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IHS Holding Limited

**Q3 | September YTD
Unaudited Results**

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Leading Global Emerging Market TowerCo

- IHS Towers' 20th anniversary
- 30,519 Towers ⁽¹⁾ – Fourth largest independent multinational tower company by tower count globally
- Spanning 9 countries in Africa, Middle East and Latin America with c.600M in total population ⁽²⁾
- Sustainability Initiatives
 - In September, launched Frontline Workers Initiative
 - Supported numerous initiatives relating to COVID-19 relief, education and healthcare infrastructure



Q3 - Strong Financial & Operational Performance

- In Q3'21, constructed 320 new towers, added 558 new tenants, and added 4,941 new lease amendments
- Q3'21 Revenue of \$401M, growing +8.7% or +12.7% when removing the \$13.1M ⁽³⁾ revenue catch-up reported in Q3'20
- Q3'21 Adjusted EBITDA ⁽⁴⁾ of \$220M
- Q3'21 Adjusted EBITDA ⁽⁴⁾ margin of 54.9%
- Q3'21 Recurring Levered Free Cash Flow ⁽⁵⁾ of \$74M
- Consolidated Net Leverage Ratio ⁽⁶⁾ of 2.2x as of September 30, 2021



Key Recent Developments

- IPO on the New York Stock Exchange on October 14, 2021 raising \$378M (\$358M net)
- Actively examining the refinancing of the 2025 Notes
- Egypt market entry progressing
- FiberCo transaction with TIM Brasil expected to close imminently in Q4'21

(1) # of towers for IHS as of September 30, 2021

(2) Source: World Bank 2020 population

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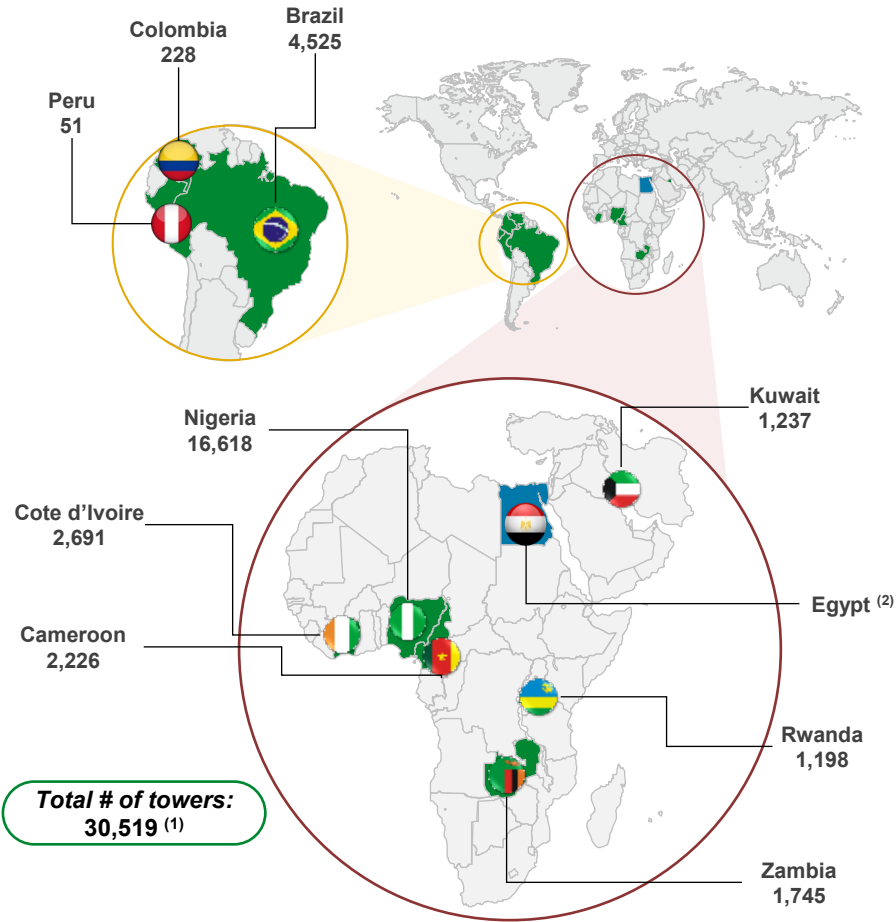
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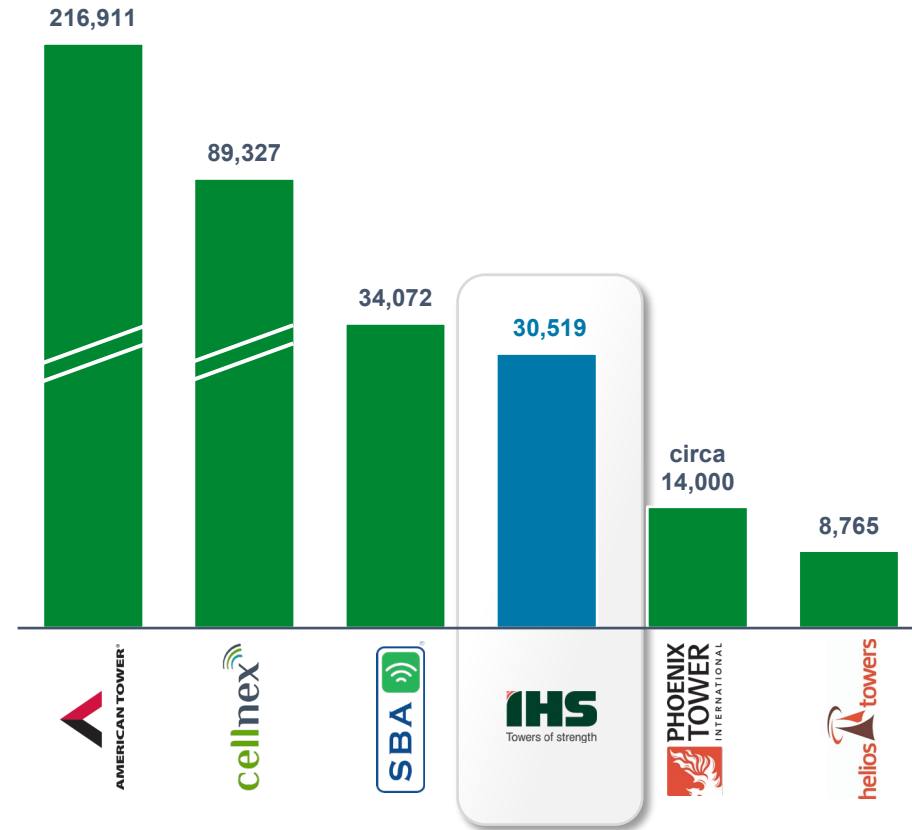
OVER 30K TOWERS ON 3 CONTINENTS (1)

of Towers



4TH LARGEST INDEPENDENT MULTINATIONAL TOWERCO GLOBALLY BY TOWER COUNT (3)

of Towers



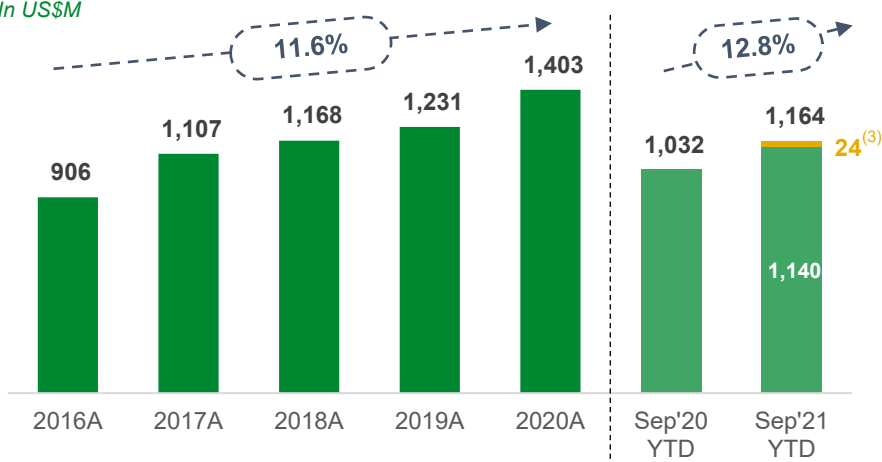
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(2) Signed a partnership on October 6, 2021 with Egypt Digital Company for Investment S.A.E. (the largest shareholder of Egypt Towers for Technology Services Company) to obtain a license from the National Telecom Regulatory Authority ("NTRA") to erect and lease telecom towers in Egypt

