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# The future of renewable energy is computing.

April 2024

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#### OUR BUSINESS

Soluna harnesses the power of computing to address a huge problem for renewable energy

wasted energy.

#### OUR PROJECTS

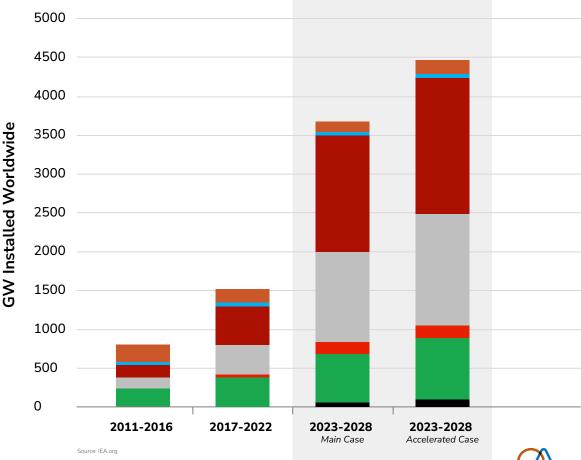
Our data centers are **18% greener** than typical data centers **& ready to** drive **sustainable AI**  OUR PROMISE

Our computing projects return capital invested in under 2.5 years

#### FORECAST

#### All forms of renewable energy are growing faster than ever Ocean Bioenergy Geothermal PV Utility-Scale Systems PV Distributed Systems Concentration Solar Power Offshore Wind Onshore Wind

Renewables Dedicated to H2 Production



Not all energy produced by renewable plants can be used because the grid is inflexible...

# Annually lost revenue due to wasted energy\*

\*Based \$30/MWh Global Average LCOE – 2019 Lazard Report



# The future of renewable energy is computing...

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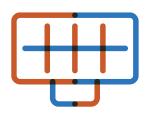
# If it's used to perform...

ArtificialMachineNatural languageBitcoinIntelligencelearningprocessingMining

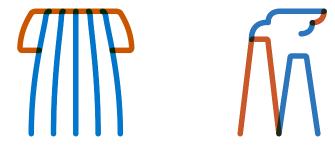
There is a growing demand for computing power that will account for 20% of global energy consumption by 2030. What if we could build data centers that could buy excess renewable energy that would otherwise be wasted?

Storage is not yet sufficiently scalable... Transmission upgrades face too many challenges & take too long...

# Computing is ready now.







Excess energy from renewable sources

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High Performance Computing



# **Company Overview**

Renewable Energy has a wasted energy problem. To reach its full potential AI needs a sustainable energy source.

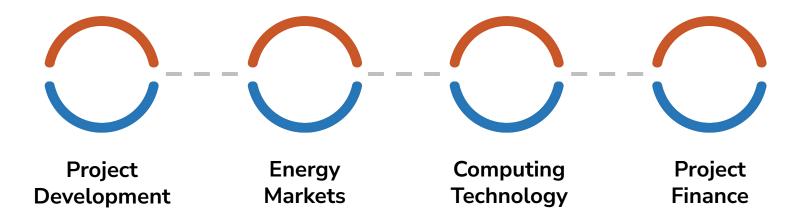
### **RENEWABLE COMPUTING**



### Soluna develops data centers co-located with renewable power plants, turning their wasted energy into sustainable computing resources.

## Why Soluna

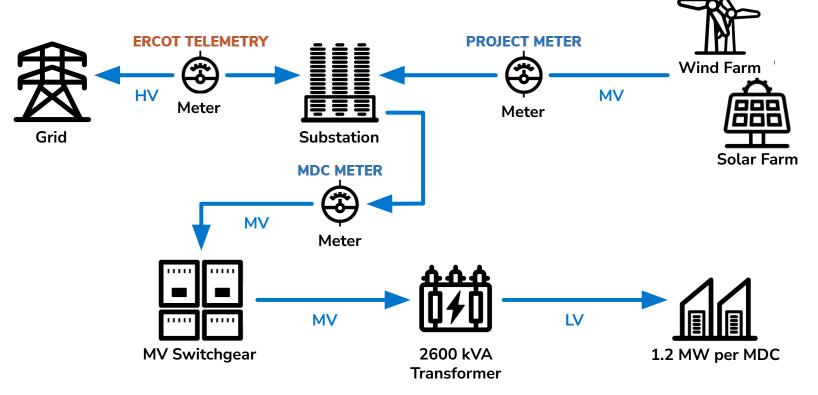
Power producers and computing partners choose Soluna because of our **four pillars of expertise** 

