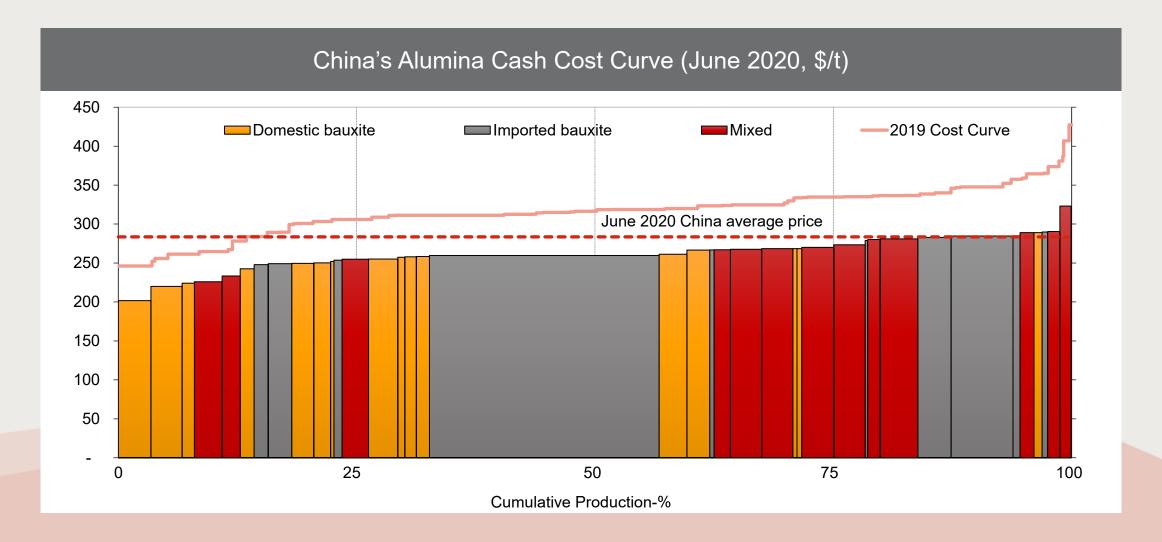
### **COVID Triggers Global Alumina Cash Cost Falls**



**21** Source: CRU, July 2020



## Fall in China's Alumina Cash Costs Likely Temporary

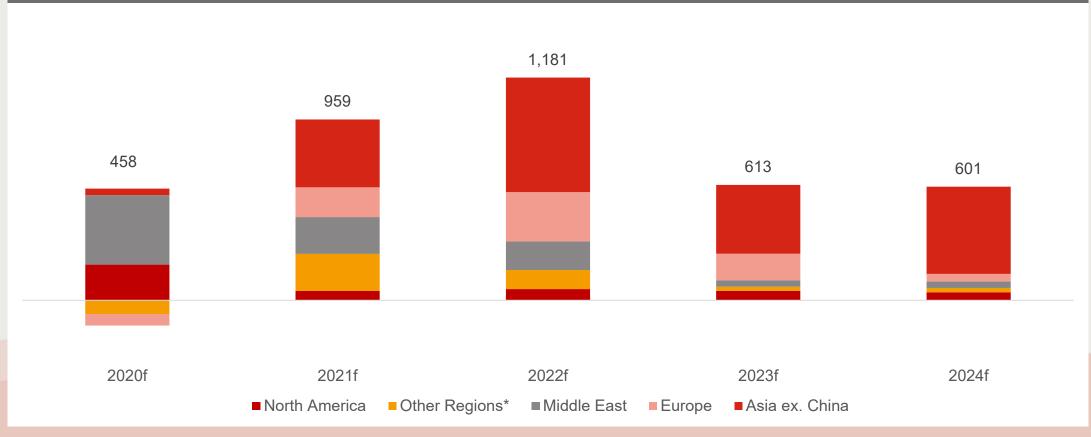


Source: CM Group, Alumina Limited, July 2020



### Robust 5 Year RoW SGA Demand Growth Forecast

### 3.8 Million t New Metal Demand Forecast to Require 7.3 Million t SGA Supply (ex-China, kt)



\*Other regions: Latam, Africa, and Oceania

Source: Harbor, August 2020



# AWC's Fundamental Strengths Deliver Positive Outcomes in Unprecedented Half

## This significant market shock has proven the resilience of AWC to withstand any market conditions Market With forecast growth in aluminium production, demand for alumina will continue to grow The global market is expected to be in a small deficit this year and with higher China costs underpinning the Australian alumina price AWAC remains at the lower end of the cost curve and can compete effectively against **Operations** Chinese and other alumina producers AWC's stability is strengthened by its almost undiluted exposure to alumina in the supply **Alumina** chain, low debt and strong balance sheet Limited Consistent dividends

