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Non-GAAP financial measures

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Key takeaways of the first quarter

Valener:

- Net income, on a recurring basis⁽¹⁾, up \$4.1 million over first quarter of last year
- Dividends of \$9.4 million paid to common shareholders

Gaz Métro:

- Net income, on a recurring basis⁽²⁾, up \$12.5 million over first quarter of last year
- \$6.3 million increase in net income from energy distribution activities in Vermont following acquisition of CVPS
- 5.9% increase in industrial natural gas deliveries in Quebec
- \$14.7 million net gain realized on sale of stake in HydroSolution (cash consideration of \$44.4 million)

Seigneurie de Beauré wind farm projects:

- Environmental authorization for Seigneurie de Beauré 4 wind farm project (installed capacity of 68 MW)

⁽¹⁾ Net income attributable to the common shareholders, excluding the share in the non-recurring items of Gaz Métro, net of income taxes.

⁽²⁾ Net income attributable to Gaz Métro's Partners, excluding non-recurring items.

Please refer to Non-GAAP measures in sections A and J of MD&A.

Valener's quarterly dividends

Amount per share	Record Date	Paid/Payable	Discount under DRIP
Dividend on common shares			
\$0.25	September 28, 2012	October 15, 2012	5% on new shares issued
\$0.25	December 31, 2012	January 15, 2013	5% on new shares issued
\$0.25	March 28, 2013	April 15, 2013	5% on new shares issued
Dividend on Series A preferred shares			
\$0.39031 ⁽¹⁾	October 12, 2012	October 15, 2012	Not applicable
\$0.271875	January 9, 2013	January 15, 2013	Not applicable
\$0.271875	April 9, 2013	April 15, 2013	Not applicable

⁽¹⁾ Covering period from June 6, 2012 to October 15, 2012

Update on regulatory matters in Quebec

Subject	Details	Implications
2013 rate case	Phase II filed on December 14, 2012: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cost of service (no incentive) • Request for suspension of automatic adjustment formula for ROE determination • Requested ROE of 9.3% • Overearnings/shortfalls sharing mechanism proposal for fiscal 2013 	Hearings to be held in coming months
	Procedural decision issued by the Régie on January 14, 2013 suggesting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Suspension of automatic adjustment formula • ROE of 8.9% (same as fiscal 2012) 	Hearings to be held in February
Incentive mechanism	New proposal filed on November 30, 2012 Applicable for 5 years starting in fiscal 2014	Hearings to be held in coming months

