## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): December 2, 2021

## ARCLIGHT CLEAN TRANSITION CORP. II

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Cayman Islands (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 001-40272 (Commission File Number) 98-1578357 (IRS Employer Identification Number)

200 Clarendon Street, 55th Floor Boston, MA, 02116 (Address of principal executive offices)

(617) 531-6300 Registrant's telephone number, including area code

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Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation to the registrant under any	of the
following provisions:	

- oxdots Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- □ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Units, each consisting of one Class A Ordinary Share, \$0.0001 par value, and one-half of one redeemable warrant	ACTDU	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC
Class A Ordinary Shares included as part of the units	ACTD	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC
Redeemable warrants included as part of the units, each whole warrant exercisable for one Class A Ordinary	ACTDW	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC
Share at an exercise price of \$11.50		

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Emerging growth company  $\boxtimes$ 

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.  $\Box$ 

### Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On December 2, 2021, ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II, an exempted company incorporated in the Cayman Islands ("ArcLight"), Opal HoldCo LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Opal HoldCo"), and Opal Fuels LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Opal"), entered into a Business Combination Agreement (as it may be amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Business Combination Agreement").

The Business Combination Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereby were unanimously approved by the boards of directors of each of Opal and ArcLight and also approved by Opal Holdco. The Business Combination Agreement provides for, among other things, the following transactions: (i) each outstanding Class B ordinary share of ArcLight will become one Class A ordinary share of ArcLight; (ii) ArcLight will change the jurisdiction of its incorporation by deregistering as an exempted company in the Cayman Islands and domesticating to, and continuing as a corporation incorporated under the laws of, the State of Delaware (the "Domestication") and, in connection with the Domestication, (A) ArcLight's name will be changed to "Opal Fuels Inc." ("New Opal"), (B) each outstanding Class A ordinary share of ArcLight will become one share of Class A Common Stock of New Opal (the "Opal Common Stock"), (C) each outstanding warrant to purchase one Class A ordinary share of ArcLight will become a warrant to purchase one share of Opal Common Stock and (D) New Opal will file its certificate of incorporation and adopt bylaws to serve as its governing documents in connection with the Domestication; and (iii) (A) Opal will cause its existing limited liability company agreement to be amended and restated, (B) Opal will cause all of its limited liability company interests existing immediately prior to the closing of the transactions contemplated by the Business Combination Agreement (the "Closing") to be re-classified into a number of common units ("Units") equal to a number of Units based on a pre-transaction equity value for Opal of an amount equal to \$1,501,870,000, less all principal and accrued interest outstanding pursuant to that certain Convertible Promissory Note, dated as of May 1, 2021, as amended from time to time, as of immediately after the Closing, (C) ArcLight will contribute the (x) the amount of cash in the trust account established by ArcLight with the proceeds from its initial public offering (the "Trust Account") as of immediately prior to the Closing (and before, for the avoidance of doubt, giving effect to the exercise of redemption rights by any ArcLight shareholders (the "ACT Share Redemptions")), minus (y) the aggregate amount of cash required to fund the ACT Share Redemptions and any other obligations to be funded from the Trust Account, plus (z) the aggregate cash proceeds actually received in respect of the proposed sale by ArcLight, on the date of the Closing, of an aggregate of 12,500,000 shares of ArcLight common stock for a purchase price of \$10.00 per share, for aggregate gross proceeds of \$125,000,000 to Opal in exchange for a number of units equal to the then outstanding shares of Opal Common Stock and (E) New Opal will issue to the Company, and the Company will in turn distribute to Opal HoldCo, Hillman RNG Investments, LLC and ARCC Beacon LLC a number of Class B Shares, par value \$0.0001 per share of New Opal (the "Class B Shares"), and Class D Shares, par value \$0.0001 per share of New Opal (the "Class D Shares") (neither of which will have any economic value but will entitle the holder thereof to one vote per share or five votes per share, as applicable), equal to the number of Units held by each of Opal HoldCo, Hillman RNG Investments, LLC and ARCC Beacon LLC. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Attached as Exhibit 99.2 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference is the form of presentation to be used by ArcLight in presentations for certain of ArcLight's stockholders and other persons regarding the Business Combination Agreement. Attached as Exhibit 99.3 and incorporated by reference herein is the transcript of an investor conference call discussing the proposed business combination that was released on December 2, 2021.

The foregoing exhibits and the information set forth therein shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise be subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed to be incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or the Exchange Act.

#### Important Information and Where to Find It

A full description of the terms of the transaction will be provided in a registration statement on Form S-4 to be filed with the SEC by ArcLight that will include a prospectus with respect to the combined company's securities to be issued in connection with the business combination and a proxy statement with respect to the shareholders meeting of ArcLight to vote on the business combination. **ArcLight urges its investors, shareholders and other** 

interested persons to read, when available, the preliminary proxy statement/prospectus as well as other documents filed with the SEC because these documents will contain important information about ArcLight, Opal and the transaction. After the registration statement is declared effective, the definitive proxy statement/prospectus to be included in the registration statement will be mailed to shareholders of ArcLight as of a record date to be established for voting on the proposed business combination. Once available, shareholders will also be able to obtain a copy of the S-4, including the proxy statement/prospectus, and other documents filed with the SEC without charge, by directing a request to: ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II, 200 Clarendon Street, 55th Floor, Boston, Massachusetts 02116. The preliminary and definitive proxy statement/prospectus to be included in the registration statement, once available, can also be obtained, without charge, at the SEC's website (www.sec.gov).

### Participants in the Solicitation

ArcLight and Opal and their respective directors and officers may be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of proxies from ArcLight's shareholders in connection with the proposed transaction. Information about ArcLight's directors and executive officers and their ownership of ArcLight's securities is set forth in ArcLight's filings with the SEC. To the extent that holdings of ArcLight's securities have changed since the amounts printed in ArcLight's Registration Statement on Form S-1, such changes have been or will be reflected on Statements of Change in Ownership on Form 4 filed with the SEC. Additional information regarding the interests of those persons and other persons who may be deemed participants in the proposed transaction may be obtained by reading the proxy statement/consent solicitation statement/prospectus regarding the proposed transaction when it becomes available. You may obtain free copies of these documents as described in the preceding paragraph.

#### **Forward Looking Statements**

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ArcLight's public shareholders; and (11) the ability of the combined company to issue equity or equity-linked securities or obtain debt financing in connection with the transaction or in the future. Nothing in this Form 8-K should be regarded as a representation by any person that the forward-looking statements set forth herein will be achieved or that any of the contemplated results of such forward-looking statements will be achieved. You should not place undue reliance on forward-looking statements in this Form 8-K, which speak only as of the date they are made and are qualified in their entirety by reference to the cautionary statements herein. Both ArcLight and Opal expressly disclaim any obligations or undertaking to release publicly any updates or revisions to any forward-looking statements contained herein to reflect any change in ArcLight's or Opal's expectations with respect thereto or any change in events, conditions or circumstances on which any statement is based.

### Non-Solicitation

This Form 8-K is not a proxy statement or solicitation of a proxy, consent or authorization with respect to any securities or in respect of the potential transaction and shall not constitute an offer to sell or a solicitation of an offer to buy the securities of ArcLight, Opal or the combined company, nor shall there be any sale of any such securities in any state or jurisdiction in which such offer, solicitation, or sale would be unlawful prior to registration or qualification under the securities laws of such state or jurisdiction. No offer of securities shall be made except by means of a prospectus meeting the requirements of the Securities Act.

### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

### (d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press Release, dated December 2, 2021.
99.2	Investor Presentation.
99.3	Investor Call Transcript.
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File - the cover page XBRL tags are embedded within the Inline XBRL document

## SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: December 2, 2021

## ARCLIGHT CLEAN TRANSITION CORP. II

By: /s/ John F. Erhard

Name: John F. Erhard

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer





### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### OPAL Fuels, a Leading Vertically Integrated Producer and Distributor of Renewable Natural Gas, to List on Nasdaq through Combination with ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II

- OPAL Fuels LLC has entered into a business combination agreement with ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II (Nasdaq: ACTD) ("ArcLight") with an enterprise value of \$1.75 billion; upon closing, the combined company will be listed on the Nasdaq Exchange under the ticker symbol "OPL".
- OPAL Fuels is a leading vertically integrated producer and distributor of renewable natural gas ("RNG") with a diversified revenue and customer base in 42 states.
- Transaction includes a \$125 million fully committed common stock PIPE at \$10.00 per share anchored by NextEra Energy, Inc. (NYSE: NEE)
   ("NextEra Energy"), Electron Capital Partners, Gunvor Group, Wellington Management and Adage Capital Management, with participation by
   ArcLight affiliates.
- Additionally, affiliates of NextEra Energy have made a commitment for up to a \$100 million preferred equity investment in OPAL Fuels and have entered into a purchase and sale agreement for the majority of OPAL Fuels environmental attributes.
- Assuming no redemptions, the transactions are expected to provide gross proceeds of approximately \$536 million to fund the construction of OPAL Fuels' robust RNG development pipeline.

WHITE PLAINS, N.Y. – (December 2, 2021) – OPAL Fuels LLC ("OPAL Fuels" or the "Company"), a leading vertically integrated producer and distributor of renewable natural gas (RNG), and ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II (Nasdaq: ACTD) ("ArcLight"), a publicly-traded special purpose acquisition company, announced today a definitive agreement for a business combination that will result in OPAL Fuels becoming a publicly listed company. Upon closing of the transaction, the combined company will be named OPAL Fuels Inc. and remain listed on the Nasdaq Stock Exchange under the new ticker symbol "OPL." The combined company will continue to be led by OPAL Fuels co-CEOs Adam Comora and Jonathan Maurer.

RNG is a proven low-cost, low-carbon fuel that when used in transportation in place of diesel fuel can cost 40 to 70 percent less per gallon, providing significant annual operating cost savings while dramatically reducing the carbon footprint of heavy duty fleets.

OPAL Fuels, a FORTISTAR portfolio company, is a vertically integrated, waste-to-fuel RNG production and distribution company with a Capture and Conversion upstream business and Dispensing and Monetization downstream business serving the domestic heavy duty transportation sector. Underpinned by gas rights agreements that are typically at least twenty years in length, Capture and Conversion projects produce RNG by capturing methane emissions from landfill sites and dairy farms. The captured methane emissions are purified and treated, turning once harmful emissions into a source of clean, renewable energy, reducing the harmful long-term effects of methane and carbon emissions. This flips a substantial cost – managing dairy waste and landfill gas – into significant revenue streams for dairy farms and landfills. OPAL Fuels' Dispensing and Monetization operations help deliver this clean, reliable and renewable fuel to heavy duty trucking fleets through OPAL Fuels' national network of fueling stations, which spans 42 states and is typically backed by fueling agreements averaging ten years in duration.

OPAL Fuels is also positioned for a future that includes the commercialization of emerging technologies, including renewable hydrogen, through existing partnerships with key industry participants. The company is well placed to be an enabler of renewable hydrogen that uses RNG in its production and to develop, construct, and operate heavy duty hydrogen fueling station networks.

OPAL Fuels has a proven business model, tracing its roots back to 1998, and is expected to generate nearly \$170 million in revenues in 2021. The company's vertically integrated model benefits its margin profile and positions the company well to capture share in a fragmented industry that is characterized by smaller, non-vertically integrated upstream and downstream participants.

Today, OPAL Fuels operates 21 biomethane projects, of which three are in RNG service and the balance are in renewable power service. Increasing secular tailwinds, which include public policy initiatives and corporate sustainability objectives, are supporting the growth of RNG as a way to cost effectively halt climate change and decarbonize transportation, providing strong visibility into significant volume and EBITDA growth for OPAL Fuels over the next several years. The company's project pipeline totals 23, seven of which are in construction and the balance of which are in advanced development execution.

#### **Management Commentary**

Adam Comora, co-CEO of OPAL Fuels, stated, "This transaction with ArcLight reflects a transformative step in our company's development and strategy. RNG powered heavy duty fleets realize substantial savings today versus diesel and the successful execution of our robust growth plans will expand the role of ultra low-carbon RNG across the transportation sector. By capturing harmful fugitive methane emissions and replacing traditional fossil fuel usage, we will advance the sustainability and decarbonization goals of public policy makers, our customers and our

partners across the nation. RNG is a right now solution to the right now problem of climate change. RNG is one of the most attractive sources of renewable energy – its production uses existing technologies proven at scale, it can be transported on existing pipeline infrastructure, and it can be stored effectively until its use, all of which lead to a cost competitive and reliable fuel source. We are thrilled to partner with ArcLight, as we believe their experience as a leading energy infrastructure asset manager is a strong vote of confidence in the bright future of our company. We look forward to leveraging their expertise as we execute on our business model."

Jonathan Maurer, co-CEO of OPAL Fuels, commented, "It is an incredibly exciting time at OPAL Fuels. The market for RNG as a transportation fuel is at an inflection point, and we are excited to leverage our expertise in renewable power to be a leader in RNG projects as we convert renewable power projects to renewable transportation fuel facilities. Our seasoned team, which includes several leaders that have more than 25 years of experience in the industry, is excited to execute on our robust project pipeline and deliver value to all of our stakeholders."

Jake Erhard, President and CEO of ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II said, "OPAL Fuels is a leading platform for the production and distribution of ultra low-carbon RNG to the transportation sector, the highest value end-market for RNG. The company's vertically integrated model differentiates it from other players in the industry, which together with the platform's more than two decades of experience gives us tremendous confidence in the company's ability to execute its growth plans. Importantly, OPAL Fuels' business contributes meaningfully to sustainable development in the transportation, waste management and agricultural industries by enabling the adoption of leading-edge methane capture technologies and processes that drastically reduce greenhouse gas emissions."

