



Central Puerto



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In this presentation, Adjusted EBITDA, a non-IFRS financial measure, is defined as net income for the year, plus finance expenses, minus finance income, minus share of the profit of associates, plus income tax expense, plus depreciations and amortizations, minus net results of non-continuing operations. The Adjusted EBITDA may not be useful in predicting the results of operations of the Company in the future.

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- Adjusted EBITDA does not reflect our finance expenses, or the cash requirements to service interest or principal payments on our indebtedness, or interest income or other finance income;
- Adjusted EBITDA does not reflect our income tax expense or the cash requirements to pay our income taxes;
- although depreciation and amortization are non-cash charges, the assets being depreciated or amortized often will need to be replaced in the future, and Adjusted EBITDA does not reflect any cash requirements for these replacements;
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2Q 2021 Results Call Agenda



- **2Q2021 Highlights and news**
- **Key Performance Indicators**
- **2Q2021 Financials**
- **Q&A**



Project under construction



Terminal 6 – San Lorenzo

Power capacity: 391 MW (up to 330 MW contracted)

Technology: Cogeneration (Electricity + Steam)

Steam capacity: 370 tons/hours

15 years PPA and steam contract

Open Cycle partial commissioning (269.5 MW)

November 21, 2020 (gas turbine with natural gas)

Estimated COD (Combined Cycle): 3Q2021

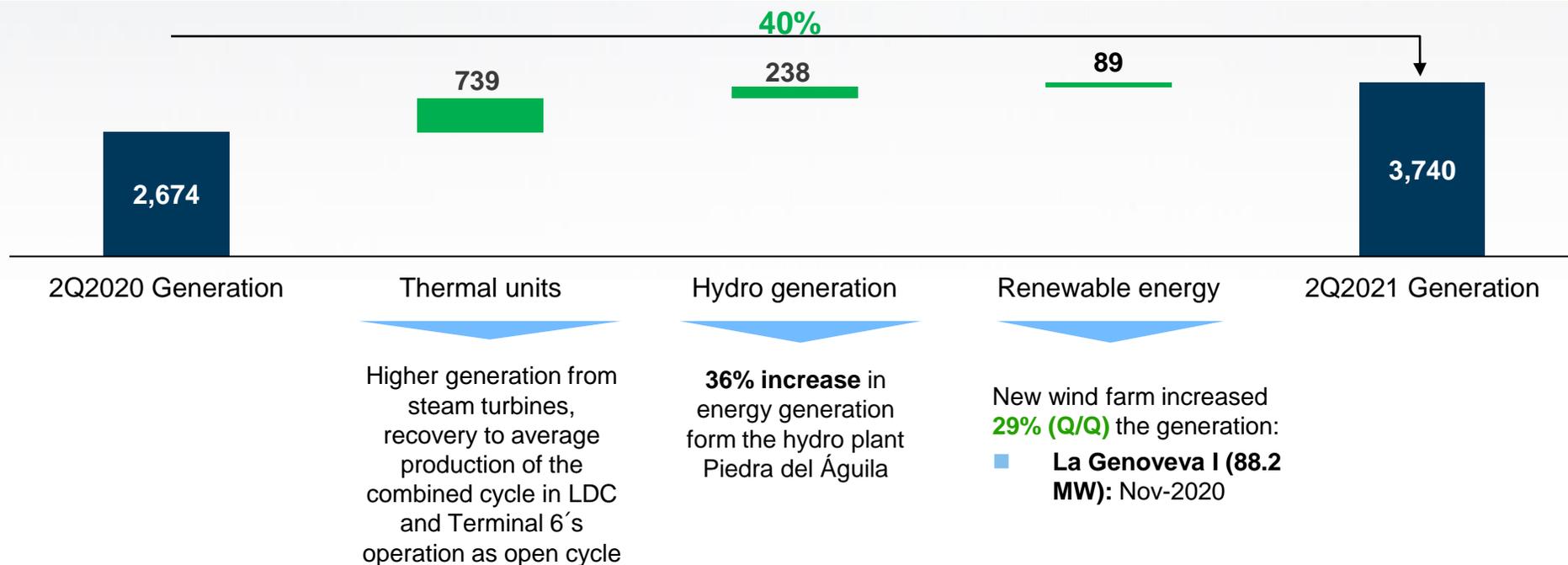
The gas turbine will be remunerated under the Spot Market regulation (**Res. 440**) until combined cycle COD



