

Your Specialty Chemical Partner

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Why Invest in Trecora?



Strong Base Business



Recent Capital Projects



Leading Positions in Key Markets



EBITDA Expected To Double By 2022



AMAK Monetization Opportunity



Focused Management Team

Focus on Operational Excellence to Drive Performance





Investment Appeal

Trecora Resources (NYSE: TREC) is a leading provider of high-purity light hydrocarbons, specialty waxes and custom processing services

- 1 Strong base business with limited competition and opportunity to grow
 - · South Hampton Resources: Leading manufacturer of high-purity pentanes
 - Trecora Chemical: Manufacturer of polyethylene wax and wax derivatives
 - Well positioned to benefit from the resurgence of the US chemical industry
 - Experiencing strong demand for custom processing
 - · Focus on improving operations and organizational effectiveness to drive performance





- Recent capital projects will increase capacity and are expected to approximately double 2017 Adjusted EBITDA of \$32 million by 2022
 - South Hampton Resources
 - o D Train completed ramping volume to generate \$6-\$8M in incremental EBITDA between 2018 and 2022
 - Advanced Reformer estimated completion in 3Q18 with \$12-\$14M in incremental EBITDA by 2022
 - Trecora Chemical
 - B Plant expected to add \$4-\$6M to EBITDA by end of 2018
 - Hydrogenation/Distillation expected to add \$6-\$8 million in EBITDA
- Al-Masane Al Kobara Mining Company (AMAK) monetization opportunity
 - Planned divestiture of 33.4% interest in legacy mining operations





Company Evolution

Transformation from an origin in mining ... to a leading provider of specialty petrochemicals

1967

1987

2014

2015 - 2018

2018 - 2022

Company incorporated as Arabian Shield Development Company

Acquired
Sinclair Oil
Refinery – now
operating as
SHR

Acquired TC & changed name to Trecora Resources

Company executes \$100 million in capital projects

Well positioned for future growth

- 2015 D Train complete
- 2016 B Plant Acquired
- 2017 Hydrogenation/ Distillation unit complete
- 3Q18 Advanced reformer to be completed

- Estimated incremental EBITDA from capital projects of \$28 to \$36 million by 2022
- Potential monetization of AMAK ownership





2018 Key Initiatives





Leading Manufacturer of High-Purity Pentanes Manufacturer of Polyethylene Wax and Wax Derivatives

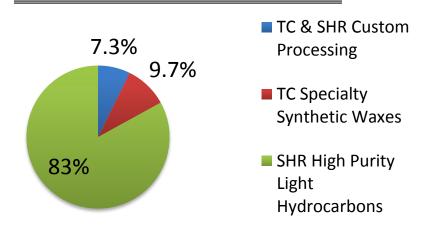
- Start-up of Advanced Reformer unit expected in 3Q18
- Custom processing growth at TC
 - Solid production increase in 1Q18
- B Plant and D Train ramping volumes
- AMAK contributed positive equity in earnings in 1Q18 for a second consecutive quarter
- Organizational changes announced in 1Q18 designed to focus on operational excellence





Financial Summary

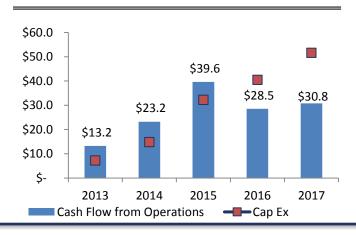
2017 Total Revenues \$245.2 Million



Adjusted EBITDA (\$mm)



Cash Flow from Operations and Capex (\$mm)



Total Debt (\$mm)







South Hampton Resources Specialty Petrochemical Segment

- ➤ Leading manufacturer of high-purity light hydrocarbons
 - First quarter 2018 prime product volume increased 27.1% from first quarter 2017
 - Blue Chip customer base
- ➤ Market leader with approximately 60% market share and only 1 competitor in high-purity pentanes
- Easy access to major transportation networks







