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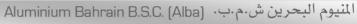
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INDUSTRY HIGHLIGHTS<sup>1</sup>







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#### **INDUSTRY HIGHLIGHTS**

### Strong Rebound for Global Demand Underpinned by V-Shape Economic Recovery (+12% YoY)

- Stimulus packages by Governments across the globe [US\$1.2 trillion in US over 8-year period to revive infrastructure and transition to a greener economy; €750 billion recovery program launched by EU] translated in strong metal consumption in key markets
- Strong come-back for Aluminium consumption in North America (+49% YoY) with manufacturing activity reaching an all-time high
- Rebound in World ex-China consumption (+33% YoY) and Europe's +29% YoY owing to strong market recovery
- Middle East demand up by 17% YoY, a double-digit increase, owing to higher demand in UAE
- Chinese market is no longer the bullish driver it used to be with Chinese authorities urging SHFE futures exchange to avoid excessive speculation. Chinese consumption almost flat (+1% YoY)





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#### **INDUSTRY HIGHLIGHTS**



#### Higher Metal Demand Accelerate Supply Growth (+7% YoY)

- An all-high record smelting margins enhanced higher capacity utilization rates as smelters are back to normal production after COVID-19
- Strong come-back for SHFE price (highest level in 13 years) has boosted Chinese production with +9% YoY
- North America supply down by 5,000 MT (1,032 Kt in 2Q20 vs. 1,027 Kt in 2Q21) owing to the gradual closure of Alcoa's Ferndale smelter
- Primary supply in GCC almost flat owing to 2% YoY supply cuts in UAE
- World market in deficit with China (-615Kt) and without China in deficit (-93Kt)





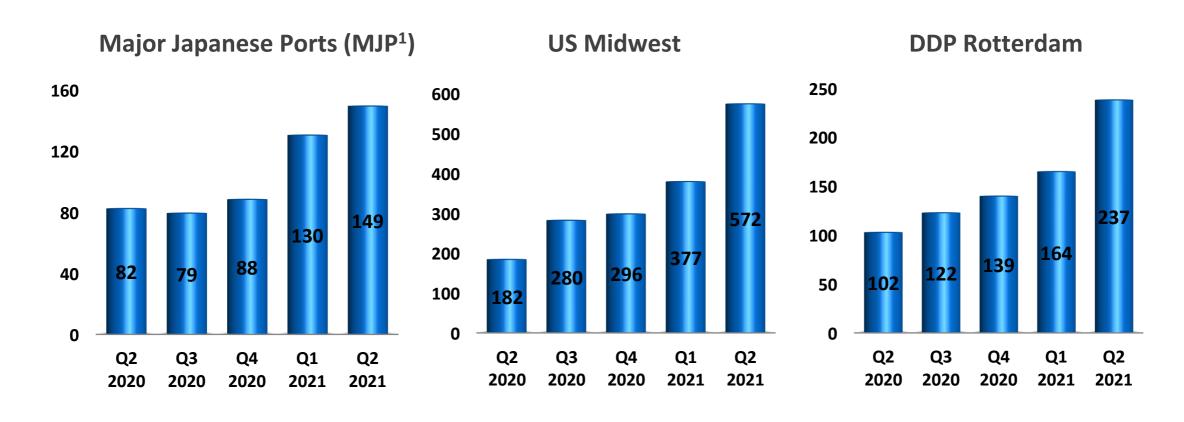
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#### **INDUSTRY HIGHLIGHTS**



#### LME Price & Premia

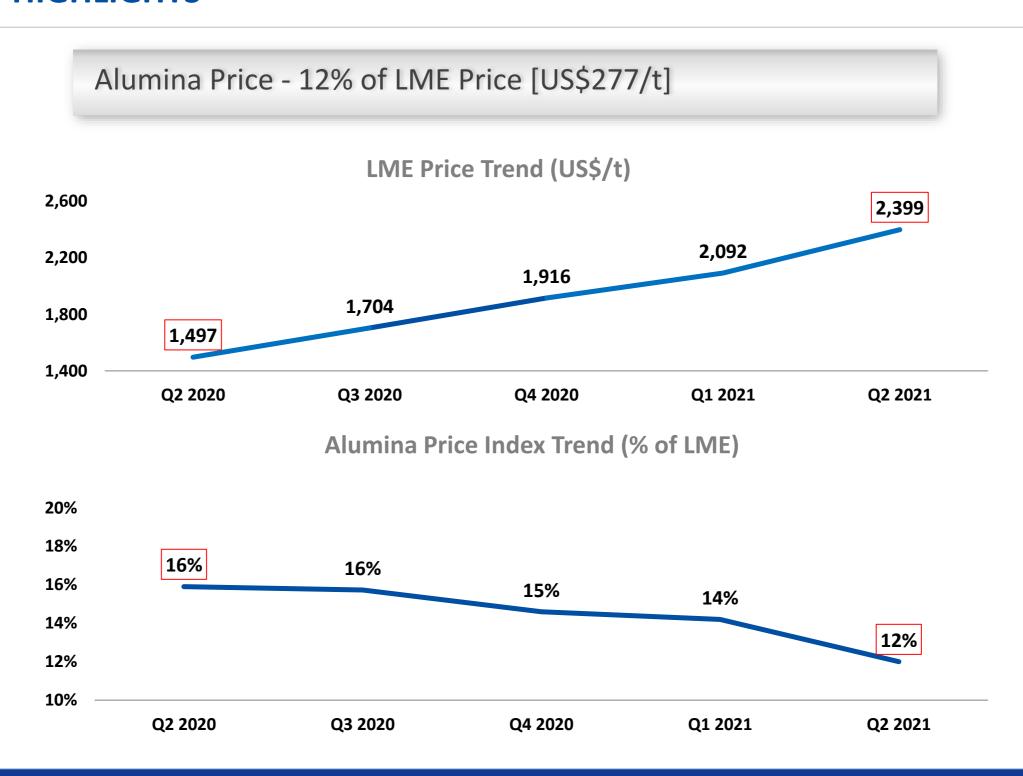
- LME inventories at ~1.597 million MT as of 30 June 2021 (down by 16% YoY)
- LME-Cash averaged US\$2,399/t up by 61% YoY [lowest: US\$2,212.50/t on 1 April and highest: US\$2,565/t on 10 May]
- Regional premia surge higher supported by freight costs