(3) Tower count as reported as of September 30, 2021

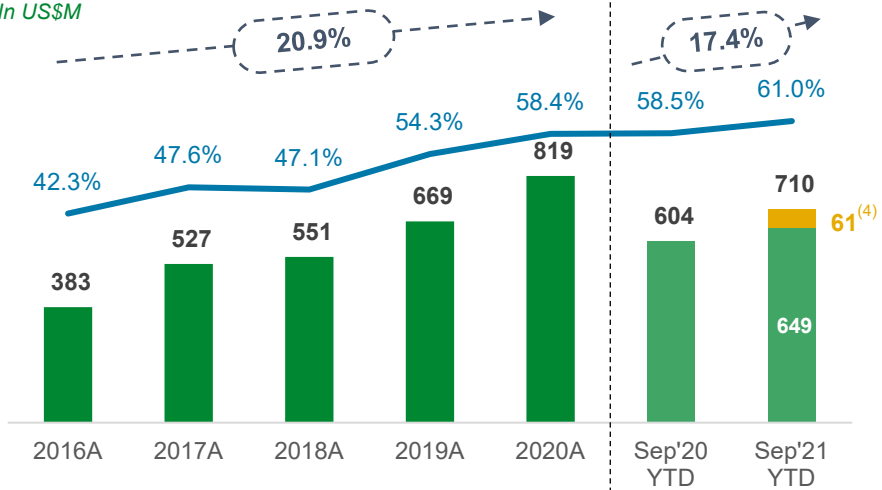
REVENUE

In US\$M



ADJUSTED EBITDA AND ADJUSTED EBITDA MARGIN (1) (2)

In US\$M



GROWTH STRATEGY

Leverage platform to drive growth in our existing markets and continue expanding into new markets, driving profitability and returns for our shareholders.

Capitalize on Significant Growth Opportunities in Existing Markets

Optimize Utilization of Existing Assets

Consolidate Towers Globally in New and Existing Markets

Reinforce Market Positions Through Innovative Solutions and Expand the Value Chain

Drive Profitability and Returns to Shareholders

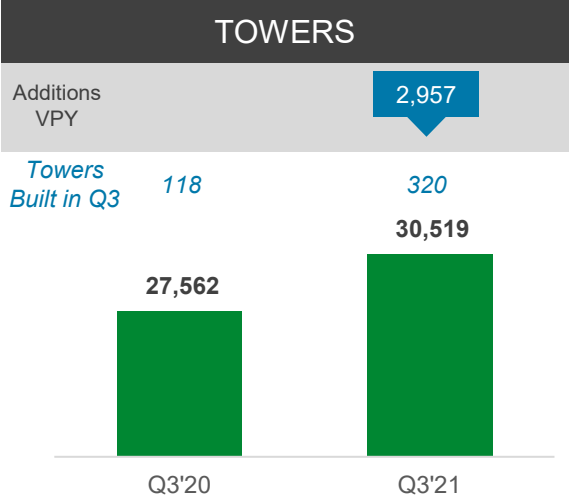
Continue Improving Our Community and Environmental Impact

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(2) IFRS-16 was adopted effective January 1, 2019, and therefore reflected in the financials for 2019, 2020 and 2021.

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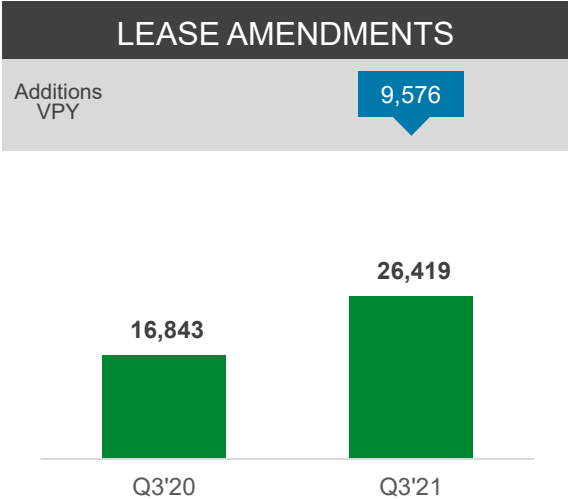
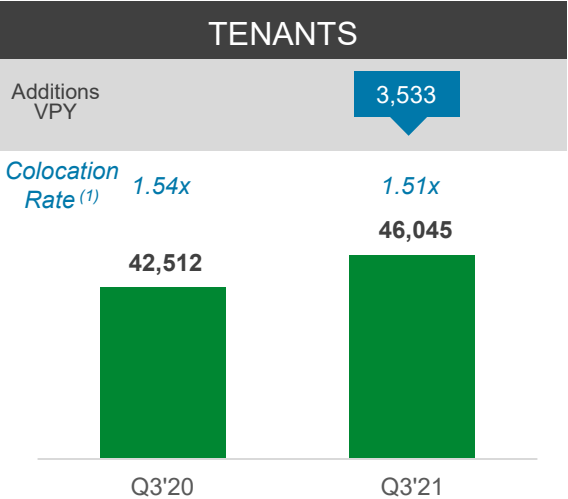
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1.51x

Colocation rate ⁽¹⁾ at end of Q3'21

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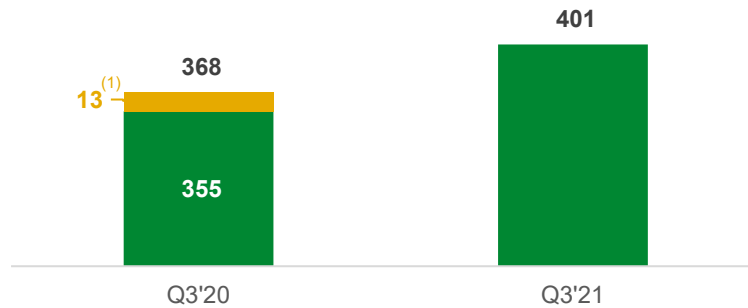
⁽¹⁾ Colocation Rate excludes lease amendments

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE

Q3 REVENUE

Growth	8.7%
Organic Growth	11.8%

In US\$M



+8.7%

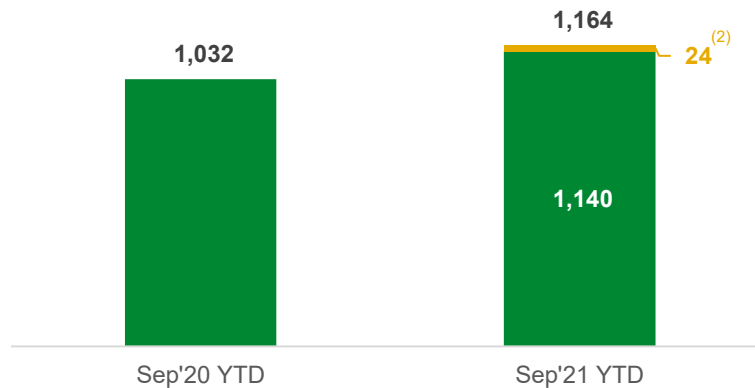
Q3'21 Growth Rate VPY

- Q3'21 revenue growth +12.7% when removing the \$13.1M⁽¹⁾ revenue catch-up reported in Q3'20