SHR: Blue Chip Customers













































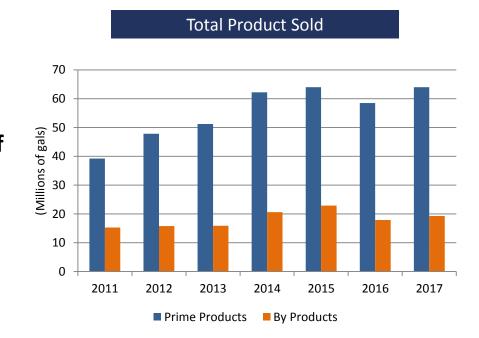






SHR: Growth Drivers

- New polyethylene plants in North America
 - Adding 8.0 million metric tons/year of manufacturing capacity by 2020
 - 40% increase over current capacity
 - Cost advantage driving polyethylene exports
- Second Canadian oil sands customer up and running; expect volumes second half of 2018
- Global growth (including Asia)
- New product volumes increasing
- Major capital projects complete
 - D Train: Three production trains provide significantly more flexibility and reliability
 - Capacity allows for new product development
- > 2017 EBITDA of \$36.7 million up 15.1% year-over-year; 1Q18 EBITDA of \$8.4 million up 4.4% from 1Q17







SHR: Advanced Reformer Update

Catalyst to EBITDA Growth

March 2, 2018



April 30, 2018



- At \$58 million, our largest capital project designed to produce a significantly higher valueadded byproduct stream
- At current prices, upgraded byproduct increases value by approximately 40 cents per gallon
 - Commissioning expected by third quarter 2018
 - Repairs after February 14, 2018 fire on schedule
 - Insurance claims process is proceeding well





Trecora Chemical Specialty Waxes Segment

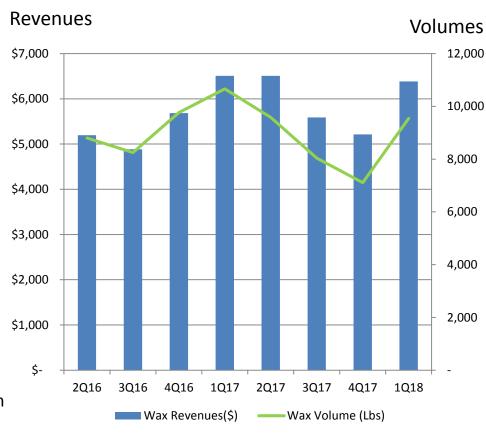
Manufactures polyethylene wax and wax derivatives

• 2017 Revenues: \$34.8 million; 1Q18 Revenues: \$6.4 million

Wax Markets

- Hot Melt Adhesives & PVC Lubricants
- Volumes in these markets in 1Q18 up 34% from 4Q17
- Strong feedstock supply network
- Organizational changes implemented in 1Q18; catalyst for driving operational excellence
 - 1Q18 shows improvement in B-plant and Hydrogen unit throughputs

Wax Volume and Revenue Overview







TC: Hydrogenation/Distillation Project Completed

Catalyst to EBITDA Growth



- \$25 million investment
- Expect additional \$6-\$8 M/year in EBITDA run date by end of 2018

Hydrogenation/Distillation Unit

- Leverage existing relationships with petrochemical customers and generate new custom processing business
- Hydrogenation/Distillation Unit generated revenue of \$300K in 1Q18 as production ramps

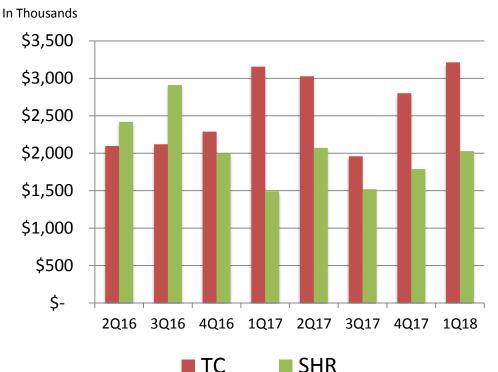




Custom Processing Overview

- Convert feedstock into value-added products based upon customer specifications
 - Customers supply and maintain title to feedstock
- Contractual take or pay agreements with high operating margins
 - Significant operating leverage above break-even
- Adding process capabilities that are in short supply in the region
 - Will benefit from the resurgence in U.S. Chemicals