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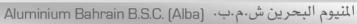
#### **INDUSTRY HIGHLIGHTS**



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ALBA HIGHLIGHTS<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Alba Highlights relate to Alba official news Page 9







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#### **ALBA HIGHLIGHTS**

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#### Driving Safety Excellence Amidst COVID-19 Pandemic

- Plant Safety: 2 Safety Campaigns were launched: 'The Right Choice' on 05 Apr'21 and first ESG Campaign 'Achieving the Balance' by mid-June 2021
- > 99% of Alba employees vaccinated
- To ensure its People's Safety, random rapid tests were carried-out on a daily basis at the Company's gates to Alba employees and contractors' personnel; only vaccinated guests were allowed on Alba premises
- Recipient of the Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents Gold Award for 8<sup>th</sup> consecutive year in a row
- Recipient of ISO 22301:2012 certification for Business Continuity Management System (BCMS)
- Alba achieved 13 million safe working-hours w/o LTI on 29 Jun'21



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#### THE RIGHT CHOICE CAMPAIGN

# For our Safety





# For our Environment Liii



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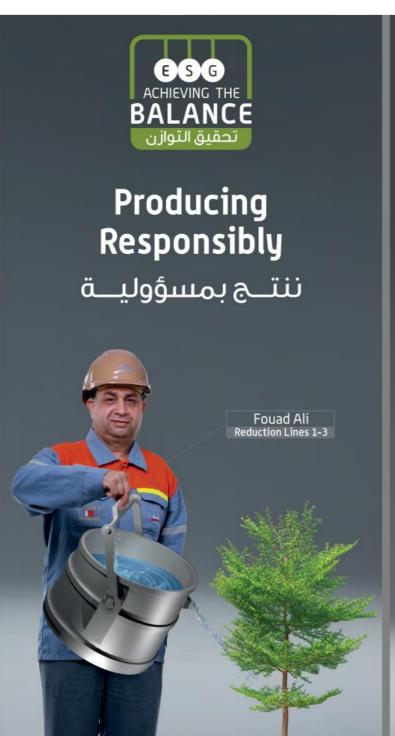
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#### **ACHIEVING THE BALANCE CAMPAIGN**











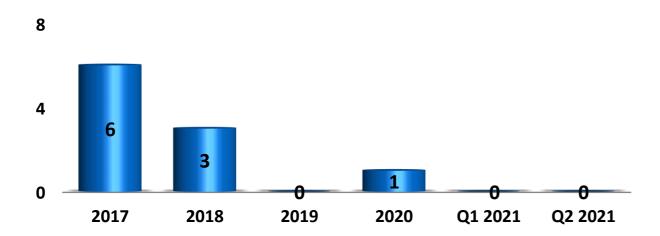
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#### **ALBA HIGHLIGHTS – THINK SAFETY FIRST & ALWAYS**

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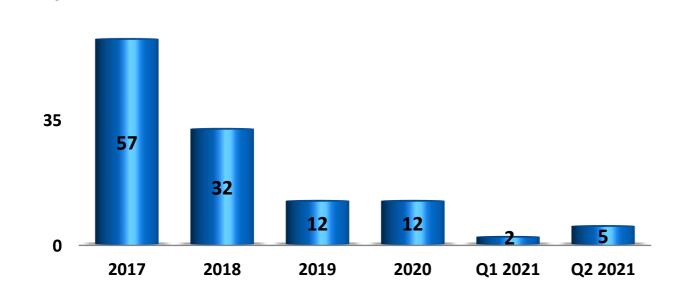


#### Lost Time Injury (LTI) Trend



#### **Total Recordable Injuries**

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#### **ALBA SUSTAINABILITY FRAMEWORK**

