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September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2021

*Iron ore briquettes stockpile*



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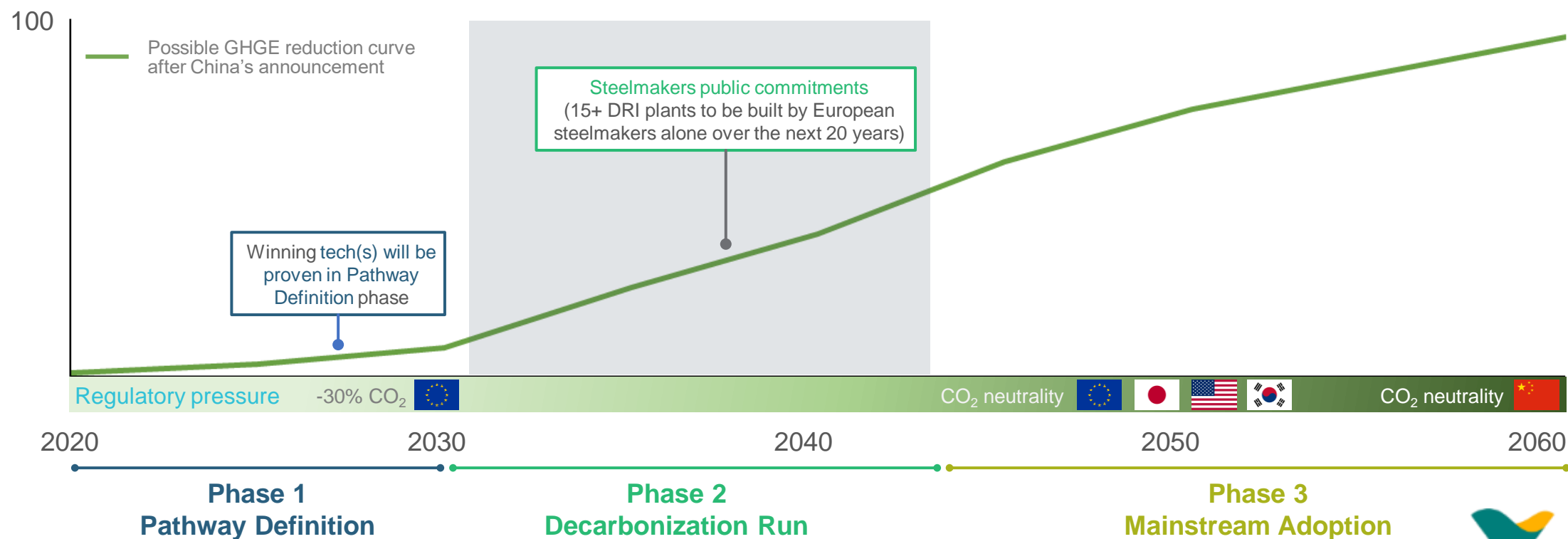


A world requiring green materials

# Steel industry transformation started, strongly driven by GHGE reduction regulations

Conceptual view of GHGE reduction in steelmaking  
(100% basis)

Illustrative



Source: BCG Steel Model, BCG Analysis, IEA and Vale's analysis.

<sup>1</sup> IEA - Iron and Steel Technology Roadmap 2020.



# Technological shift faces three challenges



## High investment required

**US\$ 1-2 trillion**

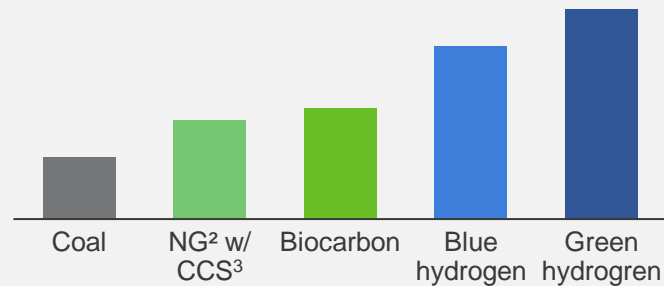
to be compliant  
with CO<sub>2</sub> emission  
requirements

- Aging plants need to be revamped;
- Uncertainties related to technology success increase investment risks.



## Higher fuel costs

Fuel cost<sup>1</sup> (US\$/t coal eq.)

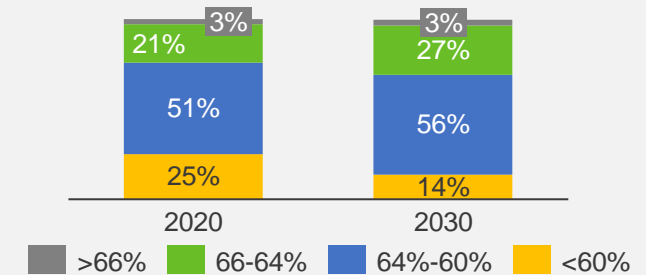


- “Greener” reductant costs are higher than coal costs;
- Biocarbon and natural gas can accelerate transition while developing hydrogen industry.



## High-quality ore supply

Seaborne iron ore supply by Fe content (%)

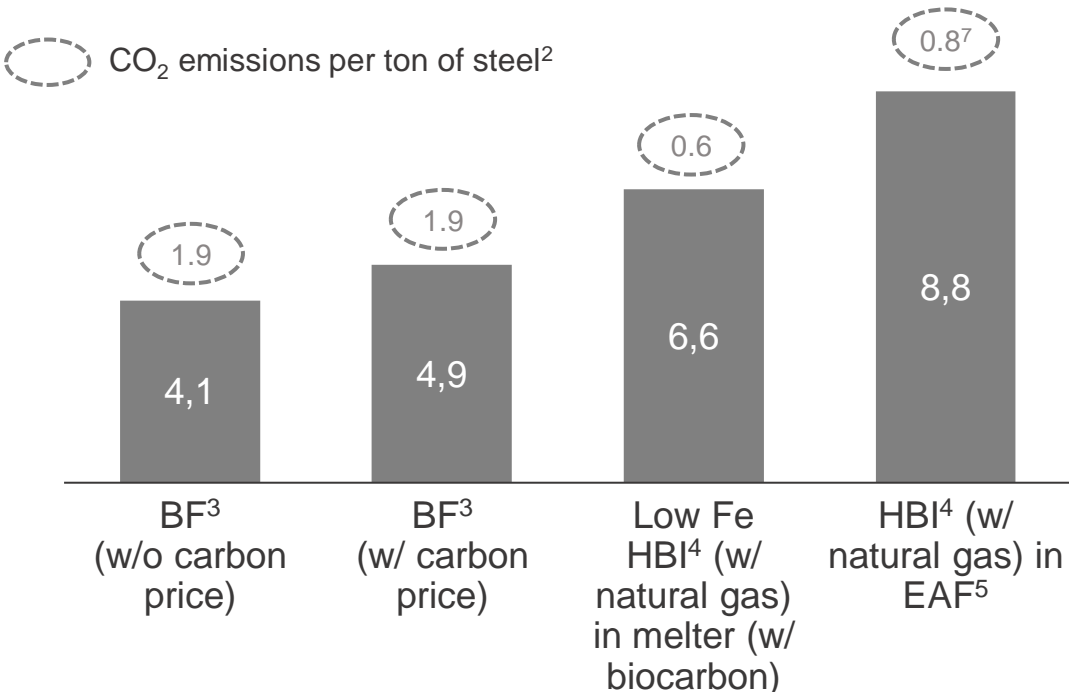


- Steelmaking needs high quality products to minimize reductant costs and increase productivity;
- Main ore bodies available face depletion and beneficiation challenges, thus making it difficult to increase supply of high-grade ores.



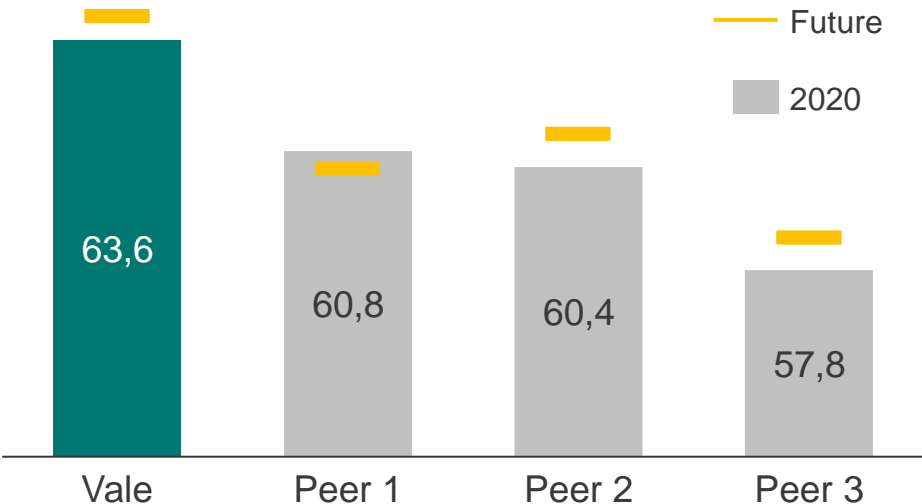
# Leading to solid premiums in long term

Premium for 1% Fe additional<sup>1</sup>  
US\$/dmt



● With carbon price@US\$50/t and without CCS<sup>6</sup> ●

Average Fe content  
%Fe



Source: Vale's estimates.

<sup>1</sup> Technical VIU simulation for different routes. Additional premium paid per percentage of Fe on top of 62%Fe index (including Fe and slag effect), assuming iron ore prices@US\$75/t, coke prices@US\$ 280/t, carbon price @US\$50/t, natural gas price@US\$6/MMbtu, biocarbon price@US\$250/t and steel margins@US\$50/t. <sup>2</sup> Including scope 1 emissions. <sup>3</sup> Blast furnace. <sup>4</sup> Hot Briquetted Iron. Considering an iron ore input for low Fe HBI of 63-64%Fe and >66%Fe for HBI. <sup>5</sup> Electric arc furnace. <sup>6</sup> Carbon capture and storage <sup>7</sup> Including scope 2, emissions may increase to 1.2-1.4 t of CO<sub>2</sub> per ton of steel, depending on electric energy source.



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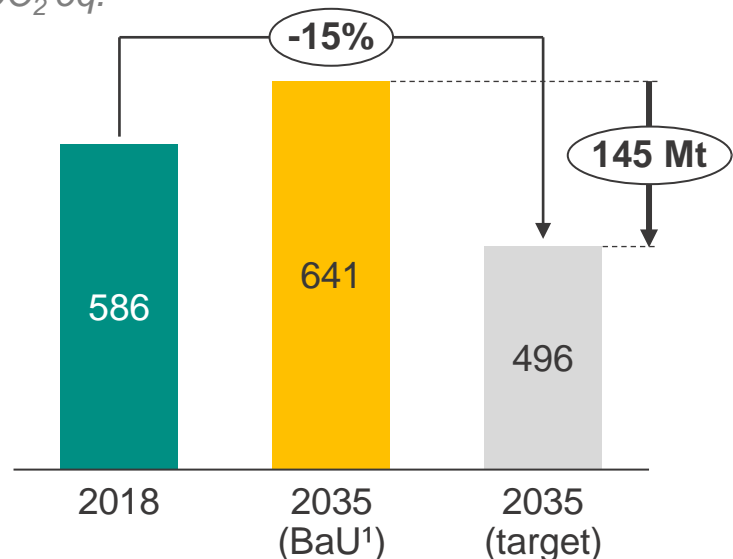
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# Advancing with our pioneer scope 3 net emission reduction target

Absolute scope 3 net emissions  
Mt CO<sub>2</sub> eq.