John Ketchum, President and CEO of NextEra Energy Resources, said, "We're excited about this opportunity with OPAL Fuels to leverage renewable natural gas to produce and distribute ultra low-carbon fuels that are helping drive decarbonization of the transportation sector. This investment is consistent with our strategy to help lead the decarbonization of the transportation, electricity and industrial sectors in the U.S."

#### **Transaction Overview**

The business combination values OPAL Fuels at an implied \$1.75 billion pro forma enterprise value at a price of \$10.00 per ArcLight share. The transaction and related financings are expected to provide gross proceeds of approximately \$536 million to OPAL Fuels, comprised of:

- ArcLight's \$311 million of cash held in trust, assuming no redemptions,
- A \$125 million fully committed PIPE, anchored by NextEra Energy, an affiliate of ArcLight, Electron Capital Partners, Gunvor Group, Wellington Management and Adage Capital Management, and;
- Up to a \$100 million preferred equity investment from affiliates of NextEra Energy.

The boards of directors of both ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II and OPAL Fuels have approved the proposed transaction, which is expected to be completed in the second quarter of 2022, subject to, among other things, approval by ArcLight's stockholders and satisfaction or waiver of other conditions stated in the definitive documentation.

Additional information about the proposed transaction, including a copy of the merger agreement and investor presentation, will be provided in a Current Report on Form 8-K to be filed by ArcLight with the Securities and Exchange Commission and available at https://www.sec.gov/.

#### Advisor

BofA Securities, Inc. ("BofA Securities") is serving as lead financial advisor and Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC ("Credit Suisse") is serving as financial advisor while Sheppard Mullin Richter & Hampton LLP is serving as legal advisor to OPAL Fuels. Citigroup Global Markets Inc. ("Citi") is serving as lead financial advisor and Barclays Capital Inc. ("Barclays") is serving as financial advisor while Kirkland & Ellis LLP is serving as legal advisor to ArcLight. Citi, BofA Securities, Barclays and Credit Suisse are serving as joint placement agents on the PIPE offering, while Winston & Strawn LLP is counsel to the Placement Agents. J.P. Morgan Securities LLC served as sole financial advisor and Hogan Lovells US LLP acted as counsel to NextEra Energy on the transaction.

### **Investor Conference Call Information**

OPAL Fuels and ArcLight will host a joint investor conference call at 8:30 AM ET today, December 2, 2021, to discuss the proposed transaction. To listen to the prepared remarks via telephone dial 1-877-407-3982 (U.S.) or 1-201-493-6780 (International) and an operator will assist you. A telephone replay will be available at 1-844-512-2921(U.S.) or 1-412-317-6671 (International), PIN: 13725376 through December 16, 2021 at 11:59 PM ET. A transcript of this conference call can also be found on OPAL Fuels' Investor page and will be filed by ArcLight with the SEC.

#### **About OPAL Fuels LLC**

OPAL Fuels LLC, a FORTISTAR portfolio company, is a leading vertically integrated renewable fuels platform involved in the production and distribution of renewable natural gas (RNG) for the heavy-duty truck market. RNG is a proven low carbon fuel that is rapidly decarbonizing the transportation industry now while also significantly reducing costs for fleet owners. OPAL Fuels captures harmful methane emissions at the source and recycles the trapped energy into a commercially viable, low-cost alternative to diesel fuel. OPAL Fuels also develops and constructs RNG fueling stations. As a producer and distributor of carbon-reducing fuel for heavy-duty truck

fleets for over 15 years, the company delivers best-in-class, complete renewable solutions to customers and production partners. To learn more about OPAL Fuels and how it is leading the effort to capture North America's harmful methane emissions and decarbonize the transportation industry, please visit www.opalfuels.com and follow the company on LinkedIn and Twitter at @OPALFuels.

### About ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II

ArcLight, ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II, led by Chairman Daniel Revers and President and Chief Executive Officer Jake Erhard, is a special purpose acquisition company formed for the purpose of effecting a capital stock exchange, asset acquisition, share purchase, reorganization, or similar business combination with one or more businesses focused on opportunities created by the accelerating transition toward sustainable use of energy and natural resources.

### **About FORTISTAR**

Founded in 1993, FORTISTAR is a privately-owned investment firm that provides capital to build, grow and manage companies that address complex sustainability challenges. FORTISTAR utilizes its capital, flexibility and operating expertise to grow high-performing assets, first in independent power projects and now into other areas that support decarbonization. For more information about FORTISTAR or its portfolio companies, please visit: www.fortistar.com and follow the company on LinkedIn.

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## Disclaimer

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## OPAL and ArcLight Combination Creates Publicly Listed RNG Leader

### **OPAL Team**

Adam Comora Co-CEO

TruStar FORTISTAR En Trust



Jon Maurer Co-CEO

FORTISTAR J.P.Morgan



Ann Anthony CFO

KEY CAPTURE



- · OPAL to combine with ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II ("ArcLight"), a publicly listed special purpose acquisition company with ~\$311MM of cash currently held in trust
- · OPAL's strategic rationale for the transaction:
  - Support the consolidation of Fortistar's TruStar, Methane Group, renewable natural gas ("RNG") facilities and other minority owners into OPAL
  - Simplify OPAL's capital structure, moving financings from project-level to corporate-level
  - Fully fund the business plan and accelerate the construction of controlled projects
  - Provides currency for M&A activity
- Transaction reflects a pro-forma \$1.75BN enterprise value for OPAL
- Transaction supported by \$125MM of capital from NEXTEYA (1) ENERGY @



### **ArcLight Clean Transition Team**



Jake Erhard President, Chief Executive Officer and Director

ARCLIGHT





Marco Gatti Chief Financial Officer

ARCLIGHT WARBURG PINCUS

### Transaction Structure(2)

Sources	\$MM
ACTD Cash in Trust(3)	\$311
PIPE Proceeds	125
Existing Shareholders Equity Rollover(5)	1,475
ACTD Founder Shares	70
Total Sources(5)	\$1,981
(-) Pro-Forma Cash	(604)
(+) Preferred Equity	130
(+) Pro-Forma Debt	118
(+) Pro-Forma TLA(6)	125
Pro-Forma Enterprise Value	\$1,750
x 2023E EBITDA (\$238MM)	7.4x
x 2024E EBITDA (\$446MM)	3.9x

Uses	\$MM
Cash to Balance Sheet(4)	\$401
Equity to Existing Shareholders(5)	1,475
ACTD Founder Shares	70
Estimated Expenses	35
Total Uses	\$1,981
Ownership	
Existing Shareholders	74%
ACTD Shareholders	16%
PIPE Investors	6%
ACTD Founder Shares	4%
Pro-Forma Ownership	100%



- et with an affiliate of NextEra Energy for \$25MM participation in the PIPE and an

## Fortistar and ArcLight are Well Positioned to Support OPAL as Sponsors

Long History of Value Creation

**Domain Expertise** 

Transportation Logistics

Hydrogen and Mobility

Circular Economy and Carbon

Gas Infrastructure

\$4BN in renewables investments(1)

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20-years track record

\$25BN in energy investments(1)











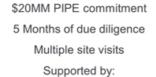




Committed to the Transaction

Capture

Renewables









28-years track record 11 portfolio companies 40+ operating & investment professionals











~\$9MM PIPE commitment Built OPAL over 23 years 100% Roll-over of existing equity Collaboration with Fortistar portfolio companies



## **OPAL: Leading End-to-End RNG Provider to the Transportation Market**

Vertically-Integrated, Focused on Transportation

Currently at Scale, with Substantial Embedded Growth



(3) OPAL

- RNG Development
- Plant Construction
- Operations
- ✓ RNG Offtake
- ✓ Electricity Sales

~20-Year Gas Rights



- ✓ Station Construction
- ✓ RNG Supply
- ✓ Hydrogen Fueling

~10-Year

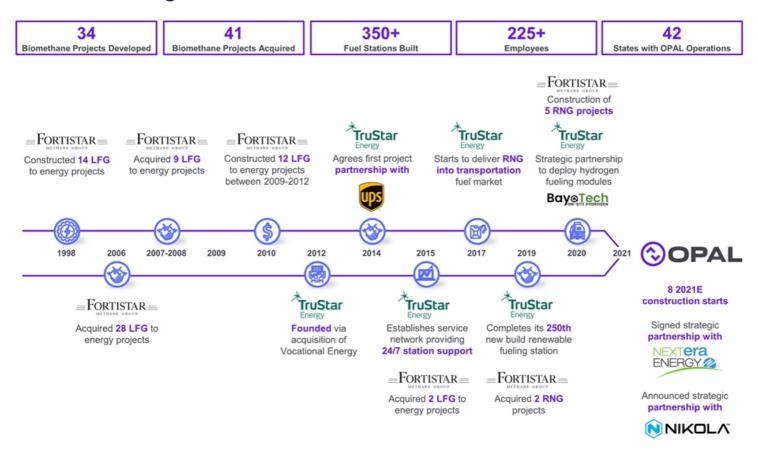
**Dispensing Agreements** 

✓ Credits Monetization





## OPAL: Executing in the RNG Value Chain for Over 20 Years





## **OPAL: Investment Highlights**



### Vertically Integrated Across RNG Value Chain

- ✓ Maximize margin capture in RNG value chain through the cycle
- Competitive advantages in securing new opportunities:
  - Captive offtake in the transportation market allows OPAL to offer better terms to secure additional gas rights
  - Access to own RNG volumes allows OPAL to offer better terms to transportation customers
  - Nationwide provision of end-to-end solutions creates advantage in securing contracts with national accounts
- Embedded optionality from future LCFS(1) programs
- Hydrogen and carbon capture-ready fuel dispensing segment



### **Proven Team with Top-Tier Sponsors**

- ✓ Executive team with over 100 years of combined RNG experience
- ✓ 225 Employees covering all functions
- ✓ Over 20 years of track record in RNG and alternative fuels:
  - Experience in maximizing value of molecules under control
  - Developed and constructed 34 biomethane plants
  - Acquired 41 biomethane plants
  - Constructed over 350+ fuel stations
- ArcLight and Fortistar are uniquely positioned to support OPAL



## At Scale Today, with Substantial Embedded Growth

### **OPAL has Substantial Scale Today:**

- Existing operations expected to deliver \$41MM of EBITDA in 2021E
- ✓ Diversified revenue base: 20 projects, 80 customers and partners in 42 states
- ✓ Projects in construction expected to add \$102MM<sup>(2)</sup> of 2024E EBITDA

### Controlled Projects Underpin Growth Today to 2024E:

- ✓ OPAL has rights to 16 RNG projects in development
- OPAL's existing business and projects under OPAL's control expected to deliver 2024E EBITDA of \$446MM (\$618MM run-rate)
- Low execution risk thanks to proven, replicable technology and team's development, construction and operating experience



## Fully-Funded Plan with World-Class Partners

#### Fully-Funded Growth Plan:

- √ \$125MM from PIPE + Preferred Equity, sufficient capital to fund the plan
- Transaction ensures that pro-forma OPAL will have \$604MM(3) of cash on its balance sheet
- Operating cash flow positive today, and free cash flow positive in 2024E

#### World-Class Partners:











- Refer to disclaimer on pages 2 and 3 regarding forward-looking statements and use of projections. Low carbon fuel standard ("LCFS") is a market-based incentive program intended to reduce the ca Reflects 2024E EBITDA on a net basis for 8 projects in construction. Includes allocation of G&A. Assumes no redemptions from the trust account.



## **RNG Value Chain Overview**

"Naturally Occurring Methane" - Long Life, Stable Resource Requiring No Additional Capex to Develop



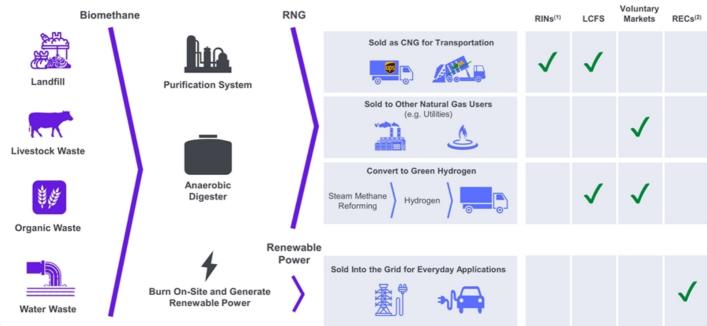
### Capture & Conversion

- Multiple activities generate fugitive, methane-rich biomethane
- Biomethane capture systems secure RNG feedstock for the long term
- Biomethane can be converted to create pipeline quality RNG
- · Can also be used to generate electricity



## **Dispensing & Monetization**

- RNG is used as a transportation fuel, distributed to end users, or converted to green hydrogen
- · Electricity is sold into the grid or to utilities
- RNG end use generates environmental credits (LCFS, D3 RINs and RECs) which can be monetized and commands a premium on voluntary markets





- Renewable identification numbers ("RINs") are credits used for compliance and are the "currency" of the Renewable Fuel Standard program. Renewable fuel producers generate RINs, market participants trade RINs and obligated parties obtain and then ultimately retire RINs for compliance.

  Renewable energy credits ("RECs") represent the energy generated by renewable energy sources. A REC is a tradeable, market-based instrument that represents the legal property rights to the "renewable-ness" or all non-power attributes of renewable electricity generation.