SEPTEMBER YTD REVENUE

Growth	12.8%
Organic Growth	16.8%

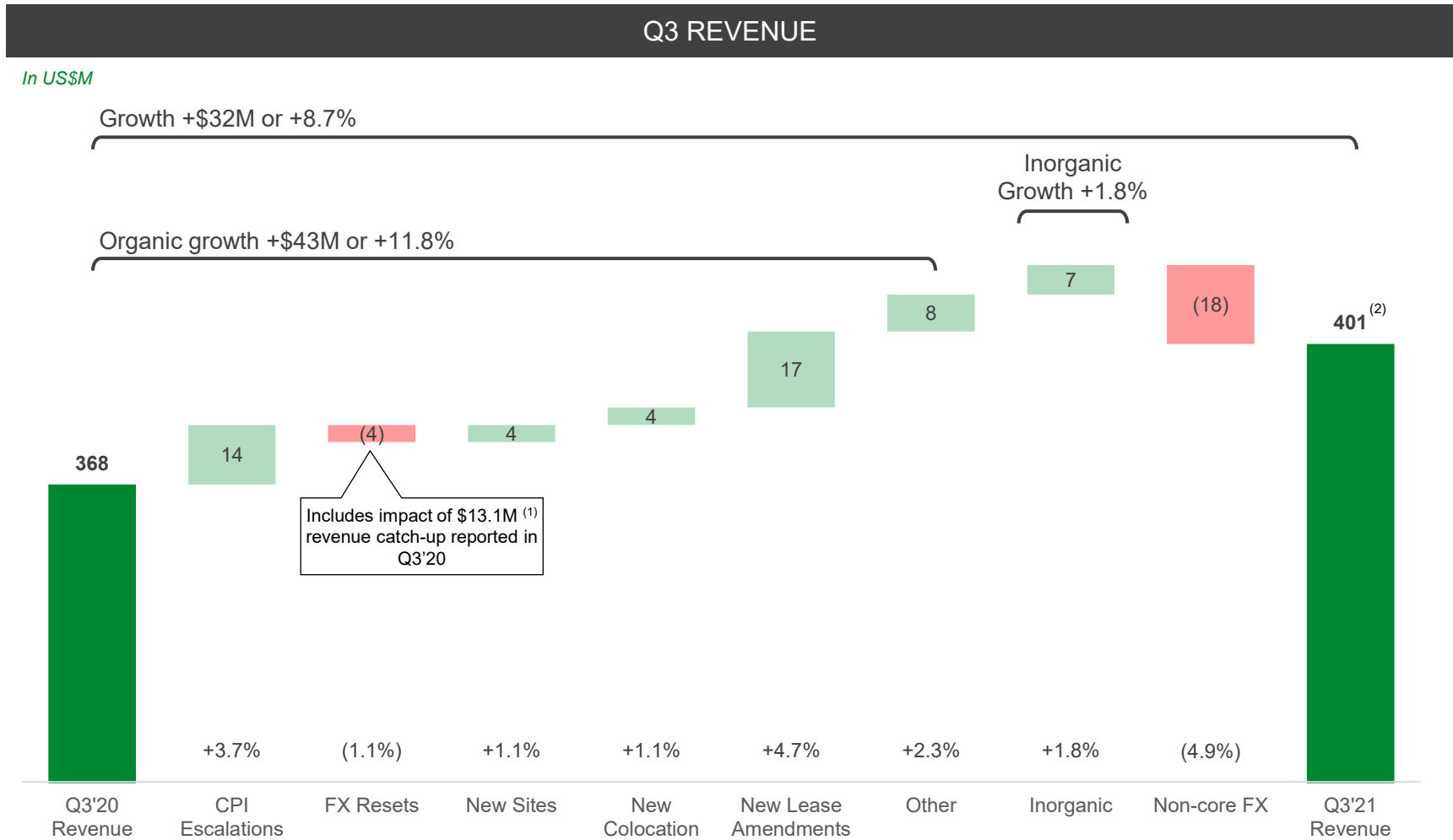
In US\$M



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Q3'21 CONSOLIDATED REVENUE WALK



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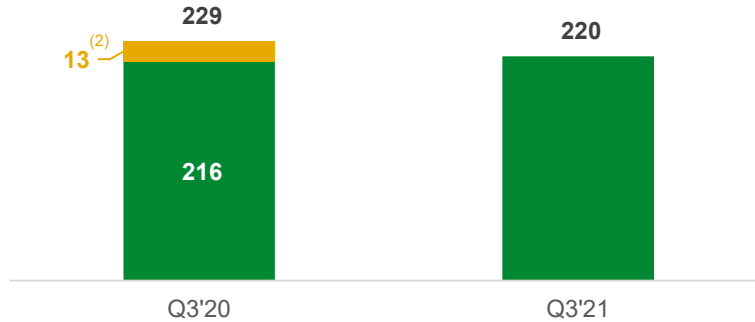
Q3 ADJUSTED EBITDA ⁽¹⁾

Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾
Margin

62.3%

54.9%

In US\$M



54.9%

Q3'21 Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾
Margin

- Q3'21 Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾ growth +1.6% when removing the \$13.1M revenue catch-up reported in Q3'20
- Q3'21 Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾ margin delta driven by new recurring listed company costs and higher diesel costs

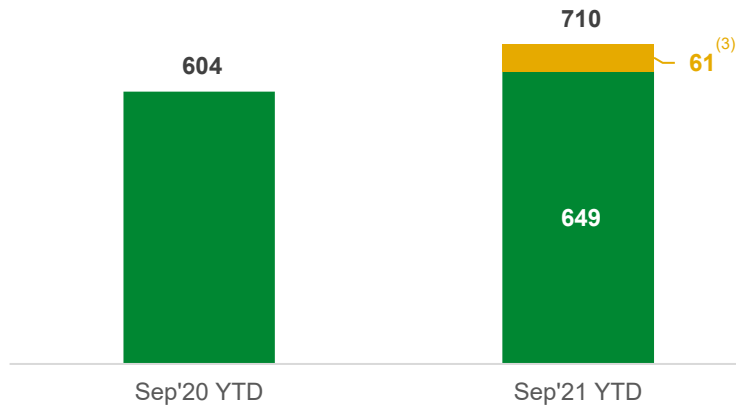
SEPTEMBER YTD ADJUSTED EBITDA ⁽¹⁾

Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾
Margin

58.5%

61.0%

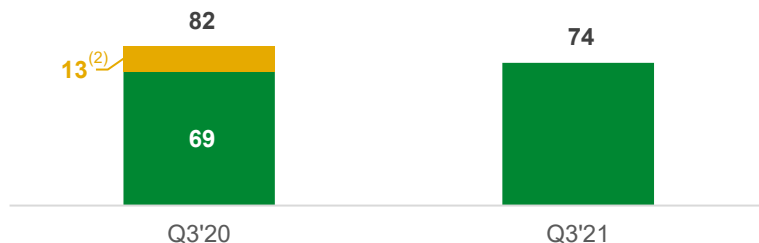
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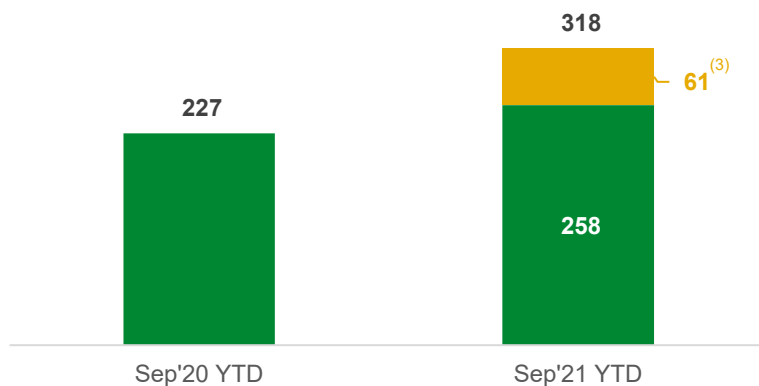
Q3 RECURRING LEVERED FREE CASH FLOW ⁽¹⁾

