



DOMESTIC SOLAR GLASS MANUFACTURING

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Introduction

Canadian Premium Sand Inc. (“CPS”) is a public company listed on the TSX-Venture Exchange

- Developing pattern solar glass manufacturing facilities in US and Canada
- No manufacturing facilities of this kind exist in North America today
- Experienced management team with deep relationships in the solar industry
- Two phase market entry strategy
 1. Brownfield strategy in the US with a capital efficient facility
 2. Greenfield strategy in Canada with vertical integration to sand supply
- Both facilities have long-term structural cost advantages to support their development

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 Pattern Solar Glass Customers

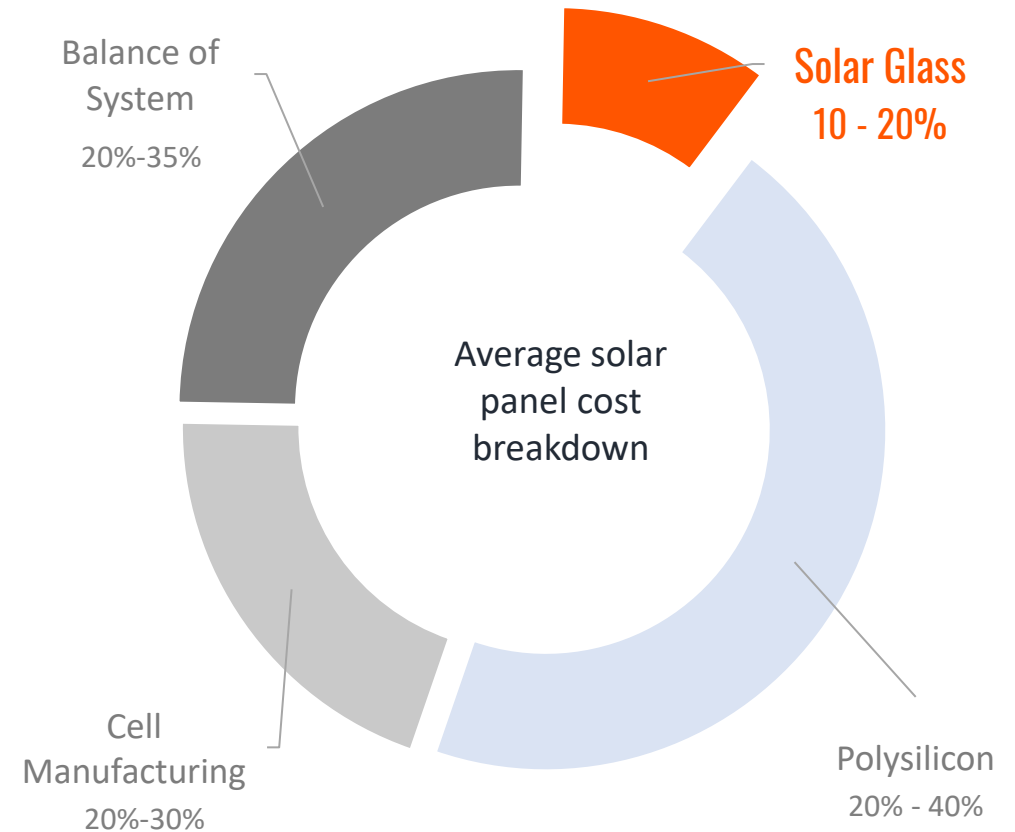
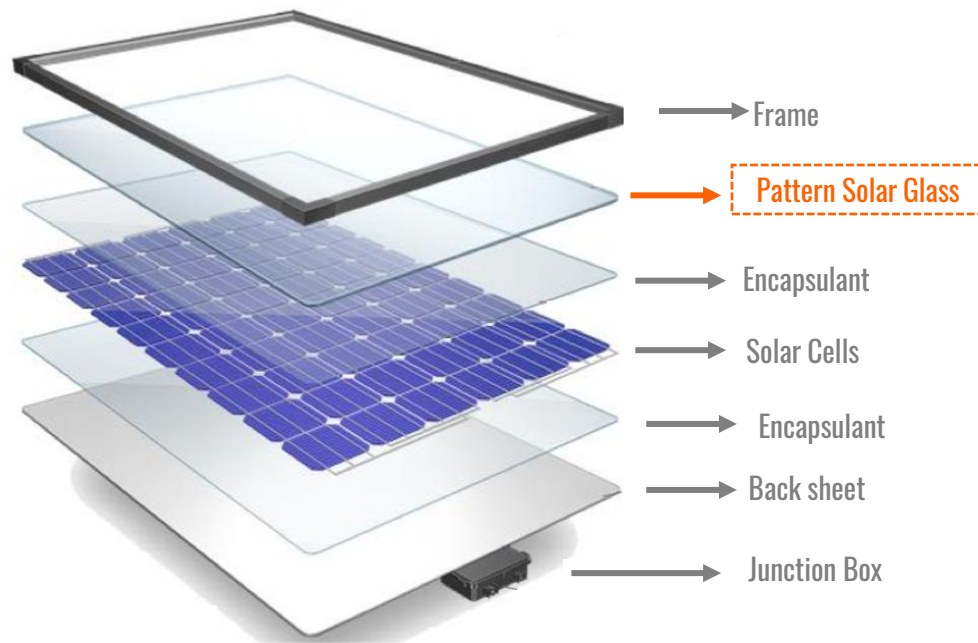
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Solar Glass is a Critical Component of Solar Panels

