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Key Themes

Achievement of Significant Scale

- Full-year 2016 Adjusted EBITDA of over \$1 Billion

Significant Delaware Basin Build-Out

- 2017 WES capital program will be largest in history
- Positioning for longer term performance

Additional Financial Flexibility

- Full Conversion of Series A Preferred units in 2017
- Deferral of Class C unit conversion date to March 1, 2020

Benefits of Increased Sponsor Focus

- APC's Eagleford and Marcellus divestitures expected to result in increased activity behind those systems
- Additional APC capital focused on Delaware and DJ Basins



Strong 2016 Performance

<i>(\$ in Millions)</i>	Original Guidance¹	Updated Guidance²	2016 Actual
Adjusted EBITDA	\$860 - \$950	\$980 - \$1,000	\$1,028
Total Capex	\$450 - \$490	\$490 - \$530	\$486
Maintenance Capex as % of EBITDA	7% - 10%	6% - 8%	6%
Coverage Ratio	At least 1.1x	NA	1.29x
WES Distribution Growth	10%	10%	10%
WGP Distribution Growth	20%	19%	19%

1) Provided during the fourth-quarter and full-year 2015 earnings conference call

2) Provided during the third-quarter 2016 earnings conference call



4Q16 vs 3Q16 Financial Performance

<i>(\$ in Millions)</i>	4Q16	3Q16
Adjusted EBITDA	\$268.4	\$278.2 ¹
Total Capex	\$135.0	\$93.0
Maintenance Capex	\$8.3	\$15.3
Maintenance Capex as % of Adj. EBITDA	3%	6%
Distributable Cash Flow	\$223.8	\$237.3 ¹
Coverage Ratio	1.31x	\$1.42x

1) Includes Business Interruption insurance proceeds received during quarter of \$13.7 million

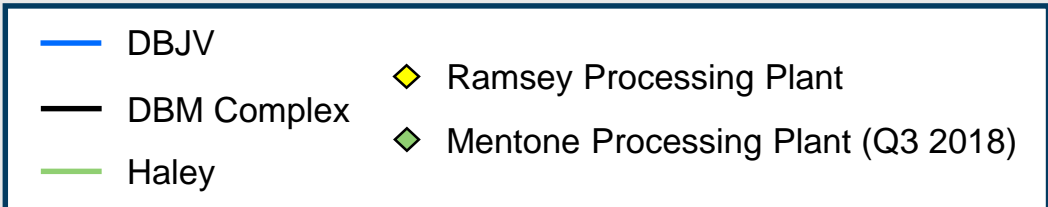
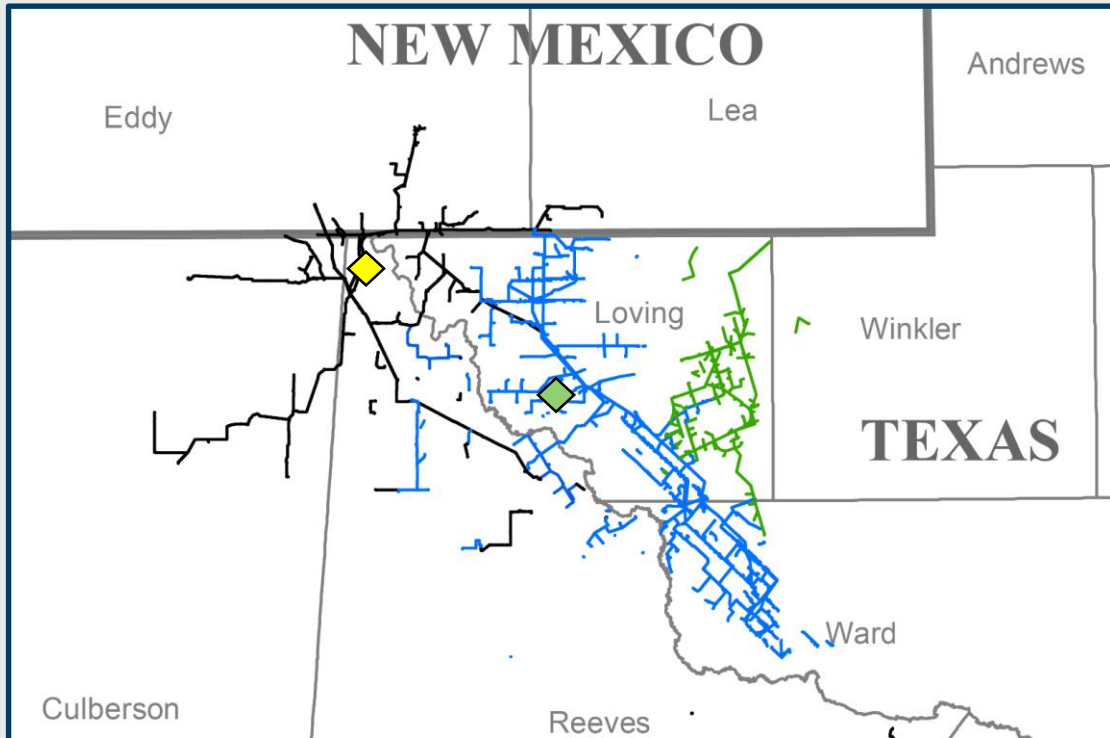