In US\$M



SEPTEMBER YTD RECURRING LEVERED FREE CASH FLOW ⁽¹⁾

In US\$M



\$74M
Q3'21 Recurring Levered Free Cash Flow ⁽¹⁾

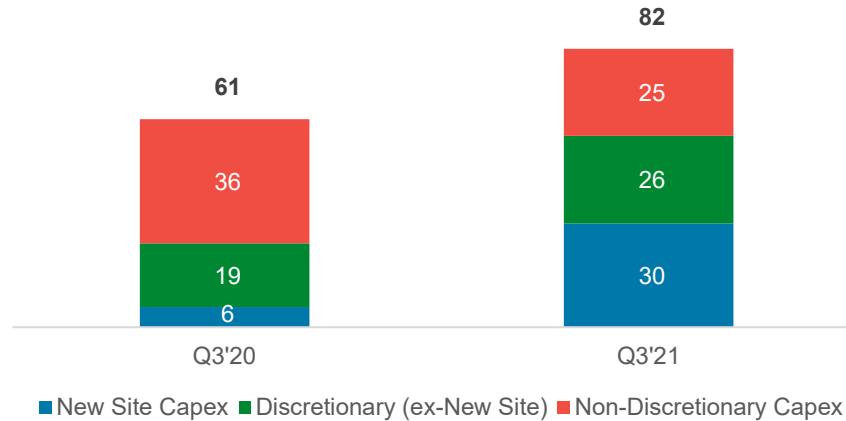
- Q3'21 Recurring Levered Free Cash Flow ⁽¹⁾ growth +6.8% when removing the \$13.1M revenue catch-up reported in Q3'20

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CONSOLIDATED CAPEX

Q3 CAPEX

In US\$M



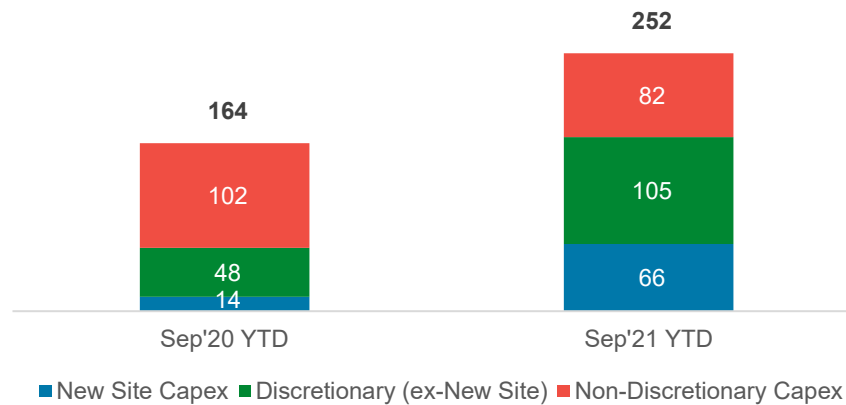
\$82M

Q3'21 Capex Spend

- Q3'21 Capex growth +33.7% VPY driven largely by investment in new sites in Nigeria and LatAm as well as augmentation for new tenants and fiber connectivity in Nigeria
- Q3'21 Lower non-discretionary Capex spend driven by timing

SEPTEMBER YTD CAPEX

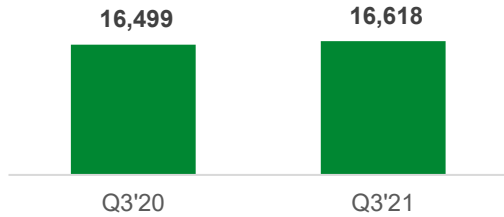
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NIGERIA SEGMENT Q3'21 PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS

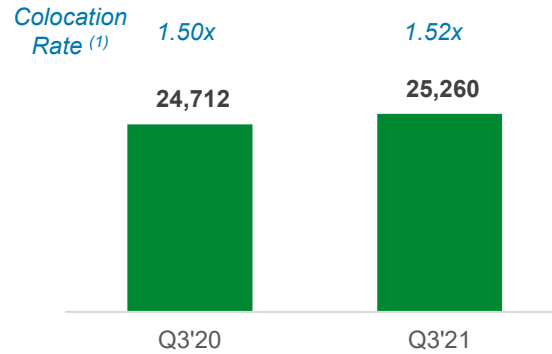
TOWERS

Towers Built in Q3: 28 (Q3'20) and 98 (Q3'21)



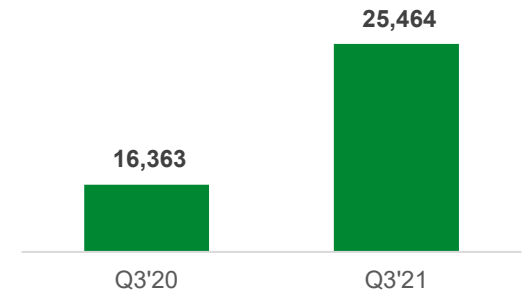
TENANTS

Additions VPY: 548 (Q3'21)



LEASE AMENDMENTS

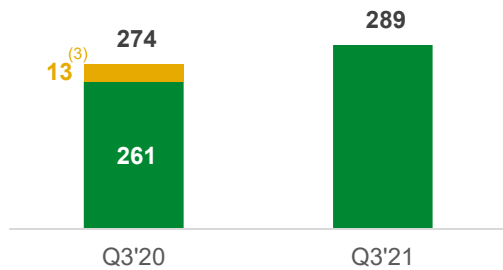
Additions VPY: 9,101 (Q3'21)



REVENUE

Organic Growth: 12.2% (Q3'21)

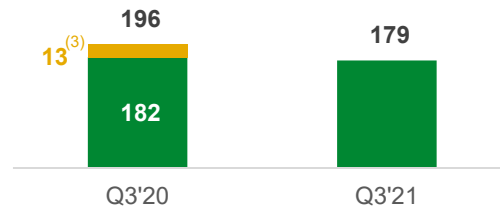
In US\$M



ADJUSTED EBITDA (2)

Adjusted EBITDA Margin: 71.3% (Q3'21)

In US\$M



Strong revenue growth partially offset by higher power cost

- In Q3'21, constructed 98 new towers, added 658 new tenants, and added 4,941 lease amendments
- Q3'21 Revenue growth +10.6% and Adjusted EBITDA (2) growth (1.6%) when removing the \$13.1M revenue catch-up reported in Q3'20
- Increase in power cost driving Adjusted EBITDA (2) margin delta

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OTHER SEGMENTS Q3'21 PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS

Revenue & Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾ In US\$M

		Q3'20	Q3'21	VPY
SSA 	Towers	7,631	7,860	3.0%
	Tenants	13,620	13,721	0.7%
	Revenue	79	89	12.6%
	Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾	44	50	14.4%
	Margin %	54.9%	55.8%	90 Bps
LatAm 	Towers	2,410	4,804	99.3%
	Tenants	3,158	5,826	84.5%
	Revenue	9	15	71.0%
	Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾	7	11	70.0%
	Margin %	76.0%	75.6%	(40 Bps)
MENA 	Towers	1,022	1,237	21.0%
	Tenants	1,022	1,238	21.1%
	Revenue	6	7	22.8%
	Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾	3	3	21.8%
	Margin %	45.0%	44.6%	(40 Bps)

