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EARNINGS RELEASE

## EBITDA GREW 6.4% WITH REVENUES UP 7.0% IN 3Q21

Monterrey, Mexico, October 28, 2021 – Arca Continental, S.A.B. de C.V. (BMV: AC\*) ("Arca Continental" or "AC"), the second-largest Coca-Cola bottler in Latin America, announced its results for the third quarter and nine months of 2021 ("3Q21" and "9M21").

#### **Table 1: Financial Highlights**

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#### DATA IN MILLIONS OF MEXICAN PESOS

|                             | 3Q21   | 3Q20   | Variation % | Jan-Sep'21 | Jan-Sep'20 | Variation % |
|-----------------------------|--------|--------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| Total Beverage Volume (MUC) | 594.2  | 554.7  | 7.1         | 1,686.0    | 1,593.7    | 5.8         |
| Net Sales                   | 47,946 | 44,811 | 7.0         | 134,228    | 126,649    | 6.0         |
| EBITDA                      | 9,198  | 8,642  | 6.4         | 26,279     | 23,514     | 11.8        |
| Net Income                  | 3,381  | 2,744  | 23.2        | 9,095      | 7,757      | 17.3        |

Total Beverage Volume includes jug water

Net sales not including Revenues outside the territory (OT) in USA

**EBITDA** = Operating income + Depreciation + Amortization + Non Recurring Expenses

#### **3Q21 HIGHLIGHTS**

- Net Sales increased 7.0% when compared to 3Q20, to Ps. 47,946 million.
- EBITDA rose 6.4% to Ps. 9,198 million, for an EBITDA margin of 19.2%.
- Net Income grew 23.2% to Ps. 3,381 million for a net margin of 7.1%, up 100 basis points.

#### 9M21 HIGHLIGHTS

- Net Sales reached Ps. 134,228 million, representing an increase of 6.0%.
- EBITDA rose 11.8% to Ps. 26,279 million for margin of 19.6%, an expansion of 100 basis points.
- Net Income was Ps. 9,095 million, up 17.3% and representing a net margin of 6.8%.

#### COMMENTS FROM THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

"With our focus on constantly improving execution, expanding digital platforms and perfecting our pricepack strategies, for the second consecutive quarter we were able to grow our sales volume, up 7%, and increase EBITDA by 6.4%, which enabled us to sustain solid profitability levels and get closer to our goal of fully recovering to pre-pandemic consumption levels", stated Arturo Gutiérrez, Chief Executive Officer of Arca Continental.

"Driven by the commitment of our team, in 2022 we will seek to further strengthen our operating, innovation and market service capabilities, which together with our administrative discipline, will allow us to be better positioned to face the various business challenges ahead in order to continue building shared value", he added.

## **CONSOLIDATED RESULTS**

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The figures presented in this report were prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS").

|                           | TABLE 2: | CONSOL | IDATED DA   | ТА         |            |             |
|---------------------------|----------|--------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|
|                           | 3Q21     | 3Q20   | Variation % | Jan-Sep'21 | Jan-Sep'20 | Variation % |
| Volume by category (MUC)  |          |        |             |            |            |             |
| Colas                     | 309.1    | 297.6  | 3.9         | 873.7      | 844.2      | 3.5         |
| Flavors                   | 109.5    | 96.9   | 13.0        | 311.0      | 286.1      | 8.7         |
| Sparkling Total Volume    | 418.6    | 394.5  | 6.1         | 1,184.7    | 1,130.4    | 4.8         |
| Water*                    | 63.1     | 54.5   | 15.9        | 179.0      | 160.3      | 11.6        |
| Still Beverages**         | 54.0     | 45.7   | 18.3        | 148.4      | 126.4      | 17.4        |
| Volume excluding Jug      | 535.7    | 494.6  | 8.3         | 1,512.0    | 1,417.1    | 6.7         |
| Jug                       | 58.4     | 60.1   | -2.7        | 174.0      | 176.6      | -1.5        |
| Total Volume              | 594.2    | 554.7  | 7.1         | 1,686.0    | 1,593.7    | 5.8         |
| Income Statement (MM MXP) |          |        |             |            |            |             |
| Net Sales***              | 47,946   | 44,811 | 7.0         | 134,228    | 126,649    | 6.0         |
| EBITDA                    | 9,198    | 8,642  | 6.4         | 26,279     | 23,514     | 11.8        |
| EBITDA Margin             | 19.2%    | 19.3%  | -10 bp      | 19.6%      | 18.6%      | 100 bp      |

\* Includes all single-serve presentations of purified, flavored, and mineral water.

\*\* Includes teas, isotonics, energy drinks, juices, nectars, fruit, and alcoholic beverages

\*\*\* Net Sales not including Revenues outside the territory (OT) in USA

## **FINANCIAL ANALYSIS**

#### **INCOME STATEMENT**

- Consolidated net sales reached Ps. 47,946 million in the quarter, up 7.0% (14.4% on a currency neutral basis) compared to 3Q20. In 9M21, net sales rose 6.0% (12.1% on a currency neutral basis) compared to 9M20, reaching Ps. 134,228 million.
- Total volume increased 7.1% in 3Q21 mainly due to the recovery in still, water and flavors categories, with increases of 18.3%, 15.9% and 13.0%, respectively. In 9M21, consolidated volume grew 5.8%.
- In 3Q21, cost of sales rose 7.5% and gross profit increased 6.3% to Ps. 21,552 million versus 3Q20 to reach a gross margin of 44.9%. In 2021 gross profit grew 6.5% to Ps. 60,779 million, representing a gross margin of 45.3%, 30 basis points above 2020.