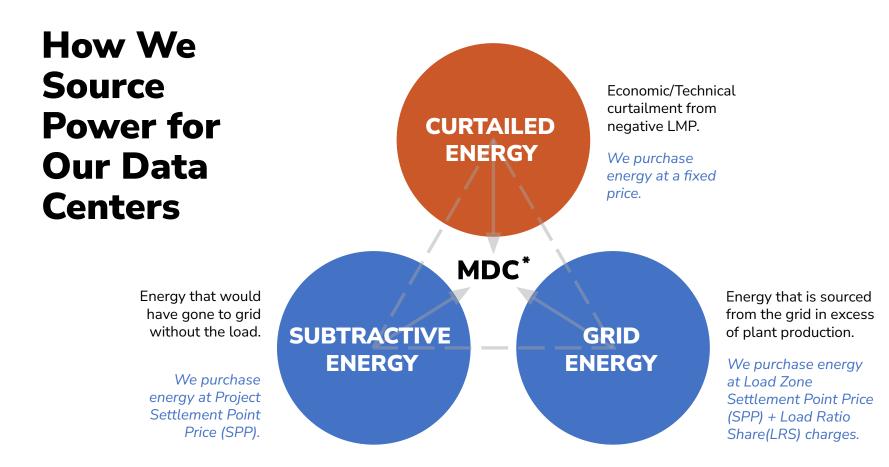




### **Unique Interconnection Strategy**

Behind-the-Meter Structure Allows Our Modular Data Centers to Remain Flexible, Drawing Power from the Grid or Renewable Power Plant and Provide Ancillary Services

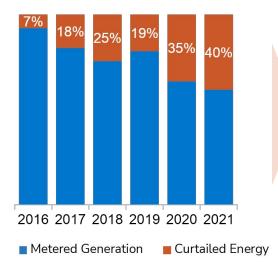




\* Soluna Modular Data Center.

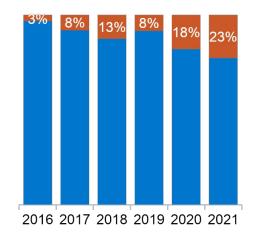
### How We're Solving the Wasted Energy **Problem**centers that consume

curtailed renewable energy

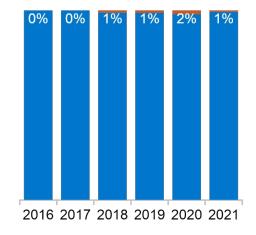


150 MW Wind Farm

#### + 50 MW Data Center



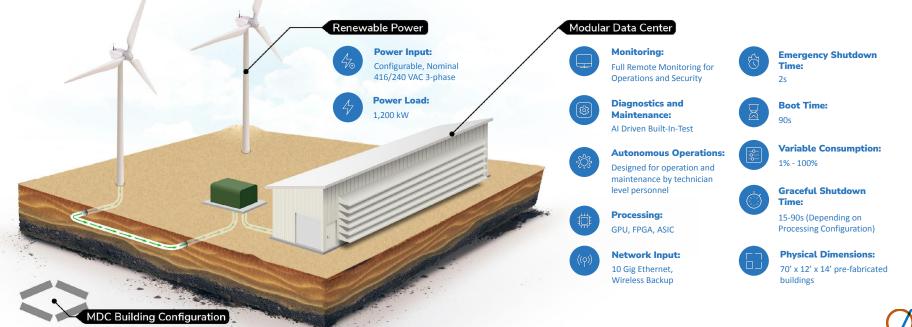
#### +150 MW Data Center





### Our Data Centers Are More Productive Batteries

Purpose-built to efficiently convert curtailed renewable energy into high performance computing.



### Maestro OS Is Our Force Multiplier

#### Control

Enhancing equipment lifespan and reducing failures through multiple redundancies.

Complete automation of fans, miners, PDUs, power infrastructure, and network.

Implementing robust and redundant computing systems at both the MDC and site levels to eliminate single points of failure.

Utilizes a cloud-based simulator for pre-deployment testing of software and algorithms.