## The Value of RNG is Underpinned by a Well-Established Regulatory Framework



Renewable

Fuel Standards

- Federal mandate to incorporate renewable content into transportation fuels
- Long-standing program that was implemented in 2005 and expanded in 2007
- Dispensing renewable fuels generates RINs
- Refiners and blenders have RIN procurement obligations
- RNG qualifies as a "cellulosic D3 RIN", the most valuable RIN category
- Value supported by increasing D3 RIN renewable Volume Obligation: 2x increase in the past two years, 6x in the past five years
- D3 RIN prices were trading at \$1.92 in 2020 compared to \$2.68 forecasted by ICF in 2021E

D3 RIN Price (\$ / gal)	\$2.68(1)
RINs per MMBtu	x 11.727
Implied RNG Value	\$31.43 per MMBtu \$4.06 per GGE <sup>(2)</sup>



**Low Carbon** 

Fuel

Standard ("LCFS")

- State-level programs, led by California in 2007 (also implemented in Oregon, British Columbia; proposals in New York, Washington, Canada and other states)
- Refiners and blenders must reduce Carbon Intensity ("CI") each year to remain in
- Low-CI fuels generate LCFS credits, which can be monetized and ultimately retired by obligated parties to meet their annual CI targets
- RNG has very low or negative CI, and therefore generates valuable credits in states with decarbonization goals supports by LCFS
- California LCFS prices were resilient through COVID trading at \$193, \$198 and \$205/MT in 2019 - 2021E, respectively

	+			
	Landfill	Dairy		
LCFS Price (\$ / MT)	\$205(3)	\$205 <sup>(3)</sup>		
Carbon Intensity (gCO <sub>2</sub> e/MJ)	40(4)	~(300)(4)		
Implied LCFS Value	\$8.52 per MMBtu \$1.10 per GGE <sup>(2)</sup>	\$74.93 per MMBtu \$9.68 per GGE <sup>(2)</sup>		



Brown gas sold into the gas grid either at Henry Hub-linked prices, or in certain instances to utilities with voluntary RNG targets at substantially higher prices

\$3.08 per MMBtu(5) **Brown Gas** \$0.40 per GGE(2) \$43.03 per MMBtu \$109.44 per MMBtu Total \$5.56 per GGE(2) \$14.14 per GGE(2)



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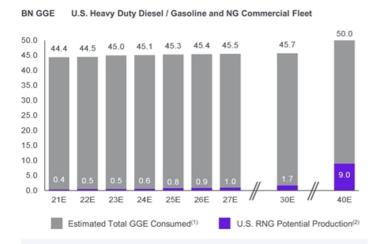
1 MMBtu = 7.74 GGE
ICF. California LCFS Credit price forecasted for 2021E.

Assumption used for illustrative purposes. EIA. LTM Henry Hub average.

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## Transportation Demand for RNG and D3 RINs is Multiples of Available Supply

RNG covers less than 1% of the U.S. heavy duty market



- Current RNG production of ~400MM GGE per year represents less than 1% of the U.S. heavy duty fuel market
- · Current projections see RNG volumes triple to ~1BN GGE by 2027E
- At this level, RNG still represents less than 3% of the U.S. heavy duty fuel market
- As a result, there is ample scope to continue placing RNG volumes into the transportation market

### D3 RIN statutory requirement is multiples of RNG production



- · RNG qualifies to receive D3 RINs
- · D3 statutory requirement will be 10.6BN GGE by 2022E
- U.S. RNG potential production would make up ~9% of the D3 statutory requirement in 2027E, demonstrating tremendous growth
- EPA has sharply increased the required volume of D3 RINs each year since 2014, yet the requirements remain significantly below statutory levels



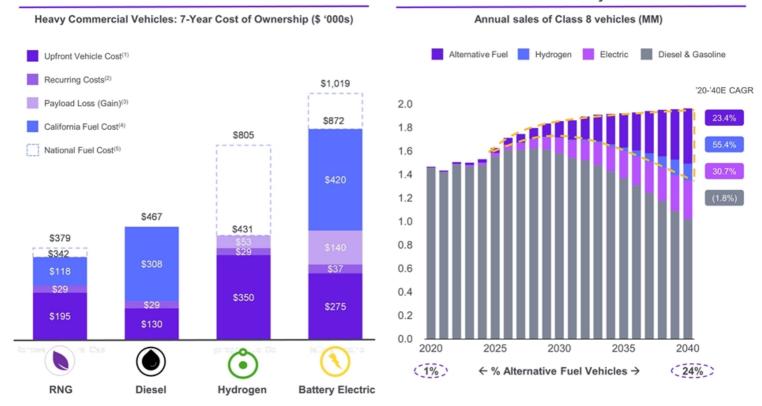
American Gas Association and ICF.
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Estimated total GGE consumed by heavy duty diesel / gasoline and natural gas commercial
vehicles. Assumes each truck runs 100,000 miles per year at an average efficiency of 6.41 miles
per gallon. Total number of diesel and natural gas powered heavy duty commercial vehicles in
the U.S. per BNEF.

ICF (2021E - 2030E). Assumes production growth of 18% Y-o-Y (midpoint of 10 - 25% Y-o-Y growth forecasted by ICF) continues after 2030E. EPA. Statutory requirements after 2022E are to be determined.

## **Economic Benefits Incentivize Switching to RNG**

RNG fueled vehicles deliver substantial savings today...

### ...enabling a potential 60-fold increase in alternative fueled vehicles by 2040E

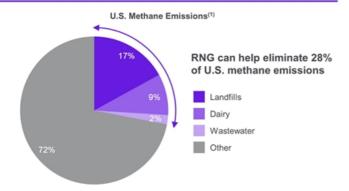




Diesel performance assumes 7.5 MPG and \$3.30/gallon; RNG assumes 7.5 MPG and \$1.26/DGE; Hydrogen fuel cell assumes 7.5 miles/kg and 50.00/kg of H2 fuel (LCFS credit assumed to offset fuel cost); Battery electric assumes 3.0 kWh/mile and 50.20/kWh (high end). Incremental to California Fuel Cost. Diesel performance assumes \$3.30/gallon; RNG assumes \$1.66/DGE; Hydrogen fuel cell assumes \$4.00/kg of H2 fuel; Battery electric assumes \$0.27/kWh.

## RNG Has an Immediate Positive Impact on Climate Change

RNG starts with methane capture...



"Methane is a more powerful greenhouse gas than carbon dioxide, but one which lasts in the atmosphere for only about a decade. Reduce methane emissions and you soon reduce methane levels."

The Economist

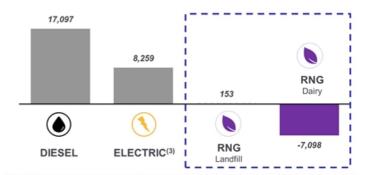
"Why Curbing Methane Emissions Will Help Fight Climate Change" (8/14/2021)

- Methane has 28x the impact of  $CO_2$  on global warming over a 100-year timescale
- RNG feedstock accounts for more than a quarter of all methane emissions in the United States
- Dairy RNG has negative carbon intensity



### ...and ends with fossil fuel replacement

Annual CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions for a 100 Truck Fleet<sup>(2)</sup>



"RNG is a very important part of UPS's strategy to increase alternative fuel consumption to be 40% of total ground fuel purchases by 2025. ...Using RNG is what will ultimately help UPS meet its 2025 sustainability goals."



Mike Whitlatch, Vice President of Global Energy & Procurement (2/6/2020)

"Amazon has ordered more than 700 compressed natural gas class 6 and class 8 trucks so far."



Reuters, "Amazon Orders Hundreds of Trucks that Run on Natural Gas" (2/5/2021)

- MT of CO₂ released or removed from the atmosphere for average 100 truck fleet @ 100k miles / truck / year.

  Emission is in equivalents in CO₂. Source: EPA (2019) and "Analysis of long hauf battery electric trucks in EU: market place and technology, economic, environment, and policy perspectives" (Earl, Mathieu, Cornelis, Kenny, Calvo, and Nix, May 2018).



## OPAL: Led by an Experienced Team with a History of Value Creation

- · OPAL has an experienced management team in the RNG and renewable fueling infrastructure space
- · C-suite is complemented by deep bench of talent with industry experience in RNG and alternative fuels for class 8 trucks
- · Support from Fortistar and ArcLight brings unmatched understanding of sustainable infrastructure development

	Name & Title	Years in Industry	Milestones
	Adam Comora Co-CEO	9	Acquired, built and managed dispensing & monetization projects since 2012
	Jon Maurer Co-CEO	30+	Acquired, built and managed capture & conversion projects since 1998
	Ann Anthony CFO	18	Experienced public company finance executive
	Dave Unger EVP Sustainable Fuels Origination	26	Developed, built and managed over 75 renewable biomethane projects
<b>(3)</b>	Scott Edelbach EVP Sustainable Fuels Transportation	30+	Pioneered alternative transportation fuels for class 8 fleets; 350+ station projects constructed
	Anthony Falbo COO	29	Managed operation of all projects in portfolio since 1998



## **OPAL: Vertically Integrated RNG Leader with Top-Tier Customers**



Capture & Conversion



**Dispensing & Monetization** 

OPAL Landfill RNG

Generation of RNG through capture of landfill emissions. Executed by repurposing of its existing portfolio of landfill gas-to-power assets

**©OPAL** RNG Fuel Dispensing

Supplying RNG in the highest value markets through strategic partnerships with leading national brands looking to decarbonize their fleets

**OPAL** Dairy RNG

Development of RNG through recycling of animal waste in anaerobic digesters generating the lowest carbon intensity natural gas available

**©OPAL** Construction & Services

Market leading provider of construction and services solutions for the development of renewable fueling stations to blue chip customers

OPAL's Vertical Integration Maximizes the Value of the RNG Molecule and Enables Margin Capture Through Economic Cycles

Market Leader with Strong Partner and Customer Base































Representative Partner and Customer Contract Duration(1)

20 - 25 Years

Representative Customer Contract Duration(2)

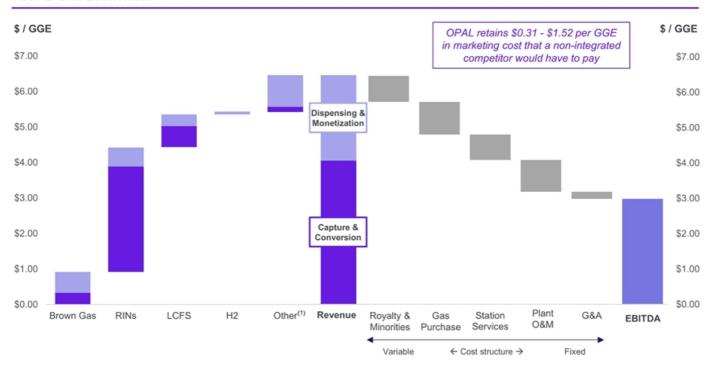
10 Years



## OPAL: Vertically Integrated Model Enables High Margins and Diversified Revenue

- ✓ Vertical integration allows OPAL to capture margin through the cycle, as value shifts between RNG production and distribution
- ✓ Diverse revenue streams underpin well-rounded business model
- High margin business, with largely variable cost structure

### **OPAL Unit Economics**





Other Dispensing & monetization revenue represent dispensing station service and construction; Other Capture & Conversion revenue represent renewable power operations. These revenue are represented on a per-GGE basis for representative purposes only, but are primarily driven by the number of stations services and constructed, and by the MWh of renewable power produced.

## At Scale Today, with 20 RNG and Renewable Power Plants Online

\$34MM 20 **13MM** 107 Operating Assets 2021E Operating EBITDA(1) GGE in 2021E Production MW Production

	Assets	Location	Туре	Counterparty / Offtake	Contract Term
	Imperial	PA	RNG	Dispensing customers	Perpetual <sup>(2)</sup>
	- Greentree	PA	RNG	Dispensing customers	2080(3)
	Arbor	MI	Renewable Power	DTE	2032
	Concord	NC	Renewable Power	DUKE ENERGY.	2030
	Prince William	VA	Renewable Power	NOWEC	2028
	15 other projects	Various	Renewable Power	Various	2022 – 2045
	One Denotes planne	d RNG conve	ersion		

- OPAL has decades of experience managing biomethane capture & conversion
- OPAL owns and operates 20 biomethane projects, with two in RNG service and 18 in renewable power service
- · OPAL's existing biomethane to RNG sites inform the company's decisions on technology and operations for sites under development
- OPAL's portfolio of biomethane-to-power projects provides cash flow underpinned by PPAs and a significant inventory of RNG conversion sites



## Visible, Near-Term EBITDA Uplift from Multiple Projects Under Construction

Construction Projects

EOY '21
On-Line Dates Starting

~\$102MM 2024E Construction EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup> 2.4x Build Multiple<sup>(2)</sup>

Landfill: Noble Road

Dairy: Sunoma

Landfill: Pine Bend

Landfill: New River









Location	Shiloh, OH	Gila Bend, AZ	Inver Grove Heights, MN	Raiford, FL
Production Start	EOY 2021	EOY 2021	1H 2022	2H 2022
Capex <sup>(3)</sup>	~\$33MM	~\$35MM	~\$43MM	~\$28MM
Production	6.8MM GGEs/yr.	1.5MM GGEs/yr.	6.1MM GGEs/yr.	4.8MM GGEs/yr.
EBITDA <sup>(4)</sup>	~\$19MM	~\$11MM	~\$16MM	~\$12MM
Build Multiple <sup>(2)</sup>	~1.7 years	~3.1 years	~2.7 years	~2.2 years

	Dairy: BioTown	Landfill: Prince William	Dairy: Vander Schaaf <sup>(4)</sup>	Dairy: Hilltop
Location	Reynolds, IN	Manassas, VA	Stockton, CA	Oakdale, CA
<b>Production Start</b>	2H 2022	1H 2023	EOY 2022	EOY 2022
Capex <sup>(3)</sup>	~\$78MM	~\$53MM	~\$39MM	~\$43MM
Production	2.9MM GGEs/yr.	11.7MM GGEs/yr.	1.5MM GGEs/yr.	1.5MM GGEs/yr.
EBITDA <sup>(4)</sup>	~\$26MM	~\$32MM	~\$16MM	~\$13MM
Build Multiple <sup>(2)</sup>	~3.0 years	~1.6 years	~2.5 years	~3.3 years



Note: Refer to disclaimer on pages 2 and 3 regarding forward-looking statements and use of projections. (4) Projects are shown on a 100% ownership basis. No G&A allocated to individual project EBITDA. (5)

Reflects 2024E EBITDA on a 100% ownership basis. Expected to be under construction before end of October 2021

