

# Investor Presentation

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# Who we are

Central Puerto has evolved to become the largest private Argentine generation company in terms of both installed capacity and power generation.



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# Central Puerto at a glance

7,173 MW of installed capacity<sup>(1)</sup> through a well diversified generation portfolio operating 14 Power Plants

20 TWh generated LTM 3Q23.  
Market share: 17% (total SADI) /  
23% (private Gencos)

Spot portfolio	Renewables portfolio	Foninvemen program	Forestry Business segment
 <b>4,815</b> <small>MW</small> thermal assets	 <b>374</b> <small>MW</small> wind assets	<b>2,584</b> <small>MW</small> thermal assets	 <b>160,453</b> <small>ha.</small>
 <b>1,440</b> <small>MW</small> hydro assets <sup>o</sup>	 <b>105</b> <small>MW</small> solar assets	largest private participant with equity stake in 3 combine cycles	In Entre Ríos and Corrientes with ~71,000 hectares planted with eucalyptus and pine
Thermal PPA portfolio	 <b>1</b> <small>MW</small> mini-hydro assets	<b>US\$269</b> <small>mm</small> total outstanding receivables	Natural Gas Distribution & Transportation
 <b>438</b> <small>MW</small> long term PPA	Fully contracted: Renov.AR and MATER PPAs	monthly collections until May-28.	<b>ECO GAS</b> <small>41% stake in DGCE 22% stake in DGCU</small>
			<b>TGM</b> <small>20% stake</small>
			15% market share

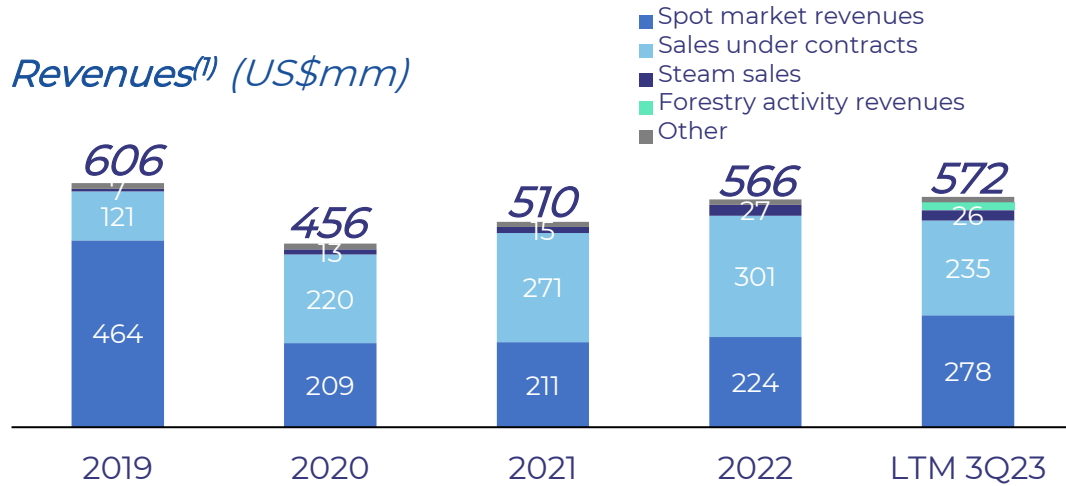
(1) Source CAMMESA - corresponds to the total theoretical power of each asset.

(2) 2) For more information, please refer to slide 18 "Annex 1 - Regulatory framework".

