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(TRC
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 Company )
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Additional Information

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Also in connection with the proposed transaction, Targa Resources Partners LP ( TRP ) will file with the SEC a registration s

proxy statement of Atlas Pipeline Partners, L.P. (APL) and a prospectus of TRP (the TRP proxy statement/prospectus). It transaction, APL plans to mail the definitive TRP proxy statement/prospectus to its unitholders.

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A more complete description will be available in the registration statement and the joint proxy statement/prospectus.

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Targa Resources
Two Public Companies
(1)
2010 covers time period from IPO (December 6, 2010) through December 31, 2010
Source: Bloomberg
TRP
Annual Total Return Since 2010

TRC
Annual Total Return Since IPO
TRC
Dividends
TRP
Distributions
NGLS Out/(Under)
Performance vs. AMZ
16%
3%
2%
21%
(9)%
TRGP Out/(Under)
Performance vs. AMZ
20%
42%
30%
44%

18%

Targa s Diversified Midstream Platform 5

(1)

Operating margin percentages based on LTM as of September 30, 2014

Operating Margin

(1)

A Strong Footprint in
Active Basins
And a Leading Position at
Mont Belvieu
Drive Targa s
Long-Term Growth
Leadership position in oil

and liquids rich Permian

Basin

Bakken position

capitalizes on strong

crude oil fundamentals

and active drilling activity

Leadership position in

the active portion of

Barnett Shale combo

play

GOM and onshore

Louisiana provide longer

term upside potential for

well positioned assets

Mont Belvieu is the

NGL hub of North

America

Increased domestic

NGL production is

driving capacity

expansions into and at

Mont Belvieu

Second largest

fractionation

ownership position at

Mont Belvieu

One of only two

operating commercial

NGL export facilities

on the Gulf Coast

linked to Mont Belvieu

Position not easily

replicated

Approximately \$2.6

billion in announced

organic capex projects

completed or underway

Increased capacity to

support multiple U.S.

shale / resource plays

Additional fractionation

expansion to support

increased NGL supply

Increased connectivity to

U.S. end users of NGLs Expansion of export

services capacity for

global LPG markets at

Galena Park marine

terminal

Positioning Pro Forma for Targa/Atlas Transaction: Expect to close Q1 2015 An even stronger footprint in active basins

modest change in fee based margin % and G&P %

Additional NGL opportunities Better growth prospects than

standalone December 10

th

Press Release:

Maintaining pro forma 2015 estimates of 11-13% distribution growth at TRP and 35% dividend growth at TRC Expect distribution coverage of 1.0 to 1.2 times Commodity prices of \$3.75/MMBtu for natural gas, \$60/barrel for crude oil and \$0.60/gallon for NGLs and related volume expectations

Commodity prices of

\$4.00/MMBtu for natural gas,

\$80/barrel for crude oil and

\$0.80/gallon for NGLs and

related volume

expectations

Well Positioned for 2014 and Beyond

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2014 End of Year Challenges Continue into 2015
Beginning in Q4 2014, the significant drop and resulting uncertainty in commodity prices is impacting producers, and therefore Targa and other midstream companies
Resulting difficulty predicting, planning

and
adjusting
for
producers
future
activity
and
volume
levels

Targa is focused on:

Cost management and flexibility

Capital expenditure efficiency and flexibility

Other opportunities in a challenging environment

Major Announced Capital Projects and Preliminary 2015 CapEx o

Over \$1 billion of projects completed in 2013 and approximately \$1 billion completed in 2014

Additional high quality growth projects under development for 2015 and beyond, with focus on capex efficiency CBF Train 5 Expansion (100 MBbl/d)

New Badlands Infrastructure and Potential Plant, which may be downsized/delayed

New Delaware Basin Plant, which may be downsized/delayed

(1)

35 MBbl/d condensate splitter/alternative project expected to be in-service end of 2016 or early 2017, depending on permit timing and customer preference (2) Includes additional spending in both Permian Basin and North Texas Additional gas processing plant will be in-service in Q1 2015 (4) ~\$2.2-\$2.4 billion of fee-based capital, ~74-76% of listed projects (4) **Downstream Growth Projects** Preliminary Total CapEx (\$ millions) 2013 CapEx (\$ millions) 2014 CapEx (\$ millions) Preliminary 2015 CapEx