(2) Calculated as Total Capex divided by 2024E EBITDA on a 100% ownership basis

(3) Capex represents 100% ownership basis

# OPAL's Growth to 2024E is Underpinned by Projects Under Control

16	EOY '22	~\$202MM	2.5x
Controlled Projects	On-Line Dates Starting	2024E Controlled EBITDA <sup>(1)</sup>	Build Multiple <sup>(2)</sup>

Codename	Туре	COD	Gas Rights	Existing OPAL Operations	
Massachusetts	Landfill	22	✓	✓	✓ Development of 16 controlled projects
Michigan 1	Landfill	'22	✓	✓	✓ Low-risk execution thanks to
CA Dairy Cluster 3	Dairy	'22	✓		
CA Dairy Cluster 4	Dairy	'23	✓		Direct control of sites
North Carolina 1	Landfill	'23	✓	✓	<ul> <li>Multiple conversions of assets</li> </ul>
North Carolina 2	Landfill	'23	✓		already operated in power service
Pennsylvania	Landfill	'23	✓	✓	<ul> <li>Replicable design with standardized</li> </ul>
Georgia	Dairy	'23	✓		equipment and contractors
Mexico	Dairy	'23	✓		<ul> <li>No single project represents more</li> </ul>
Michigan 2	Landfill	'23	✓		than 17%(3) of incremental EBITDA
Michigan 3	Landfill	'23	✓	✓	contribution
Alberta	Pulp	'23	✓		✓ Upside from 18 additional projects at
Virginia	Landfill	'24	✓	✓	earlier stages of development not
California 1	Landfill	'24	✓	✓	included in projections
California 2 (4)	Landfill	'24	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	✓ Upside from identified M&A targets not
Ohio <sup>(4)</sup>	Landfill	'24	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	included in projections



Note: Refer to disclaimer on pages 2 and 3 regarding forward-looking statements and use of projections

Reflects 2024E EBITDA on a net basis of ~\$208MM less 2024E G&A of ~\$60MM.
 Calculated as Total Capex divided by 2024E EBITDA on a 100% ownership basis

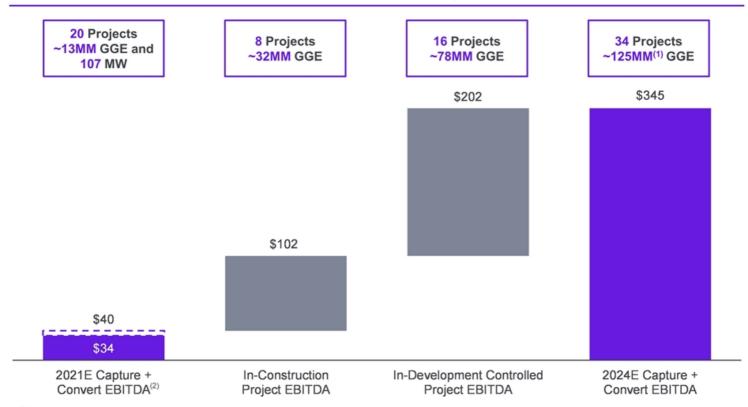
(3) Based on 2024E EBITD.

(4) Expected to achieve run rate in 2025E

## **OPAL Capture & Conversion Assets Poised to Deliver Predictable Growth**

OPAL's portfolio of operating, construction and controlled assets provide clear line of sight into and drive robust volume and EBITDA growth

## Capture & Conversion EBITDA (\$MM)





EBITDA metrics shown reflect capture and convert business. Refer to disclaimer on pages 2 and 3 regarding forward-looking statements and use of projections. 2024E includes slightly increased production from Imperial and Greentree relative to 2021 production. S4MM represents the 2021E Capture and Conversion EBITDA from operating assets on a net basis. S40MM represents the 2021 Capture and Conversion EBITDA from operating assets on a 100% basis; OPAL acquired the remaining interests in Imperial and Greentree over the course of 2021.

## OPAL is One of the Largest RNG Fuel Station Operators in the U.S.

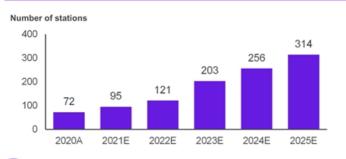
OPAL's Fuel Stations Provide a Direct Pathway to Qualify for RINs and LCFS Credits

## OPAL is the #2 Operator of RNG Stations in the U.S.

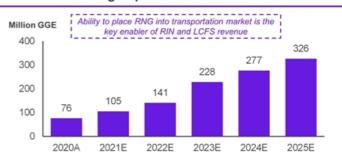
Platform	Stations as of YE 2020	Million GGEs Delivered in 2020
Clean Energy Fuels	550	382(1)
<b>⊙OPAL</b>	72	76(2)
RNG Private A	65	70
RNG Private B	50	Not disclosed
RNG Private C	50	Not disclosed



## OPAL's Stations Footprint Set to Grow Rapidly...



## ... Providing Captive Outlet for RNG Volumes





## OPAL's Dispensing and Monetization Integrated Solutions Represent a **Distinct Competitive Advantage**

## Vertical Integration + Complete Offering = Security of Offtake

### **Building Stations...**



- One stop shop for clients resulting in convenience and faster execution
  - Design
  - Project management
  - Construction
- In house team to ensure quality control

### ... Operating and Servicing Stations...



- Built-in O&M contract post construction
- Service offerings that fit a variety of customer needs:
  - Preventive maintenance
  - A la carte
  - Full service
- National footprint ensures timely response on a 24x7 basis

### ...and Supplying Top-Tier Customers(1)















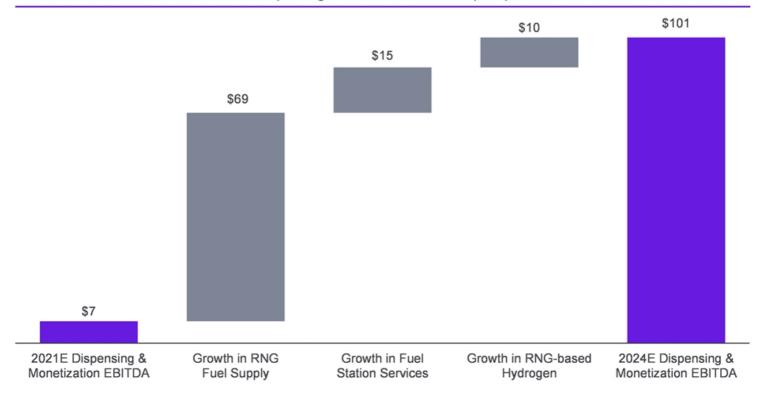
- ✓ Started delivering RNG in 2017
- ✓ Provide firm fuel supply
- ✓ Allocate environmental credits with transparency
- Long-term committed relationship that benefit both parties



# **OPAL Dispensing & Monetization Assets Poised to Deliver Predictable Growth**

OPAL's portfolio of dispensing and monetization assets provide clear line of sight into and drive robust volume and EBITDA growth

# Dispensing & Monetization EBITDA (\$MM)





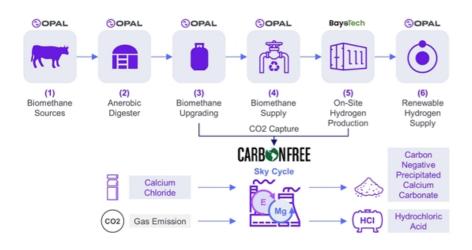
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# Embedded and Actionable Hydrogen Fueling and CCS(1) Upside

Hydrogen Production Carbon Intensity by Source

Based on California Air Resources Board Methodology

#### @OPAL Carbon Intensity (gCO2e/MJ) BaysTech @OPAL **Bay**®Tech Central SMR Central SMR Central SMR On-site SMR On-site SMR Nat Gas Landfill Gas Nat Gas Nat Gas Nat Gas 13 Landfill Gas Nat Gas 14 Landfill Gas Nat Gas 15 Landfill Gas Nat Gas 15 Landfill Gas 16 Landfill Gas 16 Landfill Gas 16 Landfill Gas 17 Landfill Gas 17 Landfill Gas 17 Landfill Gas 18 Landfill G On-site Central On-site Nat Gas Liquid H2 Landfill Gas Liquid H2 Nat Gas Gaseous H2 Electrolysis Wind/Solar Liquid H2<sup>(1)</sup> Electrolyzer CA Grid Electroysis Wind/Solar (32% Transport Renewable Source Fossil Source



Hydrogen Fueling



- Existing partnership between OPAL and BayoTech, a developer of on-site hydrogen generators and "gas-as-a-service" offerings
- Using BayoTech's technology paired with RNG, OPAL can offer the most cost-effective green hydrogen available today



 Development partnership with Nikola to provide renewable hydrogen fueling stations and RNG for low carbon hydrogen supply

Carbon Capture & Storage

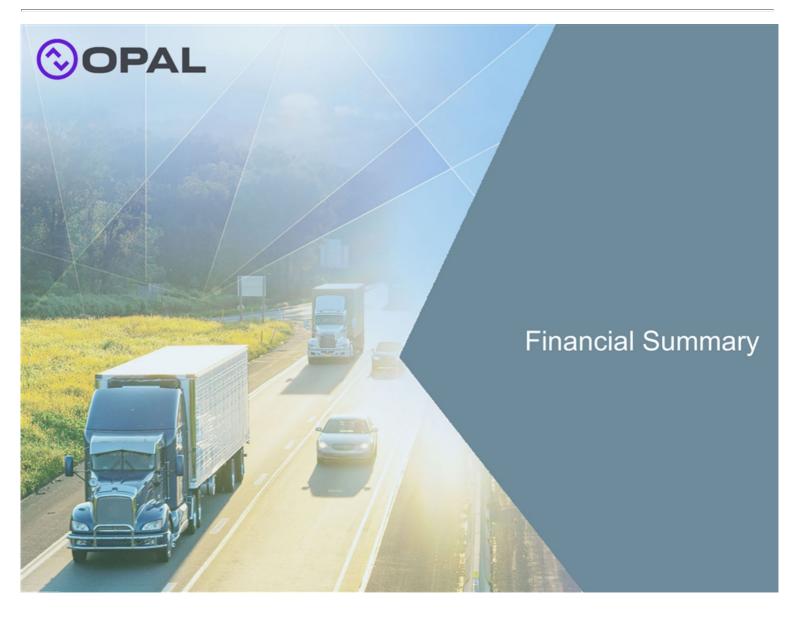
# **CARBONFREE**

 Carbonfree to develop and build carbon capture and utilization project to mineralize CO<sub>2</sub> from OPAL's RNG facilities



Source: California Air Resources Board

CCS represents capture and storage of carbon dioxide from emissions.



# **Profitable Today with Robust Financial Profile**

- Profitable today \$41MM of adjusted EBITDA in 2021E
- Visible near-term growth 122% EBITDA 2021E-2024E CAGR
- **Robust EBITDA margins** 46% in 2024E
- 2024E EBITDA \$446MM (calendar) and \$618MM(2) (run-rate) anchored by operating, in construction and controlled projects

# Revenue (\$MM)



\$238

2023E

2024E



\$41

2021E

\$73

2022E

Note: Refer to disclaimer on pages 2 and 3 regarding forward-looking statements and use of projections.

(1) Adjusted EBITDA = Operating Income plus expensed Major Maintenance at OPAL's Renewable Power business, Non-Cash Items and Minority Interest.

(2) Run rate represented by adjusted EBITDA + steady-state EBITDA of OPAL RNG supply projects in partial year operation and construction (including RNG growth).

(3) Projects under control based on identified projects in construction, late-stage or mid-stage development with gas or manure rights secured and other milestones achieved. Refer to page 42 for additional details.

\$556

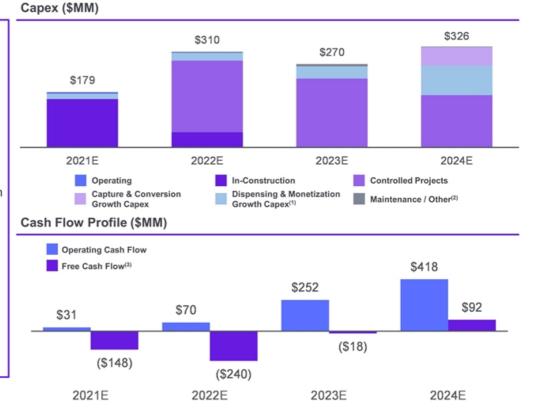
2025E

Operating + In-Construction + Controlled(3)

# Vertical Integration and Diversification Create Robust Recurring Cash Flow

# PIPE + preferred equity + TLA + operating cash flow are sufficient to fund the business plan. Cash from trust offers additional optionality

- Ratable capex plan, with ability to prioritize highest returning projects
- Strong operating / discretionary cash flow from 2023E
- Close to FCF break-even in 2023E and FCF positive in 2024E
- Ability to balance reinvestment and distributions in the medium-term





Note: Refer to disclaimer on pages 2 and 3 regarding forward-looking statements and use of projections

(1) Dispensing & Monetization growth capex includes capex associated with fuel station services, hydrogen fuel sales and RNG fuel sales

Free Cash Flow ("FCF") = Cash Flow provided by Operating Activities less Capex.