4Q16 vs 3Q16 Operational Performance

<i>(\$ in Millions)</i>	4Q16	3Q16	Key Drivers
Natural Gas Throughput (Bcf/d)	4.04	4.07	Hugoton divestiture; DJ and DBM Growth offset by Marcellus decline
Crude & NGL Throughput (MBbl/d)	181	185	Growth at MB Fracs offset by Springfield decline
Adjusted Gross Margin for Natural Gas Assets (\$/Mcf)	\$0.85	\$0.82	DBM and DJ Basin growth
Adjusted Gross Margin for Crude & NGL Assets (\$/Bbl)	\$2.15	\$2.20	Normalized Mont Belvieu distribution

DBJV/Marcellus Asset Swap

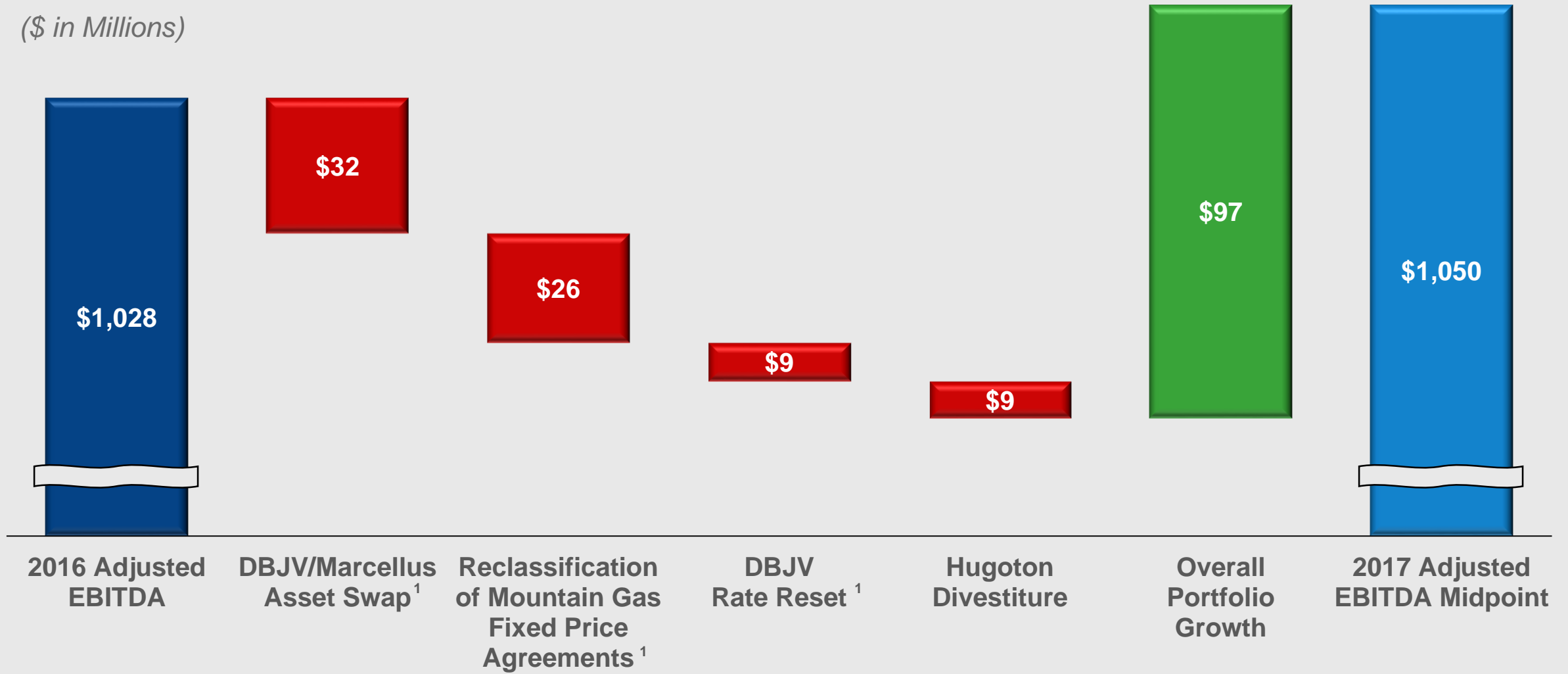
Acquisition of 50% interest in the assets of Delaware Basin JV Gathering System



