



# PROPELLING THE FUTURE

of flight and transportation

## HXL Investor Briefing

October 2025



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# HEXCEL (NYSE: HXL) – AT A GLANCE

- Leader in markets undergoing secular growth
- Broadest aerospace composite solution portfolio
- #1 in aerospace composites – by sales & production capacity
- 19 manufacturing plants | ~5,900 employees at 31-Dec-2024
- High and numerous barriers to entry
- Culture of continuous improvement | Operational Excellence

## Composite **Lightweighting** value proposition

- **Stronger and lighter** than metals
- **Superior life cycle costs** to metals
- **Reduces fuel use and emissions** for transportation applications
- Enables **leading-edge product design**

## Markets

### COMMERCIAL AEROSPACE

**63%\***

Wings, Fuselage & Empennage  
Secondary & Interior structures  
Engines & Nacelles

### DEFENSE, SPACE & OTHER

**37%\***

Rotorcraft & Fixed Wing  
Launchers & Satellites  
Automotive & Recreation

2024 SALES | **\$1.9 billion**

\* Based on 2024 sales

# ADVANCED COMPOSITES **LEADERSHIP**

**Leading, sole source positions** in key markets with **high barriers to entry**

**Innovative** solutions that lead to sustainable **competitive advantage**

Exceptional & long-term **customer relationships**

Benefitting from **cyclical** *and* **secular growth**

Strong **cash generation**

## **Our Hexcel Purpose**

We propel the future of flight, energy generation, transportation and recreation through **excellence in advanced material solutions** that create a better world for us all.