# **OPAL's Valuation in Context**

# **⊙OPAL** Key Differentiators

- ✓ Vertical integration
- ✓ Superior growth from controlled projects
- ✓ High margins
- √ Visible hydrogen and CCS deployment

# RNG

Most comparable business peers

Varying degrees of vertical integration

RIN and LCFS exposure

# **Hydrogen Disruptors**

Hydrogen and decarbonization focus

Enormous addressable market and high growth

Energy transition disruptors with technology deployment

# **Biofuels**

Energy transition of existing infrastructure through low carbon fuels

Feedstock supply and product price spread risk









BALLARD Bloomenergy





Value Metrics	'22E EBITDA	24.0x	25.0x	NM	17.0x
	'23E EBITDA	7.4x	16.9x	55.5x	14.1x
_ >	'24E EBITDA	3.9x	14.3x	41.8x	13.2x
Financial Metrics	'21E - '24E EBITDA CAGR	122%	51%	68%	18%
	'21E EBITDA Margin	24%	18%	NM	13%
	'24E EBITDA Margin	46%	30%	16%	16%



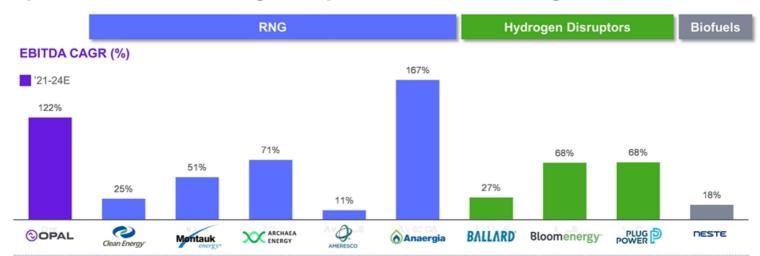
Source: FactSet. Market Data as of 10/1/2021.

# **RNG Benchmarking**

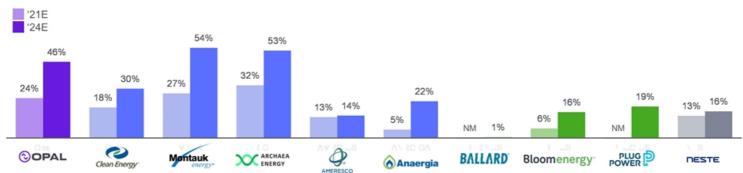
	<b>OPAL</b>	Clean Energy	Montauk energy*	ARCHAEA ENERGY	AMERESCO Green • Clean • Sustainable	<b>⊗</b> Anaergia
Vertically Integrated Business Strategy	✓	✓	×	×	×	×
Long-Term Control of Landfill and Livestock Fuel Source	✓	<b>✓</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	✓	✓	✓	×
Visible Hydrogen And Carbon Capture Deployment	✓	✓	×	✓	×	×
Identified Growth <sup>(2)</sup>	122%	25%	51%	71%	11%	167%
High Margins <sup>(3)</sup>	46%	30%	54%	53%	14%	22%
FV / '24 EBITDA	3.9x	14.3x	15.1x	7.2x	18.5x	8.9x



# Operational Benchmarking: Exceptional Growth and Margins Relative to Peers





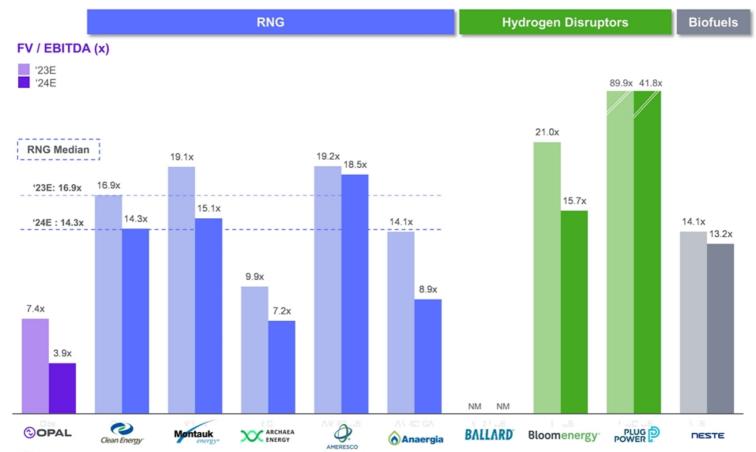




Source: Company filings, FactSet. Market data as of 10/1/2021.

Note: Refer to disclaimer on pages 2 and 3 regarding forward-looking statements and use of projection:

# Valuation Benchmarking: Transaction Value Represents Significant Discount to Peer Group

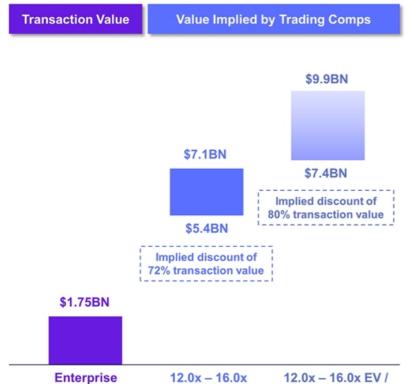




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# Transaction Pricing vs. Implied Value



- Apply a range of 12.0x to 16.0x to OPAL's 2024E EBITDA based on RNG peer median midpoint of 14.3x
- · Multiples range reflects a discount to RNG public comparables underscoring upside to transaction value

	EBITDA (\$MM)		Assumed Multiples (x)					
FV / 24E EBITDA	\$446	3.9x	8.0x	10.0x	12.0x	14.0x	16.0x	
	EBITDA (\$MM)		Implied Multiples (x)					
FV / 23E EBITDA	\$238	7.4x	15.0x	18.8x	22.5x	26.3x	30.0x	
Implied Enterprise Value (\$BN)		\$1.75	\$3.57	\$4.46	\$5.35	\$6.24	\$7.14	



Value

EV / 2024E

**EBITDA** 

Source: FactSet. Market data as of 10/1/2021.

Note: Illustrative share price excludes current shareholders earnout linked to 2024 EBITDA outperformance. Refer to disclaimer on pages 2 and 3 regarding forward-looking statements and use of projections.

(1) Run rate represented by adjusted EBITDA + steady-state EBITDA of OPAL RNG supply projects in partial year operation and construction (including RNG growth).

Run-Rate 2024E EBITDA of \$618MM<sup>(1)</sup>

# **OPAL: Solving Two Climate Crises with One Vertically Integrated Platform**

The Challenges

✓ Reducing methane emissions is the most immediate step to slow climate change.

The transportation sector is the number one greenhouse gases emitter in the U.S.

# **OPAL's Solution**

✓ Capture methane emissions from landfills and livestock

✓ Convert emissions into RNG

✓ Create the infrastructure to supply RNG to the transportation sector.

✓ Use RNG to replace diesel, reducing emissions from transportation

# **OPAL's Unique Opportunity**

Maximizes value for landfill and dairy partners

✓ Heavy duty fleet customers save money <u>and</u> reduce emissions

✓ OPAL shareholders benefit from substantial, profitable growth

 Society benefits from elimination of methane and diesel emissions





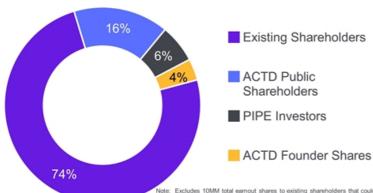
# **Transaction Overview**

# Illustrative Pro-Forma Valuation(1)(2)(3)

# **Pro-Forma Capitalization (\$MM)**

Shares Outstanding <sup>(4)</sup>	198.1
(x) Illustrative Share Price	\$10.00
Equity Value <sup>(4)</sup>	\$1,981
(-) Cash <sup>(5)</sup>	(604)
(+) Preferred Equity <sup>(6)</sup>	130
(+) Debt <sup>(7)</sup>	118
(+) TLA <sup>(8)</sup>	125
Enterprise Value	\$1,750

# Pro-Forma Share Ownership(1)(2)(3)



Note: Excludes 10MM total earnout shares to existing shareholders that could vest in 2023 and 2024 based on EBITDA targets. (5)

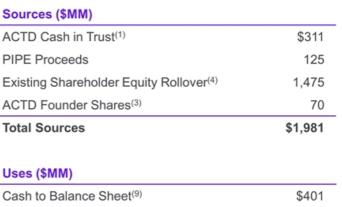
(1) Assumes no redemptions by ACTD public shareholders. (6)

Pro-forma valuation and pro-forma ownership at \$10.00 per share. Excludes the dilutive impact of ACTD public warrants and Sponsor warrants with an \$11.50 exercise price. (7)

Excludes the impact of the new, to-be-established equity incentive plan. (8)

(3) Excludes 0.78MM founder shares subject to earnout, vesting relatibly at \$12.50 and \$15.00.

(4) 50% of the \$\$50MM outstanding convertible note is converted to equity as part of the de-SPAC (9) transaction.



1,475

70

35

\$1,981

**Illustrative Sources & Uses** 

Existing Shareholder Equity Rollover(4)

ACTD Founder Shares(3)

**Total Uses** 

Illustrative Fees & Expenses(10)

Includes \$30MM of expected Preferred Equity issuance in exchange of contribution of minority ownership stakes in certain RNG projects to Opal by an affiliate of Fortistar. Includes \$91MM of OPAL's existing project-level debt as of 6/30/2021. Expected \$90MM available at closing with remainder available once 3 in-construction projects.

are online and contributed to the borrower. 38 Cash to balance sheet may be used to fund growth or pay down debt. Illustrative fees and expenses are preliminary and subject to confirmation.

# **Summary of Forecast**

\$ in mm, except where noted	2021E	2022E	2023E	2024E	2025E	CAGR <sup>(1)</sup>
Gasoline Gallon Equivalent Sold	20,977	45,123	117,187	149,876	183,331	71.9%
RIN Price	\$2.68	\$2.72	\$2.76	\$2.80	\$2.86	
LCFS Price (\$ / MT)	\$205	\$212	\$212	\$214	\$215	
Revenue						
RNG Fuel	\$64	\$174	\$498	\$813	\$1,054	
Fuel Station Services	57	82	104	133	165	
Renewable Power	48	40	26	23	22	
Total Revenue	\$169	\$296	\$628	\$968	\$1,241	64.5%
Total Revenue Growth (%)		75%	112%	54%	28%	
Expenses						
Operating Expenses	(\$119)	(\$186)	(\$322)	(\$435)	(\$566)	
G&A, net	(21)	(29)	(29)	(30)	(29)	
Non-Cash Items (2)	(11)	(23)	(45)	(57)	(76)	
Total Expenses	(\$151)	(\$238)	(\$396)	(\$522)	(\$671)	
Operating Income	\$18	\$58	\$232	\$446	\$570	136.6%
Operating Income Margin (%)	11%	19%	37%	46%	46%	
Adjusted EBITDA						
Operating Income	\$18	\$58	\$232	\$446	\$570	
Major Maintenance at Renewable Power	6	4	3	2	2	
Non-Cash Items (2)	11	23	45	57	76	
Minority Interest (3)	6	(13)	(42)	(59)	(63)	
Adjusted EBITDA	\$41	\$73	\$238	\$446	\$585	94.5%
Adjusted EBITDA Margin (%)	24%	25%	38%	46%	47%	
Capital Expenditure						
Growth Capex	\$177	\$307	\$262	\$324	\$267	
Maintenance Capex (excl. Major Maintenance at Renewable Power)	2	3	8	2	2	
Total Capital Expenditure	\$179	\$310	\$270	\$326	\$269	
Cash Flow Provided by Operating Activities	\$31	\$70	\$252	\$418	\$510	
Unlevered Free Cash Flow	(\$148)	(\$240)	(\$18)	\$92	\$241	



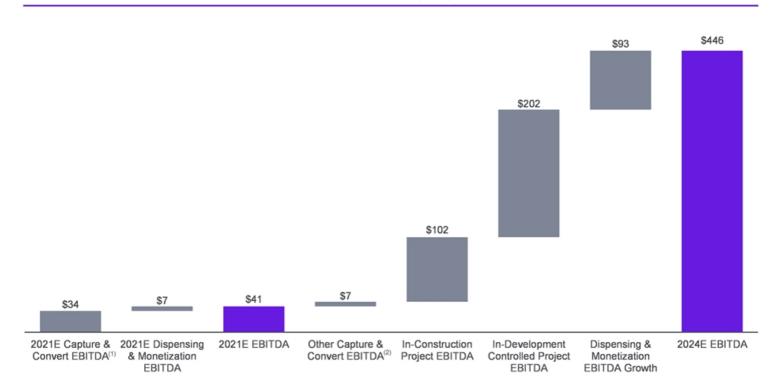
Note: RIN and LCFS price projections based on independent market study by ICF.

(1) Reflects 2021E – 2025E CAGR.
(2) Non-Cash Items includes Depreciation & Amortization, Asset Retirement Obligation, and Impairment costs. Beacon Accrued Royalty is recorded on an as-if paid basis; adjustment is made to reflect timing of expected cash flows.

(3) Minority interest: minority interest associated with OPAL's partners at RNG production projects.

# **OPAL Assets Poised to Deliver Predictable Growth Across Segments**

OPAL EBITDA (\$MM)





Note: EBITDA metrics shown reflect upstream business. Refer to disclaimer on pages 2 and 3 regarding forward-looking statements and use of projections.

(1) Represents 2021E net EBITDA. Gross EBITDA of \$40MM. All 20 operating projects are currently wholly owned.

(2) Represents changes to Capture and Convert and Renewable Power EBITDA for projects operating in 2021 through 2024. Largest component represents increased ownership in existing Imperial / Greentree (e.g. Beacon) projects, which has already accrued.