Update on growth initiatives in Quebec

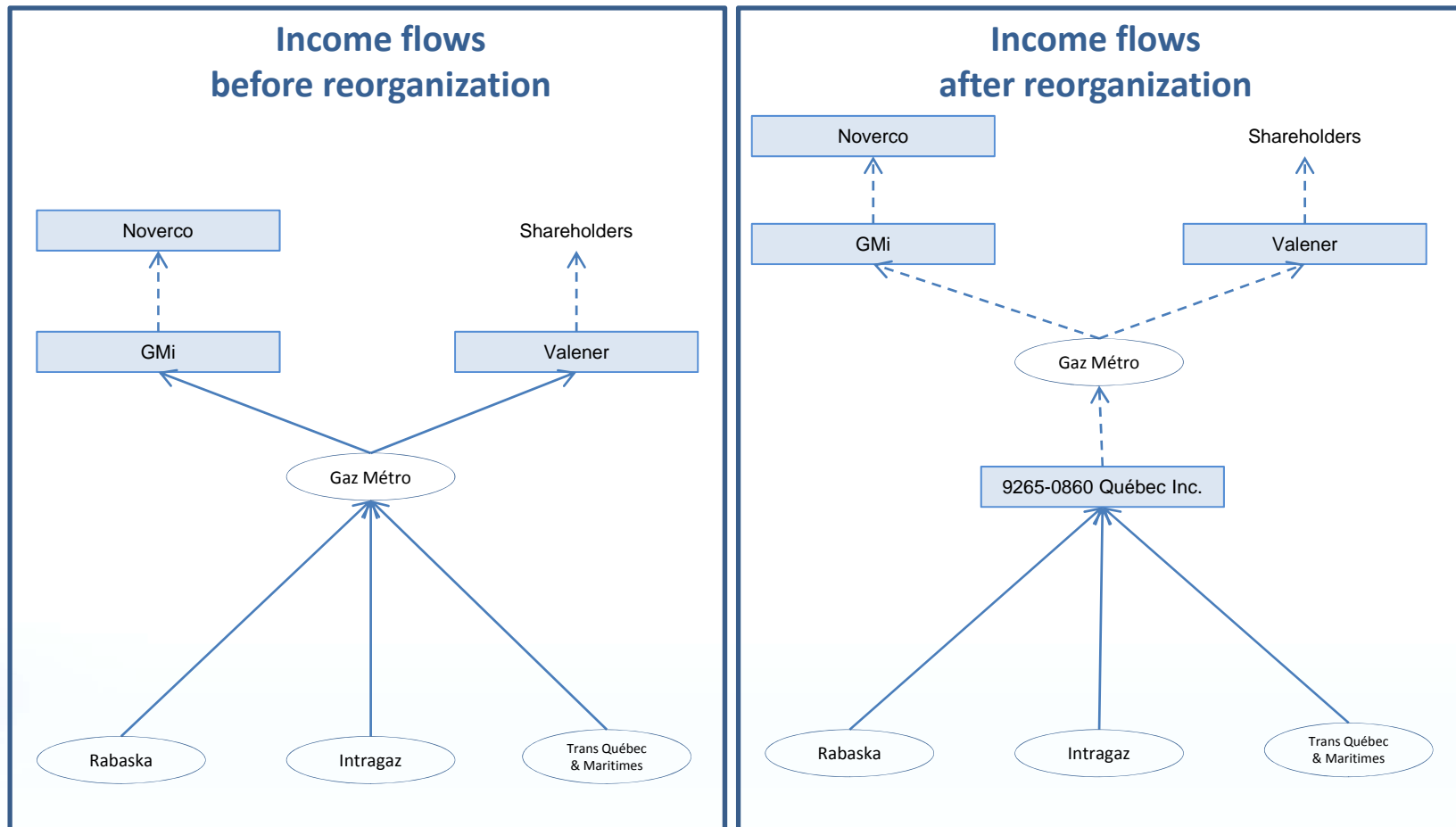
Subject	Details	Implications
Service to Côte-Nord region	Government of Quebec and Gaz Métro diligently performing required feasibility studies	Studies underway and conclusions expected by March 31, 2013
Biomethanation	Investment project to receive biomethane produced by City of Saint-Hyacinthe filed with Régie on September 28, 2012	Hearings held on January 30 and 31, 2013
Seigneurie de Beaupré projects 2 & 3 (272 MW)	Construction site closed for winter on December 21, 2012 Expected to resume in spring 2013	Scheduled for commissioning in December 2013
Seigneurie de Beaupré project 4 (68MW)	Receipt of decree from government of Quebec authorizing project on January 22, 2013	Next steps : application for construction permits, signature of final agreements with Enercon and financing arrangements, among others Scheduled for commissioning in December 2014

Update on growth initiatives in Vermont

Project	Details	Implications
GMP-CVPS merger	Single entity formed on October 1 st , 2012	2012-2013 rate application filed and approved by VPSB Rate decrease of 0.4% as a result of synergy sharing
VGS system development project	Extension into Addison County to serve the communities of Vergennes and Middlebury	Filing for regulatory approval on December 20, 2012 Construction work expected to begin in 2014, if approved
	Expansion of Addison County's extension following agreement to supply natural gas to International Paper mill under long-term contract starting at end of 2015	Filing expected in 2013
Overall ≈ US\$100 million investments, if approved		

Tax impact of legislative measure

Creation of 9265-0860 Québec Inc.



Overview of Valener's results on a recurring basis⁽¹⁾

(in millions of dollars, except for per share data, in dollars)

	3 months ended December 31		Variance
	2012	2011	
Net income attributable to common shareholders	14.3	10.2	4.1
Basic and diluted net income per common share	\$0.38	\$0.27	\$0.11

⁽¹⁾ Excluding the share in non-recurring items of Gaz Métro, net of income taxes. Please refer to Non-GAAP measures in sections A and J of MD&A.

Overview of Valener's cash flows

(in millions of dollars)

	3 months ended December 31		Variance
	2012	2011	
Cash flows related to operating activities	10.5	(4.3)	14.8
Change in non-cash working capital items	4.1	(10.8)	14.9
Distributions received from Gaz Métro	13.3	11.9	1.4
Investments:			
Beaupré Éole and Beaupré Éole 4	0.5	39.2	(38.7)
Other	0.1	-	0.1
	0.6	39.2	(38.6)
Dividends paid			
Common shares	8.7	8.8	(0.1)
Preferred shares	1.6	-	1.6
	10.3	8.8	1.5
Financing needs	0.4	52.3	(51.9)
Covered mainly by:			
Credit facility	0.5	44.8	