**CUSTOMER  
EXCELLENCE**



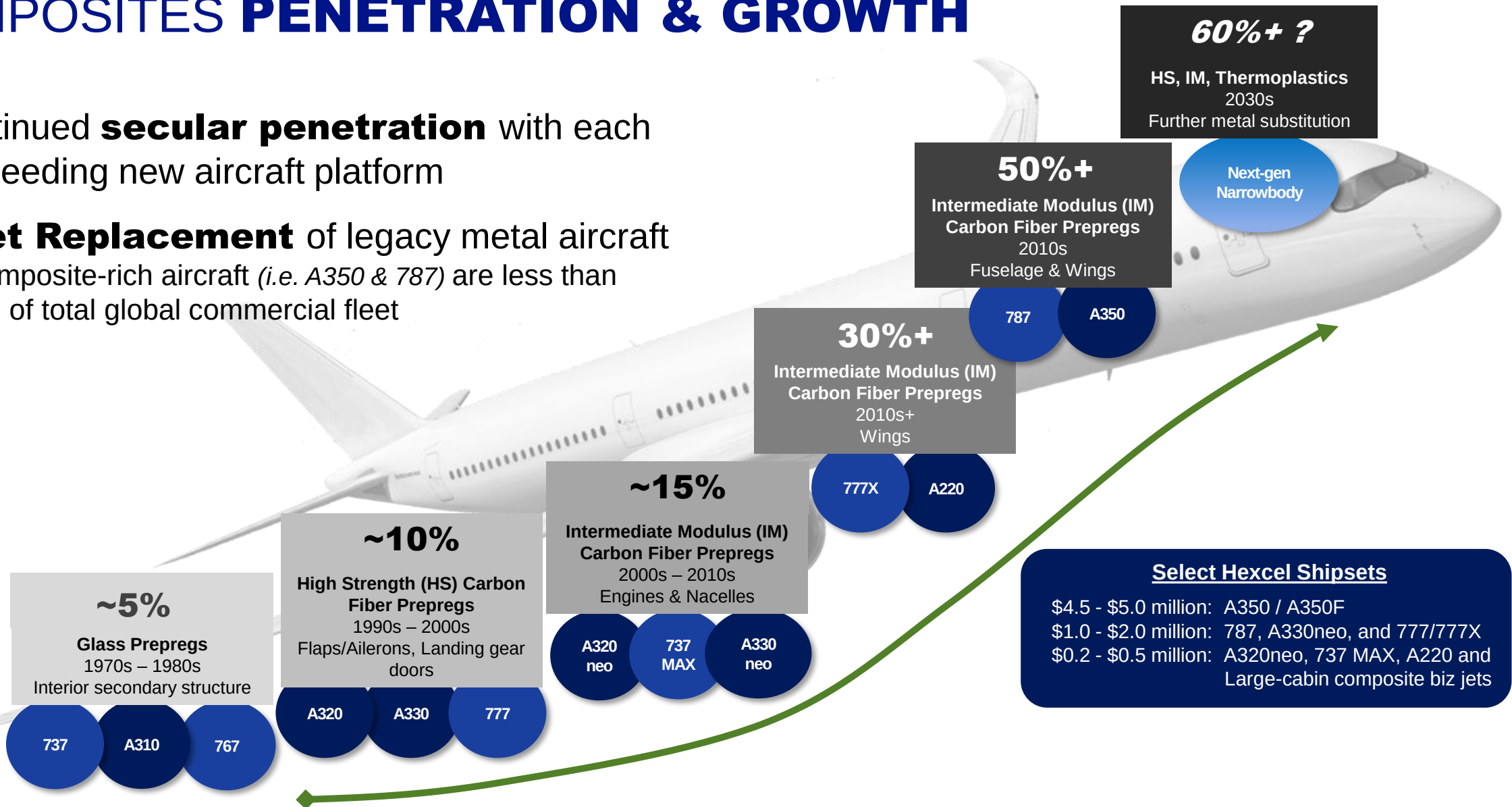
**OPERATIONAL  
EXCELLENCE**



**PEOPLE  
EXCELLENCE**

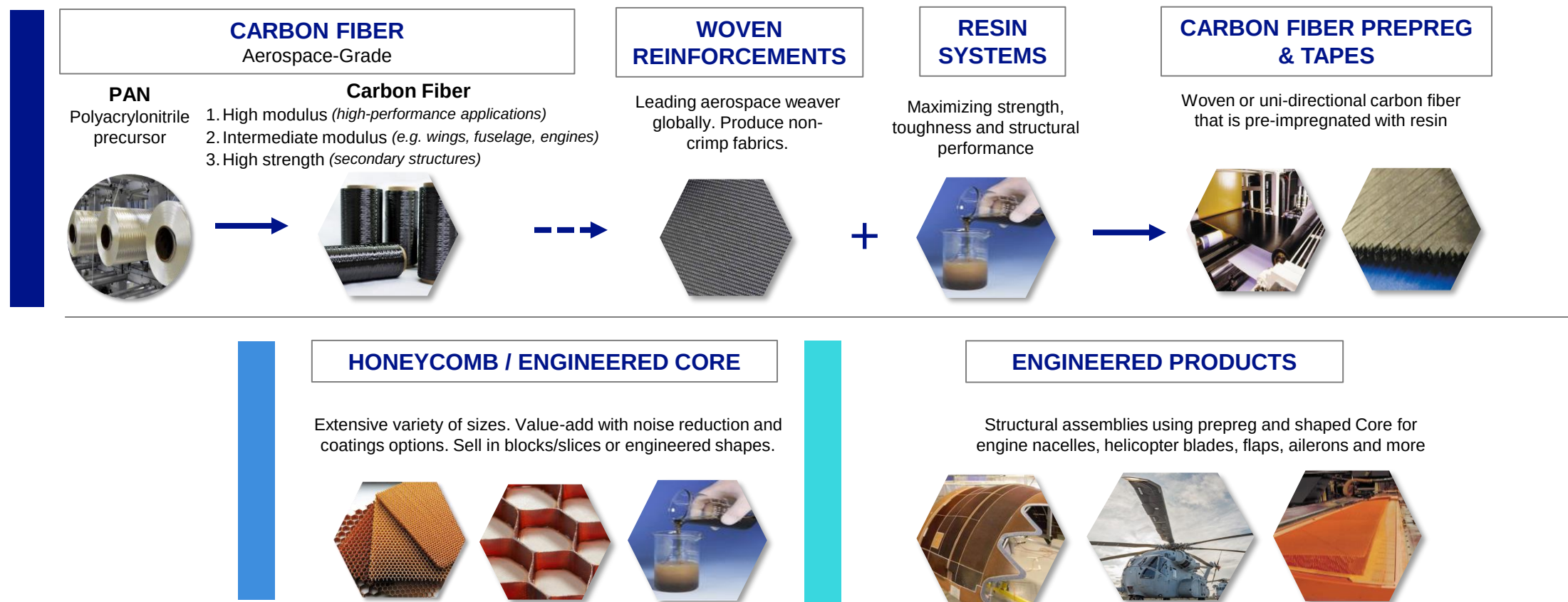
# COMPOSITES PENETRATION & GROWTH

- Continued **secular penetration** with each succeeding new aircraft platform
- **Fleet Replacement** of legacy metal aircraft  
Composite-rich aircraft (i.e. A350 & 787) are less than 7% of total global commercial fleet



# UNRIVALED PRODUCT RANGE

Broad aerospace composites product line from carbon fibers, reinforcement fabrics, and resins to prepregs, honeycomb core, tooling materials and more . . . from raw materials to fly-away parts . . . **Vertical Integration is a strength and a differentiator**



**Stronger | stiffer | lightweight | fatigue resistant | corrosion resistant vs. metal**



# WE DELIVER WHAT OUR CUSTOMERS WANT

Lighter yet stronger than any comparable material in the world, Hexcel advanced composites are turning the dream of cleaner, efficient, and more sustainable flight and transportation into reality today.

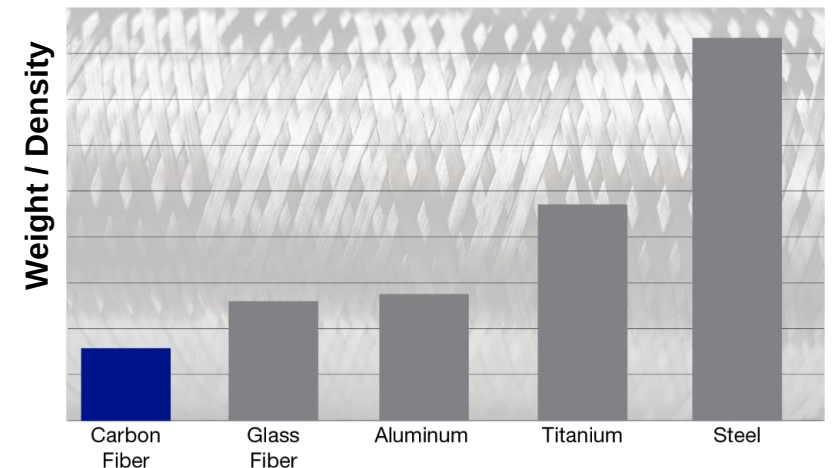
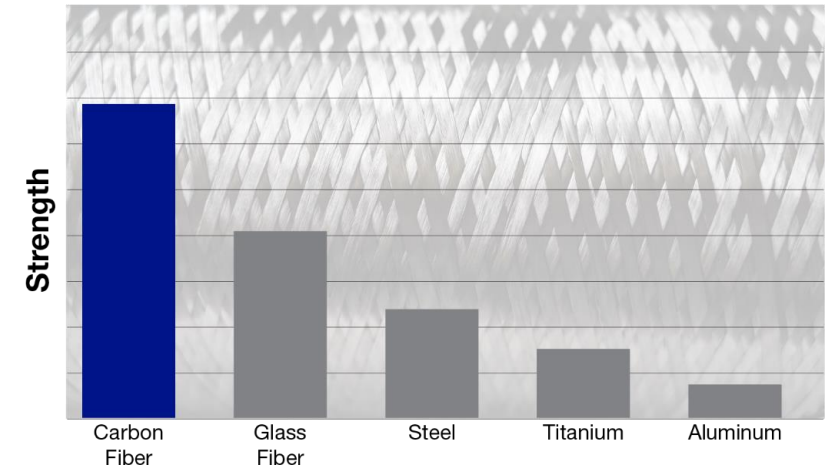
Carbon fiber is **5x stronger** and **30% lighter** than aluminum

Composites are **tougher, stiffer** and **more durable** than metal

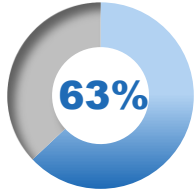
Our products offer **lower lifecycle cost** - *operating & maintenance costs*

Our products enable more aggressive and efficient aerodynamic designs that **improve aircraft performance & fuel efficiency**

Improved fuel efficiency from composite **lightweighting** and advanced aerodynamic designs leads to **lower emissions**



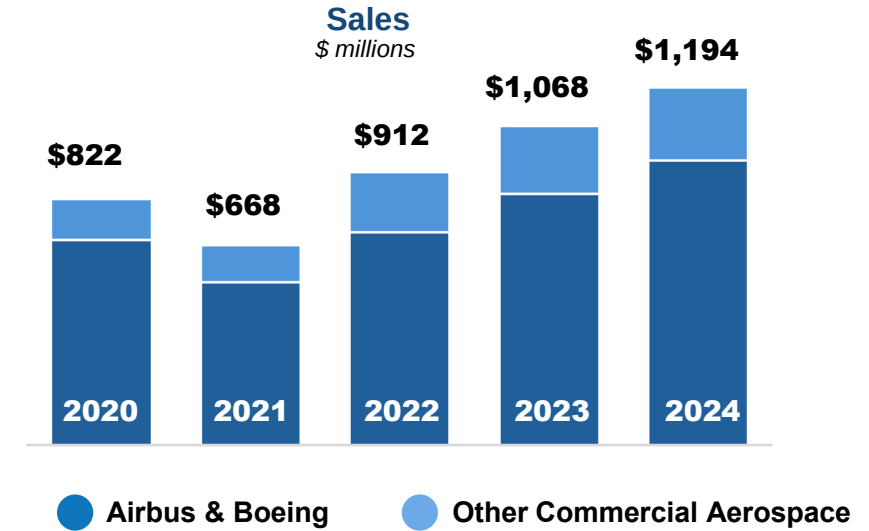
**Stronger, lighter & tougher – optimizing total life cycle costs**