**Partnership and engagement with clients and suppliers**  
(75-85% or ~115 Mt CO<sub>2</sub> eq. of the challenge)

**Leveraging** steel industry decarbonization initiatives  
Supporting a **reduction in shipping emissions**<sup>2</sup>



**Vale's own initiatives**  
(15-25% or ~30 Mt CO<sub>2</sub> eq. of the challenge)

Improving our **high-quality portfolio**  
**Developing** new technologies and asset light solutions



**Steelmaking represents 94% of  
Vale's scope 3**



**Possibility of assessing high-integrity carbon markets  
to comply with the reduction targets if necessary**

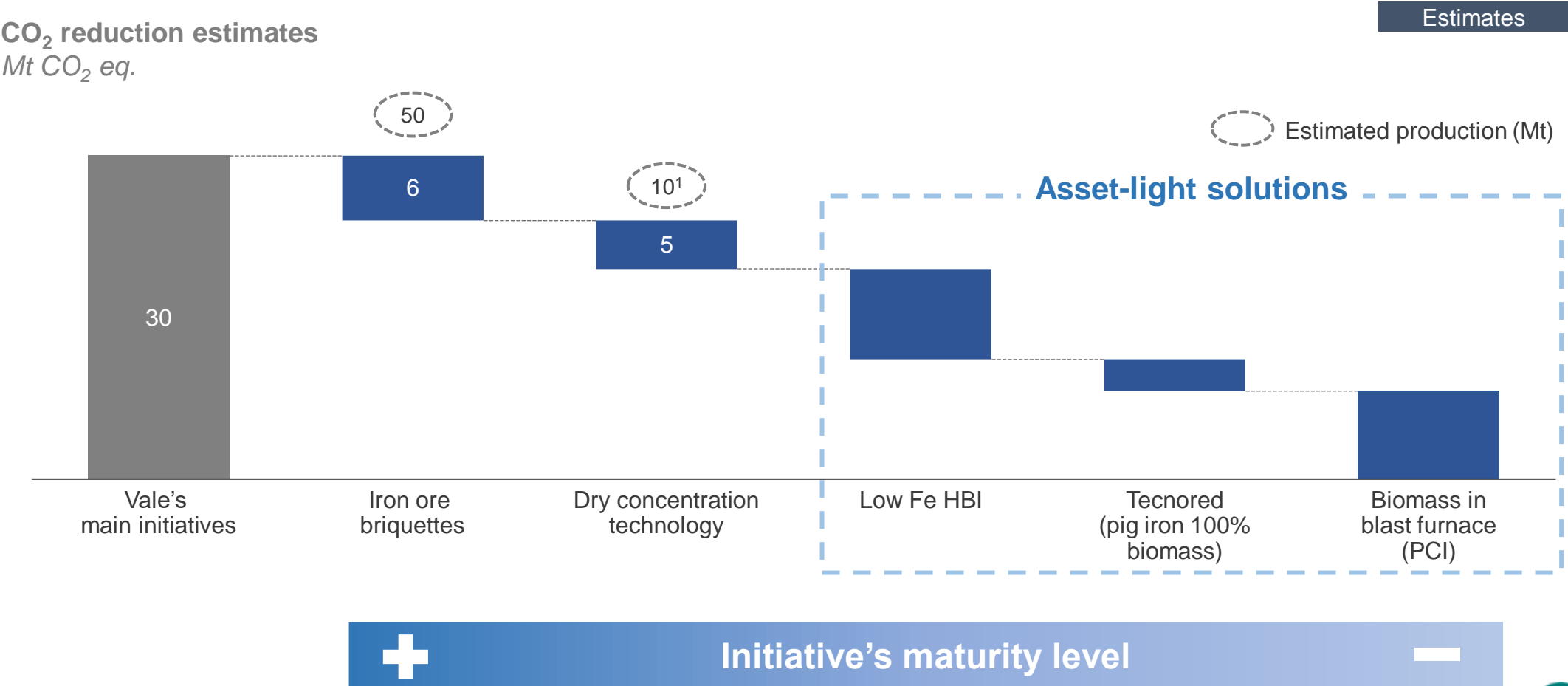
Note: Vale is also committed to revising its scope 3 target in 2025 and every 5 years, in order to reevaluate technological developments and global climate policy advancements.

<sup>1</sup> BaU stands for business as usual. Scenario based on production of ~400Mtpy iron ore. Reduction target based on Science Based Target Setting tool for Scope 3, including offsets.

<sup>2</sup> Target to reduce intensity in 40% by 2030 and 50% absolute emissions vs. emissions in 2008 (reference year).



# Vale's own initiatives support the steel industry decarbonization



Note: Estimates figures subject to feasibility studies, internal approvals and market conditions.

<sup>1</sup> Production of direct reduction pellet feed by dry concentration technology.



# Briquetting is a breakthrough technology developed in-house and patented by Vale

## Applications

Substitute for sinter, pellet and lump in blast furnaces

Substitute for pellets in direct reduction furnaces

## Exclusive technology

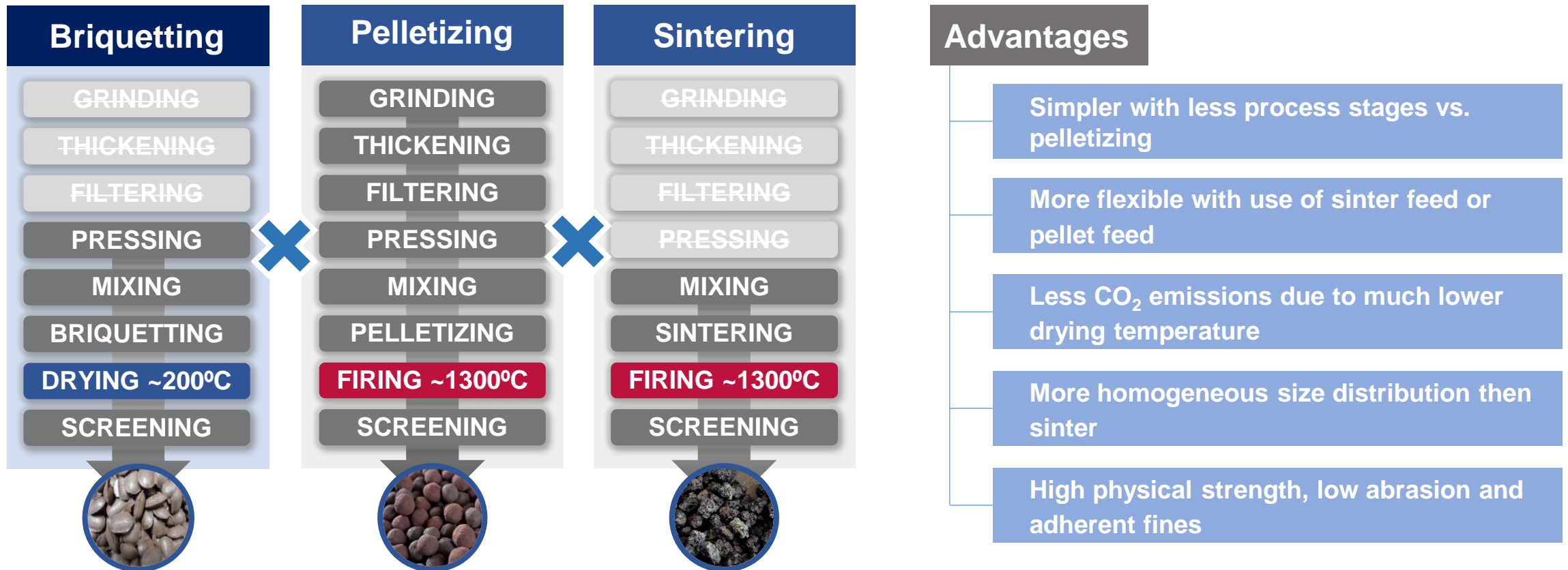
18 years of in-house R&D

Technology Patented<sup>1</sup> technology in 47 countries

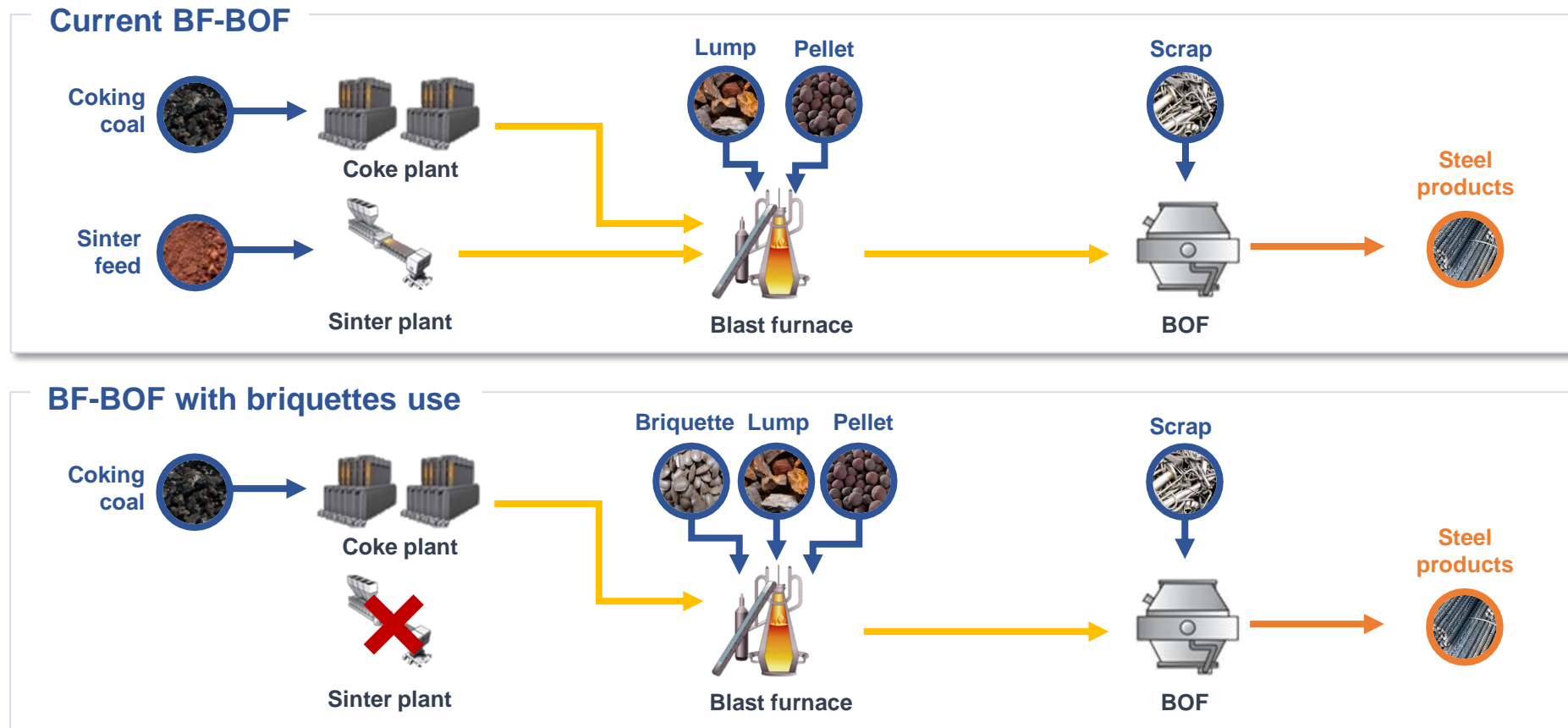
<sup>1</sup> Patented or in submission process.