# Volume Conversion from Dth or MMBtu to GGE



Controlled

Growth

3<sup>rd</sup> Party Supply



Operating

lote: Refer to disclaimer on pages 2 and 3 regarding forward-looking statements and use of projections
1) 1 MMRh = 1 Drb

In-Construction

# **Growth Portfolio with Critical Milestones Met**

				Late-Stage	Mid-Stage
Each LFG and Dairy project has multiple milestones to pass before it can start construction	LFG to RNG Projects	Critical Milestones	LRG Analysis LFG Curve / Volume Confirmation Plant Size Gas Interconnection Gas Rights Executed EPC Agreement Executed	In process or completed	In process or completed
<ul> <li>Late-stage projects are those where all the milestone steps have been completed or initiated</li> </ul>		Non-Critical Milestones	Site Visit     Geotech Study     Electric Interconnection     Zoning     Building / Construction Permit     Environmental Permit	In process or completed	Certain Items have not started
<ul> <li>Mid-stage projects are those where certain milestone steps have been completed but not all the steps have been started</li> <li>The table on the right details the critical and non-critical milestones and late-stage and</li> </ul>	Dairy to RNG Projects	Critical Milestones	Environmental Permit     Manure Analysis     Gas Production Verification     Plant Site     Gas Interconnection     Electric Supply / Interconnect     Manure Rights Executed     EPC Agreement Executed     LCFS / CI Verification	In process or completed	In process or completed
mid-stage projects' status for each category of the milestones	-	Non-Critical Milestones	Site Visit     Geotech Study     Zoning     Building / Construction Permit     Environmental Permit	In process or completed	Certain Items have not started

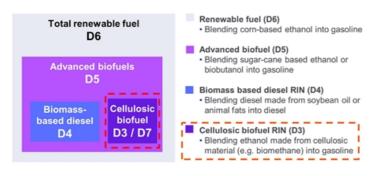


# Capturing the Value of Federal RIN Market

- The Renewable Fuel Standard ("RFS") mandates the incorporation of renewable content into transportation fuels in the U.S. and has significantly changed the transportation fuel landscape since its passage in 2005
- A Congressional mandate underpins RFS; an act of Congress is required to amend the program
- Biden Administration poised to support more stringent RVO baselines and push internal state-mandated fuel standards providing tailwinds to RIN pricing
- Production and dispensing of renewable fuel creates RINs and are the "currency" of the RFS program

#### Overview of RIN classifications

- OPAL produces cellulosic biofuels, which qualify for D3 RINs and have been below RFS mandates, creating a market shortage of D3 RINs
- Benefits of D3 RIN classification for OPAL's RNG
  - D3 RIN volume obligations are expected to increase materially in 2021
  - Increasing volume obligations and limited RNG supply help D3 RINs clear at a significant premium to other renewable fuels





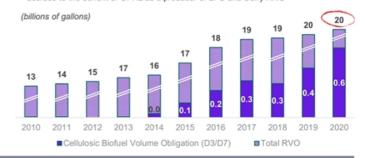
Source: EPA and Wall Street research.

Note: RIN pricing as of 10/1/2021. Illustrative natural gas price of \$3.50/MMBtu.

# Renewable volume obligation ("RVO") standards support D3 RIN pricing

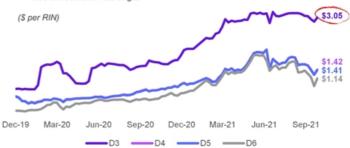
## Cellulosic RVO's through time

Sharp increases in the Federal requirement of cellulosic biofuel volume obligations accrues to the benefit of OPAL as a producer of LFG and Dairy RNG



#### Historic RIN price performance

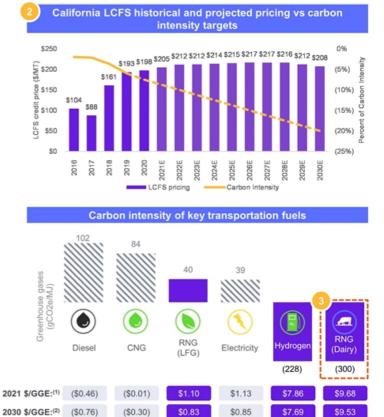
Current D3 RIN valued at \$35.77/MMBtu, representing approximately 10x the value of traditional natural gas



# State Level LCFS Markets Create Strong Value Proposition

- Established in 2007, the California LCFS is a market-based program designed to reduce transportation-driven greenhouse gas emissions in the state
- The program is administered by the California Air Resource Board ("CARB"), which sets annual CI standards
- Fuels in the California transportation fuel pool that have a CI lower than the target established by CARB generate LCFS credits, those with CI's higher than the annual standard generate deficits
- A fuel producer with deficits must have enough credits through generation and acquisition to be in annual compliance with the annual standard
- Key value drivers for OPAL:
  - California was a first mover, pioneering the LCFS market design, but other states and provinces are introducing similar markets; Amazon recently announced publically its support for the LCFS proposal in Washington State
  - Over time CI targets become more stringent, providing support for higher credit prices
  - RNG from dairy facilities like those owned by OPAL produce the highest carbon credits by volume of any transport fuel given this is a carbon negative process







California Air Resource Board, OPAL provided materials and ICF RNG Market Report. See LCFS calculator page in appendix for more details. Carbon intensity of hydrogen is based on dairy RNG as the feedstock. Proposed LCFS program in Washington is pending gubernatorial signature Assumes \$205 LCFS credit price.

Assumes \$206 LCFS credit price and CI Standard of 80.36.

# **LCFS Credits Formula**

## Formula for LCFS Calculation

Number of LCFS Credits per MMBtu = EnergyDensity<sub>fuel</sub>  $\times \frac{\text{Lower Heating Value (LHV)}}{\text{Higher Heating Value (HHV)}}$  of Natural Gas  $\times (\text{Cl}_{\text{standard}}^{\text{i}} \times \text{EER}_{\text{fuel}} - \text{Cl}_{\text{fuel}}) \times 10^{-6}$ 

#### Where:

- EnergyDensity<sub>fuel</sub>: the energy density of the fuel of interest in units of MJ per unit of fuel (e.g., MJ/MMBtu)
- LHV/HHV of Natural Gas: the application of interest (i.e., light-duty/heavy-duty vehicle applications). Equivalent to 0.903 (constant)
- EER<sub>fuel</sub>: the energy economy ratio of the fuel of interest, such as CNG
- Cl<sub>standard</sub>: refers to the carbon intensity of the standard in a given year
- Cl<sub>fuel</sub>: the carbon intensity of the fuel of interest

## Calculation Example for RNG from Dairy

## Assumptions:

- EnergyDensity<sub>fuel</sub>: 1,055.06
- · LHV/HHV of Natural Gas: 0.903
- EER<sub>fuel</sub>: 0.9
- CI<sub>standard</sub>: 92.92
- CI<sub>fuel</sub>: (300)

LCFS	Formula	# of LCFS per MMbtu = 1,055.06 x 0.903 x (92.92 x $0.9 - (-300)$ ) x $10^{-6} = 0.3655$
per MMBtu	Sample Calculation	1 MMbtu receives \$205 <sup>(1)</sup> x 0.3655 = \$74.93 worth of LCFS
LCFS	Formula	1 GGE = 1 / 7.74 MMbtu
ggE GGE	Sample Calculation	1 GGE created from RNG (dairy) receives \$74.93 / 7.74 = \$9.68 worth of LCFS



# Pricing Scenarios: Attractive Valuation Relative to Peers Even in Downward Price Sensitivities

Ш	Illustrative Enterprise Value (\$BN)			\$1.75	\$2.00	\$2.50	\$3.00	\$3.50	\$4.00
	RIN (\$)	LCFS (\$/MT)	'24E EBITDA (\$MM)		)				
	\$3.50	\$250	\$539	3.2x	3.7x	4.6x	5.6x	6.5x	7.4x
	\$3.00	\$225	\$473	3.7x	4.2x	5.3x	6.3x	7.4x	8.5x
[	ICF Price A	Assumptions	\$446	3.9x	4.5x	5.6x	6.7x	7.8x	9.0x
	\$2.50	\$175	\$406	4.3x	4.9x	6.2x	7.4x	8.6x	9.9x
	\$2.00	\$150	\$339	5.2x	5.9x	7.4x	8.8x	10.3x	11.8x



te: ICF Price assumptions. Excludes earnout shares. Refer to disclaimer on pages 2 and 3 regarding forward-looking statements and use of projections

# Risk Factors

Risks Related to Government Regulation of Our Businesses and Our Third Party Relationships

We are dependent on contractual arrangements with, and the cooperation of, landfill and livestock waste site owners and operators, on which we operate our landfill gas and livestock waste projects that generate electricity and renewable natural gas (collectively, "Renewable Projects"), for access to and operations on their sites. These site owners generally make no warranties to us as to the quality or quantity of gas produced. We may be impacted due to operational issues encountered by these site owners in operating their facilities, such as, among other things: their ability to perform in accordance with their commitments to third parties (other than us) under agreements and permits; transportation, herd health and labor issues at the livestock waste production facilities dependent on contracted manure supplies; and gas collection issues such as broken pipes, ground water accumulation and inadequate landcover, as well as the particular character and mix of trash received, at the landfill gas facilities. • We from time to time face disputes or disagreements with landfill and livestock waste project owners and operators on existing or proposed projects, which could materially impact our ability to continue to operate an existing project on its current basis or at all, delay or eliminate our ability to secure the rights to or complete a proposed project, or impact our ability to identify and successfully secure the rights to construct and operate other future projects. • We are dependent on the production of vehicles and engines in our key customer and geographic markets by vehicle and engine manufacturers, over which we have no control. • Failure of third parties to manufacture quality products or provide reliable services in a timely manner could cause delays in developing and operating our projects, which could damage our reputation, adversely affect our partner relationships or adversely affect our growth. • Our operations are subject to numerous stringent environmental, health and safety laws and regulations that may expose us to significant costs and liabilities. From time to time, we have been issued violations from governmental bodies that our operations have failed to comply with such laws and regulations, particularly in regards to the operation of our landfill gas electric generating facilities. Failure to comply with these laws and regulations may result in the assessment of sanctions, including administrative, civil or criminal penalties, the imposition of investigatory or remedial obligations, and the issuance of orders limiting or prohibiting some or all of our operations. • Existing federal, state and local regulations and policies, including permitting requirements applicable to us, future changes to these regulations and policies, and enactment of new regulations and policies may present technical, regulatory and economic barriers to the generation, purchase and use of renewable natural gas ("RNG") and electricity, and may adversely affect the market for the environmental attributes associated with the production of RNG and electricity. • A failure on our part to comply with any laws, regulations or rules, applicable to us may adversely affect the Combined Company's business, investments and results of operations. • Our landfill and livestock waste site owners and operators are also subject to extensive federal, state and local regulations and policies, including permitting requirements, on account of their separate operations. Any failure on their part to comply with any laws, regulations or rules, applicable to them may also adversely affect the Combined Company's business, investments and results of operations. • The financial performance of our business depends upon tax and other governmental incentives for the generation of renewable electricity and RNG, any of which could change at any time and such changes may negatively impact our growth strategy. • We rely on interconnection, transmission and pipeline facilities that we do not own or control and that are subject to constraints within a number of our regions. If these facilities fail to provide us with adequate capacity or have unplanned disruptions, we may be restricted in our ability to deliver electric power and RNG to our customers and we may either incur additional costs or forego revenues. • We rely on third party utility companies to provide our Renewable Projects with adequate utility supplies, including sewer, water and electricity, in order to operate our Renewable Project facilities. Any failure on the part of such providers to adequately supply our facilities with such utilities, including any prolonged period of loss of electricity, may have an adverse effect on our business and results of operations. • The demand for RNG, environmental attributes and renewable electricity depends in part on mandates instituted voluntarily by our private-sector purchasers, which may change in the future in ways that negatively affect our business. • We are subject to risks associated with litigation or administrative proceedings that could materially impact our operations, including proceedings in the future related to projects we subsequently acquire. • We currently own, and in the future may acquire, certain assets in which we have limited control over management decisions, including through joint ventures, and our interests in such assets may be subject to transfer or other related restrictions. • Our gas rights agreements, power purchase agreements, fuel-supply agreements, RNG dispensing agreements and other agreements, including contracts with owners and operators of landfill and livestock waste project sites, often contain complex provisions, including those relating to price adjustments, calculations and other terms based on gas price indices and other metrics, as well as other terms and provisions, the interpretation of which could result in disputes with counterparties that could materially affect our results of operations and customer or other business relationships

Market Risks Related to Our Businesses

A reduction in the prices we can obtain for the environmental attributes generated from RNG, which include renewable identification numbers (RINs), low carbon fuel standard (LCFS) credits, and other incentives, could have a material adverse effect A reduction in the prices we can obtain for the environmental attributes generated from RNG, which include renewable identification numbers (RINs), low carbon fuel standard (LCFs) credits, and other incentives, could have a material adverse effect on our long-term business prospects, financial condition and results of operations. • A prolonged environment of low prices or reduced demand for RNG could have a material adverse effect on our long-term business prospects, financial condition and results of operations. • We face significant competition on the economics we are able to negotiate with our commercial and public fleet customers for dispensing RNG to them. • Our RNG is sold on a merchant pricing basis that exposes us to the risk of fluctuations in commodity prices. • Increases, decreases and general volatility on it, gasoline, diesel, natural gas and RNG prices could adversely affect our business. • Increased rates of recycling and legislation encouraging recycling, increased use of waste incineration, advances in waste disposal technology, decreased demand for meat and livestock products, and downturns in the economy of the United States could decrease the availability or change the composition of waste for landfill and livestock waste gas. • We currently use, and may continue in the future to use, forward-sale and hedging arrangements, to mitigate certain risks, but the use of such arrangements could have a material adverse effect on our results of operations.