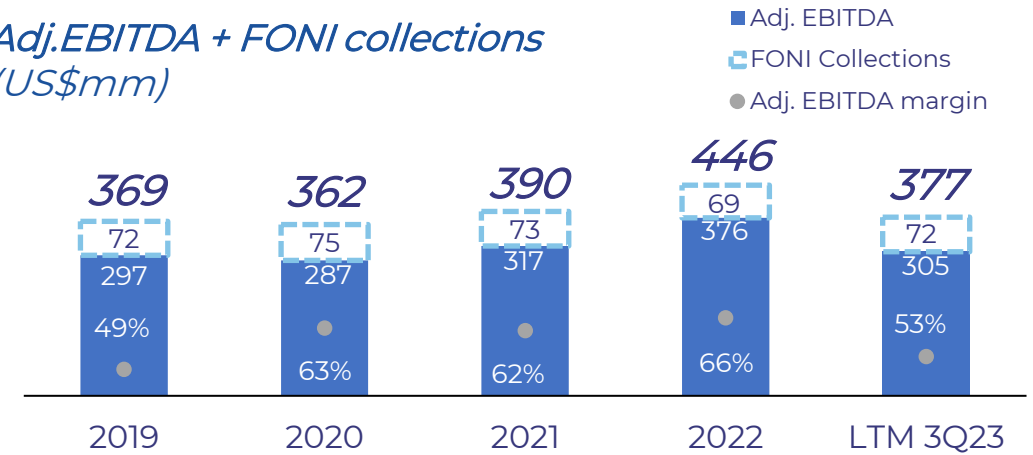


# Key Financial Figures

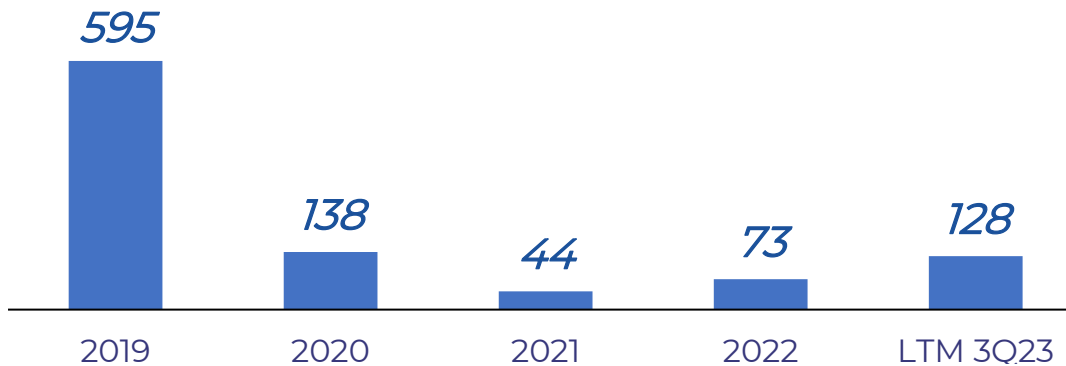
Revenues<sup>(1)</sup> (US\$mm)



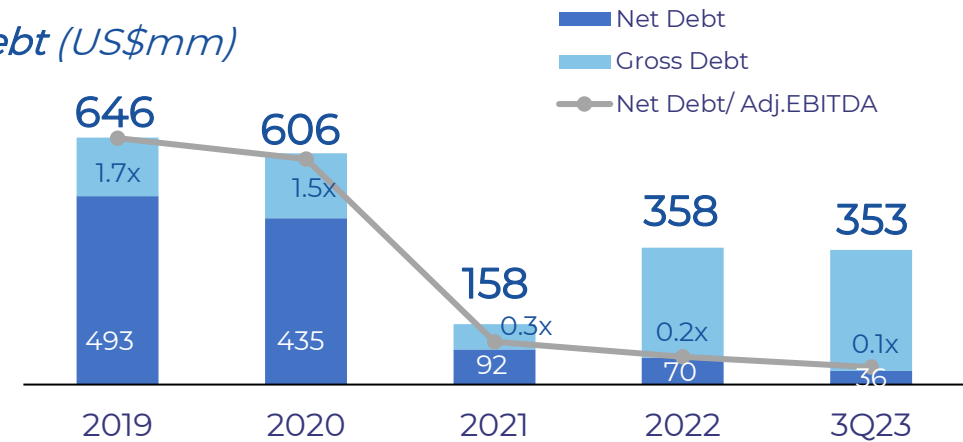
Adj. EBITDA + FONI collections (US\$mm)



CAPEX (US\$mm)



Debt (US\$mm)



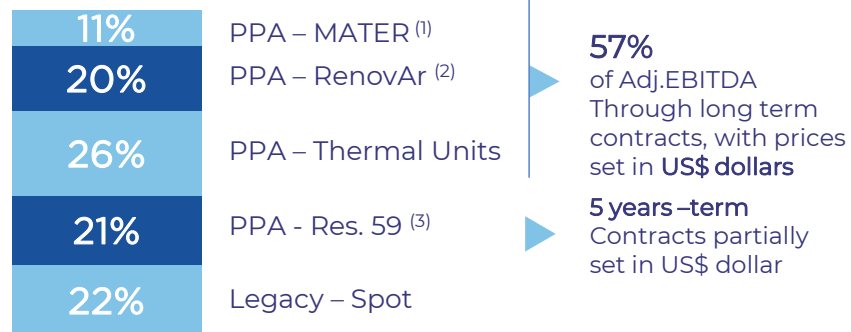
(1) Sales under resolution 59 are included in Spot sales. For more information, please refer to slide 18 "Annex 1 - Regulatory framework".



# +70%

## of Operating Cashflow is secured by long term contracts in dollars with protection mechanisms

### Adj. EBITDA contribution by regulatory framework



LTM 3Q23

- (1) PPAs directly with private clients  
(2) Backed by reserve fund financed by the World Bank (FODER)  
(3) The percentage represents the total EBITDA generated by the combined cycles under Res 59.  
For more information, please refer to slide 18 “Annex 1 - Regulatory framework”.