- Selling and administrative expenses increased 2.9%, from Ps. 14,238 million to Ps. 14,651 million in 3Q21, reflecting an expense to revenue ratio of 30.6%, 120 basis points lower than 3Q20. In 9M21, selling and administrative expenses reached Ps. 41,720 million, up 0.8% versus 9M20, an expense to revenue ratio of 31.1%, which is 160 basis points below 2020.
- In 3Q21, consolidated operating income increased 12.6% versus 3Q20, totaling Ps. 6,808 million, and an operating margin of 14.2%, 70 basis points higher than the previous year. As of September 2021, operating income reached Ps. 19,052 million and an operating margin of 14.2%, up 200 basis points compared to last year.
- Consolidated EBITDA in 3Q21 increased 6.4% to Ps. 9,198 million for an EBITDA margin of 19.2%. In 9M21, EBITDA reached Ps. 26,279 million, up 11.8% and representing a margin of 19.6%, 100 basis points higher than in 9M20. On a currency-neutral basis, EBITDA grew 12.4% in the quarter and 16.7% year-to-date.
- Comprehensive cost of financing for 3Q21 was Ps. 626 million, 43.0% lower than 3Q20, mainly as a result of FX gains stemming from the depreciation of the Mexican peso versus the dollar. In 9M21, the cost reached Ps. 2,429 million, 25.1% higher than 2020.
- Income tax reflected an effective tax rate of 33.0% to reach Ps. 2,042 million, 36.0% higher than 3Q20. In 9M21, the effective tax rate was 31.6% and income tax was Ps. 5,212 million.
- Net income for 3Q21 was Ps. 3,381 million, 23.2% higher than 3Q20, reflecting a net margin of 7.1%, 100 basis points above last year. In 9M21, it reached Ps. 9,095 million, for a net margin of 6.8%, 70 basis points higher when compared to 2020.

#### **BALANCE SHEET & CASH FLOW STATEMENT**

- As of September 30, 2021, cash balance was Ps. 32,557 million and total debt was Ps. 53,362 million, for a net debt position of Ps. 20,805 million. Net Debt/EBITDA ratio was 0.6x.
- Net operating cash flow reached Ps. 21,365 million as of September 30, 2021.
- CAPEX for the period totaled Ps. 4,261 million, mainly allocated towards strengthening point-of-sale execution capabilities, returnable packaging, production and distribution.



#### Mexico

Arca Continental reports its information for three regions: Mexico, United States and South America, (which includes Peru, Argentina and Ecuador). Each region includes results for the beverage and complementary businesses.

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|---------------------------|--------|------------|-------------|------------|---|-------------|
|                           | 3Q21   | 3Q20       | Variation % | Jan-Sep'21 | Jan-Sep'20                              | Variation % |
| Volume by Category (MUC)  |        |            |             |            |   |             |
| Colas                     | 195.3  | 192.6      | 1.4         | 545.2      | 536.1                                   | 1.7         |
| Flavors                   | 36.8   | 35.8       | 2.7         | 102.1      | 98.6                                    | 3.6         |
| Sparkling Total Volume    | 232.1  | 228.4      | 1.6         | 647.3      | 634.7                                   | 2.0         |
| Water*                    | 32.9   | 28.8       | 14.3        | 91.3       | 78.6                                    | 16.2        |
| Still Beverages**         | 20.5   | 17.9       | 14.2        | 56.8       | 49.8                                    | 13.9        |
| Volume excluding jug      | 285.5  | 275.1      | 3.8         | 795.4      | 763.1                                   | 4.2         |
| Jug                       | 56.9   | 58.5       | -2.8        | 168.4      | 170.7                                   | -1.4        |
| Total Volume              | 342.4  | 333.6      | 2.6         | 963.8      | 933.9                                   | 3.2         |
| Mix (%)                   |        |            |             |            | isseseseseseseseseseseseseseses         |             |
| Returnable                | 32.1   | 33.7       | -1.6        | 32.4       | 33.5                                    | -1.1        |
| Non Returnable            | 67.9   | 66.3       | 1.6         | 67.6       | 66.5                                    | 1.1         |
| Multi-serve               | 57.5   | 60.1       | -2.6        | 57.8       | 59.7                                    | -1.9        |
| Single-serve              | 42.5   | 39.9       | 2.6         | 42.2       | 40.3                                    | 1.9         |
| Income Statement (MM MXP) |        |            |             |            | *************************************** |             |
| Net Sales                 | 21,106 | 19,179     | 10.0        | 58,390     | 52,251                                  | 11.8        |
| EBITDA                    | 5,400  | 4,791      | 12.7        | 14,696     | 12,791                                  | 14.9        |
| EBITDA Margin             | 25.6%  | 25.0%      | 60 bp       | 25.2%      | 24.5%                                   | 70 bp       |

\* Includes all single-serve presentations of purified, flavored, and mineral water.