# COMMERCIAL AEROSPACE

Commercial Aircraft | Engines/Nacelles | Business Jets & Regional Aircraft

- ◆ Near-Term: Growing back into existing capacity
- ◆ Mid-Term: Expanding composites secular penetration
- ◆ Strong multi-year OE backlog supports growth
- ◆ Need for fuel efficiency and emissions reduction driving aircraft replacement cycle
- ◆ Strong market position with Engines and Nacelles
- ◆ Business Jet composite adoption increasing







# IMPACTFUL COMMERCIAL AEROSPACE PLATFORMS

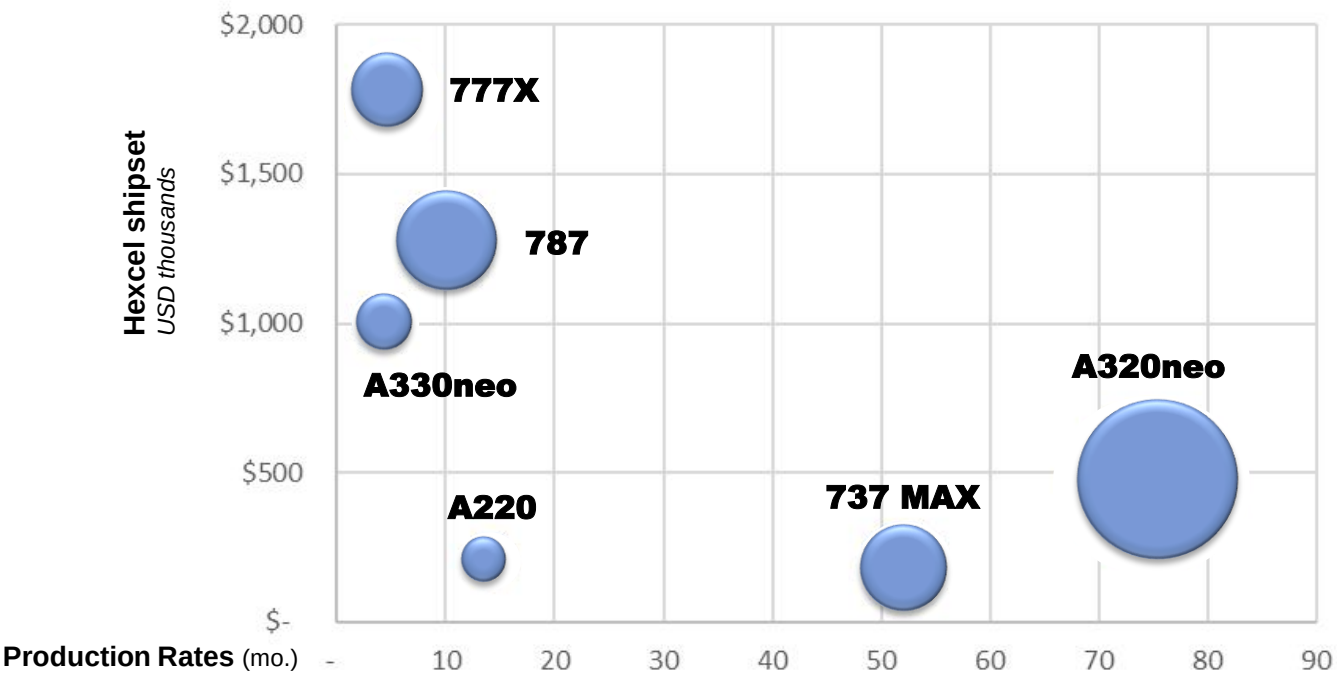
Sales by platform at full production rate

- Widebodies pull significant amounts of composite material due to the large size of the aircraft
- High production volume for narrowbodies & engines leads to significant composite material demand



| Platform     | OEM publicly-disclosed peak rates |
|--------------|-----------------------------------|
| A350 / A350F | 12/mo. in 2028                    |
| A320neo      | 75/mo. in 2027                    |
| 787          | 10/mo. in 2026                    |
| 737 MAX      | 52/mo.                            |
| A330neo      | 5/mo. in 2029                     |
| A220         | 14/mo. in 2026                    |

Bubble size indicates magnitude of annual Hexcel sales at peak production rates as stated by OEM's

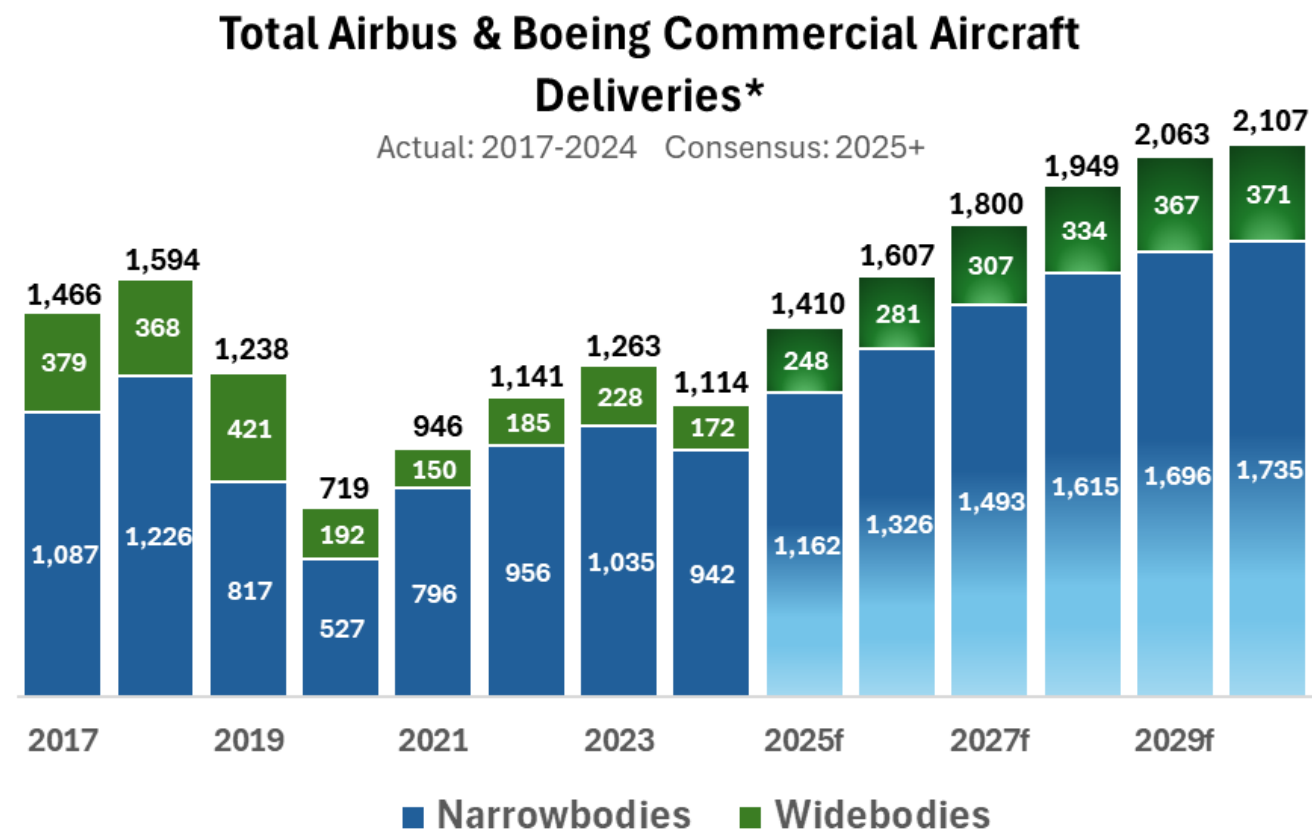


Strong and growing Commercial Aerospace foundation underpins growth outlook

# COMMERCIAL AEROSPACE GROWTH DRIVERS

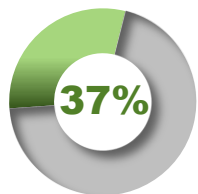
- Combined Airbus & Boeing backlogs are >15,000 commercial aircraft - represent \$10 billion of future sales to Hexcel
  - Narrowbody backlog: 12,411 aircraft
  - Widebody backlog: 2,833 aircraft