# It is environmentally friendly: less fossil fuels, particulates and water usage



# Briquettes can replace sinter and thus allow a reduction of over 10% in carbon emissions in the BF-BOF steelmaking route





## Three briquetting plants are already under construction

### Vargem Grande

Approved

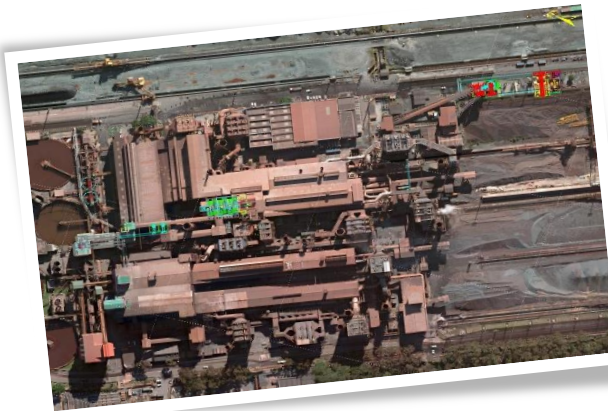
- 0.75 Mtpy capacity (expandable option to 1.5 Mtpy)
- US\$ 50 million investment
- Start-up by 2023
- Synergies with adjacent dry concentration plant



### Tubarão 1 & 2

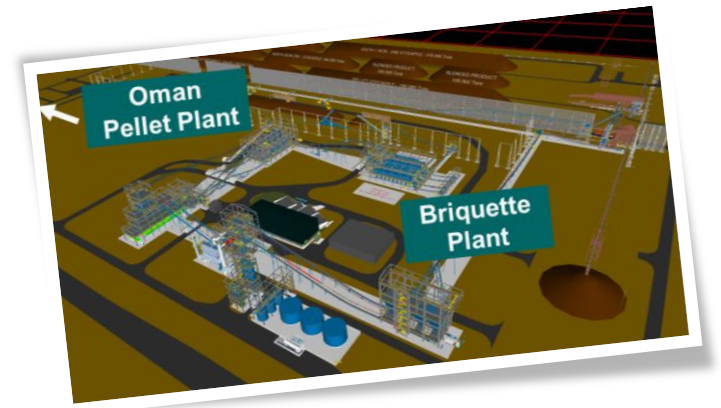
Approved

- Conversion of two idle pellet plants
- 6 Mtpy capacity
- US\$ 135 million investment
- Start-up by 2023
- Lower capex intensity than potential revamp of pellet plants



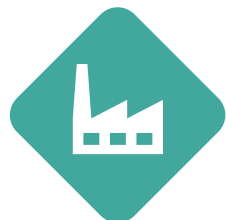
### Projects under development

- 5 other plants currently under analysis
- Oman plant to produce direct reduction briquettes
- MoU signed with Ternium Brasil to build a co-located plant
- Other partnerships under analysis



# We are developing a long-term green multi million-dollar business

Estimates



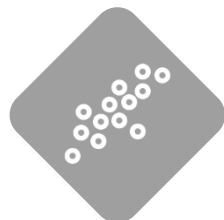
**Over 50 Mtpy**  
production



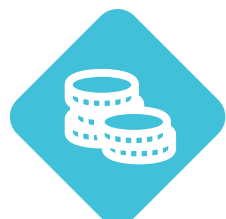
**80% less**  
CO<sub>2</sub> emissions  
vs. pelletizing process



Similar VIU to  
**pellets**



**99% less** SO<sub>x</sub>,  
**75% less** NO<sub>x</sub> and  
**20% less** particulates<sup>1</sup>



**Half cost**  
of pelletizing process



**67% lower**  
capital intensity vs. pellet  
plants



**US\$ 500  
million**  
incremental EBITDA  
over sinter feed



# Dry concentration is a sustainable solution to produce high grade products



No use of water = no tailings dam



Final products with up to 68% Fe



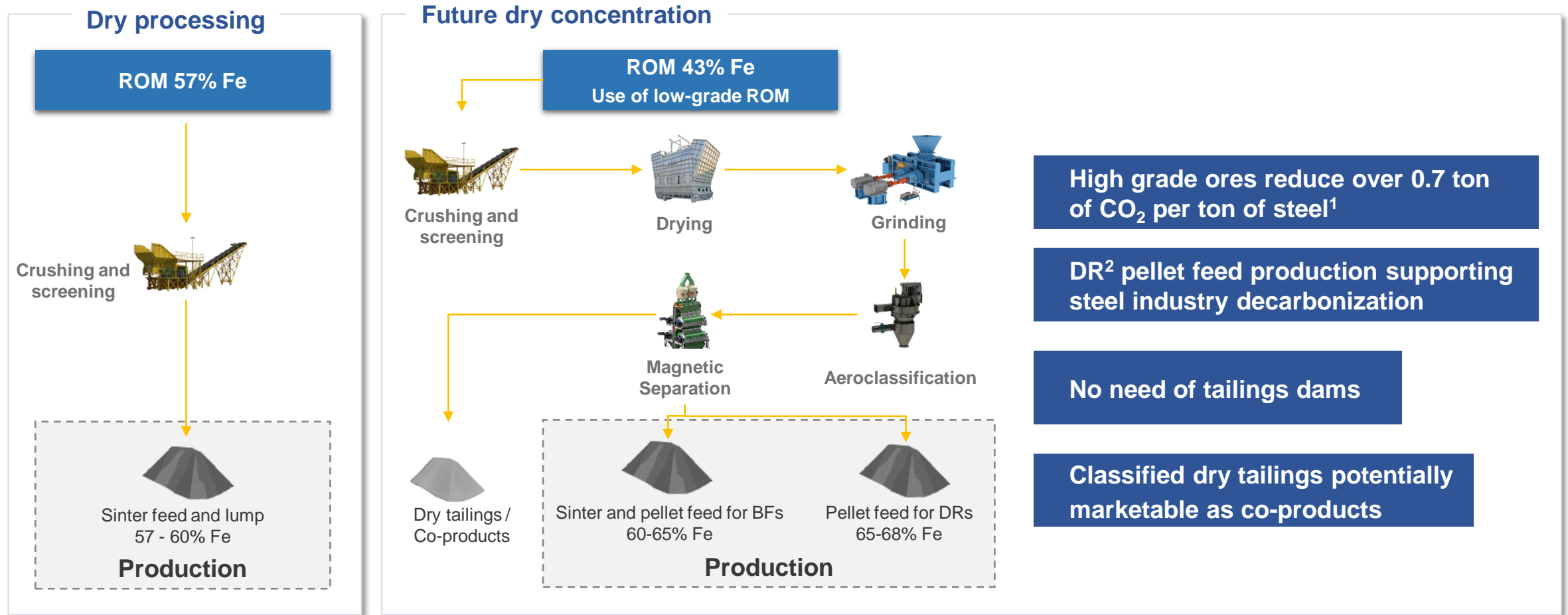
Modular design



Potentially integrated with other process routes



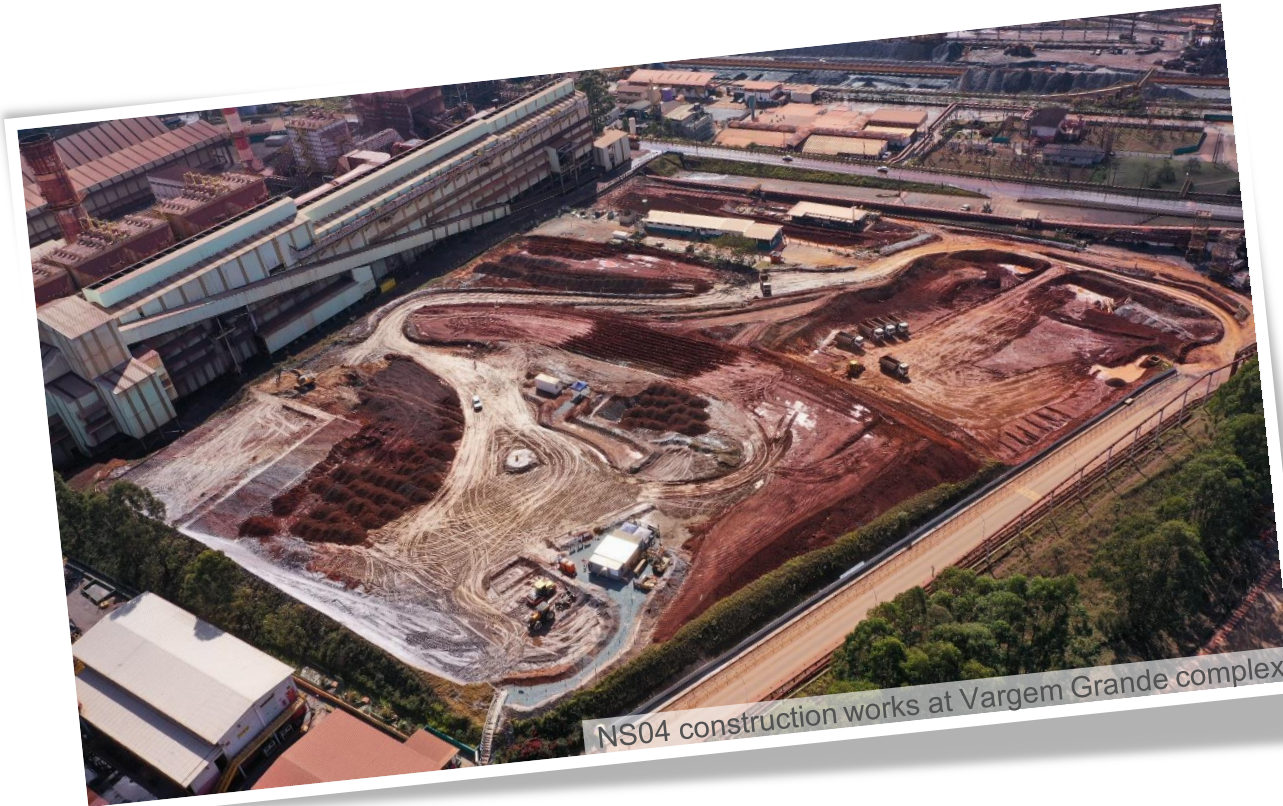
# Extending mines lifespan on a sustainable basis



<sup>1</sup> Considering the production route change by supplying direct reduction pellet feed to DR-EAF route instead of sinter feed to BF-BOF. <sup>2</sup> Direct reduction.