Overview of Gaz Métro's results

(in millions of dollars, except for per unit data, in dollars)

	3 months ended December 31		Variance
	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	
Net income attributable to Gaz Métro's Partners, on a recurring basis ⁽¹⁾	67.8	55.3	12.5
Net income attributable to Gaz Métro's Partners	82.5	54.8	27.7
Cash flows related to operating activities	66.9	80.2	(13.3)
Distributable cash	(24.3)	8.4	(32.7)
Distributions to Partners	40.2	35.4	4.8
Investments in development activities	62.0	84.8	(22.8)
Financing needs	126.5	111.8	14.7

⁽¹⁾ Excluding impact of non-recurring items. Please refer to Non-GAAP measures in sections A and J of MD&A.

Gaz Métro's distributable cash

First quarter variance - fiscal 2013 vs. fiscal 2012



\$32.7M in distributable cash mainly due to:

\$34.1M

Change in non-cash working capital items

\$8.5M

Change in deferred charges and credits due mainly to charges relating to project to serve Côte-Nord region

Partly offset by:

\$7.5M

Change in rate stabilization accounts due mainly to temperatures closer to normal than in first quarter of fiscal 2012

Gaz Métro's financing needs for first quarter of fiscal 2013

Financing needs: \$126.5M

Mainly for:

- Investments in wind projects in Quebec and Vermont
- Development of distribution system in Quebec and Vermont

Covered by:

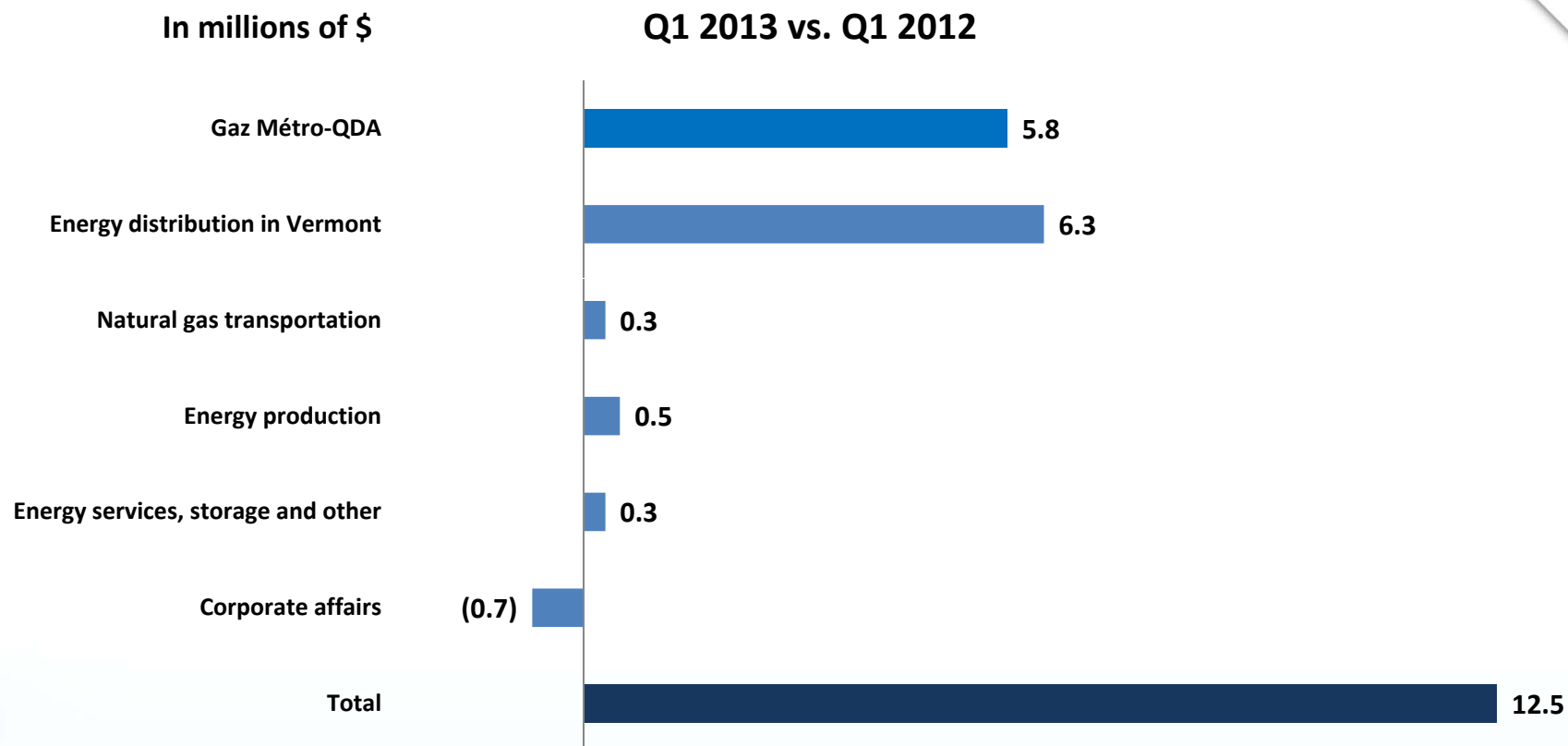
- \$51.4 M net increase in term credit facility
- \$77.1 M net increase in long term debt (US\$85M First Mortgage Bonds issued by Green Mountain Power)