## **Appendix**







Sustainability

### **Emissions**

- Low refinery CO<sub>2</sub>e
   emissions intensity across
   the entire AWAC portfolio
- AWAC CO<sub>2</sub>e targets for refineries set for 4% reduction from 2015-2025 and 12% by 2030

### Rehabilitation

- All AWAC sites have biodiversity action plans
- Water efficiency focus with 2 WA refineries running press filtration reducing water consumption
- Globally mandated impoundment standards for planning, design, construction and operations

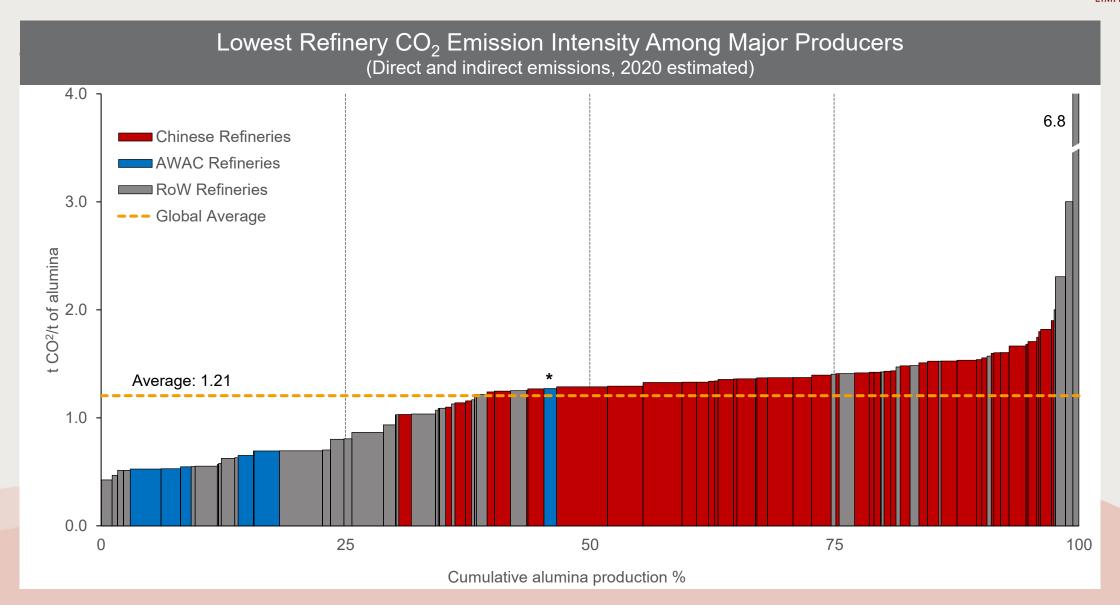
### **Initiatives**

- AWAC's Australian operation preparing a modern slavery statement for the 2020 year
- Continuing to explore potential energy efficiencies

### **3rd Party Validation**

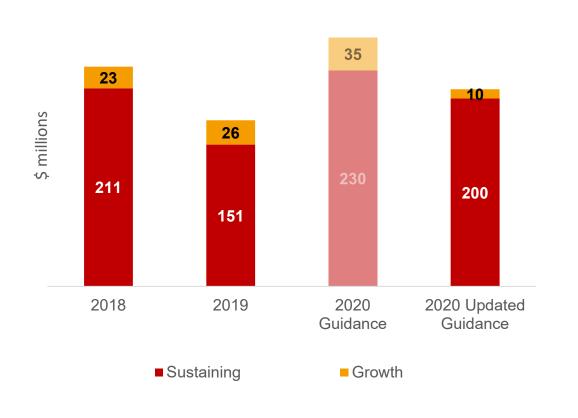
- Aluminium Stewardship Initiative certification at:
  - WA refineries and mines, Juruti bauxite mine and Alumar refinery
- AWAC facilities aligning to ICMM principles