## First industrial plant under construction and more to come



### Vargem Grande plant under construction

Start-up by 2023 with 1.5 Mtpy capacity

US\$ 125-150 million investment

Concentration of 45% Fe ROM

### Three new plants to be approved

8.5  
Mtpy

**Oman** (*approval by 2022*)

6  
Mtpy

**Fazendão** (*approval by 2023*)

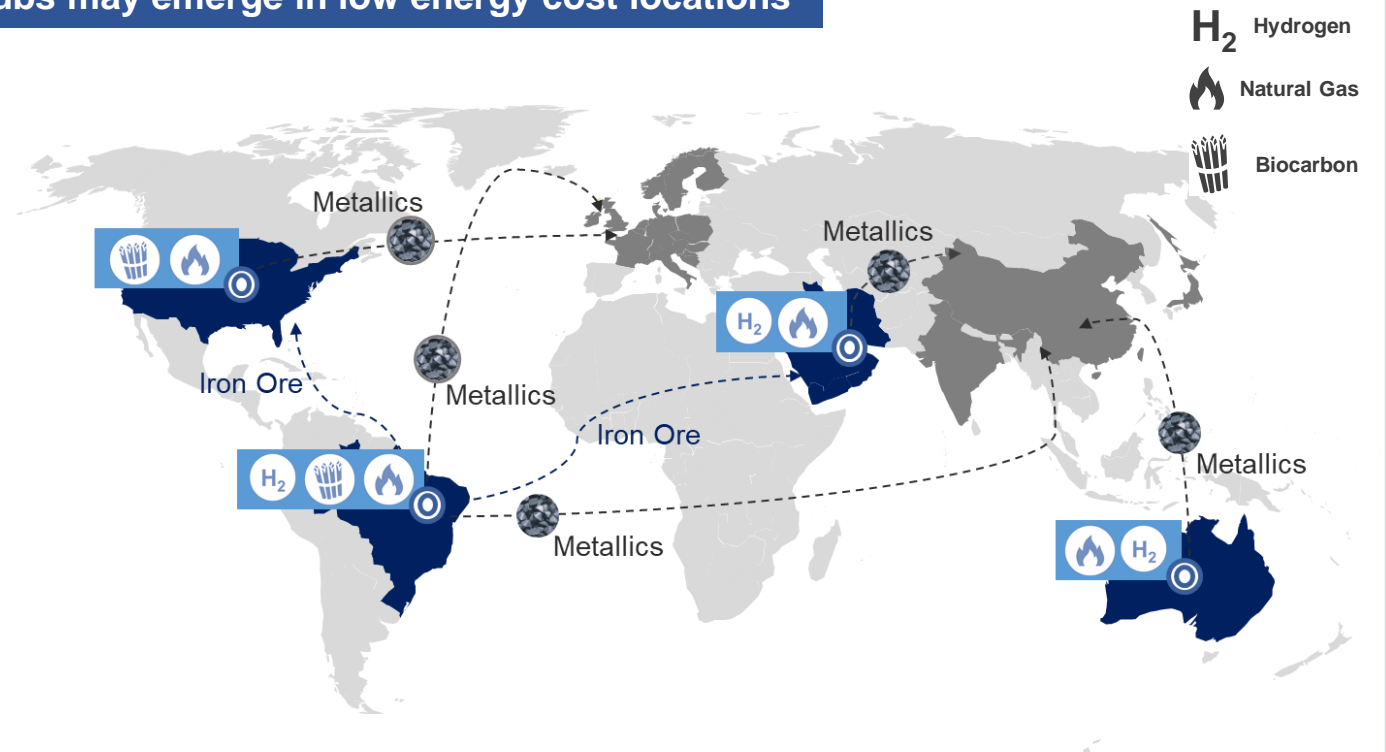
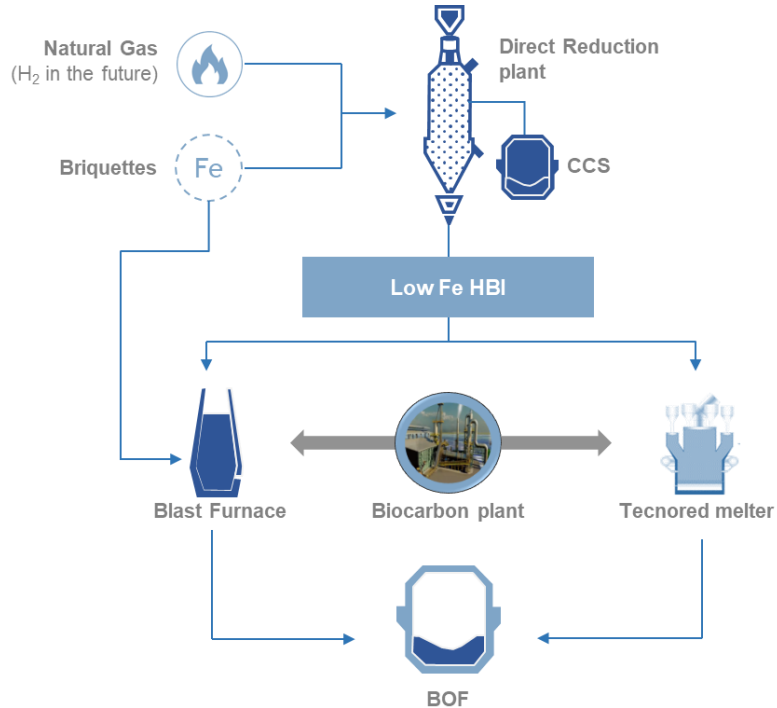
2  
Mtpy

**Fábrica** (*approval by 2023*)



# Flexible and integrated asset-light solutions easing the decarbonization transition

Direct reduction hubs may emerge in low energy cost locations





# Tecnored is a ready-to-use technology



## Technological uses

“Green” low-cost pig iron production by potentially using biocarbon instead of coal

Energy efficient and flexible carbon solution for melting scrap or low Fe HBI

Low-cost residue recycling



## Plants underway

Industrial scale plant in São Paulo

Project in Pará under analysis

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DESENVOLVIMENTO TECNOLÓGICO S.A.  
COMPANHIA LÍQUIDA TECNOR  
PINDAMONHANGABA



# Biocarbon can support energy transition

## 💡 Applications in BF-BOF & EAF

PCI substitute, coke substitute, coke breeze substitute in EAF

## 👁️ Brazil potential

Big supplier of biomass from eucalyptus, sugar cane and residues

## 🌿 Carbonization pilot plant

Small scale pilot plant (25 ktpy) under construction with start-up in 4Q21

Briquetting biocarbon increases density up to five times improving transportation economics

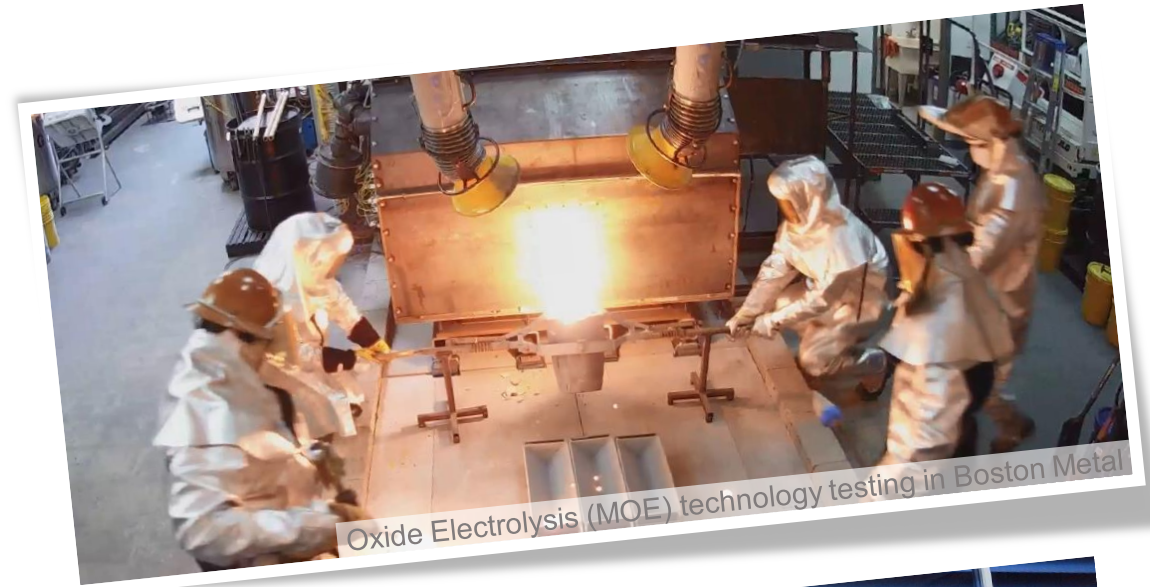


Progressing on portfolio's decarbonization

## Promoting technological advance in steel industry

### Fostering new technologies

Investment of US\$ 6 million in Boston Metal Company to promote the development of Oxide Electrolysis (MOE) technology



### Vale's Ferrous Technology Center

13 years of R&D developing solutions for industry and customers

Capable to simulate steelmaking condition in laboratory






# We are also fostering innovative shipping solutions



**Valemaxes:** largest vessels in industry 

**Rotor sails:** wind-assisted propulsion systems 

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**Air lubrication:** reducing water resistance 