Gaz Metro's business segments reclassification

Business Segments	
As of September 30, 2012	As of December 31, 2012
Energy distribution	Energy distribution
Natural gas transportation	Natural gas transportation
Natural gas storage <i>Intragaz</i>	Energy production⁽¹⁾ <i>Wind projects 2 and 3</i> <i>Wind project 4</i>
Energy Services and other <i>Gaz Métro Plus</i> <i>Servitech</i> <i>CCUM</i> <i>Transport Solutions</i> <i>HydroSolution (sold)</i>	Energy services, storage and other <i>Gaz Métro Plus</i> <i>Servitech</i> <i>CCUM</i> <i>Transport Solutions</i> <i>Intragaz</i>
Corporate affairs and other <i>Wind projects 2 and 3</i> <i>Wind project 4</i>	Corporate affairs

(1) The Energy production segment consists of non-regulated energy production activities related to the wind farm construction projects located on the private lands of Seigneurie de Beaupré. The Energy production segment's revenues were nil as at December 31, 2012 and 2011 because the wind power projects are under construction and therefore have not yet begun to generate revenue.

Gaz Métro's recurring net income⁽¹⁾ variance



⁽¹⁾ Net income attributable to Gaz Métro's Partners excluding non-recurring items. Please refer to Non-GAAP measures in sections A and J of MD&A.

Gaz Métro-QDA

Billing and revenue parameters

Parameters	Fiscal Year 2012	Q1 2013
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Interim rates in Q1 2013 same as in Fiscal Year 2012, pending Régie's decision on 2013 rate case

BILLING parameters	Return on equity	9.69% Including productivity gains	9.69% Including productivity gains
	Cost of Service	2012	2012


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Revenue recognition in Q1 2013 based on ROE of 8.90% in accordance with Régie's January 14, 2013 procedural decision. In addition, Q1 2013 revenues also reflect the cost-of-service parameters included in the 2013 rate case.

REVENUE parameters	Return on equity	9.69% Including productivity gains	8.90% No productivity gains
	Cost of Service	2012	2013