*As of 30-Sep-2025*
- Commercial aircraft deliveries accelerating as supply chain constraints ease
- Business jet composite adoption increasing
- Strong market position engines & nacelles
- Secular growth remains a tailwind from composites value proposition



\* Analyst consensus delivery estimates for Airbus and Boeing, per Bloomberg as of 21-Oct-2025

**Accelerating commercial aircraft production & deliveries support Hexcel sales growth**

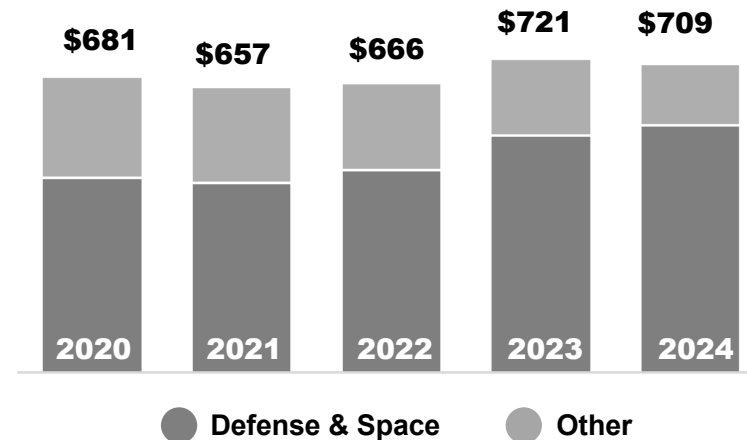


# DEFENSE, SPACE & OTHER

Rotorcraft | Fighters | Transport | Launch Vehicles | Satellites | Industrial

- Major programs: F-35, CH-53K, A400M, Black Hawk, European fighters, Rotorcraft blades (*both new build & replacement*)
- Active on >100 different programs globally
- ~1/3 of D&S sales are international
- Rotorcraft are ~40% of D&S sales
- Capabilities with honeycomb & microwave absorbing composites are competitive differentiators
- Expanding opportunities with Space sector
- Select Industrial opportunities using aerospace composites

Sales  
\$ millions



## Select Hexcel Defense Shipsets

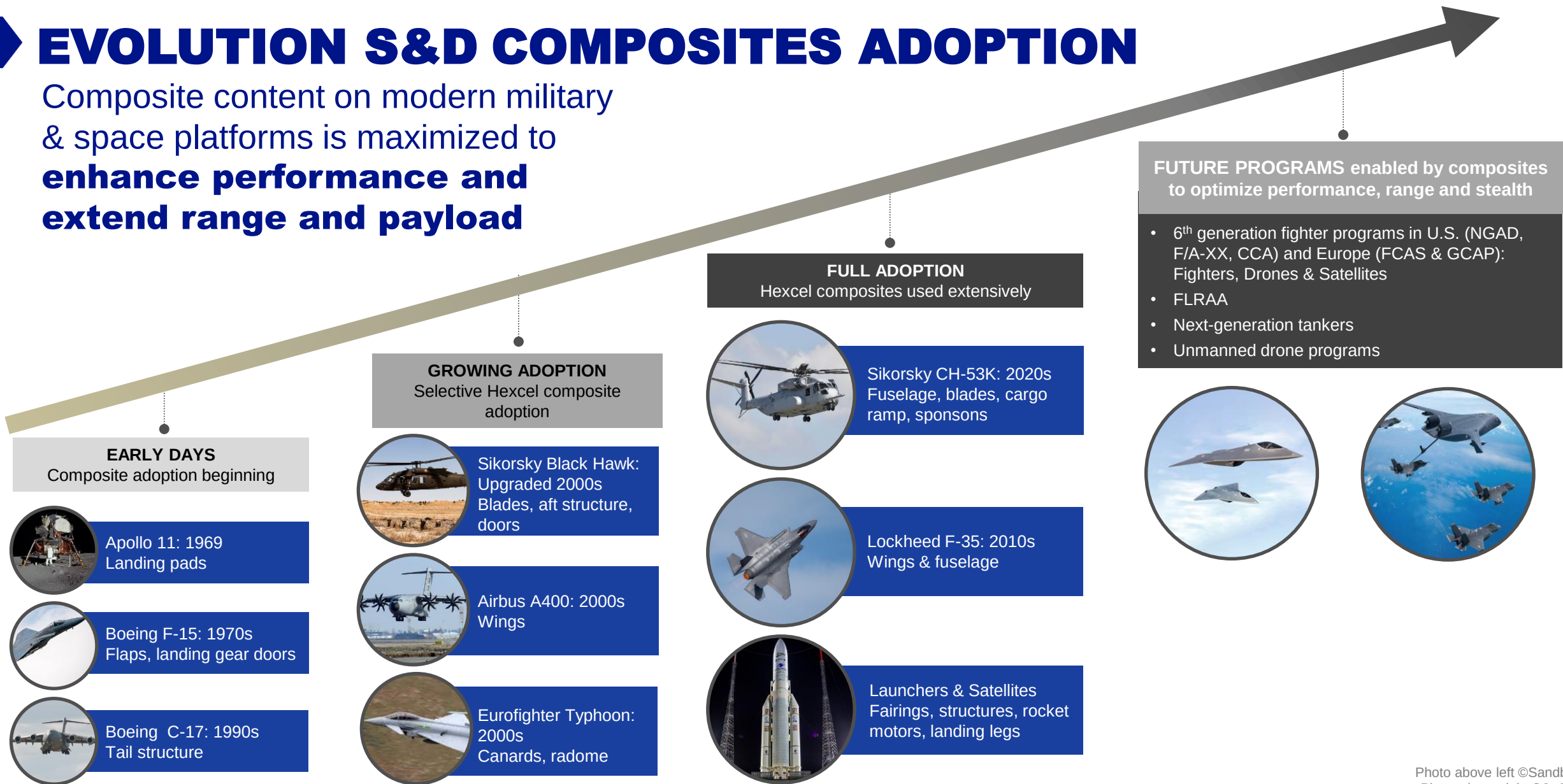
\$2.5 - \$3.5 million: Sikorsky CH-53K  
 \$1.0 - \$2.0 million: Airbus A400M, Bell Boeing V-22  
 \$0.5 - \$1.0 million: Lockheed F-35, Dassault Rafale, Embraer C-390  
 \$0.2 - \$0.5 million: Sikorsky Black Hawk, Eurofighter Typhoon





