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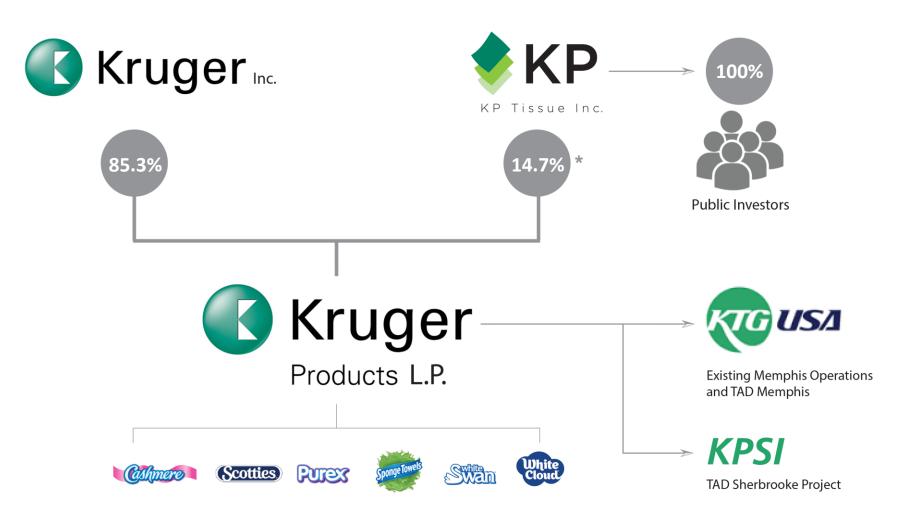
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### **Corporate Structure**





#### **Our Vision**





OUR VISION IS TO BE THE MOST TRUSTED AND BEST LOVED TISSUE COMPANY IN NORTH AMERICA.

Making everyday life more comfortable.

#### **Drive Strong Revenue, Profit and Shareholder Value**





#### **Kruger Products Overview**





#1 Branded Tissue Company in Canada







**2019 Sales** 

\$1.4 B

**Employees** 

~2,500

Large North American Manufacturing Footprint

8

**Plants** 

14

**Paper Machines** 

84

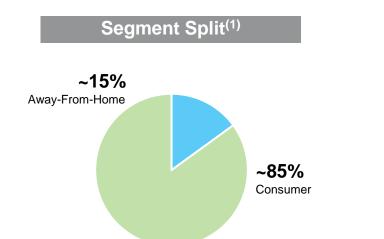
**Converting Lines** 

#### **CAPABILITIES**

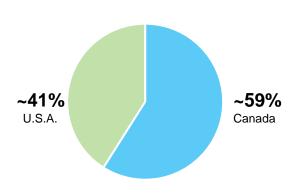
in Structured, Conventional and Recycled Paper

#### Diversified Portfolio Across Canada & U.S.





#### Geographic Split(1)



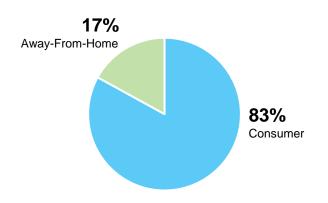
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Private Label	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$



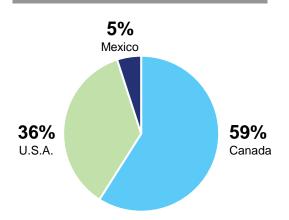
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#### Geographic Split - 2019



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Away-From-Home	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Private Label	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$



#### **Financial Performance Trend**





<sup>(1)</sup> Non-GAAP measure – see MD&A for the definition and reconciliation of the most comparable GAAP measure

<sup>(2)</sup> Effective January 1, 2019, KPLP adopted IFRS 16 Leases, the new accounting standard covering lease accounting, using the full retrospective approach. Under this approach, Fiscal 2018 have been restated to reflect the adoption of IFRS 16.

#### 9M 2020 Highlights



\$1,131.0 M

Revenue

4.1%\*

Over 9M 2019

**Excluding Mexico** 

**12.1%**\* over 9M 2019

Volume increases in Consumer and favourable F/X, partially offset by AFH



+17.6% u.s.