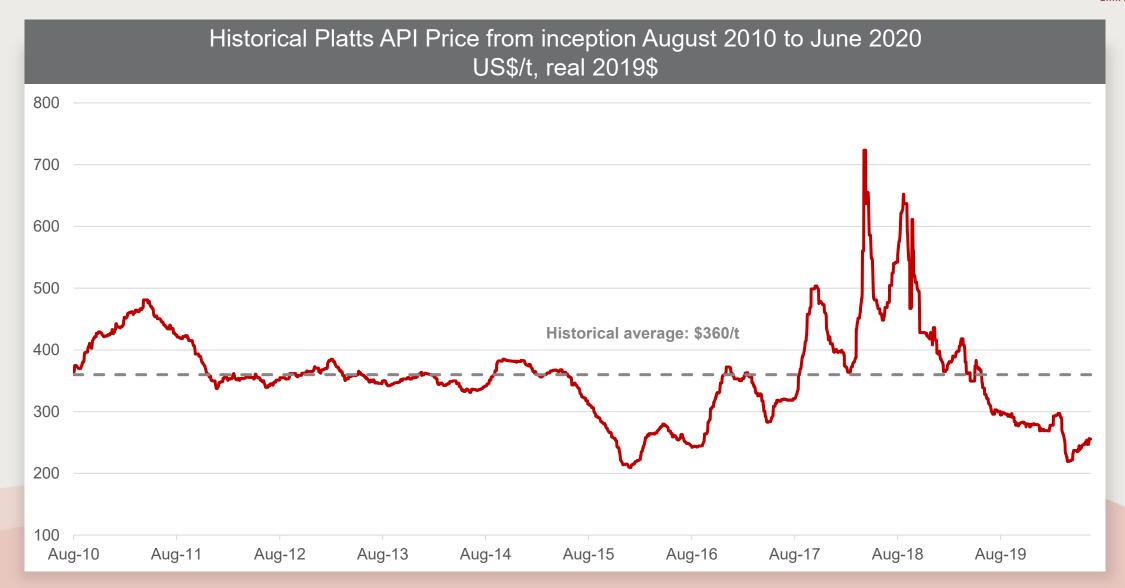
### AWAC Capital Expenditure



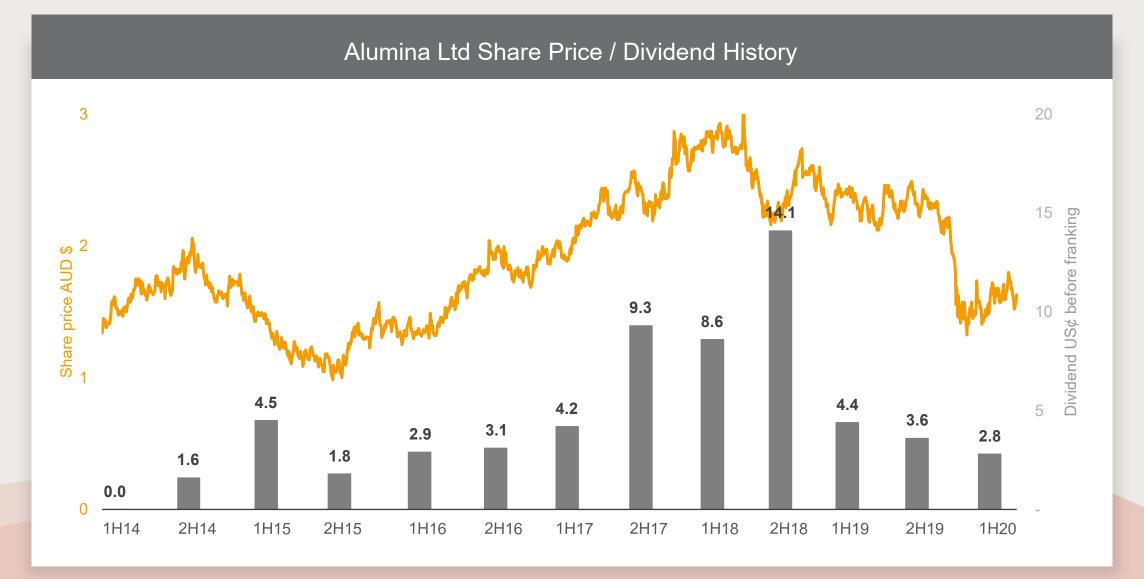
### **CAPEX 2020**

- Sustaining Significant Projects
  - o Willowdale's crusher move
  - Alumar residue storage areas
  - Juruti tailing ponds
- Growth projects for 2020 deferred