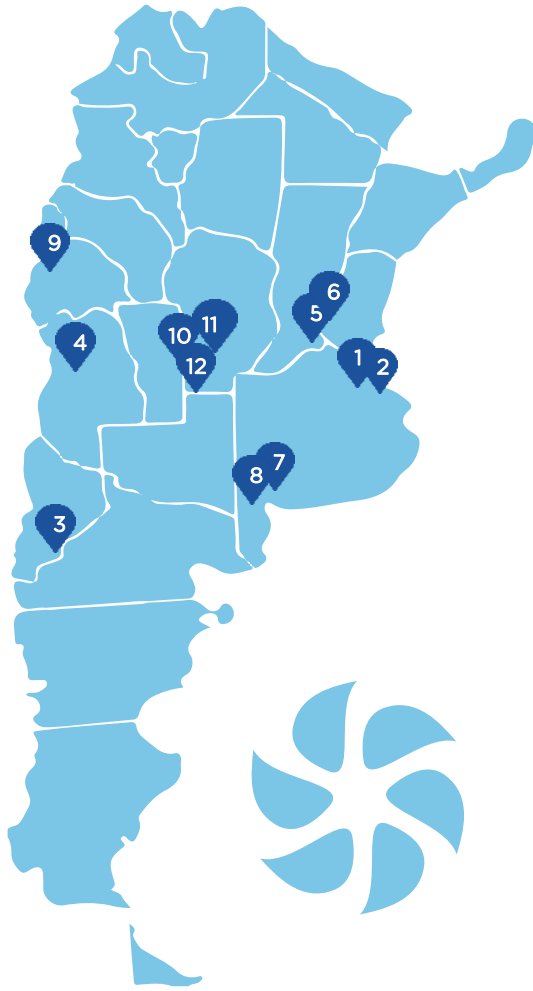
### +US\$ 72 MILLION

*Collections (only principal)  
under CVO during LTM 3Q23*

CVO receivables to be collected total approximately **US\$269 million**, as of September 30, 2023, and accrue interest at a 30 days SOFR rate + spread + 5%, to be collected in **56 monthly principal installments** until **May 2028**.

Collections protected by reserve accounts mechanisms

# Well diversified portfolio of generation assets



	Assets in Operation	Technology	Power Capacity (MW)		Remuneration (MW) <sup>(3)</sup>		PPA term
			Installed <sup>(1)</sup>	Available <sup>(2)</sup>	Spot	PPA	
1	Central Costanera <sup>(4)</sup>	Thermal	2,259	1,692	590	-	-
2	Central Puerto <sup>(4)</sup>	Thermal	1,747	1,645	898	-	-
3	Piedra del Águila	Hydro	1,440	1,440	1,440	-	-
4	Luján de Cuyo <sup>(5)</sup>	Thermal Cogen	576	562	453	109	2034
5	San Lorenzo	Thermal Cogen	391	366	36	330	2035
6	Brigadier Lopez	Thermal	281	280	280	-	-
7	Genoveva I & II	Wind	130	130	-	130	2040/2029
8	La Castellana I & II	Wind	116	116	-	116	2040/2034
9	Guañizul II A	Solar	105	105	-	105	2041
10	Manque	Wind	57	57	-	57	2040
11	Achiras I	Wind	48	48	-	48	2040
12	Los Olivos	Wind	23	23	-	23	2030
<b>Total</b>			<b>7,173</b>	<b>6,464</b>	<b>3,697</b>	<b>2,768</b>	

(1) Source CAMMESA, corresponds to the total theoretical power of each asset.

(2) Net available power capacity reported to CAMMESA

(3) MW over available capacity

(4) PPA refers to the Res. 59/23 - For more information, please refer to slide 18 "Annex 1 - Regulatory framework".

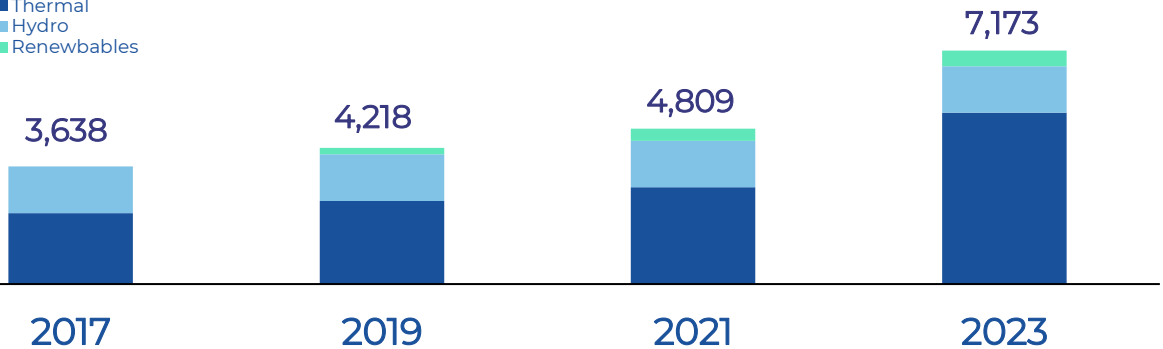
(5) The facility includes 290 MW of combined cycles, 95 MW of cogeneration, 190 MW of gas/steam turbines and 1 MW of mini-hydro

# Continuously expanding and diversifying our operated portfolio

Installed Capacity<sup>(1)</sup> (MW)

+3,535 MW incorporated through greenfield and M&A

■ Thermal  
■ Hydro  
■ Renewables



**Thermal:**

- . Puerto Complex
- . Lujan de Cuyo

**Hydro:**

- . Piedra del Aguila



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- . Puerto Complex
- . Lujan de Cuyo
- . San Lorenzo

**Hydro:**

- . Piedra del Aguila

**Renewables:**

- . Achiras
- . La Castellana I & II
- . La Genoveva II
- . Manque

**Thermal:**

- . Puerto Complex
- . Lujan de Cuyo
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**Hydro:**