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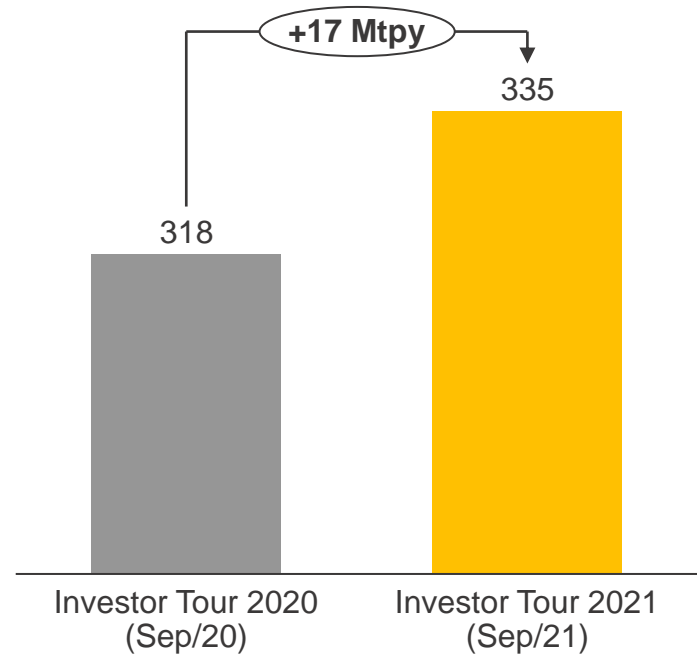
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Achieving 400 Mtpy capacity level

## We are progressing on our **resumption plan**

Iron ore production capacity (Mtpy)



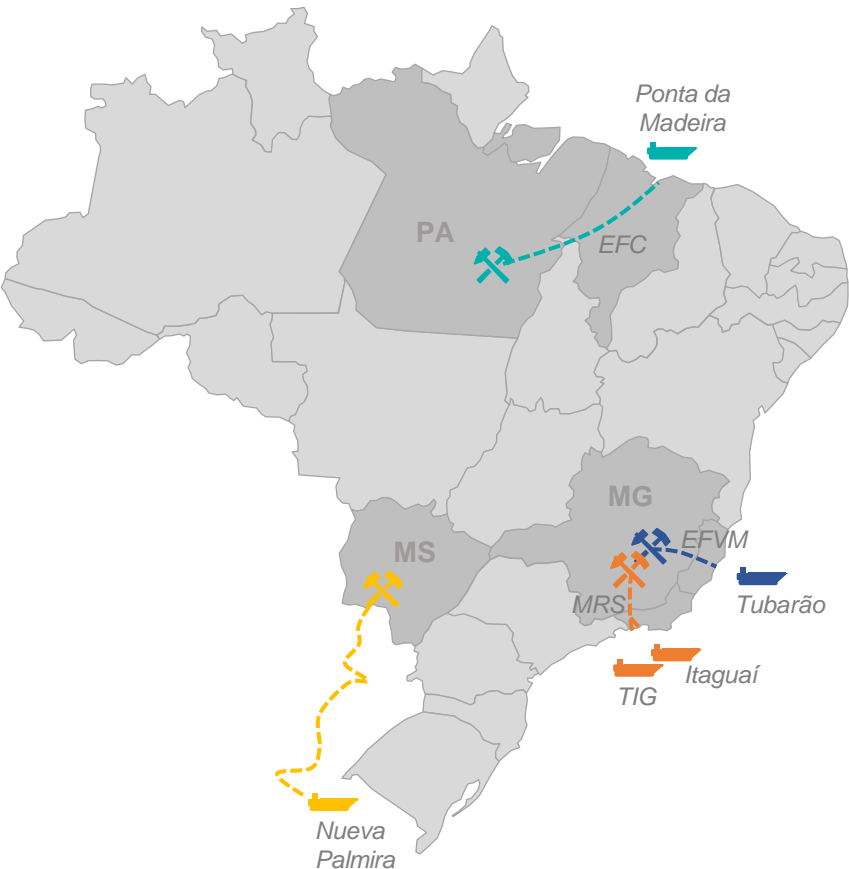
Main achievements

<b>Northern System</b> <b>Serra Leste</b> resumption 4Q20	<b>Southeastern System</b> <b>Timbopeba</b> full capacity 1Q21	<b>Southern System</b> <b>Vargem Grande</b> tailings filtration plant start-up 1Q21
<b>Northern System</b> <b>S11D first</b> jaspilite crusher 2Q21	<b>Southern System</b> <b>Fábrica</b> resumption 1Q21	<b>Southern System</b> <b>Vargem Grande</b> Maravilhas III dam start-up 3Q21



Achieving 400 Mtpy capacity level

# Vale will reach 400 Mtpy capacity in the medium term



	Capacity (Mtpy)				
	Today	End of 2021	End of 2022	Medium term	Long term
Northern System	203	205	205	215	240-260
Southeastern System	70	70	93	113	110-120
Southern System	59	65	69	69	70-85
Midwestern System	3	3	3	3	3
VALE	335	343	370	400	400-450

Note: Including third-party purchase.

Achieving 400 Mtpy capacity level

Northern System: a smoother ramp up

Northern System smoother ramp up from previous plan

Serra Norte licensing

Backlog of rolling licenses required to sustain production  
Delays in different mining fronts (e.g. N3, N1/N2)

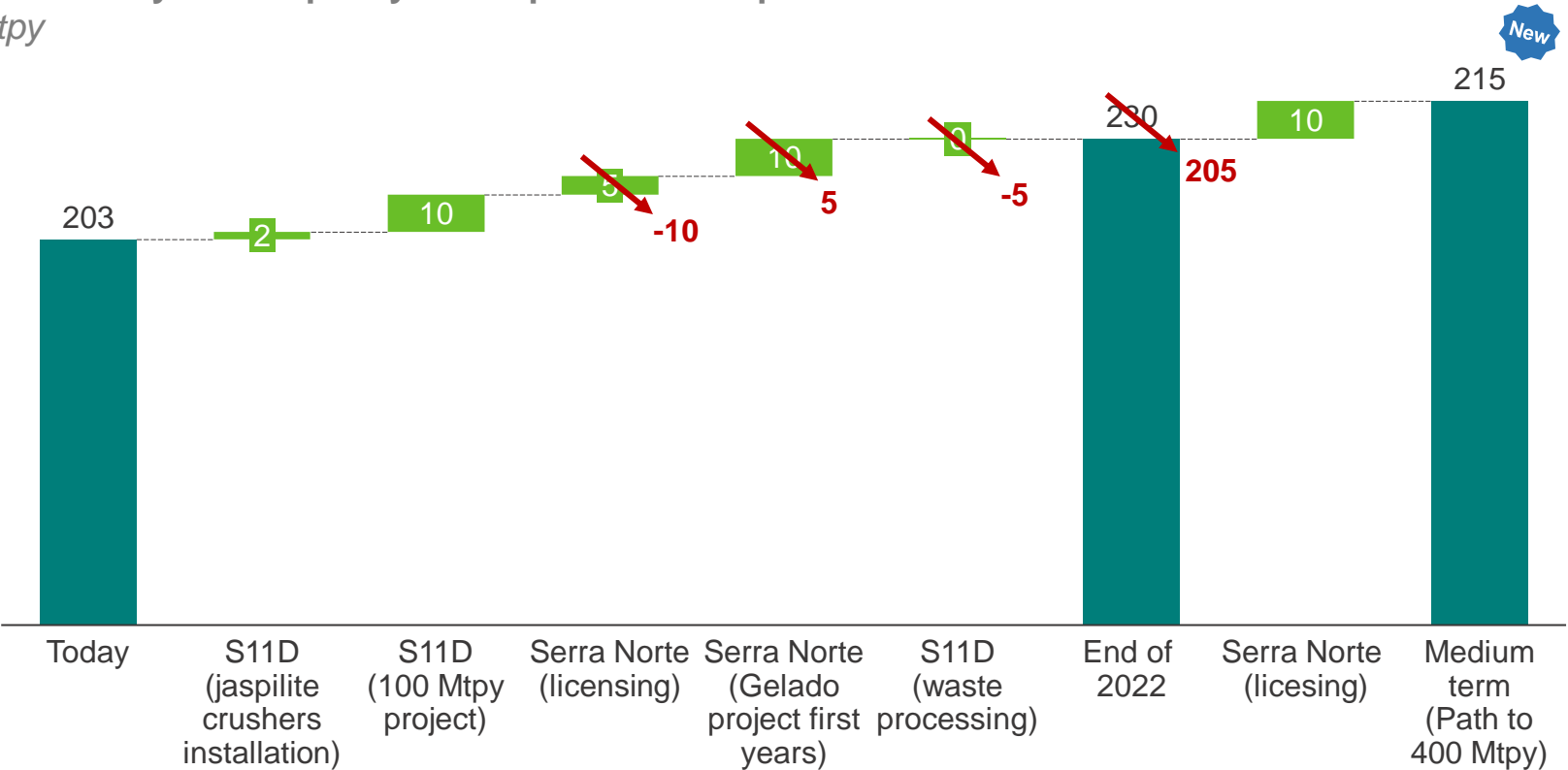
Gelado project phasing

Project starts with 5 Mtpy capacity as requires Usina 1 conversion to achieve full capacity (10 Mtpy)

S11D waste crusher

In addition to the four jaspilite crushers, a new crusher is required to process large compact waste blocks  
Start-up expected by 2025

Northern System capacity resumption roadmap  
Mtpy





Achieving 400 Mtpy capacity level

# Projects bring **additional capacity** and **high quality**

## Main projects and initiatives

### Gelado project

Pellet feed production from Gelado dam tailings recovery, with start-up by 2H22

### S11D 100 Mtpy project

Purchase and repower of equipment, with start-up by 2H22

### Serra Sul 120 project

Flexibility in medium term and production growth in long term, with start-up by 2H24

### Usina 1 conversion to dry processing

Conversion expected for 2025, increasing site's mass recovery and productivity

### Opening of new mining fronts in Serra Norte

N3 mining front start-up by 2023 and N1/N2 mining front start-up by 2026



S11D 100 Mtpy project construction

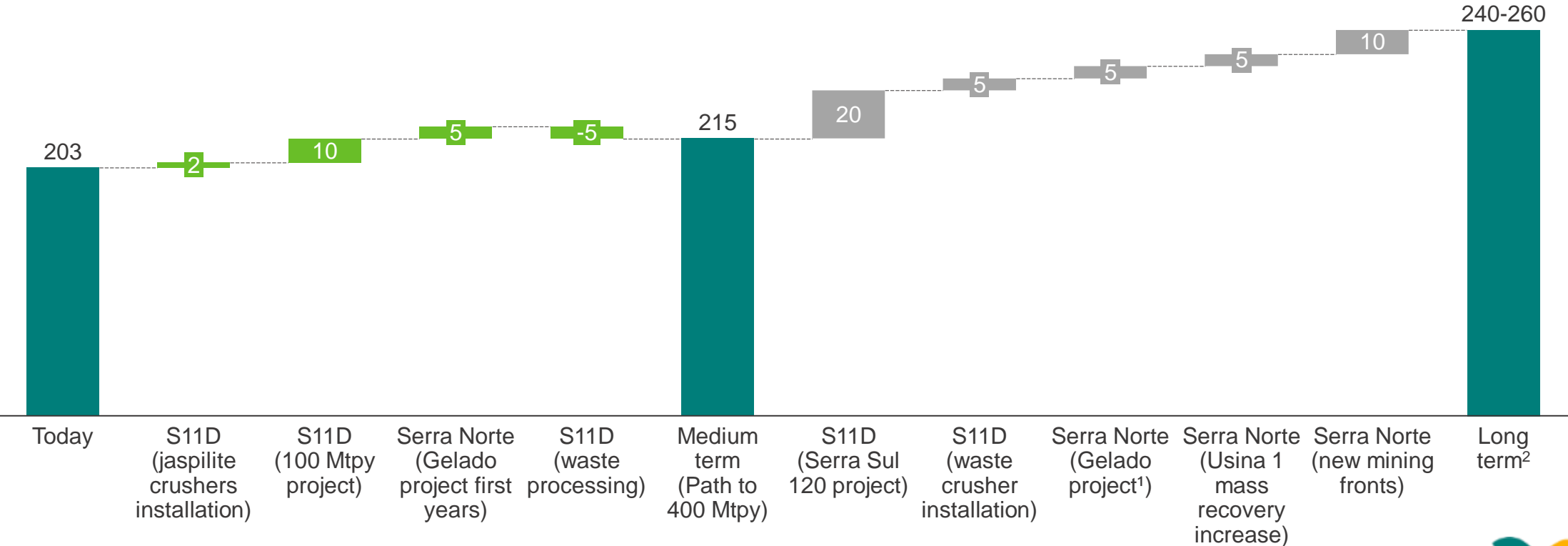


N3 Project area

Achieving 400 Mtpy capacity level

# Northern System: 240+ Mtpy capacity in the long term

Northern System capacity  
*Mtpy*



<sup>1</sup> After Usina 1 conversion, achieving 10 Mtpy capacity. <sup>2</sup> Achieving 260 Mtpy also depends on expanding Northern System logistics.