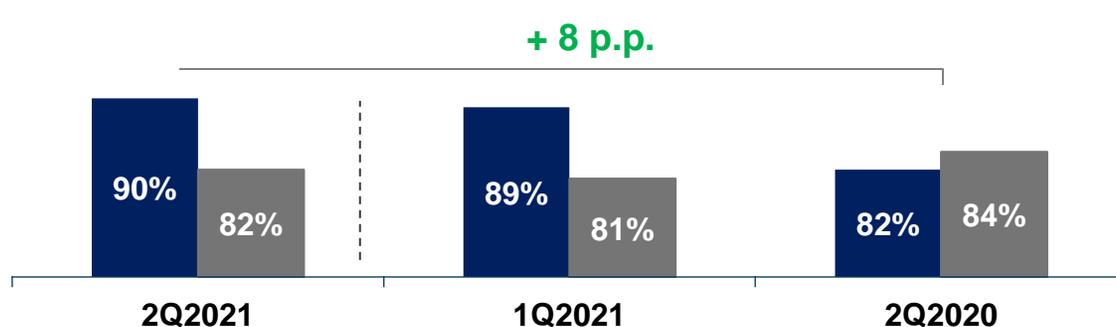
Key performance indicators – 2Q2021

Energy generation and availability 2Q2021

Energy generation (GWh)



Thermal units' availability



Source: Company information, CAMMESA. 1. Average market availability for thermal units

■ Market average¹ ■ Central Puerto

Thermal availability, 2Q2021 vs 2Q2020:

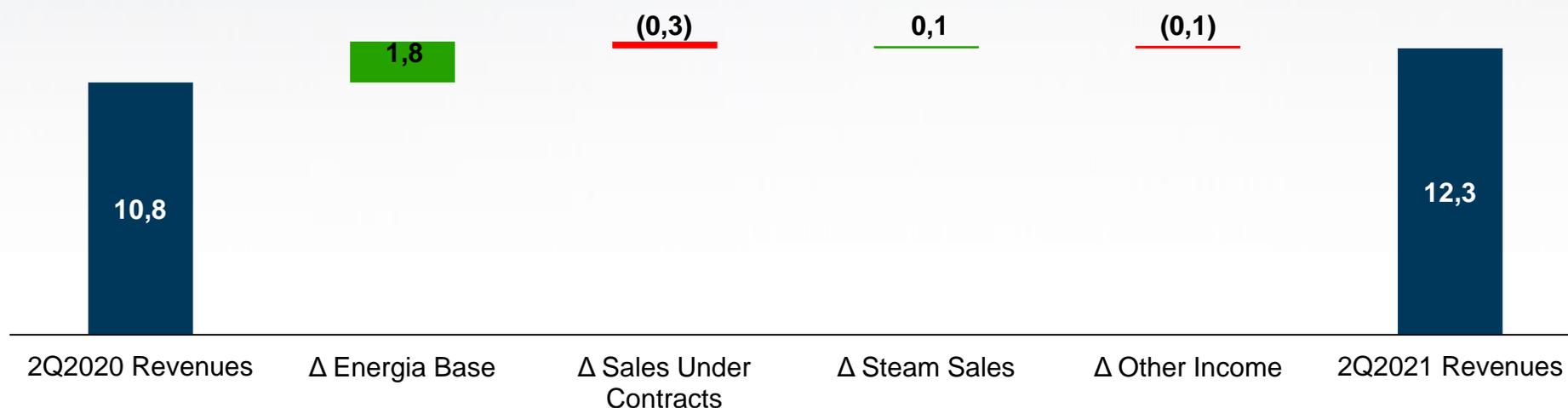
Small failures in Puerto's combined cycle during April 2021 and unavailability of certain steam turbines. Availability was 8 percentage points above the market's average.

In 2Q2020, availability was strongly impacted by the failure of the main transformer of the Siemen's combined cycle in Lujan de Cuyo.



Revenues increase due to higher electricity generation and Resolution 440

2Q 2021 Revenues (in billions of Ps.)