- . Piedra del Aguila

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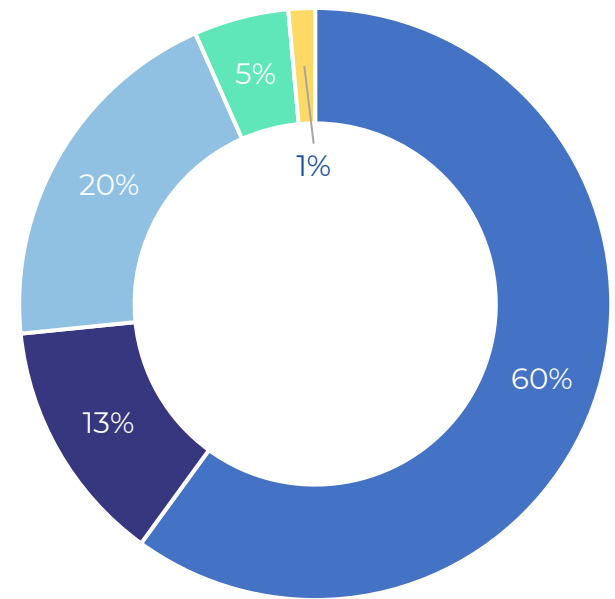
**Hydro:**

- . Piedra del Aguila

**Renewables:**

- . Achiras
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- . La Genoveva I & II
- . Manque
- . Los Olivos
- . Guañizul II A

## 2023 portfolio by technology



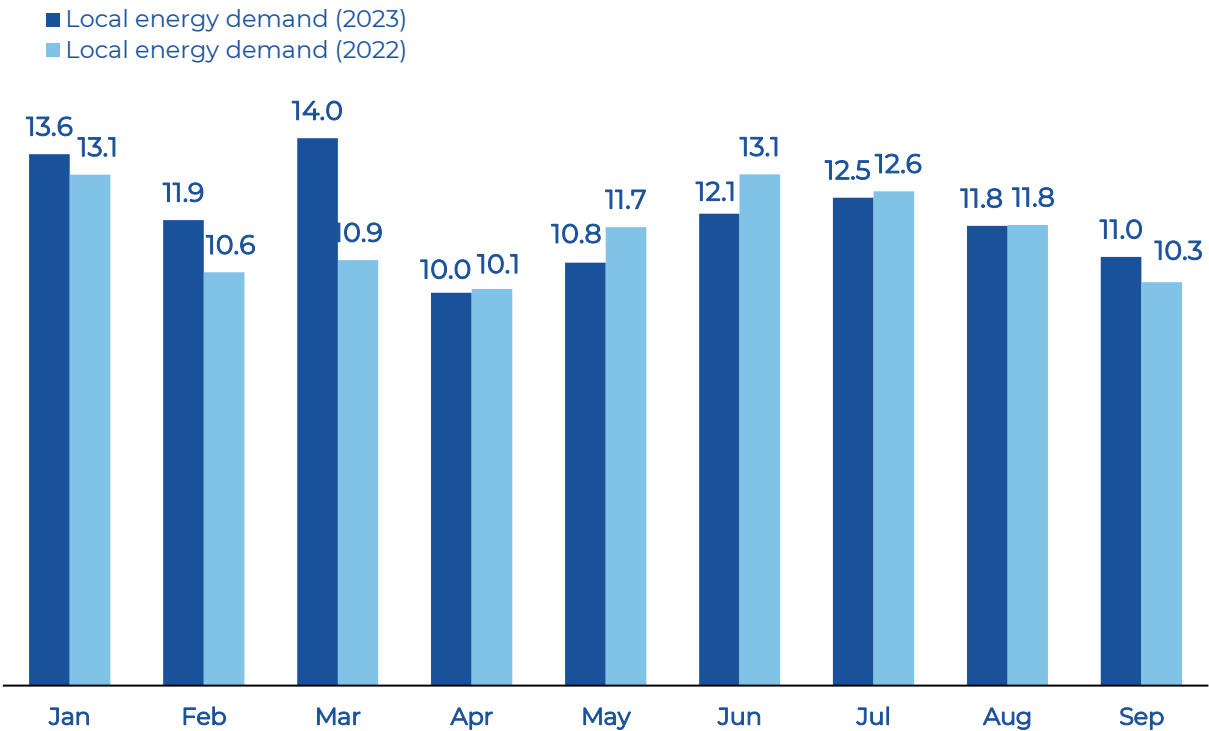
■ Thermal ■ Cogeneration ■ Hydro ■ Wind ■ Solar