Pattern solar glass:

- Maximizes light transmittance
- Protects solar panel from elements
- Carries limited technology risk or obsolescence



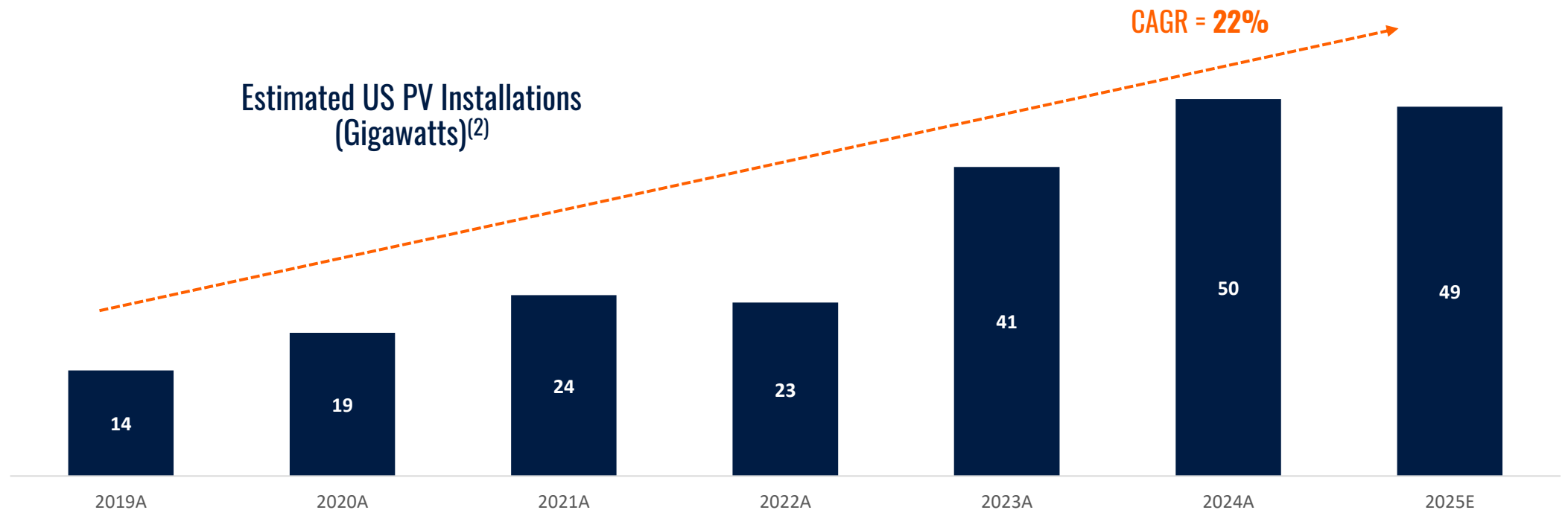


Significant Demand for Solar Panels

In 2024, solar installations accounted for 64% of new utility generation added to the US grid⁽¹⁾