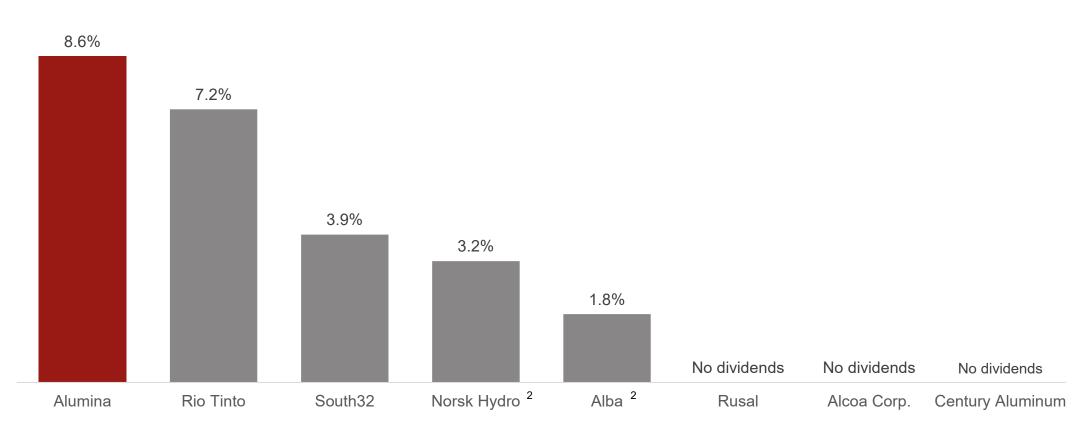




Source: Reuters, Alumina Limited, August 2020



### Alumina Ltd vs Peers Avg Dividend Yield<sup>(1)</sup> (Past three calendar years, excl franking credits)



Notes: (1) Dividend yield calculated as the average dividend declared from 19-Aug-17 to 19-Aug-20 divided by the average share price during that period (2) As Norsk Hydro and Alba do not pay interim dividends the dividend yield was calculated using the period 26 Feb-17 to 26-Feb-20 to provide a comparative 3 year period



# **AWAC Distribution Calendar:** Comparison of Methodologies

| No later than | Relevant AWAC<br>Entities | Description  | Current Methodology:<br>Included In Alumina's | Old Methodology:<br>Included In Alumina's |
|---------------|---------------------------|--|---|---|
| 20 January    | All                       | 50% of each entity's US GAAP Net Income (if positive) for 4Q of the previous calendar year | Current Year Interim Dividend                 | Prior Year Final Dividend                 |
| 20 February   | All except AWA LLC        | Available Cash of each entity as at 31 January   | Current Year Interim Dividend                 | Prior Year Final Dividend                 |
| 20 February   | All                       | Working Capital Contributions  | Current Year Interim Dividend                 | Prior Year Final Dividend                 |
| 20 April      | All                       | 50% of each entity's US GAAP Net Income (if positive) for 1Q                               | Current Year Interim Dividend                 | Current Year Interim Dividend             |
| 20 May        | All except AWA LLC        | Available Cash of each entity as at 30 April   | Current Year Interim Dividend                 | Current Year Interim Dividend             |
| 30 June       | All                       | Working Capital Contributions  | Current Year Interim Dividend                 | Current Year Interim Dividend             |
| 20 July       | All                       | 50% of each entity's US GAAP Net Income (if positive) for 2Q                               | Current Year Final Dividend                   | Current Year Interim Dividend             |
| 20 August     | All except AWA LLC        | Available Cash of each entity as at 31 July  | Current Year Final Dividend                   | Current Year Interim Dividend             |
| 20 August     | All                       | Working Capital Contributions  | Current Year Final Dividend                   | Current Year Interim Dividend             |
| 20 October    | All                       | 50% of each entity's US GAAP Net Income (if positive) for 3Q                               | Current Year Final Dividend                   | Current Year Final Dividend               |
| 20 November   | All except AWA LLC        | Available Cash of each entity as at 31 October   | Current Year Final Dividend                   | Current Year Final Dividend               |
| 31 December   | All                       | Working Capital Contributions  | Current Year Final Dividend                   | Current Year Final Dividend               |