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### **OPERATING RESULTS FOR MEXICO**

- Net sales for Mexico reached Ps. 21,106 million in 3Q21, an increase of 10.0%. Average price per unit case, excluding jug water, increased 5.7% to Ps. 69.61, mainly driven by price adjustments in August, as well as the recovery of single serve and channel mix. In 9M21, net sales increased 11.8% to Ps. 58,390 million.
- Volume grew 3.8% to 285.5 MUC (excluding jug water), mainly driven by the recovery of water and still beverage categories, up 14.3% and 14.2%, respectively. In 9M21, volume rose 4.2% (excluding jug water).



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- EBITDA in Mexico increased 12.7% to Ps. 5,400 million in the quarter, representing a margin of 25.6%, 60 basis points higher than 3Q20. In 9M21, EBITDA reached Ps. 14,696 million, up 14.9% or 70 basis points above 9M20.
- Volume recovery in the quarter was driven by initiatives to support the recovery in the modern trade channel, namely supermarkets and convenience stores, which grew by 14.3% and 7.3%, respectively.
- In terms of recent product innovations, Topo Chico Hard Seltzer achieved a solid 66% coverage, standing among the top 3 brands in the flavored alcoholic beverages category in our key markets in Monterrey and Guadalajara. In addition, the relaunch of Coca-Cola Sin Azucar expanded coverage in the traditional channel to reach 80%.
- In terms of mix, one-way packages increased 1.6 percentage points due to the recovery of channels, such as the on-premise, modern and entertainment channels.
- As part of our digital agenda, we launched the initiative "Cartera Personalizada por Cliente" ("Personalized Customer Portfolio") supported by Advanced Analytics; this initiative consists of determining personalized suggested orders, taking into account the customer's demographics to help them improve product offering and increase store sales.
- The still beverage category posted positive results mainly due to the growth in sport drinks, energy drinks, and juices and nectars, stemming from the execution and commercial promotions focused on:
  1) promoting Powerade brand during the Tokyo Summer Olympics and the launching of Powerade Fit,
  2) increasing coverage of Monster and Predator within the traditional channel, and 3) strengthening coverage in juices and nectars category in convenience stores, supported by attractive price points.
- During the quarter we launched the program "Somos" ("We Are"), aimed at improving the communication
  of market execution priorities with our sales force and strengthen our market position, while ensuring
  proper execution in the traditional channel.
- The Direct to Home channel grew 7.6% in 3Q21 mainly due to a 40% increase in customers, resulting from the strategy of promoting the "*Coca-Cola en tu Hogar*" (Coca-Cola in your Home) website.
- Bokados in Mexico registered double-digit sales and EBITDA increases, resulting from a 14.8% volume growth in the traditional channel and an improved performance in the modern channel due to the increase in mobility and efficient management of discounts.



## **UNITED STATES**

The U.S. includes the beverage businesses of CCSWB and the snacks businesses of Wise and Deep River.

|                           | TABLE 4: | UNITED ST | ATES DATA   |            |            |             |
|---------------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|
|                           | 3Q21     | 3Q20      | Variation % | Jan-Sep'21 | Jan-Sep'20 | Variation % |
| Volume by Category (MUC)  |          |           |             |            |            |             |
| Colas                     | 51.2     | 50.9      | 0.6         | 151.1      | 150.3      | 0.5         |
| Flavors                   | 30.4     | 27.6      | 10.5        | 86.6       | 81.1       | 6.8         |
| Sparkling Total Volume    | 81.7     | 78.5      | 4.1         | 237.7      | 231.4      | 2.7         |
| Water*                    | 14.4     | 14.3      | 0.8         | 40.8       | 41.9       | -2.6        |
| Still Beverages **        | 21.1     | 19.6      | 7.9         | 55.5       | 51.7       | 7.4         |
| Total Volume              | 117.2    | 112.4     | 4.3         | 334.0      | 325.0      | 2.8         |
| Mix (%)                   |          |           |             |            |            |             |
| Multi-serve               | 65.2     | 66.0      | -0.8        | 66.8       | 67.6       | -0.8        |
| Single-serve              | 34.8     | 34.0      | 0.8         | 33.2       | 32.4       | 0.8         |
| Income Statement (MM MXP) |          |           |             |            |            |             |
| Net Sales***              | 17,956   | 17,943    | 0.1         | 50,657     | 50,549     | 0.2         |
| EBITDA                    | 2,211    | 2,431     | -9.1        | 6,950      | 6,577      | 5.7         |
| EBITDA Margin             | 12.3%    | 13.6%     | -130 bp     | 13.7%      | 13.0%      | 70 bp       |

\* Includes all single-serve presentations of purified, flavored, and mineral water.

\*\* Includes teas, isotonics, energy drinks, juices, nectars, and fruit beverages.

\*\*\* Net Sales not including Revenues outside the territory (OT) in USA

#### **OPERATING RESULTS FOR THE U.S.**

- In 3Q21, net sales in the U.S. reached Ps. 17,956 million, in line with 3Q20. Sales volume totaled 117.2 MUC, 4.3% higher than 3Q20 through a combination of recovery in categories and channels. Flavors and still beverages grew 10.5% and 7.9%, respectively. The on-premise and large store channels grew 19.5% and 8.0%, respectively, driven by greater consumer confidence. In 9M21, volume rose 2.8%.
- During 3Q21, EBITDA reached Ps. 2,211 million, a decline of 9.1% and a margin of 12.3%, down 130 basis points when compared to 3Q20. Through September 2021, EBITDA was Ps. 6,950 million, 5.7% higher compared to 2020, representing an expansion of 70 basis points.
- With an off-cycle price increase and a solid price-pack strategy, net price in 3Q21 increased 7.7% driven mainly by a true rate increase of 6.1% and a positive mix effect of 1.6%.
- This quarter we made significant progress in our digital agenda by implementing a leading IT tool that will help our planning teams improve forecast accuracy, production planning and transporting of finished product.
- During the quarter, we reached the highest number of customers registered on the e-commerce platform mycoke.com, Currently, over 11 thousand active customers place orders through this platform, representing more than 10% of total revenues.