#### Operations

Real-time tracking of miners, PDUs, networking equipment, and power infrastructure enables centralized site management and remote diagnostics.

Comprehensive diagnostic and alerting system empowers operators to swiftly detect issues and take immediate action.

Pinpoints the exact location of miners and equipment, facilitating the identification of anomalies quickly.



#### Power

Extensible architecture allows for quick adaptation of algorithms, facilitating seamless integration with various grid and behind-the-meter configurations.

Capable of accepting multiple grid and power stimuli to feed the algorithm.

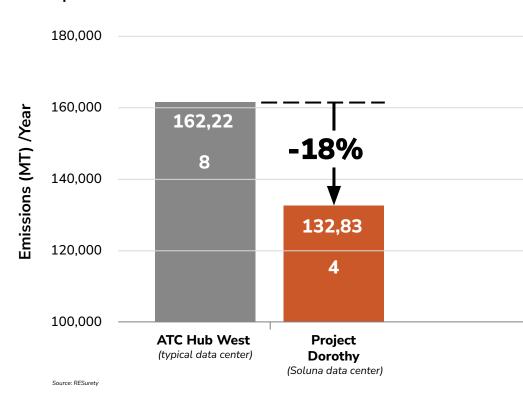
Achieves 99% curtailment in less than 60 seconds.

Achieves full power restoration within 8 minutes.



### Our data centers are 18% greener than typical data centers

#### Net Carbon Emissions April 2022 – March 2023



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### How Soluna Makes Money

#### Prop Bitcoin Mining

- Soluna or JV owned Bitcoin mining machines
- Bitcoin sold daily
- Soluna provides Managed Infrastructure Services

#### Grid Ancillary Services

- Compensation to act as behind-the-meter flexible load for the grid
- Paid on \$ / MWh basis by Utility or Grid Operator

#### Hosting for Bitcoin Miners

- Third-party machines hosted at Soluna Data Centers
- Soluna provides Managed Infrastructure Services

#### High Performance Computing

- GPU Cloud AI/ML, simulation, visualization, predictive analytics, and deep learning
- GPU machines could be hosted or owned by Soluna at Projects



### **Renewable Computing**

Sustainable. Scalable. AI.

There is a growing demand for computing power that will account for **20% of global energy consumption by 2030.** 

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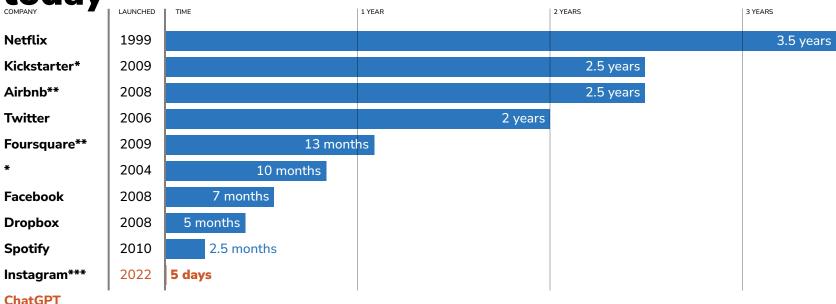
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Machine | Natural language learning | processing Scientific computing



### Al is the fastest growing technology today

## Time it took for selected online services to reach one million users



\* one million backers: \*\* one million nights booked. \*\*\* one million downloads Source: Company announcements via Business Insider/LinkedIn/Statista



### Al's hidden challenges

#### Al is hungry

Al computing's energy density and space needs exceed current hyperscale data center capabilities. Energy demand for Al is projected to exceed the entire current data center levels. Some estimates put it at 20-30GW.

#### Al is thirsty

Traditional data centers, particularly those utilized for AI, exhibit substantial water consumption. Microsoft used an estimated equivalent of 2.8 Million glasses of water to train ChatGPT-3 due to the current cooling design of traditional data centers.

#### Al is dirty

Traditional data centers are responsible for 2% of overall U.S. greenhouse gas emissions. GPT-3, Gopher, BLOOM, and OPT had more than 900 tonnes of carbon emissions.



"Using renewable energy grids for training neural networks is the single biggest change that can be made. It can make emissions vary by a factor of 40, between a fully renewable grid and a full coal grid."