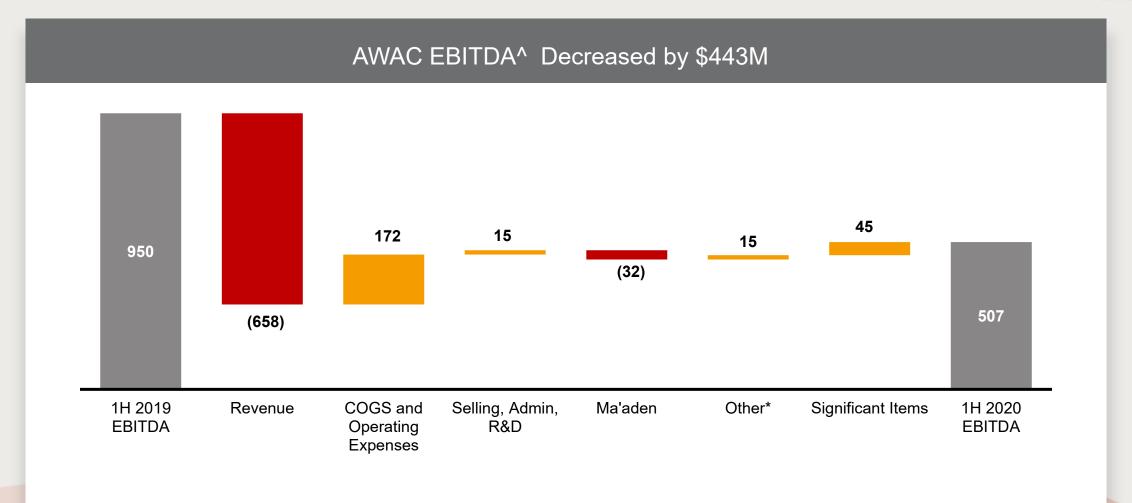


# Free Cash Flow Available for Dividends Calculation: Comparison of Methodologies

|  | 1H 2020 (US\$m)<br>Current Method | 1H 2020 (cps)<br>Current Method | 1H 2020 (US\$m)<br>Old Method | 1H 2020 (cps)<br>Old Method |
|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| AWAC Distributions                               | 106.3                             | 3.7                             | 106.3                         | 3.7                         |
| Corporate Costs, Finance Charges & Other         | (8.8)                             | (0.3)                           | (8.8)                         | (0.3)                       |
| AWC Cash from Operations                         | 97.5                              | 3.4                             | 97.5                          | 3.4                         |
| Contributions to AWAC                            | (16.4)                            | (0.6)                           | (16.4)                        | (0.6)                       |
| Dividends paid from previous period cash [1]     | N/a                               | N/a                             | (42.8)                        | (1.5)                       |
| Free Cash Flow received available in/from period | 81.1                              | 2.8                             | 38.3                          | 1.3                         |
| Post 30 June: - Distributions - (Contributions)  | N/a<br>N/a                        | N/a<br>N/a                      | 46.2<br>(8.0)                 | 1.6<br>(0.3)                |
| Free cash flow available for dividends           | 81.1                              | 2.8                             | 76.5                          | 2.7                         |

<sup>[1]</sup> Included \$11.5m upwards adjustment to the 2019 Final Dividend to reflect timing differences which negatively impacted AWAC's February 2020 distribution



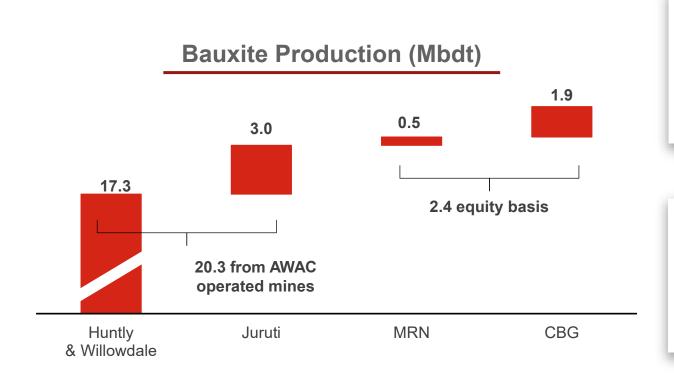


<sup>^</sup> Earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortisation

<sup>\*</sup> Other includes gain/loss on asset disposal, FX exchange differences, derivative income/expense, and miscellaneous