- **Asset swap with Williams Partners L.P. for:**
 - 33.75% Non-Operated Marcellus Interest and \$155 million cash
 - WES retains interest in system currently operated by Anadarko
- **Expected to close in March 2017**
- **Strategic highlights:**
 - Consolidates ownership of DBJV and enables creation of integrated gathering and processing footprint
 - Positions WES to aggressively support rapidly accelerating activity from Anadarko and other producers
 - Attractive cost-of-service contract through 2025
 - DBJV owns 577 miles of gathering lines supporting Tier 1 acreage in the Delaware Basin

2016 vs. 2017 Reconciliation

(\$ in Millions)

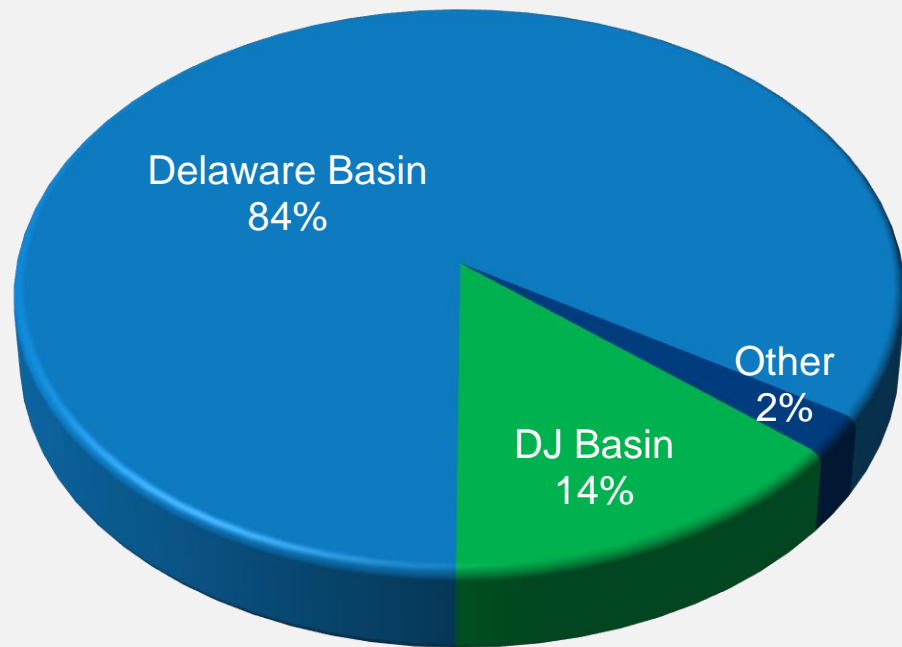


1) Projected 2017 Adjusted EBITDA impact



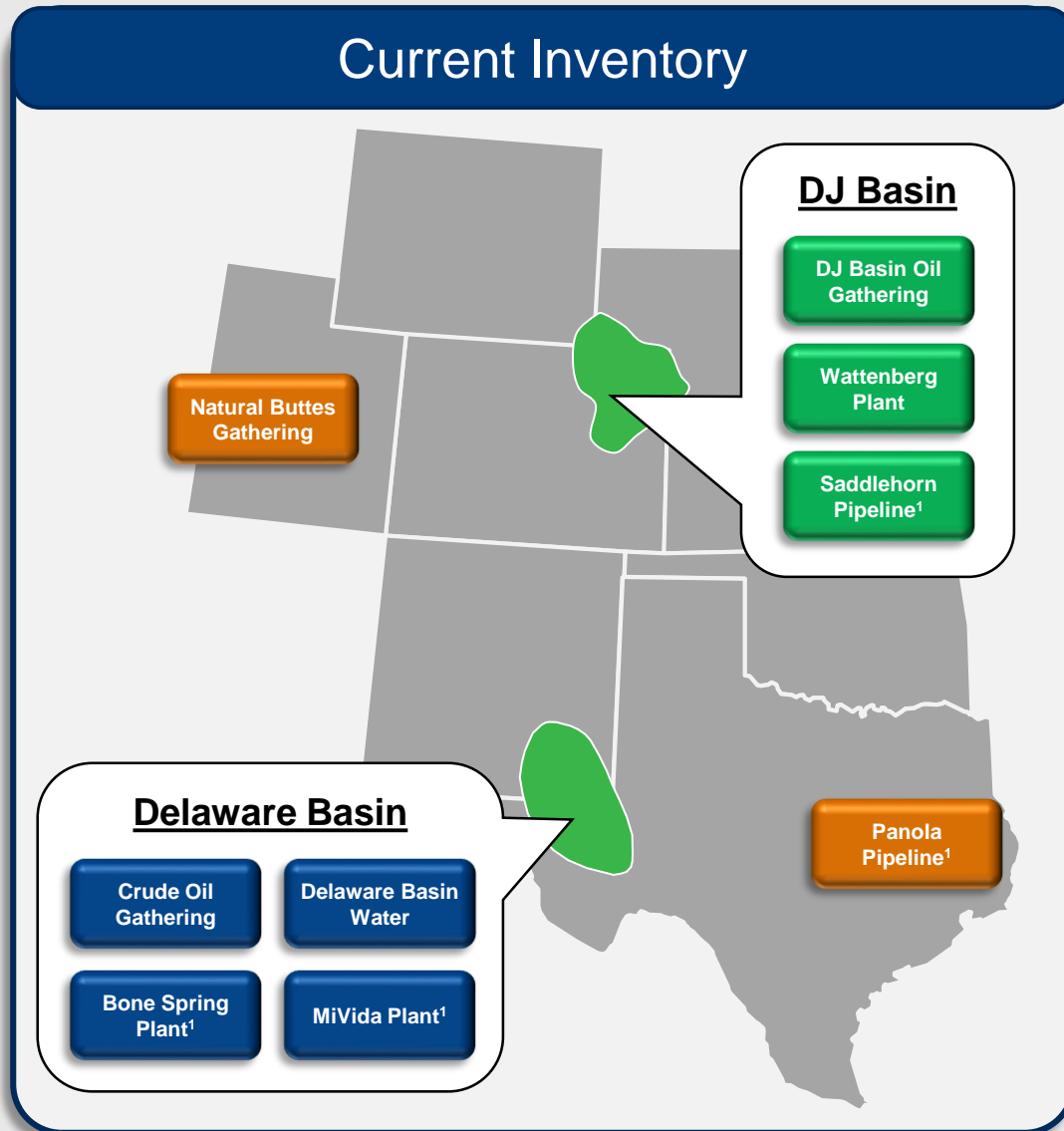
2017 Major Projects & Capital Budget

2017E Capital: \$900 Million to \$1 Billion



- **Focused on Delaware and DJ Basins**
- **Sanctioning of Mentone Trains I & II in Delaware Basin**
 - Mentone I: 200 MMcf/d in-service in Q318
 - Mentone II: 200 MMcf/d in-service in Q418
- **Assumes DBJV transaction closing March 2017**
- **Completion of two produced water gathering and disposal systems**