- Alexandra Luccioni, Hugging Face



### The Lifecycle of AI

**Gen AI is batchable:** Parts of the Generative AI lifecycle are perfect computing applications for co-location with renewable power plants, because they are inherently batchable.

Batchable processReal-time process

Training

4

A new model is created from scratch by learning from a large corpus of text. The phase requires the largest number of resources. For example, an iteration of OpenAI's GPT-3 was trained on 10,000 NVIDIA V100 GPUs for 15 days.

#### Fine Tuning

A pre-trained model is trained further on a smaller, task-specific dataset. This phase is where customers may take an off-the-shelf pre-trained model ad fine-tune it to their proprietary information.

#### Inferencing

Using a pre-trained model to generate predictions or outputs based on input data. This is 'using' the AI, such as when ChatGPT gives a response, or Stable Diffusion generates an image.



### Soluna's AI Data Center Strategy

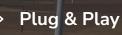
Soluna's Helix Data Centers are purpose-built for Al, with a unique access to power.

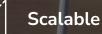
Soluna's behind-the-meter structure allows flexibility for its proprietary data centers - drawing power from the grid or serving as a renewable power plant and providing ancillary services.

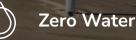
This results in scalable, green, plug and play Helix Data Centers with industry-leading metrics.



Green Power







### We have a massive pipeline of wasted renewable energy to power high performance computing.

### **Meet the Soluna Leadership Team**

150 years of combined experience in starting, managing, and leading companies





John Belizaire Chief Executive Officer

Michael Toporek Executive Chairman



**John Tunison** Chief Financial Officer



Dipul Patel er Chief Technology Officer



Mary O'Reilly Chief People Officer





Jessica Thomas Chief Accounting Officer



**Phillip Ng** VP, Corporate Development



Larbi Loudiyi VP, Power



Dan Golding Advisor



# Operationa Highlights 2024

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### Key Operating Metrics <sup>1</sup>

NASDAQ

**SLNH / SLNHP** 

MW MANAGED

75 MW > 291 MW<sup>2</sup>

INSTALLED HASHRATE

2.5 EH/s<sup>1</sup>

AVERAGE POWER COST\*

<\$29 / MWh <sup>3</sup>

CURTAILED ENERGY MONETIZED

43,203 MWh<sup>4</sup> **POWER USAGE EFFECTIVENESS (PUE)** 

1.01

**BITCOIN MINERS DEPLOYED** 

~24,000 185

AVERAGE J / TH/s

~30 J / TH/s

(1) All numbers are as of March 31st, 2024

(2) Sophie (25 MW - operational) + Dorothy 1 (50 MW - operational) + Dorothy 2 (50 MW - In Development) + Kati (166 MW - In Development)

(3) 3-month average (December 2023 - February 2024)

(4) Since inception of the Dorothy project.

(5) Includes a mix of Prop Miners and Hosted Miners.

\*Levelized Cost of Energy - Calculates present value of the total cost of building and operating a power plant over an assumed lifetime.





### Project Dorothy 1A

CAPACITY 25 MW

INSTALLED HASHRATE 949 PH/s

POWER USAGE EFFECTIVENESS

1.01

POWER SOURCE

Wind

CURTAILED ENERGY CONSUMED

**19,601** MWh<sup>2</sup>

(1) 3-month average (December 2023 - February 2024)(2) Since inception of the Dorothy 1A project.

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MODEL

#### Hosting

ENERGIZATION

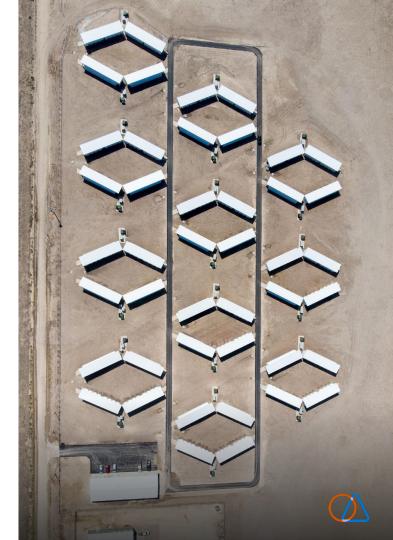
### Operational

AVERAGE 3-MONTH ANNUAL LCOE\*

~**\$28** / MWh<sup>1</sup>

PARTNER

#### Spring Lane Capital





### Project Dorothy 1B

CAPACITY 25 MW

INSTALLED HASHRATE **817** PH/s

POWER USAGE EFFECTIVENESS

1.01

POWER SOURCE

Wind

#### CURTAILED ENERGY CONSUMED

**11,301** MWh<sup>2</sup>

(1) 3-month average (December 2023 - February 2024)
(2) Since inception of the Dorothy 1A project.