(\$ millions) Actual /

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Expected
Completion
Primarily
Fee-Based
Petroleum Logistics Projects -
2013 -
2015 +
(1)
$250
$40
$50
$30
2013 -
2015 +
CBF Train 4 Expansion (100 MBbl/d)
385
120
20
0
Mid 2013
CBF Train 5 Expansion (100 MBbl/d)
385
0
50
200
Mid 2016
International Export Project
480
250
165
Q3 2013/Q3 2014
Other
130
30
50
25
Total Downstream Projects
$1,630
$440
$335
$255
$1,630
G&P Growth Projects
Preliminary
Total CapEx
($ millions)
2013 CapEx
($ millions)
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2014 CapEx

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($ millions)
Preliminary
2015 CapEx
($ millions)
Actual /
Expected
Completion
Primarily
Fee-Based
Gathering & Processing Expansion Program -
2013 -
2015 +
(2)
$185
$75
$110
$50
2013 -
2015 +
North Texas Longhorn Project (200 MMcf/d)
150
40
20
0
May 2014
SAOU High Plains Plant (200 MMcf/d)
125
85
0
June 2014
Badlands Expansion Program -
2013 -
Q1 2015
(3)
465
250
215
0
2013/Q1 2015
New Badlands Infrastructure and Potential Plant
150-320
0
0
125-250
YE 2015+
New Delaware Basin Plant (100-300 MMcf/d)
100-250
0
0
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50-110
Mid 2016+
Other
40
25
15
10
Total G&P Projects
\$1,315 -
\$1,635
\$515
\$445
\$235 -
\$420
T
\$615 -
\$785
Total Projects
\$2,945 -
\$3,265
\$955
\$780
\$490 -
\$675
\$2,245 -

\$2,415

Additional Growth Opportunities

Total CapEx

(\$ millions)

Estimated

Timing

Primarily

Fee-Based

**Badlands Expansion Program** 

Permian Expansion Program

Train 6 Expansion

Train 7 Expansion

Additional Condensate Splitter/Export Projects

**Ethane Export Project** 

Other Projects

primarily

Total

\$2,000+

2015 and beyond

Major Capital Projects Under Development

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In current environment, Targa is focused on capital efficiency and flexibility

Over \$2 billion of additional opportunities are in various stages of development

Opportunities include additional infrastructure in both G&P and Downstream

Increasing NGL supplies across the country will continue to drive the need for more processing, fractionation and connectivity

Diversity and Scale Mitigate Commodity Price Changes Growth has been driven by investing in the business, not by changes in commodity prices TRP benefits from multiple factors that help mitigate commodity price volatility, including: Scale Business and geographic diversity Increasing fee-based margin

Hedging

TRP s current hedges include:

Approximately 80% of 2014 natural gas and approximately 30% of 2014 combined NGL and condensate

Approximately 50% to 60% of natural gas equity volumes for 2015

(1)

and 20% to 30% for 2016

(1)

Approximately 45% to 55% of condensate equity volumes for 2015 and 25% to 35% for 2016 Given our hedge position and our large fee-based operating margin, we estimate the following sensitivities

for

Targa

Standalone

2015

EBITDA:

A \$5 drop in crude price would decrease EBITDA by ~\$3 million

A \$0.05 drop in the weighted average NGLS price would decrease EBITDA by ~\$12 million A \$0.25 drop in natural gas price would result in an approximate \$5 million decrease in EBITDA

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Adjusted EBITDA vs. Commodity Prices

(1)

Will be towards bottom-end of range if there is significant ethane rejection in these years

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Targa Leverage and Liquidity

(1)

Includes TRP s total availability under the revolver plus cash, less outstanding borrowings and letters of credit under the TRP (2)

Adjusts EBITDA to provide credit for material capital projects that are in process, but have not started commercial operation, a

Compliance Leverage Ratio

Liquidity

(1)

Completed \$800 million 4.125% unsecured notes offering in

October 2014

Pro forma for offering, liquidity as of September 30, 2014 is \$1.45 billion including capacity under accounts receivable securitization facility YTD through September 2014, raised net proceeds of \$257 million from equity issuances under at-the-market

( ATM ) program

Target

compliance

leverage

3x

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4x

Debt/EBITDA

Have historically been on low end of range

Leverage increased at end of 2012 due to Badlands acquisition Q3 2014 compliance leverage was

2.7x

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Targa + Atlas: Transaction Overview

Targa Resources Partners LP (NYSE: NGLS; TRP

or the Partnership ) has executed a definitive agreement to acquire

Atlas Pipeline Partners, L.P. (NYSE: APL) for \$5.8 billion

(1)