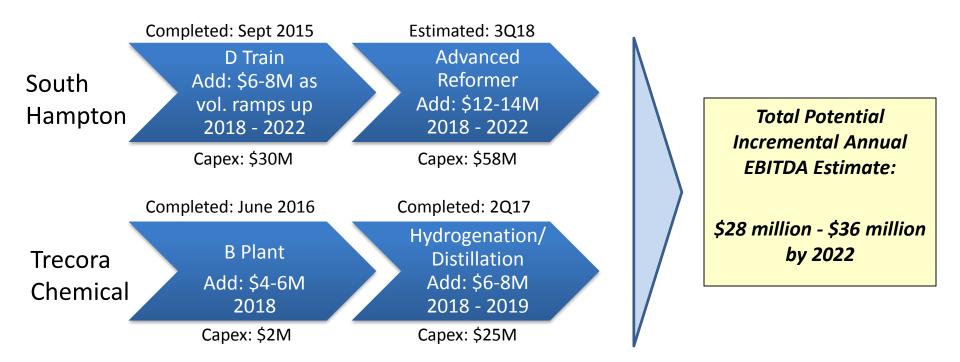








Significant Capital Projects Nearly Complete

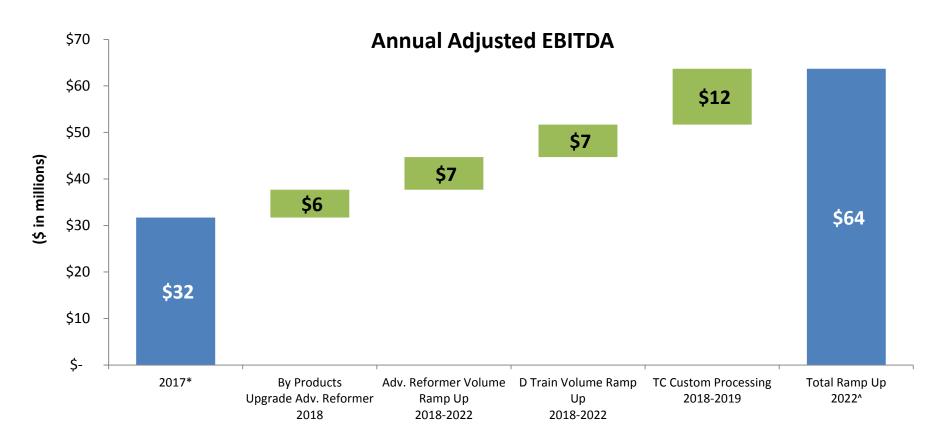


- Capital projects funded from operating cash flow and revolver borrowings
- Total liquidity of \$13M (3/31/18)





EBITDA Projection From Recent Capital Projects



^{*-} Denotes Adjusted EBITDA for 2017

^{^-} Denotes Projected EBITDA for 2022





AMAK Mine Update

Operations

- 10,000 dmt sold in 1Q18 (vs. 20,000 dmt during 4Q17 sequential decline due to timing of stockpile delivery to market)
 - Equally split between copper concentrate and zinc concentrate
- Concentrate quality, throughput rates and recoveries continued steady progress
- Equity in earnings of \$0.2 million in 1Q18

Exploration

- Drilling continues in Guyan and surrounding areas with a similar geological profile
- Guyan gold project developing as scheduled
 - Procurement and Construction Starts 3Q18
 - Commission Guyan Gold Project in 1H19
- Drilling continues for Al Masane copper and zinc
- Reserves update in the 10-K. 8 years for Life of Mine, with expectation to extend significantly by year-end





Investment Summary

Opportunity to double 2017 Adjusted EBITDA by 2022 by leveraging recent capital projects



- Strong core specialty chemical company addressing expanding profitable market opportunities
 - > Investing in higher margin businesses
 - Internationally competitive in high-growth developed and emerging markets
 - Footprint in Canada, Middle East and Asia, and expanding into additional markets



- Organizationally aligned to transition culture into one of operational excellence to drive growth and EBITDA contribution
 - Hydrogenation revenue beginning to ramp
- AMAK monetization opportunity
 - Objective is financial exit which could generate significant cash
 - Equity earnings contribution in 1Q18 for the second consecutive quarter





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TREC 1Q 2018 Income Statement

	THREE M ENDI MARCI	ED
	2018	2017
	(thousands o	f dollars)
REVENUES Petrochemical and Product Sales Processing Fees	\$ 66,699 <u>5,042</u> 71,741	\$ 50,899 <u>4,643</u> 55,542
OPERATING COSTS AND EXPENSES Cost of Sales and Processing (including depreciation and amortization of \$2,830 and \$2,383, respectively)	<u>61,601</u>	44,924
GROSS PROFIT	10,140	10,618
GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES General and Administrative Depreciation	6,335 196 6,531	6,221 205 6,426
OPERATING INCOME	3,609	4,192
OTHER INCOME (EXPENSE) Interest Income Interest Expense Equity in Earnings (Losses) of AMAK Miscellaneous Expense	7 (878) 230 (26) (667)	2 (636) (966) (44) (1,644)
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES	2,942	2,548
INCOME TAXES	_590	1,061
NET INCOME	2,352	1,487
NET LOSS ATTRIBUTABLE TO NONCONTROLLING INTEREST		
NET INCOME ATTRIBUTABLE TO TRECORA RESOURCES	<u>\$ 2,352</u>	<u>\$ 1,487</u>
Basic Earnings per Common Share Net Income Attributable to Trecora Resources (dollars)	\$ 0.10	\$ 0.06
Basic Weighted Average Number of Common Shares Outstanding	24,343	24,240
Diluted Earnings per Common Share Net Income Attributable to Trecora Resources (dollars)	\$ 0.09	\$ 0.06
Diluted Weighted Average Number of Common Shares Outstanding	<u>25,231</u>	<u>25,054</u>