 We continued working on our Advanced Analytics agenda, specifically in the optimization of promotions. In 3Q21, we completed the testing of a new tool that will help us automate planning processes and promotion tracking; this will be a key to ensure optimization of promotional investments, while providing our customers with information that will drive higher volumes at their stores.

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- We developed new capabilities to assist our customers in their reactivation and incorporation of food aggregators such as Doordash and Grubhub. Through discounts and other promotional tools, we are helping customers drive their business and offer products of our brands on these platforms.
- The implementation of our Go to Market 2.0 initiative has enabled us to efficiently allocate resources to maximize execution. This effort was capitalized by a 61% increase in customer visits and a 29% increase in incremental orders when compared to 3Q20.
- We continue moving forwards to achieve our commitment to reach an average of 50% recycled PET in our entire portfolio, this quarter we completed the transition of all 13.2oz flavors to 100% recycled PET.
- In Wise, 3Q21 presented a mid-single digit sales decline. To offset the increase in raw material costs, we made selective price increases as well as savings plans. Deep River brand posted a solid performance resulting from the reopening of customers and the capture of new customers in the onpremise channel.





## **South America**

South America includes beverage operations in Peru, Argentina, Ecuador and the Inalecsa snacks business.

|                           | TABLE 4 | : SOUTH AN   | IERICA DATA |            |            |             |
|---------------------------|---------|--|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|
|                           | 3Q21    | 3Q20   | Variation % | Jan-Sep'21 | Jan-Sep'20 | Variation % |
| Volume by Category (MUC)  |         |  |             |            |            |             |
| Colas                     | 62.6    | 54.1   | 15.7        | 177.5      | 157.8      | 12.5        |
| Flavors                   | 42.3    | 33.5   | 26.1        | 122.2      | 106.5      | 14.8        |
| Sparkling Total Volume    | 104.9   | 87.6   | 19.7        | 299.7      | 264.3      | 13.4        |
| Water*                    | 15.7    | 11.3   | 38.9        | 46.9       | 39.9       | 17.6        |
| Still Beverages**         | 12.4    | 8.2  | 52.2        | 36.1       | 24.8       | 45.2        |
| Volume excluding jug      | 133.0   | 107.1  | 24.2        | 382.7      | 329.0      | 16.3        |
| Jug                       | 1.5     | 1.5  | 0.6         | 5.6        | 5.9        | -4.7        |
| Total Volume              | 134.6   | 108.6  | 23.9        | 388.3      | 334.8      | 16.0        |
| Mix (%)                   |         | la en an |             |            | *****      |             |
| Returnable                | 31.7    | 33.2   | -1.5        | 31.9       | 33.4       | -1.5        |
| Non Returnable            | 68.3    | 66.8   | 1.5         | 68.1       | 66.6       | 1.5         |
| Multi-serve               | 71.0    | 76.6   | -5.6        | 71.9       | 75.1       | -3.2        |
| Single-serve              | 29.0    | 23.4   | 5.6         | 28.1       | 24.9       | 3.2         |
| Income Statement (MM MXP) |         |  |             |            |            |             |
| Net Sales                 | 8,884   | 7,690  | 15.5        | 25,182     | 23,849     | 5.6         |
| EBITDA                    | 1,587   | 1,420  | 11.7        | 4,632      | 4,147      | 11.7        |
| EBITDA Margin             | 17.9%   | 18.5%  | -60 bp      | 18.4%      | 17.4%      | 100 bp      |

\* Includes all single-serve presentations of purified, flavored, and mineral water.

\*\* Includes teas, isotonics, energy drinks, juices, nectars, fruit, and alcoholic beverages

#### **OPERATING RESULTS FOR SOUTH AMERICA**

- Net sales for the South America division in 3Q21 reached Ps. 8,884 million, an increase of 15.5% driven mainly by volume recovery across all three operations, as well as selective price increases in Argentina and Peru. In 9M21, net sales reached Ps. 25,182 million, an increase of 5.6% when compared to 9M20.
- Total volume for South America increased 24.2% to 133.0 MUC, excluding jug water, primarily due to a broad base recovery resulting from the lifting of mobility restrictions. In 9M21, volume for this region increased 16.3%.
- EBITDA for South America increased 11.7% to Ps. 1,587 million, reflecting a margin of 17.9%, a dilution
  of 60 basis points versus 3Q20. In 9M21, EBITDA reached Ps. 4,632 million, an increase of 11.7% and
  a margin of 18.4%, 100 basis points higher than 9M20.