High-Quality Dropdown Inventory



- **Extremely attractive locations**
 - Over 80% of cash flow from Delaware and DJ Basin assets
- **Significant anticipated growth**
 - \$150 to \$200 million of run-rate EBITDA same as 2016, *despite* APC Marcellus divestiture (~\$40 million EBITDA)
- **Substantial Anadarko investment**
 - 2017E APC midstream capital expenditures of \$600 to \$700 million
 - ~60% directed towards crude oil gathering in Delaware and DJ Basins
 - ~40% directed towards Delaware Basin produced water infrastructure

1) Anadarko owns a non-operated interest

2017 Outlook

<i>(\$ in Millions)</i>	Full-Year 2017
WES Adjusted EBITDA	\$1,000 - \$1,100
WES Total Capital Expenditures	\$900 - \$1,000
WES Maintenance Capital Expenditures	\$60 - \$80
WES 2017 & 2018 Annual Distribution Growth	7% - 9%
WGP 2017 & 2018 Annual Distribution Growth	12% - 18%

Increased financial flexibility:

- Full conversion of 8.5% Series A Preferred units in 2017
- Deferral of Class C unit conversion date to March 1, 2020



Appendix



WES Non-GAAP Reconciliation

“Adjusted EBITDA”

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<i>thousands</i>	Three Months Ended December 31,		Year Ended December 31,	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Reconciliation of Net income (loss) attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP to Adjusted EBITDA attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP				
Net income (loss) attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP	\$ 143,004	\$ (155,881)	\$ 591,331	\$ 4,106
Add:				
Distributions from equity investments	27,160	25,244	103,423	98,298
Non-cash equity-based compensation expense	1,573	979	5,591	4,402
Interest expense	39,234	31,535	114,921	113,872
Income tax expense	941	8,372	8,372	45,532
Depreciation and amortization ⁽¹⁾	72,633	67,059	270,311	270,004
Impairments	4,222	238,879	15,535	515,458
Other expense ⁽¹⁾	128	1,290	224	1,290
Less:				
Gain (loss) on divestiture and other, net	(5,872)	(20,224)	(14,641)	57,024
Equity income, net – affiliates	21,916	12,114	78,717	71,251
Interest income – affiliates	4,225	4,225	16,900	16,900
Other income ⁽¹⁾	252	—	524	219
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP	\$ 268,374	\$ 221,362	\$ 1,028,208	\$ 907,568

1) Includes WES’s 75% share of depreciation and amortization; other expense; and other income attributable to Chipeta.



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<i>thousands</i>	Three Months Ended December 31,		Year Ended December 31,	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Reconciliation of Net cash provided by operating activities to Adjusted EBITDA attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP				
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	\$ 259,847	\$ 188,752	\$ 917,585	\$ 785,645
Interest (income) expense, net	35,009	27,310	98,021	96,972
Uncontributed cash-based compensation awards	408	48	856	214
Accretion and amortization of long-term obligations, net	(5,387)	(5,402)	3,789	(17,698)
Current income tax (benefit) expense	707	7,022	5,817	34,186
Other (income) expense, net	(255)	846	(479)	619
Distributions from equity investments in excess of cumulative earnings – affiliates	4,646	3,835	21,238	16,244
Changes in operating working capital:				
Accounts receivable, net	7,839	(14,246)	48,947	4,371
Accounts and imbalance payables and accrued liabilities, net	(34,256)	16,689	(58,359)	(1,006)
Other	2,922	(966)	4,367	720
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to noncontrolling interest	(3,106)	(2,526)	(13,574)	(12,699)
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP	\$ 268,374	\$ 221,362	\$ 1,028,208	\$ 907,568
Cash flow information of Western Gas Partners, LP				
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities			\$ 917,585	\$ 785,645
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities			(1,105,534)	(500,277)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities			447,841	(254,389)



WES Non-GAAP Reconciliation

“Distributable Cash Flow”