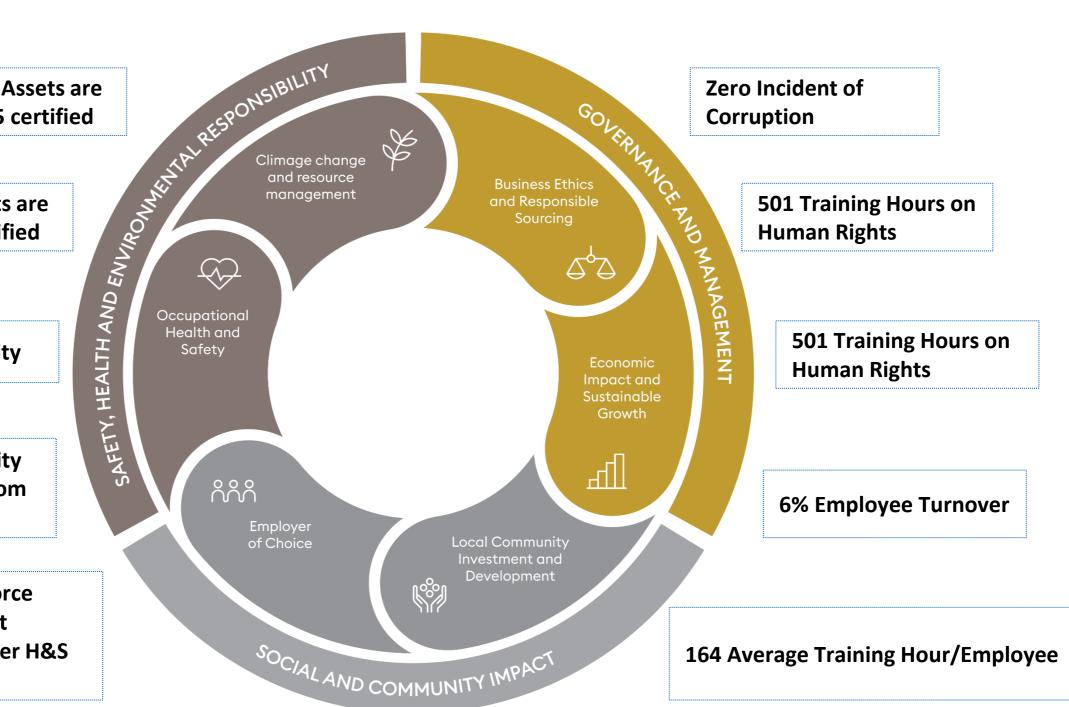
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7.9% ▼ in SOx Intensity

GHG Emission Intensity Ratio at 7.9 (down from 9.3 in 2019)

96% of Alba Workforce Represented in Joint Management-Worker H&S Committees







#### ALBA HIGHLIGHTS: THE COMEBACK IS STRONGER THAN THE SETBACK



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#### Operational Highlights & Milestones

- Sales' volume topped 388,149 metric tonnes (MT), down by 1% YoY while Production reached 391,954 MT, up by 3.5% YoY
- Value Added Sales averaged 65% of the total shipments (vs. 62% in 1Q21)
- Recipient of Best Corporate Governance Award in Bahrain by Ethical Boardroom for 2021
- Natural gas price set at US\$3.75/MMBTU till 31 March 2022
- Environmental Conservation Project Spent Pot Lining (SPL) Treatment Plant in progress (>91%)

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#### **ALBA HIGHLIGHTS IN Q2 & H1 2021**

#### Financial Key Performance Indicators

- EBITDA driven by higher LME prices
- Q2: US\$350 million up by 483% YoY
- M H1: US\$591 million up by 206% YoY
- Net Income driven by high EBITDA levels
- Q2: US\$246 million up by 659% YoY
- M1: US\$385 million up by 1,475% YoY
- Free-Cash Flow\* impacted by changes in the Working Capital
- Q2: US\$51 million up by 313% YoY
- M H1: US\$47 million down by 25% YoY



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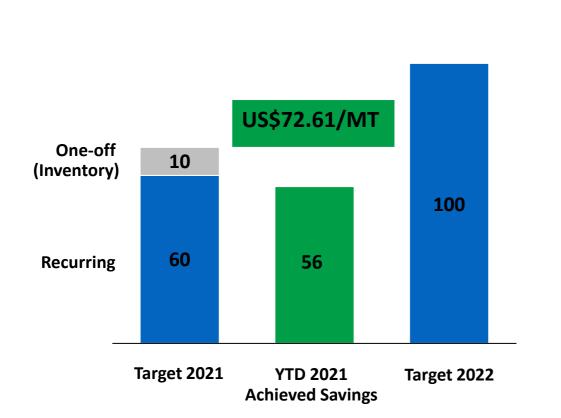


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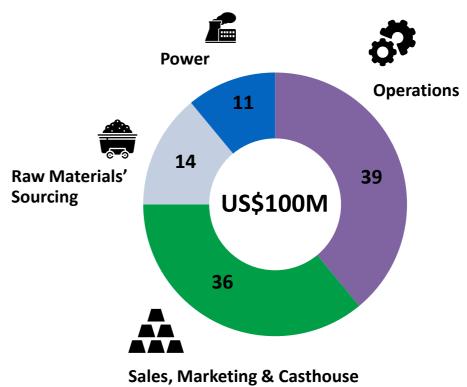
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#### AL HASSALAH Initiative (2-Year): Save US\$100 Million by 2022