Risks Related to the Business and Industry of the Combined Company Risk Factors Relating to Our Methane Capture Business • Our commercial Risk Factors Relating to Our Methane Capture Business • Our commercial success depends on our ability to identify, acquire, develop and operate Renewable Projects, as well as our ability to expand production at our current projects. • Acquiring existing Renewable Projects involves numerous risks, including potential exposure to pre-existing liabilities, unanticipated costs in acquiring and implementing the project, and lack of or limited experience in new geographic markets. • Our Renewable Projects face operational challenges customary to the renewable energy industry, including among other things the breakdown or failure of equipment or processes or performance below expected levels of output or efficiency due to normal wear and tear of our equipment, latent defects, design or operator errors, force majeure events, or lack of transmission capacity or other problems with third party interconnection and transmission facilities. • An unexpected reduction in RNG production by third party producers of RNG with whom we maintain marketing agreements to purchase RNG. eir inability or refusal to deliver such RNG as provided under those marketing agree ements, may have a material adverse effect on our results of operations and could adversely affect associated dispensing



# Risk Factors (Cont'd)

. Construction, development and operation of our Renewable Projects involves significant risks and hazards customary to the energy and RNG industry, including among other things acquiring and transporting fuel, operating large pieces of rotating equipment and delivering our electricity and renewable natural gas to interconnection and transmission systems, as well as other activities, whether caused by us or a third party actor, that might result in fire, explosion, structural collapse or machinery failure. Among other things, we may not have adequate insurance, or insurance may be unavailable, to cover these risks and hazards, or other risks that are beyond our control. Our failure to produce and deliver the specified quality or quantity of RNG could have a material adverse effect on our long-term business prospects, financial condition and results of operations, by subjecting us to, among other things, possible rejection of the RNG, loss of the environmental attributes associated with such RNG, and possible penalties or terminations under the various contractual arrangements under which we operate. The success of our RNG projects depends on our ability to timely generate and ultimately receive certification of the environmental attributes associated with our RNG production and sale. A delay or failure in the certification of these environmental attributes could have a material adverse effect on the financial performance of our RNG projects. • Maintenance, expansion and refurbishment of our Renewable Projects involve the risk of unplanned outages or reduced output, resulting from among other things periodic upgrading and improvement, unplanned breakdowns in equipment, and forced outages. • In order to secure development, operational, dispensing and other necessary contract rights for our Renewable Projects, we typically face a long and variable development cycle that requires significant resource commitments and a long lead time before we realize revenues. • Our Renewable Projects may not produce expected levels of output, and the amount of electricity or renewable gas actually produced at each of our respective projects will vary over time. • Our business plans include expanding from renewable electricity and RNG production projects into additional transportation-related infrastructure, including production and development of hydrogen vehicle filling stations. Any such expansions may present unforeseen challenges and result in a competitive disadvantage relative to our more-established competitors in the markets into which we wish to expand

Risk Factors Relating to Our Dispensing Business. • Our commercial success depends on our ability to identify, acquire, develop and operate public and private RNG fueling stations for public and commercial fleet vehicles, as well as supplying our customers with RNG for use as vehicle fuel. • Our ability to meet our obligations to supply RNG to our customer base is dependent on our ability to secure and maintain contract rights to sufficient supply of RNG and the associated environmental attributes. • Our gas rights and RNG dispensing agreements are subject to certain conditions. A failure to satisfy those conditions could result in the loss of gas rights or the termination of an RNG dispensing agreement. • Our gas marketing agreements require us to dispense gas up to contracted ceiling levels, and our failure to do so could result in a requirement for us to pay significant make-whole payments to the counterparty. • Our success is dependent on the willingness of commercial fleets and other customers to adopt, and continue use of, our vehicle fuels, which may not occur in a timely manner, at expected levels or at all. • Our vehicle fleet customers may choose to invest in renewable vehicle fuels other than RNG. • Our customer base in our RNG dispensing business is comprised of a limited number of customers, some of whom account for a significant portion of our recurring revenue. • Acquisition, financing, construction, and development of RNG fueling station projects by us or our partners that own projects may not commence on anticipated timelines or at all. The risks include, among other things, difficulties in identifying, obtaining, and permitting suitable sites for new projects; failure to obtain all necessary rights to land access and use; inaccuracy of assumptions with respect to the cost and schedule for completing construction; delays in deliveries or increases in the price of equipment; permitting and other regulatory issues, license revocation and changes in legal requirements; increases in the cost of labor, labor disputes and work stoppages; failure to receive quality and timely performance of third-party services; unforeseen engineering and environmental problems; cost overruns; accidents involving personal injury or the loss of life; and weather conditions, catastrophic events, including fires, explosions, earthquakes, droughts and acts of terrorism, and other force majeure events. • Our RNG fueling station construction activities for commercial fleets and other customers are subject to business and operational risks, including predicting demand in a particular market or markets, land use, permitting or zoning difficulties, responsibility for actions of sub-contractors on jobs in which we serve as general contractor, potential labor shortages due to the COVID-19 pandemic or otherwise, and

Risk Factors Relating to Our Business in General. • Certain of our facilities are newly constructed or are under construction and may not perform as we expect. • Our contracts with governmental entities may be subject to unique risks, including possible termination of or reduction in the government programs under which we operate, instances in which our contract provisions allow the governmental entity to terminate, amend or change terms at their convenience, and competitive bidding processes for the award of contracts. • Our level of indebtedness could adversely affect our ability to raise additional capital to fund our operations and acquisitions. It could also expose us to the risk of increased interest rates and limit our ability to react to changes in the economy or our industry. • ArcLight and the Combined Company may be unable to obtain additional financing to fund our operations or growth. • Liabilities and costs associated with hazardous materials and contamination and other environmental conditions may require us to conduct investigations or remediation at the properties underlying our projects, may adversely impact the value of our projects or the underlying properties and may expose us to liabilities to third parties. • We have a history of accounting losses and may incur additional losses in the future. • Loss of our key management could adversely affect our business performance. • The COVID-19 pandemic and measures intended to reduce its spread have, and may continue to, adversely affect our business, results of operations and financial condition.

#### Integration and Other Risks of the Combined Company

\*\*Some relationships with customers and suppliers may experience disruptions in connection with the Business Combination, which may limit the Combined Company's business. • The Company's operations may be restricted during the pendency of the Business Combination pursuant to terms of a business combination or similar agreement. • Subsequent to the consummation of the Business Combination, the Combined Company may be required to take write-downs or write-offs, or the Combined Company may be subject to restructuring, impairment or other charges that could have a significant deficiencies in its internal control over financial reporting. If the Company is unable to remediate these significant deficiencies, or if it identifies additional significant deficiencies, or any material weaknesses, in the future or otherwise fails to maintain an effective system of internal controls, it may not be able to accurately or timely report its financial condition or results of operations, which may adversely affect the Combined Company's business and stock price. • The Combined Company's failure to timely and effectively implement controls and procedures required by Section 404(a) of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 (the "Sarbanes-Oxley Act") that will be applicable to it after the Business Combination is consummated could have a material adverse effect on its business. • The Combined Company will qualify as an "emerging growth company" within the meaning of the Securities Act, and if it takes advantage of certain exemptions from disclosure requirements available to emerging growth companies, it could make its securities less attractive to investors and may make it more difficult to compare its performance of other public companies.



# Risk Factors (Cont'd)

Risks Relating to ArcLight and the Business Combination

The Company's current majority stockholder is expected, following the Business Combination, to have control over all stockholder decisions of ArcLight because it controls a substantial majority of ArcLight's voting power through "high vote" voting stock. Such majority stockholder may have potential conflicts of interest in connection with existing or proposed business relationships and decisions impacting the Combined Company and, even in situations where it does not have a conflict of interest, its interests in such matters may be different than the other stockholders. • Directors and officers of ArcLight may have potential conflicts of interest in recommending that stockholders vote in favor of approval of the Business Combination. • ArcLight has no operating history and its results of operations and those of the post-combination company may differ significantly from the unaudited pro forma financial data included in this presentation. • The Company's operating and financial results forecasts may not prove accurate. • The Sponsor is liable to ensure that proceeds of the trust are not reduced by vendor claims in the event a Business Combination is not consummated. It has also agreed to pay for any liquidation expenses if a Business Combination is not consummated. Such liability may have influenced the its decision to agree to approve the Business Combination. • The consummation of the Business Combination will be, pursuant to a business combination or similar agreement if and when one is entered into, subject to a number of conditions and if those conditions are not satisfied or waived, the business combination agreement may be terminated in accordance with it terms and the Business Combination may not be completed. Termination of the business combination agreement, if one is entered into, could negatively impact ArcLight. • ArcLight and the Company may incur significant transaction costs in connection with the Business Combination. • ArcLight will not have a specified maximum redemption threshold. The absence of such a redemption threshold may make it possible for ArcLight to complete the Business Combination, even if a substantial majority of ArcLight's public stockholders redeem their shares. • The ability of ArcLight's public stockholders to exercise redemption rights with respect to a large number of ArcLight's public shares may not allow ArcLight to complete the most desirable business combination or optimize the capital structure of the Combined Company. • The consummation of the proposed Business Combination is subject to a number of conditions and if those conditions are not satisfied or waived, the business combination agreement may be terminated in accordance with its terms and the Business Combination may not be completed. • The subscription agreement governing the terms of your purchase of Class A common stock is not cross-conditioned on the satisfaction by any other investor of their obligations under the subscription agreement entered into by such investor. • The exercise of ArcLight's directors' and officers' discretion in agreeing to changes or waivers in the terms of the Business Combination Agreement may result in a conflict of interest when determining whether such changes to the terms of the Business Combination or waivers of conditions are appropriate and in ArcLight's stockholders' best interest. • If ArcLight is unable to complete the proposed Business Combination or another initial business combination by a prescribed deadline, ArcLight will cease all operations except for the purpose of winding up, redeeming 100% of the outstanding public shares and, subject to the approval of its remaining stockholders and the ArcLight board, dissolving and liquidating. In such event, third parties may bring claims against ArcLight and, as a result, the proceeds held in the trust account could be reduced and the per-share liquidation price received by stockholders could be less than \$10.00 per share. • ArcLight's stockholders may be held liable for claims by third parties against ArcLight to the extent of distributions received by them. In the event ArcLight distributes the proceeds in the trust account to its public stockholders and subsequently files a bankruptcy petition or an involuntary bankruptcy petition is filed against ArcLight that is not dismissed, a bankruptcy court may seek to recover such proceeds, and ArcLight may be exposed to claims of punitive damages. If, before distributing the proceeds in the trust account to ArcLight's public stockholders, ArcLight files a bankruptcy petition or an involuntary bankruptcy petition is filed against ArcLight that is not dismissed, the claims of creditors in such proceeding may have priority over the claims of our stockholders and the per share amount that would otherwise be received by ArcLight's stockholders in connection with ArcLight's liquidation may be reduced. • Activities taken by existing ArcLight stockholders to increase the likelihood of approval of the Business Combination and the other transactions contemplated in connection therewith could have a depressive effect on ArcLight's stock. • Neither the ArcLight Board nor any committee thereof will obtain a third-party valuation in determining whether or not to pursue the proposed Business Combination.

#### Risks Relating to Ownership of ArcLight Common Stock Following the Business Combination

• ArcLight's only material assets following consummation of the Business Combination will be its indirect interests in the Company (the "Opco Partnership"), and ArcLight is accordingly dependent upon distributions from the Opco Partnership to pay dividends and taxes and other expenses. • ArcLight's debt facilities also impose or may in the future impose certain restrictions on the Company's subsidiaries making distributions to the Company. • If ArcLight were deemed an "investment company" under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the "1940 Act") as a result of its ownership of the Opco Partnership, applicable restrictions could make it impractical for it to continue its business as contemplated and could have a material adverse effect on its business. • It is anticipated that, following the consummation of the Business Combination, ArcLight will be a controlled company, and thus will not be subject to all of the corporate governance rules of NASDAQ. You will not have the same protections afforded to stockholders of companies that are subject to such requirements. • The dual class structure of ArcLight's Common Stock following the Business Combination may adversely affect the trading market for the Class A common stock. • There can be no assurance that following the consummation of the Business Combination ArcLight will be able to comply with the continued listing standards of NASDAQ. • A significant portion of ArcLight's Common Stock following the business combination will be subject to lock up restrictions that prohibit sales of such Common Stock. Following the expiration of such lock-up restrictions, the resulting shares could cause the market price of ArcLight's Common Stock to drop significantly, even if ArcLight's business is doing well. • Financial projections with respect to the Company may not prove to be reflective of actual financial results. • The market price of shares of the Common Stock of ArcLight after the Business Combination may be affected by factors different from those currently affecting the prices of the Common Stock and may be volatile. • If the Business Combination's benefits do not meet the expectations of financial analysts, the market price of the Common Stock may decline after the Business Combinations. • ArcLight stockholders will have a significantly reduced ownership and voting interest after the Business Combinations and will exercise significantly less influence over management. • The NASDAQ may delist the Combined Company's securities from trading on its exchange, which could limit investors' ability to make transactions in its securities and subject the Combined Company to additional trading restrictions. • Because there are no current plans to pay cash dividends on Common Stock for the foreseeable future, you may not receive any return on investment unless you sell your Common Stock for a price greater than that which you paid for it. • If securities analysts do not publish research or reports about the Combined Company's business or if they downgrade the Common Stock or the Combined Company's sector, the price and trading volume of the Common Stock could decline. • Future sales, or the perception of future sales, by the Combined Company or its stockholders in the public market following the Business Combination could cause the market price for the Common Stock to decline. • Anti-takeover provisions expected to be contained in the operative ArcLight charter and bylaws following consummation of the Business Combination could delay or prevent a change of control. • A market for ArcLight's securities may not continue, which would adversely affect the liquidity and price of ArcLight's securities. • ArcLight will be a holding company and its only material asset after completion of the Business Combination will be its interest in the Combined Company, and it is accordingly dependent upon distributions made by its subsidiaries to pay taxes, make payments under an anticipated tax receivables agreement and pay dividends. • In certain cases, payments under an anticipated tax receivable agreement may exceed the actual tax benefits the Company realizes or be accelerated.



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## OPAL Fuels Combination with ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II

Investor Conference Call Transcript
December 2, 2021

#### Operator

Welcome to the OPAL Fuels and ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II Transaction Conference Call.

I would like to first remind everyone that this call may contain forward-looking statements including, but not limited to, OPAL Fuels, LLC and ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II's expectations or predictions of financial and business performance and conditions, expectations or assumptions as to product development and performance (including but not limited to the timing of development milestones), competitive and industry outlook and the timing and completion of the transaction. Forward-looking statements are inherently subject to risks, uncertainties, and assumptions and they are not guarantees of performance. Please also note that this call does not constitute or form part of an offer to issue or sell, or of a solicitation of an offer to subscribe or buy, any securities or other financial instruments, nor does it constitute a financial promotion, investment advice or an inducement to participate in any offering or investment. I encourage you to read the press release issued today, the accompanying presentation and ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II's filings with the SEC for a discussion of the risks that can affect the business combination, our business and the business of the combined company after completion of the proposed business combination.