# EVOLUTION S&D COMPOSITES ADOPTION

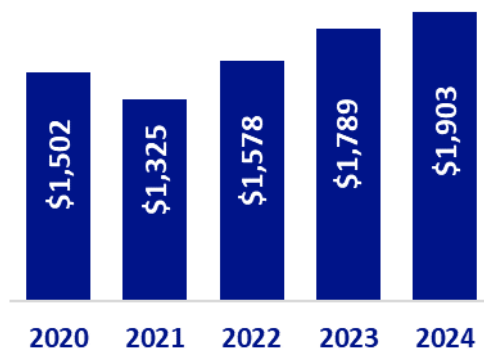
Composite content on modern military & space platforms is maximized to **enhance performance and extend range and payload**



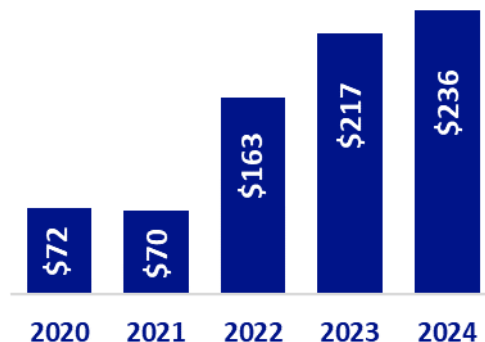
# RETURNING TO GROWTH

\$ millions, except EPS

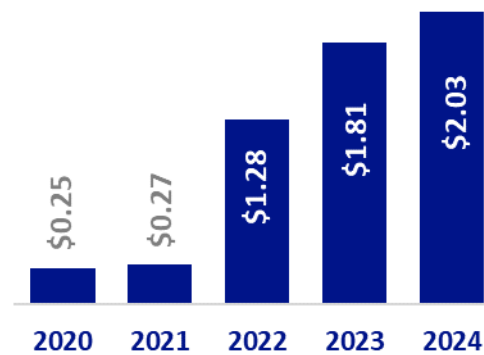
## SALES



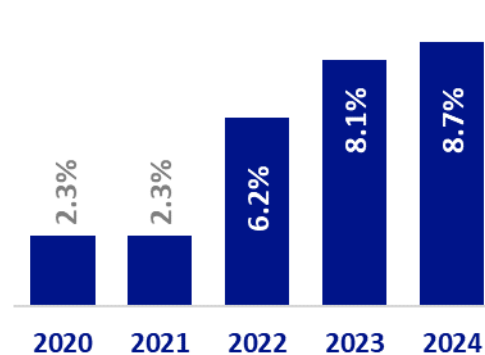
## ADJUSTED OPERATING INCOME



## ADJUSTED DILUTED EPS



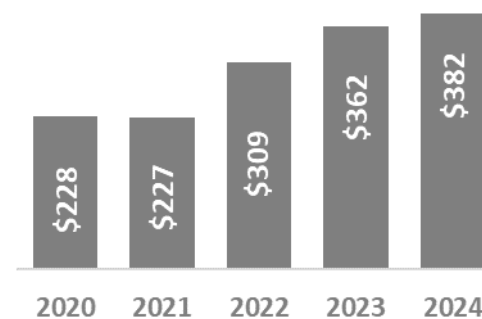
## RETURN ON INVESTED CAPITAL



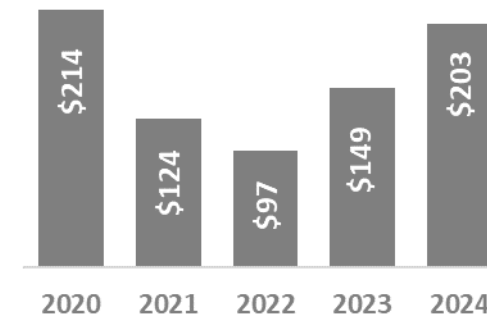
# CASH GENERATION

\$ millions

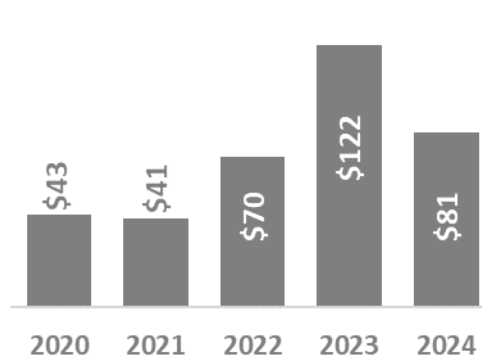
## ADJUSTED EBITDA (Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation & Amortization)



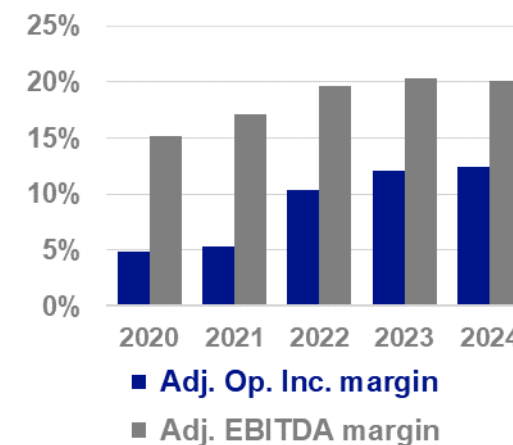
## FREE CASH FLOW



## CAPITAL EXPENDITURES (Accrued)



## MARGINS



# 2025 FINANCIAL GUIDANCE

## Sales

Transition year in 2025 as overall aerospace supply chain recovers  
Strong OE backlogs support future sales growth

## EPS

Operating leverage to drive EPS growth over time

## Free cash flow

Compelling free cash flow generation profile supported by growth  
and leveraging existing capacity

## 2025 GUIDANCE

### Sales

Approximately \$1.88 billion

Commercial Aerospace: Down mid-to-upper single digits

Defense, Space & Other: Up mid-to-upper single digits

### Adjusted Diluted EPS

\$1.70 – \$1.80 per share

*Reflects impact of tariffs*

### Free Cash Flow

Approximately \$190 million

### Capital Expenditures

Less than \$90 million

### Effective Tax Rate

21%

Positioned for a multi-year period of strong cash generation



# REASONS TO **INVEST** IN HEXCEL

Investing in Innovation | Achieving Operational Excellence | Strong Investment Fundamentals

## Leadership in Attractive Markets



Unrivalled product portfolio  
Continuing secular growth  
High barriers-to-entry

## Lightweighting for Emissions Reduction



Lightweighting saves fuel and reduces transportation emissions

## Culture of Innovation



Technology and innovation support sustained growth

## Operational Excellence



Driving productivity through optimized performance

## Strong Investment Fundamentals



Strong balance sheet  
Growing Free Cash Flow  
History of prudent capital management & allocation