Solar panel **installations** have grown **22%** annually, driven by:

- Cost competitiveness of solar energy relative to traditional sources of energy
- Corporate sustainability commitments
- Decarbonization targets for the electricity grid



1. America's Clean Power Progress 2024 by American Clean Power (ACP) association
2. Solar Energy Industry Association (SEIA) 2024 Year-End Report and Base-Case Forecast



Current Dependence on Asia-Pacific Suppliers

- Domestic solar panel manufacturers are aggressively seeking a local supply of glass
 - No supply of pattern solar glass exists in North America

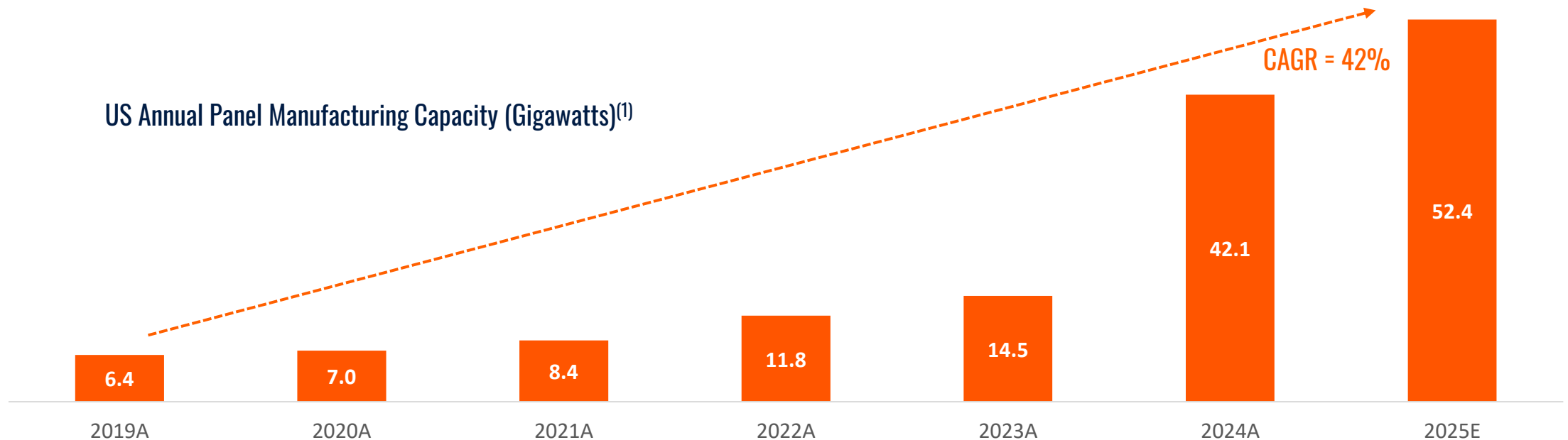




Growth of Domestic Panel Manufacturing

US solar panel manufacturers are now capable of supplying all domestic solar panel needs

- Several global panel manufacturers announced billions of dollars in investments for new facilities in the US
- US panel manufacturing capacity and associated glass demand has increased nearly 9x from 6 GW per year in 2019 to 52 GW in 2025



✓ [Hanwha Solutions \(Qcells\)](#) announced the largest investment in U.S. solar history (US\$2.5B) to build out a sustainable North American solar supply-chain to support growth, targeting over 8GW of solar panel manufacturing.

✓ [Heliene Inc.](#) recently announced further expansion plans for its panel manufacturing operations, having [secured offtakes from notable customers](#) and supporting its panels with [US cell manufacturing](#) in the near future.

✓ [Canadian Solar](#) announced plans for a 5GW cell manufacturing facility in Indiana to support their 5GW panel manufacturing facility in Texas, having [secured offtakes](#) for their new panels.