0.5846 NGLS common units plus a one-time cash payment of \$1.26 for each APL LP unit (implied premium

(1)

of 15%) \$1.8 billion of debt at September 30, 2014 Targa Resources Corp. (NYSE: TRGP; TRC or the Company ) has executed a definitive agreement to acquire Atlas Energy, L.P. (NYSE: ATLS), after its spin-off of non APL-related assets, for \$1.9 billion (1) Prior to TRGP s acquisition, all assets held by ATLS not associated with APL will be spun out to existing ATLS unitholders 10.35 million TRGP shares issued to ATLS unitholders \$610 million of cash to ATLS Each existing ATLS (after giving effect to ATLS spin out) unit will receive 0.1809 TRGP shares and \$9.12 in cash Accretive to NGLS and TRGP cash flow per unit and share, respectively, immediately and over the longer-term, while providing APL and ATLS unitholders increased value now and into the future **Post** closing (2) **NGLS** plans to increase its quarterly distribution by \$0.04 per LP unit (\$0.16 per LP unit annualized rate) **NGLS** expects 11-13% distribution growth in 2015 compared to 7-9% in

2014

Post closing

<sup>(2)</sup> , TRGP plans to increase its quarterly dividend by \$0.10 per share (\$0.40 per share annualized rate)

TRGP expects approximately 35% dividend growth

(3)

in 2015 compared to 25%+ in 2014

Transactions are cross-conditional and subject to shareholder and regulatory approvals

HSR clearance received

Continue to expect transaction to close in Q1 2015

- (1) Based on market data as of October 10, 2014, excluding transaction fees and expenses
- (2) Management intends to recommend this increase at the first regularly scheduled quarterly distribution declaration Board median and the scheduled quarterly distribution declaration and the scheduled quarterly declaration and the scheduled quarterly declaration and the scheduled quarterly decla
- (3) Assumes NGLS distribution growth of 11-13%

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Targa + Atlas: Attractive Positions in Active Basins

Barnett
Eagle Ford
Delaware
Bakken
Mississippi

Lime

Woodford

Pro Forma Asset Highlights

39 natural gas processing plants (~6.9 Bcf/d gross processing

capacity)

Over 22,500 miles of natural gas and crude oil gathering

pipeline

Gross NGL production of 278.9 MBbls/d in 2Q 2014

3 crude oil and refined products terminals with 2.5 MMBbls of storage

17 gas treating facilities

573 MBbl/d gross fractionation capacity

~6.5 MMBbl/month effective capacity LPG export terminal

Atlas

Natural Gas Processing Plant

Natural Gas Pipeline

Targa

Natural Gas Processing Plant

Terminal

Fractionator

Natural Gas Pipeline

Crude Oil Pipeline

NGL Pipeline

Legend

(1) Source: Baker Hughes Incorporated, as of October 20, 2014

SCOOP Midland

U.S. Land Rig Count by Basin

(1)

World Class Permian Footprint
Atlas
WestTX system sits in the core of the Midland Basin
between Targa s existing SAOU and Sand Hills systems
More than 75% of the rigs currently running in the Midland
Basin are in counties served by the combined systems
Pro forma, NGLS will be the 2

nd largest Permian processor with 1.4 Bcf/d in gross processing capacity Recent activity includes Targa s 200 MMcf/d High Plains plant placed in service June 2014 and Atlas 200 MMcf/d Edward plant placed in service September 2014 Announced expansions include Atlas 200 MMcf/d Buffalo plant (in service mid 2015) and Targa s 300 MMcf/d Delaware Basin plant (in service mid 2016) **Combined Permian Footprint** Year-End Permian Gross Processing Capacity Legend Atlas Natural Gas Processing Plant Natural Gas Pipeline Targa Natural Gas Processing Plant Natural Gas Pipeline **Current Permian Gross Processing Capacity** (MMcf/d) Miles of Pipeline **SAOU** 369 1,800 Sand Hills 175 1,500 Versado 240 3,350 Total: Targa