**Secular growth supported by Innovation | High barriers | Proven execution**

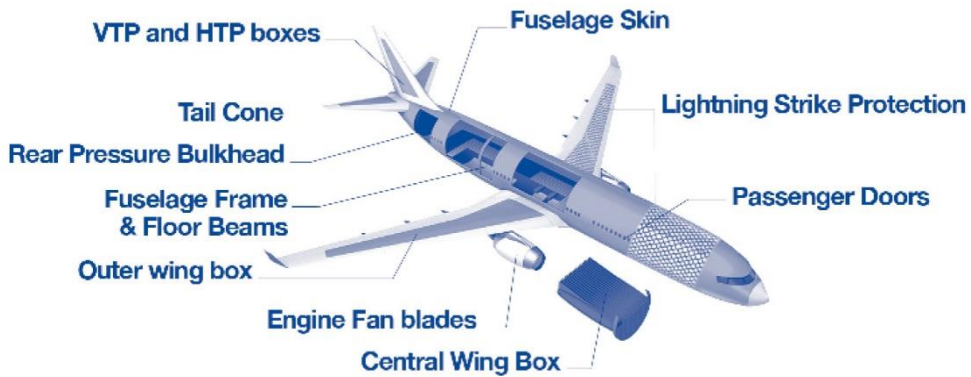


# APPENDIX

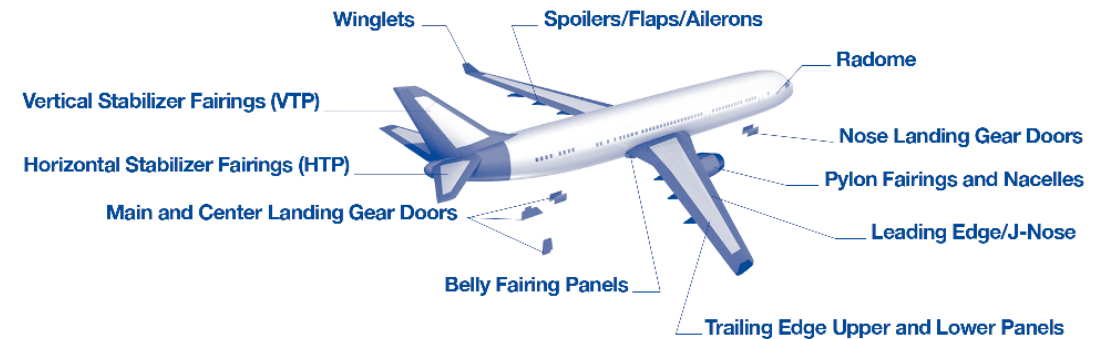
# Adopting for Performance & Lightweighting

Continuing secular growth opportunities

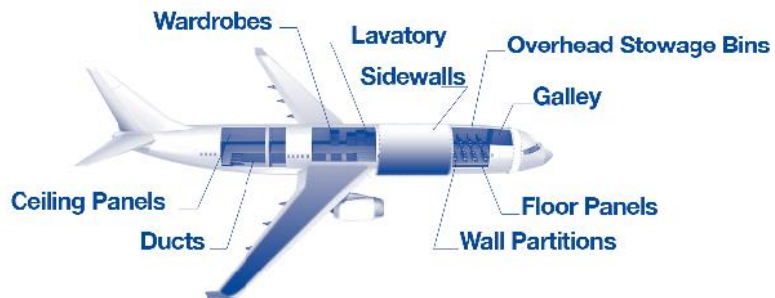
## PRIMARY STRUCTURES



## SECONDARY STRUCTURES



## INTERIOR STRUCTURES

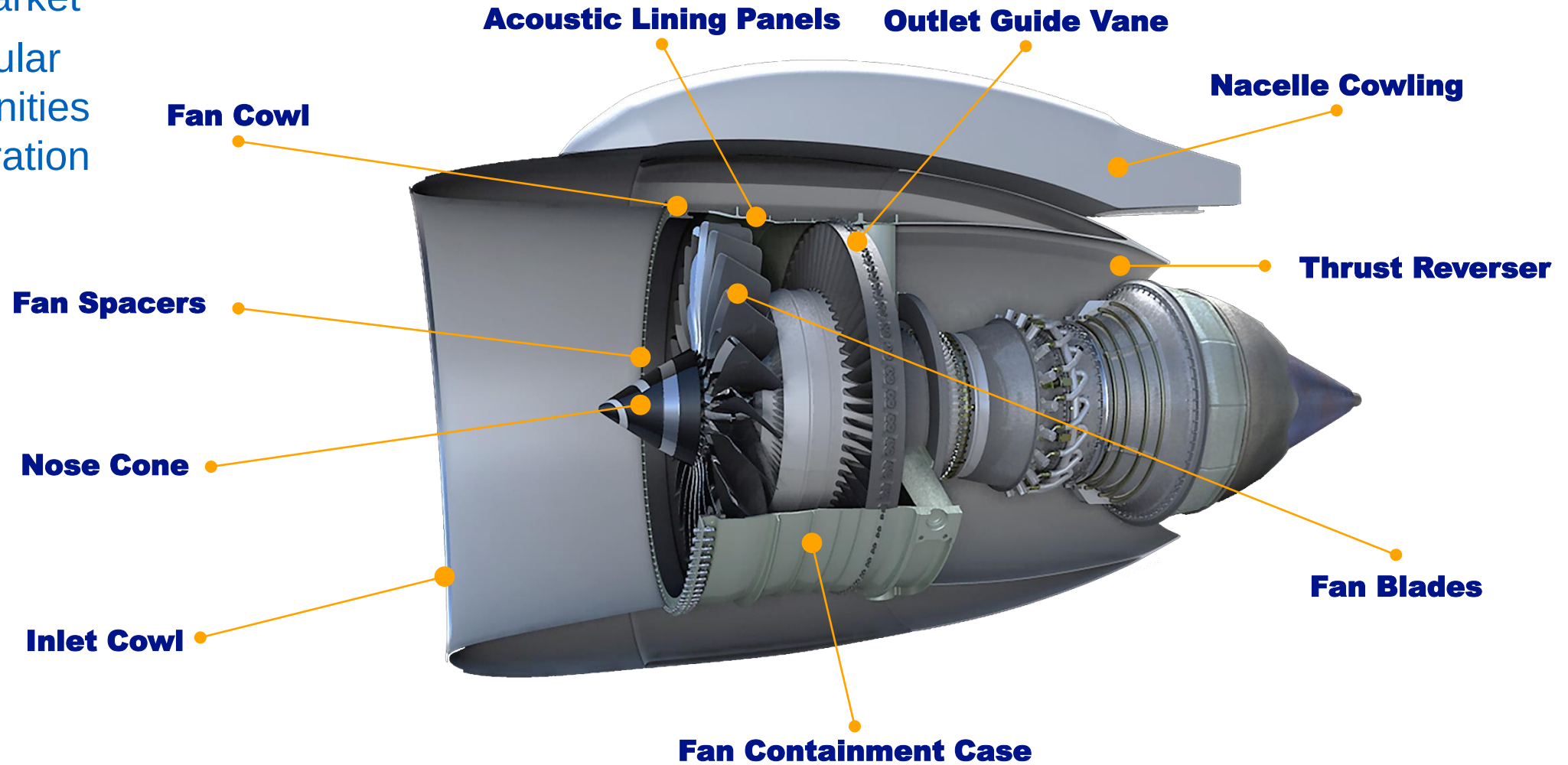


- Latest generation widebodies are >50% composites
- >60% on future platforms via continued secular adoption