#### AL HASSALAH (US\$ Million)



#### **Breakdown by Value Chain**



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Q2 2021 RESULTS

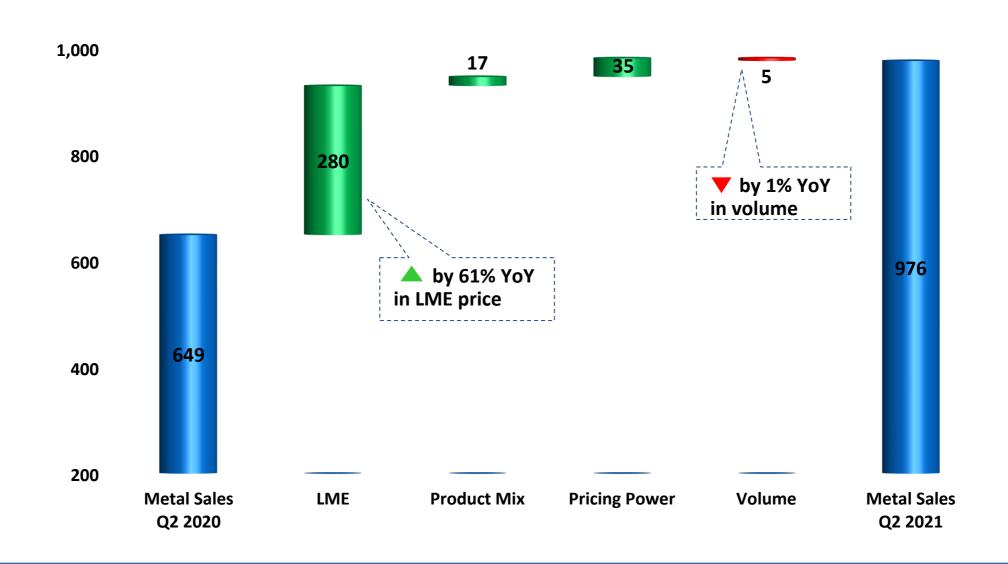
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Higher Metal Sales Thanks to Higher LME Prices, Higher VAP & Higher Premiums

#### Metal Sales' Bridge (US\$M) - Q2 2021 vs. Q2 2020

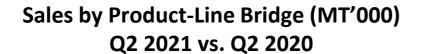


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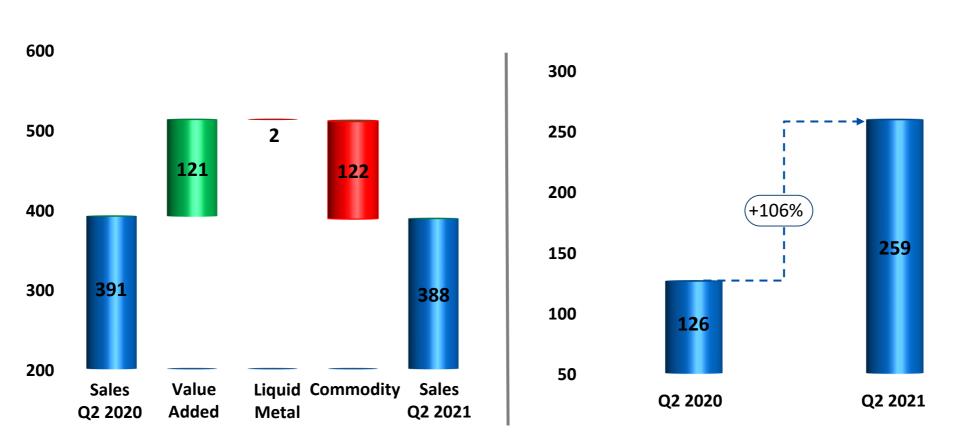




Higher VAP | Lower Commodities' Volume | Higher Premiums



#### **Premium Above LME Trend US\$ Per MT**



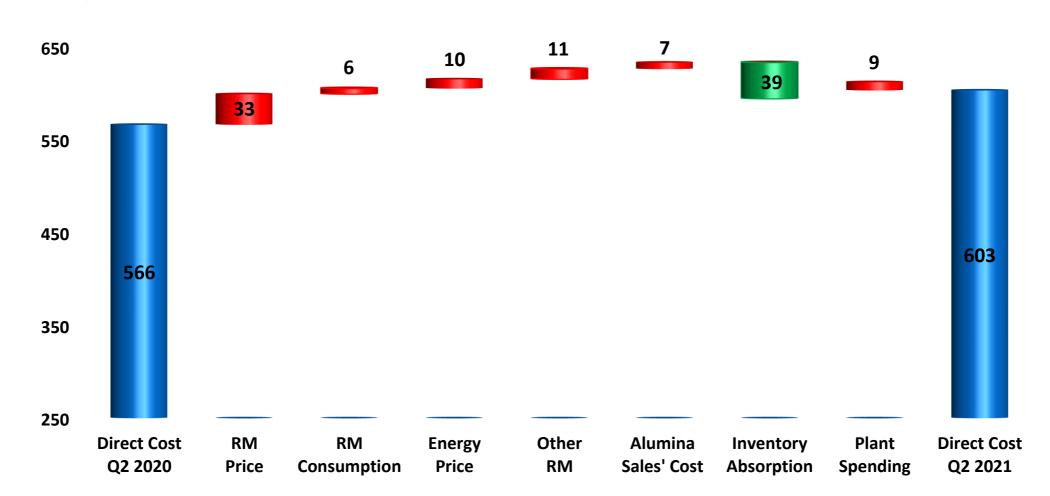
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#### **ALUMINIUM INDUSTRY: STRONG COMEBACK LIFT LME PRICES**

Higher Direct Cost Due to Higher Production, Higher Raw Materials' Cost and Offset by Lower Sales' Volume