784 6,650

Atlas WestTX

655 3,600

Total: PF Targa

1,439 10,250 Delaware

Midland

Atlas

Natural Gas Processing Plant

Natural Gas Pipeline

Targa

Natural Gas Processing Plant

**Terminal** 

Fractionator

Natural Gas Pipeline

Crude Oil Pipeline

NGL Pipeline

Legend

Barnett

Eagle Ford

Woodford

Mississippi Lime

Atlas

assets also provide exposure to significant drilling

activity in the Mississippi Lime, SCOOP, Arkoma Woodford

and Eagle Ford plays

Largest gathering and processing footprint in the Mississippi

Lime with 458 MMcf/d of nameplate capacity

System remains full with volumes offloaded to third parties

Current project underway to connect Velma & Arkoma

systems to create a gathering and processing super-system

Further potential to connect to Targa s North Texas assets

Long-term contracts with active producers in the Eagle Ford

**SCOOP** 

Current North

Texas/SouthTX/OK Gross

**Processing Capacity** 

(MMcf/d)

Miles of Pipeline

SouthOK

500

1,300

WestOK

458

5,700

SouthTX

400

500

Total: Atlas

1,358

7,500

Targa North Texas

478

4,500

Total: PF Targa

1,836

12,000

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Producer Activity Drives NGL Flows to Mont Belvieu
Growing field NGL production
increases NGL flows to Mont
Belvieu
Increased NGL production
could support Targa s existing

and expanding Mont Belvieu and Galena Park presence Petrochemical investments, fractionation and export services will continue to clear additional supply Targa s Mont Belvieu and Galena Park businesses very well positioned

Barnett

Eagle Ford

Midland

Mississippi Lime

Woodford

Delaware

Marcellus &

Others

Rockies

Galena Park Marine

Import / Export

Terminal

Mont

Belvieu

**Terminal** 

**SCOOP** 

### Market Cap

- ~ \$10 Billion
- (1)
- ~ \$3 Billion
- (2)
- ~ \$13 Billion
- (1)

Enterprise Value

- ~ \$13 Billion
- (1)
- ~ \$6 Billion
- (2)
- ~ \$19 Billion
- (1)

2014E EBITDA (\$MM)

\$925 - \$975 Million

\$400 - \$425 Million

\$1,325 - \$1,400 Million

2014E Growth

CAPEX (\$MM)

\$780 Million

\$400 - \$450 Million

\$1,180 - \$1,230 Million

2014E Operating

Margin by Segment

YE 2014E % Fee-

Based

68%

32%

Fixed Fee

### Percent of Proceeds 35% 7% 38% 20% Field G&P Coastal G&P Logistics Marketing and Dist. 40% 60% Texas Oklahoma 25% 5% 27% 15% 11% 17% Field G&P - Targa Coastal G&P - Targa Logistics - Targa Marketing and Dist. - Targa Texas - Atlas Oklahoma - Atlas 40% 60% Fixed Fee Percent of Proceeds 60% 40% Fixed Fee Percent of Proceeds 17 Targa + Atlas: Increased Size and Scale Enhance Credit Profile Targa Atlas Pro Forma Targa (1) Represents combined market cap $\quad \text{and} \quad$ enterprise value for **NGLS** and **TRGP**

as



December

31,

2014,

less

the

value

of

**NGLS** 

units

or

PF

**NGLS** 

units

owned

by

**TRGP** 

- (2) Represents combined market cap and enterprise value for APL and ATLS as of December 31, 2014 based on transaction co
- (3) Includes keep-whole at 1% of total margin
- (3)

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Targa + Atlas: Strategic Highlights
Attractive Positions
in Active Basins
Creates WorldClass Permian
Footprint
Complementary

Assets with Significant Growth Opportunities **Enhances** Credit Profile Significant Long-Term Value Creation Already strong positions in Permian and Bakken enhanced with entry into Mississippi Lime and Eagle Ford 4 of the top 5 basins by active rig count and unconventional well spuds (1) Top 3 basins by oil production (1) Also exposed to emerging **SCOOP** play and continued development of NGL-rich Barnett Shale Adds diversity and leadership position in all basins/plays Combines strong Permian Basin positions to create a premier franchise Provides new customer relationships with the most active operators in each basin Current combined processing capacity of 1,439 MMcf/d Significant organic growth project opportunities 2014 pro forma growth capex of ~\$1.2 billion Additional projects under development of over \$3 billion NGL production to support Targa s leading NGL position in Mont Belvieu and Galena Park Estimated pro forma

leverage

ratio of 3.3xTotal Debt / 2014E **EBITDA** (4) at **NGLS** Increased size and scale move NGLS credit metrics closer to investment grade over time Immediately accretive to distributable cash flow at both NGLS and TRGP Increases FY 2015 vs FY 2014 distribution growth at NGLS to 11-13% and at TRGP to approximately 35% Provides larger asset base with additional long-term growth opportunities Higher long-term distribution/dividend growth profile than Targa standalone (1) Source: Oil & Gas Investor (2) Based on market data as of December 31, 2014, less the value of 16.3 MM PF **NGLS** units owned by **TRGP** (3) Based on NGLS and APL guidance ranges (4) Based on estimated compliance ratio Increased Size and Scale Combined partnership will be one of the largest diversified MLPs Pro forma enterprise value (2) of \$19 billion Pro forma 2014E **EBITDA** 

of approximately \$1.3-\$1.4 billion (3)