Market Entry Strategy

Developing two of North America's only pattern solar glass manufacturing facilities

Phase 1 - Brownfield US Strategy

Re-purpose a shuttered glass manufacturing facility in southern US to produce 4GW of solar glass annually

- Utilize existing infrastructure, equipment and buildings to achieve long-term structural capital cost advantage
- Leverage existing federal emissions permits to accelerate project development
- US\$75 million 48C tax credit allocation secured and can be monetized to support project financing
- State and local incentives for the US site secured under letter of intent
- US facility will produce domestic solar glass providing additional incentives to end-users of panels through Inflation Reduction Act compliance
- Potential for joint venture partnership with strategic glass manufacturing partner

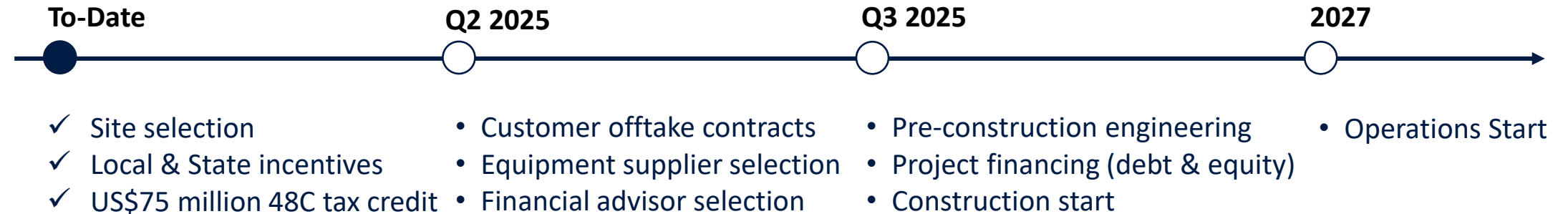


US Brownfield Development

CPS Glass USA - a wholly owned US subsidiary established to advance the brownfield strategy

- Offtake agreements under negotiation with key customers
 - CPS team has deep long-term relationships with major solar panel manufacturers
 - Filling a void in the current domestic supply-chain allows CPS to secure a premium sales price
- Preliminary economic analysis demonstrates strong project economics and attractive equity rate of return
- Project financing strategy advancing through discussions with investment banks and lenders

Achieved and Upcoming Milestones





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Phase 2 – Vertically Integrated Canadian project

Greenfield flagship project in Manitoba, vertically integrated with wholly owned low-iron sand supply to produce 6GW of solar glass annually

- Low-cost Canadian natural gas, hydro-electricity and wholly owned sand resource provide a structural operating cost advantage
- Nearly 100% renewable electricity from Manitoba's electrical grid will enable production of solar glass with a low carbon footprint in North America
- Project will support onshoring of solar glass manufacturing in North America and enhance supply-chain transparency for customers
- Up to C\$272 million in indications of support (30% of capital need) from federal and provincial government programs