\$161.6 M

Adjusted EBITDA<sup>1</sup>



63.2%

over 9M 2019

The increase was primarily due to the favourable sales impact and product mix and lower pulp prices, partially offset by higher cost of sales and SG&A costs

\$55.7 M

Net Income



\$47.5 M

over 9M 2019

The increase was primarily due to higher Adjusted EBITDA and lower interest expense, partially offset by an increase in other expense, income tax expense and in depreciation expense

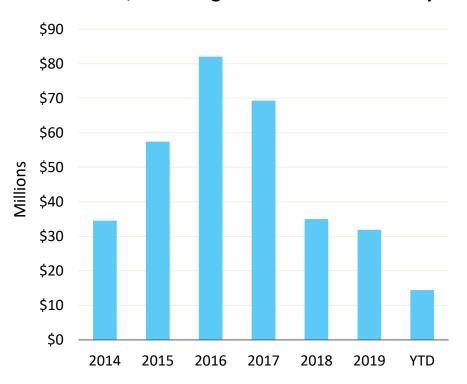
<sup>\*</sup> The Mexico business was divested in September 2019. In 9M 2019, Mexico represented revenue of \$76.9 million

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$  Non-GAAP measure – see MD&A for the definition and reconciliation of the most comparable GAAP measure.

#### **CAPEX**



#### **CAPEX, excluding TAD Sherbrooke Facility**



- Q3 and YTD 2020 TAD Sherbrooke CAPEX was \$65.1 million and \$201.3 million
- \$43.3 million of accrued and unpaid capital spending at quarter-end
- 2020 TAD Sherbrooke CAPEX estimated at between \$300 and \$320 million
- Q3 2020 CAPEX excluding TAD Sherbrooke was \$5.3 million
- 2020 regular CAPEX estimated at \$30-\$40 million range
- Total 2020 CAPEX of \$330-\$360 million

#### **Balance Sheet**



(Million CAD\$, unless otherwise noted)	Q3 2020	Q2 2020
Cash	117.5	144.2
Current Portion of Long-term Debt	4.9	4.9
Long-term Debt	705.0	700.4
Net Debt	592.5	561.1
LTM Adjusted EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	207.6	205.4
Net Debt/LTM Adjusted EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	2.9	2.7

• Leverage increased slightly due to the higher level of net debt but remained relatively low considering the significant increase in LTM adjusted EBITDA

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#### **COVID-19 Impact**









- Enhanced our safety protocols in wake of wave 2
- Strong performance of assets with no major disruptions
- Running fewer SKUs with priority on top selling products leading to improved productivity
- Extended our raw material purchases to secure business continuity
- Consumer trust in our brand is a key differentiator in period of uncertainty leading to further market share gain





Driving more capacity, asset reliability, cost savings and cultural shift

OpEx program tracking to overall plan and rolled out to all sites

High level of employee engagement and culture shift in motion

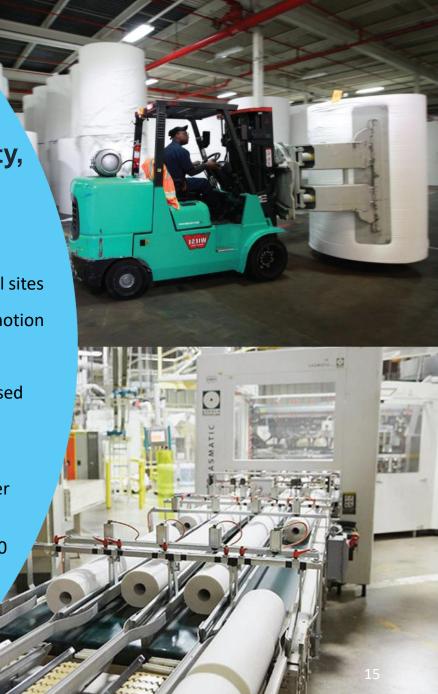
Plants operating very well in Q3

SKU consolidation helped run more efficiently and increased output and productivity

Lower manufacturing costs YoY

Investing more in enhanced maintenance to drive stronger asset performance

 By the end of 2020, expect to reach the top-end of \$15-20 million target in cost savings on a run rate basis