Targa Resources
Diversified MLP with Increased Scale
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MLPs
Ranked
by
2015E
EBITDA

(1) Creates 11th largest diversified MLP on EBITDA basis (upper mid-cap / lower large-cap MLP)

Note: TRP/APL combination includes \$20 million of synergies

(1) Source: Wall Street research estimates

Investment Grade MLPs Non-Investment Grade MLPs

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Targa + Atlas: Current Commodity Price Environment

Despite the current and forward commodity price environment being weaker than when the Targa/Atlas transaction was announced on October 13, 2014, we maintain the pro forma distribution and dividend growth estimates originally provided:

2015 distribution growth for TRP of 11% to 13%

2015 dividend growth for TRC of 35%

TRP

currently expects the above referenced pro forma distribution growth range for 2015, along with pro forma distribution coverage of approximately 1.0 to 1.2 times, under range of possible scenarios: (i) (a) commodity prices of \$3.75 per MMBtu for natural gas, \$60 per barrel for crude oil and \$0.60

per

gallon for NGLs; (b) current expectations of activity levels at these prices, resulting in low single digit annual volume growth for pro forma **TRP** and **APL** field gathering and processing businesses compared to current estimated fourth quarter 2014 volumes; and (c) only LPG export volumes that are currently

under contract

(ii) (a) commodity prices of \$4.00 per MMBtu for natural gas, \$80 per barrel for crude oil and \$0.80 per gallon for NGLs; (b) volume growth in line with historical growth rates as expected at the time of announcement for pro forma TRP and APL field

gathering and

processing businesses;

and (c)

a

modest

level

of

export

volumes

above

those

currently

under

contract

Targa Investment Highlights 21
Well positioned in U.S. shale / resource plays, with an even stronger footprint in active basins with close of the Targa/Atlas transaction Leadership position at Mont

Belvieu and associated LPG export facility at Houston Ship Channel Increasing scale, diversity and fee-based margin Strong financial profile Strong track record of distribution and dividend growth Experienced management team

Appendix

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This presentation includes the non-GAAP financial measure of Adjusted EBITDA. The presentation provides a reconciliation of this non-GAAP financial measures to its most directly comparable financial measure calculated and presented in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America ("GAAP"). Our non-GAAP financial measures should not be considered as alternatives

to GAAP measures such as net

income, operating income, net cash flows provided by operating activities or any other GAAP measure of liquidity or financial performance.

Non-GAAP Measures Reconciliation

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#### Adjusted EBITDA

The Partnership and Targa define Adjusted EBITDA as net income attributable to Targa Resources Partners LP before: interest; income taxes; depreciation and amortization; gains or losses on debt repurchases and redemptions; early debt extinguishment and asset disposals; non-cash risk management activities

related to derivative instruments; changes in the fair value of the Badlands acquisition contingent consideration and the non-controlling interest portion of depreciation and amortization expenses. Adjusted EBITDA is used as a

supplemental financial measure by our management and by external

users of our financial statements such as

investors, commercial banks and others. The economic substance behind management s use of Adjusted EBITDA is to measure the ability of our assets to generate cash sufficient

to pay interest costs, support our indebtedness and

make distributions to our investors.

Adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure. The GAAP measures most directly comparable to Adjusted EBITDA are net cash provided by operating activities and net income (loss) attributable to Targa Resources Partners LP. Adjusted EBITDA should not be considered as an alternative to GAAP net cash provided by operating activities or GAAP net income. Adjusted EBITDA has important limitations as an

analytical tool. Investors should not consider

Adjusted EBITDA in isolation or as a substitute for analysis of our results as reported under GAAP. Because Adjusted EBITDA excludes some, but not all, items that affect net income and net cash provided by operating activities and is defined differently by different companies in our industry, our definition of Adjusted EBITDA may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of other companies.

Management compensates for the limitations of Adjusted EBITDA as

an analytical tool by reviewing the comparable

GAAP measures, understanding the differences between the measures and incorporating these insights into management s decision-making processes.

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