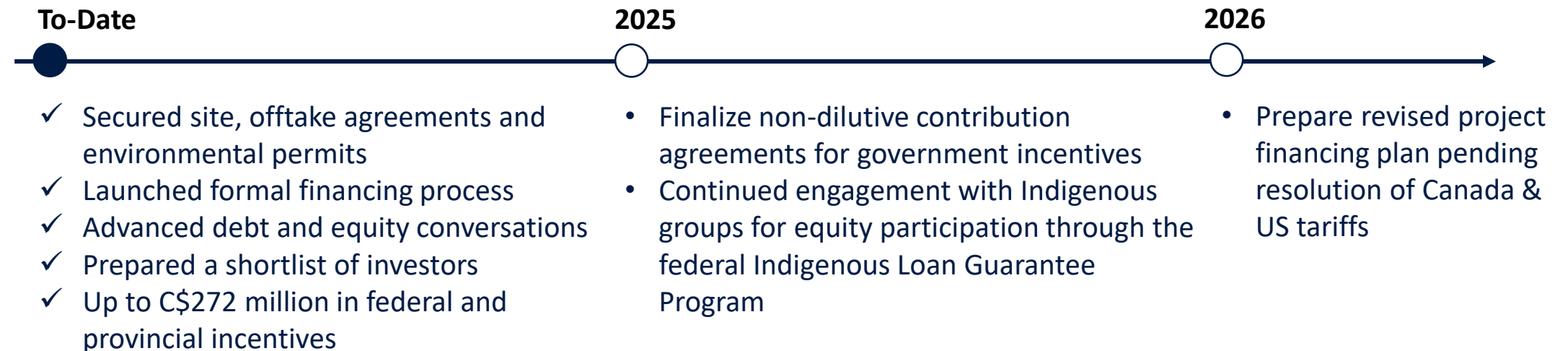


Canadian Facility Development

Project Economics

- Lump-sum turnkey EPC agreement for a total capital cost of C\$880 million, including sand quarry development
- Previously executed offtake agreements indicate 19% unlevered IRR
- Lowest cost solar glass manufacturing operation in North America as a result of low-cost renewable electricity, wholly owned sand supply and western Canadian natural gas supply

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Security of Raw Material Supply

Wholly owned low-iron sand deposit supports development of two glass manufacturing facilities