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<i>thousands except Coverage ratio</i>	Three Months Ended December 31,		Year Ended December 31,	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Reconciliation of Net income (loss) attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP to Distributable cash flow and calculation of the Coverage ratio				
Net income (loss) attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP	\$ 143,004	\$ (155,881)	\$ 591,331	\$ 4,106
Add:				
Distributions from equity investments	27,160	25,244	103,423	98,298
Non-cash equity-based compensation expense	1,573	979	5,591	4,402
Non-cash settled - interest expense, net ⁽¹⁾	4,350	4,480	(7,747)	14,400
Income tax (benefit) expense	941	8,372	8,372	45,532
Depreciation and amortization ⁽²⁾	72,633	67,059	270,311	270,004
Impairments	4,222	238,879	15,535	515,458
Above-market component of swap extensions with Anadarko	11,038	10,533	45,820	18,449
Other expense ⁽²⁾	128	1,290	224	1,290
Less:				
Gain (loss) on divestiture and other, net	(5,872)	(20,224)	(14,641)	57,024
Equity income, net – affiliates	21,916	12,114	78,717	71,251
Cash paid for maintenance capital expenditures ⁽²⁾	8,342	13,073	63,630	53,882
Capitalized interest	888	1,492	5,562	8,318
Cash paid for (reimbursement of) income taxes	771	—	838	(138)
Series A Preferred unit distributions	14,908	—	45,784	—
Other income ⁽²⁾	252	—	524	219
Distributable cash flow	\$ 223,844	\$ 194,500	\$ 852,446	\$ 781,383
Distributions declared ⁽³⁾				
Limited partners – common units	\$ 112,378		\$ 437,747	
General partner	58,279		221,384	
Total	\$ 170,657		\$ 659,131	
Coverage ratio	1.31 x		1.29 x	

1) Includes accretion revisions related to the Deferred purchase price obligation – Anadarko.

2) Includes WES’s 75% share of depreciation and amortization; other expense; cash paid for maintenance capital expenditures; and other income attributable to Chipeta.

3) Reflects cash distributions of \$0.860 and \$3.350 per unit declared for the three months and year ended December 31, 2016, respectively.



WES Non-GAAP Reconciliation

“Adjusted Gross Margin Attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP”

WES defines Adjusted gross margin as total revenues and other, less cost of product and reimbursements for electricity-related expenses recorded as revenue, plus distributions from equity investments and excluding the noncontrolling interest owner’s proportionate share of revenue and cost of product.

<i>thousands</i>	Three Months Ended December 31,		Year Ended December 31,	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Reconciliation of Operating income (loss) to Adjusted gross margin attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP				
Operating income (loss)	\$ 181,155	\$ (117,482)	\$ 708,208	\$ 157,330
Add:				
Distributions from equity investments	27,160	25,244	103,423	98,298
Operation and maintenance	81,869	89,228	308,010	331,972
General and administrative	12,049	10,687	45,591	41,319
Property and other taxes	7,047	5,380	40,145	33,288
Depreciation and amortization	73,287	67,715	272,933	272,611
Impairments	4,222	238,879	15,535	515,458
Less:				
Gain (loss) on divestiture and other, net	(5,872)	(20,224)	(14,641)	57,024
Proceeds from business interruption insurance claims	—	—	16,270	—
Equity income, net – affiliates	21,916	12,114	78,717	71,251
Reimbursed electricity-related charges recorded as revenues	14,026	13,752	59,733	54,175
Adjusted gross margin attributable to noncontrolling interest	3,735	3,557	16,323	16,779
Adjusted gross margin attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP	\$ 352,984	\$ 310,452	\$ 1,337,443	\$ 1,251,047
Adjusted gross margin attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP for natural gas assets	\$ 317,294	\$ 277,342	\$ 1,194,877	\$ 1,119,555
Adjusted gross margin for crude/NGL assets	35,690	33,110	142,566	131,492



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<i>thousands</i>	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Reconciliation of Net income (loss) attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP to Adjusted EBITDA attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP				
Net income (loss) attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP	\$ 167,746	\$ 184,137	\$ 448,327	\$ 159,987
Add:				
Distributions from equity investees	27,133	25,482	76,263	73,054
Non-cash equity-based compensation expense	1,469	1,148	4,018	3,423
Interest expense	30,768	31,773	75,687	82,337
Income tax expense	472	12,644	7,431	37,160
Depreciation and amortization ⁽¹⁾	66,589	66,714	197,678	202,945
Impairments	2,392	2,335	11,313	276,579
Other expense ⁽¹⁾	40	—	96	—
Less:				
Gain (loss) on divestiture and other, net	(6,230)	77,254	(8,769)	77,248
Equity income, net – affiliates	20,294	21,976	56,801	59,137
Interest income – affiliates	4,225	4,225	12,675	12,675
Other income ⁽¹⁾	150	82	272	219
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP	\$ 278,170	\$ 220,696	\$ 759,834	\$ 686,206