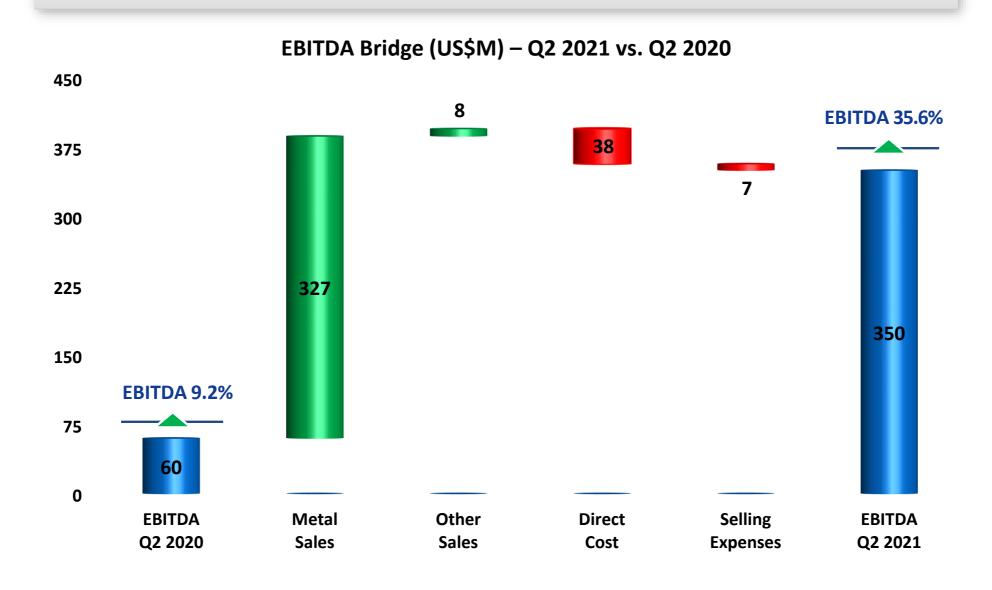


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#### **ALUMINIUM INDUSTRY: STRONG COMEBACK LIFT LME PRICES**

Higher EBITDA Thanks to Higher VAP Sales and Higher LME Prices Strong EBITDA % at 35.6%

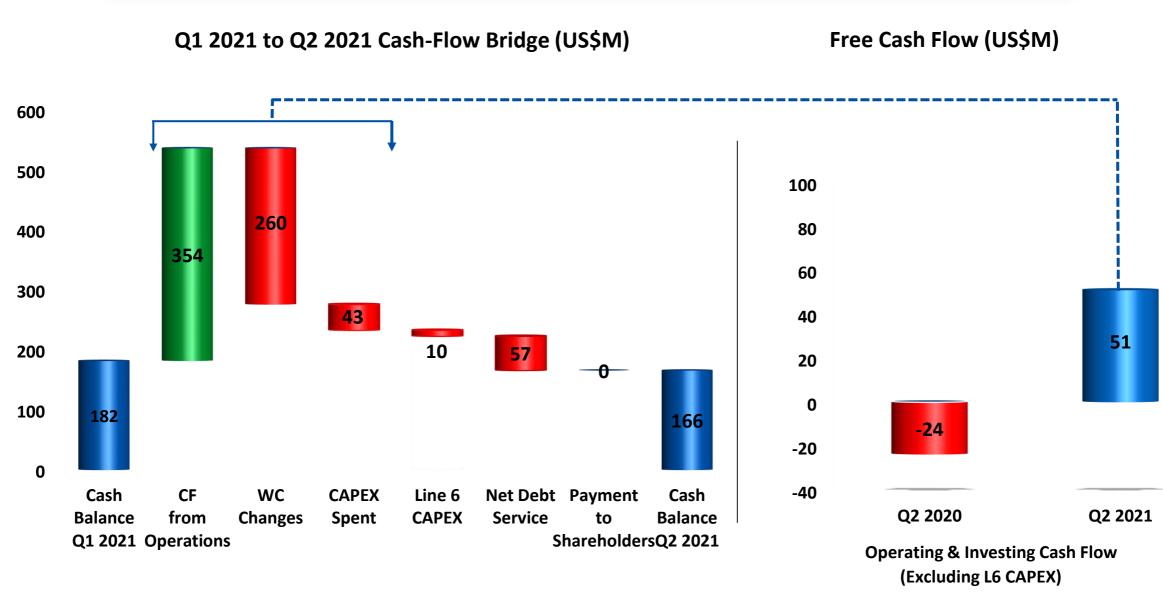


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#### **ALUMINIUM INDUSTRY: STRONG COMEBACK LIFT LME PRICES**

#### Strong Financial Performance Thanks to High LME Prices

Financial Summary	Q2 2021	Q2 2020	H1 2021	H1 2020
Average Cash LME (US\$/MT)	2,399	1,494	2,245	1,592
Average Alumina Price (US\$/MT)	310	286	304	291
Total Sales (US\$M)	984	649	1,789	1,383
EBITDA (US\$M)	350	60	591	193
EBITDA%	35.6%	9.2%	33.0%	14.0%
Net Income/(Loss) (US\$M)	246	(44)	385	(28)
Gain/(Loss) Unrealised Derivatives	-	-	-	(8)
Adjusted Net Income / (Loss)*	246	(44)	385	(20)

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INDUSTRY PERSPECTIVES<sup>1</sup> IN 2021

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#### **INDUSTRY PERSPECTIVES IN 2021**

#### Global Demand to Remain Healthy

- Solution of the second of t
- US and Europe infrastructure deals will support demand recovery
- Physical premiums to further increase to compensate for freight costs
- Russia's temporary export tax to add fizz in the market and push-up European premiums. US Midwest to rally to attract imports from duty-paying countries with the increase in European premiums
- Environmental policies and regulations are expected to evolve rapidly
- Substitution in the second second

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#### **INDUSTRY PERSPECTIVES IN 2021**