### Improved Bauxite Production and Third Party Shipments



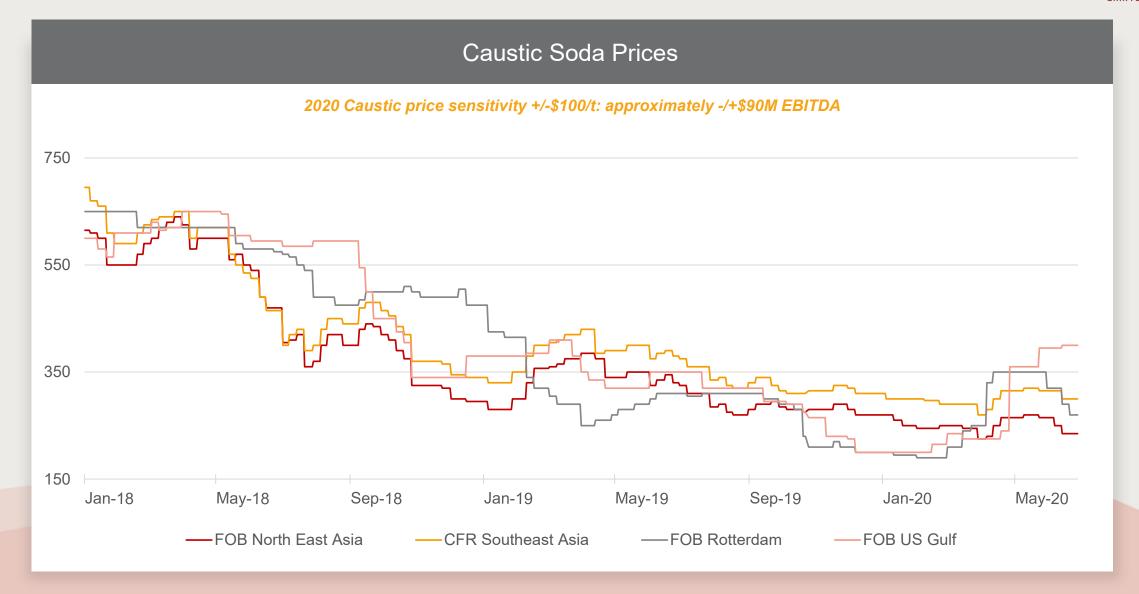
### **Cash Cost of Mining**

1H 2020: \$9.6/bdt (1H 2019: \$10.5/bdt)

### **Third Party Shipments**

1H 2020: 3.0Mbdt (1H 2019: 2.7Mbdt)



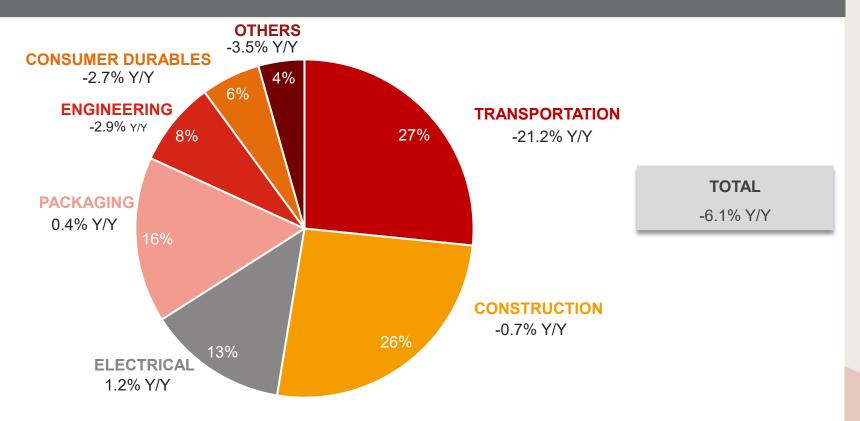


Source: Platts, August 2020



### Global Aluminium Demand - 6% Contraction in 2020

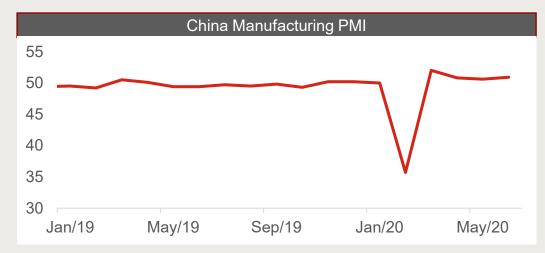
### Forecast 2020 Global Aluminium Consumption Growth by End-Use Sector