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Reconciliation of Net cash provided by operating activities to Adjusted EBITDA attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP				
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	\$ 263,872	\$ 224,572	\$ 657,738	\$ 596,893
Interest (income) expense, net	26,543	27,548	63,012	69,662
Uncontributed cash-based compensation awards	290	21	448	166
Accretion and amortization of long-term obligations, net	121	(5,226)	9,176	(12,296)
Current income tax (benefit) expense	131	9,030	5,110	27,164
Other (income) expense, net	(153)	(85)	(224)	(227)
Distributions from equity investments in excess of cumulative earnings – affiliates	5,981	3,871	16,592	12,409
Changes in operating working capital:				
Accounts receivable, net	7,866	(22,741)	41,108	18,617
Accounts and imbalance payables and accrued liabilities, net	(26,330)	(13,288)	(24,103)	(17,695)
Other	3,184	(168)	1,445	1,686
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to noncontrolling interest	(3,335)	(2,838)	(10,468)	(10,173)
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP	\$ 278,170	\$ 220,696	\$ 759,834	\$ 686,206
Cash flow information of Western Gas Partners, LP				
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities			\$ 657,738	\$ 596,893
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities			(1,040,692)	(368,651)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities			429,368	(222,096)



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Interest expense, net (non-cash settled) ⁽¹⁾	(1,173)	4,310	(12,097)	9,920
Income tax (benefit) expense	472	12,644	7,431	37,160
Depreciation and amortization ⁽²⁾	66,589	66,714	197,678	202,945
Impairments	2,392	2,335	11,313	276,579
Above-market component of swap extensions with Anadarko	18,417	7,916	34,782	7,916
Other expense ⁽²⁾	40	—	96	—
Less:				
Gain (loss) on divestiture and other, net	(6,230)	77,254	(8,769)	77,248
Equity income, net – affiliates	20,294	21,976	56,801	59,137
Cash paid for maintenance capital expenditures ⁽²⁾	15,306	14,704	55,288	40,809
Capitalized interest	1,343	1,039	4,674	6,826
Cash paid for (reimbursement of) income taxes	—	—	67	(138)
Series A Preferred unit distributions	14,907	—	30,876	—
Other income ⁽²⁾	150	82	272	219
Distributable cash flow	\$ 237,315	\$ 189,631	\$ 628,602	\$ 586,883
Distributions declared ⁽³⁾				
Limited partners – common units	\$ 110,418		\$ 325,369	
General partner	56,324		163,105	
Total	\$ 166,742		\$ 488,474	
Coverage ratio	1.42	x	1.29	x

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Operating income (loss)	\$ 197,288	\$ 226,432	\$ 527,053	\$ 274,812
Add:				
Distributions from equity investees	27,133	25,482	76,263	73,054
Operation and maintenance	74,755	88,722	226,141	242,744
General and administrative	11,382	10,143	33,542	30,632
Property and other taxes	10,670	9,042	33,098	27,908
Depreciation and amortization	67,246	67,367	199,646	204,896
Impairments	2,392	2,335	11,313	276,579
Less:				
Gain (loss) on divestiture and other, net	(6,230)	77,254	(8,769)	77,248
Proceeds from business interruption insurance claims	13,667	—	16,270	—
Equity income, net – affiliates	20,294	21,976	56,801	59,137
Reimbursed electricity-related charges recorded as revenues	15,170	15,392	45,707	40,423
Adjusted gross margin attributable to noncontrolling interest	3,984	3,753	12,588	13,222
Adjusted gross margin attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP	\$ 343,981	\$ 311,148	\$ 984,459	\$ 940,595
Adjusted gross margin attributable to Western Gas Partners, LP for natural gas assets	\$ 306,393	\$ 277,407	\$ 877,583	\$ 842,213
Adjusted gross margin for crude/NGL assets	37,588	33,741	106,876	98,382