#### Raw Materials Price Trends

- Alumina spot prices are expected to rally up in Q3 & Q4 due to smelting ramp-ups especially in China
- Green Petroleum Coke (GPC) prices expected to reach historical heights amidst shortages and increased appetite from China
- Liquid Pitch prices to remain at the higher range owing to shortage of coal tar and increased demand
- Aluminium Fluoride (ALF<sub>3</sub>) prices are to remain stable



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2021 ALBA PRIORITIES<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Based on Alba 5-Year Strategic Initiatives Page 29

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#### **2021 ALBA PRIORITIES**

#### ESG Focus & Journey Towards Safety Excellence

- Evolve Towards Safety Excellence & Keep Alba's Human Capital Safe Amidst COVID-19
- Support the Government's Initiatives & aim is to have 100% vaccinated workforce
- Meet 2021 Production Target of 1,540,000 metric tonnes & Deliver on AL HASSALAH Savings' Target of US\$70 Million by 2021-end
- Screen Potential Upstream Opportunities to Secure 1/3 Alumina Requirements & Continue Dialogue with Hangzhou Jinjiang Group Co. Ltd
- © Capitalise on Aluminium Stewardship Initiative and Ecovadis Certifications to Penetrate New Markets & Increase VAP Sales
- © Complete Environmental Conservation Project, 1<sup>st</sup> of its Kind in the Region, Spent Pot Lining Treatment (SPL) Plant
- Focus on Green and Sustainable Initiatives
- Release Alba's Fifth Edition of Sustainability Report after Quality Assurance



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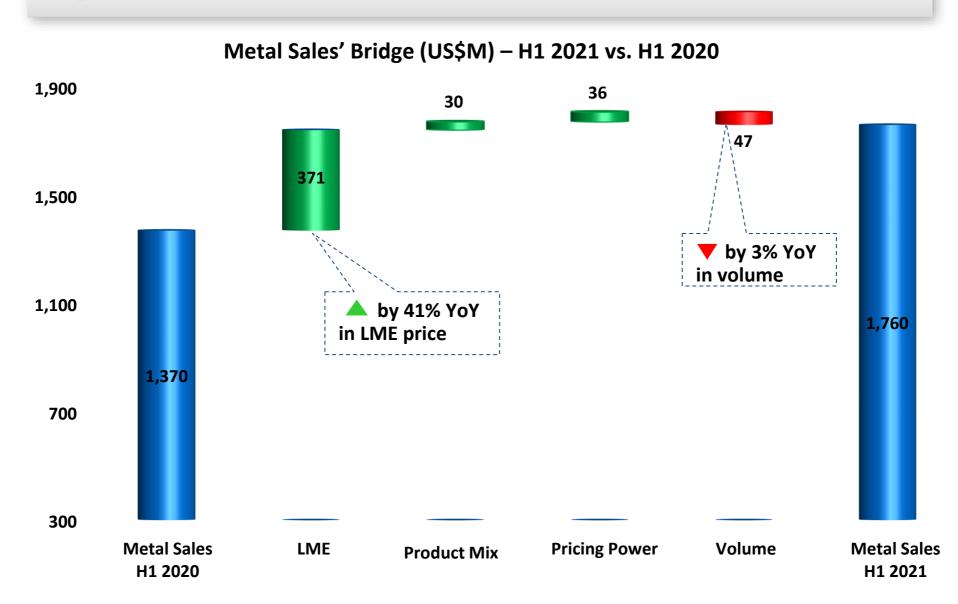
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#### **ALUMINIUM INDUSTRY: STRONG FUNDAMENTALS LIFT LME PRICES**