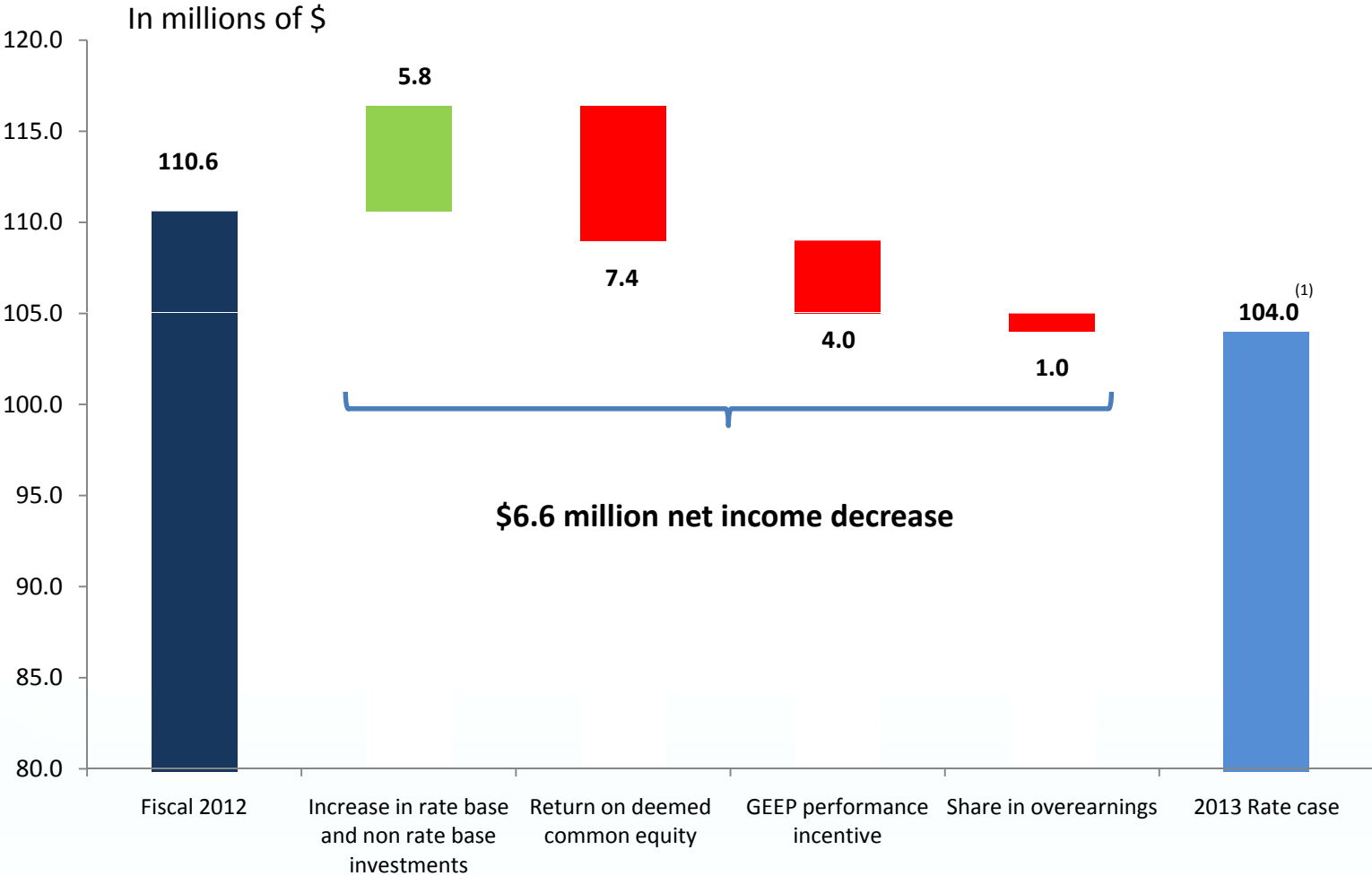
\$12.4M difference was recorded in a deferral account

Recurring net income⁽¹⁾ variance by segment

Segment	Quarterly variance	Drivers
Gaz Métro-QDA	 \$5.8M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Timing difference between revenue recognition profile and that of costs (\$2.9 million) Expected to reverse in next quarters of current fiscal year • Closer-to-normal temperatures in first quarter of fiscal 2013 as opposed to much warmer than normal temperatures in first quarter of 2012 which had resulted in revenue shortfall and higher load-balancing and transportation costs • Higher deliveries to industrial market compared to 2013 rate case (\$1.2 million) <p>Mitigated by unfavourable impact of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decrease in ROE and • Decrease in revenues related to GEEP performance incentive