Source: Harbor, August 2020

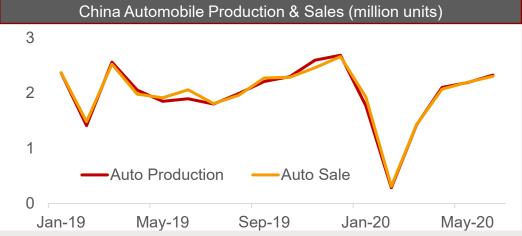


## China is Having "V" Shaped Recovery Aluminium Consumption Accelerating

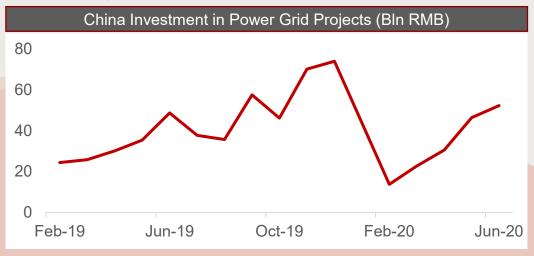


Source: NBS, July 2020





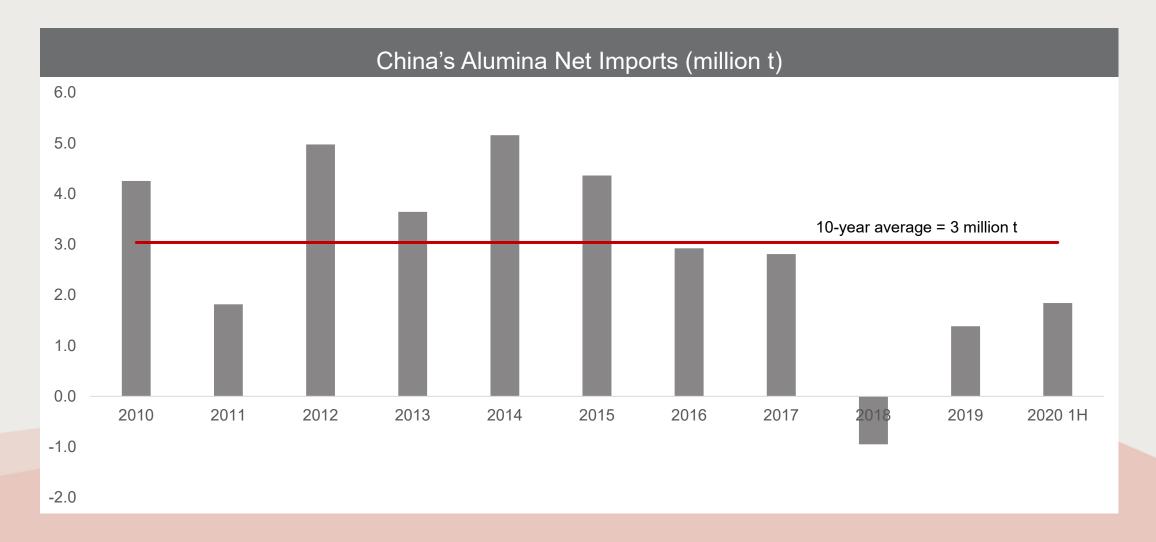
Source: CAAM, July 2020



Source: National Energy Administration, July 2020



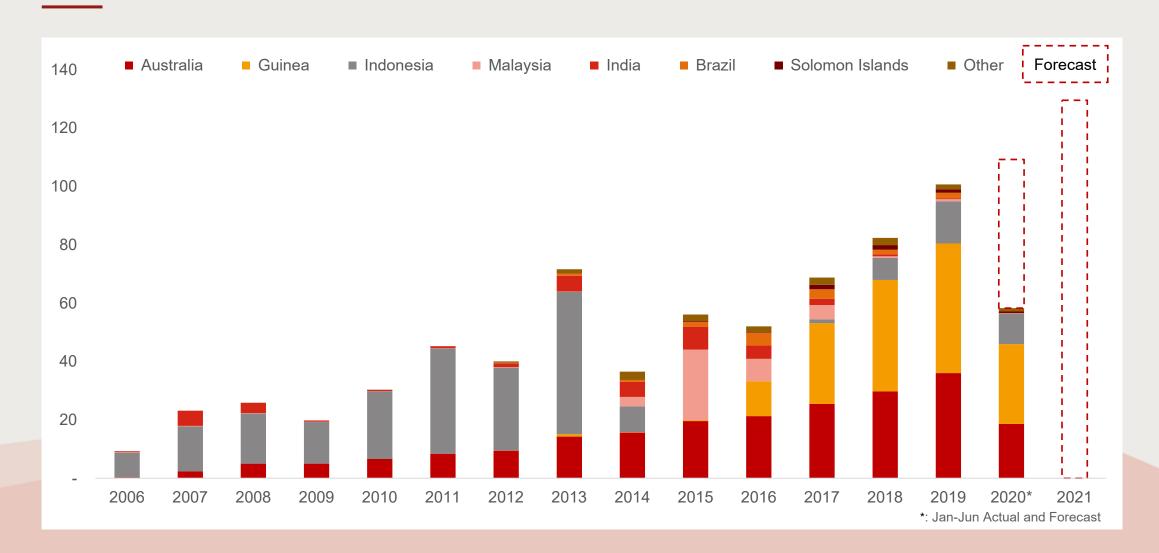
### China on Track to Import around 3 million t of Alumina in 2020



Source: China Customs, UN Comtrade, July 2020



## **Chinese Bauxite Imports - Past and Outlook (million t)**



Source: China Customs, CM Group, August 2020



## **New Chinese Smelting Capacity Outgrows New Refining Capacity in 2020**

| Province       | Primary Aluminium Capacity<br>(M tpa) |
|----------------|---------------------------------------|
| Yunnan         | 1.49                                  |
| Guangxi        | 0.23                                  |
| Inner Mongolia | 0.35                                  |
| Shanxi         | 0.25                                  |
| Sichuan        | 0.30                                  |
| Total          | 2.62                                  |

| Province | Alumina Capacity*<br>(M tpa) |
|----------|------------------------------|
| Guizhou  | 1.00                         |
| Guangxi  | 2.00                         |
| Total    | 3.00                         |