Achieving 400 Mtpy capacity level

## In Southeastern System, new assets are solving tailings disposal restrictions in Brucutu...

### Main projects and initiatives

#### Tailings filtration plant construction

76% of physical progress

Start-up by end of 2021

#### Tailings piles areas

Licensing and preparation of areas to receive dry tailings from filtration plants

#### Torto dam start-up

Start-up by 2H22

Works to increase safety factor started in August



Achieving 400 Mtpy capacity level

... and also in **Itabira**

## Main projects and initiatives

### Tailings filtration plants construction

Cauê plant (77% of physical progress) and  
Conceição plant (75% of physical progress)

Start-up by end of 2021

### Tailings piles areas

Licensing and preparation of areas to receive dry tailings  
from filtration plants

### Itabiruçu dam raising

Construction starting in 2022 (dry season) and completion  
by beginning 2023





Achieving 400 Mtpy capacity level

# Capanema project increases Mariana complex capacity and optimize Timbopeba's operations



18 Mtpy capacity<sup>1</sup> by natural moisture  
(without tailings generation)



Start-up in 2H23



Production of sinter feed for BRBF



Use of Timbopeba assets reducing investments

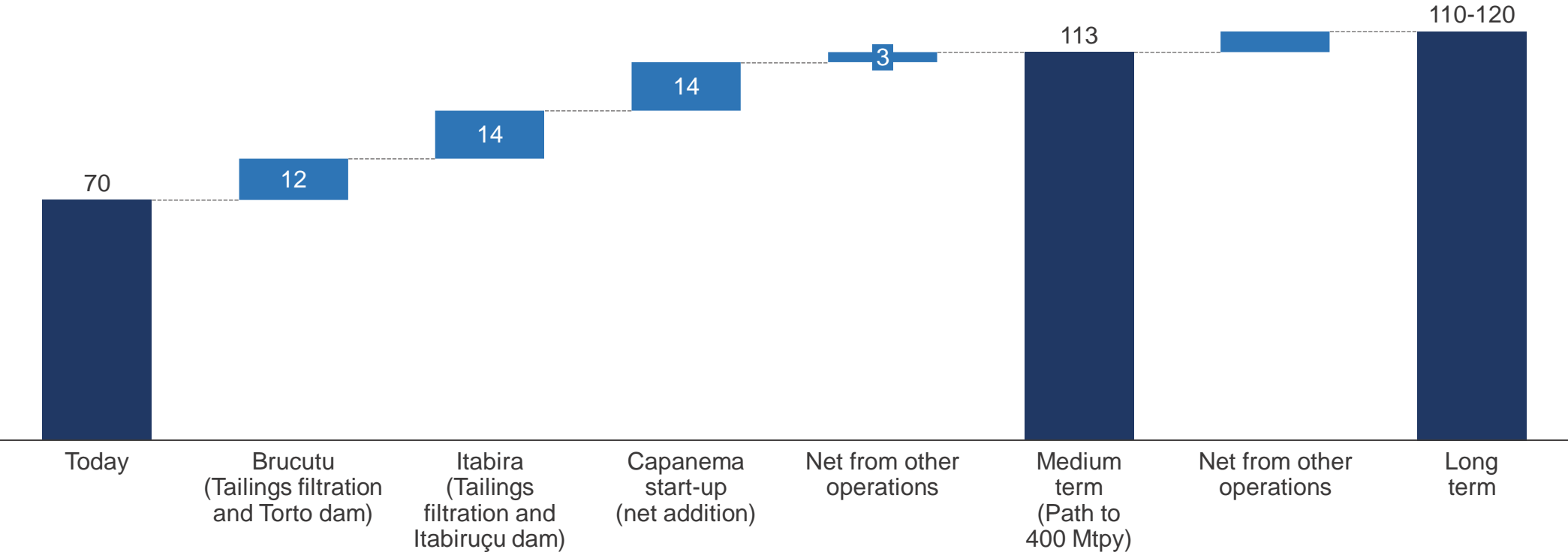


<sup>1</sup> Net addition capacity of 14 Mtpy in the first years.

Achieving 400 Mtpy capacity level

# Southeastern System: 110+ Mtpy capacity in the long term

Southeastern System capacity  
*Mtpy*





Achieving 400 Mtpy capacity level

## In Southern System, **Vargem Grande complex can reach 50+ Mtpy capacity**

### Main projects and initiatives

#### Conveyor belt resumption

Unlock site's conveyor belt in 3Q21, increasing capacity and reduction costs

#### Railway expedition capacity

Transportation capacity was already adjusted to match site's resumption plan

#### Mining licensing

Mining expansion licensing for Capitão do Mato and Tamanduá mines is expected for 2022

#### Vargem Grande 1 plant resumption

Set up plant's water circuit to the ROM available and the new assets (filtration plant and Maravilhas III dam), producing by wet processing by end of 2023