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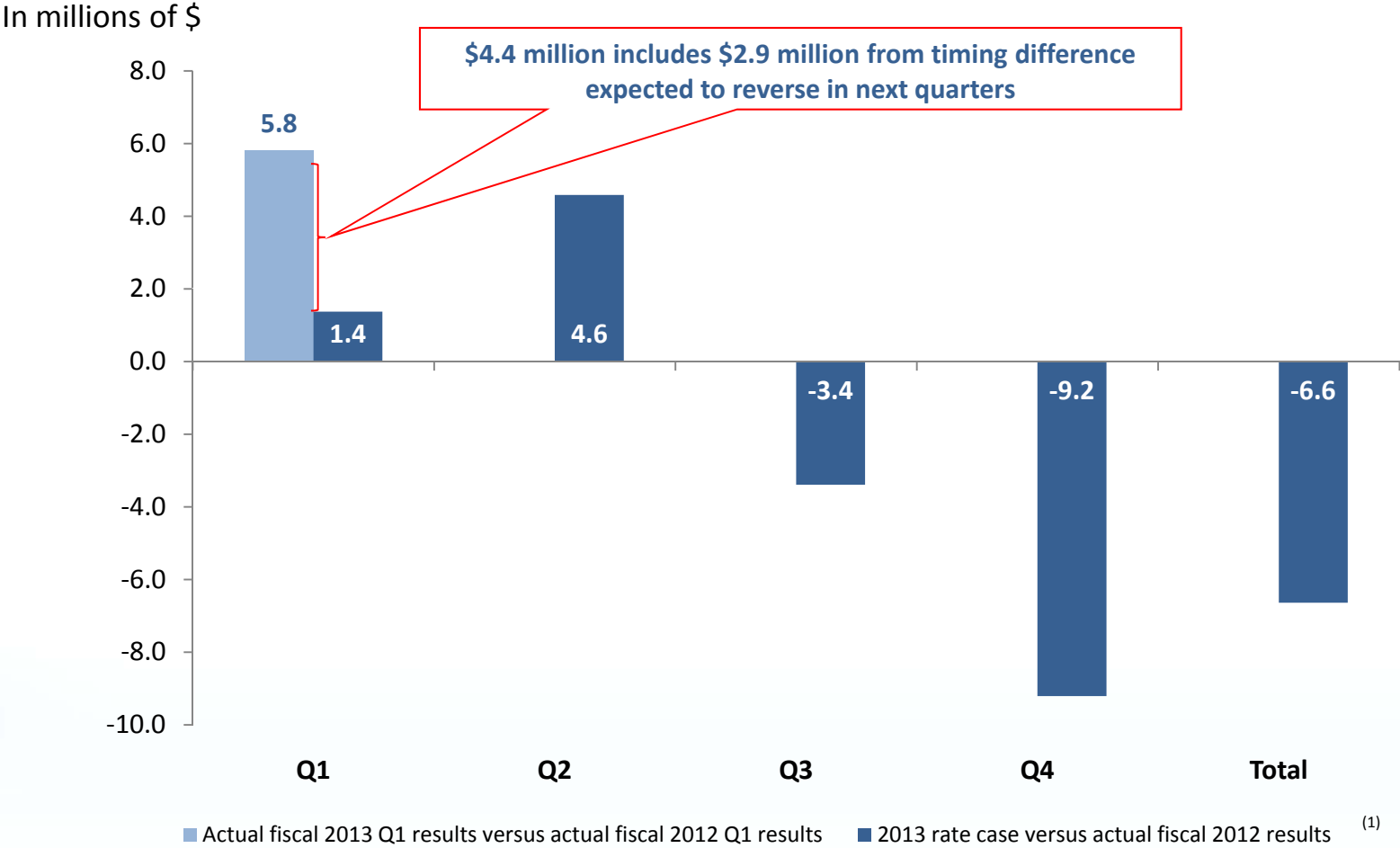
Gaz Métro-QDA Outlook for net income



⁽¹⁾ 2013 rate case based on ROE of 8.90% and cost of service as filed



Gaz Métro-QDA

Net income variation – quarterly breakdown



⁽¹⁾ 2013 rate case based on ROE of 8.90% and cost of service as filed

Recurring net income⁽¹⁾ variance by segment

Segment	Quarterly variance	Drivers
Energy distribution in Vermont	 \$6.3M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Higher net income of Green Mountain Power from CVPS acquisition mitigated by \$1.2 million costs incurred due to Hurricane Sandy, net of portion recoverable through profit and loss sharing mechanism
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase in share in earnings of entities subject to significant influence following CVPS acquisition (\$5.5 million) <p>Mitigated by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase in financing costs resulting mainly from CVPS acquisition (\$3.8 million)
Natural gas transportation	 \$0.3M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase in volume of natural gas transported by PNGTS <p>Mitigated by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allocation of 9265-0860 Québec Inc.'s income tax expense to TQM (\$1.1 million)

⁽¹⁾ Net income attributable to Gaz Métro's Partners excluding non-recurring items. Please refer to Non-GAAP measures in sections A and J of MD&A.

Gaz Métro's expected cash requirements for next three quarters of fiscal 2013

		SOURCES				
		Cash flows from operations & credit facilities		LT debt	Equity in Gaz Métro	
		Gaz Métro & Others	Valener		GMi	Valener
CAPEX:						
Gaz Métro-QDA	~ \$95M	~ \$45M				
Seigneurie <i>(Beaupré Éole and Beaupré Éole 4)</i>	~ \$220M	~ \$8M	~ \$8M	~ \$204M ⁽¹⁾	~ \$35.5M	~ \$14.5M
CAPEX : VGS & GMP	~ \$80M	~ \$80M				
TOTAL	~ \$395M	~ \$133M	~ \$8M	~ \$204M	~ \$35.5M	~ \$14.5M
First Mortgage Bonds maturing in April 2013	\$150M			US\$200M ⁽²⁾		

⁽¹⁾ Project financing non recourse to Gaz Métro and Valener

⁽²⁾ US\$200 million private placement concluded on February 5, 2013. Notes to be issued no later than April 30, 2013.