## **RoW Smelting Capacity Under Construction or Being Considered**

### **Smelters Currently Under Construction:**

| Country  | Company        | Smelter            | Capacity<br>(M tpa) | Туре                  |
|----------|----------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Russia   | UC Rusal       | Taishet (phase I)  | 0.43                | Greenfield            |
| Vietnam  | Tran Hong Quan | Dak Nong (Phase I) | 0.15                | Greenfield            |
| Iran     | Salco          | Fars               | 0.30                | Greenfield            |
| Malaysia | Press Metal    | Samalju            | 0.32                | Brownfield/Greenfield |
| Total    |                |                    | 1.20                |                       |

### **Other Projects Under Consideration:**

| Country      | Company          | Smelter                  | Capacity<br>(M tpa) | Туре       |
|--------------|------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Russia       | UC Rusal         | Boguchansky (phase II)   | 0.30                | Brownfield |
| Indonesia    | Asahan Aluminium | Inalum                   | 0.20                | Brownfield |
| Egypt        | Egyptalum        | Nag Hammadi              | 0.25                | Brownfield |
| Saudi Arabia | Ma'aden          | Ras Al Khair             | 0.74                | Brownfield |
| Kazakhstan   | ENRC             | Pavlodar                 | 0.27                | Brownfield |
| Indonesia    | Asahan Aluminium | Inalum (West Kalimantan) | 0.50                | Greenfield |
| Total        |                  |                          | 2.26                |            |

Source: Alumina Limited, August 2020



## **Limited New Alumina Capacity Committed Outside China**

**Refineries Currently Under Construction Outside China** 

| Country   | Company  | Refinery          | Capacity<br>(M tpa) | Туре       | Status                                  | Bauxite Source |
|-----------|----------|-------------------|---------------------|------------|---|----------------|
| Indonesia | Nanshan  | Bintan            | 1.0                 | Greenfield | To be comissioned end 2020              | Indonesia      |
| Indonesia | Hongqiao | Ketapang Phase II | 1.0                 | Brownfield | To be comissioned end 2020 / early 2021 | Indonesia      |

**Other Projects** 

| Country   | Company             | Refinery        | Capacity<br>(M tpa) | Туре                  | Status              |
|-----------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| India     | Hindalco            | Utkal           | 0.5                 | Brownfield            | Committed           |
| Indonesia | Inalum/Antam        | West Kalimantan | 2.0                 | Greenfield            | Under Consideration |
| Indonesia | Jinjiang            | West Kalimantan | 1.0                 | Greenfield            | Under Consideration |
| Indonesia | Nanshan/Press Metal | Bintan          | 1.0                 | Brownfield            | Under Consideration |
| India     | Vedanta             | Lanjigarh       | 1.2                 | Brownfield            | Under Consideration |
| India     | Nalco               | Damanjodi       | 1.0                 | Brownfield            | Under Consideration |
| India     | Hindalco            | Rayagada        | 2.0                 | Greenfield            | Under Consideration |
| Guinea    | SMB/Winning         | Dapilon         | 1.0                 | Greenfield            | Under Consideration |
| Guinea    | Chalco              | Boffa           | 1.0                 | Greenfield            | Under Consideration |
| Greece    | Mytilineos          | Distomon        | 0.9                 | Brownfield            | Under Consideration |
| Laos      | Slaco               | Paksong         | 1.0                 | Greenfield            | Under Consideration |
| Jamaica   | JISCO               | Alpart          | 2.0                 | Brownfield/Greenfield | Under Consideration |

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## Most ex-China Curtailed Refineries Unlikely to Restart

| Curtailed<br>Refineries      | Owner            | Location  | Nameplate Capacity<br>(M tpa) | Comment   |
|------------------------------|------------------|-----------|-------------------------------|---|
| Alpart                       | JISCO            | Jamaica   | 1.70                          | Acquired in curtailed state mid-2016. Backward integration restart. Production suspended in Q4 2019 |
| Kirkvine                     | Windalco         | Jamaica   | 0.60                          | On care and maintenance since 2009  |
| Anrak                        | Anrak            | India     | 1.50                          | Built in 2014 (not started). Would need financing and bauxite access/supply                         |
| Eurallumina –<br>Porto Vesme | Rusal            | Italy     | 1.10                          | Idled since 2009. Reviewing restart from around end 2020  |
| Bauxilum                     | State-<br>owned  | Venezuela | 2.00                          | Idled in 2015, restarted in 2019, with inconsistent, low production                                 |
| LAlumina –<br>Burnside       | Arthur<br>Metals | USA       | 0.50                          | In the process of full curtailment  |
| TOTAL                        |                  |           | 7.40                          |   |

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