TREC Adjusted EBITDA Calculation

(In Thousands)	Three months ended					Twelve months ended								
	3/	′31/2018	12,	/31/2017	9/:	30/2017	6/3	30/2017	3/3	31/2017	12	/31/2017	12,	/31/2016
NET INCOME (LOSS)	\$	2,352	\$	13,972	\$	1,718	\$	832	\$	1,487	\$	18,009	\$	19,428
Interest		878		822		795		678		636		2,931		1,985
Taxes		590		(9,129)		577		332		1,061		(7,159)		10,504
Depreciation and amortization		196		217		246		205		204		872		761
Depreciation and amortization in cost of sales		2,829		2,778		2,564		2,363		2,384		10,089		9,016
EBITDA		6,846		8,660		5,900		4,410		5,772		24,742		41,694
Share based compensation		592		702		716		656		633		2,707		2,552
Bargain purchase gain		-		-		-		-		-		-		(11,549)
Gain from additional equity issuance by AMAK		-		-		-		-		-		-		(3,168)
Equity in losses of AMAK		(230)		(900)		897		3,298		966		4,261		1,479
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	7,208	\$	8,462	\$	7,513	\$	8,364	\$	7,371	\$	31,710	\$	31,008
Revenue		71,741		65,978		61,508		62,115		55,542		245,143		212,399
Adjusted EBITDA Margin (adjusted EBITDA/revenue)		10.0%		12.8%		12.2%		13.5%		13.3%		12.9%		14.6%





TREC Balance Sheet as of 1Q 2018

	MARCH 31, 2018 (unaudited)	DECEMBER 31, 2017		MARCH 31, 2018 (unaudited)	DECEMBER 31, 2017
<u>ASSEIS</u>	(thousands	of dollars)	<u>LIABILITIES</u>	(thousands	of dollars)
Current Assets			Current Liabilities		
Cash	\$2,568	\$3,028	Accounts payable	\$14,888	\$18,347
Trade receivables, net	27,421	25,779	Accrued liabilities	4,229	3,961
Insurance receivable	742		Current portion of post-retirement benefit	302	305
Inventories	15,691	18,450	Current portion of long-term debt	8,061	8,061
Prepaid expenses and other assets	5,131	4,424	Current portion of other liabilities	<u>889</u>	<u>870</u>
Taxes receivable	<u>5,481</u>	<u>5,584</u>	Total current liabilities	28,369	31,544
Total current assets	57,034	57,265			
			Long-term debt, net of current portion	99,031	91,021
Plant, pipeline and equipment, net	190,139	181,742	Post-retirement benefit, net of current portion	897	897
			Other liabilities, net of current portion	1,374	1,611
Goodwill	21,798	21,798	Deferred income taxes	17,670	<u>17,242</u>
Intangible assets, net	20,343	20,808	Total liabilities	147,341	142,315
Investment in AMAK	45,224	45,125			
Mineral properties in the United States	<u>588</u>	<u>588</u>	<u>EQUITY</u>		
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$335,126</u>	\$327.326	Common stock -authorized 40 million shares of \$.10 par value; issued 24.5 million in 2018 and 2017 and outstanding 24.3 million shares in 2018 and 2017	2,451	2,451
IOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$333,120</u>	<u> 3327,320</u>	C	56,422	56,012
			Additional paid-in capital	-184	-196
			Common stock in treasury, at cost		
			Retained earnings	<u>128,807</u> 187,496	<u>126,455</u>
			Total Trecora Resources Stockholders' Equity	,	184,722
			Noncontrolling Interest	<u>289</u>	289
			Total equity	<u>187,785</u>	<u>185,011</u>
			TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	<u>\$335,126</u>	\$327,326