Valener's expected cash requirements for next three quarters of fiscal 2013

		SOURCES
Investment in Gaz Métro	~ \$14.5M	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Cash flows related to operating activities▪ \$200M committed credit facility
Equity injection for Seigneurie de Beaupré wind power projects	~ \$8.0M	
TOTAL	~ \$22.5M	

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Appendix A

Consolidated net income attributable to the Partners of Gaz Métro

	For the quarters ended December 31		
<i>(in millions of dollars except for per unit figures)</i>	2012	2011	Variance
Energy Distribution			
Gaz Métro-QDA	49.5	43.7	5.8
VGS and GMP	17.6	7.5	10.1
Financing costs of investments in this segment ⁽¹⁾	(4.9)	(1.1)	(3.8)
	62.2	50.1	12.1
Natural Gas Transportation			
TQM, PNGTS and Champion	4.8	5.1	(0.3)
Financing costs of investments in this segment ⁽¹⁾	(0.4)	(1.0)	(0.6)
	4.4	4.1	0.3
Energy Production ⁽²⁾			
Gaz Métro Éole and Gaz Métro Éole 4	(0.1)	(0.6)	0.5
Financing costs of investments in this segment ⁽¹⁾	-	-	-
	(0.1)	(0.6)	0.5
Energy Services, Storage and Other ⁽²⁾			
Energy and storage	17.7	3.1	14.6
Financing costs of investments in this segment ⁽¹⁾	(0.4)	(0.8)	0.4
Net gain on the disposal of the interest in HydroSolution	(14.7)	-	(14.7)
	2.6	2.3	0.3
Corporate Affairs			
Corporate affairs	(1.3)	(1.1)	(0.2)
Costs related to the CVPS acquisition	-	0.5	(0.5)
	(1.3)	(0.6)	(0.7)
Consolidated net income attributable to the Partners of Gaz Métro, excluding non-recurring items	67.8	55.3	12.5
Non-recurring items	14.7	(0.5)	15.2
Consolidated net income attributable to the Partners of Gaz Métro	82.5	54.8	27.7
Basic and diluted net income per unit attributable to the Partners of Gaz Métro	0.56	0.43	0.13
Distributions declared per unit to the Partners of Gaz Métro	0.28	0.28	-

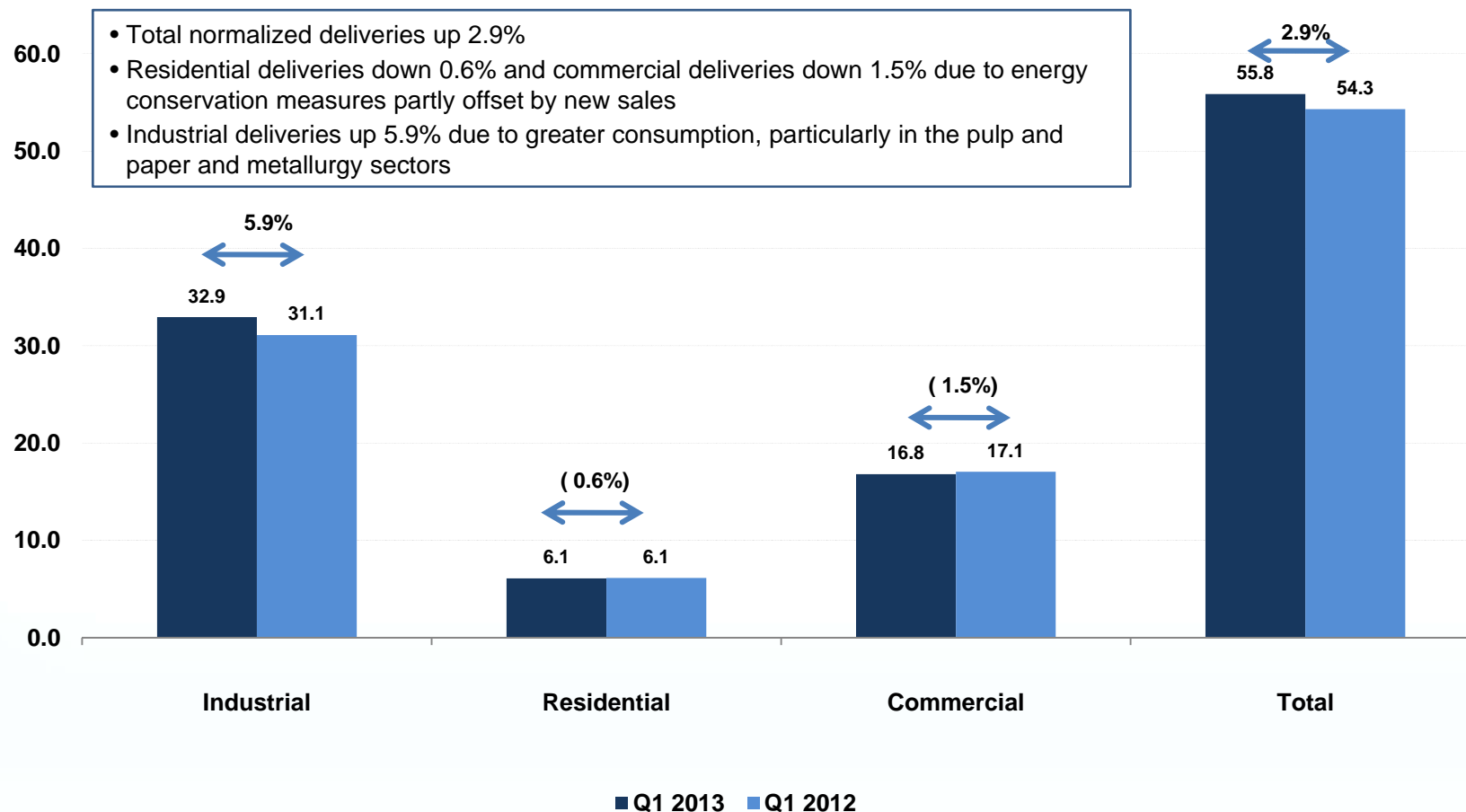
(1) These costs consist of the interest on the long-term debt incurred by the Partnership to finance investments in the subsidiaries, joint ventures and entities subject to significant influence of each segment.