I will now turn the call over to Mr. Jake Erhard. Please go ahead, sir.

#### Jake Erhard - President, Chief Executive Officer and Director, ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II

Thank you, operator, and hello, everyone—we thank you for joining today's call. My name is Jake Erhard and I am the President and Chief Executive Officer of ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II, a Nasdaq-listed special purpose acquisition company that trades under the ticker "ACTD". We are quite excited to announce this business combination transaction today between ArcLight and OPAL Fuels, a leading vertically integrated producer and distributor of renewable natural gas—or RNG.

ArcLight Clean Transition Corp. II is sponsored by ArcLight Capital Partners, a Boston-based energy infrastructure asset manager where I am also a Partner. ArcLight has a 20-year track record within the energy markets, having invested over \$25 billion in the aggregate including over \$4 billion in renewables investments since inception. We formed ACTD, our second SPAC, this past March to focus on opportunities that include renewable fuels and green hydrogen, which we see as critical enablers of a decarbonized future. OPAL Fuels is a key participant in both of these markets.





OPAL Fuels is a FORTISTAR portfolio company. Similar to ArcLight, FORTISTAR is an investment firm focused on growing and managing companies that target complex sustainability challenges. They have a 28-year track record of investing in independent power, renewables and storage, carbon capture, and the circular economy. They manage a portfolio of 11 companies, of which OPAL Fuels is one. OPAL Fuels was formed at the end of last year when FORTISTAR consolidated their RNG production business and their renewable transportation fuel distribution business. In so doing, FORTISTAR created what we believe is a leading platform in the renewable fuels space for two principal reasons:

- OPAL Fuels operates a vertically integrated model that differentiates it from other players in the industry, giving the company both superior margin and business capture opportunity at each point along the RNG value chain. And:
- 2) FORTISTAR has more than 23 years of experience in this business, giving us tremendous confidence in their ability to evaluate and execute on a robust pipeline of RNG projects that they have put together and that you'll hear more about shortly.

The end result is a company that—by executing on projects under its control—has projected a more than 10x increase in EBITDA between 2021 and 2024. I will allow the OPAL Fuels team to elaborate on all of this in a moment, but first a bit on the transaction structure.

The transaction announced today is expected to provide gross proceeds of approximately \$536 million, comprised of ArcLight's \$311 million of cash held in trust, assuming no redemptions, a \$125 million, fully committed common stock PIPE, and a committed \$100 million preferred equity investment from NextEra Energy. The PIPE includes a \$20 million investment from an affiliate of ArcLight, and a \$25 million investment from NextEra Energy. NextEra is also a key strategic counterparty with investments at the asset level on several projects, and will additionally purchase and market the majority of OPAL's environmental attributes. Following transaction closing, which is expected in the second quarter of 2022, the combined company will have a pro forma enterprise value of approximately \$1.75 billion and an estimated equity value of \$2.0 billion. FORTISTAR will continue to be a majority shareholder. Shares will trade on the Nasdaq under the ticker "OPL".

We at ArcLight have always had a tremendous respect for the team at FORTISTAR given their vision, their expertise and their track record. This is reflected in the strength of the OPAL Fuels team, which starts at the top with Co-Chief Executive Officers Adam Comora and Jon Maurer, both of whom have had long careers within the FORTISTAR family and the renewable natural gas industry. So, with that, I'd like to turn the call over to Adam.





#### Adam Comora - Co-Chief Executive Officer, OPAL Fuels

Thank you, Jake, and good day to all. I would also like to express our team's excitement about this transaction with ArcLight, which will provide OPAL Fuels with significant financial resources to fund our accelerated growth and scale our waste-to-energy, vertically integrated renewable fuels platform.

As the prior CEO of TruStar Energy, FORTISTAR'S renewable transportation fuel distribution business that Jake just touched upon, I became Co-CEO alongside Jon Maurer upon the formation of OPAL Fuels late last year when TruStar Energy merged with the FORTISTAR Methane Group and FORTISTAR'S RNG production business.

OPAL Fuels is a leading end-to-end renewable natural gas provider to the heavy-duty transportation market. With one vertically integrated platform we are addressing the two biggest challenges to halt climate change—capturing harmful methane emissions and then using that energy to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from heavy duty transportation. The transportation sector is one of the largest emitters of CO2, accounting for nearly 30% of U.S. greenhouse gas emissions each year. RNG is a scalable solution that works *today* using existing, proven technology in both its production and utilization in vehicles, with over 70,000 class 8 trucks on the road today. And, best of all, it saves our fleet partners money while dramatically reducing their carbon footprint. RNG is an extremely attractive renewable energy resource—it is transported over existing pipeline infrastructure and can be easily stored for when it is needed, truly a drop-in renewable resource that creates a valuable product that can help achieve sustainability goals and save our fleet customers money.

On sustainability. RNG is produced by capturing harmful, naturally occurring methane emissions from the decomposition of waste – either human or animals. When fleets transition from diesel to RNG-powered vehicles, they are able to recognize a 100 percent reduction in their Scope 1 emissions, which is an extremely powerful tool for corporations to achieve their sustainability goals.

On economics, RNG has a lower total cost of ownership than diesel, underpinned by the fact that RNG can cost 40 to 70 percent less on a per gallon equivalent basis than diesel. These annual fuel cost savings more than outweigh the additional cost of an RNG truck – providing paybacks within three years without any incentives on the vehicles. Given our track record of having developed, constructed and serviced more than 350 fuel station projects that provide reliable, diesel-like fueling for our customers, RNG has become a drop in fuel with minimal disruptions to how our customers run their business.

As a result of these RNG tailwinds, alternative fueled vehicles could see a 60-fold increase by 2040.





#### Turning to OPAL Fuels:

OPAL Fuels has historically been a renewable power company, building, owning and operating small power plants at landfills that converted the waste methane from the landfills into electricity, which was then sold under long-term power purchase agreements, or PPAs. However, over the past few years, increasing secular tailwinds, which include federal and state policy initiatives and a customer base that is increasingly focused on renewable fuels as a lever to meet their sustainability and decarbonization commitments, have supported the development of new end markets, such as transportation fuel, for our RNG assets. This brings us to today.

We are in the midst of expanding our portfolio of RNG projects, with three that are operational today and seven more that are in various stages of construction, forming the backbone of a robust project pipeline that you will hear more about in a few minutes. This transaction allows us to accelerate that conversion and capitalize on new development and acquisition opportunities to expand our production base.

At a high level, we operate under two business units—an upstream Capture and Conversion business and a downstream Dispensing and Monetization business. The Capture and Conversion business is comprised of projects that produce ultra low-carbon RNG by capturing methane emissions from landfill sites and dairy farms. The captured methane emissions are purified and treated, turning once harmful emissions into a source of clean, renewable energy. These projects are backed by long term gas rights agreements.

Our Dispensing and Monetization business delivers this clean, renewable fuel to heavy duty fleet customers through our network of fueling stations, underpinned by fueling agreements that are typically ten years in length. We also build and service fueling stations through our nationwide network across 42 states, having built more than 350 in total.

We believe that we gain economic and competitive benefits from our vertically integrated business model as we are able to capture the full value of RNG gas molecules from gas source to gas tank.

More importantly, our vertical integration provides key strategic value in growing market share with landfills and dairy farms looking to realize the most value of their resource in the transportation fuel market and with fleet customers looking for certainty of RNG supply. Specifically, diary projects require the RNG gets placed into vehicles in California and other states that provide LCFS—low carbon fuel standard—credits. We get approached by many dairy farmers and developers that first ask us for offtake agreements and then realize we can also be a good strategic partner by providing equity capital in the project, helping build and operate the facilities, and providing guidance on how best to structure the project for long term success.

We have spent some time discussing our vertical integration and how we are best positioned to capture the most value of RNG, but it is important to note that we also continue to see new end markets emerging. There are numerous voluntary markets—markets not dependent on any regulatory support—in the utility, industrial and international arena that are beginning to offer value for RNG. Some of these are offering contracts with longer terms—some as long as 15-20 years. We have not yet entered into these long-term offtake markets, yet we expect to do so once we see the value gap between these markets and the transportation fuel market close.





To talk more about our project pipeline, I will now turn the call over to Jon Maurer, our Co-CEO. Jon?

#### Jonathan Maurer - Co-Chief Executive Officer, OPAL Fuels

Thanks Adam. I have been with FORTISTAR for more than 30 years and am responsible for acquiring, developing, building and managing the upstream projects in OPAL Fuels' upstream Capture and Conversion business, which Adam discussed. Turning to our project portfolio and pipeline.

Today, OPAL Fuels operates 21 biomethane projects. Three of these operating projects currently produce RNG fuel for sale into the transportation fuels market and the balance are currently operating as renewable power plants. Over the next several years, we expect to build 23 more RNG projects from opportunities that are substantially under our control. Many of these RNG projects will come from converting our Renewable Power projects to RNG and some will come from dairy projects that are substantially under our control today.

Right now, seven of these projects are under construction, with another 16 in the advanced development and execution phase. From these projects alone, OPAL Fuels' EBITDA is expected to grow to \$150 million. Completing the projects in advanced development, meanwhile, is expected to increase OPAL Fuels' EBITDA to represent approximately \$450 million in 2024 or more than \$600 million of run rate EBITDA based on full-year operations for some projects starting in 2024.

To be clear, these are well-established projects and their execution is largely dependent on us properly "blocking and tackling", which we have decades of experience doing. Moreover, once these projects are built, there are no significant incremental capital requirements to develop the resources.

In addition to the projects that we have in construction or advanced development, there remains additional upside potential from opportunities we see in the marketplace that we are not including in our base case projections. This includes at least 18 additional projects that are in earlier stages of development, as well as from identified M&A targets.





As a final point, we have our eyes on the future. We specifically have several special relationships to call out here. The first two relationships are in renewable hydrogen. BayoTech is an on-site hydrogen production and 'gas-as-a-service' company. We have commenced engineering and site acquisition to build several hydrogen fueling stations for BayoTech next year. In addition, we will provide RNG to lower the carbon intensity of their hydrogen fuel production. The second renewable hydrogen relationship is with Nikola, with which we have an MoU to co-develop and construct hydrogen fueling stations and related infrastructure. We will also provide RNG to Nikola's hydrogen production partner. Lastly, we have a strategic relationship with CarbonFree to develop carbon capture facilities at several of our RNG facilities.

With that, I would now like to turn the call over to our chief financial officer, Ann Anthony. Ann?

## Ann Anthony - Chief Financial Officer, OPAL Fuels

Thank you, Jon. I joined OPAL Fuels in April, and bring many years of public company experience, including roles in the utility sector and in renewable infrastructure.

Let me briefly highlight our financials before turning it back to Adam for closing remarks.

OPAL Fuels' existing operations are expected to generate approximately \$170 million in revenue and \$41 million in adjusted EBITDA in 2021. These results are complemented by a robust future growth profile. Looking to the future, we anticipate the pipeline of previously identified development projects to drive an approximate 10-fold increase in adjusted EBITDA by 2024, to approximately \$446 million, as referenced by Jake in his opening remarks.

By investing heavily in both our Capture and Conversion business and our Dispensing and Monetization business, we anticipate being able to create a captive outlet for the significant volumes of additional RNG production volumes, further leveraging our vertically integrated business model. Our RNG production volumes are poised to grow from 13 million GGEs in 2021 to over 125 million GGEs in 2024 through the development and construction of an additional 23 projects that are under our control. Further, an additional 25 million GGEs coming from third parties will also be dispensed. Complimenting this significant growth, our footprint of RNG fuel stations is set to expand at a CAGR of 28% between now and 2024, bringing our current estimated year end 2021 footprint of 95 stations to 256 stations.

Notably, as we execute on our identified growth plans, we anticipate OPAL Fuels to experience margin expansion, as our vertically integrated business model begins to bear greater fruit at larger scale. Our 2021 adjusted EBITDA margin is estimated at an above industry average 24%, however by controlling each point along the RNG production and distribution value chain, we target our 2024 adjusted EBITDA margin to expand to 46%.

Before concluding, let me touch on the expected funding from this transaction compared with our capital needs. Between the potential \$536 million raised from this transaction and a \$125 million term loan we secured in October plus operating cash flow generated by the business, we believe that we have enough resources to fund our business, including all projects in construction and advanced development. Proceeds from the transaction would also provide optionality to participate in M&A opportunities or other earlier stage development projects that are not in the current plan today.





For additional information, we encourage you to review our investor presentation that was released along with the other transaction-related materials earlier this morning. I will now turn it back to Adam for closing remarks.

#### Adam Comora - Co-Chief Executive Officer, OPAL Fuels

Thanks Ann. It is clear that the world needs an all-hands-on-deck approach to decarbonization. With the U.S. transportation sector being one of the largest emitters of CO2, alternative fuels will play a critical role in decarbonization. OPAL Fuels is the U.S.'s leading end-to-end renewable natural gas provider to the heavy-duty transportation market. With RNG, there does not need to be a tradeoff between doing what's best for your business and doing what's best for the planet. RNG is an extremely rare product that can both save our fleet customers money and dramatically reduce their carbon footprint. Our more than two decades of experience in this area has positioned us well to remain a leading platform in the production and distribution of renewable fuels, and our vertically integrated model provides us with differentiated economic and competitive benefits. We look forward to transitioning to the public market, blocking and tacking on our existing robust RNG project pipeline and taking advantage of the significant M&A and additional development partnerships we see coming that will dramatically scale our business over the coming years.

Thank you very much and have a great day.

## Operator

That concludes today's conference call. Thank you, you may now disconnect.





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