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US\$M	As of September 30, 2020	As of September 30, 2021
8.000% Senior Notes due 2027	940	940
7.125% Senior Notes due 2025	510	510
Nigeria Senior Credit Facilities	476	423
Other Credit Facilities	294	298
IFRS 16 Lease Liabilities	288	377
Unamortized issuance costs and accrued interest	(28)	(24)
Total Indebtedness	2,481⁽¹⁾	2,523⁽¹⁾
Cash and Cash Equivalents	580	501
Consolidated Net Leverage	1,900⁽¹⁾	2,022
LTM Pro Forma Adjusted EBITDA ⁽²⁾	767	930
Consolidated Net Leverage Ratio⁽³⁾	2.5x	2.2x

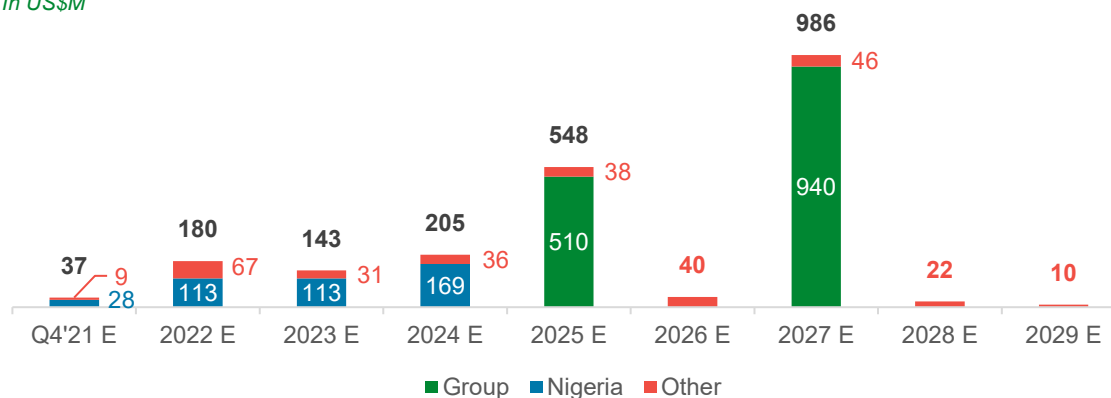
2.2x

September 30, 2021 Consolidated Net Leverage Ratio⁽³⁾

- Consolidated Net Leverage Ratio⁽³⁾ (0.3x) VPY
- Actively examining the refinancing of the 2025 Notes

DEBT MATURITY PROFILE⁽⁴⁾

In US\$M



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(4) Maturity profile as of September 30, 2021. Maturity profile assumes FX rates as of September 30, 2021 and no additional drawdowns, including under facilities which have undrawn portions. Q4'21 E debt repayment is shown for the period of October 1 through December 31, 2021.



Date

May 5, 2021 ⁽¹⁾

October 6, 2021 ⁽¹⁾

Transaction overview

- Signed definitive agreement to acquire 51% stake in TIM Brasil's secondary fiber optic network and related assets ("FiberCo")
- TIM Brasil to serve as anchor tenant, with initial asset base covering 6.4 million homes passed
- Expected to close imminently in Q4'21
- Investment of approximately R\$1.6 billion ⁽²⁾ (secondary payment to TIM and primary contribution to FiberCo)

- IHS and Egypt Digital Company for Investment S.A.E. ("EDCI") announced the formation and licensing of IHS Telecom Towers Egypt S.A.E. ("IHS Egypt")
- IHS Egypt will be owned 80% by IHS and 20% by EDCI
- IHS Egypt may build up to 5,800 towers during the first 3 years and acquire towers owned by third parties
- 4 major MNOs: Vodafone, Orange, Etisalat, Telecom Egypt
- ~24,000-25,000 total towers in market (excluding BTS to be built)
- No existing independent TowerCos of scale

Highlights

- High-quality fiber infrastructure network
- Contracted expansion plan with tower like anchor tenancy
- Footprint focused on populated areas which are underpenetrated
- Natural extension of Tower business; aligns IHS closer to TIM Brasil
- Diversifies and scales IHS LatAm operations

- First mover advantage in attractive market
- Population: 100M ⁽³⁾
- Mobile subscribers: 87M ⁽³⁾
- Mobile penetration: 84% ⁽³⁾
- 4G penetration: 24% ⁽³⁾
- 5G penetration: 0% (no spectrum allocated yet) ⁽³⁾
- MNOs/Subscribers market share/estimated towers owned
 - Vodafone 43% / ~9,100 towers ⁽³⁾
 - Orange 29% / ~5,800 towers ⁽³⁾
 - Etisalat 20% / ~6,500 towers ⁽³⁾
 - Telecom Egypt 8% / ~1,700 towers ⁽³⁾

⁽¹⁾ Signing announced, closing remains subject to customary conditions and approvals

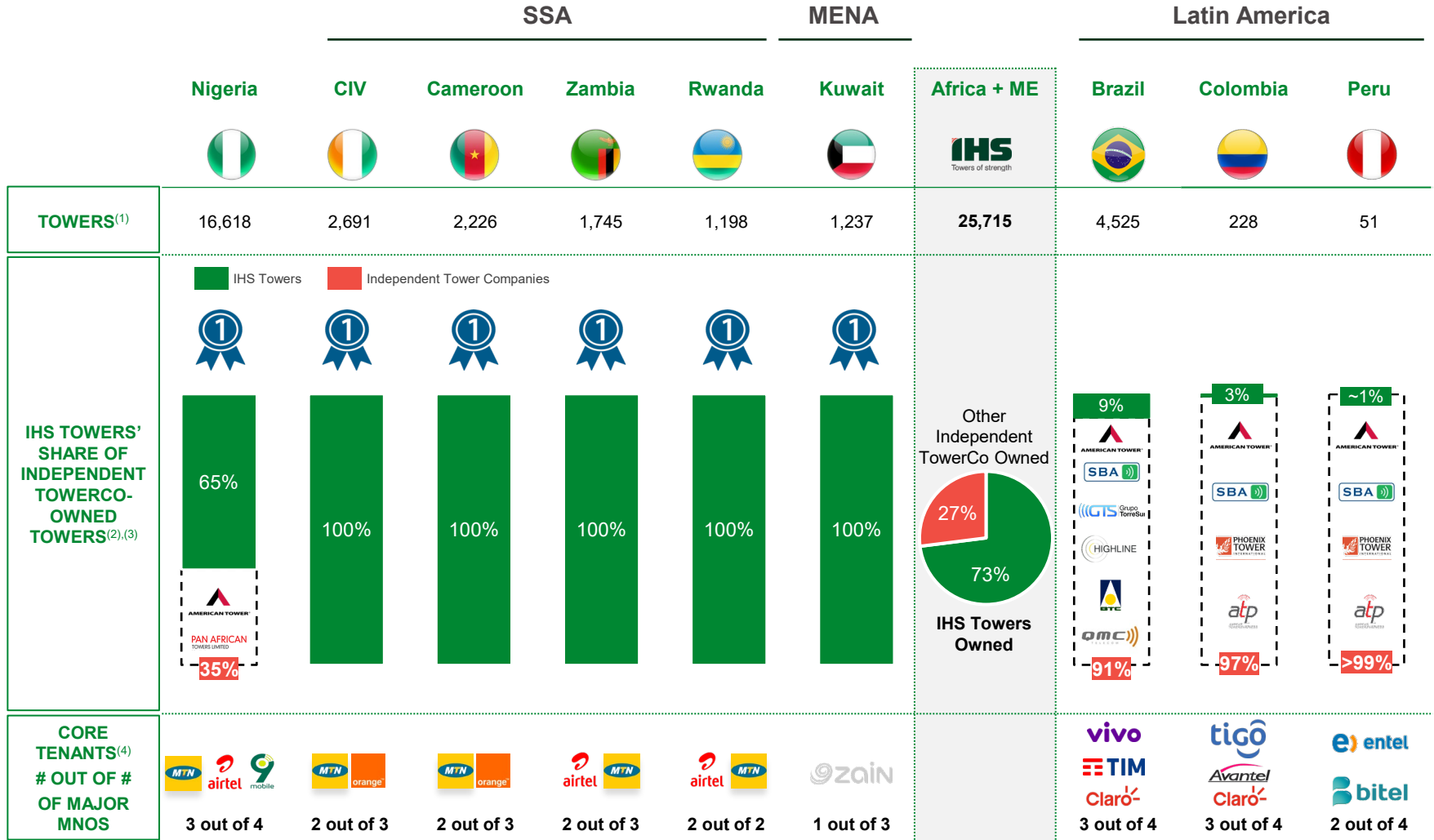
⁽²⁾ Subject to certain closing adjustments