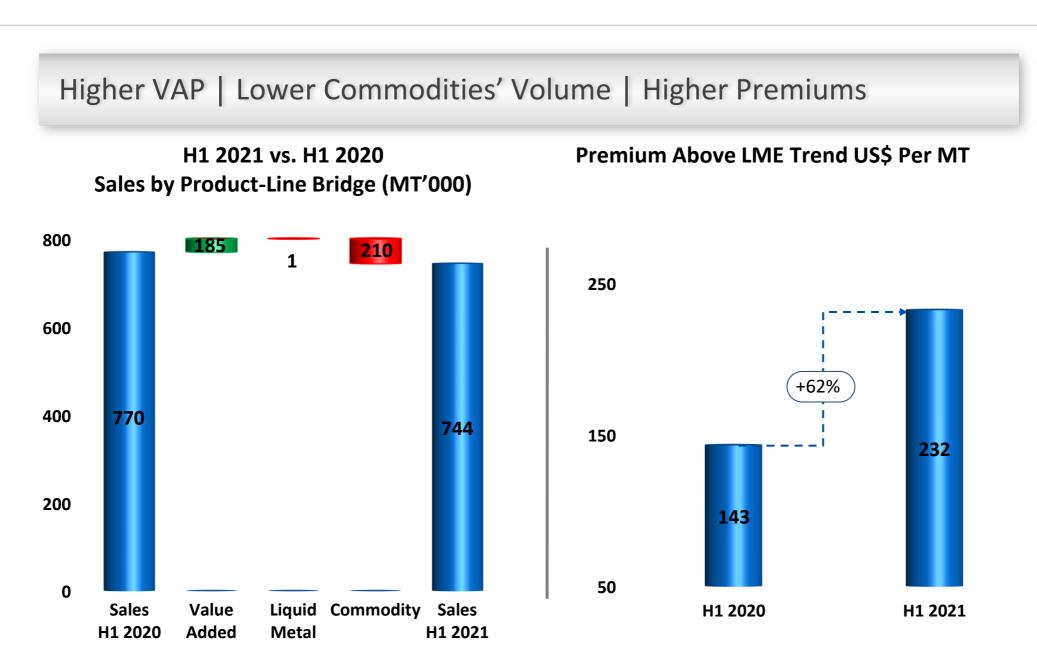
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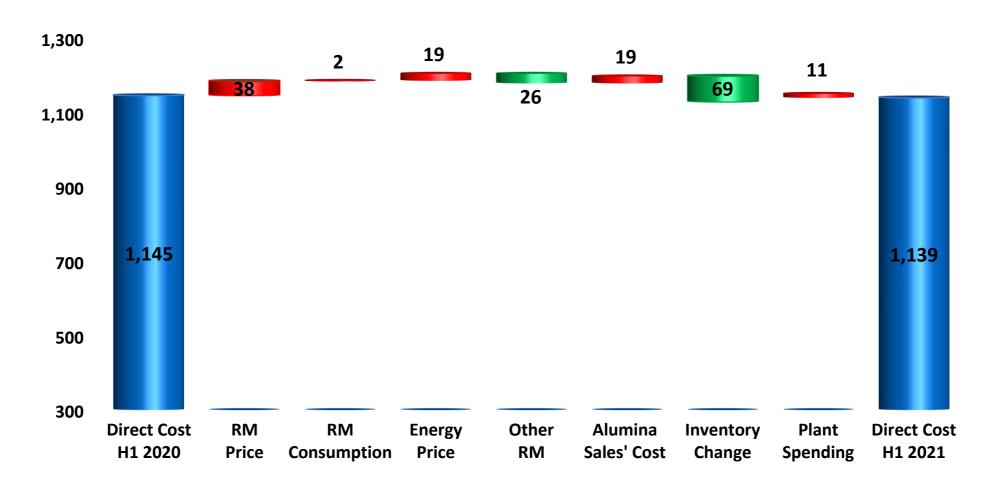
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#### **ALUMINIUM INDUSTRY: STRONG FUNDAMENTALS LIFT LME PRICES**

Lower Direct Cost Due to Lower Sales' Volume, Lower Other RM Prices Despite Higher Production