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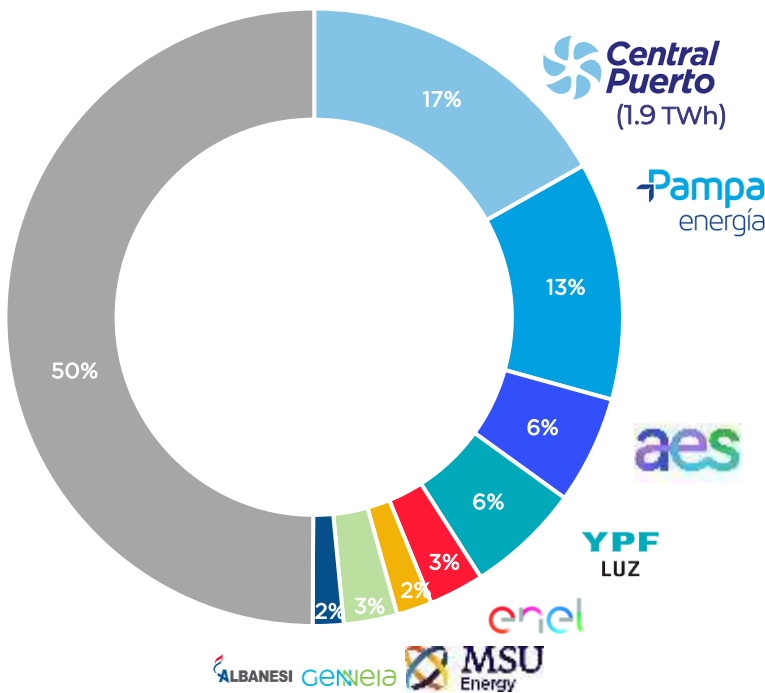
# We are the leading private power generation company in Argentina

Local Energy Demand (TWh)<sup>(1)</sup>



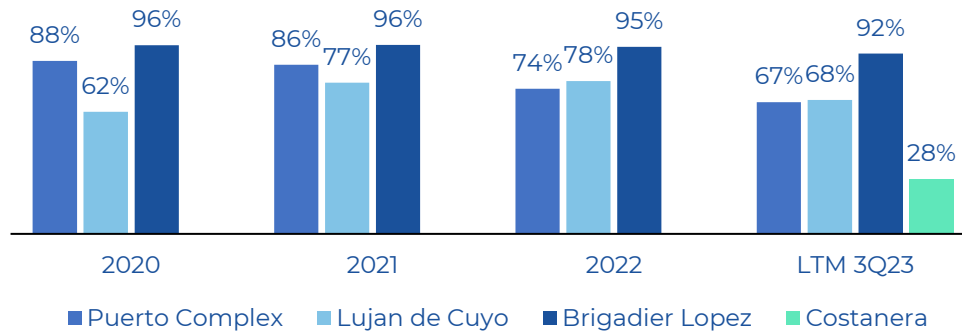
(1) Source CAMMESA  
(2) Energy Generation of total SADI

Market Share as of Sept-23<sup>(1)(2)</sup>

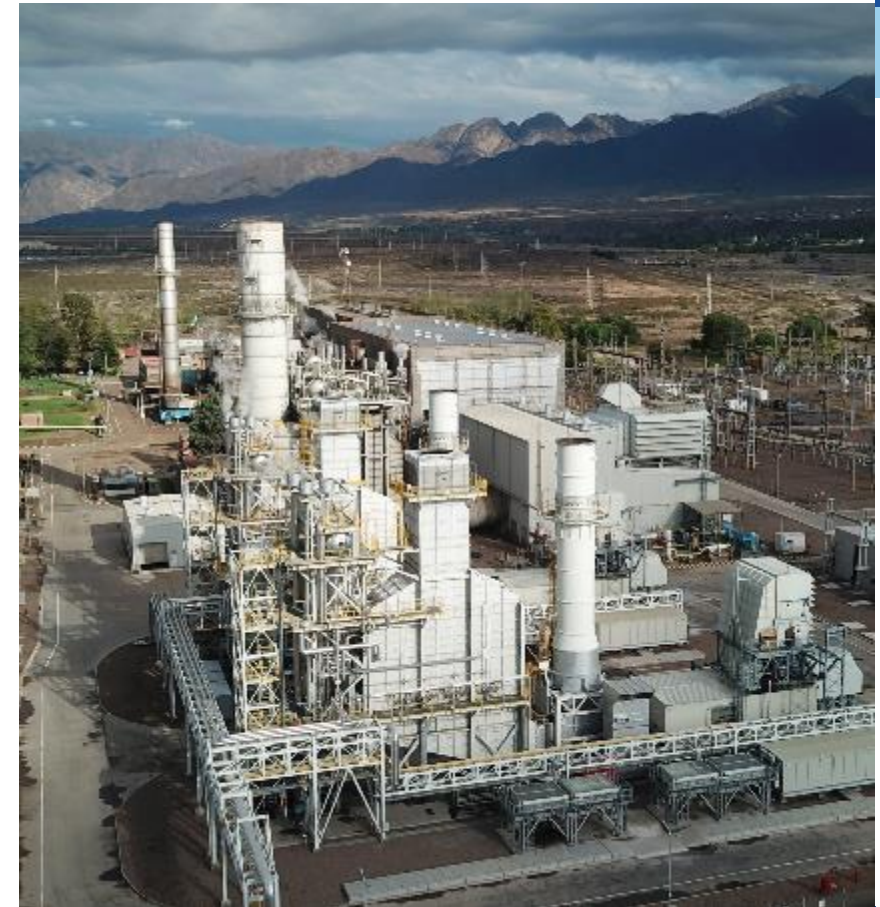
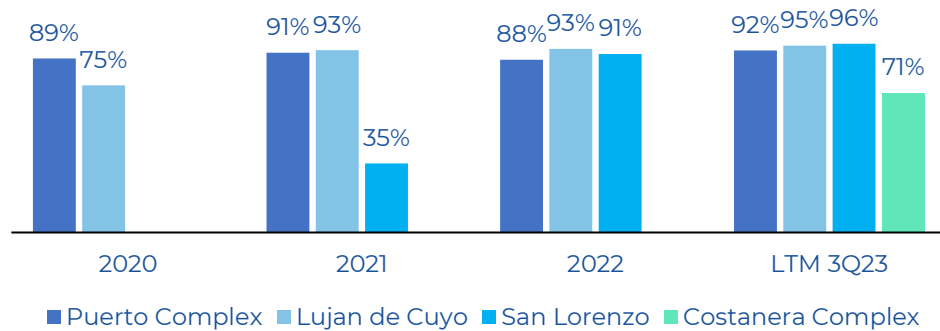