⁽³⁾ Source: Analysys Mason. Data as of December 31, 2020

APPENDIX

LARGEST INDEPENDENT TOWERCO IN AFRICA AND MENA, WITH GROWING LATAM BUSINESS

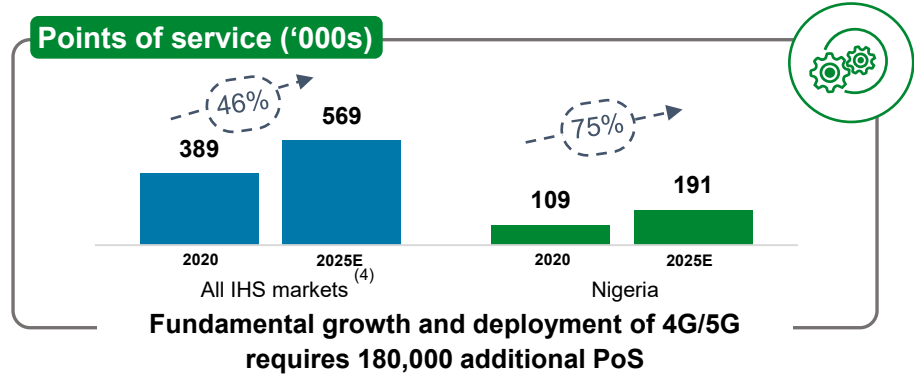
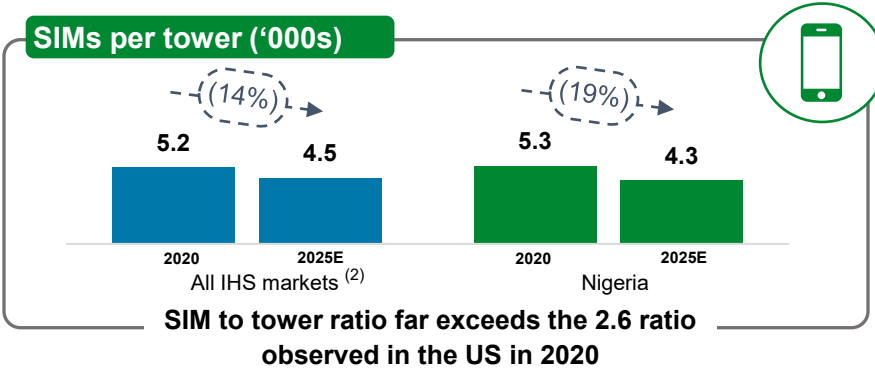
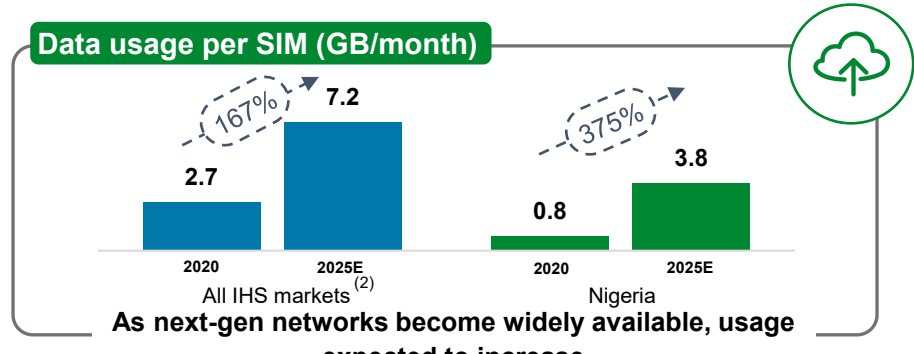
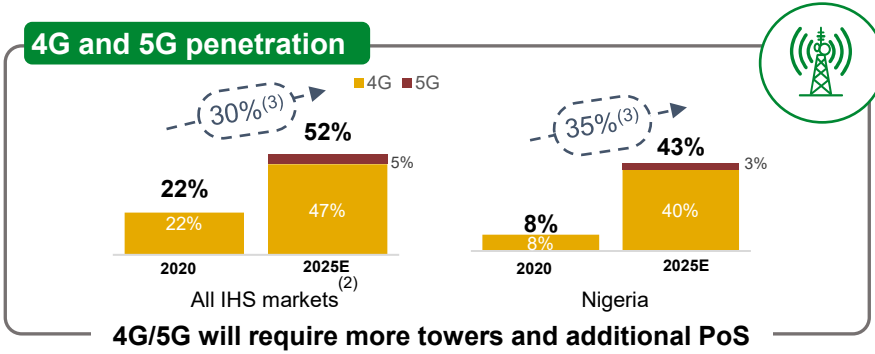
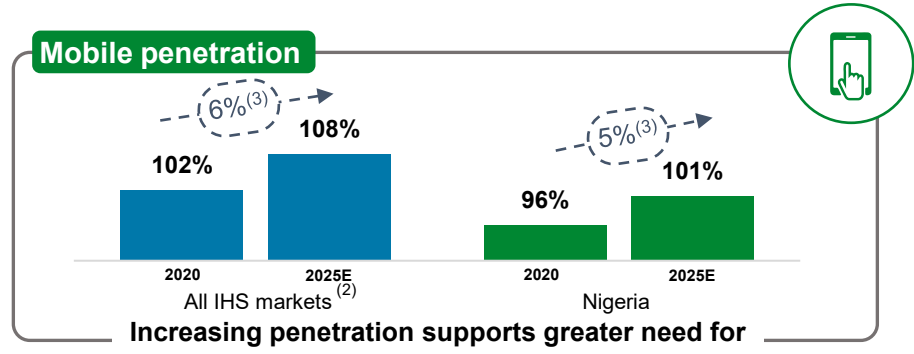
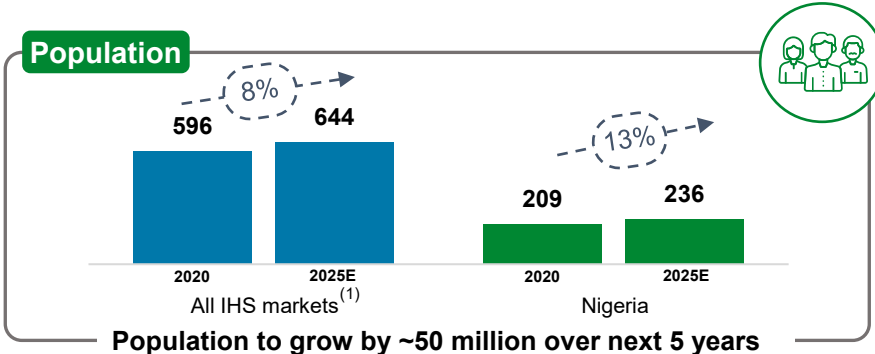
Clear leader in Nigeria and the sole independent TowerCo operator in our other Africa and Middle East markets.