Continued focus on investing and building our brands

Share gains continued in Q3 supported by strong shipments

 Planned higher advertising and promotion spend in 2H of 2020

 Focus on connecting with consumers with purpose-driven messaging through new media campaign

 Cashmere Collection in support of Canadian Cancer Society via virtual fashion show was resounding success

Full distribution of quality improved Cashmere

Strong growth momentum of White Cloud in the U.S. sustained with increased distribution



# **Canada's Leading Tissue Company**

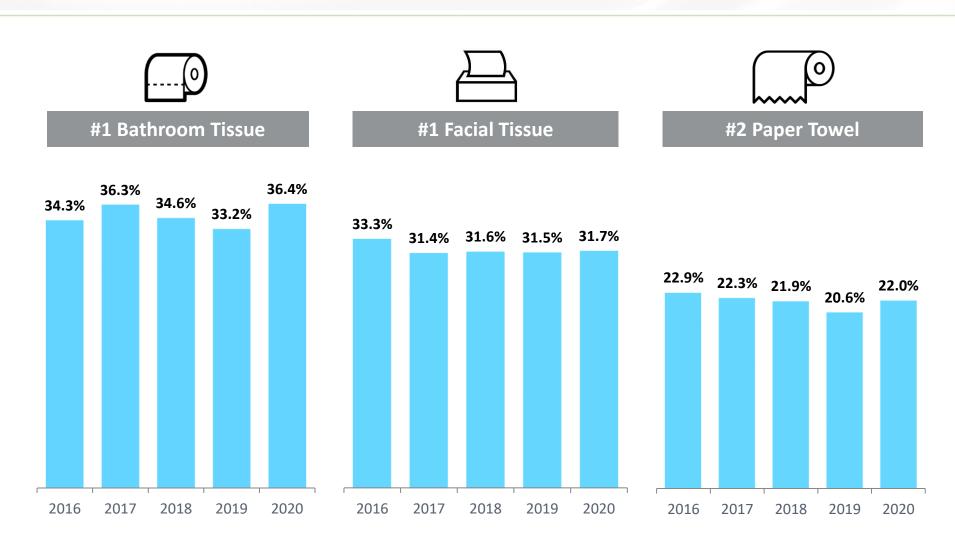


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	Bathroom Tissue	Facial Tissue	Paper Towel
Kruger Products	#1 <b>36.4</b> %	#1 <b>31.7</b> %	#2 <b>22.0</b> %
IRVING	18.9%	19.2%	12.5%
P&G	10.1%	0.6%	34.2%
(3) Kimberly-Clark	1.3%	18.0%	0.8%

Source: Nielsen; dollar market share for the 52-week period ended October 3, 2020.

#### **Brand Leadership Position**





# AFH SEGMENT

Doing the right things to rebuild the business

- Market conditions remain challenging for Foodservice, Lodging and Property Management
- End-user consumption has improved from Q2 but stabilized at 15% to 20% below prior year volume
- Heightened focus on hand hygiene has kept towel volume strong despite market conditions
- Migration shift to selling consumer-like products in retail outlets
- OpEx continues to drive improved productivity but has created headroom with soft demand
- Strong consumer demand requiring more outsourcing at AFH



## **Sustainability Efforts Deliver Impact**







	2020 TARGET	2019 RESULTS
Employee Safety (1)	<b>50%</b> improvement from 2015	35% improvement from 2015
Energy Consumption (2)	15% reduction from 2009	10% reduction from 2009
Greenhouse Gas Emissions (2)	<b>27%</b> reduction from 2009	22% reduction from 2009
Water Consumption (2)	<b>35%</b> reduction from 2009	33% reduction from 2009

<sup>(1)</sup> OSHA Total Incidence Rate













<sup>(2)</sup> Intensity-based

#### Reinvesting in the business to build a strong future



#### Our focus going forward will be on:

- Continuing to drive consumer revenue growth
- Investing in our brands to build market share leadership in Canada while expanding White Cloud in the U.S.
- Completing the TAD Sherbrooke facility, successful start-up and aggressive sales plan
- Creating a more efficient and capable supply chain network with benefits and progress of OpEx program
- Doing the right things to improve AFH performance considering slow recovery in end-user markets
- Developing our organizational capability to drive growth for the future