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MODEL

### **Prop Mining**

ENERGIZATION

### Operational

AVERAGE 3-MONTH ANNUAL LCOE\*

~**\$28** / MWh<sup>1</sup>

#### PARTNER

#### Navitas Global



### **Project Sophie**

CAPACITY 25 MW

INSTALLED HASHRATE

POWER USAGE EFFECTIVENESS

1.02

POWER SOURCE Hydro/Gri d MODEL Hosting

ENERGIZATION

#### Operational

AVERAGE 3-MONTH ANNUAL LCOE\* ~\$29 / MWh<sup>1</sup> PARTNER None

3-month average (December 2023 - February 2024)
 \*Levelized Cost of Energy - Calculates present value of the total cost of building and operating a power plant over an assumed lifetime.





# Project Pipeline



### Project Dorothy 2

CAPACITY 50 MW

POWER SOURCE

Wind

PARTNER

TBD

MODEL

### Hosting & Al

ENERGIZATION

#### **Design & Planning**

AVERAGE ANNUAL LCOE
~\$27 / MWh





### **Project Kati**

CAPACITY **166** MW

POWER SOURCE

Wind

PARTNER

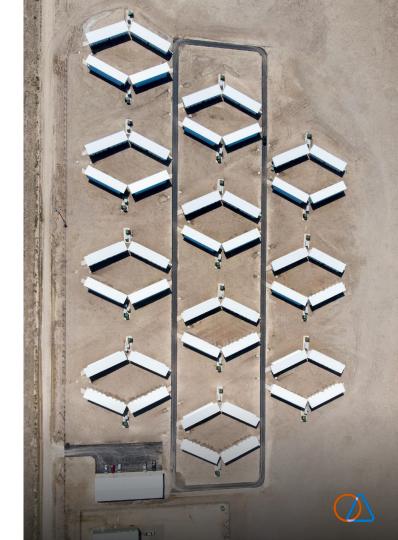
TBD

MODEL Hosting

ENERGIZATION

#### Development

average annual lcoe
~\$30 / MWh



### We have a growing pipeline of projects

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Data Centers & Pipeline Operating



**100** MW

Dorothy

Operating

50MW

**166**MW

Kati Design & Development\*

**2GW+** long-term pipeline with large IPPs and infrastructure funds in the US and beyond

\*Design – design and development activities with the IPP underway and submission to ERCOT LFL started.

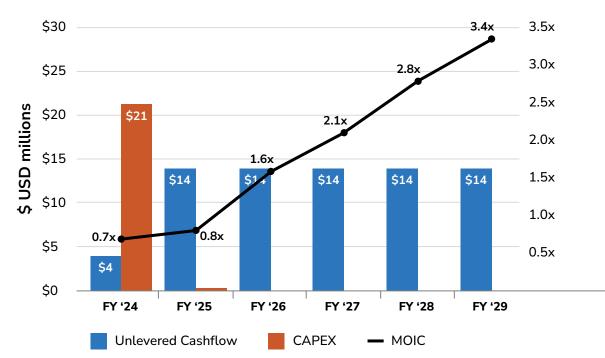




# **Financial Results** 2023

### Data Center Economics | Bitcoin Hosting

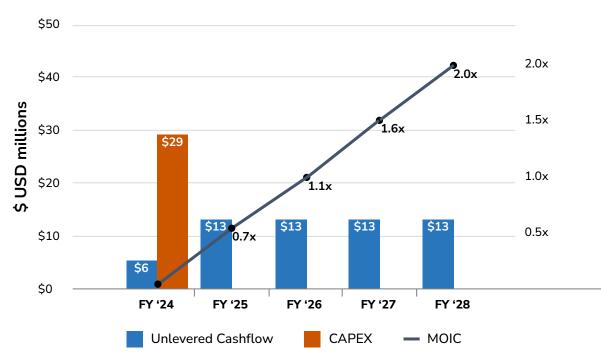
Compute (MW)	48.0		
Construction timeline	6 months – 50% complete 12 months – 100% Complete		
Total Capex	\$21.6mm		
Run Rate EBITDA	\$14.0mm		
MOIC / IRR	3.4x / >45%		
Payback (Months)	~27 Months		