Source: Analysys Mason, TowerXchange, Company estimates.

(1) # of towers for IHS as of September 30, 2021. (2) Market share based on December 31, 2020 figures, including 602 towers acquired from Centennial Brazil which closed in April 2021, 217 towers acquired from Centennial Colombia which closed in March 2021, and 1,005 sites acquired from Skysites which closed in January 2021. (3) Competitors includes only independent TowerCos with at least 200 towers. (4) Represents major MNOs for each market from which IHS Towers has purchased tower portfolios or for which IHS Towers has built new sites.

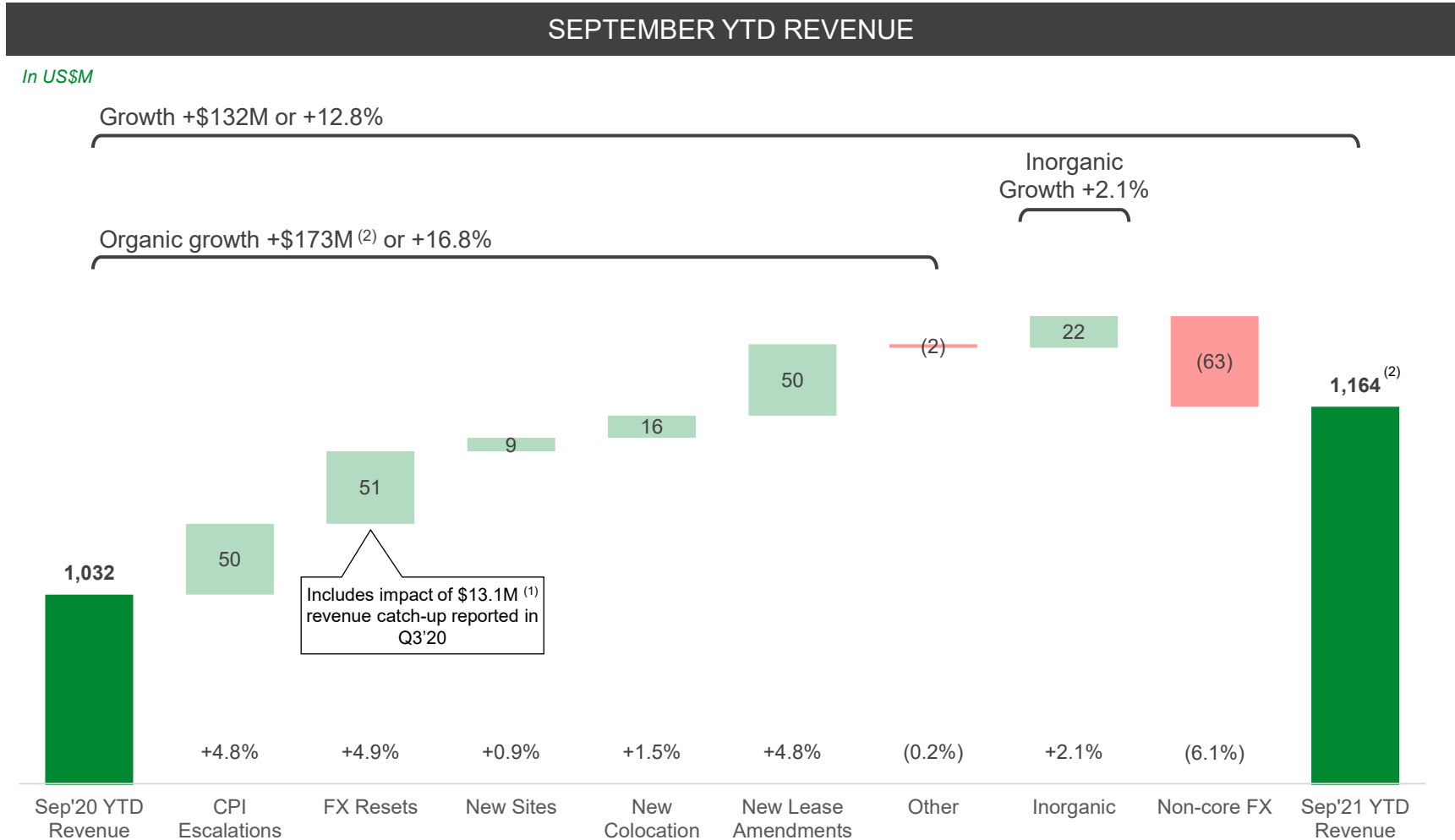
HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE MARKETS WELL-SUITED FOR ORGANIC GROWTH



Source: Analysys Mason, SNL Kagan, GlobalData, Euromonitor.

(1) Sum of the total population in each of IHS' markets. (2) Blended average metrics based on IHS number of towers. (3) Indicates absolute increase in penetration. (4) Sum of the total points of service in each of IHS' markets excluding Peru and Colombia.

SEPTEMBER YTD 2021 CONSOLIDATED REVENUE WALK



(1) In Q3'20 we concluded a renegotiation of certain contractual terms with MTN Nigeria which included agreeing to move the reference rates for conversions from CBN to prevailing market rates. This resulted in a \$13.1M revenue catch-up related to the period of Q2'20

(2) Presentation impacted by rounding

SEGMENTAL SEPTEMBER YTD 2021 PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS

Revenue & Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾ In US\$M

			Sep'20 YTD	Sep'21 YTD	VPY
Nigeria		Revenue	765	847	10.7%
		Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾	523	600	14.6%
		Margin %	68.4%	70.8%	240 Bps
SSA		Revenue	231	256	10.8%
		Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾	124	145	16.4%
		Margin %	53.7%	56.4%	270 Bps
LatAm		Revenue	21	40	86.0%
		Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾	16	29	82.2%
		Margin %	75.0%	73.5%	(150 Bps)
MENA		Revenue	15	21	40.5%
		Adjusted EBITDA ⁽¹⁾	7	9	40.8%
		Margin %	44.4%	44.5%	10 Bps

(1) Adjusted EBITDA is a measure not presented in accordance with IFRS. Please refer to the Appendix for a reconciliation of profit/(loss) for the period, the most directly comparable IFRS measure, to Adjusted EBITDA.

ADJUSTED EBITDA RECONCILIATION

Reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA for the period to profit/(loss)	3-month period ended		9-month period ended	
	Sep 30,	Sep 30,	Sep 30,	Sep 30,
	2020	2021	2020	2021
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
(Loss)/profit	(20,022)	(30,447)	(372,912)	46,159
Income tax expense	32,554	27,531	129,250	67,544
Finance costs	96,647	63,448	473,864	218,069
Finance income	(22)	(4,748)	(13,165)	(22,030)
Depreciation and amortization	96,847	99,255	317,871	283,180
Impairment of withholding tax receivables	10,748	11,714	25,405	44,398
Business combination transaction costs	121	3,139	11,438	9,087
Impairment of property, plant and equipment and related prepaid land rent	3,462	41,556	16,669	44,369
Reversal of provision for decommissioning costs	-	(2,671)	-	(2,671)
Net loss/(profit) on sale of assets	292	(94)	(246)	(1,632)
Share-based payment (credit)/expense	(467)	4,286	6,324	8,968
Insurance claims	(12)	(35)	(2,597)	(5,437)
Listing costs	8,963	2,624	12,134	6,659
Other costs	304	4,160	305	14,353
Other Income	-	-	-	(1,269)
Adjusted EBITDA	229,415	219,718	604,340	709,747