#### Peru

- Volume in Peru rose 29.4% in the quarter due to the recovery in all categories stemming from the lifting of mobility restrictions. For 9M21, volume registered an increase of 18.9%.
- During the quarter, the mix of single serve packages posted a recovery of 5.8 percentage points, due to the execution of plans to drive single-serve and the recovery of channels, such as on-premise.
- The stills category grew 35.4% in 3Q21, surpassing the volume reported in 2019, mainly driven by sports drinks and boosted by the launch of a new 473ml package at an affordable price and a new flavor of Powerade in multi-serve package.
- In terms of channels, volume in the traditional trade grew 12.3% and 0.4 percentage points in market share, as a result of the implementation of various initiatives such as customer training, covering important topics like the use of social media networks to increase their sales, new service models and rollout of AC Digital.
- The Direct to Home platform grew its customer base by 12% versus 2Q21 and number of customers that place orders rose 39%. These improvements were driven by the promotional activities communicated through social media networks.
- During the quarter, Inca Kola Power was launched to compete in the functional sparkling beverage category, reaching coverage of 34% in the traditional channel in the first month.

#### Ecuador

- Volume in Ecuador increased 12.2% driven by the recovery of the stills and water categories, up 44.8% and 36.5%, respectively. During 9M21, sales volume rose 11.2% versus 2020.
- During 3Q21, we maintained our focus on affordability which generated a 2.8 percentage point increase in the mix of returnables. Furthermore, mix of single serve packages increased by 7.1 percentage points due to the changes in consumption trends.
- We expanded the launch of Coca-Cola Sin Azucar to reach 79% coverage, the highest in the last 3 years, along with volume growth of 18% versus last year.
- In 3Q21, Tonicorp posted a high single-digit sales increase thanks to the growth strategy of expanding the portfolio of high value-added products and maintaining leadership in the premium segment. During the quarter, we completed the launch of "Toni Digest", a product that combine probiotics and prebiotics to support the digestive health of consumers.
- In Inalecsa, sales grew by double digits mainly driven by volume recovery and improved pricing. The strategy has focused on tightening expense controls and capturing new customers, mainly in the traditional channel in territories where we serve them using direct distribution.
- In the quarter, our Food and Snacks subsidiary completed the acquisition of Carli Snack, based in Quito. Carli ranks among the leading companies in the snacks industry in the country with a wide national footprint and a relevant market position in categories such as potato chips, extruded snacks, tortillas, protein snacks, and plantain-based chips. The combination of Inalecsa and Carli provides a solid platform that will bring innovation to our portfolio, product, and brand expansion, as well as synergies and the sharing of best practices.



#### Argentina

- Volume in Argentina increased 26.5% in the quarter versus 3Q20 and 29.1% versus 3Q19; recovery was driven by a positive performance in the stills and water categories which grew 99.2% and 29.5%, respectively. In 9M21, volume grew by 15.2% when compared to 9M20.
- The modern trade channel posted the strongest recovery, namely supermarkets, which grew by over 60%, benefitted largely by greater mobility during the quarter.
- In the still beverage category, we launched Cepita Fresh in 2-liter returnable in the Universal Bottle, in grapefruit and orange flavors, thus carrying out a launching strategy affordable for consumers.

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- We obtained the award for Ethics and Values by the Confederation of Industrial Chambers of Mexico, which recognizes companies that evaluate the system and methodology that the organization has established to organize, disburse, measure, and improve the incorporation of the corporate social, responsibility, and sustainable development culture within their operations.
- This quarter we inaugurated the first of four wastewater treatment systems we are developing in conjunction with the Mexican Coca-Cola Industry and state governments. This first wetland, which is a nature-based water treatment system, is now serving a large part of the community in Jalisco, treating 3 million liters of water per day to supply clean water for the population, as well as hydration for an expansive nursery and forestry preserve. We are investing a total of Ps. 170 million in these projects as part of our commitment to generating social, environmental, and shared value.
- In collaboration with the Secretary of Sustainable Development of Sinaloa, AC participated in the collection of 2.6 tons of plastic waste from the ocean, during the "Torneo de Pesca de Plástico" ("Plastic Fish Tournament"), to help restore Bahia Santa Maria, one of the most important wetlands in Mexico.
- Arca Continental and Coca-Cola Mexico participated in the complete restoration of schools through the initiative *"Apadrina una Escuela"* ("Sponsor a School") in collaboration with the Government of Nuevo Leon to ensure that pre-school and elementary school students return to class in worthy spaces. Through this initiative they restored, among other things, potable water service, drainage, electrical maintenance and infrastructure.
- For the eighth consecutive year, Arca Continental Lindley was awarded the "Socially Responsible Company Distinction", a recognition given by the organization Peru 2021 and the Mexican Center for Philanthropy. This result reflects the development of the company's universal focus on sustainability, which stems from its organizational strategy throughout its interest group relations.
- Arca Continental Ecuador was recognized by the Women's Economic Forum as one of the "Iconoic Companies Creating a Better World for All". This award pays homage to companies that make a difference due to their commitment to the creation of an inclusive workplace, and with a focus on gender equality and empowerment.
- Arca Continental, in collaboration with Coca-Cola Argentina, reconditioned 14 waste separating stations and 3 at the tourism complex of the Teleférico de San Bernardo in the city of Salta. This cableway is a key location to raise awareness among the more than 110,000 local consumers and tourist on the importance of recycling.



#### **RECENT EVENTS**

- On July 20, 2021, Fitch Ratings announced the ratification of its investment grade rating for Arca Continental, AC Bebidas and Arca Continental Lindley, at both the global and national levels. The agency confirmed its "A" long-term credit rating in its global scale for AC and ACBE, and the "AAA (mex)" rating in its national scale, with a stable outlook. For Arca Continental Lindley, the agency also ratified its global "A" rating, with a stable outlook.
- On September 13, 2021, AC paid an extraordinary cash dividend of Ps. 1.50 per share, in one payment, equivalent to a total amount of Ps. 2,646 million. With this extraordinary dividend payment, the payout ratio is 76% year-to-date.