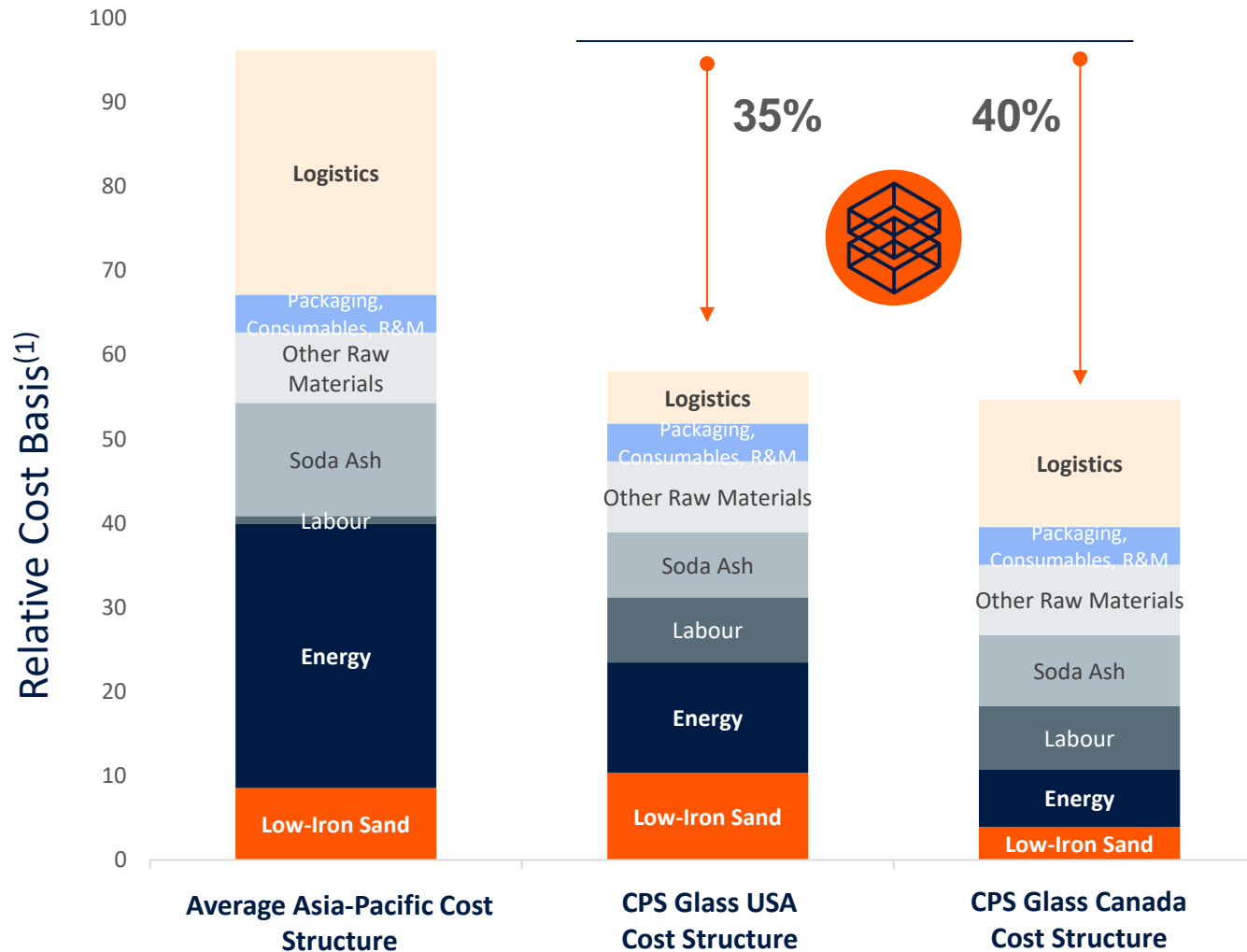


Rare high quality silica sand resource

- ✓ 7.25 million tonnes of inferred resource
- ✓ Meets industry requirement for <100 parts per million (ppm) iron oxide content
- ✓ Some areas of low-iron resource tested as low as 39ppm for iron oxide content
- ✓ Provides security of supply and cost certainty for key raw material input
- ✓ Low-cost operation with minimal overburden and processing
- ✓ Participation Agreement in place with First Nation community



Structural Cost Advantage



35% - 40% cost advantage⁽²⁾

- **Logistics:** Significantly lower logistics cost due to proximity to customers vs. Asia-Pacific
- **Soda Ash:** Lower cost supply of soda ash in North America
- **Energy:** Inexpensive and lower carbon electric energy supply and natural gas
- **Low-Iron Sand:** Wholly owned supply of high-purity solar spec sand for Canadian facility and 3rd party supply for US facility to start

1. Cost comparison is based on commodity futures for LNG and current ocean freight cost from Asia-Pacific

2. Implementation of US tariffs significantly boosts CPS Glass USA economics relative to Asia-Pacific and Canadian supply



Long-Term Growth Strategy

US brownfield strategy is a first step towards establishing CPS as the preferred solar glass supplier

US solar panel manufacturing has reached a turning point with 52 GW of annual capacity driving significant focus and capital towards onshoring of the solar supply-chain

- Our US project with 4GW of domestic glass supply enables a capital efficient market entry and establishes CPS as a reliable supplier to our customer-base
- Once operational, the US project will demonstrate operational capabilities and facilitate long-term offtake contracts to support development of CPS flagship Canadian facility
- CPS wholly owned sand resource can supply multiple facilities for decades

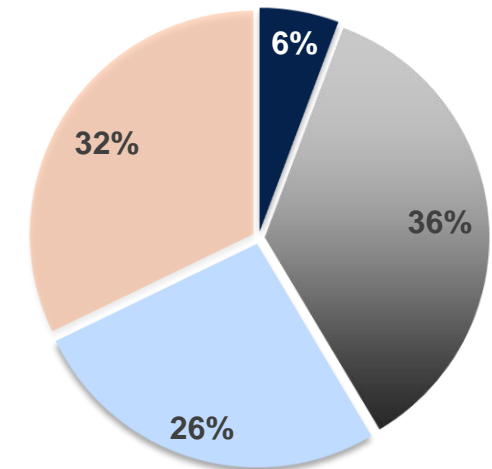
Both facilities when operational would displace less than 20% of Asia-Pacific imports



Corporate Overview

Capitalization

		Current
Share price (January 31, 2025)	(\$/share)	\$0.335
Common shares outstanding	(MM)	92.6
Market capitalization (basic)	(\$MM)	\$31.0
Net cash outstanding		
Cash and equivalents (December 31, 2024)	(\$MM)	\$3.7
Less: 12.0% convertible debentures (due February 26, 2026)	(\$MM)	-\$3.4
Net cash	(\$MM)	\$0.3
Enterprise value	(\$MM)	\$31.3



- Management & Directors
- Paramount Resources & Strategic Investors
- Institutional Investors
- Retail Shareholders

Management Team

- Glenn Leroux, P.Eng**
President & CEO, Director
- Isha Kular, CPA, CA, MPAcc**
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- Dana Partridge, BSc., JD**
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- Anshul Vishal, P. Eng, MBA**
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Vice President, Project Engineering

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