Vargem Grande dam and conveyor belt

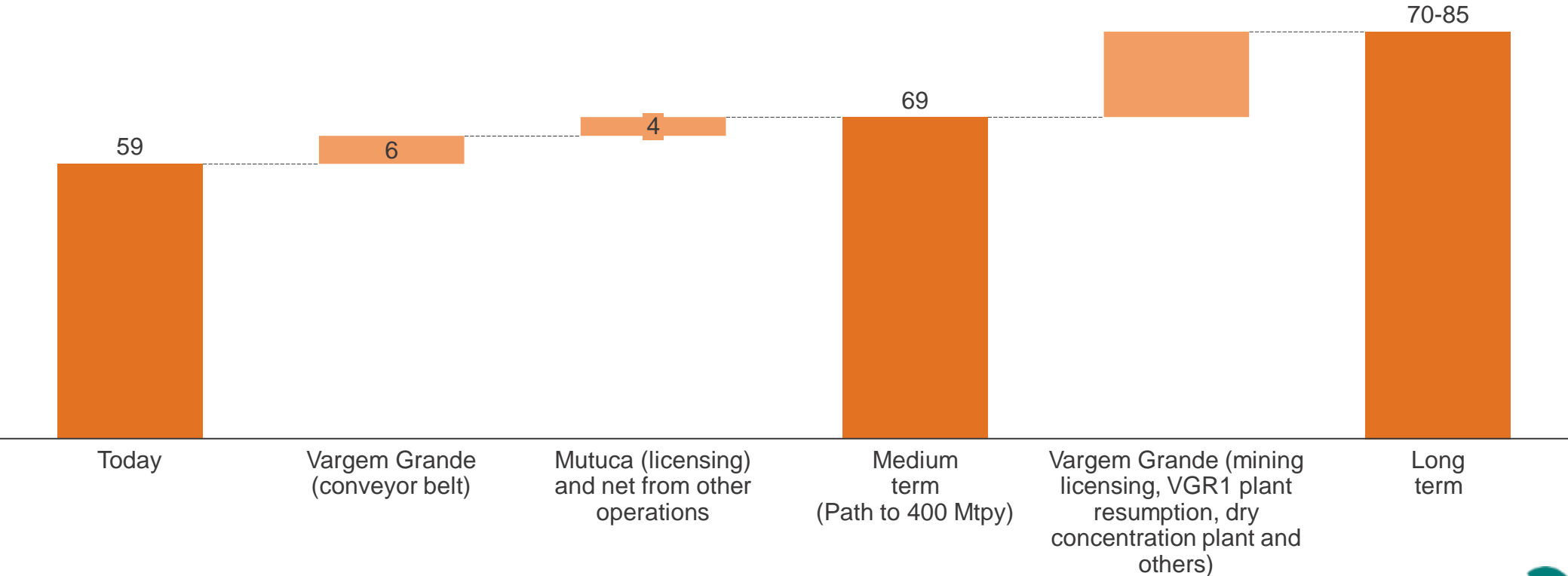


Vargem Grande plants

Achieving 400 Mtpy capacity level

# Southern System: 70+ Mtpy capacity in the long term

Southern System capacity  
Mtpy





# We are strengthening iron ore business sustainability

Delivering resumption plan

Improving safety and reducing risks

Leading industry decarbonizing transformation



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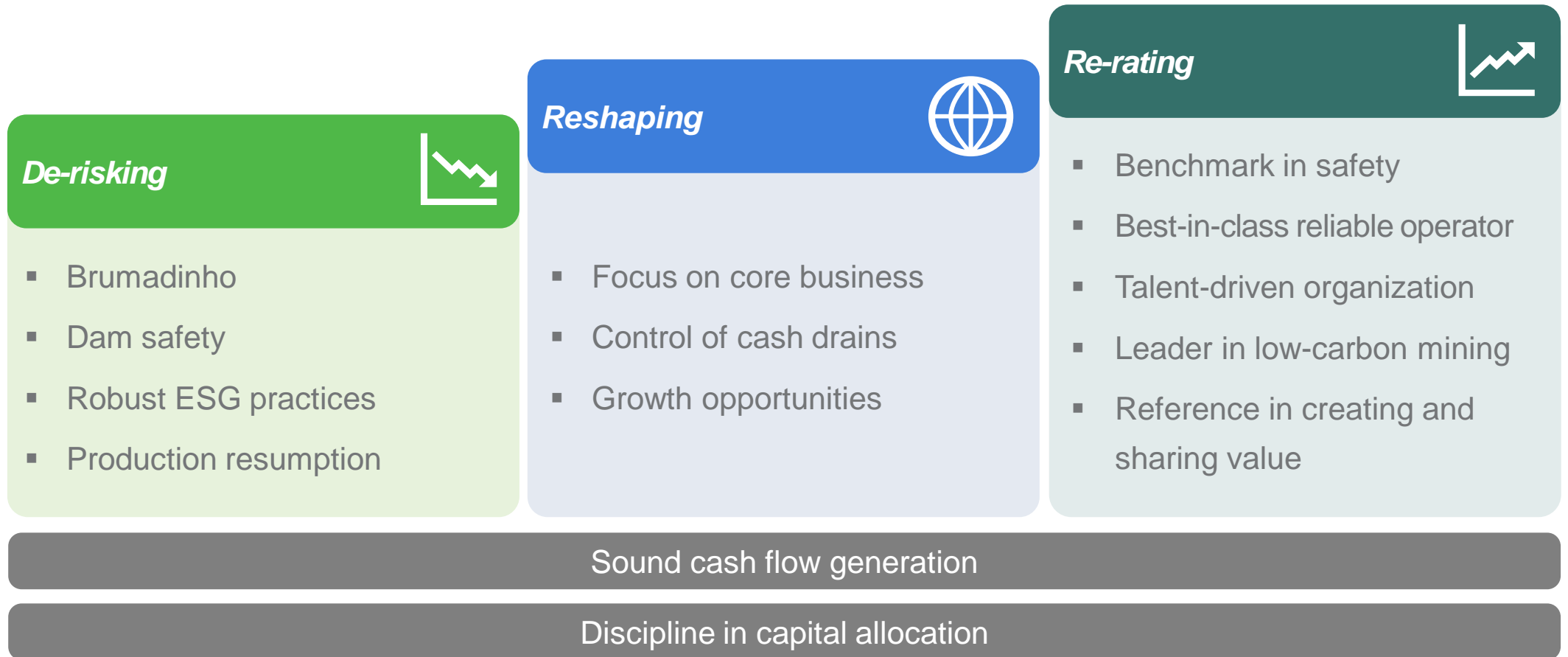


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# The evolution of our roadmap for value creation



## The equity story for Vale

# We have made solid progress in repairing **Brumadinho**

### A robust legal framework



Projects demanded by affected communities



Resources to Urban Mobility Program and Public Service Strengthening Program



Projects for Brumadinho and other municipalities



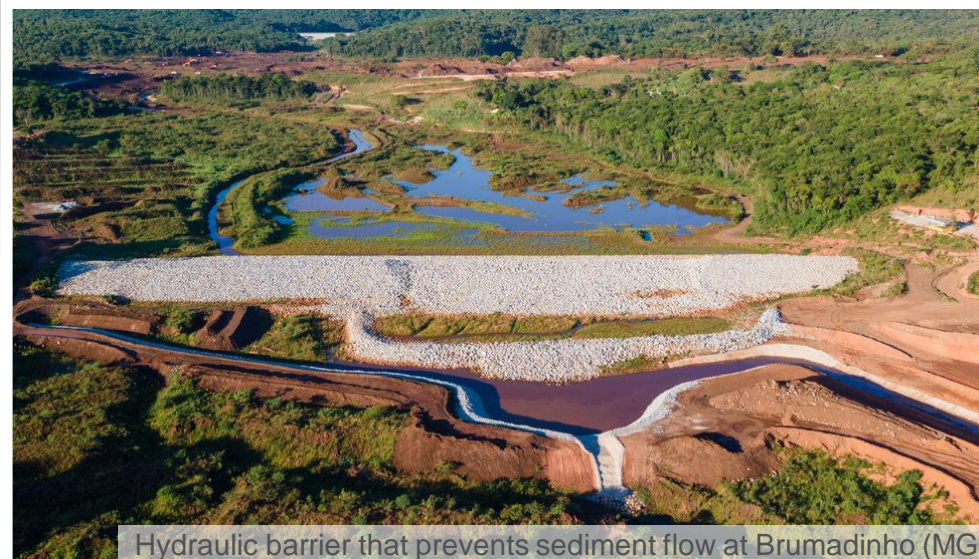
Ensure water supply



Income transfer program



Recover the environment



Hydraulic barrier that prevents sediment flow at Brumadinho (MG)



**Commitment to fully revegetate the entire affected area**



**+ R\$ 2.8 billion** in signed agreements for individual indemnification<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Related to agreements entered into as of August 31st, 2021, approximate figures and including amounts already disbursed.



# *Ground Zero project for environmental recovery*

*Ferro Carvão water stream, Brumadinho (MG)*



*Picture from January/21*



# ***Commissioning of the new water supply system***

*Paraopeba River (MG)*



*Picture from July/21*



# ***New basic healthcare unit***

*Parque da Cachoeira,  
Brumadinho (MG)*



*Picture from February/21*



An aerial photograph of a large dam reservoir. The reservoir is filled with water and is surrounded by a dense, lush green forest. The water level is low, revealing a large area of light-colored gravel or sand at the bottom of the reservoir. The forest is composed of various types of trees, with some showing yellow and orange foliage, suggesting a tropical or subtropical environment. The overall scene is a mix of natural beauty and human-made infrastructure.

The equity story for Vale

We have advanced in dam management

***Decharacterization of 8B dam***

Nova Lima, MG, Brazil

Picture from January/20

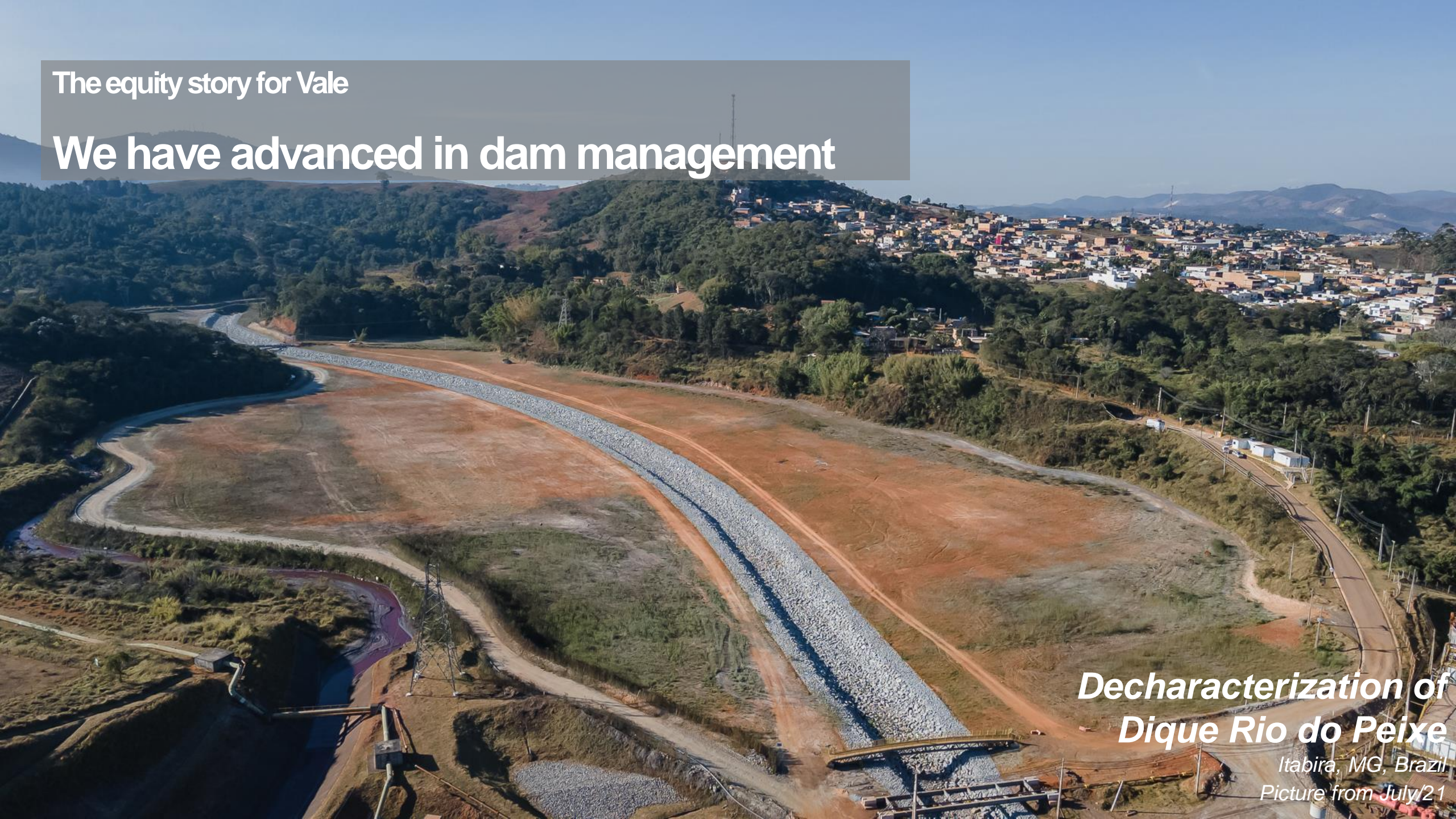


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*Decharacterization of  
Dique Rio do Peixe*

Itabira, MG, Brazil  
Picture from July/21







The equity story for Vale

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***Decharacterization of  
Fernadinho dam***

Vagem Grande Complex, MG, Brazil

Picture from July/21



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Operational control for remotely operated equipment

**Unmanned hauls and trucks**

B3/B4 dam decharacterization, MG, Brazil

Picture from August/21



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We have advanced in dam management

**B3/B4 back-up dam**

Nova Lima, MG, Brazil  
Picture from March/21







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We have advanced in dam management

***Sul Superior back-up dam***

*Barão de Cocais, MG, Brazil*

*Picture from December/20*





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We have advanced in dam management