#### CONFERENCE CALL INFORMATION

Arca Continental will host a conference call on October 28, 2021 to discuss these results at 10:00 am Mexico/Monterrey time / 11:00 am New York time. A live webcast of this event will be available at <u>www.arcacontal.com</u> or connect via telephone.

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|  | 3Q21   | 3Q20   |        | ation  | Jan-Sep'21 | Jan-Sep'20 | Varia  |       |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|------------|------------|--------|-------|
|  |        |        | MM MXP | %      |            |            | MM MXP | %     |
| Net Sales                                      | 47,946 | 44,811 | 3,135  | 7.0    | 134,228    | 126,649    | 7,580  | 6.0   |
| Cost of Sales                                  | 26,395 | 24,546 | 1,849  | 7.5    | 73,449     | 69,599     | 3,850  | 5.5   |
| Gross Profit                                   | 21,552 | 20,266 | 1,286  | 6.3    | 60,779     | 57,050     | 3,730  | 6.5   |
|  | 44.9%  | 45.2%  |        |        | 45.3%      | 45.0%      |        |       |
| Selling Expenses                               | 12,320 | 11,941 | 379    | 3.2    | 34,922     | 34,677     | 245    | 0.7   |
| Administrative Expenses                        | 2,331  | 2,297  | 34     | 1.5    | 6,799      | 6,706      | 93     | 1.4   |
| Total Costs                                    | 14,651 | 14,238 | 413    | 2.9    | 41,720     | 41,383     | 338    | 0.8   |
|  | 30.6%  | 31.8%  |        |        | 31.1%      | 32.7%      |        |       |
| Ion Recurring Expenses                         | 40     | 145    | -105   | -72.3  | 315        | 669        | -355   | -53.0 |
| Operating Income before other income           | 6,860  | 5,882  | 978    | 16.6   | 18,744     | 14,997     | 3,747  | 25.0  |
| Other Income (Expenses) <sup>1,2</sup>         | -53    | 162    | -215   | -132.5 | 308        | 468        | -161   | -34.3 |
| Operating Income                               | 6,808  | 6,045  | 763    | 12.6   | 19,052     | 15,466     | 3,586  | 23.2  |
|  | 14.2%  | 13.5%  |        |        | 14.2%      | 12.2%      |        |       |
| nterest Expense Net                            | -739   | -870   | 131    | -15.0  | -2,182     | -2,682     | 499    | -18.6 |
| Exchange Gain (Loss)                           | 177    | -208   | 385    | -184.8 | -51        | 774        | -824   | -106. |
| Monetary position result                       | -63    | -18    | -45    |        | -196       | -34        | -162   |       |
| Comprehensive Financial Results                | -626   | -1,097 | 471    | -43.0  | -2,429     | -1,942     | -488   | 25.1  |
| Share of net income of associates <sup>3</sup> | 7      | -53    | 60     | -113.6 | -118       | -23        | -95    | 411.8 |
| Earnings Before Taxes                          | 6,189  | 4,895  | 1,294  | 26.4   | 16,505     | 13,501     | 3,004  | 22.2  |
| Profit Taxes                                   | -2,042 | -1,501 | -541   | 36.0   | -5,212     | -4,070     | -1,143 | 28.1  |
| Non-controlling interest                       | -767   | -650   | -117   | 18.0   | -2,197     | -1,675     | -523   | 31.2  |
| Net Profit                                     | 3,381  | 2,744  | 637    | 23.2   | 9,095      | 7,757      | 1,339  | 17.3  |
|  | 7.1%   | 6.1%   |        |        | 6.8%       | 6.1%       |        |       |
| Depreciation and amortization                  | 2,350  | 2,452  | -102   | -4.2   | 6,912      | 7,379      | -467   | -6.3  |
| EBITDA   | 9,198  | 8,642  | 556    | 6.4    | 26,279     | 23,514     | 2,764  | 11.8  |
| EBITDA / Net Sales                             | 19.2%  | 19.3%  |        |        | 19.6%      | 18.6%      |        |       |

EBITDA = Operating Income + Depreciation and Amortization + Non Recurring Expenses

<sup>1</sup> Includes equity method from our participation in operational companies like Jugos del Valle, IEQSA and Bebidas Refrescantes de Nogales

 $^{\rm 3}$  Includes net effect from Revenues outside the territory (OT) in USA

<sup>3</sup> Includes equity method from our participation in non-operational companies like PIASA, PetStar, Beta San Miguel, among others