# Availability of thermal units<sup>(1)(2)</sup>

## Steam & Gas turbines (%)



## Combined Cycles (%)



(1) Availability reported by CAMMESA, calculated based on the total installed capacity of each power plant.  
 (2) Includes Central Costanera since Feb 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023





# Brigadier López

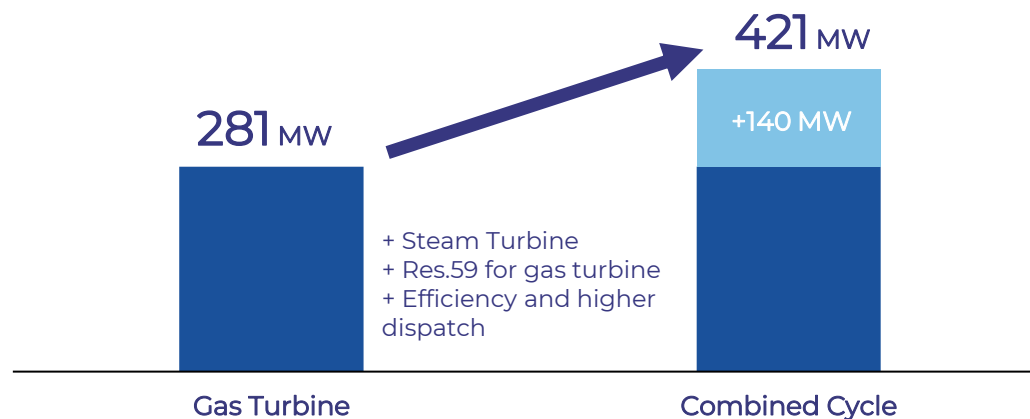
## Closing cycle project

The project contemplates the addition of a boiler and a steam turbine to the existing dual fuel Siemens gas turbine of 281 MW, **increasing the plant's capacity by 140MW**, reaching a **total installed capacity of 421 MW**, enough to supply more than **300,000 homes** throughout the country.

Estimated CAPEX: US\$150 mm.

Steam turbine remuneration: 10-year PPA with CAMMESA

Estimated recurring EBITDA: ~US\$60 mm.





# The largest private player in the FONI Program, with 2,554 MW combined cycle plants

## Facilities

### San Martín

865 MW combined cycle  
COD: 2010  
Transfer: 2020



### Manuel Belgrano

873 MW combined cycle  
COD: 2010  
Transfer: 2020

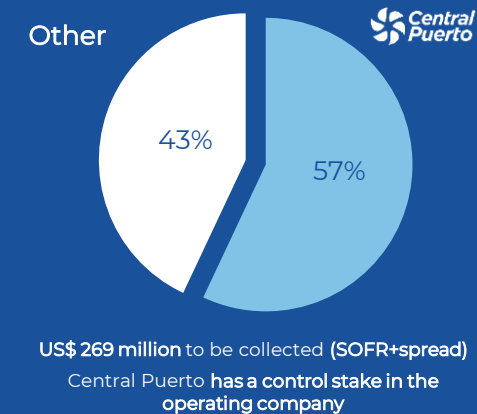
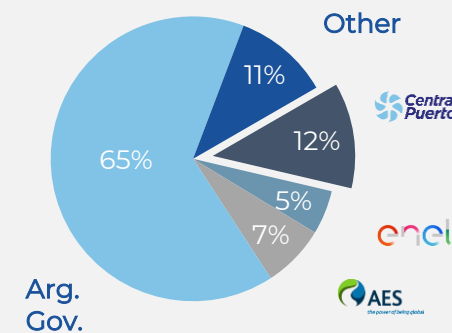
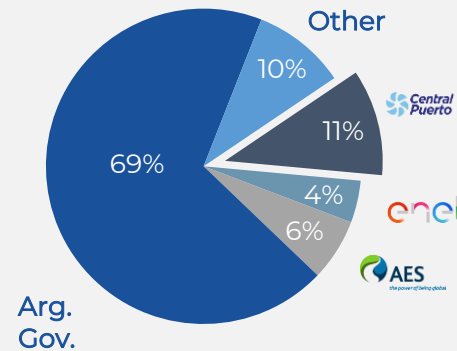