***Forquilhas and Grupo  
back-up dam***

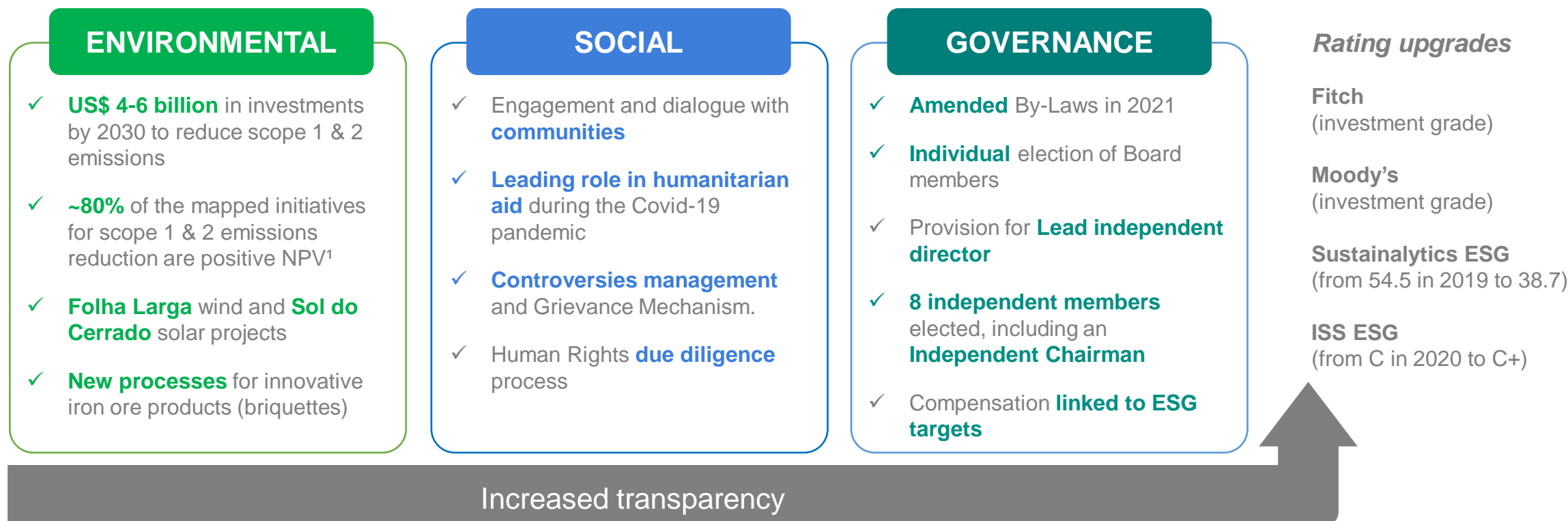
Ouro Preto and Itabirito, MG, Brazil

Picture from July/21



## The equity story for Vale

# Our ESG agenda has advanced towards best practices

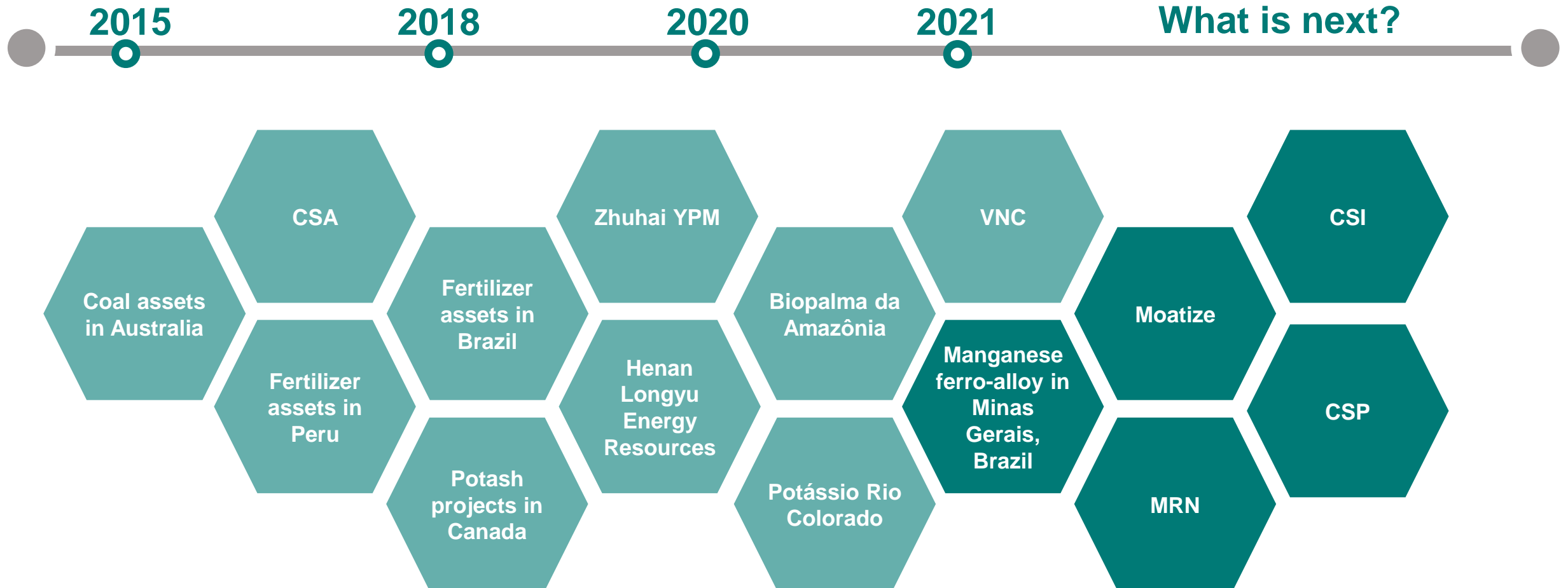


<sup>1</sup> As of June 2021, with greater technological maturity due to the pilot phase and studies. Figures include assumptions for low-maturity technologies, leading to uncertainty. \$50/tCO<sub>2</sub>e: shadow price for all capital allocation decisions.



## The equity story for Vale

# We are moving towards a leaner portfolio



Note: In 2020, Vale closed its Manganese alloys operations in Simões Filho-BA and will no longer have any alloy production operations once exiting the manganese-alloy in Minas Gerais, Brazil.



## The equity story for Vale

# In Base Metals, Vale can boost shareholder value through organic initiatives

### Delivering on stability



*Transitioning to underground mining in Voisey's Bay*

- First ore achieved in June
- Continued development of Reid Brook



*Recovery of production in Sudbury*

- New mining fronts to ramp up with resumption of operations
- South Shaft reform activities returning after labor disruption



*Extend life of mine by 10 years*

- Phase 1 approved (CAD 150 M)
- Critical infrastructure to enable extension

### Building on optionality

#### Execution

Salobo 3  
+30-40 ktpy

+ Stability in  
North Atlantic

- Copper
- Nickel

#### Upcoming approval

Alemão Hub  
+60 ktpy

South Hub:  
Cristalino  
80kt

Onça Puma 2<sup>nd</sup>  
furnace  
+10-15 kt

Indonesia JVs  
+110 ktpy<sup>1</sup>

#### LT growth optionality

Hu'u<sup>2</sup>  
+250 kt<sup>3</sup>

Exploration  
potential in  
Sudbury

South Hub  
upside  
+30-40 kt

Manitoba  
Ultramafics

North Hub  
+70-100 kt

Salobo 4  
+30 kt

<sup>1</sup> 100% basis. <sup>2</sup> Participation through joint-ventures. Volumes shown as 100% basis. <sup>3</sup> Volumes under review

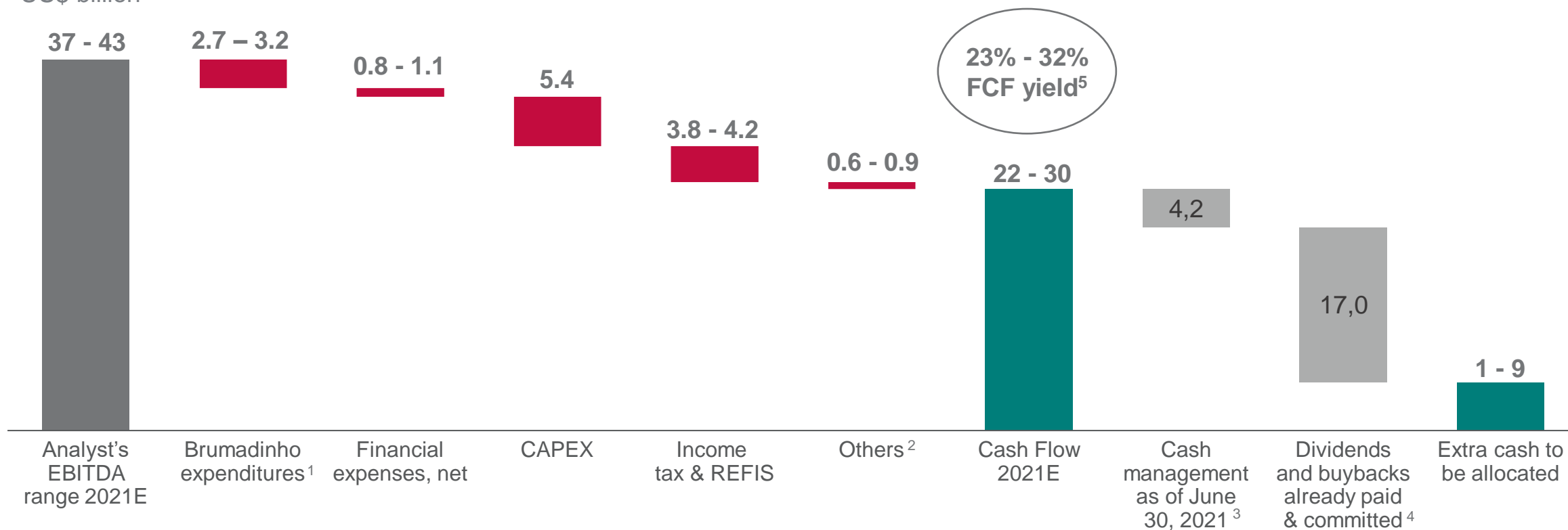


## The equity story for Vale

# A robust cash flow generation and a disciplined capital allocation

### 2021 Expected Cash Flow, based on sell-side analyst's EBITDA estimate

US\$ billion



<sup>1</sup>Includes agreements, donations, decharacterization and incurred expenses. <sup>2</sup> Includes working capital, derivatives, dividends paid to non controlling interest, Samarco and Renova and others. <sup>3</sup>Includes US\$ 2.5 billion of project finance repayment, US\$ 1.1 billion of debt amortization, net, and US\$ 0.5 billion for the divestment of VNC. <sup>4</sup> Includes US\$ 6.2 billion of dividends paid, US\$ 4.0 billion of the buyback program disbursed as of Aug 31st, US\$ 5.3 billion of the minimum dividend according to 1H21 and US\$ 1.5 billion estimated to buyback the 80 million shares remaining of the program, considering the share price as of Aug 31st for this simulation purpose. <sup>5</sup> Considering the share price as of Aug 31st.



## The equity story for Vale

# Our agenda

### De-risking



- ❑ 2025: Fully repair Brumadinho
- ❑ 2025: All structures at satisfactory conditions
- ❑ Medium term: Resume 400 Mtpy production capacity
- ❑ 2029: Decharacterize all upstream structures
- ❑ 2030: Close ESG gaps

### Reshaping



- ❑ 2022: Address non-core assets
- ❑ 2022: Fix our cash flow drains
- ❑ Medium term: Progress on iron ore C1 stabilization
- ❑ Medium term: Seek growth opportunities in Nickel and Copper businesses

### Re-rating



- ❑ 2023: VPS fully implemented
- ❑ 2025: Fully compliance with GISTM
- ❑ 2035: Reduce net scope 3 emissions by 15%
- ❑ Medium term: Unlock Base Metals' value
- ❑ 2050: Be carbon neutral

Sound cash flow generation

Discipline in capital allocation