Energía Base

- ▲ Recovery to average production of the combined cycle in Luján de Cuyo (main transformer's failure between April and June 2020)
- ▲ Higher energy generation in Piedra del Águila hydro plant, steam turbines, new Terminal 6 plant (open cycle)
- = Remuneration under Resolution 440/21 (spot market) and retroactive adjustment for February and March's transaction is included in 2Q2021. Average adjustment was 29% compared to an inflation of 40.7% between Feb 21 and Feb 20.

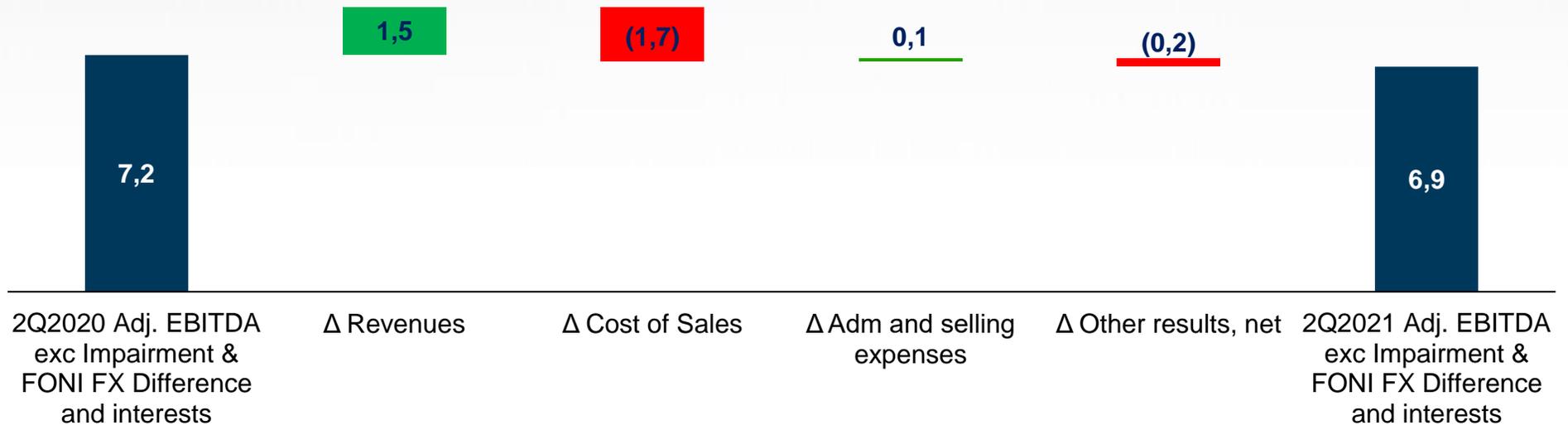
Steam sales

- ▲ 5% Increase in production.



Adj. EBITDA excluding Impairment & FONI FX Difference and interest

2Q 2021 Adj. EBITDA excluding Impairment & FONI FX Difference and interests (in billions of Ps.)