### Vuelta de Obligado

816 MW combined cycle  
COD: 2018  
Transfer: 2028

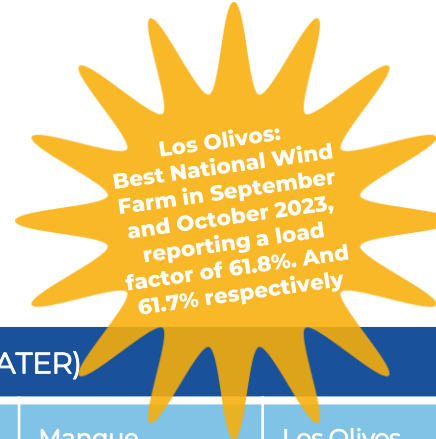



## Shareholders





# Wind Energy Portfolio



		RenovAr Program			Term Market (MATER)			
		La Castellana I	Achiras	La Genoveva I	La Castellana II	Manque	Los Olivos	La Genoveva II
Technology		Wind Farm	Wind Farm	Wind Farm	Wind Farm	Wind Farm	Wind Farm	Wind Farm
Capacity		100.8 MW	48 MW	88.2 MW	15.2 MW	57 MW	22.8 MW	41.8 MW
Capacity factor <sup>(2)</sup>		45.2%	49.5%	50.4%	54.1%	49.1%	52.9%	50.2%
Status		In Operation	In Operation	In Operation	In Operation	In Operation	In Operation	In Operation
COD		August 2018	September 2018	November 2020	July 2019	Dic-19 /Jan-20	Febraury 2020	September 2019
Equipment		32 Units	15 Units	21 Units	4 Units	15 Units	6 Units	11 Units
Awarded Price	Starting	61.50 US\$/MWh	59.38 US\$/MWh	40.90 US\$/MWh	Main clients under MATER:			
	Adjustments	Annual adjustment factor + incentive factor						
PPA Signing Date		January 2017	May2017	July 2017				
Term		20 years starting on COD						

1. Equity stake in wind farms La Castellana I, Achiras I, La Genoveva I, La Castellana II, Manque, Los Olivos, La Genoveva II, owned through CP La Castellana S.A.U., CP Achiras S.A.U., Vientos La Genoveva S.A.U., CPR Energy Solutions S.A.U.; CP Manque S.A.U., CP Los Olivos S.A.U. and Vientos La Genoveva II S.A.U, respectively.

2. Calculated from CAMMESA data as total energy generated over theoretical energy production, for the quarter ended **sept-23**. It includes losses and scheduled and non-scheduled maintenance.

## **We continue our expansion in renewables with the acquisition of the Guañizuil II A Solar farm**

- . Location: San Juan Province
- . Nominal capacity: 104.6 MW
- . Energy generation: 300 GWh/y
- . Capacity factor: ~33%
- . Remuneration: 20-year PPA with CAMMESA – Renov.ar 2.5

**Guañizuil II A:  
Best National  
Solar Farm in  
October 2023,  
reporting a load  
factor of 40.9%.**



# Central Puerto has become the largest forestry player in Argentina

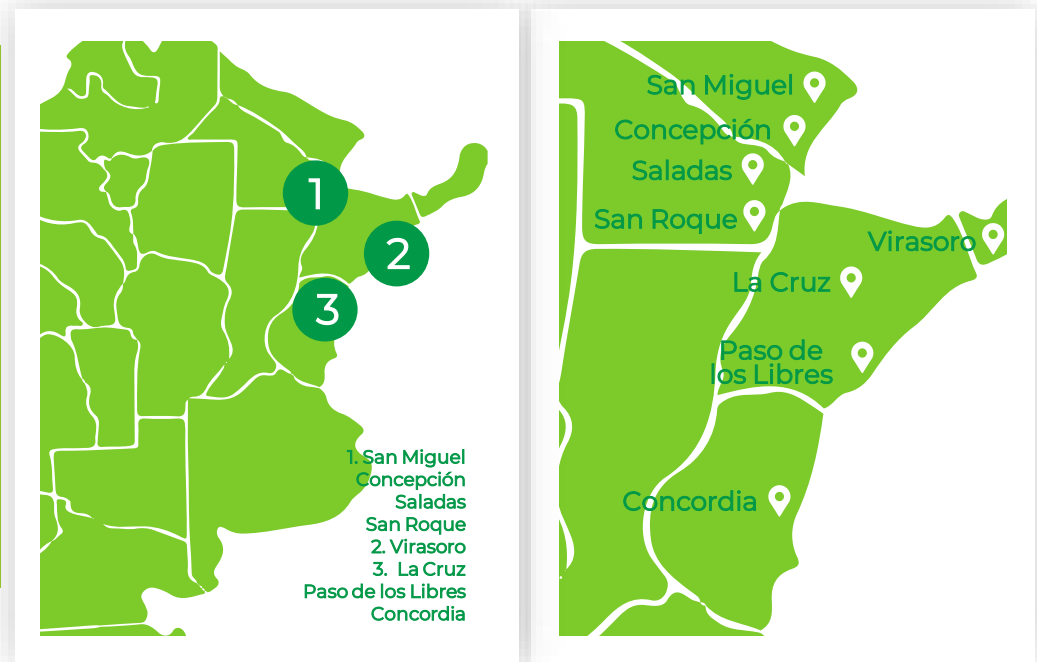
The future development of the industry will allow the group to explore new business models focusing on increasing and diversifying revenue sources, generating exports, and evaluating the feasibility of developing carbon credits and energy generation from biomass.