# Engine & Nacelle Growth Opportunity

Engines & nacelles are an attractive market

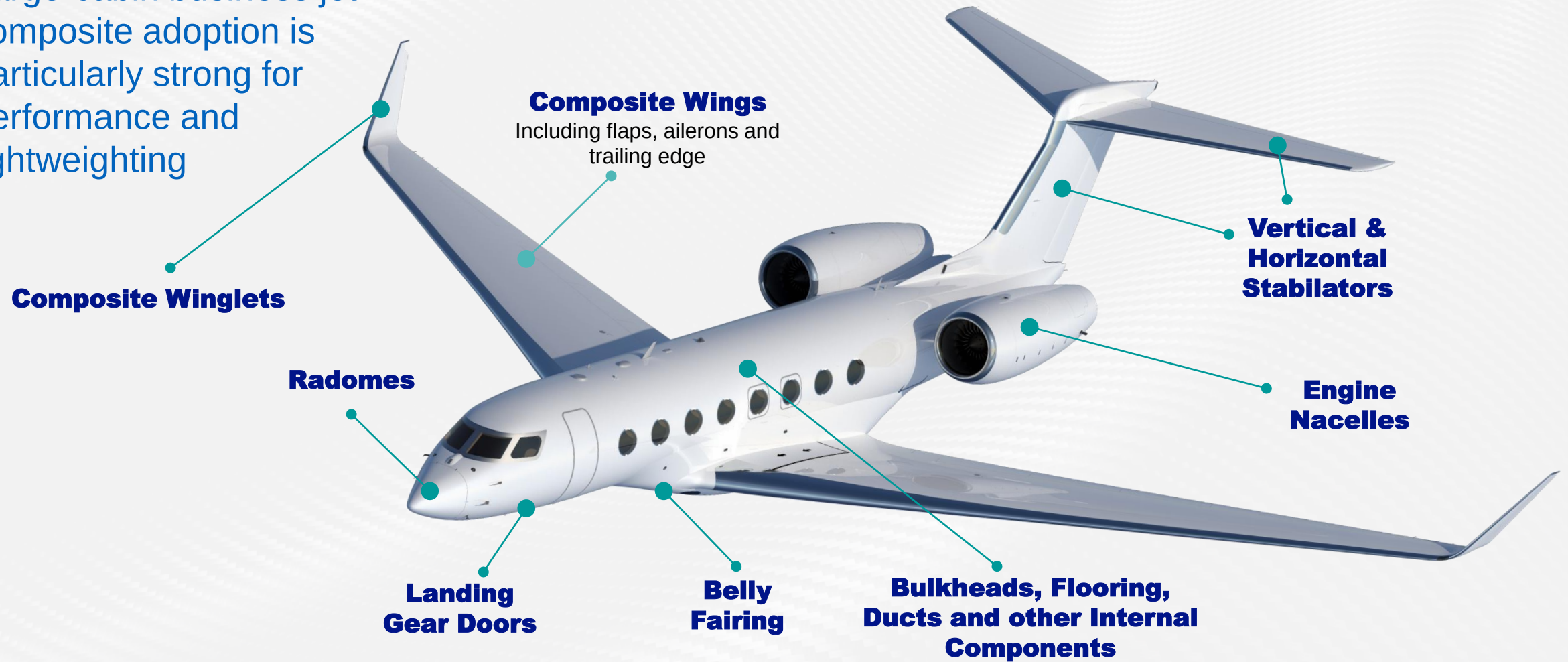
Continuing secular growth opportunities with next-generation engines





# Business Jet **Composite Applications**

Large-cabin business jet composite adoption is particularly strong for performance and lightweighting

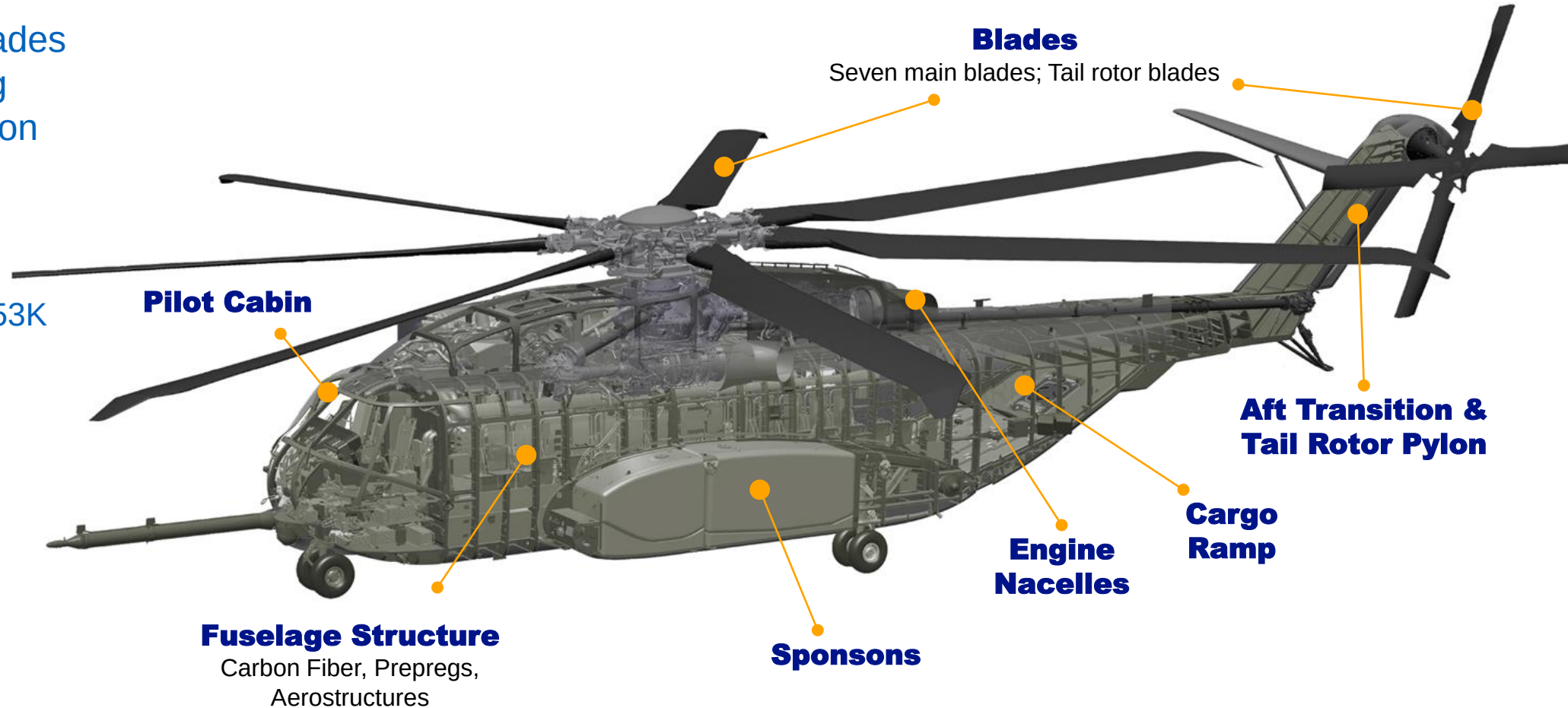


# Rotorcraft **Composites Adoption**

## Secular Penetration in Rotorcraft

Replacement blades provide recurring business based on fleet utilization

- Black Hawk
- V-22
- *Beginning:* CH-53K



## Reconciliation of Net Income to adjusted EBITDA (Earnings before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation & Amortization)