(2) During first quarter of fiscal 2013, Gaz Métro modified its financial reporting structure for segment disclosures given the sale of certain companies and the development of important wind power projects. Please refer to slide 14 of this presentation for further information. Last year's first-quarter figures have been reclassified to present financial information that reflects the new business segments.

Appendix B

Gaz Métro-QDA normalized deliveries

Normalized natural gas deliveries in Quebec (in BCF)



Differences due to rounding

Appendix C

Gaz Métro-QDA - Current competitive position of natural gas in Quebec

Market	Main competitors	How competitive is natural gas? ⁽¹⁾
Industrial Ex.: Large companies in petrochemical, metallurgy, etc. industries	#6 Fuel Oil	65% cheaper
Commercial & Institutional Ex.: Hospitals, schools, restaurants, etc.	Electricity	Small business: 25% cheaper Large business: 44% cheaper
	#2 Fuel Oil	Small business: 52% cheaper Large business: 65% cheaper
Residential heating ⁽²⁾	Electricity	10% to 26% cheaper
	#2 Fuel Oil	42% to 51% cheaper

(1) As at February 1st, 2013. Current market prices.

(2) Using high efficiency equipment.

Appendix D

Change in deferred charges and credits

Deferred charges and credits	Balance as at September 30, 2012	Normalization of rate stabilization accounts	Increase in deferred charges and credits	Reduction of charges related to the cost of energy	Amortization of deferred charges and credits	Acquisition of a subsidiary	Non-cash adjustments	Balance as at December 31, 2012
<i>(In millions of dollars)</i>								
Rate stabilization accounts	76.1	6.4 ⁽¹⁾	-	-	(3.8)	-	(0.1)	78.6
Charges related to the cost of energy	57.8	-	36.7	(32.0)	-	-	(0.7)	61.8
Others	80.0	-	14.2	-	(4.1)	-	(9.7)	80.4
	213.9	6.4	50.9	(32.0)	(7.9)	-	(10.5)	220.8

Deferred charges and credits	Balance as at September 30, 2011	Normalization of rate stabilization accounts	Increase in deferred charges and credits	Reduction of charges related to the cost of energy	Amortization of deferred charges and credits	Acquisition of a subsidiary	Non-cash adjustments	Balance as at December 31, 2011
<i>(In millions of dollars)</i>								
Rate stabilization accounts	64.7	13.6	-	-	(5.9)	-	-	72.4
Charges related to the cost of energy	46.3	-	38.2	(37.8)	-	-	0.1	46.8
Others	35.0	-	4.2	-	2.3	-	36.2	77.7
	146.0	13.6	42.4	(37.8)	(3.6)	-	36.3	196.9
Change	67.9	(7.2)	8.5	5.8	(4.3)	-	(46.8)	23.9

⁽¹⁾ Includes \$0.3 million related to Vermont Gas Systems normalization mechanism.