# Arca Continental, S.A.B. de C.V. and Subsidiaries Consolidated Balance Sheet (millions of Mexican pesos)

|   | September 30 | December 31 | Varia  |       |
|---|--------------|-------------|--------|-------|
|   | 2021         | 2020        |        | %     |
| ASSETS                                      |              |             |        |       |
| Cash and cash equivalents                   | 32,557       | 27,336      | 5,221  | 19.1  |
| Accounts receivable; Net                    | 14,378       | 11,062      | 3,316  | 30.0  |
| Inventories                                 | 9,286        | 8,251       | 1,035  | 12.5  |
| Prepayments                                 | 842          | 451         | 391    | 86.7  |
| Total Current Assets                        | 57,063       | 47,099      | 9,964  | 21.2  |
| Investments in shares and other investments | 8,341        | 8,308       | 33     | 0.4   |
| Property, plant and other equipment         | 67,561       | 69,659      | -2,098 | -3.0  |
| Assets right of use                         | 1,034        | 1,190       | -156   | -13.1 |
| Other non current assets                    | 120,884      | 119,717     | 1,167  | 1.0   |
| Total Assets                                | 254,883      | 245,974     | 8,910  | 3.6   |
| LIABILITIES                                 |              |             |        |       |
| Short term bank loans                       | 8,929        | 7,132       | 1,796  | 25.2  |
| Suppliers                                   | 9,569        | 8,044       | 1,525  | 19.0  |
| Short term lease                            | 327          | 358         | -31    | -8.6  |
| Accounts payable and taxes                  | 18,131       | 15,245      | 2,886  | 18.9  |
| Total Current Liabilities                   | 36,956       | 30,779      | 6,177  | 20.1  |
| Bank Loans and long term liabilities        | 44,433       | 43,445      | 989    | 2.3   |
| Long term lease                             | 765          | 853         | -88    | -10.3 |
| Deferred income tax and others              | 24,185       | 23,476      | 708    | 3.0   |
| Total Liabilities                           | 106,340      | 98,553      | 7,786  | 7.9   |
| SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY                        |              |             |        |       |
| Non controlled participation                | 29,361       | 30,566      | -1,206 | -3.9  |
| Capital Stock                               | 982          | 982         | 0      | 0.0   |
| Retained Earnings                           | 109,106      | 105,596     | 3,510  | 3.3   |
| Net Profit                                  | 9,095        | 10,276      | -1,181 | -11.5 |
| Total Shareholders' Equity                  | 148,544      | 147,420     | 1,124  | 0.8   |
| Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity  | 254,883      | 245,974     | 8,910  | 3.6   |
| I otal Liabilities and Shareholder's Equity | 234,003      | 24J,J/4     | 0,910  | 5.0   |





# Arca Continental, S.A.B. de C.V. and Subsidiaries **Cash Flow Statement** (millions of Mexican pesos)

|   | as of Sep<br>2021 | tember 30<br>2020 |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| Earnings Before Taxes                       | 16,505            | 13,501            |
|   |                   |                   |
| Depreciation and amortization               | 6,912             | 7,379             |
| Foreign exchange / Monetary position result | 247               | -740              |
| Accrued interests                           | 2,182             | 2,682             |
| Gain on sale and fixed assets impairment    | 662               | 623               |
|   |                   |                   |
| Operating cash flow before taxes            | 26,508            | 23,445            |
| Cashflow generated/used in the operation    | -5,143            | -1,510            |
| Operating cashflow after working capital    | 21,365            | 21,935            |
|   |                   |                   |
| Investment Activities:                      |                   |                   |
| Capital Expenditures and Investments (Net)  | -5,949            | -3,392            |
|   |                   |                   |
| Financing Activities:                       | ,                 |                   |
| Dividends paid                              | -9,769            | -7,275            |
| Share repurchase program                    | -9                | -108              |
| Debt amortization                           | 2,341             | 149               |
| Paid interests                              | -2,824            | -3,313            |
| Other                                       | -440              | -470              |
| Net cash flow                               | -10,702           | -11,016           |
|   |                   |                   |
| Net increase of cash and equivalents        | 4,714             | 7,527             |
| Change in Cash                              | 507               | 2,857             |
|   |                   |                   |
| Initial cash and equivalents balance        | 27,336            | 22,051            |
| Final cash and equivalents balance          | 32,557            | 32,435            |

## **Additional Financial Information**

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|                                    |        | Beve    | erage Segm | ents      |         | Other     |              |        |
|------------------------------------|--------|---------|------------|-----------|---------|-----------|--------------|--------|
|                                    | Mexico | USA     | Peru       | Argentina | Ecuador | Business* | Eliminations | Total  |
| Volume by Segment                  | 342.4  | 117.2   | 66.3       | 34.2      | 34.1    | I         | II           | 594.2  |
| Sales by Segment                   | 20,111 | 16,834  | 3,487      | 2,279     | 2,775   | 2,889     | -428         | 47,946 |
| Intersegment Sales                 | -278   | 0       | -38        | 0         | -2      | -110      | 428          | 0      |
| Net Sales from intersegments       | 19,833 | 16,834  | 3,449      | 2,279     | 2,774   | 2,779     | 0            | 47,946 |
| Operating Income                   | 4,536  | 1,700   | 409        | 151       | 259     | -249      | 0            | 6,808  |
| EBITDA                             | 5,279  | 2,284   | 680        | 345       | 512     | 99        | 0            | 9,198  |
| EBITDA / Net Sales                 | 26.6%  | 13.6%   | 19.7%      | 15.1%     | 18.4%   | 3.6%      |              | 19.2%  |
| Non Recurring Expenses             | 5      | 0       | 2          | 24        | 3       | 5         | 0            | 40     |
| Depreciation and amortization      | 737    | 584     | 268        | 169       | 249     | 342       | 0            | 2,350  |
| Financial Income                   | 452    | 5       | 403        | 13        | 18      | 19        | 0            | 910    |
| Financial Expenses                 | 687    | 175     | 578        | 37        | 43      | 16        | 0            | 1,536  |
| Share of net income of associates  | -7     | 15      | 0          | 0         | 0       | 0         | 0            | 7      |
| Earnings Before Taxes              | 4,294  | 1,545   | 234        | 127       | 234     | -245      | 0            | 6,189  |
| Total Assets                       | 81,249 | 106,975 | 38,524     | 9,604     | 22,906  | 12,986    | -17,360      | 254,88 |
| Investment in associates companies | 7,318  | 620     | 0          | 403       | 0       | 0         | 0            | 8,341  |
| ,<br>Total Liabilities             | 48,909 | 38,700  | 13,922     | 1,565     | 5,553   | 3,625     | -5,935       | 106,34 |
| CAPEX                              | 2,212  | 906     | 421        | 295       | 305     | 223       | 0            | 4,364  |