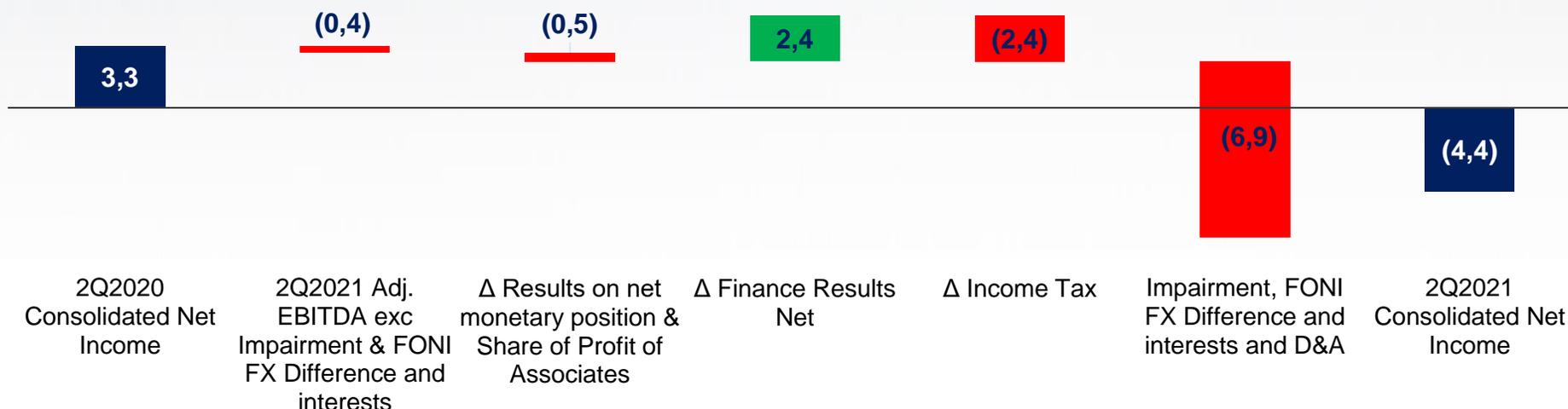
Cost of sales

- ▼ 33% increase in costs, mainly related to higher maintenance expenses (Mendoza Plant)



Consolidated Net loss of Ps. 4,4 billion or Ps. 2.95 per share

2Q 2021 Consolidated Net Income (in billions of Ps.)



Financial Results

- ▼ No mark-to-market gains on financial assets compared to the same period of 2020.
- ▼ Lower FX difference on US dollar denominated financial assets (3.77% depreciation during 2Q2021 vs 9.19% during 2Q2020)
- ▲ Lower foreign exchange difference due to comparatively lower depreciation of the Argentine peso and minor debt balances in USD.

Income Tax

- ▼ Higher income tax for the period

On June 16, 2021, the Argentine Government issued Law No. 27,630 which established **changes in the corporate income's tax rate, effective for fiscal years beginning on January 1, 2021**

Impairment and FONI

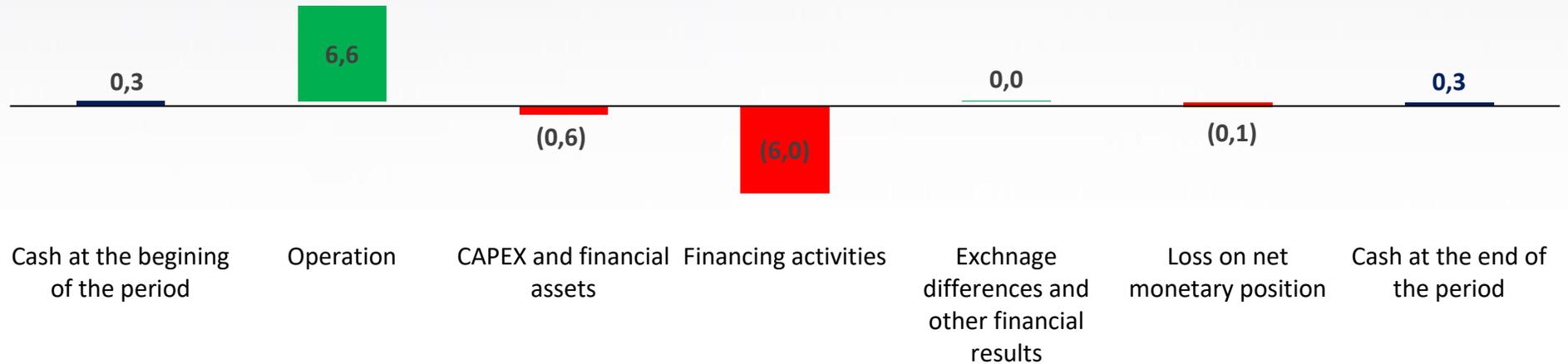
- ▼ A Ps. 3.9 billion in Impairment of property, plant and equipment
- ▼ Lower interests from clients and foreign exchange difference on operating assets, due to lower balance held during the period and lower Libor-rate.

Impairment charges recorded for Brigadier Lopez and Lujan de Cuyo's plants, due to the change in tariffs established for the spot market by Res 440



Cash Flow bridge

Cash Flow (in billions Ps.)



Operations

- ▲ Operating Income
- ▲ Collection of FONI receivables and interest from clients
- ▲ Impairment charge for property, plant and equipment
- ▼ Non-cash foreign exchange difference and monetary position
- ▼ Income tax paid

Investing activities

- ▼ CAPEX for new project (Terminal 6)
- ▲ Sale of short-term investments

Financing activities

- ▼ Debt service of loans obtained for the expansion projects
- ▲ Banks and investment accounts overdrafts received



Q&A

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your attention!**



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