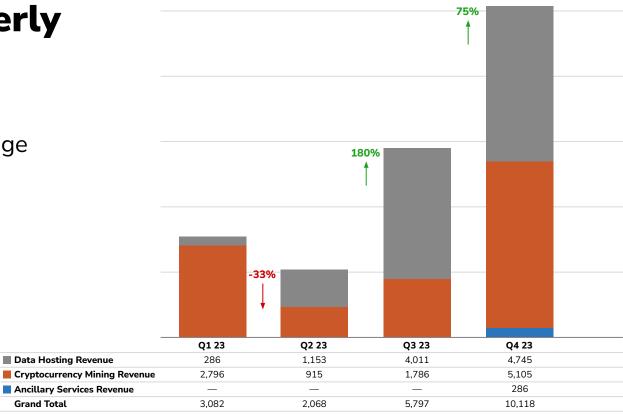
### Data Center Economics | Generative Al

Compute (MW)	1.0		
Construction timeline	6 months – 25% complete 9 months – 100% Complete		
Total Capex	\$29.5mm		
Run Rate EBITDA	\$13mm		
MOIC / IRR	2x />40%		
Payback (Months)	~27 Months		



### Revenue Quarterly Trend FY 2023 (in 000's)

Includes Revenue % Change Quarter over Quarter



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### Gross Profit Quarterly Trend FY 2023 \$10,000

#### (in 000's)

Total Revenue

- Gross Profit

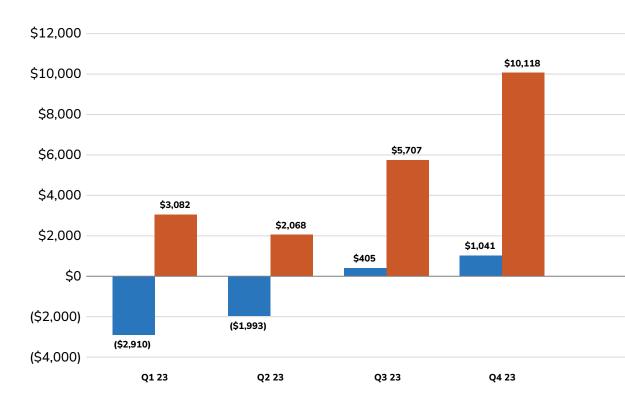
Total Cost of Revenue

\$8,000					
\$6,000					
\$4,000				4,284	
\$2,000 ——			1,406		
\$0 —	(6 <mark>6)</mark>	(389)			
ψũ	Q1 23	Q2 23	Q3 23	Q4 23	
(\$2,000)					

Certain prior quarter amounts have been reclassified for consistency in the current quarter presentation.



Adjusted EBITDA & Revenue FY 2023 by Quarter (in 000's) Adjusted





### Enterprise Value

\$ mm, except share prices	12/31/2023	12/31/2022	\$Chg
Stock Price	\$ 4.00	\$ 6.50	
x Basic Shares Outstanding	2.546	0.789	
Fully Diluted Common Equity Value	\$ 10.19	\$ 5.13	\$ 5.06
(+) Series A Preferred Stock @ Market	\$ 11.02	\$ 4.90	
(+) Series B Preferred Stock @ Face	\$ 6.25	\$ 6.25	
Fully Diluted Equity Value incl. Preferred	\$ 27.46	\$ 16.27	\$ 11.18
EV Adj.			
(-) Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$ (9.40)	\$ (1.82)	
(+) Total Debt	\$ 19.54	\$ 23.55	
Net Debt Adj.	\$ 10.15	\$ 21.73	\$ (11.59)
Enterprise Value before Minority Interests (NCI)	\$ 37.60	\$ 38.00	\$ (0.40)
(+) Minority Interests	\$ 26.85	\$ 4.41	\$ 22.44
Enterprise Value	\$ 64.45	\$ 42.41	\$ 22.04

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