160.453 hectares<sup>(1)</sup> distributed in:

Forest Lands	20.293 Ha.
Eucalyptus	26.049 Ha.
Pine	44.880 Ha.
Natural Reserves	58.195 Ha.
Property Infrastructure	11.037 Ha.



## Forestry asset's location





# 3Q23 Key Figures.

Installed Capacity MW <b>7,113</b> +48% Y/Y	Energy Generation GWh <b>5,721</b> +46% Y/Y	Revenues US\$ <b>166</b> <sub>mm</sub> +21% Y/Y	Adj.EBITDA <sup>(2)</sup> US\$ <b>89</b> <sub>mm</sub> (5%) Y/Y	Net Income US\$ <b>11</b> <sub>mm</sub> (66)% Y/Y	Net Debt <sup>(3)</sup> US\$ <b>164</b> <sub>mm</sub> +21 mm vs Dec-22
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(1) The FX rate used to convert Argentine Pesos to U.S. dollars is the reference exchange rate (Communication “A” 3500) reported by the Central Bank for U.S. dollars as of **Sept-30<sup>th</sup>** of AR\$350.01 to US\$1.00.

(2) See “Disclaimer-EBITDA & Adjusted EBITDA” on slide 2 for further information.

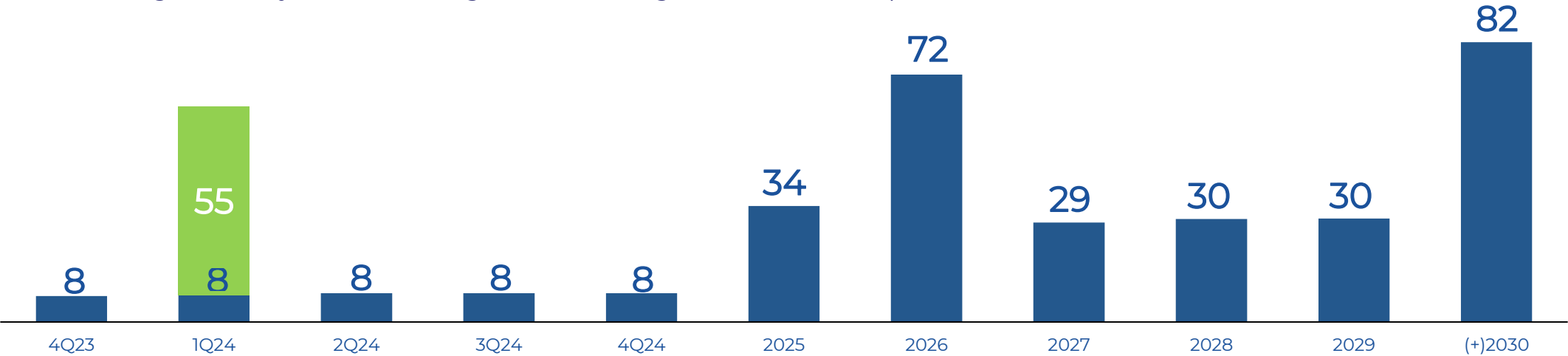
(3) Proforma excludes the amount of dividends declared by the company to be distributed on November 16<sup>th</sup>.



# Successful liability management lifting dividend payment restrictions



On Oct-19<sup>th</sup> the company partially prepaid US\$49mm of the Syndicated loan signed with Citibank N.A., JP Morgan Chase Bank N.A. and Morgan Stanley Senior Funding INC., remaining US\$6.0 mm to be paid on Jan-24.



.Sept-14th issuance of **Class A notes**, denominated, integrated and payable in U.S. dollars, by an amount of US\$37.2 mm and with 30 months of maturity.

. Oct-20th the company **reopened the Class A notes** issuing an additional amount of US\$10.0 mm, with an issue price of 102.9%.

. Oct-17th issuance of **Class B notes** (10% Senior note due 2025), denominated, integrated and payable in U.S. dollars, by an amount of USD 50.0 mm and with 24 months of maturity.

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## Annex 1

# Regulatory Framework

### Resolution

No. 59/2023 (Feb-23)

This resolution was designed to encourage investments for major and minor maintenance activities of combined cycles. Generators have to achieve at least 85.00% availability of average monthly power in exchange for a new power and generation price in both U.S. dollars and Argentine pesos. In the case of power, the price was set at 2,000 USD/MW-month plus (i) 85.00% of the remuneration of power set forth in Resolution No. 869/23 in Argentine pesos (during spring and autumn) or (ii) 65.00% of the remuneration of power set forth in Resolution No. 869/23 in Argentine pesos (during summer and winter). In the case of energy, the price was set at 3.5 USD/MWh for units that use gas and at 6.1 USD/MWh for units that use alternative fuels.

### Resolution

SE N°621/2023 (Jul-23)

Announcement of a new tender process for the addition of new thermal capacity and the replacement of existing one. Central Puerto and other participants submitted offers on September 25th and are awaiting the definition of CAMMESA

:: Central Puerto: 312 MW offered.

:: Central Costanera: 516 MW offered.



### Resolution

SE N°750/2023 (Sep-23)

Energy and capacity prices update for legacy units by 23% since September.



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