US Dollars in millions

|                                                 | FY<br>2021      | FY<br>2022      | FY<br>2023      | FY<br>2024      | Q3<br>2025     | Q3<br>2024     | YTD<br>2025     | YTD<br>2024     |
|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Net Income                                      | \$ 16.1         | \$ 126.3        | \$ 105.7        | \$ 132.1        | \$ 20.6        | \$ 39.8        | \$ 63.0         | \$ 126.3        |
| <b>Adjustments</b>                              |                 |                 |                 |                 |                |                |                 |                 |
| Interest Expense, Net                           | \$ 38.3         | \$ 36.2         | \$ 34.0         | \$ 31.2         | \$ 9.2         | \$ 8.5         | \$ 26.1         | \$ 23.1         |
| Income Tax Expense                              | 5.9             | 31.6            | 12.1            | 22.8            | 6.2            | 4.2            | 21.6            | 27.8            |
| Depreciation & Amortization expense             | 138.0           | 126.2           | 124.8           | 124.0           | 30.9           | 31.0           | 91.5            | 93.0            |
| <b>EBITDA</b>                                   | <b>198.3</b>    | <b>320.3</b>    | <b>276.6</b>    | <b>310.1</b>    | <b>66.9</b>    | <b>83.5</b>    | <b>202.2</b>    | <b>270.2</b>    |
| <b>Adjustments</b>                              |                 |                 |                 |                 |                |                |                 |                 |
| Stock-based Compensation                        | \$ 19.0         | \$ 20.0         | \$ 20.9         | \$ 22.2         | \$ 1.0         | \$ 2.9         | \$ 13.4         | \$ 19.3         |
| Other Operating Expense (Income) <sup>(1)</sup> | 18.2            | (11.9)          | 1.4             | 50.0            | 8.8            | 0.4            | 34.1            | 1.8             |
| Other Nonoperating Income <sup>(2)</sup>        | (8.5)           | (10.8)          | 71.6            | -               | -              | -              | (0.5)           | -               |
| Equity (Earnings) Losses                        | -               | (8.1)           | (8.1)           | -               | -              | -              | -               | -               |
| <b>Adjusted EBITDA</b>                          | <b>\$ 227.0</b> | <b>\$ 309.5</b> | <b>\$ 362.4</b> | <b>\$ 382.3</b> | <b>\$ 76.7</b> | <b>\$ 86.8</b> | <b>\$ 249.2</b> | <b>\$ 291.3</b> |

(1) Includes restructuring costs for all periods showing amounts. Q3 and YTD 2025 includes charges for the closure of the Welkenraedt, Belgium facility and charges associated with the divestiture of the Neumarkt, Austria plant. YTD 2025 included a loss of \$1.1 million for the previously announced divestiture of the Hartford, Connecticut business. 2024 amounts included asset impairments and other charges primarily associated with the divestiture of the Neumarkt plant. 2023 amounts include gain on the sale of a facility in Colorado and 2022 amounts include gain on the sale of a facility in California.

(2) YTD 2025 includes a gain related to a lump-sum pension settlement and YTD 2025 also includes debt extinguishment costs. Amounts in 2023 include a charge of \$70.5 million related to the buy-out of the UK pension plan; a charge of \$3.0 million (including the write-off of approximately \$9 million in currency translation amounts) related to the sale of the joint venture interest in Malaysia; and a pre-tax gain of \$1.9 million for the reversion of excess assets related to the UK pension plan. Amounts in 2021 and 2022 include receipts related to the Aviation Manufacturing Jobs Protection program.

*Note: Management believes that adjusted EBITDA, which is a non-GAAP measure, is meaningful to investors as it provides a view of Hexcel's underlying cash profit and cash generation ability.*

## Segment Adjusted Operating Income reconciliation

US Dollars in millions

| Composite Materials                             | FY<br>2022   | FY<br>2023   | FY<br>2024   | Q3<br>2025   | Q3<br>2024   | YTD<br>2025  | YTD<br>2024  |
|-------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Total sales - Composite Materials               | \$ 1,346.0   | \$ 1,544.8   | \$ 1,621.0   | \$ 382.1     | \$ 390.2     | \$ 1,180.1   | \$ 283.0     |
| Operating Income                                | 178.2        | 237.9        | 215.0        | 39.9         | 56.3         | 152.8        | 194.3        |
| <b>% Operating margin</b>                       | <b>13.2%</b> | <b>15.4%</b> | <b>13.3%</b> | <b>10.4%</b> | <b>14.4%</b> | <b>12.9%</b> | <b>68.7%</b> |
| Operating Income                                | 178.2        | 237.9        | 215.0        | 39.9         | 56.3         | 152.8        | 194.3        |
| Addback: Other operating expense <sup>(1)</sup> | 7.5          | 1.2          | 40.8         | 2.8          | 0.2          | 2.8          | 1.0          |
| Adjusted Operating income                       | 185.7        | 239.1        | 255.8        | 42.7         | 56.5         | 155.6        | 195.3        |
| <b>% Adjusted Operating margin</b>              | <b>13.8%</b> | <b>15.5%</b> | <b>15.8%</b> | <b>11.2%</b> | <b>14.5%</b> | <b>13.2%</b> | <b>69.0%</b> |

(1) Includes restructuring costs for all periods. 2025 and FY 2024 amounts include asset impairments and other charges primarily associated with the divestiture of the Neumarkt, Austria plant.

| Engineered Products                             | FY<br>2022   | FY<br>2023   | FY<br>2024   | Q3<br>2025   | Q3<br>2024   | YTD<br>2025  | YTD<br>2024  |
|-------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Total sales - Engineered Products               | \$ 300.8     | \$ 317.2     | \$ 373.2     | \$ 94.4      | \$ 89.0      | \$ 283.0     | \$ 274.5     |
| Operating Income                                | 36.6         | 32.8         | 39.6         | 13.6         | 10.0         | 5.1          | 35.9         |
| <b>% Operating margin</b>                       | <b>12.2%</b> | <b>10.3%</b> | <b>10.6%</b> | <b>14.4%</b> | <b>11.2%</b> | <b>1.8%</b>  | <b>13.1%</b> |
| Operating Income                                | 36.6         | 32.8         | 39.6         | 13.6         | 10.0         | 5.1          | 35.9         |
| Addback: Other operating expense <sup>(1)</sup> | -            | 0.2          | 7.7          | 1.0          | 0.2          | 26.3         | 0.8          |
| Adjusted Operating income                       | 36.6         | 33.0         | 47.3         | 14.6         | 10.2         | 31.4         | 36.7         |
| <b>% Adjusted Operating margin</b>              | <b>12.2%</b> | <b>10.4%</b> | <b>12.7%</b> | <b>15.5%</b> | <b>11.5%</b> | <b>11.1%</b> | <b>13.4%</b> |

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