\*Others includes Food & Snacks Division, Vending and other subsidiares not related to Beverage segments

## Information by Segments Jan-Sep'21

|                                    |        | Beve    | rage Seg | ments     |         | Other     |              |         |
|------------------------------------|--------|---------|----------|-----------|---------|-----------|--------------|---------|
| I                                  | Mexico | USA     | Peru     | Argentina | Ecuador | Business* | Eliminations | Total   |
| Volume by Segment                  | 963.8  | 334.0   | 197.7    | 90.4      | 100.2   |           |              | 1,686.0 |
| Sales by Segment                   | 55,601 | 47,451  | 10,671   | 5,338     | 8,208   | 8,137     | -1,177       | 134,228 |
| Intersegment Sales                 | -767   | 0       | -82      | 0         | -5      | -323      | 1,177        | 0       |
| Net Sales from intersegments       | 54,834 | 47,451  | 10,588   | 5,338     | 8,203   | 7,814     | 0            | 134,228 |
| Operating Income                   | 12,147 | 5,212   | 1,364    | 284       | 664     | -620      | 0            | 19,052  |
| EBITDA                             | 14,437 | 7,105   | 2,236    | 820       | 1,443   | 238       | 0            | 26,279  |
| EBITDA / Net Sales                 | 26.3%  | 15.0%   | 21.1%    | 15.4%     | 17.6%   | 3.0%      |              | 19.6%   |
| Non Recurring Expenses             | 71     | 95      | 6        | 95        | 23      | 24        | 0            | 315     |
| Depreciation and amortization      | 2,219  | 1,797   | 866      | 440       | 756     | 834       | 0            | 6,912   |
| Financial Income                   | 1,469  | 17      | 1,719    | -4        | 57      | 46        | 0            | 3,304   |
| Financial Expenses                 | 2,767  | 530     | 2,169    | 94        | 119     | 55        | 0            | 5,733   |
| Share of net income of associates  | -132   | 15      | 0        | 0         | 0       | 0         | 0            | -118    |
| Earnings Before Taxes              | 10,717 | 4,714   | 914      | 186       | 602     | -628      | 0            | 16,505  |
| Total Assets                       | 81,249 | 106,975 | 38,524   | 9,604     | 22,906  | 12,986    | -17,360      | 254,883 |
| Investment in associates companies | 7,318  | 620     | 0        | 403       | 0       | 0         | 0            | 8,341   |
| Total Liabilities                  | 48,909 | 38,700  | 13,922   | 1,565     | 5,553   | 3,625     | -5,935       | 106,340 |
| CAPEX                              | 2,212  | 906     | 421      | 295       | 305     | 223       | 0            | 4,364   |

\*Others includes Food & Snacks Division, Vending and other subsidiares not related to Beverage segments



| Total Debt AC         |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |          |        |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------|--------|
|                       | 2021  | 2022  | 2023  | 2024  | 2025  | 2026  | 2027  | 2028  | 2029  | <br>2032 | Total  |
| Debt Maturity Profile | 4,455 | 7,733 | 5,509 | 3,406 | 4,157 | 2,467 | 6,378 | 3,023 | 8,117 | 8,117    | 53,362 |
| % of Total            | 8.3%  | 14.5% | 10.3% | 6.4%  | 7.8%  | 4.6%  | 12.0% | 5.7%  | 15.2% | 15.2%    | 100.0% |

| Credit Rating |         | Local    | Global | Outlook  |
|---------------|---------|----------|--------|----------|
|               | Fitch   | AAA(mex) | А      | Stable   |
|               | Moody's | Aaa.mx   | A2     | Negative |
|               | S&P     | mxAAA    | -      | Stable   |

#### Average exchange rate

|     | 3Q21  | 3Q20  | YoY    |     | Jan-Sep'21 | J |
|-----|-------|-------|--------|-----|------------|---|
| MXN | 20.05 | 22.26 | -9.9%  | MXN | 20.20      | Γ |
| PEN | 4.96  | 6.28  | -21.0% | PEN | 5.28       | Ī |
| ARS | 0.21  | 0.30  | -32.4% | ARS | 0.22       |   |

| End of period exchange rate |       |       |       |  |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|--|--|--|--|
|                             | 3Q21  | 2Q21  | 3Q20  |  |  |  |  |
| MXN                         | 20.50 | 19.82 | 22.36 |  |  |  |  |
| PEN                         | 4.96  | 5.13  | 6.22  |  |  |  |  |
| ARS                         | 0.21  | 0.21  | 0.29  |  |  |  |  |

Note: The information in these tables is available for download in MS Excel format at the following link: <u>http://www.arcacontal.com/investors/financial-reports.aspx</u>