RECURRING LEVERED FREE CASH FLOW RECONCILIATION

Reconciliation of cash flows from operating activities for the period to Recurring Levered Free Cash Flow	3-month period ended		9-month period ended	
	Sep 30,	Sep 30,	Sep 30,	Sep 30,
	2020	2021	2020	2021
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Cash from operations	210,155	205,672	517,086	597,890
Net movement in working capital	13,928	5,183	69,013	51,637
Reversal of loss allowance/(loss allowance) on trade receivables	(1,371)	994	(2,712)	37,614
Impairment of inventory	-	-	-	176
Income taxes paid	(8,950)	(4,780)	(12,826)	(24,166)
Revenue withholding tax	(22,477)	(24,957)	(69,307)	(82,799)
Lease payments made	(16,307)	(24,950)	(44,594)	(70,125)
Net interest paid	(66,042)	(68,079)	(151,173)	(139,075)
Business combination costs	121	3,139	11,438	9,087
Listing costs	8,963	2,624	12,134	6,659
Other non-operating expenses	304	4,160	305	14,353
Other Income	-	-	-	(1,269)
Maintenance capital expenditure	(36,095)	(25,011)	(100,567)	(80,747)
Corporate capital expenditures	(274)	(420)	(1,678)	(977)
Recurring Levered Free Cash Flow	81,955	73,575	227,119	318,258

Currency	Average					Period End Spot				
	2019A	2020A	Q1'21	Q2'21	Q3'21	2019A	2020A	Q1'21	Q2'21	Q3'21
Nigeria (Naira) – USD:NGN NAFEX	362	382	403	411	412	365	410	409	411	415
Kuwait (Dinar) – USD:KWD	0.31	0.31	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.31	0.31	0.30	0.30	0.30
Brazil (Real) – USD:BRL	3.95	5.14	5.46	5.30	5.22	4.03	5.20	5.76	4.95	5.42

Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA margin and other non-IFRS financial measures are used by Group management to monitor the underlying performance of the business and the operations. Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA margin and other non-IFRS financial measures are used by different companies for differing purposes and are often calculated in ways that reflect the circumstances of those companies. You should exercise caution in comparing Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA margin and other non-IFRS financial measures as reported by us to Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA margin and other non-IFRS financial measures as reported by other companies. Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA margin and the other non-IFRS financial measures described in this document are unaudited and have not been prepared in accordance with IFRS or any other generally accepted accounting principles. In addition, the presentation of these measures is not intended to and does not comply with the reporting requirements of any regulatory authority and will not be subject to review by a regulatory authority; compliance with such requirements may require us to make changes to the presentation of this information.

Adjusted EBITDA: Profit/(loss) for the period, before income tax expense/(benefit), finance costs and income, depreciation and amortization, impairment of withholding tax receivables, business combination transaction costs, impairment of property, plant and equipment and related prepaid land rent on the decommissioning of sites, net (profit)/loss on sale of assets, share-based payment (credit)/expense, insurance claims, costs relating to this offering and certain other items that management believes are not indicative of the core performance of our business. The most directly comparable IFRS measure to Adjusted EBITDA is our profit/(loss) for the period. Adjusted EBITDA is not intended to be an alternative measure of operating income or gross profit margin as determined in accordance with IFRS.

The amounts calculated in respect of Adjusted EBITDA are aligned with amounts calculated under Consolidated EBITDA (as defined in the indenture), the latter of which is used to determine compliance with certain covenants under our 2025 Notes and 2027 Notes.

Adjusted EBITDA margin: Adjusted EBITDA divided by revenue, expressed as a percentage.

Capital expenditure (“Capex”): the additions of property, plant and equipment (including advance payments for such additions) and the purchase of software, as presented in the statement of cash flows.

Colocation Rate: Refers to the average number of tenants per tower that is owned or operated across a tower portfolio at a given point in time. We calculate the Colocation Rate by dividing the total number of Tenants across our portfolio by the total number of Towers across our portfolio at a given time.

Consolidated Net Leverage: The sum, expressed in U.S. dollars, of the aggregate outstanding indebtedness of the Parent Guarantor and its restricted subsidiaries on a consolidated basis.

Consolidated Net Leverage Ratio: Ratio of consolidated net leverage to Consolidated EBITDA for the most recently ended four consecutive fiscal quarters.

The amounts calculated in respect of Consolidated EBITDA (as defined in the indenture) are aligned with amounts calculated under Adjusted EBITDA, as defined above.

Gross Debt: Borrowings as stated on the statement of financial position plus lease liabilities as stated on the statement of financial position.

Group: IHS Holding Limited and each of its direct and indirect subsidiaries.

Guarantors: The Parent Guarantor and the Subsidiary Guarantors, collectively, unless otherwise indicated herein.

Inorganic Revenue: Inorganic revenue captures the impact on revenue from existing Tenants of new tower portfolios or businesses that we have acquired since the beginning of the prior period (except as described in the organic revenue). Where tower portfolios or businesses were acquired during the current period under review, inorganic revenue is calculated as the revenue contribution from those acquisitions in their “at acquisition” state (measured as the local currency revenue generated during the first full month following the acquisition) in the current period. This treatment continues for 12 months following acquisition.

LatAm: Our Latin America segment which comprises our operations in Brazil, Colombia and Peru.

Lease Amendments: Refers to the installation of additional equipment on a site or the provision of certain ancillary services for an existing Tenant, for which we charge our customers a recurring lease fee.

LTM Adjusted EBITDA: Adjusted EBITDA for the last twelve months

Net Debt: Gross debt less cash and cash equivalents at a stated statement of financial position date.

Non-core Revenue: Non-core captures the impact of movements in foreign exchange rates on the translation of the results of our local operations from their local functional currency into U.S. dollars, which is measured by the difference in U.S. dollars between (i) revenue in local currency converted at the average foreign exchange rate for that period and (ii) revenue in local currency converted at the average foreign exchange rate for the prior period. This foreign currency impact is then partially compensated for in subsequent periods by foreign exchange reset mechanisms, which are captured in organic revenue.

Organic Revenue: Organic revenue captures the performance of our existing business without the impact of new tower portfolios or businesses acquired since the beginning of the prior year period (except as described in the inorganic revenue). Specifically, organic revenue captures the impact of (i) new colocation and Lease Amendments; (ii) changes in pricing including from contractual lease fee escalation and foreign exchange resets; (iii) new site construction; and (iv) any impact of churn and decommissioning. In the case of an acquisition of new tower portfolios or businesses, the impact of any incremental revenue after the date of acquisition from new colocation and Lease Amendments or changes in pricing on the Towers acquired, including from contractual lease fee escalation and foreign exchange resets, is also captured within organic revenue.

Parent Guarantor: IHS Holding Limited and its successors and assigns.

Recurring Levered Free Cash Flow: cash flows from operating activities, before certain items of income or expenditure that management believes are not indicative of the core performance of our business (to the extent that these items of income and expenditure are included within cash flow from operating activities), and after taking into account loss allowances on trade receivables, impairment of inventory, net working capital movements, net interest paid or received, revenue withholding tax, income taxes paid, lease payments made, maintenance capital expenditures, and routine corporate capital expenditures

Subsidiary Guarantors: IHS Netherlands NG1 B.V., IHS Netherlands NG2 B.V., IHS Nigeria Limited, IHS Towers NG Limited, Nigeria Tower Interco B.V. and INT Towers Limited and any other person that executes a supplemental indenture in accordance with the provisions of this senior notes indenture, and their respective successors and assigns, in each case, until the note guarantee of such person has been released in accordance with the provisions of the senior notes indenture.

Tenants: Refers to the number of distinct customers that have leased space on each tower that we own across our portfolio.

Towers: Refers to ground-based towers, in-building solutions, rooftop and wall-mounted towers and cells-on-wheels, each of which is deployed to support wireless transmission equipment. We measure the number of Towers in our portfolio at a given time by counting the number of Towers that we own or operate with at least one Tenant. The number of Towers in our portfolio excludes any towers for which we provide managed services.