#### H1 2021 vs. H1 2020 - Direct Cost Bridge (US\$M)



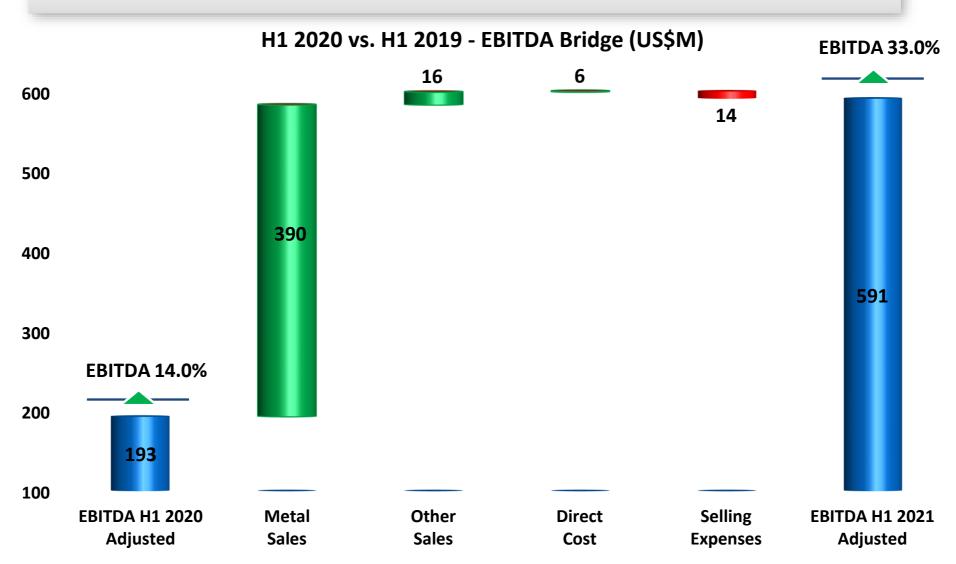
\* RM stands for Raw Materials Page 34

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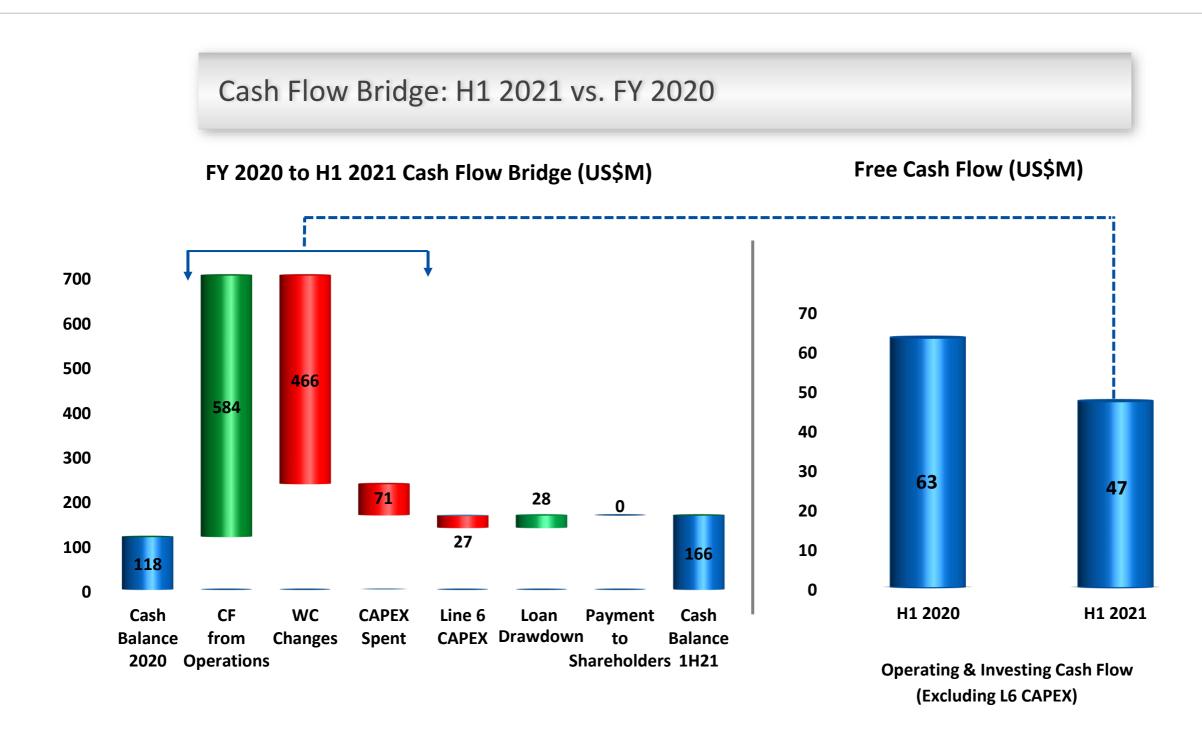
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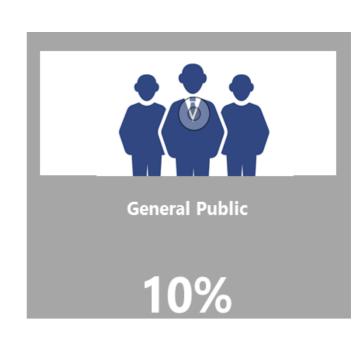




#### **ALBA SHAREHOLDERS' STRUCTURE**





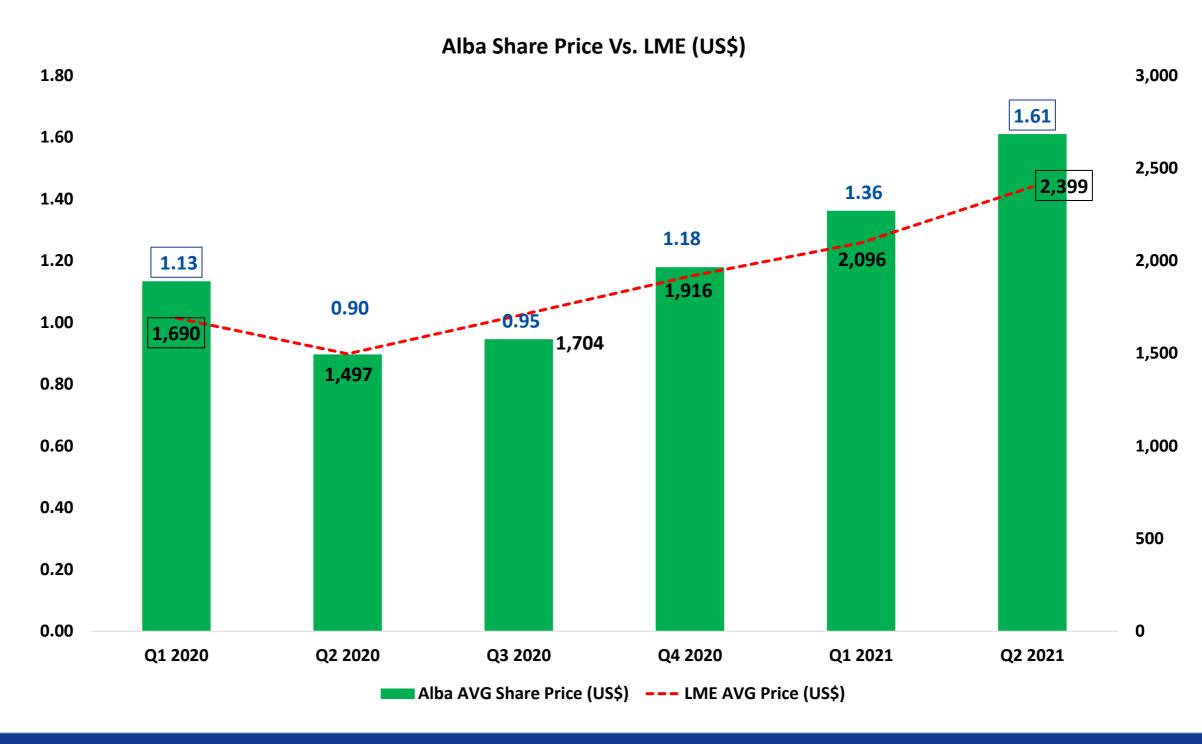


- Alba was converted into a Bahrain Public Joint Stock Company on 23 November 2010
- Alba shares are listed on two exchanges: Ordinary Shares on Bahrain Bourse and Global Depository Receipts (GDRs) on the London Stock Exchange – Alternative Investment Market
- Alba Ticker [BHB: ALBH, Fils 643 on 30 June 2021]

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#### **ALBA SHARE PRICE YOY PERFORMANCE**



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